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More hostages home; Iraqis refuse to yield



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Former hostage Ed Johnson of St. Louis, followed by the Rev. Jesse Jackson, raises an American flag upon his arrival at Dulles International Airport in Chantilly, Va., on Sunday. Johnson witnessed the actual invasion of Kuwait City.

■ More than 300 Westerners fly out of Baghdad, while an Iraqi official says that "even if we eat mud, we will resist pressure and not kneel down to any foreign power."

By Laura King
Associated Press Writer

Dozens of Americans returned to freedom Sunday in the first major airlift of Westerners from Iraq during the month-old Persian Gulf crisis, but Saddam Hussein's government remained defiant and vowed to "eat mud" before yielding.

U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar, who held two days of talks in Amman, Jordan with the Iraqi foreign minister, Tariq Aziz, said he was "deeply disappointed" with the outcome.

"What Iraq wants is to stay in Kuwait, which is unacceptable to the international community, to the U.N. Security Council and to its secretary-general," Perez de Cuellar told reporters in Paris Sunday.

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Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev and President Bush are to discuss the gulf crisis and other issues Sept. 9 in Helsinki, Finland. But even following the weekend announcement of the superpower summit, some leaders warned a speedy resolution was unlikely.

"We have to settle down for a long haul, which will require a good deal of steady determination on the part of all concerned," said British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd.

For the freed hostages, joy and relief upon reaching safety was muted by fears for those left behind. Saddam, the Iraqi president, is using captive foreigners as human shields to protect key Iraqi installations against potential attack by the U.S.-led multinational force.

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Embassy drinks pool water, burns furniture

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans remaining in the U.S. Embassy in Kuwait are breaking up the furniture for firewood and boiling water from the swimming pool to drink, a photographer who accompanied Jesse Jackson to the Middle East said Sunday.

D. Michael Cheers, a freelance photo journalist who also has worked as a consultant to Jackson, said the streets of Kuwait City outside the embassy are "basically deserted" but are heavily patrolled by Iraqi troops who invaded the country on Aug. 2.

Cheers said he heard no shots fired in the streets, although Bonnie Anderton, a Denver woman who was among the hostages returning with Jackson, said the sound of gunfire was frequent.

Noting that Iraqi officials had described American and other foreign hostages as guests, Mrs. Anderton said, "It is the only hotel I have ever been a guest in that I don't intend to leave a tip."

"We were sleeping on the floor, there was no water and no power and we were being eaten alive by bugs," she said.

Mrs. Anderton and Lloyd Culbertson, 76, of El Paso, Texas, both told of eating a diet heavy on frozen turkey.

"I have never eaten so much turkey in my life," said Culbertson.

Cheers said Edward Johnson, 62, a St. Louis businessman who took refuge in the embassy while in Kuwait City, told him that much of the frozen food later spoiled. The embassy was without outside power and was operating its generators only part of the time to conserve them. He said the hostages had switched to a diet of canned goods, especially tuna.

"They are boiling water from the pool and breaking up furniture from the compound to use to cook in the wood stoves," said the photographer, who took

Please see **EMBASSY**/2A

UT dean says Texans' actions 'almost a war-effort mentality'

DALLAS (AP) — Texans seem to be embracing the U.S. military buildup in the Persian Gulf with a fervor experts portray as classic Lone Star State behavior.

In El Paso, a radio station is recording the prayers and the pep talks of loved ones left behind, and businesses are lending equipment to the Army.

In Killeen, shop owners have erected signs expressing support for America's fighting forces, and pawnshops are extending the loans of soldiers sent to the Middle East.

And along the Gulf Coast, shipping of military gear has increased so dramatically in the past month that some locals have hauled lawn chairs to the waterfront for the latest family activity: port watching.

"It's almost a war-effort mentality," said Max Sherman, dean of the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs at the University of Texas at Austin.

"Nobody wants it (war) to happen, but they're ready," he told The Dallas Morning News.

For Texas, the risks are high. Nine San Antonio reservists died in West Germany last week when their military transport plane crashed en route to the Middle East. As many as 20 percent of the 3,000 U.S. hostages in Iraq are believed to be from Texas.

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Midlander's body found on lake bottom

Staff Report

COKE COUNTY — Divers found the body of 28-year-old Jaime Ochoa of Midland Sunday afternoon at the bottom of Oak Creek Reservoir, officials reported.

Ochoa and Rene D. Garcia, 18, of Levelland were fishing from a semi-submerged, abandoned bridge about 6:30 p.m. Saturday when a thunderstorm blew in, according to Coke County Sheriff Marshall Millican.

The men jumped into the water to seek shelter from hail in the storm, he said.

Millican said Ochoa and Garcia were fishing with several other men off the abandoned bridge.

Please see **DROWN**/2A

Baylor economist named to direct Energy Information Administration

■ Calvin Kent will be analyzing energy demand and using that data to formulate a national energy policy.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Calvin Kent is hanging onto some Texas informality in a new job that's given him a front row view of the Persian Gulf crisis.

"I'm Cal Kent," he says, greeting strangers with a smile and a drawl.

President Bush last month appointed the Baylor University economist to lead the Energy Information Administration, the government's energy fact-finding agency.

He took office a few days after Iraq invaded Kuwait. Since then, Kent says, EIA analysts have been in high-gear measuring the effects of the invasion on U.S. energy supply and demand.

"We're making folks work, instead of 12-hour days, 18-hour days," he said.

Kent himself was called before two congressional committees the day after his swearing-in to discuss the higher cost of gasoline.

He leads about 1,000 "just the facts-type people" who study U.S. energy use. About half of them are EIA employees. The rest work for contractors.

"Of course, we have to interpret these facts and say 'These are trends, directions,'" Kent said during an interview last week.

"But by the same token, we're not the ones who are going around saying 'Yes you ought to pass this measure' or 'No you ought not pass this measure.'"

Those decisions are left to the DOE's policymakers and Congress, he said.

The EIA has long concentrated its analysis on energy supply — how and who will meet it. But, with Kent's appointment, the agency will shift more attention to energy demand — who is using the most and how can they use less.

"It's very clear to everyone ... that we're going to have to be more efficient. We're going to have to conserve," Kent said. "We can't just assume that whatever demand is, we're going to be able to find supply.

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MONDAY NEWS WATCH

Lost at sea

After several weeks of being lost at sea, the four crewmen of the trimaran Rose-Noelle were bickering about food, water, and who was in charge. In the second part of a three-part series, two crewmen continue the story that is one of the great sagas of survival at sea.

Please see **CREWMEN**/4C

Robin's tree

NOTTINGHAM, England (AP) — Sherwood Forest rangers have intensified their fire watch at the Major Oak, the tree where legend says Robin Hood and his merry men hid out.

Authorities say drought has turned parts of the forest tinder-dry, and fire patrols have been stepped up, especially at the 60-foot tall Major Oak.

The tree, thought to be 600 to 800 years old, is a favorite tourist attraction at Sherwood Forest.

Papal visit

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (AP) — Pope John Paul II on Sunday urged cooperation and brotherhood between Christianity and Islam, two religions with ancient rivalries in Africa.

John Paul said dialogue between Christians and Moslems "is increasingly important in today's world."

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The money goes to aid the camp, which is for children with cancer and blood-related diseases. This year's campers include some Ukrainian children with leukemia who came to the camp from the Chernobyl area.

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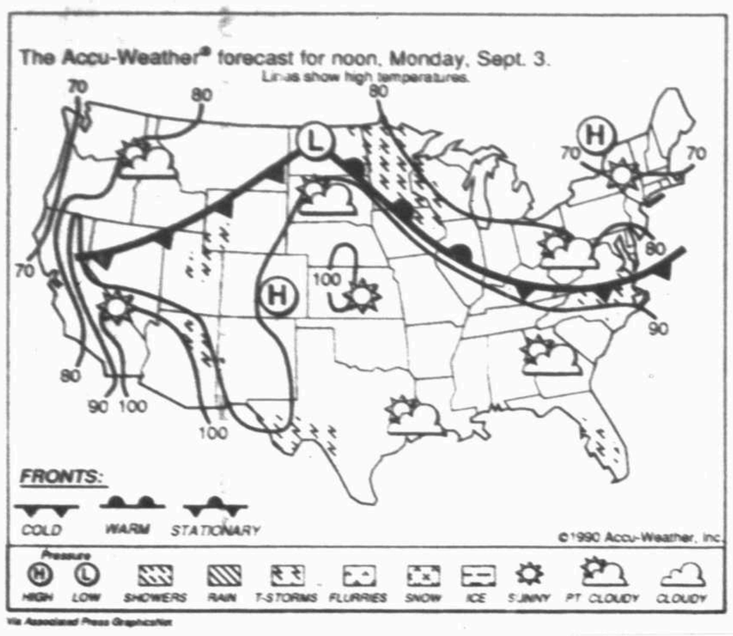
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WEATHER SUMMARY



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Partly cloudy skies forecast

Staff Report

National Weather Service forecasters at Midland International Airport are calling for partly cloudy Labor Day skies, with a high in the upper 80s and a 20 percent chance of afternoon thundershowers. Winds will be from the southeast at 10 to 15 mph.

Tonight will be partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of evening thundershowers. The low is expected to be in the mid 60s.

The forecast for Tuesday calls for partly cloudy skies, less than a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms, and a high near 90.

The high Sunday was 90, compared with the record for Sept. 2 of 103 set in 1937. Sunday's low was 65. The record low for today's date is 51, set in 1984.

STATE

Partly cloudy skies hung over most of Texas Sunday as an upper level low moved into northern Mexico. Cloudy skies were predicted for much of the state over Labor Day.

West Texas experienced some cooler temperatures Sunday after several days in the 90s and low 100s. Sunday afternoon, the temperatures were in the upper 80s with a few areas in the low 90s.

Scattered afternoon and evening showers were predicted for Labor Day, with highs in the 90s.

Central Texas had scattered showers and thunderstorms Sunday, with strong thunderstorms in the middle Rio Grande Plains. Clear skies were reported in the Panhandle.

The Associated Press also contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy, high in the upper 80s, southeast winds 10-15 mph, 20 percent chance of afternoon thundershowers.

Tonight: Partly cloudy, continued 20 percent chance of thundershowers, low in the mid 60s.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, high near 90, less than 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	90 degrees
Overnight Low	65 degrees
Sunset today	8:12 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:26 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.00 inches
Year to date	08.37 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	95	6 a.m.	66
7 p.m.	87	7 a.m.	65
8 p.m.	86	8 a.m.	66
9 p.m.	82	9 a.m.	75
10 p.m.	79	10 a.m.	79
11 p.m.	79	11 a.m.	81
midnight	75	noon	84
1 a.m.	75	1 p.m.	86
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County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Howard, Andrews, Martin, Gaines, Glasscock, Borden, Reagan and Dawson: Labor Day and Monday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. High in the upper 80s. Low Monday night in the mid 60s. Southeast wind 10 to 15 mph on labor day. Chance of rain is 20 percent both labor day and Monday night. Tuesday, partly cloudy with isolated afternoon thunderstorms. High near 90. Chance of rain less than 20 percent.

Sterling, Tom Green, [illegible] and Coke: Labor Day, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. High in the upper 80s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Monday night, partly cloudy. Low in the mid 60s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 80s.

Extended forecast

West Texas: Western portions, Panhandle and South Plains, partly cloudy, chance of late afternoon and evening thunderstorms Wednesday. Highs around 90. Lows mid-60s. Same for Permian Basin and Concho-Pecos Valley. Highs lower 90s. Lows mid to upper 60s. Far West, partly cloudy and cooler, slight chance of thunderstorms Wednesday and Thursday. Highs mid-80s. Lows lower 60s. Big Bend, isolated late afternoon and evening thunderstorms Wednesday. Highs lower 80s mountains to lower 90s river. Lows 60s.

GULF: Iraq vows to 'eat mud' before yielding

(From 1A)

About 21,000 Westerners, including 3,000 Americans, were stranded in Iraq and Kuwait by the Aug. 2 invasion.

A chartered Iraqi Airways Boeing 747, carrying more than 300 Westerners, arrived in Washington on Sunday after stopovers in Paris and London. It left Baghdad on Saturday along with two other planeloads of foreigners.

Among those arriving in Britain was Stuart Lockwood, the 5-year-old British boy whose hair was tousled by Saddam in a television encounter with a group of Western hostages last month. The sight of a smiling Saddam clasping the uncomfortable-looking child brought expressions of revulsion from Western leaders.

Stuart arrived home Sunday with his mother, Glenda, and brother, Craig, but his father was still being held.

The flight continued on to Washington, and the 47 weary Americans arrived at Dulles International Airport outside the capital after 24 hours of travel. One of the arrivals, 76-year-old Lloyd Culbertson of El Paso, Texas, was asked if the hostages left behind feared for their lives.

"Yes, they certainly do," he said. And Culbertson said, "I wasn't a guest. I damned near starved to death."

At Tokyo's international airport, 68 Japanese women and children arriving on a Japan Air Lines flight were greeted by tearful relatives and friends, a day after leaving Iraq. Japan welcomed their release but expressed fears for 344 of its nationals still in Iraq.

A Lufthansa plane with 250 women and 61 children on board — including 60 Americans and 71 Germans — landed early Sunday in Frankfurt, West Germany, after leaving Baghdad late Saturday. A few arriving passengers smiled briefly or waved, but nearly all looked grim and exhausted.

The airlifts came after Saddam, in what he called a humanitarian gesture, announced last week that women and children among the foreign captives would be allowed to leave Iraq.

However, the departure of several hundred more Western women and children from Baghdad was apparently delayed as Iraq withheld landing clearance for two special flights from Britain and France.

If permission is not granted, a British Foreign Office spokesman said hostages could return home on Iraqi Airways, even though regularly scheduled flights by the Iraqi carrier are banned under the U.N. trade embargo.

Western governments have demanded the release of all the hostages, and denounced Iraq's foot-dragging in freeing the women and children as promised.

Confirming previous reports that Iraq had begun to ration food, government spokesman Naji Al-Hadithi said in Baghdad, "We have a war-tested society. We have a war-tested economy. So even if we eat mud, we will resist pressure and not kneel down to any foreign power."

At the same meeting with reporters, Culture Minister Latif Nasaif Jasim declared, "We need only bread and water. We need no more than that. We can live for a long time.

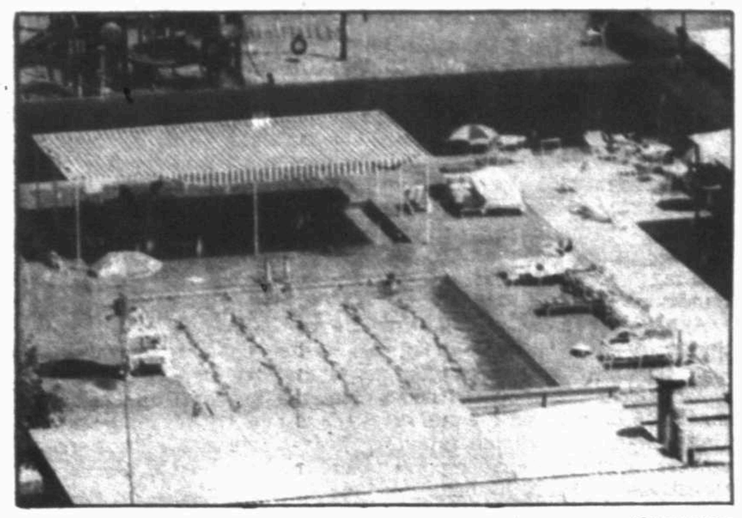
"Dignity is more important than food," he added.

Britain's Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher heaped scorn on Saddam over the hostage-holding, calling him "a person who has taken hostages, cruelly, brutally, and a person who has hidden behind the skirts of women and children."

"This man is a loser," she said in an interview aired Sunday on Britain's TV-AM network. The official Iraqi News Agency responded by calling the prime minister an "old hag."

In occupied Kuwait, hardships intensified at embassies defying an Iraqi order to close their doors. Many missions are without power and water, surrounded by troops, and the skeleton staffs operating the missions are virtual prisoners.

A diplomatic source in Brussels said Sunday the East German ambassador was picked up by Iraqi authorities and taken to Baghdad.



AP Laserphoto

An unidentifed man swims in the pool at the U.S. Embassy in Kuwait City. The people remaining at the embassy are boiling water from the pool to drink and are breaking up the furniture to use in the wood cook stove.

EMBASSY: Residents boiling pool water, burning furniture

(From 1A)

pictures inside the embassy compound for The Associated Press.

Outside, he said, "The streets, as well as the highways, are just littered with burned out cars and cars that have been abandoned, the tires taken off of them."

"We went to this beach-front not far from the embassy compound, and it was just littered with spent shells," he said.

"The place is pretty messed up," he said. The streets were virtually deserted both on their first visit on Friday, a Moslem holy day, and when they visited again on Saturday, Cheers added.

The photographer said the scene in Baghdad, the capital of Iraq, was a sharp contrast to that in Kuwait City.

"You don't see the tanks in the street and the sandbags," he said. "People are going about their ordinary business."

Jackson flew to Amman, Jordan, on Monday, went on to Baghdad on Wednesday and flew to Kuwait on Friday. On that trip, he went to the Embassy but did not get past the entrance.

After flying to Baghdad again and meeting with Iraqi President Saddam Hussein, Jackson returned to Kuwait to pick up the hostages.

On the trip across the Atlantic in the Iraqi airways jumbo jet, the hostages had little to say, Cheers reported.

"Their attitude was, 'We are just stressed out. We have been told so many different things at so many different times over the course of the last month.' Basically, they just wanted to be left alone."

TEXAS: Gulf crisis called 'net positive thing' for state

(From 1A)

According to historians and state officials, Texas long has been at or near the top in the percentage of residents who join the armed forces each year. Republican Sen. Phil Gramm said about one in every 10 members of the U.S. armed forces is from Texas. And the state is in the top three nationally in National Guard enrollment.

Some experts say financial rewards for Texas also could be high, even if shots are never fired. The Gulf emergency may finally yield a comprehensive national energy policy that would encourage domestic production, a potentially critical boost for a long-suffering Texas economy.

Moreover, it could slow the stampede toward massive cuts in defense spending that would be particularly painful in Texas with its three major Army posts, 11 Air Force bases and array of defense contractors.

"It (the crisis) is a net positive thing for Texas because we're a net exporter of oil and because it will keep the defense budget up," said Dr. M. Ray Perryman, president of Perryman Consultants Inc., a forecasting business based in Waco.

It is conventional wisdom that Texas, the world's ninth-largest oil producer, gains about 15,000 jobs for every $1 increase in the price of a barrel of oil.

In the four weeks since Iraq invaded Kuwait, oil prices on the futures market have nearly doubled, eclipsing at times the $30-per-barrel mark. If the higher prices are sustained for several months, some experts say, it probably will spur oil companies to open old wells or drill new ones.

The showdown clearly has fueled activity in some other Texas industries as well, particularly transportation-related businesses.

At the Port of Houston, for example, officials say the military buildup has been good for business and morale.

"We have been involved with the military for the last several years in the Port Readiness Program, and we're listed as a Military Out Port," said port spokesman Lee Vela. "So, we're very pleased to be able to assist the military in this operation, whatever we can do."

At the shipyard in Orange, Texas, David Bolton of Century Marine Inc., said his corporation has been involved in reactivating Ready Reserve Fleet vessels to carry cargo to the Middle East. The activity is helping the economy of the long-depressed Beaumont-Port Arthur area.

The Ready Reserve is a fleet of mothballed, government-owned cargo ships kept in strategic ports around the country, available for activation in the event of a national emergency. About 100 such ships are based in Beaumont-Port Arthur.

"It's a pleasure, certainly, because it's good for business," Vela said. But, he said, the rewards aren't limited to the financial.

"It's doing it for the country and that kind of stuff. Everybody's proud of it over here. Sorry it's going on but glad to be a part of it."

Elsewhere, tons of trucks, tanks and supplies have been rolling on Texas rails from army bases to Gulf Coast ports.

DROWN: Man's body found

(From 1A)

Winds were blowing and the lake choppy as the two men were swept under the water, Millican said. Unable to find their companions, the other fishermen went for help.

Immediately, volunteers pitched in to search for the two missing men, Millican said.

Rescuers in four or five boats began dragging the lake bottom. Five divers from the Sweetwater Fire Department were called in to help.

Officials with Texas Department of Fish & Wildlife and the Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department also participated in the search.

About 10:30 p.m. Saturday, searchers found Garcia's body on the bottom of the lake about 150 feet from the bridge, Millican said.

The search for Ochoa was suspended about 1:30 a.m. Sunday.

"We started searching again at daylight, Millican told the Abilene Reporter-News. "There were a lot of people helping."

Divers found Ochoa's body about 2:30 p.m. Sunday underneath the same bridge he had used for shelter from the hail.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

KENT: Baylor man to head energy agency

(From 1A)

"And so we've got to be in the position where we can supply the data, and do the analysis and be able to model better on the demand side."

Kent will lead the agency's effort to develop a new National Energy Modeling System, which will be used to form a national energy policy.

EIA analysts will try to build into the model energy questions that are not being asked. They'll try to take out the formulas that no longer matter, Kent said.

The Persian Gulf crisis has renewed calls for energy conservation. Some say the nation has gotten away from good conservation habits because oil has been inexpensive.

But Kent said statistics show the nation is using energy more wisely.

"We may not have done all that we should have done or all that we could have done," he said. "But we are a much more energy-efficient country than we were in 1973."

He said the question is whether the country will be able to accelerate the gains of the last 17 years.

"That, of course, is for the policymakers to answer. What we want to do is to be in the position to evaluate and analyze these options," Kent said.

Group urges carcinogenic pesticide ban

WASHINGTON (AP) — An environmental group said Sunday the government should gradually halt the use of many cancer-causing chemicals on food because it cannot measure how many of the substances a person may consume.

In a report, the non-governmental U.S. Public Interest Research Group (PIRG) said that as many as 60 cancer-causing pesticides can legally be used on the most commonly eaten foods under Environmental Protection Agency rules.

But the EPA does not adequately account for the accumulated exposure to such pesticides through consumption of various foods, the report said. Critics also maintain that some levels are based on outdated health and medical information.

"Rather than ban a chemical, the EPA uses the inexact science of risk assessment to set very politicized standards for carcinogens and declares the risks 'negligible,'" said the report.

An EPA spokesman, Al Heier, said that the report reflected nothing new and that the agency three years ago published a list of cancer-causing chemicals in foods. He said that the EPA is reviewing the status of scores of such chemicals that are used as long as residue levels remain within specific limits.

Rick Tinsworth, director of the EPA's review efforts, said the direction in which the EPA is going "parallels what they (the environmentalists) are suggesting." He said the EPA hopes by 1997 to have reviewed the status of some 400 pesticides and determine whether they should remain in use.

The PIRG report documents to what extent cancer-causing pesticides are being used on a variety of commonly eaten foods from beef and pork to vegetables and dairy products.

"Ten of these commonly eaten foods surveyed are allowed to contain 20 or more of these carcinogens," said the report. It noted that 32 different types of cancer-causing pesticides can be used on beef, 30 types on pork, and 20 or more types on poultry, peaches, grapes, eggs, tomatoes, apples, milk and corn.

The report acknowledged that a farmer would not use all of these pesticides on a single crop, perhaps choosing one or a combination of several, instead.

"The point is that if it did occur it would be legal," wrote Rick Hind, U.S. PIRG's environmental director, in the report.

Hind said the correct answer to protecting health is the "systematic and orderly phaseout" of the cancer-causing chemicals. He noted some supermarkets already have suggested a phaseout. The report suggested that the most menacing of the cancer-causing pesticides be banned over the next eight years.



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Administration scrambles to prepare for Gorbachev

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine, (AP) — President Bush's hastily called summit with Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev will likely consist of about five hours of talks devoted largely to the Persian Gulf crisis, administration officials said Sunday.

"We're comparing notes. We would be explaining where we think the situation is, where we would go," one source said, describing the discussion as similar to the ongoing consultations Bush has had with several other world leaders on the crisis.

On Saturday when he announced the summit, Bush said the gulf crisis was one of many items to be discussed. "There is no special agenda relating to the Middle East," he said. The meeting is scheduled for next Sunday in Helsinki, Finland.

Although Bush had said Saturday he saw no mediating role for the Soviets, one official said Sunday that Bush would welcome any influence they may have in getting Iraq to pull out of Kuwait.

An administration official said Sunday that any discussion of Soviet mediation implies that the gulf crisis is a dispute between Iraq and the United States. The administration says that U.S. forces are in the area to enforce an international response to the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait and threat against Saudi Arabia.

The officials would speak only on condition of anonymity.

The administration on Sunday began working out the details of the Helsinki meeting.

"Everybody's scrambling to put their pieces together," said one official. Bush returns to Washington on Monday evening from his three-week vacation.

Sig Rogich, the White House official in charge of advance logistics and imagemaking, was called back from a vacation Sunday to coordinate such details as where in Helsinki the meeting will be held and what time.

Sununu flew Saturday to his home state of New Hampshire after arriving Saturday in Washington from London, and on Sunday was driving his family back to Washington. He did not plan to see Bush until the president's return to the capital.

Lower-level staffers met at the White House on Sunday to begin work on logistics and contacting their Soviet counterparts.

Bush held his proposal for a summit meeting so closely to his vest that several top White House staff members did not know about it when they were in the Soviet Union during the week, officials said. Bush's secretary of state, James A. Baker III, made the arrangements by phone with his Soviet counterpart.

The United States and Soviet Union are engaged in talks to reduce troops and tanks in Europe and hope to get an agreement in time for a 35-nation conference that is planned in Europe in November.

Bush and Gorbachev also will discuss regional issues, such as the ongoing conflict in Cambodia and Soviet involvement in Afghanistan, according to the president and his aides.

Bush's wife, Barbara, and Gorbachev's wife Raisa also will travel to Helsinki. No details of their schedule have been disclosed.

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NASA sets new launch date

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — NASA corrected communications problems with the X-ray telescope aboard space shuttle Columbia on Sunday, clearing the way for a third launch attempt on Thursday.

The launch of Columbia and its Astro observatory, which NASA has halted twice in the past three months, is scheduled for 12:20 a.m. CDT Thursday. The countdown begins at 12 a.m. CDT Monday.

NASA has not sent up a shuttle since April, when Discovery carried the flawed Hubble Space Telescope into orbit. It is the longest gap between missions since flights resumed following the 1986 Challenger disaster.

Columbia was to have flown Saturday but a communication problem was noticed Thursday in the X-ray telescope in the $150 million Astro observatory.

Workers Saturday installed a new electronic component to enable the telescope to communicate with launch control computers.

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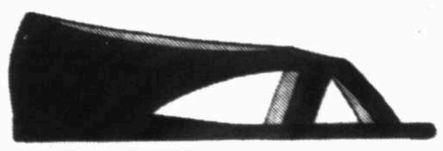
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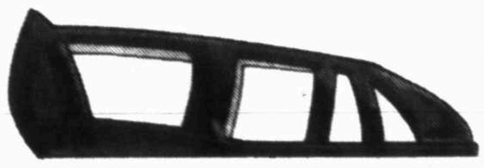
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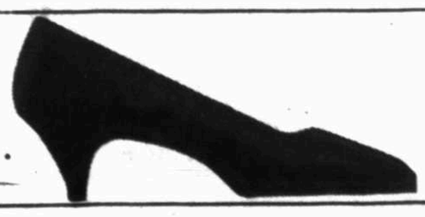
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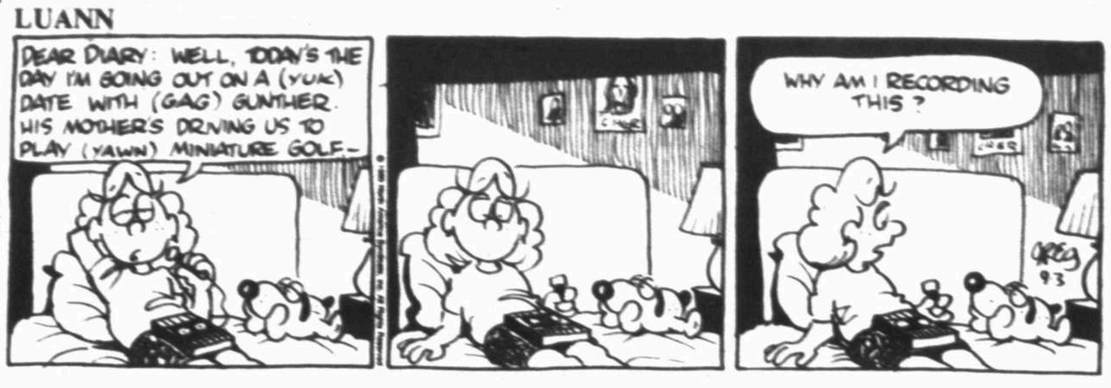
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By Jeane Dixon

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1990

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Your self-esteem grows when you take on a new job this fall. Secret desires can be fulfilled in December and January. Professional favors will be returned tenfold in spring 1991. You will be able to launch a business or land valuable clients. Start a diet-exercise regimen with your doctor's approval. Travel will be especially rewarding next June. Renew an old relationship with someone you have missed.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actresses Valerie Perrine and Eileen Brennan, actor Alan Ladd, cartoonist Mort Walker.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Go after your goals one at a time! Your timing is perfect. Power comes through who you know. Protect your ideas by putting them on paper. Create a more positive atmosphere for your children.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A stormy business session could raise roadblocks for your ideas. Do not let someone push you into compromising your values. Romance improves when you are more sensitive to others' needs and moods.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your hard work pays off handsomely today! A raise or promotion is in the works. A relative may resist your efforts to be helpful. Take a new approach to an old problem.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A parent-child conflict needs to be handled with love. Personal possessions take on added importance. What appears to be a setback may turn out to be a boon! Seek information from old friends.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Make overdue changes after checking out the facts for yourself. You are a genius at moneymaking! There is a new emphasis on long-term relationships. A partnership flourishes.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Projects begun now will have a major impact on your future financial security. Unconventional suggestions meet with acceptance. Casual acquaintances may try to pump you for information.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Be careful of someone who claims to be your friend in a business deal. Be subtle with a member of the opposite sex. Your popularity runs high. You are able to get special favors.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Stick to the middle of the road today. Avoid going to extremes. Settle down to a comfortable pace at work but do not goof off. Progress should be smooth as your accuracy improves.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Concentration may be difficult. Work quietly behind the scenes. Keep a doctor or dentist appointment. Money could come from unexpected sources. Give your family a special treat tonight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Give others more freedom. You have great staying power where romance is concerned. Watch that jealousy does not erode a business relationship. An older person helps you financially.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Curb credit card use to avoid running up huge bills. Your co-workers are accommodating today. Write crisp, urgent memos and you will get the attention you deserve. A romantic ploy succeeds.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Do not rush when making decisions with long-term consequences. Your concern for a loved one ends. There could be some truth to the gossip you hear today. Welcome a key assignment.

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1— Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K9 ♡AQ654 ◇AQJ2 ♣83
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ◇	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
?			

What action do you take?
A.—Partner almost surely has a six-card suit on this auction, although he might not have much more than a minimum response. Nevertheless, you have not yet shown the full value of your hand, since your king in partner's suit must be upgraded. Raise to three spades.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠652 ♡J ◇AJ9 ♣AK7643
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♡	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—The auction has developed inconveniently and you have an awkward problem. You are too strong for a simple preference to two spades, and your trumps leave a great deal to be desired for a jump to three spades. We suggest a temporizing bid of three diamonds. Should partner proceed to three no trump, we can relax. Over any other action, we intend bidding four spades.

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠J1076 ♡9 ◇Q732 ♣A1076
The bidding has proceeded:

West	North	East	South
1 ♡	Dbl	3 ♡	?

What action do you take?
A.—Don't let East's preempt stop you from showing your values. Opposite a vulnerable takeout double, you have a pretty fair hand and you could easily have game. Bid three spades. Don't worry about the quality of the suit. Partner surely has four spades on this auction, or compensating values.

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q105 ♡75 ◇A10654 ♣852
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	2 ♡	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—We think you had enough to bid two spades immediately. Now, certainly, a simple two spades won't do your hand justice. Jump to three spades—partner won't expect more from you because of your previous pass.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠Q96 ♡QJ9873 ◇7 ♣643
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♡	Pass
2 NT	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—You want to be in game, but not in no trump—you might not produce a single trick for partner, whereas at a heart contract your hand could generate five tricks or more. Bid four hearts. That simply says that you want to play in a heart game and does not promise additional values. Partner must pass.

Q.6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠K7653 ♡AQ6 ◇AK83 ♣7
Partner opens the bidding with one spade. What do you respond?
A.—You are far too strong to jump to three spades. This hand is headed for slam, so you should flash the signal immediately. Jump shift to three diamonds. Don't worry about your shortness there. Partner has bid the ranking suit and you definitely intend playing this hand in spades.

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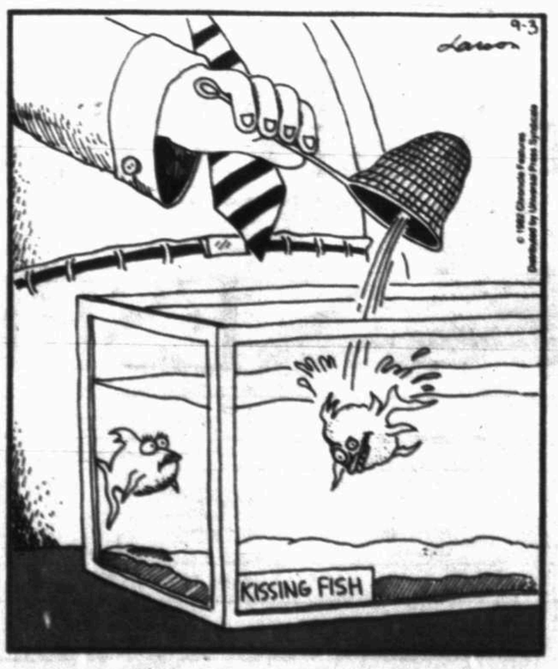
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PEOPLE

Iacocca to dedicate Ellis museum, designate site as national shrine

DETROIT (AP) — **Lee Iacocca**, preparing to reopen New York's Ellis Island next weekend, says the racial melting pot is what makes America work.


Iacocca

"Whether it's food, or dress, or the arts, music, whatever," he said. "If we're losing control of our destiny, it's because we aren't facing up to our heritage. And what's that? Back to Ellis Island."

The Chrysler Corp. chairman led the drive to raise $345 million to restore Ellis Island and the Statue of Liberty, which was rededicated in 1986.

Iacocca will dedicate the new Ellis Island Immigration Museum and designate the 27-acre site as a national shrine next Sunday on the island in New York Harbor.

Immigrants have learned hard work and sacrifice are keys to a better life, Iacocca said.

Iacocca, an immigrant's son, said the gateway to the United States for 17 million Americans can give the country a needed boost of morale. But the Ellis Island celebration will be low-key — dinner and speeches — compared to the hoopla of the statue four years ago.

"One guy called me and said, 'What are you, crazy? Why are we having a black-tie dinner? Is that in keeping with the immigrant experience?' I said, 'What do you want, for us to come in rags?' " Iacocca said. "I just thought it would be a nice touch, and you do honor to the fact that we made it — we can even afford to rent a tux."

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MALIBU, Calif. (AP) — **Dustin Hoffman, Steven Spielberg, Jack Lemmon, Walter Matthau** and **Dinah Shore** have new neighbors in this oceanside celebrity enclave. **Frank and Barbara Sinatra** have purchased a home there, public records show. The Sinatras already have homes in Rancho Mirage and Beverly Hills.


Sinatra

The purchase price was probably about $3 million, and if the Sinatras put a a new home on the site, it could be worth about three times that, according to a real estate agent who was not involved in the transaction but has listings there.

"The lots for my listings were sold for $3 million each, and that didn't include a house," said Robert Rubenstein of Malibu Realty Inc.

The house now on the third of an acre has two stories, five bedrooms, 4½ baths and 2,858 square feet. It is 31 years old. The broker, Jerry Pritchett, said he would not discuss the sale.

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KITTREDGE, Colo. (AP) — There's trouble brewing down on Troublesome Gulch where former presidential candidate **Gary Hart** has started locking a gate, prompting a neighboring ranching family to file suit.


Hart

"We've tried very hard to be a good neighbor and they resist being a good neighbor," said **Lois Choate**, 80, on Friday. She and three of her children sued the Harts recently in District Court at Golden, shortly after the Harts began locking a gate at night to block the Troublesome Gulch road.

Hart and his wife live on about 170 acres. The Choates live next door on a 215-acre spread. The Choate suit claims the gate illegally blocked a longtime access to the Choate property.

The Choates' lawyer, Victor Boog, says a 1905 document granted legal access across the Hart property on what apparently was a former stagecoach road. The Choates have been using the road for more than 40 years.

Hart was out of town last week and unavailable for comment. His wife, **Lee**, and their lawyer declined to talk about the dispute.

Choate's grandson, Scott Carson, 37, said the family shouldn't have to back down "just because we're bumping up against a rich and powerful man. Dadgum it, we feel like we're in the right."

Boog said the Harts initially refused to give the Choates keys to the gate but have since provided them until the suit is settled. The Choate family fears the nighttime locking of the gate is another step in a plan to eventually deny them access altogether, Boog said.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — What a difference a day makes if you're country singer **Kathy Mattea**.

"Two weeks ago, within a 24-hour period, I had my first gold record party, re-signed with PolyGram (Records) and got nominated for four Country Music Association awards, including entertainer of the year," Mattea said in a recent interview. "I was just reeling from it."

Her album "Willow In The Wind" sold half a million copies. Besides the nomination for the Entertainer of the Year, the country music group's top award, she is up for CMA's female vocalist, single and video of the year awards. The winners will be announced in October.

"It's been overwhelming. I've cried a lot, to be completely honest. It's not that I'm not grateful, but it's a lot to keep in perspective," said the 31-year-old former tour guide, waitress and demo singer.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 1990 — Programs subject to change without notice

	KMID Mid/Old CABLE 3	KOSA Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ Mid/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
7:00	MDA Telethon	This Morning	Today	Menace	Wowser	Gilligan	Los Ninos	Jerry Lewis Te-	Nation's Bus.	Body Electric	
7:30	MDA Jerry	"	"	Muppets	Magisterm	Bewitched	Los Ninos	lethon	SportsCenter	Degrassi High	
8:00	Lewis Labor	"	"	Flintstones	Our House	Movie: "El Pe-	MDA Jerry	Lewis Labor	"	Sesame Street	
8:30	Day Telethon	"	"	C.O.P.S.	"	ligro de la	Lewis Labor		Reporters	"	
9:00	"	Dink/Dinosaur	Let's Make D.	Live -- Regis &	700 Club	"	Sangre del	Day Telethon	Aviation	Mister Rogers	
9:30	"	Garfield and	Concentr.	Kathie Lee	"	"	Dragon"	Continues	Quarterly	Reading	
10:00	"	Friends	Tell the Truth	Robert Tilton	Heart to Heart	Movie: "A Fist-	Camino Se-	"	Truck Chal.	3-2-1 Contact	
10:30	MDA Jerry	Rude Dog	Marsha W'field	"	Paid Program	ful of Dollars"	creto	"	Auto Racing:	T. Old House	
11:00	Lewis Labor	Restless	3rd Degree	Andy Griffith	Paid Program	"	La Fiera	Jerry Lewis Te-	IMSA GTP Se-	Painting	
11:30	Day Telethon	U.S. Open Ten-	Generations	Andy Griffith	Am. Baby	"	"	lethon Contin-	ries	Japanese	
12:00	Continues	nis: Men's and	Days of Our	Benson	Paid Program	Major League	"	ues	"	La. Cookin'	
12:30	"	Women's	Lives	It's a Living	Chefs	Baseball: Cin-	Agua Viva	Major League	Major League	Adam Smith	
1:00	"	Early Rounds	Another World	Brady Bunch	Hazel	cinnati Reds	Cantare Para	Baseball: Chi-	Baseball: Phil-	Lone Star	
1:30	MDA Jerry	"	"	B. Hillbillies	Hazel	at Atlanta	Ti	cago Cubs at	lies at Pirates	"	
2:00	Lewis Labor	"	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows	Braves	TV Mujer	Montreal Ex-	or Blue Jays	Austin City	
2:30	Day Telethon	"	"	"	Father Knows	"	"	pos	at Tigers	Limits	
3:00	"	"	Magnum, P.I.	Chipmunks	Funtown	Flintstones	Carrusel	"	"	3-2-1 Contact	
3:30	"	"	"	DuckTales	Dinosaucers	Brady Bunch	"	MDA Jerry	Auto Racing:	Mister Rogers	
4:00	"	"	People's Court	Chip 'n' Dale	Batman	Laverne	Cristina	Lewis Labor	CART Vancou-	Reading	Pro. Wrestling
4:30	MDA Jerry	"	Personalities	Jetsons	Batman	Good Times	"	Day Telethon	ver Grand Prix	Sesame Street	From Fla.
5:00	Lewis Labor	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to	Big Bro. Jake	B. Hillbillies	Agua Viva	"	"	"	Body by Jana
5:30	Day Telethon	CBS News	NBC News	Heaven	Fall Preview	Andy Griffith	Noticiero Uni.	"	SportsLook	Telecourse	Coach's Show
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Scarecrow	Happy Days	Amanda Sabo-	"	SportsCenter	MacNeil/	Golf Show
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Night Court	Current Affair	Mama	and Mrs. King	Jeffersons	tar	MDA Jerry	Major League	Lehrer	Horse Racing
7:00	MacGyver	Major Dad	Sister Kate	21 Jump	Movie: "The	Movie: "The	Amandote II	Lewis Labor	Baseball: A's	Adventure	Sportstalk
7:30	"	Doctor	Working Girl	Street	Tin Star"	Long Hot Sum-	"	Day Telethon	at Red Sox or	"	Major League
8:00	Movie: "The	Murphy B.	Movie: "The	Allen Nation	"	mer"	Yo Compro a	"	Royals at	American Mas-	Baseball:
8:30	Betty Ford	Design. W.	Ted Kennedy	"	"	"	Esa Mujer	"	White Sox	ters	Cleveland Indi-
9:00	Story"	With Connie	Jr. Story"	Star Trek:	700 Club	"	Portada	News	"	Child Care: Fa-	ans at Texas
9:30	"	Chung	"	Next Gener.	"	"	Noticiero Uni.	"	Major League	mily Balance	Rangers
10:00	News	News	News	Arsenio Hall	Big Bro. Jake	"	Movie: "El Pe-	Twilight Zone	Baseball:	Minder	"
10:30	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Best of Car-	"	Movie: "The	"	ligro de la	Magnum, P.I.	Giants at	"	"
11:00	Ent. Tonight	U.S. Open	son	Love Connect.	Tin Star"	National Geo-	Sangre del	"	Padres or As-	Our Nation's	College Foot-
11:30	Nightline	Night Heat	David Letter-	Hawaii Five-0	"	graphic Ex-	Dragon"	Movie: "Last	tros at Dodg-	Health	ball: Tulsa at
12:00	Into the Night	"	man	"	"	plorer	Portada	Crooked Mile"	ers	Sign-Off	Oklahoma
12:30	"	Midnight Hour	Bob Costas	Sign-Off	Paid Program	"	Noticiero Uni.	Street Bandits	Horse Racing		State

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7:00	Movie: "Star-	Movie: "Cover	Donald Duck	Movie: "The	Movie: "The		Jam	Last Day of	Wilderness	Dino K. Show	Popeye Hour
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8:00	"	"	Movie: "The	"	Could Fly"	VideoMorning	press	Last Day of	Kingdom of	R. Roberts	Muppets
8:30	"	Movie:	Parent Trap"	"	"	"	"	Summer Con-	the Sun	Joy	Martian
9:00	Movie: "The	"Counsellor-	"	"	Not Necessar-	"	Movie: "Com-	tinues	Fugitive	Larry Lee	Movie:
9:30	Champ"	at-Law"	"	Movie: "Hide	ily the News	"	bat Academy"	"	"	M. Hickey	"Gorgo"
10:00	"	Movie: "Work-	Movie: "Dou-	In Plain	Movie: "Miss	"	"	"	Decades: '70s	K. Copeland	"
10:30	"	ing Girl"	ble Switch"	Sight"	Firecracker"	"	"	"	Chronicle	Answer	Movie: "The
11:00	Movie: "Paper	"	"	Movie: "Harry	"	American Ma-	Music	Last Day of	Movie: "Trea-	C.S. Sunswell	Invisible Boy"
11:30	Dolls"	"	"	and Walter Go	"	gazine	Name Tune	Summer	sure Island"	Feedback	"
12:00	"	Movie: "Down-	Summer	to New York"	Truth About	Side by Side	Chain Rea.	"	"	Behind Scenes	"
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2:00	"	Movie: "Ghost-	Again"	"	"	Country Stan-	Tic Tac Dough	Last Day of	Movie: "The	700 Club	"
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3:00	"Lightning -	"	Movie: "Par-	Movie: "Voy-	"Grease"	VideoGold	Press Luck	tinues	"	Another Life	quest of
3:30	The White Stal-	"	ent Trap II"	age to the Bot-	"	"	High Rollers	"	"	M. Hickey	Space"
4:00	lion"	Movie: "Man-	"	tom of the	"	On Stage	Dance Party	"	Fugitive	Praise the	"
4:30	Pecos Bill	slayer"	Mickey Mouse	Sea"	Movie: "The	American Ma-	USA	"	"	Lord	Cartoons
5:00	Pink Floyd:	"	Movie: "The	Movie: "Cro-	Boy Who	gazine	Ho-Mino	Last Day of	Decades: '70s	Praise the	Fraggle Rock
5:30	Pink Floyd -	"	Challengers"	codile' Dun-	Could Fly"	Top Card	"	Summer	Chronicle	Lord	Bugs Bunny &
6:00	Movie: "Star-	Movie: "Work-	"	dee II"	"	Music Row Vi-	U.S. Open Ten-	"	Wilderness	Praise the	Pals
6:30	man"	ing Girl"	"	"	Baker	deo	nis	"	Survival World	Lord	"
7:00	"	"	"	Movie: "Big"	Movie: "The	Gospel Jubilee	"	Debbie Gibbs	Life on Earth	Behind Scenes	Movie: "Drum
7:30	"	"	"	"	Abyss"	On Stage	"	Bewitched	"	Laverne Tripp	Beat"
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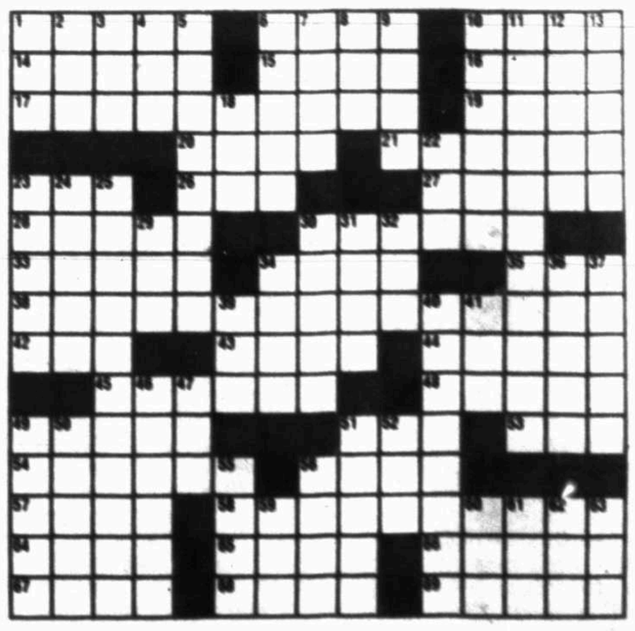
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State of worker better than ever

The 1980's comprised a decade of considerable upheaval for American workers. That decade saw a painful recession during which millions of workers lost jobs. It saw once-dominant industries — like steel and autos — forced to scale back their operations. The independent oil industry enjoyed a spectacular boom before the eventual "bust" when OPEC nations flooded the world with oil. It saw plants temporarily shut down or closed altogether. It saw protracted strikes — like the air traffic controllers' dispute — end disastrously. It saw wage and other givebacks negotiated into collective bargaining agreements. And it saw the precipitous decline in unionism.

Yet, through it all, American workers survived. And on this first Labor Day of the 1990s, the overall state of the American workforce is considerably better than it was a decade ago. Moreover, notwithstanding reports lamenting the decline of American labor, the United States still boasts the world's best workforce.

In fact, by such important measures as share of world exports, level of productivity, average factory pay and standard of living, U.S. workers continue to outstrip their counterparts in Western Europe and the Far East, and by a wide margin in some cases.

For all the hand-wringing about America's trade problem, for instance, the United States still accounts for 12 percent of total world exports. Only West Germany matches this figure. Japan follows with roughly 10 percent. Outside of these three, no other nation claims more than 6 percent.

Americans have also been bombarded with misinformation about U.S. productivity, the most prevailing myth being that Japanese workers have surpassed Americans. Wrong. Not only are U.S. workers 30 percent more productive than Japanese ($41,281 in average output in 1988 for U.S. workers, compared to $29,678 for the Japanese), they are nearly 15 percent more productive than every other workforce in the world, save for Canada.

As to compensation, U.S. factory workers remain the world's best paid, at roughly $14 an hour. The West Germans are close; Japanese workers receive 35 percent less pay. Purchasing power of U.S. workers — which translates into overall standard of living — also is the highest in the world. With average per capita purchasing power of nearly $20,000 a year, U.S. workers are more than 25 percent better off than workers in all of Western Europe, not to mention Japan. Only Canadian workers are in the same ballpark.

All of this is not to suggest that there are no real concerns on the labor front. There certainly are. Each of these positive indicators of labor progress also has a down side. America continues to import more than it exports. Worker productivity is growing at a slower rate than in other countries. Wages are growing faster in all other major countries, except Japan. And increases in workers' purchasing power are staying just ahead of inflation.

These are unsettling trends of which policymakers in Washington must be mindful as they consider, among other vital questions, how best to improve America's trade balance, what kinds of new labor mandates to place upon employers and what types of new taxes to impose upon working Americans. Policy decisions on these and related questions will go a long way toward determining whether American workers remain in the 1990's the world's most productive and most well-off.

LETTERS

Taxes increasing but don't ask why!

Midland's school lunches are more expensive than Odessa's, but they say "you can't compare."

"Our commissioners' salaries are too low," they say, "you should compare."

Midland's school taxes are increasing, Odessa's taxes are decreasing — ever wonder why? Midland can't have year-around schools, Odessa can — don't ask why.

Midland must have cluster schools, Odessa doesn't — don't question why.

Midland Memorial Hospital buys Clearview, and is going to turn it around and make a profit. Now, they raise taxes to cover losses — please don't ask why.

Eight percent tax increase calls for a referendum, so they raise taxes only 7.99 percent — they are within the law.

Our school administration and board forgets one of the fundamental rules of good economics — return on assets — so, they build more buildings, buy more land, don't fully utilize the existing ones, employ more overhead personnel — don't ask for alternatives.

Representatives, please don't hold your public meetings in the evening when poor working stiffs can attend and question some of your decisions.

That's right, Midlanders — don't think — don't ask why — don't compare: our elected representatives are taking good care of us.

Wayne M. Woodside
Midland

Let's watch scenery, not the speedometer!

I take issue with your editorial of Aug. 6 whereby you decried the use of radar detectors as a means of breaking speed limits.

It is my contention that the illegal use of radar equipment by law enforcement is a far greater problem in violation of rights than mere speed violations. This device has made tax collectors out of good law enforcement officers and in essence it is another "people control" measure used to fulfill tax quotas.

What do you propose as the next measure of control? Ban the use of CB radios or outlaw the use of flashing headlight signals? Where does it end?

This is why it is such a pleasure to drive in California where you can actually enjoy the scenery instead of watching the speedometer.

Royce E. Lawson
Midland

JACK ANDERSON

Syrian port has Soviets near action

WASHINGTON — The Syrian port of Tartus on the Mediterranean Sea has been busy lately with comings and goings of Soviet warships, anxious to get as close as possible to the Iraqi crisis without getting in it.


Anderson

The flurry of activity underscores a secret agreement between the Soviet Union and Syria to turn part of the port at Tartus into a Soviet naval base, which is off limits to Syrians. It gives the Soviets one base in the Mediterranean while the United States has none.

The provocation by Iraqi strongman Saddam Hussein has left the Soviets in a quandary about how to use their port at Tartus. The Soviet Union voted for the United Nations embargo against Iraq, but has not pledged its ships to enforce that embargo.

Central Intelligence Agency sources tell us that the Soviets don't want to appear aggressive in the region, particularly since Iraq has been their ally for many years and they hope the Iraqis will let bygones be bygones when the crisis is over.

But CIA reports say there has been a bumper crop of Soviet naval ships in the Mediterranean, stopping at Tartus to refuel and linger close to the action.

The Soviets have another reason to stick close to Tartus. They want to encourage a closer relationship with Syrian leader Hafez Assad, a longtime enemy of Saddam Hussein. Syria has been the Soviet Union's closest ally in the Middle East, but Assad had come to doubt Moscow's fidelity.

Assad has seen the number of Soviet military advisers in Syria drop from a high of 6,000 in 1982 to about 2,500 currently. So he flew to Moscow in April for a three-hour private session with Mikhail Gorbachev.

Gorbachev said he was as friendly as ever with Syria, but couldn't afford to subsidize Syria's insatiable appetite for weapons and didn't see the need for Syria to reach strategic parity with Israel. Classified CIA reports show that Syria already owes the Soviet Union $15 billion for weaponry.

To satisfy Assad, Gorbachev said he would rush an order of Soviet Su-24 fighter planes, which would be able to drop Syrian chemical weapons on Israel.

The Soviets are willing to risk an escalation of tensions by giving Syria the planes because the Syrians give access to Tartus in return. Ever since Egypt kicked the Soviets out of their last Mediterranean naval base at Alexandria in 1976, the Soviets have been desperate to find and keep another.

They were so anxious, our sources say, that they have forgiven more than $1 billion in Syria's military debt. The Soviet base at Tartus is not discussed in the Syrian press and treated as a secret by the government. Syrian officials are allowed in only with special passes.

Several Soviet ships, including a submarine tender, are stationed there permanently and the base may become the largest permanent Soviet naval base outside of the USSR.

The visiting warships this summer, including an aircraft carrier, are from the Soviet Black Sea Fleet and the submarines are from the Northern Fleet.

Meanwhile, the U.S. Sixth Fleet has no place in the Mediterranean to call home, although it regularly uses Naples, Italy. The closest thing the U.S. has to an official port is Rota, Spain, which is just outside the Mediterranean near Gilbralter.

WELCOME DIVERSION — Colombian drug traffickers have found a friend in Saddam Hussein. The drug cartels know that a buildup of U.S. forces in the Persian Gulf will mean less radar and tracking equipment left to be used against drug traffic in this hemisphere. That spells trouble for both the U.S. and Columbian drug enforcement officers who have worked for years to build up a system of surveillance. The drug dealers won't let any grass grow under their feet while U.S. resources are focused temporarily elsewhere.

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CHARLEY REESE

Bush took the worst course in Middle East

President George Bush has turned into the incredible blundering man. To understand why, let's back up to Aug. 2.

On that date, Iraq moved into Kuwait. At that point, no matter how surprised the Bush White House was, there was no unmanageable crisis. Iraq has twice before occupied Kuwait and twice before pulled out.


Reese

At that point, we had a dictator, Saddam Hussein, much despised by most Arabs for his repressive cruelty who had violated a strong rule among the Arab nations that one Arab country does not commit aggression against another.

Thus, we had unanimity at the United Nations on condemning the aggression. We had near unanimity in the Arab League. We had unanimity on economic sanctions. Jordan's King Hussein was in a strong position to act as mediator as was Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak. There were no hostages. There was no risk of war. There were plenty of face-saving exits from the problem.

Then in steps George Bush like Rambo, lays down a public ultimatum to Iraq, and sends Dick Cheney to Saudi Arabia to fast-talk them into letting in American troops. Then he pours in the troops.

This was the worst possible course of action. It allows Saddam Hussein to shift the focus from his aggression against an Arab neighbor to U.S. imperialism. It hands him 12,000 hostages, 3,000 of them American. It puts all the Arab leaders in the dangerous position of having to choose between Saddam Hussein or appearing to be a paid pawn of the U.S.

In other words, Bush made the same blunder in the Middle East the foreign policy establishment made in Vietnam — he Americanized a conflict in an area where wounds and sores of colonialism are still raw. He put Saddam Hussein in a box. Now, if he withdraws, he appears to be caving into American pressure and would likely be overthrown by his own army. Bush put himself in a box. Now if Iraq doesn't withdraw, the president loses face. Such boxes are always likely to lead to war.

There are any number of scenarios that could play out and one may have already started by the time you read this, but, believe me, they are all bad for U.S. interests, bad for the Arab world, and bad for Israel.

No matter what happens, after it happens, we will be in worse shape than before.

Modern war, no matter what the reason, is a crime against humanity. It always involves unavoidable slaughter of innocents. Iraqis who have no control over Iraqi policy will die. Americans who have no control over George Bush will die. Civilians will die. Wealth will be turned to ashes, economies will be devastated.

Therefore, war is justified only as a last resort, only when the consequences of not going to war are so extreme that one has no choice.

The situation in the Persian Gulf does not meet that test. Even if we assume the worst of Bush's rationalizations — that Saddam Hussein invades and takes over Saudi Arabia — what would be the consequences?

The flow of oil would not be interrupted. Oil is worthless unless it is sold. There is nobody to sell it to except the industrialized Western nations. Despite the propaganda you have heard, the Persian Gulf does not pump enough oil for anyone in control of it to dictate world prices.

Furthermore, Saddam Hussein and all the other Arab oil producers are well aware that it is in their self-interest to keep the oil flowing and to keep the price reasonable. If the price goes to high, customers will find alternative sources of energy which would be a disaster for the Arab oil-producing nations since they, unlike the West, have no other resources.

Therefore, one can easily see that fighting a war just to prevent Hussein from controlling Persian Gulf oil is absolutely not justified. The American people rather than behaving like sheep should be at the White House gates demanding that Bush defuse the situation before a war stops the oil flow and replaces it with a blood flow.

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LEWIS GRIZZARD

Big family left a legacy of humor, laughter

The last of a special breed of folk is dead. There were 12 of them born to my paternal grandparents, Mama and Daddy Grizzard, of rural Gwinnett County, Ga.

My father was the youngest. He's been gone 20 years. Aunt Nell was the oldest. She's been gone a long time, too.


Grizzard

Three of my late uncles were unforgettable characters. Walt and Wesley Grizzard were in the used car business.

They had Grizzard Motors and they were wily veterans of the trade. They were both big men with big voices and very few customers escaped unsold when they stepped onto the lot.

"We're the walking man's best friend," my Uncle Wesley used to say.

My Uncle Frank was a lawyer. My father took me to see him perform in the courtroom once. I was maybe 12.

Uncle Frank was defending a man on a charge of making moonshine.

As he addressed the jury, a woman seated behind the defendant broke into hysterical tears.

Uncle Frank went into his client's military history, pleading with the jury to realize he had "fought on the bald hills of Korea."

And the woman sobbed on.

It took 10 minutes for the jury to render a verdict of innocent.

As we walked out of the courtroom, my father said to Uncle Frank, "That sure was pitiful about the man's wife."

"Wife?" Uncle Frank asked back. "What wife?"

"Your client's wife," said my father. "It sure was pitiful the way she cried."

"That wasn't his wife," said Uncle Frank. "It was just an old girl I paid $50 to come here and squall."

The last of the 12 was my Aunt Rufie. She died last week in suburban Atlanta. She was 84.

She and my father were close. My parents divorced when I was 6 and when I would visit my father in Atlanta, we would usually wind up at Aunt Rufie's house.

Daddy would play her piano and sing. I loved that house because of the laughter that was always in it.

When my father fell on hard times during the last years of his life, it was my Aunt Rufie who stood by him the strongest.

"I could never turn my back on my baby brother," she often said to me when we talked of him after his death.

I'm going to be a pallbearer at Aunt Rufie's funeral. I will see some cousins I haven't seen in years. Death brings survivors together, regardless of how far they might have drifted apart.

The Grizzard men and women, my uncles and aunts, meant a lot to me when I was a child. I lived with my mother and didn't see them that often, but when I did it was always a grand experience.

The legacy they left me was the love of humor. There wasn't a one of them who couldn't brighten a room and I'm still stealing a great deal of their material.

A man came up to me a few years ago at a public gathering and said, "I grew up with your dad and all his brothers and sisters. When folks got down in Gwinnett County, they'd send for a Grizzard just to cheer them up."

That's my heritage. I couldn't be more proud of it.

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NATION IN BRIEF



AP Laserphoto

An unidentified man who was hurt during a Ku Klux Klan rally at the U.S. Capitol in Washington, D.C., Sunday is helped by a bystander and police officer.

Klan resistance leads to injuries

WASHINGTON (AP) — Police canceled a planned Ku Klux Klan march Sunday through downtown Washington amid strong counter-protests, but allowed about 40 Klan members in robes and hoods to hold a brief rally on the U.S. Capitol grounds.

Police reported at least one arrest for inciting to riot and several undetermined injuries, all from among the counterdemonstrators.

District of Columbia Police Chief Isaac Fulwood said the counterdemonstrations, sponsored by the All Peoples' Congress and the Youth and Students Against Racism, forced his department, along with U.S. Park and U.S. Capitol police to change or revoke the previously issued march and demonstration permits.

At one point, as authorities were attempting to break up the demonstrators, Fulwood spoke to a group to explain what had happened.

A demonstrator, Matthew Pringle, told Fulwood "They will never march here — not in my time."

Suspect list narrowed

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Investigators narrowed their list of prime suspects to four Sunday in the grisly knife slayings of five students and hinted that the serial killer left "messages of some importance."

Police would not say whether 18-year-old Edward Lewis Humphrey, a part-time freshman at the University of Florida charged with assaulting his grandmother, was among the four.

However, two police officers in hip waders on Sunday used a metal detector to search a creek next to the apartment complex where Humphrey lives.

A week after the first two mutilated bodies were found, police disclosed Sunday that the killer left messages or clues at the victims' apartments that could tie him to all five murders. But they refused to characterize these messages except to say they were not in the form of notes or other writings.

Crime rate up slightly

WASHINGTON (AP) — A violent crime or property crime hit one in four U.S. households last year, virtually the same level as the past five years, a Justice Department report said Sunday.

"In 1975, when this statistical series commenced, about one in three households was struck by crime," said Steven Dillingham, director of the Bureau of Justice Statistics which produced the report.

The actual percentage of households that suffered a violent crime or property crime was 24.9 percent, up slightly from 24.6 percent in 1988, the report found. The figures include attempted as well as completed crimes.

A total of 23.5 million households suffered from one of the crimes checked: rape, assault, robbery, personal theft, household theft, burglary and motor vehicle theft.

Spill forces evacuation

ASHVILLE, Ala. (AP) — A tanker truck overturned and spilled hundreds of gallons of a toxic, highly combustible chemical early Sunday, forcing about 300 people out of their homes and closing an interstate highway.

The 18-wheeler careened off Interstate 59 about 35 miles northeast of Birmingham around 1:30 a.m., said state Department of Public Safety spokesma Jim Hyatt.

The driver, Earl Gavin, 51, of Independence, Mo., was trapped in the wreckage for nine hours, Hyatt said. He was hospitalized in Birmingham in fair condition.

Authorities evacuated about 300 residents of the nearby Pinedale Shores subdivision, and opened an emergency shelter at the National Guard armory in Ashville.

The tanker, owned by Continental Transport Express of Geismar, La., was carrying aniline, a chemical used to make dyes and photographic chemicals, Hyatt said. About 500 to 800 gallons leaked from the truck.

'Ripley's kind of stuff' destroyed in Florida blaze

KISSIMMEE, Fla. (AP) — A two-headed calf, a boar rat whose teeth would not stop growing and all 550 pounds of what proprietors declared the world's largest clam perished in a museum fire this weekend.

More than 500 displays of human and animal oddities, wonders of the deep and instruments of death, the occult and superstition were destroyed Saturday in a fire at the Great American Fun House, officials said.

While the calf and clam were dead long before flames engulfed the oddities museum in this town south of Orlando, charred placards in the windows note that all the exhibits had once, in fact, been "BORN ALIVE!!!"

"A lot of those things were one of a kind, Ripley's kind of stuff," said museum proprietor Vinnie Lamano at the fire scene. "There were many things here that you'll never see again."

'There were many things here that you'll never see again.'

— Vinnie Lamano, museum proprietor

Arson investigators sifted through debris that included a shrunken head, the shoes of an Icelandic giant purported to be the largest man ever and some bones the museum said were used by Aborigine witch doctors to kill enemies without touching them.

"It was kind of a bizarre scene, come to think of it," said Kissimmee Fire Cmdr. Cleve Thomason, who estimated structural damage at between $60,000 and $120,000.

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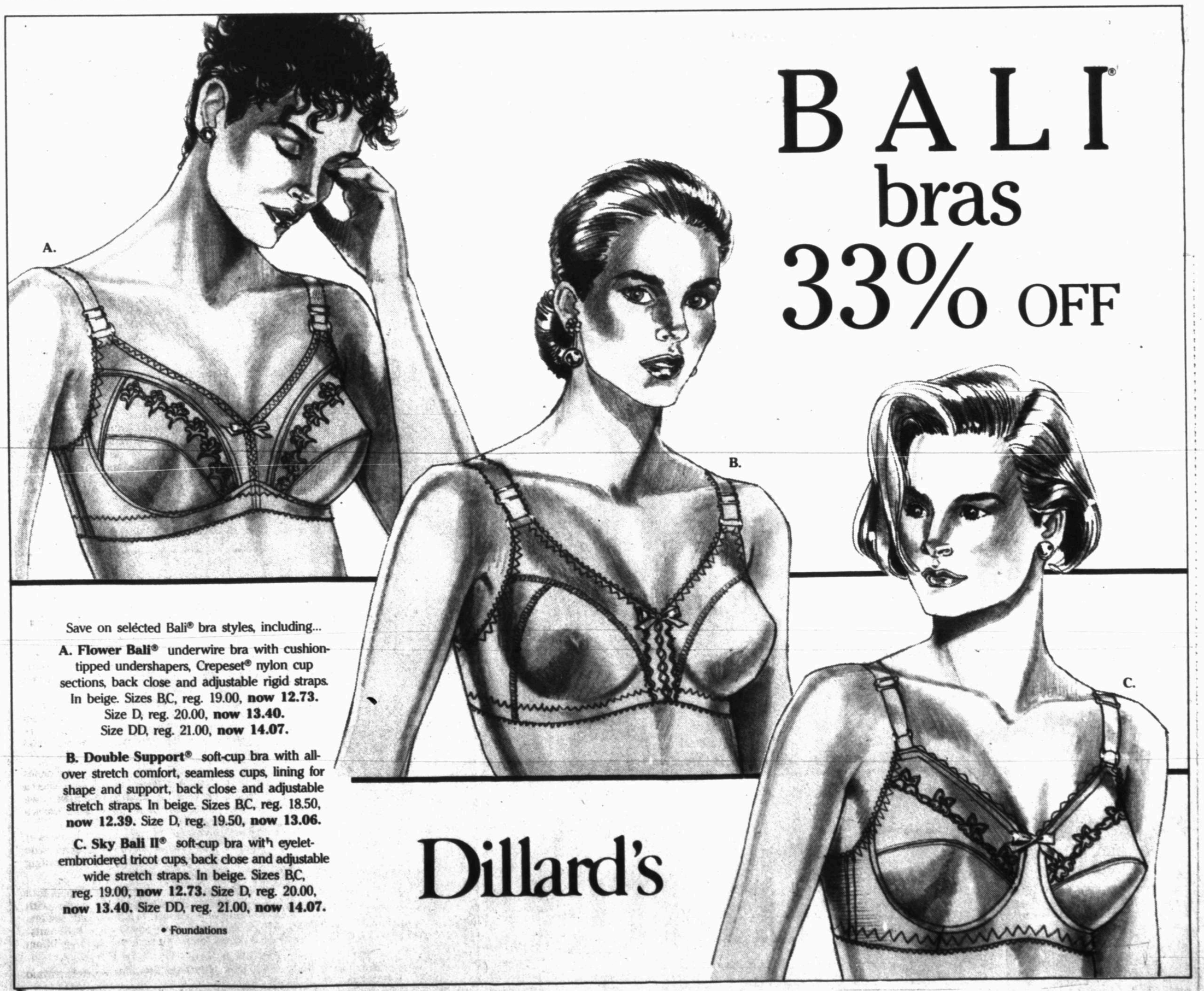
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WORLD

Pope urges Christian, Moslem brotherhood

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (AP) — Pope John Paul II on Sunday urged cooperation and brotherhood between Christianity and Islam, two religions with ancient rivalries in Africa.

"Religious differences of themselves do not necessarily disrupt life together," the pope told leaders of the Moslem and other faiths in this East African nation.

John Paul said dialogue between Christians and Moslems "is increasingly important in today's world."

"Christians and Moslems can live in harmony and show their solidarity with one another in all the joys, sorrows and challenges" of life, the pope said.

"Christians and Moslems in Tanzania can be partners in building a society shaped by the values taught by God: tolerance, justice, peace and concern for the poorest and weakest."

Roman Catholicism and Islam, the world's two largest religions, have occasionally clashed in competition for converts in Africa. The Vatican has expressed concern about the spread of Moslem fundamentalism.

In an earlier speech to Catholic bishops Sunday, John Paul referred to those problems when he said the clergy needed to involve the laity more deeply in the church to avoid "the proselytizing pressures from other faiths or religious groups."

The Vatican has also suggested that the Moslem faith is not interested in dialogue and cooperation. But the pope hailed good relations between the two faiths in Tanzania, a largely Moslem country where Catholics make up only 21 percent of the population of 75 million.

Noting that "both religions are deeply committed to the spread of their respective faiths," the pope said they nonetheless could build a firm foundation of collaboration and mutual respect.

That foundation, he said, should be "recognition that every person has an inalienable right and a solemn duty to follow his or her upright conscience."

The pope celebrated Mass in a huge outdoor arena built primarily for political functions on the outskirts of Dar Es Salaam. Up to 100,000 people, including Moslem president, Ali Hassan Mwinyi, gathered for the ceremony, at which the pope ordained 43 priests.

The pope spoke in English but laced his homily with phrases of Swahili, drawing cheers and ululation from the crowd.

Task force troops control Monrovia center

ABIDJAN, Ivory Coast (AP) — A multinational West African force in Liberia took control of the capital's center after battling rebels loyal to Charles Taylor, the Ghana News Agency reported Sunday.

The news agency, which has a correspondent with the 3,000-man force, quoted Ghanaian Lt. Col. George Ayiku as saying his troops in Monrovia overcame stiff resistance from the rebels Saturday and set up heavy artillery.

On Sunday, a Ghanaian ship left Monrovia with 7,000 refugees but left 5,000 others behind, the news agency said.

Taylor's rebels have been accused of killing hundreds of people from the five West African nations that sent the troops to Liberia Aug. 24 to end the war, in which about 5,000 people have died. Most of those killed have been civilians.

Taylor, who controls most of Liberia after eight months of civil war, opposes the five-nation force. The force has been welcomed both by the government of President Samuel Doe and a rival rebel group, who separately control portions of the capital Monrovia.

The Ghana News agency earlier reported that the task force's units had advanced beyond Spriggs Payne Airfield in eastern Monrovia in an effort to reach embassies of three of the countries contributing to the force: Ghana, Nigeria and Guinea. The other two are Gambia and Sierra Leone.

Monrovia's 400,000 residents have been without water and electricity for more than two months, and food stocks were running low as all regular transport links with the outside world were cut.

Guerrillas loyal to Prince Johnson, who split from Taylor three months ago, controlled Monrovia's port and most of the city center. Areas on the city's eastern fringes were under the control of Doe's troops, but were under regular attack by Taylor's fighters.

The rebels accuse the Doe government of corruption and human rights abuses, but both rebels and troops have reportedly killed civilians loyal to the other side during the civil war. The government has accused Taylor of embezzlement when he served as a Doe aide.

Taylor's rebels were holding several thousand Ghanaians, Nigerians and Guinean citizens. Ghanaian refugees accused the insurgents of killing at least 200 of their countrymen. Taylor has denied that his forces had killed any.

A Ghanaian merchant ship, the M.V. Tano River, sailed Sunday with 7,000 Ghanaian and other West African refugees, bound for the capital port of Accra.

Two women died of malnutrition on board the ship while waiting for it to depart. Two refugees drowned while trying to climb a rope to board the ship, the news agency said, after officers said the ship could take no more passengers. At least 5,000 refugees were left behind in the port.

Taylor invaded from Ivory Coast on Dec. 24 and his fighters quickly overran most of the West African country of about 2.5 million people but were stopped on the outskirts of the capital.

Johnson, who split with Taylor in February, took control of much of Monrovia but was unable to drive Doe from his heavily fortified mansion. U.S. Marines stationed on warships off Liberia have evacuated Americans and some other foreigners from Monrovia.

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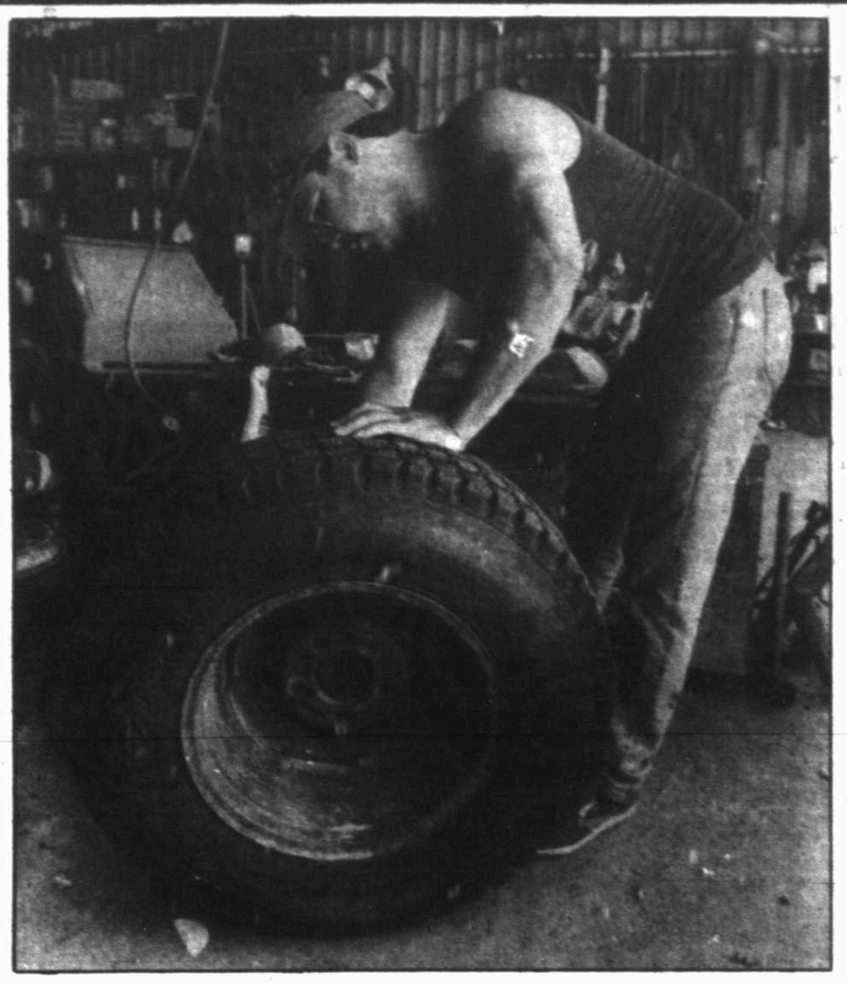
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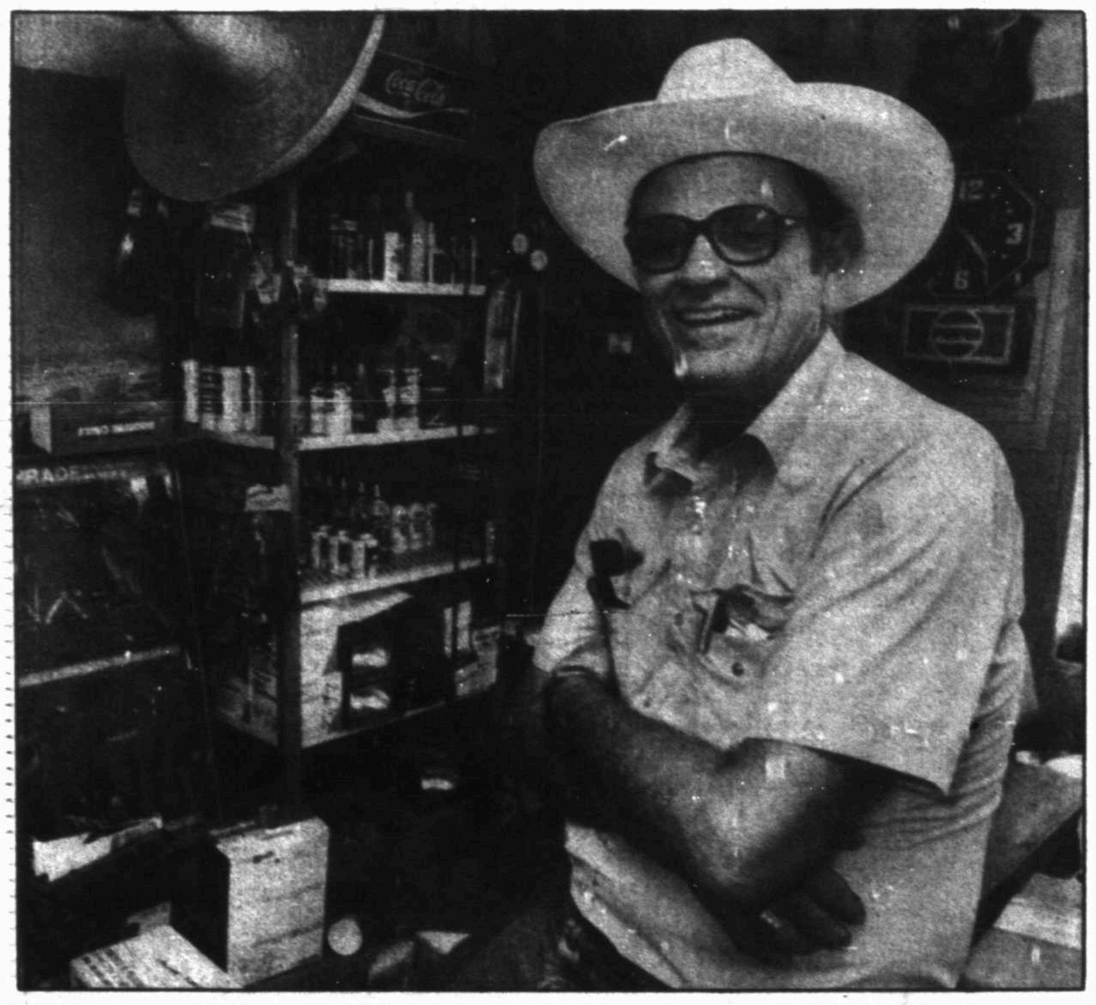
Bob and Sarah's



Sarah Whisman rings up a sale for Kenny Batla.

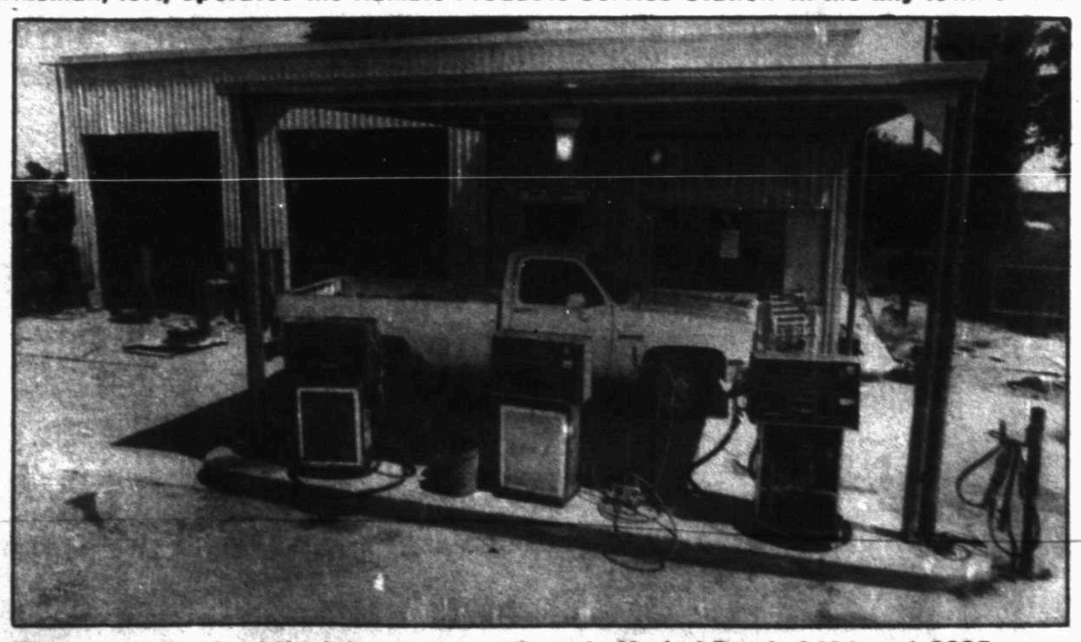


Mario Olguin works on a tire in the service station's garage.





Bob Whisman, left, operates the Humble Products Service Station in the tiny town of Midkiff in Upton County. His wife Sarah runs the Whisman Grocery store next door.



The gas station is at the intersection of Farm to Market Roads 2401 and 3095.

Photos by Brian Adamcik

Story by Ed Todd



A pump shows its age.

MIDKIFF — 'Twas back in the early '50s when Midkiff, the Hadacol Corner of those oil-boom days, was "blowing and going."

Nowadays, oil-patch traffic is sort of picking up in a resurgence of drilling activity. But it's not like it used to be. Even so, Parker & Parsley, Exxon and others are working the oily bowels of the Spraberry Oil Field beneath this mesquite-laden prairie land.

T.O. Midkiff, who comes from a line of ranchers, recalled riding horseback on the rangeland in 1951 when he was 17. He and his horse came upon a Midland fellow, known as D.J. "Hadacol" Dardis, who was capitalizing on the dirt-road traffic by setting up a sandwich and soda pop stand next to his welding rig.

"He had hot sandwiches in the summertime and cold sandwiches in the wintertime," smiled Midkiff, 56.

As the '50s progressed, the old Hadacol Corner grew liked boom towns do.

"At one time, we had three cafes, a drive-in picture show and a motel."

After the boom died down, T.O. Midkiff converted the old outdoor theater into a chicken house and moved it to his ranch near Kerrville.

"It's still there, but there's not any chickens in it," said Midkiff who, in a sense, feels that the old drive-in is kind of "preserved and refurbished" but in chicken-coop fashion.

In the meantime, boom-town Midkiff kept broadening.

The community had a pool hall, barber and beauty shops, washateria, filling station, liquor store, and four churches: Church of Christ, Baptist, Methodist and Catholic.

Back then, there was a "lot of different camps": Ashland, Sinclair, Humble, Hiawatha, Phillips, Amerada, Magnolia, Northern Natural Gas, El Paso Natural Gas, "and a helluva bunch of independents."

About 1,500 people lived within a 10-mile radius of Hadacol Corner, Midkiff reckoned. Today, there are about 300, mostly farmers and ranchers.

Hadacol Corner, at the junction of Farm-to-Market Roads 2401 and 3095 just across the Upton County line southeast of Midland, became the Midkiff community and post office.

Midkiff was not a new name for a townsite.

It was in 1904 when T.O. Midkiff's great-granddaddy, John Midkiff, put in the old Midkiff Post Office and store two miles north of here in Midland County.

Now, just how Hadacol Corner got its name has a few tales of different story lines.

T.O. Midkiff figures that the most credible story is this. When D.J. Dardis had to leave his sandwich-soda pop stand to work on a rig or something, he would put out a sign to say that he had to go out on a call: "Had-A-Col."

Another story says that the name came from an alcohol-laced iron tonic, Hadacol, that was popular at mid-century. Erstwhile teetotalers could pick up the tonic at the drug store or grocery store and not be accused of imbiding.

But Wiley Bob Whisman, who runs the old Humble filling station on the old Hadacol Corner, figures the name came about simply because "they 'had to call' it something." And Hadacol seemed to fit nicely enough.

Across from the station and its old grease rack, piles of spent tires, curing ram heads, and Whisman's old rusting-but-running Scout is the weathered remains of Bob Calcote's Oil Field Cafe. Wild growth of weeds, if not its foreboding look, put the old cafe off limits. Bit by bit, the roof is falling in. But up on the counters, there still remains old coffee cups clad in dust. Some stools are upright; others are missing. The door is shut. But cracks are wide enough to afford good views inside the place where oil-field crews and wheeler-dealers wound down and got fed.

Down the road is the Waterhole, where

Please see MIDKIFF/2B

DEATHS

Willie E. Rosser

ROGERS — Services Willie E. Rosser, 73, are set for 10 a.m. today at Sheffield Funeral Home Chapel in Rogers.

He died Saturday at a Temple hospital.

Born July 26, 1917 in Holland, he grew up in the Rogers area and attended Heidenheimer school.

He married Margaret Lee Riddle on Oct. 14, 1938. He worked in the oilfields around Midland from 1952 until his retirement in 1981.

When he retired, the couple moved back to Rogers, where he worked for the Rogers Independent School District.

He was preceded in death by a brother Marvin Rosser and a sister Mrs. Prebble Dragoo.

Survivors include: his wife; two sons, O.D. Rosser of Midland and D.D. Rosser of Canyon; two brothers, James C. Rosser of San Antonio and Bob J. Rooser of Mesquite; four sisters, Janie Farley of Kemp, Evelyn McDowell of California, Melba Jones of Baytown and Mary Baugus of Dallas; three grandchildren; seven step-grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Leonard J. Mitchell

Funeral services for Leonard J. Mitchell, 82, are pending with Manard Funeral Home in Chillicothe. Local arrangements are with Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Sunday at a local hospital.

He was born Oct. 25, 1908, in Chillicothe, where he married Lucille Worley on Aug. 25, 1925.

He farmed in Hardeman County until 1953 when the couple moved to Van Horn, where they owned several businesses.

In 1976 he retired and returned to Chillicothe. He lived in Midland in 1944 and 1945 and worked for Hanks Grocery. He was the last of eight children.

Survivors include his wife, Lucille Mitchell of Chillicothe; one daughter, Jo Canter of Midland; and three grandsons.

Clara E. Smith

Funeral services for Clara Elizabeth Smith are scheduled for 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Johnny Deral Grissom of the United Pentecostal Church of Raymondville officiating.

Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens, Odessa, under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Friday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers are Sam Santana, Chevy Martinez, Roy Smith, Joe Lackey, Gaylon Grissom, Dale Timmons, Mark Sarckees and Ron Smedley.

Annie Kelley

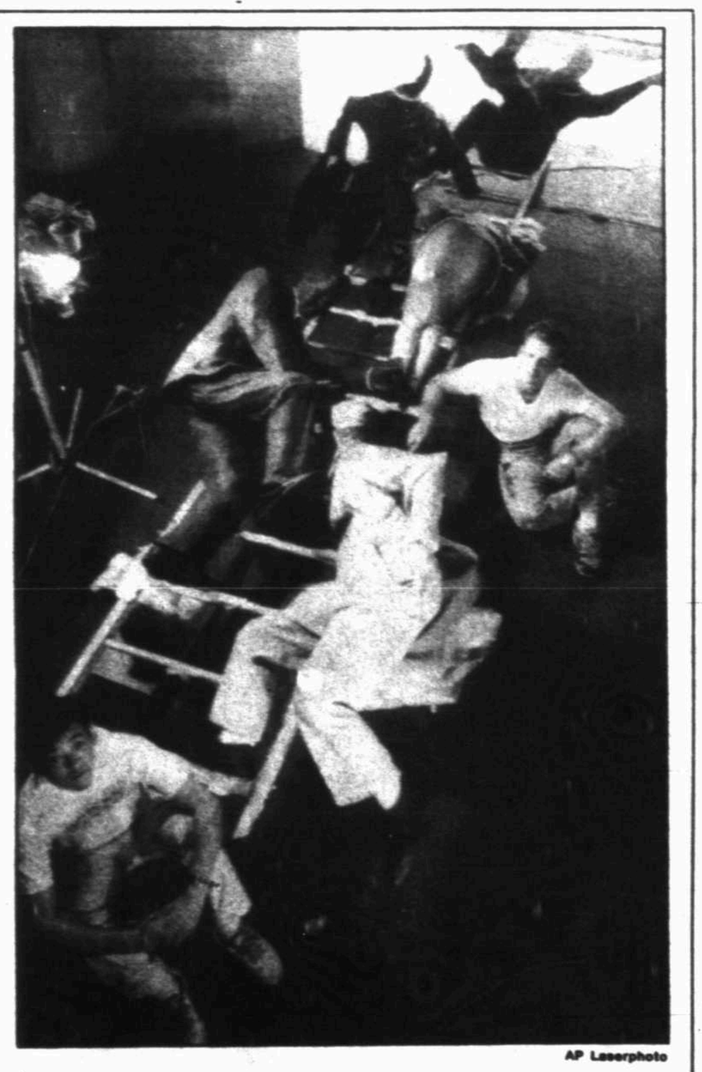
Funeral services for Annie Kelley, 60, of Midland are scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James C. Dennison, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Saturday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers are Bob Lyon, Jessie Priest, Charles Bolinger, Ronnie Watson, Buddy Hertenberger and E.G. Allen.

Jack Harkins

Funeral services for Jack Harkins, 88, are pending with Ellis Funeral Home. He died last week in Winterhaven, Calif.



AP Laserphoto

Sculptor Ed Massey, upper right, and his assistant Yoji Takenaka, lower left, are shown at an El Paso art center, where the controversial artwork "The Corporate Ladder" apparently has found permanency after being ordered down in Columbia, Md.

Banned in East, controversial artwork finds friends in West

EL PASO (AP) — A sculpture of corporate America that was banished from the headquarters of a Maryland office is being displayed in El Paso.

"The Corporate Ladder" by Ed Massey — a 19-foot sculpture of five people clawing their way up a ladder, each stepping on those below in their struggle to the top may be displayed permanently in El Paso.

The sculpture was installed Jan. 3 in the lobby of Principal Financial Group's headquarters in Columbia, Md.

But complaints from other corporate tenants in the building persuaded Principal Financial to have the piece dismantled.

Critics complained of the sculpture's depiction of blacks and women being stepped on and stepping on others in their merciless climb up the ladder.

"People felt the piece wasn't right for a corporate environment," said Massey, a 27-year-old New York artist. "But it is an accurate portrayal of corporate America today."

The piece is being repaired and restored at El Paso's Bridge Center for Contemporary Art.

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— Ed Massey, sculptor

Principal Financial commissioned and paid for the work, but Massey would not say how much he was paid.

An El Paso stockbroker saw an article about the work in Fortune magazine and contacted the Bridge Center because his company is owned by Principal.

Massey said he is upset the sculpture was moved.

"I don't think they gave people long enough. In time, criticism would have died down."

'Infomercials' booming in Texas

■ **Texas is one of just a few states to successfully prosecute makers of the 30-minute commercial if their ad claims are proven to be fraudulent.**

KATY (AP) — Becoming more and more common on television are programs that appear to be talk shows or news broadcasts, but which in reality are just 30-minute commercials.

These "infomercials" are becoming more numerous each year. Some are legitimate, but others are coming under increased scrutiny of authorities who say the services promoted are seldom what they are claimed to be.

In Katy, a businessman who sets fancy cars on fire during extended "infomercials" has one of the most successful products marketed on the late-night television airwaves.

Pete Nathans uses the 30-minute commercial strategy to pitch a car wax called Liquid Lustre.

And business has been good. Sales of his wax have tallied more than $20 million since November, when he started his infomercial.

"I think infomercials are great. They are great as a marketing strategy," Nathans said. "My business is 10 times what it was before."

Nathans' Liquid Lustre act is among the more entertaining infomercials. While a coached studio audience gasps and a goofy announcer prances around, a deadpan Nathans sets expensive cars afire to demonstrate the protective power of Liquid Lustre wax.

He also drips hydrochloric acid on the finish, then wipes it away to reveal a gleaming paint surface.

"That show has made me wealthy. If not wealthy, very comfortable," Nathans said from his modest warehouse-office in this small town west of Houston.

Until 1984, federal regulations limited the length of commercial messages. But deregulation by the Reagan administration scrapped the rules. An explosion of channels, brought on by the advent of cable, meant air time was no longer precious.

"They seem to be everywhere," said Texas Assistant Attorney General Craig Jordan. "Their shows run the gamut from baldness remedies to weight-loss shows. They even have a show called, "Learn How to Play the Piano Overnight," with Barbi Benton."

"I found there was a sixfold increase in the number of infomercials broadcast from 1985 to 1988, and it's probably a lot higher than that," said Rader Hayes, a Rutgers University professor who has studied infomercials for five years.

In the six years since deregulation, infomercials have mushroomed into a $500 million industry. Television stations collect an estimated $300 million from infomercials every year, according to an industry trade group.

Production costs average $40,000 to $200,000, while air time runs $750 to $10,000 per half hour.

"We show quite a bit of it," said Bob Clark, program director at Channel 39 in Houston. "It's the kind of money we hate to make. From a programming standpoint, I don't like to see it on the air. But it generates so much money you can't ignore it."

Texas is playing a significant role in the infomercial boom.

The state — along with Iowa — also is among the most aggressive in prosecuting fraudulent infomercials.

State consumer protection officials say they have received no complaints about Liquid Lustre, which seems to be one infomercial that delivers what it promises.

But Texas has fought one case against an infomercial maker — Twin Star Productions of Arizona, which distributed a spate of shows. The most troublesome Twin Star show was "Money, Money, Money," which told viewers that the federal government had $33 billion of seed money for small businesses.

For $49.95, viewers could buy a book that told them how to get their hands on it. There was one problem: The pool of grant money is small and available only to fledgling high-tech companies.

Alarmed by the deluge of letters demanding federal money, a congressional subcommittee held hearings in May 1989 to discuss infomercials. But it was not until after Texas and Iowa filed lawsuits that the Federal Trade Commission took action against Twin Star.

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Using the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices Act of 1973, the state pushed Twin Star to accept an out-of-court settlement in April 1989. The infomercial maker promised to stop broadcasting shows about EuroTrym, the Y-Bron impotence cure, and a baldness treatment called Foliplexx Hair Treatment.

Twin Star paid the state $95,000 for investigative costs and agreed not to show fake talk shows or news programs in Texas without identifying them as infomercials every 10 minutes.

Pressure from the FTC compelled Twin Star to yank "Money, Money, Money" off the air. Twin Star also agreed to pay back $1.5 million to disgruntled consumers.

"Our first interest is the health-related shows,'" said Robert Reyna, the assistant attorney general in charge of the agency's Lubbock office. "They might keep someone from seeking help that really needs it. Or they may mislead people into thinking the products are approved by the government."

MIDKIFF: Hadacol Corner seeing more oil field traffic

(From 1B)

thirsts are quenched by brewed beverage, coffee or soft drinks and hunger is abated by sandwich or hamburger.

A barbecue place on the other side of town is closed down. But three of the four churches are open on Sunday. There's a community center and library. Rocky King runs a cotton gin down the way.

Today, the oilfield traffic is picking up. Rigs, pipe and tanks pass on by and, when needed, truckers stop by Whisman's place for fuel, flat-tire fixing, greasing or, maybe, to satisfy a lonesome fellow's need just to talk to somebody.

Wiley Bob Whisman is accommodating.

There's a relaxed atmosphere about the station, which is pretty well summed up by a sign in Whisman's office: "Don't Straighten Our Mess ... You'll Foul Up the System." Across the road is a hanging string of big catfish heads — tokens of catches which Whisman and Farrell Ezell made at Colorado City Lake.

Behind the station is the Whisman Grocery Store, which his wife, Sarah, runs. It's an old place, The creaking wooden floor, old Royal Crown Cola sign, the one-foot wooden planking, and the old "Whisman & Son Gro. & Mkt." attest to that.

Whisman and his wife ventured out west in 1954 after parents, P.A. and Dovie, opened up a grocery store at Bigby's Corner after contractor M.F. Machen and rancher Shorty Bigby put up the money for the store building.

That same year, the Whismans came over to Hadacol Corner and set up shop.

Among the regular visitors is a Midland fellow, Ed Hodge, who welds by day, trades horses at night, and follows the poor-boy's rodeo circuit on weekends.

Hodge, 43, has been passing through this old country for years and well remembers when Calcote's cafe was open.

He's a regular.

"I like to listen to all these old-timers tell their stories."

MISD enrollment up

Staff Report

Just a week into the school year, Midland Independent School District enrollment figures have already surpassed the peak projection for the year.

On Friday, 20,887 students — 83 more than the district's projected peak — were enrolled.

"And we expect more students following the Labor Day holiday," said Joe Baressi, superintendent of schools.

Compared to last year's first week, enrollment this year is up more than 5.4 percent from 19,824.

Even the district's 1995 enrollment projection may be in danger of being surpassed by the time peak census is typically reached in October or November. The 1995 peak is projected at 21,527.

Anthem born in 1792

The French national anthem, "La Marseillaise," was composed by Claude-Joseph Rouget de Lisle in 1792.

What Cityline provides

With Cityline, the Midland Reporter-Telegram's free telephone-based news, information and entertainment service, callers have access to dozens of categories of prerecorded data — everything from horoscopes and soap opera updates to local news and sports headlines and stock quotes — 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Once on line with the free system at 560-2400, touch-tone telephone callers will be presented step-by-step menus of informational choices. On-line assistance is available by pressing 6955.

Slowly and firmly pressing telephone buttons will help ensure operation of the system.

Other four-digit codes access other specific categories. For example, in order to find out what's for lunch at MISD, call 560-2400. After Cityline's welcoming message, enter 1831 to hear about the lunch menus at area schools.

How Cityline works

After touch-tone telephone callers have dialed 560-2400, selected an information category and pressed the corresponding four-digit code — or made menu selections — the telephone keypad takes on a new function once "inside" the data category:

- To jump forward in a category, press J (the 5 key);
- To repeat the category press R (the 7 key);
- To go to a new category choice press G (the 4 key);
- To back up to the previous information item, press B (the 2 key)

B'Nai Brith opens door to women

DALLAS (AP) — The world's largest Jewish organization, B'nai Brith International, is setting aside its 147-year history as a predominantly male group.

The fraternal order of Jewish men has agreed to allow women as full members.

Leaders of B'nai Brith and B'nai Brith Women last week reached a landmark agreement, which recognizes B'nai B'rith Women as an independent, self-governing organization affiliated with B'nai B'rith.

Delegates to the B'nai B'rith biennial convention gathered in Dallas last week. As B'nai B'rith moved in recent years toward admitting women, the future of the separate women's organization has been hotly debated.

The agreement defines B'nai B'rith Women as a women's organization and B'nai B'rith as a co-ed organization. The agreement can be renegotiated after five years.

The measure admitting women as full members to B'nai B'rith passed unanimously Tuesday at the convention. Previously, there were individual units of the organization that allowed women members.

With the change, about 10,000 new women members to B'nai B'rith are expected.

"We have indeed preserved what we did not want to tear asunder," said B'nai B'rith Women president Harriet Horowitz.

"This agreement ends a complicated and tense time in the history of our organizations," Ms. Horowitz said. "It ends a situation that has divided families and created much adverse publicity."



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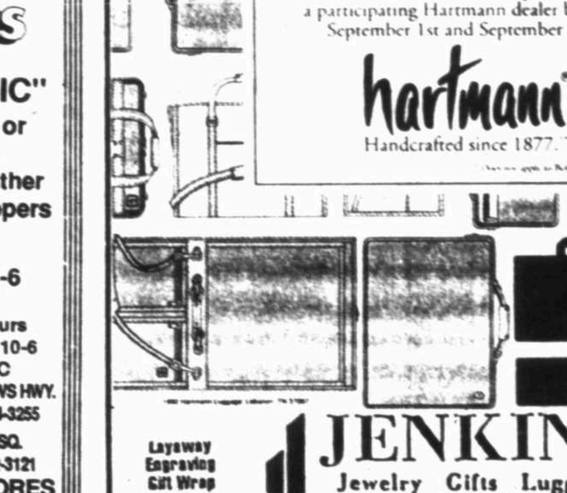
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From Marfa to Matagorda Texans celebrate day off

Associated Press

In far West Texas, the annual Marfa Lights Festival ends its four-day run on Monday. Entertainment includes country music star John Conlee.

Texans will celebrate Labor Day in a variety of ways on Monday, from special prayer services for U.S. servicemen in the Persian Gulf to the traditional beach shenanigans along the Texas Gulf Coast.

By the end of the long 3-day weekend, about 100,000 people are expected to have enjoyed the 30-mile stretch of coast from Port Aransas to Malachite Beach.

That's a scene that's likely to be repeated all up and down the Texas coast. The new school year has already started at secondary schools and colleges throughout the state, but most students will get Labor Day off. Governmental employees and many businesses also will have a holiday.

The Hobie Cat regatta, which got under way Sunday on South Padre Island, winds up on Monday.

Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams will be on South Padre Island on Monday, taking his campaign to South Texas.

One of the major labor-related activities scheduled in Houston on Monday is the Labor Day Breakfast being held by the Harris County AFL-CIO Council. Speakers for the event are Democratic gubernatorial candidate Ann Richards and U.S. Rep. Martin Frost.

Another labor-related event scheduled for Monday is the city of Bellaire's 8th annual Old Fashined Labor Day Picnic. It is being held from 3 to 7 p.m. at a city park.

In Corpus Christi, a non-denominational prayer service is scheduled at 6 p.m. at a city park in honor of U.S. military personnel in the Persian Gulf and in honor of westerners held by Iraq against their will.

In far West Texas, the annual Marfa Lights Festival ends its 4-day run on Monday. Entertainment includes country music star John Conlee.

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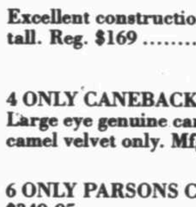
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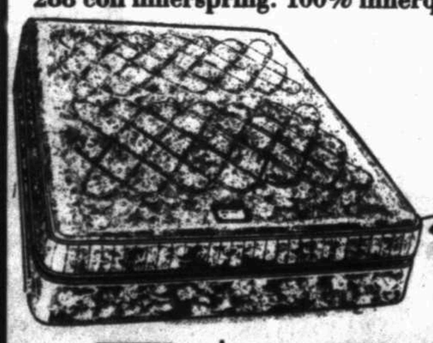
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Fertility problems lead many couples to adoption

By Michelle McIlvoy

LUBBOCK (AP) — Mike and Betty Ribordy are like millions of families across the country who planned to have children. After several years of marriage, however, fertility problems changed their plans, and they began looking into adoption.

Traditionally, the adoption process has been closed, with no contact between the birth family and the prospective adoptive family. But times are changing, and so are many of the attitudes about adoption. For the most part, single women are no longer looked down upon for placing their child for adoption. And no longer is it necessary to keep both parties a secret.

Although closed adoption still is the primary method used, birth parents and adoptive parents now have another choice — open adoption — which encourages contact before, during and after a child's birth.

Although relatively new and somewhat controversial, couples like the Ribordys say open adoption has given them a sense of peace.

After learning they were unable to conceive. Mike and Betty say they knew they wanted to adopt. But it wasn't until they talked with a friend who had chosen open adoption that they realized this was the way they wanted to handle their adoption.

"We prefer the openness. It gives us peace of mind," said Mike, 31. "Once we committed ourselves to being parents, we wanted to be the best possible, and that means getting (our child) through any identity crisis she might suffer when she gets older."

In 1987, Mike and Betty met Vicki, a young woman who was considering placing her child for adoption. Vicki had ambitions to attend college, and having been raised in a single-parent home, she realized she wanted her baby to have two parents.

Because Texas law states that only birth parents can initiate an arrangement for placement of their child — adoptive parents cannot legally approach an individual to ask to adopt their child — Vicki learned of the Ribordys and arranged to meet them in a park in Lubbock. The Ribordys shared pictures of their family with Vicki and later went out to eat.

"It was really nerve-wracking at first," Mike said. "But in only a short time we were all laughing and talking. That was the first step. We talked to Vicki, got to know her and gained her trust. It became a joint effort for the baby. Vicki will always be a part of our lives."

Vicki invited Mike and Betty to attend doctor visits with her. They heard the baby's heartbeat and, after a sonogram, learned the baby would be a girl. They would name her Haley. Mike and Betty also attended lamaze classes with the young woman.

"She really wanted us to be a part of the entire birth process," Betty said. "It was neat to feel the baby move, among other things. Just to be a part of it was a special experience we can share with Haley."

As their relationship grew, Mike, Betty and Vicki shopped together, picking out baby clothes and furniture.

Besides getting the opportunity to meet Vicki and become a part of her life, Mike and Betty agree the best part of open adoption is the firsthand information they have about the baby's family.

"We have detailed medical information that we may not have had otherwise," Mike said. "Plus we have pictures of her birth family, which will give her insight as to who she looks like."

While the trio formed a strong bond, there were a few times fear took over. Betty said she worried Vicki would change her mind, and for a while she thought she didn't want Vicki to know their full name.

"I guess I was just so nervous about it all at first that I became paranoid," Betty said. "But looking back I realize that everyone involved is nervous. I guess it's just being scared about being accepted by the birth mother."

Vicki, too, was nervous. The day before she met the Ribordys, Vicki had her hair cut and got a permanent in an effort to impress the family, Betty said.

"We all went through it," she said.

Besides dealing with the decision to have the Ribordys raise her child, months earlier Vicki had also contemplated having an abortion, Betty said. However, after going to an abortion clinic, Vicki changed her mind. She went for a long walk and ended up talking to a priest.

"She said she realized she couldn't do herself or the baby justice," Betty said. "So she changed her mind and decided to place the child for adoption. I'm so thankful she did. God had plans for all of us and Haley was it."

As the baby's delivery date neared, Betty said the excitement among the three mounted.

"It was as if we were delivering ourselves," she said. "Mike and I really felt a part of the entire pregnancy."

In early September, Vicki went into the doctor for a routine checkup. Because the baby wasn't due for several weeks, Mike and Betty were surprised to hear from Vicki that she was going in for an early delivery.

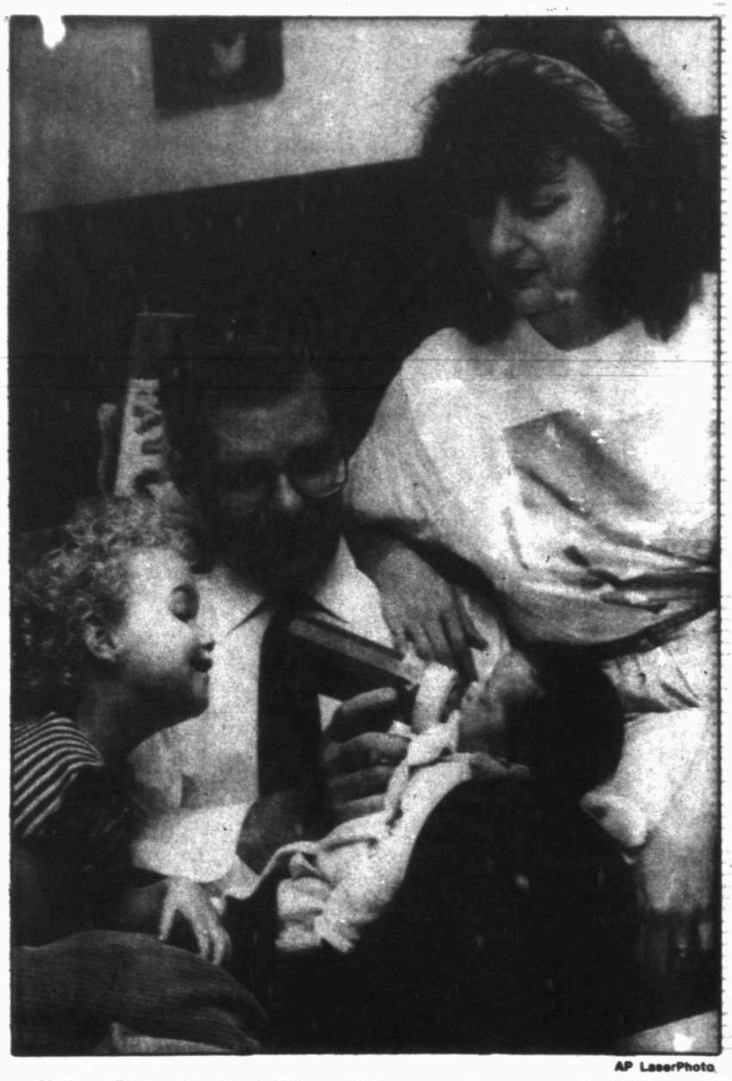
"We were shocked and felt totally unprepared," Betty said. "We ran out that night and bought an auto-focus camera so we could get pictures."

Early the next morning, Sept. 18, Vicki called again. Within several hours, with Mike and Betty present, Haley Marie Victoria Ribordy was born.

"It was the most beautiful experience ever," Betty said. "The nurses then asked me if I wanted to hold her and I looked at Vicki. Vicki simply said, 'No, you hold her. You're her mom.' "

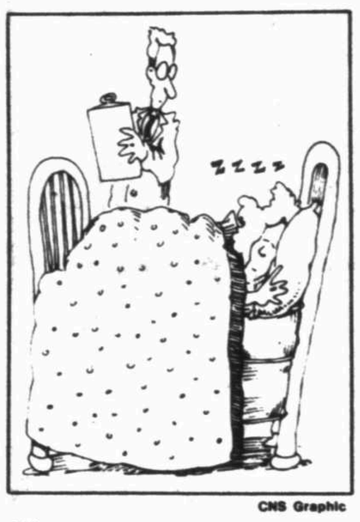
Vicki has now returned to her hometown and the Ribordys are "expecting" a second daughter. Kelsey, who is already living in their home. Although Kelsey's adoption will be closed, Betty and Mike said they aren't upset. "Granted, we prefer openness, but that just doesn't work in every situation. Each situation is different," Betty said.

For the Ribordys and Vicki, open adoption was the solution. Vicki calls annually to see how Haley, now nearly 3, is doing. They also swap pictures. "It's just to let her know that she made a good choice for Haley," Mike said. "And hopefully Vicki will find peace in that."



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Haley Ribordy, 2 (left), watches as her parents Mike and Betty Ribordy feed her newborn adoptive sister Kelsey in their Lubbock home.



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Sleep stats a snooze

Copley News Service

Did you know the average person spends 222,000 hours in bed during a lifetime?

Here are some more "sleep stats" from the Better Sleep Council:

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DEAR ABBY

Couple suffers neighbors' flak

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My wife has had Alzheimer's for several years and is now totally bedridden. She doesn't even recognize me. My life has been very lonely. My children have encouraged me to get out and enjoy the last years of my life. (I am 73 and my wife is 75.)



Van Buren

To get to the point, I started seeing a 68-year-old widow who lives in my condo complex. We go to dinner, theater, concerts, etc. We are good company for each other, but the flak we are getting from some of our neighbors is very upsetting.

What is your opinion of this? Do I have the right to enjoy my life? And what about the woman I'm seeing? Does she have the right to date me — a married man? — SINGLE, BUT NOT SINGLE

DEAR SINGLE, BUT: Since there is no hope for your wife's recovery, and she no longer recognizes you, I see no reason why you and your neighbor can't enjoy each other's company. Easing the burden of loneliness isn't desertion, so don't allow anyone to lay a guilt trip on you. Read on for the flip side of your situation:

DEAR ABBY: Dad died suddenly of a massive heart attack on the tennis court. It was a terrible shock to Mom. They had been married for 48 years.

Mom's new-age therapist gave her one year only to mourn Dad's death, then she ORDERED her to get on with her life. This therapist then introduced Mom to an older man whom she had been treating for depression. The man's wife has Alzheimer's and has been out of touch with reality for many years.

You can probably guess the rest of this story. Now Mom, at age 70, is keeping company with this married man. (She says it's platonic, but I'm not so sure.) I've been trying to convince her to break it off with him. My two brothers see nothing wrong with her conduct and tell me to mind my business.

How do you see it, Abby? Isn't a man whose wife has an incurable illness considered married? Whatever happened to "for better or worse, in sickness and in health — 'til death do us part"? — GERALDINE (NOT MY REAL NAME)

DEAR GERALDINE: Of course the man is "still married," but his wife is living somewhere between heaven and earth, and the likelihood of her returning is nil. If your mother says their relationship is platonic, why not believe her?

To answer your question: If I were terminally ill with no chance of recovery and no longer recognized my husband, I would want him to live the remainder of his life with as much happiness as possible. And I would hope that the community would treat him with understanding and compassion — and not rush to judgment.

DEAR ABBY: Do you think it's OK to let an 8-year-old boy make a train trip alone? It's only 2½ hours. He has been a latchkey kid for over a year and has shown that he is mature enough to be alone while his mom works, so I think he should be mature enough to travel alone.

His grandfather doesn't agree with me, but he said I should write to you, and we will abide by your decision. — WAITING IN SAN DIEGO

DEAR WAITING: I may be a "nervous Nellie," but I would not send an 8-year-old child alone on a train trip of any length.

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EAST PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — About 4.5 million vehicles on the road today have unsafe brakes, according to a study of automobile brake failure.

Two consumer surveys, made in 1990 and 1987 by Bendix Brakes, showed that most motorists ranked brake failure as their No. 1 fear. Yet, less than half of those surveyed said they had their brakes inspected regularly by a certified mechanic.

Research showed typical motorists bring a car into the shop only for a loose brake pedal, brake-drum noise or a non-holding parking brake. Brake systems have more than 100 individual parts and all can contribute to brake failure if not checked.

Newspaper reporter becomes leading music composer

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TENNIS — U.S. Open, 11:30 a.m., CBS; 6 p.m., USA.

BASEBALL — Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves, noon, TBS.

Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves, 12:30 p.m., WGN.

Philadelphia Phillies at Pittsburgh Pirates, 12:30 p.m., ESPN.

Oakland Athletics at Boston Red Sox, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

San Francisco Giants at San Diego Padres, 9:30 p.m., ESPN.

Texas Scores

BASEBALL — Athletics 4, Rangers 2.

Pirates 7, Astros 6.

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Astros promote

HOUSTON (AP)— Shortstop Andujar Cedeno and infielder Luis Gonzalez were recalled by the Houston Astros from Columbus of the Southern League on Sunday.

Cedeno batted .240 with 21 doubles, 11 triples, 19 home runs and 64 runs batted in. Gonzalez, who plays first base and third base, hit .265 with 24 home runs, 89 RBIs and 27 steals.

Oilers cut 12

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers made their final roster cuts on Sunday by releasing 12 players. They beat by one day the deadline for NFL teams to reduce their squad to 47 players.

The Oilers cut tackles Joey Banes and Doug Williams, guard Tommy Robison, wide receivers Kenny Jackson and Frank Miotke, running back Victor Jones, cornerback Billy Bell, quarterbacks Chuck Hartlieb and Don McPherson, linebackers Richard Newbill and John Brantley and place kicker Brian Lowe.

Pokes cut 14

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys got down to the 47-man limit on Sunday with their final cuts, which included veteran running back Terrence Flagler, tight end Steve Folsom and running backs Lorenzo Hampton and Broderick Sargent.

Other cuts included wide receiver Derrick Shepard, linebacker Randy Shannon, guard Greg Johnson, tackle Mike Graybill and guard Dave Franks.

The Cowboys also made injury settlement offers to tight end Keith Jennings, linebacker Willis Crockett and wide receiver Michael Williams. If the offers aren't accepted, then the Cowboys will waive all three.

Offensive lineman Louis Cheek made the club but won't be on the club's active roster for the season's start; the NFL suspended him through the first three weeks of the season for steroid use.

???? Trivia Teaser

Monday's Question — Who has won the most U.S. Open events, counting titles in doubles and mixed doubles?

Sunday's Answer — Rod Laver, Manuel Orantes, Jimmy Connors, Guillermo Vilas and John McEnroe are left-handed men who have won U.S. Open singles titles.

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Fifth time the charm for Stieb

■ Toronto's Dave Stieb finally got his first career no-hitter Sunday after several close calls

Associated Press

Dave Stieb has always been good enough to throw a no-hitter — just never lucky enough.

His luck changed Sunday when he pitched his first no-hitter. After coming so close so often — four times he went into the ninth inning — Stieb did it, leading the Toronto Blue Jays past the Cleveland Indians 3-0.

"I wasn't real nervous. I've been there quite a few times," Stieb said almost matter-of-factly. "I was struggling with my control a little bit the whole game. They helped me out by swinging at some balls in the dirt. I could have been in some more jams.

"I had much better stuff the other times, much better control. I always knew it took a lot of luck to get a no-hitter."

Cleveland didn't come close to a hit against the 33-year-old right-hander. The closest call was Ken Phelps' hard grounder down the right-field line in the eighth inning, which was foul by several feet.

Stieb had taken no-hitters into the ninth four times before, and he lost three of those with two outs in the ninth.

This time, Jerry Browne closed it out by hitting a line drive to Junior Felix in right. Stieb wiped his brow, raised his arm and was mobbed by his teammates as the crowd of 23,640 — many of them Toronto fans who had made the five-hour drive to Cleveland — gave him a standing ovation.

Stieb (17-5) struck out nine and walked four, becoming the first Toronto pitcher ever to pitch a no-hitter. The 17 victories matched his career high, accomplished three times before.

Cleveland was last held without a hit by Dean Chance of Minnesota on Aug. 25, 1967. The last no-hitter pitched in Cleveland Stadium was Len Barker's perfect game, against Toronto, on May 15, 1981.

Stieb's no-hitter was the ninth in the majors this year, a record.

"Maybe it's not that tough to get one this year," he said. "That's why I got one."

AL Roundup

On Sept. 24, 1988, Stieb had a no-hitter with two outs in the ninth in this same stadium before Cleveland's Julio Franco hit a routine ground ball that took a bad hop over the head of second baseman Manny Lee for a hit.

"I didn't want a ground ball this time," Lee said. "I wanted to see a fly ball. I didn't want that to happen again."

Cleveland's hitters agreed that Stieb was less than awesome. The no-hitter came against a team that has lost seven straight.

"The way we've been playing, to see that happened I guess probably doesn't surprise too many people," Phelps said. "I've seen him throw better. He's been so close so many times, I guess it was bound to happen."

Stieb also lost no-hitters with one out to go against Baltimore on Sept. 30, 1988 (Jim Traber singled), and New York on Aug. 4, 1989. He had a perfect game against the Yankees before allowing a double to Roberto Kelly.

This time, he got the last three outs with ease. Pinch-hitter Chris James flied out, and Candy Maldonado, another pinch-hitter, struck out, putting Stieb in a familiar situation.

Stieb then walked rookie Alex Cole on four pitches before Browne lined out to Felix in right for the final out.

Stieb first flirted with a no-hitter in 1985, when he pitched eight hitless innings against Chicago before giving up a leadoff home run in the ninth.

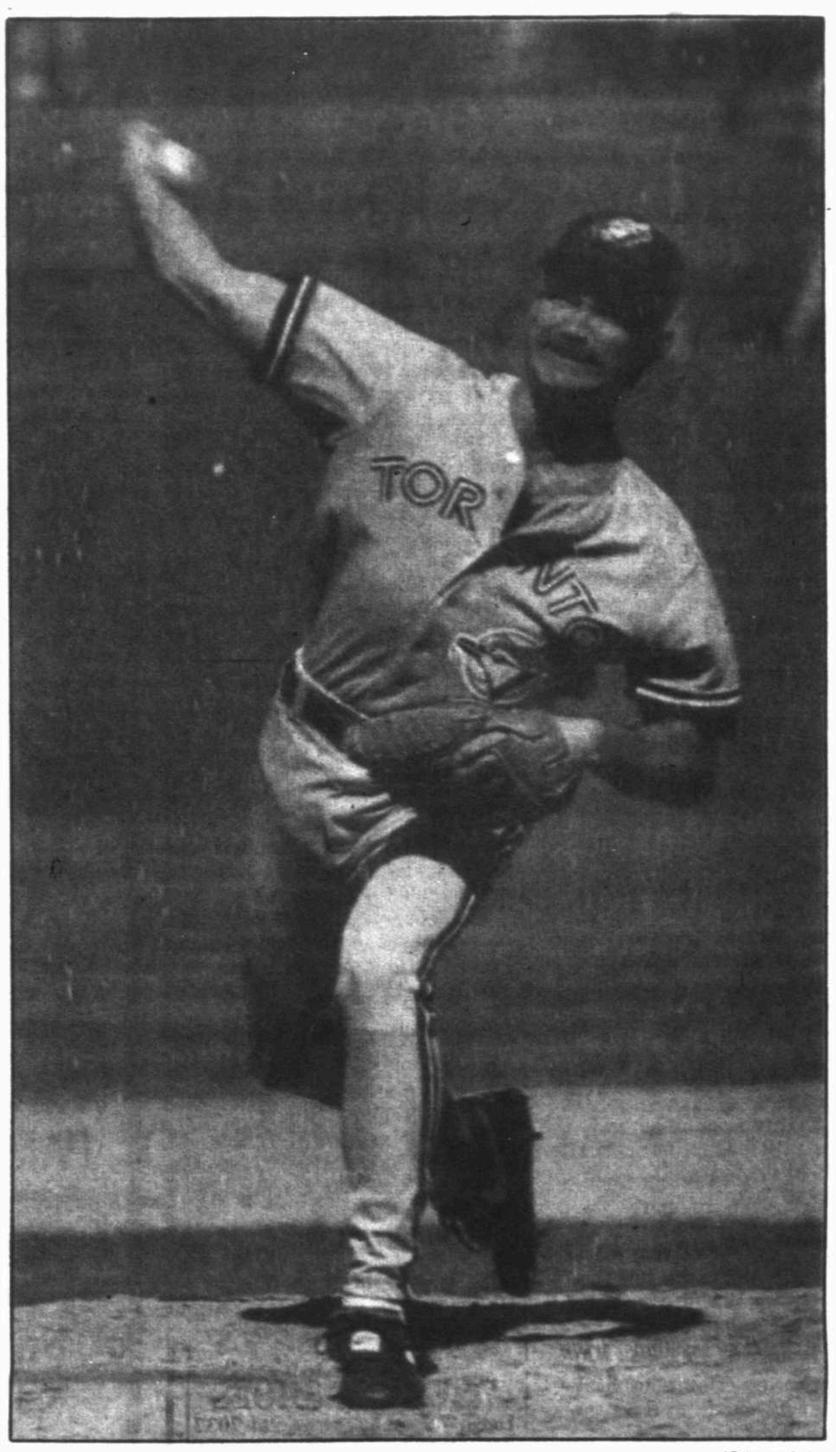
The Indians didn't come close to a hit, with only seven balls leaving the infield.

Stieb got his second shutout and complete game of the year, striking out the side in the third and sixth innings. He reduced his earned-run average from 3.07 to 2.91.

Seven of this year's nine no-hitters have come in the American League, a record for a major league. Mark Langston and Mike Witt of California combined for one against Seattle, Randy Johnson of Seattle did it against Detroit, Nolan Ryan of Texas did it against Oakland and Dave Stewart of the Athletics did it against the Blue Jays.

Andy Hawkins of the Yankees

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AP Laserphoto

Toronto's Dave Stieb lets loose during the seventh inning of Sunday's no-hitter.

'Sleepy' hopes to wake up a winner

Horse Racing

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — In Dwayne "Sleepy" Gilbreath's stable of stability, the unknown is suddenly the principle point of interest.

Gilbreath, who over the last eight years has become one of the country's leading trainers of quarter horse runners, will saddle two of the contenders in Monday's 32nd running of the $2 million All American Futurity.

But Gilbreath, who won in 1983 with a longshot named On A High, concedes there's much he doesn't know about his colt-filly combination of Refrigerator and Opportunity Streak.

Refrigerator joined Gilbreath's stable in late June, after Arlington, Texas, roofing contractor James Helzer purchased him in Oklahoma for $150,000.

The brown speedster has won five of six races this summer and along with See Me Gone, a filly, had the fastest qualifying time of 19.81 seconds in the final trials that decided the 10-horse field for the 400-yard race whose winner collects $1 million.

"He's an awfully nice colt, but he's mean and unpredictable," Gilbreath said. "Sometimes, I get the feeling he's like a stick of dynamite waiting to go off."

Gilbreath is no less clear on Opportunity Streaks, who after running seventh and ninth in two of her first three races has scored consecutive victories.

"We don't know just how good she might be," Gilbreath said. "She's getting better with each race, but now she's in tough company."

Tough and fast.

The probable favorite is Strait To The Bank, a colt whose string of five straight wins was snapped in the trials when he threw a shoe. Also his jockey, Jacky Martin, lost the whip 50 yards from the finish. He still managed to qualify, running second behind Alifax, another of the futurity contenders.

Strait To The Bank, owned by Jesse Garza, a dairy farmer from Mesquite, New Mexico, drew the No. 1 post and will line up next to Quick Fun, a filly that has won all five of her races.

Together, Strait To The Bank and Quick Fun had the two fastest times this summer at 350 yards. Strait To The Bank won the Rainbow Futurity on July 15 in 17.26 seconds, the fastest time ever recorded at that distance by a 2-year-old. Quick Fun a day earlier won the Rainbow consolation race in 17.30.

But the additional 50 yards in the All American also will help horses like Alifax, See Me Gone and Refrigerator, all of whom have late speed.

McEnroe in, Martina out

■ John McEnroe kept his U.S. Open hopes alive with a five-set win over Emilio Sanchez, but Martina Navratilova made her earliest exit in 11 years at the hands of Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Mac magic is alive in the U.S. Open, but Martina is gone.

John McEnroe came out roaring, his racket spinning winners and his voice barking at officials. Four hours and 20 minutes later, after a noble comeback and five-set triumph over a usually tireless Emilio Sanchez, McEnroe seemed as if he were about to float off the court.

No one would have been amazed if he did after watching him, at age 31, unseeded and on the edge of retirement, recover his skills and find enough energy to beat the No. 7 Sanchez of Spain 7-6 (8-6), 3-6, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3 Sunday to reach the quarterfinals.

Four-time women's champion Martina Navratilova, a victim of a vanishing serve and a machine-like ground-stroke game by No. 9 Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere, lost 7-5, 3-6, 6-3 to make her earliest exit here since 1980.



AP Laserphoto

Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere

Maleeva, the oldest of three sisters on the women's tour, reached the quarters here for the third straight year and will next play No. 8 Mary Joe Fernandez.

Navratilova's serve failed her in the first set after she took a 4-1 lead and then served for the set at 5-4. She seemed oddly nervous, playing too carefully, on a stadium court where she has done so well. She asserted herself, playing more confidently in the second set, but wavered again in the final set when she was broken twice to fall behind 5-2.

U.S. Open

Navratilova saved the match briefly by breaking back, but then went down on two critical shots — a brilliant running forehand crosscourt for a winner by Maleeva that made it 30-40, and a forehand that Navratilova mishit on match point. The ball hit the net cord, popped in the air and fell back on Navratilova's side to end the match.

Maleeva, tears in her eyes, ran across court and hugged her husband. Navratilova walked sadly to her seat with a dazed look in her eyes.

McEnroe, a four-time U.S. Open champion who began the year by getting thrown out of the Australian Open, held his temper in check after an early blowup over a line call.

Beyond style and touch in his range of shots, he showed the resilience lacking in recent years as he refused to fold after falling behind two sets to one.

Sanchez, whose 10th-ranked younger brother Javier lost to McEnroe in the first round, is noted for his leg strength and endurance. But on this day the 25-year-old with thick, muscular thighs couldn't cope with the variety of McEnroe's attack and the support that McEnroe received from the packed crowd.

"It's my biggest win this year," McEnroe said.

Earnhardt wins handily

DARLINGTON, S.C. (AP) — Pole-sitter Dale Earnhardt continued his Darlington dominance on Sunday, racing to his second consecutive victory in the Southern 500.

Earnhardt, winner of six of the last 10 races at Darlington Raceway, took the lead for good on lap 314 following pit stops under green by the leaders.

After the pit stops, the three-time Winston Cup points champion had a 4.1-second lead and was never seriously threatened over the final 54 laps en route to his seventh victory of the year.

The Kannapolis, N.C., driver averaged 123.141 mph in earning a 4.08-second victory over Ernie Irvan, who won his first Winston Cup race last week at Bristol, Tenn.

Midland's Bobby Hillin finished 31st. Hillin was knocked out of the race in an accident on the 227th lap.

Earnhardt pocketed $205,350, including a $100,000 bonus that goes to any driver who wins two of the four major races on the circuit. He earlier won the Winston 500. Earnhardt has won more money than any driver in motorsports history, nearly $11.2 million.

Alan Kulwicki finished third, followed by Bill Elliott, who led early.

AL: Baines helps beat old teammates with solo shot

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pitched a losing no-hitter against Chicago and Melido Perez of the White Sox pitched a rain-shortened no-hit game against New York.

Fernando Valenzuela of Los Angeles and Terry Mulholland of Philadelphia have thrown no-hitters in the National League.

Though he has been pitching for 12 years, all five of Stieb's one-hitters have been thrown since 1988.

Athletics 4, Rangers 2

Harold Baines hit his first home run for Oakland as the Athletics increased their American League West lead to 6½ games.

Mike Moore (12-12) allowed four hits in 6 1-3 innings. Rick Honeycutt pitched 1 2-3 hitless innings and Dennis Eckersley finished with a hitless ninth for his 41st save.

Baines, traded from Texas to Oakland on Wednesday night, tied the score 1-1 in the second inning with his 14th home run of the season. Willie Randolph's triple later in the inning put the A's ahead.

Moore (12-12), who struck out five and walked four, came out of the game in the seventh with a bruised right wrist. He struck out Pete Incaviglia with the bases loaded in the sixth to work out of a jam.

Brewers 4, Orioles 2

Jamie Navarro took a shutout into the ninth inning as Milwaukee won its 10th victory in 13 games.

Navarro (6-5) gave up eight hits in 8 2-3 innings as Milwaukee completed a three-game sweep. He struck out four, walked one and had a shutout until Mike Devereaux's two-out, two-run homer. Chuck Crim got the last out for his ninth save.

Before Devereaux's home run, Navarro had allowed only one runner to reach third base — in the eighth after singles by Steve Finley and Brady Anderson. Sam Horn struck out to end the inning.

Twins 4, Tigers 3

Greg Gagne hit a two-run homer and rookie Scott Erickson held the Tigers to six hits over 7 2-3 innings.

The victory stopped a three-game Twins losing streak and halted Detroit's winning streak at four. It also ended a personal three-game slump for Erickson during which he lasted only 12 1-3 innings and gave up 26 hits.

Erickson (4-4) struck out four — fanning Cecil Fielder three times — and walked five. Rick Aguilera pitched 1 1-3 innings for his 27th save.

Tony Phillips had all three RBI for the Tigers. He homered off Erickson in the seventh and added an RBI single in the ninth off Aguilera.

Angels 1, White Sox 0

Jack Howell, brought back this week after a month in the minors, homered in the fifth inning and Chuck Finley shut down Chicago as California avoided a series sweep.

The loss ended Chicago's three-game winning streak and denied Bobby Thigpen a chance for to set the major-league save record at 47. Thigpen had saved three consecutive games to equal Dave Righetti's record set in 1986 for the New York Yankees.

Royals 8, Mariners 0

Kansas City's Danny Tartabull drove in five runs to match a career high and Tom Gordon pitched a three-hitter for his second career shutout.

Tartabull hit a two-run double in the third and a three-run homer in seventh. The Royals had 11 hits, including three by George Brett.

Red Sox 7, Yankees 1

Tom Bolton came within three outs of his first major league shutout as the Red Sox charged to their 10th consecutive victory and completed a sweep of their season series with the Yankees in Boston for the first time in the torrid 88-year rivalry.

Smiley, King lead Bucs

Associated Press

John Smiley held the Houston Astros hitless for 5 1-3 innings and Jeff King hit a three-run homer, leading the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 7-6 victory Sunday.

Smiley retired 16 of the first 18 hitters he faced before Eric Yelding broke up the no-hitter and the shutout with an RBI triple in the sixth.

Smiley (8-7) gave up five runs on six hits in seven innings for the victory, which kept the Pirates a half-game behind first-place New York in the National League East.

The Astros, trailing 7-5 going into the ninth, got within a run on an RBI single by Franklin Stubbs and had runners at first and third with one out before Bob Kipper relieved Ted Power. Kipper then struck out Gerald Young and got Yelding on a fly ball to center for the final out and his third save.

Danny Darwin (10-2) was the loser, ending a personal nine-game winning streak. Darwin pitched six innings, giving up five runs on nine hits.

Pittsburgh took a 1-0 lead in the first on an RBI double by Andy Van Slyke, and scored again in the third on Bobby Bonilla's run-scoring single.

King's three-run homer gave the Pirates a 5-0 lead in the sixth after an infield single by Sid Bream and a walk to Mike LaValliere.

Houston cut its deficit to 5-3 in the sixth on RBI triples by Yelding and Rafael Ramirez and a sacrifice fly by Craig Biggio.

Pittsburgh added two runs in the seventh off reliever Al Osuna in his major-league debut. Jose Lind tripled and scored on a double by Jay Bell, who came home on Bonilla's sacrifice fly.

The Astros made it 7-5 in the seventh on an RBI double by Stubbs and a sacrifice fly by pinch-hitter Glenn Wilson.

Mets 10, Giants 6

New York completed a 6-0 homestand and a four-game sweep of San Francisco, despite giving up 17 hits.

It was the first time the Giants had been swept in a series at New York since 1979, and the first time ever by the Mets in a four-game series.

The Mets, combined with second-place Pittsburgh's 7-6 victory at Houston, stayed a half-game ahead of the Pirates in the National League East.

Winner David Cone (11-7), who allowed four runs on 11 hits in just five innings, got off to a shaky start as the Giants scored three runs before making an out. Kevin Mitchell hit a two-run single with the bases loaded and Matt Williams added an RBI single.

The Mets came back against Paul McClellan, who was making his major-league debut. New York scored in the first on Darryl Strawberry's RBI grounder and added a run in the third on Kevin McReynolds' 19th homer.

McClellan was the 26th pitcher — one short of the major-league record — to appear in a game for the Giants this season and the 14th to start.

Trailing 4-2, the Mets scored four runs in the fifth to chase McClellan (0-1).

Reds 6, Cubs 2

Jose Rijo won his third straight start and Eric Davis, Bill Doran and Jeff Reed led a 12-hit attack for Cincinnati.

Cincinnati won three out of four games in the series and has won nine of 12 overall, maintaining a 6½-game lead over Los Angeles in the National League West.

Rijo (11-6) pitched his fourth complete game, allowing nine hits. He has allowed just four runs in his last three starts, and he is 3-0 in three outings against the Cubs this season.

Padres 9, Phillies 1

Ed Whitson allowed one run in seven innings for his fifth straight victory as San Diego snapped a five-game losing streak.

Whitson (12-7), the National League's earned run average leader at 2.31, has given up seven earned runs in his last eight outings.

NL Roundup

Dodgers 12, Expos 5

Kal Daniels snapped an 0-for-16 slump with a pair of two-run homers and Lenny Harris and Mike Sharperson also homered for Los Angeles.

It was the second time this season that Daniels, who homered twice against the Cubs in Chicago on July 14, has hit two homers in a game this season. He has eight two-homer games in his career.

Braves 5, Cardinals 0

Charlie Leibrandt scattered 10 hits and Ron Gant and Dave Justice each knocked in two runs for Atlanta.

It was the third complete game and second shutout of the year for Leibrandt (7-8).

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Gallagher wins GMO playoff

PGA

FRANKLIN, Wis. (AP) — Jim Gallagher rolled in an 8-footer for par on the first playoff hole Sunday and won the Greater Milwaukee Open when Ed Dougherty and Billy Mayfair missed putts to tie.

Gallagher, getting his first tour victory, teed off first in the playoff on the par-3 17th hole and was the only one of the trio to reach the green. He then 2-putted for par and what turned out to be a $162,000 first-place prize.

Dougherty hit his tee shot in the bunker, chipped it out and missed his putt from about 8 feet. Mayfair, who had a 1-shot lead before a bogey on the final final hole of regulation, hit his tee shoot past the green, chipped back past the hole and then missed an 8-footer.

The trio, each seeking to win for the first time, finished tied at 17-under 271 to force the fourth playoff in GMO history. Mayfair had a final-round 68 and Gallagher and Dougherty 66s.

Hill birdies to win extra hole

Seniors

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Mike Hill birdied the first hole of sudden death Sunday to beat Bruce Crampton in the GTE North Seniors Classic.

Hill's second shot on the par-4, 364-yard 16th hole landed three inches from the cup. He tapped in for the birdie in his first-ever playoff.

Crampton's approach landed beyond the green and his third shot skidded past the cup, leaving him a long putt for par.

Hill got into the playoff by shooting a 4-under 68.

Daniel, Nause tie for Rail lead

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Beth Daniel had six birdies for a 69 Sunday and tied Martha Nause for the lead after two rounds of the LPGA Rail Charity Classic.

Daniel, the defending champion, finished with a 36-hole total of 136, 8-under.

Nause had an eagle on the par-5 11th hole on the way to a 67, the lowest round of the day.

Despite her round and the lead, Daniel was not satisfied.

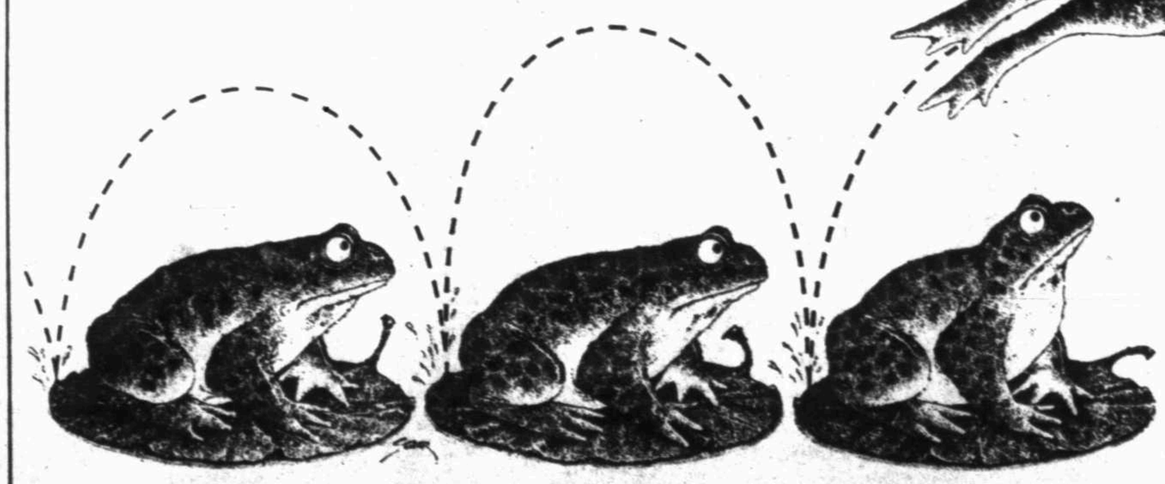
"When you have been playing well, your expectations are a lot higher," said Daniel, who won last week's Northgate Classic.

"I just did not play well today. I did not hit well at all, especially in the fairways."

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U.S. Open

NEW YORK (AP) — Results Sunday of the $8.36 million U.S. Open tennis tournament held at the USTA National Tennis Center (seedings in parentheses):

Men
Singles
Fourth Round

Ivan Lendl (3), Czechoslovakia, def. Eliad Bloom, Israel, 6-0, 6-3, 6-4.

David Wheaton, Excelsior, Minn., def. Kevin Curren, Austin, Texas, 7-6, 7-6 (7-1), 4-6, 6-4.

John McEnroe, Cove Neck, N.Y., def. Emilio Sanchez (7), Spain, 7-6 (8-6), 3-6, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Women
Singles
Fourth Round

Gabriela Sabatini (5), Argentina, def. Helena Sukova (11), Czechoslovakia, 6-2, 6-1.

Mary Joe Fernandez (8), Miami, def. Judith Wiesner (15), Austria, 6-3, 6-2.

Leila Meskhi, Soviet Union, def. Linda Ferrando, Italy, 7-6 (7-4), 6-1.

Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere (9), Switzerland, def. Martina Navratilova (2), Aspen, Colo., 7-5, 3-6, 6-3.

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Called up Kevin Hickey, pitcher, and Jeff McKnight, infielder, from Rochester of the International League.

BOSTON RED SOX—Called up Billy Jo Robidoux, first baseman; Jeff Stone and Phil Plantier, outfielders; Scott Cooper, third baseman; and Daryl Irvine, pitcher, from Pawtucket of the International League.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Called up Shawn Hillegas and Steve Rosenberg, pitchers; Rodney McCray, outfielder; Jerry Willard, catcher; and Matt Stark, designated hitter, from Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League.

DETROIT TIGERS—Called up Scott Aldred, pitcher, and Milt Cuyler, outfielder.

MINNESOTA TWINS—Called up Pedro Munoz, outfielder; Jack Savage, pitcher; and Scott Leius, shortstop, from Portland of the Pacific Coast League.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Called up Mike Bordick, infielder, from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Called up Scott Medvin, Russ Swan, Vance Lovelace, Dave Burba, Jose Melendez and Rich DeLucia, pitchers, and Dave Cochrane and Mike Brumley, infielders, from Calgary of the Pacific Coast League and Mike Gardiner, pitcher, from Williamsport of the Eastern League.

TEXAS RANGERS—Called up Chad Kreuter, catcher; Gerald Alexander, pitcher; and Scott Coolbaugh, infielder, from Oklahoma City of the American Association, and Bill Haselman, catcher, and Kevin Belcher, outfielder, from Tulsa of the Texas League.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Called up Carlos Diaz, catcher, and Willie Blair, pitcher, from Syracuse of the International League and Tom Quinlan, third baseman, from Knoxville of the Southern League.

National League

ATLANTA BRAVES—Called up Paul Marak and Marvin Freeman, pitchers; Jimmy Kremers and Kelly Mann, catchers; and Mike Bell, first baseman, from Richmond of the International League.

CHICAGO CUBS—Called up Damon Berryhill, catcher; Lloyd McClendon, outfielder; and Lee Lancaster and Jose Nunez, pitchers, from Iowa of the American Association.

CINCINNATI REDS—Called up Tim Birtsas, pitcher, from Nashville of the American Association and Rosario Rodriguez, pitcher, from Chattanooga of the Southern League.

HOUSTON ASTROS—Called up Brian Meyer, pitcher, from Tuscon of the Pacific Coast League and Al Osuna, pitcher, from Columbus of the Southern League. Recalled Andujar Cedeno, shortstop, and Luis Gonzalez, infielder, from Columbus.

LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Activated Pat Perry, pitcher, from the 21-day disabled list. Called up Jose Vizcaino, infielder, and Darrin Fletcher, catcher, from Albuquerque of the Pacific Coast League and Jim Poole, pitcher, from San Antonio of the Texas League. Purchased the contract of Darren Holmes, pitcher, from Albuquerque.

MONTREAL EXPOS—Purchased the contract of Rolando Roomes, outfielder, from Indianapolis of the American Association. Called up Moises Alou, outfielder, and Howard Farmer, from Indianapolis. Activated Nelson Santovenia, catcher, from the 15-day disabled list.

NEW YORK METS—Called up Julio Machado and Kevin Brown, pitchers, from Tidewater of the International League.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Purchased the contract of Louie Meadows, outfielder, from Scranton—Wilkes-Barre of the International League. Recalled Ricky Jordan, first baseman, and Chuck McElroy and Chuck Malone, pitchers, from Scranton—Wilkes-Barre.

CART

VANCOUVER, British Columbia (AP) — Results Sunday of the Molson Indy-Vancouver, with starting position in parentheses, hometown or country, type of car, laps completed, reason out, if any, money won and winner's average speed in mph:

1. (6) Al Unser Jr., Albuquerque, N.M., Lola-Chevrolet, 97, $138,828.
2. (2) Danny Sullivan, Aspen, Colo., Penske-Chevrolet, 97, $108,528.
3. (8) Mario Andretti, Nazareth, Pa., Lola-Chevrolet, 97, $81,928.
4. (7) Rick Mears, Bakersfield, Calif., Penske-Chevrolet, 97, $68,378.
5. (13) John Andretti, Indianapolis, Ind., March-Porsche, 97, $49,800.
6. (5) Emerson Fittipaldi, Brazil, Penske-Chevrolet, 96, $43,900.
7. (9) Scott Goodyear, Canada, 1989 Lola-Judd, 96, $37,000.
8. (3) Bobby Rahal, Dublin, Ohio, Lola-Chevrolet, 96, $42,028.
9. (18) Scott Brayton, Coldwater, Mich., Lola-Cosworth, 96, $36,628.
10. (17) Willy T. Ribbs, San Jose, Calif., 1989 Lola-Judd, 96, $22,920.
11. (25) Dominic Dobson, Fairfax, Calif., Lola-Cosworth, 95, $22,994.
12. (22) Buddy Lazier, Vail, Colo., Lola-Buick, 94, $32,428.
13. (20) A.J. Foyt, Houston, Texas, Lola-Chevrolet, 93, $32,428.
14. (14) Eddie Cheever, Indianapolis, Ind., Lola-Chevrolet, 93, $29,228.
15. (19) Dean Hall, Olympic Valley, Calif., Lola-Cosworth, 93, $29,228.
16. (11) Teo Fabi, Italy, March-Porsche, 91, $26,028.
17. (24) Randy Lewis, Hillsborough, Calif., 1988 Penske-Buick, 90, $24,428.
18. (28) Rose Bentley, Canada, 1989 Lola-Cosworth, 77, $13,714.
19. (16) Raul Boesel, Brazil, 1989 Lola-Judd, 59, $24,428.
20. (1) Michael Andretti, Nazareth, Pa., Lola-Chevrolet, 54, exhaust header, $23,714.
21. (21) Jon Beekhuis, Salinas, Calif., 1989 Lola-Judd, 50, suspension, $11,400.
22. (15) Mike Groff, Northridge, Calif., Lola-Cosworth, 48, clutch, $17,114.
23. (23) Hiro Matsushita, Japan, 1989 Lola-Cosworth, 40, turbocharger, $22,828.
24. (10) Roberto Guerrero, San Juan Capistrano, Calif., Lola-Alfa Romeo, 29, crash, $22,828.
25. (12) Didier Theys, Belgium, 1989 Penske-Buick, 9, suspension, $22,828.
26. (4) Arie Luyendyk, the Netherlands, Lola-Chevrolet, crash, $22,828.

Ruidoso

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — Here are Sunday's horse racing results from Ruidoso Downs.

First — 6 furlongs. Silvey's Image 3.40, 2.40, 2.20; Miss Dashie Nashie 2.60, 2.20; Sea Loch 2.40; T— 1:13.2. Exacta — $6.80. Quiniela — $6.60.

Second — 350 yards. The Star Warrior 3.60, 3.20, 2.40; Pay The Master 11.40, 4.20; Takum Tokum 2.80; T— 18.03. Daily Double — $6.40. Quiniela — $42.40. Trifecta — $174.80.

Third — 5½ furlongs. Playboy Doug 49.20, 16.20, 6.60; Swiss Saros 6.60, 4.80; Double Please 4.80; T— 1:06.3. Quiniela — $175.40. First Half Twin Trifecta — $2,430.00.

Fourth — 6 furlongs. Roman Habit 14.60, 4.60, 3.20; Painted Indian 3.00, 2.60; Cotton Express 2.80; T— 1:12.4. Quiniela — $13.40. Trifecta — $50.40. Second Half Twin Trifecta — No winners; carryover $12,160.00.

Fifth — 350 yards. Ima Lark 33.40, 11.80, 7.40; Parrohman 4.60, 3.80; Celtic 17.20; T— 17.91. Exacta — $149.60. Quiniela — $94.00. Trifecta — $7,883.80.

Sixth — 7½ furlongs. Sanford N Sons 6.80, 3.80, 3.00; Spicy Performance 12.40, 4.80; Ivan's Spirit 3.20; T— 1:34.3. Exacta — $119.20. Quiniela — $60.00. Trifecta — $362.00.

Seventh — 550 yards. Dabbit On Em Mylea) 18.00, 8.80, 4.00; Afore Smashed Lidberg) 7.20, 4.60; Smoky Inspiration Coomba) 4.20; T— 27.28. Exacta — $111.20. Quiniela — $37.80. Trifecta — $1,094.00.

Eighth — Simulcast

Ninth — 350 yards. Valid Proposal 4.20, 2.40, 2.60; First Prize Dash 2.60, 2.60; Mr Cash It 2.60; T— 19.76. Exacta — $12.40. Quiniela — $7.00.

Tenth — 6 furlongs. Ma Honeys P.I. 3.40, 3.40, 3.00; Goodthinking Cindy 13.60, 6.20; Shunai 3.80; T— 1:11.3. Exacta — $61.80. Quiniela — $42.40. Trifecta — $272.40.

Eleventh — 1 mile, Grey Bed 25.00, 7.20, 3.40; A Bit Of Style 3.80, 2.80; Classy Dear 2.60; T— 1:39.0. Daily Triple — $222.40. Exacta — $76.00. Quiniela — $26.80.

Twelfth — 440 yards. Special Project 15.80, 8.40, 5.60; Star Of Sierra Leone 14.20, 8.00; Do No Wrong 5.20; T— 21.37. Exacta — $338.40. Quiniela — $127.00.

Thirteenth — 1 mile. Prince Faithless 18.00, 8.80, 6.20; Seagallo 5.20, 3.60; Stay In The Buggy 5.00; T— 1:41.1. Exacta — $105.20. Quiniela — $55.40. Superfecta — $1,318.70.

Attendance — 10,408. Handle — $1,197,901.

Milwaukee Open

FRANKLIN, Wis. (AP) — Final scores and money winnings Sunday of the $800,000 PGA Greater Milwaukee Open on the 7,080-yard, par-72 Tuckaway Country Club course (x-won on the first hole of sudden-death playoff):

Jim Gallagher, $162,000	69-70-66-66—271
Ed Dougherty, $79,200	69-69-67-66—271
Billy Mayfair, $79,200	66-69-66-66—271
Steve Lowery, $37,200	69-67-71-65—272
Scott Hoch, $37,200	70-66-69-67—272
Ray Stewart, $37,200	69-70-67-72—272
Chris Perry, $29,025	67-71-68-67—273
Hal Sutton, $29,025	70-68-68-67—273
Gene Sauers, $24,300	67-73-70-64—274
Corey Pavin, $24,300	66-70-68-70—274
Scott Verplank, $24,300	74-62-67-71—274
Bobby Wadkins, $16,225	71-65-70-69—275
Ken Green, $16,225	65-69-71-70—275
Brad Faxon, $16,225	68-71-66-70—275
Morris Hatalsky, $16,225	67-69-67-72—275
Joey Sindelar, $13,500	66-68-72-69—276
Nolan Henke, $13,500	66-73-69-68—276
Billy Andrade, $13,500	67-70-69-70—276
Greg Norman, $13,500	69-68-69-70—276
Bob Estes, $13,500	70-68-68-70—276
Mark Brooks, $9,000	69-70-70-68—277
Jay Delsing, $9,000	70-69-70-68—277
Jim Thorpe, $9,000	63-73-71-70—277
Bob Wolcott, $9,000	69-70-68-70—277
Mark Lye, $9,000	69-66-70-72—277
Fulton Allem, $9,000	70-67-66-72—277
Webb Heintzelma, $5,991	71-66-70-69—276
Tom Pernice Jr., $5,991	66-70-70-70—276
Curtis Strange, $5,991	69-69-70-70—278
Jerry Anderson, $5,991	70-67-70-71—278
Sean Murphy, $5,991	67-72-66-71—276
Blaine McCallistr, $5,991	71-69-67-71—278
David Edwards, $5,991	69-69-68-72—278
Brian Claar, $5,991	66-67-69-74—276
Trevor Dodds, $3,974	69-72-70-68—279
Dave Eichelberger, $3,974	69-72-70-69—279
Mike Schuchart, $3,974	69-71-69-70—279
Steve Pate, $3,974	71-68-70-70—279
Steve Stricker, $3,974	69-71-69-70—279
Bruce Lietzke, $3,974	68-72-68-71—279
Bob Tway, $3,974	68-69-69-73—279
Mark Wiebe, $3,974	70-71-65-73—279
John Adams, $3,974	72-64-69-74—279
David Ogrin, $3,974	64-74-67-74—279
Peter Senior, $2,880	69-71-70-70—280
Jeff Sluman, $2,880	68-71-70-71—280
Phil Blackmar, $2,421	69-68-75-70—281
Dave Barr, $2,421	72-68-70-71—281
Mitch Adcock, $2,421	66-70-73-72—281
Carl Cooper, $2,421	67-73-68-73—281
Skip Kendall, $2,118	69-72-73-68—282
Clark Burroughs, $2,118	72-69-71-70—282
Dave Rummells, $2,118	69-69-74-70—282
Loren Roberts, $2,118	70-70-71-71—282
Stan Utley, $2,118	70-69-70-73—282
Mark McCumber, $2,118	66-74-67-75—282
Patrick Burke, $1,989	74-67-75-67—283
Tom Eubank, $1,989	71-67-73-72—283
Richard Zokol, $1,989	72-68-71-72—283
Emlyn Aubrey, $1,989	70-69-72-72—283
Kenny Knox, $1,989	70-70-71-72—283
George Burns, $1,989	70-69-71-73—283
Bill Sander, $1,926	71-69-70-74—284
Mark Calcavecchi, $1,890	72-67-76-70—285
Jack Ferenz, $1,890	68-72-75-70—285
Sonny Skinner, $1,890	71-70-69-75—285
Gary Hallberg, $1,854	72-69-72-73—286
Jeff Hart, $1,836	70-70-75-72—287
Ed Fiori, $1,818	70-71-75-72—288
Dave Stockton, $1,791	71-70-75-73—289
Bobby Clampett, $1,791	71-70-72-76—289
Lee Janzen, $1,764	71-70-73-76—290
Lee Elder, $500	72-69-71-70—282
Robert Gaona, $500	69-69-74-70—282
El Collins, $500	70-70-71-71—282
Quinton Gray, $500	70-69-70-73—282
Al Balding, $500	66-70-73-73—282
Chick Evans, $500	74-73-77-223
John Schlee, $500	73-73-77-223
Bert Yancey, $500	74-73-77-224
Roger Ginsberg, $500	73-75-77-225
Billy Maxwell, $500	74-77-75-226
Jerry Barber, $500	78-73-75-226
	76-76-75-227
	72-78-79-229
Snell Lancaster, $500	77-77-76-230
Tony Clecak, $500	75-81-75-231
Jim Sechrist, $500	77-79-77-232
Bill Collins, $500	75-74-84-233
Doug Sanders, $500	76-80-83-239
Doug Ford, $500	73-84-83-240
Tom Shaw	72-78—WD

Seniors GTE

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Final scores and prize money Sunday of the $450,000 GTE North Seniors Classic played on the 6,870-yard, par-72 Broadmoor Country Club course (x-winner on first hole of playoff):

x-Mike Hill, $67,500	66-67-68—201
Bruce Crampton, $40,000	68-67-66—201
Dale Douglass, $32,000	65-67-71—203
Harold Henning, $24,500	66-70-69—205
Rocky Thompson, $18,250	65-74-67—206
George Archer, $18,250	68-71-67—206
Bobby Nichols, $16,000	69-66-70—207
Terry Dill, $15,000	65-72-71—208
Charles Coody, $12,500	70-73-66—209
Don Bies, $12,500	74-65-70—209
Dave Hill, $12,500	69-67-73—209
John Paul Cain, $12,500	71-66-72—209
Dan Morgan, $10,000	69-70-71—210
Gary Player, $8,533	70-70-71—211
George Lanning, $8,533	72-68-71—211
Homero Blancas, $8,533	67-71-73—211
Ben Smith, $7,500	72-68-72—212
Rives Mcbee, $7,500	68-71-75—212
Charles Owens, $6,900	70-67-76—213
Tommy Aaron, $5,900	70-73-71—214
Orville Moody, $5,900	71-72-71—214
Walter Zembriski, $5,900	72-69-73—214
Joe Jimenez, $5,900	68-70-76—214
Phil Rodgers, $4,260	73-73-69—215
Ken Still, $4,260	72-74-69—215
Don Januery, $4,260	71-73-71—215
Gay Brewer, $4,260	68-75-72—215
Arnold Palmer, $4,260	68-72-75—215
Charlie Sifford, $3,025	69-79-69—216
Bob Erickson, $3,025	72-75-69—216
Miller Barber, $3,025	72-74-70—216
Doug Dalziel, $3,025	71-73-72—216
Deray Simon, $3,025	70-74-72—216
Gene Littler, $3,025	72-72-72—216
Gordon Jones, $3,026	71-70-75—216
Dick Hendrickson, $3,025	72-68-76—216
Babe Hiskey, $2,460	76-72-69—217
Agim Bardha, $2,450	66-71-80—217
Al Kelley, $2,150	75-73-70—218
Mike Fetchick, $2,150	72-72-74—218
Dewitt Weaver, $2,150	71-72-75—218
Jim O'Hern, $2,150	71-72-75—218
Larry Mowry, $1,900	76-70-73—219
Jim Ferree, $1,500	77-73-70—220
John Brodie, $1,500	73-77-70—220
Lou Graham, $1,500	76-73-71—220
Larry Laoretti, $1,500	74-74-72—220
Jack Fleck, $1,500	72-75-73—220
Larry Mancour, $1,500	72-74-74—220
J.C. Goosie, $1,500	69-75-76—220
Dick Rhyan, $1,500	72-74-74—220
Bob Brue, $1,500	72-72-76—220
Bob Rawlins, $500	75-77-69—221
Jimmy Powell, $500	73-78-70—221
Howie Johnson, $500	76-75-71—222
Paul Moran, $500	74-76-72—222
Fred Hawkins, $500	75-74-73—222
Don Massengale, $500	76-72-74—222
Bob Goalby, $500	76-72-74—222
Robert Gaona, $500	74-73-75—222
El Collins, $500	70-77-75—222
Quinton Gray, $500	72-78-73—223
Al Balding, $500	75-72-76—223
Chick Evans, $500	73-73-77—223
John Schlee, $500	74-73-77—224
Bert Yancey, $500	73-75-77—225
Roger Ginsberg, $500	74-77-75—226
Billy Maxwell, $500	78-73-75—226
Jerry Barber, $500	76-76-75—227
	72-78-79—229
Snell Lancaster, $500	77-77-76—230
Tony Clecak, $500	75-81-75—231
Jim Sechrist, $500	77-79-77—232
Bill Collins, $500	75-74-84—233
Doug Sanders, $500	76-80-83—239
Doug Ford, $500	73-84-83—240
Tom Shaw	72-78—WD

LPGA

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Scores Sunday after the second round of the LPGA Rail Charity Classic played on the 6,403-yard, par-72 Rail Golf Course (a-amateur):

Beth Daniel	67-69—136
Martha Nause	69-67—136
Donna Andrews	70-66—136
Betsy King	66-70—136
Nina Foust	70-69—139
Robin Hood	69-70—139
Alice Ritzman	69-70—139
Dale Eggeling	70-70—140
Kate Rogerson	72-68—140
Sherri Turner	68-72—140
Sarah McGuire	69-71—140
Barb Thomas	70-70—140
Susan Sanders	71-69—140
Sue Ertl	71-69—140
Nancy Brown	69-71—140
Kristi Albers	70-71—141
Cathy Gerring	70-71—141
Elaine Crosby	72-69—141
Shirley Furlong	72-69—141
Donna Wilkins	73-68—141
Ellie Gibson	69-72—141
Judy Dickinson	66-75—141
Pat Bradley	74-67—141
Marianne Morris	71-71—142
Pamela Wright	73-69—142
Myra Blackwelder	73-69—142
Laura Baugh	73-69—142
Jill Briles	70-72—142
Becky Larson	71-72—143
Julie Cole	73-70—143
Ann Walsh	74-69—143
Nancy Taylor	72-71—143
Sherri Steinhauer	74-69—143
Gail Graham	71-72—143
Mitzi Edge	71-72—143
Kathryn Young	68-75—143
Cindy Rarick	72-71—143
Michelle McGann	72-71—143
Lenore Rittenhouse	75-68—143
Terri Lyn Carter	71-72—143
Nicky LeRoux	70-73—143
Hiromi Kobayashi	73-70—143
Caroline Pierce	74-70—144
Cindy Schreyer	72-72—144
Deedee Lasker	71-73—144
Cathy Morse	71-73—144

Southern 500

DARLINGTON, S.C. (AP) — The order of finish Sunday of the Southern 500 NAS-CAR stock car race, with starting position in parentheses, hometown, type of car, laps completed, reason out, if any, money won and winner's average speed in mph:

1. (1) Dale Earnhardt, Kannapolis, N.C., Chevrolet, 367, $205,350, 123.141.
2. (11) Ernie Irvan, Modesto, Calif., Chevrolet, 367, $95,900.
3. (8) Alan Kulwicki, Greenfield, Mich., Ford, 367, $23,340.
4. (2) Bill Elliott, Dawsonville, Ga., Ford, 367, $24,380.
5. (7) Harry Gant, Taylorsville, N.C., Oldsmobile, 367, $21,340.
6. (10) Mark Martin, Batesville, Ark., Ford, 367, $16,825.
7. (5) Ricky Rudd, Chesapeake, Va., Chevrolet, 367, $12,755.
8. (3) Geoff Bodine, Chemung, N.Y., Ford, 367, $17,545.
9. (9) Derrike Cope, Spanaway, Wash., Chevrolet, 366, $12,105.
10. (36) Brett Bodine, Chemung, N.Y., Buick, 366, $13,455.
11. (15) Dick Trickle, Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., Pontiac, 365, $11,360.
12. (16) Rick Wilson, Bartow, Fla., Oldsmobile, 365, $10,025.
13. (22) Rob Moroso, Madison, Conn., Oldsmobile, 365, $9,085.
14. (24) Terry Labonte, Corpus Christi, Texas, Oldsmobile, 365, $9,475.
15. (12) Davey Allison, Hueytown, Ala., Ford, 364, $14,290.
16. (17) Dave Marcis, Wausau, Wis., Chevrolet, 364, $8,875.
17. (29) Larry Pearson, Spartanburg, S.C., Chevrolet, 363, $5,415.
18. (23) Sterling Marlin, Columbia, Tenn., Oldsmobile, $8,370.
19. (28) Phil Parsons, Detroit, Pontiac, 362, $5,120.
20. (34) Hut Stricklin, Calera, Ala., Buick, 361, $7,792.
21. (14) Morgan Shepherd, Conover, N.C., Ford, 358, $7,645.
22. (32) Jack Pennington, North Augusta, Ga., Oldsmobile, 357, $4,480.
23. (38) Jimmy Spencer, Berwick, Pa., Pontiac, 355, $7,345.
24. (19) Rick Mast, Rockbridge Baths, Va., Pontiac, 354, $4,375.
25. (13) Kyle Petty, Randleman, N.C., Pontiac, 332, $12,630.
26. (30) Michael Waltrip, Owensboro, Ky., Pontiac, 272, handling, $6,890.
27. (39) Charlie Glotzbach, Palmyra, Ind., Pontiac, 265, engine, $6,050.
28. (18) Dale Jarrett, Conover, N.C., Ford, 241, transmission, $6,655.
29. (26) Butch Miller, Coopersville, Mich., Chevrolet, 239, accident, $4,540.
30. (26) Greg Sacks, Mattituck, N.Y., Chevrolet, 227, accident, $12,810.
31. (20) Bobby Hillin, Midland, Buick, 227, accident, $6,315.
32. (27) Lake Speed, Jackson, Miss., Oldsmobile, 175, ignition, $3,905.
33. (40) Mark Stahl, San Diego, Ford, 112, handling, $3,550.
34. (33) Richard Petty, Randleman, N.C., Pontiac, 93, oil leak, $4,120.
35. (35) Chad Little, Spokane, Wash., Ford, 91, accident, $3,420.
36. (31) Jimmy Means, Huntsville, Ala., Pontiac, 91, accident, $3,975.
37. (38) Philip Duffie, Augusta, Ga., Buick, 52, handling, $3,320.
38. (37) H.B. Bailey, Houston, Pontiac, 39, accident, $3,265.
39. (21) Ken Schrader, Fenton, Mo., Chevrolet, 31, accident, $10,710.
40. (4) Rusty Wallace, St. Louis, Pontiac, 14, engine failure, $14,400.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Boston	76	57	.571	—	z-10-0	Won 10	42-21	34-36
Toronto	70	64	.522	6½	z-5-5	Won 4	34-34	36-30
Detroit	64	70	.478	12½	z-7-3	Lost 1	32-35	32-35
Milwaukee	63	69	.477	12½	z-8-2	Won 3	31-33	32-36
Baltimore	60	72	.455	15½	z-2-8	Lost 3	29-33	31-39
Cleveland	59	74	.444	17	2-8	Lost 7	32-36	27-38
New York	56	77	.421	20	4-6	Lost 4	30-32	26-45
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Oakland	83	50	.624	—	z-6-4	Won 1	44-24	39-26
Chicago	76	58	.576	6½	z-4-6	Lost 1	38-29	38-27
Texas	67	66	.504	16	z-4-6	Lost 1	37-28	30-38
California	67	67	.500	16½	6-4	Won 1	36-32	31-35
Kansas City	66	67	.496	17	z-5-5	Won 1	40-29	26-38
Seattle	65	69	.485	18½	4-6	Lost 1	35-36	30-33
Minnesota	60	74	.448	23½	5-5	Won 1	33-36	27-38

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	76	55	.580	—	7-3	Won 6	46-22	30-33
Pittsburgh	76	56	.576	½	z-4-6	Won 1	37-27	39-29
Montreal	69	63	.523	7½	5-5	Lost 1	38-27	31-36
Chicago	62	70	.470	14½	3-7	Lost 2	32-35	30-35
Philadelphia	62	70	.470	14½	4-6	Lost 1	32-32	30-38
St. Louis	60	73	.451	17	3-7	Lost 3	30-38	30-35
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cincinnati	77	55	.583	—	7-3	Won 2	38-26	39-29
Los Angeles	71	62	.534	6½	z-7-3	Won 1	39-27	32-35
San Francisco	67	66	.504	10½	z-4-6	Lost 4	36-28	31-38
San Diego	61	71	.462	16	z-3-7	Won 1	32-35	29-36
Houston	60	73	.451	17½	6-4	Lost 1	40-28	20-45
Atlanta	53	80	.398	24½	6-4	Won 3	31-38	22-42

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
Sunday's Games

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

Monday's Games

Toronto (Key 9-8) at Detroit (Terrell 3-2), 12:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Guthrie 8-7 and Abbott 0-2) at Milwaukee (Knudson 10-7 and Krueger 5-7), 2, 1 p.m.
Seattle (Young 8-14) at Baltimore (Telford 1-1), 3:05 p.m.
California (McCaskill 10-9) at New York (Leary 8-16), 3:05 p.m.
Oakland (Sanderson 13-9) at Boston (Kiecker 6-6), 6:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Appier 11-4) at Chicago (King 8-4), 6:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Walker 1-4) at Texas (Ryan 12-7), 7:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Sunday's Games

Los Angeles 12, Montreal 5
New York 10, San Francisco 6
San Diego 9, Philadelphia 1
Cincinnati 6, Chicago 2
Atlanta 5, St. Louis 0
Pittsburgh 7, Houston 6

Monday's Games

Cincinnati (Browning 12-7) at Atlanta (Avery 3-8), 12:10 p.m.
Chicago (Sutcliffe 0-1) at Montreal (Farmer 0-1), 12:36 p.m.
Philadelphia (Ruffin 6-11) at Pittsburgh (Drabek 17-5), 12:35 p.m.
New York (Gooden 14-8) at St. Louis (Tewksbury 9-4), 1:15 p.m.
Houston (Gullickson 8-12) at Los Angeles (Valenzuela 12-10), 9:05 p.m.
San Francisco (Downs 0-0) at San Diego (Schiraldi 3-7), 9:05 p.m.

Angels stay out of West cellar

Staff Report

SAN ANTONIO — The Midland Angels closed out their 1990 Texas League season with a 12-8 win over the Missions here Saturday night.

The win gave the Angels a 31-38 record in second-half play, and coupled with Wichita's loss to El Paso in the regular season finale for those teams, Midland finished the second half all alone in third place in the TL Western Division, one full game ahead of the Wranglers.

The victory also gave the Angels a 6-4 record over their final road trip to El Paso and San Antonio — the two playoff teams from the Western Division. It was the first winning trip of the season for Midland.

Kevin Davis' solo home run in the seventh inning broke open a 5-5 tie and led to the win. Midland scored one more in the eighth and added five runs in the top of the ninth. The Missions tallied three times in their half of the ninth, but the rally came up short.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi
Lee dh	5	2	2	2	Goodwin cf	5	0	0	0
Flora 2b	5	2	1	1	Pye 2b	5	1	1	0
Monell lf	5	1	1	1	Rodriguez rf	4	3	2	0
Sconiers 1b	4	2	2	2	Karros 1b	5	3	4	2
Doran cf	5	1	2	3	Brooks rf	5	0	2	0
Salmon rf	5	0	2	0	Brown dh	4	1	3	4
Taylor 3b	4	0	0	0	Finken 3b	5	0	1	1
KDavis ss	3	2	1	1	Rojas c	4	0	0	0
Geyse c	4	2	2	0	Martinez ss	4	0	1	0
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Midland	ip	h	r-er	bb	so
Meeks	5.0	4	4-4	0	4
Merriman W 1-0	4	1-1	0	0	
Zappelli	2.0	2	0-0	0	3
Vann	1.0	4	3-3	1	1
San Antonio	**ip**	**h**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Pitz L 4-4	7.0	9	6-6	0	7
Wray	1.0	1	1-0	1	0
Carr	1.0	3	5-2	1	1

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MCC will have new champ

Staff Report

George Tucker knocked off defending champion Charles Ray and Kelly Cox defeated Dennis Sledge in the semifinals of the Midland Country Club golf championship Sunday.

Tucker downed Ray 3 and 2, while Cox scored a 3 and 2 victory over Sledge. The finalists will face off today in the championship round.

Championship Flight

George Tucker def. Charles Ray, 3-2; Kelly Cox def. Dennis Sledge, 3-2. **Consolation:** Randy Geiselman def. John Young; Steve Wentworth def. Bill Hightower Jr., 1-up.

First Flight

Pete Carter def. Ernie Gilkerson, 1-up. John Staub def. Glen Ellis Jr. 1-up. **Consolation:** Davis Logan def. John Philbeck, 4-3; Buddy Grieb def. Ed Moses, 1-up.

Second Flight

Larry Stapp def. Craig McDonnold, 3-2; Bill Gilmore def. Mike Canon, 4-3. **Consolation:** John Milhese def. W.C. Hubbard, 2-1; Craig Hubbard def. Bob Wiggins, 1-up in 19 holes.

Third Flight

Dana Engelstad def. Larry Hines, 3-2; Bill Cotner def. Granville Hahn, 5-4.

Crewmen not working as a team

By Jim Nalepka
and Rick Hellriegel
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The Wreck of the Rose-Noelle — Part II

"Imagine lying under your bed for four months. That was the space we had," says Jim Nalepka. And soon the four men were bickering about food, water, and who was in charge, as they watched each other weaken and waste away ... and lose faith in the possibility of rescue.

Jim Nalepka: During the first couple of months we had a lot of storms. We would be stuck below for five or six days at a time. Those were the hard times, when you couldn't get out of that aft cabin. It was absolute hell.

We were so jammed in. Imagine lying under your bed for four months. That was the space we had. It took just one person putting his elbow in a certain spot to make the other three uncomfortable. You had to juggle your limbs or your body so all four were comfortable. It was like a puzzle. You had to piece it together and stay in that position, but of course you couldn't do that.

When the epirb, the radio locator beacon, stopped transmitting and we realized we might be there awhile, we began voting. We voted on almost every issue, but at first we were voting on how much water we should drink that day.

We were freely drinking what water we had in the five-gallon container and it wasn't until it was almost empty that we checked our other supply, the main tanks in the boat. All the water had run out through the tank breather tubes. The tanks were empty. So we started on the fizzy drinks, 7-Up and cola, maybe 15 quart-size bottles of pop. We knew we were going to have to conserve it as much as we could until we could get some rain.

We got down to rationing it out to about 3 ounces a day, in a little olive bottle we called the vial. We'd spend hours debating whether we'd have two vials or one that day, how much it was safe to drink, how much moisture we'd had from other things such as apples.

The discussions got pretty deep. Most of them made absolutely no sense after a while.

Rick Hellriegel: It was not until we'd been upside-down for three weeks that we got our first real downpour. Phil and John rushed outside with a piece of plastic. The rain was coming straight down and they filled up all the empty containers we had, the used pop bottles and the five-gallon can. We justified having a good drink that evening. It was heaven. We didn't have to savor each gulp.

But we realized we were going to have to sort out our rain-catchment system, because if the wind was blowing when it rained, the water would just get blown out of the plastic sheet. We had to make something to catch the water.

By then we'd rigged a spinnaker pole as a makeshift mast. For days we'd felt we were invisible. Ships could pass and they'd never see us. So we'd waited for a nice day — every time we wanted to do something, we had to wait until the weather was right, and that might be three, four, five days — then put the butt of the spinnaker pole into the centerboard casing and stayed it with ropes hung with signal flags. It was a big moment for us, the first positive step we'd taken since the epirb ran out. It doubled our chances of being seen.

John designed a device to catch rain when it was being driven by the wind. Jim and I made it of conduit pipes cut down the middle and opened out. We tied them to wooden cross-members and John and I lashed the whole thing to the mast, with a bucket under it to catch the water.

Then Phil thought of a guttering system. He and John screwed and glued a thin piece of wood along each side of the hull so that the water would run down the hull, along the gutters, through holes at the end and down tubes. It was one of Phil's best ideas for sure.

The day we rigged the water devices it hadn't rained for three weeks. We'd drunk all our water and we were down to 10 bottles of pop.

It rained that night. We got up and filled everything. It was a real high. We were so down, so low that we'd almost stopped functioning. Now all this water was streaming into the containers. We were dancing about, patting each other on the back.

Jim: In one of our lowest periods we were on three spoonfuls of food a day. All I ever thought about was food.

If you turned over, or tried to lie on your side to read a book and you saw a grain of rice dropped the night before, you'd go for it. One day someone created a bit of space and there it was — a peanut! A thing of the past, memories, gold! John and I both went for it. We battled for a second or two, then I realized — this was ridiculous! John got the peanut. I withdrew and he ate it. It was ridiculous — and frightening too. How much could our behavior deteriorate? How animalistic could we become?

At first we had plenty of Granny Smith apples, cheese, milk, meat; perishable things. We just ate them: five days maximum and we'd be out of there.

John had put a lot of food in a storage locker under the dinette. When we turned over all that food was still there: kiwifruit, flour, biscuits, tea, coffee, more cans. He and Phil got it out the day we were working on the water catchment system. We took a break for kiwifruit and biscuits. Could anything be more wonderful than biting into a kiwifruit when you're dying of thirst?

Rick: The minute the yacht went over I lost my faith in John Glennie. He was so confident we were not going to tip over. When we did, I knew I couldn't rely on his judgment. When the boat went over, the rules changed. We were in a survival situation.

John wasn't a good communicator. Often he couldn't express what he wanted and he'd be direct to the point of giving an order. Then I'd dig my toes in and want to argue back and say, "Who the hell do you think you are?"

Jim kept me sane over that time when everyone had to deal with John. Jim was someone I could talk to, my link with reality.

Jim: John found a magnetic chess board and, whenever we could, Rick and I played. It was a wonderful escape, but John was jealous. He resented our playing chess and enjoying it. He said we should *all* be playing — working together and having fun and being happy.

He thought about writing a book and being famous, selling the movie rights. Almost from the start he'd tell us we were going to be superstars when we got rescued. It was almost as if he knew the whole scenario. I'd get so angry I'd say, "Who the hell cares about any of that stuff? We just want to get out of here alive." I'd be thinking of surviving, of just getting through that day, that hour, that minute, and here's this guy saying, "Aren't we having *fun* today?" I wasn't having fun at all. I resented being there.

Rick: Aug. 19 was my birthday. John got up first. He called down the hole, "Doesn't anyone want to see the sunrise?" No one got up. "Doesn't anyone want to celebrate Rick's birthday?" No one moved. So about 10 minutes later, he said sarcastically, "Doesn't anyone want to come and see this yacht sailing by?" Wham, we were all up there in about five seconds.

It was a perfect morning, one of those rare mornings when the sun was out, the water calm. The light was shining off this white sail. It was pristine, and it was my birthday, and there on this beautiful morning I thought, "We're going to get rescued today."

We lit a signal fire in the barbecue we had, threw everything on it that would make smoke, even a rubber flipper, but there was a tiny breeze and it blew the smoke away. The boat sailed on, until it was out of sight. It was the second vessel we'd seen, and hadn't seen us. Oh, well. If we're 1,000 miles out, we thought, how come we're seeing the occasional vessel? There was life out there and Jim and I would say, "It's only a matter of time."

Jim: I knew we had to catch some fish or we weren't going to make it. The food on board just wasn't going to last.

One day we saw a little fish swimming inside the hull. I put a piece of corn on a hook and caught it, just like that. We all got a bite. Then a grouper, 10 pounds bigger than that little fish, began coming into the hull, swimming into the lockers and poking around. Every week or 10 days he'd come in. We called him Harry, and Harry just wasn't interested in the corn on the hook.

So Rick and I built a net. I got the net behind him. He didn't move. I scooped him up — woweeee!

Harry set the tone. Barnacles began growing on the bottom of the boat. We were a floating reef to fish. Sometimes there'd be a whole school of kingfish around us. We tried every way we could to catch them on a hook but they wouldn't go near it. Then, one day when a school was on the surface, I caught one in the net.

Rick: Jim and I made a gaff and Phil turned out to be good with it. I realized I'd have to stand by Phil and work as a team. Phil would gaff one and as soon as it was out of the water I'd put the net under it before it could wriggle off the hook. It took a lot of practice but after a while our success rate was 90 percent.

When the weather was fine we'd wake up before sunrise, catapult onto the deck, all four of us, and if we were lucky we'd catch a fish or two before breakfast. Then, after breakfast, when we'd warmed up, we'd be out fishing all day.

Jim: Once we started catching fish, everything changed. We started getting along as a team. After two and a half months of drifting we were getting sick of each other. We didn't have anything to say anymore. Fishing brought us together. We were hunting. It was fun, exciting.

Rick: Jim was wearing a St. Christopher medal and at night, when I was lying next to him, I'd feel his hand go out and grab it and I'd know he was trying to get a message through.

I was an atheist when we left and I felt hypocritical asking God for something; then I started talking to Him and saying, "Well, I am a bit of a hypocrite." And after a while it didn't feel so bad; I didn't feel like such a jerk.

Jim: I'm the most skeptical person in the world, but I was brought up a Roman Catholic and I'd been battling to get these guilt messages out of my brain. We made our own luck, but too many unexplained things happened. When we needed something, we got it. It happened over and over again. I'd pray for it at night and the next day I'd get it. Somebody was looking after us and that was one of the reasons we made it.

I don't know who first said it, but we all started saying grace at meals. We'd take turns, we started off with the standard ones, "For what we're about to receive ..." Then we made up our own: "Thanks for the rain" ... "for the fish we caught this morning" ... "for the weather" ... "perhaps we might work a little better as a team?"

Our philosophy was: "Stay alive, stay healthy." But I'd look at Rick and John when they took their clothes off and, God, it was frightening.

I didn't know what I looked like and I was afraid to ask. After two and a half months, John was just skin and bones. He started to lose his energy and get tired. In my mind he was always energetic and never tired and his condition affected me more than Rick's or Phil's. John knew the boat, and the sea. I felt we really needed him, and to see him shriveling away was disheartening.

Rick: Once I wrote in my diary that we weren't a very good team at all and I didn't think we were ever going to get it together. Then, toward the end, maybe two weeks before we hit land, I felt we were getting the fishing and teamwork right and bumbling toward self-sufficiency. I felt we were going to make it.

Jim: Most of the latches on the locker doors were broken. For four months those doors banged. If you thought about the bangs they'd drive you crazy. There was a rhythm to them, even a tune. In the background you could make out radios playing and even people talking.

Sometimes I'd be closest to the exit and I'd hear people calling out to us. For five seconds I'd think, "There must be a boat out there." There never was. They were audio mirages. If the wind was really blowing, you could pick up 15 or 20 different noises and if you focused on them they'd drive you nuts.

Yet it was amazing how fast the days went by. Especially when we were fishing. We'd wake up and the next thing we were going to sleep. Where did the day go?

People ask me what I did out there. There was always something to do. You could wipe the moisture off the cans to stop them going rusty. Or clean the deck, relash something, sew Phil's jacket, mend the holes in your own clothes, you could even look for a ship. I was never bored. Never, for one minute.

Rick: The water was getting warmer. We started seeing bluebottle jellyfish on the sea.

Hour after hour we argued over which way we were going. We figured we must be going north. If the wind was anywhere in the easterly quarter we'd always feel better, it was blowing us toward New Zealand.

On Sept. 28 I was sitting on the keel. It was a cloudy, overcast day and I saw something in the mist. It looked like land, but we'd seen land before, and it had turned out to be clouds. A little later Jim came up. I didn't say anything because I didn't want to get anyone's hopes up.

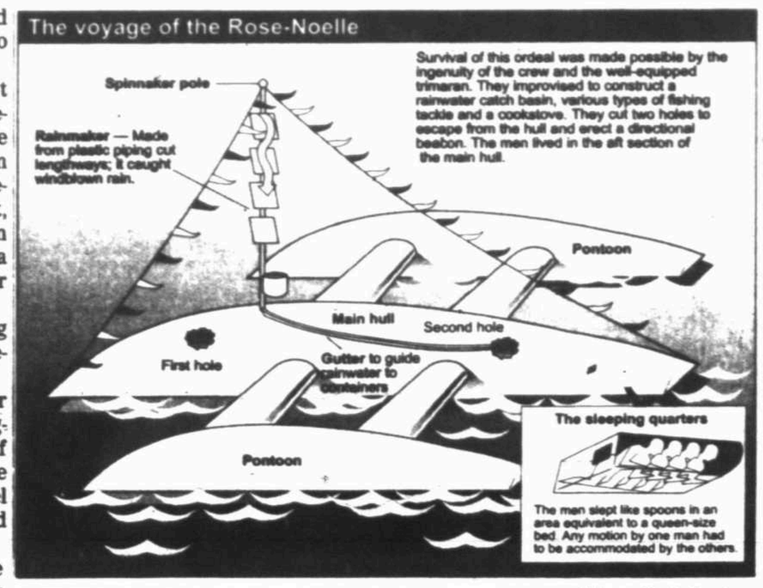
He stood on the keel and searched the horizon. I knew what he was looking at but he didn't say anything either, for the same reason. John climbed up. I pointed it out to him. "Yeah," he said,"that looks like land." Still none of us wanted to get too excited.

Then Phil came up. "Shit," he said,"that's land!"

We drifted within sight of Great Barrier Island for two full days. I worried that the wind would change and blow us away from land. I couldn't wait to get up the morning after we first sighted it. Yes, it was still there! It was overcast and hazy and we didn't know it was Great Barrier then. We spent most of the first day trying to work out where we were.

Then I had another worry: I didn't want to be washed up on the island. We were safe while the trimaran was afloat. Being shipwrecked was another thing. I didn't relish that thought at all."

Tuesday: Final Trials



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Each Thursday we'll publish our expert selections. We must receive your ballot no later than Friday, 5 pm to be eligible for that week's contest. Winners will be announced the following week.

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Ballot for games on Weekend of September 7
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❑ San Diego	❑ Dallas
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❑ San Angelo	❑ Victoria
❑ Odessa High	❑ Amarillo Palo Duro
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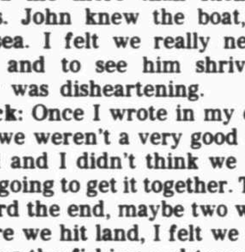
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Prices higher

NEW YORK (AP) — Wholesale gasoline and crude oil prices moved higher in the futures market Friday, but failed to recover all the ground lost earlier in the week.

Traders said buying picked up as the stalemate in the Middle East dragged on. Early waves of selling this week had been inspired by hopes for a quick negotiated settlement to the crisis, which has threatened the world's oil supplies.

Light sweet crude oil rose 55 cents on the New York Mercantile Exchange to end the week at $27.32 per barrel on contracts for October delivery.

"The general perception in the market is continued concern or anxiety that the diplomatic solutions don't look like they're coming through," said Ann-Louise Hittle, senior oil analyst with Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc.

Natural gas futures closed at $1.500 per 1,000 cubic feet for October contracts on Friday, down from $1.537 a day earlier and $1.525 a week earlier.

Analysts said some traders were keeping prices up as they bought futures Friday to avoid getting caught short over the long Labor Day weekend. New York financial markets are closed Monday.

Dollar mostly up

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar advanced against most major currencies Friday except the Japanese yen as buyers added to their dollar holdings ahead of a long holiday weekend in the United States.



With problems still unresolved in the Middle East, currency dealers decided to keep their portfolios balanced in favor of dollars, analysts said. The dollar, regarded as a safe haven, has gotten a boost since Iraq's invasion of Kuwait on Aug. 2

The most dramatic move of the day was made by the British pound, which weakened substantially. In New York, the pound was quoted late at $1.8905, compared to $1.92235 Thursday. The selloff in sterling represented an acceleration of the profit-taking that began Thursday when dealers judged the time was right to collect gains made during the British currency's recent advance.

The dollar had a mixed day against the Japanese yen.

The Republic National Bank in New York quoted a bid of $382.75 for an ounce of gold bullion, off $4.75 from Thursday's 4 p.m. EDT bid.



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Labor Day focuses on labor issues

■ On the first Labor Day of the 1990s, labor leaders hope labor issues such as health care will be at the forefront during the decade.

By Karen Ball

WASHINGTON (AP) — American workers wracked by the widening gap between the well-paid and the poorly paid are likely to force labor issues — particularly health care — to the forefront in the 1990s, analysts and union leaders predict.

"That middle class that's been stepped on and pushed down to a lower class is starting to resent it and fight back," Richard Trumka, president of the United Mine Workers, said in advance of this first Labor Day of the 1990s.

"People will no longer tolerate the fact that they work 40 hours or more a week and don't have health care, that their children don't have health care," Trumka said.

Jim Green, a labor historian at the University of Massachusetts, said that the coming years would bring "a lot of anti-corporate sentiment from people who are having a hard time making it.

"I think people are scared and angry about the uncertainty of their lives, about what's happened to the safety net. If we're working harder, why aren't we getting ahead?

"The '80s was a decade of yuppies and BMWs ... an ostentatious, wasteful display of wealth," Green said. "In the '90s, I think we're going to see a lot of social unrest as people start to realize that there's been a real decline in their quality of life."

Real earnings — or wages after adjustment for inflation — ground to a standstill for many Americans in the 1980s, according to figures provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Using 1977 as a base, the median weekly salary in 1980 was $257, but that translated to $190 after adjustment for inflation, the bureau said.

This year's figures show that the median weekly salary for the April-June period was $413, but after inflation, it was just $195, giving workers only a minuscule improvement in their purchasing power over 1980, the BLS said.

"That American myth about being able to pull yourself up by your bootstraps — it doesn't exist anymore," said Barbara Otto of 9to5, National Association of Working Women, an advocacy group for secretarial and clerical workers.

Another study released this weekend by the Economic Policy Institute, a labor-backed group, found that from 1979 to 1988, the incomes of the wealthiest 5 percent of American families grew 17.6 percent — five times faster than incomes for the bottom 80 percent.

That study also said real wages for the average American worker have declined by almost 10 percent over the past decade.

Government forms team to investigate S&L fraud

■ The Resolution Trust Corp. is forming a special team to to oversee the sale of S&L assets and watch for possible corruption.

By Marcy Gordon

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Resolution Trust Corp. plans to hire a special group of employees to watch for possible corruption as it sells hundreds of failed savings and loans, an agency spokeswoman said late last week.

The RTC hopes to set up a team of 20 to 30 "contractor cops" this fall, spokeswoman Kate Spears said. The team, which will oversee the sale of billions of dollars of S&L assets, will be led by a new assistant director of the RTC to be named in the near future.

"We're going to be hiring people to work nationwide," Ms. Spears said.

Regulators are haunted by the specter of S&L fraud, since abuse by some thrift operators was partly responsible for the collapse of hundreds of institutions in recent years. It will cost U.S. taxpayers an estimated $500 billion to pay for the bailout of the federally insured thrifts.

In June, after weeks of criticism by Democrats, President Bush announced with great fanfare that he was doubling government spending on investigating and prosecuting S&L fraud. Bush established "rapid response teams" of investigative lawyers and accountants to be directed by a Justice Department official.

"We need to put those people in jail and call them to account for their conduct," the official, James G. Richmond, told The Associated Press in a recent interview. Richmond, formerly the U.S. attorney for northern Indiana, was appointed to the new position of special counsel for financial institution fraud.

In addition to fraud by S&L insiders, regulators also are sensitive about allegations of abuse stemming from their own efforts to clean up the mess. Democrats in Congress have accused the regulators of making sweetheart deals with outside buyers of failed thrifts.

Demand for cheap fares causes system overload

■ Demand for cheap autumn airfares put the reservation system into gridlock last week.

By Stefan Fatsis

NEW YORK (AP) — When many travel agents around the country tried to lock in tickets for airline customers earlier this week, their computers spit back this message: SYSTEM UNAVAILABLE.

A deadline for cheap autumn fares combined with a new charge for higher jet fuel costs threw the nation's airline reservation system into what agents and airlines described as an unprecedented gridlock Wednesday.

As tens of thousands of Americans jammed phone lines seeking to book tickets, computers were so slow that getting reservation information often took 30 minutes or more rather than the usual few seconds. Some systems crashed. And would-be passengers who tried calling airlines directly wound up on what seemed like permanent hold.

"The system's not built to handle Armageddon, and Wednesday was Armageddon," Dexter Koehl, spokesman for Minneapolis-based Carlson Travel Network, said Friday. "People simply got shut out."

It's unknown how many customers couldn't buy the discounted tickets, but airlines said passengers had plenty of advance notice and shouldn't have waited until the last minute.

Industry officials mostly threw up their hands and said there was little that could be done to avoid such days in the future. They said increasing the capacity of airline reservation systems has never been discussed because the computers never faced such large demand.

But some agents said two prior extensions by airlines of the midnight deadline Wednesday may have encouraged travelers to take a chance and hope for another extension before making plans. That also may have added to the burden.

The double whammy was a deadline for special fares — described as among the best deals in recent years, with prices discounted 40 percent or more — and a 5.3 percent fuel surcharge on all tickets.



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Pat Brown inspects one of the traps she and her husband use to harvest crawfish.

South Texas crawfish grow amid prickly pear, mesquite

By Larry Hogue

MATHIS, Texas (AP) — Mounds of prickly pear rise above the unflinching coastal plains between San Antonio and Corpus Christi like misplaced coral reefs. Scrubby mesquites eke out a survival all their own. And where the land has been tended, it supports the usual crops: cattle, cotton, corn, crawfish.

Crawfish? Crawfish. Otherwise known as crawdads, mudbugs, crayfish.

For the past two years, Rick and Pat Brown have been raising the little freshwater crustaceans at their farm near Mathis and selling them before they're even born.

"The really big ones we call high-dollar 'dads," said Pat Brown with a laugh. She laughs a lot.

Until a couple of years ago, she was an accountant in San Antonio. "Then one Friday at 4:15, I packed up my bags and walked out."

Her plan was to take off about six months and then drift into some other way to earn a living, preferably something closer to the soil.

"I was brought up in the country," Pat said. "You've heard the old saying, 'You can take the girl out of the country, but you can't take the country out of the girl.' I have three dresses. If I have to go someplace where I have to dress up, I hate it."

The Browns first considered catfish farming. "But it takes five years before you see a return on your money. We wanted an instant return — you know, the American Dream," she said.

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COMPUTER NOTES

'Control Z' command can confuse MS-DOS

By Dennis Sever

Q. I have some files that came with a software package that I purchased that I am unable to read.

There are several hundred bytes in the files, but when I try to display the files on the screen with the TYPE command, I see only a single line with the name of the software.



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I need to make some minor modifications to this software but I can't unless I can see what the settings in these mysterious files are. What can I do?

A. It seems to me that the first records in these files are terminated with a Control-Z character.

This character is MS-DOS's End-Of-File character. The directory shows the true size of the file, but some of MS-DOS's utilities like TYPE will end when they see this Control-Z.

Were I you I might try to use MS-DOS's COPY command with a "/B" option. That is :

COPY filename CON /B

This command will display the file on the console and will tell MS-DOS to ignore any End-Of-File character encountered. (It counts the characters until it displays as many as are in the directory entry.)

I should warn you that this command when used on a binary (.EXE or .COM) files can cause your screen to go berserk. Another option is to view the files with the DEBUG program's D (Dump) command. This program will also allow you to edit these files.

Q. A friend of mine recently told me that I shouldn't buy an 80386 computer if all I was going to do was some word processing and database work with WordStar and DBASE III+. What do you think?

A. There is really nothing wrong with buying the 80386 computer, if you have the money.

What your friend was probably referring to is that when you use the MS-DOS or PC-DOS operating system on a powerful system like a 80386-based computer, you essentially cripple the machine.

PC/MS-DOS has a limit of 640 Kilobytes. In today's world of powerful processors this is a problem. For the 80386, which can handle 32 Megabytes of memory, running an operating system that allows only 640K is certainly under-utilization of the machine.

You might explore the possibility of upgrading your operating system (and software) with the equipment. Remember, the software can be purchased later.

Q. While running some new software, I get the error message "Out of Environment Space." Needless to say, my software goes crazy. What's the Environment and how do I get more space?

A. The MS-DOS Environment is a special block of memory (160 bytes) set aside to hold some important information about how you want your computer configured.

Some of the things that the Environment usually holds are the PATH and the PROMPT variables that you usually set in the AUTOEXEC.BAT file. There can be and usually are other variables like COMSPEC also in the Environment.

If your version of DOS is 3.2 or later you can issue the SET command with no parameters to see what your current Environment holds.

If you have MS-DOS 3.2 or later you can also change the size of your environment to up to 32768 bytes by including the following line in your config.sys on your boot disk:

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OIL INDUSTRY STOCKS

Company and Market		Price: Last Wk's Close	Price: Pct. Change Last Week	Price: Pct. Change Last 4 Wks	Price: Pct. Change Year to Date	Price: 5-Year High	Price: 5-Year Low	Volume: Last Week's Shares Traded	Volume: Last Week's Pct. of Shares Outstndng	Earnings and Dividends: Earnings per Share Last 12 Months Amnt.	Earnings and Dividends: Earnings per Share Last 12 Months Chnge	Earnings and Dividends: Earnings per Share 5-Yr. Ann. Grwth Rate	Earnings and Dividends: Indicated Dividend Yield	P/E Ratio: 5-Year Average	P/E Ratio: Current
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Oil Field Services															
Oil, Field Svcs		28.70	2.0	-5.4	15.8	25.61	7.76	14,564	.96	.73	-1.4	NC	1.6	37.9	39.3
Alliance Well Svc	O	.09	.0	.0	-25.0	NC	NC	0	.00	-.04 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
B J Services	N	24.00	5.5	11.6	NC	NC	NC	266	2.05	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
Baker Hughes	N	30.50	1.7	-5.8	19.6	NC	NC	1,740	1.32	.98 N	66.1	NC	1.3	NC	31.1
Barron Inds	O	5.00	-2.4	.0	2.6	8.13	.50	224	1.59	.09 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Big Piney O&G	O	.16	.0	.0	25.0	.31	.03	17	.16	-.01 F	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Bonray Drilling	O	16.75	.0	4.7	-14.1	24.00	6.25	0	.02	-2.15 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Bow Valley	A	12.88	-5.5	-1.0	5.1	16.75	6.88	3	.00	.21 S	320.0	NC	.0	NC	NC
Brown, Tom Inc	O	5.50	.0	-15.4	2.3	75.00	4.63	53	.76	-2.19 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Burlington Res	N	44.50	.6	-2.7	-8.2	NC	NC	875	.60	1.52 S	-52.9	NC	1.6	NC	29.3
Cliffs Drilling	O	12.75	-3.8	-10.5	-5.6	NC	NC	35	1.16	-2.70 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Dawson Geophy	O	4.81	10.0	26.2	-16.3	8.25	3.13	14	.48	-.29 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Dresser Inds	N	47.75	3.2	-12.0	6.4	56.25	14.00	954	1.40	2.51 N	6.8	NC	2.3	NC	19.0
Enserch Expl	N	10.13	.0	-5.8	5.2	21.63	8.25	5	.00	.33 S	-28.3	NC	3.0	NC	30.7
Enterra Cp	N	17.75	-1.4	-8.4	23.5	21.50	4.00	111	.72	.74 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	24.0
Galvstn-Houstn	N	4.38	-10.3	-20.5	-25.5	7.63	1.00	223	1.22	.42 S	500.0	NC	.0	NC	10.4
GEO Intl Corp	N	2.25	.0	-21.7	-41.9	7.25	1.50	62	.36	-.52 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Golden Tri Rlty	O	.19	-14.3	50.0	-14.3	.78	.13	71	.22	-.01 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
GTS Cp	O	6.38	6.3	45.7	436.8	12.25	.81	158	6.04	.04 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Gulf Appld Tech	O	17.50	2.9	-5.4	14.8	21.00	5.75	59	1.76	.93 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	18.8
Halliburton	N	53.00	1.9	-4.9	24.0	58.75	17.38	1,226	1.15	1.63 S	114.5	NC	1.9	NC	32.5
Helmerich Payn	N	32.25	1.2	-6.9	-6.2	37.75	16.88	179	.74	1.82 N	116.7	20	1.4	37.8	17.7
Lone Star Tech	O	3.50	14.3	-9.7	-12.5	24.25	2.63	336	1.67	-9.38 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Nabors Inds	A	6.13	6.5	-7.5	75.0	7.25	.25	224	.46	.21 N	90.9	NC	.0	NC	29.2
New London	O	2.88	4.5	-8.0	35.3	5.00	1.00	12	.12	.07 F	75.0	NC	.0	NC	41.1
Nowsco Well Svc	O	12.88	-1.9	-2.8	-4.6	19.00	6.75	262	1.63	.01 S	-98.0	NC	1.9	NC	NC
Nucorp Inc	O	6.00	-4.0	-15.8	-23.8	NC	NC	51	1.71	.37 S	1750.0	NC	.0	NC	16.2
Oceaneering Intl	O	16.38	.0	-7.7	52.3	18.88	.88	445	2.06	.57 Q	280.0	NC	.0	NC	28.7
Offshore Logistic	O	11.88	-3.1	-14.4	1.1	14.75	.50	305	1.77	.98 F	46.3	NC	.0	NC	12.1
Parker Drilling	N	9.38	.0	-14.8	-6.3	12.38	2.50	864	1.67	-.53 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Petro Equip Tools	O	6.75	3.8	.0	54.3	7.50	.63	195	1.30	-.11 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Petro Helicopter	O	27.50	-5.2	-3.5	3.8	29.75	6.00	36	.59	1.63 F	147.0	NC	.3	NC	16.9
Pogo Producg	N	7.88	-3.1	-3.1	-23.2	19.00	2.50	519	2.16	-.25 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Pride Petro	O	7.13	10.7	3.6	11.8	NC	NC	261	1.66	1.12 S	100.0	NC	.0	NC	27.1
Production Oper	O	19.25	1.3	-2.5	14.1	21.25	3.63	96	1.40	.71 N	36.5	NC	.8	NC	NC
Rowan Cos	N	13.63	5.8	-1.8	21.1	15.25	3.38	739	1.05	-.42 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
RPC Energy	N	8.25	-2.9	-2.9	26.9	9.13	1.75	165	1.15	.44 S	33.3	NC	.0	NC	18.8
Sage Drilling	O	.44	.0	16.7	75.0	4.50	13	3	.45	-3.36 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Schlumberger	N	64.00	3.2	-5.2	30.3	69.88	26.00	2,192	.92	2.13 S	32.3	NC	1.9	NC	30.0
Seitel Inc	A	13.50	8.0	-13.6	77.0	16.88	.78	116	2.33	.89 S	32.8	NC	.7	NC	15.2
Service Fracturing	O	7.13	1.8	-1.7	9.6	8.25	2.13	107	2.49	-.24 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Smith Internatl	N	16.13	-2.3	-5.8	29.0	17.50	1.75	337	1.17	-.10 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Sothrn Mineral	Q	5.13	.0	3.8	32.3	10.25	2.75	6	.15	1.56 S	387.5	NC	1.4	NC	3.3
Striker Petro	O	.31	0	150.0	25.0	17.19	.13	3	.07	-.15 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Tidewater Inc	N	18.13	-1.4	-7.6	26.1	21.63	3.00	297	1.05	.07 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Toreador Rlty	O	2.75	.0	-26.7	-12.0	7.75	2.38	14	.30	-.05 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Varco Intl	N	11.25	.0	-8.2	55.2	13.75	1.88	159	.62	.17 S	183.3	NC	.0	NC	NC
Weatherford Intl	A	9.63	20.3	-3.8	92.5	10.88	.63	381	1.45	.15 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Western Co NA	N	19.25	1.3	5.5	40.0	NC	NC	131	1.04	.47 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Xplor Cp	O	6.75	-3.6	-10.7	3.8	13.13	.94	13	.54	.13 F	NE	NC	1.1	NC	NC
Offshore Drilling		7.68	1.9	-5.5	-4.7	12.33	2.54	5,807	1.62	-.30	NE	NC	.6	NC	NC
Atwood Oceanics	O	20.75	1.2	-7.8	20.3	23.50	11.50	124	2.16	.03 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Diam Sham Off	N	4.13	-2.9	-10.8	-32.7	7.75	.25	1,476	1.91	-.12 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Energy Service	A	4.00	-5.9	-13.5	-8.6	NC	NC	2,136	2.13	-.51 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Global Marine	N	6.00	9.1	17.1	65.5	11.50	1.50	725	3.13	-.38 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Noble Drill	O	8.88	2.9	-20.2	-4.1	31.50	10.63	99	.19	.48 S	NE	NC	1.3	NC	46.6
Ocean Drill	N	22.38	.6	-7.3	-8.7	NC	NC	738	6.16	-1.17 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Wolverine Expl	O	7.25	20.8	-7.9	-44.2	17.00	1.25	465	1.45	-1.72 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Zapata Corp	N	1.50	.0	-20.0	-57.1										
Oil, Natural Gas Exploration															
Oil, Nat Gas Expl		27.54	2.0	-3.9	4.2	27.75	6.61	14,471	.35	1.74	-26.0	2	4.4	11.8	16.1
Adobe Res	N	11.13	-3.3	-18.3	-23.9	15.38	4.63	152	.48	-.57 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Alamco Inc	A	3.25	-13.3	-18.8	-35.0	NC	NC	4	.16	1.64 S	49.1	NC	.0	NC	2.0
Alexander Engy	O	1.63	.0	13.0	136.4	3.38	.38	27	.35	-.02 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Alta Energy Cp	O	.75	.0	.0	-50.0	12.50	.75	10	.14	-.18 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Altex Inds Inc	O	.09	.0	.0	.0	NC	NC	10	.06	-.04 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Am Expl	A	4.00	-3.0	.0	-3.0	6.13	1.75	530	1.83	-.13 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Am Natl Petro		1.88	3.4	3.4	-4.8	3.38	.47	10	.16	.15 S	66.7	NC	.0	NC	12.5
Anadarko Petro	N	35.00	-2.8	-4.8	-5.4	NC	NC	442	.84	.71 S	-39.3	NC	.9	NC	49.3
Apache Corp	N	16.75	.8	-6.9	-8.8	18.38	6.00	708	1.59	.77 S	37.5	NC	1.7	NC	21.8
Apco Argentina	O	6.38	-1.9	13.3	-13.6	7.38	.13	3	.04	.97 S	NC	NC	10.7	NC	6.6
Arch Petrol	O	2.31	-11.9	-15.9	60.9	3.00	.25	59	.89	.11 S	266.7	NC	.0	NC	21.0
Arkla Explor	N	19.25	-3.8	-3.1	-15.8	NC	NC	85	.26	.28 S	NC	NC	.5	NC	NC
Aspen Expl	O	.25	.0	14.3	-11.1	.66	.03	72	.35	-.02 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Avalon Cp	N	4.75	5.6	-2.6	-20.8	8.00	3.13	1	.01	-.79 Q	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Barrett Rscs	O	7.75	-3.1	-2.4	26.5	10.00	2.00	62	.62	.14 N	-22.2	NC	.0	NC	NC
Basic Earth	O	.16	25.0	66.6	399.4	1.19	.03	77	.50	.00 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Beard Oil	A	7.13	-5.0	-5.0	-10.9	NC	NC	12	.20	-1.05 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Belcor Inc	O	1.19	-13.6	-20.8	-24.0	7.50	1.19	35	.84	.23 S	130.0	NC	.0	NC	5.2
Belden&Blake	A	2.75	-4.3	-8.3	.0	14.25	1.75	4	.08	-.29 S	NE	NC	3.6	NC	NE
Bellwether	O	.47	.0	7.2	7.2	2.63	.25	1	.01	.02 N	NC	NC	.0	NC	23.4
BntyGp	O	.50	.0	.0	.0	NC	NC	0	.00	.02 N	NC	NC	.0	NC	25.0
Bralorne Rscs	O	.13	.0	.0	-63.6	3.88	.13	0	.00	.03 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	4.2
British Gas	N	40.75	1.9	-9.4	3.8	NC	NC	431	.12	3.12 F	25.8	NC	5.7	NC	13.1
Cabot O&G A	N	17.13	2.2	-4.2	NC	NC	NC	31	.16	NA	NA	NA	.5	NA	NA
Camelot Cp	O	.09	.0	.0	50.1	.44	.06	3	.04	-.01 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Castle Energy	O	11.50	.0	-6.1	24.3	14.50	1.56	57	.96	.36 N	12.5	NC	.5	NC	31.9
Chaparral Res	O	.78	.0	56.3	177.7	2.19	.19	374	3.19	.00 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Chieftain Intl	A	24.00	-2.0	2.1	18.5	NC	NC	16	.17	.43 S	NC	NC	.0	NC	NC
Chiles Offshore Cp	A	14.63	8.3	10.4	NC	NC	NC	159	3.18	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
ChchTc	O	.03	.0	.0	.0	NC	NC	170	.35	.00	NC	NC	.0	NC	NC
Clinton Gas Syst	O	2.00	.0	-11.1	-27.3	9.03	1.56	0	.00	.01 F	.0	-42	.0	NC	NC
Coda Energy	O	2.69	7.5	-2.3	-12.2	122.50	1.25	80	1.26	-.77 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Coho Resources	O	12.38	3.1	-4.8	NC	NC	NC	96	.35	.01 Q	NC	NC	.0	NC	NC
Conquest Expl	A	1.25	11.1	-16.7	-41.2	9.88	1.13	156	.35	-.25 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Convest Engy Pt	A	3.50	-3.4	-12.5	27.3	8.09	.88	8	.14	.28 S	-9.7	NC	.0	NC	12.5
Credo Petrol	A	2.88	-2.1	.0	43.8	2.94	1.13	23	.67	.17 S	142.9	NC	.0	NC	16.9
Crystal Oil	O	2.25	.0	-10.0	-25.0	NC	NC	33	.14	.11 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	20.5
Daleco	O	.25	.0	.0	-33.3	1.72	.13	0	.00	-.23 S	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Dallas Oil&Min	O	.16	.0	.0	-44.4	.66	.13	2	.02	-.01 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Damson A	A	1.38	.0	-8.3	175.0	15.75	.25	36	.20	.02 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Damson B	A	1.50	20.0	9.1	166.7	15.75	.25	37	.23	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
DI Inds	A	1.63	-13.3	-18.8	-27.8	3.75	.81	34	.09	.05 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	32.5
Double Eag Ptl	O	1.13	.0	.0	100.0	2.13	.50	3	.13	.03 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	37.5
DRX Inc	O	.09	.0	.0	50.1	1.88	.03	8	.05	-.21 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
DynOil	O	2.50	2.6	14.3	NC	NC	NC	20	.40	-.18 F	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Edisto Rscs	A	17.75	4.4	-12.9	2.9	NC	NC	151	1.17	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
Enercap Cp	O	.25	.0	-20.0	-75.0	3.50	.25	0	.00	-.07 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Enex Rsc	O	3.88	-3.1	19.2	72.2	11.56	1.88	14	.28	-.86 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Evergreen Rscs	O	4.00	6.6	60.0	60.0	75.00	2.50	0	.01	.00 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Exploration Co LA	O	3.31	.0	-1.9	-19.7	NC	NC	3	.00	.01 S	-50.0	NC	.0	NC	NC
Falcon O&G	O	4.25	-5.6	-10.5	47.8	27.50	1.50	48	2.11	.30 S	66.7	1	.0	24.7	14.2
Forest Oil	O	9.25	-5.1	-19.5	-34.1	17.88	4.74	54	.48	-6.77 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Fortune Petrol	O	.81	8.3	30.0	18.2	NC	NC	8	1.05	-.03 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Free Mc O&G	N	10.00	1.3	.0	NC	NC	NC	512	3.42	.77 S	NC	NC	10.5	NC	13.0
Garnet Rscs	O	8.00	-15.8	-32.6	-26.4	NC	NC	364	4.31	-.11 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Geodyne Rscs	O	2.38	.0	-11.6	-11.6	NC	NC	30	.22	.30 Q	-28.6	NC	.0	NC	7.9
Geores	O	1.00	-11.1	-5.9	-5.9	2.25	.56	19	.47	.06 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	16.7
Giant Inds	N	9.50	16.9	-7.3	-34.5	NC	NC	66	.54	NA	NA	NA	2.4	NA	NA
Giant Pac Pete	O	.13	.0	-33.3	100.0	1.25	.06	0	.00	.01 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	12.5
Global Natural	A	7.50	3.4	3.4	-4.8	8.63	2.75	241	1.08	.32 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	23.4
Gold King Consol		.16	.0	.0	25.0	1.00	.13	207	1.45	.05 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Grace Energy	O	19.88	4.6	-4.8	-18.9	NC	NC	49	.20	.81 S	NC	NC	.0	NC	24.5
Grt Estn Engy	O	.63	-16.7	.0	150.0	1.50	.13	6	.03	.03 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	20.8
GrmwdH	O	.06	.0	.0	-33.4	NC	NC	1	.00	-.01 F	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Gulf Cda Rscs	A	13.63	-6.8	-2.7	.9	NC	NC	44	.03	-.91 S	NE	NC	2.9	NC	NE
GW Utils Ltd	A	29.38	.4	-2.5	42.4	NC	NC	3	.01	1.05 S	47.9	NC	.0	NC	28.0
Hadson Cp	N	1.88	.0	-11.8	-28.6	9.88	1.75	154	.41	-4.63 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Hallador Petro	O	.38	.0	.0	-14.3	7.00	.25	8	.02	-.05 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Hallwood Engy Cp	O	.19	-14.3	.0	-25.0	1.06	.09	1	.00	-.09 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Harcor Energy	O	.25	33.3	14.3	.0	.66	.03	429	1.49	-.02 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Hawks Inds	O	.13	.0	.0	100.0	.63	.06	11	.04	.01 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	12.5
Ironstone Group	O	.56	12.5	28.6	-31.4	NC	NC	6	.06	-.91 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Jagroil	O	.09	.0	50.1	.0	.81	.06	13	.14	-.05 N	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Kaneb Services	N	4.38	6.1	-18.6	-12.5	11.25	1.25	335	1.06	2.04 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	2.1
KCS Grp	O	11.25	.0	-4.3	7.1	NC	NC	3	.18	2.35 N	30.8	NC	.0	NC	4.4
Kelley O&G	A	21.00	1.2	-8.7	-11.6	NC	NC	28	.28	.50 S	56.3	NC	7.9	NC	42.0
Kerr-McGee	N	48.00	1.9	-7.7	-5.4	53.63	23.50	407	.81	2.31 S	-31.0	NC	3.0	NC	20.8
Kay Prodtn	O	3.00	-11.1	-7.7	.0	NC	NC	50	.43	.28 S	460.0	NC	9.3	NC	10.7
Kimco Energy	O	.13	.0	-50.0	-75.0	5.63	.13	0	.00	-.47 N	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Kirby Cp	A	8.38	15.5	1.5	-10.7	11.13	1.75	253	1.11	.46 S	119.1	NC	.0	NC	18.2
Latoka	O	.13	-50.0	-50.0	NC	NC	NC	13	.42	-.06 Q	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Lomak	O	.38	.0	.0	NC	NC	NC	117	.24	.00 S	NC	NC	.0	NC	NC
Magellan Pet	O	1.44	-4.2	.0	-4.2	4.38	1.00	7	.03	-.01	NC	NC	.0	NC	NE
Mallon Rscs	O	4.00	-3.0	-23.8	-30.4	NC	NC	16	.35	-.35 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
MarMid	O	8.13	3.2	18.2	NC	NC	NC	735	6.61	-2.60 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
McFarland Energy	O	10.25	-2.4	.0	-10.9	14.38	6.75	23	.44	.28 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	36.6
Mesa Ltd Ptr	N	4.50	-5.3	-2.7	-47.1	18.25	3.75	416	.53	-1.17 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Mission Rscs	A	7.63	.0	-6.2	-40.2	NC	NC	16	.38	.36 S	-67.9	NC	.0	NC	21.2
MSR Explor	A	2.25	12.5	5.9	.0	4.13	.94	32	.40	.01 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Nahama Weagent	O	2.63	5.0	-4.5	75.0	3.63	.88	1	.03	.09 Q	-87.5	NC	.0	NC	NC
Noble Affil	N	16.88	3.8	-3.6	.7	19.00	7.88	160	.36	.38 S	-20.8	NC	.9	NC	44.4
Normandy O&G	O	2.13	-5.6	.0	-22.7	12.50	1.25	19	.38	-.03 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
North Coast Engy	O	3.50	.0	16.7	NC	NC	NC	0	.00	-.21 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Nova Natural Rscs	O	.13	.0	.0	-66.7	NC	NC	3	.06	-.04 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Nuevo Energy	N	10.63	9.0	7.6	NC	NC	NC	84	.89	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
Oryx Energy	N	51.25	3.8	-1.4	15.5	NC	NC	522	.50	.54 S	800.0	NC	2.3	NC	NC
Oxford Con	O	7.31	12.5	46.3	95.0	25.00	2.50	3	.31	.60 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	12.2
Parallel Petrol	O	1.13	12.5	20.0	260.0	1.16	.03	114	1.03	.01 S	.0	NC	.0	NC	NC
Patrick Petrol	N	4.13	6.5	-15.4	-32.7	7.69	2.63	34	.28	.06 S	-40.0	NC	.0	NC	NC
Petro Invest	N	.31	.0	-16.7	-54.5	5.75	.25	0	.00	-.23 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Plains Rscs	A	6.75	.0	-5.3	13.7	11.88	2.50	54	.77	-.16 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Plexus Rsc	O	1.56	4.2	-21.9	-40.5	4.00	.69	5	.08	-.23 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Presido Oil A	A	6.75	-3.6	-3.6	-25.0	NC	NC	45	.37	NA	NA	NA	1.5	NA	NA
Presido Oil B	A	6.75	-3.6	-3.6	-12.9	8.38	2.63	25	.10	-1.23 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Primo Energy	O	7.00	.0	-5.1	80.6	8.00	1.88	14	.70	.59 N	90.3	28	.0	21.8	11.9
PrimeEnergy Cp	O	2.25	-1.4	28.6	33.3	2.81	.31	1	.01	.20 S	150.0	NC	.0	NC	11.3
Pyramid Oil	O	.50	33.3	33.3	33.3	9.00	.25	6	.22	-.23 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Reading & Bates	N	2.38	18.8	18.8	-17.4	NC	NC	122	.33	-1.13 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Reserve Explor	O	.06	.0	.0	.0	1.38	.06	0	.00	-.19 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Resource Am	O	2.13	13.3	3.0	-5.6	3.13	1.31	14	.20	.36 N	800.0	9	4.7	11.0	5.9
Royal Dutch	N	80.75	2.5	-3.9	4.2	117.88	24.19	2,157	.40	7.32 Q	-18.2	15	4.8	8.2	11.0
SeahkC	O	.13	.0	.0	100.0	2.25	.06	11	.18	-.23 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Shell Transport	N	53.75	2.4	-.9	10.8	56.38	14.75	457	.08	3.84 Q	-37.9	13	4.5	7.8	14.0
Snyder Oil	N	7.38	-3.3	-10.6	NC	NC	NC	116	.49	.19 S	NE	NC	2.2	NC	38.8
Sunlite Inc	O	4.19	-1.5	-1.5	-11.8	6.50	2.38	8	.30	-.26 N	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
Swift Energy	A	11.00	.0	-4.3	-4.3	18.63	1.13	25	.51	1.48 S	8.0	58	.0	9.3	7.4
TGX Cp	O	.22	-12.5	-41.7	-70.8	3.25	.13	103	.40	-.39 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Thermal Exploration	O	.16	150.1	399.4	-37.5	NC	NC	6	.06	-.01 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Thor Energy	A	1.50	-7.7	9.1	-7.7	3.13	.44	4	.06	-.08 Q	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NE
TPEX Exploration	O	.06	.0	99.7	.0	.19	.03	100	.77	.00 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Transco Expl	N	3.38	.0	-6.9	-3.6	24.88	3.25	162	.21	-.63 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Triton Engy	N	11.13	.0	-8.2	-28.2	31.56	9.59	180	.85	-2.96 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Tucker Drilling	O	7.25	1.8	.0	5.5	11.00	3.75	9	.41	.03 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Tyrex Oil	O	.38	-7.7	20.0	71.4	.50	.16	61	.58	-.01 N	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Unimar Co	A	4.50	-2.7	.0	-18.2	11.63	3.50	28	.26	.14 S	NE	NC	15.3	NC	32.1
Union Texas	N	22.88	1.7	7.6	26.2	NC	NC	223	.27	.67 S	-72.1	NC	.9	NC	NC
Unit Cp	N	4.50	2.9	-2.7	28.6	5.75	.69	89	.43	-.07 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Unocal Explor	N	15.25	3.4	-6.9	-11.6	24.00	11.75	111	.05	.88 Q	-9.5	NC	11.5	25.1	17.3
UtahSh	O	.31	.0	-28.6	-37.5	1.63	.31	0	.00	.00 S	-100.0	NC	.0	NC	NC
Veronex Rscs	A	2.88	-9.8	-28.1	-34.3	12.25	2.63	114	.90	-.08 Q	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Vintage Petrol	N	9.38	-1.3	-10.7	NC	NC	NC	134	1.25	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
Western Gas Rs	N	10.88	2.4	8.8	-18.7	NC	NC	36	.33	.76 Q	111.1	NC	.0	NC	14.3
Westworld Rscs	O	1.06	.0	-19.0	-48.5	NC	NC	45	.23	.54 F	35.0	NC	.0	NC	2.0
Wichita Riv Oil	A	3.88	-3.1	-18.4	NC	NC	NC	58	1.12	NA	NA	NA	.0	NA	NA
Wilshire Oil	N	6.00	11.6	-4.0	.0	7.84	3.68	21	.24	.04 S	NE	NC	.0	NC	NC
Woodbine	O	.13	-20.0	-20.0	.0	1.03	.06	13	.10	.02 F	100.0	NC	.0	NC	6.3
Oil, Natural Gas Producers															
Oil, Nat Gas Prod		16.92	-.7	-2.6	-4.1	21.11	8.67	9,445	.42	.67	48.9	-12	5.3	NC	25.6
Allegheny & West	O	6.63	.0	-15.9	-22.1	30.50	6.25	75	.92	.45 N	4.7	-28	.0	13.1	14.7
Amacax Resources	O	.25	.0	-55.6	300.0	.81	.06	5	.18	-.01 F	NE	NC	.0	NC	NE
Barnwell Indus	A	25.75	-1.4	-13.8	-25.6	37.50	5.00	4	.29	6.00 N	144.9	NC	1.2	NC	4.3
Berold Cp	N	11.38	4.6	-12.5	1.1	NC	NC	456	.75	.45 S	181.3	NC	1.8	NC	25.3
Boruch-Foster	A	6.00

ASSUMED NAMES

Midland County, Aug. 24-31

Art of the State; P.O. Box 210, 2604 W. Front, 79702; James E. Williams & Pamela Sue Williams
Aztec Realty; 420 Sweetbriar, 79703; Daniel R. Dirlam.
B L T K Partners; 4719 Fielder, 79707; Lynn M Cable.
Clearfork Technology Co.; 2811 Ann, 79705; Marvin W. Justus.
Diamond-T Sales; P.O. Box 11150, 79702; Tommie Wooten.
Dingler's Exxon; 3603 W. Wall, 79707; Dingler & Pearce.
Cynasystems; 914 Scott, Wichita Falls, 76301; Dynamic Office Systems, Inc.
Gili's Restaurante & Cantina; 4411 W. Illinois, Ste. B, 79701; Cruz Gilibaldo Lopez.
Ham Construction Co.; P.O. Drawer 7010, 79708; Linda L. Ham.
The Perch; 1607 North "J", 79701; Mark H. Swanson.
Robert M. Pickard; 4205 Crestgate, 79707; West Texas Orthopaedics.
Prudential-Bache-Pension and International Investor Limited Partnership PI-1; 109 Northpark Blvd., Covington, Louisiana, 70433; Prudential-Bache Energy Production Inc.
Prairie Fire; P.O. Box 9038, 79708; Gary Boren.
R.W.B. & Associates; 2503 W. Ohio, 79701; Lonnie R. St. Clair.
Rent-Buy; 3306 W. Illinois; Randy Reddell.
The Second Hand Rose; 701 B. South Jefferson, 79701; Shirley L. Prince.
S&F Enterprises; 6213 E. County Rd. 86, 79701-9215; C.J. Forrester.
Stockton Finance; 3306 W. Illinois; Randy Reddell.
Taga-VCI; Box 522, 79702; Taga Oil & Gas Co.
WB Realty Partners; P.O. Box 1714, 79702; WB Realty Partners, Inc.
West Texas Orthopaedics; 4205 Crestgate, 79707; Robert M. Pickard
Z&M's Snack Bar; Western United Life Bldg., 79701; Zonnel Eddy & Mary Ann Jones.
Source: Midland County Clerk's Office

BANKRUPTCIES

Aug. 24-31

Jay W. & Patty L. Averett dba Flare Cleaners; Chapter 13.
Robert William Russell dba: Blue Dophin Pools, West Texas Pool Builders, Southwestern Electric; Chapter 7.
Apolinor O. & Sonia H. Prieto; Chapter 7.
Joe N. & Natoma Webster; Chapter 7.
Jack H. & Mildred L. Willoughby; Chapter 7.
Tyson James Eichholtz; Chapter 7.
Sharon Ward Rentas; Chapter 7.
Nolan Webb & Debbie Dorsey; dba Webb Dorsey Insurance Agency; Chapter 7.
William Arthur & Norma Carol Hill; Chapter 7.
Jo Ann Thompson; Chapter 7.
Daisy J. Riggs; Chapter 7.
Source: U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Western District of Texas, U.S. District Clerk. The Midland district covers: Midland, Ector Andrews, Crane, Martin and Upton counties.

BUILDING PERMITS

Midland, Aug. 27-31

Juan Ochoa; 1001 S. Weatherford St.; residence-alteration; $4000
Kahler Const.; 4916 King Richard; residence-alteration; $65,000
Kahler Const.; 4965 Rustic Tr.; residence-new; $108,000
Ronnie Hodges; 1202 Manor Ct.; residence-alteration; $5903
Homeowner; 3212 Travis Ave.; residence-alteration; $400
Homeowner; 2203 W. Holloway Ave.; residential-addition; $18,000
American Fence; 2701 Mariana Ave.; fence; $900
Rod Stephenson; 1308 Lawson Ave.; residential-addition; $4000
Doug Wilkerson; 2102 Abby Place; residence-new; $66,000
Coats Const.; 306 W. Wall St.; commercial-alteration; $30,000
Morgan Bldgs.; 3214 Fannin Ave.; residence-alteration; $950
Morgan Bldgs.; 5110 Shadylane Dr.; residence-alteration; $700
Custer Construction; 2300 W. Michigan Ave.; commercial-alteration; $30,000
Caprock Const.; 3614 N. Midland Dr.; commercial-new; $150,000
Hoffman Const.; 3701 Mockingbird Lane; residence-alteration; $13,314
Leonard Homes; 5001 Melville Dr.; residence-new; $75,000
D.W. Roofing; 1101 Wadley; commercial-alteration; $11,700
Troy Hunt; 4125 Radcliff Ct.; residence-new; $112,000
Troy Hunt; 4124 Fox Hollow Ct.; residence-new; $105,000
J.A.R. Investment; 5711 Crowley; residence-new; $85,000
Permian Sign; 10 Plaza Shop Center; sign; $915
Permian Sign; 2910 La Force Blvd.; sign; $1900
Homeowner; 4305 Thornberry Dr.; residence-alteration; $2500
Homeowner; 1122 E. Golf Course Rd.; residential-addition; $2000
Permian Sign; 3306 Illinois; sign; $2800
Permian Sign; 4612 Billingsly Blvd.; sign; $6500
Permian Sign; 2208 N. Big Spring; sign; $6000
Permian Contr.; 2200 W. Illinois Ave.; commercial-alteration; $9879
Gilbert Bates; 2610 Inwood Ct.; residence-alteration; $1500

Odessa, Aug. 17-23

Geraldo Dunlap; 2513 Conover; residential-addition; $250
Greg Frazier; 8213 San Simon; residential-addition; $120,000
Aranda Pools & Spas; 2901T Palo Verde; residential-addition; $17,000
Leslie McDaniel; 1601T Patton; residential-addition; $600
Marget Dedue; 4100 N. Golder; mobile home; $5000
Carlton Crownover; 3800T Boulder; residential-addition; $2500
Leticia Gonzales; 614 S. Grant; commercial-alteration
Thomas Nunez Urias; 305 E. Murphy; commercial-alteration;
G.H. Builders; 2305 E. 14th; residential-addition; $2350
Eziguio Cervantes; 3008 W. 4th; residential-addition; $15,000
Randy Mercer; 1429 N. Whitaker; residential-addition; $2000
Sammy E. Hostetter; 3952 E. 42nc Space R; commercial-alteration
Kenneth Piel; 4200T Wayside; residential-addition; $2500
Miguel Arroyo; 300 Lotteman; residential-addition; $2500
Carl Wilson; 3717 Fairmont; residential-addition; $9500
Juan H. Carrillo; 814 E. 17th; residential-addition; $5500
Isolda Tavarez; 305 S. Texas; mobile home; $19,000
Mary Adams; 1415 W. County Rd.; commercial-alteration
D&H Construction; 1511 E. 46th; residential-alteration; $9400
J.M. Medina; 1505 E. 10th; residential-addition; $5000
Diane Kipp; 804 E. 21st; residential-addition; $4300
Russell Warren; 2817 Langtry; residential-addition

INTEREST RATES

"Jumbo" CDs 91-Day, 182-Day

		Aug. 31
MIDLAND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
ClayDesta National Bank	7.30	7.65
Community National Bank	7.30	7.65
First City Texas	7.30	7.65
Midland American Bank	7.30	7.50
NCNB Texas National Bank	7.30	7.65
Team Bank	7.40	7.65
Texas Commerce Bank	7.20	7.30
United Bank	7.30	7.65
Southwest Federal	7.95	8.00
Amwest Savings	7.90	8.13
Bluebonnet Savings	8.00	8.00
First Bankers	7.50	7.50
ODESSA FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
Bank of the West	6.90	6.90
First State Bank	6.95	7.10
NCNB Texas National Bank	7.30	7.65
Bank One Texas	7.10	7.20
Texas Commerce Bank	7.10	7.20
Texas Bank	7.06	7.11
Western National Bank	6.85	6.95
Andrews Savings & Loan	N/A	8.00
First Bankers	7.90	7.70
Amwest Savings	7.90	8.13
Southwest Federal	7.95	8.00

Jumbo CD's require a $100,000 minimum deposit

OPPORTUNITIES

Export Assistance

Through the resources of the International Trade Division of the Texas Department of Commerce and its Export Assistance Centers, a complete follow-up in pursuing exporting is now available in Midland and Odessa.
For information contact Jerry Jones at an EAC in Midland, 685-4657.

■ Hydraulic and pneumatic reusable end fittings — Manufacturers and importers of hydraulic hose and fittings in Australia is interested in importing hose connectors. Packing for export, for resale into the Australian market place. Company has 11 branches and 22 salespersons. Refer to P0011.

■ Airconditioner and spare parts, automobile spare parts — Firm in Nigeria, established in 1986 seeks to import airconditioners and spare parts. Refer to P0049.

■ Marble tiles — Firm in Honduras seeks potential JV partner for marble exploitation operation. It has concessions for three marble quarries located in a 200 acre area of northern Honduras. Annual production would be 600 thousand cubic feet once project becomes fully operational. Most of this production would be exported. Refer to P0043.

■ Flow and liquid level instruments, indicating or recording controllers — Company in the Republic of Korea seeks to purchase U.S. manufactured flow meter instruments for chemical and waste water treatment industries. The firm, established in 1979, is a licensed trader handling pressure gauges and material handling equipment. Refer to P0228.

■ Componenets for stationary buildings, residential homes, precut packages for stationary buildings, residential and multifamily — Israeli company which imports prefabricated houses from Europe is interested in representing U.S. firms as agent for prefabricated wood buildings. Company has received a permit to build 48 units, about 120 square m. for each unit. Refer to P0147.

■ Analytic instruments including particle analyzers, osmometers, amino acid and protein analyzers, industrial and scientific X-Ray equipment, electronic and electromechnical controllers, detectors and sensors — Firm in Republic of Korea has been purchased 1 new infrared analyzers to check and analyze moisture, agricultural products, fat and oil in food and analyze chemical elements in glass, ceramics and others; 3 electronic devices to detect foreign particles such as metal, hair, glass. The firm, established in 1984, is a registered import offer agent/distributor specializing in sales of imported chemicals and analytical/scientific instruments. Refer to P0230.

CRAWFISH: Couple learns by trial and error

(From 5C)

Visits to Rick's mother in Houma, La., spawned the idea that eventually evolved into B&H Crawfish Farm. "Every time we went to Louisiana, we tried to get some, but they were always out," Pat said.

First the Browns called other crawfish farms and visited their operations. Most Texas operations are in four counties — Jefferson, Liberty, Chambers and Orange. The industry is relatively young in Texas, with about 80 percent of the state's crawfish farmers in business for three years or less, according to the Texas Marine Advisory Service.

The Browns' next stops were Louisiana State University and the University of Southern Louisiana, where raising crawfish is elevated to a science.

The Browns were fortunate in having some land near their home on Lake Corpus Christi (they call it Lake Mathis) that was useless for farming. "You need a certain type of soil," Pat said. "You need clay. This piece of property had so much clay in it that we couldn't farm it. It holds too much water."

All the neighbors and most Mathis residents have been out to get a first-hand look at her farm, Pat said. Indeed, the Browns seem to be popular. One neighbor last week took a break from his yard work to lean over the fence and ask Pat where all the little critters had gone. At the moment, they're hibernating in burrows, drawing sustenance from their tail meat. Pat says they've been known to dig as deep as 12 feet in search of the water table. Then they carve caverns out of the sides of the burrows and rest on the ledges, returning to the water occasionally to dip their tails.

Next-door neighborliness aside, a crawfish farm forces comes with a few adjustments. For one thing, the aquatic produce makes a tempting treat for hungry vermin, especially skunks. One night last year, the Browns killed six. And several neighbors have notified Pat that their dogs have come home with that special air about them. Little pests are a problem, too, Pat said.

"Anything that'll kill a fire ant will kill a crawfish," she said, "and a fire ant will kill a crawfish."

Neighbors who venture out early in the morning also have gotten used to the sight of curious crawfish crossing the road to get to the lake. But those losses aren't significant, Pat says.

"They're just like any living creature. If you keep them fat and happy, they won't leave."

The first couple of years, about half their stock died, but the Browns have learned from their errors and brim with optimism as the new season nears.

They plant rice to provide a protein base for the crawfish, although the carnivorous creatures aren't picky. "They'll eat anything — a skinned 'coon, anything," Pat said. "They're meat-eaters."

The Browns also line their ponds with powdered limestone. That enhances molting, and the more frequently crawfish molt, the bigger they get. It takes a crawfish about 90 days to reach maturity, and each female produces 400 to 700 offspring.

In 1988, the last year for which the Texas Marine Advisory Service has figures, 200 million pounds of crawfish was produced in the United States. That was second only to catfish, at 295 million pounds.

This month the Browns will flood their ponds, bringing the crawfish up from their burrows. An old portable toilet houses a pump that will circulate water at 3,000 gallons a minute from a holding pond into two broad, shallow ponds. The circulation keeps mosquitoes from breeding and aerates the 26 million gallons of water in the ponds.

November to May is the harvest season. Traps will be baited and placed in the 50 acres of water. Crawfish crawl in through half-dollar-size holes. A piece of PVC pipe about 5 inches in diameter and 5 inches long lines the top so they can't get a clawhold and escape.

The crawfish, which live in about 18 to 24 inches of water, don't much care for cold weather, Pat said. But the South Texas sun would be even more brutal on them. "To date, we haven't had good luck with growing crawfish in the summer months," said James Davis of Texas A&M's Wildlife and Fisheries Department.

So the Browns choose to drain their ponds during the summer, driving their stock into hibernation. Slowly the water is drained off; the change in pressure alerts the crawfish to the impending dry spell, triggering their burrowing instincts.

Besides predators and weather, the lack of a processing plant stands between Texas farmers and mass production. "I would say that the industry is booming as a whole," said Davis. "But the situation in Texas is that total acreage is down. And the reason for that is that we don't have a processing plant.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Book entry isn't only option for bond buyers

By Bill Doyle

Q. When investing our hard-earned money, my husband and I have always been cautious, as well as being somewhat suspicious of brokers. So we have always insisted that stocks and bonds we buy be registered in our names and the certificates be sent to us. We then put them in our safe deposit box at the bank.

Now, our broker tells us all new municipal bonds are being issued only as "book-entry" items. We are wary of this arrangement and have refused to purchase several such bonds.

Exactly what is book-entry? If we buy a book-entry bond, do we really have title to it, or is it in "street name?" How risky is it?

A. The term "book-entry" is almost self-explanatory. It means that ownership of a bond is recorded on a computer and no fancy, engraved bond certificate is printed.



Doyle

Your broker went a bit overboard in saying that all new municipal bonds — those issued by states and their political subdivisions — come in book-entry form. An increasing number of "munis" are being issued as book-entry only. But some still come to market in "registered form," with the owner's name on an engraved certificate and on the issuer's record books.

And there are plenty of old-fashioned "bearer" municipal bonds around. Owners' names do not appear on those bonds. They come with semiannual interest coupons attached. The coupons must be clipped and cashed. No bearer munis have been issued since June 1983. But previously issued ones can be bought and sold in the marketplace.

Book-entry munis must be held through a brokerage firm or bank. If you buy one, you will be the "beneficial owner" — the real owner. The brokerage or bank will be your "nominee." The arrangement is similar to a street name brokerage account. Interest payments go to the nominee, to be credited to your account.

And therein lies one of the major gripes against book-entry munis. All too many brokerages and some banks are horribly slow sending interest and dividend payments on to beneficial owners of securities.

As with any marketable bond, your risk is that the market value of a book-entry muni will fall. But you needn't worry about losing the bond if the brokerage or bank holding it goes belly up. The Securities Investor Protection Corp. returns to $500,000 of each customer's securities at a busted brokerage. Because customers' securities held by a failed bank are not part of the bank's assets, those securities cannot be seized by creditors and are returned to customers.

Q. The brokerage through which I bought a municipal bond wants to charge a $50 fee for maintaining my account. Because the bond is in book-entry only form, I have to leave it there. Are brokers permitted to charge such outrageous fees?

A. Unfortunately, yes. And some levy even higher fees. That's another serious complaint against the muni book-entry system.

Book-entry works great in the "Treasury Direct" system of ownership of U.S. Treasury securities because there is only one issuer of those securities — the U.S. Treasury Department. An individual investor can establish his or her own Treasury Direct account and buy Treasury bills, notes and/or bonds — without a brokerage or bank middleman.

Things don't work that way in the muni book-entry system, where there are thousands of issuers and where investors' bonds must be held by brokerages and/or banks, which have carte blanch to lay on whatever fees they choose.

Q. I did not learn the municipal bond I bought was in book-entry only form until three months after the purchase. I never received a prospectus. Isn't that required?

A. That depends on whether your bond was a new issue. The Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board's Rule G 32 says a copy of the "official statement," a disclosure document similar to a prospectus and sometimes called an "offering circular," must be presented to buyers of a newly issued bond during the underwriting period — when the bond issue is first offered for sale. After that, no such disclosure is required.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

Address your question to Investor's Guide, King Features Syndicate, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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This is a fairly common thing to do on older PC's and there are several relatively simple techniques. The most common one is to use a series of batch files to set a required PATH, execute the desired software, then reset the PATH variable upon exiting the software. This technique works real well on menu-driven systems where the operator doesn't have to remember all the paths.

Dennis Sever is a computer instructor at Midland College.

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PERSIAN GULF CRISIS

Marines surprised how good water is

By Joseph Albright
N.Y. Times News Service

A MARINE FORWARD OUTPOST, Saudi Arabia — When Marine Staff Sgt. Eddie Hughes, 27, of Forsyth, Ga., planted his boots on Saudi sand two weeks ago, his greatest fear was lack of water.

Like the estimated 60,000 other U.S. troops who have dropped out of the sky onto the driest nation on earth, Hughes couldn't figure out how anyone could possibly keep him from getting dehydrated.

It was an apt conclusion. For if the American buildup has had an Achilles heel, it was the millions of gallons of water needed for troops spread out over hundreds of square miles of sand. If Murphy's Law applied, thirst seemed inevitable, at least for those like Hughes stuck furthest out in the desert.

But the last month has given the troops one savory surprise: not only has there been abundant water for everyone, but also Saudi water tends to taste far better than the water the troops drank in the United States.

"To us, this is champagne," said one Marine last week as he sipped from a chilled plastic 1.5 liter bottle of Saudi desalinated well water.

Behind this heady success story is a tale of Saudi entrepreneurship, royal generosity and 22-hour days by an obscure Army staff who has the nickname "Cinc-Water."

Cinc-Water's superior, Maj. Gen. William Pagonis, the logistics chief in Saudi Arabia, said that the Saudi government is providing free more than half of the water drunk by the troops each day. The rest is being desalinated by the Marines or else purchased on the open market by Cinc-Water — Lt. Col. John Carr.

Pagonis said, "Every week we tell the Saudi government what we are going to need. I build in a safety factor. I watch the supplies very carefully in our warehouses. When the supply goes below a certain margin, we may be concerned and buy some in the marketplace."

For all the importance of planning and computers, Pagonis and Carr have had to improvise somewhat using pencil calculations and what they can remember, the general said.

Only last week, after the most critical weeks of the buildup were finished, Carr began relying on a computer instead of his scratch pad.

"The bottom line," said Pagonis, "is that water is a vital asset to life, and we are doing everything in our power to insure that bottled water and purified water is available to our soldiers in whatever quantity they need."

Saudi Arabia is the largest country in the world with no rivers and hardly any rainfall.

Oddly enough, there are few other countries in the world which enjoy Saudi Arabia's enormous spare capacity for producing drinking water. Ever since the explosion of oil prices in 1973, the Saudis have been sinking millions into developing the world's most advanced desalinization plants and at the same time tapping its abundant supplies of deep artesian water.

Every year, one million Moslem pilgrims trek to Mecca from around the world. For a month, King Fahd of Saudi Arabia arranges to provide each pilgrim with free drinking water in plastic bags.

The infrastructure for supplying water to the month-long pilgrimage consists of a dozen or so privately owned water bottling companies dotted around the kingdom.

For most of the year, they operate at slack capacity, building up their inventories for the Hajj, as the pilgrim season is called. This year, the Hajj ended several months ago, and so the water bottlers were only too happy to get the business for the American troops.

One of the major private bottlers, Health Water Bottling Co. of Riyadh, is owned by relatives of Suleiman Oleyan, a Saudi capitalist who rose from a $75-a-week truck driver for the Arabian American Oil Co. in the 1940s to a billionaire in the 1970s.

It pumps water from deep wells south of the capital Riyadh. When the water emerges from the ground, it is too salty. So the company uses its advanced ion-exchange equipment to remove the salts to the specifications of the Ministry of Health.

One section of the factory turns out the plastic bottles for the water. The plastic comes from petrochemical feedstocks manufactured at the big new Saudi industrial complex at Jubail, about 130 miles south of the Kuwait border.

"Just our company alone is supplying about 100,000 cases a water a week to the American soldiers," said a company official. "We have had to cut back our shipments to the southern part of the country and to some towns in the northwest. We also have some extra water because we used to sell water to Kuwait."

Each case of water contains 12 bottles, or enough to keep one soldier going for three days — provided he doesn't do much heavy work in the hottest part of the day. If he does exert himself at midday, one case will last two days or less.

The wholesale price for a case of water is about 10 riyals ($2.66), but guests who buy water by the bottle in a hotel often pay 6 riyals ($1.60) per bottle. The bottling company official said that he has had to increase the price of water by 1 riyal a case because he has to pay drivers overtime to keep his company's eight water trucks shuttling between the bottling plant south of Riyadh and the U.S. military water warehouses several hundred miles away.

South Carolina Guardsmen prepare for Saudi Arabia

EDITOR'S NOTE: The 265th Quartermaster Detachment of the South Carolina National Guard is one of the reserve units called up for possible duty in Saudi Arabia. National Writer Fred Bayles is following these 14 Guardsmen as they prepare for deployment overseas. To comply with security rules, the men's last names are not used.

By Fred Bayles

FORT STEWART, Ga. (AP) — Napoleon said an army marches on its stomach. But these days the 265th Quartermaster Detachment is treading a paperwork road on its way to the Mideast.

There's record-keeping to bind the tiny unit of 14 guardsmen over to the regular Army: forms for new dog tags, forms for new green Army identification cards to replace their red South Carolina National Guard IDs, forms to draw their first Army pay.

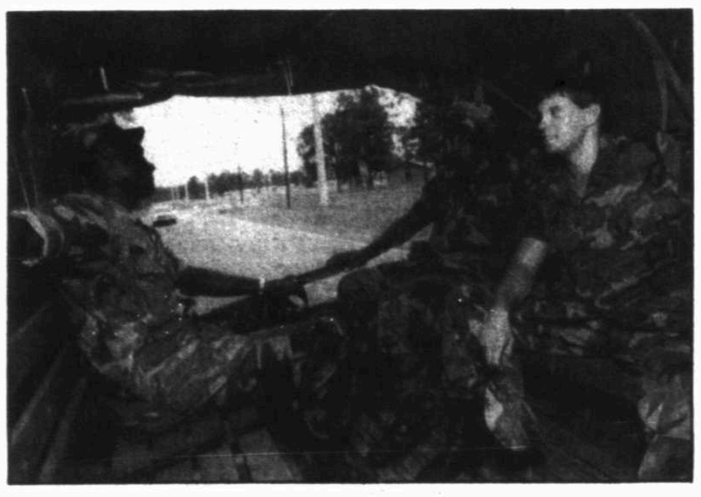
More ominous is the business of preparing for overseas deployment: The paperwork for inoculations against typhoid and meningitis; fittings for new gas masks; instructions to the Army on where to send their belongings if they don't return.

"I'm having them send my stuff to my mom and dad," Mark, a 20-year-old college student, said with an uncertain shrug.

But even these grim reminders of their mission are muted by the boredom that accompanies each stop.

Some doze while waiting on the long wooden benches, paying little attention to CNN news reports droning from the television suspended over the waiting area.

A general is telling reporters in Saudi Arabia the triple digit temperatures of the desert are dropping and U.S. soldiers may be wearing field jackets on chilly nights. But the men of the 265th aren't listening as they go back out into the moist heat of Georgia in August and on to their next stop.



AP Laserphoto

Eulysses, left, Edward, center, and Mark, are members of the South Carolina National Guard's 265th Quartermaster Detachment that was activated at Fort Stewart, Ga.

The unit, which specializes in water purification, was put on alert last Sunday, a move that placed it in the regular Army. On Wednesday the unit traveled from its hometown of Allendale, S.C., to this huge Army base near Savannah to begin training for deployment.

Little was said Friday, through the heat and boredom, about their eventual destination. Instead, they razzed each other, particularly Mark, the youngest member and the only white in the otherwise all-black unit.

"You better watch it over there in the desert," someone warned. "You're going to come home as dark as us."

A solution was suggested. Mark should wear his chemical warfare clothes at all time to avoid a sunburn.

Another favorite joke: Mark's decision to leave his prized red sports car with his girlfriend, who quickly rolled up 600 new miles on the odometer.

"Hey, don't worry about it," said Bill, a veteran of 17 years in the Guard. "If she put 600 miles on in two days, you know she didn't have any time to fool around on you."

Among those laughing was Henry, who retired in June after 25 years of teaching. At a gentlemanly 51, he is the oldest in the unit. He was 34 when he joined and probably will stay until he has to leave when he turns 60.

"I always wanted to be in the Guard," he said. "I couldn't for a long time because it was hard for blacks to get in."

Westerners discreetly hold church services

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Church services were held quietly for American soldiers Sunday despite this country's ban on the practice of religions other than Islam.

The services, conducted by chaplains from all military branches, were held in mess halls, tents and in big warehouses. Soldiers said they were well attended.

"There are no atheists in foxholes," said Capt. B.A. Arnold, an Air Force chaplain from Cannon Air Force of Clovis, N.M. "The pressures of the military tend to force people to ask questions about the meaning of life and death."

The military has gone to great lengths not to draw attention to the services. Notices of times and places are sometimes posted discreetly on bulletin boards; other services are advertised by word of mouth.

The military is not alone in circumventing the ban. The Western community holds a Christian service on Fridays — the traditional day off in Saudi Arabia. The oil company Saudi Aramco, which has thousands of foreign employees, also has Christian services on its private compound.

U.S. officials said they do not want to offend the Saudis. "We do respect the laws of the host country," one Pentagon official said.

The rule of thumb is: "Don't flaunt it; Don't try to convert the Moslems," Arnold said.

Some Americans said they were advised not to bring Bibles to Saudi Arabia or to hand out religious literature. But many people carry Bibles with them, and religious literature is handed out among Marines.

A Saudi official said his government is prepared to let people worship as long as they are discreet. The U.S. troops are kept isolated from the Saudi society.

Pentagon officials said the religious needs of more than 60,000 military troops deployed here will be met, regardless of whether they are Christian, Jewish or Moslem.

The 82nd airborne from Fort Bragg, N.C., for instance, scheduled nine services at its desert headquarters Sunday. All were for Catholics or Protestants, with the exception of one Mormon service.

"Officially there is no religion allowed or practiced in Saudi Arabia other than Islam," said Jonathan Rice, a U.S. Consulate spokesman.

Americans said the potentially dangerous military situation combined with loneliness and physical hardships have caused them to find solace in religion.

Army Pvt. Preston Suminguit says he goes to church "every chance I get." The 20-year-old Cleveland paratrooper pulled from the pockets of his fatigues three things he carries with him at all times: a book of psalms and proverbs from the New Testament; the "Paratrooper's Faith," a collection of religious teachings, and the liner to his father's Green Beret.

Airman Ty Worthington, 21, of Base City, Mich., said the practice of religion is sometimes kept out of sight.

The chaplains sometimes don't tell the troops about impromptu services until the last minute, he said. "The services are unseen, unheard ... sometimes in the back of a supply warehouse."

Even though "the locals don't like us practicing our religion," Worthington said faith plays a big role in the lives of many men and women.

The chaplains do a lot of one-on-one work. They handout mail, give out cookies and offer a few words of encouragement.

"I haven't met a paratrooper who is an atheist," said Sgt. Derrick White of Patterson, N.J. "When you are jumping from an aircraft at 2,000 feet you believe in God."

Deaths hard on reservists

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Reservists with the 68th Airlift Squadron at Kelly Air Force Base are struggling to deal with the loss of seven members of their unit in last week's plane crash as they prepare for their role in the Mideast Crisis.

Master Sgt. Santos Castillo, 33, a flight engineer originally from Laredo and now living in San Antonio, said the death of good friend Edward Sheffield in Tuesday's crash was "hard to take."

"His family requested that I be a pallbearer, but it's hard with the call-up because I could be here today and gone tomorrow," Castillo said, tears streaming down his face.

"I'm on my way out to a mission now. This incident doesn't quite help," he told the San Antonio Light.

Three pilots, two flight engineers, two loadmasters and two crew chiefs from the San Antonio-based 433rd Military Airlift Wing were killed in West Germany on Tuesday when their C-5 cargo aircraft went down shortly after takeoff from Ramstein Air Base.

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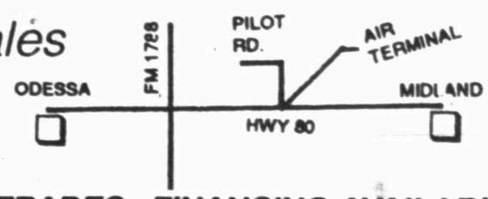
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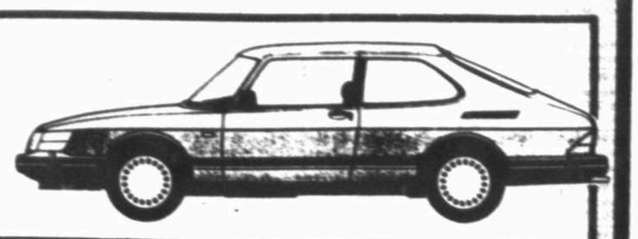
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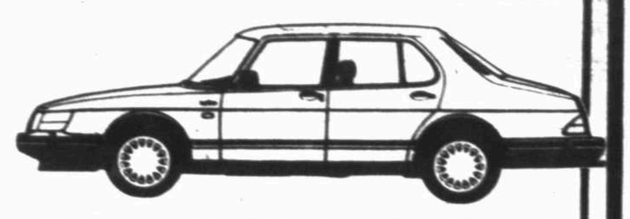
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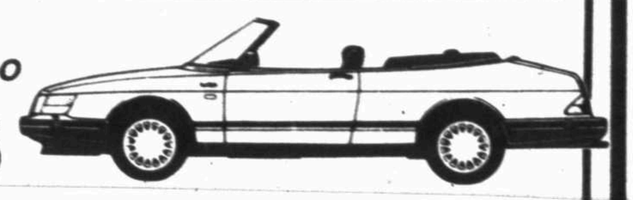
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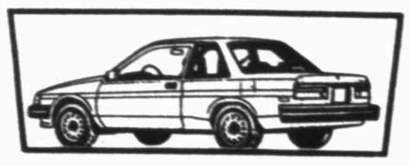
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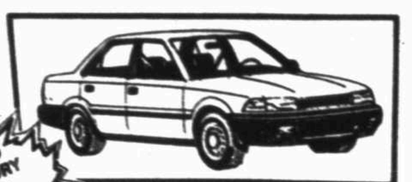
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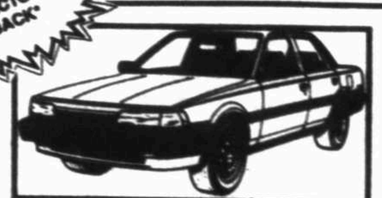
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Apartment leasing experience preferred. Professional appearance, good communication skills. Some computer experience necessary. Apply at Thornwood Apartments, 2601 N. A.

MATURE individual needed to live-in and care for 3 year old in Odessa. Cooking, cleaning. Non-smoking woman preferred. Separate apartment. Requires drivers license and references. Call 337-3044.

BOURBON ST. Exciting new restaurant and bar now hiring all levels of staff. If you have a positive attitude, and are eager to work for Midland's premiere night spot, please apply in person from 9 am- 10 am, or 2 pm- 5 pm, at #9, Plaza Center.

H2S Supervisor, experienced, non-smoker, permanent position, Pasadena, Texas. Send resume: 5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 2275, Houston, TX 77046 or call 713-963-8446.

LABODEGA RESTAURANT

Now taking applications for
DAY BAR STAFF
Apply in person after 6 p.m.
2700 N. BIG SPRING

NOW hiring waitresses. Apply in person, Holiday Inn Country Villa, 4300 W. Hwy 80, see Polly.

TV TECHNICIAN

Immediate opening for technician. Minimum 3 years experience in TV & projection, VCR & audio experience a plus. Liberal commission, insurance, paid vacations.

FOLGER'S SUPERSTORE
#25 Village Circle
Please apply in person

COOKS- experienced line cook and buffet cook. Must apply in person, Greentree Country Club, 4900 Greentree Blvd.

EXPERIENCED receptionist/ assistant for optometrist's office. Resumes and applications to Texas State Optical to Midland Park mall.

MANAGER, Assistant Manager Trainees and Full-time Clerks need. 8 hour shifts, $4 per hour. Apply in person at E-Z Mart, 2210 N. Big Spring.

HELP wanted. Shake roofing crew to relocate. Good money. 2 years work. 1-800-937-6637.

THE MIDLAND HOLIDAY INN

is now accepting applications for experienced

• BANQUET WAIT STAFF

Flexible hours and excellent pay for dependable people.

Apply in person ONLY to the
SALES OFFICE
HOLIDAY INN COUNTRY VILLA
4300 W. HIGHWAY 80

NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS
FOR ONE EXPERIENCED
AUTO TECHNICIAN
G.M. EXPERIENCE PREFERRED

Benefits Include:
PAID VACATION HOSPITALIZATION
PAY INCENTIVE UNIFORMS
LIFE INSURANCE

APPLY IN PERSON TO:
BOB SMITH, SERVICE MANAGER

Jack Sherman
Geo CHEVROLET SAAB
694-9601 4100 W. WALL 563-0214

ATTENTION

College students, housewives, secretaries and anyone tired of their present job

Do you want an opportunity to make a lot of money while only working 6 hours a day? We guarantee $1,200 per month (potential $4,000 monthly), car allowance, clothing allowance, and paid vacation to the men and women who are willing to give themselves a chance and qualify. Don't disqualify yourself. No experience necessary. All you need is the right attitude. Apply in person only,

Tuesday Sept. 4th, 2 p.m. Room A
Holiday Inn Center
Ask for Mr. Sherrill
Absolutely no phone calls.

APARTMENT COMMUNITY
HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

for responsible, qualified people. Excellent earning potential for qualified persons looking for good future with fast-growing management company.

•Property Manager
•Assistant Manager
•Head Maintenance
•Assistant Maintenance
•Make Ready Person
•Grounds Keeper

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WE ARE now accepting applications for fuel attendants. Apply in person between 8 am - 4 pm, Monday - Friday. 2400 S. Loop 250 W., National Truck Stop.

DRIVERS WANTED at Domino's Pizza. $4 per hour, plus tips and mileage. Must be 18 years old, have valid license and current insurance. Apply at 2215 N. Midland Dr. NO PHONE CALLS.

THE MIDLAND HOLIDAY INN

is now accepting applications for qualified, experienced

• BANQUET BAR STAFF

Apply in person ONLY to the
SALES OFFICE
HOLIDAY INN COUNTRY VILLA
4300 W. HIGHWAY 80

NEED responsible care giver, to care for 6 month old in my home. Transportation and references a must. Call 687-0981.

EXPANDING RAPIDLY

Do you have that same old day to day job? Are you seeking an opportunity of a lifetime for a lifetime? Investigate how you can determine your success with no competition. We will train you at our expense, no investment required of the potential of $2,000 per month bonus. Sounds outrageous to you? Save your time and ours. The opportunity is here in Odessa, TX.

Apply in person only
Room A, Holiday Inn Centre
Odessa, Tues. Sept. 4
2:00 p.m. SHARP
Ask for Mr. Sherrill

BRAVO-1 SECURITY SERVICE INC.

has openings for full and part-time security patrol officers, commissioned and security guard officers, non-commissioned. Also someone with state commission with supervisor ability to supervise while working regular hours. Pay scale is $4 - $5 per hour. Regular raises every 90 days for commissioned patrol officers.
CALL 563-1356
between 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Monday - Friday

311 Medical Help Wanted

LVN needed for 8 - 5 position working with MR clients. Experience helpful but not required. Call 694-8351 or 694-2403.

PART-TIME Insurance Clerk with computer skills. Mansfield Chiropractic Center. Phone for appointment, 682-2527.

DIRECTOR OF NURSING

Avalon Place in Odessa has an immediate opening for an RN to serve as Director of Nurses. Experience as a D.O.N. in a skilled facility is desirable. Excellent benefits and salary are offered to the right applicant. Salary open and based on level of experience.

If you are a RN, currently registered, please contact:

The Administration at Avalon Place
3800 Englewood Lane
Odessa, TX 79762
or call 362-2583.

SURGI-CARE OF MIDLAND, INC.

is accepting applications for the following positions:

• MEDICAL SECRETARY/ TRANSCRIPTIONIST

Full-time position, Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m. Excellent benefit package and salary depending upon qualifications.

• RN RECOVERY ROOM NURSES, PRN
• RN CIRCULATORS, PRN
• RN SCRUB, PRN

Send resumes to:

SURGI-CARE CENTER OF MIDLAND, INC.
3001 W. ILLINOIS, #5A
MIDLAND, TX 79701

RN/LVN

Seeking a motivated RN or LVN for surgical office in Odessa. OR experience helpful, however, willing to train. Position offers Chanllenge and autonomy. Enjoy hours Monday- Friday, 8:30 am- 5:00 pm. Excellent benefits, including health, dental, life insurance, profit sharing, tuition reimbursement, paid vacation/ sick time. Interested personnel contact:

Gennie, 1-800-442-6802 (in Texas)
1-214-828-0377 EOE

312 Professional Help Wanted

CAD

Seeking individual with AutoCAD background & sincere desire to advance in drafting career. Work consists of survey & general civil drafting. CAD education & math aptitude necessary.

SURVEY AIDE

Immediate openings for experienced survey crew members who have the motivation & desire to expand his/her experience & knowledge into the field of land surveying.

JOHN WEST & ASSOCIATES
1401 West Wall
Midland, Texas 79701
Interviews will be scheduled after a review of completed applications.

ACCOUNTANT

Southwest Royalties, Inc. has an opportunity for Accountant with approximately 5 year's experience to join a team with an agressive oil company. Accounting operations consist of:

Partnerships, FCC filings, audits, revenue accounting, JIB, etc. Position available has emphasis on oil & gas revenue and Ad Valorem taxes. Send resume in confidence to:

ACCOUNTANT
P.O. Box 10801 Midland, 79702

MOBIL COMMUNICATIONS TECHNICIANS

Qualified candidates will have experience with 2-Way VHF and UHF radio systems, Analog and Digital microwave and multiplex systems, PABX and Key telephones including AT&T System 75/85, Data-DTE, DCE, Multiplexers, controllers, and PC's, supervisory control and data acquisition equipment.

Technical degrees, oilfield experience, and FCC license are desirable. Candidates should be self-motivated and capable of working without direct supervision in field or office locations either on or offshore. Positions available in Alabama, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas and California.

Send resume in confidence to:

MOBIL PIPE LINE COMPANY
TEC DEPARTMENT-ROOM 1621A
P.O. BOX 900
DALLAS, TX 75221
Equal Opportunity Employer

LOAN REVIEW

WANTED: a detail oriented computer literate person with a minimum of 2 - 3 years experience in Loan Review and Compliance. Degree required. Must be self-motivated and work with little supervision. Good communications skills essential.

APPLY IN PERSON AT:
CLAYDESTA NATIONAL BANK
#6 DESTA DRIVE, 2nd FLOOR
MIDLAND, TEXAS

Equal Opportunity Employer FDIC INSURED

311 Medical Help Wanted

AUTUMN HILLS has an openings for CERTIFIED MED AIDES, must have license, dispense medication, 3 to 11 pm shift. Salary DOE. Apply at 2806 Arrowhead Trail. 694-8351 or 694-2403.

MIDLAND FAMILY PHYSICIANS, P. A.

is seeking qualified
LVN or RN
for part-time position.
Please call 699-7927
to arrange an interview.

R.N.s needed for 3:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m. shifts. Excellent benefits, above average pay. Shift differential. Please contact Jo Ann Merkel, R.N., D.O.N., or Jim Bullard, Hospital Administrator, Mitchell County Hospital, 1543 Chestnut Street, Colorado City, TX 79512, (915) 728-3431.

REGISTERED DIETICIAN
Full time position available at a Psych C.D. Facility. Send resume to:
RIVERCREST HOSPITAL
1636 HUNTERS GLEN
SAN ANGELO, TX 76901

LVN Join the Long Term Care Team at Rockwood Manor. new salary structure with excellent base wage and substantial shift differential. Vacation benefits and group insurance available. Call Tom Killingsworth- 2000 North Main- 686-1898. EOE.

ANGEL NURSES
Coming to Midland and Odessa very soon.

IF YOU ARE a certified Medical Transcriber and would like to work from you home - Call 699-0311, Monday - Friday, 8 am - 5 pm.

PARKS GOOD SAMARITAN VILLAGE

Everyone is someone. If you are interested in becoming a part of our team, the following positions are currently available: Nursing assistants, all shifts. Please call 563-3707 8 am- 5 pm, Monday through Friday. EOE.

312 Professional Help Wanted

JUMBURRITO has immediate opening for an energetic and experienced Manager. Submit resumes to: P.O. Box 5397, Midland, TX 79704.

CHEMIST. Position available. Must have experience. Send resume to PO Box 1163, Midland, TX 79702.

PARAMEDIC or EMT position available. 2215-A Louisiana or call 686-0709.

ESTABLISHED
High quality CPA firm (PCPS member) has professional staff opening and an excellent future for an aggressive CPA or near CPA with up to 5 years experience. Please send resume and salary requirements to McKinney, Friesen & Fritschy, P.O. Drawer JJ, Carlsbad, NM 88220.

ESTIMATOR for established general building contractor in West Texas. Resume to Box 3827, Odessa, TX 79760.

CHEMIST for quality control in Odessa. B.S. Degree in Chemistry required. Shift work. Must speak fluent English and be a U.S. citizen. Please send replies to BOX L-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

FACILITY PRODUCTION OPERATOR.

Immediate vacancy for productions technicians in Alaska. The qualified applicant must have a minimum of 5 years experience as a process operator in an oil field refinery or chemical plant. Experience with gas turbans, compressors, and centripitical pumps required. The employee will work with numatic and electronic control systems, and familiarity with control computer systems. Water flood and gas lift operations is desirable. Knowledge of safety procedures in a hydrocarbon environment is a must. Work schedule will involve shift work located at Prudhoe Bay, Alaska. Forward resumes to Pouch 340014, Prudhoe Bay, Alaska, 99734. or FAX to (907) 659-2254.

EXPERIENCED DISPENSING OPTICIAN needed in Midland. Contact lens experience desired. Competitive salary and benefits. Call Marty Seller, 367-5116. Eye-20 Optical; 155 SE Loop 338, Suite 200, Odessa, Tx. 79762-9747.

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN wanted for Managerial position in Midland. Send resume to: Electronic Tech Applicant, P.O. Box 9157, Midland, TX. 79708.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

POSITION Available for computer technician. Military or associate degree required. Knowledge of Dos, PC hardware, plus Peripherals, a must. Multiple OS and networking a plus. Salary DOE. Send resume to P.O. Box 8437, Midland, 79708.

NATIONAL Publishing House needs writter with college degree, preferable English or Journalism major, to design catalogues and assist with customer relations. Knowledge of Desk Top Publishing useful. for a challenging career in the educational microcomputer software field, send resume to Gemco, Box 1911, Big Spring, Texas, 79721. EOE.

PERMIAN BASIN COMMUNITY CENTERS for MHMR has immediate openings for a full-time and a part-time registered nurse. Must reside in Ector County. Excellent benefits. Salary Negotiable. Please contact Anne Plumlee at 3701 N. Big Spring, Midland, Texas. E.O.E.

FIRST CITY TEXAS - MIDLAND

ENERGY LOAN SECRETARY

Two plus years of secretarial and administrative experience is required for this position in the energy division. Responsibilities include preparing loan applications, collateral documentation, correspondence and customer relations. The successful candidate will be a self starter with excellent communication skills, typing of 60 wpm. and word processing capabilities.

PART TIME COLLECTOR

Energetic, assertive individual with good communication skills is needed to assist existing staff in the loan collections department for 20 hours per week. Duties will include working with customers and loan officers to solve past due status. Some field and outside collection activities will be required. The successful candidate will possess at least 2 years of business education.

First City Texas Midland offers excellent salary and benefits program. Please apply in person between 1 and 5 pm at:

Human Resources Office
Tower I, Third Floor
500 W. Texas
Midland, Texas

EEO/M/F/H/V

DEGREE REQUIRED. Nutri/System, a leader in weight loss, is offering an opportunity to join our team of healthcare professionals. If you are a positive and motivating person, interested in helping clients reach their goals, call Karen at 697-3088. Part time. EOE.

ACCOUNTANT. Oil well drilling company seeking individual with hands on experience. Send resume including salary history to Accountant, P.O. Box 10847, Midland, Texas, 79702.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

TEMP TIME TEMPORARY SERVICE
★ ★ ★ 687-1545 ★ ★ ★
Call for an appointment

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST: Full-time position. Computer experience & typing necessary. Salary DOE. Company benefits. Send resume to P.O. Box 2641, Midland, TX 79702.

RECEPTIONIST

Busy physician office needs friendly, outgoing person in greeting patients and speaking on the phone. Send resumes to

Personnel
P.O. Box 50217
Midland, 79710.

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If you have at least 6 months experience please call
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316 Clerical Help Wanted

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

For independent oil operator has clerical position available. Should have experience in data entry, bank reconciliations, spread sheets. Must be an accurate typist, professional and a non- smoker. Please leave resume at 1404 W Wall, or call 683-5451.

320 Sales Help Wanted

Tired of Low Pay
And a Boring Job

Get out and meet interesting business leaders and make more money. As a Sales Executive you get a salary and commission.

Start a new interesting career.

Send resume to

Box L-17
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

EOE

Excellent earning potential. Sales oriented, fashion minded person wanting to earn above average income. Salary/Commission arrangement. Profit sharing plus other excellent benefits. Apply to manager in person.

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COURTYARD

316 Clerical Help Wanted

TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

position available with independent oil company. Responsibilities include: Engineering, Geological, & Production Technical support, sub-surface library work required, Railroad Commission forms, AFE's. 2-3 years experience necessary. Wordprocessing experience a plus. Non-smoker. Send resume to: #1 Marienfeld Place, Suite 580 Midland, TX 79701, Attn: Sandy

RECEPTIONIST: Employment opportunity available with well established Midland Independent Oil Company. Responsibilities include answering phones, greeting guests, wordprocessing. Non-smoker. Send resume to #1 Marienfeld Place, Ste. 580, Midland TX 79701, Attn: Sandy.

329 Sales Help Wanted

FACTORY Rep. needs experienced sales associate for outstanding plast, production and environmental products. Straight commision. Call 683-5181.

EXPERIENCED OUTSIDE OILFIELD SALES PERSON, REQUIRED. MUST HAVE SALES EXPERIENCE TO FIELD PRODUCTION OFFICES, PRODUCTION PERSONNEL AND/ OR OIL AND GAS PLANTS. MOTIVATED INDIVIDUAL WANTING TO GROW WITH THE DYNAMIC OIL INDUSTRY LEADER, SEND RESUME, SALARY HISTORY TO: SALES MANAGER, PO BOX 10665, MIDLAND, TX 79702.

PHYSICIANS MUTUAL INSURANCE Co. looking for area agents. Top commissions, bonuses, free leads. 1-800-759-7041.

SALESPERSON position available with small oilfield manufacturing company. Company benefits and salary DOE. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 2641, Midland, TX, 79702.

EXPANDING nationally accredited technical school is adding to its Admissions staff. Prior experience in school sales & degree preferred. This is not a Counseling position. Qualified applicants are invited to submit resumes or call:

AVALON
Vocational-Technical Institute
4241 Tanglewood, Odessa, 79762
563-9000/ 362-2622

COMMISSION SALES: Full or part time, 915-685-3435.

TELEMARKETING Sales Person needed day and night sales. Top commission pay. Contact Don, 699-7130.

SALES: RETAIL/ FUND RAISING

$700 - $2,000 weekly. Immediate openings to manage our retail store & school fund-raising accounts. For immediate income & advancement, call. TOLL FREE:

1-818-783-8291

OPENING for salesman to market AT&T 1 plus, Travel Card, 800 and 900 numbers. 687-6980.

$25,000 - $40,000

Company needs marketing rep. Will train. Part time or full time. 1-800-666-9246, call 8 am - 7 pm.

MANAGER: Minimum 2 years retail experience required, flexible hours. Only qualified need apply. We offer benefits, competitive salary. Please call 699-0336. EOE

CAREER IN REALESTATE? If You're willing to work hard, and believe in the importance of good customer service, we may have a place for you. We have openings for 3 licensed sales people, (new or experienced). For more information call First Realty, Better Homes and Gardens, 689-7700 ask for Connie Powell.

RETAIL/ PART-TIME

KELLY-MOORE
Paint Co.

LOOKING FOR A WEEKEND JOB.

Or for a job that offers very flexible hours during the week?
KELLY-MOORE PAINT COMPANY has a part-time opening for a motivated individual who likes working with people.
The successful candidate must be friendly, have good communication skills and be able to assist in unloading and loading of merchandise. We offer flexible hours and competitive wages...plus the opportunity to work into a Full-Time Inside Sales position if desired.
Prior retail experience preferred but not required. We will train qualified candidate.

APPLY IN PERSON; CONTACT
KEVIN RODGERS,
STORE MANAGER
#1 DELLWOOD MALL
MIDLAND, TX 79701

E O E, M/F

330 Situations Wanted

PUPPET shows for birthday parties. Call David 682-9701/ 689-9438.

NEED a maid? Honest, reliable lady will clean your home with a "personal touch". 699-5943.

COMPUTER programmer desires to write custom programs for small businesses or individuals. Call James, 694-1317.

DEGREE ACCOUNTANT seeking temporary position through December, 8 years experience. Call 684-7063.

340 Child Care

YELLOW ROSE CHRISTIAN HOME, 24 hour care with 3 meals & snacks. Maid/ laundry service. All new furnishings. Safe, secure home. 689-0139/ 687-5869.

340 Child Care

REGISTERED child care in my home for ages 2 and up. Open until 9 p.m. Dellwood area. 694-6575.

BABYSITTING. West side area. Any age. Reasonable rates, by the day or week. Call 694-4778 or come by 4713 Storey, drop- ins welcome.

HAPPY, Christian registered home, now has openings available. Hot meals, snacks, fenced yard, lots of fun and learning provided. 689-6876.

WOULD Like to keep your children after school. Live in Henderson and Jane Long area. 694-8053.

AFTER school care available, will pick up Parker Elementary students. References upon request. 694-6141.

NANNY/ Housekeeper. Need loving/ mature person, Christian woman preferred, to care for newborn in my home, Monday - Friday. Must speak English, have own transportation, non-smoker and have references. Call 699-1139.

STUDENT will babysit after school/ weekends in Lee/ Rush area. Good rates. Call Amy, 697-6238.

GROUP day care. All ages. Breakfast, lunch and snacks furnished. Lots of fun and activities. Large play ground. Call 694-2734.

WILL babysit in my home. Ages 3 - 4. Midland Drive/ Illinois/ Midkiff vicinity. Call 694-5183.

WOULD like to babysit in my home, ages 2 - 5 years old. Call 682-6813.

WILL babysit in my home, Monday-Friday, 2 to 5 year olds. Have references. 697-6245.

GRANNY'S Playhouse. Openings for 18 months - 3 years. Full time, weekdays. 6:30AM - 5:30PM. 4406 Thomason. 694-0104.

REGISTERED Christian home has openings. Hot meals, snacks. Nice yard, large playroom. Activities. CPR. 687-1509.

WANTED Part-time baby sitter, to watch 3 small children in my home, non-smoker, hours vary, 697-1437.

WILL babysit in my home. 3 openings Monday- Friday, 6 a.m.- 6 p.m. 694-1917.

340 Child Care

INFANTS ONLY. Licensed hom The most important decision you will ever make for that one important person in your life, please call Jan, 694-6808.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

WANTED: Pick up kindergartener from Rusk at 11:00, Monday - Friday. Child care, light housekeeping, my home until 6:30 p.m. Non-smoker with dependable transportation and references. 694-3827.

REGISTERED home has openings for ages 3 and up. Hot meals and snacks provided. Near downtown. Call 682-9133.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for teachers, full and part-time positions available. Apply in person between 8 am and 5 pm at GOODE BEGINNING, 1321 S. Goode St.

NEED A loving, mature person, Christian woman preferred, to care for 7 month old baby in my home. Mornings only, Monday - Friday. 689-8454.

NEED INDIVIDUAL to care for 8 month old baby girl in my home. References required. After 5 p.m. call 685-0989.

PREFERRED woman/ student to babysit 7 year old in my northwest area home. 2:30 - 5:30, 3 - 5 days a week. $200 monthly. Call 694-4554, evenings.

NANNIE/ housekeeper, Monday - Friday, 8 am - 6 pm. Must have references. Call 687-2046.

CARE giver needed for 8 month old in my home, 7:30 am - 4:45 pm. Light housekeeping, references. 697-0774, weekends or after 5 p.m. weekdays.

350 Business Opportunities

MAJOR US Corporation going MLM. Ground floor opportunity with exciting unique product. Call Mike or Daisy at 689-8607.

UNLIMITED income. It's real! 560-5234. Twenty-four hour recorded message.

CHANGE your career. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited day, weekend, evening courses. Southwest College, 683-4555.

BEAUTY Shop for sale, 9 stations, established clientele, good location. Contact Linda, 699-4937.

WESTERN Schools is offering classes to obtain/ update your real estate license; locally owned, 682-4045.

Cocktail Table-type, coin-operated video games, for sale, lease or will place them in your business establishment for 50-50 split of income. 686-7817.

HILL COUNTRY BUSINESS LOCATORS, P.O. BOX 426, MARBLE FALLS, TEXAS 78654. 1-800-628-5321.

LOCAL Business looking for invoice factoring 30- 60 days, up to 5%, $40-$80K line of credit needed. Factoring on qualified accounts. P.O. Box 74, Midland, TX 79702.

VENDING ROUTES
Your answer to extra income. Must sell. High Traffic locations, up to $1,000 per week income possible. Minimum investment $6,000 required. 1-800-822-2466.

TWO tanning beds, and ballons and candy confection business. Interested inquiries only. 684-4212, Monday through Friday 8 am- 5 pm.

Merchandise

400	Auctions	460	Antiques & Art	510	Office Supplies
405	Garage/Yard Sales	470	Musical Instruments	520	Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies		
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	540	Building Materials
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	550	Portable Buildings
440	Firewood	495	For Free	560	Machinery & Tools
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	570	Oilfield Supplies
		505	Livestock - Poultry	580	Farm Equipment

400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG AUCTIONEERING
Business Liquidations, Estates, Antiques, Autos. (915)561-5133

CLASSIC CAR AUCTION
Consign now for prime space
Classic Car Warehouse, 686-0743.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

BIG SALE! K- Dee Resale. Back to school clothes: Men, women, children's. 713- A Mata Drive, 10:00- 5:30, Monday- Saturday. 683-8154.

TRADE Village Flea Market Indoor, 2905 Rankin Highway, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

OPEN FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY. 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM. GARDEN CITY HIGHWAY FLEA MARKET. ½ MILE EAST OF I-20 ON HIGHWAY 158. Furniture, antiques, tools, dolls, lots more.

Good used china hutches, electric ranges, electric dryers. New and used bunk beds, living room sets, dinette sets, recliners and bedding. Excellent selection of used chests, headboards, bedding, all sizes.

JOHN'S SWAP SHOP
600 E. FLORIDA
683-7872

307 S. EISENHOWER. All day Saturday - Monday. Clothes, toys, housewares, appliances, canning setup, freezer, more.

2409 SHANDON, SUNDAY 1 - 5 p.m. & MONDAY 8 am - 5 pm, Newly-wed sale! lots of stuff! furniture, dishes, clothes...

LARGE garage sale. 2400 Cimmaron. Furniture, small appliances, microwave, Strat-A-loungers, sofa, bed, linens, dishes, miscellaneous. 8 - 5 Saturday, 1 - 5 Sunday, 8 - 12, Monday.

3901 MONTY. Multi-family garage sale. Clothing, furniture, toys, appliances. Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, 7 - ?.

6402 SHAWNEE, Sunday, 1- 5, Monday, 10- 5. Furniture, clothes, etc.

GARAGE Sale. Monday only, 207 N. Glenwood. Couch, 2 chairs, lots of goodies.

PRIVATE estate sale. Items on display with appointment at Lutheran Social Service of Texas, 2303 W. Wall, Suite 220, Midland, Texas, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. September 4th, 5th and 6th. Items include jewelry, silver, luggage, crystal, art work, porcelain. Bids taken. 915-682-6130.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

SEVERAL 2½ acre lots near Greenwood schools. Will sell/ trade for something of equal value. 689-6464.

WANT TO BUY Oriental wood carvings. Also, any marble or stone sculpture, especially figure & head. 684-8222.

REDWOOD HOT TUB with heater/ pump/ filter. Used 6 months, excellent condition, $950. Call 687-0122.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

SUNTANNA tanning bed, 24 bulb, with approximately 254 hours, timer, excellent condition, $1,200 or best offer. 563-0235, or 362-9700.

OFFICE Desk, $80; 2 office chairs, $30 each. Stripping vat, $100. Call or leave message, 685-1887.

CUSTOM-MADE bar with designer sink, mirrors, 5x8'. Beautiful! $850. Call 684-0824.

KING size incomplete bed. Two years old. Excellent condition. $200. Call 683-5900.

FOUR piece park quality playground equipment, Merry-go-Round, 4 person see-saw, dome, swing, $700; tumbling mat, $50; 1 ct. total weight diamond ring, $700. 697-6476.

Electric 3-wheel car. Handicap features. Fun to DRIVE. New over $3,000. SALE/ $875. 697-3777.

NINTENDOS - Starting at $10.62 Per Wk, $4,000 instant credit - 682-7921 - 2305 N. Big Spring.

HALL antique table/ mirror, drop leaf dining table/ four matching chairs, custom tablecloths/ table pad, end table, elegant wall lamp, folding rocker, chandelier, Blue Bonnet painting, pedestals/ figurines (all in excellent condition). Also two fur stoles/ two fur coats in good condition. Call 694-7585, after 6 pm weekdays or leave message anytime.

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