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Play it again

The Midland-Odessa Symphony's performance Saturday offers a blend of old and new memories for Sharon Hickox./1B



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Oilers lose

Jimmy Johnson, Larry Izzo and Zach Thomas all had happy Texas homecomings in the Astrodome./1C

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Space probe crashes to Earth

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Russia's new space probe to Mars failed shortly after blastoff and came crashing back into the Pacific Ocean on Monday, averting a direct hit to Australia, and a remote danger of nuclear contamination.

Pieces of the probe crashed at 12:34 p.m. Australian time (8:34 p.m. Sunday EST) into the Pacific Ocean, 900 miles southeast of Easter Island and 1,800 miles west of Santiago, Chile, said Alan Hodges, director general of the federal disaster coordination agency Emergency Management Australia.

The U.S. Space Command in Colorado Springs, Colo., confirmed that the probe re-entered Earth's atmosphere in the southern Pacific west of Chile, but said there was no way to tell whether it survived reentry.

The probe had earlier been thought to be heading for Australia, prompting fears of the first crash of space wreckage into a populated area. Of special concern were four small plutonium-powered generators aboard the

The Russians' four-stage Proton booster lifted off as scheduled near midnight Saturday from the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakstan.

probe, each about the size of a 35mm film canister.

In a worst-case situation — which Clinton administration officials called "extremely unlikely" — the canisters could have broken up in the atmosphere and created a small radioactive cloud.

"If some cloud of dispersal were formed at a lower altitude and were inhaled by humans, it could be lethal," said Robert Bell, senior director for arms control on the U.S. National Security Council.

Australia's military had prepared for any emergency, and the United States offered help in the event of nuclear

contamination.

But Hodges said he was confident that the plutonium containers would have survived any impact and sunk into the ocean depths.

Prime Minister John Howard said he was informed of the emergency by President Clinton by telephone Monday morning, and indirectly criticized Russia for failing to do the same.

"It's obviously one of those situations where there's a proper obligation to share that kind of information in the interests of people taking adequate preparation," he said.

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The first three stages fired properly, according to the space tracking center in Evpatoriya, Ukraine. The problems arose when a booster rocket on the fourth stage failed to ignite, Russia's Interfax news agency said.

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A.M. BRIEFING



AP Laserphoto

Medical marijuana

The small silver canister that looks like a cookie tin arrives promptly once a month for Florida stockbroker Irvin Rosenfeld. Its contents: 300 tightly rolled marijuana joints. His supplier: the U.S. government. "The quality is satisfactory," Rosenfeld says appreciatively. "And I don't have to buy it on the street." The 44-year-old suffers from a rare bone disease and is one of eight people legally supplied with marijuana under the government's longstanding "compassionate use" program.

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Thanksgiving dinner

Local Albertsons supermarkets need concerned Midlanders to help nominate needy families for a free Thanksgiving Day dinner. Area Albertsons personnel are preparing to give away meals for 150 families across the Permian Basin.

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Water concerns

Swelling populations and long droughts have Texas officials considering changes in state laws on the ownership and conservation of water. Corpus Christi, thirsty from a severe drought, and Austin, worried about having enough water for its rising population, are a case in point. The two cities recently battled over the coastal city's efforts to transfer water from the Lower Colorado River, Austin's major source of water, to the Coastal Bend. "Nothing is more critical to the state's future than water,"

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Officials prepare to break ground on new terminal

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

A groundbreaking for the new terminal at Midland International Airport has been scheduled for 11 a.m. Tuesday in the close-in parking section.

The ceremony is expected to be attended by the mayor and City Council, Federal Aviation Administration representatives and airline officials.

The two-year plus project begins this month, although the bulk of heavy construction will not take place until after the holiday season.

The new terminal will be built where the covered parking and close-in parking currently are located, and those parking areas will subsequently be pushed back. During construction, two shuttle buses and four electric carts will transport travelers to and from the parking lots and terminal.

Temple-based MW Builders has been hired to construct the terminal at a cost of \$34,509,890. MW Builders submitted the lowest bid among five bids that differed less than 2 percent between the highest and lowest.

At least one-fourth of the subcontracted work is expected to be awarded to local companies and many other local workers are expected to be employed by outside subcontractors.

The completion of the terminal building, parking and access roads will be followed by construction of the terminal apron — the paved area that airplanes park on at gates. That job is expected to be contracted out next spring.

Apron construction — at a cost of about \$3 million — will take about 10 months after the terminal building has opened.

Funding for the construction of the new terminal will come from a combination of FAA grants, Passenger Facility Charges (a \$3 surcharge tagged on flight tickets) and airport revenue collected over a 20-year period. City officials have repeatedly assured residents that no tax dollars will be used.

The City Council originally approved plans to build a new terminal in October 1993 after it was determined that renovating the existing building would be costly and the facility

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Day of prayer scheduled for next Sunday

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Residents will be praying for the city and for the needs of their neighbors at the annual "Community Thanksgiving Celebration" 7:30 p.m. Sunday at the Holiday Inn Convention Center.

The seventh-annual event is being celebrated in a different way this year, according to Todd Brown, a representative of the sponsoring churches.

"For the last six years, the Golf Course Church of Christ has always sponsored an event the Sunday before Thanksgiving and wanted it to be a community event to give thanks as churches."

"We've had some major speakers come in like Max Lucado and Peter Marshall, and various churches have participated in leading the event," he said.

"This year, we decided that instead of having a speaker come in, the churches would come in and pray for the city and for various things we're concerned about."

He said prayers will be said for the churches to be reinvigorated, for the city
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Talk to us...

Let's talk turkey. Better yet, let's talk about what you're especially thankful for this holiday season.

As Thanksgiving approaches, we'd like to know. And writers of the 10 responses deemed the best will receive free holiday turkeys in time for the Thanksgiving Day feast. Winning entries and a selection of others will be published that day, along with a photo of the writer of the top entry.

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State officials work overtime to finish property tax relief plans

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Work is continuing, but as yet no single property-tax-relief plan has been constructed for presentation at the upcoming session of the state Legislature.

State officials are determined to have a plan ready to present when the Legislature assembles in mid-January, said Rep. Tom Craddick, R-Midland.

There are several possibilities being studied to reduce the tremendous property tax burden in Texas.

West Texans turned out in force at a

July meeting at Midland College to speak before the Citizens' Committee on Property Tax Relief. Gov. George W. Bush appointed the committee in April to study property taxes. Members traveled across the state gathering information at similar meetings.

Many of those who spoke were farmers and others whose businesses require large amounts of taxable property and for whom ad valorem taxes consume a substantial portion of their profits.

Among the options being studied is shifting revenues from property taxes to state sales taxes; creating a gross

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Schwartz

Former Midlander goes back to work in Washington D.C.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

The dauntless Carol Levitt Schwartz, who still holds Midland dear as her old hometown, is returning to an

at-large City Council post in her adopted city of Washington, D.C., which she hopes to help shape into a prosperous and safe city.

"This is the second best place that I can be to contribute to this community that I love," said Ms. Schwartz, who was twice defeated, in 1986 and 1992, in her campaign for mayor of the nation's capital.

Ms. Schwartz returned to Midland last week to visit friends and to award the annual Midland College poetry scholarship, which was established by her late father, Stanley Levitt, in honor of her late poet-mother, Hilda Levitt.

"It (Washington, D.C.) is a magnificent city with marvelous people, one of the most highly educated populations in the country and a diverse population that adds to the beauty of that city," she said.

While she acknowledged that the city has "a lot going" for its people, "We just have a government that is not as good as the government we deserve. And I hope to help us get the kind of government we

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WEATHER WATCH

Today's high to be around 75

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies and warmer temperatures with a high of 70-75 and south winds at 10-15 mph. Tonight should be clear with a low in the upper 40s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland. Tuesday should be mostly sunny with a high near 80.

After an overnight low of 36, Sunday's high reached 59, compared to the record high for that date of 84 set in 1981. The record low was 18 set in 1959.

STATE

Texas temperatures plunged as a cold front raced through the state, leaving partly cloudy skies and isolated rain in its wake Sunday.

Northerly winds reaching speeds of 10 to 20 mph mixed with gulf moisture and warm temperatures, allowing cooler Canadian air to settle in North Texas.

Highs at many locations occurred near midnight Saturday before the front passed into the area, triggering brief, heavy rainfall.

Afternoon highs generally were in the mid to upper 50s, ranging from 48 at Wichita Falls to 66 at Lufkin.

Monday should bring early morning fog and partly cloudy skies with highs 64 northeast to 75 southwest. Lows will range from the mid 40s to mid 50s.

Sunny skies spanned West Texas because of a high pressure pocket east of the region. Temperatures ranged from 45 at Dalhart to 67 at Sanderson with Monday highs expected from the 60s north to the 80s in the Big Bend Valleys. Region lows will range from the 30s to 50s.

Temperatures remained warm as the cold front approached South Texas Sunday. Highs in the mid 70s to low 80s dominated the region, with extremes of 55 at Junction to 84 at Corpus Christi.

Temperatures will warm into the 70s with northeast winds. Lows will be in the mid 30s to near 50 across the region Monday.

NATION

Stiff wind whipped heavy snow into blizzard conditions on the northern Plains on Sunday, while rain was scattered over the North-west and along the Mississippi Valley.

Blizzard warnings were posted for northeastern North Dakota and extreme northwestern Minnesota. Freezing rain caused power outages in southwestern Minnesota.

As much as 13 inches of snow fell overnight in Fargo, N.D., and adjoining Moorhead, Minn., with 11 inches at Grand Forks, N.D. Wind gusts to 50 mph in parts of both states.

The wind combined with bitter cold to produce wind chills as low as 39 below zero at Dickinson, N.D., and 31 below at Hallock, Minn.

A cold front swinging around the low curved from northeastern Minnesota into Illinois and back through Missouri and the northwestern corner of Louisiana on Sunday.

Ahead of that front, moderate rain was scattered across the Great Lakes down the Mississippi Valley to the western Gulf Coast states. Up to 2 inches of rain was possible across the lower Ohio Valley and Mississippi Valley.

In the Northwest, rain fell across sections of Washington, Oregon and northern California.

Snow fell farther inland, with 4 1/2 inches in 24 hours at Spokane, Wash. Everson, Wash., and Burns Junction, Ore., reported 10 inches.

Snow showers also were scattered into southern Idaho and northern Utah. Snow also was likely in California's Sierra Nevada.

A foot of snow was forecast in western Wyoming, and winter storm warnings were in effect into early Monday.

Elsewhere, a few showers were possible overnight along the Appalachians from West Virginia into northern Georgia.

Sunday's temperatures around the Lower 48 states ranged from a morning low of 11 below zero at Glasgow, Mont., to an early afternoon reading of 87 at Cotulla, Texas.

Albertsons seeks people who need Thanksgiving Day dinner donations

By Gary Shanks

Staff Writer

The Albertsons chain of supermarkets needs Permian Basin residents to nominate up to 150 families for free Thanksgiving Day dinners, courtesy of the six Midland and Odessa stores.

The Albertsons stores have been making Thanksgiving Day dinners available to those in need for several years, but this is the first year that the effort has been consolidated across the Permian Basin, with each store providing meals for 25 families, explained Cameron Gaines, drug manager for the Albertsons store on Andrews Highway in Midland.

"We never have really put it into one program and have all six stores participating," Gaines said.

Area residents are asked to come to any Albertsons store and fill out an application to nominate a family in need, he said.

Any family that is "down on their luck," and finds themselves in need is eligible for a free holiday

dinner, Gaines said. Families where a parent has lost a job or find themselves in dire straits because of unforeseen expenses are prime candidates. Often these people do not know how to find help within the community, Gaines explained.

"The people we try to reach are people who fall through the cracks," Gaines explained.

Albertsons personnel are working closely with Casa de Amigos in Midland, so that names can be checked to ensure that the Albertsons effort does not duplicate the services of another group, he said.

Each family selected from the nominees will receive a turkey with stuffing, two vegetables, cranberry sauce, rolls and a pumpkin pie, Gaines said.

Applications are currently available at Albertsons stores and it is hoped Midlanders who know of a needy family will come in to nominate that family for the free dinner.

The deadline for turning in nominations is Nov. 25, he said.

Bethel United Methodist Church, Christian Life Center, Cornerstone Christian Fellowship, Crossroads Christian Fellowship, First Church of the Nazarene, Golf Course Church of Christ, Mid-Cities Community Church, Mount Rose Baptist Church, Saint Nicholas Episcopal Church, St. Paul United Methodist Church and True Life Christian Fellowship.

Community Thanksgiving Celebration

What: A time of prayer
When: 7:30 p.m. Sunday
Where: Holiday Inn Convention Center, 4300 W. Highway 80
Who: Local churches

Before and during the annual event, local churches will honor residents' prayer requests.

Prayer requests can be sent to P.O. Box 5562, Midland Texas 79704.

BREAK: Airport terminal on way

(From 1A)

ity would continue to be plagued by problems. After a group of petitioners forced the issue to be put up for a public vote, Midlanders overwhelmingly approved the plans.

Officials have described the planned terminal as a modern, energy-efficient facility with more traveler-friendly amenities.

VISIT: Former Midlander returns to D.C.

(From 1A)

deserve."

Washington's 354,000 population is predominantly black and Democratic, which made Ms. Schwartz's election to the City Council even more phenomenal.

"People are starting to look at me as an individual," said Ms. Schwartz, 52. "It has been a rough road."

Ms. Schwartz, whose husband died in 1988 when she was serving out her first four-year term on the City Council, has lived in Washington since 1966. She is a 1961 Midland High School graduate who was named to the school's Hall of Honor last year.

Ms. Schwartz, a former teacher, served two terms (1974-1982) on District of Columbia's Board of Education.

She twice ran for mayor against the controversial Marion Barry.

In the mayoralty races she gained 33 percent of the vote in 1986 and 42 percent of the vote in 1994 in a city that is 68 percent black and 84 percent Democrat.

In her most recent victory in a nine-person race for two at-large posts, Ms. Schwartz attracted 29 percent, or 71,156 votes, to win a seat on the City Council.

The black Democratic candidate, Harold Brazil, got 43 percent, or 103,527 votes. Her closest contender, who campaigned on the District of Columbia Statehood (DCS) ticket, received 55,000 fewer votes than she, for 7 percent of the vote.

"In the nearly 31 years I have lived in Washington people who have been able to get to know me personally (know that I am) just not 'that white Republican' any more. I have become 'the human being.' And I think we all should look at each other as human beings," Ms. Schwartz said.

The voters "see those human characteristics rather than the color of my skin or my political registration," she said.

Ms. Schwartz characterizes herself as hard-working and sincere.

Her father, an engineering graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, worked on the Man-

hattan Project in the atomic-bomb development in World War II. Her mother's academic background was in journalism at Louisiana State University. They operated the old General Clothing Store in Midland.

Her brother, Johnny Levitt, who lives in Austin, is proud of his sister's political victory.

"I am looking forward to a new era (in Washington, D.C., government) and to a cleanup of Washington (politics) and new appointments to city departments," said Levitt, 54.

"Whether you pay me or don't pay me, when I am elected to office, I am out doing volunteer work in our community. I always have loved the city," Ms. Schwartz said. "I think they (citizens) appreciate the love of a city. I always put the city first."

In her tenure on the City Council, Ms. Schwartz plans to help balance the city's budget, to work toward tax relief to win back people who have moved out of the high-taxation district, to increase public safety and curtail crime, to

work toward quality public education, and to intensify public service functions, such as pot-hole filling and cleaning up the water.

"I never pledge anything," Ms. Schwartz said. "What I bring to the office is commitment to our city, a love of our city, commitment to our city, compassion, and, most important, courage."

"In order to do the job that needs to be done, we have got to have leaders that are courageous — to make the right decisions. These are tough times."

Ms. Schwartz cited her proven record.

"When I was on the school board, our (students') test scores went up. I fired a superintendent and had death threats and got picketed 22 years ago. And then I supported two successful superintendents — served on the committee that hired them."

"I really practice what I preach," Ms. Schwartz declared. "I do talk about my proven record of leadership and courage."

BURN: Russia's Mars-probe launch fails

(From 1A)

quoting one of the mission directors, Vladimir Molodtsov.

Russian space officials did not say precisely what went wrong with the rocket Sunday. "We don't know what happened yet," mission control staffer Anatoly Yermenko said in a telephone interview from Russia's main civilian space center outside Moscow, which was tracking the spacecraft.

Spacecraft have fallen to earth since soon after the space age began with the 1957 Soviet launch of Sputnik 1 — the first artificial

satellite — but have always missed populated areas.

On Jan. 24, 1978, the crippled Russian satellite Cosmos 954 reentered Earth's atmosphere and disintegrated, scattering debris over a wide area of remote northwestern Canada. Later that same year two French farmers were narrowly missed by a 44-pound metal lump that landed in a potato field after a Russian rocket reentered the atmosphere. In July 1979, the 75-ton U.S. space station Skylab fell in red hot fragments across western Australia.

The failure of Mars '96, Russia's first new spacecraft in a decade,

may be a knockout blow for the struggling space program.

"This was the basket they put all their eggs in," said James Oberg, an American engineer who studies the Russian space effort. "They had to prove that they were still world-class in space science."

With new evidence suggesting there may have been life on Mars, interest in Earth's nearest planetary neighbor has never been higher. A score of nations, including the United States, France and Germany, put scientific instruments aboard the Russian spacecraft.

The United States plans 10 Mars missions over the next decade. The

first, the Global Surveyor, was launched Nov. 7, and NASA will launch its Mars Pathfinder on Dec. 2.

The last Russian mission to Mars also ended in heartbreak. Phobos-1 and Phobos-2, launched a few days apart in July 1988, vanished without a trace.

They were the first of what were to be three Mars missions; Mars '96 was the second and it is two years late because of money problems. Scientists involved in the project say they doubt there will be any money for a third mission.

Confusion abounds as House tries to elect leaders

WASHINGTON (AP) — Judging from appearances, it's hard to tell the winners from the losers as newly elected members of the House gather to elect leaders for the Congress convening in January.

Having just led Republicans to their first back-to-back triumphs in almost seven decades, Speaker Newt Gingrich will be renominated Monday despite being under strong fire from some of his own troops.

Having just lost the House for a second consecutive election, Democrats appear ready to reaffirm their entire high command, beginning with Minority Leader Richard Gephardt, without a hint of struggle.

This stands in sharp contrast to two years ago, when Gephardt had to fend off a conservative's challenge while chants of "Newt, Newt, Newt" filled the House chamber as Republicans anointed Gingrich.

This time, Gingrich is struggling against a backdrop of ethics charges and a persistently bad public image. Some rank and file Republicans seem chastened by searing re-election campaigns in which many were attacked as puppets whose strings were pulled by their unpopular leader. Others chafe at the power Gingrich has accumulated.

The sniping got to the point last week that the party's hierarchy, minus Gingrich, issued a remarkable statement supporting his re-election.

Trooper shoots, kills man on highway

HOBSON, Texas (AP) — Texas Rangers are investigating the death of a man shot by a state trooper after a traffic stop.

Gary Earl Allison, 40, of Port Aransas, Texas, was accused of attacking the state trooper Saturday night, said Lauren Chernow, spokeswoman for the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The attack began about 10:20 p.m. Saturday. A Karnes County deputy sheriff was sent to a disabled vehicle on U.S. 181, about 3 miles south of Hobson, Texas.

The motor home was stopped near a bridge, blocking traffic. The deputy called for backup when the driver, Allison, refused his request to emerge from the motor home.

Allison, who contended the vehicle wouldn't start, finally emerged but began fighting with the deputy, the DPS said.

er. Asked if others in Congress shared his view, Largent said, "I think behind closed doors there would be, but publicly people are maybe fearful to say that on national TV."

To the relief of Gingrich's office, Hyde quickly disavowed any interest. Largent talked with Gingrich two days later in what aides to the speaker said was apologetic terms. "I believe he regrets any problem this created for the speaker," spokesman Nick Thimmesh said on Friday. He said Largent will vote for Gingrich on Monday.

By contrast, neither Gephardt nor any other top party leaders have taken any public heat from fellow Democrats since the GOP election victory. Although failing to take back the House, the Democrats gained eight seats with a handful still unsettled.

At a closed-door meeting on Tuesday, pollster Stan Greenberg and party strategist Mark Gersh presented a post-election analysis. Officials inside said Greenberg and Gersh reported the late-campaign fund-raising controversy involving the Democratic National Committee hurt Democrats generally at the polls, with Ross Perot votes swinging at the end to

Republican candidates. They also cited GOP efforts to moderate the party's image late in the last session, passing welfare, minimum wage and health care bills, and substantial advantages in campaign cash GOP candidates enjoyed.

The sources said Gephardt told the group he understands the historical trend working against the Democrats' bid to regain control in 1998 but outlined several reasons why it might not apply. It will be the sixth year of Clinton's presidency, which historically spells the loss of congressional seats for the president's party.

Gephardt, a possible candidate for the White House in 2000, urged anyone considering retirement to let the leadership know by June, to afford sufficient time and attention to recruiting strong candidates.

Two years ago, in the face of Republican euphoria after 1994's elections, Democratic retirements piled up quickly. The party had trouble recruiting quality candidates to replace them.

Those failures came back to haunt them.

On election night, Republicans picked up 10 formerly Democrat seats in which no incumbent was on the ballot, seven in the South.

WORK: State officials work to ready property-tax relief plans by deadline

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receipts tax on total business revenues; or establishing a business activity tax in which the cost of business is subtracted from total sales and this difference taxed.

In addition, the committee is hoping to find a way to take \$1 billion out of the state budget and apply that as property tax relief across the state, said Craddick, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee.

No single plan has been selected for presentation to the Legislature, he said. The final plan may, in fact, be a hybrid of two or more of these options.

"We're working on it — we're running the numbers," Craddick said.

Very few options are not being considered in the property-tax-relief study, but a state income tax is out, according to Bush.

Any plan must be revenue-neutral, raising no more funds than are offset by cuts in property taxes, Craddick said.

The tax committee will be meeting again this week and committee members intend to have a plan completed next month or in early January, Craddick said.

"It's a high priority," he said.

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Palestinians head home

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip (AP) — Palestinians applied for permits to enter Israel on Sunday after the Jewish state further eased restrictions that have barred thousands of Palestinians from their jobs for months.

Israel announced Saturday that 15,000 more Palestinians from the West Bank and Gaza Strip would be allowed to enter. That would bring the number of Palestinians allowed to enter Israel to 50,000, about the same level as before September clashes in Palestinian areas that claimed 79 lives.

Israeli and Palestinian negotiators, meanwhile, began a seventh week of talks Sunday on Israel's delayed withdrawal from Hebron, the last major city it occupies in the West Bank.

In Gaza, Palestinians lined up at a labor ministry office to fill out applications for new entrance permits.

"I think the Israeli government step is a good one, but it is not enough," said Khaled Abdul-Ghani, a 39-year-old father of five who has worked construction jobs in Israel for 15 years.

He urged Israel to let Palestinian workers sleep at their workplaces to save hours of travel every day.

"Nobody my age will plan

any attacks," Ghani said. "We need to build trust between us and them. We were and are still really committed to peace with Israel."

Israel imposed the closures on the Palestinian territories in February after a series of suicide bombings in Israel left 63 people dead. Since then, the restrictions periodically have been eased and tightened.

The Palestinians say the Israeli closure costs their fledgling economy \$6 million a day.

In Jericho, talks resumed on Hebron, where 500 Jewish settlers live among 130,000 Palestinians. Israel's scheduled March withdrawal under the Israel-PLO accords was delayed after the suicide bombings, then by the election of conservative Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.

The main sticking point apparently is Israel's demand it be allowed to send troops back into the Palestinian area of Hebron to pre-empt terrorist attacks.

A senior Palestinian official, speaking on condition of anonymity, told The Associated Press that he did not expect an agreement in the next few days. Some media reports said Israeli officials were more optimistic.

Return of Hutu refugees slows down in Rwanda

GISENYI, Rwanda (AP) — The biggest, fastest homecoming of refugees in history slowed late Sunday after three days in which at least a half-million Rwandan Hutus returned from 2½ years in exile in Zaire.

Wearied by their long walk home, families stopped to camp in clusters for 25 miles along the main road east of the Lake Kivu border town of Gisenyi.

As night fell, U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees spokesman Ray Wilkinson said most of the remaining 100,000 stragglers — the very old, the very young and the sick — were being taken across the border by truck.

"The exodus from North Kivu should be over," he said.

In Geneva, UNHCR spokesman Fernando del Mundo said the refugee migration was unprecedented. "This is the largest, swiftest movement of refugees back home that we've ever seen," he said.

More Kurdish refugees — about 1.5 million — returned from

Turkey and Iran to Iraq when the United States set up a safe haven for them in May 1991, but at a much slower rate, he said.

In Rwanda, aid workers mobilized to help resettle the returning thousands, while in foreign capitals officials weighed whether an already-approved multinational force was still needed in the region. The United Nations authorized the military force to safeguard aid distribution in Zaire on Friday, hours after the sudden, surprise return of refugees began.

"The need for humanitarian relief as I see it has not gone away," Defense Secretary William Perry said Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press." But, he said, "The nature of the need is changing dramatically by this migration of refugees from Zaire into Rwanda."

Canada, which has volunteered to lead the mission, invited military planners from participating nations to meet in Germany on Wednesday to decide how to proceed, U.S. military spokesman Maj. Brian Holt said in Berlin.

Aid agencies are now preparing for the hoped-for return of another 500,000 refugees from the region south of Zaire's Lake Kivu, said Pierce Gerety, a UNICEF coordinator for humanitarian operations.

The half-million refugees there have been cut off from aid since fighting broke out in mid-October.

The Hutus had fled Rwanda 2½ years ago, fearing retribution after a Hutu-led government presided over the massacre of a half-million Tutsis.

Hutu militias in the refugee camps in Zaire held the refugees virtual prisoners until Thursday, when an attack by Zairian rebels sent the militias fleeing into the hills and the refugees hurrying home.

The Tutsi-led government that now holds power in Rwanda says it welcomes the refugees, and wants them to resume their lives

at home in peace.

At least 250,000 people crossed the border Sunday, a number equal to those who have passed in the previous two days combined, UNICEF spokesman Damien Peronnaz said.

While most of those in the current exodus are now over the border, the half-million refugees south of Lake Kivu remain isolated in Zaire and 150,000 others — probably Rwandan Hutu militia and their families — have fled west, deep into the hills of Zaire, Wilkinson said.

Aid agencies are distributing only biscuits and water to the returnees until they reach their homes, where they will get supplies to last them for two months.

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The protesters, mostly women, were detained for about two hours and released after receiving a warning. The women argue the beauty pageant is demeaning and contrary to Indian values and culture.

Police stopped the marchers 1 1/2 miles from the hotel where 88 contestants are staying, said Police Commissioner Sharat Chandra Burman in Bangalore, southern India.

The Miss World pageant has been dogged by controversy since organizers announced it would be staged in India. Members of a militant Indian women's group have threatened to commit suicide on the day of the finale.

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State must keep vital TB program

About a decade ago it looked as though that old killer from a century ago — tuberculosis, commonly known as TB — was going to return with a vengeance to haunt the United States. What's more this new strain of tuberculosis didn't respond to the antibiotics that had previously been effective in controlling it.

It looked bleak for awhile. Now, however, comes good news from the Texas Health Department. The state's innovative effort to control TB has achieved noteworthy success and in so doing, has prevented an outbreak of drug-resistant TB.

Tuberculosis came back, health officials say, because of a number of factors — immigration, AIDS, more lax control efforts and drug resistance, to a great extent because patients didn't take the medications as their doctors prescribed.

In fact, some strains of TB now are resistant to

six or more drugs and the cost to treat patients infected with them can be in the thousands of dollars.

Under the Texas Health Department's TB program, about 87 percent of all Texas TB patients participate in what is called directly observed therapy. In that therapy, a health worker actually watches patients take every dose of medication throughout months of treatment. When the course of treatment is completed, the patients are not contagious and the TB strain has not had the chance to become drug resistant.

It's costly and time-consuming, but it's effective. That makes it worth the cost.

TB will be around for years to come and will remain a real public health threat, so the state must continue this program. If not, TB will once again become a killer in the general population — and that truly would be a tragedy since the state health department has shown it can be controlled.

ANOTHER VIEW

Even 'glass ceiling' can't block women

Much has been said and written about the "glass ceiling" that many say keeps women from advancing to the top of the business world. But there's been scant attention to the rapid rise of female entrepreneurs.

Nearly 8 million female-owned businesses now employ 18.5 million Americans and are expected to generate \$2.3 trillion in sales this year. ...

And here's an intriguing footnote to this significant — and welcome — trend: Women also are making great strides in the \$800-billion-a-year franchising industry. They now own 20 percent of the nation's franchises, up from 3 percent as recently as 1980.

— The Herald-Dispatch
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Nov. 18, the 323rd day of 1996. There are 43 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 18, 1928, the first successful sound-synchronized animated cartoon, Walt Disney's "Steamboat Willie," starring Mickey Mouse, premiered at the Colony Theater in New York City.

On this date: In 1820, U.S. Navy Capt. Nathaniel B. Palmer discovered the frozen continent of Antarctica.

In 1865, Samuel L. Clemens published his story "The Celebrated Jumping Frog of Calaveras County" under the pen name "Mark Twain" in the New York "Saturday Press."

In 1883, the United States and Canada adopted a system of standard time zones.

In 1886, the 21st president of the United States, Chester A. Arthur, died in New York at age 56.

In 1936, Germany and Italy recognized the Spanish government of Francisco Franco.

In 1949, Jackie Robinson of the Brooklyn Dodgers was named the National League's Most Valuable Player.

In 1966, U.S. Roman Catholic bishops did away with the rule against eating meat on Fridays.

In 1969, financier-diplomat Joseph P. Kennedy died in Hyannisport, Mass., at age 81.

In 1976, Spain's parliament approved a bill to establish a democracy after 37 years of dictatorship.

In 1978, California Congressman Leo J. Ryan and four other people were killed in Jonestown, Guyana.

JACK ANDERSON

Senator's actions embarrassment to Clinton

WASHINGTON — In a little-noticed move last March, President Clinton

Turkey three guided-missile frigates. Turkey subsequently spent \$30 million on training and preparation in anticipation of receiving the ships, which were to be commissioned in May.

But to the irritation of the Turks and the embarrassment of the administration, the transfer has been indefinitely delayed, largely because of a single senator, Paul S. Sarbanes, D-Md.

Some observers believe Sarbanes, a Greek-American, was simply defending Greece's interest against its ancient Aegean adversary. Sarbanes spokesman Jesse Jacobs says that the senator's actions were intended to halt the escalating arms race between the two antagonists, who in January appeared to be on the brink of war over a tiny island.

"I think it's an effort to de-escalate tensions in the Aegean more than it is to stop a transfer to one country versus another," Jacobs told us.

No matter what Sarbanes' motives were, the episode is a vivid illustration of the idiosyncrasies and pitfalls of a government program that gives away and leases billions of dollars worth of military equipment to foreign governments.

Though foreign aid remains a perennial target for congressional budget cutters, we continue to feed the arms habits of our allies through a program that's received precious little congressional oversight. From 1990-1995, America has given away or leased \$7 billion in surplus military equipment to other countries.

This is ironic because the end of the Cold War was supposed to usher in a "peace dividend" in the form of shrinking defense budgets. Yet part of that peace dividend is being parceled out in giveaways to countries like Greece and Turkey — the diplomatic equivalent of pouring kerosene on a brush fire. As Pentagon budgets have shrunk in recent years, the Excess Defense Articles program has grown dramat-

ically. Some countries have found that it's a deal too good to pass up. Between 1990 and 1994, 80 percent of all surplus arms transfers were simply given away. The rest were sold for an average of 25 cents on the dollar, according to a study by the Federation of American Scientists.

Jordan, for example, is slated to receive 16 F-16 Falcon jets as a reward for making peace with Israel, according to the FAS study.

Many of the arms have gone to countries with records of serious human rights abuses — such as Bahrain and Morocco, to name just two. At least 16 warships have been transferred to Greece and Turkey since 1990. Had a naval battle broken out between the two antagonistic NATO allies, both sides would have almost certainly used ships supplied by the United States.

Fans of the program say it's easier and cheaper to give weapons away than it is to have them destroyed or mothballed. Besides, they say, giving away weapons is a good way to curry favor with our allies.

Unlike the export of new weapons systems,

however, these giveaways usually take place without debate and with only slight attention by the foreign affairs committees in the House and Senate. Even at the committee level, oversight has been haphazard. The General Accounting Office reported in 1994 that "relevant congressional committees do not know how many transfers were actually executed and what the total acquisition and current values of ... (the transfers) were."

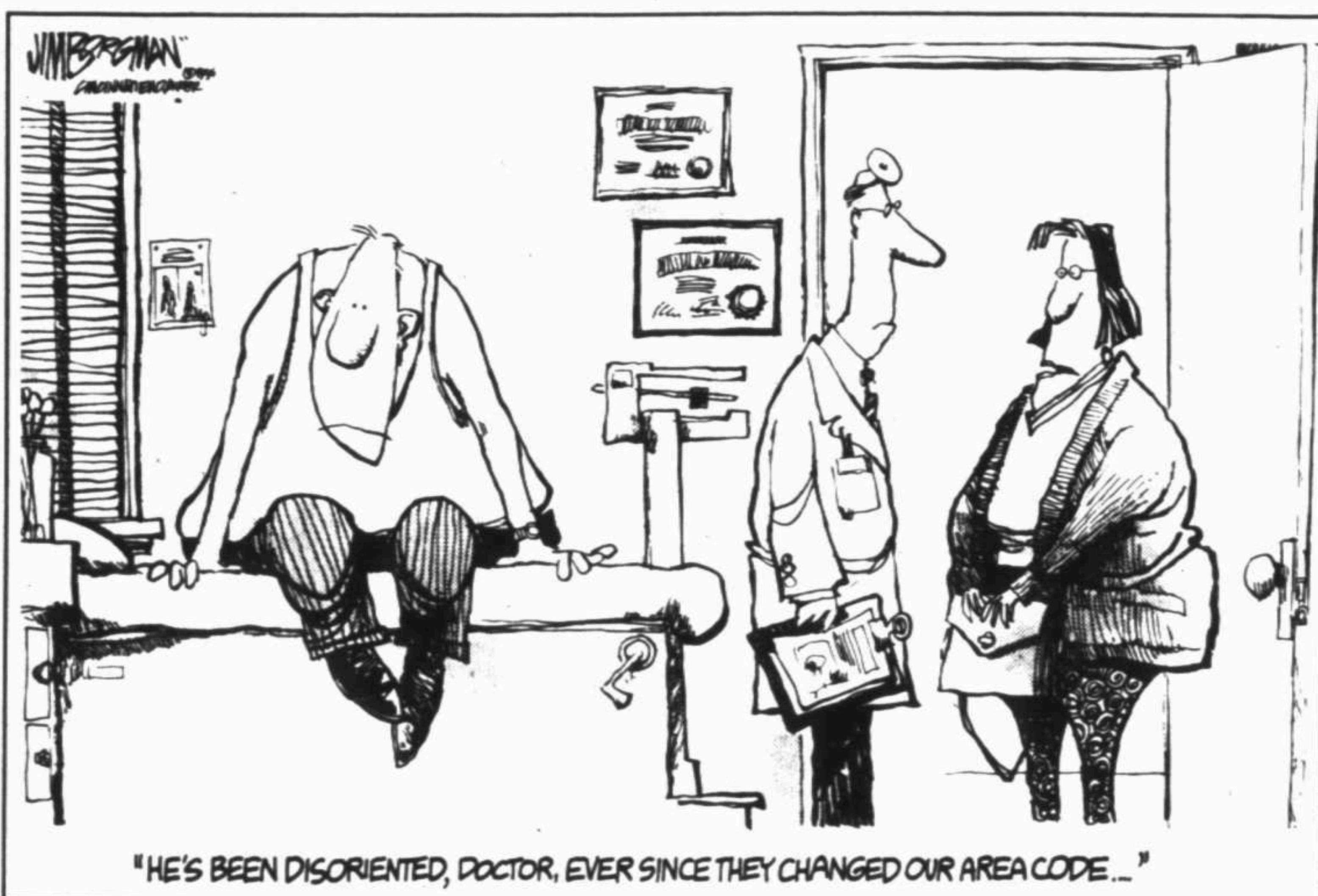
"The practice of surplus arms transfers needs far greater scrutiny," Lora Lumpe of the FAS told our reporter Sammy Linebaugh.

Legislation passed in July set a \$350 million yearly cap on arms transfers and requires an annual report to Congress on all giveaways. While this is a step in the right direction, chances are Congress will continue to turn a blind eye to arms giveaways at the same time that it tries to trim more humane methods of foreign aid.

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CHARLEY REESE

Pundits ought to keep brilliant ideas to selves

It's too bad the political pundits didn't have my ninth grade journalism teacher, Harry Hughey.

Harry — he became a lifelong friend — pointed out in his blunt way that generalizing about a group of people is an opinion unsubstantiated by evidence.

"If you write that the crowd enjoyed a speech," he snarled, "You had better have interviewed every single member of the audience."

It's an obvious and logical rule, but some pundits have already pounded their word processors to pieces telling us what the "electorate" had in mind in the recent election. One familiar claim is that the electorate wanted a divided government.

Horse feathers. There is no such entity as an electorate.

Nobody voting in a congressional race in Nebraska has the least idea, nor does he care, how people in California congressional races may be voting. Congressional races are local races. People in a district choose between two candidates, and they choose based on their opinions of those two candidates — not on the basis of any grandiose idea of what "the nation" ought to be doing or on the basis of any

national strategy.

The collective results are pure chance. It would, in fact, be impossible for the voters in 435 districts in 50 states to coordinate their electoral decisions. The mistake pundits make is to look at the end sum of a random, uncoordinated series of decisions and then ascribe a meaning to it. They are, as Harry said, voicing an opinion unsubstantiated by evidence.

No meaning can be derived from the results of House and Senate races in the United States. All you can do is describe the results. To claim that people in Arizona had the same goal, when they voted, as people in Maine is hokum. To claim anything about the collective decisions of the people is just pure nonsense. There are too many variables in each individual race.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich got himself in trouble in part because he made the same mistake. The sum of random, uncoordinated decisions in the 1994 congressional election by chance produced a Republican majority. Rather than accepting this outcome of random choices as a gift, Gingrich took credit for it and then interpreted it as a "Republican revolution." It was, of course, no such thing, as he found out in the more recent election.

One of the keys to sound thinking is to be very careful about ascribing meaning to events. Sometimes, people will believe they are psychic because they think about a person, the phone rings and that very person is calling them.

They forget, of course, all the times they have been thinking about someone and that person

did not call them. They forget that, given their relatively small circle of friends of whom they think about frequently, the probability that two unconnected events — their thoughts and the phone call — will occur simultaneously is not nearly as low as one might guess. Coincidence is not rare.

Did people want a Democrat president and a Republican Congress? To know if that is true you would have to know that all of the people who voted for Clinton also voted for a Republican in the congressional and Senate races. There is no practical way to find that out. It is, furthermore, highly unlikely. Some may have voted for Clinton and for a Republican House or Senate member, but probably most did not. At any rate, we'd have to interview some 45 million people to find out.

Since we don't know that, why say it? Why not be content to describe the results and let it go at that? We get in trouble often when we move from saying what we actually know happened to saying what we guess or imagine or suppose or wish had happened.

Searching for the truth and using logic both seem to be out of fashion these days. Nevertheless, all knowledge is based on accurate observations and logically valid inferences. Reality is interesting. I don't know why so many people try to avoid it.

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MIKE ROYKO

Simpson sympathizers should knock off naive act

Just about every time some TV talk show has a panel on to talk about the latest doings in the creepy life of O.J. Simpson, there is sure to be a black attorney included in the group.

And at least once, or maybe a dozen times, he will declare with great authority and emphasis that we should all remember that O.J. was found not guilty in the murder of his ex-wife and ...

As if that is that, nothing more to say, period, so why don't we just forget it.

If there is a studio audience, the camera will usually pan to a black onlooker who will probably be somberly nodding his or her head.

It doesn't matter how much damning evidence has been presented at the civil trial of Simpson, where the proof is even more overwhelming than at the criminal trial — if that's possible — that Simpson is a murderer.

Whatever direction the discussions go, it still comes down to race: The blacks keep insisting that O.J. is innocent because a jury of his peers said so. And they argue that Simpson should not be tried twice for the same crime, ignoring the fact that he was acquitted in a criminal trial, but the current trial is a civil matter — meaning money. And maybe vindication for the families of the murder victims.

Meanwhile, the white participants insist

that the evidence proved beyond any reasonable or even scatterbrained doubt that he sure as heck did it.

These TV shows are, I believe, an accurate reflection of societywide attitudes about the Simpson case. Most whites I've heard from on the subject believe he was acquitted because a minority-dominated jury decided to ignore the evidence so it could thumb its nose at white society and a white justice system. And while blacks aren't treating Simpson like a hero, they seem more than satisfied with his acquittal.

What strikes me about these opposite views is that pro-O.J. blacks have either developed split personalities or they have short and selective memories.

It's easy enough to say: "O.J. was found not guilty by a jury; what more do we need? So why don't we let it rest and leave the guy alone."

But it wasn't that long ago that those white cops in Los Angeles who pounded lumps on Rodney King were found not guilty by a jury. The reaction of L.A.'s blacks to that jury was to give us one of the biggest urban riots in American history.

And black leaders then raised such a ruckus that the Justice Department was pushed into putting the cops on trial for depriving Rodney King of his civil rights.

The cops who went to prison as a result of that second trial might argue that they are enduring a much more harsh punishment than any Simpson faces even if the civil jury picks his pocket of everything but his golf tees.

If we adopt the attitude of O.J.'s defenders — "the jury said he was not guilty, so what more is there to say or do?" — then we must be less

critical in looking back on many sorry things that happened in the Deep South before the civil rights movement created massive change.

We'd have to say that when a grand jury refused to indict those guys wearing white sheets or carrying badges and guns who were accused of racist crimes against blacks, well, if a grand jury wouldn't indict them, then I guess they didn't do anything wrong. Regardless of what the evidence might have shown.

And if they were put on trial and a mostly white jury of their neighbors and fellow town-folk found them not guilty — despite what the evidence showed — how can we argue with a jury's verdict? If the jury said not guilty, it must be so.

If that had been a prevailing black and white liberal attitude, Martin Luther King wouldn't ever have been known beyond his local congregation and Jesse Jackson couldn't have boycotted his hometown's general store.

As any trial lawyer, prosecutor, or judge can tell you, juries aren't always right. Sometimes they are flat-out wrong, as the jurors obviously were in Simpson's criminal trial. Either that, or we have to believe that drops of blood, gloves, shoes, and fibers have the ability to flit about like butterflies and land where they will prove most embarrassing.

So Simpson's defenders should knock off the naive and racially motivated blather about how that jury had the final word. It's embarrassing. And if he were honest, I doubt if Rodney King would agree with it.

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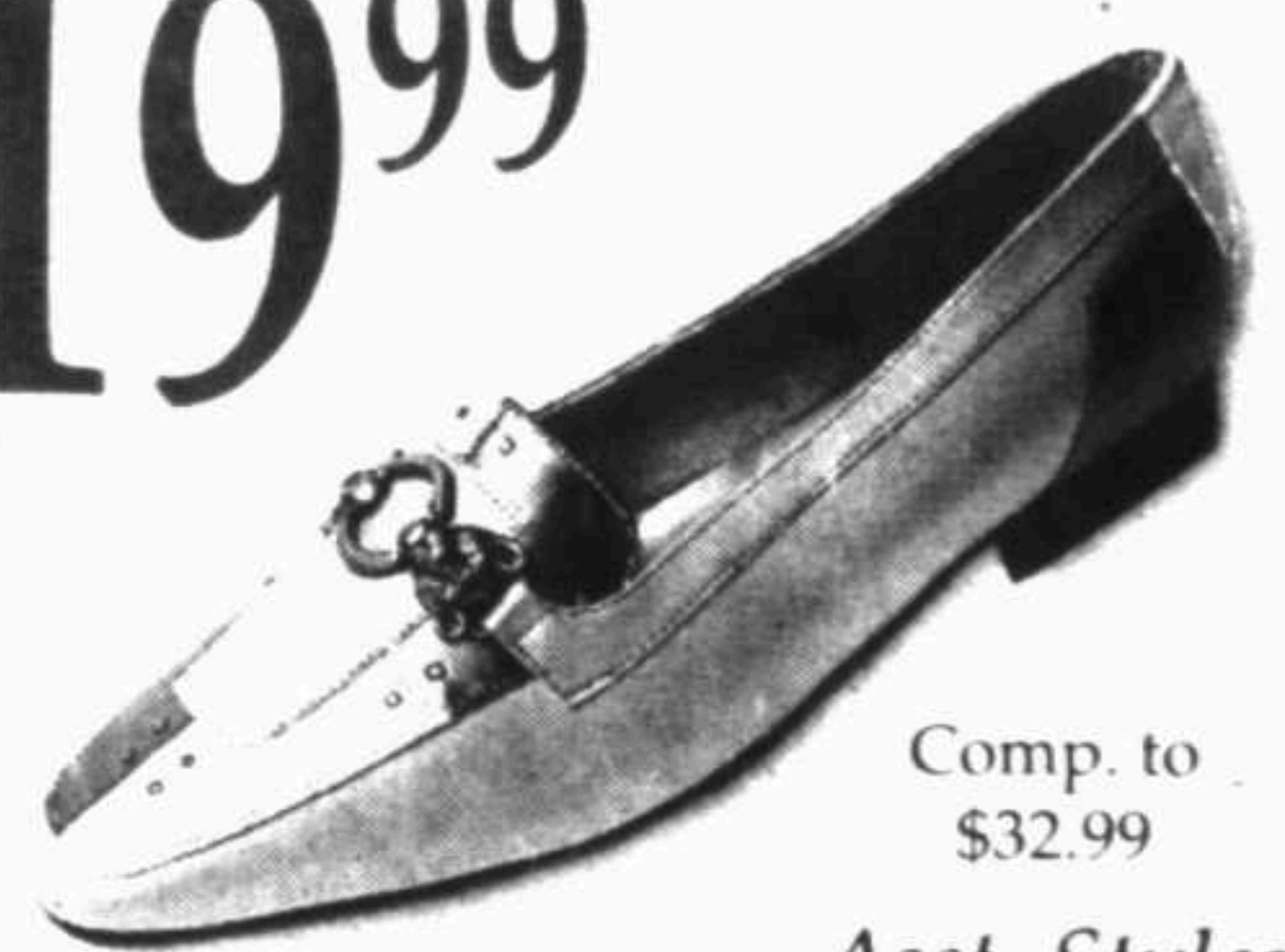
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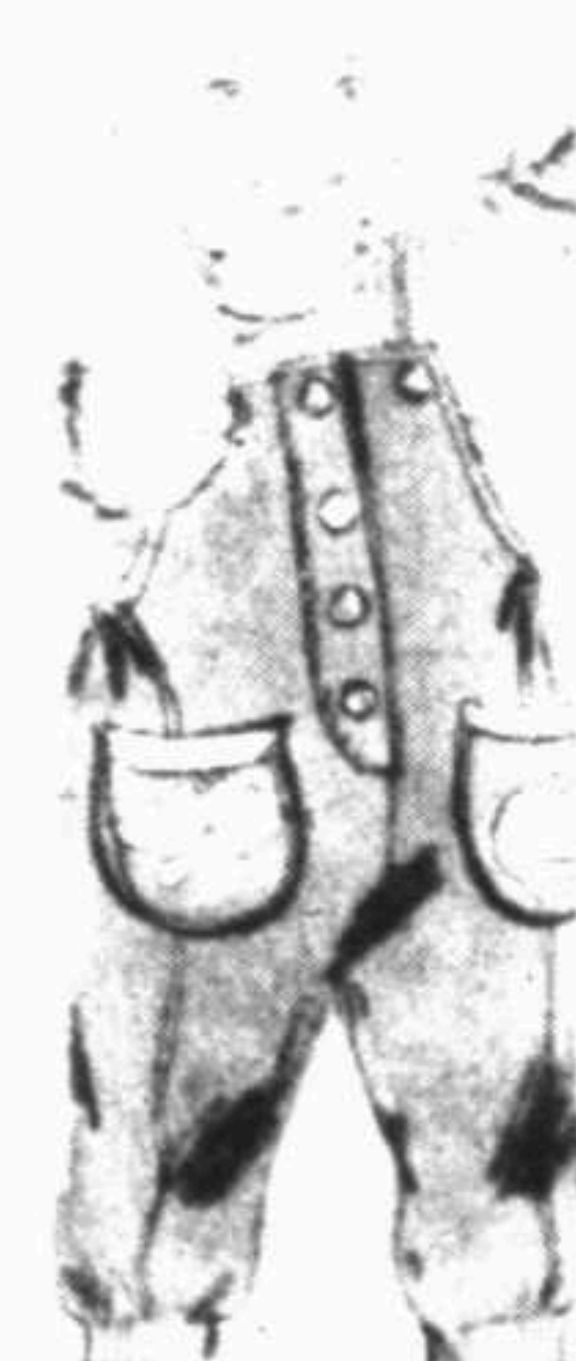


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Controversial U.S. program supplies marijuana for eight ailing users

By Helen O'Neill
Associated Press Writer

The small silver canister that looks like a cookie tin arrives promptly once a month for Florida stockbroker Irvin Rosenfeld. Its contents: 300 tightly rolled marijuana joints.

His supplier: the U.S. government.

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Alzheimer's test planned for new drug

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new drug, which in some tests of healthy elderly men restores memory almost to that of young people, soon will be tested on patients with Alzheimer's, the fatal brain disorder that destroys the mind.

Dr. Gary Lynch of the University of California at Irvine said Sunday the drug called ampakine CX-516 accelerates signals between brain cells and appears to significantly sharpen the memory.

The drug, used in only mild doses, was tested on students in their early 20s and on men aged 65 to 70 and the results were "particularly striking" among the older people, Lynch said. He delivered a report on the drug Sunday at a national meeting of the Society for Neuroscience.

Lynch said clinical trials of the drug consisted of memory tests conducted with and without CX-516.

Rosenfeld says appreciatively. "And I don't have to buy it on the street."

The 44-year-old suffers from a rare bone disease and is one of eight people legally supplied with marijuana under the government's longstanding "compassionate use" program.

Its run by the same health and drug agencies that condemn marijuana as part of the national war on drugs. And this fall, top government officials from those agencies campaigned against ballot

measures in California and Arizona to legalize marijuana for medical purposes. The issues passed in both states, although the courts likely will determine their fate.

"Research shows that marijuana is harmful to one's brain, heart, lungs and immune system," wrote Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala in a recent statement. "Any law premised on the notion that marijuana or these other illicit drugs are medically useful is suspect."

So why does the government continue supplying it?

"When we have a compassionate-use situation, out of feeling for the patient, we don't take that away," says Don McLearn, a spokesman for the Food and Drug Administration. "We just don't add to it."

The federal marijuana program started in the 1970s and was discontinued in 1992 — partly because of a huge increase in applications from AIDS patients. The 13 people already receiving monthly pot shipments were allowed to contin-

ue. Five have since died. The others will be supplied — at taxpayer expense — for as long as they want.

They suffer from cancer, glaucoma, multiple sclerosis and rare genetic diseases.

Marijuana, they say, helps control nausea and muscle spasms, ease eye pressure and pain and stimulate appetites. Pot patients insist it works better than other drugs, including the highly expensive Marinol, a pill form of marijuana that has the same active ingredient, THC.

The entire operation costs about \$200,000 a year.

It's a tiny — but thorny — sum for the various agencies involved: the FDA, which administers the program, and its parent, the Department of Health and Human Services; the National Institute on Drug Abuse, which acts as supplier, and the Drug Enforcement Agency, which must approve the use of any controlled substance.

The official position of these agencies today is that marijuana is more likely to cause health problems than ease them.

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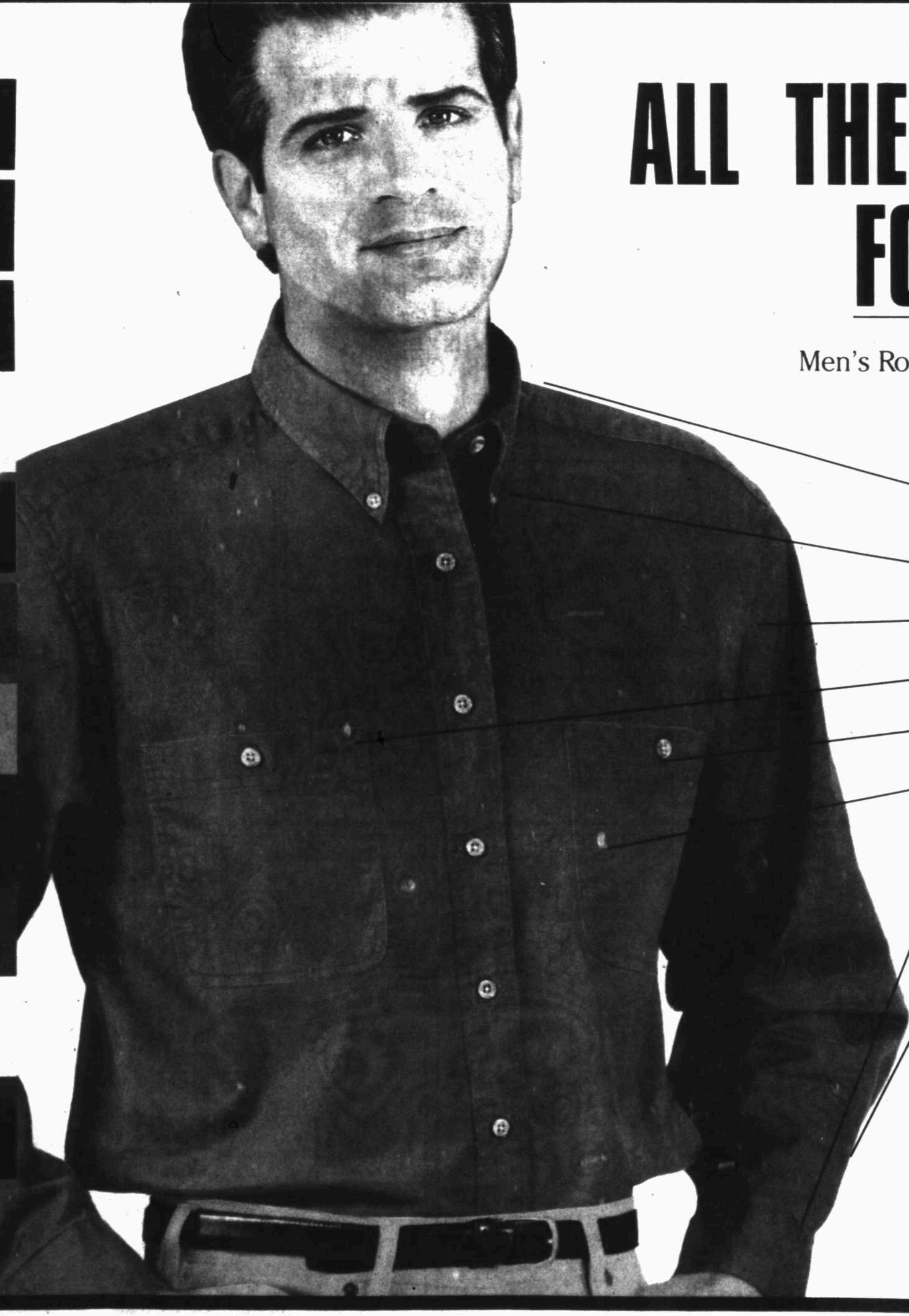
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HUMOR ON THE SIDE

Officer evaluations

The British Military writes OFR's (officer fitness reports). The form used for Royal Navy and Marines fitness reports is the S206. The following are actual excerpts taken from a selection of officer's '206's'.

- His men would follow him anywhere, but only out of curiosity.
- This Officer is really not so much of a has-been, but more of a definitely won't-be.
- When she opens her mouth, it seems that this is only to change whichever foot was previously in there.
- He has carried out each and every one of his duties to his entire satisfaction.
- Technically sound, but socially impossible.
- This young lady has delusions of adequacy.
- Since my last report he has reached rock bottom, and has started to dig.
- She sets low personal standards and then consistently fails to achieve them.
- He has the wisdom of youth, and the energy of old age.
- This Officer should go far — and the sooner he starts, the better.
- This officer should be authorized to fly below 250 feet.
- Works well when under constant supervision and cornered like a rat in a trap.
- This man is depriving a village somewhere of an idiot.

Confident Clinton

Signs President Clinton was Over-Confident

- Started victory speech 5 minutes after polls opened.
- Made plans to get 'strategically bombed.'
- Had already resumed dating.
- At campaign stops, responded to voters' comments with, 'Yeah, whatever.'
- Had already renewed White House digital dish subscription to Playboy Channel for '97.
- Roger Clinton allowed out of seclusion weeks ahead of schedule.
- Apparently not even remotely concerned about the weigh-in.
- Offered to spot Dole ten electoral votes.
- Embarked on non-stop 96-hour cross-country McDonald's tour.
- Spends last day of campaign mooning traffic on Russell, Kan., street corner.
- Instead of the usual 3 pizzas for the White House staff's Tuesday dinner, ordered 5 and didn't use a coupon.
- Seen wearing a t-shirt that read 'I Beat Dole in '96 and All I Got Was This Lousy T-Shirt'.
- After kissing babies in Houston, kissed babes in Hooters.

Dave's Top 10

- 10. "Mike Tyson Excuses"
- 10. He isn't used to fighting for more than 37 seconds at a time.
- 9. Was still emotionally fragile from seeing the new Streisand movie
- 8. Should have waited until after the fight to fill up on rich, chocolatey Ovaltine
- 7. His cut man: Dr. Kevorkian
- 5. Thought it would be easy to pound any guy named "Evander."
- 4. Should have found more challenging sparring partner than Angela Lansbury.
- 3. On a dare, he went the entire 11 rounds with an angry ferret in his trunks.
- 2. Just seconds before fight began, received a stunning electric jolt from Don King's hair.
- 1. Turns out he wasn't ready to rumble.

— David Letterman

Bill's World

"The American people want us to work together with the Republicans," the president says. More likely, they'd like both groups to take extended vacations and not bother anyone.

A 14-year-old boy managed to register and vote a straight Republican ticket this year in Durham, N.C., it's reported. No wonder North Carolina has gone to Helms in a handbasket.

— Bill Tammeus
Kansas City Star

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services

MONDAY MORNING EDITOR
JIMMY PATTERSON

Breakfast coupon good after 61 years

Associated Press

DOCTORS INLET, Fla. — Clipping coupons is a good way to save money, especially if the coupon is from 1935.

Fred Simpson was thumbing through a July 1935 issue of Fortune magazine last month when he spotted a coupon for a mail-order breakfast of sausage and pancakes from Jones Dairy Farm of Fort Atkinson, Wis. The price, including shipping, was \$1.

"There was no expiration date on it, even if it was over 60 years old," said Simpson, who was 3 when the ad was published.

"I showed it to my wife and told her I was going to send it in. She said, 'Aw, go on, you're wasting your time.'"

Four days after the retired

auditor mailed the coupon and a dollar bill, a delivery truck pulled up to his home south of Jacksonville.

The driver handed Simpson's wife, Marguerite, a package containing a cooler stuffed with ice packs, a pound of pork sausage, a box of buckwheat pancake flour and a jar of Wisconsin maple syrup — a \$29.95 value.

Ed Baker, national sales director for Jones Dairy Farm, said Simpson's coupon caused a stir when he showed it to Bill Jones, whose family owns the company. "He said, 'Ship it,'" Baker said.

The Simpsons didn't eat their breakfast immediately. But if they don't like it, they can get their buck back: The ad says "satisfaction guaranteed."



Fred and Marguerite Simpson cashed in a 61-year-old coupon for a free breakfast.

Thanksgiving contest

Let's talk turkey. Better yet, let's talk about what you're especially thankful for this holiday season.

As Thanksgiving approaches, we'd like to know. And writers of the 10 responses deemed the best will receive free holiday turkeys in time for the Thanksgiving Day feast. Winning entries and a selection of others will be published that day, along with a photo of the writer of the top entry.

Along with your comments, please give us your name, address and a daytime phone number where you can be reached. You can send your entry to us in any of the following ways:

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Aplomb in plumbing not enough

By Sam Lowe
N.Y. Times News Service

My first job after high school was working as a plumber's assistant, and I might have become a plumber had it not been for one episode that I'll call "the Day of the Ditch" if I can find someone to write my autobiography.

The incident occurred one spring day. My plumber (plumber's assistants always referred to their superiors as "my plumber" in those days as a symbol of their deep and unending loyalty) and I were assigned to run a sewer line across a client's back yard.

My plumber marked the path, handed me (whom he referred to as "my digger") a shovel and said "go get 'em," a common phrase used even today when somebody is telling someone else to do something they don't want to do.

Filled with plumbly enthusiasm, I grasped the shovel with the Thompson twin overhand grip (named for Edroy Thompson who once dug a 75-foot trench so straight it was unanimously elected into the Plumbers Hall of Fame without going through the mandatory five-year waiting period) and forced the point into the ground.

The first shovelfuls were easy. Each was filled with fine North Dakota topsoil that held its shape because the ground was still moist from the spring thaw. Again and again, I jammed shovel into damp earth, retrieved a clod and deposited it alongside the trench.

Soon, I developed a rhythm:
Thrust 2-3-4, pull 2-3-4, lift 2-3-4.
Thrust 2-3-4, pull 2-3-4, lift 2-3-4.
Etc. 2-3-4.

By noon, my ditch already had taken shape as a thing of beauty — a flawless trench following a line so straight it should have been in a geometry quiz. Twice my plumber peered over the top of his newspaper and said, "Looks good. My heart swelled with pride because back in those days plumbers did not often compliment their assistants. It had something to do with pay-scale snobbery. He was making \$3.75 an hour; I was doing most of the work for 50 cents an hour.

When we broke for lunch, I snarfed down my bologna-and-meatloaf sandwich in a hurry so I could return to my creation in the loam. But then, disaster.

In my absence, the moist earth had crumbled. My ditch, once so straight and so true, was now a scar upon the land. The lines were obliterated or uncertain. I'd have to dig all that gunk out and there's nothing a plumber's assistant hates more than a re-dig.

Please see PLUMBING/2B



Sharon Hickox practices the marimba for hours daily in advance of her featured performance with the Midland-Odessa Symphony at 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23, at Odessa's Bohman Junior High School.

Curt Wilcott/
Reporter-Telegram

Playing to your crowd

By Georgia Temple
Staff Writer

The Midland-Odessa Symphony's performance Saturday offers a blend of old and new memories for Sharon Hickox.

Beethoven is "my favorite composer" and his Symphony No. 7 "is the music Tim (Young) and I used at our wedding," said Ms. Hickox, who will be the featured artist. "It's neat for me to have it on this concert."

In addition to the Beethoven and John Adams' "Short Ride in a Fast Machine," the symphony will perform the Texas premiere of Svoboda's Concerto for Marimba and Orchestra.

Marimba?

"If they are there to hear a marimba concerto, then they are ready to hear the unusual," said Ms. Hickox. She laughed.

A marimba is a large wooden percussion instrument with resonators, resembling a xylophone, which Ms. Hickox plays as well (but not at this performance). She also plays the vibraphone, chimes, bass drum, snare drum, cymbals and all the little instruments — triangle, tambourine, wood blocks and on and on and on.

As principal timpanist and percussionist with the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale, Inc., Ms. Hickox is well aware of the opportunities to perform on the marimba.

"I'm rarely hired to play the marimba," said Ms. Hickox. "I have several times played the marimba at church for free because it's an opportunity to play the instrument. In college, you focus a whole lot on

Please see HICKOX/2B



JIMMY PATTERSON

Dinner often like evening news reports

Our dinner table is not unique. It's like thousands of other dinner tables, where, between bites, members of the family share what has transpired during their day. And like most other dinner tables, normally nothing earthshattering debuts when we're eating.

Earthshattering news is usually reserved for one of two places: If it's not saved for the much-vaunted, largely-dreaded family conferences, explosive information is usually something shared with parents as soon as the child hops in the car after school (actually the worst time of day for earthshattering stuff; adults simply cannot concentrate after work and before dinner and it's too bad children can't realize this; if they did, we'd have a lot more harmony in this world).

But back to the subject of the dinner table ... it is the perfect setting for the run-of-the-mill type information that should be regularly disseminated

between family members. It's sort of a family news broadcast every evening, although most families don't have hair and makeup near as nice as the guys on TV. And most families open their dinner hour with a brief recitation of Grace. Most families do not begin dinner by saying, "Good evening and welcome to this evening's Dinner Time News. For our top story, let's go to Mom ..."

Dinner time is a good way for the kids to pass along test scores or really big news about boys or who lost a tooth or who threw up at their desk that day.

Sometimes, dinner time news is not news at all, but a test: a test that will force fathers who have become lax in their knowledge-gaining abilities to do a little soul searching.

Most dads, of course, quit expanding their minds when their wives have kids. Then several years later, when the children are in upper elementary grades, they make you realize just how ignorant you have become (thanks to them).

To wit, this conversation took place at our dinner table just a couple of nights ago. I'm not sure all the

facts are precise, and you'll know soon enough why I can't make that guarantee.

"Hey mom, didja know that scientists recently discovered a new particle?" our 10-year-old asked.

"Really, that's fascinating," mom says, as dad sits idly by hoping the conversation will somehow shift to something he is more of an expert at, like how the toilet is running and keeping everyone awake at night.

"Yeah," she says, "scientists have combined two different forces of nature by binding the weak nuclear force with the electromagnetic force, which, of course, makes the Z particle."

"I have heard about that; isn't it incredible?" mom asks. "How'd you get to be so smart anyway?"

(Moms always know the right things to say in this situation; by using proper inflection alone, wives can make it sound as if they know exactly what the kid has learned even though they don't have the first clue. Meanwhile, Child B is moving her chicken around on her plate to make it look like she has eaten

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DAVE BARRY

Stuffing? No thanks, I'll ... pass this Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is a time of traditions, and there is no tradition more meaningful than the annual U.S. Department of Agriculture warning about fatal food-dwelling bacteria.

This year, I'm pleased to report, the department has outdone itself: For the first time ever, the department has officially advised Americans NOT TO STUFF THEIR TURKEYS. Many alert readers sent in an Associated Press item in which the acting director of the Agriculture Department's Meat and Poultry Hot Line — whose name is (I am not making any of this up) Bessie Barry — is quoted as saying: "Improperly cooked stuffing can cause serious illness or even death."

I am frankly wondering if stuffing should be regulated, like assault rifles, to prevent it from falling into the wrong



Barry

hands.

BANK TELLER: May I help you?
ROBBER: Hand over the money!
SECOND BANK TELLER: Do as he says! He's holding improperly cooked stuffing!

But the looming specter of a painful death should in no way dampen the festivity of your Thanksgiving dinner. Just make sure the food is prepared in accordance with federal guidelines ("STEP ONE: Lighting The Blowtorch"). And before you eat, don't forget to bow your head for the traditional prayer of thanks ("We thank Thee for this bountiful meal and ask Thine forgiveness for the fact that we hath ordered pizza").

Another traditional thing you should do is teach your kids the true meaning of Thanksgiving. I suggest you have them put on the following historical play, "The Very First Thanksgiving," which I wrote myself after several backbreaking minutes of research in the encyclopedia.

THE VERY FIRST THANKSGIVING
(SCENE ONE: Some Pilgrims are standing on the deck of the Mayflower.)
FIRST PILGRIM: Well, here it is, the

year 1620.

SECOND PILGRIM: Yes, and we have been on this tiny ship, the Mayflower, for many weeks, fleeing persecution in England because of our religious views.

FOURTH PILGRIM: Also, we wear hats that look like traffic cones.

FIRST PILGRIM: What happened to the Third Pilgrim?
SECOND PILGRIM: He's throwing up.

FOURTH PILGRIM: Hey, look! There's Plymouth Rock! Pull over, captain!
LONG JOHN SILVER: Arrr.
(SCENE TWO: The Pilgrims are standing on the shore.)

FIRST PILGRIM: Well, this looks like a barren area with poor soil and harsh winters, offering little chance for our survival.

OTHER PILGRIMS: Perfect!
ROBBER: Hand over the money!
FIRST PILGRIM: Hey! You already did your scene in this column!

ROBBER: Whoops.
SECOND PILGRIM: Look! A Native American!

NATIVE AMERICAN: Fortunately, I speak English. My name is Squanto.

FOURTH PILGRIM: "Squanto"? What kind of name is "Squanto"?

SECOND PILGRIM: It sounds nasty! It sounds like, "Mom! The dog made Squanto on the linoleum!"

FIRST PILGRIM: What's "linoleum"?

SECOND PILGRIM: I have no idea.
SQUANTO: I'm going to show you how to plant maize and beans using alewives, shad, or menhaden as fertilizer.

FOURTH PILGRIM: "Alewives"? SQUANTO: That's what it says in the encyclopedia.

(Scene Three: One year later.)
FIRST PILGRIM: Well, here it is, one year later.

SECOND PILGRIM: That was a pretty harsh winter.

FOURTH PILGRIM: That was definitely the last winter I plan to spend in a small confined space with people eating a diet of maize and beans.

FIRST PILGRIM: Also, as you will recall, we had a lot of starvation and disease, the result being that half of us

are dead.

SECOND PILGRIM: Time for a celebration!

(Scene Four: The Pilgrims and Squanto are seated at a banquet table.)

FIRST PILGRIM: So here we are, at the (burp) first Thanksgiving.

SECOND PILGRIM: I definitely want the recipe for this alewife dip.

FOURTH PILGRIM: Hey, Squanto, what are those drums saying?
SQUANTO (after listening for a moment): Lions 14, Bears 7.

FIRST PILGRIM: You know, Squanto, without your help, we never would have survived this winter. So we've decided to take over all of North America and pretty much obliterate your culture.

SQUANTO: Sure.

FIRST PILGRIM: Really? You don't mind?

SQUANTO: No, not at all.

FIRST PILGRIM: Great!

SQUANTO: Try this stuffing.

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■ Look around your home for something someone else could use. Almost everyone has something no longer needed that someone else may benefit from.

Baby 'roo lives in knapsack

N.Y. Times News Service

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. — A knapsack's as good as the pouch for Edie, a 5-month-old kangaroo that has become the latest crowd favorite at the Dreher Park Zoo.

Edie was orphaned about two weeks ago when her mother died of an infection. In her mother's place has stepped Teri Blake, a zoo worker who bottle feeds Edie every four hours and carries her around in a canvas backpack mimicking her mother's pouch.

Edie goes just about wherever Blake does, except when Blake prepares meals for the rest of the zoo's menagerie. At night and on the weekends, Blake also

takes Edie home, where the young kangaroo dangles in the backpack from the bathtub faucet while Blake steals a few winks between feedings.

"I'm not used to getting up at 3 in the morning, then 6 in the morning," Blake said.

Blake got the assignment as Edie's surrogate mother because she has prior experience: Five years ago, she helped raise another kangaroo at the zoo that had been rejected by its mother. That was when Blake and other zoo officials perfected the formula that they now feed to Edie.

The young kangaroo, called a "joey," spends 12 to 14 hours a day in Blake's Spalding backpack.

PLUMBING: These guys don't come cheap

(From 1B)

The rest of the day became a contest between me and Mother Earth. I'd dig. She'd collapse. I'd shovel. She'd cave in. The original trench was supposed to be a foot wide and 3 feet deep. By late afternoon, it was 30 feet wide and a foot deep. Mother Nature was bringing in fresh dirt from the neighbors' yards.

By 2 p.m., my plumber had finished reading two "National Geographics" and an "Argosy" and I had moved so much dirt that if there'd been some pine trees around, we could have opened a ski lodge. He'd look at the widening excavation and say "hmmmm," "yep" and "how 'bout that" without offering to help.

This was understandable. It wouldn't look good for a \$3.75er to be seen dirtying himself in a ditch because then everybody'd think that if that's all it took to be a plumber they might just as well do it themselves.

Around 4 p.m., the ditch spread from horizon to horizon and was attracting tour buses. Then my plumber suggested

that I'd better hurry or we'd have to come back the next day and he didn't have any new reading material. It was the final straw. I removed myself from the ditch, scraped the mud off and announced that my days as a plumber were over.

Naturally, my plumber was upset. Good 50-cent help was hard to come by.

"You can't quit," he said with a touch of panic because my departure meant he'd have to finish the job.

"Listen, kid," he said, "stick with it. You were meant to be great. You got the good hands."

But his pleas went unheeded. I never went back. And I was so mad I didn't even bother to send my ditch into the "Guinness Book of Records" under the category of "widest ditch ever dug to lay a 3-inch sewer line."

I hadn't thought about that day for a long time but was reminded of it recently when we had to have a sewer line installed at our home.

It was quite a revelation. Finding out that plumbers don't work for \$3.75 an hour anymore, I mean.

PATTERSON: Keep the subject simple

(From 1B)

more than she really has and Child C is smearing mashed potatoes up his nose.)

Time for me to get in on the action.

"So, if this Z particle is so special it must have the ability to make you clean your room without being asked?"

"Right dad, whatever," my suddenly sarcastic daughter says.

"Oh, you mean the sub-atomic energy forces?" my wife suddenly pipes in. "I remember studying that when I was your age. Seems like I learned about that just yesterday."

"Sweetheart, I hate to be a cynic," I say, "but 'yesterday?' Bit of a stretch don't you think?"

The conversation again shifts back to physics.

"Dad, don't you know if you bind together four forces of nature, then a large cloud of quarks is formed?"

"Oh, uh ... yeah ... 'cough-cough' ... of course I know that. Whaddaya think, I was born yes-

terday?"

"By the way everybody, I fixed the back door today so it won't squeak everytime we go in and out."

"Honey," my wife says, "fixing a squeaking door amounts to a little more than ripping it off its hinges while you were trying to fix it."

(Mom looks at the kids, snickers, and shakes her head in disbelief.)

"Well, it doesn't squeak anymore does it?" I say.

I turn to our 7-year-old, hoping to change the subject again.

"So, sweetheart, how was your day today?"

She looks up from the chicken she has been moving around and shrugs her shoulders.

"Jason, the boy who sits next to me, he can burp the 'Macarena.'"

"Cool!" I say, turning to the rest of the family. "Now that's the kind of news we need more often."

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HICKOX: It's gratifying when music makes difference in people's lives

(From 1B)

marimba playing, but when you get into the real world there's not much call for it. It's not written as an orchestral instrument — not part of basic orchestra repertoire."

The new work came to the attention of conductor Rob Hunt when he heard its premiere in 1995 at the American Symphony Orchestra League National Convention in Portland, Oregon. When Ms. Hickox agreed to perform the piece, Hunt put it on the program for the second Masterworks concert of the 1996-97 season, which is set for 8 p.m. Saturday at Odessa's Bonham Junior High School.

Tickets for the performance, which is sponsored by Western National Bank and Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Williams, may be purchased through the symphony office, 563-0921, or at the door. They are priced at \$10 for adults, \$9 for seniors, \$5 for students and free for music students.

"It's really helpful that I have the tape," Ms. Hickox said, explaining how a musician approaches performing a new work. "Other than that, you just try to make your way through the piece. It's a combination of trying to do what you think the composer had in mind and trying to put yourself into it, too, trying to make it expressive and interesting to the audience. It's a real modern work. Marimba is a kind of unusual instrument. It's unusual in the orchestra and it's unusual to have a concerto with it. There aren't very many marimba concertos."

Ms. Hickox counts herself among the lucky. "I feel very fortunate that I can have my profession be what I enjoy doing. If I didn't enjoy doing it, there wouldn't be much point. It's not vital. We do this for our own pleasure. It really makes

'If you can make a difference in someone's life through music, whether it's through teaching them or through a performance, then that makes me keep doing it.'

— Sharon Hickox

me feel good when people say they are really moved by what we do."

A graduate of the University of Southern California with a bachelor of music degree in percussion and a master of music in percussion from Rice University, Ms. Hickox, in addition to her position with the MOSC, is the principal percussionist with the Big Spring Symphony, and percussionist with the Abilene Philharmonic.

She also teaches percussion for Midland College and privately in her home. Her youngest student is 9 and her oldest, 70-plus.

"What's important to me is not that they are the most talented and they're going to play with a professional orchestra, but that it's important to them, and they respect what I'm trying to teach them," said Ms. Hickox. "It's a musical instrument that takes time and dedication. And I have spent my life dedicated to it, so I want a little respect from the student. If they don't give me that, then I don't keep them as a student."

She's also the mother of two young children — Daniel, 3, and Isaac, 1.

"That's been a very big challenge for me doing something professionally time consuming and mentally consuming —

learning a concerto — and taking care of a 3 year old and a 1 year old because their needs don't go away," said Ms. Hickox. "I might think I need to practice another 3 hours a day but one of them might have a fever. I have to prioritize my time and use it carefully to make it work."

Balancing small children, teaching and performing would be impossible for Ms. Hickox without her husband, Tim Young, who is the assistant general manager of the MOSC.

"Tim is totally supportive of me," said Ms. Hickox. "I really couldn't do this without him. He sort of acts as a manager for me, takes care of the little details so I can concentrate on playing and the kids."

One of those not so little details is moving equipment from one location to another.

"Most of what I earn my money for is moving the equipment," Ms. Hickox said. "I don't mind playing for free. I don't like moving the equipment. Much of a percussionist's life and a percussionist's husband's life is moving equipment."

The couple also works duo recitals into their busy schedules.

"I really enjoy it a lot," Ms. Hickox said of the opportunity to perform as a duo. "We started doing that when we were at Rice together. I had a teacher who was into playing anything so we did some Mozart that was written for violin and viola. And I played the violin part on the marimba. My teacher thought that was a great thing to do. Tim told his teacher and he said, 'No, you're kidding.' We played for them, and it turned out OK, but

he (Young's teacher) couldn't believe it."

Ms. Hickox's interest in music and playing an instrument dates back to the sixth grade when she began playing the snare drum. Then, when she was in high school, she played all the mallet instruments and was in the school band. As high school was drawing to a close, Ms. Hickox, who is the daughter of Midland resident Diane Hickox, was considering her options for the future.

"I was thinking about going to college and what to major in — deciding between medicine and music for a while," Ms. Hickox recalled. "And then I just thought that there was nothing else I had done that I enjoyed doing more so I would just keep doing that. I remember when I found out you could major in music. I went, 'Wow.' I thought, 'OK. I'll do that.'"

When she first graduated, Ms. Hickox found performing "fun."

It's still fun, she said. "But the more I play, the more I see what it does for other people."

The intrinsic rewards of teaching and performing inspire Ms. Hickox to continue her career even when her schedule seems impossible.

"If you can make a difference in someone's life through music whether it's through teaching them or through a performance, then that makes me keep doing it," Ms. Hickox said. "That's what keeps me going. It really gives meaning to it. Music is not performed in a vacuum. It's only important in how it affects people's lives."

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Blizzard, ice storm strike Great Plains region

FARGO, N.D. (AP) — Heavy, wind-whipped snow shut down major highways in eastern North Dakota for part of Sunday, stranding travelers and blocking streets with stuck vehicles.

As much as 13 inches of snow fell overnight in Fargo and adjoining Moorhead, Minn., and 11 inches at Grand Forks, the National Weather Service estimated. Wind gusts to 50 mph in parts of both states. The northeastern corner of South Dakota also got 11 inches.

Blizzard warnings were posted for northeastern North Dakota and extreme northwestern Minnesota. Freezing rain caused power outages in southwestern Minnesota.

North Dakota closed north-south

Interstate 29 and about 60 miles of I-94 west from Fargo overnight. Crews reopened I-94 Sunday afternoon, but 95 miles of I-29 remained closed south of the Canadian border.

About 100 people spent the night at a gasoline station and convenience store off I-94 in Valley City, owner John Hill said. An all-night cafe next door supplied food.

"We've had a full house of people just waiting," said Rita Winings, manager of the Hilltop Cafe. "Some were playing cards because they couldn't go anywhere."

"I'm on my second meal in about four or five hours," said David Williams, a truck driver from Mount Vernon, Wash., wait-

ing to resume his trip to Chicago. "I've been here for coffee twice and I read the newspaper."

Snow also piled up in towns. "There's a lot of cars that are stranded in the streets, blocking the streets," Fargo police Lt. John Sanderson said. "Our people are in four-wheel drives; one is stuck and a wrecker that went out to get him is stuck."

State highway official Jerry Klinger said many underpasses in the Fargo area were blocked by snow.

In southwestern Minnesota, ice from freezing rain that began Saturday combined with the wind to snap tree limbs and power lines.

Crews worked Sunday to restore power to customers in Nobles,

Martin, Lyon and Lincoln counties, and utility officials said some outages were expected to continue into Monday.

Up to half the people in Nobles and Martin counties, a largely agricultural area including the city of Worthington, were without electricity Sunday morning, said Bill Mott of Nobles Cooperative Electric in Worthington.

Ice also brought down power lines in parts of southeastern South Dakota. Sioux Valley-Southwestern Electric cooperative said up to 5,000 customers lost power and half were still blacked out Sunday afternoon.

UT, A&M concerned about affirmative action ruling

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Texas A&M University and the University of Texas are fierce foes on the gridiron. But when it comes to addressing an anti-affirmative action ruling, they're on the same team.

"It is long-term," Texas A&M President Ray Bowen said of the fallout from the lawsuit known as the Hopwood case, after lead plaintiff Cheryl Hopwood.

Max Sherman, dean of UT's Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs in Austin, added, "I think for very competitive students, they're going to be aggressively recruited. And if someone offers them a financial package because they are a member of an ethnic minority, then they probably will be tempted to take that."

Both spoke in interviews at a recent Texas A&M conference that drew officials from a number of state universities to discuss dealing with the Hopwood decision.

In that case, the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans struck down the UT School of Law's admissions policy, which

was meant to boost enrollment of blacks and Hispanics. Ms. Hopwood was among four whites who challenged the policy.

The appeals court said the policy discriminated against whites, and the U.S. Supreme Court allowed the ruling to stand.

The decision has resulted in Texas universities' halting the consideration of race as a factor in admissions and financial aid, following advice by state Attorney General Dan Morales.

While the 5th Circuit's jurisdiction also includes Louisiana and Mississippi, officials said those states aren't reacting the same way as Texas because of a separate court case.

And outside the 5th Circuit, universities are under a previous U.S. Supreme Court ruling allowing race to be considered as a factor.

That puts Texas at a unique disadvantage in attracting minority students, which will last until another affirmative-action case levels the playing field nationwide, officials say.

Meanwhile, they are looking at ways to avoid losing minority students — such as a suggestion by state Higher Education Commissioner Kenneth Ashworth that Texas explore whether it's permissible under Hopwood to offer preference in admissions and financial aid to any student who gets such an offer from an out-of-state institution.

At Texas A&M, the percentage of black and Hispanic freshmen already has declined, Bowen said, noting that the first Hopwood decision by a federal district court was made in 1994.

The percentage of black first-time freshmen enrolled at Texas A&M decreased from 5 percent last fall to 4 percent this fall, while the percentage of Hispanic freshmen dropped from 15 percent to 11 percent. The school's total minority population rose slightly because of transfer and graduate students, Bowen said.

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DEATHS

Robert Stovall

Services for Robert Daniel Stovall will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at Lajitas Cemetery in Lajitas under the direction of Geeslin Funeral Home of Alpine.

He died Saturday, Nov. 16, 1996, in an Odessa hospital. He was born Jan. 4, 1927, in Coleman and graduated from Centennial High School in 1944. He served in the Navy in World War II and in Korea. He married Wanda Poteet of Stephenville in 1947. He received a masters of education degree from Howard Payne. He was a teacher and coach in Lohn, Pyote, Moran and Baird. He retired after 33 years in Terlingua as superintendent of schools.

He is survived by his wife, Wanda Stovall of Terlingua; a son, Danny Stovall of Menard; daughter Debbie Varner of Clyde; a son Donny Stovall of Midland; sisters Jimmie Stovall of Hobbs, N.M.; Willie Faye Rhodes of Bangs; several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers include Rick Page, Jim Smith, Socorro Rios, Gene Thompson, Martin Wylie, Lyn

Carter, Ronnie Rainey, Chano Villa and Ronnie Sanders.

The family suggests memorials to the West Texas Cancer Center in Odessa.

Helen Farley

Services for Helen F. Wylie Farley will be 2 p.m. Monday at Dickens Cemetery with Rev. C.L. Atkinson of Afton officiating. Burial will follow under the direction of Campbell Funeral Home of Spur.

She died Saturday Nov. 16, 1996, in Lubbock. She was born Jan. 20, 1912, in Springtown. She married Tom Pace Farley in 1932 in Hollis, Okla. He preceded her in death in 1991. She was a homemaker and nurse's aide and had lived in Lubbock for the past 40 years. She was a member of the First Christian Church.

Survivors include her son, Gerald Farley of Midland; a daughter, Lurline Shobert of Spur; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Vera Frazier

Services for Vera Richman Frazier are pending with Ellis Funeral Home. She died Sunday in a local hospital.

Virginia Goulet

Funeral services for Virginia "Ginny" Goulet are set for 11 a.m. Tuesday in St. Ann's Catholic Church with Reverend James Bridges of St. Stephen's Catholic Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Rosary will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

She died Friday, Nov. 15, 1996, in a Lubbock hospital. She was born December 17, 1927, in Dallas. She attended schools in Dallas, and was a 1945 graduate of North Dallas High School. Prior to moving to Midland in 1963, she resided in Big Spring and Odessa. She worked for 26 years as a secretary for The Travelers Insurance Company before retiring in 1990.

She married Henry Goulet on Sept. 9, 1975, in Midland. She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church where she served as a communion minister, lector and commentator. She also served on St. Ann's Stewardship Committee, as well as the Stewardship committee for the Catholic diocese of San Angelo. She was a member of the Midland Westside Lions Club and had been the past president and past treasurer of the Midland Northside Lions Club. She served as Zone One Chairman, Zone Two Chairman and Region One Chairman for District 2-A1 of the Lions Club. In addition, she was past first lady of District 2-A1 Lions Club. She was a 49 year member of Delta Chapter (Dallas) of Eastern Star.

She is survived by her husband, Henry B. Goulet of Midland; a son, John Webb of Midland; a step-son, Edward "Skip" Goulet of Odessa; and 4 grandchildren.

Pallbearers are W. J. Leach, Gary Painter, Max Schumann, Bob Drummond, Dale Little and Bill Decker.

The family requests memorials to a favorite charity or to the Mid-

land Heart Association.

Timothy Presley

Services for Timothy John Presley, 27, will be 1 p.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

He died Friday, Nov. 15, 1996, following a traffic accident in Grapevine. He was born November 8, 1969, in Odessa. He lived and attended schools in Midland and moved to North Richland Hills in 1987 where he was employed by United Lynn-Con of Dallas. He was preceded in death by his brother, Ronald James Presley, in 1986.

He is survived by his father, A.J. Presley of North Richland Hills; his mother, Betty Henry of Abilene; two brothers, Jay and Gary Presley of North Richland Hills; two sisters, Tammy Holmes of Benbrook and Brenda Nelson of Midland; his grandmother, Vera Thurman of Midland; and several nieces and nephews, aunts and uncles.

Jack Dalious

Services for Jack A. Dalious will be 3 p.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park. He died Thursday Nov. 14, 1996, at his Midland residence.

John Oliver

Services for John L. Oliver are pending with Ellis Funeral Home. He died Saturday at a local hospital.

Paula Arellano

Services for Paula Arellano, 53, of Big Lake are pending with Bill Thomas Funeral Home. He died Sunday at a local hospital.

Alma Burnett

Services for Alma Batie Burnett, 94, are pending with Jackie Warren Midessa Morticians. She died Sunday at a local hospital.

Water fight begins for cities, counties

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Swelling populations and long droughts have Texas officials considering changes in state laws on the ownership and conservation of water.

Corpus Christi, thirsty from a severe drought, and Austin, worried about having enough water for its rising population, are a case in point.

The two cities recently battled over the coastal city's efforts to transfer water from the Lower Colorado River, Austin's major source of water, to the Coastal Bend.

"Nothing is more critical to the state's future than water," said Mike Hailey, a spokesman for Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock. "We are committed to doing everything within our power to have a plan ready for debate and implementation."

Bullock's office is working on possible legislation with representatives of House Speaker Pete

Laney and Gov. George W. Bush, as well as state officials from the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

Barry R. McBee, the head of the commission, wants to overhaul state water laws.

"Water — how we consume, manage and allocate it — is the single most important factor for the future economic viability of our great state," McBee told the Corpus Christi Caller Times for Sunday's editions.

The big issues include transferring water between river basins, like the squabble between Corpus Christi and Austin, and the right of capture, which allows landowners to pump unlimited amounts of water from beneath their lands.

The right of capture has become increasingly important as West and Central Texas cities fight about how much water can be removed from underground aquifers by cities, industries and

farmers.

It's been a big issue for years in San Antonio, where the future of the Edwards Aquifer is at stake.

It became a more recent battle in San Angelo, when officials there applied to pump water from the Hickory Aquifer, the primary water source for Brady.

Some state officials also say it is time to develop a comprehensive drought plan in Texas, one of only three Western states without such guidelines.

"The recent drought brought it to the forefront," said state Rep. David Counts, D-Knox City, who chairs the House Natural Resources Committee. "So many of our towns have run out of water, and they no longer are in existence."

But some environmental analysts say new water legislation could take up to six years to pass — the same amount of time as the major overhaul in the 1980s.

Only one of 14 winners rushes to claim free land

HOUSTON (AP) — Seventy-year-old Vera Rodriguez may not have done cartwheels at news of her win, but she at least had the grace to sound mildly pleased.

When told she was one of 14 winners in a land giveaway aimed at boosting the population of the tiny Panhandle town of Lefors, Ms. Rodriguez said she was "flabbergasted" by her good fortune.

The other 13 winners? Well, haven't said much just yet. Nobody besides Ms. Rodriguez

met the Nov. 8 deadline for claiming the free property.

"This really is disappointing," said City Secretary Virginia Maples. "We had so many entries, and I would have thought the winners would have been eager to relocate here."

More than 580 people entered the drawing after city officials decided the contest would be a good way to boost the town's tax base and school population.

Lefors, about 14 miles southeast

of Pampa in Gray County, has declined steadily since a tornado destroyed much of its business community 20 years ago. Now it has only a convenience store, service station and a few service businesses.

The prize property, cut into large lots and some featuring stately elm trees, had been seized for non-payment of taxes. To claim their property, winners must agree to build a house or move a mobile home onto it within six months.

POLICE REPORTS

A kidnapping was originally reported about 1:23 p.m. Sunday at 7701 W. County Road 116 in Midland County.

It was later determined that a man at that address had been picked up by people working for a bail bonding service out of Oklahoma, according to Sheriff Gary Painter.

The incident is being investigated to determine if any state laws were broken in the citizen's arrest, Painter added.

Midland Police Department

Sunday

Burglary of a vehicle: Asterco was reported stolen at 2613 N. Midland Dr., reported at 8:46 a.m. by Arsenio Hernandez.

Vandalism: Four tires were reported slashed at 2000 Elkins Rd., reported at 11 a.m. by Maria Mendoza.

Vandalism: A window was reportedly shot out with a BB-gun at 400 E. Wadley, reported at 2:29 p.m. by Hughey Jones.

Theft: A golf cart was reported missing from the corner of Big Spring and Wall Ave.,

reported at 2:33 p.m. by Garry Sels.

Burglary of a building: Lawn equipment was reported stolen from 1611 Maple, reported at 3:55 p.m. by G.J. Samuel.

Midland County Sheriff's Office
Saturday

Theft: Gasoline was reported stolen from 4001 S. FM 1788, reported at 8:14 p.m.

Theft: An 18-pack of beer was reported stolen from E. Texas 158 and S. CR1110.

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Petunia the pot-bellied pig says she was framed

DEAR ABBY: My name is Petunia, and I am the pot-bellied pig who was featured in your Oct. 14 column in the letter from my neighbor who signed herself "Peeved" at Petunia in Elgin, Okla. I would like to tell my side of the story.



Van Buren

I have lived with my owner since I was 1 month old. I am now a year and a half. I consider myself to be a neighborhood pig. I live on a dead-end road out in the country, and my owner would let me out every morning and I would go visiting. I have eight neighbors, plus four horses and various cows, and I would call upon them during the day and meet my owner at home at 4:30 every afternoon when she returned from work.

People would tell her about feeding me and how much they enjoyed me, especially the families with kids. I did venture across the highway into town once, but that ended very badly. I spent the night in an outdoor dog pound with big, scary, barking dogs all around. That certainly won't happen again.

As to the charges that I chewed the roots of my neighbors' melon vines and strawberry plants — I was framed. One neighbor who thought I had been tearing up her yard and flowerbed told my owner a few weeks ago that she had caught an armadillo in her front yard, rooting it up. She said there had been two of them staying under an empty trailer across the road.

In my defense, I think the armadillos were partly to blame for the destruction of the strawberry plants. Yes, I love berries and melon, but I don't destroy plants and roots. It is a sad day in a pig's life when we have to stoop to eating roots. That armadillo visited during the night and destroyed the plants, and when I made my usual early morning rounds, I was caught in the wrong place at the wrong time.

My owner is a conscientious pet owner and tries to be a good neighbor. If anyone had complained about me, she would have kept me in the house; but no one did. When "Peeved" (who usually fed me biscuits) called my owner one night and said I had destroyed her melons and berries, that was the end of my freedom. I was under house arrest. I was introduced to my first leash and harness, and my owner called the fence company the next day. We were put off by three fence companies for a month, and finally, the third fence guy came out and fenced the back yard. I have not been out on my own since the complaint, with the exception of one time when I created an escape route — which my owners promptly plugged.

I apologize for the problems I caused, but with my fence and leash, it won't happen again. (And someone needs to bring that armadillo in for questioning.) — INCARCERATED IN ELGIN, OKLA. (A.K.A. PETUNIA)

DEAR INCARCERATED (A.K.A. PETUNIA): Your apology is accepted, and now that you have your own turf, everyone

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DEAR ABBY: Add this to your collection of random acts of kindness:

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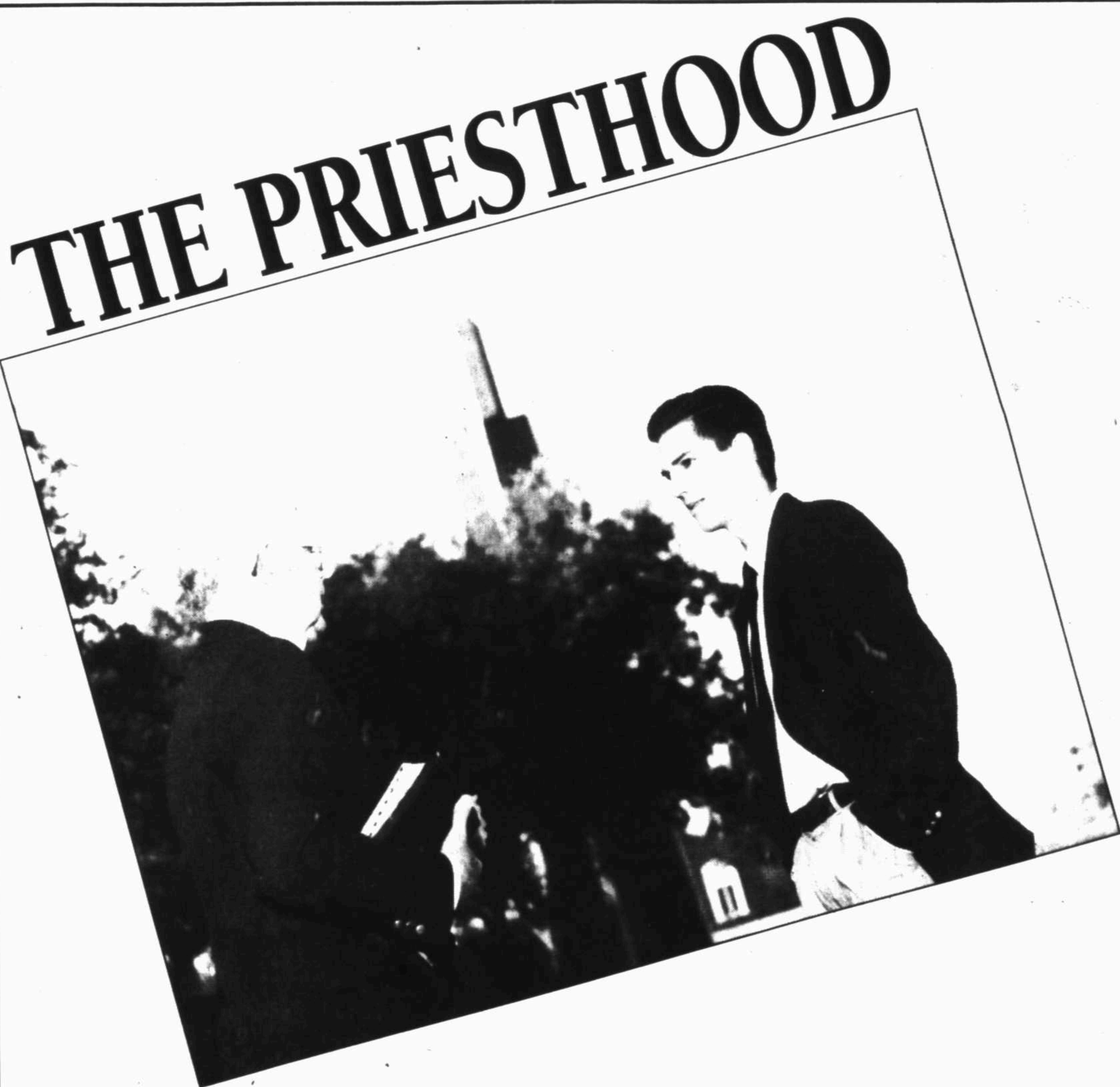
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WEDNESDAY
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Texas Yesterday

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Abilene	60/35/0.00
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El Paso	67/32/0.00
Lubbock	54/28/0.00
San Angelo	61/44/0.00
San Antonio	72/58/0.66

YESTERDAY'S PRECIPITATION

Rainfall Saturday	0.00 in.
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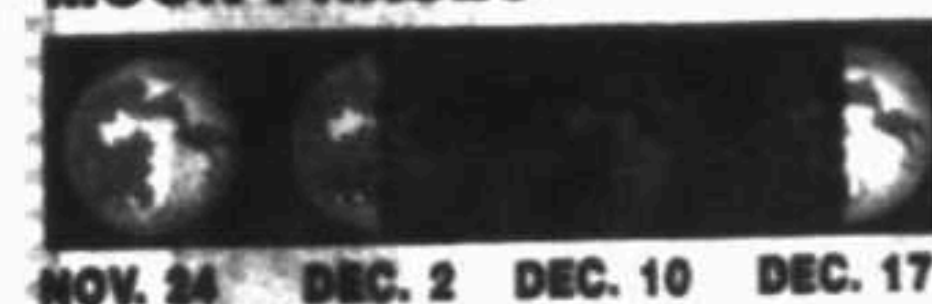
YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES

High	77
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Norm. Low	38

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MOON PHASES



SUNRISE & SUNSET

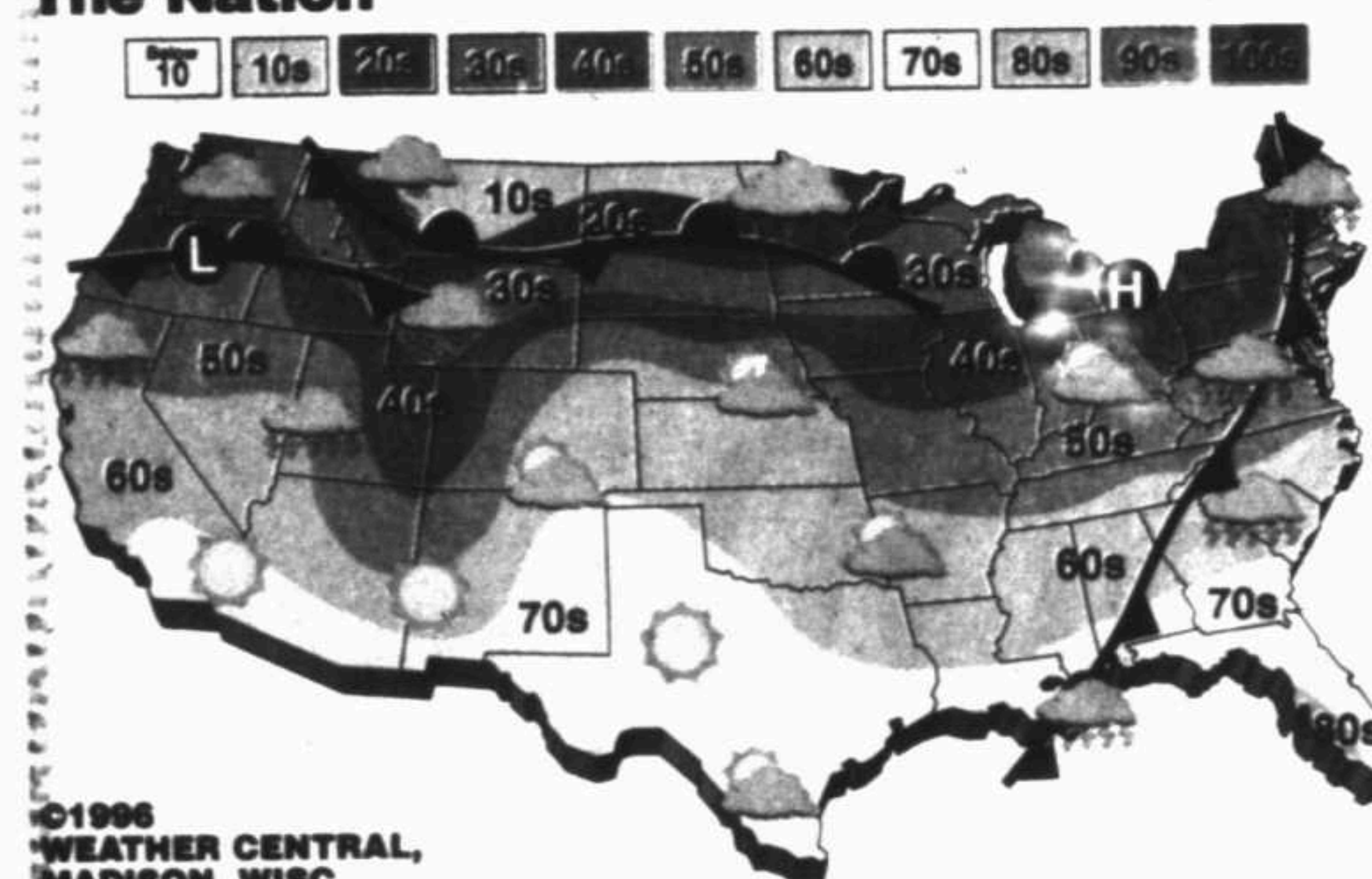
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Sunset tonight	5:47 p.m.
Sunrise Tuesday	7:21 a.m.
Sunset Tuesday	5:47 p.m.
Moonrise today	1:44 p.m.
Moonset today	12:36 a.m.



STORM TRACKER FACTS

High pressure is moving into the Permian Basin behind the cold front that came through this weekend. That will bring us sunny skies on Monday, with temperatures warming up to just a little above average for this time of year.

The Nation



United States

City	H	L	W
Albany	48	29	pc
Albuquerque	62	36	s
Anchorage	27	19	pc
Aspen	37	19	pc
Atlanta	65	49	t
Austin	72	53	s
Baltimore	51	35	sh
Birmingham	65	48	t
Bismarck	27	15	c
Boise	56	44	sh
Boston	50	37	sh
Buffalo	45	27	pc
Charlotte	62	45	t
Cheyenne	52	37	c
Chicago	42	32	pc
Cincinnati	50	35	c
Cleveland	46	34	pc
Colorado Spgs.	64	34	pc
Columbia, SC	65	46	t
Columbus, OH	50	35	pc
Dayton	50	35	pc
Denver	67	35	c
Des Moines	44	34	pc
Detroit	48	37	pc
Duluth	24	19	c
Evansville	54	43	pc
Grand Rapids	45	34	c
Great Falls	15	8	sn
Helena	18	5	sn
Honolulu	85	74	pc
Houston	71	54	pc
Indianapolis	49	39	pc
Jackson, MS	67	47	pc
Jacksonville	70	53	pc
Juneau	25	15	s
Kansas City	60	41	pc
Las Vegas	67	46	pc
Little Rock	60	42	pc
Los Angeles	72	56	pc
Louisville	54	43	c
Memphis	61	46	pc
Miami Beach	79	69	pc
Milwaukee	40	32	c
Minneapolis	28	25	c
Mobile, AL	72	57	t
Nashville	57	46	pc
New Orleans	75	60	t
New York	50	37	sh
Omaha	55	35	pc
Orlando	77	60	pc
Philadelphia	52	38	sh
Phoenix	77	54	s
Pittsburgh	46	35	pc
Portland, OR	49	42	sh
Raleigh	61	43	sh
Reno	62	35	c
Richmond	56	36	sh
St. Louis	51	41	pc
Salt Lake City	59	40	sh
San Diego	70	54	s
San Francisco	64	52	pc
Seattle	44	37	sh
Sioux Falls	27	16	pc
Spokane	34	27	sn
Tampa	80	63	pc
Topeka	61	40	pc
Washington	52	36	sh
Wichita	63	41	pc
Acapulco	90	71	pc
Bermuda	72	60	sh
Cabo San Lucas	86	64	s
Chihuahua	74	45	pc
Guadalajara	78	45	pc
Havana	81	71	pc
Kingston	83	75	t
Mazatlan	88	64	s
Merida	88	68	t
Mexico City	71	45	s
Nassau	84	65	pc
San Jose	78	63	c
San Juan, PR	86	74	pc
Torreon	78	48	pc
Trinidad	88	74	t
Vera Cruz	84	66	pc
Bangkok	92	74	t
Beijing	47	33	s
Bogota	67	52	pc
Johannesburg	79	54	pc
London	46	37	pc
Montreal	46	36	pc
Moscow	41	33	c
Nairobi	72	55	c
New Delhi	84	51	s
Paris	41	35	sh
Rio de Janeiro	87	70	sh
Riyadh	81	61	s
Rome	57	47	sh
Stockholm	41	30	i
Sydney	82	60	s
Tokyo	62	46	c
Toronto	46	41	c

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Women jump into Acapulco's high-risk cliff diving competition

ACAPULCO, Mexico (AP) — On dares, for kicks and for prizes, men have been diving from a cliff into a sea-filled chasm here for decades. Until now, women simply watched one of Mexico's great rituals of "machismo."

But in the demise of another gender barrier, women went for prize money for the first time Saturday in the world-renowned Acapulco cliff-diving championships.

It was part equal-opportunity, part marketing inspiration. Organizers hoped the presence of female divers would rejuvenate the event after a three-year hiatus. The money wasn't enormous: \$6,000

apiece for the winners of separate men's and women's divisions. But this was mainly about bragging rights. Most of the competitors hoped to boost their marquee value as divers on the amusement-park circuit.

On Saturday, six American and Canadian women jumped from the cliffs of this Pacific resort city, 180 miles southwest of Mexico City, into a churning gorge known as "La Quebrada," or "The Break." The 27 men taking part were to compete Sunday.

Heidi Pascoe took first place on two cleanly executed dives from 68 feet — a

forward-double somersault with a half-twist and a flying one-and-a-half somersault.

"I went up the cliff to do my best, and if the best takes me to the top so be it," said Pascoe, 24, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. "I bowed my head and prayed. I'm pretty proud of myself."

The women were following a pioneer named Barbara Winter. In 1977, she performed well in practice rounds at Acapulco but was refused permission to compete against men in the finals.

The men in the Acapulco cliff divers' union, who set the rules for the event, put

aside their doubts this year on the advice of producer-promoter Sam Hernandez.

"The local divers were apprehensive at first because they respect women and didn't want to see one hurt," said Hernandez, who was the only American to win the annual competition twice during its first incarnation from 1967 to 1993.

But Hernandez said that after canvassing a small cadre of international women professionals, he decided "it was time to bring it into the 21st century and have women represented."

La Quebrada is no small leap for man or woman.

From atop a tiny platform 87 feet high, the ribbon of sea water below seems light-years away. Divers watch tidal swells fill the chasm, count off a couple of seconds and spring into the air. Two seconds later they hit water that varies from seven feet to 15 feet deep at a top speed of 65 mph.

They come up smiling, but that first step is a big one.

On Thursday, competitor Montana Miller took one look and balked. But on Friday the 26-year-old from Harvard, Mass., hit a picture-perfect head-first practice dive from a height of 68 feet.

Hackers release new song online

LONDON (AP) — Hackers have distributed two unreleased U2 songs on the Internet, possibly after tapping into computers at the Irish rock group's recording studio, the Sunday Times said.

The songs, "Discotheque" and "Wake Up Dead Man," have appeared on Internet sites in at least four countries, the newspaper said. The songs are to appear on an album scheduled for release in the spring.

Since their illicit appearance on the Internet, the songs have also been copied onto compact discs, the Times said. The bootleg CDs are going for \$10 at street markets in Ireland and Britain.

"It is an infringement of our copyright," Marc Marot, managing director of Island Records, told the Times.

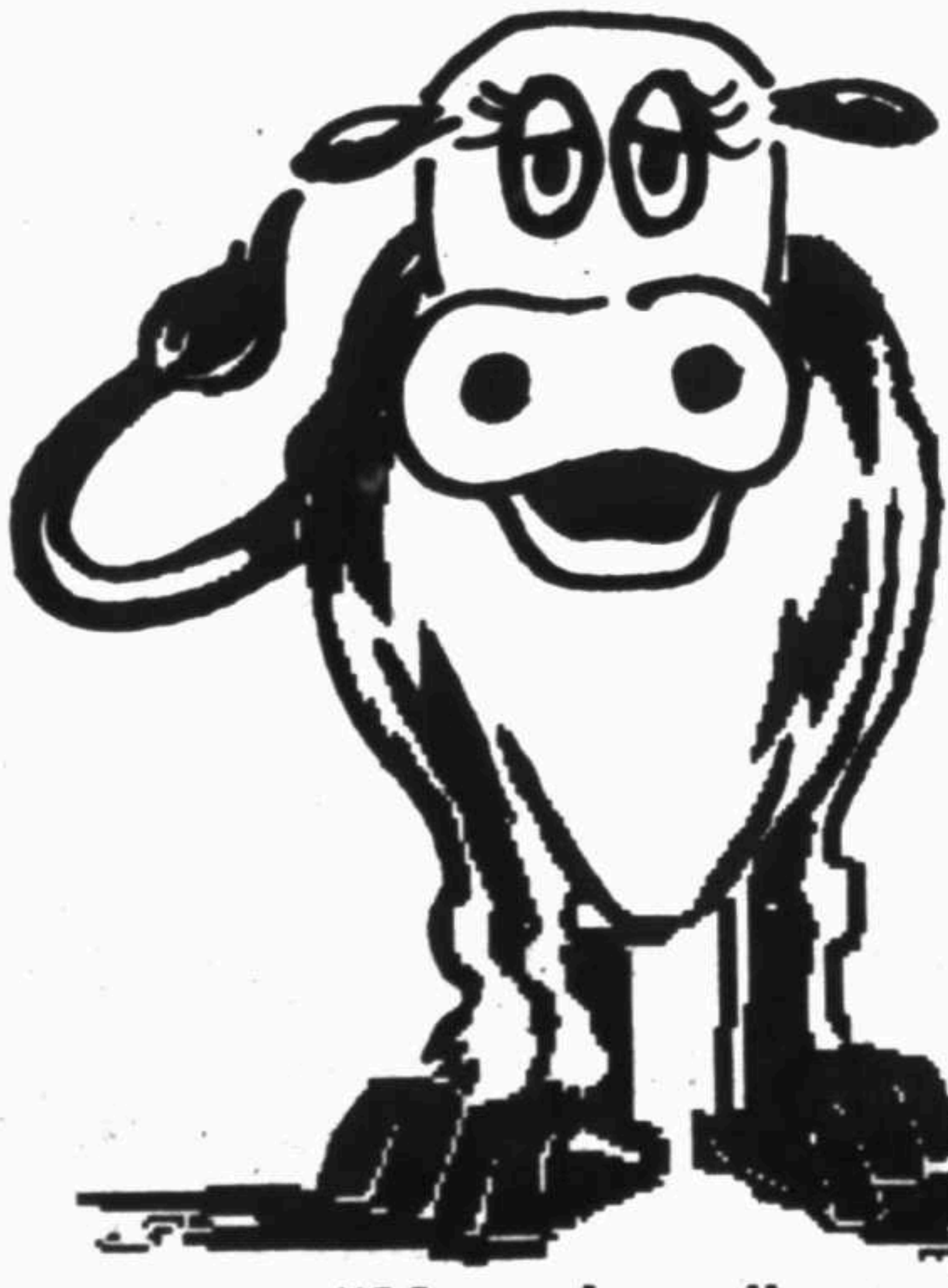
Island Records did not immediately return calls for comment Sunday. The Sunday Times said the record company is trying to shut down the Internet sites.

Conventional, low-tech theft of the songs has been ruled out, the newspaper said.

Band managers are investigating the possibility that hackers tapped into computers at U2's Dublin studio, it said. They may have gained access through cables that have been feeding images of the band's recording sessions to an Internet site maintained by Island Records.

Since 1981, U2 has sold 70 million records and grossed more than \$1.5 billion.

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Texas Scores

NBA — Golden State Warriors 102, San Antonio Spurs 92.
NHL — Dallas Stars 7, Edmonton Oilers 3.
NFL — Miami Dolphins 23, Houston Oilers 20.

Sports Today

BASKETBALL — Midland College women vs. Western Texas College, 7:30 p.m., in Snyder's Scurry County Coliseum, opening of Western Junior College Athletic Conference play.

AP Top 25

By The Associated Press
The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 16, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and last week's ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pv
1. Florida (54)	10-0	1,660	1
2. Ohio St. (7)	10-0	1,580	2
3. Florida St. (4)	9-0	1,568	3
4. Arizona St. (2)	10-0	1,485	4
5. Nebraska	9-1	1,412	5
6. Colorado	9-1	1,336	6
7. Penn St.	9-2	1,197	11
8. Brigham Young	11-1	1,192	10
9. Tennessee	7-2	1,026	12
10. Notre Dame	7-2	972	14
11. Northwestern	9-2	959	13
12. Washington	8-2	872	15
13. North Carolina	8-2	862	6
14. Kansas St.	8-2	799	9
15. Alabama	8-2	772	8
16. Syracuse	7-2	713	19
17. Virginia Tech	8-1	677	21
18. LSU	7-2	659	17
19. Virginia	7-3	476	24
20. Wyoming	10-1	381	23
21. Michigan	7-3	327	16
22. Clemson	7-3	185	—
23. West Virginia	8-2	170	8
24. Iowa	7-3	139	—
25. Miami	6-3	126	18

Others receiving votes: Auburn 65, Army 59, Southern Miss. 43, Texas 15, Utah 14, East Carolina 13, Michigan St. 9, Navy 5, Houston 4, Texas Tech 2, Rice 1.

It's Stanford

STANFORD, Calif. — Their old coach is back. Their old dominance has never been gone.

Olympia Scott scored 18 points and Naomi Multaupoole added 14 as the top-ranked Stanford women celebrated Tara VanDerveer's return by defeating No. 2 Alabama 74-65 Sunday in the season-opening Tip-Off Classic that opens the season.

Shalonda Enis had 18 points and 10 rebounds for Alabama, which held Stanford's Kate Starbird — a second-team All-American last season with 20.1 points per game — to eight points.

Dominique Canty added 16 points and nine rebounds for the Crimson Tide.

VanDerveer, who led the Cardinal to NCAA titles in 1990 and 1992, took a leave of absence last season to coach the U.S. Olympic team to a 60-0 record and a gold medal at the Atlanta Games.

She returned to a Stanford team loaded with talent. The top 10 players, including all five starters, are back from a team that went to the Final Four last season — beating Alabama in the West Regional semifinals along the way.

Multaupoole, fanned by her father during timeouts, had 12 points in the first half. Wearing a shirt saying "Daddy 34," Toa'ale Multaupoole waved a magazine to cool his daughter — who wears uniform No. 34 — on the bench.

Stanford led 38-27 at halftime, and never let the Crimson Tide get closer than four points in the second half. That came on Tausha Mills' follow shot with 3 1/2 minutes, pulling Alabama within 66-62.

But Jamila Wideman, who finished with 13 points and four steals, hit a layup, and Multaupoole followed with a 10-foot jumper to give the Cardinal an eight-point lead with 2:30 left.

Yolanda Watkins, who had 13 points and nine rebounds, scored on a follow shot — exposing Stanford's weakness on the boards — with two minutes left for Alabama. Scott responded with a jumper from the foul line and, after an Alabama free throw, Wideman hit two foul shots to make it 74-65.

The Crimson Tide out rebounded Stanford 47-41.

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Aikman packs wallop against Packers

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — It's nothing personal against the Green Bay Packers. Troy Aikman just seems to have his best games against them.

"He's been awesome against us," Packers coach Mike Holmgren said. "It's hard to set your defense against the run and Emmitt Smith because Troy will hammer you."

Aikman has a 6-2 lifetime record against the Packers, completing 73 percent of his passes for 1,939 yards and 11 touchdowns.

Last year, Aikman was 24-of-31 for 316 yards and two touchdowns in a 34-24 regular-season win, then turned Green Bay on 21-of-33 for 255 yards and two touchdowns in the NFC championship 38-27 win.

He gets another shot when the Dallas Cowboys (6-4) play the Packers (8-2) on Monday night.

"I have no idea why it's worked out this way," Aikman said. "I just seem to have my best games against Green Bay. It seems like we almost make a lot of big plays. It's hard to figure."

The Packers have lost seven in a row against Dallas and thought they got lucky on Thanksgiving Day 1994, when Aikman was out with an injury.

However, backup Jason Garrett produced a big game for a 42-31 win.

"I guess until they beat us, all this will weigh on their minds," Aikman said. "The way I look at it this time is that we're the defending Super Bowl champions until it's proven otherwise. We're still a barometer for other teams. It has to be in the back of their minds whether

Cowboys vs. Packers

- **Line:** Cowboys by 4.
- **Record vs. Spread:** Packers 3-7, Cowboys 4-6.
- **Series Record:** Series tied 8-8. Cowboys beat Packers, 38-27, in last meeting in 1995 NFC Championship game.
- **TV:** ABC's Monday Night Football, 8 p.m.

they admit it or not."

Despite the Cowboys' 20-17 overtime win at San Francisco, Aikman said, "we're still behind the 8 ball."

But the clutch victory could have some carry over blessings.

"I think Green Bay saw the San Francisco game, and it may have made them a little nervous about us," Aikman said. "We know we'll have to play at the top of our games to beat Green Bay."

Especially if Brett Favre is on his game.

"Brett is just outstanding," Aikman said. "I like watching him play. I like his enthusiasm."

The two quarterbacks are often compared, but Aikman wants none of it.

"We play in two different systems," he said. "I don't like to get into that comparison stuff."

Asked if he would have better statistics playing in the wide-open Green Bay offense, Aikman said, "No doubt, I'd have much better numbers."



Dallas Cowboys' quarterback Troy Aikman ...owning 6-2 record against Packers



Houston tight end Frank Wycheck pulls in a Chris Chandler pass against Miami's Chris Singleton, but the Dolphins defeated the Oilers, 23-20.

Texan Dolphins just love home

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — Jimmy Johnson, Larry Izzo and Zach Thomas all had happy Texas homecomings in the Astrodome.

Thomas returned an interception 26 yards for a touchdown and Joe Nedney kicked a 29-yard field goal as time expired Sunday, rallying the Dolphins in an explosive fourth quarter to a 23-20 victory over the Houston Oilers.

Thomas, a rookie linebacker from Texas Tech, gave the Dolphins their first lead at 20-17 with his big theft with 10:42 to go in the game.

That wasn't enough.

The Oilers had some big plays of their own left. Linebacker Barron Wortham stripped receiver O.J. McDuffie of the ball and Steve Jackson recovered it at the Oilers 45, setting up a 33-yard field goal by Al Del Greco for a 20-20 tie with 3:20 remaining.

But the Dolphins came back.

Dan Marino hit McDuffie for a 20-yard completion on third-and-12 from the Miami 24. Two plays later, he connected with tight end Troy Drayton for a 51-yard pass play to the Oilers 5-yard line.

The Dolphins worked the clock down to two seconds before Nedney kicked his

third field goal of the game, leaving each team at 6-5.

Marino had his second straight big game, completing 21 of 28 passes for 237 yards. McDuffie caught eight for 86 yards.

Johnson, from nearby Port Arthur, had his own cheering section and the Dolphins gave them plenty to cheer about in the fourth quarter, which started with the Oilers leading 17-13.

Izzo, a rookie linebacker from Rice University, tricked the Oilers with a 26-yard run on a fake punt on the opening play of the final quarter, taking the ball to the Houston 42.

Karim Abdul-Jabbar ran 12 yards on the next play and Marino's 10-yard pass to McDuffie gave Miami a first down at the Oilers 5.

Abdul-Jabbar fumbled at the 1 and Cris Dishman recovered in the end zone for a touchdown. On the very next play, Thomas picked off Chris Chandler's pass and ran untouched into the end zone.

The Oilers took a 14-0 first-quarter lead on Chandler's touchdown passes of 18 yards to Derek Russell and a 15-yarder to Frank Wycheck.

Marino wouldn't allow the Dolphins to stay down long.

After Kirby Dar Dar blocked Reggie Roby's punt at the Oilers 31, Marino

Please see OILERS/2C

Davis gives Broncos total control of AFC

By The Associated Press

For one day at least, Terrell Davis surpassed John Elway as the dominant player on the Denver Broncos. And the Broncos established themselves as the AFC's dominant team.

Denver beat New England 34-8 in Foxboro on Sunday as Davis rushed for 154 yards, scored three times and gained 56 yards on four catches while Elway nursed hand and leg injuries. That put the Broncos at 10-1, the best record in the NFL and two games ahead of Buffalo, Kansas City and Pittsburgh in the race for home-field advantage in the playoffs.

"We were completely outclassed today. We had no chance ever to win the game. I was completely disappointed by the way the team performed," New England coach Bill Parcells said. "I thought we would do better than that."

The Bills, Chiefs and Steelers all won. Buffalo ended Bruce Coslet's 3-0 run as Cincinnati's coach with a 31-17 win. Kansas City beat Chicago 14-10 and Pittsburgh avenged an opening day loss with a 28-3 win over Jacksonville.

In the NFC, Washington upset Philadelphia 26-21 to take over first place in the NFC East. Gus Frerotte and Jamie Asher combined on two touchdown passes and Scott Blanton kicked four field goals.

Denver's win over New England (7-4) may have been decided on the opening series, when Parcells tried a fake punt from his 2. Punter Tom Tupa passed to linebacker Tedy Bruschi, but Bruschi dropped it.

Five plays later, Elway hit Davis for a 15-yard touchdown to make it 7-0.

By halftime it was 24-0 as Davis scored three times, the last two on runs of 10 and 2 yards.

Elway bruised his hand at the end of the first half to go with an already pulled groin muscle, but missed just one series because of it. He is now 9-0 against New England after completing 14 of 23 for 175 yards.



Denver's Terrell Davis files into the end zone with New England safety draped on his back. Davis scored three touchdowns.

Sunday's NFL Roundup

Davis had a total of 210 yards as the Patriots gave up more than 100 yards on the ground to a running back for the fourth straight game.

"I thought today would be the one we could put the running game together," Davis said. "We're still a passing team. When we need the run, we can do it, but John is still our general, our leader."

Redskins 26, Eagles 21

Ricky Watters' fumble set up Frerotte's 12-yard TD pass to Asher in the first half and his 7-yarder on the first series of the second half made it 20-7. Blanton had field goals of 33, 30, 37

Please see NFL/2C

Parchman, Socorro playoff paths cross at the border

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Once again Midland Lee head football coach John Parchman has a date with a former girl friend, so to speak.

The Lee Rebels will face El Paso Socorro for the second straight year in the Class 5A Small School area playoffs, the former home of Parchman.

Socorro coach Jim Carson was once an assistant coach with Parchman at Socorro eight years ago and Carson's Bulldogs played on even terms with Lee a year ago, losing 28-26 in an exciting area contest at Midland's Memorial Stadium.

This year Lee has to travel to El Paso's Socorro Complex to meet the Bulldogs and Lee won't be taking this one for granted, insists Parchman.

Class 5A Small School Playoffs

"Last year, I think the media hurt us in that game with Socorro, saying how bad El Paso teams are," Parchman said. "We think there are three good El Paso teams left in the playoffs and that is Montwood, Irvin and Socorro. Those programs have come a long way."

Parchman feels that the El Paso playoff step isn't as easy as it might have once been.

"Some of the El Paso teams are building programs, and I think I had a little to do with that at Socorro," Parchman said. "When I got there, they didn't play junior high football. The first time they played football was in the ninth grade. One of the first things I did was to develop junior high football, and after eight years,

I think the results are beginning to show.

"That was a tough job because they didn't have junior highs in the Socorro district. They had K through eighth grade at the schools and we had to hire coaches and have seventh and eighth grade combined teams at each school."

Since Parchman's departure for Midland Lee as an assistant coach under Earl Miller, Carson has continued to build on that system that was created under Parchman.

Carson's team has posted an 8-3 season in winning the District 2-5A title. The Bulldogs defeated El Paso Andress, an old Lee enemy in both regular season and the playoffs, 30-19, Friday in bi-district play.

Socorro started the season with a 1-2 record, losing

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OILERS: Dolphins stage rally to win

(From 1C)

worked the ball to the 10. He hit Irving Spikes for the touchdown. The Dolphins capitalized on Oilers penalties in the closing minutes of the first half and got a 34-yard field goal by Nedney as time expired, bringing Miami within 14-10.

DOLPHINS 23, OILERS 20					
Miami	10	0	3	10-23	
Houston	14	0	3	3-20	
Final Quarter					
Houston—Russell 18 pass from Chandler (Del Greco kick), 5:29.					
Houston—Wycheck 15 pass from Chandler (Del Greco kick), 10:46.					
Second Quarter					
Miami—Spikes 10 pass from Marino (Nedney kick), 9:31.					
Miami—FG Nedney 34, 15:00. Drive: 10 plays, 49 yards, 3:35.					
Third Quarter					
Miami—FG Nedney 44, 8:25. Drive: 8 plays, 38 yards, 4:58.					
Houston—FG Del Greco 30, 14:06. Drive: 12 plays, 67 yards, 5:41.					
Fourth Quarter					
Miami—Z Thomas 26 interception return (Nedney kick), 4:18.					
Houston—FG Del Greco 33, 11:40. Drive: 7 plays, 39 yards, 3:45.					
Miami—FG Nedney 29, 15:00. Drive: 9 plays, 63 yards, 3:20.					
A-47,358.					
Individual Statistics					
RUSHING —Miami: Abdul-Jabbar 18-59, Izzo 1-26, Spikes 5-12, Marino 2-minus 3; Houston: George 15-60, W Davis 1-15, Chandler 3-14, Harmon 3-11, R Thomas 1-minus 3.					
PASSING —Miami: Marino 21-28-0-237; Houston: Chandler 15-27-1-167.					
RECEIVING —Miami: McDuffie 8-86, Barnett 5-53, Par-malee 3-20, Houston 2-63, Spikes 1-10, R Hill 1-5, Abdul-Jabbar 1-0, Clayton Wycheck 5-54, George 3-34, W Davis 2-22, Sanders 2-21, Harmon 2-19, Russell 1-18.					
MISSED FIELD GOAL —Miami: Nedney 39 (WL).					

NFL: Mr. 'Embarrassment' rips Ravens with 268 passing yards

(From 1C)

and 22 yards for Washington. The win at Veterans Stadium snapped a two-game losing streak for Washington (8-3) and was the first in November in Norv Turner's three-year coaching career.

Watters had two 1-yard TD runs for the Eagles (7-4). Philadelphia reached the Washington 20 in the final minute, but Ty Detmer threw four straight incompletions.

Chiefs 14, Bears 10

All the scoring came in the first half as the Chiefs held the Bears (4-7), who had run for 356 yards in their two previous games, to just 35. Mark Collins' end zone interception clinched the victory. Steve Bono passed 20 yards for a touchdown to Chris Penn and Kimble Anders ran for a 10-yard score for Kansas City (8-3). Derrick Thomas sacked Dave Krieg twice in the fourth quarter, making Krieg the most sacked quarterback in NFL history with 485, two more than Fran Tarkenton.

Steelers 28, Jaguars 3

At Pittsburgh, the Steelers (8-3) got back at Jacksonville as Yancey Thigpen caught two touchdowns in his first start of the season.

Carnell Lake, untouched on a safety blitz, returned a fumble 85 yards for a TD after the only sustained drive of the day by the Jaguars (4-7).

Bills 31, Bengals 17

At Rich Stadium, Buffalo had seven sacks and linebacker David White returned Ki-Jana Carter's fumble 12 yards for a touchdown. Jim Kelly scored on a quarterback sneak and threw for 199 yards for Buffalo (8-3), which now is alone atop the AFC East.

Kurt Schuler had two interceptions for Buffalo.

It was the first loss for the Bengals (4-7) since coach Bruce Coslet took over from Dave Shula four weeks ago.

49ers 38, Ravens 20

Elvis Grbac, called "an embarrassment to humankind" by San

Struggling Spurs fall to Golden State

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — Latrell Sprewell led an 18-0 burst in the third quarter Sunday night that sent the Golden State Warriors over the San Antonio Spurs 102-92.

Sprewell scored 10 points in the decisive run, capping it with a 3-point shot for a 69-51 lead with 5:13 left in the third period.

Sprewell finished with 20 points and reserve B.J. Armstrong had 24. Joe Smith added 17 points and Chris Mullins 15 for the Warriors.

San Antonio, which has lost five of six games, got 17 points each from Avery Johnson and Vernon Maxwell. Vinny Del Negro had 16.

The Warriors trailed by as many as 13 points in the second quarter and were behind 47-43 at halftime. Felton Spencer's jumper put Golden State ahead 49-47, and it was tied at 51 before Sprewell led the big run.

Sprewell scored 15 points in the third quarter, during which the Warriors outscored the Spurs 33-16 for a 76-63 lead.

San Antonio closed within 97-89 with 1:16 to play on Maxwell's 3-point field goal.

Armstrong, who had 14 points in the fourth quarter, made four free throws to keep the Warriors ahead.

The Spurs set a franchise record by taking 10 3-point shots in the first quarter, making two, in taking 24-15 lead. The Warriors did not have a basket in the last 6:50 of the period.

Trail Blazers 88, Pacers 83

INDIANAPOLIS — Arvydas

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Sabonis scored 18 points and Cliff Robinson made four free throws in the final 17 seconds as Portland held off Indiana.

Portland led by 12 points with 6:32 remaining, but Reggie Miller and Travis Best scored 6 points each in a 12-0 run as the Pacers rallied to tie it 79-79.

Sabonis countered with a hook shot and Aaron McKie's 3-pointer put the Blazers back up by 5 before Best made a high-arching layup over Sabonis to bring Indiana within 84-81.

After a miss by Robinson, the Pacers had a chance to tie it, but Miller couldn't handle a pass from Best. Robinson then sealed Portland's win at the free-throw line.

SuperSonics 91, Grizzlies 81

SEATTLE — Hersey Hawkins scored 8 points in the fourth quarter Sunday night, leading Seattle to its seventh straight win.

Gary Payton had 21 points and five steals, and Sam Perkins added 15 points off the bench for the Sonics.

Seattle held the Grizzlies without a field goal for a 9:35 span in the second and third quarters, but Vancouver was still in the game in the fourth quarter.

The Grizzlies got within 81-74 on Roy Rogers' basket with 3:04 left. But Hawkins hit a 3-pointer with 2:41 left, and Shawn Kemp had a free throw and putback to give Seattle an 87-74 lead.

Kemp had 11 points and 11

rebounds in 28 minutes, but was strapped with early foul trouble and never established a rhythm.

Clippers 102, Bucks 94

LOS ANGELES — Rodney Rogers scored 20 points and Malik Sealy added 18, leading the Los Angeles Clippers over Milwaukee.

The win left Clippers coach Bill Fitch with 999 career losses — most in NBA history — for at least one more game.

Fitch, a two-time NBA coach of the year who had triple-bypass surgery Aug. 9, has coached more games, 1,895, than anyone in league history. His 895 wins rank fourth, behind Lenny Wilkens, Dick Motta and Jack Ramsay.

Fitch, 61, is in his 24th season as an NBA head coach.

Lakers 102, Suns 88

PHOENIX — Danny Ainge lost in his debut as an NBA coach, and Phoenix dropped to 0-9 with a loss to the Los Angeles Lakers.

The Suns tied a franchise record for most consecutive losses at the start of a season. They are the only winless team in the league.

Ainge, a first-year assistant with no previous coaching experience, took over the Suns when Cotton Fitzsimmons resigned after Thursday night's loss at Vancouver.

The Lakers scored 18 straight points bridging the first and second quarters. Shaquille O'Neal had 16 points and 13 rebounds before leaving the game with a slightly sprained ankle.

Eddie Jones scored 18 points and rookie Kobe Bryant finished with

BIG 12, WAC Roundup



Texas back runs through Kansas safety Maurice Gaddy on Saturday as the Longhorns move into position to take the Big 12 South.

Big 12 South is down to Texas, A&M, maybe

Associated Press

It was supposed to come down to the post-Thanksgiving Day duel between Texas A&M and Texas. And it still might.

Texas claimed a share of first place in the Big 12 South on Saturday with a 38-17 victory over Kansas. Meanwhile, Texas A&M stayed in the hunt by beating Oklahoma 33-16, knocking the Sooners out of contention.

The Aggies' fate is out of their hands next Saturday, though. A&M needs an Oklahoma upset over Texas Tech to create a true title game on Nov. 29 in Austin against Texas.

A Tech victory leaves the Aggies out in the Big 12 cold and keeps the Red Raiders alive. If Tech wins, the cruel reality for the Aggies would be that the Red Raiders — the team that would have eliminated them — would advance if A&M defeats hated rival Texas.

The Longhorns remain in the driver's seat through this idle week: A win and they're in. "We took the hard road, but we're here," Texas guard Dan Neil said.

Baylor's bowl hopes evaporated when Missouri outlasted the Bears 49-12 in three overtimes. Baylor (4-6, 1-6) collapsed in league play after starting 3-0 against weak inter-conference competition.

In other Big 12 games, Colorado beat Kansas State 12-0 and Nebraska routed Iowa State 49-14 to set up the expected Cornhuskers-Buffaloes game for the North title.

The Longhorns (6-4, 5-2) ensured a bowl appearance with their win over fading Kansas, but their minds were on winning the South, which they can do without help from anyone else.

As the weather turned nasty in the second half, so did the Longhorns. "Our defense took total control," said Texas coach John Mackovic of his team's final

two quarters of shutout ball. "We probably wore them down."

The Longhorns still showed its predictable vulnerability against the run, allowing Kansas star June Henley 209 yards and two touchdowns. Usually, though, they bent without breaking and allowed the offense to win it after halftime.

Down in College Station, Texas A&M coach R.C. Slocum used as inspiration some quotes from earlier in the week by Sooners coach John Blake, who seemed to indicate A&M had superior talent, even though their records were similar.

The Aggies (6-5, 4-3), who struggled to a 3-5 to start the season, need a victory against Texas to earn a bowl berth regardless of what happens in the Texas Tech-Oklahoma game.

"Right now, everything is out there for us," safety Shun Horn said. "Coach told (us) this week that true champions rise to the occasion. We were behind in the first half but then we rose to the occasion."

The Red Raiders routed Southwestern Louisiana and their 92nd-ranked defense against the run, using Tech's last home game this season to showcase Hanspard, who became the greatest rusher in school history.

Hanspard, who left the game with 2,000 yards on the nose this season, broke Bam Morris' single season rushing record and James Gray's career mark all at once. His four rushing touchdowns equaled his personal best.

Hanspard also overtook Iowa State's Troy Davis to regain the status as the nation's leading rusher, averaging 200 yards per game. The two have jockeyed all season between No. 1 and No. 2.

BYU, Utah fight for title

Associated Press

Football fans who circled Nov. 23 on their calendars to mark the Utah-Brigham Young game in Salt Lake City are licking their chops.

The eighth-ranked Cougars dispatched Hawaii 45-14 in Honolulu, setting up their regular season-ending battle for the division title and the right to play Pacific Division winner Wyoming in the WAC Championship on Dec. 7.

Utah was idle this weekend, giving them two full weeks to prepare for BYU quarterback Steve Sarkisian, who completed his 31st and 32nd touchdown passes of the year against the overmatched Rainbows.

Elsewhere in the Mountain, Rice continued its impressive WAC debut with a 30-17 victory over disappointing Texas Christian, and Tulsa snapped a four-game skid with a 38-21 win over Texas-El Paso.

In other WAC games, Wyoming edged Colorado State 25-24, San Jose State fell to Washington 53-10, Nevada-Las Vegas beat San Diego State 44-42 and Air Force nipped Fresno State 44-38.

BYU coach Lavell Edwards seemed particularly satisfied with the defensive effort of the Cougars (11-1, 7-0), calling it the "key to the whole game."

BYU remains the only team undefeated in WAC play. However, Utah (8-2, 6-1) is hanging a game behind and can wreck the Cougars' marathon season with a victory.

A Utah loss, however, could leave it in a tie with Rice, the only WAC team to have beaten them this season.

After learning a 49-0 lesson in big-time football from BYU last week, the Cougars bounced back to dismantle Texas Christian 30-17 in the 74th meeting between

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the ancient Southwest Conference rivals.

As usual, the rushing game was crucial for Rice (6-4, 5-2), though this time it was their effort in stopping it. The run-happy Owls did claim 263 yards on 61 carries and held the Horned Frogs to just 29 yards on 23 tries.

Meanwhile, Rice opened up the game for a rare pass. Chad Richardson hit Jason Blackwell on a 69-yard TD pass so open that it seemed some fans in the stands were closer to the play than a Frog defensive back.

"I figured there would be someone covering me," Blackwell said, "but there wasn't."

The antithesis to the upcoming BYU-Utah game occurred in El Paso: Tulsa beat UTEP 38-21 in a fight to stay out of the Mountain Division basement.

UTEP (8-8, 0-7) had no answer for Troy DeGar's three touchdowns or Solomon White's 192 rushing yards and two TDs for Tulsa (4-6, 2-5).

The Miners have lost five straight.

On a record-setting day throughout the Western Athletic Conference, Wyoming made the biggest mark. Too bad quarterback Josh Wallwork doesn't remember much of it.

Wallwork drove his team 96 yards to the winning touchdown with 1:48 left, lifting the Cowboys to a 25-24 win over Colorado State in Fort Collins on Saturday.

Coupled with San Diego State's 44-42 loss to previously winless UNLV in Las Vegas later in the day, it gave Wyoming the WAC's Pacific Division title and a trip to Las Vegas for the WAC championship game on Dec. 7.

Crafter's eagle nets Aussie golf victory

Associated Press

GOLD COAST, Australia (AP) — Jane Crafter sank a 42-foot eagle putt on the last hole Sunday to win the Australian Ladies Masters by a stroke, her first victory in four years.

"You dream of making putts like that to win a tournament," she said. "It was a dead straight putt. I just wanted to make sure it got there."

Crafter closed with a 5-under-par 68 for a total of 19-under 273 at the Royal Pines resort. One stroke behind the Australian were Laura Davies and Jane Geddes.

This was Crafter's first victory since she won the same tournament in 1992. She joined Davies and Geddes as a two-time winner of the biggest women's golf tournament in the Southern Hemisphere.

Davies, who won in 1993 and 1994 and was third last year, had a 12-foot eagle putt on the last hole that would have tied her with Crafter and forced a playoff, but the Englishwoman was wide of the cup.

Dunlop Phoenix

MIYAZAKI, Japan (AP) — Jumbo Ozaki won for the 100th time in his career Sunday, coasting to a three-shot victory over

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younger brother Naomichi "Joe" Ozaki and Tom Watson at the Dunlop Phoenix.

"I won my first tournament on this course 25 years ago and to win my 100th here is like a dream come true," he said.

Despite a closing 2-over-par 73, Ozaki was never really challenged in the final round and finished at 7-under 277 for his third consecutive victory in Japan's richest event.

Shark Shootout

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. — Tom Kite and Jay Haas spun their wheels for nine holes in Sunday's final round of the Franklin Templeton Shark Shootout, then had an epiphany.

"We said if we're letting a lot of people in it that are behind us, then we're still in it," Haas said.

With that in mind, he and Kite birdied their final nine holes to win pulling away, finishing 12-under-par 60 for the day and 29-under 187 overall for a two-stroke victory at Sherwood Country Club in Thousand Oaks.

In the process, they outlasted four other teams that shot sub-30 back nines and overtook two in-the-clubhouse leaders.

Top 5 stay put in AP poll

Associated Press

The names remained the same atop The Associated Press' Top 25 college football poll — Florida, Ohio State, Florida State, Arizona State and Nebraska. Only the voting margins have changed.

While the No. 1 Gators increased their lead over the No. 2 Buckeyes, North Carolina, Alabama and Kansas State fell from the Top 10 on Sunday.

Florida (10-0), a 52-25 winner over South Carolina, received 54 first-place votes and 1,660 points in nationwide balloting by 67 sports writers and broadcasters.

Rose Bowl-bound Ohio State (10-0), which beat Indiana 27-17, had seven first-place votes and 1,580 points. Last week, the Buckeyes

West Texas A&M coach resigns

CANYON (AP) — West Texas A&M's head football coach Morris Stone resigned Sunday, with the school saying the move was in the best interest of the school's sluggish athletic program.

The Buffaloes finished this season 1-9.

"The safest way to put it is it's been kind of touchy," Bill Kauffman, university sports information director, said. "He just felt it in the best interest of the team to resign."

"We've been struggling." Ed Harris, West Texas' director of intercollegiate athletics, said he accepted Stone's resignation in the coach's best interest and that

were within 29 first-place votes and 53 points of the Gators.

The Seminoles (9-0), who beat Southern Mississippi 54-14, had four first-place votes and 1,568 points. Rose Bowl-bound Arizona State (10-0), off on Saturday, had the other two first-place votes and 1,485 points, while the Cornhuskers (9-1) beat Iowa State 49-14.

Colorado, 9-1 after a 12-0 win against Kansas State, was sixth, followed by Penn State, Brigham Young, Tennessee and Notre Dame.

Northwestern moved up two spots to No. 11, followed by Washington, North Carolina, Kansas State, Alabama, Syracuse, Virginia Tech, LSU, Virginia and Wyoming.

Stone will continue teaching at the university through this semester, after beginning his career at West Texas A&M in 1992 as an assistant coach and becoming head coach in 1994.

His first season, Stone led the team to a 9-2 record. He finished the 1995 season 5-6 before falling to one victory this year.

In his resignation statement, Stone said coaching is "a unique profession because other than being the president of the United States, football coaches have the most critics."

Summary

COLTS 34
NY Jets 12
Indianapolis 3
First Q
NY—Lower
Ind—FG Blanch
Second
Ind—Warren 5
kick), 06
NY—Graham 5
(kick failed), 10:13
NY—Graham 1
(conversion failed)
Third Q
Ind—Harris
baugh (pass failed)
Ind—Daniel 35
(Blanchard kick), 4
NY—Murrell 1
9:29
Ind—FG Blanch
Fourth
NY—Graham 3
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Den—J. Davis
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Den—T. Davis
4:02
Den—FG Elan
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NE—Martin 7
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Den—Elway 7
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Den—FG Elan

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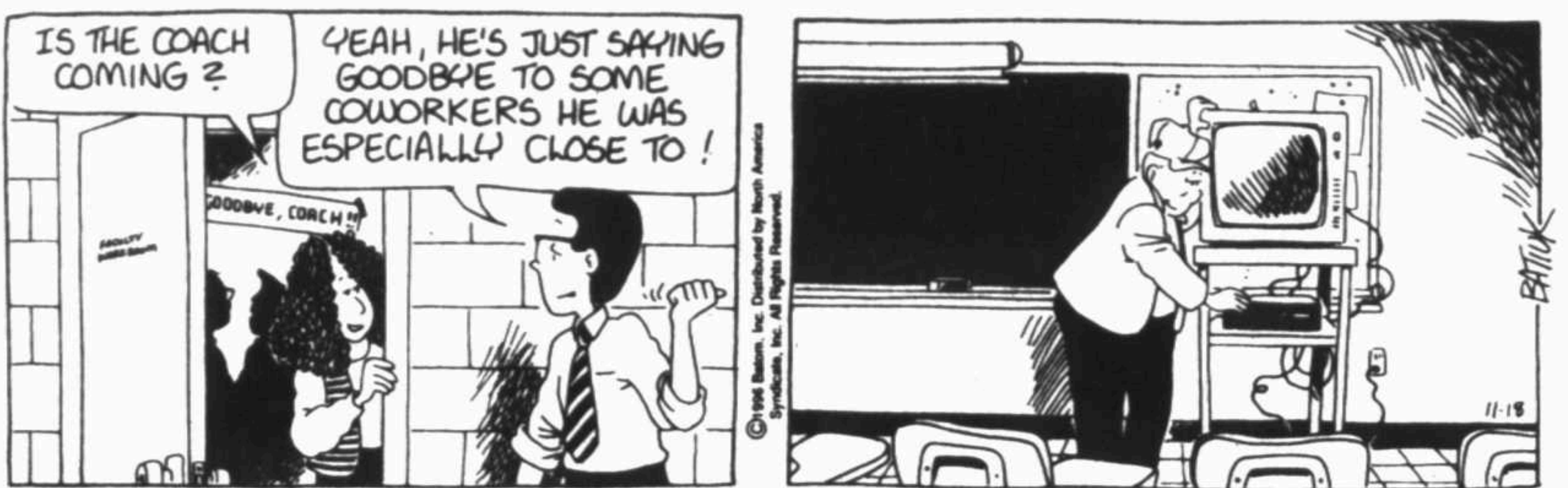
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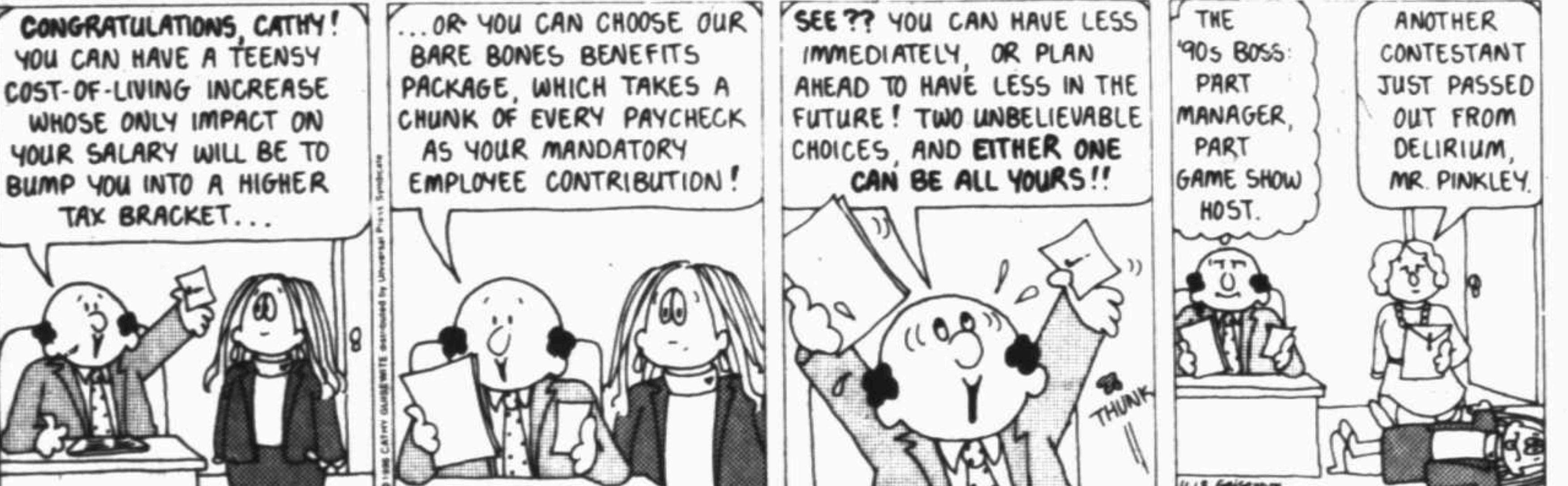
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Help comes from people in high places. Original ideas will bring fame and fortune in 1997. Turn to family members in an emergency. Both creative endeavors and social affairs will keep you busy next spring. Negotiate a real estate deal in midsummer. Vacationing near a lake or ocean will prove especially invigorating. You ponder going back to school next fall. Play fair in love. Do not expect more from your romantic partner than you will give in return.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: actress Linda Evans, football player Warren Moon, comedian Imogene Coca, Metallica guitarist Kirk Hammett.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your assets grow, thanks to a clever investment strategy. Discuss special plans for your career or business. Less experienced types will be impressed by your shrewdness.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Scrutinize the fine print before signing a legal agreement. Do not let someone's dark mood undermine your confidence. Be a pillar of strength to your partner.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A diet and fitness regimen enjoys favorable influences. Tennis, cycling

or aerobics will help you shape up. Revamp a financial plan. Paying close attention to detail will save you time and money.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your communication skills impress your co-workers. Someone may offer you an executive position. Be cautious on the financial front. The romantic picture will brighten when you show more initiative.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Determination is the name of the game. When higher-ups give you free rein, go for the gold! Others want to board your success train. Launch a long-range venture.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Get better organized at work. Putting your sound financial ideas into practice will bring handsome rewards. Pursue an unusual opportunity in education or business.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Acting on impulse is foolhardy; others could judge you harshly. Although an employment situation is not ideal, you would be wise to remain a while longer.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Money matters demand attention. Look for ways to improve an invest-

ment portfolio. Call your broker only after studying the financial pages. Record your aspirations for future reference.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): New philosophies and ideas are worth investigation. An appreciative attitude will bring astonishing results on the home front. Let loved ones know that their needs come first now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Your creative powers reach new heights. Showcase your talents to attract the attention of prominent people, then accept the best offer you receive. In your leisure hours, reach out to those who love you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Seek expert advice before signing a long-term agreement. Instead of choosing sides in a family dispute, play the role of peacemaker. Athletic activity helps relieve tension. Invite a loved one to join you.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Harness your managerial talents in business or the arts. If launching a new business, take advantage of the Internet to promote your services. A humanitarian gesture will win the approval of a prominent individual.

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With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:
AK73 ♠K105 ♠QJ9 ♠KQJ5
 Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?
A - This is a textbook hand. With a balanced 13-15 points, you respond two no trump. For those modernists who use a jump to two no trump over one club to show 11-12 points and this distribution, the response would be a jump to three no trump.

AKJ1065 ♠A8 ♠732 ♠A8
 Partner opens one diamond. What do you respond?
A - With a self-sustaining spade suit and 16 points all in prime cards, you are interested in slam. The way to advise partner of this is with a jump shift to two spades.
Q. 5 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
AK ♠8 ♠AK1095 ♠KJ10763
 Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with one heart. What action do you take?
A - We are not admirers of the Unusual No Trump jump overall and, even if we were, this hand is too strong to qualify. A better plan

is to bid both suits to facilitate preference from partner at a comfortable level. Start with a two-diamond overall, intending to introduce clubs on the next round.
Q. 6 - Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
AKQJ762 ♠AQ72 ♠7 ♠82
 The bidding has proceeded:
 SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
 1 ♠ Pass 1 NT Pass
 ?
 What do you bid now?
A - With a minimum opening bid, six spades and four hearts, rebid your good six-card suit rather than show your second major. With a slightly stronger hand, it would be right to rebid hearts since there is a chance for game if partner has length in your second suit. Bid two spades.

Q. 2 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:
AKQJ84 ♠QJ10 ♠63 ♠K109
 The bidding has proceeded:
 NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST
 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
 2 NT Pass ?
 What action do you take?
A - With 13 high-card points, good intermediates and an excellent five-card suit, this hand is worth six no trump whether partner's range is 18-19 or 19-20 — providing you are not off two aces, possible in either range. Jump to four clubs, the Gerber convention, asking for aces, and bid the slam unless two are missing, in which case sign off with four no trump.
Q. 3 - Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
AAK ♠K7 ♠Q10965 ♠AQ62
 Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with one heart. What action do you take?
A - An awkward hand. With only one heart stopper, you can't double for takeout and follow up that action with a no-trump bid, since the opening lead will probably establish East's suit right off the bat. We suggest the slight underbid of a one-no-trump overall.

Q. 4 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:



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"PJ is learnin' to write his numbers — 'specially one and eleven."

DENNIS THE MENACE



"MY MOM'S STRETCHING SO HER SWIMSUIT WON'T HAVE TO."

PEOPLE

Bob Dole shares a good laugh with SNL cast member Norm MacDonald

NEW YORK — If Bob Dole is traumatized by losing the presidency, he's sure doing a good job of hiding it.

The failed Republican presidential candidate poked fun at himself on the opening segment of NBC's "Saturday Night Live," just like he did on CBS's "Late Show with David Letterman."

In the opening skit of Saturday's show, Dole was introduced by SNL producer Lorne Michaels to cast member Norm MacDonald, who impersonated Dole throughout the campaign. The men wore identical suits and ties.

"Bob Dole knows how much it meant to you to play him on the show and Bob Dole feels your pain," Dole said to MacDonald, parodying his own frequently parodied habit of referring to himself in the third person.

But, he told MacDonald later in the show, "unless there's a recount, you're out of work."

STOCKHOLM, Sweden — Lili Taylor won the best actress prize at the international Stockholm film festival for her starring role in "I Shot Andy Warhol."

Veteran Hollywood star Rod Steiger and "Fargo" actress Frances McDormand were among American celebrities attending the festival that wound up Sunday.

More than 100 films were screened at the festival including classics like Orson Welles' "Citizen Kane," "Fargo," made by McDormand's husband Joel Coen and his brother Ethan, was the festival's opening movie.

The Serbian movie "Pretty Village, Pretty Flame" won the Bronze Horse, the festival's top prize. Australian director Monica Pelizzari's debut movie "Fistful of Flies" won three awards. Danish director Lars von Trier's "Breaking the Waves" was named best Nordic film.

Best script honors went to the French movie "Un héros très discret" ("A Discrete Hero"). No award for best male actor was presented.

DUBAI, United Arab Emirates — Arabian horse fancier Patrick Swayze wants to be "The White Sheikh."

The star of such films as "Ghost" and "Roadhouse" is taking the lead role in the story of an American boy adopted by an Arab couple who rose to become a powerful sheikh, the Gulf Today newspaper reported Sunday.

The movie will be based on the book "The White Sheikh" about Johannes Herman Poll, who lived in the United Arab Emirates in the 19th century.

The book was written by Sheikh Sultan Al Qassimi, ruler of Sharjah, one of the seven sheikhdoms that make up the United Arab Emirates.

Swayze was in Dubai with his wife Lisa

Niemi-Swayze for a conference of the World Arabian Horse Organization and the opening of a Planet Hollywood restaurant.

Swayze's wife told the paper her husband had been hankering to play the role of a sheikh and make a movie involving Arabian horses, which he breeds, trains and rides at a ranch in the United States.

An English translation of "The White Sheikh" will be published soon, the paper reported, but the movie's production timetable wasn't set.

NEW YORK — Intellectually, Shirley MacLaine, who won an Academy Award for her portrayal of Aurora Greenway in "Terms of Endearment," had reservations about making a sequel. Emotionally, there was no doubt.

"I worry that so many people have seen 'Terms' 10 times, and maybe the receptivity to this family is different now," MacLaine, 62, says in the Nov. 22 issue of Entertainment Weekly.

Trusting her instincts, she went ahead with "The Evening Star," anyway.

"I make movies because I want to. I missed Aurora," Besides, the actress often ridiculed for her writings on reincarnation and UFOs said: "I seem totally unaware of potential humiliation on any level."

In the original, MacLaine played the somewhat cold mother of Debra Winger's character, who manages to build a warm relationship with her before dying of cancer.

"The Evening Star," is scheduled to open later this year. It focuses on Aurora and her grandchildren, one played by Juliette Lewis, whose film credits include "Cape Fear" and "Natural Born Killers."

NEW YORK — Making a film version of "The Crucible" gave playwright Arthur Miller a chance to bond with his son Robert.

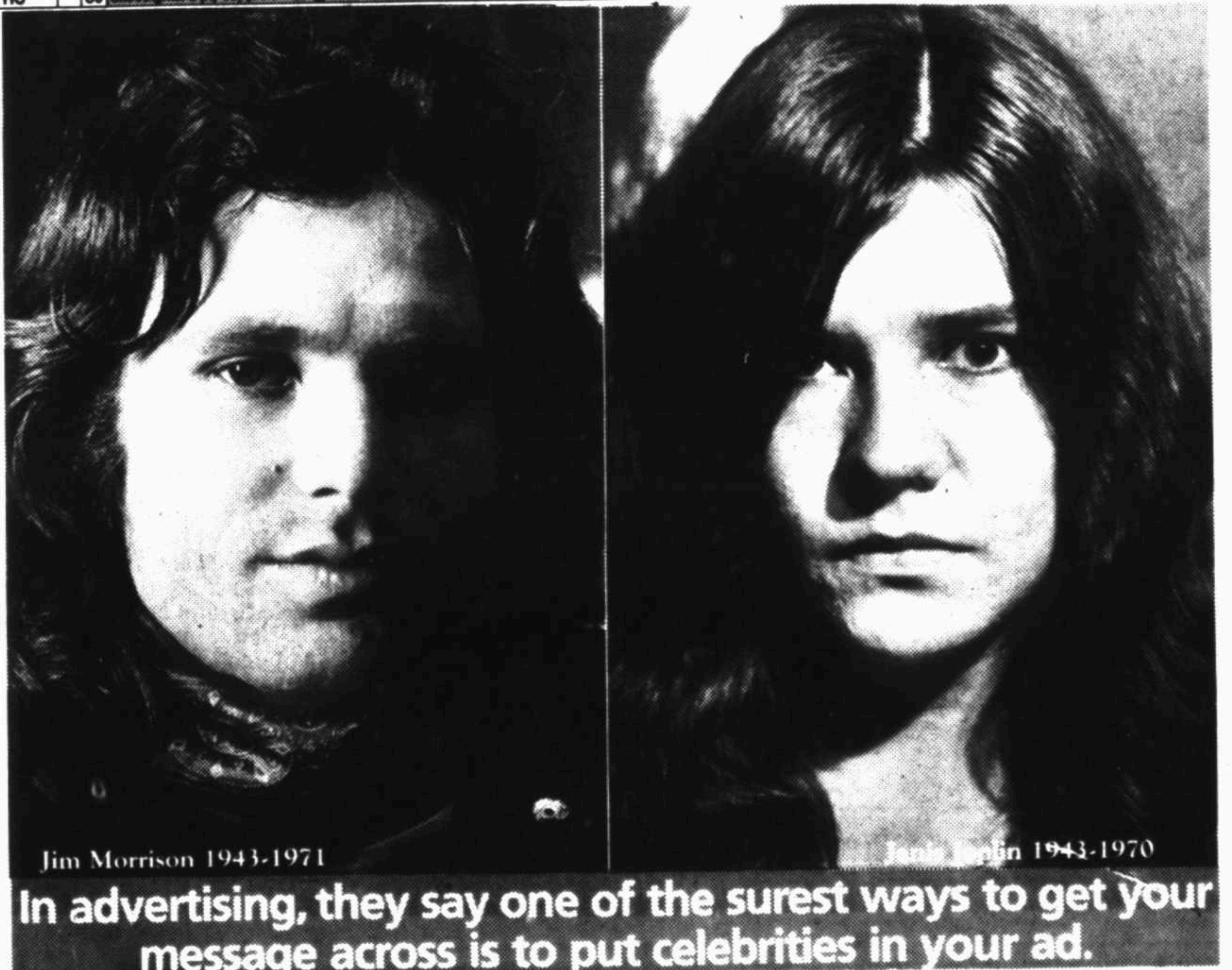
The younger Miller produced the movie based on Arthur Miller's famed 1953 play about the Salem witch trials, going to bat with studios to ensure his 81-year-old father would be allowed to write the screenplay.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Shirley MacLaine had reservations about her latest sequel.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY EVENING November 18, 1996											
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3 KMD	23	News 625	Wheel of Fortune	Dangerous Minds: Need Deep	5:57	NFL Football: Green Bay Packers at Dallas Cowboys	5:57	1 and About	10:00	In the Heat of the Night	Martin 41944
5 KPE	24	5 The Simpsons	Home Improvement	Cosby 2563	5:57	Murphy Brown	Cybill 7418	Chicago Hope: Divided Loyalty	5:57	Late Show With David Letterman	Married... Children
7 KOS	7	News 625	Seinfeld 7025	Jeff Foxworthy	5:57	What Kind of Mother Are You?	5:57	Jeff Foxworthy	5:57	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno	Late Night '97
9 KWS	9	News 625	Seinfeld 7025	Jeff Foxworthy	5:57	Benny Hill	7:1437	Praise the Lord	4:296	To Be Announced	Sch!bach
12 KML	42	The Light of the Southwest	74495	Jeopardy!	5:57	The World of David Byrne	5:57	Great Performances: Dido and Aeneas	19673	Adventure, Journey	Persimmon
13 KOCV	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	5:57	Jeopardy!	5:57	Jeopardy!	5:57	Jeopardy!	5:57	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!
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15 CNBC	8	Money Club	5:57	Politics	5:57	Equal Time	5:57	Riverside Live	7:53234	Charles Grodin	7:53234
16 WGN	10	Family Matters	5:57	7th Heaven	18:215	Savannah: Good Golly, Aunt Lottie	18:493	News 18:499	5:57	Wipeout	18:499
17 WTTB	11	Fun Videos	5:57	Fun Videos	5:57	Jeopardy!	5:57	Jeopardy!	5:57	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!
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22 FAM	23	The Waltons: The Shiloh	7:1044	Greatest Practical Jokes of All Time	5:57	PrimeTime Live	5:57	Larry King Live	5:57	The World Today	5:57
23 CNN	35	Moneyline	5:57	Crossfire	5:57	Figure Skating: Legends Championship	194857	Figure Skating: Legends Championship	194857	Splash 1995	SportsCenter
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Jim Morrison 1943-1971

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22 Suit to —

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27 Underground growth

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35 Archer's mark

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40 "— Blue?"

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42 Cover

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45 Four-posters

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54 Holiday packaging

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38 Like pitchers

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MONEY MATTERS

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Sweet music

If you've got an old piano stored in the attic and have no plans to play it, you might want to consider selling it. The New York Piano Center, a business that restores and sells old pianos, says instruments typically made between 1910 and 1930 are not good investments, having been produced in great numbers, but do sell for thousands of dollars. Grand pianos in Victorian, Art Deco, Chippendale and several other styles are in great demand with decorators and the wealthy. Name-brands such as Knabe, Baldwin and Mason & Hamlin can sell for up to \$20,000, while Steinways can go for twice that amount.

Virtual bazaar

Few of us can afford clothes made by the top Italian designers, let alone jet off to Italy for fashion shows. So Harpers Bazaar magazine is bringing the Italian fashion scene to the Internet, with a Web site showing the latest from the likes of Gianni Versace, La Perla, Gruppo Gilmar, Alfieri/St. John and Ermenegildo Zegna. The address is <http://www.vlabazaar.com>

Lower your case

If you like to write your e-mails using all capital letters, beware — your missive may seem like hollering to some readers. This advice comes from Nadine Udall Fischer, a communications consultant who is part of a growing number of people offering suggestions on how to write better e-mail. Her other ideas: use it for urgent matters only, be brief and complete, and don't send anything you wouldn't want in the public domain. Also, if you have a message that you'd never deliver in person, don't put it in an e-mail.

Sell the product, sell yourself

If you're looking to rise fast through the corporate ranks, a marketing career may be the way to go. Korn/Ferry International, an executive search firm, found in a survey of executives in the United States and overseas that marketing is considered the best route to becoming a chief executive officer. International experience was the second-most-preferred way, and a finance background, once considered the way to the top, was No. 3.

Piling on

If you've wondered why a serving of soup or salad or hamburger listed on food packages seems paltry compared to what you get in a restaurant, it's because eateries have their own ideas about what a "serving" is, says the Center for Science in the Public Interest. The consumer group says some restaurants may give portions bigger than those listed on labels or in government pamphlets because it'll make their prices seem justified. But if you eat all that food, you're risking "not just bigger calorie, fat and sodium numbers, but also bigger bellies and behinds," said Bonnie Liebman, a nutritionist with the center.

A maul or a mall?

One reason why the big shopping malls have lost customers is they make shoppers feel small, says Richard Feinberg, head of Purdue University's Department of Consumer Sciences and Retailing. "Most malls are so large, consumers feel like rats caught in a maze of aisles, hallways and stores," he said after analyzing the results of a survey on consumer attitudes. Poor customer service further alienates shoppers, Feinberg says, suggesting that mall managers monitor customer satisfaction in individual mall stores — one bad experience can sour a consumer on the entire shopping center, he says.

MONEY MATTERS EDITOR
JIMMY PATTERSON

Some jobs offer good pay with little training

By L.M. Sizel
Associated Press

HOUSTON — If you're looking for a good-paying job but don't want to spend time in college or vocational school, here are four career possibilities: postal mail carrier, postal clerk, roustabout and seaman.

But in every case these are tough jobs to get.

Those jobs generally require just a month or less of on-the-job training, yet pay so well that the occupations, based on median wages, are among the top 25 percent in the country, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Postal clerks, for example, earned an average of \$628 a week in 1994 (the most recent data available), seamen earned \$634, postal carriers received \$647 a week, while roustabouts raked in \$651 a week.

Jobs at the post office and at sea are highly unionized, and the unions are strong, said Neal Rosenthal, chief of the

division of occupational outlook for the labor bureau in Washington, D.C. And the oil industry, which hires roustabouts, is a high-paying industry across the board.

But these jobs won't change the fact that more education pays off in higher salaries and more career opportunities. Consider the limited opportunities in these four fields.

The demand for postal mail carriers shouldn't change between 1994 and 2005, but another 85,000 will be needed to replace the carriers who retire or die.

An expectation of expanded mail volume should boost the need for postal service clerks by 5 percent during that same time, but only 41,000 new clerks will be needed for growth and to replace those who leave the job, according to the labor bureau.

That doesn't stop the flood of people who want to become postal clerks.

When applications were taken last year in Houston, there were lines around the post offices, said Lawana Haynes, chief steward of the North Houston postal facil-

ity for the Houston area local of the American Postal Workers Union.

Haynes, who is also a postal clerk, gets 20 to 30 calls a week from people who want to become clerks. And there are between 20 and 30 stewards in the Houston area who are fielding a similar number of calls.

The benefits are good and the job pays well — an average of about \$17.50 an hour — considering you don't need much education, Haynes said. That high pay discourages turnover.

The future need for roustabouts is limited, too. While drilling has picked up recently, the number of workers needed in this business has been reduced by more efficient tools and more productive ways to look for oil, according to the labor bureau.

Demand for seamen, meanwhile, will drop 3 percent between 1994 and 2005, the labor bureau predicts. The United States has a shrinking foothold in oceangoing industries nowadays, Rosenthal said.

If a little more on-the-job training doesn't sound bad, the labor bureau has a few more careers to consider: low-pressure boiler operator and tender (\$590 a week in 1994) or machine operator, dairy processing equipment operator and chemical equipment controller (all \$626 a week in 1994).

They all require on-the-job training that takes between one month and a year. And they're also among the top 25 percent of occupations, in terms of median pay.

For the bad news, if you don't want to put in four or more years in college and then end up with a low-paying job, stay away from farm management.

Farm managers are generally required to have work experience plus a bachelor's degree or more, yet they earned an average weekly wage of only \$320 in 1994.

Of course, many make a lot more than that — especially if they manage a big farm, Rosenthal said. And some small farms don't require degrees from their managers.



Trump back in charge

He's making deals again — but he's learned some lessons

By Eric R. Quinones
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — Hardly a week seems to pass these days without some notice of Donald Trump and his deals — the Miss Universe pageant, the world's tallest building and a stream of other Biggest, Best and Most Beautiful projects.

If this sounds a lot like the 1980s, when Trump was a storied example of the decade's unbridled wealth, it is. After facing a near-crippling recession early this decade, Trump has fought back by using the lessons he learned from making big deals and some big mistakes.

Trump is again expanding his empire rapidly, but this time without insisting on total ownership of everything — and creating the risk of total collapse that comes along with it. He has capitalized on the marketing cachet of his name and

combined it with his considerable experience in developing and running properties to attract investors.

Trump has emerged — and not just by his words — stronger than ever.

"He has an amazing resiliency. I think a lot of people wrote him off, but he wrote the book 'The Art of the Deal' and I guess he mastered his title," said casino expert Milton Leontiadis, dean of the Rutgers University business school in Camden, N.J.

Trump built his real estate and casino empire on renowned negotiating skills, blatant self-promotion and a lot of other people's money. Then the recession hit in the early 1990s, keeping people away from his blackjack tables and stripping value from his real estate.

Trump teetered on the brink of bankruptcy, with personal liabilities exceeding \$900 million in 1991. His three Atlantic City casinos and posh Plaza Hotel were forced to undergo bankruptcy reorganization. Other well-known assets, such as the Trump Shuttle and his 282-foot yacht, were casualties.

But Trump was able to negotiate deals to retain total or partial control of the casinos and begin his climb back.

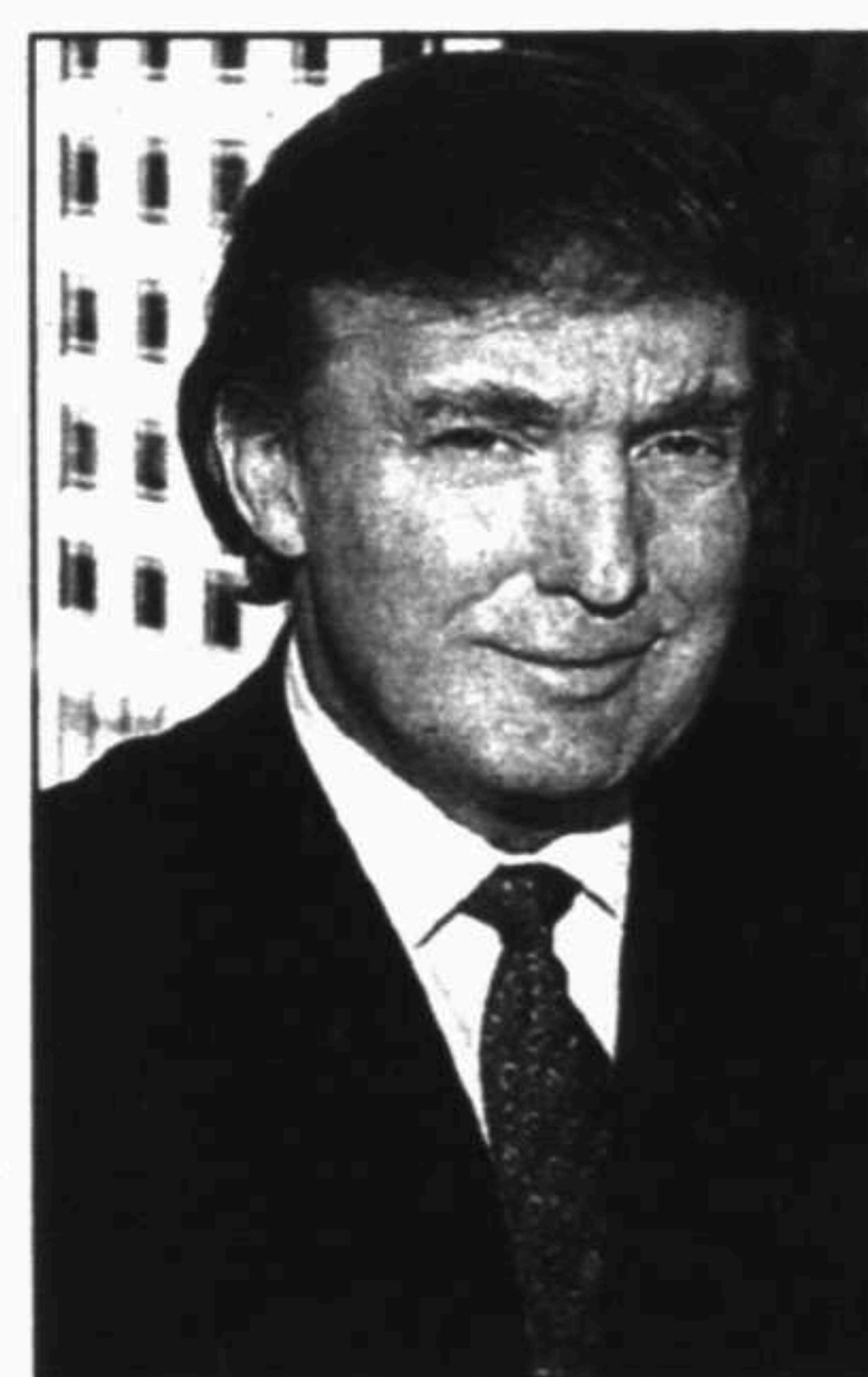
Although lenders claimed 49 percent of the Plaza Hotel in 1992, he held onto a controlling interest — and sold that to foreign investors last year for \$325 million. He has demonstrated his new tactics by pulling off deals like buying half the Empire State Building without spending any money, instead arranging financing for a group of investors in return for 50 percent ownership.

Trump also formed a company to hold his casino assets, Trump Hotels & Casino Resorts Inc., that he took public in June 1995. Trump Hotels now has full ownership of the Atlantic City casinos and Trump's Indiana riverboat casino, while Trump as chairman owns 42 percent of the company.

His undeniable bargaining talents aside, Trump has benefited from never losing his confidence, especially not in front of the microphones and cameras. That inspires others to believe in him, said Lisa Cunningham, a New York image consultant.

"I'm sure while he was not very pleased with the circumstances that he was going through, he had a very good public face and a very good public image," Cunningham said.

"He didn't just, when times got tough, let go and just say, 'I can't take it. I'm giving up.' He's a fighter."



Now, with the real estate market back up and gamblers returning to Atlantic City, the fight is over and Trump is thriving.

This year, he was included on Forbes magazine's roster of the richest Americans (at No. 373) for the first time since 1989, with a listed net worth of \$450 million. Trump contended the figure is more like \$2 billion, about the level his fortune originally approached before it crashed.

"He went through a most humbling experience and came out the better for it," said Marvin Roffman, an analyst whose past disbelief in Trump led to a well-publicized feud but who now ranks among Trump's supporters.

Under pressure from Trump, Roffman was fired from the brokerage firm Janney Montgomery Scott Inc. in 1990 after questioning the financial prospects of the Taj Mahal casino in Atlantic City. He later sued Trump for defamation and received an undisclosed settlement.

Roffman turned out to be right about Taj Mahal, which struggled after its April 1990 opening and was forced into bankruptcy court. After it emerged, Trump surrendered 50 percent ownership of the casino to bondholders in exchange for lower interest payments.

Roffman has since formed his own money management firm and now recommends Trump Hotels stock.

Trump's opening of his holdings to public ownership has been his smartest move, as he can more easily raise money through stock offerings and doesn't have to shoulder as much personal debt as he did when he was acquiring properties in the '80s, Roffman said.

"This time he has real net worth," said Roffman, who suggested that the experience of having to deal with so much debt has made Trump more cautious.

Trump, 50, shook his head at that notion. "I've heard that, too, that I've become a little mellow. I don't know that I have," he said at his Trump Tower office.

"Certainly I'm more calm than the negative times. In the bad times... I was a wildman — because I was fighting," he said.

But the scars of the early 1990s struggle are still there, Trump admitted.

"A lot of my friends, a lot of good people are gone — they're gonzo, they're bankrupt, they're out of business," he said.



After teetering on the brink of bankruptcy — with personal liabilities totaling \$900 million — Donald Trump, pictured, was able to retain total or partial control of his lucrative casinos, thereby beginning his climb back into the financial mega-arena.

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dine 7 pm, B
Bob Cain, Pres
Michael Pipes.

CENTENNIAL
LODGE #1448
1000 Upland
Reg. stated
meeting, 1st &
3rd Sat. 8:30 a
Breakfast 7:30
Rusty Hill, W.M.
Bob Ellwood.

Acacia Masonic
Lodge #1414
1000 Upland
11/26 at 7:30 p
Open Meeting
"Charter Memb
Nite, Sam Hibb
PGM, Speaker
Dale Irie, W.M.

Midland Mason
Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall
Past Masters m
Wed., Nov. 13th
7 PM. Dinner-
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Farris Benham-
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675 Rec./Resort
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700 Mfr. Homes
701 Real Estate
710 Open Houses
720 Homes For Sale
725 Condo/Townhome
730 Suburban Prop.
735 R.E. Wanted
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105 Happy Ad



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140 Card of Thanks

WE, THE MARIA SANCHEZ LOPEZ family would like to express our most sincere gratitude, for all of your prayers, food, flowers and cards. Our beloved mother has gone to the "Kingdom of God", we will miss her, but never forget her and always love her. Special Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Arden Grover and Mrs. Rosalind Redfern.

Sincerely,
The Gregorio Lopez Family

110 Lodge Notices

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Reg. #683-1707
Reg. mtg. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dine 7 pm, Bus. mtg. 8 pm.
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130 Personals

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160 Lost & Found

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209 Pilot Road - Midland International Airport
563-4412

150 Lost & Found

\$500 REWARD: Lost 1 1/2 year old female Black Lab mix in Wyndwood area. White patch on chest. 694-8988 or 682-8000.

LOST MALE Dachshund, in Northgate area. Green collar. Very special dog. Answers to "Oscar". Please call 520-7639.

163 Money To Loan

COMMERCIAL LOANS
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'95 PLYMOUTH NEON	\$9,995
'94 FORD RANGER EXT. CAB PU	\$9,995
'93 CHEVROLET S-10 BLAZER	\$9,995
'95 GEO PRIZM	\$10,495
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'95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX 4-DR.	\$10,995
'93 TOYOTA CAMRY	\$10,995
'94 OLDS CUTLASS	\$11,995
'94 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE COUPE	\$11,995
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'95 DODGE DAKOTA EXT CAB	\$12,995
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'87 ACCORD 4 DR.	\$4,995
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'93 MERCURY TOPAZ	\$5,995
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'93 FORD ESCORT	\$5,995
'91 HONDA CRX	\$5,995
'90 HONDA PRELUDE 2DR	\$6,495
'95 MAZDA PROTEGE	\$199
'95 HONDA CIVIC	\$12,995
'95 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER	\$12,995
'95 FORD F-150 SHORTBED	\$12,995
'94 MAZDA EXT. CAB PICKUP	\$12,995
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1994 Chevrolet Astro Van - Extra Nice	\$12,800	\$11,700.00
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MAZDA 1994 B-3000 Pickup 5 speed, A/C, low mileage. \$11,500. 694-1337, leave message.

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MANAGEMENT - International Consulting Co. in Petroleum Engineering seeks personnel with the following qualifications: 1) Well Site Geologists with experience doing quality control work of contractors, writing end of well reports and evaluation. Must have experience reading wireline logs and mud logs; 2) Mud Logger having experience with abnormal pressure and gumbo shale; 3) Electrical Designer to manage and quality check a team of draftsmen doing CAD/CAM. Commercial construction and oil industry experience required; 4) Electrical Engineer for quality control of offshore facility. All positions MUST have 5-10 years experience. All candidates must be self-motivated persons, able to work without supervision. **International work experience mandatory.** Experience in W. Africa sub-region beneficial. Mail resume and salary requirements to The Manager, P.O. Box 570728-253, Houston, Texas 77257.

FINANCIAL REPORTING MANAGER

Tom Brown, Inc., a Midland-based independent oil and gas company, has an immediate opening for a financial accountant responsible for SEC reporting. Applicant should have a minimum of five years experience in this area, preferably with public accounting experience. Other responsibilities include coordinating the year-end audit, forecasting, and monthly reporting to management.

For consideration, please send resume to:

Controller
Tom Brown, Inc.
 P.O. Box 2608
 Midland, TX 79702

CONTROLLER ASSISTANT

Manufacturing environment. Minimum 2-3 years experience in Accounting. Proficient with Excel/Lotus Spreadsheets, Word Processing, Windows, Financial Reporting and Balance Sheet Reconciliation. Competitive wages and benefits provided. Mail resume:

Lear Corporation
 Attn: Human Resources
 P.O. Box 4457
 Midland, Texas 79784

312 Professional Help Wanted

Texas Workforce Commission News

ATTENTION VETERANS!
 "America's Job Bank"
 There are thousands of jobs posted here by employment offices all across the country.

You can search these nationwide job openings, including Federal Government jobs listed by the Office of Personnel Management, by occupation and/or geographic region.

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ENGINEER-AGGRESSIVE independent seeks Petroleum Engineer with operations/aquifer experience. Must be willing to relocate. Submit resume in confidence to: PO Box 58, Abilene, TX 79604.

GEOLOGIST Mid-sized independent in Midland, seeks a prospect generating geologist with 5+ years Permian Basin experience. Qualified individuals should send their resumes to: Box D-36, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

LANDMEN

Field Landmen needed, 10+ years experience, computer literate a must. Immediate openings, long-term jobs.

Please fax resume to:
713-464-6470

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Midland based independent oil company has an immediate opening for a highly motivated Petroleum Engineer with experience in Southeastern New Mexico. Qualified candidates should be skilled at managing production, supervising all drilling and completion operations and overseeing the filing of State forms as well as having knowledge of the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division rules and regulations. Other duties will include some lease evaluation, economic projections and basic reservoir analysis. Experience with the Prophet software program a plus. Qualified applicants please submit resumes with references to:

P.O. Box 2557
Midland, Texas 79702

REGISTERED LAND Surveyor or experienced party chief in S.W. Kansas Eng./Surveying Firm. GPS Experience preferred. Competitive salary/benefit package. Reply to: Harder and Associates, Box 518, Elkhart, Kansas 67550. (316) 697-2696 or (316) 697-4175 Fax.

316 Sales Help Wanted

A-VENTURE JOB

Established company has openings for 5 men and women who would like to attend concerts and sporting events across the country. Complete training with all expenses paid for 2 weeks. All transportation provided. Big bucks and bonuses discussed at interview. Only persons who can start immediately need apply. For interview call Michael Bohach at 362-2311 between 10 am and 5 pm, Monday and Tuesday only. Return transportation guaranteed. Parents welcome at interview.

BLUE JEAN JOB FUN TRAVEL

We have openings for sharp people who enjoy working in a rock-n-roll environment demonstrating products for a chemical co. Must be free to travel entire U.S. major cities such as San Fran, New York, Las Vegas, All training, travel & hotel paid. High earnings, return transportation guaranteed. Must start immediately!
 Call Miss Harper, 694-7774, 10 am - 5 pm, Mon. - Wed. ONLY!
 Parents welcome at interview.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

ASSISTANT to office manager needed part time. Good clerical skills required. Must know Microsoft Word, some oil and gas experience helpful but not necessary. Send resume to: Box D-35, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY/Receptionist WordPerfect for Windows, Excel, General Office. 15 Smith Road, Suite 1100. Interim Personnel, 570-7002. No fee!

SALESPERSON Must have positive, aggressive attitude. Salary plus commission. Bring resume and salary requirements to: Box D-34, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

316 Sales Help Wanted

POSITION AVAILABLE



For that special person who could sell this vehicle if it was sitting on our lot

New and Used Car Salesperson needed. Experience helpful but not required. Bilingual a plus but not necessary. Large New and Used Inventory to work from. Highest commissions paid in the Permian Basin. Want to make BIG MONEY? See Jerry or Bill at VILLAGE Today...

Apply In Person
VILLAGE L-M-D
3915 W. WALL

TOYOTA OF MIDLAND

Has An Opening For 2 New And Used Sales Pros. If You Have What It Takes And Want To Be A Part Of The Team That Is #1, I Want To Talk To You!

- Quality Product
- 35% Commission (up to)
- Weekly Day Off
- Every 5th Weekend Off
- Bonus Plan
- Medical Insurance
- Flexible Hours
- Quality Clientele

Contact Jay Horn
915-694-3691

OUTSIDE SALES

Earn \$20K to \$30K as a representative selling & servicing established accounts. You will receive a guaranteed income to start if qualified, promotion possible within one year & earnings of up to \$35K-\$55K in 1st level of management. Benefits include medical, dental, 401 (K) program & ESOP plan.

To Qualify:

- * Goal oriented.
- * Willing to work long hours if necessary.
- * Some travel required.
- * Must be bondable with good references and have access to a reliable car.

We are a major international company with 75+ years of experience. For your confidential interview:
 Call Mr. Jim Culpepper
 (915) 335-8000
 10:00 am - 6:00 pm
 EOE/M/F

318 Management Help Wanted

MANAGERS

A fast food company growing fast in Midland/Odessa area. Need Assistant Managers and Restaurant Managers. If you are a Shift, Assistant or Restaurant Manager and are looking for growth opportunities, please send your resume to:

MANAGEMENT APPLICANTS
 P.O. BOX 50295
 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79710-0295

320 Skilled Trades

WELDERS, ASSEMBLY MECHANICS AND MACHINISTS

Partech is seeking professional single hand welders, assembly mechanics and machinists. Minimum 5 years experience. Welders must be able to read blueprints and pass 60/61 pipe test. Mechanics must have own tools and be experienced in assembly and repair of oil field equipment. Machinists must have experience in lathe, VTL and horizontal machining centers. Good working conditions and opportunity for overtime. Eligible for full company benefits. **Only Qualified Personnel Need Apply.** Send resume or complete and application at Partech, 4501 S. County Rd. 1310, (E. Hwy. 80), Odessa Texas 79765.

316 Sales Help Wanted

HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT SALESPERSON

Experienced salesperson wanted to represent Therm/Mech Sales Company in a growing West Texas market. Applicant will sell heating and air conditioning equipment to heating and air conditioning contractors. Excellent compensation and benefit package. Fax resume to (806) 763-7036 and call for appointment between 10 am and 12 Noon at (806) 763-5411.

PROPERTY SUPERVISOR Needed for supervising multiple apartment properties located across West Texas. Must have on site apartment management experience. Prior supervision preferred. Must be willing to travel. Work 50-60 hours weekly. Salary based on experience and ability. Send resume to: Hurt & Stell Investments, 2541 74th Street, Lubbock, TX 79423.

RECORDS MANAGEMENT/Sr. Records Manager with Oil & Gas experience. Long term temporary assignment. Bring resume to: 15 Smith Road, Suite 1100, Interim Personnel, 570-7002. No fee!

STORE MANAGERS Wanted local convenience store chain in the Midland, Odessa, & Andrews area is taking applications. Competitive salary offered, company benefits. Send resume to: District Manager, 1201 Northeast Mustang Drive, Andrews, TX 79714.

318 Management Help Wanted

APARTMENT- EXPERIENCED MANAGER for 195-unit upscale apartment community in Northeast Odessa. Minimum 2 years experience. CAM Certification helpful. Apply at: Woodview Apartments, 4330 N. Grandview, Odessa. 368-0896.

AREA SUPERVISOR/Manager/ Data Entry 391 units, Midland. 5 years management experience. \$3,000/month, plus medical, plus bonus. Resume: Chris Jones, 9811 Copper Creek, Austin, TX 78729, Fax: (512) 249-4007.

PROJECT SUPERINTENDENT with good management skills for dirt construction business. Must be able to read and understand blueprints, also do job estimating and well as job costing. Will be responsible for overall management of projects. Send resume with salary requirements to: Box D-34, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

CARPET LAYER needed immediately. Must have insurance. 697-9788.

APARTMENT MAINTENANCE Experience maintenance person for 68 unit property. Must be HVAC Certified, all phases of maintenance and make-ready. Send complete resume with record of experience and salary expected to: Box F-05, Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

GARAGE SALES
 Hidden treasures? Junk?
 Recycle your unwanted items!
 Call 682-6222 today. A friendly Classified Consultant will help you create an ad that gets results!

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VACUUM cleaners \$40 and up, all brands. Wrightway Vacuum Cleaner Sales & Repair, 520-6464.

329 CD'S, \$5 up. 976 Cassettes, \$ up. Clothes 1/2 price. 1603 S. Main, 11am-5pm.

WHY DRIVE ALL OVER TOWN TO GARAGE SALES WHEN YOU CAN FIND IT ALL UNDER ONE ROOF???

Flea Market
2900 W. Front
570-1156
Open
Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat.
10:00 am- 6:00 pm
 All indoors- heated/ air conditioned
 Spaces for Rent
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Mail/fax resume or contact:
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 Midland, Texas 79701
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341 Child Care Providers

FROM RACE cars to baby dolls, come spend the day with us. Mail area. References available. 682-0233.

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430 Household Goods

HOT TUBS left over from recent show. Must sell this week! 563-3108

EVERYTHING is selling fast! UPTOWN CONSIGNMENTS needs your furniture, antiques and collectibles. Call 570-0099, 404 Andrews Hwy.

MATTRESS sets, dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards. Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699-1224.

WHIRLPOOL electric self cleaning stove. Make offer. Good condition. 683-5119.

WATERLESS COOKWARE. Surgical stainless steel. Heavy home demonstration kind. Normally \$995. \$1.195. Selling \$595. 1-800-421-7267.

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699-1224.

5 PIECE Bedroom suit, solid walnut, headboard, night stand, dresser with mirror & chest. \$500 o.b.o. Cash only. 689-9491.

6 PIECE BEDROOM SUIT. Reg. Queen bed with hutch, \$450. Dryer, \$75. Call 520-6057 after 6.

QUEEN size sofa. Hide a Bed, excellent condition. Glass top Coffee/ End tables. Matching Entertainment center. Magic Chef electronic stove. 694-7493.

PECAN BUFFET & Hutch, 1940s, excellent condition. \$275. 694-0468.

MATCHING COUCH and loveseat. Slate Blue. Good condition. \$175. Call 686-2389 or 684-3938.

CONTEMPORARY glass dining room table. Seats 4 with etagere. \$400. Weslo Body Shop Home Gym. \$100. Call 520-8508 after 3.

Queen sleeper, \$300. 1988 \$400. Call 520-6057.

Recorder with \$400. Call 520-6057.

Delivery. Making delivery. 683-3108.

bowboys vs. Day Pass. \$450.

s, amiores, 683-5451.

N Survey Sale. Call 520-6057.

40 and up, any Vacuum 520-6464.

& Furs

Graduated 8mm camera. 4-1800.

2 Genuine 2nd parties. 1-135 car. 1-135. 5,000 for all.

er wanted! who travels in weekends. Will price travel.

pany Club. mileage. 500 dollar.

Things To Eat

OMATOES, k. Closed 14678 N. 362-5708.

PECAN and pecan. 9 am.

hold Goods

white beds, white Futon 76.

all couch & chair. Lazy. 1,000 each. 5,000 for 6.

plastic, any. Free. 0-5123.

Carpet with \$20 per 6342. home.

460 Antiques & Art

LONE STAR ANTIQUES. Unit 3. Advantage Storage. 5000 N. Lamesa and Solomon Lane. 570-9243.

THE CATS MEOW Antique Mall. 408 Andrews Highway. Mon. - Sat. 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. (915) 687-2004.

5 PERSON SPA with gazebo. Cover and chemical kit included. \$635-3108.

MIDLAND ESTATE SALES AND AUCTION SERVICE. Call Judy Jackson 689-3536 or Dawna Keith 683-9234.

ANTIQUARY SECRETARY with matching bookcase. Crawford piano chair, small bookcase with fold down desk & Newhaven statue clock. Call 550-8923 or 580-0002.

470 Musical Instruments

MINT CONDITION! Chet Atkins Gretsch Guitar. \$5,000. Call 694-7529.

5 PIECE DRUM set with 2 Zildjian cymbals and boom stands & Zildjian hi hat. \$1,400. Call after 5 pm. 689-6782.

CHICAGO PIANO Company piano from 1918. Good condition. been cleaned. Call 687-0946.

PEARL DRUM SET 6 piece with cymbals and cases, adult owned, great condition. Call 687-8907.

485 Electronics

HTX212 2 meter mobile transceiver with antennae. \$220. 10 - 11 Meter 100 watt linear amplifier with antennae. \$130. 333-3482.

490 Computers & Accessories

2 COMPUTERS - new in boxes. Great for Christmas or college students. Priced very reasonably. 520-5479.

COMPUTERS - New and used, upgrade and repair. Night Owl computers, etc. 8am to 10pm. 686-8835.

490 Computers & Accessories

INTERNET ACCESS. Call 687-9014 for details.

495 For Free

HE IS BLACK, she is white. 2 kittens ready for new home. 520-3741.

KITTENS 1 black with green eyes. 2 Tiger striped. 1 with no tail. Call after 5. 520-3223.

ORPHANED pups need homes quick. Fat & adorable. 563-3230.

3 KITTENS free to good home. Litter trained. 520-3223.

FREE PUPPIES! Need good homes. 4 males, 2 females. Call 520-2008.

500 Pets & Supplies

FRENCH BULL Dogs. AKC, Male & female. Call (806) 872-9603.

JUST IN Time for Christmas! AKC Chihuahuas 7 weeks old. Call 520-0805.

IRISHWEY Kennel. Experienced all breed grooming. Free pickup and delivery. 686-7932.

AKC CHIHUAHUA Puppies. Long and smooth coats - blacks, chocolates, fawns, creams. Shots, vet checked. 580-5193.

BOSTON TERRIERS. Male and female. AKC. Call (806) 872-9603.

EXCELLENT LITTER. AKC Lab puppies. Championship bloodlines. 5 weeks old. Black & Yellow. Call 682-6866.

BEAUTIFUL BLUE Eyed Siamese mix kittens. 6 weeks old, need loving home. \$300, litter trained. 570-5219. Days 570-7891. Evenings.

WHITE GERMAN Shepherd, male. 1 1/2 years, and red Afghan Hound female. 15 months. No shots. 694-0353.

PIT BULL Puppies. 5 weeks old. \$100 each. Call 686-8534.

AKC Shih Tzu puppies. Males with shots. \$200. Parents on premises. Call 563-2802. evenings weekends.

AKC REGISTERED Shih Tzu puppies. Precious! Only 3 females left. Hurry before they're gone! Parents on premises. Call 694-3877 evenings and weekends.

8 WEEK OLD registered Shih Tzu puppies. Black & White. 1 Female. \$300. 2 Males. \$250. Call 570-7453. leave message or after 5.

LABRADOR Retriever puppies. \$200 each. From good hunting stock. 6 weeks old, first shots. 694-4368.

505 Livestock & Poultry

LARGE ROUND Bales of Red Top Cane. Good. Clean. \$45.00 bale. Holloway Farms. 915-459-2373 or 915-459-2499.

HAYGRAZER, round bales, \$50 per bale. 2 or more \$45 each. Rain damaged \$35 each. Call 683-2630 or 684-7000.

510 Office Supplies

NEW WALNUT 3 Piece lighted wall credenza at below cost. Almost new conference table & 8 upholstered chairs. New tufted leather executive chairs. Call 683-5451.

10X16 PORTABLE office building. Used 2 months. 563-3108.

520 Store, Shop & Cafe Equipment

RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT for sale. Working - Good condition. Call 683-6027.

550 Portable Buildings

WE move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings. MORGAN. (915) 663-1860.

LARGE CAPACITY Empire sandblast hopper. 700. 366-9410 or Day 333-1615.

FOR SALE: Structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682-1546.

590 Legal Notices

NOTICE

The undersigned, who has been operating a business under the name of REBA HOUK d/b/a FAVORITE THINGS, hereby gives notice that she has incorporated this business under the laws of the State of Texas under the corporate name of INMARK ENTERPRISES, INC., and further gives notice that the proprietorship existing was terminated and dissolved on the 24th day of September, 1996. All debts to said proprietorship are to be paid and those due from the same discharged at the office of the corporation at 2816 Haynes, Midland, Texas, where the business will be continued by INMARK ENTERPRISES, INC., under its Corporate name.

REBA HOUK, PRESIDENT

590 Legal Notices

Westwood Medical Center PUBLIC NOTICE

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey of this organization on December 4, 5, 6, 1996. The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organization's compliance with nationally established Joint Commission standards. The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which accreditation should be awarded the organization.

Joint Commission standards deal with organizational quality of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information about such matters may request a public information interview with the Joint Commission's field representatives at the time of the survey. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation process. Requests for a public information interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five working days before the survey begins. The request must also indicate the nature of the information to be provided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to:

Division of Accreditation Operations, Organization Liaison, Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, One Renaissance Boulevard, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

This notice is posted in accordance with the Joint Commission's requirements and may not be removed before the survey is completed.

Date Posted November 4, 1996. Westwood Medical Center

601 Hotel Rooms

AVAILABLE weekly, bi-weekly with Free local calls and HBO-cable system. Some kitchenettes in suites available. Royal Inn. Call 694-8821.

603 Roommates Wanted

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605 Apartments Furnished

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TOWNHOMES/Apartments 1-2 bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, 616 to 1188 sq. ft., garage, washer/dryer pool, ceiling fans. \$225 up. 689-8115.

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1 BEDROOM - STARTING AT \$199

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699-7246

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BRICK 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, new carpet. 716 Beckley. Available December 15th. \$425 monthly. \$200 deposit. 682-7646.

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2207 W. KENTUCKY. 2 bedroom, 1 bath. \$275. \$150 security deposit. 1 car garage, washer/dryer connections, no appliances provided. 683-3296 Monday-Thursday, 8:30-11:30. 100-400.

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630 Houses Furnished

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640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

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3 BEDROOM. 1 1/2 bath brick home. Private courtyard & patio. Ceiling fans. \$375 monthly. 520-7850.

3 BEDROOM. 2 Bath. Townhouse near Alamo YNCA. Call 683-1091.

GULFSHORE. 3604 Tampico. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, workshop, courtyard, Bonham. Lee. 650. 684-7788.

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SAGEWOOD CONDOMINIUM. 1 bedroom, washer/dryer connections. All amenities! \$400 monthly. 684-7894. 684-5567. Ext. 305.

1 & 2 BEDROOM Dens. Garage, washer-dryer connections, pool, spa, ceiling fans. \$500 up. 689-8116.

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CLOSE TO Everything! 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 2 car with fenced backyard. Excellent neighborhood! Quiet street. Deposit required. \$850 monthly. 687-5735 after 5 pm.

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3205 DENTCREST A. Duplex. 4 bedroom. 2 1/2 bath, double garage with openers, approximately 1,850 sq. ft. available December 1st. No pets. \$800 monthly. \$500 deposit. 520-3303.

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LUXURY DUPLEX for lease. 4708 B. Dentcrest. Available November 5th. Large 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 pet. \$425 monthly. \$400 deposit. Contact Realty Unlimited. 550-5609.

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625 Houses Unfurnished

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3505 Baumann \$600

509 North D \$500

111 Brooks \$475

411 Quail Run \$800

4000 Crestridge \$1300

Good credit required. No inside pets.

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PRICE, PRICE, PRICE: that makes this noticeable 3/2 with new kitchen, lg gar. Call PAM Carroll 687-0595

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SWIM TUB: 1 1/2 car, indoor pool & hot tub, 4-bd, 3-1/2 ba, 2 1/2 car, 1-30 ac. only \$140,000. Call DENE KELLY 686-7809

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PHOTOGRAPHIC: A contest winner in Odessa with 4 1/2, formal liv. & dining, cathedral ceiling in den, easy maintenance yard. Call PAM Carroll 687-0595

MR. & MRS. NICK NEIGHBORHOOD: well-kept home, quiet streets, heated pool & hot tub, 4 1/2, 2 1/2 car, new condition w/beautiful grounds. DENE KELLY 686-7809

WALK TO MOVE: 5 Redwood, or call about the whole location, zoned comm. 1. ANNA 687-0595

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ON LOOK 289: 121 - Call DENE KELLY 686-7809

REAR PORCH 289 & 289: In Greenwood, zoned acreage. Call ANNE Breeding 687-0595, 682-1809

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WARRANTY: \$89,900

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3801 GOLF: Lovely 3 bdrn, 2 bath on corner lot. \$57,900

4807 SHADY LANE: Updated 3 bdrn, 2 bath, fireplace, new carpet & tile floors, reduced to \$54,900

3905 W. ILLINOIS: 3 bdrn, 2 bath, 2 living areas, fireplace, workshop, ref. air, only \$52,500

1402 NAVAJO: Lovely 3 bdrn, 2 bath on 1/2 ac. lot. \$45,000

2605 STOREY: 2 bdrn, 2 liv. areas, formal dining. \$36,900

3215 TRAVIS: 2 bdrn, 2 bath, 2 liv. areas, updated. \$31,500

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR TO SEE THESE HOMES, CALL CLEMMIE SORGE AT RE/MAX 682-8820 EXT. 142

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Saturday's unlisted clue: ADULTS

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Monday's unlisted clue hint: RAILROAD STATION

Brickmen Crossing
Caboose Diesel
Conductor Engine
Passengers Porter
Signal Signal
Tankers Tank
Whistle Whistle

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KEY To Abbreviations

Bdrm. Bedroom
Ba. Bath
Kit. Kitchen
Dbl. Double
A/C Air conditioning
Mstr. Bdrm. Master Bedroom
Gar. Garage
Bldg. Building
Cond. Condition
N-QA Non-Qualifying
QA Qualifying
Ass. Assumable
Ac. Acre
3/2 3/2 Bdrm./Ba./Gar.

3302 LOUISIANA: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage by owner. Mid 40's, 915-942-0901

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3804 Fannin 3/2 \$64,000
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117 S Glenwood 3/2 \$42,500
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