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Explosion kills 5

A van punctured its gas tank on a piece of debris in the road near Milwaukee and burst into flames, killing five children./12A



SPORTS

Perles to resign

Michigan State football coach George Perles, accused of violating NCAA rules, said he won't be back for '95./1C

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ELECTION RESULTS

County Court-at-Law, No. 2

Totals

✓ Marvin Moore (R)21,606
Georgé Patterson (D)8,087

County Commissioner, Prec. 2

✓ Guy McCrary-I (R)6,562
James Brooks (D)2,883

Justice of the Peace,
Precinct 1, Place 2

✓ Robert Pine-I (R)23,632
Manuel Lujan (D)6,321

Pari-Mutuel Referendum

For11,613
✓ Against16,325

8th Court of Appeals, Place 1

County District
Julia Vaughan (R) ✓
David Chew (D) ✓

U.S. House, District 23

County District
Rolando Rios (D) ✓
Henry Bonilla-I (R) ✓

Governor

County State
Ann Richards-I (D) ✓
George W. Bush (R) ✓

U.S. Senator

County State
Richard Fisher (D) ✓
Kay B. Hutchison-I (R) ✓

Lieutenant Governor

County State
Bob Bullock-I (D) ✓
H.J. "Tex" Lezar ✓

Attorney General

County State
Dan Morales-I (D) ✓
Don Wittig (R) ✓

Comptroller

County State
John Sharp-I (D) ✓
Teresa Doggett (R) ✓

Treasurer

County State
Martha Whitehead-I (D) ✓
David Hartman (R) ✓

Land Commissioner

County State
Garry Mauro-I (D) ✓
Marta Greytok (R) ✓

Agriculture Commissioner

County State
Rick Perry-I (R) ✓
Marvin Gregory (D) ✓

Railroad Commissioner

County State
Unexpired Term
Mary Scott Nabers-I (D) ✓
Carole K. Rylander (R) ✓

Full Term

James E. Nugent-I (D) ?
Charles Matthews (R) ?

(I indicates incumbent)



Resurgent GOP flattens Dems

Broad gains send chilling midterm message to Clinton

Associated Press

Resurgent Republicans moved to take control of Congress for the first time in 40 years Tuesday, capturing the Senate and making a stunning showing in the House. The GOP won a string of governorships, too, in elections that sent President Clinton a chilling midterm message.

Profound discontent with Clinton and Democratic liberalism pro-

pelled Republicans to breathtaking gains in state after state just two years after the demand for change put Clinton in the White House.

Among the wide swath of victims were Govs. Mario Cuomo in New York and Ann Richards of Texas. Richards lost to one son of former President George Bush. Another son, Jeb Bush, lost a tight race to Lawton Chiles in Florida.

Bob Dole, in line to be Senate majority leader come January, cast

the results as a "vote of no confidence in the Clinton agenda." GOP Chairman Haley Barbour said voters were sending Clinton a booming message: "Government is too big for its britches."

A projection by Voter News Service, based on voter surveys and returns from key precincts, said Republicans would capture the House. "The burden of government is now on them," said Clinton press secre-

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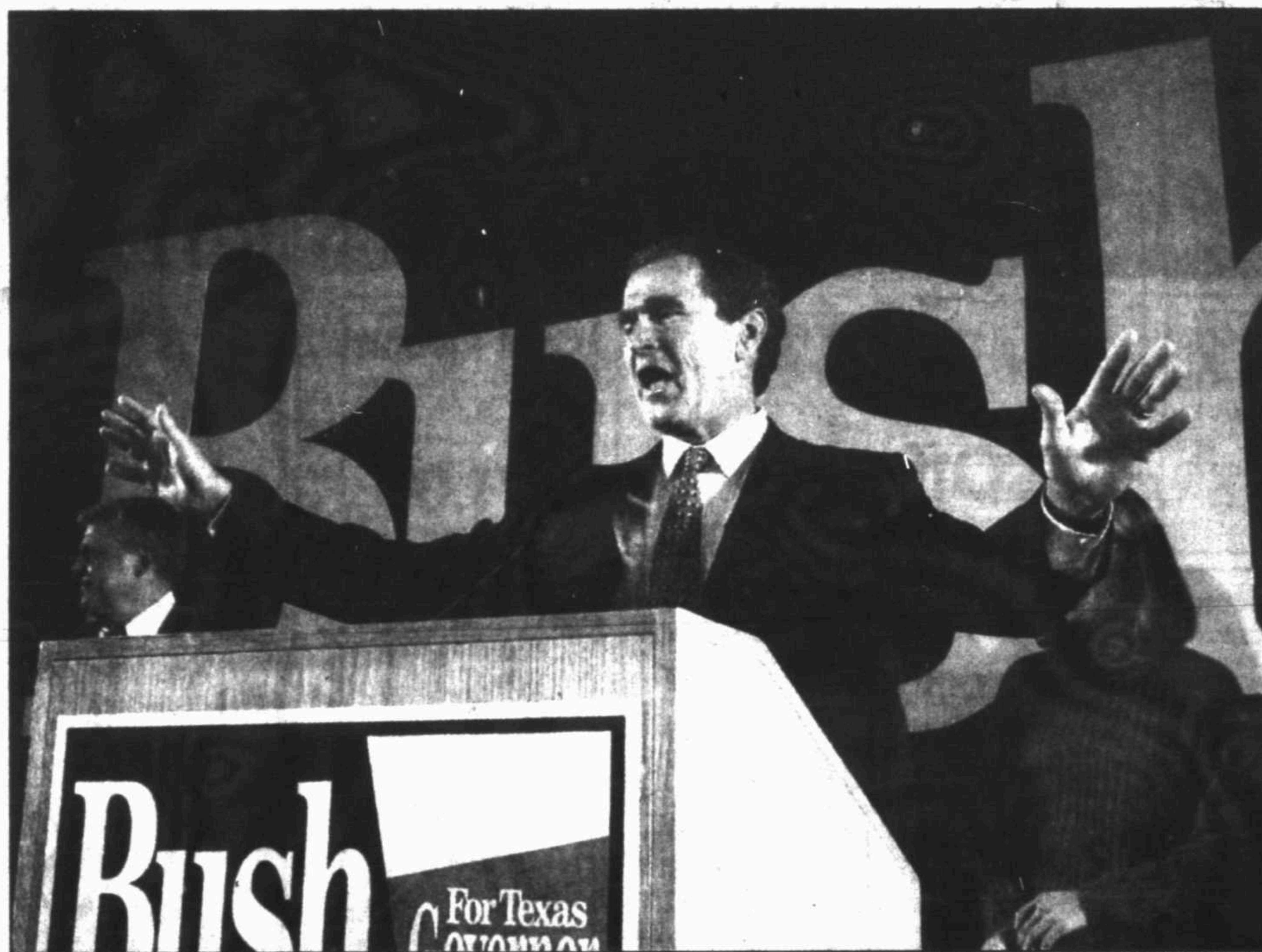


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Bush pulls stunning win

Former president's son handily defeats Richards



Republican George W. Bush rode a conservative agenda to victory Tuesday, handing Democratic Gov. Ann

Richards her first political defeat and setting the stage for restructuring of state government.

■ Republican hands Gov. Richards her first defeat, sets stage for restructuring of state government.

Associated Press

DALLAS — George W. Bush, the eldest son of the former president, Tuesday became only the second Republican to be elected Texas governor since Reconstruction.

Bush, 48, handily defeated Democratic Gov. Ann Richards, one of the nation's most visible incumbents.

"What Texans can dream, Texans can do," Bush told cheering supporters. "This victory tonight is a great honor. The vote carries with it an awesome responsibility. Texas is ready for a new generation of leadership."

Bush credited his campaign's key themes of reform in education, juvenile crime and welfare, adding, "I think Texans caught wind of that."

Bush's father, who now lives in Houston, called it "a great night for Texas." "It was a tough race, but we admire him for the way he kept the campaign focus on a positive, forward-looking message," the elder Bush said.

"A year ago, people were saying well, 'You didn't have much of a chance.' But he fought the good fight and stayed on the issues and made his mother and I very, very proud."

The charismatic Richards, who lost despite solid job approval ratings in pre-election polls, said she wished the Republican well in the next four years. "He deserves Godspeed," Richards

Please see **BUSH/4A**

McCrary fends off challenger Brooks, keeps Precinct 2 seat

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

Incumbent Guy McCrary fended off Democratic challenger James Brooks by nearly 70 percent of the votes cast in Tuesday's election to keep his Precinct 2 seat on the County Commissioner's Court.

McCrary received 6,562 votes, or 69.47 percent. Brooks received 2,883, or 30.52 percent of the vote.

The total number of residents voting in Midland County was 31,325, including early voting.

"I am very grateful for the support I received from the voters," said McCrary, who has served on the court for eight years.

"It is a credit to our many volunteers whose diligence and persistence paid off."

McCrary said he looked forward to possibly working with Brooks in the future.

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"I am very grateful for the support I received," said Guy McCrary, who has served on the court for eight years.

Moore takes Court-at-Law 2

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

Following a statewide trend of putting Republicans in office, Marvin Moore will take over the judgeship for Midland County Court-at-Law No. 2 after beating Democrat George Patterson in Tuesday's election.

Moore, Midland County assistant county attorney, defeated Assistant District Attorney Patterson by taking 73 percent of the 29,693 ballots cast in that election.



Moore

Moore received 21,606 votes to Patterson's 8,087.

Midland County Court-at-Law No. 2 will be vacated in January when Judge James Fitz-Gerald retires. The court handles some family law cases, juvenile cases as well as mental commitments and civil cases.

Moore said this election was solely about qualifications.

"My primary goal in this election was to get my qualifications

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Hutchison sweeps to landslide victory

DALLAS (AP) — Republican U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison swept to a landslide victory Tuesday, dominating her opponent in every region of the state.

Claiming a full six-year term, Mrs. Hutchison defeated Democrat Richard Fisher, a Dallas financier who has never held public office.

"This time, it's for real," Mrs. Hutchison told hundreds of cheering, placard-waving supporters in a packed ballroom of a North Dallas hotel.

"Today, America corrected its course. The people of America have spoken and

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United Way goes over top

Key United Way leaders gather as campaign chairman Charles Spence announces this year's \$2,731,000 was exceeded. See Page 1B

Joe D. Williams
Reporter-Telegram

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EREZ CROSSING, Gaza Strip (AP) — Yitzhak Rabin, attempting to bolster Yasser Arafat against a widening circle of Palestinian critics, pledged Tuesday to ease the closure of the Gaza Strip and to work faster to expand Palestinian autonomy.

Arafat passed two groups of protesters — disgruntled truckers hurt by the sealing of Gaza and mothers of prisoners held by Israel — as the PLO leader drove from his Gaza City headquarters to

Yasser Arafat,
PLO leader

Rabin, the Israeli prime minister, tried to assure Arafat that he

The Palestinians have felt shunted aside since Jordan and Israel signed their Oct. 26 peace accord. The Palestine Liberation Organi-

Despite the upbeat words, there appeared to be little warmth between the two leaders after the 90-minute meeting, their seventh since Israel and the PLO pledged to make peace 14 months ago. They rarely looked at one another as they addressed reporters, and

Under the autonomy accord, Israeli troops are to leave Palestinian population centers on the eve of elections for a self-rule council.

Israeli army commanders have said Palestinian security forces are not ready to take control of additional territory because they haven't restrained Islamic militants in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank town of Jericho since those areas became autonomous six months ago.

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Security council votes for Rwandan tribunal

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The Security Council voted Tuesday to set up an international tribunal for genocide in Rwanda, despite objections from the new Rwandan government that the court won't be able to sentence those found guilty to death.

In Geneva, U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali said he would propose sending troops to restore order in refugee camps on the Zaire border and try to persuade the more than 1 million Rwandans living there to return home.

The Rwandan government voted against the tribunal because the resolution set life imprisonment as the maximum sentence, reflecting the Security Council's discomfort with capital punishment.

"For the past three decades the United Nations has been trying to eliminate the death penalty," said New Zealand's ambassador Colin Keating. "It would be entirely unacceptable and a dreadful step backward to introduce it here."

Rwanda's ambassador to the Security Council, Manzi Bakuramutsa, said the lack of a death

penalty meant the tribunal "would only appease the conscience of the international community, rather than respond to the expectations of the Rwandan people."

The resolution went some way to meeting other demands of the Rwandan government, including holding trials in Rwanda "where feasible and appropriate."

Bakuramutsa said his government would consider cooperating with the tribunal. If it did not, U.N. officials said, it would be difficult to get convictions of those responsible for organizing and carry-

ing out the ethnic and political slaughter that left about half a million dead in the central African nation.

The resolution passed by the 15-member Security Council will open the way for an international court similar to the tribunal for war criminals from former Yugoslavia, which opened in the Hague, Netherlands, on Tuesday.

The chief prosecutor in the Yugoslav tribunal, South African judge Richard Goldstone, will also be chief prosecutor for Rwanda.

Aristide appeals to military for peace, cooperation

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — President Jean-Bertrand Aristide extended an olive branch to Haiti's military Tuesday in his most direct appeal for cooperation since he returned from exile last month.

"I want to say again to all Haitian military officers, soldiers and interim police officers that I have come to bring you peace," Aristide said.

The military is blamed for condoning 3,000 political murders after Aristide was ousted in a September 1991 coup. Many soldiers had threatened to kill Aristide if he

returned.

But Aristide, speaking at the inaugural of his new Cabinet, said it was time to "walk hand in hand with the military authorities, Haitian and foreign."

The inaugural took place at the gleaming white national palace, with hundreds of Haitians gawking from outside the green iron gates. American soldiers and private security guards in civilian dress stood guard.

Aristide hugged and shook hands with Prime Minister Smarck Michel and his 17 Cabinet ministers in a white-columned hall lined with the busts of national heroes.

The Cabinet's task now is to turn

the country around after three years of repression.

Michel's economic recovery program, outlined over the weekend, would reduce tariffs, increase exports and privatize unprofitable state enterprises.

There are reports of continued violence in rural areas despite the presence of thousands of U.S. troops. Haitian radio said Monday that the deputy mayor of the central Haitian town of Mirebalais, who was hacked to death with machetes last week, had received constant death threats.

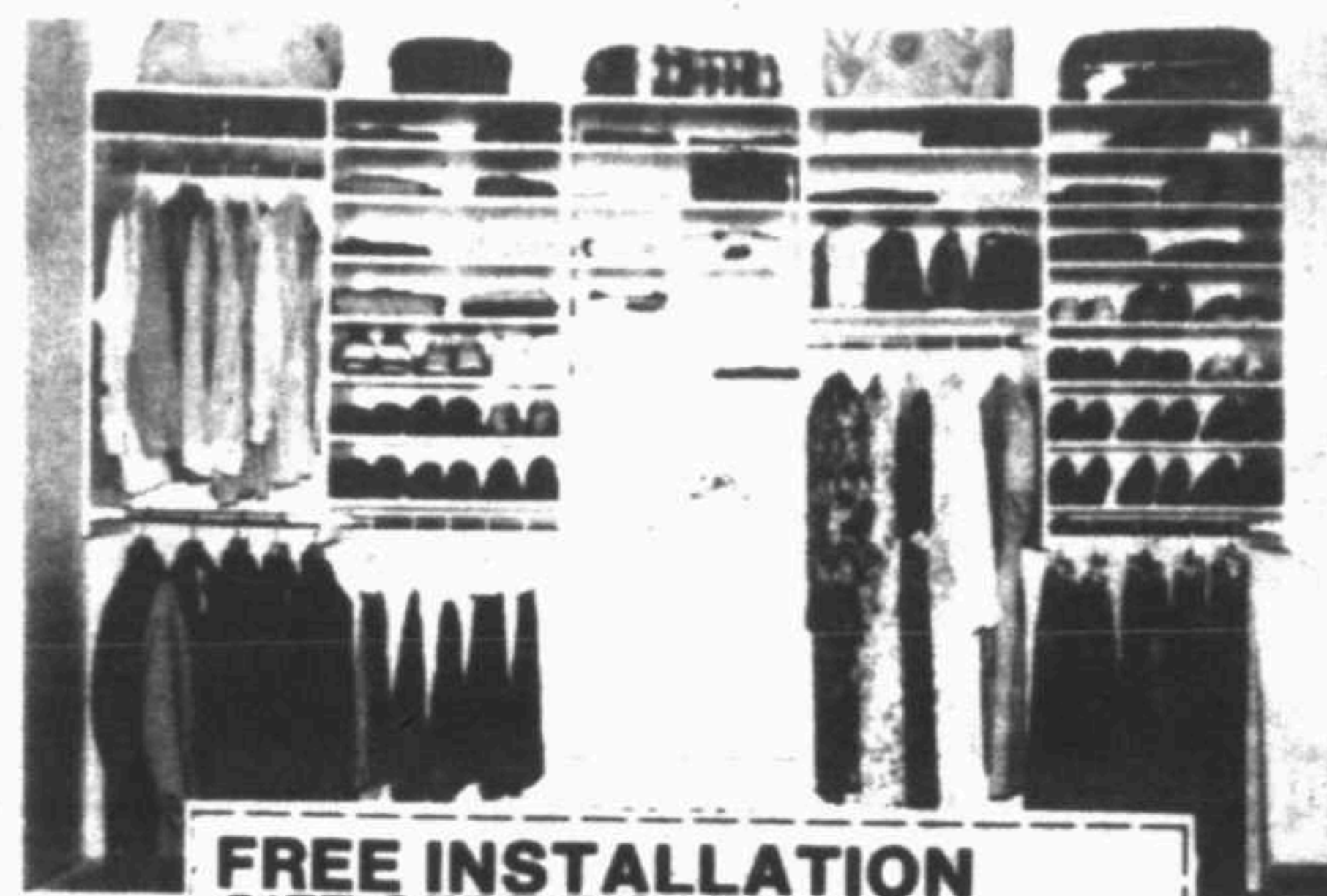
About 150 Haitian refugees flew home Tuesday from Cuba, where many had spent at least six

months after fleeing poverty and repression under the old military regime. They had landed on Cuban shores in rafts and small boats.

"The country was unsafe before, but now our president is in power," said Osner Charles, 24, as Red Cross workers handed out toothbrushes and other supplies to the refugees in a lounge at the Port-au-Prince airport. The United Nations organized their return.

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Flooding kills at least 58, thousands are homeless

ROME (AP) — The government promised over \$1.9 billion in emergency relief Tuesday for areas devastated by flooding and mudslides that have claimed at least 58 lives in northern Italy.

Rescuers reached all but 11 villages isolated by the devastation caused by torrential rains, defense authorities said. Tens of thousands of people were left homeless and several dozen remained missing.

Treasury police joined the army of civil defense workers guarding against looters and price gouging. Cheap rubber

boots were going for the equivalent of \$65 in the Piedmontese town of Asti, RAI state television said.

Two days after the worst of the rains, much of the north presented a devastated landscape. Upside down cars floated down mud-churned rivers. A television set was lodged in a tree, and a dead pig hung halfway out of a farm-building window.

The Cabinet met in emergency session Tuesday and decided on a \$1.9 billion relief package.

Doctor is victim of planned attack, police say

VANCOUVER, British Columbia (AP) — A doctor who performs abortions was shot and wounded at his breakfast table Tuesday by a sniper who fired through a sliding glass door, police said.

Dr. Garson Romalis managed to dial 911 and was taken to Vancouver Hospital, where he was listed in serious but stable condition after surgery.

A gunman with an AK-47 assault rifle fired at least three times from a lane behind Romalis' house, striking the gynecologist in the thigh and severing a major artery before escaping, police said. The doctor's wife and daughter also were at home but were unharmed.

"It's fairly obvious that this was planned," police Inspector Dave

Boyd said. "It's definitely not a drive-by."

The shooting followed what police described as strange phone calls the doctor's wife received at home Monday. The time of the calls — around 7:20 a.m. — was the same as that of Tuesday's attack.

A man who sounded agitated asked for Romalis and was given his pager number. The man then

called again and asked if Romalis worked out of his home. Mrs. Romalis told the caller her husband worked at his clinic, and again gave the pager number, Constable Anne Drennan said.

Police believe the caller was trying to determine whether Romalis would be home at that hour, she said. No one had claimed responsibility for the shooting, and police had no suspects Tuesday night,

she said.

Officers found about 20 rounds of ammunition for an AK-47 in a garage can near the home, she said.

In Washington, U.S. Justice Department spokesman Carl Stern said the FBI is helping in the investigation. Stern said it is not known whether the shooting was motivated by the doctor's performing of abortions.

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Fighting, snipers kill four in Sarajevo

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Sniping and shrapnel killed four people and wounded seven in Sarajevo on Tuesday as increasing violence on battlefields around the country spread to the besieged capital.

The dead included three children, hospital officials said. Five children were wounded in the fighting, the heaviest in central Sarajevo in nearly six weeks.

It was too early to say who was responsible, but Bosnian Serbs have threatened to avenge battlefield losses by tightening their grip on Muslim-held Sarajevo. The Bosnian government army said it would retaliate for Tuesday's attacks.

Pools of blood stained the pavement in front of Sarajevo's main Kosevo hospital as staff rushed to attend the wounded.

"Can't anybody help us?" said Sandra Kubura, a neighbor of 11-year-old Nermina Omerovic, who was killed by a Serb sniper in central Sarajevo. "They've been shooting constantly for the last two days."

The girl was shot at her apartment and died in the hospital.

Killed in a mortar blast were 15-year-old Lejla Hodzic and a woman about 30 years old. Hospital officials said another child died in fighting but did not have details.

They said seven people, including five children, were wounded.

The front lines had been stable as the two sides wrangled over details of a peace plan. But in recent weeks, negotiations have taken a back seat to fighting.

Muslim-led government forces have made serious advances in northwestern and central Bosnia and north of Sarajevo, the biggest setbacks the Serbs have faced since the war began 2½ years ago.

The U.N. commander in Bosnia, Lt. Gen. Sir Michael Rose, summoned military commanders of the warring sides to meet at Sarajevo airport Wednesday to try to prevent hostilities from increasing.

Bosnian Serb leaders also were expected to meet Wednesday to renew their declaration of war. The fighting started after Serbs rebelled against a Muslim-Croat decision to secede from Serb-dominated Yugoslavia. Since then, 200,000 people have disappeared or died.

Earlier Tuesday in Sarajevo, snipers targeted a Sarajevo streetcar. Civilians jumped to the street and hid behind two U.N. armored personnel carriers — one French and one Ukrainian. Associated Press photographer Rikard Larma was grazed by a bullet as he took cover, but he was not seriously hurt.

Trams were halted, and the main central thoroughfare, dubbed Sniper Alley, was virtually deserted. Sniping continued into the afternoon and occasional detonations could be heard.

On Monday night, government forces and Serbs besieging the capital traded 175 mortar rounds, a violation of the NATO-backed ceasefire around the capital. The United Nations protested to both sides and NATO jets flew low overhead.

U.N. officials said tensions over the weekend and Monday were exacerbated by Bosnian Serbs who broke into weapons depots under U.N. guard around Sarajevo. In several instances, Serbs reportedly opened fire.

The Yugoslav republic of Serbia severed all supplies to Bosnian Serbs in August to pressure them to accept a U.S.-backed peace plan that would force Serbs to cede about a third of their holdings.

The Serbs held about 70 percent of Bosnian territory before the Muslim-led government began to make inroads this fall, possibly because the Serbs are no longer getting fuel from Serbia.

The Bosnian government and Bosnian Croats, who accepted the peace plan, appear intent on exploiting the Serbs' isolation and grabbing as much territory as possible before winter sets in.

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LOCAL & STATE RESULTS

How Midlanders voted

Following is the breakdown of how Midlanders voted in Tuesday's statewide races.

U.S. Senator:
 Kay Bailey Hutchison (R) 25,195
 Richard Fisher (D) 5,479
 Pierre Blouin (L) 277

U.S. Rep., District 21:
 Lamar Smith (R) 10,631
 Kerry L. Lowry (I) 731

U.S. Rep., District 23:
 Rolando Rios (D) 1,589
 Henry Bonilla (R) 1,358

Governor:
 Ann Richards (D) 7,620
 George W. Bush (R) 23,346
 Kerry Ehlers (L) 218

Lt. Governor:
 Bob Bullock (D) 14,634
 Tex Lezar (R) 15,901

Attorney General
 Dan Morales (D) 10,644
 Don Wittig (R) 19,058
 Vicki Flores (L) 682

Comptroller:
 John Sharp (D) 12,576
 Teresa Doggett (R) 17,615

Treasurer:
 Martha Whitehead (D) 9,559
 David Hartman (R) 20,404

Land Commissioner:
 Garry Mauro (D) 10,616
 Marta Greytak (R) 18,430
 David C. Chow (L) 1,042

Ag Commissioner:
 Marvin Gregory (D) 5,238
 Rick Perry (R) 24,169
 Clyde Garland (L) 548

Railroad Commissioner:
 Jim Nugent (D) 9,693
 Charles Matthews (R) 19,781
 Rick Draheim (L) 508

Railroad Commissioner:
 Mary Scott Nabers (D) 8,296
 Carole Rylander (R) 20,968
 Buster Crabb (L) 821

Supreme Court, Place 1:
 Raul Gonzalez (D) 14,522
 John Hawley (L) 6,231

Supreme Court, Place 2:
 Alice Oliver Parrott (D) 7,242
 Nathan Hecht (R) 22,377

Supreme Court, Place 3:
 Jimmy Carroll (D) 7,367
 Priscilla Owen (R) 21,951

Court of Criminal Appeals:
 Place 1
 Charles Campbell (D) 7,302
 Steve Mansfield (R) 21,343

Court of Criminal Appeals:
 Place 2
 Betty Marshall (D) 7,149
 Sharon Keller (R) 21,493

State Board of Education:

District 1
 Rene Nunez (D) 5,965
 Mary Helen Cantu (R) 22,576

8th Court of Appeals
 Place 1
 David Chew (D) 6,669
 Julia Vaughan (R) 22,768

Following is a look at contested local races and the breakdown in ballots cast.

County Commissioner, Precinct 2

James Brooks (D) 2,883
 Guy McCrary (R) 6,562

County Court at Law, No. 2

George Patterson (D) 8,087
 Marvin Moore (R) 21,606

Justice of Peace, Precinct 1

Manuel Lujan (D) 6,321
 Robert Pine (R) 23,632

Pari-mutuel wagering

For 11,613
 Against 16,325

Following are the uncontested races in Tuesday's election and how many votes each candidate received.

U.S. Rep., District 19

Larry Combest (R) 13,289

State Senator, District 31

Teel Bivins (R) 23,060

State Rep., District 82

Tom Craddick (R) 25,063

Criminal Appeals Court

Presiding Judge
 Mike McCormick (D) 14,537

8th Court of Appeals

Chief Justice
 Richard Barajas (D) 14,050

8th Court of Appeals

Place 2
 Ann McClure (D) 14,513

238th District Judge

John Hyde (R) 24,749

385th District Judge

Willie DuBose (R) 23,947

318th District Judge

Dean Rucker (R) 23,988

County Judge

Jeff Norwood (R) 23,589

County Court at Law Judge

Al Walvoord (R) 23,169

District Clerk

Vivian Wood (R) 24,150

County Clerk

Rosennelle Cherry (R) 24,453

County Treasurer

Carol Baker (R) 24,023

County Commissioner, Precinct 4

James Brezina (R) 8,205

Pine wins another bid for justice of the peace

By Katherine Poteet

Staff Writer

Robert Pine will begin moving toward his 30th consecutive year as justice of the peace, Precinct 1, Place 2, after beating Democratic challenger Manuel R. Lujan by more than 70 percent of the total votes in Tuesday's election.

Pine received 78.89 percent of the votes, with 23,632 residents casting their support for the incumbent.

Lujan garnered 6,231, or 21.10 percent, of the votes.

The total number of votes cast in Midland County was 31,325, including during early voting.

Pine has served in the post since December 1964, following the death of his predecessor.

He campaigned on the fact that after his many years in the post, he was well-qualified to serve another year.

Pine spent his first hours after the election taking thank-you notes and signs to his supporters.

"I am just tickled to death," Pine said of his victory. "I am really grateful to the voters and extremely grateful to my supporters. I wouldn't have made it without them."

"I feel that I won because I have done a good job and the people wanted me to continue to do the job," he said.

Lujan, who works at Tall City Bail Bonds, said in a previous interview with the Reporter-Telegram that he was running because he felt a change was needed in the post.

Lujan had said he wanted bonds on felony driving while intoxicated (DWI) arrests to be increased, wanted to use more special bond provisions and wanted to impose community service on minors who were found in possession of alcohol.

"We basically addressed the issues and apparently no one was concerned," he said. "I congratulate Justice Pine."



Robert Pine beats Democratic challenger Manuel Lujan for justice of the peace.

Midlanders vote down pari-mutuel wagering

By Gary Shanks

Staff Writer

Voters decided to forego the economic benefits of pari-mutuel horse racing in Midland County, in favor of protecting Midland from the introduction of possible bad elements.

Residents defeated the proposal to legalize pari-mutuel wagering in Tuesday's election.

The horse-racing proposal was turned down 16,325 to 11,614, or 58.4 percent to 41.6 percent.

A similar proposal was defeated in 1989 by 54 percent of Midland

County voters.

Supporters of the measure said the proposal would have provided much more to the community than merely a place to bet. Economic benefits would have boosted numerous businesses, including hotels, restaurants and retailers, supporters said. The area also could have become a place where the breeds of race horses were improved and tested.

In 1986, the Texas Legislature passed the Texas Racing Act to allow pari-mutuel wagering on horse and greyhound tracks. Voters allowed the change by passing a referendum in 1987. Supporters of the

move cited increased tourism and a way to stem the hemorrhage of Texas money to neighboring states that catered to Texas' formidable horse-racing community.

Since then, eight horse-racing tracks are open, are under construction or are being funded. This number includes four major Class 1 tracks.

By law, pari-mutuel gambling in the state is regulated by the Texas Racing Commission. This board also functions to encourage the economic and agricultural benefits of racing.

The Texas Racing Act provides a 5 percent tax on wagers at horse races and 6 percent at greyhound tracks.

Texas is one of 44 states that allow pari-mutuel gambling. There are two major tracks in operation in Fort Worth and Houston; smaller tracks are located in Austin, Bandera, Lubbock and Fredericksburg. Tracks are under construction in Grand Prairie and San Antonio.

Greyhound tracks are located along the Gulf Coast and the Mexican border.

U.S. Rep. Bonilla holds lead over opponent Rios

Staff Report

Despite narrowly trailing in Midland County, U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla (R-San Antonio) had a commanding lead over his Democratic challenger late Tuesday night and had been projected the winner in District 23 congressional race, which includes a portion of south and east Midland.

With almost 80 percent of the votes in district-wide, Bonilla had 63,802 votes, or 62 percent of the ballots cast. His Democratic opponent Rolando Rios, a San Antonio lawyer, had 39,165 votes, or 38 percent.

In Midland County, however, Rios led Bonilla, 1,589-1,358.

Bonilla was first elected to Congress in 1992, when he handily defeated Democratic incumbent Albert Bustamante, in what was then considered something of an upset.

"I want to continue in my second term what I began in

my first term," Bonilla said while campaigning for reelection. "I voted against higher taxes. I voted for a line item veto, a balanced budget amendment and term limitations. These will remain cornerstones of my time in office."

Many of those issues are expected to come to the forefront during the next session of Congress since Republicans have seized control of the Senate and were expected to do the same in the House.

Midland County's other two congressmen also easily won re-election.

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest (R-Lubbock) was unopposed, and U.S. Rep. Lamar Smith (R-San Antonio) easily defeated his Independent candidate Kerry L. Lowry.

In Midland County alone, Smith had garnered 94 percent of the vote, 10,631-731.

District-wide, Smith continued to get approximately 90 percent of the vote.



Henry Bonilla is the projected winner in the District 23rd congressional race.

Voters return Gonzalez, Hecht to Texas Supreme Court

Associated Press

Justices Raul A. Gonzalez and Nathan L. Hecht were returned Tuesday to the Texas Supreme Court, which will become a Republican-dominated body.

Vote returns from counties showed Gonzalez, a Democrat and

the court's first Hispanic justice, and Hecht, a Republican, winning substantial support across the state.

They also showed Republican attorney Priscilla Owen of Houston, winning substantial support throughout Texas.

Republican nominee Oliver Kitz-

man withdrew from the Place 1 race after vowing he wouldn't campaign against Gonzalez, 54, whose lone opponent was Libertarian attorney John B. Hawley, 48.

Hecht, 45, defeated Democrat Alice Oliver Parrott, 43, chief justice of the 1st Court of Appeals in Houston, in the Place 2 contest.

In the Place 3 race, Owen, 39, beat Democrat Jimmy Carroll, 46, chief justice of the 3rd Court of Appeals in Austin.

The Democrats held a 5-4 majority on the state's highest civil court, although Gonzalez and Democratic justice Jack Hightower often side with Republicans.

Whitehead clings to office she pledges to abolish

Associated Press

Texas Treasurer Martha Whitehead survived a tight race against GOP challenger David Hartman, hanging on to an office that she argues should be abolished.

Late returns pushed Mrs. Whitehead ahead 51 percent to 49 percent, with 82 percent of the

9,131 precincts counted.

Mrs. Whitehead, who ran ads arguing for "fewer bureaucrats, less waste, starting with me," argued that the Treasury Department should be merged with the state comptroller's office.

Hartman, a Republican in the unconven-

al position of arguing for more government, said the Treasury is needed to preserve checks and balances in managing billions of tax dollars.

Mrs. Whitehead, 54, a Democrat appointed by Gov. Ann Richards to fill Kay Bailey Hutchison's vacancy, promised to work for a constitutional amendment to abolish the office.



David Chew of El Paso wins Place 1 seat on 8th Court of Appeals over Midlander Julia Vaughan.

Vaughan concedes, Chew wins seat

Staff Report

Midlander Julia Vaughan, a Republican, conceded the race for the Place 1 seat on the 8th Court of Appeals to David Chew of El Paso.

"I think he beat me. I'm going to concede now because he's beating me by 6,000 or 7,000 votes," Ms. Vaughan said early Wednesday morning.

In Tuesday's general election, Midland County voters gave Ms. Vaughan 22,768 votes, or 77.34 percent. Chew received 6,669 votes, or 22.65 percent.

In Ector County, Ms. Vaughan garnered 14,893 votes, or 63.02 percent. Chew received 8,741 votes, or 36.98 percent.

On his home turf, El Paso County, Chew garnered 59,607 votes, or 67 percent. Ms. Vaughan received 29,138 votes, or 33 percent.

Ms. Vaughan lamented the fact that the modest voter turnout in Midland and Ector counties could not offset the high turnout in El Paso County.

"I don't know what Midland and Odessa are going to do... I don't know how we're going to get a seat on the court..."

She said in Midland County she did better proportionately than Chew did in El Paso County. But, "he had a heck of a lot more votes than I did," Ms. Vaughan said.

Three of the district's counties — including Reagan and Brewster — had not reported their vote totals by press time.

Ms. Vaughan said Chew, who will assume the seat held by retiring judge Ward Koehler of El Paso, "ran a very clean race."

Mauro wins 4th term in office

Associated Press

Longtime Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro overcame an early deficit Tuesday night to win a fourth term in office, beating Republican challenger Marta Greytak.

Mrs. Greytak, a former Public Utility Commission member, jumped to an early lead, reflecting a strong Republican showing.

But Mauro surged ahead in

later results. With 75 percent of the vote counted, he had 51 percent to Mrs. Greytak's 46 percent. Libertarian candidate David Chow had 3 percent.

The race was marked with mudslinging on both sides, and the attacks continued into the final weekend before the election.

Mrs. Greytak had hoped voters would decide that 12 years was enough for her Democratic opponent.

Bullock captures lieutenant governor seat

DALLAS (AP) — Democratic Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, arguably the most powerful officeholder in Texas, effortlessly won his second four-year term Tuesday over Republican Tex Lezar.

"This election is not so much a victory for me as it is a victory for Texans who want their problems solved without partisanship or gridlock," Bullock said. "I am grateful to the voters of Texas for placing their faith in me."

With 41 percent of precincts reporting, Bullock had 62 percent compared with 38 percent for Lezar.

"I want to congratulate (Lt. Gov.) Lezar. He's every bit as tough a politician as we all thought he was," Lezar said. "But on a night when the Republican Party has taken control of the governorship of Texas... I can't be anything but delighted."

The lieutenant governor presides over the Senate, makes committee appointments, sits on several key boards and committees and controls the flow of legislation in that chamber. It is one of the most important political jobs in the state.

But the race was probably the least eventful of the campaign season.

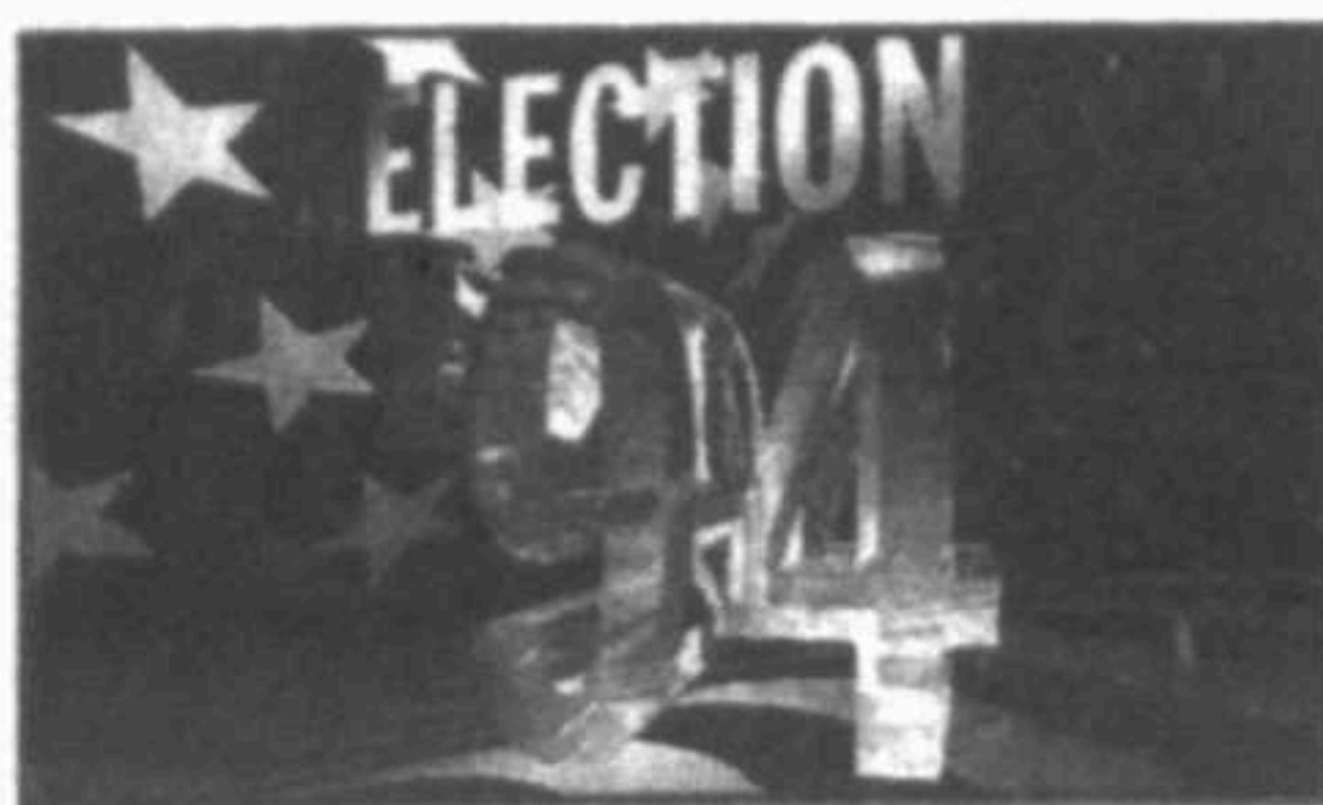
Bullock, 65, took off from campaigning from late September through October to recover from heart surgery.

After winning numerous endorsements, even from Republicans, and securing opinion poll leads of 40 percentage points over Lezar, Bullock said he would rest for the balance of the campaign on doctors' orders.

Lezar, meantime, attacked President Clinton, hoping for a Republican sweep prompted by dissatisfaction with the president's policies.



Democratic Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock wins second four-year term over Republican Tex Lezar.



NATIONAL RESULTS

GOP knocks out Rostenkowski, moves toward control of House

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans, propelled by voter anger over Democratic management of Congress, won more House seats Tuesday than in any year since 1956 and drove toward outright control of the chamber for the first time in four decades.

The tide swept out former Ways and Means Committee chairman Dan Rostenkowski, a 36-year veteran indicted in May on federal corruption charges, and Judiciary Chairman Jack Brooks, at 21 terms the longest-serving lawmaker who sought reelection.



Flanagan

Rostenkowski was defeated by Republican Michael Flanagan, an unknown lawyer whose name had recently been in a trivia contest on a Chicago radio station.

Another symbol of Democratic power, Speaker Tom Foley, was fighting for political survival as voters took out their anger over business as usual in Washington. He trailed in 11 of 12 counties in his eastern Washington district.

Republicans captured 38 previously Democratic seats, 18 of them in southern and border states. By contrast, Democrats managed to pick up just two GOP-held seats, in Pennsylvania and Rhode Island. To win control of the House, Republicans needed a 40-seat pickup.

Republicans had won 199 seats and were leading in 34 others, a trend which would give them 233, more than enough to control the 435-seat House. The 199 victories were more than the party had won since they held 201 in the 85th Congress.

National exit polls conducted by Voter News Service showed that Republicans would seize control of the chamber, a goal that had eluded

the party for 40 years. The poll also showed about three-quarters of those surveyed disapproved of Congress' performance.

The last time voters turned out a sitting speaker was before the Civil War.

Foley, who has represented eastern Washington in the House for 30 years, was challenged by George Nethercutt, a GOP opponent with little experience but independent backing from interest groups like the National Rifle Association and advocates of term limits for politicians.

The news was mostly bad for Democrats.

Rep. Dan Glickman, D-Kan., an 18-year veteran and chairman of the Intelligence Committee, was ambushed by Todd Tiahrt, a state senator who got support from gun owners and right-to-life groups.

A flock of Democratic freshmen were defeated. Rep. Tom Barlow of Kentucky was defeated by Republican Ed Whitfield, a former state representative. Rep. Leslie Byrne of Virginia, lost to Republican Tom Davis, a county official. Rep. Don Johnson of Georgia lost after being faulted in the campaign for supporting President Clinton and Rep. David Mann lost in Ohio.

Other Democratic freshmen ousted included Herbert Klein of New Jersey and Ted Strickland and Eric Fingerhut of Ohio, and Jay Inslee of Washington. Democrat Majorie Margolies-Mezvinsky was defeated in a GOP-leaning suburban Philadelphia district, largely because she supplied Clinton with the winning vote on his 1993 budget — which included new taxes on the wealthiest Americans.

"It's looking like one of the best Republican years in history," said Rep. Bill Paxon, R-N.Y., chairman of the GOP House campaign committee.

Voters OK Proposition 187

LOS ANGELES (NYT) — Voters on Tuesday approved Proposition 187, the controversial initiative that would deny public services to illegal immigrants — but angry opponents promised to file lawsuits today to block its implementation.

Pledging to continue debate over the initiative that has sharply divided the state, civil rights groups, the California Medical Association and the Los Angeles Unified School District all said they would challenge the measure as unconstitutional.

"We stand firmly with all of our students and their parents in opposition to this disruptive and divisive measure," said Mark Slavkin, president of the Los Angeles Board of Education.

"Among our parents and the students we serve, we haven't met any that don't want to be educated and don't want to go to school," Slavkin said in an interview.

"We believe all our students have a right to come to school, and that's where our interests lie (in challenging the measure)," Slavkin said. The school board voted in closed session Tuesday night to

file suit if the measure passes. Supporters said the measure was needed to preserve limited public resources for legal residents.

Harold Ezell, a co-chairman of the Save Our State Committee, said he was pleased with the showing and tried to offer assurances to opponents — particularly students — that nothing would happen immediately because of conflicts with a 1982 U.S. Supreme Court decision guaranteeing public education to all residents.

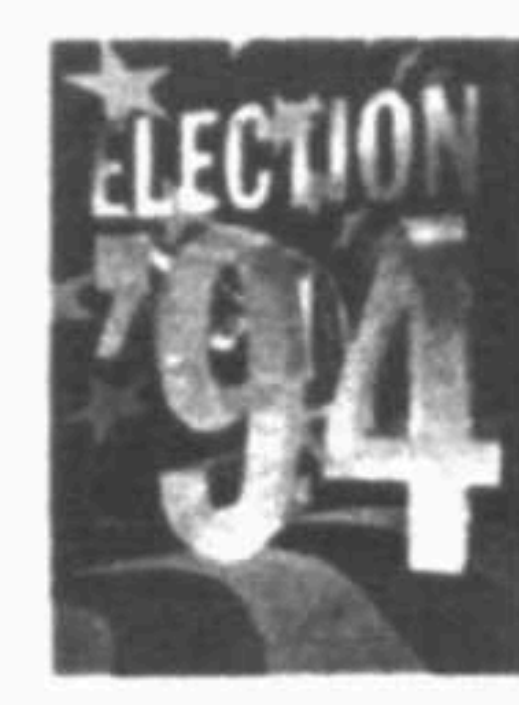
"We have a long way to go with this before there is any change in how our schools are operated," said Ezell, a former regional official with the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service.

"There will be delays and eventually there will be a readdressing of the issue by the U.S. Supreme Court and they'll decide how to handle schools," Ezell said. "That's the reason we put this on the ballot."

Ezell also said he believes that gains by Republicans in the Congress will help California and other states impacted by illegal immigration to get the money needed to control the borders.

Roundup

As of 1 a.m.



	Seats up for election	Won
Senate		
Democrats	23	13
Republicans	12	21
Others	0	0
House		
Democrats	256	182
Republicans	178	207
Others	0	1
Governors		
Democrats	21	9
Republicans	14	28
Others	1	0

AP

GOP moves toward statehouse majority

Associated Press

Republicans seized 10 Democratic governorships and protected their territory all across the country Tuesday as the party captured a majority of statehouses for the first time since 1970. Two Democratic giants, Mario Cuomo of New York and Ann Richards of Texas, were washed away by the GOP tide.

Cuomo, seeking an unprecedented fourth term, was vanquished by state Sen. George Pataki, who tagged the veteran Democrat "too liberal for too long" and struck a responsive chord with New Yorkers.

The giant-killer in Texas was George W. Bush, eldest son of the former president, who insisted despite the state's healthy economy and Richards' high job-approval rating that she was a "failed leader."

In New Mexico, Republican businessman Gary Johnson knocked off a third Democratic incumbent,

Gov. Bruce King, who was seeking his second consecutive term and his fourth overall.

Preaching in near unison on the need for fiscal discipline and tougher anti-crime measures, Republicans came away with at least 28 statehouses and were leading in two other contests.

"When spending and taxes become issues again, voters turn back to the GOP," said Neil Newhouse, a Republican pollster whose firm handled seven state-house races.

The GOP swept seven of the eight most populous states. The spoiler was Florida's Democratic Gov. Lawton Chiles, who narrowly overcame a dogged challenge by Jeb Bush, George W.'s younger brother.

The scope of the GOP victories and the party's dominance in politically vital states gave Republicans a headstart on the 1996 presidential campaign and a slew of platforms from which to criticize President Clinton.



Wilson

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Popular Republican incumbents in the Midwest and Northeast steam-rolled to victory over weak Democratic opposition. California Gov. Pete Wilson also survived his race against Democrat Kathleen Brown.

The GOP captured a big prize with Tom Ridge's victory in Pennsylvania. Other gains came in Idaho, Oklahoma, Kansas, Wyoming, Rhode Island and Tennessee. The GOP picked up Connecticut's independent seat as well.

There were some Democratic survivors, among them Govs.

Howard Dean of Vermont, Bob Miller of Nevada, Jim Guy Tucker of Arkansas, Roy Romer of Colorado, Zell Miller of Georgia and Ben Nelson of Nebraska. Ben Cayetano kept Hawaii in Democratic hands while John Kitzhaber did the same in Oregon.

GOP candidates tailored platforms to voter demands for lower taxes and tougher crime policies. The crime theme played well even against Texas' Richards, who has a record of prison expansion.

"This is not the end of the world, it is the end of a campaign," Richards told cheering supporters.

Still, the results signaled the rise of a new generation of Republican leaders and at the same time the fading of Democrats who once were beacons for their party, never far from the center of the national stage.

Cuomo was one of them, famous for his intellect and oratorical skills but also for his reluctance to run for president.

Barry wins 4th term as mayor

WASHINGTON (AP) — Marion Barry came full circle Tuesday, winning election as mayor of the nation's capital again after leaving office in disgrace four years ago following his conviction on drug charges.

In a city where Democrats outnumber Republicans 9-to-1, Democrat Barry had 54 percent of the votes to 44 percent for Republican challenger, former Midlander Carol Levitt Schwartz with nearly 39 percent of the precincts counted.

"I'm confident our message is the one people want to hear," Barry said earlier Tuesday, promoting himself as "the candidate of hope and healing."

Ms. Schwartz, a former City Council and school board member who campaigned on a theme that Barry had put the city on a path toward insolvency as its mayor from 1979 to 1991, conceded defeat but relished the unexpected show of support she received.

"We have sounded a wake-up call that will ring throughout our city for years to come," said Ms. Schwartz, a 1961 graduate of Midland High School, who won the endorsement of both of the city's daily

newspapers.

With 38.6 percent of the vote counted, Barry had 74,130 votes to 60,823 for Ms. Schwartz, the daughter of the late Stanley Levitt and Hilda Simmons Levitt. City voters also overwhelmingly adopted an initiative limiting elected district officials to two consecutive four-year terms in the future.

Barry had served three terms as mayor before he was convicted in 1990 of misdemeanor cocaine possession and sentenced to six months in a federal prison. He acknowledged then he was addicted to alcohol and drugs.

During the campaign, Barry promised to stay clean of drugs and sober if re-elected. But he said he would not submit to voluntary drug tests because he questioned their accuracy.

"I've asked the citizens to forgive me and I would not take the citizens through that again," he said before the election. "I made a decision in 1990 to change my life myself, not knowing I would ever run for public office."



Marion Barry and his wife Cora Masters cast their ballots at Old Congress Heights School in southeast Washington.

Republicans topple incumbents, capture control of Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans captured control of the Senate Tuesday, toppling Democratic incumbents in Tennessee and Pennsylvania and taking away seats in all regions of the country. GOP candidates chorused support for lower taxes and less government.

Republican Oliver North lost his costly, conservative crusade in Virginia in one of the nation's most closely watched races, falling to Sen. Charles Robb.

But Sen. Jim Sasser, a Democratic committee chairman and ally of President Clinton, fell to Republican Bill Frist, a physician and political newcomer who ran the classic anti-incumbent's campaign in a year of voter anger with the status quo.

And freshman Democrat Harris Wofford lost to 36-year-old GOP Rep. Rick Santorum in Pennsylvania.

Eight years out of power, Republicans added Democratic seats in Ohio, Maine, Oklahoma, Arizona, Michigan and a second Tennessee contest, part of an impressive

sweep of nine races without incumbents on the ballot.

The restored Republican majority is virtually certain to install Sen. Bob Dole of Kansas to the powerful post of majority leader for the final two years of President Clinton's term.

In an interview with C-Span, he said the strong Republican tide amounted to a "vote of no confidence in the Clinton agenda." He said a GOP majority would move to address voter concerns over "big government, big taxes, big regulation."

"The burden of government is now on them," White House press secretary Dee Dee Myers said at midnight as the scope of Democratic losses became clear. Already, the impact on the administration was clear, as White House Chief of Staff Leon Panetta said Clinton would propose only "an incremental change" in health care next year, rather than the top-to-bottom overhaul that died earlier this year.

The new Republican majority will mean a sharp turn rightward

at key committee chairmanships: Sen. Jesse Helms of at Foreign Relations; Strom Thurmond at Armed Services and Orrin Hatch at Judiciary.

With one Democratic seat undecided at midnight EST, Republicans had taken away eight seats, guaranteeing a 52-48 majority at the least.

One likely early legislative proposal: a Constitutional amendment to balance the budget, atop the list of measures that GOP candidates embraced at a campaign rally held in the shadow of the Capitol in early fall.

In one bright spot for Democrats, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, the embodiment of liberal incumbency, won a sixth term handily. In contrast, the voters installed a new crop of conservative Republicans, many of them veterans of the political wars.

Lt. Gov. Mike DeWine won a Democratic seat over Joel Hyatt in Ohio; Rep. Jim Inhofe won over Rep. Dave McCurdy in Oklahoma and Rep. Jon Kyl over Rep. Sam Coppersmith in Arizona, while

moderate Rep. Olympia Snowe defeated Rep. Tom Andrews in Maine. Actor-lawyer Fred Thompson, who claimed Vice President Al Gore's old Tennessee seat over Rep. Jim Cooper, was making his first race, as was Frist. Veteran GOP campaign aide Spencer Abraham defeated Rep. Bob Carr for a Michigan seat that had been in Democratic hands.

Former Republican Gov. John Ashcroft, defeating Rep. Alan Wheat, held a GOP seat in Missouri; Rep. Craig Thomas overcame Gov. Mike Sullivan to do likewise in Wyoming; Rep. Rod Grams triumphed over former legislator Ann Wynn in Minnesota.

Republican challengers gathered in Washington in early fall to pledge support for a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution; lower taxes for families and the elderly, tougher crime legislation and other measures.

One race remained unsettled as the evening wore on: Sen. Dianne Feinstein battled GOP Rep. Michael Huffington, who spent more than \$25 million of

his own money, in a California matchup.

In Virginia's costly, nasty race, nearly four of every 10 voters surveyed in a statewide exit poll said they felt neither Robb nor North had the honesty or integrity to serve in the Senate. A majority said both men had waged a sleazy campaign.

North, a former White House aide whose Iran-Contra convictions were overturned on appeal, spent \$18 million in his bid to join the Congress he once scorned.

Robb had to overcome voter unhappiness with his personal life — which included an acknowledgment that he had received a massage in a hotel room from a woman other than his wife. "Thank you from the bottom of my heart," he told supporters in a victory speech.

The state's other Republican senator, John Warner, spurned North's candidacy, deeming him untrustworthy. He backed independent candidate Marshall Coleman instead.

Sasser had been angling for the

job of majority leader had the Democrats kept control of the Senate, but Frist depicted him as a man who never met a tax increase he didn't like. Interviews with voters leaving their polling places indicated that less than a quarter of the electorate said Sasser's influence in Washington was important to them.

Analyses of exit poll results, vote tallies from counties and key precincts said Santorum had defeated Wofford. The polls of voters as they left precincts were conducted by Voter News Service for The Associated Press and four television networks.

Clinton, possessor of mediocre approval ratings, had campaigned strenuously to keep the Senate in Democratic hands. But in an embarrassment that foretold Democratic weakness at the polls, some candidates told him to stay away, and polling place interviews pegged his support at 44 percent.

Ironically in an era of voter anger with Washington, most incumbents of both parties won new terms.

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Election '94

A roundup of election returns from Texas, as well as U.S. Senate and Governor's races from across the country.

(✓ indicates projected winner; * indicates incumbent)

Texas Statewide Returns

Governor

Ann Richards (D)43%
✓ George W. Bush (R)56%

U.S. Senator

✓ Kay Bailey Hutchison (R)61%
Richard Fisher (D)39%

Lt. Governor

✓ Bob Bullock (D)62%
H.J. (Tex) Lezar (R)38%

Attorney General

✓ Dan Morales (D)54%
Don Wittig (R)43%

Comptroller

✓ John Sharp (D)57%
Teresa Doggett (R)43%

Treasurer

✓ Martha Whitehead (D)51%
David Hartman (R)49%

Land Commissioner

✓ Gary Mauro (D)51%
Martha Greytak (R)47%

Agriculture Commissioner

✓ Rick Perry (R)62%
Marvin Gregory (D)36%

Railroad Commissioner

Unexpired Term
Mary Scott Nabers (D)45%
✓ Carole K. Rylander (R)51%

Full Term
James E. Nugent (D)49%
Charles Matthews (R)49%

Texas Supreme Court

Place 1
✓ Raul A. Gonzalez (D)81%
John Hawley (Lib.)19%

Place 2
Alice O. Parrott (D)45%
✓ Nathan Hecht (R)55%

Place 3
Jimmy Carroll (D)45%
✓ Priscilla Owen (R)55%

Court of Criminal Appeals

Place 1
Charles Campbell (D)47%
✓ Steve Mansfield (R)53%

Place 2
Betty Marshall (D)47%
✓ Sharon Keller (R)53%

8th Court of Appeals, Pl. 1

Julia Vaughan (R)33%
✓ David Chew (D)67%

Texas

Congressional Races

District 1
✓ James Chapman (D)55%
Mike Blankenship (R)41%

District 2
✓ Charles Wilson (D)57%
Donna Peterson (R)43%

District 4
✓ Ralph Hall (D)59%
David Bridges (R)40%

District 5
John Bryant (D)49%
Pete Sessions (R)48%

District 6
Terry Jasmore (D)21%
✓ Joe Barton (R)77%

District 9

Jack Brooks (D)47%
✓ Steve Stockman (R)50%

District 10

✓ Lloyd Doggett (D)56%
A. Jo Baylor (R)40%

District 11

✓ Chet Edwards (D)60%
Jim Broyles (R)40%

District 12

✓ Pete Geren (D)70%
Ernest Anderson, Jr. (R)30%

District 13

Bill Sarpalus (D)45%
✓ William Thornberry (R)55%

District 14

✓ Greg Laughlin (D)56%
Jim Deats (R)44%

District 15

✓ Kika de la Garza (D)60%
Tom Haughey (R)38%

District 16

✓ Ronald Coleman (D)57%
Bobby Ortiz (R)43%

District 17

✓ Charles Stenholm (D)54%
Phil Boone (R)46%

District 18

✓ Sheila Lee (D)74%
Jerry Burley (R)24%

District 20

✓ Henry Gonzalez (D)62%
Carl Bill Colyer (R)38%

District 21

✓ Lamar Smith (R)90%
Kerry Lowry (Lib.)10%

District 22

Scott Cunningham (D)21%
✓ Tom DeLay (R)77%

District 23

Rolando Rios (D)39%
✓ Henry Bonilla (R)61%

District 24

✓ Martin Frost (D)55%
Ed Harrison (R)45%

District 25

✓ Ken Bentsen (D)53%
Gene Fontenot (R)44%

District 26

LeEarl Ann Bryant (D)21%
✓ Dick Army (R)78%

District 27

✓ Solomon Ortiz (D)62%
Erol Stone (R)38%

District 28

✓ Frank Tejeda (D)72%
David Slater (R)27%

District 29

✓ Gene Green (D)74%
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✓ Eddie B. Johnson (D)72%
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Lucy Cain (R)27%

Maryland

✓ Paul Sarbanes (D)58%
William Brock (R)42%

Massachusetts

✓ Edward Kennedy (D)58%
W. Mitt Romney (R)41%

Michigan

Bob Carr (D)42%
✓ Spencer Abraham (R)53%

Minnesota

Ann Wynn (D)46%
✓ Rod Grams (R)47%

Mississippi

Ken Harper (D)31%
✓ Trent Lott (R)69%

Missouri

Alan Wheat (D)35%
✓ John Ashcroft (R)60%

Montana

Jack Mudd (D)41%
✓ Conrad Burns (R)59%

Nebraska

✓ Bob Kerrey (D)55%
Jan Stoney (R)45%

Nevada

✓ Richard Bryan (D)53%
Hal Furman (R)39%

New Jersey

✓ Frank Lautenberg (D)51%
Chuck Haytaian (R)47%

New Mexico

✓ Jeff Bingaman (D)54%
Colin McMillan (R)46%

New York

✓ Daniel P. Moynihan (D)56%
Bernadette Castro (R)41%

North Dakota

✓ Kent Conrad (D)59%
Ben Clayburgh (R)41%

Ohio

Joel Hyatt (D)38%
✓ Mike DeWine (R)54%

Oklahoma

Dave McCurdy (D)40%
✓ James Inhofe (R)55%

Pennsylvania

Harris Wofford (D)47%
✓ Rick Santorum (R)49%

Rhode Island

Linda Kushner (D)38%
✓ John Chafee (R)62%

Tennessee

Jim Sasser (D)42%
✓ Bill Frist (R)57%

Utah

✓ Fred Thompson (R)61%
Patrick Shea (D)31%

Vermont

✓ Orrin Hatch (R)66%
Jan Backus (D)41%

Virginia

✓ Charles Robb (D)46%
Oliver North (R)43%

Washington

Ron Sims (D)43%
✓ Slade Gorton (R)57%

West Virginia

✓ Robert Byrd (D)71%
Stan Kios (R)29%

Wisconsin

✓ Herb Kohl (D)59%
Robert Welch (R)40%

Wyoming

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Alabama

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Program offers hope for addicts

A segment of Texas society has a significant problem with alcohol and other drugs. Those individuals are the alcoholics and drug addicts who oftentimes end up in jail, adding to the problems being encountered by our criminal justice system.

The problem is no small matter. In fact, says J. Ben Bynum, executive director of the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, about 65 to 70 percent of the inmates in our prisons today are drug addicts or alcoholics. And of the inmates in Texas jails and prisons, 90 percent committed the crimes that landed them behind bars while under the influence of alcohol, cocaine, heroin or marijuana. When they get out of jail or prison, they think they have reformed but "they start drinking and using again." So the cycle continues, and by themselves they have little hope of breaking it.

Breaking that cycle is important if a person is to be saved, and if the trend of drug abuse and crime doesn't change, Bynum noted, by the year

2043 there will be more Texans in jails and prisons than out on the streets.

On Monday, Bynum was in Midland to attend the dedication ceremony for New Transitions, a treatment center for alcoholics and drug addicts, that officials hope will help break the deadly cycle of drug abuse and crime that is choking Texas society.

New Transitions provides a 56-bed treatment center primarily for parolees and probationers from West Texas who begin their drug treatment while in prison. Through it, the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse hopes to successfully treat parolees and probationers who continue their program once released from prison, readying the patients for re-entry into society and thus hopefully reducing the recidivism rate.

The program offers hope for Texans who have wandered into a life of drug or alcohol abuse and have run afoul of the law. Those individuals need help in breaking the cycle of abuse, crime and despair. New Transitions offers that hope.

GUEST EDITORIAL

European Union must decide future course

Five years after the fall of the Berlin wall, Europe remains economically divided between East and West. The European Union spent most of that period trying to strengthen links among its West European members instead of reaching out to the post-communist countries of the East, unnecessarily complicating the Easterners' transition to democratic capitalism.

Thanks mainly to political shifts in key West European countries, a less parochial outlook is taking hold. Austria, Norway, Sweden and Finland are scheduled to be admitted next year. The most advanced post-communist economies, Poland, Hungary and the Czech Republic, now have a realistic chance of admission within the next decade.

But some Mediterranean countries still fear Eastern Europe as a competitor for financial resources and political influence. The U.S. could help calm these fears and encourage broader European unity. Economic integration is as important to East European stability as NATO membership, and far less provocative to Moscow.

Germany is the main champion of bringing in the East. The viability of its eastern neighbors affects its own national security and Germans do not want their eastern border to become the frontier between a "have" and a "have not" Europe. Britain and the Netherlands also favor eastward expansion.

Until recently, a Mediterranean bloc made up of France, Italy, Spain, Portugal and Greece resisted opening toward the east. These countries worry about a reallocation in regional subsidies, competition for their farmers and a shift in the European Union's political center from the

Mediterranean toward the German-oriented east. They also fear neglect of their own security concerns about Islamic militants in nearby North Africa. But the new conservative governments in France and Italy look more favorably on eastward expansion. These governments are more enthusiastic about free markets and less interested in a bureaucratically unified West than their center-left predecessors.

These changes contributed to the success of a breakthrough meeting last Monday (Oct. 31) in Luxembourg between European Union foreign ministers and their counterparts from Poland, Hungary, the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Bulgaria and Romania. All of these East European countries now have, or are in the process of ratifying, formal association agreements with the European Union providing for step-by-step access to the single European market.

Luxembourg was a step in the right direction. But the main decisions on the future shape of the European Union will be taken at the 1996 Intergovernmental Conference to review the Maastricht Treaty. Since the U.S. is not a member of the European Union, it will not directly participate in these decisions. But it can and should speak out for bringing in the East. A stronger U.S. voice would help reassure Mediterranean countries that German influence would be balanced and that their concerns over North Africa would not be slighted.

What the European Union must now decide is whether it is going to be an institution for binding together a long-divided continent or a perpetuator of those old divisions.

— The New York Times

JACK ANDERSON

Gridlock stalls superhighway, Congress

WASHINGTON — The fact that Congress stalled progress on the "information superhighway" in the final stretch of the 103rd Congress gives new meaning to the term gridlock.

In early 1993, Democrats and Republicans agreed that the time had come for an overhaul of telecommunications law. Much of the industry — from the largest telephone companies to the smallest cable providers — was also clamoring for an overhaul. Washington had a historic opportunity to prepare for a revolution that would fundamentally alter the way Americans communicate and receive information. But as so often happens here in the gridlock capital, the devil was in the details.

Telecommunications experts have long foreseen a day when consumers can receive all their electronic communication through any one of four media: the telephone wire, the electric utility wire, the cable wire or satellites. But under the current laws, almost nobody but the Baby Bells is allowed to carry local telephone service. Conversely, the Baby Bells are forbidden to deliver cable television, while municipalities have given the cable companies incredible monopolies that jack up the price of service while offering consumers no other choices.

Two separate bills designed to lift these barriers passed the House in June with overwhelming bipartisan support. Two months later, the key Senate committee — Commerce, Science and Transportation — passed a related measure that also had bipartisan support. Although the bills differed, it seemed a sure bet at the time that a compromise bill would pass by the end of the year. But three months later, a group of obstructionist Republicans bent on political gain, and three greedy regional telephone companies, managed to kill any chance for a vote this year.

This was the kind of law, though highly technical in its language and provisions, that would have had a direct impact on the pocketbooks of millions of consumers. The lack of a compromise means less competition between cable

and phone companies, which would have reduced prices in both industries.

The failure to compromise means domestic communications firms are now more likely to look for foreign partners — instead of American firms — for the superior products America could have been producing after an industry shake-up. According to one economic forecasting firm, the WEFA Group, industry deregulation would have created some 3.6 million more jobs between 1995 and 2003.

In 1982, the Justice Department wrapped up an eight-year antitrust suit against AT&T with a "consent decree" that ended AT&T's monopoly on local telephone service, leaving them to compete primarily as a long-distance company. Local telephone service was turned over to the seven regional "Baby Bells," which were given a telephone monopoly in their zone but were barred from selling long-distance service. The companies were also prohibited from manufacturing telephone equipment.

Most companies were happy with this deal until emerging technologies began to revolutionize the industry a few years ago. Suddenly, global pressure was forcing American compa-

nies to compete in a new world, where telephone technology was evolving exponentially. It presented a golden opportunity for American business, as U.S. companies have traditionally been leaders in emerging technologies.

The challenge was to make sure that Asian and European firms didn't take the new technology and begin to mass-market it at lower prices, which has happened in the past. The telecommunications market unquestionably offered America one of its best opportunities to expand export markets, but it could only happen if the barriers to competition were lifted. For America to be a world leader in consumer communications technology, companies needed the freedom to merge and share their talents.

It was up to Congress to step in and remove some of the antiquated hurdles that sometimes prevent the best ideas and best inventions from reaching American homes.

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ART BUCHWALD

Election produces many dirty campaigns

It was Election Day, and the long nightmare for Coby Rodman, who was running for Congress, was over. I thought that Coby would be bitter, particularly when his opponent, Paul Klaassen, ran commercials of Coby kicking his dog (it was done with a digital computer). But Rodman was sanguine. "It was a close race, and I pray to God that the best man wins."

"That's very gracious of you, Coby," I said. "Especially since Klaassen told the voters that Dr. Kevorkian would be your health adviser if you are elected."

"I'm sure that there was no malice intended," Coby told me. "In the heat of battle candidates tend to say things that aren't necessarily true. I probably made misstatements about him that upset him, though heaven knows I

tried to avoid them."

"With everyone saying that this has been the dirtiest election ever, how can you be so magnanimous about your opponent?"

Coby smiled. "Politics is just another gentleman's sport, like croquet. All we're trying to do is knock the ball through the wicket without getting dirt on our white trousers. We have a tradition in this country that if you can't play fair during an election, don't play at all."

"Yet some people have played dirty," I said. "No one respects them," Coby assured me. "The American people are too smart to be influenced by politicians who do not tell the truth."

"Were you ever tempted to resort to a commercial that threw mud at Klaassen?"

"Only once," said Coby. "But then I called my campaign staff together and posed the question, 'Would you respect me if I attacked Klaassen personally and claimed that his wife didn't have a green card?' One of my people said, 'Does his wife have to have a green card?'"

"I replied, 'No, but the public doesn't know that.' The staff unanimously urged me not to do

it. My manager said that if we couldn't win without resorting to dirty tricks, we should get out of the race right away. So we haven't run the commercial even though it might cost me the election."

"No wonder Paul Klaassen said that he was proud to run against you," I told Coby admiringly. "Now you just have to wait for the results. It must be a very suspenseful time."

"Winning isn't what counts. It's the chase. I had a good fight, and my wife has told me many times how much she enjoyed being introduced by me to the crowd as 'my better half.' The big plus is that I got to read all the books about O.J. Simpson and the trial on the campaign plane."

"Would you do it again?"

"Of course, I would. Where else can you run up a debt of \$2 million and have your name smeared all over the newspapers for a job that pays \$130,000 a year?"

Art Buchwald's column is distributed by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

WILLIAM SAFIRE

Defeated incumbents express bitter feelings

WASHINGTON — For challengers who lost Tuesday, a simple thank-you to a grateful roomful of supporters will suffice, along with a graceful recollection of Lincoln's story about a little boy who stubbed his toe and said he was too old to cry and it hurt too much to laugh.

But for incumbents about to lose longtime access to the public trough, a more sweetly embittered last hurrah on TV is permissible. Herewith the all-purpose concession speech for ousted officeholders in 1994:

Friends, family, hangers-on, paid staff, outside consultants, state troopers, media pool and the guy in the back who may be my only volunteer: At long last I am able to say a few words of my own. Brace yourselves.

The only person I want to thank is President Clinton, for leaving the country at the height of the campaign and then, when he got back, staying out of this state. That was the least he could do considering how he dragged me into a leftward lurch that left me naked to my enemies.

Although I outspent my rival in my negative campaign, the new incumbent — heh-heh, see how he likes that title — was able to out-neg me.

In his spots, he exploited my spouse's running out on me because of my secret sale of

poison gas to Saddam Hussein. Added to the cynicism whipped up by call-in shows, this undercut my generous outlay of walking-around money and produced the low turnout that cost me my seat.

Some will say I contributed to voter cynicism in my own ads by reviling your representative-to-be as a filthy-rich front man for the Mafia whose immigrant wife employed aliens from other planets.

Let me say this to the voters about their cynicism: You're not crazy to be sore about having to choose between a panderer and a philanderer. My opponent was right about me and I was right about him; he just out-negged me, is all.

So here's some free advice. You know how the president and I struck fear in your hearts by promising that if my my opponent and his ilk got into power, your Social Security benefits would be slashed?

And you know how my opponent came back with a leaked memo showing how Democrats intended to jack up taxes on the middle class while gutting Medicaid and Medicare?

Well, howabout this: Let's both keep the promises we made for the other side. Cut spending and raise taxes at the same time. Kick the budget into surplus for the first time in 40 years and use the surplus money to pay down the national debt. That would cut down the interest that's gobbling up the budget today and will burden our children tomorrow.

I notice you have all fallen silent and the sniffling has stopped. Welcome to the era of entitlements. I handed out the pork for a generation, borrowing and sneaky-taxing to pay for the goodies, but look where it got me when the national bumper sticker became "enough is en-

ough." It got me into the private sector, a harsh place for a professional pol.

Which brings me to term limits. I used to be against them. I am now all in favor of them. I have become the reformed drunk who preaches abstinence for all. Three terms and you're out!

This handsome young hoodlum you have just elected — and no, Mr. TV director, I won't concede until I'm finished saying this — will have a whole different attitude if we give him a deadline.

His purpose won't be to get re-elected but to do what's best for the people and then come home. I never had that incentive, so I voted for what the blocs wanted instead of what the people needed. Then I got swamped when the wave of the future turned out to be a wave of anger.

Now I can tell you what I really think. I can even lighten up. You hear about the guy who was afraid to meet Tonya, Lorena and Hillary because he didn't want to wind up kneecapped, dismembered and, worst of all, without health insurance? I could never tell a joke in public life, but now I'm free. Politics can be fun if you're not in constant terror of offending somebody.

OK, cameras ready? I have just sent this fax to my opponent: "The people have spoken. Congratulations on your victory and best wishes for your term-limited future."

I want to thank my loyal and supportive spouse — it's OK to cry, hon — and above all, the thousands upon thousands of enthusiastic volunteers ...

William Safire's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

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WASHINGTON — Bank on Tuesday first loan to Russia up some 60 percent, and said it was broad program of mismanagement.

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World Bank approves Russian loan

WASHINGTON — The World Bank on Tuesday approved its first loan to Russia aimed at cleaning up some of the country's contaminated rivers, polluted industrial sites and toxic waste dumps, and said it was the first step in a broad program to undo seven decades of environmental mismanagement.

By international standards the loan is small, about \$110 million. But bank officials, who have been heavily criticized for financing huge infrastructure projects in the developing world with little regard for their environmental effects, insisted Tuesday that the loan symbolized a change of direction that took place several years ago in the bank's lending, and is quickly accelerating.

The loan, combined with \$45 million in investments from newly privatized businesses in Russia and \$90 million in donations from the United States, the European Union

and other nations, would soon be felt in some of Russia's most fouled urban areas.

"This is an important first step that focuses on a few areas where the need is critical," said Roger Batstone, the bank's principal environmental engineer for the project. "This is the first installment of a large program of environmental lending for the Russian Federation."

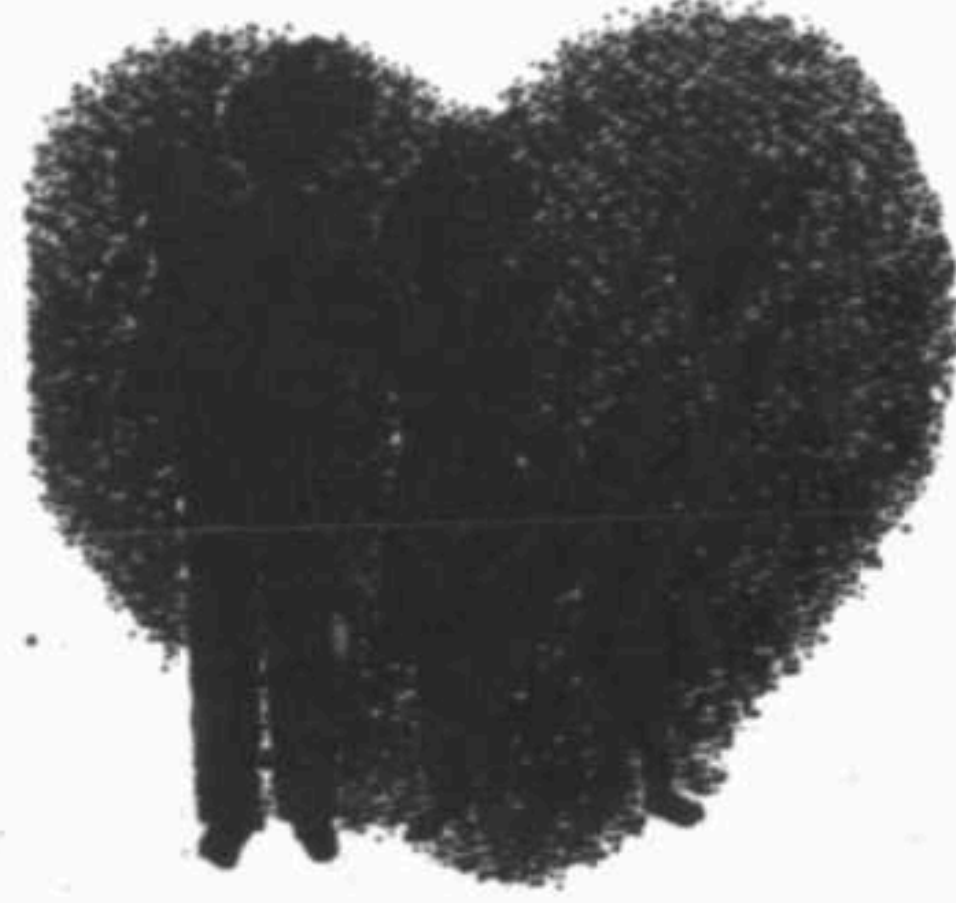
Russia's environmental problems are tied directly to decades of central planning that ignored environmental concerns in the failed effort to increase the country's industrial output.

Underpriced energy, economists say, only worsened the problem,

as economically inefficient factories spewed enormous amounts of untreated exhausts and chemical wastes into the atmosphere.

The bank said Tuesday that 43 Russian cities are in urgent need of relief from air pollution, and that Russian industry discharges more sodium dioxide, the substance that causes acid rain, than all the factories in the United Kingdom, Germany, the Netherlands, Belgium and France combined.

Deforestation is widespread, largely because so many trees are still harvested for firewood, and fish harvests are declining because of pollution and the diversion of water for irrigation.



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Scientists reveal new advance in AIDS research

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Scientists say they have discovered a protein that may activate the AIDS virus in the body and cause it to develop into AIDS.

The discovery by University of Pennsylvania scientists could lead to treatments that might enable in-

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fectured people to put the human immunodeficiency virus on hold indefinitely. They still would carry the virus but might not contract the fatal disease itself.

HIV-infected people can be healthy and live for years before the virus attacks the body's immune system.

A protein isolated from a gene in HIV carriers appears to tell infected cells when to start reproducing the virus, the researchers said in an article published Tuesday in

the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences.

"We understand a new pathway the virus uses," study chief David Weiner, an assistant professor of pathology and medicine at Penn, said in a telephone interview. "We now have an opportunity to design drugs to inhibit it."

Teen dies after shooting incident; father kills child

WEST MONROE, La. (AP) — A girl who jumped out of a closet and shouted "Boo!" when her parents came home in the middle of the night was shot and killed by her own father.

"I love you, Daddy," were 14-year-old Matilda Kaye Crabtree's last words to her father.

No charges were brought against 53-year-old Robert Crabtree.

Quachita Parish Chief Deputy Richard Fewell said the case would be turned over to the district attorney as a matter of routine.

"It's sad," Fewell said. "This is something every kid has done. I don't know how the father is going to live with it."

Matilda and a friend, whose identity was not released, were supposed to be spending Saturday night at the friend's home but had decided to go to the Crabtree's while Matilda's parents were away, Fewell said.

When Matilda heard her parents drive up around 1 a.m. Sunday, she and her friend came up with a practical joke: They hid in her bedroom closet and made noises to make her parents think someone had broken in, Fewell said.

Crabtree got his gun, and when Matilda jumped out, her startled father pointed the .357-caliber pistol loaded with hollow-point bullets and shot his daughter in the neck, the chief deputy said.

She died at a hospital 12 hours later. Her friend was not hurt.

Fewell said it shows how scared people are in their own homes these days.

"We live in such a violent world," he said.

In 1992, a Baton Rouge homeowner shot and killed a Japanese exchange student who had gone to the wrong door while looking for a Halloween party. Rodney Peairs, 32, was acquitted of manslaughter but was ordered to pay \$653,000 in damages to the teen-ager's parents.

Van explodes on interstate after tank puncture

MILWAUKEE (AP) — A van punctured its gas tank on a piece of debris in the road and burst into flames Tuesday, killing five children and critically injuring their parents and their brother.

The van ran over a 5-by-18-inch hollow piece of steel bracketing for holding mud flaps on trucks, sheriff's Sgt. David Iushewitz said.

The dead, four boys and a girl, ranged in age from 6 weeks to 11, Iushewitz said.

The accident occurred late in the morning on Interstate 94 on the city's south side.

Another driver, Walter Pahl, said he heard four or five explosions.

"I saw smoke and pulled over. A lot of cars screeched to a halt. People were running around trying to get to the van. There was no way to get to it. Flames were just unbelievable," Pahl said.

The children's parents, Dwayne S. Willis, a 47-year-old minister in Chicago, and his 47-year-old wife, Janet, were hospitalized in critical condition, as was one of their sons, age 13.

The couple had taken six of their nine children to Wisconsin for the day because their church on Chicago's South Side, Parkwood Baptist, was being used as a polling place, said Kathleen Mannix, an election judge.

The family lived at the church, and Willis has been pastor for three to four years, Mannix said.

The van was a 1994 Plymouth Voyager, registered to the church.

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Scout food drive

Local Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and adult leaders will conduct their "Scouting for Food" drive 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Saturday. Participants will be going door to door collecting food for the Permian Basin Food Bank. In addition, food bags may be dropped off at the Abell Scout Service Center, 1101 W. Texas Ave., site of the old Wal-Mart, Midkiff Road and Loop 250; and Furr's Supermarket, Midland Drive and Illinois Avenue.

MHS production

Midland High School's production of a "Midsummer Night's Dream" is set for 7:30 p.m. this Friday and Saturday and Nov. 18 and Nov. 19 at the school's auditorium.

Archeology talk

Dr. Dan Amick, assistant research professor at the Desert Research Institute in Reno, Nev., will present a program on the Folsom Lifeways to the Midland Archeological Society at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Sibley Learning Center, 1300 E. Wadley Ave. Amick will be illustrating his presentation with slides on his research in the southwest on the new synthesis on Folsom Lifeways based on the comparison of bones from 15 sites. Several decades of archeological research and artifacts collection now provide the opportunity to reconsider the original picture of the Folsom Culture. The public is invited. For additional information, call 682-9384.

Quartet to perform

ODESSA — The Everest Quartet will present a preview of its upcoming world premiere of Paul Schoenfeld's "Tales of Cheim" during the Odessa Rotary Club meeting set for 12:30 p.m. today at the Community Room at Odessa College's Student Center. The quartet will perform "Tales of Cheim" at 8 p.m. Saturday at Midland College's Allison Fine Arts Auditorium and at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin, Odessa.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Listings for meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, Alanon, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Codependents Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Adult Children of Alcoholics can now be heard on CITYLINE. Call 560-2400 and enter category 1880 for complete information.

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marlenfeld, third floor conference room. Gamblers Anonymous, 4801 Neely Ave. Room 6, 7:30 p.m., 24-hour hotline 567-7916.

Midland Articulators Chapter of International Training in Communication, 4400 N. Big Spring St. 689-7875 or 682-8820.

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

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m., parlor. ARCO Articulators, 11:30 a.m., ARCO Building, 688-5760.

Uptown Chapter of Business & Professional Women, luncheon program, Petroleum Club, 683-3000.

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

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

Midland Apartment Association, board of directors, noon, Clusters club room.

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

Midland Quilters Guild, 1 p.m., Golf Course Road Church of Christ, Room 100, 694-2604.

Midland Health & Welfare Association, noon, Salvation Army, 300 S. Baird St.

Downtown Lions Club, noon, Midland Center.

Midland Country Club Womens Golf Association, 9 a.m.

West Side Optimist Club, noon, Granada Club, Wall Street.

Eagles Permian Aerie #2982, 8 p.m., Brinson Lane.

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers available 1-4 p.m., Midland County Library.

Daybreak Rotary Club, 7 a.m., Ranchland Hills Country Club, 683-3000.

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

Council names new member

Webb wins unanimous approval to finish Vogler's two-year term

The City Council on Tuesday selected James Webb, left, to fill the seat of Ed Vogler, who died last month. Council member Jose Cuevas looks on.

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram



■ Independent geologist to be sworn into office Tuesday at council chambers.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Jim Webb, unanimously selected by the Midland City Council to succeed the late Ed Vogler, said his "forte is to cooperate."

"And I am not reticent," Webb said Tuesday morning shortly after Mayor Bobby Burns and council members Bill Morrow, Jose Cuevas, Claudia Egan and Juluis Brooks selected him from a slate of 10 candidates to finish Vogler's

two-year term.

Vogler, 78, a consulting geologist, was elected to the District 3 post in May. He died Oct. 11.

Webb, a 63-year-old independent geologist, is to be sworn into office at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Council Chambers.

"I am very interested in government on all levels," said Webb, who for most of his life has been an observer of politics and the governmental process.

"I've stood back and watched," he said.

After the council announced its search for an appointee to serve out Vogler's term, Webb said he reasoned that "per-

Please see COUNCIL/2B

Desegregation issue surfaces again at MISD board meeting

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Uncertainty about possible changes in the Midland Independent School District's cluster system desegregation plan caused school officials and some residents to speak out at a Tuesday meeting of the school board.

In a report to the board, Superintendent Joseph Baressi informed board members of progress in the seeking of unitary status, which, if granted, would remove the school district from federal court orders that mandate desegregated schools.

As part of the request, a U.S. District Court official toured the MISD campuses in September and suggested a course of action that, if properly implemented, will allow area schools to maintain proper desegregation through the con-

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Lee band finishes 10th at UIL contest

Staff Report

Out of 1,100 high schools in Texas, Midland's Lee High School took 10th place at the state University Interscholastic League contest in Austin Monday.

Only 18 class 5-A bands were invited to the state competition, said Michael Dobey, a member of the Midland Independent School District board of trustees.

Of these, Lee finished in 10th place; Odessa Permian finished 14th. Lee and Permian were the only bands invited from this region, which extends from Amarillo to the Big Bend area.

"We feel good," Dobey said. "Of course we'd like to do better."

"To be ranked in the top 10 bands in the state is pretty darned good," Dobey said.

The Lee band has performed 10 times in state competition during the school's history. The band's 1992 performance landed them in the No. 14 slot.



Michael Conaway, president of United Way Board of Directors, presents campaign chairman Charles Spence with one of five model airplanes he received

as a token of his efforts on behalf of the campaign. He also received a replica of his Beechcraft Bonanza.

Midland's United Way tops campaign goal

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

Midlanders proved once again just how generous they can be by exceeding the United Way of Midland 1994-95 campaign goal of \$2,731,000 by \$2,094, the campaign chairman announced at the United Way's finale Tuesday.

The announcement followed a successful campaign to the theme of "Tune In — The United Way" in which the good guys — Campaign Chairman Charles Spence and "talk show host" Bill Dingus — battled Dastardly Dan Discord in the effort to get listeners to their station.

The gist of the theme was for Midlanders to keep KUWM (United Way

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— Charles Spence, United Way campaign chairman

of Midland) on the air by listening and donating the money to keep the station going versus Discord's attempt to overtake KUWM with his station, KRUD.

At the finale, Discord and KRUD

were ready to take the microphones away from KUWM unless Dingus and Spence were able to prove there was enough support to keep KUWM on the air indefinitely.

At the last meeting, Discord — portrayed by Darrell Ward of KWES-TV — had filed a complaint with the Fishing for Complaints Commission against KUWM for airing too much good news. The FFCC ruled KUWM had to prove there was enough support among Midlanders to keep it on the air.

Spence and Dingus marched the campaign division chairmen up one by one to announce the totals raised in each division and what percentage

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Poet to give glimpse of cowgirl life at lecture series

By Georgia Todd Temple
Staff Writer

Cowhand Emily Winters will talk about life as she sees it during the first program of the Under Starry Skies Lecture Series' second season Thursday at the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

"My first love is being out with the horses and cattle," Mrs. Winters said. "That's what I've wanted to do since I was little."

Mrs. Winters, a poet and a housewife in addition to being a cowhand, speaks at 7 p.m. Thursday about "Life As I See It." Admission is \$3 for museum members and \$5 for non-members; children are free.

"My first word after 'Mommy' and 'Daddy' was dinosaur, and when I was finally convinced I couldn't have a dinosaur, a horse was the next best thing," Mrs. Winters recalled. "So, that's what I always wanted."

"We lived in town. My dad was a preacher. We didn't have any place to keep a horse or any way to get one so it was just a dream."

Fortune smiled on her when she was 10.

"My uncle gave me a horse his daughters were tired of, and we were living just on the outside of a town, and we found a little place where we could pay someone to

keep him," Mrs. Winters said. "And I was with him all the time."

Mrs. Winters wasn't the only one in her family with the dream of being a cowhand. Her brother, David, felt the same way.

"My parents were freaking out," Mrs. Winters recalled. "All they knew about cowboys was what they had seen on TV. I think they had more hopes of us being like doctors."

Contributing to the dilemma was the area of the country in which they lived, said Mrs. Winters.

Please see SERIES/2B



Cowhand and poet Emily Winters is to speak at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Museum of the Southwest's lecture series.

Officials offer reward for information on drugging of teachers

N.Y. Times News Service

LOS FRESNOS — School officials in this small South Texas town Tuesday offered students up to \$1,000 to turn in classmates suspected of drugging two high school teachers during a power blackout last week.

Investigators theorize the act may have been part of a gang initiation. Whatever the motive, special education teachers Elizabeth Pechacek and Mary Boisen, described as "very well-liked," are horrified at what happened to them.

They still don't know what drug was dropped into their Diet Cokes, which they left in their classroom at Los Fresnos High School during a power outage Nov. 2.

The suggested possibilities range from Valium to

LSD to PCP.

"I'm still very frightened and scared," said Pechacek, 45, who suffered from amnesia, dizziness, high blood pressure and heart palpitations.

She is now seeing a psychiatrist because of recurring nightmares. "I sit here and think, 'Are they going to come after me at home, or go after my three children or my husband? Are they going to blow up my car or rape me? I know nothing will probably happen, but I think about it.'"

Pechacek and Boisen had not returned to work on Tuesday, and both said they have not decided if they ever will.

Superintendent Martin Pena said criminal charges will be pressed by the school district once a suspect is identified. Meanwhile, tests on the residue of one of the soft drinks are under way at a

Texas Department of Public Safety laboratory. "We're just getting bits and pieces, but from what the investigator has told us, it may have been related to some kind of gang initiation activity," Pena said.

"But that's the scary part — that some kid would do this, because someone else would tell them to do this. . . . I don't think it has anything to do with the teachers. They're very well-liked," he said.

The school district in Los Fresnos, a town of about 2,500 near Brownsville in Texas' Rio Grande Valley, serves about 5,600 students, many of whom come from surrounding agricultural communities.

Deputy Constable Rinaldo Rodriguez, who is investigating the drugging, says he has some leads but needs additional information from students.

Please see REWARD/2B

DEATHS

Bertha Crisp

Services for Bertha Crisp are to be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Living Way Four-square Church. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

Mrs. Crisp died Monday at a local hospital.

She was born March 14, 1929, in Crockett.

Survivors include her husband, Paul Crisp of Midland; five sons, Paul Crisp Jr., Herbert Crisp, John Crisp and Fredrick Crisp, all of Midland, and Aron Crisp of California; five daughters, Addie Smith of Lubbock, and Bertha McCullon, Dianna Henderson, Betty Crisp and Janice Lenz, all of Midland; 41 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are to be Jerry Fussell, Paul Crawford, Prentiss Jackson, Ronnie Long, Joe Basham, Martin Estrada and Roman Estrada.

Honorary pallbearers are to be Terval Crisp, Herbert Crisp Jr., Paul Crisp Jr. and Dodson Smith.

Carl Diffie

Services for Carl T. Diffie of Midland are to be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Diffie died Tuesday at a local hospital.

He was born Jan. 7, 1928, in Shiloh. He was reared and educated in Paris.

He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1946-48. He was a self-employed painter and general contractor until his retirement in 1986.

He was preceded in death by a son, Rod E. Diffie in 1976; a brother, Raymond Diffie in 1963; and a sister, Lois Baze in 1989.

Survivors include a son, Roger T. Diffie of Hobbs, N.M.; three daughters, Rhoda Stinnett of Louann, Ariz., Shirlene Mayes of Deale, Md., and Tessa Wilson of Camden, Ariz.; a brother, Joe Diffie of Mesquite; four sisters, Hattie Kelley of Ontario, Canada, Evie Farmer of Snyder, Velma Criley of Oklahoma City and Vernice Farmer of Marlow, Okla.; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Bob West

Services for Bob Vance West of Midland are to be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Cornerstone Christian Fellowship Church with the Rev. Dick Spencer officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

West died Monday at a local hospital.

He was born Oct. 8, 1927, in Amarillo, where he was reared and educated.

He attended Wentworth Academy in Lexington, Mo. He graduated from the University of New Mexico School of Pharmacy.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and the Korean War.

He moved to Midland in 1957, where he owned and operated the Medical Center Pharmacy until his retirement in 1991.

He married Ellen Irving in 1972. He was a member of First Baptist Church and Cornerstone Christian Fellowship.

Survivors include his wife, Ellen West of Midland; two sons, Mark V. West and David W. Irving, both of Midland; two daughters, Cynthia West Keller of Dallas and Karen Irving Gross of Austin; a brother, William Mack West of California; four grandchildren; four nieces and a nephew.

James Thompson

James O. Thompson, 82, of Lueders and father of a Midland woman, are set for 2 p.m. Thursday at Bethel Lutheran Church at Erichsdahl with the Rev. Bruce Adamson officiating. Burial will follow at the Bethel Churchyard Cemetery.

Thompson died Tuesday in an Abilene care home.

He was born April 6, 1912, in Bosque County. He married Sophia Hagemann on April 26, 1943, in Stamford. She died Feb. 23, 1981.

Thompson was a member of the Bethel Lutheran Church at Erichsdahl. He moved to Jones County approximately 50 years ago and was a retired farmer.

Survivors include two daughters, Helen Musick of Hawley and Dorothy McLane of Midland; one brother, Claude Thompson of Clifton; three sisters, Clarice Bronstad and Esther Hatsell, both of Clifton, and Thelma Hakes of Coronado, Calif.; and one grandson.

Pallbearers will be Doug Rosenquist, Stanley Oman, Billy John Edwards, Dean Rosenquist, Sonny Pitts and Mark Pearson.

COUNCIL: Webb to be sworn into office Tuesday

(From 1B)

happened I ought to do something" for the community.

"What I would like to do is to be extremely cooperative — because I think that the city government is well run — and to be objective and to represent the people."

Webb, who characterized himself as "sort of low-key," has lived in Midland most of the time since 1952.

Before Tuesday's vote, Burns said the council "had a lot of very strong candidates" in the running.

The number of candidates — which had numbered 12 by the 5 p.m. Friday application deadline — dropped to 10 by Monday when the candidates appeared before the council.

The other candidates were Evelyn Gould, Andrew Grier Brunson, Hugh G. White III, Thomas H. Dollahite, Rhonda G. Durham, John O. Nobles III, Don Washburn, Charles "Charley" W. Pierce and Lee Files Wood Jr.

Bruce W. Blake and John F. McGuigan dropped out of the running.

Nobles, who was in Austin Monday for Lee High School's state band competition, was unable to offer his oral presentation to the council.

On Tuesday morning — following a 25-minute executive session — the council returned to an open meeting. Cuevas made the motion to name Webb, and the council cast its unanimous vote.

Afterward, Brooks told Webb that one reason they voted for him was because "your wife recommended you."

Included in his Nov. 4 application for the post was a letter from his wife, Norma Webb, who "wholeheartedly" endorsed her husband's candidacy.

"He has many friends and acquaintances in this district and is very attuned to their wishes and desires," Mrs. Webb wrote.

Webb's "ability to make objective decisions based on careful analysis of all available data makes him an invaluable contributor" to the community, Mrs. Webb wrote.

Following the vote, Burns — noting the council's "real tough choice"

in selecting an appointee — said they "wanted to find someone who had the values of Mr. Vogler — those conservative principles."

Webb will be "a real good council member — a real team player," Burns said. "Right now, our council is working together real well. We're looking for someone that could work with us, too."

Dollahite, a corporate aircraft pilot who lost to Vogler in the May election, said he hopes Webb "does not become another rubber stamp on the council like we are accustomed to seeing."

"As for the council itself, I would like to say that it appears that democracy is indeed dead in Place 3 in that only the mayor even lives in that district," Dollahite said.

"And they disregarded the fact that I did receive over 1,800 votes in the last election for the Place 3 seat, as opposed to zero for Mr. Webb or any other candidate for appointment."

Vogler received almost 3,200 votes, or 64 percent of the ballots cast in the May election.

Dollahite attracted 36 percent of

the vote.

Dollahite, who congratulated Webb on his appointment, said "it is unbelievable that a Johnny-come-lately came out of the woodworks at the last moment and gets this appointment."

Mrs. Durham, who described the appointment process as wonderful, said she was "very encouraged by the community involvement and the quality of citizenship" among the candidates.

She said "Webb will be a superb representative for District 3. He has tremendous qualities (and) will be a wonderful replacement and an honorable replacement for Mr. Vogler. I think Mr. Vogler would be really happy today."

Morrow said his decision to appoint Webb was reached "very torturedly after a lot of consideration and a lot of discussion."

"We had excellent candidates, and we tried to look at what the district had told us with their voting in the past. There were several candidates that fit that pattern, so we just had to make a choice, and that's what we did."

SERIES: Winters to give talk about her life as cowgirl

(From 1B)

"My dad's from Mississippi, and my mom's from Tennessee. They met in college. My dad was going to be a preacher. Mom was in nursing school. They sent him to the Southern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth, then sent him as a missionary up to Wisconsin."

"That's where my brother and sister and I were all born. When I was 10, we moved to Tennessee."

"Where we lived and the environment we grew up in, it would have been easier for us to become rocket scientists than to become cowboys."

As high school graduation approached, Mrs. Winters was determined to become a veterinarian so she could be close to animals. She felt her strong desire to be a cowhand was most likely a passing fancy.

"I always felt like this thing was

something that would pass, and I would get over it," she said.

She said she would tell herself, "If I ever actually make it out to that part of the country and see how dry and desolate it is, then I'll be over this, and I won't want to go back. And it will all be over with."

She was wrong. A trip to West Texas with a girlfriend only whetted her appetite. Then she had the opportunity to work on a ranch in New Mexico that hired college students for six months. This only increased her resolve to spend her life working as a cowhand.

Instead of returning to school in Tennessee, Mrs. Winters enrolled at West Texas State University.

"While I was in school there, I day-worked for some ranches around Canyon, and I held two jobs — one at the West Texas State University Nance Ranch and one at the WTS Horse Center. I lived in

the horse center. I ended up skipping school a lot of time to work so that I could make money to go to school, and it wasn't making a lot of sense."

Her brother came West to join her at WTSU. During his first semester, he met a cowboy who had a ranch near Dalhart. The cowboy was in town for his cousin's wedding and the two men talked for some time. David, who enjoyed driving, became so excited by the conversation, he made the comment, "I feel like I could drive all the way back to Tennessee tonight."

The cowboy was intrigued. He was dreading the return drive to Dalhart at night. So he made an offer. He would let David work over the weekend during a branding if David would drive him to Dalhart.

Mrs. Winters said that when David returned to school he could not quit talking about the cowboy — whom he liked a lot — and the experience. He insisted that his sister go the next time the cowboy had work.

She did.

"I've never left actually," said Mrs. Winters, who married Frank Winters, the cowboy her brother couldn't wait for her to meet.

Today, Mrs. Winters runs the JW Ranch southwest of Dalhart where she breaks colts, ropes, doctors cattle, repairs windmills,

builds and repairs fences, pulls calves and does most anything else that needs to be done on a ranch. Mrs. Winters and her husband, a fifth-generation cowboy, lease the ranch. He works at the feed lot.

"We want our own herd of cows and our own place," Mrs. Winters said. "We have a small herd of cows and finally have a ranch leased, and our goal is to build our cow herd to large enough where it can support us. So he can come back here, and we can work together."

She also writes poetry, is the author of a book of poetry titled "Life as I See It," and finds herself often invited to give readings of her poetry.

Those invitations have sent her to Lubbock's National Cowboy Symposium and Celebration, the Western Folklife Center Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Elko, Nev., and the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.

"I do it actually more than I'd like to," Mrs. Winters said. "I like a little bit of that, but I don't like too much of it."

"This summer, I was gone so much doing stuff like that, gone from here, and this is what I love. The cowboy poetry came later as I was writing about the things I love. The first place I want to be is on the ranch."

ISSUE: Some residents voice their opposition to MISD plan

(From 1B)

trolled choice system.

This system provides different specialties and fields of study at the various campuses and provides magnet schools with higher standards in some courses. Theoretically, these schools will draw students from across the school district rather than just from the area surrounding a particular school.

The formative plan outlined by Baresi includes a statement of purpose: "The purpose is to improve desegregation, improve education and to assist the district to seek unitary status."

The board voted 5-2 last spring to seek unitary status.

As in that vote, community members spoke up late Tuesday against the plan, which some fear will be a method for MISD to return to segregated neighborhood schools.

"It makes me very suspect," equal rights activist Alma Marshall said to the board.

Mrs. Marshall told board members that this plan, if enacted properly, would force more busing, as it includes MISD grades K-3, whereas the current program only desegregates after third grade.

"This is going to mean more busing," Mrs. Marshall said.

"It will mean different busing," Baresi said.

Board member James Fuller said there simply was not sufficient trust in the board's motives from the city's minority community.

"I suspect we'll end up in court again," Fuller said.

If plans progress, a hearing on the matter will be scheduled sometime in June, Baresi said.

POLICE REPORTS

Monday

Vandalism: Dyna-Systems, 1020 Andrews Highway, reported one of the business' windows was broken out. It was reported at 9:36 a.m.

Anyone having information concerning these incidents should contact the Police Department at 685-7106 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

In other business, the board reviewed the MISD Academic Excellence Indicator System.

During the review, Fuller voiced his opinion that the indicator system does not provide a sharp enough tool to allow the board to see if a specific school is lagging behind in academic achievement.

School officials promised to refine the information supplied by the indicator system and present the refinements at a later meeting.

Other matters dealt with by the board included:

■ Approval of a job description for the eventual replacement of business manager Don Furgeson, who is retiring.

■ A retirement incentive program for spring 1995 was approved. This program will offer incentives to as many as 100 senior educators who might wish to retire soon.

■ Campus improvement plans for various schools in the MISD system were approved.

■ Approval was given for the purchase of \$16,500 worth of scientific equipment for various campuses.

■ Approval was given for a Lubbock Christian musical group to rent the Lee High School Auditorium.

■ Tentative approval was given for the 1995-96 school-year calendar.

Bynum School receives grant

Staff Report

Bynum School Tuesday received a \$5,000 grant from Wagner & Brown, Ltd., to fund additional scholarships for educationally challenged students.

The gift will be used to increase the number of partial scholarships available to students who would otherwise be unable to attend the school. In its 11th year, Bynum School is a non-profit, private school that serves students ages 18 months to 22 years.

At Bynum, emphasis is placed upon providing an individualized, multi-sensory curriculum that allows each student to become successful educationally, socially and vocationally, school officials said.

TOPS: United Way exceeds goal

(From 1B)

of the goal was raised.

L.D. "Buddy" Sipes, special gifts chairman, told the group that "Midland is a unique community of wonderful people." His division raised more than \$900,000.

The United Way campaign raised \$2,733,094 for its participating agencies. Spence said that total is No. 1 in the state of Texas per capita.

"That is a real tribute to everyone who lives here," Spence said.

Spence said the 16 United Way agencies serve 40,000 Midlanders each year. Those agencies include American Red Cross; Big Brothers/Big Sisters; Boy Scouts of America; Boys and Girls Club of Midland; Camp Fire Boys and Girls; Casa de Amigos; Centers for Children and Families; Community and Senior Services; Free-will Foster Home; Midland Need to Read; Midland Rape Crisis Center; Palmer Drug Abuse Program; Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children; Permian Basin Girl Scouts; Salvation Army and the YMCA youth programs.

"We're blessed in Midland with

REWARD: Officials seek information

(From 1B)

"I believe what happened is, the teacher trusted her class enough to leave an open drink, and someone decided as a prank or some other motive, to put some substance into her drink," Rodriguez said.

Pechacek, who has taught special education classes at Los Fresnos for seven years, said she overheard a boy in her class telling students after the power outage "about someone putting something in Mrs. Pechacek's and Mrs. Boisen's Coke."

Bynum School receives grant

A low teacher-to-student ratio of 1-to-4 ensures that each student is provided with consistent classroom assistance, officials added.

Bynum School operates two separate programs for students in the Permian Basin. Developmentally disabled students have been an integral part of the school since its inception in 1984. In August of this year, the school initiated a new program designed to meet the needs of students in grades kindergarten through eight who are "at-risk" of dropping out of school.

The school is located at the intersection of West County Road 60 and State Highway 158 West. Additional information about the school may be obtained by calling 520-0075.

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Three accused of threatening black men receive indictment

BEAUMONT (AP) — Three Livingston men, accused of bullying two blacks socializing at a mostly white youth club, have been indicted on federal civil rights charges.

U.S. Magistrate Earl Hines unsealed the indictment Tuesday charging Darren Kingston, 19, Milton "Trey" Schultz III, 20, and Richard Cryer, 19, with threatening two brothers last New Year's Eve because they were black.

The incident began when Jason and Justin Wheeler, both of Livingston, were informed by the three defendants that they should not be allowed to socialize with white females at the Happy Days Teen Club.

The indictment states the Wheelers were told that "niggers" did not belong at Happy Days and that interracial dating should not be tolerated.

The indictment further states that the defendants tried to settle their dispute with the Wheelers at another location. But when the Wheelers did not show up, the three sought to harm other blacks as an intimidation tactic.

As a result, two other blacks — Carmen Bruce Henderson and Gary Criswell were attacked as they walked home from a New Year's Eve celebration.

The defendants were to appear in court Tuesday.

Heroin seizures mark rise in drug's popularity

HOUSTON (AP) — More heroin has been seized the past four years in the Houston area than anywhere inside a four-state Southwest region, federal authorities say.

Since 1990, U.S. Customs Service agents say 197 pounds of the illegal narcotic have been confiscated in Houston.

The numbers underscore a disturbing renaissance in the drug. Customs spokeswoman Judy Turner said heroin is becoming increasingly popular among drug addicts.

Federal officials say heroin that's hitting the streets today is cheaper, purer and more lethal.

Also, users can now snort or smoke it instead of inject it, a more socially accepted method, particularly for those concerned about the spread of the AIDS virus through dirty needles.

"Two years ago, heroin was very seldom seen, except for a matter of a few grams or pounds," Ms. Turner said. "Heroin is becoming more the drug of choice. We're seeing heroin on the border more now."

The 67 pounds of heroin seized here between Oct. 1, 1993, and Sept. 30 is part of a steady increase in the amount of heroin seized in the Houston area —

which includes Galveston, Freeport and Corpus Christi.

In that same period, authorities confiscated 15,402 pounds of cocaine. But cocaine has a potential street value of \$45,000 per pound, while the same amount of heroin is worth \$1 million.

The 67 pounds of heroin seized is a dramatic increase over the nine pounds taken into custody in fiscal year 1991.

That number jumped to 76 pounds in fiscal year 1992, and 45 pounds the following year, according to Customs records.

Drug Enforcement Agency

spokesman Bob Surovec said he believes most of the heroin stopped in Houston was bound for other points in the country.

"We haven't seen an increase in heroin use in the city," Surovec said. "Those Customs numbers represent those who were caught at a transit point, not that some of it was not destined for Houston."

Still, none of the other five districts in the Southwest region, which in addition to Texas includes Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona, have come close to the amount of heroin seized in the Houston area.

Houston considers plan to annex more land that could net it additional funds

HOUSTON (AP) — Looking to boost local tax coffers, the nation's fourth largest city is considering a plan to annex more than nine tracts of land worth more than \$2.6 billion.

Under Mayor Bob Lanier, the city of Houston has gobbled up thousands of acres of property, already worth billions of dollars.

Now, the Houston City Council is considering his proposal to annex nine more parcels. The 8,645 acres appraised at more than \$2.6 billion could net the city as much as another \$19 million annually.

Included in the tracts are three northeast industrial plants: Lyondell Petrochemical Co., Champion International Corp. and ARCO Chemical Co.

Also included is the Sam Houston Race Park in north Harris County, which is expected to bring in as much as \$400,000 each year.

The nine tracts would be the largest Houston annexation of the last dozen years.

A few critics contend increased tax revenue should not be the driving force behind annexation.

"The impression is being given that the annexations are being driven by the need for additional revenues, and that gives a lot of heartburn to those people that are being annexed," said City Controller George Greanias.

"But the reason you want to annex is to maintain the integrity of the tax base and the social integrity of the community. You don't do it to make a profit."

City Council gave its preliminary approval last week to the annexation of eight tracts, and were to consider a ninth Tuesday. The council would have to vote a second time on the annexations — probably on Dec. 7 — and the land would become part of the city on Dec. 31.

Richard Lewis, the mayor's finance director, says suburban residents included in the annex plans stand to benefit tremendously.

"Annexation ensures that Houston does not decay from its center," he said.

Police officer to go on trial in shooting death of his partner

CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico (AP) — A state police officer will stand trial for murder in the death of his partner, who was fatally shot following a gathering with several officers at a bar.

District Judge Carmen Verdugo has issued an "auto de formal prison," which is analogous to a U.S. indictment, for officer Rolando Sanchez Gaytan, who remains jailed in the Cereso prison without bond.

Verdugo ruled Monday that evidence gathered by prosecutors suggests Sanchez murdered Officer Eduardo Javier Galindo the morning of Nov. 3 as the two left the Matchabelli Bar in Ciudad Juarez, across the border from El Paso.

Sanchez and Galindo had been among 11 robbery section officers from the Chihuahua State Judicial Police who spent the night of Nov. 2 and part of the following morning at the pricey bar.

The 10 surviving officers were given drug tests after the shooting.

Police are still awaiting results, said police spokesman Ernesto Garcia Rodriguez, who denied published reports that claimed all 10 officers had failed the tests.

The state attorney general's office also is investigating the shooting to determine whether the group of officers violated firearms laws or police procedures, Garcia said.

Mexican law prohibits anyone, including police officers, from drinking alcohol at a public place while carrying firearms.

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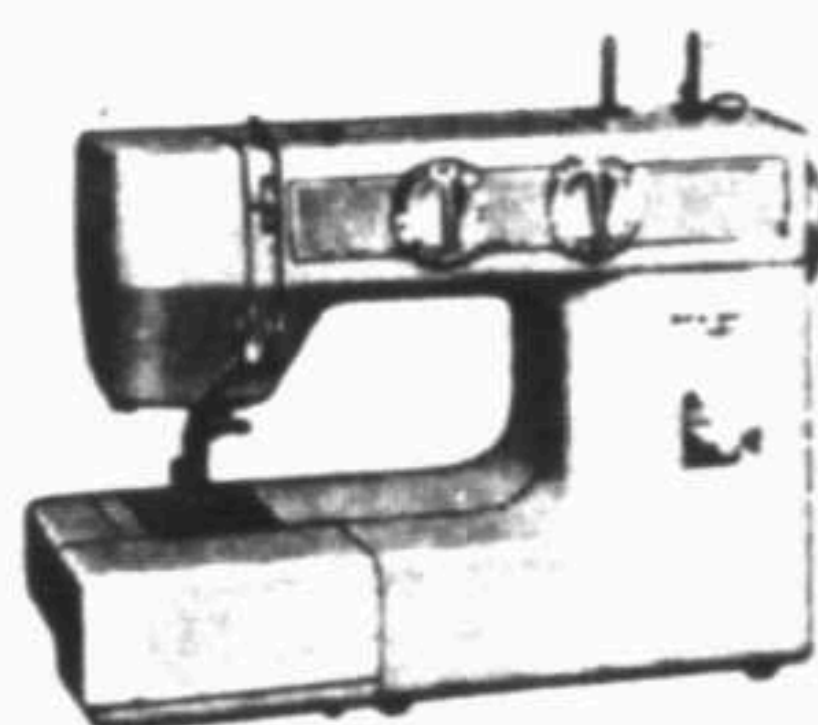
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Child's game that was popular years ago becomes hit once again

By Mia B. Moody
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO (AP) — The name of the game is different, the tops are a lot fancier and everybody is racing to get a piece of the action, but POG doesn't fool the Rev. Nathan Stone.

It's the same game he grew up playing in Hawaii — only fancier, said the 54-year-old Lakeshore Baptist Church minister who was his neighborhood's champ.

In his childhood version of the game, kids played "milk tops" with advertising caps from milk bottles.

Players stacked up three or four milk caps wrapped tightly with tape, then one player hit the top of the stack with something called a kini, to see how many he or she could knock over.

"If the player hit it just right, some of the caps would flip over and he could keep them," he said. "The game was popular up until milk companies started using paper cartons instead of glass bottles."

An elementary teacher in Hawaii revived the game by substituting the milk bottle caps with

those of a popular pineapple-orange-guava (POG) fruit drink. She showed the game to students and it caught on.

The mass-produced version of the game, which uses slick cardboard disks called POGs, is similar.

Two or more children sit in a circle. Each player bids an equal number of discs, which are stacked face down in the middle of the circle. The first player throws a slammer, a heavier disc usually made of metal or plastic, on the pile, trying to flip over as many POGs as possible.

When players play for "keeps," he or she keeps each POG flipped over. The unflipped POGs are re-stacked and the process continues until each disk is flipped. Players compete to own the biggest and best collection.

The game's popularity is due in part to its versatility. It's fun enough to play at a birthday party. Simple enough to include kids of all ages. Intriguing enough to capture the hearts of collectors.

Tito Nieves enjoys the game so much he chose to play it at his birthday party instead of the traditional party games.

"He likes POGs because it is easy to build a collection," said his father, Jeff Richardson. "They are inexpensive and easy to find."

In fact, several companies, like Coca-Cola, make their own POG discs and keep the styles changing. Prices for the popular discs start at 50 cents for a basic POG, while a slammer can sell for up to \$7.

Cecil McDowell, president of

Hundred Black Men of Waco, plans to use the game as a way to get youths off the streets. The organization will pass out \$75 to \$100 worth of POGs to children.

"I think POGs will give them a challenge," said McDowell who found out about the game while visiting California this summer. "Many of the children I have talked to in Waco have never heard of the game, but when I

show them how to play, they say, 'Hey, I like this and I would like to play it.'"

Stores have stocked up on POGs and they are going fast, according to Wendall Washington, store manager of M.J. Designs. He said in many stores that sell collectibles, the sale of POG discs have surpassed the sale of collector's baseball cards.

"POG has gained lots of success

in a small amount of time at our store because it is fun and inexpensive," said Washington.

Cindy Straten, owner of Czech Point Crafts in West, speculates that like any other collectible, POGs will obtain value based on rarity and what's depicted on them.

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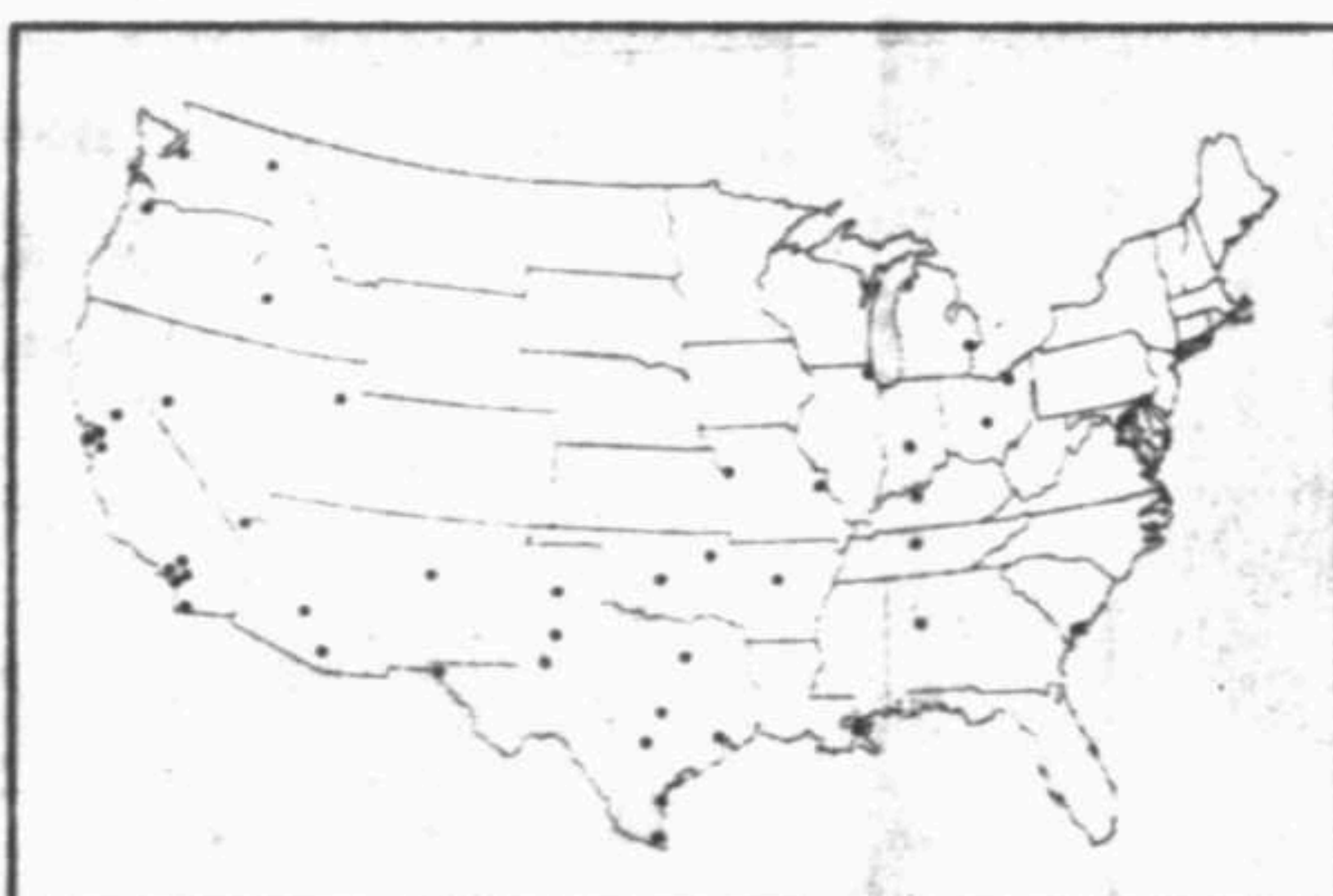
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Susan Smith's family apologizes to blacks

By Christopher Sullivan
AP National Writer

UNION, S.C. — Susan Smith's family offered apologies to the black community Tuesday for her false claim that a black man had abducted her two sons.

"We apologize to all of the black citizens in Union and everywhere," said Scotty Vaughan, Mrs. Smith's brother. He added: "I'm thankful especially to many of my black friends, who called me to comfort me and tell me they still loved me. It was just a terrible misfortune that all this happened."

For nine days after her children vanished Oct. 25, Mrs. Smith had claimed a black car-jacker had driven off with them. When the car was found in a lake and she was charged with murder, many blacks were angry and hurt as well as sad.

"The apology was needed for the healing process. I think the gesture was well-needed and well-taken," said funeral home owner William E. Free III, who is black.

Sheriff Howard Wells said of the apology, "I believe it'll go a long way into easing the tension and helping us to get back to a state of normal function in the county. I hope that it satisfies everyone."

The children's father, David Smith, was too "torn up" to appeal publicly, his father, Charles David Smith, said at a news conference. Smith said through sobs: "He wants his children back. That can't happen."

Mrs. Smith, 23, is charged with rolling her car into a lake with her children, Michael, 3, and Alex, 14 months, buckled in their safety seats. She is in isolation at a prison.

Simpson's friend will not be charged, D.A. says

By Michael Fleeman
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Al "A.C." Cowlings won't be charged with a crime for driving the white Bronco in which O.J. Simpson fled the day he was supposed to turn himself in.

"We can't prove the case," District Attorney Gil Garcetti announced Tuesday. He said the investigation was closed.

Deputy District Attorney Christopher Darden was reassigned from the Cowlings case to the Simpson murder case, drawing criticism from Simpson's defense, in part because Darden is black.

"We have said that the (Cowlings) investigation was a charade," said defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr., who also is black. "Now, all of a sudden, he shows up over here, now that we have eight African-Americans (on the jury). ... We are concerned about it."

The district attorney's office issued a statement saying Darden was chosen because of his "abilities as a trial lawyer."

In court Tuesday, Superior Court Judge Lance Ito relaxed the rules for the 12 sworn-in jurors, who have been living under a media blackout since mid-September. The search also began for 15 alternate jurors, but all nine people questioned were dismissed.

Simpson was in the courtroom to face the group of roughly 100 people from which the alternates may be picked.

A former Army sergeant who was questioned said he had heard a portion of the 911 tape in which Simpson's ex-wife pleaded for police help when Simpson broke through her door in 1993.

"Something was going on in the house that shouldn't have been going on," the man said. "If he was

beating her or hitting her, there was a lot more to it."

Simpson became agitated at the man's comments and said to Cochran, "I wasn't beating her."

The man was one of four dismissed Tuesday for legal cause. Five others were excused for hardship.

Simpson is charged in the June 12 stabbing deaths of ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman. Opening statements are expected in January, after a hearing on the admissibility of DNA test results.

Simpson was arrested June 17 after a police pursuit in which Cowlings' Ford Bronco crept along Southern California freeways and streets to the driveway of Simp-

son's mansion.

Late Monday, Garcetti made the final decision not to charge Cowlings, a former football player and close friend of Simpson's. On Tuesday, the district attorney said the investigation is over.

Cowlings is "happy that the investigation is behind him," his lawyer, Donald Re, said. Cowlings, who has never spoken publicly about the getaway, again refused comment Tuesday.

Ito's new jury rules allow the panel to watch most entertainment programs and sporting events on television, and they may also rent videos.

But he warned them to avoid news and talk shows, and anything Simpson-related.

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Zhirinovsky denies truth of 'nasty things' said of him

N.Y. Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — But-toned grimly into a suit for his visit to America, the Russian nationalist Vladimir V. Zhirinovsky insisted that all those nasty things people said about him just were not true.

He was not an anti-Semite, the head of the ultranationalist party that shocked American leaders by capturing the biggest share of parliamentary seats in elections last December told a somewhat incredulous audience of the World Affairs Council of Northern California Monday night.

Nor, although the impression was gleaned from his published writings, televised speeches, political campaigns and various brawls, was he a racist, a fascist, a militarist or a coveter of more land for Russia in the Middle East, Finland or Alaska.

"I tell you outright that is a total falsehood," Zhirinovsky said when asked about previous remarks derogatory to Jews. He later expanding his denials to maintain, "You in America are totally misled."

You did, however, he warned, have to watch out for those Chinese and Muslims.

Zhirinovsky was clearly on his best behavior as he began a two-week trip to the United States. His only mishap came when he knocked the sign of his sponsor off the blue velvet backdrop upon arriving for his news conference. The American Embassy in Moscow had reluctant-

ly granted him a visa only after issuing a statement declaring, "The U.S. Government finds many of Mr. Zhirinovsky's views anathema."

On previous ventures abroad he spat and threw dirt at Jewish picketers, threatened to drop nuclear weapons on Japan, spent a weekend with a former Nazi SS storm trooper in the Austrian mountains, accused European legislators of stealing his wool fisherman's hat and was expelled from Slovenia after his party tore up a resort hotel.

The purpose of this trip — as well as his vague and shifting itinerary — was not clear, but it appeared largely intended to make public appearances and give television interviews that might bolster his prestige at home. He is to address the United Nations Correspondents Association in New York on Wednesday.

"Please do not praise us," Victor Bogaty, a close party associate of Zhirinovsky, interrupted at one point, adding gleefully: "Give the worst thing about us. In that case, we'll have a lot of votes."

Zhirinovsky said he had come "to give the proper impression of who we are."

With both of San Francisco's daily newspapers on strike, Zhirinovsky's visit was overshadowed by bitterly fought local election campaigns and a record rainfall of more than six inches over the weekend.

Court considers ban on guns near schools

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gun-related violence at schools harms the national economy, the Clinton administration argued Tuesday in urging the Supreme Court to reinstate a federal ban on possession of guns within 1,000 feet of schools.

"This is not about just regulating guns," Solicitor General Drew S. Days III told the court. "Congress is concerned with this impact on the national economy" and properly enacted the law under its power to regulate interstate commerce, he said.

But the lawyer for a former Texas high school student convicted of taking a gun to school argued that Congress overstepped its authority when it enacted the 1990 Gun-Free School Zones Act. Congress did not properly outline a connection between gun possession and interstate commerce, said attorney John R. Carter.

In addition to hearing arguments on the gun law, the court: ■ Heard the Clinton administration's bid to revive a federal law that bars federal employees from being paid for speeches or articles unrelated to their government work. Lower courts threw out the law as an unconstitutional infringement of free speech. ■ Ruled unanimously that peo-

ple who reach settlements in federal lawsuits during the appeal process generally forfeit the right to have the lower court's judgment set aside.

More than 200,000 children carry firearms to school every day, according to Sen. Herb Kohl, D-Wis., the sponsor of the 1990 school gun law.

Congress has recognized a connection between gun possession and violence, Days said. Gun-related violence at school makes it difficult for schools to function, raises their insurance rates and makes people less willing to move to some violence-prone areas, he added.

But Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Antonin Scalia expressed doubts that possessing a gun near a school involves interstate commerce.

"Is there any violent crime that doesn't affect interstate commerce under your rationale?" asked Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

Later, when Ginsburg again asked Days for an example of a law that Congress would lack authority to enact, Scalia interjected, "Don't give away anything here. They might want to do it."

The case involves the March

1992 arrest of Alfonso Lopez Jr., who was a senior at a San Antonio High School when he was arrested for bringing a .38-caliber handgun and five bullets to school. He said he was given the gun to deliver to someone else to use in what Lopez described as a "gang war."

Lopez was convicted under the law in federal court and was sen-

tenced to six months in prison.

But a federal appeals court overturned his conviction, saying the law did not comply with the Constitution's Commerce Clause, which allows Congress to regulate interstate commerce. The law should have spelled out a connection between gun possession near schools and interstate commerce, the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said.

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Judges consider legality of payments to federal workers for speeches

WASHINGTON (AP) — A broad ban on speech fees for federal workers — including a civil servant being paid to address a garden club — came under sharp scrutiny Tuesday at the Supreme Court.

On an Election Day that concluded a campaign in which Congress has taken its lumps, the lawmakers did not fare much better with the justices.

"This doesn't make sense," said Justice Sandra Day O'Connor of part of the five-year-old law that prohibits federal employees from being paid for speeches or articles on subjects unrelated to their government work.

The law permits payment for a series of lectures or articles while barring compensation for a single speech or article, O'Connor noted

incredulously. Perhaps a typographical error explains this "absurd" result, she said.

No, said Justice Department lawyer Paul Bender, there was no mistake.

Banning honoraria is aimed at erasing even an appearance of impropriety that workers are being paid by special interests seeking favors from the government, he said.

Banning payment for a single speech or article but allowing it for a series — or for teaching a college course — makes it less likely the money will be a phony reward for no work, Bender explained, almost apologetically.

"You can be a consultant and do no work," shot back Justice Antonin Scalia.

The administration wants the

justices to revive the ban, reversing lower courts that threw it out as an unconstitutional infringement of free speech.

Congress could have done a better job deciding what is allowed, Bender conceded. But when it comes to regulating the conduct of government workers, "deference to Congress is appropriate," he said.

Gregory O'Duden, representing federal workers, said the prohibition substantially restricts speech based on scant evidence of any ethical problem.

"There has to be a good reason" when Congress limits freedom of expression, he said.

Justice Stephen Breyer, who was once a counsel to the Senate Judiciary Committee, questioned the outlawing of outside pay for

federal workers when the court in 1991 barred New York from seizing the profits criminals make from describing their misdeeds.

"If a triple axe murderer can't be prohibited from selling his story for money, why can't a low-level federal worker sell a speech ... about the Quaker religion?" asked Breyer.

His example was not hypothetical. Opponents of the ban cited the case of a mail handler who wrote

and spoke about the Quakers.

But Bender said even a government lawyer lecturing about roses at the community garden club could create the appearance of unethical conduct. The garden club president could be someone with a case before the lawyer's agency who arranged compensation for the speech to disguise a corrupt payoff.

All nine justices participated in questioning the lawyers — a rare

event, because observers could not recall Justice Clarence Thomas speaking during an oral argument for at least 1½ years.

Thomas, who has been called "disengaged" in recent critical newspaper articles, asked O'Duden whether it would be constitutional for Congress to ban all moonlighting by federal workers — not just speechmaking and article writing.

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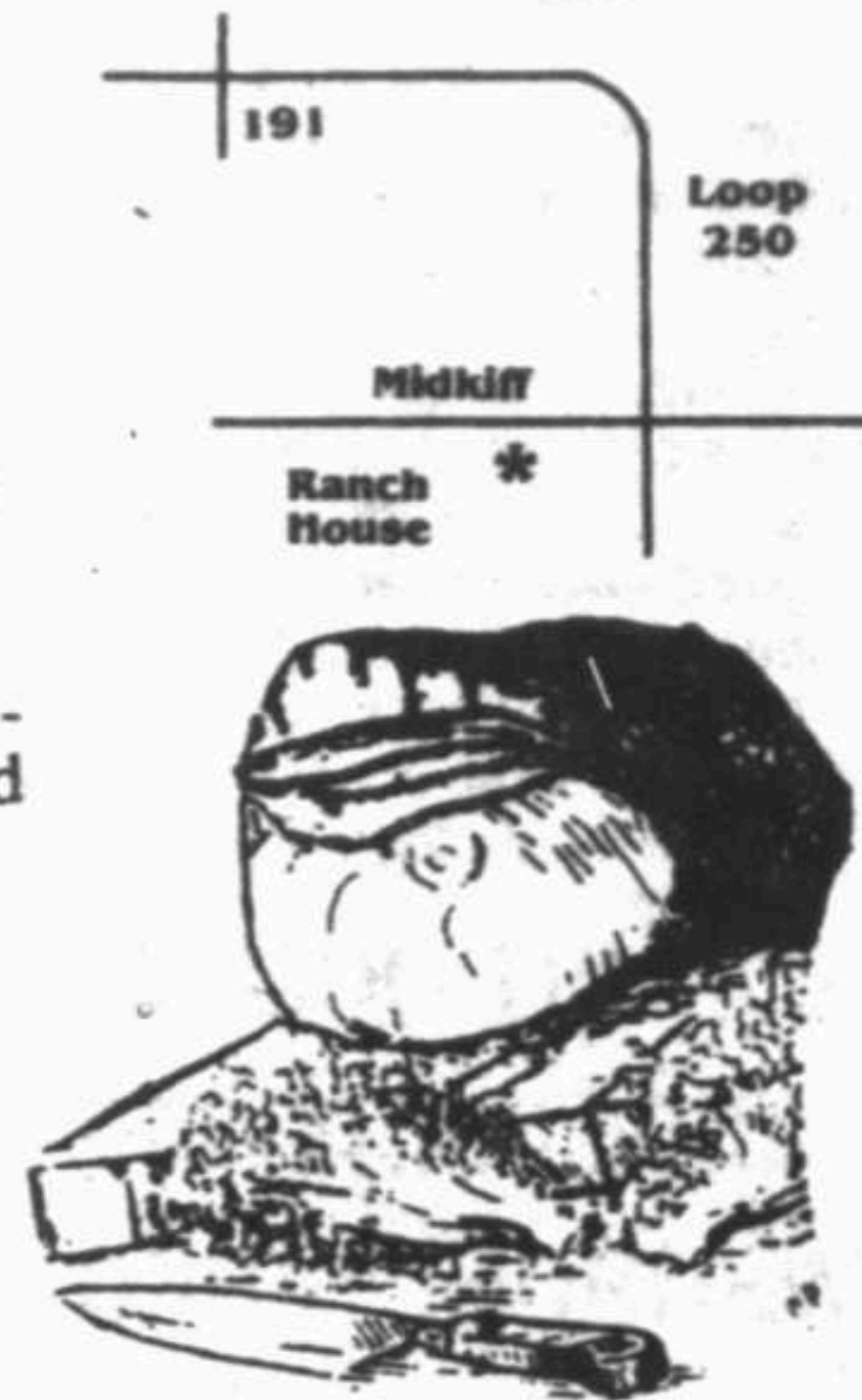
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November 10

Life As I See It

Emily Winters is both cowboy and poet. Yes, I said cowboy! This cowboy does what you would expect in that she breaks colts, ropes and doctors cattle, fixes windmills, builds and repairs fence, hauls hay and feed, pulls calves and anything else necessary to ranch life. However, this cowboy also cooks, cleans, quilts, and sews. Emily's presentation will be made up of her poetry and personal accounts of life as she sees it in the West.

December 8

Images of the African-American Presence in the West

Jack Savage, Ph. D., of the University of Wyoming tells of the nearly forgotten Americans who pioneered the Western Regions of the United States before and after the Emancipation. His presentation focuses on men and women, movers and shakers, the pious and the profane - all who were part of the history of the West.

January 12

Las Mujeres: Non-Traditional Lives

Dr. Rosalie Otero of the University of New Mexico will discuss life and literary stories told by women - women who call themselves Chicanas, Hispanas, Latinas, Spanish, Spanish-American, Mexican-American, and Mexican. These women speak together to create a history of Hispanas' experiences in the Southwest.

February 9

Neither Seen nor Heard: Children on the Frontier

Elliott West, Ph. D., of the University of Arkansas will give us insight into the lives of pioneer boys and girls. Children played an important role in frontier settlement, and they had their own perspective of what life was like during those years.

March 9

Annie Oakley: Creating the Cowgirl

During Women's History Month, Dr. Glenda Riley of Ball State University will explain how Annie Oakley was the first "cowgirl" in the United States and how she opened what were then called arenic sports - Wild West shows and rodeos - to women's participation.

April 13

The Second Great Encounter, Manifest Destiny, and the Black Legend

The Director of Santa Fe's Palace of the Governors, Thomas Chavez, Ph. D., will discuss the history of Hispanic stereotypes in the Southwest. Also, he will address the influence of sixteenth century Spain on settlement and independence in the Southwest.

All lectures are held at the Museum of the Southwest on the second Thursday evening of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. The cost of each lecture is \$5.00, \$3.00 for members. A ticket for the complete series is \$27.00, \$16.00 for members, and can be purchased on the first night of the series. The Fredde Turner Durham Children's Museum will be open the evenings of the lectures from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for the children of parents attending the lectures. Supervised play will be offered at no extra charge.

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Medicines harm children, study shows

Over-the-counter cold remedies often harm young children, rather than helping to cure them, a recent study shows.

N.Y. Times News Service

For parents, there is no greater impulse than the desire to make their children well when they are sick. And no illness has parents reaching for medicine more often than the common cold, a recent national survey found.

More than a third of 3-year-olds had been given an over-the-counter cough or cold drug in the month before the survey, The Journal of the American Medical Association reported earlier this fall.

The problem is that these preparations may do more harm than good. Even those made specially for children have never been tested for safety on them, and studies show not only that these drugs do not relieve children's cold symptoms but that they can make them

worse, causing side effects like drowsiness.

But even as parents rely heavily on conventional over-the-counter preparations, they are also turning in unprecedented numbers to alternative medicine, especially homeopathy, according to pediatricians, pharmacists and drug company executives.

"There has been a steady increase of about 30 percent a year of parents coming in and asking our advice on treating coughs, colds and flu in their children," said Jerry Hickey, a pharmacist and owner of Hickey Chemists in Manhattan, the largest supplier of homeopathic drugs on the East Coast.

"They're coming to us because they're unhappy with conventional treatments."

Parents who might have shied away from homeopathy just a few years ago are finding it less forbidding now that mainstream drugstores like Walgreen's and Thrifty are stocking over-the-counter homeopathic concoctions along with

the more familiar cough and cold medicines.

In addition, a few insurance companies, like Blue Cross of Washington and Alaska, have begun covering homeopathy and other kinds of alternative medicine, like acupuncture and naturopathy (the use of herbs, dietary changes and exercise to improve health), a sign that they are earning respect in the medical field.

Homeopathy is a technique that aims to stimulate the body's defenses against a specific illness or injury with minute amounts of agents — usually extracts of plants, minerals or animal tissue — that in large amounts produce the symptoms of that illness.

The market for homeopathic remedies, now about \$100 million, has been growing by about 25 percent a year, reports the National Center for Homeopathy, a trade association in Alexandria, Va., and industry research shows that when people first try homeopathy it is usually for their children.

Stabbing occurs in connection with newspaper strike

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — One security guard was stabbed and another was sprayed with a pepper-spray Tuesday while they guarded a distribution center during the seventh day of a strike by the city's two major newspapers.

As many as 30 people were picketing the newspaper distribution plant in Hayward when four men wearing masks attacked the guards' van just after midnight, said Lt. Charley Heitz of the Hayward police. No arrests have been made.

Joseph Long, 55, was hospitalized in good condition after the stabbing. David Donnelly, 56, was treated for minor injuries after being sprayed with a Mace-like substance.

Authorities believe the attack was strike-related, however union spokesman Steve Chin said there was no evidence strikers were involved.

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COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL — California at Southern California, 9 p.m., HSE.
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4-5A VOLLEYBALL — Amarillo Palo Duro d. Odessa Permian 15-11, 15-8.

Texas Scores

NBA — Houston Rockets 100, Cleveland Cavaliers 98.
Denver Nuggets 115, Dallas Mavericks 107.

UH in new league

NEW ORLEANS — Six schools are in line to form a new all-sports league, with some other universities waiting to join, according to the executive director of the College Football Association.

Chuck Neinas said that a Monday meeting in Chicago of the presidents of Southern Mississippi, Louisville, Memphis, Cincinnati and Houston was "very productive." The new league would begin play next year in all sports but Division I-A football. That would begin in 1998.

Tulane president Eamon Kelly participated in the conference by phone. He said the decision to form the league has to be approved by each school's governing board.

Neinas said he has good reason to be optimistic: The presidents who participated in the meeting already have discussed the new conference with their schools' governing boards and have given their commitment to the league.

"They look good," Neinas said. "They went through that process." If all schools that now have preliminary consent are authorized, the league would meet the NCAA conference minimum of six. Neinas said other schools have been invited to join, but refused to say who they were.

Reportedly asked to join were Marquette, DePaul, Alabama-Birmingham and St. Louis. Neinas wouldn't confirm or deny reports they were invited. Those four schools, like Cincinnati and Memphis, are in the Great Midwest Conference.

If Louisville, Tulane and Southern Miss move and South Florida and UNC-Charlotte are not invited, it would leave the Metro Conference with those two schools, plus Virginia Tech and Virginia Commonwealth.

Neinas said several college presidents met on Sept. 22 and announced their plan to create a new league that would maintain viable Division I-A football, support the tradition of the schools' basketball programs, improve all sports programs in the schools and "play a prominent role in national governance should there be NCAA restructuring," he said.

Rangers moves

ARLINGTON — Texas Rangers pitcher Jack Armstrong was offered outright assignment to the minor leagues on Tuesday.

The right-hander missed most of the season with a partial rotator cuff tear in his pitching shoulder. Before the injury, he was 0-1 with a 3.80 ERA in two starts in April.

As a player with five years' service, Armstrong has the right to refuse the assignment to Triple-A Oklahoma City of the American Association and become a free agent.

The Rangers also assigned pitcher Duff Brumley outright to Oklahoma City. In two appearances, the right-hander was 3-6 with a 18.20 ERA.

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Whew! Alvin will be OK

■ Wide receiver Alvin Harper's injury is not as serious as first thought as Dallas prepares for NFC-foe San Francisco on Sunday.

By Ira Berkow

N.Y. Times News Service

DALLAS — The desperation pass that the Cowboys launched on the final play of the first half against the Giants on Monday night turned out to be riskier than expected.

As a result, the Cowboys could be without one of their best players when they travel to San Francisco to play the 49ers on Sunday in an eagerly awaited rematch of their National Football League championship games the last two seasons.

Alvin Harper, a Cowboys' wide receiver who has been enjoying perhaps the best year of a superb career, soared high at the goal line under triple coverage for a 47-yard pass thrown by Troy Aikman. Harper came down without the ball, wrenched his left knee and was on crutches Tuesday, listed as doubtful for the 49er game.

The injury was initially thought to be a torn ligament, which could have ended the season for Harper. But a magnetic resonance imaging examination revealed only a sprain.

With their decisive 38-10 victory over the Giants, the Cowboys, two-time defending Super Bowl champions, are atop the league standings with an 8-1 record. But they will be facing a San Francisco team that is 7-2.

Asked about the Harper situation, Barry Switzer, the Dallas coach, said that Harper's loss would be a devastating blow but that the doctors had changed their diagnosis overnight and that he could return soon, maybe this week.

The play was controversial because the Cowboys believe that the Giants' rookie safety, Tito Wooten, hit Harper on the knee while Harper was in the air before he had touched the ball.

"He cheap-shot me," Harper said. The Giants contended that it was a fair play.

"My job is not to let him catch the ball," Wooten said.

Since no whistle was blown on the play, it seems the officials sided with the Giants. But a scuffle between the two teams broke out, with James Wash-

ington, a safety for the Cowboys, barging from the sideline, grabbing a monopod from a startled cameraman nearby and brandishing it.

"If they want to play ghetto football, we'll play ghetto football," Washington said after the game. "If they want to play technique football, we'll play technique football."

Harper said: "All I've got to tell them is the last game of the year somebody is going to get hurt."

The Cowboys play the Giants in Giants Stadium on Dec. 24, on the last weekend of the regular season.

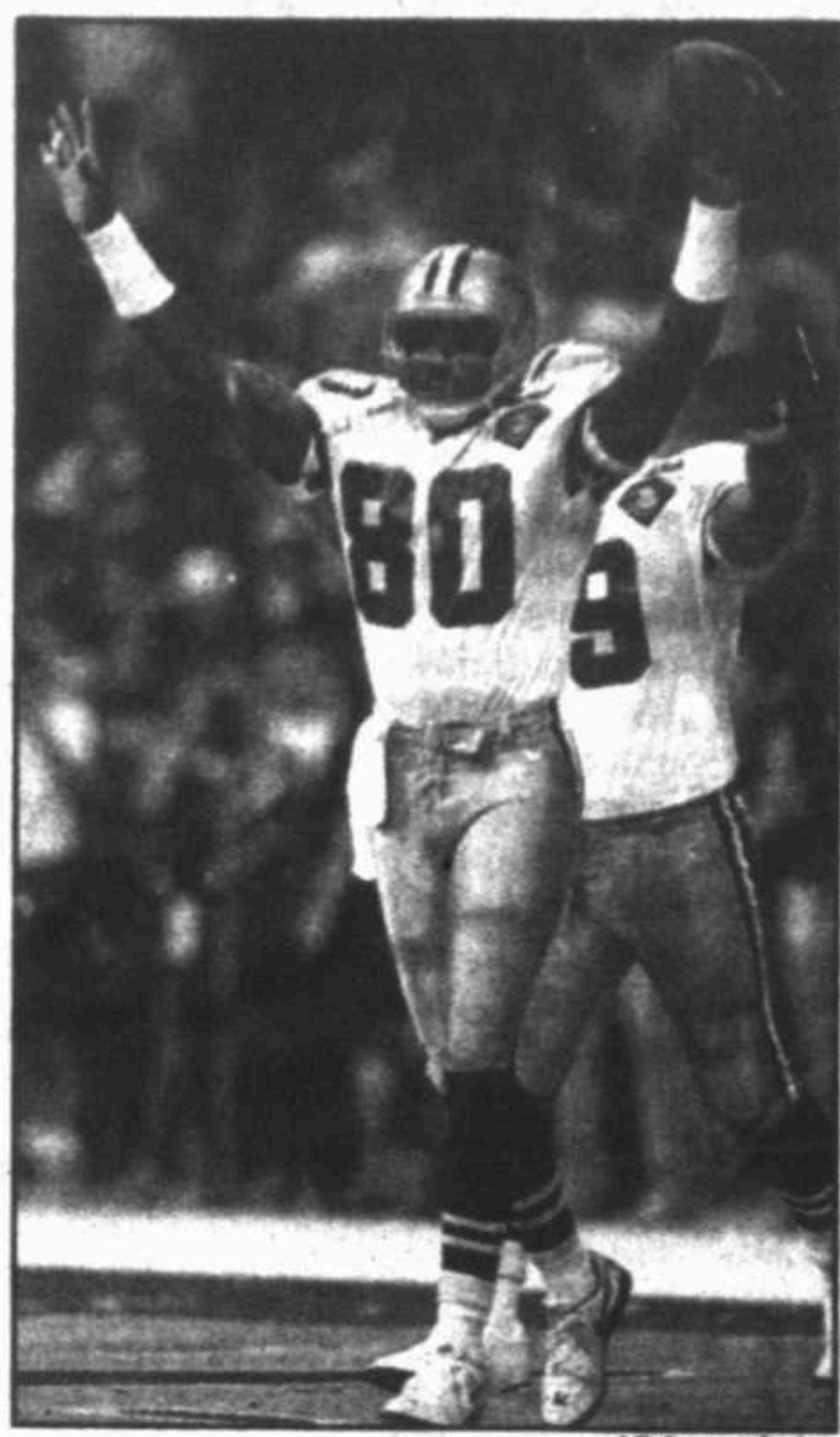
Harper is one of the best deep receivers in the NFL, leading the Cowboys with six touchdown receptions and ranking second in the league with an average of 23 yards a reception.

His replacement against the 49ers will be Kevin Williams, a second-year player.

"Let's face it," Switzer said, "he's no Alvin Harper."

Switzer said it also means that the 49ers will have ample opportunity to double the Cowboys' other standout wide receiver, Michael Irvin.

Two Cowboy rookies, Willie Jackson or Corry Fleming, will be elevated to the third receiver spot.



Switzer hopes Harper will be ready by Sunday.



With the emergence of Jeff Blake, former Houston Cougar David Klingler's status is uncertain in Cincinnati.

QB clouds Klingler's NFL future

By Joe Kay

AP Sports Writer

CINCINNATI — Now that Jeff Blake has caught the Cincinnati Bengals' imagination, what happens to David Klingler?

Klingler, the sixth player chosen in the 1992 draft, has at least temporarily lost the starting quarterback job to Blake, the 166th player taken in the same draft.

Even though Klingler would like to try to play with a sore knee, coach Dave Shula has announced Blake as the starter again Sunday against Houston. It will be the third consecutive start for Blake, who led the Bengals to their first win last Sunday in Seattle.

And there's no indication when Klingler might get his job back. Shula plans to decide his starter on a week to week basis, taking into account how well the team does with Blake at

Please see KLINGLER/5C

Perles to exit amid accusations

By Harry Atkins

AP Sports Writer

EAST LANSING, Mich. — George Perles, wiping away tears, was fired as Michigan State's football coach Tuesday, brought down by a former player who said some players were paid and had grades fixed.

University president Peter McPherson said Perles would coach the team's last two games of the season. The Spartans (4-5) play Purdue on Saturday and at Penn State on Nov. 26.

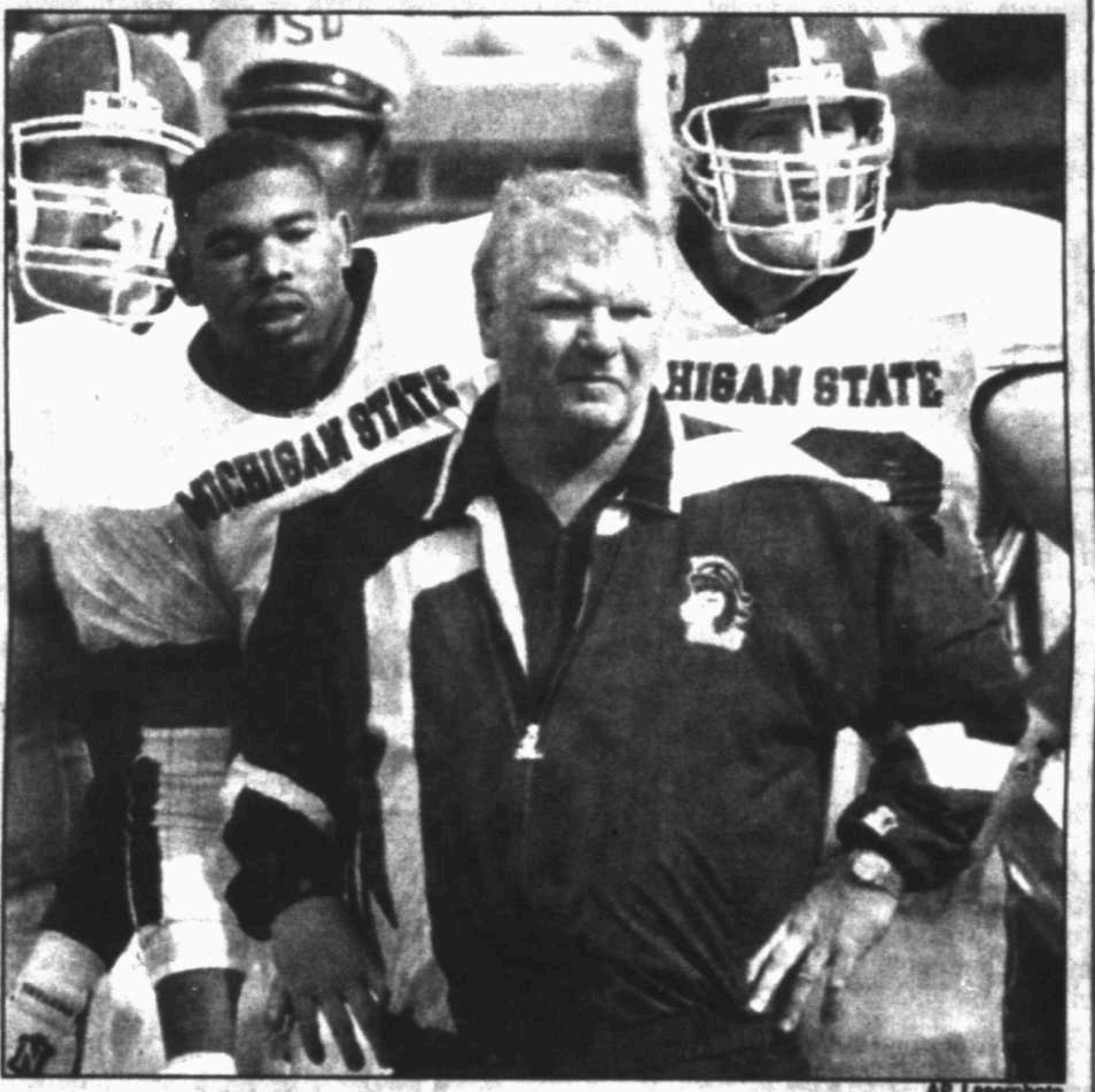
Perles, 59, who has three years remaining on his contract, was asked to resign. He refused and it will cost the university about \$1.3 million to buy out his contract.

"I'm confident we can come to an agreement," McPherson said at campus news conference. "George will be loyal. The fact that he's here today is proof of that."

Perles agreed he will always be "a son of Michigan State," but was clearly upset by his dismissal.

"Is this in the best interest of Michigan State? There's two sides to that," he said. "I have a lot of energy left and would still like to coach. But, I'm not being given that chance. I don't want to create any

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George Perles will depart Michigan State after 12 seasons.

4 city spikers receive first-team honors

Staff Report

Odessa Permian, who swept through District 4-5A volleyball play with a 12-0 record, dominated the top honors and the first team of the all-district list released Tuesday. Midland Lee senior Roseann Sullivan was the only Tall City athlete to receive one of the five top honors.

Permian seniors Angie Brazier and Macheic Crawford were voted to the most valuable player and outstanding defensive player awards respectively while coach Linda McMillan was awarded coach of the year. Lee's Sullivan, a senior, was honored as the outstanding setter of the district.

Odessa High, who placed third in district play with a 7-5 record, was led by senior Donelle Jones, who was named outstanding hitter. Midland High, who finished second in league play with an 8-4 mark, did not garner a top selection.

The Lady Dawgs, however, did get recognized on the first team. Elisabeth Mathiasen, a senior foreign exchange student from Norway, and Toya Zachery, a junior two-year starter, were awarded first team honors. MHS and PHS both had two players named to the first team with the Lady Panther seniors Becky Athey and Linda Castillejos getting recognized. Odessa's Rachel Pena was the only other player from a playoff team to make the first team.

Rounding out the first team was Lee senior Emily Hayes, Abilene High senior April McCullough, San Angelo Central senior Jessica Cajas and Abilene Cooper senior LaQuinta Pollard.

Zachery was the only junior named to the first-team squad. Among Second team selections were senior Elaine Salgado

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

District 4-5A stands still on last day

You just knew District 4-5A's final night of regular season football action was going to produce some strange results.

By 4:30 p.m., while on the road to San Angelo for the Midland High-Central contest, the car had driven through sunny weather, high winds that almost made it impossible to keep the car on the road, a huge dust storm, a lightning display, light rain, heavy rain, hail and into the sun again.

By game time, it was raining again across all the District 4-5A realm. And the teams erupted with what could arguably be called the wildest 4-5A finish in 4-5A history.

Odessa Permian knocked off No. 1 state ranked Abilene Cooper with a 31-16 shocker, sending shock waves across the state and completing the Randy Mayes' re-make of the Panthers after a 2-3 start to the season. And, as usual, another undisputed Mojo 4-5A championship.

Midland High went from 0-10 a year ago to 5-5 this season with a 26-0 dismantling of the San Angelo Bobcats. The victory was so complete that you actually

felt like MHS belonged in this crazy district race. It was by far the best overall showing by a Bulldog team since 1989 when the Pack was 9-1 and tri-champs in 4-5A.

When that game was over, it looked as if Midland High had knocked Midland Lee out of the playoffs, but news from Abilene was the wildest news yet. OHS held a 6-0 lead over last place Abilene High from the first quarter until three minutes left in the game when Eagle Rickey Holmes became Lee's most valuable player of the year, catching a seven-yard touchdown pass from John Lackey, Lee's second most valuable player. That put Lee back in the playoffs.

It was a strange ending, but it was the perfect one as far as Midland athletic director Tim Whalen was concerned.

Whalen wasn't thrilled with the possibility that a Midland High victory would eliminate Midland Lee from the playoffs. That was one of those no-win situations for a local athletic director, who wanted both the .500 season for MHS and another playoff berth for Lee.

On Friday morning, Whalen said, "You have to pull for Midland High to get that fifth win. It would be perfect if Midland could be San Angelo and Abilene High beat Odessa High. Nah, that's too much to hope for. I guess we'll just have to let this play itself out

and accept whatever result comes."

Well, Whalen is all smiles these days. He got both wishes. It just took the weirdest finish in 4-5A history to turn the trick.

And the district has had some weird finishes. In 1982, there was that four-way tie for second place when Midland High upset Midland Lee on the final night of 4-5A play. However, San Angelo won the coin flip, leaving both Midland schools at home.

Then there was 1983 when Lee lost to Abilene Cooper and got on the bus thinking that they were out of the playoffs. They didn't know that Odessa High was going to score late to beat San Angelo and put Lee back in the playoffs. Lee just happened to go to the state finals for a 13-3 season.

And, of course, there was the 1989 season when Permian, Lee and Midland High all tied for first place with 5-1 records. Permian and Lee won the three-way coin flip at a local truck stop while Midland High stayed home.

But I don't think we shall ever see a stranger finish than Friday night's three-way upset special. There was no coin flip drama, but it was a day that the world of District 4-5A seemed to stand still.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Hakeem breaks team record in win

Associated Press

CLEVELAND — Hakeem Olajuwon became the leading scorer in Rockets history, and his baseline jumper with 3.1 seconds left gave Houston a 100-98 victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers on Tuesday night.

Olajuwon scored 21 points with 12 rebounds, seven blocks and six assists as the Rockets won their third straight game, spoiling Cleveland's regular-season debut at new Gund Arena.

Olajuwon's ninth point of the night — a foul shot with 10:32 left in the third quarter — gave him 17,950 in his career, putting him ahead of Calvin Murphy for the top spot in team history. The crowd gave him a standing ovation.

But his real heroics were yet to come. The Cavs stormed back from a 14-point deficit in the final six minutes, running off 14 straight points to tie it 94-94 on John Williams' baseline jumper with 1:19 left. Olajuwon stopped that run with a baseline shot.

Cleveland tied it again at 98 when Mark Price sank an off-balance 3-pointer with 20 seconds to go.

Olajuwon, however, took a pass from Sam Cassell on the left baseline, spun and shot a 15-footer over Williams for the winning points with 3.1 seconds left. Price missed a desperate, off-balance 3-pointer at the buzzer.

Nuggets 115, Mavericks 107
DALLAS — Dikembe Mutombo had a triple-double and Rodney Rogers scored 28 points, leading Denver past Dallas.

The Nuggets outscored the Mavs 31-18 at the start of the fourth quarter to turn a tie game into a 111-98 advantage. Jim Jackson led a late charge by Dallas, scoring seven straight points to help the Mavericks draw to 111-107 with 40 seconds left.

But Robert Pack then converted

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four free throws over a 5-second span to wrap up the scoring.

Mutombo dominated inside with 12 points, 14 rebounds and 11 blocked shots.

Warriors 121, Heat 114
OAKLAND, Calif. — Latrell Sprewell scored 13 of his 29 points in the fourth quarter and Golden State won its third straight game, defeating winless Miami.

Glen Rice had 31 points for the Heat and Kevin Willis, traded to Miami from the Atlanta Hawks on Monday, had 34 points and 12 rebounds. The Heat didn't even have time to sew Willis' name on his jersey before the game.

The Warriors joined the Houston Rockets as the only NBA teams with three wins so far this season.

Nicks 117, Lakers 113
NEW YORK — John Starks scored 15 of his 23 points in the decisive third quarter, leading New York to a victory over the Lakers.

New York, which entered the final period with a three-point lead, built it to 10, but the Lakers came back to cut it to 112-109 with 51 seconds left on a pair of free throws by Vlade Divac.

Patrick Ewing, who led New York with 24 points and seven blocks, hit two foul shots with 13 seconds left to preserve the victory. Hubert Davis added 15 points.

Nick Van Exel, who scored a career-high 35 points in the Lakers' season opener, had 26. George Lynch had 20 points, and Cedric Ceballos added 22 with 14 rebounds.

Pistons 126, Timberwolves 112
AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Joe Dumars tied the NBA record for most 3-pointers in a game, making 10 and scoring 40 points as Detroit beat Minnesota.

Dumars made 10 of 18 3-point attempts and all 10 of his foul shots.



Houston forward Otis Thorpe (33) forces Cleveland's Tyrone Hill into a turnover during the first half of the Rockets win over Cleveland in the home opener for the Cavaliers at their new arena.

He missed his only two-point attempt.

He tied the record set by Brian Shaw of the Miami Heat against Milwaukee on April 3, 1993. Shaw set the record from behind the old 3-point line, which ex-

tended as far as 23 feet, 9 inches from the basket. The line was moved this season to a uniform 22 feet.

Grant Hill had 22 points for the Pistons on 10-of-11 shooting, mostly dunks.

NBA teams fine tune squads in first week

Associated Press

MILWAUKEE — Free agent center Todd Mundt was signed to a one-year contract and guard Danny Young was waived by the Milwaukee Bucks, the team announced Tuesday.

The Bucks' roster includes the NBA minimum of 11 active players, with Eric Murdock and Roy Hinson on the injured list.

Celtics
Boston forward Dino Radja signed a contract extension, ending concerns he would leave the team after this season for a lucrative European offer.

One day after saying, "I'm not optimistic," Radja agreed to the multiyear extension beginning with the 1996-97 season. The amount and length of the deal were not disclosed.

Radja, 27, had two years left on his contract with an escape clause after this season. The Celtics could have matched any offer he received from another NBA team but couldn't have stopped him from leaving for a team overseas.

Two Greek teams reportedly were ready to give Radja rich deals. One report estimated a \$7 million annual salary. Marc Fleisher, Radja's agent had said Radja would sign with a European team if no extension was agreed to by Tuesday.

The deadline resulted from the no-strike, no-lockout deal agreed to by the NBA and its players association. That deal prevents players from renegotiating after 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Radja, whose contract pays \$2.1 million this season and \$2.6

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million next season, had made it clear he would prefer to stay with the Celtics although Fleisher said it would be difficult to pass up the European opportunity.

Radja had a disappointing start in Boston's first two games of the season, both losses, and admitted the contract negotiations were a distraction.

Radja has averaged 13 points and nine rebounds per game. He started all eight preseason games, averaging 21.4 points and 8.5 rebounds. As an NBA rookie last season, he was second on the team with 15.1 points per game and the leader with 577 rebounds.

Boston drafted Radja in the second round in 1989. He played three seasons in Europe before signing with the Celtics on July 9, 1993.

He won two Olympic silver medals in 1988 with Yugoslavia and 1992 with Croatia.

Cavaliers
Cleveland extended the contract of Terrell Brandon, who is the team's reserve point guard behind Mark Price.

Terms of the deal were not announced.

Brandon, 24, was Cleveland's first-round draft pick out of Oregon in the 1991 NBA draft. He missed the first nine games last year with mononucleosis and then averaged 8.3 points in 73 games.

Brandon led the Cavaliers in scoring during the preseason, scoring 17.2 points a game.

HONORS: Midlanders dot all-district team

(From 1C)

and junior Jamee Stennett of Midland High along with Kristen Dunn, a senior for Lee. Those making the honorable mention list from the Tall City were Lady Rebel juniors Amber Willis and Jennifer Walters along with seniors Jennifer Allen and Heather Klein from MHS.

The team is compiled by the district's coaches at the end of the district schedule but is not released until the seasons for all three play-off teams are over. The coaches nominate but cannot vote for their own players.

4-5A All-District Volleyball Superlatives
Most Valuable Player — Angie Brazier, Sr., Odessa Permian.
Outstanding Hitter — Danielle Jones, Sr., Odessa High.
Outstanding Setter — Roseann Sullivan, Sr., Midland Lee.
Outstanding Defensive Player — Machele Crawford, Sr., Permian.
Coach of the Year — Linda McMillan, Permian.
First Team
April McCullough, Sr., Odessa High; Emily Hayes, Sr., Lee; Elizabeth Mathiasen, Sr., Midland High; Becky Alley, Sr., Permian; Jessica Cates, Sr., San Angelo Central; Linda Castiglione, Sr., Permian; Rachel Pene, Sr., Odessa; Tanya Zachary, Jr., Midland; LaQuita Pollard, Sr., Abilene Cooper.
Second Team
Blaine Salgado, Sr., Midland; Kelly Armstrong, Sr., Abilene; Jessie McCartney, Jr., Odessa; Rachel



Mathiasen
Munoz, Sr., Odessa; Kristen Smith, Sr., Lee; Jill Williams, Jr., Cooper; Pam Tribue, Sr., Central; Whitney Rausch, Jr., Cooper; Allison Turney, Jr., Permian; Shelby Simpson, Sr., Permian; Jamee Stennett, Jr., Midland; Jaime Armit, Sr., Central.
Honorable Mention
Tasha Newman, Sr., Abilene; Sara O'Shea, Sr., Abilene; Erin Argo, Sr., Central; Jana Caussey, Sr., Central; Renee Ertel, Sr., Cooper; Ashley Allen, Sr., Cooper; Amber Willis, Jr., Lee; Kasey Walters, Jr., Lee; Jennifer Allen, Sr., Midland; Heather Klein, Sr., Midland; Maria Del Moral, Sr., Odessa; Linda Garcia, Sr., Odessa; Shelby Reeves, Sr., Permian; B.J. Brown, Sr., Permian.

Palo Duro knocks off PHS spikers

LUBBOCK — Amarillo Palo Duro knocked off its second District 4-5A team in the span of a week as it defeated league champion Odessa Permian 15-11, 15-8 in the Class 5A regional quarterfinals at the Coronado Gymnasium here Tuesday.

Permian ends its season 23-7 while Palo Duro, 21-10, advances to the Region 1-5A Tournament Friday at Abilene Christian University.

After losing the first game, Permian led 5-0 in the second game before Palo Duro took over the game and the match.

Palo Duro defeated Midland High in straight sets in the bi-district round of the playoffs last week.

Gridder loses leg after injury

HATTIESBURG, Miss. (AP) — Doctors have amputated the lower portion of defensive end Jamie McPherson's right leg due to complications from a knee injury in Southern Mississippi's game last month against Samford.

McPherson, a fifth-senior from Grand Saline, Texas, underwent surgery Monday and was reported in stable condition Tuesday in the intensive care unit of Methodist Hospital.

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

New York	2
Washington	2
Orlando	2
Boston	0
Miami	0
New Jersey	0
Philadelphia	0
Central Division	2
Indiana	2
Minnesota	2
Chicago	2
Cleveland	2
Detroit	0
Charlotte	0
Atlanta	0

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Houston	3
Utah	3
Denver	2
Dallas	1
San Antonio	0
Minnesota	0
Pacific Division	2
Golden State	2
Portland	2
Sacramento	1
Seattle	1
Phoenix	1
L.A. Lakers	0
L.A. Clippers	0

Tuesday's Games

New York 117, L.	114
Detroit 120, M.	115
Houston 100, C.	94
Denver 115, D.	111
Golden State 121	

Wednesday's Games

Houston at Indiana	
Chicago at New J.	
Washington at Phil.	
Orlando at Charlotte	
L.A. Lakers at Minn.	
Utah at San Antonio	
Atlanta at Phoenix	
Sacramento at Sea.	

Nuggets 115, Mavericks 107

DENVER (115)	
12-15 34-26, M.	
Pack 2-6 5-10, S.	
D.Ella 1-5 0-3, H.	
7, Abdul-Rauf 3-8 2-2	
3-14, Livingston 0-2	
1-0-0, Totals 41-74	
DALLAS (107)	
11-16, W.L. Williams 2-5	
12-1-5, Jackson 12	
Hodge 2-4 0-0-5, D.	
Harris 2-3 2-2, T.	
Dumas 0-3 0-0-0, W.	
Totals 39-103 23-29	
Denver 28 28	
Dallas 26 28	
3-Point goals—Den-	
1-1, Rogers 1-2, D.Ella	
Rauf 0-1, Rose 0-1, R.	
Dallas 6-18 (Jackson 2	
2-6, Hodge 1-1, Harris	
1, Smith 0-1, Kidd 0-1	
out—Hodge, Rebound	
52 (Mutombo 14), D.	
15, Asatids-Denver 2	
Dallas 23 (Ruff 6), Tot	
ver 27, Dallas 28, 3	
Pack, Denver illegal	
Hodge, Davis, Dallas 6	
A-12, 526.	

Rockets 100, Cavaliers 98

HOUSTON (100)	
Horry 4-9 2-2 13, Th	
16, Olajuwon 8-15 5-5	
7-18 0-17, Smith 2-4 0	
4-11 0-9, Harris 2-2 0	
7-1-15, Totals 39-75	
CLEVELAND (98)	
Mills 7-12 2-4 18, H	
Williams 6-10 4-7 16, Ph	
16, Price 4-14 1-1 12, B	
1-2 18, Capps 4-6 0-2 8	
4-0-2, Drilling 0-1 0-0	
0-0-0, Totals 38-88 15-	
Houston 27 19	
Cleveland 14 34	
3-Point goals—Hous	
Horry 3-8, Marshall 3-5	
Smith 1-1, Cassell 1-2, C	
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land 48 (Williams 10),	
Houston 29 (Cassell 9),	
26 (Phila, Price, Brand	
fouls—Houston 22, Cle	
Technical—Houston leg	
2, Eise, Thorpe, Will	
20, 562.	

Nicks 117, Lakers 113

L.A. LAKERS (113)	
Ceballos 6-22 10-13 22	
17-3-6 21, Divac 3-14 7-4	
6-14 2-2 15, Van Exel 7	
Brown 2-8 2-2 8, Pester	
Thraust 3-7 0-0 6, Miller	
Totals 37-101 33-42 112	
NEW YORK (117)	
Oakley 4-8 4-6 12, C.S.	
0-14, Ewing 6-14 12-14	
4-6 2-2 12, Starks 9-17	
son 3-5 0-2 14, M.Lee	
0, Davis 6-11 0-0 15, Ant	
0-3, H.Williams 0-2 0-0	
75 28-38 117.	
L.A. Lakers 33 34	
New York 29 27 47	
3-Point goals—Los An	
(Van Exel 5-8, Jones 1-1	
0-1, Divac 0-2, Thraust	
York 9-20 (Starks 3-6,	
Harper 3-4, Anthony 1-1	
out—C.Smith, Rebound	
goals 51 (Ceballos 14), N	
(Oakley 12), Asatids—L	
21 (Van Exel 7), New	
(Harper 8), Total foul	
ies 30, New York 28, T	
Los Angeles illegal 0,	
Harper, Mason, Flagn	
Starks, A-19,763.	

Pistons 126, Wolves 112

MINNESOTA (112)	
D.West 4-9 4-4 12, La	
7-7 2-4, King 6-11 5-8 17	
0-0-7, Rider 7-17 2-4 16,	
4-4-6, Marshall 5-15 4-6	
0-1 0-0 8, Rooks 1-2 0-5 8	
0-4-4, Jones 2-5 0-0-4,	
0-0-0, Totals 37-82 35-	
DETROIT (126)	
Hill 10-11 2-3 22, M	
M.West 3-5 0-0 6, Hunt	
Dumars 10-19 10-10 40,	
0-7, Addison 4-7 2-2 10,	
2-2 9, Curley 1-2 0-2, M	
3-14, Houston 0-1 0-0 0, 1	
0-0-0, Totals 40-88 20-	
Minnesota 32 30	
Detroit 32 30	

3-Point goals—Minn

(Laethier 1-1, Smith 1-1	
4, D.West 0-1, Rider 0-3,	
25 (Dumars 10-16, M	
ins 1-1, Mason 1-1, H	
Addison 0-1, Hill 0-1), F	
Norie, Rebounds—M	
(Laethier, Rider 10),	
(Hunt, Addison 8), A	
rescue 20 (Rider 7), De	
er 9), Total foul—M	
Detroit 32, Technical	
illegal defense 3, Dep	
lense 2, A-13,424.	

Warriors 121, Heat 114

MIAMI (114)	
Owens 3-6 2-2 8, P	
31, Willis 9-21 5-8 24,	
10-12 16, Eackles 6-13 2	
ble 4-7 0-0 8, Salfy	
Reeves 3-8 0-0 7, G	
Totals 41-87 28-30 114	
GOLDEN STATE (121)	
Gattling 4-6 0-1 8, P	
15, Salfy 3-8 3-6 9, H	
19 2-2 19, Sprewell 10	
Alexander 5-8 1-2 11, P	
0-2, Jennings 4-6 4-8 14	
3-14, Higgins 0-0 0-0	
88 25-32 121.	
Miami 29 30	
Golden State 39 27	
3-Point goals—Miami	
3-4, Willis 1-3, Eackles 1	
1-5, Gamble 0-1, Coles 0	
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Allen keeps mum about Simpson case to team

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Marcus Allen, reportedly to be questioned by Los Angeles police in connection with the O.J. Simpson case, has not spoken with the Kansas City Chiefs about his possible involvement.

"It's a personal matter," Chiefs coach Marty Schottenheimer said Tuesday. "I'm sure if it's a concern with Marcus, he will address it with me. But, no, he hasn't (brought it up)."

Allen, a longtime friend of Simpson's, has refused to answer questions about the case since it broke last summer with the slayings of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman.

Allen, who signed with the Chiefs last year after an 11-year career with the Los Angeles Raiders, was mentioned in the note Simpson left behind before his arrest.

Simpson is charged with killing his ex-wife and her friend. Opening statements in his trial are expected in January.

ESPN, quoting unidentified sources close to the investigation, said California authorities would interview Allen in Kansas City, possibly by Tuesday. ESPN also

said Johnnie Cochran, one of Simpson's attorneys, said Allen was on the list of witnesses he intended to call.

But a team spokesman called the report "pulp fiction." "We do not know of anyone coming here to talk to Marcus," said Chiefs spokesman Bob Moore, who declined further comment.

Schottenheimer said he hadn't discussed the matter with the team.

ESPN's report didn't disclose the nature of the police inquiry.

Messages left Tuesday for Allen representatives John and Ed Hookstratten, as well as those left for Cochran and lead defense attorney Robert Shapiro, weren't immediately returned.

Officer Don Cox, a Los Angeles Police Department spokesman, said: "As always we will have no comment on any aspect of the investigation."

Officer Jim Dickerson, a Kansas City police spokesman, said he hadn't heard anything about the LAPD being in the city or planning to come to the city.

Allen, 34, revitalized his career last season and led the AFC with 15 touchdowns.

NBA Standings

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

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New York 2 0 1.000 0

Washington 2 0 1.000 0

Boston 1 1 0.500 1

Orlando 1 1 0.500 1

Philadelphia 0 3 0.000 2 1/2

Central Division

Indiana 2 0 1.000 0

Chicago 2 0 1.000 0

Minnesota 2 0 1.000 0

Cleveland 1 1 0.500 1

Charlotte 2 0 1.000 0

Atlanta 0 3 0.000 2 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

Houston 3 0 1.000 0

Utah 2 1 0.667 1

Dallas 1 1 0.500 1

Denver 1 1 0.500 1

San Antonio 1 1 0.500 1

Portland 1 1 0.500 1

Seattle 1 1 0.500 1

Phoenix 1 1 0.500 1

LA Lakers 1 1 0.500 1

LA Clippers 2 0 1.000 0

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Sacramento at Seattle, 9 p.m.

Nuggets 115, Mavs 107

R. Williams 4-10-10-17, Rogers

12-15-3-4-26, M. Williams 4-6-7-12

Peak 2-6-10-10, Smith 6-10-10-10

D. Ellis 1-5-0-0-3, Hammond 3-4-1-2

7, Abdul-Razak 3-8-2-2-8, Rose 6-9-2

3-14, Livingston 0-0-0-0-0, Slater 0

0-0-0, Totals 41-74 30-42 115

DALLAS (107)

Marshall 21-5-6-21, Jones 8-16

0-1-15, L. Williams 2-6-0-4, Kidd 2

12-1-1-5, Jackson 12-26 11-15-37

Hodges 2-4-0-5, Davis 3-2-2-8

Harris 2-3-2-7, Smith 1-6-2-2-4

Dumars 0-3-0-0-0, W. Williams 0-2-4

23-39-103 23-29-107

Denver 32 24 34 35-116

Dallas 28 29 31 29-183

3-Point goals—Denver 3-11 (Pack

1-1, Rogers 1-2, D. Ellis 1-2, Abdul-

Razak 0-1, Rose 0-1, R. Williams 0-4)

Dallas 6-18 (Jackson 2-3, Marshall

2-6, Hodges 1-1, Harris 1-2, Jones 0

1, Smith 0-1, Kidd 0-4), Fouled

out—Hodges, Reynolds—Denver

52 (Mumford 14), Dallas 63 (Jones

15), Assists—Denver 22 (Pack 6),

Dallas 23 (Ridd 6), Total fouls—Den-

ver 27, Dallas 28, Technicals—

Pack, Denver illegal defense,

McGuire, Dallas illegal defense,

A-12,528

Rockets 100, Cavs 98

Houston (100)

Hayes 4-8-2-13, Thorpe 6-8-4-5

16, Olajuwon 8-15-5-21, Maxwell

7-18-0-17, Smith 2-5-0-5, Cassell

1-11-0-9, Harrell 2-2-0-4, Elie 6-

7-1-15, Totals 39-75 2-13 100

CLEVELAND (98)

Mills 7-12-2-4, Hill 2-3-3-7

Williams 6-10-4-16, Phillips 6-15-4

16, Price 4-14-1-12, Brandon 6-15

1-2, R. C. 4-8-0-8, Campbell 1-

0-0-2, Drilling 0-1-0-0, Ferry 0-2

0-0-0, Totals 38-82 15-23 98

Houston 27 19 34 24-100

Cleveland 27 23 30 24-100

3-Point goals—Houston 10-19

(Harris 3-6, Maxwell 3-8, Elie 2-2,

Smith 1-1, Cassell 1-2, Campbell 0-2)

Dallas 14 (Price 3-8, Brandon 2-7,

14 Price 3-8, Brandon 2-7, Brandon

2-7), Fouled out—None, Rebounds—

Houston 41 (Olajuwon 12), Cleve-

land 48 (Williams 10), Assists—

Houston 29 (Cassell 9), Cleveland

26 (Phillips, Price, Brandon 7), Total

ouls—Houston 32, Cleveland 17,

Technicals—Houston illegal defense

2, Elie, Thorpe, Williams, A-

20,562

Knicks 117, Lakers 113

LA LAKERS (113)

Cassell 6-22-10-13-22, Lynch 9-

17-3-6-21, Davis 3-14-7-13, Jones

6-14-2-15, Van E. 7-14-7-9-26

Bowen 2-6-2-6, P. Williams 0-0-0

Thurston 2-7-0-6, Miller 0-1-0-0

Totals 37-101 33-43 113

NEW YORK (117)

Cassell 4-8-4-12, C. Smith 7-9-0

0-14, Ewing 6-14-12-24, Harper

4-6-2-12, Starks 9-17-2-23, Miller

3-6-12-14, Starks 9-17-2-23, Miller

3-6-12-14, Starks 9-17-2-23, Miller

3-6-12-14, Starks 9-17-2-23, Miller

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HOUSTON (1-7, 1-3, 5 WC) at TEXAS (5-4, 2-3 SWC), 12 Noon (CST), Raycom regional telecast — Texas and Houston first met in 1963 with a 26-7 TV victory for the Longhorns. The Cougars' first appearance in the Longhorn-Warhorse offense. Their next facelift came in 1976 when the Cougars began SWC action. Three of their 11 all-time wins over the Cougars came in the SWC. The Cougars' last SWC win was in '81's 34-16 triumph at the Astrodome on ESPN. The coaches: UH's Tom Holt is 2-16-1 (second year), Texas' Houston coach is 1-1-1 (third year). The Longhorns' 1981-82 10-2 bowl season was a head coach, UH's John Mackovic is 60-50-2 (10th year) overall, 16-4-1 (third season) with the Horns. 11-8 in SWC. The Cougars' 1981-82 10-2 bowl season was a head coach, Helton and Mackovic spent simultaneous seasons in the NFL. The UH boss was a 10-year assistant with five pro teams from 1963-92 while Mackovic was a 1963-66 first-round pick of the Houston Oilers. 1963-66, both worked on staffs with Rice's Ken Hatfield as fellow assistants (Helton at Florida and Mackovic at Army). The teams: The Cougars have had a 10-1 record in 11 1st-round games, but have had a 1-2 record to make a big push in the final three games. Bowl tries on the line for the Longhorns, who also received bids in a 4-year-old Biletnick Cup. The Cougars' AAM last year. Key individuals: Cougars' freshman RB Jay McGuire has notched career highs of 77 yards rushing each against TCU and Baylor, respectively, in 1982. Cougars' QB Steve Watson (100 yards rushing, 2 touchdowns) has been one of the SWC's top run support defenders. DE Dedric Mathis (73 stops, five PBU) has made strides in '84. Texas' RB Rodrick Walker (110 yards rushing, 10 carries) has been one of the SWC's top while WR Curtis Jackson (averaging 15.9 yards each time he touches the ball with 49 plays for 776 yards) is ninth in SWC all-purpose yardage. DE Darrin Smith (100 stops) is the SWC's top cover in this category. Incidentally: Houston scored its initial win in the series 30-0 in 1976 while the Cougars also had a winning record vs. UH in 1967 (60-40) and 1968 (68-15).

SOUTH-WESTERN LOUISIANA (5-4) TEXAS (4-4, 3-2 SWC), 1 p.m. (CST) — The series: This is the initial meeting between the Ragin' Cajuns' College of the Big West Conference and the SWC's Red Raiders. The Cajuns have won two of their last three games by opposition. Saturday's tilt marks Texas' fourth and final non-loop game of the scheduled campaign. Two other opponents are left: Baylor and Oklahoma State. The Cajuns will begin their AP national survey, which begins at 16th or earlier in the AP national survey. The coaches: LSU's Nelson Stottlemyre is 47-49-1 (ninth year, all in Cajun Country) overall, 0-0 against Texas Tech. The Red Raiders coach, Tommy Bowden, is 48-49-1 — a 63-7 loss at Houston in 1992 and a 34-7 split defeat at Rice in 1991, and 0-0 in bowl games. Texas Tech's Mike Dylkes is 42-42-1 (ninth year, all with the Red Raiders). He has a 1-0 record against LSU and 1-2 in bowl games. Sports, a stand-out back for LSU and the Tigers' 1995 Cotton Bowl MVP, says he would like to play for the Ragin' Cajuns. Lafayette, La., as a first-year Cajuns' coach. Dylkes coached his first game as a college manager in Louisiana during the 1985 when the Red Raiders played at the University of Louisiana at Shreveport. The teams: Bowdler hopes are on the line for both squads in the high-priced contest at Jones Stadium. The Red Raiders have aggressive styles of defense and offense which talk opponents into complacency before striking with great precision. Key individuals: In 1993, 200-plus career tackles and WR Don Richards (35 catches, 635 yards) are A-Big West Conference candidates for the Louisville Posthumous Award. The Ragin' Cajuns have interceptions which have led to 18 points; jump-starts the defense along with O-LB Marcus Coleman (two interception returns for TDs, four scores); RBs Jeffery Thomas (100 yards) and 113 carries; 200 yards rushing, 28 tries for 111 vs. Texas.) has asserted himself behind blockers such as center Scott Fitzgerald. Even to face The Ragin' Cajuns in football. The

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FORT WORTH (AP) — District officials kicked Boyd out of the Class 3A playoffs Tuesday because of an eligibility question over a player's age.

victories, head coaching seasons, and bowl appearances. He's one of 10 coaches to guide their Division I-A schools to bowl berths. The teams: This regional season has major Bowl Cotton bowl implications. The Bears are the only team to have won that Nov. 28 clash the Owls toppled Baylor 42-19 to finish tied with Texas a game ahead of the Bears and to advance to meet Big Star-laden Alabama in the Cotton Bowl. The Bears' only individual record is VanDyke enters the list with 74 consecutive PATs in the for the third-longest streak in SWC annals. LB LaCura has 10 interceptions, 10 sacks, 10 fumbles, 10 stops, three interceptions, 120 return yards and has been enjoying all-star seasons. Owls' DB Jeff Sowaldy (47 tackles, five fumbles forced) leads RB Russell (100 yards, 10 touchdowns) and RB Spencer (100 yards against Texas Tech) is a playmaker. RB Spencer George (142 carries, 619 yards, 143 against T-Tech) quietly has been the most consistent. The Bears' QB is incidentally: Rice nabbed 3-9 all-star contests from BU in 1969-92 before Baylor failed 38-14 in '93. The 1967 and '92 games were decided by the score, 19-17 and 17-16, while Baylor prevailed by 92, both by 34-31 counts.

TEXAS A&M (9-1, 5-0-1 SWC) **SECURE** Set below for complete series standings by the Cardinals against SWC schools. U of L has been active in SWC circles over the years, but has not been invited to the conference since Sept. 10, 4-2-7 defeat at the hands of Texas A&M in 1959. Now, 1963, and a 1963 triumph over Texas at Carnegie Stadium 41-10. Houston's six games in the SWC are all wins. The coaches: A&M's R.C. Slocum is 57-12-2 (both year, all in Aggieland) overall, 38-4-2 in SWC overall. U of L's Howard Schnellenberger is 94-7-2 (15th year) overall, 54-5-2 (10th season) with the Cardinals. The Cardinals are the only team in the SWC's Division I (1,000, 1,000) since the first SWC coach to take teams to three consecutive undefeated seasons (1981-83) in the last three years. The Cardinals have won 10 of 11 games and Alabama legend Paul Bryant from 1961-65 at Tlams and with the Los Angeles Rams from 1965-69 are making their visit to Cardinal Stadium but have been a reliable road club. The Aggies are 21-8-1 in their last three road tests. Look for a new advance in the Cardinals' defense for the Aggies' most offensive after failing to Boston College in the Thurs., Nov. 3, ESPN telecast. Key individuals: Aggie QB Steve Watson (100 yards, 1 TD) and RB (100 yards, 1 TD) is on track to have his top upward season in 1963. Look for TD losses: LB Antonio Armstrong (41 A&M, sec. FLA) has been the Aggies' best player. Aggie RB SWC-76, 75 yards for 1 TD. Aggie RB SWC-86 RB Rodney Thomas (163 rushes, 786 yards, SWC-high 14 TDs) and LB Reggie Graham (team-high 69 hits) are the Cardinals' best players. The Cardinals (1962 yards) has national notation while punter Brandon Brookfield (41.9 average) is among the best in the nation. The Cardinals' defense is the best in the nation. The Cardinals' defense is the best in the nation. It is a hit-and-run U of L defensive art. Incidentally: Louisville is in the midst of negotiations with leading Southern independents to form a new conference for all the Southern independents. The Cardinals will not play one another again on the gridiron in 1965.

The Yellowjackets, who finished 7-3, were forced by the District 4-3A executive committee to forfeit all their games for using a 20-year-old player.

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■ Texas A&M duo
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Associated Press

A quick start by Texas A&M against Texas got a bigger reaction out of the Aggies defense than it did from quarterback Corey Pullig.

Pullig's reaction: "We always try to get up quick in a big game and make it easy for our defense."

Pullig completed 6-of-6 passes for 101 yards and a touchdown in the first quarter, igniting A&M to a 34-10 romp over UT and earning himself The Associated Press Southwest Conference Offensive Player of the week honors.

The Aggies' defense took the comfort of a 14-0 first quarter lead and bashed the Longhorns. One of the biggest plays was a 48-yard fumble return for a touchdown by end Brandon Mitchell, the AP's SWC Defensive Player of the Week.

The Aggies had a 24-0 halftime lead and stretched it to 34-7 in the fourth quarter.

"I felt we kept a balance in the offense in the first half," said Purig, who finished the day 13-of-21 for 161. "That enabled me to do some other things. I don't think we've really mixed it up that much before."

Pullig is 127-of-213 passes on the season for 1,616 yards and 11 touchdowns.

For his career, the Aggies are 22-3-1 when he starts. The only quarterbacks who won more games for A&M are Kevin Murray (25-6-1), David Walker (25-9-0) and

Bucky Richardson (24-6-1). Mitchell, a sophomore from Abbeville, La., got every lineman's thrill with the first touchdown of his college career. But he's been making big plays all season for the Aggies.

He was a backup to Sam Adams last season as a freshman and this year he's breaking Adams' records.

Mitchell has 15 tackles for 81 yards in losses, breaking Adams' single-season record of 13. Mitchell also leads the team with eight sacks for 67 yards in losses.

He has 51 total tackles for the season, but he quickly recalled his high school days as a fullback when he scooped up the fumble and raced with 4.8 speed (in 40-yard dash) down the sidelines for his third-quarter touchdown.

"Yeah, I played fullback and caught some passes in high school and I also played basketball and you've got to have good hands in basketball," Mitchell said.

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AP Sports W

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Brown didn't message Tuesday to The Cincinnati Reds, but there has been no word yet of his return away from Kalamazoo. He has a \$1.7 million trade value and a year left on his contract.

“Don’t count on me,” said. “I still think the NFL quarterback is a crystal ball, but our quarterback, Blake and Kling, we haven’t been for awhile.”

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Pardee faces Oiler blues

■ After accepting accolades for last season, Houston coach Jack Pardee is now ready to take the boos for a 1-8 start.

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — The even-handed approach of Houston Oilers coach Jack Pardee has reached up and slapped him this season.

Pardee was lauded in January for his leadership under fire. The Oilers started 1-4 last season, then won their last 11 games and their second straight AFC Central Division title.

He was named NFL coach of the year by the Kansas City 101 Club for his persistence in remaining calm.

But look what's happened this season. The Oilers are 1-8 and Pardee is being panned as a coach with no control over his team.

Fans are howling for his job, and owner Bud Adams has all but said there will be a new staff next season.

"I went to Kansas City to accept my award after we won 11 straight games, and that was Jack's team," Pardee said. "We're 1-8 right now and that's Jack's team, too."

"It's my record and I'm not happy about it, but I stand behind it. That's part of coaching."

Pardee understands all too well that his approval rating depends solely on victories and not on his stoic sideline demeanor. The fans



Pardee says 1-8 record 'a part of coaching.'

will accept Pardee's mechanical sideline clapping in the face of victory.

They are rare this season, but Pardee has maintained the same relaxed appearance he's demonstrated in better times.

"We've had our chances this season," Pardee said. "In six of those eight losses, we were in the game. Four of them were three-point losses. We'd be on top of the world if we'd won those. Right now, we're under the world."

Two seasons ago, fans thought Pardee wasn't involved enough because he didn't wear headsets on the sidelines. But Pardee always has delegated authority to his assistants and allowed them to make the decisions.

Still, he yielded and put on the headsets.

Earlier this season, Adams wanted to see more tight end alignments and Pardee complied. On Sunday, there was a dispute over

the decision to start oft-injured quarterback Cody Carlson.

Assistant head coach Kevin Gilbride said general manager Floyd Reese made the decision to start Carlson and play him the whole game. Reese and Pardee denied it.

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But Pardee won't suddenly become a growling bear of a coach, lashing out at the team's mistakes. He enjoys everyone having their say, although Adams prefers hearing only from the head coach.

"I just don't have the ego that I have to be the only one speaking for the club," Pardee said. "I think it's great for the media to have access to the coaches. But the approval has always been great when we're winning."

It's especially tough for Pardee, who is accustomed to winning. He entered this season with only three losing records in 16 years as a college and pro head coach.

A loss to Cincinnati (1-8) on Sunday would assure his fourth losing season.

Pardee had a 4-10 record in his first year as coach of the Chicago Bears (1975) and was 6-10 in his final season at Washington (1980). His first team at the University of Houston in 1987 finished 4-6-1.

"I've never had a record this bad," he said. "When I was coaching at Chicago, we struggled, but we worked our way out of it. If you're coaching and you're not winning, it's a bad situation."

How does he handle the criticism?

"I have faith in someone much greater than myself," he said.

KLINGLER: QB creates controversy

(From 1C)

quarterback.

Is it possible that the Bengals, who thought they were set at quarterback when they drafted Klingler, are having second thoughts? Klingler's agent doesn't think so.

"To be direct, David's understanding is he's still the quarterback of the Cincinnati Bengals and the development of the other quarterbacks around him is not a threat to him," agent Leigh Steinberg said Tuesday. "His sense is that ultimately the Cincinnati Bengals will be his team to lead. It's just that he's injured."

Klingler stopped talking to the media when Blake was named the starter a week ago. Bengals players were off Monday and Tuesday, and Klingler didn't return a telephone message left at his home.

Although some fans and newspaper columnists have written off Klingler, he remains in good standing with his most important booster. General manager Mike Brown, who decided to draft Klingler in '92, has emphasized all season that he still believes in him.

Brown didn't return a telephone message Tuesday. He reiterated to The Cincinnati Enquirer that there has been no talk of backing away from Klingler, who makes \$1.7 million this year and has a year left on his contract.

"Don't count him out," Brown said. "I still think he can be a fine NFL quarterback. I don't have a crystal ball, but suddenly we feel our quarterback situation with Blake and Klingler is a plus and we haven't been able to say that for awhile."

Yes, but they now have a dilemma as well. Blake's two sensational performances have energized the team and fans. The Bengals couldn't very well go back to Klingler right now even if they wanted to.

Fans lost interest and players became dispirited as the Bengals struggled to 0-7 for the second straight season behind Klingler. Blake, a third-string quarterback claimed on waivers from the New York Jets, got everybody intrigued again by leading the Bengals to the verge of an improbable upset over Dallas on Oct. 30.

Last Sunday in Seattle, Blake threw for 387 yards — the most by a Cincinnati quarterback in four years — and set up a 20-17 overtime victory that had fans practically giddy.

Blake drew a standing-room crowd when he showed up for a sports talk show broadcast from a restaurant Monday night. Players are talking about a second-half winning streak with Blake at quarterback.

Imagine the reaction if Klingler returns as the starter now. Fans would boo. Players would grumble. And every incompletion by Klingler would bring chants for Blake.

The Bengals play their next two games at home, against Houston and Indianapolis. The next road game — and opportunity to slip Klingler back into the lineup with out a home-field backlash — is Nov. 27 at Denver.

For now, Shula is content to play out the drama on a week-to-week basis. One of his top concerns is keeping up Klingler's spirits.

"He's a mature guy," Shula said. "It would be difficult even for the most mature, the most

team-oriented guy.

"The only thing I've sensed from Dave is that he's frustrated. He wants to be in there. He's very competitive. He wants to prove that he can do it with the injury."

PERLES: Spartan coach to leave football program

(From 1C)

controversy. So I'm going out as a good guy."

Perles has always bragged running a clean program in his 12 seasons as coach. Yet he has been embroiled in controversy in recent weeks. Roosevelt Wagner, a former player, claimed some Spartan football players received cash and had grades fixed to meet eligibility requirements. Perles has denied any wrongdoing.

Wagner's credibility was called into question when The Detroit News quoted him as saying he had once stalked and planned to kill Perles when he was passed over in the 1992 NFL draft. Wagner later denied talking to the newspaper or stalking Perles.

Still, the claims are being investigated. The university hired independent investigators from the Collegiate Sports Law Group to assure an unbiased probe of the football program.

Price, Norman share lead

POIPU, Hawaii (AP) — Nick Price and Greg Norman shot 2-under par 70s over a **Grand Slam**

windy course on the island of Kauai Tuesday to share the first-round lead in the 36-hole PGA Grand Slam of Golf.

The match, which features winners of the four majors — Masters, PGA and the U.S. and British Opens — was close all the way, with only Price and Norman trading the lead over the 18 holes.

Ernie Els finished at 72 on the Poipu Bay Resort Golf Course and Jose Maria Olazabal was at 74. The winner of the \$1 million

event receives \$400,000.

Price of Zimbabwe won the PGA and British Open, Els of South Africa captured the U.S. Open and Olazabal of Spain took the Masters.

With only three winners for the four majors, Norman joined the field. The Australian finished second on the money list (\$1.3 million) and won this year's Vardon Trophy.

He edged American Tom Watson by finishing fourth the PGA. It marked the first time an American has failed to make the tournament.

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Your Horoscope

By Jeane Dixon

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1994

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Try to be more idealistic about both your career and your romance. Successful relationships are based on sharing both the bad and the good. Let others know what is going on with you. New business triumphs are featured early in 1995. A job opportunity related to the news media offers you a chance to shine. Family ties are strengthened when you take loved ones into your confidence.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Hedy Lamarr, astronomer Carl Sagan, actor Lou Ferrigno, baseball great Bob Gibson.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your plans are rolling merrily along. Sharing your hopes and dreams with partner will bring everything your heart could desire. Ignore idle gossip; consider the source! Refuse to settle for a boring desk job.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): New and more conservative practices will help you attain goals that have proved elusive in the past. A social evening is slated. You will make a better impression if you avoid talking shop all night.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): If you want to improve a romantic relationship, be more direct in your requests. Your uncompromising honesty is attractive to some people,

upsetting to others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Intellectual endeavors enjoy favorable influences. Consult with professionals. Important decisions must be free of faulty thinking. Guard against misunderstandings arising with people at a distance.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Avoid making binding commitments; financial speculation is out. Arguments could develop with sensitive loved ones. Greater tact will prevent hurt feelings.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Stay on your toes today. Someone may try to pull the wool over your eyes. A grandiose scheme may become too expensive. Use your talents as an educator or guidance counselor to help young people.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): It may be wise to pause now and see just how far you have come. Take steps to protect your financial resources. Cultural events hold special appeal this evening. Give in to your mate's whims.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A good day to catch up on routine tasks and paperwork. An imaginative approach helps you solve a tricky problem. Financial matters

are easier to handle than in the recent past. Avoid succumbing to flattery.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Write a brief letter or memo setting forth your goals. Those in authority need to know what you have in mind. Unless circumstances change, a romance could be coming to an end. Look ahead.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Play a lone hand in financial matters. Distant affairs look promising. Deal face-to-face with those who work far away from your base of operations. Your tenacity becomes apparent when obstacles appear. Persevere!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your financial judgment is sound. Go ahead and join a special club or community group. A promising personal relationship encourages you to make specific plans for the future. Kick up your heels at a party.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Adopt a conservative approach in financial matters. Misleading information could have an adverse effect on business affairs. A social event could prove expensive. You have an important decision to make. Be true to your ideals.

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 ♥ K J 10 8 3
 ♦ J
 ♣ A K 8

EAST
 ♠ Void
 ♥ A Q 9 5
 ♦ 9 7
 ♣ J 9 7 6 5 3 2

WEST
 ♠ 9 8 2
 ♥ 7 6 2
 ♦ K Q 10 6 5 4 2
 ♣ Void

SOUTH
 ♠ A Q J 7 5 4
 ♥ 4
 ♦ A 8 3
 ♣ Q 10 4

The bidding:
 WEST NORTH EAST SOUTH
 30 Dbl Pass 40
 Pass 40 Pass 54
 Pass 64 Pass Pass

To start with, East deserves a demerit for passing the double of three diamonds. We would have bid three hearts as a lead-director but, even though that could have defeated the slam, it merits only a mild rebuke. The rest of the auction cannot be criticized.

West led the king of diamonds, taken by the ace. Declarer cashed the ace of spades to learn about the 3-0 break. A diamond was ruffed in dummy, declarer returned to hand with a high trump and ruffed the remaining diamond with the table's last trump. When declarer tried to get back to hand with a club to draw the last trump, West ruffed and shifted to a heart, and East's ace was the setting trick.

Declarer was very unlucky to get a 3-0 trump split and to have the first round of clubs get ruffed. However, South's timing was just a little off. The contract should have been made regardless.

After winning the ace of diamonds, declarer should ruff a diamond with the 10 of trumps to avoid the possibility of an overruff, then return to hand with the ace of spades. When the trump break is disclosed, it is a simple matter to ruff a diamond with the king and use dummy's remaining trump as an entry to hand to extract West's remaining fangs. Having eliminated any possibility of a defensive ruff, the only loser would be a heart.

Opening lead: King of ♠

Study the auction and play of this slam contract, then decide who, if anyone, should be charged with an error, and what it was.

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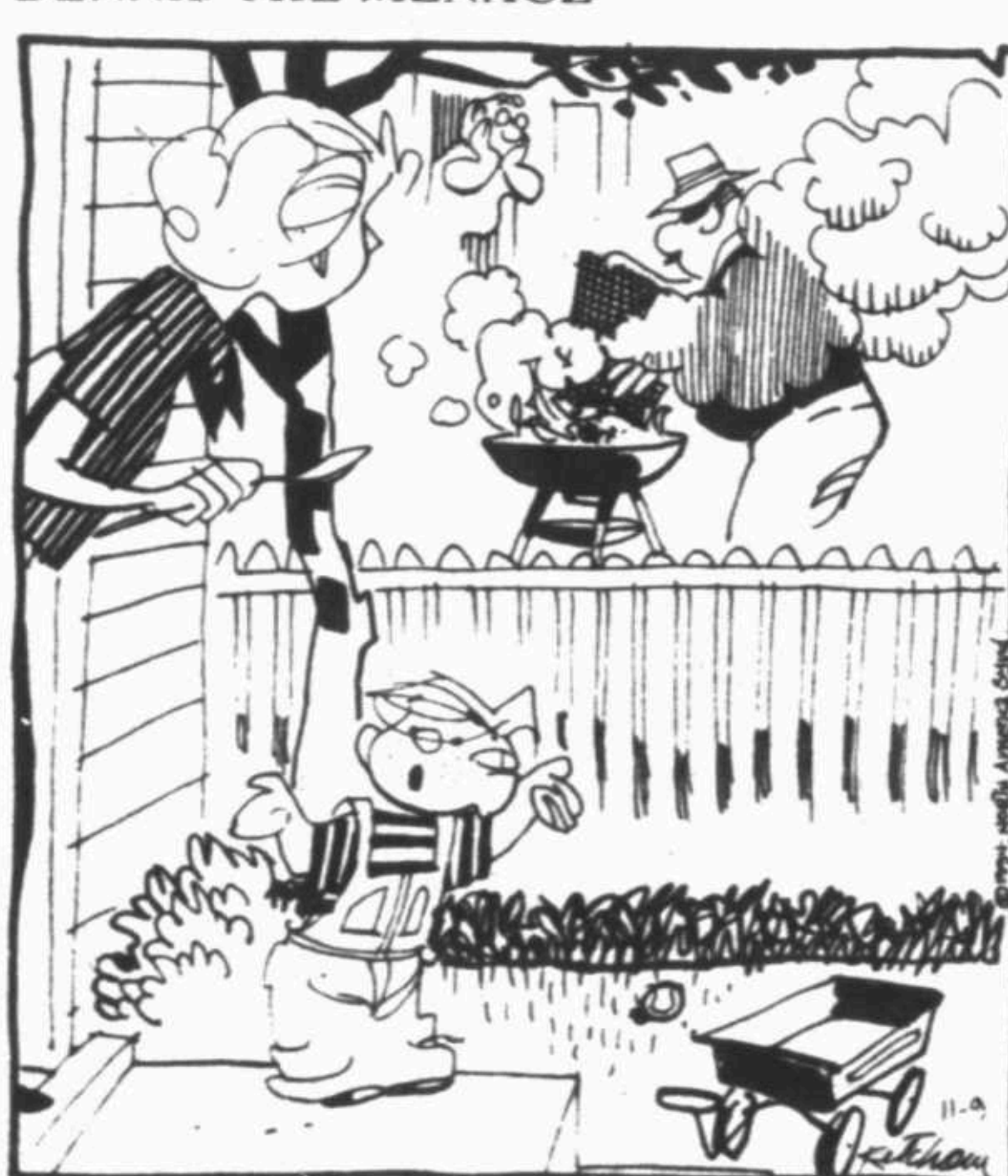
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PEOPLE

Director to turn house where Monroe died into museum

LOS ANGELES — The next project by Michael Ritchie, director of such movies as "The Candidate" and "Fletch," will be making a museum out of the house where Marilyn Monroe died.

"I'm very much a preservationist," said Ritchie, who bought the secluded four-bedroom home in September for a price he wouldn't disclose. "It is an important piece of Hollywood history."



Michael Ritchie's next project to be a museum.

In a telephone interview Tuesday from New York, Ritchie said he couldn't elaborate yet on his plans to open the house to the public. He denied a report that he would probably demolish the house to build a home.

"Marilyn fans should rest easy," he said. Monroe's nude body was found in the bedroom in 1962. The coroner's office ruled her death was probably suicide, caused by an overdose of sleeping pills. She was 36.

In addition to "The Candidate," starring Robert Redford, and "Fletch," starring Chevy Chase, Ritchie also directed "The Golden Child" with Eddie Murphy.

WETUMPKA, Ala. — Walter Matthau, the curmudgeonly Oscar Madison in "The Odd Couple," is more like courteous Felix Unger in real life.

Paul Littlejohn, a production worker on the set of "The Grass Harp," said he got a helping hand from Matthau when he needed to call home Saturday to say he would be late.

Matthau loaned Littlejohn his telephone and passed along his best wishes to his family.



Walter Matthau is more like Felix Unger in real life.

"He couldn't be a nicer, more easygoing guy," Littlejohn said.

"The Grass Harp" is based on a Truman Capote story about his youth in Monroeville. Jack Lemmon, Matthau's costar in "Odd Couple," has a cameo role. Also appearing are Sissy Spacek, Mary Steenburgen and Roddy McDowell.

LOS ANGELES — Helena Bonham Carter accepted a role in "Mary Shelley's Frankenstein" after Kenneth Branagh assured her she wouldn't be just another damsel in distress.

Carter plays Elizabeth, Victor Frankenstein's adoptive sister and love interest. Branagh is the star and director.

"Kenneth assured me that we could create a strong character out of Elizabeth. He showed me only a structure of the role at first, and I accepted in a leap of faith," she said in a recent interview. "He wanted to make the love story a greater part of the overall piece, and he kept his word."

The 27-year-old actress has been looking for roles that depart from the delicate image she created in films such as "A Room With a View" and "Howards End."

"I have been turning down a lot of offers to play ingenues because I would rather start playing women," Carter said. "What I've done in the last 18 months has really helped."

NEW YORK — Screaming, kicking and pounding the bed with a tennis racket are part of Princess Diana's way of dealing with her marital stress, says the author of her latest biography, "Diana: Her New Life."

"There's all kinds of ways she does it," author Andrew Morton told "Eye to Eye With Connie Chung" in an interview to be broadcast Thursday. "She does kickboxing with a guy to just help release the anger that she feels. She'll occasionally beat the bed with a tennis racket."

He said Diana also is seeing a therapist who "encourages people to shout and scream and yell their heads off and just let it all hang out."

NEW YORK — The Committee to Protect Journalists, an organization that promotes freedom of the press and monitors abuses against journalists, will present its Burton Benjamin Memorial Award Wednesday night to George Soros, the financier and philanthropist, at the Grand Hyatt Hotel.

Benjamin, a former vice president and director of CBS News and a documentary producer, died of a brain tumor in 1988 at the age of 70.

Through his foundations, Soros has worked to promote independence for newspapers and radio and television stations in countries accustomed to censorship.

"This is a much deserved award," Walter Cronkite, honorary chairman of the organization and a longtime friend of Benjamin, said the other day.

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Today's TV Schedule

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⑦ KOSA	7	News 4915	M*A*S*H 5267	Joe Wars: USA vs. The World (Part 1 of 2) 30996	48 Hours 61731			News 7366170	The Tonight Show (10:35) 4563828	Late Night/O'Brien			
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⑩ KMLM	42	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)	Praise-A-Thon (11)
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① CNBC	8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	AI Roker 2516151	Equal Time	Rivers Live 6354809	Tom Snyder 5367373	Real Personal: A Story	Equal Time	Rivers Live 5893880			
⑬ WGN	10	The Love Connection	The Jeffersons	Magnificent Force (R, 75) *** (Clint Eastwood, Hal Holbrook) 290400	News 632996	Night Court	Simon & Simon 736606	The Hindenburg					
⑪ WTTB	11	Golf: (5) PGA Grand Slam of Golf, Final Round 26909	Up Perspective (59) ** (James Garner, Edmond O'Brien) 114354	Sergeant York (Color) (41) 4364006									
⑪ BRAV	18	Long Voyage... (5:15)	The Golden Bowl	South Bank Show	Twin Peaks 261422	Opening Night (PG-13, 77) *** 925644							
⑨ BET	20	Happen... Out All ...	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul	Roc	Jazz Central						
⑨ FAM	23	The Waltons (Part 1 of 2) 370083	Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Rescue 911 928644	The 700 Club 908880	Father Dowling Mysteries 91267	Black Stal-	Big Brother	Jake			
⑨ CNN	35	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeTimeLive	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Showbiz			
⑨ ESPN	36	SportsCenter (5:30)	Bowling: Brunswick Memoria World Open 84625	Murder, She Wrote 133489	Boxing: Verno Phillips vs. Middleweights 931083	Santos Cardona, Junior	SpeedWeek	SportsCenter	Up Close	College Volleyball			
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⑨ FX	38	Hart to Hart 2557828	Scrutiny Home ...	Biography: W.C. Fields 591489	American Justice: Juvenile Justice 577809	The 20th Century 580373	Law & Order: Helpless 583480	Biography: W.C. Fields 711441					
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① TNT	17	Kung Fu: The Predators	The Last Challenge (67)	Clayton Kopp: Angels	Tension at Table Rock (56) *** Richard Egan	The Sheppards (58) ***							
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② MAX	22	Free Willy (5:05) (PG-13) *** 37233609	Genocide (PG, 82) *** 332285	The Man Without a Face (son, Nick Star) 867064	Sexual Malice (93) *** (John Laughlin) 3592199	Blue Chips 7042335							
② VCI	29	8 Seconds (5) 6183977	Blue Chips (PG-13, 94) *** (Nick Nolte) 4714195	Sexual Malice (93) *** (John Laughlin) 3592199	Blue Chips 7042335								
② HC	30	Seriel Mom (R, 94) *** 3540625	Psycho Cop 2 (R, 94) 3544170	Psycho Cop 2 (R, 94) 3544170	Seducer Mer Pamela Principle 2 (R, 94) 3230657								
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③ DISH	32	All About Magic 6836002	Focus Pocus (PG, 70) *** (Bette Midler, Sarah Jessica Parker) 7326248	Walt Disney World	The Incredible Shrinking Woman (PG, 91) *** (Lily Tomlin) 3644903	His Girl Friday (10:35) (40) *** (Cary Grant) 7050042							
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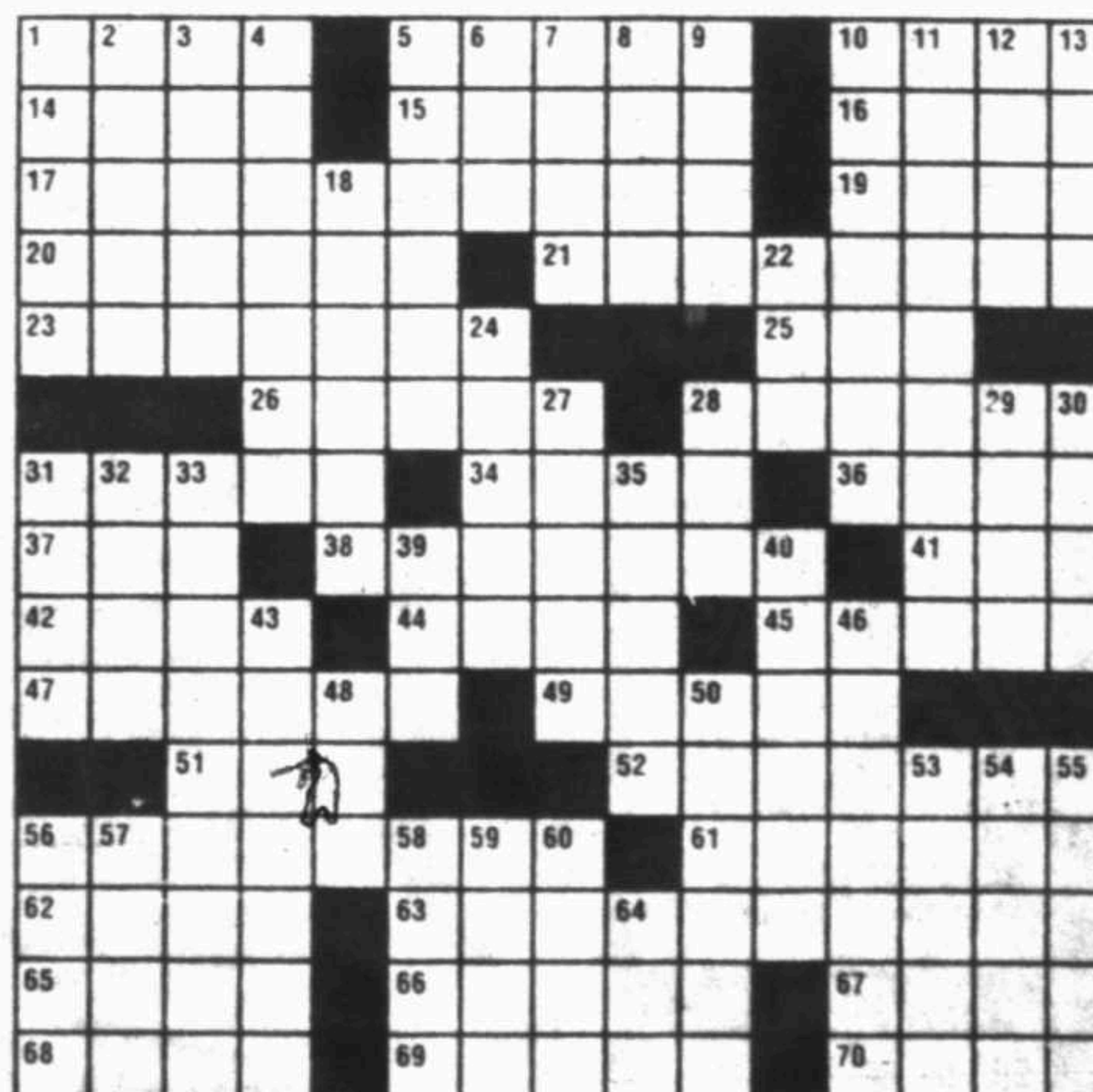
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Sabatini wins, Capriati returns to court today

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Chanda Rubin, hitting powerfully from the backcourt, upset No. 7 seed Amy Frazier 6-1, 6-1 Tuesday in the first round of the Virginia Slims of Philadelphia.

No. 4 Gabriela Sabatini of Argentina overcame 11 double-faults to defeat Jana Nedjedy of Canada 6-4, 6-1 in a night match.

Tonight, Jennifer Capriati will play her first match in more than a year when she faces No. 6 Anke Huber of Germany. Top seed and defending champion Conchita Martinez of Spain will begin her

defense of the title against Nathalie Tauziat of France.

Frazier was unable to cope with the speed and power of Rubin's driving shots in the 43-minute match. Rubin won the first set on the second set point on a netted shot by Frazier.

Frazier set up match point at 5-1 in the second set by double-faulting. Rubin then ended the match with a swift cross-court passing shot from her two-handed backhand.

Rubin next will face Erika de Lone, who advanced with a 6-3, 6-2

win over Mercedes Paz of Argentina. Paz was a replacement for Lori McNeil, who withdrew from the tournament in the morning because of tendinitis in her right shoulder.

Nedjedy broke for a 3-1 first-set lead but Sabatini won seven straight games to move from a 4-3 deficit to a 4-0 lead in the second set. Nedjedy lost match point by netting a backhand volley.

"Well, I've been trying a new service and I have been getting greater speed from it," Sabatini said of her serving problems.

"I don't think I was playing bad, but she was playing very good and she was very fast, and I had to play very well to beat her."

In other matches, No. 5 Natalia Zvereva of Belarus defeated Meredith McGrath 6-4, 6-4; Patty Fendick beat Marianne Werdel 6-2, 6-4; and Julie Halard of France prevailed over Linda Harvey-Wild 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

Fendick won the first set with a passing shot for a break. Werdel fought off three match points in the second set, then yielded on the fourth match point.

McGrath lost her service in the 10th game of the second set, losing the match on the second match point with a cross-court backhand drive over the baseline.

The key to Halard's victory was

the fourth game of the third set in which Harvey-Wild double-faulted twice, the second time on game point, to fall behind 3-1. Halard won in the ninth game on the second match point when Harvey-Wild overdrove the baseline.

Abdul-Jabbar among 11 nominated for Hall

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, one of the most dominant forces in the history of the sport, was among nine men and two women nominated Monday for the Basketball Hall of Fame.

"It is a real thrill to receive this nomination as early as I have," said Abdul-Jabbar, who became eligible for the Hall of Fame this year. "I am truly honored."

As Lew Alcindor, Abdul-Jabbar led UCLA to three NCAA championships. In the NBA, he led the Milwaukee Bucks to their only title and the Los Angeles Lakers to five, was MVP an unprecedented six times and played in a record 19 All-Star games.

Also nominated as players were former Boston Celtics defensive ace Tom "Satch" Sanders; Arnie Risen, who played on NBA championship teams with both Rochester and Boston; Vern Mikkelsen, one of NBA's first power forwards with the Minneapolis Lakers of the 1950s, and Kresimir Cosic, a former Yugoslavian star, nominated by the International Committee.

Tabbed as coaches were Gene Shue, who had a knack for turning struggling franchises into winners during his 22 years of coaching in the NBA; John Kundla, who coached the Minneapolis Lakers to six titles in the 1940s and 1950s, and Aleksandr Gomelsky, the long-time Soviet coach whose 1988 squad won the Olympic gold medal. Gomelsky also was nominated by the International Committee.

Anne Donovan, the standout center from Old Dominion, who led

the U.S. women's team to two Olympic gold medals, and Cheryl Miller, who led Southern California to a pair of NCAA championships, were proposed by the Women's Committee. Miller now coaches USC's women's team.

The late Earl Strom, who officiated 29 NBA championship games during his 32-year career was nominated as a referee. He died July 10 at age 66.

To be elected, a nominee needs 18 votes from the 24-member Honors Committee. The committee is to vote in February, with induction ceremonies scheduled May 15.

"He was the most amazing player ever," said Hall of Fame president Joe O'Brien said of Abdul-Jabbar. "Players usually peak at a certain level ... but Kareem was great at every level — high school, college and the pros. He's the NBA all-time scoring leader, but he was also a defensive force and a better passer than many realize."

Or, as Hall of Famer Connie Hawkins put it:

"You'd play in front of him and they would throw the ball over the top to him. You'd play behind him and he'd throw a hook shot over your head. You'd double team him and he'd hit the open man. After that, forget it."

When Abdul-Jabbar retired following the 1988-89 season, he did so as the NBA's leading career scorer with 38,387 regular-season and 5,762 playoff points. He also established records for games played (1,797), field goals made, (15,837) field goals attempted (28,307) and blocked shots (3,189).

Sampras advances at European tournament

ANTWERP, Belgium (AP) — Playing on antibiotics, Pete Sampras awoke from a slumber when pride was on the line and beat local favorite Johan Van Herck to advance Tuesday in the \$1.1 million European Community Championship.

The top-seeded Sampras allowed the 157th-ranked player to take him to a first-set tiebreaker, when Van Herck could not handle the pressure play of Sampras. After winning the tiebreak 7-2, the slugish defending champion did just enough to take the second set 6-4.

"I've had my better days," said the world's top player, suffering from a throat infection. "I feel depleted and I haven't eaten too much."

He has to recover by Thursday, when he will face Richey Reneberg, who won an all-American battle against David Wheaton 7-6

(7-1), 6-7 (7-9), 6-1.

Peru's Jaime Yzaga, seeded eighth, beat German qualifier Arne Thoms 6-2, 7-6 (7-1).

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Prices rebound

NEW YORK — Oil prices bounced higher Tuesday on a technically driven rally, expectations of a decline in gasoline stocks and unfounded rumors of a refinery disruption.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in December finished 19 cents per barrel higher at \$18.58 on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Local crude purchasers raised their posted price 25 cents to \$17 a barrel.

Natural gas, which often moves contrary to oil products, fell Tuesday. The December contract was down 5 cents to \$1.754 per 1,000 cubic feet.

After the market closed, the API reported that gasoline stocks unexpectedly gained 4.3 million barrels in the week ending Nov. 4 to 202.35 million barrels. Crude oil stocks fell 798,000 barrels to 337.68 million barrels. Stocks of distilled products including home heating oil fell 1.19 million barrels to 142.50 million barrels. Refineries operated at 90.1 percent of capacity, up 2.8 points.

Dollar retreats

NEW YORK — The dollar declined in cautious trading Tuesday as Americans went to the polls to elect a new Congress. Dealers avoided taking new positions, uncertain over how the results would affect the currency market.

Gold prices rose. On New York's Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery gained \$1.60 to settle at \$383.70 per troy ounce.

In late New York trading, the dollar was quoted at 1.5093 German marks, down from 1.5163 late Monday.

The dollar also was changing hands in New York at 97.13 Japanese yen, down from 97.33.

Other late dollar rates in New York compared with late Monday: 1.2622 Swiss francs, down from 1.2690; 5.1860 French francs, down from 5.1998; 1.5511 Italian lire, down from 1.555; and 1.3563 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3573.

The British pound was quoted at \$1.6193, up from \$1.6142.

Silver prices edged higher. On the Comex, silver for current delivery rose 2.1 cents to \$5.208 per troy ounce.

Stocks strengthen

NEW YORK — Stocks rallied Tuesday, strengthening on optimism about possible Republican election gains and the first bond market advance in seven sessions.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 21.87 points to 3,830.74. Advancing issues narrowly outnumbered declines on the New York Stock Exchange.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 289.14 million shares, up from 256.20 million in the previous session.

Analysts said expectations among some investors that Republicans will make significant gains in Congress and governor races helped buoy the market.

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Officials call for restrictions

Investigators want commuter planes barred from icing areas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal safety investigators say commuter planes like the one that crashed in Indiana last week should be barred temporarily from flying in areas of suspected icing.

Local American Eagle representatives, contacted by the Reporter-Telegram, had no comment on the recommendation.

The recommendation to the Federal Aviation Administration by the independent National Transportation Safety Board came Monday — a week after an Ameri-

can Eagle ATR-72 propjet crashed near Roselawn, Ind., killing all 68 people aboard.

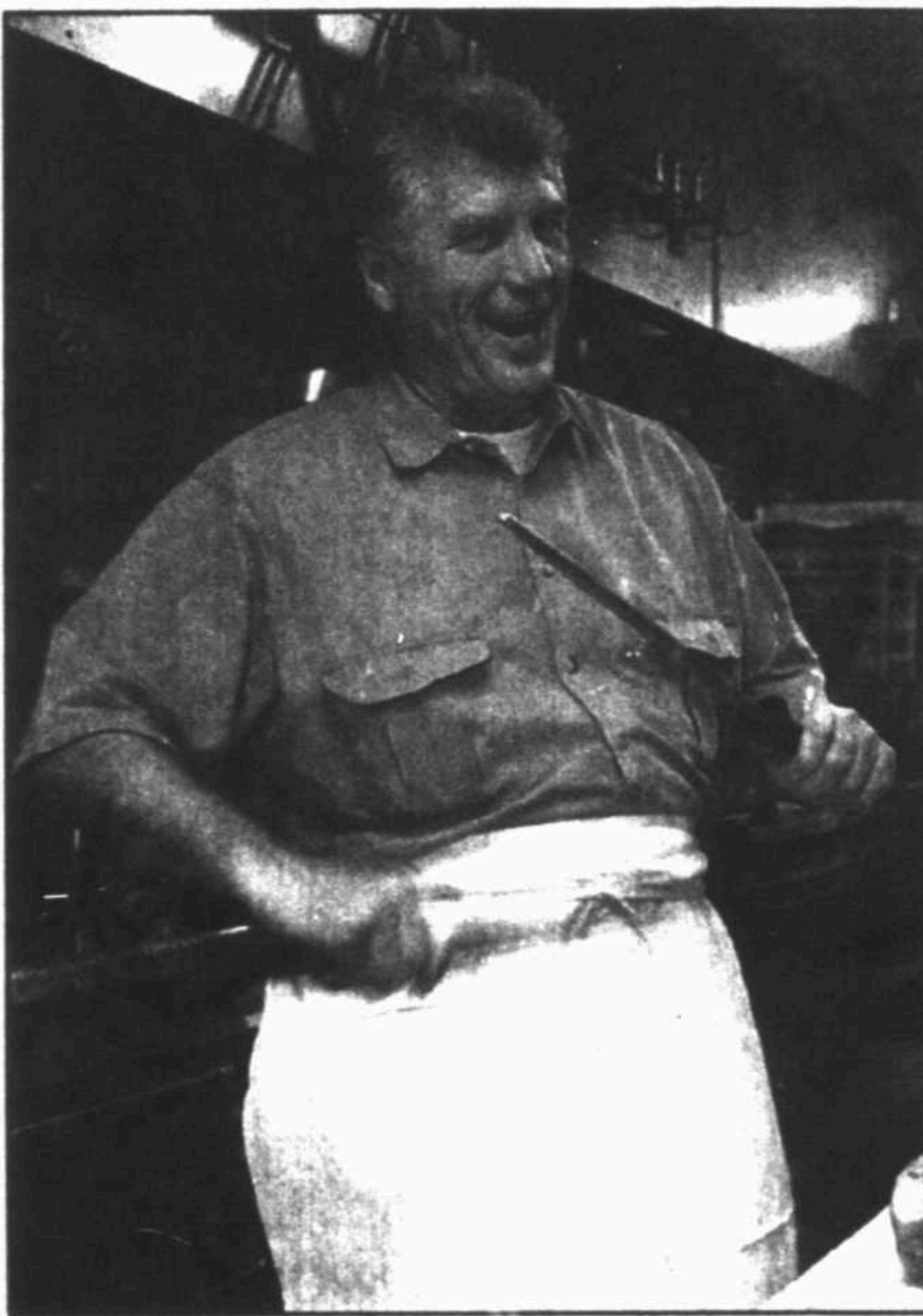
The FAA last Friday barred cockpit crews of ATR-72 and smaller ATR-42 planes from using the automatic pilot in icing conditions. It cited evidence that the American Eagle plane rolled out of control while on autopilot and flying in a holding pattern in icy weather.

In a letter to FAA Administrator David R. Hinson, NTSB Chairman Jim Hall said that "until further information (on the crash's cause) is available, stronger precautionary measures should be taken by the FAA to prevent a recurrence of icing-related accidents involving the ATR airplanes."

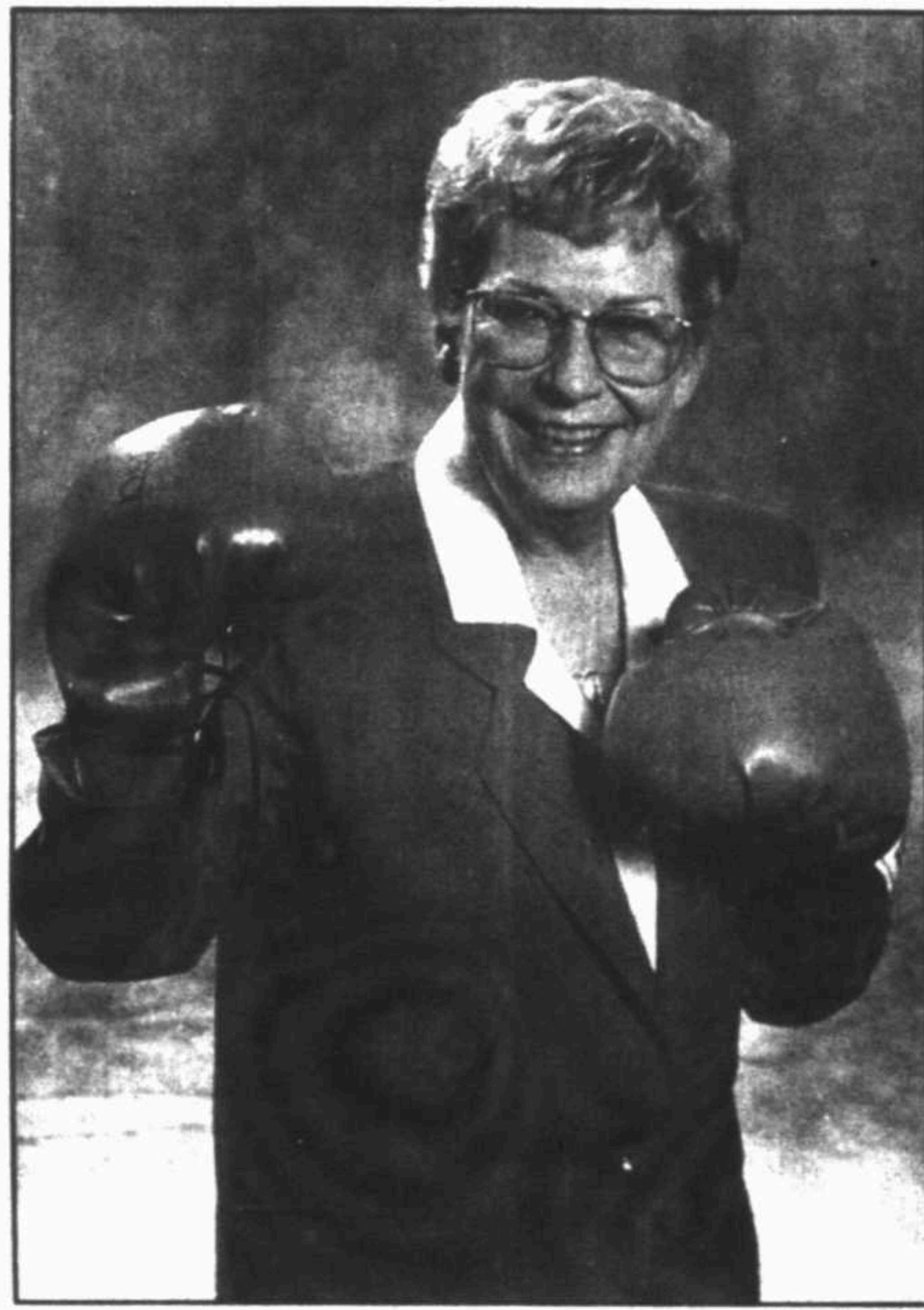
He said the FAA should "prohibit the intentional operation of ATR-42 and ATR-72 airplanes in known or reported icing conditions until the effect of upper wing surface ice on the flying qualities and aileron hinge movement characteristics are further examined."

The FAA also should tell its air traffic controllers to "provide expedited service" to ATR pilots who request help in avoiding icing areas, Hall added. His agency makes recommendations to the FAA but has no enforcement powers.

About 30 of the ATR planes are flown by U.S. commuter carriers. A total of 130 planes, manufactured by the French-Italian consortium Avions de Transport Regional, are in service worldwide.



Dale Wamstad, left, also known as Del Frisco, owner of Del Frisco's Double Eagle Steakhouse, sharpens a knife in the kitchen of his Dallas restaurant. Wam-



stad is battling Ruth's Chris Steakhouse owner Ruth Fertel, right, who poses in a fighting stance, in a feud full of jealousies, accusations and lawsuits.

Restaurateur has beef with top 10 steakhouse list

By Julia Prodis

Associated Press

DALLAS — It all started when the Ruth's Chris steakhouse chain was bumped off the list of America's Top 10 Steakhouses.

That's when Ruth Fertel began her crusade to expose the annual list as a fraud, and that's when it became a federal case.

Fertel, who has 42 steakhouses nationwide, contends the list is bought and paid for by her nemesis, Dale Wamstad, owner of Del Frisco's Double Eagle Steak House in Dallas — No. 3 on the current list.

"Ruth's Chris will call it bogus and fraudulent, but I call it brilliant marketing," said Wamstad, whose business boomed when he began advertising his ranking in airline magazines.

The resulting lawsuits have exposed a bitter feud dating

back a decade and crossing state lines — a sizzling underworld of pseudonyms and schemes, a gun-blazing wife and a son accused of smuggling recipes.

To Fertel and Wamstad, there's, ahem, a lot at stake for their linen-tablecloth restaurants, where a piece of meat — with no side dishes — costs more than \$25 on average.

The battle began in the early 1980s in New Orleans, where Fertel and Wamstad had competing steakhouses.

They had never met, but Fertel said she had to deflect Wamstad's ads hinting that the dab of butter she puts on her steaks makes them greasy.

When she received an anonymous call that her son, Jerry, was slipping recipes to Wamstad, she was livid. And when she was told Wamstad was behind the call and had made up the story, she was even more furious.

Wamstad — who prefers to be called Del Frisco — said that his longtime public relations man, Thomas Horan, dreamed up the list.

BUSINESS SCENE

Texas Commerce opens ATMs in south Midland

By Mella McEwen

TEXAS COMMERCE BANK has introduced two new electronic cash machines to south Midland.

The two machines, which will offer around-the-clock banking services, are located at 3115 Garden City Highway and 4001 South FM 1788.

Customers can access the available funds in their checking account by using an ATM card such as Pulse, Cirrus, NYCE or Plus. Bank cards such as Mastercard or Visa may also be used.

To broaden its services to customers who may not wish to have a checking account but may have a need to safely deposit and withdraw cash, Texas Commerce is offering a special savings account that can be accessed free of charge. The savings account is free for one year and can be used for direct deposit of income checks such as payroll checks or Social Security checks.

Just opened in Imperial Shopping Center, 3211 W. Wadley Ave., between Joanne's Fine Gifts and Needle Nook, is DESIGNED FOR YOU.

Bill Juren, who owns the store with wife Marlene, said the store is designed

to be a home decor boutique carrying silk florals and greenery, decorative ribbon, candles and baskets. Also carried are gift items, ceramic pieces such as teapots and potpourri pots, and ceramic and porcelain decorator items.

There is a seasonal store within the store. At present this seasonal store carries Thanksgiving and Christmas items and will carry decorative items for various seasons throughout the year, including homecoming mum supplies each fall.

The store also carries jewelry components for watches, bracelets and necklaces and a line of sterling silver charms, beads, ear clips and pendants.

The store is having a grand opening celebration through Saturday, when a drawing for a \$50 gift certificate will be held.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

3 DAY BLINDS has opened a store in the North Park shopping center next to Kinkos.

3 Day Blinds carries a large selection of quality window coverings, from mini blinds to vertical blinds, pleated shades, cellular shades and wood blinds. Top brands such as Hunter Douglas and 3 Day Blinds' own custom manufactured brands are available. Most products are made and shipped within three days.

Hours vary but most stores are

open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

A number of new retail carts have opened at Midland Park Mall.

SNELLS features specialty accessories, key chains and other items adorned with a name and its meaning.

THE MUSIC BOX offers music-related gifts. HICKORY FARMS can be found in front of Casual Corner. A WORLD OF CHRISTMAS is located next to Kay Bee Toys. THE BEEPER BOUTIQUE carries beepers in many colors and styles. KNOTS features ties and men's accessories. AMIRAGE ORIENTAL RUGS sells oriental rugs.

THE NAME PLACE, carrying plaques and other items, will open Friday through November 27. THE GOLF CART, featuring golf-related novelty and gift items, will open November 18. SHOPSMITH, opening November 17-20, will offer woodworking equipment. RJS JEWELRY will carry chains, charms and bracelets.

Opening soon will be JUST FOR FUN, selling handmade wooden toys. Opening next week will be KUNERTS CUSTOMER LAPIDARY, carrying rock clocks, lamps and sliced rock.

DILLARDS will host its winter fashion show Saturday at 2 p.m. in Center Court. Also, the mall, Sun Country Chrysler, Continental Airlines and KGE-100 are sponsoring a car give-

Company names partners to help build new plane

BERLIN (AP) — McDonnell Douglas Corp. on Tuesday named the companies that will help build the MD-95, a new 100-seat commuter plane designed to be the cleanest and quietest in its class.

The MD-95's engine will be built by BMW-Rolls Royce in Germany, McDonnell Douglas said.

Suppliers of other systems and parts will include AlliedSignal, Honeywell and Sundstrand in the United States; Alenia of Italy; Chadderton Aerospace Structures of Britain; Korean Air Aerospace and Halla Engineering of Korea; Shin-Maywa Industries of Japan, and SHL Servo Systems of Israel.

Final assembly of the aircraft, targeted for short- and medium-range flights, will be performed in Dallas by Dalfort Aviation. Building the plane will ultimately create 5,000 jobs in the area, McDonnell Douglas said. Hiring will begin next year.

McDonnell Douglas plans to begin deliveries of the plane in 1998, the St. Louis, Mo.-based aerospace company said.

Airline announces \$99, half-off fares

DALLAS (AP) — Southwest Airlines Co. announced three fare moves on Tuesday, starting new \$99 fares from five cities, as well as extending its \$39 advance intra-California fare and a half-off sale in four other cities.

The Dallas-based carrier announced a \$99 or less one-way fare sale for travel to some markets from Houston, New Orleans, St. Louis, San Antonio and Austin.

The special fares can be bought through Nov. 22. Reservations must be made and the nonrefundable tickets purchased one day in advance of travel.

For all three sales, seats are limited and travel must be completed by March 2.

In California, Southwest extended through the end of the year the deadline to buy 21-day advance purchase tickets for one-way travel in California. The deadline had been Nov. 10 for the sale, which started Oct. 22.

away. Details and entry blanks are found in Sears Court.

First United Methodist Church will operate the train this weekend.

Midland residents can look forward to ticketless travel on Southwest Airlines.

No date has been set for a system-wide launch of the service, but it has been under test at Dallas, Houston, Corpus Christi and Little Rock since September, and this week Southwest announced that it would begin the first phase of ticketless travel in California.

Ticketless travel allows customers to make reservations and confirm travel with only a credit card. Tickets can be purchased as little as one hour in advance. A confirmation number or photo identification may be required.

Ed Stewart, manager of public relations says Southwest is still in the process of fine tuning the system, and no firm date has been set to initiate it system wide.

"We want it to be near perfect, before we put it into the system," said Stewart. He said there were no plans to issue a Southwest credit card at this point and individuals without credit cards would have to resort to other arrangements.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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Vitamins vs. stroke

If you are a woman, you could cut your risk of stroke in half by eating lots of three common antioxidant vitamins. That's a new finding from a major Harvard study of 87,000 female nurses.

The three antioxidants are beta carotene, vitamin E and vitamin C. Most powerful of the three was beta carotene. Women who daily took in more than 11,000 international units (IU) of beta carotene (the amount in a medium carrot) had a 39 percent lower risk of stroke compared with women eating one-third as much.

Women who took in the most vitamin E, more than 25 milligrams a day in both food and supplements, had a 24 percent lower risk compared with those who got the least E, less than 4 mg daily.

But most important, women who got the highest amounts of all three vitamins reduced their stroke chances by a remarkable 54 percent.

Similarly, a previous finding showed a 48 percent drop in the risk of heart disease among the nurses consuming the most of the three vitamins.

Booze boosts pressure

If you have high blood pressure, or don't want to develop it, watch the amount of alcohol you drink. Many people are unaware that drinking, especially binge drinking, can boost blood pressure significantly.

According to Northwestern University researchers, a new study of about 10,000 people at 50 centers around the world finds that men and women drinking three to four or more drinks a day have higher blood pressure than nondrinkers.

Specifically, men who drank about three drinks a day averaged 2.7 mm Hg higher systolic (upper number) pressure and 1.6 mm Hg higher diastolic pressure than nondrinkers. The increase doubled in men who drank four to five drinks or more a day.

Numerous studies show that cutting back on drinking lowers blood pressure. One California study found that blood pressure returned to normal within days after cutting out all booze.

More than two drinks per day can raise blood pressure, according to the National Institutes of Health. Also, drinking can wipe out the blood-pressure-reducing benefits of a low-sodium diet and medication.

Want to age better?

Eat fewer calories. Even if you are not overweight, restricting calories may delay deterioration as you age, according to researchers at a recent meeting of the American Aging Association in Washington, D.C.

Basically, when you eat less, you use less oxygen to metabolize the food, and that translates into less cell damage and less risk of age-related diseases, says Dr. Denham Harman, University of Nebraska.

In fact, "signs of aging are offset" in laboratory animals that eat 30 percent fewer calories than normal, found Ritchie Feuers, at the National Center for Toxicological Research in Jefferson, Ark. Mice in calorie-restricted aging animals don't deteriorate, he says.

Restricting calories by one-third in monkeys retards many detrimental changes that usually come with aging, according to Richard Weindruch, University of Wisconsin.

These "biomarkers" indicate the monkeys are aging more slowly and should live longer, says Weindruch.

Traveling with kids

When traveling with children over the holidays, don't forget to pack a snack bag. But it's important to be sure the snacks are nutritious.

Mobile munchers can wile away the miles crunching on fresh fruit, nuts, popcorn, dry cereal and celery and carrot sticks, said Dr. Corinne Montandon of the USDA's Children Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. But nuts, whole grapes and popcorn should not be given to children younger than 5 years old because of the danger of choking.

Restless riders can also be appeased with string cheese, packaged fruit snacks, breads, spreads, raisins, Graham crackers, animal crackers, low-salt pretzels and peanut-butter-and-jelly sandwiches.

NOTE: Many readers have asked for more information about a special cholesterol-lowering grapefruit fiber, developed at the University of Florida. The address is: Corbett, PO Box 245, Hawthorne, FL 32640.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram News Services and "Food Pharmacy" by Jean Carper.

Green, yellow vegetables linked to protection

By Brenda C. Coleman

CHICAGO (AP) — Two new studies offer tantalizing evidence that chemicals in green and yellow vegetables may protect against heart disease and the most common cause of blindness in the elderly.

But much more research will be needed to determine which of the antioxidant chemicals may be protective, and in what quantities, over what periods of time and in what types of people, said researchers not involved in the work.

The compounds, called carotenoids, are the colorful pigments that make squash yellow and spinach green.

Beta carotene is the best-known carotenoid, but it accounts for only about 25 percent of the carotenoids that the blood absorbs from food, and others are just beginning to be explored, researchers said.

In one new study, of 1,899 men with high blood cholesterol, those with high levels of carotenoids had 36 percent fewer heart attacks and deaths over 13 years than men with low levels of carotenoids in their blood.

"When we looked at men who never smoked, the protective effect was much greater," wrote Dr. Dexter Morris in Wednesday's issue of the *Journal of the American Medical Association*.

Nonsmokers with the highest blood levels of carot-

enoids had 70 percent fewer heart attacks than nonsmokers with the lowest levels, said researchers, led by Dr. Morris of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

In the other study, Harvard researchers compared 356 people who had developed a visual disorder called age-related macular degeneration with 500 similar people who were free of the condition. People who consumed the most dark green, leafy vegetables were 43 percent less likely to have developed AMD than people who had consumed the least, researchers said.

THOSE FINDINGS also are in Wednesday's *JAMA* and were presented Tuesday at the AMA's Science Reporters Conference in Seattle.

"Increasing the consumption of foods rich in certain carotenoids, in particular dark green, leafy vegetables, may decrease the risk of developing advanced or exudative AMD, the most visually disabling form of macular degeneration among older people," said researchers, led by Dr. Johanna M. Seddon of the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary and Harvard Medical School.

AMD causes vision loss in an estimated 13.1 million Americans and accounts for up to a third of the 900,000 U.S. cases of blindness, according to Prevent Blind-

ness America, formerly the National Society to Prevent Blindness.

Exudative AMD is a sub-type of the disease, in which tiny blood vessels grow under an area of the retina, causing scarring and hemorrhaging that block vision.

Researchers emphasized that the eye study did not establish cause and effect, and they called for more research. But they said it makes sense to encourage Americans to eat more dark green, leafy vegetables.

Two other researchers, who did not participate in either study, cautioned in an accompanying editorial that "not all antioxidants are created equal."

Big differences in the structure and properties of antioxidants are likely to influence their ability to prevent disease, the editorial said.

It noted that the scientific community has had its ups and downs trying to show the benefits of beta carotene, which several studies suggested could protect against cancer and heart disease before two large studies suggested just the opposite.

"Further exploration of specific carotenoids and other nutrients... should be a high priority for research," said the editorial by Drs. Susan E. Hankinson and Meir J. Stampfer of Harvard Medical School and Harvard School of Public Health.

Couple deals in miracles — tails and all

By Mike Carter

WEST JORDAN, Utah (AP) — Every so often, Bill and Mickie Britton get a card in the mail with a little pocket change taped to the back. The cards are from a blind girl trying to say thanks for a miracle.

The Brittons say their lives — and backyard — are full of such wonders. The only problem is cleaning up after them.

The couple runs the Companion Golden Retriever Rescue Program, a nonprofit business operating on a shoestring and lots of good will with only one goal: finding homes for abandoned dogs.

"Dogs are very big medicine," says Britton, a 64-year-old retired government worker and disabled veteran, a dog at either hand. "The therapy of having a dog in your life is just out of this world."

Britton has found homes for sick dogs, blind dogs and old dogs — 1,800 in all, and not just retrievers, since the rescue program was started in his home six years ago. He can prove it, too — a half-dozen photo albums stuffed with Polaroids of his canine charges crowd a corner of the mantel.

A medical bill collection manager during the day, Mickie Britton spends her nights arranging for dogs or making pickups. Friends consider her the backbone of the organization, while Bill is seen as an idea-a-minute man with a knack for getting things done.

Witness the 2,000 tennis balls (something for the retrievers to well, retrieve) donated by Pepsi Cola, or the hundreds of old Primary Children's hospital blankets lining the four kennels in the basement.

Bill long ago gave up trying to grow a lawn. His backyard is covered with hay — donated, of course — to make daily cleanup a little easier. Dog runs were donated. Ditto the truck in the driveway.

The \$2,500 needed to register as a nonprofit corporation? Provided by a local gynecologist and golden retriever owner. And Bill skirted ordinances requiring a kennel license by finagling a noncompliance permit.

Every day, he said, the mail brings a letter "from one of my dogs," and a check or two. Dog food is bought below wholesale, and vets give them discount rates.

Britton is a walking conundrum with a gruff, Texas drawl. A combat soldier in World War II and Korea, he's seen people do horrible things to one another. So he's placed his faith in canines.

"There's people I'd like to kill 'cause of their cruelty to animals. But a dog loves you whether you've got money in the bank or not," he said, his eyes misting.

"If you had no home and had to sleep in the gully, that dog would lie down beside you and be just as happy."

Britton's got no shortage of stories of man's inhumanity to beast. Yet he's also can reel off dozens of tales with happy endings, like the little blind girl, which he jots down as children's stories.

A certified animal behaviorist, he has placed a number of dogs with disabled veterans and other handicapped individuals — including Remington, a companion retriever to 32-year-old Barbara DeMent of Kearns.

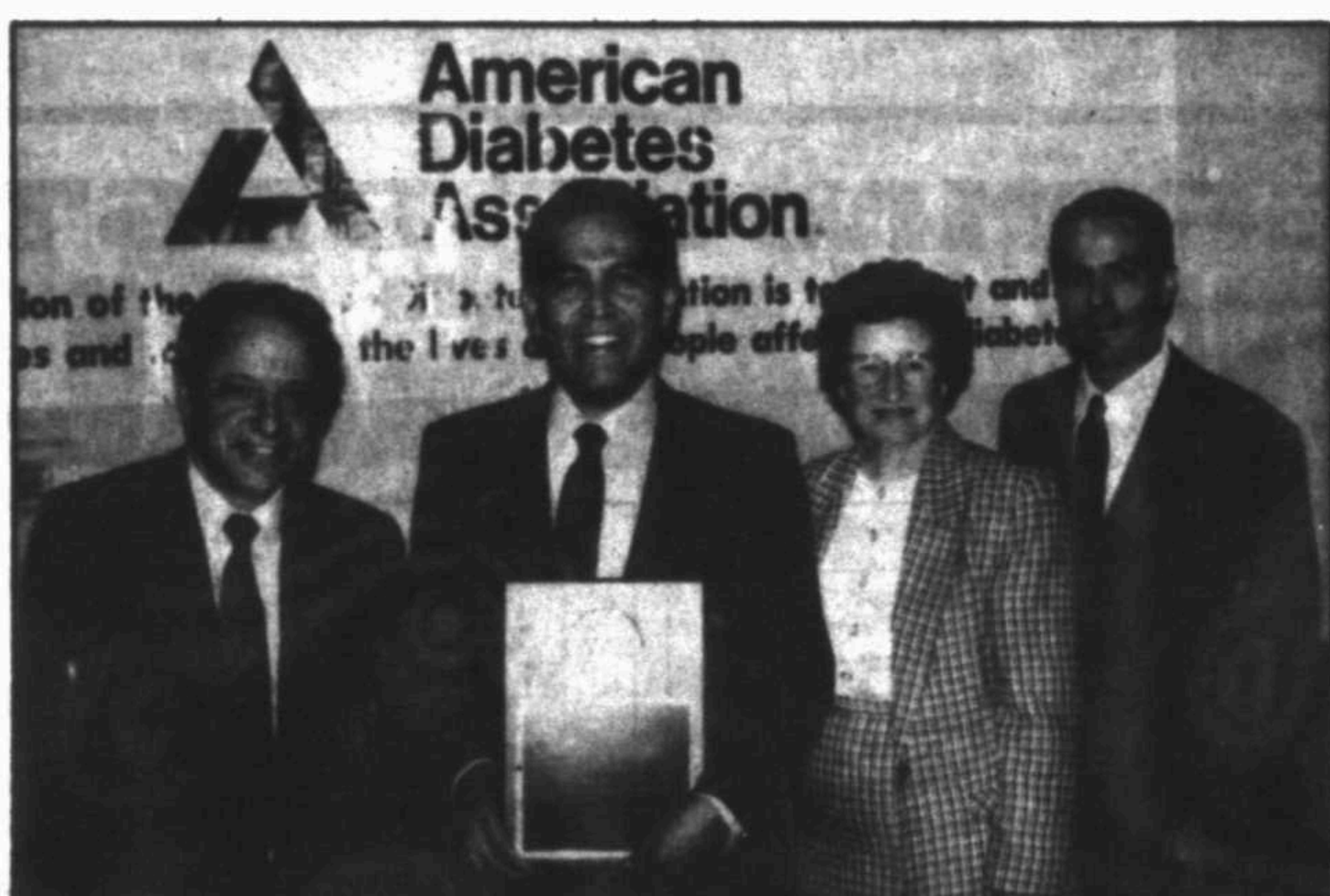
DeMent was barely able to get around the house following radical surgery five years ago. Often alone, she lost her will to live.

Her family, in desperation, got her Remington — an abandoned dog trained

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Bill Britton is a nuzzled by one of his dogs in West Jordan, Utah, where Britton and his wife, Mickie, run the Companion Golden Retriever Rescue Program from their home. The non-profit business, which operates on a shoe string, finds homes for abandoned retrievers.



U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla is presented the American Diabetes Association Award for Legislative Excellence by Dr. Ralph A. DeFronzo, chief of the Diabetes Division at the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio; Dr. Edna Spillar, president of the Texas ADA Affiliate; and Thomas G. Bognanno, executive vice president of the Texas ADA Affiliate.

Bonilla honored by ADA

Staff Report

SAN ANTONIO — The American Diabetes Association announced that Congressman Henry Bonilla is the recipient of the Association's Award for Legislative Excellence.

The American Diabetes Association Award for Legislative Excellence is presented to individuals who have provided exemplary leadership on diabetes-related policy issues. Congressman Bonilla's leadership in this area has been amply demonstrated through his support of the National Institutes of

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Local ADA plans holiday benefit

Staff Report

The local chapter of the American Diabetes Association is sponsoring the Annual Holiday Festival Auction & Gala 7 p.m. Nov. 19 at the Claydesta Atrium.

The event will feature Silent and Live Auctions for those attending to Please see GALA/2D

Identifying, monitoring symptoms helps avert serious outcome for asthma patients

By Dr. Stuart Garay

Associated Press

Teaching patients with asthma to identify and measure intensification in symptoms can possibly help avert serious consequences.

Asthma is a chronic lung condition typified by airway inflammation and acute episodes known as bronchospasms. During these acute episodes, the airways go into spasm in response to pollution, odors, allergens, or stress and result in increased shortness of breath, coughing, and wheezing.

Asthma usually is treated with two forms of medications: inhaled corticosteroids or drugs that block allergens to prevent airway inflammation, and beta adrenergic medications, used during acute episodes of asthma to relax muscles around the airways.

During the past decade, for reasons that are as yet unclear, the incidence of asthma — and fatalities resulting from the condition — have been on the rise. The increase in asthma cases is believed to be due in part to environmental factors.

Other theories that explain the increase in fatalities are more controversial. One suggests frequent use of beta adrenergic medications blunts sensitivity to these drugs, rendering them less effective during acute attacks.

Another theory, subject of a recent article in the *New England Journal of Medicine*, suggests that some patients may lack the ability to sense increasing symptoms or worsening oxygenation in their blood, leading to severe or near-fatal attacks.

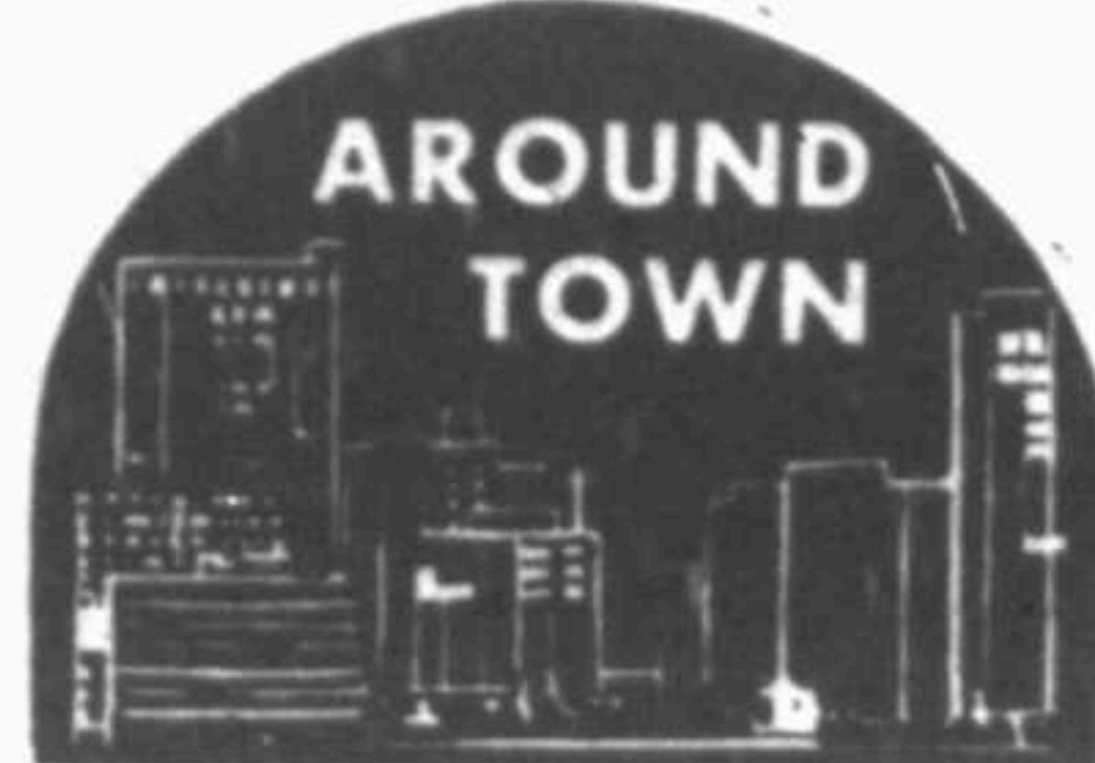
Even those with mild forms of the condition may have a severe attack if they do not treat their symptoms promptly, and it is important that patients know the correct usage of asthma medications. For example, it is believed that about half of those using inhaled corticosteroid medications do so incorrectly.

To prevent worsening conditions or fatalities, patients must be educated about their condition and must learn to measure their condition objectively.

Each patient should be aware of his or her usual peak breath flow, measured by using a peak flow meter, a tube-shaped device used by taking a deep breath and blowing hard into the tube.

Patients should contact their physician immediately if there is a decrease in peak flow, combined with an increase in symptoms and an increased need for medication.

The doctor may refer the patient to specific medications or may instruct them to go to the emergency room immediately for more intensive treatment.



Sepia Fashion Review, traveling fashion show featuring the Vogue-Esquire Models of Chicago, will be in Midland 8 p.m. Dec. 1 at the Yucca Theatre.

The presentation is a fund-raiser for Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. Funds raised will benefit scholarships.

Invitations may be purchased by calling 684-4843, 684-6932 or 682-2654. Donations will be \$12.50 in advance or \$15 at the door...

...CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT of Midland County Public Library will host craft lessons on making Navajo sand paintings 2:30 p.m. Nov. 19. Children aged 6-8 are invited to attend. No registration is required, but participants are accepted on a first come, first served basis...

...SANTA RITA Elementary School's PTA will sponsor a book fair through Friday in the school's library. Hours will be 8:15 a.m.-3:15 p.m. today and Thursday, and 8:15 a.m.-noon Friday. Proceeds will benefit the school...

...MIDLAND GENEALOGICAL Society will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday at 902 W. Dengar. Melba Midkiff will speak on genealogical records in the LDS Library...

The society will host a Beginners Workshop on researching family history 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Saturday at Midland County Public Library. Registration fee will be \$5. Included will be information on how to begin research, county courthouse records and cemeteries, military records, and use of the library for research...

...PERMIAN BASIN Needle Arts chapter, Embroiderers' Guild of America, will meet 9:30-11:30 a.m. Nov. 18 at Midland Country Club's Garden Room. All interested persons are invited to attend. For more information call 550-5038 or 520-3250...

...ASBURY UNITED Methodist Church of Midland will sponsor its 12th annual Fall Art and Craft Festival 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 12 at Midland County Exhibit Building on E. Highway 80. Included will be 102 booths with handmade crafts such as needlepoint, crochet, woodwork and Christmas decorations. The church will have a bakery and a homemade ice cream booth. Admission will be \$1 for adults and children older than 12. Proceeds will benefit the church...

...CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION classes for November at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center will include:

A six-week class 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays from Nov. 22-Dec. 27. Included will be labor and delivery process, well baby care, home safety, parenting skills, post-partum period, infant CPR and breastfeeding.

Refresher class 7-9 p.m. Thursday and Nov. 17. Labor and delivery process will be reviewed.

Infant choking and CPR class 7-8 p.m. Nov. 21.

Breastfeeding class 8-9 p.m. Nov. 21.

These classes require advance registration. For more information call 685-4907...

...16TH SEMI-ANNUAL Wink Beta Sigma Phi Flea Market will be 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at Winkler County Exhibition Building in Wink...

...LEE HIGH School's class of 1985 is planning its 10-year reunion for the weekend of June 24, 1995. Addresses and/or telephone numbers of 1985 LHS graduates are being sought. Contact Reunion Committee, 314 Rocky Lane, Midland, Texas 79703 or call 687-0160. The next reunion committee will be Saturday...

...ALLISON CANCER Center, 2200 W. Illinois, will present the American Cancer Society's Bosom Buddies: Breast Cancer Support Program, 7 p.m. Tuesday at the center. "Hope and a Prayer" video featuring Dr. Bernie Siegel will be shown. All breast cancer patients, their families and friends are invited to attend.

The center will present American Cancer Society's educational series, "I Can Cope," 7 p.m. Nov. 17 at the center. Ron Ellison will speak on "The Psychological Impact of Cancer on the Patient and Family." All cancer patients, their families and friends are invited to attend...

...KEEP MIDLAND Beautiful will observe Texas Recycles Day with a brown-bag lunch 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday at First United Methodist Church, 305 Baird St., Room 101. Robert Cox, with Corporate Recycling Division of Texas General Land Office, will be guest speaker. For more information call 688-4190...

DEAR ABBY

Limited funds limit man's dental care

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have been reading your column forever, it seems, and I must comment on a topic I've seen several times: bad teeth. You suggested that one reason people don't see a dentist is fear. This may be true, but there is also another reason — money. In my case, I have no dental insurance, and I can't afford dental care.

At my age (I am 28), my fillings are falling out. I needed four root canals (at \$500 each), but I avoided them by waiting for the pain in my mouth to outweigh the pain in my wallet. I finally decided to have the teeth pulled (at about \$100 each).

As you said, "A person's general health is threatened if his (or her) teeth are rotting." Therefore, I don't understand why dental needs are not covered by health insurance.

Until they are, I'll have to wait and pray that this great nation of ours will arrive at a plausible health reform that will provide dental care for everyone. — WAITING FOR DENTURES IN BOSTON

DEAR WAITING: Dental insurance may not be as expensive as you think. You may find it would have cost you less than the extractions.

In the interest of your health, try to squeeze dental insurance into your budget, and make some phone calls to find a dentist who will allow you to pay on the installment plan.

DEAR ABBY: I was very moved by the letter from the Utah mother who lost her son, Adam, in an incident involving a toy.

On March 10, 1994, I became



Van Buren

chairman of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC). Our mission is to protect the public from unreasonable risk of injury from consumer products. This includes most of the products found in the home, especially children's products. Since March, I have worked to revitalize this small but important federal agency to address product hazards luckily and effectively. I work personally with my staff to make sure that every complaint is thoroughly investigated.

I have telephoned parents whose children have been killed by consumer products. We have wept together, then worked at finding solutions so that other children will not die tragically.

Abby, please tell your readers that if they have problems in the area of product safety, or want information about consumer products, the Consumer Product Safety Commission is here to help them. Our toll-free hotline is available 24 hours a day with both English and Spanish-speaking operators. Our number is 1-800-638-2772.

Thank you for getting the word out that a small government agency can make a difference in people's lives. — ANN BROWN, CHAIRMAN, U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

DEAR MRS. BROWN: Thank you for your informative letter and for your commitment to this important task.

It has been brought to my attention that immediately after reading the letter from Adam's mother, you telephoned her.

The best of luck to you as chairman of this "small but important" federal agency. Protecting the American consumer is an awesome responsibility, and your dedication will surely result in fewer injuries and deaths caused by unsafe products.

Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

CONSUMING INTERESTS

Coffee bags are idea whose time has come

By Linda Anderson

When I first became a grown-up (my children say that happened back when dinosaurs roamed the earth), a woman I knew told me I'd have to learn to do two things: play bridge and drink coffee.

Well, I never learned how to do either — I can't play a lick of bridge and I don't drink coffee — but when coffee companies started manufacturing single-serving coffee bags, I knew I'd have to do a taste-test on them.

That's where my coffee-drinking friends come in.

One of the newsroom types bought a box of Maxwell House Filter Pack Singles, and taste-tested it for me.

One box of the coffee single-serving bags (actually, they are the same principle as tea bags; only they have ground coffee in them instead of tea leaves) contains 19 coffee bags and costs \$3.19.

Label advertising claims the coffee is "freshly brewed by the cup" (see, just like tea bags). Then it goes on to claim the product is "100 percent pure coffee."

Even more advertising goes like this: "Maxwell House Filter Pack Singles coffee bags are made with a blend of Colombian beans and other choice coffee beans from around the world. Each coffee bag lets you enjoy the rich taste and aroma that makes Maxwell House Coffee... Good To The Last Drop."

There's also a telephone number consumers can call for questions and comments: 1-800-432-6333 toll free, from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Eastern time on weekdays.

Ingredients listed are roast and ground coffee and concentrated coffee. What is that? Concentrated coffee? Never could figure out what that means. Sounds like "coffee crystals" or something like that.

Like tea bags, coffee bags can be brewed by the conventional method — place bag in cup, pour boiling water over it, steep — or the microwave method — place bag and cold water in cup, heat to almost boiling, steep.

The taste-testers said the coffee bags made tasty cups of coffee, and they didn't have to worry



Anderson

about the last cup in the pot. I don't know why the idea wasn't thought of before this. Tea drinkers have had the ability to make single servings for years, but coffee drinkers have always had to worry about that last bit of coffee being too strong or too cold or something equally awful.

Every once in a while someone comes up with a simple, practical, obvious idea that works very well. I think coffee bags for single cups is an idea like that.

Price listed is from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram staff writer.

RESCUE: Dogs saved by Britton make a difference in people's lives

(From 1D)

by Britton — who helps her negotiate stairs, brings her the phone and answers the door.

"I don't know what I'd do without him," DeMent said. "If I need help getting up and down the stairs, I can call him over and he'll let me hold onto his collar and pull me up."

Any visit with Britton is interrupted by phone calls — some from people looking for dogs, others from area animal shelters. Virtually every shelter in Utah — and dozens in surrounding states — know who to call when they've got

a stray golden, and all of them list him as a last resort before euthanasia.

Britton readily admits he can't save all the dogs, but his philosophy is simple: The ones he does save make a difference in people's lives.

Still, not just anyone can walk up and take one of his furry charges. While he doesn't sell them, he does require a new owner to pay for shots and spaying and neutering to offset often horrendous veterinary bills.

He won't let a dog go if it hasn't been fixed; there are enough dogs

without homes, he said. And new owners also must have a fenced yard and promise to let the dog sleep in the house.

"It's tougher to adopt a kid than one of my dogs," he said.

Even then, Britton often solicits a promise that if, for any reason, an owner doesn't want the dog, it will be returned.

Giving them up is hard enough. "Sometimes, I just cry when I see them looking up at me, wondering why I'm sending them away," he said, his voice cracking. "It's like they're saying, 'I was happy here? What did I do?'"

GALA: Local ADA sponsors auction, gala

(From 1D)

start their holiday shopping, as well as an open bar and heavy hors d'oeuvres.

Mike and Dana of KGEE-100 will be masters of ceremonies and James Whitmire of KGEE and KODM will be disc jockey for the evening.

Tickets are available in advance from the ADA with replies requested by Saturday. Tickets are \$15 each or \$25 per couple. "Star Tables" for 10 are available for \$100. Tickets can be purchased at the door the evening of the auction and gala.

Sponsors for the Holiday Festival Auction & Gala are Pinkies Inc., ARCO Permian, Physicians & Surgeons Hospital, Clay-Desta Corporation, Community Foundation of Texas, Jack Brown, Rehabilitation Hospital of Midland-Odessa, Redfern Capital Management, T. Verne Dwyer, Harold Eldridge, NationsBank, Gary L. Thurman and Texas National Bank. Invitation printing is courtesy of Aftah Printing.

For more information, call 685-3375.

AWARD: Congressman Bonilla receives ADA award of excellence

(From 1D)

Health and the Division of Diabetes Translation at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Because of his commitment to these programs, research into diabetes and its complications and diabetes prevention and control efforts have greatly expanded.

Congressman Bonilla has also been a leader of diabetes-related issues in the private sector, specifically in his support of the American Diabetes Association's Diabetes Assistance and Resources (DAR) program. This program specifically seeks to diminish the

impact of diabetes among Hispanics through community-based and culturally sensitive interventions. Bonilla's commitment to this program will help diminish the impact of diabetes among this medically underserved population.

Congressman Bonilla's leadership in these areas has given the 14 million Americans with diabetes, including the almost 800,000 Texans, great hope and promise for a better future. It has also brought us ever closer to fulfilling our mission to prevent and cure diabetes and to improve the lives of all people affected by diabetes.



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YOU MUST BE
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SBF, 27, 5'7", 115 LBS.
Mother, seeking SBF, 22-35, for friendship, possibly more. #28272

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Women Seeking Men

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SBF, 34
Seeks tall, attractive S/DW, 32-45, romantic, adventurous, honest, fun to be with, drug-free, for possible relationship. #28553

SLIMMER SBF, 34
ISO sincere S/DW, 30-40, I enjoy reading, movies, cook outs, sense of humor, family life, fishing. #28211

CF
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Men Seeking Women

FATHER, 29, AND SON, 5
Seeking S/DW, 18-35, who's healthy, enjoys movies, quiet times, and dirt bike racing. Kids O.K. #28175

SBF, 45, 6', 175 LBS.
Professional, diverse interests, romantic, adventurous. ISO W/F or HF, for friendship and romance. #27122

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Financially secure. Seeking S/DW, 25-40. Likes country western dancing, good times. For dating, or possible relationship. #27655

TIERED OF FROGS!
SBF, 32, red hair, blue eyes, ISO ft. attractive, drug and smoke free, working SBF, 22-50. #23843

DWCF, 42
Slim, attractive, good job, loves kids, easygoing, seeks married-minded Christian lady, any race. #25150

PURE COUNTRY
DWF, 67, 165 lbs., 5'7", no tobacco or drugs, wants a life mate. #28227

LOOKING FOR
Someone that wants to be loved and also love. SM, 70's, 6'2", 195 lbs., own my home, NS, non-drinker. #28228

POSITIVE THINKER
SBF, 34, enjoys music, quiet times, ISO SBF, 30-45, for friendship, maybe more. Kids O.K. #27660

Men Seeking Women

CLASSY SLIM BLONDE
DWF, 48, I enjoy travel, dancing and dining. Seeking attractive SBF, similar interests for friendship, relationship. #28127

HANDSOME DALLASITE
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ISO SBF, 21-28, who loves music, movies, sports, quiet evenings, for friendship, possible relationship. Children O.K. #26230

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CASHIERS
MR. GATTI'S, 3205 W. Culbert, now hiring cashiers. Must be able to work day & night shift. Must be 18 yrs. old. No phone calls please. Apply in person between 2 - 5 pm.

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DELIVERY
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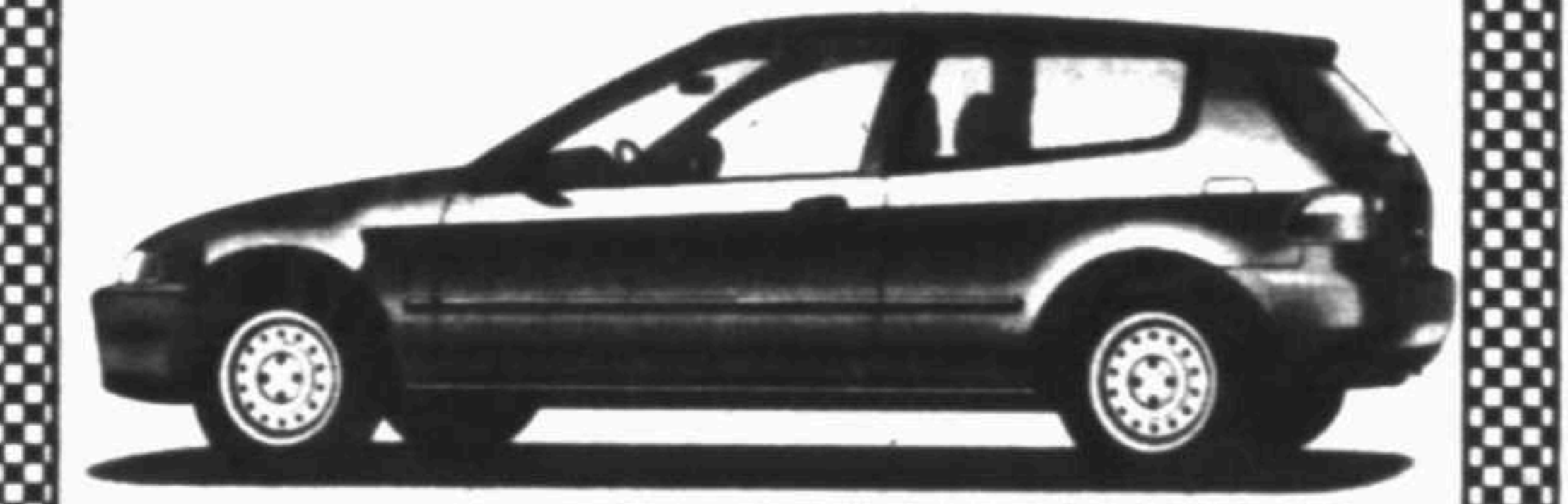
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697-3293, 697-4431, 563-2919

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JEEP 1989 Wagoneer, 4x4, V8, automatic, 81,000 miles, \$2,000. Call 687-3890.

JEEP 1989 Wrangler, 4 wheel drive, soft top, \$8,800 or best offer. 620-0407.

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720 Homes For Sale

BARGAINS OF THE WEEK

CANTERBURY-Large 4 bdrm, 4 bath in Polo Park, reduced to... **\$139,900**

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CIMMARON-Large 4 bdrm, 2 1/2 bath, formal dining, updated... **\$96,500**

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W. GOLF COURSE-Country size 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 living & dining... **\$76,500**

DEBBIE COVE-3 bdrm, 2 bath, paneled den, lovely area... **\$71,900**

WHITTLE WAY-3 bdrm, 2 bath, suken den, updated, nice yard... **\$74,000**

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MAXWELL-3 bdrm, 2 bath, rock fireplace, pine paneling... **\$64,500**

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