

Joyful noise

Popularity of Christian music is booming as production value, lyrical content continues to strengthen./1C

Favorite out

Coronado's Quest, who had been the 2-1 early favorite, will not race in the Preakness on Saturday at Pimlico./2B

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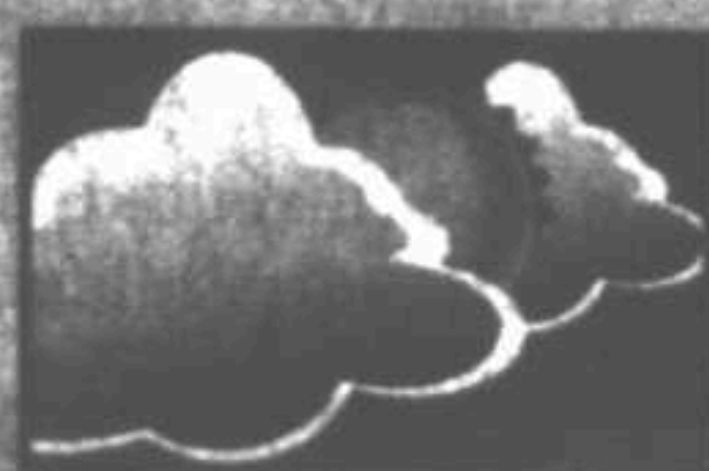
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A.M. BRIEFING

TODAY

Partly cloudy with high near 90. Weather on 2A



Celebration

The annual Celebration of the Arts is 10 a.m.-6 p.m. today and noon-5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for children under 12. The event includes arts and crafts and food booths, entertainment and a free family performance, "Tale of the Dog," sponsored by the Best family, set for 4 p.m. Sunday.

State health alert

HARLINGEN (AP) — The gray gunk lingering in the sky was still giving Texans scratchy throats and watery eyes Friday. But a state official said that any health problems from the haze would probably disappear when the smoke does.

"We don't expect any long-term effects from this," said Laurel Carlisle of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission's Toxicology and Risk Assessment section. "What we're actually concerned about is the potential for acute effects."

That's what prompted state health officials to issue a health alert for the whole state in effect through noon Monday.

The alert urges people with health problems like respiratory or heart ailments to limit their physical activity and remain indoors if possible.

"(The haze) could exacerbate those conditions," Ms. Carlisle said.

The haze, which has also drifted into Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Mississippi, and Oklahoma, is the result of more than 9,000 fires in Mexico since January.

The fires were started by farmers clearing land for planting, although some have also been blamed on arsonists. On Thursday, Mexico accepted the United States' offer to help fight the fires.

"We cannot and will not ignore the impact the fires in Mexico are having on the citizens of Texas," Vice President Al Gore told workers at the Lockheed-Martin factory in Fort Worth, where he was visiting to celebrate the \$7 billion purchase of 80 F-16 fighter planes by the United Arab Emirates.

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Midlander receives Mother's Day gift on national TV show

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Her Mother's Day present arrived several days late, but long-time Midlander Edith "Puff" Aycock didn't mind.

The mother of three was one of five honored just before Mother's Day by the "Live with Regis and Kathie Lee" program's "Mom's Dream Come True" celebration. Her gift was a Ford Windstar minivan. A letter written by her daughter, Terry Ensign, won her the prize.

It was presented to her this week at the Rogers Ford dealership in Midland.

"It was a complete surprise," Mrs. Aycock said. "Terry called that Wednesday and said she had won a trip to New York from 'Live With Regis and Kathie Lee' and I had to go with her. I asked when we would leave, and she said 'At 6 a.m. Thursday.'"

"Of course, I didn't want to go, but I did. On Friday morning we went to the program and I still thought Terry was getting something; I had no idea it was for me. There were a lot of mothers and daughters there, and we were seated in a special area. When the program started, I got the idea this was a mother-daughter thing. Then they read the letter."

Mrs. Aycock said she thought the letter from her daughter — who is married and has two children of her own — was "touching and sweet. I'm very touched that she did this."

Mrs. Ensign, 46, wrote how her mother has devoted herself to her two daughters: Terry, who was injured in a car accident at age 16 and is a quadriplegic; and Judy, 40, who is mentally disabled.

Please see MOTHER/5A



Midlander Edith Aycock sits in the new Ford Windstar van that she won in the "Mom's Dream Come True" contest from the "Live With Regis & Kathie Lee" show.

Curt Wilcott
Reporter-Telegram

Chinati Mountains brush fires



Austin firefighters relax, above, on Marfa's courthouse lawn Friday after driving all night Thursday to help battle the brush fire in southwest Presidio County. The firefighters, part of the Travis County Central Texas Task Force aiding local agencies, were waiting for their heavy equipment to arrive from the capital. Forest Service trucks inch their way over rough ranch roads, left, to bring men, water and supplies to battle the brush fire that threatened ranches southwest of Marfa Friday. The blaze, which started May 6, has burned up to 60,000 acres of this remote West Texas region.

Kes Gilhorne
Reporter-Telegram

Winds, rough terrain prevent quick solution

By Rick López
Staff Writer

MARFA — After a four-day battle against a 10,000-acre blaze in the Camp Wood hills, about 60 Texas Forest Service firefighters arrived in Marfa late Friday to face a massive blaze in south Presidio County.

The crew rode into the town of 2,400, and meet with other authorities at the city's Volunteer Fire Department, where they planned an attack against large grass fires scattered across the Chinati Mountains.

The mountains are located near the old silver-mining town of Shafter, 18 miles north of Presidio and 40 miles southwest of Marfa.

Though the crew had little sleep and was aching from a four-hour drive, they joined forces with the Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas National Guard and Texas Department of transportation to extinguish the fire, which consumed sun-scorched vegetation across a rugged two-mile stretch.

No one was injured and none of the structures sustained damages, authorities said.

At the height of Friday's efforts, firefighters saved the Godard Ranch house from a raging fire that started 3/4 of a mile from the compound.

The blaze, which traveled down the mountain, was stirred up by a 4 p.m. wind change that generated flames as high as 8 feet tall.

Though forest service firefighters had been in Marfa less than two hours they responded to the scene, conquering the fire on foot and by performing aerial water drops.

"For awhile we couldn't keep the fire from coming down," Marfa volunteer firefighter Mario Cordero said.

But a team effort between all agencies saved the compound from destruction.

"We had two or three tankers spraying it. The helicopter (pilots) did at least 20 water drops, maybe up to 50," volunteer firefighter, Lt. Raul Melendez said.

Another crew dug a six-foot-wide clearance around the ranch house and cut down trees that could have strengthened the flames.

Though the fire was contained by 10 p.m., approximately 100 forest service firefighters remained at the scene to put out smaller fires between the ranch and Chinati Peak. These fires smoldered all day and were invigorated by the wind.

"We were really thankful for the forest service," Melendez said.

Please see FIRES/2A

MISD officials reply to allegations made by CFR

By Richard Enos
Staff Writer

Midland Independent School District officials are responding to a local conservative watchdog group's accusations of poor student performance.

In a recent letter to the MISD board of trustees, Dick Bowdon with the Citizens for Fiscal Responsibility said that state figures show that MISD's TAAS test scores and other measuring marks were lower than average.

The letter concludes with the statement: "We request that Trustees raise academics to the top of their agenda, where it belongs, and finally begin to hold the administration accountable for MISD's lackluster performance."

mance."

The letter included a table comparing MISD statistics to five other West Texas independent school districts of similar size — Amarillo, Abilene, San Angelo, Lubbock, and Ector County.

It also compares MISD to six "size peers" with enrollments similar to MISD — Irving, Katy, Round Rock, Laredo, Humble and McAllen.

Bowdon, chairman of the CFR, told the Reporter-Telegram that his group simply wanted to put out the facts on MISD's performance.

"Our point is not that MISD is worse than average, our point is that MISD is in, as Dr. Baressi has said himself, the average range," he said. "Overall they are an average West Texas district. We don't think that's good enough. We're not happy with that. But we don't think they're worse than average at all."

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According to CFR figures, MISD's TAAS scores are low. For example, 70 percent of MISD students passed all TAAS tests taken in 1997; MISD tied with Ector County Independent School District for the lowest among large West Texas districts.

The letter reads: "MISD's TAAS scores are ... below the West Texas peer averages ... below the size peer averages, and ... below the state averages, across-the-board, without exception: lower for reading, writing and math, lower for all ethnic groups."

Please see RESPONSE/2A

'Chairman of the Board,' Frank Sinatra, dies at 82

By Michael Fleeman
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Above everything, there was The Voice.

Say what you will about the style and swagger, the women, money, fame, power, mob ties, the tastes and habits that long ago fell out of favor.

There was, and always will be, the light baritone, seasoned by age, flavored by whiskey and cigarettes, romantic, vulnerable, tough and completely original. It was the source of all of Frank Sinatra's power and greatness.

Late Thursday night, Sinatra died at 82, his wife at his side, in the emergency room of Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, after a heart attack. He had

been ill for more than a year.

The Voice fell silent — silent, but not silenced. There are too many records and signature songs — "My Way," "New York, New York," "Strangers in the Night" — too many TV shows and movies, too many memories, too lasting an imprint on American popular



Sinatra

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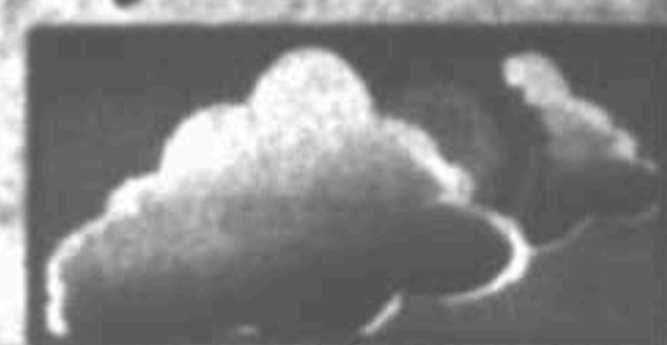
Heather Tenuto, 24, places flowers at the memorial plaque to Frank Sinatra at the spot where his house once stood in Hoboken, N.J., Friday. Sinatra died Thursday night. He was 82.

AP Photo

WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast



Today
Partly cloudy
High 90
Low 58



Sunday
Partly cloudy
High 95
Low 62



Monday
Partly cloudy
High 93
Low 64

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with less than a 20 percent of late afternoon showers. The high will be near 90 with winds from the southeast at 10 to 20 mph, according to the National Weather Service.

Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a less than 20 percent chance of showers in the early evening and a low in the mid-60s.

Sunday's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high in the mid-90s and a low in the 60s.

Monday's forecast calls for fair skies with a high in the 90s and a low in the 60s.

After an overnight low of 58, Friday's high was 87 as compared to the record high of 103 set in 1996. The record low was 40, set in 1967.

Yesterday's precipitation	Yesterday's temperatures
Rainfall Friday	High
Rainfall Thursday	Low
Total for month	Normal high
Total for year	Normal low

Sunrise 6:51 a.m.

Sunset 8:40 p.m.

United States temperatures

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 8:30 p.m. EDT.	Lo	Pre	Out
Atlanta	88	67	cdy
Austin	90	76	cdy
Boston	88	66	cdy
Chicago	88	64	cdy
Cincinnati	87	67	cdy
Dallas-Ft. Worth	87	76	cdy
Denver	88	68	cdy
Houston	89	70	cdy
Las Vegas	79	55	clr
Memphis	85	72	clr
Nashville	84	66	cdy
New Orleans	90	70	cdy
New York City	84	53	clr
Pittsburgh	88	56	cdy
San Francisco	64	51	cdy
Seattle	57	46	m
Tulsa	85	67	cdy
Washington, D.C.	86	54	cdy
Wichita	76	61	cdy

DEATH NOTICES

Rose Brininstool

CARLSBAD, N.M. — Rose L. Scheuer Brininstool, 86, of Carlsbad, N.M., mother of Midlander Joe Brininstool, died Wednesday, May 13, at a Carlsbad hospital.

Services are to be 10 a.m. today, May 16, at St. Edward Catholic Church with the Rev. Noel Kramer officiating. Burial will follow at Carlsbad Cemetery in Carlsbad, N.M., under the direction of Denton-Funchess Funeral Home.

She was born March 25, 1912, in Brookston, Ind.

She lived in Ochoa and Jal, N.M., before moving to Carlsbad in 1960. She was an elementary teacher for many years and taught in San Simon, Albuquerque, N.M., Mentone and Carlsbad. She was active in CDA, Altar Society, Secular Franciscan and AAUW.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Brooks Brininstool, Oct. 31, 1985.

Other survivors include three other sons, Edward Brininstool of San Angelo, Carl Brininstool of Austin, and Brooks Brininstool Jr., of Carlsbad, N.M.; two daughters, Rose-

mary Hinde of Capitan, N.M., and Bernadette Brininstool of Carlsbad, N.M.; 16 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Ralph Ross

LUBBOCK — Former Midlander Ralph Ross, 90, of Lubbock, died Thursday, May 14, at a Lubbock hospital.

Services are to be 2 p.m. today, May 16, at Franklin-Bartley Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. Chris Sutton officiating. Burial is to follow at City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 24, 1907, in Pecan Gap.

After living in Midland for 47 years, he moved to Lubbock in 1995. He operated Ross Garage & Welding in Midland. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by one daughter and a grandson.

Survivors include his wife, Effie (Blair) Ross of Lubbock; two sisters, Mildred Ebling of Roanoke, Ill., and Gertrude Tumlin of Weatherford;

OBITUARIES



Levi Watson

Services for Mr. Levi B. Watson will be held Saturday, May 16, 1998, at Greater St. Luke A.M.E. Church with the Rev. L.C. Cooper officiating. Services will be under the direction of Jackie Warren Funeral Home.

Levi B. Watson was born November 28, 1926, in Milam County. He was the oldest of five children born to Levi and Iza Lee Watson, who both preceded him in death. At an early age, he joined Cross Road Missionary Baptist Church. Levi completed his high school education in Colvert and later entered into the Army. After leaving the Army he moved to Abilene, Texas, for a few years and later to Midland, Texas, in 1962. He

was employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for 30 years.

He leaves to cherish his memories, Mable Flowers of the home; one brother, Milton Watson of Midland, Texas; two stepsons, Lonnie and Gregory Flowers of Midland, Texas; one half sister, Evelyn Watson of Fort Worth, Texas, and four aunts as well as a host of relatives and friends.

Margaret Foster

Margaret Leslie Foster, 95, died May 14, 1998. She was born in Clinton, Iowa, May 21, 1902, to Grace and James MacGregor Leslie. She married Dr. Warren Henry Foster on December 25, 1927.

Mrs. Foster attended schools in Clinton, Iowa, and graduated with a B.A. degree from the University of Iowa, where she was affiliated with Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. She was a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church of Midland, Texas, and a member of the W.O.W. of that church. She was a lifetime member of the First Baptist Church of Clinton, Iowa, D.A.R., Agatha Hospital Auxiliary, Progress Club, the Benevolent Society, and Gold Star Chapters. She was a member of the Chapter G.D. of the P.E.O., Sisterhood of Midland and Chapter H.V. of Clinton, Iowa.

Margaret Foster was preceded in death by her husband; a son, Lt. Charles Leslie Foster and a sister, Catherine L. Iten. Survivors include a daughter, Catherine Stump and son-in-law, Richard Stump; grand-

children, Mary Fry (Phil), Martha Johnson (Jeff), Ellen Stauffer (Ken) and Charles Stump (DeDee); and six great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 16, 1998, at Trinity Presbyterian Church. Burial will follow in Clinton, Iowa. Memorials may be made to Trinity Presbyterian Church, 2800 W. Louisiana, Midland, Texas, 79701 or Hospice of Midland, Inc., P.O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas 79701 or First Baptist Church, Clinton, Iowa.



Kathy Montgomery

Kathy Montgomery was born September 19, 1944, in Brownfield, Texas; to E.B. and Jetta (Lowe) Shewmake. She was reared in Odessa and attended Odessa High School. After graduation, she attended Sul Ross University. Mrs. Montgomery has been employed in the banking industry for 30 plus years, including American Bank in Odessa and Boatmans Bank in St. Louis. She then returned to Midland, where she was employed at Nations Bank as a consumer banker. She attended Episcopal Church in Big Spring.

She is survived by her husband, Everett Montgomery of Midland; her son, Robbie Collins of Katy, Texas; her twin daughters, Amy Collins of Corpus Christi and Julie Collins Clark of London, England; her mother, Jetta Shewmake of Midland; her brother, Jack Shewmake, of Clyde, Texas, her brother, James Shewmake of Austin, Texas; her grandchildren, Kristin Ashley, Lauren Marie, Kathryn Elizabeth, Robyn Leighan, all of Katy; and her nieces and nephew, Tracey, Stacey, Shane and Mickie.

Funeral services have been scheduled for 4 p.m. Saturday in the Ellis Chapel with the Rev. James E. Liggett officiating. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa.

The family requests memorials be directed to SPCA, 15 Kerry Road, Midland, Texas 79703.

RESPONSE: Baressi says teacher salaries must be higher to attract applicants

(From 1A)

Superintendent Joseph P. Baressi Jr. said the CFR's figures are probably accurate but leave out important information. For example, the TAAS test scores for MISD may look low, but the district exempts fewer students than other districts.

"I don't think it is a total picture," Baressi said.

Joe Cummins, executive director for administrative services, said the state allows special education and Limited English Proficiency (LEP) review boards to exempt students from taking the TAAS.

For the 1997 TAAS test, districts statewide exempted on average 8.9 percent of their students, Cummins said. MISD exempted about 4.8 percent.

Baressi said the students eligible for exemptions often do poorly on the TAAS.

"Everybody will agree that we exempt fewer students ... fewer than the state average," he said. "You'd have to know the exemption rates of other districts to know if we're better or worse."

Bowdon said exemptions should-

n't be an issue. The TAAS scores were designed to compare district performances with each other and with the state averages.

"If MISD is not following the same procedure with other districts for exempting students, they should be," he said. "We should be able to use those figures. If other districts are cheating on the rules then we should call them on it."

The letter also criticized the district for low minority test scores. According to the data, 46 percent of African-American students passed TAAS tests, ranking last among West Texas districts, and 52 percent of Hispanics passed, also last.

Again, Baressi said the district tests more minority students. "Definitely as it relates to Hispanics, we test a higher percentage. We have significantly more LEP students in our (state information) data."

Baressi added that nationally normed tests like the California Achievement Test and Terra Nova show that MISD students do well. The SAT test also shows that MISD students have a mean score of 1027, above a West Texas average of 1017.

"Norm referenced tests clearly

show we're about 23 percent above average (nationally)," Baressi said.

The TAAS, Terra Nova and SAT must be taken together to show the whole picture for MISD, he said. Together, they paint a positive picture.

There is other CFR data that is skewed, Baressi said. Bowdon's letter states that "MISD spent 3.2 percent less than the West Texas peer average, or \$14 per student. Does the administration argue that spending \$141 more would bring our performance up to our peer averages?"

Baressi said the \$141 average adds up for the district. It's another case of not including information.

"He implies that a \$141 per student average is not significant. When you multiply that by 23,000 students you get \$3.2 million per year. I would think parents in Midland would think that is significant," he said.

The superintendent added that the other West Texas districts receive federal money for federal employees with children and that's not included in state information.

"Midland and Odessa don't have

that," he said. "We don't have an (Air Force) base, a Pantex nuclear weapons plant. Our money is everything we spend."

The letter also states that "MISD's percentage of employees who are teachers, at 50 percent, is the lowest among West Texas peers," he said.

Baressi said that many other districts have privatized their departments and have fewer non-teaching staff. MISD's departments are all public, MISD recently voted to keep its bus system public after considering privatizing it.

"They have private transportation, custodial, maintenance and food service," he said. "That drives (the percentage) down."

The letter also states that "our dropout and attendance rates are both next-to-last in West Texas, and much worse than our size peers."

MISD's 1997 dropout rate was 2.7 percent, above the state average of 2.4 percent. MISD's average attendance rate for 1997 is 93.7 percent, below the state average of 95.1 percent.

Baressi said the data is accurate, although he believes the 93.7 percent attendance rate is not substantially lower. The dropout rate

needs to improve, he said.

"It's lower than Ector's, it's above the state average," he said. "No question it's higher than we want it to be."

Bowdon's letter points out that MISD teacher salaries average out to \$31,862, which is above the West Texas average of \$31,553.

Baressi said recent calls for better teacher pay are because MISD and ECISD have more problems attracting and retaining teachers than Amarillo, San Angelo, Abilene and Lubbock. The University of Texas at the Permian Basin doesn't provide enough teachers compared to schools like Angelo State University and Texas Tech.

"We have greater needs than what we can fill," he said. "Our starting salaries are not enough to attract the quality teachers that we feel we need."

In general, Baressi said the district does a good job.

"We're certainly wanting to improve and are working hard to improve," he said. "I think our teachers and students do well on the whole."

FIRES: Winds spread flames faster than Marfa firefighters could keep up

(From 1A)

"Just six or seven of us have been on our own since last week," Cordero added. "They've helped us a lot."

Authorities traced the fire's origin to a May 5 controlled burn at the Cibola Creek Ranch, said Doug Crabtree, DPS Emergency Management coordinator.

Gusty winds spread the flames across the Chinati Mountains valley and the surrounding area, causing smaller fires to sprout all over the region, he said.

As of Friday, the blaze had consumed about 60,000 acres in its path and came close to destroying the radio tower on Chinati Peak. The tower is used by several law enforcement agencies in the area, including the U.S. Border Patrol and DPS.

In comparison, the 1988 blaze at Yellowstone National Park ravaged 100,000 acres of land, District Forester Brad Smith said. He and hundreds of other firefighters responded to that disaster.

Marfa fire officials sought help from the DPS Emergency Management office Wednesday night after they exhausted their resources during the six-day battle, Crabtree said.

The Marfa firefighters tried controlling the disaster on their own, but gusty winds spread the flames quicker than the crew could keep up with them, he said.

Though the rescue team's manpower doubled Friday, only a few firefighters were utilized in a plan to keep the blaze from reaching Godard Ranch, a small compound tucked in a range 22 miles west of U.S. Highway 67.

Four helicopters — including a Chinook and three Nighthawks — took turns emptying a 500-gallon water bucket over flames that came within a quarter mile from the ranch. Each "water dump" can cover a 50-yard radius, depending on the slope of the mountain and the helicopter's speed, Smith said.

"It's most effective when you release the water along the fire line," he said.

Throughout the day, dozens of water haulers, some with 500-gallon capacity, ventured over a steep winding path leading to the Godard ranch house. The route was inaccessible to some of the larger and heavier vehicles that tried making it to the scene.

The water tanks were conveniently stationed outside the ranch, where fire trucks were on stand-by

for emergency calls.

Ranch hands built a break around the compound by burning the grass and weeds that surrounded it, leaving nothing but blackened dirt for the traveling flames to feed on.

Firefighters with 10-gallon water backpack sprayers combed the mountain for smaller fire patches that could be contained. Others equipped with backhoes, bulldozers and shovels cleared breaks around the blaze in hopes of containing it.

The helicopters loaded their collapsible reservoirs with water pumped from farming tanks in Presidio and Marfa — a task that took up to a couple of hours to accomplish. At one point, the helicopters were draining more water from their 2,000-gallon pond quicker than it could be replenished.

Up to 100 forest service workers — including mechanics, cooks and volunteer coordinators — could be called to the scene by this morning, Smith said.

As of Friday evening, the forest service and other agencies were forming a master plan to squelch the churning blaze in sections. Resources and manpower will be distributed according to which area has the most fire and heat concentration, Smith said.

"We'll try to get a feel of what's being threatened and prioritize the sections by importance," Smith said. "This is no small undertaking. We have to use our resources wisely."

The Fire Department's cramped quarters forced dozens of area and state firefighters to seek shelter under shady pines on the courthouse lawn. Up to five firemen bunked together in a single hotel room because of a shortage of lodging in the area.

Marfa Fire Chief Bob Johnson

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 9-5-0

Cash Five

AUSTIN (AP) — The Cash Five winning numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 6-9-14-24-33

recalled the last major blaze in the area — a 1,000-acre inferno sparked by a lightning bolt that struck Cibola Creek in 1996. Unlike the current catastrophe, the smaller one took only two days to extinguish.

"It's been tough trying to break this one," Johnson said. "I'll be glad when it's over."

TODAY'S FUNERALS

Laureano Bustillos
9 a.m. Our Lady of Guadalupe
Margaret Foster
11 a.m. Trinity Presbyterian
Kambou Sioukrath
1 p.m. St. Nicholas Episcopal
Kathy Montgomery
4 p.m. Ellis Chapel

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India declares self a nuclear power, after week of tests

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — India proclaimed itself a nuclear weapons state Friday, its prime minister saying India has the ability to build "a big bomb." Such a weapon would place this sprawling, unruly democracy in the same exclusive league as the United States and other world powers.

Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee's declaration was a startling escalation in a week in which his nation defied world opinion. Governments around the world answered India's five nuclear tests on Monday and Wednesday with immediate economic sanctions.

"India will not be cowed down by any such threats and punitive steps. India has the sanction of her own past glory and future vision to become strong — in every sense of the word," Vajpayee said Friday in an interview with India Today magazine, according to a transcript of his remarks.

The initial transcript, released by the prime minister's office, quoted him as saying: "We have a big bomb now for which the necessary command and control system is also in place."

Later, the government backtracked. Vajpayee's office provided a revised transcript that had the prime minister saying only that "we have the capacity for a big bomb now."

The magazine revised its own copy in accord with the government's new version. It refused public comment.

G. Balachandran, an Indian nuclear researcher, estimated India had fewer than 10 weapons ready to be assembled and mounted on warplanes or missiles.

The Washington-based Institute for Science and International Security said in March that India had stockpiled enough weapons-grade plutonium for perhaps 78 bombs.

"We live in a world where India is surrounded by nuclear weaponry," Vajpayee told India Today. "The world community should appreciate the fact that India, the second-most populous country on earth, waited for five decades before taking this step."

India is believed to be at least 10 years away from a reliable delivery system but it has tested ballistic missiles with the range to hit major targets in neighboring Pakistan and China, India's main rivals. China, a declared nuclear power, is believed to have shared weapons and other expertise with Pakistan.

Nuclear expert David Albright said Vajpayee's statement suggested that India has been pursuing weapons for years, despite its calls for global nuclear disarmament.

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MOTHER: After show, group toured New York City

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and lives at home.

She also has a son, Steve, 43. Judy is self-sufficient physically, and does a lot for herself; there's some things she can't do mentally," Mrs. Aycock said.

Mrs. Ensign requested the new minivan for her mother, Mrs. Aycock explained, because "she drives a modified van that was about to fall apart so my sister and I bought her a new van. Of course I needed a new car, but that (was put) on hold so that's why I'm getting this van."

The two women were accompanied to New York by Mrs. Ensign's 16-year-old daughter, Mrs. Ensign and her husband also have an 18-year-old son.

Attending the program, she said, was quite an experience. "Kathie Lee is beautiful, and Regis is very nice, and (producer Michael) Gellman ... if you've never seen a program put together, it looks very organized but let me tell you it gets pretty hectic."

After the program, the three toured New York. "We were accompanied by my granddaughter, so this is what we saw. The Nike Tower - it's awesome - the original Levis place

and FAO Schwartz," she said.

After Terry was injured in the car accident, Mrs. Aycock cared for her until Terry moved to Houston to a rehabilitation hospital, which is where she met her husband.

"The doctor said it was the first time he'd had a quadriplegic carry a baby full-term," the proud grandmother said. The Ensigns moved to Magnolia two years ago.

She acknowledged that caring for two disabled daughters was a bumpy road, but "my faith got me through it. You have to have faith, and a sense of humor. You also have to take things a day at a time," she said.

Mrs. Aycock has served on the board of the Midland Association for Retarded Citizens, is active at the Cerebral Palsy Center and active in the school system. She said she has always been inclined toward community service, but wouldn't have been quite as involved if it weren't for her daughters.

She was born in Cross Plains, the daughter of a Methodist minister, who also served as president of McMurray University



Midlander Edith Aycock and her daughter, Terry Ensign, appeared on "Live With Regis & Kathie Lee" May 8.

and Texas Wesleyan University. The family moved a lot and she said she feels that she grew up in Roswell, N.M.

She met her husband, Cecil, while attending Southwestern University, where he was in the Navy ROTC. He earned his degree at the University of Texas and served a year in the Navy. The couple married in 1946, and Aycock went on to receive a degree in geology from the University of Oklahoma. They came to Midland in 1949, where their three children were born and raised.

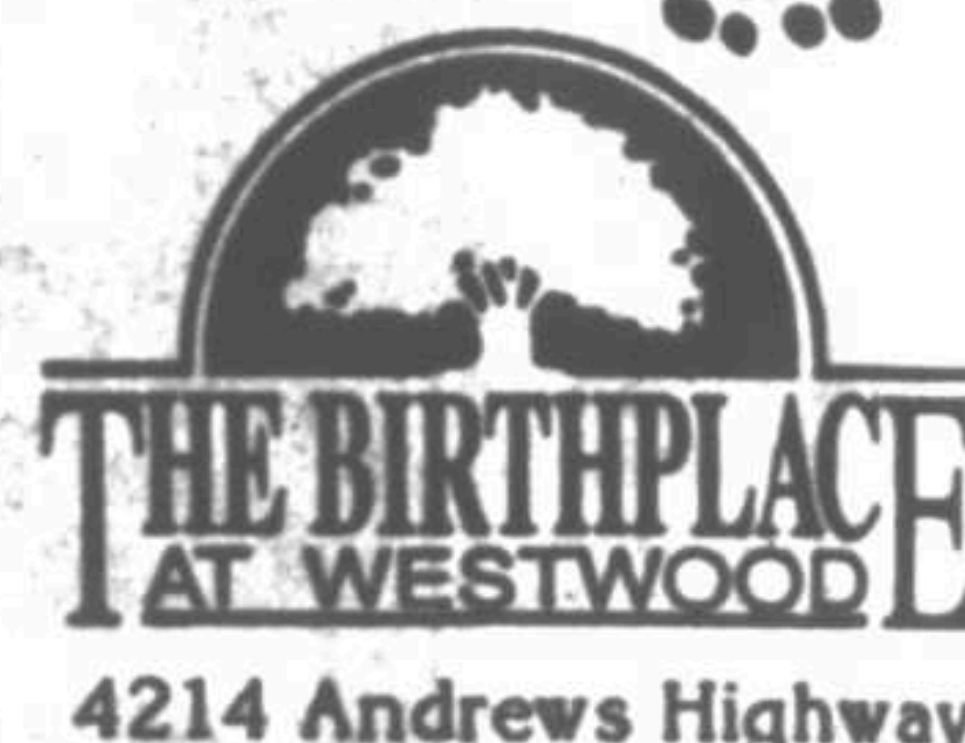
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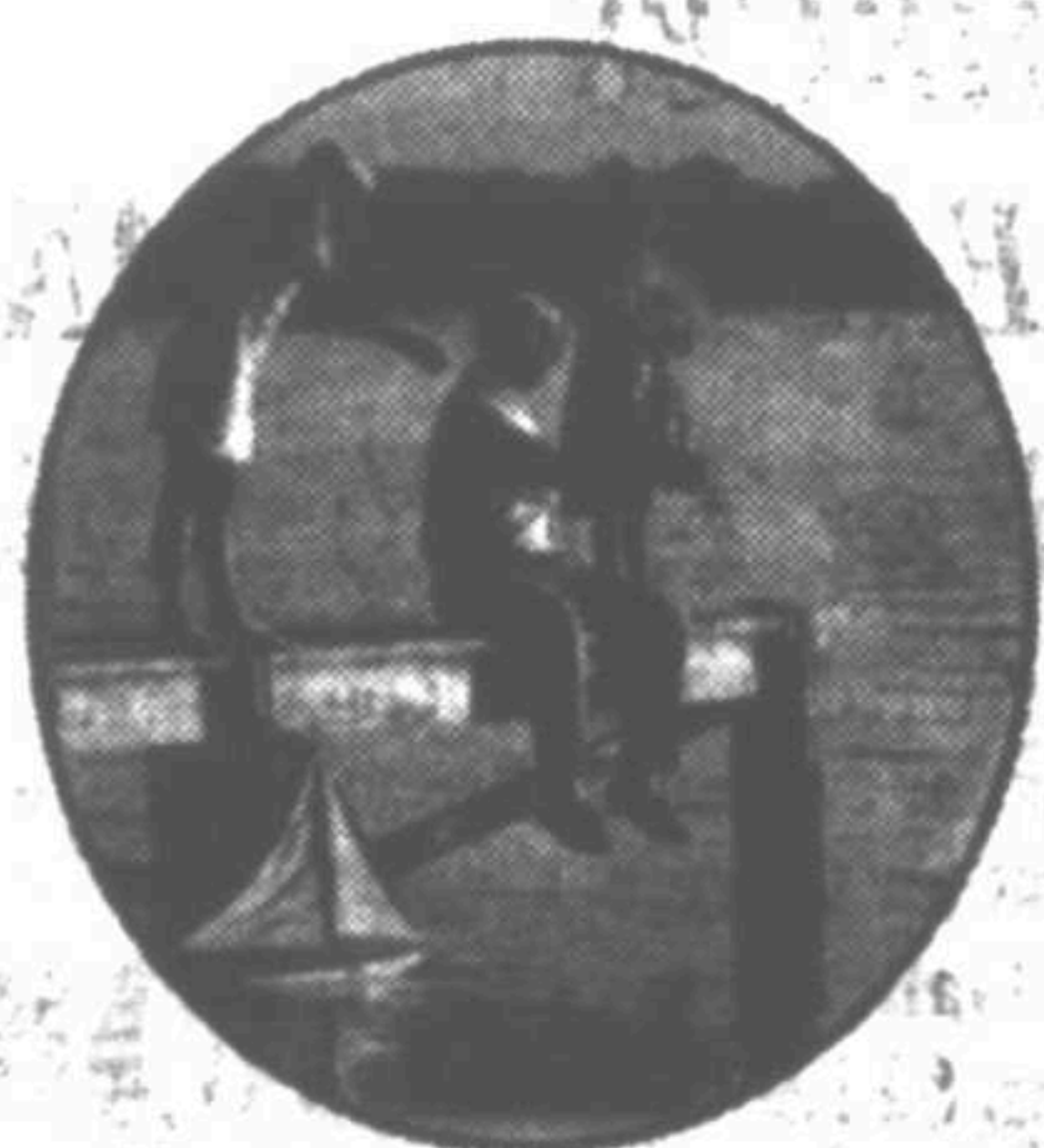
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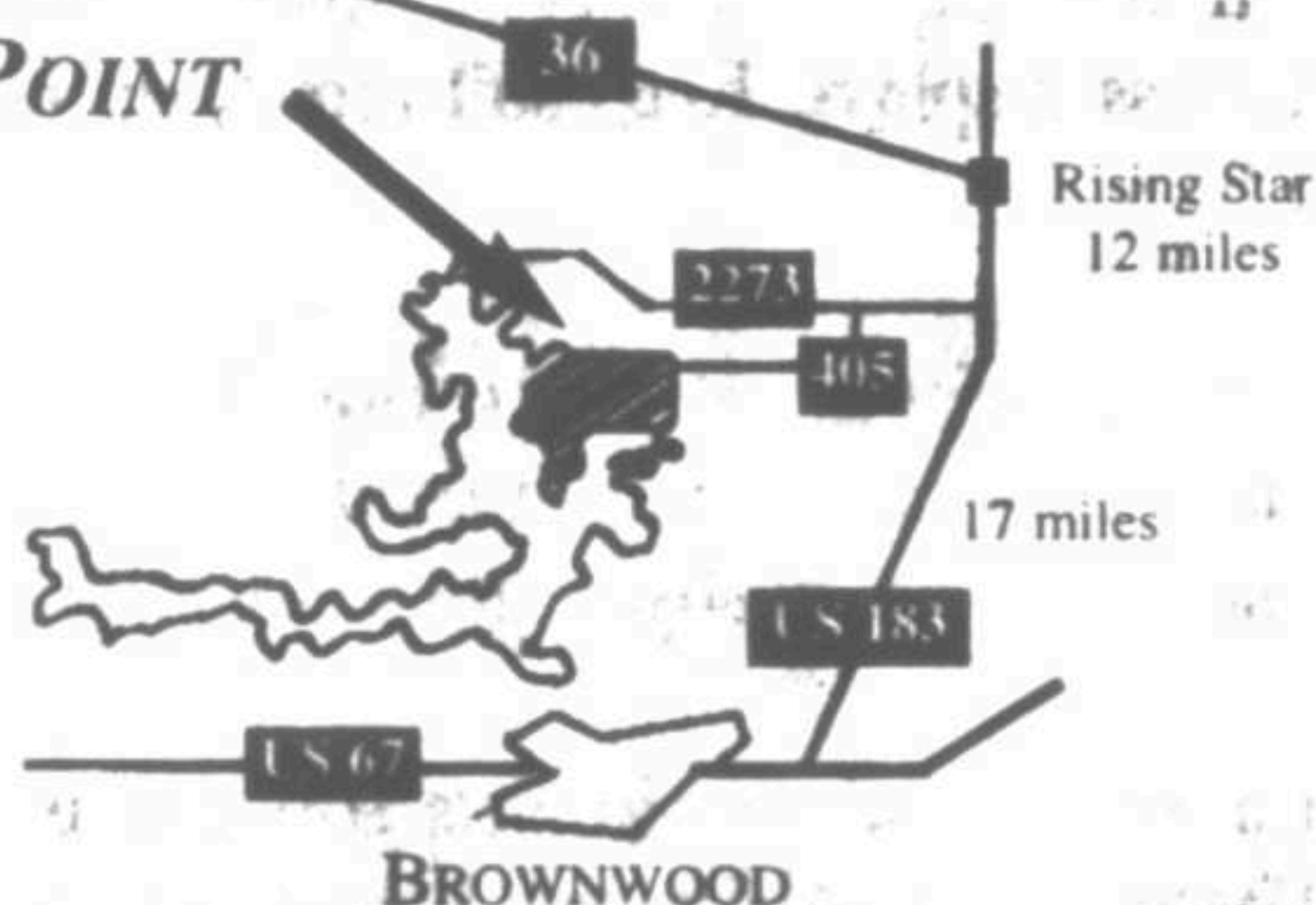
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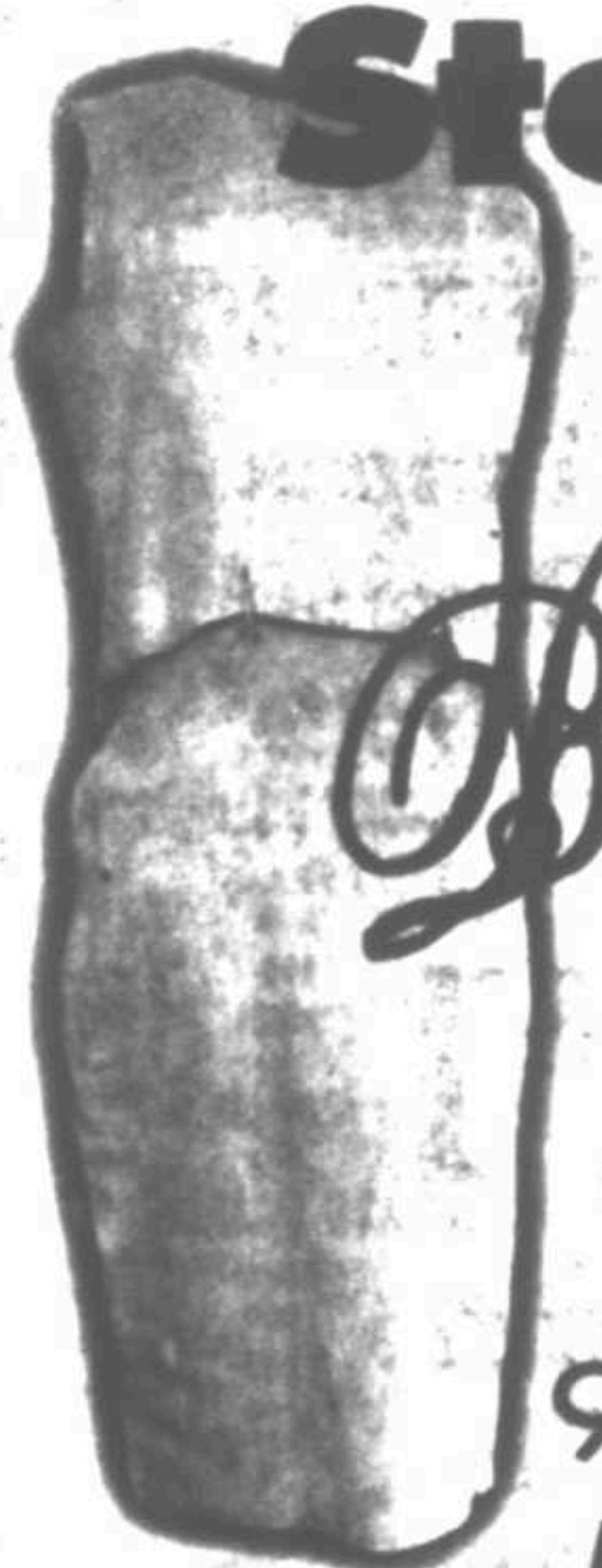


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SINATRA: Joey Bishop last living member of 'Rat Pack'

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culture. It is not an overstatement to say that Sinatra was the biggest name in show business, his appeal spanning three generations, from baby boomers to Gen-Xers, from Tommy Dorsey to U2's Bono. He was the Chairman of the Board and Ol' Blue Eyes. It was a success that would come in spite of — or perhaps because of — a colorful, contradictory personality and humble New Jersey roots.

For each story of Sinatra's punching or insulting someone, there was another of loyalty and generosity to friends and strangers. Those who knew him spoke of the deep insecurity behind the brash exterior, a big ego under a thin skin, a thug with the soul of an artist. Others just thought he was a jerk.

"Frank Sinatra was a true original," entertainer Mel Torme said. "He held the patent, the original blueprint on singing the popular song, a man who would have thousands of imitators but who, himself, would never be influenced by a single, solitary person."

His songs were classics and crossovers: "Night and Day," "Young at Heart," "One for My Baby," "How About You?" "Day by Day," "Ol' Man River" and "Come Fly With Me." With daughter Nancy he recorded "Somethin' Stupid," a No. 1 smash during the rock era. In the '90s he teamed with modern pop stars on the "Duets" albums.

His movie credits included musicals — "Anchors Aweigh," "On the Town," "Guys and Dolls," "The Tender Trap," "High Society," "Pal Joey" — and grittier fare, such as "The Manchurian Candidate," "The Man With the Golden Arm," and his comeback picture in 1953, "From Here to Eternity," for which he won the Academy Award as supporting actor.

And for several incredible years that brought the late 1950s into the '60s, the cultural planets aligned and the Rat Pack was born, led by Sinatra. It was a glorious, boozy, smoky, stylish, sex-filled male fantasy, hip then, retro-hip now, amoral, inexcusable, unforgettable, and documented in such films as "Ocean's Eleven" and "Robin and the Seven Hoods."

Frank, Dean, Sammy and Peter are all gone now. So's their playground, the Sands Hotel, demolished in 1996 to make room for a bigger, modern hotel. Only Joey survives. As does The Voice.

The first popular singer to use breathing for dramatic effect, Sinatra also learned to use his microphone to enhance his voice. He used pauses to help tell a story. His phrasing — hitting certain words to make them more meaningful — was more like jazz phrasing.

Francis Albert Sinatra was born Dec. 12, 1915, in a working-class neighborhood of Hoboken, N.J., in a house whose remains are now a local landmark, identified by a plaque.

He may have said he lived his life his way, but he entered the world

the hard way, his left earlobe torn off during the delivery, his precious throat scarred by forceps. The doctor thought at first that he was stillborn; his grandmother shoved him under cold running water to revive him.

Sinatra's father, Martin, was a boxer and member of the fire department and his mother, Dolly, a nurse, is still as much a legend in the mile-square city across the Hudson River from New York City as her famous only child.

Foul-mouthed and loud, Dolly would become a major player in local politics. She would also spoil her son. But young Francis would grow up tough and lead a neighborhood gang.

In 1933, Sinatra heard Crosby and became determined to be a singer, but not a Crosby copycat. Singing first with bandleader Harry James in 1939, then switching to Dorsey a few months later, the skinny, hol-

low-cheeked kid shot to stardom, making big-selling records and scoring magazine covers.

Sinatra, classified 4-F during World War II, because of a punctured eardrum, kept piling up the hits. But it wouldn't last. As the 1940s ended, Sinatra's career ebbed.

Links to the mob were alleged, a vocal cord hemorrhage left him unable to sing for 40 days, record sales declined, and a romance with Ava Gardner ended his marriage to Nancy Barbato, the mother of his three children — Nancy, Frank Jr. and Christina.

By the time he wed Miss Gardner in 1951, the singer who had earned some \$1 million a year had been cut loose by his agents. His tempestuous marriage to Miss Gardner ended in 1953.

His salvation came in the form of a movie: "From Here to Eternity," in which he portrayed Pvt. Angelo

Maggio. He won the Oscar, was back on top of the charts by the end of 1954, and, by 1957, ABC guaranteed him \$7 million on a three-year contract.

He was again breaking box-office records by the end of the 1950s and was head of the Rat Pack: Dean Martin, Joey Bishop, Sammy Davis Jr. and Peter Lawford.

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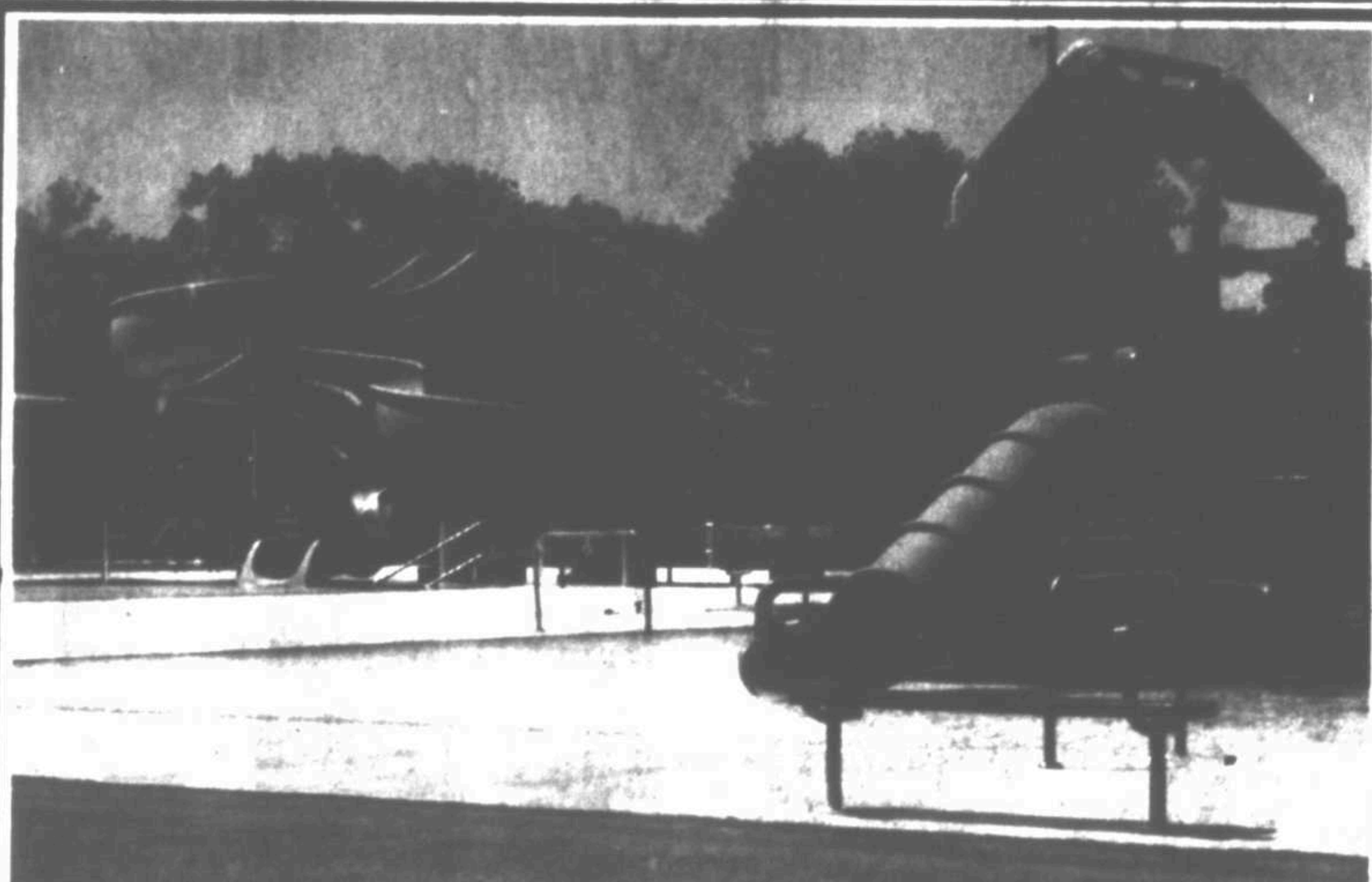
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Microsoft showdown may alter computing — or not

NEW YORK (AP) — If the government ultimately gets its way against Microsoft, the result could profoundly alter how people use personal computers, letting them buy machines with features from other software makers.

But the big emphasis is on the "if," industry experts said Friday. Any future changes hinge on last-minute settlement negotiations between Microsoft Corp. and government lawyers, and whether the ongoing talks head off threatened antitrust lawsuits against Microsoft next week. Even if legal action ultimately is successful, major computer changes are a long shot.

"The immediate goal is to prevent Microsoft from snuffing out existing competitors," said Warren Grimes, a former Federal Trade Commission lawyer who is a professor of antitrust law at Southwestern University School of Law in Los Angeles.

"Over the longer term, the goal is to open up the market so that others could have access to it."

Under their most ambitious sce-

nario, Justice Department lawyers now in talks with Microsoft want to make it easier for computer customers to order new machines installed with, say, Netscape's Internet browser or WordPerfect's word-processing program in lieu of comparable Microsoft features.

That could be one result if the government succeeds in ending Microsoft's allegedly restrictive contracts requiring PC makers to install all of the many features Microsoft packages together as Windows, the operating program that runs 90 percent of the world's computers.

Microsoft insists that this would fragment the Windows program, making it tough for software writers to develop programs that work on all Windows machines.

In addition, executives at Dell, Compaq and other computer firms might have more freedom to install software from competing companies.

Another possibility is packing free CDs of Netscape's Navigator with every computer. Computer

makers might offer the software with machines as a way to gain a distinctive selling edge over rival's products.

Microsoft says this practice could eventually drive up the cost of computing by requiring PC users to pay for new features that would have been included for free in Windows machines.

But even with drastic Microsoft concessions or a successful government lawsuit pursuing this angle, industry watchers doubted many PC makers would take advantage of fewer contractual curbs because of the software maker's far-reaching influence.

"If they tell (computer) manufacturers they're free to load Netscape, I don't think they will because people are terrified of Microsoft," said former federal judge Robert Bork, a Netscape lobbyist and antitrust expert.

A more likely result of any Microsoft agreement or government antitrust lawsuit would be more subtle.

For example, Microsoft may be required to let PC makers put mes-

sages or company slogans in the boot-up screen that appears when people start their computers.

Critics want Microsoft to relax limits on how computer makers can modify the opening Windows screen, which is a potentially valuable billboard for companies.

So far, the only concession Microsoft has agreed to is delaying by three days, until Monday, delivery to PC makers of its new Windows 98 software, which is scheduled to be sold to the public starting June 25.

More immediately, only a handful of high-tech companies are expected to suffer disruptions.

VW recalls Beetle because of wiring problems

DETROIT (AP) — Two months after its debut, the New Beetle is being recalled because of a bug in the Bug: a wiring problem that could cause engine fires.

Volkswagen said Friday that all 10,100 New Beetles sold in the United States and Canada since mid-March will be fixed at no charge. The job should take about an hour.

VW said no accidents or injuries have resulted.

The German automaker also said it will give dealers up to \$100 per owner for car washes, gas, a flower in the New Beetle bud vase or other perks to mollify customers and avoid the old Beetle's reputation as a tin can.

"I've never seen a recall handled this way," said Ray Kinder, service manager at New Century Volkswagen in Glendale, Calif., which will give customers cash for

a nearby shopping mall while their car is being fixed.

Volkswagen said it would telephone all New Beetle owners starting Friday night to tell them about the recall. Owners are also being

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Satellites will log his location every four seconds. If he ever approaches forbidden locations such as the homes or workplaces of people who have asked to be protected from him, an alarm will go off.

In addition, he must always wear a pager with voice-recognition technology to make sure it is really him calling.

After six months, Miller may be transferred to a halfway house or permitted to live in the community. The monitoring and other restrictions could continue until 2007, when his parole ends.

"I believe it is safe to say it is a truly unique situation," said David Smith of Boulder, Colo.-based BI Inc., the company providing the conventional electronic monitor. "I've never heard of an individual being placed on three different types of monitoring."

The monitoring is part of the state's Super-Intensive Supervision Program, begun eight months ago as a way to track parolees considered likely to break the law again. More than 1,000 inmates are already being watched through the program, but none this closely. The others have the conventional electronic ankle device only.

Richard Nicotero of ABS Inc., in Omaha, Neb., which is providing the satellite monitoring, said about a dozen people in New Jersey, Kansas and Iowa are also under satellite surveillance. But he is not aware of anyone being monitored by the multiple systems Texas has on Miller.

Miller was chosen by the Board of Pardons and Paroles because of the seriousness of his crime and because the last time he won his freedom, in 1991, his parole was revoked when he was found stalking another woman.

Miller, now 35, was 19 when he was convicted of murdering 18-year-old Retha Stratton, a former cheerleader whose body was found in a closet of her home. Her pants had been stuffed in her mouth, and she had been stabbed 38 times. A knife was left embedded in her heart. Prosecutors believe it was a rape attempt.

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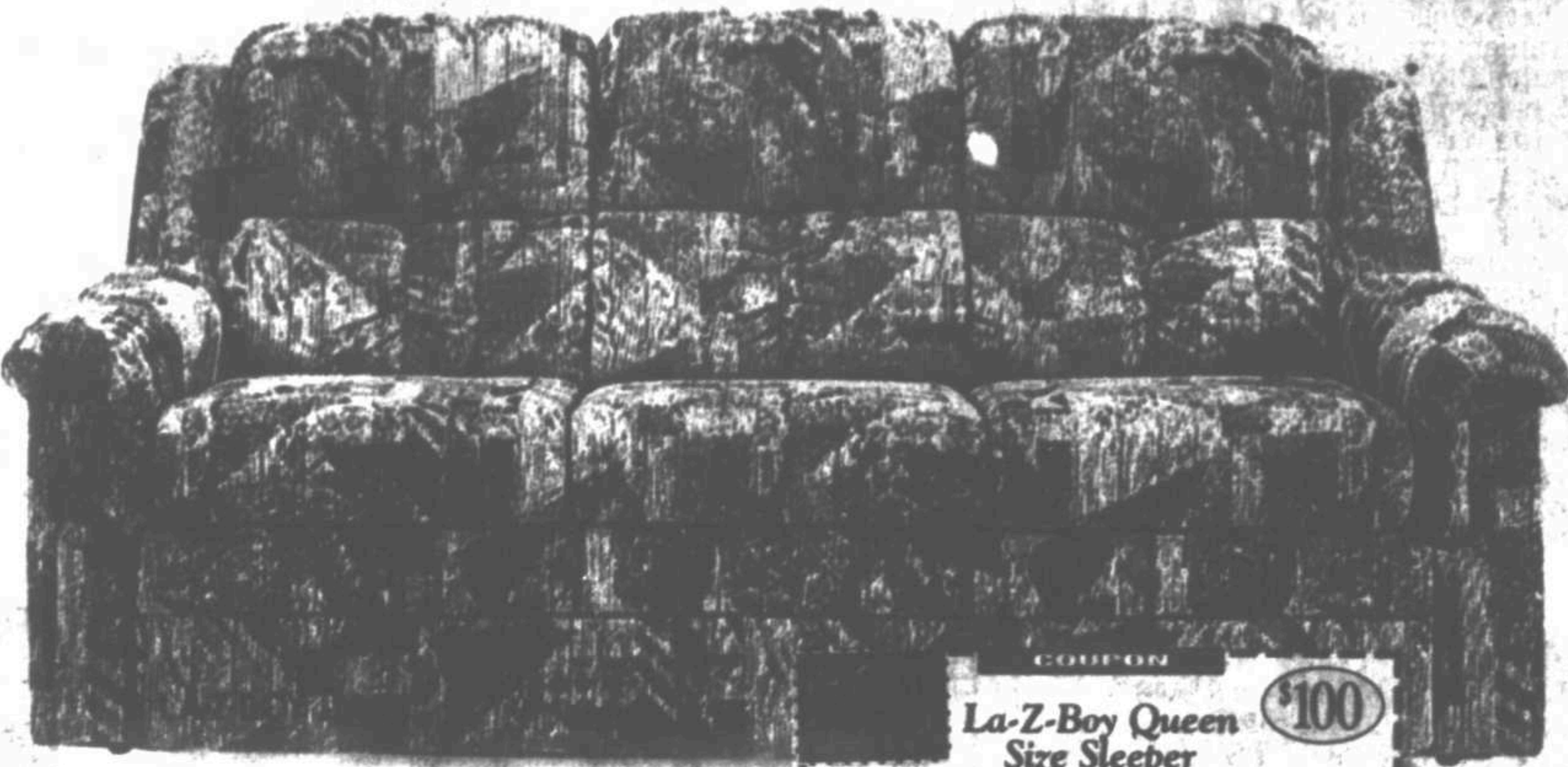


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TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at Jackson Generals, 7 p.m. RADIO: KCRS (550 AM).

PREP BASEBALL PLAYOFFS — Class 5A Area round, Best-of-three series, Midland High vs. El Paso Jefferson, noon, Franklin High, El Paso. Game 3 will follow immediately if necessary.

Tribe nips Texas
CLEVELAND — Brian Giles ended a 1-for-26 slump with his ninth homer leading off the bottom of the 14th inning to give the Cleveland Indians a 3-2 victory over the Texas Rangers on Friday night.

Giles ended a tense, four-hour game with a 422-foot homer to center off Alan Levine (0-1) on a 1-0 count. It was the first run since the Rangers' Will Clark tied it at 2 with an RBI single in the sixth.

Rick Krivda (2-0) worked one scoreless inning for the victory, the Indians' second straight after losing six in a row. It was Cleveland's sixth win in its last eight at home.

The AL West-leading Rangers, coming off a 7-5, 13-inning victory at New York that lasted four hours, 53 minutes, lost for the second time in eight games and missed a chance to tie the best start through 40 games in franchise history.

Juan Gonzalez got his major league-leading 50th RBI with a groundout in the first that scored Tom Goodwin, who walked. He is the fastest to reach 50 RBIs since Joe Carter also did it in 40 games with Toronto in 1994.

Braves beat Astros
HOUSTON — Eddie Perez renewed the Atlanta Braves' home run spree Friday night, connecting twice and driving in three runs in a 3-2 victory over the Houston Astros.

Dennis Martinez got his first save since July 11, 1993, and his second since 1990. He gave up one run in 1 2-3 innings for his seventh career save.

Atlanta had its 25-game, home-run streak stopped Thursday night against St. Louis. The streak is a National League record and tied the major league mark.

Perez was in the lineup as a result of an injury to regular catcher Javy Lopez, who fouled a ball off his shin Thursday night.

Perez was without a home run in 36 at-bats this season before hitting home runs in his first two at-bats against Jose Lima.

Denny Neagle (5-1) was the winner, pitching 7 1-3 innings and giving up one run on six hits. He struck out five and walked two.

Lima (7-2) had won four straight decisions. He gave up two runs and three hits in six innings.

Dogs pull out Game 1 in El Paso

By Lee Passmore
Sports Writer

EL PASO — In sickness and in health, the story has remained the same for the Midland High baseball team after three playoff games.

A drastic change in location didn't hurt the Bulldogs in game one of their Region I-5A area round playoff series Friday with El Paso Jefferson. One day after traveling 300 miles for their series and despite not being at their healthiest, the Bulldogs toughed out a 5-2 win over Jefferson at Franklin High School's field to get the upper hand.

If Midland High wins today's second



Game 1
Midland High 5
EP Jefferson 2

game at noon CDT, the Bulldogs will advance to the region quarterfinals. A loss by the Bulldogs would force a third and decisive game to follow immediately.

Friday's victory provided a tonic for a team which had at least two key components, coach Barry Russell and starting pitcher Lee Martin battling some form of the flu. But both stuck around for the finish, leaving Jefferson as the one ailing.

It was hardly easy, though, as the Bul-

dogs (23-11) appeared on the brink of blowing open the game on a couple of occasions but the Foxes refused to surrender to the hunt.

"They're a good team," said Russell of Jefferson. "They're not in the playoffs for nothing. Whenever you play (in El Paso) it's tough. It's not much good for my stomach."

If Russell, who has been sick since Tuesday, was feeling less than hale and hardy, most of Jefferson's lineup had to be reaching for Maalox after facing Martin. The senior right-hander, who also won game one of last week's bi-district series against Amarillo Tascosa (6-2) with 11

strikeouts, was almost as tough to solve for the Foxes. Martin struck out five of the first six hitters he faced and allowed only five hits in throwing his second straight complete game of the post-season.

In striking out seven and walking four, Martin (7-1) wasn't quite as dominant against Jefferson for the entire game, but his performance was the product of a get-it-done attitude which helps pitchers survive in the playoffs.

"I'm just kind of sick right now and I was kind of fatigued at the end," Martin said.

While Martin certainly appeared mor-

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UIL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Gold Rush
Big Spring's Mitchell captures 100-200 double at state meetBy Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Big Spring's Tory Mitchell is "Texas' fastest."

That was proven, not once, but twice Friday at the UIL Track Championships at Royal Memorial Stadium and confirmed what a lot of people thought coming into this weekend — that "West Texas' Fastest" would expand his horizons.

"We proved it," Big Spring track coach Randy Britton said. "I think he is the best runner/sprinter in the state of Texas."
Mitchell did so with the double that for two years has eluded him. In both 1996 and 1997, Mitchell came to Austin as a freshman and sophomore, respectively, only to go home with a combined four bronze medals.

Mitchell won basically unchallenged in the 100 and 200 meters. His times — 10.34 in the 100 and 20.72 in the 200 — were the fastest non-wind aided times in the nation by a high school runner. Both times were fully-automatic times.

"I have silenced some of the critics," Mitchell said. "You can't silence all of them, but I have proven I am a legitimate runner."

"I guess I am the best in the state."
Mitchell came into the meet as the runner to watch out for in both events. He was ranked No. 1 in the 200 and entered the 100 with two (hand-held) times under 10.0 seconds.

However, Mitchell didn't waste any time in his mission to show what he could do.
Mitchell ran away with the 100 from the beginning. His good start and quick acceleration shut the door for the rest of the field. Mitchell's strength has always been his ability to turn his motor into overdrive and hit a different gear in the middle of the race. When he did that in the 100, there was no way the field was going to catch him.

"It wasn't a great start but good enough to do the job," Mitchell said.
Britton said Mitchell's start guaranteed the win.

"He did everything he needed to do in the 100. He had good

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Erin Simmons of The Woodlands, north of Houston, lines up a putt during Friday's second round of the UIL Class 5A Golf Championships at Roy Kizer Golf Course in Austin.

Lee golfers improve to finish fifth

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Although winning a state title was out of the question for the Midland Lee girls golf team, showing it belonged in a field with the best teams in the state wasn't.

The Lady Rebels improved on their first-day score by 17 strokes, firing a 318 Friday at the UIL Championships at the Roy Kizer Golf Course.

The Lady Rebels, which moved up a spot to fifth in the team standings, didn't contend for a title. That was taken for the third-straight year by San Antonio Churchill which finished nine shots ahead of The Woodlands. The Lady Rebels did, however, play like an elite team in the state.

"Their chances of winning were zero, but that didn't matter," Lee coach Phyllis Sutton said of her team. "It proves they have heart. That is a reason they are here. They never gave up."

Churchill shot a 2-over-par score of 286 for a two-day total of 574 to seal the three-peat. The Woodlands, Mansfield, Humble Kingwood and Lee rounded out the top 5.

Lee finished with a two-round score of 653, which was good enough to beat every team in its pairing. One of those teams, the Woodlands No. 2 team, even had an 11-shot advantage coming into second round play.

"They shot a score on the second day, which three or four years ago, would be winning, not this year," Sutton said.

"When you play girls who shoot par, it is hard when you make mistakes, because they don't make any."

One reason for the team's better play was the improvement of the players. Four of the five Lady Rebels improved their score from the first day to the second.

Leading the way was senior Krystal Mehaffey, who will play her college golf at Midland College next year. Mehaffey shot a 76 (her low round in her two years at state), and that was with a double bogey on the last hole.

"I hit a lot of greens today and had a whole lot of birdie putts," Mehaffey said. "It could have been

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Stanton's Davis grabs gold in 2A long jump

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Stanton football fans are well aware of Tyrón Davis' history of coming through with big plays. This past football season, the senior caught passes for more than 1,200 yards and 27 touchdowns. In the state championship game, his 88-yard kickoff return for a touchdown opened up things for the Buffaloes to blow out Rogers.

Friday at the UIL Track Championships in Royal Memorial Stadium, Davis again succeeded under tremendous pressure to win state gold, moving from sixth to first on one jump to



Davis

n't look to be in his future. His best leap was 22 feet, four inches and he stood in sixth almost a foot behind the leader,

win the Class 2A long jump title.

"I have always been good under pressure. That is when I compete well," Davis said.

In Round 5, Davis got the chance to prove it when things weren't particularly golden. Actually, a medal did.

"The coaches have taught us if we want to succeed, you have to take risks," Davis said.

Davis did succeed. Not only did he improve by one foot, three inches, but his second-to-last jump in his high school career will go down as his best

ever. His previous best was 22-10.

Davis also broke the school record (22-11) which had been set by Lewis Henry in the early 1980s.

"I was trying to get my best jump, trying to medal and then set a school record. If I did that I would be happy," Davis said. "I got first, so I'm very happy."

It also erased the memory of 1997 when injuries prevented him from getting a mark in the triple jump.

"Last year helped motivate me," Davis said. "It was stuck in my mind."

Davis' performance is also a great way to start the weekend. Today, Davis

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Midland High defense shows improvement in spring scrimmage

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Midland High's No. 1 offense was no entry in any July 4 parade at Memorial Stadium Friday night during the Bulldogs' annual Spring Purple-White Football Game, but that fact alone had head coach David Browning almost smiling from ear to ear.

During the past three weeks of spring training, the Bulldog defensive unit had trailed the offense in results, so Browning was pleased to see the defense rise up.

The White defeated the Purple 18-12, scoring in each of the first three quarters of play. The Purple finally pulled together with two fourth quarter touchdowns.

"I'm really excited that the defense played very well tonight," Browning said. "They were more aggressive than they have been and this shows that they have improved a lot this past week."

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Midland High quarterback Taylor Welch carries the ball during the Purple-White Spring Football Game Friday night at Memorial Stadium.

Dodgers, Marlins make blockbuster trade for 7 players

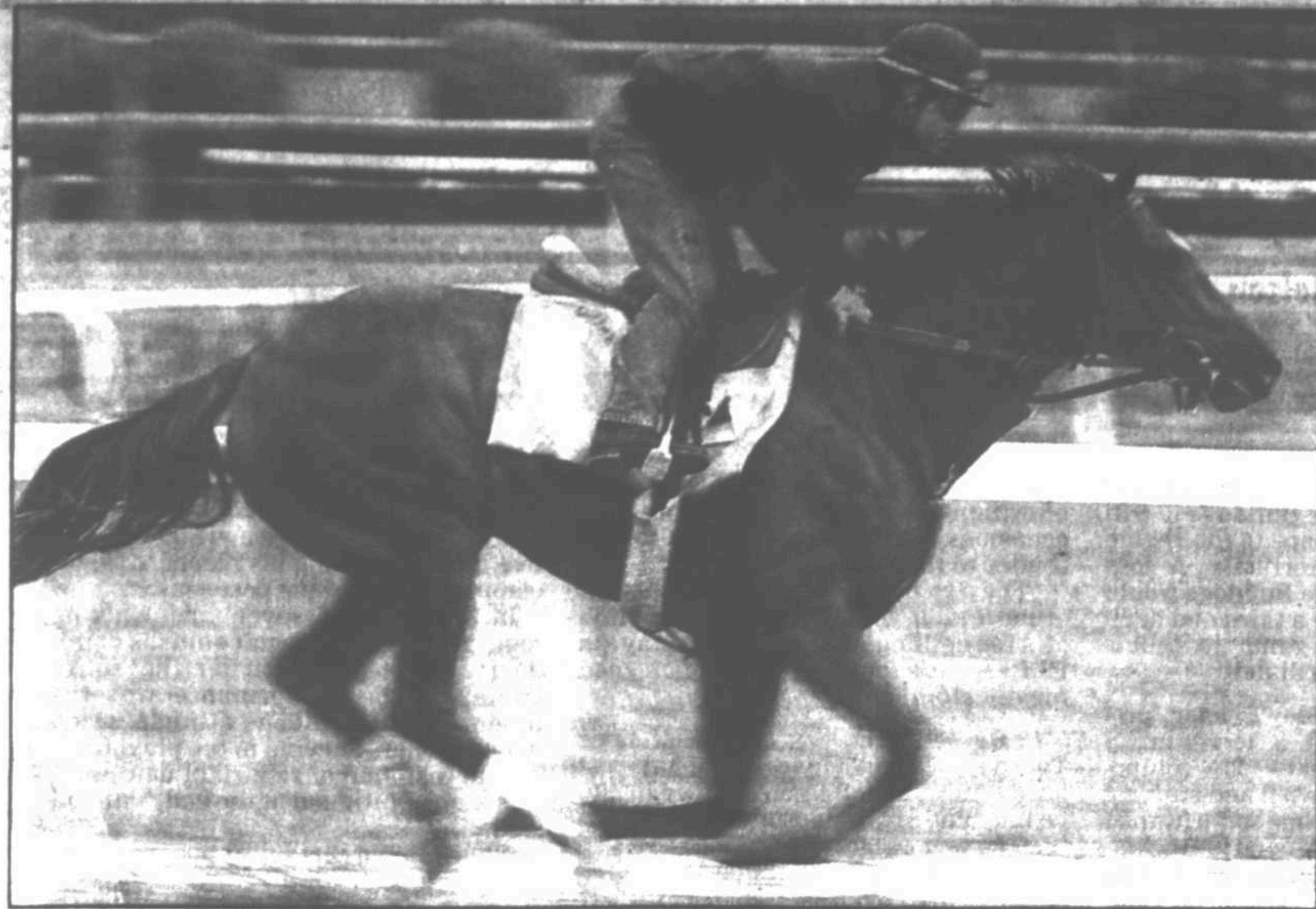
By John Nadel
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES — In a stunning trade that finished off Florida's payroll purge, the Marlins dealt Gary Sheffield, Bobby Bonilla and Charles Johnson to the Los Angeles Dodgers for Mike Piazza in a seven-player deal that was completed Friday night.

The World Series champions also gave up outfielder Jim Eisenreich and a player to be named, and the Dodgers sent third baseman Todd Zeile to Florida.

The last obstacle was Sheffield's approving the deal — the teams had already settled on the players late Thursday night. The outfielder, in the first season of a \$61 million, six-year contract, had a no-trade clause. But after traveling to Los Angeles on Friday and meeting

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Coronado's Quest goes through a workout Wednesday at Belmont Park in Elmont, N.Y. The horse, one of the favorites for Saturday's Preakness, was withdrawn from the race Friday after a foot bruise was discovered.

Foot bruise forces Coronado's Quest out of Preakness Stakes

By Ed Schuyler Jr.
AP Racing Writer

BALTIMORE — The call from Shug McGaughey to Stuart Janney is the kind a trainer hates to make, and the kind a horse owner hates to get.

"We've got a problem, something to do with the foot," McGaughey said Friday to the principal owner of Coronado's Quest.

The problem was a minor one, a bruise about the size of a dime in the colt's right hind foot. But the disappointment was a major one for both men.

Coronado's Quest, who had been the 2-1 early favorite, will not race in the Preakness on Saturday at Pimlico.

The injury was discovered after the colt had galloped at Belmont Park. He was to have been vanned to Pimlico early Saturday morning.

"Anytime you have to scratch a 2-1 shot out of a race with the significance of the Preakness, with the purse (\$650,000 to the winner) the way it is, it's a disappointment," McGaughey said at news conference at Pimlico, where he

had two horses in races Friday. He flew to Baltimore in the early afternoon.

On Tuesday, Halory Hunter, fourth in the Derby and considered a leading Preakness contender, broke his left front cannon bone and had to have a plate and 12 screws inserted into the leg at New Bolton Center in Kennett Square, Pa. He probably won't race again.

"There's still a day to go, and, unfortunately, these things happen. I just hope in the morning my horse is fine," said Bob Baffert, trainer of Kentucky Derby winner Real Quiet — now the 2-1 favorite.

"It took something away from the race, but these things are part of the game," said D. Wayne Lukas, trainer of Preakness starter Cape Town, fifth in the Derby, and Baquero. "Bruises can show up in a week, an hour, a couple hours. You never know. My condolences to a good horse who did not make the race. We'll see him down the road."

If the injury heals in a few days, Coronado's Quest could race in the Belmont Stakes on June 6.

"If we can get going again Monday, we can run in the Met Mile (May 25 at Belmont Park) and

make the Belmont," McGaughey said.

Silver Charm, the 1997 Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner trained by Baffert, was scratched from the March 7 Santa Anita Handicap because of a foot bruise. The colt, however, was able to make an arduous trip to Dubai, United Arab Emirates, and win the grueling Dubai World Cup three weeks later.

McGaughey said he did not know when the injury happened. Coronado's Quest galloped on a track still wet from almost two weeks of rain. But the trainer said he had no choice.

"He galloped this morning, and he looked good going by me, but when I got to the barn the exercise rider told me that when he (the horse) pulled into a jog something didn't feel exactly right," McGaughey said.

The bruise is on the outside of the foot about two-thirds of way up between the heel and toe.

"If this was a \$5,000 claiming race, we'd put a pad on it and go on," McGaughey said. "But we knew he had to come down here and be exactly right (for the Preakness)."

Dallas counting on veterans in mission to finish off Edmonton

By C. Bryson Hull
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS — The Dallas Stars face a choice between choke and chokehold.

Holding a 3-1 Western Conference series lead over the Edmonton Oilers, the Stars are expected to finish off the Oilers in Game 5 Saturday night at Reunion Arena. If they lose, they'll inevitably draw comparisons to the Colorado Avalanche, who held the same 3-1 lead but fell to the Oilers in seven games.

But if the last two games are any indication, veteran Dallas players like Guy Carbonneau, Benoit Hogue and Mike Keane will help push the Stars into the conference finals.

"Those guys always seem to know another gear to play at," Stars coach Ken Hitchcock said of his veteran core. "Where they're valuable to is when they pull the younger players along."

Certainly, the elder players have carried the entire team to their current series lead. Center Benoit Hogue, 31, was twice the hero with the overtime-win-

ning goal in Monday's Game 3 and two goals in Wednesday's Game 4 victory.

Thirty-eight-year-old center Guy Carbonneau opened the scoring in Game 4, while Keane had a goal in Game 1 against Edmonton and two goals — including the overtime winner — to close out the first-round series against the San Jose Sharks on May 3.

But the Stars contend that it is work ethic, not veteran knowledge that has kept them winning.

"I learned a long time ago that experience doesn't win you games, you have to work harder," Carbonneau said.

What also wins games is Dallas' disciplined, strangling defense. Ask Edmonton coach Ron Low. "(The Stars) came at us an awful lot harder than they did before," Low said. "You couldn't get through the neutral zone (Wednesday night)."

On the other side of the ice, the Stars are expecting that type of desperate, hard-checking effort from the Oilers.

"I think you'll see a lot of what you saw in Game 2, but hopefully not from us," Stars center Mike Modano said, referring to Dallas' 2-0 loss in Game 2, during which they were only able to manage 15 shots.

UIL TENNIS TOURNAMENT

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are quarterfinal and semifinal results from the Class 1A, 2A and 3A state tennis championships played Friday in Austin.

CLASS 1A

Boys singles Quarterfinals

Cayman Marshall var. del. J. J. Marshall, 7-6 (7-5), 6-2.

John Leavitt var. del. Chris Parrish, 6-2, 6-4.

Wes Lehman var. del. Jonathan Terrell, 6-3, 7-6 (7-5), 6-3.

Ben Fortune var. del. Cole del. James Willis, 6-2, 6-0.

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GOLF: Churchill girls blow away 5A

(From 1B)

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"We went out with a bang and finished the year off good."

Vanessa Cody, another senior, had the greatest improvement from Day 1 to Day 2, following a 96 with an 83.

"Yesterday, I didn't enjoy it. I was having a bad time all the way through," said Cody, who improved dramatically from her 42-putt performance on Thursday. "I'm glad I came back at my last state tournament and showed myself and others I could do better."

Senior Amber Meyers ended with an 86 in her final high school round. Meyers finished the tournament with the third-best combined score for Lee.

A good sign for the future came from sophomore Amy Roach and junior Tawny Alonzo. Roach put together a final-round 77 while Alonzo cut nine strokes off Thursday's score for an 83.

"Everything started to come together on the back nine," said Alonzo, who shot a two-over-par 38 on the back side. "The pressure was off. We knew that we couldn't get first, so we relaxed and worried about our own game."

Roach's round is her lowest score in high school competition. She expects it will give her a tremendous boost for next year. If her rounds are anything like Friday's, it should.

"Everything was going right. I couldn't mess up anything," Roach said.

The performance of the team on Friday is just an extension of the year it has been for the Lee program, which has sent an entry to Austin in six of the last 10 years.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are the final-round results of the Class 5A girls' golf tournament at the Rayzor Golf Course in Austin (par 71, 5,327 yards).

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Elliott eases his pain by winning pole for Winston

By Joe Macenka
AP Sports Writer

CONCORD, N.C. — Bruised and broken, but far from defeated, Bill Elliott blended fast work in the pits and on the track to capture the pole Friday night for Winston Cup racing's 14th annual all-star event.

Elliott, who needed assistance to get in and out of his car because of injuries from two wrecks in the past three weeks, outperformed 18 of his peers to take the top starting spot for The Winston at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

"I've still got a lot of soreness in a lot of places," said Elliott, who got banged up in a fiery crash at Talladega Superspeedway and then wrecked again the following week at California Speedway. The second crash left him with fractures in his left foot and left hand and bruises on his back and abdomen.

"What's happened the last few weeks has been a total disappointment," he said, "but this takes some of that away."

Winning the pole for the second consecutive year, Elliott posted a speed of 142.084 mph in the unique qualifying format that requires drivers to make three laps and a pit stop to have two tires changed.

Because of his various bruises and fractures,

Elliott limited his practice time Friday to short runs on Charlotte's 1.5-mile, high-banked layout, raising the question of how he will hold up in Saturday night's 70-lap event.

"We'll see how it goes," said Elliott, the 1995 winner. "All we can do is give it our best shot."

His best Friday night was good enough to edge Terry Labonte's 141.380 for the top starting spot. Bobby Labonte was third at 141.201.

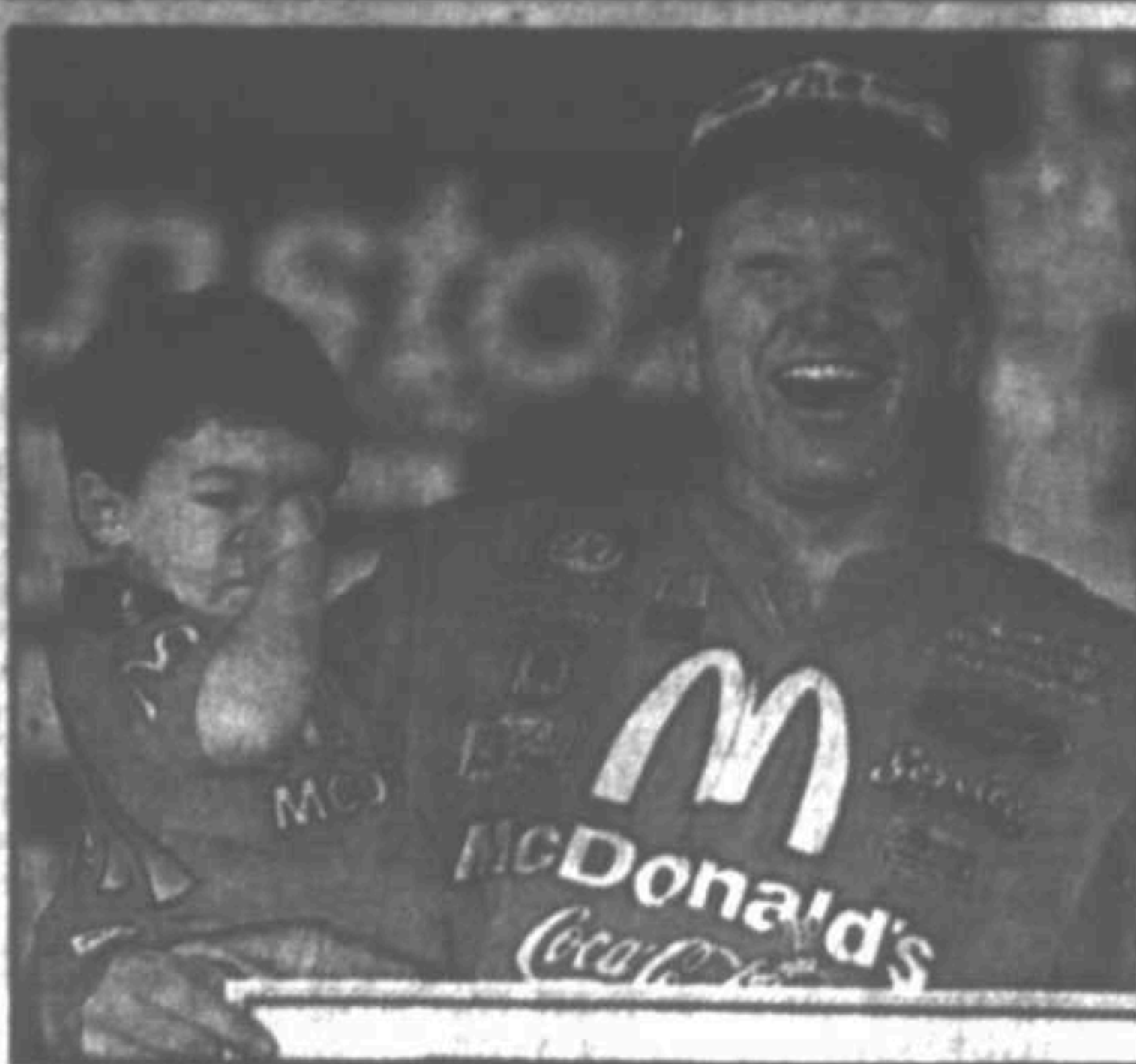
Rusty Wallace posted what would have been the pole-winning speed of 142.829, but he was penalized twice by NASCAR officials for a pair of infractions in the pits — for running over an air hose and having a loose lug nut.

Wallace, relegated to the 16th starting spot, tried to shrug off his pit-road troubles.

"We'll have to start from the back," he said, "and go to the front."

Lining up fourth will be Jeff Gordon, winner of the event in 1995 and 1997. His performance Friday night was considerably better than he did last year, when he came into the pits so fast that he set off a plume of tire smoke several hundred feet long as he tried unsuccessfully to stop in time.

"This was a little less dramatic, but I was just happy to get it stopped in the pit stall," he said. "Last year I had to do it the hard way and come all the way from the back. It should be



Bill Elliott celebrates with son Chase Friday after he won the pole for Saturday's The Winston at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

easier this way."

Dale Earnhardt didn't have nearly as dramatic a slide down pit road, but he did skid several feet past his pit stall, thereby ruining any chance for a competitive time.

Earnhardt will start 19th in the 20-car field, with the final starter being the winner of the Winston Open, a 50-lap preliminary race Saturday night for non-qualifiers for the \$1.3 million main event.

The risk-reward nature of the pit stop in Friday night's qualifying was also evident with Jeff Burton, who wound up 14th, nearly 4 mph slower than the pole-winning speed.

Kournikova finally beats Hingis

BERLIN (AP) — Anna Kournikova finally got some revenge on Martina Hingis. After losing badly to the world's top-ranked player in their four previous matches, including three Grand Slam events, Kournikova beat Hingis 6-3, 7-6 (7-1) in the quarterfinals at the German Open Friday.

It was the biggest career win for the 16-year-old Russian.

Kournikova, whose spectacular game has led some to believe she could one day top the world rankings, let three match points slip away before defeating Hingis.

"I'm been praying this win would come," Kournikova said. "I'm just very happy."

Kournikova, still seeking her first title, will face Conchita Martinez in Saturday's semifinals.

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Wide open pole qualifying on tap at Indy

By Mike Harris
AP Motorsports Writer

INDIANAPOLIS — The pressure is on at The Brickyard, where for the first time in 46 years the 33-car field for the Indianapolis 500 will be filled in one weekend of qualifying.

Track officials chopped a week of preparation time off the schedule this year because fan interest for daily practice and the second weekend of time trials has been on the decline.

The move seems to have worked. There were traffic jams on the 1 1/2-mile oval as well as the roads into the sprawling speedway on Friday, the last of just six full days of practice for the May 24 race.

Speed will be on everyone's mind Saturday in pole qualifying, and again on Sunday, when the field is likely to be filled and bumping of the slower qualifiers takes

place. Defending and two-time race winner Arie Luyendyk took the pole last year with a four-lap, 10-mile qualifying run at 218.263 mph. With improvements in tires and aerodynamics and a year of development time on the Indy Racing League's chassis and motors, it's expected to take about 214 just to make the field.

Tony Stewart, the defending IRL champion, has been the man to beat since practice opened Sunday. His Team Menard Dallara-Aurora has led the speed parade on four of the six days of practice.

On Friday, the 26-year-old Stewart improved his best speed to 223.797 mph. Kenny Brack, who drives for four-time Indy winner A.J. Foyt, was next at 223.464, followed by teammate Billy Boat at 221.691, Greg Ray at 220.626, Scott Sharp at 220.610 and Luyendyk at 219.925.

Team Menard, with Stewart and Robbie Buhl, is expected to get its biggest competition for the pole and the other two front row positions from Brack and Boat, who drive for four-time Indy winner A.J. Foyt.

But Stewart, who has led the speed parade four of the six days since practice began on Sunday, is a heavy favorite.

"I'm pretty sure we can make it through first round qualifying," Stewart said. "To us, it's just a matter of getting our work done and trying to put it on the pole."

As for cutting time trials in half this year, Stewart isn't concerned. "For some reason, everybody's all spun out and up tight about two days versus four days, but tomorrow is pole day," he said. "Last year, this day was pole day. It's the same thing. It doesn't mean anything. All we've got to do is get the car in the show tomorrow."

Sutton cuts through haze to lead Nelson

By Ron Sirak
AP Golf Writer

IRVING — There was early smoke and late fire at the GTE Byron Nelson Classic on Friday as Hal Sutton made birdies on three of the last five holes to take a one-stroke lead at 9-under-par 131.

On a day when few among the leaders were able to take it low, Harrison Frazar held onto the lead until Sutton's late rush. Frazar was in second place at 132 going into the weekend, followed by Fred Couples, Robert Damron and Bob Friend at 133.

The day started with the smoky haze from brush fires in Central America still clinging to the Four Seasons Resort, making the sun look like a faint 40-watt lightbulb trying to shine through a layer of gauze.

And maybe the eerie light that slowly gave way to sunshine as the day burned on lulled everyone to sleep. No one was able to put together the kind of round that could put pressure on the field.

"The greens were a little harder, a little faster and the wind was

gusting a little more," Frazar said after he followed a 64 with a 68. "It was just enough to throw a little bit of doubt into your mind."

On Thursday, 19 players shot 66 or lower, including a 63 by Friend. The second round was entirely different as none of the leaders were able to sprint from the pack. Friend managed only an even-par 70, with one bogey and one birdie.

"I was a little surprised that no one went lower than they did," Sutton said after a round in which he stuck his irons close all day, making five birdie putts inside 15 feet.

Sutton and Damron made the best moves, both shooting a 65 without making any bogeys. Fortunately for Frazar, they made the meat of their moves after he had finished play.

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Red Raiders blast Baylor for second win of tourney

Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — Texas Tech picked up its second victory of the Big 12 baseball tournament Friday, grabbing an early 8-1 lead and then holding off second-seeded Baylor 11-4.

The Red Raiders (41-17) are the only unbeaten team after two days of play, and as a result don't have to return until Saturday night. They will play the survivor of Saturday's 11 a.m. elimination game between Baylor and top-seeded Texas A&M.

Josh Bard's three-run homer in the first inning got the Red Raiders going. They added two in the second on a home run by Keith Ginter, scored once in the third and twice more in the fourth on a double by Ryan Ruiz.

Baylor (40-17) got its first run on a homer by Jason Jennings in the second inning. Jennings (10-4) also started on the mound, but lasted just three-plus innings, allowing eight hits and eight earned runs.

The Bears scored once in the fifth and twice in the seventh. But they stranded 13 runners, including three in the eighth when they loaded the bases with one out and the score 8-4.

Left-hander Zach Stewart was called on to face lefty-hitting Jeremy Dodson and he struck him out

Big 12 Tournament

looking. Right-hander Brad Ralston was then brought in to face Charley Carter, and he struck him out on three pitches.

Texas Tech, the No. 3 seed in the six-team tournament, added three two-out insurance runs in the eighth after surviving the scare in the top half of the inning.

OKLAHOMA CITY — Brian Shackelford's three-run homer keyed a five-run sixth inning Friday that carried Oklahoma to a 10-4 victory over top-seeded Texas A&M and kept the Sooners alive in the Big 12 tournament.

Geoff Geary (12-1) pitched the second complete game of his career to get the victory. Defending champion Oklahoma (39-17) plays Saturday afternoon in an elimination game with Oklahoma State, while Texas A&M (41-17) plays Saturday morning against either Baylor or Texas Tech.

Geary trailed 4-2 in the fifth after giving up Craig Kuzmick's 23rd homer of the season, a two-run shot estimated at 470 feet, but his teammates bailed him out in the sixth.

Matt Ward (7-4) gave up a lead-off single to Corey Hart, then after a flyout he allowed a single to Derek Wathan.

LOCAL SPORTS

Eagles rip Bel Air, 14-1

Abilene High belted El Paso Bel Air 14-1 at Christensen Stadium Friday afternoon in a Class 5A area baseball playoff game.

The Eagles pounded out 14 hits while Bel Air got just three.

The two teams meet again today at noon with a third game, if needed, to follow in the best of three series.

Churchill had four hits and drove in three runs to lead the Abilene High offense. Brad Massey went the distance to pick up the win.

Boudreaux-Overturf lead Midland Invite

The team of Al Boudreaux and Dean Overturf have taken a one stroke lead in the Midland Invitational Tournament held Friday at Midland Country Club.

Boudreaux and Overturf shot a 70 second round to take the lead over the team of David Dickerson and Conway Jordan, and the team of Bill Baker and Alan White. Overturf is a former Mid-Amateur champion claiming the 1995 title at M.C.C.

The highlight of the tournament came when Greg Gray had a hole-in-one on No. 11.

Here are results from the second round of the Midland Invitational Tournament held Friday at Midland Country Club. The championship and president's rights are combined and are designated as c - championship or p - presidents. Any one in either of the top two rights can win the MIT trophy:

Championship & Presidents: c - Al Boudreaux/Dean Overturf 70-137; c - David Dickerson/Conway Jordan 71-138; p - Bill Baker/Alan White 69-138; c - Jeff O'Leary/Holly Sullivan 71-139; c - Dennis Sledge/Cole Mitchell 71-139; c - Ron Huckabee/Dub Huckabee 72-140; c - Rick Gasser/Tim Kohn 74-141; c - Glen Ellis Jr./Jim Dodge 73-141; p - David Starks/Bill Gully 70-142; c - McGee/Philip Karper 71-142; c - Lane Nutt/Dan Deshaies 74-143; c - Kelly Cox/Pat Weaver 73-144; p - Jim Hill/Larry Snyder 72-144; c - Michael Gust/Rob Beck 73-144; c - Dr. John Young/John Staub 74-144; p - Steve Whiteside/George Tucker 71-145; p - Robert Pedro/Doug Noah 73-145; p - John Betts/Rex Boudreaux 73-145; c - Randy Gessman/William H.

State's young boxers competing in Odessa

Staff Report

ODESSA — The top young boxers in Texas who stand one step away from the national championships will be showcased in the Permian Basin over the next two days.

The USA Boxing Junior Olympic Texas Championships will continue tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Odessa Holiday Inn Centre featuring the best amateur boxers from across the state. Winners of the events ranging from ages 13-16 will participate in the national championships in Marquette, Mich., next month as representatives of Texas.

It is expected that fighters from Houston, Dallas, Corpus Christi, Lubbock, Amarillo and San Antonio will be in Odessa for the tournament.

"It'll be excellent boxing," said David Rodriguez, president of the Twin Cities Tigers Boxing Club, which is hosting the event. "Everybody's bringing in their best boxers. These are going to be the best boxers Texas has to offer going to nationals. These kids have a lot of experience under their belts."

The weight classes range from 85 pounds on up to super heavyweight, which is 201 pounds and over. One boxer with potential is

Humberto Juarez of the Twin Cities Club.

Juarez, who is 15, sports an 80-12 record and is fighting in the 106-pound class. He is the only Twin Cities boys fighter with a chance to go to nationals.

"This kid has all the talent in the world," Rodriguez said. "If he doesn't win nationals he'll be runner-up."

The Twin Cities Club will also have two female boxers from Odessa competing. Linda Ramos, 15, won the 1997 Texas championship at 125 pounds. Also fighting is Victoria Villareal in the 156-pound class.

Each fight from the preliminaries tonight to Sunday's finals will be three rounds at only two minutes each, meaning the action will likely be fast and furious.

"They don't have much time so they get after it," Rodriguez said. "They know they're boxing only for six minutes so there's nothing to hold back."

Tickets are available at Endless Horizons at Lechuga's Video in Odessa as well as CD Warehouse in Midland. Tickets can also be purchased at the door for all events and start at \$12 for general admission and \$18 for ringside seats.

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Five-run inning dooms Angels

Staff Report

JACKSON, Miss. — The Jackson Generals used a five-run eighth inning to come from behind and beat the Midland Angels 9-5 Friday night.

Jackson got a two-run hom run by Billy Owens and a three-run shot by Johnny Perez in the eighth to come back from a 5-4 deficit.

Angel reliever Matt Beaumont took the loss as he dropped to 2-3 on the season. Mike Walker (1-2) got the win for the Generals with one shutout inning pitched, and Mike Diorio captured his fourth save.

The Angels got off to a 2-0 lead as

Matt Curtis hit a two-run home run to right field in the second inning.

Jackson got the lead back in the bottom of the third inning when Lance Berkman blasted a three-run shot off Midland starter Brian Cooper.

The Angels added an unearned run in the fourth, and then Troy Glaus blasted a two-run towering shot to left field to make it 5-3. Glaus' homer was his 19th blast of the year and was his 48th and 49th RBI.

Jackson closed to within 5-4 when Garry Maddox had an RBI single.

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 Game 1: Friday - Lawville 7,
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A source close to the negotiations, speaking on the condition he not be identified, said Sheffield was reluctant to leave Florida, which has no state income tax, unless the Dodgers agreed to increase his salary. He also wants the Dodgers to

The Marlins eliminated \$20.6 million in 1998 salary: Sheffield (\$1 million), Bonilla (\$5.9 million), Johnson (\$3.3 million), and Eisenreich (\$1.4 million). They would take on \$11.2 million: Piazza (\$8 million) and Zeile (\$3.2 million), although neither player is expected to spend much time with Florida.

According to a source, Claire got a call in his box from Dodgers president Bob Graziano during the seventh inning of Thursday's night game at Los Angeles, telling him that the deal was done. On Friday, Claire called Piazza — whom the Dodgers drafted in 1988 — to tell him the final deal was put together without him.

(From 1B)

But the rest of Jefferson's lineup seemed genuinely stymied by

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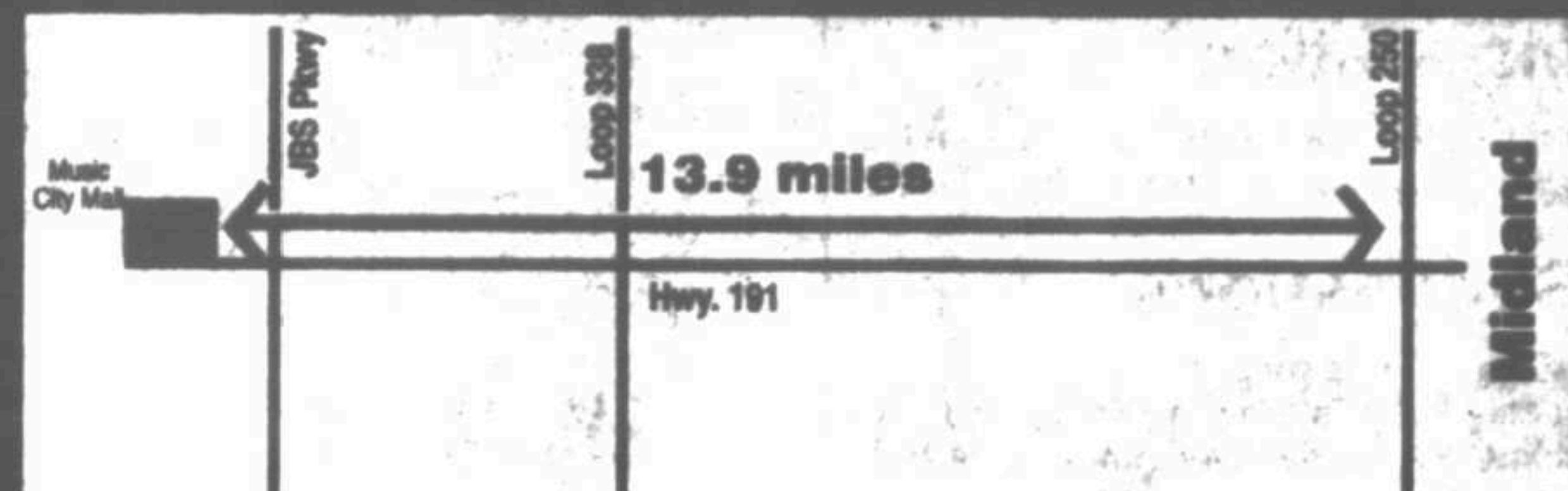
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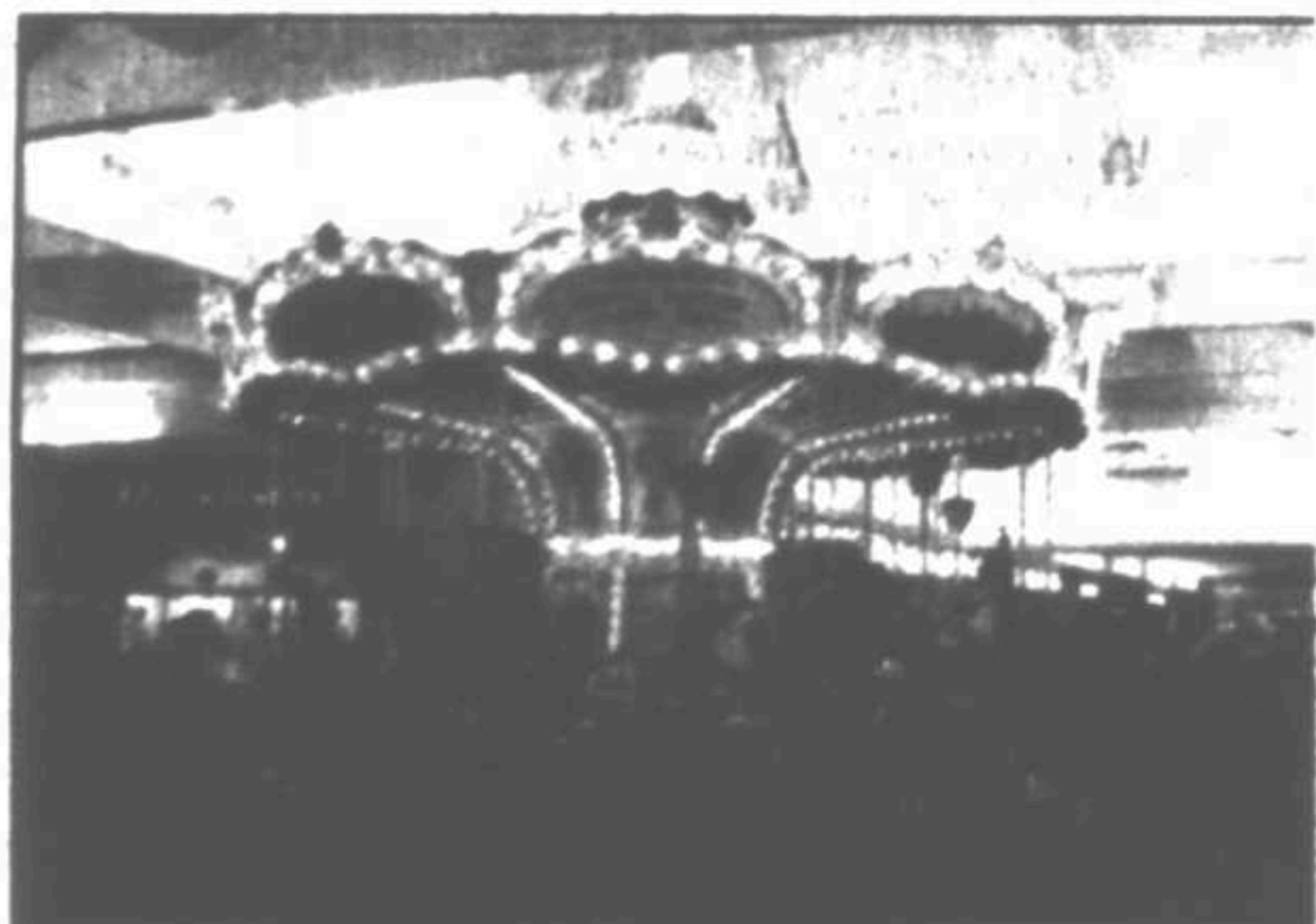
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5:30 & 6:30 (B. Dalton)
JENNIFER MAHAN
7:00 * 8:15 (Golden Brass)
JEAN ERVIN
12:00 (J.R.'s Gifts)
JOHNNY MACK
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DIVINE DESTINY
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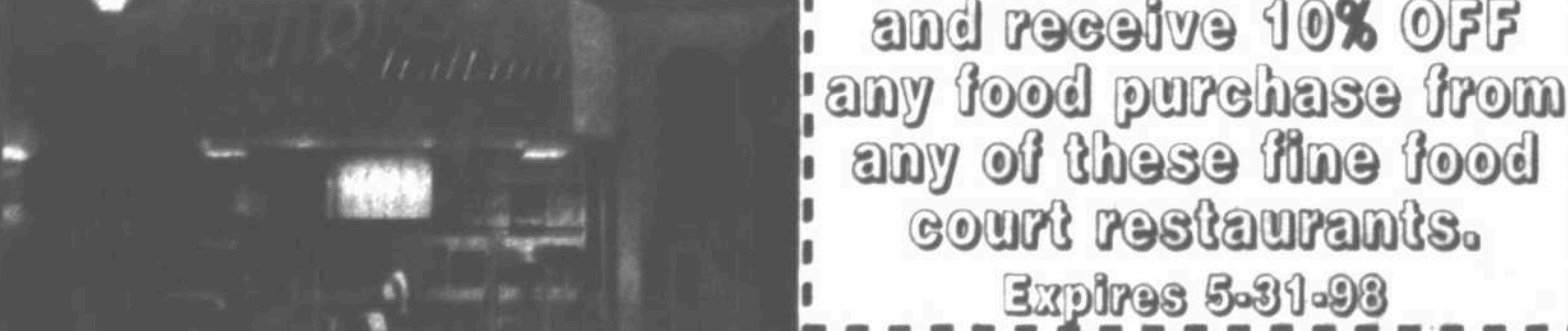
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4. "Wow Gospel 1998: The Year's 30 Top Gospel Artists and Songs," various artists (Sparrow)
5. "Bebe Winans," Bebe Winans (Atlantic)
6. "Finally Karen," Karen Clark-Sheard (Island)
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'Uncle Sunday'

AUSTIN (AP) — Methodists in central and south Texas are dropping their drawers — and new socks and underwear — off at churches as donations for a half-dozen children's centers.

Members of Covenant United Methodist Church in Austin placed their underwear offerings before the altar on a recent Sunday. Cindy Layton, program director, said that most people give generously to charities but don't think about donating such basics. "Everybody kind of laughs about it," Ms. Layton said, "but they think it's a cool idea."

The United Methodist Church Southwest Texas Conference in San Antonio is organizing the collection. After meeting May 28 in Corpus Christi, the conference will distribute donations to six church-sponsored childcare agencies. "All children deserve the dignity of new, clean underwear, but our community centers indicated that they don't always have supplies on hand to meet the need," said Douglas Cannon, director of the drive.

Worshippers among the ruins

SHELDON, S.C. (AP) — Episcopalians from across the South gather under the big oak trees each year to worship at a church that no longer exists.

They bring lawn chairs, blankets and picnics and feast their eyes on the ruins of the old Sheldon Church, once one of the most elegant and important churches in South Carolina.

The tradition of the services, usually the second Sunday after Easter, dates back to 1925.

"As to why someone first started going out there, I can't tell you," said Christopher Eversmann, one of the event's organizers. "But it's just a gorgeous setting. It's a good opportunity to be reminded of the majesty of God's creation. All you've got to do is look up at those majestic oaks."

The church, built between 1745 and 1757, was spiritual home to some of the wealthiest families of colonial South Carolina. But that was before British soldiers burned it in 1778.

RELIGION PAGE EDITOR
JIMMY PATTERSON

Cardinal criticizes Sunday Little League, soccer

By David W. Chen
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — His first pitch was hurled at Major League Baseball. Now, it's Little League and soccer.

In his second remark in recent weeks about how the world of sports is interfering with the realm of the spirit, Cardinal John O'Connor, the archbishop of New York, said that Little League and soccer games are sometimes scheduled on Sunday mornings — and that, in too many cases, is causing religion to be pushed aside.

"Why is it religion that must always accommodate?" O'Connor wrote Thursday in his column in Catholic New York, the weekly newspaper of the Archdiocese of New York. "How many altar pas-

tors have been told by altar servers, 'I can't serve Sunday. I have a Little League game'? This is the constant erosion, the constant secularization of our culture, that I strongly believe to be a serious mistake."

The column, titled "Unthinkable as a Cigar at Breakfast at Age 10," followed Cardinal O'Connor's observation last month that all 30 Major League clubs played on Good Friday. Playing on Good Friday, he said, "cheapens our culture, no matter how big the box-office receipts."

In the Good Friday column, the cardinal said he would boycott Major League Baseball for the 1998 season, but did not explicitly encourage others to do like-

wise. Similarly, while the cardinal did not encourage a boycott of the children's sports, he made it clear that he was gravely concerned that parents have their priorities backward.

"Can't we who are, hopefully, adults," he wrote, "encourage priorities of values among youngsters who will be pressured soon enough in their lives to subordinate the practice of their faith to a thousand competing interests?"

It was a question that, at first blush anyway, prompted muted reactions from various interested parties.

Lance Van Auken, a spokesman for Little League baseball, based in Williamsport, Pa., said that while his

'Why is it religion that must always accommodate? How many altar pastors have been told by altar servers, 'I can't serve Sunday, I have a Little League game?'

— Cardinal John J. O'Connor, archbishop of New York

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CULTURE



Todd Larson and Lori Goe, above, are the co-owners of Sound Source, 3205 W. Cuthbert, a new music store specializing in Contemporary Christian Music. Larson hosts a Sunday morning CCM program on KQRX (95.1 FM). Spencer Bennett and KODM morning co-host Karen Carter are pictured in the inset above. Bennett hosts Sunday morning's "Morning Starlight," on KODM (97.9 FM).

Photos: Above, Tim Fischer; top, Curt Willott

The noise grows more joyful

By Jimmy Patterson
Staff writer

The popularity of Contemporary Christian Music is booming as production value, lyrical content continues to strengthen

The opening strains of Steven Curtis Chapman's "Lord of the Dance" are loaded with hot guitar licks that could stand up with most any pop music guitarist nowadays. Listen to the music of Delirious, a British band whose first album hits the United States Tuesday, and the ear that is untrained to Contemporary Christian Music might very well think it is hearing Irish rock group U2. DC Talk has gone from rap to alternative Christian, and Jars of Clay has more of a modern rock sound to it.

Whatever sound soothes your ear, it can likely be found in today's big business world of CCM.

Christian music — or at least the production values of the genre — has come a long way since "Holy, Holy, Holy." Lyrically, the end message of the music is by and large the same as it has been since the days of "Rock of Ages" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Stick production methods and niche recording that appeals to a wide range of music fans has turned what was previously a stagnant format in the '70s into a multi-million dollar phenomenon. Industry observers and those faithful to the format believe CCM will only get better and better as the music's fan base grows larger and larger.

Please see CCM/4C

'Road pastors' help rock bands travel straight and narrow

By Lori Wiechman
Associated Press Writer



John Poltevent, 27, the road pastor for the Christian rock band Third Day

ATLANTA — After the concert ends and the fans leave, one person heads to the hotel with the rock band Third Day: their minister.

He prays with the five musicians, advising the men, all in their 20s, how to handle the adoration of teen-age fans. They confide in him about relation-

ships with their wives, with each other, and with God, who they believe wants them to spread his message through music.

A few Christian rock bands, including Third Day and 1998 Grammy winners DC Talk, have pastors who travel with them to help them practice the message they preach.

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GLEN JACKSON

How to donate \$1 billion — effectively

Last year, Ted Turner, owner of the Atlanta Braves and a number of cable broadcast stations, donated \$1 billion to the United Nations. His gift is the interest he would have received from his stock market investments and will be paid out of the next 10 years.

Five years ago, Walter Annenberg donated \$500 million to various public schools. Spread over five years, the money had no strings attached, allowing schools to use it in any way they saw fit. This is the final year of the project, and there is not much to show for the expenditures. The money went mostly to administrative needs and has made little impact on the quality of education.

People in Southern California have been blessed by the generosity of the Getty family with the recent opening of the Getty Museum. The family has spent nearly \$1 billion for a museum, and charges patrons a grand total of \$5 for admission.

Both the president and vice president recently

released their 1997 IRS tax results. The Clintons' taxable income was \$570,000, out of which they paid \$90,000 in taxes. Because Mrs. Clinton donated all of her book royalties to charity, they received a \$270,000 charitable deduction. Mr. and Mrs. Gore made nearly \$200,000, paid \$47,000 in taxes and deducted \$350 in charitable donations. That is not a typo: they gave to charity \$1 for every \$400 earned.

Turner, Annenberg, Getty, the Clintons and others are to be praised for their generosity, but they are not alone in giving. Across America, people band together, pool their resources and help the needy. It is not just the rich who give. In fact, recent IRS information indicates that the wealthy actually give a smaller percentage of their income than do the poor or middle class.

The publicity surrounding these gifts has brought to light the important role of wealthy philanthropists. One of the reasons Ted Turner made his gift so public was to shame other billionaires into matching his generosity. Time will tell if his play worked.

In the meantime, it is not unfair to ask, "To what should the wealthy give?" Both the Annenberg and Turner gifts were given to groups with extremely high administrative overheads and a history of financial waste. Maybe there are other charities which would use

these gifts better.

Walter Annenberg donated his money to public schools because he was convinced that the problem with our schools was a lack of money. He discovered that the problem is not money but rather mismanagement of existing money. The average public school receives about \$6,000 for each student enrolled. The Washington, D.C., school district receives \$10,000 per student and has the highest drop-out rate in the nation. A startling truth jumps out when you do the math: Assigning 25 students to each room gives the school district \$150,000 per classroom. Pay the teacher \$50,000 and that leaves \$100,000 per class for other expenses. Where does all that money go? In Los Angeles, more than half the students in the public high schools can't do homework because there are not enough books to go around. That is not a shame, it is a crime.

The Catholic school system (in Los Angeles) charges about \$2,200 per student and does a far superior job than that done by the public schools. Had Mr. Annenberg given his gift to the Catholic Church Scholarship fund for needy children, 20,000 students would have been given a

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✓ The Week Ahead: Faith Opportunities for May 17-18

Today

✓ Mission work

Two missionaries are to speak 9 a.m. Sunday at the Second Ward of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1805 Gateway.

A third missionary, Jim Hassman, son of former Midland resident Josephine Hassman and the late Corley Hassman, is to speak of his mission experience during the 9 a.m. service today at 2101 Tarrion.

Michael Grandy, son of Paul and Aleta Grandy, has returned from his mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Malaga, Spain.

Grandy spent several months in Medford, Ore., ministering to Hispanic migrant workers. Areas of Grandy's service in pain include Cadiz, Seville, Jerez and Almeria. He also worked in Ceuta, North Africa. Some of his assignments were: trainer, zone leader and English instructor. He is employed by Lee George Construction through the summer. He will resume his engineering studies at Brigham Young University in the fall, summing up his missionary experience, Grandy quoted John Ruskin: "The greatest reward is not what we receive from our labor, but what we become by it."

Jonathan Potter, 19, the son of Nolan and Judy Potter, has been called to serve a proselyting mission to Vancouver, Canada. Potter will begin a two-year mission May 27 when he reports to the Missionary Training Center, Provo, Utah, before going to Canada. Potter is a 1997 graduate of Midland High School where he was in honors English for four years and Outstanding English Honor student in 1996. He placed first in region in Principles of Technology and also Best in State. He graduated from Seminary, the early morning scripture study program for LDS high school students, after attending for four years. Other positions of church service he has performed include second assistant to the Bishop in the Priest's Quorum and primary teacher. Hassman recently returned from a two-year voluntary mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the Queson City Philippines Mission and spent the first three months

of his mission in jungle areas teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ in their native language. He then served in Metro Manila for several months before being assigned to serve as assistant to the president of the Queson City Philippines Mission, Gordon Watts. As assistant, he helped coordinate mission assignments and supervised teaching activities for the numerous missionaries serving throughout the Queson City mission area. "I loved serving the people of the Philippines and learned a lot from them," said Hassman. "Being away from the United States, I realized how blessed we are to live in America and how much we tend to take for granted all that we have." He plans to work during the summer and will attend Ricks College in Rexburg, Idaho, where he will study agricultural engineering. He was a 1995 graduate of Garden City High School. His family now lives in Eager, Ariz.

✓ Bible study

A Bible study for single mothers begins today at First Baptist Church. The study will be led by Pam Roman at 11 a.m. in Room E201. There is no cost for the materials. For more information call the Adult Education office at the church, 683-0612.

✓ Cowboy church

West Texas Cowboy Church is being held at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Midland County Exhibit Building, east Highway 80. Monty Price will be speaking. Music will be provided by Susan and Leann Price. Services are casual. For more information call the church's pastor, the Rev. Steve Miller, 1-915-333-4652.

✓ Special service

Veterans of the U.S. armed services and those currently serving will be honored in observance of Armed Forces Day during the service 10:45 a.m. Sunday at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 3309 Neely. Mayor Bobby Burns will participate in the service along with the Rev. Robert Walter. Presentation of colors and special music will be part of the special tribute. The public is invited to attend.

For more information call the church, 684-4517.

✓ Pool party

A Children/Youth Choir party for St. Mark's United Methodist Church is set for today in the clubhouse and swimming pool at Windtree Apartments, 3600 W. Loop 250 north. A cook-out is planned along with games, music and swimming. For more information call Cameron Givan, 520-8432. The children will sing and ring in the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday at St. Mark's UMC.

✓ Graduation service

First United Methodist Church will recognize its graduating seniors during the 10:35 a.m. service Sunday. All high school seniors who attend First UMC have been invited to wear their caps and gowns to church where they will be acknowledged and congratulated. Before the worship service, the graduating seniors and their families will attend a Rose Breakfast hosted by the church. The Building Committee at First UMC invites anyone with concerns about the proposed improvements in the sanctuary and fellowship hall to attend a question and answer session at 9:20 and 11:45

a.m. Sunday in the sanctuary.

✓ Aid association

Aid Association for Lutherans Mission Branch No. 10519 will have its regular monthly meeting at 12:30 p.m. Sunday at Holy Lutheran Church, 2003 N. A St. All members of Branch No. 10519 are invited to attend. AALM is designed to bring Lutheran people together to pursue quality living through financial security, volunteer action and helping for others.

Monday

✓ T-shirt painting

Greta Elliot is teaching T-shirt painting from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Monday at First Baptist Church. Also, this week she will be teaching Memory Box on Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m., wreaths on Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and photo albums on Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The church will provide basic supplies for each project (included in the class fee). Class fee for T-shirts is \$10 and for wreaths is \$5. For more information call the Activities Building, 683-0647 or 683-0648. All interested persons are invited to attend. Child care will be provided with a reservation.

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CARDINAL: Parents have mixed reactions

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organization appreciated the cardinal's comments, "it's fairly rare" that Little League games are held on Sunday mornings. But no day is off limits, he added, out of deference to a local community's ethnic and religious composition.

"There are probably dozens of religions that are represented in Little League," he said. "So it became impractical and improper for us to mandate one day being more special than all others."

Dick Wilson, national executive director of American Youth Soccer Organization, which organizes soccer games for 615,000 children across the country, said that Sunday morning games were a concern in many communities. But because soc-

cer is such a booming sport, he said, "sometimes, in a tournament situation, you need to cram a bunch of stuff in on Sunday mornings."

Parents also had mixed reactions to O'Connor's statements. Several said they would not play on Sundays — or Saturdays or any other important day on the religious calendar. But many did not think that Sunday morning sports and Sunday morning spirituality were mutually exclusive.

"I think the cardinal has got a good point and he's asking a deeper question: 'What are your values?'" said Jim Manwell, a retail executive who lives in Brooklyn and describes himself as a devout Roman Catholic and avid soccer fan. "But there's nothing wrong with playing a little ball on Sunday morning."

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ROAD: Pastors offer suggestions for better spiritual living

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The pastors don't think of themselves as enforcers. "I try to stay away from that definition," says John Poitevent, Third Day's 27-year-old road pastor. "I am not a spiritual watchdog or a spiritual policeman."

Instead, Poitevent and Michael Guido, a pastor from Nashville, Tenn., for the group DC Talk, say they form friendships and build trust with the musicians. Guido also tours with Audio Adrenaline and Jars of Clay.

Such pastors also offer suggestions for better spiritual living on the road, says Frank Breeden, president of the Gospel Music Association based in Nashville. The GMA, which announces the annual Dove Awards, recently elected a chaplain for the industry.

"These bands are well-known celebrities to their fans and beyond their fan base," says Breeden. "There come the temptations of fame where, in any given day, you

are prone to feel like you are above normal morals and society. I know these bands, record labels and managers are very concerned about this."

Four years ago, scandal hit the Christian music industry when Michael English, named best artist by GMA in 1994, returned his Dove Awards and left gospel music. His departure came after he admitted to an affair with gospel singer Marabeth Jordan while both were married to others. Ms. Jordan, pregnant with his child, later miscarried. English is now trying to launch a comeback.

Such cases, Breeden says, caused the gospel music industry to address the artist's spiritual side.

For Third Day, that means Poitevent. He leads Bible study every other day, prays with band members before and after concerts and offers individual counseling with musicians and crew. "He's helping us stay focused on what we know God has called us to do," says guitarist Brad Avery.

After touring for a year, the band hired Poitevent. Since then, the musicians have written a mission statement to shape business decisions with secular record companies in a competitive Christian music industry.

Avery compares the band's need for a full-time road pastor to the body's need for food. "You can only run so much on one meal. It's the same situation spiritually," the 26-year-old says. "You go to church. The pastor speaks a message from God... if that's all you do one time a year, it's probably not going to do it for you."

Poitevent sees his ministry a bit differently. "What Third Day really desired was somebody who could be there for them," says the pastor, wearing jeans, Birken-

stocks and a T-shirt at The Atlanta-Vinyard, a church in suburban Dunwoody where he has an office. "These guys can't go to church because they are on the road. I'm a pastor for a church of five."

A singer and guitar player, Poitevent considers this road ministry a calling that mixes what he loves to do. Yet that also presents the toughest challenge. Touring with his congregation at least 20 days a month, he often must draw the line between being a friend and being an authority.

"There's times when I crack the whip," he says. "If they get attitudes that are out of control, I just say, 'Hey man, you know, you're a leader. You can't afford to have an attitude because other people are going to follow you.'"

JACKSON: Giving wisely the key

(From 1C)

quality, 12-year education. Most of these students would have been prepared to enter college. That would have made a real impact in the lives of those young people and broken the poverty cycle in their families.

Ted Turner gave his money to the U.N. agency which oversees world relief. How much money actually makes it to the needy will be determined in the next 10 years. My hope is not high. On the other hand, what would organizations such as the Salvation Army, World Vision, or Samaritan's Purse do with a billion dollars? More than 85 percent of the money given to the Salvation Army gets to those in need. In contrast, only 28 percent of the government's welfare budget actually gets to those in need. If the government laid off all employees associated with the welfare program and doubled what is now given to those on welfare, that budget would be cut in half.

In charity work, it is not how much is spent, but rather how much gets to those in need. Giving large sums of money to poorly run organizations is not a wise investment. Neither Turner nor Annenberg would accept in their business ventures the mismanagement of funds that many of these

"charitable" organizations practice. Were they to own the charities they have given to, drastic changes would be made to make them more efficient.

This is true of every citizen who gives to a charity. Some give for the tax benefit involved. Others give because they feel better afterward. A few give because they actually desire to help others. It is not enough to simply give money away, we must all give wisely.

Jesus stated that the second great commandment was to "Love your neighbor as yourself." His words restated an Old Testament law. We all need to help the needy. The best way to help, though, is to give to organizations that use money wisely. Throughout history, God's people have sought to aid the spiritual and the physical needs of people. Churches were built and used as schools. The preaching of the gospel was accompanied with the opening of soup kitchens. Giving generously to help the poor is a part of God's work on earth. Those who desire to help the needy should give to groups that truly help. This is true of those who give millions, and it is true for those who give \$10.

Glen Jackson is a pastor in Simi Valley, Calif.

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CCM: Future looks bright for burgeoning format

(From 1C)

Jars of ... Amy

"Looking back over the last two decades of CCM, observers feel two main artists in the format have helped mold the music into its current form: Amy Grant and Jars of Clay."

"I think in the late '70s and early '80s, when Amy Grant took off was a major defining moment," said Todd Larsson, co-owner of Sound Source, a CCM music store that has been open in Midland for a week. "Later in the '80s, when she crossed over into the mainstream market, that was a big moment. It finally let people accept Christian music and know that Christian music was good quality. Here was someone with an incredible voice, with great production, recording great songs and making it on both the Christian and secular charts."

"Jars of Clay is probably the biggest thing going now for the CCM market as far as their acceptance. Tons of kids listen to them. The quality is so good."

Larsson, a Midland teacher, said that several teen-agers at school had listened to Jars of Clay for several weeks before they even realized what they were listening to was Christian music.

"The kids didn't even have any idea they were into (CCM)," Larsson said.

Spencer Bennett, co-host of the Morning Starlight, Sunday mornings on KODM (97.9 FM), says the production values have brought people closer to the music.

"I think that's the whole key," Bennett said. "If the music's not any good, it doesn't matter what the lyrical content is, people won't listen to it. If you sit back and listen today, you can hear the production quality just wasn't there in the '70s and '80s. Today, major record companies are really buying into it and the production value is really good; there are great writers and the lyrics add the word of God to it."

Jars of Clay recently released its second major label album, "Much Afraid." The group's lyrics are not overtly Christian and often speak in subtler tones.

"The lyrics are more for the intelligent listener," Larsson said. "It's not 'Jesus loves me' in every phrase, but it's definitely there. Their song, 'Love Song for a Saviour' is saying I want to fall in love with you and talking about Christ, which is more modern rock."

Much Afraid

Both Bennett and Larsson agree that the Jars of Clay song, "Flood" was a major turning point for Christian music. Newcomers to CCM may be surprised to know that the genre does not serve up strictly a positive message, although the lyrics are never offensive. Certain forms of CCM music may not be for the entire

family, but CCM lyrics are universally Christian in nature.

"Flood" is actually about falling down under the weight of sin, about everything coming down around you, and reaching up for Christ," Larsson said. "In the video (yes, CCM has even entered the video market) the singer is stuck in the mud, but knows that the true source of salvation is Christ."

"What If I Stumble," by DC Talk also talks about human frailties. "What If I lose my step and make fools of us all? Will the love continue, when my walk becomes a crowd?"

Michael W. Smith's "Love Me Good," from his just-released album, "Live the Life," acknowledges popular culture with the line, "Sometimes I wish I was in a movie or some '70's TV thing where everything gets neatly wrapped up by the end of the show." The song addresses the pitfalls and dangers of a world filled with "clowns and freaks and camels and such."

Some bands or artists, such as Jars of Clay, choose to use lyrics that often don't directly talk of Christ. Others, like dcTalk, are more direct. Whatever the approach, the end message is always the same: hope and salvation in a troubled world.

"A lot of the lyrics," Larsson said, "deal with heartache and strife in this world. A lot of other songs that deal with frustration and pain and the longing for our true home in heaven. I definitely wouldn't say it's always a feel-good message, but if you look deep enough the message is positive. Christian music is very authentic."

Speaking the language

Not only must today's Contemporary Christian Music address the very real concern of human fallibility and life's bumpy road, it must do so in a way that speaks to young people.

"The biggest thing I've seen is the way Christian artists are able to reach kids through the music," Larsson said. "We had a kid come into (Sound Source) the other day looking for a CD of Rancid (a heavy

metal band). He didn't realize it was a Christian music store. After he listened to some of the music, he came back and brought a friend."

Both Bennett and Larsson agree that as big as Jars of Clay has been with young people, Delirious will be even bigger. Their first album in the United States, "King of Fools" will be released in the United States on Tuesday. Richly textured instrumentally, the group's lyrics are more overtly Christian than Jars, but the words are expertly written and deftly delivered by Martin Smith who goes from sounding like Sting and Bono one minute to no one but Martin Smith the next. Delirious could comfortably slide into a sub-genre of Christian arena rock, very appealing to the younger crowd.

As musically power-filled as the album is, the closing track, "What A Friend I've Found" is a moving ballad. Imagine "Wild Horses" era Rolling Stones recording "What A Friend We Have in Jesus." Smith does his finest imitation of U2's Bono on the power ballad that is truly a memorable piece of music, Christian or otherwise.

"Delirious will be one of the biggest things to come out of the Christian music scene," Larsson said.

Big Biz: Good or bad

With all this acceptance, all this slick production, poetic lyrics and talented artists pouring into Christian music, the end result is inevitably money. Lots of it. The culture has become big business, regardless of whether you're talking about the power chords of Delirious and dcTalk, the youthful sound of the Newsboys or the comfortable adult contemporary niche of Michael W. Smith.

"Certainly (the talent) pumps more money into the industry, but where do you draw the line

between a business and a ministry?" Bennett asked. "There's nothing wrong with artists making money. None of these Christian artists would say Amy Grant should not have gone into adult contemporary. That's fine. She's secular and Christian both. She doesn't have to apologize for the way she does her music. The way she lives her life, she can do that."

Bennett, though, warns against one thing: "There are so many idols out there, even music can become an idol. It's great that a person listens to Contemporary Christian Music. Some of the best parts of my week come during Starlight. In most cases it's positive music that makes you feel close to God... but it can't be a substitute for God."

And the future? "I think CCM is still in its infancy," Bennett said. "Record companies are beginning to see this as a profitable market. Production values have come up and the artists are fantastic. I think we'll see a growth in it."

"As the world gets darker, people will look for light and look for the answer. If they listen long enough, they'll hear the answer. Contemporary Christian is great for people who may not read the Bible, because God may speak to them through the music."

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Air Force Museum Brings History to Life

In 1997 the United States Air Force celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding. Even though it is America's junior service, the Air Force has a rich history that has become the basis for a must-see museum. Internationally recognized as the largest and oldest military aviation museum in the world the Air Force Museum is located northeast of Dayton, Ohio on Ohio Route 4 six miles east of I-75. We took a trip through the museum recently and came away more than impressed. Our trip was a quick look-see just to get an idea of what was there. The walk-through took almost two hours so visitors should set aside an entire day to get the full benefit of what the museum has to offer. One day would barely be enough to fully cover the museum's ten acres of aircraft and other exhibits. Visitors will find over 300 aircraft and major missiles on display. Not models but full-size aircraft that once flew. According to the Air Force the Museum is Ohio's number one non-commercial tourist attraction.

Aviation History

The aircraft on display not only cover the history of the Air Force, but are also a virtual history of aviation. From a full-size reproduction of the Wright brother's B-Flyer to a Spad XVI flown in WWI combat by Brig. Gen. "Billy" Mitchell, to 30's fighters and bombers to WWII aircraft to the Apollo 15 space capsule up to modern aircraft including the SR-71 "Blackbird" and F-117 "Stealth" aircraft, visitors will find an incredible range of aircraft and aviation history. And those are just the displays in the main part of the museum. Two other hangers, the Presidential Collection Hanger and the Research and Development/Flight Test Hanger, located on the Wright Field flight line give visitors a look at the aircraft that carried US Presidents Roosevelt, Truman and Eisenhower. The Research and Development/Flight Test section will give some insight into what it takes to develop a modern fighter or bomber. Visitors can walk through the three Presidential aircraft. Other aircraft used by later Presidents are also on display. But aircraft displays aren't the only features at the Air Force Museum. Immediately inside the museum's entrance are a model shop, book store and souvenir shop that will tempt any aviation buff. The book store features hundreds of books on the history of civilian and military aviation. You'll find reproduction manuals for WWII fighters and bombers, biographies, general aviation magazines and books and more aircraft-related printed material than you ever believe existed. Next to the book store is the model shop where you'll find everything from simple, balsa flying models to plastic model kits to assembled models of all the important aircraft that are a part of the Air Force's history. It was all we could do to keep from breaking out the charge card and running it up to the limit. Across from the book and model shops is the souvenir counter where you'll find everything from leather flying jackets to lapel pins.

IMAX Theater

The Air Force Museum's other "don't miss" feature is its IMAX theater. With its six story high screen and six channel sound system the IMAX theater gives you an unforgettable experience. Words are not enough to describe the IMAX experience. Only the real thing will do. Shows are every hour, on the hour and there is a charge for admission into the IMAX Theater. The Air Force Museum is open year-round except Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's days. Parking and admission are free.

More Information

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Museum at (937) 255-3286 or writing them at: United States Air Force Museum, 1100 Spaatz St., Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433-7102.

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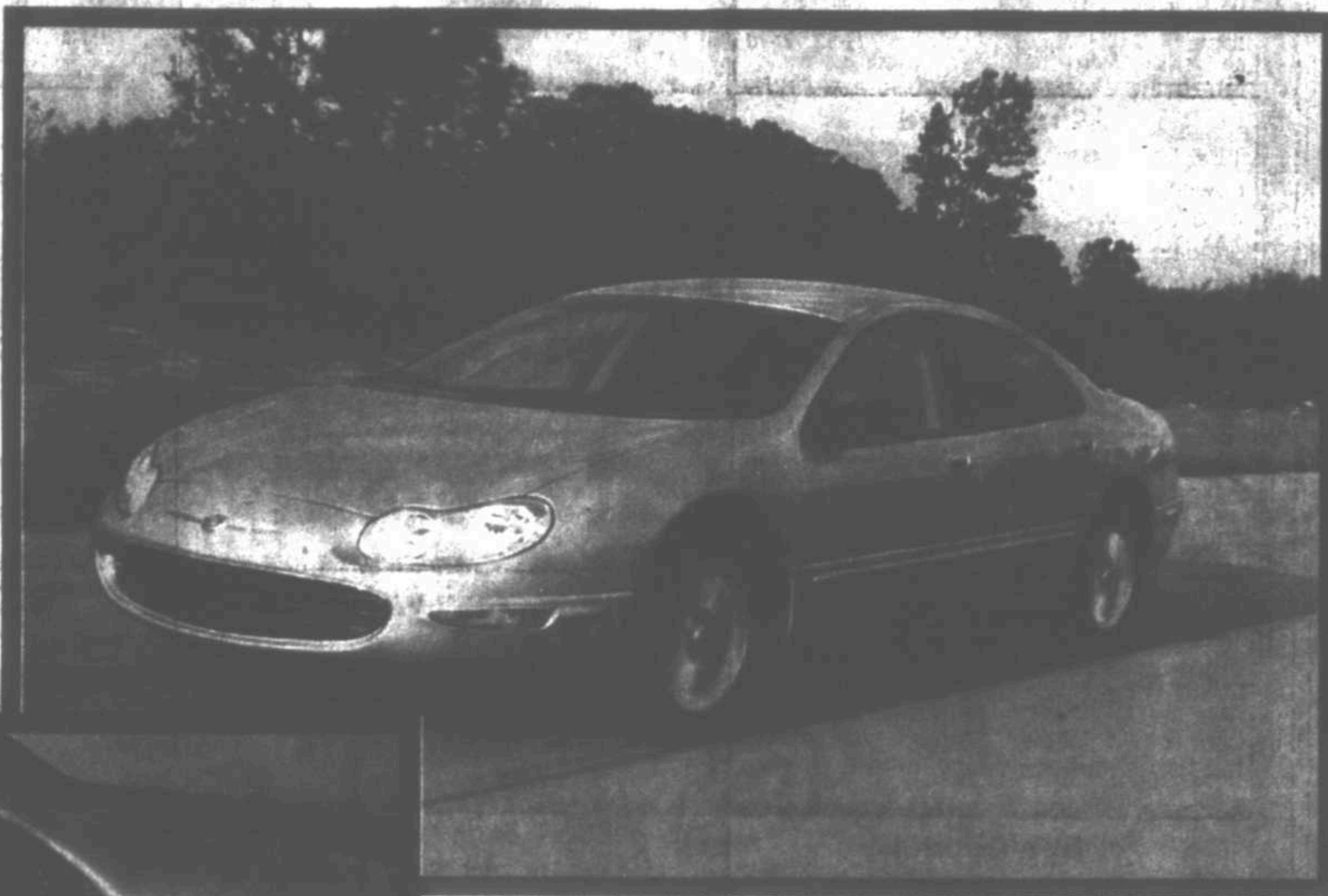
By Ken Chester, Jr.

The Chrysler Concorde LXI is a sedan for consumers looking for a stylish automobile that breaks out of the current aerodynamic mold. All new for '98, the automaker has designed a large sedan that is both modern and classic at the same time, making a real distinction between it and the Dodge Intrepid, which shares the same floorpan. I spent some quality time over the last few months with this sedan and came away very impressed.

Chrysler Raises the Bar

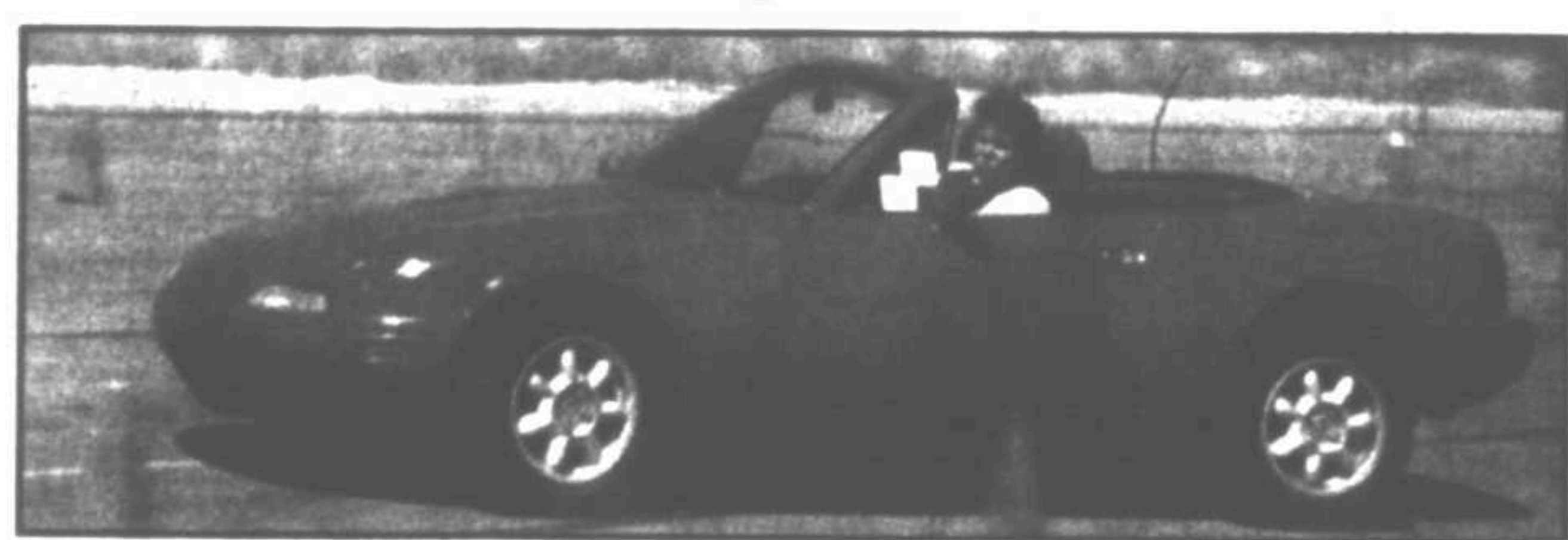
Built exclusively at its home plant in Brambleton, Ontario, Canada, the front drive Concorde is much more than new sheetmetal. Available

in base and LXI trim, the large Chrysler sedan has a unique look of elegance. Chrysler engineers spent plenty of computer time to perfect this new sedan of its namesake — before the first prototype was ever built. The automaker spent \$624 million to develop two all new aluminum multi-valve six cylinder engines — the 2.7L and 3.2L. These powerplants replace the pushrod 3.3L and 3.5L engines of last year's model. With more power and better fuel economy, the 2.7L DOHC engine makes 200 horsepower at 5,800 rpm and 190 ft.-lbs of torque at 4,850 rpm; while the 3.2L SOHC engine delivers 225 horsepower at 6,300 rpm and 225 ft.-lbs of torque at 3,800 rpm. On the road, the Chrysler sedan felt solid and secure at speed. It handles like a much smaller car, despite the fact the new Concorde is eight inches longer than last year's model. Inside the cabin, the driver enjoys a good outward view of the road with an overall interior design and layout of displays and controls that is Chrysler's best ever. Seating is very comfortable with the cavernous rear seating area featuring an armrest for the first time. Although I rarely talk much about trunk space, I am compelled to



By the Numbers

Standard safety features include: dual airbags and side-impact door beams. Optional safety equipment includes: four wheel disc brakes with anti-lock (\$600), standard on LXI, and low speed traction control (\$175), also standard on LXI. EPA fuel economy ranges from 21 city/30 highway for the 2.7L engine to 19 city/29 highway for the 3.2L engine. Retail sticker prices range from \$21,305 to \$24,240 for the LXI model. Destination charge adds \$550. Supplies of the Chrysler Concorde continue to improve, so finding the one that you want should not be a problem. There are no rebates. ■



SCCA Sanctioned Solo II in Midland

The West Texas Region of the Sports Car Club of America will sanction an Autocross in Midland on Sunday, May 17th. It will be held at the Christensen Stadium South Parking Lot (Midland Angels 13baseball Stadium.) The event is sponsored by Jack Sherman Chevrolet-Buick Mazda, and is co-hosted by the West Texas Chapter of the Miata Club of America and the WTR SCCA. This is the first event sanctioned by the SCCA in the Midland/Odessa area since the 1970's.

Autocrossing is a non-wheel-to-wheel competition in which drivers negotiate a miniature road course that is marked out by orange rubber construction cones (pylons.) Cars run the course one at a time in a race against the clock. Each "run" of the course is timed, and the lowest time wins. As in most other types of racing, autocross competitors are classed so that they compete only against vehicles with comparable performance. The Sports Car Club of America is the largest sanctioner of autocross events, which the club calls "Solo II's."

The nice thing about autocrossing is that it provides the perfect entrance into the world of motorsport racing. It teaches razor-sharp

car control, increases hand/eye coordination, and provides intense competition - all within the confines of a safe environment. In addition, autocrossing is not unduly harsh on equipment. This helps keep costs down, as does the emphasis on driver rather than vehicle preparation.

According to SCCA Assistant Regional Executive Bruce Pullig, "anyone can come out and compete. We have a class for almost anything with 4 wheels."

The SCCA will host a class at 8:30 a.m. for new drivers. This class is not mandatory. Registration starts at 11:30 a.m. and the driver's meeting is at noon. It costs \$10.00 per entry for non-SCCA members and first time drivers get their first entry for \$5.00.

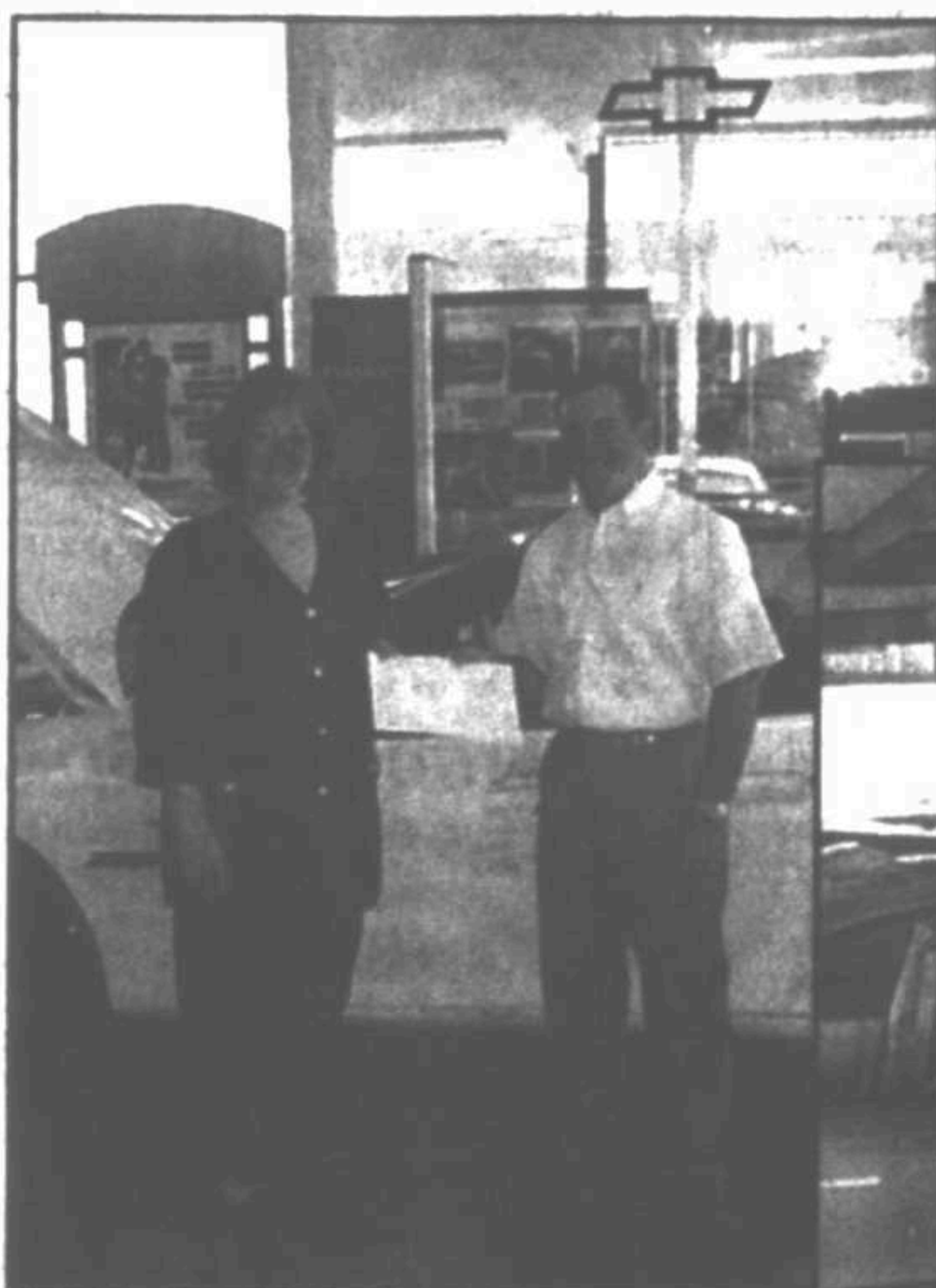
For more information, check out the West Texas Region's website at: <http://rgfn.epcc.edu/users/ag733/midinst.htm> or the Pullig Racing website at: <http://users.nwol.net/~bpullig/ola.html>. For information on the West Texas Chapter of the Miata Club of America, contact Steve Spain at Jack Sherman Mazda.

Midlander Edith Aycock wins Ford Windstar in national essay contest



Pictured: L to R, David Aycock, Ford Motor Company; William "Doss" Rogers, owner Rogers Ford; Edith Aycock, winner of Ford Windstar. See related story on page 1A.

Spring Fling Winners



Pictured: L to R, Lise Hamonic, winner of drawing for a trip to Las Vegas (3 Days & 2 Nights). Presented by Darrell Dixon, New Car Sales Manager, Jack Sherman.

Pictured: Betty Thibau, winner of \$200 gift certificate to Home Depot. Presented by Don James, Owner, Toyota of Midland.

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Renovations continue, programs begin at Dellwood Baptist

By Jimmy
Patterson
Staff writer

Renovation and repairs to Dellwood Baptist Church continue as new programs begin and membership grows, according to Pastor Bill Strickland.

It's been almost a year since work began at Dellwood, located at 3225 W. Ohio.

"We're making repairs here and there," Strickland said. "We repaired the parsonage fence, and we're doing some paint work and upkeep to the building itself. We're trying to improve the looks of the building while providing fundamental upkeep."

Among the church's new programs is a Wednesday evening meal which precedes the mid-week worship service.

"The reason we started the meal is that most of our members work at their jobs, then hurry home and eat fast in order to get to the Wednesday night service. We can eliminate part of that hurrying by including a meal.

Dinner is served at

Dellwood at 6:30 p.m. Youth and children's classes, and adult prayer time starts at 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays.

An outreach program at Airline Mobile Home Park is now in place Mondays at 7 p.m. Two families that attend Dellwood live in the park and report that, although attendance has thus far been minimal, there is hope for a growing attendance.

"The purpose is twofold," Strickland said. "To teach the Bible and to serve as an outreach ministry for that area of the community."

Strickland said that since his arrival over two years ago, attendance at Dellwood has grown from 20 to its

present 90. The church's goal is to reach 100 by the end of 1998.

"We're getting a younger church," the 51-year-old Strickland said. "When I first came here, we were predominantly older, now we're getting younger families. I'd say 65 percent of the church is 40 or younger."

Strickland described his church as family oriented with a membership made up mainly of middle-class working families.

"That seems to be what we draw, doing what we do with our traditional, conservative approach to scriptures that are biblically

related through studies and outreach."

Vacation Bible School at Dellwood is scheduled for June 8-12. A revival is set to begin July 9.

Strickland is a trustee for State Missions of Texas and vice moderator of the Plains Baptist Association. He has pastored churches in Weatherford, Fort Worth, Dallas, Snyder and Commerce before coming to Dellwood.

Sunday school at Dellwood is at 9:30 a.m. Worship services begin at 10:45 a.m., and again Sunday evening at 6:30.



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Grant Geophysical
We have immediate openings for the following positions:
VIBRATOR OPERATORS/SHOOTERS
GPS SURVEY HELPERS
SKETCHMAN

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110 W. Louisiana, Suite 440
Midland, TX 79701
(915)885-3090 - phone
(915)885-3098 - fax

314 Clerical Help Wanted

***COLLECTOR NEEDED**

Position available immediately. Medium size office with accounts. Experience required. Salary will commensurate with experience. Send resume to: P.O. Box 12638, Odessa, Texas 79768 or fax to: 915-367-7851.

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE position - immediate opening. Experience: Lotus, computer knowledge, 10 key by touch. Non-smoking office. Fax 561-8749, mail: P.O. Box 60010, Midland, TX 79711.

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***OFFICE MANAGER**
Needed immediately. Must be mature, honest and dependable, full time and non-smoking environment. Call 1-888-227-0801.

CERICAL OPENINGS, at least 6 months experience. Call OLSTEN today, 686-8807.



DISPATCHER For Midland, Texas

American Energy Services, a fast growing fracturing and acidizing company, has an opening for a DISPATCHER at our Midland, Texas District.

Requirements:

- Minimum 21 years of age
- Pass physical and drug screen
- Previous experience is a plus

Pay - Depending on experience

Please apply at:
2401 E. I-20 Access Rd.
Midland, TX
or call (915) 570-4899
Monday - Friday
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

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MECHANICS

American Energy Services, a fast growing fracturing and acidizing company, has several openings for Mechanics at our Midland, Texas District.

Requirements:

- Minimum 21 years of age
- Good driving record
- Pass DOT physical and drug screen
- Class A CDL license preferred
- Must be willing to relocate to Midland Texas

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318 Sales Help Wanted

MAJOR OIL FIELD equipment company looking for experienced sales person for new and used pumping unit sales in Permian Basin area. Must be a self starter with ambition and drive. Please fax resume to (405)341-5182.

MANAGEMENT Position involving phone work. Prior automotive sales preferred. Full time. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume Attn: Jennifer, P.O. Box 82593, San Angelo, Texas 76902 or Fax 1-888-353-2275.

SALES HELP WANTED
Established supplier of industrial bearings, electric motors, power transmission equipment and pipeline products seeks an outside salesperson. Base salary, commission and benefits. Send resume to: Manager, P.O. Box 80580, Midland, Texas 79708.

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Has Immediate Openings For Aggressive Sales Oriented People In:
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Salary DOE.
Send resume to:
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Odessa, Texas 79760.

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SALES PERSON wanted. Requires knowledge of all phases of beam pumping equipment - particularly downhole rods, tubing, pumps, and dynamometer card interpretation. Prefer experience and will train in sales skills. resume to Sales Person, P.O. Box 1073, Midland 79702

SALES POSITION: Commissioned Salesperson needed for independently owned local business with 50 years in the relocation industry. 90 Days guaranteed salary. 401K Plan, medical insurance, car allowance. Sales experience a must, degree preferred. Large territory, dependable transportation required. Send resume to 3207 Commercial Drive, Midland, TX 79701.

318 Management Help Wanted

GENERAL MANAGER: truck and equipment sales. Must have extensive automotive sales experience. Salary plus incentives. Apply in person BIDCO Corp., 312 W. Second, Odessa.

MANAGER/SALES: hiring immediately. Apply in person at 2505 N. Dixie, Odessa, Texas or fax resume to: (806)795-8143 or mail to 3207 34th St., Lubbock, TX 79410.

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NEED Electronics Technician with 10 years experience. Must have a good working knowledge and experience with Windows 3.1/95, video equipment, RF & FM systems, test equipment, metering, oscilloscope, spectrum analyzer, frequency counter, etc. Must be willing to travel. We offer a competitive benefit package. Send resume and salary requirements to: 1004 N. Big Spring, Suite 503-LB3, Midland, Texas 79701.

319 THEATERS
Odessa is now accepting applications/resumes for assistant managers. Expected first years earnings from \$12,000 to \$15,000 plus overtime. To apply come by our office at 4221 Preston Smith Rd. or call 552-7996.

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2304 STOREY, Saturday, 8:00- Noon. Spring Cleanout!!! Too, too much to mention!

2801 DELANO, Saturday 9-5. Beds, couches, book cases, dressers, baby furniture set, lots of baby items, big mens clothes, exercise equipment, appliances, more!

1700 S. Lamesa Road, Saturday 9 till? Backyard sale!!! Lots of clothes- all sizes, big men clothes, miscellaneous.

***CLOTHES HORSE CLEANS CLOSET & HOUSE!!!**

Barely worn ladies designer clothing (4-8) jewelry, hats, shoes, girls (pre teen 8-12), toys, mens large & extra large, TV, dishwasher, computer, linens, home decor, lots more!!!
8 am-12 noon Saturday
1703 W. Culbert
Cash Only!

901 W. LOUISIANA, Saturday only! 8 am-2 Multi-family garage sale! Clothes, household items, miscellaneous.

2612 W. Front St. Saturday 8-3. Iglesia Bautista Grace Church sale for youth fund. Furniture, clothes, appliances and many other items.

2309 W. KENTUCKY, Moonlight Madness at a Garage Sale? You bet! Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 6 pm to 9 pm. Complete king size bed, king size waterbed, miscellaneous furniture, boys bike, National Geographic from 1950-up, Washer, dryer. Lots more!

2611 W. GOLF COURSE, Friday and Saturday 8 am. Furniture, household items, tools, etcetera!

1200 COLLEGE, Friday 9 am to? Saturday 8 am to? Big 3 family garage sale! Baby items, furniture, clothes, office furniture & supplies, miscellaneous.

608 SOUTH TERRELL, Friday 8-6 pm. Saturday 8-5. Garage sale- storage sale. Tools, home furniture, clothes, V's, stereo, office furniture, sofa's, doors, windows, cabinets, much more...

1208 E Chestnut, Saturday- Sunday 8:30-3. Lots of good inexpensive stuff for everyone! Come see!

810 ELK, (north of the duck pond, corner of "B" St.) Saturday 8-? Furniture, golf clubs, lawn mowers, and much more!

2309 COLLEGE, Plumbing supplies, dishwasher, sinks, toilets, etc. Miscellaneous household furniture. Saturday morning.

HUGE GARAGE Sale! Priced to sell! 1808 N "J", Friday & Saturday, 7-5. Sunday, 12-4. Hammond organ, Roadmaster exercise bike, Barbecue grill, linens, garden tools, small TV, girls bike, baby cribs, beds, chest of drawers, vanity, Rinse-Vac machine, chint sets (8) (12), antique adding machine, typewriter, fan & TV. Clothes, shoes galore! Cash only.

1207 W. MONTGOMERY, Five Family Sale! Thursday- Sunday. Tools, furniture, dishes, toys, lots of miscellaneous!

GIGANTIC
MULTI-FAMILY SALE!
Tools, saddles, tack, antiques, furniture, crafts, iron, yard ornaments. Don't miss this one!!!
Saturday 10 am
1915 Garden City Hwy.
(Next to Starlight Tavern)

EVERYTHING MUST GO! Dishes, cookware, furniture, large size clothes (nice & new) jewelry, bedspreads, pictures, lamps, linens and lots more! Saturday, May 14th, 8-?? 1204 E New York.

"Clothes Horse"
NEIGHBOR CLEANS OUT CLOSET TOO!!
1608 Country Club
8 am-12 noon, Saturday Only
Ladies- size 6 and up! Designer Clothes. Liz Claiborne, Albert Nipon St. John, Karen Kane, Ralph Lauren, Guess, Calvin Klein, Ellen Tracy, Black Tie etc. Formal Wear to Sports Wear, Belts, Handbags and Shoes. Men's apparel, Tuxedo, Oxford Suits, Brooks Brothers Shirts!

3204 PARK LANE, Went out of Business Sale & More! Cash registers, electronic scales, display cooler, office furniture, baby items, waterbed, 10 key, lots more! Friday, Saturday & Sunday 8 am.

2806 W. Ohio, Appliances, cook books, collectables, glassware, mowers, edgers, vacuum, toys, jewelry, and nick nacks.

102 S. G St. (Hollie Studio) Saturday 10 am-3 pm. Picture frames, exercise equipment, tools, furniture. Lots more!

1003 "L" Street, (by M & M Trophy) Saturday & Sunday, Unit B-14, 10 am-? One mans trash is another mans treasure!

*****1207 COUNTRY CLUB- Estate Sale! Thursday- Friday 8:30-5:30, Saturday 8:30-4. Twin beds complete, Frigidaire, electric range, console TV, microwave, 3 desks, desk chair, chest of drawers, dresser, antique dresser, bookshelves, dishes, kitchen things, lamps, pictures, jewelry, clothes, linens, folding chairs, couch, hide-a-bed, recliner, vacuum, books. Much miscellaneous! Handled by Floy Maberry.

79703

4512 BROOKDALE, 8:00 am-?? Baby items- stroller, carseats, clothes, etc. Console TV, sleeper sofa, electric range, miscellaneous!

4408 WHILSHIRE, Yard Sale! Washer, Power Walk, computer desk, bookshelf, miscellaneous! Saturday 8 till? Please no early birds!

307 GODFREY (in Alley) Friday- Saturday, 8-4. Treasures to crafts. Books, encyclopedias, tool, left-handed golf clubs, electronics, sporting, clothing, shoes.

4809 W. Storey, (in back) 8-? Huge sale with goods from abandoned storage buildings!

3914 ANETTA- Yard Sale!!! Friday and Saturday. Furniture, clothing, boots, shoes and miscellaneous!

4303 W. STOREY, Two Family Moving Sale! Kitchen stuff, hot tub, bicycle, tools, childrens clothes, toys, furniture, lots of knick knacks. 10 am Friday through Sunday.

ESTATE SALE
9 AM SATURDAY
122 N. DEWBERRY
Furniture, appliances, kitchenware, console TV, much more!

4301 Thomason Drive in Family Center. Church-Wide Garage Sale! Friday- Saturday, 8:00-4:00.

3615 W. MICHIGAN, Saturday 8 am-? Appliances, furniture, clothes, toys, miscellaneous items.

3308 SYCAMORE, Baby boy clothes, lots of baby stuff, tools. Saturday- Sunday, 9-5.

4512 Anetta, Saturday only, 9-1. 1/2 price going out of business Mary Kay sale! And miscellaneous household items!

1508 Alcorn, (off 3800 block of Douglas) Saturday 7:30-? Furniture, glass ware, clothes, and other household treasures.

3521 W MICHIGAN, 9-3.3 Family Sale! Lots of goodies!! Couch, chairs, microwave, miscellaneous!!

* 4604 BROOKDALE (off Midland Dr.) 3 family sale. Friday 8-2, Saturday 8-12. Everything for baby boy or girl. Clothes 0-4 toddler. Adult clothing, furniture, 2 sets of couches, 2 waterbeds, computer, golf clubs, lots of craft supplies.

5004 THOMASON DRIVE- Friday and Saturday 9 am till? Baby crib, girls clothes, lots of miscellaneous!

4402 PARKDALE, Saturday- Sunday, 8-? Clothes, baby items, childrens items, toys, baby bed, sheets.

1509 McDONALD- Inside/ Outside Moving Sale! Beautiful almost new couch, king size bedding set, (2) twin bedding sets, all kinds of furniture, dishes, household goods, lots, lots, more! Saturday 10 am.

4606 CHEROKEE- Moving Sale!!! Home interior, entertainment center, some furniture, linens, bedspreads, high chair, table clothes, pictures, childrens toys galore, Christmas decor, dishes, clothing, too much stuff to list. Friday May 14th, 8 am-1 pm. Saturday May 15th, 8 am-1 pm.

3420 BAUMANN, Saturday, 8:00-2:00. Furniture, clothes, car parts, much more miscellaneous!! Cash only.

406 WOODCREST DRIVE- (off Illinois & under the big blue water tower). Three to four family garage sale! Brand new 14 inch rims and hub caps, bunk beds, refrigerator, kids bicycles, clothes, childrens books, baby items, exercise equipment and lots of miscellaneous! Saturday 8 am.

3516 THOMAS AVE, Saturday 8 am-2 pm. 3 Family Sale. Too much to list!

3807 W. KANSAS, Clothes, pickup toolbox, small TV, miscellaneous! Saturday, 8:00 am.

416 IDLEWILDE, 8 am to? Boys clothes sizes 4 to 6, girls clothes sizes 7 to 10, and tables, toys, household items, miscellaneous.

111 N GLENWOOD- Saturday only 9 to 12. No Early Sale! Utility trailer, household items, furniture, guitar, miscellaneous!

SATURDAY ONLY, 8-2. Annual Lee High School German Club's. 4321 Mercedes. Garage door opener, kitchen items, clothing, miscellaneous!

* 703 ALPINE, Five Family Sale!!! 7 am-4 pm Saturday and Sunday. Appliances, furniture, carpet, vacuum, lawn equipment, fire screen, housewares, bedding, baby equipment, Little Tikes, luggage, crafts, Christmas, men, women and childrens clothing, miscellaneous and lots more!

79705

4501 AMISTAD DRIVE, Saturday, May 14th, 8 am-3 pm. Large couch, household goods, clothing, lots more!

2300 NORTH "L", Moving Sale! 2 Refrigerators, large sofa, new hideabed sofa, large kitchen table with 4 chairs, large microwave. Saturday, 8:00 am.

79705

2000 WARD, Furniture & More!! Saturday only, 8:00-2:00. Too much to mention!

2806 W. SHANDON Friday 12-noon-8 pm, Saturday 8 am-8 pm. Golf, clothes, bedding, dishes, tools, and may other miscellaneous items.

* GOLF COURSE/ LEXINGTON (Alley) AlleyCat Group. Workshop tools, designer clothes, Christmas decorations, jewelry, mens clothing, antique light fixture, golf balls, luggage, playhouse stove, garden tools. Thursday- Saturday, 8-6.

* 2811 CIMMARON *
7:30- Noon
Toys, Sporting Goods, Clothes, Hunting Equipment, My Forgetful Husband, Much, Much More!!

5500 NEWCASTLE (Polo Park), Saturday 8 to 2! Bikes, porta-crib, toys, miscellaneous.

4905 Spy Glass Cir. (Vista West) Saturday 8-12. Electronics, clothes, dishes, household items, miscellaneous.

2106 N. "T" St. Friday- Saturday 9am-5pm. Refrigerator, guitar, and table, (4) P265-75-14 tires, books, luggage, lawn mower, IBM Selectric Type writer, unopened boxes of football & baseball cards, lots of miscellaneous!

2505 GULF, Saturday, 8:00. Boat/ Trailer, racks of clothes. Washer/ dryer. Liquidation of craft store. 4 Families!

2404 STUTZ PLACE (in alley), Saturday 8 to 1 pm. Clothes, bicycle, office furniture, lots of miscellaneous.

2413 Goddard Ct. Saturday 8-12. Clothes, nick nacks, stationary bike, baskets, jewelry, shoes, 1989 GMC Suburban, 1993 Mercury Topaz.

1403 N LAMESA RD. (Front of Olga's Bridal Shop). Sideshow Sale! Boys new Cyborg T-shirts & pants. 10:00 am.

Moving Sale! Need to lighten the load! Have furniture and miscellaneous household items for sale. See at 1500 Ventura Ave. Saturday, 7:00 am-2:00 pm.

2825 HAYNES- High chair, walker, vanity dresser, comforters, kitchen items, mens jeans, motorized handicap cart. Saturday 8 am-12 noon.

410 HICKORY, Saturday 8-1 pm. Furniture, childrens clothes, mens shirts, shoes, lots of miscellaneous.

* 1806 Devonshire Ct. (Polo Park) Living Estate. Huge sale! Antiques, fur, Oriental rugs, Tiffany lamps, bronze, crystal, and much more. Call 684-8135 for more details. Cash and checks only. Saturday 8-6, Sunday 1-5.

2209 & 2213 SOUTHAMPTON (Polo Park Estates), 8 am-1 pm Saturday and Sunday. Lots of household goods, decorating items, books, clothing (infant-adult), crib bedding, baby jogger, lots more!

* #6 MARINOR (off Midkiff & Wadley intersection) Friday- Saturday, 8 to 4. Moving Sale. Love seat, chair & ottoman, armoire, sofa table, side tables, coffee tables, childrens & adult's clothes & crystal.

3212 HAYNES, Garage/ Estate sale, Friday- Saturday 8-? To many great items to list!

LIQUIDATION SALE
"Yes, I will take less on that."
Talk to Mary at
BEST HOME BARGAINS
3328 N. Midkiff
699-5524

* 3909 TODD Drive (off 250, east of Fairgrounds Rd). Saturday- Sunday 9-5. Household/ office furniture, small appliances, electronics, gadgets, lawn & garden items, building supplies, tools, horse equipment, better clothing (women's small & men's medium, large, & XL). Knick knacks, pictures, frames.

* 1321 TERRA COURT (alley entrance). Little Bitty Garage Sale... with Terrific Treasures! 8 am-2 pm Saturday only.

414 E Spruce, 7 am. 2 glass tables/ chairs, and tables, coffee table, infant-boys clothing, dresses size 3, ladies shoes- 5 1/2. Much more!

404 EAST SPRUCE, Saturday 8 till 3 pm. Clothes, shoes, tv, dryer, household items, miscellaneous!

607 MEADOW Park Drive, Saturday 8 to 12. Children's toys & clothes, men & womens clothes, household appliances & decorations.

* 2311 SHANDON, Saturday only 8 am! Lots of clothes, baby items, toys, furniture. Everything must go!

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Lots of Fantastic Buys!
3320 N. Midkiff

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910 NEELY, Moving Sale! '86 300zx bra, treadmill, NordicTrack, Kawasaki 550 Jet Ski, clothing, furniture, childrens books, too much to mention! Friday & Saturday all day, Sunday till? No checks!

* 2806-A NORTH PECOS, Gigantic Sale! Saturday only, 8:00-4:00. Twin bed, sectional sofa, bar stools, TVs, clothing- men/ women/ children, tools, baby items, lots of miscellaneous!

2000 N. "H" Street, (in rear) Saturday 8-? Lane rocker recliners, Fisher Price game table, stepper, children's books, toys, dolls, games, clothes, dishes, telephone, lumber, hand tools, gas powered yard tools. Cash only.

2403 STUTZ PLACE (in alley), Friday & Saturday 8 am. Furniture, rotilla, edger, chipper, air compressor, yard & garden tools, washer, dryer, freezer, sewing machine, more!

3108 Shell, Huge garage/ estate sale! Saturday 9 to 3 pm. Exercise equipment, bedding, housewares, luggage, clothing, area rug, pictures, much, much more!

79706

* 2700 W. County Rd. 114 Friday- Sunday 8:30. Fishing equipment, tools, welding, automotive, yard. Furniture, refrigerators, fans, mirrors, curtains, pictures, speakers, records, juke box, collectables, bottles, books, glass, neon signs, trains, Edison cylinders. Lots of miscellaneous!

4604 S County Rd 1185 (go south from 120 to 130 East, turn east to next intersection 1185 south, turn right 3 houses down, west side of street.) 5 Family Sale. Pair blue glass lamps, Cobalt blue glass vases, clothes dryer, dishwasher, TV, jewelry, new & used tools, electrical wire, small butane bottles, step ladders, Ward Garden tiller, truck tires, riding lawn mower, much more. Free coffee! Thursday thru Sunday 8 till.

LOTS OF MISCELLANEOUS! Frost free freezer, crafts, Friday- Saturday, 10 am-6 pm. 1806 W County Rd 114.

79707

3500 IMPERIAL- Friday and Saturday 8 am till? Furniture, clothes, caps and lots of goodies! Cement blocks, trailer hitch and miscellaneous!

4303 W DENGAR, Yard Sale! 8-11 am. Womens western clothes, small horse blanket, miscellaneous!

3301 NEELY (corner of Neely & Midkiff). Church garage sale! 8 am-2 pm. Saturday 5-16 only! Furniture, appliances, toys, linens, kitchen ware, sporting goods.... Big Sale!!

2502 HOYA, Saturday only, 8:00-12:00. Womens clothing size 8, womens shoes size 5 1/2-6, boys clothes, lots and lots of toys and games, boys bikes, student desk, much more miscellaneous items!!

3109 Whittle Way, Saturday 9-5. Household items, baby items, good clothes. Lots of miscellaneous!

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4508 TEAKWOOD- Moving Over Seasil! Saturday only 8 am, positively NO early birds. Cash only. Furniture, childrens clothes & books, bicycle, adult clothes, linens, lots more!

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2507 GERALDINE- generators, lawnmowers, small pickup camper, computer desk, Deerborn heater, metal shelving, all sizes clothing, 2 camping cots and lots of miscellaneous! Saturday only 8 till everything gone!

5801 GREENRIDGE (Grasslands). Moving Sale. Friday 8-3 Saturday 8-1. Trampoline, waterbeds, carpet, ping pong table, clothes, toys, and furniture.

3400 SHELL, Beanie Babies, marble display stands, drafting table, lots of miscellaneous. Saturday- Sunday, 8-4.

5012 SAN ANTONIO, Saturday 9-? Gas range, computer desk, lots of miscellaneous.

* 5103 BRAZOS, Saturday 7-3. Three Family Sale!!! Baby furniture & items, kids desks, toys, clothes, wardrobe, humidifier, small appliances, lots more!

5310 GREENTREE- Friday & Saturday 8 am-1 pm. Red iron bunkbed, kingsize bed, twin bed, king waterbed, office desk and chair, stereo, TV, and more!

4723 W. DENGAR- Moving Sale!!! Saturday 8 am. Furniture, beds, lawnmower, bicycles, lamps, toy chests, rugs, curtains, garden, more.

5210 GREEN TREE BLVD. Moving Sale! Saturday, 8:00. Furniture & Miscellaneous!

2104 Regal Place, 8-1. Household items, comforters, chair, clothes & shoes, arts & crafts.

4900 KING RICHARD (corner of Oriole & King Richard) Saturday 8 till Noon. Riding mower, dresser, chair, stereo, bedding, vacuum, golf cart, lawn equipment, clothes, much more.

4102 WESTMINSTER, Friday- Saturday 9-5. Furniture, adult and childrens clothing all sizes, electric hospital bed, books. Too much to list!

6405 Driftwood, Saturday 7 am. Bed, chest, desk, patio furniture, stainless sink, truck bed liner, clothes, and miscellaneous!

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4804 TEAKWOOD Trace, Saturday 9-? Riverside desk, computer desk, Kenmore stove/ microwave combination, 2 sweepers, large mirror, luggage, Aero exerciser bicycle, fans, miscellaneous.

3407 NORTHFIELD, Saturday, 9-4. Lots of miscellaneous items! Spring Cleanout!!!

3810 STANOLIND, Saturday only 6 am. Lawnmower, gas grill, ice cream freezers, bikes, summer clothes (adult & childrens), sports coats, dress slacks, blue jeans, lots of miscellaneous items under \$1111!

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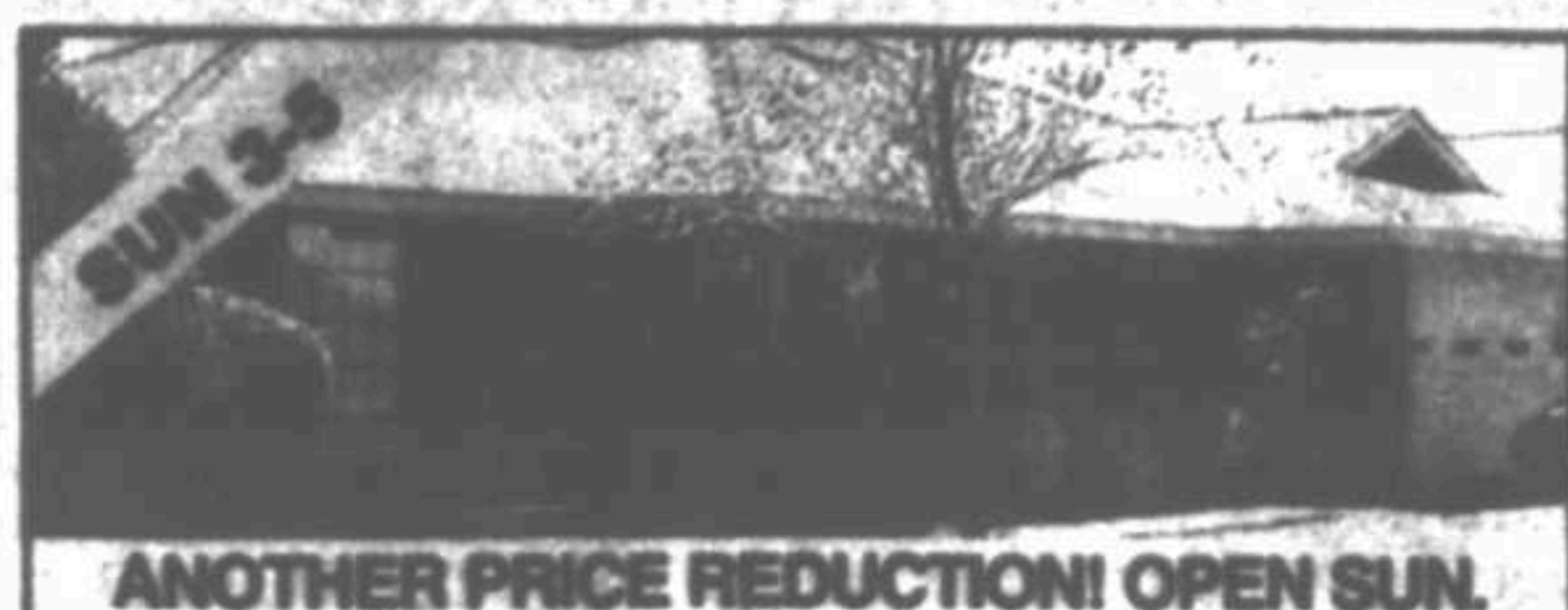
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3 ACRE TRACT with 2 Bedroom mobile home, 36 x 39 shop. \$45,000. Call Monday, Friday, 8-5 at 686-7779 or Evenings & Weekends, 682-0342.

GREENWOOD: 4-1/2, formal dining, sprinkler system front, back, Maytag appliances, plantation shutters. Two years old. \$108,000. 685-1228 after 6.

GREENWOOD SCHOOLS
3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 2 acres. Open Saturday, 2-4 pm. 6200 E County Rd 62. James Finley, 684-5299, Prudential Adobe Realtors, 685-9548.

GREENWOOD: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, on 3 + acres, 2 years old. \$129,500. Call Bentley O'Quinn, Langston Realtors 685-0319, extension 233.

70 Miles West of Fort Worth
Owner Financed
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LOCAL PASTOR & family looking for partners 1-2, in mountain cabin. Near Angel Fire, New Mexico. 682-6784 or 684-2544.

Leaky Area Ranches: 235 Acres - 1.5 miles of Garner State Park, nice home, 2 guest houses, barns, new horse barn with tack room and office, good hunting. Property is truly outstanding! Rock Springs Area Ranches: 1280 Acres and 840 Acres - both ranches have electricity, water well, fenced. Ranches have outstanding hunting. North Llano River Ranch: West of Junction, 320 acres, 1/4 mile river frontage, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath home, good hunting and fishing. West of Kerrville: 1485 Acres, cabin, 2 water wells, remote, and of road privacy, Perry Bushong Real Estate

WORKING RANCH: 200-640 acres, home plus 2 acre lake. \$199,000 - \$299,000 3 Hours East/ Midland. Great hunting, trees. Broker 915-636-4493.

HILL COUNTRY Ranchette by owner, 37 +/- Acres with nice home +/- 2,240 sq ft. Great hunting off back deck. New septic, new well. Near Lakely off Hwy 337. Conventional loan or cash. \$165,000. Call Owner (830) 597-3330.

2 LOTS on cul-de-sac. 6005 Robin Hood Court, great location. Both for \$18,500. 684-5477

8+ ACRES northeast Midland. Deep soil, good water, downtown view, \$28,000. No mobile homes. 686-6962 and 694-4948.

2 ACRES in Greenwood on corner of 307 & 1138. \$9,000. No owner financing. Call 683-9843.

FOR SALE: 3 acre tracts, Valley View Community. Owner financing, \$1,000 down. 1/2 mile west of State Highway 1219 on County Road 150. Call 682-7597, 682-9598, 682-7822.

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LAKE CABIN, 1 bedroom, 2 bath. Wonderful view of Brady Lake from deck. Simpson Lake club amenities, out buildings for storage. Oak tree shade. Call for your appointment, Stephens Real Estate 800-880-0748.

73 ACRES/ Lake live frontage, near Concho marina, only \$1,900/ acre! Much potential! Broker, 915-636-4493.

LAKE BROWNWOOD: 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, large den and basement game room, wooden deck, 2 car garage, over 2,100 sq. ft., two boat docks with lifts, on beautiful, quiet, No Ski No Wake, east Cason Cove.

COMMERCIAL SITE in the 1800 Block of Rantin Highway and 3200 Block of Industrial Avenue, C-3 zoning. Contact Dub House, Midwest Commercial Realty, Inc. 570-0705.

RETAIL STRIP center on highly traveled road in Odessa. Contact Dub House, Midwest Commercial Realty, Inc. 570-0705.

770 Resort Property
ALL THE Comforts of the Hill Country! Three bedroom, three and one-half bath waterfront home with fabulous gourmet kitchen, full guest quarters, upstairs game room with room galore, swimming pool, almost one acre beautiful tree covered lot. Located on the Colorado Arm of Lake LBJ. \$497,500.00. Call Peggy Jones, Century 21 Keller & Co., Marble Falls, Texas. (830) 693-3578.

LAKE LBJ Waterfront lots on the Colorado Arm. Four lots: 2 waterfront and 2 off water for septic, storage, etc. Call Peggy Jones, Century 21 Keller & Co., Marble Falls, Texas. (830) 693-3578.

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PERMIAN BASIN'S Gallery of Homes

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4011 DUNKIRK

Standing seam metal roof, 4 bedrooms, 3 bath, large upstairs bonus room, separate shop, mature patio yard. Open floor plan, custom interior details - 3979 sq. ft. Call to see 697-1164

BY OWNER

697-1164



4813 SPRING MEADOW #1 - NEW TO MARKET

Best floor plan, with lots of new. 4 Bdrms, 4 baths, 2 living, 2 fireplaces, 3 patios, workshop with A/C, green house & loads of storage. Low maintenance yard, quiet neighborhood. Very nice! Call KAREN CZECH 686-4022 to see.

RE/MAX-Midland/Odessa 682-8820



PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP SHOWS!

This darling 3 bedroom, 2 bath home w/ 2 dining areas is in immaculate condition! Sprinkler system in front yard too! 1 car garage has paneling & opener! 4315 Brookdale. \$39,900! Call VICTORIA PRINZ 688-4800

RE/MAX-Midland/Odessa 682-8820



DREAMS CAN COME TRUE

Imagine 4 bdrms, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, sprinkler system, large yard, close to schools! Now imagine all this for only \$87,500!! Call me for more info BRUCE BOWMAN 687-3412

CENTURY-21 KAY SUTTON REALTORS 578-8200



SUPER 4 BEDROOM IN FANNIN AREA!

Needed on a nice corner lot, this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home welcomes you w/ pretty yards & tiled entry! Many updates for a newer look! 2817 Spartan is \$92,500! Call VICTORIA PRINZ 688-4800

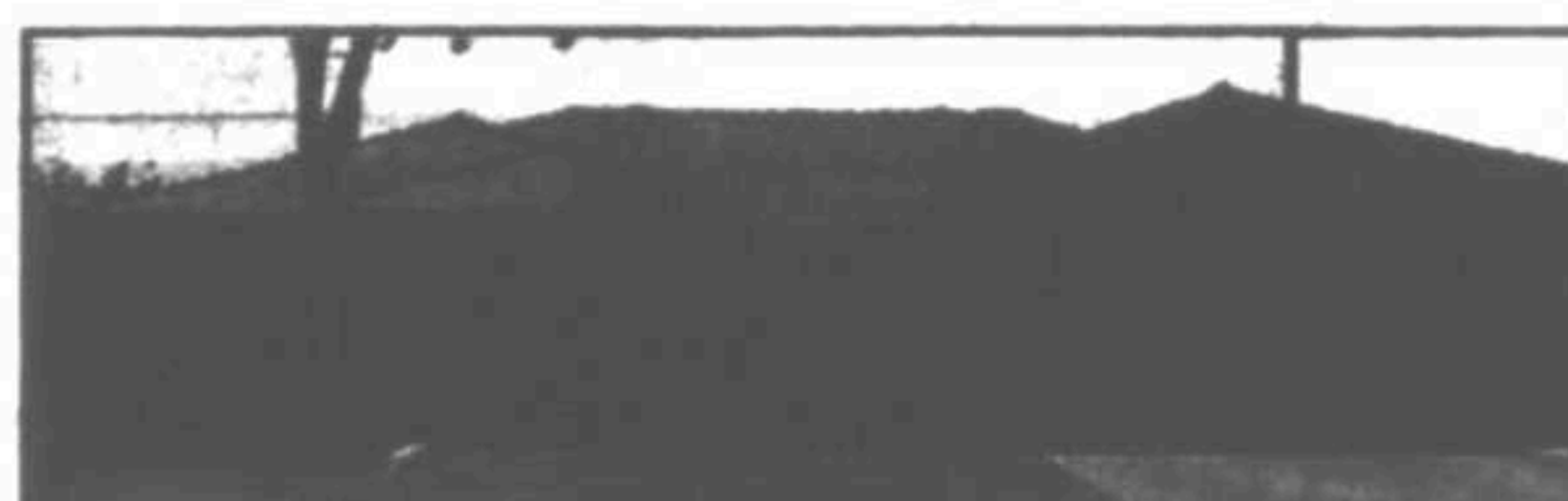
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BEAUTIFUL NEW CONSTRUCTION - FAMILY

Living at it's Best! 301 Skywood Circle. 4 brs, 3 baths, 1 LA, large kitchen, formal dining, 2 og. Stunning! Call JANE PETREE 682-1995 Come out and take a look - you won't be disappointed!

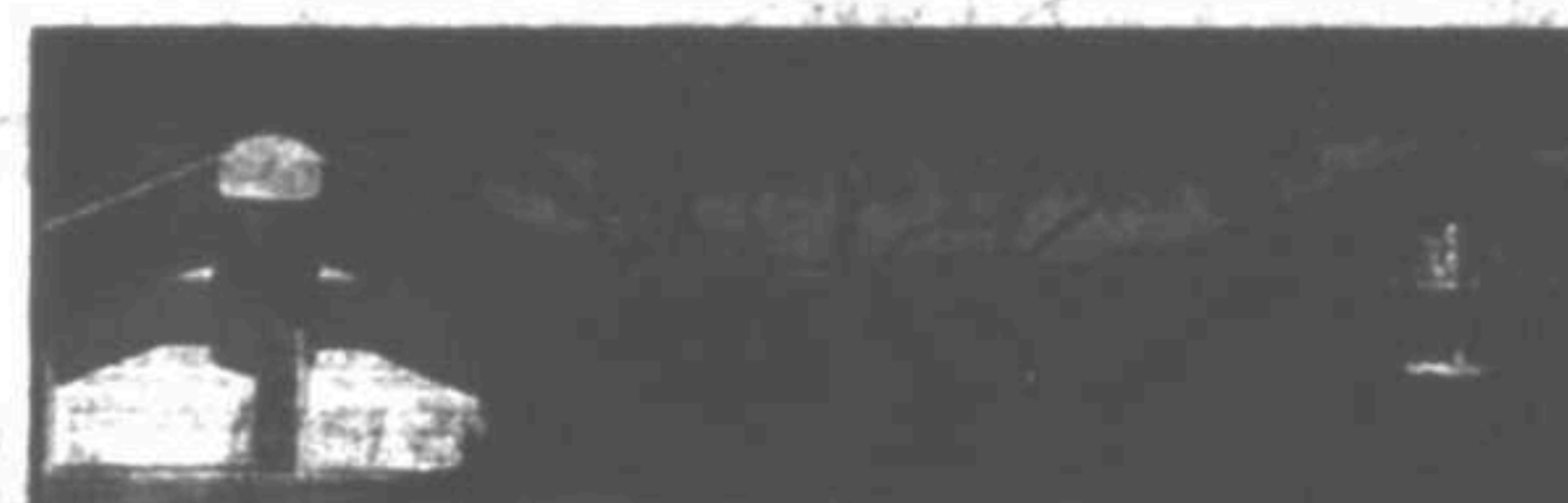
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SUPER HOME IN GREAT LOCATION!

Walls of windows & high ceilings adorn this nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home w/ 2 car garage, formal dining & beautiful yard w/ sprinklers! 3710 Mark Lane is \$87,000! Call VICTORIA PRINZ 688-4800

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REDUCED! DARLING HOME ON HUGE LOT!

3 bedroom, 2 bath home on extended lot! Lots of improvements! Big windows, high ceilings, ceramic tile, sprinkler system & more! 1611 Pueblo is now \$46,950! Call VICTORIA PRINZ 688-4800

RE/MAX OF MIDLAND 682-8820 or 683-1425



1202 W. TENNESSEE "LARGER THAN IT LOOKS!"

More than 1500 sq. ft. in this darling cottage. Convenient to downtown & MHS. 3 BR, 1 1/2 BA, 2 LA. Many recent improvements include central A/C installed in 1997. Hardwood floors under carpet. \$49,900. Call TAMMY BROOKSHIRE 682-1144.

LANIER & CO. REALTORS 682-1144



ISLAND CIRCLE - GREENTREE "YOUR DREAM HOME"

Luxury home addition, 5 bedroom, plus study. Quiet relaxed country club setting, view of course and pool. Spacious oversized lot, M.R. Larry built, 2 story, 4 living areas. Please call JO BRADEN TODAY TO PREVIEW 683-1425 or 682-8820 RE/MAX OF MIDLAND

RE/MAX-Midland/Odessa 682-8820



NEW LISTING GREAT SOUTHWEST HOME

4805 Spring Meadows #2. 2 story - low maintenance home, 3 brs, 2 1/2 baths, big utility, 1 LA, 2 fireplaces - Plus lots of storage - take care of grass/weedeater! Call JANE PETREE 682-1995 OR 425-7255.

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NEW LISTING - 4 BEDROOM VISTA WEST \$109,900

Beautiful 4 bedroom, formal dining, Jim Leonard built, quality move in condition, low utilities, home warranty, high ceilings, 6 ceiling fans, 4 skylights. Wonderful buy! Please call JO BRADEN, RE/MAX OF MIDLAND 682-8820 or 683-1425.

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4502 ISLAND CIRCLE "ON THE GOLF COURSE"

3 year old custom quality built by M.R. Larry. Open kitchen & family room look onto huge backyard, separate formal living & dining room, sequestered guest room & study. Private master suite & separate kids wing. Approximately 3500 sq. ft. \$279,900. Call TAMMY BROOKSHIRE 682-1144.

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1329 TERRA CT. - REDUCED THOUSANDS

Open & bright Rasmick resale in mint condition, 4 bedrooms, 3 bath. Security system, ample storage, neighborhood pool & courts. Ready to move in! Unequaled value at \$139,900. Call VICKY GARRETT 570-8888.

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3921 BAYBROOK CT. - SAVE BIG BUCKS

New 2 story home by James Morris, approx. 4700 sq. ft. includes 4 bedrooms, 4 1/2 baths, 3 living areas, 2 fireplaces, formals, built-ins, ample storage within your grasp. \$339,000. Call VICKY GARRETT 570-8888.

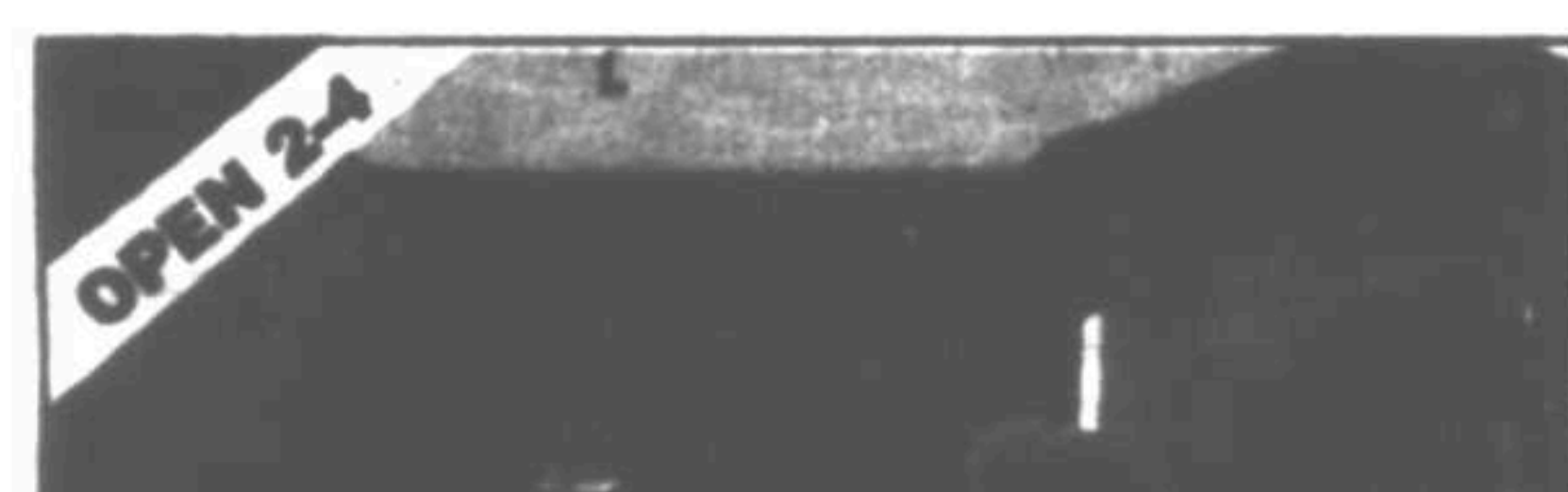
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BEAUTIFUL GREENTREE NORTH

Don't miss this fabulous home! Gorgeous 5/3/3 with formals. Open kitchen and den. Lots of tile, shutters and lush landscaping. All this for only \$195,000. This property won't last long. Call JON SHORT 683-0886.

LANGSTON REALTORS 682-9495



705 LANHAM "SO CONVENIENT TO EVERYTHING!"

3 bedroom, 1 bath. Sequestered master, big walk in closets, great kitchen with lots of cabinet space, central A/C & heat. Lots of updating, berber carpet, larger than it looks! Great Price at \$44,500. Call TAMMY BROOKSHIRE 682-1144.

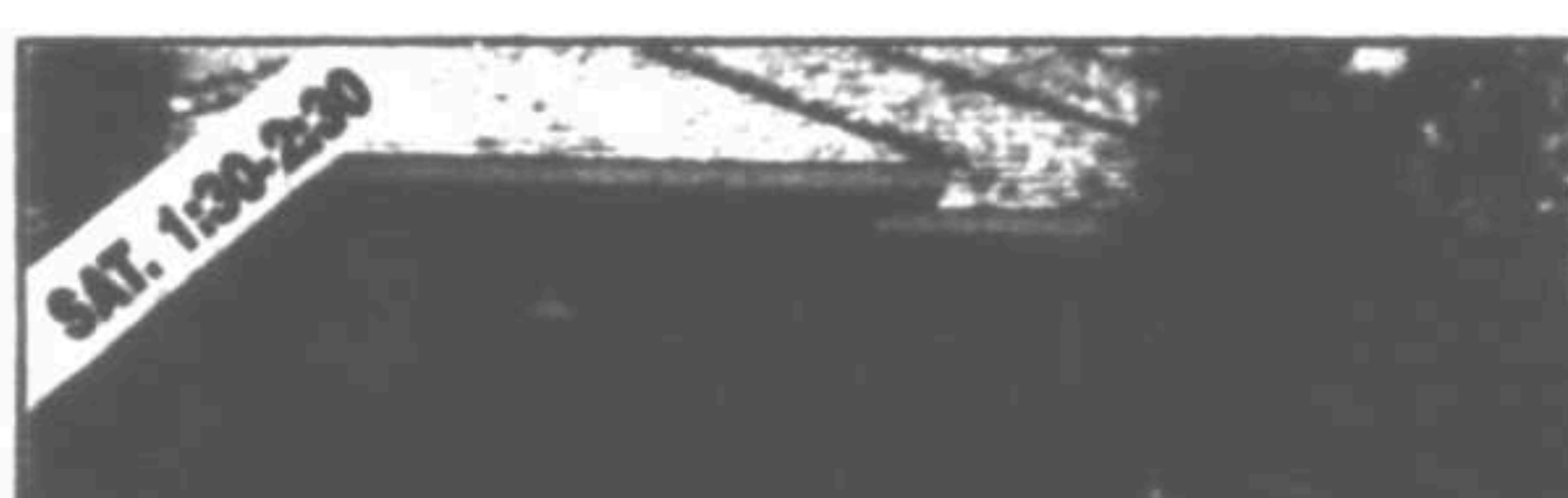
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5700 E. CR. 98 - REDUCED \$10,000

New construction by Tom Rattan. Spacious floor plan offering 2 living areas, sequestered master study, 1.79 acres. Lots of tile light & bright. STONERIDGE SUBDIVISION. Greenwood. Call REBECCA SEITZ CRS, GRI 686-7700/520-4440.

COLDWELL BANKER 689-7700



2213 BRADFORD CT. OPEN 1:30-2:30

Stunning charmer located in Polo Park on a quiet closed in street. Plantation shutters throughout controls light & privacy, lush soft grey carpet & lots of crown molding. Call BETTY HICKS 687-8586.

CENTURY 21 KAY SUTTON REALTORS 570-8200



BEAUTIFUL CLEAN HOME BEST BUY IN TOWN

Spacious rooms, over 3100 sq. ft., 4 bedroom, sequestered, 3 bath, 2 living areas, large dining room. Across from Grapa park. Mature, easy care yard. Owner anxious, moving out of state. Call LAURA MANULIK 683-2327.

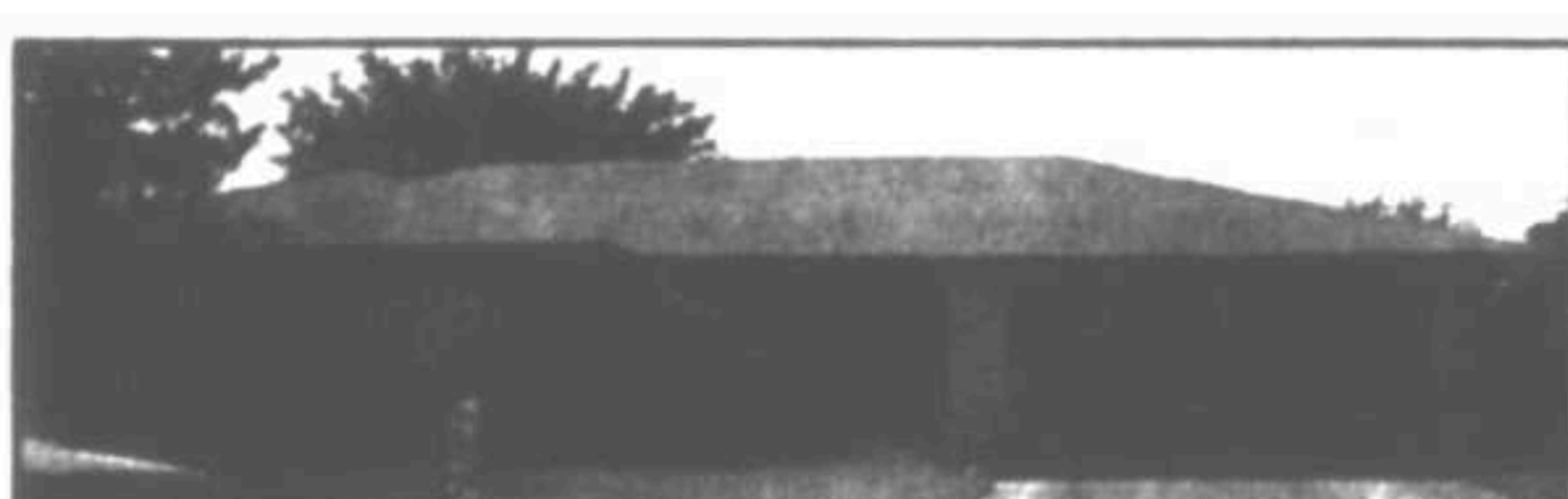
LANGSTON REALTORS 682-9495



4909 SHERWOOD \$98,500

Very nice well taken care of home in Green Hill Terrace. 3 bdrms, 2 baths (w/double sinks), new carpet in dining, wet bar, & lots of closet space. New a/c ducts have made this home more efficient. Call COLDWELL BANKER COOPER REALTY 689-7700.

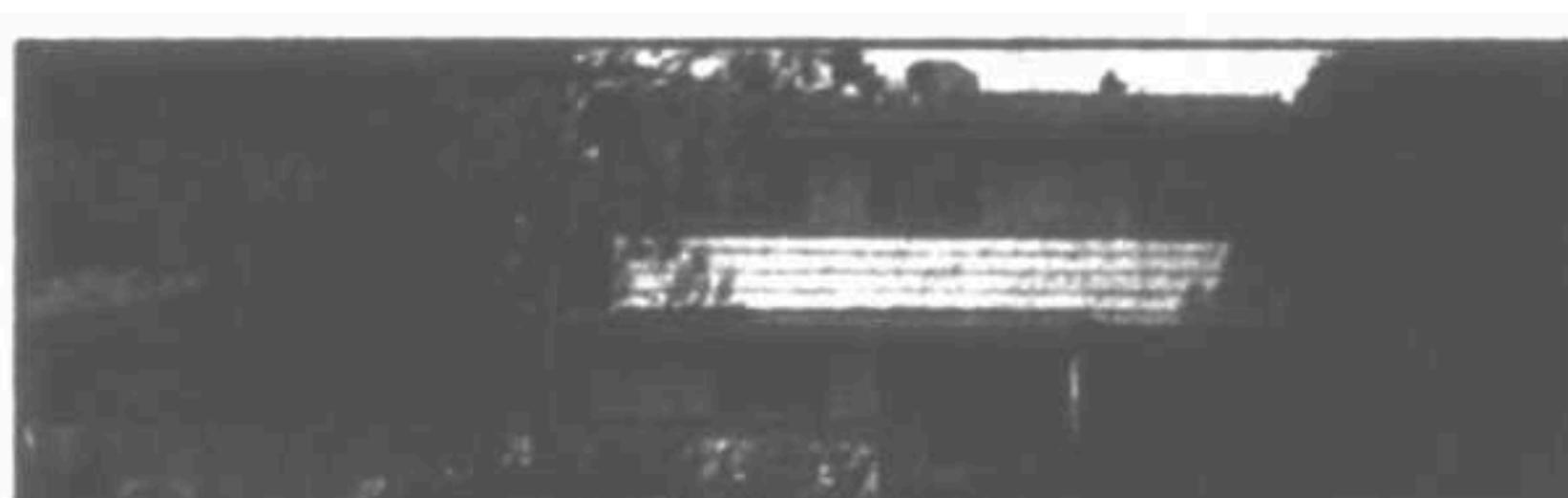
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TAKE A LOOK...

at this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with a spacious living area, wonderful kitchen, formal dining, kitchen breakfast, large utility and more. You'll be glad you did! Call LYNN COOK 687-0595 or 550-0595.

DENE KELLY REALTORS 550-0595



LOTS OF CHARM!!

This unique 2 story is full of neat features! Mexican tile floors, cedar beams, pretty kitchen, 2 LAS, 3 BRS, 2 1/2 baths! Delightful backyard w/wood deck and place for hottub! \$77,500 Call PAT PAXTON 683-0888.

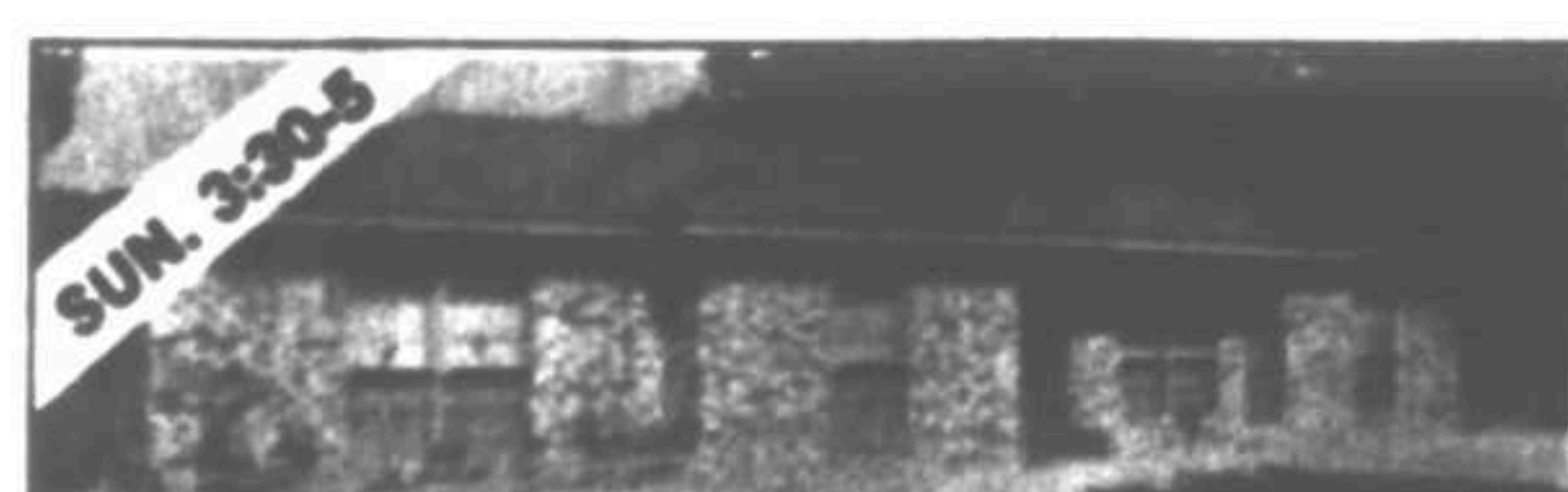
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3216 DENTCREST - NIFTY 3 BR TOWNHOME!

You'll look long and hard before you find a nicer NEW 3 br townhouse! Convenient downstairs MBRI! Upstairs are 2 BRS and a super study! Priced to sell at \$102,900. Call PAT PAXTON 683-0888.

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1803 GARFIELD - \$76,500

Now - no more when you buy this spacious 3 BR with ideal area for home office! Great area for bikes and rollerblading! Drop by this convenient location Sunday 3:30 - 5. Call PAT PAXTON, CRS 683-0888.

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BRAND NEW LISTING! A MUST TO SEE!

Lovely 3 bdrm, 2 bath home that features 1 large living area. Lots of great storage, large rooms and lots of updating. Come by 3307 Dentcrest and let Betty Hicks Show you around. Call C-21 KAY SUTTON 570-8200.

CENTURY-21 KAY SUTTON REALTORS 570-8200



ELEGANT LIVING IN GREENTREE NORTH

Come see this lovely 5 bdrm, 3 1/2 bath, 2 living area home located at 4515 Bent Tree Trail. Crown molding shutters, tile walkways. This home is a must to see! Call KAREN FORSTER 570-8200.

CENTURY-21 KAY SUTTON REALTORS 570-8200



3406 DENTCREST - DECORATORS DREAM!

If you only stop at one, STOP HERE! Immaculate home with 3 BR, 2 BA, gorgeous yard with gazebo, plantation shutters, cathedral ceiling and skylights! Squeaky clean! Always call NORMA PINE 682-0882.

CHAPARRAL REALTORS 686-7000



CORPORATE PROPERTY

2403 Fairview - 4 bedroom, 3 baths, formals, wet bar, built-ins. Large sequestered master. Call ANY LANGSTON AGENT FOR INFORMATION.

LANGSTON REALTORS 682-1662



CORPORATE PROPERTY

4809 Pine Meadow - 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, fresh interior paint, across alley from pool and tennis court. Recently reduced to \$126,500. Call ANY LANGSTON AGENT FOR INFORMATION.

LANGSTON REALTORS 682-1662



LOTS OF SPACE!

2827 Stutz - 4 bedrooms, 4 baths, 2 living, formal dining, bookcases, plantation shutters, skylights, 2 story, WONDERFUL! Call RICHARD LANGSTON 687-9518.

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ABSOLUTELY WONDERFUL

2409 Metz - Low maintenance with front courtyard. Lots of updates, 4 bedroom, 3 baths, indoor spa in garden room. Formal dining. Call RICHARD LANGSTON 687-9518.

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JUST LISTED - AND SO INVITING!

You should see this great house - updated to the max. 2 living areas, 4 bdrms (4th used as office). Newly redone kitchen, lovely landscaping - and terrific storage. 2811 Cimarron. Call JANE WOLF 684-8040.

LANGSTON REALTORS 682-9495



3321 MAXWELL IS A DREAM!

So well cared for and beautifully updated you will love this house! 3 bdrms, each "Sequestered", 2 living areas, nifty kitchen - and gorgeous landscaping. Call JANE WOLF 684-8040.

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SIMPLY STUNNING!!

4209 Crestwood, excellent curb appeal invites you into truly functional 4 br, 2 1/2 bath. Home with open living spaces, and sequestered master light and airy! Call CLAYTON ALEXANDER.

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PICTURE PERFECT!!!

Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on secluded street in coveted area. Large kitchen, formal dining, family sized den. Call for more info or come by Sunday 1-3. Call BRUCE BOWMAN 687-3412.

CENTURY-21 KAY SUTTON REALTORS 578-8200

For more information on the "Gallery of Homes" please call
Jim Shupe at 687-8820 or Jerry Reese at 687-8884

THE WEEKLY MARKET IN REVIEW

MARKET SUMMARY

HOW TO READ THE MARKET IN REVIEW

NYSE AMEX NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE STOCKS ON THE NYSE

Name	Vol	High	Low	Open	Close	Change
Philips	4,480,808	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+1/2
Microsoft	4,480,808	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+1/2
General Electric	4,480,808	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+1/2
Johnson & Johnson	4,480,808	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+1/2
Boeing	4,480,808	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+1/2

MOST ACTIVE STOCKS ON THE AMEX

Name	Vol	High	Low	Open	Close	Change
SPOR	277,261,111	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	+1/2
Q-Quote	100,671	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	+1/2
General Electric	100,671	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	+1/2
Johnson & Johnson	100,671	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	+1/2
Boeing	100,671	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	+1/2

MOST ACTIVE STOCKS ON THE NASDAQ

Name	Vol	High	Low	Open	Close	Change
DelCot	11,900,000	90	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	+1/2
Microsoft	11,900,000	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	+1/2
General Electric	11,900,000	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	+1/2
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Boeing	11,900,000	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	+1/2

GAINERS (25 on NYSE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
OranRt	11 1/2	+1 1/2	+12.5
J&J SpRt	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
Chyron	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
DebiRt	98 1/2	+16 1/2	+16.5
Huntway	2 1/4	+1/4	+17.5

LOSERS (25 on NYSE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GenCgr	11 1/4	-1/4	-2.2
DollarTn	16 1/4	-1/4	-2.4
Bolco	12 1/4	-1/4	-3.0
Aphm	2 1/4	-1/4	-11.1
FrankCov	20 1/4	-1/4	-2.0

GAINERS (25 on AMEX)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
TextBio	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
CET EmS	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
Polymed	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
Windst	2 1/4	+1/4	+17.5
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ADVANCED

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J&J SpRt	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
Chyron	4 1/4	+1/4	+9.5
DebiRt	98 1/2	+16 1/2	+16.5
Huntway	2 1/4	+1/4	+17.5

DECLINED

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GenCgr	11 1/4	-1/4	-2.2
DollarTn	16 1/4	-1/4	-2.4
Bolco	12 1/4	-1/4	-3.0
Aphm	2 1/4	-1/4	-11.1
FrankCov	20 1/4	-1/4	-2.0

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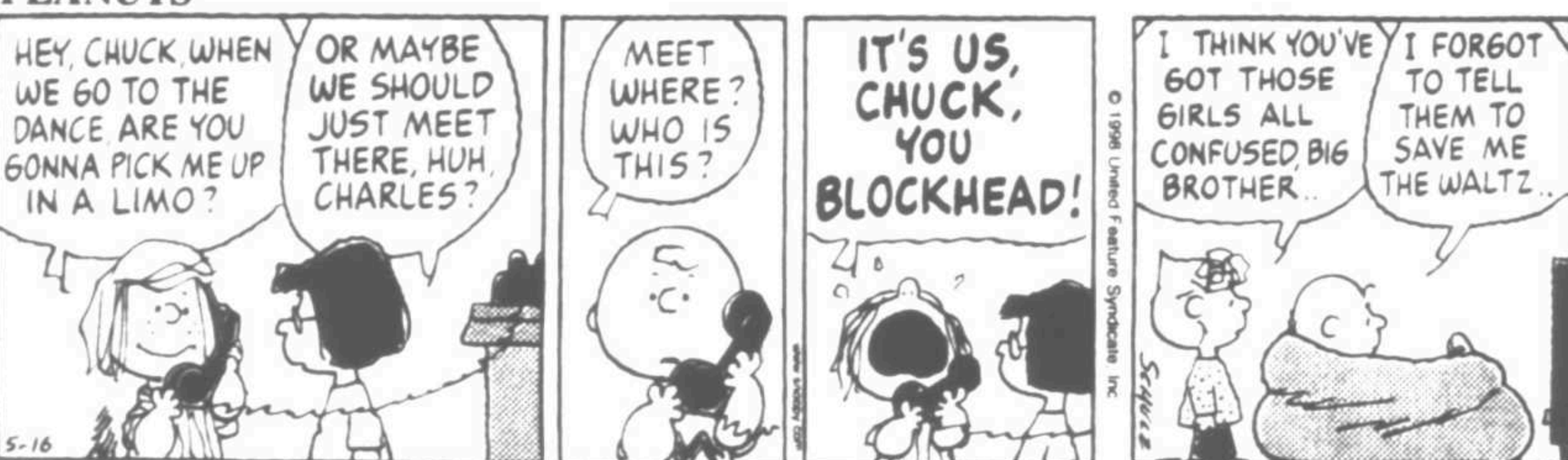
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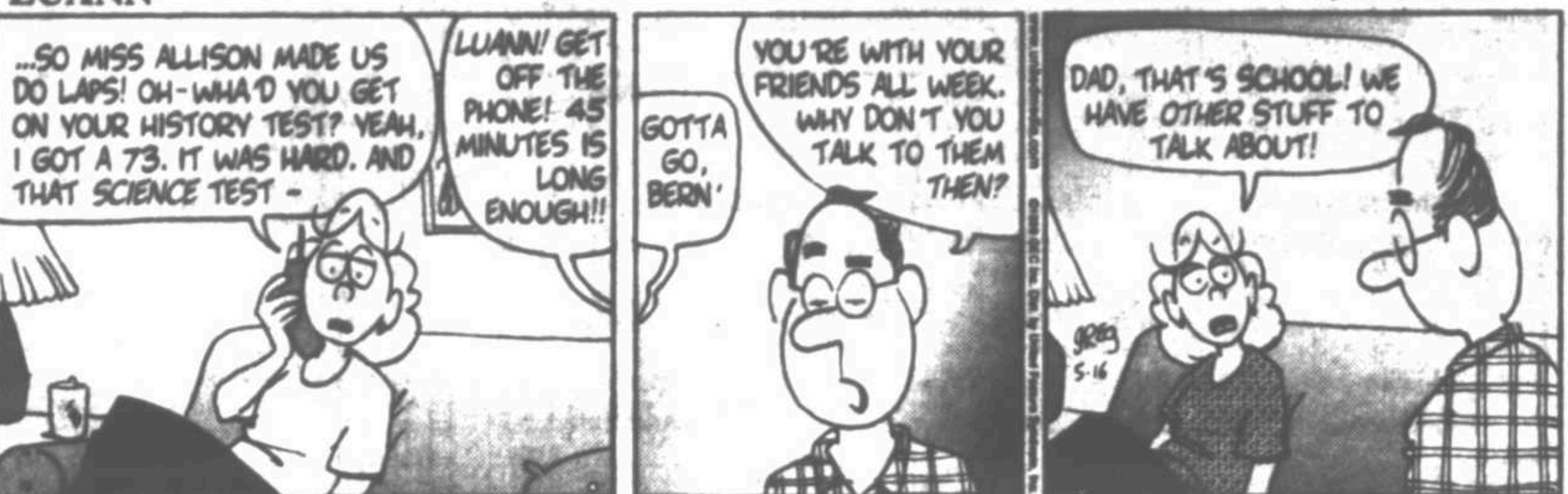
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The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1998

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, May 16, 1998: Reach out for others, and don't stand on ceremony this year. Your ability to touch others and understand them makes you very popular. Confusion could occur when dealing with bosses and higher-ups, however. Somehow, those messages can get cloudy. Work on straightening out details at work. If you are single, you often feel insecure and touchy; still, you are a natural success. Your unusual insights combine with lots of animal magnetism. If attached, express your vulnerabilities to your mate. **CAPRICORN** helps you grow spiritually.

BORN TODAY Actor Pierce Brosnan (1952), singer Janet Jackson (1966), tennis player Gabriela Sabatini (1970)

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ***** Confusion punctuates talks and decisions. It could take the rest of the day to unravel misunderstandings and figure out what others meant. Take action, and initiate negotiations. Others trust you because of your integrity. Grab a quick snooze. Tonight: Down for the count! **TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) ***** Don't be demoralized by someone's statements. You clearly are not speaking the same language. Lighten up, take a stand and calm the waters. A day trip to a favorite spot is just what the doctor ordered. You need distance to recharge. Tonight: Don't take things personally! **GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) ***** Don't get discouraged by plans that make you feel unhappy. Work with changes, and see the sil-

ver lining in this cloud. Express your feelings to a close friend. Together, you can find solutions. Don't worry so much about others. Tonight: Vanish with a favorite person. **CANCER** (June 21-July 22) ***** Let confusion, fatigue and others' grumpiness run like water over you. Friends surround you, and being with them allows greater happiness. Commit yourself to a pet cause. Work and celebration happily mix. Others appreciate your efforts and tell you so. Tonight: Worry less, play more. **LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) ***** Be sensitive to a boss. Confusion lurks with partners. High energy marks your decisions. You carry them out with authority, and others stand out of your way. Finish up a project early; you'll want to get some extra R & R. Tonight: Take a nap before heading out. **VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ***** Determine what is happening with day-to-day matters. A misunderstanding stubbornly prevails; you need to quickly clear it up. Make plans for a day trip, then take off. Invite a preferred partner with you for the fun of it. Express your libido when appropriate. Tonight: Play the night away. **LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ***** You come from a solid point of view, though there is confusion with a child or loved one. A partner takes strong action, affecting you financially. Talk security, home and foundations. Someone will hear you. A difficult partner continues to be testy. Tonight: Do your own thing! **SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

***** Communications are where it's at. Do not question someone; you will get odd answers. Keep smiling with a partner who is extraordinarily assertive. He has been taking lessons from you! Make time for a meal with a close friend. Tonight: Swap jokes, gossip and news! **SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ***** Expenses are overwhelming at first. Heed your intuition when it speaks to you about a professional problem. Your pace is off. A loved one pulls at your heartstrings with unreasonable demands. Talks open you up. Tonight: Balance your check-book, then go out. **CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ***** You are in perpetual motion, not willing to stop right now. Family members might put up their hands and halt progress. Use caution with money. A friend has different objectives from you. Your long-term plans will vary as a result. Tonight: What-ever knocks your socks off. **AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ***** Right now, thinking is fogged. Consider a friend's choices, even if they are different from yours. Your ability to understand by walking in someone else's shoes makes you a special friend. Work through stress by getting into a physical project at home. Tonight: Work late. **PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) ***** A friend takes a stand, and you listen. To be sure, you'll hear other people's opinions whether you want to or not. Your intuition is off. Run errands, then get together with friends. You get what you want. Network, both socially and professionally. Tonight: You are the party.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q 1 As South, vulnerable, you hold:
 ♠ K 6 4 ♥ 10 ♦ A 8 5 ♠ K 10 7 4
 Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with three spades. What action do you take?
Q 2 Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
 ♠ K J 7 6 ♥ A ♦ K Q 8 4 3 ♠ K 7 5
 The bidding has proceeded:
 SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
 1♠ Pass 2♠ Pass
 What do you bid now?
Q 3 Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
 ♠ A K 8 6 ♥ A K 10 8 6 ♦ 10 ♠ K Q 9
 The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH **WEST** **NORTH** **EAST**
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 The bidding has proceeded:
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Q 5 As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠ A Q 10 6 4 ♥ A 2 ♦ A Q 9 5 ♠ A 6
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 What do you bid now?
Q 6 Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
 ♠ Q 6 5 ♥ J 7 6 2 ♦ Q 8 2 ♠ J 7 6
 Partner opens the bidding with one heart. What do you respond?
 Look for answers on Monday.

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PEOPLE

Son of former Sen. George McGovern pleads guilty to beating, kicking fiancée

GENEVA, N.Y. — Known for putting professional women's tennis on the map, Billie Jean King says the road for women is still a long one.

"I'd like to see women's achievements become part of the landscape, instead of an unusual occurrence," King said. "Anytime women do better, it also helps men."

King is this year's recipient of the Elizabeth Blackwell Award, given to women whose lives exemplify outstanding service. Named for the first woman in America to receive a doctor of medicine degree, the award is given by Hobart and William Smith Colleges.

King, who retired from competitive tennis in 1984, founded both the Women's Tennis Association and the Women's Sports Foundation, an advocacy organization for women athletes.

She said her straight-sets defeat of Bobby Riggs — who won Wimbledon in 1939 — in the "Battle of the Sexes" match in 1973 changed people's perception of women athletes.

"We were seen as people who can walk and chew gum at the same time," she said. "We proved we don't choke under pressure."

BOSTON — The son of former Sen. George McGovern has been sentenced to six months in jail for beating and kicking his fiancée. At the time of the attack, he was serving a suspended sentence for assaulting the same woman last year.

Steven McGovern, 45, pleaded guilty Thursday to assault and battery with a dangerous weapon — his foot.

McGovern admitted beating the 34-year-old woman for several hours in his Boston apartment last month. Neighbors called police after hearing the woman scream for help.

McGovern, who has prior convictions in Michigan and Maryland for aggravated domestic violence involving the same woman, could have been sentenced to 2 1/2 years behind bars.

McGovern's father was a three-term U.S. senator from South Dakota who lost the 1972 presidential election to Richard Nixon. His sister, Theresa, froze to death in 1994 in Madison, Wis., while severely intoxicated.

WASHINGTON — Bob Hope and his

family are donating millions of dollars to set up a permanent Bob Hope Gallery of American Entertainment in the Library of Congress, complete with tens of thousands of his own jokes.

The library will give him a dinner Tuesday in advance of his 95th birthday May 29. Library spokesman Craig D'Ooge said the gallery in the library's Jefferson Building will include other material, but something of Hope's will always be on display. D'Ooge said he did not know the precise amount of the gift or when the gallery would open.

On Sunday, British Ambassador Sir Christopher Meyer will dub Hope an honorary knight — Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, by order of Queen Elizabeth II. The comedian, born in Iltham, England, came to this country at age 4 as a U.S. citizen, known for entertaining American troops in every conflict since World War II.

His wife Dolores announced that the family is giving the library more than 60 years of papers, letters, photos, joke files and acetate disks of radio broadcasts, and more than 40 years of TV material.

"We are especially happy knowing that these items will be in the safekeeping of the Library of Congress, and made available to the American people to enjoy in perpetuity," she wrote.

WINDHOEK, Namibia — Details about Michael Jackson's African investment project may be getting clearer.

Detroit businessman Don Barden said earlier this week that he and the pop superstar were planning a trip to an undisclosed area of Africa to look into building a casino, hotel and theme park complex. Barden, the nation's only black casino operator, wouldn't say where or when.

It turns out Jackson and Barden are headed to the southern African country of Namibia on Sunday, where they will meet regional heads of state for an economic forum. Jackson also plans to fly to the Namibia-Angola border Monday to check out investment possibilities, the South African Press Association said Friday.

TULSA, Okla. — Many people may know E.L. Doctorow for the musicals and movies his books have inspired. Some, though, prefer the original.

Doctorow, author of such books as "Ragtime," "Billy Bathgate," "Big as Life" and "Loon Lake," has been awarded the 1998 Peggy V. Heimerich Distinguished Author Award.

The award is given by the Tulsa Library Trust to writers not for any individual work, but for their collective writings.

Compiled from Associated Press wire reports.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

SATURDAY EVENING				May 16, 1998				For Complete Information			
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4	KMD	6:00	News 413	13	KMD	10:00	News 413	13	KMD	10:00	News 413
5	KPEJ	6:00	Police Academy: The Series 4294 (TV-PG)	14	KPEJ	10:00	Police Academy: The Series 4294 (TV-PG)	14	KPEJ	10:00	Police Academy: The Series 4294 (TV-PG)
7	KOD	6:00	News 7351	15	KOD	10:00	News 7351	15	KOD	10:00	News 7351
9	KWES	6:00	News 7351	16	KWES	10:00	News 7351	16	KWES	10:00	News 7351
12	KMLM	6:00	Charles Stanley 37326	19	KMLM	10:00	Charles Stanley 37326	19	KMLM	10:00	Charles Stanley 37326
13	KOCV	6:00	Lawrence Welk: Small Town USA 69501	20	KOCV	10:00	Lawrence Welk: Small Town USA 69501	20	KOCV	10:00	Lawrence Welk: Small Town USA 69501
14	Cable	6:00	The Olympic Best of Show	21	Cable	10:00	The Olympic Best of Show	21	Cable	10:00	The Olympic Best of Show
15	CHBC	6:00	The Olympic Best of Show	22	CHBC	10:00	The Olympic Best of Show	22	CHBC	10:00	The Olympic Best of Show
16	WGN	6:00	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds 287974	23	WGN	10:00	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds 287974	23	WGN	10:00	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds 287974
17	WTBS	6:00	WCW Saturday Night	24	WTBS	10:00	WCW Saturday Night	24	WTBS	10:00	WCW Saturday Night
18	FAM	6:00	Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros 854500	25	FAM	10:00	Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros 854500	25	FAM	10:00	Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros 854500
21	BRV	6:00	Tribute to Ray Charles 520264	28	BRV	10:00	Tribute to Ray Charles 520264	28	BRV	10:00	Tribute to Ray Charles 520264
22	SET	6:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown	29	SET	10:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown	29	SET	10:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown
23	DSN	6:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown	30	DSN	10:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown	30	DSN	10:00	Planet Groove Top 20 Video Countdown
24	CNN	6:00	Cap. Gang Sports	31	CNN	10:00	Cap. Gang Sports	31	CNN	10:00	Cap. Gang Sports
25	ESPN	6:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603	32	ESPN	10:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603	32	ESPN	10:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603
26	USA	6:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603	33	USA	10:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603	33	USA	10:00	NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal, Game 5 787603
27	FX	6:00	Miami Vice 6535790	34	FX	10:00	Miami Vice 6535790	34	FX	10:00	Miami Vice 6535790
28	AE	6:00	Mysteries of the Bible 24581 (TV-G)	35	AE	10:00	Mysteries of the Bible 24581 (TV-G)	35	AE	10:00	Mysteries of the Bible 24581 (TV-G)
29	TLC	6:00	Superheroes: Triplets, Quads and More (S)	36	TLC	10:00	Superheroes: Triplets, Quads and More (S)	36	TLC	10:00	Superheroes: Triplets, Quads and More (S)
30	NICK	6:00	Double Dare 721210	37	NICK	10:00	Double Dare 721210	37	NICK	10:00	Double Dare 721210
31	LIFE	6:00	World of Horrors 80988	38	LIFE	10:00	World of Horrors 80988	38	LIFE	10:00	World of Horrors 80988
32	OUTDR	6:00	Global Wild 80988	39	OUTDR	10:00	Global Wild 80988	39	OUTDR	10:00	Global Wild 80988
33	UNI	6:00	Humor Gigante 53000 (TV-PG)	40	UNI	10:00	Humor Gigante 53000 (TV-PG)	40	UNI	10:00	Humor Gigante 53000 (TV-PG)
34	HSE	6:00	Baseball: (S) USA vs. World 80988	41	HSE	10:00	Baseball: (S) USA vs. World 80988	41	HSE	10:00	Baseball: (S) USA vs. World 80988
35	COM	6:00	NBA Sport: Lounge to the Max 777005	42	COM	10:00	NBA Sport: Lounge to the Max 777005	42	COM	10:00	NBA Sport: Lounge to the Max 777005
36	DISC	6:00	Paula Poundstone Goes to the Max 777005	43	DISC	10:00	Paula Poundstone Goes to the Max 777005	43	DISC	10:00	Paula Poundstone Goes to the Max 777005
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38	TNN	6:00	Winston Auto Racing: NASCAR The Winston 548332	45	TNN	10:00	Winston Auto Racing: NASCAR The Winston 548332	45	TNN	10:00	Winston Auto Racing: NASCAR The Winston 548332
39	TNT	6:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)	46	TNT	10:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)	46	TNT	10:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)
40	HBO	6:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)	47	HBO	10:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)	47	HBO	10:00	From the Earth to the Moon 602351 (TV-PG)
41	MAX	6:00	My Life as a Dog	48	MAX	10:00	My Life as a Dog	48	MAX	10:00	My Life as a Dog
42	SHOW	6:00	My Life as a Dog	49	SHOW	10:00	My Life as a Dog	49	SHOW	10:00	My Life as a Dog
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44	VCI	6:00	Off the Air C'mdown	51	VCI	10:00	Off the Air C'mdown	51	VCI	10:00	Off the Air C'mdown
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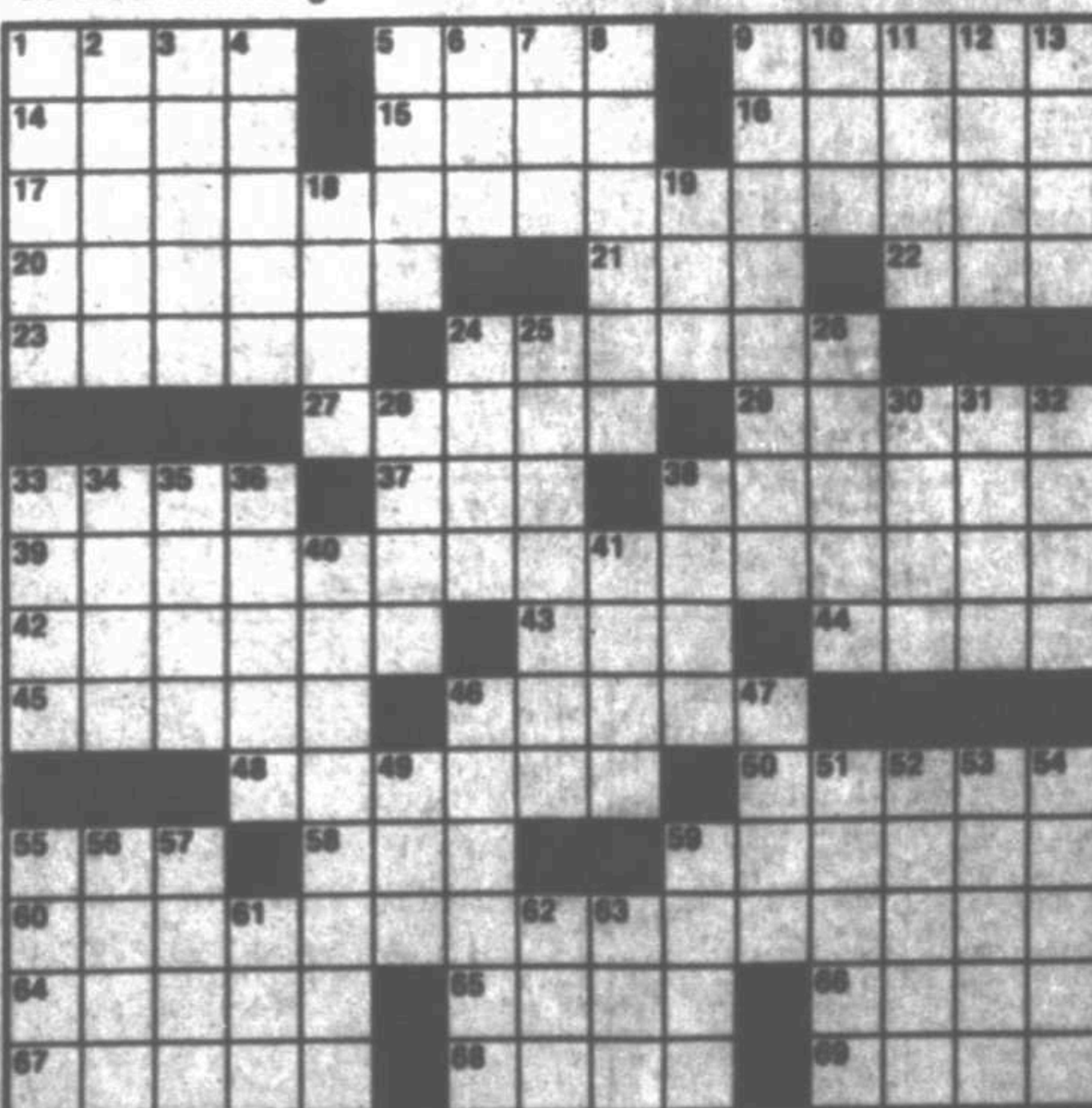
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