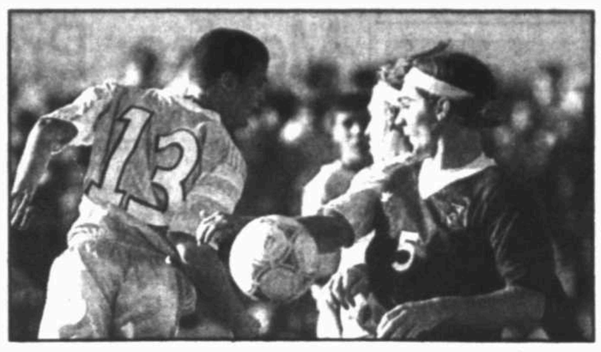
NATION

Taking steps

What makes a handicapped man suddenly move his legs like pistons? For the answer, scientists have turned to new theories./**8A**



SPORTS

Lee waits it out

Lee girls soccer team idle in final week of District 5-5A play, counts on win by crosstown rival Midland High to make playoffs./**1C**

Midland Reporter-Telegram

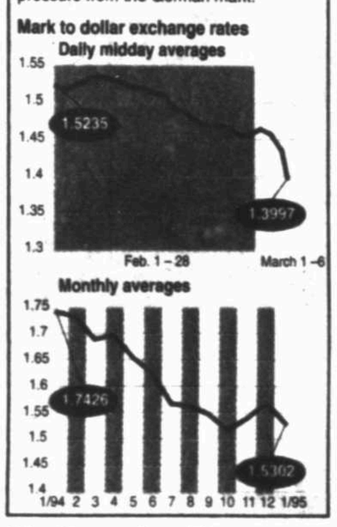
Daily 50¢, Sunday $1.25 | **TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1995** | Vol. 67, No. 352

TUESDAY

NEWS WATCH

Mark forces dollar down

The U.S. dollar fell in Europe under pressure from the German mark.



Dollar decline

The dollar plunged to a third straight record low against the Japanese yen Monday and sank against other currencies as well. Despite the global dumping, the Fed is not expected to raise interest rates. **Page 5C**

O.J. Simpson trial

LOS ANGELES — One of the detectives in charge of the O.J. Simpson case testified Monday he never seriously considered the possibility that Simpson's ex-wife and her friend were victims of a drug hit or that someone other than Simpson murdered them. "I had absolutely no other evidence that would point me in the other direction," Detective Tom Lange said under cross-examination. **Page 5A**

Muscovites doubt

MOSCOW — Doubt is running high among Muscovites that the killers of one of Russia's most popular television personalities will ever be caught. Organized crime is presumed to have hired the triggermen. "They'll never catch the real killers, the ones corrupting this country," said pensioner Sveta Smirnova. **Page 2A.**

INSIDE TODAY

Bombeck 7A
Bridge 4C
Business & Oil 5C
Classified 2D
Comics 4C
Crossword 5C
Lifestyle 1D
Dear Abby 7A
Local 1B
Movies 5B
Opinion 6A
Sports 1C
TV Schedule 5C
Weather 4A

PERMIAN BASIN Cityline
A 24 HOUR INFORMATION SERVICE
560-2400
For Local, National and World Updates, call CITYLINE, *and enter category 1200 for the main news menu.*

TRC plugs oil, gas incentive plan

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

With a resource representing 120 billion barrels of oil and trillions of dollars, Texas must develop incentives to optimize production from mature and declining fields.

That was the message delivered in Midland Monday by three members of the Texas Railroad Commission, who were on the road to explain and take comment on the TRC's new eight-point incentive package.

The most creative aspect of the package is the proposal to offer chits for new production that could be turned into exempt marginal production from severance taxes. For instance, if a producer drilled a 50-barrels-per-day (bopd) well, he would be able to apply that against 10 wells making 5 bopd, but he would still have to pay severance tax on the 50 barrels per day well. The tax credit transfer would apply to marginal wells making 15 barrels or less per day.

"This is dollar-for-dollar revenue neutral," said Commissioner Barry Williamson. "We are trying to use Texas as an experiment. We want to encourage other states to enact similar laws to help the oil and gas industry."

David Garlick, the TRC staff member who is credited with developing most of the incentive package, said it would take approximately two years of drilling to exclude most of the 140,000 marginal wells in the state.

Please see **PLUGS**/4A

"This is dollar-for-dollar revenue neutral," said Barry Williamson. "We are trying to use Texas as an experiment."

Commissioner Charles Matthews says that what Texas is doing could shake things up in Washington.

Carol Rylander, who was elected to the commission last November, enthusiastically supports all incentive measures.

AP Laserphoto

Tort reform battle

Stella Liebeck of Albuquerque, N.M., left, along with her daughter Judy Allen, looks on in Washington Monday. Liebeck, who was awarded $2.7 million after spilling McDonald's coffee in her lap, is invoked as a symbol by both sides in the battle over protecting businesses against consumer lawsuits. Story/5A

Iran drills big offshore deal with Conoco

■ Agreement is first since Washington severed relations with Tehran in 1980; some analysts estimate project could be worth $1 billion.

N.Y. Times News Service

A major American oil company said on Monday that it had been awarded a contract by Iran to develop a huge offshore oilfield in the Persian Gulf, the first energy agreement involving Iran and the United States since Washington severed relations with Tehran in 1980.

American companies are permitted to buy oil from Iran, but they may not resell it in the United States. The contract by Conoco Inc. goes far beyond buying oil to sell to a third party, and the arrangement to develop oil and gas sources in Iran indicates a long-term relationship.

The announcement of the deal came despite growing support in Congress for a bill to impose economic sanctions against Iran. The bill would forbid all economic and financial transactions, banning American companies from buying Iranian oil.

Although the financial details of the Conoco deal were not disclosed, some oil analysts estimated that the project could be worth $1 billion.

The contract was signed after three years of negotiations, according to Jim Felder, a spokesman for Conoco, which is based in Houston and owned by the chemical giant E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., of Wilmington, Del.

Felder said he would be briefing the Clinton administration on the deal in the next few days. He said some officials in Washington knew that Conoco was pursuing it.

Administration officials confirmed that Conoco had informed them that they were planning a deal with Iran. Officials said they planned to meet with Conoco to discuss it, but did not try to hide the fact that they were displeased with the agreement, although they were reluctant to criticize it publicly.

They said they were seeking more details of the proposed transaction to determine whether it violated prohibitions against providing loans with below-market interest rates or transferring advanced technology that can be used by Iran's military

Christine Shelly, a State Department spokesman, said the administration had sought to exert economic pressure on Iran and had focused on three areas where it believed that it can have maximum impact: trying to limit arms transfers, government-to-government loans and sales of advanced technologies.

Furthermore, the Clinton administration last year protested Iran's membership in an $8-billion oil consortium of mostly Western companies in Azerbaijan, a former Soviet republic. Iran's $350-million investment, a 5 percent share in

Please see **DRILLS**/4A

Slayings' roots go past skinhead culture

By Fred Bayles
Associated Press

ALLENTOWN, Pa. — When two of their sons shaved their heads and started spouting neo-Nazi hate, Dennis and Brenda Freeman did what they could.

They sought counseling, institutionalized their sons. Finally, they threw out the boys' hate literature and sold the car they used to travel 800 miles to Michigan for meetings with other skinheads.

Five days later, they and their youngest son were dead — battered and stabbed.

"You never know when you're going to die," 11-year-old Erik Freeman had told an aunt two days before he was bludgeoned unrecognizable in his bed, a police affidavit said.

On Wednesday, two days after the bodies were discovered, Bryan Freeman, 17, and his 16-year-old brother, David, were arrested in a rural Michigan home along with a cousin, Nelson Birdwell III, who police believe was in the home during the murders. The brothers were each charged with three counts of homicide and conspiracy and jailed without bail, and Birdwell was jailed under $150,000 bail on car theft and probation violation charges.

In the police affidavit, neighbor Joshua Wirth said Bryan told him "he would have killed his parents for

Please see **ROOTS**/4A

From left, David Freeman, Bryan Freeman and Nelson Birdwell.
AP Laserphoto

Wenner's rolling outing

Baby-boom poster boy's new adventure

By Rick Hampson
Associated Press

NEW YORK — For two months it was the talk of the communications industry: Jann Wenner, founder of Rolling Stone magazine and emblematic baby boomer, had left his wife and family and moved in with a man.

The story dribbled into print as editors tried to define the story: A split between business partners? The workings of the news media? Or a plain old outing?

Whatever the angle, it was clear that Jann Wenner — who turned his interests into publications as a '60s rock 'n' roll fanatic, a '70s celebrity seeker and a '90s family man — had made another transformation.

The story began in January, when the New York Post's Page Six gossip column reported that Wenner had broken up with his wife, Jane, and moved out of the townhouse where they lived with their three young sons. Wenner Media confirmed that the pair had

Please see **OUTING**/4A

AP Laserphoto

The talk of the communications industry was that Jann Wenner, founder of Rolling Stone magazine, had left his wife and family and moved in with a man.

Police investigate, try to curb rash of vandalism to vehicles

Staff Reports

Police continued Monday to investigate a Sunday-morning rash of vandalism to vehicles across parts of central Midland. Meanwhile, one victim is doing what he can to get someone to come forward with information about the crimes.

"When someone goes to this extent and causes this much damage, this is dangerous," John Kerbow said.

Kerbow, who had windows broken out of two vehicles on Ridglea Avenue, said he believes the vandalism was the work of teen-agers.

Kerbow said he believes at least 30 incidents of vandalism occurred.

According to police reports, at least 20 incidents of broken vehicle windshields occurred along Douglas Avenue, Princeton Avenue, Elk Avenue, Nobles Avenue, Ridglea Drive, Cuthbert Avenue, Kansas Avenue, Country Club Drive and Bedford Drive. The incidents were reported, begin-

Please see **RASH**/4A

MAR 07 1995

The World in brief

■ Cultural ties with Israel bitterly splits Arab world

PARIS — The Arab world's most famous poet has been expelled from the Arab Writers' Union for meeting with Israeli intellectuals, and the punishment has generated bitter debate among intellectuals and artists across the Middle East.

At issue is the whole idea of cultural exchange with Israel, but underlying it is a long-simmering rebellion against pressures Arab governments exert on their cultural establishments.

On the face of it, the expulsion of the 65-year-old poet, Adonis, whose real name is Ali Ahmed Saeed, appeared absurd when it was first announced in Damascus by the head of the Arab Writers' Union, Ali Akla Ersan, on Jan. 27.

■ Quebec sepratists' crunch time approaches

TORONTO — It's nearing decision time for Quebec's separatist-minded government.

Six weeks of public hearings on what form of government a future independent Quebec should take have ended. Now the ruling Parti Quebecois has two big calls to make: When to call a referendum on independence and what question to ask.

Polls consistently show that support for independence falls short of a majority, somewhere between 40 and 45 percent.

In order to avoid a political embarrassment, the Parti Quebecois has to devise a question on sovereignty that it can win.

Quebec observers say Premier Jacques Parizeau will probably have to come up with a more acceptable question, push back the date of the referendum, or both.

■ Dutch rival ING takes control of Barings

LONDON — The Dutch financial conglomerate ING Group took control of Barings PLC Monday, saying it wants to resurrect the storied bank's business before worrying about who is responsible for its collapse.

"We are not going to fire anybody," said Aad Jacobs, chairman of ING group — at least not until British banking supervisors complete their investigation.

After overcoming objections from bondholders who stand to lose millions, ING Group won British court approval to take over all the valuable assets of Barings by assuming its liabilities.

ING, a banking and insurance group that is the Netherlands' biggest financial services company, will get Barings' asset management division, its corporate finance arm and its international stock brokerage. These are exactly the sorts of operations ING has said it wanted to expand beyond the Dutch market.

The collapse of Barings, the 232-year-old investment house that epitomized the bowler-hatted banker, convulsed London's financial district and sent ripples throughout global markets.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Mexico: Prosecutor covered up brother's slaying

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The government on Monday accused a former deputy attorney general of covering up his own brother's assassination and said he should be brought home from the United States for trial.

The suspected mastermind in the case, a brother of former President Carlos Salinas de Gortari, also was ordered by a judge to face trial after a six-day arraignment that ended Monday.

They were the latest dramatic turns for a government beset by months of economic troubles and high-level political turmoil.

The Attorney General's Office said a Mexican judge late Sunday ordered the arrest of Mario Ruiz Massieu, a former deputy attorney general who was arrested in New Jersey last week. Such a move is a necessary step for extradition in Mexico.

A statement said he was suspected of obstructing his own investigation into the Sept. 28 murder of his older brother, Jose Francisco Ruiz Massieu, the No. 2 leader of Mexico's governing party.

Prosecutors claim he was trying to protect Raul Salinas de Gortari, brother of the president who left office in December. Former President Carlos Salinas de Gortari has not been implicated.

Mario Ruiz Massieu appeared before a federal judge in Newark, N.J., on Monday on a charge of failing to declare more than $43,000 in cash when he entered the United States last Friday. He was held without bail.

Using Mexican charges as a basis, U.S. prosecutors also asked the federal court to order Mario Ruiz Massieu held for extradition. Mexico has 60 days to formally seek extradition.

The American complaint provided the clearest details yet of Mexican allegations.

The statements of witnesses in the case "were manipulated by Mario Ruiz Massieu to prevent mentioning the name of Raul Salinas de Gortari as the mastermind of the homicide," the complaint said.

A bail hearing was scheduled for March 14 in Newark.

The newspaper La Jornada said the FBI, at Mexico's request, followed Ruiz Massieu after he traveled to Houston, then Newark, on Friday. Earlier that day, he had been grilled by investigators in Mexico City.

In Mexico City, Attorney General Antonio Lozano Gracia confirmed Mexico would seek extradition.

Ruiz Massieu's attorney denounced the Mexican charges.

"To suggest that Mario Ruiz Massieu would cover up the assassination of his own brother is illogical and stupid," Michael L. Santangelo said after the brief court hearing in Newark.

Special prosecutor Pablo Chapa Bezanilla said last week that Raul Salinas had a "personal" conflict with Jose Francisco Ruiz Massieu.

Mario Ruiz Massieu quit his brother's case and the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party last year, alleging the party had blocked his probe.

Widespread suspicion about the case led new President Ernesto Zedillo to break tradition by naming Lozano — a member of the opposition National Action Party — as attorney general.

In Newark, Santangelo displayed a book written by Mario Ruiz Massieu, "I Accuse," in which the former prosecutor said officials in Mexico's ruling party impeded his investigation.

"This is why the government wants to silence Mario Ruiz Massieu, because he wrote this book exposing all the corruption," said Santangelo. "He left the country because he feared for his life."

Boy suicide bomber becomes pawn in PLO-Hamas rivalry

By Donna Abu-Nasr
Associated Press Writer

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip — At 14, Mousa Ziadeh is a three-year veteran of the radical group Hamas. Now he's a pawn in the rivalry between Yasser Arafat's government and the radicals after telling police Hamas wanted him to carry out a suicide bombing in Israel.

Hamas denies trying to recruit Mousa or other boys, but Palestinian officials say at least six children were in training for suicide attacks intended to derail Israeli-PLO peace talks.

"Parents in the West fear their children will turn into drug addicts. Here, we fear they will become suicide bombers," said Mousa's father, Hisham, a member of Arafat's intelligence organization. He and Mousa's uncle turned the boy in to police.

Mousa, who joined the Hamas youth movement in 1992 in rebellion against his non-religious father, said he was drawn into the bombing plot by two clerics who approached him one evening as he was sweeping up the mosque after prayers.

"They told me since we're all mortal, it's better to die a martyr," said Mousa, a delicate boy with a tanned face and brown eyes. "I thought of how I would become a hero like all the others who have martyred themselves."Since October, 56 Israelis have been killed in suicide bombings by Hamas and the smaller Islamic Jihad, which want to destroy Israel and replace it with an Islamic state.

Most of the attackers were in their late teens or early 20s.

Mousa's tale has provoked another controversy between the PLO and Hamas in Gaza.

Mousa says the attack was set for Feb. 14 and involved about 15 pounds of explosives. He says he was arrested in January before he was told the target.

Gaza psychologist Eyad Sarraj said Gaza, impoverished, chaotic and emerging from 27 years of Israeli occupation, is fertile ground for people who want to recruit children to die for a cause.

"Our environment is an environment of despair," said Sarraj. "The act of dying is the ultimate act of control, when you time your own death and the death of other people."

Hamas says Palestinian police coerced Mousa to make a false confession, and is demanding the release of two senior clerics arrested after Mousa named them as his recruiters.

"The child is talking about an imaginary attack that has never been planned," said Emad Falouji, a Hamas spokesman.

Muscovites doubt journalist's killers will ever be found

MOSCOW (AP) — Doubt is running high among Muscovites that the killers of one of Russia's most popular television personalities will ever be caught. Organized crime is presumed to have hired the triggermen.

"They'll never catch the real killers, the ones corrupting this country," said pensioner Sveta Smirnova, echoing the sentiments of many in the Russian capital Monday.

The gloom provoked by the murder of Vladislav Listyev last week starts at the top.

"There has been no breakthrough in the fight against crime," President Boris Yeltsin complained Monday at a Security Council meeting dominated by the issue.

The firing of the city's top law-enforcement officials, chief prosecutor Gennady Ponomaryov and police chief Vladimir Pankratov, did little to dispel the new wave of worry about surging crime.

Yeltsin sought their ouster the day after Listyev was shot to death in what police call a contract hit. They were fired Monday over the objections of Mayor Yuri Luzhkov, who said only "bandits and criminals" would applaud their dismissal.

"It's purely symbolic," said Grigory Pashkov, a sociologist who heads the Mneniye polling firm, said of the firing. "Crime is one of the most emotional issues in Russia today."

A Moscow prosecutor admitted Monday that solving Listyev's murder — the city's 281st this year — will pose a huge challenge to police.

Vitaly Ryabov said police may find the gunmen. But, he said, "what about the ones who ordered the killing? That's the hard part."

Speculation centers on Listyev's new role as executive director of state-run Ostankino television and a battle over advertising revenues.

His slaying last Wednesday has sparked an outcry against growing influence of organized crime, which most feel is behind the murder.

For decades, Communist officials bragged that Moscow had one of the lowest crime rates in the world. For those raised in such an atmosphere of relative safety, today's rising crime is especially disturbing.

While official statistics vary, the Interior Ministry has said that violent crimes doubled from 1988 to 1994. Ryabov, the prosecutor, said there were 1,820 murders in the capital in 1994, up from 1,353 in 1993.

"We're all afraid," Smirnova, the pensioner, said opening her purse to reveal her self-defense arsenal: pepper spray, a kitchen knife and a toy whistle.

Although crime now vies with high inflation for the public's No. 1 concern, Ryabov also said that the city prosecutor's office had not solved any of the major mob-style murders in recent years.

How to Sponsor Education and Enjoy Your Vacation...

WHEN YOU CALL IN YOUR VACATION STOP, OFFER TO DONATE YOUR OFFICE-PAID SUBSCRIPTION FOR THE PERIOD YOU'LL BE AWAY TO A SCHOOL IN YOUR AREA.

Many thousands of area students benefit each school year through exposure to newspapers in education. Whether used as a library resource, as a "living textbook" to support classroom skills, or as a special project, the newspaper adds a powerful and exciting dimension to learning. Unfortunately, in these difficult economic times, teachers and school boards are finding it increasingly hard to fund the purchase of newspapers. As a Spectator subscriber, you can help by donating your vacation credit to sponsor newspapers for classroom use.

The daily newspaper is one of the most practical and versatile teaching resources available. It's real-world relevance promotes practical literacy and offers young minds the opportunity to develop a lasting sense of social and civic responsibility.

Best of all, newspapers are fun! Students enjoy newspaper based activities while they build curriculum skills and develop good reading habits.

Help support education while you're on vacation, and help give young people a good reason to read.

Midland Reporter-Telegram 688-2700

New Extra Merchant!

Hairline

2101 N Midland Dr.

Make a statement with a New Do!

Get $2.00 off haircuts! Excludes specials.

DON'T WAIT FOR A SALE!

Women's & Men's Reebok Shoes

$39

• Dynamic cushioning works by controlling airflow from the heel chamber to the forefoot chamber, through a channel. As the heel strikes the ground the heel chamber is compressed, forcing the air forward to the forefoot chamber. When you "toe off" the forefoot chamber forces air back to the heel. This movement of air gives extraordinary comfort to a walker.

• During long periods of sustained standing, dynamic cushioning stimulates circulation and helps reduce fatigue.

• Air chambers are make of Goodyear's remarkable "Indy 500 Plus" compound.

• The shoe features a full-grain garment leather upper.

Women's sizes 5-10, 11 medium; 6-9, 10 narrow; 6½-9 wide; in white. Men's sizes 7-12, 13 medium; 8½-11 wide; in white or black. Also in black for men's size 14.

• Women's • Men's Athletic Shoes

Dillard's

SHOP DILLARD'S MIDLAND PARK MALL. MONDAY THRU SATURDAY 10-9; SUNDAY 12-6.

High-tech sports threaten Europe's majestic heartland — the Alps

By Carolyn Henson
Associated Press

GENEVA — High up in the Alps, helicopters are swooping across once isolated landscapes, blasting snow in every direction when they set down skiers for runs through fresh powder.

The deafening noise shatters the quiet and puts chamois and other endangered wildlife on a frantic dash for cover.

New high-tech, high-thrill sports like heli-skiing are wreaking havoc in the last remaining wildlife havens of the Alps, and adding to the huge number of tourism activities that are damaging the Alpine atmosphere.

"An animal uses five times as much energy when it flees," said Ulf Toedter, director of the International Commission for the Protection of Alpine Regions. "In one and half meters (5 feet) of snow, when it is cold all day and all night, extra energy consumption can mean life or death."

The Alps long posed an almost impenetrable barrier to travelers and were a source of legends and superstitions.

Now, more than 100 million skiers, hikers and other tourists are flooding the region each year and turning it into a vast playground.

The problems are piling up:

■ Forests have been damaged by air pollution or clear cut to make way for more and more ski runs.

■ Formerly pristine valleys are crisscrossed by roads, railways and electricity pylons.

■ Unique wildlife and plants are endangered or already extinct because of pollution and development.

Governments in the the seven Alpine countries — France, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Liechtenstein, Germany and Slovenia — agree that the Alps are in serious decline.

In an unprecedented step, they have joined forces to try to protect the region's nature and culture in an accord that was to take effect Monday.

"The most important part of this convention is that for the first time countries will be working together," Toedter said. "At the moment, competition between countries is dragging environmental standards down.

"If heli-skiing is allowed on one side of the border, communities the other side of the border feel compelled to offer the same to keep tourists numbers up."

Traditional skiing already has brought 25,000 miles of ski runs to the Alps, and the number of golf courses is expected to double from 150 in 1992 to 300 by the end of 1995. Environmental activists contend ski resorts use up tremendous amounts of water to create artificial snow during months when rivers are at their lowest.

Environmentalists praise the convention as a first step, but contend the document is long on aims and short on legally binding regulations.

The next step is to strengthen the convention's powers with a series of more detailed measures or protocols on difficult issues like forests and energy.

The convention will try to set limits on development to avoid more sprawling concrete resorts like Val D'Isere and La Plagne in France, which become ghost towns out of season.

It also aims to tackle the contentious issue of commercial transportation, which has pitted Alpine countries against each other.

Switzerland and Austria have provoked the anger of other European nations by limiting the number of trucks on Alpine highways, which link southern and northern Europe.

Even so 105 million tons of merchandise are trucked over the Alps every year and the figure is expected to double over the next 15 years.

Traffic on the St. Gotthard Pass alone, the main north-south axis through Switzerland, spews more than 100 tons of pollutants into the atmosphere over one busy weekend, the environmental group Greenpeace says.

It says the large amounts of ozone and nitrogen from vehicle exhaust damage the forests that are crucial in protecting the Alps against erosion, avalanches and floods and in providing sanctuary for rare animals and plants.

"Pollution appears to weaken the tree and make it susceptible to attacks by parasites," said John Innes, a researcher at the Swiss Federal Institute of Forestry Research. "In some areas whole slopes of trees have completely gone due to wind blow."

Pollution is one of the elements that has been blamed for the disappearance of hundreds of species of wildlife and plants.

One environmental report said there were 31 undisrupted areas of more than 580 square miles in the Alps 30 years ago. Now there are just 13.

Program aims to keep youth in school, not in state's jails

By Pamela Hartman
Associated Press

NOGALES, Mexico — Javier slumps in his chair and lifts his sweatshirt over his head, hiding his face from the camera.

Javier is only 11, but he knows cameras. Over the past year, national news programs have traveled to Nogales and broadcast his image throughout the United States.

But the cameras weren't there to show off the dark features that earned Javier the nickname "El Negro." They were there to cast him as villain and victim in one of the most heart-wrenching dramas playing out on the Mexican border.

Javier is a "tunnel kid," one of a couple of dozen boys who took up residence in flood tunnels that connect Nogales, Mexico, with Nogales, Ariz. In the past year, these youths have become a national symbol for everything that's wrong along the Mexican border.

Their vagrancy, addiction to sniffing paint fumes and assaults on illegal immigrants have scared tourists away from the downtown areas on both sides of the border. A crackdown by U.S. and Mexican border police has moved the kids out of the tunnels to above ground.

Still, their criminal behavior hasn't stopped. But the publicity about their lives may have helped create the homey shelter where Javier finds himself ducking from a camera.

Since late November, tunnel kids have found temporary refuge in a three-room shelter called Mi Nueva Casa, or My New Home. Funded by a $50,000 state grant, the home is set up on a city street a few yards from the border fence. The shelter's aim is to get the kids out of the Santa Cruz County, Ariz., criminal justice system and back into school.

"We work one-on-one with the kids," said Teresa Leal, service coordinator for Mi Nueva Casa. "Often these kids are used to lying; they're used to fantasies."

The shelter is open every weekday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. But Leal said persuading the youths to use it can be difficult, because they have no concept of a stable environment.

"Some of the kids here, they'll say, 'What time are you going to open up?'" Leal said. "The only thing that's certain for them is that nothing is certain."

On this day, Gilbert Rosas, a Border Volunteer Corps member who works with the youths, finds Javier hanging out at the border crossing and persuades him to walk over to the shelter.

Javier brings along Juan Carlos, a friend who ditched school to join him. They sit in the donated sofas and armchairs and watch a little television before heading back out to the streets.

"He just drops in and out," Leal says of Javier. "He's not consistent. But we need to connect with him."

Leal said Javier has been kicked out of six or seven schools. She's tried to get him enrolled in special education courses, but he doesn't qualify because he needs parental permission to enroll. So Leal is also talking to Javier's mom, who lives in Nogales, Son., to see whether they can get him back into school.

Mi Nueva Casa also has enlisted help from doctors, lawyers and teachers in Nogales, who provide free services to the kids.

FIGHTING 40 Neuromuscular Diseases
Muscular Dystrophy Association
1-800-572-1717
People Help MDA...Because MDA Helps People
MDA

DAN SWANNER AGENCY
AUTO • HOME • LIFE
699-7333
CALL • COMPARE • SAVE
FARMERS INSURANCE GROUP
America can depend on Farmers

Network with employers from across the Permian Basin
CAREER FAIR '95
Midland College Student Center
10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Thursday, March 9
Call 685-4764 or 685-4781 for information
Midland College
3600 N. Garfield
Midland College is an equal opportunity employer/educator

Ph #332-1944 or 580-8339
Mattress Factory
Odesland, inc.
2524 Andrews Hwy.
Odessa, Texas 79761
Your Value Mattress Factory. Where we build them one mattress at a time.
Compare Price Compare Quality Compare Value

No one beats the Factory!
The price story! Buy cheap get cheap! The trick! Shop value not price! Compare what you receive with the amount you spent.
That determines the Value!

Compare	Twin Set	Full Set	Queen Set	King Set
Smooth Rest	$65	$75	$95	$125
Quilt Rest 10 Yr.	$95	$105	$145	$200
Posture Rest 15 Yr.	$105	$125	$195	$215
Luxury Rest 20 Yr.	$135	$165	$195	$245

We not only have lower prices! But better quality too!

REX YOU ALWAYS PAY LESS
NOBODY BEATS REX
We Won't Be Undersold... GUARANTEED!
OUR LOW PRICES ARE GUARANTEED IN WRITING. IF YOU FIND THAT YOU CAN PURCHASE THE IDENTICAL ITEM FOR LESS ANYWHERE ELSE WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER YOUR REX PURCHASE, WE'LL REFUND THE DIFFERENCE PLUS AN ADDITIONAL 25% OF THE DIFFERENCE.
4717 N. Midkiff
697-2080
SUNDAY 12 PM to 6 PM
DAILY 10 AM to 9 PM
BRING IN THEIR AD AND WE'LL BEAT THEIR PRICE
JUST BRING ANY LOCAL COMPETITOR'S CURRENT AD TO US AND WE'LL BEAT THEIR PRICE ON THE SAME BRAND AND MODEL THAT WE SELL.
BRAND NAMES • LOW PRICES • SELECTION PLUS SERVICE EQUALS BEST VALUES!

LOW PRICES ON BRAND NAME COLOR TELEVISIONS
MAGNAVOX 25" TV WITH REMOTE — MAGNAVOX 25-INCH COLOR TELEVISION WITH REMOTE CONTROL, SLEEP TIMER AND ON-SCREEN DISPLAYS $257
RCA 25" TV W/ REMOTE & ON-SCREEN DISPLAYS — RCA 25" COLOR TV WITH SCAN REMOTE CONTROL, ON-SCREEN DISPLAYS & AUTO PROGRAMMING Model #X25103SG $236
RCA 13" TV WITH REMOTE — RCA 13-INCH COLOR TV WITH CHANNELOCK™ SCAN, REMOTE CONTROL & ON-SCREEN CHANNEL NUMBER Model #X13101 $136
MAGNAVOX 13" TV WITH REMOTE — MAGNAVOX 13-INCH COLOR TABLE MODEL TV WITH SLEEP TIMER, REMOTE & ON-SCREEN DISPLAY $149
MAGNAVOX 52" TV WITH STEREO & UNIVERSAL REMOTE — MAGNAVOX 52" COLOR PROJECTION TV W/STEREO MTS/SAP SURROUND SOUND, COLOR P-I-P & UNIVERSAL REMOTE FOR TV, VCR & CABLE
OR
RCA 35" TV STEREO & COLOR PIC-IN-PIC — RCA 35" COLOR HOME THEATRE WITH COLOR P-I-P, 20-WATT STEREO AMP., UNIVERSAL REMOTE, BROADCAST STEREO & SOUND RETRIEVAL SYSTEM Model #F35751MB
AFTER $100 FACTORY MAIL-IN REBATE
YOUR CHOICE $1699
ZENITH 27" MTS STEREO REMOTE CONTROL — ZENITH 27" RECEIVER-MONITOR WITH MTS STEREO, REMOTE CONTROL, SLEEP TIMER & ON-SCREEN DISPLAYS $329
MAGNAVOX 25" TV W/ TOTAL REMOTE GRAPHIC CONTROL — MAGNAVOX 25-INCH CONSOLE COLOR TELEVISION WITH TOTAL REMOTE AND 181-CHANNEL CAPABILITY $349
RCA 19" TV W/ ON-SCREEN DISPLAY — RCA 19-INCH COLOR TV WITH AUTO. PROGRAMMING, CABLE COMPATIBLE W/SCAN REMOTE & ON-SCREEN DISPLAY Model #X19150SG $176

SATELLITE SYSTEM & VCR'S
RCA DIGITAL SATELLITE SYSTEM — SHARPER PICTURE. CLEARER SOUND. GREATER CHOICE. • Laser Disc Quality Picture Capability • CD Quality Sound • Great Programming Choices For The Whole Family — NOW IN STOCK! #DS1120RW Professional Installation Available
13" TV/VCR COMBO — 13-INCH COLOR TV/VCR CABLE COMPATIBLE WITH REMOTE CONTROL, ON-SCREEN PROGRAMMING & 8-EVENT, 1-YEAR TIMER $299
RCA CABLE READY HQ VHS VCR SYSTEM W/REMOTE & 4-EVENT, 14-DAY TIMER Model #VR319/327 $159
RCA 4-HEAD VCR W/REMOTE, ON-SCREEN PROGRAMMING & 8-EVENT, 1-YR. TIMER #VR501/503 $169
JVC DA-4 HEAD VHS VCR WITH MULTI-BRAND REMOTE $189

COLOR TELEVISIONS
MAGNAVOX 27" TV WITH REMOTE — MAGNAVOX 27" COLOR MONITOR-RECEIVER WITH MTS/SAP & dbx NR, UNIVERSAL REMOTE, COLOR P-I-P & ON-SCREEN GRAPHICS $369
RCA 31" TV UNIVERSAL REMOTE BROADCAST STEREO & COLOR P-I-P — RCA 31" COLORTRAK PLUS™ STEREO MONITOR-RECEIVER W/COLOR P-I-P, UNIVERSAL REMOTE, BROADCAST XS™ STEREO, ON-SCREEN CLOCK, SLEEP & ALARM TIMERS $799 Model #F31672SE

BELLSOUTH CORDLESS TELEPHONE "Filtered Sound™" Noise Reduction, 10-Number Memory, Last No. Redial, 2-Way Security, Desk/Wall Mountable #668 $39
AM-FM STEREO RADIO DUAL CASSETTE RECORDER W/CONTINUOUS PLAY FROM DECK-TO-DECK & FULL RANGE SPEAKERS Model #C934 $28
CRAIG PORT. CD W/AM-FM STEREO & CASSETTE • Programmable 20-Track Memory • AM-FM St Tuner • Built-in Condenser Microphone • Stereo Headphone Jack #JS8632 $69

CAMCORDERS
RCA FULL SIZE VHS CAMCORDER WITH 12-TO-1 ZOOM LENS & 1-LUX • Full Range Auto Focus System • 1-Lux Low Light Mode Recording • DSP2 Digital Signal Processing #CC413
OR
SHARP VHS SLIMCAM CAMCORDER, CAT'S EYE 1-LUX & 12:1 POWER ZOOM Balanced Weight Design, Full Auto System Audio & Video Fade In/Out, Flying Erase Head
YOUR CHOICE $599
G.E. VHS CAMCORDER W/8X POWER ZOOM LENS, 2-LUX & 2-HR. BATTERY Date/Time Insert, Flying Erase Head Variable High-Speed Shutter, Full-Range Auto Focus System #CG684 $399
SHARP VIEWCAM™ 8mm CAMCORDER W/3-INCH BUILT-IN LCD COLOR MONITOR & SPEAKER Var. Angle Recording, 8X Power Zoom, Self-Recording, Scene Menu, Instant Playback, Index Search, Digital Full Range Auto Focus, On-Screen Menu, Infrared Remote
ON SALE NOW!

NAME BRAND AUDIO COMPONENTS
SANSUI 5-DISC CAROUSEL CD CHANGER W/REMOTE • 8x Oversampling Digital Filter • Dual D/A Converters • 30-Track Random Access Programming • 22-Key Remote • AMPS • 3" CD Compatible • 20-Track Music Calendar #CD390M $139
JVC 2X120-WATT RECEIVER/SYSTEM CONTROL CENTER WITH DOLBY® PRO-LOGIC SURROUND • Hall Surround Mode • 1 VCR Input/Output & 1 Video Input • Preset Memory For 40 AM-FM Stations • Station Name Memory • Spectro Peak Indicator #RX715VTN $299
TECHNICS AV STEREO RECEIVER W/REMOTE & DOLBY™ SURROUND SOUND • 55W x 3 + 30W (Rear) Home Theatre™ Mode • Powerful Stereo Mode 100-Watts Per Channel • New 38-Key A/V Remote #SAGX470 $219
JVC 105-WATT STEREO RECEIVER/SYSTEM WITH REMOTE AND 4-SPEAKER SURROUND SOUND • 105 Watts Per Channel • A/V Remote Control With Power On/Off • Motor Driven Volume Control #RX315TN $157
SHARP AM-FM STEREO SYSTEM WITH 5-DISC ROTARY CD CHANGER, DOUBLE CASSETTE TAPE DECK, REMOTE, EQ., X-BASS & 3-WAY STEREO SPEAKER SYSTEM Model #CMS-R500AV $249
TECHNICS 2-WAY BASS REFLEX SPEAKER SYSTEM • 140-Watt Music Input Power • 10" Cone Woofer Delivers Powerful Bass • Detachable Grille #SBLX3 $47 EA.
PIONEER DUAL CASSETTE TAPE DECK W/DOLBY® B NR • MPX Filter • Auto Tape Selector • Track Skip Search/Blank Skip • Relay Play #CTW103 $87
TECHNICS ROTARY COMPACT DISC CHANGER W/REMOTE • 5-Disc Rotary Design Lets You Change Any 4 Discs While Fifth Plays On • Quick Disc Rotation System • MASH 1-Bit DAC System • 32-Step Random Access Programming #SL-PD867 $199

MICROWAVE OVEN & APPLIANCES
SHARP CAROUSEL® II LIGHTWEIGHT & PORTABLE HALF PINT™ MICROWAVE W/15-MIN. TIMER $89
KELVINATOR 13 Cu. Ft. FROST FREE REFRIG.-FREEZER WITH CRISPER Model #MRT13CRA $369
G.E. HEAVY DUTY FULLY AUTOMATIC WASHER Model #WWA36505 $299
GENERAL ELECTRIC LARGE CAPACITY ELEC. DRYER WITH AUTOMATIC DRY CONTROL Model #DDE4100S $249
KELVINATOR 24" 3-CYCLE BUILT-IN DISHWASHER WITH 2-LEVEL WASH ACTION AND INTERCHANGEABLE DOOR PANELS Model #MDB222RBM $187
TAPPAN 30-INCH ELECTRIC RANGE W/LIFT-OFF BLACK GLASS OVEN DOOR AND PORCELAIN BROILER PAN/GRID Model #RF311 $249

CAR STEREOS
AUDIOVOX AM/FM/MPX CAR RADIO W/STEREO CASSETTE TAPE • FM Local/Distance Switch • Pushbutton Band Selector • Stereo Balance Control • Locking Fast Forward • Full Range Tone Control #AV3000 $29
PIONEER CAR STEREO WITH AUTO REVERSE CASSETTE & CLOCK • Supertuner® • 24-Presets • Preset Scan • Best Stations Memory • Auto Reverse • Clock • Separate Bass/Treble Controls • Flex Fader #KE3838 $119

OUR RAINCHECK POLICY: Occasionally Due To Unexpected Demand Caused By Our Low Prices Or Delayed Supplier Shipments, We Run Out Of Advertised Specials. Should This Occur, Upon Request We Will Gladly Issue You A Raincheck. No Dealers Please. We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities.

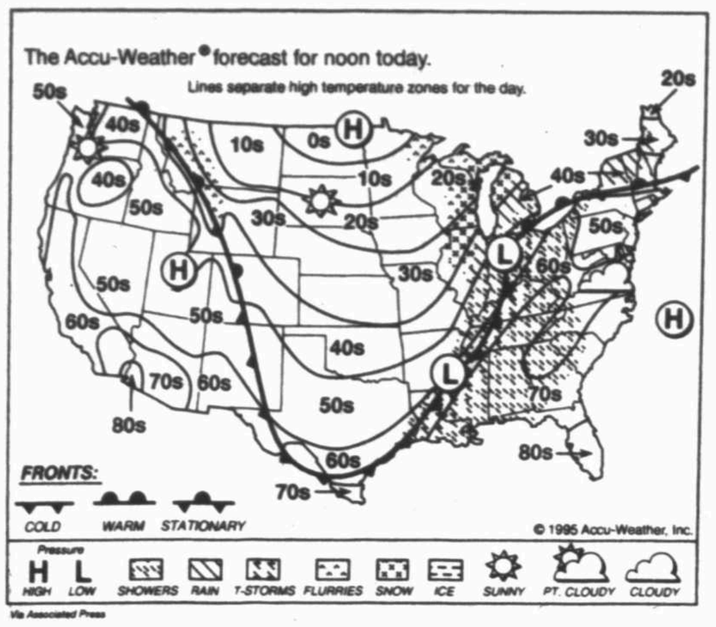
REX YOU ALWAYS PAY LESS

FREE MAKE-OVER
and register for a $25 Gift Certificate - Call for appt.
694-2241
MERLE NORMAN STUDIO
1000 N. Midkiff by Furr's Cafe

"I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE." JOHN 14:6
JERICO
TOWN & COUNTRY SHOPPING CENTER
1000 N. MIDKIFF #6A (915) 694-3911

MAR 7 1995

WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Look for low 70s, a few clouds

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high in the lower 70s and northeast winds 10 to 20 mph, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight will be mostly clear with a low in the mid-20s.

Wednesday is expected to be sunny with a high near 70.

After an overnight low of 45, Monday's high was 75 compared with the record high for that date of 90 set in 1946. The record low for today's date was 15 set in 1989.

STATE

Southerly breezes from the Gulf of Mexico pushed clouds across most of Texas on Monday as temperatures rose into the 60s to 80s.

However, it remained cold in the Panhandle, where Dalhart mustered only 37 degrees in the wake of a cold front buffeted along by northerly winds. At the same time, it was 81 degrees in College Station.

Morning fog socked in airports across the state, postponing business in the Texas Senate because so many members were stranged.

Rain was widespread, ranging from the Panhandle to Southeast Texas. However, drizzle is expected to give way to possibly severe thunderstorms as an upper level disturbance knifes into the state.

Forecasters say West Texas could get rain mixed with snow in the Panhandle today, with decreasing cloudiness and lower temperatures. Highs today are to range from the 40s in the Panhandle to the 70s in the Big Bend valleys. Lows tonight from the 20s in the Panhandle to near 40 along the Rio Grande in the Big Bend. Highs Wednesday will range from from the 50s in the Panhandles to the 70s in the Big Bend.

NATION

A broad storm system centered over Colorado spread snow from the Rockies onto the Plains on Monday, causing a flash flood in Arizona.

Two feet of snow fell at Colorado's Wolf Creek Pass, with 20 inches at Telluride. Snowfall amounts elsewhere at higher elevations from central Colorado into northern New Mexico were generally 6 to 12 inches.

The heavy snow and avalanches closed highways through several Colorado mountain passes and the town of Silverton was cut off from the outside world for the second time in a week. During the weekend, heavy snow and poor visibility interrupted World Cup skiing at Aspen.

Snow also extended eastward onto the Plains from eastern Colorado across Nebraska and parts of Kansas to Iowa and Minnesota.

Six inches accumulated in Nebraska at Burlington, Colorado and Benkelman, with 5 inches at Goodland, Kan. Up to a foot of snow was possible during the night from Colorado to southern Minnesota.

"The road conditions are icy and slick and dangerous and that's to put it mildly," trucker Walter Phillips said from a truck stop at Grand Island, Neb.

Rain fell along the southern edge of the storm, which earlier contributed to a mudslide that destroyed several homes in La Conchita, Calif. Up to 4 inches of rain drenched some Southern California mountain areas during the weekend.

In northern Arizona, the heavy rain set off a flash flood Monday morning along scenic Oak Creek, flooding some streamside homes in the Sedona area south of Flagstaff.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST
Today: Partly cloudy, high in the lower 50s, northeast winds 10-20 mph.
Tonight: Mostly clear, low in the mid-20s.
Wednesday: Sunny, high near 70.
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:
Yesterday's High75 degrees
Overnight Low 45 degrees
Sunset today . .6:51 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow7:08 a.m.
Precipitation:
Last 24 hours trace inches
This month to date0.05 inches
Year to date .01.23 inches
LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	.75	6 a.m.	.54
7 p.m.	.68	7 a.m.	.54
8 p.m.	.61	8 a.m.	.56
9 p.m.	.60	9 a.m.	.58
10 p.m.	.55	10 a.m.	.63
11 p.m.	.55	11 a.m.	.68
midnight	.51	noon	.70
1 a.m.	.49	1 p.m.	.72
2 a.m.	.46	2 p.m.	.73
3 a.m.	.46	3 p.m.	.72
4 a.m.	.47	4 p.m.	.68
5 a.m.	.50	5 p.m.	.65
		6 p.m.	.68

Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 6 p.m. CST.

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	.70	45	
Alpine	.75	47	
Amarillo	.68	37	.04
Austin	.76	53	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	.79	66	.02
Bryan-College Station	.81	56	
Corpus Christi	.78	63	
Dallas	.72	45	
El Paso	.65	54	.04
Fort Worth	.71	43	
Galveston	.71	64	.01
Houston	.80	63	.01
Laredo	.81	62	
Lubbock	.72	44	.01
Marfa	.72	42	
San Angelo	.74	39	
San Antonio	.77	60	
Victoria	.79	57	
Waco	.73	42	
Wink	.72	50	.02

Weather elsewhere

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 7 p.m. CST.

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	.54	45	.03	clr
Atlanta	.62	45	.22	m
Baltimore	.57	41	.02	m
Boston	.44	35	.24	m
Chicago	.34	31	cdy	
Cincinnati	.55	43	.20	cdy
Cleveland	.40	34	.04	cdy
Denver	.29	29	.18	clr
Detroit	.36	32	cdy	
El Paso	.65	54	.04	clr
Flagstaff	.47	33	1.06	clr
Honolulu	.82	66	.10	clr
Indianapolis	.45	36	.01	cdy
Kansas City	.35	32	.14	cdy
Las Vegas	.61	49	.11	clr
Los Angeles	.74	57	.45	cdy
Memphis	.68	50	.11	cdy
Miami Beach	.78	72	cdy	
Milwaukee	.33	27	cdy	
Nashville	.69	55	.31	cdy
New Orleans	.78	66	clr	
New York City	.54	38	m	
Oklahoma City	.59	40	clr	
Orlando	.81	58	m	
Philadelphia	.53	40	m	
Phoenix	.72	54	.53	clr
Pittsburgh	.49	44	.17	cdy
Reno	.55	25	cdy	
Sacramento	.62	39	m	
St Louis	.48	37	cdy	
Salt Lake City	.41	24	.01	clr
San Diego	.65	58	.60	cdy
San Francisco	.64	44	m	
Santa Fe	.53	44	clr	
Seattle	.45	35	m	
Spokane	.39	24	cdy	
Tampa-St Pirsbg	.84	63	cdy	
Tucson	.66	55	.53	clr
Tulsa	.60	41	clr	
Washington,D.C.	.62	41	.05	

Area forecasts

West Texas: Permian Basin, Upper Trans Pecos — Today, partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 50s. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in the mid-20s. Wednesday, sunny. Highs near 70. Wednesday night, fair. Lows in the 30s. Thursday, fair. Highs in the mid- to upper 70s. Friday, fair. Lows in the 40s. Highs near 80. Saturday, fair. Lows near 50. Highs near 80. Concho Valley-Edwards Plateau — Today, decreasing clouds. Highs in the lower to mid-50s. Tuesday night, mostly clear. Lows in the lower to mid-20s. Wednesday, sunny. Highs in the mid-60s to near 70. Wednesday night, fair. Lows in the 40s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs in the 70s. Friday, partly cloudy. Lows in the 40s. Highs near 80. Saturday, fair. Lows in the 50s. Highs near 80.

Border forecasts

NEW MEXICO — Today, fair skies. Cooler south and a little warmer north. Highs upper 30s to mid-50s mountains and north, mid 50s to mid 60s south. To night, fair skies. Lows teens and 20s mountains and north, 20s to mid 30s south. Wednesday and Wednesday night, mostly fair and warmer. Highs 40s and 50s mountains and northwest with upper 50s to near 70 elsewhere. Lows mid-teens to near 30 mountains and north with 30s to lower 40s south. Extended forecast, Thursday and Friday, partly cloudy northwest and mostly fair southeast half. Temperatures above seasonal averages. Highs upper 40s to mid 60s mountains and northwest with mid 60s to 70s east and south. Lows Thursday night 20s and 30s mountains and northwest with mid-30s to 40s east and south. Saturday, slight chance for showers northwest. Otherwise partly cloudy. Breezy and mild. Lows mid-20s to 30s mountains and northwest with mid-30s to 40s elsewhere. Highs 50s to 60s mountains and northwest with upper 50s to near 80 east and south.

DRILLS: Offshore project underscores sensitivity

(From 1A)

the Azerbaijani oil project, was vehemently opposed by Washington.

Concerns by the United States over the potential for Iran's growing influence in the gulf region prompted a policy of containment in 1993 to limit the strength and reach of the Tehran government.

The policy was aimed at putting pressure on Iran to relinquish its pursuit of weapons of mass destruction, its sponsorship of international terrorism, and its opposition to the Middle East peace effort.

Denying charges of terrorist activity and of a nuclear weapons program, senior Iranian officials have blamed the United States for growing economic hardships, stressing that Washington has maintained a hostile attitude toward Iran because of its Islamic government.

Paul Ting, an oil analyst for Oppenheimer & Co., said that Iran as well as other Middle Eastern oil-producing countries had been feeling the pinch to come up with money for major oilfield development since lower oil prices have cut their revenues.

He said there had been doubts whether Iran could reach its goal of increasing its oil production from 3.6 million barrels a day to 4 million without substantial help from foreign oil companies.

Major oil producers in the Middle East have been seeking to increase their production capacity to meet growing demand in the coming decade. Some oil analysts have predicted that oil supplies may be tight by the end of the decade because Middle Eastern countries have not been investing fast enough to expand their production as they faced greater demands to spend more on domestic needs.

Felder said that under the agreement, which was also announced by oil ministry officials in Iran, Conoco Iran NV, a Netherlands-based affiliate of Conoco, would act as the contractor to develop the offshore fields on Sirri Island. Felder said he did not know the estimated size of the oil and gas reserves in the fields.

Sirri Island, 700 miles south of Tehran, is near the Strait of Hormuz, a strategic thoroughfare for shipping.

Felder said two fields, which were discovered in 1972 and 1976, would be developed. They are expected to produce more than 120,000 barrels a day in two years. The United States needs to import about 8 million barrels of crude oil a day to meet its needs.

He said a natural gas pipeline would also be built from Sirri Island to producing oil fields in Dubai. He said that in addition to exporting the natural gas, some of it would be injected into the existing fields in Dubai to increase their output. Sirri Island is about 80 miles from Iran and 90 miles from Dubai.

Felder added that Conoco had been competing with European oil companies including Elf Aquitaine SA and Total for the project.

Based on unofficial figures, American oil companies have purchased 30 percent of Iranian oil exports through subsidiaries, but not for sale in the United States.

Western diplomats have made it clear that economic ties would be a vital question before Washington would consider any restoration of diplomatic relations with Tehran. But high-ranking Iranian officials publicly maintain that ideological considerations take precedence over economic and political factors in shaping foreign policy.

"Establishing relations with the United States is not on our foreign policy agenda," Abbas Maleki, Iran's deputy foreign minister for strategic research, said last week in Shiraz, the newspaper Salam, reported. "At this time, it would neither be in our interest nor of any benefit to have relations with the United States because we do not count on the U.S. market for the sale of our products, nor do we rely on America for the provision of our needs."

Nevertheless, the special circumstances of Monday's oil agreement, signed in the Netherlands, apparently through a U.S. company subsidiary, was reported in the state-run press as a deal with "the Dutch company Conoco." And the fact that the project is to be based off shore merely underscored the sensitivity surrounding any important deal with American companies.

"Projects are under study for the privatization of part of the country's energy industry," Kazem Vazir Hamaneh, director of planning at the Oil Ministry in Iran, said recently.

OUTING: Lover's gender helped keep story under wraps

(From 1A)

agreed to a trial separation.

The Wenners had been married for 26 years. Her parents had lent him several thousand dollars to start Rolling Stone in San Francisco 28 years ago, and she had been with him as he evolved from a young turk raising rock 'n' roll hell to a middle-aged mogul raising a family.

Manhattan media circles buzzed with the truth: Wenner had moved into a hotel with a former male model who now worked for designer Calvin Klein.

Given the tension between what everyone was saying and wasn't writing, some rather broad hints began to appear. Newsweek, for example, did a strict business story about the split, but repeated the Post's report that Wenner had recently "dined with a Calvin Klein executive."

Wenner, meanwhile, was turning down reporters' interview requests and calling some of their editors to plead for privacy.

"He called me within hours of my assigning the story," said Kurt Andersen, editor of New York magazine. "He asked me to keep the fact that he had a gay boyfriend out of our story." Later, Andersen received calls from Jane Wenner and from a godparent of one of the Wenner children, also seeking discretion.

On Jan. 30, Advertising Age reported the relationship in an item buried in a gossip column. The Boston Herald reported Wenner had been seen with the Klein exec "in a cozy tete-a-tete ... (yes, he's a guy)."

When The Mail, a London tabloid, printed the news Feb. 19, New York Post gossip columnist Richard Johnson decide it was time to go to press.

In his Feb. 23 story, Johnson wrote, "There is a longstanding policy at most news organizations, including the Post, against so-called outings." In addition, he said, there were other considerations: Jane Wenner was distraught and the Wenner boys "would be teased by schoolmates."

"The Mail has such a big circulation, my premise was that it was out already," he said Monday.

The Wall Street Journal tried to elevate the story from gossip Friday with a Page One story that devoted only a few of its 2,000-plus words to Wenner's male lover. Instead, it focused on the Wenner breakup's implications for Wenner Media.

The business angle, however, was undercut by the fact that it was not clear the Wenners' split was permanent and thus financially or legally significant. Also, Wenner Media is not publicly traded and not particularly large; of its four magazines — Rolling Stone, Us, Men's Journal and Family Life — only Rolling Stone makes big money (around $15 million a year).

Which led some to conclude that the whole episode was really just an outing. If Jann Wenner hadn't taken up with a man, would anyone have devoted more than a few minutes or a few inches to it?

On the other hand, the lover's gender also helped keep the story under wraps. Writing in the Village Voice, gay gossip columnist Michael Musto questioned the Post's logic: "All kinds of other breakups and 'scandals' have been reported by all the columns without any such qualms" about kids getting teased, for example.

Some gay rights advocates argued that by suppressing the male lover angle, news organizations showed an anti-gay bias. "It's a form of catering to potential bigotry by withholding information — and only doing so for gay stuff!" Musto wrote.

In the end, Wenner may have actually brought more attention upon himself by seeking to suppress it. "Over the short run, he probably succeeded in slowing things down a bit," Andersen said

PLUGS: TRC package encourages new drilling

(From 1A)

By encouraging new drilling and keeping mature wells producing, the measure is expected to have a benefit of $105 million a year on the Texas economy and extend the life of 103,000 direct and indirect Texas jobs.

A similar law, the Marginal Well Bill, would protect 95,000 marginal oil wells, and put $2 billion a year into Texas pockets, by granting permanent severance tax exemptions to wells that produce less than 1 bopd beginning Sept. 1, of this year or 2-3 barrels beginning Sept. 1, 1997.

The average production for Texas oil wells is 2.88 bopd, and TRC officials estimate the new law could add $18 million to the Texas economy, and provide a 300 percent return on investment. Within six years it is estimated that the state would reap $1.57 billion in economic activity in exchange for $81.9 million in lost tax revenue.

While the oil-and-gas industry is still the No. 1 industry in Texas, Williamson said it accounts for less and less state revenues. "Oil and gas once accounted for 30 percent of state revenues, but now accounts for only 6 percent," he said.

A law that would encourage new oil-and-gas technologies would exempt new techniques for oil recovery. It requires operators to submit an application to the Railroad Commission describing the technique, area of application and duration of the project. Once the Railroad Commission determines that the project is valid, it would be granted an exemption from severance taxes for the duration of the project and three months afterwards. If it is determined that the experimental recovery technique resulted in a substantial recovery of hydrocarbons, the project could receive a permanent exemption, up to 100 wells.

To save wells the ultimate fate of plugging, the Railroad Commission also proposes to enter into the well warehouse business. It proposes to create the Texas Experimental Research and Recovery Activity bill which would allow the Commission to hold sound and non-polluting wells for an unlimited period in hopes that technology or price will make them commercial in years to come.

Not only would wells be saved for the future, but the program also would mitigate the fear of selling wells because of future environmental liability. "Majors will often plug a well for $5,000 rather than sell it for $10,000 because they fear someone 20 years from now will sue them over environmental infractions," Williamson said.

Wells could be placed in the program by paying 75 percent of the plugging cost and redeemed from the warehouse program simply by showing a valid lease.

"We aren't going to take your junk wells," Williamson said. "The wells will be inspected and only structurally sound wells will be put into the program."

The commission estimates that by saving sound wellbores, it is reasonable to assume that over 5,000 wells could be saved for the future resulting in an additional 69.1 million barrels of oil and 356.8 mcf of gas over a 10 year period. All told, the program could return $5 billion in economic benefits.

Carol Rylander, elected to the commission last November, said she supported all the incentive measures, because they would help reduce America's crude oil dependence.

"As anyone knows, I have been a longtime supporter of energy independence for America."

Commissioner Charles Matthews said that what Texas is doing with incentives could cause Washington to change assumptions on taxation and incentives.

ROOTS: 'There was complete disorder' in household

(From 1A)

selling the car" if he had been awake.

"The parents and the son knew this was going to happen," said Lehigh District Attorney Robert Steinberg. "They just didn't know where this was going to happen."

Nevertheless, there was little the parents or authorities could do to prevent the tragedy, he said.

"The family was obviously not willing to give up hope," he said. "Maybe they should have. Maybe it would have saved their lives. But you're dealing with a 16- and 17-year-old. Just because their conduct escalates, you as a parent can't say, 'I'm not going to try.'"

There is no doubt they tried.

The parents sought help from at least eight different clinics and organizations. Brenda took courses in family counseling. They put the boys in residential treatment — where Bryan attacked his father and met another skinhead youth.

"In the conversations I had with Mrs. Freeman the entire focus was 'help for my kids,' it was not help for Brenda Freeman," said one counselor who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Dennis, 54, and Brenda, 48, were devout, lifelong members of the Jehovah's Witnesses. They met when Dennis came to speak to Brenda's congregation, and lived for a time across the street from the local Kingdom Hall.

Initially, their sons shared their devotion.

"Bryan was an excellent public speaker," said grandfather Nelson Birdwell. "When he was 10, he put a lot of the adults to shame."

Birdwell believes the family's troubles began four years ago when Dennis became involved in a disagreement at the church.

> **'Sometime people just go bad. I have seen enough that I believe that there are some people who are either born evil or turn evil.'**
>
> — Robert Steinberg, Lehigh District Attorney

"It was something of a personal nature between Dennis and his peers. The boys became aware of this and they lost respect for their father," Birdwell said. "The boys respect strength."

An elder with the congregation, who also spoke on condition of anonymity, said Bryan and David stopped coming to meetings at about that time. But he blamed their interest in heavy metal music.

"There had to be an outside influence," he said. "Brother Freeman did his best in raising the children in their beliefs."

Birdwell also said there were problems with drugs and alcohol. Steinberg said there was at least one arrest for underage drinking.

When the boys returned from residential treatment to school two years ago, classmates noticed a change. Once neatly dressed in ties, they started wearing engineer boots, black jeans and T-shirts reading "Eternal Hatred." They talked of Satanism, and increasingly, of racial hatred and violence.

"They were real quiet, real mellow people who wouldn't bother no one," said classmate Dana Hersch, who knew them since childhood.

"Then they started to be more aggressive with their words," she said. "They started saying skinheads were the right ones in the world. They said one day they were going to come and kill all the black people."

Troubles escalated at home. Allen Stiles, police chief of Salisbury Township, said police were called to the Freemans' two-story home at least five times over the past two years. No charges were brought.

Birdwell said the boys began sneaking out, driving to Michigan and Atlantic City, N.J., to meet other skinheads.

"There was complete disorder in the household," he said.

By last December, the family seemed on a collision course. Bryan showed up with a tattoo on his neck of a swastika made from human bones. Three weeks ago David, an imposing 6-foot-3, 245 pounds, had "Sieg Heil!" etched above his eyebrows. Bryan, 6 feet and 215 pounds, tattooed "Berzerker" on his forehead.

The Thursday before the murders, Bryan was suspended from school for filling a standardized test with racist slogans and lewd drawings. The next day, in a lunchroom confrontation with school principal Michael Platt, students say Bryan snarled, "Shut up or I'll throw you in the oven, you kike!"

Police were called, but Bryan left before they arrived. Two days later, in the early hours of Monday morning, Dennis and Erik Freeman were bludgeoned and stabbed to death in their beds. Brenda Freeman was found beaten and stabbed in the basement.

"Sometime people just go bad," Steinberg said. "I have seen enough that I believe that there are some people who are either born evil or turn evil."

RASH: One victim sets up reward

(From 1A)

ning at 6:50 a.m. Sunday.

Kerbow said he has contacted several neighbors about contributing to a reward fund as an incentive for someone to come forward with information about the crimes. Kerbow also said he plans to post fliers at the high schools soliciting information on the vandalism.

Anyone with information about the vandalism or who wish to contact Kerbow about the reward fund can contact police detective L.L. Wright at 685-7175.

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

6-8-8

Midland-Reporter-Telegram
USPS 0890-5932
A Hearst Newspaper
Published each morning by the Hearst Corporation, Midland Reporter-Telegram Division, 201 E. Illinois St., Midland,, TX 79701. Second-class postage paid at Midland, TX 79711. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to the Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland TX 79702. Phone number 915-682-5311.
Charles A. Spence, Publisher
James E. Servatius, Editor
Sam E. Bakke, Advertising Director
J.R. Ruiz, Circulation Director
John Maddox, Production Manager
David T. Wedel, Controller

HOME DELIVERY
PAID-IN-ADVANCE

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	1-Mo.
Daily/Sun	$120.00	$60.00	$30.00	$10.00
Sat/Sun	$90.00	$45.00	$22.50	$7.50

MAIL RATES — TEXAS/NM

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	1-Mo.
Daily and Sun	$180.00	$90.00	$45.00	$15.00
Sun Only	$120.00	$60.00	$30.00	$10.00

MAIL RATES — OTHER USA

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	Mo.
Daily and Sun	$360.00	$180.00	$90.00	$30.00
Sun Only	$120.00	$60.00	$30.00	$10.00

Foreign and other rates furnished upon request. All subscriptions payable in advance.

The Nation

■ Cop-on-cop attack stuns New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS — Even for a city hardened by hundreds of killings last year, the triple slaying was almost beyond belief: a police officer and two others killed during a restaurant holdup, allegedly by his ex-partner.

Officer Ronald Williams Jr. was laid to rest Monday with a mounted escort and hundreds of silent, black-badged officers accompanying his casket to a mausoleum. The 25-year-old policeman left a wife and two sons, one a week old.

Officer Antoinette Frank, 23, was behind bars without bond, facing first-degree murder charges that could bring her the death penalty.

In 1994, 420 homicides were reported in New Orleans. Last week there were 18 in addition to the triple killing.

■ California town still wary of slides

LA CONCHITA, Calif. — Inch by inch, menacing fissures opened on a waterlogged bluff above this tiny beach town. Then the mountain really went on the move, burying nine homes and forcing 200 people to flee a vast wall of ooze.

The land had been slipping toward the sea for 23,000 years and La Conchita's 700 residents knew for six months that cracks on the steep slope were widening, aggravated by heavy rain.

Disaster finally struck Saturday, when tons of soggy earth slipped into the town north of Los Angeles and spread across an area 1,000 feet wide. Authorities stood guard above the hillside Monday, ready to alert residents if the earth moves again.

More rain was expected by Wednesday. As rain let up Monday, trains usually allowed to roar through town at 65 mph were slowed to 20 mph to soften vibrations that could trigger another slide.

According to geologists, only 10 percent of the unstable earth that could come down did so on Saturday.

■ 'Lion King' sells 20 Million in 1st week

BURBANK, Calif. — Shoppers snapped up a record 20 million copies of "The Lion King" video in its first week on sale, the Walt Disney Co. said Monday.

Only a handful of movies, including Disney's "Aladdin," "Snow White" and "Beauty and the Beast," have sold more than 20 million copies.

"It's not just families and kids buying it, there are a huge number of adults picking it up for themselves," said Ann Daly, Disney's home video chief.

The record comes with the movie still playing in some theaters. It yielded North American retail sales of $350 million in just a week. The previous record holder, "Aladdin," sold 10.6 million copies in its first week in stores, Disney said.

Disney expects to sell 27 million cassettes of the animated musical and has stepped up duplication to meet the demand. The record holder for overall sales is "Snow White," with more than 24 millions cassettes sold.

■ Administration weakens rare species act

WASHINGTON — Fearing a GOP Congress may gut the Endangered Species Act, the Clinton administration proposed weakening the law Monday to give more consideration to economic development.

Among the proposals are exempting small landowners from the controversial law, requiring more scientific evidence to declare species in danger and giving state and local officials a bigger role in implementing the law.

At a news conference announcing the proposals, Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt insisted that the administration "will resist radical attempts" to destroy species protection.

"Make no mistake about it, the Endangered Species Act is as American as apple pie," Babbitt said. "It has preserved our rich and diverse natural heritage."

The Endangered Species Act has been at the center of a Republican assault on deregulation in Congress and faces its most severe threat in years.

The House has approved a two-year freeze on putting new species under its protection. And last week, the House passed a bill that would make the government compensate landowners if their property is devalued by 20 percent or more as a result of the endangered species law.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Detective says Goldman was never main target

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — One of the detectives in charge of the O.J. Simpson case testified Monday he never considered the possibility that Ronald Goldman, not Simpson's ex-wife, was the primary target of their killer, or that someone other than Simpson committed the murders.

"I had absolutely no other evidence that would point me in the other direction," Detective Tom Lange said under cross-examination.

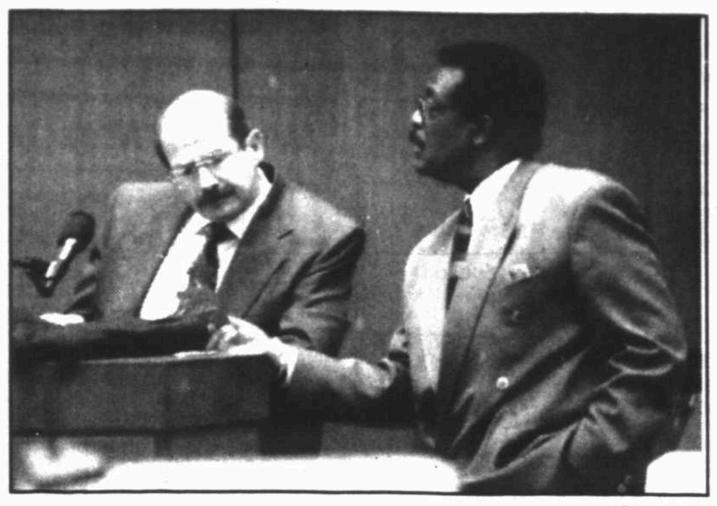
Lange retook the stand after a 10-day interruption during which the jurors were left on hold at their hotel and housekeeper Rosa Lopez had her alibi testimony videotaped for possible use later in the trial.

"Detective Lange, you haven't retired yet?" defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr. joked as Lange took the stand.

"Not yet," Lange answered in the same deadpan delivery that marked his earlier four days of testimony.

Cochran took up where he left off, trying to elicit evidence of shoddy police work and a "rush to judgment" that Simpson was the killer.

"Did you ever consider that Mr. Goldman may have been the targets of the assassin or assassins that particular night? Did you ever consider that at all?" Cochran asked.



AP Laserphoto

Defense attorney Johnnie Cochran, right, questions Los Angeles detective Tom Lange about a grocery list during Monday testimony.

"The targets of an assassin?" Lange replied, incredulously.

Cochran then changed his wording to whether Goldman was "the target of ... the perpetrator or perpetrators" on June 12. Lange still seemed mystified.

"Did you ever — as the investigating officer in this case — ever consider any other theory than if O.J. Simpson was the only perpetrator in this case?" Cochran asked.

"I had absolutely no other evidence that would point me in the other direction," the detective said.

Asked if he considered that Goldman might have been followed to Ms. Simpson's condominium, Lange said, "I think it's entirely possible he was followed."

"Did you ever consider that something regarding him or his background may have led some person or persons to follow him there, to that location?" Cochran asked.

"I had no evidence at all to suggest that," Lange said.

"And so did you ever pursue that or look at it at all?"

"There was nothing to pursue."

Prosecutors have said that Simpson set out to kill his ex-wife and that Goldman happened upon the scene outside her condominium when he went there to return a pair of glasses.

Lange acknowledged finding a list of women's phone numbers, including Ms. Simpson's number, in a notebook at Goldman's apartment but was unsure anyone ever followed up on the names.

"I didn't see any other leads to follow up on," Lange said. "There was no other evidence to pursue."

Simpson, facing the jurors for the first extended amount of time in 11 days, put down his customary notepad and sat watching them and the witness.

Under questioning from Cochran, Lange said he made no effort to determine when and where Goldman ate his last meal and said he did not tell the coroner's office to examine the contents of Goldman stomach to try to establish the time of death.

Cochran pressed Lange about what appeared to be a fruit label found near the bodies.

The only time jurors were in court last week was when a dismissed juror was replaced by an alternate. The jurors weren't told why Lange's account had been interrupted.

House debates changes in litigation system

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Marching into the more controversial reaches of the "Contract With America," the Republican-controlled House argued Monday over business-backed legislation to alter the civil legal system. "Simply too extreme," the White House labeled some of the proposals.

A high-priced lobbying campaign pitting business interests against trial lawyers played out in the background as the House debated the bills that backers say are designed to discourage frivolous lawsuits.

The measures generally would make it easier to defend product-liability and securities-fraud cases and they pre-empt state laws by creating a federal limit on so-called punitive damages in most lawsuits. They also would provide incentives to settle lawsuits out of court under a modified "loser pays" system that could require even a person who wins a case to bear a portion of the other side's attorney fees and costs.

"Common sense legal reform," Rep. Steve Chabot, R-Ohio, termed the measures, borrowing the phrase from the GOP's campaign "Contract With America."

"This isn't for Main Street, it's for Wall Street," countered Rep. Peter DeFazio, D-Ore., arguing that consumers would be placed at a disadvantage in trying to grapple with large corporations.

Whatever the fate of the measures, they marked the latest phase in the Republicans' rush through the campaign manifesto that helped them win a majority in last November's elections. Awaiting floor action next week is a constitutional amendment placing term limits on lawmakers, although, unlike the other measures, it seems headed for defeat.

Meanwhile, the House Ways and Means Committee has all but completed action on a fundamental overhaul of the nation's welfare laws. And the final item on the Republican program — tax cuts and a series of spending cuts to finance them — are expected to reach the floor at the end of March or in early April.

After eight weeks under GOP control, the House opened its session Monday with a ritual debate over the party's campaign manifesto itself. "We kept our promise," Chabot declared as he ticked off the balanced-budget amendment, crime bills and other measures the Republicans have pushed through in the past 61 days.

But Democratic Rep. John Dingell of Michigan said the Republicans also propose eliminating programs to weed out drugs and crime in schools. "This tends to show me that my Republican colleagues know the cost of everything and the value of nothing," he said.

Many of the House passed bills are certain to be watered down — if not defeated — in the Senate, as the balanced-budget amendment was last week. Senators on Monday opened debate on a relatively non-controversial measure to reduce federal paperwork burdens.

The stakes were huge in the measures to overhaul the legal system, judging from the lineup of lobbying combatants.

A coalition including the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, the American Council of Life Insurance and the National Federation of Independent Business aired a television commercial in the Washington area claiming that Little League is just one example of a lawsuit gone out of control.

"Little Leagues spend more to protect themselves from lawsuits than for bats, balls or gloves," says the commercial, which shows youngsters playing ball and gradually evaporating from the screen.

Consumer groups and trial lawyers dramatized the other side, arranging at one press conference for appearances by individuals who sued successfully for damages. They included Stella Liebeck, the woman scalded by spilled coffee who has become known as "the McDonald's coffee lady."

Investing? We're Your Partner in Success...
Serving Midland area investors for over 40 years...
Call Tanya J. McCann Today.
915-683-3241
The Arco Building
600 N. Marienfeld, Suite 148
Midland, Tx. 79701-4362
a Member of the Principal Financial Group
Principal Financial Securities, Inc.
Investment Bankers • Member NYSE • Member SIPC

All Seasons Carpet Cleaning Service
New Extra Merchant!
689-2900 567-5319(pager)
Call NOW and get a 15% discount with Extra Cards!
ALSO:
SCOTCHGUARDING
LEMON OR CINNAMON SCENTED
UPHOLSTERY CLEANING
FREE ESTIMATES
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

If There Is A Diamond In Your Future So Is D'Carroll's
San Miguel Square • 697-0424

La Katheryn's
Going Out of Business
3B Imperial Shopping Center
Going Out of Business
One $10.00 Rack
50%-60%-70% OFF
Mon.-Sat. 10-6 No Credit Cards Please All Sales Final

Dolly P. Doctor, M.D.
Board Certified in Internal Medicine
Is pleased to announce the opening of her practice specializing in comprehensive Adult and Adolescent Care including Hypertension, Stomach/Colon Problems, Arthritis, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Asthma, COPD., Hormone Problems & Menopause, Cancer Screening, and Male/Female Yearly Physical Exams.
ACCEPTING MHP-MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PPO
Office Hours: 8-5 Mon.-Fri. By Appointment Only
2114 W. Tennessee 686-9999 Midland, Texas

For a Quality Sign That's Right. On Time.®
LOGOS & SYMBOLS
RETAIL SIGNS
REAL ESTATE & YARD SIGNS
ARCHITECTURAL GRAPHICS
WINDOW LETTERING
BANNERS
New To Midland
FASTSIGNS®
The One Day Sign & Lettering Experts®
In The Courtyard Loop 250 at Midkiff 520-0491
Fax #520-0492

East Coast Connection
The Permian Basin's Newest Fashion Connection
NOW OPEN IN MIDLAND
• Scarfs
• Purses
• Earrings
• Casual Wear
• Costume Jewelry
Gift Boxes Available
WATCH FOR FUTURE LOCATIONS
Midland - In The Courtyard - 520-9899
Odessa - Sherwood Center - 550-2557

CAREER GIRL IS BACK!!
New Owner - Dorothy Edge wants to invite all the old customers and lots of new ones to see the NEW CAREER GIRL OPENING VERY SOON!
Come See Us!
Career Girl
323 Dodson "In Old Town Midland"
Monday thru Friday 10:00-5:00 • Saturday 10:00-5:00

MAR 07 1995

Midland Reporter-Telegram

The Editorial Board

Charles A. Spence, Publisher
James E. Servatius, Editor
Gary R. Ott, Managing editor
William E. Modisett, Editorial page editor

News Services
Reporter-Telegram Washington, Austin bureaus
The Associated Press
N.Y. Times News Service
Hearst News Service

Economic reality forcing changes

When the executive board of The Association of Oilwell Service Contractors (AOSC) voted unanimously last week to open the association's membership to all well site services it registered as another "signal" of the new reality in the Oil Patch.

It used to be that such associations could be relatively restrictive in their membership, catering to a more defined oilfield specialty. But with the new economic reality in the oilfield, drillers, geologists, service firms and others are having to learn a new way of operating. For AOSC, that meant opening its membership that for 39 years had been limited to owners of well service rigs, with other oilfield wellsite services restricted to associate membership.

The "restructuring" the Oil Patch has been undergoing since 1986 has necessitated an elemental change in the way those who seek to work carry out their business. And that change applies at all levels of the petroleum industry.

The change gains those who wish to remain involved in the oil business a way to continue operating. Something is necessarily lost in the transition to the "new" way of operating, but typically something is also gained.

Mike McDermett, president of AOSC, noted as much last week when he said, "On the negative side, we lose the identity we have had for the past 39 years. On the positive side, we will be a politically stronger organization, with a bigger voice in federal and state affairs, and in industry affairs."

McDermett was espousing what every operator, every association, every entrepreneur in the Oil Patch must learn. The economic reality today is forcing change on the oil industry. Those operators, associations and entrepreneurs who change and learn to work in the new environment will be here a few years down the road. Those who are unwilling to adapt will not.

Our policy on letters

The *Reporter-Telegram* recognizes the "Letters to the Editor" format as an important forum for citizen opinion and encourages participation of all readers. To that end, we have set as few rules as possible. However, we must have some, and they are:

- Letters must be signed and include a street address and daytime phone number for verification. Letters not including this information will not be considered for publication.
- They should be no more than 350 words in length. While some lengthy letters are published, we reserve the right to edit when necessary due to space limitations. The briefer the letter, the better its chance of publication.
- Only one letter per month per writer can be published.
- Letters will be edited for length, taste and legal reasons and are accepted only on that basis. Letters which are difficult to reduce in length will be returned to the writer to be edited before being re-submitted.
- We do not publish 'open' letters, copies of letters sent to others or multiple signatures.

———

Because we cannot research and verify all information in letters, by publishing them we neither imply nor guarantee the accuracy of information stated by writers.

Letters should be sent to: The Editor, Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, 79702 or you may fax to 682-3793.

Whom To Write

Following is a list of the names and addresses of various state and federal officials Midlanders may wish to contact from time-to-time:

PRESIDENT: Bill Clinton (D), The President, The White House, 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D.C. 20500 or call (202) 456-1414, Fax (202) 456-2461.

SENATORS: Kay Bailey Hutchison (R), The Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510 or call (202) 224-5922, Fax (202) 224-0776; or write to Kay Bailey Hutchison, 1100 Commerce, Suite 7C14, Dallas, TX. 74204.

Phil Gramm (R), 370 Russell Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510 or call (202) 224-2934, Fax (202) 228-2856.

REPRESENTATIVE: Lamar Smith (R), District 21, 2443 Rayburn House Office Building, Washinton, D.C. 20515 or call (202) 225-4236. Fax (202) 225-8628; or 201 W. Wall Suite 104, Midland, Texas 79701, or call 687-5232, Fax 550-0852.

REPRESENTATIVE: Henry Bonilla (R), District 23, 1529 Longworth, Washinton, D.C., 20515 or call (202) 225-4511, Fax (202) 225-2237; or 4400 N. Big Spring, Suite 211, Midland, Texas 79705, or call 686-8833, Fax 686-8819.

GOVERNOR: George W. Bush (R), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701 or call (512) 463-2000, Fax (512) 463-1849.

STATE SENATOR: Teel Bivins, (R), District 31, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711 or call (512) 463-0131, Fax (512) 475-3733; or P.O. Box 9155, Amarillo, Texas 79105 or call (806) 374-9933, Fax 806 374-4607; or P.O. Box 1673, Midland, Texas 79702, 682-0455, Fax (915) 684-7843.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE: Tom Craddick (R), District 76, 408 W. Wall St., Midland, Texas 79701 or call 682-3000, Fax 684-4864.

EX-PRESIDENT: George Bush, 10000 Memorial Drive, Houston, Texas 77024 or call (713) 686-1188, Fax (713) 686-0908.

WILLIAM MURCHISON

Democrats invite blame with budget vote

Denizens of sophisticated Washington, D.C., rarely get accused of coming to town on a load of hay — particularly when they serve in Congress.

Murchison

What is wrong, in that event, with the Senate Democrats? The Republicans have played them for suckers — those Democrats, that is, who voted against the balanced-budget amendment. Let these folk loose on the Midway, and they'd sidle up to the barker, saying, with eyes like saucers, "Gosh, mister, you mean that there cow really has four heads? If that don't beat all!"

Naivete, thy name is Daschle, Bingaman, Feinstein, Ford, Dorgan, Hollings — any one of whom, without turning his or her back on stated principles, could have put across the amendment in the Senate. Not a one of them, for all their past support of compelling Congress to balance the budget, would go along.

The amendment loses. Who wins? The Republicans.

Nothing odd here, to be sure. The balanced-budget debate was always, for the Republicans, a win-win situation. If Congress passed this venerable proposal and sent it along to the states for ratification, the GOP could claim credit for addressing the deficit problem. However, this was always the lesser danger. The more Democrats who voted for and pushed the amendment, the less glory for the Republicans.

The greater danger to the Democrats was a fit of petty, partisan spite amid which the amendment failed. Such a fit came on them, all right. The amendment failed, and Daschle-Bingaman-Feinstein-etc. did it at the microphone with a meat ax — and noses wholly unattuned to the political implications.

Three consequences flow directly from the vote.

1. Republicans now can point to how most Democrats, given a chance to do something other than mouth off about the deficit, quickly sank to the occasion.

GOP National Chairman Haley Barbour enthusiastically took this tack on Thursday, right after the vote. "By blocking passage of the balanced-budget amendment," Barbour said, "Bill Clinton and the Democrats who voted against it in the Senate today made the difference between Republican leadership and Democrat retrenchment more crystal-clear than ever." You can almost see Haley smacking his lips when he said, "Clinton."

2. The vote draws attention to Democratic tergiversation. Here is what a campaign ad for California's Sen. Dianne Feinstein said last year: "From her courageous votes for the balanced-budget amendment ... she is fighting to create jobs." Byron Dorgan of North Dakota last year said in an ad, "And finally, I am working for a constitutional amendment that forces a balanced budget."

The Republicans have had fun with this one, too. Speaker Newt Gingrich, whose own House passed the amendment handily, accused the Senate vote-switchers of lying. Now "lying" may not be a word that gentlemen use to each other, but there is likely to be a grass-roots perception in places like California and North Dakota that vote-switchers are not gentlemen — or ladies, either. Republicans can be counted on to encourage this perception.

3. The vote gets Republicans off the political hook from which they might have dangled, had they started announcing detailed plans to implement the amendment. The Democrats had all along been saying, what cuts will you make? With increasing rancor, they had imputed the existence of some GOP conspiracy to gut Social Security. So much for any effectiveness that gambit might have acquired.

———

William Murchison's column is distributed by Creators Syndicate

CHARLEY REESE

Promote certain principles to remain free

A lot of folks seem to know what they are against but then seemed to be confused about what they should be for.

Let an old news hound offer a few suggestions.

Reese

Let's start with the assumption that your goal is to maintain your liberty and to live in a society which would allow you to pursue your own brand of happiness with minimum interference from others, including government. If that's your dream, what should you be for?

You should be for private property rights. Economic independence is not possible unless people's right to acquire, own and use property is protected. And without economic independence, political liberty is a mirage.

Property rights are being eroded in the United States in the name of land-planning — sometimes referred to, euphemistically, as growth management — and in the name of environmental preservation. All you have to do is look at the mess created by land planners to know it doesn't work. All you have to do is look at the environment in the Soviet Union to know that government controls are not the way to preserve an environment.

So stay on the issue of property rights.

Next, insist on a sound currency. Much of today's economic problems are caused by inflation, which in turn is made easy by the central bank. The money in your wallet is not a U.S. Treasury certificate. It is a Federal Reserve bank note backed by nothing. If the central banks pump more and more bank notes into the economy, each buys less and less. Consequently savings and investments become difficult for everyone except speculators wired into bank loan departments.

Support limited government. The more government does, the more taxes it will levy. There's no escape because government has no way to get money except to take it from the private sector. The natural tendency of government is to grow, rather than shrink. The natural tendency of many people is to beg favors from government. The natural tendency of today's politicians is to tax the productive in order to buy votes from the unproductive.

Today, government (federal, state and local) eats up about 40 percent of national income. That's 40 cents out of every dollar you earn, and that's way too much. At the turn of the century, American government at all levels cost only about 10 percent of national income. We should work toward pushing it back to that level.

Never give up an elective office. There is a persistent effort to make elective offices appointive. This is anti-democratic and anti-self-government in the most profound sense. The only power people have is the ability to vote officeholders out of office. Give it up, and you will really suffer some hard consequences.

Don't buy the heifer dust that some politician is better qualified to choose an official than the people are. Look at the buffoons, tyrants and incompetents sitting on the federal bench. If that doesn't debunk the notion that appointments do better than elections, then you might as well move to Cuba and listen to Fidel Castro tell you what a wonderful life you have.

Support free speech. We can't govern ourselves unless we are free to try all ideas and policies before the bench of reason in public debate. There is a growing tendency, under the guise of political correctness, to dictate what Americans must think and to control what can or cannot be studied or taught.

Under no circumstances should government be allowed to punish people for what they think or believe. That truly would be the end of American freedom.

Notice that few of these ideas are even talked about by politicians. That's the point. You must force them to address these issues, and you must not passively accept their agenda — if you want to stay free.

———

Charley Reese's column is distributed by King Features Syndicate.

MIKE ROYKO

Three strikes law catches jerk of a pizza thief

At first glance, it seems like a terrible abuse of legal power — a man sent to prison for 25 years to life for stealing one slice of pizza.

Yes, only one thin slice of pizza. And it didn't even have everything on it.

Royko

But that's what happened to a mope named Jerry Dewayne Williams in a Los Angeles courtroom.

It was Williams' misfortune to have stolen the pizza slice after California put in one of those tough "three strikes" laws.

This meant that because Williams had four earlier felony convictions — including robbery and attempted robbery — a judge could whack him with the 25-to-life stretch on another conviction.

But why would stealing one slice of pizza be considered a serious crime?

Because after too much drinking with his buddies, Williams, 25, grabbed the pizza slice from a group of children in a restaurant. And one of the kids testified that Williams frightened him.

Williams is unhappy. So is his lawyer. And many California liberals say that the three-strikes law was not intended to punish a pizza thief as harshly as a murderer, bank robber or sex fiend.

They have a point. Some killers, robbers and fiends receive lighter sentences than 25 to life.

On the other hand, the sentence could be a step toward mending a glaring gap in our justice system. It is the question of what to do with jerks.

The fact is, most people are not murdered or robbed or attacked by a fiend. The average bank teller will never see a bank robber.

But hardly anyone in our society can get through even one day without being tormented by a jerk.

They are everywhere and they multiply faster than the general population.

We entered the Age of the Jerk sometime in the 1960s. That's when screamers decided they could dominate any public discussion, slobs decided that all the world was their litter box and droolers began forcing their boom box noise on innocent ears.

All you have to do is get out in rush-hour traffic. Within seconds a jerk will tailgate or cut you off. Or white-knuckle merge at 5 mph in a high-speed zone.

Turn on your radio and hear the grunts and "ya knows" of the jerks who dominate the call-in shows.

A large segment of the population believes that chicken bones should never be put in a garbage can. Instead, they should be taken to the nearest park and scattered on the softball diamonds or in the grass.

Drive through some neighborhoods, and you get the inner-city strut from young men who slowly jaywalk and dare you to hit them so they can sue and ruin your life.

If your phone rings with a wrong number, it's likely that the person on the other end will get mad and blame you for his stupidity.

In a checkout line, the jerks wait until the entire order has been tabulated before slowly taking out his wallet or opening her purse.

So, basically, stealing a slice of pizza from children was the act of a jerk, not a criminal. Similar acts of jerkism are committed every day. And nothing happens to the hairy-browed perpetrators.

But now the word might go out, maybe on radio talk shows, where most jerk info is exchanged: "The jig is up, a jerk got 25 years to life."

Why not? Why should jerks get away with a lifelong commitment to shredding society's delicate fabric of common courtesy and civility? Why should society just heave a sigh when made miserable by these gap-toothed primates?

A bully who would steal a slice of pizza from children would talk loudly in a movie theater, pick his nose in a restaurant, blow black smoke out of his exhaust pipe and let his dog doo-doo on someone else's front lawn.

A few years ago, after a record-setting weekend of litter in Chicago's Lincoln Park, I made a simple proposal for teaching people not to litter.

A few of them would be seized and strung up by the neck on trees in the park. Their bodies would be left to dangle and decay with signs on their chests saying: "I Littered. Now I Am Dead. Mend Your Ways."

The bleeding hearts said I was sadistic. That's what they said more recently when I suggested that those who use their car stereos to jolt entire neighborhoods with the noise of cha-cha or rock music should have their ears sliced off and the ear canals filled with Krazy Glue.

Cruel and unusual punishment, the do-gooders said. OK, I'm not a monster. I'm open to compromise.

So on the first offense, maybe we cut off and plug only one ear.

After that, we get tough.

———

Mike Royko's column is distributed by Tribune Media Services, INC.

DEAR ABB
Comm

DEAR ABB
five years ago,
titled "How to
Get Along With
Your Daugh-
ter-in-Law." I
thought it was
great, so I cut it
out and carried
it in my wallet.
Well, my purse
was snatched
in a crowded
mall. It was
found later in a
trash can, but
my wallet was m
$4 or $5 in it —
would like to ha
how to get along
ter-in-law.
Could you plea
HELEN G., PRO
DEAR HELEN
Here it is:
1. When you te
at his home and
the phone, do n
there?" Spend a
ing how she is —

AT WIT'S
Practic

On Feb. 14 —
— I put all my

Bombeck

primary colors is
world, but it does
tions. He never ca
dent of any kind a
name. He neve
clothes in a public

Compute
librarians
more eff
but also

N.Y. Times News

PRINCETON, N
das of on-line data
tronic mail, librari
lonelier.
"Librarians wan
mediaries, the one
gates for people to
tures of knowledg
Klingler, a Prince
librarian. "Unfort
there are no more
In the past, Klin
of his time teachin
to use printed index
them physically
research material.
That all changed
when he introduced
database, Lexis-
library at the Wo
School of Internatio
Affairs.
"Now I teach peo
and I frankly ne
again," Klingler s
miss some of the per
His contact with
days is likely to be t
messages from stu
from dorm rooms
rather than coming
"Friends of mine a
that don't have Le
plain to me about th
copying in the librar
ing the stuff," said
av, a junior. "All I n
out of bed and boot
er. It cuts research t
half."
Database system
librarian's control
tion, and Klingler sa
colleagues resent tha
"Students in the pa
more time simply
gathering the inform
gler said. "It was a
ing, laborious proces
librarians feel that
the research. Well, i
gathering the mate
itself is not an inte
cise."
The first year Le
used at Princeton, 2
were made. Last ye
34,000. "Those are as
bers," Klingler said
way I could have help
people do that much
The evolution tow
tech library has not
easy for librarians.
"When I was in sc
use microfilm; set t
those terrible mach
dimes in to get
copies," said Klingler
grow up with a comp
With the populari
databases increasin
about the future of li
rally arise. In respo
laughs and says th
always be a need for s
nals and books that ca
torical background.

DEAR ABBY

Common sense keeps in-laws from being outlawed

DEAR ABBY: About four or five years ago, you had a column titled "How to Get Along With Your Daughter-in-Law." I thought it was great, so I cut it out and carried it in my wallet. Well, my purse was snatched in a crowded mall. It was found later in a trash can, but my wallet was missing. I had only $4 or $5 in it — but what I really would like to have is your tips on how to get along with your daughter-in-law.

Van Buren

Could you please run it again? — HELEN G., PROVO, UTAH

DEAR HELEN: With pleasure. Here it is:

1. When you telephone your son at his home and his wife answers the phone, do not say, "Is John there?" Spend a few minutes asking how she is — and what's new. And if they live out of town, when you write a letter, always address it to both your son and his wife.

2. If your son was previously married, don't bring up his past marriage. And if he's had girlfriends in the past, don't mention them either. If your daughter-in-law has been previously married and has children by that marriage, accept these grandchildren as your own. Don't play favorites.

3. Never offer advice unless it's asked for. Never criticize your daughter-in-law's cooking, housekeeping, children, friends or new hairdo. And don't try to rearrange her furniture.

4. Do display pictures that include her and her children. Every time she looks at them, it will make her feel wonderful.

5. Never say, "John looks thin" or "pale" or "tired." His wife will take it as a personal insult.

6. If your daughter-in-law has given you a gift, be sure to display it or wear it (at least once) regardless of how much you dislike it.

7. Never repeat family gossip. And try not to listen to any.

8. Never allow your son — or his wife — in the heat of anger to tell you something unkind about the other. They will eventually kiss and make up, and you will be left holding the dirty laundry.

9. If they are childless, don't harp on how much you'd like to have grandchildren. Some couples are not ready; some couples may have been trying for a long time without success; and some couples do not want children — which is strictly their business.

10. One cardinal rule: Regardless of how close you live to each other, never drop in without calling first. (A telephone call from the corner drugstore is all it takes.)

11. If perchance she has said something to hurt your feelings, don't let it fester; take it up with her — don't complain to your son.

12. Do not monopolize the holidays. Remember, your daughter-in-law has parents, siblings and friends she may want to spend time with on the holidays. Some couples may prefer spending an occasional holiday by themselves.

13. Let your son go. Recognize him for the adult he is; stop calling him Sonny, Junior, Skinny, or any other juvenile nickname he has long outgrown.

14. If you have other daughters-in-law — or daughters of your own — treat them equally. And that goes for their children, too.

Tomorrow, in the interest of fair play, I will publish some tips on how to get along with your mother-in-law.

For an excellent guide to becoming a better conversationalist and a more attractive person, order "How to Be Popular." Send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby Popularity Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

AT WIT'S END

Practice doesn't make perfect when it comes to housework

On Feb. 14 — Valentine's Day — I put all my husband's new underwear into the washer and faded them canary yellow.

Bombeck

I told him when I married him 45 years ago that I was not cut out to be a housewife, and I meant it.

Wearing underwear in any of the three primary colors isn't the end of the world, but it does have its limitations. He never can be in an accident of any kind and give his real name. He never can change clothes in a public locker room. He cannot appear for his yearly physical unless he takes his own sheet (which is faded pink from a red T-shirt that had "TRUST ME" lettered on the front of it).

For some reason, newlyweds seem to think that with years you get a handle on all the stuff you have to do to keep a house running smoothly. Grow up!

Women who have written cookbooks still produce souffles that come out as a beverage and new recipes that force the loyal family pet to "eat out."

We all have had our share of failures. I have baked hundreds of cakes. Let me make one for a special birthday, and one of the kids will say, "I thought you'd make three layers," and I will answer, "I did."

Men marry with all kinds of expectations. They expect us to be able to feed 10 people with a pound of hamburger — that is frozen. They figure we are born knowing how to steam-press a suit. And to them, sewing is a "woman thing."

I bought my first sewing machine when I was 22 years old — the year I got married. Twenty years later, one of the kids asked why we didn't have a sewing machine in the house. I told him I had one and pointed it out. All those years he thought it was an end table.

When my husband asked what happened to his new underwear, I became quite defensive and told him there were a lot of "manly" things he messed up on.

I always thought boys tinkered with their cars and made repairs on them. He doesn't know squat about cars. He's the type who climbs into a rental car, fumbles around to release the brake and discovers he's just raised the hood.

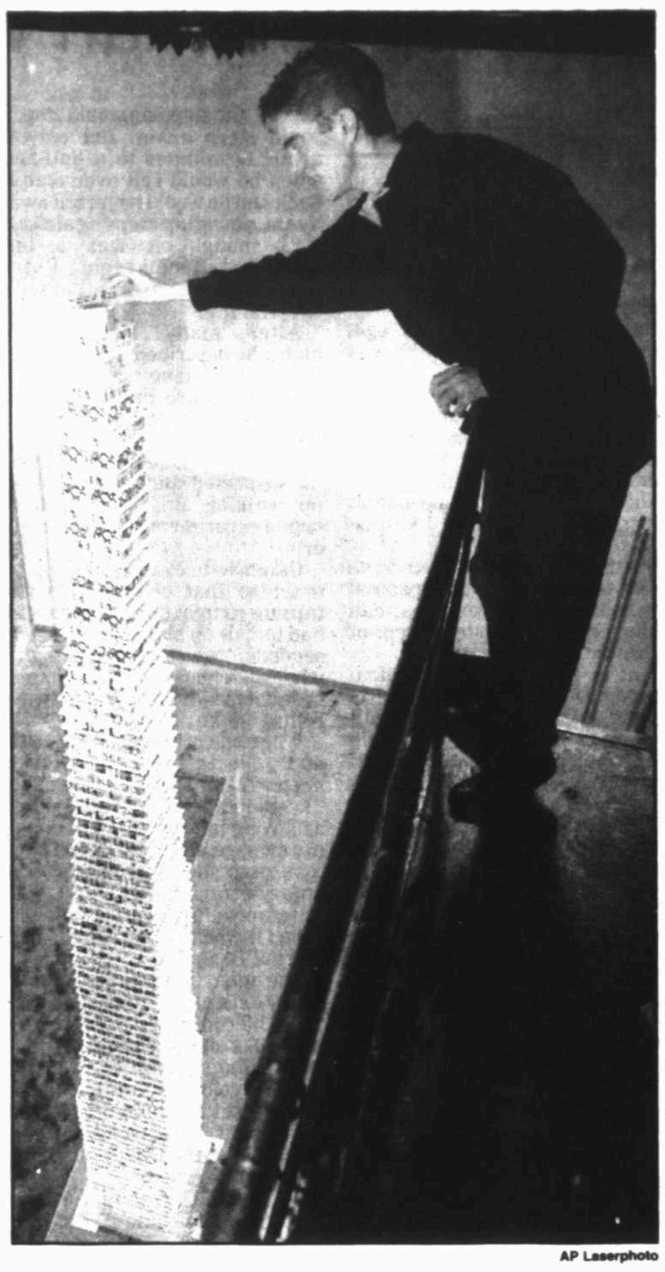
He has a "workshop" that stores a yardstick, a hammer, and a stapler he filched from my sewing basket, which I used for hems.

"Maybe you could put my yellow underwear in with something dark red and tone them down," he suggested.

"That would give you orange underwear."

Maybe we don't have the skills to be married.

Erma Bombeck's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.



AP Laserphoto

House of cards

Bryan Berg, 20, of Spirit Lake, Iowa, applies playing cards to a record-breaking 16 foot, 1 inch tall house of cards last week at the World Trade Center in Boston. The structure, which contains more than 23,000 cards and took 70 hours to build, breaks the record that Berg established in 1992 with a 15 foot, eight inch house of cards. Berg expects to have the tower entered into the "Guiness Book of World Records."

Computers help librarians to be more efficient, but also lonelier

N.Y. Times News Service

PRINCETON, N.J. — In these das of on-line databases and electronic mail, librarians are getting lonelier.

"Librarians want to be the intermediaries, the ones that open the gates for people to enter the pastures of knowledge," said Laird Klingler, a Princeton University librarian. "Unfortunately, today, there are no more gates to keep."

In the past, Klingler spent most of his time teaching students how to use printed indexes and helping them physically track down research material.

That all changed four years ago when he introduced a commercial database, Lexis-Nexis, to the library at the Woodrow Wilson School of International and Public Affairs.

"Now I teach people the system and I frankly never see them again," Klingler said. "You do miss some of the personal contact."

His contact with students these days is likely to be through E-mail messages from students working from dorm rooms via modem rather than coming to the library.

"Friends of mine at other schools that don't have Lexis-Nexis complain to me about the hours photocopying in the library, and just finding the stuff," said Jonathan Levav, a junior. "All I need to do is roll out of bed and boot up my computer. It cuts research time at least in half."

Database systems reduce the librarian's control over information, and Klingler said some of his colleagues resent that. He does not.

"Students in the past spent much more time simply obtaining and gathering the information," Klingler said. "It was a time-consuming, laborious process. Some of the librarians feel that that is part of the research. Well, it really is not; gathering the material in and of itself is not an intellectual exercise."

The first year Lexis-Nexis was used at Princeton, 2,000 searches were made. Last year there were 34,000. "Those are astounding numbers," Klingler said. "There's no way I could have helped that many people do that much work."

The evolution toward the high-tech library has not always been easy for librarians.

"When I was in school I had to use microfilm; set the film up on those terrible machines, put my dimes in to get those slinky copies," said Klingler, 51. "I did not grow up with a computer."

With the popularity of on-line databases increasing, questions about the future of libraries naturally arise. In response, Klingler laughs and says that there will always be a need for scholarly journals and books that can provide historical background.

RIGHT OF WAY

MDA won't yield in its quest to defeat 40 neuromuscular diseases.

MDA Muscular Dystrophy Association 1-800-572-1717

OPEN Mon.-Sat. 9-6 • 24 Years At The Same Location
"Imperial Shopping Center" Prices Good March 2 March 8

Alexander's IMPERIAL PRODUCE
3206 A N. Midkiff • 694-3271

CALIFORNIA VINE RIPE TOMATOES 2 LBS./$1.00
COLORADO 10# BAG POTATOES 99¢ EA.
NEW CROP TENDER ASPARAGUS 99¢ LB.
TEXAS STAR RUBY GRAPEFRUIT 5/$1.00
1015 SO SWEET ONIONS VERY SWEET 99¢ LB.
CALIFORNIA TREE RIPENED NAVAL SEEDLESS ORANGES LARGE SIZE 2 LBS./$1.00
MEDIUM SIZE HASS AVOCADOS 2 FOR $1.00

LICENSED INSURANCE AGENTS

WE ARE INTRODUCING A NEW ACCIDENT PLAN. TESTS SHOW FANTASTIC APPEAL AND RESULTS. CHECK THE BENEFITS BELOW:

"THE PRESTIGE PLAN". A CLASSIC FOR TEXANS

Lone Star ACCIDENT BRIDGE INSURANCE PLAN

• NO POLICY FEES
• NO ENROLLMENT FEES
• NO MEMBERSHIP FEES

ACCIDENTAL DEATH BENEFIT
$10,000 - Paid To The Beneficiary You Choose

DISABILITY INCOME BENEFIT
$1,000 Per Month For First Six Months Beginning On The Sixth Day Of Total Disability Due To Accidental Injury.
$500 Per Month For The Next Six Months Of Total Disability— A Transition Benefit.

HOSPITAL CONFINEMENT BENEFIT
$3,000 Per Month ($100 Per Day) For Up To Six Months, Beginning On The Second Day Of Hospital Confinement Due To Accidental Injury.

EMERGENCY TREATMENT BENEFIT
ACTUAL CHARGES Up To $500 Each Accident For Outpatient Medical Treatment in a Doctor's Office, Clinic, Hospital Outpatient Facility Or Ambulatory Surgical Center.
NO DEDUCTIBLE!

PLUS INCREASED BENEFITS FOR:

ACTS OF CRIMINAL VIOLENCE
50% Increase In The Benefits Shown Above If Injury Is Due To Assault, Armed Robbery, Carjacking or Similar Crimes of Violence.

TRAVEL RELATED ACCIDENTS
25% Increase In The Benefits Shown Above If Injury Occurs More Than 25 Miles From Your Residence

INFLATION FACTOR
5% Increase In The Benefits, Shown Above Each Year For 10 Years, Beginning in the Second Year

Eligible Applicants: Small Business People, Self-Employed Persons, Or Those Otherwise Gainfully Employed.

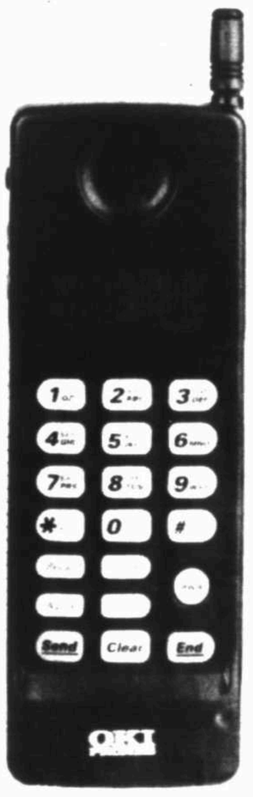
TEXAS A Blessed State TEXAS A State Of Mind TEXAS Like A Whole Other Country

Good Commissions And Advances To Selected Agents In Your Area.

WRITE OR CALL

COMBINED UNDERWRITERS
Life Insurance Company
P.O. BOX 2503/307 NORTH GLENWOOD BLVD.
TYLER, TEXAS 75710
TOLL FREE: 1-800-USA-MEDX
ASK FOR: Jim Procell, Agency V.P.

"Crime Stopper." $99



OKI 1145
with standard Car Kit
Regular Value $549!

For a minimum donation of $10 to Crime Stoppers of Odessa or Midland, you can arm yourself or a loved one with one of the smallest, safest, most convenient crime stoppers ever for only $99.

Actual Weight 10.5 Ounces

Local Airtime Free Calls To Crime Stoppers For Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems Customers
• Odessa 333 - TIPS
• Midland 694 - TIPS

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems

550-1550

4400 Midland Dr. in Midland M-F 8a.m. - 6p.m. & Sat. 10a.m. - 2p.m.
4937 E. 42nd St. in Odessa M-F 8a.m. - 6p.m. & Sat. 10a.m. - 2p.m.
Coors Rd. & Hwy. 80 M-F 8a.m. - 5:50p.m.

Handicapped man who lost use of legs now can't stop walking

By Malcolm Ritter
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Since the day in 1975 when Bob Recine broke his neck, he has struggled to walk — he took his first step 13 years later, and now he can trek as much as 800 feet on crutches in an agonizing 40 minutes.

But one night two years ago, Recine awoke to find that he was walking.

He wasn't going anywhere. He was in bed, on his back, and his legs were stepping, left-right-left-right, with such force that it made him breathe hard and his pulse race.

What makes a handicapped man suddenly move his legs like pistons?

For the answer, scientists have turned to theories that the spinal cord has a nerve circuit that can produce stepping, independent of the brain.

This is more than a medical curiosity. If it is true, and scientists can find out how to turn the circuit on, it may lead to ways to help some people with spinal cord injuries trade in their wheelchairs for crutches or canes.

Recine has spent most of his time in a wheelchair since he broke his neck on Nov. 8, 1975, while playing football for Rutgers University.

But in 1993, the resident of New Brunswick, N.J., was undergoing intense physical therapy in Miami to improve his walking with crutches. Progress was good, and he had every reason to be happy when he went to bed one night, rolled over on his side and drifted off to sleep.

Suddenly he awoke to find his legs moving.

"If I lay on my back, I couldn't stop them," recalled Recine, 39. Finally he found that if he rolled back to his side and brought his legs up, the stepping would stop. He could sleep again. But only for about 10 minutes to a half-hour, when he would roll over onto his back and he would be jarred awake by the pounding steps again.

"I thought it was a little strange," Recine said. But he wrote it off as spasticity caused by the training.

After many sleep-deprived nights he described the stepping to Dr. Blair Calancie of the Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, at the University of Miami School of Medicine.

Calancie thought immediately of the suspected spinal cord circuitry for walking, and he and Recine began experiments a few hours later.

Calancie hooked Recine up to a machine that converted his leg muscle contractions to sound, and had him lie on his back. Within five seconds, "we started hearing this whoosh, whoosh, whoosh sound," Calancie said. "It was like waves rolling in the ocean."

When one of Recine's legs came up to take a step, Calancie tried to keep it from straightening again. "I couldn't. His legs were every bit as strong in these contractions as my own, (with) much more power than he could produce during a voluntary contraction."

Calancie and colleagues published their findings recently in the journal Brain.

The idea that such spinal circuitry exists in humans, and that it could be controlled to help people walk, has long been controversial. But findings published in just the last few years have made "a lot of people excited about this in a hurry," said researcher Reggie Edgerton of the University of California, Los Angeles.

Studies in Germany, for example, show that some spinal injury patients who use wheelchairs can be trained to walk useful distances with the help of a cane or braces, Edgerton said.

"A lot's being learned quickly and we don't know how this is going to fall out," Edgerton said. "We don't know what kind of patient is going to be able to improve how much. What we can say ... is that a lot of patients are going to improve some."

It doesn't take much walking ability to make a big difference in a patient's life, says Hugues Barbeau, a professor of neurology at McGill University in Montreal.

"Just to be able to do a few steps in the kitchen, or a few limited steps when you go to the restaurant, and to leave the wheelchair behind when you to go the restaurant, that's a very significant benefit," he said.

As for Recine, he thinks the spinal circuit has helped his walking achieve record performances. It may have worked too well last fall when it apparently switched on during his training with crutches.

"My legs would walk faster than what I could keep up with my arms," Recine said. "It's just like my legs were walking right out from under me."

Recine's nighttime stepping stopped in 1993 when he took a break from training to return to Rutgers and get a degree in sports management.

But he suspects it may return this year as he pushes to increase his walking distances. He doesn't look forward to the disruption of his sleep. But he figures it's worth it.

"It came down to a choice of, do I want to walk and not sleep, or sleep and not walk? I figured I'll walk now and not sleep, because things were improving so much."

The Blue Gem Shop & Gallery
TOTAL LIQUIDATION
Everything Must Go!
50% to 75% OFF
ENTIRE STOCK
(excluding consignments)
PRINTS, JEWELRY, GIFTS
Come Early For Best Selection!
321 Dodson St.
683-1391
Mon.-Fri. 10-5:30
Sat. 10-4

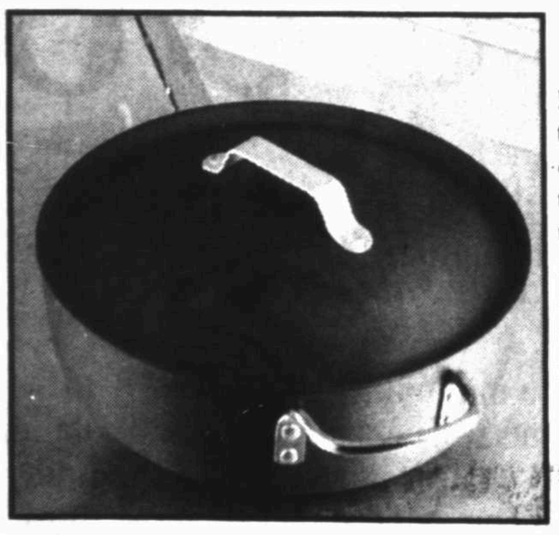
Matina
FASHIONS
GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE
EVERYTHING MUST GO BY MARCH 15TH
LOW LOW PRICES!
PANT SETS Unpainted 20 Colors One Size Fits All $8.99 Plus Size $10.99
PAINT SETS Painted One Size Fit All $12.99-$15.99 Plus Size $17.99 Short Sets $12.99
BROOM SKIRTS $7.99 & up
NECK TIES $2.99-$4.99
TUXEDO SHIRTS $10.99 14 Colors
FASHION WATCHES $5.99-$7.99
PERFUMES $5.00 Off
STIRRUPS $5.99
CHILDRENS PANT SETS Studded and Painted $10.99
POGS & SLAMMERS $1.00
Midkiff & Loop 250
(between Albertsons & Sally's)
699-0266
Northpark Plaza

Calphalon Cookware Bonus

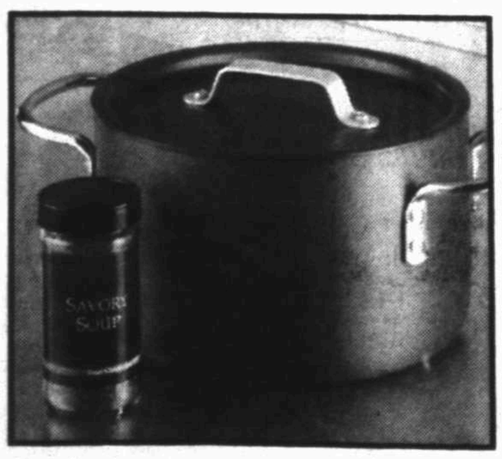
Receive a 1½-qt. covered saucepan with any $150 regular-price Calphalon purchase!

You probably already know many of the great reasons to choose Calphalon cookware. To name a few, it's made of heavy-guage anodized aluminum; its super-hard, stick-resistant cooking surface won't chip, peel, crack or rust; and, it's made in the U.S.A. Now we're serving up another taste-tempting reason to purchase Calphalon – with any $150 regular-price Calphalon cookware purchase you'll receive a bonus 1½-qt. covered Windsor saucepan. That's a **$68 value!** Bonus offer ends Saturday, March 18.

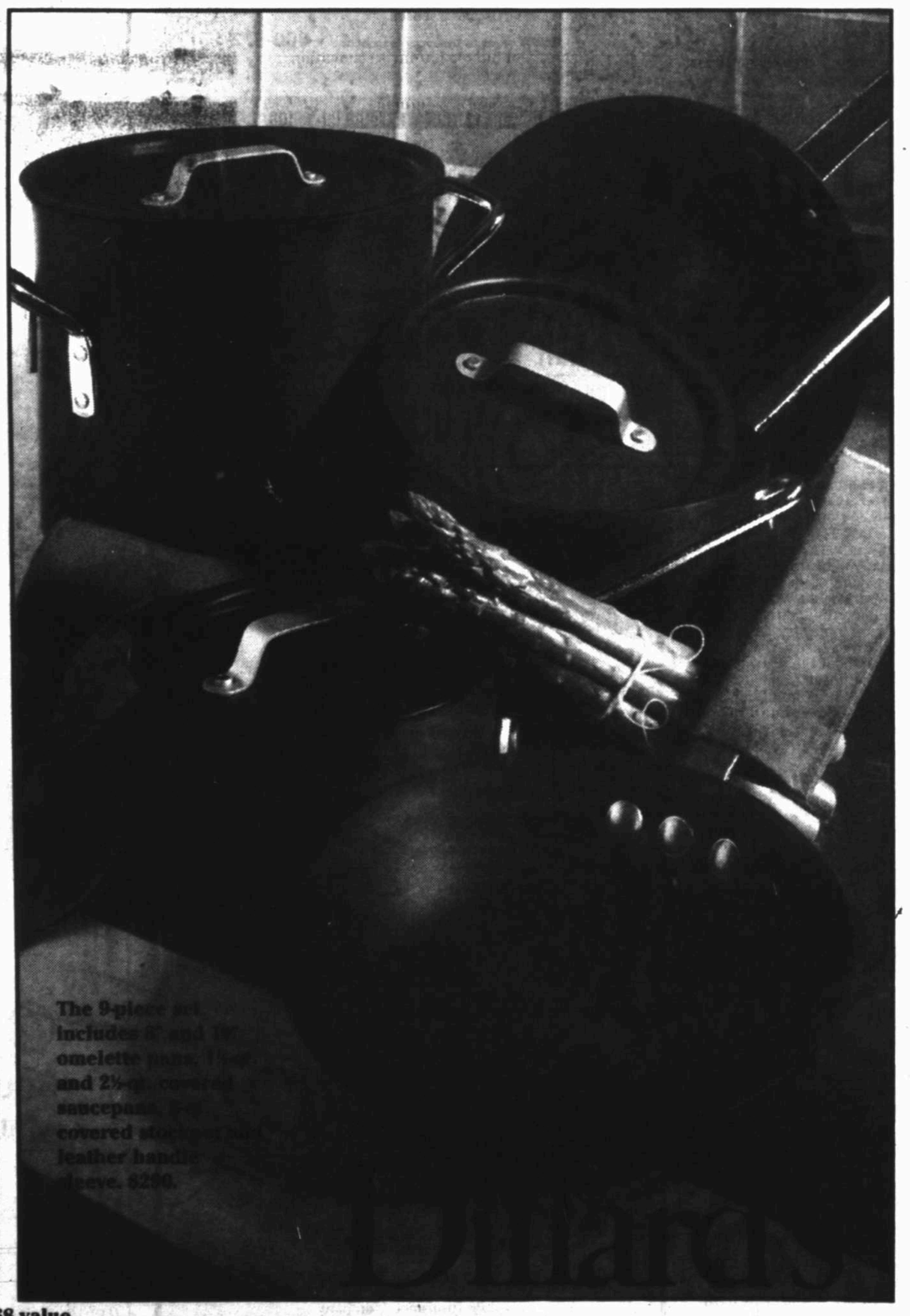
• Cookware



New for 1995, the 4-qt. covered chef's pan is a terrific all-purpose tool that can be used for sautéing, stir frying, or as a saucepan or soup pan. **$90**.

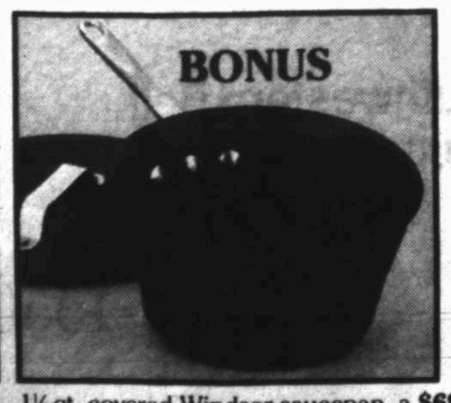


A great way to begin your Calphalon collection, this "Try Me" 3½-qt. covered sauce pan comes complete with a bottle of Savory Soup seasoning with recipes. **$50**.



The 9-piece set includes 8" and 10" omelette pans, 1½-qt. and 2½-qt. covered saucepans, and covered stockpot with leather handle sleeve. $250.

10" omelette pan, **$55**.



1½-qt. covered Windsor saucepan, a **$68 value**.

SHOP DILLARD'S MIDLAND PARK MALL. MONDAY THRU SATURDAY 10-9; SUNDAY 12-6.

LOCAL & STATE

Deaths/2B

TUESDAY

DAY WATCH

MISD Meeting

In order to avoid conflicts with spring break, Midland Independent School District's board of trustees will meet at 4 p.m. today instead of next week. Today's meeting will include presentations on problems with school violence at Goddard Junior High School, and concerns with the MISD/MC Career Technology Program. The City Council will meet at 10 a.m. today, a week earlier than usual. The council usually meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

Boll weevil talk

Effective ways for cotton farmers to deal with the blight of the boll weevil will be discussed in a two-hour meeting at 9 a.m. Wednesday in Midland County's Texas Agricultural Extension Service Building east of Midland. "We're conducting this educational meeting along with 29 other High Plains and adjacent Rolling Plains counties in the proposed (boll-weevel) eradication zone," according to Earnest Kiker, TAEX agricultural agent for Midland County.

Chamber up 40

Halfway through the annual membership drive of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, volunteers have signed 40 new businesses and received verbal commitments from about the same number, reports Shelby Concotelli, co-chair of the drive. The goal of the two-week drive is to sell 150 new memberships. "Traditionally our membership drive builds to a big finish the last few days," said Joyce Reaves, drive co-chair. Concotelli noted that Midland businesses who sign up before the drive ends Thursday can save $25, as the chamber is waiving the new member processing fee during the drive.

Local club honored

The Boys and Girls Club of Midland was the recipient of several honor awards for excellence at the West Texas Area Council of Boys and Girls Clubs' annual meeting in Lubbock this past weekend. "We are the only club (in the region) to receive more than one award," said Jon Farr, executive director of the Boys and Girls Club of Midland.
The Midland organization brought home awards in four out of seven categories. The regional group recognized the Midland agency's excellence in the areas of citizenship and leadership development, outdoor and environmental education, social recreation and membership outreach. The awards were the result of the concerted effort of the Midland club in the last year to implement quality programs for its members, Farr said.
In addition to Midland, the West Texas Area Council of Boys and Girls Clubs includes Abilene, Amarillo, El Paso, Lamesa, Lubbock, Odessa, Roscoe, San Angelo and Synder.

Scholarships

Applications are now being accepted from high school seniors and junior and senior college students for two $500 college scholarships through the West Texas Press Association. The Association will be presenting scholarships to two future journalists in print media whose career goals include working with a community newspaper.
Through the Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship program, named in honor of longtime Hamlin Herald publisher Bob Craig who died in 1981, a graduating high school senior and college junior or senior will be presented with a $500 scholarship. Each applicant must fill out an application form and write an essay based on the theme, "My Future and Career Plans in Community Journalism." Application forms have been sent to member newspapers and high schools throughout the West Texas region and to college journalism departments. Prospective applicants may secure a form from the high school journalism department or counselor. Applicants must be from the West Texas area.

Brewpub will feature international beers

■ Mid-July opening set for San Miguel brewery which will feature over 20 types of beer.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Local beer drinkers with a taste for quality can look forward to a new watering hole to sip a variety of fresh brews — made in Midland.

Thomas Herman of Fort Stockton plans to open a brewpub — a restaurant-bar with beer made on the premises — in the San Miguel Shopping Center by mid-July.

"What we're trying to do is produce beers that are found pretty much around the world," Herman said. "Essentially we hope you experience beers you might not taste going to the store."

The pub — Hierman's Hofbrau — will offer the gamut of beers including lagers, ales, porters and stouts. Beer lovers can also expect to see seasonal beers such as an Oktoberfest beer, a pumpkin beer, a Christmas beer, and a spring bock beer.

"Initially we hope to have at least five or six," Herman said. After a year or two, the pub should offer 20-plus types of beer, he said.

Partner John Heard — founder of the Austin Zealots, the first home brewers association in Austin — will be the establishment's brewmaster.

"We hope people enjoy it. We do make a very excellent product," Herman said.

Herman and Heard have been brewing beer for seven years. "It was a small hobby that ran away with us,"

Please see BREW/2B

Lamar leak shows need for repairs

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Lamar Elementary School pupils have to dress for the weather, and with Midland's recent fluctuations from balmy spring days to icy cold snaps, that can be quite a guessing game. The reason Lamar youngsters have to keep an eye on the weather forecast is because they attend classrooms which open directly onto the outside air. Leaky ceilings, splitting boards and a brisk walk to other classrooms through dust storms or rain are just a few of the problems Lamar pupils contend with.

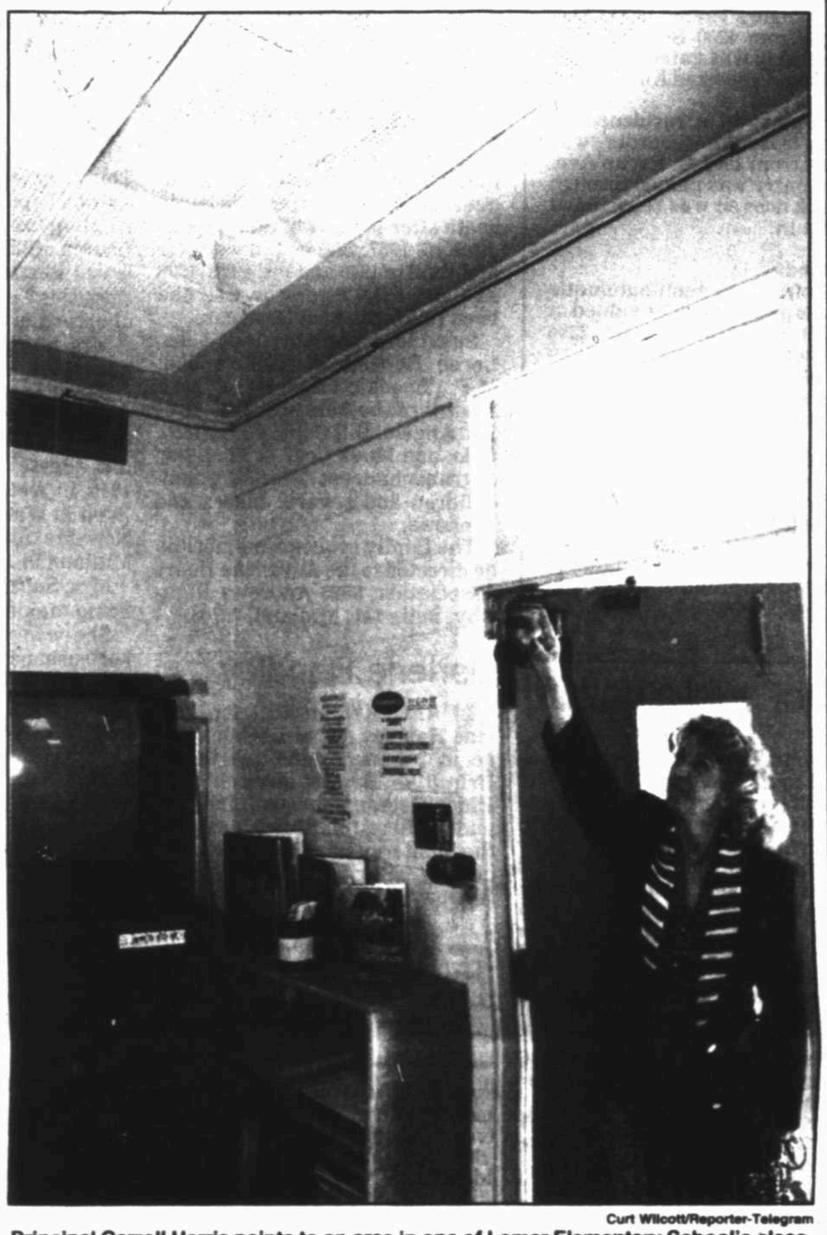
Built in 1952, Lamar does not have enclosed hallways protecting youngsters from the elements (while increasing energy efficiency) as many new and newly renovated buildings do.

The 42-year-old building, with water-damaged ceilings and other signs of physical decay, is due for a renovation. It is next up on the list of Midland Independent School District's list of buildings in need of overhauling. Each year, the MISD board sets aside $2 million for renovations. It's a slow rate of repair, since the $2 million only covers one building per year. And this year, $2 million might not be enough.

A recent bid for Lamar's renovation, which included paving a parking lot, came in at more than $2.3 million.

"The base bid, plus a parking lot, came in at about $2.35 milllion. So, the school board tabled it and asked us to go back and do some value engineering — keeping the same design while finding opportunities within that design to lesson costs," said Wilson Heidelberg, MISD executive

Please see LEAK/2B



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram
Principal Carroll Harris points to an area in one of Lamar Elementary School's classrooms where water has leaked through the ceiling tile.

Officials warn of scam artists posing as MS spokesmen

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Good-hearted Midland residents are being asked to keep an eye out for potential scam artists disguised as crusaders against a painful and crippling disease.

Local officials with the Multiple Sclerosis Association have been receiving disturbing news from area residents who have contributed to "sound-alike" organizations that are not tax exempt and may be pocketing the money, according to Annette Wilke, executive director of the West Texas MSA chapter in Midland.

The MSA is gearing up for one of its four main fund-raising activities that provides funds for the care of local multiple sclerosis victims and money for research on the national level.

It is during these big fund-raising events that the organization and its contributors are most vulnerable to groups of scam artists serving under a variation of the real association's name.

Two "red flags," or important things to watch for when making a donation to multiple sclerosis treatment and research are, (1) making sure the organization in question has a local address as well as the national address, and (2) to beware of telemarketers calling to solicit money, Ms. Wilke said.

The MSA does not use telemarketers, but there is at least one possibly bogus organization currently using telemarketers to solicit donations to an out-of-town post office box.

These telemarketers have been hitting up local charitable groups and companies, she said. "We've been getting a lot of calls from local organizations and corporations," she added.

Anyone with questions about donations should contact local MSA officials at 684-4097, or write to P.O. Box 4636, Midland, 79704.

The MSA is a dedicated, non-profit organization that is audited annually to make sure that 60 percent of donations raised locally go to aiding local victims of multiple sclerosis and 40 percent of local money goes toward funding research to find new treatments or a cure to the disease, Ms. Wilke explained.

The local organization is preparing for an April 1 walk-a-thon, which is a corporate event sponsored by ClayDesta. Local volunteers are already out in the community seeking support for an estimated 500 walkers this year.

The increased exposure and advertisement for the local MSA make Midland a ripe target for non-aligned organizations to skim some of the estimated $25,000 generous Midlanders are expected to give in the battle against multiple sclerosis.

This is the sixth year for the walk-a-thon and MSA volunteers are planning various entertain-

Please see MS/2B

Doctor to address chronic fatigue sufferers

Dr. Michael Samuels, an osteopathic physician, will speak on chronic fatgure syndrome Saturday in Midland.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Dr. Michael G. Samuels, a Dallas-based osteopathic physician who specializes in chronic illnesses and environmental diseases, will be speaking in Midland this week on the human-growth hormone and "how it affects everybody whether they have health problems or not," according to Midlander Linda Hagler.

In his public talk, Samuels will be speaking from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday in the auditorium of the Golf Course Road Church of Christ at 3500 Golf Course Road. His lecture is being sponsored by West Texans Living With Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome and Fibromyalgia Syndrome (WTLC).

"I think he's wonderful; he's very personable," said Ms. Hagler, who is president of the 250-member WTLC.

Samuel is one of several physicians who have treated Ms. Hagler for her chronic-fatigue

Please see FATIGUE/2B

Tender when she wants to be

By Jimmy Patterson
Staff Writer

Mary Chapin Carpenter has broken new ground. Ground never before tread upon by the likes of Ella Fitzgerald and Aretha Franklin. Until last Wednesday's Grammy Awards ceremony, no female artist had ever won four consecutive Grammys in the same category.

When Carpenter won for Best Country Female Performance, it was her fourth consecutive in that category. Despite accomplishing something never before achieved by anyone in the recording industry, Carpenter, who will be at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum Wednesday night for the third stop on her 1995 Stones in the Road tour, has everything in perspective when it comes to awards.

■ Mary Chapin Carpenter will play Lubbock Municipal Coliseum Wednesday at 8 p.m.

"Ever year, I think, well, my name's been called before so it won't get called again," Carpenter said. "Each time it happens, though, it's a real thrill and a real blessing."

Please see CARPENTER/2B

Mary Chapin Carpenter's following continues to grow with each album.

GARY OTT

When in trouble, always admit faults up front

More rambling thoughts ...

— Lousy feeling No. 1: Opening the refrigerator door and realizing the appliance for some reason is not working and hasn't been for several hours, thus ruining $75 worth of groceries you had just purchased the previous day.

— Lousy feeling No. 2: Waking up abruptly and realizing that the really horrible thing you thought might have happened the day before really did happen.

— No matter how often you tell yourself that worrying doesn't make a problem go away, it is virtually impossible not to worry just the same.

Ott

— When you know you are in deep trouble with your boss, spouse or what have you, your best strategy is always to admit your fault up front and then put on a big show about how stupid you were. It just seems to take some of the sting out of their anger, although it usually works better when dealing with a boss than a spouse since she (or he) has no doubt seen the routine on numerous occasions.

— The buffalo is a distinguished looking animal.

— Some people are just blessed with that unique talent for appearing to be terribly busy and productive when in fact they accomplish very little during the course of a day.

— Red hair combined with a fair complexion has never appealed to me.

— Don't you just hate it when you are "almost certain" you have thrown away an important item, but there is an outside chance you might still have it, so you spend an hour or two looking for it, knowing that in all likelihood you're never going to see it again?

— The only good to come from that situation is that you almost always end up finding three or four other items you had long given up as lost.

— The most frustrating people in the world are those who are arrogant for reasons that will forever remain a mystery to the rest of us.

— Is it just me, or does it seem in poor taste when all the lawyers in the O.J. Simpson trial start laughing and carrying on about something someone said? I keep thinking about the two dead people, and if they would consider the comment humorous.

— Don't you feel sorry for those unfortunate men who have been cursed with a prissy walk?

— OK, you laugh at them first and then you feel sorry for them.

— One of life's more awkward moments is when you are attempting to carry on a conversation with an acquaintance and it suddenly dawns on you that you have absolutely nothing to say to this person, and, furthermore, you wish they would simply go away.

— And, today's final quote comes from Charlie Chaplin, who once said, "Man is an animal with primary instincts of survival. Consequently, his ingenuity has developed first and his soul afterwards. Thus the progress of science is far ahead of man's ethical behavior."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

MAR 07 1995

POLICE REPORT

Robbery attempt

A woman reported an attempted robbery at the bank deposit box on Garfield Street Sunday morning, according to police reports.

A manager from Pizza Hut, 2200 Wadley Ave., said she went to the NationsBank lobby, 4309 N. Garfield St., to make a deposit when she was approached by a man who demanded the money she put in the night drop, police said. The woman advised the subject — who appeared to have something in his pocket — that she could not retrieve the money, police said. The man then left, she told police.

Sexual Assault

A 17-year-old Midland man arrested Saturday after he allegedly broke into a house and sexually assaulted a 12-year-old girl remained in jail Monday night, according to jail and police officials.

The suspect, Byron Hickey, 17, was arrested about noon at Lee Street and Illinois Avenue, and was arraigned before a judge Sunday, officials said. Bond was set at $10,000.

The man has been charged with burglary of a habitation with intent to commit a felony: sexual assault, police said.

According to reports, a known man entered the girl's room in a home in the 700 block of South Clay Avenue about 5:25 a.m. Saturday and sexually assaulted her.

The girl was later transported to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center and a warrant was issued for the man, police said.

Two 15-year-olds were arrested Saturday afternoon and charged with possession of crack cocaine with intent to deliver, police reported.

The two teens were arrested near 103 S. Lamesa Road after officers were dispatched to in reference to the drug being sold, officials said.

Police recovered 19 grams of cocaine and the two youths were transported to Culver Youth Home.

Sunday

Vandalism: A window was reported broken out of a vehicle at 601 N. B. The incident was reported at 2:23 a.m. by Mark Johnson.

Burglary of a residence: A man armed with a knife reportedly broke into a home at 3105 Mariana and vandalized the dwelling. The incident was reported at 5:28 a.m. by Josh Cash.

Burglary of a vehicle: A stereo — later recovered — and tapes were taken from a vehicle at 2928 W. Louisiana Ave., reported Kelly Brandon at 11:44 a.m.

Burglary of a residence: An incident at 4424 Seminole Drive was reported at 4:32 by Chad Thompson.

Burglary of residence: A carton of cigars valued at $13 was taken from 4700 Boulder Ave. after entry was gained through a window, reported Kim Dehart at 6:59 p.m.

Burglary of a residence: A video cassette recorder was taken from 1906 E. Pecan Ave. after entry was gained through a back door, it was reported at 9:10 p.m.

Monday

Theft: Three semi-automatic pistols and a revolver valued at $1,500 were taken from 3300 Terrace Ave. during the last two weeks, reported Greg Roland at 7:46 a.m.

Theft: Tools valued at $1,450 were taken from the bed of a truck and trailer at 4700 Polo Parkway, reported Mike Truitt at 9 a.m.

Vandalism: An apartment at 4700 Boulder Ave. sustained more than $2,000 in damage and two bathroom mirrors taken, it was reported at 10:07 a.m.

Deaths

Estalee Roberts

Roberts

Services for Estalee "Lee" Roberts will be at 1 p.m. today at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield of West Kentucky Street Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be James Weatherred, Michael Langston, Ralph H. White, Jack Ward, Keith Ward and Sammy Cook.

Honorary pallbearers will be Rudy Wright, Dozer Truelove, Dub Lynch, Buddy Hart, Carter Hughes, James Hayes, W.O. "Preacher" Roberts, Connie Mack Cook, Jr., Don Roderick, Craig Adams, and Bobby Hopkins.

Mrs. Roberts died Saturday in a Midland hospital.

She was born Jan. 13, 1917, in Eskota, Texas, and moved to Midland in 1924. She attended school in Midland. On April 8, 1940, she married Jake Roberts in Albuquerque, N.M. He preceded her in death after 48 years of marriage on June 15, 1987. She began work for Mobil Oil in 1946 and retired in 1978 as Chief PBX Operator. She had been ill for the past few years.

Survivors include two sons, Loren Roberts of Abilene and. M.P. "Snookie" Roberts of Midland; three bothers, Curtis Cook of San Angelo, Bill Cook of Bayfield, Colo. and Mack Cook of Midland; 6 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Heart Association, 3525 Andrews Highway, Suite 111, Midland, 79703.

Darlene Handley

LUBBOCK - Services for Darlene Handley, 51, of Lubbock will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Primitive Baptist Church with Elder George Johnson, minister, and the Rev. Jim Brown, pastor of the Monterey Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock with Resthaven Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Dan K. Williams, Paul Bush, Robert George, Joe Lunardon, George Carkeet and Chester Holder.

Mrs. Handley died Sunday at a Lubbock hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born on July 20, 1943, in Littlefield. She married Ben Handley on Dec. 29, 1967, in Canyon. She had lived in Lubbock since 1954, moving there from Littlefield.

She was owner and operator of The Porcelain Patch in Lubbock. She was a member of the Lubbock Dollers and she was a Baptist.

She was preceded in death by one son, Nathan Leroy Handley, on June 29, 1992.

Survivors include her husband, Ben Handley of Lubbock; two sons, Randall Lee Handley of Austin and Chad Dwayne Handley of Lubbock; her parents, Pat and Velma Robinson of Lubbock; two brothers, Dwite Robinson of Arlington and Ray Robinson of Midland; and two grandchildren.

Letha Samples

Services for Letha Samples of Midland have been set for 11 a.m. Thursday at the Ellis Guneral Home Chapel with Elder J.E. Barrington of Primitive Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Samples died Saturday at a local hospital.

She was born May 8, 1917, in Webb. She was raised and educated in Fort Worth. She married J.L. "Jesse" Samples on June 22, 1940, in Weatherford. The family lived in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico prior to moving to Midland in 1955.

Mrs. Samples worked out of her home making custom garments.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1983. Mrs. Samples was a longtime member of First Assembly of God and later attended Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Loyd Calvin Samples of Midland; one daughter, Linda Forsythe of Albuquerque, N.M.; her step-father, Louis Godwin of Fort Worth; four brothers, B.L. Davis of Breckenridge, Clifford Davis of Rogers and Tompkins Davis and Thomas Davis, both of Fort Worth; four sisters, Presha Busby of Arlington, Billie Carter of Rogers and Ruth Sullivan and Lillie Hicklen, both of Fort Worth; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

David Budge

PALESTINE — Services for David Arthur Budge, 91, of Montalba, are set for 11 a.m. Wednesday in Bailey & Foster Chapel with the Rev. Ray Biggerstaff officiating. Burial will follow at Holly Springs Cemetery with masonic graveside rites conducted by the Palestine Masonic Lodge No. 31 AF&AM. Arrangents are with Bailey & Foster Funeral Home.

Budge died Saturday at a Dallas hospital.

He was born on April 24, 1903 in Rockland, Idaho to George and Bessie Lish Budge.

He was preceded in death by his wife of more than 50 years, Ella Graves Budge, in 1990.

Budge was a drilling contractor in the oil field industry and owner and operator of Indian Hill Stock Farm.

He was a member of Lone Pine Baptist Church. He a past master of Somerset Lodge No. 1205, receiving a 65 year pin, and the first member to receive a 50 year pin. He was also a member of the Scottish Rite and a Shriner.

Survivors include a daughter, Betty Jean Whigham, of Midland; a son, Arthur Neal Budge of Dallas; two brothers, George Budge of Austin, and Marion Budge of Adkins; six grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Arthur Neal Budge Jr., David Whigham, Chris Whigham, Lee Hobbs, Michael Rogers, Jeff Hobbs, Jason Rogers, Jared Rogers and Matthew Whigham. Honorary pallbearers will be Charles Fischer, Woodrow Wall, George Magee and Proctor Moore.

Faye S. Drew

Services for Faye S. Drew of Midland have been set for 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Darren Skinner of O'Donnell officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Drew died Sunday at a local nursing care center.

She was born Aug. 31, 1903, in Dublin where she spent her early life. She moved to McCamey while she was in her teens. She married the late "Red" Drew in 1931 in Crane. They lived in a number of West Texas towns, including Sundown and Pampa before arriving in Midland in 1984.

Her husband preceded Mrs. Drew in death in 1987. She continued to live in Midland and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Harold Drew of Midland.

The family requests memorials be directed to Mabee Health Care Center, 2208 N. Loop 250, Midland.

Juan Castillo

Services for Juan Castillo of Midland are pending with Thomas Funeral Home.

Castillo died Monday at his home following a brief illness.

Frances Luccous

Services for Frances Luccous, formerly of Midland, are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Luccous died Monday at a Houston hospital.

Lula Shelton

Services for Lula Shelton, 76, of Midland are pending with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home.

She died Sunday at a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Dell Rudder

Services for Dell Creamer Rudder of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rudder died Sunday at a Midland hospital.

Mary Docket

Services for Mary Docket, 108, are pending with Baker-Jackson Funeral Home.

Ms. Docket died Saturday.

Local meningitis case not public hazard

From Staff Reports

A case of meningitis that caused the death of a Midland man last month is not of a strain that poses a public health hazard, officials reported.

While East Texas has recently seen an epidemic of a highly contagious strain of meningitis — Neisseria meningitidis — the Permian Basin has not.

The death of an 18-year-old Midland man last month was due to Streptococcus pneumoniae meningitis, a significantly less contagious strain, local health officials said.

The state health department has advised the Midland Health Department that no measures need to be taken as far as public health is concerned, according to Monette Burke, a local health department administrator.

"This is not something we need to worry about. I'm grateful we don't have the other kind found in East Texas," said Dr. James Humphreys with the Midland Health Department.

Meningitis — with symptoms which include headache, fever, stiff neck and changes in mental states — is considered a medical emergency and requires immediate medical attention.

Last year the state recorded 230 cases of meningitis and 157 cases the year before.

FATIGUE: Doctor to discuss growth hormone

(From 1B)

syndrome and other conditions, including neurological damage from a traffic accident. "He has identified things that haven't been identified."

In her initial consultation with Samuels last year, the physician told her: " 'I'm not just your doctor; I'm your friend.' "

Samuels "explains everything in great detail. He just doesn't go by your symptoms. He gets down to the root cause of your problem. I appreciate that."

Ms. Hagler said she is heartened by Samuels' impending visit.

"There are so many people out there who are sick. We are all trying to get well."

Samuels, who is a 1982 graduate of the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in Fort Worth, is medical director of a longevity center in Dallas. He conducts research for "innovative treatments" of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) and the retrovirus (Human Immunodeficiency Virus or HIV) that causes AIDS.

"Currently, I am continuing my studies through several fellowships and medical organizations ... (by which) I hope to discover revolutionary treatments to combat the unique environmental illnesses of the 21th Century," Samuels recently said. "My emphasis is on treating chronic, degenerative diseases (by) using non-toxic treatment when possible."

Samuels' human-growth hormone replacement therapy is applied to help the body heal itself.

"There are so many people suffering who have lived normal lives before," Ms. Hagler observed.

In its healing potentials, the hormone is administered by injection to retard and even reverse certain age-related conditions, to enhance patients' energy levels, to rejuvenate skin tones, to increase bone density and strength, to stimulate the body's immune system, and to pep up sexual potency.

The hormone is naturally produced by the pituitary gland, the oval pea-size "master" endocrine gland at the base of the brain.

In early and puberty stages of life, the gland's hormone stimulates bone and organ growth.

In a person's adult life, the hormone "appears" to stimulate the immune system, to maintain muscle tone and burn fat, and to control cellular repair and rejuvenation, according to medical literature.

The interest which Ms. Hagler and others have in the human-growth hormone therapy is in its potential to bring about a healing process and to restore "balance" in the body's physiological systems.

Samuels' appearance in Midland coincides with the National Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome (CFIDS) Month, which is March.

People who are interested in the aspects of Samuels' talk or in the year-old WTLC support group for those suffering from chronic fatigue, fibromyalgia, or related illnesses may telephone Sarah Neisig at 683-9114 and Betty Cerf at 682-2945 in Midland; Marsha Brunet at 537-4829 in Odessa, and Saundra Gaines at 536-2457 in Imperial.

"One of Dr. Samuels' most important tenets is education of the patient," according to Ms. Gaines. The doctor-patient enlightened interaction allows the physician "to be more involved in his choice of treatments," Ms. Gaines said, "and to be more responsible for his own care" of the patient.

LEAK: School building in poor condition

(From 1B)

director of auxiliary services. He said

lessoning costs could include leaving out ceramic tile or going to lesser grade tiles or carpets.

Trustees were surprised to see only one bid submitted — from Cooper Construction Co. in Odessa — for the renovation project.

"We are seeing fewer (construction companies) bidding because so much construction is going on and there is lots of activity around the loop," Heidelberg said.

Lamar Principal Carroll Harris said an item teachers and students have on their wish list is enclosing a breezeway between the pod (a newer building with five classrooms) and the main campus.

"Right now walking from the building to the pod is like going through a wind tunnel," Ms. Harris said.

Enclosing the breezeway, however, would cost an additional $94,000. "So, we are not looking at that at this point," Heidelberg said. Administrators said their main concern is getting the renovation cost down to $2 million.

Trustee Dianne Anderson asked what the cost would be to raze the building and start over from the ground up. Heidelberg said it would cost at least $4 million.

MISD architect James Riggen said, at a previous board meeting, "Due to inflation, plus changes in the scope of the work, the bid was higher than we expected."

Nonetheless, school board president Jackie Hamilton said the Lamar renovation is one she doesn't want to see get shelved due to budgetary constraints. Lamar is located in her district.

"Lamar is in very poor condition. We are just trying to get some of the same renovations done that were done on some of the other schools," Ms. Hamilton said. "I don't want to have to count on a bond election passing next year because it will just put us behind another year on schedule if it doesn't pass."

The item to renovate Lamar will be back on the agenda March 28.

CARPENTER: Singer's appeal crosses gender barrier

(From 1B)

Carpenter not only won for "Shut Up and Kiss Me" in the country female performance category, but her *Stones in the Road* was named Best Country Album. Also nominated was her very popular, "He Think's He'll Keep Her," the first time ever a non-crossover country song had been nominated in the Song of the Year category.

"I try to have as healthy an attitude about awards as I can," she said. "With all the hype and spin around those events it's kind of hard to keep your head on straight. Music is not a competitive sport, but sometimes you watch those awards programs and you would think it is."

Carpenter's popularity continues to rise with the release of each album. *Stones in the Road*, released last fall, is her fifth for Columbia Records. "Tender When I Want to Be" is the latest release off the critically acclaimed *Stones* album, which is a more introspective work than any of her earlier works.

Carpenter's songs have always had a strong appeal to women, but she has a faithful male following as well. Carpenter's music has never been categorized as straight country; she fits more in a folk genre with the ability to appeal to today's country music fan.

Schooled at Brown University with a bachelor's degree in American Civilization, few songwriters but Carpenter would attempt to write and record a song as poignant as "John Doe No. 24," which tells the true story of a sightless, mentally-challenged man in Illinois who was simply forgotten by the system and his family after being transferred from one state ward to another until his death in 1993.

The song, with only Carpenter's vocals accompanied by an acoustic guitar and a lonely soprano saxophone, is not typical country music fare. Carpenter tucks "John Doe No. 24" comfortably in the middle of her concert, because, she says, it feels right.

Carpenter first learned the story of "John Doe No. 24" when reading an obituary by the Associated Press. She, in fact, wrote the song based only on what she had read in the news account.

"There was something in his story that resonated with me," Carpenter said. " I remember tearing the obituary out of the paper and carrying it with me in my back pocket for weeks. I showed it to my friends and asked if they were affected by it the same way I was. There were questions about this person's sort of existential loneliness that we all contend with. And I was very moved by this person's quiet dignity in the face of such literal and figurative darkness and silence."

An amazing footnote to the story is that since Carpenter recorded the song, people who actually cared for John Doe No. 24 have contacted her to tell her that the direction she took with the lyrics was "about exactly right."

On a lighter side is Carpenter's story revolving around, "Shut Up and Kiss Me," the first hit off *Stones*. Half-jokingly, the singer says she feels she owes "a blanket apology to the world because parents teach their children not to say shut up."

"I have a friend who has some kids and she tells me they're always running around the house now saying 'shut up.' My friend will tell them not to say it, but they always say, 'Chapin says it, Chapin says it.' "

BEER: Food will complement brews

Herman said.

And the two are apparently not the only Americans with a taste for gourmet brews. "There's been a movement across the country for handcrafted beer," Herman said.

In the fall of 1993, brewpubs became legal in Texas, the 42nd state to do so. Since then 24 licenses to operate brewpubs have been issued in the state, according to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Brewpubs are required by law to operate as a restaurant with beer available only for on-site consumption.

The Midland brewpub will serve food that complements beer, such as homemade corned beef, steaks, fish and chips, and spicy chicken, Herman said.

In addition to brewing their own beer, the business will make two sodas — root beer and sarsaparilla — and sparkling water.

The 4,100-square foot facility will seat 100.

MS: Volunteers usually solicit pledges

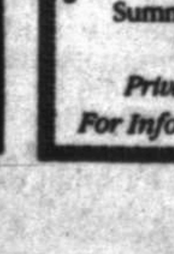
(From 1B)

ment events along the path of the 10,000 meter walk. The organization is still seeking more walkers, more pledges and more volunteers for the event.

Volunteer walkers for this event usually solicit pledges in person and anyone with any questions regarding a pledge for the event is urged to contact Ms. Wilkes or another MSA organizer at the local number.

PIPKIN FUNERAL HOME
Full Funeral Services - All Insurances & Pre-arranged plans accepted. Financing available. Family owned & Operated by

DRAGON BASEBALL SCHOOL
Spring Break Camp
March 13-17
Ages 7-12
Lancaster Park
(Tower LL)
Kansas at Godfrey
Summer Camps Beginning
May 29-June 30
Private Lessons Available
For Information Call 684-6933



GRILLZ BURGERS
NEW! FRIED CHICKEN BREAST SANDWICH
Just $1.89

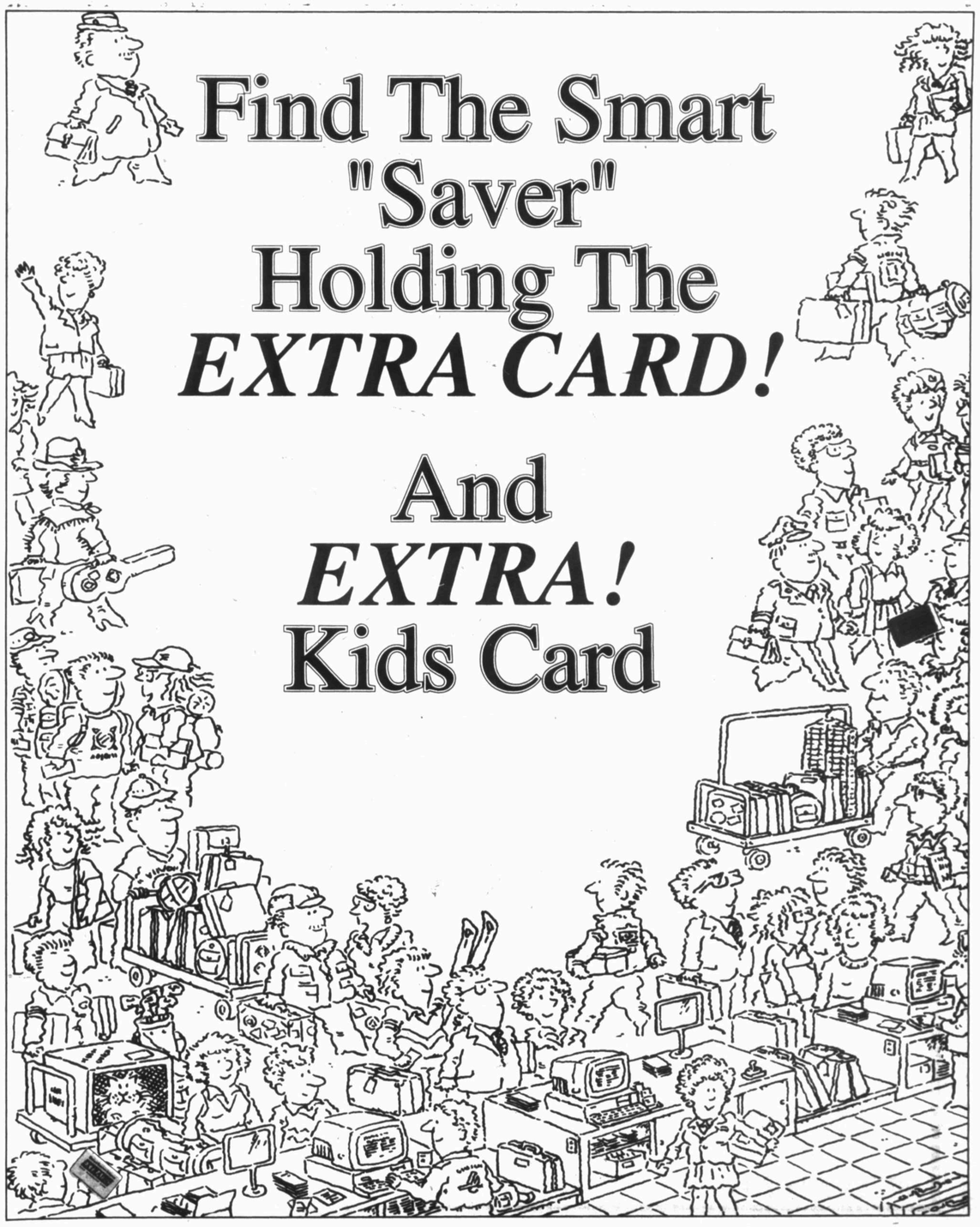
E. F. Bel, M.Div., Ph.D.
Neurofeedback
Neurotherapy Associates
EEG BIOFEEDBACK
A DRUG FREE TREATMENT
for
ADD, ADHD, MIGRAINES, SLEEP DISORDERS, CHRONIC FATIGUE & PAIN
682-1414
3000 N. Garfield, Suite 272
Midland, Texas 79705

PORTRAITS		
A Shot In The Dark Photography	694-4302	24 FREE Wallets for Senoir Portraits. FREE 8 x 10 Wedding Portrait from session.
Carousel Foto	520-9228	8 x 10 portrait FREE with sitting. No purchase required. Sunday-Thursday only!
CPI Photo Finish	699-4442	40% off 1 hr developing of 35mm, 110, 126/1 set of prints & good on multi-rolls. 10% off film
One Hour Photo & Portraits	699-7177	processing and 10% off enlargements (excludes special offers).
One Hour Photo Magic	682-1261	10% off passport photos and more(excluding special offers).
PRINTING		
Rainbow Press	699-7613	10% off wedding invitations.
Reynolds & Sons Reproduction	682-6301	15% off any item in the store.
PUMPS		
Solar Injection Systems, Inc.	570-8144	FREE 2 week (on-site) trial period with our Solar Injection Pump. Also, receive
RENTAL/RECREATIONAL		10% off the purchase price -- (Limit: 1 per card, please!)
Billy Sims Trailer Town	580-3000	10% off parts(E.S). Service Repairs not included. Open 6 days a week.
Bob's Rental	685-1271	10% off Honda generators. Excludes specials..10% off John Deere Toys.
RESTAURANT		
Ages Restaurant	520-9822	10% discount.
Century Subs	684-1188	10% discount. Excludes specials.
Julio's Mexican Restaurant	699-5462	10% discount. Excludes specials.
Kuo's Chinese Restaurant	697-8888	10% off on dinner menu only of beef, pork or poultry meals only.
Mazzio's	694-1092	15% off all meals. Excludes specials.
Sam's Bar-B-Que	570-1082	10% off your ticket.
Spanish Inn	570-4505	10% off. Excludes specials.
T-Bird Diner	570-9656	10% discount. Excludes other discounts.
Arby's	697-9548	20% off. Excludes specials.
Chick-fil-A	697-1427	FREE 32 oz. Sofi Drink with purchase of any sandwich. Limit 2 free drinks per day.
Cowboy's Cafe 2 & Cowboy's Cafe	686-8830	10% off any menu item (excludes Daily Lunch Specials).
Domino's Pizza	687-4701,699-3030,689-3030	Your choice of an order of Twisty Bread /Fresh, Garden Salad/ 1 per order.
Eggroll King	699-0461	10% off on TAKE-OUT Dinner Menu Only. (Does not include Combo & Buffet.)
El Charro Cafe	686-9118	10% off on Saturdays and 10% off breakfast or lunch on Sunday.
Grandy's	520-9834	10% discount (excludes all other discounts).
Jail House Barbecue & Steaks	697-JAIL	FREE drink with your buffet purchase. Excludes specials.
Kettle Restaurant	699-0936	10% discount off your ticket.
La Posada Spanish Inn	520-2806	Receive 10% off La Posada Special.
Long John Silver's	682-8841	10% discount on regularly priced meals - Limit one per card and Excludes specials.
McDonald's	699-0768	FREE Apple Pie with any COMBO MEAL. (1 per card/not valid with other offers)
Mr. Gatti's Pizza	697-5466	10% off ticket. Excludes other specials.
Pinocchio's Pizza	520-5555	FREE Drink with Buffet purchase (1 per card--non-alcoholic beverages.)
Pueblita's	686-7374	FREE Chile Con Queso & Tostados (1 per table and not valid with other offers).
Santa Fe Place @ Hilton	683-6131	10% off meals. Friday Night Seafood Buffet- get 15% off shrimp, oysters and more.
Shogun Japanese Steakhouse	687-0734	$1.50 off Chicken Teriyaki Entree. 1 per card on Sunday-Thurs.nights - Dine-in
Subway	699-4003,682-4816,699-0901	10% off any 6" or foot long sandwich! Not valid with other offers.
Captain Frank's Seafood Market	520-FISH	10% off the BBQ Grill Topper.
SHOES		
Shoe Time Inc.	570-0092	Buy a pair of shoes get a pair of socks for FREE! Excludes sale merchandise
Striderite	694-4321	$5 Off $50 purchase, $7.50 Off $75 purchase, and $10 Off $100 purchase
Ruben's 3rd Generation Shoe Repair	683-BOOT	Buy one ladies heels get one FREE or $5.00 off boot repairs.
SPECIALTY SHOPS		
Morgan Buildings and Spas	563-1807	10% off regular price on Spas and Pools (excludes any special sales or offers)
Bernard's Tortilla Factory	682-9136	10% off tamales, corn tortillas, flour tortillas, corn chips and taco shells.
Greenwood Feed & Supply	570-7333	10% off Interstate Batteries and 10% off Mane-n-tail shampoo and conditioner.
Midessa Porcelain Dolls	563-5557	10% off any greenware (excludes sale items).
Morrows Nut House	520-9009	10% discount. Excludes specials.
Mrs. Olsens's Coffee & Bookstore	570-5282	10% discount. Excludes specials.
Norris Boot & Shoe Repair	683-2478	10% off any full sole, half sole, or new heel cap ($4.64 and up).
Rock Shop & Core Gifts	687-1631	10% off everything accept lamps, special orders, and sale items.
Clark's Wholesale Meats	682-8398	10% off 5lb. Kennedy chops, 10 lb.Kennedy bacon/8 lb. Kennedy sausage.
Country Crafts & Things by MAC	685-3282	10% off anything by MAC (excluding sale items).
Dee Jay's Shoes	694-7037	10% off. Excludes sale merchandise.
Imperial Flag & Banner	682-3562	10% off Custom blouses made from any flag/10% off flag 2' to 3' or larger.
Joanne's Fine Gifts	694-9812	10% discount on $75.00 or more. Does not include sale priced merchandise.
Kent Kwik	563-1620	Bring any size Kent Kwik soft drink or coffee cup and get it refilled for 25¢.
Kountry Kouzin's - Arts & Crafts Mall	689-0117	10% Off your ticket. Excludes red dot items.
M & M's Kitchen	694-0983	FREE Delivery OR 3 FREE Latex Balloons OR 1 FREE Mylar Balloon with Cake, Cookie/Balloon Bouquet, Gift Basket ordered.
MB Sharp Shoppe	686-8909	Purchase regular priced item get 10% off .Knife sharpened FREE with purchase.
Midland Lamp & Shade House	682-2071	10% off on lamp repairs.
The Candy Bin	520-2262	10% off your ticket.
Between the Walls	687-GUNS	10% off ammo, accessories/reloading equipment.
Master's Golf	570-4499	10% off range balls. Excludes specials.
Midland Angels	683-4251	10% off all souvenirs at Angels souvenir stand. Souvenir stand open daily.
Nevada Bob's Discount Golf	699-6833	10% off any golf club repair (excludes sale promotions).
Peyton's Bikes	699-1718	10% discount on any accessories purchased with a new bicycle.
Skate Stiks	694-8188	10% off In-line skates, skateboard accessories and T-shirts.
C & H Comics & Hobbies/The Bullpen	697-0941	10% off on all back issue comics.
Delta Electronics	683-3582	Save 10% off parts installed.
Midland Travel	684-7428	$50.00 off Land Package with Air Purchase. $500 min. on package.
The Upholstery Specialists	520-3204	20% off fabric. Excludes specials.
Memory Lane Video Production Co.	689-8921	10% Off Video Duplication. (1) FREE Title with each 400' of R-8, S-8 or 16 mm Movie Film transferred to video. Excludes specials.
Rainbow Water Company	687-0014	One month's free rental on home R/O units - Value $20. Free installation, service and filter change.

To become an **Extra Merchant**

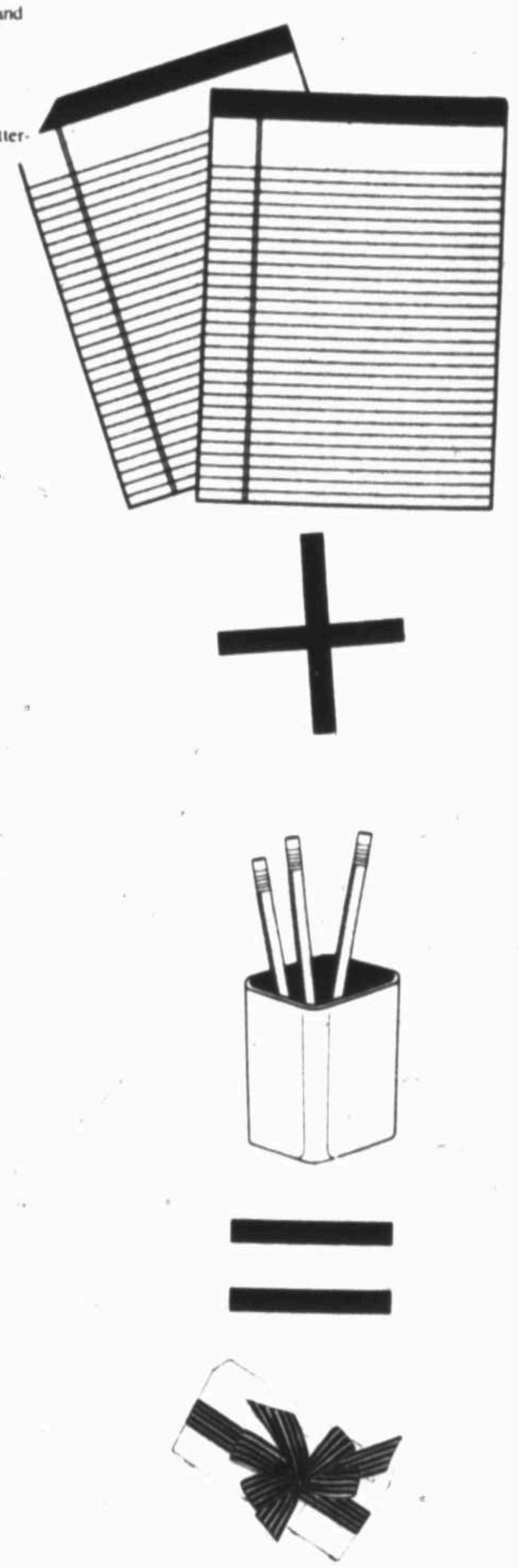
call Amy at

687-8895 today!



Forever Green	687-0717	10% off all green plants.
Patricia's Flowers	697-7166	25% off floral stems / 10% off one item, excluds special sales and custom designs.
FOOD DELIVERY		15% off order. (Excludes wire service, sale items, Wedding and Funeral orders.)
Orient Express	570-8888	
FURNITURE		$1 Off $10 Order; $2 Off $20 Order; $3 Off $30 Order when you have your order delivered. FREE Delivery-
Clack's Furniture & Swap Shop	683-7872	M-S/5 -10 P.M.($10 Minimum Order)
Oldies But Goodies Antiques	570-0588	10% discount on regularly priced items.
Presley Restoration	561-8281	10% off any item in store.Excludes specials.
HEALTH		10% off stripping of dining room suites, tables, chairs, hutches and buffets.
Beltone Hearing Aid Center	682-2180	
		$50 discount on any new Beltone Hearing instrument, 10% discount off Beltone Hearing Aid Batteries and
Jazzercise	688-6403	receive a FREE adult hearing test. Excludes specials.
Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio	697-8554	15% off regular class prices. New students receive 30%off.
Kent Karate & Fitness	570-5368	10% discount on Martial Art Supplies. One Free Introductory lesson.
Miracle Ear	694-2511	10% off each month on aikido classes!
		FREE Electronic Hearing Evaluation. FREE cleaning for all makes of hearing aids. FREE package of batter-
West Texas Respiratory	570-0455	ies with purchase
		Buy aNutritional Product get 2nd at 50% off. Buy 2 diaper/riefs, get one free of same or equivalent pur-
YMCA	694-2528,682-2301,694-	chase.10% off any retail/rental equipment/supplies.
HOME IMPROVEMENT	6821	1 FREE Month with a Year's Membership! Excludes specials.
AAA Septic Tank	682-7476	$5.00 off any service.
Air Tech	697-4436	10% discount on total bill for any air conditioning sales or service call.
All Seasons Carpet Cleaning	689-2900	15% off all services. Exludes other specials.
American Fence	563-3536	20% off all fencing materials.
Better Half Upholstery	683-6731	25% off fabric choices. Free estimates/Free pick-up delivery.
Bill's Fireplace Center	682-5157	10% off regular chimney sweeping.
Britt Discount Cellular	699-7993	$10.00 off any competitor's advertised price.
Cashway Lumber Home Centers	332-6477	10% off all in-store merchandise excluding lumber or advertised specials.
Claire's, Inc.	682-9260	10% off all parts & labor.
Clean Air Systems	520-9337	10% off on self contained air purification and electrostatic allergy filters. 10% off gas logs and accessories.
Kreger Electric Co.	684-4836	10% off labor and materials for electrical services.
Frogge Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning	685-0808	10% off. Excludes other sales.
The Glass Cottage	685-1815	10% discount. Excludes other specials.
Good Housekeeping Appliance	687-5113	Fully guaranteed/ free delivery ($25 value) . 10% off appliance repair (parts only).
Great Wallpapers of Texas	694-8071	30% off regular price in-stock wallpaper.
J & S Commercial Electric Co.	563-2209	10% off services when paying in full at time of service.
Just-N-Lights	520-9348	10% off lighting fixtures. Excludes specials.
Modern Appliances	684-7283	25% off all regular priced ice-makers with the purchase of a refrigerator.(E.S.)
Orkin Exterminating Co. Inc.	563-4040	10% off on termite services.
Penguinn Refrigeration & Air Condit.	685-3387	10% off all parts.
Quality Service Systems	687-3300	15% discount on carpet and upholstery cleaning.
The Bosworth Company	570-5233	$25 off air duct cleaning. $75 off new heating and air conditioning system.
United Energy Systems	561-4126	$15 off any service call
Henry's Painting	684-8135	10% off all painting jobs.
J.S.D. & Company	685-0769	20% off any painting, roofing, carpentry, or cement job.
Consolidated Electrical Distributors	687-1721	10% off light bulbs, ceiling fans, and lighting fixtures.
Decor Unlimited	694-8850	15% discount. Excludes specials.
Westex Resurfacing	520-9898	10% off refinishing (white or almond only).
Jordan Roofing	561-8211	25% off all roofing accessories: skylights, metal edging, whirley birds, vents, etc.
Key West Waterbeds & Futons	520-2466	10% discount storewide. Excludes discounts.
Dennis Clements	682-3542	Save 15% off all types of remodeling, new construction and 20% off new roofing.
Lewellen Construction	520-0244	10% off siding and windows. (Includes installation and warranties.)
Lifetime Siding & Window	689-0307	10% off patios, including labor and materials
HOTELS		
Economy Inn	694-1300	10% discount off your daily rate.
La Quinta	697-9900	10% discount off normal rate DAILY! (Subject to availabity.Excludes specials.)
ICE CREAM/YOGURT		
Baskin Robbins	699-8808	10% off on ice cream and 20% off on cakes. Excludes specials.
Baskin Robbins	682-7131	10% discount on your purchase.
INVESTMENT		
Farias-Tax & Investment Consultant	687-0373	1 Hour Free consultation for new clients. ($100.00 Value)
First American Bank SSB	697-2231	10% off Cashier's Checks, Money Orders, and first order of printed checks.
JEWELRY		
Buddy's Watch Shop	697-5709	10% off watch repair.
Cristiani's	683-4411	10% off any purchase . Excludes specials.
Elegante Fine Jewelry	683-3818	20% off the purchase of jewelry in stock. 15% savings on any custom jewelry.
Houcks Jewelry	684-4851	10% off merchandise excluding service.
Jenkin's Jewelry & Luggage	699-5166	15% off on selected in stock merchandise. Excludes specials. Not including service.
New Castlegap	697-7830	20% off Leanin Tree cards and free gift wrap on purchases over $20.
Gordon's Jewelers	697-7893	Free jewelry cleaning and inspection. 10% off all jewelry and watch repair with.
D'Carroll's	697-0424	15% off all jewelry and watch repairs. Excludes specials.
LAWN/GARDEN/PLANTS		
Alldredge Gardens	682-4500	10% Off All Nursery Stock on WEDNESDAY ONLY! No discount on Fertilome.
Jarnagin's	686-8107	10% off all bedding plants, trees and shrubs.
La Casa Verde Nursery	520-2144	10% off Christmas Trees & Poinsettas. Excludes sales.
Lanham's Nursery & Feed	697-3345	10% off regularitems -- Excludes specials. (excludes all Pet Food and Supplies).
Wolfe Nursery	684-7804	10% off clay pots and $19.99 tropical plants.
MOVIE RENTAL		
Premiere Video	689-6674	Rent 2 movies/Nintendo/Laser discs Monday-Thursday for $3.99. Rent 3 movies/Nintendo/Laser discs Friday-Sunday for $6.99. Keep movies for 4 days.
MUSIC		
Caldwell Music	697-0852	10% discount (excluding repairs, rentals, music, and sale merchandise).
M & M Music Services	689-9750	10% off sheet music and musical novelty gifts.
Main Stream Music	520-3848	15% off (excluding sale items)!
Permian House of Music	684-6840	10% off storewide (excluding sale items, rentals, repairs and sheet music).
Sam Jones Piano, Organ & Clocks	682-7533	10% off on regularly priced items.
NURSING HOME		
Terrace West Nursing Center	697-3108	Reduced rate for respite stay residents, $52 per night (usually $63).
OFFICE		
Pine-Hurricane Office Supplies	683-3361	25% off office supplies (Excludes specials.). Monroe 4130 commercial calculator = regular price $249, sale
	682-5251	$159.95 with 2 year warranty.
The Paper Clip - DataTech		10% off cash purchases of office supplies/ 25% off cash purchases furniture. E.S.
OPTICAL		
Dr. Donald M. Winter	697-5003	Soft spherical clear contact lenses only $99. Includes exam, lenses, care instructions, care kit, followup . Offer good with complete fitting, and Excludes specials.
Eye Masters	694-2244	20% off entire purchase including lens treatments. Special orders not included.
PARKING		
Premier Parking	563-5911	Leave your vehicle and receive a 10% discount on parking when you return.
PET STORE		
Pet Wash	520-9887	$2.50 discount off the regular wash and dry price. Excludes specials.
PHYSICIANS		NO CHARGE, ifcurrent insurance deductible has been met/20% savings on initial visits & allergy testing.
P. K. Raghuprasad, M.D.	580-7070	Non-insured get 20% discount if paid in full on initial visits.

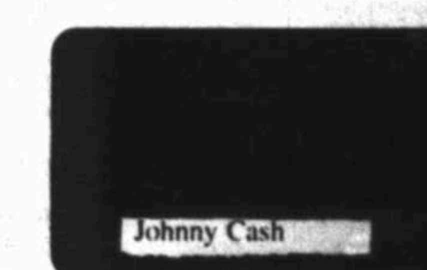
EXTRA! Kid's Club

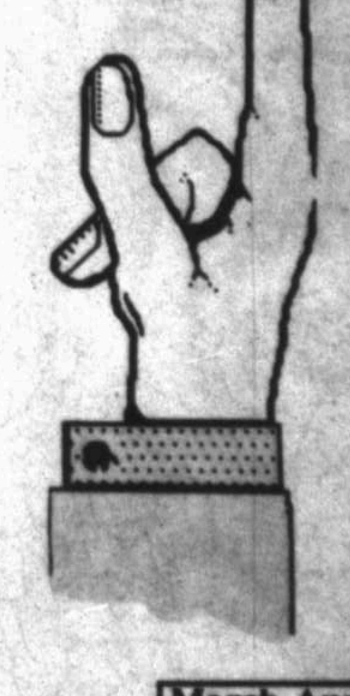


Hey kid's you can get your own card and save all over town. Send in your application printed in the weekly newspaper and get a FREE prize. Plus a newsletter with more ways to win cool stuff: The Extra Kid's Club is open to kid's whose parents are Extra Club members.

ALTERATIONS		
Le Mar Tailoring	686-7242	10% off all services.
APARTMENTS		
Apple Creek Apartments	697-2330	10% off of monthly rent on a 6 month lease and 50% off of security deposit.
Emerald Terrace Apartments	682-1659	10% off 6 months rent, not included on specials.
Hawthorne Court	694-2011	Save 10% off of monthly rent on a 6 month lease and 50% off of security deposit with your EXTRA! Card.
Hawthorne House	694-2011	10% off of monthly rent on a 6 month lease and 50% off of security deposit.
Hunter's Ridge	520-0023	Free deposit with card. (Value $100.00)
Hydepark	697-4149	50% off deposit.
Sandstone	689-9379	50% off deposit.
Trinity Place Apartments	697-3157	FREE deposit with approved credit - $100.00 Value. Excludes specials.
West Castle	520-0146	50% off deposit.
APPAREL		
Anthony's	699-5054	20% off any one regular priced item.
Barbara's	756-2007	10% off regularly priced items.
Dollar Western Wear	570-9110	$5 off regular price on any pair of jeans.
Ginny's Collection	689-8933	10% discount (sale excluded).
Gloria & Millie's Large Fashions	697-0700	10% savings storewide (excludes sales)!
It Figures	697-5996	10% off storewide (excluding sale items).
Trendy T's	697-5105	Save 10% off merchandise and monogramming. Excludes sales.
APPLIANCES		
JG Specialty Products	520-9670	10% off on all parts. Excludes specials.
Nimbus Drinking Water	580-5550	10% Off purchase of an R.O. System OR receive 1st month's rent FREE for rental R.O. unit.
Action Rent-To-Own	686-8777, 363-8777	Pay for Two (2) Weeks and Get Two (2) Weeks FREE! Good on New Rentals, Only!
ARTS/CRAFTS/FRAMES		
Designed For You	694-7555	10% off price of regular items on purchases of $10 or more (excludes sale items).
Midland Gallery	694-8761	20% discount on framing & selected prints. Excludes sales.
Paint & Palette	682-6681	15% off framing and art supplies, except books. Excludes sales.
Picture This	682-8144	10% off custom picture framing.
ATTORNEYS		
Williams & Kirk	687-5035	10% discount on fees. Not certified by the Texas Board of Legalization.
AUTOMOTIVE		
National Car Rental & Sales	563-0378	10% off daily rental rates (weekdays only/Excludes sales.).
Break Away Windshield Repair	553-8888	10% discount on any repair.
Chaparral Wash & Lube Center	682-8013	$1 off on full service car wash. Excludes sales.
Alignment Shop	683-3709	10% off labor only for front alignment, four wheel alignment, tire rotation & wheel balance.
B & B Auto Sales	689-7129	10% off purchase of total price of used car.
Berg Motor Company	694-7741	10% discount on dealer installed GM parts. (Must present EXTRA! Card at time of service.)
Midwest Auto Glass Company	682-0303	10% off pickup accessories & consoles.
Ron's Engines	685-1076	15% discount on all engine diagnostic. Bear diagnostics analyzer.
Dent Magic	699-7993	10% off any paintless dent repair.
Discount Tire	694-0098	Free flat repair. Excludes sales.
Kleen Kar	699-7163	10% off all inclusive detail package.
Kwik Kar Oil & Lube	699-6999,550-0014	10% off full service oil change and transmission service .Excludes sales.
Midland Frame & Wheel	682-2142	10% off labor on front drive axle service/off alignment, balance, rotation /shocks. 25% off labor to turn drums &
Midland Muffler Brake &	699-7924	rotors.
Alignment		10% off all services.
Midland Small Engine Service	684-5553	10% Off Regular Priced - In-stock Walk Behind Toro, Lawnboy and Snapper Lawnmowers!
Midland Tire & Brake Company	682-7911	20% Off lobor only for front end alignment, brake labor and repairs.
Ray Lindsey Auto	682-9669	$5.00 off oil change.
Rogers Ford	694-8801	Oil & Filter change - $14.95 plus tax. Diesel equipped vehicles slightly higher. FREE cooling system check
BAKER		
It's a Party	570-1222	10% discount off cake with purchase of party supplies.
BEAUTY		
AC'Cent Nails	697-3929	$2 off manicures and $2.50 off pedicures.
Aladdin Beauty College	694-6616, 337-1044	20% off all services. Excludes specials.
Beauty Castle Salon	694-0971	10% discount off WhirlPool Pedicure Spa. (Includes lower back massage.) Also FREE manicure included.
Before & After	683-3200	10% off cut and style with some stylists. Get a facial and receive 25% off skin care products.
Great Expectation	697-7961	$2.50 off any adult hair care service of $11.95 or more and $1.00 off children's haircuts/10 yrs & under. Excludes spe-
Hair Express	689-0110	cials.
Hairline	697-7010	10% off perms and Matrix products.
Loosends	697-8838	$2.00 off haircuts. Excludes other specials.
Mastercuts	689-8811	10% off hair or nail care products. 10% off 1 hour massage. 15% off manicure or full set of nails.
Merle Norman - Midland Plaza	694-1505	$1.00 off any haircut plus receive $1 off any haircare purchase of $5 or more.
Merle Norman Studio/Boutique	694-2241	10% off everything in store! Call for a FREE makeover.
Modern Hair Fashions	686-1916	10% off storewide. Get 2 FREE cosmetic brushes with any $25 purchase. Call for your FREE Makeover!
Pro Cuts	689-9482	10% off haircuts and manicures. Also 15 % off perms (includes spiral perms).
Regis Hairstylists	697-7171	Free shampoo with a regularly priced haircut.
Shear Kountry Hair Salon	520-9309	10% off shampoo, cut and style only. Excludes specials.
Skinsations	570-5051	10% off retail price of all hair care products.
Studio One Nails	689-0390	10% off facials and electrolysis. Excludes other discounts.
Supercuts	689-9927	50% off on manicures and Acrylic Nails. Excludes other discounts.
BRIDAL		$1.00 off haircuts. Also get 15% off haircare products 16 oz or larger. Excludes other specials.
Ken's Rent-It Center	694-2561	
CELLULAR/COMPUTERS		10% off the rental of wedding items.
The Telephone Store	689-9885	
Southwest Micro Systems	580-7378	Buy one and get 50 minutes of free airtime with EXTRA! Card. Excludes specials.
DANCE		10% off all accessories (does not include peripherals). Also get a FREE accessory package (mouse, mouse pad and
Coleman Academy	682-2653	disks $50 value) when you purchase a computer system. $100 off any system.
Studio One School of Dance	699-2190	10% off 1st month's tuition enrollment for new students (excludes other specials).
Bingham's Dance Center	694-2428	$10 on first month's tuition.
Midland School of Gymnastics	682-7980	10% off 1st month's tuition and enrollment fee (New Members, Only, Please!)
DAY CARE		10% off 1st month's lessons (new members only).
Wonder World	686-0246	
Midland Child Care Center	697-111	10% off annual registration fee.
Heritage PreSchool	683-7343	10% discount on First Month's Child Care for all New Enrollments
DENTIST		15% off 1st month's tuition / first time students present Card when registering
Frank G. Hoehn, DDS	684-8289	
DRY CLEANERS		10% discount for services paid in full at time of visit.
New Method Cleaners	682-0072	
ENTERTAINMENT		10% discount on all dry cleaning.
Cactus Lanes-Midland	694-0177	
Cinemore Four Theatre	689-6673	$1.50 per game with FREE shoe rental when lanes are available. Excludes specials.
Midland Park Lanes	689-9725	TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES! Buy 1 - Get 1 FREE(1ticket per card)
Midland-Odessa Symphony	563-0921	$1.50/game & FREE shoe rental.
Museum of the Southwest	683-2882	10% discount on all Masterworks Concerts.
World Gym	683-8335	$1 off admis.on classes, lectures/planetarium programs. Excludes family programs.
FLORAL		10% off any item in our Pro Shop. Excludes specials.
A-1 Floral	697-0671	
Bob's Floral Designs	687-2101	10% discount. Excludes other specials.
Classical Greenery & Flowers	699-6410	FREE Bud vase with$30 in-town cash order. Call 1-800-477-1175 or fax 687-2107.
Flowerland	682-1634	10% off in-store, in-stock merchandise only. Excludes sale merchandise.

The Print May Be Small But the Savings Are LARGE! Use Your Extra Card!





Police link white hate group with 3 murders

By Keith Schneider
N.Y. Times News Service

SEISHOLTZVILLE, Pa. — Along Walker Road here, Mark Thomas' compound of hate is easy to find.

Amid the trash, mud, rusted vehicles and sagging buildings a little more than a mile off the main road, the 44-year-old Thomas operates a ministry for racists where he teaches weapons skills on a rifle range and where, last April, he hosted a weekend Hitler Youth Festival that attracted 200 neo-Nazi skinheads and other white supremacists. Thomas also publishes The Watchman, a monthly newsletter that in one issue last year preached, "It is the trademark of the Jew to make us feel dirty and unworthy."

Although well known to the police and state authorities in the Lehigh Valley, Thomas is now attracting more intense scrutiny as the result of a gruesome triple murder that the police say was committed by two brothers, both neo-Nazi skinheads who were said to have visited the compound many times. The religious doctrine taught there, known as Christian Identity, says anyone who disagrees with white supremacy is a traitor who must be destroyed.

The murders and the existence of Thomas' camp are focusing state officials' attention on the swift growth of white-supremacy groups in Pennsylvania. The number of hate crimes more than doubled in five years in Pennsylvania, to 417 in 1993 from 181 in 1988, according to the State Human Relations Commission.

The brothers, 18-year-old Bryan Freeman and David, 16, are charged with beating and stabbing to death their father, Dennis Freeman, 54, their mother, Brenda, 48, and their youngest brother Eric, 11. The police have also charged Nelson Birdwell, an 18-year-old cousin who was in the Freeman home at the time of the attack but denied taking part, with a lesser offense.

The brothers' home in Salisbury Township, outside Allentown, is a 20-minute ride from Seisholtzville. Before she died, Brenda Freeman told officials at the human relations commission, Allentown city officials and a former organizer for the Aryan Nation, a racist group in Idaho, that her sons were frequent visitors to Thomas' compound.

In an interview over the weekend, Thomas acknowledged that Bryan Freeman visited once, last October, for an Oktoberfest celebration. "There was a bonfire," Thomas said. "There were marshmallows. It was a family kind of thing."

But he said he never met the muscular teen-ager, who is over 6 feet tall, sported a swastika tattoo on his neck, wore high black boots and fatigues, and shaved his head. Thomas denied teaching a philosophy of hate and said he was "on sabbatical" from white-supremacy organizing. The crimes the Freeman brothers are accused of cannot be laid at his door, he said.

"I never heard of either of them until this happened," Thomas said.

But a teen-ager who spent a lot of time at the compound and was interviewed in January by the human relations commission, described an atmosphere of paranoia and intimidation there.

AP Laserphoto

Mo-o-o-ve along

Cowboys lead a herd of longhorn steers from the Forth Worth Stock Yards as the Great American Cattle Drive began in Fort Worth, Texas March 5. The cattle drive will cover six states and end Labor Day in Miles City, Mont.

Bronx hospital's shortage of obstetricians proves fatal for fetus

By Jane Fritsch
and Dean Baquet
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — The trip from Love Njoku's gritty neighborhood in the northern Bronx to the college library takes 45 minutes on an average day, ample time to ruminate as the subway cars rattle along elevated tracks, then swoop deep underground in the South Bronx.

Seven months pregnant and with a growing sense of dread, Mrs. Njoku made the trip each day for a week in 1992, slowly climbing the 75 steps to street level at the stop near Hostos Community College.

The thick medical texts she consulted seemed to confirm what she had suspected — her pregnancy was not proceeding as smoothly as the midwife at North Central Bronx Hospital was saying. So she called the midwife and went to see her, and the midwife told her not to worry.

Two months later, Mrs. Njoku's baby was born dead. The 8-pound 14-ounce boy's heart had stopped beating a day before he was delivered on Jan. 17, 1993. It was the first time during her pregnancy that she was examined by an obstetrician.

If there is a lesson to be learned from Mrs. Njoku's journey through New York's public hospital system, it is that even the most diligent of expectant mothers can be defeated by a medical bureaucracy that sometimes provides only minimal care.

Her story, based on interviews, court filings and medical records, demonstrates what can happen when health care for the poor is left largely to the inexperienced doctors and poorly supervised nurse-midwives who have become the front line of medical care in the city's public hospitals.

And it is a reminder that nearly 30 years after New York City vowed to provide equal medical care for all, there are still two classes of care: one for people who can afford private hospitals and doctors, and another for those who cannot.

Mrs. Njoku's case raises questions about the extent to which some public hospitals have come to rely on midwives. Despite clear risks, midwives provided most of Mrs. Njoku's care from the time her pregnancy was diagnosed until tests showed that her unborn baby was dead.

In private practice, a woman selects her own doctor, who sees her for the duration of her pregnancy, then meets her at a private hospital to deliver the baby. Throughout the pregnancy, she and her doctor can request whatever tests they choose, and call in specialists. In fact, insurance companies and health care experts complain that overly cautious private physicians order too many tests, driving up the cost of health care. If a woman in private care is treated by a midwife, it is because she made that choice.

But in New York's public hospitals, there is little choice. And at North Central Bronx, nearly all pregnancies are handled by certified nurse-midwives, nurses who take an extra year of training and pass a national examination. Prenatal tests are done at the hospital's discretion and deliveries are handled by whomever is on duty when the woman goes into labor.

Problems have emerged from time to time in the obstetrical departments and delivery rooms of most of the 11 public hospitals. But they have endured the longest and can be seen most clearly at North Central Bronx.

Midwives there routinely go beyond the limits of state law to handle high-risk cases, according to a confidential memorandum written by a lawyer for the Health and Hospitals Corporation, the agency that runs the city hospitals. Under New York law, midwives may oversee only uncomplicated pregnancies and the deliveries of healthy women.

At least half the deliveries handled by midwives at North Central Bronx in recent years should have been handled by obstetricians, said the memorandum, obtained by The New York Times from a Hospital Corp. official who is critical of the doctors who run the hospitals.

"Midwives should not be comanaging the high-risk patients," the memorandum said. Midwives have gone so far past the limits of the law, it said, that city lawyers find it "virtually impossible" to defend malpractice cases.

Charlotte Elsberry, the chief midwife at North Central Bronx, defended the midwives. "Every lawyer is capable of interpreting things differently," she said. "Obviously, I do not practice beyond the scope of the law."

She said midwives handle only normal pregnancies on their own. Midwives treat women with complications, she said, but only in collaboration with doctors. "The physician is ultimately responsible and it is his management plan that is followed," she said.

She acknowledged that it was up to the midwives to determine whether a particular case should be presented to a doctor, but she said, "I'm going to flatly deny that that's second-class care."

One critical test, a follow-up sonogram, was done only after she confronted a midwife with the results of her own research and forced the matter, she has alleged in a lawsuit against the city.

Neither Ms. Elsberry nor any other official of North Central Bronx would discuss Mrs. Njoku's case because it is the subject of a lawsuit. It was one of hundreds of medical incidents reviewed by The Times in an examination of the quality of care delivered by the city's public hospitals.

Mrs. Njoku's pregnancy was monitored with the standard tests, but little more. One critical test, a follow-up sonogram, was done only after she confronted a midwife with the results of her own research and forced the matter, she has alleged in a lawsuit against the city. And she contended that her pregnancy was "high risk" and that it should not have been handled by a midwife at all.

In evaluating her care, The Times examined her medical records, including laboratory test results and the notes of the nurses, midwives and, ultimately, the doctors who saw her at North Central Bronx. The records were obtained from her lawyer, Esther I. Obiora, who has filed a malpractice lawsuit.

At the request of The Times, four obstetricians with no connection to the case reviewed the records, on the condition that their names not be used. Several other obstetricians, who did not review the records, answered questions about hypothetical patients with conditions like Mrs. Njoku's.

A consensus emerged that with more aggressive testing and treatment, Mrs. Njoku's baby might have been saved. Mrs. Njoku's care met minimum standards, the doctors said, but more could have been done for her and probably would have been done, they added, by a cautious doctor in private practice. Her history of diabetes and test results that hinted at possible trouble should have set off alarm bells, they said.

The Mother: Hospital's Plan — 'Reassure Her'

In the summer of 1992, Love Njoku had every reason to believe that she could place her faith in the obstetrical clinic at North Central Bronx Hospital. When she was pregnant with her first child in 1990, the midwives at North Central Bronx had diagnosed a case of gestational diabetes, a blood sugar problem that often crops up during pregnancy and usually recedes after childbirth. She was designated "high risk" and turned over to the care of doctors.

That first pregnancy was a flurry of poking and prodding and sonograms and insulin shots. And when it was all over, there was Trevor, a robust, yowling infant born in the seventh-floor delivery suite on a cold January night in 1991.

Recently arrived from Nigeria, Mrs. Njoku, then 28, confided in a doctor that she wanted to go to college to become a nurse. So with Trevor settled and her husband, Fabian, driving a livery cab and helping out at home, Mrs. Njoku enrolled in the nursing program at Hostos Community College, a City University campus in the South Bronx.

Now, when she is asked to speculate on why she was treated so differently during her second pregnancy, she sputters and fumes. She tried to get the attention of the midwives, she said, but no one seemed to hear her. It was especially baffling, she said, because her chief midwife, Esla Lewis, had handled her first pregnancy.

Mrs. Njoku became pregnant in May 1992, and by late July, a routine glucose screening test indicated that her blood sugar was a little high. She recalled that she reminded Ms. Lewis about her history of diabetes.

A month later, a more definitive indicator of diabetes — a glucose tolerance test — was done, and the results were normal. Everything, she was told, was fine.

Gestational diabetes occurs in 1 to 3 percent of pregnancies in the United States. If severe cases go untreated, the effects can be devastating, even fatal, to both the mother and the baby.

In late October, as Mrs. Njoku began her seventh month of pregnancy, she was given her first sonogram. The radiologist would not say much, she recalled, except that she should see Ms. Lewis the next day for an explanation.

The ultrasound images had shown that Mrs. Njoku's uterus was larger than normal and that the volume of amniotic fluid, the liquid that surrounds the baby, was slightly higher than would be expected. But the midwife seemed unfazed, Mrs. Njoku recalled, adding, "She said I shouldn't worry, but when I came home, I was worried."

So Mrs. Njoku set off on daily treks to the college, where each afternoon for a week, she pulled medical texts from the long shelves in the library and settled in at a desk.

She searched for clues about the meaning of excess amniotic fluid. "I found out about the effect," Mrs. Njoku said. "It causes abnormalities, death and brain damage."

One of the thickest volumes was a 1989 nursing text, "Maternity and Gynecologic Care." Its verdict on amniotic fluid: An excessive amount, called hydramnios, is commonly associated with some of the most severe congenital problems — like hydrocephalus, microcephaly, spina bifida, cleft palate, Down syndrome and deformed extremities. And it can also be a sign of a diabetic or pre-diabetic mother.

Shaken, Mrs. Njoku demanded another appointment with Ms. Lewis. "I told her I was worried," Mrs. Njoku said. "I said: 'What are you going to do about this? Certain books tell me certain stories. Tell me what to do.' "

According to an entry in her hospital records dated Nov. 12, 1992, the midwife consulted a doctor, and the doctor recommended a second, more detailed, sonogram. That test, done Dec. 7, showed no signs of excess amniotic fluid.

"They told me, 'The baby is fine; the baby is big,' " Mrs. Njoku recalled.

But the report on the sonogram contained a hint of possible trouble. Judging by the baby's size, the report said, the pregnancy was in its 33rd or 34th week. Mrs. Njoku should only have been 30 weeks pregnant, calculated by the date of her last menstrual period.

Ms. Lewis spotted the discrepancy and noted it in Mrs. Njoku's chart. But she concluded that Mrs. Njoku was "doing well," and wrote that the plan for her care was to "reassure" her.

Cinemàre Four
Loop 250 at Midland Dr.
689-MORE
ALL SHOWS $1.50
BOX OFFICE OPENS 1:30 EVERYDAY
STAR TREK: GENERATIONS 2:00 4:30 7:05 9:35 (PG)
HIGHLANDER III 4:10 9:00 (PG-13)
FAR FROM HOME 2:20 7:00 (PG)
THE SANTA CLAUSE 2:10 4:15 7:15 9:20 (PG)
THE LION KING 2:05 4:05 7:10 9:15 (G)

MIDLAND NIGHT OUT
Neighbors Fighting
Against Crime

Yes! I want to be involved in a Neighborhood Watch program. Please give me information and on how I can:

☐ Organize a block party.
☐ Start a Neighborhood Watch
☐ "REVIVE" a Neighborhood Watch
☐ Other_____

Name:_____
Address:_____
Phone:_____

Please complete and return to Midland Crime Prevention Commission P.O. Box 51111, Midland, TX 79710 or call the NNO Chairman Maxine Hannifin at 682-8748.

POLICE CPU: 685-7131 SHERIFF CPU: 688-1015

Hospice of Midland

Hospice of Midland
Information Lines

CITYLINE now provides information services for Hospice of Midland, a service by and for residents of Midland County. To learn more about Hospice of Midland, call CITYLINE at 560-2400, then enter any of the following categories numbers:

Main Directory 1550
What is Hospice? 1551
What you can expect from Hospice 1552
Hours of Operation 1553
Volunteerism 1554
Donation information 1555
Friends Who Care (updated monthly) 1556
Rainbows & Spectrum 1557
Que es Hospice? 1558
Lo que puede usted esperar de Hospice 1559

PERMIAN BASIN Cityline
A 24 HOUR INFORMATION SERVICE
·560-2400

CINE 4
3207 West Cuthbert 697-3204
UNITED ARTISTS
HIDEAWAY NO VIPS 1:50 4:20 7:00 9:35 (R)
HEAVYWEIGHTS 2:10 4:15 7:20 9:45 (PG)
BRADY BUNCH 1:50 4:00 7:10 9:40 (PG-13)
PULP FICTION 2:00 7:30 ONLY (R)
$3.50 PER PERSON
SHOWS BEFORE 6:00 PM

General Cinema
BARGAIN MATINEES EVERY DAY
ALL SHOWS STARTING BEFORE 6 PM
MIDLAND PARK MALL
JUST CAUSE
BILLY MADISON
MAN OF THE HOUSE
THE HUNTED
NORTH PARK
QUICK AND THE DEAD
ROOMMATES
BULLETS OVER BROADWAY
FORREST GUMP 1:30 4:15 7:10 10:00 PG-13 *
* Academy Award Nominee

MARCH 7 1995

Colorado City inmates caught without incident trying to enter toll road

Associated Press

WALTERS, Okla. — Two Texas inmates who broke out of the Wallace Unit at Colorado City were caught without incident this morning as they tried to go through an interstate toll booth without paying.

Oklahoma State Police officer Eddie Harrell stopped the men after they tried to drive away from an Interstate 44 toll plaza at Walters, about 25 miles north of Wichita Falls, said Larry Fitzgerald, spokesman for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Escapee Robert Pevytoe was driving a 1990 Chevrolet pickup truck and in a brief statement admitted stealing the truck in Colorado City when he found it with the keys in the ignition, Fitzgerald said. Pevytoe's statement also said he and Bunch stole some clothing in Wichita Falls, Fitzgerald said. The pair had escaped early Sunday.

Pevytoe and the other escapee, Wayne Elmer Bunch, Jr., waived extradition.

"They enjoyed about 23 hours of freedom," Fitzgerald said.

Pevytoe, 22, had served two years of a seven-year burglary sentence from Hockley County.

Bunch, 22, had served almost three years of a 10-year sentence for forgery and robbery from Leon and Madison counties.

Now, that's the spirit of spring break

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND (AP) — First the airline lost their luggage. Then Cory Lukins and Jill Murdock felt that the shuttle service overcharged them. Then a blown boiler at their hotel forced them to switch to another place.

Everything was just starting to look up — until someone stole their credit cards, two cameras and about $300 in cash and traveler's checks.

What are they going to do now?

"Just go have another beer. We decided to put it all behind us," Ms. Lukins said.

"It's got to get better," adds Ms. Murdock.

Now that's the spirit of Spring Break 1995.

Chilly, foggy and rainy weather that hung over South Padre Island the entire weekend opened up Monday to sunshine and gentle breezes, sending hordes of college students to the beach.

"Girls are out in their suits, the sun is blaring, alcohol is flowing," summed up Brandon Sandler, 20, of Michigan State University.

Ms. Lukins and Ms. Murdock, both 20, traveling with four other students from Northwest Missouri State University, had plenty of optimism to spare as they took care of the details of reporting the theft.

Among all six, they said they still have enough money to enjoy the week.

And hey, the hotel that canceled their reservation is making up the difference for them to stay the rest of the week at Radisson Resort South Padre, one of the best hotels on the island.

Airline employees showed up with their luggage. And even though they ended up paying $165 for the shuttle ride from McAllen instead of the $90 they thought they owed, they got their peace of mind by telling off the driver.

"We gave them the money but we made our point. I guess we weren't very nice," Ms. Lukins said, then giggled.

This week brings the first wave of an estimated 150,000 college students to South Padre Island for some sunshine and beer-fueled indulgence. The party reaches a peak next weekend when the University of Texas and Texas A&M University begin spring break.

Police Chief E.E. Eunice said most students were behaving well so far, but already his department has responded to some serious incidents.

Three students, ages 21-24, were arrested for sexual battery Monday after police received a report from a witness of a woman being raped in a parking lot.

"Because of the state of intoxication of the three suspects and the victim, we have not been able to talk to them," Eunice said. He said he wasn't sure whether the victim would cooperate with the investigation.

Riverboats cut into East Texas bingo profits

LONGVIEW (AP) — In the 10 1/2 months since three riverboat casinos opened in Shreveport, profits from East Texas bingo games have shrunk by more than 15 percent, bingo operators say.

Several bingo parlors have shut down, and operators of the game put the blame squarely on competition from the casinos just 40 miles east of Longview on Interstate 20.

"It's been devastating," said Mike Anglin, commander of the American Legion Post No. 140 in Longview. "We're in a highly competitive situation with casinos."

The competition from casinos is the latest problem for bingo parlors in recent years. Bingo operators say they were hit hard by implementation of the Texas Lottery and by a 7 percent gross receipts tax on bingo that the Texas Legislature imposed in 1991. That tax was ended in 1993.

In 1991, his post's bingo game supported 35 students on scholarship in college, Anglin said. Now, the post can support about five or six students each semester, and that is likely to drop further if revenues continue to fall, he said.

"When the tax went on us, it knocked us so badly that we were never able to have more than five or six students at a time," Anglin said, adding that losses totaled $140,000 in two years.

Overall, the state collected $22 million off bingo operations across Texas before repealing the tax in September 1993.

In 1993, revenues from bingo operations in East Texas for April through June were $4.3 million. A year later, when the first casino boat opened, the bingo operators earned $3.9 million during the second quarter of 1994.

In the fourth quarter of last year, revenues for East Texas bingo were down to $3.6 million, off 16.3 percent from six months earlier.

The first casino riverboat opened 10 1/2 months ago, on April 18, 1994. By July 9, Shreveport-Bossier City had three casinos operating.

"By the time they were all open and running, our net profits were off by 60 percent," Anglin said. "This is true of all bingo operations ... within driving distance of Louisiana. That's a direct result of casinos in other states."

In Longview, some bingo games that had been going strong for 20 years were shutting down, Anglin said. The American Legion's main bingo operation closed five months ago.

The Elks Lodge in Longview has canceled five of its traditional six weekly sessions. The impact hit charities that formerly received money from the Elks, including Special Olympics.

UTA president resigns after student protests

By Charles Richards
Associated Press Writer

ARLINGTON — A target of vandalism and angry students, the president of the University of Texas at Arlington Monday announced his resignation.

Ryan Amacher, expressing "shock" at the lack of civility in the opposition to him, said his resignation is effective at the end of the school year.

He said that he twice came out of his house to find the gate to his yard chained shut. On one of the recent occasions, a cement donkey with crude graffiti on it was hung on the chain.

On Valentine's Day, Amacher said, someone destroyed his mailbox.

He and his wife, Susan, "have been subjected to mental and physical abuse that simply is unacceptable," added Amacher, 49.

"I am making this announcement at this time to put an end to the circus atmosphere that has developed on campus. Very public debates and media hysteria have produced a feeding frenzy that makes civil debate impossible," he said.

UT System regents told him when he came to UT-Arlington in April, 1992, from Clemson University that they wanted him to make dramatic changes on campus, Amacher said.

But his implementation of those changes was met by resistance on all sides from the onset, he said.

He brought in Dalmas Taylor as provost, a move that was hailed by black students and faculty members who had complained of a lack of blacks in the higher levels at UT-Arlington.

Then, Amacher and Taylor began making changes they said were intended to unite the university.

Before Amacher's arrival, the various colleges on campus, particularly the engineering, science, business and liberal arts, operated as separate fiefdoms, under the control of various deans.

Amacher removed budgeting, hiring and promotion decisions from deans and placing them all under the provost's control. All the deans were made answerable to Taylor, and two deans were fired, further inflaming passions.

Since Amacher's presidency began, opponents say, 17 high-level people have either been removed from the administrative council or chose to leave in protest.

UT-Arlington dropped football several years ago. After Amacher arrived, he put more funding into the baseball and basketball operations, but other budgets shrank, and the UT system ordered an audit to examine spending and management at the school.

House OKs caucus funding bill

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas House tentatively approved a bill Monday that would limit when legislative caucuses can raise money and require them to open their finances to the public.

The bill by Rep. Layton Black, D-Goldthwaite, would bring caucuses under the same contribution and expense reporting requirements as legislators.

"As elected officials and members of caucuses and members of this House, we should not have a double standard as to how the public looks at our business," Black said. "This bill clearly puts us all on the playing field; it levels it."

The bill, approved on a voice vote, faces a final vote of the House before heading to the Senate for consideration.

Caucuses are groups of lawmakers who spend money on staff and research to monitor bills and gather information for their legislative agenda.

There are 24 caucuses in the House, representing groups including Republicans, Democrats, conservatives, progressives, blacks and Hispanics. In the Senate there are two caucuses, representing Hispanics and blacks.

MIDLAND LAMP & SHADE HOUSE
Quality Lamp Shades & Accessories
Expert Lamp Repair
M-F 10A.M.-5:30P.M.
1611 W. Wall
682-2071

Britt Discount Cellular
Installs, Beg Phones, Handhelds!
Our selection of FREE Cellular phones is going fast so get yours today. 3 models to choose from.
With any new number activation. FREE! Only While Supplies last.
Some restrictions apply. Plus Tax. 12 mo. service commitment on new number activation with SBMS. Agent reserves the right to decline sale at their discretion.
563-3095 • 699-7993 1004 S. Midkiff • Midland

FRAUD WASTE ABUSE

The City of Midland, in conjunction with **CITYLINE**, presents the **Fraud, Waste and Abuse Hotline.** If you think you have witnessed-- or are aware of -- improper city government activities, particularly fraud, waste or abuse of city resources, you can report your suspicions anonymously.

Call **CITYLINE's Fraud, Waste and Abuse Hotline** at **560-2400** and enter **Category 5080.** At the tone, leave a brief message detailing what you believe to be improper activity by city employees or other citizens. You don't have to leave your name, but be as specific as possible when explaining your concerns. For more information, call 686-1658.

To report fraud in writing, drop a note to Fraud Hotline, P.O. Box 5051 Midland, 79704

MIDLAND BASIN Cityline
A 24 HOUR INFORMATION SERVICE
560-2400

The City of Midland & CITYLINE...
Working together to make government work better for you.

Southwestern Bell Is Offering "21st Century" Technology...AGAIN!

BEWARE OF MONOPOLIES BEARING GIFTS!

Southwestern Bell Telephone
Is Making Big Promises To Keep Its Monopoly.

Five years ago, Southwestern Bell made a deal with the Texas Public Utility Commission: the PUC would postpone rate hearings and loosen regulation if Bell would upgrade telecommunications technology around the state. This deal did not work! Southwestern Bell's profits are close to tops in the nation...but Texas ranks close to the bottom in advanced telephone technology. Now Bell is at the Texas Legislature with yet another deal: to invest $1 billion in overdue improvements, but only if its earnings are kept under wraps, competition stalled, and regulation further diluted. It's time to give the Bell monopoly a wake-up call; it's time to give consumers and businesses alike a choice in local telephone service; and it's time to open the information superhighway in Texas to fair competition. If you own a phone, use a computer, subscribe to a newspaper or watch television, the telecommunications debate in the Texas Legislature will dramatically affect you and your family. Make your voice heard in Austin above the promises of Southwestern Bell's powerful monopoly.

Send Your State Legislators A Message–Now!

❑ I want fair competition in local telephone service.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

_____

PHONE (___)_____ FAX (___)_____ INTERNET (___)_____

MAIL OR FAX TO: ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNICATIONS CHOICES
P.O. BOX 684611, AUSTIN, TEXAS 78768-4611 FAX 800-919-2001 INTERNET # alliance @ i-link.net

Alliance For Communications Choices
Texans Fighting Against Monopoly!

Texas Daily Newspaper Association, Texas Press Association, Texas Consumer Association, Texas Citizen Action, AT&T, MCI, and hundreds of other consumer groups and local businesses throughout Texas.

Legislative advertising paid for by Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702

SPORTS & BUSINESS

Scoreboard/3C
Business/4C

TUESDAY

SPORTS WATCH

TV Sports

NHL — Los Angeles Kings at Dallas Stars, (replay) 9 a.m., HSE.
JUCO BASKETBALL — Starburst Junior College Challenge, First Semifinal, noon, HSE; Second semifinal, 2 p.m., HSE; Final (tape delay), 11 p.m., HSE.
GOLF — PGA Senior Slam, second round, 6 p.m., WTBS.
COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Midwestern Collegiate Tournament Championship, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.
Sunbelt Tournament Championship, 8:30 p.m., ESPN.
NBA — Phoenix Suns at Houston Rockets, 7 p.m., TNT.
Denver Nuggets at Dallas Mavericks, 7:30 p.m., HSE.
BOXING — Jimmy Thunder vs. Trevor Berbick, heavyweights, 8 p.m., USA.

Texas Scores

NHL — Dallas Stars 8, Los Angeles Kings 2.
EXHIBITION BASEBALL — Texas Rangers 12, Minnesota Twins (ss) 5.
Houston Astros 9, Cincinnati Reds 7 (11).

Sports Today

4-5A BASEBALL — Midland High vs. Midland Lee, 4 p.m., Christensen Stadium.
5-5A SOCCER — San Angelo Central boys at Midland High, 4:30 p.m.
Midland High girls at San Angelo Central, 4:30 p.m.
6-5A SOFTBALL — San Angelo Central at Midland Lee, 4 p.m., Bill Williams Softball Complex.

Kings see Stars

DALLAS — Russ Courtnall had two goals and three assists and Mike Donnelly added two goals and two assists against his former teammates to spark the Dallas Stars to their fifth consecutive victory, 8-2 over the Los Angeles Kings on Monday night. The winning streak is the Stars' longest in more than two years and longest since the franchise's move from Minnesota to Dallas before the start of last season. Dallas last won five straight from Nov. 28 to Dec. 5, 1992.

Jari Kurri's sixth goal on a 20-foot slap shot just 1:02 into the game gave the Kings a 1-0 lead and ended Stars goalie Darcy Wakaluk's career-high scoreless streak at 161 minutes, 24 seconds. Wakaluk had posted shutouts in his two previous starts and shared NHL Player of the Week honors with fellow Stars goalie Andy Moog.

But the Stars scored four consecutive first-period goals on 12 shots against Kings goalie Grant Fuhr, who entered the game with a 5.71 goals-against average.

UConn perfect

SOUTH ORANGE, N.J. — No. 1 Connecticut became only the sixth Division I women's team to go through a regular season undefeated as it captured a record fourth Big East title with an 85-49 victory over Seton Hall on Monday night.

Kara Wolters scored 32 points as the Huskies (29-0) won their second straight league title and earned their seventh straight NCAA Tournament berth.

In the Huskies' 39th straight win over a Big East opponent, point guard Jennifer Rizzotti sustained an injury to the bicep tendon in her right elbow in a scramble for a loose ball with 14:56 to play. She did not return and her status for the NCAA tournament is unknown.

The 36-point margin of victory was a Big East Tournament record, breaking the 26-point margin the Huskies set last year in another win over the Lady Pirates.

TOMORROW...

■ Sports writer Bill Petitt will give a full report of the District 4-5A baseball opener between Midland High and Midland Lee.
■ Coverage of local soccer and softball district contests.

PERMIAN BASIN
Cityline
A 24 HOUR INFORMATION SERVICE
560-2400
For Local, National and World Updates, call CITYLINE, *and enter category 1200 for the main news menu.*

Bulldogs, Rebels start loop wars

■ Midland High and Midland Lee continue 4-5A baseball rivalry with 4 p.m. league-opener at Christensen Stadium.

By Bill Petitt
Sports Writer

Midland Lee baseball coach Jesse Benavidez has had just two days to patch together a Rebel baseball team that was ripped for 42 runs in three games during a 0-3 weekend at the Tournament of Champions last weekend.

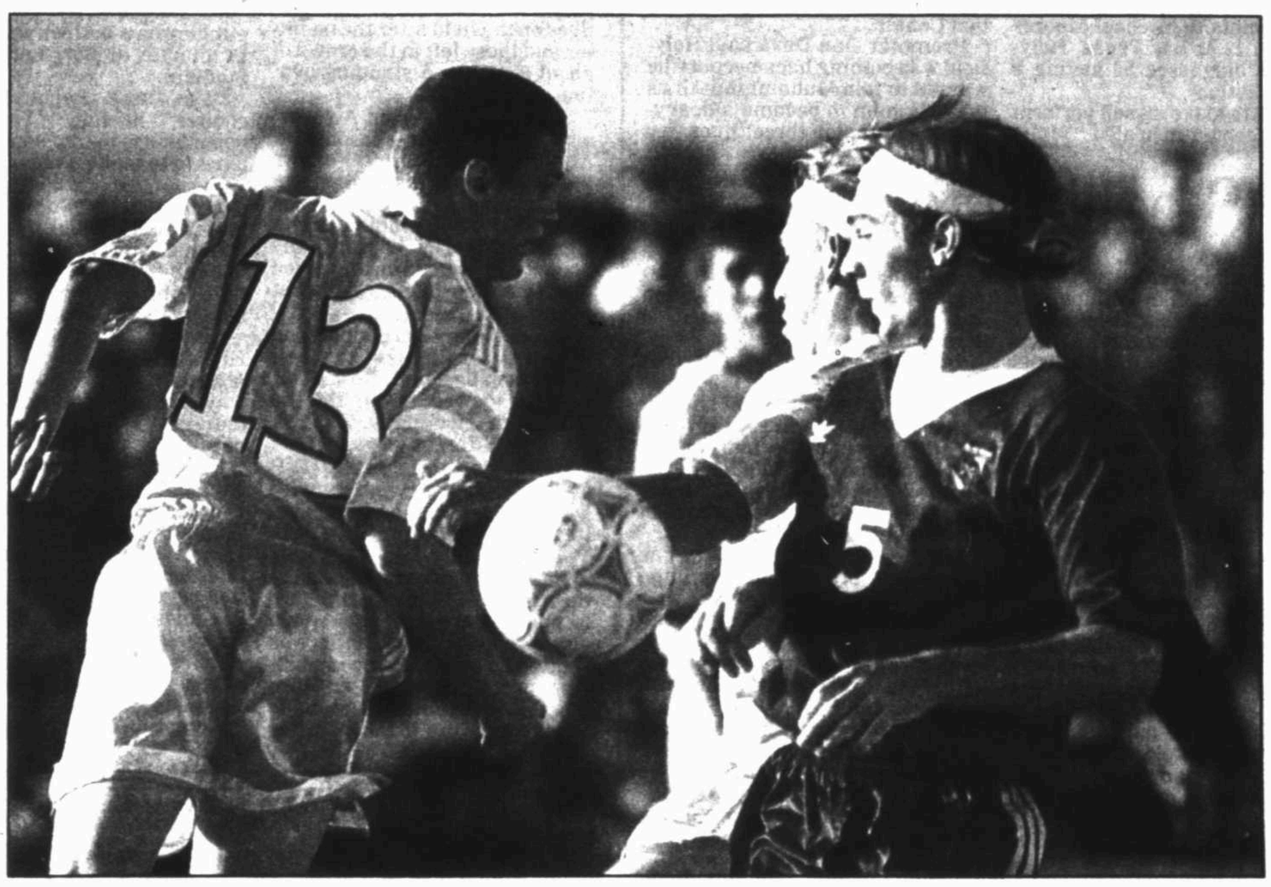
Now staring him in the face is District 4-5A play and the new kid on the block in Midland High coach Lew Kennedy, who has guided the Bulldogs to a 4-4 record and a second-place finish at the T of C with a 9-5 loss to eventual champion El Paso Coronado. The district opener for both ball clubs begins at 4 p.m. at Christensen Stadium.

"(The district opener) is big especially when you have got your cross-town rival," said Lee coach Jesse Benavidez. "I think (three losses in the tournament) will open some eyes as far as the seniors and providing some leadership. Our seniors that played on the team last year know what it is about and they have got to step up and say some things. I think the others are waiting around for the seniors to lead them and no one has stepped up yet. Hopefully it will begin (today)."

Lee's offense was a concern at the beginning of the year with the meat of the lineup missing due to graduation, but the Rebels are scoring 8.2 runs per game. The 8.2 runs per game is almost identical to last year's 8.4 runs per game prior to district play. "It's kind of hard to accept, scoring some runs and not being able to hold on and win it," said Benavidez.

What has been missing is defense. The Rebs have

Please see **WARS**/2C



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram
Midland High's Tyler Krueger (13) and Midland Lee's Ryan Dodd try to win the ball in their District 5-5A soccer match against each other recently. Today's matches begin the final week of league play.

MHS hopes to end slide; Lady Rebels seek playoffs

By Mike Butts
Sports Writer

In their two games against Midland Lee this year Midland High's girls did everything they could to hinder the Lady Rebel's playoff chances. But if the Lady Bulldogs win today they keep those same playoff chances alive.

Such is the fate of Lee's idle Lady Rebels, who will pull for their city rivals to upset the Lady Bobcats in San Angelo today at 4:30 p.m. Lee's ability to return to the postseason rests with Midland High winning or Odessa High upsetting Abilene High Thursday or both. San Angelo and Abilene High are both one-half game ahead of Lee (7-5) in the District 5-5A standings at 7-4.

Odessa High has yet to win a game this season in 13 attempts and Abilene High needs a win to clinch the playoffs. So Lee's best chance at getting in a tie for the third-place playoff spot is with the

Please see **SOCCER**/2C

Midland Lee girls stand atop 6-5A softball standings

Staff Report

Midland Lee's undefeated Lady Rebels hold down the top spot in District 6-5A softball. And as they get ready to face last-place San Angelo today at 4 p.m. at the Bill Williams Softball Complex, the only question is: 'How good are they?

Hayes

"At the end of the weekend, we'll have a good idea of where we stand," Midland Lee coach J.C. Gotcher said. "As far as the way we expect to play at the end of the season, we're one-third of the way there."

The Lady Rebels are 10-0 overall and 3-0 in district with Emily Hayes getting all the team's league wins. Today, the senior workhorse with four no-hitters, will get the rest in favor of fireballer Crystal Smith.

"I do want to keep Emily ready for the weekend," Gotcher said. "We've got (third-place) Permian Saturday. That's going to be tough, and next Tuesday we've got (second-place) Cooper."

Hayes has tossed the no-hitters in four of her seven starts — all wins — this year. She faced only one batter over the

Please see **LEE**/2C

ATHLETIC DIRECTORS WINTER MEETING

Block system works for Mansfield athletics

■ Mansfield athletic director Rick Cash discusses the advantages of block scheduling to more than 100 peers.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram
Rick Cash, the athletic director for Class 5A Mansfield, explains how the block scheduling system has helped his athletic program because "kids are taking only three classes and an athletic period each day."

Block scheduling has been a hot topic in Midland since the Midland Independent School District has been investigating moving in that direction in the city's high schools.

Rick Cash, athletic director at Class 5A Mansfield, was in town Monday to address the block system to the gathering of more than 100 athletic directors across the state who are in Midland through today for its annual winter meeting.

"We started the process of moving to a block system in 1991 and went to it two years ago," Cash said. "Our students, teachers and coaches love it. And there seems to be a move in this direction across the state.

"We've had phone calls from 75 schools and 25 or 30 have visited our campus to look at what we are doing. More and more are looking at it."

Several Midlanders have expressed concern in the last few months that a block system format in the schools would be harmful to extra-curricular activities, including electives such as band and athletics.

"We heard those same concerns when we first started talking about the block system," Cash said. "Coaches always seem to be the last to want to change something, but they have found that this works to their advantage."

Mansfield has what is called an accelerated block system.

"Our kids can earn 32 credits instead of the regular 24. Our classes are 90 minutes and we have every course, every day," Cash says. "It has helped athletics because the kids are taking only three classes and an athletic peri-

Please see **BLOCK**/2C

PETITT

4-5A baseball has to weather pre-district storm

The overriding sentiment of the District 4-5A baseball coaches is that the league race begins too soon. That 4-5A teams do not play enough games before the district season to properly prepare for the 12-game schedule.

Petitt

This year could be no more evident as the race for the king of the mound begins today in Odessa, Abilene and at Christensen Stadium.

Inclimate weather has caused the postponement of over 20 scheduled games for 4-5A with every team in the league except Midland High missing at least one game due to bad weather.

Raw pitching staffs, untested infields make for questions that should be answered by the halfway point of the race.

Here's a quick handicap of the field for the upcoming race.

1. Abilene Cooper. The Coogs appear ready to retake the district crown that Lee captured a year ago with the same tactics as the Rebels — clubbing the opposition. The Cougars are scoring over 10 runs per game in the preseason. CHS' only loss came in a 4-1 loss to Brenham, otherwise Cooper is averaging 13.7 runs per game. Add returning starting pitcher Brad Hicks to the mix and the Coogs should be strong.

2. Odessa Permian. Steve Coleman and Mojo walked into the Tournament of Champions with only two games under their belt and walked away with wins over Lee (10-9) and Lubbock Monterey (11-1). The Panthers are 5-1 and returning first-team all-district pitcher Jeremy Delcor. Offensively, the middle of the order with Coby Harrison, Miguel Bustos and Chris Roberson should give Permian enough firepower to win.

3. Midland Lee. The defending district champs are scoring enough runs to win, but defense has plagued the Rebels so far this season. Lee scored 30 runs in the Tournament of Champions last weekend, but went 0-3 by allowing 42. Lee opens with the bottom four teams of a year ago — Midland High, Abilene High, San Angelo central and Odessa High. It could give the Rebs time to find a cure to their problems before they meet Cooper and Permian.

4. Midland High. The dark horse of the district. Keith Lant, Jason Rogers and Heath Grizzell have shown enough pitching to give the 'Dogs a shot at a playoff spot. MHS went 6-0 against the bottom three teams of the league last year while going 0-6 against Lee, Cooper and Permian. Two wins against the "big three" would probably put MHS back in the playoffs after a two-year hiatus.

5. Abilene High. The Eagles are vastly improved from a year ago with a 5-3 record entering today's play. Wins over Plainview (11-0), A&M Consolidated (12-2) and Lawton Eisenhower (14-4) have boosted Abilene's confidence. AHS opens with Cooper and Lee, a split would give them momentum before they head on the road against Permian and Midland High.

6. Odessa High. Milt Thompson's team came on strong at the end of last year. But the Bronchos have started slow to begin the season (2-3-1) after a doubleheader split with Amarillo Tascosa last weekend. OHS returns all-district performer A.J. Madero and pitcher Brandon Swinney.

7. San Angelo Central. Central had a lot of questions going into this season and so far the Bobcats have had just three games to solve them. The weather has probably hurt this team more than any other with only one game played in the last 14 days. After Odessa and Abilene to start the league race, Central must then take on Cooper, Lee and Permian on consecutive dates.

If the league holds true to form, the district should be decided on the last Tuesday of the league season when Cooper meets Permian on April 25 in Abilene.

Bill Petitt is a sports writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

MAR 07 1995

Veterens narrow ballot selections

■ Baseball Hall of Fame

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Richie Ashburn and Larry Doby, who could've played in the same outfield for the Cleveland Indians except for a ruling by Kenesaw Mountain Landis, are considered among the top candidates for election Tuesday to the Hall of Fame by the Veterans Committee.

Nellie Fox, Gil Hodges and Negro Leagues star Leon Day also stand a chance to be chosen. Hall of Famers Ted Williams, Stan Musial and Yogi Berra are on the 17-member panel that will vote, with 75 percent required for selection.

Ashburn batted .308 in a 15-year career, almost all of it with the Phillies, as one of baseball's best center fielders. Known for his speed, defense and ability to get on base, he often was overshadowed by three others who played the same position during the 1950s — Willie Mays, Mickey Mantle and Duke Snider, all of them in the Hall.

Ashburn won two batting titles, led the NL in hits three times and walks four times. He holds the major league record for outfielders with four seasons of 500 or more putouts, and was a five-time All-Star.

In 1944, when many teams were desperate for players, Cleveland signed Ashburn at age 17. But that deal was nullified by commissioner Landis, who ruled Ashburn was too young.

Doby was starring in the Negro Leagues for the Newark Eagles when he signed with Cleveland on July 3, 1947, becoming the first black player in the AL. The deal came 11 weeks after Jackie Robinson signed with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Doby batted .283 with 253 home runs and 969 RBIs in a 13-year career in the majors, mostly with the Indians. He twice led the AL in homers. Like Ashburn, Doby wound up playing center field after starting out somewhere else, second base in his case.

Fox, a slick fielder who batted .288 in a 19-year career, fell two votes short in 1985, the closest miss in the BBWAA. Hodges hit 370 home runs.

Jim Bunning, a 100-game winner in both leagues, is in his first year of eligibility with the veterans panel.

Holyfield wants to show he's healed in Mercer fight

NEW YORK (AP) — Evander Holyfield knows there will be a certain circus atmosphere at his next fight, a fight that appeared he'd never have.

The former two-time heavyweight champion was asked if he thought a lot of people would watch his May 20 match against Ray Mercer just to see if something might happen to him.

Following his WBA-IBF title loss on points to Michael Moorer last April 22 at Las Vegas, Holyfield was diagnosed as having a heart condition.

"I want to make myself perform to show people I'm healed," Holyfield said Monday at a news conference to formally announce the fight at the Atlantic City Convention Center.

Promoter Dan Duva said Holyfield was coming back because he wanted to join Muhammad Ali as the only man to become a heavyweight champion three times.

WARS: Lee, MHS battle to start 4-5A

(From 1C)

made untimely errors with runners in scoring position that has opened the door for the opposition. Case in point, Odessa Permian needed only three singles in an eight-run seventh inning to rally from a 9-2 deficit to beat Lee 10-9 last Friday.

In contrast, Lee made 21 errors in 12 district games last year.

"We work a lot on our fielding and throwing, but you have to make that important play to get out of an inning," said Benavidez. "We have not done that on a couple of occasions and that has opened the hole for them. They get a run here and there and base hit and the next thing you know you are behind."

Lee will start Lance Watters on the mound. Watters (2-1) threw a gem in a 2-0 win over Monterey last Monday and saw a brief stint on Saturday against El Paso Coronado, but should be ready to go.

Lee catcher Mike Phillips, who has missed the last week with a wrist injury, awaited medical clearance on Monday and is listed as questionable for today's game. Jeff Burrows will start at catcher if Phillips is not ready to go.

Midland finished fourth in the district last season with a 6-6 mark. MHS was 6-0 against the league' bottom three teams, Odessa High, San Angelo Central and Abilene High, but could not crack the big three — Lee, Odessa Permian or Abilene Cooper.

"We play the big three to start district and we sure would like to pick off one or two of them," said Kennedy. "I think a win today would be super, it would be an upset to pull it off, but we have got a shot at it if we play well.

"I'm just glad we got eight games in before district. We start district awfully early out here. I don't like playing in the Lubbock tournament after we start district, but everyone else is playing in a tournament this weekend, so no one has an advantage."

Playing well right now is senior pitcher Keith Lant. Lant is 2-1 after throwing three innings of shutout baseball in a 3-0 win Friday night to advance into the tournament finals. Senior right hander Heath Grizzell and junior right hander Jason Rogers (one save) will be in the bullpen ready to spell Lant.

Offensively, Midland High has had some production from the middle of the batting order with junior center fielder Clay Johnston.

"We're getting some production out of the three and four hole with Johnston and Rogers, and Stewart seems to be getting on base." said Kennedy. "We'll have to have those guys come through to be competitive. We just try to set the table for them and hope they bring them around."

SOCCER: Regular season ends Thursday

(From 1C)

Lady Bulldogs.

"The girls said this is a chance for us to beat a playoff-caliber team," MHS coach Scott Hodkinson said. "I feel like we're healthy and the team's attitude is pretty good for this stage. Last year at this stage we were kind of disorganized and (there was) dissension among the team and everybody was bickering.

"This year we're more of a team. We've been so competitive even though our record doesn't show it."

In other league play, 5-5A champion Midland High tries to end its two-game losing streak when the Bulldogs host San Angelo at 4:30. The Lee boys ended their season Saturday. The MHS-San Angelo games will be the only league contests Tuesday as the Abilene-Odessa schools move their games to Thursday so as not to interrupt Texas Assessment of Academic Skills testing.

The Lady Bulldogs have a 2-9 league mark and are 4-9 overall. Last season they finished 1-11 in district and 5-13 overall.

The last time MHS played San Angelo (13-6 overall) it lost 4-1 Feb. 11 after trailing by only one goal with nine minutes to play.

"We're going to give them a game (today)," Hodkinson said. "We're not going to roll over for them."

The Lady Rebels certainly hope they don't.

San Angelo's boys (10-8, 6-5) won't be eliminated with a loss. But they would get at least a tie for a playoff berth with a win over Midland High's boys. The Bulldogs (11-3, 9-2) would, of course, like to go into the playoffs with a win. Coach Tom Esikhati has been tinkering with his lineup since MHS clinched the district title. And starters Jared Richardson (goal keeper), Tyler Berry (forward) and Kiley Miller (stopper) all missed Saturday's 4-2 loss to Abilene High with injuries.

The Bulldogs won a Region I championship last year and the district this year partly on the strength of their defense. But Saturday they gave up more than two goals in a game for the first time in at least 31 contests, dating back to 1994 pre-district play. MHS had allowed an only 10 goals in 13 games this year before Saturday's loss.

In fact, the Bulldogs recorded four shutouts in their first ten league games this year and 11 shutouts in 18 district and playoff games last year.

BLOCK: Mansfield coaches love new system

(From 1C)

od each day. They have less subjects to keep up with and we have found they make better grades."

"Our coaches love it because they teach only two blocks a day, plus a conference period and the athletic period, and are finished by With regular classes by 10:40 (a.m.) and have a 50-minute lunch break. They have less kids to teach, less paperwork and less classroom preparation time."

Since students can earn more credits over the course of their high school career, Cash says that more elective courses can be taken through the high school years.

"Actually, some considered that very fact to be a downside to the block system because it did require some extra staffing because we had to create some more electives for the students to take," Cash said.

Cash said that the athletic period is 90 minutes each day, the same as all other classes. However, the University Interscholastic League, the governing body of high school athletics in Texas, allows only 60 minutes of work in an athletic period each day.

"We work in the athletic period for 60 minutes and then we have a study hall for 30 minutes," said Cash of the Mansfield program. "That has been great because the coaches become involved with what the student is doing in other classes and is there to see that work gets done. Even though we are allowed to work only 60 minutes, the study hall has had tremendous success."

Cash also said that courses, such as band and choir, etc., also have a 90-minute period each day in contrast to the 60-minute periods in other schools.

But Cash admitted that there are some problem areas with the block approach.

"A kid who transfers into your school could have a difficult time catching up because we cover a lot of ground quickly," Cash said. "However, it's not as bad as it sounds since you get a fresh start every nine weeks. That's how long we spend on one set of courses. The transfer will have a new start pretty quick and can be back on schedule in a hurry."

Also, a student missing several days in a row might find it difficult to maintain the pace of the rest of the class. "They do have a lot of make-up work if they miss three or four days in a row," said Cash.

The athletic directors met at the Holiday Inn Convention Center where 44 athletic vendors set up shop to display their wares. Golf was also on the agenda Monday afternoon and an awards banquet was held Monday night where a roast of former UIL director Bailey Marshall was held. Marshall retired from the UIL prior to the current school year.

LEE: Lady Rebs San Angelo; MHS idle

(From 1C)

minimum in Saturday's 8-0 triumph over Odessa High. The only drawback to Hayes' limiting the other teams' contact with the ball is defensive concentration.

"It's kind of hard on the infield to go along for three or four innings and not get anything hit to them," Gotcher said. "They get relaxed and that's where we get in trouble."

Smith has won two games this year. She also has a no-hitter for the Lady Rebels. San Angelo is 2-4 overall but has gone 0-2 in league play. Still Gotcher is very confident in his team's ability to not take a team for granted no matter the odds.

"Our girls are serious enough and they play everybody as hard as they can," Gotcher said. "A loss to the last place team is the same as a loss to a first place team. One game is just as important as another."

The Lady Bulldogs (7-3, 1-2) are off today and are coming off their first-ever league win Saturday when sophomore Jessica Moss got a two-out, two-strike double in the bottom of the sixth for the winning runs in a 4-2 victory over Odessa Permian. In other 6-5A play today Abilene High is at Odessa Permian and Odessa High is at Abilene Cooper.

GRILLZ GRILLED
NEW! FRIED CHICKEN BREAST SANDWICH
Just $1.89

SPRING TRAINING

Braves highlight with no-no

By Ben Walker
AP Baseball Writer

Move over, Greg Maddux, Tom Glavine, John Smoltz and Steve Avery, at least for one day. Make way, too, for Guillermo "Willie" Hernandez and Teddy Higuera.

The Atlanta Braves gave replacement baseball its first big highlight Monday when five pitchers combined for a no-hitter in a 5-0 win over the New York Mets.

"Typical Braves pitching," manager Bobby Cox said. "Jose Alvarez really threw extremely well, really sharp."

Alvarez, voted the Braves' most valuable pitcher back in 1988, worked two innings. Phil Harrison and Eric Mora also pitched two innings each and Keith Brown and Daren Brown both went one inning. Braves players celebrated with high-fives on the field after the no-hitter and those left in the crowd of about 900 gave a standing ovation.

"Let's face it," said Alvarez, who pitched four seasons for Atlanta through 1989. "Fellows like Maddux and Glavine and Smoltz and Avery have been consistently outstanding over a significant period of time. Any player can be good on any given day, but consistency is what counts."

At one time, Hernandez and Higuera were among the best pitchers in baseball. Now, after injuries slowed them, they're both looking for another chance, albeit in different ways.

Hernandez, the 1984 AL MVP and Cy Young winner with Detroit, agreed to be a replacement reliever for the New York Yankees.

Hernandez, 40, last pitched in the majors in 1989, a year before he underwent surgery for a torn elbow tendon. He recently was spotted by a scout throwing batting practice for a semi-pro team in Puerto Rico, and made a deal with the Yankees after pitching on a bullpen mound for 10 minutes at Fort Lauderdale Stadium.

"I'm here because of a chance," he said. "This is an opportunity to do whatever I have to to make a comeback."

Hernandez, who has 147 career saves, is two years older than manager Buck Showalter.

Higuera, meanwhile, is close to a minor league contract with the Baltimore Orioles, who do not have a replacement team.

Higuera, 36, was 1-5 with a 7.74 ERA for Milwaukee last season. A 20-game winner in 1986, he won only five games after signing a four-year, $13 million deal because of a torn rotator cuff.

Hernandez and Higuera are only some of the familiar names in camp this spring. Or familiar sounding, that is.

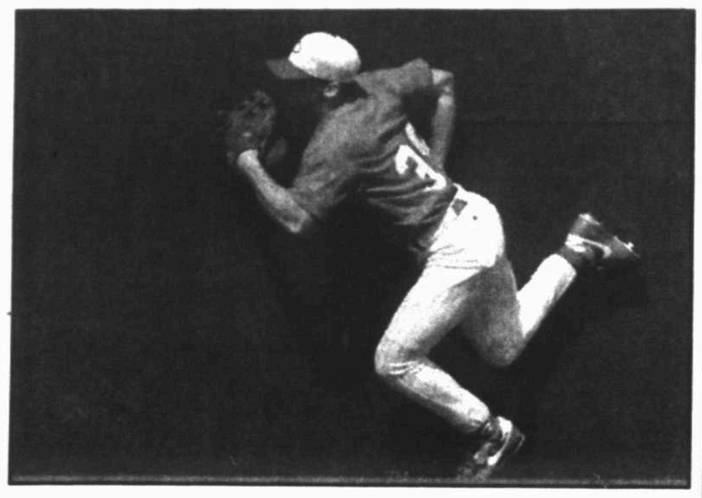
In Bradenton, Fla., there was this sequence during an exhibition between the Chicago White Sox and Pittsburgh: Pete Rose reached base against Lou Boudreau's son, who was then lifted for pinch-hitter Ted Williams.

Actually, it was Pete Rose Jr. — son of "H.K." for Hit King, as he calls his dad — batting against Pirates replacement pitcher Jimmy Boudreau. And it was Ted Williams, a 30-year-old career minor leaguer.

"I've got to call my father and tell him about this — he's going to get a kick out of it," Jimmy Boudreau said. "I faced Pete Rose and was pinch-hit for by Ted Williams."

The crowd of 600 at McKechnie Field was so spread out for the game that one young fan captured two foul balls in the same half-inning. There were just 612 fans in Peoria, Ariz., as San Francisco played San Diego, and slightly more than 1,000 in Fort Myers, Fla., where Mike Warren, who in 1983 with Oakland became the most recent rookie to pitch a no-hitter, worked three scoreless innings against Texas.

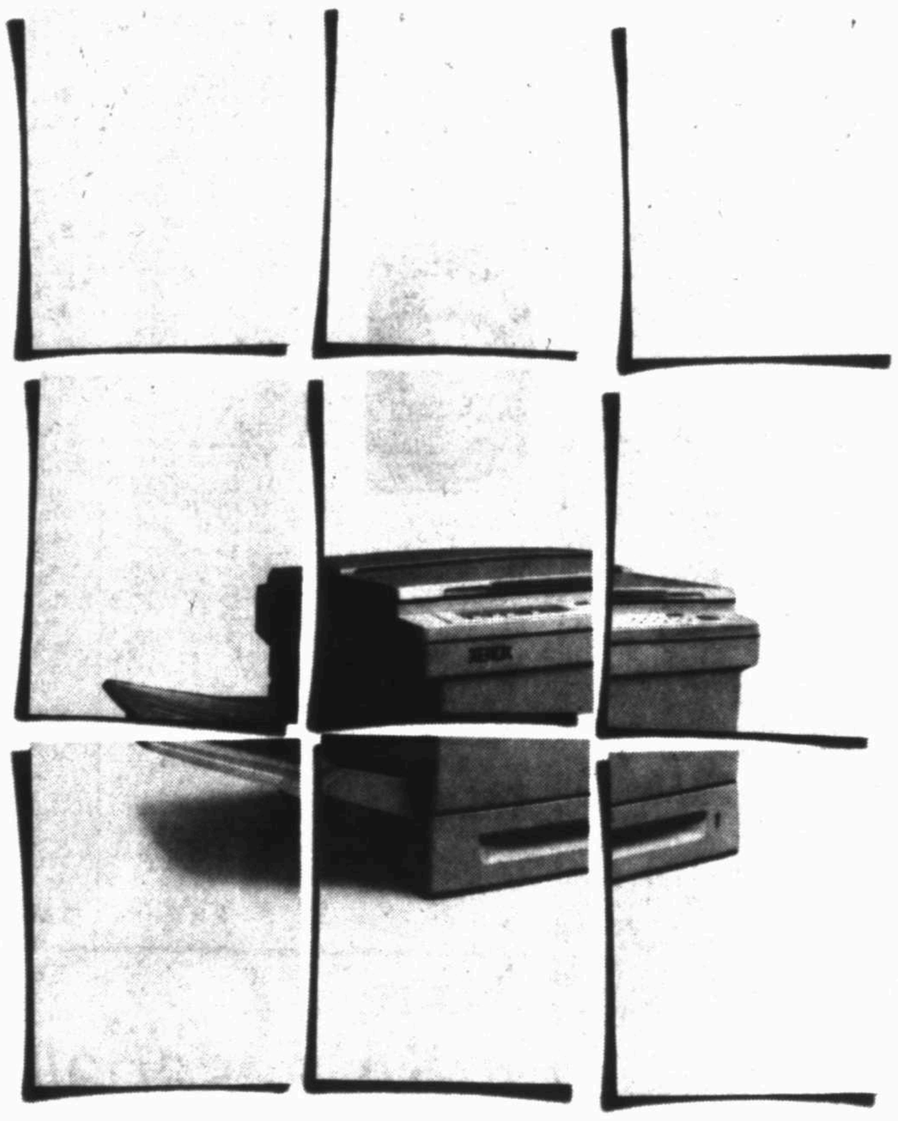
At the rate the baseball talks are going, Warren and the rest of the replacements may start the season in the majors. No further negotiations between owners and players are scheduled.



AP Laserphoto

Cincinatti Reds' leftfielder Matt Bragga runs head first into the outfield wall while chasing a homerum by Toronto Blue Jays' Pat Woodruff Monday afternoon in Plant City, Fla.

Now you can get something smaller, faster and better for just $99 a month.



Take another look. It's Xerox.

A lot of people don't know they can get a Xerox copier for just $99 a month. But here's even better news. Today's Xerox copier for $99 a month is even better and smaller than ever. And it holds up to 500 sheets of copy paper. So don't settle for less. Get everything you want in a copier from Xerox. Even a great price.

THE DOCUMENT COMPANY
XEROX

Call us at: 1-800-ASK-XEROX

Xerox Authorized Sales Agents

Andrews Office Supply
208 East Broadway
Andrews, TX

G.N.A. Sales
706 Main Street
Big Spring, TX

Quality Document Solutions
2803 Hilltop
Odessa, TX

Quality Document Solutions
4305 N. Garfield
Suite 212
Midland, TX

XEROX® and The Document Company® are trademarks of XEROX CORPORATION. 50 LSC 500

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NBA Results

By The Associated Press
All Times CST

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Orlando	45	14	.763	—
New York	37	19	.661	6 1/2
Boston	24	33	.421	20
New Jersey	23	36	.390	22
Miami	22	35	.386	22
Philadelphia	17	41	.293	27 1/2
Washington	15	42	.263	29
Central Division				
Charlotte	37	22	.627	—
Indiana	34	23	.596	2
Cleveland	33	24	.579	3
Chicago	30	30	.500	7 1/2
Atlanta	28	30	.483	8 1/2
Detroit	22	35	.386	14
Milwaukee	22	37	.373	15

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	42	16	.724	—
San Antonio	39	16	.709	1 1/2
Houston	35	23	.603	7
Denver	26	31	.456	15 1/2
Dallas	22	33	.400	18 1/2
Minnesota	16	42	.276	26
Pacific Division				
Phoenix	45	14	.763	—
Seattle	38	18	.679	5 1/2
L.A. Lakers	36	20	.643	7 1/2
Portland	30	26	.536	13 1/2
Sacramento	29	27	.518	14 1/2
Golden State	17	40	.298	27
L.A. Clippers	11	48	.186	34

Monday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Chicago 103, Portland 83
Golden State 106, Seattle 103
Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, (n)

Tuesday's Games
Boston at New York, 6:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Detroit at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Houston, 7 p.m.
Portland at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Utah at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Bulls 103, Trail Blazers 83

PORTLAND (83): Grant 4-6 0-0 9, B.Williams 3-8 3-5 9, Dudley 2-9 0-0 4, Strickland 5-13 2-3 12, Porter 4-11 0-0 9, Thorpe 7-10 7-10 21, Kersey 6-13 2-2 14, J.Robinson 0-9 0-0 0, Henson 1-2 0-0 2, McKie 0-1 2-4 2, Bryant 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 32-83 17-26 83.

CHICAGO (103): Pippen 5-13 4-8 13, Kukoc 5-10 4-4 15, Perdue 4-6 0-0 8, Armstrong 11-18 2-3 27, Myers 1-2 0-0 2, Blount 1-2 1-2 3, Longley 1-5 0-0 2, Kerr 4-7 2-2 13, Buechler 1-1 0-0 3, Harper 3-5 0-0 6, Simpkins 1-2 3-4 5, Wennington 2-6 0-1 4. Totals 39-77 16-24 103.

Portland	23	17	21	22	— 83
Chicago	20	31	24	28	—103

3-Point goals—Portland 2-9 (Grant 1-1, Porter 1-4, Strickland 0-1, Kersey 0-1, J.Robinson 0-2), Chicago 9-18 (Kerr 3-5, Armstrong 3-7, Kukoc 1-1, Buechler 1-1, Pippen 1-3, Harper 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Portland 58 (Dudley 11), Chicago 48 (Kukoc 7). Assists—Portland 14 (Strickland 7), Chicago 25 (Kukoc, Kerr 6). Total fouls—Portland 24, Chicago 26. Technical—Strickland.

Warriors 106, SuperSonics 103

GOLDEN STATE (106): Marshall 3-16 6-6 12, Wood 4-10 4-6 13, Alexander 8-16 1-2 17, Hardaway 11-24 3-4 31, Sprewell 7-19 12-12 26, Rozier 2-6 0-0 4, Jennings 0-2 3-3 3, Lorthridge 0-0 0-0 0, Morton 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-93 29-33 106.

SEATTLE (103): Kemp 7-12 4-5 18, Schrempf 8-11 5-6 23, Perkins 4-9 2-2 10, Gill 2-6 0-0 4, Payton 9-23 1-2 19, McMillan 2-7 0-4 5, Askew 5-6 0-0 10, Marciulionis 5-11 3-3 14. Totals 42-85 15-22 103.

Golden State	31	22	20	33	— 106
Seattle	21	33	25	24	— 103

3-Point goals—Golden State 7-23 (Hardaway 6-13, Wood 1-1, Jennings 0-1, Marshall 0-2, Sprewell 0-6), Seattle 4-18 (Schrempf 2-3, Marciulionis 1-1, McMillan 1-5, Gill 0-1, Perkins 0-2, Payton 0-6). Fouled out—Alexander. Rebounds—Golden State 59 (Marshall 13), Seattle 53 (Kemp 16). Assists—Golden State 18 (Hardaway 5), Seattle 31 (McMillan 8).

NHL Results

By The Associated Press
All Times CST

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
N.Y. Rangers	12	9	3	27	67	59
Philadelphia	9	9	3	21	65	61
Tampa Bay	9	11	2	20	59	65
New Jersey	8	9	4	20	55	54
N.Y. Islanders	8	10	3	19	52	62
Florida	7	12	3	17	51	66
Washington	6	10	5	17	50	57
Northeast Division						
Quebec	15	4	3	33	87	54
Pittsburgh	15	5	2	32	90	73
Boston	12	7	2	26	65	50
Buffalo	9	7	4	22	47	43
Hartford	8	11	3	19	56	60
Montreal	7	10	4	18	48	65
Ottawa	3	14	3	9	44	67

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Central Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Chicago	14	6	1	29	80	46
Detroit	13	6	1	27	76	43
St. Louis	12	6	1	25	70	53
Toronto	10	10	3	23	65	66
Dallas	9	10	3	21	66	56
Winnipeg	8	11	3	19	63	78
Pacific Division						
Calgary	10	8	4	24	69	53
San Jose	9	10	2	20	48	65
Vancouver	6	7	7	19	64	67
Edmonton	8	12	2	18	57	76
Los Angeles	5	11	4	14	60	83
Anaheim	6	13	1	13	41	73

Monday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Quebec 6, New Jersey 3
N.Y. Rangers 4, Ottawa 3
Dallas 8, Los Angeles 2
Detroit at Vancouver, (n)

Tuesday's Games
Washington at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Quebec at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.
Hartford at N.Y. Islanders, 6:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
Calgary at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Anaheim at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m.

Stars 8, Kings 2

Los Angeles	1	0	1	— 2
Dallas	4	3	1	— 8

First Period—1, Los Angeles, Kurri 6 (Gretzky, Cowie), 1:02. 2, Dallas, Modano 9 (K.Hatcher, Gagner), 4:02. 3, Dallas, Ludwig 1 (Millen, Modano), 5:02. 4, Dallas, Courtnall 5 (D.Hatcher, M.Donnelly), 9:14 (pp). 5, Dallas, M.Donnelly 4 (Courtnall, Ledyard), 15:03.

Second Period—6, Dallas, M.Donnelly 5 (Evason, Courtnall), 11:39. 7, Dallas, Courtnall 6 (Millen, M.Donnelly), 16:32. 8, Dallas, Klatt 8 (K.Hatcher, Gagne), 19:59 (pp). Penalties—Ludwig, Dal (cross-checking), 7:51; Lacroix, LA (goalie interference), 13:04; Conacher, LA (holding), 19:44; Ledyard, Dal (roughing), 20:00; McSorley, LA (roughing), 20:00.

Third Period—9, Los Angeles, Burridge 2 (Blake), 8:52. 10, Dallas, Millen 3 (Cavallini, Courtnall), 15:09 (pp).

Shots on goal—Los Angeles 6-11-6—23. Dallas 12-12-12—36.

Power-play Opportunities—Los Angeles 0 of 3; Dallas 3 of 6.

Goalies—Los Angeles, Fuhr 1-5-1 (24 shots-17 saves), Hrudey (0:00 third, 12-11). Dallas, Wakaluk 4-5-0 (23-21).

Nordiques 6, Devils 3

New Jersey	1	1	1	— 3
Quebec	2	4	0	— 6

First Period—1, Quebec, Nolan 10 (Bassen), 5:07. 2, New Jersey, Stevens 1 (MacLean), 7:27 (pp). 3, Quebec, Nolan 11 (Forsberg, Krupp), 10:16.

Second Period—4, Quebec, Young 7 (Norris, Finn), 3:01. 5, Quebec, Sakic 10 (Clark), 4:20. 6, Quebec, Nolan 12 (Sakic, Krupp), 16:49 (pp). 7, Quebec, Ricci (Simon, Norris), 18:52. 8, New Jersey, Broten 2 (Lemieux, Stevens), 19:25.

Third Period—9, New Jersey, Holik 4 (Richer, Driver), 10:43.

Shots on goal—New Jersey 7-10-12—29. Quebec 8-12-5—25.

Power-play Opportunities—New Jersey 1 of 3; Quebec 1 of 2.

Goalies—New Jersey, Brodeur 7-4-4 (11 shots-7 saves), Terreri (4:20 second period, 14-12). Quebec, Thibault 5-1-2 (29-26).

Rangers 4, Senators 3

Ottawa	1	2	0	— 3
N.Y. Rangers	1	2	1	— 4

First Period—1, Ottawa, Bourque 2 (Huard), 2:52. 2, New York, Leetch 2 (Healy), 14:34.

Second Period—3, Ottawa, Huard 1 (Murray, Pitlick), 1:10. 4, Ottawa, Yashin 12 (Daigle, MacIver), 2:28 (pp). 5, New York, Graves 11 (M.Messier, Kovalev), 5:25. 6, New York, Noonan 7 (M.Messier, Leetch), 9:08 (pp).

Third Period—7, New York.

Shots on goal—Ottawa 10-6-6—24. New York 8-13-12—33.

College Basketball

SWC Standings

	Conference W	L	Pct.	AllGames W L	Pct.
Texas	11	3	.786	20 6	.769
Tex Tech	11	3	.786	18 8	.692
TCU	8	6	.571	16 10	.615
Rice	8	6	.571	14 12	.538
Tex A&M	7	7	.500	14 15	.483
Houston	5	9	.357	8 18	.308
Baylor	3	11	.214	9 19	.321
SMU	3	11	.214	7 19	.269

Top 25 Box

No. 8 UMass 68, St. Joseph's 57

ST. JOSEPH'S (17-11)
Blunt 6-11 6-6 18, Warley 1-5 4-4 6, Townsend 6-11 2-2 14, Myers 1-4 1-2 3, Bass 3-11 4-5 12, Johnson 0-5 0-0 0, Domani 0-2 0-0 0, Bey 1-6 0-1 2, Simmonds 0-2 0-0 0, Petrovic 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 19-58 17-20 57.

MASSACHUSETTS (25-4)
Dingle 4-6 0-2 8, Roe 4-9 3-7 11, Camby 4-11 1-3 9, Padilla 3-9 5-6 12, Kellogg 3-9 1-4 9, Bright 6-9 0-0 12, Weeks 2-4 0-0 4, Travieso 1-5 0-0 3, Nunez 0-0 0-0 0, Germain 0-0 0-0 0, Meyer 0-0 0-0 0, Cottrell 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 27-62 10-22 68.

Halftime—Massachusetts 31, St. Joseph's 24. 3-Point goals—St. Joseph's 2-9 (Bass 2-7, Myers 0-1, Bey 0-1), Massachusetts 4-13 (Kellogg 2-6, Padilla 1-2, Travieso 1-5). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—St. Joseph's 36 (Blunt 8), Massachusetts 46 (Roe 11). Assists—St. Joseph's 8 (Warley 3), Massachusetts 17 (Padilla 5). Total fouls—St. Joseph's 22, Massachusetts 18. Technicals—Warley, Bright. A—8,722.

Scores

MEN

By The Associated Press

TOURNAMENTS

Atlantic 10 Conference
Semifinals
Massachusetts 68, St. Joseph's 57
Temple 47, Rutgers 42

Colonial Athletic Association Championship
Old Dominion 80, James Madison 75

Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Championship
St. Peter's 80, Manhattan 78, OT

Missouri Valley Conference Championship
S. Illinois 77, Tulsa 62

North Atlantic Conference
Semifinals
Drexel 62, Boston U. 53
Northeastern 91, New Hampshire 70

Southland Conference
First Round
NE Louisiana 75, Texas-Arlington 61
Nicholls St. 88, McNeese St. 69
Stephen F. Austin 73, North Texas 72
Texas-San Antonio 89, NW Louisiana 78

WOMEN

Big East Conference Championship
Connecticut 85, Seton Hall 49

Big Eight Championship
Colorado 61, Kansas 45

Big Ten Championship
Penn State 68, Ohio State 63

Mid-Continent Semifinals

NAIA Division I Tournament Mid-South Region Championship
Central St., Ohio 86, Rio Grande 49

Ohio Valley Championship

Southeastern Conference Championship
Vanderbilt 67, Tennessee 61

Southland Conference First Round
NW Louisiana 92, Northeast Louisiana 83

NAIA Division I Tournament Mid-South Region Championship
Central St., Ohio 86, Rio Grande 49
Lynn 85, Emmanuel 68

Top 25 Poll

By The Associated Press

The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through March 5, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Prv
1. UCLA (65)	23-2	1,649	1
2. Kansas (1)	22-4	1,556	3
3. Kentucky	22-4	1,479	5
4. North Carolina	22-4	1,419	2
5. Arkansas	25-5	1,321	7
6. Connecticut	23-3	1,304	4
7. Wake Forest	21-5	1,248	9
8. Massachusetts	24-4	1,202	8
9. Michigan St.	21-4	1,078	10
10. Maryland	23-6	1,074	6
11. Virginia	21-7	1,012	13
12. Arizona	23-6	983	12
13. Villanova	22-7	813	11
14. Purdue	22-6	759	17
15. Mississippi St.	20-6	740	14
16. Oklahoma	22-7	592	16
17. Missouri	19-7	495	19
18. Arizona St.	21-8	487	15
19. Oklahoma St.	20-9	457	18
20. Alabama	20-8	282	21
21. Syracuse	19-8	270	22
22. Utah	24-5	245	—
23. W. Kentucky	25-3	145	—
24. Georgetown	18-8	135	23
25. Oregon	18-7	121	—

Others receiving votes: Iowa St. 108, Stanford 95, Tulsa 64, Memphis 55, Texas 55, Utah St. 36, Xavier, Ohio 33, Minnesota 27, St. Louis 26, Penn 21, Georgia Tech 11, Tulane 10, College of Charleston 7, Georgia 7, Manhattan 6, Temple 6, Virginia Tech 5, Brigham Young 4, Cincinnati 3, Miami, Ohio 2, Murray St. 2, Providence 1.

College Baseball

By The Associated Press

SOUTHWEST
Dallas Baptist 10-15, Evangel 0-3
Evansville 14, Texas-Arlington 5
Lubbock Christian 18, York College 6
St. Cloud St. 3-2, Texas Lutheran 2-10
SW Texas St. 13, Stephen F. Austin 3
West Texas A&M 5, Regis 4

EAST
Swarthmore 9, FDU-Madison 0

SOUTH
Alabama 8, Penn State 0
Appalachian St. 5-7, Catawba 6-6, 2nd game, 8 innings
Auburn 9, N.C.-Greensboro 1
Campbell 9, Wake Forest 4
Chowan 12, Lindenwood 3
Clemson 7, Old Dominion 1
Cumberland, Tenn. 12-7, Lindsey Wilson 0-6
Duke 11, William & Mary 2
Faulkner 15-10, Martin Methodist 5-8
Florida A&M 21, N. Carolina AT&T 8
Fla. International 4-10, Monmouth, N.J. 0-0
Florida St. 8-7, Marshall 0-0
Grambling St. 36-6, Wiley 1-0
Jacksonville 13, Duquesne 11
Nicholls St. 5, Maine 4
NW Louisiana 8, NE Louisiana 7
Rollins 8, Penn 5
Stetson 15, St. Joseph's 7
Valparaiso 7, Tenn. Tech 6
Warner Southern 15, Wheaton 6
William Carey 4, Florida Southern 0

FAR WEST
Pacific, Ore. 13-4, W. Baptist 5-1
Redlands 13, Cal Tech 1

MLB Linescores

By The Associated Press

Astros 9, Reds 7 (11 innings)
At Plant City, Fla.

Hst	**000 400 030 02**	**—9 12 0**
Cin	**100 010 401 00**	**—7 9 0**

Underwood, Shrum (3), Simone (5), Kester (6), Bhaver (7), Diorio (8), Westbrook (9), Hingle (10), Duke (11), and Morales, Skeels (4), Gilmore (7); Reed, Doyle (4), Quillin (5), Mosley (6), Donnelly (7), Prosser (8), Burgos (8), Allen (10) and Knapp, Sellers (8). W—Hingle, 1-0. L—Allen, 0-1. Sv—Duke (1). HRs—Houston, Jordan (1). Cincinnati, Jones (1). TS—1,006. A—NA.

Kary Bridges and Mike Rennhack had two hits apiece for the Astros. Cincinnati's Chris Vasquez had three hits and two RBIs and Tom Doyle gave up four runs on three hits in inning of relief.

Rangers 12, Twins 5
At Fort Myers, Fla.

Texas	**000 620 220**	**—12 12 4**
Minn	**203 000 000**	**—5 7 3**

Davidson, Kimel (3), Castillo (6), Savage (8) and Rolls; Warren, Wray (4), Traen (5), Fandel (7), Otto (9) and Skeels. W—Kimel, 1-0. L—Wray, 0-1. HR—Minnesota, Brady (1). TS—2,500. A—NA.

Jose Texidor had two hits and two RBIs and Jackie Davidson allowed five runs on four hits and two walks for the Rangers. Minnesota's James Wray gave up six runs on five hits and one walk in one inning of relief.

Braves 5, Mets 0
At West Palm Beach, Fla.

NY (N)	**000 000 000**	**—0 0 1**
Atlanta	**000 23000x**	**—5 8 0**

Stoddard, Killingsworth (3), Coghen (5), Rosenthal (6), Pierorazio (7), Cosman (8), and Parker, Tijerna (6); Alvarez, Harrison (4), Moran (6), K.Brown (8), D.Brown (9) and Garcia, Clemens (6). W—Harrison, 1-0. L—Killingsworth, 0-1. HR—Atlanta, Grijak (1). TS—1,870. A—870 (est.).

Atlanta's Jose Alvarez walked one and struck out two in three hitless innings as the Braves no-hit the New York Mets. Bob Stoddard pitched two perfect innings for New York.

Dodgers 9, Marlins 0
At Vero Beach, Fla.

Florida	**001 000000**	**— 1 5 3**
Los Angeles	**501 21000x**	**— 9 12 2**

Fireovid, McKeon (1), Touchet (4), Collins (6), Lemon (8), and Crawford; Treadwell, Pyc (5), McCarthy (7), Mimbs (9) and Dandridge, Wittig (7). W—Treadwell, 1-0. L—Fireovid, 0-1. HRs—Florida, McMillon (1). Los Angeles, Landrum 2 (2), Butterfield (1). TS—1,465. A—NA.

Keith Johnson and Jay Kirkpatrick had two hits apiece to lead the Dodgers. Jody Treadwell allowed one run on four hits and one walk, while striking out three in four innings. Florida's Steve Fireovid gave up five runs on six hits in two-thirds of an inning.

Phillies 3, Blue Jays 2
At Clearwater, Fla.

Toronto	**000 000 002**	**—2 6 1**
Philadelphia	**000 000 30x**	**—3 7 0**

Tilmon, Bicknell (4), Towey (6), Spring (7), Sharts (8) and Osuna, Gay (8); Dixon, Linskey (3), Shanahan (5), Lankard (7), Dunn (8), Niles (9) and Cipollini. W—Lankard, 1-0. L—Towey, 0-1. Sv—Niles (1). TS—1,753. A—NA.

Steve Towey allowed three runs, one hit and two walks in 1 1-3 innings of relief for the Blue Jays. Philadelphia's Jeff Stone and Joe Cipolloni had two hits apiece. Ken Dixon walked two and struck out three in two-hitless innings for the Phillies.

White Sox 6, Pirates 2
At Bradenton, Fla.

Chicago (A)	**002031 000**	**— 6 8 3**
Pittsburgh	**000100 010**	**— 2 7 1**

Johnston, Taylor (4), Davis (5), Smith (6), Call (8) and Ortiz, Izquierdo (6); Pfaff, Boudreau (3), Hampton (4), Kivac (5), Ayrault (7), Aldrich (8), Pettiford (9) and Rosado, McConnell (6). W—Johnston, 1-0. L—Boudreau, 0-2. HR—Chicago, Anderson (1). TS—1,217. A—600 (est.).

Orsino Hill had two hits and two RBIs and Sean Johnston allowed one hit and struck out one to lead the White Sox. Pittsburgh's Omer Munoz had two hits and David Kivac gave up four runs on four hits in two innings of relief.

Cardinals 4, Indians 3
At Winter Haven, Fla.

St. Louis	**100 110001**	**—4 8 1**
Cleveland	**000 010002**	**—3 7 3**

Anderson, Pierson (4), Long (6), Gledhill (7), Myers (8), Surratt (9) and Ellis, Hall (6); Slusarski, Simms (4), Brown (7), Chapin (9) and Kuld, Campbell (5). W—Anderson, 1-0. L—Slusarski, 0-1. HRs—St. Louis, Diggs (1). Cleveland, Sarbaugh (1), Hood (1). TS—1,576. A—NA.

Paul Anderson allowed two hits and struck out two in three scoreless innings for the Cardinals. Cleveland's Rob Nelson had two hits and Mark Simms gave up two runs on five hits and two walks in three innings.

Yankees 10, Expos 6
At Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Montreal	**001 101 102**	**— 6 8 4**
N Y (A)	**000301 06x**	**—10 10 4**

Farmer, Boynewicz (3), Botkin (5), Clelland (7), Stubbs (9) and Pages. Herrenan (5), Allen (7); Eufemia, Faw (4), Perpetuo (6), Canestro (8) and Kroeger, Simonds (7), Epps (9). W—Canestro, 1-0. L—Clelland, 0-1. HR—Montreal, Cooper (1). TS—942. A—NA.

Frank Eufemia gave up one run on one hit and one walk, while striking out out six in three innings for the Yankees. Montreal's Rick Clelland gave up four runs on two hits and one walk in 1 1-3 innings.

Twins 6 Red Sox 5
At Fort Myers, Fla.

Minnesota (ss)	**100121001**	**—6 11 1**
Boston	**010022000**	**—5 10 2**

Wohler, White (4), Kizziah (6), Fischer (8) and Wedvick; Elli, Cain (4), Rowland (6), Young (8) and Fulton, Stasio (7). W—Fischer, 1-0. L—Young, 0-1. HR—Boston, Robinson (1). TS—2,283. A—NA.

Brad Komminsk and Bubba Smith had two RBIs apiece and Greg Hunter added three hits for the Twins. Boston's Darryl Robinson had three hits and two RBIs and Rocky Elli allowed one run on three hits in three innings.

Tigers 8, Royals 4
At Lakeland, Fla.

Kansas City	**000010030**	**—4 8 3**
Detroit	**10302200x**	**—8 9 0**

Lind, Paskievitch (4), Munoz (6), Browning (8), and Siwa, Nelson (8); Caparrelli, Stephens (4), Pettibone (6), Fowlkes (8), Braley (9) and Wyngarden. W—Caparrelli, 1-0. L—Lind, 0-1. HR—Kansas City, Schulz (1). TS—2,000. A—1,400 (est.).

Brett Wyngarden had two hits and two RBIs to lead the Tigers. Kansas City's Steve Kiefer had two hits and Orlando Lind allowed four runs on six hits in three innings.

Giants 10, Padres 7
At Peoria, Ariz.

San Fran	**100 311 013**	**—10 12 1**
San Diego	**000 030 031**	**—7 14 3**

Henrickson, Rosenbohm (3), Keith (5), Schramm (5), Smith (7), Diaz (8), Richey (8), Wanke (9) and Bailey. Mayes (7); Galindez, Isom (3), Kindler (5), Harrison (7), Schlutt (9) and Campanis, Schula (5). W—Henrickson, 1-0. L—Galindez, 0-1. TS—1,526. A—612.

Mike McDonald had two hits and scored two runs to lead the Giants. German Diaz gave up four hits and three runs without retiring a batter. San Diego's Keith Thomas had two doubles.

Brewers 11, Mariners 7
At Chandler, Ariz.

Seattle	**000 050002**	**— 7 12 3**
Mil	**20002025x**	**—11 14 2**

Perry, Weisner (3), D.Sullivan (5), Fetty (7), Carrasco (8), Miglio (8) and Sealy, Cardenas (5); McAndrew, Montoya (3), Kopitske (5), Mercado (5), Farrell (7), Popplewell (9) and Sutko, Kappesser (7). W—Mercado, 1-0. L—Fetty, 0-1. HR—Milwaukee, Aldrete (2). TS—1,388. A—NA.

Rich Aldrete had four hits and three RBIs to lead the Brewers. Gabe Mercado gave up three unearned runs in 1 2-3 innings of relief. Seattle's Johnny Cardenas had two hits and Carlos Carrasco allowed five runs on four hits in two-thirds of an inning.

Indy 500 Entries

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Entries so far for the May 28 Indianapolis 500, listing driver, hometown or country, car chassis-engine and team entrant (w-former winner; r-rookie; entry deadline is midnight, March 31):

1. Stan Fox, Janesville, Wis., 1995 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by Hemelgarn Racing, Indianapolis.

2. r-Davey Hamilton, Boise, Idaho, 1994 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by Hemelgarn.

3. No driver listed, 1994 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by Hemelgarn.

4-5. r-Eliseo Salazar, Chile, 1995 Lola-Ford Cosworth and 1994 Lola-Ford Cosworth, by Dick Simon Racing, Indianapolis.

6-7. Davy Jones, Lake Tahoe, Nev., 1995 Lola-Ford Cosworth and 1994 Lola-Ford Cosworth, by Jonathan Byrd-Dick Simon Racing, Indianapolis.

8-9. Dean Hall, Squaw Valley, Calif., 1995 Lola-Ford Cosworth and 1994 Lola-Ford Cosworth, by Simon.

10. w-Danny Sullivan, Aspen, Colo., 1995 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by PacWest Racing, Bellevue, Wash.

11. Mauricio Gugelmin, Brazil, 1995 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by PacWest.

12. Dominic Dobson, Bellevue, Wash., 1995 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by PacWest.

13. No driver listed, 1995 Reynard-Ford Cosworth, by PacWest.

14-16. r-Gil de Ferran, Brazil, two 1995 Reynard-Mercedes and one 1994 Reynard-Mercedes, by Hall Racing, Midland, Texas.

Summary

Cars (16)

Chassis—1995 Reynard 7, 1995 Lola 3, 1994 Reynard 3, 1994 Lola 3.

Engines—Ford Cosworth 13, Mercedes 3.

Record entries—117 (1984).

Last year entries—109.

Drivers (9)

Former winners—Danny Sullivan (1985).

Rookies—Davey Hamilton, Eliseo Salazar, Gil de Ferran.

Foreign born—Eliseo Salazar, Chile; Mauricio Gugelmin, Brazil; Dominic Dobson, Germany; Gil de Ferran, France.

Youngest—Gil de Ferran, 28.

Oldest—Danny Sullivan, 45.

NASCAR Leaders

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The top 20 drivers and money winners on the NASCAR Winston Cup circuit following the March 5 Pontiac Excitement 400:

Points

1, Dale Earnhardt, 520. 2, Sterling Martin, 467. 3, Mark Martin, 458. 4, Terry Labonte, 412. 5, Dale Jarrett, 398. 6, Ricky Rudd, 389. 7, Derrike Cope, 367. 8, Michael Waltrip, 361. 9, Dick Trickle, 354. 10, Ward Burton, 353.

11, Ken Schrader, 349. 12, Ted Musgrave, 348. 13, Jeff Gordon, 347. 14, John Andretti, 345. 15, Bill Elliott, 339. 16, Geoff Bodine, 333. 17, Rusty Wallace, 327. 18, Kyle Petty, 325. 19, Bobby Labonte, 321. 20, Morgan Shepherd, 318.

Prize Money

1, Sterling Marlin, $403,135. 2, Dale Earnhardt, $367,690. 3, Jeff Gordon, $306,365. 4, Mark Martin, $218,100. 5, Terry Labonte, $192,005. 6, Dale Jarrett, $178,305. 7, Ted Musgrave, $163,665. 8, Ricky Rudd, $129,750. 9, Michael Waltrip, $126,180. 10, Bobby Labonte, $124,995. 11, Rusty Wallace, $121,530. 12, Ken Schrader, $118,445. 13, Geoff Bodine, $117,225. 14, Morgan Shepherd, $104,815. 15, Kyle Petty, $103,175. 16, Todd Bodine, $103,005. 17, Dick Trickle, $101,940. 18, Darrell Waltrip, $99,270. 19, Brett Bodine, $97,825. 20, Loy Allen, $95,015.

Transactions

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL

American League

NEW YORK YANKEES—Agreed to terms with Guillermo Hernandez, pitcher, on a minor-league contract.

TEXAS RANGERS—Released Craig Colbert, catcher.

Northeast League

ALBANY-COLONIE DIAMOND DOGS—Signed Craig Farmer and Scott Gully, pitchers; Lee Cormier outfielder; and Mateo Ozuna, infielder.

Atlantic Coast League

ACL—Named Brian Keegan assistant director of player personnel.

Northern League

SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS—Announced that James Wambach, first baseman-outfielder, has signed with the Chicago White Sox.

Western League

PALM SPRINGS SUNS—Signed Steve Gay and Frank Rubio, pitchers, and Francisco Santana, catcher.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Signed Fred Roberts, forward, to a second 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Agreed to terms with J.J. Birden, wide receiver.

DENVER BRONCOS—Signed Lionel Washington and Tim Hauck, defensive backs.

NEW YORK JETS—Signed Lavar Ball, tight end, and Alan Allen, wide receiver and loaned them to the London Monarchs of the World League.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Named John Hinek, director of college scouting, business manager, and announced he will also continue his scouting duties.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Signed Clarence Verdin, kick returner-wide receiver, to a two-year contract.

Arena Football League

MILWAUKEE MUSTANGS—Signed Kendall Chaffin, lineman.

TAMPA BAY STORM—Signed Brent White, lineman.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

MONTREAL CANADIENS—Recalled Craig Darby, center, from Fredericton of the American Hockey League. Sent Gerry Fleming, left wing, to Fredericton.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Traded Craig Janney, center, to the San Jose Sharks for Jeff Norton, defenseman, a fourth-round draft pick in 1997 and future considerations.

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Assigned Rich Sutter, right wing, to Atlanta of the International Hockey League.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Assigned Ken Belanger, left wing, to St. John's of the American Hockey League.

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Assigned Ken Klee, defenseman, to Portland of the American Hockey League.

COLLEGE

LSU—Extended the contract of Sue Gunter, women's basketball coach, for one year through the 1995-96 season.

SAN JOSE STATE—Named Steve Alexakos offensive line coach, Mike Church defensive coordinator and Richard Rodgers defensive backs coach.

STANFORD—Named Mose Rison wide receivers coach and Phil Zacharias defensive line and special temas coach.

TENNESSEE—Named Andy McCollum linebackers coach.

UCLA—Named Don Riley offensive line coach.

Evert Cup

INDIAN WELLS, Calif. (AP) — Results Monday in the $430,000 State Farm Evert Cup women's tennis tournament at the Hyatt Grand Champions Resort (seedings in parentheses):

Singles

Final

Mary Joe Fernandez (6), Miami, def. Natasha Zvereva (4), Belarus, 6-4, 6-3.

Doubles

Final

Lindsay Davenport, Murrieta, Calif., and Lisa Raymond, Wayne, Pa., (2) def. Arantxa Sanchez Vicario, Spain, and Larisa Neiland, Latvia (1), 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.

PGA Money Leaders

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — PGA Tour money leaders through the Doral Ryder Open, which ended March 5:

	Trn	Money
1. Peter Jacobsen	6	$608,751
2. Kenny Perry	7	$430,927
3. David Duval	6	$359,821
4. Nick Faldo	5	$318,703
5. Steve Elkington	6	$291,310
6. Vijay Singh	5	$266,361
7. Phil Mickelson	6	$265,763
8. Corey Pavin	5	$251,456
9. John Morse	6	$238,707
10. Mark Calcavecchia	7	$181,447
11. Scott Simpson	6	$181,020
12. Davis Love III	5	$176,137
13. Bruce Lietzke	4	$161,733
14. Ben Crenshaw	6	$155,175
15. Tom Lehman	4	$153,850
16. Billy Mayfair	6	$153,777
17. Jim Furyk	7	$152,360
18. Greg Norman	2	$152,000
19. Jim Gallagher, Jr.	6	$147,777
20. Craig Stadler	6	$140,060
21. Steve Lowery	7	$139,840
22. Bill Glasson	5	$139,727
23. Jay Don Blake	7	$133,257
24. Mike Hulbert	6	$129,541
25. Payne Stewart	5	$127,793
26. Kirk Triplett	6	$124,449
27. Hal Sutton	6	$121,292
28. John Huston	6	$119,635
29. Duffy Waldorf	6	$118,968
30. Dillard Pruitt	6	$117,189
31. Hale Irwin	5	$116,203
32. Steve Stricker	6	$112,003
33. Mark Brooks	7	$111,593
34. Mark O'Meara	6	$100,336
35. Dan Pohl	5	$100,015
36. Woody Austin	8	$97,560
37. Joe Ozaki	5	$97,543
38. Justin Leonard	7	$91,352
39. Brandel Chamblee	5	$86,668
40. John Adams	5	$83,382
41. Bob Estes	6	$78,104
42. Bob Tway	6	$76,104
43. Tommy Tolles	4	$74,860
44. Brett Ogle	3	$74,850
45. Curtis Strange	6	$73,491
46. Robert Gamez	5	$72,510
47. Donnie Hammond	5	$70,948
48. Guy Boros	8	$70,262
49. Paul Azinger	5	$68,962
50. Rick Fehr	6	$66,438
51. Steve Jones	7	$65,253
52. Brian Kamm	6	$61,440
53. Blaine McCallister	5	$60,210
54. Tom Purtzer	5	$58,090
55. Nolan Henke	6	$58,007
56. Jim Carter	7	$57,082
57. Tommy Armour III	6	$56,529
58. Jay Haas	6	$56,400
59. Brad Faxon	5	$55,911
60. Andrew Magee	6	$55,723
61. Tom Kite	6	$55,628
62. Jeff Sluman	6	$52,922
63. Chip Beck	6	$52,340
64. Don Pooley	5	$51,749
65. Mark McCumber	2	$50,650
66. Fred Couples	2	$50,310
67. Ronnie Black	7	$50,218
68. Scott Hoch	6	$50,180
69. Emlyn Aubrey	6	$49,846
70. Brian Henninger	7	$49,730
71. Tom Watson	3	$49,433
72. Lennie Clements	6	$48,153
73. Lanny Wadkins	6	$47,843
74. Harry Taylor	6	$47,697
75. Loren Roberts	6	$47,251
76. Jack Nicklaus	2	$46,900
77. Kelly Gibson	6	$46,639
78. Grant Waite	7	$46,225
79. David Ogrin	6	$44,163
80. Lee Janzen	6	$44,135
81. John Wilson	7	$44,031
82. Jodie Mudd	5	$43,200
83. Tray Tyner	7	$43,175
84. Fred Funk	7	$41,769
85. Bob Lohr	6	$40,690
86. Paul Stankowski	8	$40,277
87. Keith Fergus	4	$39,368
88. Fuzzy Zoeller	3	$38,960
89. Mike Heinen	7	$37,654
90. Steve Pate	6	$36,431
91. Neal Lancaster	6	$35,334
92. Michael Bradley	6	$35,104
93. Mike Reid	5	$34,205
94. Jesper Parnevik	6	$33,225
95. David Ishii	2	$31,200
96. Bart Bryant	5	$31,134
97. Russ Cochran	7	$30,438
98. Dave Barr	5	$30,339
99. Scott Verplank	4	$29,717
100. Fulton Allem	2	$29,400
101. Dennis Paulson	7	$29,366
102. Lee Rinker	5	$28,752
103. Patrick Burke	6	$28,470
104. Dudley Hart	7	$28,174
105. Mike Sullivan	5	$28,160
106. John Daly	6	$28,013
107. Brad Bryant	6	$27,282
108. David Edwards	5	$24,909
109. Bruce Vaughan	7	$23,754
110. Scott Gump	7	$23,703
111. Yoshinori Mizumaki	6	$23,624
112. Bobby Wadkins	8	$23,071
113. Ed Humenik	7	$22,380
114. John Cook	6	$21,829
115. Jeff Maggert	4	$21,799
116. David Feherty	6	$21,333
117. Jerry Haas	6	$21,008
118. Dan Forsman	5	$20,840
119. Pete Jordan	2	$20,181
120. J.P. Hayes	4	$20,016
121. Robin Freeman	7	$19,936
122. Skip Kendall	7	$19,181
123. Chris Perry	7	$18,892
124. Larry Mize	3	$18,882
125. Danny Briggs	2	$18,815
126. Charlie Rymer	6	$18,660
127. Gil Morgan	6	$18,610
128. Brian Claar	7	$18,248
129. Dicky Pride	6	$18,125
130. Brad Sherfy	3	$18,112

PGA Tour Champs

By The Associated Press

PGA Tour

Jan. 5-8 — Mercedes Championships (Steve Elkington)
Jan. 12-15 — Hawaiian Open (John Morse)
Jan. 19-22 — Northern Telecom Open (Phil Mickelson)
Jan. 26-29 — Phoenix Open (Vijay Singh)
Feb. 2-5 — Pebble Beach National Pro-Am (Peter Jacobsen)
Feb. 9-12 — Buick Invitational (Peter Jacobsen)
Feb. 15-19 — Bob Hope Classic (Kenny Perry)
Feb. 23-26 — Nissan Open (Corey Pavin)
March 2-5 — Doral Ryder Open (Nick Faldo)
March 9-12 — Honda Classic, Weston Hills C.C., Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
March 16-19 — Nestle Invitational, Bay Hill Club & Lodge, Orlando, Fla.
March 23-26 — Players Championship, TPC at Sawgrass, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
March 30-April 2 — Freeport-McMoRan Classic, English Turn G. & C.C., New Orleans
April 6-9 — Masters, Augusta National G.C., Augusta, Ga.
April 13-16 — Heritage Classic, Harbour Town G.L., Hilton Head Island, S.C.
April 20-23 — Greater Greensboro Open, Forest Oaks C.C., Greensboro, N.C.
April 27-30 — Houston Open, TPC at The Woodlands, The Woodlands, Texas.
May 4-7 — BellSouth Classic, Atlanta C.C., Marietta, Ga.
May 11-14 — Byron Nelson Classic, TPC at Las Colinas, Irving, Texas
May 18-21 — Buick Classic, Westchester C.C., Rye, N.Y.
May 25-28 — Colonial National Invitation, Colonial C.C., Fort Worth, Texas.
June 1-4 — Memorial, Muirfield Village G.C., Dublin, Ohio
June 8-11 — Kemper Open, TPC at Avenel, Potomac, Md.
June 15-18 — U.S. Open, Shinnecock Hills, Southampton, N.Y.
June 22-25 — Greater Hartford Open, TPC at River Highlands, Cromwell, Conn.
June 29-July 2 — St. Jude Classic, TPC at Southwind, Memphis, Tenn.
July 6-9 — Western Open, Cog Hill G. & C.C., Lemont, Ill.
July 13-16 — Anheuser-Busch Classic, Kingsmill G.C., Williamsburg, Va.
July 20-23 — British Open, The Old Course at St. Andrew's, St. Andrews, Scotland
July 20-23 — Deposit Guaranty Classic, Annandale G.C., Madison, Miss.
July 27-30 — New England Classic, Pleasant Valley C.C., Sutton, Mass.
Aug. 3-6 — Buick Open, Warwick Hills G. & C.C., Grand Blanc, Mich.
Aug. 10-13 — PGA Championship, Riviera C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif.
Aug. 17-20 — International, Castle Pines G.C., Castle Rock, Colo.
Aug. 24-27 — World Series of Golf, Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio.
Aug. 31-Sept. 3 — Greater Milwaukee Open, Brown Deer Park G.C., Milwaukee
Sept. 7-10 — Canadian Open, Glen Abbey G.C., Oakville, Ontario
Sept. 14-17 — B.C. Open, En-Joie G.C., Endicott, N.Y.
Sept. 21-24 — Quad Cities Open, Oakwood C.C., Coal Valley, Ill.
Sept. 22-24 — The Ryder Cup, Oak Hill C.C., Rochester, N.Y.
Sept. 28-Oct. 1 — Southern Open, Callaway Gardens Resort, Pine Mountain, Ga.
Oct. 5-8 — Walt Disney World Open, Magnolia, Palm, Lake Buena Vista G.C., Orlando, Fla.
Oct. 11-15 — Las Vegas Invitational, TPC at Summerlin, Las Vegas
Oct. 19-22 — Texas Open, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio
Oct. 26-29 — THE TOUR Championship, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.
Nov. 2-5 — Kapalua International, The Plantation & Bay Courses at Kapalua, Lahaina, Hawaii
Nov. 9-12 — The World Cup of Golf, Mission Hills G.C., Shenzhen, China
Nov. 17-19 — Shark Shootout, Sherwood C.C., Thousand Oaks, Calif.
Nov. 25-26 — Skins Game, site TBA.
Nov. 30-Dec. 3 — JCPenney Classic, Innisbrook Hilton Resort, Palm Harbor, Fla.
Dec. 7-10 — Diners Club Matches, PGA West Jack Nicklaus Resort Course, La Quinta, Calif.
Dec. 30-31 — World Championship of Golf, Grayhawk G.C., Scottsdale, Ariz.

Senior PGA Tour

Jan. 13-15 — Tournament of Champions (Jim Colbert)
Jan. 27-29 — Senior Skins (Raymond Floyd)
Feb. 3-5 — Royal Caribbean Classic (J.C. Snead)
Feb. 9-12 — The Challenge (Bob Murphy)
Feb. 17-19 — Suncoast Classic (Dave Stockton)
Feb. 24-26 — Chrysler Cup (United States)
March 3-5 — FHP Health Care Classic (Bruce Devlin)
March 6-7 — Senior Slam of Golf, Cabo del Sol G.C., Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
March 10-12 — The Dominion, The Dominion C.C., San Antonio
March 17-19 — Toshiba Classic, Mesa Verde C.C., Costa Mesa, Calif.
March 24-26 — American Express Grand Slam, Oak Hill C.C., Chiba, Japan
March 30-April 2 — The Tradition, Desert Mountain, Scottsdale, Ariz.
April 13-16 — PGA Seniors Championship, PGA National G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
April 21-23 — Liberty Mutual Legends of Golf, Stadium Course at TPC West, La Quinta, Calif.
April 27-30 — Las Vegas Classic, TPC at Summerlin, Las Vegas
May 4-7 — PaineWebber Invitational, TPC at Piper Glen, Charlotte, N.C.
May 11-14 — Cadillac NFL Classic, Upper Montclair C.C., Clifton, N.J.
May 17-21 — Bell Atlantic Classic, Chester Valley G.C., Malvern, Pa.
May 26-28 — Quicksilver Classic, Quicksilver G.C., Midway, Pa.
June 2-4 — Bruno's Memorial Classic, Greystone G.C., Birmingham, Ala.
June 8-11 — Senior Classic at Opryland, Springhouse G.C., Nashville, Tenn.
June 16-18 — Reunion Pro-Am, Oak Cliff C.C., Dallas
June 22-25 — Nationwide Championship, Golf Club of Georgia, Alpharetta, Ga.
June 29-July 2 — U.S. Senior Open, Congressional C.C., Bethesda, Md.
July 7-9 — Kroger Classic, The Golf Center at Kings Island, Mason, Ohio
July 13-16 — Ford Senior Players Championship, TPC of Michigan, Dearborn, Mich.
July 21-23 — First of America Classic, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich.
July 27-30 — Senior British Open, Belfast, Northern Ireland
July 28-30 — Ameritech Open, Stonebridge C.C., Aurora, Ill.
Aug. 4-6 — VFW Championship, Loch Lloyd C.C., Belton, Mo.
Aug. 11-13 — Burnet Classic, Bunker Hills G.C., Coon Rapids, Minn.
Aug. 18-20 — Northville Long Island Classic, Meadow Brook Club, Jericho, N.Y.
Aug. 25-27 — Bank of Boston Classic, Nashawtuc C.C., Concord, Mass.
Sept. 1-3 — Franklin Quest Championship, Park Meadows, Park City, Utah
Sept. 7-10 — GTE Northwest Classic, Inglewood C.C., Bothell, Wash.
Sept. 15-17 — Brickyard Crossing Championship, Brickyard Crossing, Indianapolis
Sept. 22-24 — Bank One Classic, Kearney Hill Links, Lexington, Ky.
Sept. 29-Oct. 1 — Vantage Championship, Tanglewood Park, Clemmons, N.C.
Oct. 6-8 — Transamerica Championship, Silverado C.C., Napa, Calif.
Oct. 13-15 — Raley's Gold Rush, Rancho Murrieta C.C., Rancho Murrieta, Calif.
Oct. 20-22 — Ralph's Classic, Rancho Park G.C., Los Angeles
Oct. 27-29 — Kaanapali Classic, Kaanapali G.C., Lahaina, Hawaii
Nov. 3-5 — Emerald Coast Classic, The Moors, Milton, Fla.
Nov. 9-12 — Senior TOUR Championship, The Dunes Golf & Beach Club, Myrtle Beach, S.C.
Dec. 8-10 — Diners Club Matches, PGA West Jack Nicklaus Resort

PGA Statistics

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — PGA Tour statistical leaders through the Doral Ryder Open, which ended March 5:

Scoring Leaders

1, Peter Jacobsen, 69.48. 2, Steve Elkington, 69.88. 3 (tie), Mark Calcavecchia and Davis Love III, 69.89. 5, David Duval, 70.00. 6 (tie), Tom Lehman and Jim Furyk, 70.06. 8, Dan Pohl, 70.17. 9, 3 tied at 70.22.

Driving Leaders

1, Dennis Paulson, 282.8 yards. 2, John Daly, 282.4. 3, Dan Pohl, 280.1. 4, Vijay Singh, 278.9. 5, Davis Love III, 277.5. 6, Joe Ozaki, 276.3. 7, David Duval, 275.3. 8, Kelly Gibson, 274.3. 9, John Adams, 273.8. 10, Steve Stricker, 273.7.

Driving Accuracy

1, Bruce Lietzke, 83.9 percent. 2, Fred Funk, 82.0. 3, Mark Carnevale, 80.7. 4, Nick Faldo, 78.9. 5, Tray Tyner, 78.8. 6 (tie), Lennie Clements and Hal Sutton, 78.5. 8, Doug Tewell, 77.9. 9, Hale Irwin, 77.7. 10, David Edwards, 77.5.

Greens in Regulation

1, Bart Bryant, 77.8 percent. 2, Peter Jacobsen, 76.8. 3, Scott Simpson, 76.0. 4, Dan Pohl, 75.9. 5, John Adams, 75.3. 6 (tie), Mark O'Meara and Tom Purtzer, 74.7. 8, Emlyn Aubrey, 74.6. 9, 3 tied at 74.4.

Total Driving

1, Tommy Armour III, 54. 2, Hal Sutton, 59. 3, Grant Waite, 60. 4, Scott Verplank, 65. 5, Peter Jacobsen, 70. 6, Duffy Waldorf, 72. 7, Dan Pohl, 73. 8 (tie), Brian Kamm and Joe Acosta, 77. 10, Fuzzy Zoeller, 79.

Putting Leaders

1, Jim Furyk, 1.707. 2, Scott Verplank, 1.709. 3, Neal Lancaster, 1.713. 4, Donnie Hammond, 1.716. 5 (tie), Bob Estes and Corey Pavin, 1.719. 7, J.P. Hayes, 1.723. 8, Hal Sutton, 1.725. 9, Brad Faxon, 1.726. 10, Bob Tway, 1.727.

Birdie Leaders

1, Jim Furyk, 128. 2, Mark Calcavecchia, 122. 3, Steve Lowery, 117. 4, David Duval, 116. 5, Woody Austin, 112. 6, Mark O'Meara, 105. 7 (tie), Bob Estes, Kenny Perry and Steve Stricker, 102. 10, Scott Simpson.

Injury-riddled Warriors prolong Sonics' losing

The Associated Press

TACOMA, Wash. — Tim Hardaway scored 31 points, including a tie-breaking 3-pointer with 1:06 left, and Latrell Sprewell added 26 to lead Golden State to a 106-103 victory over Seattle on Monday night.

■ NBA

Because of injuries, interim coach Bob Lanier dressed only nine Warriors and Victor Alexander fouled out with 1:27 left. Hardaway's sixth 3-pointer of the game came from about five feet behind the 3-point line and broke a 97-97 tie to help Golden State break a six-game losing streak.

The SuperSonics, losing their third game in four starts, were led by Detlef Schrempf's 23 points.

Bulls 103, Trail Blazers 83

CHICAGO — B.J. Armstrong scored a season-high 27 points and reserve Steve Kerr added 13 when Chicago used superior perimeter play to offset Portland's power.

Kerr usually replaces Armstrong during games, but Bulls coach Phil Jackson used them together for long stretches and was rewarded with Armstrong's 11-of-18 shooting and Kerr's 4-of-7.

Each made three of Chicago's nine 3-pointers as the Bulls won their sixth straight home game despite getting beaten 47-39 on the boards.

To beat Ty Murray dream come true for Huntsville cowboy Beaver

HOUSTON (AP) — Joe Beaver is accustomed to winning rodeos but his triumph over defending champion Ty Murray at the just-completed Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is a dream come true.

"I used to come to this rodeo with my father when I was 10 or 11 years old and dream about being a champion here," said Beaver, a Huntsville resident who clinched the all-around title Saturday night.

"I consider this my hometown rodeo, and there's nothing more special than winning at home in front of family and friends," he said.

The victory was worth more than $34,000 to Beaver and pushed his career winnings to nearly $1 million. The all-around bonus paid $25,000 alone.

"I grew up coming here," he said. "I got to see a lot of people, some of them I haven't seen in 10 years. Now I can tell them I finally won here."

Murray, a six-time defending world champion all-around cowboy, finished second in bull riding, a prize worth $5,807.

"I've been kidding Ty for years about stealing all that gold from me," Beaver said. "I finally got him."

The Houston victory came on the heels of success at the San Antonio rodeo, where the 29-year-old Beaver won a $20,000 pickup truck and the all-around title.

Beaver has been a man on a mission since he came up $14 short last year from winning a sixth world calf roping title at the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas.

In late December, a time of year usually reserved for rest after the National Finals, he Beaver worked out daily.

"I hadn't roped and tied like that in 10 years," said Beaver, who plans to put his all-around bonus in a growth fund for his 4-year-old son Brody. "Losing last year may be the best thing that ever happened to me."

Murray needed a score of 81 to win the Houston bull riding championship, but managed only a 77. The three-time Houston all-around champion did not qualify for the finals in the saddle bronc or bareback riding events.

More Sports/1D

LOCAL SPORTS

Lady Bulldogs top Coahoma

Jennifer Shelton went 4-for-4 at the plate and got the win on the mound Monday in Midland High's 13-5 softball win over Coahoma at the Bill Williams Softball Complex. The Lady Bulldogs (8-3) fell behind 5-0 but scored four runs in the bottom of the third inning and shut out Coahoma (2-1) the rest of the way for the non-district win.

"They're a scrappy team and I knew going in we'd have a tough one," MHS coach Sherri Culwell said. "Sure enough they jumped on us early."

But Midland High took the lead with two runs in the fourth frame and scored twice again in the fifth and five times in the sixth. Shelton (2-2) had three RBIs and got seven strike outs while allowing six hits and six base on balls. Sheila Vines had two hits and three RBIs for MHS, Jessica Moss had a hit and two RBIs and Jennifer Thompson had two RBIs on one hit. The Lady Bulldogs get back to District 6-5A action Saturday at Odessa High.

MCHS baseball beats Westbrook

Alex Awtry had two doubles and John Koss hurled a win as Midland Christian beat Westbrook Monday at Christensen Stadium 15-7. Koss goes to 1-0 on the year and the Mustangs improve to 3-2. Colby Lee got the save for Midland Christian while Cary and Craig Patteson had doubles. Chris Patteson, Alex and Allan Awtry had three hits each.

The Mustangs play next at Hawley today at 4 p.m.

MHS JV tops Lee baseball

Edward Hinijosa singled home Kyle Cox in the bottom of the seventh and last inning Monday to give the Midland High junior varsity baseball team a 7-6 win over the Midland Lee JV. The Bulldogs scored three runs in the bottom of the sixth to tie the game at 6-6. Clyde Tedrick started for MHS and struck out seven while Russell Dunlavy got the Bulldogs' win in relief.

Dunlavy also had two RBIs in the game played at Zachery Field that moved MHS' record to 3-4. Other RBIs for the Bulldogs were Hector Morales (2) and one each for Mike Carrasco, Dasniel Christenson and Hinijosa.

Lee takes 3rd at Lubbock track

LUBBOCK — Midland Lee placed third in the Lubbock Invitational Class 5A Division II track meet with 90 points behind San Angelo (170) and Odessa High (127).

James McAfee won the 110 hurdles in 14:42 while state qualifier Rodrick Mayfield won the 300 hurdles with a 39.14. Melvin Dunson took the 100 in 10.79. The Lee junior varsity was third in its division.

Lee will compete with the MHS and Lee girls track teams in the West Texas Relays in Odessa's Ratliff Stadium Friday and Saturday. The MHS boys will be in Snyder for the Canyon Reef Relays.

Midland Lee Track Results

Triple Jump: 6. Pertile, 40-9. 3200: 5. Porras, 11:17.05. 400 Relay: 3. Lee, 43.50. 110 Hurdles: 1. McAfee, 14.42; 6. Close, 15.55. 400: 4. Douglas, 52.85. 100: 1. Dunson, 10.79; 4. Stanford, 11.25. 300 Hurdles: 1. Mayfield, 39.14; 3. McAfee, 40.63. 1600: 5. Porras, 5:03.34.

SJ second

The San Jacinto seventh grade girls soccer team placed second in the city after with a 7-1 win over Abell in the season finale.

Jessica Salgado had three goals and Kristin Knight had two. Ashlee Winkler and Shannon Miller also scored for the Lady Mustangs.

San Jacinto outscored opponents by a 23-8 margin this year, losing only to Goddard by a 2-1 margin.

Midland Frosh gold wins soccer

Midland Freshman Gold defeated Odessa Nimitz 1-0 in ninth-grade girls soccer. Kristin Gassiott got Gold's goal and Erika Price was in goal for the shutout. Price has allowed only two goals this year and Gold is 7-0 overall and 5-0 in district.

Midlanders in Concho Enduro

Glenn Pearce, Terry Maxwell, Mark Smith, Bobby Stark Jr. and Brandon Dennis all placed first in the recent Texas State Championship Enduro Circuit on the Texanna Ranch and Game Refuge. Pearce competed in the 250 B division, Smith the 250 C, Stark the 200 C, Maxwell 40 A and Dennis the Kids Enduro. Other finishes were: overall short course-Jack Henry; 200 A second place-Brad Raff; 200 C second place-Robert Stewart; 250 C fourth place-Mike Duetch and Kids Enduro second place-Matt Lee.

MAR 07 1995

CALVIN AND HOBBES

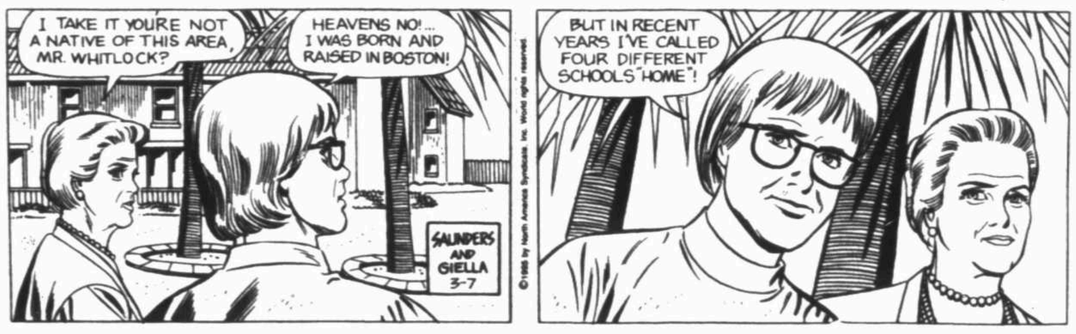
HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

FUNKY WINKERBEAN

LUANN

BLONDIE

MARY WORTH



BEETLE BAILEY

PEANUTS

SHOE

ANDY CAPP

CATHY

THE WIZARD OF ID

STEVE ROPER

YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1995

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Positive thinking and extra effort will take you straight to the top! The ability to make the right decision quickly earns you high marks. Decide in what direction a romantic relationship is going. If it isn't what you really want, refuse to make a commitment. Giving in to pressure tactics would be a mistake. Invite your mate along when you travel.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: sportscaster Lynn Swann, auto racer Janet Guthrie, actor Daniel J. Travanti, Italian actress Anna Magnani.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A business appointment may be difficult to arrange. Stay calm; losing your temper would be counterproductive. Let others set the business agenda for a change. Time is on your side. A secret wish comes true.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your compassion and loyalty win you new friends today. People with good values admire your instincts. Be prepared to make some practical choices on the home front. Group activities help you escape a rut.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Forge ahead in the financial arena. Seeking quiet work surroundings will help conserve your creative energy. Something abstract becomes tangible. Encourage family members to protect their health by adapting new habits.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your partner may have a better sense of what must be done to improve a credit rating. Cooperate. A major financial move is imminent. Soon you will need to make fewer sacrifices in your relationships.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Opening new lines of communication will improve a financial situation. Look to the future, not the past. A direct approach will work best. Pledge to take prompt action once vital facts and figures become available.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A partnership produces higher profits than anticipated. Continue to keep expenses under control. Emphasizing teamwork will boost productivity. Support your friends, but do not sacrifice your principles.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Original ideas flow freely! A creatively structured project holds great financial promise. Changes in the work environment will boost morale. Recognize your offspring's special weaknesses and strengths.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Money-making ideas cannot wait. Move on them before time slips away. Family ties give you important support. Break away from old routines by trying fun group activities.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Schedule changes are needed to accommodate your co-workers or family. A long-standing arrangement may have to be canceled. Business prospects continue to blossom. Play your cards carefully. Use finesse when mixing business with pleasure.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Concentrate on the essentials. Your intuition is correct; you can expect little support from others. Romance could have its ups and downs. Do not despair. Greater recognition of your talents is in the cards.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Exercise self-control when things do not go your way. Be patient with the very young, who cannot yet master their temper or passion. Older heads will come up with the right answers tonight.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Strive to balance professional and family concerns. Loved one's suggestions could bolster your bank account. Diligence on the work front will be rewarded with a raise or promotion. Always be true to your high ideals.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

VICTOR MITCHELL — 1923-1995

East-West vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ 6
♡ 6 4 3
◇ K Q J 10 7 5
♣ K 10 7

WEST
♠ K 7 5 4
♡ A Q 9 8
◇ A 3
♣ A J 5

EAST
♠ J 9 8
♡ 10 7 5 2
◇ 9 4 2
♣ 9 6 4

SOUTH
♠ A Q 10 3 2
♡ K J
◇ 8 6
♣ Q 8 3 2

The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
3◇	Pass	3NT	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Eight of ♡

With the death of Victor Mitchell, the bridge world has lost another of its great characters. In the 1950s and '60s he formed two of the best partnerships in the history of the game, first with Ira Rubin and then with Sam Stayman. Over the years, he was the 'godfather' to many of the country's young players. He never seemed to sleep, and in the wee hours in tournament hotels he could be found holding court for all who wanted to take part. If there was one thing he loved as much as bridge, it was the sport of kings, and he will be missed as much at Aqueduct as at the bridge table.

On this deal from the 1967 Summer Nationals in New Orleans, Mitchell decided to convert partner's diamond preempt to three no trump. West regarded that as a personal insult, and expressed it in no uncertain terms.

South won the opening lead of a heart in hand with the jack, and was not too hopeful of the prospects. Nine tricks could not be made without first forcing out the minor-suit aces, so at trick two declarer led a diamond. West held up for one round and, on winning the continuation, could have set the contract at least one trick by cashing the ace of hearts.

But West did not know the king of hearts was now bare, and instead tried to get to partner's hand with a spade. East played the jack and Mitchell won with the ace!

A club was led and a confident West stepped up with the ace and led another spade. There was a great deal of mortification when East produced the nine and declarer the ten, and the contract rolled home with two overtricks.

Learn to be a better bridge player! Subscribe now to the Goren Bridge Letter by calling (800)788-1225 for information. Or write to Goren Bridge Letter, P.O. Box 4410, Chicago, IL 60680-4410.

CLOSE TO HOME

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Take Stock in America
U.S. SAVINGS BONDS

DOONESBURY

GARFIELD

FAMILY CIRCUS

"Why did you turn it off, Mommy? I was watchin' 'Zippy the Pinhead.'"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"MRS. WILSON IS SUCH A GOOD BAKER BECAUSE SHE PUTS IN PLENTY OF INGREDIENTS."

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

TUESDAY PRIME TIME March 7, 1995 *For complete information check movie listings.*

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 649	Wheel of Fortune	Full House 9620	Thunder Alley 113	Home Improvement	Grace Under Fire	NYPD Blue: The Final Adjustment 1939		News 89543	Cheers 17281	Roseanne 3858	Nightline 32945
(5) KPEJ	24	5	Full House 89991	The Simpsons	[illegible]				Star Trek: The Next Generation 56200		Fresh Prince	In the Heat of the Night: Baby for Sale 294571		Northern Exposure
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 9113	Entertainment	Rescue 911 36842		[illegible]				News 7205668	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 1755	Coach 2007	Wings 3620	Something Wilder	Frasier 9668	John Larroquette	Dateline NBC 69194		News 9979674	The Tonight Show (10:35) 1157113		Late Night Conan
(12) KMLM	42	12	Prime Time Praise 135194			Robinson	John Hagee 27736		Praise the Lord 511939					
(13) KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 297587		Nova: The Universe Within 649571				Great Performances: Some Enchanted Evening: Celebrating Oscar Hammerstein II 688200				To Be Announced 645755	
Cable	**O**	**C**	**6:00**	**6:30**	**7:00**	**7:30**	**8:00**	**8:30**	**9:00**	**9:30**	**10:00**	**10:30**	**11:00**	**11:30**
(6) CNBC		8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	Cal Thomas	Equal Time	Rivera Live 2019133		Charles Grodin 3665277		Real Personal	O.J. Simpson: Trial	Rivera Live 9618910	
(10) WGN		10	Love Connection	The Jeffersons	[illegible]				News: Sanders, Payne 580741		The Honeymooners	Simon & Simon 323804	[illegible]	
(11) WTBS		11	Golf: PGA Senior Slam, Day Two 663804								[illegible]			
(18) BRAV		18	[illegible]						Brooklyn	Kiri at Christmas		[illegible]		
(20) BET		20	Happen.	Sanford	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul				Roc	Jazz Central		
(21) DISN		21	[illegible]			Walt Disney World	Adventures of the Old West: Scouts in the Wilderness 180705				[illegible]			
(23) FAM		23	The Waltons (Part 1 of 2) 595213		Holocaust (Part 2 of 5) 469397				The 700 Club 656216		Father Dowling Mysteries 659303		Bonanza: Different Pines, Same Wind 458281	
(35) CNN		35	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Showbiz
(36) ESPN		36	SportsCenter (5:30)	College Basketball: Midwestern Collegiate Tournament Championship 394552				College Basketball: Sun Belt Tournament Championship 115587				SportsCenter 174910		Skiing 564484
(37) USA		37	Wings 589945	Wings 407397	Murder, She Wrote: It's a Dog's Life 867755		Boxing: Jimmy Thunder vs. Trevor Berbick, Heavyweights 847991				Duckman 662397	Wings 744945	Quantum Leap 810007	
(38) FX		38	Hart to Hart 9159587		Scrutiny	Home ...	Dynasty 8851281		In Color	In Color	Sound fX 8641804		Batman	Back Chat
(39) A&E		39	Rockford Files: Where's Houston? 755571		Biography 225755		Cracker: Men Should Weep 417378						Biography 281571	
(41) NICK		41	Doug 794200	Looney Tunes	I Dream of Jeannie	Bewitched 781736	I Love Lucy	Mary Tyler Moore	Taxi 598113	Taxi 730262	Bob Newhart	Dick Van Dyke	Dragnet 673858	Superman 630303
(43) LIFE		43	Designing	Designing	Unsolved Mysteries		[illegible]				Unsolved Mysteries		Mysteries	thirtysome.
(48) UNI		49	Volver a Empezar 68674		Agujetas de Color de Rosa 14262		Prisioneros de Amor 23910		Primer Impacto: Edicion Nocturna 16674		Noticiero Univision	Impacto Extra	[illegible]	
(50) HSE		50	James Dickey	Press Box 45587	SportsTalk 19620	NBA Basketball: Denver Nuggets at Dallas Mavericks 562378					America's Cup	Press Box 31026	College Basketball 499610	
(51) COM		51	Soap 9630804	Kids in the Hall	Best Set. Night	Best Set. Night	Saturday Night Live 3055668		Politically Incorrect	Exit 57 9567804	Kids in the Hall	Best Set. Night	Monty Python	Kids in the Hall
Premium	**O**	**C**	**6:00**	**6:30**	**7:00**	**7:30**	**8:00**	**8:30**	**9:00**	**9:30**	**10:00**	**10:30**	**11:00**	**11:30**
(14) DISC		14	Beyond 2000	Next Step 787910	Terra X 129769	Treasure Hunters	How the West Was Lost 216007		Fly Navy 229571		Terra X 521543	Treasure Hunters	How the West Was Lost 369303	
(15) AMC		15	[illegible]				[illegible]							
(16) TNN		16	Skyline	C'try News	Red Hot Plus Country		Music City Tonight 828129			Club Dance 859465		C'try News	Red Hot Plus Country	
(17) TNT		17	In the Heat of the Night		NBA Basketball: Phoenix Suns at Houston Rockets 701649					Inside the				
(22) MAX		22	[illegible]		[illegible]				[illegible]		[illegible]			
(28) VC1		29	[illegible]											
(30) CHTS2		30	[illegible]											
(31) CHTS1		31	[illegible]											
(32) TMC		32	[illegible]											
(33) SHOW		33	[illegible]											
(34) HBO		34	[illegible]						Paul Rodriguez: Live in San Quentin 689939					
(89) HC		89	[illegible]							Off the Air				

If You Know What's Good For You, You'll Get Out Of Town Fast.

Hop on a bike. It's a great way to get the exercise you need to lower your risk of heart disease. *You can help prevent heart disease and stroke. We can tell you how. Call 1-800-AHA-USA1.*

American Heart Association

PEOPLE

Another shocking royal family secret: Prince Philip has fingerbowls trouble

LONDON — Another shocking secret of the royal family: **Prince Philip** has trouble with fingerbowls.

Former footman **Norman Barson** told the Today newspaper about one night in 1948 when the prince was about to eat loganberries and raspberries at the end of a meal.

Another shocking secret of the royal family is revealed.

"He looked at the fingerbowl and instead of dipping his fingers in it and drying them on his napkin, he reached forward, put it on top of his plate and said, 'Norman, there's water in this,'" Barson said in Monday's editions.

"I felt a right idiot but I emptied it. Then, rather than let me serve him, he took the bowl and poured the lot into this fingerbowl and topped up with cream," he said.

Elizabeth looked away, Barson said.

* * *

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — Being related to the sexiest man alive is no picnic.

Brad Pitt's parents, **Bill** and **Jane Pitt**, got an unlisted telephone number.

"We've really tried to stay out of it," Pitt's father said of the media barrage. "They make stuff up ... that happens a lot."

Pitt's younger brother, **Doug**, said reporters are looking for the intimate details of his childhood.

"The problem with doing one media request is that it turns into 10," he said in Sunday's editions of the Springfield News-Leader.

People magazine picked Pitt, co-star of "Legends of the Fall," as its latest "sexiest man alive."

* * *

Meryl Streep talked with the London Daily Telegraph about her 16-year marriage to Don Gummer, a sculptor.

It's hard for artist Gummer to be married to her, she said. "It's a constant source of embarrassment to him. The art world is full of very cool people, and it's not cool that I'm in show business. It is also not cool to have four children, so they look down on that, too, but I am what I am, and I do what I do."

Streep is quoted in this week's People magazine.

* * *

PARIS — The latest American in Paris is conductor **James Conlon.**

Conlon, a New Yorker who once conducted both the New York Philharmonic and Metropolitan Opera, was named orchestra chief of the Paris Opera on Monday.

He replaces **Myung-Whun Chung**, who was fired after refusing demands to renegotiate his contract.

Conlon replaces Myung-Whun Chung at the Paris Opera.

Currently the musical director of Cologne's opera company and orchestra, Conlon says he expects to keep those posts, spending about six months a year in Paris. His salary wasn't disclosed.

* * *

NEW YORK — Mention the title, "The **George Wendt** Show," and the actor best known as Norm on "Cheers" rolls his eyes.

"That's probably the weirdest thing about all this," he said in the March 10 issue of Entertainment Weekly. "I can't tell you how weird that feels."

The series, which premieres Wednesday on CBS, revolves around two brothers and is loosely based on **Tom** and **Ray Magliozzi** and their National Public Radio call-in show, "Car Talk."

After 10 seasons on "Cheers," Wendt said he had a difficult time considering other scripts.

"The timing was wrong. It felt like the body wasn't cold yet, or the divorce wasn't final," he said.

However, there's a bit of Norm in Wendt's new character.

"I don't think they're gonna notice much difference other than the fact that I won't have a beer in my hand," Wendt said.

* * *

Sonny Bono, R-Palm Springs, veteran of two months in the House of Representatives and self-proclaimed winner of the freshman popularity contest, is no slouch in the most likely — or perhaps most desperate — to get ahead department, either.

In an interview in the Palm Springs Desert Sun last week, Bono said he's already weighing the idea of running against Sen. **Barbara Boxer**. And, roared the lion of the house, she's "no pussycat."

"If I stay in politics and have the fun I'm having now," said Bono, "I would want to move on to another option. The Senate is one possibility."

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

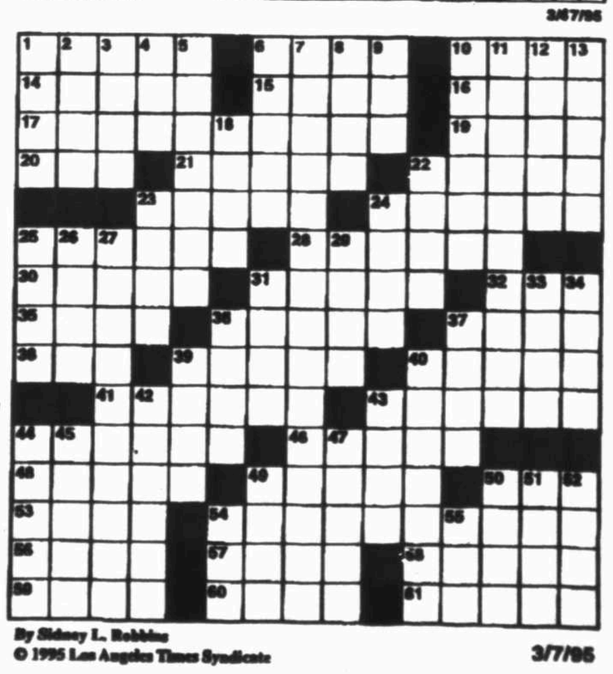
ACROSS
1 Tons
6 Short reminder
10 Trolley
14 Plumed wader
15 Yoke mates
16 Laugh, in Lyon
17 Compete ulna to ulna
19 His Rose was Irish
20 Low island
21 On the qui vive
22 Pear-shaped instruments
23 Qaddafi country
24 Cheeks like roses is an example
25 Courteous
28 Turkish fur cap
30 Certain tournaments
31 Makes well
32 Elec. unit
35 Latest fashion
36 Went wrong
37 Ballet bend
38 Notwithstanding, for short
39 Claims
40 "Little Colonel" of baseball
41 Lilongwe's country
43 Approached
44 Steamy spots
46 Coagulates
48 Mid-range voices
49 Pretext
50 Harvest
53 Monkey of South America
54 Sidesplitter
56 Black
57 Pre-med course
58 Cotton thread
59 Power
60 Woman's word
61 Cold weather word

DOWN
1 Divulge
2 Monster
3 Ike's troops
4 Morning moisture
5 Some are dire
6 Saunter
7 Some school activities
8 Have pity
9 A third of three
10 Shock
11 Sidesplitter
12 Spirit of "The Tempest"
13 Atty. Gen. Edwin
18 North Sea feeder
22 "Read my —,..."
23 "A Chorus —"
24 Flexible flyer
25 Harbor
26 Brilliant-colored fish
27 Gibeon girl's sleeve style
29 War god
31 Sailors
33 — guy
34 Observe
36 Le Gallienne and namesakes
37 Anagram for apse
39 Tsk, tsk!
40 Repeats the story
42 Pour balm upon
43 Like Paul Pry
44 Cloyed
45 A likely story
47 Melodies
49 Kelly
50 Erato, for one
51 Stare
52 Sharpen
54 Humbug lead-in
55 Be under the weather

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

T	I	L	E		E	S	T	O	P		S	C	O	W
O	D	O	R		N	U	R	S	E		T	A	R	E
P	O	D	I	A	T	R	I	S	T		E	R	A	S
	L	E	N	T	I	L		A	I	L	M	E	N	T
				I	C	Y			T	E	S	T		
B	U	S	T	L	E		S	P	I	N		A	D	S
A	S	C	O	T		S	T	O	O	D		K	E	Y
T	H	O	R		O	N	I	O	N		P	E	N	N
H	E	R		S	P	I	L	L		T	O	R	S	O
E	R	E		W	E	P	T		L	A	P	S	E	D
		B	E	A	R			C	O	B				
D	O	O	R	M	A	N		R	O	L	L	E	D	
I	V	A	N		T	I	M	E	K	E	E	P	E	R
M	E	R	E		E	N	A	T	E		N	E	A	T
E	N	D	S		D	E	T	E	R		S	E	R	E

3/07/95



By Sidney L. Robbins
© 1995 Los Angeles Times Syndicate 3/7/95

MAR 07 1995

TUESDAY

BUSINESS WATCH

OIL PRICES

FUTURES
Monday $18.59
Previous Close $18.63
Year Ago $14.57

POSTED
Today $17.00
Previous Close $17.00
Year Ago $13.00

Prices unchanged

NEW YORK — Energy futures prices showed little change Monday despite word that Saudi Arabia may raise prices of crude oil shipped to the United States.

Contracts for the April delivery of West Texas Intermediates oil settled at $18.59 per barrel, down 4 cents on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

George J. Gaspar, an oil analyst at Robert W. Baird & Co. Inc., a Milwaukee investment firm, said the market did not immediately react to the word of a Saudi price increase, but said it was likely.

"This could swing prices into an upward trend," he said. "Prices may shoot up once the market understands the effect of the increase."

In other trading, natural gas prices were lower, with contracts for delivery in April settling at $1.431 per 1,000 cubic feet, down .17 cent.

Financial seminar

Smith Barney Inc. will host a seminar Thursday entitled "Financial Planning & Investing For Your Future" Thursday at The Plaza Club from7 to 9 p.m.

Featured speakers will be W. Keith Wood, vice president, retirement planning specialist and portfolio manager, and Judy Galbraith, financial consultant.

Topics will be the importance of saving and goal setting, the path to financial independence, maximizing your company plan, investments that work and success at age 65 or earlier.

There is no cost but reservations are required and can be made by calling 685-1234.

Southwest traffic

DALLAS — Southwest Airlines Co. said Monday its planes flew 6.5 percent emptier in February than in the same month a year before.

The Dallas-based airline released traffic statistics showing it carried more passengers farther in February 1995 than in February 1994. But the growth didn't keep up with Southwest's expanded capacity. The airline initiated service to seven new cities last year.

The carrier's load factor, or percentage of filled seats, fell to 60.4 percent, from 66.9 percent in February 1994.

For the first two months of this year, the airline's load factor was 59 percent, down from 64.9 percent in the first two months of 1994.

The airline also began service Monday from Omaha, its first new city of 1995 and 45th overall.

Stocks mixed

NEW YORK — Selective buying helped the stock market to finish mixed Monday despite anxiety over the weak dollar.

After posting deficits almost all day, the Dow Jones industrial average dug out of hole gradually in the afternoon and ended up 7.95 at 3,997.56.

Market indicators comprising a wider range of stocks behaved similarly with the Standard & Poor's 500 stock index also managing to climb to positive ground by the finish. The S&P 500 crept ahead 0.21 to 485.63.

Other gauges narrowed their losses significantly. The New York Stock Exchange composite index dipped 0.18 to 263.11 and the Nasdaq Stock Market composite fell 1.02 to 797.77. The American Stock Exchange market value index lost 1.42 to 452.07.

But declining stocks retained an edge over gainers, outnumbering them by about 2 to 1 in the closing tally on the New York Stock Exchange.

Volume on the Big Board's floor amounted to 298.86 million shares, down from 330.82 million Friday.

Fed lays low as dollar tumbles

■ Federal Reserve waits to see if dollar stabilizes before taking any action.

By Martin Crutsinger
AP Economics Writer

WASHINGTON — The dollar plunged to a third straight record low against the Japanese yen Monday and sank against other currencies as well. Despite the global dumping, the Federal Reserve was not expected to raise interest rates.

Private economists said a Fed rate hike in the current turmoil was extremely unlikely unless the dollar's decline turns into a free fall that roils U.S. stock and bond markets.

"The Fed isn't going to jack up rates just because the dollar is under pressure," said Bruce Steinberg, an economist at Merrill Lynch in New York. "This is not a crisis even though the dollar is going to be searching for a bottom over the next several weeks."

Sung Won Sohn, chief economist at Norwest Corp. in Minneapolis, said a Fed effort to boost the dollar by raising interest rates could backfire by pushing the U.S. economy into a recession.

"The strategy now is for the Fed to lay low and hope the situation stabilizes," he said.

After trying without success Thursday and Friday to prop up the dollar's value by intervening in currency markets, U.S. authorities decided Monday the better course was to remain on the sidelines.

The dollar continued to drop, falling to 92.70 yen in late afternoon trading in New York, down from a Friday record low of 94.05. It also declined against the German mark, dropping to 1.4028 marks, the lowest level in more than two years and down from Friday's close in New York of 1.4250 marks. The dollar was down against other major currencies as well.

Analysts would not rule out further coordinated dollar-buying by the United States and other countries such as effort last Friday by 18 central banks. But they said such purchases would be used primarily to make sure the dollar's decline is orderly and doesn't alarm markets.

That strategy appeared to be working. Analysts said U.S. markets were basically taking the dollar's weakness in stride.

However, the turmoil on the bond market continued with the yield on 30-year Treasury issues rising to 7.61 percent.

Some credited the relatively minor impact on U.S. markets to a recognition that the underlying U.S. economy is basically sound. The Fed's string of interest rate increases over the past year is widely perceived to be working to bring about a "soft landing" in which the economy slows to a sustainable pace without any serious pickup in inflation.

The slowing U.S. economy will help over time to reduce America's huge trade deficit, which is seen right now as the biggest negative influence on the dollar.

The generally positive outlook for the U.S. economy was highlighted Monday by a report from the Shadow Open Market Committee, a group of prominent private economists who monitor the Federal Reserve.

"For the first time in 30 years, the United States can achieve stable growth and low inflation in the near term," the group said. But it warned that if the central bank continues tightening credit "the probability of a recession in 1996 will increase."

Analysts said one of the biggest threats to their generally optimistic forecast remains the turmoil in Mexico, the United States' third biggest export market.

The Mexican peso fell Monday to a record low at 6.5750 pesos to the dollar, a drop of more than 40 percent since Mexico's currency crisis began Dec. 20.

That the currencies of Canada and Mexico — respectively America's first and third largest trading partners — are both declining relative to the dollar helps offset inflationary pressures from the dollar's fall against other currencies.

AP Laserphoto

Bittersweet job

Milton Eisenstat, owner of the Fort Pitt Candy Co., stocks shelves with Clark bars. Candymaker Leaf Inc. took over the D.L. Clark Co. after foreclosing ona $3 million loan to entrepreneur Michael Carlow, who is being investigated for bank fraud. Leaf said it will move production of the Pittsburgh icon to its Centralia, Ill. plant if Clark's union workers can't find a local buyer for the candy company.

McDonnell to close plant, cut 1,000 jobs

TITUSVILLE, Fla. (AP) — McDonnell Douglas will close its Titusville plant and put 1,000 people out of work because of its loss of a $1 billion missile contract, company officials said Monday.

The plant will be shut down later this year as production of the Navy's Tomahawk cruise missiles winds down, according to an announcement from company headquarters in St. Louis.

The plant closing was not unexpected, but Brevard County officials had hoped some change might occur to lessen the economic blow.

Titusville community leaders have been studying ways to convert the plant to other uses since McDonnell lost the contract to Hughes Missiles Systems for all Tomahawk production after 1995. The company announced last fall it would close the plant if it lost the contract.

Defense cutbacks are also forcing McDonnell to close a plant in St. Charles, Mo., where 800 workers make electrical and ground support equipment for aircraft and missile systems. About 300 employees will be laid off and another 500 reassigned, the company said.

About 75 percent of the 1,000 jobs at the Titusville plant are related to the Tomahawk program. The cutbacks among that group will take place in stages.

The remaining work force produce other aerospace materials, and some of that work will be moved elsewhere within the company following completion of Tomahawk deliveries this summer, McDonnell Douglas said.

Employees at both plants were told of the company's decision on Monday, receiving 60 day notices required by federal law.

The plant closings take place "against the backdrop of continuing deep cuts in military procurement and softness in the commercial aircraft market," the company announcement said.

Since 1990, McDonnell Douglas has closed about one-third of its plant capacity and laid off about half of its work force — or about 60,000 people. Previous facilities closed were in California, Missouri, Ohio and Oklahoma.

The Space Coast Development Commission estimated last year that the multiplier effect of losing the high-paying McDonnell Douglas jobs would mean the loss of another 2,000 jobs in such sectors as retail, restaurant and services.

The shutdown comes at a time when Harris Corp. in Melbourne is cutting hundreds of jobs. NASA and its contractors also plan reductions in employment.

Central Texas site for new chicken plant

■ Mississippi company chooses Central Texas site for a new feed mill, hatchery and processing plant.

By Associated Press

HOUSTON — A Mississippi company has said it is choosing a Central Texas site for a feed mill, hatchery and processing plant capable of killing 1.2 million chickens per week.

Sanderson Farms of Laurel, Miss., is looking at sites somewhere between Houston, Dallas, Austin and Waco. The location will be picked within a couple of weeks, Sanderson's chief financial officer, D. Michael Cockrell, told the Houston Chronicle in Monday's editions.

Broilers are already a good-sized business in the state, with Tyson Foods and Pilgrim's Pride operating seven plants in East Texas and South Texas.

Though a bit farther west than usual, Sanderson apparently thinks the more central location has the necessities, including ample water, labor and people willing to be contract farmers. Even with the minimum of information that has gone out, many people wanting to raise chickens have called, Cockrell said.

A plant the size Sanderson is planning would need 280 contract growers to supply it with chickens. A total of 1,400 people would be required to work in the feed mill, hatchery and slaughter plant when operating at full capacity.

Construction is scheduled to start this fall, with initial operations scheduled to begin during the spring of 1997.

Sanderson Farms plans to invest about $68 million. The contract growers will need to spend an additional $56 million building broiler houses on their properties.

Seven states were considered for the new plant, Cockrell said. Texas was picked because of its proximity to West Coast markets and the fact that Sanderson already sells prepared food and chicken here in quantity. The company has five plants in Mississippi and Louisiana.

The company had earlier solicited possible site locations by placing articles in numerous newspapers around the state.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

'GICs' are generally safe retirement investment

By Bill Doyle

Q: My husband retired last year at age 65. He has $200,000 in his account at his former company's retirement plan, which is invested in guaranteed investment contracts with eight different insurance companies.

This is most of our savings, and I want to feel secure keeping it there until my husband reaches age 70 1/2 and has to start making withdrawals. Are GICs good investments for our retirement?

Doyle

A: Most of them are, because they are conservative investments and accumulate reasonably high interest guaranteed by financially solid insurance companies.

As a result, GICs have been favorite choices of personnel departments at many companies, both large and small, for funding retirement plans.

Just keep this in mind: Because an insurance company puts the money behind GICs into fixed-income investments, the market values of which can rise and fall, the real values of previously written GICs can and do fluctuate, going in the opposite direction of interest rates in general — up when interest rates fall and down when interest rates rise.

However, you have no reason to worry about the vast majority of GICs, assuming they are held until they mature. At that point, sound insurance companies pay off their GICs at face value.

It's the GICs written by the relatively small number of failed or financially troubled insurers that can cause problems.

The summary reports most corporate pension plans provide to participants do not reflect the true values of the GICs.

Those summary reports are in line with the U.S. Department of Labor's Form 5500, which does not require GICs to be "marked to market," meaning listed at current value. This despite the ruling by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants that GICs in retirement plans be marked to market beginning this year.

Makes one wonder if the Labor Department is more interested in high-profile items such as the baseball strike than in the financial well-being of millions of American workers and retired folks.

Q: The personnel department at work used to do a lot of bragging about "the safety and high interest rates" of GICs in our pension plan. It has been strangely silent on the subject lately, however. This arouses my suspicions that perhaps we are stuck with a batch of bummer GICs.

The skimpy pension-fund reports we received at year's end throw no light on this. How can I find out if my suspicions are justified?

A: Get hold of a copy of the pension plan's audited statement. Since that more-detailed version is put together by independent auditors — certified public accountants — it should follow AICPA rules and mark-to-market GICs and other investments held in the pension plan.

If your suspicions are well-founded, the personnel people might be reluctant to release the retirement plan's audited report. Corporate bureaucrats often hate to disclose bad news. But keep trying. You are entitled to that information.

Remember that, even if some of those GICs are under water now, they will be paid off at full value when they mature, except for those issued by failed or deeply troubled insurance companies.

Q: Which troubled insurance companies should I keep an eye out for when checking on GICs in my employer's retirement plan?

A: The three problem insurers most active in GICs were Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., Executive Life Insurance Co. and Confederation Life Insurance Co.

Mutual Benefit was seized by New Jersey regulatory authorities in 1991 after its assets went into a tailspin. Executive Life was restructured the same year when its junk-bond holdings plunged. Confederation Life was taken over by the Canadian government last year.

If you find any GIC marked down way below face value in your retirement plan's audited report, that would be a good indication that the insurance company has financial problems.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

Address your questions to Investor's Guide, King Features Syndicate, c/o Reporter-Telegram, Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

FUTURE SYSTEMS
Sales and Service
On All PC's,
PRINTERS AND
PERIPHERALS
• Networks
• Unix Systems
• Point of Sale
Systems
Authorized SCO
Unix ReSeller
570-0268
4610 N. Garfield
Suite D-2
Loop 250 at Garfield

AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE

MARCH 7 1995

Mutual Funds

Buy Sell Chg.

AAL Mutual:

AARP Invst:

ABT Funds:

AIM Funds:

AMF Funds:

ARK Funds:

AVESTA:

Advest Advant:

Aetna Funds:

Alger Funds:

Alliance Cap:

American Funds:

Local OTC's

Sales Last Chg.

oneA

SAN DIEGO (A
kangaroo flags s
breeze at oneA
pound, reflectin
Bertrand's belie
win the Americ

■ America'

ing of his frontlin
"Yeah, we ca
Bertrand said M
less than 24 hour
lion yacht oneA

Lydia Gonzalez (r
They ensure that a
mation about Sno
four Midland loca

Sim

Wouldn't it be
great to have a
retirement plan
that would be
easy to estab-
lish before
business' tax
filing deadline
and maintain
as an IRA?
And wouldn't
it be great if
that same
retirement plan
contribute more
lar IRA, while
reports you woul
Many West Texa
women are disc

ALL S
"1 Hour Cl
HAPPY HO
99

Hours: 7 a.
1 p.m.
Wester

905 A
Between Ro
6

Nurses Unlimite
in Alpine?
Yes, at
106 W. Sul Ross
Avenue
1-800-330-4496

Classified
Can!
682-6222

oneAustralia skipper thinks he can still win

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The boxing kangaroo flags snapped in a crisp breeze at oneAustralia's compound, reflecting skipper John Bertrand's belief that he can still win the America's Cup despite the dramatic sinking of his frontline sailboat.

■ America's Cup

"Yeah, we can do it," a weary Bertrand said Monday morning, less than 24 hours after the $3 million yacht oneAustralia broke in two and sank within two minutes into the stormy Pacific Ocean. All 17 crewmembers were rescued.

There was no hint of despair as the Aussies prepared their backup boat, also named oneAustralia, for Tuesday's race against national rival Sydney 95.

"We've got a world-class organization here, we've got incredible energy and drive, and a passion," Bertrand said. "Our first boat is not far off the pace, and we look forward to getting into the competition and giving the opposition hell."

Bertrand was the first foreign skipper to win the America's Cup, in a huge upset over Dennis Conner in 1983 at Newport, R.I. Now he's got the distinction of being the first skipper in the Cup's 144-year history to have his yacht sink during a race.

"It's something that you never visualize in your wildest nightmares," Bertrand said.

The Aussies weren't ready to sail Monday and skipped their race against France 3 after an international jury refused to reschedule it for Thursday. OneAustralia already has qualified for the semifinals, while France is fighting for the last berth. France 3 simply circled the race course to collect five points.

The Australians essentially paid the price for pushing the design envelope. Pounded by fierce waves and high wind, the 75-foot sailboat buckled amidships, folded in on itself and plunged straight down halfway into its race with Team New Zealand on Sunday.

Hobday, Stockton share first-day lead of Senior Slam; Floyd trails

LOS CABOS, Mexico (AP) — Simon Hobday and Dave Stockton shot 2-under-par 70s Monday to share the first-round lead at the $500,000 Senior Slam, a tournament for the winners of last season's four majors on the Senior PGA Tour.

Raymond Floyd was two strokes behind the co-leaders and Lee Trevino opened with an 80 in the 36-hole event.

Stockton was 5-under over the first eight holes and took a four-shot lead over Hobday. However, he bogeyed Nos. 9 and 12, and double-bogeyed No. 14. Hobday remained close with consistent play. Trevino shot a 6-over 42 on the back nine after a double-bogey on No. 13 and a triple bogey on No. 14. The tournament concludes today, with the winner receiving $250,000. The runner-up gets $125,00, third $75,000 and fourth $50,000.

BUSINESS & INDUSTRY

Total Contents Paid Advertising/To Advertise Call 682-5311

Lydia Gonzalez (right) and Martha Juarez are just two of the laundry professionals at Snowhite Laundry. They ensure that all shirts look as good as possible when they are returned to their owners. For more information about Snowhite's range of laundry and dry cleaning services, call 682-8617 or stop by any of their four Midland locations on: S. Terrell, West Illinois, W. Wadley and N. Midkiff.

Getting clothes 'Snowhite'

Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners, Inc., locally owned and managed by Carriel Nipp (owner) and Tom Segulja (general manager) has been in business for over 40 years. Unlike other area laundries, Snowhite doesn't just do dry cleaning: they also offer a full linen business. This includes uniforms, tablecloths and all forms of dust control products.

Of course, their professional staff gets shirts and other articles of clothing looking like new.

Operating out of four Midland locations, Snowhite is one of the largest laundries in the area, currently cleaning 65-70,000 pounds of laundry each week.

Their operation is so successful; that many large organizations, such as area hospitals, rely on Snowhite for all of their cleaning.

Although much larger than the average 'corner' dry cleaner, Snowhite still retains the friendly, professional atmosphere that has made them so popular over the years.

Their attitude to their customers is much the same as their attitude to the environment: respect.

Snowhite has recently installed a new dry cleaning machine that offers significant performance advantages, as well as limiting environmental concerns.

The first to be installed anywhere in the country, according to the manufacturer, the new Omega machine is known as a dry-to-dry machine because clothes remain within the machine throughout the dry cleaning process. The advantage of this is simple: because chemical soaked clothes do not have to be transferred between machines, there is no possibility of escaping chemicals damaging the environment. In the case of the new machine, it uses odorless mineral spirits in place of older more dangerous chemicals. This also adds greatly to the safety of the new process.

Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners, has their main headquarters at 303 S. Terrell and branches at 2410 W. Illinois, 2300 W. Wadley and 3306 N. Midkiff.

Working under strict environmental guidelines and requirements, Snowhite's main plant on Terrell employs two professional dry cleaners who pre-spot all clothes and run the new machine. This results in the best possible results.

All clothes, whether laundry or dry cleaning are professionally finished to very high standards: the idea is that clothes should look immaculate when they leave Snowhite.

As with many other companies, Snowhite offers a number of related services to their customers. Services such as alterations, waterproofing, heirlooming and repairs are all available .

For more information about Snowhite, stop by any of the four locations or call the headquarters at 682-8617.

Simple retirement plans for small businesses

Van Pearcy
Edward D. Jones & Co.

Wouldn't it be great to have a retirement plan that would be easy to establish before business' tax filing deadline and maintain as an IRA? And wouldn't it be great if that same retirement plan would allow you to contribute more money than a regular IRA, while limiting the IRS reports you would need to file?

Many West Texas business men and women are discovering that such a plan exists. The Simplified Employee Pension, or SEP, is designed for business owners and self-employed people who want a hassle free retirement plan. The SEP allows you to contribute up to 15 percent of income or $22,500, which ever is less, for each eligible participant's account (the maximum compensation that can be used to base contributions is $150,000). One of the other aspects of the SEP is there are no additional IRS forms to file. Plus, the SEP is so flexible, you you can change the contribution amount annually. You can also allow for employee salary deferral.

Some West Texas employers have set up "bonus" systems to reward key employees rather than establishing a retirement plan. The disadvantage of such a system, however, is that it requires the employer to pay Social Security (FICA) on the amount paid in bonuses. Because retirement plan contributions are not subject to FICA withholding, paying bonuses in the form of retirement bonuses can result in big savings for the company.

In addition, remember an employer-sponsored retirement plan can also reduce your tax burden. Every dollar contributed on behalf of your employees or yourself is 100 percent tax-deductible.

Another plus - the SEP plan can be established and funded by your business' tax filing deadline plus extensions. You may be able to receive a 1994 tax deduction if you act now.

Ideal Candidates: Small business owners and professionals who: 1) do not have part time employees (under 1,000 hours/year), or 2) if they do, do not wish to exclude them.

Eligibility: 21 years of age, have worked 3 out of the last 5 years and earn $396 (1994) or more during the year.

Contributions: Limited to lesser of 15 percent of compensation or $22,500. (Self-employed individuals use a special calculation) * May allow for employee salary deferral.

Deadline: Establish & Contributions - Business' tax filing deadline plus extensions.

Van Pearcy joined the full-service investment firm of Edward D. Jones & Co. in 1987. He started the first Edward D, Jones & Co. office in Midland in 1988. He is a native West Texan and received his BA and MBA from the University of Notre Dame.

If you need help with your investment and retirement planning, please feel free to contact Van's office at 683-1516 for a no-fee, no-obligation appointment.

His office is located at 2020 West Cuthbert in Midland.

ALL SEASONS
"1 Hour Cleaners and Laundry"
HAPPY HOURS FOR SHIRTS
99¢ Per Shirt
Hours: 7 a.m. - 9 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
1 p.m. - 7 p.m. Sundays
Western Casuals $1.50
905 Andrews Hwy.
Between Rosa's and Flowerama
697-2536

WHEN YOU NEED HELP . . .
TURN TO CLASSIFIED
CALL 682-6222

CLASSIFIED CAN!
CALL
682-6222

INCOME TAX & BUSINESS SERVICE
• Tax Preparation • Bookkeeping
• Secretarial Service
Jacque Holliman - Brenda Terry-Mickey Trimble
1015-C. N. Midkiff 694-0348

Find the Home of Your Dreams in the Classifieds!

Mrs. Olsen's Coffee & Bookstore
No. 8 Oak Ridge Square
2200 West Wadley
Midland, Texas 79705
915/570-5282
Bring In This Ad For A FREE Sample of The Day's Special Blend.

IMPERIAL FLAG & BANNER
Custom Flags, Banners, & Pennants
Flag poles; accessories sales, service & installation
Handcrafted sweatshirts
One mile South of downtown post office
George Leach We honor Visa/Master card 1613 S. Main 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday - Friday 682-3562

YOUR RESOURCE For...
UNTAMED CLOTHING
ESPRIT
and
Unlisted
2101 W. Wadley • Plaza Oaks Center • 683-1635

J & S Commercial Electric Co.
• Commercial and Residential Electric Service
• Licensed in Odessa and Midland
• 24 Hour Service at competitive rates
563-2209
We have bucket trucks, hole diggers and ditchers to do any kind of heavy equipment work.
J&S COMMERCIAL ELECTRIC CO. Midland, Texas 563-2209

DRESSES DRESSES DRESSES
$3.99 ea.
"Plain Dresses D.C."
Owned and Operated by West Texans
MIDLAND Comet Cleaners and Laundry

The VCR Clinic
→→→→→→→→MARCH SPECIAL→→→→→→→→
BRING YOUR VCR WITH THIS COUPON
Cleaning ONLY $17.50
Shop Supplies +4.00
$21.50
Coupon must be presented when item is brought in the shop
EXPIRES MARCH 31, 1995
Associated Publishing Company
Delta Electronics
HOME - BUSINESS - AUTO
FACTORY WARRANTY MOST BRANDS
1308 S. MIDKIFF ST.
SUITE 303-304
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701
683-3582
MON.-FRI. 10 A.M.-6 P.M.

NURSES UNLIMITED
Nurses Unlimited Unlimited Caring
Nurses Unlimited in Alpine?
Yes, at
106 W. Sul Ross Avenue
1-800-330-4496

CONCENTRATING IN IRS NEGOTIATIONS & OFFER IN COMPROMISE
FTC
"Knowledge is Power" USE IT!
FEDERAL TAX CONSULTANTS
IRS Will Settle For Less - If You Qualify!
Call Today For A Free Consultation
****
Call Our Information Hot Line - 1-800-FTC-OFFR
1004 North Big Spring, Suite 504, Midland, Texas 79701
915-682-7004

MUFFLERS BRAKES ALIGNMENTS
BRAKE & ALIGNMENT
10% OFF
All Services
Expires 3-15-95
FREE PICKUP & DELIVERY
HOME OWNED & OPERATED
3201 W. FRONT ST. MIDLAND
699-7924
Subup's
Look for our ad on page 284 in your Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages.

8.30%*
Why Settle For Less From Your I.R.A.?
Ask about other rates and IRAs we have available.
* Rate expressed as the lower of yield to maturity or yield to call on AAA-rated and insured corporate bonds effective 3/6/95. Subject to availability. Market risk is a consideration on investments sold prior to maturity.
Van Pearcy 2020 W. Cuthbert 683-1516
Joe Harper 1011 N. Midkidd Rd. 694-1702
Raul Benavides 2200 W. Wadley 570-7930
Edward D. Jones & Co.
Member New York Stock Exchange, Inc. & Securities Investor Protection Corporation

Classified Can! 682-6222

MAR 07 1995

Back won't slow Duke's Coach K

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Mike Krzyzewski was back in Cameron Indoor Stadium on Monday, and there was no way to wipe the smile from his face.

Sitting on a small stage at one end of the court, Krzyzewski held a news conference to let everybody know he's OK as he continues to recover from back surgery, and that he'll be back on the sidelines with Duke next season.

"I'm embarrassed a little to do this news conference because I don't have any earth-shaking news. I don't want to be a hot ticket. I just want to coach basketball," he said.

He won't do that this week at the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament because he won't even be in Greensboro for it. He will meet with the team Monday and plans to take part in practice Tuesday, but that's it — doctors' orders. Jan. 4 was the last time Krzyzewski coached the Blue Devils, the team he led to seven Final Fours in the last nine years and national championships in 1991 and 1992.

He underwent surgery for a ruptured disc on Oct. 21 and rushed back to work. The hasty return led to exhaustion and finally forced him from coaching the rest of the season.

"I was very scared," the 48-year-old coach said. "I had never in my life not been able to just go at something, but I was just so exhausted. I just didn't have any energy."

Krzyzewski underwent tests and received a clean bill of health, but doctors told him he had to concentrate solely on rehabilitating his back. That meant total rest and cutting ties with a program he has guided the past 15 seasons.

On Monday, he looked like anything but a convalescing coach. He looked robust and chipper, and joked with the crowd. He addressed the many rumors that circulated during his absence, the main ones being a much more serious illness or burnout.

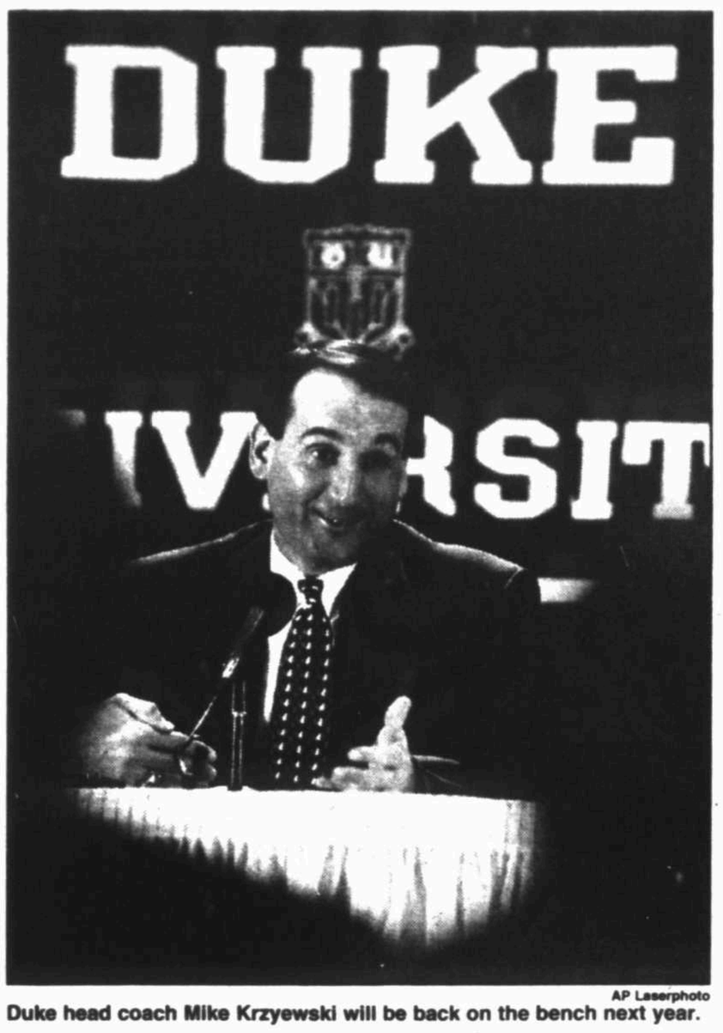
"When you coach in the Atlantic Coast Conference and been around, rumors are part of the game and can be kind of funny.

"I know most people didn't believe I was doing crazy things. There was a concern about cancer and there was a concern about that on my part, too, because you get to that point where you're so tired, so exhausted you wonder 'Is it just my back?'

"That was the reason for all the tests and that's why the doctors sent out a statement after about two weeks to say it was my back. I don't know what burnout is. I was tired because of a bad back and I was exhausted because I was trying to do things I shouldn't have been."

The Blue Devils were 9-3 when Krzyzewski began his leave of absence and finished the regular season 12-17, 2-14 in the ACC. The losses matched the school record for a season and the league mark was easily the worst in school history. It was also the first time since the 1986-86 season that Duke fell out of the AP college basketball rankings. Under interim coach Pete Gaudet, a 12-year assistant to Krzyzewski, the Blue Devils hung close in a number of games against ranked teams, but were rarely able to win.

"I am proud of my team and my staff for what they did during this time," Krzyzewski said. "I'm sure if my team and my staff knew on Oct. 15 I wasn't going to be with them, things would have been a lot differnt wins- and loss-wise. Over the last 15 years we handled winning with class and dignity. I'm proud of the way we handled the losses with class and dignity. I always remember that about this basketball team. They never quit."



AP Laserphoto

Duke head coach Mike Krzyewski will be back on the bench next year.

Bruins break No. 1 curse

The Associated Press

UCLA managed to do something Monday no top-ranked team had been able to do for the last four weeks, stay No. 1.

■ Top 25 Poll

The Bruins (23-2) were a near-unanimous choice of the nationwide media panel, getting 65 first-place votes and 1,649 points to easily outdistance Kansas (22-4), which moved up one spot to No. 2 with one first-place vote and 1,556 points.

Kentucky moved from fifth to third, while North Carolina dropped two spots to fourth. The Top Ten shakeup continued with Arkansas fifth, followed by Connecticut, Wake Forest, Massachusetts, Michigan State and Maryland.

The Top Ten was the same teams from last week, but only Massachusetts held the same spot in the latest rankings.

The rest of the poll changed dramatically, with three teams moving into the rankings — No. 22 Utah, No. 23 Western Kentucky and No. 25 Oregon — and three dropping out — No. 20 Stanford, No. 24 Iowa State and No. 25 Xavier, Ohio.

Virginia led the Second Ten and was followed by Arizona, Villanova, Purdue, Mississippi State, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arizona State, Oklahoma State and Alabama.

The last five ranked teams were Syracuse, Utah, Western Kentucky, Georgetown and Oregon.

Last Monday, UCLA became the sixth team to hold the No. 1 spot this season. The Bruins took it from Kansas, which took it from Connecticut, which took it from North Carolina, which took it from Massachusetts.

The changing at the top finally ended when the Bruins beat Southern Cal, a victory that clinched the Pac-10 title, and Louisville last week.

The Top Ten shakeup occurred because three teams — North Carolina, Connecticut and Maryland — lost last week.

UMass survives Atlantic 10 semis

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Massachusetts fought through a rough offensive outing to beat St. Joseph's 68-57 Monday night in the semifinals of the Atlantic 10 tournament.

The eighth-ranked Minutemen (25-4) will play host to Thursday night's championship game against the winner of the semifinal between Temple and Rutgers.

Massachusetts has won the regular-season title the last four years and is bidding for their fourth consecutive tournament title, all at home.

Even the inside game of Marcus Camby and Lou Roe wasn't its usual self against the Hawks (17-11) as Camby missed his first six shots from the field before scoring all of his nine points in the final 14:41. Roe, the conference's player of the year, finished with 11 points on 4-for-9 shooting and had 11 rebounds.

Edgar Padilla and Donta Bright led the Minutemen with 12 points each.

Midland Reporter-Telegram

Classified Ads 682-6222

Notices 100

075 Legals
080 Odessa Ads
100 New Arrivals
105 Happy Ads
110 Lodge Notices
115 Announcements
120 Public Notices
130 Personals
140 Card of Thanks
150 Lost and Found
155 Lottery Info.
160 Loans Wanted
162 Mortg. Wanted
163 Money To Loan
165 Invest. Opptys.
170 Schools/Instruc.

Transportation 200

200 Autos Domestic
205 Classic Cars
210 Autos Foreign
215 Autos For Lease
220 Trucks and Vans
230 Commercial Vehicles
240 Motorcycles
245 Trailers
250 Rec. Vehicles
260 Boats and Motors
270 Airplanes
280 Auto Services
290 Parts/Access.

Employment 300

305 Job Services
310 General Help
311 Medical Help
312 Professional Help
314 Clerical Help
316 Sales Help
320 Skilled Trade
330 Employment Wanted
335 AdultCare Needed
340 ChildCare Prov.
340 ChildCare Needed
341 ChildCare Prov.
350 Bus. Opptys.

Merchandise 400 500

400 Auctions
402 Garage Sale Svcs.
404 79706 Zip Code
406 79703 Zip Code
407 79705 Zip Code
408 79707 Zip Code
409 Area Sales
410 Misc. Sales
413 Jewelry
415 Misc. Wanted
420 Things To Eat
425 Trade/Swap
430 Household Goods
440 Firewood
450 Sporting Goods
460 Antiques and Art
470 Music Instrum.
475 Crafts & Supplies
480 Camera/Supplies
485 Electronics
490 Computer/Acces.
495 FOR FREE
500 Pets and Supplies
505 Livestock/Poultry
510 Office Supplies
520 Store/Cafe Equip.
525 Bus. Shop Equip.
530 A/C - Heating
540 Bldg. Materials
550 Portable Bldgs.
560 Machinery/Tools
570 Oilfield Supplies
580 Farm Equipment

Rentals 600

600 Rooms For Rent
601 Hotel Rms - Rent
603 Rm. mate Wanted
604 Wanted To Rent
605 Apts. Furnished
610 Unfurnished
615 Furn./Unfurn.
620 Houses Furn.
625 Unfurnished
630 Furn./Unfurn.
635 Condo/Townhom furnished
640 Unfurnished
645 Furn./Unfurn.
650 Mobile Homes: Furnished
655 Unfurnished
660 Mobile Home Lots
665 Bus. Prop/Offices
667 Comm'l Property
670 Warehouse/Stor
675 Rec/Resort
680 Out of Town
685 Hunting Leases
690 Oil/Gas Leases

Real Estate 700

700 Mfgr. Homes
701 Real Estate
710 Open Houses
720 Homes For Sale
725 Condo/Twnhome
730 Suburban Prop.
735 R.E. Wanted
740 Out of Area Prop.
750 Lots and Acreage
760 Farms/Ranches
770 Resort Property
780 Business Property
785 Warehouse/Stor.
790 Investment Prop.

Who's Who For Service 800

GET RESULTS BY: Using unique selling points • Using complete words • Creating mind images with words • Always include a price • Use brand names when appropriate • Always include your phone number • Always include best times to call you • Give your ad a chance to work by advertising for a reasonable amount of time.

When Your Ad Is Due

Edition	Word Ad Deadlines Deadline		Display Ad Deadlines Deadline	
Monday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	4:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Monday	6:00 p.m.	Friday	4:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Tuesday	3:00 p.m.	Monday	4:00 p.m.
Thursday	Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Tuesday	4:00 p.m.
Friday	Thursday	6:00 p.m.	Wednesday	4:00 p.m.
Saturday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	1:00 p.m.
Sunday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	4:00 p.m.

When To Call

Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. for corrections and cancellations only

Our Phone numbers are:

Classified 682-6222
Fax 682-3793
Toll Free 1-800-881-8164

Mailing Address Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland Tx 79701, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx. 79702

We Welcome Your Suggestions or Comments. Please Call:
Dick Hardin, Classified Adv. Manager 682-5311
Paige Moon, Asst. Classified Manager 687-8820
Ember Hasenkamp, Class. Telephone Supervisor 687-8813

Super Seller
3 lines 7 days $10
Items must be of a general household nature and can be properly classified in the following classifications: Miscellaneous Sales; Household Goods; Sporting Goods; Antiques & Art, Musical Instruments; Cameras & Supplies; Radios; Stereos & TV's; Computers & Accessories. Only one item per ad and price must not exceed $350.

"HAPPY ADS"
for any occasion
Only $36
(without picture, $42 with picture)
Anniversaries • Welcome Home
Remember When • Congratulations
Just Because • Birthdays

Rate & Credit Policies
Rate charges are determined at the time of placement. All ads accepted are subject to credit approval. Some classified categories require payment in advance. Credit applications are also required for business accounts. Yearly contract agreements are available. The Midland Reporter-Telegram reserves the right to correctly classify and edit all copy or to reject or cancel any advertisement at any time.

Cancellations
The price of your ad will be based on the number of days published according to our rate structure. Call (915) 682-6222 - ask for your cancellation number. This is your record of cancellation and it is important that you have it in the event of any misunderstanding or adjustment. "Super Seller" and "Real Wheel Deal" ads may be cancelled, but are non-adjustable and non-refundable.

Errors and Adjustments
Please check your ad the first day that it appears to be sure that all of the information is correct. This will ensure that your ad is exactly what you want readers to see. Call us the first day if you find an error at 915-682-6222. To report an error in Saturday's edition call Saturday morning between 8a.m. and 10a.m. Errors in Sunday's edition should be reported on Monday morning after 8:00 a.m. We must limit our financial responsiblity, if any, to the charge for the word or space, and cannot be held responsible for incorrect ads after the first day of publication.

Omissions of Ads
The Midland Reporter-Telegram assumes no financial responsiblity in an ad beyond the cost of the ad itself, and no responsiblity for the omission of an ad.

FREE BEE
FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
If your are a private individual selling one item for $75 or less you can place a 15 word classified advertisement for 4 days absolutely FREE in the Midland Reporter-Telegram.
Other restrictions apply.

"Sell It In 10" or We'll Run It Again"
3 LINES 10 DAYS $15
EACH ADDITIONAL LINE $5.00
If you have a car, truck, van, RV, motorcycle, boat or airplane we'll advertise it for 10 consecutive days. In the unlikely event you don't sell it we'll run it another 10 days at no charge. At the end of 20 days if it still hasn't sold we'll run it another 10 days at no charge, if you'll reduce the price by 10%. Price must be in ad. Only one vehicle per ad. For private individuals only (non-commercial).

Real Wheel Deals
ONLY $25
(Includes Picture)
If you have a car, truck, van, motor-home, motorcycle, airplane, bicycle or anything with wheels, your ad will be scheduled for 14 DAYS. When you get the desired results simply call us and we will cancel it immediately for only $25. For private individuals only.
Photos Taken Each Tuesday From 2-3 p.m. At The Midland Reporter-Telegram

Midland Reporter-Telegram • To Place An Ad Call 682-6222 or 1-800-881-8164

110 Lodge Notices

Acacia Masonic Lodge 1414
1000 Upland
Stated meeting 2nd & 4th Tue. at 7:30 pm.
Leonard Wood, W.M.
Al Talbot, Sec.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland
Next stated mtng 3/18/95, E.A. Degree. Breakfast 7:30 am. Meeting at 8:30 am.
James Hammit, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secty.

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509. Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dine 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm.
Larry Ross, Pres.
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

Classified Can! 682-6222

119 Lodge Notices

Midland Masonic Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall
F.C. Degree
March 6, 1995
7:00 pm
682-3292.
H.B.Walker, Jr., W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

115 Announcements

NEEDED 75 people who are seriously interested in losing between 5 and 200 pounds. Call 567-7988.

120 Public Notices

ELECTRIC forklift. Pettybone Mercury. 3,000 lb. New tires, new battery, new hoses, new brakes. Maybe seen at the Post Office located at 10000 Sloan Field Blvd., Midland Texas. Sealed bids must be turned in by the 3rd and 13th of 1995. As is- Where is.

130 Personals

1-800-442-7080, Ext. 220. toll Free. Midland Singles.

HERBALIFE. Independent Distributor. Call me for products or opportunity. Beverly 520-8222 (Midland).

T. N. T., please call Grandma.

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

150 Lost & Found

LOST 3/5/95 big white lop eared bunny with gray ears. Neely and Garfield. area. 683-8749.

FREE to good home. Black female lab. mix. All shots and spayed. Needs tall fence. 686-3930.

FOUND beautiful tattooed cat at Windtree Apartments. 684-6616, 570-1471.

LOST tan and white Cocker Spaniel with freckles on his nose. Goes by "Dusty". If found, please call 689-6660.

162 Mortgages Wanted

ABSOLUTE top dollar for notes, structured settlements, annuities, lotto winnings. Free note selling kit. 1-800-666-1498.

ABSOLUTELY the best cash prices for all or part of your real estate mortgage note. Colonial Financial Services. 550-2025, (800) 283-2025.

NOTE on personal home. Great reduction on face value. 570-9422 or 699-5923.

FREE Quote- No Obligation. Cash for all type notes. South Plains Mortgage Company, 520-4150, 1-800-900-NOTE.

WE pay cash for owner financed notes & mortgages. Call 1-800- 766-0177 for free quote.

170 Schools/ Instruction

PRIVATE Tutoring in multisensory reading for dyslexia, A.D.D., and reinforcement reading. Certified Teacher, Language Therapist. 686-8057.

200 Automobiles Domestic

"We pay Cash for clean, used cars. Paid for or not!" 697-3115 ● 563-1348

BERG MOTOR COMPANY
OLDS, CAD, GMC
For Full Sales & Service
3205 W. Wall 694-7741

BUICK 1981 Century 4 door. Loaded. $500 or best offer. 520-8201.

BUICK 1982 Skyhawk Limited. DODGE 1982 Omni. BUICK 1977 Electra. 687-6383.

BUICK 1984 Century. Some new parts, good tires, will sell for parts or mechanic project. See at 3804 Fannin, call 699-1380.

BUYING and hauling old and junked cars and trucks. Call Jim, 683-0812.

CADILLAC 1991 Eldorado touring coupe. 57,000 miles, black, loaded, power sunroof, must see. Taking bids. Call Beneficial Texas Incorporated. 563-3900. 9:30 -5:00.

CHEVROLET 1981 Impala. 4 Door, runs good, Call 694-2808 after 6 pm.

CHEVROLET 1975 Malibu. Well maintained. $500 or best offer. Call 697-5649.

200 Automobiles Domestic

CHEVROLET 1983 El Camino. 350 engine, maroon with white top. $1,500 or best offer. 520-7032.

CHEVROLET 1985 Impala. Good condition. $1,750. 570-7261.

CHEVROLET 1991 Corvette. White with gray leather interior. Excellent condition, low mileage, CD player, cassette deck, other extras! $23,000. Call John, 694-4235.

CHEVROLET 1992 Lumina. 37,000 miles. Transferable extended warranty, great condition. $9,500. 699-6287.

CHEVROLET 1994 Camaro Z28. Automatic transmission, all options, metallic blue. 9,200 miles. $17,750. 332-1427.

CHRYSLER 1994 Concord. 4 door, 3.5 liter, V6 engine, loaded with CD stereo, low mileage. 699-2575.

DODGE 1985 Diplomat. 4 door, dependable transportation, well maintained. Lots of new parts. $1,800. 694-2959.

FORD 1987 Taurus. Approx. 90,000 miles, loaded. V6, runs well. White, blue interior. $2,700. 697-8613.

200 Automobiles Domestic

200 Automobiles Domestic

200 Automobiles Domestic

MID-TEX AUTO HAS MOVED AND WE ARE: ON THE RIGHT TRACK FOR VALUE
OPEN 1-5 SUNDAYS

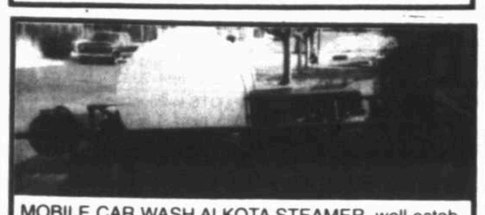
Your Choice For Just $666.00 DOWN
No Tax, Title & License

1992 Nissan Sentra-4 door, grey with grey cloth, excellent condition, low mileage, very clean. Was $7995.00..$6995.00
1988 Isuzu Trooper II 4x4 LS-Maroon & tan, 4 door, really clean & ready to go. Was $6995.00.....$6495.00
1990 Ford XLT Lariate S-"Cab-Red/maroon, loaded with all the equipment. Was $8995.00.....$8300.00
1992 Ford F-150 Custom King Bed-Blue, super nice truck. Was $8995.00.....$8300.00
1990 Dodge Ram LE Ext. Cab-Black & red inteiror, nice. Was $8995.00.....$7995.00
1987 Chevrolet Sub Silverado-Beige/beige bucket seats, rear doors, nice, clean, family transportation.....$6995.00
1989 Pontiac Sunbird-2 Door, maroon, grey interior, clean, pre-owned and ready to go. Was $3995.00.....$3495.00

Mid-Tex Auto Sales 2200 W. Front • Midland

1992 FORD EXPLORER XLT. White w/blue cloth. One owner, non-smoker, always garaged, immaculate. 55k miles. $15,900. See at Park & Sell or call 682-3289.

1993 ELDORADO CADILLAC. Low mileage, two door touring coupe. Beige with leather interior. All extras. Call 699-4361 or 684-3864.



MOBILE CAR WASH ALKOTA STEAMER, well established clientele, excellent income opportunity for anyone. For more info. call 520-9710.

1991 CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE. White with tan top. 6-speed, CD Gold Bose stereo, leather. 27,000 miles. Excellent condition. $24,500. 687-6250.

1984 JEEP GRAND WAGONEER 4X4, All P/Windows, locks, new tires. Excellent condition, automatic. Call 689-7141, 4313 Pasadena Dr. Bargain $3,925.

1986 CHEVY CONVERSION VAN. All leather interior, triple fold rear seat, dual air. Fully loaded. Only 58K miles. 684-0005.

1993 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN. Pwr, cruise, tilt, built-in child safety seats. White w/blue int. Excellent condition. $14,000. 571-3209 day. 550-8162 evening.

PONTIAC 1994 FIREHAWK. 350 LTI 315 hp. Only 500 made. Power everything. Leather. Red. Perfect condition. Call 697-2637 weekdays after 7:00 p.m.

1989 FORD EXPLORER Conversion Van. Solid oak trim. Excellent condition, extra clean. Dual A/C fully loaded, 302 EFI V-8. 90K miles. $10,500. 684-5746.

1994 ROAD RANGER 33'. Two electric slides, two AC, fully self-contained, 6.5 Onan. 1990 F-350 460. Both $32,500 or will split. Or best offer. 689-4137.

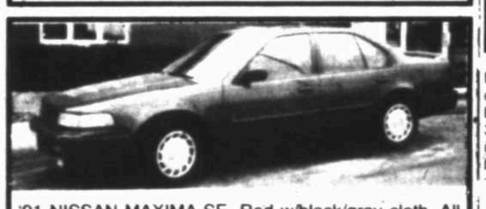
MERCURY 1985 CAPRI. 5.0L rebuilt engine. Recently repainted red w/gold stripe. Air, AM/FM cass. Excellent condition. $4,950. 688-0249 days, 684-6912 evenings.

1991 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE, 4Dr/4WD, One Owner, 61K, 100K warranty, fully loaded, sun roof, ski rack, excellent condition. 699-0600.

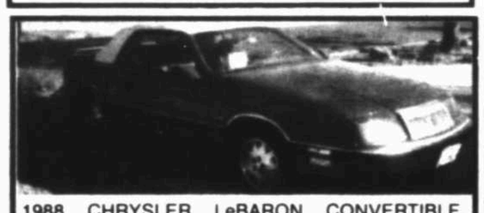
1985 OLDS CUSTOM CRUISER WAGON. All power with 3 seats. Good rubber, non-smoker, good gas mileage. Good clean solid car. $2,500. 563-1488.

1988 FORD DUALLY. 7.3 diesel 5-speed manual with O/D. Service bed. $6,500. 689-4050 or 683-3160. Midland.

1993 FORD RANGER XLT. Red/red interior. 5-speed. Extra clean. Only 11,500 miles. $9,250. 684-8821 after 5 p.m.



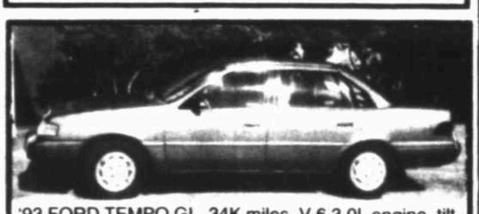
'91 NISSAN MAXIMA SE. Red w/black/gray cloth. All power, sunroof. Excellent condition. For more information call 684-8907.



1988 CHRYSLER LeBARON CONVERTIBLE, Red/Gray, 60,000 miles, leather, loaded, excellent condition, new tires. $6,500. Call 684-4145.

1988 735i BMW, Tan leather interior, new tires, good condition, 99,700 miles, $12,125. Call 699-5311 or 682-8351.

1993 EXPLORER XLT 4X4. 5spd, Brilliant blue, 17,800 miles. Warranty. Loaded with extras. Excellent condition, pampered. Must see this one. $18,400. 686-1930.



'93 FORD TEMPO GL. 34K miles. V-6 3.0L engine, tilt, cruise, air, p/locks & seats. 4 doors. Cassette stereo. Excellent condition! $8,200. Evenings only 694-9877.

1952 RED CONVERTIBLE M.G. REPLICA. Volkswagen power. Stereo & equalizer good tires. Runs good. Call 520-9130.

1994 PONTIAC TRANS AM. Black 350 LT-1, 6-speed, T-tops, CD player, leather, tilt, cruise, p/windows & locks. 21k. Excellent condition. $17,500. 570-7553.

GET RESULTS BY:
Using unique selling points • Using complete words • Creating mind images with words • Always include a price • Use brand names when appropriate • Always include your phone number • Always include best times to call you • Give your ad a chance to work by advertising for a reasonable amount of time.

1983 DELOREAN, Stainless Steel, 2,800 miles, gull wing, bought new last series #634 of 800, garaged, like new. 697-2261.

1989 FORD CUSTOM VAN. Dual air, TV, CB Radio, dual radio cassette, 86k miles, $8,500. Call 689-0456 or 688-5460.

1984 LINCOLN TOWN CAR Cartier designer model. Clean, excellent condition, one owner, well maintained. $3,250. 694-9508.

200 Automobiles Domestic

DRY DOCK AUTOS
BUY- SELL- TRADE
We Finance
Corner Fairgrounds Road, Garden City Hwy.
Rudy Granado
Juan (Johnny) Galindo
570-5153

FORD 1984 Crown Victoria LTD. Excellent condition. $2,500. Call 684-7822

FORD 1986 Mustang convertible LX. 58,000 miles. New top, new tires. 689-0292.

Friendly Pontiac Chrysler Plymouth Sales & Service 3705 W. Wall 684-7101 or 563-1543

Jack Sherman Chevrolet Geo, Buick, Mazda Sales & Serv. 4100 W. Wall, 694-9601

MERCURY 1977 Grand Marquis. low mileage, runs good, $1,000 O.B.O. 520-9032.

MERCURY 1989 Sable. V6, 68K. Extra nice. $6,450 book, asking $5,395. #20795A. 570-7368.

NATIONAL CAR RENTAL & SALES. Midland International Airport, 563-4412.

OLDSMOBILE 1989 Toronado, extremely clean, with low mileage. 699-0638.

PONTIAC 1985 Grand Prix. 305 V-8, automatic, T-tops. Good car! $2,850. 520-3540 after 5 pm.

PONTIAC 1989 Bonneville SSE. 79,000 miles, good shape, white with beige leather interior. $7,800. 682-6478.

PONTIAC 1991 Firebird. Red, 5.0 liter, loaded and with ground effects. $8,000. 694-5619.

ROGERS FORD
Sales & Service
4200 W. Wall 694-8801.

WE BUY running and non running cars and trucks and also haul off unwanted vehicles at no charge. 686-8917.

WE Buy Used Cars & Trucks. Bi-Rite Auto Sales 3307 Andrews Hwy. 697-0151

205 Classic Cars

BUICK 1938 4 door sedan. Straight 8, dual side mounts. $4,000. 697-6840 leave message.

CHEVROLET 1962 Corvette Convertible. White with red interior. 682-1500 after 6 pm.

CHEVROLET 1965 Chevelle Malibu. Great condition. New tires & interior. 64K miles. 683-0217. 697-5766 after 5.

FORD 1966 Mustang. 289, Air, rebuilders dream. 100's of new parts. Must sell. Asking $2,000. 520-6521.

MERCEDES 1960 190SL Roadster. Both tops, nice original condition! $17,000/ possible trade. 697-8051.

OLDSMOBILE 1968 Toronado. License and inspected. Must see and drive! $2,500 or best offer! 570-0915.

PLYMOUTH 1968 Barracuda. Solid body, 6 cylinder, standard transmission. 699-5325

210 Automobiles Imports

MERCEDES 1992 400E. Local car, immaculate condition, black pearl with gray interior, 31,000 miles. $37,500. Financing available. Call 683-8626 before 9 pm.

BRONCO BMW
Sales AND Service
2346 E. 8th, ODESSA
(915) 335-5911

DATSUN 1980 200SX. Sport coupe, 5 speed, a/ c, stereo, nice. $1,450. 682-8311

HONDA 1988 Accord LX. 4 door, dark blue, dark blue interior, new tires, one owner. Excellent condition. $6,000. 689-7901.

HONDA 1988 Accord LX. 5-speed, 4 door, loaded, 74K, xtra nice. 570-7368 or 694-8545.

ISUZU 1987 I Mark. 58K, 4 door, a/ c, cruise, auto, am/ fm cassette. $2,500. 694-0672.

LEXUS 1994 GS300. 14,500 miles. White with gray leather. Loaded, non smoker. $37,500. Call after 5, 682-0809.

LITTLEFIELD Automotive "Best Complete Service for Imported Autos." 1810 W. Front, Midland. 683-8611.

MERCEDES 1983 300D Turbo, Black/ tan leather, sunroof, 150K, $4,500. 697-1799.

MERCEDES 1980 450 SEL. Excellent condition. $8,900. 570-6516.

MERCEDES BENZ 1991 300E 2.6. White with gray leather. Loaded, non smoker. 56,000 miles. $24,000 o.b.o. Call after 5, 682-0809.

MITSUBISHI 1992 GT SL. Red, gray leather, 5 speed, 31,000 miles. Extended warranty, factory alarm, loaded. $16,500. 682-4853.

MITSUBISHI SALES
& SERVICE
BERG MOTOR COMPANY
3205 W. Wall 694-7741

NISSAN 1991 Maxima GXE. Fully loaded, Bose system, tinted windows, sunroof, spoiler, burgundy interior. Immaculate condition. $14,100. 682-7604.

TOYOTA 1976 Celica GT. New engine, clutch, brakes and radiator. runs great. 520-2104/ 682-4802.

VOLVO 1988 760 GLE. Blue, 80k miles, nice, clean. List $9,600, asking $9,000. 689-8381.

VOLVO 1992 240DL Wagon. Low mileage, white, 3rd seat, financing available. $15,000. 686-9009 after 6.

DOTSON NISSAN INC.
We buy used cars.
Parts★Services★Sales
3917 W. Wall, Midland
(915) 520-2603

220 Trucks & Vans

FORD 1987 Ranger. Good conditon, 6 cylinder, air. 520-8806

200 Automobiles Domestic

UN-BELIEV-ABLE!
I SHOULD CALL GUINESS
2 THUNDER CHICKENS
In Stock
'91 Super Coupe in Flashy Red & '94 in Forest Green. Both have moonroofs, alloy wheels, all power equipment and both in mint condition.
Call Dennis Matta at 697-3293 or 563-2919

1994 GRAND PRIX SE
4 dr, several colors, fully loaded
$13,995

Tommy "Flattop" Johnson — Kris Crow
'93 98 REGENCY ELITE.....$18,995 +TT&L
'93 CORSICA LT V-6.....$8,995 +TT&L
'94 BUICK CENTURY
Several colors, fully loaded.....$12,995 +TT&L
TRADE-INS WELCOME SE HABLA ESPANOL
AVIS CAR SALES 563-0814 9914 Sloan Field Road
MIDLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

220 Trucks & Vans

CHEVROLET 1985 Pickup truck. Asking $2,350 or best offer. Good condition. 570-4843.

CHEVROLET 1986 Suburban. Loaded, new transmission, tires, brakes and upholstery. $5,800 or best offer. 684-6549.

CHEVROLET 1988 Suburban Silverado. Loaded, priced to sell. $6,550. 684-9060 Days, 686-1822 nights.

CHEVROLET 1989 C1500 1/2 Ton. 1 owner, excellent condition. $7,500. 570-6516.

CHEVROLET 1990 Suburban silverado. 4x4. Loaded, new tires. Excellent condition. 93,000 miles. Reduced $14,500. 697-6815.

CHEVROLET 1992 Raised roof conversion. 4 door, all leather, power sofa bed, 4 captains chairs, 2 cassettes, 10 CD stack, custom wheels, TV, VCR, power windows and locks, tilt, cruise, fiberglass running boards. You get the picture .... Priced to sell quick! U.S. Conversion $19,995. Please call 520-2308 or 699-4454.

CHEVROLET 1992 Silverado 1/2 ton, 4x4, extended cab, shortbed, Z-71 package, white with buckskin interior. Very clean, 111K, $12,000. 699-2021 after 6 pm.

CHEVROLET 1994 Conversion Van. Full size, 350 V8, 2000 miles. List price $33,500, price $23,500. 550-3101 or 367-7786 (Mike).

CHEVROLET 1978 window van. 350 automatic. $750. Good condition. 563-0627.

DODGE 1992 Dakota. 36K, economy plus, no air, 4 cylinder, 5 speed. $5,800. Call 684-8248 or after 5 call 686-7386.

FORD 1987 Areostar. Must sell immediately. $3,200 Or best offer. Randall 520-0377 or 694-8514.

FORD 1989 3/4 TON pickup. F250. 351 cu. in. 150,000 miles. $5,925. 697-2836.

FORD 1991 SuperCab XL Series, 5 speed, cruise, power, am fm, good condition. $8,250. 570-4292.

FORD 1991 XLT Supercab Lariat 1/2 ton, short bed, 5 speed, 85K miles. Real clean. $8,800. Located at Park N Sell, 699-7275.

GMC 1987 Suburban. 4 x 4, fully loaded, dual a/ c, excellent condition. $6,000. After 5, 683-8837.

JEEP 1990 Comanche pickup. 2 WD, 95K miles, tool box, AT tires, sports package. $5,300 682-4502 or 683-8825

MAZDA 1986 B2000. Needs engine work, $1,200. 1984 F150 Ford with camper shell, $3,500. 697-1323 after 3 pm.

MAZDA 1989 Extended Cab. Runs and drives excellent. New paint. $3,250. 694-4985.

NISSAN 1993 Quest XE Van. Fully loaded, excellent condition with extended warranty up to 54,000 miles. Retail book price $18,500, will sell for $16,500. Call 699-4769. Serious Inquires Only.

PLYMOUTH 1993 Grand Voyager. Now accepting bids until March 10, 1995. Hanway Inc. 6923 E. Hwy. 80 Odessa. 366-0018.

225 4x4 Vehicles

JEEP 1995 Wrangler. Black with black hard top, tilt steering, carpet, am/ fm cassette, under 3,100 miles, 5 year warranty. Call 563-2368, asking $16,000.

JEEP 1994 WRANGLER. 4x4. Soft top, standard, 10,500 miles. $13,600. 367-8016.

230 Commercial Vehicles

MACK 1978 R Model. 12,000 ST, 44,000 camel back rear, 300 HP, 6 speed, double frame, TTO, a/ c, power steering. (915) 537-2201.

240 Motorcycles

1988 GOLDWING Aspencade. Fully loaded with trailer. Excellent condition. $7,500. 682-8743.

245 Trailers Utility

TERRY'S Trailers, 1403 Garden City Hwy. Hitches, light wiring, trailer repairs. New and used trailers for sale. We also rent trailers. Truck and pickup ringing a specialty. (915) 688-5198.

200 Automobiles Domestic

10 NISSANS JUST ARRIVED - MAXIMAS - ALTIMAS & SENTRAS

BUICK	OLDSMOBILE	MAZDA
CENTURY	ACHIEVA	323
SKYLARK	CIERA	MX3
LESABRE	DELTA 88 ROYALE	MX6
CHEVROLET	NINETY EIGHT	626
CAVALIER	CUTLASS SUPREME	PROTEGE
CORSICA	PONTIAC	GMC
LUMINA EURO	GRAND AM	SAFARI VANS
CAPRICE	SUNBIRD CONV.	NISSAN
LUMINA APV	SUNBIRD	SENTRA
CADILLAC	BONNEVILLE	MAXIMA
DEVILLE	GEO	ALTIMA
SEVILLE	PRISM	TOYOTA
FLEETWOOD		CAMRY

National Car Rental's
FLEET CLEARANCE CENTER
209 Pilot Rd.
Midland Intl. Airport 563-4412

WANTED (QUALITY USED CARS)
Performance Autoplex is Buying 100's of Used Cars Even if you still owe money.
REWARD (TOP DOLLAR PAID)
Contact Jim Bob At 697-3293

250 Recreation Vehicles

1984 21 foot Hi-Lo travel trailer, self contained, shower and bath, AC, awning, good condition. $6,500. 687-6731.

1994 32' WILDWOOD 5th Wheel, wood floor in kitchen, double glide out. Call 682-1500 after 6 pm.

1994 Road Ranger. 33' 2 a/ c's, 2 glide outs, 6.5 Oman, lots of extras, don't miss. $24,500. 689-4137.

1994 WILDERNESS 28' fifth wheel travel trailer. Fully loaded, electric jacks, slide out and window awning, microwave. Never used. $20,000 Negotiable. 267-2209, leave message.

Must sell this week! 1995 35' Fully Self contained travel trailer. Air, washer and dryer, hide-a-bed, roll out awning, walk around bed. $13,700 or best offer. (915) 563-2518.

INTERNATIONAL 1995 32' Travel Trailer. Loaded, washer, dryer, microwave, central air, rubber roof. Must sell right away. Used once. $12,800. 686-9757.

FROM CAR KEYS TO PIANO KEYS
CLASSIFIED HAS IT ALL
682-6222

"BLOWOUT" SALE . . .
1994 SKAMPERS
* AIR COND (11,000 BTU)
* REFRIGERATOR
* HEATER
* STEP
* PORTA POTTI
*$99 Down Pmt.
BILLY SIMS TRL. TOWN
520 E. 2nd. Odessa
580-3000
Open 6 Days A Week

BLAKELY RV COMPLEX
1 Mile West of Warfield
On I-20 - 561-9551
TERRY & MALLARD 5TH WHEELS & TRAILERS
SOUTHWIND-FLAIR-TIOGA MOTORHOMES

KING OF THE ROAD 1984 25' Travel Trailer. Great layout and condition. $4,500. 520-3123.

NEW Motor Home Rental Company! Make your vacation reservations now! Call 694-7144.

260 Boats & Motors

15' CARAVELLE Boat with 85 horse Mercury motor with plenty extras! Good condition, 683-5981.

MARK TWAIN 1977 17'. 165 Merc- Cruise, new engine. Tandem trailer, new tires. Nice, ready for the water. $4,250. 570-4292.

1978 18.5' SKI/ Fishing boat, 115 h.p. Mercury with power trim and tilt. $3,000. Call after 5 pm, 697-0832.

1982 TIDECRAFT bass boat w/ 60 hp Mariner, excellent condition, $2,500. 683-9231, 689-7949.

290 Parts Accessories

REMANUFACTURED - ENGINES. Tune- ups, brakes, air conditioning, diagnostics. Ron's Engines, 685-1076 or 1-800-974-1076.

305 Job Services

U.S. GOVERNMENT Jobs Hiring Now: 100's of Entry Level Openings Updated Daily. Call Toll Free 1-800-225-1020 ext. #3200.

310 General Help Wanted

ASSISTANT MANAGER
Assistant manager needed by the Midland branch of World Finance. Auto required. This is a manager trainee position and a career opportunity that offers excellent salary and a complete fringe benefit package. Promotion to manager possible within 15 months. No experience necessary. For appointment phone Marcus Stanford at 570-0291. E.O.E. M/F

INSTALLERS- AT&T Security system dealer needs alarm installers. Knowledge of electronics, neat appearance, good with people. Experience a plus. Crime Alert, Inc. 1(800)352-1650 or FAX (806) 354-7907, att: Marc.

AUTO DETAILER WANTED. Those experienced and well trained in buffing only need apply. Must also have experience in interior detail. Splash of Class Detailing, 619 W. Wall.

AVON- part time, full time, any time. Verla 520-0119, Independent Sales Rep.

CARE GIVER- NEED full time baby room care giver. Must have high school diploma and some experience. Applications will be taken between 1- 2:30 pm at 2600 W. Illinois.

COLLECTIONS Representative needed full time. No experience necessary. Must speak fluent Spanish. $6.50 per hour. Please Send resume to P.O. Box 50771, Midland, TX 79710. Attn: Kim Franklin.

COUNTER- Cashier Help needed part time and full time. Apply Comet Cleaners 3108 W. Cuthbert between 9- 3.

CRANE Operator with experience for local sign company. Some out of town work. 683-2649.

DELIVERY- SEEKING individuals to deliver San Angelo Standard Times in the Midland area. Earn approx. $400 per month. Early morning hours. Must be bondable. Call 1-800-588-1884 Ext. 293.

DISSATISFIED? Looking for an opportunity to earn good part time income without risking your full time occupation. Call 560-2950.

DRIVERS
Need experienced **Tranport** and **vacuum truck** drivers. CDL license required and drug screening. No phone calls. Apply in person:
Trey Trucks
1 Mile East of I-20 on Hwy 158

DRIVERS- IMMEDIATE Openings for Tractor- Truck Drivers. Must have 2 years minimum experience current CDL license and be able to pass DOT physical and drug screen. Call (915) 267-1691.

FOR RESUMES that get results. Call 699-1919. Fast service. Reasonable rates. Professional quality.

APARTMENT
FULL time weekend leasing agent needed. No Phone calls please. Apply at 4400 N. Holiday Hill Road.

FURNITURE Repair Person need at Carter's Furniture. applicants should have skills in touch up, repair and upholstery. Also needed: DELIVERY Person. All applicants should be self motivated dependable and trustworthy. Drug screening required. Apply Mon. thru Fri. after 1:30 pm. at Carter's Furniture, 501 E. Illinois.

GENERAL
CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT RENTAL COMPANY
Seeking experienced people for the following positions: rental counter sales, parts, service, mechanic.
Apply in person:
2700 S. Highway 349, Midland

GENERAL
NEW CAREER
Looking for motivated people to help with fast paced firms expansion in Midland. Must like to work with people and be trainable. $2-$5K possible. Various positions. Sales reps, managers, supervisors, trainers. Call for interview appointment 570-0700 or 683-9411 ask for David.

GENERAL help wanted for full time positions. Must drivers have license. Apply in person at Raindance Car Wash, 1103 Andrews Hwy.

310 General Help Wanted

GROOMER Helper, needed Full time. Various duties. Love of animals a MUST! No experience necessary, we'll train. Apply in person. The Pet Store, #10 Meta Drive.

CHURCH- GROWING Pentecostal Church in Odessa needs vibrant music program. Need individual to direct choir, be a musician, have knowledge of Hosanna music. Part- time. 332-4880, 362-5881.

HAIR Dresser Station for lease. Pleasant working condition. Heads First Salon. 694-8869 or 683-7268.

SALON- HEAD TO TOE Loop 250 and Midkiff. Spacious and clean nail and hair stations for lease or will possibly lease entire shop. 520-4477, 520-4488.

LEASING AGENT
One of Midland and Odessa's largest apartment management companies is hiring a Leasing Agent for Hawthorne House Apartments. Full time and some Saturdays. Excellent benefits. Call Sheree at 694-2012 between 9 am-5 pm Monday through Friday.

MAIDS- La Quinta Inn now hiring. Must have 6 months experience. Great benefits. Be a part of our team! Apply in person: 4130 W. Wall.

MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT. High school degree or equivalent. Knowledge of general building maintenance and carpentry, sprinkler irrigation experience helpful, some weekend duties required. Apply in person at The Petroleum Museum 1500 I-20 West.

MECHANIC needed must have own tools. Apply at 1100 Garfield.

MILL Operator, CNC Operator/ Programmer positions available. Applicatioins taken. 682-0856.

NEWS ANCHOR- The KOSA TV News Department is searching for a weekday news anchor to compliment a strong female Co-Anchor. Two years anchoring experience is required. Rush tapes and resumes to: Tim Riggan- General Manager, KOSA- TV, 1211 N. Whitaker, Odessa, TX 79763.

TEMPORARY- full or part time. Telemarketing for Midland Angels Baseball! Apply in person only Monday through Friday 10 am- 12 pm and 2 - 4 pm, 2807 Earhart at the Airport.

ORGANIST wanted to play for church services on Sunday and for choir practice. Please send resume to: Box E-24, C/O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

POOL MANAGER needed. Responsibilities include operating the pool from Memorial day to Labor day. Must have WSI and CPR training. LIFEGUARDS also needed. Must have lifeguard certification and CPR. Apply in person at Ranchland Hills Country Club Tennis Shop, Tuesday thru Saturday.

LAW ENFORCEMENT
QUALIFIED MEN & WOMEN
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A LAW ENFORCEMENT CAREER?
For more information call the City Of San Angelo at (915) 657-4221
Application deadline: March 17, 1995
Test Date: March 25, 1995

RESTAURANT
MAZZIO'S PIZZA
Now hiring day and night shift. Apply 2 - 5 pm, Monday through Friday at 4706 N. Midkiff.

RESTAURANT - Cashier and Wait Person wanted. Apply at Sakura Restaurant, 1501 N. Big Spring.

WATER softner installers helper needed. Must have own transportation. Call 520-0617.

310 General Help Wanted

HAPPINESS IS

AN EXTRA

$350-$800 A MONTH!!!

As a Midland Reporter-Telegram distributor you're an independent contractor running your own small business. Depending on the size of the route(s) you can earn from $350 to $800 monthly, and in some cases, even more!

Actual delivery takes 1 - 2 hours Monday - Saturday, and 2 - 3 hours on Sunday, depending on the size of the route. Papers must be delivered by 6 a.m. on weekdays and 7 a.m. on weekends.

You'll need a valid driver's license, and a dependable vehicle. A modest cash bond is also required to get your small business started.

For more information call the Circulation Department or apply in person

Midland Reporter-Telegram

201 E. Illinois
688-2700

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has routes available now in the following areas:

Lee Freshman Area
DeZavala Area
Crockett Area

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. These routes require a small deposit.

Apply in person or contact the Circulation Dept.:
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois
Midland

688-2700 ext. 3102- - - - - - Pat Keahey
(please leave message)

310 General Help Wanted

RESTAURANT

PINOCCHIOS PIZZA
Now hiring Phone Center Operator. Flexible hours and great working environment. Please apply in person 3303 N. Midkiff- San Miguel Shopping Ctr.

RESTAURANT

SUBWAY
is looking for hard working, dependable honest individuals for counter help. Apply in person at 610 N. Big Spring Street, 1115 Andrews Hwy., or 2300 W. Wadley, after 2 pm weekdays.

RESTAURANT- Gill's is now hiring experienced waitstaff and dishwasher. Apply in person at 4411 W. Illinois between 10 am- 2 pm.

RESTAURANT- NOW hiring for Michael's Charcoal Grill full time/ part time experienced steak cooks, food prep, counter help, cashiers. Apply in person only 4317 W. Illinois.

RETAIL- HEALTH Foods Store- new company hiring part time help. May become full time within a few weeks. Good knowledge of nutrition helpful. Call 689-3917 or mail resume to 2603 Culver, Midland Texas 79705.

SALES Clerk Cosmetology experience needed. Some computer knowledge. Dependable and outgoing. Apply in person to Armstrong Mccall Beauty Supply, 2215 N. Midland Drive, #5C, Midland Drive & Neely.

SEASONAL- Midland Angels accepting applications for Seasonal Employment. Monday-Friday, 1- 5:30 pm at Christensen Stadium. No phone calls.

TEACHER- KinderCare Learning Center is accepting applications for a teacher for the 3 year old class. Apply Monday through Friday between 9- 11 am, 4303 W. Illinois.

CLASSIFIED WORKS CALL 682-6222

310 General Help Wanted

TEXAS EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION NEWS

ATTENTION VETERANS - IS YOUR RESUME:

- Simple
- Brief (not an autobiography)
- One Page
- *Consist of Single-Line Bullet Entries
- Specific
- Clean and Inviting
- Readable within 15 min.

If you are interested in creating a resume employers will want to read, visit our office at 501 N. Loraine, or call the Veterans Representative, Scott Stafford at 915/682-9421, ext. 201.

311 Medical Help Wanted

LVN, EMT or Medical Assistant for busy office. Seeking self motivated individual. Hours 7:45 to 4:45 Monday to Friday. Experience in pediatrics a plus. Apply at 606 B North Kent.

DIRECTOR of Nurses position available with Crane County Care Center. Be a part of our team as we prepare for a move into a NEW building. Qualifications include RN, Management experience, and experience in long- term care a plus. Resumes may be sent to: 1205 S. Sue, Crane Texas 79731 attn.: B. Brown or call to (915) 558-3400 Bonnie Brown

STAFF Nurse, Certified Medication Nurse and Certified Nurse Aides needed. Call or mail resume to: 689-0707 Vicky Hayes or Kay Courtney, Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas 79707. EOE M/F.

311 Medical Help Wanted

HOME Medical Equipment Technician. To set up medical equipment and supplies at patient homes, maintenance and repair, miscellaneous office work. Non- smoking. Good driving record. Previous experienced preferred. $6 an hour plus benefits. Higher pay considered for experienced person. Apply at Seelin Medical, 407 Kent St., Midland.

LVN for 30 bed nursing home. Weekends 7- 3, Thur. & Fri. 3-11, some pm work. Competitive wages; plus mileage. Please call Michelle Smith , RN- DON or Bonnie Brown, Administrator, 1205 S. Sue, Crane Texas. (915) 558-3400.

MEDICAL

Nurses Unlimited, Inc.

Midland Medicare Branch is seeking Field RN's. One year floor hospital experience required. For appointment, please contact: Crystal Garza at 520-0281, Monday- Friday, 8 am-5 pm

EOE.

MT OR Equivalent for doctors office / independent lab. Supervisory experience needed. Monday thru Friday. Will be in charge of all aspects of lab operations. Call 684-4197 or send resume with salary requirements to 606 B North Kent, Midland.

PART- TIME Registered Nurse needed for busy physicians office. Cardiac experience preferred. Mail resume to 2401 W. Wall, Midland Texas 79701. No Phone Calls Please.

RECEPTIONIST
Looking for Receptionist for very busy medical office. Must be energetic, neat in appearance and have excellent customer relation skills. Previous medical and computer experience preferred. Not looking for experience in accounting or bookkeeping. Must like variety and enjoy working with people. Monday through Friday 8:30 am- 5:30 pm. Send resume and salary requirements to:

Box E-25
% Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

VETERINARY Receptionist needed for busy veterinary clinic. Must be able to work Saturday mornings. No typing. Light computer work- we will train you. Pet lovers preferred. Please respond to Box D-5, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

312 Professional Help Wanted

EDUCATION- First Presbyterian Church is accepting resumes for the positions of Pre SCHOOL DIRECTOR and NURSERY DIRECTOR thru March 22, 1995. Apply call Jim Houston-Hencken at 684-7821, 800 W. Texas, 79701.

MANAGEMENT Trainees- Jumburrito Restaurant has positions available. Experience required. Send resumes to: P.O. Box 50607, Midland, TX 79710.

310 General Help Wanted

CUSTOMER RELATIONS MANAGER

Must Possess The Following:
- Good Communication And Leadership skills
- Professional Appearance
- Willing To Learn
- Good Work Ethics

Contact:
Jody Garcia
Mon.-Fri. between 1-5pm
Kelly Grimsley Auto Group
2601 E. 8th Odessa, Tx. 79761
(915) 332-0441

310 General Help Wanted

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has routes available now in the following areas:

Thomason & Midland Dr.

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. These routes require a small deposit.

Apply in person or contact the Circulation Dept.:
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois
Midland

687-8807 - - - - - - Tonya Brandon
(please leave message)

312 Professional Help Wanted

REFERENCE Librarian. Midland County Public Library. ALA accredited MLS. Some evenings and Saturdays. 40 hours, benefits, $20,940. Apply Texas Employment Commission Job #7463616.

SECRETARY- Independent Oil & gas company located in Dallas has immediate opening for land secretary/ division order analyst. Proficient in Lotus and WordPerfect. Send resume and salary requirements to P.O. Box 7808, Dallas, TX 75209-0808.

MANAGERS
THE largest national franchise now hiring for GM and unit management positions. If you have full service restaurant experience, interested in advancement with growing company. Apply at

Denny's
W. Loop 250 N.
686-7111
Ask for Art

WANTED collectors. 2 Years experience including deficiencies, judgments, bankruptcies. Self motivator. Must be able to work flexible hours. Send resume to P.O. Box 4999, Odessa, Tx, 79760, Attn: Asset Recovery.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

Clerical
SECRETARY
PARTTIME

PART TIME secretary needed 20 hours/ week. Must have excellent telephone/ organizational skills and maintain professional appearance. Requirements include proficiency in MS Word and Excel and excellent communication skills. Oil/ Gas experience a plus.

Candidates should send resume to:

Supervisor
P.O. Box 1842
Midland, Texas 79702
EOE M/F/D/V

LAND SECRETARY- Part time. Must have prior oil & gas experience. Need Windows/ computer experience. Please send resume: P.O. Box 2865, Midland, TX 79702.

OLSTEN! The best temporary positions with the best companies. 683-5677 for interview.

V.I.P. EMPLOYMENT. Call us today for information regarding temporary and permanent jobs. (915) 686-9722.

RECEPTIONIST. Full-time for busy non-profit organization. Must be personable with neat appearance and have excellent telephone etiquette. Responsibilities include light typing, filing, computer entries and running errands. Non- smoking environment. Resumes must be mailed by March 13 to:
P.O. Box 10070
Midland TX 79702-7070

SECRETARY- Oil And Gas. Emphasis on land functions, regulatory filing and public relations. Successful applicant will be well experienced with IBM compatible systems, self starter with excellent communication skills, non- smoker. Submit resume with salary requirements: McClure Oil Company, 203 W. Wall , Suite 602, Midland, TX 79701.

"The Luck of the Irish" can't get you an office job, but the "Saints" at Temporary Resources can!. No fee. Call 684-0527!

BUY IT! SELL IT! FIND IT!
IN THE CLASSIFIEDS
682-6222

310 General Help Wanted

310 General Help Wanted

310 General Help Wanted

310 General Help Wanted

311 Medical Help Wanted

311 Medical Help Wanted

HEALTH CARE OPPORTUNITIES

Terrace Gardens Nursing Center, a long term healthcare facility has current openings for:

★ Licensed Vocational Nurses
★ Certified Nurses Aides

Our nurses play an integral role in the care of our patients and in the environment of our care center. If you are a career oriented person dedicated to providing quality patient care we want to speak with you. We offer a competitive salary/ benefit package. If interested, please send current resume or contact:

Ed Penz, Administrator
Terrace West Nursing Center
2800 Midland Drive
Midland, Tx 79707
915-697-3108 or FAX 915-689-0486

312 Professional Help Wanted

212 Professional Help Wanted

FWA DRILLING CO.
is looking for
EXPERIENCED

Longevity Raises After		BASE PAY
	DRILLERS	$13.85
1 MONTH	DERRICK HANDS	$11.30
6 MONTH	MOTOR MAN	$11.10
1 YEAR	FLOOR HANDS	$9.50

RIG UP TRUCK DRIVERS
Cash and Glove, Safety Incentive paid monthly.
Top wages & benefits available
for hands with favrable work record
Apply at:
540 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas

320 Skilled Trades

SHOP ELECTRICIAN. Local company needs someone who is capable of wiring electrical control panels and oil field type skids using either relay logic or programmable logic. Good benefits and working conditions. Send resume to I-2 c/o The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79701.

SPRAY TECHNOLOGIST for plural component coating equipment. Must be experienced in ID & OD shooting coatings. Must have knowledge of polyurethanes, epoxies and equipment maintenance. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume to P.O. Box 1603, Roanoke, TX 76262 or Fax to 817- 491-3570. No Phone Calls.

TECHNICIAN- WANTED: The best HVAC Commercial Service Tech in Texas. Pay will commensurate. Excellent benefit package. Call 1-800-769-0784 for appointment.

WELDERS
Partech is seeking professional single hand welders. Minimum 5 years experience. Welders must be able to read blueprints and pass a 6G, 6" pipe test. Good working conditions and opportunity for overtime. Eligible for full company benefits after six months. Send resume or complete an application at Partech, 4501 South County Road 1310 (East Hwy. 80), Odessa 79765.

330 Employment Wanted

CERTIFIED Aide wants part time position with senior citizens or elderly. Fix meals, Errands. 570-8135.

336 Adult Care Needed

NEED female nurses aide, weekends 9- 1 and 5- 9. Non smoker. Referenced. 694-1343.

336 Adult Care Providers

MORNING Glory Adult Home Care. Vacancy for man or woman. By the hour, day, week or permanent. Full skilled care, certified interpreter on staff for the deaf. Come by or call anytime. 2705 W. Illinois, 697-8749.

IN-HOME Care. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. (915) 520-4425.

SPECIAL love and care for your elderly loved ones. Private or semi- private rooms, excellent meals, special attention given with family atmosphere. Round the clock competent help. 699-6945.

340 Child Care Needed

HOUSEKEEPER/ Babysitter needed. Experienced, full time. Own car, references a must. 686-9999, Mon. thru Fri., 8 am-5 pm.

IMMEDIATE opening for in home babysitter. 1 child, age 15 months. Meals provided. Please provide references. Call 682-1773 after 5 or leave message.

341 Child Care Providers

LICENSED day care. Children 0-5, 7 days per week. Also nights. Call 694-0934, ask for Dean.

LICENSED childcare home has openings. Snacks, lunches provided. 7:30- 5:30, Monday- Friday. 697-4479.

BABYSITTING in my home anytime day or night. Meals and snacks provided. 694-7136.

341 Child Care Providers

MAYNARD Christian Child Care and Pre School now enrolling. All meals, snacks, formula provided. 570-1763.

DEPENDABLE loving child care ages 2- 5. 7 years local experience. Fun, home atmosphere. Also accepting school age for Spring Break. Limited openings for night care. 697-7434.

350 Business Opportunities

LARGE Nursery & Landscaping Company- get ready for the Spring rush! Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers 550-4610.

EXISTING Business for sale. High traffic location in the mall. Must qualify. Serious inquiries only. Ask for C.M. at 602-921-2680.

RETAIL liquor store, over 50 years same location, sales over $185K. B-20 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

OWN YOUR OWN
apparel or shoe store, choose: Jean/ Sportswear, bridal, lingerie, westernwear, ladies, men's, large sizes, infant/ preteen, petite, dancewear/ aerobic, Maternity or accessories store. Over 2,000 name brands. $25,900 to $37,900: inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Can open 15 days.
Mr. Loughlin
612-888-6555

JUST LISTED secretarial service. This is a well established business and profitable. Hamilton & Associates, 550-4610.

FOR SALE: 3 West Texas Convenience Stores with gas. Quality, Very profitable stores. Two include real estate, one is lease property. Prefer to sell all 3 together, but will consider separating Sizable investment - Serious buyers only. Respond with name, address and phone # to: Box E-20, C/O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

350 Business Opportunities

OWNER retiring for health reasons. Operating convenience store for sale. (Building, equipment, inventory, land). Possible Lease/ Purchase. Respond to Box 103, Midland, Texas 79702.

AREA MILLIONAIRE looking for five people who want to make some serious money. 1-800-555-7211.

ATTENTION! Vending has huge profits for you. 12 machines with locations & $900 free candy. $2,995 investment. Homemaker, retirees, students encouraged to apply 800-359-6326 for free information 24 hours.

NO Experience Necessary! $500 To $900 Weekly/ Potential Processing Mortgage Refunds. Own Hours. Call (818) 583-3294, Ext. 634 (24 hours).

GET REAL Estate license quickly. Short state courses. Day, Weekend or evening Southwest College, 697-7277.

MOBILE wash business for sale. Well established, profitable, with broad customer base and good reputation. 686-9406.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

STOVES, appliances, stackable washer/ dryer, TVs, dining sets/ china cabinets. Couches/ chairs, barstools, piano. 570-4851.

FOR sale dark brown mens electric lift recliner in good condition. $450. For sale portable oxygen system with carrying pouch weighs 4 1/2 pounds, 180L capacity. Purchase price $1,275. Like new, $950. For appointment to see, call 687-3302 or 684-7598.

THE GIFT SHOP, Fairmont Park Shopping Center 3323 N. Midland Drive, Suite 113. Open Monday thru Sat. 11- 5:30.

TANNING BEDS. New and used. 1-800-251-8257.

RADYX 10 foot wire mesh satellite dish, Luxor Mark II remote control receiver. $550 or best offer. 687-6731.

WEDDING DRESS. Size 8, Sheath style, was $1,100, asking $450. 689-8096.

3 VICTROLAS, 78 records, jukebox, 2 mountain bikes, lighted gun cabinet, wardrobe, steamer trunk, mahogany dining table (seats 8), wicker furniture. Call 570-0915.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal, Sharp- you name it. Repair all makes. 520-6464.

TREES. 150 Beautiful full grown PECAN trees. Wholesale prices. Pick your own. 25% off. 560-2960.

OVERSTOCK on backyard storage buildings, twenty to choose from, starting $595 and up, delivery and terms available. 563-3108, after 5 pm call 550-5225.

2 WELL located crypts in Resthaven North Mausoleum. 756-3664.

SELF-PROPELLED Kirby Generation III. Like new, $300. 520-9720.

HERBALIFE. Independent Distributor. Call me for products or opportunity. Beverly 520-8222 (Midland).

HERBALIFE Independent distributor, Call Jolene 697-1610.

FOR SALE: Baseball card collection, Mickey Mantle, Yogi Bear, Hank Arron, too much to list all, other miscellaneous. Call 699-7620 leave message.

2 ROUNDTRIP tickets anywhere in Continental US, $300 each. Some blackout dates apply. 697-1376.

1400 BTU refrigerated window air conditioner. $50. 699-5325.

STS RID Satellite reciever and feedhorn. $300. 694-2107.

LADIES Larry Mahan eel boots. 6 1/2, round toe. Originally $470, will sell for $175. 694-7462.

MISSION Durado full membership. Call 699-1780.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

WANT TO BUY small deep freeze, must be in good condition. For sale: small microwave, in new condition, $40. 686-9247.

RESTHAVEN Memorial Gardens- 2 burial spaces in Prayer Garden; lot 141, space 7 & 8. $1,000 for the pair. Call Len Briggs, 1 (915) 362-2331.

MORGAN Spa for sale. 5 seats. $1,250. 694-2393.

2 LOTS in Fountain Garden. Lot 695, plots 1 & 2. 694-1119.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED 1976 GMC motor, small. 682-4887.

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. (915) 687-5039.

NORDICTRACK Wanted. GOOD, used Nordictrack for USED price. 570-7315.

WANTING to buy 1976 GMC Pickup truck. Ron's Engines, 685-1076.

420 Good Things To Eat

WE Buy Pecans! Gardendale Pecan Processing. Shelling and pecan sales, thrashing poles, burlap bags, crackers, bakers tools, honey butter. Open Monday-Saturday 9-12 & 1-6. FM554 in Gardendale. (915) 366-9793.

CUSTOM PECAN SHELLING
I Buy and Sell Pecans in the shell. I also sell shelled pecans. Pickup and deliver. Will also harvest your pecans on shares.
682-4887

430 Household Goods

LARGE Russet colored sectional sofa $300. Large Bassett oak coffee table $150. 684-6123, call after 3:30 pm.

IBM Computer, desk jet plus printer, $750. Waterford chandelier, $1,100. Tuxedo style neutral sofa $600. Loveseat $300. Call to preview March 10, before Garage Sale, Saturday 11th. 685-1840.

WHITE kitchen table with tile top and 6 chairs. $200. Call morning only 699-1519.

PICKET fence. Used cedar fence, 60 feet. $75. 570-8737.

RECLINING Sofa, neutral colors. $100 negotiable. Bassett Blue recliner. $75 negotiable. Good condition. Call 694-5241.

FOR Sale 3 year old electric stove. Call 699-1559, leave message.

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699-1224.

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

KENMORE Washer, 5 cycle $150. 694-5576.

CHERRY Wood highboy 2 piece James Town heritage, $800. Stepstool $100. Very nice condition. 687-0935.

EXCEPTIONAL white upholstered dining room chairs, large wood entertainment cabinet. 687-1097, 9- 6, 570-9623 early and late.

BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123.

★ A & B Appliance. Buy. Sell. Repair. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, freezers. Warranty- Delivery. (915) 550-6540.

SPAS, some Repo's, some trade- ins, some factory seconds. From $695 and up, delivery and terms available. 563-3108, after 2 pm call 550-5225.

You don't need the "Luck of the Irish" to find someone special.

People Meeting People

To Respond To An Ad Call 1-900-230-0042
To Place An Ad Call 1-800-618-0738

Cost of call is $2.19 per minute. Average length is 3 minutes. Must be 18 years of age.

505 Livestock & Poultry

505 Livestock & Poultry

505 Livestock & Poultry

EXOTIC ANIMALS?

Llama Emu
Ostrich Axis Deer
Ratites Rhea
Lizards Frogs
Iguanas Boas
Boer Goats Pythons

Are Exotic Animals Your Specialty?

Then we have an opportunity for you! Our second annual Exotic Animal Special Section will be publishing soon! (March 26th to be exact!). This informative publication has stories, photos, advertising, and more! We are estimating approximately 67,000 reader this year! So...

Call Lori at
915-687-8819 or 1-800-881-8164
and find out how you can be a part of this exiting publication!

430 Household Goods

PAIR Walnut end tables, antique French Provincial sofa and chair, Ethan Allen round dining table, antique mahogany bedroom suite, light oak china cabinet (3 lights in top, beveled glass and mirrored back), several oil paintings priced from $25 up. 684–3784.

COUCH and ottoman, $65. Whirlpool washer, $50. 520–4535.

LIKE new, floral 3 cushion couch and 2 end tables. $225. 697–5991.

KENMORE Washer & dryer, 8 months old, white, $275; queen size bed, brass headboard and bedding $200. 520–3539, please leave message.

MATTRESS , dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards and Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699–1224.

QUEEN size waterbed with 6 drawers and new heater. Good shape. Must sacrifice- $125. 682–4217.

FREEZER, 24 cu. ft. Excellent condition, must sell. 697–8952.

DISHWASHER, built in, electric stove with built in microwave, king waterbed set- motionless, best offer. 520–9032.

CARPET- approx. 140 yards of used brown/ multi shag carpet, good condition. $350. Call 694–3941.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453–2151.

GOOD seasoned firewood; oak or mesquite. Call Larry Tucker, (915) 689–7151.

DENNIS WOOD YARD. Oak, pecan, and mesquite. Call (915) 699–4719 or 553-3307 (mobile). Seasoned wood.

HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD and General Store, 3105 Garden City Highway. Full service dealership. Energy Efficient "Earth" stoves, fireplaces, inserts. Complete line of accessories. chimney inspections and cleaning. All types of firewood. (915) 694–4818, 687-0904, 694-8753.

450 Sporting Goods

COLT AR 15 A2 sporter. Excellent condition. $1,200. 570–8533.

MASTER Gun Smith. Service, repair, & engraving. By appointment only. Please call (915) 684–0809.

450 Sporting Goods

FREE JUMBO DRIVER when purchasing new irons. Customizing grips, repairs. DICK'S CLUBS, 2605 W. Kentucky, 683–2614.

JIM'S CLUBS. Repairs; custom clubs; Big Bertha Irons (clone) $228 set. Regrip $3. 3115 Haynes, 694–1334.

ABOVE ground swimming pool lay- a- way sale. Last year's prices available to the first five customers! Terms and installation available. 563-1807, after 3 pm call 550-5225.

460 Antiques & Art

THE Cats Meow antique mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. (915) 687–2004.

ANTIQUITIES

A new kind of Antique Store.

Imperial Shopping Center #6

Open Tues thru Sat 10-6

689–8999

MIDLAND ESTATE SALES AND AUCTION SERVICE. Call Judy Jackson 682-6147 or Dawna Keith 683-9234.

VISIT The Doll House - Antiques Etc., Plaza Center, Wadley & Garfield. 682-9257.

MATTEUCCI'S Antiques now open in Mission Square! 4400 N. Big Spring. 683–8155.

ANTIQUE Buffet. Very large- a great entertainment center with china cabinet on top. $900. 570–5111.

LEXINGTON Victorian Replica bedroom suite. Paid $8,800, sell for $6,400 firm. 1 year old. 570-5111.

470 Musical Instruments

STEINWAY grand. Baldwin and Yamaha pianos. All fun machines. Several organs. Close out prices. Jones Pianos, Organs, Clocks. 428 Andrews Hwy. 682–7533.

480 Computers & Accessories

✔ MACINTOSH. Complete computer services for your Mac. Upgrades, Training, Custom Systems, PERSONAL Service. 682–3026.

MARS Hill Communications. Local Internet access for Midland and Odessa. Call 699–6543 or 520-3866.

490 Computers & Accessories

HOME OFFICE Equipment: Macintosh SE (expandable) with Image Writer II printer, $450. Large white desk with arm and file drawer on casters $75. Large gray desk with arm $50. Large white bookshelf $25. Call 683–6321.

NOTEBOOK Computer. 486 DX4 75 mhgz 500 meg HD, active color matrix, 8 meg ram. $2,800. Call 560-7765 leave message.

495 For Free

FREE mature German Shephered. Spayed all shots. Toy poodle, mature, all shots, neutered, to good home. 563–3945.

Female Black Labrador, 1 year old , needs good home. 694–0182.

500 Pets & Supplies

MOLUCCAN Cockatoo and African Grey Congo. Young and very tame with cages. Call 570–0915.

REGISTERED American Staffordshire Terriers/ American Pit Bull Terriers. 12 weeks, shots. $100 & $300. 689–3216.

AKC CHOW puppies. Championship Ching Bloodline. Male and females with registration and shots. $150. 550–8149.

FOR sale green iguana and large aquarium, $100. 520–9046.

NEED loving home. 14 Year old white long haired cat. one blue eye, one green eye. Must relocate, can' t take with us. 686–9826 or 687-1123.

"OSCAR" chow/pit bull mix. Red 10 month old neutered male. "MOOCH" large Australian Shepherd/blue heeler mix. 9 mos. old. "DAISY" small spayed female, gray/white terrier mix. "DRAKE" spayed female, black/white shorthaired cat. "DELORES" shorthaired, spayed female, white, black, orange Calico cat.
These plus many more animals are up for adoption a the Big Spring Humane Society. Dogs/puppies are $45, cats/kittens are $35. Covers spay/neuter, vaccinations, leukemia test and rabies shot. 267–7832.

MINIATURE Dachshund AKC puppies. $150. Call 397–2762.

BEAUTIFUL white & beige Lhasa Apso puppies. Have shots, AKC registered. Born Christmas Day. $400 or best offer. 694–6500.

Midland Reporter-Telegram

GARAGE SALES

Call 682-6222 For Assistance In Placing Your Garage Sale Ad

GARAGE SALE SERVICES

RAINBOW INDOOR FLEA MARKET. 1503 W. Industrial Ave. Open 10- 5, Tuesday-Sunday. We Buy- Sell- Trade and take consignments on most any kind of merchandise. 570-4408.

79701

MITCHELL'S Precast Concrete 2215 W. Industrial. Bird baths, pots, benches, table sets, parking curbs. We buy/ sell used furniture. 687–1985.

79701

Shop
BARGAIN BARN
for
POLO, GAP, GIRBAUD, GUESS, & ROCKY MOUNTAINS
Teenage Consignments Welcome!
2420 W. Front
Mon. - Fri. 10 - 5:30, Sat. 10 - 4

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal, Sharp- you name it. Repair all makes. 520–6464.

615 Apartments Furn. & Unfurnished

615 Apartments Furn. & Unfurnished

Dene Kelly Apartment Placement Service has all the specials, Save Time & Money!

FAST • FREE • RELIABLE

Willa Dean Berry
687-2384 • 694-8956 Eves.
Open 7 days a week • 2302 W. Wadley

505 Livestock & Poultry

14 x 32 SHOP/ Storage, double front doors, heavy duty floor, walk- in door, terms and delivery available. 563–1807, after 4 pm call 550-5225.

NORTH TEXAS #1 Alfalfa Hay, horse quality. 2609 Cotton Flat, Midland Texas. Delivery Available. 570–6450.

QUALITY COASTAL HAY. Fertilized, weedless, stickerless, 65 lb. squares, have rounds also. Delivery available. 817-435–2926.

PAINT Stud Breeding $250, Yearling and 2 year old Quarter Horses for sale. (915) 263–1324.

500 ROUND bales Milow, not combined. $30 Per bale. Delivery available. 915 754-5706 day, 915 754-5413 evenings.

HORSE Stalls for rent south of Midland. Reasonable rates. 699–4110.

BBU BEEFMASTER 2 year old bulls, yearling bulls and heifers. Byrd & Heggi, Petersburg (806) 667–3608.

4 YEAR old mule, broke $500.; Yearling filly mule $100; registered yearling sorrel filly- AQHA- Mr. San Peppy breeding $700. 4 year old appendixed brood mare $600. Call 570-6343, if no answer leave message.

530 Air Conditioning Heating

REFRIGERATED air conditioning and heating unit. Runs on 220. Used, but good. Guaranteed 90 days. You install. Motel window type. 682–4887, 694-7031.

550 Portable Buildings

WE move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
MORGAN
(915) 563–1860.

PORTABLE and modular buildings. We will build on-site. We move buildings. 561–5444.

560 Machinery & Tools

2 SNAP ON Toolboxes. One 11 drawer and one 8 drawer floor cabinet. $650. Large wrenches. 699–5325.

UNIVERSAL Horizontal Boring Mill. 3" orber, with attachments. $4,750. Large Shop air compressor $1,750. 570-4292.

WANTED: 22" or 25" engine lathe. 60" to 80" long. 683–2969 or 683-2909.

570 Oil Field Equipment & Supplies

ONE Enerdyne gas processing plant, 350 lb working pressure, capacity 2 million. (210) 833–5551.

FOR SALE: oil field electric motors. Rebuilt/ guarantee from 5 horsepower 1,200-1,800 RPM. 685-0636, 559-4167,682-1546.

FOR SALE: Beam Chemical Pumps (TEXSTEAM). Sucker rods 5/8, 7/8, 1" (New). Pumping Units 40, 57, 80, 114, 320 (Name Brands) Units Parts. 682–6143 or 694-2207 (nights).

FIBERGLASS tank. 300 barrel, 16 1/2 x 8 ft., open, 2 piece. Individual. 570–8737 Midland.

WANTED will buy surplus fluid level guns and dynometers. Call Dean (915) 676-3355.

FOR SALE: Structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682–1546.

580 Farm Equipment

TRACTORS and equipment. New and used. Trailers, welders, tools, chains, etc. 9905 E. Hwy. 80, 458–3412.

600 Rooms for Rent

FURNISHED bedroom. Private entrance & bath. Kitchen and laundry priviledges. Cable. $200 per month. 694–8393.

605 Apartments Furnished

ALL Utilities Paid! 1 & 2 bedroom apartments. Deposit required. 501 W. Louisiana. 685-0911, 683–5161.

REDUCED Rates. Spacious 1 or 2 bedrooms now available. All utilities paid. Refrigerated air. Swimming pool. Laundry. Carports. Imperial Apartments, 405 Sunset, 694-9978.

STUDIOS. 1 & 2 Bedrooms Available. Deposit required. Lexington Hotel, 1003 S. Midkiff, 697-3155.

CORPORATE SUITE

1 bedroom, 1 bath with amenities and weekly maid service. Available 3/ 10/ 95. Call 697–3157 from 8-5:30 Monday thru Friday.

LARGE efficiency. New carpet. Also large 1 bedroom, walk- in closets. Clean. Covered parking. 697–3510.

605 Apartments Furnished

DUPLEX, 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, Kitchen dinette, fenced yard, trees. Nice location. 683–6818.

506 1/2 E. WASHINGTON. Just west of Thelma's Beauty Shop. Water paid. Non-smoker. 684–7409.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

1101 W. Wall, 1 Bedroom apartments, $250 monthly, $100 security deposit, appliances provided, utilities paid. No pets. 682-0470 weekdays.

VILLA TRIESTE
4331 W. Dengar
BARCELONA
4303 Lockheed
Nice large 1, 2 and 3 bedroom apartments in nice quiet complex, ideal for retirees and others. Pool.
For appointment call
694-9311, 694–8591

2 BEDROOMS, 1 bath, stove and refrigerator. $275 a month, $150 cleaning & damage deposit. 686-7042.

3 BEDROOMS, 2 baths, lots of storage. 500 George Street. $350 monthly, $150 deposit. 520-1599.

MARCH MOVE- IN SPECIAL! Sign a 7 months lease and pay $50 for first months rent. Spacious 1 bedrooms starting at $195, 2 bedrooms starting at $325, 3 bedrooms $475. Come see us at Northridge Court Apartments 3417 N. Midland Drive or call 697–2242.

TWO bedroom, 2 story townhouse, 2- 1/2 baths, covered parking, fenced patio, fireplace, laundry room, inside the locked gates of Las Colinas, $595.00 month. 697–8770.

LARGE 1, 2 & 3 Bedroom. Starting at $230. Westpark Apartments, 2928 W. Louisiana. (915) 687–4514.

★ SPECIAL 1 bedroom apartments starting at $179; 2 & 3 bedrooms at reduced prices. Pets okay. $99 deposit. Call Mike 682–1659.

ALL bills paid. 1- 2 bedroom apartment homes, excellent location. $305- $385. Abby Court, 694-2549.

★ WINDSOR PLACE. Parklike setting, peaceful, clean. Studio- 3 bedrooms, $165-$450. Call for availability! (915) 694–6696.

STUDIO. 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, new dishwasher, walk in closets, 2 covered parking. 697–3510.

1 BEDROOM starting at $210. **Call Trellis at 697–0177.**

PRINGLE Management- Now Leasing 2 bedroom, 2 bath apartments at 5 convenient locations. Please Call 550–5969.

THORNWOOD APARTMENTS. 1, 2 and 3 bedroom flats and townhomes. 682–5381.

1 BEDROOM, all utilities paid. Starting at $250. Covered parking, walking distance to hospital. 682–3578.

NICE 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, washer/ dryer connections. Quiet complex. Convenient location. $300 monthly. 694–9853.

TWO story townhouse, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car attached garage, patio. $469.00 month. 682–5622.

CANYON CREEK

Now Leasing: One & Two bedrooms, starting at $209. $100 off first months rent. Senior Citizens discount. 699–7246.

NEVER before occupied, all new, two bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage. $449 month. 682–5622.

ONE BEDROOM, one & one half bath, two story townhouse with enclosed attached garage & patio. $369.00 month. 682–5622.

ONE BEDROOM, one & one half bath, two story townhome, fireplace, laundry room, fenced patio, locked gate community. $495.00 month, one year lease. 697–8770.

SPECIALS- Efficiency 1&2 bedrooms, rehabed, carports, basic cable. 694-2466 The Arches.

SANTA FE APARTMENTS

First months rent **FREE** on 1 bedroom, $99 on first months rent on 2 bedroom.
694–1349

CRESTLAWN Apartments- One bedroom $210; Two Bedroom $235 with water paid. 601- A Watson. 683–2535.

3000 W. KANSAS. Large efficiency, clean, available immediately $245 monthly. Bills paid. Open Sundays. 694–2361.

PATIO Townhouses. 1710 North A. Two bedrooms- private patio, covered parking. One bedrooms available. 682-4783.

★★★★★★★★★★★★

Andalusian Apartments

1904 N. Midland Drive

Pleasant living 1 or 2 Bedroom apartments. Free laundry and basic cable. Covered parking, garages available. Quiet and beautifully landscaped with pool and clubhouse. Starting at $325 + deposit.

Call 694–4001

★★★★★★★★★★★★

610 Apartments Unfurnished

★LA FONDA APARTMENTS★ 500 N. Colorado Street. A Great downtown location! 1 Bedroom apartments. $235/ month. These large, clean, comfortable apartments have complete kitchens, are newly remodeled and have lots of closet space. This is a quiet location; assigned covered parking & laundry room for tenant use. Come by the Office, apartment A-1 (N. side) or call 686–7100, no application fee required.

BE THE first to live in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath cottage, 2 car garage. $549.00 month. 682–5622.

COME fishing with us and catch your own special. Under new management. Come out and see our 1 & 2 bedroom apartments starting at $205 The Oasis Apartments 2700 N. Midland Drive, 694-5950.

625 Houses Unfurnished

✔ WATER paid. 2110 W. Missouri. 2 bedroom, plus office/ nursery. 1 bath. Low utilities. Appliances. No pets. After 10 am 699-4142.

2301 TERRACE; large 3 bedroom, 2 full bath, 2 car garage, 2 living areas, outside storage, water well, large trees. $950 a month, $750 deposit. Call Neill Moore 684–9078.

LARGE duplex, West Storey. 3 Bedroom, 2 baths, double garage with opener, range, refrigerator, fireplace, washer dryer connections. Water paid. $525 monthly + deposit. No Pets. 699–1968 or 694-0423.

4007 Avondale. 2 Bedroom house, $400 monthly plus deposit. 4609 Rankin Hwy. 1 Bedroom all bills paid, $200 monthly plus deposit. 687-6388.

3 BEDROOM, 113 Howard. $445 Monthly, deposit required. 683–5161, 687-3413.

2826 FRONTIER; large 4 bedroom, 2 living, freshly painted. Fannin School. $1,000 monthly. Agent 684–7788.

RENTALS
To Manage or to Lease...Call Nelda Welborn at Chaparral Realtors. Property Management Division.
686-7000

DUPLEX- gas paid. 911 College; 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced yard, refrigerator, stove, hard wood floors. $285/ $75. 699–7538.

1111B NORTH Carrizo. 2 Bedroom, 1 bath duplex- carport. No inside pets. $395. $300 deposit. 685–3380.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath. 1800 E. California. $345 monthly. References. 682-1463 or 687-0924.

EXTRA nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 2 living area, 1 car separate garage. Block fence. 1504 W. Washington. $425/ Deposit $425. References required. 682-6394, after 6 684–8135.

NICE 2 and 3 bedroom houses. .$375- $450/ month plus deposit. Call for list. Williams & Assoc., 694–0663.

4 BEDROOM, 2 bath brick home. Central air/ heat, fenced yard. HUD accepted. $475 monthly, $300 deposit. 520–8407.

FOR RENT or sell 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Fenced yard. Double carport. Call after 5:30 570–1314. Available March 1.

3 BEDROOM with sequestered master, 2 bath, central heat and air, sprinkler system, Bonham, Lee school district. Coldwell Banker Americana Realty. 689-7700. $725 Monthly, $500 deposit.

SEVERAL nice homes and townhomes, $150- $1500 monthly. office $650. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

2 BEDROOM Duplex. Appliances furnished. $295 Monthly, $200 deposit, no pets. 208- A Mitchell, 687–4198.

TOWNHOME- For lease/ option. 2,200 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, large living room, fireplace, large kitchen, formal dining, 2 custom patios and solar pool with fountains. (303) 927–1088.

SINGLE bedroom cottage for rent. Electric range and refrigerator, water furnished. $200 monthly. Call 520-7147.

LARGE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas. 3614 Boyd. $685 per month. Call 520-4935.

2 Story, townhome for rent. Plush gray carpet, fresh paint, sprinkler system. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, $650 monthly. No pets. Owner/ Agent 697-8940, call after 6 pm.

2 BEDROOM house, stove and refrigerator furnished, needs little repair on kitchen sink. Deposit negotiable. $295 Monthly. 684–5465.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

DELMAR Villas, 509 Delmar. Deluxe, 2 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Townhomes, over 1300 sq. feet, in 2 floor plans. Fireplaces, garages, wet bard & washer Dryer connections. Please call 689–8116.

LAFAYETTE Place.West Texas finest townhomes, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, formal dining room, 2 living areas, $1,400 monthly, 1 year lease. 684-0996.

LEASE or lease purchase, 2 Bedroom, 1 bath, covered parking, pool. 501 W. Scharbauer, Apartment #10, $370 monthly. 684–6869.

STYLE, Prestige and Elegance! Very private, intrusion alarms, heated pool, close to Claydesta. 699–6409

FAIRGATE Townhomes- 4400 Fairgate Drive. 2 & 3 Bedrooms $675 & $725 per month. 12 and 6 month leases. 1,600 sq. ft. Approx. All appliances furnished, fireplaces, garage. Northwest side. 697-9566.

LUXURY townhome for lease. 2 Bedroom, 2 full baths upstairs and 1/2 bath downstairs, living room, dining, kitchen, fireplace, small backyard, $695 monthly. 3200 Elma Drive. Call for appointment after 5 pm 520–6413.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

SAGEWOOD Condo; single bedroom loft, 1 1/2 baths, washer/ dryer hookups, covered parking and very quiet. 697–2744, 697-4694.

2 STORY townhouse. 2 Bedrooms, 2 full baths upstairs. Dining, kitchen, den , fireplace, sunroom, 1/2 bath downstairs. , 2 car garage with openers. 687-8327 or 682-7648.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

VERY nice 2 bedroom 1 3/4 bath, double carport, storage, quiet area, off East County Road 60, nice yard, $295 lease, free water/ dumpster, references mandatory! 687–6790.

28X60 1986 FLEETWOOD, 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 17x28 living room, dining room, large kitchen with lots of cabinets and built in table. Walk in closets, utility room, pantry, linen closet, garden tub and separate shower in master bath. Storm windows, wood burning fireplace, 12x16 add on room with 7 1/2'x7 1/2' hot tub, shingle roof, chain link fence, covered carport and patio. Available April 1, rent $575 per month, $300 deposit. 687–6605.

NICE 2 bedroom, 1 bath, in the county. $225 monthly, $200 deposit. 697–6622.

JAN'S Mobile Park, 3002 S. County Road 1210 (S. Midkiff). 2 bedroom, 1 bath. 683-6664 days, after 7 pm 697-4642.

660 Mobile Home Space for Rent

LOOK AT THE REST- THEN
CHOOSE THE BEST
Move- in special
AIRLINE
MOBILE HOME PARK
Between Midland & Int'l Airport
West Hwy. 80. 694-2534

TWIN OAKS-Midland's finest. All spaces have 5 ft. chain link fences, trees, paved streets, cable TV, natural gas, playground, state approved water, basketball court, 24 hr management, free garbage pickup. Cleanest park in Midland. Move-in special. 687-6324 or 683-4169.

CLEAN large mobile home park. Dumpsters, paved roads, free water, cablevision available. $39. 563-3510, 550-7505.

665 Business/Property Office Space Rentals

RETAIL spaces available. Available from 1,476+/ - to 1624+/ - sq. ft. in high traffic, easy access center. Will custom build with competitive rates. Please call 553–5274.

EXCELLENT location for beauty salon will custom build- out. Call in confidence 553–5274.

OFFICE space available, prime Wall Street location, close to downtown but away from traffic problems. One office or multiples. Reasonable rates and terms. 687-6885.

RESTAURANT location with 2760 +/ - sq. ft. available in high traffic area. Equipment can be purchased on site. Call 553–5274.

OFFICE from $100 monthly. Receptionist/ secretarial services $100 monthly. Large office suites also available. 4500 W. Illinois, 520-1500.

DOWNTOWN Office Space. Individual room or suites from $65/ month. No extra charges. 682-6000.

RETAIL/ Office.Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive, B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

RETAIL AND OFFICE. Two prime shopping centers with sizes from 1,240+/ - Sq. Ft. Central and northwest. TRW Properties Corp., 685-0041.

RETAIL Space For Lease- 2400 sq. ft., 3000 sq. ft., & 6000 sq. ft. Reasonable rates & terms. Call 915-235-8290.

ONE Room Office, $70. Two room office $120. MEC Building. Call Beverly Vaughan 686-2008.

667 Commercial Property

METAL Building. 260 County Road 1303 South. Warehouse- 2400 sq. ft. with 12' x 14' bays; 3 offices, drafting area- 750 sq. ft. 520–1500.

PRIME Commercial location at 3415 W. Wall, Midland. Ideal for automotive shop or dealership. 12,500 sq. ft. of shop or warehouse, 1800 sq. ft. of showroom, 1272 sq. ft. of offices. 570-5551.

670 Warehouse & Storage Rental

OFFICE and Warehouse combination. 1200- 3000- 7000- sq. ft., also other sizes. Some with fenced yards. 683-6927.

WAREHOUSE with office, restroom. 800 to 2,000 sq. ft. Midkiff Business Center, Midkiff and Industrial. 683-8681.

MIDLAND INDUSTRIAL WAREHOUSE, 2601 W. Industrial. 1800 sq. ft. and 4500 sq. ft. units available. Dock height and ground access. Security gate - secure units. Contact Terry Hancock, The Bonner Group, Inc. 686-3622.

675 Recreational & Resort Rental

RUIDOSO Alto area. Extra nice condo. 3 Bedroom, 3 baths has everything. (505) 663-8053.

HORSESHOE Bay; 2 bedroom, sleeping loft,. 3 bath condo. Fully equipped. 3 night minimum. 684–6209.

675 Recreational & Resort Rental

RUIDOSO: 3 bedroom- 2 bath and 2 bedroom- 2 bath. Very nice, completely furnished. No pets. 697-1337.

RUIDOSO Rentals nightly. Cabins, condos, some hot tubs. Century 21, Aspen Realty. 800-657-8980.

RUIDOSO Cabins, Houses, Condos- nightly, weekly. Some with hot tubs. Don Harmon, Four Seasons Real Estate. 800-822-7654.

685 Hunting Leases

DEER LEASE West of Ozona. Trophy managed, good bucks, turkey, javelina, water/ electric. 210- 792-4562.

700 Manufactured Homes

CUANDO Busque Casa Mobile Venga Ha Visitarme Me Llamo Andy Cardoza Y Mucho Dinero Puedo Ahorrarle 520-2177, USA HOMES, 4608 W. Wall, Midland.

BRAND new doublewide mobile home for less than $325.00 á month. Easy financing available. USA HOMES, 520-2177, 4608 W. Wall, Midland.

USED Singlewides Start at $2,400. Used Doublewide Starting at $21,900. Homes of America Odessa, Texas 1- (800) 725-0881, (915) 363-0881.

NEW Doublewide Extra Nice, Shingle roof, storm windows and A/ C. Best warranty in the business. $1,650 Down, 12.50% APR, $329 per month, 300 month term. Homes of America Odessa, Texas 1- (800) 725-0881, (915) 363-0881.

NEW Home; 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath. Free Delivery and Setup, 5 year warranty and Air Conditioning. $1,175 Down, $249.10 Per Month for 240 months 12.75% APR. Homes of America Odessa, Texas 1- (800) 725-0081, (915) 363-0081.

SIX used mobile homes priced at $4,900 and up. Come by USA HOMES, 4608 W. Wall, Midland, 520–2177.

✔ CASH BUYER for your mobile home. We buy the good, the bad & the ugly! Call Jeff 550-4033.

$12,000, 20% DOWN, owner financing. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 14 x 80. All appliances, 4 ceiling fans, 2 storage sheds, big fenced yard. Airline Mobile Home Park, 694–2534.

★ CASH IN 5 MINUTES for your mobile home! Call Brad at (915) 520–2177 or 550-2177.

701 Real Estate

ALL real estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or intention to make any such preferences, limitations or discrimination.

State laws forbid discrimination in the sale, rental or advertising of real estate based on factors in addition to those protected under federal law. In the District of Columbia, discrimination based on age, marital status, personal appearance, sexual orientation, family responsibilities, physical handicap, matriculation, political affiliation, source of income of place of residence or business almost always is illegal. In Maryland, discrimination based on marital status or physical or mental handicap is prohibited. In Virginia, discrimination based on elderliness, parenthood or handicap is illegal.

We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on equal opportunity basis.

710 Open Houses

TRADE
Your home for a new custom home from
KEY HOMES, INC.
520-9848

720 Homes for Sale

J L HENSON HOMES- Fairmont Park Homes Starting At $80,000. New Construction 699–7849, 699-0708

FAIRMONT Park 4 bedroom, 2 bath, large kitchen, 2 living areas, extra large backyard, large shade trees, quiet cul-de-sac, $100,000. 697–7558.

QUALIFYING VA Assumption with $3,000 down. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. 2 car garage, fireplace, central heat & air. 2505 Gulf. 684–7535.

COUNTRY CITY/ First time offered. Melody acres. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, many extras. One owner custom. $125,000. Owner Agent, 694–6037.

VA HUD
Multiple Listing Service Assumptions. Qualifying & Non-Qualifying
Free List & Information
How To Buy
JO DENNIS, CRS, GRI
DENNIS REALTY 520-9649

✔ REDUCED For Quick Sale. $106,500. 4300 CRESTGATE. 4 bedroom, 3 bath. 689–7554 for detailed message.

4503 CRENSHAW. 3 bedroom, gorgeous master bath. Paint, roof in process. $47,900. UP Group 684–7788.

720 Homes for Sale

1308 E. ESTES. 2 Bedrooms, 1 bath, washer dryer connections, new carpet, fenced yard. Owner finance. Easy qualifying. $500 down, approx. $325 monthly, includes taxes and insurance. Owner/ agent. drive by first than call 689–6454.

FAIRMONT Park. 3703 Dentcrest. 3 Converted to 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 car garage, assumable 7%, 15 year note. Bush and Abell schools. Mid $60's. 697–6948.

LUXURY duplex. High rents. Great home or investment. 4705A and B Dentcrest. 697–6810.

NEW Townhomes. Nice areas. Single story. Wall paper, tile, sprinklers, landscaping, brick flower beds. $46 per ft. JL Henson Homes 699–7849.

VA/ HUD HOMES. 0 to 3% down. All prices. All areas. Free List. Free Consultation & Bid Placement. Financial Assistance Available. Robles Real Estate, 306 E. Illinois, 682-0470. Se Habla Espanol.

GREENWOOD- 2 1/2 acres, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, brick, fireplace, fence yard, trees, great location & condition. Only $131,900. By Owner. 686–9009.

1221 MEADOW. 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, large workshop. $29,500 cash or bank note. (915) 942–9091.

POLO PARK Area. All brick, beautiful, 1,816 sq. ft. 3 bedroom home with fireplace. Automatic sprinkling system. Small yard front & back. By owner. 683–8812.

DON HARVEY REALTORS
683–5333 - Contact us for all your relocation needs.
KAY SUTTON REALTORS
702 Andrews Hwy.,
570–8200

★ GRASSLAND Estates; by owner, 4 bedroom, 3 bath, close to schools and club house. $129,000. No agents please. Shown by appointment only. 699–6281.

★ 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, great neighborhood. Pick colors & carpet. Owner financing. $63,000. (915) 758–1415.

CHARLIE GOSS-BUILDER
New Construction
Townhomes
(915) 694–8662

3341 PROVIDENCE. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, dining room, swimming pool, sunroom, fenced yard, sprinkler system. By owner, $70,500. 699–6465.

HUD-VA
Acquired Homes
Cynthia Brown
Langston Realtors
685-0400/685-3380

MOCKINGBIRD HEIGHTS
LOTS AVAILABLE
559-6916 557-5557
LANGSTON REALTORS
Call Today!
(915) 685-0400 682-9495
CHAPARRAL REALTORS
731 W. Wadley, Suite N-100
CALL 686-7000

NICE 2 bedroom house with 1 bath. $20,000. 694–4215.

$89,000
New Construction
4 Bedroom, 2 Bath
Garden Tub
Mini-Blinds
100% Brick
10 Year Warranty
Model Home Open!
Troy Hunt Homes
697–7115
689-8991

JUST take up payments of $1125 on this great 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 master suites, located in Wydewood. Out of town owner just wants out. Must qualify for VA loan. 28 Years remaining. Call 687-2113.

POSSIBLE owner financing. Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath. $39,900. 1103 Delmar. (915) 942-9091.

BY OWNER: Fairmont Park addition with many custom amenities! 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, large living, fireplace, dining. 4 years old. 520–9307.

WANTED: 3 bedroom homes priced at $50,000 or less. Buyers: bond money available at below market interest rates. Use your tax refund for a down payment. Robles Real Estate, 682–0470.

For Personalized Real Estate Service Call
Marisa Beckett
CHAPARRAL REALTORS
686-7000off. 699-7161res.
Hablo Espanol!

LIST Your House With Us!
The Prudential Adobe Realtors
Call (915) 683–9548

JL HENSON CUSTOM HOMES

!!Special!!
GRASSLAND
$115,000/2100 FT.
Additional footage @ $48.00 per ft.
Includes:
Interior Designing, 2 Fireplaces! Plantation Shutters! Fluted Wood Columns & Trim, 11 ft. Ceiling, Extra Wide Crown Mould and Baseboard, 7 ft. Entertainment Center, Brick Flower Beds, Extensive Brick Entry, Sidelites Surround Entry Door, Wallpaper See Our Model Home
699–7849 / 553-3159

725 Condos Townhouses

LEASE or lease purchase, 2 Bedroom, 1 bath, covered parking, pool. 501 W. Scharbauer, Apartment #10, $370 monthly. 684–6869.

725 Condos Townhouses

INVESTORS. 2 Bedroom, 2 bath condo, washer, dryer in unit, pool, tennis court, positive cash flow. $19,995. (518) 377-4386.

730 Suburban Property

1/2 ACRE- Greenwood lots, trees started, will build to suit. 686-1041.

740 Out of Town Property

EDEN Southeast 287 acres. Excellent hunting, some cultivation, old house, well, minerals, live oaks, $425 per Acre. James Long Real Estate, (915) 597-1581.

176 ACRES between Brady and LLano. Excellent hunting. 2 Bedroom mobile, furnished, central heat and air, well, tank, minerals. $700 Per acre. James Long Real Estate. 597-1581.

750 Lots and Acreage

2 ACRE Tracts with pecan trees, water wells. 5 Acres and up. Owner financing. Thomas B. King, Realtor. 682-6000.

BROWN County 4 1/2 miles SW of Bangs. 30.9 Acres pasture and mesquite with seasonal creek and stock tank. $1,200 per acre with 1/2 minerals. Owner agent. 1-(915) 646-0271.

HUNTERS. 100 acres south of Midland near Big Bend area. Deer, Turkey, Quail, Dove. $495 down. $161 per month. Owner financed. No credit check. (210) 921-6476.

125 ACRES on East Loop 250, 5 miles from Downtown Midland. Good Water, Good Fence, Good Investment. $200,000. 683-3919.

GOLF COURSE lots for sale in Green Tree North. James Morris 557-0510.

TOWNHOUSE Lot. Only remaining lot in Quail Point Townhouse Addition. Best Location in Midland. 687-0625 or 686-8908.

TOWNHOUSE lots Green Tree Boulevard $7,500. Crestgate lots $6,000. Large lot Saddle Club Lakes $29,900. Call Jim, 570-7043.

MIDWAY Country Estates. Go out 1788 North to County Road 40, between Midland/ Odessa. 1 acre lots, $3,500. 1/2 acre lots, $2,000. Owner finance, low down or trade. (915)689-2429.

760 Farms & Ranches

LAND FOR SALE
Glasscock County
2 to 6 miles south of Garden City, Texas
Sections:
41, 40, 45, 46, 39, 34, 27, 26, 23, 22, 15, & 14.
Block 34 Township 4 South.

12 Section ranch for sale. excellent improvements. shallow water. Owner will divide into 640 acre tracts if desired. For potential farmland.
NO REALTORS.
PRICE REDUCED BY $50 AN ACRE!
Larry Glass. 915-378-2109

CATTLE RANCH 1123 acres. Nice improvements, horse stables, shops, pipe pens, Colman water, 11 tanks. By owner. 915-692-1717, leave message at 915-692-8962.

80 TO 640 ACRES. Ranch/ hunting property near lake Ivie. 10% down. Financing 8 1/2% APR. Broker. 915-636-4493.

770 Resort Property

COLORADO City Lake home. 3 Bedrooms, 1 bath, large boat house. 100 ft. waterfront. Excellent condition. Showing Saturday March 11th, 9 am- 7 pm. $27,500. (Exit I- 20 at Fm 1229, south to County Road 307, turn right. 4279 County Road 307 East.)

RUIDOSO- 3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, Cabin. Furnished. game room, decks, fireplaces, appliances. $72,000. (512) 851-8102.

NEWLY remodeled 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, kitchen, spacious living room, large fireplace. Game room. Outside storage & boathouse. Overlooking Lake J.B. Thomas. $28,500. 570-4292.

780 Business Property

$4/ FT. to buy Midland office building. Seller financing, 3% down. 714-707-1617.

BRADY packaged store. Commerical building located in Highest traffic count area. Fixtures and equipment. High volume. Ready to operate. James Long Real Estate (915) 597-1581.

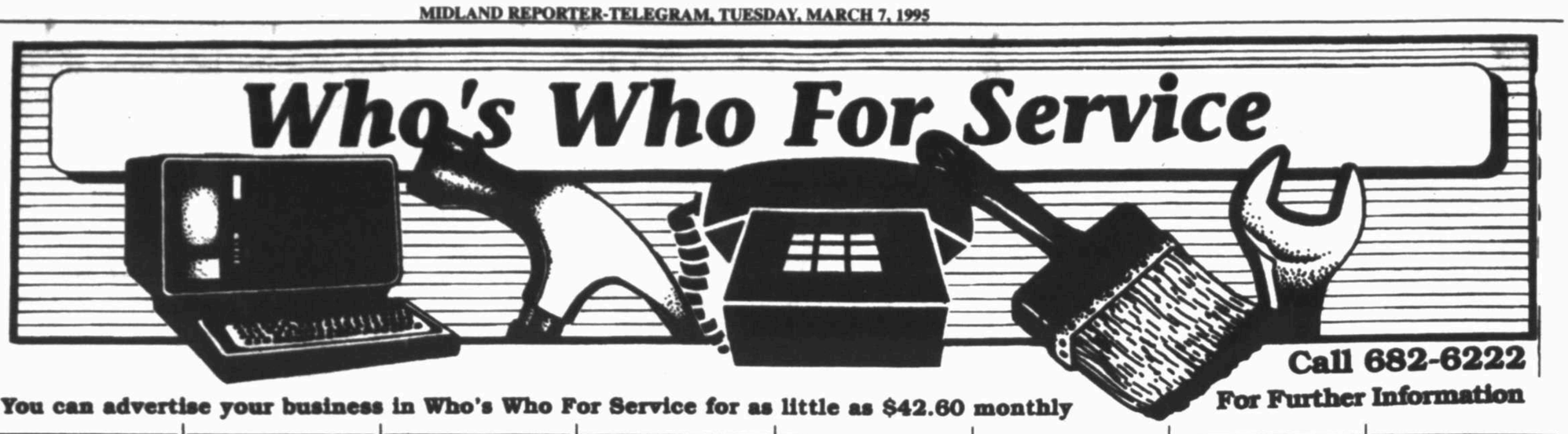
COMMERCIAL bargain, 1802-1804 Rankin Hwy. 2 adjoining stores, 3300 sq. ft., masonry, refrigerated. Former lounge with bar. Owner would consider carrying loan. $45,000. Less for cash. 684-6222.

★ MCKENZIE- OWEN ★
Commercial & Investment
★ (915) 684-6278 ★

790 Investment Property

SHOPPING Center for sale: 1302 Main St., Andrews, Texas. Shopping center presently has $2,922 per month income. There is an additional 2000 sq. ft. space to lease out. Building is 8,000 sq. ft. total. 915-692-1347.

Who's Who For Service



Call 682-6222 For Further Information

You can advertise your business in Who's Who For Service for as little as $42.60 monthly

Air Conditioning Heating

UNITED Energy Systems- Complete Sales, Service, Repair, Air Duct Cleaning, Residential, Commercial, Mobile Homes. Free Estimates, Second Opinions. 561-4126, TACLB010538E.

AIR TECH- For your heating and cooling needs. Call 697-4436. All work guaranteed. #TACLA005609.

★ SANITARY PLUMBING Of Midland. Drain Cleaning, Slab Leaks, Plumbing and A/ C Repairs. TACLA011251C $25.00 per hour. 24 Hour Service. 687-4337.

PENGUINN Refrigeration air conditioning sales and service. Financing available, no down payment. 685-3387. #TACLB009418C.

ELLIS & Sons Plumbing & Air Conditioning Sales & Service. Service all brands. 683-2679. TACLB005482.

THE BOSWORTH CO.- Service and Sales, all makes. We've been in the service business for 40 years! (915) 683-5233. #TACLA008844E.

Appliance Parts

JG SPECIALTY Products. Parts for GE/ Hotpoint, Whirlpool, Sears Kenmore, and most other brands. Call 520-9670.

Appliance Repair

REFRIGERATORS, Freezers and air conditioners repaired. Call 689-0173, pager 560-1069.

APPLIANCE REPAIR. All brands. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, stoves, ovens, dishwashers. Call (915) 561-8802.

QUALITY APPLIANCES. Washers, $90. Dryers, $80. Service calls, $17. Fix any brand. Call (915) 570-4459, 24 hrs.

✔ MIKE'S APPLIANCE. Same day service on most major brand appliances. Call 561-8809 anytime.

★ A & B Appliance. Buy. Sell. Repair. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, freezers. Warranty- Delivery. (915) 550-6540.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING Appliance Service: We repair all major brands. Refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, dishwashers, microwaves, room air-conditioners. (915) 687-5113.

Attorneys

AFFORDABLE
Divorce, Bankruptcy, DWI
Terms Available
Williams & Kirk
694-8004
Not Certified Texas Board Of Legal Specialization

DIVORCE & PERSONAL INJURY LAW
Reasonable fees.
Terms available.
(915) 570-0098
Alan G. Moravcik
Attorney At Law
Not Certified Texas Board of Legal Specialization

Barbecue Pits

MIDLAND IRON WORKS. General Shop Welding, Barbeque Pits, Cooking Wood, Blacksmith and Metal Art. 684-4825.

Bathtub Refinishing

✔ WESTEX Resurfacing. Call us to redo your tubs, sinks, counter tops, ceramic tile and appliances. 520-9898 or 1-800-774-9898.

Blind Cleaning

★ ULTRASONIC CLEANING SERVICE. Residential/ Commercial Blind Cleaning. Eliminate dust, dirt, smoke, bacteria. 699-1612, leave message.

WE CLEAN DIRTY BLINDS, shades & shutters also. Same day service. All work guaranteed. We also clean windows. 570-6716.

Carpentry & Cabinets

★ ABLE HANDYMAN. House Leveling, Roofing, Concrete, General repairs. 30 Years experience. Free estimates. Call 563-6874.

Carpet Cleaning

✔ FROGGE'S CARPET & Upholstery Cleaning. "We hop to please!" Reasonable Rates. 16 years experience. 685-0808, 1- (800) 4FROGGE.

UNIVERSAL building services. Carpet cleaned by trained certified technicians. Locally owned. Please Give us a call for your carpet cleaning needs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Free estimates call 570-4817.

SUPERSTAR CARPET CLEANING. Get 2 rooms, hall cleaned for $29.95. "The clean that's guaranteed." 685-3366.

Carpet Cleaning

CARPET, upholstery. Free estimates. Satisfaction guaranteed. Economical, well established. Quality Service Systems, 520-1570, evenings 684-5313.

Carpet Sales & Install.

VALDEZ CARPET SERVICE. We install new & used carpet, also carpet repairs. Free estimates. 686-8557.

Computer Services

MIDLAND Amiga User Group. Call 686-8223.

COMMODORE IS COMING BACK! I work on all Commodores, have parts, new/ used. Reasonable rates. 686-8223.

✔ MACINTOSH. Complete computer services for your Mac. Upgrades, Training, Custom Systems, PERSONAL Service. 682-3026.

✔ EnterLogic Computing. Complete Computer Services. Diagnostics and repair, upgrades, tutorials, custom systems. Service plus! 699-1455.

Concrete Work

CONCRETE Work. Blocks, flowerbed, curb, slab, patio, sidewalk, driveway, and flatwork. Free estimates. (915) 682-1837, 687-1374.

CONCRETE WORK: Patios, sidewalks, curbs and drives. References available. Free estimates. Webster Construction, (915) 697-2735.

DAVID VALVERDE CONCRETE WORK. Patios, driveways, sidewalks. Free estimates. (915) 685-1300

MIKE'S CONCRETE SERVICE. Block fence, flower beds, driveways. Free estimates. 15 Years experience. 570-9146.

AGUIRRES CONCRETE. Driveways, Patios, Sidewalks, Flowerbeds and Stucco work. Free estimates, reasonable prices. Call 683-2973.

Construction

BETTER- BUILT Construction. New construction, remodeling. Free Estimates. The name says it all. Call 570-8720.

HY-GEAR Construction. 15 years experience. All phases of construction. Remodels, add-ons and demos. References. For free estimates, call Jeff at 570-8738 will travel in Texas.

ACCO CONSTRUCTION & Inspection. Free estimates. All types of roofing and repair. All work guaranteed. Housing inspections. 520-2825.

Dirt Work

B & L BACKHOE- Dump trucks, maintainer, dozer, grubbing, mesquite, driveways, caliche, dirt, lots cleaned. (915) 687-4876.

ADVANCE BACKHOE & Dump Truck Hauling. No job too small! Topsoil, cliche, driveways. 570-1704, 570-4942.

ROGER'S GENERAL DIRT SERVICE. Driveways, patch jobs, fill dirt, caliche and top soil. Lot clearing. Call 570-8343 or 570-4829 evenings.

Domestic/House Cleaning

★ SPARKLING CLEAN House Cleaning! Laundry & ironing available. Reasonable rates. Honest and dependable. References. 686-7553.

WE Clean houses call 684-6921 or 570-1848.

HOUSE CLEANING AT LOW rates! Residential, apartments, condos, make ready. 520-3460.

HOUSE CLEANING AT Reasonable rates! References available. Call in the afternoons, 570-9711 or 570-4714.

HOUSE CLEANING SERVICE. Houses, apartments. Experienced with references. Sherrie, 694-0841, leave message.

HOUSE AND OFFICE CLEANING. Top to bottom! Daily, weekly or monthly. Satisfaction guaranteed. References. 687-6479.

2 LADIES LOOKING FOR homes to clean. References. Call 570-5931 or 684-4263.

★ TEXAS PAL'S CLEANING Service. Reasonable rates. Free estimates. "The Friendly People." 520-4050.

DO you LIKE cleaning? A & B Cleaning. Commercial & Residential. For low rates call 561-5742.

YOU RELAX- I'LL CLEAN! Honest, dependable. References furnished. Call 570-0687.

NEED EXTRA TIME TO ENJOY a clean house? Deep cleaning my specialty! Elina Amaro, 683-6450 leave message.

RESPONSIBLE,Trustworthy individual with references to clean your home. Call Stacey, 697-5127.

★ I HAVE A FEW HOURS for you! Clean small buildings, move ins- move outs. Work weekends. 689-3610.

Electric Service

RESIDENTIAL & Commercial. Electrical installations, ceiling fans, switches, plugs. Free estimates. Licensed/ insured. License #10. Call 685-0859.

KREGER Electric. Licensed #124, bonded, insured. Ceiling fans, lights, plugs added, additions, commercial, residential. 684-4836.

Errand Service

COURTESY ERRAND SERVICE. Fast personal service. References provided. 697-2704.

Floor Service

WOOD FLOORS: refinish/ repairs/ installation/ sales. Also ceramic tile floors, formica tops. Professional service. References and guarantees. Howard (915) 694-4044.

SOLOMON FLOORS. Strip, seal, recondition. Specializing in Mexican tile & wood. Solomon, 684-7650.

Fences

LABRO Fencing & Repair. New wood, chain link & ranch fencing. Former foreman of Western Fence. 55 years fencing combination. 570-7204 or 686-7101.

R J FENCING - 30 years experience. New and repair. Reasonable rates. Free estimates. 550-6714.

WOOD FENCES - Install new and repair old fences. Free estimates. Call anytime. Charles, 694-1201.

CUSTOM BUILT PIPE FENCES, corrals, repairs and light welding. 697-7167.

★ A 1O Z YARDWORKS! All types yard work and Landscaping. Trees- Fences- Tilling- Desert Plants- Free Estimates. (915) 550-4301.

Furniture Refinishing

FURNITURE Stripping: Repair, refinishing, veneer, caning, rushing. ROYAL FURNITURE REFINISHING. 1607 W. Industrial. (915) 682-9239.

FURNITURE RESTORATION. Stripping, repairing, refinishing, rushing. Estimates. Pick up and delivery. Crowder Furniture Restoration, 2810 W. Front, (915) 687-5729.

Handyman

★ CARPENTRY, HOME Repair, Handyman work. Honest, dependable and reasonable. Call Homer, 685-3428. Digital pager, 561-0581.

HANDY RANDY Home repairs, plumbing, painting, carpentry, construction, sheet rock. Free estimates. 699-0804.

✔ NO JOB TOO LARGE OR too small, I'll do them all. Free estimates. Bonded. 520-6271/ 567-1623 pager.

Hauling

WALLACE GARAGE, YARD & Alley Cleaning. Trash and junk hauling. 682-8273.

B. JACKSON- Handyman Service. Haul off trash, old furniture, appliances, carpet- padding. Call (915) 682-2667.

NERVOUS Breakdown Hauling Service. Haul off furniture and non- working appliances for $15, any kind of dirt $35 per load, rake leaves and flower beds. Digital Beeper 620-2256- Keep Beeping.

HAUL off anything of value for free. Scrap, appliances, furniture, etc. Small charge for trash or junk. 520-4602, leave message.

Home Repairs/Remodeling

JOHNNY'S HOME REPAIR. Painting, Carpentry, Drywall, Ceramic Tiles, Formica, Acoustic. All your Handyman needs. 563-1517.

SUNGLOW TILE. Specializing ceramic tile, showers, bathrooms, kitchen, counter tops, floors. Repairs. Design Consultations. (915) 686-9689.

G & S CONSTRUCTION. Roofing, remodeling, painting, drywall, fencing, tile, formica. Free estimates. Insured. 570-4866.

K. W. CONSTRUCTION. Remodeling, repairs, painting, carpentry. Free estimates. Call (915) 553-2402.

✔ PERMIAN Maintenance. Painting, carpet, renovations, counter tops, roofing, ceramic tile. 697-5417.

RON KINSEY, KINSEY Construction. General contracting, remodeling, ceramic tile, marble, roofing. Satisfaction guaranteed. 697-2135.

★ KVL CONSTRUCTION- Cabinets, remodeling, additions and specializing in ceramic tile. 570-4123.

SIMPLY REMODELING OR Major Construction! Call for a free estimate on any job! (915) 570-9050.

MR. FIX IT HOME REPAIRS. Carpentry, painting, fencing, electrical, plumbing, drywall. Senior citizen discount. 697-6024.

Home Repairs/Remodeling

KITCHEN Cabinets, formica counter tops, beveled edges. Work guaranteed. references. Commercial- Residential. Louis, (915) 682-4544.

HOME Remodeling & Repair. Lifetime of experience. Larry R. Stroud, 557-0585.

GENERAL CARPENTRY work, painting/ repairs, 30 years experience. For free estimates call Bob Dodson 683-3317.

REBEL King Ceramic Tile. New installation and repairs. Free estimates. References. Work Guaranteed. (915) 697-4518.

★ ALL TYPES OF REMODELING & Construction with fireplaces, wood and gas stoves available. Call or come by Hondo Valley Firewood to see our showroom. Talk to Calvin or Terry about any & all your plans and ideas! 3105 B Garden City Highway, 687-0904.

✔ NO JOB TOO LARGE OR too small, I'll do them all. Free estimates. Bonded. 520-6271/ 567-1623 pager.

JOURNEYMAN CARPENTER offering services. Cabinetry, Door Hanging, Painting, Remodeling, Repairs. Free estimates. Ray Thomas 682-9210.

★ DREAM BUILDERS light carpentry, sheetrock, acoustic and painting. Custom made valences (915) 520-9054.

HY-GEAR Construction. 15 years experience All phases of construction. Remodels, add-ons and demos. References. For free estimates, call Jeff at 570-8738 will travel in Texas.

✔ METAL CARPORTS, BUILDINGS & any on- sight construction. Free Estimates. 687-0904, 694-8646, 687-6913.

CREATIVE COUNTERTOPS- Beveled edge, ceramic tile back splash. Call for all your cabinet and countertop needs. 694-6623.

✔ SQUARE D Construction. Sid Driggers, owner. 25 years experience. Remodeling, repairs, general contracting. References. 580-8703.

Insulation

THE BOSWORTH CO.- Blown-in attic insulation. Quality materials and installation at a competitive price! (915) 683-5233.

Ironing

IRONING- SAME DAY SERVICE! Non- smoker, starch provided. Pick- up and delivery. $10/ dozen. 697-6475.

QUALITY DEPENDABLE IRONING. You provide hangers. $10 a dozen. 697-3439.

IRONING to please $10 per dozen. Midland Drive and Illinois Area. Please call 694-8036.

Lamp Repair

LAMPS Repaired in your home or office. DEB'S HOUSECALLS (915) 689-8502.

Landscape Design

★ LE' TRE LANDSCAPING. Sod & Soil Prep., Hydro- Mulching, Trees, Shrubs. Free Estimates. 694-0142.

PECAN TREES- fully grown. 150 to choose from. Wholesale prices. 25% off. 560-2560.

TREE MASTERS LANDSCAPE And Lawn Service. Specializing in pruning, topping, removal, leveling, tilling, planting, etc! 20 years experience. Free estimates. 685-3970.

Lawn & Garden Service

CURRIE'S YARD SERVICE. Mowing, flower beds, hauling, tilling, alleys, all yard work. Tree trimming.(915) 682-9523.

★ A TO Z YARDWORKS! All types yard work and Landscaping. Trees- Fences- Tilling- Desert Plants- Free Estimates. (915) 550-4301.

LAKE BROWNWOOD- Do you own property there? Thompson's Lawncare service. Maintenance, lite hauling, tree trimming. Call Dustin (915) 784-6245.

CLEMENTS Lawn Service. "Complete Lawn and Tree Care" For fast, friendly service call 520-4657.

ALL TYPES TREE PRUNING. Will do today! LAWNS, flower beds, hauling. Experienced quality work. Free estimates. College Student. Phillip, Jeff, 528-0982, 561-0219.

HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD. Complete lawn care services. Tree pruning, tree removal, and fertilization. Now available! Good oak & pecan trees planted & guaranteed up to 6 inch diameter. Free estimates. Free chimney cleaning & inspection with any yardwork. 694-4818, 687-0904.

GARDEN OR YARDS TILLED, lawns or vacant lots mowed. Call Liberty Lawn at 520-4602.

Lawn & Garden Service

TREE TRIMMING, REMOVING, light hauling and other odd jobs. 12 years experience. References available. 683-4831.

B & L LANDSCAPING - Trees removed or trimmed. Stump grinder. Bucket truck. Lots cleaned. Top soil. (915) 687-4876.

HALLMARK MOWING AND maintenance. Professional lawn maintenance at a reasonable price. Call Jason at 689-0075.

LAWN SERVICE YEAR Round. Professional tree trimming, yards cleaned, leaves raked, etc! Free estimates. 689-3302.

MARANATHA LAWN & HOME Maintenance. All types of lawn work and home repair. Free estimates. No job too small! 556-0926.

★ R & W LAWN SERVICE. Call now for lower estimates! Call Russell at 563-0004

"GRASSGO" Lawn Maintenance, flowerbeds, tree pruning, hedge trimming. Your lawn care Specialist. 694-4729.

MIDLAND FIREMAN scalping, mowing, edging, trimming trees and shrubs. Alleys cleaned, plus light hauling. 13 Years experience. 697-2030.

DON'S LAWN SERVICE. Mow, Edge & Weed Eat. Also tree trimming & removal. 682-7981.

J & Q lawn service. Mowing, edging, clean flower beds. Low prices. Free Estimate. 683-9347.

TREE PRUNING, LAWNS MOWED, edging, flowerbeds-cleaned, alleys cleaned, light hauling, rototilling. 684-6803.

LAWN & TREE MAINTENANC Service. Professional work at Poor Boy prices! 570-1302.

LOCAL FIREMAN- FULL Service Lawn Care. 1 time clean ups or maintenance plan. Rick, 697-3137.

MIDLAND FIREMEN MOWING, tilling, light tractor work, tree care, hauling. Experienced. Free estimates. 687-5212, 683-9102.

✔ 5 YEARS EXPERIENCE! Complete tree and lawn maintenance, lawn scalping. Quality work. Free estimates. 699-7967.

★ BEAUTIFY YOUR LAWN with custom built waterfalls, fish ponds and fountains. Call Gordon- Kelly Landscaping at 550-6329.

■ REASONABLY PRICED Quality Tree Trimming and Year Round Landscape Maintenance Services. Free evaluation and cost analysis. 520-2135.

ROSE'S Lawn Service. Professional tree pruning and complete lawn maintenance. Free estimates. Insured. 697-1912.

● FREE ESTIMATES Tree trimming, shaping, stump removal. Creative shrub designs, flower beds. Seniors discounts. 570-7314.

Lawn Mower Repair

★ SOUTHWEST LAWNMOWER, Edger and Tiller repair. Quality work, reasonable rates. Free pick up and delivery. 520-0777, leave message.

BILL'S LAWNMOWER, TILLER and repair. Buy and sell. Used parts. Shop Welding. 694-0166.

Masonry Work

QUALITY WORK! BLOCK AND BRICK Fences, masonry repairs. Free estimates. 550-9441, mobile 559-8727.

BRICK, block & stone. New & repair work. Fireplace specialist. Mailboxes. 30 Years experience. 550-8538.

ALL KINDS OF BRICK & Concrete jobs, fences, fireplaces, small brick repair jobs. Free estimates. 20 years experience. 520-3622.

ALL TYPES OF MASONRY. Brick, block, stone and concrete. Steve Rickey, 682-5708, 570-2996 for free estimates.

BILL MAYO MASONRY. Brick, block and tile work. Professional services. Excellent References. Free Estimates. 699-1432, (800) 894-1432.

MASONRY: All types. Brick, block, stone, concrete. Dependable. Free estimates. Quality workmanship. Glen Rickey, 694-7684.

Mobile Repair/Moving

★ CASH IN 5 MINUTES for your mobile home! Call Brad at (915) 520-2177 or 550-2177.

Moving & Storage

MARLIN MOVERS. Newest wave in local moving. Dependable, professional and careful service. 570-MOVE (6683).

PERMIAN Moving Company. For the best local rates in town call Mary 687-1281 or 699-6213.

COMPLETE Local moving services at do it yourself rates. Packing, loading, homes, apartments, offices. 520-5501.

Moving & Storage

HERCULES MOVING & Storage- courteous, professional service at the lowest rates in town. Brian, 689-6723.

CAN'T AFFORD TO MOVE? Packing, loading or unloading. Flat/ Hourly Rates! Mike, 520-6610, beeper 567-7956.

Painting & Paper Hanging

✔ QUALITY WORKMANSHIP done fast. Specializing: wallpaper, oil latex, acoustics, textured, drywall. References. (915) 684-8672.

QUIROZ CONTRACTORS. We do painting, remodeling, tile floors, bathrooms. Free estimates. Call David at 687-6546.

✔ PERMIAN Maintenance. Sheet rock repairs, texture matching, taping & bedding, interior/. exterior painting. 697-5417.

M & P PAINTING. Interior, exterior. 20 years experience. Senior citizen discount. Free estimates. 694-8722.

QUALITY PAINTING AND Drywall repair. Very cheap! References available. Ray, 689-6762.

HENRY'S PAINTING- Residential- Commercial. 20 years experience. Senior Citizen Discount. Free estimates. Call 684-8135.

TONY'S PAINTING & WALLPAPERING/ Handyman. Free Estimates. Have references. Do Great work. 687-4619.

EXPERIENCED. Residential, commercial painting. Tape, bed, texture, repairs, Quality workmanship, reasonable rates, free estimates. (915) 697-1425.

$250 EXTERIORS. $75 rooms, acoustic ceilings, sheetrock repair. 25 years Midland. References. Call 685-3020.

HENRY CEBALLOS. Exterior & Interior painting, Wallpaper hanging & wall preparation. Numerous other home repair services. 30 years. Working in Midland. references. 570-8641.

Photography/Framing

WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY By Chuck Bromm. Call to get your special date on our calendar! 694-8520.

Piano Tuning

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and repair. Call Michael Sherrod, (915) 694-3161.

Plumbing

LICENSED PLUMBER will do plumbing repairs. $25 an hour. Please call Rick at (915) 550-8956.

★ SANITARY PLUMBING Of Midland. Drain Cleaning, Slab Leaks, Plumbing and A/ C Repairs. TACLA011251C $25.00 per hour. 24 Hour Service. 687-4337.

★★★★★★
$29.95
DRAIN CLEANING
Full Service Plumbing
Ken's Plumbing
683-3224
★★★★★★

THE BOSWORTH CO.- Call us for water heaters, disposals, sewer service and all plumbing repairs. Over 40 years in Midland. (915) 683-5233, #M4325.

■ ACTION DRAIN ROOTER Service. Professional work- Fair prices! 24 Hour Emergency Service. Call anytime, 520-9413.

PLUMBING, Heating, Air Conditioning. 35 Years of Service!! 24 Hour EMERGENCY Service. Scooter's Plumbing. 682-5984.

Pools and Spas

POOLS and SPAS. We repair and service all makes all models. Also build pools, concrete work and epoxy stone. Phone (915) 699-5904.

Roofing

CHARLES TERRY CONST. CO.
ROOFING!
ROOFING!
ROOFING!
Most jobs completed 2 days!
520-6943

JOSE MENJIVAR ROOFING. Complete roofing and repairs. All work guaranteed. 15 years experience. Call 685-1226.

J & J ROOFING. Free estimates- low prices. Roofing and roof repair. 35 years experience. 697-2415, 684-1181.

★★★★★★★★
MIDLAND CONTRACTING SERVICES, INC.
(915) 570-5414
1-800-570-5414
★★★★★★★★

Roofing

★ ATTENTION HOME OWNER you need the best! Honest, professional, quality installations. All types and repairs. Roofs By Nicholas (915) 520-7348.

COMMERCIAL/ RESIDENTIAL All phases. Save $$ on repairs. Free estimates. 550-9441, mobile 559-8727.

ACE ROOFING OF WEST TEXAS and Permian Basin. all types of roofing. In business in West Texas over 25 years. Local references. We will handle your insurance claims for you. All work guaranteed. For free estimates call. 520-9619, Andrews 524-2658, 1-800-299-9457.

GALINDO'S ROOFING: Specializing in all types of roofs. 17 Years experience. Work guaranteed. Free estimates & advice. 697-8537, mobile 528-1449. Se Habla Espanol.

TRIPLE J ROOFING. Commercial and residential. Free estimates. 570-6460 or 1-800-600-4982.

RON KINSEY, KINSEY Construction. Roofing- all types, shingles wood or hot tar. Satisfaction guaranteed. 697-2135.

LMP HOMES & CONSTRUCTION. Serving Midland and surrounding areas over 30 years. Residential and commercial roofing and remodeling. Quality installation at affordable prices. Free estimates. 520-0703.

RESIDENTIAL ROOFING. 30 years experience. Complete roofs or repairs. Free estimates. Cedar Shingle Specialist. Guaranteed Work. 687-6479.

27 YEARS EXPERIENCE. Winter Discount on new roofs through April 1st. Only quality materials used. 689-0388.

ALL KINDS OF ROOFING. 25 years experience. Free estimates. All work guaranteed. 699-6821.

✔ PERMIAN Maintenance. Re-roofing, repairs, chimney cap sealing, new roofs, all your roofing needs! 697-5417.

ACCO CONSTRUCTION & Inspection. Free estimates. All types of roofing and repair. All work guaranteed. Housing inspections. 520-2825.

★ ROOFING BY CLYDE C. WHITE & SONS
Doing business 43 yrs. in Midland & surrounding areas. Flat roofs on 1,2 & 3 stories. Composition, Hot Asphalt and Wood Shingles, etc. Free Estimates
Call Days (915) 697-7663
Nights 694-3798/694-6896 ★

Sandblasting

MIDLAND CUSTOM COATING. Sandblasting, powder coating, many colors available. No item too small. 683-3700. 2100 Carter.

MOBILE FIELD SAND BLASTING/ Coating. Call Chuck or Kenny, the corrosion prevention specialists 683-3728, 697-1861.

Secretarial Services

PERSONAL/ BUSINESS. Pay bills, make bank deposits, reconcile bank statements, typing, Payroll Tax Reports. 689-7802.

Sewing & Alterations

SISTERS: Laura and Nita. 694-4245. Dressmaking/ alterations. Specialize in Weddings, crafts. Donna Jones, Slipcovers.

SEWING & ALTERATIONS- Formals, regular wear, etc. 40 years experience. Mrs. Kidwell (915) 682-2223.

Sharpening

TBMS SHARPENING SERVICE Mobile service for restoring quality sharpness to knives, scissors, grooming shears, professional grooming and animal clippers. 699-0929.

Small Engine Repair

WESTERN SMALL ENGINE. 2100 N. Big Spring. Small engines, lawn mower repair. Pick up and delivery on riding lawn mowers. 570-8357.

AFFORDABLE REPAIR WORK Lawn & garden equipment, generators, welders, chainsaws, line trimmers, IC engines, more! Certified technician. Pick up/ delivery. MJH Small Engine Services. 570-5804, ask for Mark.

Tax Preparation

TAX RETURNS/ ELECTRONIC Filing. Personalized service for individuals and small business. John Monroe, CPA. 682-0209.

✔ TAX PREPARATION BY a firm, who's business is, the preparation of tax returns. Personal attention at affordable prices. Alvey, Kirby & Associates, 687-1480.

★ VERY AFFORDABLE! 1040EZ's $14.95. Most 1040's with schedules less than $50. 1015C N. Midkiff 694-0348.

BOOKING & INCOME TAX Preparation. All types bookkeeping/ taxes. CPA Candidate. Call Marit at 699-0809.

Tax Preparation

ELECTRONIC FILING/ TAX PREPARATION. Individual and business. Reasonable fees. American Bookkeeping, 1301 W. Florida. 682-0241.

TAX PREPARATION & Planning. Business and individuals. H.L. "MAC" McCarroll, 689-9402.

TAXES PREPARED
PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION COULD SAVE YOU $

TAX PREPARATION, BOOKKEEPING, personal, corporate. Cost effective. Complimentary consultation. Experienced professional. Nancy Blain, CPA 520-8131.

INDIVIDUAL, CORPORATE, Partnership, Trusts. Income tax preparation & planning. Bob Dutton LTD CPAs. Bob W. Dutton, 682-0963 & David F. Harris 683-8247.

PETERSON Tax Service. Quick, professional, 20 years experience. Basic tax return $15. 697-7991, ext. 49.

COMPUTERIZED TAX Preparation Electronic Filing! RCO Financial Services, 907 South Garfield. Monday- Friday, 8- 8. Se Habla Espanol. 570-0743.

INCOME Tax returns and bookkeeping. Business and personal. Let's discuss your accounting needs. Ralph Bowen, CPA. 687-3011.

WE prepare returns, verify accuracy and file electronically. Quick, easy and affordable. All types of returns and 3- day refund anticipation loans. CALL ELECTRO- TAX, 570-5019, 707 W. Indiana (corner of A and Indiana).

TV Repair

JR'S ELECTRONICS Service Center. TV, VCR, Nintendo and home stereo repair. 500 E. Louisiana. 684-5954.

FOR QUALITY TV/ VCR Repair! Premiere Video, 3323 N. Midland Drive. 689-6674. Open 7 days.

Tile Floors

E. J. 'S TILE WORK. Mexican and Ceramic tile, marble and remodeling. FREE estimates. (915) 682-9807.

Tree and Shrub Care

TREE TRIMMING AND REMOVAL. Quality work, reasonable prices, free estimates. 12 years experience. Chris, 689-0606.

WILL UP- ROOT, PRUNE OR Trim all trees. Reasonable prices! Call Norman 699-7358.

★ A TO Z YARDWORKS! All types yard work and Landscaping. Trees- Fences- Tilling- Desert Plants- Free Estimates. (915) 550-4301.

Tutoring/Translating

TUTORING ALL SUBJECTS K-8. Spanish lessons. Day & Evening, all ages. Home Schoolers welcome. 697-7139.

Upholstery

CLOUD 9 UPHOLSTERY- Excellent fabric selection, reasonable prices, quality craftsmanship. Free estimates, pickup/ delivery. 682-3222.

BETTERHALF Upholstery. Free estimates, pick up, delivery. Before you buy new, try our prices. 683-6731.

Welding

MIDLAND IRON WORKS. General Shop Welding, Barbecue Pits, Cooking Wood, Blacksmith and metal art. 684-4825.

From Piano Keys To Car Keys
Classified Has It All
Call 682-6222