Musician tickles the ivories

Paul Smith, who formerly was the staff pianist for NBC-TV, and currently plays on the road, is among the musicians who will perform at the 15th annual Midland Jazz Classic

ARTS/1G



Industry looks gloomy

Analysts say despite stable oil prices, indicators point toward a gloomy second half of the year for the petroleum industry, due largely to slow drilling pace and weak natural gas prices

OIL REPORT/1F



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NEWS WATCH

Nine die in temple

PHOENIX (AP) — Nine people were found slain Saturday in a Buddhist temple, seven of them monks at the temple that serves mostly Thai immigrants, authorities said.

All were found shot to death in one room, apparently the kitchen of the Arizona Buddhist Temple, said Maricopa County Sheriff Tom Agnos.

The dead included an elderly woman and a man in his early 20s, Agnos said.

The temple is in a remote area surrounded by cotton fields about 20 miles from downtown Phoenix./3A

Rebs are ready

Midland Lee's annual fall football cruise leaves port at 9 a.m. Monday, sailing through uncharted waters that promises some high waves.

First and foremost, Lee's first week of work will be most important. This is the first year in history that a Lee team enters a season without the benefit of spring football practice. The Rebels get an extra week of two-a-day workouts and an extra scrimmage, so they need to make up in one week what they lost in a potential three weeks of spring football.

"We'll work out at 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday and try to develop a football team," says Lee head football coach Earl Miller. "Since we didn't have spring training, we really don't know where we're at right now and we've got to found out in a hurry./1B

Houses go up

Experts say Midlanders are building their new homes — in record number — on a solid foundation despite an uncertain economic future.

New home construction has increased by about 27 percent in the first seven months of 1991 compared with the same period last year, city records show. Realtors, builders and city officials say the news is not surprising and Midland has been holding its own throughout difficult economic times.

"It's a lot more active than people think," said city building official David Wayland, in whose office 147 home construction permits have been issued so far this year.

Realtors Association President Sandy Scott said the new home market has remained stable for several years./1C

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Hospital hearing shows promise of sparks

■ Hospital officials and two groups of 'concerned' taxpayers may collide when the Midland County Hospital District meets Monday for a public hearing on a possible tax increase.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

The prospect of more taxes, like incoming bills, gets taxpayers' attention.

And "concerned" taxpayers likely will be pitted against other "concerned' taxpayers at 5:30 p.m. Monday when the Midland County Hospital District's Board of Directors holds a public hearing on any proposed hospital-district tax-rate hike in Midland's Memorial Hospital and Medical Center Auditorium.



Edna Walger



Tom Bruner

"We are struggling to reduce the deficit" of indigent health-care cost, said Tom Bruner, past president of the board and former member of the hospital's Board of Trustees, which offers advise to the elected seven-member Board of Directors.

Indigent care for about 8,000 Midland County patients in the 1990-91 fiscal year ending Sept. 30 is costing about $8.5 million, while tax revenue is taking care of about $6 million of that cost.

Hospital tax funds are to pay for indigent-care costs.

But the overrun will be absorbed by hospital's "profits," called "excess revenue" or "positive cash flow," which, noted Bruner, is hardly exorbitant.

Edna Walger, Bruner's adversary and a critic-watchdog of the several taxing-entity boards in Midland County, has alluded to the hospital's positive cash flow as "obscene profits," noted Bruner, a 48-year-old Midland lawyer.

Mrs. Walger is president of Citizens Against Taxpayer Abuse (CATA).

In a recent CATA letter, Mrs. Walger referred to the hospital's more than "$22 million" in "net profits of your (Midlanders') public hospital" in the first nine months of the 1990-91 fiscal year.

"Actually, the truth is," Bruner said, "excess revenues are $2.9 million based on total revenues of almost $90 million."

"Out of $90-million revenue, we have $26 million to charge off Medicare (underpayments) and bad debts," Bruner said. Federal Medicare payments, at fixed rates, are below the hospital's full-charge billing.

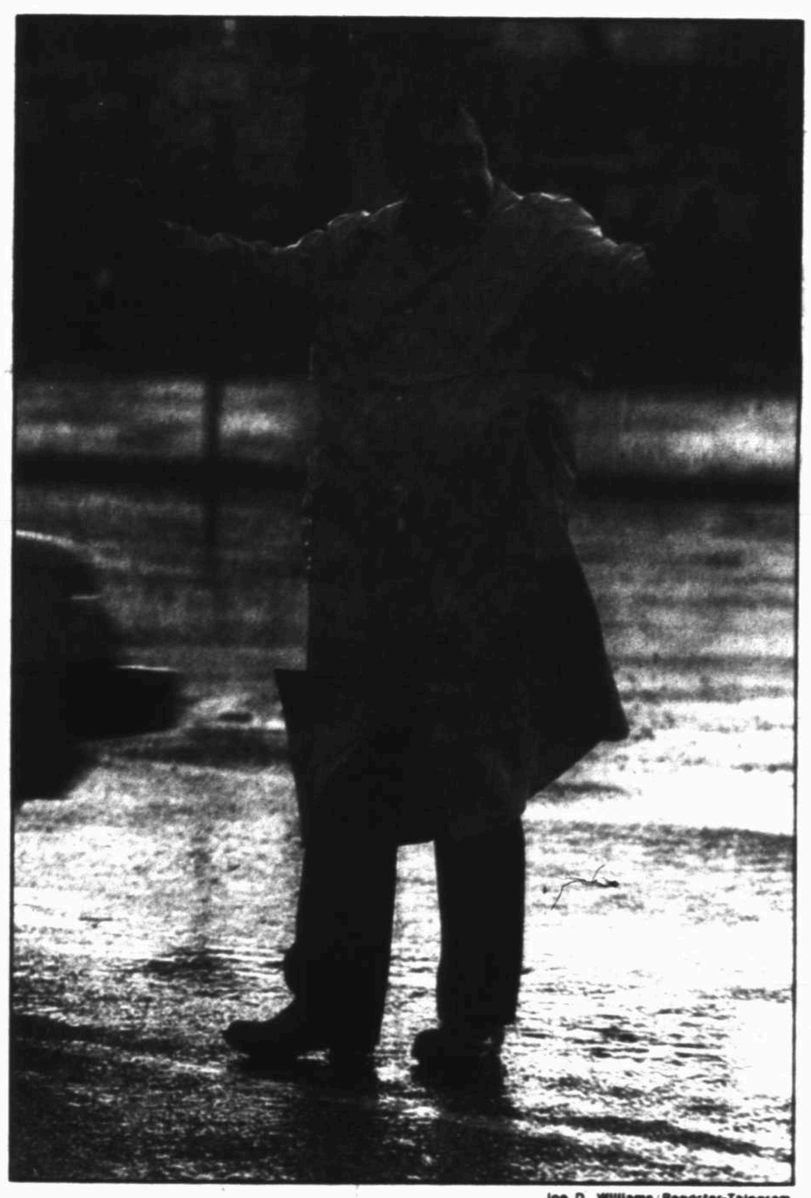
"That's like 33 percent of our total business disappears before we ever see it," Bruner said.

Mrs. Walger, a 70-year-old Midland watercolor artist and founder of the 1990-established CATA, is exhorting Midland taxpayers who care about how their tax dollars are spent to attend governmental meetings, including Monday's hospital-district hearing on a proposed tax-rate hike.

She wants citizens to be responsible and for elected officials to be more responsive.

"Citizen-taxpayers have to get off of

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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Elias Hernandez of the Midland Police Department gets drenched by heavy rains Saturday afternoon as he directs traffic on Loop 250 after an accident.

Thunderstorms darken sky over Permian Basin

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Ominous skies that fueled fears of funnel clouds dropping and turning into West Texas twisters put a fright into Midlanders on Saturday afternoon.

"Those clouds were rolling and roaring," said Jane Harmon, a retired Midland school teacher who was watching the storms roll into the Permian Basin. "I thought they were going to blow us out of the saddle."

During the time a funnel cloud was reported south of Midland International Airport and moving northward, the airport was closed.

The dark clouds dropped an official .24 inch of rain at the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. There were no damage

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Frenchman regains his freedom

■ Hostage taken last week is in police custody after house-to-house search.

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A Frenchman kidnapped last week was freed Sunday, the state-run National News Agency quoted police as saying.

The report came after a man claiming to speak for the kidnappers of Jerome Leyraud called a Western news agency in Beirut to say he would be freed. The Organization for the Defense of Prisoners' Rights had claimed responsibility for seizing Leyraud, a 26-year-old relief worker, on Thursday.

The Lebanese agency quoted police as saying Leyraud was freed after massive house raids overnight by forces under the control of police commander Brig. Gen. Samir Shaarani.

It was unclear from the news report whether the captors released the hostage or he was rescued by police.

The agency said Leyraud was at the Helou police station in Beirut. It gave no further details.

The hostage-takers had threatened to kill Leyraud if another Western hostage were freed without Israel and its allies releasing Arab prisoners.

The caller said the move was designed to give a chance to efforts to gain freedom for Lebanese prisoners held in Israel.

He said he spoke for the Organization for the Defense of Prisoners' Rights and read a statement addressed "to the families of our brothers imprisoned in the jails of tyranny and aggression."

"As a result of efforts from various parties and the assurances given emphasizing that a change has occurred in the attitude toward the case of the prisoners

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Voters OK CED proposal

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Despite a low voter turnout Saturday, the Andrews-Midland County Education District (CED) approved the proposed Texas constitutional amendment to permit CED voters to adopt ad valorem tax exemption on the same ballot.

The vote total in Midland County for Amendment No. 1 was 3,463 for and 2,464 against.

That result followed the statewide trend where the amendment was winning with approximately 55 percent support.

Meanwhile, the voters in the Midland-Andrews CED lopsidedly rejected taxation of tangible personal property, other than manufactured homes, "not held or used for the production of income."

And they overwhelming approved the proposal for a 20 percent exemption from taxation of the market value of residential homestead and the $10,000 exemption from taxation of the market val-

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Officers seize pound of crack

Staff Report

Midland County Sheriff's Department and city police officers arrested six individuals Saturday afternoon, in what officials said may prove to be one of the largest crack cocaine seizures ever in the state.

Roughly a pound of suspected crack cocaine, with a street value of more than $100,000, and about $1,500 in cash were seized in the arrests.

Five men, identified by a sheriff's spokesman as "known drug dealers out

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Filibuster fails: Texans to vote on lottery

AUSTIN (AP) — The Senate voted early Saturday to let Texans determine whether to establish a state lottery, after the most ballyhooed filibuster in years ended when Sen. John Leedom got sick.

Leedom, Texas' oldest senator at 70, ended the delaying tactic at 2:14 a.m., having talked for 7 hours and 17 minutes.

He had complained of nausea several times, briefly sitting down and wiping his forehead with a cloth shortly after 12:30 a.m.

After he quit, senators approved the lottery measure,

■ State budget/1C

a proposed constitutional amendment, 22-5.

The Texas Constitution bans lotteries, so starting one requires approval of a constitutional amendment.

The proposal had won passage from the House on Monday, the first time that chamber has approved it after eight unsuccessful tries since 1983.

Voters will go to the polls Nov. 5 to cast ballots on the proposal.

If lottery wins the voters' OK, the numbers game likely would begin next summer, according to Andy Welch, spokesman for the state comptroller's office that would operate a lottery.

Lottery sponsor Sen. John Montford said the game would raise about $471 million for the 1992-93 state budget and nearly $800 million in 1994-95.

That's not enough to forestall a tax increase, but it would mean a lower tax hike, said Montford.

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HEARING: Taxpayers to confront hospital board Monday

(From 1A)

their collective derrieres and do something about it," she said.

Though Mrs. Walger said she is "terribly worried about the whole country," she added, "I can t to anything about the whole country." Instead, she is working at the grassroots level.

It was her CATA group which petitioned for a rollback election after the hospital board last year had voted in a 19.6 percent hike in the tax rate which made a rollback election possible.

Any effective tax-rate hike more than 8 percent over the effective tax rate is subject to a rollback election.

Although only 18.8 percent of Midland County's then 48,720 registered voters cast balloted in the Jan. 19 rollback election, the rollback was defeated 5,135 to 3,992 votes.

Mrs. Walger, who admittedly is "sitting in judgment" of the hospital's operation, said that the proposition was defeated "because of all the lies" put out by way of television advertising by Citizens Against Rollback Election (CARE), a local organization that successfully worked to defeat the rollback.

By innuendo, Mrs. Walger said, CARE's campaign suggested that the public was "in danger of not having a hospital here" were the rollback successful.

"Hogwash," Mrs. Walger said.

"I can't address her perception," Bruner responded.

By private funding, CARE raised more than $50,000 to bolster its cause — health care — for a tax increase, Bruner said.

"Not one penny came from the hospital or the (Midland Memorial) Foundation," Bruner said. "It was all private money."

Bruner takes exceptions to many of Mrs. Walger's and CATA's accusations, including one that the hospital's Board of Governors-appointed trustees dictate policy to elected Board of Directors and, effectively, manage the hospital.

"This hospital district board is a hybrid," Mrs. Walger said. "I'm not sure, but I doubt that there are too many hospital boards that are allowed to function like this board does. They have abdicated their responsibility to the citizen-taxpayers and turned all the decision-making over to the hospital's Board of Trustees."

Bruner disagreed.

"That certainly is not true," he said. "The Board of Directors participates in all the committee and other deliberations of the Board of Trustees as ex officio members and has the ultimate responsibility for approval or disapproval of any proposed budget or program."

Bruner said that he has found the system to be "very beneficial," since "it allows discussion of confidential and strategic-planning considerations without public disclosure. The system allows the elected board to "to draw on a broad range of expertise."

The 18-member Board of Trustees is headed up by its chairman, Joseph I. O'Neill III, who is an oil-and-gas operator.

The trustees are advisers to the hospital's chief administrator, Ray Branson and, with the medical staff, review physicians and their accreditations.

In turn, the trustees report to the directors, who review the hospital's day-to-day operations.

"I do not think they (trustees) are entitled to a closed meeting," Mrs. Walger said, "if they are the ones who make all of the decisions of how their (the hospital's) money is spent."

Bruner said he takes "exception" to anyone who would question the ethics of the hospital's boards of directors, trustees and governors who "represent every walk of life in Midland, Texas."

"No one receives any payment or benefit" by serving on the various boards "other than the pleasure of seeing our community receive a better quality of life and health care than otherwise would be possible," Bruner said.

Serving on the Board of Directors are Dr. Stephen L. Wiesenfeld, board president and a Midland physician; Margaret Williams, a retired school school teacher; Jean Pittman, interior designer and pilot; Bruner; the Rev. Sylvester Ferguson, minister; Richard Key Dulaney, landman, and Dr. R. Shelton Viney, physician.

After the rollback was defeated, the hospital's property tax increased to 16.6 cents, which assured $6 million in tax revenue for indigent health care.

A rollback would have knocked the tax rate down to 14.9 cents per $100 valuation, which represents an 8 percent increase over 1990's 13.7-cent tax rate. The district, then, would have lost $750,000 in tax revenue. As it stands, the district gained and, effectively reduced — but did not eliminate — any deficit in indigent care.

Without a 1991 tax hike, the hospital's indigent-care costs, projected at $9 million in 1991-92, would suffer a $3-million shortfall, hospital officials say. That deficit, necessarily, would be paid from the hospital's revenues, which are generated by the "paying" patients and/or their insurers.

Texas law requires a public hearing when a taxing body, such as the hospital district's board, entertains a tax hike of more than 3 percent above the effective tax rate.

The board is to set the tax rate and adopt hospital's 1991-92 fiscal-year budget of about $140 million on Aug. 28.

Meanwhile, the board is to consider citizen input in Monday's meeting and is to continue studying the hospital's budget and tax revenue.

The 272-room hospital treats almost 8,000 indigent patients per year.

"The number of indigents is increasing," Wiesenfeld said recently, "and the cost of delivering the service is increasing."

For hospital tax money to pay for indigent care, the tax rate would require a 56.1 percent hike, which would "zero" the deficit by raising the tax rate to 24.49 cents per $100 from 16.61 cents. A 24.49-cent tax rate would bring in $9 million.

With a 7.99 percent tax-rate hike, which would bring the tax rate to 17.63 cents from 16.61 cent, the hospital would suffer a $2.4-million deficit. That rate would generate $6.5 million in tax revenue, while projected indigent-care costs hover at $9 million, officials said.

"It's hard for us to continue to run a $2.6-million deficit," Wiesenfeld had lamented.

Indigent care in the 1990-91 fiscal year is costing about $8.5 million, while tax revenue is taking care of about $6 million of that, according to hospital records.

Mrs. Walger said that she wouldn't protest an 8 percent tax increase to pay for indigent care.

"I'd love to have them have 8 percent," she said.

But if the "hospital makes a profit, I don't want them to spend it on buying properties, and they've bought lots of property," including Memorial West (Clearview), psychiatric facility, she said.

Mrs. Walger said she was "just as angry at the citizens of this community for not taking a more active role" in public affairs.

She was upset with Bruner when he, as board president and with board support, had urged approval of a 1991 legislative bill, which she called a "pocket-picking ploy." The bill, approved by both the Texas Senate and House of Representatives but vetoed by the the governor, proposed a 15-cent floor on hospital property taxes if a sales tax were approved.

The Board of Directors' "primary concern is the bottom line," Mrs. Walger said. "I think they do not deliver the quality care they talked about ad nauseam during that (rollback) campaign."

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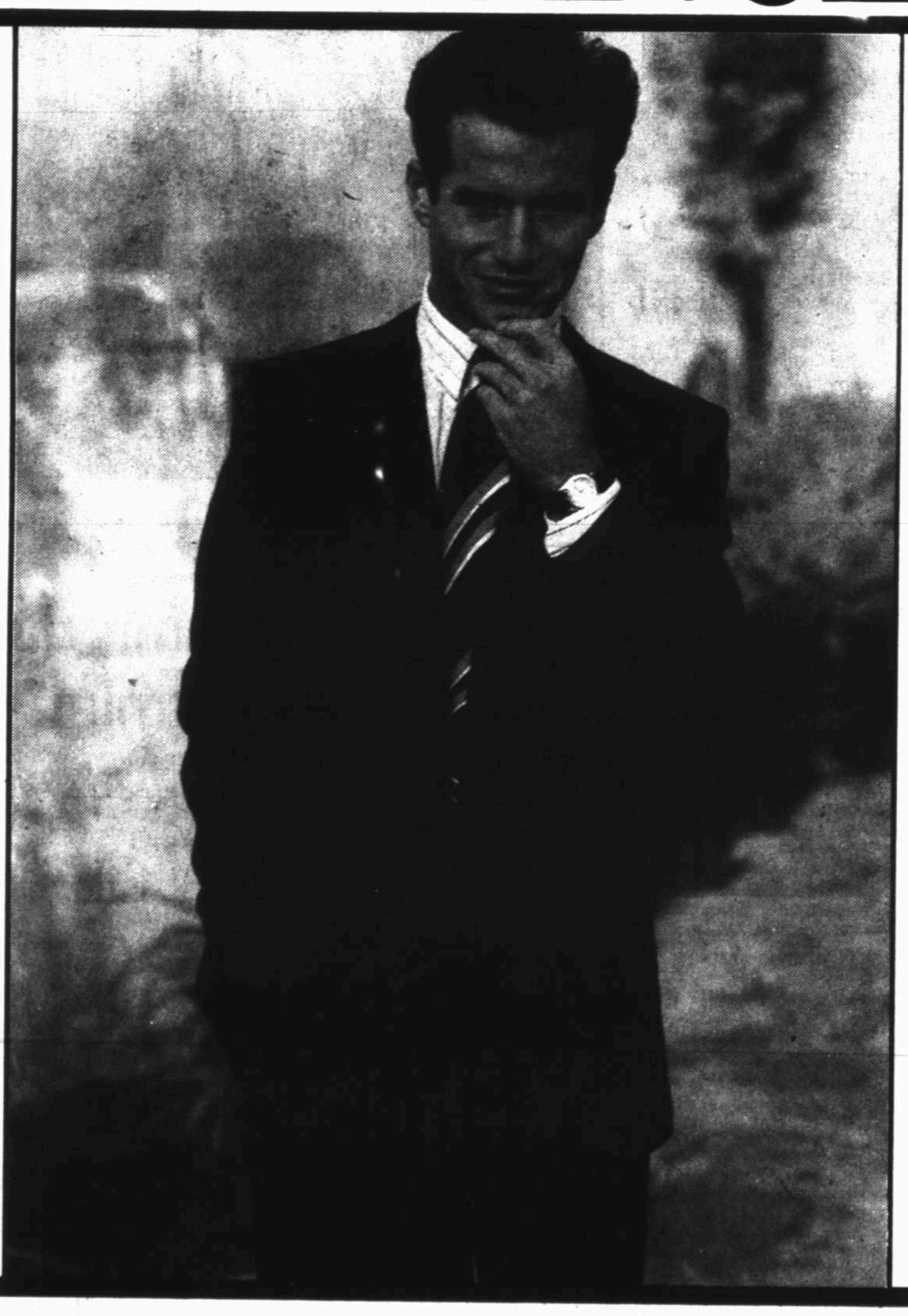
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9 people slain at Buddhist temple

The Nation

PHOENIX (AP) — Nine people were found slain Saturday in a Buddhist temple, including several monks at the temple that serves as a community center to the city's Thai residents.

All were found shot to death in one room, said Maricopa County Sheriff Tom Agnos. The dead included an elderly woman and a man in his early 20s, Agnos said.

Temple worshipers at the scene said one of the dead was a young man who had recently immigrated from Thailand.

The temple has gold and jade statues, leading to speculation that robbery was the motive, but Agnos said it was too early to be sure. Department experts in Asian gang violence were investigating at the scene.

The temple is in a remote area surrounded by cotton fields about 20 miles from downtown Phoenix. A sign identifies it as Promkunaram Wat and also says Buddhist Temple.

The bodies were found between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m., by Chawee Borders, 50, a temple worshiper who went there to clean the church, said her husband, Phil.

Sheriff's spokesman Duane Brady said everyone known to be staying on temple grounds were killed. The bodies were found in a living room of the complex.

Brady declined to say if there were signs the place had been searched or what might be missing. He said the victims hadn't been positively identified and that investigators had no suspects.

About 100 grief-stricken temple members gathered at the scene and stayed there throughout the day.

One of them, Jerry Hastings, 19, said his grandmother is a Buddhist nun who had been living at the temple. He believed she was dead because officials told his mother that no one was found alive inside.

"I just feel shocked," Hastings said. "I can't believe it. ... When my mother told me I thought it was a joke or something. They were all lying dead on the floor."

The mourners — most of them Thais who speak little English — weathered 100-degree heat in their vigil. They and reporters were kept several hundred yards from the temple, which appeared to be a one-story building flanked by shrubbery.

Worshipers said only six of the temple's nine monks were in town. They said an elderly woman and two young men or teen-agers had been undergoing a three-week training program in self-discipline and self-awareness at the temple.

A ceremony marking completion of the training was to have been held Sunday, said Robert Johnson, whose wife, Bupha, is a worshipper.

The church was frequented by a tight-knit group of Thais, plus some Laotians and Vietnamese, who came to this country after marrying American servicemen. The temple — associated with the Thai sect of Buddhism — was used as a place to worship and socialize.

"They stick together very much," Phil Borders said.

The temple, which lies below the Estrella Mountains and near Luke Air Force Base, was founded about three years ago, he said.

Polygraph expert: Smith case most politicized he's worked

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — A lie-detector expert said he feels more pressure investigating what he believes are truthful allegations of rape against William Kennedy Smith than he did working on some of the nation's most controversial cases.



Smith

For Warren Holmes, a polygraph operator since 1955, those cases include the John F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King Jr. assassinations, the Watergate probe, questioning of late Philadelphia Mayor Frank Rizzo and a controversial Florida case of two black men wrongly imprisoned in the murder of a white man.

"For the sheer intensity ... I don't think any one has been as politicized as this one," Holmes said by telephone Friday from his Miami office.

He remains convinced the woman's allegations against Smith, 30-year-old nephew of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., are true. And he believes his reputation is at stake in this case.

"I found her credible throughout," he said.

Holmes' April polygraph test of the alleged victim was made public in May. Smith's attorneys criticized police and prosecutors for publicizing the results because lie-detector tests usually are inadmissible as trial evidence.

But Holmes figured prominently in Friday's legal arguments by Smith's attorneys, who renewed their attacks on the credibility of the woman who says Smith raped her March 30 at the Kennedy family estate in Palm Beach.

"There is indeed strong and compelling evidence indicating (the woman) is mentally or emotionally unstable and that due to this instability her allegations are spurious," Smith's attorneys said in a court filing setting up their arguments for a pretrial hearing before Palm Beach Circuit Judge Mary Lupo.

Smith's attorney's are demanding psychological and medical records of the alleged victim, whose 30th birthday is today.

They quoted frequently from Holmes' questioning during which the woman described traumatic events including sexual molestation by a gardener at age 8, beatings by her mentally disturbed father, emotional abuse by her stepfather, abortion and miscarriage, and drug and alcohol abuse.

"She's a dichotomy of strange personality traits and makeups. She has a basic weakness in handling life's problems," Holmes stated. "But the irony of it all is that she has strengths in other ways. ... It's ironical to me that if these other allegations are the truth, then the weakest personality is the one to took him to toll."

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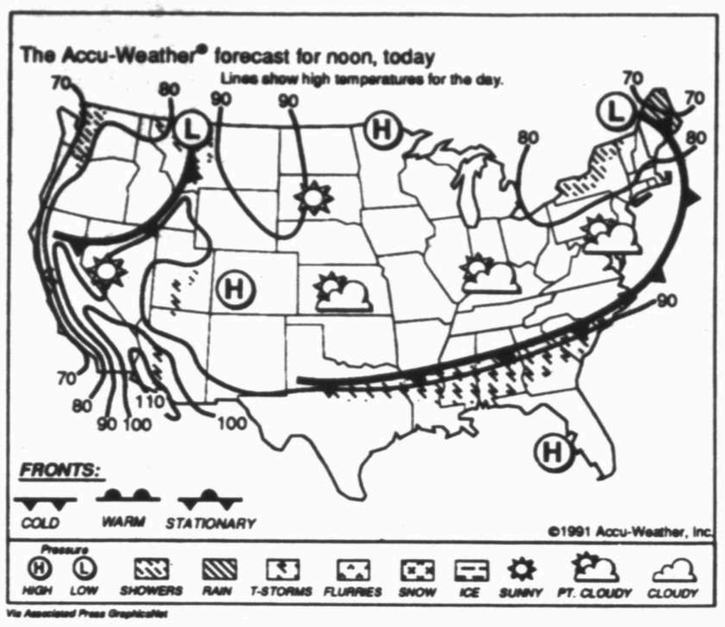
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WEATHER SUMMARY



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Showers to continue

Associated Press

A weak cold front across North Central Texas brought thunderstorms and scattered showers Saturday to the southern part of the state and elsewhere. Storms dumped nearly one inch of rain on the Chisos Basin in the Big Bend.

West Texas was mostly sunny near Amarillo in the Panhandle and San Angelo in the Concho Valley.

High temperatures reached 70s in the rain cooled-areas and the 90s elsewhere.

The South Texas forecast through Monday was for scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs should reach 90 on the coast, with 100 to 104 degrees inland in the west and southwest. South Texas lows were expected to be in the 70s, reaching the 80s on the coast.

Showers and thunderstorms were expected to continue for North Texas through Monday. Highs Monday were expected to reach near 100.

The West Texas forecast was for widely scattered showers and thunderstorms Sunday with little temperature changes. Lows were expected to dip into the 60s in the Panhandle and mountains to lower 70s in the Big Bend area. Highs in the 80s and 90s were predicted.

NATION

Severe storms dumped as much as 4 inches of rain in Maine Saturday and strong thunderstorms brewed over Florida for the second day.

Storms also dropped rain in parts of New Mexico, Texas, Tennessee and North Carolina. A few showers were reported in Washington state and northern Idaho.

Heavy rain fell ahead of a cold front moving over southern and eastern Maine. By early afternoon, more than 4 inches had fallen at Gorham and 3½ inches at Portland, the National Weather Service said.

Strong thunderstorms formed over northern and central Florida, the second straight day of severe weather there. A severe thunderstorm watch was posted for a large part of northern and central Florida.

Showers and thunderstorms extended from northern Florida along the central Gulf Coast.

The Associated Press also contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Mostly cloudy today with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. High temperature in the upper 80 degrees. Winds southeasterly at 5 to 15 mph. Partly cloudy tonight with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low temperature in the mid-60s. Partly cloudy on Monday with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High temperature around 90 degrees.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	81 degrees
Overnight Low	67 degrees
Sunset today	8:38 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:11 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.24 inches
This month to date	00.50 inches
Year to date	15.10 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	84	6 a.m.	69
7 p.m.	83	7 a.m.	69
8 p.m.	81	8 a.m.	69
9 p.m.	78	9 a.m.	71
10 p.m.	77	10 a.m.	71
11 p.m.	75	11 a.m.	73
midnight	74	noon	74
1 a.m.	72	1 p.m.	76
2 a.m.	70	2 p.m.	79
3 a.m.	69	3 p.m.	81
4 a.m.	69	4 p.m.	69
5 a.m.	69	5 p.m.	68
		6 p.m.	67

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	101	74	
Alpine	77	58	.62
Amarillo	83	60	
Austin	100	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	98	76	.32
Beeville	102	75	
Brownsville	94	77	
Bryan-College Station	98	74	.08
Childress	89	66	
Corpus Christi	95	75	
Cotulla	100	74	
Dalhart	83	63	
Del Rio	98	77	
El Paso	83	66	.16
Fort Worth	93	72	.02
Galveston	89	82	
Hondo	98	71	
Houston Hobby Airport	96	77	
Junction	96	70	
Lajitas	92	71	
Laredo	100	77	
Longview	93	71	.22
Lubbock	78	65	.28
Lufkin	92	72	1.86
Marfa	79	58	.13
McAllen	96	77	
Mineral Wells	88	69	.22
Presidio	Missing		
San Angelo	89	69	.58
San Antonio	97	77	
Stephenville	87	71	.01
Victoria	97	75	
Waco	89	72	.20
Wichita Falls	93	68	
Wink	97	67	.26

Extended forecast

West Texas: Tuesday through Thursday — Texas Panhandle, partly cloudy each day. A slight chance of showers or thunderstorms Tuesday. Highs in the mid to upper 80s. Lows in the lower 60s. South Plains, partly cloudy each day. A slight chance of showers or thunderstorms Tuesday. Highs near 90. Lows in the mid 60s. Permian Basin, partly cloudy each day. Highs in the lower 90s. Lows in the mid 60s. Concho Valley-Pecos Valley, partly cloudy each day. Highs in the lower 90s. Lows near 70.

Area forecast

West Texas: Partly to mostly cloudy with widely scattered to scattered showers and thunderstorms through Monday. Showers and thunderstorms most numerous south plains, Far West, and southwest mountains. Locally heavy rainfall possible tonight over the Far West and southwest mountains.

HOSTAGE: Frenchman in police custody

(From 1A)

in the jails of the Zionist enemy, we declare that we shall a give these efforts a chance to allow it to lead to the release of all our mujahedeen," holy warriors, the caller said.

"Therefore, we release Frenchman Jerome Leyraud and pledge to the families of our prisoners that we shall continue using all methods to gain the release of all our prisoners to the last one of them."

The caller then hung up.

The abduction of Leyraud, a relief worker with the Paris-based Doctors of the World, embarrassed Syria, largely responsible for security in the city. Lebanese riot policemen and Syrian soldiers conducted house raids in Beirut Saturday to locate him.

The Lebanese news agency quoted police as saying Leyraud was freed after the raids, by forces under police commander Brig. Gen. Samir Shaarani. It was unclear from the news report whether the captors released the hostage or police rescued him.

The Tehran Times, an English-language newspaper close to President Hashemi Rafsanjani, on Sunday condemned Leyraud's kidnapping as an attempt to block Iran's efforts to free Western hostages.

The newspaper appealed for his immediate release "so that the future efforts for release of the hostages may not be jeopardized."

The president of Doctors of the World, Alain Deloche, said Leyraud was in Beirut working at refurbishing hospitals damaged by Lebanon's civil war. Leyraud had interrupted his studies to "help the Third World," he said.

Two days before McCarthy was freed, Islamic Jihad released a photo of American journalist Terry Anderson, raising expectations that he would be freed.

Anderson's sister, Peggy Say, said McCarthy told her by telephone Saturday that her brother is "in good spirits and expectant" of a release soon. She also said hostages held with McCarthy listen to a radio and are aware of efforts to secure their release.

Anderson, 43, chief Middle East correspondent of The Associated Press, was kidnapped March 16, 1985, and is the longest held hostage.

The announcement Saturday of a planned release, estimated to occur by 1 p.m. (5 a.m. CDT) Tuesday, came from the Revolutionary Justice Organization, which claims to hold Americans Joseph Cicippio and Edward Austin Tracy. The statement was accompanied by a photograph of Cicippio, 60.

The families of Tracy and Cicippio said they were afraid to get their hopes up that their loved ones would be freed after five years of captivity.

Cicippio's wife, Elham, said in a telephone interview in Beirut she was "very happy" to hear of the group's statement. "I hope Joe will be released. I hope all the hostages will be freed."

The Revolutionary Justice Organization stressed, however, that release of all 13 Western hostages hinges on Israel and its allies freeing prisoners, notably Sheik Abdel Karim Obeid, a Shiite Muslim activist Israel kidnapped in 1989.

Israeli officials have hinted that a deal was possible, but want seven missing Israeli servicemen or their remains returned from Lebanon.

McCarthy said his captors told him the letter for Perez de Cuellar speaks of exchanging prisoners held by Israel for Western hostages.

Sheik Mohammed Hussein Fadlallah, Hezbollah's main cleric in Lebanon, as well as the governments of Iran and Syria, which facilitated previous hostage releases, have advocated such a swap. All have said they want the hostage issue resolved.

Fadlallah met with Iran's hardline interior minister, Abdollah Nouri, in Damascus, Syria, on Saturday. Nouri is a key figure in the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, who maintain camps in Lebanon and are the main link between Iran and the hostage-takers.

Cicippio, a financial officer at the American University in Beirut, appeared in the picture released by the Revolutionary Justice Organization from the chest up, looking straight into the camera. In the photo, he has a mustache and beard.

The group also holds Tracy, 60, a sometime writer from Burlington, Vt.

The Revolutionary Justice Organization said the release it pledged was the outcome of an initiative launched by the United Nations and that it expected its move to be reciprocated by a release of Arabs from Israeli jails.

The group said negotiations with U.N. envoy Giandomenico Picco had been completed and asked him to receive the hostage in Damascus.

Cicippio was captured Sept. 12, 1986, and Tracy was abducted Oct. 19, 1986.

LOTTERY: Senate approves vote on issue

(From 1A)

Lawmakers are meeting in a special session, which ends Tuesday, to write a state budget faced with a projected $4.8 billion revenue shortfall.

With the Texas economy battered in recent years by the oil bust, real estate collapse and savings and loan failures, the Legislature has raised taxes in 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1989 and 1990.

"The people of Texas want to vote on a lottery, and we ought to give them that chance," Gov. Ann Richards testified to a Senate committee this week.

"The lottery is not going to solve all the financial problems of the state of Texas. But the bottom line is that every dollar of lottery revenue is one less dollar in taxation that is paid to the state," Richards said.

Leedom, R-Dallas, contends that the lottery isn't a good way to finance state government.

"I just don't think that Texas is going to be benefited by turning to gambling as a source of revenue," he said.

He also said that by the time voters to get decide the issue, they will already have had a big tax increase, and may be angry enough to vote the lottery down.

"We're talking about a $2 billion tax here, in whatever form. And when that becomes a reality and people see we didn't really scrub the budget ... I think there's going to be a distrust of the whole system," he said.

Leedom repeatedly apologized for ending his filibuster earlier than he'd planned and bringing his colleagues to the Capitol to vote in the middle of the night. Friday, he distributed a schedule that called for a 40-hour filibuster.

"I do feel bad I didn't go until at least 8 o'clock this morning and let my colleagues sleep, but the results would have been the same," he said. "There's no way to stop this lottery now."

Leedom chewed antacid tablets and sipped from a cup of soda, not generally allowed during the marathon speeches.

Richards, who promised during her 1990 campaign to work for a lottery, went on statewide television last Sunday to urge taxpayers to lobby lawmakers to approve the lottery proposal. "Either we have a huge tax bill or we approve a lottery," she said in the broadcast.

Lottery backers, noting public support for a lottery and growing opposition to new taxes, said the game is a popular way to raise money.

Lottery opponents say the game won't raise enough money, preys on the poor and is an unseemly business for state government involvement.

"I don't want to have the state of Texas turned into huckster and feed on the philosophy that there's a sucker born every minute," said Rep. Al Price, D-Beaumont.

ELECTION: Few voters cast ballots Saturday

(From 1A)

ue of residential homestead and the $10,000 exemption from taxation of the market value of the residential homestead of the disabled and those age 65 or older.

The official vote breakdown in Midland County for the three propositions was as follows:

Proposition No. 1: 246, for; 5,701, against.

Proposition No. 2: 4,506, for; 1,360, against.

Proposition No. 3: 4,597, for. 1,305, against.

Throughout Midland County, the voter turnout was light 6,027 voters or 12.6 percent of the 47,600 registered voters.

The relatively low turnout, said Midland County Judge Charles W. "Bro" Seltzer was, perhaps, because many people "didn't like the education bill" creating the statewide CEDs in which allied school districts, poor or rich, share their combined property-base tax resources. Others simply "don't like the concept," the judge said.

"A lot of people didn't turn out to vote for the simple reason they don't like CEDs," surmised Seltzer.

In addition to winning support in Midland County, Constitutional Amendment No. 1, passed in Andrews County by about 60 percent: 374 to 244.

But the Greenwood Independent School District rejected the exemption amendment by 58 percent: 92 votes against and 69 for.

"That's a protest votes," suggested GISD Superintendent Quentin Burnett.

The whole CED structure is a "convoluted mess," Burnett said. "I think it was a backdoor movement by the Legislature to do something indirectly that they were prohibited from doing directly."

The CED concept got approval through the court systems in testing the constitutionality of the old individualized system of financing school districts rather than through the consitutional amendment route.

The constitutional amendment to provide student loans — Amendment No. 2 — was rejected in both Midland and Andrews counties and by the Greenwood ISD.

It was also losing statewide.

"Technically, the students were supposed to pay the loans back, and taxpayers wouldn't be out any money," said Dr. Joseph Baressi, superintendent of the MISD.

About 10 percent of Andrews' 6,000 registered voters cast ballots in the election.

Bettye Calvert, Midland County's elections administrator, said that Midland County voters apparently "don't like the concept that Andrews is going to have to help." Andrews is the richer of the three ISDs.

George Staley, Midland ISD's representative the Andrews-Midland CED, figured that the loans "would go down."

Any tax on tangible personal property would "difficult to administer."

And of the homestead exemptions, Staley said: "It's kind of hard not to vote yourself an exemption. It's not often you get that opportunity."

Japanese-Americans seek war reparations

HONOLULU (AP) — Japanese-Americans who claim they were forced off their Hawaiian farms during World War II could get up to $10 million in reparations if federal officials find a document proving their case.

Authorities are sifting through national archives in search of the document. It could secure $20,000 redress payments for 200 to 500 people, said Robert Bratt, head of the U.S. Department of Justice's Office of Redress Administration.

"We feel there's a strong possibility they're eligible," Bratt said. "We hope to have the research done by the end of this month."

About 110,000 Japanese-Americans were locked up in concentration camps by the federal government during the war. The Hawaii case is novel because claimants say they were forced off their land but not interned.

They were allowed to work their land during the day, but were forced to leave at dusk to sleep in basements and garages with relatives and strangers, they told Bratt in interviews last week.

They were allowed to continue farming because the federal government wanted to make sure Hawaii could feed itself during wartime, documents show.

The 1988 Civil Liberties Act, allowing payments to Japanese-Americans persecuted by the government during the war, mostly covered internment but also allowed for special cases, Bratt said.

"There have been a very few other cases not involving internment, but I believe this is the most significant to date that was not documented before the act was passed," he said.

Federal officials mostly are searching through archives in San Bruno, Calif.

Bill Kaneko, Hawaii chapter president of the Japanese American Citizens League, said they need search no further than an evacuation order discovered last month in University of Hawaii archives. He dubbed the order "the smoking gun" proving the farmers' claims.

But Bratt said the order found in Hawaii is not the final word on the farmers because another order issued after it said no evacuation was needed.

"I believe these people, and I think there's enough proof," he said. "We just want to find the actual document. We'd like to find it and believe we will."

The farmers' case came up about three months ago, when Kaneko agreed to look into a friend's claim that he was forced from his chilhood farm.

The number of affected people could be as high as 500 because the estimated 100 claimants who called the League's office probably have several relatives.

STORM: Rains resume

(From 1A)

reports.

The brief torrent brings Midland's 1991 rainfall total through early August to 15.1 inches.

Midland's average yearly rainfall is about 13.70 inches.

The sudden storm frightened Midlander Phyllis Peek, who along with Ms. Harmon, watched the rains hit Saturday afternoon.

"I was scared to death," she said. "I was in the Monahans tornado (in 1977), and I had never been afraid of weather (storms) until that time. And now, any time a cloud comes, I scurry anywhere."

But, nature's dark cloud cover, the clouds' raggedy edges, the rain and lightning hardly bothered Bob Stine.

"We got some good rain," he said. "It was black off toward the airport." But Stine, sheltered in a brick-and-steel school building during storm, said he figured that he was "in as safe a place as anywhere.

"It didn't worry me too much," said Stine, a retired Exxon USA finance analyst.

"I've been in typhoons in Japan, earthquakes in California, and hurricanes in Houston," Stine said. "This was just a thunderstorm."

More thunderstorms are forecast today.

CRACK: Officers arrest six

(From 1A)

of Dallas," were seen leaving a room at the Royal Inn motel at 3601 W. Wall at about 4:30 p.m. When deputies attempted to stop one of the two vehicles the men were driving, a high-speed chase ensued, the spokesman said.

In the afternoon downpour, the suspects managed to elude officers. A short time later, another deputy spotted all five men in a single vehicle in the parking lot of the Lexington Motor Hotel at 1003 S. Midkiff, where all five men were arrested, the spokesman said.

Officers seized 432 grams of cocaine and a loaded .45-caliber handgun at the scene.

Officers received consent to search the room at the Royal Inn where the suspects were first spotted. That search resulted in the arrest of a female suspect and the seizure of another 50 grams of cocaine and the $1,500 cash, the spokesman said.

All six suspects — five from the Dallas and one local resident — were booked into the Midland County Detention facility Saturday to await arraignment on federal drug charges on Monday, officials said.

Surveillance of the hotel was part of an ongoing joint investigation by the Sheriff's Department, Midland Police and the Drug Enforcement Administration.

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Hostages aware of efforts to free them, Say claims

WASHINGTON (AP) — Western hostages held together with Briton John McCarthy listen to a radio and are aware of efforts to secure their release, the sister of American hostage Terry Anderson said Saturday.


Say

Peggy Say said she talked during the day to McCarthy, who was freed on Thursday after five years in captivity.

McCarthy said his captors had told him they are "very optimistic the situation will end soon."

McCarthy was held together with Anderson, chief Middle East Correspondent for The Associated Press, American educator Thomas Sutherland and British church envoy Terry Waite. Anderson was kidnapped in March 1985 and is the longest held captive. Sutherland was captured in June 1985 and Waite in January 1987.

Sutherland listens often to the radio, especially Voice of America, and heard on a French radio broadcast that Anderson's father and brother both died in 1986, a year after he was kidnapped.

"It grieved Terry deeply, but he got past that and when John (McCarthy) was told that his own mother died Terry helped console him ... they reached a point where they could fondly reminisce rather than grieve," Say said.

While recording a message Saturday to Anderson to be broadcast over VOA, Say recalled that the two deaths were "a terrible, terrible ordeal" for her. But she said she had become closer to their brother before his death "because of our mutual bond of wanting to do what we could for you."

During the recording session, Say also talked about Anderson's daughters, Gabrielle and Salome, and joked that she had "learned to fly without losing my dinner."

She said McCarthy reported that the other hostages were all in "very good health."

Sutherland and Anderson, she said, "are on the tubby side." They are "in good spirits and expectant that a release may be soon."

They had heard news of possible hostage releases before McCarthy was freed. They made an agreement that whoever was released first would give messages to other families.

When McCarthy was told to leave, Anderson "was able to reach and hug John."

McCarthy was put in with Anderson and Sutherland after Brian Keenan was released last year. Waite was brought in November 1990.

McCarthy said he often played chess with Anderson, who carved chess pieces.

"John said he would win 1 in 1,000 times," said Say. "Terry was a tower of strength for all of them."

Say said McCarthy told her the hostages heard over the years of all the efforts to free hostages, particularly from McCarthy's friends, Say's efforts and the group Journalists to Free Terry Anderson.

She said they discussed whether the publicity prolonged their captivity. Say quoted McCarthy as saying: "We came to the conclusion that probably it had not. And even if it did you can't believe what it meant to us that when we felt abandoned by the world the news that we were not forgotten kept our spirits up."

Brother says he doesn't know how much Cicippio can endure

Associated Press

During his five years of captivity, educator Joseph Cicippio faced death threats from his captors and at one point bade farewell to his wife in an emotional videotape shown on American television.

Joseph Cicippio's family almost didn't recognize the haggard, bearded man in the grainy videotape pleading for help before his captors gave him a reprieve from a death sentence on Aug. 3, 1989.

Today, the Revolutionary Justice Organization — which claimed to hold Cicippio and another American, Edward Austin Tracy — announced it would release one of the two. It released a photograph of Cicippio, 60.

Cicippio's eldest child, Joseph Jr., died of a heart attack at age 35 on Nov. 11, 1990. Cicippio's sister and her husband had died earlier during his captivity.

"He's been through an awful lot. I look at him and I wonder how much more he can endure," said Thomas Cicippio, a brother who lives in Norristown, Pa.

Joseph Cicippio, a strong-willed man devoted to his work, was abducted by four gunmen who shoved him into a car as he walked to his job as comptroller at the American University of Beirut.

It was 7 a.m. on Sept. 12, 1986, an hour before the former banker was supposed to be at the office. "He had a lot to do and he was leaving an hour early," said Helen Fazio, a sister.

Earlier that year, Cicippio had converted to Islam and married a Lebanese woman, Elham Ghandour, a secretary at the U.S. Embassy. In his letters, he joked about the dangers in war-shattered Beirut and hoped to be home soon.



AP Laserphoto

Thomas Cicippio holds a recent wire photograph of his brother, Joseph Cicippio, at his Norristown, Pa., home Saturday morning. Joseph Cicippio, who has been a hostage in Beirut for five years, is one of two American captives that pro-Iranian kidnappers say they may release soon.

"The war has been getting hotter in the last two weeks. Have not been off the campus in four weeks. The university feels I could get kidnapped because of my position. Nonetheless, it's safer than living in N.Y. (Ha. Ha.)," he wrote in a letter home on March 25, 1985.

The abduction followed a decade of personal upheaval for Cicippio.

In the early 1970s, he was a bank manager in Norristown, a father of seven, leader of a Veterans of Foreign Wars drum-and-bugle corps.

When his 20-year marriage to Theresa Cicippio ended in 1974, and a second marriage broke up a few years later, his odyssey began.

"I think at the time he had a lot of things on his mind, just wanted to get things sorted out," said Theresa of their breakup. "At the time it appeared to me he just wanted to get as far away as he could."

Family members say he worked for a helicopter company in Pennsylvania, was a shipping manager in Jiddah, Saudi Arabia, then worked for a hotel in London. Following a brief stay in California, he took the job at American University, in 1984.

"None of us wanted him to go, but he had made up his mind," said Thomas Cicippio, who marks each day of captivity on a sign in his Pennsylvania yard. "He was the type of person, once he made up his mind to do something, he did it."

Bush says it's cruel to raise families' hopes

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine (AP) — President Bush on Saturday held out the possibility of another hostage release, but warned against optimism when confronting the "cruel business" of hostage-taking.

"Generally speaking I think there's an expectation" that a second Western hostage will be set free, following the release of Briton John McCarthy on Thursday.

"But I keep saying it's a cruel business, and that it's hard when you raise the hopes of one family only to have those diminished," Bush said.

The president said the United States "will run down every lead we can, but not raise the hopes of the hostage families."

Bush's comments came in the wake of a statement Saturday by the Revolutionary Justice Organization that it will release a hostage within 72 hours. The group is believed to hold Americans Joseph Cicippio and Edward Tracy.

He spoke to reporters as he teed off on a blustery, rainy day at the Cape Arundel Golf Course near his Maine vacation home.

Asked about the prospects of another hostage release, Bush said, "I can't say because we've been going up and down."

The White House on Saturday said it continued to receive "reports from diplomatic sources" that another hostage will be released in Lebanon, but could not directly confirm them.

"We have seen news reports about the release of American hostages, and we remain hopeful that one or more hostages will be released soon. We are, of course, trying to obtain more information," Bush's press secretary, Marlin Fitzwater, said.

Fitzwater said a State Department reception team remained in place in Wiesbaden, Germany, to receive any freed hostages, and the administration was maintaining contact with hostage families.

The administration continued to project a sense of hope for a hostage release without conveying too much optimism.

"We continue to receive reports from diplomatic sources that a captive release will occur," Fitzwater said.

He also repeated U.S. policy calling for "all hostages and others held outside of the legal system to be released immediately, unconditionally and safely."

"We call on all governments with influence to make this happen."

The statement came a day after Israel said it will not swap the Lebanese detainees it holds for Western hostages unless it can settle the question of seven Israeli servicemen missing in Lebanon since Israel's 1982 invasion.

Asked about Israel's position, Bush said, "I'd just like to get these hostages all out of there."

Tracy described as independent man who hopes to strike it rich

Associated Press

Edward Austin Tracy's friends and family describe him as a world traveler with an independent streak who had hoped to someday strike it rich. He ran a beer hall, sold books and over the years made more than half a dozen countries his home.

But since Oct. 21, 1986, he has been held captive in Lebanon.

The Revolutionary Justice Organization — which claims to hold Tracy, 60, and another American, Joseph Cicippio — said Saturday it would free one of its two American hostages.

But another group threatened to kill its French hostage if any more Westerners are freed unconditionally.

Born in Rutland, Vt., Tracy graduated from high school in Burlington in 1948 and later from the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania.

He served in the Air Force in Korea, returned to Vermont and worked for brief periods at International Business Machines Corp. and Campbell Soup Co. His mother, Doris Tracey of Burlington, Vt., said he was too independent to stay with those large companies.

Tracy left Vermont in 1958 and returned only once, for a brief visit in the mid-1960s. He has lived in West Germany, Iran, Iraq, Ethiopia, Australia, Italy, the Canary Islands, Trinidad and, since 1976, in Beirut.

Tracy was divorced from his wife, Ingeberg, a West German, in 1974. She now lives in the Canary Islands with their three children.

At one point, his kidnappers claimed he was a spy for the CIA and the Israeli secret service, but his mother dismissed that notion.

His mother once said her son's strongest ambition always has been to make money. "He chased money all over the globe. Sometimes he got it, sometimes he didn't," she said.

Tracy told acquaintances in Beirut he was a writer of children's books, but his mother said she knew of no published work by him.

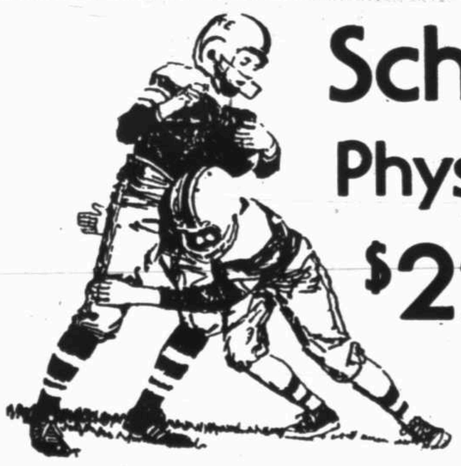
After a failed effort to run a beer hall in Germany in the 1950s, he spent most of his career selling translations of American books in the countries where he lived, Ms. Tracy said.

In Muslim-dominated west Beirut, Tracy was a well-known character and writer of poetry who was frequently seen relaxing at sidewalk cafes. His mother said he began writing to her again about a year ago, after 10 years without communicating.

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NATION IN BRIEF

■ Letter to grandmother sent to Saudi Arabia first

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa. — Arlene Palatka says she's keeping a letter from her 5-year-old granddaughter in her Bible. She figures it's a miracle she ever got it.

In early June, Katie Morabito of San Antonio signed some drawings "Love Katie," addressed and stamped the envelope and gave it to the mailman. The child's mother, Cindy Morabito, said she told Palatka that week, "Mom, Katie sent you a letter, but I don't know if you'll ever see it."

The letter was forgotten until July 25, when Palatka opened her mailbox and found it — with a note from a U.S. military postal worker in Saudi Arabia.

Postal workers in the United States apparently thought the address scrawled by Katie was to a box number for U.S. military personnel in Saudi Arabia.

Sgt. 1st Class Marylynn Murphy came across the pink envelope in a post office in Saudi Arabia, deciphered the address and forwarded it to Ellwood City.

Murphy wrote a note on the envelope saying she wanted "Grandma Palatka" to receive it because "this seems like such an important letter."

■ Car bursts into flames

POLSON, Mont. — A car towing a motorcycle hit a rock deliberately set on a highway Saturday and burst into flames at high speed, jumping an embankment and killing two people, authorities said.

The burning car sped more than a half-mile down U.S. 93 before going off the road and into a field before dawn, said Lake County Sheriff Joe Geldrich.

"Witnesses said it was roaring wide open and flames were shooting out of it," Geldrich said. "They thought it was a semi that had become dislodged from its trailer."

The large rock, about 16 inches long, 8 inches high and 8 inches wide, was deliberately placed in the southbound lane just north of Polson, he said.

The rock apparently jammed the accelerator of the four-wheel drive vehicle and ripped a hole in its gasoline tank. The motorcycle was dislodged from the trailer and dragged on the ground, causing sparks that apparently ignited the gasoline, the sheriff said.

A witness who ran to the burning car saw the driver still strapped in his seatbelt, but was unable to rescue him or the passenger, the sheriff said.

The dead were identified as David Lee Riebe, 36, and Lisa Kaiser, 33, both of Kalispell.

■ Heat kills 3 inmates

VACAVILLE, Calif. — Three state prison inmates were heavily sedated when they died during a heat wave, according to an autopsy report.

The psychiatric-ward inmates had been receiving the drug Haloperiodol, which inhibits the body's ability to cool itself. The drug is used to reduce aggressiveness, Solano County Coroner James O'Brien said.

He ruled the prisoners' deaths accidental. They died of heat stroke, aggravated by their medical conditions, triple-digit temperatures and a mix of medications, O'Brien said.

The prisoners, whose bodies were discovered July 3, died during a Northern California heat wave in which temperatures reached 111 degrees. The area where the inmates were confined had no air conditioning, the state corrections department said.

■ Suspect surrenders

OGDEN, Utah — Alleged polygamist leader Arvin Shreeve surrendered to face charges of aggravated sexual assault and sodomy on a child, police said.

Shreeve turned himself in to police in the southern Utah town of Cedar City Friday. He was returned to Ogden, where a bail hearing was tentatively set for Monday.

Police raided seven homes in an Ogden neighborhood Aug. 2, taking nine children from a group of alleged polygamists police say are headed by Shreeve.

The children have been questioned about possible sexual abuse, the Weber County attorney's office said.

■ Shout of 'fire' no joke

MILFORD, Conn. — Moviegoers watching the film "Backdraft" thought shouts of "Fire!" were a joke until they realized the theater really was burning.

About 100 people were watching the film about firefighters at the Capital Theater Friday night when four people ran in and shouted that the building was on fire.

A small, smoky fire had started in the marquee, but none of the moviegoers took the warning seriously, witnesses said.

"We turned around, looked at them, and thought it was a joke," said one unidentified moviegoer. "Then finally, after a few minutes, people got up and began to file out slowly."

The theater was evacuated by the time firefighters arrived.

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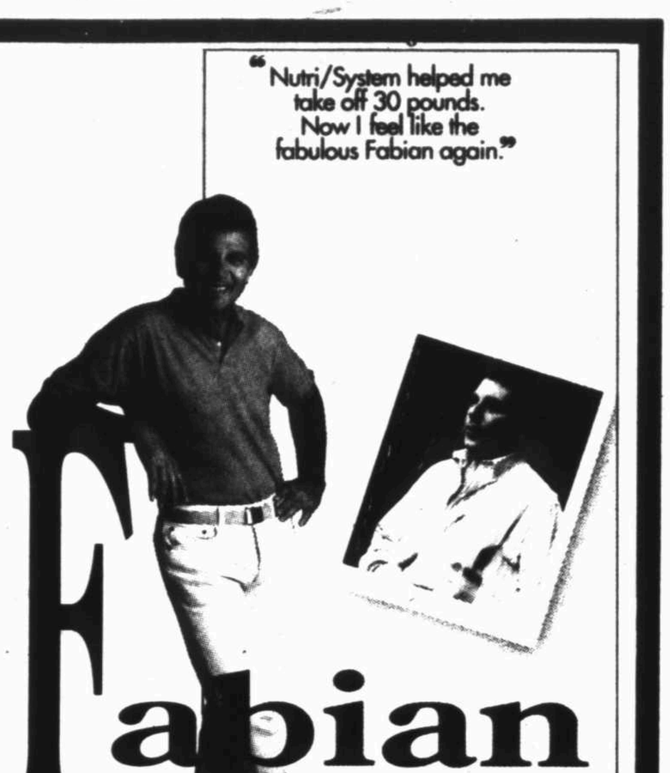
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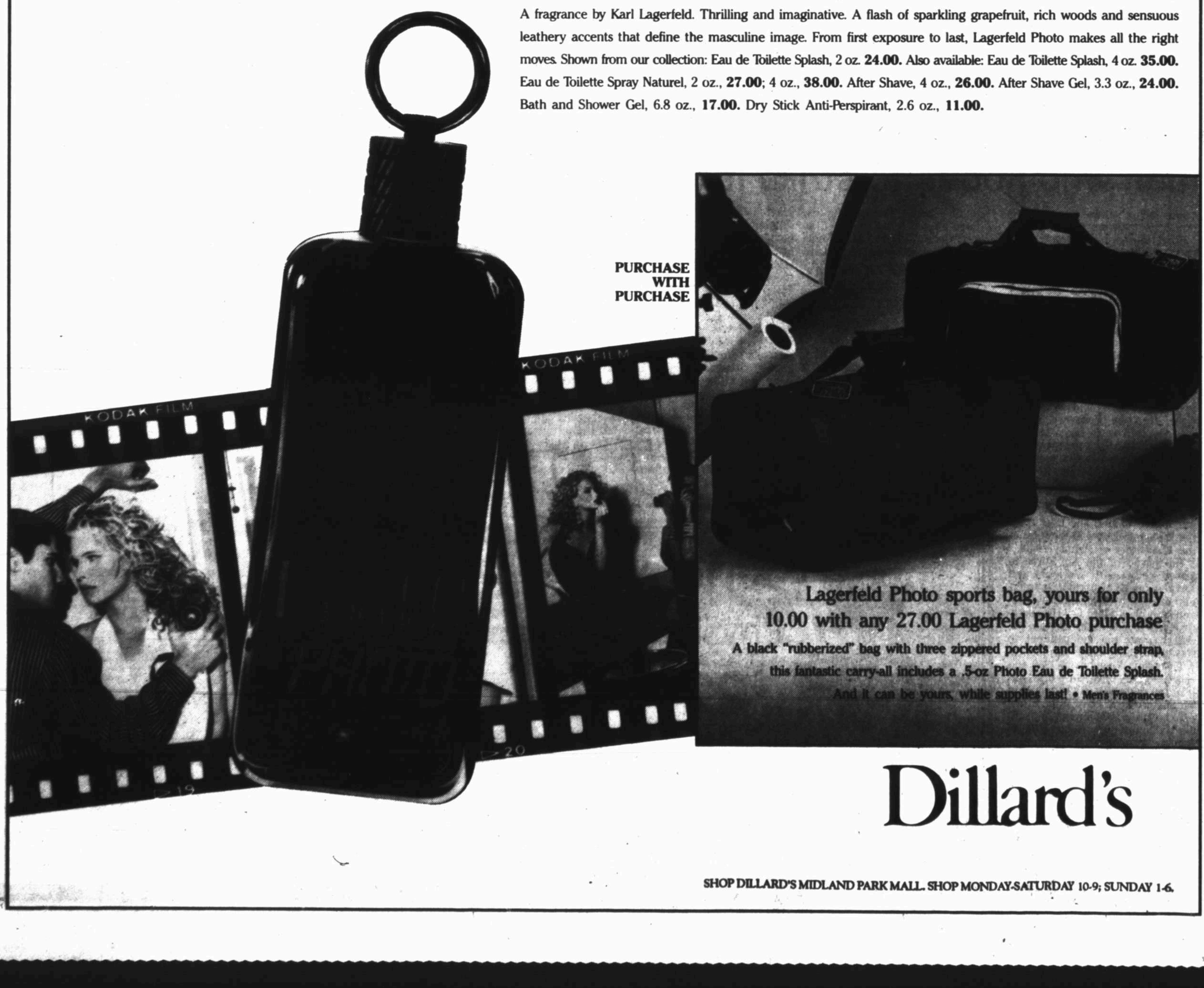
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Swaggart: Ministers discuss Gorman

By Guy Coates

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — One fallen evangelist took the witness stand to defend himself against another during week five of a $90 million defamation trial starring Jimmy Swaggart.



Swaggart

Swaggart was called to the stand last week by the lawyer for New Orleans preacher Marvin Gorman, who filed suit in 1987 claiming Swaggart ruined the growing Gorman TV ministry by spreading false rumors about Gorman's alleged adulterous affairs.

Gorman claims Swaggart felt threatened by Gorman's popularity.

Gorman resigned from the Assemblies of God denomination after confessing to a single incident of adultery with another minister's wife in 1986. Swaggart was kicked out after confessing to an undisclosed sin but refusing to accept the Assemblies' punishment — a year away from the pulpit.

It was evidence supplied by Gorman — pictures of Swaggart with a New Orleans prostitute outside a seedy motel — that led to Swaggart's problem.

But the jury won't be reminded of that widely publicized scandal. Judge Julian Bailes has ruled that Swaggart's sex life is irrelevant.

In questions to Swaggart, and later to Swaggart's co-pastor, Jim Rentz, Gorman lawyer Hunter Lundy tried to show that Swaggart conducted a quiet kangaroo court, spreading word of Gorman's alleged indiscretions among the Assemblies of God hierarchy when he himself had no power to punish Gorman.

Swaggart said a young New Orleans area minister, Mike Indest, asked him to call a meeting to discuss Gorman's indiscretion.

Rentz, however, said he talked on the phone with Swaggart prior to the meeting. "He said there's a problem with Marvin. He said he had confessed to an affair with a woman," Rentz testified.

Swaggart said the atmosphere was somber, tearful and at one point Gorman got down on the floor weeping while the others stood over him, praying.

"When we sat down, all of us were very somber," Swaggart said. "Most of them looked at me. I said, 'Mike, you are the one with knowledge of what transpired.'

"Mike Indest stated that Marvin Gorman had been involved with Lynda Savage in a sexual way, an adultery. There had been several meetings in different hotels."

"What did you do," Lundy asked Swaggart.

"I didn't know what to do. I said, 'Marvin, is that correct? He said, 'yes.' "

The next day, Rentz called Cecil Janway, superintendent of the state Assemblies of God, to alert him that Gorman would be contacting him.

"I told Brother Janway that once he heard from Marvin, I wanted him to hear our side of it," said Rentz.

"You didn't even know what Gorman was going to tell Cecil Janway. How did you know there would be another side?" asked Lundy.

"I felt there would be," said Rentz.

Swaggart and Rentz insisted that Gorman admitted having sex with Savage several times.

Gorman has said he had a single sexual encounter with her, not a long-running affair.

Since then, Gorman has changed his story, Swaggart said.

"He has not repented," he said.

Wilder blasts Bush's civil rights record

ATLANTA (AP) — Virginia Gov. L. Douglas Wilder, considered a potential Democratic presidential candidate, on Saturday blasted President Bush's civil rights record before a national lawyers' convention.

Wilder, expected to declare by Labor Day whether he'll run, condemned Bush's threat to veto a pending civil rights bill.

"The president is steadfastly refusing to sign a bill which he knows is not a quota bill," Wilder told the American Bar Association.

"I would welcome the opportunity to sit down with the president and educate him on what real quotas are all about. Having lived a majority of my life in a society that imposed quotas in every aspect of daily life imaginable, I know of what I speak," said Wilder, the nation's first elected black governor.

The civil rights bill, designed to overcome a series of Supreme Court rulings that weakened the right of workers to sue for discrimination, passed the House short of the margin needed to override a presidential veto.

It has stalled in the Senate as the White House, arguing that it is a "quota bill," has resisted efforts to strike a compromise.

Vice President Dan Quayle and Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor are scheduled to address the attorneys next week.

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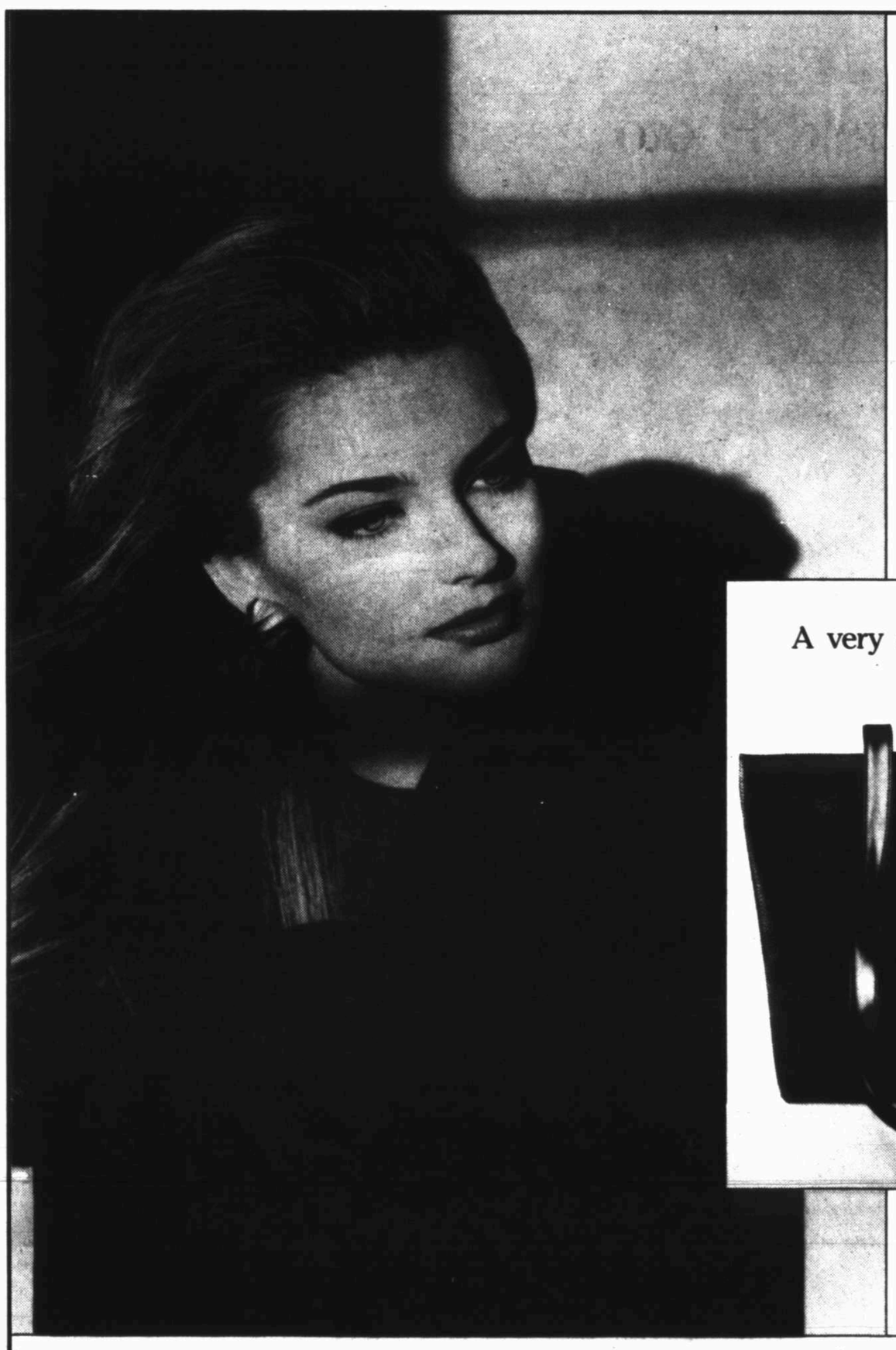
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Charges fly in clash between white rightists, police

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (NYT) — A day after a rare clash between white rightists and the police that left two people dead and 58 injured, recriminations were traded Saturday across the political spectrum over who was to blame for the violence.

Police officers in armored cars continued to patrol Ventersdorp, the small conservative town nearly 70 miles west of Johannesburg where the fighting took place.

But there was no sign Saturday of the Afrikaner Resistance Movement, the neo-Nazi paramilitary organization whose supporters disrupted a speech by President F.W. de Klerk on Friday evening and ended up battling the police and attacking blacks unfortunate enough to cross their path.

A police spokesman, Maj. Ray Harrald, said seven policemen were among the 58 hurt and that three of them were in serious condition with gunshot wounds.

Speaking by telephone from Pretoria, Harrald said the two men who were killed belonged to the white extremist group, as did at least 12 of the 36 whites who were wounded. He described the other 24 wounded whites as bystanders.

Of the 15 blacks who were injured, 12 were beaten after the minibus taxi in which they were riding accidentally drove into the mob of white protesters, hitting one or both of the two men killed.

Three other blacks were shot while they were transporting a coffin in a pickup truck Friday night outside Ventersdorp, Major Harrald said.

After his speech Friday night, de Klerk blamed the Afrikaner Resistance Movement and the Conservative Party for the violence. Both are campaigning to maintain apartheid and consider de Klerk a traitor to his fellow Afrikaners.

"I will try to handle this in such a way that good will come from it," he told reporters after his speech.



De Klerk said he hoped that everyone would recognize the seriousness of the rightists' deeds and he expressed sympathy for the victims. He also made it clear that he would not be dissuaded from dismantling apartheid.

"It is a tragic moment for South Africa, but it is not a world in which we can stop and stand still," the president said. "We must move forward to democracy through negotiation."

Andries Treurnicht, the leader of the Conservative Party, accused de Klerk of an "extreme provocation" in coming to Ventersdorp, which is the headquarters of the Afrikaner Resistance Movement and the home of its leader, Eugene TerreBlanche.

"You ignored all the warnings that you were not welcome," he said.

Nelson Mandela, president of the African National Congress, said the white extremist group and its "culture of political intolerance" were responsible for the tragedy. But he added that "the government must carry its share of the blame in this matter."

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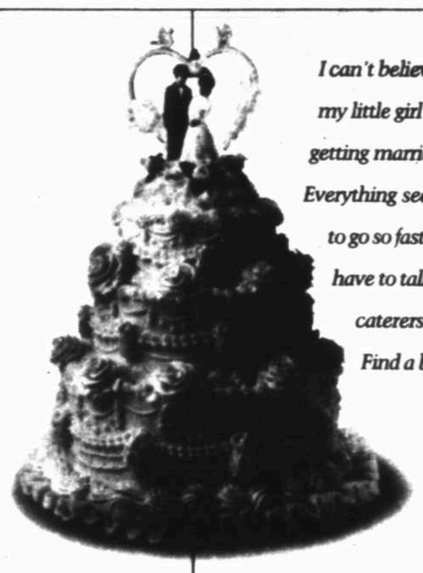
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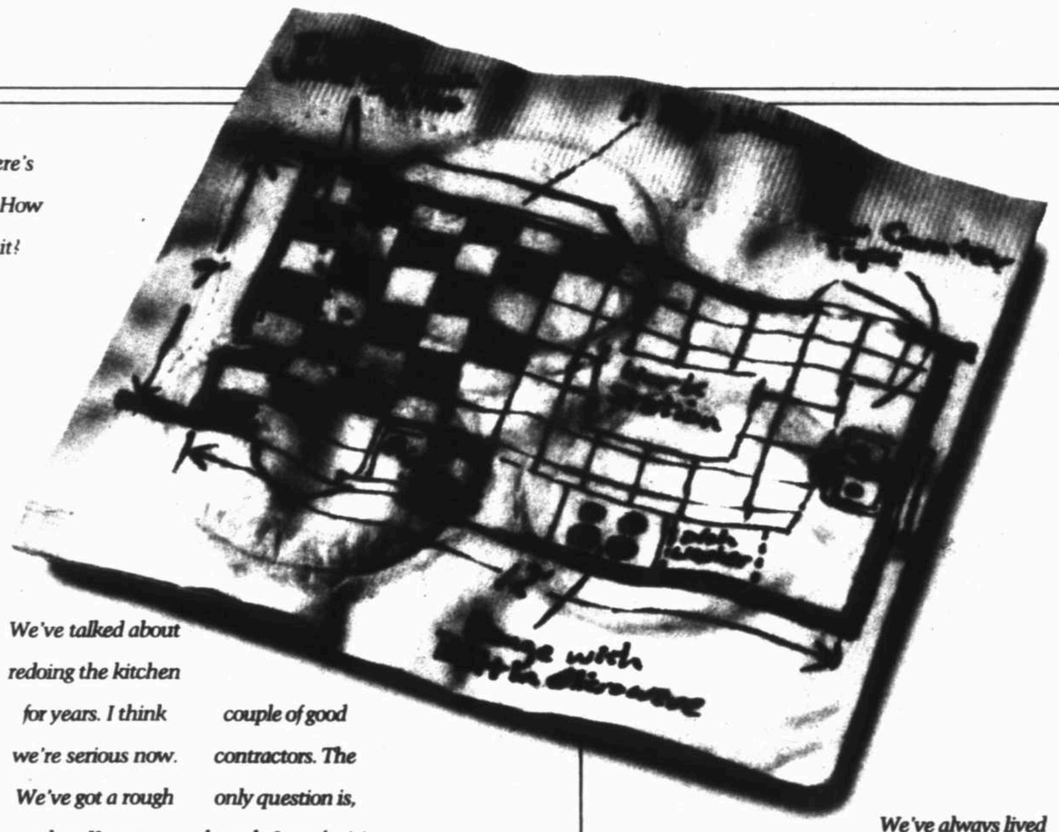
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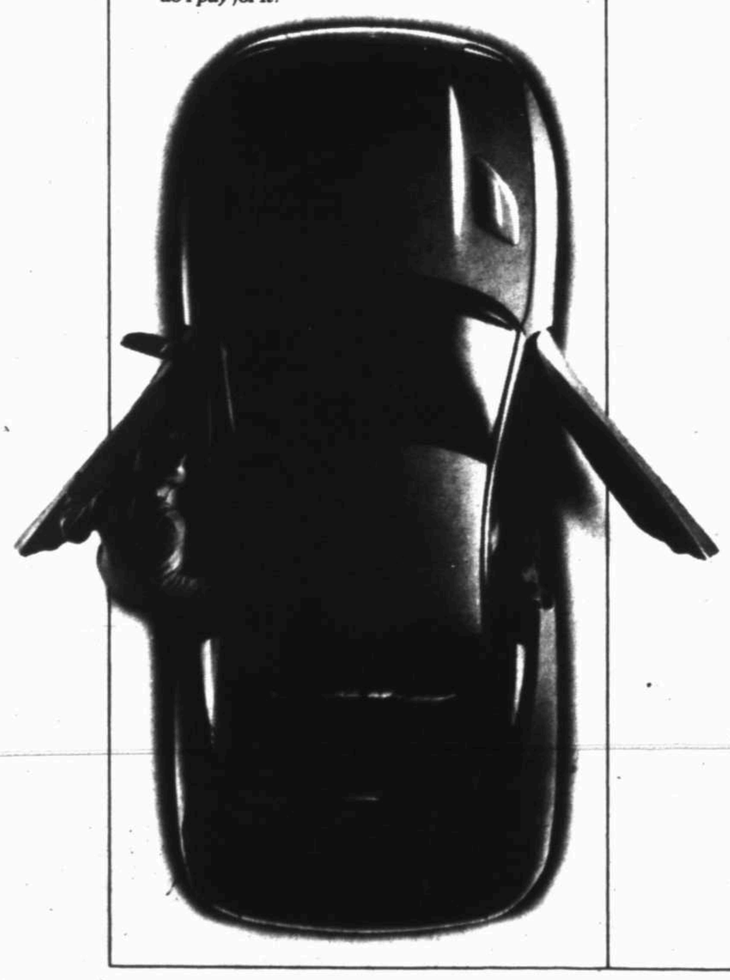
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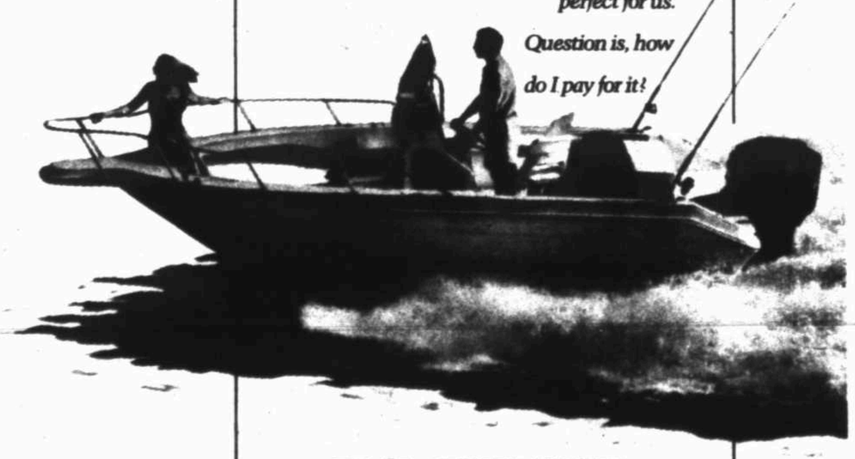
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Serbs, Croats make first time prisoner exchange

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Serbs and Croats exchanged prisoners Saturday for the first time in their undeclared war, but sporadic fighting marred the fourth day of a tenuous cease-fire in Croatia.

One armed Serb was reported killed in the east Croatian region of Slavonia, site of the fiercest battles of a war that has killed more than 200 people since Croatia declared independence June 25.

Leaders of Serbia, the largest republic, say Croatia can leave Yugoslavia, but cannot take along the Serbs or the territory they live on. Croatian leaders have pledged not to cede territory to the 600,000 Serbs in the republic, 12 percent of its population.

A Yugoslav cameraman said he filmed Croatian national guardsmen in Tenja near Slavonia's regional center, Osijek, shooting and killing one of three armed Serbs moving in on them.

The other two were said to have escaped. There was no official confirmation of the report.

An unidentified person was seriously injured in fighting around the strategic town of Kostajnica in southern Croatia, and a Croatian policeman was seriously wounded near the town of Beli Manastir close to the Hungarian border, Croatian radio said. Gunfire rang out in at least two other places in the battle-scarred republic.

The first five prisoners were swapped in a tense exchange at the federal army barracks in Vinkovci in Slavonia.

Three Serbs, army reservists arrested July 9 on the border between Serbian and Croatia, were swapped for two Croatian national guardsmen.

The two guardsmen were wounded during a Croat attack July 22 on the nearby village of Mirkovci, which is dominated by ethnic Serbs, their commander Kreso Suletic said.

Croatian Justice Minister Bosiljko Misetic welcomed the exchange as a first step toward easing the crisis and said further swaps were likely soon.

A much larger prisoner swap announced Friday stalled after Serbs said to be holding more than 100 Croats apparently backed out Saturday.

The commission appointed by the collective presidency to enforce the cease-fire decided in Belgrade to delay sending truce monitors to Croatia, the state news agency Tanjug said.

Soldiers crush last guerrilla resistance at rebel camp

ANKARA, Turkey (AP) — Turkish soldiers on Saturday crushed the last resistance at a Kurdish rebel camp in northern Iraq, the premier said.

The action completes a mission against Kurds fighting for a separate homeland in southeast Turkey.

However, the army will not withdraw from northern Iraq, where it has been active for nearly a week, until security measures are taken, Premier Mesut Yilmaz was quoted as saying by the semi-official news agency Anatolia.

He didn't elaborate. Turkey has declared a three-mile-deep buffer zone along the Iraqi side of the 220-mile border.

"There is no more resistance and the ... commandos are in the last stage of the operation to wipe out the place," Yilmaz was quoted as telling reporters in the resort town of Abant, near Ankara.

Turkey launched the offensive into northern Iraq Monday to destroy Turkish Kurdish rebel strongholds and to prevent the guerrillas from attacking Turkey.

It opened the incursion with intense bombing in the Durji region, the convergence of the borders of Turkey, Iraq and Iran.

The military reported that one soldier was killed, but did not comment on rebel casualties.

Gen. Hursit Tolon, the general secretary of the chief of staff, said about 600 to 700 guerrillas of the outlawed Kurdish Labor Party were stationed in the region. The rebels have been attacking Turkey since 1984.

Iraqi Kurdish leaders have denounced the Turkish move.

Iraqi Kurds have controlled northern Iraq since U.S.-led allies withdrew after creating a security zone to protect returning Kurdish refugees from a failed uprising.

Iraqi Kurdish leaders claimed at least 15 Iraqi Kurds were killed and at least 30 wounded in Turkish air raids on Begova in the former allied security zone and Khayre Zonk near the Iranian border.

China, Vietnam to normalize relations

BEIJING (AP) — Longtime enemies China and Vietnam said Saturday they want to normalize relations to further regional peace and stability, but set no timetable.

A joint statement issued at the end of three days of talks said consultations on formal ties would continue in the near future, indicating that obstacles remain.

The statement did not link normalization of relations to a peace settlement in Cambodia, as China has done before. China may feel that enough progress already has been made toward ending Cambodia's 12-year-old war.

"The normalization of Sino-Vietnamese relations ... (is) in accord with the common wishes of the two peoples and conducive to peace, stability and cooperation in the region," said the statement, carried by China's state-run Xinhua News Agency.

It followed three days of talks between visiting Vietnamese Vice Foreign Minister Nguyen Dy Nien and Chinese officials.

The communique gave no details of what was said about Cambodia, where Chinese-supported guerrilla groups have been fighting the Vietnamese-installed government since 1979.

However, it said both countries wanted a settlement based on the U.N. peace plan drawn up last year, and "expressed their hope to see the important role of the United Nations brought into full play."

The statement may have been intended to ease fears among Asian and Western diplomats that China and Vietnam want to broker their own solution to the conflict, bypassing free elections required by the U.N. plan.

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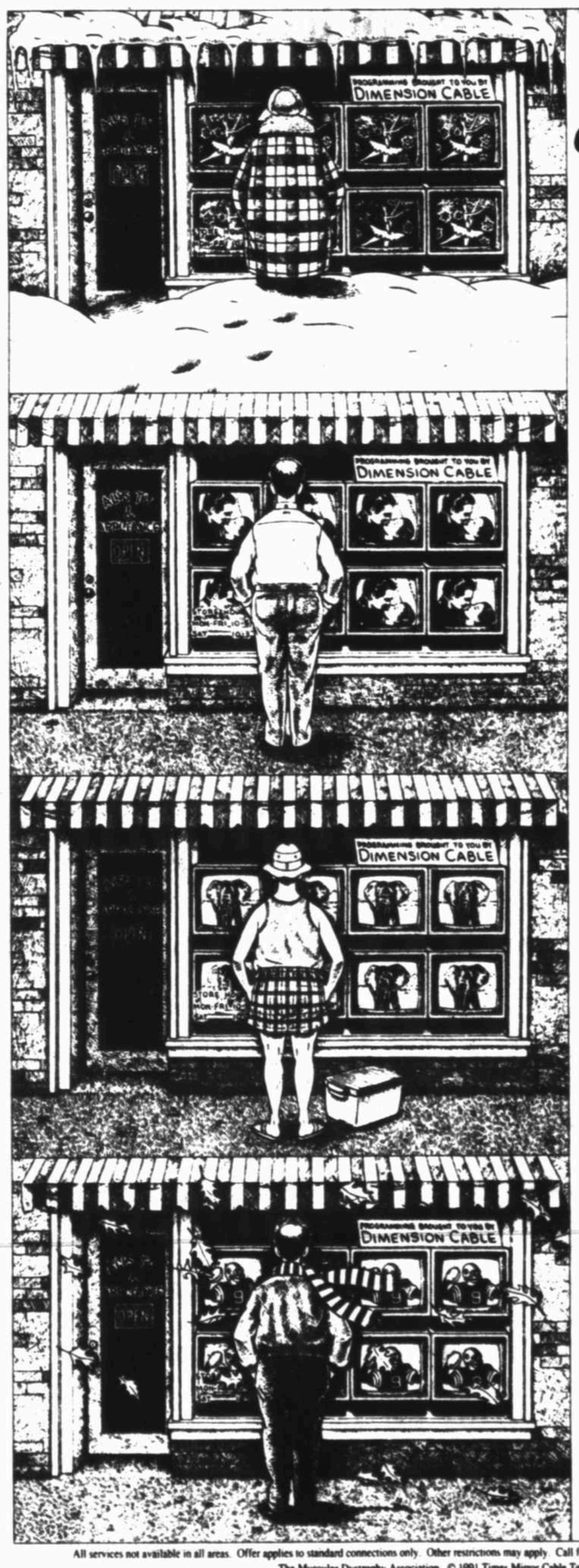
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Corruption tale opens at inquiry

NAIROBI, Kenya (NYT) — A long judicial inquiry into the killing of a popular foreign minister last year has brought into the open allegations of corrupt practices by Kenya's second most powerful politician and an account of his stormy relationship with the slain official.

While the damaging testimony about Energy Minister Nicholas Biwott has come from people who are hardly impartial — relatives of the slain minister — the fact that the charges have been allowed to be publicly aired and reported in Kenya's tighly controlled press suggests that President Daniel arap Moi is seeking to limit the political damage that Biwott's behavior is causing to his government.

Biwott, who has yet to comment publicly on the allegations, has long been one of Moi's closest political associates, and international financial experts say he has amassed a large fortune from foreign investments and other dealings abroad.

It is those kinds of dealings that are at the center of the corruption charges being levelled at the inquiry into the death of Foreign Minister Robert Ouko, whose partly burned body was found about four miles from his home in western Kenya in February 1990, shortly after he returned from a trip to the United States. Ouko, who had been considered an articulate and effective spokesman for Kenya abroad, had been shot through the head.

Allegations last week that Biwott had demanded a share in a foreign venture as a condition for letting the project proceed seemed to shed some light on why Kenya, like many other African countries, has had trouble attracting investment.

Ouko's sister, Dorothy Randiak, testified that the foreign minister had described Biwott and corruption as synonymous. "Talking about corruption in Kenya was like talking about Mr. Biwott," she quoted her brother as saying.

Iraq hands material list to U.N. team

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq has given a U.N. inspection team a list of nuclear materials imported from Europe, but the chief inspector said Saturday he was uncertain whether a full disclosure was made.

David Kay, leader of the 20-member team which left Baghdad Saturday after a two-week inspection, said the government claimed its list was complete.

"But I am not sure the list came from Europe or (that) it was complete," said Kay. "We are still not sure that we have a complete understanding and we are still discovering further information."

Iraq has been ordered to submit to U.N. inspections under terms of a cease-fire ending the Persian Gulf War. The cease-fire ordered the destruction of Iraq's nuclear, chemical and biological weapons.

Kay's team from the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Austria, is one of several teams that have conducted the inspections.

"We still have some gaps and despite the Iraqis' cooperation, we still have some information that we requested and we have not received yet," he said before leaving.

Kay said Friday it was clear Iraq's program for enriching uranium, which his visit has focused on, was not for peaceful purposes.

On Saturday, he said his team had visited about 15 nuclear sites, but he did not elaborate. He said

Explosion sets Japan space program back

TOKYO (NYT) — Japan's troubled space program suffered another major setback Friday when the engine that is supposed to power its next generation of rockets exploded during a test, killing an engineer and raising more questions about the future of the country's space efforts.

Japanese officials said the 23-year-old engineer, Arihiro Kanaya, was the first person to die in Japan's 22-year-old unmanned space program.

But it was the latest of a string of accidents involving the engine, the first to be built by Japan without the help of the United States.

A series of previous explosions and fires has already delayed the launching of the new rocket system, called the H-II, by at least a year. Currently, the first launch is scheduled for early 1993.

Japan has expected the H-II to become its most important launching vehicle for propelling into orbit space communications satellites, scientific experiments, and a even small unmanned space shuttle.

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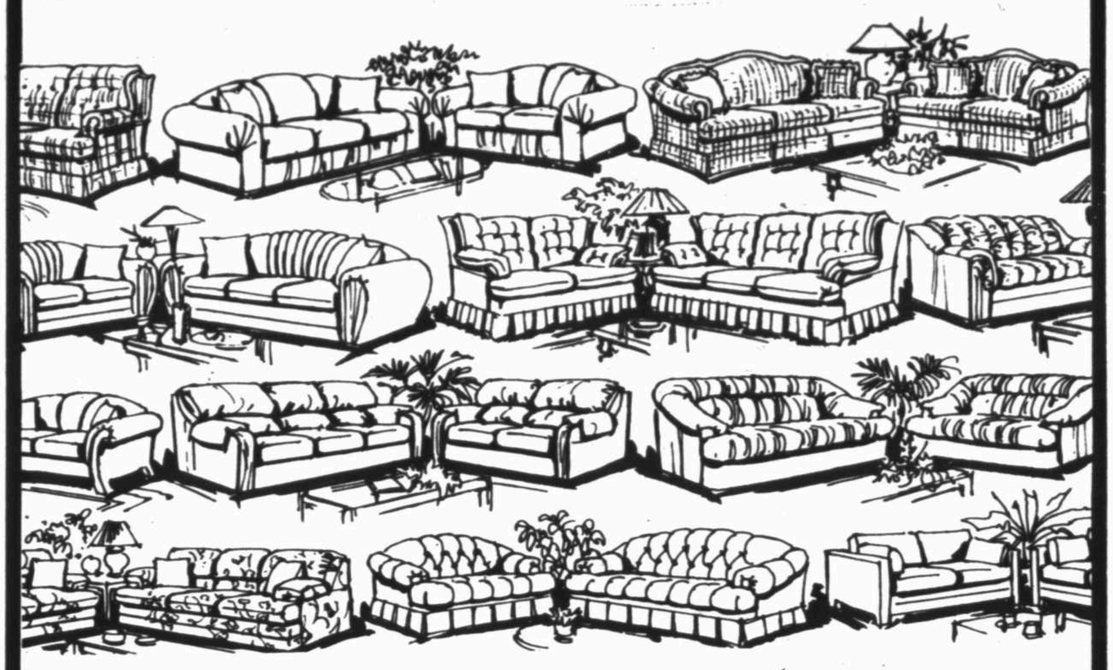
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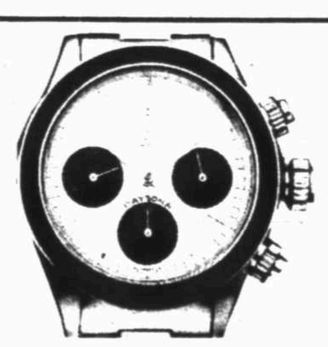
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The World

■ Shining Path kills three Polish aid workers

LIMA, Peru — The Shining Path kidnapped four Polish aid workers and killed three of them, including two Roman Catholic priests, a government official said Saturday.

The kidnapping Friday night took place 30 miles east of the Andean city of Huaraz, about 170 miles north of Lima, said Pedro Maguina, the prefect of the Huaraz region. He said the fourth aid worker, a nun, was released late Friday after the killings.

She walked back to Huaraz and informed officials there of the killings, Maguina said.

Maguina said he believed the Shining Path, which has a strong presence in the area, carried out the attack. There was no immediate claim of responsibility.

The killings brought to nine the number of foreign aid workers slain in Peru this year. The Maoist guerrilla movement has claimed responsibility for the previous attacks, saying it wants to drive out foreign relief workers in its efforts to topple the government.

Maguina said he did not have the names of those kidnapped, and telephone communications were down in the area Saturday. He did not say to which organization the foreigners belonged.

■ Eleven people found slain in Guatemala

GUATEMALA CITY — The bodies of 10 men and one woman, their hands tied behind their backs and shot once in the head, were found by a road south of the capital, police said Saturday.

A National Police report said peasants found the bodies Friday near Escuintla, 36 miles south of the capital, and were taken to an Escuintla hospital morgue.

The report said the victims are believed to be linked to the trucking industry, but gave no further details.

No political group claimed responsibility for the slayings. But tying victims' hands behind their backs, killing them with a shot to the head and dumping their bodies on roadsides is a hallmark of rightist death-squads in Central America.

Such assassinations have been common in Guatemala in the three decades a leftist guerrilla movement has been fighting for power, and suspected leftist sympathizers have been victims of death-squads linked to the security forces.

■ Fierce fighting surrounds army camp

COLOMBO, Sri Lanka — Army soldiers killed at least 250 Tamil insurgents in fierce gun battles around a strategic garrison on the periphery of the rebel-held Jaffna peninsula, military officials said Saturday.

At least 11 soldiers were also killed Friday north and south of the Elephant Pass camp, said the officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The garrison had been surrounded by the rebels and besieged for 25 days until government reinforcements broke through to the camp one week ago.

Fresh fighting erupted Friday in Tadduvankodi village, two miles south of Elephant Pass, and on the northern perimeter of the garrison, said officials of the Joint Operations Command.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Mulroney downplays new constitution

TORONTO (AP) — Prime Minister Brian Mulroney on Saturday praised his party's endorsement of Quebec independence, but told fellow Tories not to expect "miracles" in a new constitution.

Tories holding their bienneial convention voted Friday in favor of the province's right to choose its own future.

Party officials were concerned that opposition to the resolution would have been divisive and damaged the Tories' claim to being open to Quebec's aspirations.

"Never was I more proud of the unity, the decency and the maturity we share as Conservatives and Canadians than I was (Friday) afternoon," he said. The party "opened its heart" to Quebec, Mulroney said.

In talks on a new constitution, the government is aiming to reform its institutions, recognize Quebec's unique character and come to an understanding with natives on issues such as land claims and self-government.

Mulroney sought to lower expectactions about a new constitution.

"The challenge before us will be to find a new formula, new constitutional approaches that won't be marvels and not even miracles," Mulroney said during a breakfast meeting on the final day of the five-day party meeting.

Constitutional Affairs Minister Joe Clark has also sought to play down expectations, saying it would be folly to believe the entire package could be pulled together before Quebec's deadline of October 1992.

The Conservatives' convention ended with adoption of more than 200 policy resolutions, including motions to impose user-fees on health car, privatize the CBC broadcasting concern and scrap the policy of multiculturalism.

Mulroney promised to study the resolutions, but he is not bound by any of them.

China to sign nuclear non-proliferation treaty

BEIJING (NYT) — China announced on Saturday that it had decided "in principle" to sign the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty, becoming the last major nuclear power to commit itself to the terms of the agreement to curb the spread of atomic weapons.

The announcement came during a summit meeting on Saturday between Prime Minister Li Peng and Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu, of Japan, whose nation recently marked the 46th anniversary of the two American atom bomb attacks. Kaifu, who arrived on Saturday for three days of talks, is the first leader of any industrialized country to visit China since the Tiananmen crackdown on prodemocracy demonstrators in June 1989.

"On many occasions in the past, China made clear its reasons for not acceding to the treaty," Wu Jianmin, China's Foreign Ministry spokesman, said on Saturday night. "Now, things have changed. This is for the purpose of attaining the complete prohibition and thorough destruction of nuclear weapons."

In recent months, China had hinted it might join the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty, but Saturday's announcement, while not entirely a surprise, is expected to be a boost to the international effort this year to curtail the spread of weapons.







Daly escapes penalty

■ Golf's newest idol maintains a three-shot lead at the PGA Championship after officials rule he broke no rules.

Associated Press

CARMEL, Ind. — John Daly, the biggest hitter professional golf has seen, wasn't about to be sidetracked in the PGA Championship by a little question about the rules.

"No penalty," he said, emerging from a conference with PGA rules officials Saturday after television viewers had struck again.

A portion of the gallery, clustered around the trailer used for the conference, cheered and applauded when golf's newest idol reported he had escaped a two-shot penalty.

The popular ruling upheld the 3-under-par 69 that Daly hammered out of the vast acres of Crooked Stick, the longest course ever used for one of golf's Big Four events, and preserved Daly's three-shot lead going into Sunday's final round.

For a while, both his score and the dimensions of his lead, if not the length of his shots, were very much in doubt.

Jim Awtrey, executive director of the PGA, said at least three television viewers telephoned to question the action of Daly's caddy while he was playing the 11th green.

The caddy, standing about 2 feet behind the cup as Daly lined up a 25-30 footer for eagle, rested the base of the flagstick on the green as he pointed to the hole.

The action prompted questions from viewers concerning Rule 8-2b, which prohibits touching the green on the line of a putt.

Daly was in the scoring tent, checking his card and preparing to sign it when he was informed of the possible rules infraction.

He was taken from the tent to see film of the incident. After the review, rules officials determined the flagstick was not on the line of the putt and therefore there was no penalty.

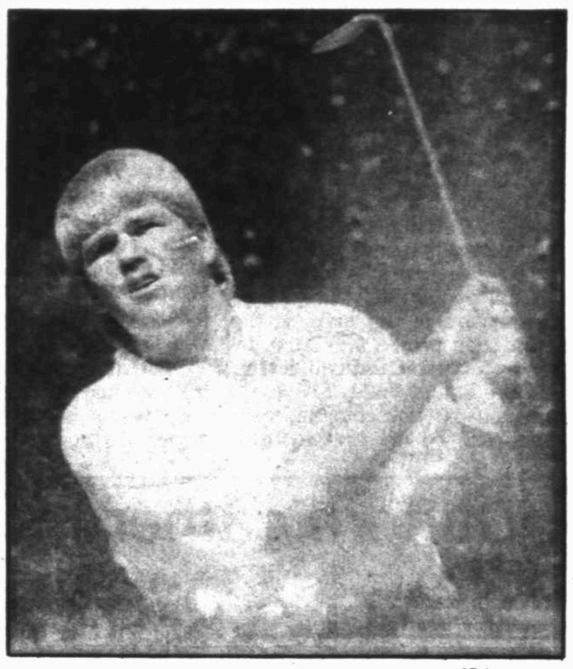
The putt was left-to-right, opposite where the stick was placed.

"It was at least 10 inches to a foot outside the line of the putt," said Bruce Lietzke, who was paired with Daly.

"It might have bothered me if I'd got two shots," said Daly, a 25-year-old tour rookie, "but now I'm going to go ahead and see if I can win this thing."

There was no doubt he was the popular choice, a storybook hero from the ranks of the Ben Hogan Tour, the last alternate to get in the field and — to top it all — the longest hitter in the game with a 286-yard average off the tee.

Please see **PGA**/4B



AP Laserphoto

John Daly blasts out of a trap on the ninth hole.

SUNDAY BUSINESS DIGEST

TV Sports

(Subject to Change)

NFL PRESEASON — Phoenix Cardinals at Chicago Bears, 7 p.m., TNT.

PAN AM GAMES — 1 p.m. on ABC, and 5 p.m. on TNT.

BASEBALL — White Sox at Orioles, 12:30 p.m., WGN. Mets at Cubs, 7 p.m., ESPN. Brewers at Rangers, 7 p.m., HSE.

GOLF — PGA Championship, 12:30 p.m., CBS.

TENNIS — ATP Championship Final, 3:30 p.m., ESPN.

AUTO RACING — NASCAR Winston Cup at the Glen, noon, ESPN.

CFL — Toronto Argos at Saskatchewan Roughriders, 2 p.m., HSE.

Texas Scores

MAJOR LEAGUES — Milwaukee Brewers 5, Texas Rangers 2. Atlanta Braves 4, Houston Astros 0.

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at El Paso, ppd. rain.

SCOREBOARD/3B

Sports Today

SOFTBALL — Texas State ASA Class C Men's Slowpitch tournament, Bill Williams Complex, Hogan Park, day.

GOLF — Green Tree Country Club Gusher, all day.

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at El Paso Diablos, two games, 4 p.m., KCRS Radio (550 AM).

Sports facts

Baseball expansion teams

First-year won-lost records

1977	Seattle Mariners	64-98
	Toronto Blue Jays	54-107
1969	Kansas City Royals	69-93
	Seattle Pilots	64-98
	Montreal Expos	52-110
	San Diego Padres	52-110
1962	Houston Colt .45s	64-96
	New York Mets	40-120
1961	Los Angeles Angels	70-91
	Washington Senators	61-100

SOURCE "Sports Encyclopedia: Baseball"

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Maguire stricken

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — NBC Sports commentator Paul Maguire, in town to watch a preseason game between the Detroit Lions and Buffalo Bills, suffered a heart attack Saturday morning and was rushed to a local hospital for treatment.

Maguire, who played for the Bills in the 1960s, was taken to Buffalo General Hospital by private car around 8:30 a.m. EDT, according to hospital spokesman Mike Shaw. Maguire was listed in critical condition Saturday afternoon in the cardiac care unit.

Shaw said Maguire's vital signs were stable and indicated that it was normal procedure to list a heart attack victim initially as critical.

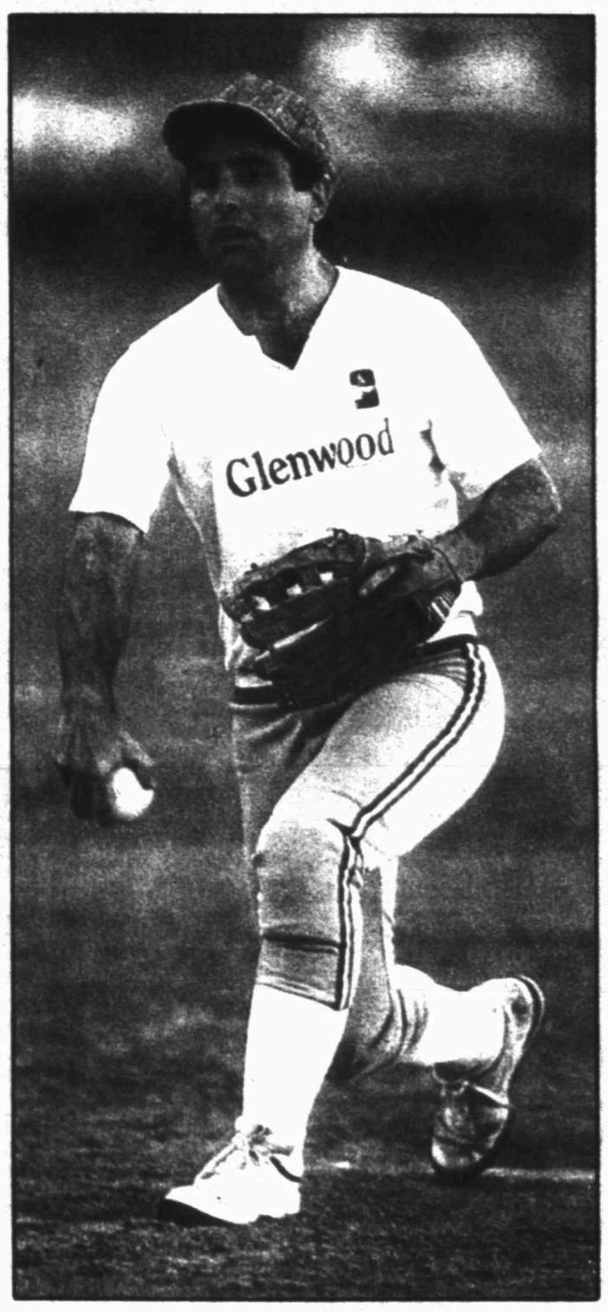
Shaw said Maguire is expected to be listed as critical for two to three days, but did not know how long he would be hospitalized. The hospital said Maguire's

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Puttin' on some spin

Johnny Steck of the Glenwood Raiders pitches against CMC Business Systems during action Saturday in the Men's state Class C Slowpitch Softball tourney. Results/5B.

Rebels ready to set sail on grid season

■ Lee goes into the trenches for the first time without the benefit of spring football practice.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Midland Lee's annual fall football cruise leaves port at 9 a.m. Monday, sailing through unchartered waters that promises some high waves.

First and foremost, Lee's first week of work will be most important. This is the first year in history that a Lee team enters a season without the benefit of spring football practice. The Rebels get an extra week of two-a-day workouts and an extra scrimmage, so they need to make up in one week what they lost in a potential three weeks of spring football.

"We'll work out at 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday and try to develop a football team," says Lee head football coach Earl Miller. "Since we didn't have spring training, we really don't know where we're at right now and we've got to found out in a hurry.

"Still, we feel like we made the right decision at the right time. We'll get a full two weeks to two-a-days without teacher in-service being a problem."

Also, Lee enters the season without offensive coordinator Van Tom Whatley, who became the head coach of Class 5A Alice earlier this summer. Many Lee fans have wondered what kind of changes this will make for the Lee offense.

Miller says Lee will look much the same after naming long-time assistant Mike Quimby as his new offensive coordinator.

"I've named Mike as my new offensive coordinator and we're still going to run the Wishbone. I don't think you'll see much difference. Mike has been upstairs in the press box for us for years and he knows exactly what we can do. I've also moved Bill Martin up from the freshman school to work with the offensive backs and quarterbacks. Coach Martin has worked closely with us in the past and has done a lot of scouting. He knows the league."

Quimby is also Lee's head boys track coach and has worked with the Lee offense since 1982 when he joined the Lee staff from Wall.

"There won't be any changes. We're going to be running the same thing (Wishbone)," Quimby said.

However, Quimby couldn't let is slide by that easily and added, "It'll be the same as always — line up and throw on every other down," an obvious reference to Lee's reputation of treating the pass with the same respect as one would treat the

Please see **REBELS**/2B

Irving voters give approval to alcohol sales in stadium

IRVING (AP) — Voters Saturday overwhelmingly approved a referendum that would allow thirsty Dallas Cowboys fans to buy beer and wine in Texas Stadium, but would force them to leave their coolers at home.

Residents in this Dallas suburb passed a three-point referendum exempting the stadium from a city ordinance prohibiting alcohol sales in excess of 40 percent of an establishment's receipts. The City Council approved the referendum July 17.

Saturday's vote was 62 percent or 6,199 votes in favor, the city secretary's office said. There were 3,834 votes cast against the proposal, or 38 percent.

"This ends 20 years of very divisive wrangling," council member John Medaille said Saturday night. "Now we can put this behind us and get on to other things."

Alcoholic beverage sales cannot begin until the Legislature approves bills allowing the exemption, Medaille said. However, he added, "We anticipate quick passage down in Austin."

Once legislation is approved, a lawsuit challenging the Irving ordinance would be dropped, said attorney John Bickel, representing Texas Stadium Corp.

"Once we secure the legislation, we will dismiss our lawsuit," he said.

Nancy O'Teter, an opponent of allowing beer and wine sales in the stadium, said she was disappointed by the election results.

"I feel especially sad because I see it as a deal where young people will be put in dangerous circumstances at concerts," she said. "I think the rowdies will take over."

Texas Stadium Corp. president Tommy Hodges, returning a call for Cowboys owner Jerry Jones,

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

Baseball tradition needs a shakeup

Sports always seems to have its traditions tied to its apron strings whether those traditions are preceived as good or bad.

It is said that baseball is tied to its traditions more than any other sport. For example, statisitics are so much a part of its lore, that the game has changed little in the past 100 years.



Williamson

Yet, baseball has broken tradition over the years like the American League adopting the designated hitter rule and breaking into four divisions instead of two while adding that added bit of playoff excitement known as the League Championship Series. And you will still find those who say both those "improvements" are ghastly abominations to the purity of life itself. I must admit that the designated hitter rule comes closest to that description.

It's not that tradition can't be broken in baseball, but when it is, the "new tradition" becomes the the very foundation of the game itself. It's hard to change tradition, whether it's old or new. And, regardless of what Webster says, tradition in sports doesn't have to be a long standing custom or practice. If a change does come, count it as "almost" permanent.

There is a major change that would serve baseball well and create tradition worth the price of a lot of tickets. But first you would have to break the old bonds of the American vs. National leagues. Baseball missed another opportunity for real tradition when it brought in Miami and Denver earlier this summer.

The four divisions are fine, but teams in the divisions need realignment badly. The following is a neat makeup of how baseball should realign, producing real rivalries with punch and giving us traditions worth holding onto.

New AL East: New York Yankees, New York Mets, Boston, Baltimore, Detroit, Philadelphia and Miami.

This could be known as the Eastern Seaboard Division. Granted Miami seems to be a stretch here, but it is coastal. The two New York teams in the same league is attractive if for no other reason than creating great reading from the New York press. But it's even better than that since most of these cities already are natural rivals.

New AL West: California, Seattle, Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Denver and Oakland.

This is a natural division and the addition of Denver makes it perfect. And no one in Texas would be greatly upset by missing the West Coast scores in the morning newspaper.

New NL West: Texas, Houston, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago Cubs, Chicago White Sox and Atlanta.

The geography is still far-reaching here, but two Texas teams, two Chicago teams and two Missouri teams would produce some major highlights through a long season. Atlanta seems out of place here. Many will say that Atlanta should be grouped in some way with Miami. Well, I'm open to comprimise, but this still sells well in the overall good of the game. This would be the league where I would look for the scores each day. It's my favorite.

New NL East: Pittsburgh, Toronto, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Minnesota and Montreal.

By today's standards, this would be one tough league since three of the four current division leaders reside here. But you should never align teams by strengths and weaknesses since that can change from one summer to the next. You have the two Canadian teams together here. You also have an attractive grouping of Milwaukee and Minnesota. Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Cleveland also flow together well.

You could never get the AL and the NL together long enough to ever agree on something like this. But we can dream of changing bad tradition for productive tradition. Maybe, at the very least, we can get rid of the DH. We'll take what we can get.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Arizona school district first to provide domed stadium

■ Impoverished area's $11.5 million project nears completion.

Associated Press

EAGAR, Ariz. — Don't look for the first high school with its own domed stadium in some affluent suburb of San Francisco, Dallas or New York.

It's in the Round Valley school district, nestled in the White Mountains just west of the Arizona-New Mexico line.

There, in one of the coldest, most impoverished spots in the state, the nearly completed structure is rising above a high school of about 500 students. When set up for basketball, it will have room for 9,000 spectators — more than the local population.

Four years in the making, the $11.5 million project has been delayed by a lawsuit and two deaths.

But the Round Valley Ensphere, as the construction company calls it, soon will be the first football-field-enclosing domed stadium built by a school district.

The otherwise unnamed structure is the biggest news here since Mark Gastineau, Round Valley's most prominent native son, was leading the NFL in sacks for the New York Jets in 1984.

Football, basketball, volleyball, tennis, wrestling and even softball games will be played in the wooden hemisphere, which is painted in three shades of pink. The dome, and Round Valley High School, straddle the line between Eagar, population 4,000, and Springerville, population 1,200.

School officials say the dome also will be used for physical education and by civic groups. And no one talks about nostalgia for playing outdoors — at 7,000 feet elevation, the area's climate belies Arizona's reputation as hot and dry.

Winters here are bitter, with temperatures frequently falling below zero, and snow is possible any time during the school year.

Football coach Tot Workman, who has had three state championship teams in 12 years, said he hopes the dome's 6,000 seats for football will be filled Oct. 11 for an inaugural game against arch-rival Payson.

He joked about leaving the Elks' old field.

"I'm sure going to miss playing there when it's freezing and muddy," Workman said. "We lost only four games in 12 years on that field. But like I tell my kids, 'We've never lost in the dome.'"

Officials from the National Association of High School Federations in Kansas City, Mo., and the Council of Educational Facility Planners in Columbus, Ohio, said that while many high schools play in domed stadiums, none has built one for itself.

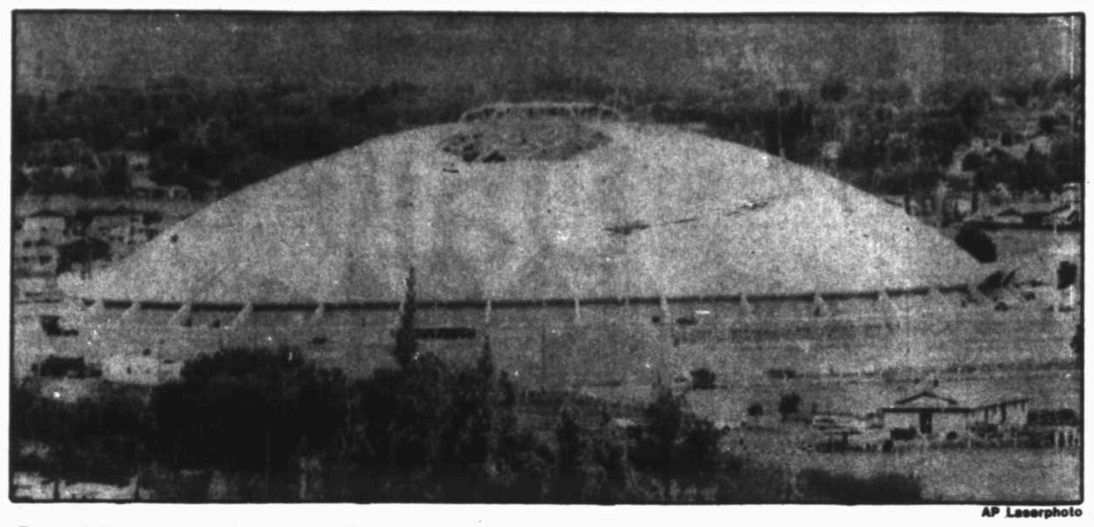
The residents of Round Valley probably couldn't have swung the deal themselves. But they approved a $12 million bond issue for the dome and some school repairs in 1987 after learning that Tucson Electric Power Co. would have to pay for most of it.

The financially ailing utility has a generating station that accounts for about 90 percent of the area's property values, so it pays 90 percent of the property taxes. The utility sued to block construction, but the suit was rejected by trial-level and appellate courts.

Construction began in the summer of 1990 but ground to a three-month halt for reinspection after two workers were hit by wooden beams and fell 75 feet to their deaths.

A few people don't see a need for the dome, including former school board member Glenn Jacobs, the pistol-packing publisher of the conservative Round Valley Paper, which is published periodically.

"I don't know what a college needs with a dome, much less a high school. But this community is more sports-crazed than average," Jacobs said.



AP Laserphoto

Round Valley School District's domed stadium, an $11.5 million project still under construction, will be the first in the state for a high school.

Duffers gather for Best of the Rest

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant Sports Editor

BIG SPRING — It is arguably the most popular golf tournament in West Texas, one that quite likely brings in more golfers than any other links event in this part of the state.

But those who compete in the Best of the Rest tournament will never become professionals.

The one stipulation for those who pay the entry fee in the Big Spring tournament is that one must *not* excel in golf.

The eighth edition of the Best of the Rest — an invention of Comanche Trails Golf professional Al Patterson — caters to golfers who haven't quite yet perfected their game, the very reason why the tourney is so appealing.

Tens of thousands of Americans play golf, but only a few master it.

Best of the Rest VIII is scheduled for Aug. 23-25 at Comanche Trails where well over 200 weekend-type golfers are expected to enter the event.

"A few years ago," Patterson said, "two or three guys and I were chewing the fat about golf. They felt that for so many of the high scoring players, there was no chance for them to win a tournament.

"They said, 'You know what you ought to do? You ought to run a tournament for us, because we're the best of the rest of them.'"

And thus, in a Big Spring cafe in 1988, the tournament — with golfers flighted in six different groups — was born.

"Guys that shoot 105 can still have a chance to win, with this many flights and this many teams," Patterson said. "Plus, we've reduced the sandbagging to a minimum."

The most unique aspect about this edition of Best of the Rest is the prize money offered for a hole in one. An ace on any hole at Comanche Trails nets the ace maker $10,000.

Through the first seven tournaments, a hole in one has yet to be made, but Patterson says the prize money offered makes the tournament that much more attractive.

Patterson, the pro at the Fort Myers, Fla., Country Club before moving to Big Spring, says the two-man scramble attracts players from all reaches of West Texas, from Midland-Odessa to Abilene to Lubbock and beyond.

"The fun of the tournament," Patterson said, is what has made the event such a huge success, despite its $140-per team entry fee.

"Most tournaments are shotgun starts," Patterson said. "We give everyone a tee time, just like a tour event. It's a well organized tournament."

Golfers who enter the event have a 15 handicap or higher; prizes are awarded to the Top 5 finishers in each flight.

Entries are limited to the first 108 two-man teams and Patterson said all spots are usually filled 10-to-14 days prior to the tournament.

For entry information, call the pro shop at Comanche Trails at 1-263-7271.

Michigan youth top Junior at 54th Soap Box Derby

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Paul Greenwald of Saginaw, Mich., edged two other racers Saturday to win the Junior Division of the 54th All-American Soap Box Derby.

The competition, featuring gravity-driven cars made either from scratch or from official kits, attracted 170 racers from four nations and drew 17,500 spectators at Derby Downs.

Danny Garland of Studio City, Calif., won the Master Division, featuring drivers 12- to 16-years-old in homemade cars, with a time of 28.09 seconds. Garland, 14, also posted the day's fastest time, covering the 953.75-foot course in 28.03 seconds in a qualifying race.

Will Long of Kansas City, Mo., and James Rayle Jr. of Washington finished second and third, respectively, in the master's race.

Greenwald, 13, covered the course in 28.89 seconds to win the Junior Division, for 9- to 16-year-olds in cars made from official kits.

REBELS: San Antonio Clark to scrimmage Lee in Sonora

(From 1B)

plague.

But it isn't that Miller doesn't have some early worries and woes. A grease fire in a home put three of his players in the hospital this week.

"Keith Boyd, his brother Kirk and Ben Moore were burned in a grease fire. A pan of grease was dropped on the floor and ignited. It could be up to a month or longer before we get them back," Miller said.

Keith Boyd is a returning starter at guard. Kirk Boyd is a defensive back and Moore is a running back.

"We also have had four or five seniors who have decided not to play and you always have that early. In fact, now is the time to find that out. You don't want to play with kids who don't want to make the commitment. We just go out and play with what we've got.

"Monday we see who's here and who has decided to play. Then we've got to get the kids in the right positions, something we've not done a very good job of early the last couple of years. We may have to move some people around to fill in the gaps."

Lee will scrimmage powerful and heavy San Antonio Clark at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 24, in Sonora. The Rebels will scrimmage Lubbock Monterey in Midland on Friday, Aug. 30, but the time of that scrimmage is still up in the air.

Lee opens the 1991 season at Memorial Stadium on Sept. 6 against El Paso Andress, a team that handed the Rebels a regular season loss and a playoff tie that Lee lost on penetrations. This is one of West Texas' growing football rivalries.

Pitt offers AD job to CSU's Jaynes

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Colorado State athletic director Oval Jaynes has been offered the athletic director's job at the University of Pittsburgh, according to published reports.

Jaynes got the offer Friday from Pitt President J. Dennis O'Connor after Dave Hart Jr. turned it down, The Pittsburgh Press reported in its Sunday editions. Hart decided to remain as athletic director at East Carolina, citing family and personal reasons.

The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette reported Saturday that Pitt is expected to hold a news conference on Monday to announce Jaynes' selection.

Neither Jaynes nor O'Connor could be reached for comment.



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Gardens	8513	Sitting Posture	8530	To Diet or Not To Diet	8547
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Gravity	8515	Skin Acne	8532	Walking	8549
Headaches	8516	Sleeping Posture	8533	Youth	8550
Health & Childs Learning	8517	Small Car Precautions	8534		

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

AL Boxes

Brewers 5, Rangers 2

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Molitor 1b	4	1	3	1	Dunng dh	4	0	0	0
Canale 1b	0	0	0	0	Pinero 1b	4	0	0	0
Rpdlph 2b	4	0	0	1	Sierra rf	4	0	0	0
Hmlton cf	4	0	1	2	Franco 2b	4	1	1	1
Yount dh	4	0	0	0	Gonzalz lf	3	1	2	0
GVghn lf	4	0	0	0	Bechele 3b	4	0	2	0
Surhoff c	4	0	0	0	Rdrgz c	4	0	1	1
Schette rf	4	1	1	1	JHrndz ss	3	0	2	0
Gntner 3b	4	2	2	0	Petrelli ph	0	0	0	0
Spiers ss	3	1	2	0	Sinley ph	1	0	0	0
					Pettis cf	2	0	0	0
					Reimer lf	1	0	0	0
					Palmer ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	5	9	5	Totals	35	2	8	2

Milwaukee 001 010 300—5
Texas 000 100 001—2

E—Molitor (4). LOB—Milwaukee 6, Texas 7. 2B—Molitor (24). 3B—Hernandez (1). HR—Bichette (13), Franco (11). S—Spiers.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Plesac W,1-4	5	4	1	1	1	3
Crim	3 1-3	4	1	1	0	2
McLee	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Henry S,1	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Texas						
Boyd L,0-3	6 1-3	8	5	5	2	3
Rogers	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mathews	2 2-3	0	0	0	0	2

T—2:44. A—41,266.

Red Sox 7, Jays 1

BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi	TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi
Boggs 3b	5	2	3	0	White cf	3	0	1	0
Reed 2b	4	0	0	0	RAlmr 2b	4	0	0	0
MVghn 1b	4	2	1	0	Carter rf	4	0	0	0
Qintana 1b	1	0	0	0	Olerud 1b	3	1	1	0
JClark dh	5	0	1	3	Gruber 3b	4	0	1	1
Grwell lf	4	0	2	1	CaMldo lf	2	0	0	0
Pintier rf	3	1	1	0	Mlllks dh	3	0	0	0
Brnsky rf	1	1	1	0	Myers c	3	0	1	0
Burks cf	3	1	1	0	McLee ss	3	0	0	0
Pena c	3	0	1	3					
Rivera ss	4	0	1	0					
Totals	37	7	12	7	Totals	29	1	4	1

Boston 200 022 010—7
Toronto 000 000 100—1

E—Gruber (9). DP—Boston 2. LOB—Boston 6, Toronto 4. 2B—JClark (7), Burks (26), Rivera (19), Gruber (8). SB—Greenwell (12). SF—Pena.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
GrHarris W,9-11	9	4	1	1	1	7
Toronto						
Stottlmr L,10-6	6	12	7	7	2	3
Acker	1	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—by GrHarris (White), by GrHarris (CnMaldonado). T—2:25. A—50,304.

Chisox 6, Orioles 4

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Raines lf	5	1	2	0	Dwsux cf	4	0	0	0
Vntura 3b	3	1	2	0	BAndsn lf	3	0	0	1
Thmas dh	4	0	1	1	CRpkn ss	4	1	3	2
Pasque 1b	3	1	1	0	Horn dh	4	0	0	0
Grbeck 3b	1	0	0	0	Mlligan 1b	3	0	1	0
Fisk c	4	1	1	3	Orselsk rf	4	1	1	0
LJhnsn cf	4	0	0	0	Hulett 3b	3	1	0	0
Newsom rf	3	1	1	0	ChBlthz ph	1	0	0	0
Huff rf	0	0	0	0	Melvin c	3	1	2	1
Cora 2b	3	0	0	0	Segui ph	1	0	0	0
Guillen ss	4	1	1	2	JBell 2b	3	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	9	6	Totals	33	4	7	4

Chicago 300 000 300—6
Baltimore 000 010 000—4

E—Melvin (1). DP—Baltimore 1. LOB—Chicago 6, Baltimore 5. 2B—Newsom (4), Milligan (12). HR—Fisk (9), Guillen (1), CRipken (24). SB—Raines (37). S—Cora.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Garcia W,4-3	6	7	4	4	3	3
Pall	2	0	0	0	0	2
Thigpen S,26	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baltimore						
Smith	6 1-3	5	4	4	3	5
Flanagan L,2-4	2 1-3	4	2	2	1	3
Williamson	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:57. A—39,404.

Tigers 5, Yankees 1

First game

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
Cuyler cf	4	0	1	0	Wllams cf	4	0	0	1
Whtker 2b	4	2	1	2	Sax 2b	3	0	0	0
Phillips 3b	4	0	2	0	Hall rf	4	0	1	0
Lvnstn 3b	1	1	0	0	Nokes c	4	0	1	0
Fielder 1b	4	1	1	1	Mulens lf	4	0	0	0
Ttleton dh	4	0	2	0	Maas 1b	4	0	1	0
Frymn ss	4	0	1	1	Espnza ss	4	0	1	0
Salas c	3	0	0	0	Shrdan dh	2	0	1	0
Barnes ph	0	0	0	0	Hphrys ph	1	0	0	0
Allnson c	0	0	0	0	PKelly 3b	3	1	1	0
Moses lf	3	1	0	1					
Deer rf	4	0	0	0					
Totals	36	5	8	5	Totals	33	1	6	1

Detroit 002 000 030—5
New York 000 000 100—1

LOB—Detroit 9, New York 7. 2B—Cuyler (8), Fryman (22). 3B—PKelly (3). HR—Whitaker (16). SB—Moses (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Detroit						
MLeiter W,4-2	7	6	1	1	2	7
Gleaton	2	0	0	0	0	0
New York						
Sndrsn L,11-8	7	5	3	3	3	7
Guetterman	2	3	2	2	3	0

T—3:15.

Tigers 4, Yankees 0

Second game

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
Cuyler cf	2	1	0	0	Wllams cf	4	0	1	0
Whtker 2b	4	0	0	0	Sax 2b	4	0	1	0
Phillips rf	3	0	1	1	Hall lf	3	0	0	0
Pasque 1b	3	1	1	0	Nokes dh	4	0	1	0
Fielder dh	4	0	1	1	Shrdan rf	3	0	1	0
Barnes dh	0	0	0	0	Maas 1b	4	0	0	0
Ttleton c	3	0	1	0	Velarde ss	3	0	0	0
Frymn ss	4	1	0	0	Geren c	2	0	0	0
Brgmn 1b	4	0	1	2	PKelly 3b	3	0	0	0
Lvnstn 3b	4	0	1	0					
Shelby lf	3	0	0	0					
Totals	32	4	6	4	Totals	30	0	4	0

Detroit 000 110 002—4
New York 000 000 000—0

E—Velarde (8). DP—Detroit 1, New York 1. LOB—Detroit 4, New York 6. 2B—Moses (1), Fielder (18), Livingstone (3). SB—Cuyler (29), Fryman (9).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Detroit						
Terrell W,8-10	9	4	0	0	3	2
New York						
Taylor L,5-7	7	2	2	1	2	4
Howe	1	1	0	0	0	0
Farr	1	3	2	2	0	2

HBP—by Howe (Cuyler). WP—Terrell, Farr. T—2:46. A—28,744.

Indians 1, Royals 0

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
GHill cf	4	0	0	0	McRae cf	4	0	1	0
CJmes dh	4	1	2	0	Howard ss	4	0	2	0
Baerga 2b	3	0	1	0	Brett dh	4	0	0	0
Belle lf	3	0	1	1	Tribtt rf	4	0	1	0
Cole lf	0	0	0	0	Bnzngr 1b	4	0	1	0
Whiten rf	3	0	0	0	Pocota 3b	3	0	0	0
CsMtnz 1b	2	0	0	0	Pllam lf	2	0	1	0
Aldrete 1b	1	0	0	0	Spahr c	2	0	0	0
Manto 3b	3	0	0	0	Seitz ph	1	0	0	0
Skinner c	3	0	1	0	Mayne c	0	0	0	0
Fermin ss	3	0	0	0	Shnprt 2b	2	0	1	0
Totals	29	1	5	1	Totals	30	0	7	0

Cleveland 000 000 100—1
Kansas City 000 000 000—0

DP—Cleveland 2, Kansas City 2. LOB—Cleveland 1, Kansas City 6. 2B—CJames (14), Tartabull (26). CS—Fermin (3). S—Pecota.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cleveland						
Otto W,1-2	8	7	0	0	1	2
Olin S,6	1	0	0	0	0	1
Kansas City						
Sbhgn L,8-6	9	5	1	1	0	8

HBP—by Otto (Shumpert). PB—Spehr. T—2:12. A—38,209.

A's 3, Angels 1

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi
WWlsn lf	4	0	0	0	Polonia lf	4	0	1	0
DHdsn cf	2	1	1	2	Joyner 1b	3	1	1	0
Cnseco dh	4	0	0	0	Wnfield rf	2	0	0	0
Stnbch c	4	0	1	0	DPrker dh	3	0	0	0
Jacoby 3b	4	0	0	0	Gaetti 3b	4	0	0	0
McGwr 1b	4	0	2	0	Parrish c	4	0	1	0
Brosius rf	4	0	0	0	Gllgher cf	3	0	0	0
Eckrsly p	0	0	0	0	Vnable ph	1	0	1	0
Gallego 2b	2	2	1	1	Sojo 2b	2	0	0	0
Bordick ss	1	0	0	0	DNlls ph	1	0	0	0
					Schfield ss	4	0	1	0
Totals	29	3	5	3	Totals	31	1	5	0

Oakland 000 002 010—3
California 000 000 010—1

DP—California 1. LOB—Oakland 4, California 8. 2B—Polonia (15), Joyner (23). HR—DHenderson (24), Gallego (7). S—Bordick.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Darling W,2-0	7	3	0	0	4	7
Klink	2-3	1	1	1	1	0
Chitren	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Eckersley S,32	1	1	0	0	0	1
California						
Langston L,14-6	9	5	3	3	3	4

HBP—by Langston (DHenderson). WP—Klink 2, Langston. T—2:39. A—44,385.

Transactions

Saturday's Sports Transactions
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BASEBALL
American League

CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Recalled Wilson Alvarez, pitcher, from Birmingham of the Southern League.

TEXAS RANGERS—Recalled Terry Mathews, pitcher, from Oklahoma City of the American Association. Placed Rich Gossage, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list.

Baseball Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	62	49	.559	—	z-4-6	Lost 3	35-24	27-25
Detroit	58	52	.527	3½	z-7-3	Won 3	35-19	23-33
Boston	52	57	.477	9	z-5-5	Won 2	28-29	24-28
New York	48	59	.449	12	z-2-8	Lost 5	25-27	23-32
Milwaukee	49	61	.445	12½	6-4	Won 4	26-29	23-32
Baltimore	43	66	.394	18	z-4-6	Lost 4	17-36	26-30
Cleveland	36	72	.333	24½	3-7	Won 1	17-33	19-39

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Minnesota	66	45	.595	—	z-6-4	Lost 1	32-19	34-26
Chicago	64	45	.587	1	z-8-2	Won 6	34-24	30-21
Oakland	63	48	.568	3	7-3	Won 5	34-22	29-26
Texas	56	50	.528	7½	4-6	Lost 2	32-21	24-29
Seattle	56	52	.527	7½	z-5-5	Won 1	29-22	29-30
Kansas City	56	52	.519	8½	z-5-2	Lost 1	27-30	29-22
California	53	56	.486	12	1-9	Lost 2	25-33	28-23

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	63	45	.583	—	3-7	Won 1	30-21	33-24
St. Louis	58	50	.537	5	5-5	Lost 1	33-24	25-26
New York	57	52	.523	6½	2-8	Lost 2	29-27	28-25
Chicago	54	55	.495	9½	6-4	Won 2	31-21	23-34
Philadelphia	51	56	.466	12½	z-10-0	Won 11	30-25	21-33
Montreal	44	64	.407	19	1-9	Lost 2	23-30	21-34

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	61	48	.560	—	z-4-6	Lost 2	32-16	29-30
Atlanta	58	50	.537	2½	z-6-4	Won 2	33-27	25-23
San Francisco	54	55	.496	7	z-6-4	Won 4	30-22	24-33
Cincinnati	53	55	.491	7½	4-6	Lost 1	29-28	24-27
San Diego	53	57	.482	8½	5-5	Won 1	23-29	30-28
Houston	46	63	.422	15	z-6-4	Lost 4	29-28	17-35

z-denotes first game was a win.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Saturday's Games

Boston 7, Toronto 1
Detroit 5, New York 1, 1st game
Detroit 4, New York 0, 2nd game
Chicago 6, Baltimore 4
Cleveland 1, Kansas City 0
Milwaukee 5, Texas 2
Oakland 3, California 1
Seattle 8, Minnesota 0

Sunday's Games

Detroit (Cerutti 1-4 and Aldred 0-1) at New York (Cadaret 4-4 and Leary 4-9), 2, 12:30 p.m.
Chicago (Hibbard 7-8) at Baltimore (D.Johnson 2-3), 12:35 p.m.
Boston (Gardiner 3-8) at Toronto (Key 12-8), 12:36 p.m.
Cleveland (King 5-8) at Kansas City (Aquino 5-2), 1:35 p.m.
Oakland (Moore 10-7) at California (Grahe 1-2), 3:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 9-7) at Seattle (Krueger 9-4), 3:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (August 8-6) at Texas (K.Brown 7-9), 7:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Saturday's Games

Chicago 6, New York 2
San Francisco 4, Los Angeles 3
Philadelphia 4, Montreal 2
Pittsburgh 11, St. Louis 5
Atlanta 4, Houston 0
San Diego 1, Cincinnati 0

Sunday's Games

Montreal (Nabholz 2-4) at Philadelphia (Ruffin 3-3), 12:35 p.m.
St. Louis (Tewksbury 7-7) at Pittsburgh (Tomlin 7-4), 12:35 p.m.
Houston (Kile 5-6) at Atlanta (Reynoso 0-0), 11:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Ki.Gross 4-3) at San Diego (Bones 0-0), 3:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Hershiser 4-2) at San Francisco (McClellan 2-1), 3:05 p.m.
New York (Fernandez 0-2) at Chicago (Sutcliffe 2-4), 7:05 p.m.

Friday's Late Boxes

A's 5, Angels 4

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi
Rhden lf	2	0	0	0	Polonia lf	3	1	2	1
WWlsn lf	3	0	1	0	DHill 2b	4	1	2	0
DHdsn cf	5	0	1	0	Joyner 1b	4	1	1	0
Cnseco rf	3	2	1	1	Whfield rf	3	0	0	0
Baines dh	3	2	1	0	DPrker dh	4	1	2	3
Stnbch c	4	1	2	3	Gaetti 3b	3	0	1	0
McGwr 1b	3	0	1	0	Parrish c	4	0	0	0
Jacoby 3b	3	0	0	0	Gllgher cf	3	0	0	0
Gallego 2b	3	0	0	1	Schfield ss	3	0	0	0
Bordick ss	4	0	1	0					
Totals	33	5	8	5	Totals	31	4	8	4

Oakland 020 320 000—5
California 100 003 000—4

E—Gallego (11). DP—Oakland 2, California 1. LOB—Oakland 6, California 4. 2B—Baines (21), Steinbach 2 (27). HR—Canseco (31), Polonia (2), DParker (11). SB—WWilson (16). CS—Polonia 2 (12). SF—Gallego.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Sturt W,8-6	6 1-3	8	4	4	4	3
Honeycutt	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Eckrsly S,31	1	0	0	0	0	1
California						
McClll L,8-15	4 2-3	6	5	5	3	1
Beasley	3 1-3	1	0	0	1	1
Eichhorn	1	1	0	0	0	1

PB—Parrish. T—3:00. A—41,169.

Chisox 7, Orioles 4

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Raines lf	5	3	4	1	Dvraux cf	5	1	1	1
Vntura 3b	3	1	2	2	Orselsk lf	4	0	1	1
Thmas gh	4	1	2	0	CRpken ss	3	0	0	0
Pasque 1b	4	0	0	0	Evans rf	4	0	1	0
Fisk ph	1	0	1	2	Horn dh	4	1	1	0
Grbeck 3b	0	0	0	0	Mlligan 1b	4	0	2	0
LJhnsn cf	5	0	1	2	Gomez 3b	3	0	0	0
Huff rf	4	0	1	0	Hollns c	3	1	0	0
Newsom rf	0	0	0	0	JBell 2b	3	1	1	2
Krivos c	4	0	0	0					
Cora 2b	4	1	1	0					
Guillen ss	4	1	1	0					
Totals	38	7	13	7	Totals	32	4	7	4

Chicago 002 300 002—7
Baltimore 010 300 000—4

E—Gomez (6), Poole (1). DP—Chicago 1, Baltimore 2. LOB—Chicago 9, Baltimore 6. 2B—Thomas (24), Orselsk (15). 3B—Devereaux (7), JBell (2). S—Ventura, Kartsovios. SF—JBell.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Hough	3 2-3	6	4	4	4	0
Drhma W,2-1	2 1-3	0	0	0	0	2
MPerez	2	1	0	0	0	0
Thigpen S,25	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baltimore						
Mussina L,0-2	3 1-3	11	5	5	0	3
SJones	2 2-3	1	0	0	1	2
Poole	2	0	2	0	0	1
Frohwirth	0	0	0	0	1	0
Flanagan	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Williamson	2-3	0	0	0	1	0

Poole pitched to 2 batters in the 9th. Frohwirth pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. WP—Mussina. T—3:23. A—35,036.

Twins 5, Mariners 2

MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi	SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi
Gldden lf	4	0	1	1	Elhrtnz 3b	4	0	1	0
Knblch 2b	4	1	1	0	Rynlds 2b	3	0	0	0
Puckett cf	4	1	1	1	GrfyJr cf	4	1	3	1
CDavis dh	4	0	0	0	Buhner rf	4	0	0	0
Harper c	4	1	2	0	TJones dh	4	1	1	0
Mack rf	3	1	2	1	Powell lf	3	0	0	0
Hrbek 1b	4	0	1	0	OBrien 1b	3	0	0	0
Leius 3b	3	1	1	1	Valle c	3	0	0	0
Numan ss	4	0	0	1	ADavis ph	1	0	1	1
					Vizquel pr	0	0	0	0
					Schefer ss	3	0	1	0
					Brdly ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	5	9	5	Totals	34	2	7	2

Minnesota 000 032 001—6
Seattle 000 100 001—2

E—Schaefer (2). DP—Seattle 1. LOB—Minnesota 6, Seattle 7. 2B—ElMartinez (16), Griffey Jr (27). 3B—Gladden (5), Mack (5). HR—Griffey Jr (14). CS—Knoblauch (2). SF—Mack.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota						
West W,3-2	6	5	1	1	1	3
Guthrie	1-3	1	1	1	1	0
Aguilera S,30	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Seattle						
RJsn L,10-8	6	6	4	2	1	4
CJones	2	1	0	0	1	2
Murphy	2-3	2	1	1	0	0
Swift	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—by RJohnson (Knoblauch). WP—RJohnson 2. T—2:45. A—31,112.

Giants 1, Dodgers 0

LOS ANGELES	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Butler cf	5	0	1	0	Lewis cf	5	0	0	0
Samuel 2b	3	0	1	0	McGee rf	6	0	1	0
Daniels lf	5	0	2	0	WClark 1b	4	0	1	0
RMcDl p	0	0	0	0	KMitchl lf	4	0	1	1
JHell p	0	0	0	0	MaWlln 3b	5	0	1	0
Javier ph	1	0	0	0	RThmp 2b	3	0	0	0
KoGrss p	0	0	0	0	Rghetti p	0	0	0	0
Stwbry rf	4	0	0	0	Felder ph	1	0	0	0
Murray 1b	6	0	2	0	Brntley p	0	0	0	0
GCrter c	6	0	1	0	Mnwrn c	3	0	0	0
Shrpsn 3b	3	0	1	0	Bass ph	1	0	0	0
LHrris 3b	2	0	0	0	Kmndy c	1	0	0	0
Offrmn ss	5	0	1	0	Uribe ss	5	0	0	0
Belcher p	3	0	0	0	TWilsn p	2	0	1	0
Cndlra p	0	0	0	0	Olversa p	0	0	0	0
CGwyn lf	1	0	0	0	Litton 2b	2	1	1	0
Webstr lf	1	0	0	0					
Totals	46	0	9	0	Totals	42	1	6	1

Los Angeles 000 000 000 000 0—0
San Francisco 000 000 000 000 1—1

One out when winning run scored.

E—Murray (4). DP—San Francisco 1. LOB—Los Angeles 12, San Francisco 11. 2B—WClark (15), KvMitchell (8), Litton (6). SB—Butler (31), Samuel (17), Lewis (6). CS—WClark (2). S—Samuel 2, Lewis, TWilson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Los Angeles						
Belcher	6 2-3	5	0	0	2	4
Candelaria	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
McDowell	2	0	0	0	1	2
JHowell	1	0	0	0	0	1
KoGrosa L,8-6	1-3	1	1	1	1	1
San Francisco						
TWilson	8	7	0	0	3	5
Olversa	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Rghetti	2 1-3	0	0	0	0	2
Brantley W,4-2	1	1	0	0	1	1

HBP—by KoGrosa (KvMitchell). WP—Belcher. T—4:14. A—39,111.

Ruidoso

RUIDOSO DOWNS (AP) — Here are the results of Saturday's horse racing at the Downs at Santa Fe.

First — 350 yards; Deckter Arrow 5.60 2.60 2.60; Balderina 2.80, 2.60; Yuppie 4.20. T — 18.04. Quiniela — 7.40. Trifecta — 53.20.

Second — 5½ furlongs; North Shore 4.60, 3.00, 2.40; Havacount 3.60, 3.00; Copatop 3.40. T — 1:07.4. Daily Double — 13.00. Quiniela — 9.40. Trifecta — 86.00.

Third — 350 yards; Mr Lavish 11.80, 5.20, 2.60; DJ Silver Dollar 6.00, 3.00; Oh So Sure 2.40. T — 17.90. Quiniela — 39.40. First Half Twin Trifecta — 75.00.

Fourth — 5½ furlongs; Brandon James 3.60, 3.20, 2.80; Woody S. 7.40, 4.80; Collide 5.80. T — 1:08.3. Quiniela — 28.40. Trifecta — 260.00. Second Half Twin Trifecta — No winners. Carryover — $23,141.00.

Fifth — 1 mile; Vigorous Lad 5.60, 3.60, 2.60; Carrick Bend 6.60, 3.20; Uncle Nasty 2.80. T — 1:41.2. Exacta — 42.20. Trifecta — 183.00.

Sixth — Simulcast of Pacific Classic from Del Mar.

Seventh — 5½ furlongs; Snip Bo 15.00, 6.20, 4.20; Time Lock 4.00, 3.20; Cesar B. 6.20. T — 1:07.3. Quiniela — 26.20. Trifecta — 1907.20.

Eighth — 6 furlongs; Jemez Streaker 14.40, 6.60, 4.20; Spend 4.40, 3.00; Down To The Wire 4.20. T — 1:12.1. Quiniela — 27.80. Trifecta — 534.40.

Ninth — 5½ furlongs; Kiss 'Em Again 10.40, 3.00, 2.10; Apparent Slewacide 2.40, 2.10; Cool Lucille 2.10. T — 1:06.4. Quiniela — 8.00. Exacta — 24.00.

Tenth — 7½ furlongs; Sellemall 4.20, 2.80, 2.60; Fearless Ace 4.20, 3.00; Oh Yes Indeedy 4.00. T — 1:36.0. Quiniela — 9.00. Trifecta — 84.60.

Eleventh — 6 furlongs; Complete Control 13.20, 3.80, 3.00; Burnone Gimmetwo 2.80, 2.40; Paso Popeye 3.00. T — 1:12.0. Quiniela — 9.20. Trifecta — 141.60. Daily Triple — 223.40.

Twelfth — 1 1/16 miles; Bishops Tab 9.40, 5.20, 3.40; French Ego 11.60, 7.00; Cagney And Lace 3.20. T — 1:46.4. Quiniela — 108.40. Trifecta — 587.40.

Thirteenth — 1000 yards; Coin Keeper 5.00, 2.60, 2.60; Quanah Jones 3.40, 3.40; Best Nest 6.40. T — 55.02. Quiniela — 10.00. Trifecta — 474.20. Attendance — 6,266. Handle — $518,078.

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East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	2	1	0	.667	55	52
Miami	2	1	0	.667	48	36
Indnpls	0	2	0	.000	10	27
N England	0	2	0	.000	13	55
N.Y. Jets	0	2	0	.000	20	43

Central

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McNamara surges past LPGA stars to share Stratton lead

Associated Press

STRATTON MOUNTAIN, Vt. — For Patty Sheehan, one of the LPGA's best players, it's good to be in contention again. For relative newcomer Melissa McNamara, it's good to be in contention any time.

McNamara, 25, playing in her second season on the LPGA Tour, surged past some of the game's best players Saturday to tie Sheehan for the third-round lead in the $450,000 Stratton Mountain Classic.

McNamara made four birdies on the back nine and matched the best round of the tournament with a 67 while Sheehan had a 70 as they deadlocked at 208.

It's the first time at the top entering a final round for McNamara, who has won only $33,000 in two years on the tour and has yet to finish better than 10th. She missed the cut in seven of her first nine tournaments this year before managing a 12th-place finish 10 weeks ago.

But her lofty status failed to faze her.

"When I get on a roll, I start to be aggressive, not nervous," she said."Instead of avoiding the leader board with my name on it, I decided to get used to it.

"I've worked hard enough, and I think I deserve it."

Sheehan was happy to be playing well again. She won five tournaments last year and one early this season before an injured hand ruined the past seven weeks.

"I am pleased to be in contention again — I appreciate where I am," she said. "It's been a while."

She said the hand ached most of the day, but "I just put up with it."

Deb Richard, seeking her second victory in two weeks, started the day tied for first with Sheehan and defending champion Cathy Gerring, but dropped two strokes back at 210 with an even-par par-72.

"I missed a heck of a lot of birdie putts this week," she said. But she remained confident that she's hitting well enough to post a low number in Sunday's final round.

"Both tournaments I have won this year, I have come from behind," she said.

Gerring fell apart with a 76 and was six strokes back at 214.

Pat Bradley, the tour's leading money-winner who started the day in a tie with McNamara, three shots behind the leaders, birdied the last two holes for a 70 and was alone at 211.

Rosie Jones, playing in the next-to-last threesome with McNamara, was tied for the lead at 6-under after seven holes, but finished with a 72 to stand alone at 212.

The round started as a duel among Sheehan, Richard, Gerring and Jones. Richard and Sheehan each held the lead alone in the first three holes, and the four were tied at 6-under after six holes.

But Sheehan, playing before a batch of friends of relatives from nearby Middlebury, Vt., her hometown, sank an 8-footer on No. 10 for the lead.

As the others fell back, McNamara rushed by. She also birdied No. 10 with a 20-foot putt, then provided the high excitement of the day with three straight birdies. She nailed a 5-footer on No. 14, then hit a sand wedge and a 5-iron each within one foot of the cup on Nos. 15 and 16.

She had two more birdie chances on the last two holes, but missed 15-footers.

She missed an 8-footer on the last hole that would have put her on top alone.

PGA: Faldo five strokes back in group with 210

(From 1B)

His emergence as the second-round leader brought the gallery flocking to his side — a gallery that two days ago didn't know his name and couldn't have picked him out of a two-man lineup.

It was his sheer, raw power, his absolutely awesome length off the tee. It left the horde of spectators standing with open, gaping mouths and heads tilted back to watch his missile shots.

They howled in delight, gasped in amazement and roared in applause.

As for his competitors, well, all they could do was try to stay in touch with the lead and wait — and hope — for the wheels to come off.

The 507-yard, par-5 15th served as an example.

Daly hooked his drive around the corner and over the hazard on the dogleg hole, a 260-yard carry, and left himself with only 170 yards to the hole — for him, an 8-iron.

Back on the tee, Lietzke bent over to put his peg in the ground, smiled wryly and shook his head in wonder. Then he hit a 260-yarder of his own, only to land 75-80 yards behind Daly.

And that's where the field was when the day's play was over and the fuss and furor of the ruling was done.

Kenny Knox, the chipper, short-hitting journeyman pro, hung in there with his putting touch and his scrambling and was tied for second with Craig Stadler at 208, 8 under par and three shots behind Daly.

Knox recorded a hard-working 70 while Stadler, the former Masters champion who hasn't won in this country in five years, shot a 69.

Lietzke matched par-72 and was another stroke back at 209.

The group at 210, five strokes off Daly's lead, included Bob Gilder, Andrew Magee and Nick Faldo, the Englishman who owns two Masters and a pair of British Open titles.

Gilder, 40, who hasn't won since 1983, moved up with a bogey-free 67. Magee had a 68 and Faldo a 71.

Masters champion Ian Woosnam suffered three double bogeys in a round of 76 that knocked him out of it at 215. U.S. Open title-holder Payne Stewart had the same total after a 71.

Jack Nicklaus struggled to a 73 and, at par 216, had no hope of a record sixth PGA title.

He was full of admiration for Daly and his self-taught swing, in which the clubhead goes about 45 degrees beyond parallel on the backswing.

"What a coil," exclaimed Nicklaus. "What an unleashing of power.

"His swing will get shorter in time, but for now, go ahead and have fun with it, hit the heck out of it."

Daly did just that. He hit the heck out of it. And he had fun — at least until those tense moments when two strokes hung in the balance.

Daly hit an 8-iron second shot on the 457-yard fourth hole within tap-in distance.

On the 600-yard fourth, he was just short in two, chipped to 18 inches and had a second consecutive birdie.

A 5-iron to the 195-yard fifth gave him a 12-foot putt. Another birdie.

He got his approach into the water on the eighth and made double bogey.

But it bothered him not at all.

He knew there were a pair of par-5s coming up on the back, and that's his food and drink. He reached them both — including a 258-yard 1-iron second shot on the 11th, where he two-putted for birdie.

That put him back at 3-under for the day.

Welborn hits ace

Staff Report

Bobby Welborn hit a hole-in-one Friday on the 12th hole at Green Tree Country Club.

Welborn used a 5-iron to sink his 201-yard shot on the par 3 hole. Witnesses were Tom Hill, Dobie Williams, Ron Cunningham and Stan Loper.

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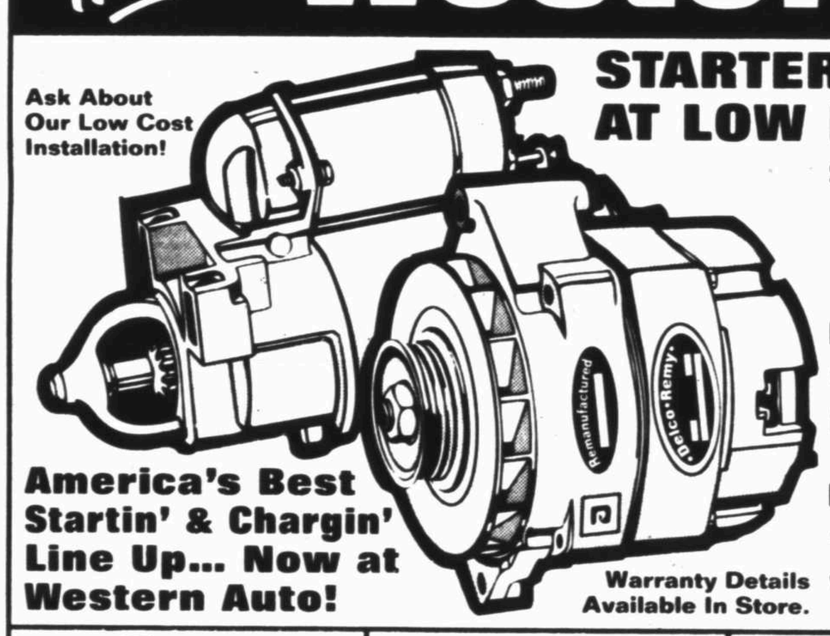


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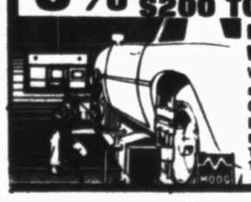
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Walsh: Paul Brown had God-given ingenuity

(Bill Walsh, the lead analyst on NFL telecasts for NBC Sports, was an assistant under Paul Brown with the Cincinnati Bengals (1968-75) and head coach of the San Francisco 49ers (1979-88)

By Bill Walsh
NYT News Service

When Paul Brown hired me as the quarterbacks and receivers coach for his new Cincinnati Bengals in 1968, I already knew the legend of the taciturn Ohioan who died on Monday.

He brought his Cleveland Browns into the National Football League in 1950 and steamrolled his opposition.

He masterminded the use of game films, classroom instruction, the wide-open pass offense, the draw play, the face mask and communication with a coach he put in the press box.

By the time he brought me over from the pass-happy Oakland Raiders, Paul's place in reinventing a kind of seat-of-the-pants game was secure.

He had a God-given ingenuity that allowed him to feel no restrictions about altering the rituals and symbolism of pre-World War II football. He saw the need to innovate and proceeded to repaint the old tableau. He was unstoppable.

Paul never liked to talk about what he'd done, so different from the Bears' George Halas, who was a great football man and an inveterate showman.

Paul didn't boast, but his achievements in changing the game were much greater than Halas's. But Paul was secretive. He felt it unnecessary to divulge much privileged information beyond a trusted circle of colleagues and family.

I knew two Paul Browns. To outsiders he projected the image of the cold, calculating tactician almost devoid of charisma or the desire to deal with the press. There was much truth in this persona. In part, he cultivated it.

He bedeviled reporters with his reticence. He drove them crazy, giving them little or no time. When he coached the Browns, Paul came to New York, ceded the press nothing, whipped the Giants, and left a press corps behind who painted him the villain. I don't think he really cared. Winning was always the bottom line.

But there was a private Brown, a man with a great sense of humor who delighted in teasing his friends, teaching his players and watching them improve during practices. He loved a round of golf and reveled in having his sons Mike, Pete and Robin (who died of cancer) around him on the team.

If you knew him well, he had no problem reminiscing with you about his old Browns and Massillon High School teams, which won six state championships and four national titles.

He loved recalling a game in the 30s that Massillon played against Kent State University, which had won the Mid-American Conference title. Kent invited Massillon to a scrimmage, and Paul's high schoolers won six touchdowns to none. Paul was riotously funny talking about the stunned reactions of the Kent players and coaches.

Few people got to see both Paul Browns.

He wasn't easy to work for, because so much of what he thought was left unsaid. But he was a terrific boss. He paid more than most coaches, and he valued what his assistants said. Yet he was always the ultimate authority — head coach, general manager and legend all rolled into one man.

Paul didn't assign distinct responsibility to the coaches. He let us find our own levels, and gradually we fit into certain roles. By my second or third year, he'd made me offensive coordinator in charge of calling the plays from the sidelines, a tactic he'd pioneered with the Browns.

People said his teams played like robots. Maybe they did. But they won, taking opponents apart like surgeons so that you might think you were close but you'd open your eyes and you were down by three touchdowns.

Everything else besides winning was cosmetic. He didn't care for coaches miking themselves or making statements filled with bravado. He didn't care for players making emotional demonstrations after a play.

Paul insisted on order. He had an instinct for spotting character flaws that would keep players off his teams.

Some of his players resented Paul's insistence that they be disciplined and mechanized, but at his funeral on Wednesday, I saw them weeping.

Paul's organizational skills affected me profoundly. Although I felt I was a more personal coach and was closer to my players when I coached the 49ers, he influenced the way I dealt with players, contractual matters, the inner workings of the NFL and how to prepare for the competition.

The 49ers developed the greatest road record in history, a record Paul's Cleveland Browns teams once held.

Paul said our No. 1 priority on the road was developing a state of mind: it was the 50 of us versus the 50,000 of them. He told the coaches and players, "This is a business trip, nothing more, nothing less. Don't see the sights. We're on a business deal."

I'd always hoped to run the 49ers with the same kind of precision that was Paul's hallmark. Some people thought his precise execution was boring. Some resented it. They said the 49ers offense was nickel-and-dime stuff. Of course, they said the same thing about Paul's teams.

But it was his precise way of running a team that I adapted from him, even more than his offensive theories. He never tried to create a star system. He wanted a cohesive unit.

Paul didn't fully adapt to the big-money atmosphere that pervaded modern pro football. He ran what amounted to a small family business in Cincinnati and the appearance of player agents repulsed him. He wouldn't allow us to talk to them. I was sued once because I wouldn't talk to one late-round pick.

I left the Bengals in 1975 when Paul passed me over to succeed him as head coach. He hired Bill Johnson and didn't explain why. I was hurt badly.

When I came into his office to tell him I was leaving for the San Diego Chargers, he said he was disappointed with my decision. But I felt it was time to move on.

I saw Paul one final time last December to interview him for NBC Sports. I sat opposite him in the same chair I sat in when I resigned. We both knew it might be the last time we'd see each other. The old sting had long ceased hurting me. I had won championships like Paul had. We exchanged some emotional words and parted.

Paul was the last of his breed, an innovator who bridged the gap from the 30s to the 90s. No one, not Halas, not Lombardi, not Rozelle, can make that claim on the history of modern pro football.

Rain impedes progress at ASA men's tournament

By Bill Price
Staff Writer

Saturday's rain pushed the schedule back five hours in the Texas ASA Men's Class C Slowpitch Softball Tournament, wreaking havoc with the field conditions at the Bill Williams Softball Complex and Hogan Park.

While grounds crews and volunteers worked furiously to make the field playable, the state Amateur Softball Association tourney waited out Saturday afternoon's rains and finally resumed play late Saturday night.

Plans were to play non-stop until a championship team was determined, with the title game set for 4 p.m. today instead of the originally scheduled 3 p.m.

While wet grounds upset the afternoon games Saturday, the tournament was able to move along nicely earlier in the day, with 63 games completed.

As of 10 p.m. Saturday, 32 teams remained in the winners bracket of the double-elimination tournament, with Mobil 1 the only unbeaten team from the 22 Midland entries.

However, before play resumed late Saturday, 14 local teams remained alive in the losers bracket of the 98-team field.

After sending Plainview's Double R team to the losers bracket Friday, Mobil 1 stayed undefeated by downing Nelms Ice from Wichita Falls, 5-3.

Other Midland teams that were still in contention in the losers bracket late Saturday were Brothers Production, Schlumberger, Glenwood, CMC Business Systems, Cooper Chiropractic, the Exxon Straykats, T-Shirts, The Slammer, LMP/Avianca, Texaco, Steward Cable, Mobil Pegasus and Lynx Tool.

Local teams eliminated were Golf Course Road Church of Christ, the First Baptist Church — which was eliminated by Brothers Production, 9-6 — R&R Express, High Sierra, Crestview Baptist Church, Midnight Express and Sports Cards Plus.

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Oklahoma sinks Texas 21-7 in 54th Oil Bowl

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Joe Aska of Putnam City, Okla., ran for two touchdowns Saturday night, powering Oklahoma to a 21-7 victory over Texas in the 54th Oil Bowl.

Aska scored on runs of 14 and 16 yards to lead Oklahoma to its second consecutive win in the high school all-star series. Texas leads the overall series 33-12-1.

Maurice Mayfield of Lawton Eisenhower scored Oklahoma's other touchdown on a 31-yard run in the second quarter. He broke the scoring run on a fourth-and-two play.

A fumble by Derrick Richardson of Vernon set up Oklahoma's next touchdown later in the quarter. Oklahoma took the ball at the 19 and gave it to Aska on two straight carries. He gained 5 yards on the first carry before going 14 yards for the touchdown.

Texas, which started the game with the Run 'n Shoot offense, went to the Power I on its first possession of the second half and drove 58 yards in four plays.

Quarterback Cody Ledbetter of Stephenville hit Craig Brinkerhoff with a 49-yard touchdown pass on a fourth-and-one.

Lawton Eisenhower's Dwight McFadden, headed for Southern California, was the game's leading rusher with 133 yards in 24 carries. He was named the game's offensive Most Valuable Player.

Houston end may leave team

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Houston Oilers holdout defensive end Sean Jones may be headed back to the Los Angeles Raiders, a Houston television station reported Saturday.

The Raiders have expressed in interest in reaquiring the 6-foot-7, 264-pound Jones, who played for them for four years before being traded to Houston in April 1988, Oilers General Manager Mike Holovak told KRIV.

When asked if a deal was imminent, Holovak said, "They play Monday night. Certainly nothing before that."

The Raiders play a preseason game Monday against Dallas.

Jones is entering his eighth NFL season. Last year, he led the Oilers with 12½ sacks.

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O.H. Ivie pipeline bids lower fears

There's every reason for Midlanders to be cheering their present water situation — and not only because of rains that have been recorded during the past couple of weeks. The sale last week of $115 million in Colorado River Municipal Water District (CRMWD) revenue bonds to finance construction of a pipeline to O.H. Ivie Reservoir marked another step toward the long-sought assurance that future water for Midland, Odessa, San Angelo and other West Texas communities will not run dry.

The threat of running out of water has long been a knife at the throat of West Texas. Drought is an age-old foe to the West Texas region. The Ivie pipeline, while not eliminating the threat, will render it less potent.

Getting to this stage in the quest for the water from O.H. Ivie has been neither easy nor inexpensive, but having an assured water supply is critical. The $115 million O.H. Ivie project, which was originally referred to as the Stacy project, has been in the planning stages for more than two decades. Now with the reservoir filling, it was timely for CRMWD to make plans to lay the pipeline.

The CRMWD's bond sale came between the late July rains and Friday's rain, which means the timing may have looked a bit out of kilter to new Midland residents. It wasn't, however, as anyone who has lived in this region any length of time can attest. Earlier this summer the Midland area was beginning to bake as it does nearly every year and several months of intense, drying heat can wring the moisture out of this sandy soil.

Of course there are *other* reasons for building the pipeline to O.H. Ivie. Drinking water may be the most important to Midlanders, but right behind it come residential uses, agriculture, water for industry, business needs, and recreational uses.

Midland City Manager Fred Poe noted the importance of the Ivie pipeline when he said, "There's no question that Lake Ivie water will be a great asset to the entire area. It's going to be better quality water than many of us are used to."

Water district officials say the pipeline may be started as early as the spring of 1992. That's a welcome notice.

In West Texas one never has too much water available to him. The Ivie pipeline will make the specter of drought a little less awesome.

OTHER VIEWS

Gates' nomination should be approved

Skeptics may claim that the collapse of the Soviet empire has made the CIA an agency without a purpose. They're wrong. The world remains a dangerous place, and the CIA has a role to play in it.

The problem is that the agency has been slow to define what its role will be.

The process isn't helped by the fact that the Senate Intelligence Committee has hijacked Robert Gates' nomination. The director-designate has been left dangling while committee members wait for the results of Lawrence Walsh's reinvigorated Iran-contra investigation. Given Walsh's record, this could be a long wait.

Gates is well qualified to lead the CIA into a new era. A major overhaul of the government's huge intelligence community has been planned for the past year, and it too is being held up.

Expanding the CIA's operational capacities is a high priority. That means more spies. They can tell us about religious fanaticism, palace coups, anti-American insurgences in the dark corners of the globe. Satellites can't.

All indications are that Robert Gates, a career intelligence man, understands these needs. All the more reason to approve his nomination so he can get to work.

— The Commercial Appeal
Memphis, Tenn.

Thomas for equality; what do groups want?

Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas has an excellent record and is fully qualified to serve.

Thomas does not have to be the "best qualified" person for the job. There is no best qualified lawyer in the United States. A Supreme Court nominee must simply be able to do the job, and Thomas clearly is.

Yet the so-called "liberal" members of the Congressional Black Caucus ganged up 20-1 to blackball Thomas from the Supreme Court.

Thomas' offense is that he — like the majority of the American people, like President Bush — does not believe in racial preferences. So the black caucus will try to block his confirmation.

The NAACP announced it, too, will try to prevent Thomas from sitting on the Supreme Court. Once the NAACP was on board, the AFL-CIO joined the chorus.

Thomas stands for equality of opportunity.

What the black caucus, the NAACP and the AFL-CIO stand for is less clear.

— The Daily Mail
Charleston, W. Va.

JACK ANDERSON

Customs chief battling own agents

WASHINGTON — U.S. Customs Commissioner Carol Hallett is fighting a two-front war: one against drug kingpins and the other against the denizens of her own agency who have turned Customs into one of the most mismanaged agencies in government.



Anderson

Like all generals, Hallett's dispatches from the front tend to be inflated. Her recent statements during a press conference that Customs had no evidence that rampant mismanagement was impeding agents' abilities to pursue drug investigations is contradicted by information we have gathered.

In a 1989 case, a major drug investigation linking Chicago mobsters with the notorious cult-murderers in Matamoros, Mexico, languished for months. The reason? The agents who reported allegations of internal corruption to superiors were pulled off the case. Sources close to the investigation told our associate Dean Boyd that the delays damaged the eventual case.

When asked about the effect mismanagement can have on drug interdiction, one Texas agent put it bluntly: "What do you get when you have disorganized law enforcement? Organized crime."

Hallett formed a nine-member panel recently to probe allegations of mismanagement and corruption in the agency's Southwest region. Most of the 50 recommendations that emerged centered on cracking the good-old-boy networks in Customs that have historically taken care of buddies when they were under investigation, and promoted loyal soldiers who shouldn't have been.

Customs is laboring mightily to put the best face on things, dismissing the blistering findings as a regional aberration. Other sources believe that Custom's mismanagement cancer has spread to the Washington headquarters and to other regional offices. Each region has been described by one panel member as a separate "fiefdom" with its own loyalties and intrigues.

Top regional Customs officials were briefed by panel members last month about the size of the Southwest problem and their belief that it is part of a larger pattern. Rather than eliciting strong reactions for reform, the response by Customs officials in the meeting was described as very discouraging.

"(The commissioners) told us that they had no such problems in their regions. They had all sorts of excuses, but not one of them came forward and made it clear that they would be solidly behind the commissioner in her clean-up," according to a source who was present.

The regional commissioner who issued the most adamant denials in the meeting was reportedly Richard "Corky" McMullen, who heads the North-Central region. Ironically, just prior to the meeting, McMullen's second-in-command, who oversaw enforcement in several states, had been placed on administrative leave pending an Inspector General investigation into allegations that over the years he swapped favors for sex with male agents and interns.

Panel members believe that it will take years to repair the damage and root out the good-old-boy network that has been an entrenched part of Custom's culture since the days of former commissioner William Von Raab. Hallett has a reform team in place, but it remains to be seen whether Hallett will win the war when many of her own soldiers may be double-agents.

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GEORGE WILL

Democracy presupposes nationalism

WASHINGTON — When in 1840 France moved Napoleon's remains from St. Helena to the Invalides, the Duke of Wellington said he didn't "care a twopenny damn" what was done with his old enemy. Europe has suffered much since then, and is wiser, or at least more wary, which may be much the same. So there is uneasiness because, on Saturday Germany will move to Berlin the remains of Frederick the Great. They have been in southern Germany since being removed from the path of the Red Army in 1945.



Will

Frederick is considered the founder of German militarism, which is considered inextricably entwined with German nationalism, which is considered embryonic Nazism. Both Germany and nationalism are too important to be so misunderstood.

Nazism was Hitler's creation and died with him. His first political act was to immigrate from Austria to Germany in 1913; his second was to join the tiny Nazi party in 1919; his third was violence against the German state in 1923. He held no office before he became chancellor.

On Nov. 27, 1941, when Germany's offensive had stalled before Moscow but before a Red Army counterattack, Hitler said: "If one day the German nation is not sufficiently strong or sufficiently ready for sacrifice to stake its own blood for its existence, then let it perish and be annihilated by some stronger power....In that case I shall shed no tears for the German nation."

His most formidable European opponents were Churchill and De Gaulle, fierce nationalists who understood the radical evil of his rejection of the nation state as a moral agency, a frame for the fulfillment of citizens through self-government. Just as Marx read nations out of history, replacing them with classes, Hitler saw nations as subordinate to races.

Suspicion of nationalism, deriving from a misinterpretation of modern history, is weakening U.S. foreign policy. Two premises of that policy are incompatible. One is that the spread of democracy spreads peace and so should be encouraged. The second is that nationalism is usually unpleasant in motive, dangerous in effect and inimical to democracy, and so should be discouraged.

Part of Marxism's charm for intellectuals (aside from the "vanguard" role as mankind's tutors that it assigned to intellectuals) was its disparagement of nations: workers have no fatherland. Liberal intellectuals, preferring cosmopolitanism to patriotism and unfettered reason to national traditions in shaping the lives of societies, regard nationalism as a premodern atavism.

But in the modern age, democracy presupposes nationalism. Nationalism is a sense of shared destiny based on a common history and civic culture within a particular territory. It involves wholesome pride — a preference for ancestral traditions and local particularities. As Noel Malcolm writes, democracy is rule by the people and nationalism is a precondition for the formation of a people. It is, he says, contemptible for diplomats from independent nations to lecture captive peoples in the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia about the undesirability of national independence.

Democracy became possible when distinct peoples acquired national rather than religious or dynastic loyalties. Democracy can prosper in the old Soviet sphere only when nationalisms, long suppressed by anti-national ideologies, flourish.

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RUSSELL BAKER

Movie squad officers 'unsung heroes'

News item: A well-known children's entertainer (male) was arrested in Sarasota, Fla., last week after engaging in a solosexual encounter inside a pornographic movie house. The arresting officer was one of three policemen the sheriff had on movie-house duty to enforce, among other things, laws against indecent exposure.



Russell Baker

It's the homicide squad that gets the glamour, the vice squad that gets the fun, and the narcotics squad that gets to issue the ridiculously bloated estimates of the street value of the latest big drug-raid seizure.

The burglary squad isn't jealous, though, because the burglary squad gets a priceless education in great paintings, rare antiques, fabled jewelry and expensive interior decoration and gets it inside the town's glitziest houses.

Even the traffic squad gets the thrill of a high-speed chase now and then, while the fingerprint squad not only gets to meet rich and famous people, but also gets to hold their hands.

But think of the poor movie squad. What does the movie squad get out of life? Eternal pallor, popcorn heartburn, Arnold-Schwarzenegger envy. And nobody even knows they're out there, which, technically speaking, they're not. They're in there, maybe sitting right alongside you.

If so, you can bet you're under corner-of-the-eye surveillance if you happen to be absentmindedly letting one hand dig into that ancient wad of dried chewing gum stuck under your seat while you're wondering what America is coming to when they charge $7 for a movie with no plot, no actor anybody will remember six months from now, and so much gunfire that you're numb with sleepiness.

Ability to conduct surveillance out of the corner of the eye while the rest of the face is aimed at a movie screen can be mastered only by intense training at movie-squad academy. Even then, many people lack the genes required for such remarkable management of face and eye.

Others sometimes have to drop out of the academy because their eyeballs become permanently stuck at the eye corners when the vital eyeball flexor either rips or loses its tensile strength during the rigorous training exercises.

This difficulty can often be surgically repaired, though the academy does not recommend it, considering the bankruptive cost of surgery and hospitalization, which would increase the already extortionate price the academy pays for health insurance.

The word most often applied to the movie squad is "unsung." As a result it's hard to recruit young officers to do the important work of movie patrol. "If I can't be a star, or even a legend in my own time, I'd at least like to be sung," one bitter movie-squad cop told this reporter.

He'd told it to his bosses, too, but they had sent him to the academy anyhow. To escape the unsung life, he tried to fake the abovementioned genetic shortfall that makes it impossible to face a movie screen while conducting surveillance out of the corner of the eye, but was caught and charged with engaging in a fraud in order to be sung.

As punishment he has spent the past 10 years standing in the back of a pornographic movie house arresting people who put slugs in the candy-vending machine.

If the movie squad is unsung it is because the bigwigs of policedom like it that way. They fear that the public, which is given to hysteria about occasional onsets of criminal violence, might fail to understand the urgency of movie-patrol work.

Their reasoning seems sensible enough. Americans, as we know, are all too prone to irrational thinking. This is why we constantly hear statements like, "Any country that can put a man on the moon ought to be able to get George Bush's mind off Cyprus and onto the United States."

A people with such slovenly thinking habits might just as easily ask, "Why do we pay three cops to sit in the neighborhood dirty-movie house when we can't even stop the military-industrial complex from conspiring with Congress to rob the Treasury?"

Does the movie squad confine its work to theaters showing porno flicks? Of course not. Are they likely to have three detectives watching you watch car chases this very night? Such information is closely held for obvious reasons. Just make sure that's really chewing gum you're touching.

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LETTERS

Politicians no longer represent people

I'm losing pride in being an American. Every day I watch in disgust as our government slowly sucks the blood from hard-working citizens.

I say "our" government with bitterness, because it isn't ours. Local, state, and federal officials do not represent us. These self-serving leeches use doubletalk to manipulate us and our money to line their pockets and decorate their offices. Meanwhile, they sneak pay raises without our consent.

Government should be cutting their budgets and salaries along with the rest of us! Heaven forbid they should give up their luxuries; it's easier to raise or add new taxes.

They say they know what's good for us.

After talking with many people about the proposed personal property tax, I found most had not heard about it. How did this proposal creep into out lives unnoticed? Was hope shining in someone's shifty eyes that most registered voters would be on their two-week summer vacation? How do all the other bills, amendments, proposals, regulations and restrictions pass by with minimal sound? Is anyone paying attention? Or is the government just plain sneaky?

I have some suggestions on how to get this country in shape: 1) nix foreign aid bills — let's concentrate on our country's problems; 2) exorcise the welfare state; 3) ditch a state income tax and give us a lottery; 4) reorganize federal income taxes — take 10 percent off the top from everyone's earning with no loopholes, no deductions, minimum paperwork — fair and painless; and 5) demand that the government be accountable for all their actions. Let's teach the bureaucrats how to operate on a real budget the way parents would teach their children.

I don't have any power to make changes, but I can vote. I voted against the CED property tax and will vote against incumbents in all political races — no more career politicians. Let's get people in office who care about this country and not their personal bank accounts.

I would like to know of any groups who are committed to finding ways to overhaul our lousy system. Anyone out there?

Rebel G. Sowell
Midland

Sheriff should keep efforts within county

I feel that we citizens of Midland County should take serious notice of last Saturday's *Midland Reporter-Telegram* article about the dissension between Sheriff Gary Painter and the county commissioners. If we do not, we could be in for a large tax increase or find ourselves on the short end of a liability judgement.

Several weeks ago, the *Midland Reporter-Telegram* ran an article about the sheriff's office being involved in a "sting operation" in Illinois, and I wondered then just what they were doing so far away from home and not arresting criminals here in Midland County.

I know Sheriff Painter quite well and certainly would not question his personal integrity, but I do question his judgement in this regard. I agree with the statement that he was elected to fight crime in Midland County and not all over the United States. I would urge him to confine his efforts to Midland County.

Elsie S. Hugly
Midland

SHORT RIBS™ by Dick Wright



READERS' VIEWS on: Bed-and-breakfast proposal

Bed and breakfast should be kept out

The proposed amendment to Title XI, Chapter 1, Zoning, of the Midland City Code would allow for temporary "Bed & Breakfast" permits for the renting of rooms in residence in any zoning district for temporary lodging for visitors to the city. A public hearing on this matter is scheduled for 10:45 A.M. on Tuesday, Aug. 13.

I object to the proposal because it is an intrusion on the residents of Midland by a small group that call themselves entrepreneurs.

I would rather this proposal not be allowed to change the single-family districts of Midland. The group at the Planning & Zoning hearing said that they had six people signed up for B&B. These six people live in areas from North Midland to and including Cotton Flat Road.

"Homestay" is not simply a local citizen renting one or two bedrooms of his or her private home and providing breakfast. It is a business. Marilyn Johnson, who lives on Golf Course Road, is asking the Midland City Council for this zone change. She would maintain an office, keep records, conduct this venture as a business and receive a stipend for every night's rental from each B&B owner. She is also asking that only a minimum of government regulations be imposed for such items as fire, health, and sanitation.

I question if the $15 permit fee will cover the cost to the city (and taxpayers) for the operation of B&B. It will require bookkeeping, accounting and inspections by fire, health and building code departments. The commission and council members' time would be taken up with viewing each applicant and holding a public hearing before each proposal. They would be required to notify all property owners within a minimum of 200 feet of the proposed B&B.

Members of the Historical Commission and the residents of the Historic District are not in favor of commercializing any residential area in Midland. We hope to maintain the quiet and serene atmosphere we are now enjoying. God knows greed destroys. Let's keep businesses where the city fathers have already designated a place for them, and let families have their own place on the "municipal prairie."

Theda Wadley
Midland

District should stay residential

I have had a number of calls from homeowners in Midland's Historic District opposing any zone change in the district to accommodate "Bed and Breakfast" businesses, particularly following the publication of a letter by the Rev. John W. Setzer of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church favoring such a change. That was the first notice some had that such a plan was afoot. The Setzer family has been living in the district less than a year.

Since the Midland County Historical Society and the Midland County Historical Commission were instrumental in getting the Historic District established, we will stand by the homeowners in their efforts to keep the district strictly residential.

The society and the commission greatly appreciate the help of the Midland City Council and the Planning and Development Department, as well, in setting aside and dedicating the Historic District and we are asking the council to continue to maintain the district as a one-family residential zone.

The members of both groups strongly oppose a motel/hotel type zone change and feel it would be a serious invasion of the historical integrity of the Midland Historic District.

Nancy McKinley
Chairman, Midland County Historical Commission

Residents oppose proposed zoning

As residents of the Historic District of Midland we are concerned about the proposed zoning change allowing commercial enterprises in our neighborhood.

When we moved to this area in 1962, we purchased our home with the intention of establishing roots for our family. We have raised three children in this residential area and plan to retire in this environment. We have witnessed changes over the 29 years, many for the better. We welcomed the cultural addition of the Museum of the Southwest, the Marian Blakemore Planetarium, and the Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library. We mourned the loss of the Lancaster House but adjusted. Our children and grandchildren have enjoyed the benefits offered by these cultural establishments. We are proud of Midland and particularly of our neighborhood.

We feel this environment is now threatened by the proposed addition of "Bed and Breakfasts." These are commercial enterprises, not cultural. These will be for the benefit of the owners and only a detriment for the other residents of the neighborhood. The majority of the residents of this district are opposed to this change, but recommend the approval for areas that are currently commercially zoned. There are many lovely homes on Texas and Illinois avenues that would be ideally-suited for this purpose.

The residents of the Historic District choose to remain a residential district and not be threatened by spot zoning.

Dan & Judia Foreman
Midland

Residential district must stay that way

We are very concerned about the proposed commercial use of homes in our district as "Bed and Breakfast" places. Speaking as one who has lived in this area since 1937 we want to keep the residential aspect of our area intact. These homes were built as HOMES where we raised our children. Now many of these homes have changed families and we have a new fine group of young families that have moved in to bring up their children. We want these children in a non-commercial neighborhood that we had.

Over the years there have been businesses that wanted to intrude but were encouraged to go where commercial property was available. There are many areas available for these enterprises. We very strongly do not want zone changes. I hope the city council reflects on the many aspects of monitoring these establishments. Having seen the problems near my summer home I have seen some of the problems that were not anticipated.

We sincerely hope that we will be allowed to keep this area as a single-family zoned area.

Frances Schneider
Midland

READERS VIEWS on: More taxes

Government gets too much money

I am not experienced in politics, nor do I wish to be, but the government is pinching every last penny we citizens have right out of our pockets.

I know that the "People in Power" are not worried about how they are going to afford to buy groceries for their family, including their children whom do not understand why Mommy can't get them a toy or a snack because we do not have the money. And only when you think you might be getting ahead, the government proposes yet ANOTHER tax, just to make sure they have their high-dollar salaries, their money to go to expensive lunches, drive expensive cars, wear expensive clothes and go to their "black tie" parties, while we working-class people can't even take our children to the movies, much less anything else.

I am not asking for pity on us working-class people and especially not from the two-faced people in power, but maybe one day they will wake up and remember a time when things weren't given to them on a silver platter, when they had to use coupons and turn their children down for things they would have loved to have (the type of things parents love to do for their children, but can't).

If they don't they may find themselves out of a job when the people that are having to pay these ridiculous amount of taxes (just to give the government their play money) finally get tired of it and throw this sorry excuse for a government out on the streets where they belong and where we might be if we don't do something about it.

Cherie Whirley
Midland

Residents must attend hearing

On Monday, Aug. 12, at 5:30 p.m. in Midland Memorial Hospital's Auditorium the district board will hold its annual public hearing prior to the adoption of its current budget.

If you or someone you know has been the recipient of less than "quality care," botched billing, the feeling that you were submitted to an expensive procedure perhaps unnecessarily, you should make the supreme effort to be present.

If you are a taxpayer not dedicated to the assumption of the full burden of the cost of care of the needy, BE THERE.

While the net profits of your public hospital for the first nine months of this current year amounted to $22 million, do you feel that the citizen-taxpayers should have some relief by the hospital taking on some of the burden without crying "Shortfall"? Be there and express your views about the constant escalation of the hospital district's tax assessment.

Were you aware that Mr. (Tom) Bruner, past president of the district board, made a trip to Austin and had State Rep. Tom Craddick introduce a bill that would be another pocket-picking ploy. Both houses of our legislature passed the measure, but the governor vetoed it saying, "The legislation would have allowed the district to add a sales tax revenue on top of property tax. The intent of the sales tax option was to allow that revenue source in lieu of property taxes." We must question the ethics of someone elected to represent the citizen-taxpayers and the manner in which the legislation was initiated. Do you remember being given the opportunity for input on this? Come to the open meeting and express your views.

The local media have been remarkably disinterested in covering anything controversial when it involves our hospital or any situation pertaining thereto. Let us hope that there will be some coverage and that comments by interested citizens will be reported. Remember people, the tax burden placed upon you is in direct proportion to the vocal expression of your opinions.

If the district board continues to disregard the wishes of the taxpayers, perhaps it is time to investigate the procedures for dissolution of the district.

Edna Walger, chairman
CATA, Midland

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Pop — 1863-1951

SAN SIMEON — My father — always Pop to his five kids — died 40 years ago this coming Wednesday — Aug. 14, 1951.

Pop was a wonderful father and a great newspaperman, editor and writer of prose and poetry.

His epic poem "The Song of the River" appears here for you to enjoy. I am sure Pop did not believe in reincarnation as part of his religious faith, but as he says, " . . . And I wonder if life's deep mystery isn't much like the rain and the snow returning through all eternity to the places it used to know."


Hearst

The poem, written at his summer place in the foothills of Mt. Shasta, has given solace to thousands of people who have written me since I started printing it some 20 years ago.

Pop was a kind, considerate and generous father and I miss him constantly and always will.

'The Song of the River'

The snow melts on the mountain
And the water runs down to the spring,
And the spring in a turbulent fountain,
With a song of youth to sing,
Runs down to the riotous river,
And the river flows to the sea,
And the water again
Goes back in rain
To the hills where it used to be.

And I wonder if life's deep mystery
Isn't much like the rain and the snow
Returning through all eternity
To the places it used to know.

For life was born on the lofty heights
And flows in a laughing stream,
To the river below
Whose onward flow
Ends in a peaceful dream.

And so at last,
When our life has passed
And the river has run its course,
It again goes back,
O'er the selfsame track,
To the mountain which was its source.

So why prize life
Or why fear death,
Or dread what is to be?
The river ran its allotted span
Till it reached the silent sea.
Then the water harked back to the mountaintop
To begin its course once more.
So we shall run the course begun
Till we reach the silent shore.
Then revisit earth in a pure rebirth
From the heart of the virgin snow.
So don't ask why we live or die,
Or whither, or when we go,
Or wonder about the mysteries
That only God may know.

— W.R. Hearst

WHOM TO WRITE

Following is a list of the names and addresses of various state and federal officials Midlanders may wish to contact from time-to-time:

PRESIDENT: George Bush (R), The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and Phil Gramm (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510.

REPRESENTATIVE: Lamar Smith (R), District 21, 422 Cannon House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515; or 201 W. Wall, Suite 104, Midland, Texas 79701.

GOVERNOR: Ann Richards (D), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

STATE SENATOR: Bill Sims (D), District 25, P.O. Box 12068, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Also P.O. Box 2290, San Angelo, Texas 76902.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE: Tom Craddick (R), District 76, 408 W. Wall St., Midland, Texas 79701.

LESLIE GELB

'Who' will help New York City is the issue

"The question is, what do we do to help the city avoid financial disaster?" Gov. Mario Cuomo crooned at the other end of the phone, as New York City stares down the cannon of budget deficits that could total $16 billion over the next four years.


Gelb

But the governor knows better than anyone that the real question is not WHAT should be done, but WHO will do it.

Will it be David Dinkins, the mayor with the misfortune to be in City Hall after a decade of Reagan-Bush neglect of federal aid to cities, the city's first black chief, who has lost the confidence of New York's establishment?

Or will it be Cuomo and his state-led Financial Control Board, a mechanism favored by the city's financial establishment and despised by the mayor as a symbolic usurpation of his power? Or will everyone simply watch the city's decline and wait for the next inhabitant of City Hall?

The "who" issue is about power, pride, ambition, race, credit and blame. Dinkins can cut through it all and take command by calling for the Control Board himself and helping to reshape its membership and actions.

The "what" issue is not very contentious. Virtually everyone agrees on the need for a long-term state-city plan with the following elements:

■ A 25 percent cut, mainly by attrition, in the city's labor force, coupled with a sharp tightening of union work rules to prevent undue declines in services, plus elimination of non-essential activities, like financing radio stations.

■ An economic development plan engaging the full range and talents of city leaders to keep business in the city and provide new jobs.

■ Greater state assumption of particularly burdensome city expenses, such as Medicaid and education.

■ Floating of new bonds by Municipal Assistance Corp., oration, headed by Felix Rohatyn, to raise money.

■ Deficit financing, now forbidden by law, to keep services up and ease the transition. New taxes will only drive residents out of the city, as will Draconian cuts in services.

Rohatyn, like most city financiers who see businesses and middle-class people on the verge of mass flight, believes the Control Board would spark just such a plan.

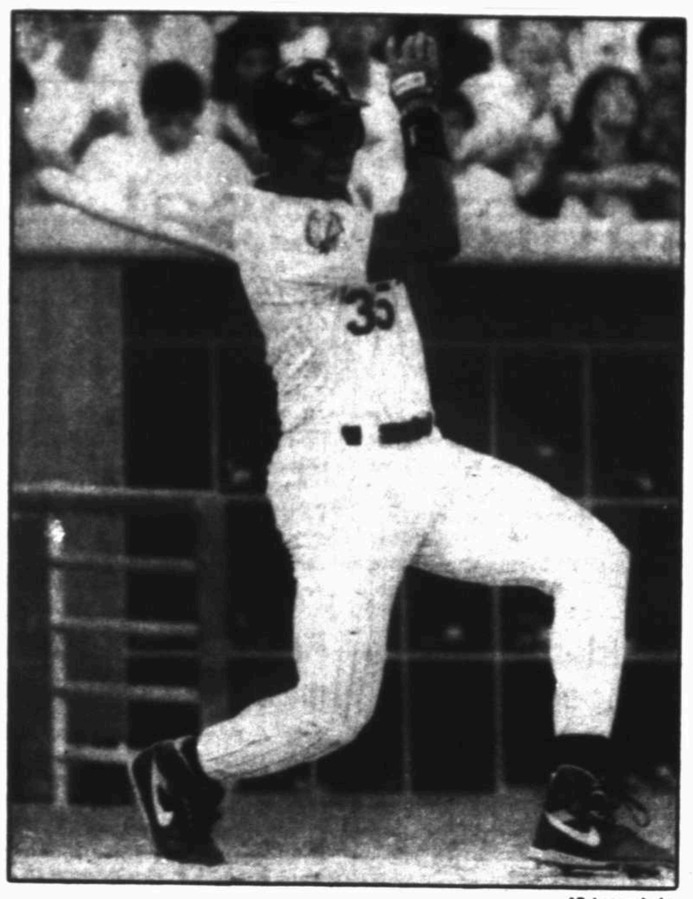
He seems to want the board in operation at the earliest opportunity. "There's no magic in it," he says, "but it is the best way for the mayor to put more responsibility on the state and strengthen his hand with the unions."

Cuomo suggests that board advocates are overrating its potential effectiveness, but that in any event "we're a couple of steps away from a decision" on it. The mayor, he says, "has my full confidence."

Dinkins would dazzle New Yorkers and set a model for city-state relations if he took the initiative and asked for the Control Board before it landed on his head.

Leslie H. Gelb's column is distributed by the New York Times News Service.

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Chicago slugger Frank Thomas takes a turn at bat against the Twins. The 6-foot-5, 240-pound player has made baseball take notice.

Chicago's slugger makes whole league sit up, take notice

Associated Press

CHICAGO — It crossed Frank Thomas' mind at one time that he could play two sports, but a couple of football injuries convinced him to concentrate his massive frame and powers on baseball.

It's turned out to be a wise choice for the 6-foot-5, 240-pound Chicago White Sox slugger, who in the span of one full year has made all of baseball take notice of his enormous talents.

Thomas played freshman football at Auburn as a tight end the year after Bo Jackson won the Heisman Trophy with the Tigers. Jackson went on to play pro football and baseball before a hip injury sidelined him in both sports.

"I thought about it and played both as a freshman," Thomas said. "But in my sophomore year I got injured, and that killed the football dream. The first time I was blind-sided and then the second time I had a bone spur removed from my ankle. That's when I decided on playing strictly baseball. It's tough to play both on the pro level and I'm lucky I didn't."

So were the White Sox, who selected him in the first round of the June 1989 draft.

When Thomas, 23, was named American League Player of the Week last Monday, the honor came nearly a year after he entered the league Aug. 2, 1990.

During that span, Thomas had a .318 average with 27 home runs, 106 RBIs and 133 walks — numbers that could go a long way towards MVP honors for players on pennant-winning teams and figures that surely would have been sufficient for Rookie of the Year.

But there will be no rookie honors for Thomas. He didn't play enough last year when he appeared in 60 games and batted .330 with 7 home runs and 31 RBI. But he also logged too much time to be eligible this year.

Thomas was outstanding in the spring of 1990 and it seemed he would make the team but the White Sox decided their prize first baseman needed more seasoning, especially on defense.

"I was disappointed," Thomas said of being sent to Class AA Birmingham. "I had a good spring and I thought I was ready. But you can't worry about those things. I had a little work to do and it just took a little longer"

Thomas overcame his defensive deficiencies, but early this year he developed tendinitis in his right shoulder and has been relegated to being a designated hitter.

"I've adjusted to being the DH. I want my bat to be in the lineup. That's my strong point."

Another strong point is his knowledge of the strike zone, something that takes years for some players to develop, if at all.

"It took a lot of practice," Thomas said. "I was a free swinger in high school but in college I learned the pitchers wouldn't pitch to me. So I started taking pitches and fortunately I got better at it."

So much so that he set Auburn career records of 49 home runs and 73 walks.

Already there has been some criticism that the strapping slugger takes too many pitches and is too selective.

"I don't think about," Thomas said. "I know people look at my size and say he could hit a lot more home runs. But that's not my game. I'll hit 25 or 30 home runs but average and RBIs are more important to me. I still have a long way to go. I want to be my own person and do my own thing."

Thomas said he has had no problems adjusting to hitting theories of batting coach Walt Hriniak, who, at times, comes under criticism.

"He has worked on making my swing more compact," Thomas said. "We have blended his way and my way."

Hriniak shook his head when asked if Thomas was too selective at bat.

"That's what they said about Ted Williams and he was the greatest hitter of all time," Hriniak said. "I hope he continues to be too selective. He has a tremendous idea of the strike zone for a young guy."

Hriniak refused to compare Thomas to anyone.

"He's Frank Thomas. He uses the whole field. He has a chance of becoming a great offensive player."

Manager Jeff Torborg agrees and says Thomas is awesome.

"He has amazed everyone. He adjusts so well," Torborg said. "He carried the club while we were struggling early."

Surging Giants slip past Dodgers

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — Darren Lewis and Robbie Thompson hit run-scoring singles with two outs in the eighth inning, rallying the surging San Francisco Giants over the Los Angeles Dodgers 4-3 Saturday.

NL

The Giants have won four in a row and 16 of the last 20. They beat Los Angeles 1-0 in 13 innings Friday night, and now trail the first-place Dodgers by seven games.

Ramon Martinez, trying to become the National League's first 15-game winner, took a 3-2 lead into the eighth. Pinch-hitter Dave Anderson began the Giants' comeback with a leadoff single, went to second on a sacrifice and reached third on a groundout.

Martinez (14-7) left after walking Willie McGee, and Lewis singled off Roger McDowell to tie it. Thompson followed with a grounder that bounced off the pitcher's mound and into right field for the go-ahead hit.

Kelly Downs (8-4) pitched 2⅔ scoreless innings for the win and Dave Righetti got one out for his 18th save.

Matt Williams hit his 24th home run in the second off Martinez, tying Howard Johnson and Ron Gant for the league lead. Williams has 12 homers in his last 25 games.

Braves 4, Astros 0

ATLANTA — John Smoltz pitched two-hit ball for seven innings as Atlanta beat Houston to move within 2½ games of Los Angeles in the National League West.

It was the third straight victory, and fifth in six decisions, for Smoltz (8-12), who had a 2-11 record before the All-Star break. Midland's Mike Stanton and Juan Berenguer each pitched an inning in the combined four-hitter.

Smoltz did not allow a hit until Andujar Cedeno singled with two outs in the fifth. The right-hander struck out six and walked two, in pitching the Braves to their ninth victory in 13 games. The Astros have lost four straight.

Greg Olson and Mark Lemke hit home runs for the Braves, and Atlanta also got some help from their security guard.

Guard Robert Sarkisian made the play — or, rather, the error — in the third inning when Otis Nixon hit a high foul pop that Houston third baseman Ken Caminiti chased. With the ball comning toward him, Sarkisian, sitting outside the Astros dugout, took his folding chair and tried to get out of the way. Instead, he ran right into Caminiti, and both men and the ball dropped.

Padres 1, Reds 0

SAN DIEGO — Greg Harris pitched a six-hitter for his first career shutout and Fred McGriff drove in the game's only run with a single, leading San Diego past Cincinnati.

Harris (3-3) struck out seven and walked none in going 16 innings without allowing an earned run over his last two games. It was his 19th career start.

Loser Jose Rijo (8-3) struck out the side in the third, but also allowed three straight two-out singles for the only run.

Pirates 11, Cardinals 5

PITTSBURGH — Andy Van Slyke and Barry Bonds hit two-run homers and division-leading Pittsburgh won for just the third time in 14 games, beating St. Louis.

The Pirates stopped a three-game losing streak while stretching their lead in the National League East to five games over St. Louis and 6½ over New York. St. Louis had won four of its last five against Pittsburgh was trying to move to within three games of the lead for the first time since May 26.

Neal Heaton (3-1) got the victory with 4⅓ innings of two-hit relief after 20-year-old right-hander Hector Fajardo allowed four runs in two-plus innings in his first major league start. Fajardo was the Pirates' youngest starting pitcher since Bob Moose, then 19, pitched in September 1967.

The Pirates scored five times with two outs in the second inning to take a 5-2 lead off Ken Hill (8-9), who is 1-5 with a 5.95 ERA lifetime against them.

Cubs 6, Mets 2

CHICAGO — Ryne Sandberg's three-run homer in the sixth inning and the one-hit, emergency relief pitching of Bob Scanlan sent Chicago over New York.

It was the Cubs' sixth straight win over New York. Chicago is 8-4 against the Mets this season.

Sandberg hit his 20th homer off reliever Tim Burke (4-6) after Chico Walker and Mark Grace had singled, putting the Cubs ahead 3-1.

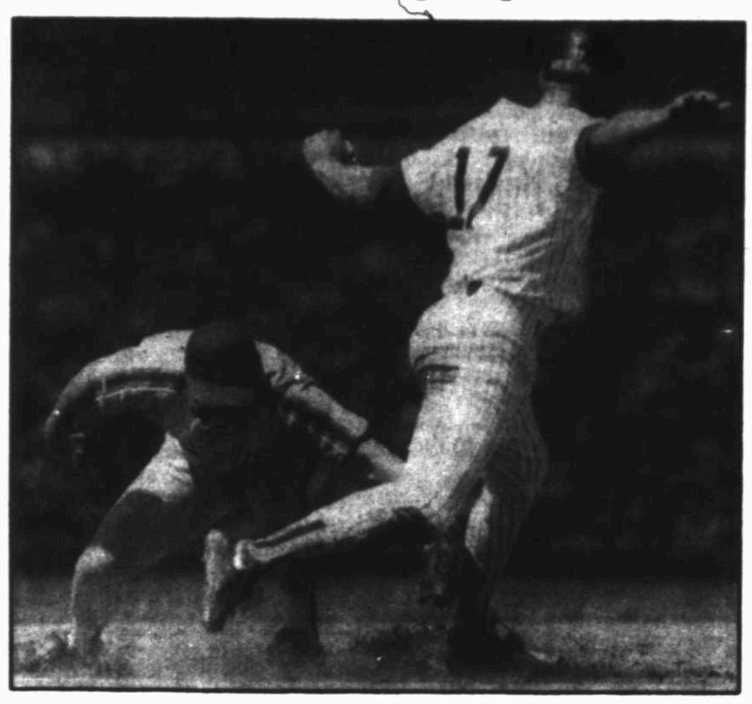
Scanlan (5-5) took over for Frank Castillo, who left the game in the first inning after retiring one batter because of a strained deltoid in the right shoulder.

Phillies 4, Expos 2

PHILADELPHIA — Phildelphia won its 11th straight game to match the National League's longest winning streak of the season as Jose DeJesus pitched seven strong innings against Montreal.

It's the Phillies' best streak since also winning 11 consecutive games in September 1983. The San Francisco Giants won 11 in a row from July 20-Aug. 1.

DeJesus (8-4) gave up six hits and one earned run. In his last five games, he is 3-0 with a 1.37 ERA. Mike Hartley pitched one inning and Mitch Williams got the last three outs for his 20th save. Williams has five wins and two saves during the winning streak.



Chicago's Mark Grace beats the tag by Met second baseman Gregg Jefferies for a double during action Saturday at Wrigley Field.

Bosox' Harris tosses four-hitter

Associated Press

TORONTO — Greg Harris pitched a four-hitter and Jack Clark and Tony Pena each drove in three runs Saturday, leading the Boston Red Sox over the Toronto Blue Jays 7-1.

The American League East-leading Blue Jays have lost three in a row, and 13 of the last 20. Boston has beaten Toronto in four of five games in the last week.

AL

A heavy rain forced a 14-minute delay after the third inning while stadium officials scurried to close the SkyDome's retractable roof. It was the second rain delay in the ballpark's three-year history; the other occurred on June 7, 1989, the third game played at the stadium.

Harris (8-11) struck out seven, walked one and hit two batters in his third career complete game in 95 starts, and first since July 19, 1990. He lost a bid for his first-ever shutout on Kelly Gruber's RBI single in the seventh.

Todd Stottlemyre (10-5) was tagged for all seven runs on 12 hits in eight innings.

Wade Boggs led off the game with the first of his three hits, Jody Reed walked, setting up Clark's RBI grounder and Mike Greenwell's run-scoring single.

Clark hit a two-run double in the fifth after singles by Boggs and Mo Vaughn for a 4-0 lead. Pena had a two-run single in the sixth, and added a sacrifice fly in the eighth.

Tigers 5-4, Yankees 1-0

NEW YORK — Walt Terrell pitched a four-hitter to lead Detroit over slumping New York sweep of their twi-night doubleheader.

In the opener, the Tigers won 5-1 as Lou Whitaker hit a two-run homer to support the combined six-hit pitching of Mark Leiter and Jerry Don Gleaton.

White Sox 6, Orioles 4

BALTIMORE — Ozzie Guillen hit his first home run in exactly one year, helping Chicago to its sixth straight victory.

Carlton Fisk had a three-run homer for the White Sox, who have won 16 of 19. Baltimore, despite getting a home run from Cal Ripken, has lost four straight and six of seven.

Brewers 5, Rangers 2

ARLINGTON — Dan Plesac earned his first victory as a starter after more than five years in relief as Milwaukee beat Texas behind the hitting of Paul Molitor.

After more than five years as one of the Brewers' top relievers, Plesac (1-4) got his starting chance and went a career-high five innings. He allowed one run on four hits while striking out three and walking one as Milwaukee matched its season-high winning streak of four games.

Molitor went 3-for-4 and hit an RBI single in the fifth inning.

Indians 1, Royals 0

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Dave Otto outdueled Bret Saberhagen and got his first major league victory when Albert Belle singled home the only run in the seventh inning to give Cleveland a win over Kansas City.

Otto (1-2), who lost a 2-0 decision to Saberhagen six days earlier in Cleveland, gave up five hits in eight innings. He struck out two and walked one.

Mariners 8, Twins 0

SEATTLE — The Seattle Mariners scored five runs in the first inning off 15-game winner Scott Erickson to end a four-game losing streak with a victory over Minnesota.

Erickson (15-4) lasted only two-thirds of an inning in the shortest start of his career as the Twins saw their lead over the second-place Chicago White Sox cut to one game in the American League West.

Athletics 3, Angels 1

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Dave Henderson's two-out, two-run homer in the sixth inning was the first hit off Mark Langston, and Ron Darling pitched another strong game for Oakland as the Athletics beat California.

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Midlanders take Pepsi Game wins

Staff Report

CARROLLTON — Midland's Tekeira Strambler and Wesley Davis both won events in the TAAF Pepsi Games here recently.

Strambler won the intermediate girls long jump with a leap of 17-10¾ while Davis won the junior boys 200 meters with a 23.8.

Davis also placed second in the 100 meters with an 11.00 and was third in the long jump with a 19.2, hauling down three medals.

Cynthia Redic placed second in the senior girls shot put with a 36-2.

Twenty kids from Midland competed in the Pepsi event.

Fernando finishes strong in latest 3A outing

Associated Press

EDMONTON, Alberta — On a hot, muggy night that reminded him of his native Mexico, Fernando Valenzuela may have rediscovered the form that made him one of the best pitchers in baseball in the early 1980s.

The 1981 NL Cy Young award winner and Rookie of the Year in 1981, pitching for the Class AAA Edmonton Trappers on a sweltering Friday night, started poorly but finished with a flourish.

He lost after giving up five runs on eight hits — five for extra bases — in seven innings of a lopsided loss to Calgary. But 10 strikeouts and four scoreless innings seemed to wash thoughts of the loss away.

More importantly, the California Angels also appeared cautiously optimistic. Valenzuela, released by the Los Angeles Dodgers this spring, is hoping to get called up by the Angels by Aug. 19. If he isn't, he becomes a free agent.

"They hit me pretty hard in the first inning," Valenzuela said. "But I thought that was the only bad inning I had. I'm happy the way I finished the last four innings. Everything was working good."

Valenzuela, 30, entered the game with a 5.59 ERA in two appearances with the Trappers, California's Class AAA franchise. He trailed 2-0 after the first inning and 5-0 after three. But after that, he was almost perfect. He threw 120 pitches in all, 76 for strikes.

"If I get my location early in the game and go back to my old stuff and do my job again, that will be the difference," he said. "I have to do better in the first two or three innings. That's all I have to do.

"It's only one game and it's only four innings. But it's a good sign, you know, to have those good innings, especially late in a game. Sometimes you slow down but tonight it was different."

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Jim Kelly sharp in Bills' win over Lions

Associated Press

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Jim Kelly made his first game appearance since the Super Bowl and threw a touchdown pass in three series to lead the Buffalo Bills to a 21-16 preseason victory over the Detroit Lions Saturday night.

Kelly, who missed the Bills' first two preseason games with a pesky hamstring pull, played the first quarter and a half and completed six of 11 passes for 43 yards, including the 8-yard score to Keith McKeller.

NFL

Backup Gale Gilbert later engineered a 53-yard scoring march that Amir Rasul capped with a 1-yard run in the third quarter, and he added a 13-yard TD pass to Butch Rolle to extend the lead to 21-6 in the fourth quarter.

Rich Andrews, a sixth-round draft choice out of Florida State, scored the Lions' first nine points on field goals from 35, 36 and 50 yards.

Detroit, which had won six straight preseason games, finally got a touchdown late in the fourth quarter on a 16-yard pass from Erik Kramer to Willie Green.

Kelly, the NFL's top-rated passer last year, completed four of his first five passes to drive the Bills from their 20 to the Detroit 17, but Scott Norwood missed a 35-yard field goal attempt.

Redskins 27, Patriots 6

FOXBORO, Mass. — Terry Hoage scored on a 45-yard interception return 1:31 into the game as Washington rolled to an exhibition victory over New England.

Washington (1-1) built a 21-0 lead on a 2-yard run by Earnest Byner and and Mark Rypien's 11-yard pass to Stephen Hobbs with 8:36 gone in the second quarter.

The Patriots' defense stiffened after that, but their offense could only manage field goals of 21 and 50 yards by Jason Staurovsky that made the score 21-6.

Chip Lohmiller added fourth quarter field goals of 47 and 23 yards for the Redskins.

New England, 1-15 last year, is 0-2 in exhibition games.

Dolphins 29, Buccaneers 13

TAMPA, Fla. — Miami struggled without Dan Marino and five other starters but capitalized on Tampa Bay mistakes to win in the first preseason game between the intrastate rivals in five years.

Scott Mitchell threw a 30-yard touchdown pass to Freddie Banks to snap a 13-13 tie early in the fourth quarter. He later capped Miami's 19-point fourth quarter by hitting Banks with a 5-yard TD pass.

The victory hiked Miami's lead in the preseason series to 6-1. The teams have only played three times since 1979 because Joe Robbie, the late Dolphins owner, felt the expansion Bucs approached the exhibitions too seriously.

Chiefs 19, Jets 10

ST. LOUIS — Mark Vlasic threw two second-half touchdown passes to rookie Tim Barnett to lead Kansas City over the New York Jets in an error-filled exhibition.

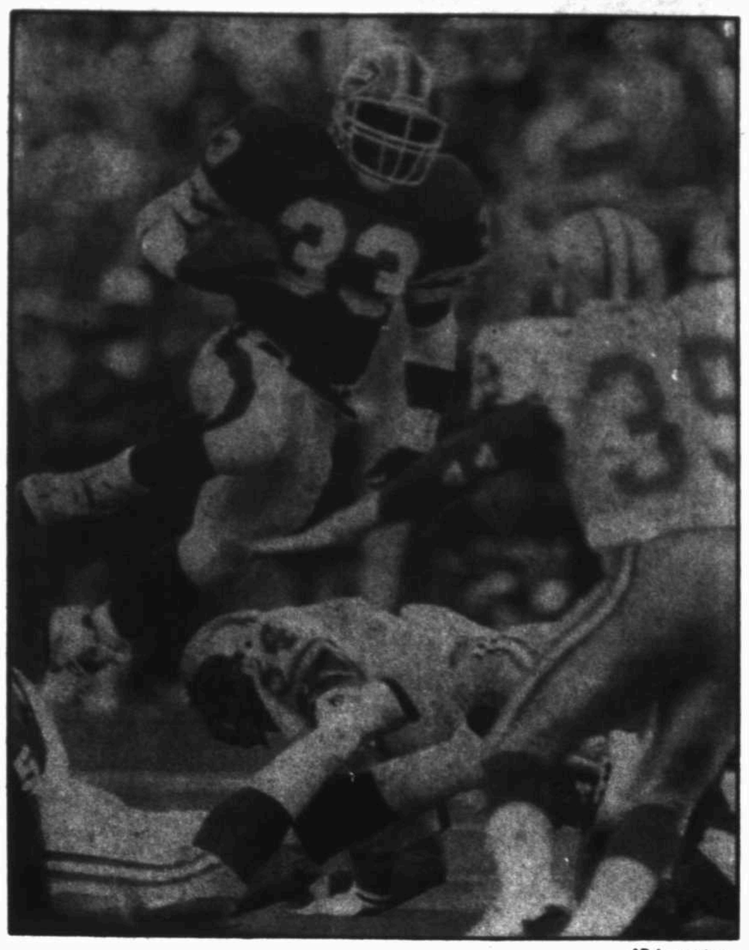
A crowd of 52,935 attended the game, the second exhibition held in three seasons in St. Louis by a group trying to get an expansion franchise for the city. St Louis has been without an NFL team since the Cardinals left for Phoenix after the 1987 season.

The fans didn't get a well played game. Jets quarterback Troy Taylor was intercepted twice as New York had five of the game's seven turnovers.

Seahawks 17, Colts 7

INDIANAPOLIS — John L. Williams, who didn't join Seattle until Monday due to a contract dispute, showed he's ready to bid for a second consecutive trip to the Pro Bowl by scoring one touchdown and setting up another as Seattle beat Indianapolis.

Williams and Derrick Fenner, who also didn't join the team until Monday after ending his holdout, sparked scoring drives of 58 and 48 yards that gave Seattle a 14-0 halftime lead.



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Buffalo running back Eddie Fuller leaps over the Detroit Lions' line during first-quarter action Saturday night in Rich Stadium.

Saints 31, Packers 20

NEW ORLEANS — Steve Walsh gained a leg up in New Orleans' quarterback derby, guiding three touchdown drives in a little under two quarters of play as the Saints beat Green Bay.

Walsh completed 10 of 15 passes for 131 yards, two touchdowns and one interception. Bobby Hebert, a five-year starter who sat out last season in a salary dispute, did not play because of a strained groin muscle.

Walsh completed two of four passes for 57 yards on a 72-yard drive that ended with a 1-yard touchdown sweep by Dalton Hilliard.

Browns 16, Giants 10

CLEVELAND — Mike Oliphant ran around two defenders for a 14-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter as Cleveland beat New York to give Bill Belichick his first win as an NFL head coach.

Belichick was an assistant with the Giants for 12 years until the Browns hired him to turn around last year's 3-13 season.

Oliphant scored the winning touchdown two plays after rookie sixth-round draft pick Michael Jackson caught his second long pass of the night. Jackson came back for Jeff Francis' underthrown ball and grabbed it for a 48-yard gain to the New York 13.

Eagles 29, Bengals 24

CINCINNATI — Keith Jackson caught two touchdown passes and William Thomas returned an interception 20 yards for another score as Philadelphia overcame a 14-point deficit and beat Cincinnati.

The Eagles (2-1) fell behind 14-0 as Boomer Esiason passed 45 yards to Eddie Brown and 1 yard to Eric Ball for touchdowns on Cincinnati's first two possessions.

Vikings 34, Steelers 24

MINNEAPOLIS — Herschel Walker had his first 100-yard rushing game since his Minnesota debut and also caught a touchdown pass, leading the Vikings over Pittsburgh.

Minnesota's new one-back attack sputtered in last week's exhibition-opening 18-3 loss at New Orleans. After a slow start Saturday, however, Walker & Co. busted loose for big gains.

Pokes practice long for Raiders

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson put the Cowboys through a long afternoon practice Saturday in preparation for Monday night's home exhibition opener against the Los Angeles Raiders.

Johnson allowed the team to go swimming Friday and said it apparently made a difference.

"I think because of that, we looked much better today," said Johnson, who plans to put the Cowboys through a walk-through Sunday afternoon before heading for Irving.

Also Saturday, the Cowboys released wide receiver John Jarvis, a free agent from Howard University; wide receiver Ricky Martin, a free agent from Middle Tennessee State; offensive tackle Duane Miller, a free agent from Texas; offensive guard Lance Zeno, a free agent from UCLA; and guard Sean Love, a 10th round draft choice from Penn State.

Johnson said he has still not decided if defensive end Danny Stubbs will see any action Monday night. Stubbs was in camp for the first time Friday after a 26-day holdout.

The 6-foot-4, 260-pound Stubbs is fighting for a roster spot after leading the team in sacks last season. Jimmie Jones will start at left defensive end Monday night against the Raiders, while Tony Tolbert will open up at right end.

"We don't know if he is ready yet or not," Johnson said. "It may be a last-minute decision."

Stubbs, however, says his position "was given away."

"I'm not fighting to make the roster, I'm fighting to start," Stubbs said.

Butler charged with drunk driving

Associated Press

LINCOLNSHIRE, Ill. — Chicago Bears placekicker Kevin Butler has been arrested on charges of drunken driving and speeding, police said Saturday.

Butler, who signed a three-year contract with the Bears this week, was charged early Tuesday in this northern Chicago suburb and released on a $3,000 personal recognizance bond, said Sgt. Patrick Quillinan. Butler is scheduled to appear in Lake County Court in Waukegan on Aug. 23.

Quillinan said the player was arrested while driving Tuesday in Lincolnshire, near the team's Lake Forest training grounds. The sergeant said he didn't know how fast Butler was driving and had no other details of the arrest.

Butler and Bears' officials could not be reached for immediate comment.

Bears coach Mike Ditka said earlier this week that Butler would make his first appearance of the exhibition season Sunday kicking field goals and extra points against the Phoenix Cardinals.

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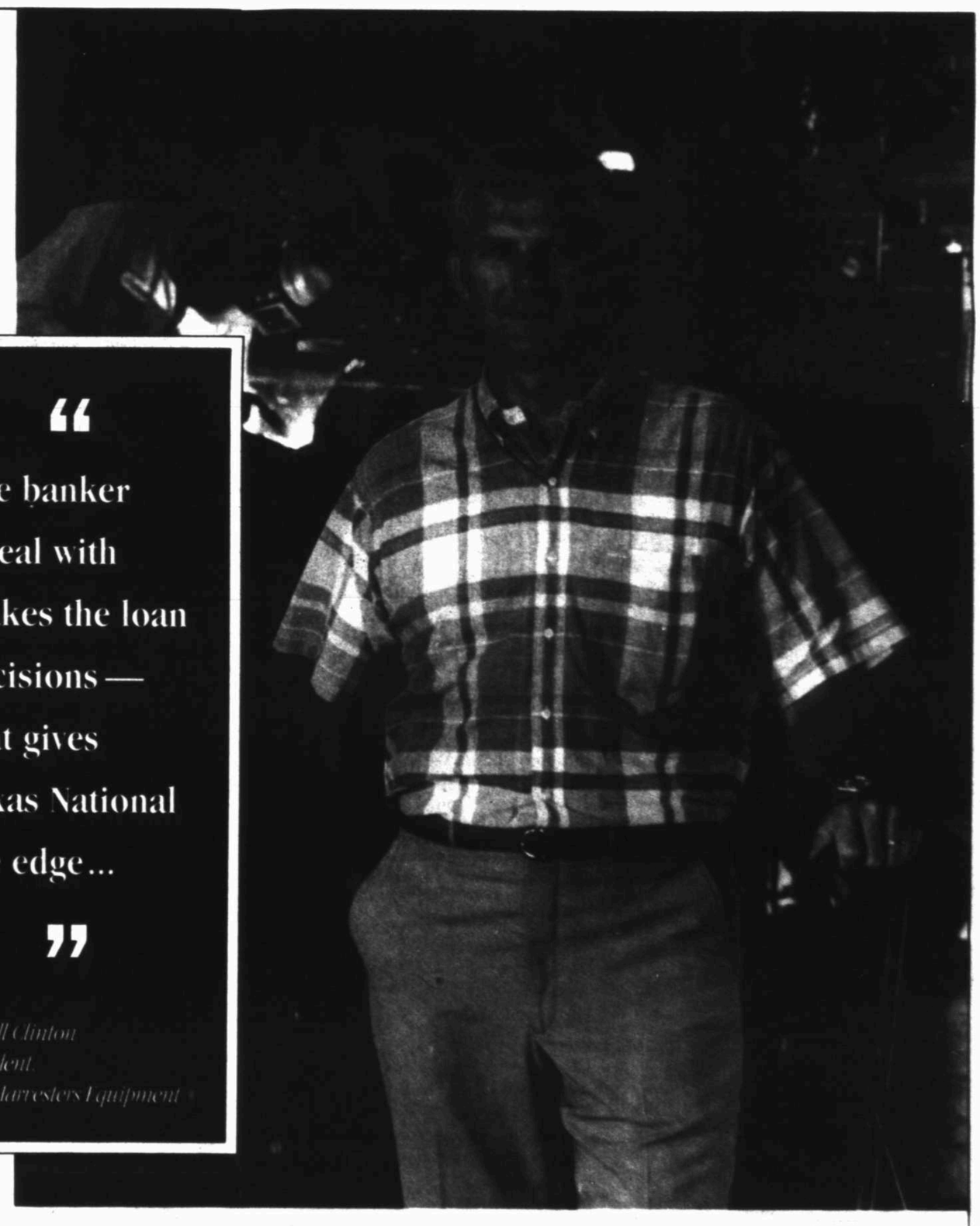
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Cubans eliminate U.S. women, 86-81

Associated Press

HAVANA — Cuba delivered a 1-2 punch to U.S. gold-medal aspirations in women's basketball and diving Saturday, while an American boxer found that fighting Cubans wasn't the only way to lose at the Pan American Games.

The Cubans eliminated the United States 86-81 in the semifinals of the basketball tournament, and the long faces of the U.S. women told the story.

"I was just trying to soak up the moment," said Teresa Edwards, who sat on the bench with her head in her hands after it was over. "Just as you soak up the victories, you have to soak up the losses, and that's what I was trying to do."

For the first time since the 1982 world championships, the American women went home without the gold. They had won eight straight international titles since then, including two Olympics. Cuba plays Brazil for the title on Sunday, while the United States faces Canada for the bronze.

A Cuban, Rioger Ramirez, also won the men's 10-meter platform diving, ending 16 years of U.S. Pan Am domination in the sport, and U.S. boxer John Herrera was stopped by little-known Luis Fleitas of Brazil at 1:11 of the third round of their 112-pound fight.

U.S. boxers now are 4-4 in the games, the other three having lost to Cubans.

It was a big day for the host country of the Pan Am Games as Cuba built on its gold-medal lead over the United States in almost every quarter.

In track and field, Javier Sotomayor of Cuba won his duel with American Hollis Conway in the high jump, although he failed to surpass his world record of 8 feet, one-quarter inches.

The basketball loss was the second here for the U.S. women. They lost in the first round to Brazil, ending a streak of 42 straight major international victories, but this loss ended THE streak.

Afterward, coach Vivian Stringer tried to console her players.

"I told them we played hard and we tried, and said some personal things," she said. "I was proud to be associated with this team."

Cuba took the lead for good with 8:42 to play, inspired by 15,000 screaming Cubans, who were joined in their celebration by Cuban president Fidel Castro.

The United States' problem was its shooting. The U.S. women went 5:42 of the first half without a field goal as Cuba took the lead. Cuba led 37-34 at halftime and 51-44 with 14:24 to play. The United States went on a 9-2 run for a 53-53 tie with 11:27 to play, but that was the last hurrah for the Americans. Edwards led the team with 22 points.

The last U.S. tournament loss was in the 1982 world championships to the Soviet Union in the gold medal game.

Mexican and U.S. divers complained of crowd noise at the pool complex, but they hadn't heard anything yet. When Cuba won its first Pan Am diving gold medal, the new steel girders shook with jubilation.

The victory by 17-year-old Ramirez ended a U.S. domination of Pan Am diving that had dated back to 1975. When he sliced into the water on his 10th and final dive of the platform competition, the scoreboard flashed a score of 63, giving him 560.79 total.

Jesus Mena of Mexico won the silver with 544.08, and Patrick Jeffrey of Madison, N.J., won the bronze with 539.73. Both Mena and Jeffrey asked and were granted re-dives when crowd noise interrupted their concentration.

"It had to be stopped," Jeffrey said. "It has no place in diving. Someone let out a real shrieking whistle as I left the platform, and my whole dive was a split second off. It was rude, it was bad. After that dive, I didn't feel like diving anymore."

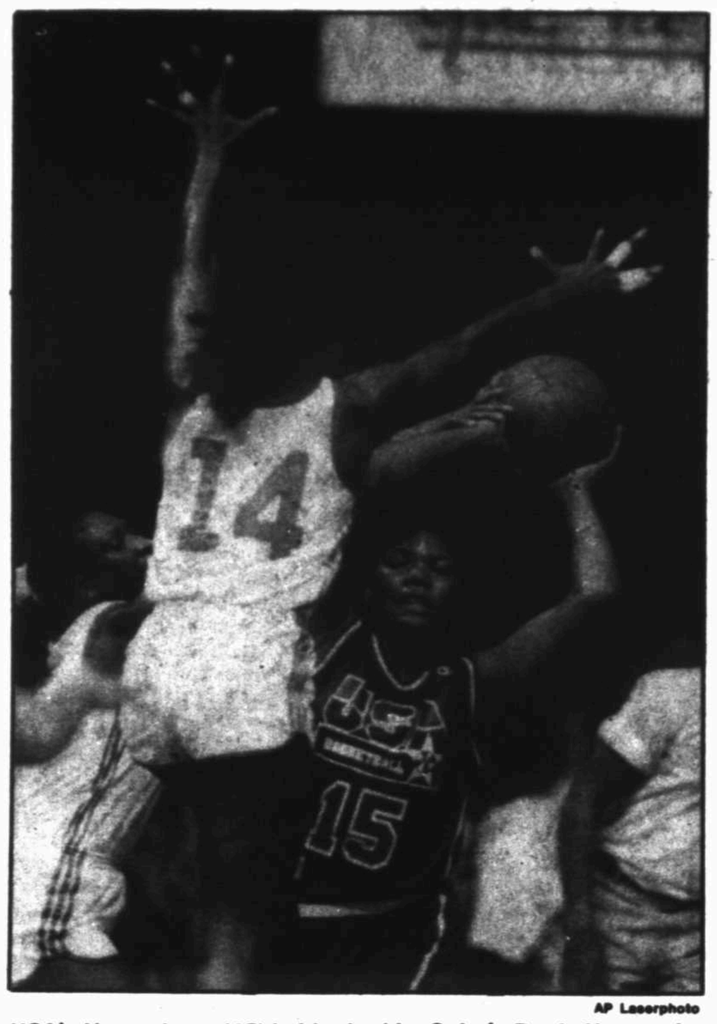
Matt Scoggin, the Olympic Festival champion from Austin, Texas,, messed up each of his six optional dives and finished fifth in a field of eight.

"Everybody missed except the Cuban diver. He deserved to win," U.S. coach Ron O'Brien said. "He's not real stylish or graceful, but he's acrobatic and very consistent. Matt never got going."

After he clinched the high jump gold, Sotomayor made three attempts at 8-0¼. Already the only vaulter in the world to clear 8 feet, he never came close before his countrymen.

His jump, however, did break the old Pan Am record of 7-7¼ that he set four years ago at Indianapolis.

The good news for the U.S. boxing team is that Revea Springs, the other American fighter in action Saturday, earned a berth in the 156-pound semifinals with a decision over Jose Martinez of Venezuela.



AP Laserphoto

USA's Venus Lacy (15) is blocked by Cuba's Regla Hernandez (14) during the first half of their semifinal game Saturday in Havana.

Committee expels U.S. umpire involved in brawl

Associated Press

HAVANA — Baseball's technical committee at the Pan American Games accepted Canada's protest of its loss to Mexico on Saturday and also expelled the U.S. umpire involved.

The game was called in the sixth inning after a bench-clearing brawl. The game will be resumed at 10 a.m. EDT Wednesday at Latino Americano Stadium with Mexico leading 7-5 in the top of the sixth inning, according to a communique from the committee.

Dan Pedersen, a former minor league umpire who just got done working the College World Series, said Saturday night that the technical committee also had banned him from the games. He was the umpire that called the contest.

He immediately appealed.

"I have not been informed in writing of the reasons for this expulsion," Pedersen said in his written notice of appeal. "This technical committee action is inappropriate and unjustified, and I am requesting the appeals committee review his suspension immediately and reverse this action."

Pederson told The Associated Press that he understood "they're getting rid of me because a fight broke out in a game I had and I should have been able to stop it. They're not punishing anybody but the umpire."

Earlier Saturday, Norma Baraldi, Mexico's team press officer, said the Canadian request had been denied and that the game stood as a 7-5 victory for Mexico.

But Harvey Bailie, attache for the Canadians, received the written communique with the committee's decision Saturday before Canada's 8-0 loss to Nicaragua.

In it, the committee accepted Canada's assertion that it did not initiate the fracas, Bailie said.

Canadian manager Jim Ridley had said his team was being unfairly punished because the Mexicans had been first off the bench and asked that the game be resumed where it left off.

"I think the team feels vindicated," said Bailie. "I'm quite pleased. I felt that the altercation was not started by us and that it would have set a dangerous precedent to award the game — due to an altercation started by the team that was leading — to that team. And I think the committee felt the same way."

The technical committee met for six hours Friday and heard from players, coaches and umpires about the melee, which broke out in the top of the sixth inning Thursday.

Earlier, the technical committee met for 1½ hours with Pedersen.

"Basically, I was on trial. I thought I was going there to explain what happened, but they just yelled at me," Pedersen said.

Pedersen said he demanded that his appeal be heard Sunday morning, but he held out little hope of reversing the committee's decision.

"I've already been told by the higher-ups that one of the guys on the three-man appeals committee has it in for me," Pedersen said. ""I just want to be vindicated.

"I don't find any logic in what's going on," he said. "It's comical to me in a way. I'm not concerned about it, but I'm concerned about my reputation."

Mexican coaches claimed a racial slur touched off the incident that saw coaches and players from both teams rush onto the field, where they traded punches and kicks.

Mexican manager Antonio Pollerena suffered a broken nose in the fight, and Canadian coach John Upham collapsed after the melee and was taken to a hospital suffering from angina, a heart condition.

Sotomayor sets high jump record for Games

■ World-record holder soars 7-feet-8 as Cuban domination continues.

N.Y. Times News Service

HAVANA — Javier Sotomayor of Cuba set a Pan American Games record in the high jump Saturday afternoon as Cuban athletes continued their domination of the games.

Sotomayor, the world-record holder in the high jump, won the event with a jump of 7 feet 8 inches while Troy Kemp of the Bahamas earned the silver medal with a jump of 7-7¼.

But the highly anticipated showdown with Hollis Conway, who until Wednesday held the U.S. record, never quite materialized.

Conway, who arrived in Cuba yesterday after a circuitous journey from Switzerland to New York to Miami and finally Havana, also had a best attempt of 7-7¼.

But Conway had more misses at the height than Kemp, who was actually ahead of the field going into the final jump.

Sotomayor, who set the world record 8 feet two years ago in San Juan, failed in his bid to break his record when he missed three jumps at 8-½.

"I did it because I was in Havana and in front of my people," said Sotomayor, whose wife won a silver medal in the high jump.

Before Saturday afternoon's competition, Conway, who competed at a meet in Zurich last Wednesday, had hoped to push Sotomayor for the gold, even if he didn't win the event.

But Conway had difficulty from the very beginning, missing his first jump and appearing tentative from there on out.

"This track was not a great place to run," Conway said. "People were slipping down on their approaches. I was afraid to plant. I was afraid attack the bar." Conway held the American record until the Zurich competition, when Charles Austin jumped 7-10½.

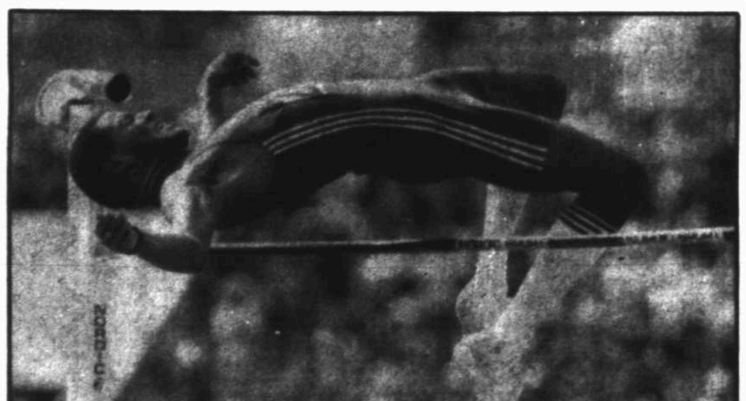
Conway also admitted that the partisan crowd, who whistled on each of his approaches to the bar, had finally succeeded in distracting him.

Conway balked on his first attempt at 7-8 and admitted that he was thinking about the whistling. "When I was running I felt myself thinking about the crowd instead of the jump," Conway said.

Sotomayor said he was not bothered by the track. "I think the track was not the problem," he said. "I think I was the problem. Also I had an advantage because I was used to the hot weather here." Cuba also won the men's triple jump this afternoon.

The brightest spot for the U.S. track and field contingent came in the discus, where Anthony Washington, a former Syracuse graduate, finished first with a personal best of 215 feet.

"I can't begin to describe how happy I feel," said Washington. "I'd say the rivalry with Cuba had something to do with it. I was watching television and the Cubans were winning everything, so that inspired me a little."



AP Laserphoto

Cuba's Javier Sotomayer clears the bar for a Pan Am Games record 7-feet-8 leap Saturday in Havana.

U.S. boxers find going tough

Associated Press

HAVANA — Scorned as a bunch of second stringers prior to the Pan American Games, U.S. boxers are doing nothing to prove the critics wrong.

Another American fighter was stopped within the distance Saturday, the fourth U.S. boxer eliminated in as many days of boxing at the steamy Kid Chocolate arena.

This time the beating didn't come at the hands of a Cuban, but Brazilian Luis Fleitas, who stopped John Herrera at 1:11 of the third round of their 112-pound fight.

Only a narrow decision win by light middleweight Ravea Springs salvaged the day for the U.S. team, which stands at 4-4 and is still in the running for medals in eight of the 12 weight classes.

"Everybody still has high spirits," Springs insisted after beating Jose Martinez of Venezuela to halt a three-fight U.S. losing streak. "I wasn't worried about watching the other guys get beat. I was already motivated going in."

The win gave Springs a spot in the 156-pound semifinals and guaranteed him at least a bronze medal. The bad news, though, is that he'll fight Cuban power puncher Juan Lemus in the semis.

Lemus advanced with his second knockout in as many fights, stopping Raymond Downey of Canada with 10 seconds left in the first round.

"He's one of the biggest punchers here," Springs said.

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The **Greater Midland Football league** will conduct sign-ups at Midland Park Mall, Aug. 11 from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Boys in grades 3-6, who will not be 13 before Sept. 15, may register for $30. Non-contact practice begins Aug. 26. Call Charles Langley at 684-9748 or go by Stadium Sports for more information...

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Best of the Rest VIII is at two-man scramble Aug. 23-25 at Comanche Trails in Big Spring, which limits entrants to a 15-or-above handicap. Entry fee is $140 per team, and the field will be limited to hte first 108 teams. Prizes will go to the first five teams, and $10,00 awaits anyone making a hole-in-one. Call 263-7271 for more information...

Tennis...

The Midland Women's Tennis Association has scheduled its Fall League for Sept. 9 through Nov. 14, with eight or more levels of doubles in both day and evening sessions to be played at Midland College. Dues are $10 per year and must be paid by Aug. 15. Call 694-2332 or 687-5010 for more info...

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Soccer...

Fall registration for **Midland Soccer Association** is Aug. 17-18 during mall hours at Midland Park Mall, or until Aug. 25 at MSA offices (2101 W. Wall, #8). Fee is $30 and does not include uniform use. Must be 4 years old before Aug. 1. For more information, call 684-5425...

The annual **MSA Soccer Camp** will be held Aug. 12-16 for under 6-under to 8 boys, and from Aug. 19-23 for under 6-and-up girls, and boys under-10-and-up. Cost is $20 for the first child, $10 for additional children. Payment in advance at 2101 W. Wall, St. For more information, call 684-KICK...

The Midland Soccer Association, with the help of a number of qualified instructors, is offering private instruction throughout the summer. For more information, contact the MSA at 684-KICK...

Softball...

Team sign-up for Midland Softball Association's **Adult Fall League** is at 7 p.m., Aug. 13 at the Bill Williams Softball Complex. Team sponsor fee is $250, with an individual player fee of $10. Men's, women's, and co-ed leagues are offered, and the 14-game schedule begins Sept. 9. For more information, call Karl Reagan at 683-8741...

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The Discover Big Spring Disc Golf Tournament is set for Aug. 11 at Big Spring's Birdwell Park. The $10 entry fee includes a free disc. For more information, call Greg Brooks at 267-1465 or 267-6335...

Trouble mounts for Tyson

By Ira Berkow
New York Times News Service

Analysis

Iron Mike Tyson might be in more trouble now than he ever was in the ring, and this includes the time Buster Douglas hit him so hard he spent an embarrassing amount of time crawling on the canvas looking for his mouthpiece, which he eventually found, and his senses, which seem to have irretrievably abandoned him.

Tyson is being legally challenged by two women for what he might have considered playful acts, or just the divine right of champions — or ex-champions — of which he is one.

In Indianapolis recently, Tyson attended a beauty pageant during the Indiana Black Expo, and wound up being accused of rape by an 18-year-old contestant (a grand jury in Indianapolis will soon consider the accusation).

In addition, last week, he was hit by a lawsuit filed by Rosie Jones, the 1990-91 Miss Black America, who said the former heavyweight champion had treated her in a sexually demeaning way.

When one checks the history of Tyson, one wonders what the beauty pageant officials had in mind when they invited him there to begin with. They should have their brains examined.

Just last November, a federal jury found that Tyson had committed battery in a suit brought by a woman for, as the charges went, fondling her buttocks and breasts at a discotheque. Before that, he slapped a parking garage attendant who had tried to protect the honor of a fellow employee, a female from whom Tyson had tried to steal a kiss.

The current allegations against Tyson are purely allegations at this point, but we do know that Tyson has often taken pride in being, as he said, "the baddest dude on the planet." He has felt that, as the fight manager Lou Duva has said, "the heavyweight champion is the 800-pound gorilla — he sits where he wants to sit."

And we know that Tyson has said what he has wanted to, sometimes in the coarsest language, in front of any number of people. He has made lewd and suggestive remarks to female secretaries — he did this in a courtroom during an attempt to change managers — and straight-out vulgarities in news conferences and television interviews.

Sometimes, he seems to be living out a bad rap album, which might be titled "Nasty as He Wants to Be."

And sometimes he seems to be reliving his tough youth in the Brownsville section of Brooklyn, where he mugged old ladies, a practice that, with several other unlawful indiscretions, landed him in a juvenile jail. There, he was eventually discovered as a pugilistic talent by Cus D'Amato. In 1986, at age 20, Tyson became the youngest heavyweight champion in history, and he held the title for more than three years before Douglas upset him in February 1990 in Tokyo, Tyson's only professional loss.

Tyson is scheduled to try to regain the title Nov. 8 against the current titleholder, Evander Holyfield. If Tyson must stand trial on rape charges, he faces not only a postponement of the Holyfield bout, but also a prison sentence. This would be a terrible thing for one who should or could have been more than, as some have said, a thug who got lucky.

"Mike Tyson is a role model for our young people," Rosie Jones said, explaining her suit, "and if he can go around grabbing on women and treating them like they're no one, that tells young people it's OK to do that."

"Role model" might be the most overused phrase in the current sports lexicon. But some heavyweight champions have indeed meant a great deal to many people: Joe Louis and Muhammad Ali in particular.

Neither was perfect, to be sure, but each represented something special, something principled.

Louis, thrust into a position of symbolizing the United States against the Nazis, knocked out Max Schmeling, and his dignified public posture allowed other blacks in America, as he once said, "to raise their head a little bit finally, 'cause their head was hung low for a long time." Louis was such a powerful figure that when one young black was being executed in a state prison, he called out, "Save me, Joe Louis, save me!"

While Louis conformed outwardly to the social conventions, Ali took the route of the non-conformist. Each typified his time. Ali rejected "Cassius Clay" as a "slave name," and also refused to be drafted because of religious and moral convictions.

"I ain't got no quarrel with them Vietcong," he said. The U.S. Supreme Court eventually agreed with his position by an 8-0 decision.

While neither ever asked to be a role model, both Louis and Ali simply followed their consciences. That's something Iron Mike Tyson, a role model in reverse, hasn't found time for.

Forget upsets Becker at ATP

Sampras defeats Courier in battle of Grand Slam winners

Associated Press

MASON, Ohio — U.S. Open champion Pete Sampras won a battle of Grand Slam winners Saturday night by knocking off French Open champ Jim Courier 6-2, 7-5 to advance to the finals of the $1.3 million ATP Championship.

Sampras, the seventh seed, will take on France's Guy Forget in Sunday's final. Forget, enjoying the best season of his 10-year pro career, surprised top-seeded Boris Becker 7-6, 4-6, 6-3 in the first semifinal.

"My game is pretty good right now. I'm playing with a lot of confidence," Sampras said after beating Courier, the No. 4 seed. "I think I'm on a roll."

Sampras made the semifinals by eliminating second-seeded Stefan Edberg, the defending champion, 6-3, 6-3.

"He was really focused, really playing with a purpose," Courier said. "He played well, and he deserved to win."

Forget, seeking his first U.S. title, frequently has played doubles with Becker; until Saturday, Becker was the senior partner.

"The last couple of matches we played were getting closer. It wasn't like I was beating him easily," said Becker, the top-rated player on the men's tour.

"I guess it was just a question of time when he was going to beat me once — hopefully he's not going to beat me again."

Forget, 26, has been a winner this year at Sydney and Brussels. Prior to that, he had won just three tournaments, all in France, including Toulouse in 1986 — 20 years after his father, Pierre, and 40 years after his grandfather, Paul, also won there.

"I think this kind of court suits my game," Forget said of the Decoturf II courts, similar to ones used at the U.S. Open.

"I've always enjoyed playing the top guys — you've got nothing to lose. "I try my best. If I win, I win. It's not a matter of life and death."

Forget said it may have hurt Becker to take a month off following Wimbledon.

"When a match gets long and it gets hot, I think he gets tired before me," Forget said. "He's a more powerful player than me, but I think he was getting a little slower at the end."

Becker said he was encouraged by his play, despite the loss.

"I was surprised how well I played all week after not playing for four weeks," Becker said. "Of course, I would have liked to go out a winner. But the last time i lost a semifinal here (1989) I won the U.S. Open."

Sunday's title match is worth $170,200 to the winner. A win by Forget could cost him some of the anonymity he has come to relish.

"In France, some people know me," Forget said. "But in the United States, with all the great athletes, you really have to be someone like Boris to get all the people around you. I can walk around with my wife and my kid and enjoy myself."

Forget has fared well as a doubles player, winning 22 tournaments — including two with Becker — but never lived up to the expectations he raised as a teen-ager.

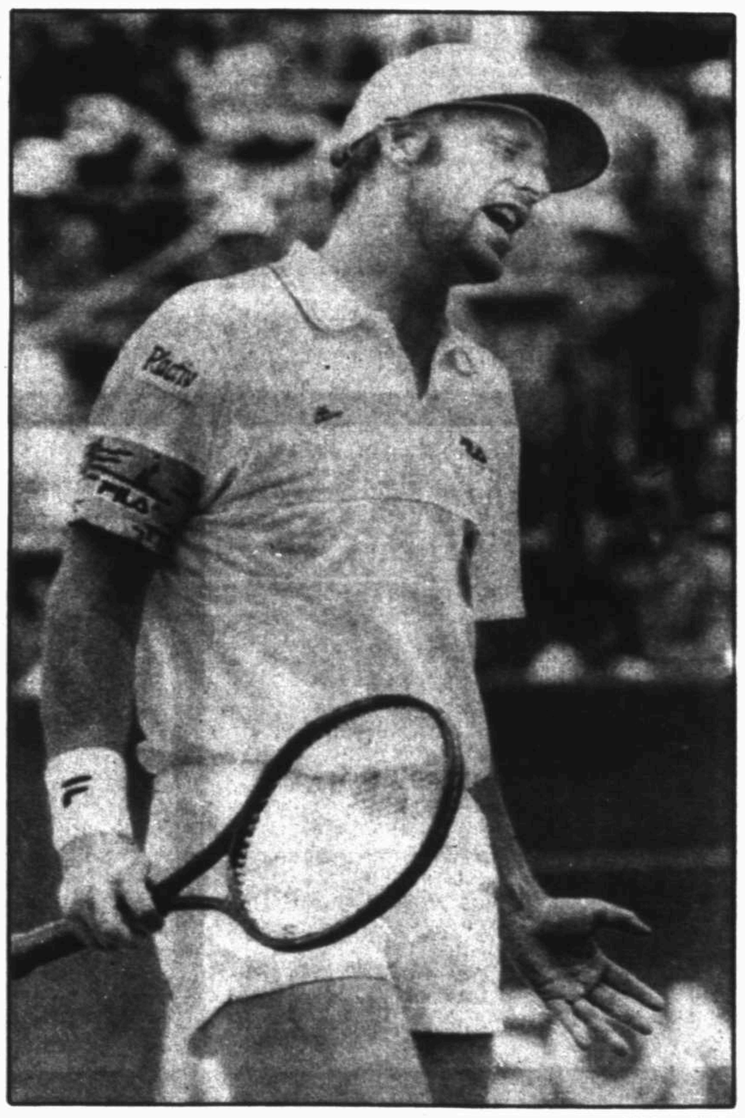
He didn't crack the top 10 in his first nine seasons as a pro, but currently is ranked seventh. Becker thinks he knows why Forget has improved.

"He has calmed a lot off the court, probably because of his wife and (2-year-old) child, and that makes him calmer on the court," Becker said.

"His problem was that he got so nervous that he couldn't play anymore. For the last eight or nine months, he has kept his head all the time, and I believe it's because of his wife and his child."

Forget agrees.

"Since I got married and have a family, now I play for my family."



AP Laserphoto

Boris Becker, the No. 1 seed, reacts to a shot from Guy Forget of Marseilles, France, during their semi-final match of the ATP Championship at the Jack Nicklaus Sports Center in Mason, Ohio. Forget upset Becker and advances to the title match.

Former UCLA sprinter pleads innocent to robbery, assault

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Former UCLA sprinter Henry Thomas was in jail Saturday in connection with an alleged robbery and assault.

Thomas, who graduated from high school with the fastest recorded sprint times in California prep history, pleaded innocent to seven counts stemming from the June 29 incident, the Los Angeles Times reported Saturday.

Thomas, 26, of Long Beach, was being held at Wayside Honor Rancho in lieu of $265,000 bail. A request for bail reduction was denied by Municipal Judge Elva Sloper, said Los Angeles County public defender Laura Green.

The former track star and another man are accused of robbing a couple in the parking lot of a Los Angeles fast-food restaurant.

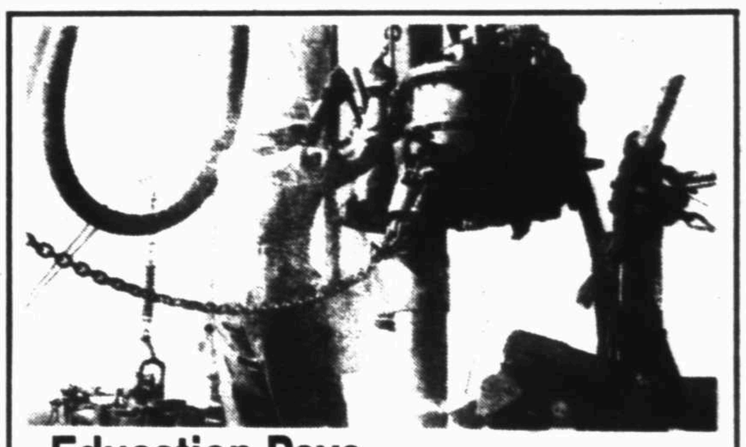
Thomas was scheduled to appear in Los Angeles Superior Court on Aug. 20 for pretrial motions.

At UCLA, Thomas was a member of the Bruins' 1987 and 1988 NCAA championship teams.

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Wallace wraps up title at Watkins Glen

Associated Press

WATKINS GLEN, N.Y. — Record-setting Rusty Wallace won it all Saturday, taking the race at Watkins Glen International and wrapping up his first International Race of Champions title and the $175,000 that goes with it.

The NASCAR stock car star started from the pole and led all the way in the 30-lap race on the 2.428-mile, seven-turn road circuit after a crash by Al Unser Jr. aborted the initial start.

Wallace became the first driver in the storied history of IROC to win three straight races and joined the late Mark Donohue as the only drivers to have won three of the four races in a single IROC season. Donohue did it in 1973, the first year of the all-star series.

Mark Martin, another Winston Cup racer, tried to knock Wallace off his perch on the last turn of the last lap, but was blocked effectively and came up 15-hundredths of a second short.

"Mark got a big bite off that last turn and that's what makes this pretty exciting," Wallace said.

"It was a great run," he added. "I had to drive a real defensive race. I learned a lot on that first start about what not to do."

The first time the race was started, Indy-car regular Scott Pruett jumped from third to the lead before Unser slid off the track in turn five as he battled with Wallace for second place on the first lap. Unser did a spin and a half before the passenger-side slammed into the tirewall.

Unser, who said he simply lost control, escaped injury. Because yellow flag laps do not count in IROC, the race was restarted with the two-time IROC champion moving to the series backup car and starting last.

The backup car had the name Kendall stenciled on it, referring to road racing star Tommy Kendall, who is recuperating from injuries sustained in a sports car crash here in June. Kendall, at his home in California, gave the command to start engines Sunday by telephone.

Unser, who had won three of four previous IROC events here, sliced through the 11-car field, moving all the way to third by lap 11, but couldn't get any closer as Wallace and Martin easily held the top two spots.

Wallace, who started the race with a six-point lead over Elliott, wound up winning the title by 22 points.

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Coody bounds out to 4-shot lead

Associated Press

JEREMY RANCH, Utah — Charles Coody shot a 3-under-par 69 Saturday to take a four-shot lead after two rounds of the $350,000 US West Seniors Showdown Classic at Jeremy Ranch.

Coody opened with a spectacular 7-under 65 on Friday over the mountainous par-72, 7,103-yard course and followed with a solid second round for a 36-hole total of 10-under 134.

That was three shots better than Bob Wynn, Dale Douglass and Bobby Nicholls. Wynn and Nicholls had 72s while Douglass shot a 67.

Sixty-year-old Lloyd Moody won $11,000 in the 36-hole Super Seniors portion of the Senior PGA Tour event and was at 139 after a 72 along with Bob Betley and 70-69. Betley had a 72 and Archer shot a 69.

Senior Golf

Coody started the day with a bogey on the first hole and took a double bogey on No. 3 after putting his second shot out of bounds. But then he found the stroke that helped him to the first-round lead, firing six birdies over the final 15 holes.

"I wasn't real happy with the way I started and I wasn't even out of the shadow of the clubhouse," Coody said. "I had to regroup and I knew that I had a long way to go to get back to within a reasonable distance of the lead.

"I haven't had a four-shot lead since I've been on the Senior PGA Tour," he said. "My objective is to make pars and birdies tomorrow. You can get into trouble by being overly conservative."

Coody is no stranger to big-money tournaments. He won the Commemorative tournament in late May and has earned $328,689 in official money this year, putting him ninth on the earnings list this year.

Billy Casper finished second in the Super Seniors tournament for players 60 and older with a 36-hole total of 142.

Top-seeded player nears rare repeat win at USTA Boys' 18 National Championships

KALAMAZOO, Mich. (AP) — Top-seeded Ivan Baron is just one step away from becoming the first player in 42 years to win back-to-back titles in the United States Tennis Association Boys' 18 National Championships.

Even more than that, he and opponent Michael Joyce of Los Angeles are within one victory of gaining the U.S. Open wild-card berth that goes to the winner Sunday's final at Kalamazoo College's Stowe Stadium.

In the 16s finals, No. 1 Jason Appel of Lake Mary, Fla., will play No. 3 J.J. Jackson of Hendersonville, N.C.

Baron defeated No. 12 Lex Carrington of Easthampton, Mass., 2-6, 6-2, 6-1 in Saturday's 18s semifinals. Joyce, the third seed, beat No. 9 Adam Peterson of Orange, Calif., 6-3, 6-0 in the other match.

In 16s, Appel defeated No. 4 Eric Taino of Jersey City, N.J., 6-2, 6-3, and Jackson beat No. 2 Seth Hoffman of West Bloomfield, Mich., 7-5, 5-7, 6-4.

Jonathan Leach of Laguna Beach, Calif., and David Witt of Jacksonville Beach, Fla., the top seeds, won the 18s doubles title — and the accompanying U.S. Open doubles berth — with an 6-3, 6-7, 6-3 victory over eighth-seeded Michael Hopkinson of Indianapolis, and Peter Jeschke of Montecito, Calif.

In 16s, No. 2 Scott Humphries of Alamo, Calif., and B.J. Stearns of Seminole, Fla., defeated unseeded Bill Gluck and Christian Hill, both of St. Louis, 4-6, 7-6 (7-3), 7-6 (7-2).

SALES: Coolers to be left home

(From 1B)

said he did not anticipate any such problems.

"We're committed to a considerable number of alcohol control regulations at Texas Stadium to keep it safe and make it fun and make it better," he said after the votes were counted.

Bickel said fans will have to buy alcohol at the stadium's concession stands and leave their coolers at home. He said that some fans may see the stipulation as prohibitive, but added it will help create a "controlled environment."

"Jerry Jones' feeling is it's safer," Bickel said. "Before you could bring as much alcohol and drink as much without limitations. Now there will be people trained to check IDs and it will reduce consumption by 50 percent."

Liquor sales inside the stadium had always been banned even though fans could bring their own alcoholic beverages. Under the new plan, sales would be subject to strict regulations.

Hodges also said he was pleased that the corporation was able to work out its differences with Irving officials.

"We're ready to go on in the future as good partners and good neighbors and win Super Bowls," he said.

The stipulations included beer cups holding no more than 16 ounces and customers being allowed only two beers at a time. Also, no beer would be sold 10 minutes after the fourth quarter begins. Wine cups would hold no more than 7 ounces.

All sales would be conducted in concourse areas and no beer vendors would be allowed in seating areas.

The city's mayor said those rules are strictest of any NFL stadium other than Sun Devil Stadium in Tempe, Ariz., home of the Phoenix Cardinals.

Irving ministers led opposition to wine and beer sales at the stadium.

Gossage put on 15-day DL

Associated Press

ARLINGTON — The Texas Rangers placed Rich "Goose" Gossage on the 15-day disabled list with a sore right shoulder Saturday and recalled pitcher Terry Mathews from Oklahoma City of the American Association.

Gossage, 40, is 4-2 with a 4.19 earned run average and one save in 37 games this season. He was disabled earlier this season, from June 17 to July 11, for similar shoulder problems.

Mathews, 26, was 5-6 with a 3.49 ERA in 18 games, including 13 starts, for Oklahoma City. He also appeared in eight games with the Rangers earlier this season.

Navratilova keys Atlanta Thunder

ATLANTA (AP) — Martina Navratilova won her singles match and keyed two doubles victories as the Atlanta Thunder beat the Los Angeles Strings 27-16 on Saturday night for the TeamTennis championship.

Navratilova, a nine-time Wimbledon champion, beat Robin White 6-2 in the women's singles and was part of the winning women's doubles and mixed doubles teams.

Jimmy Connors gave Los Angeles its only individual win by beating Kelly Evernden 6-3 in the men's singles.

Conly nails ace

Staff Report

Bert Conly Sr. produced the third hole-in-one of his golf career Saturday at Midland Country Club, sinking an ace on MCC's 159-yard No. 3 hole with a seven-iron.

Conly was playing with John Bullard, Homer Adams, Bob Dean and Bob Winkler.

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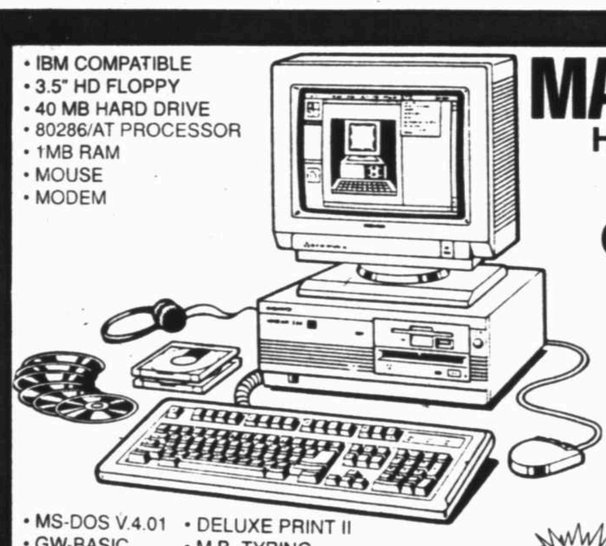
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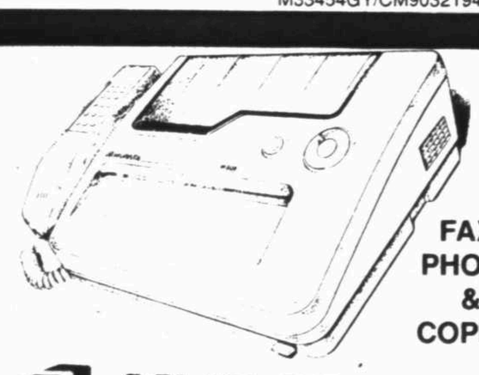
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Demand builds for newly built homes

Market for new homes booms, officials say

By Debbie Lincecum
Staff Writer

Experts say Midlanders are building their new homes — in record number — on a solid foundation despite an uncertain economic future.

New home construction has increased by about 27 percent in the first seven months of 1991 compared with the same period last year, city records show. Realtors, builders and city officials say the news is not surprising and Midland has been holding its own throughout difficult economic times.

"It's a lot more active than people think," said city building official David Wayland, in whose office 147 home construction permits have been issued so far this year. "This shows there's still some activity out there, some kind of demand for single-family homes."

Realtors Association President Sandy Scott said the new home market has remained stable for several years.

"What's interesting is even when our market was recovering and not where it is now, we continued to sell new homes and builders continued to build," she said. "We've had a demand for it, and that's been great. Now the market is in better shape and I think we'll see some more increased activity."

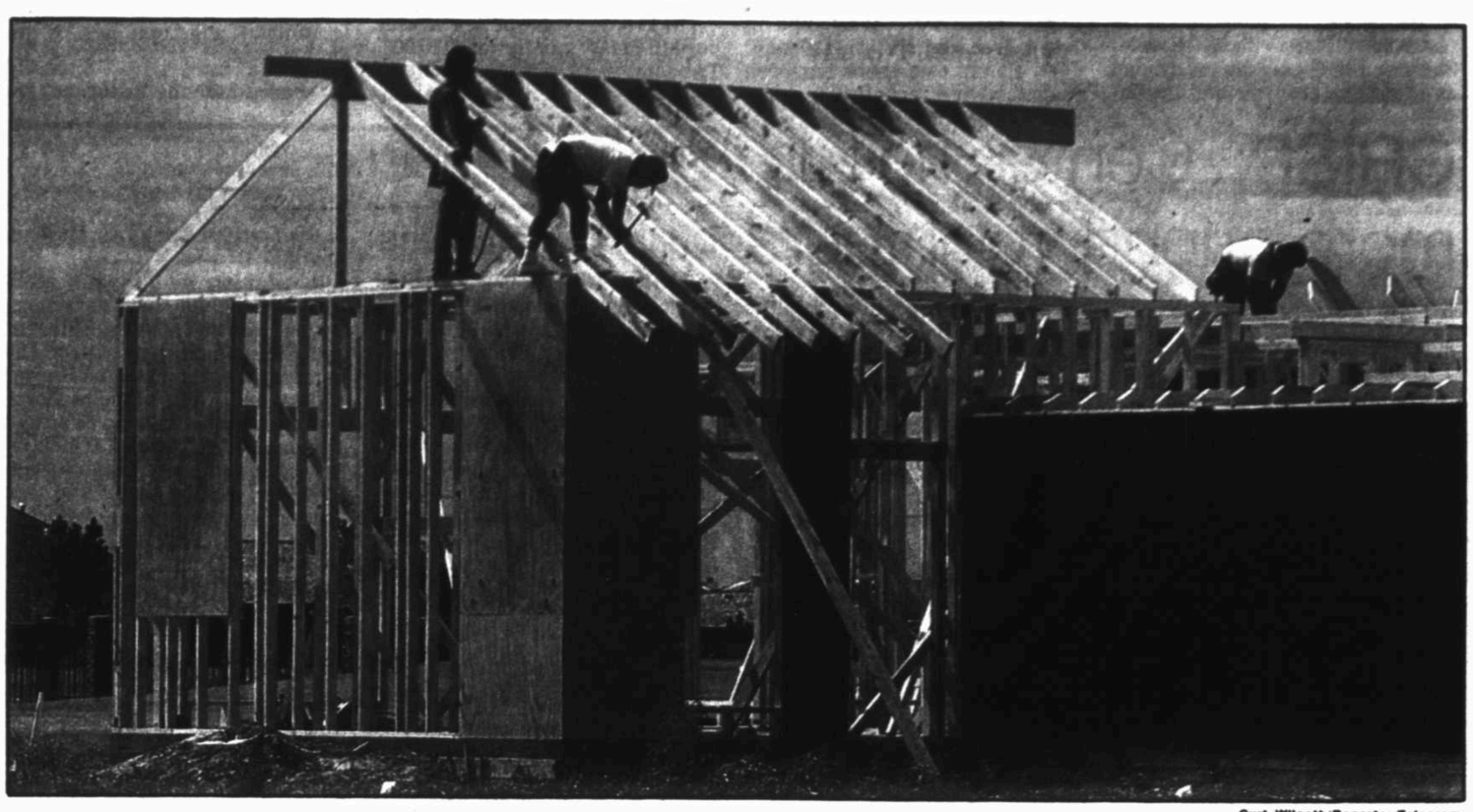
Builder Troy Hunt's company is starting on its 10th home this year. Last year, it built "maybe four or five the whole year," Hunt said.

Jim Leonard's homebuilding business is doing well for the second year in a row. After building 30 homes in 1990, Leonard is working on his 18th in 1991.

"If things keep going the way they are, I'll have another excellent year," he said. "The momentum is definitely here."

Compared with the same period in 1990, the number of single-fam-

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Another new home goes up near Green Tree Country Club. Despite years of uneven economic times, local builders and city officials agree that Midland's housing-construction market has remained strong and active.

CRISP hotline is 24-hour lifeline

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Most people contemplating suicide cry out for help by telling at least one person about their intentions.

When calling the CRISP (Crisis Intervention/Suicide Prevention) hotline they are likely to hear the soothing voice of Hess.

Hess (not his real name), is one of the volunteers who answers the hotline operated by the Permian Basin Community Centers for Mental Health and Mental Retardation (MHMR).

"I use the name 'Hess' when talking to people because it is more intimate to give them a name. It makes me more than just a voice," he said. "At the same time, I remain anonymous so that I don't run into someone who called me on the hotline two weeks later and have them think: 'Oh my God, there is the person I poured my heart out to.' The anonymity protects me, callers and MHMR."

A hotline volunteer since 1973, Hess said, "People sometimes just need to touch base with somebody. I provide an ear, understanding and may suggest other resources for them."

The hotline is primarily designed to help someone at the point of crisis, according to Shelby Blaydes, MHMR director of programs.

"If we don't provide a service here, we can offer referral," Blaydes said.

The hotline also serves as a lifeline to patients with mental illnesses who may just need reassurance, Hess said.

"It's hard to define what might be a crisis situation for any one person," he said.

"You don't have to have a major mental illness to have a crisis

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Suicide: It's a fact of life

Staff Report

Some facts about suicide and its warning signs, provided by the Permian Basin Community Centers for Mental Health and Mental Retardation, are as follows:

- There is a suicide in the United States about every 17 minutes.
- Suicide is the eighth leading cause of death among young people.
- A significant number of people over 65 commit suicide.
- An elderly person takes his own life once every hour and 23 minutes. For young people this statistic occurs every hour and 42 minutes.
- The highest rate of suicide (males and females combined) is in the 75-84 year old group.
- The highest rate of suicide (males only) is in the 15-24 year old group.
- There are three female suicide attempts for every one male attempt.
- About 90 percent of all suicide victims tell someone of their plans prior to killing themselves.

THINGS WHICH MAY LEAD TO SUICIDE

In Children:

- Divorce or other family disruption.
- Death of a beloved relative.
- Explanation given to a child about life after death making death seem preferable to life (such as being told a departed relative is happy in

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Can do

Rhonda Shelton packs up her aluminum can collecting operation Saturday afternoon at Sam's Wholesale. Saturday's recycling effort, hosted by Keep Midland Beautiful and Butt's Recycling, offers participants an opportunity to benefit the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

Abell-Hanger grant will aid GED graduates

Staff Report

A special grant from the Abell-Hanger Foundation has been made to Midland College to assist needy Midland County students who have obtained high school equivalency diplomas in 1991 and wish to attend college.

The grant was announced by James I. Trott, president of the Abell-Hanger Foundation of Midland. The scholarship assistance will be used to defray the cost of tuition, fees and books for classes at Midland College. The grants are in an amount not to exceed $475 per individual per semester.

"The grants are earmarked for the benefit of 50 students who completed their GED preparation and who wish to attend Midland College," Trott said.

Students may be fulltime or part-time, taking at least six semester hours of credit courses, in either traditional freshman academic subjects or vocational/technical courses.

The grants will be continued for the spring semester if the students maintain a minimum 2.0 grade point average for the fall semester.

"This grant could not have come at a more opportune time," said Midland College President Dr. Jess Parrish. "Tuition rates increased for the fall semester and we were

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Legislative leaders reach budget compromise

AUSTIN (AP) — House and Senate leaders said Saturday they have agreed to an approximately $59 billion budget for 1992-93 that would require a $2.1 billion tax increase.

The accord followed nearly round-the-clock talks and arrived only days before a special legislative session expires at midnight Tuesday.

The agreement reached informally between key legislators must be approved by the full House and Senate before Gov. Ann Richards can consider it.

"It's not going to put the state of Texas in reverse," Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, said of the spending plan. But he added, "It's not going to put it in high gear. It's going to be fair with no frills."

Montford said the measure would fully fund public education, as promised by the Legislature to pay for court-ordered school finance reform.

On Wednesday, State District Judge Scott McCown ruled the state's finance reform bill was constitutional, but said it must be funded.

The budget proposal also would provide funds for prisons under construction, but lawmakers remain at odds over how many prisons to build after that and how to pay for them.

Montford said he would ask Richards to call another special session devoted to prison issues, which include more rounds of negotiations to try and settle a lawsuit filed by 14 counties to force the state to take inmates backed up in their jails.

On higher education, the agreement would reduce by about $150 million the amount of money needed to pay for the current level of service.

"We are not going to disable higher education," Montford said, but added, "There are going to be some cuts. They are inescapable."

Human services would also be funded below the current services level, he said.

The budget measure would require about $34.6 billion in tax-generated revenue, which is about $2.1 billion more than what is expected to flow into state coffers during the two-year budget period.

To cover that gap, lawmakers are considering raising the state gasoline tax 5 cents; charging sales tax on numerous items not currently taxed; an increase in state college and university tuition; and reforming the business franchise tax.

Under the franchise tax proposal, businesses would have to pay the higher of either a tax on capital or income.

Concerning the tax plan, Montford said, "If one wheel comes off, it can wreck the train."

House Speaker Gib Lewis said the House has little choice but to accept what the Senate produces in taxes.

"We don't have the time at this stage to go to a conference com-

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GARY OTT

Long-awaited wild party becomes 'Uncle Mundane's' dud

Our question for today is as follows:

How does a 39-year-old single man go about entertaining his out-of-town 14-year-old nephew for three days?



Ott

Let me assure you, it is a dilemma.

First, some background. The kid in question, my oldest sister's boy, had qualified to play in something called the West Texas Junior Golf Championship, which was held last week at Hogan Park.

The best young golfers from all over West Texas converged on Midland to participate in the prestigious event. It is considered a big deal in the world of junior golf.

The actual tournament was played on Tuesday and Wednesday, but by the time you threw in a practice round on Monday, it quickly evolved into a three-day ordeal. And since it took place during the middle of the week, it was not a simple matter for parents to take off from their jobs, rent a motel room and hang out in our fair city for the duration of the tournament.

Thus, it was suggested that perhaps the young lad could stay with me at my apartment.

"No problem," I said. "Happy to have him."

He showed up right on time and for three days I had me a real live roommate.

And that's where the dilemma began.

For several days prior to his arrival I had pondered the situation, diligently planning suitable activities.

I took my job as host very seriously. After all, remember when you were a teen-ager and you got to tell your friends you would be staying in a strange city with your older uncle? Wow. Immediately the imagination would go crazy. Visions of wild parties and pretty girls would dance across your brain.

If you played your cards right, you could turn a harmless weekend into six months worth of entertaining stories. Your friends weren't there. You could tell them anything, and they couldn't prove you were lying.

And if it turned out that you really did get to do some "hard partying" — like maybe having a couple of beers — then you could, in good conscience, make your friends green with envy. It doesn't get any better for a 14-year-old than having his buddies back home jealous of his good fortune.

It was, therefore, my duty to make these three days something special. My nephew needed some stories to take home with him.

A sad thing occurred to me as I made our plans. I discovered that I lead a very dull life — even in the eyes of a 14-year-old. Oh, he never came right out and said so, but I could tell he had hoped for more. Who could blame him?

Sitting around the apartment, a typical conversation between the two of us went something like this:

Me: "So, what are you in the mood to do?"

Him: (Shrug) "I don't care."

Me: "We could go for a ride and I'll show you the town."

Him: "OK."

End of conversation.

No wonder he was disappointed.

Here's another scenario. We're sitting in a restaurant waiting for our food to arrive. Two attractive women walk by. My nephew and I glance at one another.

Me: "Which one do you want?"

Him: (Shrug) "I don't care."

Me: "I'll take the blonde."

Him: "OK."

End of conversation.

The highlight of the visit was our journey to the grocery store. Our conversation there is as follows:

Me: "Do you want Cheetos or Doritos?"

Him: (Shrug) "I don't care."

Me: "I vote for Cheetos."

Him: "OK."

End of conversation.

Gee, I hope these wild tales will impress his friends.

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

BUILDS: Construction gains momentum, homebuilders say

(From 1C)

ily home construction permits issued through July 31 has increased by 32, from 115 to 147. In the month of July alone, 23 permits were issued, four more than last year.

A city planner said the growth pattern — slow but steady — seems to indicate stability in the community.

"We're seeing a good growth rate," said planner Becky Hamm. She described current conditions as a "positive growth state," meaning the problems associated with growth are being accommodated as they arise.

Wayland said Midland appears to be growing in its usual pattern — neighborhood by neighborhood. "Areas of activity are north and northwest," he said, citing developments like Green Tree North and Grassland Estates where construction is under way. Of the 23 new home permits issued last month, eight were designated in Green Tree and six in Grassland.

Ms. Hamm said there has been much activity recently in "platting," or subdividing property for housing developments.

"We're also seeing a demand for rezoning areas for single family (dwellings)," she said. "In some areas where the zoning was for apartments, say, people are looking for a zone change so it can be subdivided and used for single family home construction. There's definitely a higher demand for single family (dwellings)."

The average value of new homes permitted last month was $110,000. The total value of homes built or planned in the city so far this year totals $39 million, increased from $25 million in the same period of 1990.

"I think we saw $42 million total in home construction last year," Wayland said. "If we're already at ($39 million), we're definitely going to surpass that.

Builders said the market strength can be attributed to many factors, families relocating to Midland being only part of the picture.

Leonard said one factor may be the lack of existing homes for sale.

"There's just not that much on the market," he said. "Interest rates are low, and people are looking toward new construction instead."

Other indicators seem to point to growth in the community. There were 29,398 accounts for city water service listed as of July 31, an increase of 604 over last year. Midland Independent School District enrollment, topped 20,000 last year — up fron 18,000 in 1987 — and is expected to gain another 1,600 this year.

Leonard said from his perspective, Midland has developed into a stable environment for families moving in or moving "up" to accommodate a new lifestyle.

"My friends in the oil business don't understand this (building boom)," Leonard said. "These are move-ups, first-time home buyers, people in the service (fields). These people aren't all move-ins from the oil companies. They're working people, just like you and me, ... looking for a new home."

CRISP: Center needs more phone volunteers

(From 1C)

though," Blaydes said. "Basically, a crisis means not being able to think clearly or thinking of suicide."

Hess said persons contemplate suicide when they are overwhelmed. "They may feel like they are in a big black box, which is closing in on them," he said.

The hotline volunteer said potential suicide victims can't see any solutions to problems. "They say: 'I can't stand it any more. Anything I do will make things worse. I might as well take myself out of the picture.' "

"Anyone can commit suicide at any time," Hess said. "When they call there is an ambivalence there. Sometimes once they clarify their thinking — by putting their fears and problems into words — it helps them to see the situation better. It takes a lot of the pressure off."

Hess said his job is to help persons in a crisis to consider options other than suicide.

If he feels that helping someone is beyond his capabilities, he can call an MHMR professional. "For me, help is also only a phone call away," he said. "There is a professional available to every volunteer. The professional briefs us before we take a shift to tell us what happened on the last shift and other things we should expect. Calling a professional is my first line of defense."

Tim Welch, MHMR emergency worker, said professionals take turns answering hotline calls which come in during business hours.

Hess said he mans the hotline from 5 p.m. until 8 a.m. twice a month. "Sometimes it's fairly boring and nobody calls. But two months ago, I got five calls in sequence. It took up most of the night."

Jane Vaughan, MHMR coordinator of volunteer services, said the center needs more CRISP volunteers. "We ask them to commit to two nights per month," she said.

Volunteers are screened and are required to go through 24 hours of free training, which will be offered again three Saturdays in September.

Hours served on the hotline may also be applied to earning certification as a Certified Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseler.

"I'm in this because I just want to see people show concern for each other like they did in Midland's earlier days," said Hess, a Midlander since 1954.

Since the 1970s, Hess said the nature of the calls to the hotline have changed. "I don't get marital problems or life problems like in the past. MHMR used to provide full counseling for those type of problems, but the direction of legislation in the past 10 years has changed that," he said.

The longtime hotline volunteer said some of the crisis callers are "chronic."

"Some are mentally ill people being treated on an out-patient basis. We try to keep them functioning on their own in the community rather than institutionalizing them," he said. "Their difficulties may seem trivial to others. Sometimes all they need is a warm bath, something to eat or a friendly voice to feel better."

For the most part, Hess provides the friendly voice.

"People might just need someone to talk to when they are alone, awake in the middle of the night, scared or isolated," he said. "I try to restore sanity in a panic attack. But, volunteering for the hotline is a truly selfish endeavor. I gain a lot more than I am able to give."

Persons interested in volunteering for CRISP may call 683-5591. The 24-hour hotline is operated seven days per week.

FACT: Suicide is 8th leading cause of death among youth

(From 1C)

Heaven and the child will be with them when he or she dies).

■ Family giving the child "messages" that he or she is unwanted.

In adolescents:

■ Breakup with boyfriend or girlfriend.

■ Loss of face in some manner.

■ Parents taking control in a way that feels humiliating to the adolescent (for example, not allowing a daughter to be cheerleader at Homecoming because she is grounded for a rule infraction).

■ Giving away prize possessions or seeming to "close up affairs" (for example, giving his favorite cassette tapes to his best friend.

In adults:

■ Job loss or demotion.

■ Divorce or break-up with significant other.

■ Relative or friend has committed suicide.

The local MHMR operates a Crisis Intervention/Suicide Prevention (CRISP) a 24-hour hotline. The number is 683-5591.

Ex-Houston Chronicle editor dies

HOUSTON (AP) — William P. Steven, editor of the Houston Chronicle in the 1960s, has died at his home in Sarasota, Fla. He was 82.

Steven died Aug. 6 of congestive heart failure, his daughter, the Rev. Lucinda Duncan, said Saturday.

Steven was editor of the newspaper from 1961 to 1965. During that time, he instituted the paper's WATCHEM feature, one of the first dial-in personal response "action line" columns that spread to other newspapers across the country. The Chronicle published WATCHEM for about 20 years.

After leaving the Chronicle, Steven was vice president and editorial director of World Book Encyclopedia Service and later an executive at the Chicago Daily News and Sun Times.

Before coming to Houston, Steven was executive editor of the Minneapolis Star-Tribune.

Born in Eau Claire, Wis., Steven started his own neighborhood newspaper at age 8. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin and in 1930 joined the Tulsa, Okla., Tribune as a reporter. He became managing editor 10 years later.

During World War II, Steve was assistant director of the press division of the Office of Censorship in Washington.

He leaves his wife of 57 years, Lucy; three daughters: Rev. Duncan, Margaret Benicy and Sara Stout; and a son, J.D. Ritchie Steven.

DEATHS

Donald G. Stevens

ROSWELL, M.M. — Memorial services for Donald Gene Stevens, a Roswell, N.M. oilman who died in a plane crash Friday in Midland, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Ballard Funeral Home of Roswell is in charge of arrangements.

Born Dec. 3, 1929, Stevens was a native of Panhandle, Texas. Following graduation from Amarillo High School, he joined the U.S. Navy in 1951 and served during the Korean conflict as a Navy Aviation photographer.

Returning to Texas, he received a BBA degree from Texas Tech University in 1953, and graduated from the University of Texas Law School in Austin with an LLB degree in 1956.

He returned to Texas Tech and taught business law from 1956-57. While he was teaching at Texas Tech, he also served as Assistant City Attorney in Midland. In 1957, Stevens moved to Hobbs, N.M., where he began his petroleum career as Exploration Manager of the Cactus Drilling Company.

In 1966, he moved to Santa Fe, N.M., where he practiced law, was an oil and gas consultant and organized Stevens Oil Company and Stevens Operating Corporation.

He and his wife, the former Mary Irene Montoya, moved to Roswell in 1978, where they were active in community affairs. Stevens had served as chairman of the Roswell Economic Forum, as vice president of Eastern New Mexico Medical Foundation, and as director of the Roswell Symphony Orchestra and the Roswell Museum and Art Foundation.

His professional honors included serving as president of the Independent Petroleum Association of New Mexico, director of the New Mexico Oil and Gas Association, director of United New Mexico Bank of Roswell and most recently chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, El Paso Branch.

In addition to his business interests in the petroleum industry, Stevens had a strong interest in all phases of aviation with a multi-engine instrument rating. He was director of Great Southwest Aviation in Roswell and, at the time of his death, was serving as president of the Spirit of Flight Air Museum Board.

In addition to his wife, other survivors include three daughters, Dayna Stevens, Melissa Stevens and Suzanne Stevens, all of the home; five sisters, Yvonne Hoover of Portland, Ore., Lathelle Morrison of Amarillo, Vivian Ward of Tucson, Ariz., Wanda Arluck of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Pauline High of Beverly Hills, Calif.; and one brother, Curtis Stevens of Austin.

The family requests memorials be directed to the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Foundation or to a favorite charity.

Josefa Losoya

Josefa Losoya, 67, of Midland died Friday in a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Sunset Memorial Park with Thomas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Manuel Vela, Jesus Sandate, Lorenzo Ruiz, Cricencio Losoya and Jimmy Salazar.

Survivors include seven daughters, Nieves Esparaza of Houston, Casimira Colungo of Odessa, and Maria Herrera, Martina Campos, Felipa Losoya, Lupe Jurado and Smalia Losoya, all of Midland; two sons, Rufino Losoya, II, and Jose Alfredo Losoya, both of Midland; 49 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Merce Rayos Lara

Merce Rayos Lara of Midland died Friday at a local hospital.

A vigil prayer service will be held at 7 p.m. today in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Jesse Guhjardo officiating. Funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. Monday with Father Domingo Estrada officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Lara was born Sept. 24, 1925, in Colorado City and was reared in Stanton, where he attended school. He moved to Midland in 1945, met Cecilia Aguilar in 1949 and they were married on Oct. 1, 1952, after he had joined the U.S. Army in April of that year.

He was stationed in Alaska and was in active service from 1952-54. He then served in the Army Reserves for six more years with the Midland unit.

Following his discharge, he returned to Midland where he was employed with the city. He worked for 30 years in the sanitation department and for five years at the Service Center with the city.

He retired in 1985.

He was a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church and the VFW Post.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Robert Lara, Leonard Lara, George Lara and Merce Lara, Jr., all of Midland, and Gilbert Lara of the U.S.S. Kitty Hawk with the U.S. Navy; three daughters, Rossana Lara Ruiz, Sussana Zarate and Mary Olgin, all of Midland; his mother, Florencia R. Lara of Pecos; three brothers, Jesus R. Lara of El Paso, and Antonio R. Lara and Manuel R. Lara, both of Midland; four sisters, Alice Carrasco, Mary Gutierrez and Ramona Ybarra, all of Midland, and Blasa Lara of Pecos; 15 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; 12 nieces and nine nephews.

Dorothy C. Mouser

Services for Dorothy Christine (Harris) Mouser of Midland will be at 2 p.m. today in Crestview Baptist Church with Dr. Larry Ashlock officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Mouser

Mrs. Mouser died Friday at her residence.

She was born Dec. 25, 1924, in Cooke County, where she was reared and educated. She received a bachelor's degree in home economics from Texas Women's University in Denton and a master's degree from Texas Tech.

She taught home economics in in high school for two years in Saint Jo.

She married Leonard Mouser in Lubbock in 1949 and taught school there for three years. In 1956, they moved to Midland.

Mrs. Mouser was a 35-year resident of Midland, and was actively involved at Crestview Baptist Church, working for 10 years in its daycare program.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, David Mouser of Madisonville and Lynn Mouser of Duncan, Okla.; one daughter, Becky Mouser of Austin; her mother, Bettie Reeves Harris of Saint Jo; three brothers, Tom Harris, Bill Harris and Pat Harris, all of Saint Jo; five grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be W.H. "Brownie" Dickenson, James Dumas, Phil Middleton, J.W. Turner, Wes Washam and Bill Zeitler.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland, Crestview Baptist Church or the American Cancer Society.

Fannie I. Tumlinson

Graveside services for Fannie Irene Tumlinson of Midland are set for 2 p.m. Monday at the Elmwood Cemetery in Abilene.

Mrs. Tumlinson died Saturday at a local hospital.

She was born Nov. 20, 1905, in Uvalde, where she grew up and attended school. She married Edward Lon Tumlinson in 1921. They lived on various ranches in Central and West Texas through 1952, when they moved to Abilene. While in Abilene, Mrs. Tumlinson was employed at several restaurants.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1955, and two daughters, Betty Jean Kincaid and Sue Ann Hays.

She moved to Midland in 1984.

Survivors include two daughters, Dorothy Cooper and Louise Gay, both of Midland; three sons, Monroe Tumlinson of Cresson, Tal Tumlinson of Houston and Ronnie Tumlinson of Midland; one sister, Medie Stein of Sabinal; two brothers, Milton Taylor of Comfort and Mabary Taylor of Uvalde; 23 grandchildren and 34 great-grandchildren.

Doris Haney

Services for Doris Haney of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Saturday afternoon at a local hospital.

Richards promises she'll veto sales-tax increase

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards told lawmakers Saturday she will veto attempts to raise the state sales tax and sought to downplay the price on a proposed $2.1 billion tax bill being considered by the Legislature.

Aides said Richards believes the tax hike is more like $1.3 billion.

That's because $800 million of the increase would come from reforming the business-franchise tax. The state currently loses about that much every two years to successful legal challenges to the franchise levy.

Speaking to House Democrats, Richards said she wouldn't approve raising the state sales tax, which at 6¼ cents on the dollar already ranks among the nation's highest.

Some legislators have said privately that they would rather raise the sales tax then a proposed 5-cent gasoline tax hike.

The major spending hang-up between the House and Senate was funding for higher education and prisons.

House members have proposed a cut in financing public colleges and universities, while the Senate wants an increase to take care of growing enrollment.

REACH: Compromise calls for tax increase

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mittee, so it's going to have to be that. Unfortunately, that's the posture we're in," said Lewis, D-Fort Worth.

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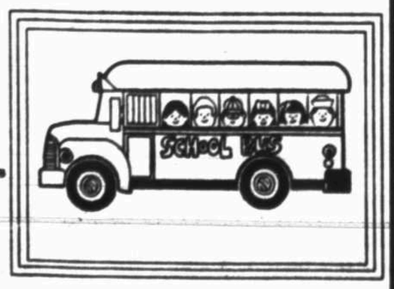
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EDUCATION

LETTER FROM COLLEGE

MC's Parrish to welcome successor to campus Monday

By H.A. Tuck

The transfer of leadership begins tomorrow when new Midland College President David Daniel arrives for his first official day. Jess Parrish, who retires officially on Aug. 31, will be around for a few days of transition.


Tuck

For those who might not recall, Dr. Daniel is coming from Pennsylvania but is basically a North Carolinian. For the past year, he had been Executive Director for both the Pennsylvania Commission for Community Colleges and the Pennsylvania Federation of Community College Trustees.

He currently serves as the President of the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges, which is the highest honor for a community college leader... somewhat equivalent to a physician being elected president of the American Medical Association or an attorney being named president of the American Bar Association.

Daniel is past president of Wilkes Community College, Wilkesboro, N.C., and past Dean of Instruction at Isothermal Community College, Spindale, N.C.

He and his wife, DeeDee, moved to Midland last week.

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Early registration for the fall semester ended Thursday, but aspiring students still may register before classes begin. A formal enrollment day is scheduled for Wednesday, Aug. 28. Time permits for that day are being issued for the next two weeks, assigning times to come for registration.

The time permits will be issued in the Student Services area of the Student Center from 7 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Issuance will take place Aug. 12-15 and Aug. 19-22.

Those who don't obtain time permits will not be registered until the final two hours of registration on Aug. 28. By that time, many classes might be filled and some subjects will not be available at all because of lab limitations.

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Charlene Romero-Wurtz, a Midland College trustee, was a presenter at the Aug. 1-3 conference of the Texas Association of Chicanos in Higher Education, which was held in El Paso. She served on a panel which addressed the topic "Building a Quality Work Force for Texas Employers: Providing Opportunity for the Young People of Texas".

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Acquisition last Wednesday of a Cessna 150 aircraft really marked the official start of the college's new Aviation Maintenance Technology program. Petro Jet Aviation donated the aircraft, the first of several planes, engines, electrical components, and other such equipment necessary to train students to become qualified as airframe and/or power plant technicians.

As has been noted earlier, the program's first students will spend this fall studying basic educational subjects such as English and math. Those accepted for the program should, barring something unforseen, begin their technical studies in January.

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The only Continuing Education class starting this week is a two-night session on CPR for Infants and Children. Steve Forbes is the instructor.

This class meets from 6-10 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday at a cost of $25.

With more than 60 classes beginning the week of Sept. 3, subject matters are diverse. Some of the classes deal with computers, accounting, business, others deal with art, aerobics, stained glass, law, and machine shop equipment operation.

It's better to register early for any of the fall non-credit courses than to wait and find they are filled.

You can register in the Continuing Education Department, located in the Administration Building. Their hours are 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday through Thursday this week and next week.

Call 685-4518 for information about this fall's great classes, then register and begin stretching your mind.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director at Midland College.

MAKING THE GRADE

Amanda Lee Clausen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clausen and a graduate of Midland High School, has been awarded an academic scholarship from Austin College for the 1991-92 academic year.

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Johnny Eugene Hewitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Hewitt, recently received his bachelor of business administration in accounting at Baylor University.


Hewitt

He received the Fasken Foundation Scholarship and was named to the Nation's Dean's List all four years. He is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, Beta Grammer, Sigma, Golden Key National Fraternity Honor Society, Beta Alpha Psi-Accounting honor, Gramma Beta Phi, Baylor Accounting Society.

Hewitt's future plan is to go to work for Cooker and Lybrand in September.

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Douglas Binnion recently graduated Cum Laude from McMurry University where he received a bachelor of arts degree in paralegal studies and was also named to the Dean's List.

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Cleveland B. Tolver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Berry, recently graduated from Angelo State University with a bachelor of business administration degree in general business.


Tolver

He received the Fasken Foundation scholarship, was named to the National Dean's list and was also on the Fashion Board.

Tolver is a 1985 graduate of Lee High School.

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Sachie Canales of Midland worked in the caucus office as part of a public policy internship sponsored by the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO) and Shell Oil Company.


Canales

"The NALEO internship gave me the opportunity to learn from a distinguished list of professionals — it was an experience I will never forget," said Canales who is a sophomore majoring in political science at the University of Houston.

Canales was one of eight students from Texas, Florida, California and New York working as NALEO interns during July. The fifth week of the program was spent in Washington, D.C., where they met with Hispanic policy makers at the federal level.

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Roy D. Wooten, a student at Abilene Christian University has recently been named to the National Dean's List.

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Kellie Booth, daughter of Sandra Booth of Midland and a senior in Midland High School has been selected to attend the 1991 National Young Leaders Conference in Washington, D.C. She will meet with Sens. Lloyd Bentsen and Phil Gramm, Rep. Lamar Smith, or designated congressional staff members to discuss policy issues.

She also will attend a college preparation seminar and will visit an embassy.

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Trent Walton, a Lee High School graduate and National Merit Scholar was awarded a scholarship from the University of Texas at Austin.

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Lee High School graduate **Todd Giese** recently participated in the King Foundation High School Summer Program in Biomedical Science at MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston.


Giese

This summer, 23 Texas high school students were selected to participate in the hands-on cancer research under the guidance of MC Anderson faculty. More than 200 Texas students applied for the program. Students are selected on for their academic achievements, aptitude in science and participation in extracurricular activities.

Senate amends education board redistricting plan

AUSTIN (AP) — The Senate on Saturday approved a bill drawing new districts for the 15-member State Board of Education, after adopting an amendment that could lead to the election of another minority board member.

The bill was returned to the House, 28-2, after the amendment by Sen. Eddie Bernice Johnson, D-Dallas, was approved, 18-12.

Ms. Johnson said the bill would create two black districts, within Dallas and Harris counties. Her amendment would allow blacks to have an impact in a third district that would include parts of 19 counties in East Texas.

Blacks comprise 12 percent of the state's population, she said.

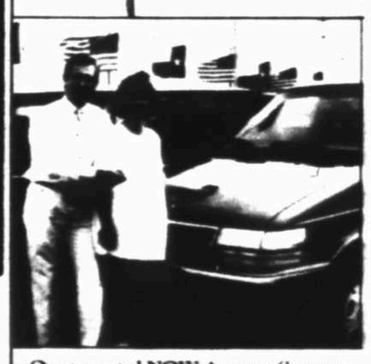
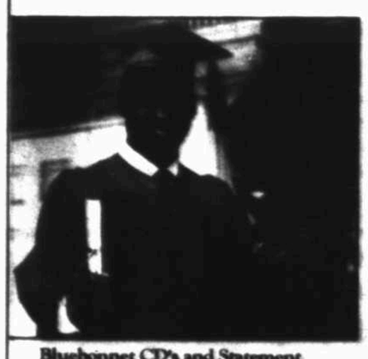
The reapportionment plan is designed to reflect the latest census figures, with each education board member representing more than 1 million Texans.

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Couple has much at stake in conservation commitment

By Jerry Coffey
Associated Press writer

GLEN ROSE — A funny thing happened to Jim Jackson and Christine Jurzykowski on their way to sail around the world. They ended up in Somervell County, Texas.

But the result of their improbable detour is no joke. The couple's decision to stake their fortunes hereabouts has given vigorous new life to a unique institution that a few years ago was as endangered as many of the animal species it serves.

Their personal resources and hands-on leadership have helped sustain and develop an uncommonly appealing tourist attraction and one of the leading critter conservation centers in the world. Fossil Rim Wildlife Center is a scenic 3,000-acre spread off U.S. 67 four miles south of Glen Rose and an hour from Fort Worth.

The drive-through animal park, with its giraffes, zebras, rhinos, cheetahs and multitudes of exotic hooved animals, has charmed visitors for most of a decade and become increasingly popular, attracting 83,000 visitors last year. But the center's much-less-visible conservation efforts have remained little known to the public.

In just a few years, Fossil Rim has gained national and international notice and respect within the conservation community for its successes in captive breeding, its collaborative efforts in global conservation and its innovative initiatives in conservation management, education, research and training.

Fossil Rim is dedicated to the proposition that conservation can — indeed, must — pay its own way. Besides the drive-through animal park it operates related food and drink and gift shop concessions, and also luxury safari camps and varied horseback excursions. It also sells animals to zoos and private collections.

The center is the hub of a growing network of support organizations and volunteer efforts keyed to various aspects of conservation.

"We're not self-sustaining yet, but we're on the way," said Jackson, who with Jurzykowski, his wife and business partner, has poured millions of dollars in personal funds into acquiring, expanding and operating the center over the past five years.

Fort Worth oil executive Tom Mantzel founded what then was Waterfall Ranch in the 1970s. He stocked it with many of the exotic animals that still live there, launched educational programs, and started the public drive-through as a means of supporting the facility. He also began the captive breeding of endangered species that remains Fossil Rim's primary purpose.

But his ability to sustain the facility financially declined precipitously in the economic slide of the 1980s.

Meanwhile, Jackson and Jurzykowski, globe-trotting entrepreneurs, sailing enthusiasts, and dedicated environmentalists, had begun to seek more direct personal involvement in the conservation cause they had supported financially and in spirit for years.

Jackson, a computer expert and yacht builder, and Jurzykowski, a film producer, had met when they lived close together in Croton-on-Hudson, N.Y.

They decided to take a break from the business world, move onto their sailboat and set their lives in a new direction starting with a sailing trip around the world. That plan was aborted when, on the day the circumnavigation was to start; they almost sank the boat.

It was a television program about businessman and environmentalist John Aspinall that started the

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Veternarian Evan Blumer checks over a 34-year-old white rhino for any early developmental problems. The white rhino is one of the many endangered species being kept at Fossil Rim Wildlife Center, just outside Glen Rose, Texas.

ARMED FORCES NEWS



Morgan

Johnny M. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, has recently been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal in ceremonies at the Pentagon. Gen. Richard Larson presented the award for "singularly exceptional performance of duties during Operation Desert Storm." LTC. Morgan, U.S. Army Reserve, was assigned to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics in the Pentagon. He and his wife Carole reside in Midland.

LTC. Morgan will be released from active duty Aug. 18, 1991, after serving at the Pentagon for the past seven months. He will be returning to his position at the Nabla Corporation in Midland.

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Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Tanya D. Drake, daughter of Frank and Marie Drake of Midland, recently returned from a five month deployment to the Mediterranean and Red Sea in support of Operation Desert Storm aboard the USS Puget Sound, homeported in Norfolk, VA.

Drake graduated from Lee High School in 1985 and joined the Navy in 1986.

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Jimmy H. Kirkpatrick, son of J.H. and Maxine Kirkpatrick of Midland, received practical work in military leadership at the ROTC advanced camp at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

Successful completion of the advanced camp and graduation from college results in a commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army, Guard, or Reserve.

Kirkpatrick graduated from Lee High School in 1987 and is presently a student at Texas Tech.

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The Veterans of the Battle of the Bulge, Inc. (VBOB) will hold its 10th Annual Reunion in Charleston, S.C., Sept. 5-7, at the Sheraton Airport Inn. Many activities are planned; however, the most important part of these reunions is the fellowship and camaraderie which develops among the veterans. For further information write to: VBOB, P.O. Box 11129-P, Arlington, Va., 22210-2129.

Officials say Carswell hospital may close first

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A top Air Force official met Friday with area officials and a Fort Worth panel to discuss, among other things, the possible closure of a Carswell Air Force Base hospital.

"The base will close in September of '93: the hospital will close prior to that, at least at the same time," Deputy Secretary of the Air Force Jack Rittenhouse told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Friday.

But Rep. Pete Geren, D-Fort Worth, said he is trying to sway the Pentagon into keeping the newly-renovated Robert L. Johnson Strategic Hospital open. The facility serves more than 100,000 active and retired area military personnel.

Geren said the government would lose $34 million annually by closing the hospital.

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EDUCATION IN BRIEF

TEA schedules public hearings

The Texas Education Agency will host five public hearings throughout the state in August.

The focus of the hearings will be how to best restructure the TEA. Hearings will be conducted by an eight-member panel of educators and business professionals. The panel was appointed by Commissioner of Education Lionel R. Meno.

Individuals are asked to comment on what functions and services the agency must provide above the district level to help local districts improve student achievement. Hearings will be conducted in San Antonio, Richardson, Houston, Lubbock and Mercedes.

The Lubbock hearing will be offered 1:30-3 p.m. Wednesday at Rgion XVII Education Service Center, 1111 W. Loop, 238. For more information on the Lubbock hearing call (806) 793-4854.

For more information on other hearings call (512) 463-9000.

School to hold super sale

Parker Elementary School will have its super sale 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Aug. 22 and noon-4:30 p.m. Aug. 23. School supplies, t-shirts will be sold.

KOCV-TV gets grant

ODESSA — The Odessa Junior College District will receive a grant from the Department of Commerce to expand public broadcasting services, U.S. Phil Gramm announced Friday.

A total of $155,050 will be available to purchase new equipment for KOCV-TV, channel 36, a press release from Gramm's office stated.

The funding comes from the National Telecommunications and Information Administration within the Commerce Department.

RISD public hearing set

Rankin Independent School District will conduct a public hearing 7:30 p.m. Aug. 22 in Rankin High School's auditorium. The hearing will focus on the budget for the 1991-92 school year. Due to the uncertainty of funding for the budget, a tax rate will be considered at a later date.

UTPB offers new course

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin will offer Finite Element Analysis (FEA), a new engineering course. The course, labeled ENG 438, will be offered from 5:40-6:55 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The course will focus on both the theory of the finite element approach to mechanical design and to an FEA personal computer package.

Originally limited to large mainframe computers, FEA has now become possible on personal computers.

UTPB fall registration is Sept. 4.

For more information on the FEA course call (915) 367-2310.

OC registration Aug. 22

Registration for new students at Odessa College is Aug. 22. Returning students will register Aug. 26. Classes will begin 5 p.m. Aug. 28.

For more registration information call (915) 335-6433.

La Grange mortician may be nation's oldest

LA GRANGE, Texas (AP) — In this dying profession, Clyde Owen may have outlived them all.

At 93, he is believed to be Texas' oldest practicing mortician and one of the oldest in the country.

"His life is the funeral business," said Brian Sergeant, owner of the La Grange funeral home where Owen works.

Owen was a teen-ager in the Panhandle, working odd jobs in Childress, when he was asked to assist at one of the town's funeral homes.

His first corpse was a shooting victim. Owen held the light while others did an autopsy.

"I didn't know if I'd be able to stay through it," Owen said. But he did.

Two years later, in 1919, Owen received a state embalmer's license.

A few years later, employer Charles Cook left the Panhandle business to Owen. But tough times forced Owen to shut down his business in the early 1930s, and he has worked for others ever since.

At Sergeant Memorial Funeral Home in La Grange, he does everything from directing funerals to driving the hearse.

Texas Funeral Service Commission data indicates Owen has the longest mortician service record in the state as well as being the oldest, said licensing agent Barbara Carisalez.

Nationally, he might well be the oldest funeral director in the country, said Gloria Meyer of the National Funeral Directors Association in Milwaukee.

Governor names Morris to advisory committee

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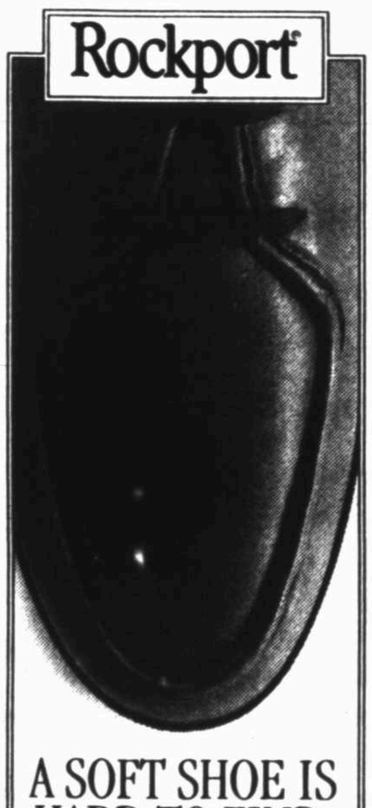
AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards has named Ruby L. Morris of Midland to the Continuing Advisory Committee for Special Education.

Ms. Morris, 57, a special education coordinator for the Midland Independent School District, will serve until Feb. 1, 1993. She replaces Deborah Louder of San Angelo, whose term has expired.

Ms. Morris appointment, one of 17 to the committee announced Thursday, does not need Senate confirmation.

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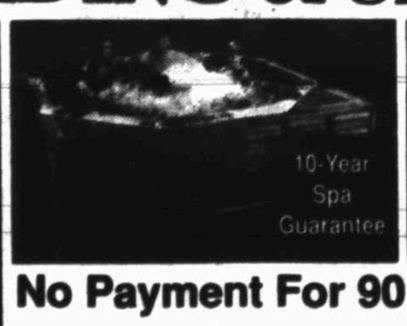
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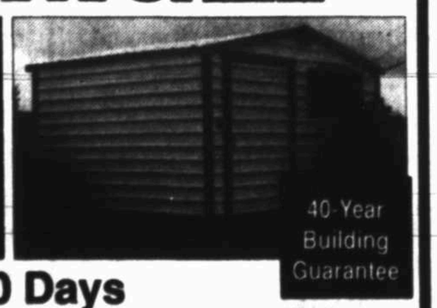


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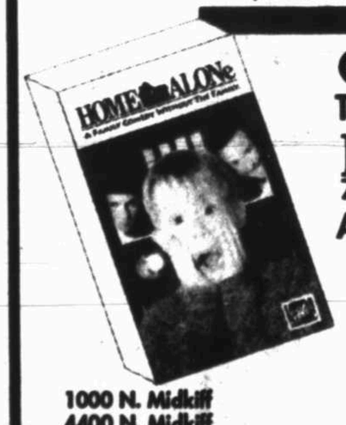
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Texas to offer free cancer screenings for low-income women

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas is one of four states that will use a $3 million federal grant this fall to provide low-income women with free breast and cervical cancer screenings.

About 15,000 low-income Texas women are to be screened beginning Oct. 1 as part of the five-year program.

"We especially want to target those women over 40 who have ceased having children and probably aren't coming in for regular medical exams anymore," said Charlene Laramey, director of the Texas Health Department's Chronic Disease Prevention Program.

California, New Mexico and Minnesota will also be participating in the grant from the Centers for Disease Control, according to Texas Department of Health officials.

However, the funding will not pay for treatment of those women diagnosed with cancer of the cervix or breast.

State officials said free treatment will have to be found for those women, although tax-supported health services in most Texas communities are already pushed to the limit.

Public and non-profit groups, such as local health departments, family planning agencies and universities linked with hospitals, are invited to apply for the grant money.

Breast cancer is the most common cancer among American women. Cervical cancer is the second most common in women between the ages of 15 and 34. In Texas, both types of cancer affect black and Hispanic women more than whites.

Novello takes immunization campaign on the road

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. (AP) — Startled by the number of children dying of preventable diseases like measles, federal officials have launched a national campaign to stamp out those diseases.

U.S. Surgeon General Antonia Novello brought her nationwide immunization campaign Friday to Huntington.

Ms. Novello began her campaign Monday in Dallas.

Ms. Novello also is campaigning in Washington, D.C., New York, Philadelphia, Houston, Chicago, Miami and Los Angeles.

The campaign will include vans that will provide mobile immunization clinics in neighborhoods where no medical help is available. Minority neighborhoods or areas where homeless people gather will be prime targets of the program.

STAKE: Fossil Rim Wildlife Center attracted 83,000 visitors in 1990

(From 4C)

couple thinking seriously about direct involvement in conservation. "We were touched by what a difference he was making," Jurzykowski recalled. "If he could do it, we could do it, we decided."

Mantzel learned of the couple's interest and contacted them. By this time, he had run out of ways to keep the ranch going. Jackson and Jurzykowski were his last hope.

They agreed to advance money to keep Fossil Rim operating while considering a permanent arrangement. At this point, they had no intention of taking an active role in the ranch's operation.

Before an agreement was finalized, however, the accord between Mantzel and the couple broke down. Jackson and Jurzykowski gained ownership of the heavily mortgaged wildlife facility through foreclosure and moved to take over management of Fossil Rim personally.

Three years of bitter and costly legal wrangling ensued before a settlement was reached that affirmed Jackson and Jurzykowski's control. Since then Mantzel and the couple have put bad feelings behind them, and Mantzel, though not officially involved in the operation, remains a staunch supporter of Fossil Rim and what it stands for.

In addition to its regular breeding programs, Fossil Rim conducts research in reproduction, behavioral genetics, opportunistic medicine and immobilization drugs.

Fossil Rim also has taken on increasing responsibility as a training facility. It brings in people from undergraduate to doctoral and professional levels for internships, preceptorships, residencies and fellowships offering a broad range of training and field experience designed to help fill the increasing need for conservation professionals.

"All of this happened so much sooner than we ever expected or imagined," Jackson said.

"If someone had told me six or seven years ago that I would be moving to Texas, I'd have said that just wasn't in the cards," Jurzykowski said. "But I believe now it was meant to be, that we were very lucky this happened.

"We're here because of what Tom Mantzel started," she said. "It appeared that if something wasn't done, the property wouldn't survive, and it seemed to us very much worth saving and building upon.

"We're Texans now, and we love it here," she said. "It hasn't been easy. There's so much more involved in conservation than most people imagine. It is incredibly complex. Fortunately, we have good people here who know what they're doing and have helped us learn. We're still learning."

Some of those "good people" were at Fossil Rim when Jim and Christine arrived — Bruce Williams and Kelley Snodgrass, for example. Both educated down the road at Tarleton State in Stephenville, they came to Fossil Rim as part-time ranch help just as Mantzel was opening it up to public exposure in the early 1980s.

Now Williams is director of the facility and Snodgrass is animal care coordinator. They also are acknowledged authorities on captive breeding of endangered species — Williams particularly associated with the addax and Snodgrass the cheetah.

Evan Blumer, a former zoo manager, came to Fossil Rim from Pennsylvania to become the center's first staff veterinarian. Now in addition to his veterinary duties, he is director of research and training and holds important posts in international breeding programs.

"There are a lot of really exciting things going on here," he said.

"What really impresses me as a veterinarian is that bottom-line considerations don't enter into animal-treatment decisions," Blumer said. "The rule is that any animal here gets whatever help it needs, even if the treatment costs a lot more than the animal might be worth."

Jackson and Jurzykowski emphasize that what's being accomplished at Fossil Rim is not their doing but a collective achievement. "The dedication of all the employees and volunteers is extraordinary," Jurzykowski said. "I think everyone has the feeling that this is a special place to be."

Bruce Williams agrees: "This is a small organization and the employees have a high degree of commitment because everyone has a sense of making a difference. Seeing newborn cheetah cubs and knowing you had a part in getting them here — hey, man, that's payday."

Snodgrass notes that the combination of nice scenery, kept as close to its natural state as possible, and beautiful, healthy animals living in relative freedom is quite compelling for visitors and workers alike.

"This place draws like a magnet," he said. "We figure once we get people out here we've got 'em hooked."

Education isn't just a hit-or-miss byproduct of Fossil Rim's people-pleasing commerce; it is, the operators emphasize, a fundamental component of the center's conservation mission.

"We hear from others in the field that our conservation work would be easier and more efficient and economical if we dropped the public aspects of the operation, but we don't see it that way," Jackson said. "We believe that making people aware is a very large part of all this. And to have the kind of awareness that brings commitment, you need the kind of exposure that includes education."

But the managers also are mindful that there is a point of public accessibility beyond which Fossil Rim can't go and stay in character.

That's one reason why Fossil Rim is emphasizing its more intimate visitor opportunities — the safari camps, the trail rides, the recently begun equestrian sleepovers — and trying to develop new ones.

Another reason, aside from producing income, is that the longer, more intense visitor experience provides greater opportunities to inform and involve people in conservation — which, Fossil Rim's operators recognize, goes far beyond saving wildlife.

"We all need to remember that man is the most endangered species," Jurzykowski said.

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Clinton remains mum on presidential bid

By Charles Richards
Associated Press writer

DALLAS — Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton, is mulling a decision on whether to seek the Democratic presidential nomination, but says he would welcome competition in the campaign.


Clinton

Asked Friday when he might make up mind, Clinton said only, "Soon. Very soon."

As far other serious Democratic candidates, the more the better, he added. That includes Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas, the vice presidential nominee for the Democrats in 1988.

"It would tickle me if Senator Bentsen would run. And if (N.Y. Gov.) Mario (Cuomo) wants to get in the race, that's fine. To me, it's more important that we have a serious debate about what it takes to get this country going again than whether I run for president. The country will be well served by having as many attractive candidates run as possible."

Clinton is one of several potential Democratic challengers to President Bush. But West Virginia Sen. Jay Rockefeller withdrew earlier in the week, and Cuomo told a group of mayors Friday that he isn't interested in being a presidential candidate.

Clinton said he received a lot of encouragement to seek the presidency during a swing through Texas.

"I didn't solicit it anywhere, but there's been a lot of encouragement. Several people came up to me and told me they hope I run. There was a lot of support especially from friends in the Legislature that I've known for many years."

Clinton met Thursday with Texas Gov. Ann Richards and spoke to state legislators meeting in special session. He flew to San Antonio and then to Houston before continuing to Dallas on Friday on his way back to his home state.

He went into a predominantly black neighborhood of south Dallas, where he visited for about an hour with organizers and officials of a credit union that caters to low-income people whose requests for loans have historically been rejected by traditional institutions.

'You look like a candidate.'

— the Rev. R.T. Conley, pastor
New Waverly Baptist Church, Dallas

"You look like a candidate. The fact you came in here says a lot for you," said the Rev. R.T. Conley, pastor of New Waverly Baptist Church and one of several black leaders who helped establish the Common Ground Community Federal Credit Union in Dallas.

If Clinton decides to run for president, Conley said, "continue coming to the grassroots level, and let folks like us help you solve your problem instead of spending a million dollars on a survey. We are crying out for help."

The Arkansas governor praised the credit union for its success. Under the credit union's individualized approach, many people in the neighborhood opened savings and checking accounts for the first time, with deposits of as little as $7.

Despite offering loans for home and business improvements, automobiles and other personal reasons to people that couldn't get the loans elsewhere, the repayment rate has been better than 99 percent, said one of the founders, John Fullinwider.

"It's real important for people to know you're operating a credit union in this neighborhood, in real adverse circumstances, making loans as small as $50 and $500, with a 99 percent repayment rate," Clinton said.

A reporter asked why blacks should vote for him instead of for Jesse Jackson.

"That depends upon whether he runs. Or whether I run. But I feel I have a strong commitment for all people. I have a strong civil rights record. I believe in community organization, giving people on the grassroots level more responsibility, providing them the health care they need, and safe streets."

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Trinette Baldwin, 1720 E. Oak, boy
Mr. and Mrs. Alan Christopher McNally, 5701 Crowley Blvd., girl
Mr. and Mrs. Juan Jose Nevarez, 3505 E. County Rd 158, twin boys
Mr. and Mrs. Aurelio Luna, 1617 E. Pecan, boy
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Willett, 301 S. Glenwood, girl

August 1, 1991

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Mr. and Mrs. Adam M. Andrade, 2300 North 'A' #1305, girl
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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gerard O'Neil, 2513 Maxwell Drive, girl
Mr. and Mrs. David Alan Hamm, 4509 S. County Rd 1205, girl
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lynn Davis, 1707 S. Belmont, boy
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffrey Drumm, 4402 Tanner Drive, girl
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Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Rodriquez, 4312 Cedar Spring, girl

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clay, 205 Edgewood #D, girl
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MC to host orientation for adult students Wednesday

Staff Report

A widow, a divorcee, a laid-off worker and a single parent might need the same information about classes available at Midland College. But there's a fear they face of not being able to compete, of not knowing how to study, or not knowing where to obtain help.

Those are some of the apprehensions that a Mature Student Orientation is designed to alleviate. Such an orientation is scheduled Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. in the Student Services area of the Student Center.

"With our students' average age about 29 or 30 years, we are accustomed to dealing with the more mature student, as well as the student just out of high school," said Camal Dakil, dean of students. "For more than 10 years, we have conducted separate orientations for older students."

The session will deal with such issues as financial aid, babysitting, aid from local, state, and federal sources. It also explains the registration system, grade point averages, and even why the library now is called a Learning Resource Center.

"Age differences vanish quickly in college. Once students get here, they learn they are in the same boat whether they are 18 or 38," Dakil said. "And our mature students usually are highly motivated, very focused on their goals, bringing varied experiences into the classroom."

There's no charge or advance registration required for the orientation.

Midland College health-science graduation slated Thursday

Staff Report

Graduation ceremonies for three Health Sciences classes at Midland College are scheduled for 7 p.m. Thursday. Forty students who have completed studies in Vocational Nursing, Respiratory Care, or Radiography programs will be recognized during Thursday's program in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium.

"These students are completing 12-month programs at this time, so special ceremonies are conducted for them," said Dr. Eileen Piwetz, chair of the Health Sciences Division.

Candidates from the Vocational Nursing program are: Angi M. Blackwood, Dana A. Brown, Jerrell R. Brown, Susan Leigh Gough, Beverly Harp, Cynthia J. Heath, Sara Hernandez, Frances Jarrett, Carrie Lee Ann Jones, Kelly Kingston, Bonnie Lewis, Kim A. Neil, Gail Pardue, Roger E. Patterson, Viola Pride, Patricia D. Taylor, Vickie VanNess, Nenita C. Ward, Donna F. Watson, Leah Wood, and Deborah A. Zimmerman.

Those competing the Respiratory Care program include: David Richard Allen, Dennie E. Arnold, Bryan D. Bullen, Mary Jane Carrasco, Johnny D. Duncan, Helen Patrice Hallmark, Alan N. Martin, Tracey Jo Marvin, Nagib N. Noormohamed, Michael L. Taylor, and Lori M. Toomire.

The Radiography graduates are: Sherry Lynn Constable, Marla Kay Dudley, Jodie L. Edge, Donna Drucilla Lloyd, Betty Nell Mitchel, Connie Lynn Reynolds, Andres Arturo Sisneros, Jr., and Kama Leigh Tubb.

Reception planned for Tech president

Staff Report

Texas Tech Alumni are hosting a reception for Robert W. Lawless, president of Texas Tech University in Lubbock, 7-8 p.m. Tuesday at Midland College.


Lawless

The reception will be in the Student Center's Chaparral Hall on the MC campus.

Tech alumni and members of the public are invited to attend.

Lawless, president of the university since 1989, will speak on issues concerning higher education. Texas Tech is in the same district with the University of Texas of the Permian Basin under State Sen. John Montford.

The reception will be followed by an informal discussion for Tech alumni interested in participating in the local former students' organization.

Mike Stevens, manager of the MC Chaparral Center and Texas Alumni chairman, is heading up the event.

For more information call 685-4584.

Ducks die of botulism

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Texas A&M veterinarians say botulism has killed about 60 ducks at a local lake within the past two weeks.

Veterinarians at the Texas A&M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory performed autopsies on two ducks from Medical Park Lake.

The two ducks had suffered from a type of paralysis caused by ingesting botulism causing agents, said veterinarian Karen Post.

Botulism is a type of food poisoning caused from eating spoiled food or produced naturally by bacteria.

Four dead ducks have been discovered in the past few days, indicating that botulism causing agents may be flushed from the lake by rain.







Management plan gives hope to saving coastline

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Gulf Coast stretches for 367 miles from Sabine Pass to Brazos Island, but there's not as much of it as there once was.

Erosion, aggravated by man, continues to wash away one of the state's most precious natural treasures, in some places leaving only 600 feet of land between the Gulf of Mexico and the Intracoastal Waterway.

"How many Texans through the years have spent all these Saturday and Sunday afternoons on beaches that no longer exist, particularly in places like Galveston where we really lost a major part of our heritage in Texas because of some manmade changes?" Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro says.

Help may be on the way.

Select members of the General Land Office have come up with a draft Coastal Zone Management plan which could make Texas eligible at long last for $2 million a year in federal funds to protect its coast, and allow the state to qualify for federal flood insurance and location of an offshore oil terminal.

Presently, among 27 coastal states — including those on the Great Lakes — only Texas, Georgia and Ohio do not have federally approved coastal management plans, according to the Land Office.

Such a plan has been stymied for years by business interests that felt it was not in their best interest, a Land Office official said.

Mauro recently briefed reporters on what's at stake on the coast.

The numbers are impressive.

More than one-third of Texas' population and economic activity is concentrated within 100 miles of the coast, which is home to almost 65 percent of the nation's petrochemical capacity and 25 percent of its refining capacity.

Texas ports handled more than 291 million tons of cargo in 1987, and cargo transported via the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway in 1989 had a total value of $23.6 billion.

Tourism along the coast produces more than $6 billion a year in revenue.

Yet approximately 220 miles are eroding at rates of between one and 50 feet per year, and about two-thirds of bay shores are eroding, the Land Office said.

Erosion is so severe at Sargent Beach in Calhoun County that only 600 feet separates the Intracoastal Waterway from the Gulf of Mexico.

"A breach in this strip of land would expose the channel to the open gulf, disrupting" multi-billion dollar ship and barge traffic, the Land Office said in a report.

State-owned wetlands, or marshes, are valued as high as $30,000 per acre a year. But in Texas, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service estimates that 8.4 million acres, or 52 percent of the total acreage, was lost between the 1780s and 1980s — the second highest total of any state.

Wetlands were addressed by a 1991 law that directs the Parks and Wildlife Commission and the School Land Board to adopt a "no net loss" policy as part of a conservation plan that would call for state acquisition of certain privately owned wetlands.

Mauro said the 1991 law authorizing the land commissioner to develop a coastal management plan "envisions the state, cities, counties and federal government getting together and replacing some of that heritage with some kind of beach enhancement program."

Deputy Land Commissioner Andrew Mangan said in the 1970s tens of millions of dollars were spent on "beach renourishment" in other states, with Miami Beach one of the more successful projects.

Mauro said the 1991 Texas law allows the Land Office to address dune protection and beach access, as well as erosion, but the "most interesting part" of the statute establishes the Coastal Coordination Council, whose job will be to make certain that federal and state agencies and local governments comply with the coastal management plan.

The seven-member council "has the potential to remand any permit issued by any agency — state or federal — that we feel does not adhere to the coastal plan for the state of Texas," Mauro said.

Council members include the land commissioner, a railroad commissioner, attorney general, chair of the Texas Water Commission, chair of the Parks and Wildlife Commission and two coastal residents appointed by the governor — one a city or county elected official.

No other state has a coastal policy council with such a broad diversity, Mauro said. "We're the only one in the country that has citizen membership."

"Most other states see this as a zoning process," Mauro said. "But we want to set broad guidelines and then let individual city and county governments come up with plans that make sense for their areas."

The law, he said, "specifically attempts to put as much authority at the grassroots level as possible."

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— Garry Mauro



AP Laser Photo

Rosalie Hall combs the beach at Sargent near the jagged end of FM 457. At one time the road stretched another quarter of a mile into the gulf, giving residents access to the more than 50 homs that have since been destroyed by the advancing waves.

Jewelry may be left from serial rapist

AUSTIN (AP) — Police have discovered jewelry scattered along a five-mile stretch of U.S. 79 between Hutto and Taylor that they believe a serial rapist discarded while fleeing.

The jewelry, some of which has been linked to a string of burglaries and sexual assaults in Austin, was found by Austin investigators last week, said Sgt. Hector Reveles of the sex crimes division.

Investigators made the discovery after a highway maintenance employee found a driver's license of one of the rapist's victims along the roadway. The worker gave it to a fellow employee who mailed it to the victim. That's when it caught the attention of investigators.

The lead investigator on the case then went to the area where the license was found and began finding things taken during the Austin burglaries and sexual assaults that police linked to a lone serial rapist, Reveles said Friday. He declined to identify other items recovered.

The jewelry and items were scattered along both sides of the roadway, Reveles said. Police said they haven't linked any assaults in Hutto or Taylor to the man but are looking at the possibility that he used U.S. 79 to leave Austin.

"One theory under investigation is that the suspect discarded the evidence and fled the area immediately following the public release of information by police," Reveles said.

On July 29, police announced that they had linked a string of 10 break-ins in Austin to one man and said the man might be in possession of large amounts of jewelry.

In about half of the break-ins, women were sexually assaulted. The last Austin case attributed to the man occurred in mid-July.

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Administering the funds will be Bill Burns, Midland College's financial aid director.

"You can't imagine how exciting this is for our GED graduates," said Cindy Turland, director of the college's Adult Basic Education programs.'

"We have been able to assist a few of our top GED graduates each year if they enrolled at Midland College, but not to this extent. We've notified all of the 1991 GED graduates of the new Abell-Hanger grant and expect to hear from many of them next week."

The agreement notes that the grants are to be used for students who are not otherwise eligible for scholarships or grants.

This is just the latest in a series of outstanding contributions which the Abell-Hanger Foundation has made to the educational advancement of local residents through Midland College," Parrish noted.

"Almost since Midland College was started in 1972, the Abell-Hanger Foundation has provided financial assistance for nursing students. Six years ago, they began the notable financial aid program for a majority of high school graduates in Midland County who wished to attend Midland College, Parrish said

"Just one year ago, the Foundation joined with the Midland Memorial Hospital Foundation to underwrite the cost of doubling the number of ADN (Associate Degree Nursing) students at Midland College," Parrish added. "This latest grant assists a group of individuals who have demonstrated their strong desire to obtain an education by studying at one of the three GED centers which the college operates in Midland."

Burns pointed out that only Midland County residents who obtained their GED certificates in 1991 would be eligible to apply for the new grant. Such applicants, he said, would be considered on the basis of their GED test scores.

Information about the program may be obtained from Ms. Turland Monday through Thursday for the next two weeks, prior to fall registration.

Qualified persons should contact Ms. Turland by calling 685-4566 or by visiting the Adult Learning Center in the Occupational-Technical Building.

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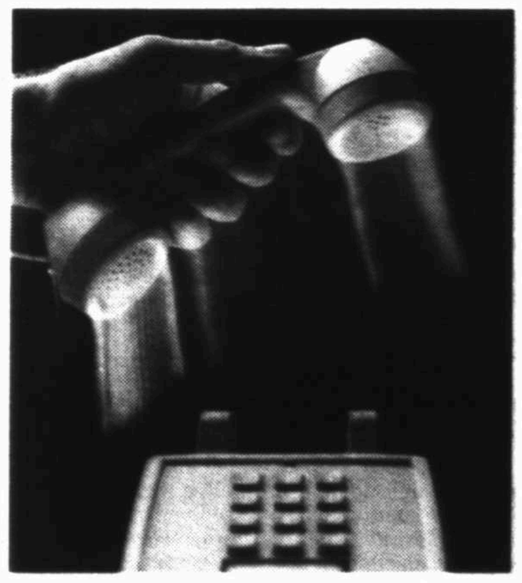
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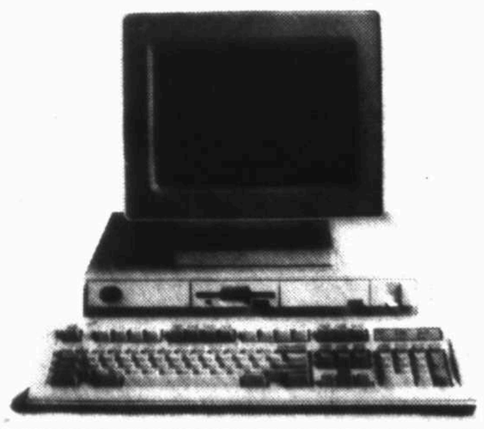


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NATIONAL STRENGTH WITH A PERSONAL TOUCH

Neighborhood rocks over lead debate

DALLAS (AP) — Many of the people in West Dallas just plain don't feel good.

They have headaches, nausea and constipation. They suffer from liver or kidney disease. Many of their children have learning problems.

They blame the rocks. The lead rocks, left behind by three now-abandoned smelters that operated for more than 50 years in the run-down neighborhoods along the Trinity River basin and just a brisk walk from downtown.

Many of the residents' complaints parallel the symptoms of lead poisoning.

"I know I have lead all in me," says Veba Agent, 63, afflicted with many illnesses. She blames 43 years of drinking oily, rainbow-colored water and says her children have suffered sores and pains for years due to lead.

While experts don't down play the seriousness or possibility of lead poisoning, many suggest the recent explosion of concern is unjustified.

"Lead should not be used as a scapegoat for other health problems," said Dallas toxicologist Dr. Thomas Kurt.

Neighborhood activists counter that racism is at the heart of government attitude, including a recent government test that said the air was not dangerous — meaning no federal money would be spent on cleanup for now.

"The city doesn't do anything for us because we've got a lot of poor blacks and Mexicans," said Rev. R.T. Conley, 61, of New Waverly Baptist Church.

The RSR Corp. smelter, which operated between 1929 and 1984, looms large and intimidating at a major intersection less than a quarter-mile from Conley's home.

Residents have focused on the RSR smelter, but two other smelters have operated in nearby Oak Cliff. Preliminary testing is being conducted on a site near one of the smelters but no results have been recorded.

The smelters refined and purified lead for use in various products like ammunition and batteries.

RSR closed after a 1983 pollution lawsuit filed by city and state officials. The Murmur Corp. now owns, but doesn't operate, the smelter. The other smelters closed late last year and in 1978.

Citizens are worried about toxic slag, a byproduct of lead smelting most commonly seen as rocks or boulders.

The people say they've been contaminated for years.

Nationally, studies have shown that 55 percent of poor and black children have unhealthy lead levels, but no statistics are available for West Dallas.

Fred Barnes, who heads the city's environmental department, says there's no way to know how many people may have been affected by the emissions because the smelters operated for so long.

However tests have turned up few lead-contamination cases.

Jim Schermbeck, a spokesman for the citizen environmental group Texans United, said people obviously feel aftereffects of years of lead exposure, despite the city's claims.

And hundreds of residents of West Dallas, led by Conley, want money and time given to them now for what they say is years of suffering.

Conley contacted the Dallas Times Herald in June, prompting an investigation into four slag sites.

On July 8, the Texas Water Commission found "astronomically high" levels of lead contamination at the four sites. All are near the old RSR smelter.

The company was ordered in 1984 to eliminate contaminated soil within a half-mile of the plant and to institute other cleanup actions, but citizens doubt the efforts were done correctly or wholeheartedly.

RSR Corp. Vice President John DePaul did not return calls from The Associated Press.

During a recent tour of the neighborhood, Conley saw two children playing near his church, then picked up a rock and scraped it with a pocket knife to reveal a glistening lead chunk.

"Children have played with this stuff for years and years," he said. "The minute you touch lead, you're contaminated," Conley said.

One hilly slag site, across the street from a shopping center, contains thousands of lead pieces scattered from the top of the site to the creek below.

It is pastoral, with high weeds and thick brush, but its beauty is dangerously deceptive.

As Conley strolled through the area, he said people often wait at a bus stop at the site and sit on slag rocks, not knowing the danger.

The July 8 retest was done after testing in 1984 and 1985, which some suggest did not accurately measure contamination levels.

The second test, using a different procedure, found the slag heaps were severely toxic. The samples measured between 9 and 395 parts per million. The recommended minimum level is 5 ppm.

Warning signs were put up and the TWC plans to fence the sites. But recent Environmental Protection Agency air tests found no immediate danger.

The 1,500-member West Dallas Coalition for Environmental Justice, a citizen's group, called for 17 reparations to the community, including money for ill health and the dismantling and removal of the RSR smelter.

The EPA eventually agreed to use a special X-ray machine to retest area soil. If it's found to be toxic, the EPA promised to pay for removing it.

"We're doing this to make sure citizens get protection from past contamination under the current EPA guidelines," said EPA spokesman Roger Meachem.

But many of the people aren't convinced.

"It's a shame they didn't come in before and do it right," said coalition president Luis Sepulveda. "That's why the people don't trust anyone. All the people we ask for help from end up lying to us.

"We want slag gone, not fenced or capped. But it's getting around election time and no one wants to get involved."

Also, the TWC said there isn't enough state landfill space to fit what may add up to three million cubic yards of contaminated soil.

Disposing of slag could cost taxpayers millions of dollars.

Citizens said it wouldn't have been so expensive if officials had responded to their pleas years ago.

Conley complained for years, but "city officials would tell us lead wasn't harming us," he said. Then "a Parkland Hospital doctor finally told me around 1980 lead causes high blood pressure and other ailments.



AP Laser Photo

R.T. Conley, 61, holds a piece of slag, toxic lead waste, at a dump site in West Dallas.



AP Laser Photo

West Dallas resident Veba Agent, 63, drinks from a water cooler after what she said is 43 years of swallowing an oily, rainbow-colored liquid. Agent said she "I know I have lead all in me."

New York star map makes Tinsel Town look dull

NEW YORK (AP) — Ever wonder what restaurant Frank Sinatra favors when he's in the Big Apple? Who coiffed Eric Clapton's hair? Where the reclusive Greta Garbo lived?

Well, Larry Wolfe-Horowtiz did, and he's put together that information and a whole lot more in a New York Map to the Stars that makes Tinsel Town look dull.

New York "is where they have a home before Hollywood. This is where they make it and this is where they come back," Horowitz said recently while guiding a group of about 60 starry-eyed people down Central Park West.

The outing was to publicize the map which actually is designed to let the star-struck dispense with guides and make up their own tours. They can choose from among 384 domiciles that are home or pied-a-terre to celebrities from music, movies, television, theater, sports, opera and dance.

"I've lived here for 43 years and now I'm finally going to see where the stars live," said Manhattanite David Johnson while waiting for the tour.

"When you live in New York you expect to see some stars, otherwise you might as well be living in Des Moines, Iowa," said Brooklyn resident Rose Kenny, whose personal star search has taken her to court trials and memorial services on occasion.

The full-color, poster-sized map lists Michael Douglas at 151 Central Park West, Fay Wray at 721 Fifth Ave. and Madonna at 1 W. 64th St.

The "material girl" moved there after the co-op board of the San Remo at 146 Central Park West, rejected her application for a $1.4 million apartment in 1985, Horowitz said.

Next door, at 145 Central Park West, you'll find actor Dustin Hoffman, singer Barry Manilow and actors Bruce Willis and Demi Moore, husband and wife who just purchased a $10 million condominium.

Also listed are the one-time addresses of such late stars as Garbo, 450 E. 52nd St.; Jayne Mansfield, 52 E. 69th St.; Rock Hudson, 211 Central Park West; Humphrey Bogart at 434 E. 52nd St.; and Spencer Tracy, 100 E. 50th St.

The map gives addresses up to 96th Street but the cartographer says the greatest concentration of celebrities, about 80, live between 77th and 88th streets on Central Park West.

Horowitz said several stars, such as late night talk show host David Letterman, were left out for privacy reasons, "because he's been harassed."

But for those listed, the 36-year-old realtor notes that the map "is not meant to be used for disturbing the celebrities. ... Please respect their privacy."

In case gaping outside of their buildings isn't a thrill, the Toronto, Canada, native also lists favorite eateries, hotels, night spots and beauty salons.

It says the Chairman of the Board's favorite Italian restaurant is Patsy's at 236 W. 56th St. and notes that Woody Allen plays the clarinet every Monday night at Michael's Pub, 211 E. 55th St.

No killer hurricanes for 1991, meteorologist predicts

N.Y. Times News Service

The East Coast of the United States and the Caribbean area are in little or no danger of being struck by a major hurricane this year, according to a new forecast. But the next two decades should see the return of a pattern of more frequent killer storms that prevailed from the late 1940s through the 1960s, the forecasters warned.

The forecast, based on a number of climactic and meteorological factors identified by Dr. William M. Gray of Colorado State University, an expert in tropical cyclones, says that in 1991 there will be no Atlantic hurricanes in categories 3 through 5 of the Saffir-Simpson scale of hurricane intensity. The vast majority of damage caused by hurricanes results from a relatively few highly destructive storms in those categories.

Category 3 storms have top winds of 111 mph to 130 mph, category 4 of 131 mph to 155 mph and category 5 of more than 155 mph. The Atlantic hurricane season runs from June through November.

"The 1991 Atlantic hurricane season will likely be substantially less active than have the hurricane seasons of the last three years," Gray said in the forecast issued last Friday.

The Gray forecast has been issued since 1984, but it has yet to establish a track record in its improved form, which employs a wide array of predictive factors.

Last year, when the forecast made its debut in its present form, Gray predicted there would be six hurricanes in the Atlantic Basin. There were actually eight. He predicted there would be 25 days in which hurricanes existed. There were 27.5 such days. And he predicted two hurricanes in category 3 or of greater intensity. There was one, and it did not make landfall.

This year, in addition to predicting no killer storms, the Gray forecast says there will be about three Atlantic hurricanes weaker than category 3 and about 10 days in which hurricanes exist.

The forecast is based on a number of factors, including sea-surface temperatures, atmospheric pressures over the ocean and shifts in major wind currents.

But the most important factor, Gray says, and the strongest single predictor, is rainfall in the western Sahel region of West Africa, just east of the area in the Atlantic where hurricanes are spawned.

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50 Legal Notices

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland, Independent School District, Midland, Texas, is requesting bids on Police Vehicle. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from the Director of Purchasing, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, TX. Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE

The City of Midland finds that the properties located at the following locations & addresses:

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AND ADDRESS

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Edward H. Black, Jr.
101 Holly Dr.
Midland, TX 79703

Lot 18, Blk. 20,
Permian Estates
203 Holly Dr.
Ronald F. Winkler
203 Holly Dr.
Midland, TX 79703

E. 262' of W. 160'
Lot 1, Blk. 7,
Westgate Acres
Section 2
1603 Idlewilde Dr.
Office Furniture Cntr
c/o David Hancock
1400 Manor St.
Midland, TX 79703

M.50' of Lot 2
Blk. 11,
Finley Heights
1303 S. Johnston St.
S. F. Hubble
1303 Johnston St.
Midland, TX 79701

Lot 7, Less 5.11'
& 5.11' of Lot 8,
Block 5-A
Sunset Acres
2002 Tarleton St.
Roy S. Day, Jr.
2002 Tarleton St.
Midland, TX 79703

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& W. 40' of Lot 11,
Block 59,
West End
1602 W. Washington Ave.
Joyce Wallen
1602 W. Washington Ave
Midland, Texas 79701

Lots 10-17,
Blk. 7,
Trinity Estates
Section 2
3300-3314 Wedgewood Ct.
Elms Tracy Trustee
P.O. Box 2519
Midland, TX 79701

Lot 22, Blk. 10,
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in the City of Midland, Texas, have become a public nuisance and health hasard in as much as they have become overgrown with weeds, tall grass and brush, become strewn with litter, or become a collection point for stagnant water. The owner of the above named properties are hereby ordered to abate the nuisance within ten (10) days and notify the City of Midland Property Code Administration of the same. Otherwise, the City of Midland will then enter the property, abate the nuisance thereon, and charge the cost of so doing as a lien against the property. You may appeal the decision of the City of Midland to enter your property and assess a lien against it by contacting the City Manager's Officer at 300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas 79701, phone number 685-7200 within nine (9) days of this notice.
August 4, 11, 1991

50 Legal Notices

Bid #1-91

AUCTION SALE

FOR THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

LEGAL NOTICE: FOR THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS. A PUBLIC AUCTION WILL BE CONDUCTED ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 1991 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10:00 A.M. AND 1:00 P.M. MISCELLANEOUS SALES WILL BEGIN AFTER 11:00 A.M.
PLACE: CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF FLEET SERVICES LOCATED AT 500 N. CARVER STREET, MIDLAND, TEXAS.

THIS PUBLIC AUCTION SALE WILL BE CONDUCTED TO SELL ITEMS AS INDICATED ON THE FOLLOWING LIST:

12	1982-1985 Police Cars
8	1983-1988 Automobiles
13	1982-1986 1/2 Ton Pickups
2	1982-1986 3/4 Ton Pickups
4	1982-1985 1 Ton Flat Bed Trucks
1	1984 3/4 Ton Flat Bed Truck
1	1979 IHC 1850 Garbage Truck w/Pakmor Refuse Assembly
1	1980 IHC 1850 Garbage Truck w/Pakmor Refuse Assembly
1	Ambulance Module

Miscellaneous Office Machines, Office Furniture and Office Supplies.

Approximately 1,000 Miscellaneous items including Lexitron Word Processor with printer and cabinet, Harris Lanier Word Processors, Computer Stands, 19-Traffic Signal Control Cabinets, Sewerline Camera and component parts, Pagers, Cash Register, Mini Blinds, Clothes, Kitchen Utensils, Jewelry, Hand Tools, Power Tools, Telephones, Televisions, VCR's, Home and Car Stereo Equipment, Air Rifle, Air Pistols, Knives, Lawnmowers, etc. and many more items too numerous to list.

This is a partial list of items to be sold. Items may be added to or deleted from this list prior to sale time.

THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ALL OR PART OF ANY OFFER AND TO ACCEPT THE OFFER MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS. ALL ITEMS WILL BE SOLD ON AN "AS IS, WHERE IS" BASIS. THE CITY OF MIDLAND MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS CONCERNING ANY SALE AND DOES NOT WARRANT THE MECHANICAL CONDITION OF ANY ITEM TO BE SOLD. FOR FURTHER DETAILS COVERING THIS SALE, CONTACT THE PURCHASING DIVISION OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS P.O. BOX 1152, TELEPHONE NUMBER 685-7234 OR 685-7237 OR RENE BATES AUCTIONEERS, INC. (TX. LIC. NO. 012-0331), RT. 4, McKINNEY, TEXAS. PHONE (214) 542-1604.

PUBLIC HEARING
The Rankin I.S.D. will conduct a public hearing on August 22, 1991 at 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium for the purpose of adopting a budget for the 1991-92 school year. Due to the uncertainty of funding for the budget, a tax rate will be considered at a later date.
August 11, 1991

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

WHEREAS By virtue of Writ of Execution issued out of the 142nd Judicial District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 28th day of May 1991, in Cause No. T-6786, where Midland Central Appraisal District was/were Plaintiff, and Sid Lennox, et al was/were Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of Two hundred eighty seven DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 0(none) per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 29th day of July, 1991, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Sid Lennox, et al to-wit:

BEING the north Fifty feet (N/50') of Lot Four (4), Block Thirteen (13), HALEY HEIGHTS ADDITION, an addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof of record in the office of the County Clerk of Midland County, Texas

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above described premises, together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging, unto the said grantee, his heirs and assigns forever; and we do hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators to WARRANT AND FOREVER DEFEND all and singular the said premises unto the said grantee, his heirs and assigns, against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof.

and on the 3rd day of September, 1991, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Sid Lennox, et al in and to said above described property.

Witness my hand this the 29th day of July, 1991.

GARY PAINTER, Sheriff,
Midland County, Texas
By Charlie M. Hodges, Deputy
August 11,18,25, 1991

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF BUSINESS FORMERLY OPERATED AS A SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP

NOTICE OF INTENTION
TO INCORPORATE
GOING BUSINESS

Notice is hereby given that OV Stidham, transferor, heretofore a sole proprietorship, doing business at Midland, Texas, will be dissolved and that after July 9, 1991, the business will be conducted by Konner's Kar Kleen, Inc., transferee, a Texas Corporation, at Midland, Texas. This notice is given pursuant to Article 1302-2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act, Section 6.103(7) of the Texas Business and Commerce Code, and Section 35 of Article 613b of the Texas Civil Statutes.
August 4,11,18,25, 1991

LEGAL NOTICE

Midland College is now accepting sealed bids for a new "1991/92 crew cab-fleetside pickup specifications may be picked up at the Midland College Business Office. Bids will be accepted no later than 3:00 PM Thursday, August 22, 1991. Bids should be addressed to Midland College Business Office, 3600 N. Garfield, Midland, TX 79705. Bids will be opened and read aloud in the Business Office on August 22, 1991. The College reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted. Midland College is an Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity Employer and requires Compliance with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.
August 11, 14, 1991

SHERIFF'S NOTICE SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

Whereas, by virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the 142nd District Court of Midland County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 12th day of June 1991, in favor of Kenneth D. Mayes and against Macvin Engineers, LTD and Macvin Industries, Inc. and being No. A-36,496 on the docket of said Court, I did at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 6th day of August 1991, levy upon the following described personal property belonging to the said Macvin Engineers, LTD and Macvin Industries, Inc. to-wit:

10 Pumping Units as follows:
JH4-071
JH4-10-3
JH4-037
JH4-026
JH4-033
JH1-016
JH1-06
JH7-011
JH-81-030
JH-81-028
TO BE SOLD AS IS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will offer for sale the above described personal property at 3950 Jardon City Hwy., (Kodiak Oilfield Equipment) in Midland, Midland County, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock AM., on the 16th day of August, 1991, to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered cause.

WITNESS MY HAND This the 6th day of August, 1991.

Gary Painter, Sheriff
Midland County, Texas
By Pat Deines, Deputy
August 11, 1991

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF TEXAS

TO: FRANCISCO E. LEON, Respondent:

"You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. The petition of FELICITA LEON, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Midland County, Texas, on June 28, 1990, against FRANCISCO E. LEON, Respondent, numbered 22,838 and entitled "Original Petition for Divorce". The suit requests that the marriage entered into on the 22nd day of October, 1982 be dissolved and that the existing community property be divided in a fair and just manner.

"The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of the property which will be binding on you.

"Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Midland, Texas, this 6th day of August, 1991".

VIVIAN WOOD
Clerk of the District Court
of Midland County, Texas
By: Mary Smelser, Deputy
August 11, 1991

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITATION

TO: C & M OILFIELD CONSTRUCTION BY SERVING ITS REGISTERED AGENT JACK CRUSE, DEFENDANTS IN THE CAUSE HEREIN DESCRIBED.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer before the County Court at Law of Midland County, Texas, by filing a written answer to the DEFENDANT CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.'S ANSWER AND COUNTERCLAIM FOR INTERPLEADER AND DECLARATORY RELIEF and CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.'S MOTION TO DEPOSIT FUNDS INTO THE REGISTRY OF THE COURT AND ORDER of plaintiff at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days (42) after the date of issurance hereof, in cause number 6576, styled: CHAPARRAL INDUSTRIES, Plaintiff, vs. CHEVRON U.S.A. INC., Defendant, filed in said court on the 22nd day of April, 1991. The said Answer discloses that the nature of said suit is as follows:

The counter-plaintiff, Chevron, is engaged in the business of the exploration, production, manufacture and sale of minerals and petroleum in the State of Texas.

In the course and scope of business, Chevron accepted and approved a bid by Glenn Rex Inc. on December 1, 1988, to refurbish piping and emergency pits at the HSA lease Brine Station No. 2 in Ward, County, Texas. Glenn Rex completed this contract in May 1989.

Sometime in late May 1989, Chevron received Notice of Claims from several subcontractors who had not been paid for work performed on the project. Chevron made immediate inquiries and discovered that Glenn Rex had not paid counter-defendant and other defendants in a timely fashion.

Chevron is prepared to pay into the Registry of the Court the balance owed to Glenn Rex, Inc. This fund is being deposited with the Court for the benefit of counter-defendant and defendants herein conditioned upon an appropriate order of interpleader being issued by this court and the court's ruling as to who may be entitled to these funds.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT ON the 7th day of August, 1991, at Midland, Midland County, Texas.

VIVIAN WOOD
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at Law Midland County, Texas
By: Sue Jones, Deputy
August 11,18,25, 1991
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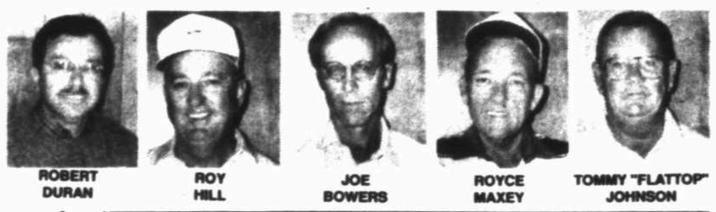
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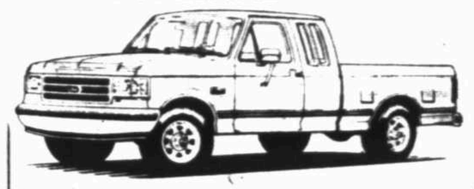


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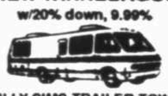
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Oak picture-frame paneling and a marble fireplace add warmth and grace to the living/dining area, while high ceilings make the already spacious room seem even more open. A sunset pink wall in the dining room provides a delightful accent.

From the dining room a doorway leads to the kitchen with its abundance of oak cabinets. A built-in freezer matches the cabinets and provides for additional food storage. A charming, sequestered breakfast area with bay windows facing the lovely, landscaped front yard, is located just off the other end of the kitchen. Other amenities found in the kitchen include a ceiling fan, built-in microwave, oven, range with grill, trash compactor and dishwasher.

A long hallway leads to the three bedrooms. Each bedroom has its own spacious bath with marble vanities and counter tops. On one side of the hall is a perfect room for the boys in the family. Both the bedroom and bath are appropriately decorated with wallpaper any boy would love. And mom's love the storage provided by the large walk-in closet, cabinets and built-ins.

Across the hall a boarder of pink, blue and yellow hearts beckon the female members of the clan. One wall of this room is painted a delicate shade of pink, coordinating with the heart boarder which goes all the way around the room. The bath to this room is charming with its pastel pink and blue wallpaper and feminine decorator touches.

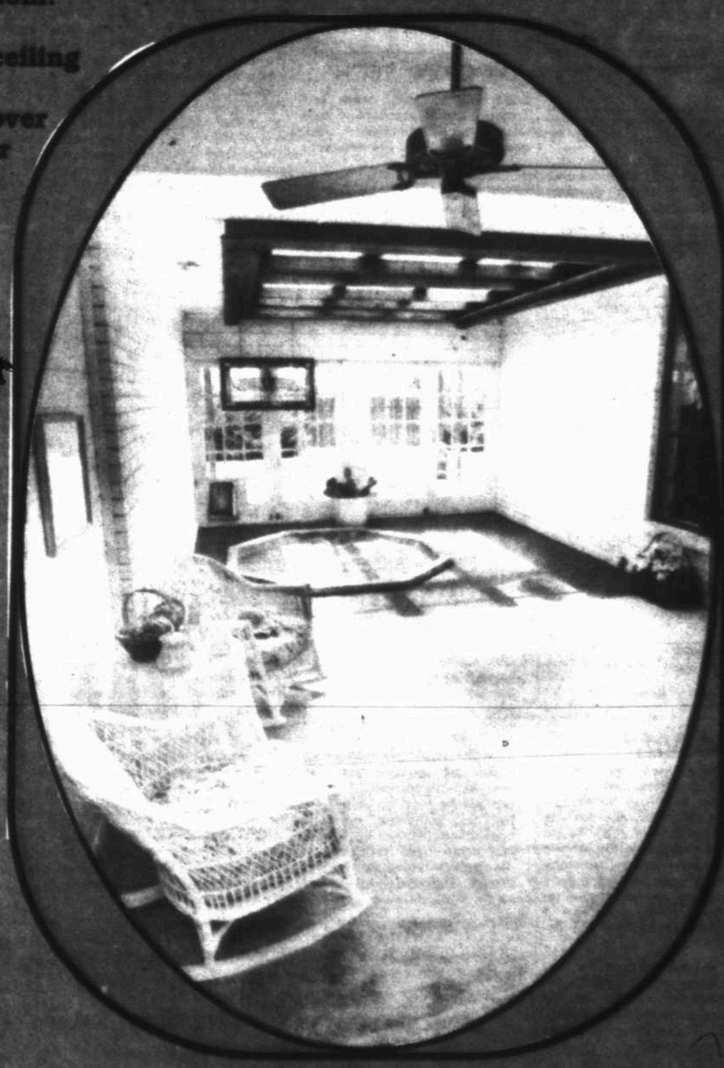
At the end of the hall is the master bedroom suite. Atrium doors provide a separate entrance to a sun room with a sunken hot tub. An elegant, corner bath provides a large, marble garden tub and separate shower. At separate ends of the curved room are his and her walk-in closets and marble-toped vanities. A wide wallpaper boarder of pastel pinks and blues in a Southwest design adds just the right accent of color to the predominantly white room.

The sun room has a ceiling fan at one end and a window-pane skylight over the hot tub at the other end. Green indoor/outdoor floor covering in this room is both attractive and practical. Atrium doors from the sunroom open onto the patio and backyard. A gas grill makes outdoor cooking a delight.

Curbed flower beds with lovely blooming plants in both the front and back yards makes yard work easier. Landscaping includes lots of beautiful pine trees surrounding the side and front yard. A huge curved driveway provides more than enough parking space for the average family.

This charming home, located in Midland's prestigious Green Tree edition, is offered by Don Harvey Realtors for $134,500. Call Polly Hodges for details.





The sun room, right, with its soothing hot tub is one of several family-oriented rooms found in this home.

Oak picture-frame paneling and a marble fireplace add warmth and grace to the living/dining area, left.

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Langston Realtors Talk About...

Executive home sales signal market strength

Recent activity in the upper third of the real estate market (properties listed or sold at $300,000 or more) certainly signals strength in this area of the market. But, more important, because this top third of the market is the first to fall off in a depressed economy and the last to gain strength in a recovery period, these recent sales and contracts on upper executive properties definitely indicate to us that the residential real estate market in our city is alive, well, prospering!



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This is confirmed by MLS statistics that indicate escalating average sales prices, sales volumes and number of homes sold with corresponding decreases in inventory and days on the market. In fact, the current number of homes for sale through MLS is approximately 25% fewer than at this same time last year!

But back to the encouraging activity in the upper executive market: since May 1 at least 7 homes listed at $300,000 or over have either closed or been put under contract - - 6 of them within 36 days or less. And, **we are proud that Langston agents were involved in all 6!!** Multiple contracts were even presented on Many of these properties.

These sales became even more significant when one considers that no sales in the over $300,000 price range occurred during this same period last year!

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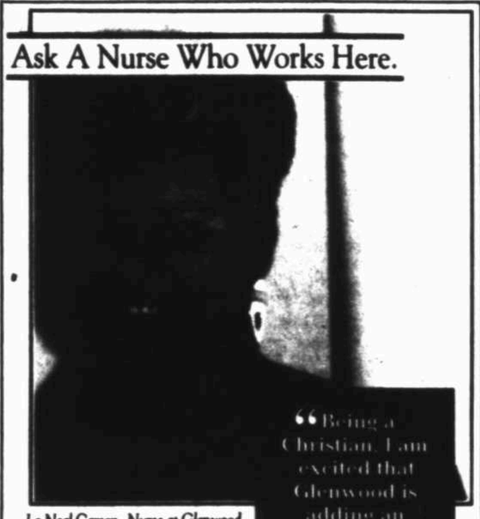
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Small independent Oil and Gas operating company seeks Petroleum Engineer with minimum 5 to 10 years experience. Strengths should include operational expertise, and drilling and completion techniques. Duties will also include some prospect evaluation. Non-Smoking environment. Salary DOE.

Send resumes to: BOX F-10
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Masters Degree or Masters Candidate in Psychology. Must be able to Administer Standardized Intelligence Test: WAISR. Stanford Binet IV. Must be able to Access Adaptive Behavior Levels: VABS Adaptive Behavior skills. Must be familiar with Behavior Therapy Programs, familiar in working with Developmentally delayed adults, have knowledge of group home environments. Individual must have good writing skills, good interpersonal relationship skills and good organizational skills. EEO/AAE.
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MIDLAND, TEXAS 79702

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EOE

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ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

The Oil Conservation Division of the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department (EMNR) is recruiting for the position of Chief Petroleum Engineer ($39,528-$55,721) authorized beginning October 1, 1991, and located in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Duties include analysis and review of technical data, development of regulatory policy rules and regulations, development of gas proration allowables and management responsibilities. Successful applicant should be a Registered Professional Engineer with broad industry/regulatory experience.
Persons interested in applying for this position must complete State Personnel Board Application SPB-300 and appear on the State Personnel Office Certificate of Eligibles issued to EMNRD for this position.
For information and an application form, contact or send a resume by September 1 to:

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
P.O. Box 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO, 87504
(505) 827-5803
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A vacancy exists at the Texas Department of Public Safety Headquarters, Located in Austin, for a System Programmer I (Systems Programmer). Salary $2,654.00.

Applications for this position must have any combination of education and experience equivalent to graduation from an accredited college or university with a major in data processing, computer science, business or a related field, plus one (1) year experience in computer systems analysis and/or computer programming in a medium to large scale data processing installation using IBM 43XX mainframes or plug compatible equivalents (Classroom or lab experience will not be applied to the minimum experience requirement). High school graduates may substitute additional years of qualifying experience for the college educational requirement at the rate of one (1) year experience per one (1) year of college.

Experience in any or all of the following areas would be beneficial: MVS or MVS/XA, IBM Assembler Language, COBOL, JES2, CICS Macro Level or CICS Command Level programming, indexed or direct file methods or data base Systems.

Duties will include, but are not limited to, the development and installation of new products, software maintenance, analyzing overall system performance and providing technical assistance to network subscribers.

Interested parties should contact the Texas Department of Public Safety Personnel Office at 512/465-2000, Ext. 3344 or 2269. Reference Announcement #083. Applications will not be accepted without a resume. US Citizenship required.

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ANCHOR WEST in Pecos, Texas, a premier organization as a leading top quality food processor and an affiliated company with ANCHOR FOOD PRODUCTS, INC., of Appleton, Wisconsin, has an immediate opening and an excellent opportunity for a qualified Q.C. Supervisor. The successful candidate will supervise Quality Control activities to insure optimum quality and product reliability at the most economical costs. Devise and implement inspection devices and techniques, monitoring schedules and quality standards involved in the acceptance of materials, production accuracies and end product quality. Maintain systems, records, and criteria and prepare any necessary reports. Individual must possess good supervisory and Q.C. background, preferably in food processing industry, with excellent organizational and communication skills. Strong computer systems background would be plus. B.S. Degree in Business Management. We offer good starting salary commensurate with background training, ability and experience along with complete benefit package. Qualified candidates should send resume along with salary history and requirements to:

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Requires: Any combination of education and experience equivalent to graduation from college in recreation, physical education or a related field, and two years of supervisory experience in community recreation work. Knowledge of the principles, problems and techniques of community recreation work; knowledge of community organization and resources: Knowledge of a wide variety of group social recreational activities; ability to gain and retain the support, confidence and enthusiasm of subordinate staff and participants: ability to supervise the work of others; ability to meet the public, to understand their interests and capabilities, and to adapt recreational and training activities to their needs. Prefer: 3 years of experience as an Assistant Recreation Supervisor or Community Center Supervisor; College course work in Business Administration. Salary Range: $21,694.40 - $21,440.00 Close date: 8 - 23 - 91
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Personnel
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Sweetwater, TX 79556

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320 Sales Help Wanted

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340 Child Care Needed

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341 Child Care Providers

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30 YEAR old Mother would like to keep children of any age in my home. Monday - Friday, 7 - 5:30. Fannin School area. $50/ weekly. Call 570-6314.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

QUALITY CHILD CARE at night plus Saturdays. Reasonable rates. Ages 0-10. Meals included. 694-4208.

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24 HOUR CHILD CARE-Summer and Fall openings; All ages welcome; Activities, meals, snacks, lot's of T.L.C. Reasonable rates - $1.00 an hour per child. Older lady has 20 years experience in child care. College graduate, degree in Psychology. Registered CNA. Inquire; 3417 N. Midland Dr. Apt. 606.

CHRISTIAN MOM would like to keep your child in her home. Ages 1 - 4. Monday - Friday. Clean, honest, dependable, Wydewood area. References available. 697-3531.

CHILD CARE for ages 3 years and up. Breakfast, lunch and snacks provided. Drop off and pick up from Jane Long. References. 694-6938.

FAMILY ATMOSPHERE, childcare in my home. Registered, big yard. 10 years experience & teaching experience. 682-2701.

MOM WITH degree, teaching experience has an opening for 1 child to join her group of little girl's. Ages 6-16 months. Quality care. 694-7913.

EVENINGS/ NIGHT SITTER, any ages, any hours after 5. Reasonable rates. Call 694-1170 for information.

YOUNG Christian Mother will keep your children in my home. Bush Elementary area. 520-2713.

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MEMORIAL AUCTION FOR TRACE GIBSON of Rankin
(To Help Defray Medical Expenses)
SATURDAY 10:00 a.m. Aug. 17, 1991
Midland, Texas

Location: 6690 E.S. IH-20 Service Road. (where IH-20 and Hwy. 80 cross) (off IH-20 east take exit 143 stay on service road, at stop sign go right to first tan building). (Off Hwy 80 cross over railroad tracks at crossing just west of IH-20 Overpass. Stay on service road to first metal building).

CELEBRITY ITEMS: George Strait; Autographed Sweater, Picture T-shirts, Autographed pictures. Kathy Mattea autographed T-Shirt. John Schneider; Autographed pictures. Christmas "Scrap Book". Lacy J. Dalton: Autographed pictures with guitar picks used on stage. Conway Twitty autographed biography, Wild Rose Band; Autographed pictures, cassette tape, T-Shirt, The Statlers; Sweatshirt, autographed picture. Ronnie McDowell; Autographed American Music Poster, autographed pictures, Roy Clark autographed T-Shirt, Tom T Hall autographed hat. Buck Owens autographed picture, Charlie Daniels Band: Hat, T-Shirt, Book "The Devil Went Down to Georgia". Mel McDaniel: CD, autographed picture, Dan Seals autographed concert tickets. Randy Van Warmer autographed CD. Vince Gill autographed pictures, Steve Wariner; Autographed album, autographed picture, Becky Hobbs; Bolo ties, autographed pictures, Zaca Creek; "Warpaint" VHS Music Video, CD, pictures, fact books, autographed posters. Bonnie Nelson; 2 cassettes, autographed pictures, autographed calendars. Dallas Cowboys autographed T-Shirt (Jimmy Johnson & Jerry Jones) and stickers.

OTHER DONATED ITEMS: Handmade Quilt and Afgan, Quilted Wall Hanging, Silk flower arrangements, Antique Pressure Cooker, New 3-gal Water can (Gott). New Bug & Gravel Defector, Conquistador Wall Plaques, New Crock Water Dispenser, New Petal Pot Pourri Bowl, Walt Disney Story Cassettes and books, New Balloon Baby Bed set, New Radio Shack "Space Patrol" Walkie Talkies, New Stuffed Animal, Jeans Vests, New AT&T Trimline Phone, Gordon's Jewelry Cleaner, some Watkins products, Various New clothing, Various Hand Made and Hand Painted items, and more. Gift Certificates from Jerry's Pets-Midland, Triple G. Pizza (KC for 2)-Big Lake, 36 mo. Battery from Glasscock Chevrolet-Big Lake, Perm from Hair House - Crane and more.

Preview: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Sale Day
TO DONATE ITEMS FOR THE SALE, PLEASE CALL 561-5133 IN MIDLAND
AUCTION SERVICES DONATED BY:
BALOG & BALOG AUCTIONEERING
Auctioneer: Mike Balog TXL #9170

AUCTION
SATURDAY-AUGUST 17, 1991-10:00 A.M.
LOCATION:From Stanton, TX (Martin Co.) 2 miles North on US #137
TRACTORS-HARVEST EQUIP.-81 JD #4440; 279 JD #4440; 78 Case #1070; 77 IHC #1486; 72 JD #4320; 68 JD #4020; 63 JD #4010; IHC F-12; 80 JD #484 Stripper; Bush Hog Module Builder; John Blue Module Builder; 2-JD #283 Strippers; AC #707 Stripper, for parts; New Holland Hay Baler;
TRUCKS-PICKUP-CAR-78 Ford F-600; 75 Int. 1600 Loadstar; 81 Ford 1/2 ton Pickup; 83 Ford LTD Car;
EQUIPMENT-5-Planters; 3-Tandem Disc; 2-Listers; 3-Gang Hoes; 2-Spinner Moldboard Breaking Plows; 3-Sandfighters; 2-Stalkcutters; Bed Kniter; 3-Crop Knifers; 3-Sets Markers; 4-Plow Packers; 500 gal Fuel Tank; 3-Shredders; Trellan Rig; 2-Blades; 5 Bottom Breaking Plow; Ripper Chisel Plow; 6-Tool Bars; 2-Springtooth harrows; 110 gal. Fuel Tank; 200 gal. Fuel Tank; 500 gal. Water Tank; 3-Herbicide Rig; Cyclone Seeder; Cultivator; V-Type Chisel Plow, 6 Bottom Semi-Mount Breaking Plow; 2-500 gal. Diesel Tanks; 250 gal. Fuel Tank; 500 gal. Propane Tank; Set Skap on Duals 18.4-38; 2-Roper Wioks; JD Grain Drill; 2-3 Wheelers
TRAILERS-2 Horse In-Line Trailers; 32' Drop Deck Trailer (Oil Patch); 16' 4 Wheel Trailer; 11-All Steel Cotton Trailers; 16-Cotton Trailers, Mixed; 2-Flat Bed Trailers; 5-Big 12 Cotton Trailers 20', 24'; 20' Seed Trailer; Gooseneck Stock Trailer;
IRRIGATION-SIDE ROLL 1200', 5" Main Line, 5" Wheels, bolted, Boss, (in use now). Located across the road NW of Stanton Cemetery. 60 JTS 4x40 Flow Line; 4 x 30 Flow line 45 Jts. 4" Gated Pipe
FUEL TANK-1-10,000 gal. Fuel Tank, Elec Pump. Located 6 miles East of intersection #137 and #176 (McCaskal Farm)
MOBILE HOME-1980 Wayside-14x78, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, ready to move.
NOTE: This sale is growing at print time should be larger by Aug. 17...HERB
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Shop Equipment, Vehicles, Office Equipment & Real Estate

AUCTION
American Machine & Mfg.
(Quitting Business)
WEDNESDAY 10:00 am AUGUST 14, 1991
ODESSA, TEXAS
Preview & Preregistration: Tuesday, August 13, 9:00am to 6:00pm.

Location: 4501 W. 16th (From IH-20 take West Loop 338 North to W. 16th St. Go west apx. 1 mile to sale site.)

VEHICLES: 1989 Chevrolet 3/4 ton Stretch Cab Pick-up with transferable extended warranty; 1985 Ford F-350 1-ton Diesel w/Flat Bed; 16' Utility Trailer, Tandem-axle w/ramps; 12' Utility Trailer, Single axle w/ramps.
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT: Summit 19x120 Lathe (S/N 5014, apx. 1981 Model); 2-Steady Rest; 1-Follow Rest; Shark 24x80 Lathe NL2000 (S/N 8162000, apx. 1981 Model); Monarch 36x72 Lathe (Mdgt 40057); Steady Rest 18" hole; Steady Rest 10 1/2" hole; #32 Precision Lucas Boring Mill (3 1/2" bar); Webb G-SS Power Mill (S/N 4811, apx. 1981 Model); Kearney & Trecker 425 TF Series Vertical Mill #4, 25 hp. w/double screw knee (S/N 4-8234); Morrison Keyseater 1 1/4 (S/N K81-5870) w/2 extra bars; Wellsaw 1000 (S/N 4811) Horizontal Band Saw; Summit 3-XHD Vertical Drill (S/N 516); Heald #22 14" Rotary Surface Grinder (S/N 20127); Industrial Seat Grinding Equipment (Sioux); Valve Lapping Table (Shop made); Neven tool Grinder (1 hp, 220); 40 ton Vertical Press; Craftsman 10" Band Saw; 2-Bench Grinders; Pedestal Grinder (Baldor); 1/2 hp Drill Grinder (Dayton); 2-300 amp Lincoln Idealarc Welders; 250 amp Lincoln Idealarc Welder; 250 amp Miller Welder; Sure Weld NCG 500 amp (Constant Voltage) Machine w/10-E Millermatic Wire Feeder; Eutectic Spray Gun; Curtiss Air Compressor (2 stage w/15 hp Baldor); 26" Vernier Calipher; Master Precision Level; Bolco Bore Gauge; 57" ID Mic; 1 1/2 to 32" ID Mics; apx. 10 OD Mics from 9" to 25"; Misc. Calipers; 12" Mill Vise; 6" Mill Vise; Yuasa Rotorary Table; Index Head; Bridgeport Type Collets; #40 Mill Tapers; Misc. Mill Tooling; Very Large Asst. of Drills & Taps; Bolt Bins; Work Benches; Platform Scale; Radiant Heaters; Budget 2 ton Hoist; Craftsman 12 drawer Roll Around Tool Cabinet & Kennedy 14 dr. Tool Cabinet; Many hand tools, misc. air tools, & many more items too numerous to list.
OFFICE EQUIPMENT: Phone System (AT&T Spirit, 4 phone, 6 line, Model 308/616); Typewriter (Royal Signet 200); 1991-Konica Royal 1290 Copier; 5-Desks; Office Chairs; Filing Cabinets; Sofa & Love Seat; Fireproof Safe; Misc. Office Furnishings & Supplies; Admiral Refrigerator; Hotpoint Microwave; Metal Shelving & more.
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AUCTION
MONDAY-
AUGUST 12,1991-
10:00 A.M.
LOCATION: From Seminole, TX (Gaines Co.) 3 miles south on US #385 (Tyler Equip. Co.)
TRACTORS:
78 JD #4240; IHC #3588 4 wheel drive; 71 IHC #1466; IHC F12;
HARVEST EQUIP
Bush Hog Module Builder (green); 77 JD #484 Stripper; Gleaner G Combine;
PEANUT EQUIP
2-2 Row Lilliston Peanut Combines; 4 Row Peanut Digger;
EQUIPMENT
14' Tandem Disc; 8 Row JD Planter; JD Shreader; Oliver Moldboard Breaking Plow; IHC Grain Drill; 28' Springtooth; 9 Row Tool Bar; 8 Row Tool Bar; 9 Row Lister; Rope Wick; 16' JD Offset Disc; 2-21' Springtooth Harrows; 5x18 Stanton Semi-Mount Moldboard Breaking Plow; Set 18.4-38 Snap on Dual;
TANKS
500 gal. Fuel Tank; 500 gal. Propane Tank; 100 gal. Fuel Tank;
IRRIGATION
9-Irrigation Motors Chev. & Ford
CAMPER
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NOTE: This is not a liquidation of Tyler Equipment, but is the disposal of Tractors and Equipment that has been stored for other Financial Institutions.
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405 Garage/Yard Sales

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3 FAMILY CARPORT SALE
1704 W. Kentucky
Friday-Sunday, 8:30 to 6
Kirby vacuum, kitchen appliances, linens, old glassware, jewelry, cookbooks, Equalizer hitch, ice cream freezer, old Bibles,ladies-/children's clothes, old records.
★★★ ★★★

★SUNDAY ONLY, 10 am. Housewares, antique swords, chrystals, miscellaneous. 4305 Roosevelt.

★GARAGE SALE: Saturday and Sunday. 2720 S. Midkiff. 1st house on right over interstate. 520-9304. Furniture and more.

REFRIGERATOR $90, gas and electric edgers, exercise bike, treadmill. 3314 Fannin. Friday Saturday, Sunday.

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316 W. HART AVE.
SAT. & SUN. 8:00 AM
Guns, boat, dishes, pots, pans, old cameras, bedspreads, clothes, plants, coffee table, dining table, book shelves, book case, glassware, a lot of miscellaneous.

2102 WESTERN: Multi-family Garage Sale. All MUST GO! Clothes, linens, nursery ensemble, gun cabinet, Dearborn Gar Heater, furniture, dishes and much, much more! Saturday & Sunday.

BACK YARD SALE: Saturday - Sunday, 1201 W. Illinois. Major household appliances, fixtures, doors, screens, etc. Children's clothing, baby furniture and lots more.

2405 Emerson Ct. Monday & Tuesday, 8 am - 2 pm. Sofa, furniture, kids clothes, back to school items.

1003 DENTON
(Located between Midkiff and Midland Drive, 1 block off Cuthbert)
SUNDAY 12-?
Teenage boys, adult clothing; linens; scooter bike; baseball equipment; miscellaneous.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

AUTOMOTIVE DETAIL service best in town. $39.95 and up. Cars, boats, trucks, vans, RV's. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Call 520-8303

LARGE SELECTION. Like new vacuum cleaners, priced to sell. Rankin Highway Flea Market. Every Saturday and Sunday.

TWO MAUSOLEUM Spaces for sale. Make offer. Call 682-5463 or 697-7128

410 Miscellaneous Sales

DRUM Corp International DCI World Championship finals in Cottonbowl - Dallas, 5 tickets, August 17th. 694-7441.

USED tanning beds. Miscellaneous furniture, microwave and refrigerator. Call 694-2000.

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LITTLE TYKES train, $75, Coupe, Rattan swing chair $130, Schwinn exercycle $50, Sony 8 mm video camera $400, playpen, carseat, rowing machine, rebounder. 697-7462.

GREENTREE Country Club membership, includes 1991 Driving Range fees. $800. Call 694-8637.

I BUY Old Amplifiers and Guitars, any condition. Call 682-3929, leave message.

EAGLES, Beautiful, hand carved wood, hand painted works of Art. Collectors dream. Excellent quality. Realistic detail, glass eyes. Compare at $500. Large 21 ½ "x18" high. $229.95 small. 11 ½ "x14" wing span $79.95. Call 699-1508.

There's a hole in one still left in this complete set of WILSON STAFF IRONS 2-9, best offer. Various other sports equipment and Movie Camera. Call 687-8881 8 to 5 Mon.- Fri.

JACUZZI seats 6 people, new $500 heater installed, asking $750. Call 689-8090 after 5 pm.

JOHN DEERE 20SR7 reel mower, like new. Excellent condition. Call 687-4922 after 5 PM.

ELECTRIC motor that sheers sheep for sale $250, clipper $75. 25 inch tractor $250. 683-8091.

GIRL's 20 inch beige and pink, Schwinn Bike $75. Good condition 694-2837.

PHILOSOPHY books used in Midland College Philosophy class. Half price $4. 694-4865 after 6 pm.

GAS POWERED Edger/ trimmer, good condition. $100. Please call 687-1849.

DP GYMPAC WEIGHT BENCH with weights, wooden Sears rocker. Good condition. Call 699-5655 after 6:30.

$$SAVE MONEY$$ List of the 200 best cards in the nation with the lowest interest rates, annual fees and longest grace periods. Send $29.95 to:
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Midland, Tx. 79707.

FOR SALE: washing machine $40. 26' color television $50, nice dining table and 6 chairs, $100. 1974 Datsun 260 Z body with 1977 motor $100. 697-8078.

DEMO Spa, portable with full warrantee. Morgan. 563-1860.

THERMAL pane windows, four 70 x 50, one 62 x 50. Storm door, 2.8 x 78". 694-6048.

TRAMPOLINE, 12' diameter, excellent condition. $200. Call 685-1458 after 5 PM.

LIKE NEW, copyright 1989 World Book Encyclopedia Imperial Deluxe Edition, lists for over $1000. Will sell for $350. Call 683-4771 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

PORCH SWINGS,$30. Glider Swings. Dog Houses, new $30; Bookcases $30, picnic table $45. 563-0452.

SADDLES also large quantity of sheet metal. Call 694-4516.

POOL table with accessories. $175; Mongoose bike, $75; Schwinn Traveler 10-speed, $125; Bundy cornet, $100. 682-5629.

KIDS CLOTHES, direct from Fall Market, Custom Bows. Call to see, 685-3023, 694-2928.

AUCTION
THURSDAY-AUGUST 15, 1991
10:00 A.M.
LOCATION: From Wolfforth, TX (Lubbock Co.) 4 Blocks South of Fina Service Station (Broomfield Hwy.)
TRACTORS:81 JD #4440; 80 JD #4440; 80 IHC #1086; 76 JD #4430; 77 IHC #1086; 75 IHC #1086; 76 Case #2870; 77 Case #1370; 69 JD #4020; 75 IHC #1566; 68 JD #4020; 66 IHC #1208; 65 JD #4020; JD #4020 Salvage; IHC Super M; 50 Ford 8N;
HARVEST EQUIP - TRUCK - HAY BALER-2-AC #880 Strippers, Extra Clean Super Strippers; 71 JD #6600 Combine; John Blue Module Builder; Module Builder, Shop Made; 4-IHC #86 Strippers, Good; 4-JD #283 Strippers; Dodge #6600 2 ton Truck; Burr Truck; New Holland Hay Baler;
EQUIPMENT: 2-Offset Disc; 3-Bed Planters; 8-Planters; 9-Tandem Disc; 6-Cultivators; 8-Shredders; 8 Listers; 4-Grain Drills; 4-Chisel Plows; 4-Ripper Plows; 2-One-Ways; 2-Stalkcutters; Tool Bar; 3-3 pt Spray Rigs; 5-Gang hoes; 3-Sandfighters; 4-Bed Knifers; 8-Spinner Moldboard Breaking Plows; 4-Springtooth Harrows; Crop Knifer; 4-Plow Packers; Disc Breaking Plow; 4-Blades; Sweep Out Rig; 2-Rod Weeders; Ditch Filler; Trellan Rig;
TRAILERS:15-8x8x24 All Steel Cotton Trailers; 10-8x8x24 Welded Wire; 2-Grain Trailers; 2-8x8x32 Tandem Axle Trailers; 2-24' Flat Bed Trailers; Donahue Implement Trailer; 4 Wheel Tank Trailer;

430 Household Goods

CHAIRS THREE rocker recliners, two side chairs, good condition. Please call 694-9976.

GE ELECTRIC Range $250, Kenmore built in dishwasher, $200. 694-9727 after 6pm.

PORTABLE ADMIRAL dishwasher like new. $200 or best offer. Call 689-3649.

Refrigerator, side-by-side, $75; commercial ice maker, freezer, set up counter, good condition. 689-6633.

LANE BEDROOM Suite, 4 pieces, $500. Southwest style couch and love seat, excellent condition, $600. Antique Duncan 5 table and chairs, $800. Antique Buffet, $275. 684-6870.

MATCHING couch, loveseat and chair, $100 for all; Stair climbing exerciser, $75. 4409 Wishire, 697-4036.

WOULD YOU BELIEVE a very nice, clean, large 3 piece sectional for $385 also lamps and more. 694-2888.

LARGE 1974 Whirlpool side-by-side refrigerator, good condition, must sell. $450. Call Peggy 686-6302 8:00 - 4:00 Monday - Friday until August 21st only.

41" SQUARE GLASS top table rattan base, with 4 matching high back arm chairs, like new. $250 or best offer. 683-5201.

STRATOLOUNGER 7 piece sectional with recliner and queen sleeper sofa (never slept on), beige. $500. Call 694-4226, message.

MAPLE gun cabinet, Rocking Horse nursery ensemble (linens, drapes, wall hangings, etc.), Dearborn gas heater, Earthtone contemporary chair. All $200 or best offer. Call 686-9662.

DINING table and 6 Duxbury chairs, hardrock maple, dark finish, like new. $550; 8 drawer pine dresser, other miscellaneous. 682-8609

FOR SALE: Kenmore, full power microwave, excellent condition, $100. Cart with storage area, $25. Call 682-1108.

FOR SALE: full size bed with frame and headboard, $100; side by side refrigerator, $175; 2 gold side chairs, $50 each; antique draw leaf table, original oak finish, $200. 686-9605.

MOVED MUST SELL! 1 sofa, 1 hide-a-bed sofa, dining room table and 4 chairs. 699-0402.

COLLECTION OF COOKIE JARS, nice oil paintings, fixtures, chest of drawers, nice dresser, and pair of antique chairs. 684-3784.

FOR SALE Refrigerator $225, Washer & dryer $250 for both excellent condition. Butcher block table with 4 chairs $150, Ludwig drum kit $175, Octagon end table $25, 2 pair of drapes $25 per pair, 697-0665 Monday-Wednesday.

440 Firewood

THE WOOD YARD. Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. 701 N. Fairgrounds. Call 686-8107 or 684-8918.

FIREWOOD ,for sale. Apartment stack seasoned Oak, $22.50 and Hickory, $32.50. Call 520-2320.

450 Sporting Goods

JIM'S GOLF Club Repair. Regrip $3.00; reshaft $13.50; custom made clubs; special ladies clubs. Lowest prices - Best work. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

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DUNLOP Maxfli Irons. 2 - PW, new grips, $235. Excellent condition. Call 699-5284.

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460 Antiques and Art

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SUMMER SALE CONTINUES at Oldies But Goodies Antique Mall!!! 10% to 50% Discounts!!! 2305 W. Michigan.

HAVE Surplus Antiques? I buy and take on consignment quality antiques and accessories - a single item or an entire estate. References available. Call Joe at: Pat's Antiques, 682-4000.

Drop leave table $135, Wardrobes, dressers, vanities, Hoozier Cabinets, high back dining chairs, china cabinets, secretaries, etc. All marked down. AM & FM Antiques and Gifts 1025 N. Dixie, Odessa 332-7490

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VIOLIN: Half size, Karl Knilling, includes case and bow. Great condition, $200. Call Linda, 694-0561.

LIKE NEW ½ size Engelhardt cello and bow. Originally $750 now $500. Call 697-0651.

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3/4 VIOLIN new bow, hard case, very good condition, excellent 5th grade student, $150. 694-4104.

FOR SALE upright piano, good condition. $300. Large dresser with 2 mirrors, $35. 687-4967.

VITO ALTO Sax. Ready for beginning band, good condition. $500. Call 697-1856.

NEW & Used band and orchestra instruments available for rent - purchase. Caldwell Music 905 Andrews Highway. 697-0852.

KIMBALL Superstar II organ with entertainment accompaniment. Like new with bench $650. Call 683-0060.

UPRIGHT PIANO and bench for sale, dark finish, good condition. $175. 684-8699.

NORMANDY Clarinet, cleaning kit, carrying case, music stand. Like new condition. $275. Please call 694-4594.

BAND STUDENTS! Bundy II-OH flute, Henkin B flat clarinet, brand new. Call for details 683-8286.

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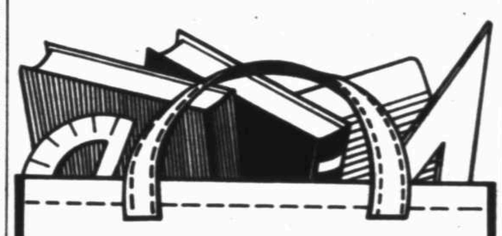
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600 Rooms For Rent

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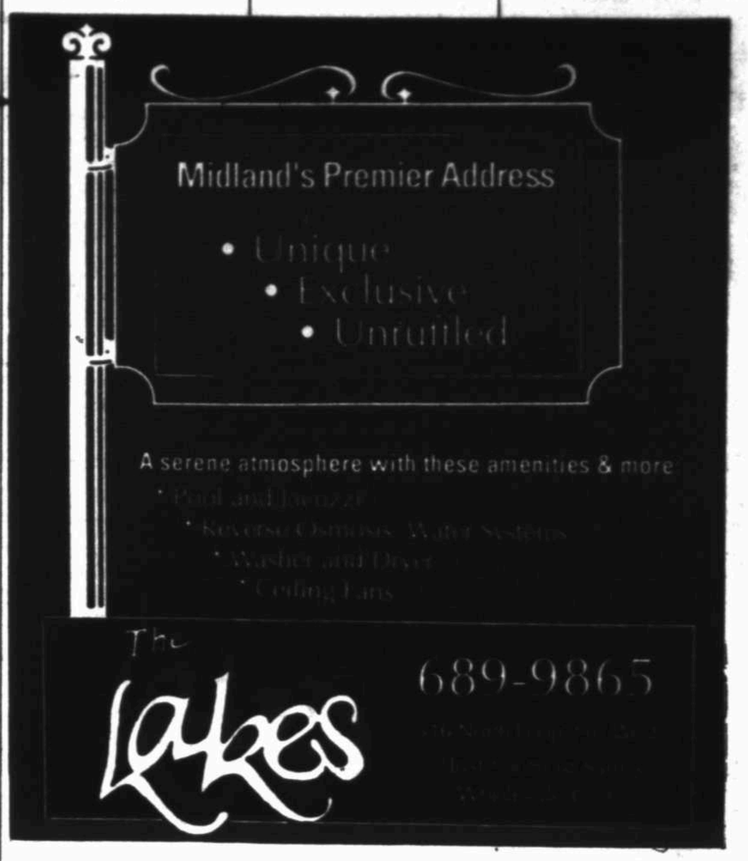
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Midland Apartments At A Glance!

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Mark Payne

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$155,000
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Erwin Fischer

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4003 AVONDALE	2 bdrm, 1 ba	$375 Mo.
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655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

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655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

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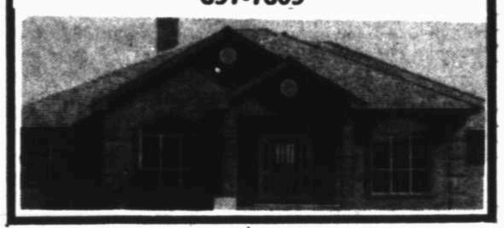
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Open
1607 W. PINE
$78,500
2 - 4
Must See!! Open, spacious soft colors, great kitchen! Beautiful yard and patio.
Shown by Ginny Basinger
687-2720

2814 MARMON
$94,900
2 - 5
Large 4/3/2 has mature landscape. Private homeowners to Kimberlea Pool, tennis and club house 2 blks. away. New outside paint. One owner home!
Shown by Sandy Hanson
685-0400

2823 DENGAR
$119,000
3 - 5
Lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Wonderful decorator color. Fabulous screen porch. Fannin School District.
Shown by Toni Dillenkoffer
687-3659

804 HARVARD
$99,500
2 - 4
Beautifully re-done home in Old Midland. 3 BR, 2 BA, 2 LA. New A/C & furnace.
Shown by Jerry Holt
684-9712

1510 DOUGLAS
$197,000
2 - 4
Immaculate home w/lots of mature trees. Huge paneled living room.
Shown by Becky Ferguson
684-3834

3611 N. C.R. 1246
$49,900
2 - 5
A good deal just got better! Reduced to $49,900 with $2,500 Buyer's closing cost paid! Great 3BR, 2BA on ½ acre. 60 W to 1244N turn S to 68W (deadend) turn right 2 "blks". Corner 68W & 1246N.
Shown by Billie Sherman
697-5545

2813 GODDARD PL.
$82,000
2 - 4
Quiet, secluded, private. Clean, open new-like 3 BR, 2 BA, 1 LA, 2 car garage alley entrance. Very good price and seller transfered.
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4006 DUNKIRK
$110,000
2 - 4
Custom built 3 BR/2 BA, formal dining room, lovely decor, high ceilings, sequestered master bedroom.
Shown by Kip Hutson
520-8414

4104 ANGELINA
$87,000
2 - 4
Don't miss this house! Light, open floor plan. Large master. Lots of cabinets in kitchen. Wonderful neighborhood.
Shown by Sharon Crouch
683-5999

4505 MEREDITH
$54,900
2 - 4
3 Bedroom, 2 bath, Non-qualifying. Payments of $331. Low equity.
Shown by Jim Hoisager
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1701 W. CUTHBERT
$249,900
1 - 3
3 bedrooms, 3½ baths, DECORATOR'S HOME COLORED ME BEAUTIFUL with mauve and silver gray - OLD MIDLAND large trees, pool size yard, gazebo with spa, light and bright, lots of marble & tile floors - custom window treatments.
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2 living areas
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4602 MERCEDES. Nice three bedroom, 1½ bath on west side. Central heat and air, appliances, fenced back yard, $475 monthly plus deposit. Call 520-6515.

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DUPLEX for lease: near Rusk Elementary. Nice two bedroom, two bath, two living areas. Water paid. $410 monthly plus $200 deposit. Call 685-3176, after 6 p.m. or weekends.

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4511 MONTY	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$19,900
125 S. BENTWOOD	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$39,900
4513 ANETTA	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$41,000
3203 HILL	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$19,000
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Greenwood - Windmill Estates
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SPOTLIGHT HOME OF THIS WEEK!!



2405 FLARE COURT

MOVE IN CONDITION! Much redecorating just completed. Interior paint, vinyl, carpet, all of this plus a quiet cul-de-sac. Walk to schools. Three bedroom, two living areas, bookcases, wet bar. Priced to sell. .....only $61,900.00.
OPEN TODAY 2:00 to 5:00

OPEN HOUSE 2-5 PM

2218 SOUTHAMPTON.....2:00 TO 4:00.....$148,900
2405 FLARE.....2:00 to 5:00.....$61,900

NEW LISTINGS

WHITTLE WAY-3/2, Kahler built, great yd. w/garden area, lg closets& STORAGE.....$87,000
GARDEN CITY HWY.-Large offices with unfinished shop, SE of I-20.....$88,000
CO. RD. 150-Two buildings on 5.11 acres, chain link fencing, caliche yard.....$49,500

2 OR 3 BEDROOMS

JACKSON-2 bdr, 1 bth, across from Bunche Elementary.....$10,000
JEFFERSON-2BR, 1BA, walk to school.....$20,000
MARIANA-3 bdr, 1 bth, good carpet and nice utility with extra hot water heater.....$20,000
WASHINGTON-2 bdr, 1 bth, good condition, close to downtown.....$21,000
LEISURE-Fruit trees, RV or boat parking, 3Br, 2Ba.....$27,000
WAVERLY-2 houses for the price of one.....$27,500
BECKLEY-3 bdr, 2 bth, fireplace, pool, much new.....PENDING
TREVINO-3bdr, 2bth, entrance courtyard, priced to sell.....PENDING
SPRAYBERRY-3 bdr, 2 bth, owner ready to sell. fireplace.....$30,000
KENTUCKY-Duplex-Good cash flow great investment.....$35,750
ILLINOIS-3 bdr, 2 bth, open, spacious, much new, near shopping.....$37,900
MICHIGAN-2 bdr, 2 bth, neat & clean, 2 lvg. areas and garage apt.....$42,500
TANNER-3 bdr, 2 bth, special financing available.....$44,500
SARA LANE-3 bdr, 2 bth, located in Windmill Estates.....PENDING
W. NOBLES-3 bdr, 2 bth, 2 lvg., near park and elementary school.....$45,000
RIC DRIVE-3BR, 2BA, large dining area.....$48,300
LEISURE-3/2, prof. decor, sequestered master, workshop.....$48,900
TEXAS-2 bdr., 1 bth., close to downtown.....$44,500
STOREY-3 bdr, 2 bth, large kitchen, security system, lots of charm.....$54,900
OHIO-3bdr, 2bth, country kitchen, large backyard, covered patio.....$55,500
KANSAS-3 bdr, 2 bth, Santa Fe style, lots of windows, great floor plan.....SOLD
DORMARD-3 bdr., tiled floors, fireplace circle drive.....SOLD
BOYD-3bdr, 1 3/4 bth, close to schools, nice neighborhood & pretty yard.....$59,500
FLARE-3 bdr, 2 liv. areas, 2 bth, located in cul de sac.....$59,900
BUCHANAN-Beautiful decor, 3 bdr., formal dining, cul-de-sac.....PENDING
CIMMARON-Great location, good floor plan, close to Racquet Club.....CLOSED
MICHIGAN-3 bdr,. 2 bth, hot tub, neat and clean.....$62,500
AMISTAD-3 bdr, 2 bth, very spacious, much storage.....$64,000
MCDONALD-Spacious 3 bdr, 2 bth, new fence, good storage.....$66,000
TERRACE-3 bdr., 2 bth., property has house in back, recently repainted through out.....$67,000
DENGAR-3/2, good maintenance, lg. back yard, great area.....SOLD
NORWOOD-2 bdr., 2 bth., patio home, excellent home.....$68,000
ANDREWS HWY.-2 br, 1 ba, guest facilities, pool and storage.....$69,500
MANOR COURT-Custom built, bay windows, french doors.....$69,900
BEDFORD-3 bdr, 2 bth, uniquely designed, corner lot, side entry.....$69,950
NORWOOD-3 bdr patio home, fresh paint, nice landscaping.....PENDING
PINE-3 bdr, 2 bth, storm door & windows, great neighborhood.....$72,500
PROVIDENCE-3 bdr, 1 3/4 bth, much new, fireplace, courtyard.....PENDING
WYDEWOOD-Super large living area with vaulted ceilings.....$72,900
DENGAR-3 bdr, 2 bth, well maintained, lovely landscaping, workshop.....PENDING
DORA PLACE-Contemporary home, 3 bdr., 1 3/4 bath.....PENDING
ANDREWS HWY. - 2br, 1ba, country place in the city.....$88,500
DOWNING-3 bdr, 2 bth, unique plan with skylights & courtyard.....$79,500
MICHIGAN-Kitchen redone, hardwood floors, fresh paint.....PENDING
SANDHILL-3BR, 2BA, seq. master bdrm, bricked courtyard.....$82,900
STOREY-Duplex will trade.....$89,500
DURANT-3 bdr, 3 bth, very well maintained, like new carpet.....PENDING
KANSAS-3/2, near park and downtown, located in great neighborhood.....$96,500
KINGSTON-Custom built, 3bdr, 3bth, 2 fireplaces, many extras.....$167,500

4 OR MORE BEDROOMS

HUGHES-4/2, fresh paint, new floors in kitchen & laundry room.....$49,500
HOLLOWAY-4 bdr., 3 bth., house with lots of potential.....$82,500
MARIANA-5/4, large home with attached efficiency apt.....$85,000
PRINCETON-4 bdr, 4 bth, fireplace, new carpet, fresh paint, lg. home.....$87,500
NORTHTOWN-2 Story, 4Br, Spanish style, circle drive.....$89,500
CAMARIE-4 bdr, 4 bth, lots new, pool, workshop, nice yard.....$94,500
GLENEAGLES-Quiet cul-de-sac 4BR/large family room.....$96,300
RIDGMAR-Beautiful, warm & spacious 4Br, 3Ba home.....$119,900
FANNIN-5 bdr., 3 bth, updated kitchen, fireplace, formal dining.....$129,900
COLEMAN-4 bdr, 3 bth, light and bright, fireplace.....132,900
STONELEIGH-1/3 light, airy, plantation shutters, formal dining.....SOLD
NORTHFIELD-4 bdr, whitewashed woods, light, airy, island.....$147,500
SOUTHAMPTON-4/3, sequestered master & den + study.....$149,900

4 OR MORE BEDROOMS

NORTHFIELD-4 bdr, 3 bth, great floor plan, study & den.....$154,900
COLEMAN-Lovely 4 bdr, 3 bth, 2 lvg. areas, great floor plan.....$154,900
SHADY OAK-Two story 4 bdr. Customized, 3 living areas.....$199,900
ISLAND-4 bdr., 3 bth., custom built, James Morris quality.....$219,900

SUBURBAN PROPERTY

MARY CIRCLE-3 bdr, 2 bth, well maintained, open kitchen/living.....$49,900
CO. RD. 160 WEST-Open & airy, 3.89 acres, barn w/3 stalls.....$49,900
CO. RD. 127-3 bdr, 2 bth home in country, place for horses.....$110,000
CO. RD. 1140-3/3, Lovely home with pool & lots of storage, 4 + acres.....$145,000

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

CARRIZO-13 unit apartment bldg., great investment.....$59,900
METRO DR-Metal bldg. with offices & workshop.....$65,000
W. I-20-Metal shop bldg. with water well & septic tank.....$70,000
TEXAS-Close to downtown, paved parking.....$74,900
S. MAIN-Beauty shop, barber shop, and house.....$90,000
E. HWY. 80-Retail, office and storage space.....$99,500
MICHIGAN-North of Midland Memorial, Office building.....$110,000
FRONT-several buildings and gas stations.....$114,500
INDUSTRIAL-Bldg has several commercial/warehouse uses.....$125,000
ILLINOIS-Many uses, real estate, lawyer, doctor, etc.....$130,000
W. 38TH STREET-Commercial building with office space.....$135,000
KENTUCKY-12 offices, reception area, and shop.....$140,000
INDUSTRIAL-Office, Warehouse, 75 storage bldgs.....$165,000
WALL-Commercial Building.....$220,000
W. INDUSTRIAL-3 bldgs - office, RR car access.....$235,000
N. BIG SPRING-Office building in downtown Midland.....$225,000
E. TEXAS-Office close to downtown.....$229,750
ANDREWS HWY-Retailer office in Super location.....$365,000
VILLAGE CIRCLE-Commercial building, old T.G.& Y store.....PENDING
W. ILLINOIS-Large Medical Center.....PENDING
UNIVERSITY apartments in Odessa, great investment.....$1,075,000
GRANDVIEW apartments in Odessa, great investment.....$2,442,000
E. RIDGE RD. apartments in Odessa, great investment.....$2,090,000
TREEMONT apartment complex, great investment.....$2,035,000

LOTS AND ACREAGE

	Make offer
STOREY & LOOP 250-1.76 acres	
413 E. COTTONWOOD	$700
408 E. PECAN	$700
409 E. PECAN	$700
411 E. PECAN	$700
933 N. EDWARDS	$700
202 W. ESTES	$1,500
208 W. ESTES	$1,800
2.5 ACRES-ready for mobile home	$2,500
ACREAGE-Approximately 4.12 acres of land	$5,000 per
ACREAGE-10.48 acres, 1231 North ideal homesite/invest	$8,000 per
NAVAJO-Residential lot in Ranch Estates	$8,500
INDIANA-two lots could be used for parking	$9,800
CO. RD. 80E-On paved road	SOLD
2.5 ACRES	$11,200
S. CO. RD. 1172-3.5 acres, good water	$12,250
MID-CITIES INDUSTRIAL PARK-3 lots	$4,500-$28,900
UNIMPROVED COMMERCIAL LOT-1.324 acres	$12,110
WHITTLE WAY-Acreage	$18,000
UNIMPROVED COMMERCIAL LOT-1.857 acres	$16,900
CO. RD. 1210 S-Close to air strip on Midkiff, 20 acres	$20,000
DOUGLAS-Several lots, acreage	$28,000
3.38 ACRES	$30,000
UPLAND & AUSTING-acreage, corner lot, residential	$39,000
N. DALLAS ST.-3 lots	$50,400
E. HWY. 80 good location for service station, business	$54,400
CORPORATE DRIVE-3.24 acres ready for building	$58,500
CORPORATE DRIVE-3.22 acres ready for building, just off Big Spring	$61,000
BLUEBIRD-Small ranchers investment	$65,000
CALDERA-7.686 acres in growing North Midland	$70,000
BLUEBIRD/GARFIELD-3+AC, plats available	$75,000 per
CO. RD. 1241-Excellent location, acreage	$83,840
8TH & CRESCENT-Commercial lot in Odessa	$100,000
INTERSECTION OF SHELL & MIDLAND DR	$100,000
DOUGLAS AVE., PRINCETON AVE, DENTON ST & GODFREY ST.	$100,000
MOCKINGBIRD-6 acres, 2 barns, corral, waterwell, fenced	$100,000
WADLEY ST.-Lots west of Ranchland Country Club	$108,000
CO. RD. 120-Area of nice homes, good water/soil	$116,100
CORPORATE DRIVE-4.71 acres ready for building	$146,500
CORPORATE DRIVE-5.64 acres, off Big Spring Street	$162,500
EDWARDS-Ready to be developed, 25.22 acres	$185,000
LOOP 250-Unimporoved commercial lot, 7 + acres	$425,000
ACREAGE-Approx 8400 acres owner financing if quailfy	$2,100,000

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2 living areas
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FOR Sale/ LEASE. 3512 W. Louisiana. 3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, 10 x 10 extra bedroom or storage, two eating areas. 1 car garage near Alamo and Bonham elementary, near park. $600/monthly. 699-1487.

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Your 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with formal dining and tons of amenities!
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Tanner.....HAPPILY EVER AFTER.....$38,500
Is how you'll live in this 3 bedroom home featuring a prized family room with lots of square footage. Qualifying Assumption makes this house in West Midland easy to get into.
Gulf.....PRICE REDUCED.....$55,000
Very nice 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, 2 car garage, formal dining, Lee/Rusk area, special financing.
Parkhurst.....EXCEPTIONALLY LOW EQUITY.....$109,900
Custom built 4 BR, 3 BA, study, formal dining, low maintenance. Qualifying Assumption.
Norwood.....CLOSE TO SCHOOL.....$87,000
Owner ready to move - 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, formal dining, lots of trees. Must see to appreciate! Owners want to sell.
Russell Ct......PRICE REDUCED.....$79,900
Quiet cul-de-sac only a block from Quannah Parker. Wonderful family neighborhood, large corner lot. Home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, with lots of T.L.C.
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2826 Frontier
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Ransom! We are holding this home as hostage. Approx. 2,400 sq. ft. 4 bedroom 2 bath 2 living areas, 2 car garage, $5,800 equity negotiable. Time is running out. 697-2715.

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NON-QUALIFYING Assumption, brick, 3/2, approximately 2300 sq. ft. +double garage, fireplace, skylights, hot tub, pretty updating. $85,000. Call 520-6707.

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ST ANDREWS-Trinity Estates, 4br, 3ba, workshop.....200,000
SUNRISE CT.-Greentree North, NEW const. w/4 br, 3 ba, formal din, 3 car gar, choose decor now.....166,500
WOODHAVEN-Trinity Meadows beauty w/4br, 3ba, POOL, spa, water well, Price Reduction.....165,900
NORTHFIELD-Custom built, pro landscaped, 4 br, 4 ba.....164,900
DUKES-NEW IN POLO PARK-exceptional quality - 4 br, 3 ba, 3 car gar.....155,000
GULF-Landscaping is magnificent w/huge trees, "Old Midland", 4 br, 2 liv.....135,000
TERRA COURT-.....SOLD
AUBURN-Spacious 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, 3 living areas, formal dining, some tile floors.....120,000
DOWNING-NEW const - exceptional 4 br w/3ba, unusual ceiling elevations.....108,500
GREENBRIAR-Very spacious 4br, 2 liv. area plus gamerm, new appliances.....99,800
DOWNING-NEW CONST-nice floor plan, 3 br, 2 ba, sunken liv area, good colors.....95,000
COUNTRY CLUB-Spacious 4 br, 4 ba, gameroom w/kitchen.....95,000
WESTERN-Large family home w/5 br, 4 ba, 3 liv areas, workshop.....89,900
WILLINGHAM-Superior Addition, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, custom home w/beautiful wood.....89,500
MISSOURI-Large 2 story home w/3 br, 2 full and 2 half baths, formal din.....85,000
DENGAR-Wydewood Addition, 4 br, spacious, a/c workshop, lots of closet space.....79,500
CIMMARON-Good location, FHA assump, 3 br, 2 ba.....74,353
SUNSHINE PARKWAY-Wydewood Addition, sunken den, wet bar, 3 br, 2 ba, formal dining, qualifying assump.....72,000
NEELY-Beautiful decor, lg. master w/see-thru fp, 2 liv. areas, 2 ba.....71,500
INDIANA-In historic museum area, 3 br, 2 3/4 ba, excellent condition.....70,000
EMERSON-Remodeled with new carpet, vinyl, paint, formica - 3 br, 2 ba.....69,900
SEABOARD-Nice home repainted inside & out, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, owner finance.....69,500
McDONALD-Very neat & clean, lovely yd. fresh paint, 4 br, 1 3/4 ba.....65,500
NORTH D STREET-Nice, established neighborhood, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, ref a/c.....59,900
AMISTAD-Lots of new, spacious & open, 2BR, 2BA, 2 patios, sprinklers.....59,900
DOWNING-.....SOLD
DENGAR-Duplex - each side has 2 br, 1 ba, non-qualifying FHA assumption.....55,000
KANSAS-Corner lot, nice workshop, lots of trees, 4 br, 2 ba, fp.....52,500
MICHIGAN-Very nice property, 3 br, 2 ba, new covered patio/gas grill.....51,350
CULVER-.....SOLD
PRINCETON-Close to schools & shopping, water well for yd, pecan trees, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, ref a/c.....50,000
ERIE-Updated, lots of remodeling, 3 br, one car carport, fp, stor bldg.....47,500
LOUISIANA-.....SOLD
GULF-Good value property, pretty carpet, new miniblinds, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba.....45,800
LINCOLN-Cute house w/3 br, 2 ba, ref. a/c, qualifying bond assumption.....45,300
DOUGLAS-Very nice home, good sized yard for kids, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba.....45,000
ERIE-Open plan, stor bldgs & gas lites, 3 br, 2 liv.....43,000
DEWBERRY-Well maintained & comfy starter home w/3 br, 1 3/4 ba, 1 car gar.....39,900
LEDDY-Looks like new, 3br, 2ba, outside storage.....39,500
SHANDON-Great location, near schools, churches, Lg fenced backyard, ref. a/c, 3 br.....33,000
STOREY-Very clean doll house, lots of improvements, 3 br, 2 ba, 1 car gar.....32,500
CIRCLE DRIVE-duplex-each unit has 2 br, 1 ba, refrigerator.....32,000
S. DALLAS-Lots of updating - 3 br, 1 ba, 2 car garage, many extras, owner finance.....30,000
SEMINOLE-Unique floor plan, 4 br, 2 full ba, ref a/c, affordable at.....29,900
ROOSEVELT-.....SOLD
CIRCLE DRIVE-Two br, 1 living area, 2 car carport, rental unit in back.....25,000
LOMA-Very nice 2 br, fireplace, workshop, 1 car garage.....25,000
HILL-Starter home w/2 br, 1 ba, 2 liv. areas, 1 car carport.....16,875
DEVONIAN-Good starter home with 2 br, 1 ba, covered patio.....16,000
CIRCLE DRIVE-Two br, 2 living areas, 1 car carport, refrigerator.....15,000
FRANKLIN-One br, 1 ba, refrigerator, owner may carry.....10,000
SCHARBAUER-2 efficiency condos, 1 br, 1 ba each.....5,250 & 5,775

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CO. RD. 1185B-Very comfortable property, 3 br, 18 acres, barn, alfalfa.....165,000
CO. RD. 123E (YUCCA)-Spacious 4 br, 2 ba, 2 workshops, lots of fruit trees.....91,500
ANN-Skyview Addition, unique 3 level dome home, 4 br, 2 kitchen, 1.25 ac.....85,000
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CO. RD. 1185 S-1.59 acres, 3 br, 2 ba, 1 car garage, ref. a/c, outside storage.....45,500
CO. RD. 90E-Super nice home, 3 br, 2 ba, gazebo w/hot tub, Greenwood schools.....42,500
CO. RD. 1185S-Fruit trees, garden, vineyard, shade trees, 3 br, workshop, 3.5 ac.....32,500
CO. RD. 1105N-Nice 2 br mobile home on 1 acre, 2 water wells, stor bldg.....25,000

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CO. RD. 85 & 86 E.-14 mobile home lots - single lot $2350, 4+ $2000 or all.....32,900
CO. RD. 1244-4.42 acres.....31,000
CO. RD. 84 E.-11 mobile home lots - single lot $2350, 4+ $2000 or all.....25,850
DUNBLANE-2 lots - each has 3 acres, nice location from home & place for horses.....each is 25,000
CO. RD. 98W-2 1/2 acres w/approx 1200 sq.ft. combination gar/stor bldg. w/electricity & plumbed for bath.....22,500
CO. RD. 1244-2.25 acres.....17,500
CO. RD. 85 E.-7 mobile home lots - single lot $2350, 4+ $2000 or all.....17,250
CO. RD. 1150N-6 acres, can put mobile homes on, 3 water wells.....12,000
WESTERN DRIVE-2.006 acres, will owner finance.....10,500
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CO. RD. 52W-.918 acre, ready for mobile home.....8,500
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ADDRESS	CASE NO. 494	BR/BA/ GAR	PRICE	CODES
MIDLAND				
104 CANYON DRIVE	494-133067	3/1	$25,750	*/***
3604 IMPERIAL AVENUE	494-158930	3/2	$69,000	*
3306 MAXWELL	494-125083	3/2	$67,400	*/***
3004 PLEASANT	494-117409	3/2	$31,950	
4309 PLEASANT DR.	494-102623	3/1	$18,700	*/***
724 STOREY	494-146949	2/2	$35,400	*
BIG SPRING				
3617 CALVIN	494-160612-221	3/1	$22,500	*/***
3614 DIXON ST.	494-160323-748	3/2	$33,000	*/***
3000 NAVAJO RD.	494-159680-703	3/2	$52,500	

EXTENDED LISTINGS

BID EXPIRATION: DAILY 2:30 P.M.
BID OPENING: DAILY 3:00 P.M.

MIDLAND				
4409 ANETTA DR.	494-154060	3/2	$34,300	*
305 S. BENTWOOD	494-130695		$35,850	*
4906 BRAZOS AVE.	494-164988	3/2	$53,150	
107 DENGAR	494-081913	2/1	$26,650	*
501 DEVONIAN DR.	494-123259		$16,250	*/***
1941 ENGLISH DRIVE	494-127617	3/1	$29,600	*
4626 ERIE	494-121416	4/1	$35,800	*
3708 GASTON DR.	494-119262	3/4	$19,900	*
4708 GRACELAND	494-143072	3/2	$38,500	*
4600 GRACELAND DR.	494-137323	3/2	$40,400	*
3408 W. KANSAS	494-105672	4/2	$36,800	*
3702 OHIO	494-133283	3/2	$51,600	
3224 SHANDON	494-111929	3/2	$50,350	*
3703 STANOLIND DRIVE	494-146619	4/2	$56,750	
1404 W. TENNESSEE	494-147476	3/2	$45,400	*
1206 W. TENNESSEE AVE.	494-133451	2/1	$20,700	*
2508 TERRACE AVE.	494-121099	3/2	$51,150	*
3302 TRAVIS	494-134590	3/2	$17,950	*
4410 VERSAILLES	494-136224		$37,400	*
4503 VERSAILLES	494-137232	3/1	$32,750	*
4623 VERSAILLES	494-110740	3/2	$24,100	*
102 E. WADLEY ST.	494-152502	3/2	$23,900	
4500 WILSHIRE DR.	494-110217	3/2	$29,200	*

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BID OPENING: DAILY 3:00 P.M.

MIDLAND				
4209 ANETTA	494-094756	3/1	$22,600	*/CASH
942 N. BAIRD	494-112395	2/1	$6,500	*/***/CASH
1506 S. BAIRD	494-109984	2/2	$6,500	*/***/CASH
3304 CUNNINGHAM	494-123940	2/1	$19,300	*/***/CASH
205 E. SPRUCE DR.	494-143066	3/2	$31,000	CASH
1610 N. TERRELL	494-093529	2/1	$10,300	*/CASH
BIG SPRING				
2500 CHEYENNE	494-128580-703	4/2	$32,000	*/***
4215 DIXON	494-150934-703	3/1	$18,400	*
4215 HAMILTON	494-167901-703	3/1	$20,800	*/***
1402 STADIUM	494-145357-703	3/1 1/2	$14,750	*
1618 E. 16TH ST.	494-160384-703	3/1	$17,150	*/***CASH
2902 CHEROKEE	494-103018-221	2/1	MAKE OFFER	*/CASH
1901 S. MONTICELLO	494-069473-203	2/1	$11,300	*/CASH

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Heather-Exceptional custom 2 story with playroom upstairs for the kids-Best buy in Saddle Club S 151,000
Centerview-New Paul West home-pick your own wallpaper and carpet 152,000
N. Co. Rd. 1118-.....Sale Pending....Hanson
Harvard-Lovely 5BR with a great pool + a large patio Lease/Lease Purchase.159,900
Meadowridge-Exceptional custom 4/3 in Trinity Meadows-Formals + den + sunroom 159,900
Heather-Exceptional custom 2 story with playroom 5BR/5BA, reduced..... 151,000
Country Club-Hardwood & brick floors, plantation shutters, lots of charm in 4/3 159,500
Polo Club Rd-Perfect for the horse lover on 2 1/1 acres w/barns, stalls, groom quarters 160,000
Co. Rd. 125E-Island kitchen in this 4 BR/3 BA suburban property on 3.20 acres .162,000
Greentree-Lovely home, 3/5, study with 2 living areas & formal dining 164,900
Coleman Ct.-Fabulous custom with hardwood flrs,plantation shutters ..165,000
Trinity Meadows-in coveted Trinity Estates, family perfect 169,500
Meadowridge-Beautiful. Lovely plan with great place for pool table or grand piano 169,500
Country Club-Charming 2 story with lovely hardwood floors and lots of light ...182,500
Texas-Gorgeous yard, quality older home 185,000
Springfield- Brand new, move-in ready w/lots of extras and room for a pool 188,500
Springfield-Bates quality in this new plan w/stunning decor - Completion 8/1 .189,500
Douglas-Lovely home with lots of new trees money can't buy. See this one!! 197,000
Princeton-Country living in the city, big open spacious home - Quiet nghhood 199,900

$200,000 AND UP

Wedgewood-Hi-Unique design, custom quality 4BR + study - *Lease/Lease Purchase 210,000
W. Co. Rd. 56-Lovely Suburban home w/beautiful backyard and very open plan 210,000
Montana-Live in wonderful Ponderosa Estate-Large pool + barn w/great stalls 210,000
Oaklawn-...Sale Pending.....McGrath/Mason/Langston
Saddle Club-Open & bright w/lovely seq. master br. w/his & her bath - Ready to sell..... 218,500
Trinity Meadows-Custom built with 4LA's, pretty sunporch w/great landscaping..... 219,500
Springfield-Fabulous biders home w/lovely kitchen & master bath many, many extras 219,000
E. FM. 307-Huge 3BR/3Ba/2LA with lots of mirrored glass and marble-Barn 225,000
Seaboard-Midland's loveliest area-w/quality thruout and many extras 228,000
Lockheed-Beautiful entertaining home 3LA, Beautiful pool + cabana, Hardwood floors 229,500
Robin Ln-Country luxury-close to city in this 6 brs, 4 1/2 ba, 3 LA's w/barn & workshop..... 237,000
Club Dr-Magnificent estate, many additions, architect designed. Reduced!!! 249,700
Cuthbert-Lovely home with gazebo with hot tub, pool size yard, marble entry & dining room-Quality Galore!. 249,900
Hanover Ct.-.....Sale Pending.....Aldridge/Buller
North "T"-Frank Welch design-Fabulous bath, gorgeous decor + pool 259,500
Saddle Club-One of loveliest in Saddle Club + gorgeous pool 260,000
Teakwood-Many extras in this beautiful home stained glss, pintation shttrs, 2 wet bars 276,900
Greentree-Best view of golf course and lake with fantastic master suite/bath 290,000
Island Circle-Beautiful Greg Frazier custom on best lot in Greentree. Great view from upper deck .294,500
North "L"-Lovely colonial 2 story in coveted Warwick-Large/spacious for family living 295,000
Douglas-Lovely contemporary family home in Old Midland - Perfect for entertaining 299,000
Princeton-Custom built "Old Midland"-Spacious and elegant 325,000
Stanolind-Spacious family home plus large master w/his and her baths-Lots of new in last year .360,000
W. Cuthbert-Tons of space, Tons of charm in this Old Midland Treasurer 375,000
FM 1788-Wonderful investment-Large home plus 47.5 acres w/pecan trees 399,900
Saddle Club-Magnificent white columned 2 storey Quality Intensive planning everywhere..... 410,000
Ashlin Dr.-Stunning contemporary, one of a kind great for entertaining + pool 425,000
LaForce Blvd-Location value is great-only blocks from air terminal 485,000
Willow Ct.-Exclusive, elegant, wonderful family home great for entertaining 520,000
Saddle Club-Stunning with many extras plus tennis court and pool 595,000

$9,500 TO $50,000

Franklin-Non-qualifying w/low mo. payments .15,000
Roosevelt-Great investment - Seller eager 15,900
Kentucky-Non-qualifying assumption-Make an offer 17,500
Cunningham-All new carpet & vinyl, fresh paint, spacious 19,800
Roosevelt-Great invest. or first time buyers ...19,900
W. College-3BR seller will paint 22,500
Holloway-House and lot next door-good investment 22,900
N. Loraine-extra mother-in-law apt. 23,900
W. Storey-Cute starter home in A-1 cond. 24,000
Co. Rd. 130W-2 houses for the price of 1 27,000
E. Pine-Well cared for home w/lvly landscape 28,800
Idlewilde #15-Gorg. Tnhouse-Brite & Open 29,500
Monty-Would make a good starter home. Neat & Clean 29,900
Crockett-Very comfortably planned home 29,900
Bowie Dr......Sale Pending.....Horchler
RT. 3-Lake Champion-Dbl wide on lk wtrfront30,000
71 Co. Rd. E-2br/1ba trailer on 1.7 acres.....30,800
Bedford-.....Sale Pending.....Lott/Duncan
Erie-Wonderful starter home, 1 owner 34,500
W. Co. Rd. 116-Nice 3BR/2BA for the country lover 35,000
Pueblo-Extremely nice 3/1 w/new vinyl & paint 35,000
E. Spruce-Very nice one owner w/lots of extras. 35,000
Raymond-Very appealing and liveable home .39,500
W. Kansas-Priced right family home w/large covered patio 39,900
Monty-Lots of room in good neighborhood 39,900
Livingston-Great twnhouse in mint cond.....39,900
Pasadena-.....Sale Pending.....Manulik
Bauman-.....Sale Pending.....Gideon/Hanson
E. Florida-Excellent corner location across from bank 40,000
Delmar-Nice hm in gd well-kept neighborhood42,500
Nicklaus-Well maintained, nice floor plan w/seq. mstr 42,500
***W. Ohio**-Neat & sparkling w/many trees 42,700
Monty-3 br/2 ba w/large den + fireplace/heatolator 43,000
Avondale-Great curb appeal 43,500
Thomas-Great house 3 b r/1 1/2 ba w/hot tub 45,000
Princeton-Great location to shopping, schools & church 45,000
Perry St.- Well kept 4 br/2 LA w/outside strg ..45,000
W. Shandon-Good investment property.....45,000
N. Co. Rd. 1291-.....Sale Pending.....Hanson
Versailles-Lovely 3/2 with lots of new 45,000
W. Co. Rd. 1291-.....Sale Pending.....Hanson
W. Louisiana-Charming old Midland hm w/lvly hardwood floors 47,500
Idlewilde #7-Lovely condo w/loads of extras .49,000
Co. Rd. 1297 N-Great property w/ready built .49,900
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North "A"-Cute Cottage, great condition 50,000
***Pasadena**-Large and comfy with different plan 51,000
San Antonio-3BR/2BA clean - Great for young home buyers..... 52,900
Denger-Lovely 3/2 w/extra room 53,000
Northrup-.....Sale Pending.....Herndon
Meredith-Lovely 3/2 non-qualifying w/great appeal 54,900
Princeton-Bring offers on this 3br/2ba-large lot 55,000
Haynes-.....Sale Pending.....Paxton
Fehrenbb-.....Sale Pending.....Herndon
Greenbriar-Oh so clean! New carpet & paint 3BR/2BA 58,500
W. Storey-Great location, close to Schools, hospital and shopping 58,900
FM 307-Nice 3br/2 ba with 2 LA's + pool table 59,000
Oxford-Darling house with super plan 59,900
E. Co. Rd. 120-Well cared for home w/4th Br orstudy 59,900
E. Loop 250-Horse trainers heaven plus double wide 59,900
W. Co. Rd. 1040-Lovely country home w/much storage large shop/garage 60,000
Permian Ct.-Neat, pretty vaulted ceilings in LA 62,000
Aurora Ln-Coveted area, nice location 62,500
Cement-Great price for area-ca 3BR in Bush Elem 63,500
Idlewilde-Great LA plus alcove for otc. or playroom 64,700
***Lanham**-Perfect Hickey built patio home-many extras 3BR/2BA 64,954
Mark Lane-.....Sale Pending ..... Collins
Nelson-.....Sale Pending.....Faught/Aldridge
Wydewood-Lta, brite, well priced for picky buyer 66,500
Wyles Cove-Quiet cul-de-sac location w/lots of extras 68,000
Bridgecove Ct.-.....Sale Pending ..... Collins
W. Kansas-Living house w/huge wet master br 68,500
Nelson Rd.-Lovely new wallpaper and fresh paint 69,500
Co. Rd. 1210-Nice large home on 2 acres 69,900
***Lanham**-Perfect Hickey built patio home 69,900
Lockheed-Lots of new this unique floor plan 70,000
Belton-Non-qualifying-low equity 71,900
Cimmaron-.....Sale Pending ..... Aldridge
Sunshine Parkway-Nice 3BR/2BA in Wydewood 72,500
Idlewilde-.....Sale Pending ..... Mobley
Mitchell Court-cul-de-sac- FHA RQ assump, 3BR/2BA 73,000
W. Kansas-Updated fabulous marble entry 73,000
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Daventry Place-3BR/2BA, stylish, cathedral ceilings 75,000
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Russell-Prettiest on block 76,500
***W. Pine**-lots of new w/soft colors, 3BR/2BA 76,500
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Ward-Great house with lots of closet 79,000
Preston-Very large LA and bedrooms-Super floor plan 80,000
Goddard Pl-Lovely home with nice carpet, plush yd 82,000
FM 307-.....Sale Pending ..... Hanson
Co. Rd. 96 West-.....Sale Pending ..... Herndon
Daventry-New wallpaper in powder rm & kitchen, 3BR/3BA 86,000
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Linda Ct.-Quiet, lovely location on cul-de-sac 87,500
Edgemont-.....Sale Pending ..... Holsinger
Cathario-Precious house in area everyone wants, 4BR/2BA 87,500
Ventura-Spacious, immaculate, 1 owner twnhouse 89,000
N. FM 307-Just by H Greenhouse-lots of good water 89,500
Amherst Ct.-3br/3ba plus lovely heated pool 89,900
Whitmen-.....Sale Pending ..... Scott
Frontier-Spacious living area, updated kitchen 89,500
Haynes-Beautiful large patio, twnhouse, w-huge br 89,500
Ventura-roomy liveable plan 89,750
Bristol Ct.-.....Sale Pending ..... McGill
W. Texas-Old Midland w/lots of character plus apt. 89,900
N. Angelina-Lte. well-cared for home w/lots of update 87,000
Ward-Charming, large townhouse built around patio 92,000
***Vista West Parkway**-2 LA 2 FP in this 3/2 in Santa district 93,500
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Irvin-.....Sale Pending ..... Duncan
Co. Rd. 105-20 acres w/mature fruit producing peach trees 98,500
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E. Co. Rd. 90-Greenwood acreage 10,000
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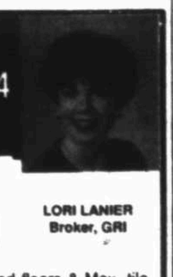
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NORTHTOWN (4B)-Custom built 4 BR, 3 LA, light & bright, great drive up appeal $140,000
POLO PARKWAY (52A)-Beautiful Polo Park home, 4 BR, 3 BA, formal dining, hot tub $134,900
SHIRLEY (58A)-Wallace townhome in nice area, large master, new carpet/paint $127,500
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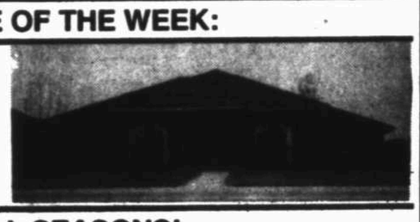
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HAYNES (33A)-Totally updated 4 bedroom, 2 living areas, low maintenance $89,000
KANSAS (37)-Old Midland, 3 bedroom, 2 living areas, formal dining, 2 story $59,500
STONELEIGH (60)-Immaculate 4 BR, 2 LA in Polo Park, super landscaping $148,500
WHITNEY (72A)-Lovely Old Midland, 3 BR, 2 LA, 2 garage, close to shopping $59,000
WOODHAVEN (73B)-Trinity Meadows, 4 BR, formal dining, very immaculate $149,000

FEATURED HOME OF THE WEEK:

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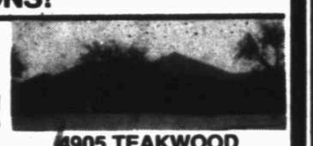
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2602 KESWICK
$101,000

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POLO PARK Beautiful light and airy floorplan, 4 bedroom, 3 bath, formal dining, 2 car garage, plus a beautiful pool and hot tub for family enjoyment and entertaining. Call Pam Lazaroff to see this lovely home that will sell quickly since it is priced at only $134,900.

PATIO HOME-Exceptional 3 bedroom home, 2 full baths, large formal dining, 3 car garage, low maintenance, and no common walls. Call Lee Culver to see this home priced at $112,500 today.

4 BEDROOM jewel! Qualifying assumable loan with low payments and equity. Carpet and vinyl are fairly new, fresh paint and close to Lee High and Rusk Elementary. Call Beverly Bullen to see this bargain priced at $69,700.

OLD MIDLAND-You won't believe the space your family will have in this 3 bedroom, 2 living area home situated in a very nice Old Midland neighborhood. Convenient to downtown and all other areas in between. Room for office in back. Call Wanda Hines today for your appointment. Priced at $62,500.

STOREY-Nice street and neighborhood, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, formal dining and a 2 car garage. Central heat and air, fireplace and priced to sell at $56,250. Call Lee Culver today to see!

1209 W. OHIO-Great Old Midland location across from Midland High School. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, 1 car garage, and a corner lot. Call Renata Hasek Leonard to see this home priced reasonably at $29,900.

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CITATION (16B)-Custom built beauty! Prestigious area, pool, perfect in every way! $275,000
CO. RD. 1083 (14)-Beautiful country home, 3 BR, 2 LA, sunroom, pecans galore $124,500
CO. RD. 1218 (15)-Nice 2 story home on 10 acres, completely fenced $199,900
COUNTRY CLUB (16)-Beautiful home in prestigious Old Midland, call for amenities $575,000
DOUGLAS (21)-One of a kind! 4 BR, 3 LA, large yard with pool/cabana $270,000
HUMBLE (33B)-Beautiful executive home, 4BR, 3LA, pool, lovely ..... SOLD
HWY. 307 (33)-3BR, 3 car garage, 2 wells, 140 pecan trees $129,500
LOS ALAMITOS (40A)-Saddle Club South beauty! 4 BR, 2 LA, jacuzzi tub ..... SOLD
PECAN (51A)-Wadley townhome, 3 bedrooms, formal living, dining, nice landscaping $114,900
PINE (52)-Beautiful Wallace townhome, 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, greenhouse, very private $117,000
RACQUET CLUB (72B)-Executive home, 5BR, 3La, incredible quality, guest house $600,000
SCHARBAUER (57)- Colonial 2 story on over an acre, 4 or 5 bedroom, tennis court $249,500
STUTZ (60A)-Totally remodeled and updated 4 bedroom in Goddard area $129,900
TEAKWOOD (67A)-Charming 3 BR, 2 LA home in Greentree! Great Floorplan $149,500
THAMES (6B)-Polo Park Beauty! 4 BR, 2 LA, 3 garage, large backyard, decor beautiful $154,500
WOODHOLLOW (73)-Better than new 4 BR, 2 BA custom in Briarwood, shutters $153,000
6TH STREET (5B)-Stanton 4 BR, 3 LA, spanish style home on 2 acres $119,500

YOUR HOME FOR UNDER $100,000

ANETTA (61A)-3 BR, 2 LA, solar hot water heater, great value $30,000
BOULDER (05A)-Super 3 BR townhome with low maintenance landscaping, nice area $84,500
BROKEN HILLS (06)-Country living at it's finest! 4 BR with Versatile floor plan $77,500
CHISOLM (10A)-1 acre lot in Greenwood, storage bldg. $12,000
C.R. 52W (15A)-Country Cutie! Formal dining, gourmet kitchen, barn $78,250
C.R. 53W (06B)-3 acres in restricted area, has water well $15,000
C.R. 56W (06B)-2.5 acres restricted for homes only, water well & septic $18,000
C.R. 116 (07B)-Fine country living! 4 BR, 2 LA on 2.5 acres $69,900
C.R. 124 (15B)-Ridge Heights, 1 acre, owner will finance, call for details $13,500
C.R. 130W (07B)-Nice country property with home, corral/shed, 3.6 acres $45,500
C.R. 160W (07)-20 acres Midland County $48,750
C.R. 1105 (06A)-Greenwood country home on 5 acres, 3BR, 2Ba, shop and barn $75,000
C.R. 1110S (06)-Great potential for home damaged by lightning on 4 acres $26,500
C.R. 1129 (19)-3 acres in Greenwood area, great building site $13,500
C.R. 1130S (16B)-3 BR home in Greenwood area, barns, pens, 15 + acres ..... SOLD
C.R. 1178S (14A)-Horse lovers paradise, 7 stall barn, 5 acres, 3 BR, 2 BA $74,500
C.R. 1178S (14B)-3 acres, lots of trees, country living at its best, 2 BR, 2 BA $49,500
C.R. 1202 (17A)-Owner will finance, mobile home on 3 acres, pipe fence $20,000
C.R. 1213 (12)-Nice home on 2 acres, workshop, 3 BR, 2 LA $59,500
C.R. 1278 (13A)-Owner will finance, 2 acres, 4 septic tanks, water well $15,000
D. STREET (22B)-2 story, 2 bedroom townhome, formal dining, 2 car garage $89,000
DORMARD (24B)-Spacious 3 BR, 1 3/4 BA, 2 LA, well cared for $39,000
DOUGLAS (25)-Assumable non-qualifying loan, nice area, 3 BR, 2 LA $49,500
DURANT (26)-4 BR, 2 LA in Kimberlea, Owner needs to sell $75,000
EDWARDS (26B)-Great starter home, low payments, 2 BR, 1 BA, 1 garage $12,500
ELIZABETH (26A)-Priced to sell as is, detached apartment for rental, 3 BR, 1 BA home $19,500
FANNIN (27)-Spacious 3 BR, 2 LA, home near Rusk Elementary, assumable $65,000
FANNIN (27A)-Close to Lee High, 3 BR, 2 LA, 2 garage, great floorplan $54,900
FANNIN (27B)-Nice family neighborhood, 3 BR, 1 3/4 BA, large master $62,900
FLARE CT. (28)-3 large bedrooms, near Emerson, Some updating, good area $73,500
FREDNA (29A)-Custom Built 3 BR, 2 BA in Wydewood, townhome w/no yard care $77,500
FREDNA (29B)-Light and open 3 bedroom, beautifully landscaped, assumable $89,900
GOLF COURSE (30A)-Exceptional! 3 BR townhome, 3 car garage, formal dining $99,500
GOLF COURSE (31B)-2 BR, 2 LA, one owner home, don't miss $49,000
GREENTREE (30B)-Very nice 3 bedroom home, nice area, loft, formal dining ..... SOLD
HIGHWAY 80 E (32B)-17.75 ac., great commercial potential, estate sale $18,500
HOPI (32A)-Perfect starter home in Ranch Estates, 3 BR, 2 BA $39,900
HUNTINGTON (35B)-Large family home, 5 BR, 3 LA, corner lot, wonderful $75,000
I STREET (36)-Wonderful location by park, 3 BR, 2 LA, great trees $79,950
KESWICK (36A)-Immaculate 3 BR townhome, low maintenance yard, in super shape $79,500
LAMESA ROAD (38B)-39+ acres, 4 water wells, barn, owner finance $79,300
LANHAM (30)-Very livable floorplan, 4 bedroom, 2 living areas, great storge $49,900
LINCOLN (39A)-Odessa Duplex, fully leased, owner will carry note w/10% down $30,000
MAIN (41A)-Great starter home, 2BR, 1BA, 2LA $21,000
MALLARD (42)- Andrews, 3Br, 2Ba, 2 garage nice area, lots of built-ins $95,000
MONTY (46A)-Well maintanied 3 bedroom, 2 garage, big trees, lg corner lot $45,500
NORWOOD (49)-Nice townhome lots in Skyline Addition, priced to sell $10,000
NORWOOD (49B)-Precious 2 bedroom garden home, lots of amenities $71,900
OAK CREEK LAKE (49A)-Nice 2 bedroom lake cabin, owner will finance $8,900
OHIO (50A)-Old Midland, close to Midland High, 3 BR, 1 BA, 1 garage $29,900
OHIO (50B)-Immaculate 2 bedroom, 2 bath in great shape, beautiful backyard $56,500
PRESTON (53)- Townhome 3 BR, 2LA, 2 story in nice area ..... SOLD
RIDGLEA (55B)-Updated, 3 BR, 2 LA, beauty! Lots new, carpet, paint, etc $62,950
SANDHILL (57A)-Located in Vista West, 3 BR, large open living area $92,500
SANDS (56B)-Lovely 3 BR, 2 LA in older neighborhood, mature trees, lots of potential $64,900
SEABOARD (58)-Four bedroom gem! Qualifying assumption, lots new $69,700
SHANDON (58A)-Great beginnings! 3 BR, 2 LA, close to schools ..... SOLD
SHAWNEE (58B)-Nice 3 BR home with 1 acre, located in Ranch Estates, landscaped $46,500
SPENCE (59A)-Absolutely gorgeous, Wood floors, custom drapes $72,500
SPRINGMONT (61A)-Fairmont Park beauty! corner lot, 3 BR, 2 LA, RV garage $98,000
ST. ANDREWS (60B)-Patio home with 3 BR, 2 LA or 4 BR, 1 LA, good plan $79,500
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STANOLIND (61)-3 BR, 2 living area, large yard, Price Reduced $69,500
STOREY (62A)-Completely remodeled, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 garage, nice area $27,500
STOREY (63)-Assumable loan, 3 BR, 2 BA, formal dining, 2 garage $56,250
VERSAILLES (70B)-Perfect home for just beginning! 3 BR, fresh paint $25,000
WADLEY (71)-Nice 3 bedroom home, perfect for your family's first home! $39,900
WADLEY (72)-Patio home with 3BR, 2 living areas, great for entertaining $79,900
3RD STREET (68A)-Nice 3 BR, 2 LA home in Stanton, lots of updating $47,500

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BERMUDA (04)-Crestgate lots, priced to sell $36,000
BIG SPRING (03B)-Great commercial location, high traffic and visibility $65,000
C.R. 1208 N (06A)-10 acres north of I-20, paved road, 2 water wells $20,000
C.R. 1241 (11B)-Excellent building site, 5 + acres, call for details $39,000
FM 715 (28A)-32+/-acres for farm, commercial/residential potential $100,000
HIGHWAY 349-(34A)-Good business location, new cyclone fence, call for details $86,000
LOOP 250/LAMESA (40A)-Great development location, good for retirement community ..... CALL
SIESTA (59B)-Duplex lot, neat Midland College, priced to sell $2,500
WOODHILL BUILDING (74)-Office building located on Garfield, lots of extras $3,100,000

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2 bedroom, 1 bath residence containing approx. 1,025 sq. ft. Located at 3304 Hill Ave., Midland, TX. **$18,700**
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RESIDENTIAL LOTS

#351596090
4 vacant lots zoned residential. Located on Bermuda Court, in Crestgate Addn., Midland, TX. **$36,000**
Carriage Company (915) 684-5881

INVESTMENT PROPERTY

#351809016
Medical office bldg. containing approx. 9,295 sq. ft. Located at 2600 W. Illinois, Midland, TX. **$341,000**
Adobe Inc., Realtors (915) 694-9548

COMMERCIAL

#351365757
4 unimproved, commercial tracts (may be sold separately) located at Big Spring & Corporate Dr., Midland, TX.

Tract A	5.64 acres	**$179,000**
Tract B	4.71 acres	**$161,000**
Tract C	3.22 acres	**$ 67,500**
Tract D	3.24 acres	**$ 64,500**

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COLLEGE-First time buyer or great rent property. Seller will paint interior. $22,500.

AVONDALE-Starter home has 3 br, 2 ba, with mature lawn and decorative wrought iron fencing and window trim. Paint allowance. $45,500.

HARBOR-Large 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, well established neighborhood. Close to private home owners. Pool, Club house and tennis courts. Won't last long. $94,900.

GREENBRIAR-Oh, so clean, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, cozy den with fireplace, new paint, great flooring, large backyard, oversized closets and oversized master shower a plus. $56,500.

PERRIL COURT-Norwood Addition, nice cul-de-sac offers 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, den with fireplace, covered patio with just enough yard for the children. This is a NON-QUALIFYING A.S.H. loan. Approximately $10,000 equity. Monthly payments a little over $750 monthly.

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Large 2 bedroom with 2 baths, big kitchen, lots of cabinets, enclosed patio. $57,500.

Near downtown, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, new carpet, plus rental unit. $25,500.

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EXECUTIVE TOWNHOME-4 bedrooms, 5½ baths, pool, stunning design...$200,000.

COUNTRY ESTATE-absolutely everything in a gorgeous home, pool, tennis court, guest house, employee's house, 7 heated/ac, garages, 17 ac, in choice NORTHWEST, ample water supply...$997,500.

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Century 21

Cherry Stover
689-0021 or 686-8154

E. Co. Rd. 97	$69,500
#35 Virginia	$72,000
2705 Barkley	$25,000
2402 Emerson	$69,900
4704 Spring Meadow,	$81,900
4713 Spring Meadow	$96,900
4417 Stanolind	$59,900

NEW LISTING
1009 E. Co. Rd. 150., Native landscaping, low maintenance yard, 4 bed, 2 living 3½ baths, 2 fireplaces, workshop, 2 car garage, acreage, all for $169,900.

730 Suburban Property

STANTON - Custom built, total electric, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, 2 living areas, double wide on one acre with water well. Excellent condition! Owner will finance. 756-3235 or 686-9417

GREENWOOD, Large brick 2 BR, 1 bath, 2 car garage, 16'x20' workshop, 1 acre, over 60 trees with drip system, 1 mile from schools, $40's. 685-0950.

Century 21

COUNTRY LIVING AT IT'S BEST
3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 car garage, with attached 1 bedroom guest suite. 5 acres with plenty of trees and water. Call for your showing today.
MARILYN NUNEZ 689-6005
Century 21 Midtex 689-0021

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4400 N. BIG SPRING 682-8820



YOU CAN AFFORD THIS ONE!!
Three bedroom, 2 BA, 2 car rear entry garage, private patio. Wet bar, sprinkler system. Sm side & back yard. Convenient to Parker Elem. Call FRAN HENDERSON 682-6576.



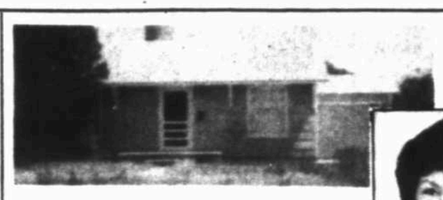
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SUMMER SALE
211 DEWBERRY
Over 1800 sq. ft. of living space. 3 BR, 2 BA, large den w/fireplace. Large covered patio top lounge await the days of summer. JOANN GADDY. #301



JOANN GADDY
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2609 WASHINGTON
A must to see if you want your $'s working for you. Lower 20's. Call FAY BAUM 697-6884. #2202



FAY BAUM
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NEW LISTING
Quality built custom in SADDLE CLUB SOUTH. Beautiful 4 BR, 3 BA, 2 liv. areas w/gorgeous landscaping and brick patio. Only $125,000. Call SANDY SCOTT.



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NEW LISTING-DON'T SPEND A DIME UPDATING
Buy this home. New parquet floors. Tile, paint inside & out. Appliances, Cinder block fence. Call LARRY HATFIELD 689-7758.

LARRY HATFIELD
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PRICE REDUCED
Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Great family home. Lots of space. Must see! Call JAN MELTON 684-3864. #213



JAN MELTON
684-3864



HOME OWNER WARRANTY
A home owner warranty will be included with the purchase of this beautiful 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA townhome. W.T. AVERITT 683-7428 or 683-9181. #1308



W.T. AVERITT
683-7428 OR 683-9181



SQUEAKY CLEAN
Lots of new in this 3 BR, 2 BA, double garage home on Storey. Upgraded carpet, tile, new heat & a/c. Motivated sellers! Call MAY BARBER 687-5203. #1833



MAY BARBER
687-5203



PRICE REDUCED
Owner says sell...Nice 3 BR near Goddard School. Home in excellent condition. See to appreciate...Owner will look @ all offers...Call DENNIS RAMBO 683-7147.

DENNIS RAMBO
683-7147



NON-QUALIFYING DUPLEX
3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 1 car garage on each side. Bricked w/fireplace. NICE. $20,000 equity, $601/mo, 10% int. $46,000 loan balance. Call today DEBBIE 689-7758.



DEBBIE HATFIELD
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NON-QUALIFYING
...in Wydewood w/J.P. Butler park just a jog out the front door. Formal dining, 2 living areas, spacious family home. ESTHER HASTING. #1118



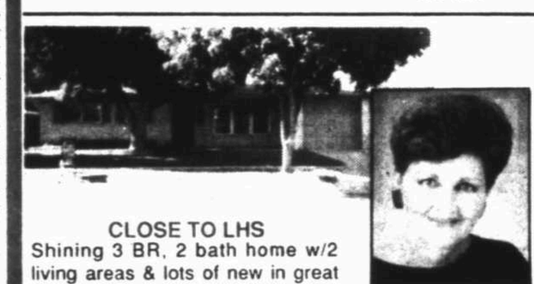
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3614 W. LOUISIANA
OPEN 2-4
Owner transfered and needs quick sale. Spotless. 3-2-2. Landscaped, B-I-G trees. Only $71,400. Call RUTH 697-5360.



RUTH DENISON
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CLOSE TO LHS
Shining 3 BR, 2 bath home w/2 living areas & lots of new in great neighborhood. Very affordable at $58,900. Contact MARILYN JO SMITH 689-0014.

MARILYN JO SMITH
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PRICED BELOW APPRAISAL
Choice area, 1 blk from Warwick. Beautiful hardwood floors in this 3 BR, 1-3/4 BA. All new master bath. Lots of room to grow in. PATSY BERRY 683-4237. #1807



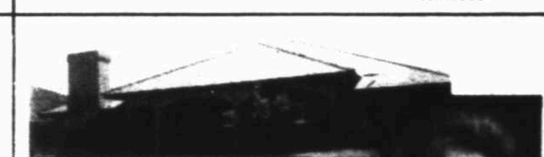
PATSY BERRY
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PRICE REDUCED
Sparkling 3 BR, 2 BA, 1 lrg. kitchen, water well for yard. Home has been totally updated. To see call BARBARA RHODES. #1124



BARBARA RHODES
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POLO PARK
You will love this custom 4 BR, 3 1/2 BA, 2 liv. area. w/FP's + paneled study. Covered patio & pool.. $169,900. Call CAROLYN BOYD.



CAROLYN BOYD
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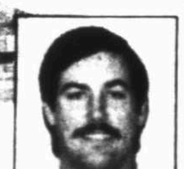
THIS IS "ONE SPECIAL" 3 BR
Unique style & design has 2 fireplaces, one in master bedroom. Come quick, reduced to $91,200. Call JOYCE BRICKEY 682-3191.



JOYCE BRICKEY
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EXCEPTIONAL COUNTRY PROPERTY
Four bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, two-story with super floor plan and lots of extras. Call CURT ALVIN 699-4361.



CURT ALVIN
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NEW ON THE MARKET
Nice 3 BR, 1-3/4 BA lots of updating. Decorated nicely. Owner ready to move. Bring all offers. SKEET DOSS. #303



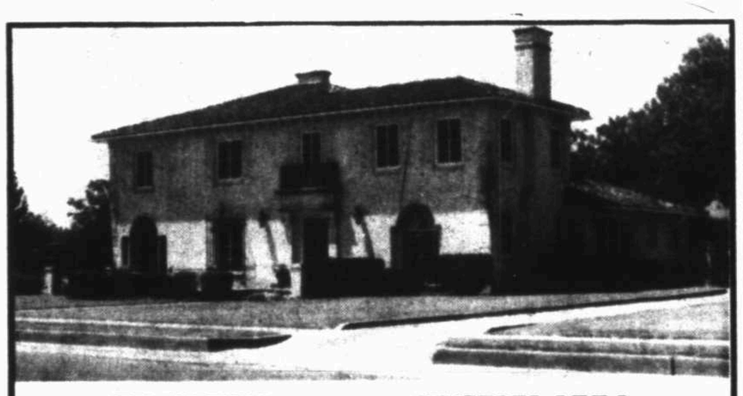
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$22,900. Break into home ownership without breaking your budget. Very clean 3BR, with long front proch..Call BILLIE PERRY 694-1886.



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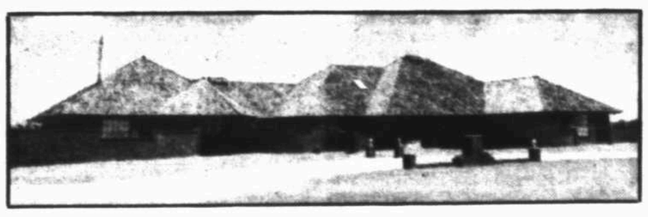


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Owner financing on many of these listings -- please call for details:

REDUCED-9920 CR 129W, 13,000SF Commercial bldg. (presently indoor soccer field) off Coors Rd. between Midland/Odessa. Includes 1,000SF finished office and +1.5 ac. fenced yard. Very nice facility. Call Penny or Needa $145,000

2709 N. BIG SPRING -Three-building complex grossing $34,800. 4,300 sf vacant and available for owner occupant. Sell amortizing investment with present income.
Call Penny $325,000

1505 W. FRANCIS-Brick veneer/steel. 18 offices, large computer room, large reception. 1400SF WH. 440 3-phase service. Nice property!
Call Penny $139,000

3215 GARDEN CITY HWY. -Nice 2600-ft. bldg., 1000-ft. office area w/ref. air, 1600-ft insulated shop, 2 baths. One acre w/fenced caliche yard. High visibility.
Call Jim $59,900

APARTMENT COMPLEX-48 large units, needs work. Owner will finance or trade ..... Call Penny

2608 LOMA-2 story, 4000 SF, quality construction. (Located behind 2709 N. Big Spring). For Sale or Lease ..... Offers

1008 MISSOURI-1,000 SF ofc. bldg. plus outside storage bldg. for small business. Close in. Call Roberta $70,000

1809 S. MIDKIFF-2 metal bldgs., 10,000SF w/8 offices on 1-1/2 acres. Attractive, well located property. Call Curly $160,000

5702 W. INDUSTRIAL-67,400 SF shop + 15,000 SFwarehouse + 4,500 SF office/retail on 12.5 acres with excellent traffic and visibility ..... Call Penny

1539 OLIVER-Immaculate office/shop, 2600 SF with overhead door, fenced yard. Corner Oliver/Francis. Call Penny $58,900

506 E. FLORIDA-4000 SF multi-purpose bldg. in LR3, 2400 ft. finished space for office or retail, 1600 ft. shop w/overhead door. Call Roberta $80,000

510 E. FLORIDA-Excellent corner location across from Community Bank. 3 bays and office, paved parking. Call Lou $40,000

BIG SPRING/INDUSTRIAL-Old Rocky Ford bldg. 23,000 SF warehouse. Owner finance. For sale or lease. Call Lou or Penny $160,000

1105 PUEBLO DR. - 4000 SF bldg., excellent north location in Ranch Estates. Present tenants pay $725/mo. plus taxes, insurance, utilities. Call Penny $75,000

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SANDWICH SHOPS-Several shops in downtown buildings. Perfect family business. Terms ..... Call Penny

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GARDENDALE three bedroom, 3 bath, double garage. 8.04 acres. 3 wells. Call 550-4205.

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730 Suburban Property

FOR SALE By owner 1410 West County Road 125. Brick home with fireplace and built-ins on one acre with a 40 x 100 building and 30 x 60 shop OR this house with only ½ acre OR mobile home with 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 1½ acres with same buildings. WE WILL FINANCE Call 686-0194.

740 Out of Town Property

COLORADO ESTATE SALE
3 miles north of Gunnison, Hwy 135. 34 + acres with spacious luxuriously furnished tri-level 3 bedroom, 3 bath home and 3 bedroom 2 bath furnished guest house. $390,000 - terms available. Owner: Bob Riek, Box 1933, Midland, Tx 79702 682-8261.

FOR SALE/ TRADE. Across from LBJ Lake. Custom contemporary, frame/ native rock. 1 bdr, 1½ ba, separate guest 1 bdr, 1½ ba. workshop, patio, carport, excellent well. Ideal for couple $89,500. 915-388-3939/ P.O. Box 1455, Kingsland, TX 78639.

LLANO, TX. 14+ Acres. 50 year old 2½ acre Lake stocked with Bass - 400' Dam - Paved road frontage - Backs up to large ranch - Deer & Quail - 200+ Live oak trees - $2,995/ acre with excellent financing. 685-3334.

740 Out of Town Property

1987 3 BEDROOM 2 bath, 1 acre, 2 sheds, satellite, partially fenced, some landscaping, North of Airport. $27,500. 563-5726.

HUNTERS. 100 acre West Texas ranch South of Midland near Sanderson. Borders big ranch. Deer. Turkey. Quail. Dove. $495 down. $161 per month. Owner financed. No credit check. 512-921-6476.

COUNTRY LIVING in town. Brick, approximately 2,600 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living, fireplace and many more extras in this custom home on 1.5 acres + 13.5 acres on VA. Near two lakes, in Gorman Texas, Highway 6. 817-734-2782.

750 Lots and Acreage

3 ACRES- well, Septic, barn, pecan tree. 5 miles South East of Midland. $225/down, $225/monthly. (806) 796-0069.

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MEADOWPARK LOT
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MEADOW PARKS Finest Lot, priced to sell at $13,900. Access to pool, tennis courts and club house. Call 682-2554 or 682-1144.

C-2 Lots, 75¢/ sq. ft. near Lamesa and Florida. Nothing down. Owner financing. 683-8260.

9 ACRES east end of 868, adjacent large ranch. Well and septic. $25,000. 694-5641 or 683-8185.

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PECAN FARM- 47 acres, 2000 trees, on drip system. Brick home includes large enclosed pool with complete entertainment facility. Barn, 12 wells, equipment, mobile home and more, Owner looks at all offers. $399,900.

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NEVER before listed. 508 Acre ranch in Hill Country. 5 miles from Burnett, Texas, close to Lake Buchanan, Little Midland. Plenty of deer. Owner financing. Area has sold for $1,350 per acre. Asking $550,000. Qualified buyers reply to P.O. Box 51110, Midland, Texas. 79710.

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760 Farms and Ranches

303 ACRES - Coleman County. Good hunting, 5 tanks, all minerals, some cultivation. Barn. Community water near. Owner terms. $325 per acre. James Long Real Estate (915)597-1581.

770 Resort Property

FOR SALE: DUE TO ILL HEALTH 6 lots at Brownwood Lake, screened cabin, storage, $5,500. Call 697-1873.

FOR Sale or Rent, by day or week. Ruidoso Cabin: Three bedroom, two bath, beautiful den, two fireplaces, on river. Call Morgan's Photography, Odessa 332-0511, 362-2964.

GUADALUPE River Frontage, ultimate cliff site, excellent restrictions. Electricity/ Water available. Stone throw, Canyon Lake Dam, heavily wooded. 3 adjoining sites. $55,000 or $20,000 each. Owner agent. 682-4950.

PANDALE Crossing. 5 acres on Pecos river, gentle slope, rock bottom. EZ owner terms. 512-868-7647.

770 Resort Property

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Laguna Vista Estates. Take exit 212 south off I-20, go south, follow signs. Model home open most weekends. All utilities. Deeded land. Boat ramp, fishing dock, planned community. C. Goss, 694-8662.

COLORADO CITY LAKE; 2 bedroom trailer with 10' x 30' room addition. Includes 17' fiberglass boat - 95 HP Mercury motor. $6,500 total. 697-4606 after 6.

LAKE BROWNWOOD- 3 bedrooms, central air/heat, double garage, lovely sun porch, on water. 694-7541 after 6pm.

3 STORY CABIN. Cloud Country Estates, Cloudcroft New Mexico. Nicely furnished, Make offer. 381-7670 office; 362-0718 home.

LAKE PROCTOR. Two bedroom, two bath, fireplace, $21,500. 817-893-7552.

770 Resort Property

ROBERT LEE 14 x 70 mobile home, 3 bedrooms, excellent condition, landscaped, fully furnished. 367-5020.

MOUNTAIN LIONS & CATFISH 202 acres (or more) $99/ acre with access to Rio Grande River. Deer, turkey, hogs. Good roads and title. Near Sanderson. $1,000 down - $215.92/ month at 11%. (512)792-4432.

780 Business Property

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MIDKIFF/ LOOP 250. Approximately 9 acres zoned retail, will sell all or part. Close to Skaggs and Walmart. Also 1 acre land by North Park Cinema. Owner says Sell!!! All offers considered. Call Giff Alstrin, 683-1500
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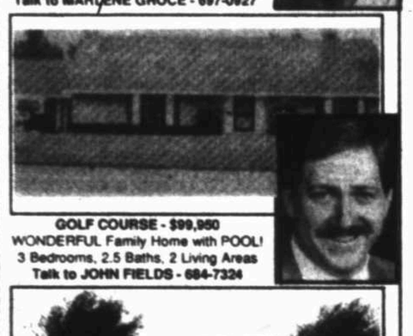
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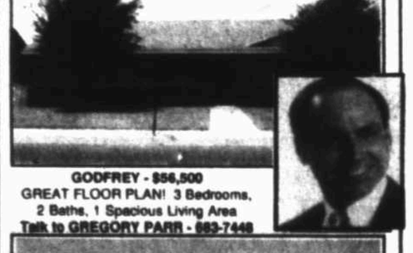
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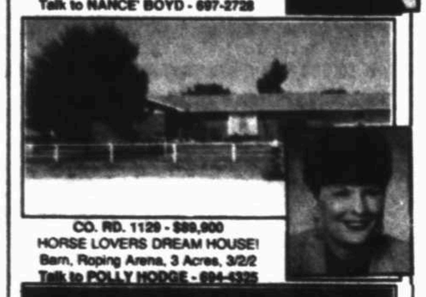
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CO. RD. 1129 - $89,900
HORSE LOVERS DREAM HOUSE!
Barn, Roping Arena, 3 Acres, 3/2/2
Talk to POLLY HODGE - 694-4325



LAURA - $40,000
TOTALLY REDECORATED!- Just Reduced!
Picture Perfect 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths
Talk to KAY PEDERSON - 682-4922



ALCOVE - $69,900
BEAUTIFUL BACKYARD!
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, PRETTY!
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STUTZ - $115,000
FRESH UPDATED KITCHEN! Location+
4 Bedrooms, 2 Living Areas, owner/agent
Talk to BEVERLY DWYER - 682-5903



GOLF COURSE - $99,950
WONDERFUL Family Home with POOL!
3 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, 2 Living Areas
Talk to JOHN FIELDS - 684-7324



STANOLIND - $65,000
ONE OWNER HOME - PERFECTION!
4 Bedrooms, near Lee/Rusk
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RESIDENTIAL

TODD - Unique Property. 4br, 2.1frpl. plus 4 businesses $480,000
COMPRESS - 4br, 3LA, 2frpl, 4ba, 162 acre estate $380,000
HIALEAH - 4br, 2LA, 3.5+, 5ba, 2frpl, EXTRAS GALORE $325,000
RUSTIC TRAIL - 4br, 3LA, 5ba, 2frpl, stunning! prof. dec. $269,900
SEQUOIA - 5br, 4ba, 2ia, 2 frpl, Greentree $259,000
ISLAND DRIVE - extras, 5br4ba, 2ia, 2 frpl. $223,000
MAMAR - 7 br, 2LA, 4.5ba, wonderful family home $220,000
TEAKWOOD - 4br, 5ba, 2LA, frpl, Gorgeous Lary Bit $199,900
TEAKWOOD - 4br, 3ba, 2-story, hot tub, custom built $199,000
CO RD 1243 - 4br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, Horse Lovers DREAM $197,800
MEADOWRIDGE - 4br, 2.5+, 5 be, 2La, 2frpl, light $193,000
SEQUOIA - 4br, 2.5ba, 2LA, frpl, BEAUTIFUL!! $189,000
MEADOWRIDGE - 4br, 2LA, 3.5ba, 2frpl, Allen Custom $179,900
MEADOWRIDGE - 4br, 1LA, 3ba, frpl, STUNNING $179,900
CO RD 1213 - 20x40 pool, 4br, 3ba, 2ia, 2frpl. $179,500
CASTLEFORD - 4br, 3ba. $169,900
OAKLAWN - 3br, 3.75ba, 2LA, frpl, tot updated, shutters $169,900
GREENRIDGE - 4br, 2LA, 2.75ba, frpl, Mark Payne $168,500
TERRA - 5br, 2.75ba, 3-car, 2LA, frpl, pool, PRETTY $168,500
WOODHAVEN - 4br, 2LA, 3.5ba, frpl, custom, office $161,500
DUNBLANE - 4br, 2LA, 2.75ba, frpl, tile floors, custom $159,900
SOUTHHAMPTON - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, 3-Car, Kelly Young $158,000
MEADOWLARK - 4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, country estate $149,000
NORTHFIELD - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, quality, marble entry $148,000
TERRA - 4br, 2LA, frpl, 3ba, custom drapes, pretty! $145,000
LOS ALAMITOS - 4br, 1LA, 4ba, gorgeous pool $143,000
LANHAM - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, frpl, largel with many extras $140,000
TERRA - 1LA, 3.5ba, 4br, gorgeous with extra storage $139,900
LOS ALAMITOS - 5br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, dining, pretty $139,500
SOUTHAMPTON - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, gameroom/5th br $134,900
TEAKWOOD - 4br, 3LA, 3.75ba, frpl, beauty & charm! $134,500
MEADOWLAKE ESTATE - Xtras, 3br, 2ba, 1ia $130,000
HUNTINGTON - Wonderful home, 4br, 3LA, EXTRAS $129,900
PRINCETON - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, lots of pretty trees $126,500
NEELY - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, Wallace Townhome $125,000
GODFREY - 4br, 2LA, 1frpl, 3ba, near Parker Elemn. $124,500
MT. VERNON - 4br, 1LA, 2.5ba, New Jack Townzen home $123,900
LANCASHIRE - 4br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, Pretty home $119,900
CASTLEFORD - 4br, 1LA, 3ba, frpl, lush landscaping $119,500
CRESTRIDGE - 4br, 4ba, large open family room w/frpl. $116,500
CRESTGATE - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, wet bar, lots of TLC $115,000
CRESTWOOD - 4br, 1LA, 3ba, formal dining, light $115,000
DAVENTRY - 4br, 1LA, 2.5ba, frpl, will consider lease $115,000
STUTZ COURT - Cul-de-sac, 4br, 4ba, totally updated $115,000
SHERWOOD - 4br, 2ba, 1LA, wkshp, 1frpl. $112,500
ANGELINA - 3br, 2ba, 1frpl, 2LA, circle drive $112,000
HIGHSKY - 4br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl, many extras! $109,900
STUTZ - 4br, 2ba, 3LA, large gameroom plus a pool! $106,500
WHITMAN - 4br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, Kahler construction $106,000
STANOLIND - 5br, 3ba, 1LA, 2frpl, great family home! $105,000
STUTZ - 4br, 2LA, 3.5ba, wonderful family home $105,000
LEHIGH - 4br, 1LA, 3ba, frpl, large master suite $104,900
DUNKIRK - 4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, tons of custom features $100,000
GOLF COURSE - 3br, 2.5ba, 2LA, frpl, current updating $99,950
WESTERN - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2-Car, pool $99,900
HARRISON - 4br, 3ba, sep. mother-in-law bedroom $99,900
BROADWAY - 4br, 2ba, Old Midland $99,900
FAIRVIEW - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, pool, PRETTY $99,900
WESTMINSTER - 4br, 1LA, 3ba, frpl, quality thru-out $99,900
MOCKINGBIRD - Aprx.3ac, 2 mrwlls, 3br 2ba $99,500
DYER - 4br, 2ba, 2LA, BEAUTIFUL, designer papers $98,900
ANDOVER - 3br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl, many EXTRAS $98,000
CO RD 140W - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, Barn, 12 Acres, Country Est. $98,000
CUTHBERT - 2br, 2ba, 1LA, 2 large workshops $96,500
STUTZ - 4br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl, cul-de-sac location $95,000
MAXWELL - 4br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, pretty landscaping $94,500
SEABOARD - 4br, 2.75ba, frpl, 2LA $94,500
THIRD - Stanton, 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl. $94,500
ASHDOWN - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, open, pretty $92,500
PURPLE SAGE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, pool, wonderful $92,000
SPRINGMEADOW - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, fireplace in master $92,000
WESTERN - 4br, 2ba, 1frpl, 3LA, lots of updating $90,000
CO RD 1129 - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 3 acres $89,900
HAYNES - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, pretty patio home $89,900
PRINCETON - 3br, 2LA, fpri, 2ba, mint condition! $89,900
FAIRVIEW - 3br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl. $89,500
AURORA - 3br, 2ba, 3LA, frpl, pool & workshop! $87,000
BEDFORD - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, fantastic redo $86,500
ARROYO - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, frpl, pool, patio home $85,500
BONHAM - Frsh pnt, sewing clst, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frp $85,000
DAWN CIRCLE - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, cul-de-sac $85,000
CLADERA - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, 2-car garage, PRETTY $84,900
MAXWELL - 4br, 2ba, frpl, 1LA $84,500
SPYGLASS - 3br, frpls, 2-car garage, sprinklers, pool $84,500
SHELL - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, 2frpl, pool $83,500
DENTCREST - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, has had lots of TLC $79,900
PARKHURST - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, built-ins, extras $79,900
ELMA - 3br, 2ba, frpl, 1LA, bookcases $76,000
VENTURA - Wallace Townhome, 2br, 1LA, 2ba, frp $76,000
EMERSON - 4br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frp $75,900
KANSAS - 3br, 3ba, 3LA, frpl, well cared for $75,000
BEDFORD - 3br, 2ba, pretty yard $74,900
GLENEAGLES - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, manicured yard $74,500
CO RD 54 W - 3br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl, pipe fence $70,000
ALCOVE COURT - Brk pcyrd, hot tub, 3br, 2ba $69,900
KNIFFEN - 3br, 1.75ba, frpl, 1LA, great area for horses $69,900
LANHAM - Old Midland, 3br, 2ba, 2 ia, pool $69,900
REGAL - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, dining, excellent condition $69,900
CRESTWOOD - 2br, 1LA, 2ba, 2-car, frpl, wet bar $69,500
FERNCLIFF - 3br, 1LA, 1.75ba, frpl, pool $67,500
GLENEAGLES - 3br, 1LA, frpl, light & open plan $67,000
DENGAR - 3br, frpl, 1LA, 2.5ba, lots of extras $66,500
HUGHES - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, neat and clean $66,500
STANOLIND - 4br, 1LA, much updating, immaculate $65,000
TERRACE - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, close to Fannin Elemn. $65,000
GARDEN LANE - 4br, 1LA, 2ba, owner may finance $65,000
HODGES - 3br, 2ba, 2-car garage, in "Old Midland" $64,900
WYDEWOOD - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, wet bar $64,900
CAMARIE - 4br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, pretty yard $64,500
CIMMARON - 3 Large br, 2LA, 2be $64,000
COUNTRY CLUB - Seller will give $5,000.00 to assume! $63,649
LANHAM - 5br, 2ba, 1LA, + workshop, "Old Midland" $63,500
LASALLE - To be blt, 3br, 2ba, 1ia, frpl, 2car $63,500
ABBEY - California Contemporary, 3br, 2ba, open plan $62,900
SHELL - Location! 3br, 2ba, 2LA, Priced to sell! $62,000
GODDARD - 3br, 2ba, frpl, parquet floors, updated $61,500
CUTHBERT - 3br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, water well, corner lot $61,000
ALPINE - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, 20 x 28 workshop - deluxe $60,000
NEELY - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, good storage $59,900
AMISTAD - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, townhome $59,500
CO. RD. 1241 - Immac. lts of wood, 3br, 2ba 1ia $59,000
NEELY - 3br, 2LA, 2ba $58,900
CIMMARON - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, pool $58,000
BENTWOOD - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, workshop $57,950
DENGAR - 3br, 2ba, frpl, 2LA, beautiful trees! $57,100
GODFREY - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, recent updating $56,500
DENGAR - Duplex, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, stucco $55,000
WOODLAWN - 3br, 2LA, <2ba, good location $55,000
STOREY - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, tons of storage & kitch cabinets $54,600
CANADIAN - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, great family home $53,900
CROCKETT - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, non qualify loan, seq master $53,500
HARVARD - 2br, 1LA, offers $53,500
CO. RD. 114 - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, on 9 acres $50,000
DENGAR - Duplex, 2br, 1LA, 1ba, each side $50,000
ROCKY LANE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, qualifying assump $50,000
BENTWOOD - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, frpl, non-qual assump $49,900
MARY CIRCLE - 3br, 2ba, frpl, 1LA, Greenwood $49,900
MONTY - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, decked pool, a MUST SEE $49,900
OHIO - 3br, 1.75ba, 2LA, water well $49,900
PECOS - Low maintenance, 3br, enclosed patio, ... $49,900
CARPENTER - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, in Stanton $49,500
SUNNYSIDE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, qualify assumption $49,500
REEVES - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl $49,900
WATSON - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, tip top condition $49,000
MELTON - 2br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, townhouse $47,500
OHIO - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, 2 car, covered patio $46,900
ALPINE - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, pretty trees $46,500
OHIO - 3br, 1LA, 2ba $46,500
AVONDALE - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, non-qualify assumption! $44,900
TANGLEWOOD - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, refrigerated air $44,900
CUTHBERT - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl $44,000
CASPER - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, qualifying assump-low equity $42,500
KANSAS - 4br, 1LA, 2ba, fresh paint, clean carpet $42,500
OAK - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, clean home $42,500
PRESTON - Townhome, 2br, 1LA, 2.5ba, lush landscape $42,000
LAURA - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, delightful home! $40,000
CO RD 52 W - 3br, 1LA, 1.75ba $39,900
CUTHBERT - 2br, 2ba, 2LA, close to shopping $39,900
DEVONIAN - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, updated $39,900
GULF - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, sequestered master $39,900
GULF - 3br, 1LA, great location, gourmet kitchen $39,900
SIESTA - 2br, 1LA, 1.5ba, frpl, one half of duplex $39,900
TANNER - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, qualifying assumption, 2 story $39,900
PARKDALE - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, fresh paint outside-look inside! $38,500
ROOSEVELT - refrigerated air, owner will finance! $36,000
MERCEDES - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, cute house $35,000
THOMAS - 3br, 1ba, 2LA, water well $35,000
RIC - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, nice clean home, great starter! $34,000
CEDAR SPRINGS - 3br, 1ba, 1LA, non-qual assumption $32,900
ROOSEVELT - 3br, 2ba, great starter home! $32,500
LOUISIANA - 2br, 1ba, 2LA, frpl, updated! $32,500
DELANO - 3br, 2ba $30,000
ST. JOSEPH - 3br, 1LA, 1ba, in Stanton $30,000
BENTWOOD - 2br, 2ba, 1LA $29,900
BENTWOOD - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, workshop $29,900
DEVONIAN - 3br, 1.5ba, 1LA, workshop, cute house! $29,900
HILL - 2br, 2LA, 1ba, ready for you to move in to! $29,500
KENTUCKY - 3br, 1LA, 1ba, owner wants offers $27,500
KENTUCKY - Cld be 3br, rental in rear, 2br, 2ba $27,000
STOREY - 3br, 2LA, 1.5ba, fannie mae financing $25,900
CENTURY - 3br, 2LA, 2ba $24,900
KING ARTHUR - 2br, 1LA, 2ba, Mobile Home on .5 acre $24,900
KENTUCKY - 3br, 1LA, 2ba $23,000
MCKENZIE - "as is" 3br, 1LA, 1ba $23,000
COMANCHE - 3br, 1LA, 1ba, "as is" $22,000
ESTES - 2br, 1LA, 1ba, "as is" $22,000
CO. RD. 1210 - 1br, 1ba, frpl, 1LA, "Doll House!" $20,500
WASHINGTON - 4br, 1LA, 1ba, cute house $20,000
OAK - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, "As is-Where is" $19,900
H. WHITAKER - 2br, 1ba, 1ia 1car, ref, stove $19,500
MARIENFELD - 2br, 1ba, 1LA $15,000
SPRABERRY - 2br, 1ba $14,000

NEW LISTINGS

$61,500 UPDATED Tile, parquet, oven, dishwasher, marble vanities, sliding glass doors replaced with double french doors plus fresh paint. Three bedrooms, 2 Baths, formals plus family living on Goddard! Please call SUELLEN NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915.

ANOTHER BEAUTIFUL KAHLER HOME Four bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 spacious living area, dining, kitchen with island. Master bath has separate tub and shower plus 2 walk-in closets. Priced int he mid 90's. Also see 4904 Whitman - priced just over $100,000! Call JEANNIE PRINTZ, Associate, evenings, 699-1641.

GORGEOUS HOME on quiet cul-de-sac near Midland College. Four bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 living areas, formal dining and large breakfast room, wet bar, sequestered master suite, rear entry garage plus much more! Priced in the mid 90's. Call JEANNIE PRINTZ, Associate, evenings, 699-1641.

SPACIOUS PATIO HOME WITH HUGE ROOMS! Three bedrooms, 3 baths, 1 huge living area, formal dining and large breakfast room plus and extra large utility room with tons of cabinets! Rear entry 2-car garage and tons of storage space all for under $90,000. Talk to JEANNIE PRINTZ, Associate, evenings, 699-1641.

PRESTIGIOUS SADDLE CLUB NORTH Executive home that has been completely redecorated with 4 bedrooms, study, 2 living areas, 2 fireplaces and the most fabulous kitchen in Midland. Quiet protected environment with room to entertain. This stately two story sets on beautifully landscaped lot with pool size backyard. The discriminating buyer will appreciate the quality and good taste in this home. Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

GOOD CENTS Come home to an almost new construction in Fairmont Park with tile floorings throughout kitchen and baths. Master bath has separate shower and garden tub. Large backyard easily accommodates pool or workshop. Motivated seller equals unbeatable price of $67,000. Call and ask for VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

DO YOU KNOW HOW TO STEAL A HOUSE IN BROAD DAYLIGHT? Buy this great starter home! Owner has had enough and says being an out-of-town landlord is for the birds! Brick 3 bedroom could use your special TLC. But for $31,900 it's the best bargain the marketplace. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

DEAL OF THE MONTH! You won't believe the space in this 4 bedroom home in Saddle Club South - 2 large living areas, wet bar, zoned heat and air, breakfast area plus formal dining, breakfast bar, bath off den, all bedrooms are spacious with walk-in closets, lots of light, high ceilings, and sooooo much more! This is a real deal at only $135,000! Better hurry and call KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

DON'T DREAM A DREAM - BUY ONE! Four bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage built on a cul-de-sac in Skyline Terrace. Tall ceilings, double fireplace, formal dining and pretty yard with sprinkler system. All this for only $108,900. Call HELEN MASON, Associate, evenings, 694-0247.

UP FOR GRABS! This delightful low maintenance home comes complete with 3 large bedrooms, 2 large baths, hughe living room with fireplace and 2-car rear entry garage. Asking $78,500. Call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

RELAX ... ENJOY this lovely Wallace townhomuse close to Wadley Park. Two large bedrooms and 2 baths. Large kitchen and breakfast area. Spacious living room with fireplace and formal dining room plus 2-car garage. Seller will consider lease or lease purchase. Super townhouse for only $76,000! Talk to KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

DRIVE INTO HOME OWNERHSIP Affordable brick 3 bedroom 2 bath home comes with a Pool! Newer home in newer area, 2-car garage and formal dining. Beautiful covered patio. Call POLLY HODGE, Associate, about a pleasure to see and joy to own! evenings, 694-4325.

PRICED TO PLEASE - NEW CONSTRUCTION Four bedroom home in Parker school district. Inside you'll love its open floorplan, formal dining, ceramic tile in kitchen, separate tub and shower in master. Builder to include 10 year HOW warranty. See this wallet-pleaser today. Call VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

NO MONTHLY PAYMENTS? That's right if you would like to own an office building where one of the tenants is currently making the mortgage payments - don't miss this buy! For more information, please call and ask for GREGORY PARR, Associate, evenings, 683-7448.

QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION with low payments is what you can expect with this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located on a quiet cul-de-sac. For more information, please call GREGORY PARR, Associate, evenings, 683-7448.

PRICED IN THE 40'S Darling 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with double garage, fireplace, refrigerated air and covered patio. This home is in tip top condition on a pretty cul-de-sac with pretty yard. Mid 40's and owner says SELL! Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

COUNTRY LIVING - CITY CONVENIENCE 2.5 acres available just 10 minutes from downtown. An ideal building site in restricted suburban area ... $25,000. Talk to VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

LEE HIGH LOCATION! Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with south facing front within walking distance of Lee High and Rusk Elementary. Pleasant wooded backyard has covered patio and fruit bearing apple tree. Don't miss this exceptional buy in the 50's. Call JOHN FIELDS, Associate, evenings, 684-7324.

THIS WEEKS SPECIAL FEATURES

OLD MIDLAND CHARM! Surrounds this lovely three bedroom, 2 bath home nestled among a gorgeous setting of trees - lots of hardwood. This is a home your family will love and afford - do some updating and have a home for life! Call POLLY HODGE, Associate, evenings, 694-4325.

CUL-DE-SAC LIVING! Beautiful home on a quiet cul-de-sac. Master bedroom has sitting area and the backyard has a hot tub. What more could you want for in the 60's! Call JEANNIE PRINTZ, Associate, evenings, 699-1641.

POOL! A spectacular swimming pool companions a spa and gazebo with a view of the oriental garden. 3/2/2 formals plus family living. Price reduced to $112,000. Please call J. FRANK NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915.

WONDERFUL WORKSHOP! Everyone will love this 3 bedroom, 2 baths, 1-car garage with workshop that could be oversized 2nd detached garage. French doors overlook covered patio in beautiful backyard with sprinklers and lovely landscaping. Master bedroom has hardwood floors. Recent updating. Owner transferred will look at offers! $32,500. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

OWNER WILL FINANCE OFFICE BUILDING. Here's your chance to take advantage of tax breaks for your business by owning your own building rather than renting. This building is located near downtown and has over 12 offices, kitchen area and abundant parking. For more information contact GREGORY L. PARR, Associate, evenings, 683-7448.

SADDLE CLUB LAKES LOT REDUCED! To only $28,000! Large corner lot. Lovely homes being built by leading builders in choice security area. Call HELEN MASON, Associate, evenings, 694-0247.

COUNTRY LIVING with the Airport nearby for your private plane. Big 4 bedroom plus office and large gameroom with huge country kitchen. Beautiful pool inside privacy fence. All this on almost 5 acres. Please call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

GONE WITH THE WIND! Where rent money goes! Build equity instead in buy-able 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area, 2 car garage brick home with 2 fireplaces, central gas heat, central electric refrigeration, water softener and reverse osmosis. All for $39,900! Talk to PAT CARL, Associate, evenings, 682-4000.

YOU SAVE THOUSANDS. Owner just completed extensive redecorating and has now been transferred. Reap big savings on this 4 bedroom 2 bath with plantation shutters throughout, recent paint, carpet and wallpapers, built-in cabinets, bookcases and large professionally landscaped backyard in most desirable cul-de-sac location ... and JUST REDUCED! ONLY $98,900. Call VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

GREENWOOD! Great residential land or commercial land across from Greenwood school. REDUCED $20,000.00! Seller will consider owner financing. Call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

NICE AREA! NICE PRICE! This lovely home in "Old Midland" offers 5 bedrooms and all the amenities! Modern kitchen and breakfast room, 2 baths, lots of updating plus workshop! Nicely situated in quiet and peaceful "Old Midland". Reduced to the low 60's! Call and ask for KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

WALK TO LEE! Spacious 4 bedrooms 2 baths, 2-car garage ABSOLUTELY dripping with TLC! One owner brick home manicured to perfection. Recently remodeled with carpet, steal siding for trim, refrigerated air, central gas heat, and much more! Pool-sized great backyard. I bet the owner that his house COULD not last 2 weeks! Call me ASAP only $65,000. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

FRESH PAINT makes this bright and cheerful California contemporary sparkle! Master suite has private Florida room, the living areas are open. Bank repo - only $62,900. Wydewood addition. Please call and ask for SUELLEN NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915.

OLD MIDLAND CHARM!! Elegance nestled into gorgeous setting in mature area with lots of trees and pretty landscaping. This is the home where dreams come true! Amenities include 3 large bedrooms, 2 living areas, bonus room, lots of storage, wood parquet floors, plantations shutters, master suite with separate dressing areas, lots of personal touches. Please call and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

LARGE, LOW & COMPORTABLE This spacious 3 bedroom, brick home has over 2000 square feet! An oversized rear entry garage was planned for expansion. The backyard is like a park. Priced in the low 50's. It's comfortable and homey. Must be seen to be appreciated. Call JOHN FIELDS, Associate, evenings, 684-7324.

VACANT & READY FOR YOUR FAMILY to move into this quiet cul-de-sac location. Master bedroom is sequestered for privacy with separate tub and shower in Master Bath. For your special viewing call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

CHOOSY BUYERS CHOOSE NEW! Kelly Young Custom built homes in Polo Park, Saddle Club East, Green Tree North and other locations available. Plans are custom designed with many buyer options. Choose your brick, carpet, wallpaper etc ,, but first choose KELLY YOUNG! For more information please call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

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IDLEWILDE ..... Suellen Nall
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ALCOVE ..... Vicky Garrett
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STONECREST ..... Vicky Garrett
RIO GRANDE ..... Vicky Garrett
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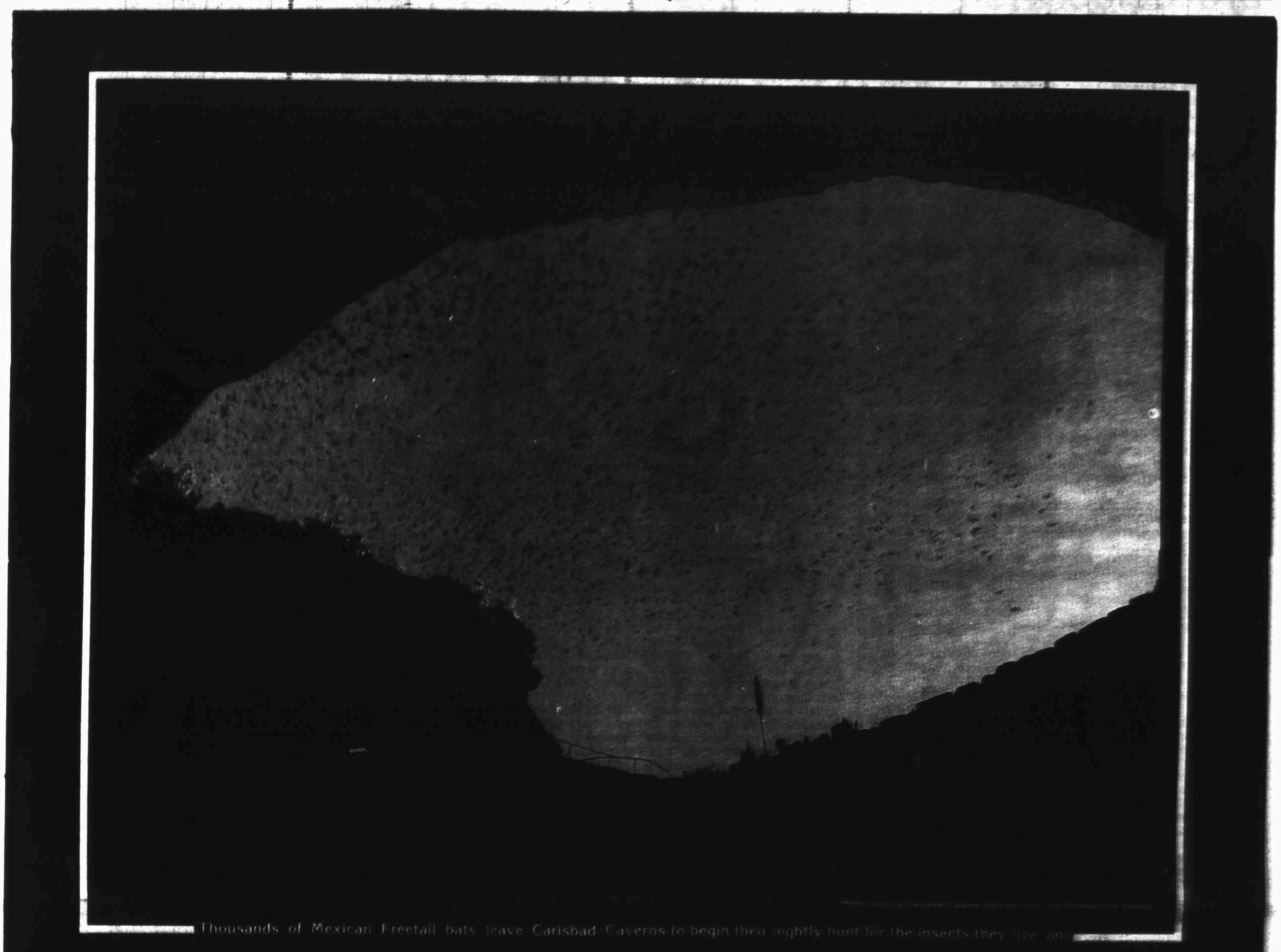
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Thousands of Mexican Freetail bats leave Carlsbad Caverns to begin their nightly hunt for the insects they live on.

Flights of Fancy

Text by LINDA ANDERSON

CARLSBAD CAVERNS, N.M. — The sun is sinking over the desert mountains. The last visitors to Carlsbad Caverns National Park have returned to the surface after viewing the famous sights in the caverns below. The visitors' center is closed and many employees have gone.

For many sight-seers at this southeastern New Mexico national park, the day ends with the last tour through the caverns. But for several hundred visitors each day, the best is yet to be.

Every evening near sundown, from spring to fall (usually early May to October), hundreds of thousands of bats swarm out of the cave's natural entrance on their way to their nightly hunt for the insects that make up their diet. For many years, hundreds of park visitors have included the sight of the nightly bat flight on their list of memorable sights of Carlsbad Caverns.

However, few visitors realize that the bats' return flight near sunrise is just as spectacular as the more well-known evening flight.

According to information from the national park, an estimated 250,000 Mexican Freetail bats currently make their home inside Carlsbad Caverns. But even that vast number of bats is only a fraction of the estimated 8 million to 9 million bats that lived in the colony during the 1930s. In fact, the past population of the bat colony was so huge that historical accounts claim that people who saw the bat flight at the turn of the century thought it was smoke.

The colony is largely a maternity colony, with the vast majority of the population made up of mothers and babies. Each spring, each mother Mexican Freetail bat gives birth to a single baby that weighs about one-quarter of her weight. "Ladies," explained a park ranger during a recent talk, "that's the equivalent of giving birth to a 30-pound baby."

Mexican Freetail bats are migratory, living in Mexico during the winter months. They are small animals, with a wingspan of up to 12 inches and a body weight of one-half ounce. But their small size does not measure up to their appetite. According to park service information, each bat can eat one-third or more of its body weight in insects each night, or about one ton of insects per night for the whole colony.

Besides insect control, bats also provide another valuable agricultural service — their guano, or bat droppings, provides fertilizer for some of the world's most important food plants, including bananas, grapes and other fruit crops.

Ecologically and agriculturally, bats are extremely necessary animals. They are also extremely misunderstood by many people who view them with fear and superstition. According to the park ranger, bats: (1) don't carry rabies any more than any other species of mammal; (2) do not bite people on the neck (although one type of bat, the vampire bat, does feed on the blood of warm-blooded animals, usually cattle; however vampire bats do not live in the United States); and (3) really have no reason for "getting in your hair — unless you have insects in your hair."

In spite of the old saying, bats are not really blind, information from Carlsbad Caverns said. "This is unfair to the bat, for all bats have eyes and they can see. Their eyes are small and they probably don't see as well as some other small mammals, but they can see. Bats, however, don't need eyes for they can fly and feed in total darkness."

The reason for this ability to "fly blind" is bats' built-in echolocation systems. "The bats emit high frequency squeaks or sounds," national park information continued. "These sounds travel ahead of the bat and when they strike an object somewhere in the bat's path, echoes will bounce back to be heard and interpreted in the bat's ears and brain. Listening for echoes enables the bat to navigate. They literally get an audio-image of everything that is before them and they can determine the size and shape of each object and can fly by them without danger of collision. The bats also use this 'sonar' system to detect insect prey in the the air. It is so effective they can pick up insects as small as gnats and moths in motion."

When the bats leave the cave at night, they fly in a counterclockwise spiral. The park rangers believe this spiraling flight has two reasons: first, it allows the bats to gain the altitude of 150-180 feet which is necessary for them to come up out of the cave; and second, it gives their eyes time to become adjusted to the brighter light of outdoors, after the total darkness of the cave.

During their nightly flights the bats fly about 15 miles per hour, for about eight to 10 hours, and can travel as much as 150 miles. Their feeding range is usually within a radius of about 50 miles from Carlsbad Caverns.

The morning return flight is just as spectacular as the evening flight, but very different from it. While the bats fly out of the cave at the same time each night, in one enormous

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HAVE YOU HEARD?

Summer weddings are celebrated

By Marilyn McKnight Harrison

A toast to all the summer brides and bridegrooms!

Among the latest to say "I do" were **Leslie Satterwhite** and **Grayson Hankins**, who exchanged vows at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the First Presbyterian Church. A reception hosted by the bride's parents, **Linda and Rodney Satterwhite**, followed at Midland Country Club.



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What made the wedding even more special was that the bride's parents were married in the same church 26 years ago this month and former Midlanders who were their attendants returned for Leslie and Grayson's ceremony.

Wedding week festivities began Thursday evening with a poolside party at the home of **Sue and Ed Harris**. Also hosting were **Linnie and Art Donnelly, Jeanne and Bill Worley, Polly and Ferrell Davis, Donna and Ted Fergeson, Sue Anne and Dick Campbell, Kay and Ralph Arrell, Bettye and Don Jones, Louan and Glenn Rogers, Susie and Don Evans, Betty and Bill Sumner** and **Robert Spears**.

A brunch was held Friday around the pool at the home of **Dee (Mrs. Paul) MOrris** and daughter, **Tammy**. The other hostesses were **Gayle (Mrs. Doc) Dodson** and daughter, **Kelly; Jan (Mrs. Dick) McMillan** and daughters, **Kirsten, Lindsay** and **Emily; Sue (Mrs. Sam) Conner** and her granddaughter, **Shelley Morrow; Nancy (Mrs. Woody) Woodman, Donna (Mrs. Don) Hewett** and **Stephanie (Mrs. Robert) Jenkins** of Austin.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted Friday evening by the groom's parents, **Pat and Kenneth Hankins** of Odessa, at the Plaza Club.

Leslie was honored with a manicure party Saturday at Backstage. The hostesses were **Penny (Mrs. Jerry) Hudgeons, Margie (Mrs. Mike) McKinney, Sallie (Mrs. Don) Kidwell, Frances (Mrs. Larry) Stapp** and **Jeanie (Mrs. Tom) Johnson**.

A bridesmaids luncheon was held Saturday at the Racquet Club with **Lynda (Mrs. Carty) Beal** and her daughter and the maid of honor, **Cristina Beal**, and **Sarilyn (Mrs. Bill) Black** as hostesses.

Pre-nuptial parties began in April with an engagement tea given at Midland Country Club and a cocktail party at the home of **Jan and Dick McMillan**.

In addition, a Christmas ornament shower was held at the home of **Betty (Mrs. Al) Schorre**. Co-hostesses were **Kay (Mrs. Don) Bishop, Judy (Mrs. Michael) Canon, Connie (Mrs. Jack) Ladd, LaDona (Mrs. Richard) Moore, Sandra (Mrs. George) Staley, Marsha (Mrs. Robert) Swanson** and **Diana (Mrs. Ed) Weyman**.

A recipe shower was given at the home of **Trinka (Mrs. Nick) Taylor**, with **Marilyn (Mrs. Neal) Allen** as co-hostess.

Karen and Tim Thompson entertained the Satterwhite family with a golf game for the men and the rest of the family joining them later for dinner at Midland Country Club.

The couple also were honored with parties in Odessa.

MEANWHILE, OVER at First United Methodist Church, **Amber Petersen** and **Kyle Cook** also were exchanging vows. Parents of the couple are former Midlanders **Sharon and Scott Petersen** of Vince, Fla., and **Kerry Kay and Tom Cook** of Midland.

Festivities began with an ornament shower hosted by **Amy (Mrs. Scott) Rayburn, Donita (Mrs. Mike) Fain** and **Diana (Mrs. Danny) Barker** in the Rayburn home.

A "Honey-Do" shower-dinner was held in the home of **Sally and Bill Stella** and co-hosted by **Carol Ann and Lynn Hunt** and **Sarah and Russell Neisig**.

Hosting a miscellaneous shower were **Patti (Mrs. David) DeFrance, Marlyn (Mrs. Oland) Butler, JoAnn (Mrs. Don) McClurg, Jackie (Mrs. Vance) Hendricks** and **Helen Lackey**. It was held at the DeFrances.

Alpha Delta Pi sorority sisters of the bride, **Amy Rust, Kathy Driggs** and **Kristen DeLongchamps**, hosted a personal shower at San Marcos, where the bride attended Southwest Texas State University.

The rehearsal dinner was held in the backyard at the home of the groom's parents. It featured a shrimp boil, with family friend **Paul King** as the chef.

Ranchland Hills Country Club was the setting for the wedding reception.

A postscript to the wedding write-up: The unusual time for the ceremony, 7:28 p.m., was set at the groom's request, Kerry Kay tells us, as Kyle proposed on 7-28 of last year. The bride's gown was fashioned by Kerry Kay, and the bride wore pearls belonging to the groom's grandmother, **Cleo Oberkamp**, for the traditional "something old" and "something borrowed."

Soloist at the wedding was **Gena Boswell** of El Paso, a family friend of the groom, and **Donnie Artley** played the trumpet.

TO CELEBRATE the wedding of their son, **Kevin Sparks, and Jill Nesbitt, Gwyn and Don Sparks** hosted a western dance and barbecue Friday evening at the Midland Center. Guests danced to the music of "Heartless" from Big Spring.

The couple were married at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church at Monahans, where the bride's parents, **Flyna and Tim Nesbitt**, reside. The wedding was followed by a reception at the Monahans Community Center.

Pre-nuptial festivities for the couple began the first of June with an engagement party at the Plaza Club hosted by Monahans friends of the bride's family.

Jill was honored with an "Around the Clock" kitchen shower at the home of **Sarah (Mrs. Russell) Neisig**. The other hostesses were **Lynda (Mrs. Carty) Beal, Sarilyn (Mrs. Bill) Black, Elizabeth (Mrs. Byron) Greaves, Mary (Mrs. Ralph) Hammond, Ann (Mrs. Bobby) Page, Glenda Pearce** and **Helen (Mrs. Alan) Spinks**.

Kevin was the guest of honor at a "Honey-Do" shower at the home of **Leslie and Dr. Tom Hinton**. The other host couples were **Debbie and Al Spinks, Peggy and Neal Howard, Karol Ann and Rusty Eads, Penny and Ernie Angelo** and **Gail and Jim Storrie**.

A bridal luncheon at La Bodega Restaurant was hosted by **Jo (Mrs. Bill) Cooksey** and former Midlander **Anne (Mrs. David) Hess**, both of Pecos.

In addition, Jill was honored with a bridal shower at the home of **Cindy (Mrs. Heasley) Rook**. Co-hostesses were **Karon (Mrs. Fred) Brown, Sandy (Mrs. Joe) Dominey, Ginger (Mrs. Jimmy) Floyd, Gay (Mrs. Paul) Stueckler, Georgia (Mrs. Carroll) Thomas, Betty (Mrs. Don) Tomlin** and **Barbara (Mrs. Jake) Young**. She also was feted with a bridal shower at the home of **Mary Beth (Mrs. Pat) Ramsey** in Monahans.

And last but not least is a brunch being held today at the Sparks' home for the out-of-town guests. Assisting Gwyn are **Lou (Mrs. Webb) Farish, Bobbie (Mrs. Ed) Lookabaugh** and Karon Brown.

Marilyn McKnight Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

Therapist: Life imitates 'soaps'

By Terry Lee Goodrich
N.Y. Times News Service



Psychotherapist Joy Davidson began to suspect something was amiss when she noticed how frequently some of her women clients were smiling through the tears.

"They would come in and tell me of some tempestuous aspect of their relationships — the way they were always fighting and breaking up and making up, or about the way they were constantly going after unavailable men," recalled Davidson, who has a private practice in Los Angeles.

"But at the same time these women were fraught with pain, there was a glimmer, a sparkle in their eyes, an excitement in the telling. It was a paradox: on the one hand, misery, and yet this misery was making them look gorgeous, sparkling."

Davidson didn't think it possible that so many women actually enjoyed pain. She searched psychology literature, but couldn't find an explanation.

"I found reams of literature about excitement-seeking — not about the daredevil relationships women get into, but about the daredevil exploits and risky sports of men," Davidson said in a telephone interview. "I'm convinced the same mechanism is operating in women's lives, but in a different way.

"I call it the 'Soap Opera Syndrome.'"

IT'S THE SUBJECT of her book, "The Agony of It All," recently published in paperback as "The Soap Opera Syndrome" (Berkley Books, $5.50).

Despite the name of the tendency, it's not limited to those who grew up watching the melodrama of soap operas. Nor is it limited, for that matter, to women, although she has found it more common among them.

"I'm convinced this is probably the most common way women sabotage their livelihood, happiness and self-esteem — building high-intensity drama into everyday situations and relationships to fulfill the drive for excitement," Davidson said. The ways they do so may range from binge-eating to marital infidelity.

While everyone has a normal, biological drive for excitement, known as sensation-seeking, "women aren't encouraged to jump out of airplanes, buy motorcycles," she said. "They're encouraged to be good girls, nice girls ... to get a good education, good job, marry a nice guy and be a good mother.

"For many women, this isn't enough."

The women's movement has helped women venture into areas their mothers might not have. Still, many women — particularly from the Baby Boomer era — "have had those other messages drummed into their heads for too many years to pretend they aren't there," Davidson said.

IN HER BOOK, Davidson lists ways for women to understand themselves and put healthy excitement into their lives:

■ Self-assessment: "Take a good, hard look at your values, priorities, goals," Davidson advised. "The fighters are those who are always picking a fight, always having a crisis. But they've learned how to get their point across. ... They're not shrinking violets."

Another personality type, the challengers, enjoy conquest, perhaps by going after someone who's already married or by trying to change another person.

"For the challenger, the thrill may be making a man do what she wants him to do, or winning each round in a contest between herself and another woman," Davidson said. "But when she gets him, she may not know what to do with him."

The rebel is a creative, complex person, often prone to substance abuse or compulsive behavior. If this individual recovers, "talking about the addiction and reliving it is part of the drama," Davidson said. "That's better than doing it, but ultimately they haven't let go of the obsession."

■ Choose some healthy forms of excitement to replace the old ways.

"Fighters might use their skills to go back to school, for a career change in a high-tension job like paramedic or reporter, for volunteerism or activism," Davidson said. "If they're fighting for something they believe in, they'll have much less energy to channel into negative drama."

Challengers, meanwhile, could pursue activities ranging from lifting weights to learning to program computers: "It doesn't matter what it is as long as they find it intriguing and challenging," Davidson said. "These are very passionate people."

FOR THE REBELS, "I recommend getting in touch with the creative side" through activities ranging from art or little theater to political work.

"So often, the creativity has been stifled in the addiction," Davidson said.

■ Learn to monitor thoughts and feelings, the better to anticipate and head off unhealthy dramas.

"Say your style is to pick fights with your husband," Davidson said. "Maybe you feel antsy or irritated or fluttering in your stomach. Try going running, or taking a hot bath or maybe doing some visualizing or deep breathing."

■ Seek support, whether from a lover, friends or therapy group.

"It's especially helpful if it's somebody else working on the same things, so you can goose each other along and pat each other on the back," she said.

■ Finally, reward yourself.

"Women so often are the caregivers, doing for others and forgetting ourselves," Davidson said. "When you've avoided an unhealthy drama or really pushed yourself to do something else — whether an acting class or getting involved with Greenpeace — give yourself a pat on the back.

"Buy a sweater, go to a French restaurant for a glass of wine, get a pedicure ... Whatever it takes to make you feel pampered."

DAVIDSON'S BOOK has sparked interest from others in the mental health field.

Fort Worth psychologist David Welsh agrees that "there are people who have a need for living on the edge and courting danger, and often, relationships provide an arena for that.

"But I resist the tendency to boil down complicated personalities into recipes and flow charts ... I think it's a cop-out sometimes. It oversimplifies.

"There are lots of different reasons for problems in relationships. She (Davidson) has hit on some of them, but there are others as well."

FLIGHTS: Thousands of bats inhabit caverns

(From 1E)

group, in the morning they return to their cavern home when they have completed their individual hunting — in other words, they pour out of the cave by the thousands; they trickle back by the hundreds. Therefore the return flight takes place over a longer period of time.

According to park service information, "The first bats may return as early as 9 in the evening, but they come back throughout the early morning hours, returning in greatest numbers just before the sun rises."

The numbers of bats returning at once isn't the only difference in the flights. In the evening they spiral out of the cave, but in the morning they dive in. "Sometimes they come in over the entrance as much as 600 to 1,000 feet high and plummet down inside," park service information said. "As they do this, they attain a high rate of speed and the air begins to vibrate their wings, making a strange noise. When several hundred bats are coming into the caverns at one time, the return flight is quite spectacular and noisy." The noise made by the bats' return flight has been likened to the noise made by airplanes or rain.

Mexican Freetail bats spend the spring and summer in the Carlsbad Caverns, and the colder winter months in Mexico. The date of their last flight from the caverns is known only to the bats. Rangers say that the only way they know the bats have migrated for the winter is "when they don't come back" after leaving at night.

Each year, usually the second Thursday in August, park employees sponsor the Bat Flight Breakfast to encourage visitors to view the bats' return flight.

Other activities scheduled at Carlsbad Caverns before the bats migrate this fall include the Bat Flight Balloon Fly-In scheduled for Aug. 31-Sept. 2.

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Texas Country Western Dance Association, Midland/Odessa chapter, and West Texas Singles Association will present country/western dance lessons beginning 7:30 p.m. Aug. 19 at the Eagles Lodge, 17th and Muskingum in Odessa. Instructors will be Barbara Elliot and Gary Loyd. Donation of $3 per person for the instructors is requested. Included will be lessons for beginners through advanced.

Texas Country Western Dance Association will meet Aug. 28 at the Western Sizzlin on Grant Street in Odessa. The organization's monthly dance and social will be 8:30 p.m. Aug. 30 at the Elks Lodge on Andrews Highway in Odessa.

West Texas Singles Association Inc, a non-profit organization founded to provide support and assistance to single adults and a non-threatening environment for members to meet, has several activities scheduled for August. For more information call 520-5535...

...**SUN COUNTRY** Gentlemen, Permian Basin Barbershop Quartet Chapter, will host the Southwestern District Division 1 Quartet Finals and Show 7:30 p.m. Sept. 7 at the Holiday Inn Convention Center in Midland. For more information call 685-1831...

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...**TASTE OF INDIA** will be presented 7-10:15 p.m. Aug. 24 and 2-5:15 p.m. Aug. 25 at Midland Community Theatre.

Folk music played on the Santoor, or 100-stringed instrument, and the Tabla, or Indian drums, as well as classical dances of India, works by Indian artists and craftsmen, exhibits, and Indian snacks will be included in the event.

Tickets are $10. For more information call 694-4077 or 685-5029...

...**AUDITIONS FOR** Shakespeare's "Henry VIII" will be 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at the Globe Theatre in Odessa. There are substantial dramatic roles for four adult women and eight adult men in the play. There also are smaller roles — some involving singing and dancing — for men, women and youngsters. Rehearsals will begin Wednesday with the production opening at the Globe Sept. 26. For more information call 367-2371 or 697-7213...

...**PERMIAN BASIN** Health Fair is scheduled for Oct. 4 in Building G in the Odessa Coliseum. Midland groups or agencies interested in participating in the area's largest health fair call 335-3141 for entry forms by Sept. 10...

...**BACK-TO-SCHOOL** Dance for junior high school students will be 8-10 p.m. Aug. 23 at Lee Youth Center. Back-to-School Dance for freshmen will be 8:30-10:30 p.m. Aug. 24 at Midland Youth Center. Admission for both dances will be $3 per student. For more information call 689-1175 or 689-1675...

...**MIDLAND STROKE** Club will meet 7-9 p.m. Tuesday at the Rehabcare Unit on the first floor of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center in Midland. All people who have had a stroke, debilitating illness or disease and their families are invited to attend. For more information call 686-1848...

...**WEST TEXAS** Songwriters Association will meet 7 p.m. Aug. 26 in the hospitality room at the Coors Distributing Co. The purpose is to create an affiliation of serious minded songwriters, promote the business of music and recognition for the songwriter and his craft. For more information, call 520-0205 or 689-0213...

...**UPTOWN CHAPTER** Business & Professional Women will meet noon Wednesday at Clay-Desta Plaza Club. Guest speaker Patty Bullard, owner of ParaTi and professional make-up artist, will demonstrate eye makeup techniques. For reservations call 684-5886 by Monday. Guests are welcome...

...**EARLY CHILDHOOD** Program of Grace Lutheran Church, for children ages 12 months through 5 years, is accepting registration applications for the fall semester. New session will be 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays beginning Sept. 3. The program is open to the public. Registration for new students will be Thursday at the church, 3000 W. Golf Course Road. For more information call 694-3063...

SEEDS FOR THOUGHT

Premature pecan drop has several different reasons

By Deborah A. Benge

Every year, starting in about August and extending into September, we receive several calls at the Extension office concerning premature pecan drop. Actually we have pecan drop much sooner than August, but the pecans are small enough at that time that most people don't notice it. Dr. John Lipe, extension horticulturist, explains some of the reasons for premature drop.


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■ LACK OF POLLINATION — The female flower (tiny nutlets) and male flowers (catkins, green structures that hang down in spring) are borne separately on pecan trees. Nutlet receptivity and pollen shed often fail to overlap within a variety and cross-pollination between varieties is necessary to assure good pollination. Pollination usually occurs in early May and unpollinated nutlets will drop within two to four weeks. Smaller numbers of nutlets will pollinate without embryo fertilization occurring and these will stay on the tress longer but usually drop in June.

■ SHORTAGE OF NUTRIENTS — This can cause pecans to drop at any time during their development, but most of these drops occur in August and early September as the nuts are rapidly growing and filling. Drops due to a nutrient shortage will always be greatest on trees with heavy pecan load. In many cases, the nutrient deficient nuts that drop will be smaller on the basal (non-stem) end. Nitrogen and zinc are the two most commonly deficient nutrients in pecans.

■ SOIL MOISTURE STRESS — Pecans require a large amount of soil moisture to mature good quality crops of pecans. A shortage of water in the late spring and summer will result in small pecans that will shed in large numbers during July and August. This could be a problem in our area because of our extremely dry spring and early summer. Just as insufficient soil moisture can cause nut drop, so can excessive soil moisture cause nut drop.

Regular soaking irrigations (weekly would be best) are needed to avoid stress-related drops. Apply at least one to two inches per watering when using a sprinkler (measure with a rain gauge, tin can, ect.) or water for eight to 10 hours per application with a drip system. If drip irrigation is used, there should be enough emitters to water at least one-half the tree's root system. Typically, the root system is 1½ times the diameter of the tree canopy. If you haven't updated your drip system since the young tree was planted, revision of the system is greatly needed as the tree grows.

Nuts of certain tightly filled varieties, notably Wichita and Cherokee, will split and drop in August and September if stressed excessively between irrigations. Numerous varitieis including Wichita and Burkett are prone to sprout on the trees if trees are overly stressed for moisture in September.

■ PEST PROBLEMS RELATED TO PECAN DROP — There are some past problems related to nut drop. Some of these are:

1) Pecan Nut Casebearer — This tiny worm bores into the base of the nut and hollows it out. The major attack is usually in late May, but later generations in July and August can also cause nut drop.

2) Hickory Shuckworm — This insect causes nut drop in July and August. The worm tunnels between the inside of the shuck and the outside of the shell. Nuts infested after the shell begins to harden, in mid-August, usually remain on the tree until harvest. The shucks on damaged nuts will not open freely and often causes serious crop damage. It requires a timed spray to hold damage to a tolerable level. The optimum spray time is when the shells of most pecans are hardened (hardened halfway down the nut). Shell hardening begins at the tip of the nut and progresses toward the stem end.

■ STINK BUGS — These as well as related plant bugs suck sap from the nuts. They can be a continual problem throughout the spring and summer. Damage prior to shell hardening (mid-August) causes the nut to blacken internally and drop. Nuts injured after shell hardening mature with blackened, bitter tasting spots on the kernels.

There are other insects and diseases that will cause pecan drop, but they are not a significant problem in our area of the state. Not all nut drop can be avoided by good management, but that will certainly eliminate the drop that is occurring due to water and nutrient reasons.

Deborah Benge is the extension horticulture agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Midland and Ector counties.

DEAR ABBY

Disfigured children are human too

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR READERS: A reader asked, "What do you think the parent of a facially disfigured child would want to hear when running into an old friend who has never seen the child before?"


Van Buren

My reply: "Only a person who has walked that path is qualified to answer that question. I hope someone who has will write and let me know. The answer would be helpful to many readers — as well as to this columnist."

I was not prepared for the volume of mail I received. Some excerpts:

FROM ASHLAND, KY.: "DON'T say, 'Oh, my God! What happened to your child's face?' Brace yourself, then find something positive to say about the baby's bright eyes, lovely head of hair or the outfit the child is wearing. But don't mention the child's abnormality."

FROM LAKE JACKSON, TEXAS: "Do not ignore the child. A child with a deformity can see, hear and FEEL. Bend down and say, 'Hi ya, little fella — what's your name?' Ask his mother if you may pick him up and hold him. The child will feel accepted and the mother will bless you a hundred times in her prayers."

FROM YAKIMA, WASH.: "Don't try to comfort his mother with the 'news' that they are doing remarkable things with reconstructive surgery these days. Be assured that the parents are well aware of what can be done; they also know that it must be done in stages as the child grows. And the child has probably had many surgeries already."

FROM SHELBY, OHIO: "Treat him as you would treat a normal 2-year-old — not ignoring the deformity, but not making an issue of it, either. This is not hypocritical; neither is it acceptance of it. It puts it in its proper perspective. Forget the 'I'm so sorry' stuff. The mother knows you're sorry — and so is SHE!"

FROM EAST HARTFORD, CONN.: "Look behind the disfigurement and see the child beneath still too young to know that he is different. (He will learn all too soon.) Treat him as you would treat any other 2-year-old. What you say to the mother doesn't matter. If she wants to bring up the subject of the child's problem, she will, but she would much rather have him treated as a human being than discussed as a medical problem. His disfigurement probably can be cured in time, but the damage to him personally from being treated as less than human may not be."

FROM DALLAS: "God gives these special children something that others will never develop in a lifetime. We've suffered more from prejudice and ignorant remarks than the difficulty of coping with our child's multiple handicaps. One stranger actually said, 'How brave of you to take him out in public instead of putting him away in some institution with people of his own kind.'"

FROM LONG ISLAND: "Thank you, Abby, from the bottom of my heart for opening the door of opportunity for these letters. The public needs to be educated."

CONFIDENTIAL TO "C. IN EVERETT, WASH.": "Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work, and forced to do your best, will breed in you temperance, self-control, diligence, strength of will, contentment, and a hundred other virtues which the idle never know." — CHARLES KINGSLEY

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Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

Smiling face may be mask for covert hostility

Associated Press

If someone says something to you with a smile on her face and you can't tell if you've been complimented or criticized — chances are you're a victim of covert hostility. It can be hard to recognize this kind of aggression, according to an article in the current issue of Cosmopolitan, but be on the lookout for hostile feelings under the cover of sarcasm, in people who are chronically late or no-shows, and in compliments that feel like insults.

"Hostility is clear-cut when you get into an argument at work or over a train seat on the way home," said New York City clinical psychologist Scott Wetzler. "But it can be confusing if someone acts like a friend when, in fact, she's insulting you or making you feel insecure. It's hard to know whether you have a problem or they do."

Experts call this passive-aggressive behavior. Psychiatrist Willard Gaylin, author of "The Rage Within," refers to it as "assault by indirection and disguise." Women are more likely than men to express hostility in this passive-aggressive manner, Gaylin said, because they lack the physical strength to be direct in their aggression.

In addition, hostility tends to pass downward, said Alexandra G. Kaplan, director of counseling services and research and training consultant at Wellesley College's Stone Center. "We tend to be hostile to those people we feel are beneath us," she said, and so women are more often hostile to other women than to men because they are less likely to perceive men in that way. "Women's hostility has to do with powerlessness, while men feel freer to express their rage."

Hostility often grows out of a fear of being threatened, physically or psychologically, said Roderic Gorney, a clinical research psychiatrist at UCLA's Neuropsychiatric Institute. "The hostile person is frequently on the defensive," he said, "and tends to have certain character traits — a kind of belligerence, a sarcastic sense of humor, a tendency to belittle others."

Hostility is a result of someone else's unpleasant feelings. You may represent things the hostile person is lacking — professional success, a happy marriage, a large bank account — intensifying her feelings of inadequacy or deprivation.

"It's important to remember that hostility is fundamental to human nature," Wetzler said. "The key issue is not that the hostility exists, but how you respond to it. Responding angrily or defensively often backfires."

Maintaining neutrality is especially important at the office. Often you have to stifle your anger. If someone tries to sabotage you in a business meeting, for instance, you may have to stand your ground but you must proceed carefully — and perhaps not at that moment. "By speaking out in that situation, in front of other people, you may be the one to appear hostile," Gorney said, "And you don't want the consequences to settle on yourself rather than on the person who is instigating the hostility."

If the hostile person is significant in your personal life — parent, sibling, best friend, lover or spouse — it's crucial aggression be brought into the open.

"In a committed relationship, you may need to help the other person become aware of what they're doing in order to avoid worse consequences," Gorney told Susan Squire in Cosmopolitan.

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ENGAGEMENTS

WORTON-BOHANNON

Tresia Jo Worton and Raymond Berry Bohannon, both of Midland, are planning a noon Aug. 23 wedding at the home of Larry and Grace Bohannon of Midland, parents of the future bridegroom. The bride-to-be is the daughter of J.D. and Vickie Mathes of Midland.

Ms. Worton is a 1985 graduate of Greenwood High School. She is comanager of Paul Harris. Her fiance graduated from Hobbs (N.M.) High School in 1981 and is employed with Bovaird Equipment Supply.



Tresia Jo Worton and Raymond Berry Bohannon

MYERS-WALLACE

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Myers of Cleveland, Miss., announce the engagement of their daughter, Brenda Joyce of Midland, to Michael Wayne Wallace, also of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of the late Lillie Ruth Wallace and the grandson of the late Lillie B. Paige. The wedding is planned for 6 p.m. Aug. 31 at Faith Temple Church of God in Christ in Midland.

Ms. Myers is employed with Texaco USA. Her fiance is employed with Midland Independent School District and AmWest Savings Association.



Brenda Joyce Myers and Michael Wayne Wallace

TOPE-STEWART

Janice Ann Tope of Dallas and Douglas Warren Stewart of Arlington are planning to be married 2 p.m. Sept. 14 at Lovers Lane United Methodist Church in Dallas. The bride-elect is the daughter of George Tope of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Altus, Okla.

Miss Tope is a graduate of Lee High School and Texas Tech University. She is employed with Ashton Woods Homes in Dallas. Her fiance graduated from the University of Oklahoma. He is employed with PWS Foods.



Janice Ann Tope and Douglas Warren Stewart

Couple vows, in sickness, in health

By Renee Tawa
N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — Don Killion woke up on his wedding day and his back hurt. He ached all over. He got hot and cold flashes. Great, he thought. The flu.

Killion pulled himself together in time for the candlelight wedding ceremony at his church. But he had to leave the reception early, and his eight-day honeymoon in Colorado was not much fun.

Back home, he got the devastating news: He was diagnosed with lymphoma, a cancer of the lymph nodes.

Two years later, the other shoe fell: His wife, Dorianne, was diagnosed with breast cancer.

It was the same quirky twist of fate that recently struck President Bush and his wife, Barbara, each of whom has been diagnosed with Graves' disease, a common and treatable thyroid condition. Their doctors said it was a coincidence that both Bushes got the non-contagious disease and cited chances of one in 3 million that a husband and wife will develop Graves' disease.

A disease such as cancer touches one in every three people, so it wouldn't be uncommon for a husband and wife to get cancer, said Teresa Squires of the American Cancer Society.

Generally, though, it is rare for couples to get the same disease, especially a rare one such as Graves' disease, said Dr. Stanley Shapiro, a specialist in internal medicine and infectious diseases at Kaiser Permanente hospital in Panorama City.

DOCTORS SAY COUPLES WHO suffer from the same disease or health problem can share a special bond that makes coping easier. But that bond can be made or broken, depending on the seriousness of the condition and the couple's relationship, said Dr. Dean Wolcott, a psychiatrist at Cedars-Sinai Comprehensive Cancer Center in Los Angeles.

"When people have a serious condition such as cancer or emphysema, the stresses for each partner are obviously much greater," Wolcott said. "From a psychological standpoint, one of the major factors is . . . how strong the relationship is in terms of communication, trust, and the ability to be flexible as caretaker at one time and at (another) time being able to be taken care of by the other partner."

The Killions had to learn to talk things out, even though they had known each other for 14 years before they got married. The couple, who live in Whittier with their 8-month-old daughter, both are in remission from cancer. But prospects didn't always look good.

At first, it was hard enough for Don to drag himself to work each morning and go through chemotherapy. He didn't want to get in fights with his wife.

When his wife was diagnosed with breast cancer in 1986, the double jeopardy was hard to bear.

"I was thinking, 'What's going to happen next in our lives?' " said Don, a Vietnam veteran who was exposed to Agent Orange. "I thought, 'It can't be cancer.' We've been through that. The possibilities are what, one in a million, in our early 30s, both of us?"

At the same time, the couple already had some experience in living with a potentially fatal disease.

"It's still a shock, but we were geared mostly in that direction," Don said. "Our mechanism in coping was already in full swing."

But times still were tough.

"We didn't talk to each other a lot of times," Don said. "Finally, after both cancers, and going to the counselor, we learned what was going on, how to break that cycle and discuss things and learn to listen to each other."

SO WHEN DORIANNE'S HAIR fell out from chemotherapy, Don knew how she felt — the same thing had happened to him. They also braced themselves to give up their hopes of having children, because chemotherapy can wipe out a man's sperm count and send a woman into early menopause. Somehow, daughter Anna Lucille was conceived anyway.

At times, though, planning for the future seemed impossible.

"It was like, here we go again," said Dorianne, 37, who works as a clerk at a wholesale lumber company.

Her advice for couples going through the same thing: "not to let it get the better of you. Your spouse needs you more than ever. After all, it is 'in sickness and in health.' That's what marriage is all about."

Ray Disinger, who had his larynx removed in 1964 as a result of cancer from heavy cigar smoking, married his wife, Mabel, after meeting her at a convention for people with laryngectomies.

Mabel, who had gone through a laryngectomy several years before, helped him get over his obsession with speech.

"At the early stages of a laryngectomee's life, speech is all-consuming to most of us and certainly it was to me," said Ray, a retired automobile dealer and Pacific Telephone designer. "I genuinely felt that if I worked hard enough and for a long enough period that I could speak so people would not know I was a laryngectomee, but it's impossible."

After Mabel told him it wasn't worth the effort, he changed his outlook, he said.

"Instead of spending my entire life trying to speak absolutely perfectly, I was better off to do other things and achieve other goals, which were really more important and more practical," he said.

Both Disingers, who live in Seal Beach, are volunteers for the American Cancer Society and talk to patients who need laryngectomies about their experience. But their laryngectomies are such a small part of their marriage that Ray and Mabel sometimes have to remind themselves that they went through it.

RUBY AND A.G. SIMON OF Sunland don't see their common health problems as their common bond, either. Their lives go way beyond dealing with her bad knee, his bad ankles, their irregular heartbeats, their hypertension, their gallbladder surgeries and their operations for cataracts. They focus more on their 18 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, rose garden and favorite breakfast and brunch spots.

Both are in their 80s and would rather tease each other than talk about their ailments.

They go to the same doctor at Saint Joseph Medical Center in Burbank and usually sit in on each other's checkups.

"Maybe Ruby remembers something I don't," A.G. said.

"Or, I don't hear it," said Ruby, pointing to her hearing aid.

Their doctor, Gilbert Ross, encourages the couple to get involved in each other's treatments. Ross, an internist and rheumatologist, said there is a high divorce rate among patients with rheumatoid arthritis, a progressive disease that causes joints to swell.

"It's clear this puts a definite strain on relationships if it's a chronic illness and one is more likely to complain than the other," Ross said.

But that's not the case with the Simons, he said.

"I think every doctor would tell you there are things that make the difference beyond medication, surgeries and various kinds of physical therapies," Ross said. "When you have two people that are so obviously involved and supportive of each other, it makes all the difference in the world."

CARROLL-BOLGER

Mr. and Mrs. William Chichester Carroll of Yazoo City announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Lee of Yazoo City and Arlington, Va., to Edward Perry Bolger Jr. of Midland and Arlington. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Perry Bolger of Midland and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Donohoe and the late Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Bolger. The wedding is planned for Aug. 24 at First Presbyterian Church in Yazoo City.

Miss Carroll, granddaughter of Mrs. Clifton Livingston of Yazoo City and the late Clifton Livingston and the late Mr. and Mrs. F. Julian Carroll, graduated from Manchester Academy in Yazoo City and the University of Mississippi, where she was a member of Chi Omega sorority. She was an exchange student in Angers, France, her junior year. She is employed with the Office of International Affairs at the U.S. Department of Energy in Washington, D.C. Her fiance graduated from Midland High School and Southwestern University in Georgetown, where he was a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity. He is employed in the Office of Fossil Fuels at the U.S. Department of Energy in Washington.

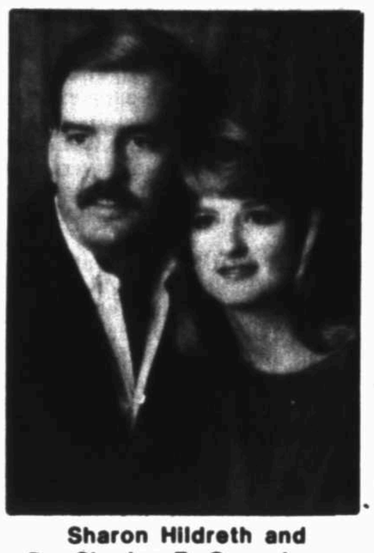


Frances Lee Carroll

HILDRETH-COPENHAVER

Sharon Hildreth and Dr. Charles E. Copenhaver, both of Midland, are planning an Oct. 19 wedding in Houston. Parents of the bride-elect are Charles and Andrea Hays of Conroe and Dr. and Mrs. Curtis R. Smith of Auburn, Ala. The future bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. C.E. Copenhaver of Houston.

Miss Hildreth earned a bachelor of business administration degree in finance from Texas A&M University. She is employed with Texas Commerce Bank in Midland. Her fiance graduated with honors from Texas A&M with a degree in biomedical science, and earned a doctor of veterinary medicine degree from Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine. He is an equine veterinarian in private practice in Midland.

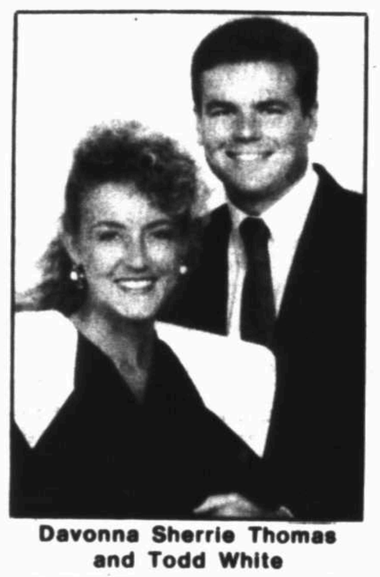


Sharon Hildreth and Dr. Charles E. Copenhaver

THOMAS-WHITE

Davonna Sherrie Thomas and Todd White, both of Tulsa, Okla., are planning to be married 3 p.m. Nov. 2 in Broken Arrow, Okla. The bride-elect is the daughter of David and Uvonna Thomas of Midland, and the granddaughter of George D. Thomas Jr. of Odessa and the late Peggy Marie Thomas, and Calvin G. Searey of Hobbs, N.M., and the late Glenora Naoma Searcy. Parents of the future bridegroom are Dan and Marva White of Oklahoma City. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hicks of Herrin, Ill., and Juanita White of Herrin and the late John D. White.

Miss Thomas graduated from Broken Arrow High School, Oklahoma University and Oklahoma University College of Dentristy. She is a member of Oklahoma Dental Association, and Aerobics and Fitness Association of America. She is employed with Dennis J. Carlile, DDS. Her fiance is a graduate of Herrin High School and Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, where he majored in marketing. He is employed with CITGO Petroleum Corporation in Tulsa.



Davonna Sherrie Thomas and Todd White

LIFESTYLE POLICIES

Policies for publication of announcements in the Lifestyle sections of the Reporter-Telegram are:

Information for Sunday pages must be in our office by 5 p.m. the preceding Monday. For publication in a weekday paper, we must receive the information by noon two days before the information is to be published. For example, an item for Wednesday's paper must be received by noon Monday.

Engagement announcements must appear at least two weeks before the wedding date. Wedding announcements must appear within one month of the event. Anniversary announcements — 25th or higher — must be published within one month of the anniversary date.

Announcements of pageant winners will only be published for teenage pageants and older. Photographes will be published only for winners, not runner-ups. These announcements are published Thursdays. Deadline is 5 p.m. Monday.

All articles must be submitted in writing. Forms for weddings, engagements and anniversaries, only published Sundays, are available in the Lifestyle office. All materials must include the signature and telephone number of the person submitting them.

We cannot mail forms to persons in Midland. Pictures must be picked up in the Lifestyle office within one month after publication. To have a photo returned by mail, include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Unclaimed photos are discarded after a month.

Photographs may be submitted with wedding and engagement announcements, and anniversary announcements of 50 years or more, but are not required. A portrait of the bride-elect or of the future bride and bridegroom together may be submitted with engagement announcements. Portraits of the bride only or of the wedding couple may be submitted with wedding announcements. A different photo must be submitted for the engagement and wedding announcements.

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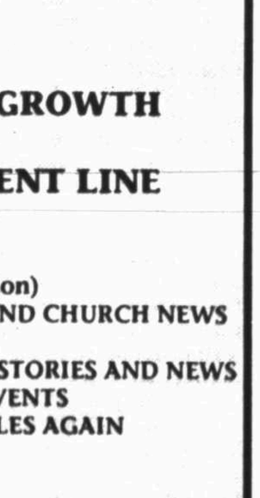
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WEDDINGS

GUNTER-MILLS

Shontell Renay Gunter of Midland became the bride of Stephen Douglas Mills, also of Midland, 1 p.m. July 13 at the home of Geneva Mills of Midland, mother of the bridegroom. The Rev. Bill Simpson of Tall City Baptist Church officiated.

The bride is the daughter of B.W. Gunter and Carla Evers of Midland. Father of the bridegroom is Joe Mills of Florida.

Heather Cook of Midland was matron of honor. Eric Fonte of Midland served as best man.

The bride is employed with One Hour Photo in Midland. Her husband is employed with Midland Memorial Hospital and Medical Center.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas/Fort Worth, the couple lives in Midland.



Mrs. Stephen Douglas Mills

HALE-FIRKINS

Katherine Lynn Hale and Justin Clay Firkins, both of Midland, were married 6:30 p.m. Saturday at Crestview Baptist Church. The Rev. Ty Morris officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Michael and Lisa Hale of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are David Firkins and Janice D. Firkins, both of Midland.

Wendy Stewart of Midland was maid of honor. Karen Hale of Midland was bridesmaid for her sister.

Brad Sanders of Midland served as best man. Todd Robinson of Midland was groomsman. Ushers were J. Mike Hale, brother of the bride, and Raymond Taylor, both of Midland.

The couple are 1991 graduates of Lee High School. The bridegroom is employed with Midland American Bank.

They live in Midland.



Mrs. Justin Clay Firkins

ELLIOTT-LANDIS

WACO — First Baptist Church in Waco was the setting for the 2 p.m. Saturday wedding of Cheryl Lynn Elliott of Waco and Gary Ray Landis of Dallas. The Rev. Dr. Larry Maddox officiated.

Parents of the bride are Jean Elliott of Waco and the late Bill Elliott. The bridegroom is the son of Fred Landis of Midland and the late Oshia Landis.

Terri Posey of Waco was maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Brenda Badley of Waco, and bridesmatron was Teri Meyer of Bruceville.

Howard Sewell of Dallas served as best man. Groomsmen were Scott Smith of Dallas and Larry Beck of Houston. Andy Jenkins of San Antonio was usher.

After a honeymoon at Puerto Plata and Jack Tar Resort in the Dominican Republic, the couple will live in Dallas.



Mrs. Gary Ray Landis

SAENZ-LUCK

BROWNFIELD — Calvary Baptist Church in Brownfield was the setting for the 2 p.m. July 20 wedding of Stella Saenz of Brownfield and Terry Michael Luck of Midland. The Rev. Pat Riley officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Librado H. Saenz of Brownfield. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Luck of Midland.

Jennifer Reyna of Brownfield was maid of honor for her mother. Bridesmatrons were Dawn Ezell of Irving, sister of the bridegroom, and Alice Alcantar of Brownfield, sister of the bride. Audra Luck of El Paso, daughter of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

William H. Luck served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Eric Ezell of Irving and Ismael Alcantar of Brownfield. Ushers were Jesse Saenz of Garland, brother of the bride, and Tom Luck of Flower Mound, brother of the bridegroom. Joshua Contreras of Brownfield, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. The couple also was attended by Pete Saenz, nephew of the bride.

Following a wedding trip to Los Angeles, the couple lives in Midland.



Mr. and Mrs. Terry Michael Luck

AKINS-WARPULA

North A Church of Christ was the setting for the 2 p.m. Aug. 3 wedding of Leslie Kaye Akins of Midland and Timothy Todd Warpula of Weatherford, Okla. Calvin Warpula, father of the bridegroom, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Akins of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Warpula of Stillwater, Okla.

LeeAnn Holland of Roanoke was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Amber Akins, sister of the bride, Kristi Jackson and Amy Owens of Midland; Sherri Smith of Oklahoma City; and Tiana Warpula of Stillwater, sister of the bridegroom. Rebecca Gaultney of Midland was flower girl.

Paul Hise of Lubbock served as best man. Groomsmen were Rick Warpula of Stillwater, brother of the bridegroom; Drew Akins of Midland, brother of the bride; Kyle DeLoach of Weatherford; Terry Lowrey of Lubbock; and Justin Duncum of Abilene. Brian Brokaw of Abilene was ring bearer.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live in Weatherford.



Mrs. Timothy Todd Warpula

RAINS-FRAZIER

Mysti Dawn Rains of Midland became the bride of Russell D. Frazier, also of Midland, 2 p.m. Saturday at Tall City Baptist Church. The Rev. Jim Fields officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Patricia VanCleave of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are the Rev. Robert and Virginia Frazier of Midland.

Cindy Robertson of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mandy McKenzie of Midland, sister of the bride; Christy Owens of Houston and Emily Kimble of Midland. Michelle Reeves of Florida and Brooke Van of Midland were flower girls.

Brad Bell of Odessa served as best man. Groomsmen were Marty Skaggs of Midland, Travis Page of Grand Prairie and Ronnie Rains of Midland, brother of the bride. Ushers were Jerrod Richardson, Greg Richardson, Jason Frazier, nephew of the bridegroom, and Joe Overby, all of Midland. Cole Hanson of Midland was ring bearer. The couple also was attended by Debbie Galloway of Midland.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N.M., the couple will live in Midland.



Mrs. Russell D. Frazier

TANKERSLEY-SIMS

SAN ANGELO — Former Midlander Kimberley Lynn Tankersley and Gregory Miles Sims of San Angelo were married 10:30 a.m. July 13 at James Rogers Gazebo. The Rev. Frankie Santiago of Sweetwater officiated.

The bride is the daughter of W.E. (Tank) and Linda Tankersley of San Angelo. Parents of the bridegroom are Oscar Sims of San Angelo and Nora Grantham of Roscoe.

Laddell Tankersley of San Angelo attended his sister as "brother of honor." Best man was Clark Evans of Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of Lee High School in Midland. She attended Howard College and is employed with Burger King. Her husband graduated from Groose Creek High School in Charleston, S.C. He is employed with San Angelo State School.



Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Miles Sims

After a honeymoon to Padre Island, the couple lives in San Angelo.

SATTERWHITE-HANKINS

Leslie Ann Satterwhite of Midland became the bride of Grayson Roscoe Hankins of Odessa 7:30 p.m. Saturday at First Presbyterian Church of Midland. The Rev. Dr. Ray Riddle and the Rev. Dr. H. Bailey Stone officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney W. Satterwhite of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Hankins of Odessa.

Cristina Beal of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Ann Kennedy of Odessa, sister of the bridegroom, Krista Blevins of Monahans, Melissa Smith of Fairfield, Jennifer Schroeder of Houston, and Shelley Morrow, Tammy Morris and Kelly Dodson of Midland. Emily McMillian of Midland was flower girl.

Kenneth Hankins Jr. of Dallas was best man for his brother. Groomsmen were Thomas Campbell of Mandeville, La., Scott Satterwhite of Midland, brother of the bride, Edwin Hinson of Arlington, Va., Martin Roos of San Antonio, Joel Joslin and Glenn Kennedy of Odessa, and Madison Lyle Jr. of Dallas. Ushers were Bill Harden Jr. of Odessa, William Jenkins and Robert Jenkins of Bastrop, and Marlon Prichard of Odessa. Ryan Latham and Andrew Latham of Midland were ring bearers.

After a honeymoon at Lake Tahoe, Nev., the couple will live in Odessa.



Mrs. Grayson Roscoe Hankins

PETERSEN-COOK

Former Midlanders Amber LeAnn Petersen of Bryan and Kyle Ray Cook of College Station were married 7:28 p.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Dr. Russell Parchman and the Rev. Dr. Charles Lutrick officiated.

The bride is the daughter of former Midlanders Scott and Sharon Petersen of Venice, Fla., and the granddaughter of Pete and Mary Petersen and Frank Lee and Frankie Isbell of Corpus Christi, and Charles and Lee Ellis of Atlanta, Ga. Parents of the bridegroom are Tom and Kerry Kay Cook of Midland. His grandparents are Cleo Oberkamp of Midland and the late Fred Oberkamp, and Rita Underwood of Houston and the late N.T. Underwood.

Xan Minnix of Midland, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. Jeannie Fort of Austin was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Amy Rust of Richardson, Kathy Driggs of San Marcos and Dinah Smith of College Station. Michele Matney of San Antonio was bridesmatron and Allison Ryburn of Midland was junior bridesmaid.

Louis Russell of Mount Dora, N.M., was best man. Groomsmen were Craig Gentry, Tom Skaggs and Wesley Ward of College Station; Sam Perry of Houston and Greg Tomlinson of Dallas. Ushers were Lee Borders of Euless, Brett Cragin of El Paso, Eric Freeman of Tipp City, Ohio, and Richard Minnix of Midland. Eric Petersen of Venice, brother of the bride, was junior groomsman.

After a wedding trip to Montego Bay, Jamaica, the couple will live in Bryan.



Mrs. Kyle Ray Cook

SANDERS-ANDERSON

Kimberly Renee Sanders of Midland became the bride of Stanford Dwayne Anderson, also of Midland, at the home of Charlie O. and Wanda M. Anderson, parents of the bridegroom. The Rev. Robert Porterfield, of West Kentucky Baptist Church, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Sandra Jean and Thomas Ray Sanders of Spring.

The bride is a 1990 graduate of Klein Oak High School in Spring. Her husband graduated from Midland High School in 1989. He earned a certificate from International Aviation Travel and Academy in Houston.

After a wedding trip to Prairie Grove, Ark., the couple lives in Midland.



Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Dwayne Anderson

Are nautical weddings popular wave of future?

Associated Press

In Fort Lauderdale and other watery American cities, brides and grooms are singing "Get me to the yacht on time."

Weddings on board boats have a special appeal, according to an article in a recent issue of Motor Boating & Sailing, and they take place wherever there's a puddle of water to float a boat on.

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., seems to be the on-the-water wedding capital. Other popular wedding backdrops are Baltimore's Inner Harbor, the Chicago skyline, Lake Tahoe's snow-capped peaks and the Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco.

"We usually do about two a week," said Mary Ann Brantmeyer, who with husband, Bill, owns Fort Lauderdale's Sun Dream Yacht Charters.

The year-round weather is a factor. Newlyweds usually stay on in Florida to honeymoon and their guests turn the trip into a vacation. Brantmeyer warns couples not to over-invite to a Fort Lauderdale wedding.

"Even faraway relatives who they figure will never come tend to show up," she said.

Among the boats available is Lady Mary, a 103-foot Trumpy built in 1927 — a sister ship to the presidential yacht Sequoia. Lady Mary comes complete with a chef and a captain who can also marry the bride and groom.

Contrary to the old saw, "All marriages performed by the captain last only for the extent of the cruise," these are legit. In Florida, anyone certified and bonded as a notary public can legally perform a civil wedding ceremony. Elsewhere, it's rarely a problem to find a minister or judge who wouldn't welcome a change in venue from church or chambers to a yacht.

Nautical nuptials have their drawbacks, however. Here are a few that might scuttle the ceremony:

■ Space limits: Most boats require the guest list to be kept to well under 100. There are megayachts available for charter in many places, however. Christie Brinkley and Billy Joel were married in New York Harbor on board World Yacht Cruises 147-foot Riveranda, a floating ballroom of a yacht that can hold up to 300 people.

■ Time limits: Party charters generally run only three to four hours, which some revelers find too short.

■ Missing the boat: Wedding invitations may bend the rules of etiquette with engraved threats: "Guest may board at 6:45 p.m. The boat leaves the dock promptly at 7 p.m." Still, tardy guests do miss the boat. Brantmeyer said sometimes latecomers hire a speedboat to catch up with the wedding cruise.

■ Foul weather: A rain squall might put a damper on the day, but most charter yachts have canvas above and plenty of room in the cabin below. With boats, expect the unexpected.

■ Seasickness: Although most nautical weddings take place in calm, protected waters, cautious brides might want to pass out anti-seasick pills as party favors.

Adventurous couples feel the fun of an on-board wedding outweighs the potential problems. The atmosphere is much less formal on a boat than at a traditional church or temple wedding followed by a sit-down reception.

Millions of square miles covered by ice

Associated Press

During the depths of winter, sea ice in the Northern Hemisphere covers almost 6 million square miles, about twice the size of the contiguous United States, says National Geographic.

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Today marks golden year for Jarratts

Irving and Ruby Jarratt of Midland will be guests of honor at a 50th wedding anniversary reception today at Westside Church of Christ Fellowship Room. Hosts will be the couple's children and grandchildren.

Jarratt and the former Ruby Adrian were married July 1, 1941, at the home of an aunt, Mrs. Marion Mahon. The couple has four children — Arnold Jarratt of San Diego, Art Jarratt of Odessa, Jena Prince of Midland and Ruth Epwen of Waco — as well as 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The family lived in Loraine, Galveston and Tuscon, Ariz., before moving to Midland in 1959. Jarratt was in farming, worked for Higginbotham Bartlett Co. commercial construction and was regional sales manager for Pioneer Natural Gas Company before his retirement.

The couple attends the Church of Christ. Jarratt has been a member of Junior Chamber of Commerce, assisted in organizing Junior Achievement, is a member of Toastmasters Club, board of trustees at Midland Christian School, is past executive officer of Midland Home Builders Association and is a member of P.R. board of Medina Children's Home.



Irving and Ruby Jarratt

Lamesa couple celebrates golden year

LAMESA — Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jackson of Lamesa will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary with a reception 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church of Lamesa.

Jackson and the former Berniece Johnston were married Aug. 11, 1941, in Levelland.

The couple has four children, Earl Jackson of Lamesa, Virginia Jackson Kuykendall of Farmers Branch, Ann Jackson Forest of Midland and Chief Petty Officer Richard Jackson of Charleston, S.C. They also have 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jackson

Midland couple celebrates 61st anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Luttrell of Midland celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary Aug. 1.

Luttrell and the former Wanda Rush were married in Brown County in 1930. They have one son, Don R. Luttrell of Midland, and three grandchildren.

Luttrell was employed by Roxanna Petroleum (later Shell Oil Co.). The family has lived in Midland since 1950.



Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Luttrell

Anson to present Shakespeare to En Amie Club

En Amie Review Club will meet for luncheon and book review 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at United Methodist Church. Robert D. Anson will present a program on Shakespeare.

Anson, who founded the reading/discussion group "Shakespeare as We Like It" in 1973, teaches courses on Shakespeare at Midland College. A graduate of Columbia College, he is a mostly-retired independent oilman in Midland.



Robert D. Anson

El Paso artist still perfecting his art

By Nicole Carroll

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Jose Cisneros has illustrated hundreds of books, exhibited work in dozens of cities and created countless images for publications around the country.

The 81-year-old has been lauded by the pope, praised by the president and knighted by the king of Spain.

Some might think El Paso's artist laureate has reached his peak.

Cisneros says he's just begun.

"I have to improve," he said, pointing to the latest portfolio of pen and ink horsemen drawings. "Every time I do them, I try to make them better. I'm doing them all over — making them better, bigger."

Along with improving, Cisneros is expanding.

His most famous work, "Riders Across the Centuries: Horsemen of the Spanish Borderlands," is a series of sketches and stories on the men who have galloped across the Southwest over the past four centuries.

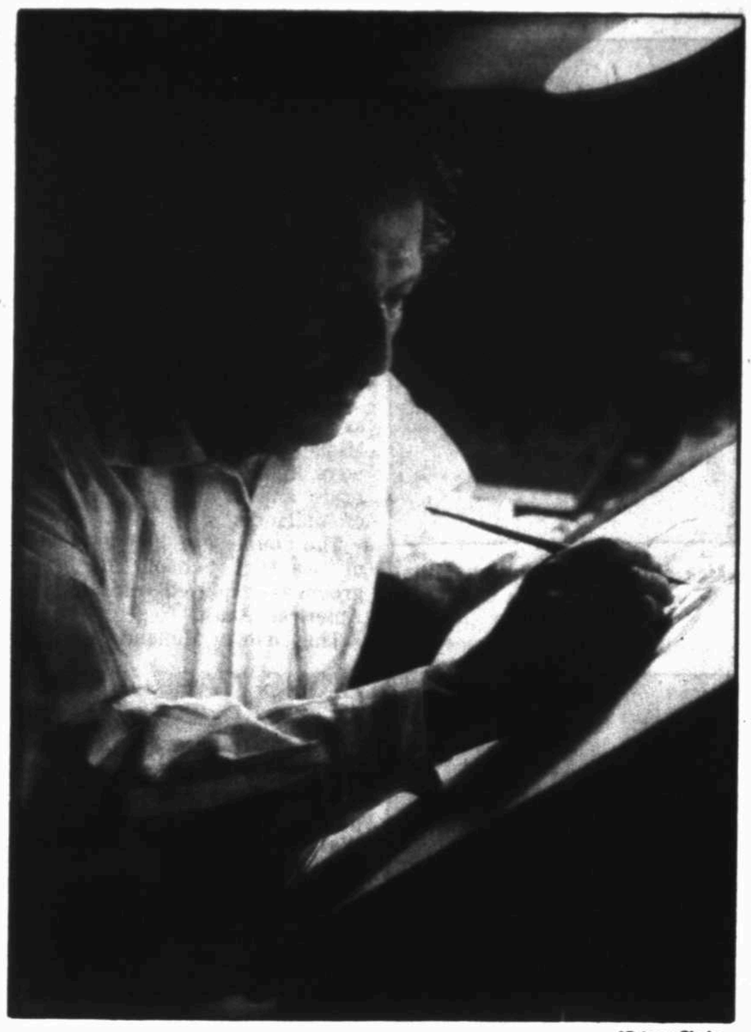
But this current collection is different. It includes the horsewoman.

Female riders weren't prominent in his earlier portfolios because there was little documented history about them, Cisneros said. But his recent research has turned up descriptions of women riding horses as companions to the conquistadors and at social occasions.

"I read everything. I research everything," he said. "Nothing is done without research."

Because of this attention to detail, Cisneros' drawings are as well known for their historical accuracy as they are for their artistic value. Every helmet, boot, saddle and blanket is carefully researched before it is drawn.

His basement studio is lined with books on Southwestern history, horses, riders and costuming. It is considered the best collection on Southwestern horsemen in the country, and The University of Texas-El Paso has asked to make it part of its collections.



AP LaserPhoto

El Pason artist Jose Cisneros still works diligently inside his basement studio. At 81, the artist persists in perfecting his work.

Cisneros says he works every day "and into the night if I want to" on his burgeoning portfolio.

This fall, the expanded collection will be exhibited at an Albuquerque museum and in the Southern Methodist University library in Dallas.

But the upcoming shows are just a small part of the octogenarian's agenda.

Every day, another author requests his services, a new museum asks to feature his work.

His coffee table is covered with advance copies of the magazines and books he's illustrated. His shelves are filled with awards.

After 50 years of finding success as an artist, Cisneros says he is still thrilled at each offer, amazed with every honor.

"Can you imagine," he muses, "a man that never had a formal education is known by so many high-ranked people?"

But contradictions are nothing new to the humble Cisneros.

He left school in the fourth grade, but is recognized as a leading scholar of border history.

He fills his drawings with soft pastel watercolors, but is completely colorblind.

The artist's trademark is his realistic, detail-filled depictions of horses and horsemen, but he has never touched a saddle or stepped foot on a range.

Cisneros overcame each obstacle with a sharp mind and a deft pen.

"As a young child, I dreamed of being an artist, but we were poor and I could not go to school," he said.

Cisneros was born in Durango in the village of Ocampo, Mexico. He moved to Dorado in Chihuahua when he was 8, where he began his career drawing pictures on the sides of buildings.

At 15, Cisneros moved to Juarez and enrolled in the Lydia Patterson Institute in El Paso.

"It gives me great satisfaction because I consider myself a self-taught artist," he said. "I didn't have the opportunity to have a formal education. The history that I know, it has come mostly from books and practice."

The artist became an El Paso resident in 1934 and has made the city his home ever since. He spent 30 years as a painter for El Paso bus lines and has produced work from his Hueco Street house for the past 42 years.

"El Paso has been good to me," he said. "I have my house, my neighbors and my church. I am happy."

While he is content with his home life, Cisneros said the day will never come when he considers his work "good enough."

"I look at my pictures and always find something that I could improve," he said. "I enjoy doing it so much. I wouldn't do anything else. I would go crazy if I could not work."

Jokes help people cope with scandal aftermath

By Jody Leader
N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — Did you hear what Nordstrom is selling at its Pee-wee Herman sale? Do you know what kind of shampoo Jeffrey Dahmer uses?

If you don't know the answers, your co-worker probably does. Last week, it was nearly impossible to tune into morning radio chatter or late-night talk shows without hearing the latest comedic barbs hurled at Paul Reubens, who portrays the children's TV star, and Dahmer, the confessed Milwaukee serial murderer.

Reubens was arrested July 26 at a Sarasota County, Fla., adult theater and charged with exposure of a sexual organ. Dahmer was taken into custody July 22 after police found pieces of human bodies in Dahmer's apartment. He has been charged with murder.

Since then, telephone lines, office fax machines and voice mail systems have been abuzz with jokes on Dahmer's favorite book and Reubens' favorite baseball team.

It's a phenomenon that inevitably occurs after any scandal hits the headlines, according to humor experts.

"Jokes are a way people cope with what they can't control," said Argus Hamilton, a political satirist who performs regularly at the Comedy Store and writes a weekly humor column for the Daily Oklahoman in Oklahoma City.

"When their lives are interrupted by any news that is shocking or dramatic, people have a choice of how to react. A good percentage of decent people always react with dismay, concern and sympathy. Then there's the rest of us," he said.

HAMILTON SAID jokes are a way of defying authority. "It comes from my mother telling me to sit still and behave in church," he said.

But according to commentator Harry Shearer, some of the best Herman and Dahmer jokes haven't come from comedians. "If the subject is really ripe for people to do their own humor, then they don't need the professionals," he said. "I think people are doing a fine job."

"Humor can be a safety valve, both for individuals, a society and a culture," said Dr. Joel Goodman, director of the Humor Project in Saratoga Springs, N.Y. The Humor Project is a 15-year-old humor consulting and publishing firm. Goodman also edits Laughing Matters magazine.

"For some people, it's a way of dealing with unfathomable experiences beyond human comprehension and human dignity," he said. "When something breaks the cultural norms, humor is a way of dealing with that."

Goodman quoted John F. Kennedy: "There are three things which are real: God, human folly and laughter. The first two are beyond our comprehension, so we must do what we can with the third."

People tend to retell jokes because "laughter loves company," he said. "There's a certain contagion that gets spread."

TIME WAS WHEN jokes spread by word of mouth. Now the telephone, radio, television, copying machine, voice mail, fax machine and computer are the methods of choice. "It's made it tremendously easy," Shearer said.

"Johnny Carson and Jay Leno can reach millions in the evening," said Goodman. "There are computer networks. With the accelerating technology, these jokes are spreading faster than the speed of lightness.

"What used to be the underground humor on the bathroom wall is going out on the fax."

In the comedy clubs, stand-ups are trying to make sense of it all.

"I don't think any of (the comedians) are attacking (Herman) or finding him guilty," said Jamie Masada, owner of the 11-year-old Laugh Factory comedy club in Hollywood. "They are actually bringing some justification to what he did. They aren't prosecuting him."

Masada said that 80 percent to 90 percent of all the comedians that performed at his club last weekend were still joking about Reubens and Dahmer.

"Some of the comedians went into (Dahmer's) childhood to try to find out why he did what he did," Masada said. "Was he an abused child? Was he molested?

"I read the headlines and I get sick to my stomach. I see the comedians and they bring some light on the situation. It's not as horrifying anymore."



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AT WIT'S END

Catholic school gives mother her education

By Erma Bombeck

Recently, thanks to Madonna, Phil Donahue and Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas, a lot of attention has been focused on Catholic education.



Bombeck

I'm not ready to debate public vs. private instruction or whether students are better or worse because of it, but as a mother of three kids in the system, Catholic education certainly straightened me out.

I was a mother who never took school seriously. I had no discipline in my life. School was just a place to drop off the kids in the morning and go home and drink coffee and watch the soaps. I had the interest span of a gnat. I was even thinking of dropping out of a couple of car pools to play bridge with a group of women who had no goals.

Then I met the nuns, and they turned me around. There was something awesome about them I couldn't put my finger on. It wasn't fear. It was that in their presence I always felt like a small puppy who had just missed the paper. Actually, it was fear.

I was summoned one day to Sister's office. "Mrs. Bombeck, we are all put on this Earth to serve."

"I already iron and starch 15 white uniform shirts a week," I said lamely.

She continued without reaction. "We would like for you to organize a group of volunteers to serve lunches."

"Yes, Sister," I said mechanically. The process of blind acceptance had begun. I agreed to work in the library, chair the church bazaar, wax the pews in the church, administer reading readiness tests and publish the school newsletter. One day she called to request I write an original play for the sixth grade with a healthy tooth in the starring role.

"But Sister," I started to protest.

"Do you want me to call your children?"

On another occasion I was volunteering as a playground supervisor when I noticed a group of unruly boys who were playing keepaway with a substitute lay teacher. She had been airborne for possibly 10 minutes when she yelled, "Either make them stop or go tell Sister."

I froze. I would rather face Conan than face Sister.

Sister got me out of white anklets and loafers and into some kind of a dress code. She taught me that an idle mind is the devil's playmate. And to this day I never dawdle in a restroom.

Years later when I visited the school, I saw Sister in the hallway. She was no longer wearing a habit but had on the same gray suit with a white blouse I was wearing.

There was no mistaking which one was the nun. I curtsied when I said, "Hello Sister."

Erma Bombeck's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

Couple 'batty' about bats

By Robert M. Andrews

ROCKVILLE, Md. (AP) — Most people see bats and say "Eeeek!" Tom Valega and Heidi Hughes see bats and say, "Ooooh! Cute!"

Valega and Hughes love bats and wish everyone did.

Forget what you've heard about Dracula's blood-sucking vampires, winged harbingers of death and all that stuff, the married couple say.

The truth is that bats are cuddly, friendly little critters who work furiously every night, all summer long, gobbling up mosquitoes and other backyard pests that make life miserable for humans.

Although bats have gotten a bum rap in Western culture for centuries, the Chinese are more enlightened. Their word for bat is "fu," which means good luck. In China, having bats in your belfry is considered a blessing.

"If you look at a bat eyeball-to-eyeball, you can't help but fall in love with them, they're so cute," says Hughes, who keeps a couple of furry brown bats as house pets.

"They're marvelous creatures and they do great and wonderful things," said Valega. "If they are ever exterminated, we'd be in dire straits."

By day, Valega is a grants administrator at the National Institute of Dental Research. By night, he's "the Batman of Rockville," rescuing bats trapped in neighboring homes and leading twilight hikes through this Washington D.C. suburb in search of bats and owls.

Valega uses a magic bat detector, an electronic gizmo the size of a pocket radio, to tune in to the ultrasonic chirps, clicks and pings of bats whose built-in sonars enable them to fly in the dark and target their prey.

Valega became a bat enthusiast when he met his wife, the owner of a bird supply store in Rockville who fell in love with bats nearly 20 years ago.

Together, they founded the nonprofit American Bat Conservation Society to protect bats and improve their public image.

Valega and Hughes fear that millions of North American bats are being killed annually by pesticides or by trespassers who disrupt their winter hibernation in caves.

Part of their mission is to correct widespread bat myths. To wit:



AP Laserphoto

Tom Valega and Heidi Hughes, shown holding a bat, say they love bats and wish everyone did.

- Bats are not flying mice.
- They don't suck blood from human necks. Most bats are insect eaters. A few feed on nectar, pollen and fruit. Only three species of vampire bats — none of them in North America — subsist on blood licked from small wounds in cows and horses.
- Bats don't like to pounce on women's hairdos. When they swoop close to somebody's head outdoors, their target is the swarm of mosquitoes attracted by human body heat.
- It's not true that all bats carry rabies and attack humans. Like any other mammal, bats can contract rabies, get sick and die, but fewer than one-half of 1 percent do. "Statistically, you are less likely to be bitten by a bat than you are to be hit by lightning at a church picnic," Hughes said.

During the day, bats sleep hanging upside down in trees, behind shutters or in attics. But at dusk, they turn into awesomely efficient bug zappers.

After a quick drink of water, a typical, two-inch brown bat will consume about 6,000 mosquitoes, flies, moths, beetles and other insects every night, burning them up with furnace-like bodies that reach 120 degrees.

Moreover, Hughes said, scientists are studying bats for information about their natural sonars, their "cold storage" of sperm during hibernation and the saliva of some species that can prevent blood clotting.

Bats even help pollinate the Mexican agave plant from which tequila is made.

"Without bats, we'd have no tequila," Hughes said.

'Statistically, you are less likely to be bitten by a bat than you are to be hit by lightning at a church picnic.'

— Heidi Hughes
expert on bats

BRIDGE WINNERS

The following are bridge winners for the week of July 29.

MONDAY
1. Jimmie Penn, Mary Hammond
2. Jerry Chapman, Charlene Delaune
3. and 4. Tie: Babe Griffin, Violet Brown, Ricki Perry, Aggie Anguish

TUESDAY
1. Elle Kerr, Jerry Williamson
2. Flo Curry, Frances Levin
3. Ginna Potts, Lib French
4. B.J. Filley, Betty Jane Norwood

WEDNESDAY
1. Jimmie Penn, Mildred Taylor
2. Craig Jones, Phyllis Berkowitz
3. Dixie Gifford, Al Gifford
4. Jimmy Branch, Bob Baker

THURSDAY
A.M.:
1. Mildred Stuart, Jimmy Branch
2. Debbie Kemp, Charlene Delaune
3. Mildred Skidmore, Florence Aldridge
4. Snookie Howard, Fern McGuigan

Non-smoking:
1. George Landreth, Bob Myers
2. Dixie Gifford, Joe Brittain
3. B.J. Filley, Marie Morris
4. and 5. Tie: Jimmy Cox, Craig Thompson, Jerry Chapman, Dorothy Hill

FRIDAY
1. Jimmy Branch, Jimmie Penn
2. Debbie Kemp, Helen Owen
3. Ginna Potts, Vangie Lindsey
4. Jerry Williamson, Flo Curry

SATURDAY
1. Betty Crooker, Jerry Crooker
2. Marian Sims, Shirley Barrigan
3. Joe Salmon, Al Gifford

SUNDAY
1. Helen Owen, Jimmy Branch
2. Elle Kerr, George Landreth
3. Jimmie Penn, Al Gifford
4. and 5. Tie: Linda Warden, Marian Sims, Jerry Chapman, Thelma Black

CLUB NEWS

AARP

American Association of Retired Persons met in Dellwood Senior Center for "Hamburgers and all the trimmings." Attending were 100 members and 10 guests.

Hazel Cole gave the invocation and Leta Brown led the Pledge of Allegiance. Marvin Eastman played the piano. Special recognition was given to Art and Marge Shaw for arranging August's "Fun Night." Cooks were the Shaws, Chet and Margaret Powers, Frank Mills and Raymond Smith.



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Few cancellations reported in wake of cruise ship sinking

By Edwin McDowell
N.Y. Times News Service

Travel agents said Tuesday that they had received many telephone calls from worried customers after the sinking of a Greek cruise ship off South Africa, but that few had canceled their bookings.

The cause of the sinking of the Oceanos in the Indian Ocean on Aug. 4 is under investigation, and several agents and cruise industry officials said they were hoping it was an accident.

Many noted that the industry was only just recovering from the 1985 hijacking of the Achille Lauro, an Italian cruise liner, by Palestinian terrorists, and from a recession that continues to bedevil most of the travel industry.

The Persian Gulf war briefly curtailed cruises to Europe and the Mediterranean earlier this year, but cruise lines scrambled to add more trips to the Caribbean, Alaska and Mexico, and stepped up advertising and promotion.

The strategy appears to have worked: The 860,000 cruise passengers during the first quarter of this year was a 14.2 percent increase over the same period in 1990, according to Chris O'Neill, a spokesman for the Cruise Lines International Association.

THE ASSOCIATION predicts a record 4 million passengers in 1991, up from 3.7 million last year.

"The whole cruise industry was affected for a couple of years by the Achille Lauro, because people were afraid," said Lou Garcia, whose Manhatan public relations firm represents Epirotiki Lines, the Greek company that owns the Oceanos.

Garcia said Epirotiki received only "a couple" of cancellations Tuesday, and that it also booked some passengers.

Bob Biege, who owns Admiral of the Fleet Cruise Center in Milwaukee, said his agency had no cancellations, though some customers did call.

"But it's nothing like after the Achille Lauro, when we got a lot of the 'tell me about the security' inquiries," he said.

Agents said that this time, most customers seemed to be making a distinction between an act of nature and an act of terrorism.

"An act of terrorism suggests a pattern of behavior, but this was apparently a fluke accident in high seas," said Jill Wall, co-owner with her husband of Vacations at Sea in New Orleans. "But that doesn't mean I'm not very disappointed at the crew's response, or lack thereof."

OTHER TRAVEL agents also criticized Yiannis Avranas, the Oceanos' captain, who passengers said left his sinking ship before most of them were rescued.

All 571 people aboard were saved, but questions remain about the seaworthiness of the 7,500-ton vessel.

"Try to picture a Norweigan captain leaving the ship early," Biege said. "The whole country would revolt. He'd have been tarred and feathered."

Garcia defended Avranas. "I think he's been unduly maligned without a fair hearing," he said. "He wasn't running away. After he ordered the ship to be abandoned, he got into a helicopter to supervise the rescue operation."

Still, the Oceanos' sinking is likely to increase demands for even greater safety regulations for foreign cruise ships that carry mostly Americans.

All but two of about 115 cruise ships that operate in the United States are registered in foreign nations.

Two years ago, the National Transportation Safety Board warned that many of those ships had serious safety deficiencies that posed significant risk of a catastrophic accident.

But Jack Estes, the president of the International Council of Cruise Lines, said Tuesday that the safety board "is way off the mark."

"The safety standards of the foreign-flag cruise ships operating under the regulations of the International Maritime Organization, which all of them do," he said, "are as good and in many cases better than the U.S. standards."

ESTES ADDED that since 1970, only two people had died on cruise ships serving American ports out of some 25 million passengers.

Even before the Oceanos sinking, some travel agents said they tended to stay away from the Epirotiki Lines.

"Epirotiki is used to dealing more with Europeans, who aren't as demanding as Americans," said Steve Snider, a sales agent for Cruises Only in Portland, Ore.

Snider and Biege said their agencies booked passengers for Greece aboard Sun Line Cruises, which is also Greek-owned.

But Americans comprise about 40 percent of the passengers on the Mediterranean cruises of Epirotiki, Garcia said. "We're a major company with nine ships, not just one that went down and now we're out of business," he said.

Family's heirloom quilts preserve traditions

By Mariana Romero

RIO GRANDE CITY (AP) — In the old days, the Medina family women made quilts during the spring months when the men prepared the sheep for the hot summer months by shearing away their wool.

Having no guidance, the sheep roamed aimlessly getting leaves, dirt and thorns into their wool.

When shearing time came, the wool on their back was tough and filthy.

"I don't remember the wool ever being white when it was sheared — it was a deep gray from the dust and many thorns which the sheep had picked up during the winter months," Celia Medina said.

Thrushing the sewing needle in and out of the colorful patchwork design, Medina slowly advanced several small stitches into the quilt she is making by hand.

"I want to leave each of my children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren something to remember me by when I am gone," Mrs. Medina said. "I still have the quilts my mother made for me throughout the years, and these hold a very special meaning since I can still picture her busily working over them."



AP Laserphoto

Celia G. Medina Gonzalez shows off one of her handmade quilts. Gonzalez sees quilt-making as an art that can be used to build family values and traditions. She learned the craft from her mother and grandmother when she was 14 years old.

MEDINA SEES quilt-making as an art that can be used to build family values and traditions. She learned the craft from her mother and grandmother.

"When I was about 14 years old, she passed the skill on to my sister and me," Mrs. Medina said of her mother. "I, in turn, have taught my daughter and daughters-in-law."

Mrs. Medina said she is not sure if the tradition will survive these rapidly changing times. "These days the closest a mother and her daughter gets to a quilt will probably be at a department store," she said.

Juanita Garza, a history and anthropology professor at UT-Pan American, said it was a shame that Mrs. Medina's art was slowly dying. "Modern life is making us lazy. It might be making us more efficient, but we no longer are doing these type of difficult tasks."

In the old days after the sheep were sheared, the women picked up the wool, placed the material in a large tub containing cool water, and left it soaking for three days.

On the third day, the wool was squeezed to remove any water. It was then washed by hand several times until all the dirt was removed. Pulling out the thorns from the wool was the toughest job, since these had to be taken out by hand.

"Sometimes we would get pricked by the thorns, and since this was extremely painful we were very careful not to let this happen again," Mrs. Medina said.

A large tarp was placed on the ground with several square pieces of window screens where the wool was placed to dry for several days.

TO MAKE a good quilt meant going out into the brush country to look for a long smooth branch from a big mesquite trees.

"A branch was to be used to beat the wool, and it had to be smooth and strong so it wouldn't break during the furious beating," Mrs. Medina said. Beating the wool several times helped remove the loose dirt and other debris such as leaves which might have been left behind during the washing.

After the wool was clean, dried, and beaten, it was taken into the house where it was pulled apart by hand to take out the knots.

Wire-toothed brushes called cardas were brought out of closet where they had been carefully stored during the winter months.

Holding one carda firmly down with her left hand, Mrs. Medina glided the wool from it with the right carda using long strokes, which produced a fluffy effect.

Once the wool was shaped into thick layers six inches long, it was placed inside baskets and stored until cotton season began.

When the cotton was ready for picking, Mrs. Medina and her mother went into the field where they picked four pounds of cotton to blend in with four other pounds of wool. "We came home after picking the cotton and began removing the seeds from each of the cotton balls."

The cotton was given a good brushing after the cardas were brought out from storage.

Four frames were then joined together with extending clamps and placed in the middle of the living room. The clamps hold the material while the quilt is sewn.

"I stretch the material as tight as possible from each end of the frames, and then tie it with strings at the poles of each of the frames, which makes it easier for me to sew," Mrs. Medina said.

THE MATERIAL was put together during the winter months using pieces of discarded clothing which were then shaped into hearts, butterflies, stars, half-moons and flowers. Layer overlapping layer, the wool and cotton mixture was placed on top of the material until it was completely covered.

The cover material which was thumbtacked to one end of the frame was stretched over to the other side. "When my mother was alive, she and I were able to make a quilt in one day," Mrs. Medina said. "Now that I am doing the work by myself it usually takes me three days to finish it."

Bending over the frames, Mrs. Medina slowly stitched in and out over the lines which she chalked onto the material until she weaved her way to the other end.

Selecting a wide purple ribbon for the quilt's border, Mrs. Medina riveted it by hand around its edges — another work of art finished.

Eighth Annual Restoration Festival planned at Fort Davis

Staff Report

Plans are in full swing at Fort Davis National Historic Site for the Eighth Annual Restoration Festival. Sponsored by the Friends of Fort Davis NHS, the festival will be all day Aug. 31. All profits from the festival will be used to support National Park Service approved preservation and restoration activities at Fort Davis for which government funds are not available.

One of the many activities planned for this year's festival is a live auction, featuring antique and collectable furnishing items. There also will be a silent auction featuring smaller items. Because of limited space at the Fort, the live auction will take place at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church Parish Hall. The church hall is located diagonally across from the Fort. The auction will begin at 10 a.m. with preview for prespective buyers starting at 8:30 a.m. Mem Hall of Marfa, a professional auctioneer as well as rodeo clown, will be the auctioneer for the event.

The silent auction will be on the Fort grounds. Tables will be set up on the east side of the refurnished enlisted men's barracks. Bidding will commence at 9:30 a.m. with visitors having until 3 p.m. to view items and enter bids. The silent auction has been a part of the Friends' Festival since 1987 and has proved most successful and exciting.

The Friends are currently seeking donations of antiques and collectables for both the live and silent auctions. In addition, consigned items for which prior approval has been received are being accepted. Consignment allows individuals to sell their treasures by setting a minimum bid. Money received above the minimum will profit the Friends' projects.

Donations for the auctions should be in good condition and are tax deductible. For more information, contact Mary Williams at the Fort, (915) 426-3224 or Barbara Bigard in Midland, 689-7678.

The Friends ask that before you throw any old furniture or memorabilia away that you please contact them. Past auctions have proven the old adage of "one person's junk may be the next person's treasure" to be true.

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Staff Report

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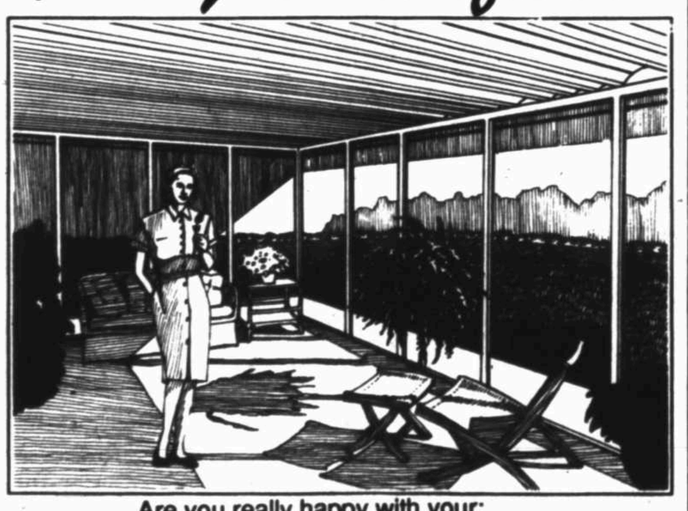
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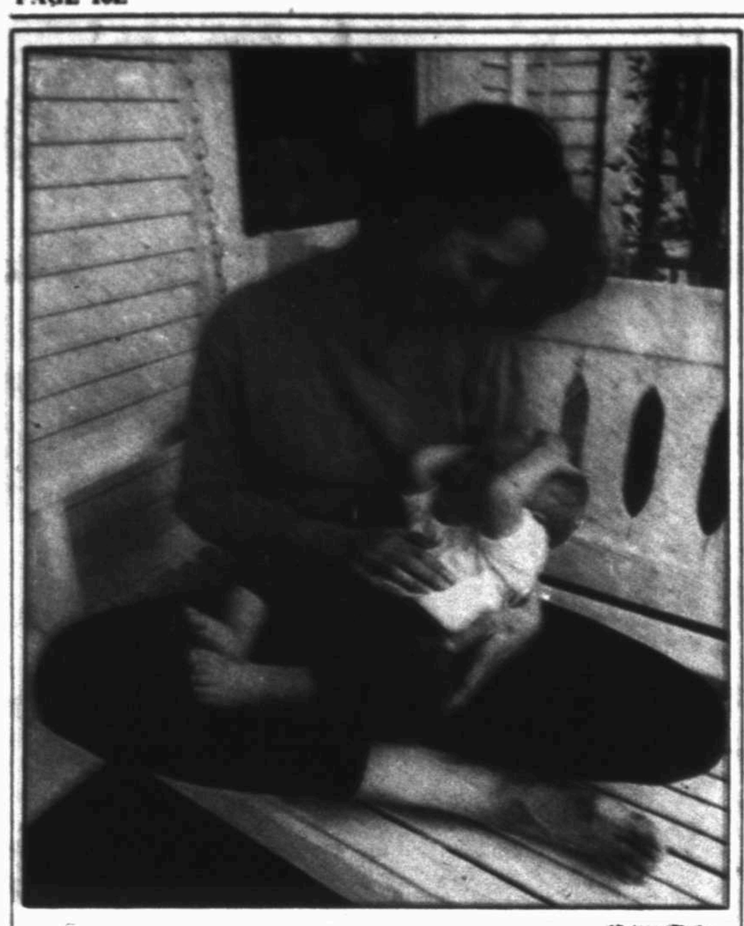
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Patti Perret cuddles son Riley, 10 months, on the porch of their home in New Orleans in April. Perret says the decision to breast-feed her children was easy.

Three women tell their stories of try, try, try again

By Lisa Levitt Ryckman
Associated Press

Something was wrong with Megan Liberty.

She was 6 weeks old and losing weight. Nursing her was such a painful ordeal that Joann Natoli Liberty cringed every time she heard Megan cry.

Liberty's pediatrician in Brooklyn, N.Y., paid little attention when she told him she believed Megan wasn't nursing correctly. She would need to supplement with formula to allow so she could "rest" and replenish her milk, the doctor said. She should nurse no more than every three hours, even if Megan cried, and for no more than nine minutes on each side. And she should follow every nursing with formula.

"You obviously don't have enough milk," the doctor told Liberty.

She was devastated. And determined.

"This whole thing to me sounded so wrong. I had read enough to know that this was really ridiculous, that the idea you didn't have enough milk was so far-fetched, so rare," Liberty said.

She contacted the lactation clinic at Beth Israel Hospital, where a lactation consultant watched her nurse and quickly diagnosed the problem. Megan was "tongue-tied:" her frenulum, the string on the underside of her tongue, was so short and tight that it made it difficult for her to latch on properly.

"She said, 'You have plenty of milk. The problem is not with you.' And I just sat down and cried," Liberty said. "This is what I had felt all along."

Liberty used a device that allowed Megan to receive supplemental breast milk or formula while she was nursing. She and her husband also did "stretching exercises" with Megan to loosen her frenulum.

Almost two years later, they are still nursing, and Liberty is more sure than ever that her persistance has paid off.

"I know that there's such a closeness I feel with her, there's such a peace when you sit down to nurse," she said. "I don't think you can get that anywhere else."

Patti Perret spent the last 15 of her 36 years carefully considering the kinds of food she put into her own body. That's why the decision about what to feed her newborn son took less than a second.

"I didn't want to put anything but mother's milk into my baby," the New Orleans woman said. "It was never a question. It came with the territory."

But as Perret learned, doing what nature intended doesn't necessarily come naturally. The first attempt to nurse Shannon minutes after birth was unsuccessful. Later, with the help of an experienced nurse, mom and baby figured out what to do, and continued breast-feeding happily for the next two years.

"If you don't know anything about it, you can't just put the baby to the breast," said Perret, who got much of her information from La Leche League's book, "The Womanly Art of Breast-feeding." "It requires some mechanics to it."

Like many moms who breast-feed exclusively, Perret weaned Shannon directly to a cup, and plans to do the same with Riley, born last May. Neither child has ever had a pacifier. Shannon had an occasional bottle of breast milk while Perret, a photographer, worked part time. Riley never has had one.

"When a baby wants something, nursing usually takes care of it," said Perret, who has fed her babies while shopping, sitting on stoops and dining out.

"It has always been something very easy for me to do. I feel I can camouflage it very well if I want to," she said. "To us it's a completely natural thing, so it's a natural thing to other people."

Lynn Clifton thought the third time would be a charm. Three Cesarean sections, three boys, three attempts at nursing a baby.

The first two had ended after six weeks or so because of medical problems, but Clifton felt confident breast-feeding would go well with her third and last child, Christopher. He was healthy, and she was sure she knew what to do.

"I didn't think I needed any specific help," the Las Vegas woman said. "I thought this was going to work this time."

Looking back, she believes the problems began in the hospital. The staff insisted she feed Christopher water bottles after each nursing. Her surgery made it difficult to position him comfortably. No nurse or lactation specialist came by to help her.

"I came home with bottles of water and my baby — and the complementary pack of formula they give you, a six pack of something," Clifton said.

In those early weeks, she enjoyed nursing Christopher, and made a little ritual out of rocking and singing to him at each feeding. A water bottle always followed, as the hospital staff had recommended. But when his first weigh-in showed Christopher had lost weight, his pediatrician suggested cutting out the bottles and breast-feeding exclusively for a day or two.

"At this point, Christopher was a very lazy nurser," Clifton said. "The way the doctor put it was, 'You'd much rather go up an elevator than use the stairs.' The bottle is just easier. He'd nurse and then wait for that water bottle. He knew it was coming."

Christopher continued to lose weight, and the doctor insisted Lynn supplement with formula. She breast-fed and bottle-fed for a while, but the bottle soon took over.

"I was very depressed. I cried. I wondered if it was the bottles, or me, or a combination," she said. "I guess we'll never know."

Decision to breast-feed made hard

By Lisa Levitt Ryckman



AP LaserPhoto

Nkenge Mollineau, 19 years old and pregnant, receives instructions about breast-feeding from Djamillah Samad at a New York clinic that adminsters WIC, the government's Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children. Mollineau, unlike most women in similar situations, has decided to breast-feed her child.

NEW YORK (AP) — In crowded city clinics where poor mothers come to fill their babies' bottles, Nkenge Mollineau cuts a familiar figure: young, black and heavy with child, waiting her turn for food vouchers and counseling.

There are many like her across the nation, but few make the choice Mollineau already has made for her unborn baby.

She will breast-feed her child, she says, as long and as well as she can. There will be no formula, no bottles for her newborn.

That decision sets her apart from much of the packed waiting room at clinics that administer WIC, the government's Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children, which gives away formula to millions of mothers.

No group of women is less likely to nurse their babies, and public health officials say no group of infants and mothers would benefit more.

"I'm 19, and all the girls my age bottle-feed," Mollineau said. "None of them breast-feed. They haven't even considered it. It's just formula, and that's it."

The consistently low breast-feeding rates among WIC mothers, and its steady decline among all U.S. women, has set off alarm bells in government, medical and public health circles, where breast-feeding is recognized as the best way to nourish and nurture babies.

As 1990 came and went, the U.S. Surgeon General's breast-feeding objective for that year — 75 percent at hospital discharge — was farther away than ever. Only about half of all women nursed their newborns, compared with 62 percent in 1982, a drop of about 10 percent in less than eight years, according to a survey conducted by Ross Laboratories, an infant formula manufacturer.

FOR MANY WOMEN, lack of confidence, embarrassment and concern about loss of freedom are hurdles they have no resources to clear. Lack of support — at home, at the hospital, at the doctor's office and at work — takes a heavy toll.

Media messages and breast-feeding materials themselves often reinforce those doubts and promote the myth that there is little or no difference between formula and breast milk.

But for mothers living in poverty, free distribution of infant formula through the highly praised WIC program, seen as a kind of government endorsement of bottle-feeding, may be the biggest disincentive of all.

"It's a shame, because in a way, the people who could benefit the most are doing it the least," said Betty Crase of La Leche League International, a non-profit group that promotes breast-feeding. "And the government — I'd like to say inadvertently — is supporting that."

In the last 20 years, the U.S. government has become the world's single largest infant formula customer, giving away about $750 million worth to millions of low-income mothers last year alone. The free distribution of formula is at direct odds with the government's — and WIC's — stated goals of promoting breast-feeding, a fact the government readily acknowledges and is slowly moving to change.

A recent reauthorization of WIC set aside $8 million for breast-feeding education, support and promotion, still a tiny drop in the $2.35 billion WIC bucket. At the U.S. Department of Agriculture, which administers WIC, Assistant Secretary Catherine Bertini has organized a breast-feeding consortium of pediatricians, obstetricians, nurses, hospitals and public health officials to address the problem.

USDA ALSO IS trying to promote a national breast-feeding campaign aimed at all American women, said Ron Vogel, who heads WIC for USDA.

"You have to be able as a society to take a bold stand and say, 'Breast-feeding is what's best for babies,'" Vogel said.

In the 1930s, 77 percent of American babies were breast-fed. That percentage dropped every subsequent decade and hit a low of 22 percent in 1972, the year WIC was authorized by Congress. In the next 10 years, breast-feeding rates climbed 40 percent, a result of increased awareness of its benefits.

Bolstered by their mothers' immunities, breast-fed babies rarely suffer from diarrhea or intestinal upsets and have far fewer ear and upper respiratory infections. They are less likely to die of sudden infant death syndrome, develop allergic reactions or contract chronic diseases such as diabetes, Crohn's disease and leukemia.

Recent research also shows lower rates of breast cancer among women who nurse their children for more than a year, and a reduced risk of osteoporosis among women who have breast-fed.

The intangible emotional benefits that come with breast-feeding, the special bond it can create, may be harder to measure but just as important, government officials say.

Yet despite WIC's mandate to encourage breast-feeding, only 34 percent of WIC mothers nursed their babies in the hospital, compared with 63 percent of non-WIC mothers, a 1989 Ross survey showed.

Only 9 percent of WIC mothers still were nursing five months later, compared with 26 percent of non-WIC mothers. The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends that babies be exclusively breast-fed for the first four to six months of life.

NON-WIC MOTHERS of all races were far more likely to breast-feed than WIC mothers. The greatest disparity was among black women, who were twice as likely to nurse if they were not involved with WIC.

"There are people who go so far as to say WIC should not provide infant formula because it's a disincentive to breast-feeding," said Dennis Bach, chairman of the National Association of WIC Directors. "The problem is, while breast-feeding is far and away the best form of nutrition for infants, and you can do everything in your power to educate women that's the way it is, ultimately, it's going to be her choice."

Turn off the formula spigot, WIC officials worry, and some women still won't breast-feed — they'll use cow's milk, which can damage infants' immature digestive systems. Anthropologist-nutritionist Carol Bryant of the University of South Florida asked low-income women whether they would breast-feed if they didn't receive WIC's free formula; some said no, emphatically.

"There are many of us in this country examining the question, 'Should the WIC program not give out formula for the first month or two, as a way to avoid sending a message that formula-feeding's best, and also to motivate women?'" Bryant said.

Perhaps, she said, but first "we need to be sure we have a support system out there for women (who) want to breast-feed. I think it's unfair to deny a choice to poor women of formula-feeding, push them strongly to breast-feeding, and then not make it easy for them to do that."

Critics of WIC's formula giveaway believe WIC mothers rarely have had enough information about breast-feeding to make an educated choice and that WIC professionals rarely have had enough time or money to educate them.

"No woman should be forced to breast-feed, but women ought to be able to make an informed decision," said Ruth Lawrence, professor of pediatrics, obstetrics and gynecology at the University of Rochester Medical Center. "And they can't do that if nobody talks to them."

TODAY, OLDER, college-educated, affluent white women are the ones most likely to choose to nurse their babies, and to do so the longest. But even the best-intentioned mother, regardless of social status, can find herself derailed by lack of support, which often starts with myths perpetuated by family and friends and bad advice from doctors and hospital staff.

"What we have learned is that you have to help women understand that just about anybody can breast-feed," said Minda Lazarov, Tennessee's Director of Breast-feeding Promotion programs. "If you don't happen to eat exactly right, and you don't rest, and do all that, you can still breast-feed."

For three years, Tennessee has used a peer counselor program to increase pitifully low breast-feeding rates in its poorest rural counties. WIC moms who have breast-fed were trained to help and support other mothers, a deceptively simple concept that has had a tremendous impact. In several counties, breast-feeding rates at six weeks jumped from less than 4 percent to more than 20 percent, and babies were being nursed longer.

Similar projects are popping up in WIC programs across the nation, many modeled on anthropologist Bryant's "Best Start" breast-feeding promotion campaign, and all include education of doctors, nurses and hospital staff.

"Doctors don't see their patients soon enough when they're breast-feeding in order to support them," said Dr. Marji Gold, a family practicioner at Montefiore Family Health Center in the Bronx, who nursed her own four children. "They probably don't know enough, so they can't answer questions, so when they get stuck and can't answer, they don't make an adequate referral, they just say, 'You better give the baby formula instead.'"

The promotion programs target obstetricians, who can play a key role by discussing breast-feeding during prenatal care, a time when studies show most women decide how to feed their babies.

THEY ALSO WORK to change hospital policies that undermine breast-feeding, such as using breast-feeding information supplied by formula manufacturers and giving away "discharge packs" of formula to women regardless of whether they are nursing, a practice known to shorten breast-feeding duration.

But the most powerful force for change in WIC are WIC mothers themselves. Through peer counseling programs, they share the intimate knowledge of their joy in breast-feeding.

"The special moments you have, when that child looks up at you and smiles as he's falling asleep, you can't get that any other way," said Barbara Skole, who has nursed three children and now counsels other WIC mothers at the Morrisania WIC in New York.

One of her fellow counselors, abused as a child by drug-addicted parents, now has two children of her own. Nursing has created a bond with them she never knew herself.

"There are times when she'll want to yell at those children, or hit those children, but I think because of that breast-feeding, and what she's learned about parenting because of that breast-feeding . .. she's raising those children very, very differently than she was raised," said Djamillah Samad, Morrisania's breast-feeding coordinator.

"When there are dysfunctional families, breast-feeding can be the key to making change for the better."

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Swinging his rifle like a club, Davy Crockett fights to the end in this 1903 painting of the bloody Alamo seige.



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Now surrounded by modern downtown San Antonio, the Alamo remains an object of fascination to millions of tourists every year.

Texans still touchy over Alamo legends

By Donald Smith
Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — A hushed group of tourists shuffles past the spot where Maj. Robert Evans fell. Standing nearby, a white-haired man wearing a string tie holds aloft a sign: "This Is a Shrine. Please Be Quiet. Thank You."

Texans take their heroes seriously. Death threats are not uncommon for those undertaking to sort out what really happened at the Alamo 155 years ago.

"I definitely got hostile reactions," says Jeff Long, whose "Duel of Eagles: The Mexican and U.S. Fight for the Alamo," was published last year.

"For about two months I had crank calls at all hours, including a couple of death threats," says Long. "Finally I had to hide behind the telephone answering machine."

AMONG LONG'S assertions:

■ Famed knife fighter Jim Bowie wanted to surrender to Mexican General Santa Anna long before the battle began.

■ Despite 26-year-old Col. William Barrett Travis' "weird fanaticism" at times, the commander of Texas troops actually tried to surrender just before the assault.

■ Both Bowie and Travis might have committed suicide when the Mexicans breached the Alamo's defenses.

Such statements still stir bonfires of Lone Star pride. Many Texans are touchiest of all over the question of how Davy Crockett died.

Long dismisses the idea that the former bear-fighter-turned-congressman went down clubbing Mexican foes over the head with his Brown Bess musket.

Instead, writes Long, "David Crockett made a choice. The Go Ahead man quit. He did more than quit. He lied. He dodged. He denied his role in the fighting. With his life in the balance, Crockett proceeded to do what he did best: talk."

This story of Crockett vainly pleading for his life has been told before. A number of Mexican eyewitnesses wrote of Crockett being brought before Santa Anna, who they said contemptuously turned away and ordered Crockett's execution on the spot.

MANY SERIOUS scholars of the Alamo accept this account, which was widely reported at the time. But it never fails to provoke an angry reaction, especially among those steeped in Hollywood versions, beginning with the 1955 Walt Disney TV series, "Davy Crockett, King of the Wild Frontier."

"All these men who were at the Alamo have been blown up over the years as such heroes of Texas history that a lot of people don't appreciate this type of book," says Betty Burr, president general of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas.

The organization has operated the Alamo, which belongs to the state, since 1905. Under the Daughters' stewardship, according to Southern Methodist University historian David J. Weber, the Alamo "has become a religious shrine. It's really kind of comparable to visiting Rome."

Controversy over the defenders' final hours is not new. In 1975 a new English translation of a Mexican official's diary account of Crockett's execution set off a media storm.

The fury had not abated by 1986, when an article about Crockett by University of New Mexico historian Paul Andrew Hutton appeared in Texas Monthly magazine.

"I thought the article was hopeless, slavish hero worship," Hutton tells National Geographic. Nevertheless, he received "some wonderful hate mail" because of his version of Crockett's death by execution.

Anonymous callers are not the only people in Texas who disagree with Long's acerbic treatment of the Alamo's defenders, however. Historian Archie P. McDonald of Stephen F. Austin State University believes the book has a clear pro-Mexican bias throughout.

"I have to be careful saying things like this, because I will be taken for just another Texas chauvinist," says McDonald, author of a 1976 biography of Col. Travis. "But I don't think the sources substantiate, for example, the kind of character assassination of Travis that comes through."

THERE IS NO dispute over how Maj. Evans met his death. It was witnessed by one of the women whom Santa Anna spared.

Evans was one of the odd collection of soldiers, speculators and adventurers who found themselves at the old Spanish mission in the frigid predawn hours of March 6, 1836. He died late in the 90-minute battle. A Mexican bullet ended his desperate, unsuccessful attempt to blow up the powder magazine and wipe out invaders and defenders alike.

After executing a small group of prisoners, probably including Crockett, Santa Anna had all the Texans' bodies burned.

Lingering questions about their final hours may lie in some forgotten Mexican military archives. Or they may rest irretrievably with the charred remains of the Texans, which have never been found.

For active travelers, adventure is 'on the trail'

By Bill Schulz
Associated Press

Whether you're a hiker, biker, boater of hoofer, there's a place for you somewhere on the 150,000 miles of trails which crisscross United States federal lands.

They can be found from south Florida swamps to frozen Alaskan rivers. They range from blacktopped paths measured in yards — which may run from a parking lot to a waterfall — to a pair of 3,200-milers across rock, dirt and desert.

One long one snakes from Canada to Mexico along the Continental Divide. Another winds from upstate New York, around Lakes Ontario and Erie, across the Straits of Mackinac to Upper Michigan and west to North Dakota.

On the drawing boards is a 5,200-miler being planned by the American Hiking Society and Backpacker magazine. It would stretch from San Francisco to the East Coast.

The granddaddy of them all is the Appalachian Trail, a 2,150-miler from northern Georgia to Maine, which runs through rugged mountains and veers to within sight of New York City. It was founded in 1937.

Not all of the long trails are on public lands and most are nowhere that long. Trails on public lands cross a variety of ownerships and jurisdictions. There also are thousands of state and local trails.

The principal federal agencies are the National Park Service and the Bureau of Land Management, both part of the Department of the Interior, and the U.S. Forest Service, a branch of the Agriculture Department.

THE NATIONAL Park Service offers trails on 200 of its 354 units. Most are short, day-use trails, but they lead visitors to some of the country's best natural wonders, such as geyser basins of Yellowstone National Park and the unspoiled dunes and beaches of the Cumberland Island National Seashore off Georgia's coast.

The Forest Service is by far the leader in trail mileage.

The service has 114,000 miles of trails across its 191 million acres of land, down from a peak of 144,000 miles of trails in the 1940s, according to the Hiking Society. They account for about 30 million recreation visitor days per year.

In addition, a lot of the service's logging roads are used for hiking and other trail-related recreation.

The Superior Hiking Trail in Minnesota "is a wonderful long-distance hiking trail along the north shore of Lake Superior," says Susan Rutherford of the Forest Service. "It offers tremendous views of Lake Superior on one hand and the Boundary Waters area on the other hand."

Just north of Yellowstone National Park, in Montana and Idaho, "there's a tremendous snowmobile trail system," she says. "Some folks in West Yellowstone say often times people are drawn to Yellowstone to take snowmobiles to see the geothermal system in the winter, but the national forest trail system brings them back."

The Sheltowee Trace National Recreation Trail winds through the Daniel Boone National Forest in eastern Kentucky, taking the hiker past beautiful limestone cliffs and arches and many waterfalls. Although it feels very remote, it is close enough to towns that a hiker can resupply every three or four days.

WITH OFFERINGS like that available, the Forest Service expects trail use to be the fastest-growing activity in its forests. Backpacking is expected to increase 155 percent and day hiking 193 percent during this decade.

Despite those figures, the administration doesn't recognize the value of hiking and trails for recreation in the '90s, says Susan Henley of the American Hiking Society.

Trail maintenance is years behind need and many trails have degenerated so far they need reconstruction, but the administration continually tries to cut back Forest Service spending for trail construction and maintenance, she says.

The Bureau of Land Management is the newer, and potentially bigger, entrant in the recreation trail business. "We don't have anywhere the amount of mileage" that the Forest Service has, said BLM's Elizabeth Owens.

But BLM offers 272 million acres of land, most of it arid and most of it in 11 Western states, where skilled hikers, bikers and horsemen can put on their packs, take a compass sighting and go.

BLM LAND IS finding itself home to mountain bikes, motorbikes and all-terrain vehicles. "We get a lot of equestrian usage. That is something we are very keen to provide better trail access for," Ms. Owens says. "We have a lot of people who belong to riding clubs, people who bring trailers, take the horses out and go overnight camping. We view ourselves as a major provider of back-country recreational opportunities."

"We tend to get the young people who are in better shape and are more attracted to the wilderness," she says. "When we offer amenities, they tend to be very primitive."

Among BLM's star attractions is the Pacific Crest Trail, which follows the ridges of the Cascades, Sierra Madres and Sierra Nevadas from Canada, through Washington, Oregon and California, to Mexico.

While the higher elevations are on Forest Service land much of the lower segments belong to BLM. Ms. Owens says she thinks the bureau is going to be a leader in offering trails for mountain biking, one of the fastest-growing segments of cycling.

A special mountain biking trail is the Kokopelli, named for an Indian legend, which begins at Grand Junction, Colo., winds up through a beautiful rock escarpment, and ends 128 miles later at Moab, Utah.

"You see a lot of geology, a lot of nature, a lot of petroglyphs," or Indian rock carvings, she says. "This is not designed for the novice rider. It is designed for someone who is used to camping out and bicycling 25 miles a day uphill."

BLM, SHE SAID, offers much less regulation. "We offer a place for Joe and the wife to put the kids in the pickup, drive out of Phoenix, take off on a trail and do some biking," she said. "We kind of promote dispersed recreation. We avoid getting into regulation of recreational activity as long as there aren't any problems."

For those with absolutely no fear of blisters, Congress created the National Scenic Trail System and the National Historic Trail System. In addition, there 780 trails in the National Recreation Trail System.

While the National Park Service manages 12 of the 17 long-distance trails in the scenic and historic systems, they all cross jurisdictional lines. The Appalachian, Pacific Crest and Continental Divide trails are part of the scenic trail system. Historic trails mark such routes as the Santa Fe and Oregon trails which opened the West, and the route that settlers took to defeat a British force in North Carolina, sending it back to Yorktown, Va., and surrender.

While these trails are being mapped and purchased in pieces, the recreational trails are in existence now. "They must be nominated by an on-the-ground manager to the secretary of the interior or secretary of agriculture, who must approve them before they can use the National Recreation Trail logo," says the Park Service's Steve Elkinton.

To find out about hiking on public lands near you, contact the regional office for the Park Service, Forest Service or BLM.

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People driven by success easing out of fast lane

By Alan Patereau
N.Y. Times News Service

There's a new breed of role model swerving off the high-speed career track — the "downshifters."

Author Amy Saltzman, who coined the term, defines downshifters as people who voluntarily leave exhausting jobs for a slower pace so they can smell the roses and enjoy more balanced lives.

Look around. Maybe there's a downshifter near you. They're spending more time with their kids and less with their jobs. They work part- or flex time instead of full time or overtime. They're gung ho for their families and communities, not their corporations and careers.

"The much-glorified super-macho work ethic of the 1980s is increasingly seen as a silly habit; and it's less productive than previously thought," Ms. Saltzman says in a telephone interview from her Washington office.

In her new book, "Downshifting: Reinventing Success on a Slower Track," she contends that Americans' views of work and leisure have changed drastically. A 1989 survey of 1,000 professionals showed that their average workload had increased 10 hours since the mid-1970s, to 52 hours a week. But two-thirds were willing to take a salary cut averaging 13 percent if they could have more family and personal time.

IN A JANUARY study, the Hilton Hotel Corp. reported that 50 percent of 1,010 workers said they would sacrifice a day's pay for an extra day off each week. And given a choice of goals, 77 percent said "spending time with family and friends" was a priority, compared with 61 percent who cited "making money."

This indicates downshifting could become a major trend of the 1990s, Ms. Saltzman claims. "This isn't the same as dropping out, 1960s style; this is carving out your own notion of success in your field."

Sharman Southall of Roswell, Ga., who has a demanding job as a Southern Bell revenue forecaster, said, "I've devoted most of my adulthood to things that don't really matter. I mean, we're not saving lives here, we're talking about dial tones. I want to get more out of life before it's too late."

Next month, Mrs. Southall, 42, will start a one-year sabbatical and may make it permanent. She plans to concentrate on "a gorgeous, complex little person," her 4-year-old daughter, Amanda, while her husband pursues his engineering career.

"Those extra 20 hours I've been working don't buy anything really important," she says. "This is no dress rehearsal for life; this is it."

"Our society's whole value system is undergoing a significant change," says psychologist Mori Freed. "People realize they don't need all the toys they thought they did; it's not worth it."

Allen Carter emphasizes that black professionals are also into downshifting. "Thanks to Dr. Martin Luther King, we can buy into the white middle-class dream," says Dr. Carter, a psychologist. "But eventually some of us ask what I call the Alfie question (from the song lyrics, 'What's it all about, Alfie?'). They conclude the dream is not totally spiritually satisfying."

AS A RESULT, some blacks forsake once-coveted Fortune 500 managerial jobs to launch small businesses. Earlier this year, a friend of Carter's, William Carter (no relation), 42, left Xerox Corp., where he was a regional sales manager, to open his own photocopier sales office.

"Some friends thought I had rocks in my head, but I think I'll live longer," says Carter, whose wife, Laverne, and two college-age children share the workload. "The excitement here is a lot different from rushing to the airport and banging on a plane door because otherwise I'd miss a sales meeting in Mississippi."

Downshifting often occurs at mid-career among upper-middle-income people with transferable skills, says Dick Holland, an industrial psychologist at Georgia State University. "They begin to reflect on their mortality and whether their lives have been meaningful."

Also encouraging the phenomenon in the 1990s, he says, are the heightened competition for mid-career jobs, due to mergers and downscaling in American industry; the glut of baby boomers now in their 40s; and the changing role of women, which leaves men less obligated to be "the great providers."

Experts warn that downshifting can have a downside. Some careerists who scale back will experience disappointment if their new lives as fishing guides grow dull or their new businesses lose money. Co-workers may be jealous of a downshifter who extracts a sweetheart deal from a sympathetic employer.

DOWNSHIFTERS WILL encounter employers who won't hire them because they're suspicious of anyone seeking a lesser job. "That goes against the grain of the great American success story; you're supposed to climb the ladder as long as you can," says job counselor John Challenger of Challenger, Gray & Christmas.

"Think twice before blaming your unhappiness on your skills and experience," Challenger advises. "If your work environment has soured, change companies, not careers."

Downshifters choose slower pace

N.Y. Times News Service

Author Amy Saltzman describes five varieties of downshifters in her book, "Downshifting: Reinventing Success on a Slower Track" (HarperCollins, $19.95)

- Career-shifters who transfer their skills to less pressured fields. This is the most common kind of downshifting, Saltzman says.
- Self-employers who go solo for more control over work hours and location. This is the second most frequent form of downshifting and is especially attractive to women.
- Plateau-ers who intentionally stay in place and in control of their lives by turning down promotions.
- Urban escapees who opt for kinder, gentler environments.
- Backtrackers who choose demotion to have more personal time and less stress. Saltzman says this is the least common form of downshifting.

In new networking organization, mother really does know best

By Jane Traulsen
N.Y. Times News Service

On a recent sultry night, 13 parents met to discuss the complexities of disciplining their children.

When should you, how should you and why would you were only some of the questions that swirled around as the parents of youngsters from infancy to age 5 chimed in with stories of children who had temper tantrums in supermarkets; children who refused to be coaxed back to sleep no matter what; children who were a delight to the baby sitter and hit everyone else, including Mom, and children whose toilet training had come to an unexplained halt.

"I've never had a job with so many hours," said Rita Stichinsky, a nursery-school teacher and the mother of a 2½-year-old boy.

Though there was a psychologist at the monthly meeting of the Queens chapter of Mothers' Network, the real sources of information and comfort were the parents themselves. It was on this precept that Jonathan Silver, 30, founded the Mothers' Network: mothers helping their peers.

Mothers' Network serves a range of women, from expectant mothers to parents of preschoolers. It has 1,300 members (about half work outside the home) and 60 "consultants" (also mothers) throughout New York City, Westchester, Nassau, Suffolk, northern New Jersey and Fairfield County in Connecticut.

Silver intends to expand the network,a profit-making company whose members pay $25 a month in dues, to 12 other regions across the country by 1993.

IT ALL BEGAN with the inflatable bubble potty.

A graduate of the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania who spent two years at a management consulting company, Silver started a specialty products distribution business called Itemz in 1988.

Soon he was inundated with orders for the traveling potty: blow it up, take it in the car, and goodbye side-of-the-road stops. But what was really interesting, he said, was the amount of time the mothers who called to order the seats spent on the phone.

They wanted information; they wanted to sell the inflatable potty to friends; they were lonely and wanted to talk. After a year of doing what he described as "my own in-depth market research," Silver had a plan that encompassed all those needs.

"I'm not a parent," he said, "but I do have an 8-month-old company."

For their membership fee, members can attend Net Nites like the one held last month at the La Guardia Airport Marriott in Queens. The meetings have a theme, and there is an expert to answer questions after giving a short talk.

Each member is assigned to a consultant, another mother in the neighborhood who helps members find resources through the Mothers' Network Resource Bank. The bank lists all preschool programs in the community, for example, and describes them in terms of teacher-toddler ratio, years in business, owner, cost, educational and psychological outlooks and the like.

IT IS AN information resource only and does not recommend programs, though consultants share as much personal experience as they can.

The consultants earn money by selling products from a guide that is distributed to all members. Silver insisted that there was no pressure on the consultants to sell from the guide, though it does give them a way to earn money. The items sold include cotton diapers, electric breast pumps, talc-free powder, a toy-of-the-month club, a book-of-the-month club and bathtub stickers.

One byproduct of the sheer amount of information available to parents these days is anxiety, according to Dr. Stanley Turecki, a child and family psychiatrist who has been asked by Silver to collaborate on the development of educational tools like videotapes.

Turecki, the physician in charge of the Difficult Child Center in Manhattan, said he believes that "things are more complex for mothers now." They need more reassurance, he said, especially because new mothers are often isolated.

Turecki sees peer counseling as "potentially valuable" if "there's quality control and professional input."

SOME LOCAL merchants offer discounts to Mothers' Network members. A newsletter, Mom, is sent to all members as well.

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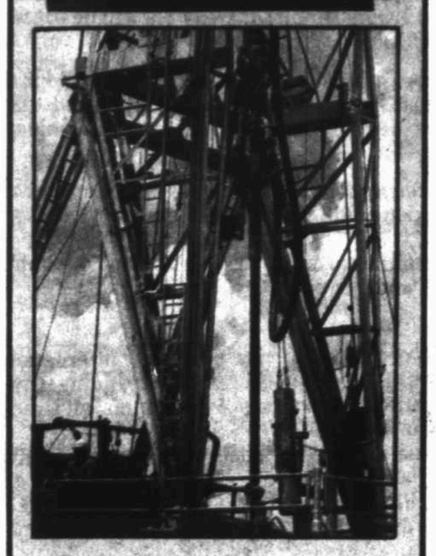
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BRIEFING



Rigs slump

Busy rig floors, above, are becoming scarce as the rig count continues to drop. While the Permian Basin rig count was up seven working rigs, the national count was down 14. The present rig count is 165 below for the same week last year.

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Big bad taxes

While the list of counties assessing ad valorem taxes on the oil industry at a rate over 110 percent has declined from 81, six counties still remain on the "Worst Counties" list according to TIPRO. The worst is **Sherman** county with an ad valorem rate of 117 percent for oil industry, followed by **Cochran** with 114 percent and **Guadalupe** at 112 percent. **Cottle, Randall** and **Upshur** rounded out the remaining six worse with 111 percent each.

Horizontaland

New hot spots are causing horizontal drilling activity to shift from the Pearsall field area to other areas in South Texas, North Texas and the Rocky Mountains.

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Permits down

Pipe racked and ready to run. Less pipe will find its way into the hole this quarter because drilling permits filed in June were down 145 from the 927 issued last year, according to the Texas Railroad Commission. The June rig count for Texas was 320 working rigs, down 15 from the same level a year ago.

Oil trade dull

Oil price traded in a narrow 15 cent range this week, losing and gaining only a few cents each day. Analysts blame summer doldrums for the light trading.

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Production up

AUSTIN — Texas crude oil production averaged 1,733,996 barrels daily in May, according to preliminary figures released by the Texas Railroad Commission. May 1990 production was 1,716,420 barrels per day.

This compares with preliminary April production of 1,744,017 barrels.



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Improved and stable oil prices alone have not been able to drive drilling activity, as the rig count has fallen with declining natural gas prices.

Outlook for second half appears gloomy

■ Rosey predictions for 1991 oil activity have turned dark with falling gas prices.

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

Talk to anyone in the oil business these days and it won't be long before the question of the day is invariably asked: "What's going on?"

The question, of course is directed toward the slow drilling pace and low gas prices. Indeed the outlook for the oil industry has become something of a puzzle if not downright dreary.

Everything seemed to be going in the right direction for the oil industry at the start of the year, and optimism was high. Oil prices had stabilized at a decent level, demand for natural gas was on the increase because of environmental concerns and there was the promise of bigger and brighter natural gas markets. But optimisim turned to gloom when drilling activity started down the tubes in spite of positive factors.

Now with one of the most abysmal rig counts in history in place. Industry publications and forecasters are racing to revise rosey predictions downward for the rest of the year.

For the second half, World Oil has revised the number of wells drilled downward 5.3 percent and the footage drilled down 6.6 percent. For the year the industry magazine sees declines of 9.2 percent for wells and 8.6 percent for footaqe.

What's behind the decline? There are several factors, the export of oil industry cash to overseas projects is listed as one reason along with a lack of investment capital. But most place the blame at the feet of depressed natural gas prices. "Unfortunately the bubble busted, but it wasn't the natural gas bubble," said World Oil Publisher, Robert M. de Sombre who blames the bust of natural gas prices for the dismal outlook. Since the first of the year gas prices have tumbled from around $1.40 per Mcf to about 95 cents per Mcf. Some operators in the Permian Basin, however, have received even lower prices at 60-70 cents.

Said de Sombre: "Natural gas drilling was expected to be a continuing, positive influence on overall drilling."

Natural gas drilling, however, did not materialize because of soft gas prices. As gas prices got softer throughout the first half, so did drilling. According to Baker-Hughes rig count 314 rigs were drilling for gas last week and 485 for oil for a total of 831 working rigs. Last year at the same time, 996 rigs were working and almost a majority were drilling for gas.

LEASES

UT Lands phasing out contracts

■ University Lands is phasing out its prorated or reduced production contract designed to keep marginal wells producing.

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Permian Basin operators will lose some incentive keeping marginal production up when a concession made by the University Lands to help producers when oil prices collapsed in 1986 is phased out.

The Board for Lease of University Lands has announced that it is phasing out its prorated or reduced production contracts over the next year.

The prorated or reduced contracts enabled operators and lessees of University lands to maintain marginal oil and gas leases that were uneconomical to produce at low prices by paying $1 per acre per year.

"We feel like the contract has been in effect long enough, and we wanted to start phasing them out," explained Linward Shivers, secretary of the Board for Lease. "We felt that they had been in

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'It will benefit consumers by allowing competitive forces to govern purchasing decisions...'
— Denise Bode
President, IPAA



'We'll be able to work with the pipelines on a competitive basis.'
Harry Spannaus,
Executive vice president, PBPA

Industry applauds FERC rate decision

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Oil producers have not hesitated to criticize the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in the past.

Now they're not hesitating to tell the FERC commissioners "job well done."

What is drawing praise from such industry groups as the Permian Basin Petroleum Association and Independent Petroleum Association of America is FERC's vote to implement a straight fixed variable rate design for domestic pipelines.

According to Denise Bode, president of the IPAA, "Straight fixed variable design will benefit consumers by allowing competitive, rather than regulatory forces to govern purchasing decisions in North American gas markets, by encouraging construction of pipelines into developing markets, and by making gas more competitive with alternative fuels."

Harry Spannaus, executive vice president of the PBPA, agreed that the decision will improve competition in natural gas markets and added that "It's the first time to my knowledge that we'll be able to work with the pipelines on a competitive basis to ensure everybody receives some type of profit from their product."

Said Spannaus of the decision: "It lifts some of the restrictions producers were faced with in the transportation of natural gas. It should help eliminate the unbalanced playing field between U.S. and Canadian producers."

He said he has sent FERC Chairman Martin Allday, a former Midlander, a congratulatory message and urged PBPA members to do the same, "And I think a number of them have."

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PBPA tells line-up for 1991 meet

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

An all star cast of speakers have been lined up for the 1991 annual meeting of the Permian Basin Petroleum Assoication, set for November 7-8.

Included are: Kay Bailey Hutchison, Treasurer of Texas; Herb Kelleher, chairman and CEO of Southwest Airlines; Jerry Langdon, commissioner of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commissiion, and Daniel Yergin, president of Cambridge Energy Research Associates and author of The Prize. Martin Allday, chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission is also expected to attend.

Hutchison, who is the first Republican woman ever elected to statewide office in Texas, is a former member of the Texas House of Representatives and will be keynote speaker for the Annual Kickoff Breakfast Friday, November 8.

Herb Kelleher will keynote the General Membership Luncheon, and Daniel Yergin will speak at the President's Banquet, which will also feature the presentation of the Top Hand Award to Midland oilman Carlton Beal.

In addition to Friday panels on Petroleum Perspectives, Energy Tax Policy, Natural Gas Development and Projections and New Mexico Gas Issues, there will also be an Environmental Seminar on Thursday.

Participating in the seminar will be Lena Guerrero, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, Judith Espinosa, director of New Mexico Environmental Protection Department.

JOHN PAUL PITTS

Should the Saudis store their oil in U.S.?



Shoot-from-the-hip, oil prognosticator Dale Steffes, who predicted the present glut and decline in oil prices when the rest of industry was preaching $50 oil, may have come up smelling like a rose on another one.

In 1985 the maverick energy consultant captured headlines when he suggested that Saudi Arabia store some of its oil reserves in the United States to establish itself as a reliable supplier.

Now, six years later, Steffes plan is getting a new look. Reuters News Service reports that a high level Department of Energy official will go to Saudi Arabia this week to discuss the possibility of putting Saudi and other foreign-owned oil into the U.S. Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

It is a plan the Saudis have heard before. In a 1985 letter to former Saudi Oil Minister Sheikh Ahmed Yamani Steffes wrote: "Political unrest in the Middle East region, and past OPEC actions tend to make OPEC an unreliable supplier.

"Saudi Arabia can correct the problem by transferring some of its reserves to consuming nations.

"You would retain title to the oil, but the host country would pay for the cost of storage. Your only cost would be production and transportation, at perhaps less than $2 per barrel. In effect all you would be doing is changing the strategic location of the oil, closer to the market. If the U.S., Japan and Europe have your oil within their national boundaries they would feel energy secure and not have to waste money on uneconomical energy products."

Apparently the Administration feels Steffes plan still has merit. Reuters reports that Assistant Energy Secretary John Easton will hold informal discussions with Saudi Oil Minister Hisham Nazer this week and that one possible plan to be discussed will permit Saudi Arabia to store oil in the SPR for free and draw upon it for commercial purposes.

While it sounds like a good deal for both the U.S. and the Saudis, which own downstream operations in America, don't look for any fast resolution of the matter. Negotiations are expected to be tough, according to Petroleum Intelligence Weekly, an industry newsletter. The Saudis may want the U.S. to also pay for production and shipping costs for the oil say analysts. Also at question is whether or not the Saudis would be taxed for the oil in the SPR, and the fact that the Saudis may want 100 to 200 million barrels of storage space, which is more than currently available. The reserve now holds 568 million barrels, but the government has plans to expand that to 750 million barrels.

At the same time, U.S. independent producers are frustrated at the notion of a proposed 1.5 percent fee that would be levied against domestic producers and importers putting oil into the SPR.

Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners (TIPRO) President Thomas D. Coffman sent a letter to the Texas delegation in July pointing out that independents are frustrated at the unfairness of the proposal offered by Rep. Phil Sharp, that would, "have on-

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Gulf discoveries pump up oil firms

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Big oil discoveries in the deep waters of the Gulf of Mexico created big excitement earlier this year, but now no one is sure if they will prove to be giant economic dynamos any time soon.

"It's exciting that discoveries of the type being made can be made in the Gulf of Mexico," said George Watkins, vice president of exploration at Conoco Inc., offshore U.S. division in Houston.

In early May, Shell Offshore and BP Exploration announced its Mars prospect, a discovery estimated at more than 220 million barrels of oil.

Within days, Conoco and Exxon announced a find that contained at least 100 million barrels of oil at a site 75 miles southeast of Venice, La.

Conoco and Oryx Energy then announced another discovery in the 80 million to 150 million-barrel range about 25 miles closer to shore than the Exxon discovery.

But after the big finds were announced, the oil companies started looking closely at their finances. These days, they're paring costs because weak natural gas prices are hurting revenues.

The investment firm Salomon Brothers reported that major oil companies will spend 3.5 percent more in U.S. exploration this year than last year. But that's down from the December estimate that the gain would be 5.2 percent. Among the independents, spending will be 1.7 percent below 1990 levels.

Activity in fact has slowed. In the summer of 1988 as many as 15 deep water wildcats were being drilled. In May, 10 leases in water of 1,000 feet or more were drilled. Drilling in the shallower waters has slackened, too.

Natural gas prices are at a record low, hitting $1.07 a thousand cubic feet.

Oil prices are holding about $21 a barrel while 4 million barrels a day of crude oil production from Iraq and Kuwait remains off the world market.

But economists are unsure how prices will react when oil from those countries begins to hit the market again.

So the question is: will these big finds in the gulf –elephants, as they are called – be rushed into production?

Maybe not for a while.

Shell Oil Co. is cutting payroll by as much as 15 percent. Atlantic Richfield Co. is re-examing its organization and cutting costs. Fina has frozen spending and smaller operators say they will have to cut costs and drill fewer wells.

The Louisiana Land and Exploration Co. expects to reduce spending by 15 percent this year.

Meanwhile, deep-water oil fields take years to develop. By most estimates it takes five years before any of the oil and gas is ready to be piped to market. Conoco will drill between 20 and 25 exploration and delineation wells this year in the United States. Three to four will be deep-water wells of 1,500 feet or more, Watkins said.

At the same time, James Ross, president of BP America in Cleveland, said drilling contractors reach a technological limit when they drill wells in water depths greater than about 3,100 feet. But these big fields are very new, he said. By the time enough wells have been drilled to determine the fields' sizes, technology will probably have caught up.

While most experts don't think the collapse in gas prices will last forever, no one is confident about what will turn the market around. Or when.

Low gas prices may not be the strongest impediment, anyway, said Tom Marsh, drilling editor for Offshore Data Services in Houston.

The biggest factors will be oil prices and the cost to turn these deep-water finds into profitable producing assets.

Les Nemeth, chief executive officer of the consulting firm J.R. Butler and Associates in Houston says $30 a barrel oil, and gas prices of $4 to $5 a thousand cubic feet, would be needed to justify spending the billions to develop the prospects.

And the prospect must be big. Robert Howard, president of Shell Offshore, said discoveries will have to be world class to be commercial.

That means more than 100 million barrels.

While activity may be slower, energy analysts remain convinced there's more work to be done. Experts admit the major oil fields of the gulf probably will not be as big as the 10 billion barrel Prudhoe Bay find in Alaska 20 years ago, but should rank in the top 10 U.S. finds of all times.

"The deep water gulf of Mexico could become an oil province as important as Alaska over the balance of the decade," said BP's James Ross.

In fact, he thinks the Gulf and the Alaska National Wildlife Refuge, which is not open to drilling, are the best hopes for big finds.

NAME DROPPING


Underwood

JOHN UNDERWOOD has joined Permian Exploration Corp. of Roswell as senior geophysicist. He will manage Permian's seismic reconnaissance projects in the Val Verde Basin and will provide technical management and project development skills to the company. He was previously with Union Texas Petroleum and Mobil Oil.

Personnel changes have been announced at Compressor Systems Inc.

ERICH HARDAWAY has been named regional manager for the New Mexico, Colorado and Texas Panhandle region. His duties include planning and directing all sales and service efforts in the region. He will be based in the Midland corporate headquarters.

BUTCH FORTENBERRY has been named regional sales representative for the Four Corners and Rocky Mountain areas. He will be based in Farmington, N.M.

TERRY McBRIDE has been promoted to regional manager for the Oklahoma, Arkansas and East Texas region. He will plan and direct regional sales and service out of CSI's Oklahoma City regional headquarters.

DOUG JOHNSTON has been appointed East Texas area manager and will manage area service responsibilities and parts inventory control in the Kilgore office.

CSI is one of the largest manufacturers of gas compression equipment and offers equipment sales and rental.

FRED M. LANG has been promoted to vice president, international for Grace Drilling Co. He will be responsible for expanding Grace Drilling's activity into international operations. Prior to this, all Grace's operations were conducted in the U.S.

He has over 15 years international experience with Baroid and KCA Drilling in the North Sea, Southeat Asia, the Middle Eat, China and Mexico. He joined Grace Drilling eight years ago and established its South Texas operations. He will continue to operate out of the company's Houston office.

FERC: Producers applaud rate change

(From 1F)

Bode stated that "Allday and the other FERC Commissioners are to be congratulated for their efforts to improve the competitiveness of U.S. natural gas markets by eliminating outmoded pipeline rate designs and promoting comparability between pipeline sales and transportation services. We agree with Chairman Allday that FERC's proposal will move federal regulatory policy in the direction that the industry is already headed and, although we have not analyzed the details of the proposal, wish to express our general support for the Commission's welcome initiative.

"The IPAA has been actively involved in the Mega-NOPR process and will continue to work cooperatively with the FERC and other segments of the industry in the implementation of this important, forward-looking proposed rule."

Robert K. Anderson, a local gas consultant, called the decision "a step in the right direction. It's important that FERC take steps to level the playing field with Canadian gas importers and this appears to be an attempt toward that goal."

Still, he cautioned, "There's obviously going to be some ill effects as well as positive effects." He wondered whether the blanket rate methodology would apply to all pipelines and said, "Pipelines have different costs, different configurations, and it's always been stated by industry representatives that each pipeline would have to be handled on a case-by-case basis."

Attorney and oil and gas consultant Hans Hansen called the proposed rates useful and noted that "Anything that will improve the ability of the small producer to sell gas is helpful to him. Of course, as low as prices are right now, this won't help until we start getting a decent price."

LANDS: New contracts

(From 1F)

effect almost six years and that was sufficient time for people to evaluate the properties and either get them back on production or plug them or giving someone else a chance with the property."

The program will be phased out as follows:

- Existing proration contracts may be renewed at its anniversary date for one additional year.
- Any proration contract first issued upon application filed between June 27, 1991 and December 31, 1991 will be effective one year from the date of application and will not be eligible for renewal.

"We felt like it was a method to assist the operators," Shivers continued. "It's been a good program, but it's time to face the reality that the wells may not come back on line."

As of June 1, since the program's inception, the Board had received 90 applications and put 22,436 acres under prorated contracts.

PITTS: Oil storage planned

(From 1F)

shore producers having to pay for a program that exists only to to provide insurance against import disruptions."

"Why should domestic onshore oil producers be called upon to help subsidize competitive, cheap, insecure foreign oil imports by helping pay for SPR," wrote Coffman.

To be sure there are going to be some problems with storing foreign oil in the SPR, but they are problems that need to be worked out because of the obvious benefit.

Americans will feel safer with a larger oil "cushion" inside its borders, and that is a factor that could enhance a feeling of security and reduce international tensions. At the same time, nations with oil stored in the U.S. will be guaranteed of future sales.

If foreign nations feel confident enough to invest in American businesses, buy U.S. real estate and deposit their money in U.S. banks, they should certainly feel confident enough to store oil in this country.

John Paul Pitts is business/oil editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Majors ordered to halt gas station dumping

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Environmental Protection Agency has ordered 10 oil companies to stop hundreds of service stations from dumping oil and other toxic fluids into ground wells and septic systems, the agency said Thursday.

The oil companies, which operate some 1,800 service stations nationwide, agreed to obey the order and will pay fines totaling $838,761, the agency said.

"When I can get 1,800 sources plugged and cleaned up in 10 orders, that's a plus," said Raymond D. Ludwiszewski, the EPA's acting assistant administrator for enforcement.

The companies told EPA that they quit putting the toxic fluids into injection wells by last March and have promised to complete closure and cleanup of the wells by the end of 1993. In addition, the companies will provide the EPA with an inventory of the dumping sites.

Just closing the wells could cost the companies $40 million to $90 million, said Jim Elder, EPA's director of ground water and drinking water.

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FERC approves pipeline

MOBILE, Ala. (AP) — A 25-mile-long pipeline that will carry natural gas from the Mobile area to customers around the country could be completed this year.

A spokesman for Gateway Pipeline Co. said the firm received federal approval for the construction.

Gateway, a wholly owned subsidiary of Houston-based United Gas Pipe Line Co., will build the pipeline across the southern half of Mobile County.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's approval Monday clears the way for the $22 million pipeline, said United Gas Senior Vice President James A. Tramuto of Houston.

Matthew B. Walker, a local landowner who battled the company for two years to keep the pipeline off of 600 acres that he owns, views FERC's decision as a victory for him because his land will be spared.

Walker said he spent $50,000 in legal fees over two years to keep Gateway off his land. He said the pipeline would have damaged his plans for a residential subdivision.

Rejecting part of the route Gateway originally proposed, FERC approved an alternate route for the pipeline.

The pipeline will tie into United Gas' 30-inch main between Lirette, La., and Mobile.

The Gateway pipeline will provide an outlet for natural gas from Alabama's coast to the interstate grid serving every market in the continental United States, Tramuto said.

FERC approved a certificate for a competing pipeline venture in June, but Tramuto said he believes the six parties in that joint venture didn't accept the terms FERC set out. The partners have requested a rehearing.

FERC's order for Gateway contained modifications which United has accepted, Tramuto said.

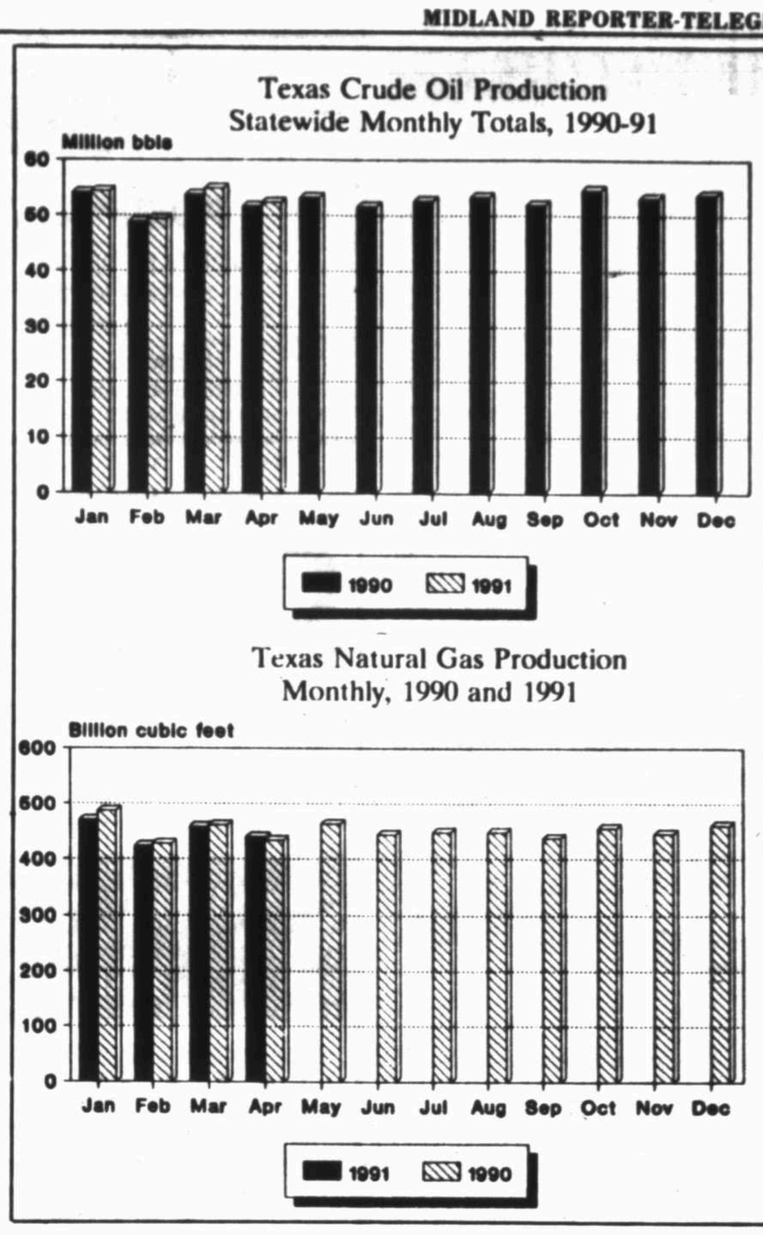
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Texas production

Texas crude oil production averaged 1,744,017 barrels daily in April, according to preliminary figures released by the Texas Railroad Commission. April 1990 preliminary production was 1,721,123 barrels. March preliminary production was 1,769,614 barrels daily. Texas oil and gas wells produced 439,585,175 Mcf in April, up 1.31 percent compared to April 1990 production of 433,881,253 Mcf. March gas production was 457,250,107 Mcf.

Oklahoma deals with unplugged wells

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — The Oklahoma Corporation Commission has 50 employees and about $500,000 to deal with an estimated 20,000 unplugged or inadequately plugged wells in Oklahoma, the agency's vice chairman says.

Bob Anthony says about $50 million is needed to deal with the unplugged or deteriorating wells. He blames the situation on less stringent standards from many years ago and small operators who can't afford to plug the well.

The story was reported Tuesday by the Tulsa World.

"The standards which we had 30 to 60 years ago where inherited by this agency and the state taxpayers of today," Anthony said.

He said the $500,000 available each year is not enough to clean up the oil, gas, injection and disposal wells. But he says it is good compared to the "peanuts" the agency received about three years ago to do the work.

In the past year, the regulatory agency awarded about $335,000 in contracts to plug 84 wells, commission records show.

Anthony said some well pluggings cost the state as little as $2,000, but a deep well in western Oklahoma could cost "tens if not hundreds of thousands of dollars."

Oilfield pollution does not fall into the hazardous waste category, and wells are plugged on a priority basis, Anthony said.

Anthony said enforcing rules regarding unplugged wells can put operators out of business and leave the state with the responsibility — and cost — of plugging the wells.

But he said the state cannot turn its back on the problem by claiming that the industry is troubled.

Government predicts big rise in oil imports

By H. Josef Hebert

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's reliance on foreign oil will continue to increase sharply over the next 20 years unless dramatic measures are taken to conserve energy and increase domestic production, the head the Energy Information Administration said Monday.

Calvin Kent, administrator of the federal agency, said the United States will import about 70 percent of its oil by the year 2010 "unless there is a dramatic breakthrough or change in policy" involving conservation and domestic production.

Kent, whose agency gathers statistics and makes long-term market evaluations for the Energy Department, spoke at a forum on what has been learned about energy markets in the year since Iraq invaded Kuwait.

The consensus of panel members, representing government and industry, was that the market impact of the Persian Gulf turmoil was blunted by continuing assurances of adequate oil supplies and the rapid end to the allied ground assault without serious damage to Saudi oil fields.

Edward Murphy, director of accounting and statistics for the American Petroleum Institute, also credited the government's decision to make available stocks from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve as a key to preventing panic buying and rapid price fluctuations.

A key difference between the latest energy crisis and those in the 1970s is that the government did not interfere in the market by controlling prices and supplies, said Murphy.

But even the limited market disruptions caused by the Persian Gulf crisis, including sharp, temporary increases in oil prices last fall, focused attention on America's reliance on foreign oil. The disruptions prompted new calls by the Bush administration, some members of Congress and the oil industry to expand domestic production, including in the arctic refuge of Alaska.

But energy legislation, which calls for limited new conservation measures and expanded production, has since bogged down in Congress with little expectation that a bill will emerge this year.

Kent said that without "a dramatic breakthrough" boosting domestic production and prompting increased conservation, the United States likely will import about 3.3 billion barrels of oil in the year 2010, about 1.2 billion barrels more than today.

Imports would account for about 70 percent of the oil consumed, compared to about 40 percent today, causing increased pressure on the U.S. balance of payments and the economy, he suggested.

No matter what, Kent continued, "in the next two decades we are going to be highly dependent on oil to fuel our (economic) growth" and an increasing percentage of that oil will come from outside the United States.

Kent did not recommend specific actions that ought to be taken by either the government or individual citizens. He noted that energy legislation in the Senate would, according to administration estimates, curtail imports by 3.5 million barrels a day.

Those estimates have been challenged by critics of the bill, who say it relies too heavily on expanding domestic production and not enough on promoting conservation.

On other matters, Kent said he did not expect that a limited resumption of Iraqi oil exports would significantly affect oil prices. A growth in demand likely will absorb any Iraqi oil without pushing down prices, he said.

Iraq has not been able to export oil since its invasion of Kuwait.

Meanwhile, Jim Ragland, a senior analyst for Saudi Aramco Services Corp., said that Kuwait is not expected to return to pre-invasion oil export levels for at least four years.

Ragland said he expects other producers, including Saudi Arabia, to continue making up for the lack of Kuwaiti oil.

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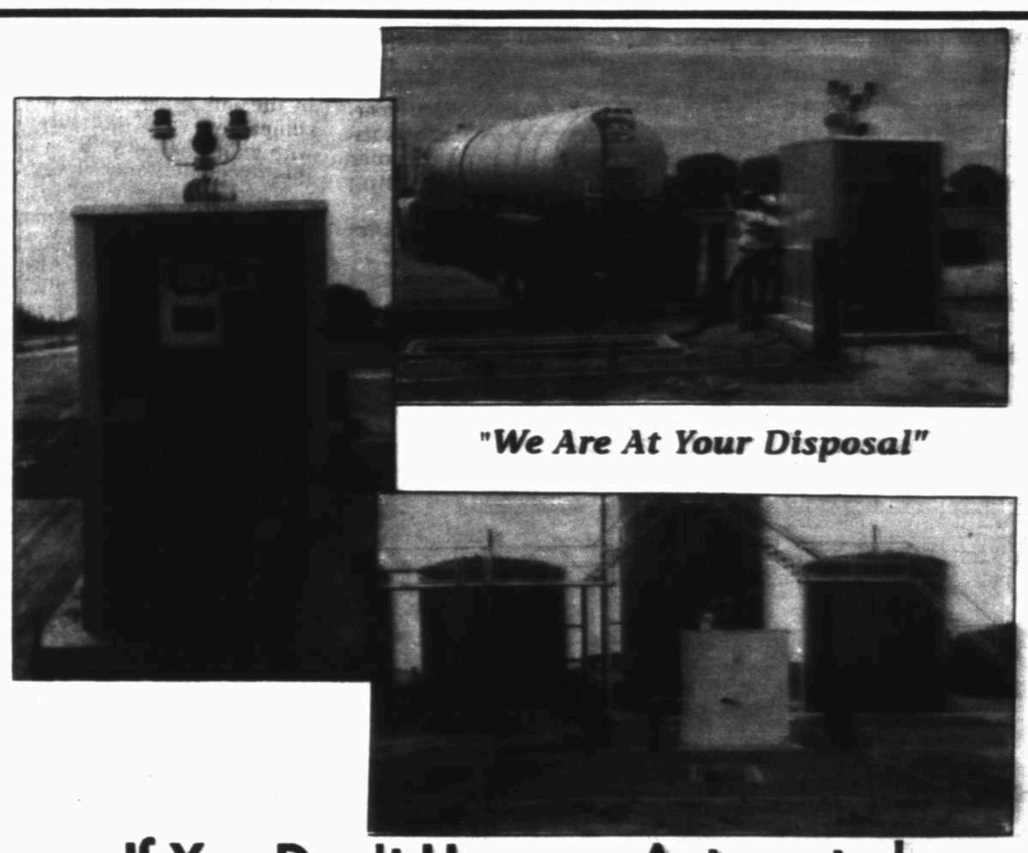
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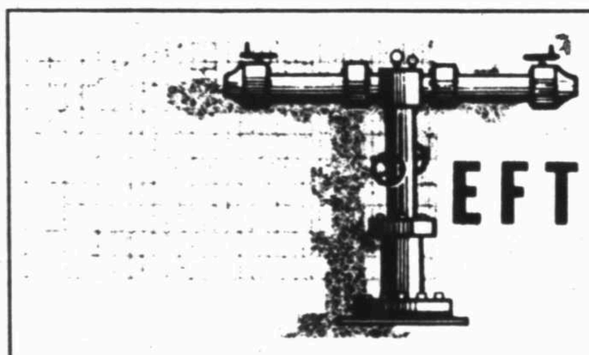
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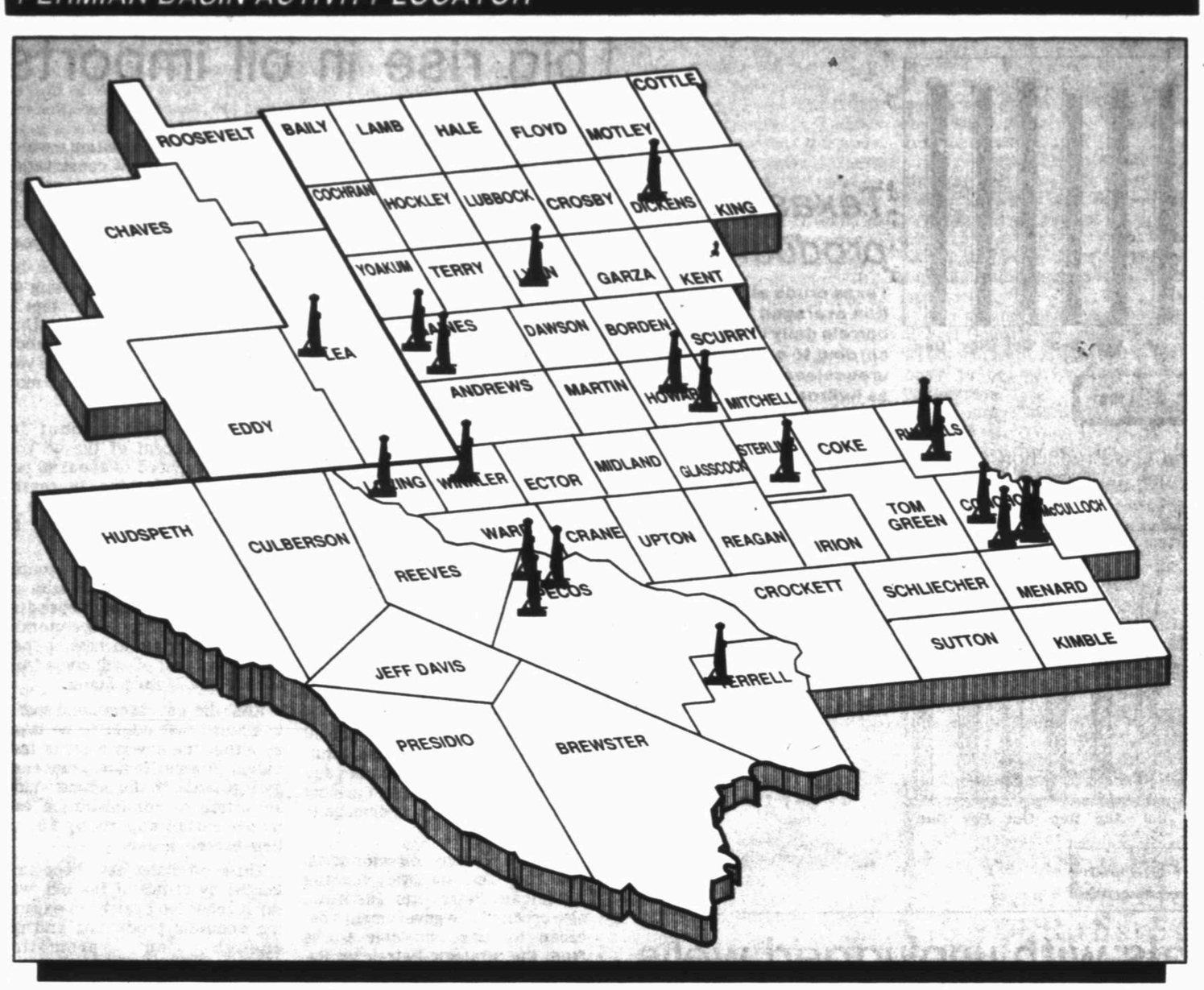
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WILDCATS

TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **HOWARD DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 10,600 ft. wildcat is set for Howard County, six miles north of Big Spring.

John L. Cox, Midland, will drill the No. 1 Guitar 660 ft. from north and east lines of Section 21, Block A, Bauer & Cockrell survey.

■ **SECOND HOWARD TEST STAKED.** A second test has been staked in Howard County, this four miles southeast of Coahoma. The well will also test the Coahoma North (Wolfcamp) and McCann (Basal Wolfcamp) fields.

Fortson Oil Co., Fort Worth, will drill the No. 1 Denman Jones 1,170 ft. from south and 670 ft. from west lines of Section 9, Block 30, T-1-S, T&P survey. Contract depth is 7,500 ft.

■ **PECOS TEST STAKED.** Marathon Oil Co. has staked a 9,500 ft. test in Pecos County, two miles south of Iraan.

The No. 1 Smith-Taylor "33" is 2,527 ft. from south and 467 ft. from west lines of Section 33, Block 194, GC&SF survey.

■ **EL PASO STAKES PECOS EXPLORER.** El Paso Natural Gas Co. plans a 650 ft. explorer in Pecos County, 22 miles north of Fort Stockton.

The No. 1202CP CP Rectifier is located 4,420 ft. from northeast and 4,066 ft. from northwest lines of Section 37, Block 3, H&TC survey.

■ **ANOTHER PECOS TEST SET.** Pecos County has drawn another test, this by Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc.

The No. 1 O.R. Whiteside "8" is 660 ft. from south and west lines of Section 8, Block 48, T-8, T&P survey.

■ **REENTRY SET IN WINKLER.** A Winkler County wellbore will be reentered and plugged back to 8,389 ft. for wildcat tests.

J. McShane Inc. will reenter the No. 179 Keystone Cattle Co., located 1,980 ft. from south and west lines of Section 13, Block B-2, PSL survey, seven miles northwest of Kermit.

■ **ABILENE OPERATOR EYES STERLING PROSPECT.** George S. Gailbraith Estate, Abilene, has applied to drill a 4,400 ft. prospect in Sterling County, 16 miles south of Sterling City.

The No. 1 Leora Barrett is 1,800 ft. from south and 467 ft. from east lines of Section 9, Block 7, H&TC survey.

■ **BELL CANYON TEST SET.** A Loving County explorer will test the Bell Canyon formation, 10 miles north of Orla.

Siete Oil & Gas Corp., Roswell, N.M., will drill the No. 1 Zuni "15" 660 ft. from east and 1,980 ft. from south lines of Section 15, Block 56, T&P survey.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **LYNN DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 10,200 ft. wildcat is set for Lynn County, 14 miles northwest of Tahoka.

Amtex Energy, Midland, will drill the No. 1 Clark 2,172 ft. from south and east lines of Section 153, HE&WT survey.

■ **GAINES TEST STAKED.** Bettis, Boyle & Stovall, Graham, has staked a 7,500 ft. test in Gaines County, 17 miles northwest of Andrews.

The No. 10-24 Maralo is 550 ft. from north and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 5, Block A-33, PSL survey.

■ **SECOND GAINES EXPLORER SET.** A second explorer is set for Gaines County, this seven miles northwest of Seminole.

Westland Oil Development Corp., Conroe, will drill the No. 1-B Carpenter 1,320 ft. from south and 760 ft. from east lines of Section 281, Block G, WTRR survey. Contract depth is 5,600 ft.

■ **ABILENE FIRM EYES DICKENS PROSPECT.** Polk & Patton Inc., Abilene, has applied to drill a 4,700 ft. prospect in Dickens County, 12 miles southeast of Dickens.

The No. 1 Pitchfork Land & Cattle Co. is staked 565 ft. from north and 290 ft. from west lines of Section 25, Block AS, J.S. Callaway survey.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **TEST SET FOR CONCHO.** A 4,000 ft. test is planned for Concho County, 4.5 miles southwest of Eden.

Verdad Ol & Gas Corp., Dallas, will drill the No. 1 Lubke "A" 1,983 ft. from south and 3,778 ft. from west lines of Fisher & Miller survey 2871, Abst. 179.

■ **FIVE SET IN CONCHO.** Five 4,000 ft. wildcats have been staked in Concho County by The Wiser Oil Co., Wichita Falls.

The No. 12 Jacoby "C" is 2,290 ft. from south and 2,200 ft. from west lines of Section 70, BS&F survey, Abst. 89, five miles west of Eden. Contract depth is 4,000 ft.

The No. 10 Jacoby "B" is 550 ft.from north and 1,854 ft.from west lines of Section 71 of the survey, Abst. 95.

The No. 9 Jacoby "B" is 467 ft. from south and 2,487 ft. from east lines of the section and survey.

The No. 1 Jacoby "G" is 1,300 ft. from south and 467 ft. from east lines of Section 2084, V. Hohmann survey, Abst. 365.

The No. 6 Andersen is 467 ft. from south and 3,050 ft. from east lines of Section 1, W.J. Boase, Abst. 1353. Contract depth is 2,350 ft.

■ **RUNNELS DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 4,500 ft. wildcat is set for Runnels County, two miles southwest of Ballinger.

DBO Oil Corp., Georgetown, will drill the No. 1 Bob Black 330 ft. from northeast and 3,155.5 ft. ft. from northwest lines of Section 365.5, Thomas Pratt survey.

■ **SECOND RUNNELS TEST SET.** A second test is set for Runnels County, this nine miles southwest of Winters.

GeoTrac Energy Corp., Abilene, has staked the No. 1 Z.I. Hale "B" 1,300 ft. from north and 1,069 ft. from west lines of Section 9, Thomas M. Fowler survey 440, Abst. 177.

■ **CONCHO PROSPECT EYED.** Faith Energy Exploration Inc., Kaufman, has applied to drill a 2,900 ft. prospect in Concho County, 7.5 miles southweast of Eden.

The No. 1 Jody is 1,980 ft. from north and 660 ft. from west lines of Section 1, Block 71, MEP&PRR, Abst. 1015.

■ **CONCHO DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 2,900 ft. wildcat is set for Concho County, five miles southeast of Eden.

Argee Oil Co., Midland, will drill the NO. 1 J.B. Green 750 ft. from north and 1,000 ft. from east lines of Section 2008, Heirs of Conrad Pitchmann, Abst. 683.

■ **CONOCO EYES TERRELL PROSPECT.** Conoco Inc., Midland, has applied to drill a 20,000 ft. wildcat in Terrell County, 35 miles northwest of Sanderson.

The No. 1 Abilene Christian University "39" is 634 ft. from north and 1,555 ft. from east lines of Section 39, Block R-3, GC&SF survey.

NEW MEXICO

■ **LEA EXPLORER SET.** Harvey E. Yates Co. has staked a 5,150 ft. explorer in Lea County, 10 miles southwest of Maljamar.

The No. 3 Atlantic "32" State is 660 ft. from north and 800 ft. from west lines of Section 32, T18s, R32e.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

■ **AMOCO STAKES FOUR IN GAINES.** Amoco Production Co., Houston, has staked four wells in the Cedar Lake field of Gaines County. All four are in the North Cedar Lake Unit, Block H, D&WRR survey, 12 miles southeast of Loop. Three are in Section 2, the fourth in Section 11. Contract depth is 5,100 ft.

■ **DRILLING PROGRAM SET IN GAINES.** Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc., Houston, plans to open the Harris field of Gaines County to production and down-hole commingle with Flanagan (Clearfork) production, assigning production to the Flanagan field. The plans call for the drilling of 10 wells in the Flanagan Unit, Sections 2, 3 and 8 of Block A-23, PSL survey, 11 miles southwest of Seminole. Contract depth is 6,000 ft.

■ **THREE SET FOR IRION.** IP Petroleum Co. Inc., Midland, has applied to drill three wells in the Irion County portion of the Sugg Ranch (Canyon) field. The three are on the Pfluger "C" lease, 16 miles southwest of Sterling City. Contract depth is 8,200 ft.

■ **REENTRIES SET IN SUTTON.** Graham Royalty Ltd., Houston, plans to reenter three wells in the Sawyer field of Sutton County, 11 miles northwest of Sonora.

■ **REAGAN DRAWS ACTIVITY.** Five wells have been staked in the Reagan County portion of the Spraberry (Trend Area) and Calvin (Dean) fields by Hardy Oil & Gas U.S.A. Inc., Houston. Four are in Block B, L&SV survey, the fifth in Block H of the survey. Contract depth is 8,400 ft.

■ **KERR-McGEE ACTIVE IN CROCKETT.** Kerr-McGee Corp.has applied to drill four wells in the Ozona (Canyon) field of Crockett County, 10 miles southwest of Ozona. Contract depth is 7,400 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Block A-49 (Ellenburger)
Conoco, Inc. No. 1 Ralph; 2170 fsl, 1158 fwl, sec 1, blk A-50, PSL, 8 nw Frankel City, PD 12,500.

Fullerton
Minihan Oil & Gas Corp. No. 6 Iniversity "I"; 1100 fnl, 1600 fwl, sec 32, blk 13, ULS, 12 w Andrews, PD 7500.

Martin (Lower Clearfork)
Exxon Corp. No. 119 J.E. Parker; 500 fsl, 500 fwl, sec 18, blk A-41, PSL, 18 sw Andrews, PD 6200, Plugback.

CRANE COUNTY

Dune
Costilla Petroleum Corp. No. 5 State of Texas "DQ"; 330 fnl, 2310 fel, sec 13, blk 31, ULS, 9 nw Crane, PD 3600.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Blalock Lake Southeast (Wolfcamp)
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 7 Glasscock "L" Fee; 190 fnl, 652 fel, sec 36, blk 35, T-3-S, T&P, 7-3/4 nw Garden City, PD 8200.
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 4 Glasscock "N" Fee; 1549 fnl, 2594 fnl, sec 37, blk 35, T-3-S, T&P, 6.5 nw Garden City, PD 8350.

Powell (8300)
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 3 G.S. Brunson; 757 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 38, blk 36, T-3-S, T&P, 13.5 sw Garden City, PD 9000.

HOWARD COUNTY

Red Draw (Fusselman)
Partee Drillin, Inc. No. 1 W.T. Roberts; 1980 fsl, 2180 fwl, sec 25, blk 32, T-1-S, T&P RR, 5 se Big Spring, PD 9700.

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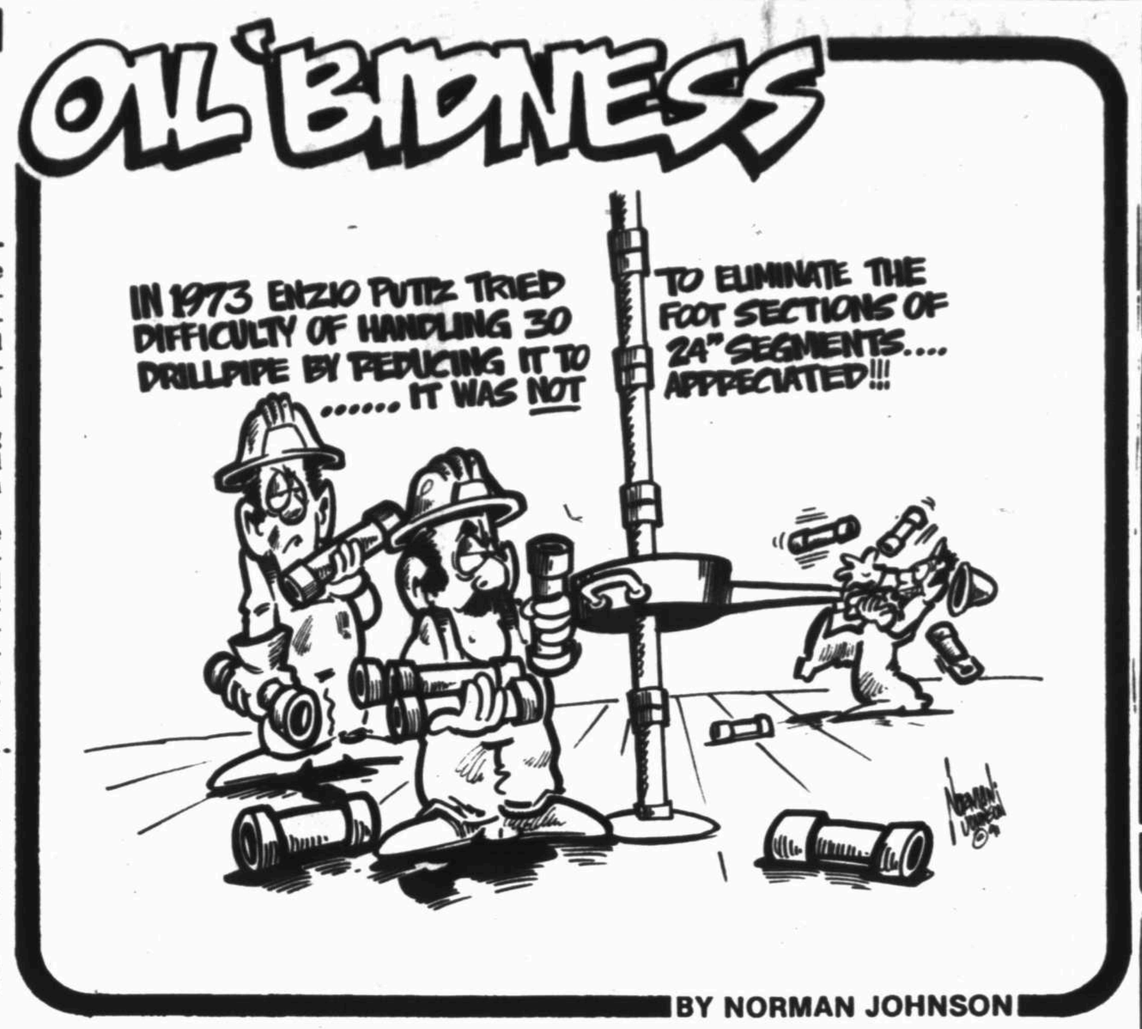
A special committee of the board of directors of Midland-based Alta Energy Corp. has preliminarily approved the principal terms of a proposed stock-for-stock business combination of Alta with Hartford Energy Corp.

Hartford is Alta's controlling stockholder and has proposed combining Alta and certain affiliates.

The combination would increase Alta's proven reserves by 111 percent to 21 million barrels of oil equivalent. Depending on asset value and balance sheet adjustments contemplated by the proposal, Alta would issue between 10,369,690 and 8,997,519 new common shares, increasing its total outstanding common stock to as many as 18,034,245 shares on a fully-diluted basis.

The special committee is expected to meet shortly to review and determine whether or not to recommend approval of the definitive terms of the agreement by Alta's board.

All Hartford's reserves are in the Grayburg-Jackson field of Eddy County, N.M.

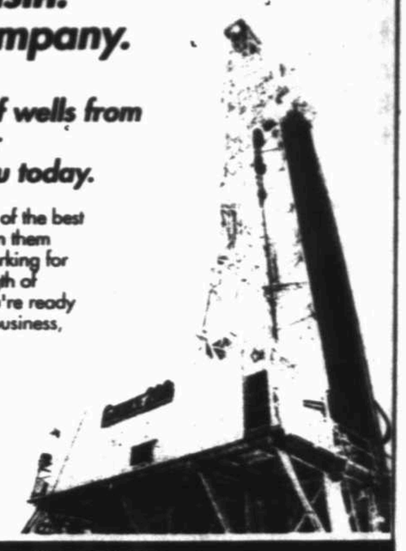


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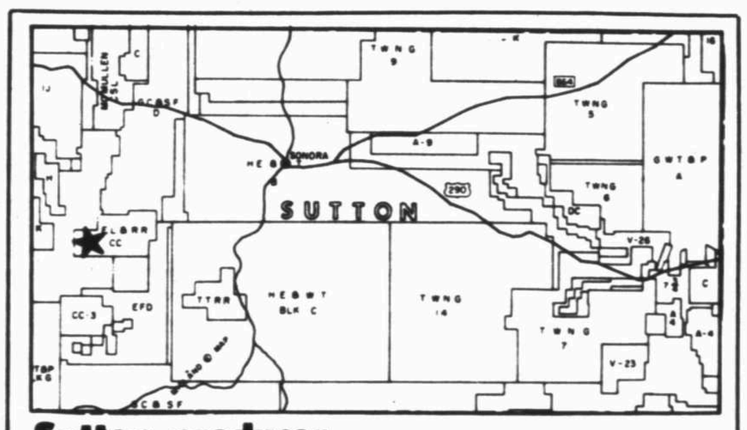
Staff Report

A Sutton County project has yielded the seventh Strawn producer in the Denison field of Sutton County.

SAMSON RESOURCES CO., Tulsa, potentialed the No. 1 Gerald for a calculated absolute open flow of 10 Mmcfd from perforations 8,404 to 8,878 ft. The interval was acidized with 30,000 gallons of acid.

Permitted as a 9,200 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 9,200 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 9,132 ft.

Location is 2,654 ft. from north and 933 ft. from east lines of Section 7, Block CC, EL&RR survey, Abst. 82, 16 miles southwest of Sonora.



Sutton producer
The Denison field of Sutton County has gained its seventh Strawn producer with completion of a 10 Mmcfd producer.

Reeves well redone as Bone Spring strike

CLAYTON PETROLEUM CORP., Midland, has recompleted a former Worsham North (Mississippian) producer as a discovery in the Bone Springs formation of Reeves County.

The No. 1 Worsham "20" was potentialed to flow 7.3 barrels of 43.4 gravity crude, 24.4 Mcfd and 11 barrels of water on a one-inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 40 psi. The well flowed from perforations 10,495 to 10,721 ft., which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons of 15 percent NeFeHCL acid. Gas-oil ratio is 3,342:1.

Originally drilled to 17,752 ft., the well was plugged back to 10,975 ft. A five inch liner was hung from 15,882 to 17,752 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,542 ft., include the Delaware at 4,940 ft., Bone Spring at 8,239, Wolfcamp at 10,790, Atoka at 15,370, Barnett at 15,850, and Mississippian at 16,202 ft. Pay was topped at 10,495 ft.

Location is 1,750 ft. from south and 933 ft. from west lines of Section 20, Block 6, H&GN survey, 14 miles east of Pecos.

The well was originally drilled by American Quasar and completed for a calculated absolute open flow of 5.4 Mmcfd from Fusselman perforations 17,533 to 17,582 ft. in 1976. The company recompleted the well in 1981 for a calculated absolute open flow of 100 Mcfd from Mississippian perforations 16,203 to 16,296 ft.

Texaco completes Fusselman discovery

TEXACO PRODUCING INC. has completed a Fusselman discovery in Lea County, N.M., surrounded by production in the West Blinebry field.

On potential test, the No. 3 B.F. Harrison "3" flowed 207 barrels of 45 gravity crude and 61 Mcfd on a 22/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 85 psi. The well flowed from perforations 8,786 to 8,824 ft. Gas-oil ratio is 295:1.

Permitted as an 8,950 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,907 ft. where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 8,860 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,314 ft., formation tops include the Anhydrite at 1,136 ft., Salt at 1,310, Yates at 2,848, Seven Rivers at 2,946, Queen at 3,390, Grayburg at 3,659, San Andres at 3,979, Glorieta at 4,992, Paddock at 5,041, Blinebry at 5,405, Tubb at 6,069, Drinkard at 6,291, Abo at 6,603, Devonian at 7,492, and Fusselman at 8,786 ft. Pay was topped at 8,786 ft.

Location is 340 ft. from north and 1,700 ft. from west lines of Section 9, T23s, R37e.

Concho field gains new Goen producer

The Lonesome Dove II field of Concho County has gained a new Goen producer as **THE WISER OL CO.** completes activity in the field.

Wiser finaled the No. 8 Jacoby "B" to flow 330 barrels of 42.3 gravity crude and no water on a 14/64 inch choke from perforations 3,655 to 3,667 ft. Gas-oil ratio is 515:1.

Permitted as a 4,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 3,750 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 3,748 ft.

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ANDREWS COUNTY

Fasken (Wolfcamp)
Citation Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 State University "BC"; 660 fwl, 1880 fnl, sec 24, blk A, ULS, 10 s Andrews, TD 9150, PD 8540. Completed 7/17/91. Potentialed 7/18/91, pumping 45 bopd, 50 Mcfd, 105 bwpd, 40.5 API. GOR 1111:1. Casing 7 inches at 9150. Perforations 8370 to 8494. Acid: 5600 gals 15 percent NeFe. Top of pay 8370.

Fullerton South (Wolfcamp)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 13 Texas "AA"; 550 fsl, 1500 fel, sec 42, blk 13, ULS, 13 nw Andrews, Elev. 3315.4, TD 8906, PB 8589. Completed 6/26/01. Potentialed 7/2/91, pumping 63 bopd, 153 Mcfd, 10 bwpd, 43 API. GOR 2586:1. Casing 7 inches at 8903. Perforations 8291 to 8323. Acid: 5500 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Tubb 6740, Wolfcamp 8235, Devonian 8530, Wolfcamp South 8288. Top of pay 8288. Plugback.

Hutex, North (Wolfcamp)
Oilfield Management Inc. No. 3 University 36; 660 fsl, 2147 fwl, sec 36, blk 6, ULS, 18 ne Andrews, Elev. 2961, TD 12,594, PB 12,540. Completed 7/13/91. Potentialed 7/20/91, pumping 5 bopd, 74 Mcfd, 9 bwpd, 43 API. GOR 14800:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 12,531. Perforations 9983 to 10,020. Acid: 750 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Top of pay 9983.

CRANE COUNTY

Atapco (Devonian)
Kerr-McGee Corp. No. 11 Atapco Devonian Unit; 1412 fswl, 1190 fsel, sec 30, blk 1, H&TC, Abst. 438, 25 sw Crane, Elev. 2393, TD 5600, PB 5558. Completed 7/16/91. Potentialed 7/27/91, pumping 4 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 3 bwpd. GOR 250:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5600. Perforations 5442 to 5536. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Queen 2106, Grayburg 2360, Wichita Albany 4618, Devonian 5441, Silurian Shale 5560. Top of pay 5442.

Kerr-McGee Corp. No 5 Atapco Devonian Unit; 1184 fnwl, 2580 fswl, sec 31, blk 1, H&TC, 25 sw Crane, Elev. 2409, TD 5735, PB 5691. Completed 7/16/91. Potentialed 7/26/91, pumping 8.6 bopd, 3 Mcfd, 69 bwpd. GOR 353:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5735. Perforations 5507 to 5640. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Queen 2148, Grayburg 2410, Wichita Alabany 4690, Devonian 5508, Silurian Shale 5678. Top of pay 5507.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden, North
Union Oil Co. of California No. 6 Toad "A"; 1980 fsl, 660 fel, sec 2, blk A, PSL, 4 ne Goldsmith, Elev. 3087.3, TD 5367, PB 5260. Completed 5/6/91. Potentialed 7/29/91, pumping 2 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 6 bwpd, 40.6 API. GOR 500:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5367. Perforations 4040 to 5337. Acid: 17,000 gals 15 percent HCL. Formaion tops: Grayburg 4000, San Andres 4348, Holt 5153, Lower Holt 5277. Top of pay 4040.

Cowden, South
Fina Oil & Chemical Co. No. 142 Emmons Unit; 660 fel, 1182 fsl, sec 8, blk 42, T&P RR, 3 sw Odessa, Elev. 2890, TD 4840, PB 4680. Completed 11/16/90. Potentialed 11/22/90, pumping 143 bopd, 30 Mcfd, 2 bwpd, 34 API. GOR: 210:1. Casing 7 inches at 4838. Perforations 4618 to 4638. Formation top: San Andres 4552. Top of pay 4618.

Cowden South (Cowden 8790)
Oryx Energy Co. No. 199 Paul Moss South Cowden 8790 Unit; 3308.1 fwl, 5388.2 fnl, sec 47, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, 5.7 sw Odessa, Elev. 2959.6, TD 9100, PB 9057. Completed 6/11/91. Potentialed 6/18/91, pumping 8 bopd, 12 Mcfd, 3 bwpd, 42.4 API. GOR 1500:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9100. Perforations 8824 to 9042. Acid: 6400 gals. Formation tops: Rustler 1660, Seven Rivers 3050, Canyon 3940, Cisco 8630. Top of pay 3940.

Goldsmith (Clearfork)
Amoco Production Co. No. 308 Goldsmith Landreth (Deep) Unit; 150 fnl, 1275 fwl, sec 30, blk 44, T-1-N, T&P RR, 3 w Goldsmith, Elev. 3183, TD 6415, PB 6267. Completed 5/11/91. Potentialed 5/17/91, pumping 115 bopd, 46 Mcfd, 130 bwpd. GOR: 391:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6400. Perforations 5302 to 5636. Formation tops: Clearfork 5600 5500, Lower Clearfork 6126. Top of pay 5302.

Goldsmith West (Wolfamp)
Oxy U.S.A. Inc. No. 8 Cummins "D"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 23, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 9 nw Goldsmith, Elev. 3238,TD 8215, PB 7910. Completed 7/15/91. Potentialed 7/19/91, pumping 12 bopd, 22 Mcfd, 72 bwpd, 36.5 API. GOR 1833:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8215. Perforations 7305 to 7332. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Top of pay 7305. Deepen from Goldsmith (5600) field.

Harper
Sage Energy Co.No. 126 East Harper Unit; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 13, blk 44, T&P, 3 w Odessa, Elev. 3014, TD 5526, PB 5017. Completed 7/25/91. Potentialed 7/29/91, pumping 33 bopd, 33 Mcfd, 710 bwpd, 37 API. GOR 100:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5526. Perforations 4252 to 4262. Acid: 2500 gals. 16 percent NeFe. Frac: 6000 gals. gel, 15,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 4066, Holt 4950, Glorieta 5228, Yates 2650. Top of pay 4066. Plugbak from Glorieta formation.

Penwell
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 201W North Penwell Unit; 7365 fnl, 6527 fwl, sec 17, blk B-15, PSL, 1 w Penwell, Elev. 2905.5, TD 4850, PB 4807. Completed 6/18/91. Potentialed 6/30/91, pumping 51 bopd, 109 Mcfd, 10 bwpd, 43.2 API. GOR 2137:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4850. Perforations 4448 to 4784. Acid: 6500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Rustler 919, Yates 2143, San Andres 3413, Glorieta 4365. Top of pay 4355.

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Iatan East Howard
Southwest Royalties Inc. No. 2B Percy Jones; 330 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 9, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 4 se Coahoma, TD 2900. Completed 4/15/91. Potentialed 7/22/91, pumping 8 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 475 bwpd, 31 API. GOR 133:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2900. Perforations 2627 to 2772. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 22,600 gals. gel, 45,000 lbs. sand. Formation top: Glorieta 2550. Top of pay 2627.

MARTIN COUNTY

Hill Ranch (Fusselman)
Amerada Hess Corp. No. 1 Ethel Shortes; 700 fsl, 362 fel, sec 5, blk 34, T-2-N, T&P, 18 s Stanton, Elev. 2636.4, TD 10,703. Completed 7/28/91. Potentialed 7/29/91, flowing 58 bopd, 3 Mcfd, 1/2 inch choke, FTP 30 psi. API 40.9. GOR 52:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,683. Perforations 10,687 to 10,703. Acid: 500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Fusselman 10,683, Upper Mississippian 9980, Wolfcamp 8340, Dean 8132, Upper Spraberry 6854. Top of pay 10,683.

Phoenix (Grayburg)
Beach Exploration Inc. No. 5-A Julie McBride; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 5, blk 36, T-2-N, T&P RR, 6.5 n Lenorah. Elev. 2846.6, TD 4055, PB 4041. Completed 7/24/91. Potentialed 7/27/91, pumping 50 bopd, 10 bwpd, 34.5 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4055. Perforations 4014 to 4020. Acid: 150 gals 10 percent. Frac: 15,000 gals gel, 22,500 lbs 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Yates 2617, Grayburg 4003. Top of pay 4014.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 1 Myrtle "B"; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 29, blk 38, T-1-S, T&P, 1/4 n Midland. Elev. 2813, TD 9425, PB 9334. Completed 7/19/91. Potentialed 7/26/91, pumping 60 bopd, 50 Mcfd, 200 bwpd, 39.6 API. GOR 833:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9425. Perforations 7710 to 9302. Acid: 5000 gals 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals gel and 439,140 lbs 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7691, Lower Spraberry 8377, Dean 9028, Base Dean 9259. Top of pay 7710.

Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 2409 Midkiff Unit; 7527 fel, 7800 fnl, sec 2, blk 38, T-5-S, T&P, 23 sw Spraberry, Elev. 2731, TD 8425, PB 8384. Completed 7/10/91. Potentialed 7/30/91, pumping 26 bopd, 31 Mcfd, 151 bwpd, 39.9 API. GOR 1192:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8425. Perforations 7232 to 8237. Acid: 3500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 158,000 gals. gel, 387,170 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7206, Lower Spraberry 7814, San Andres 4050. Top of pay 7232.

Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 1806 Midkiff Unit; 7470 fel, 5128 fnl, sec 47, blk 38, T-4-S, T&P, 22 sw Spraberry, Elev. 2737, TD 8400, PB 8362. Completed 6/19/91. Potentialed 7/31/91, pumping 22 bopd, 28 Mcfd, 111 bwpd, 39.8 API. GOR 1273:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8400. Perforations 7236 to 8233. Acid: 3500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 160,000 gals. gel, 394,550 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7226, Lower Spraberry 7817, San Andres 4050. Top of pay 7236.

Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 104 Midkiff Unit; 1980 fnl, 4823 fel, sec 26,blk 38, T-4-S, T&P, 18 sw Spraberry, Elev. 2768, TD 8425, PB 8395. Completed 7/9/91. Potentialed 7/30/91, pumping 24 bopd, 26 Mcfd, 146 bwpd, 39.8 API. GOR 1083:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8425. Perforations 7345 to 8313. Acid: 3500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 158,000 gals. gel, 401,440 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7302, Lower Spraberry 7884, San Andres 4050. Top of pay 7345.

Plains Petroleum Operating Co. No. 5 Midkiff "48"; 2292 fsl, 660 fel, sec 48, blk 39, T-4-S, T&P, 27 se Midland, Elev. 8539, PB 8487. Completed 7/11/91. Potentialed 7/31/91, pumping 40 bopd, 64 Mcfd, 170 bwpd, 37.4 API. GOR 1612:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8539. Perforations 7485 to 8421. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 125,920 gals. gel, 271,200 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Clearfork 6592, Clearfork Lime 7078, Upper Spraberry 7462, Middle Spraberry 7710, Lower Spraberry 18066, Jo Mill 8361. Top of pay 7485.

Viney (Pennsylvanian)
Oxy U.S.A. Inc. No. 906 Dora Roberts Ranch Unit; 14,520 fnl, 7260 fwl, sec 9, blk 41, T-3-S, T&P, 15 sw Midland, Elev. 2643, TD 12,297, PB 11,780. Completed 7/4/91. Potentialed 7/8/91, producing 2 bopd, 375 Mcfd, 8 bwpd, gas lift. API 43.6. GOR 187,500:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 12,297. Perforations 10,411 to 10,497. Acid: 12,000 gals. Top of pay 10,411. Plugback.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Penn)
American Cometra Inc. No. 7 F. Conger "6"; 2220 fsl, 1960 fwl, sec 6, blk 21, H&TC, 9.8 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2448, TD 7580, PB 7540. Completed 7/1/91. Potentialed 7/1/91, CAOF 700 Mcfd. API 53.4. Gas-liquid ratio 67,166:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7580. Perforations 7185 to 7354. Acid: 3800 gals. 10 percent. Frac: 785 barrels gel, 214,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Canyon 7078, Cisco 6844, Base Wolfcamp 6716. Top of pay 7180.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Fluvanna, SW (Ellenburger)
Shenandoan Petroleum Corp. No. 1-532 Mary Belew; 467 fsl, 2500 fwl, sec 532, blk 97, H&TC, 6 w Fluvanna. TD 8356. Pumping 123 bopd, 210 bwpd, 40 API. GOR: 163:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8340. Perforations 8354 to 8356.

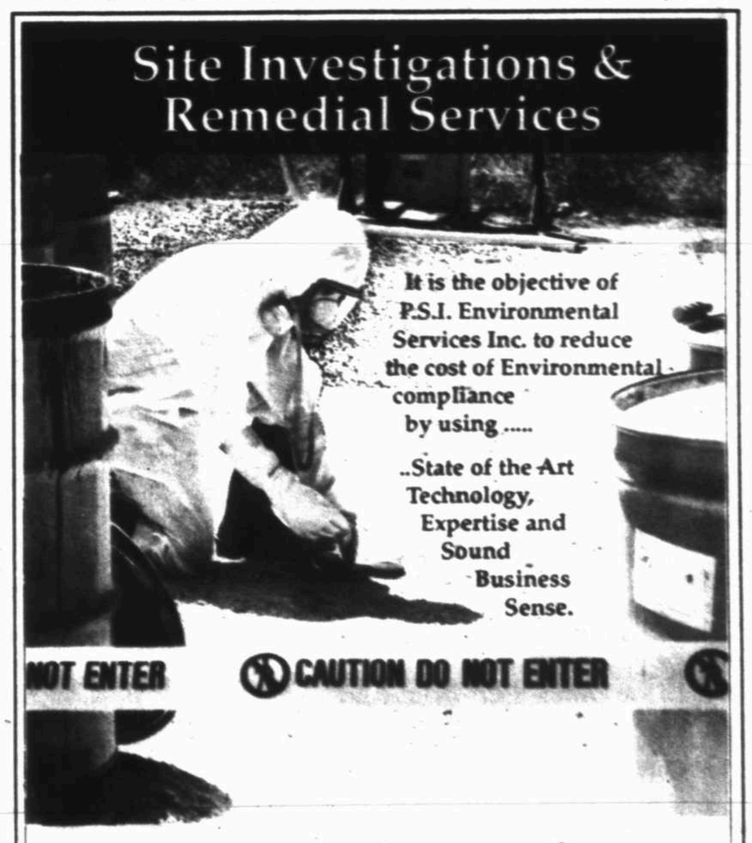
COCHRAN COUNTY

Slaughter
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 205-A C.S. Dean Unit; 30 fnl, 10,300 fwl, League 92, Lipscomb CSL, 9 se Lehman, TD 5100. Pumping 27 bopd, 154 bwpd, 30.6 API. GOR 667:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5100. Perforations 4970 to 5056.

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Horizontal drilling activity cools in Austin Chalk

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■ A proliferation of new horizontal hot spots has taken the focus from the Pearsall field.

DILLEY, Texas — On summer nights last year, Mike Hughes could see the lights of 25 oil-well drilling rigs as he surveyed the countryside from a hill outside this small south Texas town.

But this summer, only a handful of rigs dot the horizon.

"You may see one here and one there," said Hughes, a truck driver whose father boasts two producing oil wells on his 500-acre farm.

Dilley, 60 miles southwest of San Antonio, was at the epicenter of the horizontal drilling boom that swept the Austin Chalk Trend of south and central Texas last year.

In recent months, oil exploration has made a steep decline in the Pearsall Field outside Dilley. While several oil companies have achieved notable success in the Austin Chalk, others suffered dismal results.

The consensus is that many of the best holes have been drilled in the Pearsall and that the boom has ended. But there's more to the story.

Many of the drilling rigs that poked holes in the Pearsall are as busy as ever. They have simply shifted eastward, where a Fort Worth oil producer — Union Pacific Resources Co. — is leading the way in drilling a long string of successful new horizontal wells in the Austin Chalk, a limestone formation 8,000 feet below ground that runs in a band 25 miles wide and stretches from southwest Texas to Louisiana.

Horizontal drilling has now spread to the Texas-Louisiana border, with Exxon Corp. and others starting to drill wells in Sabine and Jasper counties in the far stretches of east Texas. Exxon spokesman Jack Holleran says his company's drilling results there are "very confidential."

Horizontal drilling also is pushing into north Texas.

Oryx Energy Co. of Dallas, the unchallenged leader in horizontal drilling in the Pearsall Field, is hush-hush about a natural gas well it is drilling in rural Montague County, which hugs the Texas-Oklahoma border 75 miles north of Fort Worth.

Oryx is drilling the well in the Barnett Shale, a formation that resembles the Austin Chalk in that it has many potentially petroleum-bearing fractures and is therefore ripe for horizontal drilling.

Mitchell Energy & Development Co. also plans to drill a horizontal test well in the Barnett Shale in Wise County northwest of Fort Worth.

Austin Chalk operators to open up

Staff Report

A group of Austin Chalk oil and gas operators who met in Dallas on Friday, August 2, agree they will communicate more openly in the near future. Prior, operators in the well-known Texas drilling area operated independently of each other in sharing drilling knowledge as well as business tips.

"For the first time in two years since horizontal drilling became important once again, everybody shared knowledge and we see this as a positive move," said Ben R. Weber, Jr., President of Weber Energy Corporation in Dallas and the organizer of the all-day event.

"This network of operators will likely evolve into a group to conduct research and development and volunteer the processing of data for the benefit of all," Weber adds.

Weber further expects the line of communications among Austin Chalk operators to be utilized for data such as electric and mudloggging in order to provide a clearer cross section and an understanding of production.

Representatives from Oryx Energy, Petro-Hunt, Wynn Exploration, Sanchez-O'Brien Oil and Gas, Berenergy, Dale Operating and Weber Corporation agreed that "further meetings will be considered because this helped clear up a lot of important issues."

Energy analysts say horizontal drilling is here to stay and will be employed more extensively in the future. But use of the technique actually has declined slightly this year, primarily as a result of the downturn in drilling in the Pearsall Field.

During last year's boom, Dilley was abuzz with excitement, "kind of like going to a heavyweight prize fight at Caesar's Palace," Dallas oilman Ben Weber recalls.

But these days, a trip to Dilley "is more like going to Restland," Weber quips.

He's exaggerating. Dilley still has much more oil activity than it did three years ago. But drilling also is unquestionably down from the boom's peak.

In November, 90 rigs were operating in a south Texas area that includes the Pearsall Field. By last week, that count had fallen to 33 rigs, a 63 percent plunge.

But the rig count has spiraled in an area of east-central Texas that has seen a steep rise in horizontal drilling in the Austin Chalk. A year ago, 33 rigs were operating there. By last week, that number had jumped to 59 rigs, a 79 percent rise.

Oil industry veterans familiar with the Austin Chalk cite these reasons for the drilling decline in the Pearsall:

■ The most promising acreage has been leased and many of the choicest sites drilled.

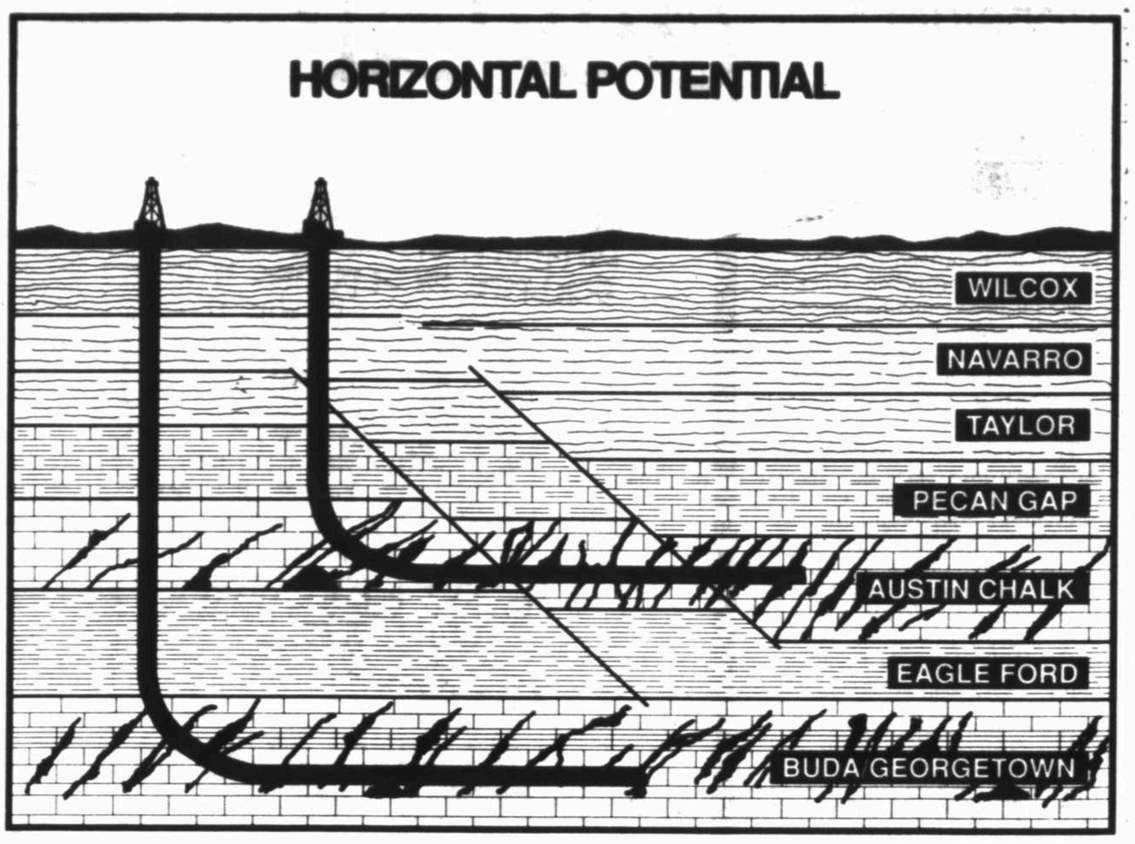
"The boom is over because hundreds and hundreds of wells have been drilled," said Eagle Pass oilman Charlie Winn. "Everything has a beginning and an end."

■ Wells were, in many cases, drilled too close together. One lease might be drained of crude by a neighboring well tapping into the same formation.

"Basically, you've had the area overdrilled," said Paul Leibman, an oil analyst with the Denver investment firm of Petrie Parkman & Co. "You have a limited amount of liquid in the cup and too many straws drinking from it."

■ Costs for leases and horizontal drilling services skyrocketed during the boom, making drilling less economically attractive.

The cost of employing horizontal drilling specialists at a single well site spiraled to as much as $13,000 per day late last year, said Dallas oilman Ray Holifield. Leases that once cost $25 an acre jumped as high as $500.



Courtesy Union Pacific Resources

Drilling may have shifted, but potential in the Chalk remains with a selection of horizons.

■ The boomtime frenzy led many inexperienced operators into the search for black gold.

"Some of them didn't know one end of the drill bit from the other," Weber said. "And they used no scientific research whatever to drill their wells. They simply drilled and when they got down to the Austin Chalk, they made a right turn."

■ The reputation of the Chalk — as well as horizontal drilling — suffered from scam artists who coaxed naive investors into putting millions of dollars into wells that had little chance of success.

"All they heard was that the Chalk was hot, and they wanted to get into it. Some of those people wound up getting hustled," said Bill Fisher, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology at the University of Texas at Austin.

And there were well-intentioned efforts that failed. One seasoned Fort Worth oil investor, who requested anonymity, said he helped raise $980,000 for the drilling of a horizontal well that looked promising, but was "dry as a bone."

Wolverine Exploration Co. of Fort Worth, a company with respected oil industry veterans on its staff, drilled five disappointing wells in the Chalk — four marginal producers and a dry hole.

For Wolverine, "it was a case of buying acreage in the wrong spot," said Holifield, the Dallas oilman. "Obviously, they had access to good technology ... they just bet wrong on the geology."

Austin Chalk wells, whether drilled horizontally or vertically, are notorious for suffering rapid production declines after showing high initial output.

Weber, the Dallas oilman, has drilled 33 Chalk horizontal wells. He said his wells' cumulative production peaked at 7,500 barrels a day in November, but already has declined to 3,500 barrels daily. Nevertheless, he already has reaped 1.7 million barrels of oil from the wells.

Union Pacific Resources estimates that a typical horizontal well will produce for 11 years, but 60 percent of that production will come in the first two years.

That means that production will steadily decline in the Chalk in coming years unless a substantial number of new wells are drilled. While Oryx and Union Pacific Resources have said they expect to continue major drilling programs, many other oil operators have abandoned the Chalk or heavily reduced their drilling.

The wells, drilled last year, initially each produced 400 to 500 barrels a day. But now they are producing only 30 to 40 barrels.

The boom precipitated a tenfold increase in Dilley's sales tax revenues, and its motels and restaurants overflowed. But now you can get a motel room without booking it days in advance, and no longer are there lengthy lines at restaurants.

Joe McMillan, vice president of the Dilley State Bank, says the oil money has helped boost his bank's deposits by 41 percent. But McMillan says agriculture, rather than the region's periodic oil booms, re-

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Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Dev. Co. No. 1 Curtis "P"; 660 fsl, 660 fel, Labor 3, League 323, LaSalle CSL, 12.5 w Tarzan, PD 9775.

MIDLAND COUNTY
Clarence Scharbauer (Strawn)
Texaco E&P Inc. No. 7 C. Scharbauer "B" NCT-1; 750 fsl, 2508 fel, sec 35, blk 40, T-2-S, T&P, 8 sw Midland, PD 12,925.

PECOS COUNTY
Chancellor (Delaware Sand)
Dyad Petroleum Co. No. 1 Chancellor; 542 fwl, 2012 fsl, sec 31, blk 49, T-10, T&P RR, 22 w Ft. Stockton, PD 5800.
Pecos Valley (Devonian)
Rayden No. 1 Redmond "B"; 660 fnwl, 660 fnel, sec 21, blk 10, H&GN, 8 sw Imperial, PD 5850. Deepen.
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Ice Brothers, Inc. No. 4A J.H. Hodge; 1320 fwl, 1320 fsl, sec 8, blk C-3, PSL, 2 nw Coyanosa, PD 5100.

REEVES COUNTY
Worsham-Bayer (Penn)
TMBR/Sharp Drilling Inc. No. 1 R. Cleveland; 2179 fwl, 2173 fsl, sec 50, blk 6, H&GN, 16 se Pecos, PD 13,200.

STERLING COUNTY
Conger (Penn)
American Cometra Inc. No. 3 R.T. Foster "18"; 660 fwl, 2700 fsl, sec 18, blk 13, SPRR, Abst. 4, 9.7 sw Sterling City, PD 7500.
Sugg Ranch (Canyon)
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1709 Sugg "BB"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 17, blk 7, H&TC, 15 sw Sterling City, PD 8400.
Wagner and Brown No. 1116 Council; 660 fwl, 1320 fsl, sec 16, blk 7, H&TC, 14 sw Sterling City, PD 8100.
Wagner and Brown No. 229 Ferguson "C"; 1320 fel, 1320 fsl, sec 29, blk 7, H&TC, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.

WINKLER COUNTY
Keystone, South
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 419 Keystone Cattle Co.; 1070 fsl, 1000 fwl, sec 2, blk B-6, PSL, 8.10 e Kermit, PD 6800. Plugback.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 425 Keystone Cattle Co.; 1329 fsl, 1 fwl, sec 30, blk B-2, PSL, 8.1 e Kermit, PD 7910, Plugback.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 429 Keystone Cattle Co.; 1980 fnl, 1240 fel, sec 2, blk B-6, PSL, 7 se Kermit, PD 6700.
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COCHRAN COUNTY
Levelland (San Andres)
Yucca Energy Inc. No. 14 Veal; 1350 fnl, 440 fwl, Labor 6, League 114, Potter CSL, 6.5 s Lehman, PD 5100.

CROSBY COUNTY
Hoople (Clearfork)
Jorford Corp. No. 4-A M.C. Aycock; 975 fnl, 1650 fel, sec 22, blk D-19, EL&RR, 5.5 s Robertson, PD 4500.

DAWSON COUNTY
Key West (Spraberry)
RK Petroleum Corp. No. 2002 KWWU; 1650 fnl, 1610 fwl, sec 20, blk 35, T-5-N, T&P, 2 s Lamesa, PD 7850.

COMPLETIONS

(From 5F)

Unit; 6625 fnl, 7690 fwl, League 93, Lipscomb CSL, 9 se Lehman, TD 5100. Pumpng 107 bopd, 10 bwpd, 30.6 API. GOR 551:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5100. Perforations 4971 to 5056.
W. Ridley Wheeler Estate No. 5-C Hudson; 1985 fsl, 660 fel, sec 5, blk P, PSL, 20 se Lehman, TD 5102. Pumping 12 bopd, 18 bwpd, 32 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5067. Perforations 5067 to 5102.

DAWSON COUNTY
Britt (Spraberry)
Henry Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Broyles; 467 fsl, 497 fwl, sec 1, blk 3, D.L. Cunningham survey, 5 nw Lamesa. TD 11216. Pumping 27 bopd. 38 API. GOR: 74:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7952. Perforations 7739 to 7751.

DICKENS COUNTY
Tumbleweed, Northwest (Tannehill)
Sauder Management Co., Wichita Falls, No. 1-1 Foster Powell; 1278 fsl, 660 fel, sec 1, blk WT, WT RR, 16 se Dickens, TD 4300. Pumping 20 bopd, 30 bwpd, 40 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4280. Perforations 4113 to 4116.

GAINES COUNTY
Robertson North (Clearfork)
Fina Oil & Chemical Co. No. 3318 North Robertson Unit; 1218 fsl, 2540 fel, sec 382, blk G, CCSD&RGNG, 8 sw Seminole, TD 7375. Pumping 92 bopd, 126 bwpd, 33 API. GOR 467:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7330. Perforations 6200 to 7128.
Seminole, SW (Clearfork)
V-F Petroleum Inc. No. 1 Cotton Lindsey; 330 fnl, 2310 fwl, sec 295, blk G, WT RR, 6.5 w Seminole, TD 7071, pumping 34 bopd, 20 bwpd, 26.6 API. GOR: 29:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7009.

GARZA COUNTY
Aljenda - BLP (Ellenburger)
J.M. Huber Corp., Amarillo, No. 5-5 Post Estate; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 5,blk 4, K. Aycock, 9 ne Post, Td 8250. Pumping 165 bopd, 38 API. GOR: 242:1. Casing 5 1/ 2inches at 8249. Perforations 8110 to 8165.

HOCKLEY COUNTY
Clauene (Wolfcamp)
Wheeler Properties No. 1 Marcom Vines Glass; 966 fsl, 886 fel, Labor 19, League 32, Baylor CSL, 2.5 n Clauene, TD 8786. Pumping 26 bopd, 38 bwpd, 26 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4995. Perforations 8406 to 8440.
Levelland
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 545 North Central Levelland Unit; 440 fsl, 2338 fel, Labor 4, League 66, Hardeman CSL, 2 ne Whiteface, TD 4870. Pumping 44 bopd, 14 bwpd, 32.4 API. GOR 283:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4870. Perforations 4799 to 4815.
Yellowhouse South (San Andres)
Walsh Petroleum Inc. No. 3X Sam Combs; 850 fsl, 580 fel, Labor 7, League 719, State CLS, 4.5 ne Pettit, TD 4730. Pumping 18 bopd, 22 bwpd, 32 API. GOR 555:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4730. Perforations 4706 to 4725.

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Salt Creek
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 38-J Salt Creek Field Unit; 2433 fnl, 1361 fel, sec 3, John Rodman, 9 nw Clairemont, TD 6700. Pumping 90 bopd, 669 bwpd, 39.7 API. GOR 500:1. Casing 7 inches at 6700. Perforations 6304 to 6556.

KING COUNTY
Quick Draw (Upper Tannehill)
Energy Resources & Development Corp. No. 5 Foster; 467 fnl, 394 fel, sec 229, blk F, H&TC, 12 sw Guthrie, TD 4021. Pumping 68 bopd, 0 bwpd, 38 API. GOR 73:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4021. Perforations 3900 to 3905.

LUBBOCK COUNTY
Broadview West (Clearfork)
Texon Oil Co. No. 1-C Priest; 2752 fnl, 779 fel, sec 26, blk JS, EL&RR, 4 s Shallowater, TD 5700. Pumping 15 bopd, 30 bwpd, 28 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5700. Perforations 5534 to 5618.

COOLS: Horizontal rig count plunges in Austin Chalk

(From 6F)

mains the mainstay of the local economy.

"This is an ag economy that is subsidized every 10 or 15 years by the oil business," he said.

Dilley's oil boom may be fleeting, but analysts say horizontal drilling — which still accounts for less than 10 percent of wells drilled worldwide — is here to stay.

Fisher forecasts that horizontal drilling could result in recovery of an additional 10 billion barrels of oil in the United States, a volume equal to 35 percent of the nation's proven reserves of 27 billion barrels.

For those who know how to employ it, horizontal drilling already has proved a success in the Austin Chalk, Fisher said.

"In the long term, if you added up every nickel made on the Chalk and every nickel lost on it, it would probably be a wash," he said. "But the smart people make money on it."

Oryx kicked off the boom in summer 1989 with its announcement that it had drilled some highly successful wells in the Pearsall Field.

The news was startling.

The wells were coming in at 500 to 1,000 barrels a day in a state where the average well produces less than 10 barrels. What's more, the wells were in the Pearsall — a field previously considered washed-up, a graveyard for drilling.

Oryx had drilled the wells first by boring a hole vertically for 8,000 feet and then angling horizontally for 2,000 to 3,000 feet. The lateral movement permitted Oryx to tap into a greater number of oil-bearing fractures. The technique was made possible by revolutionary improvements in directional drilling equipment in the past five years.

Oryx is now realizing production of 21,000 barrels a day from 102 Austin Chalk horizontal wells — about 200 barrels per well. And the company says it has nearly 200 other potential drillsites.

Oryx previously forecast that its average producing Chalk horizontal well would reap 450,000 barrels of oil over its lifetime, roughly five to 10 times the output of many Pearsall Field vertical wells. But recent disappointing drilling results have caused the company to conclude that it may have to lower its future reserve estimates.

But even if the average Oryx well were to produce only 300,000 barrels — 33 percent below the company's forecast — it would earn "a good rate of return" with oil at $20 a barrel and the average well costing $1.2 million to drill, said Leibman, the oil analyst.

Union Pacific Resources also has fared exceptionally well in the Chalk, with 136 producing horizontal wells. The company's soaring Chalk production now accounts for roughly one-third of its production revenues.

Some much-smaller operators also have done well.

Winn, the Eagle Pass oilman, says of the Chalk, "For us, it's been wonderful."

In the past 18 months, Winn has produced 2.7 million barrels of oil — more than $50 million worth at today's crude prices — from a single large lease containing 14 wells. The lease is still producing 3,000 barrels daily.

Midland oilman Clayton Williams, the defeated Republican candidate for governor, is another beneficiary of horizontal drilling.

Williams has 90 producing Chalk horizontal wells and expects the average well to produce at least 200,000 barrels over its lifetime, said John Brose, operations manager for Williams' company.

The company is drilling three new horizontal wells — and making money from them even as the holes are being bored. Many of the horizontal wells are drilled "live" — with oil and natural gas being produced as the well is drilled.

One well being drilled by Williams last week in LaSalle County already had produced 40,000 barrels of oil since the drill bit was turned horizontally 18 days before. The production rate during drilling has exceeded 2,000 barrels per day.

Gas from the well is being "flared off," or burned, as a safety measure because there is no way to economically produce it, Brose said.

Weber is another oilman who has profited from the Chalk.

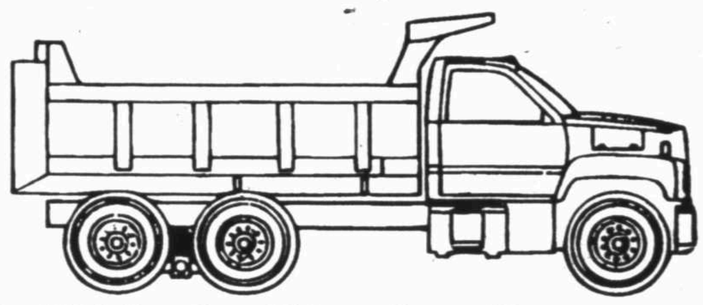
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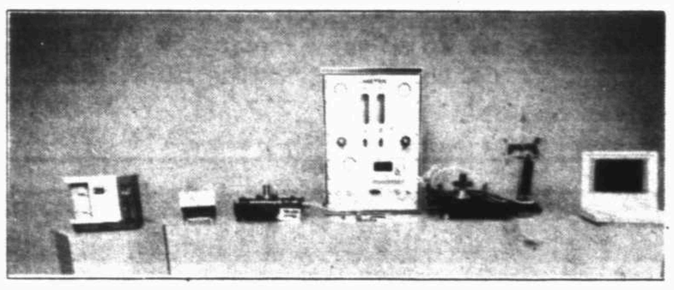
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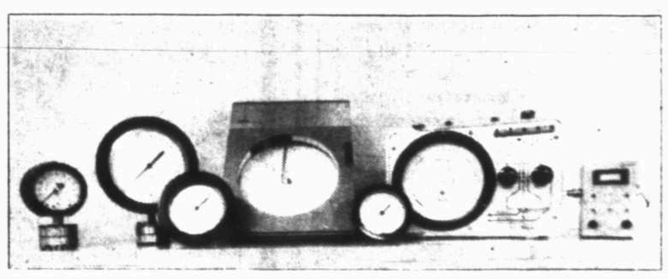
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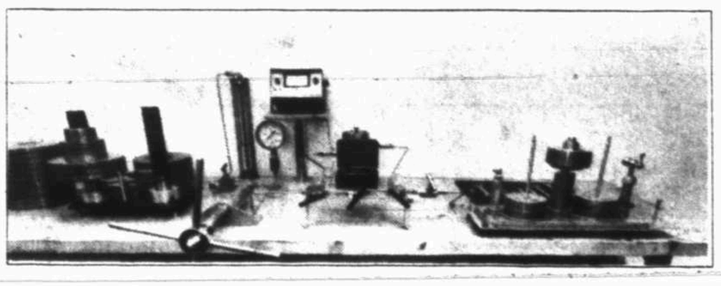


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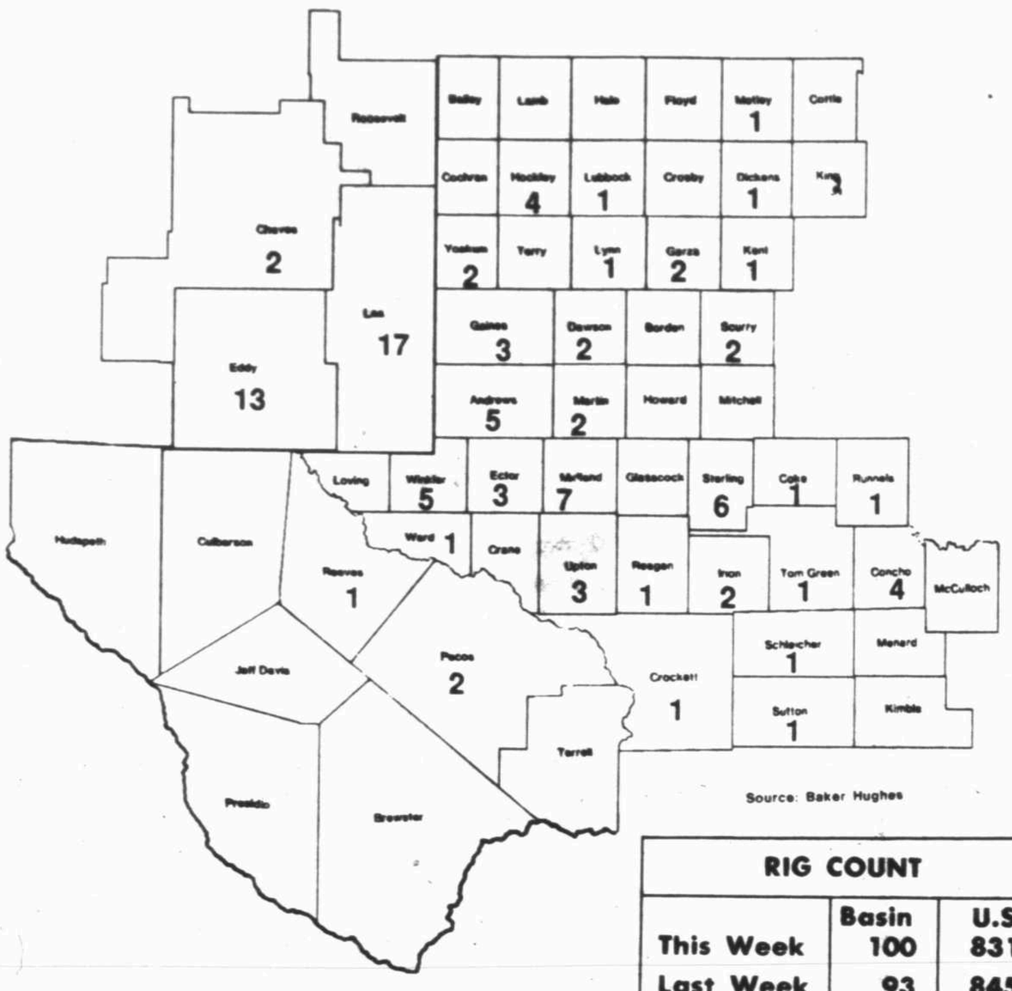


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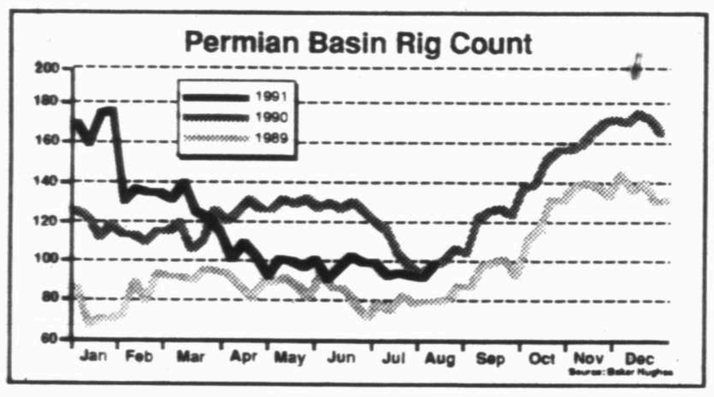
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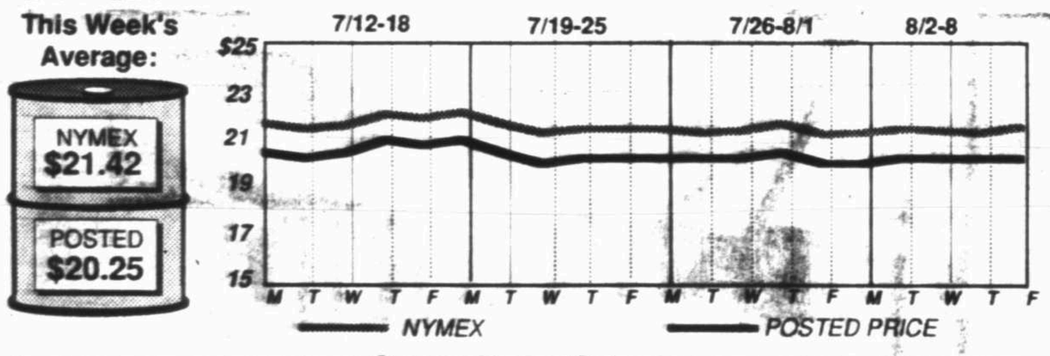
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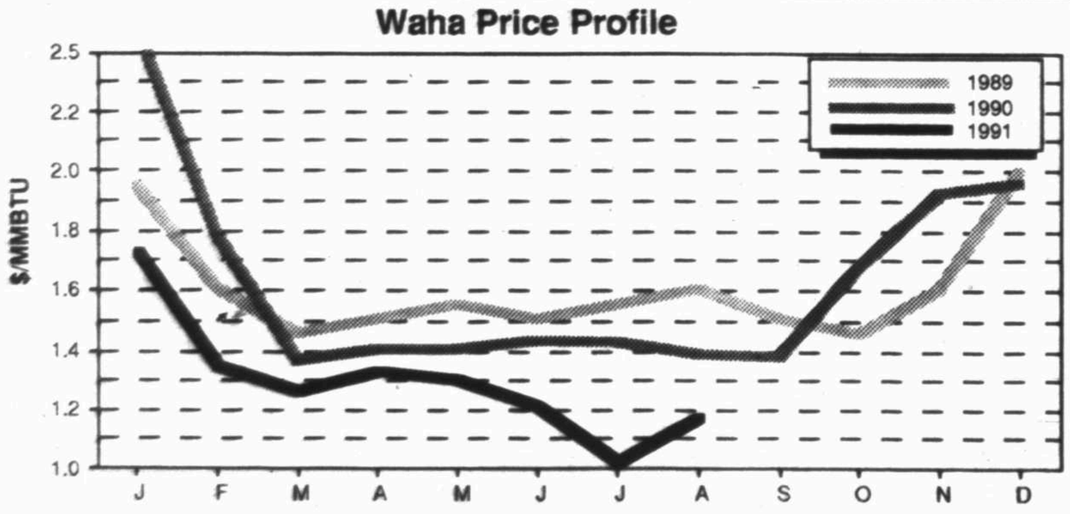
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- **MidContinent** (Arkoma) $1.15
- **Gulf Coast** (Louisiana) $1.20
- **Rocky Mountains** (Wyoming) $1.05

Source: Robert K. Anderson & Associates

Hondo Oil cutting workforce 11 percent

ROSWELL, N.M. (AP) — A Roswell oil company is cutting its workforce by 11 percent.

Hondo Oil Co. officials said they have laid off 15 employees since Friday to streamline the company in response to economic pressures.

Hondo lawyer Chuck McDaniel said he foresees no more group layoffs but that one or two more people might be let go.

Hondo employs 160 people after the layoffs.

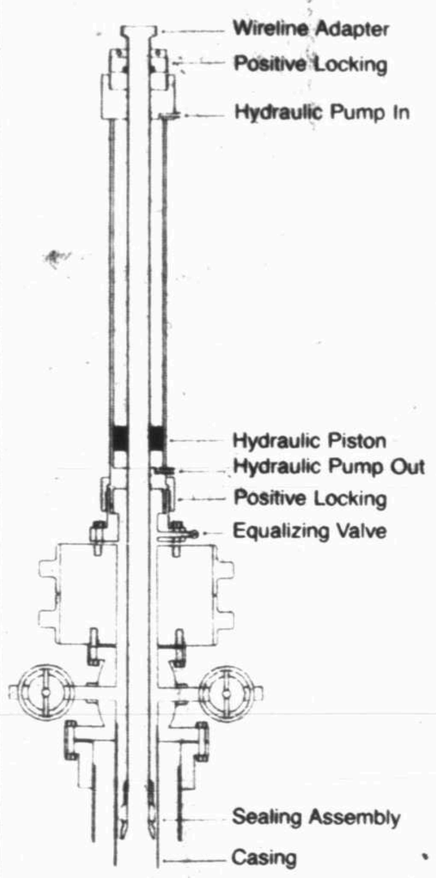
McDaniel said the domestic oil and gas industry has been sluggish the past two years because of depressed natural gas prices and a near halt in exploration activity.

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Piano man

By Georgia Todd Temple
Staff Writer

Paul Smith was playing the "Boogie Woogie" with the Tommy Dorsey Band and bouncing the piano with his leg as was his habit, when the unexpected happened.

"The right leg of the piano fell off," Smith said in a recent telephone interview. "I was still holding the piano on my knees, so it didn't fall over, but at the end of the solo, I had to stand up and take a bow.

"So, I hooked my left hand under the piano, took my bow holding the piano until I could sit down and get my knees under it again."

He had covered the problem so well that when the show was over, the other players began leaving the stage. Smith had to call for help.

"Nobody knew. I was behind a bunch of flower planters on the stage. The leg fell into the planter, so nobody knew the leg fell off except me."

Smith, who describes himself as a native Southern Californian surf rat and tennis player, has known since he was 12 years old that he wanted to make music his life's work.

"AFTER FOUR years of (piano) lessons, I asked myself, 'What am I going to do with this?' I think, 'Gee, it would be fun where you had a job and played all kinds of music.'

"By the time I was 14 to 15 years old I had kind of narrowed that down to, 'Gee, it would be nice to play in Hollywood studios cause that takes care of a lot of styles of music,' " said the 69-year-old pianist, who will perform locally during the Midland Jazz Classic this October.

And he did. In 1950, Smith became staff pianist for NBC in Hollywood, appearing on almost every musical show that originated in NBC's West Coast studios for the next 12 years. Those shows included Dinah Shore's Chevy Show, Tony Bennett, Bing Crosby, Vikki Carr, Jo Stafford, Nat "King" Cole, Margaret Whiting, Jimmy Wakely, Sarah Vaughn, Gordon MacRae, Jimmy Durante, Frank Sinatra, Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, Gisselle MacKenzie and Tony Martin.

He returned to studio work in 1963 to become music director on The Pat Boone Show for two years and the Steve Allen Show for three years.

"Between 1950 and 1965 — 15 years in there — I was one of the busiest pianists in Hollywood," Smith said. "I used to average 300 record dates a year."

Electronics played a part in Smith's decision to leave studio work behind.

"I'm the last of the old rebels. I like the piano just the way it is. I never refer to the piano as an acoustic piano. The piano is a piano, then you have the electric piano and synthesizers. They're absolutely different from the piano. They're all electronic pianos, and they don't interest me.

"I HAVE played them because they were part of my job, and that's why I finally left the studio because 85 percent of my work was on electric instruments, and they weren't any fun to play, mainly, because there's no individuality. Everybody gets the same sound on them. You push the button down and the sound comes out the same. They have a lack of humanity."

In fact, Smith is not awed by any electronic equipment. Unlike most young people today, Smith can add figures in his head faster than he can on a calculator.

"I will be one of the few guys who goes to his grave without having any of the great electronic improvements. I can still add a column of figures faster than my calculator can add them for me. By the time I punch them in and get the total, I can add them up mentally."

Although there is a computer in his home, he never uses it.

"There are a lot of advantages to a computer, if you need them for your work. I can go like a bat out of hell on a typewriter," said Smith, who types 128 words a minute.

"I learned to type in junior high school. Another thing, I can't use an electric typewriter. I let my fingers rest on the keys. If you get used to playing the piano, your fingers rest on the keys. You can't do that on organ. The organ's always playing."

Smith owns two typewriters — a Royal and a LC Smith.

"The big cumbersome ones. They are famous old typewriters. I keep them both in good shape cause you can't buy them anymore."

IN ADDITION to his studio work, Smith has performed with such bands as the Les Paul Trio, the Andrews Sisters and the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra as well as such individual performers as Ella Fitzgerald and Sammy Davis Jr., with whom he spent four years.

"Pat was probably the easiest guy to get along with that ever lived, a delightful man," Smith said. "Sammy was so much fun, I went out to do two weeks with him and ended up staying four years. That was one of the most fun jobs I think I ever had. I just keep staying on with him because the job was so much fun. Musically — a delight. I consider him probably the biggest all around talent we ever had."

When he reflects back on his career, Smith said, "A teacher makes a big difference. I was very lucky. I had a teacher named Royal Brown. He was the city organist in San Diego. And he would give me 45 minutes of harmony and counterpoint, soft adagio and mainly sight reading. Then, the last 15 minutes, he'd let me play my pop books. But he insisted that I read, which was a necessity in going into the studios ultimately."

He got his first break not as a pianist but as an arranger. He was 19 years old.

"I was writing arrangements for the Johnny Richards Band in 1941," Smith recalled. "Just prior to my induction in the Army I spent about 10 months with Ozzy Nelson's band as arranger and pianist combined. Wen I was with Ozzy, we did the Red Skelton Radio Show. I wrote the music for that at 20."

Smith credits his parents with giving him "maximum confidence."

"Everything I ever auditioned for, I got," said Smith "When I went to tryout for Ozzy's band, my dad said, 'Don't worry. You'll get it.'

"They were always behind me 100 percent, so they gave me maximum confidence. Even if you don't get it, don't worry. There'll be another one around the corner."

WORLD WAR II took Smith out of Ozzy's band in 1943.

"I was expecting it. I was young and available and single. I spent the first two years in Long Beach with the Air Transport Band as pianist arranger," Smith said, adding that the rest of his military time was spent in Germany. "I just felt I was lucky to get out of it in one piece."

When he left the U.S. Army in April 1946, he returned to his hometown of San Diego.

"I had a job in a club there in about three days with a trio working for somebody else. From there I went with the Les Paul Trio. It was fun. He was completely into jazz at the time. We had to play extremely fast, and we were on the road with the Andrews Sisters. We were the opening act for the Andrews Sisters. I became their accompanist."

Smith has had his share of tragedies. His first wife, whom he had married in 1948, died 10 years later. He and his second wife, Anette Warren, who have been married 33 years, now have three adult children. One of their sons was killed in a traffic accident in 1988. He was 25.

"He was a passenger in a car, and the kid turned the car over," Smith said. "It's entirely different from losing any other relative including wife, mother, father. It is unique.

"It was three years in April so all the things that are happening now are a godsend. My wife is getting back into singing again. She hasn't sung much in the last three years. It kind of puts a hold on your life temporarily until you recover from the shock of it. When you get one cut off before he even gets started, it's rather a blow."

AFTER LIVING through this type of tragedy, Smith understands how few people understand.

"We live in a very cold society — an I-me society. It (the time length of grief) all depends on how badly hurt you are by the event, and how close you were to the person you've lost. And you do get a lot of cheap advice. People don't know what to say, and they usually say the wrong thing.

"The best thing to say to somebody who has lost his child is, 'I'm terribly sorry. I can't imagine how you feel.' Unless you've lost a child, you have no idea what that feeling is. I don't care if you lost your mother the day

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Pianist Paul Smith is among the musicians expected for the annual Midland Jazz Classic.

Classic tickets on sale

Staff Report

Tickets are now on sale for the 15th annual Midland Jazz Classic, which will be held Oct. 3-6 at the Holiday Inn Country Villa.

The annual event is presented by the Midland Jazz Association.

Musicians who have been invited to perform at this event include Clark Terry and Warren Vache, trumpet; Bill Watrous and George Masso, trombone; Scott Hamilton, Flip Phillips and Abe Most, reeds; Howard Alden, guitar; Paul Smith, Ralph Sutton and Buddy Weed, piano; Jack Lesberg, Milt Hilton and Monty Budwig, bass; and Jake Hanna, Jimmie Smith and Grady Tate, drums.

Admission to the classic has increased $10 per badge and will be $135 for the four-day event. The ticket price includes all sets. Although individual admissions tickets are not available, the same party does not have to occupy the seats each night.

For more information or to purchase a badge for the classic, write the Midland Jazz Association, P.O. Box 4045, Midland, 79704.

Duo sings to three generations

By Robert Macy

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Some of the places they once played have been turned into muffler shops or a keno parlor. But the Righteous Brothers keep coming back — their latest resurgence riding on a ghostly break.

"We've been singing this 25 years, and with a little luck we'll be singing it another 25," Bill Medley said as he introduced "You've Lost That Lovin' Feeling," one of the songs that rocketed the pair to stardom in the 1960s.

"That will make us 75 years old," Medley added, sighing plaintively.

Medley and Bobby Hatfield, his off-and-on partner for three decades, have been playing to sellout crowds at the Desert Inn, and will move to Bally's Hotel-Casino, down the Las Vegas Strip, by summer's end.

The standing-room-only crowds are a far cry from 1962, when they worked the Strip as a lounge act.

"Some of those clubs have been turned into Midas Muffler Shops," Hatfield laughed as he lounged in a dressing room while three generations of fans began to fill the nearby showroom.

The Righteous Brothers became one of rock 'n' roll's most recognizable names in the 1960s with hits such as "Unchained Melody," a 1965 smash that was revived for the movie "Ghost."

The revival gave the off-again, on-again career of Medley and Hatfield another jump-start last year.

But as long ago as 1968, they learned that fame can be fleeting.

'We've been singing this 25 years, and with a little luck we'll be singing it another 25.'

— Bill Medley of the Righteous Brothers

"Hard rock was coming in," Medley recalled. "Anytime a new wave comes, the old guys on the block just kinda get pushed aside."

Added Hatfield: "Now we're really considered old guys."

The two got together again in 1974, performed sporadically, then went through another career revival in 1982.

Today's Righteous Brothers are admittedly more subdued — at least offstage.

"We'd play three shows a night, then carouse all night, come back and perform the next night," Hatfield said, recalling their careers in Vegas during the '60s. "Now we just settle down with the TV Guide."

Today both men have children in their 20s, and partying has given way to golf, sunshine and swimming when they're not on the road. Both men live with their families in Newport Beach, Calif., and own a nightclub in Orange County.

Medley is involved in other clubs and recently sold a Reno nightclub, which he owned with entertainer Paul Revere. He's planning to open a club in Las Vegas with Dick Clark.

He has also done a lot of solo work and some writing, including the No. 1 hit "(I've Had) The Time of My Life" from the movie "Dirty Dancing."

Medley, the deep-voiced baritone of the pair, said he and Hatfield have a special feeling for "the fans who have hung in there through the years and the breakup."

And they are pleased that a new generation is enjoying their music. But will they really be singing "Lovin' Feeling" at age 75?

Probably not. But they want to continue "as long as we can do this and be us," Hatfield said, adding that he hopes they realize when the time comes to take a final bow.

After they leave their dressing room, Medley and Hatfield pace the darkened area backstage before they're introduced at a Strip showroom they once thought was beyond their reach.

They head for the footlights and a hand-clapping, foot-stomping rendition of the Bob Seger's 1970s hit "Old Time Rock 'n' Roll."

As the show winds down they leave the stage, then return quickly for an encore — for they recall an earlier stint in Las Vegas, where they were the final act in the Frontier Hotel's showroom before it was converted to a gaming area.

"We always like to get back quick," Hatfield told the audience. "The last time, across the street, we took a little longer getting back. By the time we returned for our encore, they'd torn the place down and turned it into a keno parlor."

'Northern Exposure' star started on stage

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Barry Corbin's first movie job nearly 20 years ago took place behind the cameras: He pretended to be a drunken panhandler so that the crowds watching the filming would disperse.

He was so convincing, he says, that it propelled his career.

Before that time in the early 1970s, Corbin, who plays a quirky former astronaut on "Northern Exposure," the far-out CBS series about living in Alaska, was working mostly on the stage. He hid his thick Texas drawl for such roles as Falstaff in "The Merry Wives of Windsor," Henry II in "Beckett" and the title roles in "Henry V" and "Macbeth."

Today, Corbin probably has one of the most familiar faces on television and in the movies. Yet few people can match his name to the face.

He's been in such movies as "Urban Cowboy," "The Man Who Loved Women," "WarGames," "Best Little Whorehouse in Texas" and "Honky Tonk Man." On television, he's appeared in "Lonesome Dove," "The Thorn Birds," "Fatal Vision" and "A Death in California."

"Northern Exposure" is his fourth series. He previously appeared in "Boone," "Spies" and "Washingtoon."

The series, set in Cicely, Alaska, stars Rob Morrow as a young doctor who has to practice in the tiny town to repay the state for his medical school tuition.

Corbin describes his character, Maurice Minnifield, as very American, in both its good and bad implications.

"He's in Alaska because of his expansive personality. He needs room," Corbin said. "The only two places big enough for him are space and Alaska.

"He feels he's never lived up to his father's expectations, so beneath that tough exterior he has a streak of insecurity. He has a very definite sense of justice and of right and wrong. Because of that, he can be very dogmatic."

Corbin's personal connection to wide open spaces and personalities began as a child in Texas. He grew up in LeMesa, Lubbock and Austin, where his father was a state senator.

He studied acting at Texas Tech, then enrolled in the training program at the American Shakespeare Festival and studied with other teachers in New York.

"I was encouraged to get rid of my accent," he said. "I substituted something else for it. But for right or wrong, I felt my accent was a part of my identity."

BEST SELLERS

N.Y. Times News Service

The listings below are based on computer-processed sales figures from 3,000 bookstores and from representative wholesalers with more than 28,000 other retail outlets, including variety stores and supermarkets. The figures are statistically adjusted to represent sales in all such outlets across the United States.

FICTION

1. THE KITCHEN GOD'S WIFE, by Amy Tan. (Putnam, $22.95.) A Chinese-American matriarch tells the harrowing story of her life.

2. THE FIRM, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, $19.95.) A young lawyer learns that the firm he recently joined is engaged in secret, possibly illegal activities.

3. HEIR TO THE EMPIRE, by Timothy Zahn. (Spectra/Bantam, $15.) The survival of the "Star Wars" galaxy is menaced by new forces in the first volume of the trilogy.

4. LOVES MUSIC, LOVES TO DANCE, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, $21.95.) Two Manhattan women, doing research into personal ads, get caught in the snare of a serial killer.

5. BEAST, by Peter Benchley. (Random House, $21.) The disappearance of a couple sailing off Bermuda raises a question: is a fabled creature from the deep responsible.

6. OUTER BANKS, by Anne Rivers Siddons. (HarperCollins, $19.95.) An interior decorator comes to terms with herself at a college reunion.

7. PARADISE, by Judith McNaught. (Pocket, $19.95.) The heirs of two family dynasties find true love when one of their businesses is threatened.

8. PASTIME, By Robert B. Parker. (Putnam, $19.95.) The private eye Spenser learns much about his own past while helping a young man track down his mother, who has disappeared.

9. MAXIMUM BOB, by Elmore Leonard. (Delacorte, $20.) A woman probation officer pursues the people trying to kill a redneck Florida judge.

10. OH THE PLACES YOU'LL GO! by Dr. Seuss. (Random, House, $12.95.) Verse and pictures.

11. TEXAS! SAGE, by Sandra Brown. (Doubleday, $18.) A young woman who has always been able to wrap men around her finger meets her match on a visit to her hometown.

12. AS THE CROW FLIES, by Jeffrey Archer. (HarperCollins, $22.95.) Inspired by his grandfather, a London pushcart vendor, a man strives to create the biggest store in the world.

13. DARKNESS, by John Saul. (Bantam, $17.50.) A family moves back to a Florida town, where something evil awaits.

14. SKY MASTERS, by Dale Brown. (Fine/Putnam, $21.95.) The U.S. Air Force comes to the aid of the Philippines in a war with China in 1994.

15. THE RUSTLERS OF WEST FORK, by Louis L'Amour. (Bantam, $18.) A frontier novel featuring Hopalong Cassidy, first published in 1951 and long out of print.

16. DAMAGE, by Josephine Hart. (Knopf, $18.) A British gentleman is mesmerized when he meets the woman his son plans to marry.

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NON-FICTION

1. IRON JOHN, by Robert Bly. (Addison-Wesley, $19.95.) The passage of the male from boyhood into manhood, as practiced and cherished in various cultures and centuries.

2. CHUTZPAH, by Alan M. Dershowitz. (Little, Brown $22.95.) A prominent law professor's reflections on the lot of Jews in America, past, present and future.

3. PARLIAMENT OF WHORES, by P.J. O'Rourke. (Entrekin/Atlantic Monthly, $19.95.) A humorist's attempt to explain the federal government.

4. TOUJOURS PROVENCE, by Peter Mayle. (Knopf, $20.) The charms of rustic Provence, as savored by a London advertising man who moved there.

5. WHEN YOU LOOK LIKE YOUR PASSPORT PHOTO, IT'S TIME TO GO HOME, by Erma Bombeck. (HarperCollins, $19.95.) The tribulations of travel suffered in all parts of the world.

6. FIRE IN THE BELLY, by Sam Keen. (Bantam, $19.95.) A philosopher explores the changing role of the male in today's society.

7. A QUESTION OF CHARACTER, by Thomas C. Reeves. (Free Press, $24.95.) A biography of John F. Kennedy.

8. BOSS OF BOSSES, by Joseph F. O'Brien and Andris Kurins. (Simon & Schuster, $22.95.) Two former FBI agents report on the downfall of Paul Castellano, head of the Gambino crime family.

JAZZ: Pianist's wife and daughter also musicians

(From 1G)

before."

Smith knows that the pain of grieving for the loss of a child may lessen but the feeling of loss never goes away.

"For the clowns who think there's a specified time, they have not been through it. Either that, or they are incapable of loving."

Smith describes himself as a loner when he works on the road.

"I don't hang out with a lot of people and have adventures with them. I just prefer the lone existence when I'm away from my family. That's probably because I was an only child. I learned to live alone and like it."

His family includes two members who are in the entertainment business.

His daughter, Lauri Johnson, does voice dubbing and is the voice of the boss's wife on "The Jetsons."

His wife is a professional singer who, among other credits, sang Ava Gardner's vocals in the movie "Showboat" and also was the vocalist who dubbed for Lucille Ball.

Once a year, the three entertainers in the family put on a show, usually for some charity.

"She's a very good pianist in addition to being a good singer," Smith said of his wife, adding that her training was in classical music. "About once a year we do a concert in our area here in the south bay — two pianists and a rhythm section, and our daughter comes and does a semi-comedy act with us, which is very funny. We look forward to it every year."

In addition to his other work, Smith has performed for many feature movies including "Nickelodeon," "They Shoot Horses Don't They" and "Freebie and Bean."

Also, he has approximately 50 solo piano albums out.

He has found his work to be "fun. All my life it's been fun, and at the age of 69 today, it's still fun."

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Fiddling easier than classical violin, teen says

By Rick Smith

SAN ANGELO (AP) — After winning two national fiddle championships, performing hundreds of concerts across the country and recording two albums with Nashville's Smoky Mountain Boys, Julie Ann Carpenter appears to be poised near the edge of fame and fortune.

Only one obstacle remains: "The eighth grade," Julie said, wrinkling her nose.

Julie, 13, the daughter of Tom and Ann Carpenter of San Angelo, spent her summer vacation performing up to three concerts a week with her Family and Friends Band and recording her second album with the Smoky Mountain Boys in a Nashville studio.

The 16-song album will be released this fall, but, by then, her budding musical career will once again take a backseat to books, she said.

"I love playing to crowds, but I really have to cut back during the school year. John Glenn Junior High School calls," she said, smiling.

Julie's 6-year-old musical career began when her parents ordered her a half-size violin "after I nagged them for years."

Under the instruction of Paula Woyton, concertmaster of the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra, Julie learned classical violin.

Fiddling she picked up on her own.

While she's better known for her fiddle playing, Julie won the San Angelo Symphony's young musician's award this year for her classical violin work, and, in school, she's been named All-State for five years in classical violin.

"Fiddling's easier," she said.

"In fiddle music, if I don't comprehend something, I can change it. If I come to a passage I don't like, I can do something else. You can cut and paste.

"In classical, you have to be pretty honest. Especially if you're playing with an accompanist. You don't want your accompanist to fall off the piano bench."

Not, she admitted, that she hasn't had to improvise "once or twice" during classical numbers.

"You look down at your fingers, and the fear hits," she said.

"Once, I was playing at the First Baptist Church, on television. I was playing a Vivaldi 'Concerto in A Minor' and came to this section that I've always had terrible problems with.

"I just stopped.

"I was terrified. The TV cameras were rolling, and my heart was beating a hundred miles a minute."

There was only one thing to do, she said, smiling mischievously.

"I made it look like the pianist messed up."

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— Julie Carpenter

Julie has played at events ranging from tiny talent shows to a fiddling contest attended by 20,000 spectators in Athens, Ga.

She likes the bigger concerts better.

Smoky Mountain Boy "Brother Oswald" once told her that, "if there are 10,000 people in the crowd, somebody's bound to like you.

"But, when there are only 10 people in the room, you never know," she said.

Her parents both play in Julie's band: Tom Carpenter on the guitar and Ann Carpenter on piano.

They have a theory why Julie has finished first at fiddling contests from the Lester Flatt Memorial Contest to the Tennessee Valley Old Time Fiddlers Convention.

"Julie has a real fire she puts into her music," Ann Carpenter said.

"No matter if she's playing classical or fiddle, she puts that fire into whatever she plays."

"There's a snap to her music," Tom added. "It rolls. It has a life about it."

Painfully modest, Julie shrugs off the praise.

"It's fun," Julie said. "I like meeting people. And I like doing this. It's what I'm good at. And, when people buy my albums and tapes, that's even more fun."

Her parents said that Julie made the decision on her own to seriously study music.

Whether or not Julie continues to pursue a musical career is up to her, the parents agreed.

"I just want her to be happy at whatever she does," Tom Carpenter said.

Has success changed their daughter?

"People used to call me Tom Carpenter's daughter," Julie said, grinning.

"Now they say that Dad is Julie Carpenter's father."



Mother and baby

Xavira, an Indian rhinoceros, keeps close watch over her calf the day after his birth last month at the Philadelphia Zoo. Rhino births in captivity are rare and the calf's father, Billy, at 38 is the oldest known breeding male rhino in the world.

AP Laserphoto

Garner to return to TV series

By John Engstrom
Hearst News Service

LOS ANGELES — James Garner is living, tanned, champing-at-the-bit proof that there is life after golf.



Garner

More to the point, his presence before a group of the country's TV critics was testimony that there's still a career after a money-and-lawyers fight with a big studio.

And the Greek worry beads he fingered through the entire interview session?

Just a moment-to-moment crutch to get him through a second day without cigarettes.

Garner has signed on to play in his first TV series since 1981, when the ill-conceived "Bret Maverick" sequel to his earlier "Maverick" hit failed to last a single season.

This fall, in the new NBC sitcom "Man of the People," he'll debut as Jim Doyle, a grifter and hustler who, by happenstance, suddenly is appointed councilman in a medium-sized city and finds his conman values challenged when he comes up against people who need his help.

If that sounds a lot like his much-admired role as ex-con private investigator Jim Rockford in the hugely popular "The Rockford Files" (1974-80), it's no coincidence.

That's the role people expect of him, Garner told the critics. To most of them, he'll always be a genial guy who walks the line between good and bad with a touch of humor thrown in.

Despite the repetitious role, he seemed more than a little pleased to be heading into a TV series after a decade's absence.

"I haven't done much work in the last nine, 10 years," he said. "I've only done, what, three Hallmark (Hall of Fame presentations) and maybe one movie.

"I prefer to work more than that."

Mostly, he said, he played a lot of golf during those years, enough to lower his handicap to "a 1 or 2," though it's back to a 5 now.

But carefully clipped fairways and greens weren't cutting it for Garner.

"You play golf four or five days a week and it can get boring," he said. "It really can.

"Some days you wish you were doing something else. If you can't concentrate on it, I'd rather go back to work for a little bit."

Garner was careful in discussing why he hadn't been seen more often on TV.

His career seemed to go on hold, by whose choice is not clear, at about the time he got into the legal ring with Universal Studios. It was a heavyweight bout over revenue he thought was due him from his previous series work.

There were charges of creative bookkeeping that might have hidden money he was owed.

But Garner gently avoided the word "blacklist" when asked why he wasn't hired much after that fight began.

"I never thought of it in that term," he said. "I don't think they can do that anymore. There's too many independent producers and too many people out there that don't care. ... If Universal wanted to blacklist anybody, I don't think they could."

Still, Garner delivered a humorously worded warning to anyone, or any studio, that might think about trying to cheat him: "I will not be diddled."

Garner said he's comfortable with his "Man of the People" agreement.

"I feel that I'm not in a situation like I was at Universal, where there's going to be that much creative accounting going on.

"I don't think I'm going to have to go to court on this one — I hope."

Garner's lack of TV work seems strange in light of his Academy Award nomination (for "Murphy's Romance"), two Emmys won and nominations for others, including for his work in last season's TV movie "Decoration Day."

Whatever, he's glad to be back on TV, even more so than getting work in theatrical films.

"I think that possibly the best writing is on TV today," he said.

"I just see motion pictures today as special-effects pictures. I don't see a lot of story content. I don't see things dealing with people. There's a few, but very few. It's getting to be formula movies."

Garner was asked if he'd ever played a truly villainous role.

"I did one once, for Dino De Laurentiis in Italy," he said. "And I swore I'd never do it again. It was a disaster. I called it 'Sludge'; they called it 'A Man Called Sledge.'"

What caused the disaster?

"Well," he drawled, "we'll start with Dino. He promises you everything and gives you nothing."

Garner said he has knocked off about 15-18 pounds since he did "Decoration Day." He said, "I felt that character could use the weight, actually, or I used it as an excuse."

In the new show, Garner may be reunited with Stuart Margolin, who played the memorable nervous con man, Angel, in the "Rockford" series. A recurring role is being developed for Margolin, a sort of chronic loser who always brings Doyle bad luck. Contract talks are under way.

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ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

■ MOSC receives grant

Robert C. Kinnear recently presented the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale with a $10,000 grant from Chevron U.S.A.

Kinnear is division manager of the Midland division of Chevron Pipe Line Co. The grant is to help support the 1991-92 season.

Chevron will sponsor a classical concert, "The Noble Cello," featuring guest artist Christopher Adkins, principal cellist of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra. Adkins will perform the celebrated cello "Concerto in B minor" by Dvorak. The Chevron-sponsored concert is set for Tuesday, March 17, at Midland's first Presbyterian Church.

On behalf of Chevron, Kinnear noted that the grant represents increased funancial support for the symphony because of the company's belief in the importance to the community of active and diverse cultural opportunities for all residents.

The symphony performs 11 subscription concerts including classical, pops and choral as well as ensemble concerts by the well-known Thouvenel String Quartet and the Lone Star Brass Quintet. Concerts are held in Midland and Odessa. This year for the first time, pops concerts will be held at the new American Heritage Airpower Museum at Air Terminal.

Jerry Caddel, president of the organization's board of directors, expressed gratitude to Chevron for its "partnership in bringing symphonic music of a high artistic level to Midland and Odessa."

For concert information call the symphony office, 563-0921.

■ ZZ Top to perform

ODESSA — ZZ Top performs at Odessa's Ector County Coliseum Wednesday. Showtime is 8 p.m.

The Recycler Tour is the group's first live tour since Sliminator in 1986.

Opening the show will be special guest Extreme. This group's latest album, "Extreme Pornograffitti II," features the No. 1 hit single "More Than Words."

Tickets, priced at $20.50 at outlets and $21.50 by phone, may be purchased at Endless Horizons, Odessa, Sound Connection, Odessa, Ralph's Records, Lubbock, Circuit Electronics, Big Spring, Advance Tickets, San Angelo, Baca Music, Abilene, Dan's Music & Video, Pecos, or charged by phone by calling 1-800-462-7979.

■ Photo contest planned

JASPER — The East Texas Photography Club has announced plans for the seventh annual Indian Summer Festival Photography Contest.

The contest will be held in conjunction with the Jasper Chamber of Commerce's "Indian Summer Festival" and the East Texas Fair Saturday, Oct.5.

The contest is open to both amateur and professional photographers. Deadline for submission is Oct. 2.

For entry blanks and official rules and categories call Connie Weigand, 1-409-384-3821, or Neal Powers, 1-409-384-2721 or write East Texas Photography Club, P.O. Box 12285, Jasper, Texas 75951 and include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

■ Posters displayed

An exhibition of 50 original lithographs called "Posters of Paris: 1880-1900" is on display at the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., through Sept. 8.

The exhibition, sponsored in part by Mary and Henri de Compiegne Jr. of Midland, is from the Terry and Louis L. Silver Collection and features posters by 15 artists including Toulouse-Lautrec, Cheret, Bonnard, Mucha and Steinlen.

Poster art was created by some of the most talented artists of France during the last 20 years of the 20th century, called in France La Belle Epoque — The Beautiful Age.

Poster art, one of the first art forms to grow outside the formal academics of the time, was the first commercial art and the first art to be mass produced, said a release from the museum. Cafe society, stage performers, theaters, department stores and products such as lamp oil, hats, cigarette papers, liquor and bicycles were advertised by posters. These are the forerunners of billboards and modern advertising.

No admission is charged to view any of the exhibits at the museum. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday.

■ Student art exhibited

ODESSA — The White-Pool House, 112 E. Murphy, is hosting the exhibition "Visions of the Past" through Aug. 27.

The exhibit is a collection of pictures, articles, arts and crafts done by Ector County students depicting the history of Ector County.

The house is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Groups of more than 12 need to call for an appointment so the coordinator may arrange for additional tour guides.

The exhibition is sponsored by the Heritage of Odessa Foundation.

ARTS VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Arts Assembly of Midland would like to honor the volunteer who has done the most in the past year to further the visual and/or performing arts in Midland.

Nominations are now being accepted!

Criteria:

1 Nominee must be resident of Midland County.

2 Nominee must have demonstrated past support of the arts community.

3 Examples of volunteer work in arts organizations include but are not limited to:
a Outstanding volunteer work in the arts
b Outstanding financial support for a program, cause, building, etc. to further cultural enrichment in the community
c Outstanding personal talent which has been utilized to further local interest in the arts

4 Nominee does not have to be member of Arts Assembly of Midland

TO NOMINATE: Send the following to Arts Assembly of Midland, P.O. Box 3494, Midland, TX 79702, 687-1149:
-Name, address and phone of nominee
-Description of nominee's efforts to promote the arts in Midland
-Name, address, and phone of person making nomination

ARTS ASSEMBLY OF MIDLAND

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS AUGUST 19, 1991

Demolition Derby scheduled for Saturday

When the gates open at Twin Cities Speedway Saturday, destruction derby drivers will have come from throughout the United States to compete in the 1991 National Demolition Derby.

The derby carries a first prize of $2,000 and pays 10 places back with 10th place receiving $1,000. Total purse for the derby is $5,000.

The annual event also features the KPEJ TV-24 Kids' Day Great Bicycle Race at 6:30 p.m. Age group categories are 0 to 4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12 and 13 and up. The prizes include six bicycles compliments of Coca Cola and two pedal funny cars from Castrol.

No entry fee is required to enter the bicycle race.

Gates open at 5 p.m.

In addition, Saturday's action features radio control racing cars at 7:30 p.m.; auto racing at 8:30 p.m.; and spectator drags, where participants drive the car they drove to the track, at 9:30 p.m.

The destruction derby is expected to begin at 10 p.m. Entry fee for a derby car is $25. All glass must be removed. All doors and wagon gates must be strapped, wired or welded. Only the driver's door may be reinforced. Safety belts and helmets are required.

Derby rules include hitting a moving car every three minutes. The derby car must be operating under its own power at all times. In any dispute, the decision of the judges is final.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

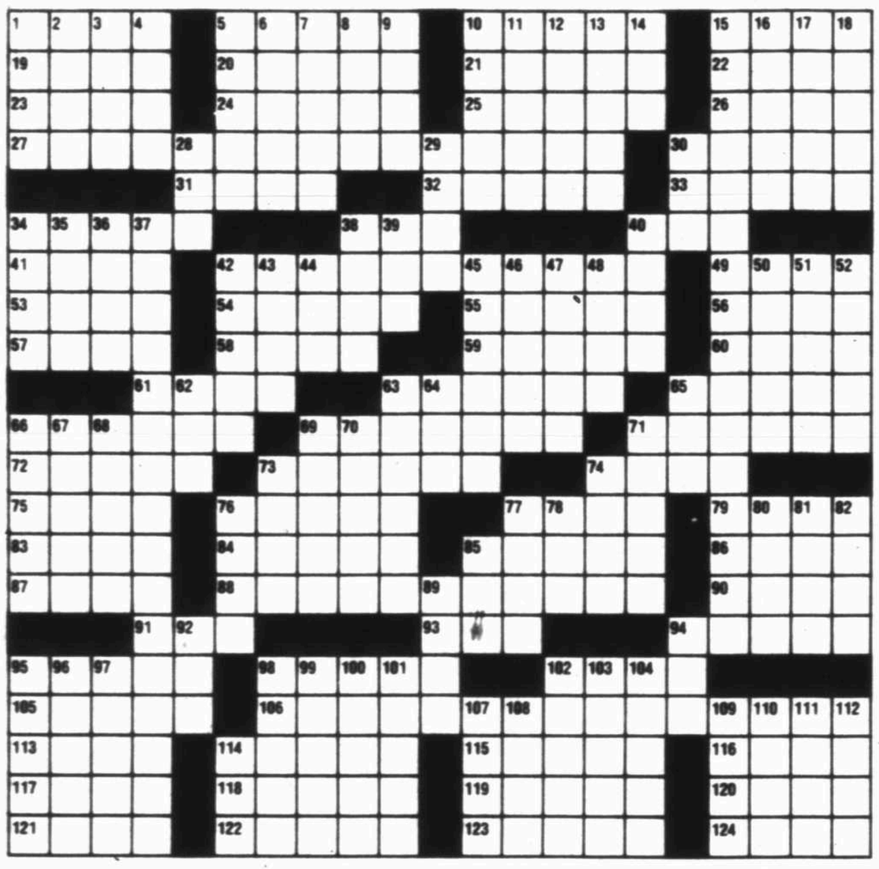
By Norma Steinberg

ACROSS

1 Have words
5 Wore
10 Enough, Luigi!
15 Vipers
19 Composer Porter
20 Type of tower
21 Church section
22 Octagonal sign's word
23 Pinnacle
24 Rajah's wife
25 Take it easy
26 Actress Deborah
27 Judy Garland's request
30 Hit, Biblically
31 Capri
32 Conductor Previn
33 Intuit
34 Parasol's purpose
38 Raised railways
40 Study
41 VIP's car
42 Opportunist's request
49 Globes
53 Seth's birthplace?
54 Core work group
55 Woody Allen movie
56 Give up
57 Bucky of baseball
58 "...too much — and she is too old", Kipling
59 Travels
60 "Do — others..."
61 Wax and —
63 Tuckered out
65 Arrive at
66 Dramatize
69 Rower
71 Showed disapproval
72 Leonine homes
73 Went 50-50
74 "Waste not, — not"
75 Mr. Sharif
76 Unwelcome assignment
77 Upsilon followers
79 "Why, the very —!"
83 Ominous
84 Cries
85 West —
86 Spoken
87 Thick slice
88 Parker Brothers request
90 Bright star
91 Curvy letter
93 Have debts
94 Colorado resort town
95 Important person in Turkey
98 "— up or ship out!"
102 Goals
105 Moderate
106 Doris Day's request
113 Daytime drama
114 First double Grand Slam winner
115 Apportion
116 Shell's staff
117 Cut
118 Open
119 "Superman" star
120 Ascend
121 Start of a counting rhyme
122 Railroad bed
123 Proboscis
124 Capone trademark

DOWN

1 Sting
2 British satirist Alexander
3 Sheltered
4 Written material
5 Employs
6 Advantage
7 "Death Be Not Proud" poet
8 Metal carriers
9 Yeltsin's negative
10 Meat brought home
11 Audible
12 Step
13 French cup
14 Columnist Buchwald
15 Reluctant witness's request
16 Toklas' companion
17 Harbors
18 Shopping —
28 French crumb
29 Final
30 WSW less 90°
34 Winter vehicle
35 Put out of sight
36 Critical Masters' corner
37 Bobby McFerrin's request
38 Poet Pound
39 Spike or Peggy
40 Coloring agents
42 Sparse
43 Slacken
44 — Amin
45 Lloyd or Stassen
46 Eschew the big wedding
47 Greg Luganis, for one
48 Served without return
50 Small ones
51 Please, to Johann
52 Tolerated
62 Ger. neighbor
63 Most chaste
64 Yay, matador!
65 Cotton processor
66 Medicinal plants
67 Desert mount
68 Headpiece for Lady Di
69 Displayed
70 Sophia's husband
71 Must
73 Beat it!
74 Stage assembly area
76 Namesakes of Hollywood's Charisse
77 Strike a —
78 Word on a towel
80 Western advantage
81 Roof overhang
82 Bates or King
85 Manhandle
89 Rhymed message
92 "Just — no"
94 Simile words
95 Dated
96 Solitary
97 Killed
98 Spartacus, for one
99 Hold still aloft
100 Dodge
101 Australian city
102 "The Bridge at —"
103 "— a parade..."
104 Measures out
107 Work for
108 Spread choice
109 TV adjuncts
110 Comic Idle
111 Desert flatland
112 Pitcher
114 High trajectory stroke



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YOUR HOROSCOPE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You could be asked to make a decision that will affect the destiny of many people. Surround yourself with sound, loyal associates. November will be a critical month for your job. A second career is possible in January 1992, perhaps in the communications field. Attention to detail remains vitally important. Taking extra pains with your work will prevent costly mistakes! Do your own research whenever you can.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: TV host Mike Douglas, author Alex Haley, columnist Carl Rowan, actress Arlene Dahl.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Friends may encourage you to take a vacation. Take care of routine matters before making serious plans. You and a newcomer are on the same marvelous wavelength. Get together on a regular basis.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You can make your own luck today. Family members become more supportive when you pick yourself up and start moving forward. Your desire to win a child's respect motivates you to do your best.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A special talent is being developed through practice. A trip or change of residence should be postponed. You need time to get in touch with your inner self. Plan a unique vacation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): The romantic outlook is blissful. Do not worry if things do not work out exactly as planned. Be flexible and express your optimism for the future. Loved ones are unusually supportive.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You may feel partially estranged from someone you love. Unity comes through shared projects.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A spur-of-the-moment journey is likely to be rewarding. Wherever you go you find interesting things to see and do. Romance may be somewhat frustrating. Ride with the tide.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A friendship that centers on domestic interests gradually changes. Speak from the heart. Spiritual growth is very important to you now. Go where you feel you will be enriched. Become a better listener.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A discussion of values may bring out subtle differences that are hard to pinpoint. Visiting a beautiful place is both romantic and inspiring. Share travel or entertainment expenses with your friends or family.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): People respect your common sense and generally follow your advice. Go out with a friend despite a recent disagreement. A love relationship accelerates in a charming and delightful way. Be attentive.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Travel enjoys highly favorable influences. Get in touch with someone you would like to visit. Your competence in your field is publicly rewarded. You feel truly blessed to have supportive friends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your attitude toward romance is more realistic now. An urge to travel grows stronger even though it means being apart from someone special. Reading today's newspaper could spark a money-making idea.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You discover feelings you did not realize you had. Be willing to let go of the past. Focusing on the future will help you make a long-overdue decision. Parent-child relations improve.

GOREN BRIDGE

WITH OMAR SHARIF & TANNAH HIRSCH

East-West vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ Q 10 4
♡ 6 3
◇ A K 6
♣ K J 10 7 2

WEST
♠ K 3
♡ Q 10 5 2
◇ Q 10 7 5 3
♣ A 4

EAST
♠ 8 5 2
♡ K 9 8 7 4
◇ J 9
♣ 8 6 3

SOUTH
♠ A J 9 7 6
♡ A J
◇ 8 4 2
♣ Q 9 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Two of ♡

Singlemindedness is an asset to a rubber bridge player. If you can head for your contract and disregard the lure of overtricks, you will be a winner in the long run.

The auction was straightforward. While the jack of hearts was a doubtful asset, South's club fragment had to be upgraded, since it was in partner's suit. The hand was clearly worth a jump to game once North raised spades.

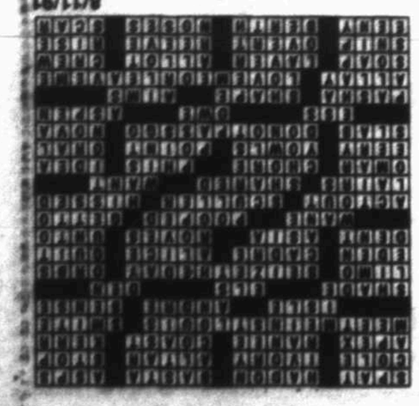
West led a heart and declarer saw no problems. After winning with the ace, declarer crossed to dummy with a diamond and ran the ten of spades to West's king. The queen of hearts was cashed, followed by a shift to a diamond, forcing out the remaining high diamond. West grabbed the ace of clubs at the first opportunity and cashed the queen of diamonds for a one-trick set.

We could understand declarer's play if it had taken place in a duplicate pair event. At rubber bridge, however, it was unnecessarily risky and deserved the fate it met.

Declarer created a weakness which the enemy was able to exploit. Since the club suit would furnish discards for more diamond losers than South held, declarer should have planned to lose only one trick each in trumps, hearts and clubs.

After winning the ace of hearts at trick one, declarer should immediately start on trumps and, to maintain control if spades are 4-1, correct technique is to lead a low trump from hand. Suppose West were to hop up with the king, cash the heart winner and switch to a diamond. Declarer has time to draw the outstanding trump, and force out the ace of clubs while there is still one high diamond on the board to control the suit and serve as an entry to the long clubs, if necessary. The diamond loser disappears on the clubs.

PUZZLE ANSWER



MIDLAND MARQUEE

Symphony • Opera • Theatre • Galleries • Museums • Ballet, etc. . . .

Information on Midland cultural groups listed in this column is provided by Arts Assembly of Midland, Midland's umbrella organization for the arts.

To be included in the Midland Marquee or to receive information on Midland arts organizations which are not among those listed today, please call Arts Assembly of Midland, 687-1149.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: "Hunger of the '90s: Not By Bread Alone," through Aug. 18, And: "Faces of Art: Portraits of Performers and Composers in the Arts" by Christopher Felver, through Aug. 30, 4909 E. University, Odessa, Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., call 1-368-7222.

Fredda Turner Durham Childrens Museum: EXHIBITION: "The World Through the Eyes of Quetzalcoatlus," through August 19, Tuesday-Thursday noon-5 p.m., Friday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

Gallery 1114: EXHIBITION: 1114 N. Big Spring St., Wednesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m., FREE, call 685-9944.

Midland College's McCormick Gallery: EXHIBIT: Allison Fine Arts Building, MC campus, 3600 N. Garfield St., Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., for more information call 685-4708.

Museum of the Southwest: CONCERT: Summer Lawn concert featuring Sun Country Gentelmen, barbershop, 7:45-8:45 p.m., FREE, And: EXHIBITION: "Five Centuries of Italian Painting: 1300-1800," through Sept. 1, And: "Posters of Paris," through Sept. 8, And: "The Paintings of Carol Glitsch-Burnett," through Sept. 29, 1705 W. Missouri, call 683-2882. Regular hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.- 5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum: CLASSES: Children's Summer activities, ages 5-12, call museum for registration information, AND: EXHIBITION: "The Industry & The Environment," through Nov. 24, call 683-4403 for more information, 1500 I-20 West, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., call 683-4403, ADMISSION CHARGED.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

Midland Community Theatre: AUDITIONS: "Quilters," 7 p.m., Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: BOOKS/EXHIBITIONS: 1805 Indiana Ave., call 682-5785.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

Midland Community Theatre: AUDITIONS: "Quilters," 7 p.m., Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Midland County Public Library: AWARDS PROGRAM: 10:30 a.m., Children's Department, FREE.

Midland Quilters Guild: EDUCATION: Pattern Drafting, 7 p.m., Golf Course Road Church of Christ, 683-3686, FREE.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

Junior League of Midland: TOUR: of Dinosaur Exhibit, 10 and 11 a.m., Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum, with notice a special tour can be arranged, call 683-2882.

Midland County Public Library: MOVIES: 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., Children's Department, FREE.

Midland Quilters Guild: EDUCATION: Pattern Drafting, 7 p.m., Golf Course Road Church of Christ, 683-3686, FREE.

Summer Mummers: MELODRAMA: "Misled Down the Mississippi" or "Just Say Neaux," 8 p.m., Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave., call 682-4111 for reservations.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

Faceters Guild: EDUCATION: Guild Meeting: 7:30 p.m., The Planetarium, call 694-6352.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

Summer Mummers: MELODRAMA: "Misled Down the Mississippi" or "Just Say Neaux," 8 p.m., Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave., call 682-4111 for reservations.

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Album doesn't excite Walsh

By Larry McShane

NEW YORK (AP) — Joe Walsh doesn't want a hit single. He didn't pick the name of his new album; in fact, he doesn't like the title. He won't discuss any Eagles reunion rumors. He can't say when his new tour starts or where it will go.

And you thought interviewing famous rock stars about their new albums was fun and exciting.

"It's no big deal to put a record out. Everybody's excited but me," said Walsh. "What is this, my 20th or something? It does good, it does good. I can't get my hopes up."

Or his enthusiasm.

"I'm pretty boring, huh?" Walsh asked after one of many monosyllabic answers to questions about his latest album, "Ordinary Average Guy."

Well, yes.

It wasn't always so. Walsh broke into rock as the nimble-fingered guitarist with the James Gang in the late 1960s, scoring with the hits "Funk No. 49" and "Walk Away." A successful solo career followed; his "Rocky Mountain Way" became a classic rock staple.

There were three albums with the Eagles, including the masterful "Hotel California," before returning to the solo scene. "Life's Been Good," his satire on rock star excess, hit No. 12 on the pop chart. More recently, he worked with Steve Winwood and toured with Ringo Starr.

Along the way, Walsh achieved a reputation as one of rock's greatest party guys, as adept at trashing hotels rooms and himself as ripping off guitar riffs. It's an image Walsh doesn't like anymore.

"I've kind of fixed that. I'm straight and sober, not wild. Used to be. I know how to be," said Walsh, quietly sipping a soda.

Walsh looks like he really knew how. At 43, the wizened Walsh is thin and frail-looking; his hair is graying; he moves slowly across the room, peering through thick glasses.

It's hard to imagine that this is the same guy trading lead guitar licks with Don Felder on "Life in the Fast Lane," or wailing away on "Rocky Mountain Way." And though he's allegedly promoting his new album, puts the A in apathetic:

■ On his new single, "Ordinary Average Guy": "I didn't pick it. That's all I can say, man. I had nothing to do with it."

■ On his reputation as rock 'n' roll's clown prince: "I don't want nothing to do with it. That's all I can say."

■ On the venues he might play: "I don't have a clue. I could care less."

■ On the much-rumored Eagles reunion: "I don't have any comment on the Eagles. That's between Henley and Frey. OK?"

In fact, Walsh says he doesn't want "Ordinary Average Guy" to become a hit single: "That's all I need, another hit single. Yuuuk. What's that got to do with anything that's supposed to be an art form? I'll have to collect some stupid award that I don't want."

Walsh is also down on record companies and the current music scene.

"I don't think there's any rock 'n' roll being made these days. All I hear from new groups is noise. ... I mean, I don't understand new music, and I don't see any need for videos whatsoever."

As for record companies, Walsh said, "I don't have any respect for record companies. They're a bunch of tone-deaf executives. All they care about is profits for their corporate quarter, not if you're good or not."

So what does Walsh care about?

"Having a son. The planet. My family. And AIDS research. And 500 oil wells burning for a year. The homeless. That's about it."

Yes, it is.

Barbershop quartet to perform

The Sun Country Gentlemen Barbershop Chorus will entertain at today's Summer Sundays Lawn Concert at the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

The free concert begins at 7:45 p.m. on the museum's front grounds.

The chorus, which is directed by Lynn Trapp of Crane, is comprised of 20 men from the Permian Basin area. The group invites men who would like to sing in a chorus format, even those who think they can't carry a tune, to inquire about membership, said a spokesperson for the museum.

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