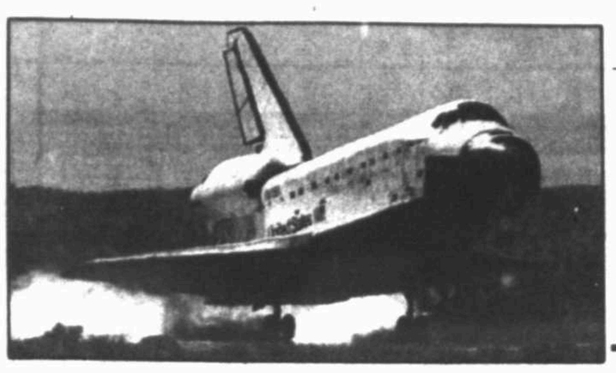


NATION

Discovery lands

The space shuttle Discovery touches down at Edwards Air Force Base in California after an 11-day mission./**8A**



NATION

Breast cancer risk

Young women who exercise 4 hours a week can cut breast-cancer risk by 50 percent to 60 percent, researcher says./**5B**

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NEWS WATCH



Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen

Embargo probe

WASHINGTON — Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen has ordered an independent investigation into an agency's handling of a Haiti embargo violations case against Texaco that documents suggest may have involved political interference, an official said Tuesday. Bentsen's request means the matter will be reviewed simultaneously at two levels — the Treasury inspector general and the U.S. attorney's office, which launched a separate probe last week./**8A**

P&P, Tide West tie

With the acquition of Australian-based Bridge Oil barely under its belt, Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. announced Tuesday that it has entered into a merger agreement with Tide West Oil Co./**9C**

Fat, ovarian cancer

WASHINGTON — Scientists find one more reason to choose vegetables over a greasy hamburger: Adding 10 grams of saturated fat a day may raise women's ovarian cancer risk as much as 20 percent. But there's good news, too, in the findings from the National Cancer Institute: Adding 10 grams of vegetable fiber, about two small servings, to the daily menu lowered the risk by 37 percent./**12A**

National snapshot

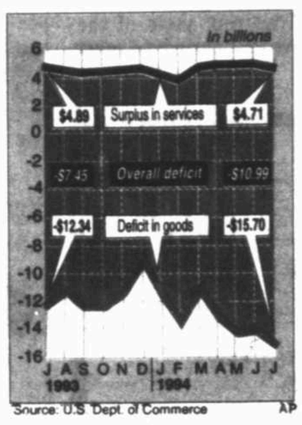
WASHINGTON — Americans are more cynical and less compassionate than they were seven years ago, and many feel strapped for money despite the improving economy, according to a broad Times Mirror poll. A discouraging snapshot of the national mood emerges from the survey./**12A**

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Deficit soars; stocks plunge



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce AP

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's trade deficit with the rest of the world rose sharply in July to the second-highest level in history, the government said Tuesday in a report that fanned inflation fears, rattled the financial markets and depressed the value of stocks, bonds and the dollar.

The Commerce Department said the overall deficit in goods and services surged 21.6 percent to $10.9 billion as imports remained near an all-time high while exports weakened considerably.

The worse-than-expected deficit figure, which followed a June shortfall of $9.04 billion, rattled Wall Street. Stocks, bonds and the dollar all weakened.

Please see **STOCKS**/4A

Police wield clubs; U.S. troops look on

■ American buildup continues, even as its purpose seems more unclear than ever.

Associated Press

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti — Jubilant supporters of Haiti's exiled president cheered U.S. troops on Tuesday, but police clubbed the demonstrators and fired tear gas as American soldiers stood by, under orders not to get involved.

Some demonstrators became angry at the Americans for failing to protect a man who, according to witnesses, was clubbed to death by a Haitian policeman.

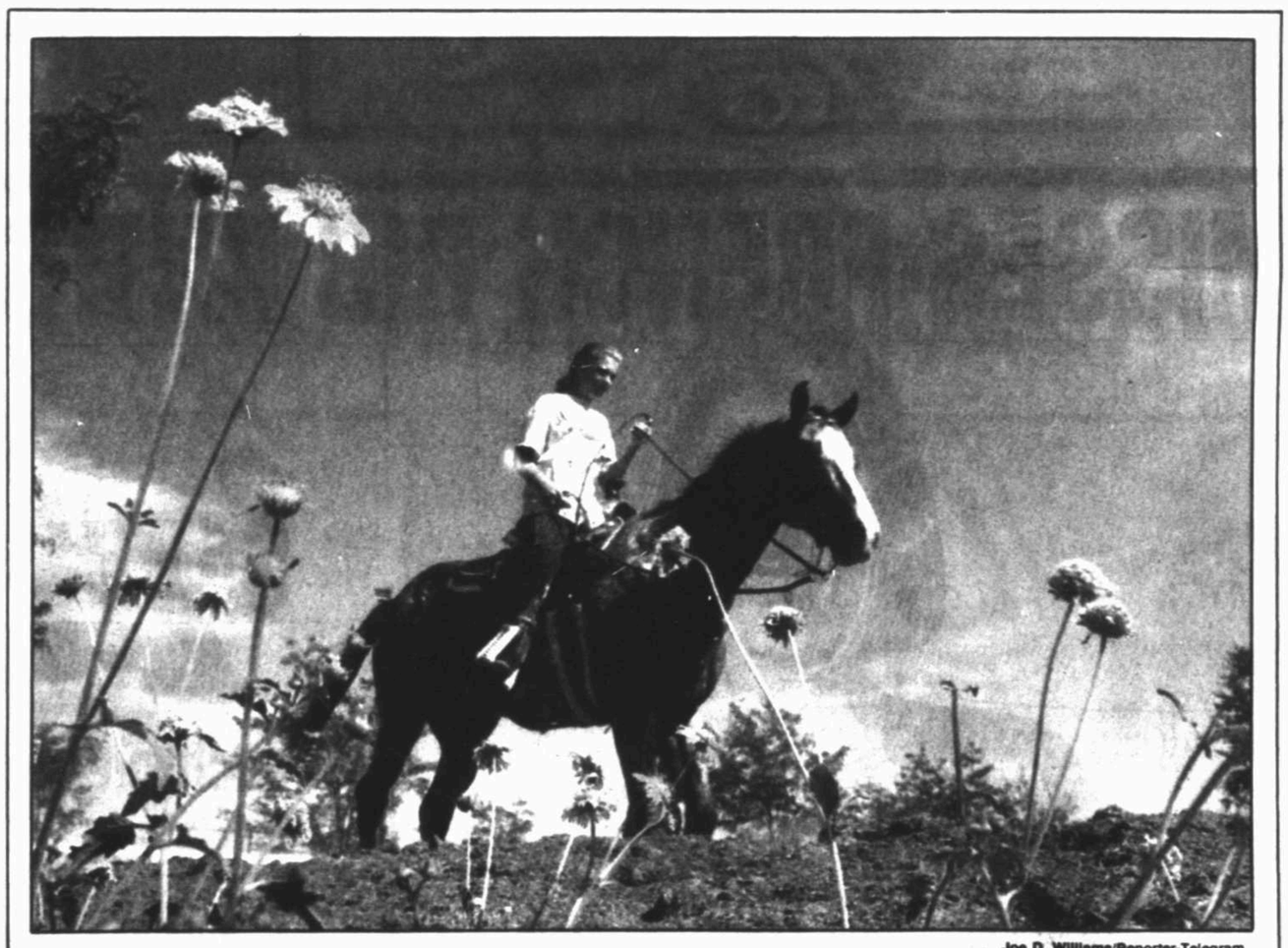


AP Laserphoto

A Haitian policeman beats back crowds in Port-au-Prince Tuesday.

After the disturbances, senior U.S. military officers here roared up to Haiti's army headquarters for a lengthy "talk to," as one American officer put it. At sunset, U.S. military police emerged from their bases at the airport and sea-

Please see **WIELD**/4A



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Afternoon ride

Jennifer Power, 14, takes a riding lesson on her horse, Cricket, at Rebelee Stables on Tuesday.

Basin's jobless rate shows sharp decline in August

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

August brought continued improvement in the Midland-Odessa area's employment picture, according to figures released Tuesday by the Texas Employment Commission.

The TEC reported that the unemployment rate for the Odessa-Midland metropolitan statistical area fell almost a full percentage point, to 7.1 percent in August from 8 percent in July. The rate is below the 7.4 percent posted in August 1993.

One factor in the decline was a retreat of summer job-holders from the labor market, according to Jackie Moseley, office manager for the TEC's Midland office.

The civilian labor force shrank by 2,600 in August, falling to 118,600 from 121,200 in July. In August last year, the labor force stood at 118,400.

Of those in the labor force, 110,200 were employed in August, down 1,300 from 111,500 employed in July. There were 109,600 employed a year ago.

Despite the drop in the labor force and total employment, an additional 1,300 area residents found jobs in August, the figures show. Total unemployment fell by 1,300 to 8,400 in August from 9,700 in July and is below the 8,800 unemployed in August 1993.

Please see **JOBS**/4A

Only West Texas tilts pro-life, poll finds

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

West Texas stands alone in the state as a hotbed for people professing to be pro-life in their views, according to a recent independent poll.

■ **Texas Poll**

This probably comes as no surprise to Midlanders who have seen many pro-life letters in the Reporter-Telegram and well-attended local events organized by groups supporting the pro-life stance.

What might be a surprise, however, is that all other regions in the state weigh in as majority pro-choice, according to the Harte-Hanks Texas Poll released Tuesday.

"West Texas is the only region going off the scale toward pro-life. And it is the only region of the state where this is true," said Candace Windel, poll director in Austin.

Approximately 52 percent of West Texans polled declared they were pro-life. About 39 percent said they were pro-choice and the other 9 percent said they were undecided.

"West Texans are by far the most pro-life, although since West Texas is the smallest region, the margin of error is higher," Ms. Windel said.

She said, "It is important to note that we have surveyed Texans using their language on abor-

Please see **TILTS**/4A

No-racing sentiment wins survey by nose

Staff Report

Cityline Community Pulse

In one of the tightest Community Pulse polls ever conducted, 52.1 percent of the 240 callers say they will vote against a referendum that would permit pari-mutuel horse racing in Midland County.

The remaining 115 callers said they would vote in favor of a horse track locally when presented with the referendum on the Nov. 8 ballot.

"I'm absolutely against legalizing gambling," one anonymous caller said. "I believe it costs the community and it hurts the poor. Midland would not benefit from this."

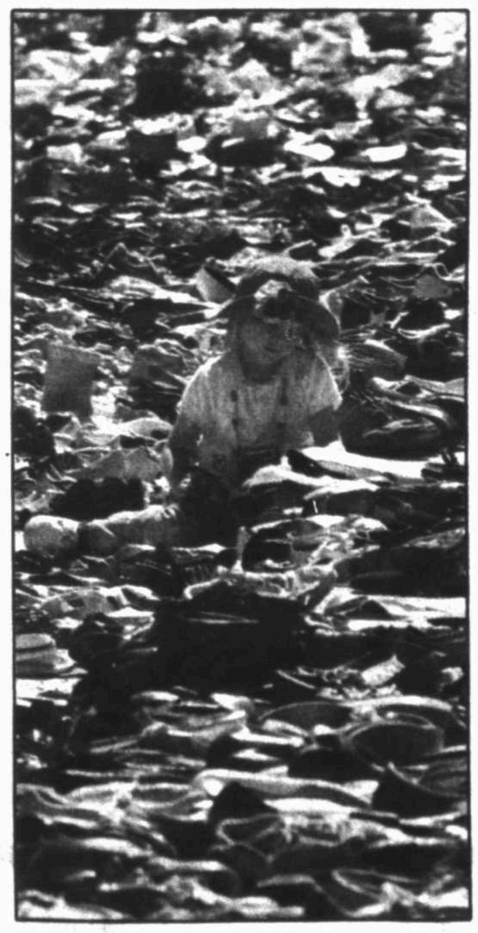
Another caller said she would be opposed to legalized racing, "because of the crime it would bring in. The mob would be right in here and I don't think Midland needs that. We have enough problems as it is."

On the other side of the coin are those who feel pari-mutuel wagering would stimulate the economy and offer an entertainment option.

"As a person who comes from the racing industry," one female caller said, "I see nothing wrong with pari-mutuel wagering. It's well controlled and very well policed. I think it would be a great asset to any place."

Another caller said, "I think pari-mutuel betting in Midland

Please see **RACING**/4A



Shoes sit as mute reminder

Nearly 40,000 pairs of shoes sat empty at the nation's Capitol Tuesday, row on row, mute reminders of the tens of thousands of Americans killed every year by guns. They were part of a "silent march," a demonstration whose organizers, promoting stronger gun control, hope to act as a counterweight to the National Rifle Association. Story/8A

AP Laserphoto

Gunman in Beijing kills 8, wounds 30

■ Single gunman with assault rifle fires indiscriminately near compound where foreign diplomats and journalists live.

Associated Press

BEIJING — Even with rising crime in China, a shootout in Beijing on Tuesday that left eight people dead and more than 30 wounded was highly unusual in a nation that keeps a tight grip on its citizens.

An Iranian diplomat and his son were among those killed in the early morning shootout on a major thoroughfare.

China has a strict ban on civilian ownership of guns and ammunition and harsh penalties meant to deter crime, including wide use of the death penalty.

Yet, the government reported a 20 percent increase in the number of serious and violent crimes nationwide in the first six months of this year.

Current economic reforms have made many Chinese richer. But they also have led to enormous leaps in crime, drug abuse, prostitution — and the most corrupt government since the Communists took power in 1949.

"China is becoming an increasingly anarchic society," David Shambaugh, senior lecturer in Chinese politics at the University of London, wrote earlier this year in Current History. "China's social fabric is fraying."

The rush-hour shooting rampage occurred shortly after 7 a.m. when a single gunman fired indiscriminately on the Second Ring Road, near a compound where foreign diplomats and journalists live.

The man ran down the middle of the road, firing an automatic rifle, probably an AK-47, witnesses said. They saw the windows of a passing bus explode and saw the gunman shoot a motorcyclist.

He hailed a minivan taxi and got into the back, said an Asian diplomat whose apartment faces the road. When the driver and a passenger in the front seat tried to flee, the gunman shot both at point-blank range. The passenger appeared to have died, said the diplomat, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

After shooting the two men in the minivan, the gunman fled down the road, pursued by police with automatic rifles who shot him to death.

Officials at the Iranian Embassy said Yousef Mohammadi Pishknari and one of his sons were shot to death. Another son was shot in the leg.

The official Xinhua News Agency reported Mohammadi's two daughters were taken to a hospital.

It was unclear if all the victims were hit by the gunman.

The son who was wounded ran back to the diplomatic compound screaming that police had shot his father and siblings.

The Iranian government summoned China's top diplomat in Tehran to protest the shootings and planned its own investigation, said Tehran radio, monitored in London by the British Broadcasting Corp.

Footage taken by a Canadian camera crew after the shooting showed at least one person lying dead on the pavement, and an elderly woman who was bleeding profusely being loaded into an ambulance.

Xinhua carried a four-sentence report saying eight were killed and more than 30 injured, but did not give a motive. The front page of the tabloid Beijing Evening News carried an even briefer report.

Germany gives Russians more time to pay debts

BERLIN (AP) — Germany has agreed to reschedule some Russian debts, the Finance Ministry said Tuesday, and commercial banks meeting in Frankfurt also rolled over debts of the former Soviet Union.

The two debt-relief measures will give Moscow some time to put economic reforms in place.

In Bonn, the Finance Ministry said an agreement was initialed in Moscow Monday giving Russia 15 years to repay $2.7 billion in German government-insured debt, due this year. Last year a similar deal extended payment on $5.3 billion of Moscow's debts due to Germany.

The commercial debt deal granted Russia another in a series of 90-day rollovers of roughly $26 billion that Moscow owes about 600 commercial banks, according to Deutsche Bank, which heads the banks' committee on debts of the former Soviet Union.

Russia, which inherited the Soviet debts, owes about $80 billion to foreign governments and commercial banks and firms.

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Rapid industrial development swallows scarce farmland in China

■ With 20 percent of world's population and 7 percent of crop-producing land, some worry that another catastrophic food shortage may lurk on horizon.

By Philip Shenon
N.Y. Times News Service

GINCUN, China — Near the boomtowns of southern China, superhighways and smoke-belching factories sprout from the ground almost as quickly as the stalks of sweet corn raised by the barefoot farmers of this tiny village.

"My two sons cannot sleep at night because of this terrible noise," said Qin Liang Kai, 30, a farmer, nodding toward the unending rush of cars and trucks along the new six-lane expressway that borders his cornfields.

The $1 billion highway, which opened only this summer, links the thriving coastal province of Guangdong to Hong Kong. And it has ended Gincun's pastoral quiet.

As he broke up thick clumps of rust-colored dirt by pounding them with a bamboo-handled hoe, Qin said he figured that all of his neighbors would be gone within a few years — some forced from their farms into migrant labor, others pleased to go to better-paying jobs in the factories.

"But I do not understand," he said. "If we all leave the land, who will feed the people?"

The government is asking the same question. After years of encouraging industrial growth at almost any cost to the nation's farmland, the Chinese government is discovering, to its dismay, what that cost really is.

China has 20 percent of the world's population, but only 7 percent of the world's arable land. And farmland is disappearing so rapidly, sacrificed to make way for industry and development, that the government is worried that China could once again face the nightmare of food shortages — a threat with consequences far beyond China's borders.

The total farmland in the country, about 370,000 square miles, has declined by nearly 20 percent since the late 1950s.

"Our first priority in the government is to make sure all the people are fed," said Zhan Giuigi, an engineer with the State Land Administration. "China is so big that it's impossible for other countries to provide us with food. We must be self-sufficient. We must not allow the destruction of any more farmland."

The problem is most severe in booming coastal provinces like Guangdong, which has recorded double-digit economic growth for years because of its proximity to Hong Kong.

In the provincial capital, Guangzhou, the city known in colonial times as Canton, downtown land prices equal those of some Western European capitals. The city has been turned into one vast construction site, with building cranes rising every few hundred feet along the gray waters of the Pearl River.

The land of Guangdong Province is prized by farmers for its fertility, but real-estate developers say that its value to farmers cannot compare to its value as the site of clothing factories, soft-drink bottling plants or luxury hotels, all of which have recently risen on what used to be agricultural land.

Last year the State Council, the body that runs the country day to day, issued a tough-worded order to the leaders of Guangdong Province to preserve the little farmland that remains.

But in Gincun, as elsewhere in southern China, the huge profits from land sales tend to overwhelm any fear of the central government.

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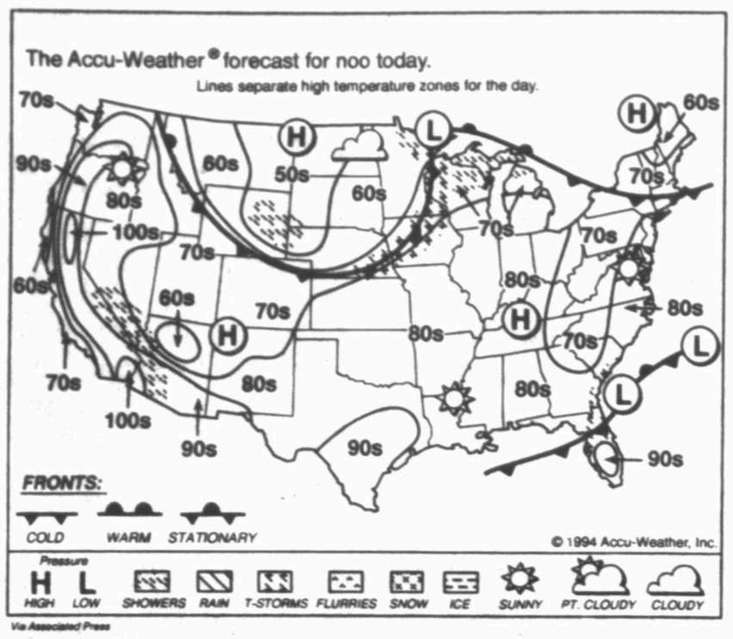
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WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Mr. Weather seems stuck on 90

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high in the lower 90s and south winds at 10-20 mph. Tonight should be fair with a low near 60, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Thursday should be partly cloudy with a high in the mid-80s.

After an overnight low of 68, Tuesday's high reached 91, compared to the record for that date of 107 set in 1953. The record low was 40 set in 1983.

STATE

Texans enjoyed yet another day of clear, sunny skies and high temperatures on Tuesday as the summer slowly transforms into fall.

High cirrus clouds covered North Texas, where winds were variable at less than 10 mph. Temperatures ranged from 82 degrees at Paris to 88 degrees at Waco.

In West Texas, skies remained clear to partly cloudy. Temperatures were mostly in the 80s and 90s, with extremes ranging from 81 degrees at Marfa to 92 degrees at Childress.

The weather was much the same in South Texas, where cirrus clouds covered most of the area with some cumulus clouds near the coast and over the lower Rio Grande Valley and nearby plains. Temperatures ranged from 83 degrees at Galveston and Hobby Airport in Houston to 91 degrees at Cotulla, Harlingen, McAllen and Laredo. Winds were variable, at 5 to 15 mph.

A cool front is headed to Texas toward the end of the week.

In North Texas, it will be partly cloudy today with lows from 57 to 63 and highs from 85 to 91. Thursday, it'll be partly cloudy and cooler with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs will be in the low- to mid-80s.

The forecast for South Texas calls for fair to partly cloudy skies today. Lows will range from the upper 50s in the northwest Hill Country to mid-70s along the coast. Highs will range from the mid-90s inland to mid-80s along the coast.

It'll be partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms across West Texas through Thursday. Lows will range from the mid-40s in the northwest panhandles to the lower 60s in the Presidio Valley. Highs will be in the 80s and 90s.

NATION

Heavy rain fell Tuesday across parts of Florida and Puerto Rico, and storms also were scattered over the center of the nation. A pocket of warm air gave northern Michigan record high temperatures.

Numerous showers and thunderstorms spread across sections of Florida and adjacent coastal areas, forcing the landing of the space shuttle Discovery to be moved from Cape Canaveral to Edwards Air Force Base in California.

Some of the storms produced heavy rain. During the six hours up to 1 p.m. CDT, 2.98 inches of rain fell at Jacksonville, Fla., and the National Weather Service said there were reports of as much as 6 inches in some areas within the region.

Showers and thunderstorms washed across sections of Puerto Rico, where some areas have had water shortages this year.

A slow-moving wave of tropical air produced the island's heavy rain, with 24-hour totals as of 7 a.m. including 3.58 inches at Naguabo, 1.10 at San Juan, 1.02 at Humacao and 1.60 at Ponce, the weather service said.

Across the middle of the country, a surface trough of low pressure extended from the southern Rockies across the central Plains through the upper Mississippi Valley.

Along that line of low pressure, showers and a few thunderstorms were widely scattered from eastern Colorado across Iowa and through northeastern Minnesota.

East of the line of rain, temperatures rose to record highs Tuesday in parts of Michigan. By early afternoon, Marquette on the shore of cool Lake Superior had already reached 80, 1 degree above its former record for the date set in 1970.

Farther north, a strengthening low pressure center was pulling high wind across sections of Alaska, with a gust to 73 mph reported during the morning in King Salmon, at the base of the Aleutian chain.

Rain fell across the Seward area, already saturated by previous heavy rainfall, and a flash flood watch was posted, the weather service said.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:
Today: mostly sunny, high in the lower 90s, south winds at 10-20 mph.
Tonight: fair, low near 60.
Thursday: partly cloudy, high in the mid-80s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	91 degrees
Overnight Low	68 degrees
Sunset today	7:46 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:37 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.26 inches
Year to date	08.36 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	85	6 a.m.	63
7 p.m.	79	7 a.m.	62
8 p.m.	75	8 a.m.	68
9 p.m.	73	9 a.m.	74
10 p.m.	69	10 a.m.	78
11 p.m.	69	11 a.m.	84
midnight	67	noon	87
1 a.m.	67	1 p.m.	89
2 a.m.	64	2 p.m.	90
3 a.m.	64	3 p.m.	90
4 a.m.	63	4 p.m.	90
5 a.m.	61	5 p.m.	90
		6 p.m.	88

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	88	64	
Alpine	85	51	
Amarillo	88	56	
Austin	88	65	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	86	61	
Bryan-College Station	87	60	
Corpus Christi	88	68	
Dallas	87	61	
El Paso	95	64	
Fort Worth	87	60	
Galveston	84	73	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	83	57		cdy
Atlanta	77	60		cdy
Atlantic City	75	44		cdy
Baltimore	78	52		cdy
Boston	76	53		cdy
Chicago	85	58		cdy
Cleveland	81	51		cdy
Denver	77	53		clr
Detroit	85	53		cdy
Flagstaff	63	46	.60	cdy
Indianapolis	83	54		cdy
Kansas City	84	57		cdy
Las Vegas	91	62	.23	cdy
Los Angeles	83	64		cdy
Louisville	82	54		cdy
Memphis	84	61		cdy
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New Orleans	87	66		cdy
New York City	79	54		cdy
Oklahoma City	84	56		cdy
Orlando	86	70	.15	m
Philadelphia	78	54		cdy
Phoenix	100	82		cdy
Portland,Ore.	85	57		clr
Reno	84	50		clr
Sacramento	98	54		clr
St Louis	83	61		cdy
San Francisco	69	56		cdy

WIELD: U.S. troops stand by during clashes

(From 1A)

port to begin motor patrols along the perimeters.

The confrontations in the capital, which came as U.S. Marines swarmed ashore at Cap-Haitien on the northern coast, underlined the tensions in Haiti and the danger of factional violence that could drag in the Americans.

U.S. troops are walking a precarious path in trying to build democracy in the impoverished Caribbean nation. Their very presence could embolden mobs into violence against Haiti's military regime, but staying aloof runs the risk of being viewed by the masses as allies of hated Haitian soldiers and police.

Some American soldiers bridled at the orders that prevented them from intervening when police attacked supporters of Jean-Bertrand Aristide, Haiti's first freely elected president, who was ousted in a 1991 coup.

"I feel terrible," said Specialist Douglas Walton of Cincinnati, a soldier in the U.S. Army's 10th Mountain Division at the gates of the capital's port. "To see people beaten and not be able to do anything."

For now, U.S. officials said, the troops would not interfere in Haiti's domestic affairs. In Washington, Gen. John Shalikashvili, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, warned the risk of violence was high and said, "We can be taking casualties at any moment."

■ HAITI UPDATE: Call Cityline, 560-2400, enter 6201

A day after soldiers of the 10th Mountain Division, from Fort Drum, N.Y., began landing at the Port-au-Prince airport, Marines extended the U.S. military operation to Cap-Haitien, Haiti's second largest city.

About 1,600 Marines came ashore in armored amphibious vehicles, helicopters and Hovercraft. As in the capital Monday, Haitian police cooperated with the American troops.

U.S. troops in Port-au-Prince appeared to be concentrating on consolidating defense positions and supply depots. Convoys moved between the port, airport, an industrial park and a warehouse district where the Americans were setting up bases.

The Marines' objective was to secure the port and airport at Cap-Haitien, a city of 65,000 people, then move inland to take control of two roads and two bridges. Later in the day, they were expected to move farther into town to locations by a Haitian army barracks and several police outposts and a prison.

While street clashes escalated in Port-au-Prince, most parts of the capital were quiet. Many people were still holed up with relatives out of town waiting for the dust to settle. The normally bustling Iron Market in the heart of the city was all but deserted.

The planned U.S. invasion to depose the Haitian military was called off Sunday because of a last-minute agreement by Haiti's army rulers to give up power and cooperate with U.S. forces.

Aristide broke his 36-hour silence Tuesday, issuing a statement in which he mentioned the need for peace and democracy, but not Sunday's agreement. His advisers have said he objects to allowing army rulers to remain in power until Oct. 15.

American soldiers numbered 7,000 by day's end — a force equal to the entire Haitian army.

The capital's pro-Aristide mayor, Evans Paul, urged Haitians to stop demonstrating at least until American peacekeeping forces reached their planned deployment of 15,000.

"We've got to know how to manage this situation and not react by chasing rainbows," said Paul, who has been in hiding. "It is too soon for mass popular demonstrations, which are dangerous."

Following Tuesday's incidents, a senior U.S. Army official walked stiffly into Haiti's military headquarters for discussions.

Marine Lt. Col. Steve Hartly, commander of one of the two task forces landing Tuesday, said under the rules of engagement his men could only step in when murder or rape was involved.

A U.S. Army spokesman, Col. Barry Willey, said the Pentagon was "looking closely at the implications of the rules of the engagement in light of the incidents." But Willey said he didn't anticipate any major rewriting of the rules.

Several thousand Haitians were gathered outside the Port-au-Prince port Tuesday, hailing the arriving Americans. Blue-uniformed Haitian police had held back, watching the milling crowd, but one officer at one point attacked a demonstrator, hitting him on the back of the neck with a club, witnesses said.

At least 500 angry Haitians massed around his body, angry over the death. Some of the protesters blamed the Americans.

"If they came to help us no one would be dead," said one demonstrator, Melax Dasluvaes. "I don't know why they are here."

STOCKS: Deficit rattles financial markets

(From 1A)

Analysts said the weaker dollar would only add to inflationary pressures and increase the prospect that the Federal Reserve will be forced to boost interest rates for a sixth time this year, possibly as soon as Sept. 27, when Fed policymakers meet in Washington.

The disappointing trade performance and rate increase fears sent the Dow Jones industrial average down by nearly 68 points, with the 30 blue-chip stocks losing 1.72 percent of their value. The yield on Treasury's benchmark 30-year bond, which moves in the opposite direction of its price, climbed to 7.78 percent.

The Clinton administration sought to play down the significance of July's trade deficit, saying a number of one-time events made it look worse than it was.

Commerce Secretary Ron Brown said the dramatic widening of the deficit was "not indicative of the economy's long-term trend." The administration insisted the deficit would shrink in coming months as faster growth in Europe and Japan helps increase demand for U.S. exports.

But private economists were not as confident, contending the rebound in U.S. exports could take some time to materialize.

"The trade report was extremely disappointing," said Allen Sinai, chief economist at Lehman Brothers in New York.

With domestic demand already being slowed by the Fed's rate increases, Sinai said it was critical for export growth to rebound to keep the U.S. economy out of recession.

"A better export performance is absolutely essential if we are to avoid a sub-par economy and rising unemployment rates," he said.

So far this year, America's merchandise deficit is running at an annual rate of $145.6 billion, second worst in history. The biggest merchandise trade deficit was a $152.1 billion imbalance in 1987.

As usual, the biggest monthly deficit was with Japan, a shortfall of $5.67 billion, the worst showing since March. The deficit with China rose 8.6 percent to an all-time high of $2.67 billion.

The administration has pushed both countries this year to open their markets to more American goods but has met with little success. U.S. and Japanese negotiators were meeting this week in an attempt to resolve several tough issues in the face of a Sept. 30 deadline, after which the administration could impose trade sanctions.

The $10.99 billion gap between what America sells in products and services abroad and what it imports was the worst since the government began tracking both goods and services on a monthly basis two years ago.

On just the goods side, it was the second-worst monthly merchandise deficit on record, exceeded only by an all-time high of $15.9 billion in December 1985.

The July imbalance reflected a $15.70 billion deficit in goods, 12 percent worse than June, and a $4.71 billion surplus in services, 5.5 percent lower than June.

TILTS: State's other regions pro-choice, poll says

(From 1A)

tion rather than the media's language." She said the media has moved away from using the labels "pro-life" and "pro-choice." But in a 1991 Texas poll, citizens of the Lone Star state, when asked their views on abortion, described themselves under those labels.

Of the 55 West Texas counties polled, included were Midland, Ector, Andrews, Crane, El Paso, Glasscock, Pecos, Reagan, Sterling, Tom Green, Upton and Ward counties.

Persons polled in regions outside West Texas leaned toward pro-choice views. In North Texas, 58 percent declared themselves pro-choice, East Texas came in with 48 percent in favor of abortion rights (39 percent against), 56 percent were in favor in Central Texas, and 54 percent were in favor in the Gulf Coast.

"However, in South Texas, the vote split down the middle, with 43 percent saying they were pro-choice, 43 percent saying they were pro-life, and 14 percent undecided," Ms. Windel said.

Texans, as a whole, have become more pro-choice during the past four years, and Republicans also are likely to delcare themselves pro-choice, according to the poll.

In comparing Texans' views on abortion, the independent poll indicated the pro-life contingency has consistently remained just under 40 percent of the population while the number of Texans professing to be pro-choice is increasing.

Statewide, Texans declaring the pro-choice position have increased from 46 percent of the population in 1990 to a 52-percent majority this year, Ms. Windel said.

The poll also indicated that abortion is not an issue that has become divided solely along party lines.

Republicans report being 49 percent pro-choice and 44 percent pro-life. Democrats report being 56 percent pro-choice and 33 percent pro-life. Independents polled were 54 percent pro-choice and 38 percent pro-life.

Ms. Windel said, in another surprising finding, "Separating abortion viewpoints along religious lines is no longer as clean as many once thought."

Anglo Catholics are 55 percent in favor of abortion rights, while Hispanic Catholics are 52 percent against. Texas Methodists surveyed were overwhelmingly (77 percent) pro-choice and the majority of Baptists (55 percent) declared they were also pro-choice.

Catholics, Baptists and Methodists comprise nearly 2/3 of the state and constitute the three largest religious denominations in Texas, Ms. Windel said.

While there were variances in subgroups, the poll director said the bottom line is that the number of Texans who consider themselves pro-choice are increasing and 52 percent overall are in favor of abortion rights.

Harte-Hanks Communications conducted the poll Aug. 18-27. There is a margin of error of 3 percent. A telephone survey polled 1,005 adults in the state.

JOBS: Basin employment picture brightens

(From 1A)

The labor picture was even brighter for the city of Midland, which saw its unemployment rate fall to 5.3 percent in August from 6.1 percent in July. The rate is a full percentage point lower than the rate in August 1993.

The city followed the area MSA's trend of shrinking labor force and total employment. The labor force fell by 944 to 48,863 from 49,807 in July and is below the 49,090 seen in August last year.

Total employment numbered 46,264, down 520 from 46,784 in July but above 46,010 a year ago. However, there were apparently 424 new jobs created from July to August, as total unemployment fell by that amount to 2,599 from 3,023 in July. Total unemployment was 3,080 last year.

Ms. Moseley said summer jobholders had left the labor market to return to school or because their job had ended for one reason or another.

"August is greatly seasonally influenced," she said, noting that that influence made it hard to gauge the effect of layoffs announced by local offices of major oil producers or of hiring by new retailers, such as the new Wal-Mart Supercenter that opened a month ago.

Still, Ms. Moseley said, the office has been extremely busy and the city is seeing a great deal of hiring.

"There's a lot of new retail businesses entering the area," she said, adding that the office has worked with Best Buys, Office Depot and Wendy's Old Fashioned Burgers, and is working with Hastings Books, Music and Video to staff its new greatly expanded location scheduled to open open in late October.

Among the TEC's 27 MSAs, Midland-Odessa ranked 17th. Bryan-College Station had the lowest rate, 3.3 percent, followed by Austin-San Marcos with 3.6 percent, Amarillo with 4 percent, San Angelo with 4.4 percent and Lubbock with 4.6 percent. The highest rate was in McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, 15.8 percent.

The state unemployment rate was 6.2 percent in August, down from 6.8 percent in July.

There were 21,600 jobs created last month and a net increase of 14,800 jobs in trade and construction industries, the TEC said.

The 6.2 percent rate matches the April rate, which was the lowest for the state in three years.

RACING: 'No's top poll

(From 1A)

would keep some of the money here instead of letting it go up to Ruidoso. As a matter of fact, we should take a page out of New York City's book and have off-track betting for all the tracks in the country. People who want to gamble are going to gamble."

"I think we're getting along fine without horse race betting here," another caller said. "I don't see where it would really help our economy, or anyone."

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A Haitian soldier chases a man through the street during a disturbance near the Port-au-Prince port Tuesday. The displays of defiance near the port and at the airport underline the precariousness of the U.S. military presence.

Haitian 'attaches' do 'dirty work'

By Joseph B. Treaster
N.Y. Times News Service

When the Haitian police charged into crowds of demonstrators on the Port-au-Prince waterfront Tuesday, they were joined by thugs in civilian clothes throwing punches and swinging crude wooden clubs.

The thugs were presumed to be so-called attaches, who have been recruited by the armed forces to help in a terror campaign against supporters of the exiled President, the Rev. Jean-Bertrand Aristide.

Attaches, the spiritual and in some cases actual descendants of the Tontons Macoute, the terror-force created by President Francois Duvalier more than 30 years ago, sometimes work with uniformed army and police officers and sometimes on their own at tasks that range from the Haitian military's version of crowd control to assassination, kidnapping, torture, rape and arson.

While the army and the police have carried out much of the violence in Haiti, State Department officials and human rights specialists say the attaches exist mainly, as one official said, "to carry out the dirty work that the government doesn't want to be traceable."

"The more grisly stuff tends to go to the attaches," the official said.

William G. O'Neill, who served as the legal director of the United Nations human rights mission in Haiti, said the attaches give the de facto government "deniability, to be able to say, 'No, our soldiers and police were not responsible. Someone else did this horrible murder or raped that woman. They weren't in uniform. We don't know who they were.' "

"But," he added, "these killings repeatedly take place in the same neighborhoods at the same time of night, and there are never any arrests."

There are perhaps as many as 2,000 attaches, mainly operating in Port-au-Prince.

The first began to appear shortly after the army forced President Jean-Claude Duvalier to flee Haiti on Feb. 7, 1986. The Duvaliers, father and son, had used the Tontons Macoute to control the army as well as Haiti's civilians, and both groups set upon the thugs when the dictatorship collapsed, wrecking their homes and setting fire to the corpses of many in the streets.

Within a few months, the police in the capital began recruiting former Tontons Macoute and other thugs. The ranks of the attaches began to swell in the summer of 1993, after the Governors Island, N.Y., agreement for the restoration of Aristide to office collapsed and violence in Haiti began to intensify.

Some attaches are members of a relatively new political organization known as the Front for Advancement and Progress.

Israeli police to keep peace in Haiti

JERUSALEM (NYT) — Israel is preparing a small contingent of police volunteers to serve in the multinational force that will keep order in Haiti once most of the U.S. troops depart. It marks the first time the Jewish state has ever participated in an international peacekeeping effort.

Israel's latest peace partner, Jordan, also has pledged to contribute troops, part of an international police force for Haiti of at least 4,000 officers from more than 20 countries.

The participation of Israel comes as the Middle East peace process has expanded Israel's diplomatic relations throughout the world. Limited Palestinian autonomy in Gaza and Jericho and warmer relations with Jordan also have made Israeli leaders more secure about committing security forces to an international mission.

But Israel's contribution to the Haiti force will be limited. About 30 Israeli police volunteers, who speak both English and French, will be assigned to the contingent.

Most will wear blue uniforms with an English-language patch identifying them as Israeli police. Several will come from the Israeli Border Police, a military-style unit which patrols the occupied territories. The border police wear green uniforms, carry assault rifles and patrol in jeeps and other military vehicles.

Gabi Amir, a retired police commander who will lead the team, said participation in such multinational forces is an important step for Israel, particularly since Israeli police could be working side-by-side with Jordanians.

"We will be happy to meet with them and work with them," Amir said.

Under the Clinton administration's plans, only Haitian citizens would serve as police officers on the beat, while the foreign forces would provide training and insure that the Haitian police comply with human rights standards.

Some Israelis contend the country's forces have no business in Haiti.

Noam Federman, a former leader of the outlawed Kach group of militant Jewish settlers, filed a motion this week before the supreme court seeking to block the Israeli participation. According to state radio, Federman's lawsuit claimed that Israeli officials have no authority to send policemen outside the country's borders and into a dangerous setting.

Volcanic ash buries city in New Guinea

PORT MORESBY, Papua New Guinea (AP) — Rain-sodden ash crushed buildings and trees in the port of Rabaul on Tuesday while ships picked up thousands of people who fled the simultaneous eruption of two volcanoes.

Thick ash, dense black smoke and poisonous fumes blanketed the area around the city, which is on New Britain island about 500 miles northeast of Port Moresby, the capital on New Guinea.

"You cannot see Rabaul. You cannot see the landscape. You can only see smoke and ash," the prime minister, Sir Julius Chan, said after flying over the devastated region.

Most of Rabaul's 30,000 residents and people in nearby villages fled just before the Tavurvur and Vulcan volcanoes erupted on opposite sides of the once picturesque harbor. The eruptions triggered earthquakes and fierce lightning storms.

Officials said communications with Rabaul had broken down and there were fears for a small number of people still in the city.

Witnesses reported that ash was up to 3 feet deep across the city. Much of it mixed with rain to form heavy, gray mud that collapsed many buildings and trees under its weight. Flooding also was reported.

"It is absolutely frightening and incredibly lonely," Michael Jansy, an Australian citizen, told the Sydney Morning Herald in Australia.

Australian Associated Press said officials feared debris from the eruptions might block the harbor and endanger Rabaul's future as a port.

Witnesses said ash and floating volcanic pumice rock covered the surface of the harbor. Water reportedly boiled in some sections from hot vents on the harbor floor.

"Vulcan is blowing its head off on the southern side and Tavurvur is the same on the northern side," Peter Sharp, a crew member of a ship that rescued about 2,500 people Monday and Tuesday, told Australian Associated Press by radio.

A church mission station near Rabaul reported two deaths during the mass evacuation: a young child hit by a car and a man struck by lightning.

Authorities said they were preparing to provide food and shelter for up to 70,000 people in the area near the eruption zone.

Scientists expected the eruption to last several more days.

The last volcanic disaster in Rabaul killed 507 people in 1937. Major eruptions also were recorded in 1791, 1797, 1850 and 1878.

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Former French premier to be charged in AIDS blood scandal

PARIS (AP) — Former Premier Laurent Fabius and two former members of his Cabinet will be charged this month with complicity in poisoning hemophiliacs who received AIDS-tainted blood products, justice officials said Tuesday.

Fabius, former Social Affairs Minister Georgina Dufoix and former Health Minister Edmond Herve will appear before the special Court of Justice of the Republic at separate hearings from Sept. 27 to Sept. 30, the officials said.

The court, created a year ago, is the only body with the authority to try ministers for crimes allegedly commited while in office.

The decision to charge the three follows two years of legal maneuvering by hemophiliacs and their families, who sought government accountability in a scandal that shook France's state-run health care system and contributed to the Socialists 1993 legislative defeat.

The scandal grew out of revelations that blood products contaminated with HIV, the AIDS virus, were knowingly distributed to hemophiliacs in 1985. About 1,200 hemophiliacs were contaminated with the AIDS virus as a result, and more than 300 have died.

The decision to charge Fabius and the two other ministers adds a new political dimension to the scandal, which has until now been officially blamed on medical officials alone. Four lower-ranking health officials were convicted in 1992, and a new charge of poisoning has recently been brought against three of them.

Fabius, who maintains he was not consulted about distributing the tainted blood, said Tuesday he welcomed the judicial proceedings as an opportunity for "justice to accomplish its mission so that the truth is clearly established." Herve also said he was pleased he will "finally be able to explain myself. . . . It will allow me to defend my innocence."

The victims' families have maintained that Fabius' government chose not to purchase U.S. technology to cleanse the tainted blood or to buy an American AIDS test to screen donor blood in order to favor a French test that was being perfected at the time.

They also claim that any order to continue using the blood bank's contaminated stocks had to have originated, even if indirectly, further up the health-care hierarchy.

The French Association of Hemophiles applauded Tuesday's decision as "a step forward."

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Mexico OKs big oil deal with Cuba

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Associated Press

MEXICO CITY — A subsidiary of Mexico's state petroleum monopoly signed a deal Tuesday to help operate Cuba's largest oil refinery, wiping out Cuba's debt to Mexico while helping the island's battered economy.

The $200 million deal signed in Havana is a boost for an island crippled by a lack of fuel and foreign exchange, as well as a snub to U.S. efforts at isolating the communist state.

Mexico, which this year entered a free trade agreement with the United States, now appears to be the largest source of foreign investments in Cuba.

Mexican Foreign Minister Manuel Tello said at a news conference in Havana that part of the payments for the oil deal and for an earlier telephone accord will go to paying off Cuba's $340 million debt to Mexico.

The new agreement gives Mexpetrol, a company 35 percent owned by the Mexican government, a 49 percent share in a new joint venture that will operate the Cuba's largest oil refinery at Cienfuegos on the south coast of central Cuba.

The majority share is held by Cuba's state oil company.

Tello said Mexico will ship 65,000 barrels of oil a day to the new plant, though he did not say when shipments would begin.

If that pace were maintained throughout the year, it would amount to 23 million barrels of oil — triple the level of Cuba's domestic production and more than half the total Cuba imports each year.

Cuba imported about 91 million barrels from the Soviet Union, before the collapse of communism there slashed aid and trade for the Caribbean island.

Cuba has tried for several years to buy oil from Mexico, in part because proximity would mean lower shipping costs. But a lack of hard currency has often forced Cuba to make barter deals with Russia, Iran and other countries.

Tello said the refinery's output would be sold both abroad and domestically on a commercial basis.

While cheap, rationed gasoline is extremely scarce in Cuba, a chain of dollar-only gasoline stations across the island sells fuel to those who have access to foreign currency. Many Cubans, however, cannot afford it.

Tello said total investments by Mexican companies in Cuba so far have reached about $1 billion, and a telephone deal signed in June calls for hundreds of millions more over the next six years.

Mexico's Grupo Domus reached a $1.5 billion agreement with Cuba for a 49 percent share of the island's telephone system over 55 years in return for investment to upgrade the network.

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Japanese car makers threaten U.S.

TOKYO — With only 10 days left before a U.S.-imposed deadline in trade talks, Japan's auto industry warned it may stop cooperating with American car makers if Washington imposes trade sanctions.

In a letter to U.S. trade officials, the Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association said it also would urge Japan to retaliate if sanctions are imposed.

Autos and auto parts account for two-thirds of Japan's $60 billion annual trade surplus with the United States.

Treasury Undersecretary for International Affairs Lawrence Summers said Japan would be "making a big mistake" if it thinks Washington will compromise its objectives to reach an agreement.

"The burden is on Japan," he said Tuesday in Tokyo.

Rhetoric has escalated in advance of the Sept. 30 deadline for agreement in the negotiations over autos and auto parts, government procurement and insurance, which have been deadlocked for much of the last year over the U.S. demand for numerical benchmarks to measure progress in foreign access to Japan's market.

Japanese will not announce any major new plans to buy more American auto parts until U.S. eliminates threat of trade sanctions.

On the eve of his trip to Washington today to try to settle the dispute, Foreign Minister Yohei Kono told reporters he continued to reject any numerical targets.

Japan has insisted that governments not interfere with free trade by dictating purchasing plans to private companies or consumers.

U.S. Trade Representative Mickey Kantor must decide by Sept. 30 whether to formally charge Japan as an unfair trader, which could lead to unilateral U.S. trade sanctions.

In an open letter sent to Kantor on Monday, the Japanese auto manufacturers said any sanctions against their industry would be "a gross violation" of world trade agreements that call for multilateral resolution of trade disputes.

The letter denied unfair trading practices, and said the number of U.S. suppliers to Japanese automakers had grown from about 300 to 1,250 over the last five years, and that purchases of U.S. auto parts had jumped by more than 500 percent since 1986.

An industry spokesman said Tuesday that the Japanese would not announce any major new plans to buy more U.S. auto parts before the Sept. 30 deadline.

But the government-sponsored Japan External Trade Organization announced plans Tuesday to do more promotion of foreign automobiles and auto parts.

It said it would organize auto exhibitions, help foreign companies learn how to design parts for Japanese car makers, and sponsor meetings between foreign suppliers and Japanese car manufacturers.

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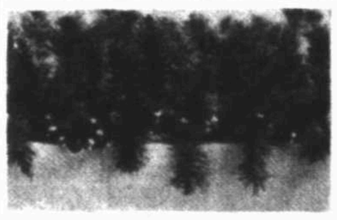
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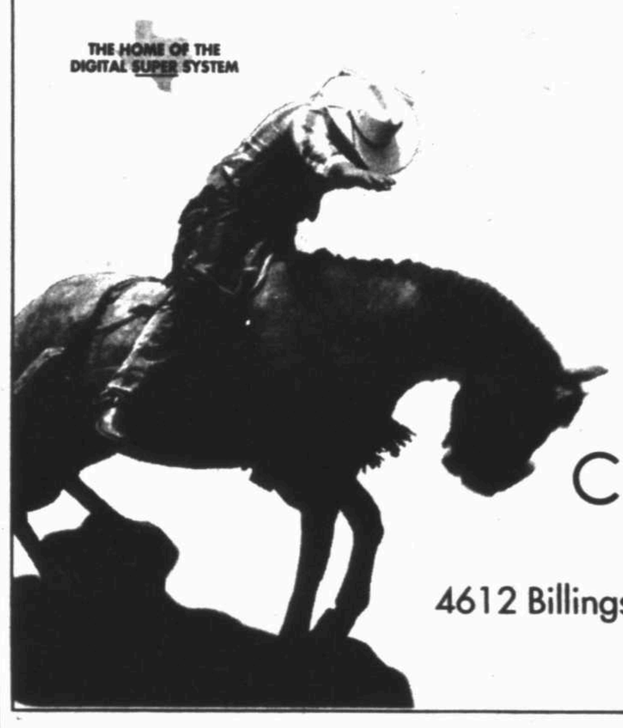
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Marchers carry shoes of people killed by guns to Washington

■ Gun-control advocates hope more than 40,000 pairs of empty shoes will get message across to lawmakers.

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — There were baseball spikes. There were babies' first white walkers. There were businessmen's black leather wing tips and women's formal high-heel pumps.

The shoes sat empty Tuesday, row on row, more than 40,000 pairs arranged around the Reflecting Pool at the base of the Capitol, mute reminders of the tens of thousands of Americans killed every year by guns.

They were part of a "silent march," a demonstration whose organizers, promoting stronger gun control, hope to act as a counterweight to the National Rifle Association.

"I am angry, I will not be silenced, and I will not go away," said Carol Ann Taylor, whose 19-year-old son, Willie, was killed in Los Angeles last year when two men fired 34 shots from AK-47 assault rifles into a crowd of youths.

Ms. Taylor, who had brought Willie's favorite yellow suede shoes, held them up before a gathering of perhaps a thousand people. "Here are Willie's shoes," she said, her voice breaking. "They are empty. We should have the right as human beings not to be killed by guns."

The idea of using shoes to make real the human toll wrought by gunfire originated with a small group from New York City led by Katina Mantis Johnstone.

Mrs. Johnstone's husband, David, an editor with Macmillan, was shot to death by three youths in San Francisco in 1992 while he walked back to his hotel through the fashionable Nob Hill section.

Since her husband's killing, Mrs. Johnstone says, she has tried to understand why Americans do not react more strongly to the large number of people killed by guns.

In 1991, the last year for which statistics are available, 38,317 people in the United States died by gunfire in murders, suicides or accidents, according to the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, in Atlanta. By comparison, it took more than a decade for 58,000 American soldiers to die in the Vietnam War.

Trying to raise support for gun control, Mrs. Johnstone says, she and other proponents thought of using flags, letters, footprints and then shoes. "Shoes, we thought, would cut across all ages, all sexes, all races," she said. "Everyone dies from guns."

Still, she was surprised when hundreds of people came to Washington to join Tuesday's demonstration as a way to speak their anguish.

Some of the shoes were those of schoolchildren who had expressed worry at the violence they saw around them. Others contained notes telling the stories of their owners: the dirty white sneakers of Jeffrey Michael Bull, for example, a taxicab driver from the Lake Erie town of Dunkirk, N.Y. They were donated by his mother, who wrote, "Gun violence affected my life on Dec. 25, 1993, when I received a phone call that my son's cab was missing."

Bull's body was found two months later in a snowy field. A robber had shot him in the back of the head.

All the shoes will be moved today to the lawn in front of the Capitol. Some of the families of gunshot victims said they planned to present shoes to members of Congress who voted against the Brady bill — the since-enacted measure requiring a waiting period for handgun purchases — and the assault rifle ban in President Clinton's anti-crime legislation.

It is far from certain that Tuesday's demonstration will sway many votes in Congress, where further gun control legislation is awaiting action. Rep. Charles E. Schumer of New York and Sen. Bill Bradley of New Jersey, for example, have introduced a bill that would require federal licenses for everyone buying a gun.

But many protest participants said the sheer number of shoes Tuesday gave them hope.

"I have been working on this issue feverishly for two years, but I didn't have this sense of the scale of the numbers until I saw all these shoes today," said Richard Haymaker.

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Bentsen orders probe of agency checking Texaco

WASHINGTON (AP) — Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen has ordered an independent investigation into an agency's handling of a Haiti embargo violations case against Texaco that documents suggest may have involved political interference, an official said Tuesday.

Bentsen's request means the matter will be reviewed simultaneously at two levels — by the Treasury inspector general and the U.S. attorney's office, which launched a separate probe last week.

Both inquiries are in response to an Associated Press report Sunday that the Office of Foreign Assets Control's director, Richard Newcomb, ignored staff pleas to stop the flow of oil and money to Haiti's military junta after his agency concluded Texaco was illegally doing business with the regime.

Newcomb was quoted in agency documents cited by the AP as saying he was instructed by Bush administration Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady to "go slow" in the investigation. Top Bush administration officials had several meetings or phone conversations with Texaco during the investigation, records showed.

Newcomb is a career government executive whose office by law is supposed to be free of political interference.

Newcomb was not immediately available for comment Tuesday, his office said.

Delays by OFAC in the case allowed Texaco's Caribbean subsidiary to distribute fuel inside Haiti from at least 26 tankers and pay the junta millions of dollars between October 1991, when the U.S. embargo took effect, and last year, the documents reviewed by AP showed.

Texaco has denied wrongdoing, saying its dealings with the regime were under duress and made only in an attempt to save its workers in Haiti from danger.

Shuttle lands in California after 11-day mission

HOUSTON — The shuttle Discovery swept to a landing in California on Tuesday, ending a successful 11-day research mission that was prolonged by stormy weather at its primary runway in Florida.

The six astronauts touched down at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., at 5:13 p.m. EDT, with mission commander Dick Richards and pilot Blaine Hammond at Discovery's controls.

For the second day in a row, rain and clouds kept Discovery from landing at Kennedy Space Center in Florida, where many of the astronauts' family members had gathered to greet them. The six crew members were waved off four times there by bad weather, twice Tuesday and twice Monday.

"Unfortunately, Mother Nature just wouldn't cooperate with us," said Wayne Hale, flight director for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

"You landed on the wrong coast," Mission Control at Houston's Johnson Space Center informed Richards, passing along a message from the commander's wife. "Well, sorry about that," Richards laughed.

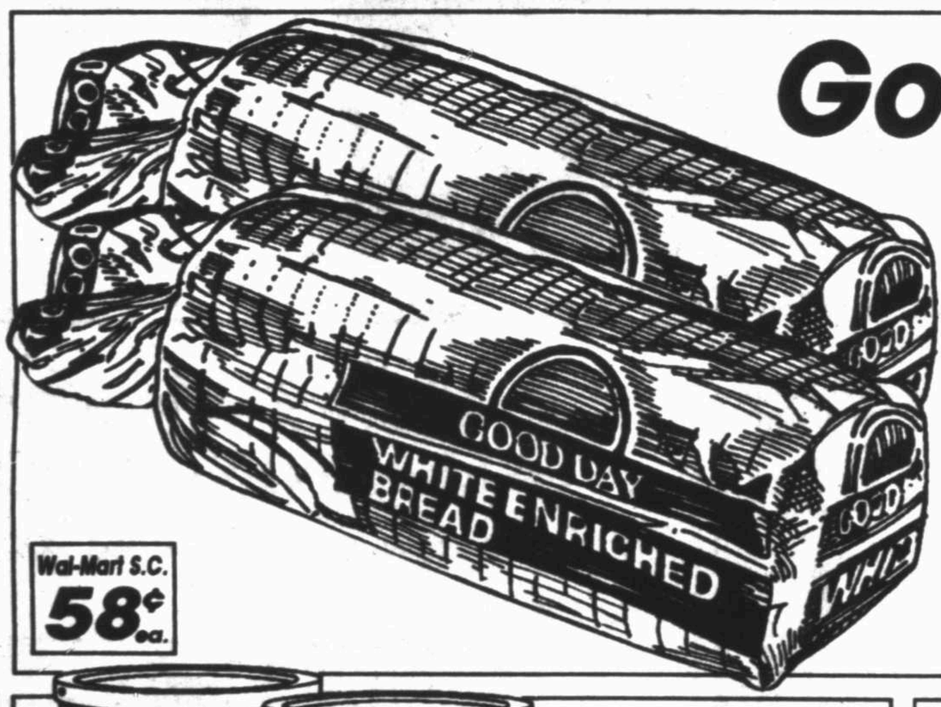
A California landing means the shuttle must be ferried to Kennedy atop a Boeing 747 jumbo jet.

Richards, Hammond and crew mates Susan Helms, Mark Lee, Carl Meade and Jerry Linenger planned to return to Houston.

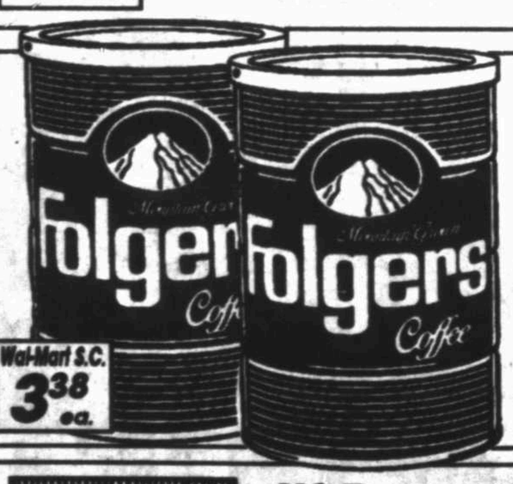
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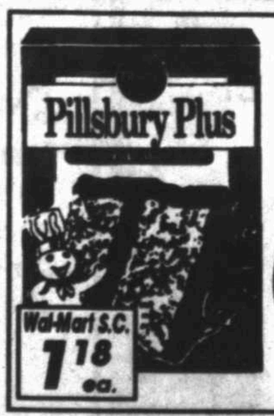
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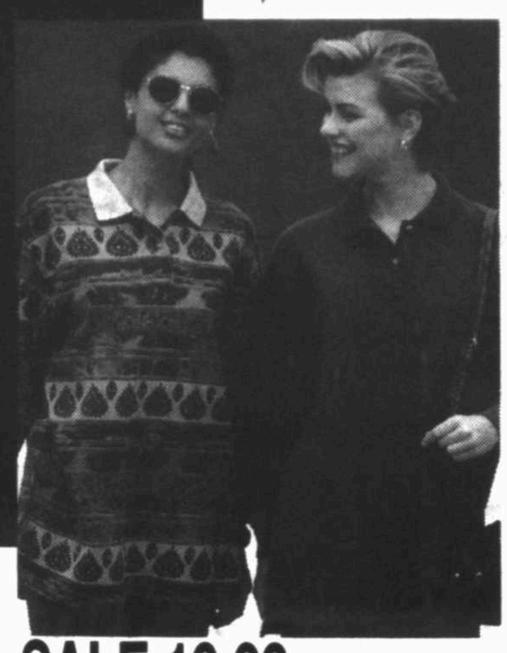
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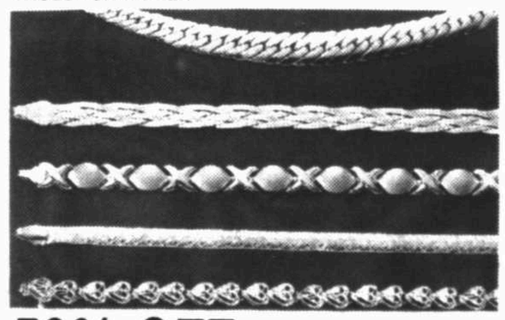


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OTHER VIEWS

Hot McDonald's coffee lawsuit goes way too far

Even though it's long been obvious that the U.S. legal system is being used like a lottery, the recent $2.9 million jury award to an 81-year-old woman scalded by McDonald's coffee has burned up many Americans. And rightly so.

An Albuquerque, N.M., jury awarded that sum to Stella Liebeck. She suffered third-degree burns after spilling a cup of coffee she was holding between her legs while trying to add cream and sugar to it.

Maybe jurors were swayed by testimony telling of Mrs. Liebeck's seven days in the hospital and her skin grafts, or of the gruesome photos of her injuries. Maybe they were swayed by a young lawyer's finding that McDonald's served its coffee at 180 degrees, 20 degrees hotter than any of its competitors sampled around town.

Still, the jury's finding that somehow Mrs. Liebeck was only 20 percent responsible for her injuries, and that McDonald's therefore should cough up $2.9 million in punitive damages, was quite a stretch.

McD's points to its own polls showing its customers emphasize hot coffee, and to coffee experts saying the higher temperature is needed to bring out the brew's full flavor. Now, as the result of this award, restaurants across the nation may have to think about serving cooler — and less tasty — coffee.

The problem with this verdict, as in so many other punitive-damage cases, is that it shifts too much responsibility away from where it belongs. Mrs. Liebeck's suffering was unfortunate. But common sense should have told her that holding hot coffee between your legs is risky, whatever its temperature.

McDonald's has asked for a new trial; the judge could override or reduce the jury's award.

Even so, the risk of even more hot-coffee judgments might lead that company, and many others, to revise their policies to the detriment of customers who like their coffee hot. And lukewarm coffee will hardly be the worst result of a litigious system that every day enriches lawyers, downplays consumers' responsibility and puts most of the blame on evil old big business.

— The Monroe Evening News
Monroe, Mich.

Stocks of smallpox virus should be eliminated

Like two caged animals, the last remaining stocks of the deadly smallpox virus exist in two closely watched freezers, one in Atlanta, the other in Moscow. A 10-member committee of the World Health Organization has recommended, unanimously, that these two specimens be destroyed.

Let it be done. Until smallpox was finally declared eradicated in 1980, the disease blinded, scarred and killed hundreds of millions of people over the years. The elimination of this killer is one of the great triumphs of modern science.

A few scientists want to keep the viruses alive so they can be studied. But the disease has already been studied, virtually to death. Besides, as the chairman of the WHO committee noted, the necessary studies can be made with other viruses. There is little or no point in taking the risk that the samples could escape from the lab, or fall into the wrong hands. It is time to strike the final blow.

— The Milwaukee Journal
Milwaukee, Wis.

GEORGE WILL

Clinton blows things out of proportion

WASHINGTON — A peculiar kind of noise is becoming steadily more bothersome. It is the rhetoric of extravagant assessments, whereby speakers penetrate the clutter of saturation journalism by expressing strident judgments which, when considered calmly, collapse like pierced balloons.



Will

President Clinton recently contributed to the extravagance genre when, commenting on the crime bill's early travails, he said, "When you walk away from . . . the crime bill . . . there's something wrong with the American system of government." The same day Vice President Gore, no slouch in the extravagance sweepstakes, announced that "the future of the American idea is at risk."

Clinton's and Gore's rhetoric expresses a political style that is inseparable from the substance of their politics. William Kristol, a Republican burr beneath Democratic saddles, believes such words "go far beyond the routine vulgarity and self-importance of our politicians." Clinton and Gore were making the fate of a flawed bill, and the political equilibrium of their administration, measures of the health of the polity itself. Actually, the bill's rough sledding is a sign of national health.

The bill has the attributes that usually guarantee easy passage — its benefits are concentrated on grateful factions, its costs are diffused across the entire public. People nervously saying the crime bill's tortuous path to passage indicates a need for "bipartisanship" should see that the bill is a mess because it is a product of bipartisanship.

As the federal government buckles beneath the weight of burdens it has indiscriminately taken on, and as Washington's confidence cracks under the buffeting of its failures and the public's disdain, there is an increasing readiness on the part of portions of the public and the political class to ask three threshold questions that should be asked before government does anything: Is this something government can do? Is this something government should do? Is this something the federal government should do? As these questions are asked with increasing insistency, political strife is bound to sharpen.

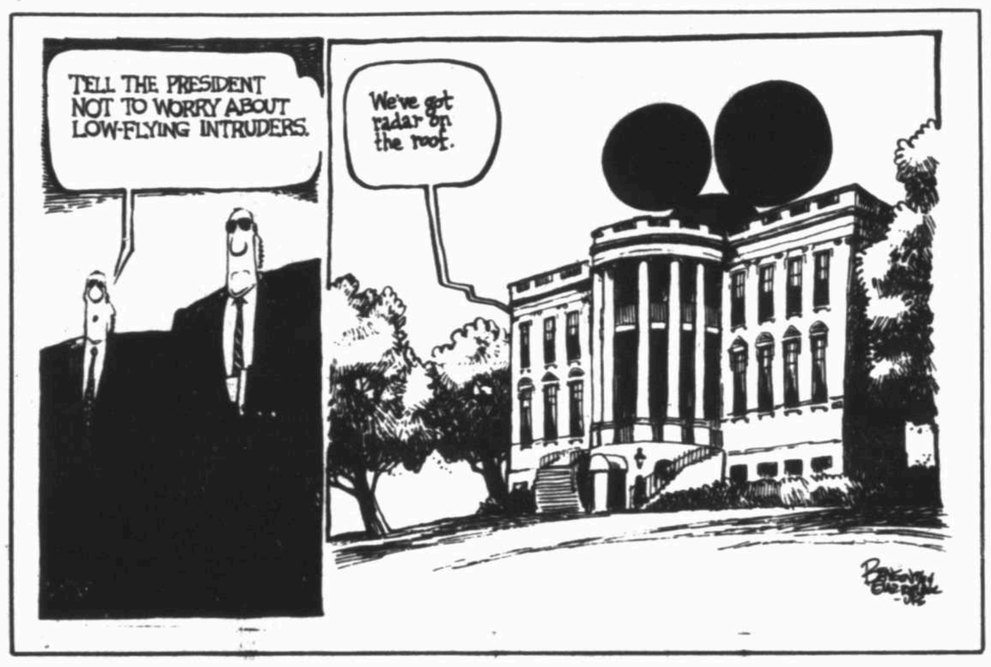
This summer's two great debates have concerned an expensive expansion of federal involvement in the fundamentally state and local business of crime control, and a radical expansion of federal intervention into an especially complex and sensitive sphere of life — health care.

Bill Clinton has been marinated all his adult life in government and may actually believe that the consensus of the political class in his formative years — the 1960s, the Great Society and all that — is somehow equivalent to "the American system of government." Al Gore may really believe that "the American idea" is the idea of government he got while growing up in Washington in the 1960s.

Richard Snow, editor of American Heritage, notes how "compressed" American history is: "Robert E. Lee was Light-Horse Harry Lee's son, after all, and there were men around in 1861 who had fought King George's soldiers to establish the nation that they were seeing fall apart."

That was an approximately 80-year span. Today the compression of history is illustrated by the 60-year span between the coming of the New Deal and the coming apart of the faith that suffused it, the faith in the federal government as instigator of social progress.

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

Haiti pales compared to Bosnian problem

WASHINGTON — After the president's address to the nation about his making good on his stream of threats to the Haitian junta; after partisans in Congress have done their mutual somersaults on the War Powers Act; after we hail a victory over a pipsqueak principality — then a real foreign-policy crisis will have to be faced.



Safire

The Bosnian clock now stands at one month to midnight. Being put to the test is the credibility of NATO and the strength of the new relationship between the U.S. and Russia.

Much good diplomatic work has been done. The U.S. brokered the renewal of the alliance between Bosnia's Muslims and Croats to strike a balance of power and a division of territory with the Bosnian Serbs. After a shaky start, the marriage is solidifying, which shores up the victims of Serbian aggression.

Meanwhile, the economic squeeze put on Belgrade has had the desired effect of splitting the Serbs. Belgrade is now willing to accept monitors to watch Serbia cut off aid to its rogue compatriots in Bosnia, in return for a U.N. lifting of sanctions against Serbia. That isolates the local aggressors.

The only trouble: It's not working. The Bos-Serbs refuse to accept the peace deal that the U.N. persuaded their victims to swallow. They snipe at civilians, murder U.N. soldiers and threaten to shoot down the pope's plane if he visits besieged Sarajevo. Their goal is never to compromise but to conquer and "cleanse."

Thus has the world learned that the way to make peace with the Bos-serbs is to put guns to their heads. But the U.N. has embargoed the sale of guns to Bosnians. That leaves the well-armed aggressors with the firepower advantage.

President Clinton has been unable to persuade the British and French, who have peacekeeping troops in Bosnia, to lift the embargo and even up the power balance. They prefer to dither than to hunker down or get out; in effect, they are "protecting" the Muslims out of their country.

Clinton's impotence with our allies led the Senate to propose — and the President to embrace in an Aug. 10 letter to Sam Nunn — an ultimatum with a deadline. "If the Bosnian Serbs have not accepted the contact group's proposal of July 6, 1994. . .by October 15, 1994," reads the Senate's amendment to the defense appropriation bill, not yet voted on by the House, "the President. . . should formally introduce and support a resolution in the U.N. Security Council. . .to terminate the international arms embargo. . .."

If that U.S. proposal is vetoed, says the Senate, the president should submit a plan to lift the embargo by ourselves; Clinton's letter would not go beyond pledging to seek a vote on "multilateral termination" of the embargo.

A New York Times editorial suggests linking the lifting of economic sanctions on Belgrade to the lifting of the arms embargo on Bosnia. Good idea; that would enable the Russians to go along, and put the issue to Britain's John Major and France's Eduard Balladur: Who wants to veto the U.S. resolution?

Such a veto would split the Atlantic Alliance, invite a radical drawdown of U.S. troops in Europe and undermine what would be left of NATO after its failure in Bosnia.

That would be an isolationist's dream, brought about by the intransigence of the Bos-Serbs compounded by the shortsightedness of Major and Balladur. But the British and French are not so foolish; they'll vote with us and withdraw their peacekeepers, selling the Bosnians their on-site equipment.

If Clinton is steadfast — rejecting the defeatist counsel of General Shilly-shally and the CIA — he can bring along the allies and level the field of fire in Bosnia. Success in such high-stakes diplomacy would be remembered long after the brouhaha in Haiti is forgotten.

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DAVE BARRY

Potato guns in wrong hands threaten world

For more than a year now, alert readers have been sending me alarming newspaper articles about the "potato gun," a bazooka-sized device that can shoot a potato several hundred yards at speeds up to 1,000 feet per second. To give you an idea of how fast that is, an ordinary potato, on its own, will rarely travel more than four feet per day, even during the height of mating season.



Barry

Potato guns — which have already been banned in some municipalities — can be easily made from plastic pipe available in any plumbing-supply store; the explosive force comes from ordinary hair spray, which is ignited by an electrical spark. Needless to say I will not provide any specific details concerning how to construct these devices, because a great many young people read this column, and they already know how to construct these devices.

Anyway, I recently got a fax from an individual whom I will identify here only as "Buzz Fleischman, 810 Pinecrest Dr., Miami Springs, Fla. 33166, telephone (305) 885-4817." Buzz, who makes his living performing humor at corporate meetings and other functions, and who by the way currently has some openings on his calendar, informed me that he had constructed a potato gun, and was willing to demonstrate it for the purpose of helping me, as a responsible adult, better understand just how alarming this menace is.

We decided to fire the potato gun from the roof of my place of employment, The Miami Herald (motto: "We Are Still Keeping An Eye On Gary Hart"). Let me stress that The Miami Herald is a responsible institution that does NOT ordinarily allow people to shoot potatoes from its premises. We were able to do it only because we met the very strict requirement of not asking for permission. It was a Covert Operation, during which we addressed each other only by code names except when we forgot. (For ease of memorization, we both used the code name "Eagle One.")

Once we got up on the Herald roof, we decided to fire the potato gun toward Biscayne Bay. Our other option was to fire it toward the city of Miami, which would have been a serious mistake because hundreds of local residents would undoubtedly have fired back (and not with potatoes, either).

To load the gun, Buzz stuffed a potato into the barrel and shoved it down with a pole, then sprayed some Aqua Net Super Hold hair spray into the detonation chamber. He then aimed the gun at the bay and pressed the ignition device, and FWOOOM, the potato came blasting out of the gun and went wap way WAAAAY out over the water and landed approximately in Portugal.

As responsible adults, Buzz and I were very alarmed by this demonstration. We shot off a bunch more potatoes to see if we would continue to be alarmed, and we were. We also got excellent results with an onion.

But as any reputable scientist will tell you, the "acid test" of the alarmingness of this type of device is what happens when you shoot a Barbie doll out of it. We used the "Gymnast Barbie" model, which comes with a little gold medal. First we loaded a potato into the gun, then we put Gymnast Barbie into the end of the barrel, with just her head and hairstyle sticking out. Then we pointed the potato gun straight up and FWOOOM up went Barbie, high in the sky, smiling perkily, waving her arms and legs gymnastically around inside a cloud of potato atoms before finally landing in a really unladylike pose.

Needless to say, these results were extremely alarming. Because if the potato gun can be used to shoot Barbie dolls, then it is only a matter of time before some fiendish criminal mind thinks of using one to shoot a Kellogg's strawberry Pop-Tart. So we tried that, too. It was pretty disappointing. The gun made a noise like "phoo" and spat Pop-Tart fragments a short, non-alarming distance.

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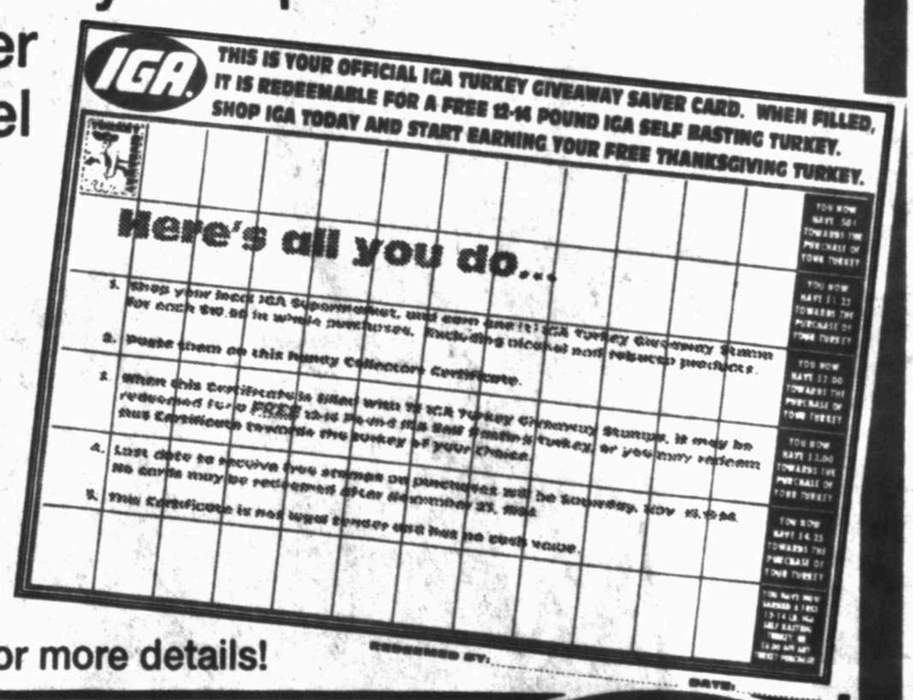
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Cynicism grows, compassion declines in U.S., poll says

■ More nation news/5B

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans are more cynical and less compassionate than they were seven years ago, and many feel strapped for money despite the improving economy, according to a poll released Tuesday.

A mostly discouraging snapshot of the national mood emerged from the survey of 4,809 people by the Times Mirror Center for the People and the Press.

"It's not a pretty picture. The trends have a negative cast," said poll director Andrew Kohut. "Generally when things are better, people are more altruistic."

Attitudes toward minorities, immigrants and the poor all have hardened somewhat over the seven years of the poll, particularly when it comes to spending money on them and expanding opportunities for them.

In 1987, 71 percent said the government should take care of people who can't take care of themselves — but that fell to 57 percent this year. Only 41 percent said the government should help the needy even if it means going deeper in debt, the first time that assertion failed to win majority support.

Also, this year for the first time a majority of whites (51 percent) agreed with the statement that equal rights for racial minorities have been pushed too far, up from 42 percent two years earlier. And 82 percent said people coming here to live should be restricted and controlled more than they are now, up six points from 1992.

"It's an unusual set of trends for a time in which the economy's been expanding and unemployment's been going down," Kohut said. He said one reason may be that the new wave of jobs offers relatively low wages, benefits and security.

More than 40 percent in the survey said they "often don't have enough money to make ends meet".

Americans displayed some increased tolerance on social issues.

Study links saturated fat to ovarian cancer risk

WASHINGTON (AP) — Scientists have found one more reason to choose vegetables over a greasy hamburger: Eating 10 grams of saturated fat a day may raise a woman's risk of ovarian cancer by 20 percent.

But the study being published Wednesday adds some good news — that just two small servings of vegetables a day could more than offset that risk.

"We need to do more research," cautioned study author Dr. Harvey Risch of Yale University. But "if I were female, I might change my diet anyway."

Ovarian cancer strikes some 20,000 U.S. women a year and kills about 12,500 of them, mostly because there is no good way to detect it early.

The main risk factor is exposure to the reproductive hormone estrogen. Women who have multiple pregnancies or use oral contraceptives, which both inhibit estrogen, are at lower risk.

But scientists have long suspected that the same fat that causes heart disease plays a role too, because women who eat less meat aren't stricken as often.

Now, the first large study of diet and ovarian cancer, published in the Journal of the National Cancer Institute, suggests the link is real.

"There's more and more evidence that grandmother was right — eating a diet high in fresh fruits and vegetables and low in fat is a good thing for a variety of illnesses and now it may be beneficial for ovarian cancer too," said Dr. Michael Thun of the American Cancer Society.

Risch and colleagues at the University of Toronto compared the eating habits of 450 Canadian women newly diagnosed with ovarian cancer to 540 demographically similar, healthy women.

For every 10 grams of saturated, or animal, fat a woman ate per day, her risk of ovarian cancer rose 20 percent. Conversely, women who lowered their saturated fat consumption by 10 grams a day experienced a 20 percent drop in risk.

The average North American consumes about 30 grams of saturated fat a day from meat, cheese, butter and a variety of other foods.

But every 10 grams of vegetable fiber added to a woman's daily menu lowered her risk of ovarian cancer by 37 percent, the study found.

That's a major decrease, Risch notes. Each full-term pregnancy a woman experiences lowers her risk by about 20 percent, and each year of oral contraceptive use lowers it by 5-10 percent.

Unsaturated fat had no effect.

Nor did most cholesterol, although the study did detect some increased risk from eggs. Risch thinks the unlikely finding is an aberration because egg cholesterol is identical to other dietary cholesterol — and because advanced patients ate more eggs, perhaps in an effort to regain the weight their cancer stole before it was detected.

Nobody knows exactly why saturated fat would affect a hormone-caused cancer. But Risch has a few theories:

■ Animal fat may contain estrogens or boost a woman's natural production of them.

■ Plants contain chemicals that mimic female estrogen. The brain may not be able to tell the difference, so when it detects these "phytoestrogens" it may signal the ovaries to slow estrogen production.

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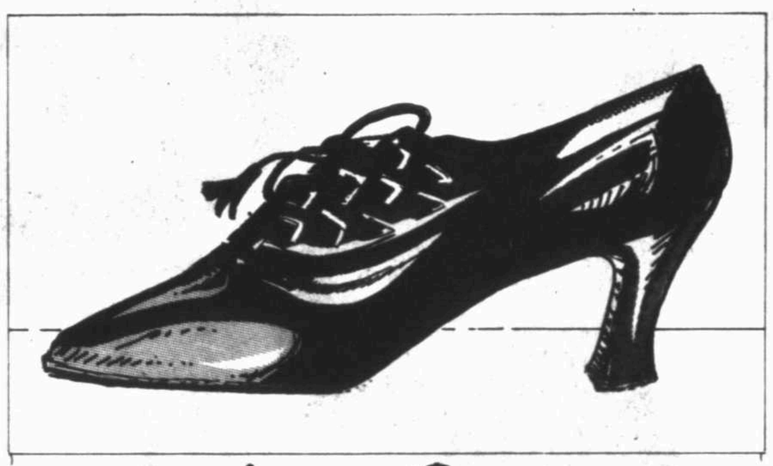
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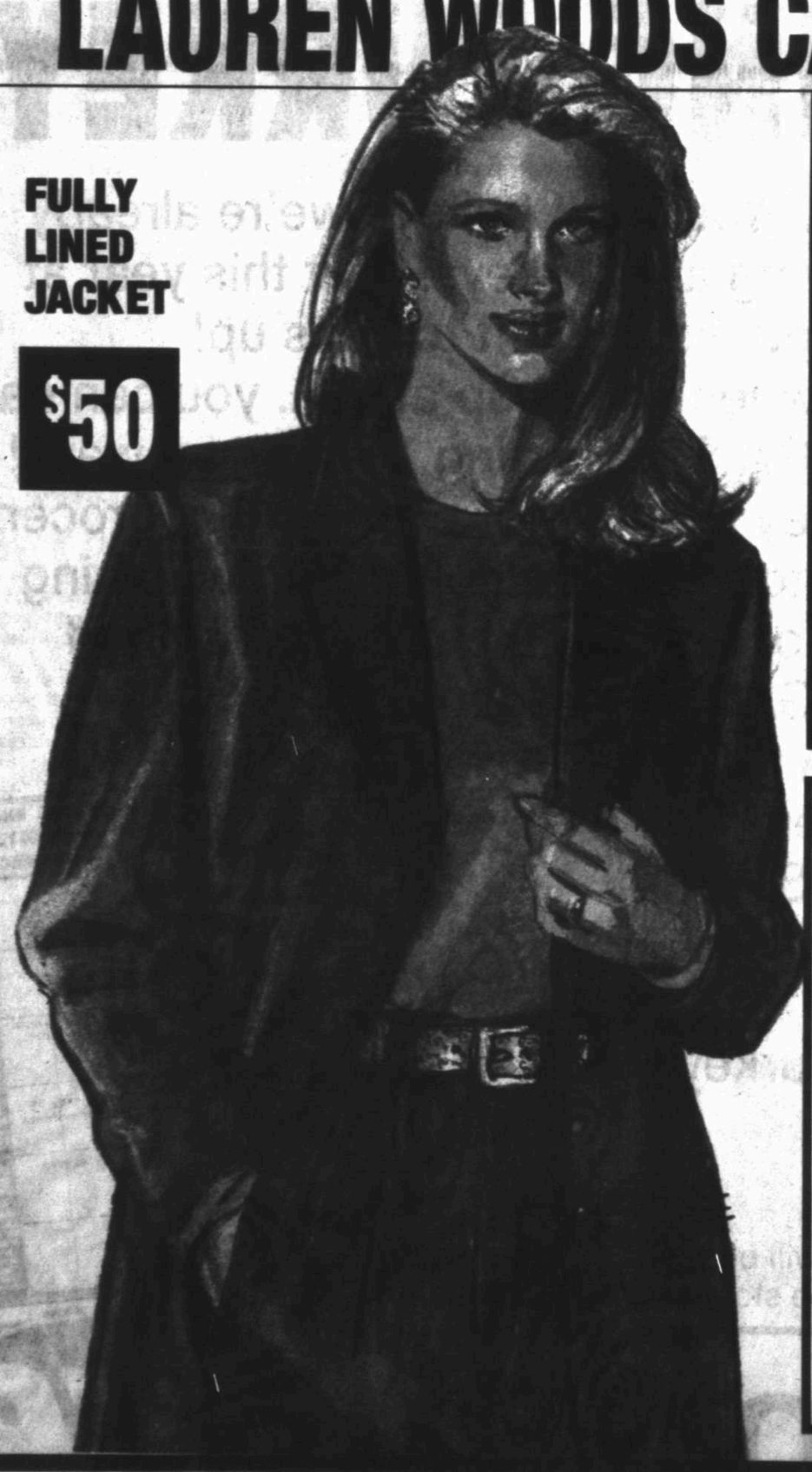


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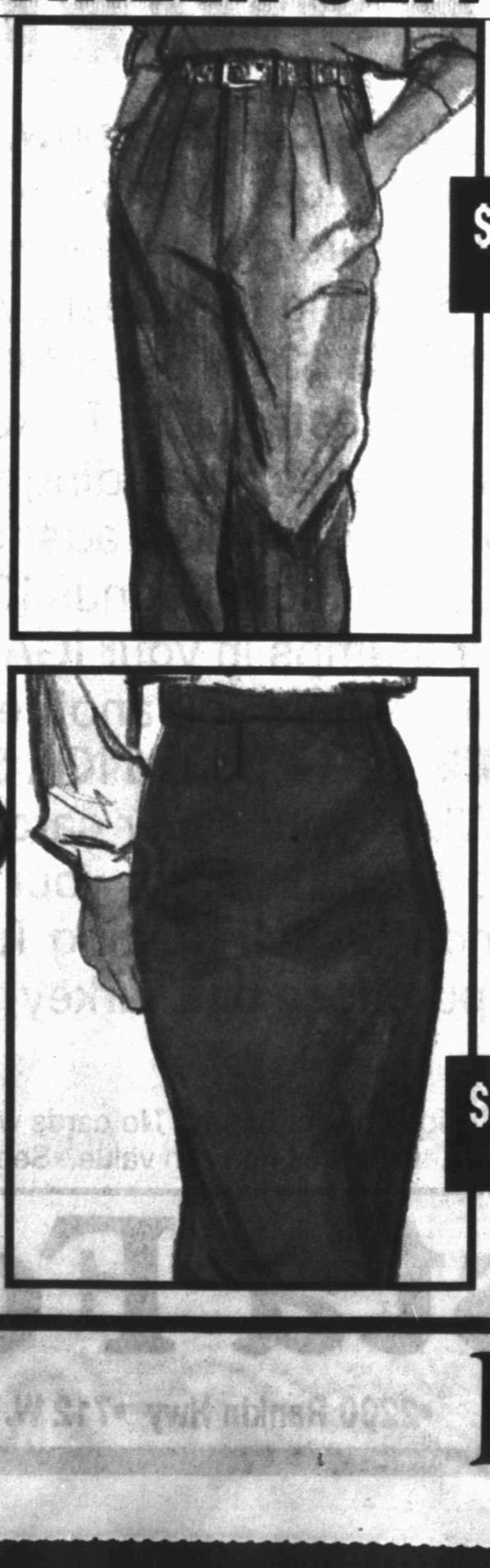
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DAY WATCH

Support group

The Homicide Survivor Support Group will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Law Enforcement Building, 400 S. Main St. For more information call 688-8909.

Execution

HUNTSVILLE — Ex-attorney George Lott, whose sudden shooting spree two years ago in the Tarrant County Courthouse left two people dead and three others wounded, quietly went to his death early Tuesday. Lott, 47, spurned legal help that may have saved his life and was executed just after midnight. He had represented himself at his trial and in his appeals but filed no motions in the courts./**3B**

Crime spree

GARLAND — Three teen-agers were in custody Tuesday after a crime spree that included a carjacking in Dallas and the severe pistol-whipping of a trooper near Hillsboro. Garland police ended the string of crimes Monday night by shooting one of the youths and arresting the other two./**4B**

TODAY'S AGENDA

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

Survivors of Incest Anonymous, 7 p.m., 408 S "G" St., 561-9731.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Midland Apartment Association, general meeting, 11:30 a.m., Furr's Cafeteria, 686-0203.

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

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

Downtown Lions Club, noon, Midland Center.

Midland Country Women's Golf Association, 9 a.m.

West Side Optimist Club, noon, Granada Club.

Ladies Auxiliary, Tall City VFW Post No. 7208, 8 p.m., VFW Hall.

Modern Study Club, 1:30 p.m., Midland Woman's Club.

Texas State Guard Headquarters Fourth MP Group, 8 p.m., Texas National Guard Armory.

Midland Hispanic Chamber Women's Department, 5:30 p.m., 683-2194.

Eagles Permain Aerie No. 2982, 8 p.m., Aerie Home, Brinson Lane.

Midland Genealogical Society, volunteers help beginners, 1-4 p.m., Midland County Public Library

Men's Bible Study, 11:30 a.m., ClayDesta Towers, 10 Desta Drive, Suite 130, 683-1370, 683-5610

Downtown Bible study, 11:30 a.m., 312 E. Illinois Ave., 682-3415.

SAA — Reflections, 560-5240. The meetings are closed.

Duplicate bridge, 7 p.m., Allison Bridge Center, 682-4461.

THURSDAY

The Permian Basin Stamp Club will conduct its monthly swap meet and stamp auction at 7:30 p.m. at the General Mail Facility, Midland International Airport. Visitors welcome. Call Mike Cherrington at 699-0202 for more information.

Tall City Toastmasters Club, 11:30 a.m., Permian Basin Graduate Center, 697-0378.

Flatlanders Toastmasters Club, Chevron Bldg., 15 Smith Rd., 11:30-12:30 p.m., 687-7286.

Goal setting workshop, Mr. Gatti's (party room 1), 3205 W. Cuthbert Ave., noon, 570-4533.

Survivors Group for Sexual Abuse, Rape, Incest Victims, 6 p.m., Glenwood Hospital, 3300 South FM 1788, 563-1200.

Northside Lions Club 7:30 a.m., Plaza Club in Claydesta, 694-5624.

Texas tests welfare program

■ State hopes to replace food stamps with a credit card for needy families.

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

A preliminary pilot program in Houston is a test bed for a project to reform one of Texas' largest welfare programs, replacing food stamps with a kind of credit card for food purchases.

The Lone Star Card allows needy families to purchase food items without the existing government food stamps, that constitute a very misused form of government assistance.

With this system, benefits can be transferred electronically, eliminating time-consuming paperwork for grocery retailers and cutting down on the high costs of administering the food stamp program, printing food stamps and distributing those coupons, according to Texas Comptroller John Sharp.

The Lone Star Card will be used by a specific recipient of the benefits. Food will be purchased through stores equipped with "point of sale terminals," where the card is scanned and the recipient enters a personal identification number. The client's food stamp account is then electronically debited the purchase amount, Sharp said.

The Houston-area programs are being used to work out the details of a scheduled statewide implementation and are not experimental pilot programs per se, according to Pat Addision, Abilene regional electronic benefits transfer coordinator for the West Texas area.

"We're not calling it a pilot, it's called a shakedown area," Ms. Addison said.

The Midland area is slated to receive the new program in October of 1995, said Gail Wells of Big Spring, who manages the food stamp program in 17 West Tex-

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Assuming role

Cpt. Mark Johnson, left, accepts the Lubbock Recruiting Company flag from Lt. Col. Donna Kenley, Battalion Commander of the Dallas Station. Johnson is assuming the role of the Lubbock company, which was formerly the Midland-Odessa Recruiting Company. It will be relocating to Lubbock in the near future. Outgoing commander Cpt. Alvin Allen, right, looks on.

Defense seeks to knock holes in state's case

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Defense attorneys in the capital murder trial of Michael Blair spent Monday attempting to knock holes in the state's case during testimony at the Midland County Courthouse.

Moved here from Collin County because of excessive publicity in the Dallas area, the case involves the murder of a seven-year-old girl in September of 1993. Blair is accused of kidnapping and murdering the North Dallas girl.

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A Plano identification technician, Daniel Rhodes, testified that he had been ordered to change his testimony in the case by his supervisor, Ben Armstrong. Rhodes testified that he was ordered to alter his initial report because it contained "too much detail and he (Armstrong) didn't want the defense getting it," he said.

Armstrong, however, testified that he never instructed anyone to change testimony or alter evidence.

Rhodes testified that he refused to alter testimony and was then threatened. "I was told, if we lost this case, I'd be out of a job," he said.

Rhodes was one of many technicians and officers to work the area where victim Ashley Estell's body was found.

"We have shown a strong possibility of contamination of the crime scene and the defendant's car," defense attorney Don McDermitt said.

Serious questions were raised about the credibility of some of the state's witnesses as well, McDermitt said.

Prosecuting attorneys have built a case based on numerous sightings of Blair at key areas at times appropriate to the chronology of events in the girl's murder. In addition, in Blair's car police found candy and stuffed animals, as well as newspaper clippings about the missing girl and three hairs matching the victim.

McDermitt has argued that hair matches are not as unique as fingerprints or DNA testing, he said.

Defense is expected to continue presenting their case the rest of the week.

MC renames south facility after Midlander

■ Board votes to name facility Midland College Cogdell South Facility after businessman Bill Cogdell who donated property, buildings.

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

The Midland College board of trustees voted unanimously Tuesday to rename the college's south facility after the Midland man who donated the property and buildings at 201 W. Florida Ave.

The facility was renamed the Midland College Cogdell South Facility after businessman Bill Cogdell. The facility — a complex consisting of two main buildings and a 900-square-foot storage building — is the former location of Cogdell's financial investment business.

"His heart has been huge in this regard," Midland College President David Daniel said. "He has clearly demonstrated his interest in expanding the educational opportunities to students in this area."

The facility houses the college's Business and Economic Center, with GED Preparation and English-As-A-Second-Language classes set to begin on Oct. 19. GED classes will be taught from 6:30-9 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday and ESL will be taught at the same time on Monday and Wednesday.

In other business, the board approved several new personnel appointments. Included in Tuesday's roster were Fred Wetendorf, Environmental Technology; Kerry L. Coombs, Veterinary Technology; Cheri Hensley, Project Director of Tech Prep; Fitz Husbands, Curriculum Specialist for Tech Prep; Kurt Shedeck and Anthony Smith, Automotive Technology; Beverly Pritchard, coordinator of Health Sciences Continuing Education; and Regina Pairish, Vocational Nursing at the Fort Stockton facility.

The board also approved the appointment of Henri de Campiegne to the Midland College Foundation Board.

Annual book, Trash-to-Treasure Sale to begin Oct. 13

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Books, mostly old and used and yearning to be recycled, will be for sale at bargain prices at the 27th annual Friends of the Library's Book Sale from Oct. 13-16 in the Midland County Exhibit Building east of town.

Meanwhile, members of the Friends are still collecting books, and Midland Genealogical Society members are rounding up salable and salvageable "junk" for the society's Trash-to-Treasure Sale at the Friends' Book Sale.

Proceeds benefit the Midland County Public Library.

"All you have to do is walk around the library and see the results of all those book sales," noted County Librarian Sandra Wegner. "And the Friends aren't through yet."

Last year, the Friends grossed about $25,000 — a record in sales since the Friends' first book sale in 1968.

Proceeds are converted to library equipment, decor, art prints and furniture.

"We are very fortunate to have such fine Friends," Ms. Wegner said. "Not all libraries are so blessed."

Funds from the Trash-to-Treasure Sale go toward buying books and films for the library's John and Rosalind Redfern Genealogical Research Center.

"It has grown tremendously over the last few years," Ms. Wegner said of the library's genealogy section. "It's a tourist attraction, except all the tourists are interested in genealogy."

Genealogist Donna Perrigo, who heads up the Trash-to-Treasure Sale, noted that "Somebody's trash is somebody else's treasure.

"We have got antiques and collectibles and just plain junk," Ms. Perrigo said. "We don't have a stove this year so far" but people are still donating items for the sale. "There's always something for everybody — always."

Those who wish to donate their surplus goods for the sale may telephone Ms. Perrigo at 699-1561.

Last year, the society earned more than $2,000 in the sale.

"We spent the whole shebang," Ms. Perrigo said.

For the annual Book Sale, Friends member Mary Hughes estimated that approximately 50,000 hardback and paperback books will be on sale mostly at $1 for two hardbacks and $1 for four paperbacks. Volumes deemed "Better Books" will be selling for $1 up to $50 each depending on their condition, rarity and value to the collector and reader.

"We've got more books than we've ever had," Ms. Hughes said.

The Friends accept donated books each Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon at the downtown West Building at 491 N. Colorado St. off the Ohio Avenue entrance.

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Texas schools huddle over game security

Associated Press

Freshman Antonio Gonzales was enjoying a favorite Texas pastime — high school football — when the bullet struck him in the back.

A random shot from a .380-caliber semiautomatic pierced his kidney and liver, as well as any confidence Beaumont school officials had in their ability to keep players and fans safe.

The next day's game between the varsity squads of Galveston Ball-Beaumont Central was played in the light of the afternoon and in an empty, closed stadium. How security for future games will be handled has not yet been dealt with.

"Our initial reaction is to get through the crisis," said Sheila Lidstone, spokeswoman for the Galveston Independent School District. "Now we're meeting and looking at what kind of security measures, if any, to take."

The fact that Gonzales was injured by a gun fired from outside the cyclone fence surrounding Beaumont's Babe Zaharias Memorial Stadium causes as much concern as relief, as it was not an incident that could have necessarily been prevented by metal detectors.

"We'll continue to examine (metal detectors) as a tool," Ms. Lidstone said. "My feeling is that you're not going to see that right away here. We're very well staffed at the games in Galveston. We link up with the local police. We just don't

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'There are some crazy people out there, and you don't know what to expect anymore, said Ronny White, athletics director of the Fort Worth school system. 'We have to protect our children and fans.' Fort Worth's decision was prompted by the confiscations of weapons in area schools over the past few years.

DEATHS

Virginia Walters

BAYTOWN — Services for Virginia Walters, 59, of Baytown, are set for 3 p.m. today at the Navarre Chapel with Bill Ehlig and David Smith officiating. Burial will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Resthaven Memorial Park North in Midland with Navarre Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Walters died Saturday at a Baytown hospital.

She was born July 6, 1935, in Pecos. She was a homemaker and a member of the Missouri Street Church of Christ.

She is survived by her husband, Gordon Walters of Baytown; one son, David Glenn of Saudi Arabia; her mother, Charlsie Graham Teague of Pecos; one brother, John F. Teague of Pecos; one sister, Valera Gatewood of Pecos; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father, William F. Teague and a brother, William Teague.

Bonnie Brooks

Services for Bonnie F. Brooks, 67, of Midland are pending with Midland Funeral Home.

Mrs. Brooks died Monday at her residence.

Robert Williams

Memorial services for Robert Williams, a former Midland resident, will be held at 2 p.m. today at the Fairview Congregation of the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 505 W. Parker.

Williams died Friday in Houston.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lethea.

Survivors include one sister; one step-brother; and six grandchildren.

Alan Antweil

FORT WORTH — Services for Alan Joel Antweil, 66, of Midland are set for 11 a.m. Thursday in the Chapel at Robertson Mueller Harper in Fort Worth with Rabbi Sidney Zimelman and Cantor Charles Korn officiating. Interment will follow in Ahavath Sholom Cemetery.

Casket bearers will be Larry Anton, J.Y. Golden, L.G. "Buddy" Gilbert, Sam Shanblum and Dr. Sergio Rybka.

Honorary bearers will be Charles Anton, Milton Hamill, Bill Willey, R.M. Williams, Bob Davis, Paul Cooter and Lyle Walker.

Antweil died Monday in Scottsdale, Ariz.

Antweil, a native of Fort Worth and a former resident of Hobbs, N.M., was an independent oil and gas producer and a member of Congregation Ahavath Sholom. He was past president of the American Petroleum Institute of New Mexico, past president of the New Mexico Independent Producers Association, and a member of the Foundation Board of the University of New Mexico.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Frances Ginsberg Antweil of Midland; his daughter, Julie Antweil Silverman of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sons, Barry Antweil of Hobbs and Mark Antweil of Boca Raton, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

For religious reasons, the family requests no flowers be sent. However, if friends desire, donations may be made to the Robert Anton Memorial Landscape Fund of Congregation Ahavath Sholom or donate plasma to their local blood banks.

James Quinn

Services for James I. Quinn of Midland will be at 1 p.m. today at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lucian Rudd officiating. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Hico Cemetery in Hico. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Quinn died Monday at his residence.

He was born April 27, 1915, in DeLeon. He worked as chief custodian for the Midland Independent School District and was a member of Ranchland Heights Baptist Church since 1957.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Langston Quinn of Midland; a son, Raymond Scott Watson of Stillwater, Okla.; a daughter, Sharon Ann Matney of Midland; a brother, Alton Quinn of Midland; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Dorothy Elmore

Graveside services for Dorothy Free Elmore of Midland will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Resthaven Memorial Park with Don Mitchell officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Elmore died Monday at her residence.

She was born April 14, 1915, in Abilene, where she graduated from Abilene High School in 1933. She married J.L. Elmore on April 21, 1934, in Breckenridge. She moved to Andrews in 1945 and Midland in 1966.

Survivors include her husband, J.L. Elmore of Midland; two daughters, Betty Lowther of Houston and Jane Huestis of Midland; a sister, Lorraine Fulwiler of Abilene; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Hattie Thomasson

Services for Hattie Thomasson, formerly of Midland, have been set for 3 p.m. today at Faith Baptist Church in Abilene. Burial will follow at Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene under the direction of North's Funeral Home. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of local arrangements.

Mrs. Thomasson died Monday in a Midland nursing care center.

She was born Nov. 22, 1901, in Erath County. She had been a resident of Abilene for 54 years, but recently had moved to Midland. She had also lived in Fort Worth, Odessa and Big Spring.

She married Marvin M. Thomasson in 1940 in Roswell, N.M. She had been a longtime member of Faith Baptist Church in Abilene.

She was preceded in death by her husband; a son, Jerry L. Spires; a grandson; four brothers and several nieces and nephews.

Survivors include one son, Truman E. (Gene) Spires of Midland; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to Foreign Missions, Faith Baptist Church, 2300 S. 20th Street, Abilene, 79605.

Rose Shamblin

Memorial services for Rose Shamblin, 77, are set for 3 p.m. Saturday at the Ellis Chapel with Randy Fenter officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Shamblin died Tuesday at her Midland home following a lengthy illness.

She was born May 31, 1917, in Newark, N.J. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Tronolone. Mrs. Shamblin graduated from Montclair State College in New Jersey and received her master's degree from West Texas State University.

She married W.E. Shamblin on July 3, 1943, in Orange, N.J. She taught in public schools in New Jersey and taught 24 years in the Midland Independent School District. She was a member of the Texas State Teachers Association and the Midland Classroom Teachers Association.

Mrs. Shamblin attended Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Diane White of Kermit and Gay Shamblin of Midland; two sisters, Nettie Andriolo of West Orange, N.J., and Lou Hill of Lavallette, N.J.; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to Golf Course Road Church of Christ, 3500 W. Golf Course Road, Midland, 79703; or Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

Jerlene Garnett

Services for Jerlene Garnett, 62, are pending with Bill Thomas Funeral Home.

Garnett died Monday at a local hospital following a brief illness.

Harlan Hoyt

Services for Harlan K. Hoyt of Midland have been set for 3 p.m. today at Ellis Chapel with Ed Weidler, chaplain for Manor Park, officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.


Hoyt

Hoyt died Monday at a local care center.

He was born July 1, 1912, in Barry, Ill., where he attended public schools. He graduated from the University of Missouri-Rolla in 1935 with a degree in mechanical engineering. Following graduation, he worked for Commonwealth Edison Co., in Chicago for 34 years in research, operating, training of U.S. and foreign engineers, and administration capacities in the nuclear field.

Hoyt was manager of the Dresden Nuclear Power Station near Morris, Ill., from its inception in 1955, employing 150 personnel.

He retired in 1973 as manager of production of all of Edison's nuclear facilities of which the seven units employed 1,500 personnel. Nuclear energy officials from around the world, including France, Japan, Russia and Italy, visited the plant. Hundreds of other dignitaries including President and Mrs. Richard Nixon visited.

The successful operation and research at the first Dresden Unit created a new engineering discipline in the production of electricity. In 1943, Hoyt became a licensed professional engineer with the state of Illinois. In 1961 the University of Missouri awarded him the Professional Engineers' Degree of Mechanical Engineer for his accomplishments in the field of nuclear energy.

In 1962 he was elevated to "fellow" in the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He and his wife, Ruth, retired to Carlsbad, N.M., becoming active in the Riverside Country Club, Boys' Club of America, Lions International, the Chamber of Commerce and Elks. He was a 50-year member of the Masonic Lodge of Hull, Ill. He moved to Midland in 1987.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Hoyt of Midland; a sister, Freda Alkire of Woodstock, Ill.; one grand niece and one grand-nephew.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, 79702; or to the charity of one's choice, or flowers.

POLICE REPORTS

Accident

HOWARD COUNTY — A two-vehicle accident north of Big Spring Tuesday killed two Wichita Falls residents.

According to a Department of Public Safety report, a 1992 Ford pickup, driven by Harry Freeman Smith, 68, of Wichita Falls, was westbound on Highway 350 about seven miles north of Big Spring at about 1:40 p.m.

A truck tractor pulling a 1978 trailer and driven by Calbert Alvin Penn III was eastbound on the highway when, for unknown reasons, the pickup swerved into the eastbound lane. The tractor took evasive action and swerved to the right. The pickup hit the tractor head-on the eastbound shoulder.

The report stated that Smith and 68-year-old Marjorie Watson, a passenger in the pickup, were pronounced dead at the scene. Penn was treated and released at Scenic Mountain Hospital in Big Spring.

Tuesday

Burglary of a Building: George Rose reported bottles of valium, morphine, demerol and other narcotics were taken from a locked cabinet at the emergency room at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, 2200 W. Illinois Ave. The incident was reported at 6:14 a.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Ron Vanmeter reported a vehicle burglary at Ron's Engines, 401 N. Terrell St., at 7:19 a.m.

Vandalism: Mike Goddell reported a windshield smashed on a vehicle at 3417 N. Midland Drive at 8:09 a.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: James White reported various tools, valued at $1,500, were taken from a vehicle at White's Industrial, 804 S. Terrell St., at 8:56 a.m.

If anyone has information on the preceding incidents, please contact the Midland Police Department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

BENEFIT: 'Friends' to hold book sale

(From 1B)

And next week, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday, Sept. 26-30, the Friends will stage a book drive at the West Building.

"We are just inundated each Wednesday," Ms. Hughes said. "We are getting a lot of oil books."

Books that are reflective of just about every discipline will be in the sale.

Books and sets of books are being donated by individuals, companies, estates, college and high-school libraries, and books stores, including Pages & Prints and Miz B's Books, Ms. Hughes said. Among donated volumes are fiction, biographies, children books, encyclopedias, how-to and how-to-fix-up-things books and cook books.

The annual sale will begin at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 13, at the three-hour early-bird sale. Admission is $2 per person.

Thereafter, admission is free.

On Friday, Oct. 14, the sale hours are from noon to 9 p.m., and Saturday, Oct. 15, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

On the closing day, Sunday, Oct. 16, book prices will be reduced to half-price for Better Books and to a dollar per yard for other books that are stacked cover to cover.

Last-day sale hours are 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

REPLACE: Texas tests new welfare program

(From 1B)

as counties including Midland.

Grocery retailers are expected to save more than enough money to offset the cost of installing terminals. Many large chains are already electronically compatible with the system, Ms. Addison said.

For smaller "mom and pop" grocery stores that are currently approved to accept food stamps, there will be assistance available for helping to purchase the terminals, Ms. Addison said.

Since there are no exchangeable certificates changing hands in the new system, this new program will put an end to robberies and mail theft that have plagued some food stamp recipients, Sharp said.

In addition, food stamps are becoming equivalent to cash in the illegal drug trade, with narcotics officers seizing large amounts of food stamps along with drugs and money, according to Sharp.

The new program will be jointly administered by the Texas Department of Human Services and the GTECH company contracted to manage the program's technical aspects, Sharp said.

Approval still must be obtained from the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services before the program can replace food stamps. "But we don't expect either hurdle to delay the program start-up," Sharp said.

When fully implemented in 1996, the program will service 1.2 million Texans and more than 16,000 retail outlets.

If successful, the program will be expanded at a later date to include such programs as unemployment compensation, child support and rehabilitation assistance to the disabled, according to Sharp.

Comptroller's office to file liens against Texas lawyers

Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — State Comptroller John Sharp said Tuesday his office will file liens against about 850 Texas lawyers, including 10 from Midland-Odessa, who consistently have failed to pay the state's annual $200 occupation tax.

"Lawyers are sworn to uphold the law. But they shouldn't place themselves above it," Sharp said. He said the tax, penalty and interest owed by the lawyers total about $650,000.

Counties and cities will attach the liens to property owned by the lawyers and will release them only when the delinquent taxes are paid.

Sharp said the procedure, which he called "Operation: Make 'Em Pay," was just the first step in a process that could include seizing bank accounts and other collection methods.

Midland lawyers on Sharp's list were James H. Eubank, Bruce Evan Foster, Larry McMillian, Alan G. Moravcik, Ray P. Moudy, Edward L. Shelby and Walter Eugene Stack Jr.

Each owes the state $801.27, which means they have not paid the occupation tax since it was approved by the Legislature in 1991 and it went into effect in 1992. Lively owes $671.71.

Odessa lawyers on the list, and their tax liabilities, were Carson F. Grimm, $578.25; Rhonda Thornton Grimm, $578.24; and Alfredo A. Soza, $671.71.

Sharp said his office is checking the addresses of another 1,600 lawyers and will place liens against their property if his office confirms they have dodged paying the tax for the past three years.

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Jack L. Craft

Funeral services for Jack L. Craft, 72, of Brownwood were held 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel in Brownwood. Rev. Robert J. Elkins, Dr. Don Newbury, and Sid Grant officiated. Interment was at Eastlawn Memorial Park in Brownwood.

He died 3:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 18 at Brownwood Regional Medical Center after a 6-week illness.

He was born March 19, 1922 in Crafton, Texas.

He married Dora Faye Lackey on June 6, 1942 in Floydada.

Jack was reared in Floydada, graduating from High School in 1939. He enlisted in the Navy on November 3, 1942, and served as a Torpedoman's Second Class aboard the USS Nerus during World War II, receiving an Honorable Discharge December 8, 1945. Jack worked for the Magnolia Agency in Santa Fe, N.M. as Office Manager until 1950. He moved to Midland in 1950 and for the next 33 years worked for the Western Company of N.A. in Midland, Odessa, and Fort Worth, retiring as Senior Purchasing Agent in 1983. Jack was active in Little League, Past President of Robert E. Lee High School Band Boosters, and during his retirement was an active supporter and chaperone of the Howard Payne golf team.

He is survived by his wife, Faye Craft of Brownwood; two sons and daughters-in-law: Kenneth and Letty Craft of Midland, and Richard and Hettie Craft of Houston; daughter Waverly Craft of Midland; four granddaughters: Shay Elliott of Midland, Nicole Craft of Washington, D.C., Reagan Craft of Houston and Courtney Craft of Houston; and two sisters: Clara Mae Jetton of San Antonio and Nita Lou Adams of Floydada.

The family requests memorials be made to the Jack Craft Scholarship Fund of Howard Payne University, 100 Fisk Ave., Brownwood, Tx. 76801.

SAFE: Texas to look at stadium security

(From 1B)

have incidents at our (home) football games."

Gonzales, a member of the Galveston Ball "B" freshman team was still in uniform Thursday and sitting the stands to watching the "A" teams play when he was struck.

About 20 percent of one kidney was removed and the liver was repaired. He was in good condition at University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston on Tuesday, Ms. Lidstone said.

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Fort Worth's decision was prompted by the confiscations of weapons in area schools over the past few years.



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Texas executes ex-attorney for shooting spree

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Ex-attorney George Lott, whose sudden shooting spree two years ago in the Tarrant County Courthouse left two people dead and three others wounded, quietly went to his death early Tuesday.

Lott, 47, spurned legal help that may have saved his life and was executed just after midnight. He had represented himself at his trial and in his appeals but filed no motions in the courts.

"I want all of these cases to be reviewed appropriately," Drew Durham, an assistant attorney general who witnessed the execution, said. "But Mr. Lott made his choice. And he died with his choice."

His execution — just 18 months after arriving on the Texas death row — marked the shortest time a Texas inmate had spent on death row before the punishment was carried out. The average prison time for the 81 convicted killers put to death since the state resumed capital punishment in 1982 is 8½ years.

Lott had no final statement, responding with a simple "No" when asked by Warden Morris Jones if he had anything to say.

His execution was the 10th this year in Texas.

As has become the routine for most Texas executions, only one death penalty opponent carried a candle outside the Walls Unit prison in downtown Huntsville. He was joined by about 50 curious students from nearby Sam Houston University. Their presence was dwarfed by cheers from inmates inside the prison watching a Dallas Cowboys Monday night football game.

Lott spent part of his last day visiting with his mother and sister and a minister. As they met, the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals rejected a petition from the Austin-based Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, which sought a review of whether Lott, a University of Texas law school graduate, indeed was competent to represent himself and waive appeals.

"It's regretful and sad," said Chip Wilkinson, who handles capital murder appeals for the Tarrant County District Attorney's office. "The sentence should be carried out."

Chris Marshall, 41, one of the men killed by Lott, was Wilkinson's boss.

"I have no sense of satisfaction," said Clyde Ashworth, 71, a judge shot and seriously wounded during the gunfire July 1, 1992. "It's a shame his life has been wasted as well as the lives of those he killed and those who have been affected by those deaths. It's just a shame all the way around."

Lott walked into a Tarrant County Courthouse courtroom that morning, sat down for a while, then stood and began firing his 9 mm handgun. He shot at least 17 times before fleeing the building and surrendering later in the day at a Dallas television station.

He told the station he wanted to draw attention to wrongs allegedly done to him by the legal system during a divorce and in a child-molesting charge.

Man holds four hostages for 7 hours at restaurant

UNIVERSAL CITY (AP) — A 23-year-old man was in Bexar County Jail Tuesday after he held four people hostage for seven hours inside a pizza restaurant, officials said.

Michael Anderson was being held on $125,000 bond on one count of aggravated robbery and four counts of aggravated kidnapping, officials said.

The standoff at a Little Caesar's Pizza restaurant in this San Antonio suburb began shortly after 10:30 p.m. Sunday and concluded peacefully about seven hours later.

"From my understanding, he (suspect) had the employees fix him something to eat at different times," Universal City police Lt. Ron Meek said.

Meek identified the hostages as a male employee, a female co-manager, a 22-year-old male customer and a 19-year-old female customer.

Police Lt. Charles Dewey said that at one point, the gunman became so frustrated that he tore up all of the money he had taken in the robbery that triggered the standoff.

"He said if he couldn't have the money, no one could," Dewey said, adding that officers believe the amount totaled between $1,000 and $2,000. "He ripped it into little shreds."

The man fired one shot to attract attention of police, but no one was injured.

Sgt. Gary W. Speer, a hostage negotiator for the Universal City Police Department, convinced the man to release all hostages unharmed and then surrender, Dewey said.

Beach cleanup turns up trash, car, bones

AUSTIN (AP) — Volunteers who cleaned up Texas beaches this past weekend found everything from the everyday plastic trash to an entire Pontiac.

The 11,208 volunteers collected 167.1 tons during the three-hour Saturday cleanup, the General Land Office reported Monday.

That included a Pontiac Fiero hauled in on North Padre Island near Corpus Christi. Officials said the car likely was a stolen car that had been ditched.

Also found in Saturday's cleanup was a plastic bag full of small bones, a television set, discarded appliances, file cabinets and more.

A set of bed springs was found on the Bolivar Peninsula, while bed frames were found on Mustang Island, along with a 6-foot grocery store shelf and 500 pounds of roofing shingles.

The semiannual cleanups have been removing trash from Texas beaches since 1987. During that time, 139,508 volunteers have picked up 2,849.1 tons of debris.

Land Commissioner Garry Mauro said that the national Center for Marine Conservation reported last week that ocean dumping is down worldwide.

However, he said, "Our totals for this cleanup show that Texas still faces the problem of dumping in the Gulf of Mexico by shipping. And part of that debris — litter, pesticides, motor oil and yard wastes that go down storm drains — finds its way into rivers and lakes and winds up in the Gulf on our beaches."

Cleanup officials said a growing problem is illegal dumping of old appliances and construction materials that should be going to landfills.

"Our volunteers are finding roofing material, paint supplies, cardboard scrap, tires, barrels, as well as the appliances that people dump," Mauro said.

A number of volunteers found medical wastes with no labels to trace the material back to its source, officials said.

Mauro said Texas beaches generate more than $7 billion a year from tourists who visit them.

"Texans need to be reminded that it is their beach — whether they are a private citizen or a contractor doing business in the coastal community," he said. "It's not a free place to dump their trash in an irresponsible manner."

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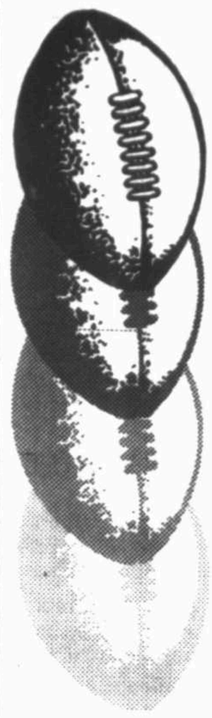
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GARLAND (AP) — Three teen-agers were in custody Tuesday after a crime spree that included a carjacking in Dallas and the severe pistol-whipping of a trooper near Hillsboro.

Garland police ended the string of crimes Monday night by shooting one of the youths and arresting the other two.

Officers spotted a car that matched the description of the one used during the assault on the trooper earlier in the evening. As they approached it at a train crossing, one suspect stepped out and pointed a gun at them, said officer Larry Rollins.

The officers fired, hitting the gunman, who was identified as 18-year-old Christian Esquivel of Devine. He was in serious condition Tuesday at Baylor University Medical Center, Rollins said.

Ruben Deleon, 17, of Garland, was being held in the Hill County Jail, said Hill County sheriff's Lt. William Kelley. A 16-year-old juvenile from Devine was in the Dallas County Juvenile Detention Center, Rollins said.

Kelley said the Sheriff's Department obtained warrants Monday night for the arrests of all three teen-agers on charges of aggravated assault on a peace officer for the beating of trooper Doug Childs.

Charges with other jurisdictions were pending, officers said.

DPS spokeswoman Laureen Chernow said Childs, 34, of Whitney suffered serious head injuries, including a skull fracture and a broken cheek and nose. However, his prognosis was good after several hours of surgery Tuesday morning at Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth, she said.

Childs apparently was beaten with his own weapon after he stopped the teen-agers about 8:30 p.m. Monday just south of the split between east and west Interstate 35.

"When they arrested the three suspects they did find a firearm, but I do not know if that was the trooper's or not," she said.

Columbus ships hit rough waters

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Three replicas of the ships Christopher Columbus sailed to the New World have hit rough waters.

The Spain '92 Foundation, a Washington, D.C.-based group that helped bring the ships to the United States, is accusing the financially troubled Las Carabelas Columbus Fleet Association of mismanagement and breach of contract.

"We are most displeased and wholeheartedly disagree with this drift from the agreement," wrote Rafael Mazarrasa, president of the Spain '92 Foundation in a Sept. 13 letter to Rick Stryker, fleet association president.

Spain and the fleet association agreed in April 1993 to allow the ships to be displayed in Corpus Christi for the next 50 years. Spain '92 is a partner in the exhibit.

Stryker downplayed the rift, saying the two groups are fighting for the same goal: to put the ships in a safe, visible location.

"We've got some significant problems, and we've got to figure them out," Stryker said.

The fleet association says its financial problems are driven by high maintenance costs of the ships, difficulty raising money and an April barge accident that damaged the Pinta and Santa Maria.

The damage led to a 38 percent drop in attendance during the summer, according to the fleet association.

But Mazarrasa was skeptical.

"None of the woes that you report, neither solely nor combined, explain the deviations from the original plans," Mazarrasa said in the letter, excerpts of which were published Tuesday in the Corpus Christi Caller-Times. "From a legal standpoint, according to our lawyers, this constitutes a breach of contract."

Mazarrasa's letter does not threaten to take the ships out of Corpus Christi. But he has said that he will consider other offers if the problems can't be worked out.

The fleet association is looking into a plan to move two of the ships from a Port Authority cargo dock where the ships currently operate as a floating museum.

Under the plan, the Pinta and the Santa Maria would be moved to repair damage caused by the out-of-control barge.

Mazarrasa said splitting up the ships would "put an end to the Fleet's cohesion, thus destroying its public appeal and adversely affecting revenues."

Mazarrasa also said the plan differs from the original agreement and proposal that Corpus Christi sent to Spain, which said a permanent site for the replicas could be between the Texas State Aquarium and the Lexington Museum on the Bayfront.

"Much to my dismay ... the Fleet ended up provisionally moored at the busy commercial harbor, under a huge bridge and virtually concealed from public view," Mazarrasa wrote.

Stryker said putting the ships between the aquarium and the Lexington is still a possibility.

The fleet association agreed to pay $1.6 million to Spain, which retains ownership of the vessels. The association owes $1.4 million on the loans that it took out for the deal.

And it will be broke by the end of the month — at the same time it faces maintenance and repair costs and off-season tourism months, according to Dusty Durrill, chairman of the fleet association's board.

Gov. Ann Richards has prepared a letter of support for the fleet association to pursue grants, and business groups are forming a task force to study the problems.

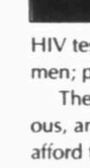
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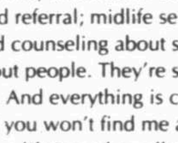
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Exercise may inhibit breast cancer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Women who exercise an average of four hours a week over the course of their childbearing years run almost a 60 percent lower risk of breast cancer, according to a study.

"Four hours of exercise per week is not difficult," said Leslie Bernstein, a professor of preventive medicine at the University of Southern California School of Medicine and the study's chief author. "Even one to three hours of physical exercise per week reduces a woman's risk of breast cancer by about 30 percent."

The findings appear in Wednesday's issue of the Journal of the National Cancer Institute.

They were drawn from surveys of 1,090 Los Angeles County women 40 and younger — 545 with newly diagnosed breast cancer and 545 without the disease. The study analyzed the women's exercise habits since they began menstruating.

The risk of breast cancer among those who averaged four hours of exercise a week since menstruation was 58 percent lower than that of women who did no exercise at all.

For younger women, Bernstein said, it's not too late to start exercising. She said the determining factor for women in the study was how much exercise they did when it was averaged out over their childbearing years.

The study did not prescribe any particular sport or type of exercise. But among the activities reported by the women surveyed were individual or team sports, dance or exercise classes, swimming, jogging and working out at the gym.

"I think this is an extremely exciting study," said Dr. Susan M. Love, director of the University of California at Los Angeles Breast Center. "This is the kind of prevention we need. This is lifestyle changes instead of drugs."

Promoting exercise in young women "will not only prevent breast cancer, but osteoporosis and heart disease," said Love, author of "Dr. Susan Love's Breast Book."

The researchers speculated that exercise may protect by altering the production of the ovarian hormones estrogen and progesterone during menstrual cycles. Other research has shown that vigorous athletics can delay the onset of menstruation and halt ovulation in some women. A woman's cumulative exposure to the sex hormones is believed to be associated with breast cancer risk.

Love suggested other mechanisms may be at work. "It may be that (exercise) decreases body fat and increases muscle mass. We know women with a higher percentage of body fat have a higher incidence of breast cancer," she said.

But Bernstein said she observed no association between breast cancer risk and the body mass and body fat of her study subjects.

Bernstein, a researcher at the USC-Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center, said the results intensified her concerns about how sedentary American girls have become. A 1990 study showed fewer than 40 percent of high school junior and senior girls were enrolled in physical education classes; only 20 percent of that group participated in vigorous activity three or more times weekly.

"Our results strongly support the need for educational school policies that require participation in physical education classes that encourage lifelong participation in exercise programs," Bernstein said.

Dr. Clark Heath, vice president for epidemiology at the American Cancer Society in Atlanta, said, "The idea of exercise having this effect has been postulated in other people's data, but I don't know of any other study that appears to have such clear findings."

The study, supported by the National Cancer Institute and California Department of Health Services, comes a week after researchers reported isolating a gene that causes an inherited form of breast cancer. Inherited forms account for only 5 percent of all breast cancer cases.

Each year, 180,000 American women develop breast cancer; 46,000 die.

Senator focuses on cattle mutilations

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — Sen. Pete Domenici has offered federal help for a state investigation of mysterious cattle mutilations in northern New Mexico.

Domenici, R-N.M., spoke with ranchers and at least one state brand inspector while in New Mexico earlier this month. On Monday he offered to help brand inspectors who say something other than predators is cutting into the livestock.

"We don't know who's doing it or why they're doing it, but we know for sure it's not predators," said John Wortman, executive director of the New Mexico Livestock Board.

He said more than two dozen mutilations have been reported this summer, most near Taos, Chama and Raton. The sex organs, anus and sometimes the tongue have been removed in the mutilations.

The livestock board has been conducting an investigation the past month.

Domenici asked the board for a report on the status and progress of its investigation.

Domenici pledges federal help for probe into mysterious New Mexico mutilations.

"I asked them to indicate to us in this report if they needed any outside resources," Domenici said in a news release. "I am prepared to ask the federal government to make available whatever resources are necessary."

Brand inspectors are state employees hired by the Livestock Board for their experience and familiarity with livestock. They must attend the New Mexico Law Enforcement Academy. There are 51 armed inspectors and four supervisors representing all areas of the state.

"If the ranchers and the brand inspectors can't tell the difference between a mutilation and what's done by a predator, I don't know who can," Wortman said.

He said he will confer with Domenici after the livestock board's report is prepared.

"We're not making any requests yet," he said.

Wortman said people have suggested a cult or a UFO are behind the mutilations.

He said brand inspectors have examined suspicious carcasses "fairly soon after the cattle were killed."

He said there have been no signs of a struggle and that the missing organs were removed "cleanly and precisely, with very little blood."

Wortman said there "are no good signs in the area of the carcass, no tracks of any kind."

He said some of the animals appear to have been killed elsewhere and the carcass moved to a different pasture.

Wortman said investigators have considered several theories, including the possibility of vengeance against the ranching industry or some sort of cult activity.

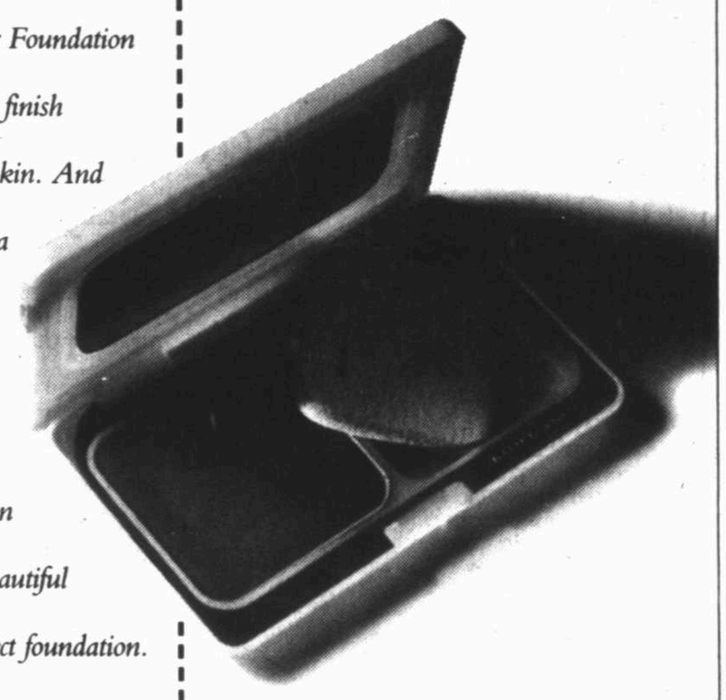
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After closing deal with Haitians, Carter blasts Clinton for invading

By Ron Fournier
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — If he didn't learn the lesson in North Korea, President Clinton knows now that Jimmy Carter's help comes with a price.

Hours after closing a deal to avert a military invasion of Haiti, the former president broadsided Clinton with criticism of his Haiti policy and launched a publicity campaign from, of all places, the Lincoln bedroom.

Carter opposed an invasion. He opposed an embargo. He opposed driving fallen dictators from Haiti. He opposed nearly every aspect of the president's work in Haiti, a senior Clinton aide said, except the decision to let Carter try to make peace.

And even that wasn't handled right, the former president said.

He accused Clinton of nearly scuttling peace talks by deploying an invasion force while negotiations were still under way. "What we had worked on to accomplish was about to come apart," Carter told CNN in an interview he arranged from the historic White House bedroom, moments after returning from Haiti.

The administration obviously disagreed. Clinton's foreign policy team insisted that an imminent threat of war was what pushed military leader Lt. Gen. Raoul Cedras to close the deal. The agreement has drawn criticism from lawmakers who think Clinton, eager to avoid violence, went too easy on the junta.

Carter, whose global troubleshooting is eclipsing memories of a vexed presidency, said the White House should not be surprised by his objections.

"Well, I've expressed my criticism publicly," Carter said Tuesday. Referring to two other members of the negotiating team, retired Gen. Colin Powell and Sen. Sam Nunn, the former president added: "All three of us have expressed our concern about the embargo, which was affecting primarily very poor people in the country."

Clinton publicly heaped praise on Carter, and White House officials marveled at his eagerness to hopscotch the globe and make peace. He was at it again Tuesday, meeting privately in Atlanta with ambassadors from North and South Korea.

Carter's energetic efforts make it easier to forgive stubbornness, frankness and an apparent hunger for the spotlight, officials said, privately.

Many Clinton advisers had a hard time containing themselves when Carter returned from the mission and criticized the White House.

"The wonderful thing is that, working from differing perspectives, we achieved a terrific result," a senior White House official, speaking on condition of anonymity, told reporters.

But many Clinton advisers had a hard time containing themselves when Carter returned from the mission and criticized the White House. Press secretary Dee Dee Myers was asked Tuesday about Carter's opposition to the embargo.

"President Carter may have a different view of that," she said flatly. "It's certainly his right."

Aides bristled when he made the wee-hour arrangements with CNN, before Clinton's news conference the next morning. Some questioned whether he exceeded his mandate in negotiating with the military leaders. Others said he sounded naive and pious.

The same complaints were heard from an otherwise grateful White House when Carter interceded in June to defuse the North Korean crisis.

He returned from that trip to rip the Clinton administration and its "so-called experts" who predicted North Korea would buckle under the threat of sanctions. Same in Haiti. He said sanctions are hurting the Caribbean nation's poor and made him "ashamed of my country's policy."

He thrust himself into the North Korean crisis, appealing to Clinton after the State Department rebuffed him. Same in Haiti. He did not wait for Clinton's approval on the mission before talking to Cedras by telephone and asking Powell and Nunn to join him.

He chastised the administration for not talking to North Korean leaders. Same in Haiti. "This inability to communicate between our two countries is a very serious problem that might result in difficulties that are almost insurmountable," he said.

Clinton is said to be bothered by Carter's criticism over Haiti, but not nearly as annoyed as he was when Carter appeared to misstate U.S. policy during the Korean negotiations. This time, the president tried to keep a shorter leash on Carter — closely monitoring the talks by telephone.

But time after time, Carter's actions or words on Haiti contradicted the White House.

In a telephone conversation with Cedras quoted by the Los Angeles Times, Carter said he discussed their "mutual faith in God" and invited Cedras to teach at his Georgia Sunday school. This is the same man Clinton described as a thug, leader of a junta responsible for rapes and killings.

Carter credited Haitian President Emile Jonassaint for showing the courage and power to force peace on the military regime. This is the same man Clinton considered a puppet of the military.

Telling Cedras late in the negotiations, "I am known as a man of peace," Carter said in a private moment that he opposed the invasion. He knew that Clinton, in the name of democracy, was ready to pay that price.

Music helps steady hands of surgeons, study says

CHICAGO (AP) — Toscanini for a tonsillectomy. Bach for brain surgery.

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"It has to be classical music," said Dr. Roque Pifarre, a cardiovascular surgeon at Loyola University Medical Center. "Anything else interferes with the rhythm of the operation. And no singing! I don't think opera is good for my operating room."

Dr. Edward May, an oral and maxillofacial surgeon at the University of Chicago Hospitals, favors Pink Floyd and Peter Gabriel.

"It's a great way to relax, and it just makes the place less impersonal," he said.

The study tested 50 men, ages 31 to 61, all of whom regularly listened to music while operating.

The surgeons were hooked up to a polygraph, which measures stress through factors such as pulse and blood pressure, and were asked to count backward by 13s, 27s or other increments from a five-digit number. The task was repeated while the surgeons listened to music of their own choosing, to music of the kind used in commercial stress-reduction tapes, and with no music at all.

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The surgeons selected 50 musical pieces, all instrumental. Forty-six were classical, two were jazz and two were Irish folk tunes.

Court issues ruling on sexually explicit material

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal appeals court reinstated on Tuesday a law requiring people who produce sexually explicit films and photographs to keep records of the names and ages of their actors or models.

A three-judge panel of the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia said the law, the Child Protection and Obscenity Enforcement Act of 1988, and regulations linked to it do not violate free-speech rights.

The 2-1 decision reversed a federal trial judge's ruling that had struck down the law and regulations. They had been challenged by the American Library Association, American Booksellers Association, American Society of Magazine Photographers and other groups.

"We are satisfied that the act and regulations are constitutional as they apply to the vast majority of the materials affected by them, namely the commercially produced books, magazines, films and videotapes that cater to 'adult' tastes," Judge James Buckley wrote for the court.

The law, as amended, requires producers of materials depicting sexually explicit acts to make and keep records documenting the names and ages of the persons portrayed. Statements must be attached to the materials telling where such information is kept, and on request must be supplied to federal investigators.

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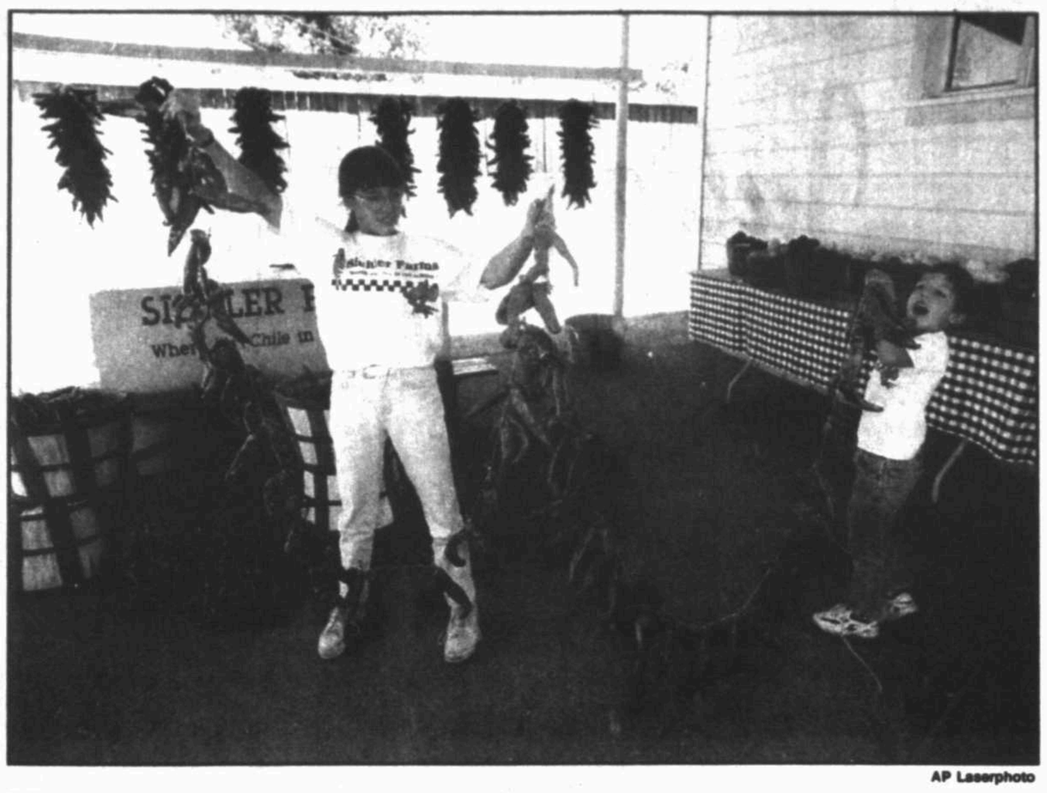
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Experts predict tough retirement years for millions of baby boomers

By Marcia Stepanek
Hearst Newspapers

BOSTON — Millions of people between the ages of 35 and 45 — America's so-called baby boomers — either won't have the money to retire or will be forced to live their twilight years in relative poverty, a panel of pension experts said Monday.

They also said there is a "retirement savings crisis" brewing in America and warned that growing ranks of poorly educated workers are creating a new "anxious class" whose traditional status as full-fledged members of the middle class is eroding.

Of all people working today, the panelists said, some 20 percent can't afford to save for retirement — even if they wanted to. Those who earn the most aren't saving or investing much, if at all, they added.

"There is a retirement savings crisis in America," said J. Carter Beese, Jr., a commissioner for the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington. "The American Dream is cresting and when it comes to retirement, individuals are now on their own.

"Social Security won't be able to provide much more than food stamps for the elderly, companies won't be providing as much as they do now and many companies won't even be around in the next 17 to 30 years, when most baby boomers will be retiring," Beese said during a conference on the economy at Boston College.

And it's not just a problem for baby boomers. Beese said people entering the work force today — America's so-called Generation Xers — need to save at least 10 percent of their income from their first day on the job until the day they retire "in order to avoid subsistence living" when they stop working.

Beese said a common problem is that people who put money away for their old age often end up using it to buy luxury goods, such as boats or bigger houses.

Karen Ferguson, executive director of the Washington-based Pension Rights Center, said the U.S. retirement system is "in acute crisis." Those who think they can depend on Social Security alone will have an unpleasant surprise, she said, because that system will provide "only a very small safety net" for future retirees.

Even now, many Americans who depend solely on Social Security can barely make ends meet. Their payments are less than the minimum wage — "less than what kids working at McDonald's today are getting," Ferguson said. One-third of all elderly people today have no income from savings, she said.

She called "do-it-yourself retirement" plans that have become popular across America since 1981 "a disaster," because many people choose not to sign up. "In the last 10 years participation by Americans in some kind of retirement savings or investment system has plummeted by 30 percent," Ferguson said.

"People are hurting desperately today and given present trends, it could get much worse in the future," she cautioned. She said growing income inequality — the gap between America's haves and have-nots — is growing and only aggravating the retirement savings crisis.

And women, she said, will be especially hurt if present trends continue. In 1988, she said, the average pension benefit paid to women was 37 percent the amount paid to men who had comparable jobs. The difference is due to shorter tenures in the workplace and salaries that are on average about 70 percent that paid to men.

Library of Congress to feed data superhighway

By Peter H. Lewis
N.Y. Times News Service

The Library of Congress plans to announce next month an ambitious effort to convert into digital form the most important materials in its collection and in the collections of all public and research libraries in the country.

The project would create a vast "virtual library" of digitized images of books, drawings, manuscripts and photographs that would look just like the originals and could be sent over computer networks to computer screens and high-definition television sets, accessible to millions of students and researchers. The goal is eventually to offer movies and music as well.

"Our goal is to bring these resources out to people across the country and not just to the people who can come to use the library in Washington," said Suzanne Thorin, chief of staff of the Library of Congress.

The project has benefits for the library as well.

The library now needs row upon row of shelves and cabinets to store its 104 million items. In digital form, dozens of books could be stored on a single disk.

In addition, the library has been struggling for years to preserve many documents that are rapidly deteriorating. Thieves have mutilated thousands of rare books for their photographs or illustrations. In digital form, rare manuscripts could be viewed over and over again without degradation, and images can be copied without harming the original.

The project is outlined in a draft memorandum called "Strategic Directions Towards a Digital Library." A copy of the memorandum was obtained by the industry newspaper Communications Daily, which then gave it to The New York Times.

The document says the project, the most ambitious the library has undertaken in decades, will cost millions of dollars, not only for planning the change but also for buying, installing and maintaining the equipment needed to convert the material into bits and bytes and to distribute it to many users.

The cost of converting a page in a book to digital form averages $2 to $6; the cost of conversion of rare and fragile books can be much more.

But the memorandum does not list specific sources of financial support for the effort. It suggests, instead, that a Digital Library Coordinating Committee will seek a mix of private gifts, industry donations and appropriations from Congress.

Officials at the Library of Congress who spoke on the condition that they not be named said Dr. James Billington, the librarian of Congress who first described his hopes for a national digital library at his inauguration in 1987, has scheduled a news conference for Oct. 13, when he will announce the initial financial support for the project from private sources, including the philanthropist John Kluge, one of the richest people in the country and the owner of Metromedia Communications, and the David and Lucile Packard Foundation of California, whose resources have been greatly increased in recent years by David Packard, one of the founders of the Hewlett-Packard Co.

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Astronomers discover galaxy close to home

By Charles Petit
N.Y. Times News Service

Astronomers have overlooked a whole galaxy — and not a dim faraway one, either, but a big, majestic pinwheel of hundreds of billions of stars practically next door to the Milky Way galaxy that is mankind's home.

The newly discovered "Dwingeloo 1 Galaxy" lies in a direction through the pancake-shaped Milky Way in which the solar system is embedded. Because astronomers interested in other galaxies can see little in the part of the sky occupied by the gas, clouds and nearby stars of the Milky Way, it has for most of this century been called the "Zone of Avoidance."

But last month, a team of radio astronomers in Holland led by Renee Kraan-Kolteweg of the University of Groningen was surveying the Zone of Avoidance and detected the characteristic radio signals of a galaxy seeping through from something big beyond.

Two days later, they described their surprising discovery at a meeting at the observatory.

Visiting astronomer Remo Tilanus, a Dutch astronomer assigned to the United Kingdom Infrared Telescope in Hawaii, perked up. "We all got pretty excited, and I asked if they minded if we tried to get a picture of it," he recalled in an interview this week.

He phoned colleagues at the Hawaiian telescope site, who aimed their infrared receiver at the spot provided from the radio signals gathered in Holland. The infrared telescope was able to take a more detailed picture and, after a long exposure, produced a fuzzy but unmistakable image of a large galaxy behind the Milky Way.

The galaxy is named for the Dwingeloo radio telescope in Holland that was used to find it.

The scientists have not yet formally published their data, which have been submitted to the journal Nature, but word of the find caused great excitement last month.

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Midland High	2	1			11	7
San Angelo	2	1			9	9
Abilene Cooper	2	1			10	11
Midland Lee	2	2			6	9
Odessa High	1	3			9	10
Abilene High	0	4			5	12

Tuesday's Results

Midland Lee def. San Angelo Central 15-6, 5-15, 15-7; Odessa Permian def. Abilene High 15-3, 15-2; Abilene Cooper def. Odessa High 15-5, 15-11; Midland High was open.

Saturday's Games

Odessa Permian at Midland Lee, Midland High at Odessa High, Abilene Cooper at San Angelo, games at 2:30 p.m. Non-district: Abilene High at Breckenridge.

Surgery for Oiler

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oilers starting strong safety Bubba McDowell will have arthroscopic surgery on his left knee Wednesday and will miss about six weeks.

McDowell was hurt in the fourth quarter of Sunday's 15-7 loss to the Buffalo Bills.

He will be replaced in the Oilers starting lineup by Blaine Bishop.

McDowell became the Oilers starter during his rookie training camp in 1989 and has missed only three games in his five-year career. He sat out the final two games last season with a strained knee.

McDowell had 75 tackles last season, four on the team. It was the first time in his pro career McDowell failed to lead the defensive backs in tackles. Marcus Robertson led with 82 and cornerback Cris Dishman had 78.

Miller on way out

DETROIT — The Phoenix Suns will not match Detroit's offer to restricted free agent Oliver Miller, clearing the way for him to join the Pistons, the teams said Tuesday.

The Pistons signed the 6-foot-9, 300-pound center to an offer sheet on Sept. 6 worth a reported $10 million over four years. The Suns had 15 days to match the offer or let the 24-year-old Miller join the Pistons.

Billy McKinney, Pistons vice president of player personnel, said Miller will help the team improve and bring needed youth.

"We feel Oliver Miller will make an excellent addition to our team in 1994-95 and beyond," McKinney said. "He has top-notch ability on the floor, and we admire the dedication he has made as of late to be the best he can be."

Bates breaks hand

IRVING — Dallas Cowboys special teams star Bill Bates, who also plays linebacker in pass defense coverages, suffered a broken left hand in Monday night's 20-17 overtime loss to the Detroit Lions.

Bates will wear a protective cast and was expected to play in two weeks against the Washington Redskins. The Cowboys are off this Sunday.

Shaw suspended

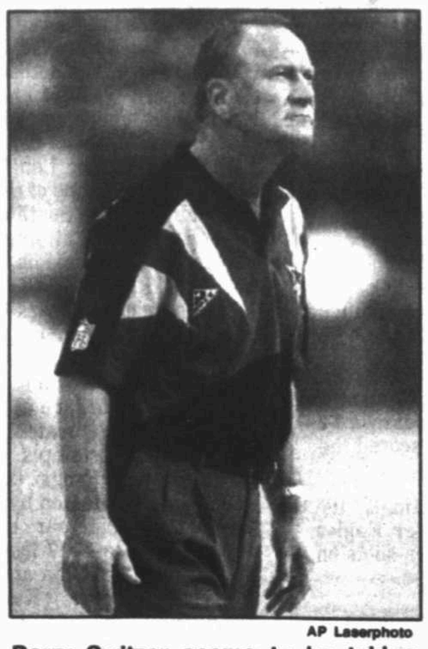
CINCINNATI (AP) — Backup linebacker Eric Shaw was suspended by the Cincinnati Bengals for Sunday's game against the Houston Oilers for conduct detrimental to the team, and it will cost him more than $10,000.

Bengals general manager Mike Brown said Shaw was stopped by Cincinnati police Saturday night or early Sunday morning for driving under the influence of alcohol and speeding. Shaw's 23rd birthday was Saturday.

Tomorrow

Former tennis star Tracy Austin visits Midland to help kick off the Southwest Oilmen's Tennis Classic.

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Barry Switzer seems to be taking Dallas' loss to Detroit in stride.

Dallas faces setback

■ The Cowboys admit they were outplayed by Detroit Monday in their first loss since Thanksgiving.

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — There was sorrow in Switzerland on Tuesday.

Barry Switzer's Dallas Cowboys finally found out what it was like to lose a game. And agonizingly so.

"I told the team this is just the start of a long journey and there will be setbacks along the way," Switzer said. "We're just going back to work to be the best team we can be. We've been in deeper holes before."

Switzer suffered his first NFL loss Monday night when Jason Hanson finally got a field goal attempt over the big hands of Leon Lett to give the Detroit Lions a 20-17 overtime victory.

It was the first loss for the Cowboys in 11 games stretching back to Miami's 16-14 victory on Thanksgiving Day.

Dallas defensive end Charles Haley was preaching patience after the defending Super Bowl champions' hard loss on a 44-yard field goal with 27 seconds left in overtime.

"This is a veteran team and we'll bounce back," Haley said. "It is hard to do when you lose in this fashion. Both sides of the ball lost this game. You can't pin the blame on the offense or the defense."

Haley, who led the NFL in sacks, had trouble getting to Lions quarterback Scott Mitchell because of the great blocking by left tackle Lomas Brown.

"The Lions just dictated the tempo of the game to us," Haley said. "Barry Sanders was exceptional. We knew he would get the ball a lot and we still had trouble stopping him."

Sanders rushed 40 times for 194 yards in a duel with NFL rushing leader Emmitt Smith, who pounded out 143 yards on 29 carries.

Lett blocked two field goal attempts by Hanson but couldn't reach the kick that gave both teams 2-1 records.

After reviewing the films, Switzer said "turnovers killed us and Barry Sanders had a great game. Lett kept us in the game with those blocks but we just couldn't make a play in overtime when it counted. Too many mistakes. This is the

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Rebels recover, top San Angelo

■ Midland Lee overcomes a second-game slump to defeat the Lady Bobcats in District 4-5A volleyball action.

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

In basketball, it's often called the third-quarter slump. In volleyball, where the outcome is determined largely by momentum, it can be disastrous.

The Midland Lee Lady Rebels overcame their tendency to let down after winning the first game and roared back to life in the third and deciding stanza to defeat San Angelo Central 15-6, 5-15, 15-7 in District 4-5A volleyball action Tuesday night in the Lee gym.

With the win, the Lady Rebels avoid a back-against-the-wall situation and improved to 2-2 in league play and 6-9 overall. San Angelo lost its first game of the loop schedule to drop to 2-1 and 9-9. That loss combined with a win by Odessa Permian over last-place Abilene High moves the Lady Panthers into sole possession of first place with a 3-0 league record.

But the win for Lee was a big one, even this early in the season.

"This win was significant," said Lee coach Anita Corder. "It sure was good to be able to come back in game three."

The Lady Rebels are currently in fifth place, but they are just one game back of San Angelo, idle Midland High and Abilene Cooper, which defeated Odessa High to lock into a three-way tie for second.

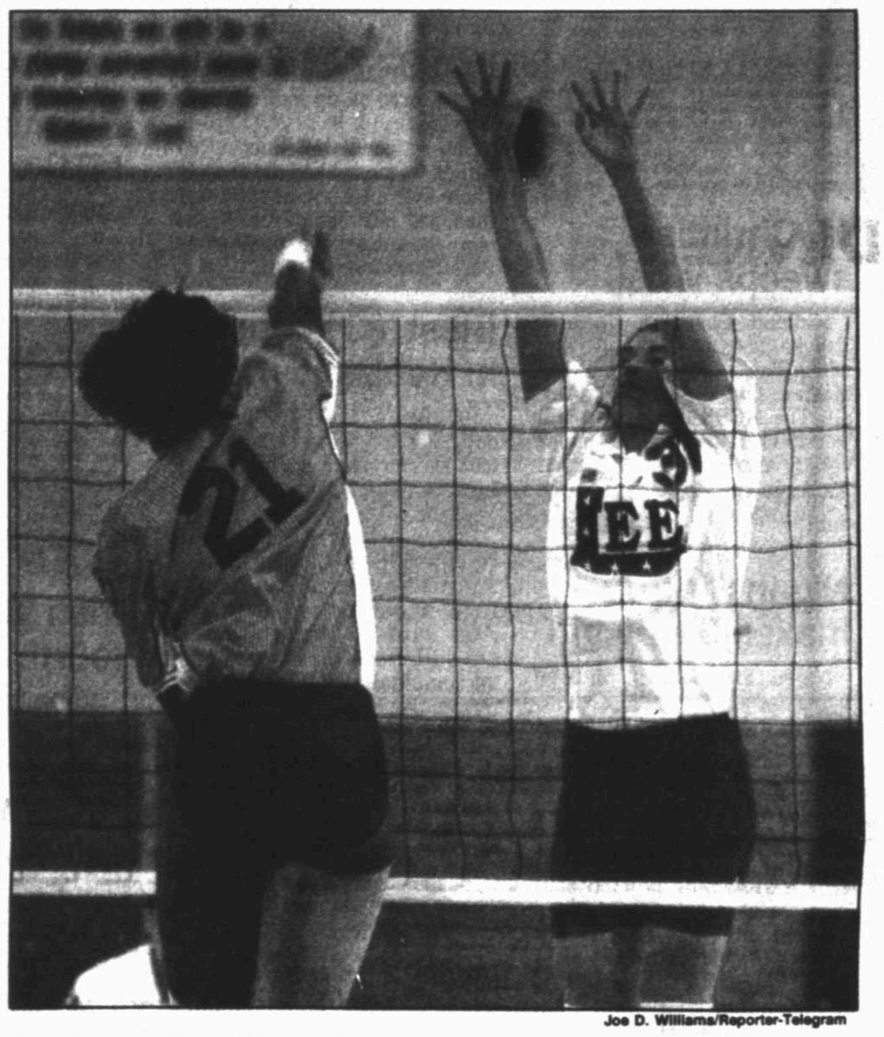
After looking impressive in the first game by utilizing the strong net play of Amber Willis, who led the team with five blocks, and Kristen Dunn, who led with seven kills, the Lady Rebels reverted back to a problem that has plagued them in their two district losses. Midland High and Odessa High both came back from one game down to win their matches against Lee.

San Angelo came back to life and ran the score to 11-0 in the second game before Lee finally scored. Shades of "Here we go again" crossed the faces of the Lee players.

"I know they were (thinking about the two losses) because of the looks on their faces," Corder said. "But I'm going to consistently challenge this team to do different things with different lineups. The first game it worked great. In the second game, the matchup was not as good."

Corder started Marci Stone and Farrah Fisher in place of Dunn and Crystal

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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

San Angelo's Pam Tribue (21) attempts to spike the ball past Midland Lee's Kristen Dunn in the Lady Rebels' win Tuesday night at the Lee gym.

Hobson fired by Red Sox

Associated Press

BOSTON — Butch Hobson, who could not turn around a team whose players admired him, was fired Tuesday as manager of the Boston Red Sox after three losing seasons.



Hobson

Although rumors of his dismissal circulated for the two seasons, Hobson said he was surprised he was let go.

"I believed in my heart that this day would never happen," Hobson said during a news conference at Fenway Park. "I'm not going to burn any bridges. When new faces come in, they want to bring in new faces, I knew

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Arizona's Buddy Ryan watches his team fall to 0-3 Sunday in Cleveland. Some Cardinal fans have quickly turned against the flamboyant head coach.

From Buddy Ball to Buddy Bust

■ An 0-2 start was acceptable, but Sunday's embarrassing loss to Cleveland has some Cardinal fans wondering about Buddy Ryan.

By Mel Reisner
AP Sports Writer

TEMPE, Ariz. — Things dry out quickly in the desert. It's happening to fan support for the Arizona Cardinals, who can't seem to win for new coach Buddy Ryan.

Buddy Ball is out. Buddy Bust is in.

"One guy called up and talked about how Ryan deactivated Steve Beuerlein and didn't even tell him," KGME Radio producer Bill Brindley said Monday about fan reaction to the Cardinals' third straight loss, a 32-0 trouncing Sunday in Cleveland.

"He said, 'You know, since Buddy started this trend, I think they ought to deactivate Buddy and his offensive coaches,'" Brindley went on. "'Let's put them on inactive and evaluate them on the films."

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Prep football grips Permian Basin



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High school football fever will grip the Permian Basin this weekend like few weekends before it. So, when you live in an area where high school football fever is always terminal, you get the idea of where this particular weekend rates.

It's cross-town rival time with Midland High taking on Midland Lee and Odessa High meeting Odessa Permian. And get this, Permian (1-2) is the only team involved with a losing record to date.

It's the very fact that Permian has a losing record that ignites such anticipation for this weekend. Odessa High has played Permian 29 consecutive times without coming away with a victory. Oh, there was that tie game in 1980, the same year Permian won a state championship, but it wasn't a Broncho victory.

OHS has gone through goal line failures against Mojo and there were the literal brain busters where the Bronchos were beat before the clock could count off ticks.

But now Broncho fans are saying this is the year. OHS has a perfect 4-0 record against pretty solid teams. In fact, you would have to declare the Bronchos as the favorite Friday night based on what has taken place in the first month of the non-conference season.

Still, we've heard the "this is the year" before while 30 years have marched upon us. We wonder where the Bronchos will be come around 10:30 p.m. Friday. Will it be another lost dream turned nightmare, or that glorious time when the heavy odds finally catch up with a team that has know little of failure over the years?

When Amarillo High defeated Permian 34-7 last weekend, our District 4-5A historian Tim McGraw reports that the Sandies became only the fourth team to ever beat Permian at Ratliff Stadium. Lee has done it three times, San Angelo once (the Bobcats also have a tie) and Plano (a playoff win) are the others.

Permian owns an 81-6-2 record at Ratliff Stadium (not counting forced forfeits) and a 25-1 record against non-conference teams in regular season play. But now Mojo has two consecutive losses, which hasn't happened since 1986 with back-to-back failures to Lee and San Angelo in 1986.

Now the Panthers face the possibility of losing three consecutive games with a loss to OHS, the Friday night favorite. Permian hasn't done that since 1959, the first year of the school when Permian had two three-game losing streaks in a 3-7 season. Does the worm really turn? We find out this week.

And while that game is getting the attention this week, Lee and MHS will enter Friday with a combined 5-1 record. MHS features the district's leading rusher in Roy Coats, already with 659 yards in just three games. Lee counters with the one-two punch of halfback Melvin Dunson (429 yards rushing) and receiver Jerry Stanford (11 catches for 256 yards).

We will have much more on that game in the hours before kickoff, but even Midlanders will have eyes glued to the West come Friday night. Worm turning is an interesting sideline beyond the borders of Odessa.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

LOCAL SPORTS

Chaps golf win sets records

RUIDOSO, N.M. — All-American golfer Jason Brooks set a tournament record and a competitive course record to lead Midland College as the Chaps won their third-straight High Country Shootout tournament championship here Tuesday. The Chap Gold team's two-round, 8-under-par team score (557) was a competitive record for the Chaps. Their second-day total of 273 was a tournament record.

It was the first tournament of the season for the Chaps, played at The Links at Sierra Blanca.

Brooks shot 71 and seven-under-par 64 for a 135 total. MC's Green team shot a 602 to finish ninth in the tournament. MC's Mikael Lofdahl had the second best score for the Gold team with a 137. He, Brooks and Graham Davidson (141) made the all-tournament team.

Results from Monday and Tuesday's High Country Shootout in Ruidoso, N.M.:

Team standings: 1. MC Gold 284-273—557. 2. New Mexico Junior College 287-291—578. 3. (tie) University of Southern Colorado 299-286—585. 3. Odessa College Blue 296-292—588. 4. Dodge City Community College 294-293—588. 5. New Mexico JC Red 300-295—595. 6. Western Texas Blue 299-300—599. 7. Western Texas Green 302-298—600. 8. Midland College Green 304-298—602. 9. Utah Valley CC 302-301—603. 10. New Mexico Military Red 310-308—618. 11. Odessa College White 316-307—623.

Individual Scores: MC Green — Blair Buttar 75-73—148, Andrew Cornett 69-78—147, Derrick Pursley 79-70—149, Scotty Wade 81-77—158, Troy Baurassa 81-80—161. MC Gold — Jason Brooks 71-64—135, Graham Davidson 71-70—141, Mikael Lofdahl 69-68—137, Jason Garduno 73-71—144, Evan Little 75-74—149.

M. Christian sweeps v-ball

Midland Christian defeated Tahoka 15-6, 15-4 in volleyball action Tuesday night. The Lady Mustangs improved to 10-8 overall. The MCHS freshman team won 15-13, 15-10 while the junior varsity also won 15-7, 7-15, 15-5. The Lady Mustangs' next match is Tuesday at home versus Buena Vista at 6 p.m.

Nigan Sir Bob makes Derby bid

Nigan Sir Bob, a Midland horse owned by W.H. Bright, won his trial race on Sunday and posted the fourth fastest time in qualifying for this year's Texas Quarter Horse Classic Derby, which will be run on Oct. 8 at the new Sam Houston Race Park in Houston.

Nigan Sir Bob has had quite a season thus far. His race record to date is nine first place finishes and two seconds from only 12 starts. He has won over $80,000.

The Midland horse raced last year as a two-year-old and won the All-American Futurity's first consolation at Ruidoso Downs.

Nigan Sir Bob is trained by Jerry Dobbs and ridden by Larry Payne. He was bred by Bob and Sissie McClure of Gardendale.

Irish fall twice in San Angelo

SAN ANGELO — The Fighting Irish '80 Soccer Club lost a pair of matches here over the weekend.

The Irish lost the first game to the Abilene Express '79 by a 6-3 margin. The Irish led 2-0 at the half, but fell to the Abilene rally in the second half. Joey Alcala scored the first Irish goal off a throw-in by J.R. Ketter. Greg Richardson scored on a pass from Zack Inman and Alcala later scored on an indirect penalty kick.

San Angelo's Broncos '80 turned up the heat in the second game with a 6-1 win as the Irish managed only a goal from Francisco Bosques on a pass from Chris Bowman.

Blast '83 second in Hobbs tourney

HOBBS, N.M. — The Blast '83 boys soccer team (12-under) took second place at the Hobbs Invitational here over the weekend.

Blast defeated the Clovis Wanders 3-0, tied Carlsbad Full Force 1-1 and shut out the El Paso Arsenal 1-0 on Saturday.

On Sunday, Blast defeated Cross Fire of Hobbs 3-1 to gain the semifinals and then beat the Desert Eagles of Alamogordo 3-1 before losing to Odessa Force United 2-0 in the championship match.

Blast Team Members: Brandon Barr, Daniel Campbell, Mark Cooper, Daniel Corey, Joseph Duran, Joey Entzminger, Jimmy Evans, John Faulkenberry, Jeff Johnson, Ryan Johnson, Tristen LeGrande, Jeff Levea, Billie Ryon, Ian Miller, Kyle Shatzer, Joey Willis, Mike Wynn and David Young.

Blast '84 takes second in Hobbs

HOBBS, N.M. — The Blast '84 soccer team placed second here over the weekend in the Hobbs Invitational Soccer Tournament.

Blast started with a 6-1, win over the Hobbs Radiers and then had a 5-1 win over Hobbs Nearburg.

In the last preliminary round game, Blast had to fight for every point against the Lubbock Pumas after taking a 2-0 lead at the half. The Pumas sent the game into overtime with two second half goals and had to be decided on penalty kicks. Blast scored three times while Blast goalkeeper Daniel Blair had two saves to earn the win.

In the championship game against the Odessa Flames, Blast fell 1-0 on a late goal by the Flames.

Blast '84 Team Members: Ross Abel, Nathan Baca, Daniel Blair, Thomas Burns, Jacob Cooper, Cad Davis, Scott Demarest, Jake Finley, Andrew Kamavas, Jordan Klatt, Cole Meyer, Matthew Neil, Robert Reed, Michael Rupe, Patrick Smart, Hector Tamayo, Aaron Wright Timko and Randy Willis.

Skinner captures MTC men's title

Ralph Skinner won the Midland Tennis Club's Men's Singles Championship Sunday with a 6-3, 6-0 win over Robert Jackson.

Final results from the Midland Tennis Club's Men's Singles Championship.

Open Division: Ralph Skinner def. Robert Jackson, 6-3, 6-0. **Consolation:** Rusty Fuller def. Miguel Bustilloz, 7-6, 6-3. **A-1 Division:** Dana Jones def. Mike Martinez, 3-6, 7-5, 6-1. **Consolation:** Don Jones def. Wesley Hunt, 6-2, 6-4. **A-2 Division:** Jesse Land def. Kevin Hammit, 7-5, retired. **Consolation:** Justin Brammer def. Clayton Vandergriff, 6-2, 6-3. **B-1 Division:** James Settles def. Lance Morton, 6-3, 4-3, retired. **Consolation:** Stacy Cole def. Jacob Reid, 6-2, 6-2. **B-2 Division:** Lawrence Vo def. Miquel Bustilloz, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5. **Consolation:** Jonathan Bazile def. Adam White, 7-6, 6-4.

Irish '83 place fourth in Hobbs

HOBBS, N.M. — The Fighting Irish '83 soccer club took fourth place in the Hobbs Invitational Soccer Tournament over the weekend.

The Irish opened with a 3-1 win over El Paso Arsenal on two goals by Nathan Levens and another by Nathan Lackey, and then beat Carlsbad Full Force 2-0 on the defensive play of Jonathan Garber, Dustin Bradley, Justin Dunton, Josh White and Matt Midkiff while Andrew Cooper and Lackey scored goals.

The Alamogordo Desert Eagles defeated the Irish 1-0, but the Midland team came back with a win over the Wanderers of Clovis as Levens and Cooper each had two goals and another one by Chris Washburn.

In the semifinals, Irish forced Odessa Force into overtime at 1-1, but fell in the shootout by a 3-2 margin. John Alcala scored the Irish goal.

In the consolation finals, the Irish fell to the Dester Eagles again, 2-0, even with a shots on goal advantage of 12-2.

Hood takes over first in 9th grade

Odessa Hood now stands alone at the top of the ninth grade Midland-Odessa football standings after three weeks of play with a perfect 3-0 record.

Lee Maroon, Lee White, Odessa Bowie and Odessa Nimitz are all tied for second place at 2-1 while Odessa Crockett, Odessa Ector, Midland Gold and Midland Purple all stand at 1-2. Odessa Bonham, at 0-3, is the only team that doesn't have a win.

In the eighth grade Midland-Odessa conference, Midland teams are off to a fast start with Abell, Alamo and Goddard all standing at a perfect 2-0 after the first two weeks. Odessa Crockett is also 2-0.

Midland's San Jacinto stands at 1-1 with Odessa Nimitz. The Odessa squads of Bonham, Bowie, Ector and Hood are all 0-2.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.

Recent loss has UT ready for TCU

AUSTIN (AP) — When the 15th-ranked Texas Longhorns made history by losing at Texas Christian two years ago, the setback jolted the inaugural year of coach John Mackovic's tenure and ultimately cost the team a bowl berth.

On Saturday, the Longhorns return to the site of one of the team's more devastating Southwest Conference losses and attempt to open 3-0 for the first time in nearly a decade.

The matchup appears on paper to be a more even contest than when a heavily favored Texas traveled to Fort Worth in 1992 with a record of 5-2 to face a 1-6-1 TCU team that hadn't beaten Texas in 24 consecutive attempts.

The Horned Frogs (2-1), who were soundly defeated by Texas in Austin (24-3) last year, have been impressive in a 27-17 loss against No. 13 North Carolina and in a 31-21 victory over Kansas on Saturday.

Texas players and coaches say they aren't taking TCU lightly. They need only think back to two years ago.

"Our players recognize the improvement of TCU," Mackovic said. "Several were on that field two years ago. So, we have a lot of respect for how they have put their program together" under third-year coach Pat Sullivan.

A victory against the Frogs would have assured the Longhorns of a bowl berth and landed them a high-paying nationally televised game against Baylor two weeks later.

Instead, TCU blitzed, bruised and bewildered the Longhorns in a 23-14 romp that was never in doubt. The Horned Frog fans attacked the goal posts at Amon G. Carter Stadium and reveled in their season-making victory.

Texas crumbled, losing two of its last three games and finished 6-5.

While some Longhorn players say Saturday's game is important because it opens the 1993 SWC schedule, others say there is a need for pay back on TCU's home turf.

"We need to go up there and beat them badly," said linebacker Jason Reeves. "Watching them celebrate last time left a bad feeling in my stomach.

"If we win, since they tore the goal posts down, we are going to do it for them this time," Reeves said.

Linebacker Norman Watkins said upperclassmen may huddle privately with younger players to tell them about the humiliating loss so no one loses focus this week.

"The freshmen and sophomores weren't there and need to know how bad it was," Watkins said.

Offensive tackle Blake Brockermeyer, a product of Fort Worth Arlington Heights, said he criticized TCU before last year's game and inadvertently offended some of his parents friends who are die-hard Frog fans.

Brockermeyer said, "All I'm going to say about two years ago is that it was one of the real low lights in my career. It ruined our season."

The Longhorns, who haven't opened the season 3-0 since 1985, say they respect TCU's speedy defense and improving offense led by quarterback Max Knake and running back Andre Davis, who is averaging 149 yards per game. The Frogs are averaging more than 400 yards per game.

Star wide receiver Lovell Pinkney resumed practicing with the team on Monday after the school sought his reinstatement to game-playing status from the NCAA last week.

Madison Square Garden president resigns

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob Gutkowski, the centerpiece of a turbulent summer at Madison Square Garden, resigned as president of the sports and entertainment complex on Tuesday.

Dave Checketts, president of the New York Knicks, took over for Gutkowski on an interim basis and was also appointed president of the newly formed MSG Sports Group. Checketts will oversee the Knicks and the Stanley Cup champion New York Rangers, both owned by the Garden.

The announcement was made by Viacom, Inc., which last month sold the Garden, the Knicks and the Rangers to ITT and Cablevision in a $1.075 billion deal. The sale is expected to be completed this fall.

Gutkowski, who previously served as president of the Garden's cable TV network, is leaving "to pursue other opportunities," Viacom's announcement said.

"During his three-year tenure as president of Madison Square Garden and previously as president of MSG Network, Bob Gutkowski made significant contributions to the development of the Garden's businesses," Frank J. Biondi, president and chief executive officer of Viacom, said.

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NFL Statistics

By The Associated Press
NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
Quarterbacks

	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
S. Young, S.F.	105	74	951	7	3
Kramer, Chi.	91	63	762	6	2
J. George, Atl.	120	87	867	7	2
Da. Brown, NY-G	56	35	511	4	2
Erickson, T.B.	88	54	686	4	0
Friesz, Was.	104	64	786	7	4
Everett, N.O.	102	67	810	4	3
Cunningham, Phi.	118	64	859	5	1
Aikman, Dal.	57	35	473	2	2
Favre, G.B.	132	77	827	4	3

Rushers

	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
E. Smith, Dal.	58	261	4.5	46	2
Bettis, Rams	66	258	3.9	19	2
Allen, Min.	45	233	5.2	44	2
Pegram, Atl.	48	212	4.4	25	1
Brooks, Was.	57	180	3.2	13	0
Meggett, NY-G	43	157	3.7	26	3
Walters, S.F.	50	152	3.0	13	1
Sanders, Det.	39	136	3.5	18	0
Tillman, Chi.	36	128	3.6	14	1
Workman, T.B.	28	126	4.5	18	0

Receivers

	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Pison, Atl.	29	388	13.4	69	5
Mathis, Atl.	27	265	9.8	41	2
Rice, S.F.	23	394	17.1	69	3
Bennett, G.B.	21	161	7.7	17	0
Ellard, Was.	20	374	18.7	41	3
Carter, Min.	20	170	8.5	21	0
Sharpe, G.B.	18	209	11.6	48	2
Early, N.O.	17	234	13.8	30	0
Barnett, Phi.	17	231	13.6	34	0
Jones, S.F.	16	188	11.8	30	3
Ervins, Was.	16	119	7.4	21	0

Punters

	NO	Yds	LG	Avg
Gossett, Rai.	13	617	65	47.5
L. Johnson, Cin.	13	606	56	46.6
Stark, Ind.	13	597	59	45.9
Camarillo, Hou.	16	722	55	45.1
Aguiar, K.C.	10	428	61	42.8
Rouen, Den.	9	385	59	42.8
Mohr, Buf.	14	590	50	42.1
Hansen, NY-J	13	545	64	41.9
Tupa, Cle.	13	503	54	38.7
Arnold, Mia.	11	416	49	37.8

Punt Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Metcalf, Cle.	8	138	17.3	92	1
Hughes, K.C.	6	85	14.2	43	0
Brown, Rai.	4	52	13.0	17	0
Hicks, NY-J	6	69	11.5	21	0
Martin, Sea.	5	51	10.2	16	0
Woodson, Pit.	6	58	9.7	18	0
Burris, Buf.	7	66	9.4	17	0
Givins, Hou.	4	36	9.0	31	0
Crittenden, N.E.	8	66	8.3	26	0
Hannah, Hou.	4	29	7.3	13	0

Kickoff Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Baldwin, Cle.	5	236	47.2	85	1
Humphrey, Ind.	4	164	41.0	95	1
Woodson, Pit.	8	221	27.6	54	0
McDuffie, Mia.	5	130	26.0	31	0
Dickerson, K.C.	4	96	24.0	31	0
Ismail, Rai.	8	191	23.9	51	0
By'Not'e, Den.	6	143	23.8	32	0
Brewer, Ind.	5	117	23.4	34	0
Scott, Cin.	13	302	23.2	34	0
Coleman, S.D.	4	92	23.0	48	0

Scoring
Touchdowns

	TD	Rush	Rec	Ret	Pts
C. Warren, Sea.	5	4	1	0	30
Butts, N.E.	4	4	0	0	24
Coates, N.E.	4	0	4	0	24
Fryar, Mia.	4	0	4	0	24
L. Russell, Den.	4	4	0	0	24
Faulk, Ind.	3	3	0	0	18
Means, S.D.	3	3	0	0	18
Seay, S.D.	3	0	3	0	18
Timpson, N.E.	3	0	3	0	18

Kicking

	PAT	FG	LG	Pts
Christie, Buf.	5- 5	7- 7	48	26
Elliott, K.C.	8- 8	6- 7	48	26
Elam, Den.	6- 6	6- 6	43	24
Bahr, N.E.	11-11	4- 4	43	23
Carney, S.D.	8- 8	4- 5	37	20
Lowery, NY-J	6- 6	4- 4	42	18
Stover, Cle.	6- 6	4- 5	32	18
Jaeger, Rai.	8- 8	3- 5	42	17
Stoyanovich, Mia.	11-11	2- 4	48	17
Biasucci, Ind.	10-10	2- 2	42	16
Kasay, Sea.	10-10	2- 2	39	16

TOTAL YARDAGE
AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	1386	232	1154
Miami	1277	370	907
San Diego	1181	399	782
Kansas City	1179	316	963
Denver	1163	283	880
New York Jets	1039	254	785
Buffalo	973	302	671
Houston	969	313	656
Pittsburgh	941	432	509
Cincinnati	929	330	599
L.A. Raiders	902	235	667
Seattle	879	340	539
Cleveland	856	267	589
Indianapolis	831	418	413

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	899	351	548
Seattle	901	228	673
Houston	926	412	514
San Diego	937	301	636
Cleveland	964	297	667
Buffalo	1053	309	744
New York Jets	1054	283	771
L.A. Raiders	1072	322	750
Kansas City	1114	247	867
Denver	1160	319	841
Cincinnati	1168	355	813
Miami	1198	151	1047
Indianapolis	1241	394	847
New England	1309	312	997

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
San Francisco	1283	371	912
Atlanta	1201	342	859
Dallas	782	312	470
Philadelphia	1084	274	810
Washington	1057	267	790
New Orleans	990	122	868
Minnesota	947	346	601
Green Bay	922	169	753
Tampa Bay	903	262	641
Chicago	886	163	723
L.A. Rams	851	305	546
Detroit	564	186	378
New York Giants	833	368	465
Arizona	726	208	518

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Arizona	680	247	433
Dallas	465	192	273
San Francisco	751	247	504
Green Bay	775	285	490
Minnesota	780	191	589
Tampa Bay	867	286	581
Philadelphia	877	215	662
Detroit	678	204	474
New York Giants	1025	197	828
New Orleans	1035	390	645
Washington	1105	321	784
L.A. Rams	1116	335	781
Chicago	1184	440	744
Atlanta	1200	355	845

AVERAGE PER GAME
AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	462.0	77.3	384.7
Miami	425.7	123.3	302.3
San Diego	393.7	133.0	260 7
Kansas City	393.0	105.3	287.7
Denver	387.7	94.3	293.3
New York Jets	346.3	84.7	261.7
Buffalo	324.3	100.7	223.7
Houston	323.0	104.3	218.7
Pittsburgh	313.7	144.0	169.7
Cincinnati	309.7	110.0	199.7
L.A. Raiders	300.7	78.3	222.3
Seattle	293.0	113.3	179.7
Cleveland	285.3	89.0	196.3
Indianapolis	277.0	139.3	137.7

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	299.7	117.0	182.7
Seattle	300.3	76.0	224.3
Houston	308.7	137.3	171.3
San Diego	312.3	100.3	212.0
Cleveland	321.3	99.0	222.3
Buffalo	351.0	103.0	248.0
New York Jets	351.3	94.3	257.0
L.A. Raiders	357.3	107.3	250.0
Kansas City	371.3	82.3	289.0
Denver	386.7	106.3	280.3
Cincinnati	389.3	118.3	271.0
Miami	399.3	50.3	349.0
Indianapolis	413.7	131.3	282.3
New England	436.3	104.0	332.3

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
San Francisco	427.7	123.7	304.0
Atlanta	400.3	114.0	286.3
Dallas	391.0	156.0	235.0
Philadelphia	361.3	91.3	270.0
Washington	352.3	89.0	263.3
New Orleans	330.0	40.7	289.3
Minnesota	315.7	115.3	200.3
Green Bay	307.3	56.3	251.0
Tampa Bay	301.0	87.3	213.7
Chicago	295.3	54.3	241.0
L.A. Rams	283.7	101.7	182.0
Detroit	282.0	93.0	189.0
New York Giants	277.7	122.7	155.0
Arizona	242.0	69.3	172.7

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Arizona	226.7	82.3	144.3
Dallas	232.5	96.0	136.5
San Francisco	250.3	82.3	168.0
Green Bay	258.3	95.0	163.3
Minnesota	260.0	63.7	196.3
Tampa Bay	289.0	95.3	193.7
Philadelphia	292.3	71.7	220.7
Detroit	339.0	102.0	237.0
New York Giants	341.7	65.7	276.0
New Orleans	345.0	130.0	215.0
Washington	368.3	107.0	261.3
L.A. Rams	372.0	111.7	260.3
Chicago	394.7	146.7	248.0
Atlanta	400.0	118.3	281.7

Senior Money

PONTE VEDRA, Fla. (AP) — Leading money winners on the Senior PGA Tour through the Bank One Classic, which ended Sept. 18:

	Trn	Money
1. Lee Trevino	21	$1,183,919
2. Dave Stockton	25	$1,156,445
3. Jim Albus	28	$1,008,563
4. Ray Floyd	16	$989,074
5. Jim Colbert	26	$874,165
6. Tom Wargo	29	$765,282
7. Jim Dent	23	$656,472
8. Bob Murphy	23	$602,392
9. George Archer	24	$586,590
10. Simon Hobday	25	$551,999
11. Larry Gilbert	25	$533,453
12. C C Rodriguez	24	$514,243
13. Mike Hill	22	$487,206
14. Jay Sigel	22	$464,008
15. R Thompson	25	$457,400
16. Isao Aoki	17	$441,740
17. J.C. Snead	25	$418,789
18. Graham Marsh	19	$410,918
19. Jimmy Powell	26	$404,198
20. Bob Charles	20	$397,833
21. Dale Douglass	26	$395,020
22. Kermit Zarley	22	$377,999
23. D Eichelberger	26	$377,636
24. Tommy Aaron	25	$303,098
25. Jack Kiefer	28	$298,279
26. Gibby Gilbert	23	$296,579
27. Jerry McGee	24	$277,778
28. Tom Weiskopf	11	$274,895
29. Dewitt Weaver	25	$251,807
30. Jack Nicklaus	6	$239,278
31. John Paul Cain	16	$228,365
32. W Zembriski	26	$222,442
33. Gary Player	17	$215,390
34. Larry Laoretti	27	$200,593
35. Tom Shaw	26	$197,591
36. Bob Dickson	24	$196,250
37. Terry Dill	25	$194,926
38. Richard Rhyan	27	$191,141
39. Charles Coody	24	$185,107
40. Orville Moody	28	$174,100
41. Tony Jacklin	9	$172,092
42. Harry Toscano	23	$166,135
43. Larry Ziegler	22	$164,404
44. Bob Brue	23	$158,093
45. Rives Mcbee	26	$149,369
46. Tommy Aycock	22	$149,163
47. Butch Baird	23	$146,211
48. Gay Brewer	24	$144,057
49. Dick Goetz	26	$141,572
50. H Blancas	13	$140,948

Transactions

By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League

BOSTON RED SOX—Fired Butch Hobson, manager.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Fired Bruce Manno, assistant vice president-baseball operations, and Tom Skibosh, director of media relations.

National League

MONTREAL EXPOS—Announced a two-year player development contract with Albany of the South Atlantic League.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

HOUSTON ROCKETS—Signed Adrian Caldwell, forward.

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Signed Alphonso Ford and Keith Smart, guards.

PHOENIX SUNS—Announced they will not match the Detroit Pistons' offer sheet to Oliver Miller, center.

PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Signed James Edwards, center, to a one-year contract.

TORONTO RAPTORS—Named Bob Zuffelato scouting director.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Suspended Eric Shaw, linebacker, for one game and fined him more than $10,000 for conduct detrimental to the team.

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Claimed Forey Duckett, cornerback, off waivers from the Cincinnati Bengals.

NEW YORK JETS—Waived Coleman Rudolph, defensive tackle; Rob Carpenter, wide receiver, and Tuineau Alipate, linebacker.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed Tony Brown, cornerback, to a one-year contract. Waived Brian Allred, cornerback.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Released Cedric Smith, fullback, and Sebastian Savage, safety. Signed Alan Grant, cornerback. Re-signed Leslie Shephard, wide receiver, to the practice squad. Activated Tyrone Rush, running back, from the practice squad.

Canadian Football League

SHREVEPORT PIRATES—Fired George Brancato, offensive coordinator, and Bernie Ruoff, special teams coach.

SACRAMENTO GOLD MINERS—Signed Roosevelt Collins, linebacker; Brad Henke, offensive lineman, and Marcus Dowdell, wide receiver. Waived Tony Jones, wide receiver.

Arena Football League

AFL—Awarded an expansion franchise to St. Louis for the 1995 season.

ST. LOUIS—Named Jim Otis general manager.

GENERAL

AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION—Named Robyn Poole director of financial services.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN—Announced the resignation of Bob Gutkowski, president. Named New York Knicks president Dave Checketts interim president and president of the newly formed MSG Sports Group.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

BUFFALO SABRES—Suspended Dominik Hasek, goalie, indefinitely, for leaving camp in a contract dispute. Signed Randy Wood, forward, to a one-year contract. Assigned Peter Ambroziak, Mike Barrie, Mike Bavis, Doug Macdonald, Brian McCarthy, Kevin McClelland, Scott Nichol, Sergei Petrenko, Paul Rushforth and Mikahil Volkov, forwards; David Cooper, Todd Copeland and Jim Wiemer, defensemen, and Markus Ketterer, goaltender, to Rochester of the American Hockey League. Assigned Sergei Klimentiev, defenseman, to Medicine Hat of the Western Hockey League; Roman Ndur, defenseman, to Guelph of the Ontario Hockey League; Steve Plouffe, goaltender, to Granby of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League; Wayne Primeau, forward; and Shayne Wright, defenseman, to Owen Sound of the Ontario Hockey League. Released Jason Gladney and Mike Williamson, defensemen.

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Signed a one-year working agreement with Muskegon of the International Hockey League.

NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Sent Todd Bertuzzi, left wing, to Guelph of the Ontario Hockey League.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Released Allen Pedersen, defenseman. Assigned Greg Andrusak, Steve Bancroft and Brock Woods, defensemen, and Jeff Christian, Larry Depalma, Ladislav Karabin, Brad Lauer, Ed Patterson and Domenic Pittis, forwards, to Cleveland of the International Hockey League.

VANCOUVER CANUCKS—Assigned Rick Girard and Yuri Kuznetsov, centers; and Dan Kesa, forward; and John Namestnikov, defenseman, to Syracuse of the American Hockey League.

Colonial Hockey League

CHL—Named Mike Forbes commissioner.

OLYMPICS

ATLANTA COMMITTEE FOR THE OLYMPIC GAMES—Named Dave Maggard managing director of sports.

COLLEGE

MAINE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE—Named Reis Hagerman commissioner.

BARTON—Named Matt Painter men's assistant basketball coach.

DICKINSON—Named Brad Shover baseball coach.

JOHN CARROLL—Named Carol Dugan women's baskeball coach.

MERRIMACK—Named Karen Willms women's volleyball coach.

OHIO STATE—Named Candy Young-Sanders assistant track coach.

SAINT LOUIS—Named Ron Sadler assistant athletic director.

SETON HALL—Named Jodie Brooks women's graduate assistant basketball coach.

STETSON—Named Wendy Knowles assistant sports information director.

SWC Statistics

As Compiled by the League Office Through Games of Sept. 17
By Associated Press
SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STATISTICS
THROUGH GAMES OF SEPT. 17
TEAM STATISTICS
RUSHING OFFENSE

	G	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
Baylor	3	162	694	4.3	6	231.3
TCU	3	116	597	5.2	5	199.0
Texas A&M	2	80	362	4.5	3	181.0
Texas	2	88	345	3.9	3	172.5
Rice	2	93	311	3.3	3	155.5
SMU	3	129	442	3.4	4	147.3
Texas Tech	3	123	361	2.9	4	120.3
Houston	3	174	179	2.4	0	59.7

PASSING OFFENSE

	G	ATT	CMP	PCT	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
TCU	3	93	53	.570	0	731	13.8	7	243.7
SMU	3	103	66	.641	4	724	11.0	3	241.3
Texas	2	75	41	.547	2	426	10.4	3	213.0
Tx Tech	3	91	44	.484	3	604	13.7	1	201.3
Houston	3	100	57	.570	2	558	9.8	2	186.0
Tx A&M	2	54	33	.611	1	317	9.6	2	158.5
Baylor	3	49	25	.510	3	467	18.7	5	155.7
Rice	2	39	22	.564	2	251	11.4	1	125.5

TOTAL OFFENSE

	G	PLYS	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
TCU	3	209	1328	6.4	12	442.7
SMU	3	232	1166	5.0	7	388.7
Baylor	3	211	1161	5.5	14	387.0
Texas	2	163	771	4.7	7	385.5
Texas A&M	2	134	679	5.1	6	339.5
Texas Tech	3	214	965	4.5	7	321.7
Rice	2	132	562	4.3	4	281.0
Houston	3	174	737	4.2	2	245.7

SCORING OFFENSE

	G	TD	KXP	OXP	FG	SF	PTS	AVG
Baylor	3	14	14	0	4	1	112	37.3
TCU	3	12	11	0	3	0	92	30.7
Texas	2	7	6	0	4	0	60	30.0
Texas A&M	2	6	3	0	5	0	54	27.0
Texas Tech	3	7	3	2	5	0	64	21.3
SMU	3	7	7	0	3	0	58	19.3
Rice	2	4	2	0	1	1	31	15.5
Houston	3	2	2	0	2	0	20	6.7

RUSHING DEFENSE

	G	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
Texas A&M	2	66	123	1.9	2	61.5
Baylor	3	104	234	2.3	0	78.0
Rice	2	62	233	3.8	1	116.5
Texas	2	68	334	4.9	2	167.0

TOTAL DEFENSE

	G	PLYS	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
Texas A&M	2	129	467	3.6	4	233.5
Baylor	3	126	798	6.3	4	266.0
Rice	2	132	661	5.0	3	330.5
Texas	2	129	741	5.7	5	370.5
SMU	3	206	1263	6.1	11	421.0
Houston	3	222	1312	5.9	10	437.3
Texas Tech	3	235	1320	5.6	12	440.0
TCU	3	246	1406	5.7	10	468.7

SCORING DEFENSE

	G	TD	KXP	OXP	FG	SF	PTS	AVG
Baylor	3	4	3	0	2	0	33	11.0
Texas A&M	2	4	3	0	0	0	27	13.5
Rice	2	3	3	0	7	0	42	21.0
Texas	2	5	2	0	4	0	44	22.0
TCU	3	10	8	0	3	0	77	25.7
SMU	3	11	10	0	2	0	82	27.3
Houston	3	10	10	0	3	2	83	27.7
Texas Tech	3	12	10	1	2	0	90	30.0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING

	G	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	YDS/G
Andre Davis, TCU	3	69	478	25	453	6.6	2	151.0
Anthony Holmes, UT	2	48	255	28	227	4.7	2	113.5
Jerod Douglas, BU	1	12	98	6	92	7.7	0	92.0
Leeland McElroy, A&M	2	22	170	4	166	7.5	2	83.0
Kalief Muhammad, BU	1	13	83	3	80	6.2	0	80.0
Derrick Cullors, TCU	1	9	62	1	61	6.8	0	61.0
Jermaine Williams, UT	3	32	165	7	158	4.9	0	52.7
Bradford Lewis, BU	3	31	154	0	154	5.0	2	51.3
Donte Womack, SMU	3	18	152	4	148	8.2	1	49.3
Rodrick Walker, UT	2	18	99	1	98	5.4	0	49.0

RECEIVING

	G	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	C/G
Mick Rossley, SR, SMU	3	26	235	9.0	2	8.7
Field Scovell, SO, TTU	3	13	197	15.2	0	4.3
Ron Peters, SR, UH	3	12	178	14.8	1	4.0
Matt Davis, SO, UT	2	8	103	12.9	1	4.0
Andre Davis, JR, TCU	3	11	120	10.9	2	3.7
Eric Jackson, SR, UT	2	7	138	19.7	0	3.5
Brian Berry, SR, SMU	3	10	107	10.7	1	3.3
James Whitmore, JR, SMU	3	10	105	10.5	0	3.3
Chris Brasfield, JR, TCU	3	9	193	21.4	2	3.0
Jimmy Oliver, SR, TCU	3	9	147	16.3	1	3.0

RECEIVING YARDAGE

	G	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	YDS/G
Mick Rossley, SR, SMU	3	26	235	9.0	2	78.3
Eric Jackson, SR, UT	2	7	138	19.7	0	69.0
Field Scovell, SO, TTU	3	13	197	15.2	0	65.7
Chris Brasfield, JR, TCU	3	9	193	21.4	2	64.3
Ron Peters, SR, UH	3	12	178	14.8	1	59.3
Matt Davis, SO, UT	2	8	103	12.9	1	51.5
Jimmy Oliver, SR, TCU	3	9	147	16.3	1	49.0
John Stanley, BU	3	6	147	24.5	2	49.0
Derrick Cullors, JR, TCU	1	2	47	23.5	0	47.0
Damon Rhynes, BU	2	2	86	43.0	1	43.0

PASSING EFFICIENCY

	G	ATT	CMP	PCT	INT	PCT	YDS	ATT	TD	PCT	PTS
Jeff Watson, BU	3	40	22	.550	1	.025	429	10.73	5	.125	181.34
Max Knake, JR, TCU	3	93	53	.570	0	.000	727	7.82	7	.075	147.49
Ramon Flanigan, SO, SMU	3	97	60	.619	4	.041	668	6.89	3	.031	121.66
Corey Pullig, JR, A&M	2	54	33	.611	1	.019	317	5.87	2	.037	118.94
Shea Morenz, SO, UT	2	75	41	.547	2	.027	426	5.68	3	.040	110.25
Josh LaRocca, JR, RU	2	39	22	.564	2	.051	251	6.44	1	.026	108.66
Chuck Clements, SO, UH	3	100	57	.570	2	.020	558	5.58	2	.020	106.47
Tony Darden, FR, TTU	3	33	15	.455	1	.030	243	7.36	0	.000	101.25
Zebbie Lethridge, FR, TT	3	53	26	.491	2	.038	321	6.06	1	.019	98.61

TOTAL OFFENSE

	G	ATT	RUSHING YDS	PASSING ATT	PASSING YDS	TOTAL PLYS	TOTAL YDS	YD/PL	TD	YDS/G
Ramon Flanigan, SO, SMU	3	55	146	97	668	152	814	5.4	6	271.3
Max Knake, JR, TCU	3	11	-47	93	727	104	680	6.5	7	226.7
Shea Morenz, SO, UT	2	12	-8	75	426	87	418	4.8	3	209.0
Chuck Clements, SO, UH	3	12	-53	100	558	112	505	4.5	2	168.3
Josh LaRocca, JR, RU	2	21	71	39	251	60	322	5.4	2	161.0
Andre Davis, JR, TCU	3	69	453	0	0	69	453	6.6	2	151.0
Jeff Watson, BU	3	16	23	40	429	56	452	8.1	6	150.7
Corey Pullig, JR, A&M	2	6	-28	54	317	60	289	4.8	2	144.5
Zebbie Lethridge, FR, TT	3	20	94	53	321	73	415	5.7	1	138.3
Anthony Holmes, JR, UT	2	48	227	0	0	48	227	4.7	2	113.5

SCORING

	G	TD	TDR	TDP	TDO	PAT	2PT	FG	PTS	PTS/G
Phil Dalion, FR, UT	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	4	18	9.00
Kyle Bryant, FR, A&M	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	5	18	9.00
Jarvis VanDyke, BU	3	0	0	0	0	14	0	4	26	8.67
Andre Davis, JR, TCU	3	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	24	8.00
Jon Davis, SR, TTU	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	6	21	7.00
Michael Reeder, FR, TCU	3	0	0	0	0	11	0	3	20	6.67
Anthony Holmes, JR, UT	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	12	6.00
Koi Woods, SO, TCU	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	18	6.00
Leeland McElroy, SO, A&M	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	12	6.00
Rodney Thomas, SR, A&M	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	12	6.00

ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE

	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	YDS	PLAYS	YD/PL	YDS/G
Andre Davis, JR, TCU	3	453	120	0	0	573	80	7.2	191.0
Kalief Muhammad, BU	1	80	0	11	56	147	16	9.2	147.0
Leeland McElroy, SO, A&M	2	166	19	10	74	269	29	9.3	134.5
Curtis Jackson, JR, UT	2	0	79	6	178	263	15	17.5	131.5
Anthony Holmes, JR, UT	2	227	16	0	0	243	50	4.9	121.5
Derrick Cullors, JR, TCU	1	61	47	0	9	117	12	9.8	117.0
Jermaine Williams

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By Jeane Dixon

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1994

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Focus on educational interests, short trips and your neighborhood. A beautification project will increase the real estate value of your home. Seize an opportunity to reconcile with a relative this winter. The year 1995 will find you eager to hit the road in search of adventure! Romance will blossom as the weather turns warmer next spring.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Nancy Travis, singer Leonard Cohen, actor Bill Murray, novelist Fannie Flagg.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Attend a special meeting even if not in the mood — it could have a huge impact on your professional or personal future. A romantic relationship is strengthened without your realizing it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): An exciting career development sends your income or earning power soaring. Do nothing to jeopardize your reputation for reliability. A well-planned project will get the green light later today. Assemble your own team.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You have good ideas on the best way to tackle a home-related task. A take-charge attitude will work wonders! There may be a financial reason behind a canceled date. Show resolve.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Despite some petty aggravations, you will enjoy rubbing elbows with the members of a trendy group. Join forces with someone who can help your career or financial prospects. Anchor your genius in practical work.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Remarkable mental rapport could send your love life in a new direction. You will know when to speak up and to whom! Today also favors discussion of legal matters. Voice your views with confidence.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): If you want to sell property, this is a good day to show it; and if you want to buy, now is also a great time to look. Tie up loose ends tonight.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Today's events point out the importance of keeping a close eye on joint financial interests, tax payments and credit matters. Let others know you respect their views. An unusual trip brings a wealth of insights.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): In one way or another, the job scene could introduce you to a new romantic interest. Take an aerobics class or a daily walk if worried about a lack of exercise. Speak with a noted authority.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): This is not a good day to try putting your foot down at home. Seize an opportunity to promote domestic harmony. Zero in on athletic or social events that younger family members will enjoy.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): An old complaint may resurface between you and your mate. It is up to you to promote accord. Artistic pursuits enjoy better influences than legal endeavors now. Turn your attention to creative projects.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Steer clear of risky financial ventures involving your friends. You can obtain much better investment advice elsewhere! Your social life is on the upswing. Count on your popularity to zoom as you meet more people.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A family powwow will produce a wise decision regarding a property matter or major domestic change. You discover that your partner is in agreement with you on basic issues. Be willing to make concessions.

TODAY'S CHILDREN: Once these Virgos have acquired self-confidence, they will express their views in an attractively assertive manner.

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HANDLE WITH CARE

North-South vulnerable. North deals.

	NORTH ♠ K Q 10 ♡ 4 3 2 ◇ Q J 10 7 ♣ A 10 4	
WEST ♠ 8 7 4 3 ♡ A K Q 8 5 ◇ 9 ♣ Q 7 5		EAST ♠ 9 5 ♡ J 9 7 ◇ 8 6 5 2 ♣ J 9 8 6
	SOUTH ♠ A J 6 2 ♡ 10 6 ◇ A K 4 3 ♣ K 3 2	

The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: King of ♡

As a rule, you need an eight-card fit for an adequate trump suit, and a 4-4 fit is more flexible than 5-3. However, a 4-3 major-suit fit, known as a Moysian fit after the late Alphonse 'Sonny' Moyse, who espoused it fervently in *The Bridge World*, can handle nicely as long as one is careful not to lose trump control.

After South's one-spade response, North has nothing better than a spade raise despite holding only three cards in the suit and flat distribution. South might have tried three diamonds (forcing, of course) as a probe for three no trump rather than jump to game, but as the cards lie, four spades is clearly the best and only 'makable' game. (If you want to play five diamonds, we'll defend.)

Missing six cards in a suit, the normal break is 4-2. Bear that in mind and the spade game presents no problem. West starts with three rounds of hearts and, if declarer ruffs the third, the contract will be defeated. West will ruff a diamond with the long trump and declarer will have to lose a club trick eventually.

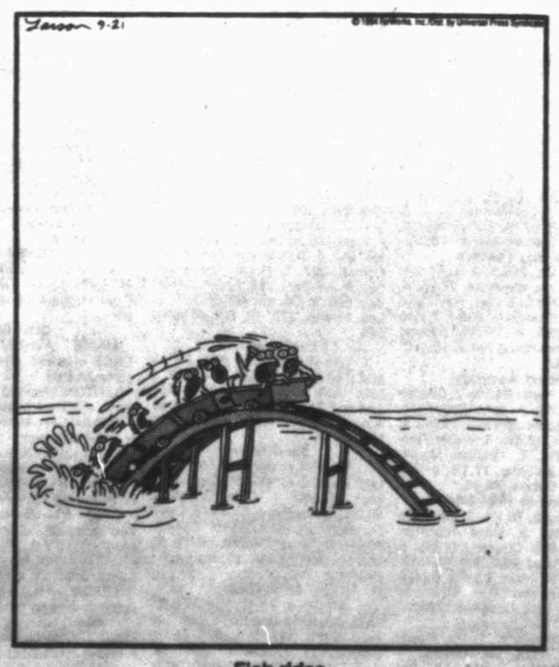
The secret is to retain trump control by discarding a club, a trick you must lose anyway, on the third heart. If the defenders persevere with a fourth heart, declarer ruffs in dummy and, as long as spades break no worse than 4-2, the rest of the tricks are there for the taking.

Note that it does not help for West to shift to another suit after cashing two heart tricks. Declarer always has 10 tricks — four spades, four diamonds and two clubs.

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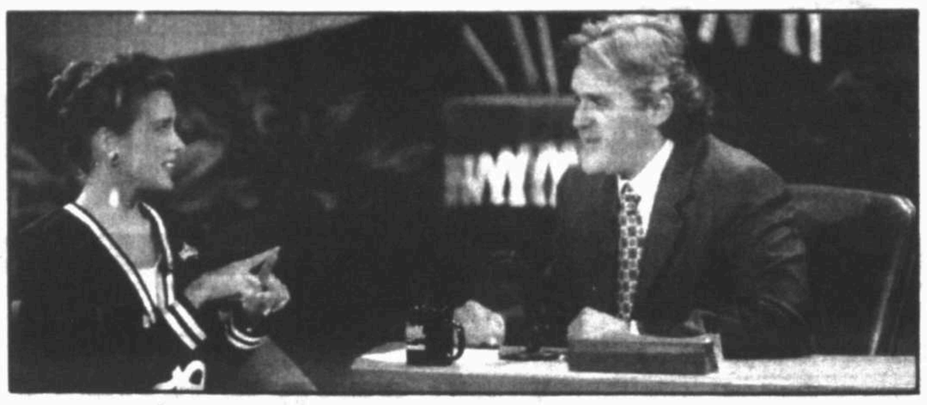


"Hurry up! We're havin' another 'Daddy starts his diet tomorrow' party!"

DENNIS THE MENACE



PEOPLE



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Jay Leno interviews the new Miss America, Heather Whitestone of Alabama, during "Tonight Show" taping Monday in Las Vegas.

Brooke Shields takes 'Grease' role, admits it will be a stretch

NEW YORK — **Brooke Shields** will be the newest transfer student at Rydell High School, joining the Broadway cast of "Grease" as Rizzo, the musical's loud-mouthed, gum-snapping bad girl.

Shields is replacing **Rosie O'Donnell,** who is leaving the show to resume her movie career, which includes "The Flintstones" and "A League of Their Own." Shields joins the cast Nov. 22.



Brooke Shield to join Broadway cast of "Grease."

The 29-year-old actress, dressed in a black leather jacket, black jeans and black boots, said Tuesday that the character of Rizzo will be a stretch.

"I was in the cheerleader mode in high school," she admitted. And she revealed she once was sent home for chewing gum and wearing jeans.

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OTTUMWA, Iowa — **Tom Arnold** and **Roseanne** may still make headlines, but they're getting out of the newspaper business.

The soon-to-be-divorced couple have sold their five weekly newspapers for an undisclosed price to a company owned by Arnold's father and stepmother.

"TOM AND ROSEANNE SELL!" bellowed one of the papers, the Batavia & Eldon Beacon-Forum. The other newspapers are the Fremont Gazette, the New Sharon Star, the Eddyville Tribune and the Hedrick Journal.

The bickering Arnolds bought the newspapers more than a year ago.

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LOS ANGELES — **Elizabeth Montgomery** is going to court to collect **$5 million** she claims she's owed from "Bewitched" reruns.

The 61-year-old actress, who played a witch married to a bumbling ad executive, filed the complaint Monday against Columbia Pictures Television Inc.

A company spokesman did not immediately return calls.

Bewitched ran on ABC from 1964 to 1972.

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ALLENTOWN, Pa. — A playhouse owner is suing **William Shatner** after the "Star Trek" actor failed to materialize for the premiere of a play based on one of his books.



Owner sues, says "Star Trek" actor did not materialize.

Shatner had agreed to star in a two-week run of "Harry and Arthur," a play about escape artist **Harry Houdini** and **Sherlock Holmes** creator **Sir Arthur Conan Doyle,** said **Ralph Miller,** owner of the Bucks County Playhouse.

Shatner's agent said the star "had all good intentions" of performing but never had an agreement, oral or written.

"It was always, 'If, if, if, if,'" **Carmen LaVia** said.

Miller is seeking $150,000. He said he advertised and canceled the premiere twice.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY PRIME TIME — September 21, 1994 — *For complete information check movie listings.*

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 995	Wheel of Fortune	Thunder Alley 5995	All-American Girl	Roseanne 1315	Ellen 3150	Turning Point 7583		News 98353	Cheers 74773	Roseanne 8063	Nightline 15179
(5) KPEJ	24	5	Full House 18150	The Simpsons	Beverly Hills, 90210 32889		Models Inc.: Ultimatums Are Us 41537		Babylon 5 21773		The Newz 34808	In the Heat of the Night 370537		Star Trek: Next
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 8353	M*A*S*H 9605	The Boys Are Back	Daddy's Girls 5889	Touched by an Angel 92605		48 Hours 72841		News 3746334	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 3763	Coach 1605	The Cosby Mysteries 32247		Dateline NBC (Part 2 of 2) 41995		Law & Order: Second Opinion 21131		News 9597808	The Tonight Show (10:35) 8524792		Late Night/ O'Brien
(12) KMLM	42	12	Prime Time Praise 687179			C.A. Dollar	M. Murillo	Van Impe	Praise the Lord 26266				J. Savelle	Duplantis
(19) KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 185957		Baseball: A National Heirloom (Part 4 of 9) 713689				I'll Fly Away: Amazing Grace 586537		To Be Announced 836044			
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(4) CNBC		8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	Al Roker 3598518	Equal Time	Rivera Live 5727191		Tom Snyder 5622547		Real Personal	Equal Time	Rivera Live 5412334	
(10) WGN		10	Love Connection	The Jeffersons	The Adventures of Ford Fairlane (R, '90) * (Andrew Dice Clay) 801179				News: Sanders, Payne 823266		Night Court	Simon & Simon 389792		Captain Boycott
(11) WTBS		11	Andy Griffith	Beverly Hillbillies	Duel at Diablo ('66) *** (James Garner, Sidney Poitier) 1830995						Hour of the Gun (9:20) ('67) ** (James Garner, Jason Robards) 7247624			Movie (11:20)
(18) BRAV		18	Night to ... (4:30)		Madame Bovary		South Bank Show		Brooklyn		A Night to Remember ('58) **** (Kenneth More) 560711			
(29) BET		20	Sanford	Comedy	Happening	Comicview	E. Gordon		O.J. Simpson: A Media Blitz				Midnight Love	
(28) FAM		23	Evening Shade	Evening Shade	The Waltons: The Family Tree 546044		Rescue 911 555792		The 700 Club (Part 3 of 5) 542228		Father Dowling Mysteries 545315		Black Stallion	Big Brother Jake
(35) CNN		35	Moneyline 391421	Crossfire 382773	PrimeNews 742131		Larry King Live 768179		World News 748315		Sports Tonight	Moneyline 637860	Newsnight 128745	Showbiz Today
(38) ESPN		36	SportsCenter (5:30)	Cheerleading	Amazing Games: England 562957		Expedition Earth 571605		Billiards 551841		SportsCenter 561228		Up Close 822841	Beach Volleyball
(37) USA		37	Wings 393889	Wings 377841	Murder, She Wrote 744599		Die Hard (R, '88) *** (Bruce Willis, Alan Rickman) 743402					Wings 639228	Quantum Leap 906537	
(30) FX		38	Breakfast Anytime		Scrutiny	Home ...	Dynasty 3253112		Liv. Color	Liv. Color	Sound fX 3276063		Batman	Back Chat
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(15) AMC		15	A Night in Casablanca ('46) 186841			Reflections	Foxfire ('55) *** 450808				A Night in Casablanca ('46) 421024		Foxfire ('55) 315537	
(16) TNN		16	Dance	C'try News	Full Access		Music City Tonight 140605				Club Dance 439082	C'try News	Full Access	
(17) TNT		17	Kung Fu 637421		Shampoo (R, '75) *** (Warren Beatty) 5378727				The Fortune (9:15) (PG, '75) ** 6868860				How to ... (11:15)	
(21) TMC		21	Movie (4:30)	30-Minute Movie	Wild Cactus (R, '92) * (David Naughton, India Allen) 1702228		Basic Instinct (8:35) (R, '92) ** (Michael Douglas, Sharon Stone) 6928711						Damage (10:45) (R, '92) *** 20578860	
(22) MAX		22	The Thing Called Love (5) 282257		Un Coeur en Hiver ('93) *** (Daniel Auteuil, Emmanuelle Beart) 542553				Poison Ivy (R, '92) ** (Drew Barrymore, Tom Skerritt) 824334				Warlock: The Armageddon (R, '93) ** (Julian Sands) 4103782	
(23) VC1		29	WCW Fall Brawl (4)		On Deadly Ground (R, '94) ** 1343268				I'll Do Anything (PG-13, '94) ** 5231247				On Deadly Ground	
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(34) HBO		34	One Man's War (5:30) (PG-13) 318570		Boomerang (R, '92) ** (Eddie Murphy, Halle Berry) 720179				Dream On 852082	Larry Sanders	Tales From Crypt	Flashfire ('93) (Billy Zane, Louis Gossett Jr.) 2255191		
(49) CHTS2		40	House Party 3 (5) (R, '94) * (Kid 'N Play)		House Party 3 (R, '94) * (Kid 'N Play, Christopher Martin)				House Party 3 (R, '94) * (Kid 'N Play, Christopher Martin)				House Party 3 (R, '94) * (Kid 'N Play)	

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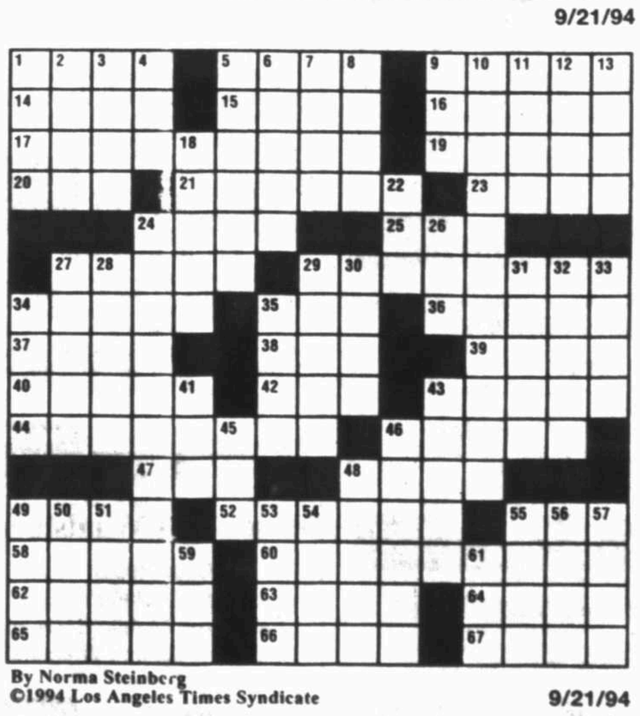
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LEE: Lady Rebels rebound

From 1C

Zachry in the first game. Dunn was eventually worked into the lineup in the first game and led the Lee offensive attack. Zachry finally made it into the match in the third game and contributed with two key kills in a five-point run to give Lee a 12-4 lead.

"It was a test to see if they still have the confidence when different things happen," Corder said.

Errors made all the difference, said San Angelo coach Cynthia Williams.

"We swapped errors with them (from the first game)," Williams said. "In the second game, they were making passing errors that hurt them and in the third, we were committing the errors. But volleyball is a game of errors."

In the second game, the Lady Rebels were lifeless. But in the first and third games, their offense was almost flawless.

Lee setter Roseann Sullivan continued to run the offense with confidence and communicated with her hitters well. The proof of that came on four successful quick set kills, two each by Dunn and Willis, which caught the Lady Bobcat defense off guard.

With a little renewed life, the Lady Rebels will host undefeated Permian at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the Lee gym. Midland High travels to Odessa High to attempt to get back on the winning track after losing its first league game Saturday to Permian.

The Lee JV won its first district game of the season with what coach Chan Langley called a tremendous team effort over the previously undefeated-in-district Lady Bobcats. Marcie Villa, Allison Bradshaw and Valli Shumake had outstanding efforts for Lee in the 15-12, 15-11 win to push the Lady Rebels to a 6-9, 1-3 record.

Statistics

Kills: Lee — Kristen Dunn 7, Amber Willis 4, Kasey Wolters 3, Emily Hayes 2, Marci Stone 2, Crystal Zachry 2, Roseann Sullivan 1, Farrah Fisher 1. Central — Jessica Cajas 7, Pam Tribue 6, Stacy Moore 3, Erin Argo 2, Kristi Anderson 1, Jaime Whitson 1. **Blocks:** Lee — Willis 5, Sullivan 1, Dunn 1, Fisher 1, Hayes 1. **Service Aces:** Lee — Hayes 2, Sullivan 2, Stone 1. Central — Argo 2, Cajas 1. **Service Winners:** Lee — Stone 1, Willis 1, Sullivan 1. Central — Jana Caussey 1, Kristi Marschall 1, Argo 1.

NHL, union resume bargaining

NEW YORK (AP) — The NHL and its union resumed bargaining on a new labor agreement Tuesday, with the two sides facing a wide gulf and the season to start in less than two weeks.

"Some serious philosophical differences have to be resolved if we're going to have a deal," said Bob Goodenow, executive director of the NHL Players Association.

The parties met for seven hours at NHL headquarters, the longest of the negotiating sessions so far.

Goodenow would not specify what was discussed, but it is believed the NHLPA had presented the league with a new proposal involving a tax plan.

"We had discussions of a proposal," he said. "It was constructive in terms of discussions."

Whatever the union had to offer, the league apparently rejected.

"I don't think there is a proposal that I would take back to the owners," NHL commissioner Gary Bettman said. "And I don't think they're ready to take a proposal back to the players. When we do, we'll probably have a deal."

Players have been without a collective bargaining agreement since Sept. 15, 1993. One of the main issues is how players are paid. Owners want to link salaries to revenues. Players want a free market and more liberalized free agency.

Goodenow was asked about the prospect of a player lockout unless a collective bargaining agreement is reached by Oct. 1, the start of the season..

"You'll have to ask Gary Bettman that," Goodenow said. "It would be most unfortunate if they had a lockout and closed the game down."

Bettman again deflected the lockout question.

"I am not prepared at this point to discuss it," he said. "My only concern right now is getting a contract worked out."

The commissioner said negotiations would continue Wednesday at the NHL office.

"It's clear we have some work to do," he said. "Ultimately, we have to make a deal."

Tuesday's proposal, which players say would subsidize small-market teams, is believed to be similiar to one suggested by baseball players. That plan was rejected by baseball's owners, and the owners canceled the rest of the season last Wednesday.

The players' proposal provides for a 5 percent tax on salaries and gate receipts, a move they claim would raise $35 million for small-market teams. League officials are skeptical about the $35 million. They think small-market teams like Winnipeg and Quebec would not benefit significantly.

The NHL has also proposed a tax system that seeks to fine teams that exceed a set payroll and distribute the money to teams under the proscribed amount.

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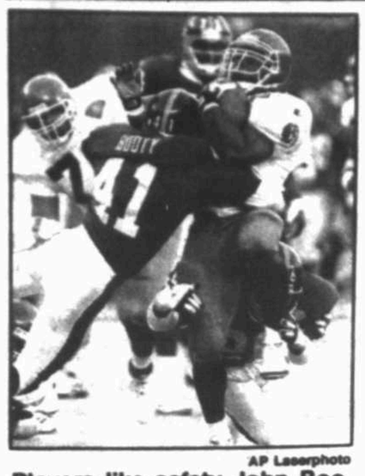
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Giants sprint to 3-0 despite cap losses



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Players like safety John Booty, here stopping Reggie Brooks, have helped the Giants to a 3-0 start.

By Tim Canavan
AP Sports Writer

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — There's only one undefeated team in the NFC and it isn't the Dallas Cowboys or San Francisco 49ers.

It's the New York Giants.

They've found a way to open the season with a 3-0 record despite the retirement of Lawrence Taylor, the salary-cap decision to let Phil Simms go and the loss of six other starters to free agency.

"People didn't expect us, of all people, of all teams, to be sitting here," linebacker Corey Miller said Tuesday as Giants left for a five-day vacation. "It really feels good going into the bye week, having beaten three divisional teams and sitting at the top all by ourselves. It's early, but we have to be excited about what we've done."

What the Giants have done is totally unexpected, considering the changes to a playoff team that went 11-5 in 1993. Many predicted nothing better than an 8-8 record and coach Dan Reeves' best estimate was 9-7.

"I knew that's the way it would be after three games," Reeves cracked Tuesday. "That was my prediction all along."

What the Giants have done is find a way to win. Special teams and Dave Meggett did the job in the opener against Philadelphia. The defense stepped up the following week against Arizona. Then Meggett and Dave Brown came up big this past weekend against Washington.

And when the two-time defending Super Bowl champion Dallas Cowboys were stunned in overtime by the Detroit Lions on Monday night, lo and behold, the Giants were atop the NFC.

"I'd be crazy to tell you I was cheering for the Cowboys," Miller said. "But, hey, it's early. We started out last year the same way and they lost their first two, and they came back and ended up taking the division from us. We have to stay on our toes, rest up and get ready for a 13-week stretch."

While enjoying the start, longtime Giants guard William Roberts preached caution.

"I guess you can say I'm surprised," Roberts said. "I'm happy and I'm proud. I'm not content though. We are going to see most of our adverse situations ahead of us. We have to enjoy this now and realize it is going to take a lot more to get it done."

One person definitely enjoying the view at the top was former Cardinals guard Lance Smith, who signed with the Giants as a free agent in the offseason.

"This is the first time I've ever been 3-0 and the first time I've been on a team that has won games back-to-back-to-back," Smith said. "This is a pretty good feeling."

No one on the Giants thought the quick start would lead to overconfidence.

"We're too young to do that," safety John Booty said.

More Sports/12C

RYAN: Buddy started 0-3 in Philly

(From 1C)

Ryan was 0-3 in 1986, his first season as coach of the Philadelphia Eagles, and his team finished 5-11.

But that was lost in Phoenix, where Ryan inherited a team on the upswing. The 1993 Cardinals won their last three games and finished 7-9 in a vain attempt to save Joe Bugel's job.

The optimism carried over. Bugel's firing went almost unnoticed, and Ryan sauntered into town talking playoffs and the team's first NFC East title since 1975.

"I put us first, and then you can line them up any way you like," Ryan said of the division. He joked about his dislike for Dallas and his 4-0 record against Jimmy Johnson, posted in 1989 and 1990 while Johnson was building the two-time Super Bowl champion.

The bare-faced bravado was infectious in a city which had seen the Cardinals go 32-64 in six seasons since owner Bill Bidwill moved the franchise from St. Louis in 1988.

A 14-12 loss to the Los Angeles Rams slowed the euphoria, but most also felt it would awaken a dormant giant. Even when the New York Giants beat the Cardinals 20-17 in Sun Devil Stadium, dropping the them to last in the NFL in total offense, most considered it a setback which would get the turnaround going.

But then came the embarrassment in Cleveland.

Not only did the the offense generate only 138 yards the first three quarters, but Eric Turner's 93-yard interception return for the Browns' final touchdown was the longest in history against the Cardinals.

Craig Hollenbeck, the floor manager at Buddy Ryan's restaurant Sunday night, said he got 15 obscenity-laced phone calls from people who couldn't separate the restaurant from the coach.

"Most of the stuff they were saying was unprintable," Hollenbeck said. "I told them, 'Look, if you come to the restaurant and have a problem with the food, I can take care of that. But if it's a problem with the offense, I have no control over that.'"

Restaurant manager Steve Kalfas said business wasn't suffering, however. A client and Ryan fan from Philadelphia spent $150 last week buying Buddy Ryan's T-shirts and menus, he said.

"Everybody wants to be 3-0, but it's going to take some time to put this thing together. His value is going to be shown over the years, not over a three-month period," Kalfas said.

Ryan, who demoted Beuerlein from No. 1 to No. 3 quarterback in favor of Jim McMahon before the trip to Cleveland, waived rookies Herschel Currie and Frank Harvey, a running back, on Monday, creating two roster spots.

Following an extra-long team meeting, he said there might be some changes in the offense after he looked at free-agent running backs Tuesday.

Assistant general manager Bob Ackles said Christian Okoye was set to audition. Okoye, who was out of football last season after two back operations, ran for 4,897 yards and 40 TDs in six years with Kansas City.

Ryan earned his reputation as a defensive mastermind, and criticism about his offensive philosophy surfaced during his five seasons in Philadelphia. Ryan acknowledged the offense's sluggishness but bristled when asked if he planned staff changes.

"Are you kidding?" he asked.

Ryan's 1988 Eagles team won their first game, then lost three straight before recovering to win the NFC East with a 10-6 record. He said he was concerned but still believes the 26 holdovers from Bugel and 25 newcomers have the talent which led him to predict a division crown.

"I don't think it's my fault any more than it's Jim McMahon's fault or anybody else's," Ryan said. "I mean, a lot of people are responsible. But you've got to hold onto the football and you've got to score touchdowns, and supposedly that's what we had, an offense that was eighth last year and fourth in scoring. We sure haven't been close to that."

LOSS: 'Mistakes killed us'

(From 1C)

first time I've lost a game in six years and it hurts."

Switzer was out of coaching for five years after he was fired at the University of Oklahoma before he was hired by Jerry Jones to replace Jimmy Johnson.

The Cowboys have a week off and they need it.

"I would like to think we can execute better than we did," said a disgusted quarterback Troy Aikman. "Stupid mistakes killed us."

Tight end Jay Novacek said the off-week comes at a good time.

"We need it to heal up," Novacek said. "It isn't the end of the world. There has only been one team to ever go undefeated. Being two-time defending world champions, people are going to play like this against us all year."

Asked if he was still having fun in his rookie NFL year, Switzer said "you bet. I'm having fun and we're going to win a lot of games. We're in a helluva lot better position than this team was last year."

Dallas started 1-2 last season.

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Staff Report

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The merger agreement provides that, assuming approval of the merger by the requisite holders of Tide West common stock, Tide West will become a wholly owned subsidiary of Parker & Parsley.

Upon consummation of the merger, each of Tide West's 9.9 million outstanding common shares will be converted into Parker & Parsley common stock at a ratio equal to $14.25 divided by the average closing sales price of Parker & Parsley common stock over the 15 consecutive trading day period ending on the fifth business day prior to the consummation of the merger.

In no event will the ratio be less than .4914 or more than .57. Natural Gas Partners L.P. and current Tide West management, which hold approximately 46 percent and 6 percent respectively of the Tide West shares, have agreed to vote in favor of the merger.

Tide West's oil and gas reserves are estimated to be approximately 33 million barrels of oil equivalent, 90 percent of which are gas reserves. The merger will combine those reserves with Parker & Parsley's current reserves, providing Parker & Parsley with a more significant position in the Mid-Continent region, to constitute a newly-formed division for future growth and operations.

This new division, which will be headed by Tide West's current management, will complement Parker & Parsley's two current divisions located in the Permian Basin and Gulf Coast regions.

In addition, because of Tide West's relatively low debt level — approximately $30 million — the merger will result in a net reduction of Parker & Parsley's debt-to-capital position.

Parker & Parsley says it intends to file a registration statement covering the shares of common stock to be issued in the merger with the Securities and Exchange Commission as soon as practicable.

After such registration statement is declared effective, a prospectus, which will also serve as the proxy statement in connection with the Tide West stockholders' meeting to be held in connection with the merger, will be distributed to the stockholders of Tide West.

The offering of Parker & Parsley common stock pursuant to the proposed merger will be made only by means of such prospectus/proxy statement. It is currently anticipated that such prospectus/proxy statement will be distributed in early November and that the meeting of the Tide West stockholders to approve the merger will be held in early December. Consummation of the merger does not require the vote of Parker & Parsley stockholders.

WEDNESDAY BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Tuesday $17.24
- Previous Close $17.21
- One Year Ago $17.70

POSTED PRICE
- Today $15.50
- Previous Week $15.50
- One Year Ago $15.75

Prices hold

NEW YORK — Prices for gasoline futures fell Tuesday amid forecasts of higher domestic inventories of the fuel. Crude oil prices, meanwhile, were little changed.

After the market closed on Tuesday, the American Petroleum Institute reported gasoline supplies rose 1.63 million barrels last week to 211.07 million. Gasoline supplies were more than 6 million barrels ahead of year-ago figures.

West Texas Intermediate for October delivery finished 3 cents per barrel higher at $17.24. Despite Tuesday's deadline to trade October crude contracts, trading was relatively quiet and prices ranged between $17 and $17.33 per barrel.

The expiration of a futures contract can prompt wide price swings as traders try to unwind positions before the deadline. The November delivery contract, which will represent the near-term delivery price on Wednesday, finished at $17.31.

The API reported crude supplies rose 44,000 barrels to 321.45 million and distillates, which include home heating oil, rose 3.16 million barrels to 142.5 million.

Refineries cut production to 93.8 percent of capacity from 96 percent.

Natural gas prices were lower. October delivery contracts dropped 7.7 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to $1.556.

Dollar weakens

NEW YORK — The dollar plunged close to its all-time low against the yen Tuesday, weakened by a dramatic worsening of America's trade deficit and fading prospects for a U.S.-Japan accord to correct the imbalance.

The dollar gained vs. most major European currencies, however, as a broad market demand for yen and a recovery in U.S. bond prices helped limit selling pressure on the U.S. currency. Concerns that central banks would buy dollars to support it also helped provide a floor.

Stocks tumble

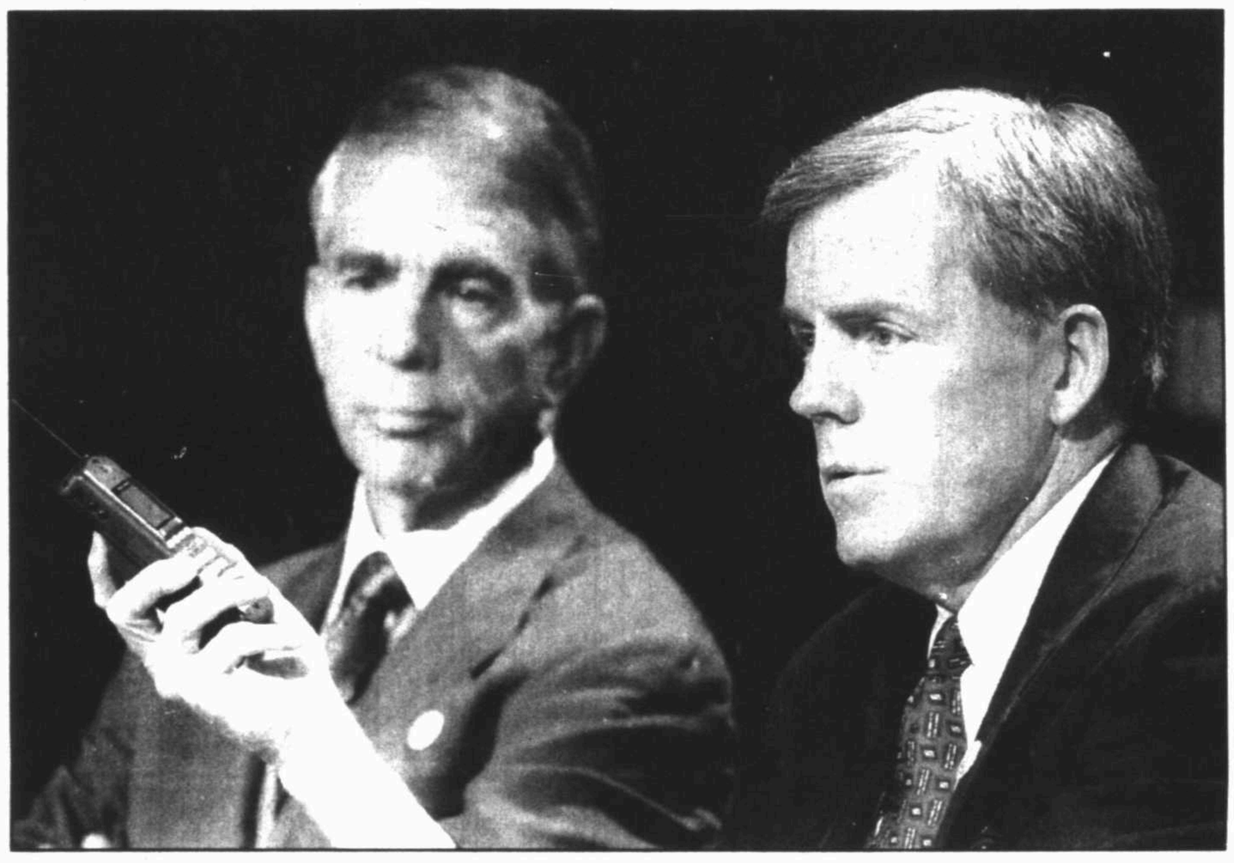
NEW YORK — Stocks tumbled in brisk trading Tuesday as anxiety over rising interest rates and related economic concerns unnerved investors.

The Dow Jones industrial average sank 67.63 to 3,869.09, suffering its worst one-day point drop since March. Market measures comprising a wider range of stocks also posted substantial losses.

Few stocks managed to buck the trend with declining issues widely outnumbering advances by about 15 to 4 on the New York Stock Exchange where trading swelled to 325.89 million shares. By contrast, on Monday 272.80 million shares changed hands on the Big Board's floor.

Among the broad indicators, the NYSE composite index fell 3.72 to 255.91, Standard & Poor's 500 fell 7.49 to 463.36 and the Nasdaq Stock Market composite shed 9.98 to 766.74. At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index declined 2.98 to 458.15.

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Cellular marriage

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James Barksdale, president and CEO of McCaw Cellular, holds a cellular phone as Robert Allen, chairman of AT&T looks on in New York Tuesday. The companies received federal blessing for their $11.5 billion marriage.

Basin economy will hold strong in years ahead, economist says

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

The U.S. economy and the economy of the Permian Basin are relatively healthy and probably will remain so for several years to come, says an economist for Midland National Bank.

Speaking at an economic briefing breakfast sponsored by the bank Tuesday, Larry Wiff, economist for Norwest Corp., predicted that gross domestic product will grow about 2.5 percent per year, while energy consumption will continue to increase at about 3 percent to 4 percent per year, and that both indicators will be good for Midland.

"We will have a strong economy through 1995 and will not fall into a recession," Wiff said. "I would grade the economy at about a B minus. It is generally good, but has some weak spots here and there."

Despite a 5 percent decline in oil employment, or roughly 500 jobs, Wiff said oil prices could be back to the $20 level by late this year or next year. "I think we can look for a stronger market, any decline in price will not be part of a long term trend."

As for natural-gas prices, he said there is nothing in the national economy that could sidetrack them, but noted that any price improvement will be seasonal.

In the national economy, he said the market for cars and light trucks will remain strong, but there will not be much growth next year. He also said that national productivity is up, allowing the U.S. to better compete against foreign imports. Also, because of a stronger dollar, he predicts export industries will improve by about 10 percent.

With manufacturing capacity reaching 85 percent, Wiff also predicts industry will be "straining to deliver goods" and that retail prices could go higher.

Wiff sees gold going higher, inflation increasing 4 percent in 1995, and said we are not seeing the end of short-term interest rate increases. "The national deficit," he said, "will go down because of a military budget, which is shrinking at the rate of $5 billion per year, and the fact that more people are paying more taxes." But, he predicts, if the nation does not get the deficit problem solved now, it could see higher interest rates and more severe recessions in the future.

Western energy consortium signs Azerbaijan oil, gas deal

HOUSTON (AP) — An energy consortium led by British Petroleum and Chicago-based Amoco Corp. signed a landmark $8 billion, 30-year agreement Tuesday with Azerbaijan's state oil company to explore for oil and gas in the Caspian Sea.

The consortium signed the production-sharing agreement with the State Oil Company of Azerbaijan Republic, or SOCAR in Baku to explore for oil and gas in the Azeri, Chirag and Guneshli fields.

Now the partners must determine how to transport oil out of the region.

The partners estimate nearly 4 billion barrels of oil in those fields beneath 400 feet of water 100 miles off the coast of Azerbaijan's capital of Baku. Oil pumping is expected by 1997.

The other partners in the consortium are Houston-based Pennzoil, Russia's Lukoil, Los Angeles-based Unocal Corp., Norway's Statoil, New Orleans-based McDermott International, Norway's Ramco Oil Services, Turkish Petroleum Co. and Saudi Arabia's Delta-Nimir.

The deal calls for the consortium to keep 80 percent of the oil produced from the fields, with SOCAR picking up the remaining 20 percent.

Azerbaijani President Heydar Aliyev and U.S. Deputy Energy Secretary Bill White attended the signing, which must still be ratified by Azerbaijan's Parliament.

The real stumbling block could be transportation of oil out of the region, a problem Chevron Corp. has faced in trying to develop the Tengiz Field in Kazakhstan's portion of the Caspian Sea.

The partners are considering several routes for a pipeline, but the difficulties are numerous.

Turkey has expressed concern about more oil tankers moving through the narrow Bosporus strait, while many of the partners would be nervous about building a pipeline that would run through Iran. While linking up with Russia might be the most logical route, concerns about vacillating Russian law make that precarious.

And the $8 billion figure being discussed does not include construction of a pipeline.

Ian Fowler, a spokesman for BP, noted that, at least at first, the partners aren't looking to export the oil. "Initially, the plan is to do development for use in that region."

Any need for a method to export oil out of the country is "further down the track," he said.

BUSINESS SCENE

Midlander runs mobile mastectomy boutique

By Mella McEwen

Midlander Wanda Bargsley has established **BEAUTIFUL REFLECTIONS**, a mobile mastectomy boutique. She can be reached at 520-4830 or 1-800-967-6976.



McEwen

In her specially-outfitted recreational vehicle, Bargsley travels West and Central Texas, from San Marcos and Kerrville to Odessa, San Angelo to Big Spring. She fits breast forms (Amoena and Discrene) as well as wigs, and sells radiation therapy garments, turbans and accessories, hats and sleep caps. She said she plans to add products for children with cancer.

She will travel to the customer's home and do the hourlong fittings, and she is working on setting up her RV in retailers' parking lots on a regular basis. She also will help customers with insurance forms and file Medicare papers.

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Just opened at 1103 N. Midkiff Road is **SMOKERS DISCOUNT**.

Owned by Bob and Randy Jones, Smokers Discount is a discount cigarette store that carries all brand names as well as generic cigarettes and chewing tobacco and pipe tobacco and accessories. Bob Jones said he also can special order any tobacco product the customer wants.

The Jones family opened the first store in San Angelo, selling it to come to Odessa-Midland, opening the Odessa location in March.

Hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday.

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A company new to Midland is **TEXAS BEST DRY SPICE MIXES**, located at 3303 N. Midkiff Road in San Miguel Square.

Texas Best produces and markets its own blend of mixes that are representative of Texas and the Southwest. The company has just introduced its Fresh Salsa mix and Taco Lite beef seasonings mix into area stores. Other products include the Mexican Chili mix.

The mixes come in retail and food service-size pouches, and company officials say private label manufacturing and custom blending are also available.

They can be found in Furr's, Fiesta Foods, Imperial Produce, United groceries and other specialty shops in the West Texas and New Mexico areas.

The business is owned by James and Jennifer Divine, David and Donna Divine and Steve and Gail Carter.

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On the move is **STRATEGIC ABSTRACT & TITLE CORP.**, which is now located closer to downtown Midland at 1603 N. Big Spring St.

Strategic is a completely computerized title plant, offering anyone with a title chain of a particular piece of property in either Midland or Ector County within minutes.

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Operating under a new name is Midland Sewing Center, now known as Village Sewing Center. The center is still located at 20-A Village Circle in the Village shopping center. Owners are James and Pat Farmer.

In addition to the new name, the Farmers have added the Elna sewing machine brand to their new home sewing machine line.

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The West Texas Heat, age 14 and under, will operate Midland Park Mall's West Texas Express train as a fund-raiser Friday evening and Saturday and Sunday during mall hours.

Until Sept. 27, registration is available at the Customer Service Center for the McGruff Run for Fun at Midland Park Mall, set for Oct. 1 at 9 a.m. Entry fee for the 5K walk or run is $5, with proceeds going to the Victims Assistance Program.

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MUTUAL FUNDS

	Buy	Sell	Chg.
NAAL Mutual:			
Bond p	9.51	9.98	—.02
CaGr p	14.53	15.25	—.20
MuBd p	10.45	10.97	—.03
SmCoSt	9.85	10.34	—.16
AARP Invst:			
BalStkB	14.77	N.L.	—.09
CaGr	32.11	N.L.	—.52
GinlM	14.77	N.L.	—.02
GthInc	34.32	N.L.	—.36
HQ Bd	15.10	N.L.	—.02
TxFBd	17.02	N.L.	—.05
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	13.43	14.10	—.21
FL HI	10.03	10.53	—.02
FL TF	10.67	11.20	
GthIn p	10.86	11.40	—.12
UtilIn p	10.82	11.36	—.11
AHA Funds:			
Balan	11.87	N.L.	—.08
Pull	9.38	N.L.	—.01
Lim	10.07	N.L.	
AIM Funds:			
AdjGv p	9.56	9.66	
Agrsv p	27.02	28.59	—.25
Chart p	8.86	9.38	—.12
Const p	17.75	18.78	—.22
GoSc p	9.25	9.71	—.01
Grth p	10.88	11.51	—.14
HYdA p	9.29	9.75	
HYldB t	9.29	9.29	
Inco p	7.40	7.77	—.01
IntlE p	13.36	14.14	
LimM p	9.92	10.02	—.02
MuB p	8.04	8.44	—.02
Sumit	9.62		—.14
TF Int	10.58	10.69	—.01
Util p	12.02	12.72	—.13
ValuB t	21.75	21.75	—.28
Valu p	21.87	23.14	—.29
Weing p	17.43	18.44	—.24
AMP Funds:			
AdjMtg	9.82	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.40	N.L.	—.01
IntlLiq	10.50	N.L.	—.01
MtgSc	10.33	N.L.	—.03
ARK Funds:			
CapGr	10.23	N.L.	—.10
GrInc	10.15	N.L.	—.06
Income	9.46	N.L.	—.01
AVESTA:			
EqInco	18.05	18.05	—.25
Income	15.35	15.35	—.02
AcornIn	16.45	16.45	+.01
AcornR	13.51	13.51	—.09
AdvCBal p	10.16	N.L.	—.10
AdvCRet p	9.39	N.L.	—.01
Advest Advsrs:			
Govt p	8.90	8.90	—.02
Gwth p	16.62	16.62	—.22
HY Bd p	8.66	8.66	—.01
Inco p	12.28	12.28	—.07
Aetna Select:			
Aetna		N.L.	
GrwInco	10.90	N.L.	—.15
Alger Funds:			
Grwth t	20.30	20.30	—.32
SmCap t	21.82	21.82	—.48
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.85	7.15	—.14
Balan p	13.33	13.92	—.12
BalB t	14.09	14.09	—.12
BondA p	12.94	13.51	—.04
CpBB p	12.92	12.92	—.05
CpBC p	12.93	12.93	—.04
Count p	17.27	18.04	—.33
GlbSA p	11.66	12.18	—.07
GovtA p	7.72	8.06	—.02
GovtB p	7.72	7.72	—.02
GovtC p	7.72	7.72	—.02
GrInc p	2.32	2.42	—.04
GwthC	21.20	21.20	—.27
GthF p	25.05	26.16	—.31
GwthB t	21.20	21.20	—.27
GrIncB p	2.31	2.31	—.04
IntlStC	9.81	9.81	—.07
InMA p	9.37	9.79	—.02
InsMu	9.37	9.37	—.02
IntlA p	18.71	19.54	+.10
MrtgA p	8.31	8.68	—.01
MrtgB p	8.31	8.31	—.02
MrtgC p	8.31	8.31	—.01
MtgTA p	9.61	10.04	—.01
MtgTB p	9.61	9.61	—.01
MtgTC p	9.61	9.61	—.01
MMSA p	7.97	8.32	
MMSB t	7.97	7.97	
MCAA p	9.76	10.19	—.01
MCAB p	9.76	9.76	—.02
MCAC p	9.76	9.76	—.02
MFLC p	8.92	8.92	—.01
MIICAA p	12.29	12.84	—.01
MINB p	9.72	9.72	—.02
MNYA p	9.08	9.48	—.02
MNYB p	9.08	9.08	—.02
NMuA p	9.72	10.15	—.02
NMuC p	9.72	9.72	—.02
NEur p	12.71	13.27	—.09
NAGrA	8.67	9.05	—.02
NAGrB p	8.68	8.68	—.01
NAGvC	8.67	8.67	—.01
POthB p	11.75	11.75	—.26
QuarA p	22.56	23.56	—.24
ST Mla p	8.71	9.10	+.01
ST Mlb t	8.71	8.71	+.01
Tech p	29.24	30.54	—.55
WldIn p	1.88	1.88	
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	11.75	12.30	—.11
Bond	10.36	10.68	—.01
Equity	14.91	15.61	—.22
LtdMat	10.12	10.43	—.01
RegEq	17.18	17.99	—.20
Ambassador Plc:			
Balncd	9.72	N.L.	—.08
Bond	9.26	N.L.	—.01
EstCoGr	16.01	N.L.	—.20
Grwth	12.66	N.L.	—.20
IdxStk	11.96	N.L.	—.20
IntBond	9.32	N.L.	—.01
IntlStk	13.20	N.L.	—.03
SCnGr	13.90	N.L.	—.13
Ambassador Invr:			
EstCoGr	15.99	N.L.	—.20
Grwth	12.64	N.L.	—.20
IntBond	9.33	N.L.	—.01
IntlStk	13.17	N.L.	—.04
TFIntBd	10.13	N.L.	+.02
Amcore Vintage:			
Equity	10.37	11.04	—.16
PxInco	9.64	10.02	—.01
Amer AAdvsrs Instl:			
Balan	12.33	N.L.	—.13
GrInco	14.09	N.L.	—.21
IntlEq	12.79	N.L.	—.03
LadTr	9.73	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	15.73	16.69	—.25
CpBdA p	6.52	6.85	—.01
EQA p	24.27	25.75	—.38
EQB p	23.75	23.75	—.37
EmtA p	12.14	12.88	—.19
EmtB p	12.02	12.02	—.20
EqIncA p	5.39	5.72	—.06
EqIncB t	5.39	5.39	—.06
FMgA p	12.03	12.31	—.01
GlEqA p	11.91	12.64	
GlEqB p	11.69	N.L.	
GlGvA p	8.03	8.43	
GlGvB p	8.07	N.L.	
GvScA p	9.83	10.32	—.02
GvScB p	9.84	9.84	—.02
GvT1A p	8.21	8.62	—.02
GvT1B p	8.21	8.21	—.02
GvTIC p	8.21	8.21	—.02
GrInc p	12.70	13.47	—.16
HarbA p	13.97	14.82	—.10
HarbB p	13.92	13.92	—.10
HiYldA p	6.11	6.41	—.01
HiYldB p	6.12	6.12	—.01
MuBA p	9.99	10.38	—.02
PaceA p	11.36	12.05	—.19
TEHA p	10.75	11.29	—.03
TEHB p	10.75	10.75	—.02
TxEIA p	10.98	11.53	—.03
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.18	12.92	—.09
Amcp p	12.33	13.08	—.19
AMutl p	21.65	22.97	—.22
Bond p	13.08	13.73	—.02
CapIB p	32.42	34.40	—.25
CapW p	15.20	15.96	—.02
CapWG	18.26	19.37	—.15
Eupac p	22.36	23.72	—.08
Fdlnv p	18.28	19.40	—.22
Govt p	13.00	13.65	—.02
Gwth p	27.07	28.72	—.40
HI Tr p	14.02	14.72	—.01
Inco p	13.60	14.43	—.11
IntBd p	13.23	13.89	—.01
ICA p	18.74	19.88	—.23
LgTEB	13.99	14.69	—.01
NEco p	14.97	15.88	—.21
N Per p	15.54	16.49	—.13
SmCp p	23.62	25.06	—.16
TxEx p	11.48	12.05	—.03
TEEA p	15.18	15.94	—.04
TEMd p	14.76	15.50	—.02
TEVA p	15.23	15.99	—.04
Wsh p	17.56	18.63	—.28
A GthFd	9.51	10.09	—.05
A Herlg	1.11	N.L.	
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.34	4.60	—.06
Inco	21.42	22.73	—.22
API Gr pf	12.92	N.L.	—.02
Am Perform:			
Equity	11.55	12.03	—.17
IntInf	10.14	10.45	—.01
AmUtlFd	19.62	N.L.	—.13
Amway	7.34	7.57	—.12
Analyt	12.16	N.L.	—.13
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.13	10.55	
CO TF	10.08	10.50	—.01
HI TF	11.06	11.52	—.01
KY TF	10.24	10.67	—.01
OR TF	10.23	10.66	—.01
ArielApp p	21.82	N.L.	—.18
ArielGro p	28.53	N.L.	—.19
Atlas Funds:			
CaMunA	10.70	11.03	—.03
GvtScA	9.74	10.04	—.03
GroIncA	14.01	14.44	—.19
NaMunA	10.71	11.04	—.03
BB&T Funds:			
GroIncT	11.34	N.L.	—.17
IntGovT	9.38	N.L.	—.02
BBA Funds:			
EMktE	25.73	25.73	—.02
IntlEq	20.71	20.71	+.04
ShDuCt	4.93	N.L.	
StgPs p	15.78	15.78	—.01
BJBGIA p	10.98	11.44	
BNY Hamilton:			
Bqlnc	10.91	11.25	—.12
IntGovt	9.28	9.57	—.02
NY TE	9.89	10.20	—.01
BT:			
InstAstM	9.56	N.L.	—.08
InstEqIx	10.63	N.L.	—.17
InvInsEq	14.12	N.L.	—.08
InvEqIx	14.62	N.L.	—.17
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.50	N.L.	
Enurp	16.78	N.L.	—.08
Gwth	12.12	N.L.	—.18
Intl	17.01	N.L.	+.06
UMB B	10.69	N.L.	—.01
UMB St	16.05	N.L.	—.17
Value	26.14	N.L.	—.43
BalfourMacKaleer:			
Diversa	12.08	N.L.	—.09
IntlEq	6.18	N.L.	+.02
IntlPf	7.96	N.L.	—.02
Baird Funds:			
Adjinc	9.12	9.43	
BlChip p	19.12	20.29	—.32
CapDv p	23.15	24.56	—.17
BairncA	22.63	N.L.	—.22
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	15.75	N.L.	—.12
FixedI	9.69	N.L.	—.01
Vl Ind	12.97	N.L.	—.04
BayFunds Instl:			
ST Yield	9.32	N.L.	—.01
Bond	9.56	N.L.	—.01
Equity	10.64	N.L.	—.16
BayFunds Invest:			
ST Yield	9.32	N.L.	—.01
BSEr:D	8.92	9.34	—.03
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA	18.66	N.L.	—.03
DivGtrA	10.31	N.L.	—.17
EqIdxA	10.85	N.L.	—.17
FocGtrA	10.12	N.L.	—.14
IntGtrA	10.73	N.L.	+.06
ShtDur	10.00	N.L.	
SIBdA	19.76	N.L.	—.01
SmCoIA	11.35	N.L.	—.12
USTIdxA	19.17	N.L.	—.02
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.46	N.L.	—.01
CaTFI	10.75	N.L.	—.01
CatIn	9.52	N.L.	—.03
CaTFS	10.08	N.L.	—.01
CatH	8.93	N.L.	—.03
CatL	10.69	N.L.	—.03
EqGro	12.05	N.L.	—.16
EurBd	10.59	N.L.	—.04
GNMA	10.09	N.L.	—.02
GoldIn	13.50	N.L.	+.12
IncGro	14.70	N.L.	—.22
NITFI	10.51	N.L.	—.01
NITFL	11.10	N.L.	—.03
Tg1995	95.03	N.L.	—.03
Tg2000	67.20	N.L.	—.12
Tg2005	45.44	N.L.	—.18
Tg2010	31.75	N.L.	—.10
Tg2015	22.79	N.L.	—.04
Tg2020	15.24	N.L.	—.05
TNote	9.96	N.L.	—.01
UtilIn	8.95	N.L.	—.11
Berger Group:			
100 p	15.95	N.L.	—.18
101 p	11.52	N.L.	—.11
SmCoG p	2.69	N.L.	—.04
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.38	N.L.	—.01
ShtDur	12.35	N.L.	—.01
IntDur	12.59	N.L.	—.02
Ca Mu	13.09	N.L.	—.01
DivMu	13.02	N.L.	—.01
NYMu	13.02	N.L.	—.01
IntlVal	16.75	N.L.	—.02
BerwynFd	18.64	N.L.	—.11
BerwynInc	11.43	N.L.	
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	10.06	10.53	—.08
Equity	10.51	11.01	—.11
EqIndx	10.43	10.92	—.17
FixedIn	9.11	9.54	—.02
QuantEq	9.81	10.27	—.16
STFixIn	9.66	10.12	
SCMuni	10.51	11.01	—.02
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	4.69	N.L.	
GlGr p	10.22	N.L.	—.04
PrcM p	9.61	N.L.	+.10
ST Gl	1.75	N.L.	
BdEndw	16.47	N.L.	—.02
Brndyw	24.72	N.L.	—.23
Brinson Funds:			
Global	10.64	N.L.	—.05
NUSEqt	9.92	N.L.	+.02
Bull & Bear Gp:			
Glbinc p	8.28	N.L.	—.02
SpEq p	19.48	N.L.	—.33
Burnhm p	20.13	20.75	—.22
C&SRIty x	32.66	N.L.	—.53
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	25.44	N.L.	—.36
Mutl	26.88	N.L.	—.30
California Trust:			
CalInc	11.93	N.L.	—.02
Calvert Group:			
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Social p	28.97	30.41	—.22
SocBd	15.64	16.25	—.02
SocEq	20.58	21.61	—.31
TxF Lt	10.67	10.89	
TxF Lg	16.15	16.78	—.03
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Cambridge Pds:			
CapGB t	14.74	14.74	—.22
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MuInB t	14.48	14.48	—.04
Capstone Group:			
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GvtInc	4.85	4.85	
Cardinal Family:			
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GvtObig	7.99	8.37	—.02
CartlCa	12.98	13.66	—.03
Cnt Shs	23.05	N.L.	—.28
ChesGrth	13.86	14.29	—.12
Chestnt	148.35	N.L.	—
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Clipper	49.19	N.L.	—.98
Colonial Funds:			
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MATxA	7.47	7.84	—.01
MI TE A	6.74	7.08	—.01
NY TE A	6.79	7.13	—.02
OhTE A	7.01	7.36	—.01
StrInA	6.70	7.03	
TxEA p	12.92	13.56	—.02
TxInsA p	7.87	8.26	—.01
USGrA	12.00	12.73	—.17
USGvA	6.37	6.69	
UtilA p	11.41	11.98	—.12
CATEB t	6.96	6.96	
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GlEqB	12.59	12.59	—.08
GwthB t	13.75	13.75	—.17
HYMB t	9.70	9.70	—.01
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MATxB t	7.47	7.47	—.01
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USGvB t	6.37	6.37	
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Columbia Funds:			
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ComStk	15.53	N.L.	—.22
Fixed	12.48	N.L.	—.02
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IntlStk	13.28	N.L.	+.04
Muni	11.79	N.L.	—.01
Speci	20.03	N.L.	—.20
Common Sense:			
Govt	10.11	10.84	—.03
GrInc	15.64	17.09	—.26
Grwth	15.09	16.49	—.25
MunB	13.17	13.83	—.03
Compass Capital:			
EqInc	13.13	13.64	—.11
PxIn	10.02	10.41	—.01
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NJ Mun	10.81	11.23	—.01
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Composite Group:			
BdStkA p	11.59	12.14	—.11
GwthA p	12.65	13.25	—.20
InFdA p	8.47	8.82	—.02
NW50A p	14.65	15.34	—.28
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USGvA p	9.83	10.24	—.02
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	14.92	15.22	—.27
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	9.97	10.39	—.02
Grwth	14.99	15.78	—.23
Income	9.41	9.60	
TxFree	14.03	14.77	—.12
CG Cap Mkt Fds:			
IntrFx	7.86	N.L.	—.01
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MgBkd	7.61	N.L.	—.01
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TrlRtn	7.77	N.L.	—.01
Copley	19.30	N.L.	—.14
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Crabbe Huson:			
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Bond	9.33	N.L.	—.01
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ST Bd	9.54	9.54	—.01
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TaxEx	11.33	11.80	—.03
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Dal Grp Instl:			
DlchI	6.32	6.32	
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Delaware Group:			
Trend p	12.22	12.97	—.14
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NY Tax	14.77	N.L.	—.05
NYTE p	17.51	N.L.	—.03
PeopIn t	16.08	N.L.	—.26
PeoMid r	17.00	N.L.	—.20
ShtGv	10.79	N.L.	—.01
ST Inc p	11.81	N.L.	—.01
ShInT r	12.93	N.L.	
Thrd C	7.89	N.L.	—.08
UST Int	12.47	N.L.	—.02
UST Lng	13.53	N.L.	—.04
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Dreyfus Comstock:			
CapVlA	11.77	12.32	+.12
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PStgA p	9.44	9.88	+.08
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Dreyfus Premier:			
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CTMA	11.69	12.24	—.03
CapGth	15.29	15.76	—.11
FLMA	14.34	15.02	—.04
GlbInA	15.76	N.L.	—.04
GlbInB t	15.58	15.58	—.05
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MAMA	11.47	12.01	—.03
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MuBB t	13.61	13.61	—.04
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NCMA	12.56	13.15	—.04
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NYMB t	13.92	13.97	—.05
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Dupree Mutual:			
KYTF	7.24	N.L.	—.01
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EBI Funds:			
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Eason V Marathon:			
ALTxFt	10.01	10.01	—.01
AZTxFt	10.16	10.16	—.01
ARTxFt	9.95	9.95	—.02
CalMuni t	9.32	9.32	—.01
CTTxFt	9.80	9.80	—.02
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Enterprise Group:			
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Gwth p	8.34	8.76	—.10
GrInc p	17.95	18.85

Meeting with Fehr reaffirms solidarity

ATLANTA (AP) — In a meeting that reaffirmed player solidarity but broke no new ground, union head Donald Fehr briefed his members Tuesday on the negotiations that failed to save the 1994 season.

"Everything was about what we expected," said Tom Glavine, the Atlanta Braves' player representative. "Everybody is on the same page. Everybody is behind it the way we've been all along."

Thirty-three players representing 19 teams met with Fehr in a nearly 3½-hour session, the first of a seven-city tour.

"Basically I guess you could say it was an information session to make sure everybody was up to date," said Fehr, who will hold another session Wednesday at Tampa, Fla. "We were pleased with how it went. There's no news beyond that."

Brett Butler, the Los Angeles Dodgers' player representative, said the meeting was to clarify the executive board's position for players who were relying on news reports.

"Until they're ready to negotiate, all we can do is inform our players, keep having these meetings and keep them up to snuff on what's going on," Butler said.

Glavine said no one came up with any new ideas.

"We've given them all the ideas we have," he said. "It's up to them to come back and talk to us if they ever want to. We all love baseball and we all want to play but we don't want to play under those rules. That's the bottom line. The sooner owners understand that, the sooner we'll get together and get something done."

The sides haven't met since Sept. 9 and Fehr said there are no scheduled talks. The union believes owners will attempt to declare an impasse in bargaining and unilaterally implement the salary cap management is insisting on.

"This is about breaking the union and getting their power back and ultimately getting a lot of money out of it," Glavine said.

Most of the players dashed out of the room without stopping to talk to reporters.

"I'm going to play golf," Fred McGriff of the Atlanta Braves said.

Former-Brave Jay Howell, now with the Texas Rangers, said the situation is frustrating.

"At some point both sides have to get together and sit down and find out what it was we want to accomplish," Howell said.

Braves third baseman Terry Pendleton said the players are not wavering.

"We feel strongly as ever about our position," Pendleton told the Macon Telegraph. "We all feel like there's a reason for what we're doing."

Fehr said the players basically want to know if reasonable efforts were made to reach an agreement.

"If it wasn't there, OK, it wasn't there," he said. "We'll wait until the owners are ready to negotiate. That's why we go through it in that detail."

Fehr and acting commissioner Bud Selig are to testify Thursday in Washington before a congressional subcommittee investigating baseball's antitrust exemption.

SOX: Boston 54-61 in '94

(From 1C)

that."

Speculation on Hobson's future intensified when Dan Duquette became general manager last Jan. 27 after serving in that capacity with Montreal. It increased when the Red Sox faltered after getting off to a strong start this year.

Duquette did not name a successor to Hobson. He said he was considering a list of candidates with more experience at the major league level, "an experienced veteran baseball man."

"Butch gave his best efforts for the last three years. Are we holding him responsible for everything with the club? The answer to that is no," Duquette said.

The Red Sox were 54-61 in the strike-shortened 1994 season, 17 games out of first place in the AL East. His record since taking the job in 1992 was 207-232.

Hobson, 43, was not offered another job with the Red Sox. He had flown to Boston from Alabama after receiving a call from Duquette on Monday night.

"I apologize for my attire, I didn't know this was going to happen," said Hobson, dressed in blue jeans, a leather vest and a white crew-neck polo shirt.

He thanked Jean Yawkey, the late Red Sox owner, general partner John Harrington, former general manager Lou Gorman and former owner Haywood Sullivan for the opportunity to manage.

"My head's up because I'm proud of what I accomplished here. My head's up because I'm a good person," Hobson said. "Good things happen to good people and good things will happen to me."

Hobson was largely stoical and soft-spoken as a manager, never outwardly exhibiting the intense leadership he had shown on the field as a third baseman with the Red Sox, Angels and Yankees.

In Hobson's first season as manager, Boston finished last in the AL East with a 73-89 record. The Red Sox were in the division race for much of the 1993 season but ended up at 80-82.

"In the long run, the bottom line for a major league manager is wins and losses," Duquette said. "While it's helpful to be popular with your players, it's more important to have their respect.

"I believe they gave their best effort for him. I believe that Butch gave his best effort for the Red Sox."

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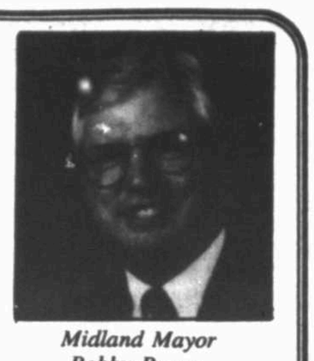
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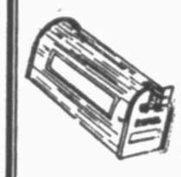
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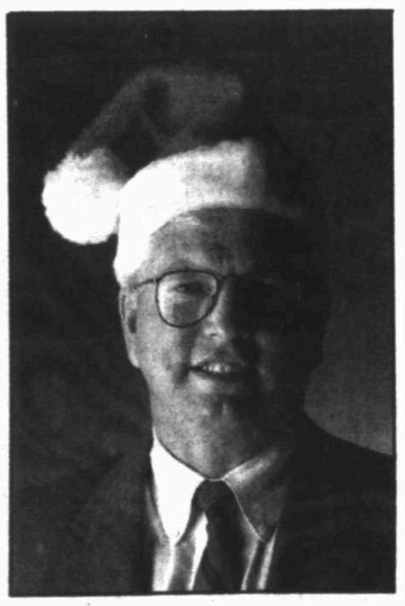
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Cancer antidotes

If you're worried about colon cancer, here are possible ways to help prevent it, according to cancer researcher Maurice R. Bennik, of Michigan State University.

■ Keep carcinogens out of your diet as much as possible. That especially means eating less grilled and fried meat high in cancer-causing agents called HCA's — heterocyclic amines.

■ Eat high-fiber foods, such as wheat bran, to speed intestinal contents through the bowel so there is less time for carcinogens to come in contact with colon cells.

■ Eat foods with indoles (broccoli) and glutathione (asparagus, watermelon) that help detoxify carcinogens, preventing cell damage leading to cancer.

■ Reduce cancer-promoting cell damage by eating adequate amounts of antioxidants, such as vitamin C, E and selenium.

■ Reduce fat to 15 to 20 percent of calories.

■ Eat lots of calcium. Recent studies suggest 2,000 milligrams of calcium a day may "normalize" precancerous cells in the colon.

Fat solution

What's the best way to get rid of excessive fat in kids' diets?

Stop giving youngsters over age 2 whole or full-fat milk. Substitute low-fat or skim non-fat milk.

Just that one action would bring many youngsters who are now eating too much fat into a health-safe range of fat intake. That's the conclusion of a a recent analysis by Frances E. Thompson, Ph.D. and Barbara A. Dennison, of the National Cancer Institute.

They point out that more than 80 percent of youngsters aged 2 to 5 exceeded current guidelines for fat intake, according to a large government survey. In short, the preschoolers got more than 30 percent of their calories from fat and more than 10 percent of calories from saturated animal-type fat.

Whole milk was the No.1 source of both total fat and saturated fat in the children's diets.

Thus, Thompson and Dennison urge the use of lower-fat dairy foods for all children from preschool through adolescence.

Warning: Do not put children under age 2 on a low-fat diet; it could retard their development.

Fish for smokers

If you are a current or former smoker, there's some new evidence about fish that should grab your attention.

A couple of large studies have found that eating fish seems to slow the deterioration of lung function caused by cigarette smoking.

Among nearly 9,000 current or former smokers, those who averaged four fish servings per week were 45 percent less apt to have bronchitis or emphysema than those eating one-half serving or less of fish per week. The studies were done at the University of Minnesota.

In another recent Hawaiian study of 8,000 men, long-time smokers (36 years or more) who ate two or more fish meals a week had less lung damage than those eating less fish.

The theory: Omega-3 type fish oil inhibits inflammatory reactions leading to lung cell destruction and consequent breathing disorders. Fish highest in the protective oils are salmon, herring, sardines, tuna and mackerel.

Aleve-iate pain

A new drug could benefit many pain and fever suffers previously unable to get relief.

Sold under the brand name Aleve, naproxen does add to an already lengthy list of pain relief medicines that includes aspirin, acetaminophen and ibuprofen.

But Texas Tech University Health Science Center Chief Resident Michael Ragain, M.D., says Aleve could be effective for people who haven't been helped by the old standbys. "People respond differently to different to different medications," Ragain siad.

Ragain said naproxen, formerly available only by prescription, was approved for over-the-counter sales this summer.

"Life Watch" is compiled from Reporter-Telegram News Services and "Food Pharmacy" by Jean Carper.

Fear can mean false evidence appears real

By Dr. Hap LeCrone
N.Y. Times News Service

Many of the individuals that I see professionally come to me as a result of some sort of fear.

Following are examples of some common fears.

■ Fear of rejection. This is the belief that asking for what you want or need will lead to a "no" answer. Anxiety about not being able to handle the "no" leads to rejecting the risk and not asking at all.

■ Fear of disapproval. Performing a certain task — making a speech, writing a story, volunteering to act in a play — might elicit a response too painful to bear.

Some examples of this type of thinking: If someone laughs, it is because that person thinks I am stupid. If someone glances away, it is because that person is disinterested and bored with what I have to say.

Even a positive response can be interpreted negatively. If someone claps in applause, that person didn't really enjoy my performance but is just doing it to be polite.

■ Fear of change. Having to do something different is bound to be more work. Having to do something different must mean I have to learn something new. Having to do something different means I might fail. Having to do something different means I might be evaluated negatively.

■ Fear of the future. My past has been so painful and I am so unhappy at present that the future is bound to be even worse. The future is uncharted and without guarantees, so I will try to repeat old behaviors and live in the past when possible. At least I've been there. Future happiness is only for those are born lucky, which doesn't include me. The future looks pretty bleak to me.

■ Fear of relationships. Relationships often lead to the need for trust, and I have never been able to trust anyone. Relationships might lead to love, and no one has ever loved me. Relationships may lead to commitment and I don't like to promise anyone anything.

Fear can be an emotionally incapacitating and insulating feeling. Someone once wrote that fear is often an acronym for False Evidence Appearing Real.

"False Evidence" refers to the erroneous and distorted perceptions of the way we think about things. The perceptions are distorted because of the belief systems that we have developed from negative, past experiences.

A childhood and adolescence filled with unhappy experiences, or perhaps simply patterns of communication thrust upon us by uncaring, uneducated or uninsightful caregivers, can lead to these patterns of distorted thinking and our belief systems about ourselves.

We continue to think in a certain way and believe certain things even though to do so is illogical, unreasonable and unrealistic.

Fortunately, these belief systems can be modified and changed. But this requires time and effort.

Changing the way we view the world, especially as it relates to us, can help correct this irrational thinking. It can lead to a dissipation of fear and uncertainty.

Do you know anyone who fits the patterns outlined above? If so, they may want to change, as life on the other side of fear is much better.

Dr. Hap LeCrone is a Waco, Texas, clinical psychologist. If you have questions or topics you would like Dr. LeCrone to discuss, write him at P.O. Box 7854, Waco, Texas 76714.

Too many babies born too soon

By Leslie Zganjar

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — The notice in the church bulletin wasted no words, coming to the point with heartbreaking swiftness.

"Sewers needed to help put together baby dresses. These baby dresses are used for infants who die at Earl K. Long Hospital. The infants are presented to their parents and family to hold and say their goodbyes. Obtain a dress kit with everything cut and ready to sew."

And finally: "Bring only thread and your love."

Now women like Cissy Davis patiently cut patterns of tiny, baby gowns from soft cloth, creating shrouds for dead babies. They bring them to the hospital a dozen at a time, always dreading the call for another shipment.

"You're glad you can help, but you're always sad when the nurses call and say they don't have any more dresses," Davis says.

But there seems to be an insatiable demand.

In 1990, Louisiana had the nation's eighth highest infant mortality rate — more than 11 babies lost for every 1,000 born. Nationally, 9 of every 1,000 died, giving the United States a higher rate than Singapore, Spain or Greece.

The problem, simply, is that too many babies are being born too early, weighing too little. Too many women lack access to prenatal care or fail to take advantage of the care that is available.

Of the 2,600 deliveries at Earl K. Long in the last 12 months, 20 percent of the mothers had no prenatal care. About 25 babies are brought each month to the hospital's intensive care nursery, most born at the pregnancy's halfway mark. Many weigh just over a pound.

Ventilators gently force oxygen into underdeveloped lungs. Tubes the size of fishing line carry nourishment and medication into their bodies.

When death is imminent, nurses take the family into a nearby office, to say goodbye. Often, a mother will rock her baby until it dies.

Many of the families are poor. If the parents want a funeral, the nurses will work with a local church or service organization to raise the needed money. Or, the nurses might encourage a funeral home to donate a casket, marker and a small plot of land at a cemetery.

There remained the problem of how to clothe these tiny corpses.



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A nurse works to sustain the fragile life of premature infant Roderick Scott at Earl K. Long Hospital's intensive care nursery in Baton Rouge, La., in August. About 25 premature babies are brought to the nursery each month, most born months early, many weighing just over a pound. In 1990, Louisiana had the nation's eighth highest infant mortality rate, more than 11 babies lost for every 1,000 born.

It's nearly impossible to find clothes for babies born prematurely, many of them small enough to cradle in an adult palm, says Cindy Collins, a nurse who supervises the neonatal intensive care unit.

So a year ago, a pediatrician at the hospital called the First Presbyterian Church in Baton Rouge and asked if a woman's group there would be interested in making infant burial gowns.

"What we asked them to do is to make some real little dresses that the parents could feel good about burying the babies in or keep as a momento," Collins says.

Davis, Anna Miller and Pam Downing agreed to lead the project. They found a doll dress to use as a pattern. They purchased fabric and trimming, cut dress pieces from the cloth and placed the materials in plastic baggies.

The announcement in the church bulletin drew immediate results. Some women asked for kits; others donated material and money.

"One lady didn't have a sewing machine, but she wanted to make one so she sewed it by hand," Davis says.

So far, the seamstresses have stitched together almost 100 dresses. Whenever the hospital runs out of gowns, the women take a dozen to the nurses, and "that's where it hits you," Downing says. "It hits more going there than doing the sewing. The babies are so tiny."

Davis, a mother of three grown children, wasn't prepared for the emotional jolt. "The first little dress I made — it really bothered me to think I was making a dress for a baby who was going to be put in it that was dead."

As she works, she remembers her own baby brother, born too early to survive. "My mother wouldn't let me go to the funeral," she says. "I often wonder, 'What did he wear when they buried him?'"

She prefers to keep her distance from

Please see **BORN**/2D

Menopause phone hotline offers messages on nearly 300 topics

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — Women with questions about menopause can now tap into a free telephone library to get information on topics ranging from managing midlife stress to estrogen replacement therapy.

The National Menopause Foundation Inc. has announced the activation of 1-800-MENOASK, a voice mail system with prerecorded messages addressing more than 280 topics.

The system, funded by a grant from Bristol-Myers Squibb Co. in Princeton, can handle as many as 10,000 calls per day, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern time.

Specific topics are accessed by punching a four-digit code on a Touch-Tone phone. An on-line directory provides the codes, or, for a small fee, a written directory can be obtained from the National Menopause Foundation in Gainesville, Fla.

Should callers require more specific information, they can reach a nurse practitioner by leaving a message with the hotline, said Patrick D. Donohue, a Bristol-Myers Squibb spokesman.

Study: Elderly women more likely to be involved in auto accidents

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Women over age 65 are involved in automobile accidents more than men of the same age, according to a University of Kentucky study.

The research was based on accidents occurring on Michigan roads between 1986 and 1988. It took into account how much older men and women drive.

The study, by Nikiforos Stamatiadis, an assistant professor of transportation engineering, did not show gender differences for younger drivers under the age of 55.

In the study, women over 65 showed a higher rate than males of the same age for accidents at intersection areas, for accidents involving a turn and for accidents during the day.

"That could point to a gender trend — for example, left turn accidents may be indicative of physical limitations due to the smaller size of elderly females," the researcher said.

Stamatiadis said he hopes to obtain similar data for Kentucky so he can compare results from the two states.

Questions should be answered before exercise program begins

Hearst News Service

Most people have read the warnings: If you are over 35, do not begin an exercise program until consulting with a physician. But that's probably not necessary for many people, according to a Canadian fitness expert in Better Homes and Gardens magazine.

A simple questionnaire may be all you need before starting. That's assuming that you are in average to above-average condition and are starting a moderate exercise program.

The pre-exercise screening device, called the Canadian Physical Activity Readiness questionnaire (PAR-Q), has been used since 1975, says Dr. Roy J. Shepard, professor emeritus at the University of Toronto.

Its purpose is to guide adults under age 65 who have no more than one of the following cardiac risk factors: high blood pressure, high cholesterol, smoking, diabetes, or a family history of heart disease.

If you answer "yes" to any of the following questions, or if you have more than one of the conditions above, you should definitely see a doctor before exercising:

■ Has a doctor said that you have a heart condition and recommended only medically supervised activity?

■ Does physical activity bring on chest pains?

■ Have you developed chest pain in the last month?

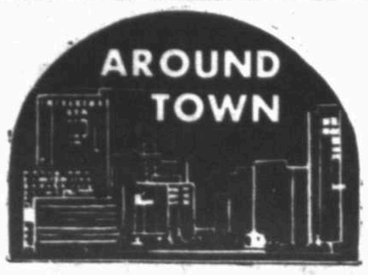
■ Do you tend to lose consciousness or fall over as a result of dizziness?

■ Do you have a bone or a joint that could be aggravated by exercise?

■ Has a doctor ever recommended medication for your blood pressure or a heart condition?

■ Are you aware through your own experience, or a doctor's advice, of any other physical reason that you should not engage in any form of exercise without medical supervision?

Even if you pass the test, a visit to your doctor could pay off. You might pick up some tips for refining your exercise program and goals. You can also ask for advice on good nutrition, an excellent companion to your exercise program.



Family Asthma Program, a free half-day program for asthmatic children in grades one through 12, their parents and other interested adults, will be Oct. 8 at Golf Course Road Church of Christ's Family Center Building, 3500 W. Andrews Highway in Midland. Sign-in will be 8:45 a.m., with the program scheduled for 9 a.m.-noon.

Children's activities will conducted by school nurses, registered nurses, respiratory therapists and Dr. John Bray and Dr. Stephen Wiesenfeld. Program will include games, crafts, snack and tae-kwon-do class, with student participation in activities appropriate for age.

Adult program will be conducted by Robert J. Rogers, M.D., pediatric asthma and allergy specialist from Fort Worth Allergy and Asthma Associates, Allergy Asthma and Clinical Immunology. He will speak on The Physiology of Asthma and Allergy, Asthma Medications, and Nuts and Bolts of Treatment.

At least one parent or other adult must accompany each child. Due to limited available space, only asthmatic children should participate. Each child will receive a free T-shirt and educational materials.

Pre-registration is required and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information call 682-4229...

...**DISTRICT XII** of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs will host the state board meeting Thursday and Friday at the Holiday Inn Centre in Odessa.

State representatives and members of the host district are invited to attend. Registration begins at 9 a.m. each day.

Executive and president council meeting will be Thursday, as well as dinner at 6 p.m. Friday meetings will include reports given from 10:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Banquet will be 6:30 p.m. The opera "Glowena" will be presented.

Registration will be $3; Thursday dinner will be $15; and Friday banquet will be $16.25. For more information call 699-4296...

...**ALLISON CANCER** Center, 2200 W. Illinois, will present American Cancer Society's Evening Dialogue 7 p.m. Tuesday at the center. Hanie and Gina Ivy will present "Vitamins, Supplements and Nutrition." All cancer patients, their families and friends are invited...

...**UPTOWN BUSINESS** and Professional Women will host "Networking in the '90s," a Woman Power seminar, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Oct. 1 at the Petroleum Club, 501 W. Wall in Midland.

Cost will be $35, and will include lunch and refreshments.

Reservations can be made by calling 683-3000 or 694-3000...

...**PERMIAN BASIN** Health Fair will be Saturday at Building G, Ector County Coliseum...

...**LA LECHE** League will meet 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4 at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2801 N. Garfield. Discussion will be on "The Baby Arrives: The Family and the Breastfed Baby."

All interested women are invited to attend. For more information call 694-2018 or 697-0539...

...**LT. WILLIAM** Brewer chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet 1:30 p.m. Oct. 4 at Midland Woman's Club. The program will be on literacy. For more information call 697-4235...

...**VOICES FOR** Children, a program of Centers for Children and Families that provides advocates for abused and neglected children in the legal system, will have a volunteer training session 6-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays Oct. 4-Nov. 3.

This training is free of charge and carries no obligation to be a Voices volunteer. For more information or to register call 699-4262...

...**PERMIAN PLAYERS** will present "The Wondermous Elf," a musical for children of all ages, Friday through Sunday and Sept. 29-Oct. 2 at 2311 Elizabeth St. Performances will be 7:30 p.m.

Opening night performance will benefit the Petroleum Museum; tickets will be $20. Tickets for all other performances will be $5.

For tickets and other information call 684-4230 between 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday through Thursday. "The Wondermous Elf" is locally written and produced by Ellen Gossett, directed by Andy Salcedo and performed by the Permian Players...

DEAR ABBY

Wife not smiling about state of husband's teeth

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I must comment on your reply to the woman whose gentleman friend's only drawback is his terrible teeth. You recommended candidly saying, "You really need to see a dentist — let me refer you to mine."


Van Buren

I hope it works for her. When my husband and I were courting, the only thing I found seriously disturbing was the miserable condition of his teeth. The one time I mentioned it, he blew up, and I never mentioned it again. However, our compatibilities far outweighed the teeth issue, so I decided to bear with it and hope he would change. He didn't.

After we were married, I got him to brush his teeth more regularly, but he still refused to see a dentist — even when his gums were in such bad condition, he bled on the pillowcase! When I pointed this out to him, he said, "I'll be fine." (Need I tell you what his breath smells like?)

Abby, what would make a grown man behave this way? Is there anything I can do? — BAFFLED IN VIRGINIA

DEAR BAFFLED: He behaves this way because he is absolutely terrified of seeing a dentist. As a boy, he probably had a very painful experience in the dentist's chair.

Perhaps if you told his physician about this hangup, he could explain that a person's general health is seriously threatened if his teeth are rotting.

He could also explain that dentistry has come a long way in recent years, and while the discomfort is temporary, the rewards are permanent.

DEAR ABBY: Re the rooster-shaped alarm clock and where you can buy one: Your search is over — you can have mine. But I must warn you that this is the most annoying alarm clock ever made!

The alarm is bad enough: "cock-a-doodle-doo" at an ear-shattering volume over and over again. But when you finally shut it off by pushing down its comb, the rooster says "Good morning" in an unnaturally cheerful voice.

Abby, nobody should be that cheerful at 7 a.m. — least of all the fatuous fowl that disturbs my slumber. This chicken is really starting to get on my nerves, so please take it off my hands before I choke it.

Since the clock was a gift from a friend, please don't mention my name. Just sign me ... NOTHING TO CROW ABOUT

DEAR NOTHING: Thank you for the rooster clock, whose cock-a-doodle-doo is so authentic I thought I had a live rooster in the house.

And to all who wrote asking where such a clock is available, they are advertised in numerous mail-order catalogs — and many novelty shops and electronics stores also carry crowing clocks.

DEAR ABBY: "Delaware" asked, "What does it mean when a person puts a postage stamp upside down on an envelope?"

You replied, "It could mean, 'I love you,' 'I'm in a hurry' or 'I need glasses.'"

Abby, that may be correct, but it also means that the writer is right-handed and buys 29-cent stamps by the roll.

When those stamps are used by a right-handed person, they come off the roll upside down! When I have a lot of envelopes to stamp, I can't be bothered turning each stamp right side up. This has been my pet peeve for years. — TONI RHODE IN NEW HOLSTEIN, WIS.

DEAR ABBY: On Mother's Day, the daughter of an elderly member of our church was visiting her mother.

The daughter, who is from out of town, gave my teen-age son a check for $100 to pay for 10 "mows" of her mother's lawn. That seemed like such a thoughtful and practical gift; I felt I should pass it on to you for the benefit of your readers who are looking for gift ideas. — PERKI SWEET (MY REAL NAME)

DEAR PERKI: What a sweet thought. (Sorry, I couldn't resist.) Although it's too late for Mother's Day or Father's Day, I hope my readers keep it in mind.

For Abby's favorite family recipes, send a long, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Cookbooklet No. 1, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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CONSUMING INTERESTS

'Chicken fried steak' is a first for frozen dinners

By Linda Anderson

I couldn't resist, ya'll, when I saw an Extra Helping frozen dinner from Banquet, and the entree was "Chicken Fried Beef Steak Dinner."


Anderson

In the first place, I've never seen a frozen chicken fried steak dinner before, and in the second place, I didn't think anyone but Texans could do justice to the National Dish of Texas. And Banquet's home office seems to be in Omaha, Neb.

Extra Helping dinners consist of larger portions of vegetables (in this case, potatoes and corn) and two entrees. Label advertising describes the dinner as "Chicken Fried Beef Steak ... with Country Style Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, and Corn in Seasoned Sauce" that is "Double the Food of Our Sliced Beef Meal."

Extra Helping dinners are also available in other flavors — Southern Fried chicken, Salisbury Steak, Mexican, Fried Chicken, All White Meat Chicken, Meat Loaf and Turkey and Gravy.

They also come in extra-long serving containers, so that I had to heat our up in the regular oven — it was exactly long enough to fit in the microwave, but too long for the turntable to turn.

Our Extra Helping dinner cost $2.29, which is a lot cheaper than some single-serving dinners, and, if you consider that it is "double the food" of a regular dinner, is quite a bargain, as far as frozen dinners go.

The dinner is 18.65-ounces too, which is more than a pound of food. Naturally enough, it has a lot of calories — 800, to be exact, with 400 of them from fat. Other nutritional information listed revealed the dinner contained 55 mg cholesterol, 2050 mg sodium, 73 g carbohydrates and 29 g protein, as well as 25 percent of the calcium and 15 percent of the iron listed in the U.S. Recommended Daily Allowance.

The dinner was much, much too big for one of us, so the young taste-tester and I shared it — she got most of the potatoes that were eaten and I polished off the corn.

One of the first things I noticed about the dinner is that it really does taste very salty, but with 2050 mg sodium in the meal, I guess that's understandable.

Even with both of us sampling it, we didn't finish the whole dinner. But we each got a good enough taste to discover that it *is* kind of tasty (even though it's salty) for a frozen dinner, and the Nebraskans did a fairly decent job of making a frozen chicken fried steak meal.

Of course, it's not anywhere *near* as good as a real chicken fried steak made in Texas, but it will do in a pinch.

Price listed is from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

Program approved

LUBBOCK — The American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer granted a three-year approval to the cancer program at Methodist Hospital's Hodges Cancer Center. This program achievement meets established national standards to provide the highest-quality care for patients at the local level.

The four components of an approved cancer program include. a multidisciplinary cancer committee to oversee the institution's activities; patient-oriented cancer conferences focusing on treatment strategy and rehabilitation; patient care evaluation studies for performance reviews of the institution; and a cancer registry for annual, lifetime follow-up on every patient.

"The success of our cancer program has been built upon the hospital-wide commitment and involement in the treatment of the cancer patient," said Dana Rains, administrative director of Hodges Cancer Center. "With the expertise and guidance of the Cancer Committee, Methodist Hospital's Hodges Cancer Center looks forward to continued advances in the treatment of cancer."

Once a program has been awarded approval, it is re-surveyed every three years to ensure the continuation of quality service to its patients.

BORN: Babies dressed with tenderness

(From 1D)

the beneficiaries of her work. She doesn't meet the mothers she sews for and rarely inquires about the babies she sees in the nursery, clinging to life.

But she and all the other seamstresses know that their efforts are appreciated. Cindy Collins says many mothers bury their babies in these lovely dresses, but reserve the bonnets and blankets as keepsakes.

"They have a piece of something they can keep that says this baby was real," Collins says.

"They've never gotten to take the babies home. A lot of times they've never gotten to feed them. Some family members think, 'You couldn't have gotten attached to them that fast because he or she was never a real person.' But that's not true."

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DWF, 42
5'10", attractive, professional, fun-loving, nonsmoker, independent, spontaneous. Seeks attractive, professional, tall S/DWM, 35-45, for candlelight, dancing, outdoors, movies, companionship. VMB 0025

Good-looking SWM
Professional, athletic, romantic, 5'10", blue-eyed. Seeks sincere, honest, slim, attractive S/DWF, 25-35, for friendship, dating. VMB 2339

DWM, 60
Energetic, financially secure, enjoys traveling, country dancing, outdoors. Seeking slim, petite, unencumbered, energetic S/DWF, to share life with. VMB 3830

Sincere DWM, 34
Enjoys weekend getaways, camping, movies, dining out, quiet evenings, walks. Seeks S/DWF, 25-40, with similar interests, possible relationship. VMB 4537

SWM, 21
5'11", 165lbs., enjoys country music, dancing, looking at evening sky and talking, quiet evenings. Seeking SWF, 20-25, similar interests. VMB 5396

Pretty DBCF, 45
Nicely-built, sincere, loves God, church, dining, movies, poetry. Seeking mature, sincere, secure S/DCM, older preferred. Possible relationship. VMB 6506

Can't dance
But loves romance, hearts and flowers filled with lonely hours. Blue-eyed, 6'1", kinda cuddly DWM, 39, seeks S/DWF, 25-45. VMB 5876

DWM, 32
6'2", 200lbs., red hair, green eyes, active. Enjoys camping, fishing, mountains, dancing. Seeking S/DWF, 22-39, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 7883

Green-eyed SWF, 18
Very slim, 5'11", honest, loves writing, music. Seeking tall, honest, trustworthy SWM, 18-22, good conversationalist. Must love dogs! VMB 1693

Fun-loving SWCF
Biologically 47, teenager-at-heart, looks aren't bad either, energetic, gentle-spirited, enjoys laughter. Seeks honest SWCM, 40-50, for friendship, maybe more. VMB 0449

Low-keyed DWM, 38
6ft., blue eyes, brown hair, medium-built, 215lbs., good career, casual dresser, nondrinker. Seeking medium-built, professional SWF. VMB 0201

Attractive redhead
SWF, 38, 5'3", slender, enjoys movies, dining out, theatre. Seeks educated, nonsmoker, S/DWM, 34-48, for friendship, possible romance. VMB 7778

DWF, 26
Two children. Seeking honest, commitment-minded S/DW, true country boy, who enjoys dancing, horses, kids, family life. Nondrinker, nonsmoker, drug-free. VMB 6094

SM, 29
5'11", 230lbs., enjoys dancing, going out, romantic evenings. Seeking professional, attractive SW/HF, 23-30, for companionship, possibly more. VMB 6182

SWM, handsome
Early 40's, 6'1", 185lbs., blond, hazel-eyed, enjoys camping, movies, dining, quiet evenings. Seeks attractive SW/HF, 25-35, for possible relationship. VMB 2532

DHF, 50's
Tall, slender, attractive, well-educated, elegant, smoker, walking, travel, finer things. Seeking DWM, mid-50's, well-educated, financially secure. Speak some Spanish. VMB 4543

Pleasant, humorous
Attractive, financially secure, professional DWF, diverse interests. Seeks normal S/DWM, 36-45, appreciates, possesses sincerity and honesty. Nonsmoker, social drinker. VMB 0157

SWM, 34
Very confident, spontaneous, financially secure. Enjoys music, cooking, movies, quiet times. Seeks SWF, 35-45, social drinker, children okay. VMB 6378

SWM, 26
5'6", brown hair, hazel eyes. Likes outdoors, fishing, bow hunting, traveling. Seeking SWF, 24-30, for possible relationship. VMB 4113

Classy DWF, 43
Intimate, shapely Austinite. Seeks distinguished, financially secure, sincere, professional WM, 40-55, for friendship, companionship. VMB 6226

Ancient SWM, 70
Many life experiences, may have answers to your immediate problem. Call let's talk. Seeking female, for friendship. VMB 6153

First time ad
SWF, 28, professional, blue-eyed blonde, full-figured, enjoys animals, music, cooking, outdoor activities. Seeking professional S/DWM, 28-38, nonsmoker. VMB 5066

Wanted: Unique
S/DWF, with compassion of Mother Theresa, humor of Goldie Hawn, attitude of Nina Hartley; for a SWM, 48. VMB 3048

Attractive SBF, 26
Enjoys books, movies, music. Seeking attractive, honest SBM, 25-32, for fun times, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2726

DBF, 44
Sound mind, well-adjusted person, enjoys traveling, movies. Seeking S/DM, 44-50, with similar interests, for possible relationship. VMB 0294

SWHF, 19
Brown-haired, brown-eyed, outgoing, funny, likes to have fun, enjoys music, conversation, clubs. Looking for SH/WM, similar interests, for friendship. VMB 0306

Fun-loving SWM, 28
5'11", professional, enjoys outdoors, movies, dancing. Looking for that special S/DW/H/AF, 21-31, to share friendship, possible relationship. VMB 3959

DWM, 34
6ft., 170lbs., brown hair, eyes, enjoys sports, camping, motorcycle riding, long walks, romantic nights. Seeking SWF, similar interests. VMB 3142

SWM, 38
Black hair, green-eyed, 5'8", enjoys fishing, camping, bowling, motorcycle riding. Seeking honest, down-to-earth SF, 35-38, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2135

Educated professional
SWCM, 51, likes finer things of life, quiet times, fun times, travel, dancing. Seeks S/DWF, 42-52, for friendship, romance. VMB 1256

With respect
Seeking respectful lady, S/DW/HF, who still awaits, deserves proper treatment. Call and see! DHM, 29, 5'8", light brown eyes. VMB 0224

Heart of gold
DWCM, 42, easygoing, professional, secure job, smoker, likes outdoors, not into games. Seeks S/DCF, 30's-40's, race unimportant. VMB 2829

Caring DWM, 35
6'2", 195lbs., brown hair, blue-eyed. Enjoys mountains, horseback riding, martial arts. Seeking honest S/DW/H/AF, 25-38, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1415

Summer Mummers alert
DWF, 40, in hot pink jumpsuit with pockets of popcorn. Seeking friendly WM from opening night. Interested? Call. VMB 7753

Good friend wanted
Energetic, easygoing SWF, 39, 5'3", 120lbs., welcomes good friend in sincere, honest, caring SWM, 35-4, nonsmoker, nondrinker. VMB 6636

Fun-loving SWM, 34
Enjoys all outdoor activities, movies, car shows, fishing, camping, music and reading. Seeking S/DW/HF, 30-45, for serious relationship. VMB 2500

Red-headed stranger
DWF, 37, 5'7", mother of two, smoker, nondrinker. Enjoys country dancing, gardening, reading. Seeks S/DWM, for friendship. VMB 7086

SWM, 24
Smoker, nondrinker, enjoys country music, fishing, outdoors. Seeks slender, nondrinking SWF, 18-26, with similar interests. VMB 6416

Honest DCM, 38
Enjoys quiet evenings at home, sports, traveling, the outdoors, dancing. Seeking S/DF, 28-40, for friendship, old-fashioned relationship. VMB 0348

Extremely attractive
DWF, degreed professional. Seeks S/DWM, 36-48, prefer degreed, intelligent, attractive, financially and emotionally secure individual, for relationship. VMB 0184

SHM, 26
5'8", 155lbs., emotionally, financially secure. Seeking honest SF, 18-30, to enjoy dancing, movies, travel, dining out, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4942

DWF, 32
Slim, attractive, professional, seeking honest, outgoing S/DWM, 31-45, good sense of humor, for dating, dancing, walks, possible relationship. VMB 3581

DWF, 27
5'9", adventurous, outgoing. Enjoys outdoors, sports, dancing, living life to the fullest. Seeking tall S/DWM, 27-36, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4996

Energetic SWF, 29
4'11", 98lbs., nonsmoker, artist. Loves music, outdoors, dancing. Waiting to be swept away by honest S/DWM, 27-37. VMB 0243

Strong communicator
Intelligent DWF, 50's, red hair, attractive, health professional, loves reading, writing, animals, music, outdoors. Seeking like gentleman. VMB 6020

Call Today.
We can help you find that special someone.

Half-fast DWF
Seeking half-slow DWM, 40-55, to make life complete. Give it a try, there's half a chance you'll like me. VMB 5592

DWF, 47
5'5", green-eyed, enjoys movies, outdoors, quiet times. Seeking down-to-earth, honest S/DWM, 35-55, companionship, possible relationship. VMB 7840

Sincere DWM, 31
5'11', blond, enjoys old rock, country, outdoors, travel, dancing. Seeking S/DWF, 25-40, for fun, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2003

Inquisitive
DWCM, early 40's, daughter, ten, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeking similar S/DWF, friendship, movies Fridays, shop, dinner Saturdays, share meals, talk. VMB 6768

SWM, 31
Blond hair, blue-eyed, 155lbs., enjoys swimming, cookout, movies, quiet times. Ready to settle down. Seeks SWF, 21-30. VMB 1060

Very attractive
DBF, 25, nondrinker, drug-free, nonsmoker, outgoing, enjoys exercise, dancing, talking. Seeking honest, attractive S/DM, for serious relationship. VMB 4527

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

SWM, 34
6ft., 160lbs., professional, financially independent, athletic, enjoys movies, outdoor activities, traveling. Seeking S/DWF, 28+, for friendship, relationship. VMB 1505

Tall, active DWF
50's, medium build, outgoing, people person. Seeks tall, professional, well-rounded DWM, for dancing, travel, movies, dining out. VMB 4559

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

DWF, 39
Long black-haired, hazel-eyed, 5'1", full-figured, dark complexion. Enjoys country dancing, movies, quiet evenings. Seeks sincere, honest man, possible relationship. VMB 3657

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

DWM, 34
6'2", 172lbs., clean-cut beard, nonsmoker, nondrinker, enjoys movies, quiet romantic evenings. Seeking nonsmoking, marriage-minded S/DWF, for true happiness. VMB 2846

DWM, 44, 5'11"
Mr. Nice seeking Miss. Right. Enjoys music, movies, outdoors. Desires S/DW/HF, age unimportant, nonsmoker, sense of humor. VMB 2314

DWM, 38
5'7", 160lbs., single parent, two children. Likes football, softball, bowling, fishing. Seeking sincere WF, 34-42, for possible relationship. VMB 0169

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

Party doll
SWF, 45, desires love with someone special, nonsmoking SWM, good conversationalist, 30-50, enjoys country music, romantic evenings, endless possibilities. VMB 0971

Lonely knight
SWM, 31, seeking slim, attractive, health conscious, professional, fair damsel, to help him out of dark dungeon of despair. VMB 1560

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

Abbreviations
[M]-Male [F]-Female [S]-Single [D]-Divorced [C]-Christian [J]-Jewish [B]-Black [H]-Hispanic [W]-White [A]-Asian [NA]-Native American [NR]-Non Religious [VMB]-Voice Mailbox

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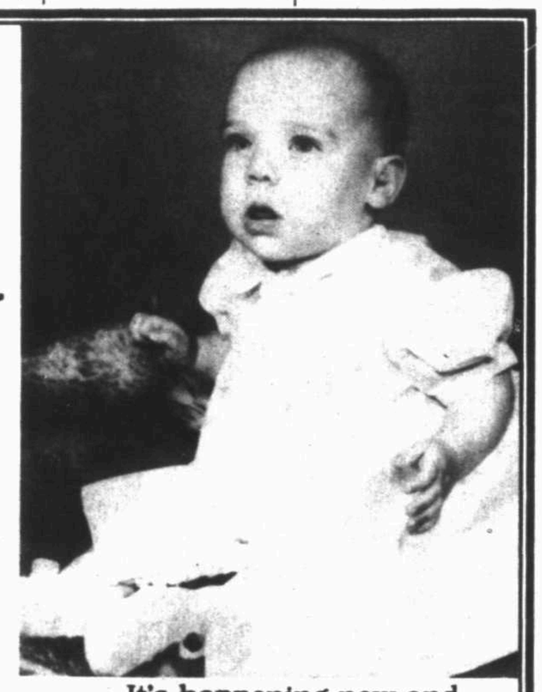
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105 Happy Ads

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110 Lodge Notices

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682-3292.
H. B. Walker Jr., W.M.
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120 Public Notices

TUXEDOS FOR SALE: Fashion Formal Wear at 3211 W. Wadley, is going out of business. All tuxedos, accessories, and shoes are for sale. New and old merchandise. 697-4914.

130 Personals

1-800-442-7080, Ext. 220. Toll Free. Midland Singles.

NOVENA PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT. Holy spirit you who make me see everything and shows me the way to teach my ideas, you who give me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me. I, in this short dialogue want to thank you for everything and confirm once more that I never want to be separated from you no matter how great the material desire may be. I want to be with you and my loved ones your perpetual glory. AMEN Than you for your love towards me and my loved one. O.G.

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LOST: Black and white Bassett mix dog named "Bosco". Please call 689-3027.

LOST: White cat, vicinity of 'F' and Kentucky. 682-8440 or 683-3092.

REWARD! For return of brown 2 month old female Pit Bull with black stripes and 3 month old female Lab/ German Shepherd puppy-orange with black stripe down back. No questions asked! 684-6513.

REWARD! LOST dog, Australian Shepherd/ Blue Heeler mix. Gray, white and black, medium size, approximately 40 lbs., blue collar, blue clear eyes, 4 years old, named Rita. Lost near stadium. Family heartbroken. 684-3834.

150 Lost & Found

IF your pet is lost, please check with MIDLAND ANIMAL CONTROL (on Fairground Road) every three days.

LOST: 9-13, male German Shepherd puppy. 4 months, collar but no tags. Area of Wadley/ Midland Drive. 520-8455.

REWARD! Mixed breed Siamese female cat lost from Saddle Club North area. Answers to "Suki". 570-4203.

FOUND: male Golden Retriever, vicinity of Airline Park. Call to identify, 683-3863.

FOUND: Golden Retriever, female, Midkiff & Industrial. Call SPCA, 684-7582.

LOST: Male yellow, long hair, part Labrador, lost on Shandon between Ward and Whitney. 689-8404.

FOUND: at ClayDesta Plaza. Solid gray, short hair kitten. Yellow eyes. 570-1857.

FOUND Dalmatian south side of Midland. 682-6201 after 3:30. 682-6201.

FOUND on Lamesa, near Culver Youth home: 2 month old Lab (mix) puppy. Has collar. 689-0429.

FOUND: in Fairmont Park, young apricot poodle, please call to identify. 697-6170.

FOUND: Snow white pigeon with leg band appeared at our home on Fri., 16th. 570-4133.

FOUND: Cute gray striped kitten (Brindle), vicinity of Stanolind & Western. Call 683-7351.

115 Announcements

"It's 4 U" Game Rules:

Anyone 18 years or older can enter except employees (and family members of employees) of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, Brite systems Inc., Associated Publishing Co., and their advertising and promotion agencies.

The "It's 4 U" Game is designed for people who live in the Midland and Odessa calling areas and no purchase is required to play or win prizes, although long distance toll charges may apply if you call from outside the Midland-Odessa calling area.

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You can also enter a second chance drawing for unclaimed prizes by hand printing your complete name and address and daytime phone number on a 3"x5" piece of paper and mailing it in an envelope to "It's 4 U" Second Chance Game, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702, so that it is received before the deadline, October 30, 1994. Enter as often as you wish, but submit only one entry in each envelope. Entries become the property of the sponsors. None will be returned.

Each game begins at 12:01 a.m. Monday and ends at 11:59 p.m. Sunday. Each week for eight weeks ending November 5, 1994, five entries will be selected at random and will win one of that week's prize. The total value of all prizes to be awarded in the "It's 4 U" game will equal $4,000 or more. The names and cities of winners will be published in the Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified Ads page. No substitution of prizes is permitted. Only one prize will be awarded to each winner.

By entering, winners authorize the use of their names, cities or photos for publicity purposes. Winners may be required to sign an affidavit of eligibility and release. Taxes are the responsibility of winners. Void where prohibited.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 3:00 P.M. September 28, 1994, to be opened at 3:00 P.M., in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bids(s):

Bid #118-94 for:
An annual purchase agreement for Hot Mix Flexible Base Caliche, Chat & Type C Rock for the Street Department.

Bid #119-94 for:
Dry Cleaning Services for he Water & Wastewater Division.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
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Bid #3-95 for:
An annual purchase agreement for Vehicle Filters for the Vehicle Services Division.

Bid #4-95 for:
5 each Gas Monitoring Probe Wells for the Midland Landfill.

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Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF WILBUR DEAN STRACK, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Wilbur Dean Strack, Deceased, were issued to Tommie Ryland Strack, Independent Executrix, on the September 13, 1994, in the proceeding styled "Estate of Wilbur Dean Strack, Deceased, " No. 10,894 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, which is still pending and that said person now holds such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate, which is being administered in Midland County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to said Independent Executrix, at 901 Citation, Midland, Texas 79705 before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

TOMMIE RYLAND STRACK,
Independent
Executrix of the Estate of
Wilbur Dean Strack, Deceased,
No. 10,894 in the County Court of
Midland County, Texas

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Bid #2-95 for:
An annual purchase agreement for Vehicle Batteries for the Municipal Garage.

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Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MARC RUIZ, d/b/a AUTO BUYERS, Defendant in the cause described in this citation.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear and to answer before the County Court at Law of Midland County, Texas, Ground Floor, Midland County Courthouse, 200 West Wall, Midland, Midland County, Texas at or before 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, being at or before 10:00 a.m. on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1994, then and there to answer the petition of J. DURWOOD OWEN in Cause No. 8006, styled, "J Durwood Owen vs. Marc Ruiz, d/b/a Auto Buyers " in which J. Durwood Owen is Plaintiff and March Ruiz, d/b/a Auto Buyers, is defendant. The petition, filed on May 27, 1994, discloses that the nature of the suit is as follows: Based upon Defendant's breach of contract and fraud or misrepresentation, Plaintiff seeks to recover from Defendant actual damages of at lease $10,000.00, exemplary damages and attorneys' fees. Plaintiff and defendant agreed that Plaintiff would purchase from Defendant a 1986 four-door Jaguar automobile (VIN SAJAV1347GC448837) which was on consignment to Defendant. Plaintiff paid the purchase price of $8,000.00 which Defendant accepted. Defendant did not pay the consigned seller. Defendant was thus unable to deliver the Plaintiff title to the vehicle free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, and Plaintiff lost the vehicle.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 14th day of September, 1994, at Midland, Midland County, Texas

VIVIAN WOOD,
Midland County
District Clerk
By Rosemary Cavazos
Deputy

110 Lodge Notices

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509.
Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dinner 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm.
Gary Anderson, Pres.,
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland
Reg. stated meeting, 1st & 3rd Sat. mornings 8:30 am. Breakfast 7:30 am.
James Hammit, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secty.

Acacia Masonic Lodge 1414
1000 Upland
Stated meeting 2nd & 4th Tue at 7:30 pm.
Leonard Wood, W.M.
Al Talbot, Sec.

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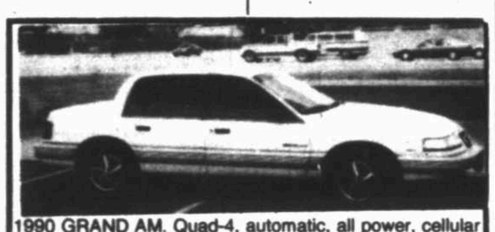
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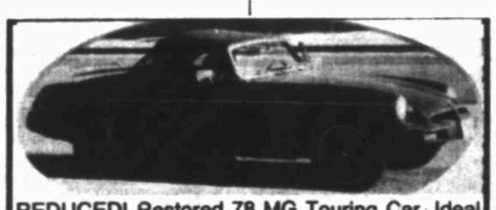
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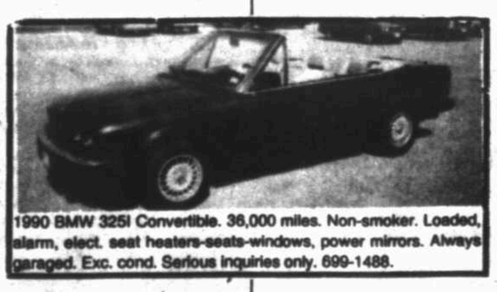
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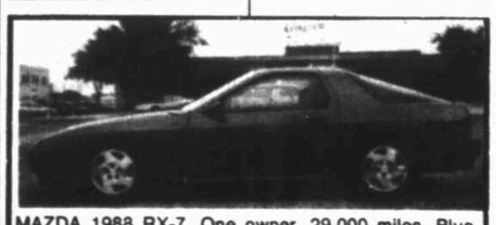
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Insurance Agent,
P.O. Box 393,
Midland, TX
79702-0393

BURGLAR Alarm Technician for Midland area. EXPERIENCED ONLY! Send resume: Resources Security, P.O. Box 425 Huntsville Texas 77340.

BLUE JEAN JOBS. Midland area. 25 People needed for general labor. Home phone required. E.O.E. No fee! Interim Personnel, 684-3977.

TECHNICIAN

MR. Muffler Brake and Alignment Center is now accepting applications for ASE certified technicians. Apply at 2324 W. Wall, Midland.

MAINTENANCE

EXPERIENCED Maintenance person for apartment complex. Call 520-0023 between 9 am & 6 pm.

COSMETOLOGISTS

PROCUTS now hiring full time cosmetologists. Salary plus commission. Call Laura, 689-9482.

DRIVERS: flatbed, new line-haul trucks with walk-in sleepers. Benefits, good pay. 800-749-1180.

*****AIRLINES*****

NOW HIRING ENTRY LEVEL

Customer service/ baggage handlers. Many other positions. Great pay/ benefits. Local or relocation. For applications and information call 1-510-796-9675 Ext. A286.

HAIRDRESSER Stations for lease at Heads First Salon. New owner/ newly redecorated. Call 694-8869 or come by 3304 Bedford.

NOW HIRING Manager or management team for 64 unit luxury complex. Call 520-0722.

WAIT PERSON

NOW hiring wait person. Apply in person, Fast Freddies, 4358 W. Illinois. EOE.

COACHES

MIDLAND YMCA needs officials and coaches for Youth Flag Football League. Call Central YMCA 682-2551.

TRUCK Driver needed. Clean CDL, construction and forklift knowledge helpful, some inside sales work. Contact 694-8950.

RADIO

LOCAL radio station has openings for full and part time air talent. Only those with previous on air experience and air check need apply. Send tapes and resume to Mr. Lueger at P.O. Box 61147, Midland, Texas 79711.

GYNASTICS COACH & coach's aid needed. Go Gym...nastics, Odessa. 580-4843.

HOUSEKEEPER. Part-time needed. Light ironing, laundry and cleaning. Non-smoker preferred. Drivers license and liability insurance required. 12-5:30 Mon.-Fri. 685-0788.

CHANGE THE WORLD
ONE CHILD AT A TIME
Volunteers needed to SPEAK UP for a child in court. 30 Hour specialized training begins Oct. 4, 6:00 PM. Call:
VOICES FOR CHILDREN
699-4262

OUT OF SCHOOL?
Looking for that first opportunity? Well stop here!!!
National .m is looking for a few select people that are ready to leave today to see the USA.
If you are active and ambitious, call 1-800-229-4326.
Interviews Thursday & Friday only.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an opening on one of its few "Special Allowance" routes. This larger route receives a $25 check each Friday in addition to the regular monthly route profits. The route is in the Loop 250 and Midkiff area.

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. These routes require a small deposit.

Apply in person or contact the Circulation Dept.
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois Ave.
Midland
687-8807 Tonya Brandon

DISTRIBUTION SUPERVISOR
The Midland Reporter-Telegram is now accepting applications for a Distribution Supervisor for our distribution center. The position is full time with hours varying throughout the week. Applicant must be mechanically inclined. Will consider training right person. Bilingual a plus. Great benefit package. Submit resume or apply to The Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, Texas 79702.

TECHNICIAN

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
Broadcast Technicians (Part-time)
HEALTHNET
Odessa Campus

Now hiring for part-time Broadcast Technician pool, for shift work up to 19-hours per week. Position pays $7.65/hour, no benefits except for Workman's Compensation. Responsibilities include setup and operation of broadcast video and audio equipment as part of TTU's Intercampus Television Network. Shift hours available include 7 AM to Noon, Noon to 5 PM, 4 PM to 9 PM weekdays. Limited weekend work available. Required two-years of formal training in broadcast production or two-years experience in the operation of broadcast equipment and/or audiovisual equipment. On application, indicate available work hours and days.

Apply in person or by mail to:
TTUHSC Office of Human Resources
3601 4th Street, Room 1B100
Lubbock, Texas 79430
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310 General Help Wanted

HAPPINESS IS

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$350-$800 A MONTH!!!



As a Midland Reporter-Telegram distributor you're an independent contractor running your own small business. Depending on the size of the route(s) you can earn from $350 to $800 monthly, and in some cases, even more!

Actual delivery takes 1 - 2 hours Monday - Saturday, and 2 - 3 hours on Sunday, depending on the size of the route. Papers must be delivered by 6 a.m. on weekdays and 7 a.m. on weekends.

You'll need a valid driver's license, and a dependable vehicle. A modest cash bond is also required to get your small business started.

For more information call the Circulation Department or apply in person

Midland Reporter-Telegram

201 E. Illinois

688-2700

STUDENTS/YOUNG PEOPLE

AND YOUNG AT HEART

AGES 14 AND UP NEED CASH?



Begin earning cash immediately! You can earn **$25 - $100 commission per week** getting new subscribers for the **Midland Reporter-Telegram.** We have exciting programs for Jr. High and High School students as well as others interested in earning good money and cash bonuses. Transportation, from your home and return, is available. No newspaper delivering involved.

Call **Gilbert Silva Circulation Dept. at 688-2700.**

SALES CREW MANAGER

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has immediate openings for SALES MANAGEMENT oriented persons to contract for evening work 5:30 to 8:30 pm.

We offer an exiting sales program including recruitment, training and promotion for your sales force. Excellent commission income potential. An insured vehicle is required.

If interested call Mr. Gilbert Silva at 688-2700 or come by the Reporter-Telegram at 201 E. Illinois. (Circulation Dept.)

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If these benefits are important to you, talk to one of our managers at:

427 Andrews Hwy.
4320 Andrews Hwy.
2200 West Wadley
4400 N. Midland Drive

311 Medical Help Wanted

NURSES

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES

Dedicated to long term care. All shifts available. Health benefits provided.

Top pay for top people! Apply in person:

Courtyard Care Center
3203 Sage

RN/ LVN

ROCKHOUSE Of Midland is seeking RN or LVN to work with developmentally disabled adults. If interested, send resume to: Mike, Rockhouse of Midland, 2215 N. Big Spring, Midland, 79703 or call 682-0577 between 9 & 4. Rockhouse of Midland is an EOE.

CERTIFIED NURSING Assistants needed. One, 10-6 and one, 2-10. Excellent staff and pay. Apply in person 2000 N. Main. Rockwood Manor.

LVN or Doctors Assistant needed immediately for full time position in Doctor's office. Surgery and office experience preferred. Bring resumes to: 1300 W. Wall.

312 Professional Help Wanted

Community Care Worker I-Trainee

The Texas Department of Human Services is accepting application for a Community Worker I-Trainee in Midland, job announcement #RC-395-94-136. Applicant must be bi-lingual (ability to fluently communicate orally in Spanish/English). Salary is $1612.00 per month Minimum qualifications require a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. One year of full time experience in direct social service work may be substituted for each year (30 semester hours) of the required education.

Pick-up applications and copy of the job announcement at 901 W. Wall, or the DHS office nearest you. Resumes may be attached to be a completed application for additional information. To ensure consideration, applications must be in the Abilene Human Resource Service office no later than Wednesday, September 28, 1994 (5:00 P.M.). Mail your applications to P.O. Box 6635, Abilene Texas 79608. Questions regarding this position can be directed to Human Resource Services, (915) 690-2216. We are EOE.

312 Professional Help Wanted

Journeyman Machinists (2)

Positions require a minimum of 4 years experience on an engine lathe and Bridgeport mill as well as the ability to read blueprints; mostly R&D work with some small quantity production. A high degree of quality mindedness, and mechanical aptitude is necessary. In exchange, we provide one of the best working environments and benefit packages found in Texas. Relocation. Resumes only to PO Box 890, Snyder, Texas 79550, attn: Shor Foreman. o phone calls or visits please.

COMPUTERS

LARGE independent seeks xBASE oriented systems and APPS Designer/ Programer in Midland. C and VB capabilities are a plus. Please provide resume and requirements. Send replies to BOX L-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ENGINEER

GROWING Drilling Fluids company has opportunity for experienced Drilling Fluids Engineer. Prefer computer literate & regionally established. Also seeking Engineering Tech/ Admin. Asst. for sales & engineering depts. 50 WPM, Lotus 123, Windows, etc. Salaries, Bonuses, Benefits, & Advancement depends on YOU. Send resumes & salary requirements to Box 2906, Midland Texas 79702.

MANAGER

WANTED: Automotive parts manager. West Texas multiline dealership. Experience a must. Aggressive, self-motivated. Wholesale experience required. Send resume to: BOX L-13 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

TECHNICIAN

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY in Abilene, TX. Lawn Doctor of Abilene seeking lawn technician or certified applicator with SPCB license. Full time year round employment. 1-695-0485 between 8 am-5 pm.

COMPTROLLER position with growing company. Bachelor's Degree, CPA Certificate preferred. Send resume to: 1001 E. FM 700, Big Spring Texas 79720.

311 Medical Help Wanted

ASSISTANT

CARDIOLOGIST needs a licensed physician's assistant or nurse practitioner. Send replies to BOX L-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MEDICAL secretary is needed for doctors office, with medical and computer experience. Please send resume to: BOX L-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

NURSE

NURSES UNLIMITED Inc. seeking Admit Nurse. Medicare experience a plus. Please call Crystal or Priscilla for appointment Monday thru Friday, between 9-4, 520-0281. Requires Registered Nurse by State of Texas. Must have 1 year Clinical experience.

312 Professional Help Wanted

REFERENCE Librarian. MLS (from ALA accredited). Benefit package. 40 Hours includes some everings and Saturdays. $20,940 annual. Resume to Director, Midland County Public Library, 301 W. Missouri, Midland, 79701. 688-8991. FAX (915) 688-8996.

MUD CONSULTANT needed for the Permian Basin area. Experience required. Send replies to BOX L-01 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

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For small oil and gas office. Must be able to assume full responsibility for processing oil and gas revenue (Data Entry and Clean Up), assist in maintenance of land records, assess situations and accomplish tasks with minimal supervision. Experience with personal computers a must. NON-SMOKER. Send references with resume plus salary requirements to BOX L-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

316 Sales Help Wanted

SALES Representative needed for electric motor shop. Must have at least 3 years sales experience, self-motivated. Prefer electric motor knowledge, but will train the right person. Mail resume and salary history to P.O. Box 10984, Midland, TX 79702.

RETAIL SALES

Part time/ full time position selling better ladies ready to wear. 2+ years experience preferred. Daily client sales calls required, some client names provided. Beautiful, exclusive boutique setting. 9-5:30. Salary plus commission and generous benefit package. Serious, qualified applicants only. Judy 694-2936.

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320 Skilled Trades

WANTED

SHEET METAL WORKERS & PLUMBERS

ARMSTRONG MECHANICAL is accepting applications. If you are interested please call 1-800-658-2197 for a scheduled appointment in your area or come by 710 E. 40th Street, Lubbock, TX. EOE

NOW hiring experienced Pulling Unit Operators. Call 570-7087.

PLUMBERS

PLUMBING Company needs licensed plumbers. Good Pay. 915-570-7473.

MECHANIC

GROWING mechanical service company needs experienced mechanic to service large and small DX air conditioning systems, reciprocal and centrifugal chillers. Minimum five years experience a must. Tools and vehicle company-furnished. Some travel required, clear driver record also a must. Good salary and benefits package. Send resume to Duncan Mechanical Service, 1125 Glenna Street, San Angelo, TX 76901.

PLUMBER

NEED EAGER Licensed repair plumber, very good salary arrangement. Ken's Plumbing is a small, very aggressive EOE. Call 683-3224.

CARPENTERS & Drywallers, tapers & painters needed. Dependable with valid drivers license. Commercial experience helpful. Call 561-8124, if no answer, leave message.

MECHANIC wanted for small car lot. Must have experience and tools. Salary depending upon experience. Apply at 2705 W. Wall from 9 am-6 pm Monday thru Friday. 915-697-2678.

ROOFING Subcontractors needed. Experienced only. Must have tools & transportation. 1 Off/ 1 On. Nail only. 1-800-725-4101.

MECHANIC

CERTIFIED Ford Truck Mechanic

Experienced in: 4 wheel drive, diesel, fleet type work. Salary commensurate with exp. Apply to Larry at GECO-PRAKLA, 2415 E. Hwy. 80, Midland.

MECHANIC

EXPERIENCED sheet metal mechanic. Willing to travel. Salary based according to experience. Call between 8 am-7 pm. 685-1420 or 685-0106.

336 Adult Care Providers

IN-Home Care. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. 520-4425.

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CHRISTIAN Alternative, 24 hour home health care. Alzheimer's welcome. Excellent references. Call 694-1160.

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340 Child Care Needed

BABYSITTER/ housekeeper for 2 children, 2 1/2 and 1 month old. Must be able to work Monday-Friday, 7:30 am-5:30 pm. Be responsible individual fluent in English with reliable transportation. Excellent references. Call for appointment 694-6312.

341 Child Care Providers

WILL babysit in my home. 4 years and under. Please call 570-8349.

WILL DO Babysitting, day or night, snacks & meals provided, qualified nurse. Call 570-9254.

CHILD CARE in my home. 6-6:30, Monday-Friday. Meals provided, References. 520-9069.

REGISTERED Home Day Care. Monday thru Friday. 7 am-5:30 pm. 12 months-3 years old. Breakfast-Lunch-Snacks Provided. 520-0002.

FAMILY home, babies only. CPR, first aide, lots of TLC. Breakfast, lunch, snacks. References. 694-9871.

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BABYSITTING in my Christian home, flexible hours, reasonable rates. 79703 Area. 520-3403.

WILL babysit for a very low price. English and Spanish speaking. Call 689-9946.

350 Business Opportunities

REAL Estate Opportunity. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings. Southwest College, 697-7277.

TRAVEL AGENCY. Sabre system. Priced to sell. 689-0442.

ESTABLISHED high traffic business with franchise. for sale. Excellent income, must qualify. Call 699-0605 between 6:30 and 9:30 pm.

EXPERIENCED OPTICAL DISPENSER

Own a piece of the pie, no investment required. Established dispensery in Midland area. Ambitious dispenser to earn a draw plus 1/2 the profits. Worth your inquiry call Ron State 1-800-962-2564.

VENDING Route for sale. 30 machines, all metal, each holds 94 fun size candies. Price negotiable. 684-5417 leave message if no answer.

LOCAL public service company. Annual net excess of $100,000. Serious inquires only. Send replies to BOX L-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

$485 WEEKLY! Mailing letters from home. Full/ part time. No experience necessary! Easy! Any hours! Free information. Call Clearinghouse Publications at 1-413-568-6543, ext. 1515. 24 Hour recording.

350 Business Opportunities

UNIQUE Gift Shop, priced to sell. Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers, 550-4610.

DISCONTINUING all greeting cards. Selling current stock complete. Below cost. Dealers Welcome. Call Ellen/ Sonsilks. 694-1602.

ICE CREAM Parlor & grill, low down payment, owner financed. Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers, 550-4610.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

MEAT Market equipment including freezers, compressors, display cases and other misc. 684-5567, Monday-Friday, 8-5; after 5 call 682-6436.

3 EVAPORATIVE Air conditioners, window units. 2 Refrigerators. 3 Lawn mowers. 2 Tillers. 1 Kirby vacuum cleaner. 20 H.P. Riding lawn mower, and lots more. 699-4764.

RANKIN Hwy. Flea Market. 2840 Rankin Hwy. Over 50 dealers. Saturday-Sunday. Spaces Available!

BEAUTICONTROL Cosmetics. 15% off. September 1st-30th. Dama 520-4743, 694-2224. Ask about our new products.

CEMETERY; Resthaven Memorial Park Prayer lot 234 spaces 5 & 6, $750 each. 366-6936.

BUCHANNON Lake waterfront boat or RV storage. Monthly or yearly rates. Private boat ramp. 512-793-2287.

★ COSTUME Rental-Large selection-New-Unusual and all time favorites. Flintstones, purple dinosaur-lions and many more. Costumes by Dorothy. 694-7687.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal-you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

ANXIOUS TO SELL. Two crypts in North Resthaven Mausoleum, excellent middle level, Sanctuary of Love, level C (C-D3). $5,400 or best offer. Call Ms. VanNess, (817)294-8931 (Wk.), (817)294-1316 (Home).

FOR SALE: Broyhill yellow & gold sofa, excellent condition, $250. 5 H.P. Tiller, $150. Call 689-6522, if no answer leave message.

BUILDING Materials discontinued items, new and damaged at 1/2 regular prices! Windows, doors, paint, door locks and more! Cash & Carry. 8 am-12 pm weekdays. Building & Homeowners Annex - 1611 W. Industrial.

ANTIQUE upright piano. Recently refinished. $300. Gun cabinet, $100. 683-4579.

24" SHUFFLE BOARD, good condition, maple & walnut, $750. 687-2868.

★ JAFRA COSMETICS International. Call Johni, 694-3883.

WATER SOFTENERS, china cabinets, tables, chairs, barstools, couches, piano, coolers, weed eater. Guaranteed appliances. 570-4851.

OUTDOOR Cooking trailer for sale. $1,500. Must see to appreciate! 3407 Douglas. 697-3507.

CERAMIC MOLDS for sale. Many to choose from. Carolyn, 697-9556.

SAIL from Florida to the Grand Bahama Islands and back again between now and February 1995. Trip for 2, lodging included. 7 days and 6 nights. Serious inquiries only. 699-7170 evenings and weekends.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BOYS Young Hinkle bedroom set: bedding, bunk bed, dresser, book shelf. $500. 694-0696 Leave message.

TASCO 450 power, 5x24 Telescope with extra lenses, new, $200. 694-0696 Leave message.

FUTON Bed, $225. Wheelchair, $50. Sofa table, brown and tan, $40. Emerson 19" color TV with remote, $175. 694-0113.

MUMS and garters. Best in town. Reasonable rates. Call today 520-0810.

WEDDING Dress size 6, satin & lace with long train, veil. New 1/2 Price! 694-9965.

J.C. PENNY'S automatic multi-position bed, full size with warranty. Paid $1,000, will take $500. Excellent condition! 682-9700.

ABOVE ground 14 ft. pool and redwood deck, ladder, 1 hp sand filter and vacuum attachment. $400. 699-6325.

413 Jewelry

MENS ROLEX Watch for sale, call 689-0567, Mon. through Sat., 9-6.

STAINLESS & Gold Rolex with dark blue face, excellent condition, $3,200. 550-2025.

2 LARGE gold ladies rings. Also, one large gold nugget mens or ladies pinky ring. One gold mens dragon necklace. All custom made. 697-5926 after 6.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

WANTED: 4 good tickets Texas OU Football game. Daytime 571-3486, evening 699-4855.

WANTED: 4 tickets to TEXAS-O.U. Game. 694-0649.

420 Good Things To Eat

CUSTOM Pecan Shelling. Shelled Burketts for sale, $3.75 lb. Pickup & deliver. 682-4887.

LARGE TOMATOES & all vegetables, 49¢ a pound! Organically grown. You pick. Closed Sunday. No peddlers. 14678 N. Pecan Ave., Gardendale. 362-5708.

430 Household Goods

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

BUYING TV's, all furniture, appliances and miscellaneous. Buy, sell, trade. 570-4408, Gary. 1503 W. Industrial.

NEW in stock. Diningroom sets start at $149.31. Daybeds start at $47.95 (frame only). Bunk beds $197.91. Futon Couch $140.31. Much larger selection may be ordered from our catalog. Wood & Son Appl., 2811 W. Wall, 699-1224.

QUEEN ANN waterbed with 6 under drawers, also Queen Ann matching dresser. Call 570-1669.

★ A & B Appliance. Buy. Sell. Repair. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, freezers. Warranty-Delivery. 550-6540.

KENMORE Washer & dryer, almond $250. 694-1344, leave message.

SOFA sleeper-excellent condition, earth tones, $150. 3 tier smoke glass chandelier, $75. 699-0779.

SECTIONAL sofa. 100% cotton, wicker sides, peach and light green colors, scotch guarded. $250. 570-4203.

THOMASVILLE Early American formal dining set: large china cabinet, table with 6 high backed chairs. $3,000. 682-9910, after 6 pm.

REDECORATING! 4 Yr. old contemporary pit group with 2 incliners & sleeper. Beige, mauve, & blue accents. $1,000. 689-0692.

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appl., 2811 W. Wall, 699-1224.

DINETTE set. 3 aquariums, 10, 15 and 20 gallons. All types of tropical fish. Ping pong table, mink jacket, fun machine organ, 19 inch color TV, antique school desk, swing set, patio furniture, microwave stand, old records, clarinet, electric typewriter. 694-8650.

DOWN-FILLED Couch, 9 ft., new upholstery, aqua floral, $500. Wrought iron & bevelled glass coffee table, 6'4" long, $500. 520-3822.

18 CU. ft. upright freezer. Excellent condition. $250. 686-9005.

LARGE new Hotpoint refrigerator, $525. Large recliner, blue, $185. Washer and dryer, perfect condition, $450. 756-3359.

BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123, 550-4232.

LIVING room set; recliner, sofa, loveseat, end tables coffee table (made of glass & brass). After 4, 570-0566.

I BUY FURNITURE, 1 piece or a Housefull. Please call 570-0747.

LIKE new king size Aquahealth water bed, complete with mattress and box with 4" water bladder in mattress with metal frame fits regular sheets. Also king size blue bedspread, $150. 697-6330.

BEAUTIFUL triple dresser with mirror, king size bed, night stand, chest. Complete pool table with pool stick rack, $100. Walker, $10. White wicker changing table, $25. Sears StairMaster, $75. 520-0055

KING Size waterbed frame-4 poster, pine, with heater and vibrator. Make offer. 689-4520.

BUNK Beds with bookshelf headboards. Very good condition! $275. 682-9910 after 6 pm.

CASH ONLY. Dishwasher $150. Large picture $35. Picture $50. Brown vinyl sofa $150. L-Shape sofa set $800. Padded chair $10. Toy basketball hoop $10, crib $10. Ford Trailer tailgate $75. Call 697-0523.

CAR WASH

FULL time help wanted. Apply in person Raindance Car Wash, 1103 W. Andrews Hwy.

PIANIST or Organist needed. Non-Salaried Position, but the rewards are out of this world. Contact Jerry Franks, Cuthbert Ave. Baptist Church, 687-5502.

MECHANIC

ASE CERTIFIED Mechanic needed. Computer compatible. Experience required. Must have own tools. Salary depending on experience. Apply in person, Big Spring Chrysler, 502 E. FM 700, Big Spring, TX or call for appointment, 264-0151.

TRUCK DRIVER. Local delivery. Must have Class A CDL. Good driving record and verifiable references. Apply Triangle Lumber, 5601 W. Industrial, 7:30-5 Monday thru Friday.

OPTICIAN. Part time. 1 year experience or will train the right person. Apply at Sears Optical, Midland Park Mall, contact Velia McClure 699-8556.

DEMONSTRATORS

Hiring 5. Double your income, double your fun selling 2 party plans, not just one. Christmas & gift items. No Collecting! No Delivery! Weekly paychecks! No money required to start. Call Kathy 699-6544.

RESTAURANT

BLESS YOUR HEART seeking Manager and Cashiers. Apply at ClayDesta Center, #6 Desta Drive, Suite 2780. Bless you Heart Offices.

RETAIL

PART time help needed. Afternoons and Saturdays. Apply at 4610 N. Garfield, Suite A-6. 570-0092.

LEASING Agent needed. Apply at Ashton Way Apartments, 2613 N. Midland Dr. between 9 am-2 pm. No phone calls please.

REPORTER

THE KOSA-TV News department is searching for a weekend anchor/ weekday reporter. The ideal candidate should have at least one year commercial experience as an anchor/ producer, a dedication to news, and the ability to tell a story. Send tapes and resumes to: Kurt A. Kiser, KOSA-TV, 1211 N. Whitaker, Odessa, TX 79763. No phone calls please.

REPORTER

THE KOSA-TV News department is searching for a weekend weather anchor/ weekday news reporter. Weather experience is preferred with a working knowledge of the Tritan X computer. Applicants should have the ability to communicate with the viewers, and a strong work ethic. Send tapes and resumes to: Kurt A. Kiser, KOSA-TV, 1211 N. Whitaker, Odessa, Texas 79763. No phone calls please.

OPERATORS

NEED experienced hot oil and vacuum truck operators. CDL and clean driving record required. Apply in person at 4601 Rankin Hwy.

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HAIRSTYLIST

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BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal - you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

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FREE SPACES. Cuellar's Flea Market. Dealers, garage sales welcomed. Come buy, sell, or trade. 684-6326.

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THURSDAY only 8:30 am all day, 1605 W. Illinois. Cutting torch, welder, grinder, sander, metal desk, filing cabinet, airless paint rigs. Too much to mention! 01

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GARAGE Sale. Friday-Saturday. 4703 Erie. Infant and toddler items, toys, books, exercise equipment, household items and more. 03

REDECORATING Sale. Furniture, appliances, housewares, 4721 Bowie, Saturday only 9-5. No Earlies! 03

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★3905 BAYBROOK CT.★
(in alley),
Tues./ Wed./ Thurs./ Fri.
from 2 pm-7 pm.
★Moving sale!!★

Ladies clothing, ladies shoes, household items, pictures & paintings. 07

AREA SALES

ROXIE Lee Johnson retirement sale! 211 Casa Grande, Odessa, Texas. Large antique and primitive collection. Thursday thru Sunday, 10 am-6 pm daily. Sale managed by Red Door Antiques.

430 Household Goods

RETIRING! Octagonal game table with leather arm chairs, $1,400. To see, call 694-8803.

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AMANA large microwave, $100. Fisher 5 disc CD player, $200. Zenith VCR, $75. Seiko double cassette player with speaker stands, $50. Solid wood bunk beds, $500. All items like new! Call 687-0639, if no answer please leave message.

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WEIGHT bench, wide stand, leg curls, lat tower, preacher curl, dip handles with 3 bars and weights. Excellent condition. $600. Stepmaster, $65. 697-7702 after 5 pm.

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ANTIQUE Bedroom set, vanity dresser, standard bed $950. 699-6839 after noon & evenings.

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CONN Alto Saxophone, excellent condition. $350. Yamaha keyboard & stand $50. 699-6839 after noon.

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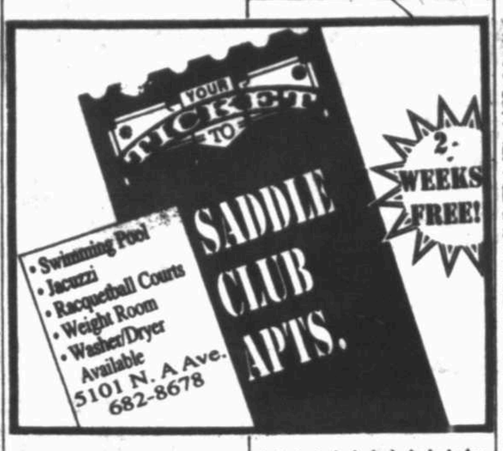
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FREE! outdoor cats. Beautiful, spayed and neutered cats with shy personalities. Please come pick one.
Oprah..small longhaired, black spayed, female Pekinese mix-flopped ears.
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WE move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
MORGAN
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560 Machinery & Tools

LINCOLN Pipeline welder. SA 200, 200 ft. of leads, fresh overhauled motor. Call 563-0502 or 563-2368.

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King size apartments and townhouses.
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2 Bdrm, 2.5 bath, upto 1457 sq. ft. $525
3 Bdrm, 2.5 bath, 1828 ft. $650
Fireplaces, reserved covered parking.
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1 BEDROOM apartment available. All utilities paid. Starting at $250. 1208 W. Texas. Call 682-3578.

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STUDIO apartment for rent. $225 monthly, all utilities paid. $110 deposit. 682-8109 after 6 pm.

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615 Apartments Furn & Unfurnished



620 Houses Furnished

EXCEPTIONAL, private 2 bedroom duplex. Convenient downtown, hospital, schools. Extras. $450/ $250 deposit. References. 682-4511, 683-2913.

625 Houses Unfurnished

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, brick home. New carpet and paint. $575 monthly/ $500 deposit. 520-1500.

LARGE 1 bedroom duplex. Set up for wheelchair person. Appliances. Water paid. $350/ month. $200/ deposit. 694-9663.

DON'T rent when you can buy. No credit check. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, brick, fireplace. $5,000 equity. $664 total monthly. 520-3426 after 5.

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath. 3601 Cunningham. Available September 10th. $355 a month, $200 deposit. References required. 687-0924, 682-1463.

NICE, clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. John Underwood Real Estate, 682-9378.

5105 SUNNYSIDE. Nice clean 3 bedroom plus 2 baths. All new carpet and paint, nice living room, double garage. Close to school and shopping. $650/ $650 deposit. Call 697-3386.

2 BEDROOM Duplex available. Quiet neighborhood. $400 monthly, $200 deposit. For more information call Christine 682-1659.

709 GODFREY. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Recently updated. Fireplace. $750 per month. $500 deposit. 1 year lease. References required. Call 520-4935.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath house and 2 bedroom, hollywood bath duplex. $475 each. 687-7333, 694-9890.

SEVERAL nice homes and townhomes, $350-$850 monthly. Small office $100. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, garage, fenced yard. Westside. $525 a month. $300 deposit. 682-0559.

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LARGE duplex, 2 bedroom, 2 full baths, built ins, pantry, utility, dining, den, fireplace, carport, storage, yard. Lee High. $425 monthly. 3525 W. Wadley. 520-2067.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, fenced yard. Westside. $625 a month. $300 deposit. 682-0559.

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GREENWOOD. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, central heat and air. $525 per month plus deposit. Available October 1. 570-4232.

NICE, clean 2 bedroom. Available October 1st. 1712 English. $300 monthly, $200 deposit. References. 687-0924, 682-1463.

3706 W. MICHIGAN. 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 car garage, 1 living area. Sprinkler system. $725 month/ $400 deposit. 1 year lease. 689-8404 or 688-2556.

4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, living-den, freshly painted, Lee/ Trinity/ Parker, available. $800/ Month. 682-6456.

$300. CLEAN, 2 1/2 bedrooms, 1 bath, $150 deposit, no pets, 907 W. Kentucky. 699-2569.

LARGE 2 bedroom home, 2 living areas, Old Midland, $600 monthly/ deposit. 694-6835.

509 DEVONIAN. 3 bedroom, 1 bath. $425 per month. Call 520-4935.

✔ FOR Sale (Owner Finance). Lovely 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath family home. 2 living areas, 2 hot water heaters, fireplace, new refrigerated A/ C, RV parking. (May consider leasing with buy option). 694-0124.

GREENWOOD. 3 bedroom, 2 bath with fireplace, large fenced yard, sprinkler system, garage door opener, landscaped, sunken living, tile floor. Deposit and references required. 570-0901.

4722 Ric. 3 Bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, garage, central heat/ air, $200 deposit, $475 monthly. 550-0732.

★ IMMACULATE duplex. 2 bedroom, fireplace, appliances, pretty carpet, washer/ dryer. Fenced. Pauline Turney Agent 694-7987.

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LEE HIGH area-Humble St. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, refrigerated air, covered patio. $600 per month/ $300 deposit. References required. Available 10-1-94. Call Dan Linebarger 685-5066 or 697-6515 6-9 pm.

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COMFORTABLE 2 bedroom, 1 large bath, quiet area. References required. 2703 W. Washington. $350. 683-1624.

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625 Houses Unfurnished

✔ SMALL private efficiency house (behind 1910 W. Kentucky). Faces "M" Street. Water paid. No pets. 694-0124.

2 BEDROOM duplex near college. Hollywood bath, fireplace, patio, carport, storage, skylight. $475 monthly. 694-9690.

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640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

NOW Leasing - Autumnchase Condos-1 and 2 bedrooms. Microwaves, washer/ dryer connections, fireplaces, covered parking, basic cable, no pets. 3814 Holiday Hill Rd. 520-0722

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King size apartments and townhouses.
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2 Bdrm, 1 bath, 1060 ft. $395
2 Bdrm, 2.5 bath, upto 1457 sq. ft. $525
3 Bdrm, 2.5 bath, 1828 ft. $650
Fireplaces, reserved covered parking.
682-2423

FAIRGATE Townhomes-4411 Fairgate Drive. 2 bedrooms $650, 3 bedrooms $700 per month. 1,620 sq. ft. livable, appliances furnished, fireplaces, washer/ dryer connections, garages. Northwest side. 697-9566.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath. All bills paid except electricity. $200. Call 682-8200.

SMALL 14x50: 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, new carpet, refrigerated air. $200 deposit, $300 monthly. 683-6664 days, 697-4642 after 7 pm.

14x72, 2 BEDROOM, 1 bath. Fenced back yard, washer-dryer. $275, $100 deposit. 520-8935.

660 Mobile Homes Space Rental

TWIN OAKS - Midland's finest. All spaces have 5 foot chain link fences, trees, paved streets, cable TV, natural gas, playground, state approved water, basketball court, 24 hour management, free garbage pickup. Cleanest park in Midland. Move-in special. Call 687-6324 or 683-4169

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Move-in special
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ONE ROOM Office, $70. Two room office $120
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RETAIL/ OFFICE. Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive. B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

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OFFICE Space for lease. Suite of offices with conference room. Excellent for company or executive group. Concessions for rental of entire area. Prime high traffic location. Call Wayne Robinson, Penny Willhite & Associates. 683-0683 or 570-7508.

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RETAIL Space For Lease - 2400 sq. ft., 3000 sq. ft., & 6000 sq. ft. Reasonable rates & terms. Call 915-235-8290.

DOCTORS office or other, bills paid, front door parking, 2109 W. Texas. 682-0602.

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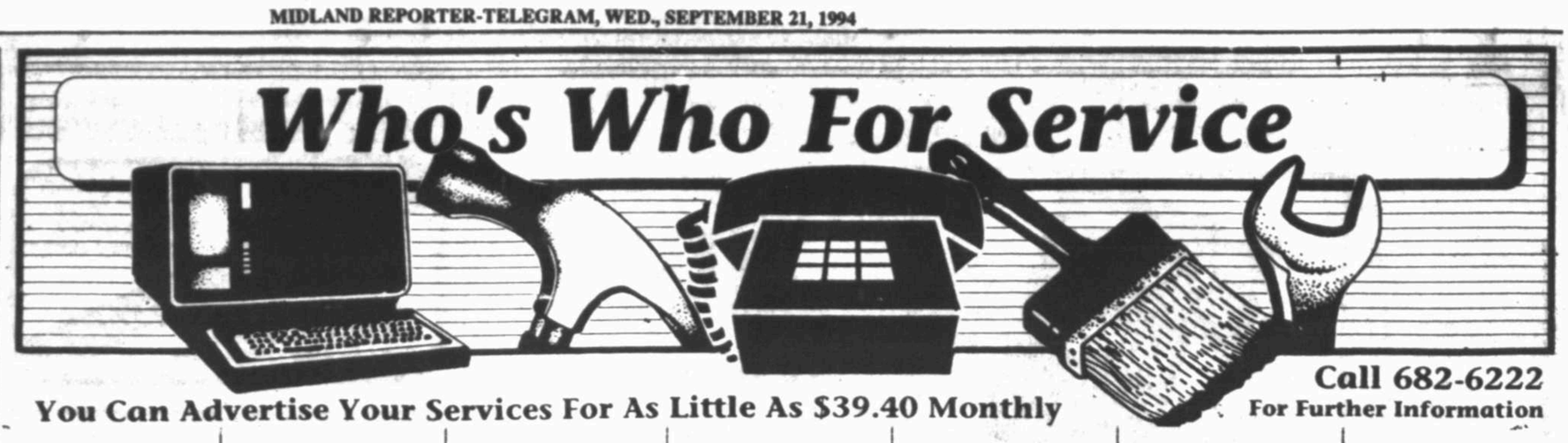
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