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Earthquake death estimates down

Rescuers finding fewer cars

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Early estimates that more than 250 people were killed under the collapsed Nimitz Highway were proving to be high, but no new estimates were offered, authorities said.

Rescue workers found cars separated by as much as 60 feet, rather than bumper-to-bumper as feared.

Authorities had said more than 270 people were killed by Tuesday's earthquake — 250 of them during the Nimitz cave-in. That was based on an estimate of how many vehicles would have been crushed when the upper level of the freeway collapsed onto the lower level and an estimate of one person per car.

"Now they are going lower, much lower in fact," Lisa Covington, a spokeswoman for the state Office of Emergency Services, said Thursday.

"What's happening is that they are finding fewer vehicles under the bridge than they thought."

Reaching the vehicles has been painstakingly slow because of a fear that huge sections of the interstate could collapse further on rescue workers.

"We're not going to give any estimate," said Sgt. Donna Jay of the Alameda County coronor's office.

"I don't know how many people are there. We're not going to know until they dig them out."

Coroners and other officials in the seven counties affected by the quake said 35 bodies have been recovered.

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Surveying the scene

Workers check the damage to Interstate 880 in Oakland Thursday. The freeway collapsed Tuesday as a major earthquake hit the San Francisco Bay Area. A number of bodies have been found there, but officials now think death estimates are too high.

President touring Bay area

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Death toll estimates shrank but tensions and frustrations grew as Northern California tried to regroup from a devastating earthquake and unnerving aftershocks that continued today.

President Bush flew west today to tour the area, including the collapsed Interstate 880 in Oakland and the severely damaged seaside city of Santa Cruz. He said he hoped "to take a look and to provide encouragement to people."

Three days after the quake, the need for encouragement seemed to be growing.

Damage estimates by the state Office of Emergency Services rose to well over $4 billion. A private economist, Frank McCormick of Bank of America in San Francisco, said damage is likely to reach $10 billion. An estimated 12,550 people were displaced, 10,000 in hard-hit Santa Cruz County, the agency said.

In some towns, residents said they were too afraid to sleep indoors because of the Earth's unrest.

"I can't stop shaking," said Marcelina Toussaint, a 73-year-old resident of Watsonville, a town near the epicenter of Tuesday's magnitude 6.9 quake and wracked by four strong aftershocks Thursday.

"I guess I'm surviving, but I'm scared."

A moderate aftershock registered 3.9 on the Richter scale at 1:13 a.m. today, according to Rick McKenzie at the Seismographic Station at the University of California at Berkeley. It was felt north and south of San Francisco. More than 1,400 aftershocks have hit since Tuesday.

In Oakland, the monstrous task of uncovering cars and trucks crushed in the collapse of a 1¼-mile stretch of I-880 continued with no signs of survivors.

Lt. Kristina Wraa, of the Oakland police, said early today that 167 people were still unaccounted for in Alameda County, which includes Oakland and several other communities. It was assumed that many of them were buried in the rubble of I-880.

By early today, rescuers had pulled out 19 bodies from the highway wreckage. In addition, at least 17 others were killed elsewhere in Northern California. About 2,000 people were injured in eight counties, officials said.

Rescuers said they were finding fewer cars than feared under the highway, known as the Nimitz Freeway. Some credited the World Series with reducing Tuesday evening's rush-hour traffic by drawing baseball fans to television sets.

"Maybe the World Series saved our lives," said Oakland police Sgt. Bob Crawford.

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10,000 homes destroyed by Chinese tremors

BEIJING (AP) — Victims of a series of deadly earthquakes in rural northern China said today they owed their lives to an initial temblor that sent them fleeing from their homes before a second brought the dwellings crashing down.

At least 29 people died and more than 10,000 homes were reported destroyed by the quakes, the region's worst in 13 years.

The official China Daily said more than 150 people were injured, many seriously, in the quakes that hit Shanxi and Hebei provinces late Wednesday and early Thursday.

The temblors, centered about 135 miles west of Beijing, measured up to 6.1 on the Richter scale and were felt in the capital.

"This was the worst quake we've ever had," Liu Rongzhen, a peasant farmer in Xicaitian Village, told a Western reporter. "I was asleep in the house when the first quake woke me up. It rocked the walls and we went outside. With the second quake the house collapsed."

About half the mud and wattle homes in the impoverished dusty town of 820 were heavily damaged. A short distance away, in Bucun, a village of 1,280, not one home was left standing.

People there also said the first quake, which hit with a magnitude of 5.7 shortly before 11 p.m. Wednesday, drove them from their homes, which toppled when the 6.1 quake hit two hours later.

"It was like waves," some in the walled village said. "It was very loud."

Two Bucun villagers, a man of about 60 and his octogenarian mother, were killed as he carried her from the house.

Two plain wooden caskets with straw covers were set up in their home, which was open to the sky with the walls only partly standing. A neighbor wailed as she viewed the caskets, at the head of which biscuits were placed in an apparent religious offering.

Many people spent Thursday night huddled around campfires and sleeping in makeshift straw tents. Temperatures dipped to near freezing on the treeless brown plain and people were wrapped in heavy greatcoats.

One woman was seen cleaning her now roofless home around the tent she had set up inside.

Today, some people rummaged through the destruction, others sat on the rubble doing nothing.

Residents said that in winter temperatures dip as low as 22 below zero on the exposed plain, which ranges up to 4,000 feet above sea level. They said it would be impossible to rebuild their homes before then.

District officials inspected the damage, but no outside assistance had arrived to lead relief operations.

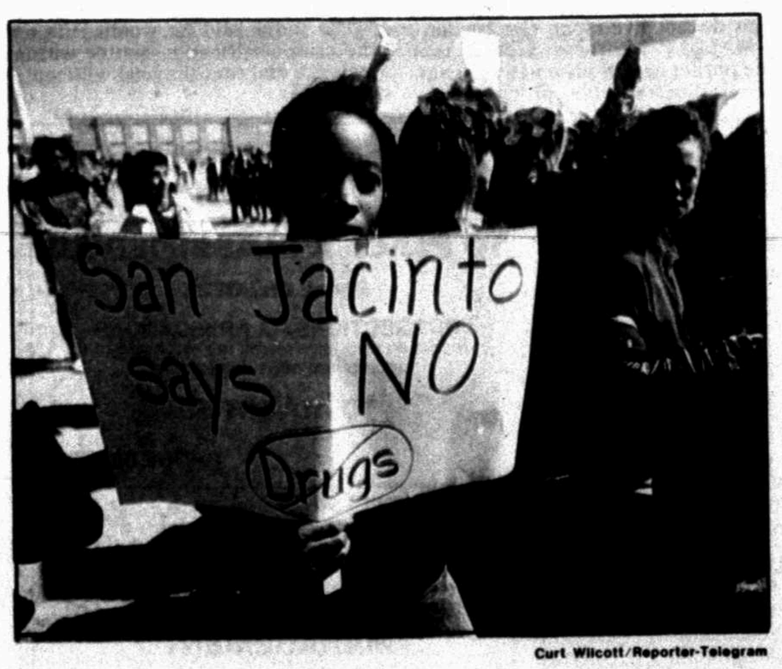
Raw film footage from the Shanxi provincial television, seen in Beijing today, showed rescue workers armed only with shovels and wooden poles digging through the rubble of destroyed homes looking for victims.

The film showed medical personnel treating people with badly bloodied heads and broken bones in temporary outdoor clinics.

People dressed in overcoats huddled around bonfires. Children wrapped in colorful blankets slept in piles of hay.

The film showed bread and medical supplies being delivered to damaged areas. The China Daily said 1,000 soldiers were mobilized to help in the rescue operation.

Officials in Datong, a major coal mining and rail center of about 500,000 in northern Shanxi, said the city escaped serious destruction. They said the quakes had not damaged Datong's famous Yungang Caves which hold thousands of Buddhist paintings and statues dating back to the 5th century.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

School spirit

San Jacinto Junior High students rallied Thursday to bolster school spirit, which was adversly affected by the arrest of a school coach earlier this month. Eighth grader Tamika Pride carried her anti-drug sentiments on a placard.

School suit centers on 'border' area

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — How much of the state can be considered a border area with Mexico is one of the central disputes in a suit that accuses the state of discriminating against Hispanics in the funding of higher education.

Plaintiffs in the suit include San Antonio as part of the border area they say has suffered from a lack of college funding and professional programs.

During a hearing that began Thursday and continues today, a state attorney said the city's state-funded medical school and advanced engineering program do not reflect a lack of opportunities.

State District Judge Gilberto Hinojosa also questioned how students in San Antonio could seek the same relief as those along the border.

Albert Kauffman, a Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund attorney working for the plaintiffs, told the judge San Antonio is part of the border area that is more than 40 percent Hispanic. Per capita spending per college student, he said, is lower in San Antonio than in Austin and other parts of central Texas.

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Basin 'thawing' back to Indian summer

From Staff Reports

This week's record-setting early freeze has "snapped" and shows no signs of returning soon.

Since the six-hour freeze, which dropped to 27 degrees, set in early Wednesday, no immediate threat of freezing weather is looming, according to Todd Shea of the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport.

High temperatures Saturday should return to the Indian summer 80s, forecasters said.

The Oct. 18 freeze was the "earliest in the season that we have been that cold," Shea said. The previous early first record freeze was on Oct. 29 in 1980 when the temperature dropped to 27 degrees.

The average date for the first killing frost here is Nov. 9.

The record cold hit 32 degrees at 3 a.m. on Oct. 18 and then dropped to 27 degrees by 7:14 a.m. — less than a hour from dawn.

Clear skies and milder temperatures are in the forecast for tonight, according to the weatherman. The low temperature will be in the upper 40s, and winds will be from the southwest at 5 to 15 mph.

Saturday is expected to be sunny and warm with the high reaching into the lower 80s and winds from the southwest at 10-20 mph.

Thursday's high of 63 was 27 degrees cooler than the record high of 90 set on Oct. 19, 1936. The overnight low of 39 was four degrees warmer than the record low of 35 set for this date in 1976.

STATE

A warming trend was expected to begin today and continue throughout the weekend across all of Texas.

Forecasts are calling for sunny skies during the day and fair at night throughout the weekend.

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INSIDE TODAY

PEOPLE: Big Bird introduces his "friend, Mrs. Bush," to the television audience during a taping of "Sesame Street." — 5C

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Weather

Clear tonight, low in the upper 40s, southwest winds 5-15 mph. Details on Page 2A.

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Classified Ads	682-6222
Other Calls	682-5311

Senators say freedom of speech concerns cooled flag fervor

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate concern about freedom of speech and a cooling of the summer's political passions combined to defeat the proposed constitutional amendment to ban flag burning, lawmakers say.

"I don't know that public interest has faded; I think that public interest has changed," Sen. John C. Danforth, R-Mo., said Thursday after the proposed amendment failed in the Senate.

Opponents of the measure said Americans are having second thoughts about the notion of changing the Constitution.

White House lobbying appeared minimal despite a strong public campaign that last summer took President Bush to the foot of the Iwo Jima Memorial.

The measure did win a bare majority in the Senate, 51-48, but fell 15 votes short of the required two-thirds of senators present and voting.

Eleven Republicans joined 37 Democrats to oppose the measure. Thirty-three Republicans and 18 Democrats voted for the proposal, which would have authorized the state and federal governments to outlaw flag desecration.

Following the vote, White House spokeswoman Alixe Glen said Bush was "disappointed" and believes such an amendment represents "the only ... real protection for the flag." She said a bill sent to the president last week to ban flag-burning by statute "would not survive constitutional scrutiny."

Critics of the amendment, in contrast, said the bill would satisfy concern in the country about flag-burning.

"I think when the statute passed, it made it much easier to focus on the Constitution," said Sen. Patrick J. Leahy, D-Vt. "But this amendment should fall anyway because of the danger it poses to the Bill of Rights."

Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., a strong supporter of the amendment, told reporters that "the public was confused on this."

"They were led to believe a statute would do the job and produce results," he said. "Now we don't know what we've got if anything."

Supporters of the amendment claimed it was the only sure way to prevent a recurrence of the Supreme Court decision in June that overturned the conviction of Texas flag-burner Gregory Lee Johnson on grounds his right to free speech was violated.

"We all lose with this action," said Miles Eplin, national commander of the American Legion, after the vote. "Today, I feel like my friends have been let down, as well as those from other generations who died believing that our nation would always remember their sacrifices and respect the foremost symbol of all they held dear."

Critics said there would be a political price to pay at election time for opposing the measure. At the same time, though, they seemed increasingly emboldened to attack the amendment as a threat to the Constitution.

"We face no sudden or uncontrollable burst of flag destruction," Majority Leader George J. Mitchell, D-Maine, declared. "...Yet we are being asked to believe that the flag which neither Hitler nor Stalin could defeat is now threatened by a single misguided person who most Americans never heard of and don't care about."

Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., took the Senate floor on Thursday morning to make one last appeal for approval of the measure. He painted a colorful panorama of flag history from Iwo Jima to the lunar landing and said the Senate was too bogged down in technicalities.

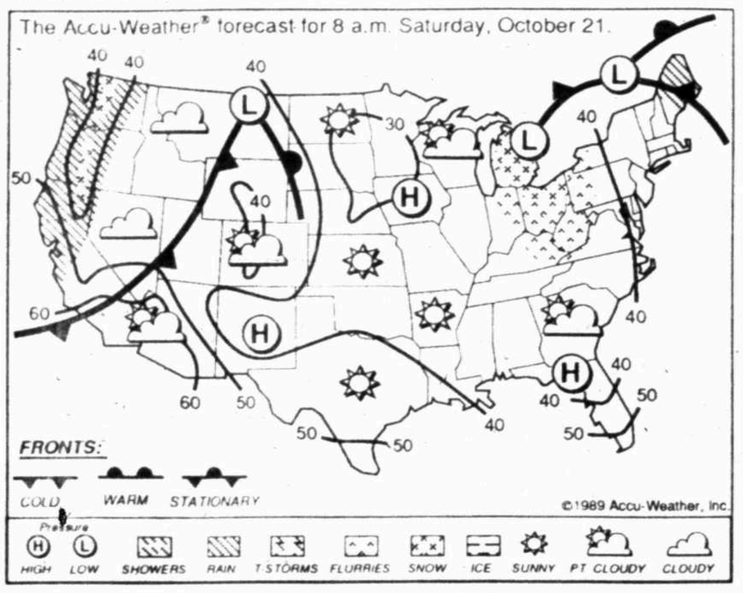
"The need for this amendment will not be found in a textbook or a treatise on constitutional law," Dole said. "No, it will be found in the emotions of the heart, emotions deeply rooted in the real-life experiences of millions of Americans, and emotions that are crying out today to give the flag real and lasting protection."

Afterward, Dole said: "I think the flag should be flown at half-staff after this vote."

Danforth and Sen. Warren Rudman, R-N.H., initially co-sponsored the proposal, but both did an about-face on Tuesday and became opponents.

"When I was originally asked to support it, I thought, I want to protect the flag," Danforth said. "... But as the vote got closer and as I started reflecting on it and getting more serious about it, my opinion became one of the greatest reluctance to change the Constitution."

WEATHER SUMMARY



FORECAST

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Lows tonight will be in the mid 30s in the mountains of the Trans-Pecos and in the 40s and 50s over the rest of the state.

Highs Saturday will be mostly in the 70s and 80s, ranging from the 60s in the Panhandle to the lower 80s in the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas and across most of South Texas.

Skies were partly cloudy over portions of extreme South Texas and extreme West Texas early today and clear elsewhere.

Early morning temperatures were in the 30s over North Central Texas, Central Texas, East Texas, along the Red River and in much of West Texas and across most of West Texas, in the 20s in the mountains of Southwest Texas and in the 40s and 50s elsewhere. Extremes ranged from 27 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains to 52 at Corpus Christi.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 34 at Amarillo, 37 at Wichita Falls, 35 at Fort Worth, 37 at Waco, 45 at Austin, 38 at San Antonio, 34 at Houston, 42 at Brownsville, 41 at San Angelo, 35 at Lubbock, 44 at Midland and 36 at El Paso.

NATION

Snow kept falling and thousands of people remained without electricity in the Midwest today as the region endured an early reunion with winter, just four days after temperatures had climbed into the 80s. Near-record cold also settled in throughout much of the Gulf Coast and South.

Snowfall accumulations were 8 inches at Peru, Ind., more than 7 inches in Indianapolis and 4 to 6 inches in Fort Wayne and South Bend, Ind., and Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, by late Thursday. It still was snowing this morning.

"It was 80 degrees or above from October 12th to 16th," said Ed Terrell of the National Weather Service in Indianapolis. "By the 19th, we had 6 inches of snowfall. That's a pretty good turnaround."

Records for October snowfall totals were shattered throughout the region. Cincinnati and Dayton had their earliest snowfall ever.

But it was mostly rain in northwest Indiana because of warmer lake temperatures.

Service crews from Ohio's top power companies worked through the night with little sleep to turn on the lights for 94,000 customers still without power early today. Scattered outages also were reported in Wisconsin

Rain threatened flooding today in interior southeast New York, where rivers and streams were running high, and along the southern coast of New Jersey, which also faced gusty onshore winds.

Temperatures threatened to dip below freezing tonight in Georgia, Alabama, northwest Florida, inland Mississippi, western Tennessee, northern Louisiana, northern and central Arkansas, eastern Oklahoma and the northeast half of Texas.

But southern Florida experienced record high temperatures in the high 80s and low 90s on Thursday.

The high temperature in the Lower 48 states Thursday was 95 at Monrovia and Poway, Calif.

Rain extended from the southern two thirds of New England to the lower Great Lakes and south across the Virginias, Tennessee and northern Alabama. Southern Florida also had rain Thursday.

Snow showers Thursday reached from western lower Michigan across eastern Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and western Kentucky. Chicago had 2 inches of wet snow.

Midland statistics

Tonight: Clear, low in the upper 40s, southwest winds 5-15 mph. Saturday: Sunny, high in the lower 80s, southwest winds 10-20 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	83 degrees
Overnight Low	39 degrees
Sunset today	7:11 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:56 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	trace inches
Year to date	7.79 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	30	6 p.m.	82
7 a.m.	28	7 p.m.	80
8 a.m.	28	8 p.m.	55
9 a.m.	34	9 p.m.	52
10 a.m.	43	10 p.m.	49
11 a.m.	49	11 p.m.	50
noon	53	midnight	49
1 p.m.	55	1 a.m.	47
2 p.m.	57	2 a.m.	48
3 p.m.	60	3 a.m.	47
4 p.m.	61	4 a.m.	44
5 p.m.	62	5 a.m.	44
		6 a.m.	43

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	60	39	
Alice	87	40	
Amarillo	60	33	
Austin	64	42	
Beaumont Port Arthur	61	32	
Beeville	70	39	
Brownsville	87	40	
Bryan-College Station	59	33	
Childress	62	35	
Corpus Christi	87	39	
Cotulla	66	40	
Dalhart	62	26	
Dallas Love Field	56	40	
Del Rio	67	42	
El Paso	65	34	
Fort Worth	58	33	
Galveston	59	50	
Hondo	66	35	
Houston Hobby Airport	61	37	
Junction	65	28	
Kingsville	67	43	
Laredo	69	48	
Longview	53	32	
Lubbock	65	34	
Lufkin	57	26	
Marfa	60	26	
McAllen	70	45	
Midland-Odessa	63	40	
Mineral Wells	59	32	
Palacios	62	37	
San Angelo	65	35	
San Antonio	65	36	
Stephenville	56	32	
Texarkana, Ark.	53	27	
Victoria	65	40	
Waco	60	34	
Wichita Falls	59	29	
Wink	64	29	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	43	42	70	cdy
Albuquerque	60	36		clr
Anchorage	38	30	16	clr
Atlanta	50	34		clr
Atlantic City	67	59	72	cdy
Baltimore	57	54	98	cdy
Boise	69	43		rn
Boston	49	47	93	cdy
Buffalo	44	42	42	cdy
Casper	64	42		clr
Charleston,S.C.	73	42		clr
Chicago	40	33	83	cdy
Cincinnati	38	33	04	cdy
Dayton	38	33	17	cdy
Denver	62	30		cdy
Detroit	42	36	45	rn
Flagstaff	63	32		cdy
Grand Rapids	35	33	28	rn
Great Falls	64	45		clr
Honolulu	84	75		cdy
Indianapolis	35	32	58	cdy
Jackson,Miss.	51	29		clr
Kansas City	46	25		clr
Las Vegas	83	58		cdy
Little Rock	47	32		clr
Los Angeles	94	65		rn
Louisville	38	34	04	clr
Memphis	47	35		cdy
Milwaukee	38	32	1.42	cdy
Mpls-St Paul	47	23		clr
Nashville	45	35	02	cdy
New Orleans	57	36		clr
New York City	53	53	1.22	cdy
Oklahoma City	50	33		clr
Omaha	44	23		clr
Philadelphia	56	50	39	cdy
Phoenix	87	73		cdy
Pittsburgh	51	35	08	sn
Reno	79	46		rn
Richmond	54	50	99	cdy
St Louis	42	34		clr
Salt Lake City	72	45		cdy
San Diego	66	63		cdy
San Francisco	82	54		rn
Sioux Falls	48	17		clr
Spokane	65	46		rn
Syracuse	45	42	20	cdy
Topeka	48	20		clr
Tucson	82	66		cdy
Tulsa	50	33		clr
Washington,D.C.	58	53	.86	cdy
Wichita	50	25		clr

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, fair and warmer with a low in the lower 50s. Southwest wind 5 to 10 mph. Saturday, sunny and warmer with a high in the mid 80s. Southwest wind 5 to 15 mph.

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Rescue workers continue grim search as hopes fade

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Firefighter Lee Kraft was visibly shaken after he crawled into an 18-inch-high opening on the collapsed Nimitz Freeway to pull out the bodies of a 6-year-old girl and her mother.

"It kills you. It just kills you. We all have families, you know. ... The adults are no problem. But the kids ...," he said Thursday before trailing off, dabbing tears.

The carnage on the highway, also known as Interstate 880, upset even the most veteran of rescue workers. Here, on a 1¼-mile-long section of interstate just south of the Bay Bridge, Tuesday's earthquake was its deadliest.

Using shovels, backhoes, cranes and their hands, workers recovered 19 bodies and pulled 45 cars and trucks from the rubble by early today, authorities said.

But 167 people remained on the official missing list today for Alameda County, which includes Oakland and several other communities. Dozens of vehicles still were sandwiched between tons of concrete.

Early estimates put the number of dead at 250 people, but officials said Thursday night that they expected the total would be lower — possibly much lower.

Some rescuers, working around the clock, stubbornly clung to hopes that someone might be found alive in the highway debris. Others, including Kraft, had no hopes.

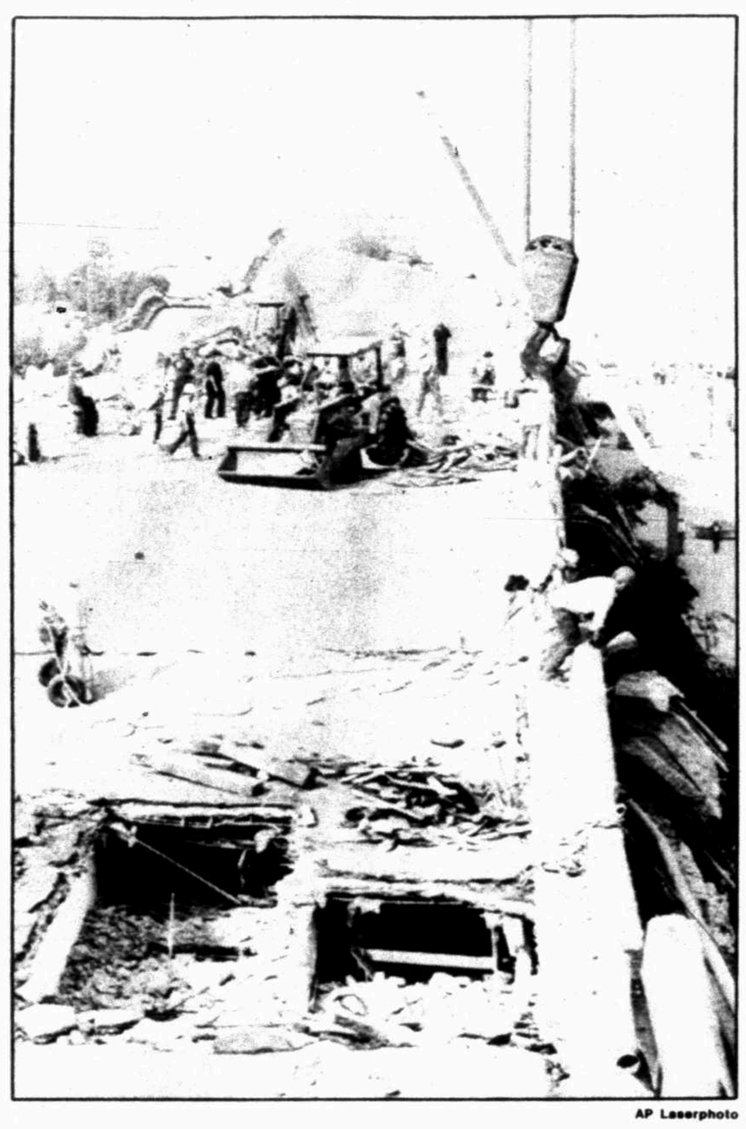
"We haven't found a live one yet, and I don't think we will," he said.

The even layers of the two-tiered elevated highway lay buckled and twisted like a writhing serpent, their concrete supports sheared off.

On the railing of the flattened upper deck, spray paint pointed the way to crushed cars and shattered bodies: 1DOA signified a body, 2MT a pair of empty cars, a circle and arrow with the number 43 stood for a car 43 feet away.

"You could see blood splattered everywhere on the concrete," said volunteer Jason Losorio, taking a break after a 13-hour shift that included moving concrete chunks by hand.

The scene drew hundreds of onlookers on Thursday, including many who feared a relative or friend might be buried.



AP Laserphoto

Heavy cranes and backhoes probe and lift the debris from Oakland's Interstate 880.

Texas volunteers turned back

DALLAS (AP) — Texas volunteers headed for Northern California in a convoy that included an 18-wheeler loaded with food and a mobile kitchen designed to feed thousands have been told to return to Texas because they aren't needed.

The convoy had reached New Mexico and stopped for breakfast Thursday when they were told to return, spokesmen for the Baptist General Convention of Texas and Texas Baptist Men said.

"They were going to an area that's going to be bulldozed," said spokesman Ken Camp. "It was a little unexpected, but it's good to know that needs are being taken care of."

The Rev. John LaNove, assistant director of Texas Baptist Men said the volunteers had reached Santa Rosa, N.M., when they were told by National Volunteer Organization Active in Disasters that much of the Marina area, where they were headed will be bulldozed and that most residents of the area had found other housing and those who need food are being fed by the Red Cross.

QUAKE

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The third game of the championship between the Oakland A's and the San Francisco Giants had been set to begin just minutes after the killer quake struck at 5:04 p.m.

"Normally at 5 o'clock in the afternoon this area would be bumper-to-bumper," Crawford said.

Initially, authorities had estimated 253 people were buried under the debris. That was based on the assumption that cars stretched bumper-to-bumper on the crushed lower level of the double-deck highway.

"They are going lower, much lower in fact," said Lisa Covington, a spokeswoman for the state Office of Emergency Services.

No new official estimate of fatalities was made.

Searchers have found 52 cars in the lower section of the freeway, but there may be more still buried in the rubble, California Highway Patrol Sgt. John Silva said.

On the railing of the freeway's flattened upper deck, markers of fluorescent green, pink and orange spray paint mapped the carnage of crushed cars and shattered bodies.

The code was crisp and clear: The letters 1DOA signified a body, 2MT a pair of empty cars, a circle and arrow with the number 43 showed a car 43 feet away.

One firefighter had tears in his eyes after crawling into an 18-inch-high opening to pull out the bodies of a 6-year-old girl and her mother.

"It kills you. It just kills you," said the firefighter, Lee Kraft. "The adults are no problem. But the kids ..."

Five psychologists are at the scene for the rescue workers.

Electricity was restored to about 98 percent of the area by Thursday, utility spokesman Greg Pruett said. Commuters returned to much of downtown San Francisco, some schools and bank branches reopened, and cable car service resumed.

But life was far from normal.

In downtown Oakland, the quake ruined 13 commercial buildings and 1,400 residential units, including housing for 100 elderly residents now in shelters, officials said. More than 200 other buildings were damaged.

The ornate, 78-year-old City Hall was declared uninhabitable and some crucial city services have been moved to the fire department.

The historic Amtrak railroad station in west Oakland suffered three big cracks and may have to be razed, officials said.

"One more good shake and the whole thing would have come down," said Amtrak employee Ron Young.

In all, the mayor estimated damages in Oakland at $1.3 billion — not including the Nimitz collapse.

In San Francisco's battered Marina district, residents gathered at police barricades and begged for permission to retrieve food, clothing and medicine from their homes.

"This is a nightmare. I have to get my medicine for my asthma and for my stomach," said Barbara Jones, 54.

SUIT

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The suit filed in 1987 alleges discrimination against Mexican-American students in "its programs of admission, retention, financial assistance and allocation of resources in its undergraduate, graduate and professional programs."

It seeks to have the court declare the Texas system of higher education in violation of the state constitution and to order the state to remedy the situation.

Hinojosa is conducting the hearing to determine whether the 22 student plaintiffs in the suit can be declared a single class in the legal battle.

The League of United Latin American Citizens, American GI Forum and various Mexican-American educational organizations also are plaintiffs.

Assistant Attorney General Kevin O'Hanlon disputed the idea that plaintiffs such as an El Paso man studying aerospace engineering at the University of Texas at Austin could have common grievances with a woman from the Lower Rio Grande Valley who attended the University of Houston and recently finished law school.

Goals and problems of students along the border are too disparate to qualify them as a class for litigation, he said.

Kauffman said too many people have to leave the border area to obtain the education they are seeking.

"The whole quality of life here is negatively impacted by the lack of educational opportunities," said MALDEF attorney Susan E. Brown.

On the issues of alleged inequitable distribution of programs and resources, the plaintiffs cited a 38-county region running from El Paso to Brownsville and including San Antonio.

The majority of Mexican-Americans in Texas do not live along the border, O'Hanlon argued.

"What about the other Hispanic students in the state?" O'Hanlon asked. He cited the large Hispanic populations in Houston and Dallas as part of the majority of Hispanics he said do not live along the border.

MALDEF attorneys argued that the border area traditionally has suffered from a shortage of higher education funding.

"This area, the border, is the Mexican-American area of the state," Kauffman said.

He called the Legislature's decision this year to make the University of Texas at Dallas a four-year school, despite an already existing abundance of university programs in North Texas, an example of decisions discriminating against the border.

O'Hanlon said the same amounts are spent per student for the same courses in all areas of the state.

The judge said he would rule on the class certification matter within a month and that the trial will begin next year.

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Senate approves impeachment charges, ousts Judge Hastings

NATION

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today approved impeachment charges against U.S. District Judge Alcee L. Hastings of Miami, ousting him from the federal bench for conspiring to obtain a $150,000 payoff.

Hastings

Hastings' fate was sealed on the first of 17 articles of impeachment, when the Senate voted 69-26 to convict him of conspiracy, more than the two-thirds margin required.

Hastings, the first black federal district judge in Florida, was removed from the bench even though he had been acquitted in 1983 in a criminal trial.

He said after the vote that he intends to run for governor of Florida.

"I have no choice but to accept their judgment," Hastings said in a statement as he left the Senate.

"In my opinion their judgment is void of the wisdom of the forefathers teachings regarding impeachment," Hastings said. He said the case "gives new meaning to double jeopardy and renders a severe blow to the cornerstone of justice — the jury system."

The Senate later voted to convict Hastings on subsequent charges that included perjury. The vote on the first perjury count was 68-27.

Hastings was the sixth federal official removed as a result of impeachment.

Flanked by his attorneys, the 53-year-old judge watched the proceedings from a table on the floor of the Senate as one by one the lawmakers answered the roll call. He left the chamber a few minutes after the first of the articles was voted.

In bringing impeachment charges against Hastings, the House of Representatives said the evidence showed he was clearly guilty despite his acquittal in federal court.

"What the Senate has said is a standard of almost proven, innuendo and inference is good enough to remove a judge or executive officer by way of impeachment," Hastings said today. "That is chilling and fraught with potential to do a lot of harm."

The Senate impeachment trial was not a criminal proceeding. Thus, Hastings stands removed as a judge but remains a free man without any criminal record.

Hastings said he was "hopeful that some book offers will come along."

"There are so many wonderful and tragic stories that are born of this saga. They need to be told and tell them I shall," he said.

Senators sat silently at their desks as the roll was called.

When the first tally was announced, defense attorney Terence J. Anderson showed the roll call to Hastings, who then offered his hand and shook hands firmly with the lawyer.

Hastings was acquitted of the bribery conspiracy by a jury in 1983.

Atlantis astronauts resume experiments

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Atlantis' five astronauts plunged into a heavy schedule of medical, scientific and photographic experiments today after being awakened by three rousing college fight songs.

"We've got a full day planned for you," Mission Control told the astronauts, and even before they had breakfast, they were asked to take pictures of Gibralter in the Mediterranean for a film being made about Earth's environment.

The wakeup songs were from colleges attended by the three mission specialists on board, "Boomer Sooners," "UConn Huskies" and "Victory March."

Shannon Lucid attended the University of Oklahoma, Franklin Chang-Diaz the University of Connecticut and Ellen Baker the State University of New York at Buffalo.

The flight plan today called for the crew to continue experiments that measure Earth's damaged ozone layer and study the effects of weightlessness on the human body, the processing of polymers and the growth of corn and ice crystals.

The nuclear-powered Galileo probe the astronauts deployed about six hours after blastoff Wednesday was zipping across the solar system at 9,000 mph in great shape, officials reported.

The $1.5 billion probe's course for its six-year, 2.4-billion-mile trip to Jupiter involved more than 400,000 miles of travel by midday today. Once it reaches Jupiter, Galileo is expected to give the best look yet of another planet and find clues to the universe's origin.

Atlantis is scheduled to land at 2:38 p.m. EDT Monday at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif.

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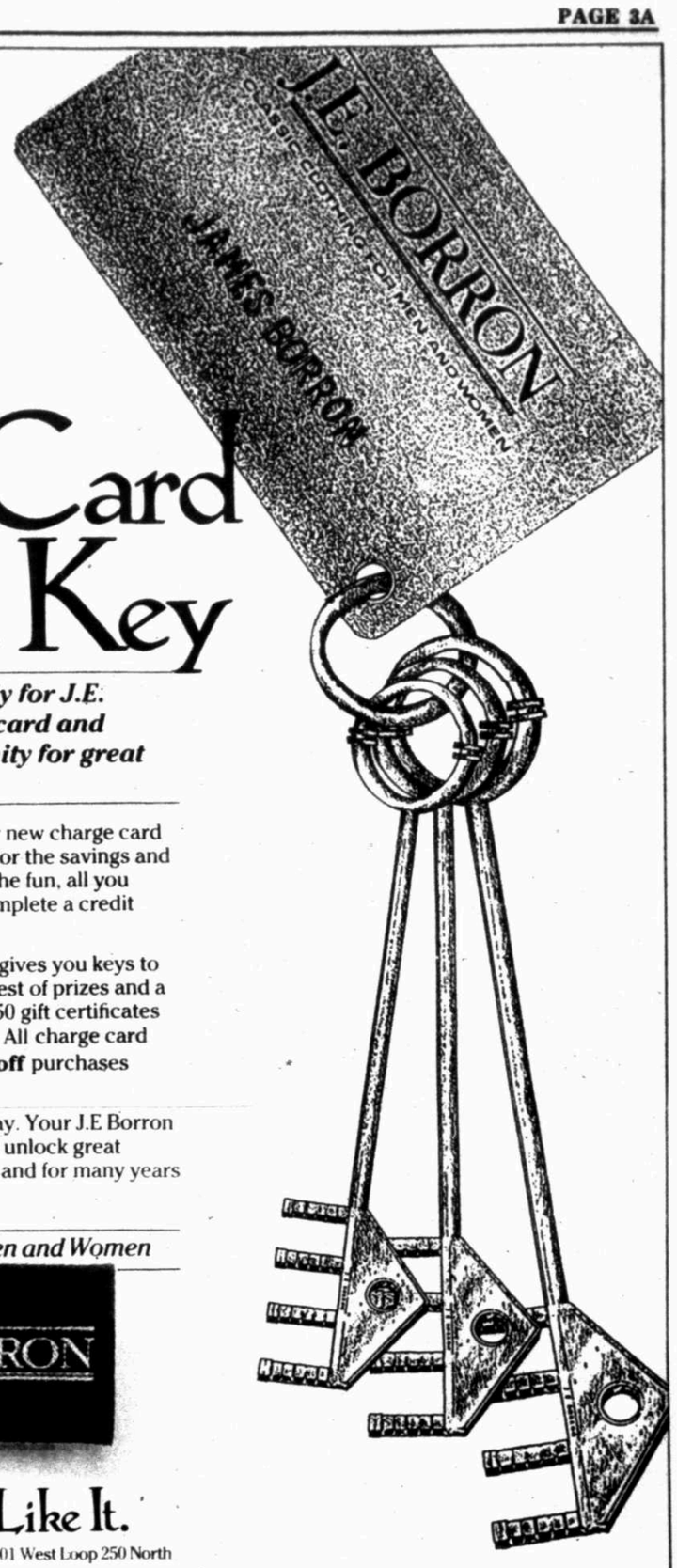

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Scotch, SPAM top Korean black-market sellers

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. military personnel in South Korea buy six times as much Chivas Regal scotch as the much larger U.S. force in Europe — but instead of drinking it, they're selling it on the Korean black market, a study says.

SPAM, Aqua Net hair spray and rice are among other favorites selling in huge quantities at U.S. military commissaries in South Korea, apparently bound for the black market, the General Accounting Office said Thursday.

Such sales far exceed what would normally be consumed by the 70,000 authorized buyers stationed there, and U.S. taxpayers are footing part of the bill, GAO witnesses said at a Senate hearing. The GAO is Congress' investigative arm.

The Defense Department exports duty-free goods to bases in Korea and other countries for sale at cut-rate prices in the commissaries and exchanges.

In 1988, commissaries in South Korea sold 1.1 million cans of SPAM, or almost 12 pounds per person per year; 34 pounds or 816 American cheese slices for every man, woman and child, and 170 pounds of rice for every consumer.

"If one person consumed 170 pounds of rice a year, that would be a little over 14 pounds of rice a month or just under a half a pound of rice a day," said Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich., chairman of the Senate Governmental Affairs subcommittee on government oversight and management.

"There would be little room in a person's diet for anything else but rice," he said.

Black marketeers recruit U.S. service members or their dependents to buy the products for later resale or enlist the help of cashiers and sales clerks, mostly Koreans.

The investigators concluded that most of the Chivas Regal scotch purchased for sale, including the 12-year-old bottle and 21-year-old bottle, ends up in the black market. In 1988, service members in Korea bought 314,748 liters of the scotch.

"Fewer military members in Korea — 15 percent of the total in Europe — purchased more than six times the number of Chivas Regal bottles purchased in Europe," the investigators said.

In addition, the meat merchant who services the Osan Air Base told investigators that 70,000 pounds of oxtails are supplied per month to the commissary.

Donna Heivilin, director of logistics issues for the GAO, said Korean tariffs make the price of legally imported U.S. goods very expensive.

Heivilin told the subcommittee the cost of serving the black market was about $7 million a year, assuming that 20 percent of the $250.4 million worth of items sold in Korea in 1988 ended up in the cupboards of unauthorized individuals.

"This is totally abhorrent, totally unacceptable," said Levin, who has called for a reduction of U.S. forces in Korea.

Sandra Kristoff, an assistant U.S. trade representative for Asia and the Pacific, acknowledged that Korea's restrictive import practices have fueled the black market.

But she stressed that the Korean black market has been in existence for some time, and the United States is taking steps to reduce the illegal sales.

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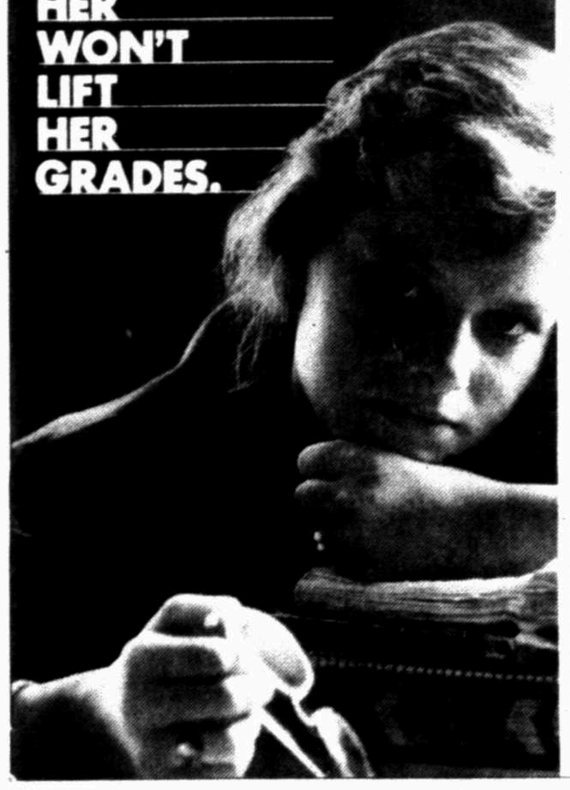

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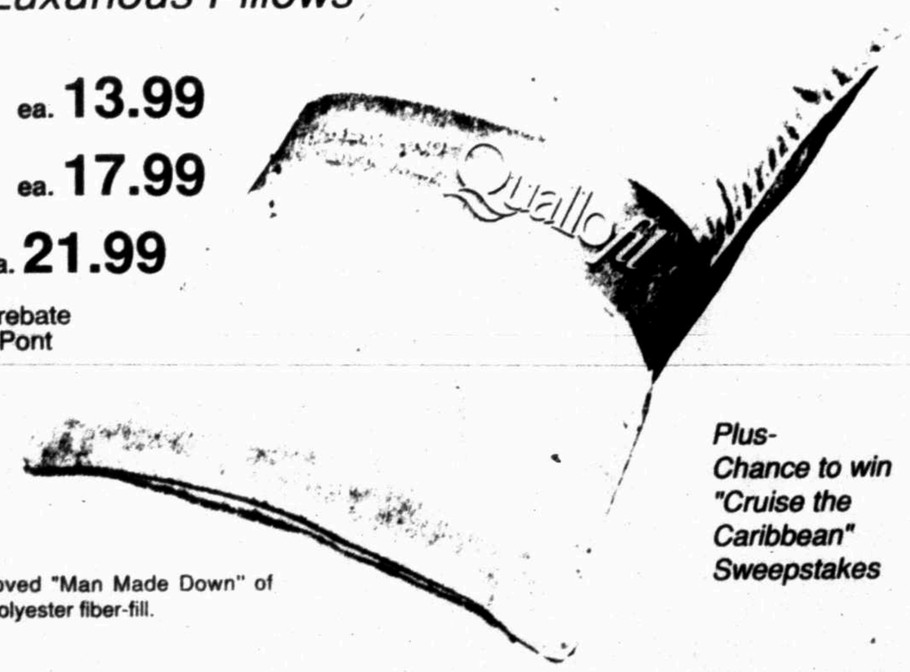

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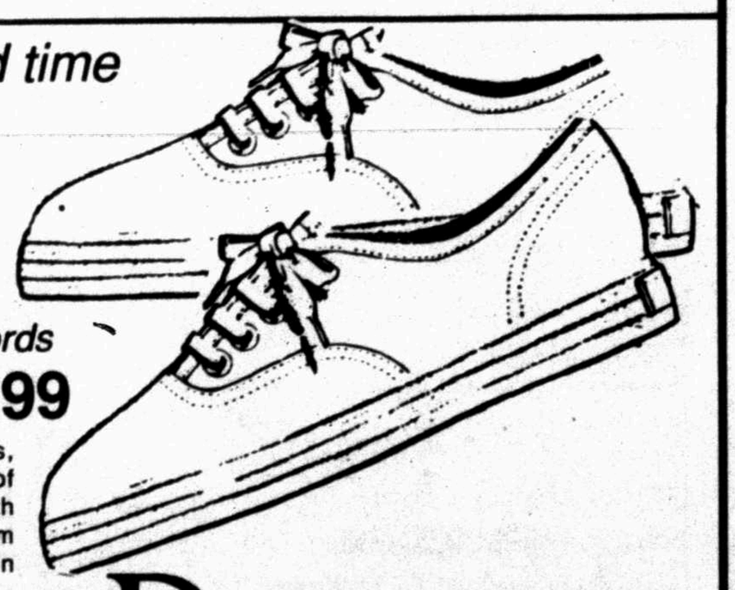
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Bush expected to veto measure

WASHINGTON (AP) — The stage is set for a presidential veto of a bill allowing government-paid abortions for poor women who are victims of rape or incest.

The Senate put the matter in President Bush's hands Thursday when it gave final congressional approval to a spending bill including the new provisions for Medicaid abortions.

The 67-31 vote drew little debate after the House's surprise vote last week to approve the broader provisions. The Senate passed the measure before, but final agreement on a compromise spending bill was needed to send the bill to the president.

The measure would allow federal money to be spent on abortions for poor women who are victims of rape or incest and who "reported promptly" to law enforcement or public health authorities. Medicaid restrictions in the law since 1981 permit federal money for abortions only in cases where the life of the mother is endangered by her pregnancy.

"The president has told us he will veto this bill because he won't accept language that allows poor rape and incest victims access to abortions," said Sen. Brock Adams, D-Wash.

"I'm sorry the president of the United States, the most powerful man in the world, has chosen to veto this bill ... and thereby cause enormous additional suffering for some of the world's most unfortunate and powerless victims," he said.

Rep. Bill Green of New York, a Republican moderate, said 30 House Republicans have sent Bush a letter urging him to sign the bill. Green said Bush's opposition to the measure puts "him and us in a really indefensible position."

Tree injuries most common

ATLANTA (AP) — Many hunters get hurt simply by falling out of trees, not by being shot by other hunters, federal health researchers said.

The Centers for Disease Control, which studies injuries as well as disease, reported Thursday the results of a Georgia study showing that 36 percent of hunting injuries were mishaps involving tree stands — the perches where deer hunters wait for their prey.

The CDC and Georgia officials studied 594 deer hunting-related injuries in the state over the 1979-89 hunting seasons: 214 involved tree stands, which may be hastily built platforms or store-bought tree chairs.

Seventeen people died, fractures were common and several teen-age hunters suffered neck fractures and were paralyzed.

"This is just the tip of the iceberg," said Dr. Steven Gordon, an epidemiologist with the Georgia Department of Human Resources. "The nature of the system is such that the only reports we get are the ones that are fairly serious."

Most of the tree stand injuries involved falls; 111 hunters were hurt when they tumbled out of their stands, 49 fell while trying to climb down and 40 fell while trying to climb up. Gordon said the average stand was 16 feet above the ground.

Krueger doll discontinued

NEW YORK (AP) — Many people hoping to buy the Freddy Krueger doll, based on the ghoulish character in "Nightmare on Elm Street" movies, may be able to purchase it only in their dreams.

The Rev. Donald Wildmon, whose American Family Association had urged a boycott of the doll, announced Thursday that the Matchbox toy company informed him it would not proceed with plans to market the doll.

"We feel that the decision by Matchbox is a very positive and socially responsible one, and we commend them for their decision," Wildmon said in disclosing the toy company's action.

Matchbox, better known for tiny toy cars, confirmed that it decided to drop its plans — at least temporarily — for marketing a doll version of the movie fiend who has blades for fingernails and kills his victims in their dreams.

The doll, announced last month, had been expected to be a hot seller ahead of Halloween.

Lotto ticket found in jar

NEW YORK (AP) — Newton Hazell looked on his dresser, in his desk drawers and under his mattress before he remembered the cookie jar — which was where he'd unknowingly stuffed a $1.3 million winning Lotto ticket last year.

"I just stuck it in and forgot all about it," said Hazell, who overcame the memory lapse to become a millionaire just four days before his ticket would have become worthless.

Hazell, a correction officer, showed up Wednesday at the lottery offices to collect his prize from the Oct. 22, 1988, drawing.

"Isn't that something? This was down to the nitty-gritty. Another week and I would have lost it," said Hazell, of Metuchen, N.J., after a Thursday news conference announcing his sweet find.

Hazell, 58, bought the winning ticket at the Towne and Country Deli on New York City's Staten Island, selecting the numbers 7, 9, 13, 21, 34 and 43. But he dumped the ticket into the cookie jar and never checked to see if he won.

House votes to double aid package to Poland

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House is turning up the political heat on President Bush with its overwhelming approval of $837 million in aid to Poland and Hungary over the next three years, nearly double what the White House asked.

"The administration has failed to grasp that this is a critical turning point in the history of East-West relations," said Rep. David Bonior, D-Mich., a member of the Democratic leadership.

The aid, approved Thursday on a 345-47 vote, is an effort to shore up fledgling reform movements in the two Soviet Bloc countries and seize political advantage on the issue from Bush, whose response has been branded "timid" by congressional Democrats.

House Republicans joined the march in droves. "The winds of freedom and democracy are sweeping across Eastern Europe and are tearing holes in the Iron Curtain," said Rep. Lynn Martin, R-Ill., adding the aid package was essential to sustain the reforms.

Rep. Jim Leach, R-Iowa, called it "an extraordinarily cheap way of helping redirect the course of history."

Bush initially proposed $149 million for the two countries when he visited Eastern Europe in July, but since then has raised the amount to $450 million under pressure from Capitol Hill.

But the measure that passed the House Thursday clearly has made the administration uncomfortable. It wants to retain leverage to make sure economic reforms go forward, but doesn't want to be seen as reluctant to reward those who are breaking the grip of communism.

In a statement, the White House said it would generally support the bill but "has reservations about the excessive funding levels" and would work to decrease the amount when the bill goes to the Senate.

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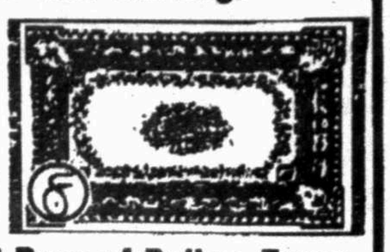
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Assistance essential for earthquake victims

The gripping fear and helplessness that sweep over a community during an earthquake may be the prevalent emotions. But in the California earthquake that devastated a number of cities along the San Andreas fault line Tuesday evening, even the terror of the quake could not dim the bright glow of human compassion.

The spirit of selflessness and caring was evident in numerous stories of California residents — victims themselves — who left the despair of their own situations to direct traffic at tangled intersections, rescue motorists trapped in crushed vehicles on Oakland's Nimitz Freeway, or help others in more serious plights. Hotels at the site even opened their doors to all who needed shelter.

The horror of the moment has stopped now in California, and relief operations are well under way. Residents are struggling to put some order back in their lives in the wake of the devastating quake that claimed more than 200 lives and injured more than 1,000 others along the San Andreas fault.

As California quakes go, it wasn't even the most deadly. That dubious honor still belongs to the San Francisco earthquake of 1906, in which at least 2,500 people died. But neither was it the anticipated "Big One," and that realization is cold comfort to the millions of Californians whose lives were rocked, shattered and, in some cases, inexplicably altered by Tuesday's "rush-hour" earthquake that hit at 5:04 p.m. At Santa Cruz, near the epicenter of the earthquake which measured 6.9 on the Richter scale, two bridges collapsed, while in San Franciso a section of the Bay Bridge fell and its was closed to traffic.

Near Oakland, the upper-level of the Nimitz Freeway collapsed, crushing hundreds of rush-hour motorists beneath tons of concrete. And there, like at the scattered California sites ravaged by the quake, the compassion of Californians shone through, as many tried to help save the injured and to ease suffering.

Meanwhile, President George Bush acted quickly to declare the earthquake site a disaster area and at far-flung points throughout the nation, such as Midland, caring people already have begun donating blood, cash and supplies to help the California victims. That assistance will be important in helping the earthquake victims recover and rebuild their lives.

JACK ANDERSON

Trump makes political donating an art

WASHINGTON — Donald Trump is a big casino magnate, but he doesn't gamble when it comes to politics.

Trump's heart and wallet were behind George Bush in the 1988 presidential race, but he also hedged his bets by giving money to Bush's most bitter rivals for the Republican nomination, Robert Dole and Jack Kemp.

Jack Anderson

And just in case, the Trump organization donated to most of the big Democratic hopefuls too — Paul Simon, Bruce Babbit, Richard Gephardt and Albert Gore. The only notable not feeding at the Trump trough was Michael Dukakis. Trump evidently knows a sure thing when he sees one.

He can afford to be generous with presidential candidates of all stripe. Federal campaign contribution laws put a $1,000 limit on individual donations — a pittance to a guy like Trump. He can win friends and influence people on both sides of the aisle with petty cash. Then he can throw the big money at political parties that then funnel it to candidates, and that's where Trump shows his true sentiments. He is a Republican and gave more than $100,000 to GOP organizations in 1988.

Trump has bestowed his largesse on such conservative Republicans as Sens. Orrin Hatch of Utah, Arlen Specter of Pennsylvania and Connie Mack of Florida. But high-profile Democrats, including Sen. Alan Cranston of California and Rep. Charles Rangel of New York, have taken his money too. Even Rep. Joseph Kennedy, D-Mass., who is carrying the liberal Kennedy torch, is on the Trump gift list.

It isn't unusual for a billionaire to cross political lines to make friends in Washington, but Trump, as he did with the deal, has made political giving an art. In the 1988 presidential race he proved that big business has plenty of mistresses.

Trump claimed all along that he was a Bush backer. But early in the GOP primary, he gave $1,000 each to Dole and Kemp, who, at the time, were not high on Bush's list of chums. Trump's wife, Ivana, gave $500 to the Bush campaign, but handed $1,000 to Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn.

When the odds narrowed, Trump brought out the big bucks for Bush, donating $100,000 to the national Republican Party, plus smaller amounts to other GOP organizations. Yet he also gave $800 to the Brooklyn Democrats federal campaign account, $1,000 to the New York State Democratic Committee and at least $15,000 to the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee.

Trump's aides told us that he was unavailable to talk about his campaign donations. But in the past he has told our associate Scott Sleek that in the early days of the presidential campaign, he was unsure whether Bush would win the nomination. He said he could have backed a Democrat if Bush had been knocked out of the race.

Trump focuses his support on politicians who could be helpful in his future business ventures.

This habit of covering all the possible political angles mirrors Trump's business philosophy. He spells it out in his best-selling book "Trump: The Art of the Deal."

"People think I'm a gambler. I've never gambled anything in my life. To me, a gambler is someone who plays slot machines. I prefer to own slot machines."

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EMPLOYMENT CRISIS — Workers have job security under the communist system, but high employment is maintained at the expense of productivity and efficiency. In the Soviet Union and China, farms and factories have been forced to employ people who don't produce. The result has been massive unemployment on the job. Now, in both the Soviet Union and China, farms and factories are adopting Western ways, and the more efficient they become, the fewer workers they will need. The Central Intelligence Agency is predicting an unemployment crisis for both countries. The CIA estimates that half of the agricultural force and 25 percent of the urban work force in both countries could be out of work if farms and factories ever get their act together.

Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.

LETTERS

Hispanic parents upset

As parents we are very upset about the bilingual program and the excessive busing. Last year many of our children started out in our neighborhood schools and had to wait to be tested for the program. Once tested the children were moved to another school. This summer we received notification that our children were going to Bonham Elementary. Then, 14 days into the school year, they were being moved to to Rusk Elementary!

The changes are being made because Bonham is overcrowded. Students from as many as 10 elementary schools are bused to Bonham for bilingual instruction. Families are separated because of the busing. An example is that parents have kindergarten children at Bonham; first-, second- and third-graders at Rusk; and children who have been exited at their neighborhood schools. We hear that our school district is concerned about high-risk students, yet they bus children in kindergarten through the sixth grade all over town for bilingual instruction. We feel that someone is not doing their job and that our children are paying for it!

We do not feel that all this movement is good for the children. The children were comfortable at their school. Now they have to start all over. We also have found that the teachers all do different things. An example is that at one school our children may be reading in English, at another school in Spanish, and who knows what language they will be reading at Rusk Elementary. We are not alone in our concerns. We know that the children will do better in smaller classes and will adjust, but they should not be required to have these experiences!

We asked teachers to help us write this letter since most of us do not know language and to help us reach out so that this will never happen again. Please find the teachers needed and plan ahead of time. We know that the bilingual program helps our children, but stop the busing. Provide bilingual education at every school.

Others who feel the same way I do include Yolando Lozano, Rosano Maulion, Julio Gonzalez, Lori Barron, Antonio Barron, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Torres.

Raul Ramirez
Midland

Blair throwing stones

In response to the spiteful comments of Matthew Blair concerning the Democratic Party, I would like to take this opportunity to remind him about the history of the Republican Party.

It is the Republicans that can boast about having the only president that resigned from office, Richard Nixon. They are the party that has given the American people that shining example of moral behavior, Rep. Buz Lukens, who was convicted of having sex with a 15-year-old. They are the party that brought national pride to a new level with the Iran/contra scandal.

The prejudgemental attitude displayed by Blair clearly shows that he is not a qualified candidate for Midland County Court-at-Law judge. I would like to remind Blair of that old saying, "People who live in glass houses should not throw stones."

David Mandell
Midland

Plant more potatoes!

The sweet, medium-sized cantaloupes and the flavorful, plump red bell peppers from our farmers' market in early October have been delicious. In fact, everything — all summer — has been excellent.

Opening time, the dual locations and four days of availability have been most satisfactory.

I have one request in anticipation of the next planting season: Growers, please plant more potatoes! There weren't nearly enough this year to go with all the wonderful green beans.

Mrs. H.L. Beckmann
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Friday, Oct. 20, the 293rd day of 1989. There are 72 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Oct. 20, 1944, during World War II, Gen. Douglas MacArthur stepped ashore at Leyte in the Philippines, 2½ years after he'd said, "I shall return." Said MacArthur: "I have returned."

CHARLEY REESE

U.S. should sever all relations with China

For both moral and strategic reasons, the United States should sever all relations with Communist China.

America's China policy, driven by the greed of big business, has always involved deceiving the American people. The crimes against human rights committed by the regime, not the least of which is adamant support of the Cambodian maniac, Pol Pot, are continuously downplayed or ignored or even lied about. At the same time, China's strategic value to the United States has been vastly overblown.

Charley Reese

As is too often the case in post-World War I America, the heart of American policy is the economic goals of a few global giants. The moral and political reasons are served up to the public as eyewash.

Morally, U.S. policy toward China should be predicated on minimum observance of human rights. We should never reward tyrants. The Chinese students in the United States risking their lives in publicly demanding democratic reforms in China deserve our support. The desire of corporations to make money at the expense of human rights does not.

The weak sanctions imposed by the Bush administration in the wake of the massacre of Chinese students are already being wiggled out of. Recently the administration granted an exemption to Boeing to sell four jetliners; it had already exempted Honeywell to maintain navigation systems on planes already sold to China. McDonnell Douglas, involved in a joint venture with China, is pressing for an exemption.

Strategically, it borders on the suicidal to provide financial and technical aid to any country ruled by totalitarian fanatics who view the destruction of the United States as one of their long-range goals.

The idea that Communist China would assist the United States if we had a clash with the Soviet Union is one of the most rancid hunks of baloney ever stuffed down the throats of the American people by a foreign policy establishment bought and paid for by big business.

The only kind of China that would be helpful to the United States is a democratic China. Only a bird-brain thinks that people with antithetical beliefs can ever be allies. Whatever temporary differences communists in Beijing have with communists in Moscow, they have far, far more similarities, one of which is a hatred for capitalism.

Besides, the arrogance of the Chinese dictators ought to stink in the noses of every free man. China's idea of its relationship with the United States is for us to provide capital, credit, technology, buy the products of their slave labor, and otherwise keep our mouth shut.

Just last week, the Chinese foreign minister, Qian Qichen, warned Americans not to criticize the Chinese government. He was speaking to the right audience — the Council on Foreign Relations in Manhattan, one of the principal front groups for global corporations. Otherwise, any true American audience who would have booed the bum off the podium.

In an upcoming issue of Public Policy, Steven Mosher, one of the few honest scholars in the China watching racket, recalls a disgustingly long list of academic and journalistic China-flacks who have consistently and erroneously sung the praises of the Chinese communists.

For example, Edgar Snow in a 1962 book flatly denied there was a famine in China. One of the few things I can say with certainty is that mass starvation such as China knew almost annually under former regimes no longer occurs... Later, even the Chinese officials admitted that up to 10 million people died of starvation at the time Snow was there researching his book. Other estimates, based on interviews with survivors, range from 25 million to 50 million.

The rulers of China are no damned good — not for the Chinese people and certainly not for Americans.

We should insist that our government put principle and national interest ahead of corporate profits.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

MARIANNE MEANS

Balanced-budget amendment political hoax

WASHINGTON — The failure of Congress to live within its budget despite great huffing, puffing and downright cheating is damning proof that a legislative straitjacket to force unpopular spending cuts is nothing but a sham.

Marianne Means

The debacle also sharply undercuts arguments for a constitutional amendment to mandate a balanced budget, a cause long championed by President Bush and his predecessor Ronald Reagan. Based on current congressional behavior, such fiddling with the Constitution would be worse than useless; it would be a political hoax.

The Gramm-Rudman-Hollings deficit-slashing plan was supposed to make the president and Congress voluntarily face up to the unpleasant chore of raising enough revenue and cutting enough programs to steadily whittle away at the national debt. In theory, the threat of automatic across-the-board budget cuts was going to motivate the politicians to take voluntary steps. The law was never intended to be applied, since it carves up everything indiscriminately.

But the threat wasn't scary enough because everybody knew the law could be rescinded later. So its automatic cuts of $16 billion in both domestic and military programs are now officially in effect. And Congress is predictably scrambling to generate new financial illusions and head off its draconian impact before the ax can be fully felt.

During the long budget negotiations both branches manipulated figures, invented phony reductions and bobbed and weaved to avoid painful choices among differing constituencies. Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., one of the measure's sponsors, was so disgusted he said he wanted a "divorce" from his creation.

It amounted to a game of political chicken between Republicans and Democrats. The big loser was the concept that passing a law demanding a responsible budget would actually produce one.

The shortcomings of Gramm-Rudman-Hollings also makes a mockery of the Republican crusade for a balanced budget constitutional amendment. An amendment would have no more effect than the law.

Critics have always suspected that it was a cynical strategy to sound tough on budget cuts without having to pay a political price for making some. The evidence is with the critics.

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ITEM: Of the 12 Republican female members of the House, all but three voted with the majority recently to provide federal funding for abortions for poor women in cases of rape or incest as well as in life-threatening situations. Many of them are frankly upset about President Bush's threatened veto of that bill. But they downplay its potential political impact on their party.

Illinois Rep. Lynn Martin, co-chair of Bush's presidential campaign, sent a letter begging him to reconsider, although he has been promising a veto since August. Other GOP congresswomen endorsed a similar message from the congressional caucus on women's issues.

"Politically, it's a mistake," says Rep. Marge Roukema of New Jersey. "But a president must stick to his principles."

Bush, however, has waffled considerably on abortion in his long career and briefly tried to work out a political compromise on the bill, calling his moral principles on the issue somewhat into question. During the 1984 campaign, he conceded: "My position has evolved."

"Changing positions has never struck me as a good idea," says Martin. "Do I agree with him? Absolutely not. He's met with some pro-life members of Congress. He should meet with some pro-choice members."

Rep. Constance Morella of Maryland insists that the president's stand won't affect the congressional elections. Rep. Pat Saiki of Hawaii notes that "all politics is local" and the candidate's record matters more than the president's. But she concedes "we have another layer to explain."

Saiki is resigned to swimming upstream in her party, which has courted the right-to-life movement and has adopted a platform opposing abortion rights. "This is not the first time we've had to face up to this," she says. "We had our queasiness at platform time."

The president's current position is that he supports the overthrow of Roe v. Wade and opposes abortion unless the life of the mother is threatened or in cases of rape and incest. He opposes federal funding for abortions for poor women unless necessary to save the life of the mother.

Acknowledging that the president's funding and moral positions differ, White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater insisted he isn't discriminating against poor women but protecting the budget. "You're talking about the management and implementation of federal taxpayer dollars and whether or not you can control them," he said.

This apparently translates into presidential concern that taxpayers who oppose abortion not be required to help pay for them. He has no such qualms, however, about asking taxpayers who support abortion to help pay for Justice Department officials who file briefs with the Supreme Court urging that right be taken away.

The three GOP congresswomen who voted against funding for Medicaid abortions in case of rape or incest are from traditionally conservative states: Virginia Smith of Nebraska, Barbara Vucanovich of Nevada and Illeana Ros-Lehtinen, elected last month to replace the late Claude Pepper in Florida.

Marianne Means is a columnist for the Washington Bureau of the Hearst Newspapers.

Pravda's new editor described as Gorbachev's confidant

MOSCOW (AP) — Pravda told its readers today that a confidant of Mikhail S. Gorbachev is replacing its conservative editor, who had resisted letting the Communist Party daily fully embrace the new openness sweeping the Soviet press.

In a front-page report, Pravda said Viktor G. Afanasyev had resigned and been replaced by Ivan T. Frolov, an advisor to Gorbachev for the last year and a former editor of the party's theoretical monthly journal Kommunist.

The move appears to assure that the voice of the Communist Party will now reflect more clearly the views of Gorbachev and his reform-minded allies.

Pravda is the country's most authoritative newspaper, but its circulation has lagged under Gorbachev as readers turn to livelier more informative newspapers. Its editor sits in on closed meetings of the ruling Politburo.

The removal of Afanasyev, a 66-year-old throwback to the rule of Leonid I. Brezhnev, marks a further attempt by the Soviet president to clean house of conservatives. Last month, three were retired from the Politburo.

The change at Pravda's helm also capped a turbulent week in the Soviet press that first saw Gorbachev rebuke trailblazing editors as taking glasnost too far, threatening to sack them.

Some Soviet observers interpreted his criticism one week ago of the editors who are the most outspoken practitioners of glasnost as a way of softening the blow of Afanasyev's removal for party conservatives.

They interpreted Gorbachev's tactics as taking the middle course at a time of rising tension over the poor state of the economy and ethnic unrest.

The departure of Afanasyev was announced by the official news agency Tass on Thursday and also reported on state-run television in its nightly news report. Pravda said the Politburo had on Thursday accepted Afanasyev's request that he be transfered to "scientific work."

Frolov, 60, is credited with formulating Gorbachev's foreign policy that places priority on fostering values common to all mankind, rather than encouraging class struggle.

Afanasyev took over the party newspaper in 1976, during what is now condemned as a period of stagnation when Pravda was accused of masking more often than disclosing the truth.

East Germans urged to give leader 'chance'

WORLD

BERLIN (AP) — An East German opposition figure said people have been too quick to condemn the country's new leader and he urged citizens to give the reputed hard-liner a chance to institute reforms, a newspaper said today.

On his first full day as head of the country, Egon Krenz on Thursday chatted with factory workers in East Berlin and portrayed himself as open to dialogue and change.

Krenz also met with a church leader and opened the way for a new law regulating foreign travel.

The image of the active leader engaged in frank discussion with workers contrasted sharply with the stiff, reclusive manner of Erich Honecker, who was removed Wednesday after 18 years in power.

Opposition groups say the new Communist Party chief's politics differ little from those of his autocratic predecessor.

But Rolf Henrich, a member of the pro-democracy group New Forum, was quoted today as saying Krenz should be given time to change people's minds.

"It doesn't make sense to deny him a chance from the very start," Henrich was quoted as saying in the West German newspaper Badische Zeitung.

He said Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev was also once a supporter of the "party apparatus."

"And look how excited we all are about what's he doing now," Henrich said.

Krenz, 52, faces the most serious threat to orthodox Communist rule in East Germany's 40-year history, as tens of thousands flee to the West and thousands of others who do not wish to leave agitate for a more open society.

He already has said the party will resist the democratic reforms under way in Poland and Hungary.

Nonetheless, West Germany's ARD television network said his meeting with factory workers would have been "unthinkable only a few weeks ago."

The broadly publicized meetings appeared aimed at showing the country's 16.5 million people that Krenz will deliver on his pledge to address East Germany's problems as long as the party's leading role remains intact.

When asked by Krenz why so many co-workers fled to West Germany, metal worker Ronald Berus said, "A lot of things kept adding up until some people felt there was no alternative."

"Until last week, you couldn't talk about problems, and people just got fed up," he said.

Several workers complained of rigid travel restrictions to the West, which were recently expanded to bar travel to Czechoslovakia, Poland and Hungary without government permission. Thousands of East Germans have made their way to the West through those countries in recent weeks.

In one of his first official acts in office, Krenz said the government is drafting a new law that could ultimately ease travel abroad. He said West Germany's refusal to recognize East German citizenship is an obstacle. Bonn grants East Germans automatic citizenship.

Wolfgang Lueder, a member of West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl's ruling coalition, today was quoted as saying Bonn could help expand travel by allowing East Germans to change money for West German marks. East German currency is not convertible.

Lueder was quoted in an interview with Cologne's Express newspaper as saying the move would be a "subsidized exchange." He suggested Bonn could use the new East German marks to buy more goods from East Germany.

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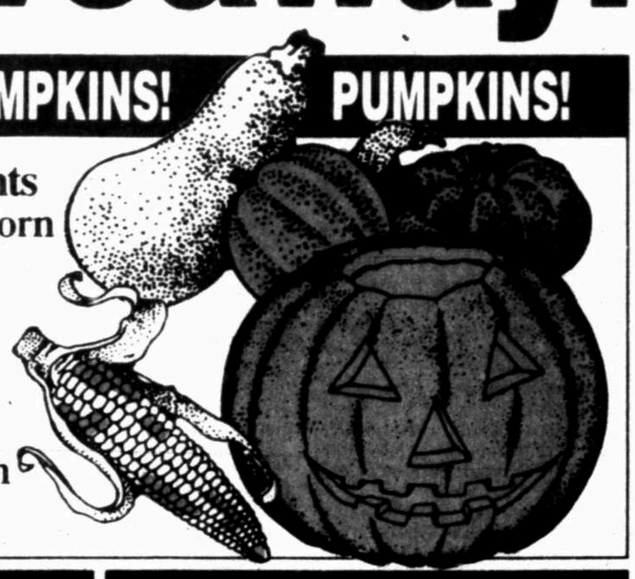

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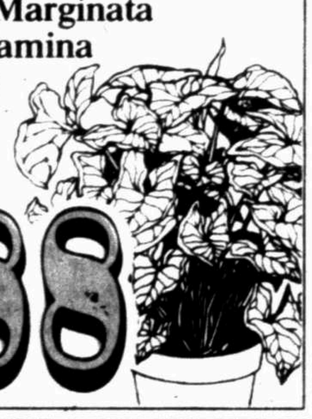

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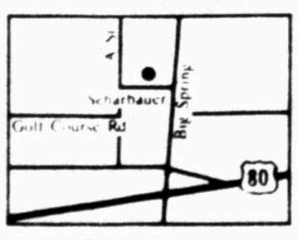

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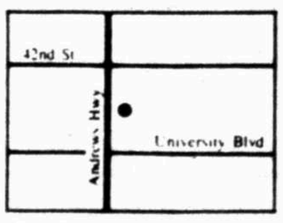

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United Way gets halfway to goal

From Staff Reports

Midland United Way fund campaigners will have to put the fund-raising blade to the financial grindstone in the next critical three weeks, Jane Wolf, United Way executive director, said Thursday.

About $1.2 million of the $2.5 million goal for this year's drive has been raised so far, it was announced at a luncheon held at Yucca Theatre. Thursday marked the halfway point of the six-week drive.

"We need to make certain that all contributors have been contacted," Ms. Wolf said. "We have to follow up on employer rallies as well as the schools."

Campaign chairman Mike Cook said he is confident the goal will be met.

"I just think this is just outstanding," Cook said of the effort so far. "It's amazing the continuing generosity in this town."

With the addition of Freewill Foster Home to this year's list of United Way recipients, Cook said the campaign will need more help than ever. The number of recipients is now 18.

In addition to Freewill Foster Home, other agencies serviced by United Way are American Red Cross, Big Brothers/ Big Sisters, Boy Scouts of America, Buffalo Trail Council, Boys' and Girls' Club of Midland, Casa de Amigos, Community and Senior Services, Council on Alcoholism-/Drug Abuse, Family Services of Midland, Midland Need to Read, Midland/Lee Youth Centers, Midland Rape Crisis Center, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Permian Basin Girl Scout Council, Petro Plains Camp Fire, Salvation Army and selected programs of the YMCA.

Doug Sehres/Reporter-Telegram

Laura Williams kicks high while performing a Halloween-themed routine during Thursday's United Way weekly reporting luncheon. She is a member of Midland's Groovy Grannies.

John Ben Shepperd honored in Odessa

By DAVID MORRIS
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A street in the city which John Ben Shepperd did much to nurture and promote will now bear his name.

Odessans and other Texans, including Midland Mayor Carroll M. Thomas, turned out in force Thursday afternoon to honor Shepperd at a ceremony in front of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

"The things which you see from where you're standing today probably would not be here today without John Ben Shepperd," former Texas Gov. Preston Smith told the crowd. Shepperd was instrumental in winning legislative approval for UTPB, he said.

Former Texas Rep. Ace Pickens agreed. "It was John Ben Shepperd who went to the UT Board of Regents and carried the day," he said.

Thursday, which was Shepperd's 74th birthday, saw the name of Odessa's Parkway Boulevard changed to John Ben Shepperd Parkway.

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Former Texas Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, at podium, and his wife Mamie were on hand Thursday for the rededication of Parkway Boulevard in Odessa, which now bears his name.

NRC rejects group's request for delay in starting plant

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nuclear Regulatory Commission turned down a citizen group's request that it delay giving a go-ahead for Texas Utilities Electric Co. to start low-power testing of the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant.

The request by Citizens for Fair Utility Regulation came just days after the NRC opened an internal investigation of allegations by an anonymous group of NRC inspectors that senior agency officials had covered up problems at Comanche Peak.

The anonymous inspectors, in a letter to commission Chairman Kenneth Carr on Oct. 4, said Comanche Peak was far from being ready to safely begin low-power testing.

The commission has not said when it would issue a low-power license, but staff members indicated Thursday it would be at least a few weeks.

Betty Brink, a leader of the citizens group, said that — as a result of the NRC's refusal to put Comanche Peak's low-power license application on hold her organization would go to the 5th — U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans next week.

The plant is situated near Glen Rose, about 40 miles southwest of Fort Worth.

The group's main argument is that Comanche Peak should not be allowed to fire up the reactor until after the courts rule on the group's existing suit seeking to force a licensing rehearing. The hearing process was officially closed in July 1988.

Day care center marks 10th year

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

The Salvation Army Day Care Center of Midland reached a milestone this month in celebrating its 10th anniversary.

Opened in October 1979, the center at 3500 Park Lane is used daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. for child-care programs; and during the evenings for "character-building" programs for all ages.

"It's not your average day care center," Assistant Director Candy Henry said. "We don't just babysit; we educate."

Ms. Henry said the six classes offered are structured to accommodate children needing special attention, with a full-time teacher and teacher's aide present in the classroom at all times.

During the average day, children arrive for breakfast and then proceed to the classrooms, where they study a pre-kindergarten curriculum that focuses on shapes, colors, numbers and letters.

Following lunch, the children are escorted back to the classrooms for an afternoon nap, which is followed by an activity session.

Still, providing low-cost child-care services to children from birth through age 12 is at the top of the center's list of priorities, according to Director Maria Garcia.

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Midlander arrested on indecency charge

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

A 30-year-old Midland man has been jailed for allegedly exposing himself to two 14-year-old girls walking to school at Midland Freshman High School on East Gist Avenue, police said. It is the first exposure to be reported through the Midland Independent School District this school year, according to investigators.

Francisco Barraza, 1212 S. Baird St., was arrested at his home Wednesday on two felony warrants charging him with indecency with a child, Officer Dan Walkenshaw said. Bond on each count was set at $5,000 by Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe, according to county records.

The two victims of the alleged indecency were walking to school on Friday, Sept. 15, and Monday, Sept. 18, when the incidents occurred.

The first alleged incident occurred when a man was standing in his front yard, and the second when he was standing in the doorway of his home, Walkenshaw, the liasion officer with MISD, said.

After the second incident, the students contacted the principal of Midland Freshman, Walkenshaw noted.

"The girls were able to give us a very good description," the officer said. "Tips were received, and he subsequently was identified."

Walkenshaw said incidents of exposure are fairly common, but usually not on or near school property.

"It is the first incident this year of that type," he said. "We had five victims last year of the same type of incidents, all at Lee High School."

The girls walking to school near Midland Freshman were never in any danger, Walkenshaw said.

According to state law, a person commits a crime if he exposes his genitals for the purpose of being aroused. If the exposure is to someone younger than 17, the offense is a third-degree felony.

Seminar focuses on West Texas nuts

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

West Texans who have a penchant for pecans and nurturing pecan trees for more than mere shade may attend the three-part 1989 Permian Basin Pecan Seminar and Trade Show Oct. 28, in Midland College's Allison Fine Arts Center.

"We are reaching out to the homeowner or urban resident who has just a few tress in a landscape system and would like to know more about taking care of them," said Charlie Green, a Midland horticulturist and retired Midland County agricultural agent.

The seminar will extend to commercial pecan growers.

Pecan trees, "do fine where they have water," said Green, who is chairman of the Permian Basin Pecan Task Force. Commercial growers and some urban growers use the drip-irrigation system to make more efficient use of water than that allowed by flooding or sprinkling.

"The commercial orchards — well-managed ones — are producing fine," said Green.

But profits are not exciting.

"We have been on a down market," Green said. Growers "are not making a lot of money."

Nevertheless, for pecan growers to maximize production, they "need to know how to manage them (the pecan trees) to get the most out of them. To really get that production, they have to carry out a good management program," Green said.

A pecan tree not favored and not nurtured may produce nuts but only sparingly.

"If you don't treat it any differently than an oak tree," Green said, "it will just be a shade tree. And for some people, that's all they want, I reckon. They let the pecans fall and don't pick them up."

Green cited the importance of irrigation, the selection of a variety of pecan suitable to soil and climate conditions, use of fertilizers and minerals, and pruning and training.

Of the hundreds of pecan varieties, the Western is "the top commercial variety hands down" in West Texas and New Mexico, Green said. "It has just been a good, consistent producer. It's forgiving of inadequate zinc," which, Green said, is "really important for all pecans" — particularly for development of the nut.

"The pecan trees can't extract zinc from the soil very well," he said. As a result, pecan growers may add zinc to their irrigation water or, more effectively, spray zinc solution onto the leaves.

The Western, which produces a rich kernel, often is planted in combination with the Wichita variety for pollination.

"The old Burkett is still a favorite of a lot of folks," Green said. "It has a good flavor."

Green, who rasies 17 pecan varieties, favors so-called Indian varieties.

Saturday's seminar, which begins at 9 a.m. will continue through 4 p.m., Green said. Two morning sessions will be held.

Session "A" includes: "Pecan Orchards in West Texas" by Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) horticulturist Sammy Helmers of El Paso at 9:30 a.m.; "Pecan Tree Water Requirements" by TAEX irrigation engineer Joe Henggeler of Fort Stockton at 9:50 a.m.; "Pecan Tree Nutrient Needs" by TAEX horticulturist John White of El Paso at 10:10 a.m.; "Grading Pecans for Market" by TAEX horticulturist George Ray McEachern, TAEX horticulturist at Texas A&M University, at 11 a.m.; "Pecan Insect Problems" by TAEX entomologist Charles Allen of Fort Stockton at 11:40 a.m.

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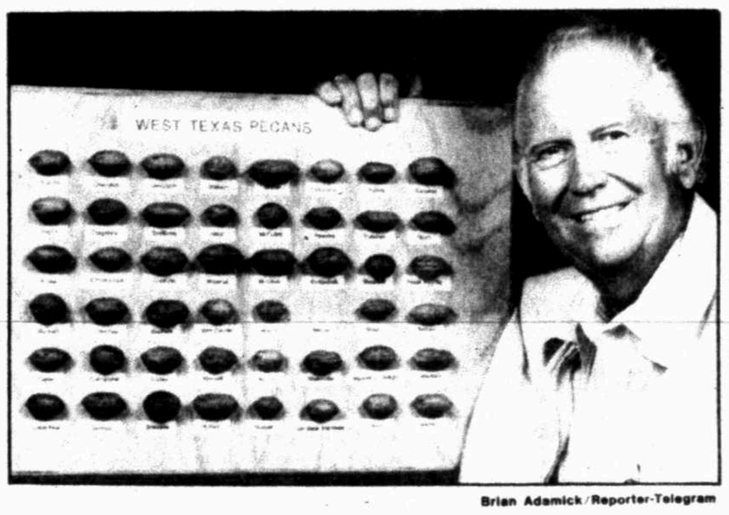

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Charlie Green, a Midland horticulturist and retired Texas Agricultural Extension Service agent for Midland County, promotes pecan growing in West Texas. He is coordinating a pecan seminar Oct. 28 on the Midland College campus.

ED TODD

Why, when of death remain incomprehensible to the living

Death is a mystery: why it comes; when it comes.

Todd

Death, personified as the Grim Reaper, is perplexing to the living, who, if they are lucky, are able to grieve, mourn, love, accept what is, and paradoxically, rejoice in death as an extension of life.

Rejoice? But how? Why? Rejoicing, perhaps, is the ideal if life continues on another and a higher plane. But circumstances and attitudes don't always lend themselves to the living dancing on tombstones.

It's not easy to just "turn it over" and accept death — particularly if death comes too soon from the perspective of the living and the dying. Do the good, the sweet and innocent, die young? Some do; some don't.

"Budded on Earth to Bloom in Heaven."

Can death come as a crown to a life well lived? Perhaps it can, as the years blend one into the other, and death becomes a natural order of things.

Death is all around. It's just part of living, you say, until, death becomes personally intimate, as it will.

Airplanes crash — sometimes in midair — but most often "impact the ground" without behaving like cars, which, due to careless drivers, are prone to crash one into the other.

People sometimes die when the earth quakes, as in the infamous San Francisco earthquakes of 1906 and 83 years later. Hundreds died in those quakes.

Tens of thousands of people have died in earthquakes — from a quarter of a million in Turkey in 526 to *only* thousands in Mexico four years ago. In 1976, when Americans in the United States were celebrating their nation's Independence, 242,000 people died in China when the earth quaked violently.

Death strikes in many forms, sometimes quickly, sometimes lingering. Mount Vesuvius erupted 1,910 years ago and buried the dead and dying in Pompeii and Herculaneum.

On the front lines in war and revolution, death is imminent. It may come in a flash to a warrior's buddy. And for the quick who survived wars and concentration camps, death may be relived over and over. Firebombings killed thousands in World War II. The Holocaust was the death of millions of people, young and old, full of promises and radiance. The tenderness and sensitivities of Anne Frank, and that of others unknown but to a few, still make hearts cry over bountiful love and the agony of insidious death at the insistence of those to whom death means nothing.

People die in the streets — cold, poor and hungry.

People kill people, as in wars, assaults, assassinations and in accidents.

People do themselves in, sometimes accidentally, sometimes with cause, sometimes in confusion, depression, hopelessness, grief, sorrow.

Is knowing when to die a measure of wisdom? Is death really a choice?

How does one die when one dies, as, indeed, all shall. Does one choose his or her death? No one, surely, wants to die a lingering death in an impersonal hospital room that is only a temporary shrine? Does one die heroically and with vigor and purpose and statement? How? When?

And it is a pity that so many people allow death to treat them so cruelly and with so much pain that, in the throes, seems unrelenting.

Who does not know death?

Does not a child cry when his or her pet turtle or goldfish dies?

When Grandmother or Grandfather dies, does not the child, at whatever age, experience a void and somehow knows that one day the grave will even be more personal?

Mother, so lovingly in life, did all the "right things," it seems. Yet, did she not die in a white room lined with flowers, visited by nurses and physicians more able to comfort than heal, and filled with the grief of her sons who were — and are — overwhelmed by Mother's love.

Daddy, who dreamt of the sentimental beauty of a rosewood casket, died 14 years earlier at a time of *his* choosing — not that of his family, certainly. And who is to judge? Certainly not those who loved — and love — the other soul.

Granddaddy buried his son. And to his grave 10 years later, he carried the rhetorical *why*.

Death just is. It comes with life's territory and remains silent to the pleadings of *why, why, why.*

Ed Todd is a writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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DEATHS

Allen 'Al' Cowden

Services for Allen "Al" Cowden of Midland were to be at 2 p.m. today ay First Baptist Church with the Rev. James C. Denison officiating and the Rev. L.L. Morris of Dallas assisting. Burial was to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Cowden

Cowden was born in Midland County, the son of pioneer couple Mr. and Mrs. E.P. Cowden. He attended Midland schools, Texas Tech University and the University of Texas.

He married Olive Vick of Valentine on Dec. 28, 1929. The couple moved to the family ranch in Andrews and Winkler counties. In 1933 they moved to a ranch in the Davis Mountains, where they remained until 1940, when they moved back to Midland.

In 1950, Cowden purchased the headquarters of the JAL Ranch from his father, which — through the acquisition of the adjoining ranch — became known as the Dollarhide Ranch. He sold the ranch in 1978, but continued his interest in oil and ranching in West Texas and his residence in Midland.

He was active in civic affairs and was a former member of the City Council.

Cowden was a charter member of the Petroleum Club of Midland, and an active member of the Midland Country Club, Midland Racquet Club, American Quarter Horse Association and the Southwest Cattlemen's Association. He was a lifetime vice president of the Dad's Association of the University of Texas. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife of Midland; one son, James Coley Cowden of Austin; one daughter, Mrs. Wayne (Emma Sue) Hightower of Houston; one brother, Guy Cowden of Midland; one sister, Mrs. W.O. Means of Van Horn; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be H.W. Hightower and Ken Griffith, of Houston, Duke Cowden and Allen Cowden, of Austin, James Tom of Midland, Jon Means of Van Horn and Guy Tom Cowden of Santa Rosa, N.M.

Honorary pallbearers are Murray Fasken, Tom Sealy, Tom Fowler, Robert Wood, Jno. Butler, Holt Jowell, Ed Eubanks, Jerry Walker, Clarence Scharbauer Jr., Bill Kerr Sr., Frank Cowden Jr., Sam Conner, Tom Hughston, Ed Magruder, Porter Bristol, Dr. Gregory Bartha, James Mims, James Locklar, George Thomas, Wright Cowden, Leonard Proctor, Courtney Cowden and Dr. Jessie Heath of Madisonville.

Memorials are requested to Hospice of Midland.

Luis Enriquez

Luis Enriquez, 84, of Midland, died Tuesday in a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel with Manuel Hernandez, pastor of La Templo Jerusalem, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery with Thomas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Born in Del Rio Aug. 31, 1905, he had been a resident of Midland since 1976.

He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Consuelo Enriquez of Midland; five daughters, Ofelia Viera of Kermit, Dolores Alvarado of Odessa, Esperanza Rendon of San Antonio and Erminia Charles and Alicia Enriquez, both of Uvalde; six stepdaughters, Magdelena Reyes of Pecos, Carolina Mendoza of Kermit and Eloisa Palacios, Gloria Chavarria, Dora Escageda and Rita Mendoza, all of Midland; three stepsons, Raymundo Sapien of Bridge Port, Timothy Sapien of Kermit and Joe Fred Sapien of Midland; and three sisters, Santos Jaramillo, Erlinda Garcia and Pauline Enriquez, all of San Antonio.

Pallbearers will be Oscar Alvarado, Jacinto Escajeda, Mario Escajedo, J.J. Escajedo, Joe Fred Sapien and Timothy Sapien.

Diana Germany

Services for Diana Germany, 17, of Midland, are set for 11 a.m. Saturday at Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Dave Sammons, pastor of Northeast Baptist Church, officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Monday.

Born Jan. 3, 1972, in Las Vegas, N.M., she moved to Midland with her family in 1979.

She was a junior at Lee High School.

Survivors include: her parents, Ron and Susan Germany of Midland; one sister, Susan Germany of Houston; one brother, Richard Germany of Norfolk, Va.; and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Cass Germany of Houston.

Francis B. Kingon

Francis B. Kingon, 74, of Midland died Thusday at a local hospital.

Private services will be at a later date.

Born Jan. 18, 1915, in Dallas, Kingon was a World War II veteran.

He was retired as assistant to the division manager of Texas Pipeline.

Survivors include one son, Tommy Kingon of Virginia Beach, Va., and one granddaughter.

Christine Solomon

Funeral services for Mrs. Christine Solomon, 65, of Midland, are pending with Jackson-Baker Mortuary.

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

Ray Rumbelow

Services for Ray Rumbelow are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Thursday at a local hospital.

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Accident's aftermath

Midlander Carroll Stroud tells officer Gary Lane, left, about the accident he was in at Marienfeld and Front streets Friday morning. Stroud was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital after the two-vehicle mishap.

House chairman agrees more judges needed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chairman of the House Judiciary Committee says federal judges in two Texas districts face an "almost unsurmountable problem" as they sift through the country's heaviest drug caseloads.

Rep. Jack Brooks, a Beaumont Democrat, met Thursday with U.S. District Court Chief Judges James DeAnda of Houston and Lucius L. Bunton of Midland and agreed they need additional judgeships in the Southern and Western districts of Texas.

Brooks said DeAnda and Bunton "are on the front line of our battle against drugs in the country and handle more cases than any other sitting judges in the country on these very controversial and difficult situations."

"They're requesting, and obviously do need, some assistance," Brooks said. "No question that they deserve those (six judgeships). And I hope we can get those six for them. These six certainly seem to be fully justified."

The Southern District averages 107 drug cases per judge, which is 420 percent above the national average, while the Western District averages 89 drug cases per judge, putting it at 331 percent above the national average. The national average of drug cases per judge is 21.

The Southern District, which led the country with 1,394 new drug cases in the year that ended June 30, is seeking four additional judgeships while the Western District, which was second place with 622 drug cases, is seeking another two judges.

The districts split the Texas-Mexico border between them, which helps to account for the high number of drug cases. In addition, the Southern District includes a stretch of Gulf Coast, where officials say drug smugglers are also active.

Anti-drug legislation approved by the Senate authorizes an additional 20 U.S. district court judges to be placed around the country in districts most heavily impacted by drug-related criminal felony filings.

Bunton and DeAnda said Congress, acting on the recommendations of the Judicial Conference, would decide where to place the new judges if the bill becomes law.

Brooks said their request would be taken up with a "sympathetic attitude" when the drug bill is considered by his committee.

"These judges are both chief judges, with tremendous responsibility and dedication or they wouldn't be up here trying to present a case that only enables them to better cope with a very difficult, almost insurmountable problem with which they are faced," Brooks said.

The judges also met Thursday with Sens. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, and Phil Gramm, R-Texas, during a one-day trip to Capitol Hill to push for the new judgeships.

DeAnda said the wanted to make sure members of Congress "have the facts before them and understand our plight. Because the selection and appointment process is lengthy, I was trying to emphasize to everyone that if we were to get these judges three or four years down the road it would be of little help to solving the present problem.

"You just can't get a judge overnight. You don't put them in a microwave, they have to be salt cured in the smokehouse and it takes a long time," DeAnda said.

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Pickwick Players Edward Tague, from left, Erin Brunson and Effie Brunson portray medieval citizens putting on "A Play Called Noah's Ark."

Pickwick Players present 'Play Called Noah's Flood'

From Staff Reports

The Pickwick Players are presenting one public performance of "A Play Called Noah's Flood" Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

The production has been staged this week for seventh- and eighth-graders in the Midland Independent School District. The Pickwicks, students in grades seven through 12, are Midland Community Theatre's youth performing troupe.

Directed by Brian Lieske, MCT's education director, the play is performed and crewed by the Pickwick Players.

The play is about a group of people in a rural English town trying to prepare a play for presentation at the 1491 Corpus Christie Day Festival in Chester.

"The show has many levels and should appeal to all ages from fourth grade through grandparents," says a release from MCT.

Tickets to the public performance are $3. Each adult accompanied by a child 12 or younger is admitted free.

For more information call 682-4111.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Crime Stoppers tip leads to arrests

From Staff Reports

Sheriff's investigators say a Crime Stoppers tip led to Thursday's arrest of seven suspects on drug possession charges.

The suspects — six adults and one juvenile — were in custody this morning in the Midland County Jail, and were awaiting arraignment later today on charges of possession of cocaine with the intent to distribute.

The suspects' identities were being withheld pending their initial court appearances.

According to the report, the arrests took place about 5 p.m. Thursday, culminating a two-week-long investigation by sheriff's deputies that was the result of an anonymous Crime Stoppers tip.

The suspects were arrested at two separate residences in the 100 block of North Marshall Street.

Also during the drug roundup, investigators seized about three-quarters of an ounce of a white powder believed to be cocaine and an undetermined amount of cash, according to the report.

It said most of the suspects had prior drug-related criminal records.

Is Lubbock 'home to Hell'?

AUSTIN (AP) — A state senator who received a letter from "Satan" that was postmarked in Lubbock has offered a few new slogans for the West Texas town.

"Lubbock — Beelzebubba Likes It"

"Lucky Lucifer Lives in Lubbock"

"Lubbock, Home of Holly, Hance and Hell."

Buddy Holly, the legendary rock singer, was from Lubbock, as is Kent Hance, a Republican candidate for governor.

Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, sent the suggestions to his colleague Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock. Barrientos and several other senators received the missive from "Satan" who thanked them for supporting his political agenda.

Barrientos said "Satan's" residence in Lubbock might increase the town's popularity, "which, like you, suffers from low name identification," Barrientos told Montford.

Montford is considering a run for governor, but has admitted many people don't know who he is.

Morris Wilkes, an aide to Montford, said the senator doesn't know anything about the letter from 'Satan' or Barrientos. "He's going to read about it in the paper," Wilkes said.

Democrats meet in Pecos

PECOS (AP) — Democratic Party election officials from 15 counties have been invited to attend a multi-county meeting here in an attempt to begin work on getting Democrats out to vote for the 1990 elections.

"We want to be organized in precincts when the 1990 campaign starts so we'll have an organization in place that will know what to do and how to do it in effort to get the vote out because 1990 is so crucial in redistricting purposes," said Bob Dean, Reeves County Democratic Party chairman.

State officials elected in 1990 will make up the redistricting board which will oversee the redrawing of district lines in the state.

The Pecos meeting Saturday at the Plaza Inn will be the fifth the party has had in the state this year.

Invitations have been sent to precinct chairs, and county party chairs and any election officials who will be involved in getting voters to the polls.

CENTER

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"The typical parent is a single parent," she said. "We have many more singles than the average American day care center, and they are mostly women with at least two children."

Licensed to care for up to 125 youngsters, there are 78 children currently enrolled at the center.

Because the center is a United Way agency, Ms. Garcia said it receives most of its funding from local contributions.

Fees ranging from $31 to $45 are set on a sliding scale according to the family's income and number of family members.

In addition, a $5 discount per child is offered each family that has more than one youngster enrolled at the center.

There are outside play facilities, and a large multi-purpose room for dining and for play on rainy days.

Each child is provided breakfast, lunch and an afternoon snack daily.

And once a week, the children are taken into chapel for 30 minutes of music and activities.

HONOR

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"I am proud that my children and grandchildren will be driving down a street bearing the name of John Ben Shepperd," said Billy G. Bassett, the Odessa city councilman who sponsored the measure to change the street's name.

Shepperd was born Oct. 19, 1915, in Gladewater and attended the University of Texas at Austin. While studying law there in 1938, he married Mamie Strieber, without whose support he said he could not have finished law school.

Shepperd was admitted to the state Bar in 1941, and served as Texas secretary of state from 1950 to 1952. From 1952 to 1956, he served as state attorney general. He moved to Odessa in 1957, and has remained active in civic affairs and state government ever since. He has served on national and state commissions by appointment of four U.S. presidents and seven Texas governors.

In an interview prior to the ceremony, Shepperd said he was optimistic about the future of the Permian Basin.

"We are having our difficulties right now, but we've had them before," he said. "We have to lean on our strengths and not worry about our weaknesses."

One of the strengths of the region is the quality of its people, he said, "and that's not a universal resource by any means."

He told the crowd that he felt "honored beyond my capabilities and achievements," and offered a message of hope for people using the newly christened boulevard.

"May those who traverse it be given the opportunity to succeed and to rise to whatever heights to which God may lead them."

NUTS

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Session "B" that morning includes "Pecan Varieties for the Yard and Garden" by Green at 9:30 a.m.; "Planting and Training Young Pecan Trees" by White at 9:50 a.m.; "What About Fertilizer and Zinc on Pecan Trees?" by Earnest Kiker, the Midland County TAEX agent, at 10:10 a.m.; "Watering Pecan Trees in the Landscape-Garden" by Jim Word, the Ector County TAEX agent, at 11 a.m.; "Pecan Insect Problems" by Victor Lucero, TAEX entomologist for Midland, Martin and Howard counties, at 11:20 a.m.; "The Pitfalls of Chemical Weed Control" by Debbie Benge, the TAEX horticulturist for Midland and Ector counties, at 11:40 a.m.

The afternoon program includes "Marketing Pecans" by John Sikes, TAEX market specialist at Texas A&M University, at 1:30 p.m.; "Savor the Pecan" by Marian Farr and Lainey Murff, TAEX home-economics agent for Midland County, at 2 p.m.; and "The Pecan Situation in Texas" by Helmers and McEachern at 3 p.m..

Sponsoring the seminar are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Permian Basin Pecan Task Force.

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Pact with Canada expected to help boost vegetable sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — The new long-range trade pact with Canada should help boost consumer demand for fresh vegetables on both sides of the border, perhaps by 25 percent overall, says Agriculture Department economist Amy Sparks.

The U.S.-Canada Free Trade Agreement, which took effect last Jan. 1, removes many trade restrictions between the two countries. A major benefit down the road will be the elimination of all agricultural tariffs within 10 years.

Sparks, who works for the department's Economic Research Service, took a look at the trade agreement's impact on vegetables. Her findings are reported in a forthcoming issue of Farmline magazine.

Why focus on vegetables, when there are other larger and more glamorous export commodities such as grains and meat to study?

"Everybody asks that question," Sparks said Wednesday in a telephone interview. "Don't feel that I take it personally."

But something "totally different" had to be found for her doctoral dissertation, and vegetables were it, she said.

"Also, international trade in vegetables is growing quite a bit," Sparks said. "While it's not one of our major crops like soybeans or corn, it's growing in importance and is something that needs to be looked at."

The United States and Canada are each other's largest export markets, overall, the report said. More than 18 percent of last year's total U.S. imports were from Canada, while almost 22 percent of all U.S. exports went to Canada.

But agriculture makes up only a small portion of U.S. trade with Canada, the report said. And of the U.S. agricultural export total, only about 5 percent went to Canada in the 1980s.

According to the department's Foreign Agricultural Service, Canada imports around $3 billion in U.S. agricultural products annually, including an average of about $450 million worth of vegetables and $650 million worth of fruit.

The USDA forecasts 1989-90 agricultural exports to Canada at a value of $2.2 billion but adds that in recent years these figures "have been under-reported by an estimated $1 billion annually" and is officially recognized by both governments.

Agricultural imports from Canada in 1989-90 are forecast at about $2.8 billion, according to current USDA figures.

The department's official estimate of total U.S. agricultural export value in the year that began Oct. 1 is $40 billion. Japan is the biggest single-country market at $8.1 billion, followed by the Soviet Union, $3.5 billion; South Korea, $2.5 billion; Mexico, $2.4 billion; and Canada, $2.2 billion.

With the complete elimination of tariffs, U.S. demand for Canadian vegetables would increase about 80 percent from today's levels, and Canadian demand for U.S. vegetable would go up 30 percent, according to Sparks' study.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The share of commodity marketings by farm cooperatives has declined from levels of the early 1980s, according to an Agriculture Department report.

In 1987, the most recent year examined, co-ops accounted for 25 percent of farm marketings, down from 27 percent in 1985 and 28 percent in 1982.

Grain marketings by cooperatives were reported at 29 percent of the total, down from 33 percent in 1985 and 36 percent in 1982. That includes sales of oilseeds except for cottonseed.

"Much of the decline has been the result of less cooperative involvement in grain and oilseeds marketing," the report by the department's Agricultural Cooperative Service said Wednesday.

The co-op share of milk marketed was 76 percent in 1987, compared with 78 percent in 1985 and 77 percent in 1982.

Exporting U.S. agricultural goods

U.S. agricultural products exported in fiscal 1988 exceeded $34 billion. The U.S. imported about $20 billion in agricultural products during the same period.

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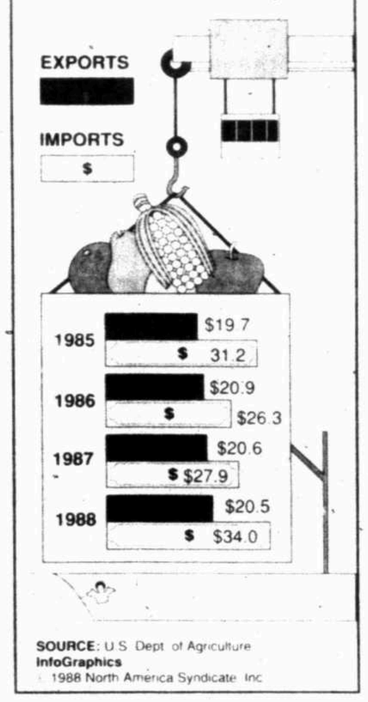

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USDA sees programs continuing despite cuts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department will be forced to furlough some chicken inspectors and reduce loan services to farmers if Congress fails to cancel spending cuts ordered by the Gramm-Rudman balanced budget law.

The law, triggered on Monday, orders spending cuts totaling $16 billion in the 1990 fiscal year that began on Oct. 1.

Dennis Kaplan, chief of USDA's budget control and analysis division, said there is widespread belief "Congress will pass some kind of reconciliation" measure soon that will make the Gramm-Rudman mandatory cuts, or sequester, unnecessary.

Meanwhile, he said in an interview, the department's programs "are going to go on, basically, as they always have over the next couple of weeks ... There'll be no real impact on programs" during that time.

"Even if we go through the sequester, you're not going to see any major impact until toward the end of the year," Kaplan said.

Some USDA agencies with big payrolls would be hit hard eventually. The Food Safety and Inspection Service, for example, which handles federal meat and poultry inspection, "will probably furlough a lot of their employees," he said. "But that won't occur until August or September."

Other agencies in a similar boat include the Forest Service, with its vast organization of regional and lower-echelon offices; the Farmers Home Administration, including county offices that service loans for financially pressed farmers; and the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, including its quarantine and disease-control activities.

Kaplan said much of USDA's spending is exempted from Gramm-Rudman cuts, including the vast food stamp, school lunch and other child nutrition programs.

Farm price support operations are subject to the Gramm-Rudman cutback, which averages 5.3 percent for domestic agencies, or about $8.1 billion. Defense cuts also must total $8.1 billion, or 4.3 percent.

After deducting all the exempted programs from USDA's projected spending for the 1990 fiscal year that began Oct. 1, the base used for the cuts is about $9.59 billion, Kaplan said. The 5.3 percent Gramm-Rudman reduction would amount to around $509 million.

Two years ago, in another Gramm-Rudman round that was later rolled back by Congress, USDA underwent an 8.5 percent pruning of a base exceeding $8.25 billion, meaning a reduction of around $702 million.

One of the first significant impacts on farm programs would affect dairy farmers.

Under the dairy price support program, the department's Commodity Credit Corp. buys cheese, butter and non-fat dry milk to support the price of milk paid to farmers by dealers. These purchase prices will be reduced if Gramm-Rudman remains in effect, although the USDA has not decided by how much.

EARNEST KIKER

Prussic acid poisoning can kill animals instantly

Now that fall is officially at hand, frost will be hitting Midland County before long. This could lead to prussic acid poisoning in livestock if the county has had enough moisture to produce certain pasture grasses and forage. While many plants contain the toxic material that causes poisoning, the greatest culprits are Johnson and Sudan grasses and sorghum or hybrids of these that cause that highest mortality if livestock graze after a heavy frost.

Kiker

The most dangerous time for the grazing of these plants is following a rist when the plant begins to wilt. Livestock should not be allowed access to the wilted material until it has dried completely following three or four days of sunlight. New plant growth usually becomes nontoxic and can be grazed within 10 days to two weeks following a rain.

Prussic acid poison acts rapidly and can kill animals within minutes. In the most acute cases, animals become affected within 10 to 15 minutes after eating the toxic material and can die within two or three minutes.

Symptoms may include a brief period of stimulation followed by depression and paralysis. Signs of colic may be present. Stuper (loss of sensibility), difficult breathing and frequent convulsions may result. Death is caused by suffocation since oxygen remains in the blood and is not exchanged to the tissues. The key to prevent prussic acid poisoning is to be aware of plant materials that may cause poisoning and then keep cattle from grazing such plants until a safe period of time has passed.

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The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is planning two regional workshops designed specifically for lawyers and accountants to help them better serve financially troubled farmers. Called "Agricultural Tax Problems," the workshops will be Oct. 31 in Corpus Christi at the Holiday Inn/Emerald Beach and Nov. 2 in Lubbock at the Holiday Inn/Civic Center. Each workshop will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshops will enable accountants and attorneys to give practical advice to their rancher/farmer clients, will provide a checklist of potential tax trouble spots and aid in tax reporting. Government payments and tax timing will be discussed.

All workshop speakers are either attorneys or CPAs. Registration information is available at the County Extension Office.

Helping with the workshops will be the Farmers and Ranchers Conference Committee of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants and the Agricultural Tax Problems Committee of the Section of Taxation of the State Bar of Texas.

Earnest C. Kiker is Midland County Extension Agent for Agriculture.

Farmers hoping for record Christmas tree sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — It looks like another record season for Christmas tree farmers, despite the preference of many Americans for artificial trees that can be boxed and stored until next year.

A record 34.3 million Christmas trees were sold in 1988, and an Agriculture Department report says the market is expected to exceed 35 million this year.

Economist Doyle Johnson said there are about 15,000 commercial Christmas tree growers in the United States. These producers have more than 87 million trees of all ages planted on about 1 million acres.

Last year, he said, Christmas trees had a wholesale value of about $680 million, putting the tree business ahead of a number of traditional agricultural commodities in terms of total cash receipts.

In 1987, for example, oat production was worth about $200 million; rice, $500 million; sheep and lambs, $600 million; barley, $800 million; sugar cane, $800 million; grain sorghum, $1 billion; and peanuts, $1 billion.

The report, which is scheduled for the November issue of Farmline magazine, said that 90 percent of the Christmas trees sold each year are U.S.-grown, with the rest coming from Canada.

Top producing states are Oregon, Michigan, Wisconsin, California, North Carolina, Washington and Pennsylvania.

"A few larger growers in the West and the Northeast harvest over 1 million trees each, but most operations are much smaller," the report said. "Many producers grow Christmas trees on a part-time basis or to supplement other farm-related activities."

According to USDA and industry analysts, the supply of natural Christmas trees may grow over the next five to seven years because of overplanting following 1988 drought losses and the entry of new growers.

Johnson said growers averaged about $12 per tree last year, while wholesale prices averaged about $20. Most trees — Douglas fir and Scotch pine — retailed for $3 to $3.50 per foot.

"Consumers generally buy trees that are 6 to 7 feet tall," the report said. "Spruce trees, the most expensive type, retail for $40 to $50. Pines are typically lower in price, especially in the South. Naturally, a premium tree commands a premium price, but usually requires longer to mature, and more labor."

Two other agency economists, Glenn Zepp and Boyd Buxton, said in telephone interviews that they didn't know of any overriding factor that would boost Christmas tree prices significantly this season from 1988 levels.

Fred Strathmeyer of Dover, Pa., president of the National Christmas Tree Association, said Christmas tree farming demands someone "willing to work year-round on a crop that might not be marketable for a good six years."

Depending on the species, it can take up to 15 years to grow a tree to a height of six feet, the average retail height. The average growth time is seven years; the shortest is four years in the deep South.

According to the association, there is a growing tendency for farmers to open their land to people who want to choose and cut their own trees. Currently, there are an estimated 5,000 of these choose-and-cut farms.

The trade association, which has been promoting Christmas trees for more than 30 years, says the industry has grown 2 percent to 2.5 percent annually for the last 15 years, at least twice the growth rate of the U.S. population.

But the industry had its greatest blow in the 1950s when the artificial tree was introduced, the report said. Made primarily in South Korea, Taiwan and Hong Kong, the artificial tree continues biting at the U.S. market.

The industry countered in 1988 with its first national advertising campaign, RealTree, featuring television personality Willard Scott.

"Following a $1 million advertising assault on 'fake' Christmas trees, preliminary retail reports were encouraging," the report said. "Retailers' sales were up 6 percent over 1987."

The choose-and-cut farms showed the biggest gains, with an average increase in sales of between 12 percent and 15 percent, the report said.

But the future is unclear. An increase in the number of family households of 16 million between 1970 and 1980 would indicate a growth market for real trees. However, a slow population growth of 1 percent a year, coupled with an aging America, could mean more demand for artificial trees.

"The older generation, middle-aged America, tends to buy artificial trees or forego a tree altogether," the report said. "The family unit consisting of mom, dad and about two kids is the backbone of the real Christmas tree market."

Strathmeyer said that in 1965 artificial trees held 20 percent of the available market for Christmas trees. By 1985, artificials held 47 percent and could add another 10 percent to 12 percent by the mid-1990s.

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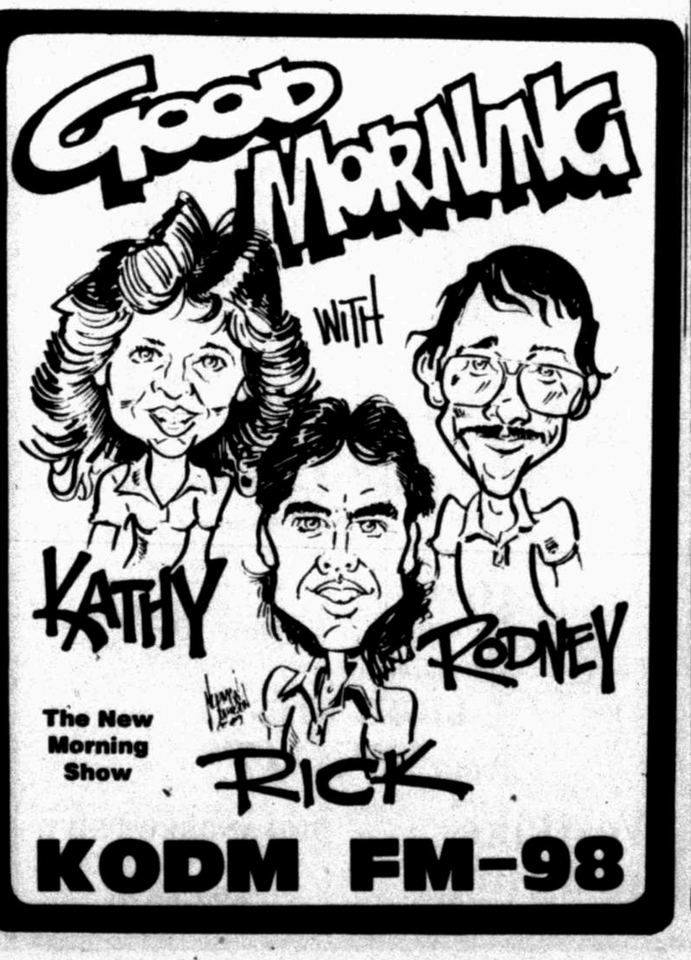

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Heavy-metal T-shirts get students suspended

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Needles dripping with blood, screaming skulls and crossbones are among T-shirt pictures that have public school officials here in a feud with students that resulted in 21 suspensions so far.

After administrators at Rider High School told about 60 students at a sit-in Thursday to change their T-shirts or face suspension, most turned the garments inside-out or removed them.

Those who didn't were suspended and must "come back with their parents" before being readmitted, said Rider Principal Marion Taylor.

Students protesting the school's ban on heavy-metal T-shirts claim they have a right to wear them. But educators argue that such clothing is inappropriate for classes.

Educators at Wichita Falls and Wichita Falls Hirschi high schools also sent some students home earlier this week. Principals said the other schools ban T-shirts with gory graphics.

"We're fighting for our rights," Rider sophomore Jason Armstrong told the Wichita Falls Times Record News. "It's not my T-shirt. It's the principle."

Both Rider and WFHS students are circulating petitions. Educators said at least two petitions were confiscated at Rider.

While some students complain heavy-metal T-shirts are being singled out and shirts promoting other bands were allowed in the halls, school administrators say the issue isn't musical taste.

"We're not saying they shouldn't listen to the music," said Burtt Lauck, school district director of pupil services. "We're not allowing the shirts with skulls and blood and dripping syringes and tombstones.

"If they want to wear a black T-shirt that has the name and picture of the band, that's fine. All we're saying is we're not allowing symbols that don't present an image that's desirable in school surroundings."

Randy Byers, Rider's assistant principal, says the T-shirt battle is "more of a fad than a crisis."

"We've got a good student body at Rider," Byers said. "We have a very, very small group who seems to need to find a way to ignite a fire and they seem to enjoy this type of activity. It's a shame our other students are listening to them."

Marshal injured trying to stop car

FORT WORTH (AP) — A U.S. Marshal was in stable condition at a Fort Worth hospital Friday after unsuccessfully trying to stop thieves from stealing his car, hospital officials said.

Jessie Guzman, 39, was being treated at Harris Methodist Fort Worth hospital for a broken leg, hip and pelvis and numerous lacerations and bruises, officials said.

Authorities said Guzman had run outside Thursday after hearing his car's engine start and grabbed onto the vehicle when it stopped for a stop sign. The driver then drove over a curb and into a fence, tossing off Guzman.

The car was found abandoned several blocks away.

It was the second time Guzman's vehicle has been stolen, authorities said.

His service revolver still has not been found.

Guzman has been a marshal for more than 15 years and he heads the warrants division.

Baylor student regrets photo which appeared in 'Playgirl'

WACO (AP) — A Baylor University student who was disciplined for appearing in Playgirl magazine clad only in a bathing suit says he regrets posing for the photographs.

Rob Winter, a senior marketing student, said Thursday he just wants to put the whole matter behind him.

"Oh no, oh no; I definitely would not pose if I had it to do all over again," Winter said. "As far as the magazine's content, that's not my character.

"I have a very strong relationship with Jesus Christ. It was very poor judgment on my part."

Neither Winter nor Baylor officials would disclose what disciplinary action was taken against Winter.

"I guess I'm on sort of probation," Winter said. "It was definitely handled fairly. I thought I was going to be gone."

Winter, 22, appeared in a pictorial featuring college students in the October issue of Playgirl. He wore only a red bikini-style swimsuit.

A free-lance photographer in Los Angeles, near Winter's home in Laguna Beach, Calif., took the three pictures of Winter that appeared in the magazine.

Disciplinary action against Winter "was handled in the same manner" as that of a female student who appeared in Playboy magazine in 1980, Baylor University President Herbert H. Reynolds said.

Three female Baylor students appeared in Playboy that year. Two did not re-enroll and the third was not allowed to participate in commencement exercises.

Two Baylor women posed for Playboy in 1988. Both did not return to school in the fall, said Keith Randall, Baylor's news and information director.

"No one was ever kicked out," he added.

School officials made the 1980 incident even more controversial when they fired three editors of The Lariat school newspaper after they printed an editorial critical of the administration's handling of the Playboy affair.

Winter said he told Carl Bradley, the Baylor dean of student judicial affairs, about the layout as soon as he saw that Baylor was mentioned in the feature.

People exhorted 'to rise up,' fight insurance 'giant'

AUSTIN (AP) — Legislators and consumer advocates from across the country are meeting to discuss how to fight the insurance industry, which they said has an iron grip on many statehouses.

"The way the insurance industry wines and dines the Legislature, nothing will happen until the people rise up," James David Cain, a Louisiana lawmaker, said Thursday.

Public Citizen, a watchdog group founded by Ralph Nader, is sponsoring the insurance reform conference, which is called "Taming the Giant."

Cain, a Democrat, said much of his insurance legislation was killed in committee by the insurance lobby.

Wanda Jo Peltier said she fought utility companies during her first two terms in the Oklahoma Legislature, but is now taking on the insurance companies. "They are every bit as powerful as the utilities," said the Oklahoma City Democrat.

Caroline Smith, a former insurance regulator from Massachusetts and now with Public Citizen, said rising insurance rates are causing more people to call for increased regulation of insurance companies.

"It's a very important issue. It affects too many people to be ignored," she said.

Americans spend an average of nearly one-fifth of their disposable income on insurance, or about $400 billion in annual premiums, she said.

Aside from rising rates, the public is also getting fed up with insurance industry attempts to limit access to the courts in product liability and workers' compensation cases, according to Joan Claybrook, president of Public Citizen.

Ms. Claybrook said jury trials are a cornerstone of our government and should not be limited.

"A jury of peers, randomly selected, unlike a Legislature that can be lobbied and bought," can provide justice for the powerless against the powerful, she said.

Attempts by the insurance industry to limit liability and access to the court system "is very much like Goliath trying to take away David's slingshot," she said.

Like many states, Texas is in the midst of a fight over workers' compensation.

Business groups say that high jury awards to injured workers are behind skyrocketing workers' comp insurance premiums, while lawyers who represent injured workers claim the rising insurance costs are due to unsafe working conditions and greedy insurance companies.

The Legislature will tackle workers' comp again in special session on Nov. 14.

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The hour-long workshops will be taught noon Thursdays beginning Thursday in OC's Student Union Building community room.

The workshops are free to OBPW club members and $5 for non-members. Participants may bring their lunch. Coffee and tea will be provided.

Judy Hayes and Cathy Figert will speak on "Insurance and Taxes to Increase Your Net Worth" noon Thursday. Kathy McIntyre will speak on "Financial Investments — Living in a Manner to Which You Have Become Accustomed" Nov. 2. Elizabeth Lutton and Kathy Wilson will speak on "Wills and Real Estate Planning: Don't Leave Here Without It" Nov. 9.

For information or registration call (915) 335-5130...

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The hotline will be open 8 a.m.-8 p.m. (CST) Monday through Friday, and 8 a..m.-6 p.m. the weekend prior to Thanksgiving. It will be open 6 a.m.-6 p.m. Thanksgiving Day and 8 a.m.- 6 p.m. Monday through Friday Nov. 24-Dec. 22. The hotline number is 1-800-323-4848...

...**TERLINGUA** International Chili Cook-Off in Terlingua will be Nov. 4. The event is sponsored by the Chili Apppreciation Society International and Gaviscon Antacid.

The Cook-Off will feature both individual and team competitions. Contestants in the international cook-off have already qualified through local and regional competitions.

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Admission is $2 for adults and $1 for senior citizens. Children under 12 will be admitted free. The fair will be open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Oct. 28 and noon-6 p.m. Oct. 29. Proceeds will be donated to charities...

...**MIDLAND ALUMNAE** Chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha will meet 11:30 a.m. Thursday for a founder's day luncheon at 3102 Stanolind. Hostesses are Mrs. Robert Shaeffer, Mrs. Charles Seltzer and Mrs. Michael Bradford. Zeta Alumnae new to the area are invited to attend...

...**CONCERNED WOMEN** of America, celebrating its 10th anniversary, will meet for a conference 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 6:45-9:15 p.m. Nov. 4 at Green Tree Country Club.

Attendees will watch the live satellite broadcast of "The Decade of Destiny for America's Children." Conference topics include abortion, drugs and pornography, discussed from a conservative and traditional family values viewpoint.

Cost of the conference is $25 per person, and includes dinner, to be served at 7 p.m. The conference is open to the public. For information call 694-8010...

...**WEST TEXAS** Supporters of Reproductive Freedom will gather for a rally 2 p.m. Nov. 12 on the south steps of the State Capital building in Austin.

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...**DESCENDANTS OF** Austin's Old Three Hundred, a heritage society founded in 1986, will meet 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Oct. 28 for a come-and-go social at Alamo Hall, in the D.R.T. library next to the Alamo, San Antonio.

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The McLaren award was created in honor the late Michael D. McLaren, former actor, writer and local radio personality. Deadline for script submission is January 31, 1990. The winner will be announced April 1.

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DEAR FAMILY: I have been married and divorced twice. Both of my prior husbands were alcoholics. I am dating a man now who wants to marry me, but I am not in love with him. He is a very nice person with a good job and is a non-drinker. We get along great and he is very good with both my children.

My mother says that I am crazy if I don't marry him. He will always do anything that I want him to do. I am beginning to think she may be right. I know that I am starting fights with him so that I won't have to see him for the evening. We always make-up, but I know it's my fault for even having the fight in the first place. Is there something wrong with me? — CONFUSED

DEAR CONFUSED: Have you attended Alanon? It is very important for those of us who have been a part of an alcoholic family system to work on the effects of the disease in our lives. Many people who have been married to an alcoholic are co-dependent — that is, they are obsessed with controlling other people's behavior. Furthermore, they are so accustomed to the rules of an alcoholic relationship that they cannot function in a "normal" relationship.

It's not unusual for someone from an alcoholic home to feel uncomfortable in a "non-alcoholic" relationship. Was there alcohol involved in your family of origin? If there was, then you need to work through the dysfunction associated within your family. You need to know what behavior facilitated your marrying two alcoholics. Once the dysfunctional behavior patterns have been identified, they must be changed.

I would encourage you to start attending Alanon and work a 12-step program. Without the program or therapy, we are bound to repeat the same mistakes over and over again. Our desire to "caretake" can carry us well beyond an appropriate relationship boundary.

DEAR FAMILY: My 16-year-old son thinks he should have a car just because he has a driver's license. I am divorced from is father and my present husband doesn't want my son on our insurance. My present husband also thinks that my son should find a job and earn money to buy his own car. He thinks my son would take better care of his car if he bought it himself. My son has talked to his father and his father is willing to buy him a car.

I am caught in the middle. I think that it's OK for his father to give his son a car, but I also agree with my husband that he should earn the money for his car. My son is nagging me to death. What can I do? No matter what I decide, I will make one or two people mad at me. — STUCK

DEAR STUCK: What are trying to teach your son? There is no "right" or "wrong" answer to your dilemma. Would it be possible for you, your husband and your ex-husband to meet to discuss the situation? A compromise is in order in this case. It is a great opportunity for *all of you* to teach your teenager how to solve a difficult problem through compromise and negotiation.

If a meeting of the involved adults isn't possible, perhaps it would be possible to reach a compromise anyway. For example, could your son get a job and pay for the insurance and his father buy the car? Search for a compromise that will work.

DEAR CONFIDENTIAL: You are being sexually abused. Your husband does *not* have the right to force you to have sex with him just because you are his wife. I know of nothing in the Bible that supports his position.

You have a right to protect yourself against such violations of self. I would encourage you to contact the Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children, 683-1300, to find out what you can do to stop his assaults. They keep all such contacts strictly confidential.

God does not want your spirit to be violated by any man. Please give them a call and begin the process of making yourself whole again.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Family Matters, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702.

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Pre-deb set learns not to slurp

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — The tony crowd clustered on the corner banquette in the Hotel Pierre's classy cafe chatted idly about class schedules and the latest Freddy Krueger film, while waiters served steaming bowls of double beef consomme with julienned vegetables.

After stirring her soup once or twice, Eva Marie Dinella disappeared under the table in search of a lost locket and her napkin.

Her luncheon companion, Misha Mariani, used his forefinger to dislodge a strip of zucchini from his gums, while Alexis Blau, a jaunty red bow astride her head, ignored her soup in favor of a fourth roll slathered with butter.

Next to her, Jonathan Bellamy rapped his spoon against the table to the rhythm of a tune running through his head.

Marjabelle Stewart, a doyenne of decorum, was the Mad Hatter presiding over this tea party in Wonderland.

"What you're learning here today you'll use when you climb the corporate ladder or become heads of state or wherever life takes you," she reminded her students, who ranged in age from 5 to 12.

Misses Dinella and Blau and Messrs. Mariani and Bellamy were among the 15 participants in the first Petit Protocol class Mrs. Stewart has conducted in New York City.

They devoted four hours of a recent Saturday afternoon to learning dining-room etiquette — lunch and tea provided the on-the-job training — and as a bonus, they got a first-hand glimpse of the Pierre's kitchen operations.

Since she began teaching etiquette to young ladies in her Washington neighborhood 25 years ago, Mrs. Stewart's schooling in the social graces has prepared more than a million young men and women for life at the top. And more recently, she has helped thousands of executives who had been too busy with mergers and acquisitions to master good manners and legions of flower children who abandoned love beads for Hermes ties and scarfs.

From Kewanee, Ill., Marjabelle-Young Stewart Enterprises supervises franchise operations in 410 cities across the United States and in Tokyo, London and Paris.

Mrs. Stewart rarely teaches the Petit Protocol classes herself, but her franchise-holders offer the classes from time to time at hotels, department stores and schools.

Mrs. Stewart's book of etiquette for young girls "White Gloves and Party Manners" (Robert B. Luce Inc., $9.95) has just sold its millionth copy, and her 16 other books cover social behavior from college fraternity and sorority protocol to job etiquette.

She believes gentility is best instilled at an early age.

The parents who paid $125 for their children to attend Petit Protocol at the Pierre apparently agreed. Many of them considered the class a good way to reinforce and refine lessons learned at home.

"I find the table manners of American children absolutely disgraceful, but I am not going to spend my time with Graham being a disciplinarian," said Lauren Lawrence of Manhattan, whose 9-year-old son was one of Mrs. Stewart's charges.

Lorraine and Herbert Podell of Manhattan frequently travel internationally, taking their 11-year-old daughter, Allison, with them.

"We take her out to some of the best restaurants in the world, and we want her to know how to conduct herself, as a courtesy to the restaurant and so she feels comfortable dining anywhere," Mrs. Podell said.

Even the most polished debutante would have found it difficult to avoid slurping the first luncheon course — angel-hair pasta with shrimp and tomatoes — but Miss Podell and company handled it with aplomb.

"When you make a mistake, correct it as simply as possible and carry on as if nothing out of the ordinary has happened," Mrs. Stewart said.

"I can't tell you how many times I've had to reach along the table to retrieve a pea that has rolled off my fork."

Experience is the source of Mrs. Stewart's wisdom in these situations.

In her early days in Washington, whenever she faced a point of etiquette with which she was unfamiliar, she simply raised her water glass, buying time until someone else at the table showed the way.

"I sipped and watched and sipped and watched, and eventually I learned that those little gold scissors were grape shears."

Most of her Petit Protocol students had far less complex lessons in mind.

"I know how to use my knife and fork, but I can't remember to keep my mouth shut when I chew," said Alexis Blau, a 7-year-old second-grader.

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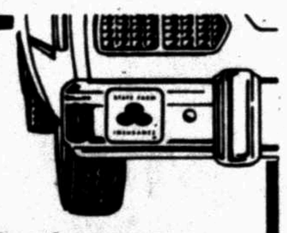
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DEAR ABBY

Bringing up 'baby' wears grandma out

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My 33-year-old grandson (I'll call him "John") was divorced two years ago, so he came to live with me for free. I am a widow, living on a small pension and my Social Security.

John is a sweet and lovable lad, but he is a little on the lazy side. He refuses to carry out the trash, clear the table after his meals or make his own bed. He is immaculate about himself, taking two or three showers a day. I do all his laundry and even shine his shoes, and I must say he is a fine looking young man and a spiffy dresser.

He makes good money, but he spends it all on clothes and going out. His parents live in the city, but he doesn't get along very well with them and prefers to live with me.

I am not in the best of health and am getting a little weary. I love this lad, but my health is not too good and looking after him is quite a chore. What do you suggest? — WORN-OUT GRANNY

DEAR WORN OUT: I suggest that you quit pampering this "sweet, lovable" lad. He's 33, and it's time he became a man. You are encouraging, indeed contributing, to his selfishness by making no demands on him.

Hear me, Granny: Boot this full-grown bird out of the nest; he'll never learn to fly unless he has to.

DEAR ABBY: I have a problem, as do most people who write to you. My problem concerns my mother and my girlfriend. "Theresa" (my girlfriend) is 16, and she's a very nice girl. She is intelligent, fun to be with and beautiful besides. I like her very much, and I feel so good when I'm with her that it's hard to explain.

Now for my problem: Theresa's parents aren't the best in the world. Her father drinks quite a bit, and her mother is a heavy drinker and a "tramp," to quote my mother. Now my mother says Theresa is the same as her mother, and I should try to find a "nice girl to date." Well, I've looked, and I'd rather have Theresa.

I'll be 18 soon, which I think is old enough to know a nice girl from a tramp. I'm still living at home, but I'd move if I could support myself. I'm working, but don't make enough to be on my own.

In case you're wondering if Theresa feels the same about me, the answer is yes.

I guess what I really want to know is this: Is it fair to judge a person by the way her parents act? In my heart I know it isn't, but I just need to hear it from you. — IN LOVE IN OKLAHOMA

DEAR IN LOVE: The answer that's in your heart is in my head. No, it isn't fair. Everyone should be judged by his or her own behavior.

DEAR ABBY: Just read your letter "From Wahoo, Neb." in which you explain the flower-over-the-ear signal.

As a native-born Hawaiian, here's the true meaning of flower placement: If a girl wears a flower over her LEFT ear, it means she is spoken for. (Same side as her heart — which is the reason why wedding rings are worn on the left hand.)

If the flower is worn over the RIGHT ear, it means the girl is available or unattached.

A flower worn on the back of the head means "Follow me." A flower on top of the head means "Married, but will fool around." — LOVELY HULA HANDS IN MAUI

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Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Demand for child care creates modern revival of Mary Poppins

Associated Press

Chances are growing that those young women pushing strollers in the supermarket or nudging toddlers into the playground sandbox are modern incarnations of that prim English nursemaid, the nanny.

The increasing number of working American mothers has created a strong demand for child care. For couples who can afford it, trained nannies are a popular alternative.

"In-home child care is obviously not the cheapest way to go, but if you consider your child to be the most important factor in your life, then don't have a Volvo, buy a Chevrolet," said Cathie Robertson, president of the International Nanny Association, a professional group based in San Diego.

"Seriously, a lot of people have a Mercedes and won't spend more than $85 a week to take care of their children," she said.

Depending on the location, nannies can earn $200 to $500 a week, plus room and board. They typically work 12-hour days, doing everything from changing diapers to buying infant formula to reading bedtime stories.

"They're not there to schlep the dog around to the vet or scrub out toilets," Ms. Robertson said. "They're there for the kids. That's probably been the hardest thing we've had to do to teach parents."

Interest in hiring nannies has grown so rapidly that schools now train recruits in this country, mostly women in their 20s who want to make children part of their careers. Courses range from child nutrition to family relations.

Terri Eurich, president of the National Academy of Nannies in Denver, says her school has graduated dozens of nannies since she founded it in 1983. Students get nearly five months of training for $3,500.

Ms. Eurich pats her school on the back for helping advance nannying as a legitimate profession and says most of her graduates quickly find jobs.

"We're doing our best to create an appreciation of a valuable service," she said. "Just because they're not typing into a word processor doesn't mean they shouldn't be paid $1,200 to $1,500 a month."

One recent graduate, 21-year-old Paige Pessarra, cares for the 11-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McLaughlin in Ladue, Mo., outside St. Louis; McLaughlin is a businessman, his wife a full-time medical student.

"Personally I'm happy with what I'm getting," she said. "I get a lot of benefits and extras. I look at my job as a profession. I'm planning on staying a number of years."

Children's crushes offer clues to values

Associated Press

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Parents should pay attention to their children's crushes and find opportunities to talk with them about what they find appealing in other people, says a Univerity of Rochester clinical psychologist.

"Many parents don't take puppy love seriously and don't express an interest in what their children find attractive," says Dr. Pieter Leroux. He notes that children's crushes offer clues to their values and to how they look at other people and at themselves.

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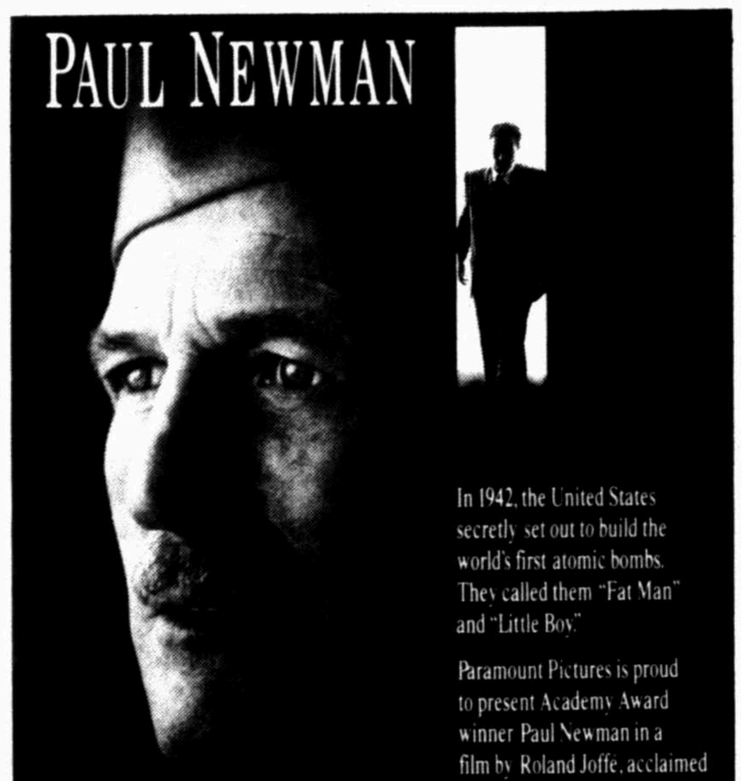
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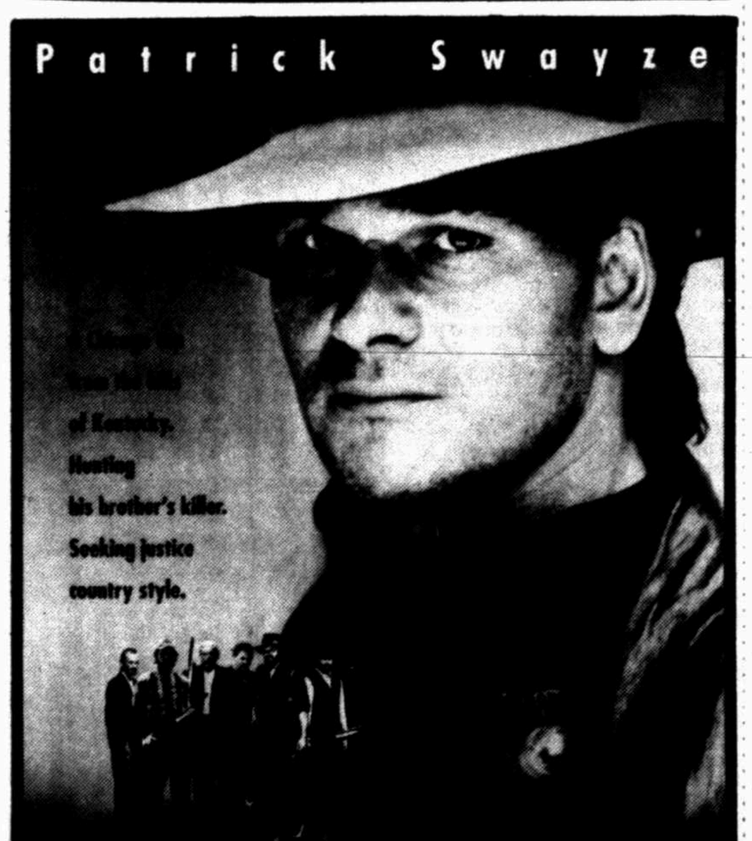
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From Staff Reports

It's never too late to learn, and proof to that adage is the number of individuals 55 years and older who sign up for the College Classics courses taught at Midland College as a part of the Continuing Education program.

College Classics courses are designed especially for individuals 55 years of age and older, and classes range from aerobics to World History and a little of everything in between. Over 40 courses are offered during the two four-week sessions. The first seesion ended Thursday, and Midland College is gearing up for Session II beginning Oct. 23 and lasting through Nov. 17.

Most of the courses are offered on weekday afternoons and last approximately two hours. The registration for the courses is a single $25 fee.

Seniors interested in being a part of the College Classics program should contact the Continuing Education department at Midland College, 685-4519.

Doug Sehres/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College automotive instructor Johnny Moore (kneeling) discusses techniques for changing a tire during the first session course of College Classics Basic Automotive Service. The attentive students looking on are (standing from left to right) Darlean Holeva, Jean Porter and Ralph Bass.

IT'S YOUR LIFE

Respect should be given to elderly

By STEVE EDWARDS

Edwards

Morale is a reflection of each person's perception of himself and his world. Elderly parents' perception of their world may be different from the way their children see it, and arguments between the generations won't change a thing. But sometimes children can change conditions which lower or raise their parents' morale.

In a recent study, a group of elderly people listed the factors that influenced their morale. Listed in order of importance, the factors were: entertainment and diversion, socializing, productive activity, physical comfort other than health, financial security, mobility and movement, health, stamina and survival.

The most significant causes of low morale were financial or physical dependency, physical discomfort or sensory loss, loneliness, bereavement or loss of support, boredom, inactivity, immobility and confinement, mental discomfort or loss, loss of prestige or respect, fear of dying and problems of others.

Sometimes it's beyond anyone's ability to change some of these circumstances, but some morale-boosting steps can be take to change other factors.

Try to see things from the elderly person's point of view. How the help is offered has a lot to do with an elderly person maintaining his self-respect and dignity. Remember, seniors are adults, not children. Don't offend their dignity by talking down to them.

Maintain an attitude of respect toward the elderly person. If you treat your mother like a child or speak to your father in a condescending way, they have a right to be offended because they were not treated with respect.

A real estate agent recently visited the home of an 86-year-old woman who was preparing to sell. The agent saw the woman had a sampler, which carried a motto cautioning the elderly owner to keep her mouth shut, give advice only when asked, smile a lot, make no trouble for others, help other people, never complain, cook good things to eat and have no opinions.

This motto reflected the stereotype that generations get along better if the elderly behave gracefully. A child, no matter his age, is usually welcomed by his parents in times of trouble; a parent in trouble, on the other hand, may find he is not welcome in his adult child's home. When the child becomes the nurturer, he may finds the role psychologically uncomfortable and physically inconvenient.

Steve Edwards is executive director of Community and Senior Services and the Visiting Nurse Service of Midland.

Prime Time Calendar

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- Friday: 9 a.m. billiards, 9:30 a.m. exercise, 10 a.m. movie, 11:15 a.m. lunch, 12:15 bingo.

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The Midland YMCAs have many activities scheduled weekly for Prime Time adults. For more information regarding available activities and classes contact Central YMCA , 800 N. Big Spring, 682-2551; Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, 694-2528; Northeast YMCA, 2301 Butternut, 682-8469; Town West YMCA, 1012 Andrews Highway, 694-6821.

Scheduled activities at the Central YMCA are:

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Low Impact Aerobics, 7 a.m. YMCARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, call for an appointment before beginning class.
- Tuesday and Thursday: 9 a.m. Y's Way to a Healthy Back, by appointment Specialized Strength Training for Seniors.

Scheduled activities for Alamo YMCA are:

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. Arthritis Water Class.
- Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 10 a.m. Aqua Aerobics, by appointment Water Rehab Therapy.

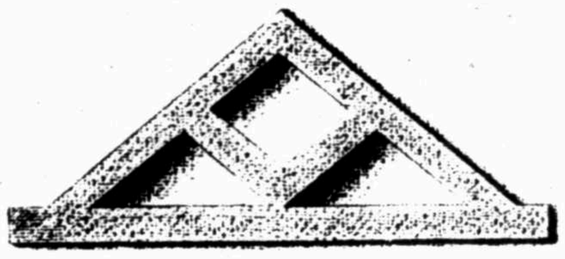
Scheduled activities for the Town West YMCA are:

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 9 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics, 10 a.m. No-Impact Aerobics.
- Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics.
- Monday through Friday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Biking for Fitness and Nautilus Weight Training for Prime Time adults is offered.

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

The Southeast Senior Center, 400 S. Marshall, is open 9 a.m.-2 p.m. each Wednesday and Friday. For more information about services offered, call Ellen G. Smith, center director, at 682-1574. The week's activities include:

- Wednesday: 9 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. table games, 9:30 a.m.-noon blood pressure check, glaucoma screening, 11:30 a.m. lunch, 1 p.m. crafts.
- Friday: 9 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. table games, 9:30-11 a.m. aarts, crafts and ceramics, 11:30 a.m. lunch, 12:45 p.m. bingo.



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Bell says cuts would mean unemployment

AUSTIN (AP) — Southwestern Bell officials say employees would be "walking the streets" if the telephone company was forced to cut rates by more than $500 million, as residential customers and 80 cities recommend.

But the consumers and cities, which oppose Southwestern Bell's proposal to freeze rates, said in testimony filed Wednesday at the Public Utility Commission that the company is earning far too much.

The Office of Public Utility Counsel, which represents residential customers, recommended a $515 million a year decrease in the phone company's rates.

"If you are overearning and you freeze your rates, you guarantee continued overearnings," said Public Utility Counsel C. Kingsbery Ottmers.

The decrease would include a $175 million decrease in the company's rate of return, $50 million in reduced charges for state and local property and franchise taxes, and an $87 million reduction in earnings from Yellow Pages, she said.

Expert witnesses for 80 cities, meanwhile, are recommending a $702 million annual rate reduction for the telephone company. MCI Communications proposed cutting Bell's rates by $196 million a year.

Austin lawyer Don Butler, representing the cities, said their recommendation is based on lower federal income taxes for the company, excessive payments to affiliated companies and cost savings because of improved technology.

Southwestern Bell has proposed a "Texas First" plan at the PUC that includes a five-year rate freeze and $327.5 million in technological improvements.

The telephone company filed the plan after the PUC started an inquiry into its rates early this year. The staff of the regulatory commission contended that the phone company is overcharging customers by an estimated $100 million annually.

The proposed cuts were dismissed as "unrealistic" by Bill Free, Southwestern Bell's vice president of revenues and public affairs.

"It just doesn't fit the real world at all," Free said, estimating that $500 million to $700 million in cuts would reduce the company's earnings by 50 percent to 70 percent annually.

"There is simply no way we could continue to operate the way we are operating today. Period. There would be severe cutbacks in capital invested in Texas," Free said.

Illegal aliens to be included in counts

WASHINGTON (AP) — House and Senate negotiators have agreed to include the number of illegal aliens counted in the 1990 census when congressional districts are redrawn to account for shifts in population.

Under an amendment approved by the Senate, the use of federal funds would have been prohibited for counting illegal aliens for the purpose of congressional reapportionment.

A House-Senate conference committee, however, voted Thursday to drop the Senate amendment when it approved appropriations for the judiciary and the Commerce, State and Justice Departments.

Texas, which stands to gain as many as three to four new congressional seats because of an increase in population since the 1980 census, could have forfeited one of those seats had illegal aliens not been counted, a state official said.

"The outcome was never in doubt because the Constitution could not be clearer. The Constitution says that apportionment is based on the number of persons and everybody is entitled to their own opinion, but not their own constitution," said Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, a member of the conference committee.

The House had shelved attempts to adopt legislation similar to the amendment sponsored by Sen. Richard C. Shelby, D-Ala., sending the issue to the conference committee for resolution.

Rep. Thomas Ridge, D-Pa., had sought last week to have the House negotiators accept the Senate amendment during the conference committee.

Approval of the Shelby amendment would have tied the issue up in the courts and delayed the census, Gramm said, "so it just didn't make sense."

The issue of counting illegal aliens has pitted Sunbelt states, whose populations have been swollen by illegal aliens, against Frostbelt states that stand to lose House seats after the census.

D-FW tower out for second time since Saturday

GRAPEVINE (AP) — The head of the air traffic controllers union at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport said a computer failure that disrupted tower operations for at least 12 hours yesterday leaves controllers with a "real problem with confidence."

Air traffic at the nation's second busiest airport was disrupted for the second time in a week Thursday when a 1950s-style computer failed to operate properly, Federal Aviation Administration officials said.

The failure forced officials to limit the number of planes in and out of the airport each hour and to call in veteran controllers to help with backup.

The computer was restored to full service at about 2:30 a.m. today, said Larry Parrent, assistant air traffic manager at D-FW.

It was the second outage in a week. Last Saturday, a flood of air traffic into the area for the Texas-Oklahoma football game overloaded computers for 19 minutes and left controllers without a true picture of air traffic over the airport.

FAA officials said Thursday's breakdown happened when one of four data processors on the computer failed to restart after routine maintenance. The processors feed specific information about each plane from the radar to the controllers' screens.

Parrent said the airport normally handles 90 incoming flights per hour. That was reduced to 84 until the evening rush hour, when controllers handled only 72 flights per hour, Parrent said.

Officials also took steps to shut off everything considered unessential. The Grand Prairie antenna was shut off to keep data from the antenna from overloading the computer. That, in turn, diminished the area that controllers could see on radar by 20 miles.

STATE in brief

Homeowners in court over dump

HOUSTON (AP) — Homeowners in a subdivision next to a toxic dump went to court to seek millions of dollars in damages from a chemical company for allegedly failing to stop the dwellings' construction.

The suit Wednesday by more than 200 owners in the Southbend Subdivision seeks at least $375 million from Monsanto Co. in connection with the 90-acre, waste-contaminated tract known as the Brio Refining Inc. site.

Papers filed with the suit allege that the South Houston site caused long-term threats to health and damage to property values for 222 homeowners.

The lawsuit claims Monsanto, based in St. Louis, failed in a duty to warn the public about dangers at the site, which until 1982 received by-products from a Texas City plastics plant the company then owned.

Most of the 600 homes built in the Southbend Subdivision, next to the dump site, were built in the 1980s.

Airport plan withdrawn

HOUSTON (AP) — A plan to rename Houston's largest airport in honor of late Congressman Mickey Leland has been amended, and postponed again.

City Councilman Rodney Ellis Wednesday withdrew his proposal to rename Houston Intercontinental Airport after Leland in favor of a plan to name a new international terminal after his longtime friend.

Ellis said he no longer feels he has enough support to rename the airport, but believed at least eight council members would approve the alternate suggestion.

But Councilwoman Christin Hartung delayed a vote on Ellis' alternative proposal for a week. She said no decision should be made until the council can develop a standard procedure for naming and renaming city-owned facilities.

Grandmother convicted

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A federal court jury has convicted a 63-year-old grandmother on a charge of smuggling illegal aliens into the United States.

Testimony in the trial indicated that Oralia Garcia Gamez of San Antonio had two of her grandchildren in a van with the illegal aliens at the time she was arrested in January 1988.

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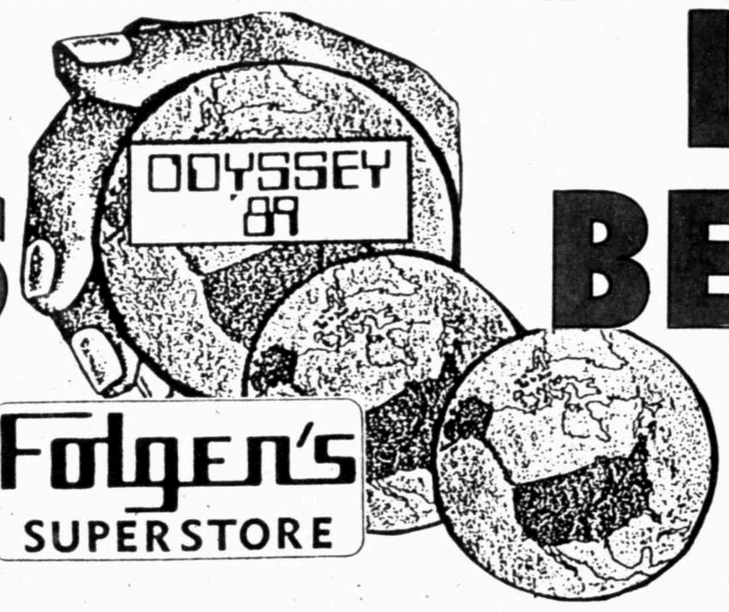

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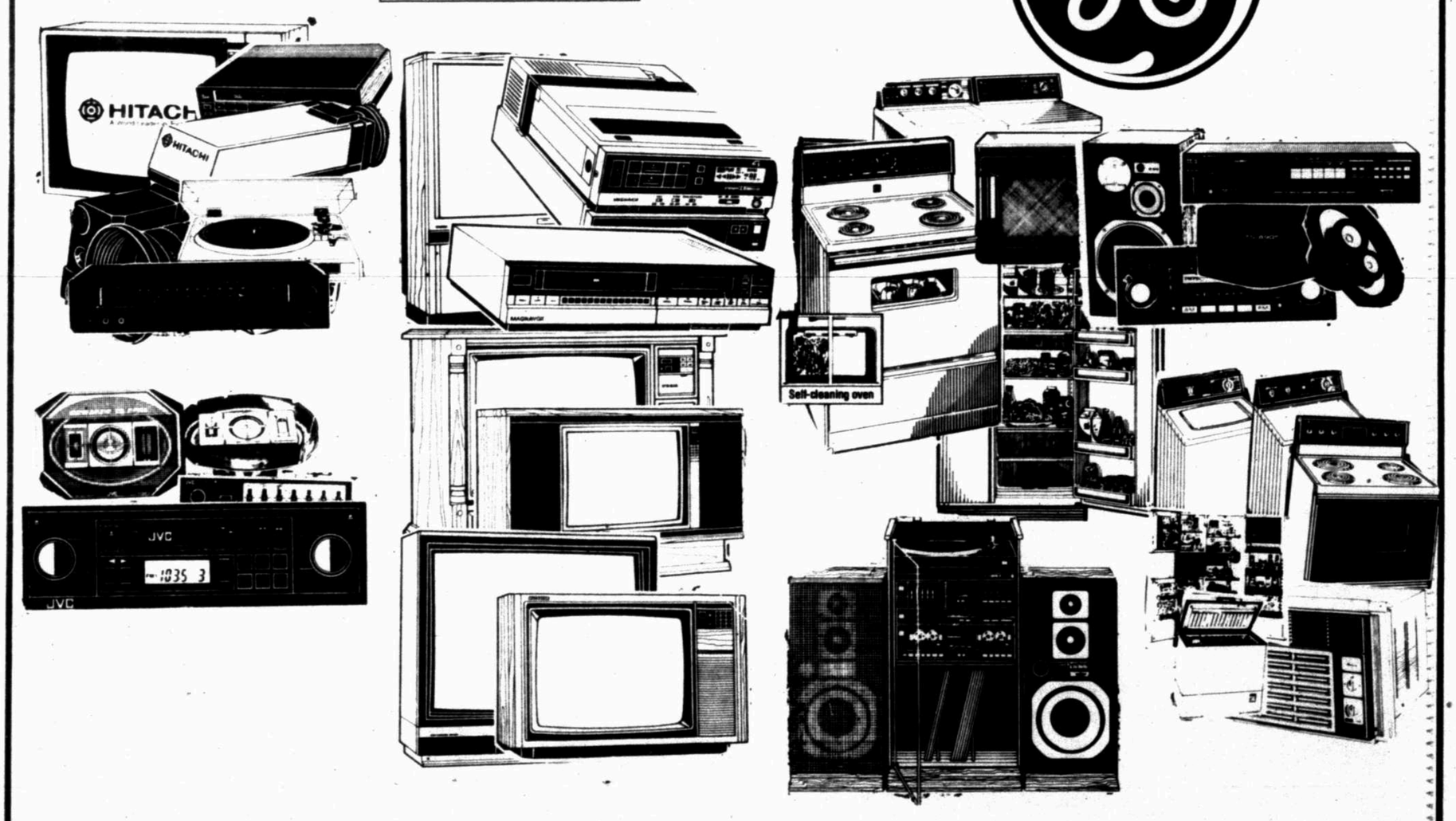

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Rebs can clinch second-place tie

By BILL PRICE
Sports Writer

Abilene High does not exactly strike fear in the hearts of the Midland Lee Rebels.

The 5-1 Rebels are favored in the District 4-5A tilt with the 1-5 Eagles, which is set for 8 p.m. tonight at Memorial Stadium. After thumping San Angelo 61-0 last week, Lee upped its District 4-5A record to 3-0, while AHS dropped to 0-2 with a 48-0 drubbing at the hands of second-ranked Odessa Permian.

If Odessa High beats San Angelo tonight, Lee could clinch second-place tie in the district standings with a win over AHS. And while he is relatively sure the Rebs will not be looking ahead to their match with Permian Nov. 3 (Lee is open next week), what Rebel coach Earl Miller fears most is complacency on the part of his team against the Eagles.

"In the aspect of the playoffs, it's an important game. Of course, any district game is important. If we win and Odessa wins, we don't clinch a playoff spot but we do clinch a possibility to be there," Miller said.

What AHS offers in the way of roadblocking the Lee juggernaut is a starting lineup that features five sophomores and eight juniors (223-pound Anwar Abor is a two-way starter at tackle). Every game is a learning experience for the Eagles, according to AHS head coach Larry Pullin, but his youthful squad is also improving with each outing.

"I felt like we moved the ball well against Permian last week. We had as many yards (201) and first downs (14) as we have had against them in a long time," Pullin said. "This will make our third tough game in a row (AHS was beaten 22-13 by Duncanville Oct. 6). We're a young team. All we can do is try to improve on what we're doing and improve our level of play with each game."

The Eagles return but 11 lettermen, one offensive and two defensive starters from last year's 2-8 team, which the Rebels defeated 35-0 a year ago in Abilene. History is also on the Rebs' side, with Lee holding a 16-12 overall edge in the series after taking eight of the past nine games. AHS' most recent win a 6-3 decision in 1986.

The Eagles' starting experience consists of junior quarterback Robbie Duran, strong side linebacker Nick Dominguez and Abor. Pullin said those players will spearhead AHS' attempt to upset Lee.

"Any time you play a team like Lee it's hard to shut them down completely," he said. "The have a good running back in Farris Strambler (who ranks second the 5A rushing statistics with 1,306 yards this year). You're not going to completely shut him down either.

"But we're going to play hard and try to make them work for everything that they get."

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AP Laserphoto

Oakland manager Tony LaRussa talked Thursday at the A's first workout since the earthquake about this week's disaster.

Teams agree with Fay

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Oakland Athletics and the San Francisco Giants want the World Series to go on and they want it to be played in the Bay area.

Twenty-one of Oakland's 24 players were surveyed by The Associated Press on Thursday, and all agreed with Commissioner Fay Vincent's decision to resume the World Series. Twenty-one of San Francisco's 27 players were surveyed by the AP, and Pat Sheridan was the only one who would have rather called it off.

"At one time or another, these games are going to be played and we as professionals are going to have to play the best we can," Oakland's Walt Weiss said.

The A's practiced in the Coliseum Thursday and the Giants played an intrasquad game in Candlestick Park, where an earthquake struck Tuesday about 30 minutes before the scheduled start of Game 3. Scores were killed in the Bay area but there were no deaths at the ballpark and few injuries.

"If you listen to the news accounts, they make it sound like the Bay cracked open and everything slid in," Giants pitcher Mike LaCoss said. "Yeah, there've been some deaths and some losses. But you have to pick up the pieces and start over again."

Vincent said baseball would wait until at least Tuesday because he didn't want "our modest game to intrude upon the community." Most players agreed with that.

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Bearkats, Rankin begin loop play

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

One week before "The Game," both the Garden City Bearkats and Rankin Red Devils face the task of not looking ahead.

The Bearkats and Red Devils both begin District 8-A play tonight. Garden City travels to Irion County, while Rankin hosts Water Valley.

Rankin is ranked sixth in The Associated Press Class A poll, while Garden City is unranked. But the teams are almost dead even in another state rating service, so Rankin probably can't be considered too much of a favorite in next week's Bearkat-Devil battle at Garden City.

In other area games tonight, Greenwood hosts Fabens; Andrews hosts Monahans; Big Spring hosts San Angelo Lake View; Lamesa hosts Lubbock Roosevelt; Stanton visits McCamey; and Iraan treks to Van Horn.

Garden City, 4-1, has been winning big despite starting sox sophomores on both sides of the ball. Bearkat coach Sam Scott is impressed with the way his kids have matured.

"I think our young kids have come along more than I thought possible," Scott said. Sophomores James Soles and Eric Seidenberger are one-two in rushing for the Bearkats, while middle linebacker Seidenberger leads a defense that has allowed less than eight points a game.

Soles has rushed for 860 yards in his first varsity year, while Seidenberger has banged for about 260.

Scott doesn't think his team will look past Irion County, despite the Hornets' 2-3 mark.

"That's another thing about our kids," Scott said. "They're talking about doing things one game at a time, instead of looking ahead to the next week."

Rankin coach Troy Kennedy said his team definitely won't be overlooking Water Valley.

"I think our kids realize Water Valley does a lot of things that we can have trouble with," Kennedy said. "Our kids must be so concious of their passing game that I think it would be foolish to look past them."

Rankin can cause trouble of their own, however. Sophomore quarterback Kirk Kennedy has completed 24-of-56 passes for 470 yards while being intercepted five times. Kennedy is also the team's fourth leading rusher with 278 yards on 65 carries, including a team-high 102 yards against Fort Davis two weeks ago.

Twins Terry and Brian McCravey have combined for more than 800 yards at the halfbacks. Brian has run 59 times for 435 yards, while Terry has totaled 389 yards on only 39 trips.

Sophomore Francisco Gonzales has ably backed up the McCraveys with 284 yards on 43 carries.

Kennedy has rushed for nine touchdowns and thrown for four more, while Gonzales has five TD's, and the McCravey's have scored twice each.

Area Football

'89 finale will always be 'Earthquake Series'

N.Y. Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Steve Bedrosian understood what his teammates needed most when he walked into the Giants' clubhouse wearing a bright-yellow, plastic hard hat.

The loud laughter he received was the big sigh the Giants needed to expel as they returned to the place they were when Tuesday's earthquake hit. It was a jolt to an otherwise somber room, and amid bats and balls, spikes and socks, baseball still seemed far away.

"Today, I don't feel like playing," Ken Oberkfell said. "It's my job, though, and I know I would play and try my hardest, but with so many people dead and without homes and power, it would be real hard for me."

"I want to get this thing over with, go home to my family and start the offseason," said Pat Sheridan, who lives in Ann Arbor, Mich. "Everybody says once we start playing it will be fine. Well, it's not fine. People are still dead."

"At this point, I could take it or leave it," Brett Butler said. "With all the hoopla before the World Series, I'm sure now the atmosphere will be different. Some people will be dismayed and hurt. If that's the case, the gates shouldn't open. But it might rejuvenate the city, a rebirth, bring the city out of its frustration and heartbreak. The World Series had been my dream for life, and now it's significant. It'll be something to be remembered, not necessarily enjoyed."

"My son, Jimmy, lost his house in the Marina," Giants General Manager Al Rosen said. "Fire and water damage — it's a total loss. All my memorabilia was there, and just about all of it was lost, except for my MVP trophy. I'm very emotional about what is going on in our neighborhood. We're in distress. I don't know how the community will respond. You have to be sensitive to the mood of the community. We have to think baseball because it's our business, but we have to be sympathetic to people in distress. How will they respond? It's all too premature."

"I remember 1985 in Mexico City," Candy Maldonado said. "I was flying over because I was playing in the Caribbean Series, and we could see what happened there. They don't have the advanced technology like we have here, and I remember people putting one brick here and another brick over there. All I could think was, 'Oh my God.'"

"There's no way this can be a normal World Series again, definitely not," Terry Kennedy said. "There's no way to try to rebuild the tension and the excitement again before Tuesday. I think there will be a buildup again, but it won't be the same. This isn't like any other World Series anymore. This will always be the Earthquake Series."

Meanwhile, there was some good news among the somber feelings. Bertrand Letendre, father of Giants trainer Mark Letendre, who had a heart attack at Candlestick Park when the stadium shook Tuesday, was released from the hospital Thursday.

Most players tried weakly to make sense of it all and noted that many of their relatives either had returned to their homes or were in the process of doing so.

"My sister (Kathy) wants to go," said Bedrosian, whose family lives in Methuen, Mass. "She's had enough of this already."

"I had 26 people here, and now I'm down to two, maybe," said Rick Reuschel. "They can't get any more vacation time, and they have to go back to work."

And a few would like to be going home themselves.

"If they canceled the rest of the games, I'd be the first guy out of here," said Don Robinson, a Florida resident and as such unaccustomed to earthquakes. "You couldn't get me to live here if you gave me $10 million and a free home. I'm trying to talk my wife into going back home. If it happens again, I only want to have to worry about me. I don't want to have to wonder where she is."

Most players spent Wednesday sticking close to their hotels. At a hotel on the Peninsula where a number of players and coaches are staying, Reuschel and Will Clark organized a barbecue to bring people together and ease the pain pouring through their television sets.

"We served up 40 pounds of hamburger meat, 15 pounds of ribs, I don't know how many beers and sodas," Clark said. "They'd already told all of us not to go anywhere, so we thought it would be a good idea to ease some of the tension."

They all believed that resuming the Series in the Bay Area was a good idea.

TERRY WILLIAMSON

Playoffs: 'Super' vs. 'not-so-super'

The state Class 5A playoffs as we know it may be in for a major change come next year with the addition of a new "super" 5A classification.

Williamson

Under the proposal, three teams from each 5A district would enter the playoffs. The two schools with the highest enrollment out of the three would enter a 64-team "super" division while the school with the lowest enrollment would play in a 32-team draw with one less playoff game for the state championship.

What it will do is create two state championship teams from Class 5A. The problem being addressed here is the fact that Class 5A has no cap on enrollment. So schools in this division with 1,400 enrollment are playing against schools with over 4,000. This new playoff system seeks to even up that discrepancy.

You know athletic directors and coaches from across the state are generally going to be for this proposal since it gives all districts another shot at winning a playoff berth. School superintendents, who are going to be asked to vote on this matter soon, will also see the possibility of adding dollars to the athletic budgets with an additional playoff team.

But this proposal isn't all rosy. For instance, if Odessa Permian, Odessa High and Midland Lee are the three teams from District 4-5A, Permian and OHS go into the "super" playoff while Lee goes into the five-game playoff format. If Midland High, Permian and Lee are the three teams, MHS would currently go into the 32-team draw. In this case, Lee would be playing with teams much larger in enrollment while MHS, just under Lee in enrollment, would benefit by playing smaller schools. The equity problem isn't completely solved here.

There is also the danger of the public viewing the "small" school division as a secondary championship. This is the division that Midland Lee and Midland High would most likely end up in year after year with enrollments under 2,000. That would most certainly mean in most years that Odessa Permian would be in the "super" class and we would rarely have a chance at a quarterfinal rematch with Permian like Lee did in 1983 and 1984.

The key will be enrollment. It's not the top team that goes into the "super" class. Even if a team places third, but has the highest enrollment, it will automatically enter the "super" division. It seems here that fans will always be left wondering who really has the best team in the state. We would be no better off than we are with the current lack of playoff structure in college football.

The idea of placing two teams from each district into the playoffs was the best move the UIL has ever made, but one wonders how many teams we need to keep adding to keep the playoffs exciting. Are we headed for an NBA, NHL playoff structure? Suddenly, third place is a successful season?

It probably is a good looking proposition to District 4-5A this year. The league already looks like a two-team race, but the race for third place would be a wild scramble to the end.

So, let's look at this week's 4-5A schedule while you try and make up your mind whether you like the "super" and "not so super" idea.

Midland Lee 32, Abilene High 0: The Rebels have hit a scoring stride while the Eagles are having trouble finding the scoreboard.

Abilene Cooper 24, Midland High 21: Cooper coach Larry Peel is fit to be tied after consecutive — and controversial — losses to San Angelo and Odessa High. That could mean trouble for the Bulldogs.

Odessa High 50, San Angelo 13: It's already been proven that OHS isn't as good as Midland Lee, so the Bobcats won't give up 61 points this week.

Odessa Permian 48, Dallas Jesuit 0: A lovely walk down Mojo lane on Saturday afternoon.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

SportScan

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VOLLEYBALL — Midland Baptist homecoming volleyball v. Fort Worth Castleberry, 2 p.m., Midland Baptist gymnasium.

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Abilene High at Midland Lee, 8 p.m., Memorial Stadium.

Midland High at Abilene Cooper, 8 p.m., Shotwell Stadium, Abilene.

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"We have to remember we are guests here. Our modest little game is not a top priority." — Baseball commissioner Fay Vincent, after Wednesday's decision to postpone Game 3 of the World Series until next Tuesday because of last Tuesday's earthquake that rocked the San Francisco Bay Area.

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question — On Oct. 4, 1955, this outfielder snared a fly ball by Yogi Berra to save the win for his team in the seventh game of the World Series. Name this native Cuban.

Thursday's Answer — Matty (.342) and Felipe (.327) Alou finished one-two in the 1966 National League batting race.

Baseball Today...

STADIUMS

Neither Candlestick Park nor the Oakland Coliseum is ready for play, said Commissioner Fay Vincent, but he expects both to prepared next week.

Holtz plays Rodney Dangerfield

By The Associated Press

The Notre Dame-Southern Cal game isn't until Saturday. The gamesmanship has already begun.

Coach Lou Holtz of No. 1 Notre Dame wants more than a victory on Saturday when ninth-ranked Southern Cal visits South Bend. He'd like a little respect.

Holtz felt that USC coach Larry Smith was lacking in some, uh, respects following last year's game in which the Trojans outgained the Irish 356 yards to 253 but lost where it counts — on the scoreboard, 27-10.

"Since I've been here, especially since we've been winning at Notre Dame, it seems like the opposing team very seldom gives us much credit. If (Smith) feels that way, that's his business," said linebacker Ned Bolcar, adding that Holtz reminded his troops of what Smith allegedly said.

Smith was as surprised by that as he was by Notre Dame's decisive victory a year ago.

"I don't know where that came from, and I don't know if somebody's trying to make a war out of it," he said. "I think I said we won the stat battle but we didn't win the game. Anybody that looked at the game statistically, we had the best stats. But the only stat that's important — we all know what that is — is the score. I think Notre Dame deserved to win the game. I said that."

Notre Dame went on to capture the national championship and Holtz said the Irish "are as good as we were last year, and he didn't have a lot of respect after the game last year."

Smith has plenty of respect this time. "This Notre Dame team may be the best in 20 years," he said. "By far this Notre Dame team is the best college team I've ever seen. To beat them, we'll have to play the best game our school has ever seen its team play. This is the biggest challenge in my coaching career."

Saturday's schedule lists three other games between members of the Top 25 — No. 6 Tennessee vs. No. 10 Alabama at Birmingham, No. 11 Auburn at No. 14 Florida State and No. 22 Arizona at No. 15 Washington State.

Rounding out the Top Ten, third-ranked Colorado entertains Kansas, No. 4 Nebraska visits Oklahoma State, No. 5 Michigan is at Iowa and Texas is at No. 7 Arkansas. Second-ranked Miami and No. 8 Pitt are idle, as is No. 17 Penn State.

Elsewhere, No. 12 North Carolina State is at Clemson, No. 13 Illinois is at Michigan State, Southern Methodist is at No. 16 Houston, Cincinnati is at No. 18 West Virginia, No. 19 Air Force is at Texas Christian, New Mexico is at No. 20 Florida, Texas-El Paso is at No. 21 Brigham Young, No. 23 Texas A&M is at Baylor, Western Carolina is at No. 24 South Carolina and No. 25 Oklahoma is at Iowa State.

Notre Dame-Southern Cal is the greatest intersectional rivalry in college football. The Irish have outscored USC 174-78 in winning the last six meetings and lead the series 33-23-4.

The Trojans are only 2-4 against top-ranked Notre Dame teams, including last year's loss, but USC ended Notre Dame's longest winning streak at 21 games with a 14-14 tie in 1948 and snapped a 26-game Irish unbeaten streak in 1931. Notre Dame carries an 18-game winning streak into Saturday's game.

Alabama struggled last week in beating unheralded Southwestern Louisiana 24-17 and Coach Bill Curry believes his players were looking ahead to Tennessee. Alabama and Tennessee are the only unbeaten teams (5-0) in the Southeastern Conference, the first time since 1973 both sides have come in with perfect records.

"It was like poison gas over our people," Curry said of last week's struggle.

Alabama holds a 37-27-7 lead in "Dixie's Great Football War," which finds Tennessee without starting tailback Reggie Cobb, who was kicked off the team last week, reportedly for drug-related reasons.

"I think their team will rally around the troubles they have had and have an outstanding game plan," Curry said. "It will be an outstanding football game."

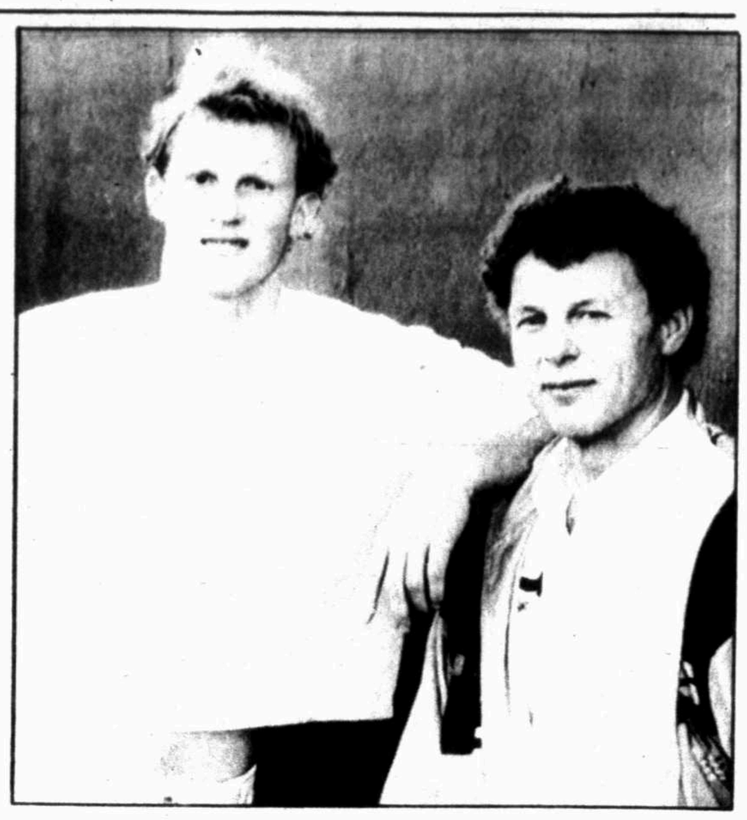
Tennessee's Johnny Majors predicts that "with the SEC lead on the line it should be a classic setting in Birmingham. This is one of college football's great historic rivalries. You can always count on both teams being mentally ready to play."

Florida State has won four straight since an 0-2 start but the Seminoles will be without a half-dozen starters against Auburn.

"We're beat to a pulp going into the toughest stretch on our schedule," said coach Bobby Bowden, whose team meets Miami next week. "We've gone through the rest of the lineup and now we have to face Ruth and Gehrig."

Auburn leads the series 12-3-1 but Florida State has won the last two, 34-6 at Auburn in 1987 and 13-7 in last season's Sugar Bowl.

Kansas coach Glen Mason says he's "praying for a snowstorm" against Colorado. "That's about the only thing I can think of to slow them down."



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USC quarterback Tony Marinovich and his father Marv, who co-captained the 1962 national title Trojans that beat the Irish 25-0.

Tyson begins training for next title defense

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Mike Tyson sat down on a chair in the middle of the worn-out, patched-up boxing ring at Panther Gym on Thursday as sweat poured down his forehead.

"We've been travelling a lot and the climate change has left me a little tired, but that's why we came this early, to get used to the climate," said the world heavyweight boxing champion said.

He had just finished sparring with three different opponents on his first day of local training for his Nov. 18 title defense against Razor Ruddock.

Tyson had an easy two rounds with chubby Eli Dixon, then had a spirited two rounds with former champion Greg Page before losing a bit of steam in a wrapup against Jesse Ferguson.

Wearing a white T-shirt and a pair of long johns, Tyson seemed tired but in good spirits and at home in the dingy, hot gym basement.

"I love the little rinky-dink gyms, I love them," he said. "That's what fighting's all about."

With reporters standing and kneeling at his side inside the ring, Tyson said he never has the media in the gym. But he's taken a liking to local contingent.

"You're cool guys. It's a pleasure to have you here," he said. "I respect the way you treat me. In other places, they have a little flaky attitude. I really appreciate your hospitality."

Tyson, 37-0 with 33 knockouts, said he's in great shape. But the change of climate for the "Cold War," as the fight has been dubbed, will take some time to overcome.

He got first-hand experience at 4 a.m. Thursday when he went out for his daily run. The temperature dipped to near freezing overnight but did rise about 20 degrees by the time he was sparring.

Tyson usually trains in Las Vegas, but he had moved to Albany, N.Y., in recent weeks so he could meet the requirements of a community service sentence he drew for a driving offense.

"It's pretty cold, yeah," said Tyson, who skipped rope to loud rap music — as a propane heater blew right behind him — before getting taped for sparring.

Ruddock, (22-1-1) who is training outside Toronto and is expected to arrive in Edmonton in about two weeks, has said he will knock out Tyson. But the only time Tyson has ever been knocked down, he was still a kid who couldn't fight.

"I've heard that before," Tyson said. "I don't rate opponents, I go in there to beat them.

"I don't go in there thinking I'm the champ, because really the belt doesn't mean anything unless you can beat the guy."

Promoter Garry Stevenson said more than half of the approximate 18,000 tickets have been sold.

He said preparations are well ahead of schedule for the fight, which will be staged at the Northlands Coliseum, home of the NHL's Edmonton Oilers.

Quake moves 49er game; Huskies, Bears play at Cal

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The San Francisco 49ers won't be playing in Candlestick Park on Sunday, as scheduled. They'll face the New England Patriots at Stanford Stadium instead.

While preparation continues to ready earthquake-damaged Candlestick Park for the resumption of the World Series, the 49ers decided Thursday to switch the game — only their second at home after five road games — to Palo Alto.

"In light of the enormity of the disaster that confronts the entire Bay area, we believe this is the most prudent and equitable short-term solution to the comparatively minor problem we faced," NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle said.

"The NFL, which has been part of the Bay area since 1950, is especially distressed by the tragic occurrence," Rozelle said.

The World Series is tentatively scheduled to resume Tuesday at Candlestick Park.

Engineers inspected Stanford Stadium, located about 35 miles south of San Francisco, and found no structural damage.

The last time the 49ers played a meaningful game at Stanford was in the 1985 Super Bowl, which the 49ers won 38-16 over the Miami Dolphins.

A limited number of $25 tickets went on sale at Stanford Thursday afternoon, with the proceeds scheduled to go to earthquake relief. The league will observe a moment of silence for victims of the quake before each game this weekend.

Stanford Stadium has a capacity of 86,000, compared to Candlestick Park's 65,701. The 49ers will give refunds to fans who had purchased tickets to Candlestick and do not wish to go to Palo Alto.

At least one member of the 49ers was happy with the decision.

"I've never played on it, but I've practiced on it and it's a real fast field," wide receiver Jerry Rice said. "As long as we stay home it's fine with me."

The 49ers (5-1) lost their only home game this season, 13-12 to the Los Angeles Rams.

The Washington-California Pacific-10 Conference football game will be played as scheduled in Berkeley's Memorial Stadium on Saturday.

Ira Heyman, University of California chancellor, made the announcement Thursday after evaluating what playing a football game in the earthquake-ravaged Bay area would mean.

Dave Maggard, Cal athletic director, said the stadium was not damaged by Tuesday's catastrophic earthquake.

Saturday's game will start at 3 p.m.

Private school QB stays in Texas

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A Texas judge's ruling will allow a Washington High School quarterback accused of fleeing house arrest in August to continue playing football at a private military school in Harlingen, Texas.

Cameron County Judge Rojelio Valdez ruled in a half-hour closed hearing Thursday that J.B. Kulik, who was convicted of two counts of burglary and one count of attempted burglary in Washington County, had not absconded, said Friday's Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Valdez notified the Washington County juvenile probation department of his decision.

Kulik, a 17-year-old senior at Marine Military Academy, was rated one of the top quarterback prospects in the Northeast.

He was sentenced to house arrest Aug. 9 after being found guilty of all charges related to the burglary of three Washington homes.

Local youths win Optimist football awards

From Staff Reports

Lannce King, Danny Cox and Keith Lant received first-place awards this week for their performances in the Tri-Star Football Contest, sponsored by the Midland Optimist Club.

King was awarded top honors in the 9-year-old age group, while Cox competed in the 10-year-old group and Lant as an 11-year-old. Awards were also given though sixth place in each age division.

Tri-Star Football Awards

First Place: Lance King, 9-year-old; Danny Cox, 10-year-old; Keith Lant, 11-year-old.

Second Place: Troy Henry, 9-year-old; Jon Stephenson, 10-year-old; Adrian Sanchez, 11-year-old.

Third Place: Leighton King, 11-year-old.

Fourth Place: Brad Daughtery, Joel Bermea.

Fifth Place: Brandon Hodges, Brad Avery.

Sixth Place: Matt Hoppman, Cory Amidon.

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Week VII Oct. 20- Oct. 22

BILL PRICE
Last Week: 16-9
Season: 104-46
Pct.: .693

GARY OTT
Last Week: 16-9
Season: 101-49
Pct.: .673

BILL GRIMES
Last Week: 17-8
Season: 99-51
Pct.: .660

TERRY WILLIAMSON
Last Week: 15-10
Season: 95-55
Pct.: .633

JIMMY PATTERSON
Last Week: 15-10
Season: 94-56
Pct.: .627

CRYSTAL BALL
(Consensus)
Last Week: 15-10
Season: 99-51
Pct.: .660

HIGH SCHOOL						
Midland High at Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper	Abilene Cooper (5-0)
Abilene High at Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee (5-0)
Odessa High at San Angelo Central	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High (5-0)
Monahans at Andrews	Monahans	Monahans	Monahans	Monahans	Monahans	Monahans (5-0)
San Angelo Lakeview At Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring (5-0)
Stanton at McCamey	McCamey	McCamey	McCamey	McCamey	Stanton	McCamey (5-0)
Iraan at Van Horn	Iraan	Van Horn	Van Horn	Iraan	Van Horn	Van Horn (3-2)
COLLEGE						
Texas at Arkansas	Arkansas	Arkansas	Arkansas	Arkansas	Arkansas	Arkansas (5-0)
Texas A&M at Baylor	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M (5-0)
SMU at Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston (5-0)
Rice at Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech (5-0)
Air Force at TCU	Air Force	Air Force	Air Force	Air Force	Air Force	Air Force (5-0)
UTEP at Brigham Young	Brigham Young	Brigham Young	Brigham Young	Alabama	Brigham Young	Brigham Young (5-0)
Tennessee at Alabama	Tennessee	Alabama	Florida State	Florida State	Alabama	Alabama (4-1)
Auburn at Florida State	Florida State	Florida State	Florida	Florida	Auburn	Florida State (4-1)
New Mexico at Florida	Florida	Florida	Notre Dame	Notre Dame	New Mexico	Florida (4-1)
Southern Cal at Notre Dame	Notre Dame	Notre Dame			Notre Dame	Notre Dame (5-0)
NFL						
Dallas at Kansas City	Dallas	Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City (4-1)
Pittsburgh at Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston (5-0)
Green Bay at Miami	Green Bay	Green Bay	Green Bay	Miami	Green Bay	Green Bay (4-1)
Indianapolis at Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Cincinnati (5-0)
Minnesota at Detroit	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota (5-0)
Atlanta at Phoenix	Phoenix	Phoenix	Phoenix	Phoenix	Phoenix	Phoenix (5-0)
Denver at Seattle	Denver	Denver	Denver	Seattle	Denver	Denver (4-1)
New Orleans at Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams	Los Angeles Rams (5-0)

Sports Scoreboard

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	4	2	0	.667	156	160
Indianapolis	3	3	0	.500	111	108
Miami	3	3	0	.500	121	139
New England	2	4	0	.333	88	132
N.Y. Jets	1	5	0	.167	119	158
Central						
Cincinnati	4	2	0	.667	136	94
Cleveland	3	3	0	.500	136	88
Houston	3	3	0	.500	167	170
Pittsburgh	3	3	0	.500	93	142
West						
Denver	5	1	0	.833	136	84
L.A. Raiders	3	3	0	.500	134	114
Seattle	3	3	0	.500	112	124
Kansas City	2	4	0	.333	101	131
San Diego	2	4	0	.333	112	126

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	5	1	0	.833	155	96
Philadelphia	4	2	0	.667	152	133
Washington	3	3	0	.500	154	138
Phoenix	2	4	0	.333	103	143
Dallas	0	6	0	.000	88	177
Central						
Chicago	4	2	0	.667	192	136
Minnesota	4	2	0	.667	126	106
Green Bay	3	3	0	.500	162	158
Tampa Bay	3	3	0	.500	120	120
Detroit	1	5	0	.167	91	150
West						
L.A. Rams	5	1	0	.833	162	125
San Francisco	5	1	0	.833	155	115
Atlanta	2	4	0	.333	108	129
New Orleans	2	4	0	.333	135	109

Sunday's Games

Dallas at Kansas City, noon
Green Bay at Miami, noon
Indianapolis at Cincinnati, noon
Los Angeles Raiders at Philadelphia, noon
Minnesota at Detroit, noon
New York Jets at Buffalo, noon
Pittsburgh at Houston, noon
Tampa Bay at Washington, noon
New England vs. San Francisco, at Stanford, Calif., 3 p.m.
Atlanta at Phoenix, 3 p.m.
Denver at Seattle, 3 p.m.
New Orleans at Los Angeles Rams, 3 p.m.
New York Giants at San Diego, 3 p.m.

Monday's Game

Chicago at Cleveland, 8 p.m.

NHL Standings

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Rangers	5	1	1	11	32	23
New Jersey	3	2	1	7	23	19
Washington	3	2	1	7	23	21
Pittsburgh	3	3	1	7	27	29
NY Islanders	2	3	1	5	26	27
Philadelphia	1	5	1	3	20	29
Adams Division						
Montreal	5	3	0	10	23	16
Boston	3	3	1	7	22	24
Buffalo	3	3	1	7	21	20
Hartford	3	5	0	6	26	32
Quebec	2	4	1	5	30	32

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	5	1	1	11	29	20
Detroit	4	4	0	8	29	35
Chicago	3	4	1	7	28	31
St. Louis	3	3	0	6	27	22
Toronto	2	5	0	4	27	40
Smythe Division						
Calgary	4	2	2	10	40	33
Los Angeles	4	3	0	8	31	27
Edmonton	3	2	1	7	26	21
Vancouver	3	4	0	6	28	30
Winnipeg	2	4	0	4	18	25

Thursday's Games

New York Rangers 7, Hartford 3
Quebec 5, Chicago 3
Detroit 4, St. Louis 3

Friday's Games

Montreal at Buffalo, 6:35 p.m.
Vancouver at New Jersey, 6:45 p.m.
New York Islanders at Washington, 7:05 p.m.
Chicago at Winnipeg, 7:35 p.m.
Boston at Edmonton, 8:35 p.m.

NBA Preseason

Eastern Conference Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.
Boston	3	0	1.000
New York	2	1	.667
Washington	2	2	.500
Miami	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	2	.333
New Jersey	0	3	.000
Central Division			
Chicago	3	0	1.000
Detroit	2	1	.667
Indiana	2	1	.667
Atlanta	2	2	.500
Cleveland	1	1	.500
Orlando	1	1	.500
Milwaukee	0	1	.000
Western Conference Midwest Division			
Charlotte	2	1	.667
Houston	2	2	.500
San Antonio	1	1	.500
Utah	1	1	.500
Denver	1	2	.333
Minnesota	0	1	.000
Dallas	0	3	.000
Pacific Division			
L.A. Lakers	6	0	1.000
Golden State	3	0	1.000
Portland	2	0	1.000
L.A. Clippers	1	3	.250
Phoenix	1	3	.250
Sacramento	0	3	.000
Seattle	0	4	.000

Thursday's Games

Houston 119, Atlanta 114
Golden St. 120, Seattle 117
Philadelphia 117, Los Angeles Clippers 114

Friday's Games

Denver in McDonald's Open at Rome, Italy, tba
Washington vs. Chicago at Baltimore, 6:30 p.m.
New Jersey vs. Charlotte at Wilmington, N.C., 6:30 p.m.
New York at Detroit, 7 p.m.
San Antonio at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Minnesota, at Fargo, N.D., 7:30 p.m.
Los Angeles Clippers vs. Sacramento at Chico, Calif., 10 p.m.

NHL Sums

Rangers 7, Whalers 3

Hartford	2	0	1—3
N.Y. Rangers	4	1	2—7

First Period—1, Hartford, Verbeek 6 (Francis, Babych), 3:50. 2, New York, Ogrodnick 5 (Kisio, Mullen), 5:26 (pp). 3, New York, Turcotte 4 (Granato, Moller), 6:23. 4, New York, Dahlen 5 (Leetch, Sandstrom), 14:40 (pp). 5, New York, Kisio 2 (Hardy, Mullen), 16:33. 6, Hartford, Cote 2 (Dineen), 18:03 (pp).

Second Period—7, New York, Dahlen 6 (Sandstrom, Wilson), 17:37.

Third Period—8, Hartford, Francis 6 (Verbeek, Ladouceur), :45. 9, New York, Mallette 2 (Sandstrom, Moller), 2:07. 10, New York, Sandstrom 4 (Patrick, Dahlen), 9:20.

Shots on goal—Hartford 9-12-6—27. New York 17-11-14—42.

Goalies—Hartford, Sidorkiewicz, Whitmore. New York, Richter. A—14,660.

Nordiques 5, 'Hawks 3

Quebec	0	3	2—5
Chicago	1	0	2—3

First Period—1, Chicago, Wilson 5 (Savard, Roenick), 12:08 (pp).

Second Period—2, Quebec, Jackson 1 (Loiselle, Kimble), 1:48. 3, Quebec, Petit 1 (Stastny, Adams), 5:12. 4, Quebec, Dore 2 (Sakic, Routhier), 19:46 (pp).

Third Period—5, Chicago, Bassen 1 (Sutter, Yawney), 2:43. 6, Chicago, Presley 2 (Brown, Creighton), 4:18. 7, Quebec, McRae 1 (Jackson, Loiselle), 15:57. 8, Quebec, Stastny 4 (Hough), 19:52 (en).

Shots on goal—Quebec 9-10-15—34. Chicago 11-10-13—34.

Goalies—Quebec, Tugnutt. Chicago, Chevrier. A—14,668.

Red Wings 4, Blues 3

Detroit	1	0	3—4
St. Louis	0	2	1—3

First Period—1, Detroit, Murphy 1 (Nill, O'Connell), 14:07.

Second Period—2, St. Louis, Zezel 3 (Hull, Benning), 5:28. 3, St Louis, Oates 2 (Hrkac, Brind'Amour), 14:18 (pp).

Third Period—4, St. Louis, Hull 7 (Oates, Roberts), 1:46. 5, Detroit, O'Connell 1 (Norwood), 12:15. 6, Detroit, Klima 4 (Chabot), 12:43. 7, Detroit, Murphy 2, 18:39.

Shots on goal—Detroit 10-7-10—27. St. Louis 8-19-8—35.

Goalies—Detroit, Cheveldae. St. Louis, Jablonski. A—14,847.

NBA Sums

ATLANTA (114)

Levingston 2-6 6-8 10, Wilkins 10-23 4-5 24, Malone 2-7 5-7 9, Battle 8-16 3-6 19, Webb 4-7 1-1 9, Carr 8-11 9-15 25, Marble 2-4 0-0 4, Volkov 1-2 2-4 4, Ferrell 2-4 1-1 5, Workman 0-2 5-6 5. Totals 39-82 36-53 114.

HOUSTON (119)

Johnson 3-8 0-0 6, Thorpe 5-9 11-13 21, McCormick 4-6 2-3 10, Dinkins 5-5 1-2 11, Wiggins 5-11 0-0 10, Floyd 5-9 4-5 14, Lloyd 5-11 4-4 14, Smith 1-4 0-0 2, Domako 3-5 2-2 8, Nevitt 1-2 2-2 4, Caldwell 2-5 2-7 6, Chievous 3-7 0-0 6, Lucas 1-5 5-6 7. Totals 43-87 33-41 119.

Atlanta	**18**	**24**	**40**	**32—114**
Houston	**30**	**35**	**25**	**29—119**

3-point goals—Atlanta 0-0, Houston 0-3 (Floyd 0-3). Fouled out—Workman, Johnson, Nevitt. Rebounds—Atlanta 43 (Malone 10), Houston 51 (Thorpe 14). Assists—Atlanta 17 (Workman 5), Houston 23 (Dinkins, Floyd 4). Total fouls—Atlanta 32, Houston 43. A—NA.

GOLDEN STATE (120)

Tolbert 0-2 2-2 2, Hardaway 7-14 1-2 15, Johnson 2-5 0-0 4, Parent 2-3 0-0 4, Garland 3-4 0-0 6, Marciulionis 5-10 6-6 16, Mullin 6-14 5-5 17, Teagle 4-13 1-1 9, Morton 4-5 0-0 8, Higgins 3-6 0-0 6, Richmond 10-13 3-5 23, Blab 1-3 3-3 5, Taybe 2-4 1-1 5. Totals 49-96 22-25 120.

SEATTLE (117)

Sellers 3-9 5-5 11, Ellis 8-12 1-1 19, Threatt 1-2 0-5 2, McMillen 1-4 1-2 3, Barros 5-9 2-4 14, Johnson 1-2 2-2 4, Gaze 2-5 3-4 7, Polynice 1-7 0-5 2, McKey 9-15 0-1 18, McDaniel 4-8 12-14 20, Kemp 3-7 0-4 6, Champion 1-2 0-0 2, Meents 3-5 3-5 9. Totals 42-87 29-42 117.

Golden State	**37**	**30**	**27**	**26—120**
Seattle	**37**	**32**	**29**	**19—117**

3-point goals—Golden State 0-2 (Hardaway 0-2), Seattle 4-8 (Ellis 2-2, Barros 2-4). Fouled out—Kemp. Rebounds—Golden State 38 (Johnson 6), Seattle 54 (Polynice 10). Assists—Golden State 33 (Hardaway 8), Seattle 30 (Threatt 7). A—NA.

PHILADELPHIA (117)

Payne 2-4 0-0 5, Barkley 9-15 18-20 36, Gminski 9-16 3-3 21, Hawkins 4-7 5-6 13, Dawkins 3-8 5-7 11, Brooks 1-2 4-4 7, Copeland 1-3 1-2 3, Rowinski 0-0 0-2 0, Anderson 6-9 2-2 14, Vincent 1-4 4-4 6, Holmes 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 36-68 43-52 117.

LOS ANGELES (114)

Smith 9-14 7-7 25, Norman 8-21 2-3 18, Wolf 4-6 0-0 8, Williams 6-12 1-1 13, Grant 1-6 2-5 4, Cofield 0-2 0-0 0, McKinney 2-9 2-2 6, Banks 3-6 4-6 10, Garrick 2-2 0-0 4, Young 1-2 0-0 2, Nessley 1-2 3-4 5, Bannister 5-6 8-12 19. Totals 42-88 29-40 114.

Philadelphia	**36**	**28**	**18**	**35—117**
Los Angeles	**25**	**31**	**35**	**23—114**

3-point goals—Philadelphia 2-2 (Payne 1-1, Brooks 1-1). Los Angeles 1-2 (Bannister 1-1, Williams 0-1). Fouled out—Rowinski, Smith. Rebounds—Philadelphia 45 (Barkley, Gminski, 10), Los Angeles 36 (Norman 8). Assists—Philadelphia 12 (Anderson 3), Los Angeles 19 (Garrick 8). Total fouls—Philadelphia 29, Los Angeles 35. Technicals—Dawkins, Grant, Barkley, Philadelphia illegal defense. A—5,841.

Injury Report

NEW YORK (AP) — The NFL injury report for this weekend's games as provided by the league:

Sunday

ATLANTA AT PHOENIX — Falcons: S Tim Gordan (groin) is doubtful; CB Scott Case (foot), G Stan Clayton (ankle), WR Shawn Collins (groin), WR Michael Haynes (shoulder), RB Gene Lang (thigh), RB John Settle (knee) are questionable; WR Stacey Bailey (back), G Bill Fralic (elbow), DE Mike Gann (shoulder), T Houston Hoover (knee), RB Keith Jones (ankle) are probable. Cardinals: WR Roy Green (shoulder), DT Gary Hadd (knee) are out; RB Earl Farrell (foot), QB Gary Hogeboom (right elbow) are probable.

MINNESOTA AT DETROIT — Vikings: RB Allen Rice (knee), DT Henry Thomas (shoulder), WR Anthony Carter (leg) are questionable; DT Tim Newton (hand), QB Wade Wilson (left hand), T Tim Irwin (elbow) are probable. Lions: WR Mel Gray (shoulder-back) is out; DE James Cribbs (knee), LB Michael Cofer (arch) are questionable; QB Rodney Peete (knee), RB Barry Sanders (hip) are probable.

NEW ORLEANS AT LOS ANGELES — Saints: RB Buford Jordan (hamstring) is doubtful; QB Bobby Hebert (knee), TE Hoby Brenner (knee), RB Craig Heyward (back), G Brad Edelman (neck) are probable. Rams: LB Fred Strickland (knee) is doubtful; DT Shawn Miller (foot), TE Damone Johnson (ankle), are probable.

TAMPA BAY AT WASHINGTON — Buccaneers: S Harry Hamilton (knee) is out; LB Kevin Murphy (hip), LB Henry Rolling (hamstring), NT Shawn Lee (ankle), DE John Cannon (foot) are questionable. Redskins: S Todd Bowles (knee), LB Ravin Caldwell (thigh), LB Monte Coleman (hamstring-shin), LB Kurt Gouveia (calf), CB Darrell Green (knee), CB M.L. Johnson (ankle) are probable.

DENVER AT SEATTLE — Broncos: G Keith Bishop (back), RB Bobby Humphrey (ribs), NT Greg Kragen (knee) are questionable. Seahawks: LB M.L. Johnson (eye) is out.

INDIANAPOLIS AT CINCINNATI — Colts: LB Quintas McDonald (thumb), LB Kurt Larson (knee), DE Jon Hand (hand) are probable. Bengals: G Paul Jetton (knee) is doubtful; G Max Montoya (back), RB Eric Ball (knee) are probable.

NEW YORK JETS AT BUFFALO — Jets: WR Al Toon (ankles), TE Billy Griggs (shoulder) are out; TE Mickey Shuler (hand-ribs), TE Keith Neubert (achilles) are questionable; G Dan Alexander (calf-ankle), G Mike Haight (ribs-calf), T Jeff Criswell (thigh) are probable. Bills: QB Jim Kelly (shoulder) is out; S Dwight Drane (thigh) is questionable; LB Ray Bentley (head) is probable.

PITTSBURGH AT HOUSTON — Steelers: QB Bubby Brister (knee), TE Mike Mularkey (knee) are out; G Terry Long (ankle) is doubtful; CB Rod Woodson (shoulder), LB A.J. Jenkins (shoulders) are questionable; T Tom Ricketts (ankle), WR Louis Lipps (hamstring), RB Tim Worley (elbow), DE Tim Johnson (ankle), RB Ray Wallace (knee) are probable. Oilers: S Kenny Johnson (back), RB Tracy Johnson (shoulder) are questionable; CB Richard Johnson (back), RB Mike Rozier (knee) are probable.

DALLAS AT KANSAS CITY — Cowboys: QB Troy Aikman (finger) is out; CB Ron Francis (,high) is doubtful; T Kevin Gogan (neck) is questionable; LB Ken Norton (knee), CB Robert Williams (knee), RB Darryl Clack (ankle) are probable. Chiefs: LB Mike Junkin (shoulder), DE Mike Bell (ankle) are questionable; LB Dino Hackett (ankle) is probable.

GREEN BAY AT MIAMI — Packers: S Chuck Cecil (hamstring) is doubtful; DB Mark Lee (knee), QB Don Majkowski (leg) are probable. Dolphins: CB William Judson (knee), T Ronnie Lee (ribs), NT Brian Sochia (groin), RB Sammie Smith (ankle) are probable.

LOS ANGELES RAIDERS AT PHILADELPHIA — Raiders: S Stefon Adams (hamstring) is doubtful; C Don Mosebar (knee), RB Steve Strachan (groin) are questionable. Eagles: WR Mike Quick (knee) is out; C Dave Alexander (ankle), LB Al Harris (flu), TE Keith Jackson (ankle), FB Anthony Toney (ankle) are questionable.

NEW ENGLAND AT SAN FRANCISCO — Patriots: RB Marvin Allen (foot), T Bruce Armstrong (neck), G Paul Fairchild (neck), WR Irving Fryar (knee), LB Tim Jordan (groin), WR Stanley Morgan (hamstring), RB Mosi Tatupu (ankle), T Danny Villa (arm) are questionable; RB Reggie Dupard (knee), CB Maurice Hurst (hamstring) are probable. 49ers: S Ronnie Lott (ankle) is questionable; DE Kevin Fagen (neck), QB Joe Montana (right elbow), DE Larry Roberts (knee), C Jessie Sapolu (ankle), CB Eric Wright (groin), QB Steve Young (left shoulder) are probable.

NEW YORK GIANTS AT SAN DIEGO — Giants: WR Stephen baker (ankle), T Damian Johnson (back) are questionable. Chargers: QB Jim McMahon (ankle-knee-left shoulder), WR Quinn Early (knee), TE Rod Bernstine (knee), WR-PR Dana Brinson (neck) are questionable; T Joel Patten (knee), T Brett Miller (neck), WR Darryl Usher (foot) are probable.

Monday

CHICAGO AT CLEVELAND — Bears: S Shaun Gayle (chest), DE Trace Armstrong (ankle), LB Mickey Pruitt (leg) are questionable; DE Richard Dent (leg), RB Brad Muster (back) are probable. Browns: CB Frank Minnifield (groin), RB Mike Oliphant (hamstring) are questionable; DE Robert Banks (knee), LB David Grayson (toe) are probable.

PGA Scores

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (AP) — Scores Thursday in the second round of the $800,000 Disney Classic played on the 6,967-yard, par 36-36—72 Palm Course, 7,190-yard, par 36-36—72 Magnolia Course, and 6,706-yard, par 36-36—72 Lake Buena Vista Course:

Tim Simpson	65-67—132
Ted Schulz	65-69—134
Roger Maltbie	71-63—134
Dave Rummells	66-68—134
Robert Wrenn	68-67—135
Fred Couples	70-65—135
Peter Jacobsen	69-66—135
Larry Silveira	66-69—135
Bill Britton	67-68—135
Kenny Knox	70-65—135
Paul Azinger	65-70—135
Bob Gilder	70-65—135
Gene Sauers	70-66—136
Loren Roberts	68-68—136
Lennie Clements	67-69—136
Larry Mize	69-67—136
Leonard Thompson	70-66—136
Brad Fabel	69-67—136
Donnie Hammond	72-65—137
Bruce Lietzke	69-68—137
Payne Stewart	67-70—137
Jay Haas	71-66—137
Mike Hulbert	68-69—137
Wayne Levi	69-68—137
Craig Stadler	68-69—137
Jim Gallagher	67-70—137
Billy Ray Brown	69-68—137
Corey Pavin	67-70—137
Chip Beck	70-67—137
David Edwards	67-70—137
Ed Fiori	68-70—138
Rocco Mediate	66-72—138
John Mahaffey	69-69—138
Bob Estes	67-71—138
Dick Mast	69-69—138
Curtis Strange	72-66—138
Bob Tway	61-77—138
Don Shirey	67-71—138
Lance Ten Broeck	67-71—138
Hubert Green	73-66—139
D.A. Weibring	67-72—139
Kenny Perry	73-66—139
Bob Eastwood	71-68—139
Davis Love III	69-70—139
Morris Hatalsky	73-66—139
Chris Perry	70-69—139
Buddy Gardner	68-71—139
Gregory Ladehoff	67-72—139
Phil Blackmar	69-70—139
Jim Benepe	69-70—139
Tom Byrum	69-71—140
Gil Morgan	69-71—140
Don Reese	68-72—140
Andy Bean	73-67—140
Joey Sindelar	73-67—140
Tom Sieckmann	71-69—140
Steve Pate	69-71—140
Dave Barr	72-68—140
Scott Simpson	69-71—140
Billy Mayfair	68-72—140
Brad Bryant	70-70—140
Billy Andrade	70-70—140
Lanny Wadkins	73-67—140
Lon Hinkle	73-67—140
Mike Donald	65-75—140
Bobby Wadkins	68-72—140
Don Pooley	72-69—141
Bobby Clampett	69-72—141
Larry Rinker	69-72—141
Fuzzy Zoeller	72-69—141
Russ Cochran	74-67—141
Tom Purtzer	68-73—141
Dan Forsman	72-69—141
Nick Price	72-69—141
Dave Eichelberger	70-71—141
Jim Hallet	72-69—141
Ronnie McCann	71-70—141
Hal Sutton	71-70—141
Duffy Waldorf	68-73—141
Keith Clearwater	71-71—142
Stan Utley	71-71—142
Tom Kite	73-69—142
Webb Heintzelman	71-71—142
Bill Buttner	70-72—142
Ed Humenik	71-71—142
Clark Burroughs	73-69—142
Larry Nelson	70-72—142
Bill Sander	69-73—142
Jay Don Blake	71-71—142
Richard Zokol	73-69—142
Scott Hoch	71-71—142
Mark Hayes	70-72—142
Mac O'Grady	72-70—142
Clarence Rose	70-72—142
Scott Verplank	70-73—143
George Burns	72-71—143
Mike Sullivan	68-75—143
David Ogrin	68-75—143
Andrew Magee	70-73—143
Mark Brooks	72-71—143

College Schedule

Saturday, Oct. 21

EAST

Lafayette (3-3) at Army (3-2)
Navy (1-4) at Boston College (1-4)
Rhode Island (2-4) at Boston U. (2-4)
Cornell (3-1) at Brown (0-5)
Yale (4-1) at Columbia (0-5)
Dartmouth (1-4) at Harvard (1-4)
Colgate (3-3) at Holy Cross (5-1)
Northeastern (3-3) at Lehigh (4-2)
Connecticut (4-2) at Maine (7-0)
Delaware (3-3) at Massachusetts (2-3-1)
Richmond (1-5) at New Hampshire (3-2)
Bucknell (2-3) at Penn (3-1)
Fordham (1-4) at Princeton (3-1-1)
Syracuse (2-3) at Rutgers (2-2-2)
William & Mary (4-1-1) at Villanova (4-2)
Cincinnati (1-4-1) at West Virginia (4-1-1)

SOUTH

Tennessee (5-0) vs. Alabama (5-0) at Birmingham
Prairie View (0-6) at Alabama St. (2-3-1), Night
Bethune-Cookman (3-3) at Albany, Ga. (2-4)
N. Carolina St. (6-0) at Clemson (5-2)
Morgan St. (3-3-1) at Delaware St. (4-2)
Marshall (4-2) at E. Kentucky (6-0), Night
Virginia Tech (3-2-1) at East Carolina (3-1-1)
New Mexico (1-6) at Florida (5-1)
Auburn (4-1) at Florida St. (4-2)
Wofford (3-4) at Furman (5-1)
Central Florida (4-2) at Georgia Southern (6-0)
North Carolina (1-5) at Georgia Tech (2-3)
Grambling St. (4-2) vs. Jackson St. (5-2) at Jackson, Miss., Night
VMI (0-6) at James Madison (3-2-1)
LSU (1-4) at Kentucky (3-2), Night
Towson St. (1-5) at Liberty (5-0)
Duke (3-3) at Maryland (2-5)
Stephen F. Austin (5-1) at McNeese St. (3-3), Night
Austin Peay (0-6) at Middle Tennessee (4-3)
Texas Southern (2-4-1) at Miss. Valley St. (1-5)
Memphis St. (2-4) at Mississippi St. (3-2), Night
Akron (4-3) at Murray St. (5-2)
Howard U. (4-2) at N. Carolina A&T (3-4)
NW Louisiana (4-2) vs. NE Louisiana (3-3) at Shreveport, La., Night
NE Louisiana (3-3) at NW Louisiana (4-2)
SW Texas St. (3-3) at Nicholls St. (1-5), Night
Florida A&M (3-3) at S. Carolina St. (2-4)
SW Louisiana (4-3) at S. Mississippi (3-4)
W. Carolina (3-2-1) at South Carolina (4-1-1)
Alcorn St. (4-1) at Southern U. (5-1), Night
Morehead St. (2-4) at Tennessee St. (2-5), Night
Citadel (4-1-1) at Tn.-Chattanooga (2-4), Night
Mississippi (4-2) at Tulane (2-4), Night
Georgia (2-3) at Vanderbilt (1-4)
Wake Forest (1-4-1) at Virginia (5-2)
Tennessee Tech (3-2) at W. Kentucky (4-3), Night

MIDWEST

W. Michigan (3-3) at Ball St. (3-2-1)
Youngstown St. (4-2) at Central Michigan (3-3)
W. Illinois (4-3) at E. Illinois (5-2)
Bowling Green (3-3) at E. Michigan (5-1-1), Night
Indiana St. (2-5) at Illinois St. (2-4)
Minnesota (4-1) at Indiana (3-2)
Michigan (4-1) at Iowa (3-2)
Oklahoma (4-2) at Iowa St. (3-3)
Missouri (1-5) at Kansas St. (1-5)
Illinois (4-1) at Michigan St. (2-3)
Nevada-Las Vegas (3-2) at N. Illinois (4-2)
Ferris St. (5-2) at N. Iowa (4-2)
Southern Cal (5-1) at Notre Dame (6-0)
Purdue (1-4) at Ohio St. (3-2)
Kent St. (0-7) at Ohio U. (0-6-1)
SW Missouri St. (6-1) at S. Illinois (1-6)
Miami, Ohio (0-5-1) at Toledo (2-4)
Northwestern (0-5) at Wisconsin (1-4)

SOUTHWEST

Texas (3-2) at Arkansas (5-0)
Louisiana Tech (2-3-1) at Arkansas St. (4-2), Night
Texas A&M (4-2) at Baylor (3-3)
Southern Meth. (1-4) at Houston (4-1)
Sam Houston St. (1-5) at North Texas (3-3), Night
Nebraska (6-0) at Oklahoma St. (2-4)
Air Force (6-1) at Texas Christian (3-3)
Rice (1-4-1) at Texas Tech (4-2)
Louisville (3-2) at Tulsa (4-3), Night

FAR WEST

Oregon (3-3) at Arizona St. (3-2-1), Night
Montana St. (3-4) at Boise St. (4-2), Night
Texas-El Paso (2-5) at Brigham Young (5-1)
Washington (3-3) at California (2-4)
Kansas (2-4) at Colorado (6-0)
Hawaii (5-1) at Colorado St. (2-4-1)
Fullerton St. (3-3-1) at Fresno St. (6-0), Night
E. Washington (3-2) at Idaho (5-2)
San Jose St. (2-3) at Long Beach St. (3-4)
Montana (5-2) at N. Arizona (2-4)
Weber St. (1-5) at Nevada-Reno (3-3)
Utah St. (1-5) at New Mexico St. (0-6)
UCLA (3-3) at Oregon St. (2-3-1)
Pacific U. (1-6) at San Diego St. (2-3-1), Night
Utah (2-5) at Stanford (1-5)
Arizona (4-2) at Washington St. (6-1)

Delco Lineup

ROCKINGHAM, N.C. (AP) — Top 20 positions Thursday after the first day of qualifying for this weekend's AC Delco 500 NASCAR race at the North Carolina Motor Speedway, with name, hometown, car make, and speed:

1. Alan Kulwicki, Greenfield, Wis., Ford, 148.624 miles per hour.
2. Darrell Waltrip, Franklin, Tenn., Chevrolet, 148.257.
3. Larry Pearson, Spartanburg, S.C., Buick, 147.999.
4. Bill Elliott, Dawsonville, Ga., Ford, 147.528.
5. Dale Earnhardt, Kannapolis, N.C., Chevrolet, 147.474.
6. Derrike Cope, Spanaway, Wash., Pontiac, 147.415.
7. Mark Martin, Batesville, Ark., Ford, 147.403.

Friday Schedule

Starting times (EDT) for Friday's major sporting events:

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

Montreal at Buffalo, 7:35 p.m.
Vancouver at New Jersey, 7:45 p.m.
New York Islanders at Washington, 8:05 p.m.
Chicago at Winnipeg, 8:35 p.m.
Boston at Edmonton, 9:35 p.m.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association Exhibition

Denver in McDonald's Open at Rome, Italy, tba
Washington vs. Chicago at Baltimore, 7:30 p.

CALVIN AND HOBBES

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

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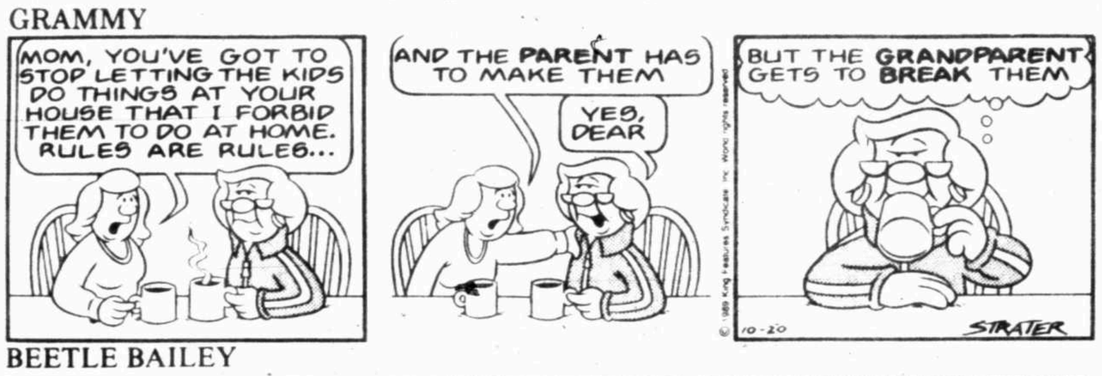

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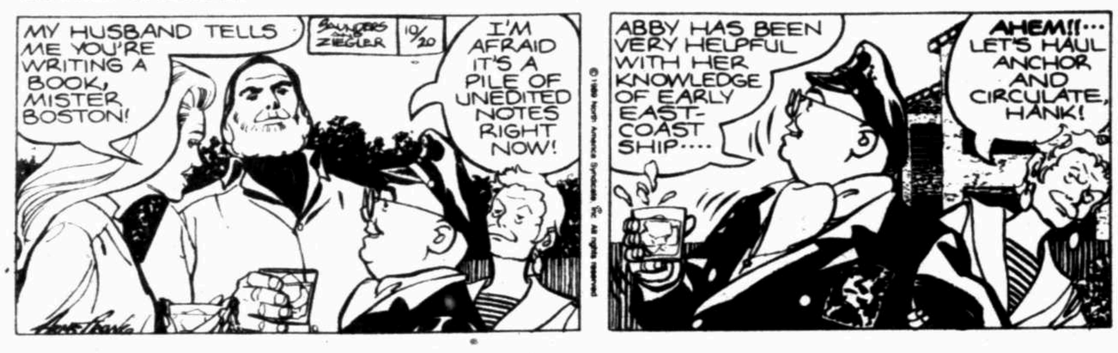

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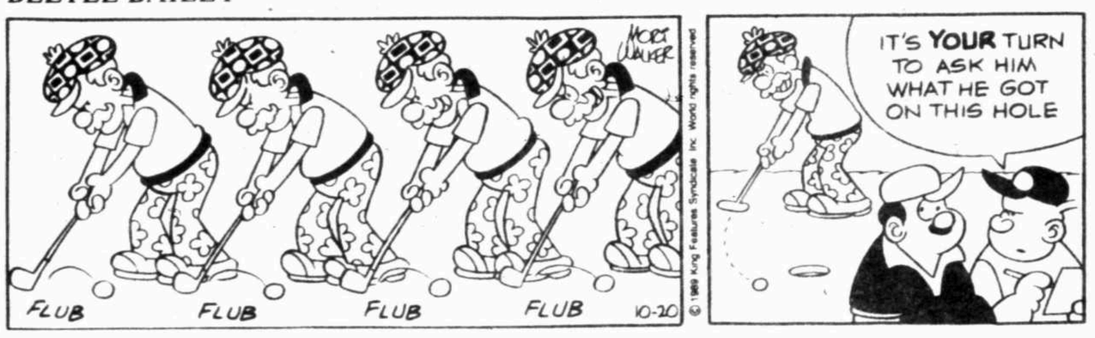

JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Find healthy ways to combat stress and your career will take off like a rocket. There is no reason to hide your feelings. March could bring a change in employment or residence. A different lifestyle raises new revelations. Your self-confidence zooms. Cast aside worn-out relationships next summer and concentrate on making new friends. A European trip will put you in touch with old pals. A long-held dream can be realized if you are persistent.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Carrie Fisher, pitcher Whitey Ford, football's Brian Piccolo, inventor Alfred Nobel, poet Samuel Coleridge.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You are in a wonderful position to advance your career interests. Business partners will bow to your decisions. Ask for loans or favors. A new relationship has you walking on air.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Health and work worries ease. Think twice before parting with old friends. Perhaps you need to change your attitude. Give your services to the needy. Experts help you assess your finances.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your private life could be getting out of hand. Do not let it intrude on your business affairs. End an old feud. Someone from abroad shows a flattering interest in you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Long-distance calls will save you time and money. Although your children could take up much of your time, your influence is valuable. A parent-child bond develops beautifully.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Do not abuse a privilege. Use common sense when faced with a financial dilemma. A relative may offer to lend you money without charging interest. Promise repayment in writing.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Friends may not take kindly to your suggestions. Stick to your own affairs. Original ideas receive a warm reception from higher-ups. A bonus is possible. Host a small celebration this evening.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Not a good day to put ambitious plans into action. If your friends seem overly sensitive, give them plenty of space. Seek the company of those who share your intellectual interests.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Be prepared for some opposition to your plans. Obligations must come before pleasure. Schedule quiet activities for your children. Take the initiative in organizing tonight's entertainment.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You will need to promote your strengths if job-hunting or trying to improve your investments. Emphasize diversity when making recreational plans. Suggest activities the whole family can do.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Distractions will make it difficult for you to fulfill a promise to a loved one. A budget revision averts a confrontation with mate. Romantic partner can be trusted to keep your secrets.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Working alone will prove more productive than being a part of a team today. Welcome an opportunity to take on additional responsibility. A raise or promotion could result. Bring accounts up to date.

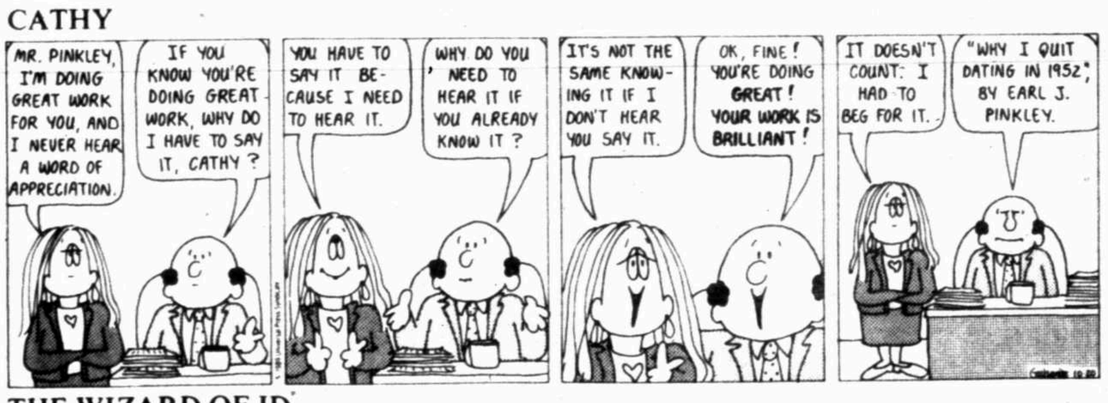
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Take frequent breaks if working on figures or a complex project. Large luxury items should be purchased only when on sale. Be thrifty. Use food coupons to help reduce your grocery bi. s.

PEANUTS

SHOE

ANDY CAPP

CATHY



THE WIZARD OF ID

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GOREN BRIDGE

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PLAY OR DEFEND?

North-South vulnerable. West deals.

	NORTH ♠ 10 9 8 6 ♡ 10 9 3 ◇ 8 6 3 ♣ 7 4 2	
WEST ♠ A K Q 5 2 ♡ 8 5 ◇ K Q 10 ♣ K 10 6		EAST ♠ 7 4 3 ♡ 4 ◇ J 9 5 4 2 ♣ J 9 8 5
	SOUTH ♠ J ♡ A K Q J 7 6 2 ◇ A 7 ♣ A Q 3	

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 NT	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	Pass	2 ◇	4 ♡
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: King of ♠

Take a look at all four hands. After the lead of the king of spades against four hearts and a shift to the king of diamonds, would you rather declare or defend four hearts?

At rubber bridge, South's decision to double one no trump is clear—take the sure profit. At duplicate he might have to chance four hearts because of the vulnerability. And there is no question about East's running to two diamonds—his hand is unlikely to take any tricks at no trump, but could take two or three at diamonds.

After West wins the king of spades and shifts to the king of diamonds, it might seem that declarer's only hope is the club finesse, which is destined to lose. But that overlooks the power of those intermediate cards in the major suits. As long as trumps are 2-1, declarer can't lose the contract.

Win the ace of diamonds and cross to dummy by overtaking the six of trumps with the nine. Now lead the ten of spades and discard your losing diamond. Suppose West wins the queen and tries the queen of diamonds. Ruff high, lead the seven of trumps to the ten, in the process drawing the last enemy trump, and run the nine of spades, sluffing your low club. That sets up the table's eight of spades and West is helpless. Since a club would be into your major tenace, West can do no better than play another diamond. You must again ruff high, then get to the board by overtaking your carefully-preserved two of trumps with the three. And the high eight of spades is your 10th and fulfilling trick.

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Post-garage sale scenario:

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GARFIELD

DENNIS THE MENACE

"IS IT THE FIRST THING IN THE MORNING YET?"

THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME

Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

CUEHAG

SLATA

TRISH

ONUVES

Pioneers took longer to get someplace than we who travel by air, but at least they knew where their --------- were.

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

3 UNSCRAMBLE FOR ANSWER

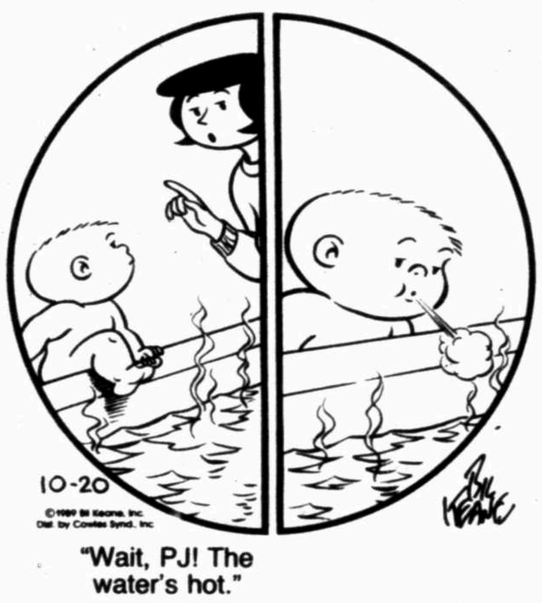
SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Gauche — Atlas — Shirt — Venous — SUITCASES

Pioneers took longer to get someplace than we who travel by air, but at least they knew where their SUITCASES were.

BLONDIE

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Wait, PJ! The water's hot."

DOONESBURY

Evening TV Schedule

FRIDAY OCTOBER 20, 1989

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (10) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (34) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	Trial by Jury	Chip 'n Dale	Batman	Munsters	Cristina	Chip 'n Dale	merica Champ-	Sq. 1 TV	Inside Golf
4:30	"	Growing Pains	People's Court	Jetsons	Batman	Good Times	"	Fun House	ionship	3-2-1 Contact	Tennis Mag.
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to	Hardcastle	B. Hillbillies	Los Ninos	Charles	Baseball's Hits	Sesame Street	Coach's Show
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Heaven	"	Andy Griffith	Noticiero	WKRP	SportsLook	"	Outdoor Mag.
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Our House	Jeffersons	Senora	Cheers	SportsCenter	Psychology	Pit Road Week
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Night Court	Current Affair	Andy Griffith	"	Sanford & Son	Rubi	Night Court	NFL's Greatest	McLaughlin	Fishing: Bass
7:00	Full House	Snoops	Baywatch	Hunter	Movie: "Be-	Movie: "The	Rebelde	The Thorn	NFL's Greatest	MacNeil/	Pro Boxing
7:30	Family	"	"	"	tween Two	Villain"	"	Birds	Moments	Lehrer	Tour
8:00	Strangers	Dallas	Hardball	Movie: "North	Women"	"	Dulce Desafio	"	Great Ameri-	Wash. Week	"
8:30	Just Ten of Us	"	"	Dallas Forty"	"	"	"	"	can Events	Wall St. Week	"
9:00	20/20	Falcon Crest	Mancuso FBI	"	700 Club	NWA Wres-	De Cine	News	Adventure:	Moyers Power	"
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PEOPLE

First lady stops off at 'Sesame Street'

NEW YORK (AP) — First lady **Barbara Bush** read to Big Bird and his friends Thursday during a taping of "Sesame Street."

"Hi — this is my friend, Mrs. Bush," the feathered star told his television audience.

"It's nice to see you again, Big Bird," replied the first lady, who had appeared onstage with Big Bird, his fellow Sesame Street character Maria, and **Marilyn Quayle**, the vice president's wife, during a children's party that was part of the inaugural festivities.

This time, Mrs. Bush's co-stars included Count von Count and five preschoolers from day care centers near the Children's Television Workshop studio in Manhattan.

The first lady, who frequently makes public appearances to promote literacy, read "Peter's Chair," by **Ezra Jack Keats**, to Big Bird and the children while the Count counted the pages. Big Bird explained that he had borrowed the book from the Sesame Street library.

"That's 15 wonderful storybook pages!" the Count proclaimed.

During the taping, 6-year-old **Bonnie Weiss** proudly placed her foot on the first lady's lap to show off her painted sneakers.

Afterward, four more children arrived for a later taping. Mrs. Bush invited all nine to pose with her for a picture.

No airing date has been chosen for the segment, said Elizabeth Martin, a spokeswoman for Children's Television Workshop. The award-winning Public Broadcasting Service show's 21st season begins Nov. 13.

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ATLANTA (AP) — Arista Records plans to record **Whitney Houston** and other big-name artists at a new recording studio that company officials hope will make Atlanta "the Motown of the South."

Houston

The studio will be part of a new label, LaFace, and will be run by **Antonio Reid** and **Kenny Edmonds**, Arista President Clive Davis said Thursday.

The pair, who have written or produced songs for artists such as **Paula Abdul, Bobby Brown** and **Sheena Easton**, recently moved to Atlanta from Los Angeles, Davis said.

In a memo to Arista employees in New York this week, Davis said Reid and Edmonds "will produce a limited number of outside projects — including, at my specific request, Whitney Houston."

Ms. Houston's first two LPs, "Whitney Houston" and "Whitney," have total sales of about $15 million.

"Atlanta is an easy place to come to, and this is a consideration when you're working with artists from all over the country and the world," Davis said.

Arista, owned by BMG Music, has reported gross sales of $120 million so far this year. BMG also owns RCA Records and the Jive recording label.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — More than 240 relatives of U.S. military personnel hitched a free ride with **Ronald** and **Nancy Reagan** on a jumbo jet carrying the former first couple to Tokyo.

The Reagans left Thursday on a trip to Japan aboard a TWA Boeing 747 chartered by the Fujisankei Communications Group, said Reagan spokesman Mark Weinberg.

"Nancy and I promised ourselves that if we ever had a chance to bring families together, we would," Reagan said in a statement. "When we learned we would have so many extra seats on the airplane being provided to us, we knew immediately what to do."

The people who accompanied the Reagans were visiting relatives based in the Orient.

The Reagans are expected to receive $1 million for several charitable and public appearances in Japan before returning Oct. 28.

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PITTSBURGH (AP) — Former **House Speaker Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill** says the Democrats in Congress who surrendered their ideals to Ronald Reagan's popularity are the same ones who pushed for a get-tough policy in Panama.

O'Neill

O'Neill said Democratic ideals have suffered this decade, adding: "I had so many Democrats run away from me, their promises and policies, mostly because they were frightened of Reagan's popularity."

He said he disagreed with those same Democrats who are criticizing **President Bush** for failing to intervene in the failed coup attempt against the Panamanian leader, **Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega**.

"I just think that Noriega is going to fall on himself. I'm glad we didn't send any troops in there," O'Neill said.

O'Neill, who left the U.S. House of Representatives in 1987, invited reporters to his hotel room late Wednesday after speaking before the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants' Pittsburgh chapter.

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ROGUE RIVER, Ore. (AP) — Former **President Jimmy Carter** and his wife, **Rosalynn**, are spending a four-day fishing trip on the Rogue River.

Dean Helfrich, an outfitter from the Springfield area, took the Carter party down the wild river in southern Oregon Thursday, said another outfitter, **Mel Norrick**.

"It's good for the area to have someone like that come here to go on the river," said Norrick, who guided then-Vice President **George Bush** on a one-day fishing trip on the Rogue in 1988.

"Carter fishes a lot," Norrick said. Carter previously fished the middle fork of the Salmon River in Idaho.

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LONDON (AP) — **Derek Jacobi**, whose stage roles have included a prince of Denmark, became a Danish knight in recognition of his achievements as an actor and director, especially his interpretations of Shakespeare.

Queen Margrethe II of Denmark authorized the knighthood for the actor, who played Hamlet at Elsinore in Denmark in 1979 and directed the play when he returned in 1988.

Danish Ambassador Rudolph Thorning-Petersen presented Jacobi with the Royal Order of Knight of the Dannebrog, First Class, at a reception Thursday.

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COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — **Bill Cosby** is helping South Carolina victims of Hurricane Hugo with a benefit concert in December.

Cosby

The University of South Carolina is underwriting the Dec. 1 show at the school's Carolina Coliseum.

Cosby volunteered because of his "close friendship" with the university, the school's president, **James Holderman**, said Wednesday. Cosby is waiving his artist's fee and expenses.

Cosby was awarded an honorary doctor of humane letters degree from the university in 1986, when he gave the commencement address.

About 10,000 seats will be available for the concert. Tickets go on sale Monday and will cost $10 and $15.

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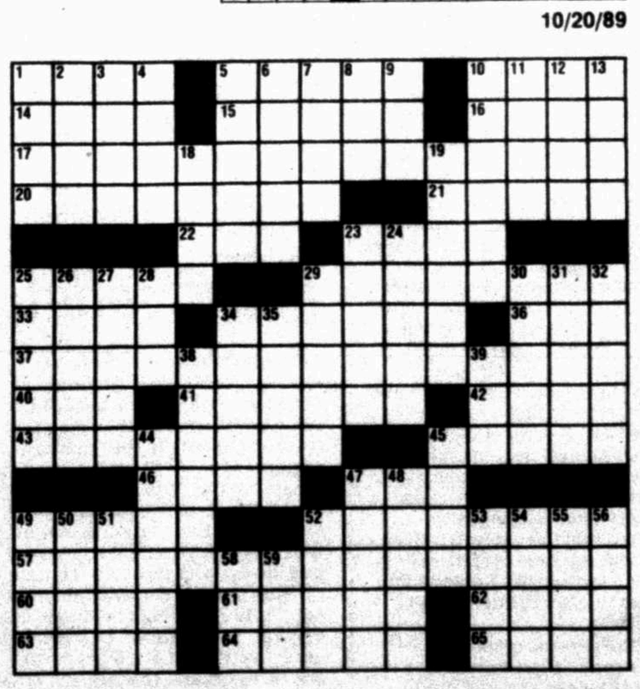

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BUSINESS/OIL

No increase in drilling prices seen

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

There are still too many rigs chasing too few jobs, and drilling prices are not likely to increase in the near term says a marketing official for a major drill bit manufacturer.

Mike Crowhurst, supervisor of Market Research and Analysis and a co-author of the 1989 Rig Census, recently published in *World Oil* magazine, says despite a decline in the rig inventory for the past seven years there is still just not enough work to support surviving contractors.

In Midland to address the Permian Basin Chapter of the International Association of Drilling Contractors, the Houston-based executive noted that more rigs would have to be removed from the inventory before drilling rates improved, and suggested that drilling contractors might could do that voluntarily.

He pointed out, however, that there was still a substantial decline in the inventory through rig cannibalization, noting that there was a 55 percent increase in 1989 of the number of rigs cannibalized for components and iron.

Crowhurst, who begins his cenus-taking in March of each year, said the Permian Basin remained one of the most competitive areas for drilling contractors.

"It may be because the Permian Basin was such a hot bed for drilling during the boom, that the shake out has taken longer," said Crowhurst. In the Reed Rig Census, the statistician lists 67 stacked rigs in West Texas. But he is optimistic for the area because of natural gas demand. "Natural gas has become the fuel of choice, and demand for it will certainly affect the demand for rigs to drill for gas prospects." He said areas such as the Permian Basin with plenty of natural gas potential could become more active.

He said 210 rigs were removed from the rotary fleet in the past year bringing the national rotary inventory of available rigs to 2,542 but added that bids were sought on only 2,106 rigs, leaving a gap between demand and availability. An available rig is defined as one that could be put back in the field with a $50,000 or less capital investment.

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Mayor Thomas and members of the Midland Chamber of Commerce M Squad help Chevron celebrate the changing of the Gulf station at Wadley and Midland Drive to Chevron.

Chevron 'signs off' on Gulf signs

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Midland Mayor Carroll Thomas cut a ribbon Thursday that marked the passing of one era in the oil industry and the beginning of another.

The big orange disk of Gulf Oil Co. is now relegated to history — joining Humble, Cosden, Magnolia, Sinclair and other by-gone brands in that big sign yard in the sky.

Throughout Midland, the Permian Basin and Texas, Gulf signs are being replaced with Chevron signs and colors, completing the final phase of the 1984 merger between the two giant oil companies.

At a ceremony marking the sign change and finalization of the merger, Mayor Thomas declared October 19, 1989 as Chevron Day in Midland. "We are proud to have Chevron's West Texas marketing, oil and gas and pipeline operations headquartered in Midland," he said.

Chevron currently has 1,200 employees in Midland and approximately 1,900 retired employees.

About 2,000 service stations in Texas are expected to complete the switch before the end of the year, according to Jim Limbacher, West Texas marketing manager for Chevron.

About 90 service stations in the West Texas area will be converted from Gulf to Chevron, resulting in $1.5 million being pumped into the area economy through upgrading, remodeling, painting and signage projects.

Approximately $50 million will be spent introducing the Chevron brand at 3,000 Gulf stations in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and New Mexico.

The changeover from Gulf to Chevron would have been completed several years ago, according to Limbacher, but Chevron was in the process of deciding upon a new decor and color scheme and waited until that was finalized before making the switch.

Pending rule could hurt Texas banks

WASHINGTON (AP) — A pending federal banking rule could hit Southwest institutions especially hard, forcing them to close before they've exhausted their capital.

About 20 Texas banks now considered solvent would be deemed broke and targeted for closing under the new regulation from the U.S. Comptroller of the Currency, administrator of national banks. Those institutions no longer could prop themselves up solely with loan-loss reserves, money set aside to cover bad loans, The Dallas Morning News reported.

Banks instead must retain equity capital under the rule change, expected to take force by the end of November.

"We're really moving into an era where equity capital is the most important," said comptroller Robert L. Clarke.

The change could prove significant for BancTexas Dallas, the lead bank of Dallas-based BancTexas Group Inc. With assets of $450 million, BancTexas Dallas ranks as the largest of the Texas institutions that would be considered insolvent with the rule change, according to June 30 data filed with federal regulators.

Managers of BancTexas, the first of the state's large holding companies rescued with government assistance, have already acknowledged the company needs additional federal help. BancTexas has continued to suffer losses after its 1987 bailout because the company retained its bad loans.

The company also holds significant loan-loss reserves that had kept its lead bank above water.

The pending rule change may signal a deadline for the company to secure additional aid before the government moves to close the bank and sell it to new investors. Outside

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Geological symposium draws 326

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Fisher

Over 325 geologists from the Permian Basin and around the nation were officially registered for the West Texas Geological Society symposium on "subtle traps," according to Marie Bellomy, executive director of WTGS.

The symposium which winds down today, focused on finding and defining small and subtle hydrocarbon traps in a mature area.

Dr. W.L. "Bill" Fisher, director of Economic Geology of the University of Texas and keynote speaker for today's session, said that Webster's definition of subtle was, "hard to understand and difficult to define."

"I think that is a pretty fair description of geological traps," said Fisher.

He said that America still had a substantial reserve base in oil and gas, but that it was a different type of reserve base than in previous years. Fisher, who once served as Assistant Secretary for Minerals in the Department of Interior, said new additions to the reserve base would be in smaller increments and by increased efficiency.

Fisher noted that if America was to find more subtle traps and recover more oil it would require that all present technology be maintained and expanded.

Federal Energy Regulatory Commissioner Jerry Langdon was keynote speaker Thursday and told the geologists that now was the time to start exploring for and developing natural gas to meet the demands of the 1990s.

In the two-day sysposium, 31 papers and presentations on a variety of technology and methods for finding subtle traps in mature areas such as the Permian Basin were discussed.

Texas environmentalists sue Exxon

HOUSTON (AP) — Representatives of Exxon Corp. have been slapped with an $11 million slander suit by an environmentalist who said the petroleum firm has lied about discharges into the Houston Ship Channel.

Rick Abraham, organizer of Bay-CAP and executive director of Texans United — both environmental groups, told Houston Chronicle reporters last summer that Exxon was discharging water with heavy metals and petroleum hydrocarbon content into an outfall canal leading to the ship channel.

But a later article quoted Exxon representatives as saying Abraham took his water samples from an untreated holding pond on Exxon property and that he trespassed to get the sample.

Abraham, who joined Texans United in filing the suit Thursday, claims Exxon officials lied about the discharges and cast aspersions about his veracity.

"We feel strongly that Exxon is discharging hazardous waste into the ship channel ... and they're not telling the truth about it," said George Farenthold, a Texans United board member. "They're using the ship channel as their private sewer system."

Farenthold and Abraham said analyses of the initial samples showed a 37 percent petroleum hydrocarbon content. Texans United has taken subsequent samples and prompted the Texas Water Commission to take samples for further analyses and investigation. Results of those analyses are pending with the TWC.

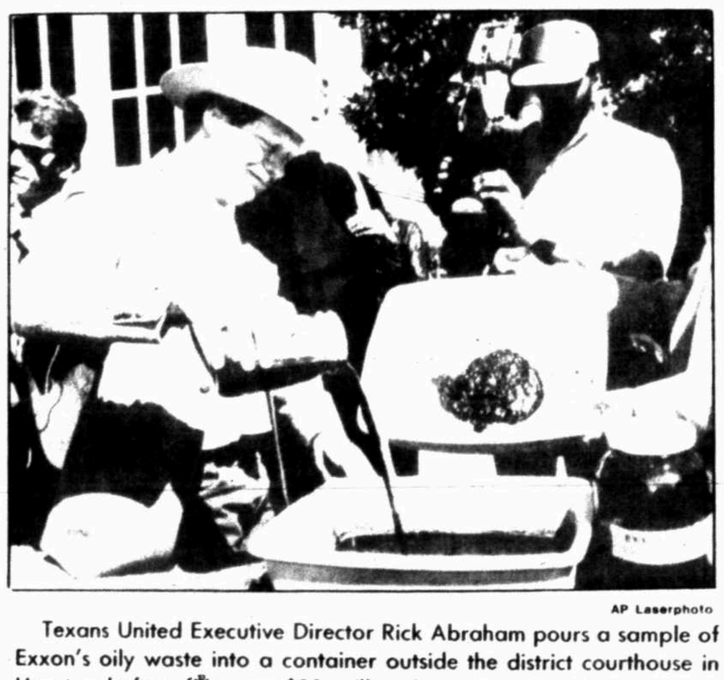
"Exxon has mounted a malicious campaign against Rick Abraham and Texans United," said attorney Terrill L. Flenniken, who filed the suit.

"We filed the suit to show that a big corporation has to be held accountable just as each individual member of our society has to held accountable," he said.

Exxon officials released a statement saying the company has not done anything wrong and will fight the lawsuit.

The suit seeks $500,000 for Abraham and $500,000 for Texans United in actual damages and another $10 million in exemplary damages. Flenniken said Exxon's alleged efforts to discredit Abraham were designed to hurt fund raising efforts by the organization.

In announcing the suit, Farenthold joined Abraham in dumping out new samples of oily sludge they said were taken from sediments just outside Exxon's outfall canal at the Baytown plants.



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Texans United Executive Director Rick Abraham pours a sample of Exxon's oily waste into a container outside the district courthouse in Houston before filing an $11 million lawsuit against the company.

FDIC selling $428 million of real estate

DALLAS (AP) — Proceeds from sales of residential, commercial, industrial, retail and vacant land from insolvent thrifts will help pay for the federal bailout of the industry, say regulators.

Sale of the $428 million parcel of property, obtained through bailouts of S&Ls in five states, is one of the federal government's largest real estate deals, officials said Thursday.

"This block is for sale in one package," said L. William Seidman, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. Of the 150 properties, 82 are in Texas and the rest are in California, Colorado, Arizona and Florida.

"If we can't sell it in one package, of course we'll break it up and sell it in pieces," said Seidman during a speech to Dallas real estate and financial executives.

"We'd like to have you take a look at it. We'll be selling it, as always, at current market appraisal, not below."

The properties are part of the $2.7 billion in assets managed by the Federal Asset Disposition Association, which is being dissolved under legislation rescuing the savings and loan industry.

The FDIC had also received considerable interest in the FADA organization, which is being sold separately through sealed bids due Oct. 31, said Seidman.

He said the Resolution Trust Corp., the agency created to supervise the thrift bailout, will take over an additional 300 insolvent S&Ls this year. That will give it control of more than 600 institutions and more than $350 billion in deposits.

Separately, Seidman said the $50 billion Congress provided to rescue the thrift industry may be enough if losses continue to decline at the current rapid rate.

Seidman has earlier indicated Congress may have to appropriate more money.

"I certainly cannot guarantee that 50 (billion dollars) is enough," he said. "But there are some encouraging trends. The first S&Ls that were

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MARKETS

Oil prices dip slightly

From Staff and Wire Reports

Crude oil futures prices dropped 8 cents per barrel this morning to rest at $20.34 for West Texas Intermediate Crude.

On Thursday, oil futures prices ended mostly higher, boosted in part by strength in the heating oil market.

Energy prices were unaffected for the second day by the devastating San Francisco Bay earthquake. Most gasoline pipelines closed after the quake hit on Tuesday were reopened by late Wednesday and refineries were reported operating at or near normal.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, the November contract for domestic heating oil rose 0.29 cent to finish at 60.89 cents a gallon, after dipping 0.45 cent in the previous session.

"I like the way heating oil came back today," said James Steel, analyst with Refco Inc. "It could be partly because there is a bigger shortage in Europe than we realize."

Colder weather in many parts of the country also helped prices, traders said.

Wholesale unleaded gasoline for November delivery closed 0.07 cent higher at 54.65 cents a gallon after a 1.26 cent decline on Wednesday.

Prices of West Texas Intermediate crude were mostly higher with the exception of the November contract, which closed down 14 cents at $20.42 a barrel. The contract for December delivery settled 17 cents higher at $20.42 and January finished at $20.18, up 22 cents.

Projections of higher fourth-quarter demand by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' technical committee had no immediate impact on the market, traders said.

The OPEC committee projected that worldwide demand for OPEC oil would increase by 600,000 barrels a day to 23.1 million barrels in the final quarter of 1989 from the estimated 22.5 million barrels that the cartel is now producing.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $20.34
- Thursday's Close $20.40
- Previous Close $20.55
- One Year Ago $14.60

W.T. SOUR

- Thursday's Close $18.45
- Previous Close $18.65
- One Year Ago $13.00

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $19.75
- Previous Week $19.25
- One Year Ago $13.00

Dull trading defines cash markets

LONDON (AP) — The dollar was mixed in listless European trading at midmorning today. Gold prices were lower in dull dealings.

Foreign exchange dealers predicted a quiet day for the dollar in the absence of new economic indicators and after recent volatility on currency and stock markets.

"Technically, the dollar is looking overbought," one analyst in Milan said. "We'll probably see some corrective action in that as people reposition themselves before the weekend."

In Tokyo, where trading ends before Europe's business day begins, the dollar closed at 141.35 yen, down 0.20 yen from Thursday's close of 141.55 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at a higher rate of 141.76 yen.

In London, the dollar gained against the British pound. It cost $1.5930 to buy one pound, cheaper than $1.5940 late Thursday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $366.90 a troy ounce, down from late Thursday's $367.75. At midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a later recommended price of $366.70 dollars.

In Zurich, the bid price was $367, down from $368.20 late Thursday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell $1.49 to close at a bid $367.40. Silver was quoted in London at a bid price of $5.09 a troy ounce, unchanged from late Thursday.

EXCHANGE RATES

- 1.8460 West German marks
- 1.6180 Swiss francs
- 6.2702 French francs
- 2.0833 Dutch guilders
- 1,359.25 Italian lire
- 1.1742 Canadian dollars

Good news extends market recovery

NEW YORK (AP) — Better-than-expected inflation news helped send stock prices broadly higher Thursday, extending the market's recovery from last week's "Friday the 13th massacre" and marking the second anniversary of its 1987 crash in style.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials gained 39.55 points to 2,683.20.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by about 7 to 2 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 1,235 up, 355 down and 379 unchanged.

After taking a 190.58-point tumble last Friday for its second-largest point loss on record, the Dow Jones industrial average has rebounded 113.94 points over this week's first four sessions.

Thursday's jump came exactly two years after the Dow industrials plummeted 508 points in the infamous Black Monday crash that rocked markets worldwide.

The market got an extra lift Thursday morning when the Labor Department reported that the consumer price index rose just 0.2 percent in September.

The increase was about half of what had been expected

MARKET IN BRIEF

NYSE issues consolidated trading
October 19, 1989

Volume in shares
224,951,560

Issues traded
1969

Up
1235
Unchanged
379
Down
355

NYSE Index
192.17 Up 2.85

S&P Composite
347.13 Up 5.37

Dow Jones Industrials
2,683.20 Up 39.55

AP

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Social Security benefits climb 4.7 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's 38.9 million Social Security beneficiaries can count on a 4.7 percent benefit increase in January that will boost the average retired worker's pension by $25 a month, the government said.

The annual cost-of-living adjustment, the biggest in 7½ years, will increase the typical benefit check to $566 a month, the Social Security Administration said Thursday.

For someone who retires at age 65 in 1990, the maximum monthly benefit will be $975, up from $899 this year.

Restructuring includes sale of retail group

LONDON (AP) — BAT Industries PLC shareholders overwhelmingly approved a major restructuring that includes the sale of the conglomerate's U.S. retailing businesses and is aimed at thwarting a $21 billion hostile takeover.

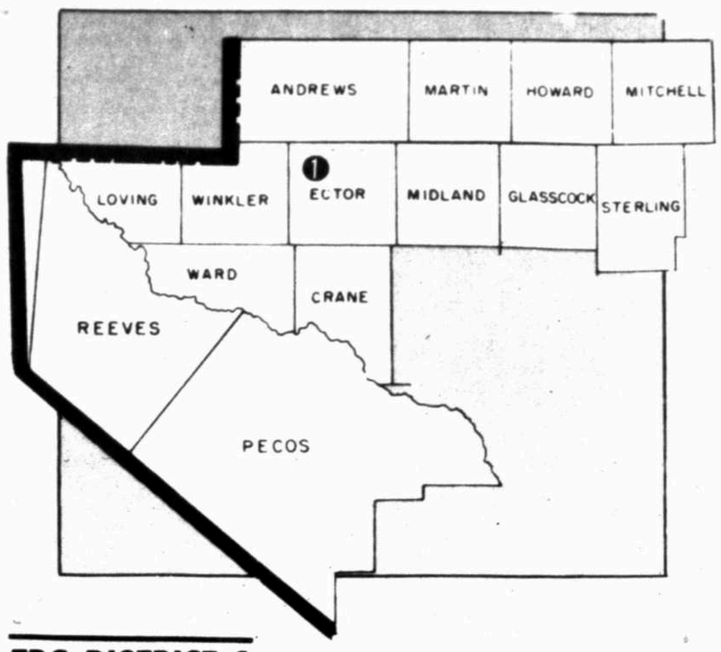
Among shares voting Thursday for the restructuring, in which BAT hopes to bolster its stock value by concentrating on its tobacco and financial interests, were those controlled by the takeover group led by Anglo-French financier Sir James Goldsmith.

AT&T posts 19 percent earnings gain

NEW YORK (AP) — American Telephone & Telegraph Co. has announced a 19 percent gain in third-quarter earnings and announced incentives that could lead 5,000 to 15,000 managers to take early retirement.

AT&T outperformed its Bell offspring, which reported diverging results Thursday.

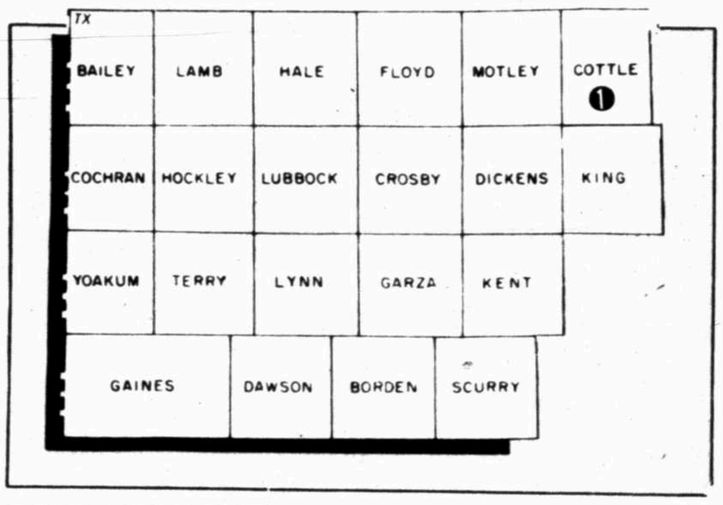
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **1. ECTOR DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** An 11,000 ft. wildcat is set for Ector County, five miles southwest of Notrees.

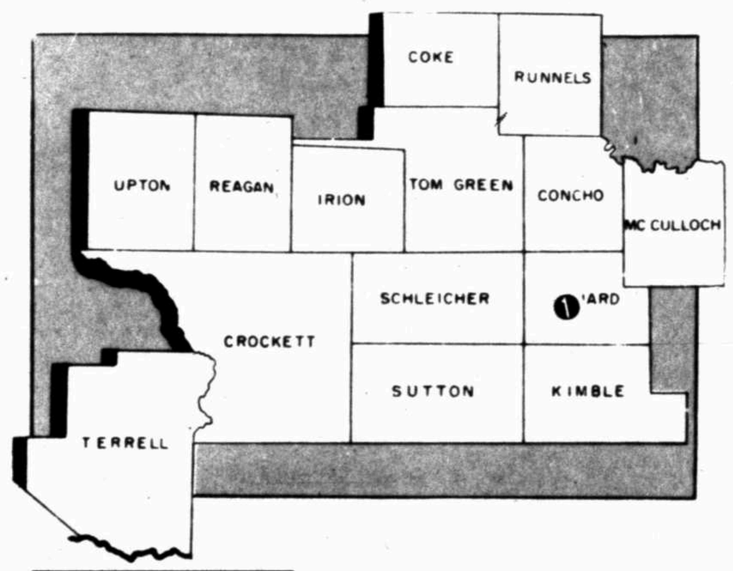
Trend Exploration Co., Midland, has staked the No. 2301 Amburgey 2,173 ft. from north and 1,495 ft. from west lines of Section 23, Block 45, T-1-S, T&P survey.



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. COTTLE PROSPECT EYED.** Gunn Oil Co., Wichita Falls, has applied to drill a 4,800 ft. prospect in Cottle County, 4.5 miles southwest of Paducah.

The No. 1 Detwiler is 660 ft. from north and 1,400 ft. from west lines of Section 4, AB&M survey.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. MENARD TEST STAKED.** A 2,500 ft. test has been staked in Menard County, 5/8-mile northwest of a 1,675 ft. dry hole, 1-7/8 mile northwest of production in the Clear Creek field, 11 miles west of Menard.

SRG Oil Corp., Abilene, will drill the No. 1 Espy 1,750 ft. from north and 1,150 ft. fromwest lines of Section 1659, Jacob Laffere survey, Abst. 513.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

MITCHELL COUNTY

Westbrook

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 702 North Westbrook Unit; 660 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 2, blk 29, T-1-N, T&P, 4 n Westbtook, TD 3150. Plugged 6/27/89. Oil well.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

UPTON COUNTY

Crossett South (Detrital)

Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 21 Midcross Devonian Unit; 1900 fnwl, 2004 fnel, sec 59, blk 35, H&TC, 4 sw McCamey, TD 5467. Completed 1957. Plugged 9/25/89. Oil well.

RULE

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bidders, including Hibernia Corp. of New Orleans, have expressed interest in acquiring BancTexas with aid from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

BancTexas officials said their application for additional aid remains before the FDIC and declined to make further comment.

Regulators also sometimes allow large institutions to continue operating if management appears able to raise new capital.

In the past year, bank and thrift regulators have moved to require a minimum of equity capital for financial institutions — particularly after the huge losses racked up by the nation's savings and loans.

Many thrifts continued to operate after exhausting their owners' equity — and multiplied their losses as the managers began gambling with riskier investments.

"It's important that a bank's owners have some of their own money at stake," Clarke said.

The comptroller first proposed the rule change early this year as a type of early intervention for the government. He also argued that banks rarely recover once they have exhausted their equity.

Texas state regulators also have a policy of closing banks once their equity is gone, said Stephen Scurlock, deputy Texas banking commissioner.

"Loan-loss reserves do absolutely nothing to protect the interests of depositors," he said.

The federal rule change will give the government additional flexibility, but Scurlock said he expected no wave of additional closings.

"The FDIC really has all it can handle right now," he said.

International talks on capital requirements for financial institutions also singled out loan-loss reserves as a weak source of protections, said William Taylor, director of supervision at the Federal Reserve.

FDIC

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taken over were showing a loss of 35 to 40 percent of assets. The more recent ones we've taken over are running 20-25 percent of assets.

"If that trend should continue so that the later entries are at 10 or 15 percent of assets as a percentage of loss, then given what we know now, the 50 probably will be in good shape.

"But there's no way anyone can tell at this moment," said Seidman.

He said the RTC eventually will have to return $65 billion to $70 billion of repossessed real estate into private hands.

"I don't think it will be sold in the five years that the RTC is mandated to sell it. It's going to be a factor in the market over the next decade," Seidman told reporters after his speech.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

■ **FINA STAKES FIVE IN MITCHELL FIELD.** Fina Oil & Chemical Co., Midland, plans to add five wells to the Westbrook field of Mitchell County. All five are in the Westbrook Southeast Unit, Block 28, T-1-N, T&P survey, three miles northwest of Westbrook. Contract depth is 3,300 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

CRANE COUNTY

Peak Victor (Devonian)

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 1 Dawson "76"; 467 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 76, blk X-4, GC&SF, 7 s Crane, PD 5800.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Ltd. No. 1 Scharbauer "Y"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, League 324, Labor 20, LaSalle CSL, 18 w Lenorah, PD 9750.

Parker & Parsley Ltd. No. 1 Dove "D"; 660 fsl, 660 fwl, Labor 21, League 328, LaSalle CSL, 14 sw Lenorah, PD 9600.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Ltd. No. 1 Logan "B"; 2030 fsl, 1930 fel, sec 33, blk 38, T-1-S, T&P, 1 e Midland, PD 9450.

STERLING COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 33-7 Pfluger "A"; 840 fnl, 1060 fel, sec 33, blk 7, H&TC, 13 sw Sterling City, PD 8500.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

TERRY COUNTY

Slaughter (Clearfork)

Crump Petroleum Corp. No. 1-B DeVitt; 1787 fnl, 2173 fwl, sec 4, blk D-11, J.H. Gibson, 16 nw Brownfield, PD 6000.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

RUNNELS COUNTY

Dick Richardson (Palo Pinto)

Jack Franklin No. 4-A Erna Huffhines; 2281.3 fsl, 3120.3 fel, Robert Clever survey 521, 3 s Winters, PD 4500. Plugback from Gardner formation.

SUTTON COUNTY

Sawyer (Canyon)

Grover-McKinney Oil Co. No. 3083 Adah Cauthron; 1848 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 83, blk B, HE&WT, 1.5 ne Sonora, PD 6000.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Mabee

Texaco Producing Inc. No. 576 J.E. Mabee "A" NCT-1; 6003 fnl, 13,134 fwl, sec 32, blk 40, T-2-N, G&MMB&A, 22 se Andrews, Elev. 2901, TD 4745, PB 4742. Completed 10/4/89. Potentialed 10/7/89, pumping 137 bopd, 22 Mcfd, 118 bwpd, 32 API. GOR 160:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4745. Perforations 4681 to 4733. Acid: 5000 gals. 28 percent HCL. Formation top: San Andres 4627. Top of pay 4681.

Means

J. Cleo Thompson No. 6011 West Means Grayburg San Andres Unit; 1330 fnl, 4700 fel, sec 7, blk A-35, PSL, 14 n Andrews, Elev. 3172, TD 4608. Completed 10/4/89. Potentialed 10/9/89, pumping 31 bopd, 35 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4607. Perforations 4410 to 4561. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1860, Yates 2920, Grayburg 4327, San Andres 4506. Top of pay 4410.

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (5600)

Phillips Petroleym Co. No. 168 Clyde Cowden; 1170 fwl, 6757 fnl, sec 23, blk 44, T-1-S, T&P, 3.5 s Goldsmith, Elev. 3107, TD 6700, PB 6647. Completed 3/7/89. Potentialed 10/7/89, pumping 62 bopd, 135 Mcfd, 202 bwpd, 34.2 API. GOR 2182:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6691. Perforations 5336 to 6186. Acid: 15,500 gals. Frac: 15,000 gal. gel, 174,500 lbs. 16/30 sand. Formation tops: Rustler 1402, Yates 2653, San Andres 3918, Clearfork 5347, Lower Clearfork 6000, Wichita Albany 6353. Top of pay 5336.

MARTIN COUNTY

Mabee

Texaco Producing Inc. No. 574 J.E. Mabee "A" NCT-1; 1996 fnl, 69 fel, sec 18, blk 39, T-2-N, G&MMB&A, 24 nw Stanton, Elev. 2876, TD 4748, PB 4745. Completed 10/4/89. Potentialed 10/7/89, pumping 110 bopd, 14 Mcfd, 91 bwpd, 32 API. GOR 127:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4748. Perforations 4658 to 4740. Acid: 5800 gals. HCL. Formation top: San Andres 4644. Top of pay 4658.

WARD COUNTY

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900)

Western Reserves Oil Co. No. 1 Thornton "98"; 660 fnel, 660 fnwl, sec 98, blk 34, H&TC, Abst. 1250, 4 sw Pyote, Elev. 2608, TD 7175, PB 7030. Completed 10/11/89. Potentialed 10/16/89, pumping 66 bopd, 70 Mcfd, 325 bwpd, 41 API. GOR 1061:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7189. Perforations 6641 to 6748. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 38,000 gals. gel, 120,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Lamar Shale 4994, Ramsey Sand 5046, Cherry Canyon 5852. Top of pay 6641.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

COCHRAN COUNTY

Levelland

ExxonCorp. No. 342 West Levelland Unit; 330 fnl, 1270 fel, Labor 21, League 62, Midland CSL, 2 w Whiteface, TD 4993. Pumping 5 bopd, 64 bwpd, 32.5 API. GOR 635:1. Perforations 4842 to 4893.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland

Exxon Corp. No. 325 West Levelland Unit; 490 fsl, 750 fel, Labor 2, League 65, Midland CSL, 11.5 w Levelland, TD 4987. Pumping 1 bopd, 137 bwpd, 32.5 API. GOR 2860:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4982. Perforations 4834 to 4886.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ozona Southwest (Strawn)

Harrison Interests Ltd. No. 3 Vada Bean; 1320 fnl, 1320 fwl, sec 14, blk M, GC&SF, Abst. 4607, 14 sw Ozona, TD 9566, PB 9418. CAOF 10.7 Mmcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9465.39. Perforations 9180 to 9346. Acid: 12,000 gals.

Felmont signs agreement to sell oil, gas business

SAN FRANCISCO (SWN) — Homestake Mining Co. Thursday announced that its wholly-owned Felmont Oil Corp. subsidiary has signed an agreement to sell Felmont's oil and gas business to a wholly-owned subsidiary of Torch Energy Advisors, Inc. of Houston for approximately $100 million.

The sale is part of Homestake's previously announced plan to exit from the oil and gas business. The sale does not include the Allegany State Park Gas Storage Field in New York, which Felmont also intends to sell.

Harry M. Conger, chairman and chief executive officer, said the proposed sale is expected to close by year-end resulting in an after-tax gain of approximately $26 million and net cash proceeds of approximately $80 million. The proceeds of this sale will enable Homestake to concentrate on its core mining, processing and exploration activities.

Conger said Homestake will retain those Felmont interests correlating to Homestake's core activities. These include a one quarter interest in the Round Mountain gold mine in Nevada and a 16.7 percent interest in the previously announced major sulphur discovery at Main Pass 299 in the Gulf of Mexico.

Homestake acquired Felmont in 1984 by issuing $24.1 million shares of stock, taking into account subsequent stock splits. Effective with the first quarter of 1989, Homestake has accounted for its oil and gas interests as discontinued operations.

Felmont is an independent oil and gas producer, operating primarily offshore in the Gulf of Mexico. The company is also involved in oil and gas activities in the western United States, the Permian Basin of West Texas and Southeastern New Mexico, the Powder River Basin in Wyoming, and the Williston Basin of North Dakota and Montana. Felmont also has operations in Canada.

Homestake Mining Co. is one of North America's largest gold producers, with an output projected to exceed one million ounces in 1989.

Homestake owns and operates three U.S. gold mines, the original Homestake mine in South Dakota, the McLaughlin mine in Northern California and the Wood Gulch mine in Nevada. In addition, Homestake holds significant interests in the Round Mountain mine in Nevada, and the Mineral Hill mine in Montana.

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Majors announce earnings

Associated Press

Amoco Corp. posted a 39 percent drop in third-quarter profit due partly to lower refining earnings and an $80 million charge for environmental programs, the company said Thursday.

Schlumberger Ltd., meanwhile, reported its third-quarter profit rose nearly 2 percent as oilfield earnings offset a decrease in interest income.

And Ashland Oil Inc. said an after-tax charge of $78 million in the fourth quarter will result in a net loss for the period and significantly lower results for the year.

Chicago-based Amoco said its third-quarter earnings tumbled to $336 million, or 65 cents a share, from $552 million, or $1.07 a share, in the year-earlier period. Revenue climbed 12 percent to $6.6 billion, from $5.9 billion a year ago.

Amoco's nine-month earnings declined 24 percent to $1.3 billion, or $2.50 a share, from $1.7 billion, or $3.28 a share, in the same 1988 period. The oil company's revenue, meanwhile, climbed 12 percent to $19.9 billion from $17.7 billion in 1988.

For the three-month period ended Sept. 30, New York-based Schlumberger said its net income totaled $114.2 million, or 48 cents a share, compared with $112.2 million, or 42 cents a share, in the same 1988 quarter.

Revenue totaled $1.12 billion, down 6 percent from $1.18 billion a year ago.

Amoco Chairman Richard M. Morrow said an $80 million charge to "increase provisions for future costs of refining and marketing environmental programs" helped reduce third-quarter results.

Also contributing to the third-quarter decline were lower production earnings overseas — $12 million compared with $95 million in the 1988 third period — and lower U.S. refining, marketing and transportation income — $134 million vs. $319 million a year ago.

In addition, higher interest income and operating costs offset the favorable effects of higher crude oil prices and increased natural gas and crude oil production, Amoco said.

Schlumberger's income in the first nine months fell 9.5 percent to $323.4 million, or $1.36 a share, from $357.2 million, or $1.32 a share, in the comparable 1988 period. Revenue declined 5 percent to $3.48 billion from $3.68 billion.

Schlumberger Chairman Euan Baird said the company experienced growth in its oilfield services unit in the third period despite a 9 percent decline in the average number of active rigs worldwide. That helped offset a decrease in interest income stemming from a $1.2 billion stock buyback in 1988.

The nine-month figures include a gain of $13 million, or 5 cents a share, from the sale of a defense systems unit and a $22 million extraordinary gain from an award by the Iran-U.S. Claims Tribunal. The award stemmed from a claim filed by Schlumberger over oilfield equipment left in Iran a decade earlier when many U.S. companies evacuated the country due to political turmoil and the rescinding of oil exploration agreements.

Ashland, based in Ashland, Ky., said its fourth-quarter charges include $38 million from a previously announced $325 million settlement with the National Iranian Oil Co., a $15 million charge from the planned sale of Ashland's Technology Corp. subsidiary and a $25 million charge stemming from costs to correct performance problems at its Riley Consolidated subsidiary.

The out-of-court settlement with Iran involved claims for oil that had not been paid for a decade ago when Iran rescinded exploration agreements with Ashland as well as other U.S. oil companies.

Ashland said it plans to announce its results next week. In last year's fourth quarter, the company had net income of $66 million, or $1.19 a share, on revenue of $2.2 billion. For the 1988 fiscal year, it had net income of $224 million, or $4.01, a share, on revenue of $8.2 billion.

DRILL

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The census concludes that the number of active working rigs slipped 5.7 percent to 1,444, but that utilization improved only by one percent in 1989, up from 56 percent in 1988.

While there is still a surplus of rigs in the market, Crowhurst says there is not surplus of drill pipe or roughnecks.

"We have enough competent crews to man about 1,000 rigs nationwide, and we could probably put 1,100 to work for several months, but after that the industry would have to put green crews in the field."

As for drill pipe he says there is enough to meet demand this year and most of next year, but after that the industry will once again see a shortage of drill pipe.

"It's difficult to tell how much drill pipe is really out there, because contractors tend to stash it away in various places, but drill pipe has become a concern to the industry."

Beaumont bank closed by Feds

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal regulators closed a Beaumont bank and approved assumption of its assets by another institution.

The sole office of Beaumont Bank — National Association will not reopen, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. said. The FDIC approved assumption of its deposits and secured liabilities by Texas Commerce Bank — Beaumont, N.A.

The bank failure Thursday was the 117th in Texas this year, in addition to one assistance transaction. Nationwide, 171 banks have been closed.

About 2,900 customers at the latest failed bank automatically become depositors in Texas Commerce, which has purchased assets of 10 such institutions in the past three years.

Texas Commerce purchased about $23 million in deposits of the failed bank after it was closed by the U.S. Comptroller of the Currency. The FDIC had been named receiver.

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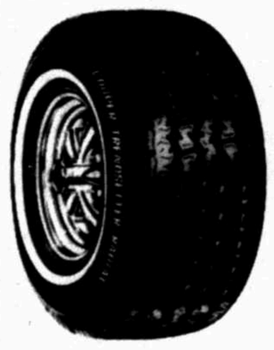
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AEIPw	2.40	10 672	30½	+ ⅛
AmExp	.84	15 3883	37⅝	+ ⅛
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C—C

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CentEn	1.60	337	18⅜	+ ⅛
CenSoW	2.60	10 211	35⅜	
CnlPS	1.80	10 42	23¼	+ ⅛
Chmpln	1.10	7 1730	32	— ¼
ChartC	.05e	5 92	4⅜	
Chase	2.36	2425	39⅜	— ⅛
ChmBnk	2.72	1108	35⅜	— ½
Chevrn	2.80	17 8359	65⅜	— ½
ChrisCr	1.56t	52 125	36⅜	+ ½
Chryslr	1.20	4 1677	23⅛	— ⅛
CircleK	14j	88 343	5⅛	— ¼
CirCty	s.08	16 779	25½	+ ⅛
Citicorp	1.62	6 9070	31⅜	— ⅛
ClarkE		13 105	38⅜	— ¼
Clorox	1.24	16 696	42⅝	— 1
Coastal	.40	15 406	43⅛	
CocaCl	1.36	21 3033	70⅛	— ¼
ColgP	1.80	13 1796	63⅜	— ⅛
ColGas	2	18 x1150	45¼	+ ⅛
Cmdcn	1	551	28⅛	
Comdre		5 1097	d 7⅛	— ⅛
CmwE	3	11 914	37⅛	
Comsat	1.32	10 232	36⅜	— ⅛
ConEd	s1.72	10 546	24⅝	— ⅛
ConsNG	1.76	23 159	45⅜	— ⅛
Conrail	1.20	10 1034	43⅜	+ ⅛
ConStor		13 254	5	+ ⅛
Contel	s1.10	22 1087	34	— ⅛
CntlCp	2.60	417	33⅜	— ⅛
CrData		51	18⅛	— ⅛
Cooper	s1	14 327	34⅜	— ⅛
Cornln	s.80	15 1782	39⅜	+ ⅛
CrayRs		10 421	36⅛	— ⅛
CwnCrk		14 95	49⅛	— ⅛
CumEn	2.20	49	52⅛	— ⅛

D—D

DPL	2.24	10 1237	v28⅜	+ ⅛
DQE	1.28	11 145	22⅜	— ⅛
DanaCp	1.60	9 289	34⅜	— ½
DataGn		556	14⅛	
DaytHd	1.12	16 455	63	+ ¼
Deere	1.40	12 889	57⅜	— ⅛
DeltaAr	1.20a	7 906	69⅛	— ⅛
DetEd	1.68	744	23⅛	— ⅛
Digital		10 2729	88½	— 1¼
Disney	.48	27 2450	123¾	— ⅛
DomRs	3.20	11 200	43	— ⅛
Dover	.72	15 708	33	— ⅛
DowCh	3.90	7 2123	97⅞	+ ⅛
DowCh	wi	6	65¾	+ ⅛
DowJns	.72	16 267	34⅜	— ⅛
Dresr	1	18 661	41⅞	— ⅛
duPont	4.20	11 2096	115⅝	— ⅛
DukeP	3.12	13 394	51⅜	— ⅛

E—E

ERC		11 212	11⅜	+ ⅛
EastEn	1.40	13 283	31¼	+ ⅛
EKodak	2	15 4329	45⅜	+ ⅛
Eaton	2	9 536	60	— ⅛
Echlin	.70	14 206	14⅜	— ⅛
EmrsEl	1.12	14 1164	35½	— ⅛
Enron	2.48	31 77	52	— ⅛
Enrsrch	.80	86	22⅜	— ⅛
Entergy	1	10 3125	21½	
Ethyl	48b	14 740	25⅝	+ ⅛
Exxon	2.40	15 5417	45½	— ⅛

Over the counter

Quotations from the NASD are representative interdealer prices as of approximately 11 a.m. Interdealer markups change through the day. Prices do not include retail markups, markdown or commission.

(This OTC is compiled by Shearson-Lehman Hutton.)

	B	A
ALTE	1⅛	2¼
Arch	⅝	¾
Blyvoors	2⅜	2½
Coors	21⅝	21⅞
Cyprus Minerals	29¼	29⅝
Dawson Geophysical	5	5¼
Flare, Inc	⅛	¼
Forest Oil Corp	15⅜	15½
Oceaneering Intl	8⅜	8½
Parallel Petroleum	¼	⅜
Production Oper	12⅜	12⅝
Tom Brown, Inc	5½	5⅝
Tucker Drilling	5⅜	5½
Texas Van Guard	¼	⅜
Union Texas	16⅜	16⅝
Vaal Reefs	7⅜	7¾
Welkom Gold	5⅜	5½
Western Deep Levels	31⅜	32¼
Exploration Co	⅛	¼

B-Bid
A-Asked

Additional Listings

The following lists of New York and American stock exchange listings are not reported in the Reporter-Telegram's regular daily postings for the exchanges.
(This list is compiled by Rauscher Pierce Securities Corp.)

New York

	LS	PC
Adobe Resrce- ADR	11⅜	11⅝
ADBA	---	19
ADBB	20⅜	20⅝
Burlington Resrce BR	46¼	46½
Cameron Iron Works	23¼	23⅜
Coastal States	43⅛	43½
Datapoint Corp	5⅛	5⅜
Elcor	10⅜	10½
First Mississippi	14⅜	14⅝
Fluor Corp	33⅜	33⅝
Helmrich & Payne	28⅜	28⅝
Baker Hughes Tool	23	23
Luby's	25⅛	25⅜
Mesa Royalty Trust	44⅞	45
Murphy Oil Corp	40⅜	40½
Noble Affiliates	13⅜	13⅝
First City	36⅜	36⅝
Parker Drilling	7	8⅛
Pennzoil	79⅛	79⅝
PepsiCo	60⅜	60⅝
Pogo Producing	8⅛	8½
Plains	33⅛	33⅜
NCNB	50⅜	50⅝
Rowan Co	9	9
Sabine Royalty	13⅜	13⅝
Schlumberger, Ltd	44	43⅜
Smith International	12⅜	12⅝
ORYX	39⅜	39⅝
Tandy Corp	45⅝	45⅞
Texaco	52⅜	52
Tidewater	12⅜	12
Tosco	20⅛	20⅜
Western Co	8	8
Zapata Corp	2⅛	2⅜

American

	LS	PC
Adobe Coal	---	2⅜
Houston Oil&Mineral	1⅛	1⅜
Permian Corp.	4⅜	4⅝
Ohio Edison	22	21⅝
Battle Mt. Gold	15	14⅜
Regal International	.16	.16
Parker & Parsley Dev	---	14½
Intelogic Trace	---	2⅜
Dillards	69⅜	69⅝

LS-Last Sale
PC-Previous Closing

F—F

FMC		10 98	41⅜	— 1⅛
FPL Gp	2.28	10 424	33	+ ⅛
Fairfd		60 6	6	— ⅛
Fedders	.40	11 392	13⅛	
FdNM	s.56	16 5789	43	+ ⅛
FnSBar		62 1	—	⅛
FtBkSy	1.64	1551	18⅜	— ⅛
FCapMd		6 630	11⅜	— ⅛
FstChic	1.80	8 541	42⅛	— ⅛
Flntste	3	27 1165	56⅜	— 1⅛
FstPa		14 131	16⅛	— ⅛
FtWch	s1.52	11 76	41	
FleetEn	.76	9 95	25⅛	— ⅛
FlghtSf	.20	28 82	u47	+ ⅛
FlaPrg	2.56	10 52	37⅛	— ¼
FlwrGen		36 4	4⅜	
Fluor	.16	26 511	33½	— ⅛
FordM	3	5 2511	49½	— ¼
FrptMc	1.50a	9 452	30⅛	— ⅛

G—G

GTE	2.92	16 4666	64⅜	— ⅛
Gannett	1.08	17 3205	40⅜	— ⅛
GenCrp	.60	16 164	17¼	— ⅛
Genetch		258 897	20⅜	
GnDyn	1	6 124	54⅛	— ⅛
GenEl	1.64	13 6491	56⅜	— ¼
GnHous	.24	14 5	9⅜	— ⅛
Gninst	.50	13 1671	38⅛	— ¼
GnMills	2.20	18 317	70	— ⅛
GnMotr	s3	6 3794	45¼	— ⅛
GM E	.96	16 96	54⅜	+ ⅛
GPU	2.20	9 486	43	— ⅛
GnSgnl	1.80	20 120	51⅜	— ⅛
Genaco		9 160	8⅛	— ⅛
GaPac	1.40	8 1503	56⅛	— 1⅜
GrbPd	s	19 259	47⅛	— ⅛
GibrFn		25 9-32		
Gillette	.96	17 1697	45⅞	+ ⅛
Glaxo	1.02e	16 1022	22⅛	— ⅛
GldNug		109	27⅞	— ⅛
GldWF	s.16	12 927	29⅜	— ⅛
Gdrich	.2	7 403	47⅛	— ⅛
Goodyr	1.80	12 1489	48½	— 1
Grace	1.40	14 2617	31⅜	
GtAtPc	.70	16 376	58⅛	+ ⅛
GtNNk	1.32	6 1918	38	— 1
GtWFn	.80	12 4419	21⅞	+ ⅛
Greyh	1.32	12 800	31⅜	— ⅛
Grumn	1	8 328	19⅛	— ⅛
GHSfUt		63 1522	12½	

H—H

Halbtn	1	50 1425	38⅛	— ⅛
Harlnd	.68	16 256	23⅛	
Harley		11 199	38⅛	+ ⅛
Harris	.96	67 305	37	— ⅛
HecloM	.05e	263 382	13⅛	— ⅛
Heinz	1.68	18 883	62⅜	— ⅛
Herculs	2.24	18 433	46¾	— ⅛
Hrshey	.78	15 542	35¼	
HewlPk	.42	14 2808	49¾	— ½
Holiday		26 7039	74⅛	+ 1⅛
Hmstke	.20	27 544	15⅜	— ⅛
Honwell	2.75	681	80⅛	— 1⅜
Hotlinv	1	170	8½	— ⅛
Housint	2.14b	9 443	56⅛	+ ⅛
Houlnd	2.96	11 239	34⅛	
Human	1.04	15 521	38½	— ⅛

I—I

IRT	s1.16	19 6	13⅛	+ ⅛
ITT Cp	1.48	10 3024	59	— ⅛
IdaPw	1.86	12 5162	26⅜	+ ⅛
IdeolB		370	2⅛	— ⅛
IllPowr	1.32j	489	17	— ⅛
ITW	.60	14 336	42⅛	
ICI	4.68e	7 889	76	— ⅛
ICA		118	2⅛	
INCO	.80a	4 322	31⅜	— ⅛
IngerRd	1.20	14 652	45⅜	— ⅛
InldStl	1.40	6 1245	d35⅜	— ⅛
Instlke	s	4 85	14⅛	
IBM	4.84	11 7087	103⅜	— ⅛
IntFlav	1.92	18 461	63⅜	— ⅛
IntMin	1	14 392	50½	— ⅛
IntPap	1.48	7 3606	115⅛	— ⅛
Ipalco	1.72	10 331	24⅛	+ ⅛

J—J

JRiver	.60	10 432	28⅛	— ⅛
JohnJn	s1.16	18 2638	55¼	+ ⅛
JohnIn	s.50i	7 24	11⅛	— ⅛
Josten	.64	19 242	26⅛	+ ⅛

K—K

K mart	1.64	9 2299	35⅛	— ⅛
Kaneb		312	5⅜	— ⅛
KCSou	1.08	28	49⅜	— ⅛
KanGE	1.60	12 20	22⅛	— ⅛
KansPL	1.76	11 41	23⅜	
Katyln		15 15	22⅞	+ ⅛
Kellogg	1.72	18 1128	70¼	— ⅛
KerrMc	1.32	15 562	48	— ⅛
KimbCl	2.60	14 372	67⅜	— ⅛
KnghtR	1.22	12 91	52¼	— ⅛
Kroger		1241	16⅛	— ⅛

L—L

LTV		140	1⅜	
Learnl	.48	13 5	16½	+ ⅛
LeaEnt	.68	19 53	31½	— ⅛
Lehmn	1.31e	148	13⅜	
Lilly	s1.35	21 1999	63⅞	— ⅛
LinchNtl	2.48	19 108	56¼	+ ⅛
Litton		12 53	86½	— ⅛
Lockhhd	1.80	16 638	44¼	— ⅛
Loews	1	10 1687	127	— ⅛
LnStar	1.90	14 221	28⅛	— ⅛
LtlCo	1	530	18⅜	
LaLand	1	116	38⅛	— ⅛
LaPac	1	9 324	41	— ⅛
Lukens	1.20	7 115	31	+ ⅛

M—M

MCA	.68	23 1193	63¼	— ⅛
MDU	1.42	10 6	20½	+ ⅛
MfrHan	3.28	580	40⅜	— ⅛
Manville		59	9⅜	— ⅛
Mapco	s1	12 395	35	— ¼
Marriot	.24	17 1550	36⅜	+ ⅛
MartM	1.35	8 588	51¼	— ¼
Masco	.52	13 4897	26	+ ⅛
Maxus		877	9⅛	— ⅛
MayDS	1.42	12 645	45⅜	— ⅛
Maytag	90a	13 894	20⅜	— ⅛
McDerl	1	193	22⅜	— ⅛
McDnl	s.31	17 4163	30¼	+ ⅛
McDnD	2.82	15 241	68¼	+ ⅛
McGrHl	2	16 1443	67⅜	— ⅛
McKes	1.44	15 130	36½	— ⅛
Mead	.88	10 2022	36¾	— ⅛
Mellon	1.40b	7 872	31⅛	+ ⅛
Melvill	s1.30	15 640	50¾	— ⅛
MercSt	.92	11 165	44⅛	— ⅛
Merck	1.80	21 4328	76⅜	— ⅛
Merlyn	1	15 1087	28⅜	
MWE	1.60	11 11	19⅜	+ ⅛
MMM	2.60	14 2368	73⅜	+ ⅛
MinnPL	1.78	11 68	25¼	+ ⅛
Mobil	2.60	13 3204	57⅜	— ⅛
Monsan	3.40	13 872	119¼	— ⅛
MonPw	2.76	12 57	39	— ⅛
Morgan	1.66	2235	43	— ⅛
Motorla	.76	16 1801	58½	— ⅛

N—N

NCNB	1.20	13 1645	50¾	— ⅛
NCR	1.32	11 1573	59	+ ⅛
NIPSCO	.84	11 824	17⅞	
NL Ind	n.60	9 669	22¾	— ⅛
Nalco	1.32	16 893	44⅜	+ ⅛
NatFGs	1.34	13 42	23⅜	+ ⅛
Nll		166	15⅜	— ⅛
NtSemi		1047	7⅛	— ¼
Navistr		7 1296	4⅛	+ ⅛
NavPw	1.56	12 13	22¼	— ⅛
NEngEl	2.04	12 124	25½	
NwtMg	.60	41 810	36⅞	— ⅛
NiaMP	60j	200 746	14	— ⅛
NflkSo	1.44	10 1168	36½	+ ⅛
Nortek	10a	29	7¼	— ⅛
NoestUt	1.76b	10 248	21¼	— ⅛
NoStPw	2.22	11 207	35½	— ⅛
Nortrp	1.20	301	20¾	— ⅛
Norton	2	13 135	55⅛	
Nrwst	s.82	9 522	22½	— ⅛
Nynex	4.36	13 1488	80¼	— ⅛

O—O

OccilPet	2.50	29 2075	28⅝	+ ⅛
OhioEd	1.96	15 315	21⅜	
OklaGE	2.38	12 543	35⅝	— ⅛
Olin	2	11 137	59¼	— ⅛
ONEOK	95e	24 660	27⅛	
Oryx	1.20	444	39	— ⅛
OwensC		6 552	27¼	— ⅛
Oxford	.50	12 13	12⅜	

P—Q

PHM	12	7 15	16⅜	
PPG	1.52	9 849	40¼	— ⅛
PSI	.60e	9 443	16⅜	— ⅛
PacEnt	3.48	15 562	49¾	— ¼
PacGE	1.40	11 2700	20	
PacTel	1.88	16 3342	45⅛	— ⅛
Pacifcp	2.76	12 1448	41½	+ ⅛
PanAm		1219	3⅛	
PanEC	2	395	27	
ParCom	.70	18 2973	57⅜	— ⅛
Patten	12	6 46	2⅜	— ¼
Penney	2.24	11 843	65¾	— ⅛
PaPL	2.86	11 268	40½	— ¼
Pennzol	3	13 342	78⅛	— ⅛
PepBoy	.11	17 575	11¾	— ⅛
PepsiCo	1.	18 2589	60¾	+ ⅛
PerkEl	.68	148	25⅛	— ⅛
Pfizer	2.20	16 1405	67⅞	— ⅛
PhelpD	3a	4 2091	68	— ⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	10 719	22½	
PhilMr	s1.37	17 12589	44¼	— ¼
Philpin	.60	14 233	23¼	— ⅛
PhilPet	1	8 6853	24¼	— ⅛
Phlcorp		6 7	13⅜	
PinWst	1.60	6583	11	— ⅛
PitnyBw	1.04	16 1208	49½	— ¼
Pittstn	.20	19 84	18½	— ⅛
PlcrD	g.30	1688	15¾	+ ¼
Polaroid	.60	38 812	45½	— 1
PortGC	1.96	11 469	23¼	+ ⅛
Primco	.28	8 1018	29¼	— ½
ProctG	3.60	18 2506	128	
ProcG	wi	37	64⅜	
PSvrCol	2	13 606	24⅜	— ⅛
PSEG	2.04	10 641	26¼	+ ⅛
PugetP	1.76	10 x225	20¼	— ⅛
Qantel		65	7-16	— 1-16
QuakrO	1.40	25 244	62¾	+ ⅛
QuakSC	.80	23 175	15	
Quantm	3	2 1605	d30¾	— 1⅛
Questar	1.88	28 5	37⅛	+ ⅛

R—R

RLC	20b	8 23	8	
RalsPur	1.65	12 220	85¼	— ½
Ramad		3164	10½	+ ⅛
RangrO		51 2342	6¼	— ⅛
Raythn	2.20	11 597	83¼	+ ⅛
RdgB	wi	51	1½	
ReyMtl	1.80	6 1730	53⅜	— ⅛
RiteAid	.82	17 194	39¾	+ ⅛
Robins		15 126	34	
Rockwl	.78	8 532	23⅜	— ⅛
RoHaas	1.20	11 695	33¼	— ⅛
Rohr		13 580	25	— ⅛
Rorer	.80	21 2438	43	+ 1⅛
Rowan		215	9	
RoyID	s3.36e	6 2494	68⅛	— ⅛
Ryder	.60	12 5905	22¾	+ ⅛

S—S

SCEcp	2.56	10 657	35⅜	
SPSTec	1.20	21 10	33	+ ⅛
SFePCp		1148	20⅛	— ⅛
SaraLee	1.44	17 605	60⅛	
SCANA	2.46	11 47	32⅜	
SchrPlg	1.80	19 812	74⅝	— ⅛
Schlmb	1.20	27 1587	43¼	
ScottP	.80	9 2036	47⅝	+ ⅛
Seagrm	1.40	13 523	85	— 1
Sears	2	13 3200	40⅛	
SecPac	2.28	8 843	46	— ⅛
Shell'T	s2.25e	10 872	41¾	— ¼
Shrwin	.70	13 242	32⅜	
Skyline	.48	13 164	14⅝	+ ⅛
SmthBc		87	42⅞	— ⅛
SmrB	eq	1963	38⅛	— ⅛
Sonat	2	18 276	43⅛	
SonyCp	.27e	34 87	61⅛	— ⅛
SouthCo	2.14	9 1733	27	
SwBell	2.60	16 1097	57	— ⅛
SwtPS	2.20	12 12	28⅛	— ⅛
SquarD	2	11 228	51⅜	— ⅛
SunCo	1.80	32 365	39¾	— ⅛
Syntex	1.50	17 1659	44⅜	— ⅛
Sysco	s.20	22 550	26¾	— ⅛

T—T

TECO	1.52	12 682	26⅜	— ⅛
TRW	1.72a	11 1103	47⅛	— ⅛
TacBr		100 282	1	+ ⅛
Talley	.50	6 20	11⅛	— ⅛
Tandem		23 2455	25½	— ⅛
Tandy	.60	12 878	45⅛	— ⅛
Tndycft		12 15	15⅜	+ ⅛
TchSym		30 23	11	
Tektrnx	.60	28 277	18	— ⅛
Teldyn	4	13 65	352⅞	+ 1⅛
Tennco	3.04	20 1645	60	— ½
Tesoro		2	9⅜	
Texaco	3a	11 4822	52⅜	+ ⅛
TexInst	.72	9 872	35⅜	— ⅛
TxPac	.40	64 72	42⅛	+ ⅛
TexUtil	2.92	8 585	33⅜	+ ⅛
Textron	1	8 458	25⅝	— ⅛
TimeW	1	28 2112	136⅜	— ⅛
TmMir	1	15 1027	38⅛	+ ⅛
Timken	.92	11 691	31⅜	— ⅛
Tokhem	.56	24 140	21	+ ⅛
Tosco	s.60	15 811	20	— ⅛
Transm	1.92	9 2159	43⅜	
Transco	1.36	338	44⅛	— ⅛
Travler	2.40	10 1365	40⅜	— ⅛
TriCon	2.11	9	24⅛	
Tribune	.88	18 497	53⅜	— ⅛
Trinova	.68	23 418	24⅜	— ⅛
TucsEP	1.60	5 669	20	— ⅛

U—U

UAL	Cp10	11537	166¼	— 23⅛
UGI	2.25	13 19	38	— ¼
UNCInc		7 48	7	
USFG	2.80	11 1103	30⅜	+ ⅛
USG		3 1757	d 3	— ⅛
USX	1.40	10 3995	34⅛	— ⅛
UCarb	1	4 2764	24⅜	— ⅛
UnElec	2.08	11 137	26½	— ⅛
UnPac	2.20	13 546	75⅜	+ ⅛
Unisys	1	11 3253	18¼	+ ⅛
UBrand	.20	11 4	16⅜	— ⅛
USWest	3.76	12 712	70¾	— ⅛
UnTech	1.60	11 1082	54⅛	— ⅛
UniTel	2	31 1991	79¼	+ ⅛
Unocal	1.40	14 986	53⅜	— ⅛
Unocal	wi	9	27	— ¼
Upjohn	1	19 4277	39⅛	— ⅛
USLIFE	1.40	11 107	44¼	— ⅛

V—V

Varian	.26	9 106	23⅜	— ⅛
Varity		11 880	2¼	— ⅛

W—W

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Congressman wants seafood tested in mandatory program

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Kika de la Garza is asking the country to swallow — hook, line and sinker — his F.I.S.H. Act.

F.I.S.H is his proposed Federal Inspection for Seafood Healthfulness Act of 1989, and while he admits people may chuckle at the bill's title, the circumstances that led to its introduction are no joke.

De la Garza, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, fears growing consumption of fish and shellfish will be accompanied by an increase in foodborne illnesses associated with seafood, though federal statistics do not reflect such a trend.

Red meat and poultry are inspected by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, but seafood is the only flesh sold in the United States that is not subject to comprehensive and rigorous mandatory safety inspection by the federal government.

As a result, seafood safety checks are "spotty at best," de la Garza said.

And recent food safety scares, including the dangers of consuming apples treated with the pesticide Alar, have taught people the need to be more vigilant about the safety of their food supply, said the South Texas Democrat.

His legislation would require the USDA to establish mandatory inspections for all seafood, whether harvested wild or farm-raised, including testing of seafood tissue samples for exposure to toxins.

The measure also would require monitoring of waters where seafood is harvested, registration of all fishing vessels except small craft, and seafood processing facilities.

Foreign countries, which provide more than 60 percent of seafood consumed in the United States, would have to meet or exceed U.S. inspection standards in order to export their products to the states.

Similar seafood inspection measures are being considered by the House Energy and Commerce Committee and in the Senate.

Ellen Haas, executive director of Public Voice for Food and Health Policy, approves of de la Garza's efforts, although her Washington-based organization favors similar legislation by Rep. Dan Glickman, D-Kan.

Glickman's Consumer Seafood Safety Act would split responsibility between the USDA and the Food and Drug Administration, which now inspects seafood.

Ms. Haas said Glickman's bill has tougher consumer protection provisions, including certification of fishing vessels, random unannounced inspections of processing plants and transporters, federal limits on chemical and microbiological toxin levels, industry record-keeping so that contaminated fish can be traced back to their source, stepped-up import inspections, and criminal and civil penalties against violators.

Though de la Garza contends seafood-related illnesses are on the rise, the Food and Drug Administration maintains there's no evidence of that.

"Consumption may increasing, but we don't see a proportional increase in seafood-borne illness," said Douglas Archer, microbiology director of the FDA's center for food safety and applied nutrition.

Archer said seafood is safe to eat and current laws are strong and effective in protecting public health. He discounts claims the seafood inspection system is, as he mockingly put it, "in such bad shape that it needs a major overall."

Nonetheless, the National Fisheries Institute Inc. supports mandatory seafood inspections, in part because consumers are showing more concern about food safety in general and the effects of pollution.

And as seafood suppliers use species that previously weren't marketed much, additional safety questions might arise, the institute said.

Per capita consumption of seafood has grown more than 20 percent in six years, according to the institute, a trade association of 1,000 companies.

While the institute supports de la Garza's measure, Texas officials have doubts about it.

Richard Thompson, director of the Texas Health Department's division of shellfish sanitation control, said Congress should take the money it would spend on a new federal program and give it to states to boost their existing seafood inspections.

Texas' seafood inspection program could be expanded, Thompson said, and he agrees more uniformity is needed in inspection standards nationwide.

But he believes states need the flexibility to tailor programs to their own environments, whether for Texas oysters or salmon in the Pacific Northwest.

"I would rather see states as a group sit down and adopt guidelines and standards, rather than one single agency establish standards that we all have to comply with," Thompson said.

Most seafood, Thompson said, is "hunted in the wild and we have no idea, no knowledge of where that fish was an hour ago, a day ago, a month ago. As it goes through the processing plant, there's no way to answer all the concerns about the contaminants we're worried about.

"An inspection program isn't going to answer those questions," he said.

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President tours San Francisco area

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP) — President Bush arrived today for a first-hand view of the earthquake-ravaged San Francisco Bay area and a top official said the federal government would take on "a very, very major role in helping California."

The president went immediately into a private briefing with local officials before his scheduled tour of some of the hardest hit areas, including a two-deck highway in Oakland that telescoped when the quake hit.

Transportation Secretary Samuel Skinner told reporters aboard Air Force One, "We're working on a program to make sure the federal government has a very, very major role in helping California."

He would not say how much money was in the package.

"These first 90 days virtually all of ... emergency expenses would be covered, I assume, by the federal government," Skinner said.

He said cleanup and repair were "primarily a California effort but the federal government would help in any way it could.

Bush's high-profile effort to show federal concern in the disaster area came amid political bickering with San Francisco's Democratic mayor over the visit earlier this week by Vice President Dan Quayle.

The president decided not to go to San Francisco where Press Secretary Marlin Fitzwater said there would be logistical difficulties and problems getting motorcades into damaged areas.

Bush was greeted at Moffett Field by Sen. Pete Wilson, R-Calif., Gov. George Deukmejian and Rep. Norman Mineta, a Democrat who represents the southern San Francisco Bay area.

Democrats have pledged at least $2.5 billion in federal funds to assist quake victims. But Skinner said, "I don't think the $2.5 billion will have a degree of preciseness attached to it."

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President Bush boards Air Force One at Andrews Air Force Base, Md., before dawn Friday morning for a flight to California to view the earthquake damage.

He said, "I don't think anybody can tell you at this moment exactly how much is going to be needed."

Bush began the day long before dawn, at 5:30 a.m., when he left the White House by motorcade for Andrews Air Force Base in nearby Maryland to board Air Force One. Heavy rain forced the switch from the usual helicopter hop to Andrews.

The Santa Cruz downtown area had many buildings flattened, sewer lines ruptured, house roofs collapsed and power lines downed. The city of 45,000 is 75 miles south of San Francisco and eight miles southwest of the quake's epicenter.

Four strong aftershocks rattled the region south of San Francisco on Thursday, including one measuring 5.0 on the Richter scale that was centered near Santa Cruz's neighbor agricultural city of Watsonville.

Bush's trip, on the heels of the tour by Quayle and Skinner, is part of swift administration action in the wake of complaints that the federal government responded too slowly after Hurricane Hugo struck the Caribbean and southeastern United States.

"I will be going out there tomorrow to take a look and to provide encouragement to people," Bush said Thursday as congressional leaders vowed to increase disaster aid for victims of the quake that has wreaked more than $2 billion in damage.

House Speaker Tom Foley on Thursday estimated at least $2.5 billion in federal funds would be needed to pay for the quake assistance. He said the House would vote to provide it in a stopgap money bill that comes up Tuesday.

He vowedto come up with the funds but said he did not know where the money would come from.

San Francisco Mayor Art Agnos, a Democrat, had complained that Quayle did not visit him during his tour of the region on Wednesday. Agnos accused Quayle of a "publicity stunt."

Fitzwater said Agnos was invited to Quayle's two meetings with local officials and was offered helicopter transportation to attend them, but rejected the offers.

Fitzwater said Bush and his aides would "do as much as we can without disrupting local activities. That generally dictates very few, if any, motorcades because of the transportation problems in the San Francisco area."

Bush went to South Carolina on a similar mission after Hurricane Hugo last month, but some officials there accused the government of moving too slowly.

'Earthquake tax' may be needed to rebuild damage

N.Y. Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Estimates of damage from this week's ferocious earthquake continued to soar Thursday, and California Governor George Deukmejian said a special tax may be needed to finance the massive rebuilding effort throughout the Bay Area.

Damage to the Bay Bridge from Tuesday's 7.0 jolt exceeded earlier expectations, and officials warned that it could be as long as two months before the Bay Area's most vital transportation link is repaired and ready for traffic.

In addition, the reconstruction of Interstate 880 may not be completed before mid-1992.

Authorities reduced their estimate of the number of cars believed to be buried beneath the tons of concrete and twisted steel, while crews continued the grisly task of retrieving the dead from collapsed portions of the Nimitz Freeway above West Oakland.

Their grueling efforts had yielded 18 bodies as of last night. Many more are believed to have been crushed and entombed along the lethal stretch of highway, although the number may be lower than the 200 dead that officials had earlier predicted.

Altogether, 36 people have been confirmed dead throughout the region.

The disruption of crucial transportation routes in the region raised the prospect of the most heinous traffic jam in Bay Area history when commuters resume their normal work schedules.

An armada of ferries and Navy ships was being assembled to carry thousands of commuters into downtown San Francisco in an effort to relieve the expected bottlenecks on the few remaining freeway arteries that flow into the city.

While commuters prepared for the traffic nightmare, they were further shaken by an unnerving series of aftershocks that rumbled out of the San Andreas Fault line in the Santa Cruz Mountains throughout the day.

Estimates of the injured climbed to more than 2,200, according to the state Office of Emergency Services.

Damage assessments soared by billions more dollars as inspections continued to reveal extensive destruction to homes, buildings and freeways.

On Capitol Hill, Representative Vic Fazio, D-Sacramento, prepared a $2 billion federal relief bill.

In Sacramento, Assemblyman Dick Floyd, D-Lawndale, proposed a temporary 25-cent-a-gallon gasoline tax to raise $3.5 billion to repair earthquake damage.

'Psychological aftershocks' start to surface, hotline director says

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The physical aftershocks that followed Northern California's monster quake haven't let up, and authorities say the psychological shockwaves are just beginning.

"We are getting people who are starting to call in now with some of the things we expected to have follow this earthquake," Eve Myer, executive director of the San Francisco Suicide Prevention Hotline, said Thursday.

"We're seeing the depression that sets in after the adrenalin dies down and when the television stories (about the quake) start to repeat themselves."

The usual load of 200 calls a day is up at least 10 percent since the quake, Myer said. The "first wave" of callers, generally elderly people who felt particularly vulnerable, is giving way to a second group that seems exceptionally confused by overpowering feelings of sadness and gloom, she said.

Many callers are reporting trouble sleeping, sensing the incredible fright caused by the temblor all over again, and they appear to be linking the earthquake to other traumatic events in their lives and intensifying their discomfort, she said.

Myer said she understands how they feel.

When she couldn't find her husband immediately after Tuesday's earthquake, she felt tension and frustration. She said she later realized she had unconsciously associated the events with her mother's unsuccessful search for her husband in Nazi Germany.

"That old story bubbled up in my head and I didn't realize I was reliving a war I had never been in ... and that's happening to other people, too," she said. "This will happen more and more. That's a fairly natural thing."

That's one reason the city is sending special mental health teams to help some of the newly set-up homeless shelters.

"It's like the rug is pulled out from under you — the firm stance you have in the world gets shaken," said psychologist Daniel Weiss of Langley Porter Psychiatric Institute at the University of California, San Francisco.

"It forces you to confront your own mortality: that you don't live forever, that bad things happen to good people — sometimes for no reason at all," Weiss said Thursday.

Dr. Lenore Terr, a San Francisco psychiatrist, said area residents expect earthquakes, so it may not be as traumatizing as other disasters.

But for those who are severely distressed, symptoms include jumpiness, irritability, nightmares, emotional numbness and detachment, recurrent images of disaster, difficulty concentrating and sleeping, and fear of entering buildings or double-deck freeways like the one in Oakland that collapsed.

People who survived unscathed often display disbelief of surrounding destruction, followed by relief, then guilt that they lived while others died, Weiss said. For those who had relatives die or homes destroyed, "questions arise like 'Why me? What did I do to deserve this?'

"There is no one to get angry at, and sometimes feelings of anger at having been victimized are put onto other innocent people."

Children are vulnerable, too.

Those younger than age 3 "may be a little bit more anxious, a little more clingy. If their parents are upset, their children will be upset," said Dr. Glen Elliott, director of child and adult psychiatry at Langley Porter.

Some help has come from computer communication systems.

Prodigy, a White Plains, N.Y.-based venture of IBM and Sears, Roebuck & Co., had a system going less than four hours after Tuesday's quake, said Brian Ek, communications manager.

It also put a psychologist on line Wednesday night "to help these people deal with the trauma. We had one person who know some of the people involved in the Nimitz Highway situation who was pretty distraught," Ek said. By Thursday afternoon, 1,530 messages were posted.

CompuServe, the Columbus, Ohio, based computer information service, with 550,000 individual and 1,800 corporate customers worldwide, has created an "earthquake forum" where people concerned about what's happening to loved ones and friends in the wake of the quake can leave messages and information.

Shelter life consists of bare essentials

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — For Goldie Pennington, the earthquake was like an intruder who robbed her of her most precious worldly possession: the place where she and her family lived.

"It was like somebody took everything I had and threw me out in the streets," said Mrs. Pennington, 47, lying on a Red Cross cot and keeping a watchful eye on two grandchildren at an emergency shelter.

"At least we have a roof over our heads and food to eat. You can always start over." Mrs. Pennington said. "The unexpected can happen to anybody, rich or poor."

The woman, her three children and two grandchildren were unable to stay in their city apartment because the earthquake split open walls and caused other damage. She stayed with a friend for two nights before checking into the shelter set up at the Moscone Convention Center.

In the city, 2,555 people are staying in three Red Cross shelters. Ten thousand people were left homeless in Santa Cruz County, according to the state Office of Emergency Preparedness. Most are staying with relatives or in hotels instead of in shelters.

Life for the newly homeless consists of bare essentials: donated meals, bottled water, restrooms, a cot and a blanket or sleeping bag.

Among the few frills were puppet shows for the kids, donated stuffed animals, chalkboards, jigsaw puzzles, playing cards and an occasional television. The Red Cross dispensed toothbrushes and other toiletries.

The Moscone Center was supposed to have greeted delegates of the Water Pollution Control Federation before Tuesday's quake hit. Instead of exhibitors, about 90 families were housed in one hall. Other cots were crammed under escalators and in the crannies of the lobby.

"People still don't feel safe outside. It's better to be here than to be alone," said shelter manager Bob Puett.

Glen Silverman, a resident of the Marina district of San Francisco, carries his bags as he walks past what remains of a building Thursday morning.

AP Laserphoto

The shelter people were a motley bunch, thrown together by chance and circumstance. Those displaced by the quake bunked with the city's considerable homeless population who didn't have places to lose.

As a way to beat the monotony, Chris Buell worked as a volunteer, helping people set up their cots, showing them locations of restrooms and offering a reassuring hand.

"Everything I have is gone. It's history. I'm still walking around in a daze," said Buell, 28, a professional boxer who escaped from his apartment in the Marina district with the clothes on his back and $5 in his pocket.

"I'm stuck right now, so I might as well be helping people," Buell said.

The Red Cross offered snacks, juice, fruit and coffee. It also provided disposable diapers and baby food for fidgety infants such as 11-month-old Hannah Watson, who was nursed by her mother, Terri.

"It seems like a nightmare," said Mrs. Watson, 29, whose apartment had a big crack in the ceiling and was uninhabitable.

In the fashionable Marina district, 500 families are bunking at the Marina Middle School. John and Linda Reda tossed what they could into the back of their blue Volvo station wagon and headed for the shelter.

"I just wanted to have my family albums. They're all my memories. You can rebuild a house," said Mrs. Reda, who is five months pregnant.

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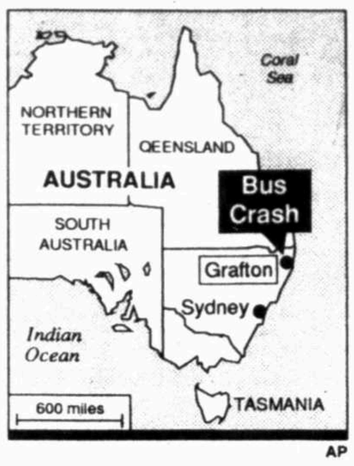
SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — A head-on collision before dawn Friday between a tourist bus and a tractor-trailer in far northern New South Wales left at least 22 people dead, police said.

At least 22 other passengers on the bus were injured, many seriously, in the 4 a.m. accident, which occurred on the Pacific Highway a mile outside the town of Cowper, police said.

The tourist coach, operated by Sunliner Coaches of Sydney, was en route from Sydney to Brisbane when it collided with the tractor-trailer, whose driver was instantly killed, police said.

Rescue helicopters came from Brisbane and the Gold Coast to take the most seriously injured to Brisbane, the closest large city with facilities to treat the victims, authorities said.

It was not immediately known whether any foreigners were on board the bus.



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Colombian strike ends

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — The country's judges and court workers, many of them threatened by drug traffickers, said they would today end a 72-hour strike despite the government's failure to provide them with more protection.

"We are certain that more of us will be murdered in coming months, but we can't shut down the court system for very long," said Consuelo Herrera, a federal judge and board member of the court workers' union.

She said the union's roughly 17,000 workers are, however, prepared to strike again the next time a judge or court worker is murdered by drug traffickers.

The strike was called after gunmen presumed working for cocaine barons killed a federal judge in the cocaine trafficking center of Medellin on Tuesday.

"The next strike will be longer and the next one longer still," Ms. Herrera said. "We will continue to call strikes as long as we are being killed and the government continues to do nothing."

A group calling itself The Extraditables claimed responsibility for Tuesday's murder, calling it the first in revenge for the government's extradition of four drug figures after declaring war on traffickers in August.

Ms. Herrera said Justice Minister Roberto Salazar Manrique told her and other union board members in a Tuesday meeting that the government lacks the resources to increase protection for judges.

Typhoon now out at sea

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Typhoon Elsie moved out to sea today after battering the northern Philippines with winds up to 127 mph and leaving at least four people dead and thousands homeless.

In a final typhoon bulletin at 4 a.m., the Manila weather bureau said that Elsie, the strongest storm to strike the country this year, was about 240 miles northwest of Manila in the South China Sea.

Elsie blew ashore Thursday, but forecaster Juliet Dagupa said the winds had weakened today to 103 mph and was moving west at 14 mph.

The Red Cross said two people were killed in Isabela province when they were struck by irons sheets torn off from houses. One person was crushed to death by a falling tree in La Union province and another died in a landslide on the outskirts of the mountain resort town of Baguio, 130 miles north of Manila, the Red Cross said.

The Civil Defense Office said more than 22,100 people sought temporary shelter in schoolhouses and government centers or reported their houses either damaged or destroyed.

Officials said at least 6,106 houses were destroyed in six northern provinces hit by the typhoon.

British court frees three

LONDON (AP) — The government ordered an inquiry into alleged police misconduct after a judge freed three people who had spent at least 14 years in prison, wrongly convicted of an Irish Republican Army bombing.

In his ruling Thursday, Lord Lane, the country's second-ranking judicial official, said police involved in investigations of the fatal pub bombing that led to the 1975 convictions "must have lied."

One other man cleared by the appeals court ruling was taken to Belfast, where his attorneys sought an appeal in an unrelated murder conviction.

In a British Broadcasting Corp. television interview late Thursday, Home Secretary Douglas Hurd described the outcome as "a blow" for Britain's criminal justice system.

The London newspaper The Independent published a cartoon today showing Hurd, the Cabinet Minister responsible for police, staggering from a bomb-damaged building marked "Criminal Justice System."

The appeals court threw out the convictions of Gerard Conlon, 35, Patrick Armstrong, 39, and Paul Hill, 35, all of Belfast, and Carole Richardson, 32, of London. They were jailed for the bombing of a pub in Guildford, Surrey southwest of London on Oct. 5, 1974. Five people were killed in the blast.

Reagans back in Japan

TOKYO (AP) — Former President Ronald Reagan and his wife, Nancy, arrived in Japan today on an 11-day trip along with more than 200 U.S. military dependents they invited to hitch a free ride to the Orient.

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TO THOSE INDEBTED TO OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF CECILE O. KOONTZ, DECEASED, CAUSE NO. 9,249, MIDLAND COUNTY, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that original letters of Testamentary for the Estate of CECILE O. KOONTZ, were issued on the 18th day of October, 1989, in Cause No. 9,249, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to ROBERT D. TAYLOR, JR.

The residence of such ROBERT D. TAYLOR, JR is 1071 S.W. 16th St., Boca Raton, Florida, 33486. The post office address is:

c/o TERRY K. DONK, Attorney
Texas Commerce Bank Building
620 North Grant Street,
Suite #520
Odessa, Texas 79761

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being probated are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 18th day of October, 1989

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By: TERRY K. DONK
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October 20, 1989

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205 Job Services

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210 General Help Wanted

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Excellent opportunity for individuals with 1 - 2 hours to spare in the afternoons Monday - Friday and early Saturday morning and 2-3 hours on Sunday mornings.

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Experienced diesel truck mechanics needed. Monthly commission range $2500 if qualified. Excellent fringe benefits.
Wes-Tex Equipment Company
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WANTED EXPERIENCED DRILLERS AND ROUGHNECKS!

Apply at 107 North N Street, Midland, Texas between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM.

CLINT HURT & ASSOCIATES

10 PEOPLE Needed for funnest phone room in town. Call 682-3268.

ENERGETIC, experienced, dependable, neat fry cooks needed. Also Front Help needed. Apply in person. 2603 North Midland Drive. Burger Time.

SHOGUN is now hiring part-time food server and host/hostess, split shift. Apply in person, 4610 N. Garfield.

CHURCH'S Chicken is now hiring part-time and full time help. Apply at 202 N. Midkiff, 2:00 - 5:00.

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram is accepting application for the position of pressman. This opening is in our busy and very fast pace commercial plant. Goss Community Press experience is a requirement. Must be willing to work varied shifts and be capable of producing quality products. Good starting salary and benefits. Please apply at the Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois or send resume to:

Christina McCarver
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

115 Announcements

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130 Personals

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Say yes to life. Loving couple wish to give your baby a loving home with strong family values. Let us help you through this difficult time and give your baby all the love and opportunities you would if you could. Expenses paid.

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LOST black cat with collar in the vicinity of Thomason, named baby. 697-6734.

LOST large male cat, long white and beige hair, blue eyes, black face, Emerson area. Large Reward! 697-5078

210 General Help Wanted

PART TIME CUSTOMER SERVICE

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an opening in the customer service department for a part time Customer Service Representative. Prefer computer and 10-key experience but will train right person. This position is perfect for the person wanting some extras income. Hours will be some weekdays, from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm and Saturday and Sunday mornings.

Please make application to:

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Midland, Texas

Equal Opportunity Employer

MIDLAND REPORTER—TELEGRAM MOTOR ROUTES AVAILABLE

Excellent opportunity for individuals with 2-3 hours to spare in the early afternoons Monday - Friday and early mornings Saturday and Sunday.

Routes are available in the Midland area. Must be dependable and have reliable transportation.

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MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM is now hiring for OUTSIDE SUBSCRIPTION SALES

Part Time Hours
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Need (5) five extra sharp individuals for sales of subscriptions in target market areas. Prior sales experience a plus. We offer an attractive compensation program.

Call the MRT at 682-5311
Ask for Tom Bryant,
Circulation Sales Manager.

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DRILLERS AND ROUGHNECKS

Top wages and benefits available for above average hands with favorable work record. Drug screen urinalysis required for acceptable applicants.

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Bring Drivers License and Social Security Card

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Accepting applications for position of Communications Technician/ Electrician with initial assignment in the Seminole area. Successful candidate will have 2 - 5 years related experience and a two year Electronic Technical degree or equivalent. Duties include: installation, repair and maintenance of microwave, telephone systems, supervisory control/ data acquisition and two way radios, plus producing and piopline electrical - electronic controls and metering equipment.

Excellent benefits and competitive pay. Send resume in confidence to:

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ATTN. C.D. YOUNG
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PART time permanent positions, mornings hours. Dependable transportation needed. Call 1-800-442-6721.

EXPERIENCED Line Cook, Salad Prep and Dishwasher needed. Apply in person Greentree Country Club, Tuesday - Friday.

BANQUET Set Up People: Part time Waiters and Waitresses needed for banquet's now through Christmas Holidays. Apply in person between 8:00 - 5:00, Holiday Inn Country Villa, 4300 W. Highway 80, ask for Lisa.

AVON, work full-time, part-time, any time. Will help you get started. Evon, 699-2075!

Position open for full time merchandiser, high school graduate a must. This position requires an agressive and dependable individual, weekend work required, excellent benefits, hourly pay, 40- 50 hours per week.

Please apply at:
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Midland, Texas

EOE
Ad paid for by Permian Coca-Cola.

WAITRESS/ bartender, apply in person between 10:00 AM and 6:00 PM at Club Oasis, Desert Inn Motel.

JUNIOR Map Draftsman. Good free hand lettering essential. Call 683-2778 for appointment.

NEEDED mature, responsible person to care for bedfast elderly lady. Some nursing skills required. Please contact after 3 682-2213.

INSTRUCTOR needed for rapidly growing vocational school to teach General Business, Computer Courses. Degree and/ or minimum 5 years business experience. Avalon Vocational Technical Institute. 563-9000 or 367-2622.

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM CHILDCARE and housekeeper needed, Monday through Friday. One child, all housekeeping duties, cleaning, washing and ironing. References required. 686-8235 and 687-3660.

NEED immediately full time career agents, minimum requirements; high school graduates, neat appearance, no part time. Call for appointment 684-8981 Fred F. Munoz, American National Insurance Company.

MANAGER-IN TRAINING

Domino's Pizza is looking for career oriented people. Only three full time positions left! Forty plus work week, Health and Dental Insurance and lots of hands on experience. Must be 18 years old.

Please call 699-0812.

SCHLOTZSKY'S #1 Plaza Center, Midland. Now taking applications for split shift work. Apply between the hours of 8:00 - 11:00 am or 2:00 - 4:00 pm. No phones calls.

EXPERIENCED cashier needed with some computer experience helpful. Rotating shifts. Contact Martin Lingle at 2400 South Loop 250, 8:00 to 5:00, Monday through Friday in Midland.

CUSTOMER service representative part time, days 11:30 - 1:30, nights 5:30 to 7:30. Must be very personable and well groomed. Apply in person, Monday through Friday, 2:00 to 4:00 PM, at Fuddrucker's Restaurant, Midland Park Mall.

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ATTN: D. Shelton

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NOW Taking applications for cooks, and prep cooks.Apply in person only! Cattleman's Steakhouse, 3300 North Big Spring Street.

TELEPHONE Solictor. Must be able to work from 3:00 - 8:00 pm Monday through Friday. Contact Scott Farris at 684-5462. Resthaven Memorial Park. EOE.

Accepting resumes through October 23rd for

MANAGER, AESTHETICIAN, TECHNICIAN, RECEPTIONIST, LVN (working knowledge of medical equipment).

Prefer women, excellent salary, bonus, commission, insurance. Send resume with full length photo to:

BOX-E-05
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx. 79702

BOOKKEEPER

Minimum 2 years, 10 key by touch, computer experience, bank reconciliations, A/P, A/R, journal entries, and various special O & G projects. Qualified applicants please send resume in confidence to:

Controller
P. O. Box 862
Midland, Texas 79702

Are you a safe driver? If so DOMINO'S PIZZA wants you to deliver for us. Our drivers average from $6.00 to $8.00 plus per hour. Full and part time available. Must be 18 years old, have a car, insurance and driver's license. Please call 699-0812.

NEED diesel mechanic with small engine experience. Must have tools. Call 685-1271.

212Professional Help Wanted

ESTABLISHED INDEPENDENT HAS IMMEDIATE OPENING

for Degreed Petroleum Engineer with a minimum of 8 years experience in the Permian Basin, preferably in Chaves and Eddy Counties, New Mexico, and must be willing to relocate to that area. Salary commensurate with experience and background. Please send resume, including experience, education and references to:

Independent
P.O. Drawer 1300
Roswell, New Mexico 88202

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT SOUGHT

Must have excellent business skills including writing, word-processing and bookkeeping. Excellent spelling, grammar and accuracy required. Organizational abilities a must. Good presentation and public relations skills needed to train and work with volunteers. Must be able to take initiative, assess situations and accomplish tasks with minimal direction. Degree preferred but not required. Salary to commensurate with experience.

Send references with resume to:

BOX E-01
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79701

210 General Help Wanted

AVON - here today! Here tomorrow! To buy or sell call Verla, 699-0119. No upfront fee.

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COMPUTER OPERATOR

Some computer background helpful. Shift work. Salary DOE. Send resume to:

BOX E-08
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
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Midland, Texas 79702

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Expanding company looking for experienced personnel.
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SILK Floral designer needed. Contract basis for Holiday Season. Must be experienced. Call or apply at Patricia's Flowers, 4411 W. Illinois, 697-7166.

NEED Lady to work in Cleaning Business. Call 699-3068 for more information.

COMPUTER MAINTENANCE

Experienced computer serviceman wanted, duties include: hardware and communications support for DEC and personal computers. Networking of PC's a plus. Send resume to: Manager, P. O. Box 50338, Midland, Texas 79710.

COUPLE wanted to do yard work, maintenance, housekeeping, etc., in exchange for small salary and housing. Prefer couple to supplement income. Apply at Texas Employment Commission, 501 N. Loraine, Order #5654289. Ad paid by employer. Equal Opportunity employer.

BLESS Your Heart is now seeking an Assistant Manager. Apply in person at 4410 Midkiff, between 2:00 and 4:00.

BLESS Your Heart now hiring, all positions. Daytime shift only, apply in person at #6 Desta Drive, Suite 2780 between 8:00 and 6:00PM.

We are an oilfield service company, looking for drivers/ installers to install polyethylene pipe requires class A driver's license with good driving record. (No more than 2 moving violations within the last two years). Must pass physical examination, drug screening test and have telephone. Interviews with applicants will be given Monday October 23, and Tuesday October 24 from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. No phone calls please.
Big D Equipment Company
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Midland, Texas

NEEDED
EXPERIENCED PUMPER
for Crockett County production with over 40 producing and injection wells. Excellent long term opportunity on contract basis. Send resume to:
Production Manager,
Drawer 281, P.O. Box 833842,
Richardson, Texas 75083-3842.

NEEDED immediately, Bail bond agent. Will train. Salary plus commission. Apply after 1:00 PM, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 213 East Texas, Suite B.

CLUB DVB is now accepting applications for cocktail waitresses/ waiters. Call 685-0032 Wednesday - Saturday.

211 Medical Help Wanted

NOR-LEA GENERAL HOSPITAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Nor-Lea General Hospital in Lovington, New Mexico is looking for a Registered Nurse for Director of Nursing Services for this 28 bed acute care facility. Previous management experience preferred and strong interpersonal skills necessary. Nor-Lea General Hospital offers competitive salary and benefits package in a community that is proud of "their" hospital.

For further information contact the:

PERSONNEL MANAGER
at (505)396-6611 ext. 301.

M/F/H
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DENTAL Assistant for general practice. Four-handed dentistry and minimum 3 years experience required. Excellent benefits. Send replies to BOX E-06 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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Phlebotomists, immediate work available, Monday through Friday days.
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1-800-234-9916

NEEDED Part time LVN for busy clinic. Call 697-7999.

212Professional Help Wanted

POSITION available for programmer with complete knowlege in RPG. Must be knowlegable in oil and gas systems. Send resume and include salary requirements to BOX D-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

AUTO APPRAISER

Immediate opening in Midland for Auto Appraiser. Prior auto appraising, basic knowledge of auto mechanics and auto repair a plus. Current drivers license and good communication and mathematic skills required. Company car provided.

Send replies to:

BOX E-07
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702.
Equal Opportunity Employer, M/F

ELECTRONIC TECH

Colorado based division of Fortune 500 company is seeking a qualified Electronics Tech to design and repair oilfield monitoring components, data acquisition systems and computer components. Travel required. Excellent company benefits. Please contact:

SANDRA at (303)277-1250
for more information

212Professional Help Wanted

PROJECT ENGINEER

for Air and Gas Compressor packager. Minimum 3 years experience required. Send resume to: Linda Dauer, Tide-Air Inc., P. O. Box 40009 Houston, TX 77240

EXPLORATION-DEVELOPMENT GEOLOGIST

Small Independent seeks geologist with 5-10 years experience, 3+ years in Permian Basin. Minimum B.S. degree in Geology. Ideal candidate has generated drilling prospects utilizing subsurface and seismic data and is capable of performing well site geological supervision. All inquiries are confidential. Please mail your complete resume to:

BOX-E-03
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650, Midland TX 79702

VOCATIONAL SERVICES COORDINATOR

Supervise guide and develop vocational programs/services for disabled and multi-disabled individuals in Ector County. Minimum of bachelor degree in related field and 4 years experience in vocational programs and management. Interviews will be scheduled after review of applications and resume. Contact CHARLES SILVERMAN, Program Director 915-682-8664. E.O.E.

ELECTRONICS SYSTEM DESIGNER

The candidate will be responsible for the design of microprocessor based hardware. They will need to no software programs such as Tango & Autocad for the design of printed circuit boards. Radio Telemetry, Software Programming, "C" & Assembly Languages a Plus. Send resume to:

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Odessa Texas 79760

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Experience with WordPerfect, Page Maker and knowledge of accounting preferred. Minimum typing accuracy - 50 wpm,light bookkeeping and general office duties required. Salary depending on experience and qualifications. Send confidential resume and salary requirement to:

BOX E-02
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702

PART TIME SECRETARY

Investment Banking Firm in need of sharp individual to work on part-time basis. Hours: 12 Noon - 4:30 PM. Must be neat, organized and able to deal well with people. 40 - 50 wpm typing is essential.
CONTACT: BOBBY CRUES
683-5208
EPPLER, GUERIN & TURNER, INC.
EOE M/F

RECEPTIONIST/ Supervisor needed for busy doctor's office. Must have experience and typing skills. Please apply in person: Monday - Friday 12-1:30 pm at Van Nice Chiropractic, 502 North Big Spring.

SECRETARY

Opportunity with major oil company. Pleasant working conditions and friendly atmosphere. Primary responsibilities include general secretarial duties, DisplayWrite IV, PC applications and analytical problem solving. College degree preferred, but experience will be considered. Excellent benefits and starting salary. Send resume to:

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Midland, Texas 79705
An equal opportunity employer M/F

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST

Full time position in a small office enviroment. Full benefits provided. Prefer non-smoker with computer experience, (Word processing and Lotus 1-2-3). One to two years of college preferred.
Send resume to:
P.O. Box 4877
Midland, Texas 79704

RECEPTIONIST, 5 day, 8:30 to 5:30. Bring resume by 2101 West Texas.

220 Sales Help Wanted

JEWELRY Sales - Part time position, prefer jewelry experience. But will consider other retail background. Outstanding compensation. All replies held in strict confidence. Contact Dale Waterhouse, Mission Jewelers, Midland Park Mall, 697-7931.

HOUSEKEEPING supervisor and food service supervisor wanted. Send resume to: Singletree Enterprises, Attention Gary W. Gregory, 6785 Robert Drive, San Angelo Texas 76905. Positions are for a 110 bed nursing home in Midland Texas. You must be experienced and have good references. Please give salary history and salary expectation. Dietary supervisor must have current certificate and health card.

LOCAL shoe store looking for reliable sales help. Must be able to work well with children. Full time and able to work on Saturdays. Apply at Shoe Time, San Miguel Square.

TELEMARKETER position available. Part-time, 2:00 - 7:00, Monday - Friday. Must have good telephone skills, aggressive personality. Apply in person between 12:00 - 1:30 at 502 N. Big Spring or call 682-3500.

MANAGER TRAINEE

Need qualified experienced salespeople for newly developed educational programs. Part time - 25-30 hours per week; $250-$300 weekly plus benefits. Full time opportunities. Apply in person.
Mr. Saenz - Airport Best Western.
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DAY SALES - Telemarketers needed. Must have some experience. Call 682-3258.

NEED 10 People immediately for part time work. Will train. Quick and easy cash weekly. Call now at 682-3258.

220 Sales Help Wanted

TELEMARKETING - Paid commission plus bonuses. Apply Monday - Saturday 9 AM - 12 PM. Ask for Art. 2910 LaForce, Suite 100. No phone calls.

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We are currently seeking three individuals with sales management or teaching backgrounds or who have owned their own businesses. Must be capable of keeping exceptionally large incomes. Only those presently employed may call for an appointment.
Contact Kathryn 682-0813
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Monday through Saturday

TELEMARKETERS Needed in our office immediately. Top wages paid. Will train. Call 694-1957.

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EEO/ EOE

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CHRISTIAN Mother of two would like to keep 2 children in my home, Northgate area. 689-0647

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM CHILDCARE and housekeeper needed, Monday through Friday. One child, all housekeeping duties, cleaning, washing and ironing. References required. 686-8235 and 687-3660.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

WE Need a TLC, dependable babysitter for two in our home, transportation, non-smoker required, bilingual preferred, but not necessary. Call 682-5184 after 6:00 pm.

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LOVING Christian woman, mother of three, non-smoker will keep your child in my home. Morning, afternoon snacks and lunch provided. Ages 0 - 4. Call Patsy for an appointment, 684-7429.

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WOMAN with one child or woman with experience for babysitting in my home. References required. Call after 6:00PM. 699-6306.

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1985 MERCEDES 300 TD Station Wagon. Deep blue with blue interior, sunroof, 44,800 miles, chrome package and more. $20,500.
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1983 DATSUN Sentra - 84,000 Miles, 2 door, 5 speed, $1700. Call 699-2121, 682-0166.

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320 Trucks and Vans

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320 Trucks and Vans

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320 Trucks and Vans

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330 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

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330 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

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340 Motorcycles

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405 Garage/Yard Sales

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SIDEWALK SALE
New and used bicycles, tricycles, furniture, appliances, 3m copier, typewritters, color TV's, pin-ball machines, water softner, costume jewelry, toys, battery powered 4 wheeler, antiques, and much more.
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JAKES NEW & USED
1409 N. BIG SPRING

GARAGE Sale, 2007 North 'C'. Furniture, clothes, crystal, washer, dryer, refrigerator, etc. Saturday 9 - 3.

GARAGE Sale. Furniture, dishes, odds and ends. Saturday, 9:00 AM, 4700 Brookdale.

YARD Sale. Lots of goodies, starts at 9:00 AM. Saturday and Sunday, 707 W. Storey.

BACKYARD Sale 4323 W. Dengar. Saturday Only! 35mm Camera, chest, baby clothes, curtains and bedding.

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BIG Garage sale, corner of Golf Course and North A. Saturday, 9:00 AM.

GARAGE Sale, 5304 Lavaca, Saturday, 7:30. 1977 VW Rabbit, double bed, bicycle, washer, many items.

GARAGE sale, TV, radio, washer and dryer, used tire, drapes, Halloween costume, Stetson hat, clothes and junk. Friday and Saturday, 9 - 5. 4621 Brookdale.

BIG SALE
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3503 W. WADLEY. Saturday only. Children's clothes, bicycles, small appliances, dishes, miscellaneous items.

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SATURDAY ONLY
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GARAGE SALE
1006 UPLAND
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
antiques, collectables, excellent clothing (girl's T-2, T-3, ladies, 5, 12, 14, boy's and man's), toys for all ages. Lots of miscellaneous.

4402 FAIRGATE. Saturday only. Queen size bed, couch, lots of miscellaneous items.

501 S. Webster! Saturday, October 21, 8:00 AM. Winter blouses, tops, pants, dresses, skirts, split skirts, robes, gowns, lingerie to size 44, bags, hats, gloves, and shoes to size 10. Bedspreads, afgans, blankets, pillows, quilt tops, linens, all sizes, towels, rugs, bathmats, shower curtains, draperies. Tablecloths, placemats, napkins, dishes, knives and forks, canning jars, pots and pans, jewelry boxes, luggage. 400 items of winter clothing for quick sale.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

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505 BECKLEY
GARAGE SALE
SATURDAY
Three family, odds and ends, children's clothes, clothes dryer, furniture, kitchen equipment, toys, kitchen sink.
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2410 NORTHTOWN Court, Saturday, 9:00 - 6:00. Queen bed, rugs, costume jewelry, household items, children's clothing, shoes.

GARAGE Sale, 4011 Norwood, Saturday, 8:00 to 3:00. Stereo equipment, appliances, microwave, children's clothes, coats, toys, bikes, strollers, adult clothing, typewritter, yard equipment and much more.

GARAGE sale, 3528 Seaboard, Saturday only, 8:00 to 3:00. Toys, games, clothes, shelves, and miscellaneous.

GARAGE Sale. 3600 Meadowridge, Trinity Meadows, 8 piece dining room suite, couch, love seat, microwave oven and stand, children's clothes, pictures, toys, children's books, and much more. Saturday 9:00 - 4:00, cash.

4003 GODFREY, Saturday Only, 8:00-2:00. Baby bed, changing table, children's clothing, household goods, miscellaneous.

MOVING Sale - 401 E. Pecan. 2 Saturdays - 21st, 28th. Clothes - man/woman's $1 - $10. Furniture, dryer.

SATURDAY only! 3004 Phillip Place in Wydewood Addition. 9:00 - 2:00. Furniture, clothes (women's 5-7), household items.

MULTI-Family Garage Sale: 3401 Canemont Drive. Refrigerator, weight lifting equipment, air conditioner, toys, etc. Saturday only!

LARGE GARAGE SALE
1507 PRINCETON
9 AM - 5 PM
Furniture, pictures, GI Joe toys, silver plate, tires, skis, TV, puppet stage, jeans, record player, clothes, more!

SATURDAY ONLY
2504 SEABOARD
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
2 FAMILY SALE
Furniture, drapes, rods, accessories, pictures, lamps, bedding, cookware, trampoline, 2 sets of Encyclopedias, shutters, clothes and much more.

YARD Sale. 2901 W. Louisiana. Baby clothes, furniture, household goods. Saturday Only, 9:00 - 5:00.

3 FAMILY Garage Sale
5105 W. STOREY
Saturday, October 21st
Ceramics, furniture, Old West & Harlequin books, apartment size washer, Xmas trees, large dog house, household items.

TRADE Village Flea Market. 2905 Rankin Highway. Open Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

DOWNTOWN LIONESS GARAGE/ BAKE SALE
FRIDAY & SATURDAY
8:00 AM - ?
1405 Ventura. Vacuum cleaner, iron and board, jewelry, mens, womens and children's clothes, decorator items.

Donate your old eyeglasses for Lions Sight Conservation Project.

GARAGE Sale 4211 Siesta Lane in rear alley. Friday and Saturday, October 20th - 21st, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm. TV, microwave, office equipment, and much more! 50¢ to $80. No checks, no early birds.

FLEX-A-Bed, chairs, treadmill, clothing (small older women), odds-n-ends, 1806 Sparks. Friday 3:00 - 7:00 PM. Saturday 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM.

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LARGE GARAGE SALE
3607 SINCLAIR
Thurs.& Fri. 8:30am-6 pm
Furniture, king size bed, blinds, bicycle, old books, eight sheets of Italian mahogany 4'x8'x ¼". Complete gas stove top, picture frames, king bedspreads, records, clothing, MUCH miscellaneous.
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405 Garage/Yard Sales

705 ALPINE. Friday 1:00, Saturday 8:00. Drapes, baby and children's clothes, circular saw, work bench.

4310 PARKDALE, Saturday Only starting at 9:00 AM. No early Sales! Exercise bike, lots of stuffed animals, children's and ladies clothes, miscellaneous items.

BACKYARD sale, several families. 4316 Princeton Thursday and Friday, 8:30 to 5:00. Furniture, clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

FALL RUMMAGE SALE
MIDLAND WOMAN'S CLUB
HOGAN PARK
OCTOBER 21, 8 AM - 5 PM
PUBLIC INVITED

601 WEST Cuthbert. Saturday and Sunday. 8:00 A.M. Multi family garage sale. Lots of clothes.

GARAGE SALE
3407 ANDREWS HIGHWAY

GARAGE sale. 714 West Pine, (off of Neeley). Four family garage sale, adult, kids, and baby clothes, furniture, jewelry, kitchen items and miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday.

JERRY'S STORE RM 22
TRADE VILLAGE FLEA MARKET
2905 RANKIN HWY
Bikes, tricycle, pots, pans, "Club Aluminum Cookware", tools, childrens toys, household, gadgets & things
FRI - SAT - SUN
★ 10% DISCOUNT With THIS AD ★

PATIO Sale, 303 South Bentwood, Friday - Saturday. 8:00 - 6:00. Antique dresser, 10 inch radial saw, tires, draperies, clothes, miscellaneous.

SOMETHING For Everyone. Furniture all types. Clothes newborn - adult. Friday - Saturday 8:00 - 2:00. 2818 Goddard Place.

GARAGE Sale, 101 Butler (corner of Main and Cuthbert). Friday and Saturday. Children and adult clothing, shoes, bedding, miscellaneous.

3 FAMILY Garage Sale. Friday - Saturday, 9:00 - 4:00. Furniture, kitchen appliances. Baby - Junior - Missy clothes. Scads of miscellaneous. Worth your time! 4902 Canadian.

1216 McKenzie, lots of clothes (teens, women's and men's large), glassware. Cheap prices. Thursday - Friday.

SHOP For Christmas! Children's books, toys, sheets, comforters, TV, stereo, dishes, towels, kitchen items, long dresses, coffee and end tables, miscellaneous. 4610 Gulf, Friday 8:00 - 6:00, Saturday 8:00 - 5:00.

FRIDAY, Saturday, Sunday: afternoons. Miscellaneous, collectibles. Antique dining table and six chairs, $500. 1981 Ford LTD, mechanically sound, body rough, $650. 1605 West Michigan.

GARAGE Sale ★ 306 Pylant ★ Friday and Saturday, 9:00 AM. No early Birds!

GARAGE Sale - Furniture, wicker chairs, vacuum cleaner, Zenith TV, lamps, baby clothes, sheets, blankets, miscellaneous. 4723 Dengar, west of Midland Drive, Saturday.

SATURDAY ONLY
9:00 - 'til
3006 NORTHTOWN PLACE
in alley
Sign on Midkiff, across from Sears
Lots of fabric, jewelry, metal ladder, office supplies, rocker, encyclopedias, glasses, sweaters, and miscellaneous galore!

1611 W. KANSAS. Furniture, baby clothes, maternity, household goods. Saturday, 9:00 - 5:00. No early sales!!

CLOTHES, Kitchen items, much miscellaneous. Saturday Only! 4721 Bedford

405 Garage/Yard Sales

SALE everyday, quality clothing for the entire family. K-Dee Resale #18A Village Circle, 683-8154.

4717 W. ILLINOIS
FRIDAY & SATURDAY
STARTS AT 9 AM

Elec built-in oven/cook-top, base cabinets, power hand tools, chipping hammer, 30-06 deer rifle, clothing, books, National Geographics, lots of misc.

PRE-CUT MATERIAL - Window, steel door & frame for 12x20 building.

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BACKYARD Sale. Stereo, large TV stereo combination, cassette tapes, small appliances, clothes and much more. Wednesday - Saturday 9:00 - 6:00. 1304 East Lynn.

HUGE SALE
SIX FAMILY
SATURDAY ONLY
9 - 4

Couches, dining table and chairs, two box springs, living tables, lamps, wire rims, luggage, box fan, heaters, kid's stuff and lots more. 4300 block of Harvard, off Midland.

1004 ALPINE. Saturday only. Good carpet, paperbacks, lamps, bedspreads, clothes, towels, rabbit fur and miscellaneous.

28 YEARS of accumulation of Cub bats and balls, end and coffee tables, cornet, flute, and games. 327 Willowood. Friday 6:00 PM - ?, Saturday 8:00 AM to ?

3208 SENTINEL
FOUR FAMILY SALE
SATURDAY ONLY
8:30 to 4:00
NO EARLY SALES

Baby items, clothes new born to adult, toys, baseball cards, large dog door, motorized tricycle, books, and lots of miscellaneous.

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SATURDAY ONLY 8-4
MULTI-FAMILY
GARAGE SELL

Bedroom set, couches, breakfast table with chairs, various other furniture, Video camcorder, TV, linens, bath sets, children's clothing, mopeds, washer and dryer, too many items to list, come by to see.

2903 LOCKHEAD
9:00 - 2:00
Saturday Only

Compound bow, weight bench, pickup camper, bicycle, bunk bedding, car seats, stroller, baby items, children's clothes, toys.

2809 MAXWELL
SATURDAY ONLY
7:15 to 1:30

Toys, furniture, rowing machine, books, sun lamp, car seat, all sizes of winter clothes from infant through adult, large women's up to size 44 - some new. All priced to sell.

MOVING SALE
Saturday 8 - 4

Sofa, baby items, humidifier, fan, smoker, clothing, shoes, stained glass, miscellaneous, household items.

TRINITY MEADOWS
3505 WOODHAVEN
(in alley)

3 FAMILY Garage Sale. Saturday - Sunday. Momma's Restaurant, 1403 N. Big Spring. Clothes, toys, miscellaneous.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

GORGEOUS sofa (bronze tones) $450. 2 chairs $130 each, extra firm king size bedset $450, office cabinet $75. Saturday only 682-0157.

JUST like new, only used once! Sonata sewing machine, still in box. Retail value $350, will sell for $200. Call 687-1730 after 6:00.

FOR Sale: Nebulizer, portable oxygen machine, manual treadmill, man's bicycle, 8" TV, golf clubs, and Roto-tiller. Call 685-1930.

GRANDEE Hotsprings Spa - 1 Year old, $5500. Call between 7:00 - 8:00 PM, 689-6446.

TOOL WAREHOUSE
1501 WEST INDUSTRIAL
CALL 686-0503

TYPEWRITER, Smith Corona electric $60. Singer Sewing machine $80. Chaise Lounge $100. Call 697-5672.

VERY Good condition, slide in record unit, you can see it at Coy's Auto Repair, ask for Mike or call after 6, 697-0255.

ROLEX ladies dress watch, yellow gold with diamond bezel. Reduced price. 694-2117.

NINTENDO set with zapper gun, robot and nine games, $275, sleeper sofa $85, 9 inch color TV $50, bookcase $20, picnic table set $60, men's, boy's clothing. 694-5311 after 6:00 PM.

REDLINE PL20 BMX racing bicycle with 180 flight cranks. Payed $600, new will sell for best offer. Call 683-7519 after 6 pm.

MS. Pacman machine, excellent condition, $350. Many hours of fun for home or commercial use. 694-4452.

FULL length white mink coat from Swartz - appraised $4500, asking $2200. Full length golden tan leather coat with fur collar - size 12, $300. Casual reversible fur jacket - size 12 $350. 682-0686.

DOGHOUSE, new $30., childs playhouse new $225., bookcase $30., childs picnic table $30. 563-0452.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

KENMORE Dishwasher $100. Kenmore Electric Oven $100. One ton standard transmission $200. Call 689-0213.

PIONEER Car Stereo AM/FM cassette, $150. 120 Watt Jenson speakers, $80. Call after 3:30, 694-6244.

BAZAAR
FRIDAY & SATURDAY
OCTOBER 20th & 21st
10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Dellwood Mall, Midkiff and Illinois. Handmade items and home baked goodies.
Sponsored by Midland County Extension Homemaker Clubs.

WEDDING gown, worn 2 hours. Complete with veil, hoop, bouquet. Asking $600. Call 699-5832.

19" COLOR TV $85. Vacuum cleaner $35. 10x14 Canvas Tent $95. Compound Bow $50. Reloading Press $35. Dies, powder measure and misc. reloading equipment. Call 699-6825 after 6, M-F.

DIAMOND for sale, 1.21 carat round, reduced price. 687-2817 or 694-1516.

RESTHAVEN, Garden of Devotion, two plots for sale. Choice lots. $1,790 for both or best offer. Call 806-637-3689.

PAT WALKER Reducing machine for sale. Collect, 1-713-448-3405 1-409-295-6717.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

CASH FOR
Aluminum cans - copper - brass
aluminum - radiators - batteries
SUN. 1:00 - 5:00
MON - SAT., 8:00 - 5:00
KING METALS RECYCLING
1701 E. HWY 80 (Front St.)
684-5802

DON'T Throw away that non working portable colored TV or VCR it might be worth money. 697-1558 or 699-1454.

Wanted used Trampoline. Must be in good condition. Call 694-9981.

WANTED: cash for Little Tykes toys. Kitchen set or cottages, etc. Call 687-1753.

420 Good Things To Eat

GREEN TOMATOES - 30¢ pound; $6 - ½ Bushel, $10 Bushel. Also Pumpkins! Farmers Market. Hoelscher Farms.

PECANS - FRESH CROP! $1.25 pound unshelled. $4.25 Shelled. 3204 ECR 140. Directions 682-5955.

SHELLED Pecans. Perfect halves. Electric crackers. Will harvest pecans on ½ share. Will buy your share. 682-4887.

430 Household Goods

WURLITZER fruitwood spinet piano, excellent condition. $900, seller pays for tuning after move or $850 buyer pays tuning. 684-5782 ext. 346 or 697-8411 after 6:00.

KITCHEN chrome and glass top table with four chairs $150. Jenny Lind crib, changer with drawers, high chair and chest of drawers $225. Swing set free. 697-7153.

Gas range $100, queen size headboard $50, Maytag washer $50, Magnavox TV $200. Call 683-3607.

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TWO sofa's, green and creme floral velvet $150, gold wingback $60. Excellent condition. 694-3207.

LOVE seat, heavy striped material, creme and brown colors, good for office, like new. 694-8518.

SOFA and love seat. Matching mauve, gray, blue shaded subtle fabric. $650. Call 694-3625.

KINGSIZE Flotation waterbed $250. Beige tone couch and loveseat $400. Call 682-3893.

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BEAUTIFUL 8' X 11' Pastel Aubusson Wool Fringed Rug $1,200. Call 682-0686.

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FULL size complete bed, with double dresser, all wood bedroom suite. $250. Call 694-5305.

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450 Sporting Goods

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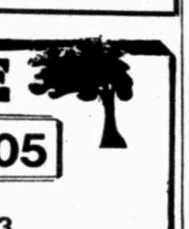

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This 3 bedroom, 2 living area home features much new in last several years - roof, heat, air, and more. Has super street appeal. Owner will consider trade for suburban property...$58,500.

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This 4 bedroom family home features storm windows, 4 ceiling fans, and 2 hot water heaters. Corner lot. Everything in great shape. Make offers!...$91,500. Ask for Bill Hartzoge.

COMMERCIAL BUILDING
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This 3 bedroom home is within walking distance of Lee High. Two living areas plus separate formal dining. Beamed ceiling. Playhouse and storage...$47,000.

SUPER LOCATION
Only 2 blocks from Parker Elementary on a quiet cul de sac, this 4 bedroom home is ready for a new owner. Pretty soft neutral tones throughout.... $67,500.

MUCH HOUSE FOR THE MONEY
This 3 bedroom home located in Old Midland would be an ideal starter home. Large pecan trees in yard...$39,900.

NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION
3BR home, new paint, carpet & AC in last 3 yrs. Washer, dryer, refrigerator & stove to pass with property as well as living room furniture...$29,000. Ask for Janis Cook.

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665 Business Property/ Offices

OFFICE for rent. Approximately 750 sq. ft. Close to downtown, covered parking in rear. Utilities paid. Leave message, 682-9009.

SUBLET approximately 1400 square feet - includes covered parking seven offices plus foyer, open area for copier, storage room, common kitchen facility, utilities paid and health club memberships. Leases negotiable. Located in Woodhill, 3000 North Garfield. 915-699-0006.

670 Warehouses and Storage Area

Office and warehouse combination. 1200-2000-4000-4800-7000-8600 sq ft. Some with fenced yards. 683-6927.

2800 SQUARE foot building, offices and large warehouse. Excellent location, fenced. 682-3883 or 682-2349.

WAREHOUSE Space for rent. Approximately 3,000 sq. ft., overhead garage doors, raised floor. Behind Warfield Truck Stop. $400 a month. Call Herman, 684-7711.

1200 SQ. FT. - Combination Warehouse/ office, refrigerated air, overhead door, fenced yard. Well lit. Reasonable. 694-9742, 683-5697, 682-4789.

GRIFFIN Mini-Storage. Now Leasing. 10x10's, 10x20's and 20x20's. Call 686-7817 for the lowest rates in town!

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FOR sale by owner, 109 Holly. Two bedrooms, two living areas, one bath, kitchen, utility room, and study (could be third bedroom). New paint, lots of recent remodeling. $24,900. Call 682-1819 or 699-6377.

BY OWNER. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Breakfast nook, fireplace, built-ins, 5 ceiling fans, patio with gas grill, RV/ boat slab with access gate, sprinkler system, front and back, new roof and outside paint, great yard. Approx. 2050 sq. ft. Asking $83,500. 2607 Culver. For appointment call 694-0943 after 6 pm. Monday - Friday.

DUPLEX, 4317 West Storey, convenient to shopping. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage. $75,000. Call 684-4342 for information.

BY owner. West Storey. Three bedroom, 1½ bath, brick, corner lot. $25,500. Call 699-5804, 697-2496.

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$1500 equity and take up the payments on this super nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage with fireplace and more. FHA non-qualifying 10% loan with payments currently at $742 per month for 24 years.
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625 Houses Unfurnished

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3-2-2..... $550.00/ monthly
4403 GLENEAGLES
4-2-2 $1,000.00/ monthly
4405 GLENEAGELES
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THREE bedroom, two bath, swimming pool. 3216 West Golf Course. $650 a month plus deposit of $250. Call 214-645-7638.

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2609 WEST Storey, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living, fenced yard, dishwasher, nice carpet and drapes, recently remodeled. Well maintained home in nice quiet neighborhood. No pets. $450/ month. $350 deposit. Rick 686-9554 home, 697-3330 work.

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COMFORTABLE Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, fireplace, fenced backyard, sprinkler system, most appliances, quiet neighborhood. $525 Monthly. 685-5000 ext 3552 days. 697-7252 after 6:00.

625 Houses Unfurnished

WESTSIDE Midland, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 garage, refrigerated air. Appliances except refrigerator. $500, 362-0811.

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4401 WILSHIRE,3br,1ba.....	$375mo
125 S. BENTWOOD,3br,2ba	$450mo
4608 RIC,3br,2ba	$450mo
1604 HODGES,3br,2ba	$750mo
3705 ANETTA,2br,1ba.....	$200mo

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625 Houses Unfurnished

SPACIOUS two bedroom, two bath duplex, fireplace, builtins, yard, carport, across from Trinity, $425. Agent 687-2558.

GREENWOOD schools. 6 miles northeast of Midland. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, $295. 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, $195. Water furnished, deposit required. 683-8575.

3505 W. LOUISIANA - Three bedroom, two bath, refrigerator and range furnished, central air/ heat, $550 monthly, $300 deposit. 689-0931

5 BEDROOM, 3 bath, new kitchen, sprinklers, storage, Lee/ Rusk, $750 per month. Deposit. Prefer non-smoker, no pets. 694-8796.

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DUPLEX: 2 bedroom, fireplace, washer and dryer, fenced yard, covered carport, extra nice. Call 697-7740.

103 S. DEWBERRY. CUTE WESTSIDE HOME, 3 BEDROOM, 1¾ BATHS, CENTRAL HEAT AND AIR, REFRIGERATOR, STOVE, DISHWASHER, FENCED BACK YARD, NICE TREES, FRESH PAINT. CALL 686-7414.

1805 EAST Scharbauer, nice brick home, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fireplace, $310. Owner/ agent. 694-9853.

4 BEDROOM, 1 bath in Midland, $350 per month, $200 deposit. 4309 Pleasant. Call 366-7244.

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HOUSE for rent, four bedroom, 2 bath. Walk to Lee and Rusk. $600 a month. 699-6600 after 5:30 pm.

WESTSIDE. One bedroom duplex, loaded with appliances including washer/ dryer. Storage. $245 plus bills. 685-3327.

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GREENWOOD. Four bedroom, two bath, 1½ acre near school, fireplace, carpeted throughout, country living in friendly community. $525 monthly, $250 deposit. 699-6325.

GREENWOOD - Three bedroom, two bath, large kitchen, large storage building, fireplace, $500. 699-3264 after 5.

625 Houses Unfurnished

TWO bedroom, one bath, fenced yard, carport, Westside, $295 a month, $125 deposit. Call 682-0559.

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2 bdrms - 1 car carport.. $500/mo
2 bdrms - 2 car garage.. $525/mo
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FOR Lease three bedroom, two bath home, two car rear entry garage, fireplace, wet bar, hot-tub. $700 plus deposit. 3208 Whitney. Call for appointment weekend or evenings, 694-1554.

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3 Br, 2½ ba, 2 story, 2 car grge, fresh paint, small playroom, sequestered master downstairs. Fairmont Park. $700 Monthly. Call for appointment today! Available immediately! 1st Realty of Midland 689-7700

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630 Houses Furnished & Unfurnished

1200-A W. WASHINGTON (rear), nicely remodeled, private house, carpeted. No pets. Bills paid. 694-0124.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurnished

FAIRGATE Townhomes. Available November 1st. 3 bedroom 2, bath, 1600 sq. ft. liveable - with garage, fireplace, two private patio areas. $550 per month. Northwest Midland. 697-9566. 4411 Fairgate Drive.

2 THREE Bedroom, two bath Townhouses, near Alamo YMCA, $400 and $410 monthly. Call 683-1091.

3204 TEALWOOD, three bedroom, 2½ bath, fireplace, enclosed patio, electric range, microwave, dishwasher, washer/ dryer hook-up. $700 per month. Call 682-6698 for appointment.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

Two bedroom, one bath, including washer/dryer, covered porch. Also three bedroom mobil home for sale. Greenwood District, 684-5920.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

CLEAN! Two bedroom, partially furnished, 12 minutes to downtown, Greenwood School, off Hwy. 158 and 11405. 689-7301, 682-8787

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660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

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665 Business Property/ Offices

ONE room office, $70. Midland Executive Center. Contact Beverly Vaughn. 686-2008.

LOOK! 2109 W. Texas, Office space formerly Dentist and Optometrist, ideal for any office. 682-0602.

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REDUCED. #3 Village Shopping Center, former White's Auto Store, 38,000 sq. ft. Ideal store or sub-divide. Four auto lifts in garage repair area. Only $2000. Owner, 684-8222.

REDUCED. 2900 W. Front. The Big Purple Building. 32,500 sq. ft., fenced, paved. $2000. Would lease/ purchase, sell. 684-8222.

REDUCED. #26 Village Shopping Center. Gorgeous former bank building. Ideal office, bank, restaurant, store. 8400 sq. ft., $1000. 684-8222.

LA VILLITA Center, office and retail space, executive suites, 3325 West Wadley. Linda Russell, 697-3387.

6 STALL Auto Repair Shop, 400 S. Pecos with large parking lot, some equipment included. 683-8025.

2500 SQUARE foot office space with 500 foot of warehouse and fenced yard. Located east side of air terminal and easy access to Highway 80. Reasonable rates. Call 687-5564 or 684-4444.

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FDIC LOTS (28)-Corner of Oliver/Flynt Range in price from .....$2,500 to $13,000

REDUCED

FIELDS (29A)-New const. in Plantation Hills, 4 BD, 2 LA, dream kitchen.....$119,500
LIVINGSTON (47)-2/2, 1 liv., great floor plan $39,900
MAXWELL (50B)-Lots of home for so little $'s. 3 BR, 2 BA, 2 LA.....$75,000
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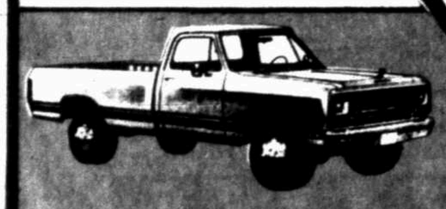
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