

LOCAL/STATE

Untapped talent

Mary Dodd has missed three chances to take singing talents to Nashville, but she feels she's fulfilled her dream./**1B**



SPORTS

Brazil tops U.S.

The United States could not capitalize on a man advantage early as Brazil eliminates the Americans 1-0./**1C**

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Highway-related deaths reach 63

■ Officials credit carelessness on Texas highways with high holiday death toll.

Associated Press

DALLAS — Carelessness, not alcohol, caused three accidents that killed 31 people Sunday, authorities said.

"If there's a common denominator, it looks like a matter of driver alertness more than anything else," Mike Cox, a spokesman for the Texas Department of Public Safety, said Monday.

The DPS had estimated that 31 people would die on the long holiday weekend on Texas highways. By Monday evening, the count had reached 63, with 43 people killed on Sunday alone.

The elements were tragically similar in three accidents that killed 31 people. Vehicles crowded with families were making hours-long trips without using seat belts.

In one accident, 12 children were piled into the open bed of a pickup truck, a violation of Texas law.

A collision between a family van and a tractor-trailer truck on Interstate 20 just west of Weatherford claimed 14 lives.

Two other accidents killed 11 people near Snyder, 70 miles northwest of Abilene, and six people near Ballinger, 50 miles south of Abilene.

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TUESDAY

NEWS WATCH

Cityline Community Pulse

Sex ed poll

Historically, the Midland Independent School District has taken a cautious, conservative approach in its teaching of sex and AIDS education.

Do you think the local school system should become more explicit in its teaching of those subjects?

We'd like to know your views.

Call Cityline's **Community Pulse Poll** at 560-2400 and enter **Category 7655.**

If you feel MISD should become more agressive in its handling of this subject matter, press 1. If you feel the district should maintain its traditional stance on sex education, press 2.

You will also be welcome to leave your comments. We ask that you leave your name, but that is optional.

The non-scientific poll will remain open until noon today. Results will be published in tomorrow's Reporter-Telegram.



Army headquarters seized

Rebels besieging Rwanda's capital of Kigali pushed into the city's center Monday, capturing army headquarters. After a skirmish with French forces Sunday, rebels warned there will be further fighting if French troops insist on instituting a "safe zone" for refugees near Butare.

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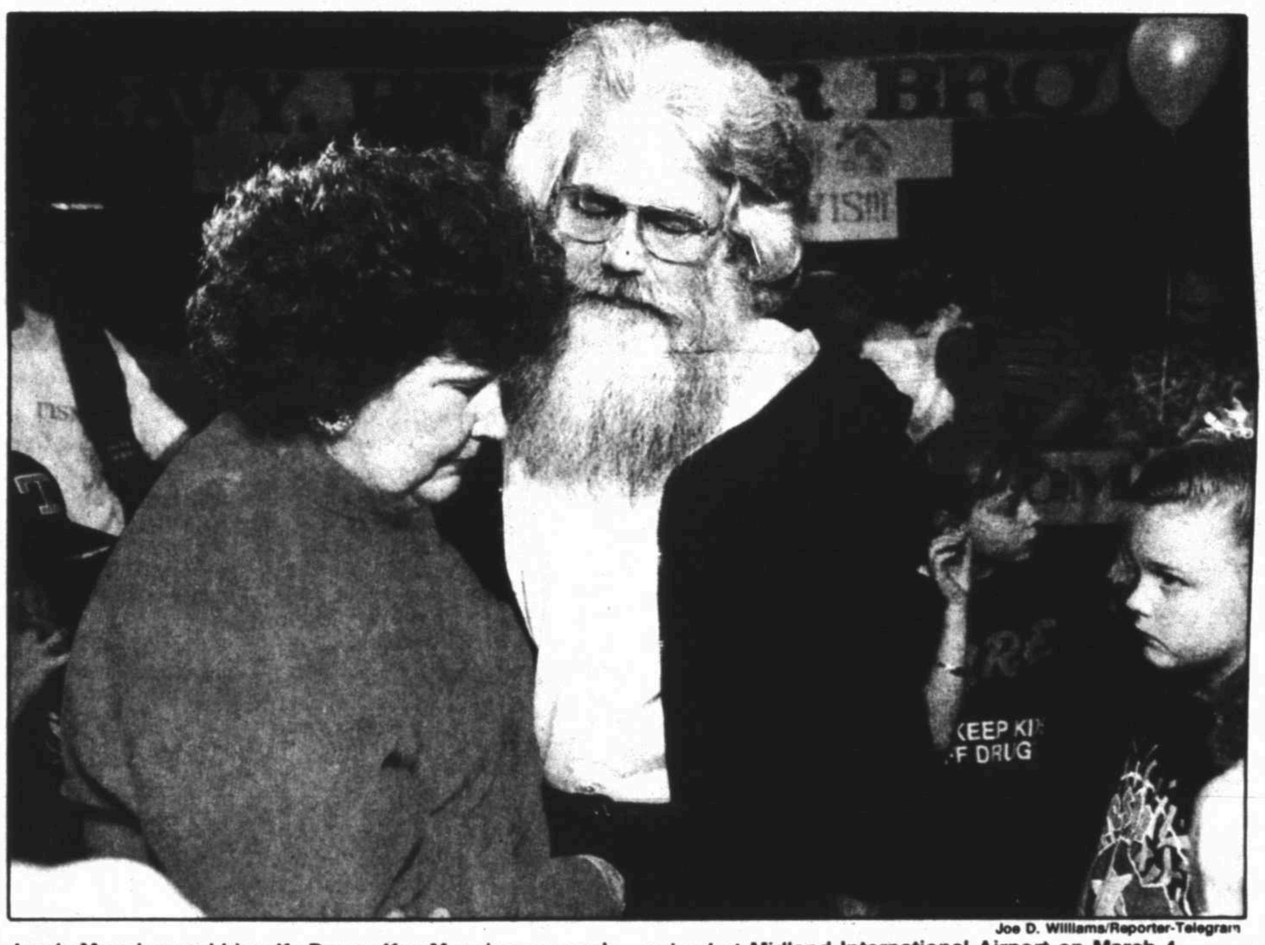
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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Children's Parade

Some 106 young people took part in Monday's traditional Fourth of July Children's Parade in downtown Midland. The event is sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Lewis Manning and his wife Donna Kay Manning see each other — for the first time in more than a year — after he arrived at Midland International Airport on March 4.

Ex-hostage recalls false hopes, homecoming

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Editor's note: This is the third in a four-part series that profiles the 1993 abduction of Lewis A. Manning from a gold-mining camp in Colombia, South America, by a group of leftist rebels. He was released one year and eight days later and now resides in Midland with his family.

On Feb. 25, 1993, Donna Kay Manning was working at a dress shop when her son, Alan, called and said he would be picking up some chicken for dinner at his grandmother's house. This was the night Alan would announce his engagement to Yvonne, Mrs. Manning thought.

When Mrs. Manning drove up to the house and was met by Alan, she knew the news wasn't good.

"I asked if something had happened to his dad," Mrs. Manning said.

They took a walk. Alan reminded his mother of a book she had read and its survival message.

Then he told her: her husband, his father, Lewis Manning had been kidnapped from a gold-mining camp by leftist rebels in Colombia.

"Just shock. I just can't explain the feeling. I have it in my stomach right now and it stayed with me a year," Ms. Manning said as she recalled the ordeal.

The rest of the family was waiting inside.

"Disbelief. We couldn't believe it," said Manning's mother, Mary F. Manning.

The family did not know the intentions of the kidnappers. Steve Baker, an American who was with Manning when he was taken, was able to describe the abduction and identify the guerrilla group.

The family learned through the State Department that the kidnappers, the National Liberation Army of Colombia, were profiled as a Marxist-Leninist political organization opposing the Colombian government and seeking agrarian reform. The group was formed in July 1964 and have been trained and supported by Cuba.

Manning had been in Colombia a week. He and his older brother, Bob Manning, took turns between Midland and the gold-mine, the harvest-center of Bob's business: Gold and

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Three Texans on USAir flight escape death

Associated Press

Dorian Doucette had just completed basic training and was headed home to Baytown for the first time since enlisting in the Army.

Stanley Williams of Dallas flying home with his wife, Lori, to be by the side of his mother, who is dying of cancer.

All three Texans narrowly escaped death when USAir Flight 1016 slammed into a field in Charlotte, N.C., Saturday night.

At least 37 people were killed when the plane crashed while making its second approach for a landing at Charlotte-Douglas International Airport. Doucette and Williams were among just 20 survivors.

Doucette, 20, was in critical condition Sunday at the burn center at the University of North Carolina Hospitals in Chapel Hill.

He is suffering with burns to more than 60 percent of his body, mostly below the waist and on his back, said his sister, Renita Doucette.

"He's a fighter," she told the Houston Chronicle. "They tell us he's coherent and answering questions, so we think he's going to be OK."

Williams, 29, was in fair condition at Carolinas Medical Center in Charlotte, where he was admitted with severe cuts and bruises. His wife, Lori Williams, 23, was in good condition with a mild concussion and a broken foot.

"I'm real sore, and I have a lot of stitches," he said.

Doucette is an Army communications specialist who had just finished basic training at Fort Jackson in Columbia, S.C., and was attending school at Fort Gordon in Augusta, Ga. Doucette was en route home to Baytown for the Independence Day weekend when the plane crashed, his sister said.

This was to be his first visit home since enlisting, and he was excited about seeing his 5-month old son, Daunte, his sister said.

Williams, 29, an Army air traffic controller stationed in German, was flying with his wife just behind the wing of the DC-9-30 when he became concerned about what he was seeing outside his window.

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New classroom advice: 'Teach but don't touch'

By Carole Feldman
Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — High school teacher Malcolm Bailey no longer touches a student's hand to guide pen on paper for a classroom art project. He's afraid his motive might be misunderstood and he could be accused of sexual harassment.

The National Education Association says its advice to teachers now in many instances is "teach but don't touch."

It hurts to say that, said NEA President Keith Geiger, because often "what a kid most needs is a hug from a teacher because they surely don't get it from anybody else."

Sexual harassment has become one of the most difficult issues ever to confront the profession, the union leader said.

Geiger said he was not condoning sexual harassment, but contended there are dozens of false accusations for every instance in which a child was sexually abused or harassed by a teacher.

An accusation — true or false — destroys or seriously damages a teacher's career, he said.

Bailey and other teachers here attending the NEA's annual convention say it has forced them to change the way they do their jobs.

"You're careful about touching a student in any way, even an instructional way," said Bailey, a graphics arts teacher in Billings, Mont.

Early in his career, he might have taken students' hands to help them properly use a pen. "Now what you do is take the pen, you don't touch her, you don't have any personal contact with her."

Bailey said the threat of a sexual harassment accusation drives a wedge between teacher and student. "You have to couch everything you say," he said.

Gilbert King, a special education aide at a Poydras, La., high school, said he tries to avoid being alone with a child. In the event that he can't, he'll take precautions.

"I open the doors wider. I sit more in the middle of the room. You tend to put more distance between you," he said.

He also is careful about his conversations with students. "I don't let them talk about any matters of the heart with me," he said.

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WEATHER WATCH

Today sunny, high near 100

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high near 100 and south to southeast winds 10 to 20 mph and gusty, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight will be fair with a low between 70 and 75.

Today is expected to be mostly sunny with a high near 100.

After an overnight low of 75, Monday's high was 99 compared with the record high for that date of 106 set in 1983. The record low for today's date was 60 in 1972.

STATE

The Fourth of July brought clear to partly cloudy skies across the state and temperatures mainly in the 90s.

In West Texas Monday, skies were cloudy over the far west and partly to mostly sunny elsewhere. Temperatures were mainly in the 90s. Winds were south to southeast at 20 to 30 mph and gusty in the Panhandle and 10 to 20 mph with occasional gusts elsewhere.

Today's forecast calls for fair to partly cloudy skies. Thunderstorms are possible through Wednesday over the mountains and Big Bend region.

Highs will be from around 100 in the mountains and northern Panhandle to 110 in the Presidio and Big Bend valleys.

In North Texas, clear skies turned cloudy in the afternoon Monday. Winds were southerly at 5 to 10 mph with gusts up to 20 and 25 mph in the areas of Abilene, Wichita Falls, Temple and Fort Hood.

Temperatures were in the 90s.

Today's North Texas forecast calls for partly cloudy skies in the southeast and mostly sunny skies elsewhere. Scattered afternoon thunderstorms are expected to the east and south. Highs will be from the lower 90s to near 102.

In South Texas, skies were partly cloudy Monday. Temperatures were in the 90s except for along the coast, where temperatures were in the 80s.

Winds were from the south and southeast at 10 to 15 mph. Gusts of 20 to 30 mph were reported along the immediate coast and across the lower Rio Grande Valley.

Today's South Texas forecast calls for fair to partly cloudy skies with isolated afternoon showers. Highs will be in the 90s inland and 80s along the coast.

NATION

Severe hail battered Kansas as thunderstorms swept across the Plains, and temperatures hit triple digits in some spots in the Southwest.

Thunderstorms and heavy rain continued in the southeastern United States, as the remnants of Tropical Storm Alberto moved through the area. Flash flood watches remained in effect in some areas.

Rainfall for the six-hour period ending at 8 a.m. EDT included 2.4 inches at Fort Benning, Ga., and 1.38 inches at Hurlburt Field, Fla.

A cold front marching across the Northern Plains spawned thunderstorms and hail. Tornadoes were sighted Monday in Iowa and Wisconsin.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Mostly sunny, high near 100, south to southeast winds 10-20 mph and gusty.
Tonight: Fair, low 70-75.
Wednesday: Mostly sunny, high near 100.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	99 degrees
Overnight Low	75 degrees
Sunset today	8:58 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:49 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.00 inches
Year to date	3.92 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	101	6 a.m.	76
7 p.m.	98	7 a.m.	76
8 p.m.	93	8 a.m.	79
9 p.m.	91	9 a.m.	82
10 p.m.	89	10 a.m.	85
11 p.m.	86	11 a.m.	91
midnight	85	noon	94
1 a.m.	82	1 p.m.	96
2 a.m.	81	2 p.m.	97
3 a.m.	79	3 p.m.	97
4 a.m.	79	4 p.m.	98
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		6 p.m.	95

Area forecast

WEST TEXAS — Permian Basin Today, mostly sunny. Highs around 102. Tonight, fair. Lows in the lower to mid 70s. Wednesday, mostly sunny. Highs near 100. Wednesday night, fair. Lows in the lower to mid 70s. Thursday, mostly sunny. Highs 100-105. Friday and Saturday, a slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms, otherwise mostly sunny days and fair nights. Lows in the lower to mid 70s. Highs 100-105.

Border forecast

New Mexico Today through Wednesday night, a few afternoon and evening thunderstorms near the eastern border otherwise sunny hot days with afternoon breezes and fair nights. Highs mid 70s and 80s mountains, 90-100 lower elevations.

Oklahoma Today through Wednesday night, clear to partly cloudy. A slight chance for thunderstorms in northwestern and southeastern Oklahoma. Highs mid 90s to near 100. Lows in the 70s.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	96	71	
Alpine	97	71	
Amarillo	98	75	
Austin	98	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	93	74	
Brownsville	93	76	
Bryan-College Station	94	71	
Childress	97	71	
Corpus Christi	92	74	
Corpus Christi NAS	89	78	
Cotulla	98	75	
Dalhart	98	73	
Dallas Love Field	95	78	
Dallas NAS Field	94	77	
Del Rio	99	86	
El Paso	103	84	
Fort Worth	95	77	
Fort Worth Meacham	96	77	
Galveston	89	83	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	84	53		clr
Albuquerque	98	70		clr
Asheville	82	66	.09	rn
Atlanta	77	73	1.63	rn
Atlantic City	79	64		cdy
Baltimore	87	70	.16	cdy
Billings	83	52		rn
Bismarck	85	59	.54	cdy
Boise	85	48		clr
Boston	79	64		cdy
Buffalo	89	61		cdy
Charleston,S.C.	84	73	.74	rn
Charleston,W.Va.	92	66		cdy
Chicago	91	74		cdy

Pick 3 Texas

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

2-4-5

CAPTIVE: Ex-hostage recounts release, homecoming

(From 1A)

Resources Company International. Each stay at the mining camp — situated in the jungles of western Colombia — lasted about two months.

When those involved in the operation talked about the camp being looted by the rebels at the time of the abduction, Mrs. Manning couldn't help but ask if her husband's wedding ring was taken. "Because he had lost it before," she said.

For more than four months after the kidnapping, the only news the family received about the situation were rumors relayed from village people in Colombia.

Eventually, the family received letters from Manning. They arrived on July 16, Aug. 27, Nov. 4 and Dec. 13.

"We were amazed at his faith in God and his sense of humor. . . . We could read that in these letters," Mrs. Manning said. Manning acknowledged his deep faith during the ordeal but said he didn't think the letters were written with a sense of humor.

Despite the relief provided by the letters, the family suffered emotionally. Their lives were put on hold, family members said.

Friends and family prayed.

"I would grieve about the situation he was in," Mrs. Manning said.

She would work long hours to keep busy although she never stopped thinking about her husband. "I rarely had two or three minutes without the thought there," she said.

Mrs. Manning recalled leaving work on Christmas Eve, unable to control her emotions, her streams of tears. "I cried all the way home like I did lots of nights," she said.

Everything the Mannings normally did together reminded Mrs. Manning of her husband. "I couldn't watch football games," she said.

The family never gave up hope or feared that Manning would be killed.

But Mrs. Manning acknowledged the danger her husband was in. "I had to cope with whether I'd be a widow or not," she said.

"The close and growing relationship with God was what really got me through it," said Mrs. Manning, who also sought Christian counseling.

Manning's wife, Donna Kay; son, Alan; daughter, LuAnne Wallace; mother, Mary F.; brothers, Bob and Tom; and sister, Janie Etheredge, waited anxiously.

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On Dec. 11, 1993, Lewis Manning was taken to a new rebel camp in the Colombian jungle. Although he had been moved numerous times in the previous 10 months, this camp was built specifically for him.

Four days later, a 23-year-old guerrilla commandant visited Manning. The commandant spoke fluent English, which Manning hadn't heard since his abduction.

The commandant had came to tell Manning about his impending release; Manning was indifferent.

"He was very emphatic that I would be released in January and he wanted me to show some emotion," Manning said. The commandant expressed anger at Manning's depression.

Manning protected himself from creating false hope.

Over the next several weeks the commandant would visit the camp and converse with Manning. The two developed a rapport.

Late in the morning on the last day of January 1994, the commandant returned. The order had came that Manning was free, but he could not leave now because government military forces were in the area.

Manning was directed to write two letters requesting the "zone" be cleared to precipitate his release.

Weeks passed and Manning was still held against his will.

"I came more and more to accept it wasn't really true," he said.

On Feb. 28, the news came. "All of the sudden it was, 'Hurry up, it's time to get out of here now,' " he said.

Most of the occupants of the camp left. Manning was told the remains of the site would be burned.

Manning, the commandant and two other rebels departed. They hiked to a river. The only way to get to the other side was on suspended steel cable.

On the way to the site, Manning had crossed on the cable with one of the rebels. This time, Manning had to go alone in the dark amid lightning, thunder and heavy rain.

The ⅜-inch cable spanned about 100 yards and 150 feet above the raging white water of the boulder-laden Atrato River. A pulley was attached to the cable with a simple rope seat.

After the "treacherous" crossing, the men hiked to a road, then walked toward the town of El Carmen. When a vehicle would approach, the group hid in the jungle.

They arrived at a motel-/truck stop, where they stayed the night and about 20 other rebels joined the group.

"They were very nervous the whole time," Manning said.

About 4 a.m., the rebels took Manning in a commercial truck for an hour's drive. They were dropped off in the "middle of nowhere." They walked back to a ranch house, where they stayed the remainder of the day.

A mild earthquake that day caused mountain rock to block a roadway; the rebels grew more anxious. Word came later that the road was cleared.

Manning was expecting a helicopter to pick him up. The day was foggy and rainy and Manning was concerned.

The 3 p.m. March 2 arrival time came and went.

About 4:30 p.m., Manning — who had been given a pair of jeans, a Pittsburg Pirates T-shirt and new white tennis shoes for the release — was told to put his jungle-walking shoes back on. He was interrupted while doing so.

Outside, a white Nissan taxi — with an International Red Cross sign affixed to the side — was waiting.

Four people were inside: the driver, a Red Cross representative, a Monsignor and Jose Renteria, a security worker at the gold-mining camp who Manning recognized.

Manning jumped in the front seat and ignored the rebels outside. "I was done with them," he said.

For the first time in a year and eight days, Manning felt free.

On the floorboard, Manning found a pair of folded jeans with a belt and large Western buckle with a golden "M." He and his

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Manning shares words written while in captivity

Editor's note: The following is a statement Lewis A. Manning read upon arriving in Midland after being held hostage a year and eight days by Colombia leftist rebels, Union Camilista Ejercito de Liberacion Nacional or the National Liberation Army of Colombia. He wrote the message in captivity on Pearl Harbor Day, Dec. 7, 1993. At the time, he did not know when he would released.

Cut out

and throw away

Our God answered many prayers and sent His angels to minister to me — returning me to the . . . Land of the Free . . . Home of the Brave.

Comments of idle minds have gained the attention of third world people assuming this is the accepted position of the total people in the United States, because rebuttal and official position has not been voiced each time these idle minds speak. These liberal voices of incorrect policies and conditions are some of the reasons I (am) was being held by the group (here) there. Blood has been shed by defenders of peace and freedom numerous times and various places around the world by all nationalities of American citizens. The policies and views of our great nation still remain based upon God and Christian principles. Our news media has been bias, reporting on activities of the liberal minorities and not balancing with basic policies this country was founded upon. Probably assumptions have been made that people around the world know why and how America became great, not so we must keep reminding these misinformed human beings constantly. The liberal voices and the attention our news media has given them is awaking the sleeping tiger as the nation of Japan did some 52 years ago, which as the Japanese commander said, "We have constructed our own defeat," and was proven so by people who understood what comprises freedom and democracy. It is purchased and does not come without sacrifice. For the elders and members of Golf Course Road Church of Christ I am thankful and to my family who joined forces to draw each others strength, for John Grist, president of Midland American Bank, still free and independent, last but not least many many friends so numerous it's impossible to mention for fear of leaving someone out . . . I am very grateful . . . May God bless you — and may God bless America as we struggle to re-establish Christian principles and family values to the greatest nation in the world.

The following is a statement Manning wrote for the news media in Colombia after his release. Manning said he was careful in wording the statement so as not to be detained from returning home by authorities.

Throughout this long unjust incarceration many, many prayers to God have been offered in my behalf and for the attitude of my captors. Due to these prayers and the answering of them, I have been treated well being allowed to study God's word with a New Testament I was presented with, to listen to short wave radio in which my family was able to send messages to me during the holiday season, to write to and receive letters from my family, to be given medical attention on two occasions for my physical condition, to be treated in a civil humanitarian way providing for my needs, and even though I do not speak Spanish I was treated very courteous with patience and understanding.

For this I am thankful to God! Also thankful for His protection and sending of His angels to minister to me. May God be with Colombia and may all people look to Him for their hope and salvation.

ABUSE: Many worry about sexual harassment charges

(From 1A)

Teachers say it is the student who suffers.

"It makes a very sterile environment," said Lorraine Arburr, a third-grade teacher in Terryville, Conn. "It doesn't give a teacher an opportunity to show you care."

The American Association of University Women last year reported a "sexual harassment epidemic" in America's public schools, with 85 percent of girls and 76 percent of boys in grades eight through 11 experiencing some form of sexual harassment.

The majority of the harassment was student against student, the study said, but 25 percent of the girls and 10 percent of the boys accused a teacher or school employee of harassing them.

"What a child needs is an environment free of invidious discrimination," said Paul Smith, director of research for the Children's Defense Fund.

Geiger said it is essential that schools set guidelines on what constitutes sexual harassment, and that teachers, staff, parents and the community know them. Likewise, he said, teachers should discuss with students what is appropriate behavior, and what isn't.

When it comes to their own relationships with students, in many cases it's a matter of self-preservation.

Even female teachers are affected.

"I don't teach differently, but I am more alert," said Arbrella Luvert, a high school accounting and applied economics teacher in Eugene, Ore.

Luvert is the faculty adviser to the Future Business Leaders of America at her school. When just the boys in the club decided to go on a recent trip, Luvert brought her daughter along.

Sexual harassment accusations also are seen as a deterrent to getting more men to enter the teaching profession.

She said sexual harassment is less of an issue in elementary school where "parents want an educator who is caring, touching."

Some suggest there's a double standard for women.

"I touch my kids all the time, male and female," Arburr said. "No one things twice about it. It's a motherly thing to do."

CARELESS: Texas highway death toll reaches 63

(From 1A)

In the Weatherford accident, the van driver pulled from the side of the highway into the truck's lane, apparently not seeing an oncoming 18-wheeler, Cox said.

The driver of a pickup truck that crashed near Snyder failed to yield the right of way to one truck-tractor towing another.

And in Ballinger, the driver of a 1981 Lincoln Town Car that slammed into an overturned semi-trailer told authorities he had fallen asleep at the wheel and did not see or hear the flashing lights and siren of a trooper's car already at the scene.

"On holiday weekends, it seems people attempt to get the most bang for their buck and try to get where they're going in a way that is almost as dangerous as drinking and driving," Cox said.

"Once you're fatigued," he said, "your mental alertness has dropped and you're more likely to make mistakes, overlook something or fall asleep at the wheel."

But disregard for simple safety precautions added to the carnage, Cox said.

All of the vehicles were crammed with passengers. The 1977 Dodge van had 18 people inside. The Lincoln Town Car carried eight passengers, and the pickup truck involved in the accident near Snyder had three adults in the cab and 12 children crowded into its open bed.

None of the passengers of the Lincoln Town Car nor the three adults in the pickup truck cab were wearing seat belts, authorities said.

"I saw several accidents yesterday where victims could have survived if they'd been wearing safety belts," Cox said.

All three adults and Eight of the 12 children piled into the bed of the pickup truck died in the crash near Snyder, renewing attention to a Texas law that forbids children from riding in the back of pickups.

State Sen. Steven Carriker, who supported final passage of the bill in 1989, said the law is largely ignored in rural areas. His district includes the area where the accident occurred.

"It's quite common to see large families traveling in this manner," Carriker, D-Roby, told The Dallas Morning News.

Cox, noting that more than 20 of those killed Sunday were children, warned that parents must take responsibility for their children's safety.

"There's nothing more precious than a child. You need to have them buckled up," he said. "As a parent myself, I can't conceive doing something that would risk the life of my little daughter. What can be more important than a person's child?"

Cox recommended that holiday travelers take extra precautions, such as taking a break after every 100 miles and switching drivers often, if possible.

"I hope that they read their morning papers ... and that it sinks in on them that you really can't take going from point A to point B for granted," he said. "You have to be careful all the time and especially on a holiday weekend when everyone's traveling."

FLIGHT: 3 Texans survive crash

(From 1A)

The plane "popped out of a cloud and began descending at a 45-degree angle," he said.

The next thing he remembered was paramedics unstrapping him from his seat.

"The people seated behind us didn't make it," Williams told The Dallas Morning News in a telephone interview.

His mother has been given about two weeks to live, said Williams' brother, Glenn Williams of Jacksonville, Ark.

"We're going to be cutting it really close getting them home to Dallas," the brother said. "Stanley is pretty banged up."

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CAPTIVE: Ex-hostage recounts his release, homecoming

(From 2A)

brother Bob each had such a buckle.

"I knew that was a message that Bob was close," he said.

Manning waited in the car about 30 minutes — while the rebels talked propaganda to the Red Cross official and the Monsignor — before they left. The Rev. Guillermo Vega later told The Associated Press that the rebels said they were seeking solutions to social injustice, and education and health problems among the poor.

The taxi traveled southwest toward Quibdo. Several hours later the vehicle halted at a traffic jam: a large truck was stuck in the gravel.

The ordeal dragged out. Then about 10 p.m., it began to rain. Everyone returned to his car or truck or bus, turned out the lights and went to sleep.

"I was upset about it. I wanted to be free. I was but I wasn't. I was still captive basically," he said.

The next morning, a truck that had been there the whole time pulled out the stranded vehicle in about 10 minutes. Manning was angered at the earlier incompetence.

When Manning arrived at Tutunendo, he was detained by police for an hour. Manning told the police he did not understand any Spanish to avoid questioning.

The journey continued to Quibdo, where he also met with police.

He then went to a hotel where a room had been reserved for him. He ate for the first time in two days.

Manning avoided a lobby full of news media, but later spoke to a Colombian newspaper reporter.

His family telephoned him in the hotel room; Manning had not called because he was preoccupied with getting home.

"I was uptight, very uptight. I don't feel safe. I don't feel secure," he said.

Manning, escorted by the Red Cross official, caught a flight to Bogota.

There, Manning met his brother Bob, and longtime friend John Miller. Manning visited the U.S. Embassy, was interviewed by the FBI, and spoke to a reporter from The Associated Press.

The next morning he flew to Miami. There, FBI agents greeted him and said that another agent would contact him in Midland.

Manning flew to Dallas and then home to Midland.

"I was excited but also apprehensive," he said.

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Manning's release cost $25,000.

Although the guerrilla group holding Manning wanted $1 million initially, they reduced the ransom to $200,000 in December. At one time negotiators offered 10 million pesos (about $14,000 at the time), which the rebels scoffed at.

Finalizations of the release came about after a series of covert negotiations between Bob Manning with his business contacts in Colombia and the rebels. Jose Renteria, the person Manning recognized in the taxi converted to a Red Cross vehicle, acted as a messenger, exchanging letters between the two sides in Quibdo.

When the word came that Manning would be released for $25,000, his church — the Golf Course Road Church of Christ — raised almost $20,000 in two collections. The family made up the rest.

There wasn't any alternative to the private negotiations, Alan Manning said while his father was still in captivity.

The only option offered by the American and Colombian officials was a rescue mission by Colombian special military forces. That, the family felt, would greatly risk Manning's life.

The negotiations were risky as well. In addition to the threat of the rebels, the Colombian government recently had passed strict laws regarding payment of ransom for release of hostages. That law was repealed to allow families to pay ransoms just three weeks before Manning's release.

During the negotiations, the Manning family had, like Manning, been misled several times that a release was forthcoming.

"It seemed like we rode that roller coaster a long time," Mrs. Manning said.

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A group of more than 100 people — friends, family, church members and the media — gathered at Midland International Airport on the evening of March 4.

A small turboprop airplane landed and pulled up to the gate. Through the terminal windows, passengers could be seen getting off the aircraft.

When the last passenger, a man with long gray hair and beard, stepped off (the plane), he knelt down and kissed the tarmac. 'Oh, this is great. I can't believe it. I'm about to lose it here but I'm not going to.'

—Lewis Manning on arrival in Midland

When the last passenger, a man with long gray hair and beard, stepped off, he knelt down and kissed the tarmac.

"Oh, this is great. I can't believe it," Manning said once inside the terminal. "I'm about to lose it here but I'm not going to."

Stroking his beard, Manning said he had not shaved or cut his hair while captive to protest the injustice.

Later, Manning said that the day after being captured, the rebels spray-painted some of his clothing "just to humiliate me." One of the rebels had stolen his shaving cream, and when Manning was asked to shave he refused in hopes of getting the shaving cream back. That prompted his protest not to shave or have his hair cut.

"It was something that was mine, something I could control," he said.

To compound his message to the rebels, Manning also would wear a dirty pair of khaki pants and a shirt with mold on the back as long as possible. He had clean clothes but became "obsessed" with wearing the dirty outfit.

When Manning was released, the rebels made him wear clean clothes. But they couldn't make him shave and cut his hair.

Manning said that after his release his hair and beard became a "trophy" that he had beat the rebels. "I wanted my picture taken the way I was in the jungle," he said.

Before he left Bogota, Manning called home to ask if his appearance would frighten his grandsons.

At his arrival in Midland, Manning also read a media statement he had written on Pearl Harbor Day, in anticipation of his unknown future release.

The statement essentially criticized media coverage of small but vocal organizations that portray ideologies contrary to those held by the majority of Americans. The world therefore gets an inaccurate picture of the United States, Manning said. There needs to be a return to family values and belief in God, he added.

Following the homecoming reception at the airport, Manning returned home with his family.

At home, all Manning could do was talk, according to family members.

"He hadn't spoken to anyone who spoke English for so long. . . . ," Mrs. Manning said. "He was kind of on an adrenaline high."

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Delegations arrive at Arafat's beachfront hotel office in Gaza

■ Ex-PLO guerrilla leader plans permanent stay; Israel helps with security; Arafat to swear in ministers in fall.

By Neil MacFarquhar
Associated Press

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip — All day Monday, delegations poured into the beachfront hotel where Yasser Arafat holds court — uprising victims in wheelchairs, Bedouins in robes, even Arab village elders from inside Israel.

It's as if they cannot quite believe they have a recognized Palestinian leader on their own turf.

"It's him. It's him," girls giggled behind their hands, like rock fans gazing on a star for the first time.

The excitement of Arafat's return as president after 27 rambling years in exile as a guerrilla was enhanced by the announcement Monday that he plans a permanent stay. But it wasn't quite enough icing to cover the bitter problems that Palestinians want him to solve.

"Of course seeing Arafat here will create euphoria, but how long can the honeymoon last?" said Eyad Sarraj, a Gaza psychiatrist.

Arafat planned a visit today to the West Bank town of Jericho, the seat of government for the self-rule authority. While he was going by helicopter, most of his aides pulled out in taxi convoys for the trip across Israel.

The move puts the new security cooperation pact between Israel and the PLO to its toughest test yet. Two Israeli army helicopters were to provide air escort from the Gaza Strip over Israeli territory.

The Israeli army set up roadblocks Monday to keep away Jewish settlers who threatened to disrupt the visit, which is expected to draw tens of thousands of people to the sleepy oasis town.

Arafat will swear in the 18 ministers in the Palestinian National Authority that will run Gaza and Jericho until elections are held, possibly in the fall. The test of Arafat's leadership, however, has already begun.

To succeed, Arafat must rapidly address the many troubles in the autonomous lands. People clamor for jobs. There is no money to repair crumbling towns. Some Muslim fundamentalists call Arafat weak for compromising with Israel and unprepared for the mundane chores of paying bills and filling potholes.

Among Gazans there is deep suspicion that the agreement, rather than leading to a Palestinian state as Arafat promised, will make them vassals of Israel. And even supporters worry that he has not changed his autocratic ways.

Concern about opposition crops up repeatedly in Arafat's remarks.

"I want all the people everywhere to talk about unity and nothing else," Arafat told a group of visitors on Monday. "I'm not letting people criticize and try to undermine the unity."

The strongest basis for supporting the peace treaty is that it will lift people out of their shantytowns. Unemployment runs around 50 percent with once decent jobs in Israel now strictly curtailed for security reasons.

Many Egyptians wonder about reforms

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — Once again, government-guided newspapers are proclaiming that terrorism in Egypt is over. The use of force to quell Muslim radicals has sharply reduced extremist violence.

But many Egyptians wonder if the supposed victory over extremists will slow democratic reforms the government has promised. They ask whether the government, apparently satisfied with its crackdown, will use similar tactics against other forms of dissent.

Since coming to power in 1981, President Hosni Mubarak has repeatedly expressed a commitment to democracy but made little progress in giving people a real say. Egypt has 13 political parties, almost none with wide public support. A large army, security apparatus and bureaucracy makes the government the primary influence in Egyptian society.

Historically, the government has depended mainly on force to stop those it sees as threats to its stability.

"The government now is not under the same pressure of extremism as before. Therefore, we expected it to be more willing to accept democratic reform," said Bahay el-Din Hassan, director of the Cairo Institute for Human Rights Studies. "What happened was the contrary."

Riot police rained tear gas bombs on the Lawyers' Syndicate headquarters in May as attorneys protested the death of a colleague in police custody.

Lawyers were beaten with truncheons and dragged away. Some were held more than five weeks, despite domestic and international appeals. The last nine were freed June 27.

"Using security measures alone to deal with political problems doesn't solve anything," Hassan said. "The alternative is to encourage more democracy."

From the government's perspective, however, force seems to be working.

Since January, 104 people have been killed — 54 radicals, 39 policemen, 10 bystanders and a German tourist — but most of them died in the first four months. Since April 30, the toll is four policemen and five extremists.

U.S. opens new embassy with Bud, Pepsi in Sarajevo

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Diet Pepsi and Bud, grilled hot dogs and napkins emblazoned with the Statue of Liberty and the U.S. flag. A band playing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

The United States brought a bit of itself to Sarajevo on Monday, celebrating Independence Day with the festive opening of an embassy.

Yet while American patriotism and idealism were on full display, fighting persisted in Bosnia and international mediators were gearing up for meetings that could determine whether there is peace or more war.

The opening of the U.S. Embassy, a three-story house newly coated with white paint and surrounded by a large neatly trimmed lawn, was a sign of U.S. support.

A cease-fire has largely held around Sarajevo since Serbs were forced to withdraw most of their heavy weapons in February or face NATO air strikes.

Bosnia's government long has looked to the United States as its principal supporter in its battle with Serb rebels and U.S. Ambassador Victor Jackovich reiterated Washington's backing.

"We are thoroughly committed to assisting you to achieve the twin goals of peace and democracy, so you may get on with the important task of rebuilding your country," Jackovich said.

In a city that only Sunday marked the second anniversary of a humanitarian airlift that kept it alive, about 700 military officials, doctors, cultural figures, politicians and prominent Sarajevans enjoyed a traditional Fourth of July picnic.

American idealism was on display. Jim Benazani, a volunteer firefighter from Fairfax County, Va., who gave up his summer holiday to help out in Sarajevo, was flipping burgers.

"I like doing this," he said. "If I didn't, I'd be home doing this with my family. But I'm here now showing the people of Bosnia a piece of the Fourth of July."

Bosnia's Muslim president, Alija Izetbegovic, found hope in the celebration.

"For us, it is a clear message of encouragement," he said. "And for those who are on the other side of the barricade this is a warning that fascism has no future, and cannot succeed."

But war still rages in Bosnia. Serbs still control about 70 percent of the republic and Izetbegovic's government is still fighting to try to take pieces of it back.

Senior officials from the United States, Russia, and European powers met Monday in Geneva to put the finishing touches on a new proposal to give a Muslim-Croat federation 51 percent of Bosnia and Serbs 49 percent.

The plan must be approved by a meeting of foreign ministers, including U.S. Secretary of State Warren Christopher,

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Rwandan rebels march toward French

■ Tutsis seize most of capital; French force vows to stand ground to protect refugees.

Associated Press

GISENYI, Rwanda — Tutsi rebels tightened their grip on the capital and another city Monday, but were headed for a showdown with French troops who stand in their path in southern Rwanda.

After a three-month fight, the rebel Rwandan Patriotic Front seized control of most of Kigali, the capital, and freed thousands of ethnic Tutsis who had been living in terror of government-trained Hutu militias.

A spokesman for the small U.N. peacekeeping mission in Rwanda said the rebels had overrun the Defense Ministry, army headquarters and Radio Rwanda, which had incited massacres of Tutsis by civilian militiamen with its broadcasts of ethnic hate messages.

"They were jubilant," spokesman Maj. Jean-Guy Plante said of the more than 8,000 Tutsis civilians freed from refuges in churches and a hotel.

The fate of government troops who had been holding out in Kigali was not immediately known, Plante said.

The rebels already control two-thirds of the country, mainly in the northeast and southeast, and were advancing on the remaining government-held areas.

They appeared to have taken Butare, about 80 miles southwest of the capital, said French military commanders from their post in the western town of Gisenyi.

But it was unclear how much farther the rebels could push their offensive without engaging the French, who have sworn to protect Rwandans in a safety zone in the west and southwest until a larger U.N. mission could arrive.

Trying to avoid a confrontation, the French withdrew Sunday from Butare as rebels approached. But they vowed Monday to stand and fight if rebels attempt military action beyond Gikongoro, some 15 miles west of Butare.

Two French Foreign Legion companies were on their way to reinforce about 150 French troops based in Gikongoro. There are an estimated 2,000 rebels in the area.

France arrived in Rwanda on June 24, authorized by the U.N. Security Council to mount a humanitarian operation to halt the massacres that have claimed an estimated 200,000 lives since April 6 — mostly minority Tutsis.

Rebels objected to the French mission. In the past France has supported the Hutu army and its militias, who have been responsible for most of the killings.

The French saved the Hutu government in 1990 by thwarting a rebel offensive. Rebels said France's presence now would only get in their way again.

French commanders told the Security Council on Saturday that they would have to set up a no-fight zone to protect civilians in the only remaining government-controlled area of the country.

If French troops defend the security zone, they could cut off rebel columns advancing on the last third of the country still in government hands.

French and rebel troops already have clashed in the area near the proposed security zone. A firefight broke out Sunday near Gikongoro as French paratroopers were evacuating 270 civilians from the path of the rebel assault on Butare.



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Colonel Jimmy C. Banks, left, commander of the U.S. Berlin Brigade, says gooodbye to Ingrid Tismer, a Berlin citizen, during the Independence Day celebration Monday. The U.S. Army bade farewell during the celebration because U.S. troops will leave Berlin by the end of the year.

FBI director opens 1st office in Russia

MOSCOW (AP) — FBI Director Louis Freeh opened the bureau's first office in Russia on Monday and visited the fabled Lubyanka Square headquarters of the old Soviet KGB, where Russian crime-fighters promptly asked for his help.

Unless the two nations "launch a lawful, massive and coordinated law enforcement response," growing international organized crime will "pose a direct threat to decent people everywhere," Freeh said.

Everywhere Freeh set foot in the Russian capital, he made history as the first FBI director to do so.

Over 10 hours, he visited the chiefs of most of Russia's major police and security offices from Lubyanka Square to the Kremlin offices of President Boris Yeltsin's national security adviser, Yuri Baturin. Freeh was welcomed by government ministers shaken by the explosive growth of Russian organized crime.

As he had over the past week in former Soviet satellites across Eastern Europe, Freeh sought and offered help in fighting organized crime, drug trafficking and money laundering, hate groups and the risk that criminals might steal nuclear weapons or their components and sell them to terrorists.

In effect, Freeh made himself the first occupant of the FBI's Moscow office. The two FBI agents who will occupy the office fulltime have received their transfer orders but have not yet arrived. They will be given an office — yet to be selected — in the secure wing of the U.S. Embassy.

Freeh expressed faith that Yeltsin and his ministers are committed to protecting civil liberties as well as public safety.

"Our two nations have more in common that ever before," Freeh said in a speech at the Interior ministry's police academy. "Most especially, we share a belief in the importance of democratic ideals, human rights and the rule of law."

That view is not universally held here.

Yeltsin has said "organized crime is trying to take the country by the throat," but his emergency decree last month to deal with it has drawn opposition on civil liberties grounds.

Although not empowered to override the order, the Russian Parliament voted disapproval of the decree that gives sweeping new powers to police to fight organized crime, including the right to detain suspects for up to 30 days without charge and examine their family finances.

Elite brigade says goodbye to Berlin

BERLIN (AP) — The U.S. Army's elite Berlin Brigade gave a parade of farewell on Monday at the same barracks where American soldiers raised the Stars and Stripes over a newly liberated city 49 years ago.

"The Americans came and freed us from a totalitarian system," Mayor Eberhard Diepgen said in a speech. "They fed us. They protected us. They built a new future together with us and for that we should thank them."

He was applauded by dignitaries including German Defense Minister Volker Ruehe, CIA Director James Woolsey and Adm. William A. Owens, vice chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Three low-flying Bell UH-1H helicopters trailed red, white and blue smoke past the reviewing stand and lone soldiers standing at salute on their skids.

Vintage World War II howitzers blasted out a 50-gun salute to the individual U.S. states in a dress rehearsal for the July 12 visit of President Clinton, who will deactivate the brigade.

A few of the nearly 1,000 soldiers assembled on 4th of July Square succumbed to a sweltering sun. One was removed on a stretcher.

The Americans in camouflage dress fatigues and helmets were not as sharply attired, nor did they march as crisply as the Russians who paraded down an east Berlin boulevard two weeks ago in white gloves.

Foreign soldiers are doing more marching than training in Berlin these days. The Americans, French and British marched down a central avenue on June 18 in a parade the Russians, as heirs to the enforcers of Kremlin rule over East Germany, were not permitted to join.

On Monday, U.S. Ambassador Richard Holbrooke reminded the crowd of about 5,000 that the Army's 2nd Armored Division raised the flag on July 4, 1945, outside the old radio and telephone factory that became McNair Barracks.

Three days earlier, the first American GIs had entered the "battered, blistered" city and camped out in pup tents in the Gruenewald forest.

Poland's Walesa takes firm stand against abortion bill

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — President Lech Walesa vetoed a bill on Monday that would relax Poland's strict anti-abortion law and let women end pregnancy because of financial or family hardship.

"No economic reasons can legalize an attempt against human life, and especially not the personal conditions of a woman because it is impossible to assess them objectively," Walesa, an observant Roman Catholic, said in a letter to the speaker of parliament.

The present law, approved last year, allows for abortions only when the woman's life or health is in danger, if the pregnancy results from rape or incest or when the fetus is irreparably damaged. Doctors who perform abortions in any other cases face up to two years in prison.

It was not immediately known when parliament will act on Walesa's veto.

Political experts doubt that pro-abortion lawmakers can muster a two-thirds majority to override the veto. Only one of the two leftist coalition parties unanimously supports the bill.

The bill, proposed by a group of women legislators, was approved by the lower house June 10 and cleared the upper house in a narrow vote Thursday.

Walesa said it violates the fundamental right to life. Earlier, he said the bill allows for murders.

Last week Walesa said he may "abdicate" for one day to avoid signing the bill if his veto is overturned.

The law replaces Communist-era regulations that permitted abortions virtually on demand.

The Catholic church vehemently campaigns against terminating pregnancies.

According to recent opinion polls, nearly 70 percent of Poles favor easing abortion rules, while 23 percent are opposed.

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Following safety rules saves lives

It's sobering that a holiday such as the Fourth of July — a time typically set aside for family gatherings, picnics, barbecues and patriotism — can be marred by so many traffic fatalities on the state's roads and highways.

Forty people died in separate crashes Sunday on the highways, making the day immediately before the Fourth of July the second deadliest in the state's history. The deadliest occurred on Christmas Eve in 1975 when 42 people were killed.

While a number of the deadly crashes occurred elsewhere in the state, the West Texas area was not spared Sunday. Six people died and three were injured in a crash near Ballinger and 11 were killed and six injured when a pickup was struck by a tractor-trailer rig near Snyder. Those tragic mishaps are riveting reminders of how deadly the state's highways can be on holiday weekends.

The rules for safety, it seems, cannot be stressed strongly enough. Deadly accidents such as those Sunday touch the lives of numerous people across this state and nation, and even when death does not occur, many people can be left with broken and scarred bodies that will haunt them for the rest of their lives.

Observing safety rules will not, of course, eliminate every accident that occurs on the highways. Some accidents are unavoidable; mechanical failures can occur that cause accidents. In many instances, though, changing drivers frequently, observing speed limits, avoiding alcoholic beverages immediately before or during travel, reducing speed during inclement weather and adopting a practice of driving friendly and watching out for other motorists will significantly reduce the possibility of being involved in a traffic accident.

Every motorist should follow those simple rules to reduce the possibility of Texas experiencing even more deadly days on its highways.

ANOTHER VIEW

Court's abortion clinic protest decision is just

The Supreme Court's approval of a buffer zone keeping anti-abortion demonstrators a safe distance from a Florida abortion clinic is a victory for law and order over the disruptive zealots of Operation Rescue.

Writing for a 6-3 majority, Chief Justice William Rehnquist provided a model for judges trying to preserve the rights of a clinic's patients and staff to go about their business, unimpeded.

He did so without disturbing the free speech rights of abortion opponents who are content to wage their protests peacefully.

The chief justice, who has long been personally opposed to abortion rights, nevertheless had no trouble drawing the line against illegal interference with those rights.

He upheld key parts of a lower court injunction against protesters who intimidated and threatened a clinic in Melbourne, Fla. That included approving a 36-foot buffer zone to let patients and staff move in and out of the clinic freely. But Rehnquist struck down stricter restraints, including a ban on protesters' trying to speak to patients within 300 feet of the clinic, as excessively curbing rights of free speech.

The calmly worded opinion by the chief justice rejected a dissent from Justice Antonin Scalia, who was joined by Justices Clarence Thomas and Anthony Kennedy. They claimed that abortion opponents had been singled out for speech suppression.

Rehnquist replied simply that Operation Rescue people had been the only parties who had threatened to violate local law, which was itself evenhanded in prohibiting breaches of the peace regardless of the motives of the protesters.

The Court's decision gives timely guidance to judges implementing a new federal law safeguarding clinics. That law provides heavy penalties for clinic rioters and allows state and federal attorneys to seek injunctions to forestall violence.

Operation Rescue and its violence-prone allies are hollering persecution, but they are only being asked to observe the rules that demonstrators have always been required to obey: express your opinion, but pay the price of prosecution and court injunction if your trespass infringes the rights of others.

— The New York Times

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, July 5, the 186th day of 1994. There are 179 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On July 5, 1935, President Roosevelt signed the National Labor Relations Act, which provided for a National Labor Relations Board and authorized labor to organize for the purpose of collective bargaining.

On this date:

In 1801, American naval hero David G. Farragut was born in Knoxville, Tenn.

In 1810, showman Phineas T. Barnum was born in Bethel, Conn.

In 1811, Venezuela became the first South American country to declare independence from Spain.

In 1830, the French occupied the North African city of Algiers.

In 1865, William Booth founded the Salvation Army in London.

In 1940, during World War II, Britain and the Vichy government in France broke diplomatic relations.

In 1946, the bikini swimsuit, designed by Louis Reard, made its debut at a fashion show in Paris.

In 1947, Larry Doby signed a contract with the Cleveland Indians, becoming the first black player in the American League.

In 1948, Britain's National Health Service Act went into effect, providing government-financed medical and dental care.

CHARLEY REESE

Disney-land conflict is as old as country

Before I discuss the topic of Mickey Does Virginia, I should state that I live in Orlando, Fla.

If you are a cowboy, you will know Orlando as "near Kissimmee." That's Florida's top rodeo town, in a big cattle county. If you are a tourist, you will know Orlando as "near Walt Disney World." The exception is that if you are a foreign tourist who has been duped by the Miami tourist snaggers into thinking WDW is just outside Miami. If you are neither a cowboy nor a tourist, you probably never heard of it until it got a National Basketball Franchise.



Reese

I have no beef against Disney, nor am I a booster. It's a wonderful attraction for small children.

Still, if I lived in Virginia and had a vote, I would vote against the new park between the Civil War battlefields not far from Washington. The key part of that sentence is "if I lived in Virginia."

I don't, and so it's none of my business what the people of Virginia wish to do with their own land. It's also none of Congress' business what the people of Virginia do with their own land. There's nothing in the Constitution that authorizes Congress to sit as a local zoning board. It's also none of the business of historians, whose job is to record the past, not dictate land planning in the present.

I don't agree with my colleague, Pat Buchanan, that "it's hallowed ground." Pat, like all Irishmen, gets emotional, but the fact that a bunch of men got killed in a war that should never have been fought does not make the dirt where they died holy. It just makes it sad. And I have a lot more Confederate ancestors than Pat.

So if I lived up there, I'd be against it not because it's a theme park or a Disney deal, but because I'm against any development of good farmland anywhere.

Too much good farmland is being lost every day to urban sprawl, industry and other developments. I think Americans need to grasp that fact, as well as the fact that good farmland does not exist in unlimited quantities, nor does clean water.

A development does not require fertile, well-watered soil. You can put a theme park in the middle of a desert or alkali flat, or on a high plain or, as they did in Orlando, in a swamp. You're going to pave over the dirt anyway, so it needn't be good soil.

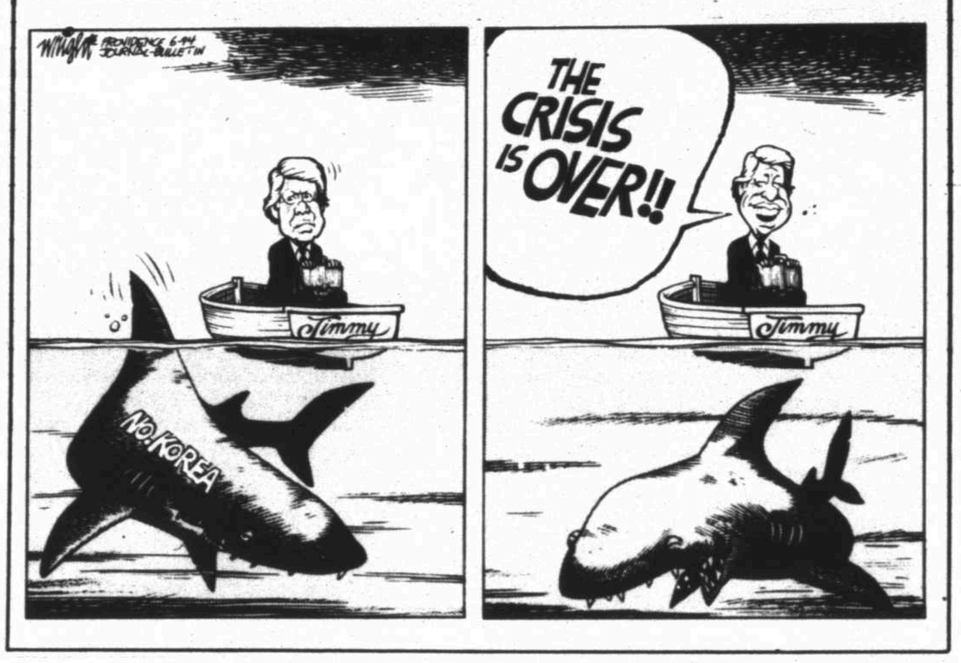
But this dispute over Disney's planned park is just a particular example of a larger conflict between the American desire to develop the land and the American desire to preserve it. The historians opposing the park must surely know this. It is a conflict as old as the country itself. It's no exaggeration to say the history of America is largely a history of land development.

The desire to develop the park in Virginia is absolutely no different than the desire of earlier generations to develop the 13 colonies and then push on west. If there is one characteristic you might apply to America, it is that Americans have traditionally seen land in terms of economic opportunity. That's why our ancestors came here. That's what drove them across the Appalachians and down the Ohio and up the Missouri and across the deserts of the Southwest. That was the conflict with the Indians.

That is the conflict you are seeing over the Disney project. You have men and women who need jobs, and who see economic opportunity in the development, pushing for it. You have elitists, most of them financially comfortable, saying, in effect, "Don't spoil my view."

Truly, there's not much new under the sun.

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MIKE ROYKO

TV viewers witness educational hair battle

Like millions of other fact-hungry Americans, I turned on my TV to watch the high drama of the preliminary hearing in the O.J. Simpson murder case. And I was not disappointed.



Royko

Almost immediately, a fascinating battle was being waged by the lawyers: how many hairs could be plucked or combed from Simpson's head for scientific analysis?

The prosecutor, Marcia Clark, said she wanted as many as 100 hairs, so they would have valid samples from all parts of the scalp.

But Simpson's lawyer, Robert Shapiro, said he did not want to surrender more than one of Simpson's hairs. One hair, he confidently said, should be adequate for scientific purposes.

The prosecutor looked at Shapiro like he was daft. She said that just about everybody knows that you need about 40 to 100 hairs in order to properly analyze them. And she sort of implied that if Shapiro was such a hot-shot defense lawyer, she shouldn't have to tell him.

Being a high-priced lawyer, Shapiro didn't back down one bit. He said he had a hair expert at his disposal who didn't think more than one hair was necessary.

But Ms. Clark scoffed that she, too, had hair experts. And her experts would back up her demand for more than one paltry Simpson strand.

This put the judge in a bind. And she finally said that until she heard expert testimony, she would award the prosecution only 10 of Simpson's hairs. Sort of a compromise.

But Ms. Clark was clearly unhappy, and the attorneys were still arguing about Simpson's hair when they broke for lunch.

This gave me an opportunity to look in my World Book Encyclopedia for information on "hair."

And I found this interesting fact:

"The human scalp contains an average of about 100,000 hairs. . . . A person sheds from 70 to 100 hairs a day."

Of course, not everybody has 100,000 hairs. Some of us probably have fewer than 30,000. That's life.

But having looked at Simpson's image, it seemed to me that his hairline had receded only slightly. So it appeared that he had about 80 percent of the average amount of hair. So let's guess that he has about 80,000 hairs.

If so, why would Shapiro be so stubborn about surrendering more than one of Simpson's thousands of hairs? Even if he gave up 100 hairs, Simpson would still have 79,900 hairs, a number many men his age would envy.

Looking at it another way, he would be giving up only .125 percent of his hair, which most of us could spare without any deep sense of loss. In fact, many people lose that many hairs to the bathroom sink in the morning. And they suffer this loss without paying a lawyer $500 an hour to protest on their behalf.

So I wondered: what clever strategy was Shapiro using in defending his client's hair? Although I have covered many criminal trials, this was my first exposure to a hair-quota issue.

Was Shapiro reaching out for sympathy to bald potential jurors?

Or could it be that because Shapiro had a large bald spot of his own, did a sense of compassion cause him to rebel against his client being required to give up more than one hair? Sort of a male bonding kind of thing?

Or could it be that Shapiro was trying to protect Simpson from the physical abuse of having 100 hairs plucked from his head. Actually, it would not be all that painful, since some of the hairs could be combed or brushed out. So only half would be plucked. And for an athlete who had spent years being tossed about and leaped upon by 280-pound hostiles, a quick hair-plucking should not be traumatic.

After lunch, the hair debate resumed. But this time procecutor Clark played her trump card.

She put on a crime lab official who read from a book on scientific sleuthing. And the book clearly stated that to really check out hair, you need 30 to 100 hairs from different parts of the noggin.

Then she gave the names of the three experts who had written the book.

And it turned out that one of the authors was none other than the expert who had been hired by Shapiro.

Talk about feeling foolish. There, in front of a worldwide TV audience, Shapiro was saying that his hired expert believed one hair was enough. But then it came out that the very same expert had written that at least 30 hairs were needed to do the job right. And he was charging Simpson $500 an hour?

That was enough for the judge. She said Simpson would have to give up 40 to 100 hairs. Shapiro could do nothing more than smile weakly.

So for the millions of TV viewers, the first day was more than gripping drama. It was an educational experience. It sent a clear message to any man who might anticipate being accused of murdering his wife: Shave your head first and it will cut down on your legal bills.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Freedom of property is something to celebrate

"Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," it says in Mr. Jefferson's Declaration, under the heading of inalienable rights. And then the quarreling starts. What kind of liberty? In what degree, and in what context?



Murchison

The arguments rarely grow shriller than when the freedom in question has to do with private property. "Private" almost never means absolutely, 100 percent, get-the-blazes-out-of-here private. Local arson laws prevent a man's setting fire to his own house. (What if the sparks migrate to his neighbor's place?) Just because it's your kitchen doesn't mean you can run a cocaine ring from it, or defy the officers who come, properly armed with warrants, to jail the ring leaders.

Still, private property is among the foundation stones of the republic. The right to acquire and use it, pretty much as the owners is the great motive force of the free market system that underlies our vast web of liberties.

Pardon the civics lesson. A lot of this, on the eve of July 4, is far less clear than one would hope, because modern governments have a habit of telling private people, in more exact detail than ever before, how they can use private property, and for what purposes.

What's all this leading up to? A round of applause, that's what — applause for the U.S. Supreme Court's decision in Dolan vs. City of Tigard. Florence Dolan and her husband wanted to expand the A-Boy Hardware Store, which sat on a 1.6-acre tract in Tigard, Ore. Tigard showed its claws: No! Not unless the Dolans, who met every other legal specification, accepted a new one: donation of 10 percent of their property for a bicycle path.

The Dolans saw no reason they should do any such thing without compensation from the community. Tigard's proposed bite out of their hide could be construed as a constitutionally forbidden "taking" of private property.

The Oregon courts weren't buying, so to speak; seven times the Dolans lost. The husband himself died. His widow pressed ahead with the case. Justice was what she wanted. Justice the Supreme Court gave her, in a case too small to be a landmark, too big not to be cited in future hearings.

The court ruled, 5 to 4, that government must show a "rough proportionality" between the taking of the property and the harm the taking is designed to deal with. The takings clause, Chief Justice William Rehnquist rightly reminded us, exists "to bar government from forcing some people alone to bear public burdens which in all fairness and justice, should be borne by the public as a whole."

The court didn't say government was forbidden to take private property, just that it had to justify the taking instead of burdening the owner with the duty of explaining why not.

The Dolan case is the most important judicial victory for economic liberty since the 1930s.

Their labors bear fruit — if not yet a mighty harvest, a deeply satisfying one. They give us, on July 4, 1994, something for which to ring the bells extra long and extra hard.

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Workers load the cockpit of a USAir jet onto a truck in Charlotte, N.C., Monday. The jet crashed Saturday on approach to Charlotte-Douglas Airport during a thunderstorm.

Close up: Crash site reveals 1,100-foot path of destruction

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — The crumpled cockpit sat in the middle of Wallace Neel Road. Nearby, a charred wing lay in the front yard of a house partially demolished by the jet's tail section.

Federal officials gave the first close-up tour Monday of the crash site of USAir Flight 1016 less than half a mile from the airport runway.

The DC-9 slammed into telephone poles and trees and broke apart Saturday night after an aborted landing attempt in a thunderstorm, killing 37 of the 57 people aboard.

The path of destruction stretched 1,100 feet with personal belongings strewn everywhere. Several small pines in the path had been snapped off and lay on the ground. Audio cassettes, clothes, luggage and part of a child's game or toy were among electrical components from the aircraft.

Across the street from the house the plane's cabin was wrapped around an oak tree.

The National Transportation Safety Board brought in a crane to pull the tail section from the house's carport as the cleanup began.

The night of the crash, Sheryl Torrence was driving on her way to the supermarket to get freezer bags when the plane's tail skidded in front of her in flames.

Her white car was still frozen in mid-spin Monday with a small airline-size liquor bottle lodged in its front grill.

"I couldn't control the car. Everything I did, I couldn't control it," she said. "The force was so great. I was freaking out and praying, asking the Lord to spare me."

She wasn't hit, but her out-of-control car didn't come to a stop until it became entangled in fallen telephone wires. Torrence was shaken but not hurt.

Officials focused on the violent thunderstorm as they investigated the case of the crash at the Charlotte-Douglas International Airport. They said it would take up to a year before they know exactly why the plane went down. The jet's black box has been recovered.

Less than two minutes before the crash, the pilots had been warned of dangerous wind shear. Wind shear is a sudden shift in wind speed and direction due to a rapid downward rush of cooled air.

Also Monday, the pilot and co-pilot were released from a hospital. Investigators planned to interview them today. The other three crew members also survived.

All sides launch final health-care offensive

WASHINGTON (AP) — Heard a lot about health-care reform lately? Brace yourself, America.

The battle lines are sure to sharpen — and the decibel levels to rise — as all sides launch a final, all-out offensive to wring their particular kind of health reform out of Congress this year.

The White House and its allies are poised to unleash busloads of "reform riders," celebrity salesmen, waves of advertising, and the powerful one-two punch of Bill and Hillary Rodham Clinton.

The opposition will respond with equal vigor and resources, after orchestrating a highly successful early attack on the original Clinton plan.

The battle for popular opinion is "going to make NAFTA look like a joke," predicted one White House official, recalling the hard-fought campaign over the North American Free Trade Agreement.

The Clintons are itching to fight.

Mrs. Clinton, the architect of the administration's health-care plan, told the National Education Association convention in New Orleans Sunday, "This debate will come down to whether or not the Congress of the United States is able to hear and see the problems in front of their eyes ... or whether they will hear the well-organized voices of opposition."

Clinton, for his part, complained Thursday that because his plan has been largely "the only kid on the block," it has come under intense criticism that raised doubts with the public. He predicted people will support "the real thing" once they understand the alternatives.

Ground zero in the debate should arrive late this summer when reform bills produced during months of committee wrangling reach the House and Senate.

The centerpiece of the summer campaign on Clinton's behalf will be a privately organized $2 million bus tour beginning in late July dubbed the "Health Security Express."

Unions, consumer groups, seniors organizations, churches, businesses and others will chip in $20,000 per vehicle to sponsor busloads of people from around the country. Many will converge on Independence, Mo., for a July 30 rally for health reform in front of the home of Harry Truman, who proposed health insurance for all Americans nearly 50 years ago.

More busloads carrying thousands of "reform riders" will gather in Washington in early August, carrying tens of thousands of letters from Americans backing health reform.

With strong White House support, the bus campaign is being coordinated by Ronald Pollack, head of Families USA consumer group; Gerald McEntee, president of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Workers, and Val Halmandaris of the National Association for Home Care.

The president and first lady are expected to appear at rallies staged along the way. And Vice President Al Gore and Cabinet members, Hollywood activists, doctors and others are likely to climb aboard.

Bobbitt faces new charges of battery

LAS VEGAS (AP) — John Wayne Bobbitt faces new charges of domestic battery after he, his fiancee and another man were arrested following a fight.

Bobbitt, who became famous last year when his wife cut off his penis, and his fiancee, Kristina Elliott, were arrested along with a friend, Todd Biro, following a fracas early Saturday.

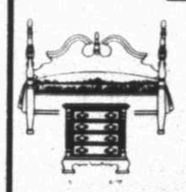
Elliott, 21, said she was beaten by the two men, and Bobbitt told police he was struck and bitten on the chest by Elliott. He met her in February while he was on a personal appearance tour.

Bobbitt, 27, already faces a July 19 arraignment in Municipal Court on domestic battery charges in connection with an alleged assault on Elliott on May 6. He later called that incident a big misunderstanding.

Calls by The Associated Press to Bobbitt's attorney, Michael Stein, and his agent, Aaron Gordon, were not immediately returned Monday. Bobbitt and Elliott, who have been living together in an apartment here, do not have a listed telephone number.

Police released a report on the latest incident Monday. It said Bobbitt had a bite mark on his chest, and Elliott had two bumps on the back of her head, bruises on the bridge of her nose and redness on her arms.

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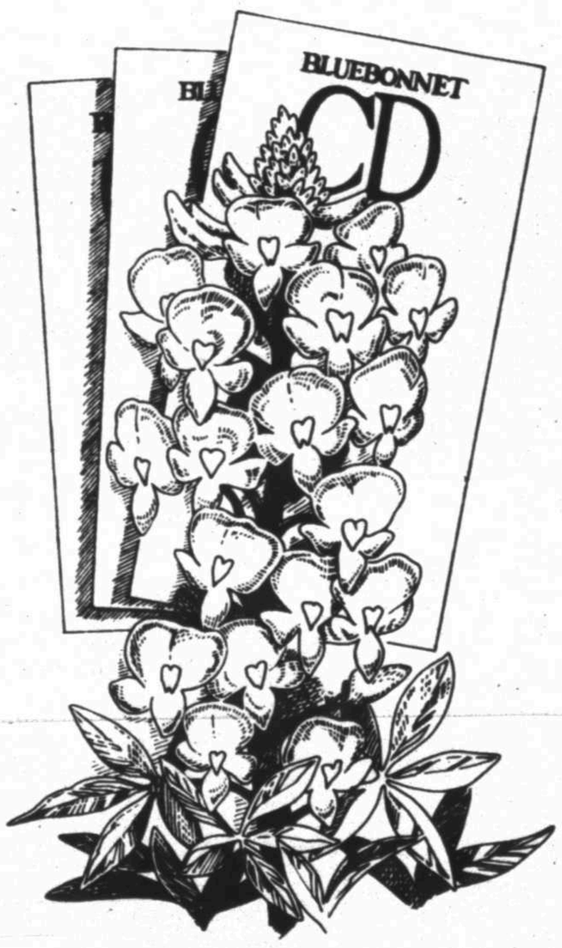
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Clinton heads to economic summit, seeks closer ties between East, West

WASHINGTON (AP) — Amid deepening doubts about his handling of foreign policy, President Clinton heads for Europe late today on a mission to bind former Soviet bloc nations closer to the West at a time of economic and political insecurity.

On his third trip overseas this year, Clinton makes symbolically important stops in Latvia, Poland and Germany. He'll also visit Italy for the annual economic summit of industrialized nations and talks with Russian President Boris Yeltsin.

Clinton will be the first American president to visit a Baltic country. He'll also be the first president since World War II to speak in what was East Berlin.

The underlying theme of his week-long trip is that global security and prosperity will pay off for Americans, too.

"What's in it for the country and for him are jobs and security," said presidential adviser David Gergen. "The more rapidly the world comes out of the recession that's been plaguing many countries since the 1980s, the better off American workers are going to be."

To emphasize his message, Clinton will deliver major speeches in Latvia, Poland and Germany. In Italy, he'll have press conferences each day of the three-day summit.

Still, administration officials are trying to keep expectations low, saying they don't expect big things to happen.

Anthony Lake, the president's national security adviser, said Clinton will speak reassuringly to Central and Eastern European nations anxious about possible Russian imperialism.

"This will be a very important part of our showing the countries of Central and Eastern Europe that they can look to the West in confidence rather than having to look to the East in concern," Lake said.

For Clinton, the trip comes at a troubling time. While his overall approval ratings have slipped a little, there's been a sharp drop in Americans' confidence in Clinton's foreign policy after crises in North Korea, Haiti and Bosnia.

"I think the needle moves back and forth," Gergen said, "and the needle's been on the wrong side for some time." A Gallup survey in late June found Clinton's foreign policy rating at a low point of his presidency, with 34 percent approval and 52 percent disapproval.

"People want continuing progress in Washington and it's been harder to produce these big victories in the second year," Gergen said. "Once the logjam breaks on health care and crime, I think you'll see the numbers go up."

After an overnight flight, the trip opens Wednesday morning in Riga, Latvia.

Picnics, patriotism: Happy birthday, America

By Noel K. Wilson
Associated Press

From the red, white and blue of small-town parades to the new-found pride of the country's newest citizens, America threw herself a birthday party — with a distinctly international flavor.

In Philadelphia, Czech President Vaclav Havel was honored for contributing to freedom and equality. In California, World Cup soccer players and enthusiasts from around the world celebrated — or commiserated — with their teams.

The U.S. team lost 1-0 to powerhouse Brazil in Palo Alto, Calif., to the disappointment of thousands of U.S. fans who had turned the stands at Stanford Stadium into a sea of American flags.

Overseas, the Star Spangled Banner played at the opening of a new embassy in Sarajevo, while departing U.S. soldiers in Berlin bid goodbye to the place where American soldiers first hoisted their flag over a newly liberated Berlin 49 years ago.

And across the United States, immigrants were pledging allegiance to America — their new homeland.

At Monticello, Thomas Jefferson's home near Charlottesville, Va., 62 immigrants were sworn in as citizens. Historian David McCullough, narrator of the acclaimed "Civil War" TV series on PBS, urged them to make the most of their opportunity.

"I hope you will travel your new homeland from end to end, see as much of it as possible, read its history, enjoy its music, read out loud its poetry," McCullough told them.

In Detroit, 650 people from 72 countries were sworn in as new U.S. citizens. In Miami, 100 people were sworn in.

Havel was honored by We the People 2000, a nonprofit, nonpolitical group that confers the medal and a $100,000 award annually to a person or group that has contributed to freedom and equality.

Havel has shepherded the nation from communism to democracy and the peaceful separation of Slovakia from what is now the Czech Republic.

While hundreds of towns were swept by parades, picnics, and patriotism, proud Rhode Islanders in Bristol hosted the oldest continuously-held Independence Day parade in the country. About 200,000 people streamed into the town of just 10,000, police said.

"Oh, we do it up right here," said Gerry MacNeill, 60, a co-marshal of the 209-year-old parade.

"I never saw so many bikinis in all my life," said Rob Shutsky, manager of a town coffee shop.

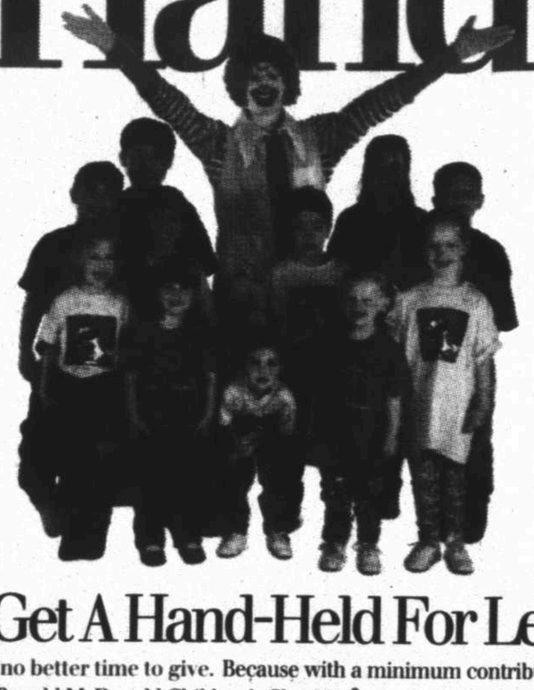
In Maine, Maurice Joseph Paul Baribeau put on a pretty spectacular Fourth of July celebration just by himself.

In front of his house — decked out with hundreds of versions of the Stars and Stripes — patriotic music blared from a loudspeaker underneath his Statue of Liberty.

"I'm setting an example for those interested in history," Baribeau said.

In Boston, patriotic music lovers began lining up at the crack of dawn to claim the best places for the traditional July 4th Boston Pops concert.

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War memorial to become reality

■ July 4 construction contract for Permian Basin Vietnam Veterans Memorial means crews can begin work on Wednesday.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Construction of the Permian Basin Vietnam Veterans Memorial is expected to begin Wednesday. On Monday — Independence Day — a contract between the memorial committee and Campbell Construction Company was signed at the memorial site off Wright Drive at Midland International Airport.

"Everything is looking good. Everything is on track," said the memorial committee chairman John Philbeck.

Philbeck, committee member Bill McNeill, Campbell Construction part-owner Jackie Wilkes and Cecil Davis, foreman of the memorial construction, signed the contract on a table with a red, white and blue tablecloth. Behind the group were the United States and POW-MIA flags, and an illustration of the finished memorial.

The memorial will consist of a Texas-shaped piece of sunset-red granite inscribed with the names of 200-plus veterans from West Texas who were either killed or listed as missing in action. The site will also include a 40-foot granite Lone Star inset in the ground and a masonry wall set behind the memorial.

The memorial is set to be completed in four months. Landscaping and a circular drive will be completed sometime afterward.

A dedication ceremony is slated for Saturday, Nov. 12, the day after Veterans Day, to allow better attendance, Philbeck said.

Campbell will be constructing the memorial for $239,450. The original estimate by the memorial committee was about $294,000.

The $260,000 raised by the memorial committee will cover the construction costs and a $20,000 maintenance fund required in the land lease with the city.

During construction, the memorial committee will work to raise funds to finance the landscaping and drive, develop the memorial walk and make plans for the dedication ceremony, Philbeck said.

A memorial walk will be constructed out of brick inscribed — for a fee — with names of people who served in the war.

TUESDAY DAY WATCH

Panhandle wildfires

Hot weather, high winds and a lack of humidity contributed to the several wildfires that burned out of control Monday in the Texas Panhandle, fire officials said. The fires had destroyed one home, and one minor injury was reported by early Monday evening, according to the Texas Forest Service's fire control department. "One guy got bit by a rattlesnake, but that's about it," said Forest Service spokesman Lou W. Sloat. Bobby Young, head of the forest service's fire control department, estimated more than 35,000 acres have burned in Texas over the past seven days, including three that have started in the past few days. But Sloat said it was difficult to say how many fires, which are mostly caused by lightning, are burning. "We only hear about fires they call us up on," he said. "Bobby (Young) said there's probably been a good 500 fires this past week. The 35,000 we're quoting is probably really low." The three new fires are in Armstrong and Potter counties near Amarillo in West Texas.

Teen dies in chase

BOWIE — A teen-age girl led officers from Oklahoma and Texas on a chase down U.S. 81 early Monday, then died when she drove a van into several cars at a Bowie automobile dealership, authorities said. Alysia Rowe, 13, of McLoud, Okla., was thrown through the windshield and died at the crash site, said Department of Public Safety trooper Marshall Thomas of Bowie. McLoud is 23 miles east of Oklahoma City and about 135 miles northeast of Bowie. The girl's body was taken to Dallas for an autopsy, Thomas said. Five law enforcement vehicles were in pursuit on southbound U.S. 81 when the chase ended at 2:34 a.m., Thomas said. Two units from the Marlow Police Department and one from the Ryan Police Department were joined by two cars from the Montague County Sheriff's Department. Ryan is 32 miles north of Bowie, and Marlow is 43 miles north of Ryan.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Overcomers Christian Recovery Support Group, Christ-centered 12-step support group, 7 p.m., 4405 Princeton St., 697-3101.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital.

Breathing Club, 6:30 p.m., Physicians & Surgeons Hospital dining room, 683-2273.

Batterers Anonymous support group, 6:30 p.m., 689-8428.

Midland Mothers of Twins Club, 689-6775.

Permian Basin Depressive & Manic-Depressive Association, information, 366-7317 or Tammy, 362-7521.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Hilton Hotel.

La Leche League, 7:30 p.m., Grace Presbyterian, 2801 N. Garfield St., 694-2018, 697-0539.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8928.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m., Allison Bridge Center.

Texas TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrow's, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Best Western Hotel, 694-1447.

55-Plus Dance Club, 8 p.m., Eagles Club, 697-3131.

Midland Outreach Aglow Fellowship, 6:30 p.m., Rodeway Inn, 3601 W. Wall St., 756-3688, 332-9151.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

Norman Read Chapter No. 1010 Order of Eastern Star, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Permian Basin Press Club, 7 p.m., Coors Hospitality room.

District 21, Texas Nurses Association, 7 p.m., Conference Rooms A and B, Region 18 Education Service Center.

Golden Park Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas Ave., 699-0914, senior citizens brunch, 10:30 a.m.

MOMS, 7 p.m., Westside Church of Christ, 4410 W. Illinois Ave., 685-1912.

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 S. G. St. 570-8612.

ACOA, non-smoking, 7:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Parish Hall.

Little boys' love letters help Wink singer on long road to Nashville

By Jimmy Patterson
Special Projects Editor

WINK — Mary Dodd has never liked to tinker with fate. In the simple words of Doris Day, she has always believed that "what will be, will be."

And it is because of that strong belief that the talented country singer from Wink may have missed three golden opportunities to take her singing abilities from the dry plains of West Texas to the lucrative studios of Nashville.

But Ms. Dodd appears unfazed by the luck that has so far escaped her. If it happens, great. Meanwhile, she is just as happy coaching her little girls' softball team to first place as she would be swinging a record deal that could change her life.

Ms. Dodd and the band she handles lead vocals for, Texas Express, will highlight Thursday's entertainment at Summer in the City, an eight-week long program of family entertainment at Centennial Plaza. Ms. Dodd and Texas Express will take the stage at 8 p.m., 30 minutes after the festivities get under way. Opening and closing the show will be the popular local band Risky Business.

Ms. Dodd has a truly gifted voice, especially for the country music genre. She sounds like no one in particular, a distinction that may eventually do her well if she ever gets her foot in Music City's revolving door.

She admits she'd truly love to ink a big-time record deal before her time runs out (which, by her and industry estimations, is another five or six years, thanks to Nashville's strict "young is hot and beautiful" standard), but she says she has already long since fulfilled her first career goal.

"The only dream I ever had," Dodd says, "was to be in a band. I felt that was it, the height of it all. The possibility of doing anything greater never really occurred to me."

That possibility of reaching greater heights has already passed Ms. Dodd by three times in the last decade. Once by her own doing and twice more by what she might consider to be fate.



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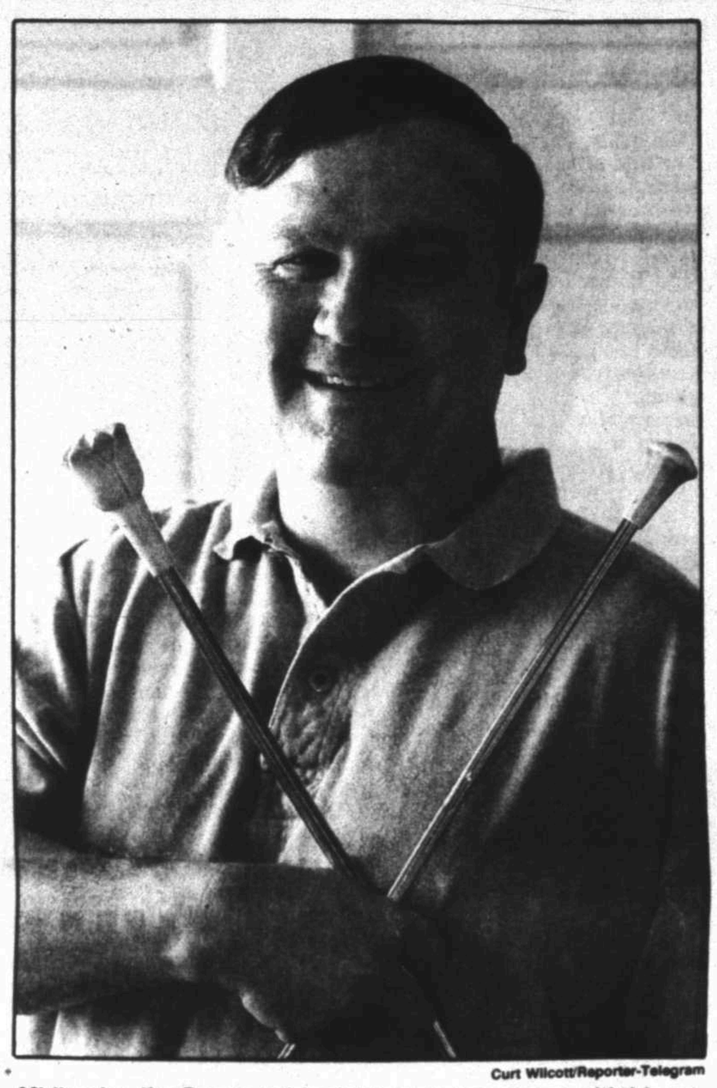
Wink's Mary Dodd has missed three opportunities to take her singing talents to Nashville. She has been told repeatedly to be patient, but time may be running short for her.

■ Mary Dodd and Texas Express, along with Risky Business, will perform Thursday at 8 p.m. at Centennial Plaza's "Summer in the City" series.

Ms. Dodd very nearly left West Texas 10 years ago when Happy Shahan, then Johnny Rodriguez's manager, asked her to come with him to San Antonio to pursue her singing career. She instead chose to remain in West Texas to marry husband Raymond and raise a family.

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INTRODUCING . . .



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midlander Jim Pogue twirls right past stereotypes with his accomplishments in baton performance and teaching.

Teacher sends stereotypes flying when he twirls baton

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

In a sport dominated by women, Jim Pogue has twirled his way to success with — not one, but two — batons.

And, if winning competitions while twirling a baton in each hand weren't enough, he now has coached a young man to win a first place boy's solo championship in a National Baton Twirling Association competition.

Winding his way through a living room filled with baton trophies, family pictures and guinea pigs in their plastic habitats, the Midland elementary school teacher bubbles with enthusiasm when talking about his baton students.

"It takes tremendous courage to walk out in front of judges with a baton, especially when there are no other boys there," he said, discussing the competition where his baton student Kevin Leoffler recently won the boys solo Texas State Championship in the age 7-9 division.

In the same competition, held in Lubbock, another of his baton students, Sawyer Powers, won the championship in novice solo for girls up to six years of age.

Family photos and trophies also reveal that Pogue's daughter, Katy, has become a baton champion in her own right. She also was a featured twirler at the University of Arizona at Tucson.

Please see **TWIRL**/2B



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

High prices in the timber market allowed Cap Rock Electric to build its new transmission system using durable Cor-Ten steel poles, instead of wooden poles. The rust is part of the design.

Power company erects steel poles

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

In an unusual and round-about way, Oregon's Spotted Owl controversy has finally reached West Texas.

Motorists driving along stretches of highway around Midland in recent months may have noticed mile after mile of rusted steel transmission poles, standing where the traditional wooden poles would normally stand.

Why so many steel poles, and why no paint on them? Or as Emma, of Wendy's commercial fame, might say, "Where's the wood?"

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GARY OTT

Soccer player's murder warrants some reflection

More rambling thoughts:

■ One of the best things about wearing a beard and longish hair is that no one can quite figure out how old you are.



Ott

■ So you can lie.

■ Best description of an office backstabber comes from bestselling author David Lindsay. He wrote: "He was a schmoozer and a lover of scuttlebutt. It came naturally to him. He would risk a trip to hell if he thought the devil could give him some juice on St. Peter."

■ Admit it, there's at least one of those varmits where you work.

■ Hopefully, it's not you.

■ I actually saw someone who was TOO tanned the other day.

■ Nice country/western line: "... as little drops of truth fall from your eyes."

■ I was never a big fireworks person.

■ Just when we thought we had heard it all, there comes the incredible story about the Colombian soccer player who was murdered by his fellow countrymen because he accidentally scored a goal for the wrong team during the World Cup.

■ It ought to cause all sports fanatics — even parents who scream at their kids' coaches — to step back and be sure they have their priorities in order.

■ For what it is worth: "Wolf," starring Jack Nicholson, did not live up to its media hype. Still, any time I can spend two hours gawking at Michelle Pfeiffer, the outing is not a complete loss.

■ I don't understand people who put mayonnaise instead of mustard on their hot dogs.

■ But it is the other way around when it comes to hamburgers.

■ Maybe I'm getting old, but there seems to be an awful lot of unnecessary profanity in movies these days.

■ This isn't to say an occasional, "Frankly, my dear, I don't give a damn," doesn't help spice up a scene, it is just that we have gone overboard in recent years.

■ Speaking of profanity, it bothers me when I hear a parent and a child cursing at one another.

■ Gee, I'm becoming a real prude, aren't I.

■ Prediction: There will be a baseball strike later this summer and when it happens, the players will blame the owners, the owners will blame the players and no one will care about the fans. Once the strike ends, the owners will get richer, the players will get richer, and the fans, who will be the only real losers, will nevertheless continue to turn out in droves to attend the games, meaning the owners and players both will get even richer.

■ Makes prefectly good sense, doesn't it?

■ Just an observation: Young women, those in their 20s, drive the fastest, and old men, those over 65, drive the slowest.

■ Both can be a hazard, but the slowpokes will drive you up the wall.

■ I don't care how high my electric bill gets, my air conditioner at home is going to continue to go full blast.

■ And, today's final quote comes from Tennessee Williams, who once wrote, "Time rushes toward us with its hospital tray of infinitely varied narcotics, even while it is preparing us for its inevitably fatal operation."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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DEATHS

Hattie Johnson

Services for Hattie Mae Johnson, 68, of Midland will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Robert Lathan officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Johnson

Ms. Johnson died Saturday at her home following a sudden illness.

She was born Sept. 27, 1926, in Cruz, N.M. She had resided in Midland since 1953.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1988.

Survivors include three sons, Claudie Johnson Jr. of Fort Worth, Willie Richardson of Midland, and Martin Johnson of Midland; six daughters, Connie Niblett of Midland, Kathy Whiteside of Midland, Jolene Ballard of Dallas, Penny Johnson of Dallas, Peggy Johnson of Midland, and Renee Johnson of Midland; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Robley McClellan

Services for Robley Frank "Rob" McClellan, 21, of Sanderson will be held at 4:30 p.m. today in the Sanderson High School auditorium with burial to follow at Cedar Grove Cemetery in Sanderson. Services will be handled by Geeslin Funeral Home. Local arrangements are under the direction of Midland Funeral Home.

McClellan died Saturday from injuries he received in an automobile accident.

He was born May 8, 1973, in Lubbock. He had been a student at Angelo State University where he was involved with intramural sports. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reid McClellan of Sanderson; one brother, Mike McClellan of Sanderson; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saterfield of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McDonald of Sanderson; and several aunts and uncles.

Mary Merritt

Services for Mary Merritt are set for 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dan Johnson officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Merritt died Sunday afternoon at a Midland hospital.

She was born Aug. 9, 1935, in Champaign, Ill., where she attended school. She lived in the Midland area, working for the state at Mental Health Mental Retardation in Odessa and in Midland, before moving to Pecos, where she was employed as a Drug and Alcohol Abuse Counselor for the Texas Penal System.

Survivors include a daughter, Patricia Brown of Midland, and three grandchildren.

Rufe Bynum

Services for Rufe S. Bynum are set for 2 p.m. today at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Stockton Williams officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

The family requests that memorials be directed to Bynum School, Box 5788, Midland, 79704; Memorial Fund at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1400 W. Illinois Ave., Midland, 79701; or Texas A&M University, Center for International Business Studies.

Rosa Copelyn

Services for Rosa Lee Copelyn, 91, of Midland are pending with Midland Funeral Home.

She died Sunday at her residence.

Billy Lee

Services for Billy Joe Lee are set for 9 a.m. today at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Randy Fenter of Golf Course Road Church of Christ officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Lee died early Saturday morning at his residence.

The family requests that memorials be directed to the Benevolent Fund at the Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Dr. Burma Harrison Sr.

AUSTIN — A memorial service for Dr. Burma J. Harrison, Sr., 73, of Austin, father of a Stanton woman, will be held at 2 p.m. today at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness in Austin. Arrangements are being handled by Cook-Walden Funeral Home.

Harrison died Saturday.

He was born in 1920 in Waxahachie and was raised in Kerrville.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel M. Moose Harrison of Austin; two daughters, Jo Ann Shurbet of Austin and Lauria Mullins of Stanton; one son, Burma J. Harrison, Jr., of Cedar Park; one brother, Dr. B.E. Harrison of Austin; and eight grandchildren.

POLICE REPORTS

Monday

Vandalism: A vehicle window was broken from thrown bottles. The incident occurred at 4419 Storey Ave., and was by reported Tammy Miller at 9:15 a.m.

Theft: A Westinghouse window air conditioner was taken from the Great St. Luke Church at 401 S. Adams Street. The incident was reported at 2:33 p.m.

Texas lawmen catch inmate who escapes in Oklahoma

McALESTER, Okla. (AP) — Texas lawmen caught an Oklahoma State Penitentiary inmate hours after his escape Monday, the prison warden said.

Prison officials think Michael Howell, 22, escaped from a minimum security unit at the prison between 4 a.m. and 5 a.m. by climbing a 20-foot fence at the prison rodeo entrance, Warden Dan Reynolds said.

Howell apparently stole a vehicle in town, Reynolds said. He was caught at Fairfield, Texas, around noon after stealing gas from a station there, Reynolds said.

Fairfield is north of Waco and south of Dallas.

PATIENCE: Wink vocalist also teaches

(From 1B)

Three summers ago, Jimmy Bowen, a respected Nashville record producer, traveled to Wink's Roy Orbison Days to hear Ms. Dodd. A series of mishaps prevented her from taking the stage at her appointed time and when she did, one of West Texas' infamous thunderstorms blew through, flattening her and most everyone in attendance.

"When I finally got on, (Bowen) said he wanted to hear something in Spanish. Well I didn't do anything in Spanish. Basically I found out there are 1,001 blonde-headed, blue-eyed girls who want to sing. There are very few black-haired, Spanish girls who want to sing."

Most recently, Jim Prater, an associate of Dennis Grubbs, of Midland-based Wemus Entertainment, was scheduled to work on Ms. Dodd's behalf. He was to help get her that golden opportunity with the powers that be at a Nashville record company. Unfortunately for Ms. Dodd, Prater "discovered" Ricky Lynn Gregg. When Prater hooked up with Gregg, Ms. Dodd was left standing alone once again.

All this is really unfortunate for Ms. Dodd, a 30-year-old woman who possesses a beautiful, full-bodied voice that is the perfect vehicle for country music. She is, quite simply, far too talented not to get a shot in Nashville, however unjust that city can be. But she remains content through all her near-misses.

"From what I've been told, it's basically out of my hands," Ms. Dodd said. "I try to keep that in mind. The people that I'm meeting along the way, the friends I'm making, that's a big reward for me."

Ms. Dodd says her mother told her she first began developing her singing voice when she was five or six.

"My mom told me I knew every commercial on television," she recalls. "Mom said the Oscar-Meyer Weiner song was my favorite. Other than that, I rebelled against the choir thing or any other organized singing. I never liked people telling me what to sing or how to sing."

It was also against her wishes one night when a night club owner insisted she get off the dance floor and go on stage to sing a couple of songs with the band that was playing that night. She finally relented, and two-and-a-half years later, she still sings with that same band, Texas Express.

When not singing, Ms. Dodd is a substitute teacher in Wink, and just last week coached her girls' softball team into first place. It's the simple things in life, she says, that keep her happy while she awaits a chance that may never come.

"That's one thing I really enjoy," Ms. Dodd said of her coaching. "And when I go into a classroom as a substitute teacher, I use my singing as a tool. I've told them if they finish their work, I'll sing them a song. And it works. Sometimes, I'll get love letters from little boys, or they'll stop me in the summer and tell me they love me."

As fond as she is of the messages from the younger set in the Wink school system, the gifted Ms. Dodd has heard 1,000 times over a message that she has grown to accept.

"Patience," she said. "That's all I ever hear."

And until such time that her patience either pays off or wears thin (the latter of which appears highly unlikely), Mary Dodd would happily settle for a kind twist of fate.

TWIRL: Baton becomes Pogue's passion

(From 1B)

It all started with Pogue's mother, who twirled at Madill High School in Madill, Okla. She left batons around the house and Pogue soon tried his hand at spins and illusions.

Pogue took dance lessons, including tap, and twirled baton in high school in Edmunton, Okla., and in his freshman year of college.

Later, he married his wife, Linda, who was also a twirler. In addition, she's an elementary school teacher for Midland public schools.

"I wasn't as serious about it. I twirled in high school with the band and in college," she said.

But for Pogue, twirling was more of a passion. He performed, taught and became an NBTA judge.

"It was unusual being a male twirler. There is this male, macho image thing that twirling and dancing don't fit into," he said. "But I made up my mind — a long time ago — why should someone's opinion stop me? And you better be good as a guy, because you will be noticed."

His love of the sport made him nudge his daughter toward twirling "when she wanted to be a cheerleader."

However, his two sons held out.

"They only wanted to use the batons as clubs and swords and fight with them," Pogue said, shaking his head at the thought.

Before moving to Midland, the couple lived in Lamesa.

There the couple founded the Lamesa Community Players theater troupe. Pogue once starred in the drama "Harvey," hence the pastel painting featuring him and the imaginary rabbit Harvey hangs in the entryway of his house.

Pogue started out as a teacher at St. Ann's Catholic School when he first moved to Midland from Lamesa. His familiarity with teaching youngsters, through baton lessons, landed him the job. "Especially since the priest was looking for a sport for the girls. There was boy's P.E. and basketball, but nothing for the girls," he said.

The only licensed male twirling teacher around West Texas for years, Pogue said, "a young man in Wichita Falls has now started teaching."

"Teaching baton certainly isn't my livelihood," Pogue said, noting that when women teachers move out of town when they or their husband's get transferred, he feels obligated to keep teaching. "I would like my daughter to start teaching because I don't want to be doing this when I am 97," he said.

Enthusiastic about competition, Pogue said winning isn't everything. "With baton you are putting your ego and self-esteem on the line, and it's OK if you don't win, because you win by just being out there."

POLES: Steel now costs about same as wood

(From 1B)

"In part, the use of steel over traditional wooden poles has a lot to do with Oregon's spotted owls," said David Pruitt, president of the Stanton-based utility. The 80-foot tall steel poles, usually much more expensive but actually selected for economy, are the first stage of a 232-mile electrical transmission line being built by Cap Rock Electric through eight West Texas counties.

"When Cap Rock began construction on the first phase of the new transmission system last year, we quickly discovered that wooden poles were no longer the plentiful bargain they once were."

Pruitt said that restrictions on logging in the Northwest caused by the Spotted Owl controversy had put timber in short supply, at the same time as a series of natural disasters, such as Hurrican Andrew and the Los Angeles earthquake had placed a high demand on timber. "This very tight market made Cor-Ten steel poles about as economical as wooden."

He said Cap Rock Electric, a cooperative which serves 12,000 customers in 17 counties, elected to go with the steel poles, because of added advantages. "We now have a system that will withstand 100 mph winds and will last for the next 75 years."

Another advantage, said Ulen North, chief of operations for Cap Rock, is the rust: "It is part of the design. The rust acts as a protection for the poles. It doesn't continue all the way through and weaken the pole, but goes only deep enough to create a protective shield. It serves as a substitute for paint, reduces maintenance costs, and experts say it is easier on the eye than painted poles."

The 80-foot poles were trucked in one piece from Tulsa, and are bolted to concrete foundations that are from 20 to 80 feet deep in the ground. While the steel poles do not attract lightning any more than wood, they still must be grounded the same as wooden poles.

Bomb wounds 41-year-old woman in trailer

LONGVIEW (AP) — Officials were investigating what kind of bomb was thrown into a trailer home, injuring a 41-year-old Longview woman.

Deborah Patton suffered severe injuries, including burns, bruises, broken bones and the loss of several fingers from an explosion that rocked her trailer Saturday after some type of bomb was thrown through a window.

She was taken to a Longview hospital and then transferred to Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas, where officials declined to comment on her condition.

Longview police Lt. D.Z. Smith said it was uncertain what type of bomb was used, but said it may have been a pipe bomb

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Van Pearcy:
Saving for retirement vital for women

Despite much progress in the last decade, American women executives still can earn only two-thirds as much as men, according to a new study by the Korn/Ferry International executive search firm and the University of California--Los Angeles.

"Although many forecasts suggest that pay parity is coming, the pay gap means that several generations of women, from those starting work today to those who have been working for 20 to 30 years, could find themselves short-changed in retirement income as well," commented Van Pearcy, Midland's top Edward D. Jones & Co. Investment Representative.

Pearcy asks women to consider these important facts:

●Men's annual retirement income, including all sources, averages $10,450 compared with just $6,020 for women. Because women live an average of seven years longer than men, they're more likely to face the problem of outliving their assets--in fact, women are twice as likely as men to die poor.

●It be more difficult for women to save for retirement because they earn less through their careers. Women have to save a higher percentage of their income to ensure a comfortable retirement.

●Only 50 percent of working women have pensions. This is partly because women are more likely to work in smaller businesses that do not offer pension plans. Also, women often leave the work force when they have children and rejoin later, or move with a spouse, so they may not stay with one employer long enough to be vested in a retirement plan or to accumulate much in a company plan.

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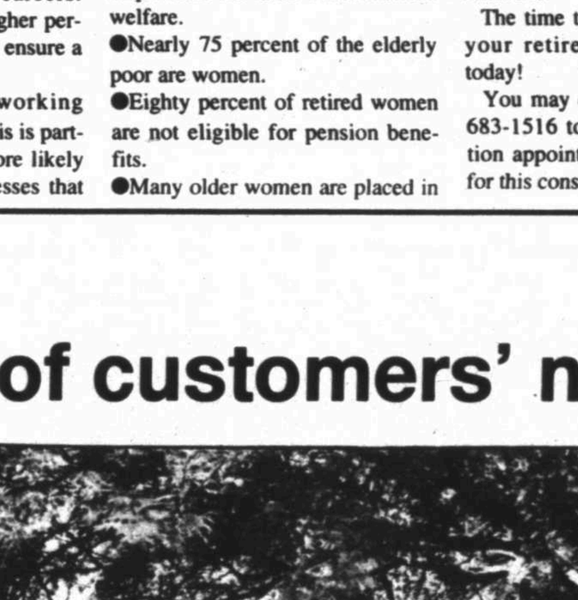
●Nearly 75 percent of the elderly poor are women.

●Eighty percent of retired women are not eligible for pension benefits.

●Many older women are placed in financial jeopardy through widowhood or divorce.

●The average age of widowhood in the United States is 56.

"Despite these statistics, women can take control of their financial futures by implementing a few basic strategies," Pearcy said. "These include developing a plan and sticking to it, paying themselves first, taking time to learn about basic investments, sheltering their retirement dollars from taxes, diversifying their investment dollars and using good professional advise," he added.



Van Pearcy is considered Midland's top Edward D. Jones & Company investment representative

Pearcy has been helping West Texans with their hard-earned money for over seven years.

He is originally from Andrews, Texas, received his Bachelor of Arts and Master in Business Administration degrees from The University of Notre Dame and has the knowledge and training to work with folks in all facets of investment planning. Pearcy's office is located at 2020 West Cuthbert in Midland.

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LMP Homes and Construction:
Remodeling company will take care of customers' needs

Long-time Midlander and LMP Homes and Construction owner, Leo M. Proctor, desires to give customers the best in quality remodeling services at the lowest possible price.

Proctor has lived in Midland since 1953, when his parents moved here, and he has been in the construction business for over 30 years.

Although the business, located at 400 W. Stoneybrook, includes all aspects of remodeling, LMP now includes roofing in the list of services the home-owned and home-operated company offers.

Proctor said he began focusing on roofing when customers who had hired other companies would "call with complaints." So now, he said, he simply completes entire remodeling jobs himself.

"Other companies would put an addition on a home and they (the additions) would leak. No one would ever come back and to fix them," Proctor said

At this time, LMP Homes has a crew of 14 workers, he said. All his work has a two year labor guarantee. "All my crews are local, not just from out-of-town," he said.

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He suggests customers take advantage of these guarantees as well as LMP Homes and Construction's many services. Besides the roofing, he said, "they (customers) can take care of painting and other storm damage, with one call." Proctor said he will work with customers on insurance claims.

One customer, Mrs. Miller did call Proctor and LMP Homes and Construction. She gave a positive report of her experience with LMP and Proctor. She said, "I like the way he worked with me--excellent job."

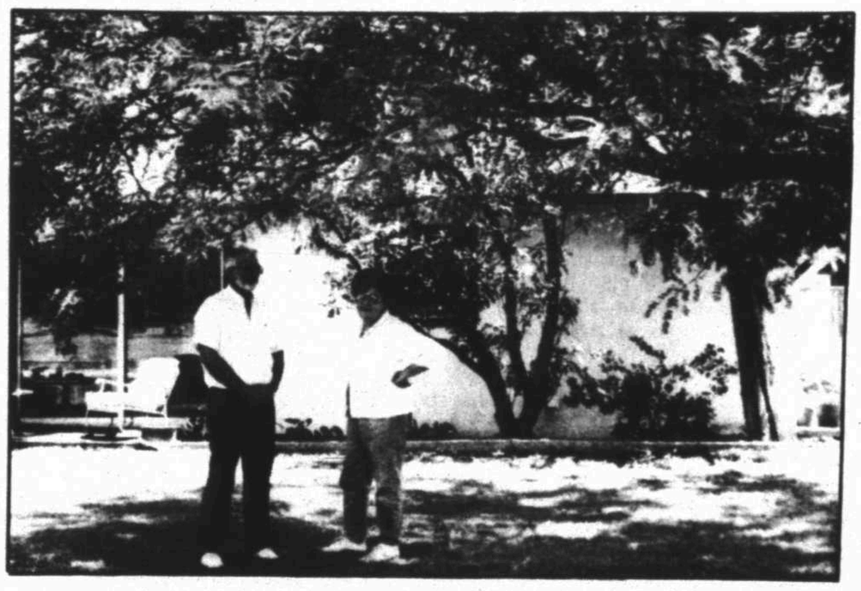
She cited an example of Proctor's consideration. "I work all day and when his men had to be in the house, he was here with them."

And Miller gave another example of Proctor's care. "After he finished (the job), anything that didn't work as I expected, I just picked up the phone and one of his young men was out here immediately."

She said LMP's prices, too, satisfied her. "His prices were absolutely reasonable. He told me exactly what I was getting for the money," she said.

She said, "I would recommend him to anyone. He is honest and capable--that's what one really needs today."

Anyone with remodeling or roofing needs may call Proctor at 520-0703, or stop by his home and LMP Homes and Construction's office at 400 West Stoneybrook.



LMP Homes and Construction owner, Leo. M. Proctor and customer Mrs. Miller stand before Miller's home, where a LMP recently finished replacing a roof. Miller's roof was damaged in the May 27, 1994, hailstorm.

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Mary Alvey, Chuck Laurell, Pinkie Pappas, the driver of the cart, and Lucille Bullock, got together and decorated their "Let Freedom Ring" cart for their entry in the fourth annual Independence Day parade Monday, in Wichita Falls.

Bands, floats, fireworks bring out patriotic spirit

Associated Press

Texans enjoyed music, fireworks, kite-flying, lemonade and barbecue Monday as they celebrated the 218th anniversary of American independence.

An estimated 250,000 people attended "Freedom Fest" in Buffalo Bayou Park west of downtown Houston.

At every turn were American flags in all shapes and materials, from traditional cloth flags atop buildings to sequined appliques on T-shirts.

In Hermann Park, hundreds of picnickers, many decked out in red, white and blue, tried to keep cool while waiting for the Houston Symphony and the fireworks that followed.

Once the sun started its descent, museum-goers returned to their cars for their coolers and headed across the street for the John Phillip Sousa marches and the 1812 Overture.

Residents in McAllen celebrated the holiday with a parade and fireworks. Floats, beauty queens and marching bands streamed along Main Street while thousands lined the sidewalks through downtown to watch the town's 66th annual Independence Day parade. U.S. Rep. Eligio "Kika" de la Garza, D-Mission, was among the guests of honor.

The biggest attractions were Tejano, rock and country music acts. But many came to see a $12,000, half-hour choreographed fireworks extravaganza that began at 9:30 p.m.

In three days, 16,000 people poured through the gates of Fiesta '94 at McAllen Municipal Park, organizers said. Still, the turnout was lower than last year.

While thousands of visitors swam, skied, sunbathed and fished at Lake O' The Pines, rangers and other employees of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers were facing one of their longest and hardest days of the year.

"It's probably the busiest day we've had this year," said Christy Carr, a 19-year-old biology major at Northeast Texas Community College who is spending the summer as a park ranger.

Directing traffic at the entrance to one of the lake's favorite swimming spots, Ms. Carr said the heat was the biggest drawback to the job as she showed off her bright pink sunburned forearms.

Patriotic music rang out during a Fourth of July spectacular Monday at Fort Bliss at El Paso.

"We were looking for patriotic music, and what better place than an Army post on the 4th of July," said Marsha Morgan of El Paso.

At Corpus Christi, fisherman Landon Farquer's holiday began at 5:45 a.m., and he was happy about it.

"Today we have 50 pounds of shrimp," Farquer said, while pouring out his squirming catch for customers to see. "We'll sell it in 30 minutes or less."

As more than 125,000 revelers headed for the beach over the holiday weekend in Corpus Christi, others wandered the downtown waterfront, giving fishermen brisk business and claiming their spot for Monday night's fireworks show.

The waterfront was also one of the best places Monday to hear Tejano music. About 6,000 people heard seven bands and cooled off in the air-conditioned Memorial Coliseum.

Others pulled out their flags for display, including some from a real estate firm that planted 5,000 flags over the weekend in front lawns across the city.

In Lubbock, food booths opened for breakfast at 7 a.m. downtown, and by 10 a.m., thousands of people had lined Broadway for the start of a parade. An hour later, thousands more converged for the beginning of a street fair.

Festival organizers estimated that 70,000 people would attend the event by the conclusion of Monday night's fireworks extravaganza.

Lubbock's flag-waving, fun-loving crowd let out a few oohs and ahs as a group of people carrying the 50 state flags of the United States passed by, and when two Aerocare helicopters flew overhead.

Transportation officials continue investigation of crash near Weatherford

WEATHERFORD (AP) — Federal and state transportation officials Monday continued their investigation of a van-truck collision that killed 14 people, as Texas roads quieted following a day that claimed 43 lives.

Officials with the state Department of Public Safety and the National Transportation Safety Board on Monday inspected the scene of the deadliest of 12 accidents in Texas Sunday.

Someone had placed a cross and flowers at the site where 12 children and two adults died when a van carrying relatives to a family reunion apparently pulled into the path a tractor-trailer. The van was hit from behind on Interstate 20, about five miles west of Weatherford, authorities said.

As accident reconstruction efforts continued, state officials discovered that Claudia Funches, the driver of the van carrying 17 passengers, apparently was driving with a suspended license.

"All we know right now, preliminary until we find out from California next week, she shows to be under suspension," said DPS Sgt. Larry Peterson.

The reason for the suspension was unknown Monday. California authorities were unavailable because of the July Fourth holiday.

The Texas license of truck driver Richie Darrell Ware of Arlington is clear, he said.

Officials, who have interviewed both drivers, said they do not know the exact roadway positions of the vehicles when they collided. However, Ms. Funches reported that she was having trouble with the van's air shock system.

"It was causing a problem with her rear tires," said DPS Sgt. Charles Seale, a member of the state's accident reconstruction team. "She had pulled off several times to try to correct the problem and was just trying to get to a service station or some place that they could get it repaired when the accident occurred."

Neither driver recalls much about the accident, although Ms. Funches "remembers looking behind her and being on the roadway," Seale said.

The 1977 Dodge van, borrowed from a relative who installed the air shocks, is believed to have left Los Angeles Friday night with the group planning to drive straight to Mississippi, Seale said.

"We do know that she had made one stop to sleep," he said. "However they had been switching off drivers back and forth between her and one of the other ladies in the van."

The group spent a few hours at a rest area along Interstate 20 near Odessa before heading on, Seale said.

Ware told authorities he had gone to work about 1:30 a.m. Sunday, dropped of a load in Cisco — about 75 miles west of Weatherford — shortly after 8 a.m., then was headed back east when the accident occurred.

Seale said there is no indication that fatigue, alcohol or drugs were factors in the accident.

Asked whether charges would be filed, Seale said, "It's still to early to determine that right now."

An accident reconstruction team is gathering information that will be used to produce an animation of the accident, said DPS spokesman Mike Cox.

"It will help us better understand what happened," Cox said.

Meanwhile, out-of-state relatives arrived in Texas Monday to be with the four survivors, three of whom have been released from area hospitals.

Nichole Funches, 21, Greg Bell, 4, and Ricky Wince, 4, were released after receiving treatment for injuries.

About 15 of Claudia Funches' relatives gathered at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas, where she was in fair condition, said hospital vice president Michael Korpiel.

The family members did not speak with reporters.

"Her family is definitely grieving. They are very sorrowful," Korpiel said. "They best way to describe it is very quiet.

"They're doing as well as they can, I guess, when you lose so many members of your family."

In California, a woman who identified herself as a relative but declined to give her name, said through the closed door of an apartment that Ms. Funches asked family members not to speak to the media.

"There's been too much coverage already," the woman said.

Neighbors outside the gated two-story building in South-Central Los Angeles declined to speak about the deaths.

Autopsies on the 14 victims were scheduled Monday at the Tarrant County Medical Examiner's Office, said Dr. Rodney Crow, chief of identification services.

The DPS had estimated that 31 people would die on the long holiday weekend on Texas highways. By Monday evening, the count had reached 63.

Sunday was the deadliest day ever on Texas highways, with 43 people killed in traffic accidents. That exceeded the previous record of 42 deaths on Dec. 24, 1975, the DPS said.

Officers: Gypsy feud results in perjury charges

DALLAS (AP) — A couple went to police telling a terrible tale of how they were held and robbed at gunpoint by four men they thought looked familiar.

As investigators began unraveling the story, they found they were mired in the middle of a bitter feud between two of Texas' most powerful Gypsy families.

Officers across the state say they have listened to many stories — mostly fictitious — of robberies, assaults and revenge attacks on Gypsies by other Gypsies seeking to stir up trouble with their enemies.

The officers say the false stories waste their time and taxpayers' money and they have grown more and more weary of attempts to draw them into the fray.

"There has always been a problem and probably always will. A lot of it has to do with tradition," said Lt. Donald J. McWilliams of the Houston Police Department's robbery division.

"You still have to handle it as a major investigation, and it ends up you go out and waste your time," agreed detective Stephen Haines of the Dallas Police Department's swindle unit.

But officers are optimistic. Perjury charges resulting from false reports filed in the feud should cut down on the misleading tales, they say.

The feud involves the Mitchell family, who live primarily in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, and the powerful Evans family, who are mostly in Houston.

Both families agree the feud began in 1991 after Joey Mitchell broke Gypsy law by having an affair with a Gypsy woman married to a member of the Evans family.

"The law is nobody should mess with someone's wife," said Tony Evans of Houston.

A meeting of the Romani Kris, or Gypsy court, was held in Dallas in 1991, and about 1,000 Gypsy leaders from Texas and neighboring states fined Mitchell $2,500.

From there, the families' stories head off in different directions.

The Evanses say Mitchell did not pay the fine and was blackballed from all Gypsy functions.

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OLYMPIC FESTIVAL — Men's and women's bronze medal basketball games, noon; men's basketball and diving, 8 p.m., HSE.

CYCLING — Tour de France, third stage highlights, 2:30 p.m., ESPN.

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TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at San Antonio Missions, 7 p.m.. RADIO: KCRS (550 AM).

Tennis' Hoad dies

LONDON — Former Australian tennis great Lew Hoad, winner of five Wimbledon titles, died in Spain, the International Tennis Federation said today. He was 59.

It was reported that Hoad died of a heart attack, although he had been in ill health and was suffering from leukaemia.

Hoad was the first post-war player to win consecutive Wimbledon singles titles. He won in 1956 and 1957 and won doubles titles in 1953, 1955 and 1956.

"He was the first of the charismatic players we saw in the '50s," said Neale Fraser, his former Davis Cup teammate and 1960 Wimbledon singles champion.

Hoad formed a powerful doubles partnership with Ken Rosewall, who was one of several players organizing a seniors' tournament at Hoad's tennis camp near Marbella in Spain to raise money for his treatment.

As teen-agers, Hoad and Rosewall, who was 21 days older and also from Sydney, won the 1953 Davis Cup final against the United States.

In 1956, Hoad won the Australian and French titles as well as Wimbledon, but missed the Grand Slam when Rosewall beat him in the U.S. Open.

After his 1957 Wimbledon victory, Hoad turned professional.

Unser wins Pike

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — Robby Unser, son of three-time Indianapolis 500 winner Bobby Unser, won his sixth Pikes Peak title and the 35th for the Unser family by taking the open-wheel division in record time on Monday.

Unser's Chevy needed only 10 minutes, 5.85 seconds to negotiate the 156-turn, 12.42-mile course from the 9,400-foot level to the summit at 14,110 feet.

Unser, of Lincoln, Neb., had led qualifying in both open-wheel and super-truck divisions, but had to settle for second in the latter in 12:01.22. Leonard Vahsholtz of Woodland Park, Colo., drove a Ford to a super-truck record of 11:36.63.

Unser was attempting to become the second driver in the 72-year history of the event to win two divisions in one day. Vahsholtz was the only driver to accomplish the double, winning the super-truck and stock-car divisions in 1993.

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1994 WORLD CUP SOCCER

'Brazillance' bests Yanks



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Marcio Santo (15) fires a shot between Alexei Lalas (left) and goalkeeper Tony Meola of the United States in the first half of the World Cup game at Palo Alto, Calif., Monday. Brazil second late in the second half to defeat the U.S. 1-0 to eliminate the Americans from the competiton.

■ The United States could not capitalize on a man advantage early as Brazil eliminates the Americans 1-0.

By Barry Wilner
AP Sports Writer

Gone on the Fourth of July.

The United States ventured into the domain of the Brazilians at the World Cup on Sunday, and for a while seemed to belong there.

Even though the Americans had a man advantage for most of the second half, they were dominated in the final 45 minutes and lost 1-0.

Bebeto scored in the 74th minute, ending the U.S. dreams of an upset that would have ranked with the 1980 Winter Olympics shocker the U.S. hockey team pulled on the Soviet Union. The goal also kept alive Brazil's quest for an unprecedented fourth world soccer championship.

The classy Brazilians, who never looked at a loss despite losing defender Leonardo in the final minute of the first half, impressively moved into the quarterfinals against the Netherlands. This was one 1-0 game that wasn't nearly that close.

"This is a sad thing for us, a very emotional thing and a hard thing to get over," defender Marcelo Balboa said.

Leonardo was ejected for elbowing Tab Ramos in the face at the end of the first half, giving Ramos a concussion.

Please see **U.S.**/6C

Ramos suffers cracked skull

Associated Press

STANFORD, Calif. — U.S. midfielder Tab Ramos was taken off the field in a cart with slight skull fracture suffered in the 43rd minute of Monday's second-round World Cup game between the Americans and Brazil.

Ramos was hurt in a scramble for the ball with Brazilian defender Leonardo, who was ejected for elbowing Ramos in the face. The two tangled near midfield.

Ramos was spun around and whacked in the left side of the face and lost consciousness for several moments.

Team spokesman Dean Linke said Ramos came to quickly. He was taken to Stanford Medical Center, where he was scheduled to be held overnight for observation.

"He has a small fracture of part of his skull ... above his left ear. There has been a small amount of bleeding, but it is not a serious problem," team physician Dr. Bill Garrett said.

"He's doing fine and expected to be released tomorrow,"



AP Laserphoto

Tab Ramos was elbowed by Brazilian defender Leonardo in the first half of Monday's game.

Netherlands outruns Ireland

By Alex Yannis
N.Y. Times News Service

ORLANDO, Fla. — The Netherlands proved faster, quicker and more inventive than Ireland here Monday afternoon. And strange as it may sound, the Dutch were superior in the air battles, typically Ireland's bread and butter.

Add a couple of defensive mistakes by the Irish, including a gaffe by their usually reliable goalkeeper, Packie Bonner, and you have a 2-0 triumph for the Dutch.

The Dutch goals came from Dennis Bergkamp, the dangerous striker, in the 11th minute, and Wim Jonk, the indefatigable midfielder, in the 41st minute. The Irish never seriously threatened.

"The first half was a real showing of how the Dutch team can play," Bergkamp said. "Unlike the first three games, we dominated everywhere. We never really allowed them to rest. We moved the ball quickly."

Jack Charlton, the coach of the Irish, agreed. "The Dutch were very quick and very fit, and they were running us," he said. "They chased us harder than we chased them."

Bergkamp's goal came on a play that started with Terry Phelan, the Irish left back, misplaying the ball behind Phil Babb on the right side of the Dutch attack. Marc Overmars got behind Babb, outran Paul McGrath, and put a low pass across near the penalty spot, where Bergkamp found it and shot into the lower right corner for his second goal in the tournament.

The Dutch were particularly quick dashing down the flanks, with Overmars on the right and Peter van Vossen on the left. Those two were a constant threat to Ireland's outside backs, Gary Kelly on the right and Phelan on the left.

Jonk's goal came after quick movement by the Dutch midfield, but Bonner clearly could have prevented it. The shot came from about 25 yards away and the goalkeeper had a clear view of the shot, but failed to block it. The ball nipped his fingertips and rolled behind

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Preliminary hearing resumes today

By Jane E. Allen
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES — Prosecutors could still make a case against O.J. Simpson without bloody evidence taken from his property and Ford Bronco, but would have to rely more on scientific tests, experts' testimony and crime-scene clues, attorneys say.

"It's clear they're developing other evidence, but certainly a major gaffe by the police which would result in the loss of the evidence at Mr. Simpson's home is something that the prosecution can ill afford," said Myrna Raeder, a professor of trial advocacy and evidence at Southwestern School of Law.

But Raeder cautioned against drawing conclusions just two days into what's expected to be a one- to two-week preliminary hearing. The object of the hearing is to decide whether Simpson is to be tried for murder in the killings of Simpson's former wife Nicole Brown Simpson, 35, and her friend Ronald Lyle Goldman, 25.

"Until you really know the evidence, I don't think you can

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A sign a block away from the site of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman's death hopes to detract curiosity seekers from prowling around.

Dutchman wins Tour's second leg

Associated Press

BOULOGNE SUR MER, France — Dutchman Jean-Claude Van Poppel won the second stage of the Tour de France Monday in a crash-free sprint a day after a collision knocked three cyclists out of the race.

Van Poppel edged Olag Ludwig of Germany at the finish of the Roubaix to Boulogne-sur-Mer stage of

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Astros stay on Reds' heels

By R.B. Fallstrom
AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS — Tony Eusebio had a career-high four hits and four RBIs and Andujar Cedeno also drove in four runs, helping the Houston Astros beat the St. Louis Cardinals 13-6 Monday.

The Astros had 15 hits, 11 walks and a hit batsman to win for the sixth time in eight games. The Cardinals have dropped three in a row after a five-game winning streak.

Eusebio, who entered the game in a 2-for-12 slump, hit a three-run double to cap the Astros' four-run first inning against Allen Watson (5-4). He tripled to lead off the fourth and scored, hit a run-scoring single in the fifth and singled in the sixth.

He missed a chance at an even bigger day when he flied out to shallow center with the bases loaded and one out in the seventh. Cedeno, however, followed with a two-run single for a 3-for-4 day.

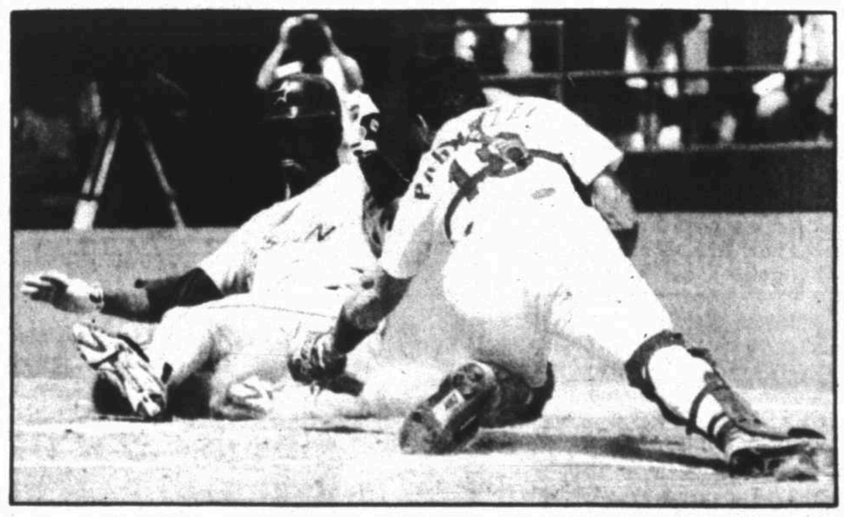
Astros starter Brian Williams (5-4), who had allowed nine runs in 13 innings in his last two starts, worked six innings in 95-degree heat and allowed only two runs on seven hits. He also had an RBI single in the fifth.

Todd Zeile was the only Cardinal to give him any trouble, going 4-for-4 with a home run in the fourth and an RBI triple in the sixth.

Watson completed an eight-game suspension on Sunday for hitting Florida's Orestes Destrade on May 22, causing a bench-clearing brawl.

He lasted 3 1-3 innings and gave up five runs on four hits with five walks and three strikeouts.

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Houston's Tony Eusebio slides past St. Louis catcher Tom Pagnozzi in the fifth inning of the Astros 12-6 win Monday. Eusebio had a career-high four hits and four RBIs.

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Clark, Rangers walk to win, 4-3

Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Will Clark drew a bases-loaded walk with one out in the ninth inning Monday night, giving the Texas Rangers a 4-3 victory over the Detroit Tigers.

■ AL Roundup

Oddibe McDowell singled with one out in the ninth off Mike Gardiner (2-2) and went to third on Jeff Frye's double. McDowell injured a hamstring as he neared third base and was replaced by Esteban Beltre.

Jose Canseco was walked intentionally to load the bases before Clark walked on four pitches.

Darren Oliver (2-0) pitched two innings of one-hit ball to earn the victory. Texas has won four of five while Detroit completed its longest road trip of the year at 2-9.

Dean Palmer's two-run homer in the sixth gave the Rangers a 3-1 lead. The Tigers tied it in the eighth.

Blue Jays 9, Royals 4

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — John Olerud had a two-run double and Toronto, held hitless for five innings by Bob Milacki, broke loose for five runs in the sixth to beat Kansas City.

Joe Carter hit his 17th homer and drove in four runs for Toronto, which won for only the third time in 16 games. Mike Macfarlane homered twice for the Royals.

Pat Hentgen (10-5) gave up nine hits and struck out six in eight innings. He is 5-0 lifetime against Kansas City, including a 1-0 victory May 3 in which he struck out 14.

Hentgen has not lost since May 31, getting four wins and two no-decisions in that span.

Milacki (0-3) allowed only two runners on a hit batsman and a walk through five innings. But ninth-place hitter Randy Knorr singled up the middle to lead off the sixth and start the rally.

White Sox 3, Brewers 2

CHICAGO — Pinch-hitter Norberto Martin doubled home the winning run with two outs in the ninth inning, lifting Chicago over Milwaukee.

With two outs, Craig Grebeck doubled off Ricky Bones (7-6). Jesse Orosco relieved and Martin drove in pinch-runner Ron Karkovice.

Roberto Hernandez (3-3) went 1 1-3 innings and was the winner.

White Sox starter Jason Bere, named Sunday as a first-time All-Star, gave up singles to Turner Ward and Greg Vaughn with one out in the eighth. Paul Assenmacher relieved and Dave Nilsson hit a sacrifice fly that tied it at 2.

Indians 7, Twins 1

CLEVELAND — Dennis Martinez won his sixth straight decision and Candy Maldonado hit a tiebreaking two-run double as Cleveland beat Minnesota to complete a four-game sweep.

Cleveland has won five straight games and is 24-4 in its last 28 games at Jacobs Field. Minnesota has lost seven straight on the road.

The Indians outscored the Twins 32-12 in sweeping a four-game series from them for the first time since 1984.

Martinez (7-4) improved to 6-0 over 10 starts since his last loss on May 11 at New York.

Red Sox 4, Angels 1

BOSTON — Roger Clemens allowed two hits and struck out 10 in seven shutout innings before leaving with tightness in his right groin.

Clemens (7-4) allowed a leadoff single by Chili Davis in the second and a one-out double by Chad Curtis in the fifth. It was the 59th time he has struck out 10 or more in a game.

Phil Leftwich (3-7) gave up four runs and seven hits in eight innings.

Athletics 4, Yankees 0

NEW YORK — Steve Ontiveros extended his scoreless streak to 24 1-3 innings and combined with four relievers to shut out the Yankees on four hits.

Ontiveros (5-2), who had missed his last start due to a tight right groin muscle, allowed four hits over the first 6 1-3 innings in winning his fourth straight decision.

Orioles 9, Mariners 3

BALTIMORE — Leo Gomez hit two homers and Chris Hoiles and Mark McLemore had one apiece for the Orioles.

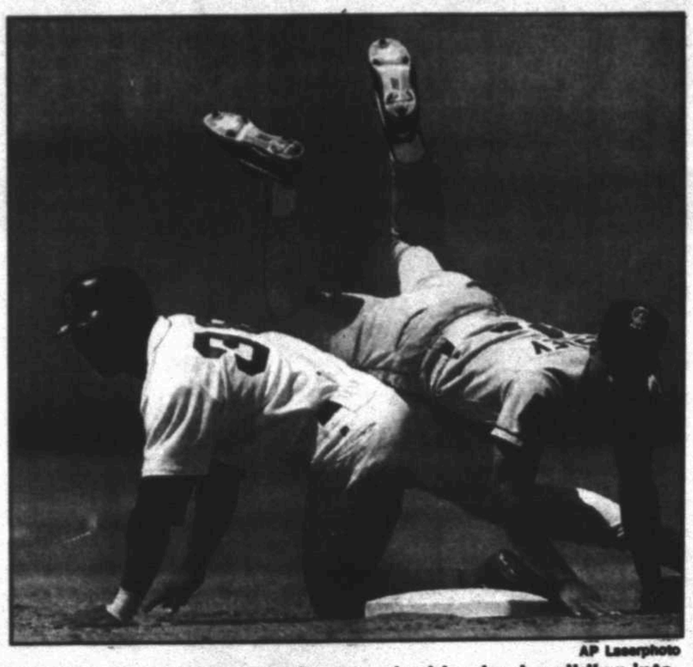
Baltimore has 13 homers in its last four games and have homered in 19 of its last 20.

Sid Fernandez (5-4), activated off the disabled list before the game, allowed three runs and eight hits in five innings. He had not pitched since June 18 because of a strained rib cage muscle.

Seattle starter Chris Bosio (3-10) gave up six runs and seven hits in seven innings.

Mike Blowers homered and drove in all three Seattle runs.

Seattle's Ken Griffey Jr. went 0-for-4 and is now homerless in his last nine games.



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Boston's Lee Tinsley breaks up a double play by sliding into California's Damon Easley during the Red Sox 4-1 win at Fenway Park Monday.

NL: Rijo shuts down Marlins

(From 1C)

Reds 5, Marlins 1

MIAMI — All-Star Jose Rijo pitched six scoreless innings and Reggie Sanders broke the game open with a two-run, eighth-inning homer, leading Cincinnati to its fourth straight victory.

Deion Sanders went 3-for-4 for the Reds, who got all the runs they needed in the first against Marlins starter Pat Rapp (4-5). Deion Sanders led off with a triple and scored when Hal Morris singled to center for his team-leading 57th RBI.

Morris was out trying to get to second, and Reggie Sanders followed with a ground-rule double over the center-field fence. He moved to third on a wild pitch and scored on Tony Fernandez' double to right to make it 2-0.

The Marlins had plenty of opportunities against Rijo (7-4), leaving runners in scoring position in five of the first six innings.

Rijo finished with six strikeouts and one walk, dropping his ERA to 2.99. He gave up eight singles before being relieved in the seventh by Hector Carrasco.

Florida cut the lead 2-1 in the seventh. Carr singled and moved to second on a bad pickoff attempt. He scored when Jerry Browne hit one deep in the hole between first and second. Bret Boone made a diving stop, but lost control of the ball when he tried to throw it to first.

Gary Sheffield then walked and Jeff Conine, who ended up stranding four runners, popped out. Greg Colbrunn flied out to left, and left fielder Thomas Howard doubled Brown off second.

Howard also foiled a Florida opportunity in the first when Carr singled and stole second. Browne followed with a liner to left and Howard made a diving catch for the out. It possibly saved two runs because Gary Sheffield came up next and singled.

In the eighth, Deion Sanders singled off reliever Yorkis Perez, who then struck out the next two batters. But Florida manager Rene Lachemann lifted Perez in favor of Robb Nenn, and Reggie Sanders homered off him, his 14th, to give Cincinnati a 4-1 lead. The Reds got one more run in the inning when Fernandez and Howard had back-to-back doubles.

Carrasco pitched three innings and got his fifth save.

Phillies 10, Padres 4

SAN DIEGO — Light-hitting Todd Pratt hit a three-run double and a two-run homer and Philadelphia scored eight runs in the fourth inning to beat San Diego.

All-Star Danny Jackson (11-2) allowed a season-high 12 hits in six innings but still got the victory and extended his streak of not allowing a walk to 21 innings.

The Phillies sent 12 batters to the plate in the fourth and matched their highest-scoring inning of the season. Mickey Morandini and John Kruk had two-run singles and Tony Longmire singled, had an RBI double and scored twice in the inning.

Brad Ausmus' hit his fifth homer, a three-run shot in the fifth, for San Diego. Ricky Gutierrez had an RBI single in the seventh.

Sanders allowed five hits and six runs in 3 2-3 innings, with four walks and three strikeouts. His ERA rose from 4.99 to 5.47.

Mets 2, Giants 1, 10 innings

SAN FRANCISCO — Jim Lindeman's leadoff homer in the 10th inning gave New York Mets a victory over San Francisco.

Lindeman hit a 1-1 pitch directly over the wall in center field for his fourth homer of the year. It came off Rod Beck (2-4), who has yielded nine homers in 29 1-3 innings.

All three runs in the game were scored on solo homers. Ryan Thompson his 14th for the Mets in the second and Barry Bonds connected for his 22nd in the eighth — a towering shot that landed several rows back in the upper deck.

Josias Manzanillo (2-1) worked a scoreless ninth for the victory, and John Franco pitched the 10th for his 18th save.

■ NL Roundup

Cubs 4, Rockies 3
Rockies 4, Cubs 2
(15 innings)

CHICAGO — Dante Bichette hit a misplayed two-run double in the top of the 15th inning to give Colorado a victory over Chicago and a split of a rain-soaked, 10-hour and 10-minute doubleheader.

The Cubs won the opener 4-3 with two runs in the ninth, capped by Derrick May's two-out RBI single — his fourth hit of the game.

Some 7½ hours later, and after three rain delays, the holiday doubleheader finally ended when Greg Harris retired Sammy Sosa on a liner to center.

The Rockies blew ninth-inning leads in both games.

In the nightcap, Randy Myers (1-4) walked Nelson Liriano to open the 15th. Two outs later, Walt Weiss singled off Myers' glove. Bichette then lifted a high fly ball to right-center and outfielders Glenallen Hill and Eddie Zambrano let the ball drop between them at the base of the wall as two runs scored.

Bruce Walton (1-0), the sixth of seven Colorado pitchers, got the victory by pitching the 13th and 14th. Harris got the last three outs for his first save.

Expos 5, Dodgers 1

LOS ANGELES — Butch Henry pitched 6 2-3 scoreless innings and Larry Walker had three hits — including his 15th homer — to lead Montreal past Los Angeles.

Mel Rojas pitched 2 1-3 innings for his 13th save, helping move the second-place Expos within two games of Atlanta in the NL East race. The Braves were rained out of their scheduled home game against Pittsburgh.

Henry (5-1) allowed five hits, struck out three and walked two. It was the third start this season in which the left-hander has pitched shutout ball and failed to finish.

The Expos took a 4-0 lead with three runs in the fourth, getting four hits before Ramon Martinez (7-5) could record an out. Wil Cordero doubled in a run, Mike Lansing blooped an RBI single to right and Cordero scored on a groundout by Sean Berry.

Strawberry returns to action

PEORIA, Ariz. (AP) — Darryl Strawberry was back, and so was his sweet swing.

Strawberry took another step toward returning to the majors Monday night, hitting a home run and a single in four at-bats for the Triple-A Phoenix Firebirds.

"I went, 'Yes-s-s-s,'" Strawberry said homering in his first game for San Francisco's top farm team. "That's something the Giants are looking for, and it's something I expect out of myself."

It was Strawberry's first home run since June 8, 1993, when he was playing for the Los Angeles Dodgers. The 410-foot shot in the third inning followed a sharp single in the first.

Vancouver pitcher Keith Morrison, who gave up both hits, struck out Strawberry in the fourth. Erik Bennett got him to pop up to shortstop to end the sixth.

Strawberry, an eight-time NL All-Star, then came out of the game, which Phoenix lost 9-7. He signed autographs on his way to the clubhouse.

Strawberry caught the only fly ball hit to him. He also fielded two singles.

It was his first game since April 2, a day before he left the Los Angeles Dodgers without an explanation. On April 4, he admitted that he had a substance-abuse problem.

Strawberry spent four weeks at the Betty Ford Center, negotiated a settlement that released him from the Dodgers and signed with the Giants on June 19.

The Giants have had him on a conditioning program since they signed him. Although his schedule for returning to the major leagues hasn't been revealed, it is believed he will join the Giants after the All-Star break.

Giants baseball operations vice president Tony Siegle said Strawberry's first game was everything the team hoped for.

"Certainly a home run and a single the first day excites everybody and whets everybody's appetite, but Darryl has to make the determination when he is ready," Siegle said.

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Rangers 4, Tigers 3

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Phillips dh	5	0	1	0	OMcDl cf	5	0	1	0
CGmez 2b	3	0	0	0	Beltre pr	0	1	0	0
Frymn 3b	4	0	0	0	Frye 2b	4	0	1	0
Fielder 1b	4	1	2	1	Cnseco dh	4	0	1	0
Trmmll ss	5	1	1	0	WClark 1b	4	2	3	1
Felix rf	4	1	1	0	JGnzlz lf	3	0	0	0
Tttleton c	4	0	3	1	Palmer 3b	4	1	2	3
Samuel cf	4	0	1	0	Greer rf	3	0	1	0
Ingram lf	3	0	2	1	RRdrgz c	4	0	0	0
					MLee ss	3	0	1	0
Totals	36	3	11	3	Totals	34	4	10	4
Detroit					010 000 020—3				
Texas					000 102 001—4				

One out when winning run scored.
E—CGomez (6). DP—Detroit 2, Texas 1. LOB—Detroit 11, Texas 11. 2B—Phillips (14), Trammell (15), Frye (13). HR—Fielder (18), Palmer (15). CS—Ingram (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Detroit						
Doherty	7	7	3	3	1	2
Groom	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gardiner L,2-2	1 1-3	2	1	1	1	3
Texas						
Rogers	7	10	3	3	4	8
Oliver W,2-0	2	1	0	0	1	3

Rogers pitched to 3 batters in the 8th, Doherty pitched to 1 batter in the 8th, Groom pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. T—3:32. A—48,265.

Red Sox 4, Angels 1

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Owen 3b	2	0	0	0	Tinsley cf	3	0	0	0
Easley 2b	4	0	0	0	Fltcher 2b	3	0	0	0
Salmon rf	4	1	1	0	JnVntn ss	4	0	2	1
CDavis dh	4	0	2	0	MVghn 1b	4	0	0	0
Edmns lf	4	0	0	1	Dawson dh	4	1	2	0
Curtis cf	4	0	1	0	Gmell lf	4	0	0	0
Snow 1b	3	0	0	0	Bmsby rf	3	1	1	0
Myers c	2	0	0	0	Cooper 3b	3	1	1	2
Hudler ph	1	0	0	0	Bnyhll c	3	1	1	1
CTmr c	0	0	0	0					
DSrcne ss	3	0	0	0					
Totals	31	1	4	1	Totals	31	4	7	4
California					000 000 001—1				
Boston					040 000 00x—4				

E—MVaughn (7). DP—Boston 1. LOB—California 6, Boston 5. 2B—Curtis (16), JnValentin (15), Brunansky (5), Cooper (14).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
California						
Leftwich L,3-7	8	7	4	4	2	5
Boston						
Clemens W,7-4	7	2	0	0	2	10
Howard	1	0	0	0	0	1
KRyan	1	2	1	1	0	0

PB—Berryhill. Balk—Leftwich. T—2:44. A—26,624.

Indians 7, Twins 1

MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Knblch 2b	4	0	1	0	Lofton cf	3	1	1	1
ACole cf	4	0	1	0	Vizquel ss	3	0	1	1
Puckett rf	4	0	0	0	Baerga 2b	3	1	2	2
Hrbek 1b	4	0	0	0	Belle lf	3	1	0	0
Winfield dh	4	1	3	1	Murray 1b	4	0	0	0
PMunz lf	4	0	0	0	Rmrez rf	3	0	1	0
Leius 3b	3	0	0	0	Kirby rf	1	1	0	0
Parks c	2	0	1	0	MIndo dh	3	1	3	2
Hcking ss	3	0	0	0	Pena c	4	1	1	0
					Espnza 3b	3	1	2	1
Totals	32	1	6	1	Totals	30	7	11	7
Minnesota					010 000 000—1				
Cleveland					100 200 40x—7				

DP—Minnesota 3, Cleveland 1. LOB—Minnesota 5, Cleveland 4. 2B—ACole (13), Parks (6), Lofton (21), Baerga (25), Maldonado (4). 3B—Winfield (2). HR—Winfield (9). SB—Baerga 2 (7). CS—Espinoza (2). S—Vizquel. SF—Lofton.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota						
Deshaies L,4-8	6	8	7	7	3	6
Casian	1-3	2	0	0	0	0
Campbell	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Cleveland						
DeMartinez						W,7-
4	9	6	1	1	0	4

Deshaies pitched to 4 batters in the 7th. HBP—by DeMartinez (Parks). T—2:45. A—41,567.

A's 4, Yankees 0

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
RHdsn lf	2	0	2	1	Polonia lf	4	0	0	0
Javier cf	5	1	1	0	Velarde 2b	4	0	2	0
Neal dh	4	1	2	2	Boggs 3b	4	0	0	0
Sierra rf	5	0	0	0	Tntbull dh	4	0	0	0
McGwr 1b	4	1	2	1	O'Neill rf	3	0	1	0
Stnbch c	5	0	1	0	Nokes c	3	0	1	0
Gates 2b	5	1	1	0	BWlms cf	3	0	0	0
Bordick ss	3	0	1	0	Stanley 1b	3	0	0	0
Hmond 3b	2	0	1	0	Elster ss	2	0	0	0
					Slvestri 2b	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	11	4	Totals	31	0	4	0
Oakland					002 110 000—4				
New York					000 000 000—0				

E—Nokes (2). LOB—Oakland 12, New York 5. 2B—Gates (10). HR—Neal (9), McGwire (6). SB—RHenderson (13), Hemond (5). CS—Hemond (4). S—Bordick. SF—RHenderson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Ontiveros W,5-2	6 1-3	4	0	0	1	2
Acre	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	2
Leiper	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Taylor	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Vosberg	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
New York						
Kmncki L,5-4	6	8	4	4	4	3
XHernandez	1 2-3	3	0	0	1	2
PGibson	0	0	0	0	1	0
Harris	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1

PGibson pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. T—3:16. A—22,021.

Orioles 9, Mariners 3

SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Amaral 2b	2	0	0	0	ByAdsn cf	4	0	2	2
Sojo 2b	3	0	3	0	Sabo rf	4	0	0	0
Fermin ss	5	1	2	0	Voigt rf	0	0	0	0
Grfy Jr cf	4	1	0	0	Plmiro 1b	3	0	0	0
EMrtnz 3b	4	0	2	0	CRpken ss	3	1	0	0
Blwers 1b	5	1	2	3	Baines dh	4	1	2	0
KMitchl rf	3	0	1	0	LGmez 3b	4	3	3	3
Nwfld dh	4	0	0	0	Hoiles c	3	2	1	1
DWilsn c	3	0	0	0	McLmr 2b	4	2	1	2
Turang lf	3	0	1	0	Hmnds lf	4	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	11	3	Totals	33	9	9	8
Seattle					002 010 000—3				
Baltimore					030 201 03x—9				

E—Amaral 2 (15), Sojo (4). DP—Seattle 2, Baltimore 2. LOB—Seattle 11, Baltimore 4. 2B—EMartinez (15), ByAnderson 2 (18). HR—Blowers (6), LGomez 2 (13), Hoiles (16), McLemore (3). SB—McLemore (14).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Seattle						
Bosio L,3-10	7	7	6	3	3	2
Gossage	1	2	3	3	1	2
Baltimore						
SFernandez						W,5-
4	5	8	3	3	3	3
Eichhorn S,1	4	3	0	0	1	1

HBP—by Eichhorn (KMitchell). T—2:59. A—47,336.

White Sox 3, Brewers 2

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
JoReed 2b	4	0	2	0	LJhnsn cf	4	1	2	0
Seitzer 3b	4	0	1	1	Raines lf	4	0	0	0
TWard cf	4	1	1	0	Thmas 1b	4	0	2	2
GVghn lf	4	0	2	0	Franco dh	4	0	1	0
ADiaz cf	0	0	0	0	Vntura 3b	4	0	1	0
Nilsson dh	3	0	0	1	DrJkson rf	4	0	0	0
Surhoff c	4	0	1	0	Grbeck 2b	4	0	1	0
Jaha 1b	4	0	0	0	Krknce pr	0	1	0	0
Mieske rf	4	1	2	0	LVlfre c	2	0	1	0
JsVntn ss	3	0	0	0	Martin ph	1	0	1	1
					Guillen ss	3	1	0	0
Totals	34	2	9	2	Totals	34	3	9	3
Milwaukee					001 000 010—2				
Chicago					002 000 001—3				

Two outs when winning run scored.
E—Bere (2). LOB—Milwaukee 8, Chicago 6. 2B—JoReed (14), Mieske (7), Grebeck (4), Martin (4). SB—LJohnson (20). CS—Mieske (2), LJohnson (4). SF—Nilsson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Bones L,7-6	8 2-3	8	3	3	1	1
Orosco	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chicago						
Bere	7 1-3	8	2	2	2	4
Assenmacher	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
RHrndz W,3-3	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	2

WP—Bere. T—3:04. A—32,808.

Blue Jays 9, Royals 4

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Butler lf	5	1	1	0	Cleman lf	4	0	0	0
RAlmr 2b	3	1	0	0	Howard lf	1	0	0	0
Molitor dh	4	2	2	0	McRae cf	3	2	1	0
Carter rf	4	2	1	4	McKnne dh	4	2	3	4
Olerud 1b	3	1	1	2	Hmstn 1b	4	0	2	0
Huff cf	3	0	0	0	Jose rf	4	0	0	0
Coles 3b	2	0	0	0	Gaetti 3b	3	0	0	0
Cedeno 3b	1	0	0	1	Shmprt 3b	1	0	0	0
Schfield ss	3	1	2	2	Mayne c	4	0	1	0
Knorr c	3	1	1	0	Gagne ss	3	0	2	0
					Lind 2b	2	0	0	0
Totals	33	9	8	9	Totals	33	4	9	4
Toronto					000 005 211—9				
Kansas City					200 000 020—4				

DP—Toronto 1. LOB—Toronto 5, Kansas City 6. 2B—Molitor (23), Olerud (25). HR—Carter (17), Schofield (3), Macfarlane 2 (11). SB—RAlomar (16), Schofield (4). CS—Gagne (9). S—RAlomar, Lind. SF—Cedeno.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Hentgen W,10-6	8	9	4	4	2	6
Hall	1	0	0	0	1	1

Standings

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	48	31	.608	—	z-6-4	Lost 1	26-15	22-16
Baltimore	46	34	.575	2½	z-7-3	Won 2	22-20	24-14
Boston	40	40	.500	8½	z-4-6	Won 1	22-20	18-20
Detroit	37	43	.463	11½	2-8	Lost 2	23-15	14-28
Toronto	34	46	.425	14½	3-7	Won 1	22-18	12-28
Central Division								
Cleveland	48	30	.615	—	6-4	Won 5	29-11	19-19
Chicago	46	33	.582	2½	z-8-2	Won 1	26-17	20-16
Kansas City	42	39	.519	7½	z-5-5	Lost 1	18-19	24-20
Minnesota	40	40	.500	9	2-8	Lost 4	23-16	17-24
Milwaukee	38	43	.469	11½	5-5	Lost 1	20-19	18-24
West Division								
Texas	39	42	.481	—	6-4	Won 2	21-22	18-20
Oakland	35	46	.432	4	z-9-1	Won 2	15-23	20-23
Seattle	35	46	.432	4	4-6	Lost 2	21-18	14-28
California	34	49	.410	6	3-7	Lost 2	16-25	18-24

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Atlanta	50	29	.633	—	z-5-5	Won 2	23-16	27-13
Montreal	49	32	.605	2	z-6-4	Won 1	23-15	26-17
Philadelphia	41	41	.500	10½	z-6-4	Won 1	25-14	16-27
Florida	37	45	.451	14½	3-7	Lost 3	20-23	17-22
New York	36	45	.444	15	z-3-7	Won 1	15-22	21-23
Central Division								
Cincinnati	48	33	.593	—	6-4	Won 4	27-11	21-22
Houston	46	36	.561	2½	6-4	Won 3	25-17	21-19
St. Louis	40	39	.506	7	z-6-4	Lost 3	19-23	21-16
Pittsburgh	38	41	.481	9	z-5-5	Lost 3	23-17	15-24
Chicago	34	46	.425	13½	4-6	Lost 1	14-26	20-20
West Division								
Los Angeles	43	39	.524	—	z-7-3	Lost 1	25-17	18-22
Colorado	39	45	.464	5	z-5-5	Won 1	18-23	21-22
San Francisco	35	48	.422	8½	z-5-5	Won 1	20-23	15-24
San Diego	33	50	.398	10½	4-6	Lost 1	22-22	11-28

z-denotes first game was a win

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Monday's Games

Cleveland 7, Minnesota 1
Oakland 4, New York 0
Boston 4, California 1
Baltimore 9, Seattle 3
Chicago 3, Milwaukee 2
Toronto 9, Kansas City 4
Texas 4, Detroit 3

Tuesday's Games

Chicago (Sanderson 7-2 and McDowell 5-7) at Detroit (Wells 1-5 and Gohr 2-0), 2, 4:35 p.m.
California (Finley 5-8) at Boston (Hesketh 4-4), 6:05 p.m.
Oakland (Reyes 0-2) at New York (Mulholland 6-6), 6:05 p.m.
Seattle (Converse 0-0) at Baltimore (Moyer 2-6), 6:35 p.m.
Toronto (Guzman 6-9) at Minnesota (Mahomes 7-3), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Wegman 6-0) at Kansas City (Gubicza 5-7), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Clark 9-2) at Texas (Brown 5-8), 7:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Monday's Games

Cincinnati 5, Florida 1
Chicago 4, Colorado 3, 1st game
Colorado 4, Chicago 2, 15 innings, 2nd game
Houston 13, St. Louis 6
New York 2, San Francisco 1, 10 innings
Pittsburgh at Atlanta, ppd., rain
Philadelphia 10, San Diego 4
Montreal 5, Los Angeles 1

Tuesday's Games

New York (Saberhagen 8-4) at San Francisco (Hickerson 2-7), 2:35 p.m.
Montreal (Fassero 6-5) at Los Angeles (Astacio 6-5), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Schourek 3-1) at Florida (Hough 5-7), 6:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Neagle 7-8 and Smith 8-6) at Atlanta (Smoltz 6-7 and Mercker 7-2), 2, 4:40 p.m.
Colorado (Ritz 1-4) at Chicago (Foster 2-2), 7:05 p.m.
Houston (Harnisch 3-4) at St. Louis (Palacios 1-6), 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Munoz 4-2) at San Diego (Hamilton 4-3), 9:05 p.m.

NL Boxes

Astros 13, Cardinals 6

HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi	ST. LOUIS	ab	r	h	bi
Mouton rf	3	2	1	0	Gilkey lf	5	0	3	2
Finley cf	5	1	1	0	GPena 2b	4	0	0	0
Biggio 2b	4	2	1	1	Murphy p	0	0	0	0
Smknec 2b	1	0	0	0	TMcGil c	1	0	0	0
Cmnitl 3b	6	1	1	1	Jflenes 1b	4	0	1	0
Bass lf	2	3	1	1	Arocha p	0	0	0	0
Gnzalez lf	1	1	1	0	Perry ph	1	0	0	0
Bream 1b	4	1	1	1	Lnkfrd cf	3	1	0	0
Esebio c	6	2	4	4	Zelle 3b	5	2	4	2
Cedeno ss	4	0	3	4	Whiten rf	5	0	1	2
BWhtns p	4	0	1	1	Ppnzca c	3	0	0	0
Fielder ph	1	0	0	0	BJrdn 1b	1	1	1	2
Rynlds p	0	0	0	0	Ogendo ss	4	2	3	0
					Watson p	1	0	0	0
					Evrsgr p	0	0	0	0
					Cmrelli p	0	0	0	0
					Royer ph	1	0	0	0
					RRdrgz p	0	0	0	0
					MPerez p	0	0	0	0
					Alicea 2b	2	0	1	0
Totals	41	13	15	13	Totals	40	6	14	8
Houston					400 122 400—13				
St. Louis					000 101 130— 6				

E—Caminiti (5), Cedeno (12). DP—Houston 1, St. Louis 1. LOB—Houston 13, St. Louis 9. 2B—Biggio (32), Caminiti (19), Bass (9), Eusebio (7), Gilkey (18). 3B—Eusebio (1), Zelle (11), BJordan (5). SB—Mouton (22), Biggio (24). CS—Lankford (6).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Houston						
BWilliams W,5-4	6	7	2	2	2	2
Reynolds	3	7	4	4	0	2
St. Louis						
Watson L,5-4	3 1-3	4	5	5	5	3
Eversgard	1 1-3	2	2	2	2	1
Cmorelli	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
RRodriguez	2-3	2	2	2	2	0
MPerez	1 1-3	5	4	4	1	0
Murphy	1	0	0	0	1	1
Arocha	1	1	0	0	0	1

HBP—by RRodriguez (Cedeno). T—3:11. A—24,827.

Reds 5, Marlins 1

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	FLORIDA	ab	r	h	bi
DSndrs cf	4	2	3	0	Carr cf	5	1	2	0
Larkin ss	4	0	1	0	Browne 3b	4	0	2	0
Morris 1b	3	0	1	1	Sfnfield rf	4	0	1	0
RSndrs rf	4	2	2	2	Conine lf	5	0	1	0
TFrndz 3b	3	1	2	1	CBrnn 1b	4	0	0	0
Howard lf	4	0	1	1	Nen p	0	0	0	0
Boone 2b	3	0	0	0	Diaz 3b	0	0	0	0
Tbrsee c	4	0	0	0	Brbenr 2b	4	0	1	0
Rijo p	2	0	0	0	Arias ss	4	0	2	0
Brnfld ph	1	0	0	0	Natal c	3	0	1	0
Cmsco p	1	0	0	0	Rapp p	2	0	0	0
					Carrillo ph	1	0	0	0
					YPerez p	0	0	0	0
					Mgdan 1b	0	0	0	0
					Jhnstne p	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	10	5	Totals	36	1	10	0
Cincinnati					200 000 030—5				
Florida					000 000 100—1				

E—Boone (9), Carrasco (1). DP—Cincinnati 1, Florida 12. 2B—RSanders (16), TFernandez 2 (15), Howard (9). 3B—DSanders (3). HR—RSanders (14). SB—DSanders (32), Carr (23), Shefield (10). CS—DSanders (11), Boone (3).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cincinnati						
Rijo W,7-4	6	8	0	0	1	6
Carrasco S,5	3	2	1	0	3	3
Florida						
Rapp L,4-5	6	6	2	2	3	5
YPerez	1 2-3	1	1	1	0	4
Nen	1-3	3	2	2	0	0
Johnstone	1	0	0	0	0	1

HBP—by Rapp (DSanders). WP—Carrasco, Rapp. T—3:03. A—25,952.

Cubs 4, Rockies 3

First game

COLORADO	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Weiss ss	3	1	0	0	Dnston ss	5	0	0	0
Kngery cf	3	2	2	0	May lf	5	1	4	1
Bchette rf	4	0	1	2	Grace 1b	4	0	1	0
Glrga 1b	4	0	1	1	GHill cf	4	0	1	1
Hayes 3b	4	0	1	0	Sosa rf	4	0	0	0
HJhnsn lf	4	0	0	0	Wilkins c	2	0	0	0
Shaffer c	3	0	1	0	Zmbrno ph	0	1	0	0
Girardi c	1	0	0	0	Bechele 3b	4	0	2	0
Castilla 2b	4	0	0	0	JHrndz pr	0	1	0	0
Frman p	2	0	0	0	Snchez 2b	3	0	1	0
VndrWl ph	1	0	0	0	AYng p	2	1	1	0
SReed p	0	0	0	0	Robrsn ph	1	0	0	0
BRuffin p	0	0	0	0	Butista p	0	0	0	0
					Parent ph	0	0	0	1
Totals	33	3	6	3	Totals	34	4	10	3
Colorado					100 020 000—3				
Chicago					002 000 002—4				

Two outs when winning run scored.
E—Hayes (11), Grace (5). DP—Colorado 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Colorado 5, Chicago 8. 2B—Buechele (8), AYoung (1). 3B—Bichette (1). SF—Parent.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Colorado						
Freeman	6	6	2	2	1	2
SReed	2	2	0	0	0	2
BRuffin L,3-4	2-3	2	2	2	1	1
Chicago						
AYoung	7	5	3	2	2	5
Bautista W,2-3	2	1	0	0	0	1

HBP—by BRuffin (Sanchez). WP—Freeman 2. PB—Wilkins. T—2:36. A—N/A.

Rockies 4, Cubs 2 (15 innings)

Second game

COLORADO	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
EYng lf	7	2	2	1	JHrndz ss	6	0	2	0
Weiss ss	7	1	2	0	May lf	7	0	0	0
Bchette rf	7	0	2	3	Grace 1b	6	0	0	0
Glrga 1b	5	0	0	0	GHill cf	5	1	2	0
Hayes 3b	5	0	2	0	Myers p	1	0	0	0
Kngery cf	6	0	2	0	Sosa rf	7	1	3	0
Girardi c	6	0	0	0	Bechele 3b	4	0	1	1
Liriano 2b	4	1	0	0	Dnston ss	2	0	0	0
Harkey p	2	0	0	0	Parent c	2	0	0	0
MMunz p	0	0	0	0	Wilkins c	3	0	1	0
Holmes p	0	0	0	0	Snchez 2b	6	0	0	0
Castilla ph	1	0	1	0	Blinger p	1	0	0	0
SReed p	0	0	0	0	Rhodes ph	1	0	1	0
Blair p	0	0	0	0	Otto p	0	0	0	0
Shaffer ph	1	0	0	0	Robrsn ph	1	0	0	0
Walton p	0	0	0	0	Crim p	0	0	0	0
HJhnsn ph	1	0	0	0	Mksdn ph	0	0	0	0
GrHrrs p	0	0	0	0	Plesac p	0	0	0	0
					Zmbrno rf	2	0	1	0
Totals	52	4	11	4	Totals	54	2	11	1
Colorado					100 000 000 010 002—4				
Chicago					000. 000 001 010 000—2				

E—Weiss 2 (12), Dunston (10). DP—Colorado 2, Chicago 1. LOB—Colorado 8, Chicago 12. 2B—Bichette (23), GHill (7), Sosa 2 (11). HR—EYoung (6). SB—Kingery (4), GHill (11). CS—Bichette (7), Kingery (5), Maksudian (1). S—Harkey, JHernandez.

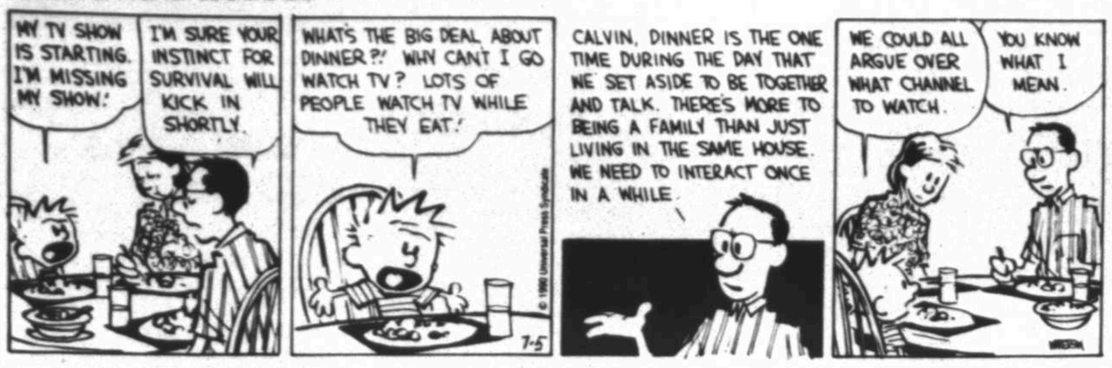
	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Colorado						
Harkey	8 1-3	9	1	1	1	1
MMunoz	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Holmes	1 1-3	0	0	0	1	1
SReed	1	0	1	0	1	2
Blair	1	1	0	0	1	0
Walton W,1-0	2	1	0	0	0	0
GrHarris S,1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago						
Bullinger	6	3	1	1	2	4
Otto	2	1	0	0	0	0
Crim	2	0	0	0	0	0
Plesac	2	4	1	1	0	4
Myers L,1-4	3	3	2	2	2	2

Balk—Bullinger. T—4:32. A—37,167.

Mets 2, Giants 1 (10 innings)

NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Vizcaino ss	5	0	1	0	DLewis cf	5	0	0	0
Hndley c	5	0	1	0	RbTpsn 2b	3	0	1	0
Orsulak rf	4	0	0	0	Bonds lf	4	1	2	1
Bonilla 3b	4	0	0	0	MaWlms 3b	4	0	0	0
Kent 2b	3	0	0	0	Cmeon rf	3	0	0	0
JMnzlo p	0	0	0	0	Clayton ss	4	0	0	0
Cnglosi lf	0	0	0	0	Brznqr 1b	4	0	0	0
Brogna 1b	4	0	0	0	Beck p	0	0	0	0
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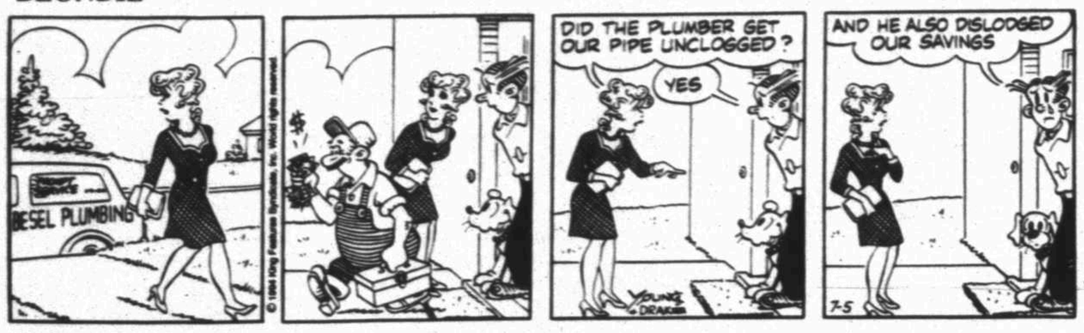
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By Jeane Dixon

TUESDAY, JULY 5, 1994

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR: The employment picture will take a decided turn for the better. Keep an eye on the rising cost of doing business. You may want to look for new suppliers. Count on loved ones to give you their full support. Marrying someone before you really know them well can be disastrous. Go slow. The ideal partner will share your intellectual interests and unselfish attitude toward others. Answer a young person's questions as honestly as you can.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: circus showman P.T. Barnum, actress Katherine Helmond, baseball player Rich "Goose" Gossage, actress Shirley Knight.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You could discover you have a real knack for fund-raising. Developing your language skills and vocabulary will make you a highly effective speaker or writer.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your financial future could be affected by the way you handle new challenges. Luck will be operating in your favor. Refuse to be painted into a corner by silly demands.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A desire to help others may lead you to put in extra hours at work. Return phone calls and answer correspondence. You are closer to making a decision involving marriage.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Stop worrying so much! Trust yourself and get ready to take a few well-deserved bows. A stubborn attitude can be a trap. Show others that you are capable of compromise.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): The emphasis now is on keeping your cool. Be aware that fiery outbursts could result in irreparable damage to romance.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): The conventional approach may not work today; try something unexpected! Good health will enhance all areas of your life. A brief encounter could put thoughts of romance into your head.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Tried-and-true business tactics are the key to your success. Your love life could take a detour when it encounters several obstacles. Make sure your expectations are realistic.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): The true depth of your romantic feelings may be revealed today. The object of your affections will return your devotion! Do not lose sight of important career or financial obligations.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Welcome an opportunity to clinch a major business deal. Those who are less experienced will be counting on your expertise. Be generous with the praise when trying to motivate youngsters.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Teamwork will help you get home earlier tonight. Write overdue letters without further delay. A seeming lack of self-confidence could hamper career progress.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Although the financial picture is not as bright as you would like, help is on the way! Trust those who have been of assistance in the past. A chance meeting revives an old romance.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A good day for concluding business negotiations and making major purchases. Counteroffers prevail. If you work overtime, do it cheerfully.

TODAY'S CHILDREN are quick-witted, restless and very articulate. They know exactly what they want and can become impatient with those who lack their strong sense of purpose. Never criticize these youngster's pals or relatives! True blue to friends and family, they will never forget an insult to a loved one. Experts at mixing ardor with sentiment, these Cancerians may have many romantic partners before settling down.

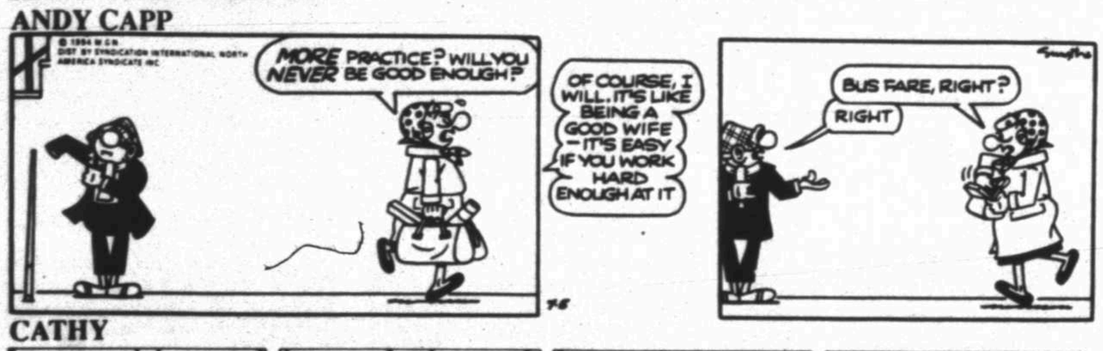
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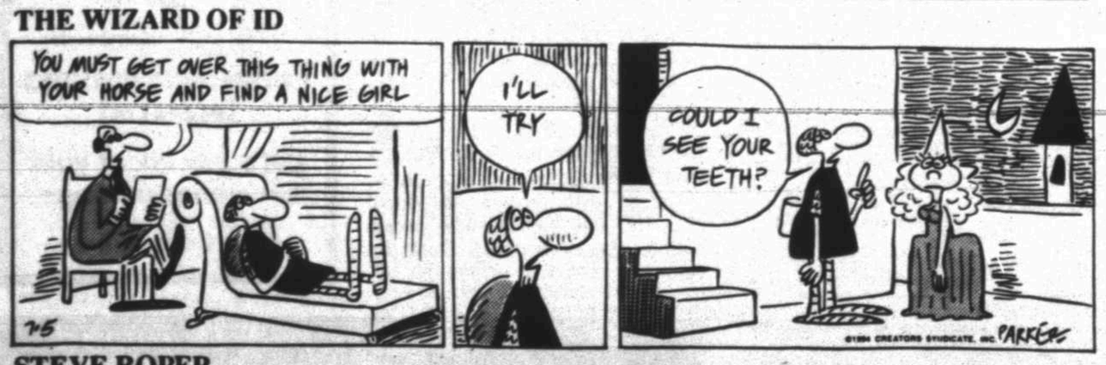
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NORTH
♠ A Q 10 7
♡ A K 9 8 4 3
◇ A 5
♣ 7

WEST
♠ 2
♡ 7
◇ K 9 7 6 3 2
♣ Q 8 6 5 4

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

SOUTH
♠ K J 8 6 5 4
♡ 6 2
◇ 8 4
♣ K 10 9

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
6 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Six of ◇

How often have you seen a receiver in football make the most incredible catch and then, a few minutes later, drop a floater? The player simply took his eye off the ball. The same thing happens at the bridge table when the contract seems too easy.

North's hand became enormous once South responded to the one-heart opening bid with one spade. North launched right into Blackwood, but settled on the small slam upon learning that partner did not hold the missing ace.

West's diamond opening lead eliminated a crucial entry to the table. At first glance it might seem declarer can draw two rounds of trumps, then go about establishing the heart suit. However, declarer realized that, should hearts break 4-1, both hands would be exhausted of trumps in setting up and running the long hearts, since dummy's trumps would be needed as entries, so declarer would have to concede a trick in each minor. To make the contract, a small element of risk was necessary.

Declarer cashed one high trump, followed by the ace and king of hearts. That farsighted play was rewarded when West showed out on the second heart but could not ruff. A heart was ruffed in the closed hand, dummy was re-entered with a trump to the queen and another heart was ruffed setting up two long cards in the suit.

A trump to the ten provided the entry to cash the two hearts, declarer discarding a card in each minor. Now the board's diamond was ruffed with declarer's last trump and a club was the only loser.

What if the second heart was ruffed? Then the contract could not have been made no matter how declarer maneuvered!

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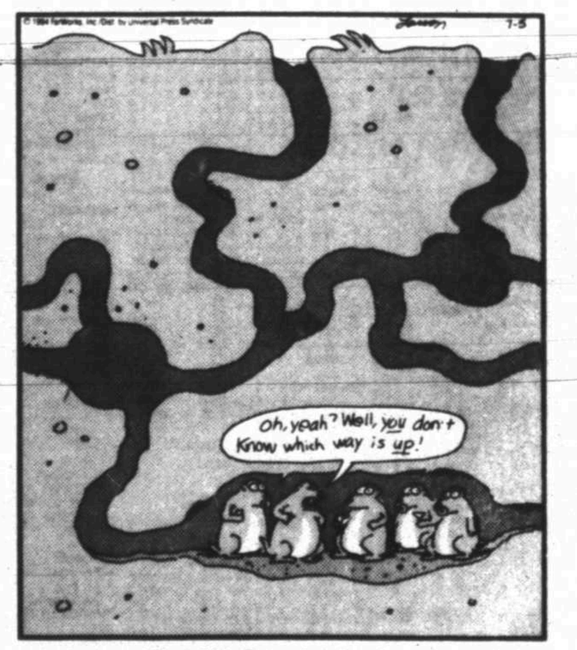


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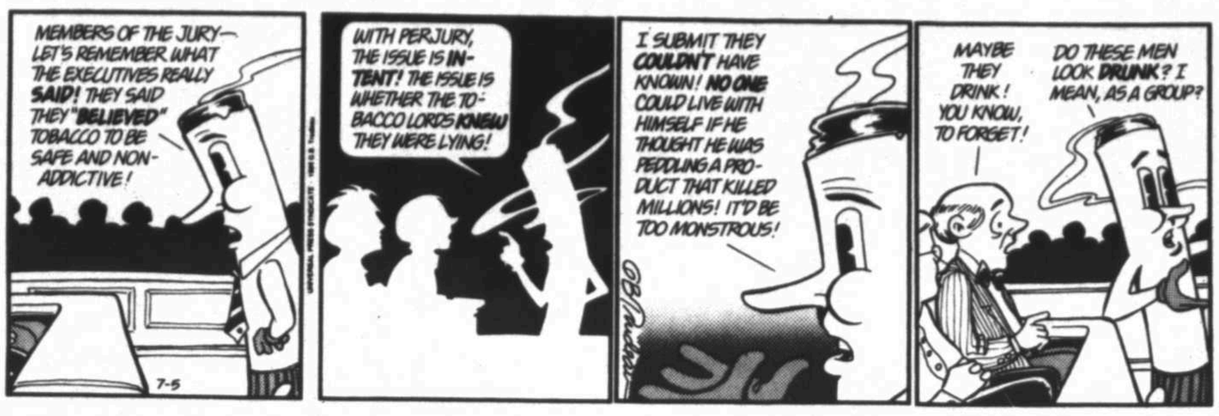
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Crawford-Gere marriage ad was hubby's idea, supermodel says

NEW YORK — Supermodel **Cindy Crawford** says that running an ad in The Times of London about her marriage was husband **Richard Gere's** idea.



Cindy Crawford

The ad, published in May, declared the couple to be heterosexual, monogamous and happily married. European tabloids had been speculating that they were on the verge of divorce.

"I think the main thing that Richard was really upset about was not that they were saying this stuff about us, but that they were saying we were lying about it, that we aren't honest people," Crawford says in Vanity Fair's August issue.

Crawford, 28, said she went along with the ad because Gere, 44, had "different things at stake" than she did.

But, she added, her attitude toward the gossip was different: Ignore it, and "it would go away."

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NEW YORK — Actor **Liam Neeson** and actress **Natasha Richardson,** who met and fell in love while performing on Broadway, were married offstage — in a private ceremony at their upstate country home.

About 70 guests attended the hush-hush event Sunday, including **Steven Spielberg** and his wife, **Kate Capshaw; Mia Farrow; Emma Thompson;** and director **Ron Shelton,** the Daily News reported.

The 31-year-old bride wore a **Donna Karan** dress and was given away by her mother, **Vanessa Redgrave,** and Redgrave's former companion, actor **Franco Nero,** the News said. Richardson's father, Oscar-winning director **Tony Richardson,** died in 1991.

The couple met while performing in a revival of **Eugene O'Neill's** "Anna Christie."

Neeson, 42, who played the lead in the Oscar-winning picture "Schindler's List," just finished filming "Nell" with **Jodie Foster.**

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STAUNTON, Va. — **The Statler Brothers'** 25th "Happy Birthday U.S.A." concert drew about 100,000 country mustic fans, quadrupling the population of this Shenandoah Valley town about 95 miles west of Richmond.

The band members have said this will be their last free Fourth of July concert in their hometown.

"It's like closing a book," said **Opal Bryan** of Green Springs, Ohio, who has driven the 500 miles with her husband to see the Statler Brothers nearly every year for a quarter century. "I'm going to cry."

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BOULDER, Colo. — The Boulder Naropa Institute has named its new library for poet **Allen Ginsberg.**

Ginsberg attended a Buddhist building blessing ceremony Sunday in his honor. Chanting monks blessed the library, and some of Ginsberg's colleagues followed by reading him cosmic odes.

City officials declared Sunday — the first day of a weeklong celebration commemorating Naropa's 20th anniversary — as "Allen Ginsberg Day." Naropa is a cultural center for Eastern philosophy.

Naropa president **John Cobb** said Ginsberg, 68, was selected to be honored because the institute "wanted someone who could handle in a 'Naropa way' having a library named after him."

Ginsberg is best known for his poem "Howl," which helped define the beat generation of the 1950s.

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Rush Limbaugh proclaims that he's rarely wrong, and that when he is, he corrects himself "as loudly as I can." But analysts at FAIR (Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting), a nonprofit group that monitors the media, have caught America's favorite conservative mouthpiece in a few ever-so-tiny mistakes he hasn't gotten around to correcting. The group's magazine, notes, for example:

— "It has not been proven that nicotine is addictive," Limbaugh said in April.

In 1988, Surgeon General **C. Everett Koop** issued a 618-page report saying that it is.

— "If you have any doubts about the status of American health care, just compare it with that in other industrialized nations," Limbaugh has written.

According to the CIA's World Fact Book, the U.S. ranks 16th in life expectancy and 21st in infant survival among industrialized nations.

— "You know the Clintons send **Chelsea** to the Sidwell Friends private school," said Limbaugh on a recent show. "A recent eighth-grade class assignment required students to write a paper on 'Why I Feel Guilty Being White.' "

A spokesman for Sidwell Friends denies there was ever any such assignment, noting that it would have been particularly difficult for the 28 percent of the student body that is not white.

— "For the first time in military history," said Limbaugh about Bosnia, "U.S. military personnel are not under the command of United States generals."

A Pentagon spokesman told FAIR that Americans served under France's Lafayette during the Revolutionary War and under Britain's **General Montgomery** during World War II.

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Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

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(18) TNN		16	Dance	C'try News	Joe Diffie & Friends		Music City Tonight 697563			Club Dance 986940		C'try News	Joe Diffie & Friends	
(17) TNT		17	Kung Fu: An Eye for an		True Grit ('78) ** (Warren Oates, Lisa Pelikan)				Ride the High Country ('62) **** (Randolph Scott,				Mail Order Bride ('64) **	
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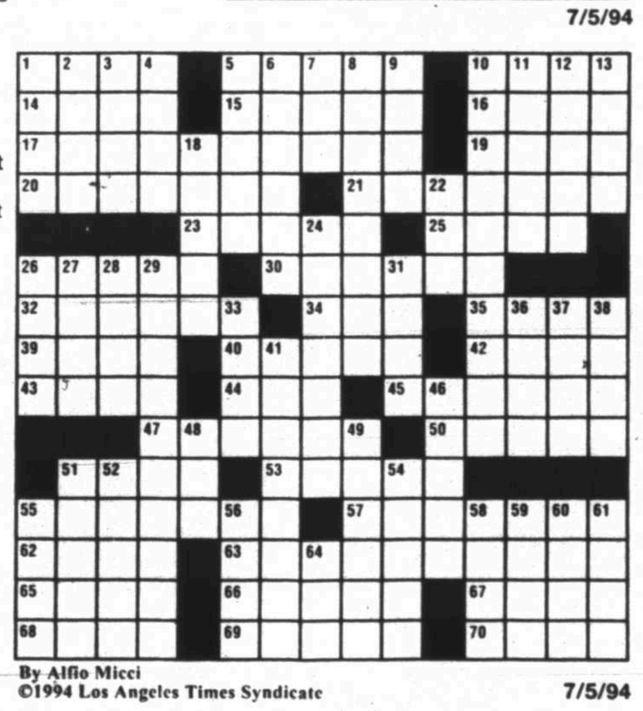
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Hoopsters keep heat on at Olympic Festival

■ Connecticut guard Ray Allen leads East to win over South on Monday.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Ray Allen has been as hot as the weather at the U.S. Olympic Festival, and that's saying something.

Allen, a guard who will be a sophomore this season at the University of Connecticut, has shot 60 percent from the field and averaged 24.6 points in his first three games at the Festival.

He scored 27 Monday to lead the East's 116-115 victory over the South and send the East through the round-robin portion of the tournament unbeaten. The East, which got the win on Randy Livingston of Louisiana State's 15-foot jumper at the buzzer, and South (2-1) will play again Tuesday, this time for the gold medal.

The Festival entered its fourth day with no break in the heat and humidity. Afternoon temperatures reached the mid-90s, which along with the humidity created a heat index nearing 110. Forecasters said more of the same was expected through at least Wednesday.

Many of Monday's events were held indoors, but there were several athletes who had to contend with the elements, such as in soccer, field hockey, softball and tennis.

Three tennis players were treated intravenously after playing their singles matches. One men's doubles team defaulted due to heat exhaustion, and two mixed doubles matches were postponed until Tuesday.

"I normally play at a fast pace, but I had to recuperate between points," said Brandon Kramer of Reno, Nev., who played singles and doubles Monday. "I'd take my full 30 seconds and towel off every time."

Allen's scoring is no great surprise. His 12.6 points per game were second-most for Connecticut last season, behind NBA first-round draft pick Donyell Marshall. As a high school senior in Dalzell, S.C., Allen averaged 28.5 points and 13.5 rebounds.

Allen said Connecticut coach Jim Calhoun is expecting him to be a scoring leader next season.

"He's going to be real pleased when he hears the news. I'm expecting a phone call any time now," Allen said. "It's just I'm used to scoring. That's what I do from anywhere on the court. I get the ball and I get going."

He opened the Festival with 28 points and 12 rebounds, then had 19 points and eight boards in Game 2. He will need 25 points in the title game to surpass Shaquille O'Neal's Festival record of 98 set in 1990.

"It'd be something nice, but don't tell anybody because they'll try to stop me," Allen said.

Harold Deane of Virginia had given the South the lead with a steal and layup with 12 seconds left.

In the late game, the North (1-2) shook off an eight-point halftime deficit to hand the West its third loss, 104-98. Damon Flint of Cincinnati scored 20 points for the winners, while Nathan Erdmann of Washington State had 22 for the West.

In women's basketball, Stacey Lovelace of Purdue scored 13 points in leading the South to a 77-61 victory over the East. The South (2-1) will play in the gold medal game against the West (2-1), which beat the winless North 89-81.

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In the later game, Shalonda Enis of Trinity Valley (Texas) Community College scored 23 points to lead four players in double figures for the West. Anita Clinton of Illinois scored 25 for the North.

In swimming, Emily Mastin of Tempe, Ariz., set a Festival record in the 200-meter individual medley. Her time of 2 minutes, 19.77 seconds bettered the mark of 2:19.89 set last year by Rachel Joseph.

Mastin and Keiko Price of Honolulu wound up with five medals apiece. The top winner among the men was Whitney Woolard of Vancouver, Wash., who won four gold medals and a silver.

Woolard saw his chance at a fifth gold erased when he was disqualified from the 200 IM for a dolphin kick during the breaststroke leg. The gold went to Kris Babylon of New Orleans, whose time of 2:08.88 had been two-hundredths of a second behind Woolard.

In diving, Tracy Bonner of Tennessee won the 3-meter springboard preliminaries. Her score of 500.25 points edged Kristen Kane of Indiana, who finished with 492.55.

The leader after the men's platform preliminaries was Chris Mantilla of Boca Raton, Fla., who scored 607.25 to win easily. Brian Earley of Southern Cal placed second with 559.60.

Ice hockey got under way with the South beating the North 8-5. Chad Quenneville of Providence and Jacques Joubert of Boston University each had two goals and an assist for the South.

SIMPSON: Envelope could be opened today

(From 1C)

say the prosecution is going to be blown out of the water," Raeder said.

Defense attorney Robert Shapiro has asked Municipal Court Judge Kathleen Kennedy-Powell to throw out 34 pieces of evidence he says were improperly taken from Simpson's property the day after the killings.

Shapiro says police scaled a wall at Simpson's mansion without a warrant, and later obtained a warrant by misrepresenting circumstances. He contends police said Simpson had left unexpectedly on a flight to Chicago the night of the slayings, even though they knew Simpson had planned the business trip.

The law does allow police to enter a home or property without a warrant in some cases, for example, if they are pursuing a suspect or believe evidence will be destroyed.

Arguments on Shapiro's motion to suppress evidence are scheduled for today. Any ruling could be appealed by either side.

Also pending before the preliminary hearing judge is a decision on what will become of a mysterious manila envelope containing possible evidence gathered by the defense and sealed under supervision of a court special master.

Without eyewitnesses and the weapon used in the killings, the prosecution has been crafting a largely circumstantial case — one for which evidence culled early on June 13 is especially valuable.

Bloodstains from Simpson's Bronco, blood found on his driveway and in and around his house and a bloody glove like one found at the murder scene could yield important clues.

But a favorable ruling on Shapiro's motion could prevent the evidence from being examined in court.

Raeder noted that motions to suppress are rarely granted. But in the Simpson case, "the motion clearly raises significant factual questions. It might be a winning motion," she said.

Witnesses during the preliminary hearing detailed Simpson's purchase of a 15-inch folding Stiletto knife about six weeks before the murders. But that knife becomes relevant only if the prosecution can tie it to the crime, said Marc Kadish, clinical professor of law at Chicago-Kent College of Law.

"It's going to be a rally if the medical examiner takes the stand and even ties that knife circumstantially," Kadish said.

Simpson's statement to police on June 13 — taken four days before his arrest — also could become key to the prosecution's case.

No matter what is decided about the evidence gathered from Simpson's mansion and Bronco, there is scientific evidence from the crime scene that could play a major role in the case, said Peter Arenella, a criminal law professor at the University of California, Los Angeles.

U.S.: American offense sputters in loss

(From 1C)

The United States could do nothing with the manpower edge — outshot 16-4 for the game — to the chagrin of many in the crowd of 84,177 at Stanford Stadium.

The crowd was decidedly pro-American, but there were plenty of drum-beating, samba-dancing Brazilian fans. Those fans must have been worried when Leonardo left, but Brazil was brilliant and its marvelous strikers, Romario and Bebeto, combined on the goal.

"It was a special feeling," Bebeto said. "I received a fabulous pass."

Romario made a tremendous run up the center of the field. Tom Dooley was chasing him, but couldn't catch up. Romario then went around Cobi Jones and to the side of Alexi Lalas and sent the ball across to Bebeto, who beat goalkeeper Tony Meola to the far side of the net.

"We knew that we had to keep playing like we did the first half," Balboa said, "and it was just one of those things where we broke down in the middle of field once and they capitalized on it."

With Ramos sidelined and John Harkes suspended, the Americans could not get untracked offensively. When Fernando Clavijo received his second yellow card in the 87th minute, Brazil was safe.

"As soon as we were one man down, we had to leave the technical aside and play with our hearts," Romario said. "We are Brazil, we always must score at least one goal a game."

The Dutch made the quarterfinals for the first time since 1978, capitalizing on two Irish errors for a 2-0 victory. They will play Brazil on Saturday in Dallas.

The final two games of the second round are today: Nigeria vs. Italy at Foxboro, Mass., and Mexico vs. Bulgaria at East Rutherford, N.J.

Dennis Bergkamp, the Netherlands' top striker, and Wim Jonk connected against Ireland, which couldn't recover from its blunders before a Citrus Bowl crowd of 61,355. The Dutch opened the scoring in the 11th minute when defender Terry Phelan lost the ball to Marc Overmars and failed to catch up. Overmars found Bergkamp in front of the net for a simple tap-in.

Jonk made an unchallenged run through midfield in the 41st minute and lined a 25-yard drive that goalie Packie Bonner inexplicably let slip through his hands and into the goal.

"I still don't know what happened," Bonner said. "It has got to be me that takes the blame."

CUP: Dutch to meet Brazil in Dallas Saturday

(From 1C)

him, to his left, and into the net.

The orange color of the Netherlands that had shared the Citrus Bowl with Ireland's green suddenly become more visible in the bright Florida sunshine.

"The game today was a game of mistakes," Bonner said afterward. "Unfortunately, we made them."

Of the second goal, Bonner said: "I can't explain it. I got my hands on the ball, but it just squirmed out."

With a two-goal lead, the Dutch played with more caution for most of the second half, which is what experienced teams do to protect the lead in a game of such importance.

When someone after the game asked Dick Advocaat, the Dutch coach, whether his team was hanging back in the second half with a 2-0 lead, he scratched his bald head and thought for a moment before saying "Do you know the rules of soccer?"

"What decided the match," Advocaat said, "was that the Irish didn't get the opportunity to play their type of game."

After Bergkamp's goal, the Dutch dictated the tempo. They were more methodical in their attacks, never raising the rhythm of the game unless they saw an opening.

In contrast, the Irish always seemed to be in a hurry to play the ball. As a result, their choice of options was not always the best.

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- Monday HOLIDAY
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- Today $18.25
- Previous Week $17.75
- One Year Ago N/A

World stocks

The overseas stock markets that so dazzled investors in 1993 have continued to fizzle in the second quarter of 1994. Meanwhile, last year's also-rans are turning into this year's top performers — though that's not saying very much.

In short, stock exchanges across the world are having a tough year. Uncertainty about interest rates, the value of the dollar, politics, and that old bugaboo, inflation, once again took their toll on bourses in Europe, Asia and Latin America during the second quarter.

For American investors, however, much of the pain abroad was cushioned by the weakening of the dollar, which both eased losses and enhanced gains. For example, in Tokyo, the world's best performing market this year, the Nikkei index has risen nearly 15 percent in terms of Japanese yen in the first half but increased by more than 28 percent in dollar terms.

About the best thing that analysts have to say about the world markets is that their poor performance has increased the number of undervalued stocks. In Asia, where markets have taken a beating this year after a record 1993, economic growth continues to surge.

It should average 7 percent this year, propelling double-digit earnings growth for many companies in the region, according to Henry Frantzen, chief international equity officer at Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.

Japan is still a favorite, despite its already steady rise. Foreign investors have been the biggest players in the recovery of the Tokyo market in the last year, but that may not last for long. Rising corporate earnings and Japanese government efforts to stimulate spending are beginning to have their effect on domestic institutions.

Canceled contract

In a highly unusual move, the federal government has apparently canceled a secret multibillion-dollar contract awarded to TRW Inc. and has ordered that the losing bidders, Lockheed Corp. and Martin Marietta Corp., be allowed to bid again.

TRW was awarded the contract last year by the National Reconnaissance Office, a large and secretive intelligence agency that, among other things, is responsible for buying satellites for the Pentagon and the CIA.

In September, several months after the deal was awarded, the House Appropriations Committee strongly criticized the National Reconnaissance Office for commissioning the satellites without first clearing the decision with Congress.

The committee's report accused the office of ignoring its request not to proceed until it received permission because members of the House and Senate Appropriations Committees believed that it "was too costly and did not adequately meet certain requirements."

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Many expect feds not to raise rates

■ Economists think Federal Reserve will put domestic economy ahead of global currency concerns this week.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Despite the dollar's troubles, many economists believe that top policymakers at the Federal Reserve will not raise interest rates this week to defend the greenback, deciding instead to put the domestic economy ahead of global currency concerns.

This view, however, is not universal. There are some analysts who think the central bank will boost rates, but wait until the unemployment report is released Friday so that it will look like the central bank is responding to the domestic economy and not the whims of international currency traders.

Whatever happens, financial markets will be closely watching as the central bank's top policy-making group, the Federal Open Market Committee, meets behind closed doors Tuesday and Wednesday to review the economy and decide its next interest rate moves.

The Fed has already pushed short-term interest rates up four times this year and three of those moves were announced immediately following meetings of the FOMC, composed of Fed governors in Washington and five of the Fed's 12 regional bank presidents.

The dollar has tumbled to record lows against the Japanese yen and that would seem to give the central bank ample reason to boost rates a fifth time.

Raising interest rates is a standard response to propping up a weak currency. Higher U.S. rates would make foreigners more interested in investing in U.S. bonds to obtain the higher yields.

The move would seem to make even more sense given the fact that the other major way to defend a currency, direct intervention by governments to buy dollars, has been a resounding flop.

That approach was tried most recently on June 22 when 16 central banks joined the United States in purchasing more than $3 billion in dollars. The effort barely slowed the greenback's downward spiral.

But many economists are forecasting that the Fed will not make any rate hike announcements following their two-day meeting.

"I don't believe for a moment that the Fed is going to unilaterally intervene in exchange markets to protect the dollar unless things really got out of hand," said Michael Aho, senior international economist at Prudential Securities.

Aho and other analysts note that the dollar's value on international markets has traditionally ranked low as a priority for the central bank, far behind domestic economic considerations.

With the economy already showing signs of slowing, these analysts argue the Fed does not want to boost rates further and threaten to abort the three-year-old recovery.

"You run the risk of pushing us back into stagnation and maybe recession," said Lawrence Chimerine, chief economist at the Economic Strategy Institute, a Washington think tank. "They do not want to be put in the position of being held hostage by foreign exchange markets."



Brooke Robinson, center left, and her sister Jessica order at Lone Star Steakhouse in Springfield, Mo., with their father, Jeff Robinson, left, last month. Rachel Willhoit, right, takes their order.

Steakhouse chain's success owes much to pizza

By Michael Bates

Associated Press

WICHITA, Kan. — It may be known for beef, but fast-growing Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon Inc. had its beginnings in pizza.

The steakhouse chain, which has expanded from eight restaurants to 75 in just three years, dates back to 1989, when Wichita native Jamie Coulter considered taking his 100 Pizza Hut franchises public.

But Coulter and his managers couldn't add enough Pizza Hut franchises to expand as they wanted. And when the Steak and Ale chain of Dallas was put up for sale, Coulter and his team started thinking beef.

"Here was a 150-unit chain doing $1.7 million per restaurant and they hadn't even reinvested to keep the concept fresh," said John D. White, Lone Star's chief financial officer. Steak and Ale and sister chain Bennigan's were eventually sold to a management-led investor group.

But a little research showed Coulter and his team that a reported drop in beef consumption that had spanned several years was mostly in home cooking.

When people went to a restaurant, they still wanted a good steak.

So Coulter had a talk with a longtime friend in North Carolina who said he'd converted one of his restaurants to a Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon, which was booming.

"It would have taken us 12 to 18 months to refine our own concept and get it to the point the founders already were with Lone Star," said S. Douglas Glendenning, Lone Star's chief operating officer.

Coulter joined forces with the North Carolina outfit and the new Lone Star was off and running.

With Coulter as chairman and chief executive, Lone Star grew rapidly. Last year, profits tripled to $14.9 million, or 46 cents per share, compared with $4.7 million, or 18 cents a share, a year earlier.

Lone Star's steakhouse and saloon atmosphere includes a deli case full of steaks, cut by hand each day, and a mesquite-fired grill with a sign that encourages patrons to, "Take a look. Watch it cook."

Investors find 2nd quarter better than 1st

N.Y. Times News Service

Most everyone felt like a loser in the first quarter. Stock traders spent the last two months of the quarter in shock at what the Federal Reserve Board had wrought, raising interest rates for the first time in five years in February and then again in March.

After a spectacular rise in January, stocks plummeted. Issues in the Standard & Poor's 500 lost value in the first quarter at an annual rate of more than 16 percent.

Then, in the second quarter, things changed. Traders became more Fed than the Fed, browbeating the Federal Reserve for acting too late against an inflation that is still not in evidence. The Fed replied with two more increases in short-term interest rates, and in the discount rate, to boot.

The surprising result: Traders overall started making money, if only a little. Stocks in the S&P 500 gained value in the second quarter at an annual rate of more than 5 percent.

But if one thing is clear, it is that winners can become losers with shocking rapidity. The Fed, stock traders and the traders in bond, commodity and especially currency markets must contemplate a changed financial world. Because of modern, high-speed technology, short-term investing means the next minute and long-term investing may means this afternoon.

Of the 6,101 issues selling at $5 or more a share tracked by Media General Financial Services, 2,452 rose, while 3,388 declined in value during the second quarter. Two hundred sixty-one emerged unchanged.

On the nation's biggest exchange, the New York Stock Exchange, Glendale Federal Bank rose a spectacular 90.9 percent to $10.50 a share from $5.50.

It helped that like most financial institutions, Glendale benefited from the Fed's repeated raising of interest rates — in effect, a continuous marking up of its inventory. Late in the quarter, securities analysts also talked up Glendale as a possible takeover candidate.

A takeover also figured in the price appreciation of Nichols Institute's class A shares. It rose on the American Stock Exchange 137.6 percent to $11.88 a share from $5.00.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

'Treasury Direct' targets government investors

By Bill Doyle

Q: I would like to purchase U.S. government obligations directly from the Treasury Department. What procedure am I required to follow in order to accomplish this?



Doyle

A: Use the "Treasury Direct" procedure, which has been detailed in this column before.

It is the method the Treasury Department uses to sell newly issued bonds, notes and bills, all of which are debt obligations, to the investing public. Our federal government is required to pay interest on those securities and redeem them at face value when they mature.

"Treasuries," as they are called on Wall Street, are considered the safest things in the wide world of investments -- if held to maturity. The only way you possibly could lose on a Treasury security would be by selling before its maturity date. Even then, you might come out even or with a profit.

Whether selling a Treasury security before it matures leads to a profit depends on market conditions. If interest rates in general are lower when you sell than they were when you bought, you would make a profit on the sale. But if interest rates are higher at the time of your sale, you would realize a loss.

The Treasury Direct system is intended primarily for people who plan to hold Treasuries until maturity. Investors and traders who might sell sooner usually buy Treasuries through brokerage firms and banks.

Q: My husband and I purchased Treasury bonds, notes and bills for many years -- until the "big brains" in Washington decided to stop printing those securities. Now, all we can get is a computerized "statement of account" showing the Treasury securities being held for us in "book entry."

That's not good enough. Isn't there any way we can take possession of certificates for Treasury securities, as we formerly did?

A: There's an off chance you might locate someone who has a certificate for an old Treasury bond he or she wants to sell.

All new issues of T-bonds and T-notes have come exclusively in book-entry form since August 1986. The longest-term T-note has a 10-year maturity. So, no T-note for which a certificate is available will mature after August 1996. You would be chasing your tail going after a T-note due to mature one year after you buy it.

New T-bills, which have a maximum maturity of 52 weeks, have not been available in certificate form for more than a decade. They are strictly book-entry securities.

That leaves Treasury bonds. In the transfer of ownership, you can specify that that a new bond certificate be issued to you.

But why you would want to do that is beyond my ken. The Treasury Direct system is a safe and sound way to buy and hold U.S. Treasury securities.

In many ways, it is better than having possession of the actual certificates:

■ You needn't worry about losing certificates.

■ Your interest and discount payments are automatically deposited in your bank account on the very day due. So are the proceeds from matured securities.

■ Your banker or broker can't give you a song and dance about checks being lost or delayed in the mail.

Q: Where can I get the nitty-gritty details about the Treasury Direct method for investing in Treasury bonds, notes and bills?

A: At your district Federal Reserve Bank or branch. There are 12 such banks and 25 branches around the country. Every local bank and savings and loan association does business with a Fed bank or branch and can provide you with the address of the one serving your area of the country.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

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U.S. builds strong soccer foundation

By Jim Litke
AP Sports Writer

STANFORD, Calif. — As if to prove this is never more a nation of immigrants than where soccer is involved, the Serb who endeared himself as America's Coach spoke Spanish through an interpreter.

"I'm sad because we haven't been able to go forward," Bora Milutinovic was saying Monday, just moments after Brazil's 1-0 victory.

"But at the same time I am very happy," Milutinovic added, "because of the effort my players put forward."

When the final whistle sounded, it gathered those players up from every corner of the field, the end of their quest a mirror image of its beginning. With precious little tradition and even less history, the United States pulled together a team and — on the Fourth of July, no less — nearly pulled off one of the greatest upsets the game has ever seen. Nearly.

Yet, that was the surprise of this Cup. That this curious mix of homegrown products and citizens-for-hire could be melded into a side that, for the better part of a shimmering California afternoon, scared the daylights out of mighty Brazil.

"If someone loses, it's not going to be a happy or acceptable scene," Milutinovic said. "But one has to keep their focus and be aware of what's happened, just ask if they've put forth the effort that was necessary."

Once he made clear he had no doubts on that score, Milutinovic singled out the fire-engine redhead, Alexi Lalas, the dreadlocked Cobi Jones and the clean-cut Mike Sorber to make a point. Not, as one might guess, that there are radically different approaches to World Cup grooming, but because of their absolute lack of experience at this level.

"I mention them," Milutinovic said, "because they came straight out of college and they have faced the players who have the greatest experience in the world. That should show everybody that the U.S. has a great future in soccer."

That, of course, remains to be seen. There is no longer any doubting, however, that the United States has a foundation to build on.

WEST TEXAS SPORTS

Camps...

The **Little Tykes Tennis Camp** for four to seven year olds second session is July 11 to Aug. 5. Call Julie Durrett at 570-1839.

Midland Bulldog Summer Football Camp is July 18-July 22 from 9 a.m. to noon at Memorial Stadium practice field. Cost is $40. For students entering grades 7 through 9. Call 689-1195 for information...

Biking...

Registration is under way for the July 23-24 **Cactus and Crude Bike Tour**. The 150-mile, two-day, fully-catered tour benefits the National MS Society, West Texas Chapter. Registration fee is $25 and a minimum of $1 per mile pledges. Call 684-4097...

Football...

The **Permian Basin Football Officials Association** is now recruiting for the 1994 football season. Anyone interested in officiating junior high and high school football call 520-5566 or 570-9136...

Golf...

Hogan Park hosts the **West Texas Junior Tour Tournament** July 12 with tee times beginning at 9 a.m. Register within 48 hours of tournament by mail to Hogan Park G.C., P.O. Box 10136, Midland, TX 79702. Call after 2 p.m. July 11 for tee times. Fee is $10 for NTPGA members and $20 for non-members. Age groups (based on age at August 31, 1994): Boys 16-18, 14-15, 12-13, 10-11; Girls 15-18, 12-14, 10-11...

The 31st annual **Midland Women's City Golf Championship** will be July 25-28 with rounds played at all four local courses. Contestants must have been a resident of Midland for a minimum of 30 days and have a established handicap. Anyone with a handicap 16.9 must qualify for championship flight. Entry deadline is July 22 by noon. Entry fee is $30. Defending champion is Lisa Beck, but she will not enter this year. Sign-up sheets are posted at each club. For more information, call Doris Schultz at 694-5978 or Ella Heath at 683-8299.

Big Spring Country Club will host **Guy's & Dolls 2-person scramble** on Aug. 13-14. 12:30 p.m. shotgun start on Saturday and 9 a.m. on Sunday. Entry fee is $110 per team plus cart. Call 1-267-5354 for information...

The following tournaments are set for the **Martin County Country Club** in Stanton: July 23-24, 2-person scramble; Aug. 6, 2-ladies scramble; Aug. 20-21, 4-person scramble; Sept 10-11, Jack & Jill scramble.

The following tournaments are set for the **Iraan Golf Club**: Two-couple select shot, Aug. 13-14, $240 per team. Two-lady select shot, Sept. 17, $80 per team. Call Paula Miller at (915) 639-2295...

The **Ranchland Hills Country Club 17th Annual Blowout four-man golf tournament** is set for July 22-24. The format is the best two balls of the four man team. The field is limited to 64 temas. Fifty-four spots are reserves for teams captained by RHCC members. Entry fee is $500 per team. For more information call Bob Pritchett at RHCC at 683-2041...

Deadline for entering the **$100,000 Nitro Texas State Open** is July 5. The area qualifer for the 72-hole tournament in set for July 12 at Green Tree Country Club. Entry forms and tournament information call be picked up at area golf factilities. For moe information call the Southern Texas PGA office at 713-363-0511 or Green Tree Country Club at 694-7726...

Tennis...

Mary Tatum (Upcoming tournaments for the **Midland Tennis Club** are, July 9-10, Men's Doubles; July 16-17, Women's Singles and Junior Clinic; July 23-24, Men's Singles; July 30-31, Mixed Doubles. For information call 694-0476...

Upcoming tournaments at **The Midlander** are July 15, beginners and 10 and under; July 16 and 17, open, A and B-all ages. All tournaments boys and girls singles and doubles. Deadline for entry July 12. Call 682-1813 or 683-5360...

Green Tree Country Club will hold two-week **junior tennis camps**. Session II is July 5-8 and 12-15 and Session III is July 26-29 and Aug. 2-5. Session fees are $52 per person. Pee Wee sessions are also available July 12-15 and July 26-29 at a cost of $42 per child. For more information call 697-7806...

Dunlop Junior Summer Tennis Camp at The Midlander is July 18-22. Call 682-0813 or 683-5360 for information. Also **Dunlop Junior Summer Tennis Clinics** available for all ages and levels. Call the same numbers for dates and times...

Junior Tennis Tournament is July 15 for beginners, 10-under, and for Open, A and B Divisions on July 16-17 for singles, doubles and mixed doubles. Deadline is July 12 by 1 p.m. Call The Midlander at 682-0813 or 683-5360 for information...

Fishing...

The **Couples Association of Sport Tournaments (CAST)** will hold the following fishing tournaments: July 24, Hubbard; Aug. 14, Lake Leon. You must be a member by March to participate in any of the tournaments. Call Tommy Busbee at 687-2522 for information...

The **1994 McBee Bass Tournament** dates have been set. You must compete in two of the seven tournaments to qualify for the season ending Classic where the winner will earn an LS 175 Hydra-Sports boat and trailer. Tournaments are July 31, Aug. 28, Sept. 11 and Oct. 23 (Classic). Call Ron McKnight, 695-3323, or Tommy Busbee, 687-2522, for information...

Motocross...

West Texas Motocross Park has the following race dates with sign-up at 8:30 a.m., practice at 10 a.m. and races at 11:30 a.m.: July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 18, Oct. 16, Nov. 20 and Dec. 18. Call 697-9606, 530-3311 or 580-4108 for event information...

Soccer...

Excalibur soccer tryouts for boys under-12 and boys under-14 are in July at Jane Long Elementary. Times are 7-8:30 p.m. July 5, July 9 and July 14. Bring a light and dark shirt and a water bottle. Call Artie at 697-2696...

Flames Soccer Club girls under 19 tryouts are July 12 at Midland's Bowie Elementary and July 7 and 14 at Odessa's UTPB Soccer Complex, all at 7 p.m. Call 550-5312 after 5 p.m. and weekends...

Midland Blast Soccer will hold tryouts on July 9 at Hogan Park for 84-83 boys at 9 a.m., 82-81 boys at 10 a.m., 80-79 boys at 11 a.m., 76-78 boys at 1 p.m., 84-83 girls at 2 p.m., 82-81 girls at 3 p.m. and 80-79 girls at 4 p.m. For information call 685-1018...

Tryouts for **Black Magic Soccer** are as follows: July 5, 82 boys 6 p.m., 82 girls 7:30 p.m.; July 7, 80 and 79 boys 6 p.m., 78 boys 7:30 p.m.; July 9, 82 boys 9 a.m., 82 girls 10:30 a.m., 80 and 79 boys 1 p.m., 81 boys 2:30 p.m., 78 boys 4 p.m.; July 10, 82 girls 6 p.m., 82 and 81 boys 7:30 p.m.; July 11, 80 and 79 boys 6 p.m., 81 boys 7:30 p.m; July 12, 78 boys 7 p.m. All tryouts at Bowie Elementary. Call 570-51-54...

The **SDS Soccer Camps** begin in July for boys and girls under six years old and in August for boys and girls under eight. Cost is $25. Call David or Connie Stall at 682-8904...

The **British Soccer Camp** is Aug. 1-5 as follows: Mini-kickers, mornings, $50; Level 1, mornings or afternoons, $80; Level 2 and goal keepers, 1-5 p.m., $90; Level 3, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., $125 dollars. Also, intermediate to advanced goal keeping session for Aug. 1-5 available. Early signup discounts available. Call 570-4949 days and 697-4204 nights.

Manu Sanon's half day intermediate and advanced **soccer camp** will be held July 4-8. Fees are $75 for 10-under and $100 for 10-over. Family discounts are available. For more information call 685-1018...

The **Midland Soccer Association** will conduct a summer soccer camp for their Under 6 and Under 8 age divisions the week of Aug. 8. Register at MSA office at 1909 W. Wall, Suite N or at the Super Sign-up weekend at Midland Park Mall. Registration fee is $10. For more information call MSA at 684-KICK...

Celtic United will hold soccer tryouts for under-14 boys, born on or between Aug. 1, 1980 and Dec. 31, 1981, at Lee High soccer fields on July 5, 6:30 p.m.; July 9, 9 a.m.; and July 16, 9 a.m. Shin guards, water, light and dark shirt and soccer ball needed for tryouts. Call 686-0469 for information...

The **Midland Soccer Association** registration for fall season runs through July 31. Sign up at MSA office, 1909 W. Wall, Suite N., Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Or sign up at Super Sign-up Days at Midland Park Mall on July 30-31 during mall houst. Any child who reaches the age of four on or before July 31 is eligible to play. First-time players with MSA must provide a birth certificate copy for MSA files. Registration fee is $35. Season runs from Sept. 10 through Nov. 5. The 11th Annual MSA Turkey Shootout Tournament will be held Nov. 11-13 and Nov. 18-20. For more information call MSA at 684-KICK...

For those interested in **officiating Midland Soccer Association** fall league games, there will be a basic referee three-day Clinic held Aug. 26-28 at Midland College. Referees must be 14 years old by Aug. 26. An advnaced referee clinic will be held Aug. 27-28 in conjuntion with basic clinic. Registration fee for either clinic is $20 and basic certification fee is $25. For more information, contact MSA at 684-KICK...

Blaze '82 U-13 boys soccer tryouts are July 7 (6-8 p.m.), July 9 (10 a.m. to noon) and July 11 (6-8 p.m.) at Sidwell Park for players born between August 1, '81 and July 31, '83. Bring dark and light shirt, water, ball. Shinguards are mandatory. Call 570-5646, 694-4337 or 520-7625...

Highlander Football Club tryouts for boys under-14 (born after Aug. 1980 through Dec. 1981) are at Goddard Junior High soccer fields on July 8 (7-8:30 p.m.); July 9 (9:30-11 a.m.); July 11 (7-8:30 p.m.); and July 12 (7-8:30 p.m.). Open to all players in Permian Basin. Call 697-5769 or 697-4204 evenings and 570-4949 days...

Athletes interested in playing men's soccer at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin are encouraged to contact Steve Aicinena. The only requirements to try out for the teams are a desire to play and full-time enrollement at the university. Fore more information call 552-2332...

Racing...

The **I-20 West Speedway** hosts car races on a 3/8-mile banked clay circle track every Saturday night at 8:30 p.m. The track is located in Penwell, 15 miles west of Odessa. Some of the races include bombers, mini stock, pro stock and spectator drags. Admission is $5 for adults and $1 for children ages 6-11. Under 6 get in free. Pit gates open at 5 p.m. Call Monty at 1-800-690-0013 or 570-0650 for more information...

Hockey...

Sign-up is in progress for **NIHA Inline Hockey** for all age groups from youth to adult. Players wanted for all ages and level of play. Also needed are officials (skating and non-skating), coaches, sponsors, time and score keepers. Call 689-3299 for information...

Softball...

The Men and Women's **ASA District 26 State Qualifying Slow Pitch Tournament** will be held at the Bill Williams Complex in Hogan Park on July 8-10. All teams can qualify for either Class A, Class B, Class C and Class D state tournaments by order of finish. Entry Fee is $100. Rosters and entry fee must be received by July 6 at 5 p.m. Money orders must be payable to Texas ASA 26. Mail entries to Freddie Ezell, 3306 W. Ohio, Midland, 79703. Call Ezell at 694-5508 or 520-6502 for more information...

The Midland Softball Association is seeking **volunteers** to help with the **Men's Class C State Slow Pitch Tournament** on July 29-31 and the **Men's Class C Fast Pitch National Tournament** on Sept. 1-5. Assignments available or host/hostess, opening ceremony, T-shirt sales, gate sales, scorekeeper and beer sales. Call Verna Doan at 683-8741 if interested...

An ASA softball tournament will be held July 16-17 at the softball fields in Lamesa. Entry fee is $100 per team. Deadline is July 14 at 6 p.m. For more information call 570-9800...

The Midnight Madness II Softball Classic will be held July 8-9 at the Rio Concho Sports Complex in San Angelo. Mens D and E softball teams are eligible to participate. Deadline is Wednesday, July 6 at 7 p.m. For more information call 651-7289 after 6 p.m...

Volleyball...

The **West Texas Sports Association** will hold volleyball leagues on Wednesdays (coed, non-spiking 6-on-6) and Fridays (spiking coed or not) with play starting July 6 and July 8. Team fee is $115, excluding referee fees. Call 563-4550 (day) or 368-5940 (after 6 p.m.) for information...

Baseball...

The District Little League All-Star Baseball Tournament begins July 5 at Bluebird Park. Nineteen teams from West Texas have entered the tournament. first round games begin at 6 p.m.. Among the teams from Midland competing in the two week tournament is Northern, North Central, Tower, Eastern, Western, and Mid Cities Little League. The winner advances to the sectional tournament July 24-30 at Bluebird Park...

Running...

The Permian Basin Road Runners Club will hold the 10th annual **Women's Distance Festival and Chase**, sponsored by Peyton's Bikes, La Posada, Spanish Inn and Ski Skeller, on Aug. 27 at the La Villita Shopping Center. The 7:30 a.m. 5K race will be followed by brunch and style show at La Posada. For information call Alex Rose at 694-4271...

Meeting...

The **Flatlanders Ski Club** will hold its monthly meeting on July 7 at 7 p.m. at the Market Restaurant in Odessa. the club will also attend the Midland Angeles baselal game on July 15. Fore more information call Tommie Sue at 381-3221 or Karen at 699-7275...

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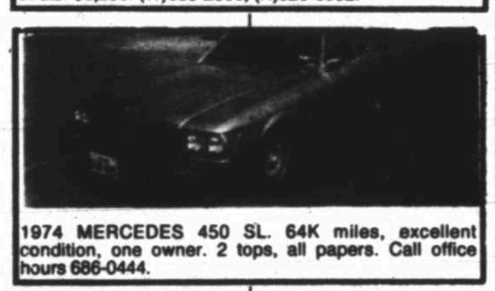
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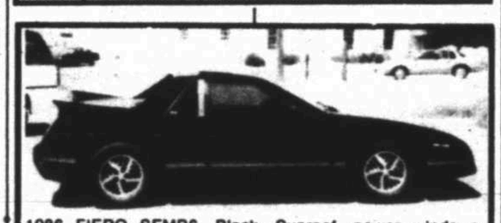
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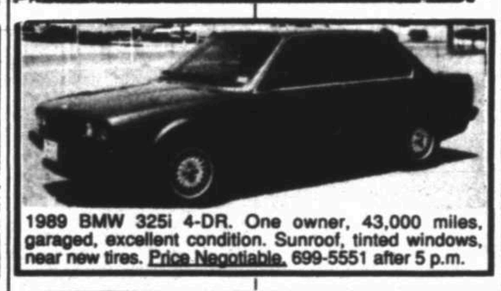
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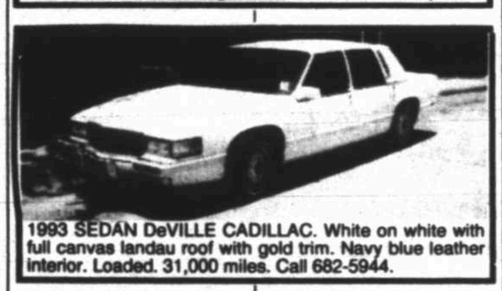
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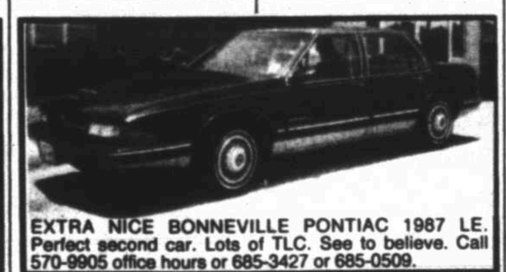
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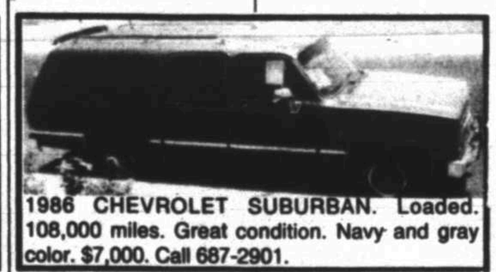
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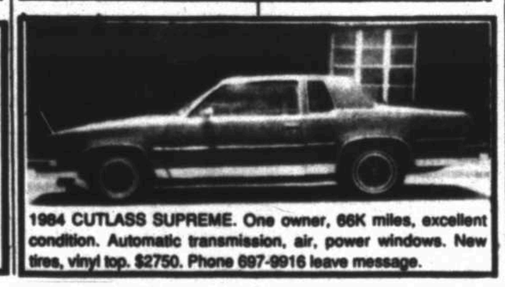
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NATIONAL Salon Corporation looking for management and staff. Guaranteed base plus commission, benefits. Call 697-7961.

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DEPENDABLE, hard working housekeeper needed immediately. Must be familiar with new and existing construction cleaning. Local references required. Phone 570-9457 after 6 to set up interview.

310 General Help Wanted

TRUCK Drivers needed for oil field jobs. Must be able to travel. No need to relocate. Must have Class A CDL and clear driving record. Call 1-800-588-2669, Mon.-Fri., 8 am-5 pm.

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EXPERIENCED Apartment Manager. 113 units in Odessa. Strong leasing background. Call Jan 362-3313.

RESTAURANT
NOW Hiring at Michael's Charcoal grill. Full time/ part time positions available for cashier and bus person. Apply in person only between 10-11 am, Monday thru Friday 4317 W. Illinois.

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EXCLUSIVE private club, with pleasant atmosphere and good working conditions has openings for full or part time bus person. Apply in person between 10 am and noon. Petroleum Club of Midland, 501 W. Wall (rear entrance please).

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INSURANCE
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With some body work experience. Apply at:
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Must be neat in appearance. Criminal check required. Experienced only need apply in person at Northridge Court Apartments 3417 N. Midland Dr.

RESTAURANT
SONIC Drive-Ins in Midland are now hiring all positions - day or evening shifts. Minimum age requirement: 16 years. Full or part-time. Please apply in person between 10 am-7 pm: 1109 N. Midkiff; 3210 N. Big Spring St.; Rankin Hwy at I-10.

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TREY TRUCKS
Experienced drivers needed. Pump truck, vacuum truck, and transport, must have oil field experience, and CDL license. Mandatory drug testing and physical. Starting pay $7.30 to $7.85 per hour. Apply in person only, Mon. - Fri., 3700 E. Garden City Hwy.

HOUSEKEEPER/ Child Care wanted. Monday through Friday, 8 am-5 pm. 1 full time child, 3 after schoolers. Must do washing, cleaning, etc. Must have dependable transportation. Payroll will have taxes deducted. Send brief work history and references to BOX F-14 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

310 General Help Wanted

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BETWEEN 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY
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Single Copy Assistant

The Midland Reporter-Telegram is taking applications for a part-time single copy assistant. You work approximately 20-25 hours per week, Sunday through Friday. This individual will work directly with store manager and newsstands. Must have good driving record and reliable vehicle. Company will reimburse mileage.
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Midland Reporter-Telegram
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Midland
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TELE-MARKETERS ALERT
- Our Top Producers have earned over $15/Hr.
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E.O.E.

MAINTENANCE PERSON for West side apartment complex. 682-5307 between 8-5.

HOTEL
THE MIDLAND HOLIDAY INN is accepting applications for:
★ NIGHT AUDITOR
To work from 11 pm to 7 am. This is a full time job. We will provide all necessary training including in IBM computer, 10-key, switchboard and customer contact skills. This job includes weekend and holiday work.
Apply in person at the front desk of 4300 W. Wall.

MANAGER Trainee wanted. 10K + a year. Must be willing to relocate. Apartment will be furnished while in training. Must have at least a high school diploma. Must be 21 years old. Benefits include health insurance, retirement plan. Please fax or mail resume. Fax number: 915-263-2440 or mail to: Manager Trainee, 1611 S. Gregg, Big Spring, TX 79720. Only the serious need to apply. Call 915-263-0234 for information.

311 Medical Help Wanted

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ESTABLISHED Ambulatory Surgery Center seeking the right OR/ RN to help us grow. Multi-specialty circulating experience required. Scrub experience preferred. Top dollar to the right person. Contact the Surgery Center of Texas, Ann Wilson, at 367-3906.

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RECEPTIONIST with other Medical Office duties. Computer knowledge a plus. Send resume to: BOX G-05 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

NURSES
CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES
Full time positions available all shifts. Medical insurance available. Salary depends on experience.
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PT ASSISTANT
A Medicare certified home health agency needs a licensed physical therapy assistant for a full or part time position. Experience preferred. Send resume to: Box A-30 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

INTAKE COORDINATOR needed for local home health agency. Need experience in referral intake.
- Knowledge of Insurance verification & Negotiation
- Ability to market available services
- Aggressive, challenging field for motivated RN
- 35K +

Call Debbie at Infusion Plus
570-7587

311 Medical Help Wanted

MEDICAL
PERMIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL
is accepting applications for
★ Registered nurse/ staff nurse
Full time position, home health experience preferred.
All applications are to be submitted to:
Sandy Butler
Director of Personnel
Permian General Hospital
P.O.BOX 2108
Andrews, TX 79714
EOE

DENTAL HYGIENIST needed full time. Please call 367-4774.

312 Professional Help Wanted

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN, local company, associates degree in electronics, experience in digital electronics, PCB trouble shooting at component level, analog device calibration, loading microprocessor software, and EPROM burn-in. Send replies to: BOX F-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

PETROLEUM ENGINEER
Local oil & gas producer is looking for a Petroleum Engineer with 5 + years reservoir experience with a major. Primary emphasis on economics and reserve estimates. Log evaluation and secondary recovery a plus. Send replies to: BOX F-08, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

TAX MANAGER
Minimum 5 years public experience. Salary commensurate with experience. Regional Accounting Firm. Send resume to:
Beakley, Garrett & Associates, 5225 S. Loop 289, Suite 200, Lubbock, Texas 79424.

COMPUTER System Administrator. Immediate full time opening. 2 Years experience managing a VAX/VMS system and 2 years experience administering a UNIX system required. Programming and systems and analysis experience desirable. Will be responsible for academic and administrative systems in an educational environment. Please send resumes to ACU Station Box 8178, Abilene, TX 79699.

AUTOMOTIVE
WE have immediate openings in sales and management. We need highly motivated, career oriented people who enjoy working in a retail atmosphere. Apply if you have these qualifications:
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- Great desire to succeed

Salary based on experience & qualifications. Apply at:
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JOIN Temporary Resources "Elite" team. Job opportunities and training for experienced office personnel. 684-0527.

SECRETARY
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ROOFING SALES/ Estimator needed for local roofing firm. Leads furnished. Excellent earning potential. 689-7663.

MANAGER
An aggressive financially stable oil field valve company seeking dynamic personnel with strong sales background for management positions. Must have demonstrated management experience, strong communication and inter-personal skills. Have excellent benefit package, salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Confidential resume, salary history and references to: Personnel Director, 6804 E. Hwy. 6 S., Box 341, Houston, TX 77083.

HOUSING Consultant Career Opportunity. No Experience Required, only a burning desire to earn High Income! Homes Of America, Largest Mobile Home Dealer In West Texas. Our Top Salesperson Made $11,000 Last Month! Apply In Person, 4750 Andrews Highway, Odessa, Texas. 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

TELEMARKETERS needed, $5 an hour with good, reputable company. Call 689-6868.

STAY home earn $600 to $2,000 income. Part time-full time positions available. Laura 806-462-7386, after 5:30 pm.

COMMISSION sales person wanted. Must have own vehicle and able to travel. Instrumentation or safety equipment background helpful. Send resume to Box A-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

320 Skilled Trades

CABINET Maker and/ or Finish Carpenters. Apply in person, 4400 N. Midland Drive, Suite 400. Ask for Billy or Terry.

320 Skilled Trades

STRIPER Operators and Laborers. Experience a must, both thermo & paint. Salary negotiable with ability. Call 1-800-438-8370.

CONSTRUCTION
NEED an experienced sheet metal mechanic and installer. 570-5741.

CONSTRUCTION
NEED A/ C Technician, must be certified, experienced in air conditioning and refrigeration. 570-5741.

MECHANIC
Wheel alignment, brakes, experience a must. Must pass drug test. Apply In Person Only:
2210 W. Front
Midland Tire & Brake

CONSTRUCTION
CERTIFIED Refrigeration Technician. Needed for Nursing Home. Excellent benefits package including retirement and employees insurance paid. Lakeview Christian Home, 1905 W. Pierce, Carlsbad, NM 88220, Attn: Personnel, (505) 885-3161.

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OPENING for experienced Copier Technician. West Texas Office Equipment, 1403 N. Big Spring St., 683-8774.

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NEED reliable air conditioning/ heating mechanic with at least 3 years working experience. Must be knowledgeable in large commercial units. Interview and references required. Call 689-2151 for appointment.

336 Adult Care Providers

MISSION Adult Day Care Center Of Midland. Open 7:30 am to 5:30 pm Monday through Friday. Transportation arranged. Contact Tom Killingsworth or Freddie Utsman at 520-2242.

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ADULT care with licensed staff. All services provided. Top care at reasonable prices. 697-3390.

340 Child Care Needed

CAREGIVER needed. High school diploma or GED, telephone and transportation required. Hours 6:30-6 pm, Monday-Friday. Penney's Early Learning Center, 699-1313.

BABYSITTER/ Housekeeper needed for 2 children ages 5 and 6 in our home. Must have reliable transportation, verifiable references, must be able to travel. Some night work may be required. Call 563-5509 days, 520-7552 evenings.

341 Child Care Providers

FAMILY Home, babies only. Meals. CPR/ First Aid. Register now for August 1 opening. 694-9871.

WILL DO Babysitting, day or night, snacks & meals provided, qualified nurse. Call 570-0743.

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WILL BABYSIT, my home or yours, 15 yrs. exprience, have reliable references. Please call 570-8349.

CARE provided for school aged children. Meals & snacks provided. Field trips. References. 589-8134.

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TIRED Of Day Care routine? Openings for children, 2-7. Monday-Friday, 6:30-6. Meals and snacks provided. Lots of fun all day. CPR/ 1st aid certified. 520-5408.

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405 Garage / Yard Sales

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GARAGE SALE SERVICES
RAINBOW TRADE CENTER & INDOOR FLEA MARKET. Open 10 - 5, Tuesday - Sunday. 1503 W. Industrial Ave. Buy - Sell - Trade. 570-4408. "Your one-stop garage sale shop".

79701
BARGAINS on vacuums, new/ rebuilt. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff (across from Jumburrito). 520-6464.

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ESTATE & Garage Sale. Wednesday July 6, Noon - 7 pm. A job site or storage trailer 8' x 30' and 1972 Continental to be used for parts. 1977 Yamaha. Sink, swamp cooler, butane gas tanks, pipe, doors, windows, chairs, and many more items. 903 N. Betty, Monahans, Texas. NO Early Sales! AREA

341 Child Care Providers

NIGHTS, days and weekends- any age. Reasonable rates, references. CPR certified. Ask for Lana, 520-3819.

350 Business Opportunities

REAL Estate Opportunity. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings. Southwest College, 683-4555.

DRY CLEANERS for sale. Very busy location. For more information call 682-0611.

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400 Auctions

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JULY 16, 1994
9:00 A.M.
LOCATION:
3 mi. East of I-20 on Garden City Hwy #158
This sale is a great opportunity to sell equipment that you no longer need into cash, and to buy equipment that you DO need at a location that is convenient to the Midland-Odessa area. This sale will be held quarterly. Consign early so that we can better advertise for you!
For more information contact:
Rick Tripp 915-597-2447 Lic. #6416
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SELF-Propelled Kirby Generation III, like new, $485. 520-6464.

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RAINBOW Water Filter Vacuum Cleaners at bargain prices. 903 S. Midkiff (across from Jumburrito), 520-6464.

MOWERS, stoves, refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, hardrock maple dinette/ china cabinet, bar/ stools, piano, furniture. 570-4851.

3 SOUTHWEST Airline Frequent flyer passes, one expires 9/ 94, two expire 6/ 95. $300 each. 682-6366, Mon. - Fri., 8 - 5.

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NIGHT Time feeder - $20; infant carrier/ car seat - $15; Toddler car seat - $30. Excellent condition. 694-2000.

UNIQUE opportunity to buy gold Cristolfe flatware. 8 piece place setting. Must see. Sacrifice. $3,000. 697-0156 leave message.

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✔ JULY Opening Special! Acrylic nails, $25 with free maintenace kit. Pedicure with free manicure, $25. HAND-E-WORKS, 4326-A W. Illinois, 699-0366.

TRAILER mounted industrial tree shredder, powered by new Ford 302 engine, $5,000. Gas central heater, 180K BTU, $150. Cement mixer, $150. Tiller with plow, $125. 2 industrial engines, 4 and 6 cylinder, $150 each or best offer. 563-1408.

RESTHAVEN Lot 82, 1 space, Garden of Memories. $800. 702-825-1584, 1600 Menzanita, Reno, NV 89509.

27" SONY color TV, excellent condition. $500 or best offer. 697-4222.

AUTOMATIC garage door, 7'x 8', $175. 520-7438, leave message.

JUMP King Trampoline. No pads - $100. 570-1839.

ANN's Dressed in Time. 4311-B W. Illinois. Open 10-4 Tues.-Sat. Costumes, formal & vintage wedding gowns for sale or rent. Clothing restorations. 520-8463.

McLANE 7 bladed Tiff mower - front throw, electronic Life Cycle stationary bike. 684-4702 or 682-2843.

DINING room set with matching china hutch $300; coffee table $30; changing table $20; baby clothes. 520-3902.

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SWM, 27
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SWF, 21, 5'9", auburn hair, aqua eyes, water lover, likes sports, adventures. Seeking S/DWM, 22-30, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 0336

Outgoing SAM, 27
Health conscious, nonsmoker, non-drinker, enjoys walks, outdoors, romantic evenings. Seeking S/DH/WF, 24-30, for friendship, possible romance. VMB 7044

Attractive blonde
Widowed WF, 54, 5'6", trim, enjoys country life, dancing. Seeking nonsmoking S/DWM, 50-65, to waltz across Texas, friendship, relationship. VMB 7987

SWF, 18
5'4", 105lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys country dancing, travel. Seeks SM, 18-30, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4318

New to area
Attractive, outgoing, professional DWM, 38, brown hair, blue-eyed. Would like to meet attractive WF, for dating and fun. VMB 4696

Good-Looking SWM, 32
6'2", 155lbs., brown hair, green-eyed, enjoys country music, nightlife, walking, good conversation, Seeking SWF, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1456

Intense!
SWM, 24, professional artist, metal guitarist. Seeking slender SWF, 21-30, honest, sincere, dedicated, one-man-woman only. VMB 2043

SHCM, 18
Dark brown hair, brown eyes, honest, sincere, enjoys music, outdoors, movies. Seeking SCF, 18-23, race unimportant, friendship, fun times. VMB 3531

Tall, active DWF
50's, medium build, outgoing, people person. Seeks tall, professional, well-rounded DWM, for dancing, travel, movies, dining out. VMB 4559

Very attractive
DBF, 25, nondrinker, drug-free, nonsmoker, outgoing, enjoys exercise, dancing. Seeking honest, attractive S/DM, 35-45, for serious relationship. VMB 4527

SWM, 34
6ft., 160lbs., professional, financially independent, athletic, enjoys movies, outdoor activities, traveling. Seeking S/DWF, 28+, for friendship, relationship. VMB 1505

DWCF, 33
Two children, enjoys walks, quiet evenings, camping. Seeking honest, drug-free, nondrinking S/DWCM, 33-45, for companionship, possible relationship. VMB 7079

Blue-eyed SWF, 25
Brown hair, RN, sincere, honest, independent. Seeking honest, good humored S/DWM, 23-35, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 5619

Outgoing SWM, 28
5'8", 150lbs., enjoys reading, sports, dancing, movies. Seeking nonsmoking S/DHF, 21-30, with similar interests, for friendship, possibly more. VMB 6054

Single Christian
African American female, 40, enjoys movies, swimming, gardening. Seeking SCM, 40-45, who loves the lord. VMB 9720

Widowed WCF, 61
5'7", nonsmoker, nondrinker, enjoys fishing, camping. Seeking S/DWCM, nondrinker, for companionship, possible relationship. VMB 2246

Let's do lunch
SWF, blue-eyed blonde, easygoing, independent, enjoys bowling, dancing, movies. Seeking male Knight, in shining armor, 45-65. VMB 7886

SBF, 19
Looking for nice, energetic SWM, 20-28, who enjoys having fun, nice walks in the park, for possible relationship. VMB 8329

One-man-woman
Single mom, 29, family-oriented. Enjoys children, animals, togetherness, reading, travel. Seeking honest, humorous, one-woman-man, over 30, for monogamous relationship. VMB 6714

Lonely
SWM, 31, 5'9", brown hair, brown eyes, enjoys bowling, fishing, camping, etc. Seeking S/DW/HF, similar interests, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4190

DWCF, early 40's
Single mom, attractive, financially secure, humorous, likes movies, most sports, travel. Seeking S/DWCM, 35-50, who values honesty, communication. VMB 3579

DWM, tall
Attractive, financially secure, outgoing, enjoys traveling, sports, outdoors. Seeking attractive SW/HF, 25-35, who enjoys traveling, for summer fun, romance. VMB 7080

Second hand heart
Seeking slender, attractive, honest S/DW/HCF, 25-38. DWCM, 39, enjoys sports, outdoors, hunting, gardening, looking for friendship, more. VMB 1185

DWM, 38
5'7", 160lbs., single parent, two children. Likes football, softball, bowling, fishing. Seeking sincere WF, 34-42, for possible relationship. VMB 0169

SWM, 59
5'5", blue-eyed, medium-build, enjoys dancing, movies, walks. Seeking level headed S/DWF, similar interests, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2759

DWM, 40
Likes going out, dining, barbecues, dancing. Seeks attractive S/DWF, 35-40, for fun, possible relationship. VMB 9251

SHF, 22
Long-haired, 5'4", 125lbs., romantic, outgoing. Enjoys dining, dancing, quiet evenings, walks in park. Seeking tall S/DHM, 22-26, good-looking. VMB 3944

SBF, 19
5'9", seeking tall SWM, 19-24, who enjoys music, dancing, talking on the phone, being themselves, has sense of humor. VMB 1464

Fun-loving DWM, 50
Good sense of humor, enjoys sports, walking, movies, country western music, quiet times. Seeking S/DF, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 9304

Long-legged
European, blonde, widowed female, 50's, 5'9", artist. Seeks financially secure widower, nonsmoker, 6ft.+, 45-60, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2355

SWM, 34
Very confident, spontaneous, financially secure, enjoys music, cooking, movies, quiet times. Seeks SWF, 30-45, social drinker, children okay. VMB 8783

DWM, 25
6'3", 170lbs., enjoys all sports, outdoors, travel, romantic evenings. Seeking SWF, 20-28, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4280

Party doll, SWF, 45
Looking for love with someone special, SWM, 30-50, enjoys country music, romantic evenings, good conversationalist, endless possibilities. VMB 0096

SWF, 24
Attractive, slim, energetic, mother of two, with zest for living. Seeks sincere, monogamous, financially secure, non-smoking, drug-free WM, 24-30. VMB 0220

DBF, 44
Sound mind, well-adjusted person, enjoys traveling, movies. Seeking S/DM, 44-50, with similar interests, for possible relationship. VMB 7656

Black is beautiful
SBF, 23, enjoys music, parks, novels, dining. Seeking employed, drug-free, nonsmoking S/DM, 25-37, for friendship, kids okay. VMB 0725

Educated professional
SWCM, 51, likes finer things of life: quiet times, fun times, travel, dancing. Seeks S/DWF, 42-52, for friendship, romance. VMB 9667

SBF, 33
Attractive, honest, intelligent, enjoys quiet evenings, travel, movies, sports. Seeking tall, intelligent, sincere, attractive SBM, 33-45, for relationship. VMB 3243

Easygoing SWM, 20
6'1", 185lbs., green-eyed, enjoys movies, football, music. Seeking humorous, honest S/DWF, 18-23, to treat like a lady. VMB 4476

Outgoing WF, 45
Widowed businesswoman, enjoys dancing. Seeking sincere WM, 30-50, nondrinker, drug-free, for companionship. VMB 0971

SWF, early 40's
Friendly, likeable, likes the outdoors, music, bicycling, traveling anywhere. Seeking mature, sincere S/DWM, 35-50, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 8968

SWF, mid 50's
Outgoing, caring, sincere. Wanting that special WM, 50-60, varied interests, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1605

Enchanted adventure
Tall, handsome, wandering Squire SWM, 31. Seeks slim, fair, professional Damsel, for lifetime of movie magic of the heart. VMB 1560

DWF, 53
Slender, blue-eyed brunette. Seeking SW gentleman, 5'9"-6'4", smoker, social drinker okay. Must be honest, with sense of humor. VMB 1468

DWM
Retired, financially secure, enjoys fishing, bowling, travel, movies, dining. Tired of doing things alone. Seeking companionship, relationship with S/DWF, 45-60. VMB 2149

Widowed WF
5'3", 120lbs., attractive redhead, humorous, non-smoker, good conversationalist. Likes dancing, dining. Seeking nice gentleman, 58+, for friendship, companionship, more. VMB 0102

Vivacious SBF, 25
Enjoys quiet evenings, music, movies. Seeking S/DBM, 25-40, who enjoys children. If interested please respond. VMB 0053

Good-looking SBF, 26
Self-confident lady. Seeking good-looking SBM, 26-32, who's honest, drug-free, romantic and enjoys quiet evenings. VMB 3059

DWF, 28
Single mom of two, enjoys weight lifting, family activities. Seeking mature, financially secure, honest S/DWM, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 6543

A real cowboy
DWM, financially secure, dark hair, dark eyes. Seeking S/DWF, 28-40, who enjoys western dancing, sports, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2506

Waltz across Texas?
Handsome, humorous, sophisticated, passionate DWM, 52, nonsmoker, 5'11", 180lbs., athletic build, educated, professional, starting over. Loves romance, beaches, golf, tennis, skiing, travel, big time dance. Wants to be totally spoiled by an active S/DWF of means, 40-55, similar taste. Full-time relationship only. VMB 3387

SBF, 18
5'4". Seeking older SBM, 20-28, who likes talking on phone, having fun, spending quality time. VMB 6315

Attractive DWF, 40's
Tall, slender, brunette, professional, enjoys travel, dining out, theater. Seeks tall S/DWM, who's financially secure, with similar interests. VMB 0120

DWM, 31
Financially secure, two children, enjoys dancing, sports, movies, cooking. Seeking S/DWF, honest, outgoing, active, for possible long-term relationship. VMB 8708

Legally separated WM
23, 5'6", medium build, blue-eyed, outgoing, adventurous. Enjoys sports, quiet evenings. Seeks open-minded S/DF, 18-30, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2809

Sincere, honest
SWF, 31, mom, enjoys parks, dining, dancing. Seeking S/DWM, 30-40, financially secure, physically fit, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2169

SHF, 30's
5'2", 126lbs., brown hair, eyes, attractive, creative, confident, caring. Enjoys working out, music, dining. Seeking compatible SWM, 40-48, 150-180lbs. VMB 9090

Adventurous DWM, 43
Honest, sincere, romantic, 6'3", 215lbs. Enjoys outdoor sports, reading, travel, concerts. Seeking slender S/DWF, dating, possible relationship. VMB 3214

Attractive, professional
DWF, 40's, slender, blonde hair, caring, sincere, enjoys life. Seeks professional, confident, understanding, caring DWM, 40-50, who loves children. VMB 4271

Athletic SWM, 36
5'9", 176lbs., blond, blue-eyed, nonsmoker. Seeking attractive SWF, 23-36, who enjoys laughing, sports, outdoor activities and movies. VMB 3436

Outgoing SWF, 23
5'7", 130lbs., social drinker, nonsmoker, one child. Enjoys outdoor activities, lakes, dancing, traveling. Seeking S/DWM, friendship, possible relationship. 7304

SWM, 34
Enjoys all outdoor activities, movies, car shows, fishing, camping, music and reading. Seeking S/DW/HF, 27-45, for serious relationship. VMB 3135

DCM, 42
Easygoing, financially secure, enjoys outdoors, country and gospel music. Seeks S/DCF, for lasting relationship, smoker, no games. VMB 2629

Friendly DWF, 5'7"
Enjoys cooking, quiet evenings, movies, camping. Seeks sincere, tall, nonsmoking S/DWM, 49-55, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 9295

SBF, 27
Enjoys movies, music, shopping and meeting new people. Seeking outgoing, fun-lovng S/DM, 23-38, with a good personality. VMB 0772

SWM, 18
Seeks country girl, 18-21, who is sincere, enjoys walks in park, dancing, romantic dinners, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 5399

Spontaneous SWM
35, 6ft., hazel-eyed, confident, enjoys music, movies, quiet times. Seeks S/DF, 38-48, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4536

Mars seeking Venus
Affectionate, adventurous SHM, looking for cute, slim SW/HF, 20-30, for long-term, honest, respectable relationship. VMB 0023

DWM, 44, 5'11"
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Romantic dancing cowboy
Professional appearance, tall, slender, blond SWM, 54. Seeking trim, beautiful S/DWF, for friendship, fun, country dancing, romantic evenings. VMB 5357

DWF, 32
Loves metal and alternative music, movies, sports, just hanging with friends. Seeking S/DWM, 20-35, similar interests, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4348

Large and lovely
SBF, 28, mother of two, enjoys family outings, quiet times, music. Seeking S/DBM, 29-39, honest, no game players. VMB 7015

DWM, 42
Seeking S/DWF, 30-42, nonsmoker, who likes scenic drives, quiet evenings, walks, camping, hiking, rock-n-roll, movies, for romance, companionship. VMB 0238

Meg Ryan type
Tanned brunette, 5'4", size 8, no kids, likes sports, friends, cookouts. Seeks S/DWM, 23-35, for serious relationship. VMB 6582

SBF, 26
5'7" 145lbs., mom, nonsmoker, nondrinker, romantic, enjoys cooking. Seeks attractive S/DWM, 30-40, 6ft.+, for long-term relationship. VMB 5711

SWM, 24
Smoker, nondrinker, enjoys country music, fishing, outdoors. Seeks slender, nondrinking SWF, 19-25, with similar interests. VMB 2633

Adventurous SHM, 37
5'9", 155lbs., young-at-heart, smoker. Enjoys camping, fishing, animals. Seeking S/DF, 28-40, with great personality, children okay. VMB 4907

DWF, 40's
Easygoing, enjoys slow music, traveling, movies. Seeks tall S/DWM, 45-55, for friendship and companionship. VMB 2475

Back from Hawaii
SWM, 30, energetic, fun-loving, likes rock music, talks, plays, guitar, involved in martial arts. Seeking genuine SH/WF, 24-36. VMB 2267

Widowed WF, 50's
5'3", blonde, young-at-heart, energetic, loves country western dancing, travel. Seeking tall S/DM, 39-49, with similar interests. VMB 2426

Fun-loving DWF
Adventurous, enjoys outdoors, quiet times, dancing, going out. Seeking S/DWM, 30's, for friendship first, kids o.k. VMB 5758

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