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Lightning hits home during 3-inch rainfall

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

Rob Foster and his mother, Linda, returned from dinner Thursday night only to find the remnants of a thunderstorm that literally sliced its way through their Emerson Court home.

While the Fosters were dining out, a bolt of lightning sent a crack through a bedroom wall of the home at about 7:30 p.m. No one was inside the house at the time. No other damage was reported.

However, the same couldn't be said for Midland County today, where a number of roads, including lake-like conditions along Wadley Avenue, forced motorists on a detour jaunt to work.

As of 8 a.m. this morning, the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport had recorded 3.34 inches of rain during a 12-hour period.

A weather service spokesman reported heavy rains occurred between 1:50 a.m. and 4:30 a.m. today.

Today's forecast calls for a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms, diminishing to 40 percent tonight. A chance of heavy rainfall is in the forecast for the entire day.

In Odessa, the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation reported a number of roads closed because of flooding conditions, including most farm-to-market links in Midland, Martin and Ector counties.

A department spokeswoman said the department closed off all traffic at FM 307 at Interstate 20 and along the feeder roads of U.S. Highway 80 just east of Midland at the county exhibit building and near the Odessa Country Club.

Most flooding conditions along major highways were limited to feeder roads, according to the Department of Public Safety.

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

When lakes don't abound, a pond will do just fine for canoeists on an outing in Midland. Canoeists in Wadley-Barron Park's pond are, from bow to stern, Cale Self, 10, Camden Torres, 7, Cory Flanagan, 7, and YMCA canoe instructor Heather Fairchild. The pond usually gets its fill on rainy days such as today.

Damage spreads to new crops

LUBBOCK (AP) — The drought is having a stairstep affect on the nation's farmers, inflicting severe damage on one crop, then another, then another, a high-ranking U.S. Department of Agriculture official said.

"Wheat already has been hurt," Peter Myers, deputy secretary of agriculture, said of the crop now being harvested.

"Corn will be next because it is entering the pollination stage. And the next 30-40 days will tell on soybeans. It's very discouraging if you're a farmer and see this happening to the crop."

In a news conference Thursday, Myers noted that certain parts of the nation — including Northwest Texas through parts of Kansas — have healthy crops that have benefited from seasonable rainfall.

Myers, head of the agriculture department's special task force seeking resolutions to the drought, is in Texas to campaign for U.S. Senate candidate Beau Boulter of Amarillo, a Republican who is challenging incumbent Sen. Lloyd Bentsen.

Although damage is being done to the current crops, Myers said, large carryover stocks of grain should ward off a food price increase for consumers.

"There are adequate stocks, so consumers should not feel the impact," Myers said.

"Surpluses, our production capacity, always is our saving grace. The magnitude (of agriculture) and the fact that 50 percent of our arable land is productive — compared to only 10 percent in other countries — is the balance God gave us," Myers said.

The task force headed by Myers is seeking ways to lessen the burden for farmers in the drought stricken areas, but he stressed that, "The government can't solve natural weather disasters with the stroke of a pen."

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Sixth person freed from rubble of Brownsville store

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Rescuers digging through tons of concrete and twisted steel for the victims of a South Texas department store collapse today rescued six people and worked to free others believed alive. At least 11 people were killed and 43 injured.

Two women, a 2-year-old girl, a boy and girl both aged 8, and a 14-year-old girl were rescued during the morning. At least one survivor was still trapped more than 20 hours after the disaster, officials said.

The 2-year-old "appeared to have been protected by some other people around her who are believed dead," said Lt. Victor Rodriguez of the city's police department.

Another rescued child, 8-year-old Jorge Mena Lire, was pulled from the rubble and taken on a stretcher to be examined by waiting doctors.

"The little boy kept crying that he wanted to come out. He was scared and he wanted a little ball and he wanted some refreshments," said fireman William Briggs. "He was also a little scared, which is natural, and he's also afraid of dying."

The three-story Amigo Store collapsed Thursday afternoon during a storm that dumped more than 2 inches of rain in less than 30 minutes. Some witnesses said as many as 125 people sought shelter inside the downtown building before it crumbled, but Sgt. Dean Poos, a police spokesman, said only about 50 had been inside.

There was continuing confusion over the numbers and identities of people in the building. Officials first said that the wife and two children of Dr. Jose Carrera were alive in the rubble; later in the morning they were less certain.

Hundreds of rescuers working through the night removed debris with tractors, a crane and finally by hand, fearful of further injuring trapped survivors. Working through the night under portable floodlights, they used dogs and sensitive microphones to hunt for victims.

Later in the morning, hundreds of onlookers cheered as one woman was carried to safety and taken to a first aid station across the street.

To reach trapped survivors, rescuers dug a makeshift 17-foot tunnel, and doctors were able to check their vital signs, said Johnny Economedes, head of one rescue team.

"It's very hard for them. They are in terrible pain, both emotional and physical," he said.

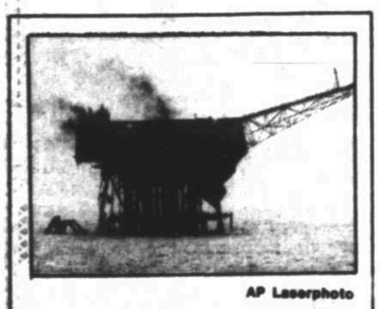
Further rescues of survivors could take hours, said Poos.

One of those rescued was a 14-year-old girl who was wedged between two concrete slabs. "Every time there's movement, the slabs hit her in the head," said Pamela Downing of the city's public utilities board before she was freed.

Brownsville Mayor Ygnacio Garza said: "I think they (the people who are still trapped) have been panicked; they have been afraid. We have had some priests in there talking to them.

"Now that we're to them, we're able to get them through it. I think we have an IV in one or two of them. So I think they're being calming down now but obviously they want to get out of there and we're making every effort to get them out of there as fast as possible."

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AP Laserphoto

Smoke rises from the shell of the Piper Alpha oil drilling platform.

Hope of finding victims of rig fire abandoned

ABERDEEN, Scotland (AP) — Rescue workers said today they had abandoned hope of finding 149 workers missing after an explosion blew apart a North Sea oil rig in the worst such disaster ever.

Seventeen bodies and 64 survivors were pulled from the chilly waters after the blast. Police said at least two Americans were on the rig when it exploded. Their fate was unknown.

"We, of course, gave up any chance of finding anyone else alive, most regrettably, at sunset last night (Thursday)," Derek Ancona, commander of the Aberdeen Search and Rescue Region, told the British Broadcasting Corp.

More than 100 contract workers refurbishing oil rigs in the North Sea resigned today, citing concerns about safety of the offshore industry in the North Sea.

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City constructing water tower at Hogan Park

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

Here's a new line.

A waterline, that is

That's what the city of Midland plans to extend from a corner nook of Hogan Park to the eastside and downtown once construction is completed on a 2-million-gallon water storage tower.

The project — a major undertaking by the city's public works department — already is underway, according its director Fred Baker.

"We already have a 24-inch line in place," said Baker, "We hope to be under construction later this summer or early in the fall."

City engineers are now studying just how much water it will take to recharge the tower after daytime usage. If it's determined that the water can't be replaced, Baker said the city will consider laying additional lines.

Utilities Director Ferd Lowe said the existing line initially served the city's water needs during the 1930s when Hogan served as a producing water field.

"It was a well field. At one time, we had a lot of water wells out there," said Lowe. Today's those needs are being met by the Colorado River Muncipal Water District and the Paul Davis field.

City officials decided a new water tower was needed to meet peak usage, particularly downtown during the summer months when line pressure is at its lowest level.

Fire ratings are another reason. City lines should test 35 pounds per square inch. While Midland is borderline in that area, Baker said a new tower would clearly place it in the black.

"You would like to maintain a system with 45 to 60 pounds per square inch," said Lowe. To do that, he said the city needs an added power source to achieve some semblance of balance.

It's estimated that the new tower will cost Midland between $1.5 and $2 million. Baker said once engineering studies are reviewed, an experienced consultant will be brought in to oversee actual tower construction.

While Baker has no particular company in mind, he said there are a number engaged in such construction that the city can tap when it's prepared to build.

While eastside water usage has declined in recent years, city officials contend the demand is now rising again.

And that, according to Baker, is the reason behind the tower — to meet demand before demand overtakes supply.

That's not an immediate concern because eastside growth remains flat. However, the city would rather be safe, than sorry.

Czech parks plans to add motorcyle patrols

By RICK BROWN
Assistant City Editor

Midland's chief of police has shelved plans for a motorcycle patrol unit in response to recent Odessa Police abandonment of a similar unit because of excessive costs and accidents.

"I think motorcycles are a definite plus in a police department," Midland Chief Richard Czech said Thursday. "I've also seen the writing on the wall and I've removed it from my long-range plans.

"It takes good training and good officers to have them, but Odessa has had some problems," said Czech.

Odessa Chief Alan Stewart disbanded his department's Motorcycle Division June 30, saying that the vehicles are "too expensive to operate, especially when the risk factor is taken into consideration."

Stewart noted that two officers had died and another was injured since 1982 as a result of motorbike accidents.

The Odessa chief had suspended use of motorcycle patrol units after an April 23 collision that injured two El Paso Shriners and resulted in $576,000 in claims against the city.

The accident occurred during a Shriner parade along a closed section of North Texas Avenue. Glenn E. Guy, 55, and Donald Owens Graves, 65, were driving go cart-type mini-cars when a motorcycle driven by officer Richard Mayo attempted to pass them.

Guy suffered injuries to his head, leg, and head, and had asked the City Council to award him $550,000. He was initially hospitalized at Medical Center Hospital but later was transferred to an El Paso hospital and released May 13.

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65 dead, 200 missing in southern Indian derailment

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — A train crossing a bridge in southern India derailed today and plunged nine passenger cars into a lake, killing at least 65 people, news reports said. As many as 200 people were missing.

About 500 people injured in the crash were taken to nearby hospitals, the United News of India quoted police sources as saying.

The accident occurred as the Island Express was crossing a bridge near the town of Quilon in the southern state of Kerala, UNI said. Quilon is about 30 miles north of the state capital, Trivandrum.

The cause of the accident was not immediately known.

Seven of the passenger cars were totally submerged, the news agency said. The Press Trust of India news agency said the water was 20 to 30 feet deep.

Divers from a nearby Indian Navy base were flown in by helicopter to help in rescue operations. Firefighters from several towns were sent to help cut through the carriages.

UNI said villagers, some in small boats, rescued about 100 people from the water immediately after the crash.

Dr. Thomas Verghese, deputy director of Quilon district hospital about six miles from the accident site, told The Associated Press by telephone that 65 bodies had been recovered.

About 250 injured were taken to Quilon hospital, and 20 to 30 people seriously injured were rushed to the larger Trivandrum hospital, Verghese said.

He said police had told hospital officials to expect more victims.

"Two or three cars still are under water so a minimum of 200 people have yet to be accounted for," he said.

The derailing occurred during the monsoon season of heavy rain.

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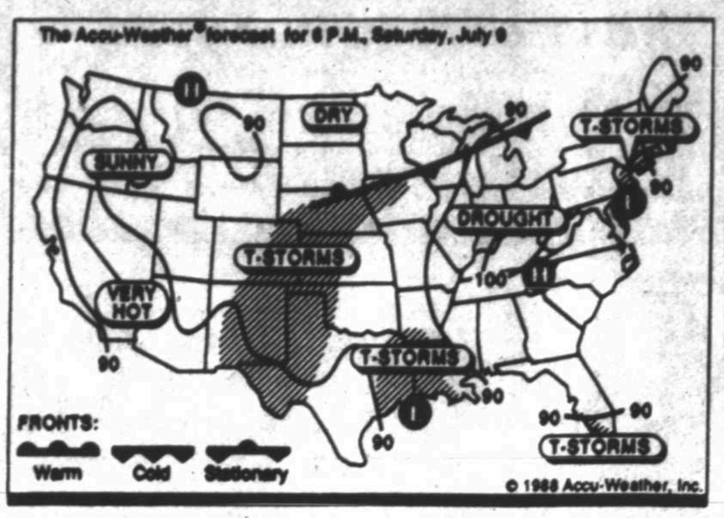
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WEATHER SUMMARY



RAIN

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"We've informed the highway department about flooding in Midland, but as far as the major roads are concerned, it's not too much of a problem along I-20 and Highway 80."

"We're restricting travel permits on a lot of these roads, but as of right now we haven't had any washouts," said a spokeswoman.

In the city, public safety officials reported no major accidents during the torrent, which created impassable conditions along Wadley Avenue, A Street and Scharbauer Drive. Police set up barricades at all three.

Harvey Hansen, director of streets, traffic and engineering for the city, said he was out at 3 a.m. inspecting the flood-ravaged areas. "It was the usual problem on Wadley, but it wasn't really that bad (today)."

The same was being said by local police and fire officials, who reported no unusual street flooding around the city.

At Midland International Airport, no storm-related flight delays were reported, according to Deputy Director Larry Roman. "We had lightening strike one of our small runways...it took out a little chip, but that's a frequent occurrence." The runway was repaired.

STATE

Showers and thunderstorms were possible across all of Texas with forecasters warning of the possibility of locally heavy rain.

Heavy rains Thursday night flooded roadways in the Panhandle and South Plains. Authorities closed portions of U.S. 87 near Tulia because of flood conditions.

Swisher County Sheriff John Gayler said about 3½ inches of rain fell in and around Tulia, about 53 miles south of Amarillo, in a one-hour period.

Light rain continued in the area today.

At Phillips, an 80,000-gallon gasoline tank caught fire at a refinery when it collapsed in a heavy rainstorm Thursday night. No injuries were reported and there were no estimates of damage.

Showers and thunderstorms triggered by a combination of warm, moist air and an upper level low pressure area extending from the Panhandle along the Red River into Northeast Texas were forecast across the entire state through Saturday.

Lows tonight will be in the 60s over the Panhandle and in the 70s over the rest of the state.

Highs Saturday will be in the 80s across West Texas, the 80s and 90s in North Texas and in the 90s over most of South Texas, ranging from the 80s along the coast to near 100 on the Rio Grande plains.

Scattered showers and thunderstorms were also reported early today in East Texas and along the coastal plains.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 70s, ranging from the upper 50s and lower 60s across West Texas to the lower 80s along the coast in South Texas. Extremes ranged from 59 at Guadalupe Pass to 81 at Corpus Christi.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 65 at Amarillo, 70 at Wichita Falls, 73 at Fort Worth, 71 at Waco, 73 at Austin, 75 at San Antonio, 72 at Houston, 76 at Brownsville, 71 at San Angelo, 68 at Lubbock and 69 at El Paso.

NATION

Thunderstorms moved slowly across the western Texas Panhandle early today and dumped up to 6 inches of rain on the southern Plains, while heavy rains also drenched parts of Colorado, Minnesota and Wyoming.

Hail pounded parts of eastern Colorado Thursday and a tornado was reported in eastern Kit Carson County northeast of Burlington. No injuries or damage were reported.

A cold front spread from central and southern Minnesota to southeast Wyoming, into northeast and central Colorado, and scattered thunderstorms along its way. Three to 4 inches of rain fell on parts of northeast Colorado.

In southwest Minnesota, nearly 2 inches of rain fell on Marshall and around an inch at Granite Falls and Montevideo.

Heavier rainfall during the six hours ending at 2 a.m. EDT included more than 3½ inches at Reese Air Force Base near Lubbock, Texas.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms. Local heavy rain possible. Low in the upper 60s, southeast winds 10-15 m.p.h. Saturday: Partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. High in the mid-80s, southeast winds 10-15 m.p.h.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	91 degrees
Overnight Low	67 degrees
Sunset today	8:58 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:50 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	3.34 inches
This month to date	3.35 inches
Year to date	7.72 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	68	6 p.m.	87
7 a.m.	70	7 p.m.	78
8 a.m.	74	8 p.m.	78
9 a.m.	78	9 p.m.	79
10 a.m.	82	10 p.m.	78
11 a.m.	87	11 p.m.	77
noon	88	midnight	72
1 p.m.	84	1 a.m.	68
2 p.m.	87	2 a.m.	68
3 p.m.	91	3 a.m.	68
4 p.m.	88	4 a.m.	68
5 p.m.	86	5 a.m.	68
		6 a.m.	68

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms, locally heavy rains possible. Low in upper 60s. Wind southeast 10 to 15 mph. Saturday, partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of mainly afternoon thundertorms. High in the mid 80s. Wind southeast 10 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms, some locally heavy shower possible. Low near 70. Wind light and variable. Saturday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. High near 90. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Scattered thunderstorms with occasional heavy rains through Saturday possibly producing flash flooding. Lows Friday night mainly in the 60s. Highs Saturday mainly in the 80s.

North Texas: Warm and humid through Saturday. Thunderstorms widely scattered over the area tonight. Scattered thunderstorms central and east Saturday with widely scattered thunderstorms west. Highs Saturday in the upper 80s east to the lower 90s west. Lows tonight in the lower 70s.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy with scattered mainly daytime showers and thunderstorms through Saturday. Highs Saturday from 80s east to the 90s west with near 100 Rio Grande plains. Lows tonight in the 70s, except 80s along the coast.

Extended forecasts

Sunday through Tuesday

West Texas: Partly cloudy. Little temperature change with isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Panhandle, South Plains and Permian Basin: Lows mid to upper 60s and highs mid to upper 80s. Concho Valley: Lows near 70 and highs near 90. Far West Texas: Lows around 70. Highs in lower 90s. Big Bend: Lows in lower 60s mountains to low 70s lowlands. Highs in the mid-80s mountains to upper 90s Big Bend valleys.

North Texas: Continued warm and humid with scattered mostly afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Overnight lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s.

South Texas: Partly cloudy with continued hot days and mild nights. Chance of mainly afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms. Highs in the 90s except in the upper 80s coast and near 100 southwest.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	90	71	
Alice	97	74	0.02
Amarillo	77	65	0.96
Austin	91	72	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	85	73	0.29
Beeville	96	74	
Brownsville	96	75	0.60
Bryan-College Station	92	72	0.22
Childress	87	69	
Corpus Christi	94	74	
Cotulla	95	75	
Dalhart	69	58	2.42
Dallas	91	72	
Del Rio	93	75	0.06
El Paso	93	68	0.18
Fort Worth	92	72	
Galveston	82	74	0.37
Hondo	93	74	
Houston Hobby	85	74	0.38
Junction	91	70	
Kingsville	92	75	
Laredo	100	77	
Longview	84	71	0.89
Lubbock	91	67	1.07
Lufkin	85	71	1.49
Marfa	82	59	0.24
McAllen	96	75	0.16
Midland-Odessa	91	67	3.25
Mineral Wells	91	72	
Palacios	87	74	0.01
San Angelo	90	69	
San Antonio	92	74	
Stephenville	88	69	
Texarkana	82	70	0.03
Victoria	92	74	
Waco	92	70	
Wichita Falls	92	69	
Wink	96	65	3.32

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany N Y	97	66		cdy
Albuquerque	96	67		cdy
Anchorage	65	54	01	cdy
Atlanta	91	66		clr
Atlantic City	74	67	12	cdy
Baltimore	97	68		clr
Boise	86	53		clr
Boston	90	69		cdy
Buffalo	94	69		cdy
Casper	82	51	18	cdy
Charleston S C	80	71		cdy
Chicago	97	69		cdy
Cincinnati	100	70		clr
Dayton	100	74		clr
Denver	82	60	1.44	rn
Detroit	101	74		cdy
Flagstaff	86	59		rn
Grand Rapids	98	66		cdy
Great Falls	77	47		clr
Honolulu	88	73	.08	cdy
Indianapolis	99	71		clr
Jackson,Miss	90	64		cdy
Kansas City	92	71		cdy
Las Vegas	106	79		clr
Little Rock	87	72		cdy
Los Angeles	86	64		clr
Louisville	100	74		clr
Memphis	90	72		clr
Milwaukee	96	73		cdy
Mpls-St Paul	99	70		cdy
Nashville	97	68		clr
New Orleans	86	75		rn
New York City	93	73		cdy
Oklahoma City	87	69		cdy
Omaha	92	71		cdy
Philadelphia	97	70		cdy
Phoenix	108	89		cdy
Pittsburgh	101	70		clr
Reno	92	25		clr
Richmond	99	71		clr
St Louis	94	73		cdy
Salt Lake City	89	61		clr
San Diego	76	66		cdy
San Francisco	74	53		cdy
Sioux Falls	100	66	.09	cdy
Spokane	79	53		clr
Syracuse	92	66		cdy
Topeka	86	65		clr
Tucson	104	78		cdy
Tulsa	91	70		cdy
Washington,D.C.	98	73		clr
Wichita	93	68		cdy

Firefighters beat back brush, forest fires

Associated Press

Firefighters beat back a forest fire that prompted the evacuation of more than 1,000 people near Mount Rushmore National Memorial, allowing it to be reopened, while a second blaze nearly brushed the Alaska Pipeline.

In South Carolina, a 1,000-acre blaze jumped plowed fire lines in four locations Thursday and ate up another 150 acres of timber and brush dried by heat and drought, while land managers in Alaska took a new tack in their battle against four fires raging over 270,000 acres.

Fifty percent of South Dakota's Custer State Park fire, which has burned 16,000 acres, was contained by Thursday night, said fire information officer Jerry Hagen.

"We have 13 miles of fire line built at this point. We have 13 miles to go," Hagen said. "We expect to have the rest of it contained by 8 p.m. Sunday."

Although authorities today revised the number of acres upward from Thursday's figure of 13,000, the fire didn't really grow that much overnight, said Tom Farver, a public information officer with the state Division of Forestry. He said officials used an infrared scanner in an airplane Thursday to get a more accurate reading of the acreage.

About 1,000 people in or near the park, the town of Keystone and Mount Rushmore were evacuated Wednesday night as the fire in the Black Hills National Forest spread northward, but a wind shift stopped the flames short of the granite monument to four presidents.

Richard Homann, another fire information officer, said Thursday that crews weren't digging fire lines because the terrain and heat from the fire kept them from getting close enough.

"The objective today was to keep the fire from spreading to the north toward Mount Rushmore. That was accomplished," said Bob Miller, commander of the fire teams that numbered about 1,000 fighters.

"With the exception of the facilities in Custer State Park the Black Hills are open," said park superintendent Dan Wenk. "The fire is in a very small area of the Black Hills."

Mount Rushmore and Keystone were reopened Thursday, but Custer State Park remained off-limits.

In South Carolina, timberland near Nixonville defied firefighters by jumping their lines.

"If we can get a good, wide break established tonight, hopefully that'll take care of it," said firefighter Mike Remion Thursday night.

Instead of using water, firefighters plow up large fire breaks to starve the fire and stop its spread.

"We can keep it under control but it won't actually be out until we get some rain ... not just a little rain, but a lot of rain," said forestry spokeswoman Jennie Morris.

In Alaska, firefighters held a blaze in check that had come within 10 miles of the Alaska Pipeline while land managers altered their overall strategy because of debilitating smoke.

"Their goal has been to stop the fire from getting closer to the pipeline," said Sue Mitchell, an information officer for the Bureau of Land Management. "So far, they seem to have been successful. They have the head of the fire corraled between two creeks and a fire line."

Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. spokesman Tom Brennan said the pipeline stands in a large, cleared right-of-way, is constructed of thick steel that has been heavily insulated, and was not susceptible to serious damage even if the fire had reached it.

Northern Alaska's major fires are a 126,000-acre blaze 15 miles north of Livengood; a 40,000-acre fire near Ambler; a 53,000-acre fire northeast of Fort Yukon; and a 51,000-acre fire north of Central. All but the last are manned. More than 600 firefighters are on the job.

Elsewhere in a nation made fire-prone by drought and heat:

— Low winds and cooler temperatures helped to contain a 1,300-acre fire ignited by fireworks in Wyoming's Bridger-Teton National Forest Thursday.

— Firefighters gained control of a 1,650-acre fire in Wyoming's Shoshone National Forest, said incident commander "Tut" Anderson. The fire was started by lightning two weeks ago.

— In Yellowstone National Park, three fires covering nearly 1,900 acres of backcountry were being allowed to burn themselves out.

— A 920-acre brush fire in the Los Padres National Forest in California was nearly encircled Thursday as firefighters made progress against the slow-moving but stubborn blaze.

— Firefighters gained the upper hand Thursday on Utah brush and range fires that charred at least 4,750 acres in three separate areas, including 850 acres in Zion National Park.



AP Laserphoto

Was Mars' rocky "face" carved by a lost civilization or formed by a trick of nature?

Mars rock formations scrutinized

By PAUL RECER
AP Science Writer

WASHINGTON — Huge rock formations on Mars that resemble a human face, a pyramid and a fortress could be the work of a lost civilization or "just a trick of nature," say scientists urging a close-up look at the outcroppings.

Four scientists including a former astronaut said Thursday that the mysterious formations should be scrutinized further by spacecraft.

Photographs taken in 1976 by the Viking 1 spacecraft as it orbited Mars show a sphinx-like face staring outward into space. The image resembles a death mask, with a long shadow obscuring one side of the face while emphasizing a human-like brow, nose, eye socket and mouth.

Nearby is an angular mountain, suggesting the sharp lines of a pyramid, and a grouping of rocks that some view as a fortress near the center of what they suggest could have been an ancient city of a lost civilization.

Or, the scientists said at a news conference Thursday, the images captured by the Viking camera could all be "a trick of light and shadow."

"We have found something that is so interesting that it demands we go back to Mars and get more data," said Richard C. Hoagland, founder of The Mars Project, an organization that is studying the Viking photographs.

Brian T. O'Leary, a former astronaut and an expert on Mars, said there is so much uncertainty about the origin of the rock face that it should be a major target for future spacecraft sent to Mars.

Gerald Soffel, the mission scientist on the Viking project and currently chief of the space and Earth sciences branch at the Goddard Space Center, said in a telephone interview that the face-like image captured by the camera has been dismissed by most scientists as an illusion caused by bright sunlight and shadow.

He said some of the world's finest geologists have examined the photos and "they said what we were seeing is light and shadow."

But Mark Carlotto, an optical engineering expert, said a new, sophisticated computer study of the photos suggests that the face and other formations are not of natural origin.

ROOF

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The store was half a block from the international bridge across the Rio Grande to Matamoros, Mexico. When the storm began, a large number of Mexican nationals "were running there to get out of the rain. The store was packed," sheriff's Lt. Johnny Castillo said.

A woman sitting in a car in front of the store was among those killed when the roof and walls collapsed.

Rescuers cut through a wall inside a Woolworth's store next door to reach some of those trapped. Linens and clothing blown from the store by high winds were used to wrap the wounds of the injured.

Six bodies had been removed by midnight and two other bodies had been found in the rubble, Economedes said. Authorities said early today three more bodies were discovered, but provided no details.

"They've got two steel beams across them and about 20 or 30 tons of concrete" on them, Economedes said. Authorities fear that dozens of people may still be trapped.

Dr. Jose Carrera of Matamoros believed those those trapped alive included his wife, Leticia, 36, their son, Israel, 9, and daughter, Terese, 4.

"I feel very happy that they are alive and I hope they can get them out soon," he said.

Ambulances, firefighters and volunteers from across the Rio Grande Valley joined the rescue effort and numerous companies provided heavy machinery.



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Rescue workers assist an unidentified victim of Thursday's Amigos department store collapse in Brownsville.

"There are so many helping hands that it's too much once you look at it," said City Commissioner Harry McNair. "Brownsville hasn't seen a disaster of this magnitude since 1967 with Hurricane Beulah."

Many people went to blood banks to donate blood in case it was needed.

At least eight injured people were admitted to hospitals; 34 others were treated and released, Poos said.

Among those injured slightly was store owner Bernard Levin, 67, who was working at the cash register at the time.

"It was a shock. I was cashiering and all of a sudden it happened," Levin said.

He escaped with three employees and three customers and said there were 10 other employees and several more customers in the store.

The 40-year-old structure housed the department store on the first floor, with the other two floors vacant but made of concrete, Economedes said.

Richest man not quite as wealthy

NEW YORK (AP) — Yoshiaki Tsutsumi is a bit poorer than he was last year — make that less wealthy — but the Japanese railroad magnate still ranks as the world's richest person, according to Forbes magazine.

Tsutsumi, head of Japan's Seibu Railway Group, has a personal net worth of at least $18.9 billion, making him the world's richest person for the second straight year, Forbes said Thursday.

The magazine, in a report on the richest people outside the United States, estimated Tsutsumi's fortune at approximately $20 billion last fall in its first survey of the world's richest people.

The second richest person on Forbes' list is also Japanese. Taikichiro Mori, a former economics professor who owns 68 office buildings in Tokyo, is worth $18 billion, the magazine estimated. In the previous survey, Mori's fortune was put at $15 billion.

Following the two Japanese are Paul, Albert and Ralph Reichmann, Canadian brothers who have built a $9 billion fortune in real estate.

CROPS

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Although the drought is causing severe problems for many of the nation's farmers and ranchers, consumers should float unscathed through the crisis unless food retailers take unfair advantage, Myers said.

"Food prices should not go more than 1 percent above normal inflation over the next year," Myers said.

"It will be felt by the producers in the drought areas, not the consumer unless retailers and wholesalers use it as an excuse," Myers said.

CZECH

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Graves filed claim with the city seeking $26,300 for medical treatment, pain, anguish, mental suffering and damage to his vehicle.

Mayo was treated and released from Medical Center Hospital after the accident.

Czech said adverse publicity that accompanied the accident led to his change of mind.

He noted that a motorcycle division would need special training, including a initial six-week orientation, four to six weeks of on the job training and bi-monthly "refresher" courses.

"To train an officer, normally you want to start with one who has never ridden a motorcycle before — they are the best ones," he said.

Advantages of the two-wheeled vehicles include their mobility in stop-and-go traffic when apprehending violators and their relative low profile in stake-out situations.

Purchase costs for police motorcycles run about the same as for police automobiles, he noted. Day-to-day upkeep runs slightly higher.

RIG

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"They felt some action had to be taken, concerning safety...," Keith Gibson, an official with the General, Municipal, Boilermakers and Allied Trades Union told the BBC.

U.S.-based Occidental Petroleum said a gas leak apparently caused the blast Wednesday night on the Piper Alpha oil rig 120 miles off Scotland, but it did not know what caused the gas to ignite.

The disaster is expected to cost insurers more than $1 billion in claims, which would be a record, the Lloyd's of London insurance market said. Lloyd's spokesman David Larner said Occidental insured the rig, plus the costs of any loss of life claims, salvaging the rig, redrilling and pollution.

The rig was still burning. Occidental said Paul "Red" Adair of Houston, Texas, an expert in capping out-of-control oil wells, would try to stop it. Adair was brought in to cap the first blowout on a North Sea rig in April 1977.

Armand Hammer, the chairman of Occidental Petroleum, flew in from Los Angeles and landed at Aberdeen's airport, where flags were at half-staff. He conferred with company heads in Aberdeen before visiting injured survivors at Aberdeen Royal Infirmary.

Hammer told reporters the company was donating one million pounds, or $1.7 million, to a trust fund set up for the victims and their families.

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Mexico's ruling party foresees victory

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MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico's governing party was toasting victory in the presidential elections even before the votes were counted, but it also was bracing for an end to the exclusive power it has wielded for six decades.

"It is the new political reality of the nation, and with which we will have to coexist in a harmonious and respectful fashion," governing party candidate Carlos Salinas de Gortari said Thursday.

The Institutional Revolutionary Party, or PRI, went into Wednesday's election squeezed between popular opposition candidates on both its left and its right and persistent suspicions it would cheat to stay in power.

In the hours after the polls closed, the PRI-dominated Federal Election Commission said its vote-counting computer was broken. Opposition leaders said that meant the PRI had not done as well as it had hoped.

"We have achieved this victory in one of the most contested elections in our history and one of the most peaceful," Salinas de Gortari told thousands of cheering supporters at party headquarters Thursday.

But Cuauhtemoc Cardenas, candidate of the leftist coaltion, said it was too soon to call any of the races. He and other opposition leaders accused the PRI of vote-rigging, and he warned the election commission not to tailor the results to PRI's victory claim.

More than 38 million people were registered to vote.

Interior Minister Manuel Bartlett, head of the election commission, said Thursday that official results will be released on Sunday. In the long wait, the parties were trying to assess their showings.

It was clear that at least some segments of the governing party were bracing for a bigger bow to democracy than they had bargained for with all the talk of clean elections and democratization.

"Information allows us to see that the opposition groups show a majority force in several districts of the country," Salinas said, in an apparent concession that PRI had lost some congressional seats.

He said the "legal victories" of the opposition would be respected.

Salinas seemed to be preparing the party faithful for what could be a pivotal moment in PRI history — less than overwhelming victory at all levels.

No PRI presidential candidate has ever won with less than 70 percent of the vote and it has never given up a governor's race. It lost only one Senate seat since 1929 — and that was to a candidate whose coalition included PRI.

Sources inside the PRI and in opposition camps were saying Cardenas might even win the federal district, a sprawling area including Mexico City that is home to a quarter of the nation's 80 million people.

Six decades of uninterrupted power has given PRI the reputation of a party that stoops to voter manipulation, election fraud and intimidation. The opposition made honest elections the main campaign issue.

The slaying of a top strategist for the leftist opposition only days before the election and reports of fraud on election day did little to dampen the allegations.

The Democratic Assembly for Effective Suffrage, a citizens' watchdog group, reported 1,100 cases of balloting irregularities, including 500 in the Mexican capital alone.

Opposition spokesmen said Thursday that some complaints had been filed with local and federal election officials and documentation was still being gathered on many cases.

The erosion of PRI's influence in a time of economic crisis and growing demands for democratization was evident in the strong campaigns waged by Cardenas and Manuel J. Clouthier of the rightist National Action Party.

Privately, Salinas' inner circle was admitting its doomsday scenario included giving up one or two spots in the 64-seat Senate and taking the presidency with a smaller margin than any president in party history.

"We are viewing it with serenity," one aide said, agreeing to meet with foreign reporters only on condition of anonymity.

Although the president dominates the political system in Mexico and PRI's majority in the 500-seat Chamber of Deputies is not at risk, anything more than a figurehead role for the opposition would be a dramatic change.

Cardenas, Clouthier and Rosario Ibarra de Piedra of the small, radical Revolutionary Workers Party met with federal officials Wednesday night and issued a statement.

The statement accused the government of stuffing ballot boxes, eliminating citizens from voting rolls, paying people to vote and multiple voting.

Japan's trading scandal has political overtones

TOKYO (AP) — Accusations of insider trading with a political twist are rocking the dominant Liberal Democratic Party in the latest scandal revealing the close ties between Japanese politics and business.

But experts say it is unlikely to hurt the LDP seriously despite the participation of senior aides to Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita and at least three men who want to be premier.

The affair involves current or former private secretaries to Takeshita, Finance Minister Kiichi Miyazawa, LDP Secretary General Shintaro Abe, ex-Premier Yasuhiro Nakasone and at least four other ex-Cabinet ministers.

The aides have been identified among 76 people who obtained stocks of Recruit-Cosmos Co., a real estate and leasing company, at discounts before the shares were issued publicly.

"This involves the most senior LDP officials, and there is going to be a major outcry from the Japanese people," said Shigeru Ito, a high-ranking official in the Japan Socialist Party, the No. 1 opposition party.

"Their obtaining stocks before they go on the market is unfair and dirty," Ito told The Associated Press. "Although they broke no law, they abused their positions to line their pockets. Political funding and the stock market are sure to be examined now."

Under Japanese law, the stock deals were technically legal because firms can determine to whom they sell shares and at what price.

Japan's major newspapers quoted informed sources as saying the secretaries — politicians' top aides and confidants — made up to $1 million from sales of the stocks shortly after they were offered to the public in 1986. The profits apparently were used for campaign funds and not for personal gain.

News commentators said the deals raised suspicions that the company was trying to curry favor with the politicians. But so far nothing has been proved.

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Palestinian man stabs Arab jailers

JERUSALEM (AP) — A Palestinian visiting jailed relatives in the occupied Gaza Strip today stabbed four Israeli jailers, seriously wounding three of them, hospital officials and Israel radio said.

In the occupied West Bank city of Nablus, troops wounded two youths in a clash with Palestinian demonstrators who hurled rocks and empty bottles in the city's open-air market, hospital officials and Palestinian witnesses said.

Police and soldiers closed Jerusalem to Palestinians from the occupied territories in an effort to prevent violent protests called for by underground leaders during Moslem prayers at the city's Al Aqsa mosque.

The leaders called for a "day of confrontation" at the mosque, one of the holiest sites of Islam, and police poured hundreds of reinforcements into Jerusalem, doubling the city's normal police force.

Taiwan leader elected

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) — President Lee Teng-hui today was elected chairman of the ruling Nationalist Party, a move that strengthens his mandate to lead this prosperous island after four decades of Chiang Kai-shek family rule.

Lee, 65, is the first native Taiwanese to lead the party, which was formed 94 years ago on the Chinese mainland and still claims to be the legitimate ruler of all China.

The Chiang family matriarch, Madame Chiang Kai-shek, made a rare public appearance at the 13th party congress that chose Lee. She urged delegates not to forget the contribution of old-guard members facing retirement as a reform-minded younger generation seeks power.

Palestinians evacuate

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — About 120 Palestinian guerrillas loyal to PLO leader Yasser Arafat evacuated their last stronghold in Beirut today after their defeat by a Syrian-backed Palestinian faction, police reported.

Members of the mainline Fatah group left the Bourj el-Barajneh camp early in the day for Sidon, about 25 miles south of the capital.

Bourj el-Barajneh fell to the Syrian-supported forces of Col. Saeed Mousa's Fatah-Uprising on Thursday after more than two months of bloody fighting between the rival Palestinian factions.

Jazz party changes city

MONTREAL (AP) — From sax solos to Senegalese soul, a sizzling stew of eclectic sounds is turning this French-Canadian city into the New Orleans of the north and luring thousands of fans to North America's biggest jazz bash.

A slew of streets have been shut down for the ninth Montreal International Jazz Festival, a 10-day blowout expected to attract a record 600,000 people by the time a Louisiana bayou blues band lays down the final riffs early Monday.

With a roster ranging from Miles Davis to Manhattan Transfer, the festival, which began last Friday, has transformed the town into a musical mecca.

Under the cast-iron balconies of gabled houses on Rue St-Denis, buskers, acrobats and bongo players entertain between bandstands and the snap of bebop trumpets emerges from crowded cafes.

A few blocks away, 60,000 listeners packed Place des Arts earlier this week to hear white South African singer Johnny Clegg and his integrated band Savuka deliver their soulful anti-apartheid message.

Organizers of the non-profit $3.5 million festival also staged a Cuban night featuring keyboard prodigy Gonzalo Rubalcaba; the Canadian debut of Mamma Tongue, a Gambian-American band mixing Africa oral tradition with jazz; and an inspired double bill of pianist Dorothy Donegan and alto sax star Phil Woods that caused a happy riot.

Man defects by glider

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — A 24-year-old Czechoslovak defected to Austria with his 3-year-old son aboard a motorized hang-glider overnight and asked police in Vienna for asylum Thursday, the Interior Ministry reported.

The man, not identified, crossed the border at low altitude without being noticed by Czechoslovak border guards and landed in a grain field about 1,500 feet north of Bernhardsthal near the border.

Police impounded the flight gear. The Czechoslovak and his son were transferred to the main Traiskirchen refugee camp south of here.

The ministry gave no further details of the escape.

Man reveals his nudity

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP) — A carpenter in the village of Kalampang says he has never worn anything but what he was wearing when he was born 50 years ago, the newspaper Kompas reported.

A reporter found Aco, who goes by one name, nude last Sunday at his home in the village 1,000 miles northeast of the capital, the paper said Thursday.

"My body will itch very badly if I wear any clothes or sarong," Kompas quoted Aco as saying.

It quoted a neighbor as saying that when Aco was a baby, he protested and cried whenever his mother tried to put clothes on him.

A doctor checked the man this week and found him physically and mentally healthy, the paper said.

Iranian leader says no revenge planned for jetliner attack

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Iran's acting commander in chief, Hashemi Rafsanjani, said today his nation will not seek revenge against the United States for shooting down an Iranian jetliner and killing all 290 people aboard.

Iran's air force chief said U.S. systems must have been able to monitor 21 minutes of conversation in English between the Iran Air jetliner and the airport control tower. Brig. Gen. Mansour Satari said the missile attack showed that the U.S. military was "unable...to control its sophisticated systems."

The cruiser USS Vincennes shot down the jetliner on Sunday. American officials said the European-built Airbus was mistaken for an attacking Iranian F-14 fighter.

Satari told foreign reporters Thursday that the destruction of the plane was an "intentional and unprovoked attack."

But he later qualified this by saying the U.S. military "accepted on purpose" the risk of shooting down civilian planes because they were unable to control their sophisticated systems.

Satari said Iran had "all the tapes needed" to prove that normal conversation was going on from the time the engines were started up on the ground until the plane was shot down.

He also said the plane was traveling in "the center of the international air corridor" between Bandar Abbas and Dubai and could have deviated 10 miles either side and still have been within the corridor.

In a prayer congregation, Rafsanjani said "the United States is trying to push us to commit the same crime...but if we did that, the world would turn against us.

"That is why we do not push to take revenge. Wise people understand why we do not take revenge."

He spoke after the newly formed General Command issued a statement calling on "all persons who can carry a gun" to report for duty on the war front.

The remarks by Rafsanjani, who is also Parliament speaker, signaled that Tehran may have decided on restraint in the wake of the incident, Western diplomatic sources said. They spoke on condition of anonymity.

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The crowd chanted "Death to America!" and "War, War Until Victory!" The audience included young "basij" or volunteers in red headbands, and a few wounded war veterans.

In the United Arab Emirates, a newspaper reported today that Iran Air will take a circuitous route from the southern Iran city of Bandar Abbas to Dubai until the direct one becomes safe for civilian air traffic.

The new route is aimed at avoiding the corridor used by the Airbus on Sunday, said the report published in the Dubai-based English-language newspaper Khaleej Times.

The paper quoted unidentified Iranian sources in Bandar Abbas as saying the new route takes the aircraft to Shiraz, about 300 miles to the east. It then doubles back to Dubai, adding 32 minutes to the previously 28-minute flight.

Iran Air officials in Abu Dhabi and in the neighboring port of Dubai refused comment on the report.

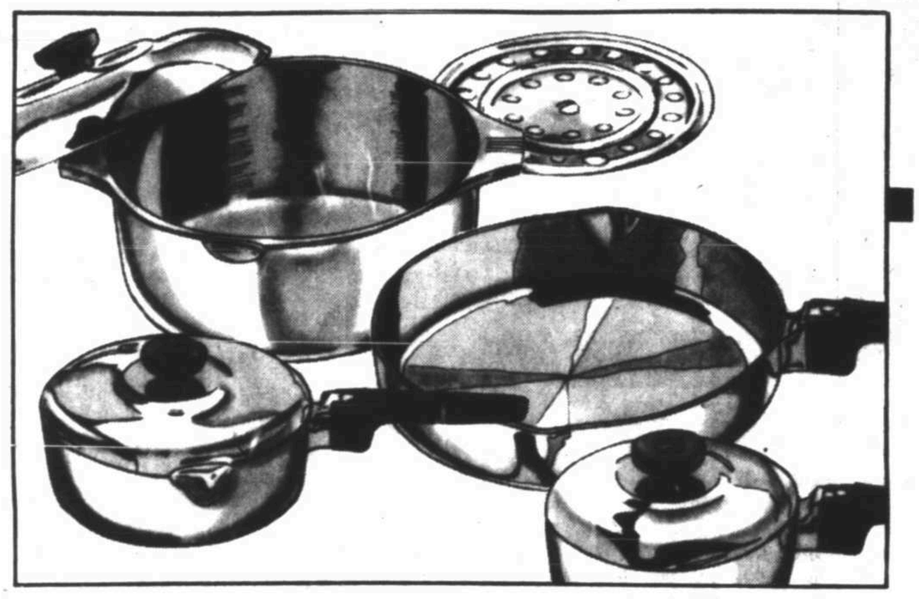
The General Command, in a statement carried by Tehran radio and the official Islamic Republic News Agency, said it "sincerely demands that the nation should fill the fronts with fresh and trained forces."

Although the Airbus jet was downed by U.S., not Iraqi forces, Iranian leaders have constantly accused Washington of backing Baghdad in the nearly 8-year-old war. The phrasing of the mobilization call implied it was aimed at defending Iran against both U.S. and Iraqi attack.

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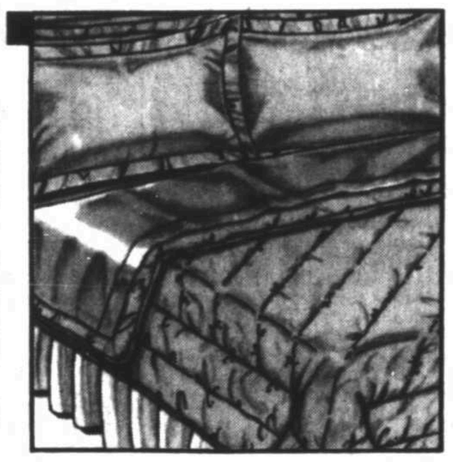


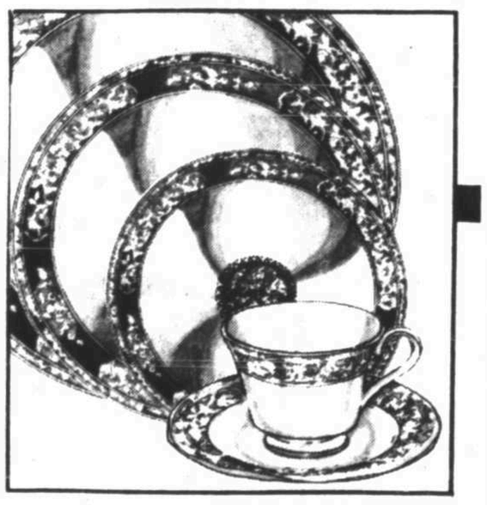
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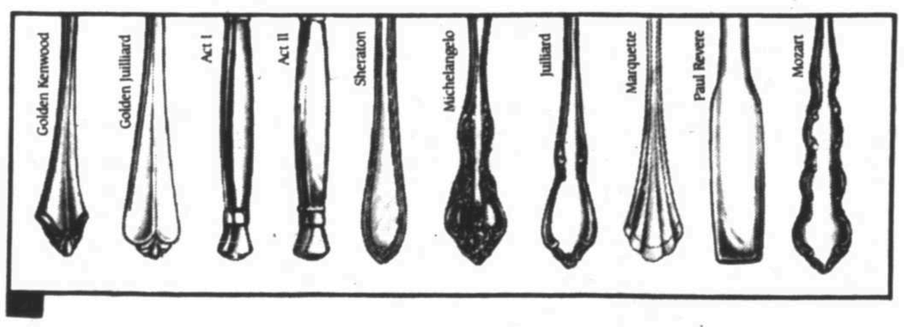


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U.S. won't shirk 'moral responsibility,' White House says

NATION

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration is moving closer to a decision on offering reparations for the destruction of Iran Air flight 655, saying the United States will not shirk its "moral responsibility" in the wake of the Persian Gulf tragedy.

"I suspect that doing what we think is right will be the deciding factor," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said.

Fitzwater's comments Thursday marked a significant change in the tone of administration pronouncements after several days of noncommittal responses on the issue of reparations for families of the 290 victims.

"One of the driving forces behind our consideration is simply the moral responsibility of America and the fact that we've always been a humane nation that takes these kinds of problems very seriously and assumes personal responsibilities," he said.

The Defense Department acknowledged Thursday that the Iranian A300 Airbus shot down by the U.S. warship was within a commercial airline corridor, but said that alone did not guarantee its safety.

"An airway is not a safety zone," said Pentagon spokesman Dan Howard. "All this means is that within that zone, within that area, the air traffic control authorities have agreed to track aircraft."

Meawhile Iran's Deputy Foreign Minister Hussein Sheikholeslam demanded that the United States pay compensation for shooting down the civilian airliner.

Sheikholeslam also called for revenge Thursday in a speech on Tehran radio, monitored by the British Broadcasting Corp. in a report made available today.

Fitzwater stressed that no decision on reparations has been made either by senior staff or President Reagan. But in contrast to his suggestion earlier this week that the decision will await the outcome of the Navy's investigation of the incident, Fitzwater said he wanted to emphasize that "we're moving along through the consideration process."

"We don't have final decisions yet, but it clearly is an issue that is under active discussion," Fitzwater said.

On Capitol Hill, House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, said Congress would likely support a request for compensation if it came from the president.

"It should come from the president," Wright said.

The Pentagon spokesman, in a briefing with reporters, said that even though the airliner was in a civilian air corridor, Vincennes skipper Capt. Will C. Rogers III still could not rule out the chance he was facing an attacking F-14 fighter.

Howard said Iran must share some responsibility for the deaths because the Airbus took off from a military-civilian airport at Bandar Abbas during an exchange of fire between the Vincennes and Iranian gunboats.

"The Iranians are the ones who bear the responsibility for ensuring that if they are the ones who provoke the hostilities, they are the ones who began the shooting in this incident, that they ensure the safety of their civilian aircraft by not sending them into harm's way," Howard said.

Howard discounted speculation on Capitol Hill that an Iranian warplane might have been flying behind the commercial flight in an attempt to use it as a cover.

He repeated that U.S. warships had broadcast 12 warnings to the Iranian aircraft, seven from the Vincennes and five from the USS John H. Sides. And he released the transcript of an Iranian F-14 responding to a similiar warning the day before the Airbus went down.

The F-14 identified itself to the USS Halsey and "went away," Howard said.

Sunday, the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Adm. William Crowe, had told reporters one reason Rogers believed the Iranian aircraft was a military jet was that it was outside the air corridor.

The signal sent by the Airbus, said Howard, was similar to codes broadcast within the previous several days by Iranian F-14 fighters.

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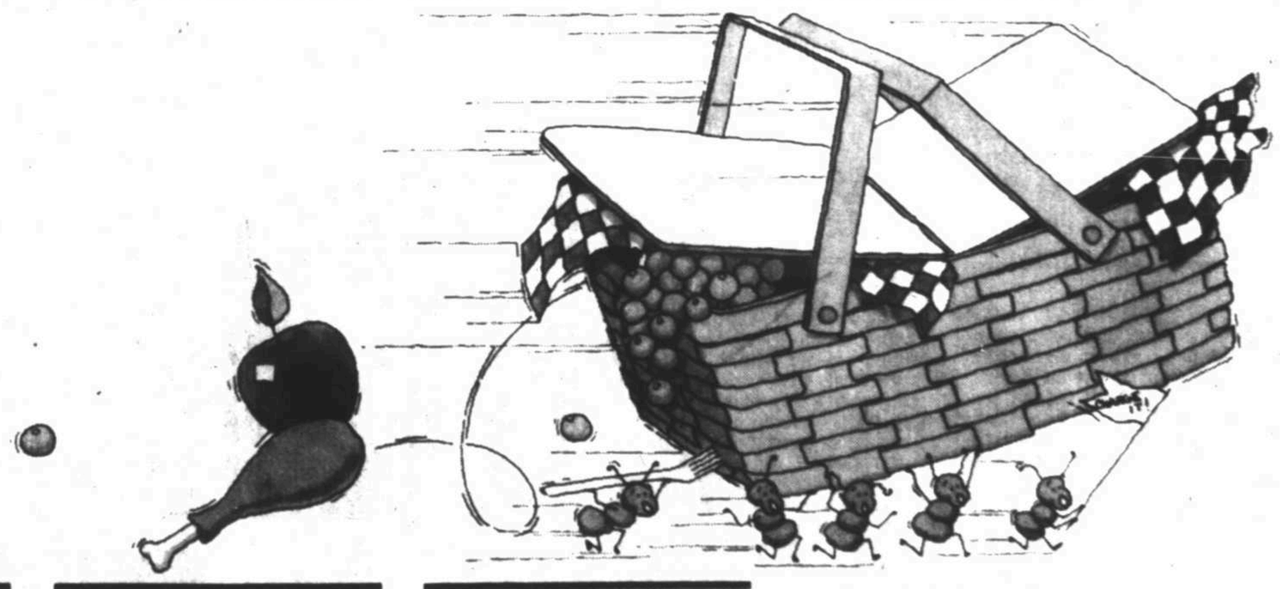
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Pentagon story on jet's downing keeps changing

By W. DALE NELSON

WASHINGTON (AP) — As the Pentagon pieces together more information about what happened in the haze over the Persian Gulf Sunday, it has been revising its explanations of the shooting down of an Iranian airliner by a U.S. warship.

Starting with what type of plane was shot down — the Pentagon originally said it was an F-14 jet fighter, not a commercial airliner — the Pentagon has gone on to revise its account of whether it was in the commercial air corridor, at what altitude it was flying and what sort of signals it was transmitting.

"We all of us probably know a lot more about that situation now than the captain of the ship did," Defense Department spokesman Dan Howard told reporters Thursday at an 80-minute briefing devoted almost entirely to the shooting.

Still, he said, much remains unknown and the full, official U.S. explanation will have to await the report of a Navy investigating team, now in the gulf area, expected to complete its report in two or three weeks.

WHAT TYPE OF PLANE WAS IT?

The Pentagon's first announcement, issued within hours after the 2:51 a.m. EDT incident Sunday, said the plane shot down by the cruiser Vincennes was an Iranian F-14 "approaching in a hostile manner."

At 1:30 p.m. EDT Sunday, however, Adm. William Crowe, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, appeared at a hastily called news briefing and confirmed Iranian reports that the plane was in fact a civilian airliner.

Pentagon sources said U.S. military leaders changed their mind after an analysis of intelligence data showed an A300 Airbus had been found in the waters of the gulf and no Iranians warplanes were flying in the area at the time.

One source said the intelligence collected after the incident included radio signals from airplanes and ground stations as well as a limited and not always reliable network of informers on the ground.

In his Sunday briefing, Crowe stressed that the information he was giving was "based on the information currently available" and was subject to correction later.

WAS IT IN THE COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR?

"The suspect aircraft was outside the prescribed commercial air corridor," Crowe said, in a statement that immediately became a subject of dispute.

Wednesday, according to congressional sources, Navy briefers told House and Senate members that the airliner was inside the 20-mile wide corridor assigned to commercial airliners flying between the Bandar Abbas airfield and Dubai.

Howard said Thursday the aircraft was about 4½ miles "outside the normal flight path," which he said veteran air traffic controllers had told him was the center line of the corridor.

The width of such commercial air corridors varies. Although they are 20 miles wide in Iran, they are eight miles wide in the United States.

WAS THE PLANE DESCENDING?

In another statement that has been called into question, Crowe said Sunday that the airplane was "decreasing in altitude as it neared the ship." He said that it was at 7,800 to 9,000 feet when it was hit.

Data from the frigate USS John H. Sides, which was in the same area, indicated that the plane was at 12,600 feet and either steady or ascending.

Howard said Thursday the altitude reported for the plane by air traffic controllers at Dubai, United Arab Emirates, was similar to that given by Crowe and that if the altitude were as different as reported by the Sides, the missile would not have hit the airplane.

He conceded, however, that authorities do not know whether the missile scored a direct hit or merely exploded somewhere within lethal range of the aircraft.

Crowe also said Sunday that the aircraft "neither answered nor changed its course" after being given warnings by the Vincennes on both military and civilian frequencies.

DID IT TRANSMIT MILITARY SIGNALS?

At his briefings Tuesday and Thursday, Howard said the Vincennes received signals from the airplane in modes common to civilian, commercial and military aircraft and could not tell from the signal whether the plane was civilian or military.

Both times, Howard said this was not inconsistent with the version given by Crowe, who said there were "electronic indications on (the) Vincennes that led it to believe the aircraft was an F-14."

OPINION

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Hijacker's words define tough 'war'

The sentence handed to five Palestinian hijackers this week, and the response of one of the five, underscores the difficulty the world faces in overcoming terrorism.

Convicted of the 1986 hijacking of a New York-bound Pan Am jumbo jet and the deaths of 10 passengers, the five terrorists were sentenced to hang. Four of the defendants were also fined the equivalent of $2,777 for each of the 10 murder convictions, with half the money to go to the families of the hijackers' victims.

The degree of severity of the sentence seems appropriate under the circumstances although some people might oppose it because they do not believe in the death penalty, even for hijackers and terrorists. Yet the trial in Adiyala, Pakistan even cast light on that stance.

One of the five, Mohammad Hafiz al-Turk, a Libyan arrested in Islamabad less than a week after the hijacking, commented following the sentencing:

"We don't care about the sentence. We care only about the million of Arabs and Islamic countries."

He went on to say that if free, he and his comrades would hijack yet another plane, fly it towards some sensitive, strategic center of "the Zionist enemy" and "blow it up there, with us inside."

The hanging sentence was justified, under Western standards, from the simple standpoint that the plane was hijacked and a total of 21 people were slaughtered. But even if returned in the hope of setting an example for all other would-be hijackers, the death sentence is virtually mandated by al-Turk's further statement.

He and other terrorists are engaged in a religious war against the West and the values Westerners represent. They obviously will continue — until the West is defeated or the terrorists are abolished. That means no sentence less than death will succeed. This is, apparently, a fight to the death.

Perhaps that's tragic, but it's a lesson the West must learn if it is to survive this "war".

Another View:

Consider alternatives

"How can we, as an intelligent, civilized nation, even consider the possibility of legalizing drugs?"

That question was posed in a letter published recently in Time magazine which, like many publications, has reported the growing debate over making drugs legal in this country.

Our answer is this:

How can we rule out any alternatives, including the legalization of some drugs, in light of the incalculable damage being done to our society under current drug laws?

We are not saying drugs should be legalized; we have ample fear about the risk of any form of legalization and can list a dozen reasons why it might have an even worse impact. We are saying this country's drug problem is so profound that the question of legalization should not be instantly dismissed.

Legalizing drugs is not a new issue; it was being debated on college campuses in the 1960s. What is new are three things:

1. The widening recognition that current drug laws and their enforcement have failed dismally.

2. The staggering, increasing costs to society of drug addiction and drug crime. In dollars, the price has been estimated at more than $60 billion a year. In human life and death, the cost is beyond measure.

3. Greater acceptance of the idea that our drug laws, more than the drugs themselves, are causing most of the damage.

One obstacle to a more intelligent debate about legalization is the absence of adequate research. Despite well-written arguments in favor of legalizing drugs that have appeared in highly respected journals, almost no scientific research has been done to predict the impact of new laws.

One other obstacle has been a tendency to see the issue as an either/or proposition. It's not. Drugs are a massive, complicated problem; solving the problem may require many partial solutions.

Legalizing marijuana on a limited basis, for example, is a far different question than unlimited legalization of heroin. And the impact of either also would depend on other variables: how the drugs would be priced, taxed, regulated and distributed.

If limited legalization were to prove beneficial, it would not rule out other, seemingly contradictory steps. In the realm of hard drugs, for example, the best approach may be tougher enforcement and stiffer penalties.

We don't know what might work best. What we do know is that the status quo isn't working, and the nation's drug problem is raging out of control. The country cannot afford to dismiss any potential remedies, no matter how unpalatable they may seem.

— The Scottsdale (Ariz.) Progress

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Friday, July 8, the 190th day of 1988. There are 176 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 8, 1896, William Jennings Bryan captivated the Democratic National Convention in Chicago and enhanced his chances for nomination with a speech in which he denounced supporters of the gold standard, saying, "You shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold."

On this date:

In 1663, King Charles II of England granted a charter to Rhode Island.

In 1776, Col. John Nixon gave the first public reading of the Declaration of Independence to a crowd gathered at Independence Square in Philadelphia.

In 1889, The Wall Street Journal was first published.

In 1891, future President Warren G. Harding married Florence K. DeWolfe in Marion, Ohio.

In 1907, Florenz Ziegfeld staged his first "Follies," on the roof of the New York Theater.

In 1919, President Woodrow Wilson received a tumultuous welcome in New York City after his return from the Versailles Peace Conference in France.

In 1947, demolition work began in New York City to make way for the new permanent headquarters of the United Nations.

In 1950, General Douglas MacArthur was named commander-in-chief of United Nations forces in Korea.

In 1959, Major Dale R. Buis of Imperial Beach, Calif., and Master Sgt. Chester M. Ovnand of Copperas Cove, Texas, were the first American soldiers to be killed during the Vietnam War.

In 1975, President Gerald R. Ford announced he would seek the Republican nomination for the presidency in 1976.

Ten years ago: Tennis star Bjorn Borg of Sweden won his third consecutive men's singles title at Wimbledon as he defeated Jimmy Connors, 6-2, 6-2, 6-3.

Five years ago: Turkish assailant Mehmet Ali Agca surprised reporters by charging that Soviet and Bulgarian agents had helped him try to assassinate Pope John Paul II in 1981, an allegation strongly denied by the Soviets as "propaganda."

One year ago: Kitty Dukakis, wife of Massachusetts Governor and Democratic presidential candidate Michael S. Dukakis, revealed she had been addicted to amphetamines for 26 years, but sought help and was drug-free.

Today's birthdays: Former Michigan Gov. George Romney is 81. Critic Walter Kerr is 75. Singer Billy Eckstein is 74. ABC News President Roone Arledge is 57.

JACK ANDERSON

Heckler obsessed with image in office

WASHINGTON — The five-minute speech Margaret Heckler delivered at the 1984 Republican National Convention cost U.S. taxpayers about $10,000.


Jack Anderson

The former secretary of Health and Human Services hired five writers to draft five separate speeches. Then she ordered the five versions merged into a 625-word spiel. The $10,000 figure is the estimate of the combined fees paid to the free-lance writers and the staff time spent on the speech. That's $15 a word, or $2,000 a minute for lines such as: "There are none so blind as they who will not see."

Heckler's overkill for the convention typified her obsession with her own packaging during the three years she spent heading HHS, the agency with the third highest government budget in the world. Only the overall budgets of the United States and the Soviet Union are bigger than the HHS annual budget, which was $280 billion under Heckler.

Heckler is now U.S. ambassador to Ireland, and little is known about how she preps for her public appearances there. But while she ran HHS, she was known to assign her entire speech-writing staff to produce one luncheon toast.

Five department writers had a hand in drafting this toast Heckler gave television beauty Victoria Principal: "You make age curious, men imperious and the rest of us furious."

At least a dozen HHS speech writers were fired or quit during Heckler's reign. Bill Nixon, who headed Heckler's speech-writing staff, described her management style: "You guess what I want to say, and I'll fire you if I don't like it."

What frustrated Nixon most was what he regarded as Heckler's impulsive hiring of outside speech writers and media consultants. The department was spending more than $250,000 on its in-house speech writers, yet Heckler insisted on hiring outsiders for as much as $3,000 a speech.

At least $6,000 was spent on the two outsiders who contributed to Heckler's convention speech. Nixon estimates that another $4,000 in staff time went into that speech.

"It was an incredible waste of federal money," said Nixon, noting that the staff writers more than satisfied every other HHS official who needed speeches.

According to department records obtained by our associate Jim Lynch, Heckler spent approximately $70,000 on outside speech writers and media consultants.

That didn't include her open-ended contract with political consultant Gerald Lange. Throughout Heckler's term in office, Lange flew from his office in Massachusetts to Washington at least 110 times to advise Heckler.

Her insistence that Lange coach her on public relations cost the taxpayers at least $60,000 in salary and air fares. Heckler "is acutely sensitive to political realities and her own status," Lange explained.

Last year, Heckler testified before a grand jury looking into a conflict of interest charge against her former chief of staff. She explained to the grand jury why she had trouble with the staff speech writers. "I found that (the speeches) were very bureaucratic and prosaic, that the information was correct but the poor audiences would have been falling asleep or bored beyond belief. I could not inflict this on the American public."

Heckler's successor at HHS, Otis Bowen, has not hired any outside speech writers or political consultants.

Heckler's obsession with her public image stretched to her grooming, too. One HHS staffer had the job of delivering Heckler's hairdresser to her office before public events.

A make-up person was also part of the entourage. Heckler met the woman when she prepped the secretary for an appearance on the "McNeil-Lehrer News Hour." Heckler reportedly insisted that the woman get a media-consulting contract with HHS. HHS records show the makeup ace was paid $2,300 in 1985.

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CHARLEY REESE

Defense probe shows defect of journalism

Follow the unfolding defense procurement investigation — as a perfect case study of demagoguery and institutional defects in American journalism.


Charley Reese

At this point, the only facts known are that a U.S. Attorney suspects that some individuals within the Defense Department accepted bribes from consultants in exchange for information which the consultants in turn provided to defense contractors.

As I write, no individual has been charged with any crime. At this point, we do not know if in fact any individual has accepted a bribe. At this point, we do not know if any contractor had knowledge of any wrong-doing by any consultant the contractor may have hired. In short, all we do know is that an investigation is underway.

Already you can observe that people who are anti-defense and anti-Reagan have seized on this investigation to pillory the Reagan Administration, the defense buildup, and the defense industry in general. These characters are minimizing the obvious fact that a corrupt individual is a corrupt individual whether he works in defense or welfare. They intend, obviously, to use the crimes of individuals as a weapon against political opponents and policies.

As for the press, stories have already erupted naming this public figure or that public figure as a target of a criminal investigation, according to sources.

These public figures who may in fact not be targets of the investigation or who, if they are, may be innocent of any wrong-doing are nevertheless being subjected to damaged reputations on the basis of anonymous accusers.

That's legal, but it's wrong. You can credit the Supreme Court for this flaw in contemporary journalism. For over 150 years there was a single defense against charges of libel and slander that applied to private and public people alike — the truth. If it's true, it's not slander or libel. If it's false and it defames a person, it is libel or slander.

Under this single standard some of the greatest investigative journalism in history was practiced by great journalists. No one, looking at their work, would have the gall to say that having to tell the truth imposes a chilling effect on journalistic enterprise.

In the 1960s, however, the Supreme Court set up a double standard, known as the Sullivan Rule. If a story involves a private citizen, the old standard of truth is the only permissible defense against libel. If, however, the story involves a public figure, then the Supreme Court in an act of supreme foolishness, said the story could be false so long as it was published without malice and with due diligence.

Proving malice and lack of due diligence is so extraordinarily difficult that the Sullivan Rule has had the effect of ushering in the era of cheap shot journalism. Press lawyers love it because it makes their job easier. Some journalists also love it, since it's license to play loose with the reputations of any one so unfortunate as to become a public figure.

In the long run, however, it has the potential for destroying American journalism, not only by lowering standards, but because the abuses it encourages will cost the free press the public support without which we will not long stay free.

In our judicial system, we believe the greatest error possible is to convict an innocent person and to avoid this error, we go to extraordinary lengths. We consider it flatly unacceptable that any person should be convicted on the basis of accusations made in secret by anonymous accusers. We hold it a sacred principle that a person accused has the right to face his accuser and to cross examine him.

The same standard should apply to journalism. No one should be subjected to a damaged reputation on the basis of speculation by anonymous sources. It's simply unfair. It's one reason good people are reluctant to enter public service.

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EVANS & NOVAK

The Duke's cautious on everything but Israel

CHICAGO — Whether Gov. Michael Dukakis' caution on national security policy conceals a reflexive dovishness or is a natural consequence of the learning process over two years on the campaign trail, he is hedging his bets.

When we asked whether the prospective Democratic presidential nominee agreed with his opponent George Bush that the U.S. defense buildup was a key reason for Soviet policy shifts on arms control and Afghanistan, he went down the middle. Yes, he said, it did play a role — maybe 50 percent or 60 percent, maybe 20 percent. But "a great deal of what is happening is the result of Moscow's very serious internal economic and political problems," he added, not President Reagan's defense buildup.


Rowland Evans and Robert Novak

That "yes, but" response was typical of Dukakis' caution during a half-hour interview last Thursday when we shared the back seat of his car with the governor and press secretary Dayton Duncan on a trip to Chicago's Midway Airport.

Had he agreed with the Rev. Jesse Jackson that Reagan's defense policy has not affected dramatic policy changes in Mikhail Gorbachev's Kremlin, Dukakis would damage his bid for moderate Reagan Democrats he is wooing back to their party. But giving the record defense buildup full credit for the Soviets conciliation would weaken Dukakis with his liberal base and the Jackson constituency.

Turn the question into a test of the Reagan Doctrine and the governor gets another split decision. Asked whether he could say "anything good" about the pledge of U.S. aid to anti-communist freedom fighters, Dukakis shot back: "I supported the Afghan involvement." That indeed has been the straight liberal line, predating Gorbachev's apparent intention to pull out all Soviet invasion troops.

But in the harder cases of Nicaragua and Angola, where the Reagan Doctrine has been maimed by the Democratic-controlled Congress, Dukakis flew with the doves.

Although Reagan's Angolan policy has helped Dr. Jonas Savimbi survive battle against 50,000 Cuban troops while calling for free elections, Dukakis called it "bad policy" that is blocking negotiated peace in southern Africa. He told us he had not been informed that a small but influential circle of liberal Democratic senators have begun calling for a reappraisal of party policy toward Savimbi which would give him the status of major player in southern Africa.

In the case of southern Africa, the governor in effect has turned his policy over to Jackson, who calls Savimbi a tool of South Africa. As a result, Dukakis could find as president that he has forfeited a potent bargaining level. Following Jackson's line eliminates using Savimbi to block the Soviet Union from entrenching its influence in southern Africa.

As for Nicaragua, the governor was scornful about Reagan's long struggle to preserve the Contra guerrillas, calling the policy "a disaster and a failure." But even here he showed a tougher side, claiming that if the Sandinistas use Soviet arms to attempt the subversion of any Central American state, the U.S. has "every right" to do whatever was necessary to stop it. He does not think that has happened yet, despite evidence of Sandinista aid to communist guerrillas in El Salvador.

Dukakis opened up a chink of flexibility on the question of a land-based strategic nuclear missile instead of the two new systems he opposes, the giant MX and the small Midgetman. His defense advisers, he told us, have come up with a way to "modernize" existing missiles — presumably by putting more warheads on the Minuteman III. The next president will either have to modernize, he said, or "put 60 or 80 or a 100 billion dollars" into the MX or Midgetman.

The U.S. has 500 Minuteman III missiles, each with three warheads, but they could be modernized to carry seven. Dukakis gave no details of his plan, but he said it would make the "land-based leg" of the U.S. strategic force invulnerable. That claim is certainly debatable, but it does give him an answer to critics charging that his defense policy — based on strengthening conventional arms — would invite Soviet blackmail.

Only on the Middle East did Dukakis fail to offer contingencies. His proposal to move the U.S. Embassy to Jerusalem is not subject to change. "No, I've always had that position," he told us.

He supported his case by a surprising comparison of Jerusalem with East Germany's capital in East Berlin. That ignores the refusal of the U.N., strongly backed by the U.S., to recognize Israel's sovereignty over East Jerusalem. The U.S. Embassy is in East Berlin because of the Four Power Agreement that set up occupation rights in Berlin following World War II. The U.S. has never recognized East Berlin as the capital of East Germany.

Michael Dukakis knows that in running for president, there is an immutable rule about the Middle East. No such iron dictate governs strategic arms, the Reagan Doctrine or interpreting how arms spending affects Kremlin policy. But when it comes to Israel, the best politics is unconditional support for whatever Israel wants.

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak are columnists for North America Syndicate.

Jackson delegates to make presence known

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Democratic Convention is planning to crown Michael Dukakis as the party's 1988 standard bearer, but backers of Jesse Jackson say they'll make their presence felt in the streets of Atlanta.

"Untold thousands" of Jackson supporters are expected to converge on the convention city next weekend, said Jackson's delegate coordinator Joseph Gardner. About 1,200 of them will be delegates, he said, but many without convention credentials planned to make the trip as well.

Jackson said Wednesday he anticipates thousands of his supporters to turn out, although he is not organizing any mass gathering. He plans to travel to the convention city via a three-day bus tour from Chicago, encouraging voter registration and thanking supporters on the way.

A number of the Jackson supporters who travel to Atlanta may not be willing to go along quietly with what they see as a vague party platform.

And some are indicating they won't sit by passively if their candidate is passed over for the second spot on the ticket.

How they might manifest their discontent, beyond Jackson-directed floor arguments on his key platform proposals, is not yet clear. But at least one street demonstration not sanctioned by the campaign is planned by Rep. Gus Savage, a longtime Jackson friend and ally.

Savage and his staff declined to discuss the goal of the rally, but indications are it will be to call on Dukakis to choose Jackson for his running mate.

Jackson aide Yolanda Carroway said the candidate would not encourage such demonstrations, especially any that attack the Democratic ticket.

"He does not want this convention disrupted," she said.

Instead, the Jackson forces are orchestrating a number of events to occupy and energize supporters who are not delegates and will not have access to the convention. The activities will also help Jackson keep the spotlight on his progressive agenda.

Jackson has made clear in speaking to delegate leaders that "the watchwords for the convention were discipline, detail and hope," said Gardner, the delegate coordinator.

Gardner expects vigorous debate over Jackson platform proposals, but said that argument will be "constructive, not destructive."

Despite such reassurances from Jackson himself and many of his top lieutenants, there is division among his backers about their convention demeanor.

Walda Katz Fishman, a Washington supporter and sociologist at Howard University, said many people supported him "because they thought Jackson was really saying something. Now they're kind of being told, 'Well, all that was just for show.'"

Fishman, who is organizing a small group of people to travel to Atlanta, said she will participate in Jackson's rallies but also expects to join in protests by other progressive groups that might be more critical of the Democrats.

Jackson "has a very heavy burden as he tries to balance among what the different constituencies expect of him," said Eleanor Holmes Norton, a former Carter administration official now heading Jackson's platform team.

Some want to see Jackson as vice president, others "can't conceive of him in any other role" than president, while still others are looking toward his leadership of a new progressive coalition, Norton noted.

Campaign officials say they don't think Jackson delegates would disrupt the convention.

"I don't make the mistake of underestimating Jesse Jackson's ability to know his constituency. He knows what he's doing," said his campaign manager Gerald Austin.

But on the vice presidential question, Jackson himself has inflamed the supporters' passions and raised expectations as he has repeatedly touted his qualifications for the post.

Ron Walters, a Howard University political scientist and consultant to Jackson's campaign, said, "Some people have expressed the sentiment they will not vote if Jackson is not on the ticket."

However, he said, "there's some way to salvage that" — if Dukakis "comes up with something important" like adopting some of Jackson's economic positions.

On the platform, the official Jackson campaign attitude has been positive, but within the Jackson ranks some feel Dukakis and the party establishment are slipping by without making specific commitments.

Walters called the platform "exceedingly vague," and said it will "shock a lot of people...who wanted to see in the platform a substantial view of their own interest and constituency."

Jackson has filed a dozen minority planks and will decide which ones to take to a floor fight.

Among his most controversial proposals are a call for a no-first use nuclear policy, support for a Palestinian state, a military budget freeze and a tax hike on the wealthy and corporations.

Jackson's half-brother files suit

CHICAGO (AP) — Jesse Jackson's half-brother has filed a $20 million lawsuit against NBC and a reporter at a local network-owned television station, contending he was libeled by a report that he had ordered a killing.

The libel action by businessman Noah R. Robinson seeks $10 million each in damages from the network and reporter Peter Karl at WMAQ-TV, citing reports about a December 1987 attack on a South Carolina woman.

WMAQ News Director Dick Reingold declined to comment on the lawsuit Thursday, saying he had not seen it. There was no one available to comment for NBC at the network's New York media relations office after business hours Thursday.

Robinson of Chicago, half-brother of the Democratic presidential candidate, also filed a $1 million lawsuit against U.S. News and World Report Inc. in Cook County Circuit Court on Wednesday.

He said while the magazine reported he had been arrested by the FBI, the federal agency did not take part in his arrest and he was not charged with a federal crime.

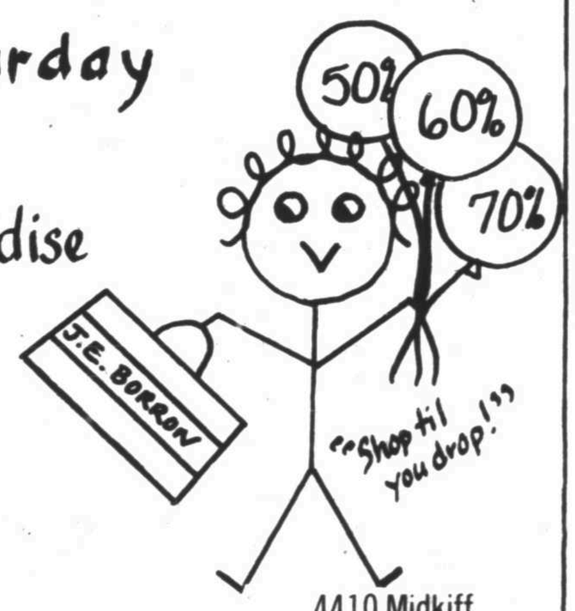
C. Thomas Dienes, general counsel for U.S. News in Washington, D.C., said he had not seen the lawsuit and could not comment on it.

Robinson, 45, is free on bond after his arrest June 4 in Greenville, S.C., where he and Jackson were born, on charges of conspiracy, intimidation of a witness, obstruction of justice and being an accessory to a felony.

The charges stem from the stabbing of Janice Denise Rosemond, who survived an attack in her Greenville apartment in December 1987.



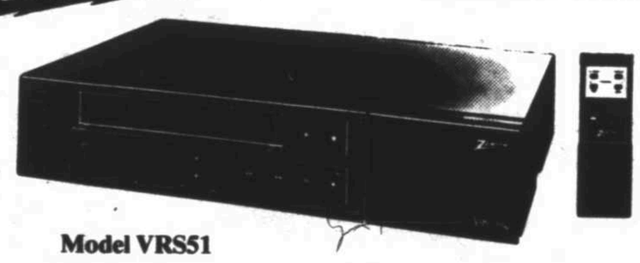
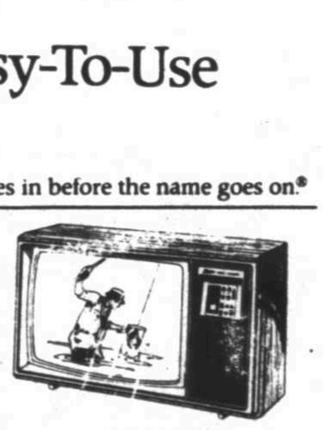
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Heat wave breaks records

Associated Press

A heat wave shattered temperature records in the Midwest, baking already parched crops and prompting a pollution warning in Chicago, while North Dakota officials said the drought could put 7,000 farmers out of business this year.

Low water again kept barges from moving today on the lower Mississippi River and part of the Ohio was closed.

In Chicago, which hit 97 degrees Thursday, stagnant air and scorching temperatures helped push ozone concentrations to the highest level in a decade, state Environmental Protection Agency officials said.

Authorities issued a "yellow alert," warning that concentrations of the airborne pollutant were so high that the very old, the very young, and those with respiratory ailments should stay indoors. Agency spokesman Will Flower said the high levels of ozone would continue today.

Temperatures hovered near 100 degrees Thursday across much of Indiana for the third consecutive day. With no rain predicted through Sunday, officials said the week would likely close as the hottest and driest this year.

Drought-aid bill promised

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prodded by farm-state governors, congressional committees are planning to start work next week on legislation to provide relief to farmers whose crops have been ravaged by drought.

"We will attempt to have legislation prepared and introduced...if not Monday then hopefully Tuesday," House Agriculture Committee Chairman E. "Kika" de la Garza, D-Texas, said Thursday.

The promise followed a closed-door meeting with six governors at which Agriculture Secretary Richard E. Lyng concurred that the time has come to start legislation on its way through Congress.

"There's a need to do something. It would probably take legislation to do that, and there's a need to do it with some urgency," Lyng said. He also said there is a good chance President Reagan will give his approval to such a measure.

Lab waste closes beaches

MINEOLA, N.Y. (AP) — Authorities banned swimming on some Long Island beaches for a second day after more blood vials, syringes and other medical debris washed ashore, and one official said "midnight dumpers" were suspected.

The closing of Robert Moses State Park to swimmers Thursday came hours after health officials lifted a ban instigated Wednesday when the first wave of hospital waste hit parts of Long Island's South Shore.

Similar orders were given for Nassau Beach County Park and at four Fire Island beaches: Kismet, Fair Harbor, Dunewood and Atlantique. Several other beaches that were closed Wednesday were reopened.

Elsewhere, Bayonne, N.J., officials found four more glass blood vials Thursday, bringing to 145 the number of vials found since Sunday. Five of 105 vials tested were found to have the AIDS antibody; 36 vials were still awaiting testing.

The discovery came a month after five vials of blood were found along the beach in Ocean County on the New Jersey shore. Two of those vials were contaminated with the AIDS antibody, while a third tested positive for the more highly infectious hepatitis B virus.

Hodel letters criticize Democrats but not Republicans

WASHINGTON (AP) — Interior Secretary Donald Hodel is waging a letter-writing campaign harshly critical of House Democrats supporting legislation to protect a national battleground, but Republicans backing the same bill are noticeably absent from his target list.

A spokesman for Hodel said Thursday that the only reason 29 Republican co-sponsors of the bill escaped his scorn is that the targets were selected in "haphazard" fashion.

Letters sent by Hodel to 13 newspapers in the home districts of the Democrats say they should be "ashamed" of themselves for backing a "ludicrous" plan to protect the Manassas National Battlefield Park from nearby development.

Hodel opposes the bill drafted by Reps. Michael Andrews, D-Texas, and Robert Mrazek, D-N.Y., that would require the Interior Department to acquire land now owned by a developer who plans a shopping center, office buildings and residential units next to the Civil War battlefield in Virginia.

Critics say the massive development would destroy the still-rustic feeling of the 4,600-acre battleground.

Interior Department spokesman David Prosperi confirmed Thursday that seven House Democrats had been singled out in letters by Hodel, but denied that the secretary was targeting only Democrats.

"The selection was done in a very haphazard manner," Prosperi said. "If we had had time, we would have sent (letters) to everyone — Republicans and Democrats."

Prosperi said letters from Hodel criticizing the measure were sent to 13 newspapers in the congressional districts of Andrews and Mrazek, as well as Democratic Reps. John Lewis of Georgia, Bill Richardson of New Mexico, James Clarke of North Carolina, Robert Kastenmeier of Wisconsin, Jim Slattery of Kansas and Barbara Kennelly of Connecticut.

The letters were published in some of the papers in late May and throughout June.

"It's clear that Mr. Hodel's actions have become extremely partisan," said Mrazek.

Odds of major quake higher than once believed, USGS report says

MENLO PARK, Calif. (AP) — The odds of a catastrophic earthquake that could kill thousands of people in Southern California are higher than once believed, and the San Francisco Bay area faces a similar threat, a federal report says.

Recent concern about the so-called "big one" on the San Andreas Fault has centered on the greater Los Angeles-San Bernardino area because so much strain on the fault's north end was released by San Francisco's great quake of 1906, which measured an estimated 8.3 on the Richter scale.

But a report issued Thursday by the U.S. Geological Survey and a working group of its National Earthquake Prediction Evaluation Council said the San Francisco Bay area is nearly as likely to suffer a great quake.

"Unless we aggressively pursue earthquake reduction measures, there is the potential for many people to die, perhaps more people than ever died in a single day from any (natural) disaster in the United States," said Richard Andrews, deputy director of California's Office of Emergency Services.

A 1983 state emergency plan said a great quake near metropolitan Los Angeles would be America's worst disaster since the Civil War.

Two separate studies, one being published today in the journal Science, say that quakes along the San Andreas in the Mojave region near Los Angeles tend historically to occur in bursts of two or three within a relatively short time, followed by 200- to 300-year periods without large temblors.

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Commission saves Midland County Restitution Center

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The Texas Adult Probation Commission "went out on a limb" this morning to save the Midland County Restitution Center.

The Commission shuffled its Fiscal 1989 budget, agreeing to spend $1 million more than the Legislature has given it on a gamble that probation departments around the state won't spend all that money.

Faced with a $300,000 budget crunch, the commission staff had recommended closing the 35-bed restitution center in Midland and expanding the Ector County center to cover the entire Permian Basin area.

Midland District Judges Vann Culp and Dean Rucker and County Commissioners Guy McCrary and George Wright traveled to Austin to oppose the move.

"We appreciate very, very much the concern and the attention that you've given us," Culp said. "I think you'll be proud of the fact that we will proceed forward."

The commission decided to grant Midland County $438,000 to run the restitution center next ye: It ordered the Midland County Probation Department to work closely with commission staff in monitoring funds and in improving operations at the center.

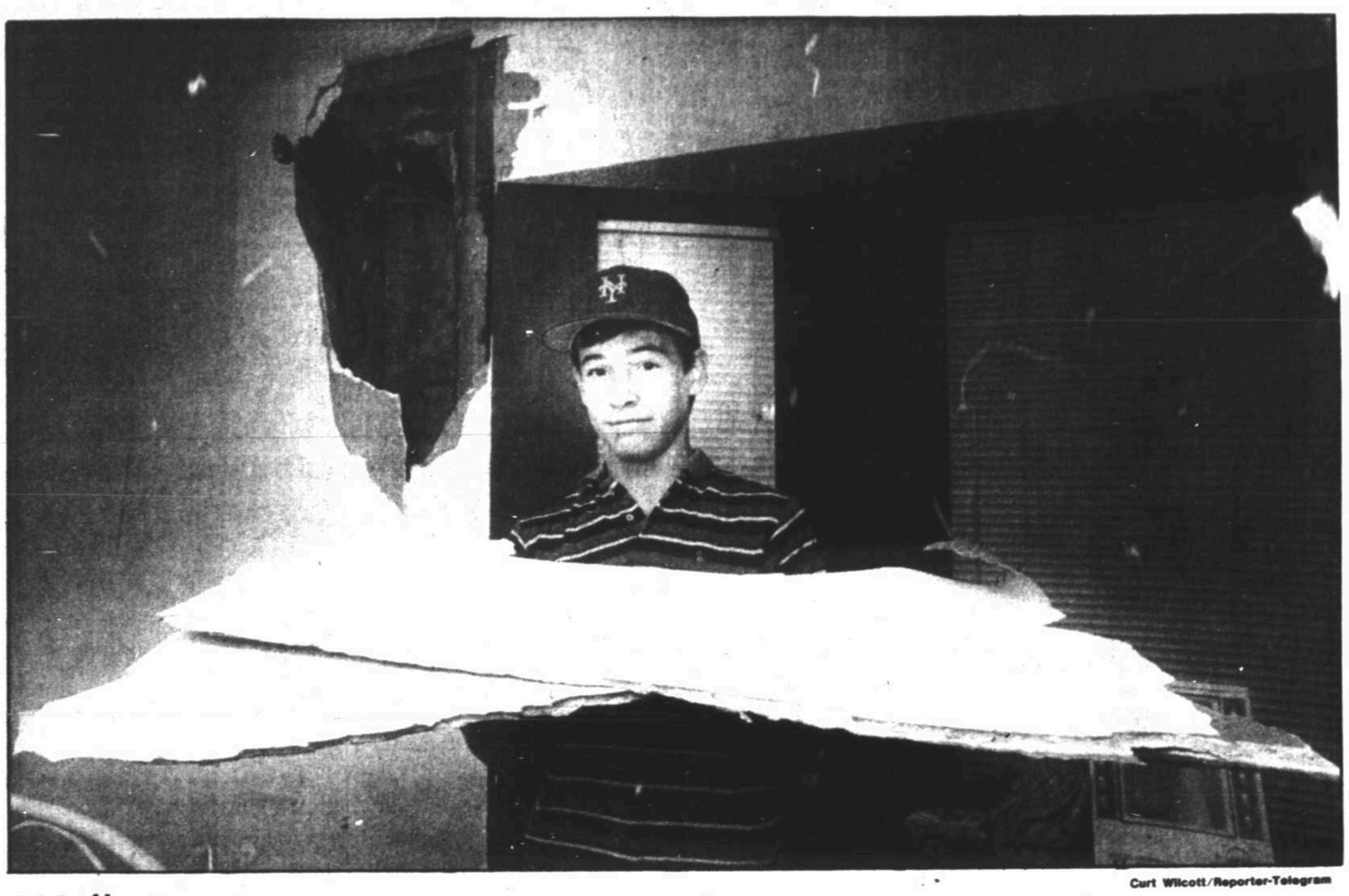
Commission member Diane Clark said the Midland County officials presence "had an enormous impact" on the commission's decision.

The commission's committee on program services considered the plan Thursday but passed it on to the full commission without a recommendation. The commission staff spent the night searching for funds "to continue the Midland center for some period of time," Lewis said.

Judges send non-violent offenders to restitution centers rather than prison so they can remain employed, re-pay their victims and pay off the state.

The commission's appropriation for restitution centers in fiscal 1989, which begins September 1, drops from $8.3 million to $8 million. Lewis said the commission staff studied the costs and efficiency of centers around the state and "when it all shuffled down, Midland came at the bottom of the list."

For the first nine months of fiscal 1988, the 40-bed center in Odessa served 83 persons at a cost of $29.74 per resident per day, with 77 percent successfully completing the program. The Midland center served 66 persons for $38.72 per resident per day, with a success rate of 59 percent.



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Wall pieces

Rob Foster, 13, son of Linda Foster, 2409 Emerson Court, holds pieces of the wall in his sister's bedroom, which came loose after lightening zipped through the Foster home Thursday evening. No injuries were reported in the strike that occurred while the Fosters were not home.

MIA's wife searches for husband, believes U.S. knows where he is

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Kay Marker's search for her missing husband, U.S. Army Capt. Michael Marker, began in 1971 after he was reportedly shot down while flying a surveillance mission over South Vietnam.

In the 17 years that have passed, Mrs. Marker's pursuits have taken her from her home in San Antonio to conferences with two branches of the U.S. government. Still, she argues that U.S. officials know of her husband's whereabouts despite their persistent denials.

"My story is nothing compared to some families. We have families who have received live-sighting reports as late as last year on their family member," said Mrs. Marker, whose husband's remains have never been recovered.

Mrs. Marker is visiting Midland this week to raise public awareness on the MIA-POW issue.

Her husband was flying a JU21A — an aircraft equivalent to a civilian Beech King Air — when he was shot down. He had been in the service for 4½ years and had been stationed in Vietnam for six months prior to his disappearance, she said.

"I've dealt with the reality of what happened to my husband, his crew and the MIAs. But it's going to happen again if they (U.S. government officials) don't pay attention. I would like to see that not happen again to another generation of our servicemen,"



Kay Marker

she said.

When Marker disappeared, his wife was told it would be 10 years before she would know anything pertaining to his fate because of the top secret nature of his missions.

"So, I began to inquire immediately about him, but I haven't been given any information which I feel is necessary to be conclusive," she said.

In 1983, Mrs. Marker participated in a congressional inquiry, but she was told that all information regarding the incident was classified until 2030.

Calling the congressional response "absurd," Mrs. Marker joined an MIA-POW family organization based in Washington D.C., but publicly disassociated herself from that group in 1986 because "their leadership has accepted pretty much an advocacy position with the government instead of an adversarial position," she said.

Last September, she was asked to represent over 1,000 MIA family members before Congress. For the next three weeks, she worked on a House resolution, which was designed to make public all information held by the Defense Intelligence Agency.

The resolution went before the House Subcommittee on Southeast Asia and Pacific Affairs, "but I don't think it has a chance to proceed much further," said Mrs. Marker.

"Working with Congress was a very interesting experience. I found them almost too readily accepting of information that was coming from the Defense Intelligence Agency and the Department of Defense," she added.

Mrs. Ma ker said the U.S. government estimates that over 500 soldiers remain unaccounted for in Southeast Asia. However, the communist regime in North Vietnam has insisted that there no more remains of American servicemen in that region.

"If I have been given the correct information and that my husband was downed in the North, there's no doubt in my mind that Hanoi knows what happened to him," she said.

MMH to tear down strip center to help solve parking problem

From Staff Reports

Midland Memorial Hospital will graze a strip center it recently purchased for $75,000 to make room for additional parking spaces, a spokeswoman said today.

The hospital purchased the small three-business facility located on the corner of Illinois Avenue and Andrews Highway July 1, records showed.

Two other hospital-owned facilities — an education annex and an office building that houses hospital accounting personnel — surround the area.

With this latest purchase, MMH now owns the area bordered by Illinois and Texas Avenues, O Street and Andrews Highway.

The hospital is located across the street from this parcel.

A major complaint from hospital consumers is that there is no place to park there, said Laurie Johnson, MMH public relations director.

If and when the hospital renovates the education annex into a facility to house a new, sophisticated piece of medical equipment — a $1.5 million magnetic resonance imaging machine — the parking facilities could also be used by those patients, Mrs. Johnson said.

The hospital may begin grazing the strip center as soon as September 1, she said.

MMH has been wanting to acquire this property for some time, Mrs. Johnson said.

Howard County woman sentenced to life

From Staff Reports

BIG SPRING — One of four defendents received a life sentence Thursday after pleading guilty to a lesser charge of murdering two Mexican nationals in October 1987, the Howard County district attorney said.

Jeannie Hernandez Fonseca, a Howard County resident, had been charged with capital murder and would have faced the death penalty had she been found guilty, said Rick Hamby, Howard County District Attorney.

Three other male defendants are awaiting trial, Hamby said.

Miguel Calixto and Narberto Gurrala Hernandez died Oct. 10, 1987, victims of a fire at the residence in Luther, 15 miles north of Big Spring, Hamby said.

While some evidence indicates the men may have been shot first, Hamby said their exact cause of death was hard to discern because their bodies were burned.

The two men apparently died after an alleged robbery in which some silver dollars were taken, Hamby said.

Board approves Medicaid program

By DAVID PLESA
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The Texas Board of Human Services bowed to the wishes of legislative leaders Thursday and approved a scaled-back program to add thousands of pregnant women and children to the state Medicaid rolls.

The expanded program, recommended by the Legislative Budget Board, will add 15,000 low-income pregnant women and 23,000 children to the Medicaid program beginning in September. The program will cost the state $36.8 million.

Human Services Department staff, however, had proposed placing an additional 69,000 children on the Medicaid rolls at a cost of $48.2 million.

"They (the LBB) put in most of the money and cut out 45,000 kids," said Brian Packard, associate department commissioner.

At an LBB meeting Wednesday night, legislative leaders questioned the department's authority to expand Medicaid and other welfare programs with money it saved over the past year. They also questioned the costs involved and strongly recommended the Human Services board scale back the expansion plans.

"I have been told (by friends) that it would be departmental suicide to pass these in the face of this action last night," board Chairman J. Livingston Kosberg said.

The board also adopted LBB recommendations by putting on hold expansion programs involving nursing home coverage, day care services, job training for welfare recipients and family planning services.

The new program, adopted 2-1 by the board, allows pregnant women and children to qualify for the Medicaid benefits if their income falls below federal poverty guidelines. Under existing rules, only those whose income is no more than 34 percent of the poverty guidelines are eligible.

The expansion will make 23,000 children up to age 2 eligible for benefits beginning in September, 42,000 up to age 3 by September 1989, and 67,500 up to age 4 by September 1990.

The board, at the request of Gov. Bill Clements, House Speaker Gib Lewis and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, in May delayed action on the department staff proposal recommending the 15,000 pregnant women and 69,000 children up to age 6 be immediately eligible for Medicaid.

Joining Kosberg in voting for the scaled-back expansion was board member Rob Mosbacher, who said it was "absolutely essential that we have the support of the Legislature."

But board member Vicki Garza strongly disagreed and said she supported the more expanded program recommended by department staff.

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MCH's payments hinge on inspection

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A 2 p.m. news conference today was expected to reveal whether Medical Center Hospital passed a state health department inspection that will allow the county-owned institution to continue to receive payments for Medicare patients.

Frank Beaman, MCH spokesman, declined to speculate Thursday afternoon on the outcome of the inspection, which was triggered by a complaint alleging the facilities emergency room medical screening procedures were inadequate.

"We won't have all of the results until tomorrow," he said.

On June 3, MCH administrators were advised in a letter from the Health Care Financing Administration that the county-owned facility would no longer be eligible for Medicare payments.

The decision is based on a May 25 inspection by state health department representatives that revealed "deficiencies which represent an immediate and serious threat to patient health and safety."

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Ranch rodeo, cooking teams 'round up' $1,625 for 4-H, FFA

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Ranch-rodeo teams in the Midland Ranch Rodeo and Chuck Wagon Cooking Contest held last Monday are riding "tall in the saddle" again after donating their prize money back to the Midland County Livestock Association, which sponsored the event.

"That's super," said Midland rancher Charlie Welch, who coordinated the rodeo. "We are thrilled that the winners did this for us."

The funds will be plowed into producing the annual Midland County Livestock Show for 4-H Club boys and girls and Future Farmers of America (FFA) students to exhibit their livestock projects.

"The rodeo was fantastic," Welch said. "It was very successful. We're looking forward to having a much bigger and better one next year."

The top-ranked Windham Ranch rodeo team and runners-up Pevehouse Ranch and Eiland Ranch rodeo teams returned their total winnings — $1,625 — to the Midland County Livestock Association, Welch said.

"The whole thing was for fun," said Midland rancher J. Kennard Windham. "We weren't out there for blood and guts. It was to benefit the livestock association — the 4-H and FFA — and they need the money," he said.

"We felt this was the right thing to do, and that's what we wanted to," Windham said. "I don't think you should be rewarded for doing something right. It was more fun for us than it was for the spectators. We really like our work, and it's our life. I think you should be corrected for doing something wrong, but I don't think you should be rewarded doing something right."

The ranch-rodeo events represented everyday tasks performed by working cowboys.

The Windham Ranch rodeo team won four of the five ranch-rodeo events by scoring high in wild-cow milking, branding, penning and roping. But the Windham team fell behind in ranch-horse cutting by tying for last place. The Pevehouse Ranch rodeo team won the ranch-horse cutting, while the Parks Ranch rodeo team placed second in that event and the Eiland Ranch rodeo team came in third place.

Rodeo teams from 10 ranches had entered the Independence Day event, which was tied to West Texas' ranch heritage. Each team paid $250 entry fee for $2,500 in total fees. After paying expenses and then accepting the gift of the returned prize money from the ranch teams, the association's netted funds will be used in producing the 1989 4-H-FFA livestock show.

In the chuck wagon cooking event, the Ralph Powell Ranch Wagon was judged best in chuck wagon food. The Bob Midkiff Ranch Wagon placed second, and the Inman Ranch and Windham Ranch cooking teams tied for third and fourth.

The Midland Ranch Rodeo and Chuck Wagon Cooking Contest was born out of an idea proposed by Midland ranchers Charlie Welch, Ralph Powell and Candi Cowden. The ranchers wanted to pay tribute to West Texas' ranch heritage and to the country on Independence Day.

The event received community support.

"We thought it was a wonderful idea, and it took us 10 seconds to jump on the idea," said Charles A. Spence, publisher of The Midland Reporter-Telegram, one of the sponsors of the event.

Welch and the other ranchers "did an outstanding job of putting this together and following it through," Spence said. "It went without a hitch. Our hat is off to Charlie Welch for getting this thing started. I think he did a great job, and this is going to be a winner for many years to come."

"It was a tremendous success," Spence said. "And in future years, we expect this will be a major event. It held outstanding family entertainment and celebrated the ranching history of Midland County. It was outstanding."

Others who helped ramrod the event included Charlie Green, president of the Midland County Livestock Association; Judy Jackson, dance chairman; the Midland County commissioners, including Durward Wright, who lent use of the county's Rodeo Arena, Exhibit Building and grounds to produce the event, and Earnest Kiker, Midland County agricultural agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"I can't think of any better way or greater way to celebrate July the Fourth than for ranching families coming together in competition and playing," Kiker said. "It involved an opportunity for all families to come together and have good family fellowship."

Kiker was appreciative of "all workers and donors to this program" and, on behalf of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, offered "a sincere thank you."

Kiker noted the ranch rodeo and the chuck-wagon cooking benefited 4-H and FFA youth.

"And there's nothing more worthy than working on youth programs," Kiker said. In donating their prize money to the livestock association's 4-H and FFA programs, the ranch-rodeo teams displayed "true Americanism," he said. "The money they (the cowboys) won they gave to the youth programs, and that couldn't happen on a better day."

DEATHS

Gertrude B. Craig

KERMIT — Graveside services for Gertrude Briggs Craig of Midland were scheduled for 2 p.m. today at the Kermit Cemetery with the Rev. W.W. Campbell of Belvue Baptist Church officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

She died at a Midland nursing home early Thursday morning.

She was born April 17, 1902, in Farmersville, where she was reared. She moved to Kermit with her husband, Charlie Briggs, in 1938. He preceded her in death in 1948. In 1950, she married Ira Craig, who preceded her in death in 1980. A son, Charles Briggs, also preceded her in death in 1984.

She was a beautician for 50 years. In 1963, she closed her shop in Kermit and moved to Midland. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Kermit.

She is survived by a daughter, Leah McElrath of Midland; a brother, Bobby Moneyhun of Coleman; a sister, Fay Sackett of Coleman, and a grandson, David McElrath of Midland.

Curtis Lee Jones

Services for Curtis Lee Jones of Midland are scheduled for 11 a.m. Saturday at the Lee Street Church of Christ with L.H. Alexander officiating. Interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Sizemore Funeral Home.

He was born December 24, 1944, in Clarksville and attended public schools in Midland. He graduated from Carver High School in 1963. He attended Eastern New Mexico University from 1963 to 1964 and Texas Southern University from 1964 to 1965. He worked at the J.R. Young Dale Navel Weapons Center in Los Angeles as a contractor.

Survivors include his wife, Esther Fay Jones of Los Angeles; a daughter, Carlette Jones of Midland; three sons, Ronald D. Jones of New York City, Tony Ellis of Odessa and Eris Ray Bowers of Midland; his mother, Esther Lene Cassel of Midland; his grandmother, Myrtle Davis of Midland; a grandchild and a host of relatives and friends.

Vern Dawkins

Services for Vern Dawkins of Midland were scheduled for 11 a.m. today at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. P.J. Tyler officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were to include Hubert Benton, Gene Bishop, Mike Dawkins, Fred Harvey, Lowell Thurman and Charlie Welch.

Cancer patient launches fund drive

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — Two-year-old Kathryn Elizabeth "Beth" Downing of Wichita Falls is going to die this year, her mother Kathy says physicians have told her.

Beth probably will die between the next two weeks to three months, depending on how much chemotherapy slows the incurable 6-inch-long tumor that's intertwined with her spinal column, Mrs. Downing said.

Mrs. Downing said she and her husband, David, don't have insurance, and the money they receive from Medicaid and the Crippled Children's Fund are weighted with restrictions. They didn't even know how to raise money for a proper funeral for Beth — until Clay Parker spoke up.

Clay, 12, and his parents, Beverly and Danny Bohannon of Iowa Park, met the Downings at Cook-Fort Worth Children's Medical Center last fall, where he was having treatment for leukemia. The two families kept in touch. In June, Mrs. Downing called Mrs. Bohannon to tell her that Beth had a relapse of the cancer physicians thought was eradicated in March.

It was then that Clay suggested that someone set up a benefit account.

"We're trying to raise money for the burial," Clay said of the account set up at State National Bank in Iowa Park.

Mrs. Bohannon said the funeral will relieve the Downings of one of their financial problems. The account contains $759, she said, while another account set up last fall at Union Square Credit Union in Wichita Falls is still active.

Clay, whose leukemia is in remission, said he and Beth were on the same floor during his 70 days at the hospital. He was diagnosed with the disease in November. "You know, I really don't know what she's like," Clay said. "I didn't really meet her that much because I was in ICU (intensive care unit) for 10 days."

Clay said he got the idea for an account or benefit of some kind because KKQV-FM and KAUZ-TV played a benefit softball game for Beth in November. Since a benefit was held before, he said, he thought something could be done again.

Mrs. Bohannon then called the Iowa Park bank and opened the account.

Mrs. Downing said Clay is a wonderful child for thinking of a way to help Beth when he has a potentially deadly disease of his own to contend with. "It just made me cry when she (Mrs. Bohannon) told me what Clay had done," she said.

Beth was diagnosed with cancer last September, Mrs. Downing said, and with her apparent remission after four surgical procedures, months of chemotherapy and radiation treatment, her parents' relief was immeasurable. "They (physicians) told us since she hadn't relapsed since she was on chemotherapy, she had a good chance of being cured," she said.

A CATSCAN performed on Beth May 12 showed no sign of a tumor, so when another test run on June 16 showed an apple-sized growth, Mrs. Downing said she and her husband were numbed. "I couldn't think anything," she said. "We just couldn't feel anything for a couple of days."

Now, Mrs. Downing said, she and her husband are happy that Beth is at home instead of the hospital. But if Beth dies, they'll have little but memories to remember her by since videotapes of her life were stolen in March. Among the $6,000 worth of items taken during the burglary, Mrs. Downing said, were a videotape recorder, television set and a container full of tapes, including recordings of Beth's first birthday. "And her first Christmas," she said, "which will probably be her last Christmas ever."

Odessa City Council eyes preliminary budget

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — Odessa City Council members will get their first look at the city's preliminary 1988-89 budget, along with proposals and recommendations on how city revenues should be spent, during a 1½-day retreat that began this morning at UTPB.

City Manager Bill Brown said the city was "taking advantage" of free space available at the university for such conferences in an effort to "save taxpayers' money."

Brown said the retreat will include presentation of plans and recommendations by various city department heads, as well as discussions to determine what level of support the mayor and councilmen believe should be given such projects as 20/20 Foresight and economic development.

Mayor Don Carter Thursday said the retreat will be "two days of hard study, trying to make the right decisions." Asked if he anticipated any particular areas he and council members will want to address, Carter said he and the council have not discussed any particular problem areas. The city's administrative staff, he said, "will make the presentations and then we'll look at those areas."

The retreat got underway at 8 a.m. today in the UTPB Devonian Room and is scheduled to continue until 5 p.m. The retreat will resume at 8 a.m. Saturday and is slated to end about noon.

New York claims prize with largest cockroach

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Many places may claim to have the largest cockroaches, but New York City has secured the honor, at least for this year, with a two-inch insect.

In the second Great American Roach-Off, sponsored by Combat pest control products, Manhattan building superintendent Antonio Gonzalez won $1,000 Thursday for capturing a roach that was 2 inches or 50.84 mm long.

Because of a rule change in this year's contest, the roaches submitted for the competition — more than 2,000 from all over the country — had to be dead.

That meant the winning roach couldn't show off his athletic abilities in the first Roach Triathlon.

"I've always been afraid of roaches," said Richardo Ramos, who brought his children to watch the Roach Triathlon and Great American Roach-Off at the Philadelphia Zoo. "I've never seen something like this."

Roaches from Philadelphia, New Jersey and Texas swam, sprinted and crossed hurdles before a cheering crowd of children, adults and the press.

There were tense moments, such as when one of the athletes escaped into the crowd. But the contest, which began with the theme music from the Olympics and the movie "Chariots of Fire" blaring, had no penalties or disqualifications.

For the largest roach competition, Gonzalez's title was secured after the Philadelphia competition could not produce a larger roach. Alice Karabinn submitted the city's entry with an insect measuring 1.519 inches or 38.58 mm.

Michael Bohdan, self-appointed "Cockroach Dundee" and president of The Pest Shop in Plano, Texas, said this year's winner was not as large as last year's roach, which measured 53 mm. A 12-year-old Florida student had captured it.

"The reason we're doing this is to create awareness," said Bohdan, explaining that roaches are the nation's No. 1 pests.

Last year, roaches submitted for the contest were alive and Bohdan received the entries through the mail in jars, boxes and bottles. This year the rules were changed and only dead roaches could be entered. Bohdan said his office last year was filled with crawling insects and "looked like a zoo."

11-year-old pilot recreating Lindbergh's historic flight

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — Eleven-year-old pilot Christopher Lee Marshall took off for St. Louis today on his quest to recreate Charles A. Lindbergh's historic flight to Paris.

The youth left the Kerrville, Texas Municipal Airport about 7 a.m., said Janey Luff, a spokeswoman for Mooney Aircraft.

Marshall arrived in Kerrville at 2:51 p.m. Thursday, where he swapped a borrowed single-engine plane for a new Mooney 252 aircraft built for the trans-Atlantic journey.

Luff said the plane was due at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport at 11 a.m.

Marshall, of Oceano, Calif., wore an oxygen mask and a blue flight jumpsuit with a badge from the Navy's Top Gun fighter-pilot school, as he left San Diego, Calif.

"I'm very happy," he said shortly before takeoff on the first leg of the 5,800-mile journey. "I am an ambassador to the youth of America, and I want to show all the youth that if I can do my dreams, anyone can."

"Any kid can do this," he added.

Marshall, who is five years too young to obtain a pilot's license, is accompanied by former Navy pilot Randy "Duke" Cunningham.

"I'm not going to touch the controls unless there's an emergency," said Cunningham, 46, a retired commander of the Miramar Naval Air Station.

"Chris' aviation skills are phenomenal," he added of his diminutive pilot, who must sit on a cushion to see through the windshield.



Chris Marshall

Before their scheduled arrival in Paris Monday, they will make 13 refueling stops, including stopovers in St. Louis; New York; Sondestrom, Greenland, and Glasgow, Scotland.

In 1927, Lindbergh flew from San Diego to St. Louis, Mo., then to New York City before completing his 33½-hour non-stop solo flight across the Atlantic Ocean to Paris. He was then age 25.

Police investigate burglaries, theft

From Staff Reports

Midland Police are investigating two burglaries and a major theft that occurred Thursday, reports showed.

Elsa I. Paz, of the 1000 block of North Terrell Street, reported to police that a 1988 white pickup truck with blue stripes was stolen Thursday at 2 p.m.

Carolyn Dingus, of the 4500 block of Leddy Drive, told police a video cassette recorder and miscellaneous jewelry, total value $1,000, were stolen from her home.

The burglary occurred shortly after 6 p.m., reports said.

A purse and a portable stereo were stolen from a car parked at Greentree Country Club Thursday afternoon, reports said.

The items were valued at $145, reports said.

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The complaint that prompted the inspection was filed with the state health department by relatives of a woman who sought treatment three times in the same week at the MCH emergency room and later died.

The woman, who had been injured in a traffic accident, complained of being unable to move her legs and left arm but was not screened for neurological damage, according to the letter received from the state agency.

Beaman said Thursday the inspection that began Tuesday involved all areas of the hospital, not just the emergency room.

The re-inspection was requested by MCH Administrator Sam Glenney after he was informed the county-owned facility's eligibility to participate in the Medicare program would be suspended as of July 8.

Payments for Medicare payments have represented nearly 40 percent of Medical Center's patient care-related revenues.

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"While I recognize that there is opposition from the governor's office, the speaker of the House and the lieutenant governor, I refuse to succumb to their wishes," Garza said.

"I would not want to jeopardize the funding (to the department), but I feel obligated as a representative of the less fortunate of the state of Texas to cast my vote for those less fortunate," she said.

Kosberg said the department will make another proposal to the budget board when it meets again in early August.

Court denies appeal for Baytown hearing

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A federal appeals court refused to rehear a case in which Baytown, Texas, was ordered to switch from at-large elections to single member districts.

The 12 active judges of the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals split 6-6 in a vote on rehearing, failing to get the necessary majority Thursday.

Shortly before Baytown's 1987 City Council election, U.S. District Judge John V. Singleton barred elections until the city switched to single member districts.

The appeals court upheld Singleton's ruling, but Baytown requested a rehearing.

The suit was filed by two blacks and two Hispanics who asked that elections be postponed until the issues were settled.

In recent years, Baytown has seen its Hispanic population grow to the point that two voting precincts are now predominantly Hispanic, according to Mayor Emmett Hutto.

Baytown's population is now about nine percent black and about 16 percent Hispanic.

Judge Patrick Higginbotham, in the dissent, said that by refusing to consider the case the 5th Circuit accepted a ruling that the Voting Rights Act's protection applies to a coalition of blacks and Hispanics, as well as to either group by itself.

"This is a disturbing reading of a uniquely important statute, and one with the potential to affect the very structure of every school district, county, and city government in most states of this nation," Higginbotham wrote.

Higginbotham said the court's decision to allow blacks and Hispanics be considered as one minority in this case does not answer the question of whether Congress intended to extend protection to a group consisting of two distinct minority groups.

The last City Council election in Baytown was in 1986.

Hutto said the current nine-member council has been willing to settle the lawsuit so an election could be held, but minority activists have stiffened their demands.

When the lawsuit was first filed in 1985, Conrad Garcia Jr. declared the plaintiffs' goal was to have one single-member district with at least a 70 percent minority population.

Conrad said the group is now seeking to have minorities occupy at least two council seats, since minorities now comprise about one-quarter of Baytown's population.

Wright: Compensation plans should come from Reagan

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, said Thursday he does not necessarily endorse proposals to pay compensation to the families of Iranians killed in the U.S. destruction of a commercial jetliner over the Persian Gulf.

Wright, whose district office in Fort Worth has been flooded with angry calls over the issue, said he had been misquoted Tuesday when questioned during a trip to London about whether the United States should offer compensation.

"At no time did I say anything that would lend itself to the interpretation that I was endorsing the idea," Wright told reporters in his first news conference since returning from the weekend trip.

Rather, Wright said, any decision on such payments should come from President Reagan. If the president decides to offer compensation, Congress would likely support it, he said.

In a national ABC News-Washington Post poll following the incident, 61 percent of those surveyed said they did not favor payment of compensation.

Perot angry with company's challenge

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas billionaire H. Ross Perot is threatening to wage an all-out war against his former company, Electronic Data Systems Corp. of Dallas, after the firm successfully challenged a $500,000 contract Perot's new company has with the U.S. Postal Service.

A government review board Thursday suspended the consulting contract between the Postal Service and the new Perot Systems Corp. after EDS opposed the agreement because competitive bids were not allowed.

Perot responded to word of the suspension, which could last up to 45 days, by saying he would mount a marketing program to take business away from EDS.

"We are going to compete head-to-head with EDS, and we will compete with them for every bit of business they have except what they have with GM (General Motors Corp., the parent of EDS)," he told the Dallas Morning News Washington bureau.

EDS spokesman Roger Still would say only that the issue is the nature of the Postal Service contract, which EDS contends was non-competitive.

"Our position is that we're a computer communications service company ... and we saw a contract — it doesn't matter whose contract it was — that we thought was anti-competitive, and we filed a protest," Still told the Dallas Times Herald Washington bureau.

A spokesman for the Postal Service, Jim Van Loozen, said officials there had not seen the GSA decision and could not comment.

The ongoing battle with EDS, which Perot sold to General Motors in 1984, has made him eager to compete against his old company, he said.

But he acknowledged a non-competition agreement with General Motors will prevent him from earning any profits until after December 1989. Still, he contended the agreement could work to benefit Perot Systems.

"How would you like to be competing against a non-profit company?" Perot asked. "If you have the overhead that EDS has, it gets a little brutal to compete. It will be like turning a bunch of bulldogs loose on a bunch of poodles."

The General Services Administration temporarily suspended the Perot contract until it can decide whether the Postal Service was wrong in granting the contract without taking competitive bids.

Candidate won't declare contributions limit

AUSTIN (AP) — Republican Supreme Court candidate Paul Murphy says he will not set a cap on individual campaign contributions although his Democratic opponent has.

Murphy, a member of the state's 14th Court of Appeals at Houston, said Thursday he wants to raise as much money as he can, and sees no reason to set limits.

Lloyd Doggett, the Democratic nominee for the seat, has said he will accept no contribution over $5,000 and will not take money from political action committees.

At a Capitol news conference, Murphy said the limit is a luxury he cannot afford.

"If I was in Mr. Doggett's position and had a large base of previous statewide contributors, I would seriously consider it also. But I don't," he said.

"I want a level playing field. Limiting contributions is a candidate's way of making a statement. I admire them for making it," Murphy said. "I think I'd be foolish at this point in time...to limit myself that way."

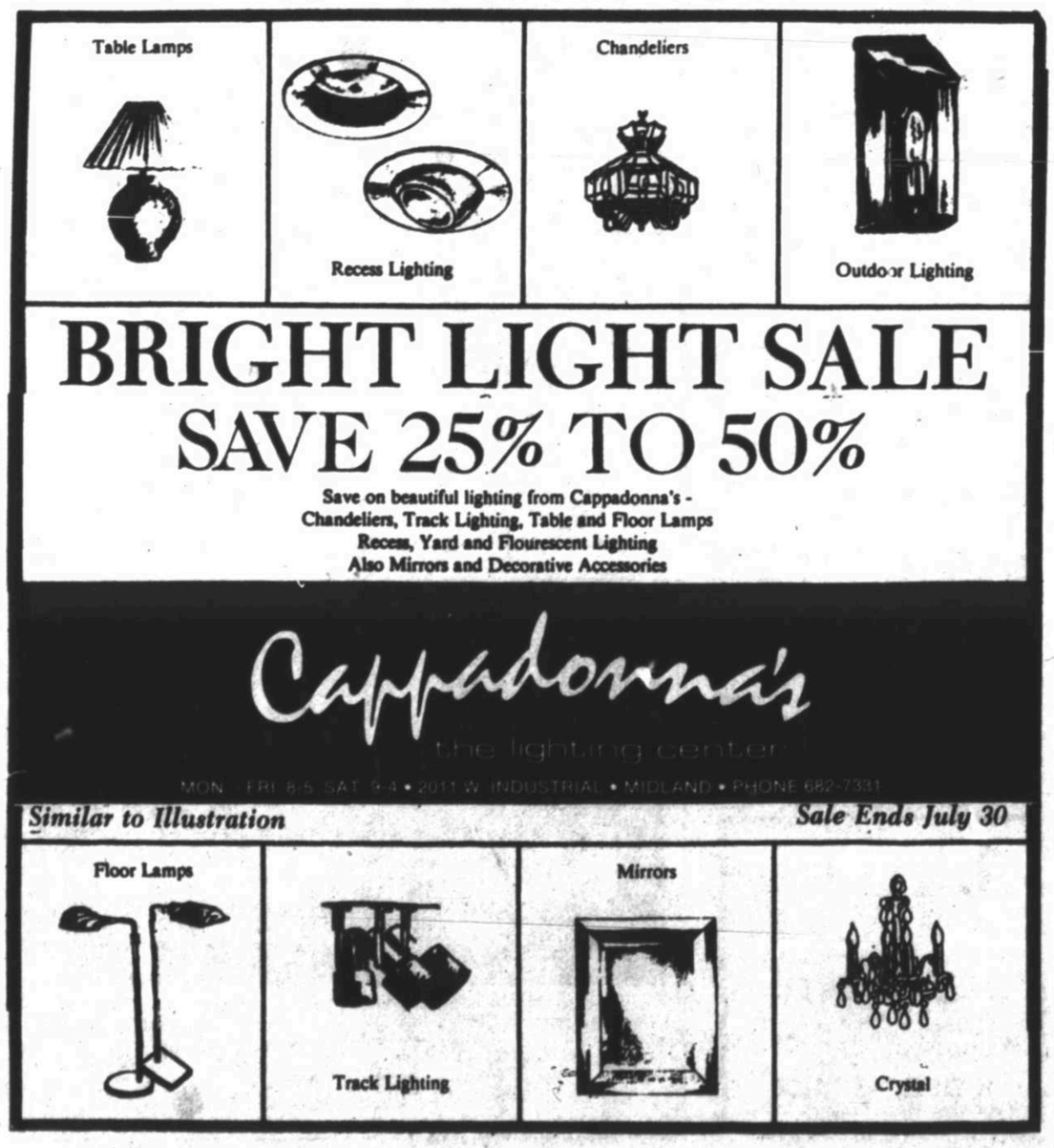
Doggett, a former state senator who lost a 1984 bid for a U.S. Senate seat, is now in private law practice in Austin. He has never been a judge, an issue that Murphy said is the single most important fact in the race.

"The issue of this campaign is pure and simple — my recognized, extensive judicial experience compared to the total lack of judicial experience of my opponent," Murphy said.

Doggett said Thursday he has "broad experience" gained from his years in the Legislature, service which he said showed his "productivity and integrity."

At his Capitol news conference, Murphy declined to take a position on whether the current elective system of picking judges should be scrapped in favor of merit selection.

"That's a legislative function. I don't want to, as a judicial officer, get into that debate," Murphy said.



Silage business grows by 'leaps, bounds'

CLIFTON, Texas (AP) — Seven days a week, James Wiede wakes up at 5:30 a.m. and drives over to one of his silage bunkers in Bosque, Hill or McLennan counties.

A loader scoops silage into a large truck and Wiede hauls it to one of about 15 Stephenville-area dairies. He unloads it in three minutes.

Wiede or one of his workers repeats the four-hour process several times a day.

Cousins James and Harold Wiede of Clifton say their silage business is growing by "leaps and bounds" due to an increase in Stephenville dairies. The dairies mix the silage with grain, cotton seed products or hay.

Large dairies, including dairies relocated from California, buy the silage, Harold Wiede said. Their customers average 750 cows, and the largest dairy milks 2,000 cows daily, he said.

Silage is any crop that is cut, chopped and stored while it's still green, Harold Wiede said. The dairies prefer wheat, oats, triticale and corn because of the higher nutritional content.

The crop is packed to remove oxygen and allowed to ferment for at least three weeks.

"It pickles, is what it does," Harold Wiede said. "It will keep just about forever in that state. It forms a crust and seals over."

The Wiedes keep their silage above ground between two walls of dirt that form a bunker. The average bunkers are about 16 feet tall, 80 feet wide and from 200 to 400 feet long.

Harold Wiede said he and his cousin ship 40,000 tons of silage a year with sales totaling about $1 million. The cousins have 31 dairies on their waiting list and said their business could double in a year at its current rate.

James Wiede handles transportation while Harold Wiede deals with production. Harold said he is spending less time in the fields and more time managing workers, the office, equipment, customers and finances.

"I'm trying to keep the bills paid," he said.

Developing a successful silage business has not been easy. A farmer needs $100,000 for an initial investment, Harold Wiede said.

The Wiede's annual harvest bill is $175,00, and they make a profit of from $3 to $4 a ton. Their silage sells for $25 to $30 a ton.

The Wiedes began experimenting with silage about eight years ago when they talked to a Clifton company official who sold silos. After five years of testing, the cousins felt ready to deliver to dairies. They wanted to "cut the middle man out" Harold Wiede said.

"We wanted to start with a product, raise it and go with a finished product," he said.

Their first customer never paid them, but news of their business spread by word of mouth among the dairies and their product began to move.

The cousins believe their silage sells because of its competitive price, quality and location. It faces direct competition from alfalfa grown in New Mexico, Colorado and Oklahoma as well as many other products.

They will not grow silage further east than Mart or Itasca because the transportation costs would cause them to lose money.

To harvest the crop, the cousins hire a silage chopper commercial crew from Bazine, Kan. The Wiedes harvest about 2,000 of their own acreage and 3,000 acres owned by neighbors and friends.

They still are seeking corn acreage to meet their current customers' demands. Some dairies use up to 30 tons of silage a day.



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Harold Wiede, left, and his cousin James Wiede pose with a half bunker of silage. The silage, any crop that is cut while green, and chopped and stored, is sold to dairies.

AGRICULTURE

Researchers: Enzymes protect plants from stress

WASHINGTON (AP) — A corn plant may curl up and die from heat and drought, but only after its protective enzymes have put up a good fight, says the Agriculture Department.

The department's Agricultural Research Service reported Wednesday that the two enzymes in corn and other plants help limit stress from heat and drought. The enzymes seem to work best "within a temperature range we call a thermal kinetic window."

Researchers said that when the plant's temperature rises above the window, its ability to fight heat stress starts to fade. And when there is a lack of water for use by the plant's natural cooling system, the enzymes become less effective and the plant withers and dies.

The enzymes identified by agency scientists in Lubbock, Texas, are glutathione reductase, which stops the buildup of potentially lethal waste products as a plant fights heat stress, and hydroxypyruvate reductase, which is thought to protect photosynthesis, or the plant's food-making process, during stress.

Jerry L. Hatfield, a research leader at the laboratory, said thermal kinetic windows vary by plant species and are much narrower than expected. For example, corn has a window in a range of 77 to 88 degrees Fahrenheit; cucumbers, 93 to 100; wheat, 62 to 73; spinach, 50 to 63; and cotton 73 to 90.

Hatfield said USDA plant physiologists John J. Burke and James R. Mahan were the first to analyze the activity of the enzymes at different temperatures.

One of the goals of the research is to transfer one plant's genes for controlling an enzyme's behavior into other plants, thereby producing crops that are more tolerant to heat, drought and other stresses than they otherwise would be, Hatfield said in a report issued here.

"Although such advances may be a long way off, they could lead to crops better equipped to face such climatic changes as the gradual heating that may occur from the buildup of carbon dioxide in the earth's atmosphere," he said.

Meanwhile, a report by the government's Joint Agricultural Weather Facility said rain and cooler weather in the week of June 27 to July 3 "eased drought stress in the Great Plains, Delta and western Corn Belt" but that "the lack of moisture worsened in most Corn Belt states."

Overall, the corn crop was in "still mostly fair-to-poor" condition, the report said.

EARNEST KIKER

Annual Texas extension service conference strives for education



Kiker

"Extension Education: Addressing Issues for a Changing Texas" will be the theme of the 1988 State Conference of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service July 11-15 at Texas A&M University.

The professional development conference is aimed at updating the more than 900 faculty members throughout the state on current and emerging issues facing Texans so that more effective educational programs can be developed.

To be in tune with altered states of daily work and living, we must stay abreast of new technologies and methodologies. Not only must we "stay current," but we must provide creative leadership that will chart the course — to be frontrunners zof the future.

The conference will begin with registration at the College Station Hilton July 11.

Features speakers include Dr. Perry Adkisson, chancellor of the Texas A&M system; Dr. Charles Arntzen, deputy chancellor and dean of agriculture at Texas A&M; Dr. Chester Black, director of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service; Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, extension service director; Doc Blakely, lecturer and humorist from Wharton; and Kent Caperton, state senator from Bryan.

Part of the week will be devoted to 27 technical sessions dealing with computer technology, community revitalization, alternate crops, cholesterol issues, price risk management, new energy technologies, biotechnology in agriculture, total ranch management, rangeland recreation, community tourism, total ranch management, groundwater quality protection, pesticide application technology, parenting education, urban 4-H programs, global economy and human nutrition.

The conference will conclude with the presentation of the Knapp-Porter Award to three long-time supporters of extension service programs.

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July 12 is time to spray for the second generation pecan nut casebearer and July 15 is time to spray for grubs in the home lawn. The second application should be done by Aug. 15.

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



Julie S. Murff

Murff named as assistant county extension agent

Judge William B. Ahders, the County Commissioners Court of Midland County and Mary R. Jamison, District Extension Director of Texas Agricultural Extension Service, announce the appointment of Julie S. (Lainey) Murff as Assistant County Extension Agent/Home Economics, effective July 1.

Ms. Murff of Junction was a member of 4-H in Kimble County with projects in foods, clothing, horse, and method demonstrations. She was a member of the Honor Society at Junction High School. She graduated from Texas Tech University with a degree in home economics education.

Ms. Murff's primary responsibilities will be in the area of home economics education and leadership development for youth. She will act as advisor to the 4-H clubs and council.

Irradiated foods turn some stomachs

FRESNO, Calif. (AP) — Zapping fresh foods with radiation may increase their shelf life and make them safer to eat. But the notion of eating irradiated fruits, vegetables and meats leaves a bad taste in some mouths.

Despite claims by some scientists, the federal government and others that irradiation is a safe way to rid foods of bacteria, microorganisms or insects, anti-nuclear activists and other scientists insist it can harm people.

The process involves running produce on a conveyor belt around a radiation source for a few seconds or minutes. Eighteen-inch long rods containing either cobalt 60 or cesium 137 treat the foods without raising their temperature. When not in use, the rods are immersed in water as a safety precaution.

X-rays and gamma rays break chemical bonds and "either disrupt the ongoing process of decay or any contaminant on the food," said Christine Bruhn, consumer food marketing specialist with the University of California Cooperative Extension at Davis.

Supporters say food does not become radioactive at the doses used and is safe to handle and eat immediately after irradiation. They say it can extend shelf life of some produce and meats and rid pork of dangerous parasites.

"Scientists say it is safer than products contaminated with microorganisms or mold or some chemically approved products," Ms. Bruhn said.

Opponents contend that studies showing adverse effects have been ignored or suppressed. One found chromosome damage in humans four weeks after they ate freshly irradiated wheat, said Denis Mosgofian, director of the San Francisco-based Coalition to Stop Food Irradiation.



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Dukakis eyes Bentsen at conference as possible running mate

DALLAS (AP) — Democrat Michael Dukakis was taking another look at one of his potential running mates today while on a campaign swing through Western states that is designed to challenge George Bush on his own turf.

Dukakis was being joined by Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, one of eight Democrats who has met with the presidential nominee-in-waiting to discuss the No. 2 spot on the ticket.

The Massachusetts governor began his four-day trip through six Western and Rocky Mountain states Wednesday evening, jabbing at Bush in the vice president's adopted home state of Texas. Dukakis went before a Hispanic group in Dallas where Bush a day earlier had made a "solemn pledge" to put a Hispanic in his Cabinet.

"Some people think it's enough to wake up after eight years and then promise opportunity for one Hispanic," Dukakis said in reference to Bush's promise. "I want to stand with you and create opportunity for



Bentsen Dukakis

20 million Hispanic citizens across this country."

Speaking to the League of United Latin American Citizens convention, Dukakis made fleeting reference to a similar pledge he made — to appoint a Hispanic to his Cabinet if elected — at the group's meeting a year earlier.

"I'm just looking around the room for Cabinet secretaries," Dukakis said as he received the gathering's welcoming applause.

Bentsen, who ran for president briefly himself in 1976, was appearing with Dukakis at a rally in Texarkana on the Arkansas border. Dukakis aides said he expected to be joined at the rally along the state line by Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton, who will place Dukakis' name in nomination at the Democratic National Convention in Atlanta in less than two weeks.

Dukakis press secretary Dayton Duncan said Dukakis did not plan a private meeting with Bentsen to discuss the vice presidential nomination, but noted that they had already held one such discussion last week in Washington

Dukakis was flying to Arizona later in the day for an appearance with former Gov. Bruce Babbitt, an early drop-out from the Democratic presidential race. He also planned stops in California, Oregon, Washington and at a park in the Colorado Rockies before returning to Boston on Sunday.

Texas and California loom as major electoral battlegrounds for the fall campaign, and like the others represent states that have generally gone Republican in recent presidential elections.

Dukakis aides depicted his trip — his third campaign swing since locking up the nomination in California a month ago — as signaling the Democrat's intention to challenge for those states this fall and serve notice on Bush that he will have to protect his traditional GOP base as that party's nominee.

"It sends another strong geographic signal that we can win anywhere, even in places that have been historically Republican, because that's the nature of this thing," said Leslie Dach, Dukakis' communications director.

STATE

Inmates say they heard altercation

HEMPHILL (AP) — Two inmates in the Sabine County Jail on Christmas night when another prisoner allegedly was beaten by three lawmen say they heard an altercation, and one saw the inmate lying in a puddle of blood.

The two testified Thursday in the civil rights trial of the three law enforcement officers who are accused in the alleged beating death of Loyal Garner Jr., of Florien, La.

Charged with violating Garner's civil rights by allegedly beating him and withholding medical attention are Hemphill Police Chief Thomas Ladner and Sabine County deputies Bill Horton and James Hyden.

Testimony in the trial was scheduled to resume today.

Garner died in a Tyler hospital two days after he and two brothers were arrested Christmas night on suspicion of drunken driving and public intoxication.

Trent Taylor of Milam, in the jail Christmas night, testified he heard an altercation in Garner's cell.

Taylor said after the scuffle, he heard Ladner tell someone to get up. After a few more "licks," Ladner asked Hyden to go get the blackjack, he said.

"A good while later, Thomas came back to my cell and got me. I was sort of the trusty. Ladner told me he had stuff he wanted me to clean up," he said.

Taylor said he saw a puddle of blood about 12 inches wide around Garner's head.

"Blood was running off the bench on to the regular floor." he said, adding that he couldn't tell if Garner was asleep or unconscious but that his eyes were closed. There was a large amount of blood running from his head, he said.

Weldon Sanguin of Orange, Texas, also was in the jail Christmas night. He testified that he heard Ladner enter Garner's cell that night. He said he then heard an altercation in the cell.

"The licks I heard were solid licks. They echoed inside the tank," he said. He did not know who was administering the "licks."

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Sally Kellerman proves she can handle divergent roles

ENTERTAINMENT

By BOB THOMAS

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The ever-versatile Sally Kellerman appears this summer in two divergent movie roles: as a film actress shattered by the end of her marriage, and as operator of a war-games school for women.

Is there anything Kellerman can't do? Apparently not. When she isn't playing her wide range of acting roles, you might find her in local stage plays, doing voice-overs for commercials and cartoons or singing her own brand of bluesy music in New York and Hollywood night spots.

Kellerman recently chatted about her life at the Hollywood Hills home she shares with her producer-husband Jonathan Krane and a pair of friendly dogs. Her blond beauty remains untouched as she nears 50, and she talks more level-headedly than you would expect from seeing her in eccentric film roles.

She currently appears in "Someone to Love," which has drawn raves from some reviewers for its free-form, humanistic qualities. It's another idiosyncratic film from Henry Jaglom, whose offbeat movies have usually included his mentor, Orson Welles. In his last performance, Welles appears throughout "Someone to Love" sitting in a theater seat and offering a running commentary on what is happening.

"Henry and the character he plays in the movie had the idea of finding out why various friends of his were alone on Valentine's Day," Kellerman said. "He invited them all to a theater (the Mayfair in Santa Monica). He said I'd be a movie star who just left her husband. That was it.

"So we all arrived, and he asked questions and had us think about our characters. It was essentially improvised, and he ended up in the editing room putting it all together. People say, 'Oh, it's real.' But it wasn't really real."

Kellerman first impressed the film world as Hot Lips Houlihan in the landmark comedy, "M*A*S*H," which brought her a 1970 Academy nomination as supporting actress.

"I don't think I understood show business in the sense of realizing how lucky I was to get a role and have a job," she said. "After 'M*A*S*H' I was out to prove that I was not just Hot Lips but I could be a million other people. So I looked for the most serious drama I could find. I tried to dodge around but I often ended up with roles that were not Hot Lips but were this kind of zany, kookie, larger-than-life character.

"At this time of my life, I'm absolutely loving those kinds of roles. I enjoyed doing a more human character like the one in 'Someone to Love.' But I also have discovered that I love something like 'All's Fair,' which I did with George Segal. It's the kind of classic comedy where you start out in suits and painted fingernails and end up in the dirt fighting.

"So I'm not worried about typecasting. Look at Clint Eastwood. He's done all right playing the same kind of roles."

Sally Kellerman was born in Long Beach but grew up in the San Fernando Valley, "before they raped the land and before smog." Then she attended Hollywood High School. Unlike another alumna, Lana Turner, she was not discovered for films.

"My interests were class, the buddies I hung out with and the boys I went out with," she recalled. "I did plays in church, worked as a waitress on Sunset Boulevard, went to acting class with Jack Nicholson, Robert Blake, Richard Chamberlain.

"No, I wasn't discovered in a malt shop."

Instead she made her way up the ladder the hard way, in episodic television.

"I had a lot of fun, whirling from one episode to the other," she said. "I was in the pilot of 'Star Trek.' One time I played a Swedish Viking opposite Fred MacMurray in 'My Three Sons.' I'd do Kraft and Chrysler and 'Ben Casey' and 'Alfred Hitchcock.' But I was an old-fashioned girl and I always wanted to be in the movies."

Her first movie was "Reform School Girl," which gave her one line in the back of the bus. She followed with bigger parts in "The Boston Strangler," "The Third Day" and "April Fools." Then "M*A*S*H" came along.

Did she know it was going to be a hit?

"Well, Bob Altman (the director) thought it would be, and making it was certainly fun," she recalled. "It doesn't always mean when you have a good time that it will be a good picture, nor does it mean if you suffer and struggle it will be good. But that was one time when a picture was both fun and good. I had a blast."

She also had a blast doing "Back to School," playing an English professor to student Rodney Dangerfield. In August, she teams with Dave Thomas in a live-action version of "Boris and Natasha" from the "Rocky and Bullwinkle" cartoon series.

Teddy bears have museum all their own

STRATFORD-UPON-AVON, England (AP) — Tourists who tire of Elizabethan relics can now concentrate on stuffed toys, thanks to the opening of the National Teddy Bear Museum in this town where playwright William Shakespeare was born.

Museum director Gyles Brandeth said he chose to open the exhibition on the Fourth of July in honor of President Teddy Roosevelt, who became the namesake of the child's toy for refusing to shoot a baby bear on a 1902 hunting trip.

"We've teddy bears of every shape and size from more than 20 different countries," said Brandeth.

The museum, in a 16th-century building in the heart of Stratford-upon-Avon, contains more than 1,000 teddy bears, including replicas of Winnie-the-Pooh, Paddington and Rupert the Bear, all childrens' storybook heroes.

As well as famous bears, the museum houses bears belonging to famous people, including Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's bear Humphrey, and Opposition Labor leader Neil Kinnock's Iswlyn.

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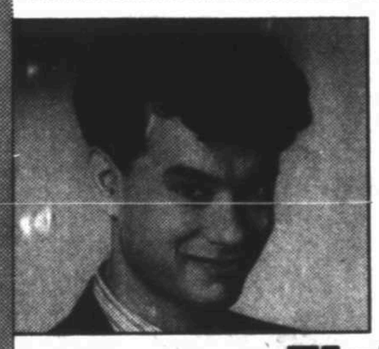
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Members of a barbershop quartet, from left Roger Payne, Manhattan, N.Y.; Greg Zincke, High Bridge, N.J.; Al Ziegler, Philadelphia; and Jack Pinto, Manhattan, (sitting), practice for competition at the 50th international convention of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quarter Singers of America.

AP Laserphoto

Quartets gathering to make little music

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — They gathered informally in hotel lobbies and hallways and belted out familiar melodies.

But after the competition to find the world's best barbershop quartet and chorus started Thursday, it's difficult finding harmony among competitors.

More than 1,000 barbershop quartet and chorus singers are competing at the 50th International Convention of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America.

"This is the Olympics of barbershop singing and all of them have had to battle on the local level to get here," said international president James Warner, an attorney from Memphis.

"It will be a tough competition because there is a lot of prestige that goes with the medals," he said.

The competition may be fierce, but in virtually every corner of the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center and hotels, many unfamiliar foursomes gathered like old chums and stretched their vocal chords.

Barbershop quartets, which cropped up mainly on the East Coast at the turn of the century and popularized during the vaudeville era, use four-part harmonies to carry tunes.

The lead singer carries the melody. A tenor harmonizes and a baritone and a bass handle the lower chords.

The barbershop quartets began withering when vaudeville was replaced by other forms of music and motions pictures in the aftermath of World War I.

But in 1938, Owen C. Cash, a tax attorney in Tulsa, Okla., and Rupert Hall, another Tulsa businessman, formed the barbershop quartet society to preserve the music.

"I think we are gaining some respect again across the country," Warner said.

"We are developing programs for young men in some high schools and it's found increasing acceptance," he said. "We're not using it as a recruitment device, but as an attempt to reach out to young men in that area."

The international competition begins today with 51 quartets battling for five finalist positions. Sixteen choruses composed of 50 men also will vie for five finalist spots.

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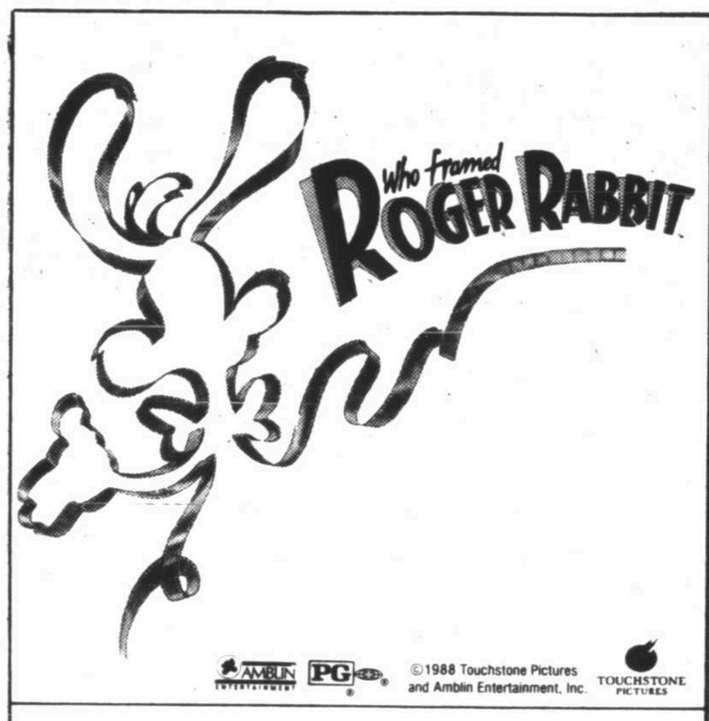
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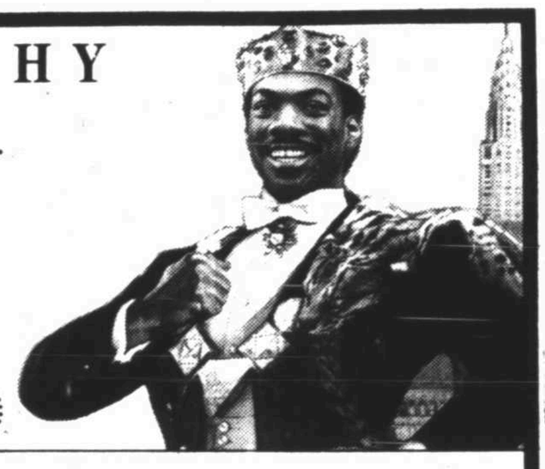


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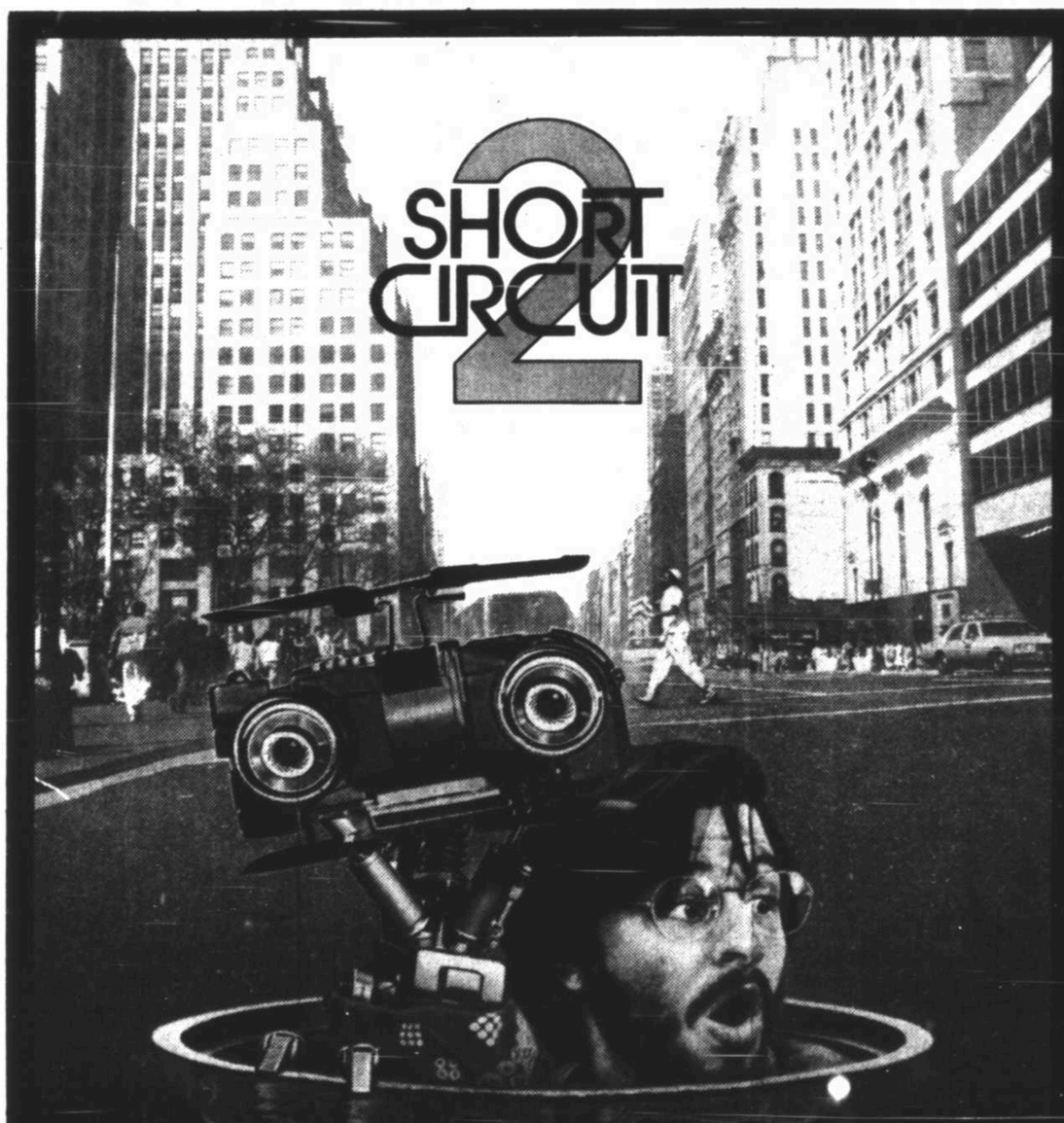
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Czechoslovakia recalls reactionary chill after Prague Spring

EDITOR'S NOTE — Many of the reforms now emanating from Moscow were put forth 20 years ago in Czechoslovakia, only to be swept away by a Soviet-led invasion. Their rebirth with the Kremlin's imprimatur, however, is met with skepticism in today's Czechoslovakia. Here's why.

By ALISON SMALE

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — Twenty years after Soviet tanks crushed Alexander Dubcek's "Prague Spring" of reform, Czechoslovaks are deeply leery of the changes now proclaimed in Moscow and echoed by their own leaders.

A key reason is that Dubcek was crushed and disgraced for trying them, or at least letting them go too far.

Czechoslovaks today wonder if the same will happen to Mikhail S. Gorbachev and his Soviet reforms — perestroika (restructuring) and glasnost (openness) — leaving them worse off than they are now.

They are aware that old-time, conservative Communists are still around and a fear of their traditional hard line remains.

The skepticism of reform surfaces in countless jokes:

— What is the difference between Mikhail Gorbachev and Alexander Dubcek? None, but Gorbachev doesn't know it yet.

— What is the difference between perestroika and chess? In chess, you think before you move.

— "Think in a new way?" a cartoon character asks his boss, echoing a new Communist slogan. "But for years you've been telling me not to think at all."

In the years after the Prague Spring, Czechs and Slovaks still seemed stunned by the Soviet-led invasion on the night of Aug. 20-21, 1968, that erased Dubcek's movement to bring a new face to Czechoslovak communism — multiparty politics, freedom of the press, speech and religion, a liberalized economy.

When it was over, Dubcek was expelled from the Communist Party and went off to his native Slovakia to work as a clerk in a forestry office.

At the same time, the chanting, singing, joyous people of the Prague Spring vanished from the streets and squares. Most retreated morosely back to their private lives to pursue a material wealth that was the party's reward for their political silence.

In 1988, that post-invasion reward is running low.

Czechoslovakia's outmoded industry is performing poorly, forcing planners to scale down production targets and to slash coveted wage bonuses.

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On the political front, while Prague's leaders tinker with reform, the winds of change blowing from Gorbachev's Kremlin are prompting more citizens to challenge the Communists on issues ranging from ecology to cultural and religious freedom.

But the memory of 1968 makes Czechoslovaks wary of placing too much faith in Gorbachev and in turn their own leaders, as well as reforms.

As one Prague man put it, Soviet reforms sound to Czechoslovaks like "the right ideas from the wrong side."

Even deeper skepticism is reserved for the cautious reforms adopted so far by the Communist leaders installed by Moscow 20 years ago to make sure Dubcek's experiments would not be repeated.

After spending 18 years assailing change, Czechoslovakia's Communists have now fallen in step behind Gorbachev, endorsing perestroika and adopting the rhetoric of reform. But the sense among many in Prague is that there is no guarantee of any meaningful or lasting effect.

This past December, the party even changed its leader, substituting a 65-year-old apparatchik, Milos Jakes (pronounced Ya-kesh), for an increasingly frail Gustav Husak, 75.

Jakes immediately set about trying to revamp the image of the party leader, emulating Gorbachev by taking well-publicized trips to factories and farms to chat with workers.

Borrowing many phrases from Gorbachev, Jakes spoke of the need for economic and social reform at a key party meeting in April that brought some new, younger faces into the party elite.

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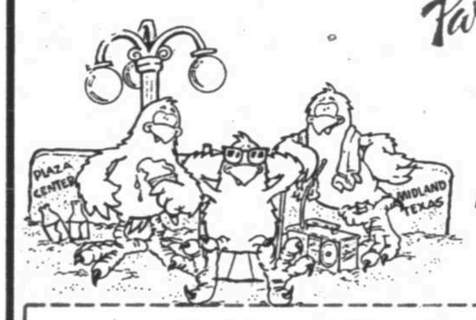
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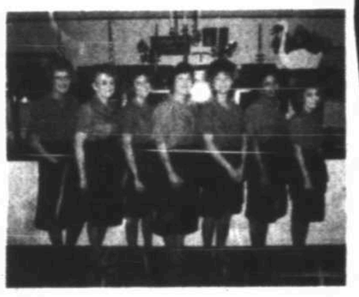
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Dubcek still suspect 20 years after reforms

Associated Press

Alexander Dubcek, ousted by the Soviets after they crushed his Prague Spring liberalization movement in 1968, lives today in the seclusion of a villa overlooking Bratislava, capital of his native Slovakia.

Officially, he is a retired forestry clerk.

Dubcek was arrested after the Soviet-led invasion of August 1968 but released and allowed to remain on in his post as Czechoslovakia's Communist Party leader.

From then on it was an escalator ride to oblivion:

— April, 1969: He is removed as party leader and named president of Parliament, a largely ceremonial post.

— September: In a purge of the party Central Committee, he is fired as Parliament president.

— December: Dubcek is named ambassador to Turkey.

— March, 1970: He is suspended from the Communist Party.

— June: He is formally expelled from the Communist Party and called home from Turkey.

— July: Dubcek is recalled as a deputy in Parliament's House of the People, his last remaining official post. He and his wife, Anna, move into political exile in Slovakia, where he is given a job as a clerk in a forestry office.

From then on, little is known, except that Dubcek, now 66 years old, is retired from his forestry job.

He and his family are said to have been kept under close surveillance until Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the reformist Soviet leader, visited Czechoslovakia in April, 1987.

He made a few trips to Prague this year and on one occasion was loudly applauded when he attended a theater performance.

However, an attempt earlier this year by Dubcek and some other Communist leaders from the Prague Spring to found an alternative political grouping was repressed.

Catholic church becoming powerful force

BRATISLAVA, Czechoslovakia (AP) — A major force the Czechoslovakia's Communist leaders face is growing religious faith, in defiance of the government's atheistic teachings.

Every Sunday, people of all ages cram Bratislava's Roman Catholic churches.

More and more young Czechoslovaks are turning to the Roman Catholic and other churches.

No official statistics are available on the number of believers. The Vatican estimates that 60 percent of the country's 15.5 million people are Roman Catholics, but state television says believers make up just 25 to 30 percent of the population.

The Roman Catholic Church has recently become a newly powerful force, with some 600,000 believers signing a lay petition for more religious freedom.

The petition had the unprecedented backing of 89-year-old Cardinal Frantisek Tomasek, who took the mass support as a signal for a strong attack on the Communists' refusal to appoint bishops in nine of the country's 13 sees or to allow more religious education.

Believers' frustrations over church policy have spilled over into regular demonstrations outside the cardinal's residence in Prague with calls for religious freedom and a visit from Pope John Paul II.

Perhaps influenced by the Kremlin's new tolerance of the Russian Orthodox Church and growing Western condemnation of its church policy, the Prague government sanctioned the consecration of three new bishops in June.

But, a Slovak believer recently warned, "Religion is not free here. Don't be deceived."

It is not clear where the new militancy of the Roman Catholic Church could lead. As the only organized body outside Communist control, it has always attracted party ire.

The church's situation in Czechoslovakia is much worse than elsewhere in the Soviet bloc, something believers attribute in part to the ideological crackdown that followed the failed attempts at Communist reforms in 1968.

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But Jakes lacks Gorbachev's touch. At February's snow-dampened celebrations of the 40th anniversary of Communist power, crowds streamed away from the square when Jakes got up to speak.

Few Czechoslovaks can forget that it was Jakes who oversaw the expulsion of almost 500,000 party members in a post-Dubcek purge.

They also know that Husak, who took over from Dubcek in March 1969, is still on the ruling Politburo.

When Jakes talks of reform, however, he pointedly omits mention of glasnost, which has brought startling frankness to the Soviet media. Jakes stresses that Czechoslovakia's 1.7 million Communists must dictate the pace and shape of any change.

An unspoken fear is that reform will spin outside the party's control, as the Communists say it did in Dubcek's days.

Even economic change is treated with extreme caution, particularly by managers who report that overhasty reforms in the Soviet Union are making it difficult for them to deal with Soviet enterprises.

Planned decentralization of management is not likely to go as far here as it has in the Soviet Union and won't be in full force until 1991.

"Restructuring cannot be too hasty," said Svatopluk Smutny, an economics editor at the Communist Party newspaper Rude Pravo. "It is far too important a change and needs to be thought out in detail and consequences."

Communists like Smutny reluctantly admit to some parallels between the current situation and 1968, when Dubcek at the age of 46 became party leader with a mandate to implement market-oriented reforms designed to boost the economy.

But Dubcek opted for political reform as well, advocating changes Gorbachev now wants 20 years later.

It was a heady spell wistfully remembered by many.

"It was, quite simply, the best time of my life," recalled one man who was then a teen-ager in Prague.

For Communists, 1968 carries a different message. They remember how Dubcek promised that his reforms were irreversible, and look anxiously now toward Moscow for signs of a conservative backlash that could crunch Gorbachev.

If Gorbachev strengthens his hold on power, both Moscow and Prague may eventually re-evaluate the 1968 invasion — in effect, a Kremlin acknowledgment that it was the wrong thing to do and won't happen again.

Such a reappraisal would be popular with those who remember 1968, and create space for change that would be welcomed by those who have grown up since.

Both these groups increasingly have turned outside the system for spiritual fulfillment, opening up what the banned playwright Vaclav Havel recently termed "a yawning chasm between two virtually unrelated worlds — the world of official ideology and the world of the authentic attitudes and beliefs of society."

The rigid controls on Czechoslovakia's active state-run culture have loosened a little with the advent of glasnost in Moscow.

The first political satire in 20 years has been staged, a few unofficial art shows mounted and a handful of previously banned movies screened.

The immense popularity of officially tolerated and underground rock-music groups has forced authorities to issue more good rock music on the sole, state-owned record label, as well as to relax bans on some groups and to promote the occasional rock concert.

Anxious perhaps to follow the example of Soviet television programs beamed daily to Czechoslovakia's 15.5 million people, the state-run media have become a mite more lively and provocative.

But, while the name of Franz Kafka has made a rare appearance in a literary journal, his full works are still unpublished in his native Prague.

Orthodox Communists visiting Moscow return genuinely appalled by the outspoken new plays, books and films in the Soviet Union.

Plays by Havel, performed to high acclaim in the West, remain banned in Czechoslovakia, and dissidents forced to take manual jobs are unlikely to return to their professions any time soon.

Secret police no longer block the doors of dissidents' homes. But three seminars called by the human rights group Charter 77 have been broken up by police, who expelled 33 foreigners who attended meetings in Prague June 17-18.

In Bratislava in March, authorities sharply dampened the growing activism of religious believers when police broke up a peaceful demonstration by about 2,000 Roman Catholics.

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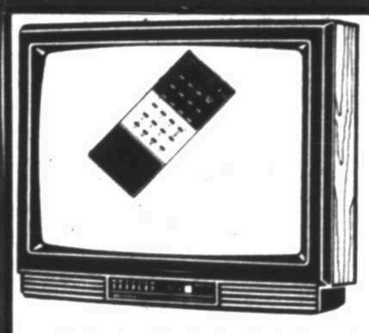


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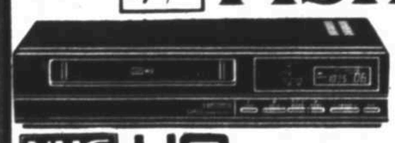


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Texas' toughest golf holes

By MARK WANNGRIN

AUSTIN (AP) — Tucked away in the live oaks, Spanish oaks and cedars on the banks of the Colorado River is a haven for birdies called Austin Country Club.

Stand in the middle of a fairway on the back nine. Address your ball. Then look up. Way up. Look into the cedars and oaks. There are your birdies.

Ever see a black-crested titmouse? "They come from all over to see that," said club pro Tinsley Penick. "It's kind of a bird-watcher's paradise."

It's when you're looking for the other kind of birdie that you're pretty much out of luck. Just go out to the championship tee at the 11th hole and wait for someone to break par.

Heck, you might wait a day or so just for someone with the nerve to play the hole from that tee. A glimpse of that would make sightings of the black-crested titmouse seem common.

THIRTEEN area golf pros, polled on the toughest 18 holes in the Austin area, made No. 11 at Austin Country Club their only unanimous selection. Two other holes at the course were among the top five vote-getters. The Ram Rock Course at Horseshoe Bay had the most holes named, with five, including the imposing 191-yard shot onto an island green at No. 4.

"If you named the top four or five golf architects, Pete Dye (Austin Country Club), Robert Trent Jones (Horseshoe Bay), Jack Nicklaus (The Hills) and Tom Fazio (Barton Creek) would be on anybody's list, and we have courses by all of them around here," Penick said.

Don't forget Arnold Palmer, who designed Hidden Hills, and the late Jimmy Demaret, who created Onion Creek. There are plenty of golfers who've had to put two digits on their scorecard for one of these holes who won't forget.

DYE, who designed Austin Country Club, a combination of Scottish-style links and Hill Country undulation, has a reputation as an intimidator.

"Some call him unfair. He makes a penal golf course," Penick said. "He's a love-hate designer. You love the beauty; you hate the severity of the design."

No. 11 for instance: it requires a combination of long hitting and placement. Off the tee is a canyon that, at its closest point, forces you to carry 190 yards. One glance at that is enough to turn a graphite shaft into so much overcooked spaghetti.

Then there's the green. It's within a yard or so of the edge of the Deer Creek Canyon on two sides.

"It gets awfully hot down there, and your imagination starts playing tricks on you, seeing snakes. People have gone back down there — maybe there are people still down there from two or three years ago," Penick said.

BILL HANNA, assistant greens superintendent at Austin Country Club, said of No. 11: "It's probably one of the first holes in the state of Texas someone is going to die on. A guy was backing up to putt, and I had to yell at him. He was about to walk off the edge."

While No. 11 at Austin Country Club and No. 4 at Ram Rock are imposing by sight, some holes don't look all that tough off the tee, such as No. 16 at Lions Municipal. There, it's the subtle things — green slope, tree location, length off the tee — that make it tough.

Lions pro Lloyd Morrison said, "A lot of the holes are probably harder. They'll cheat you if you hit a good shot. This one won't cheat you. It's fair."

Unfortunately, No. 16 at Lions Municipal, referred to by Ben Hogan in the early 1950s as one of the best nine holes in the United States, is the only hole on the toughest 18 list open to the general public. The only way to play the others is to be a club member or know someone who is.

BARTON CREEK Country Club allows people attending meetings at its conference center to play, and Horseshoe Bay extends privileges for its three courses — Ram Rock, Apple Rock and Slick Rock — to those staying at its resort. Otherwise, it's look but don't touch. Then again, you might not want to touch.

Courses are as different as their architects.

Dye is the intimidator, and Austin Country Club is intimidating.

Palmer gives you the open areas to hit into, but makes putting tough.

Tom Fazio makes it easy to find your ball; it's just trying to do something with it that's rough.

Demaret is short on hazards but long on precision.

Some of these holes are becoming legendary — if not loathed — at their courses.

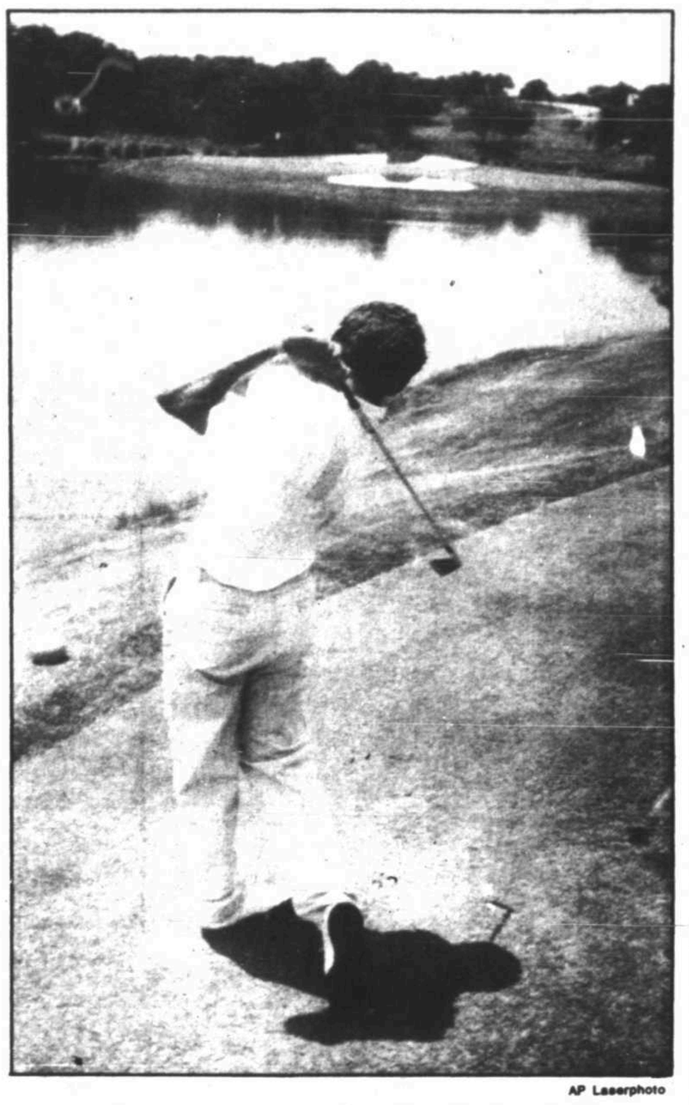
On No. 7 at Onion Creek, at 612 yards the longest hole on the list, pro Jack Gaudion said, "It's long, so you have got to reach for it, and it's narrow enough so you have to steer it. It's not a tricked-up hole, with water cutting inf ront of you or all that jazz. All the trouble is right in front of you where you can see it.

"A lot of people hate this hole so much they won't play it. You can't attack it. This is the kind of hole that gives you a complex. You think about it before you play it."

CLUB PRO Jeff Clause on No. 18 at The Hills: "Every championship played on this course has been affected by this hole. Two years ago, at the Southern Texas PGA, Charlie Epps birdied 18 while his two opponents got 6's. Birdies can be made, but it's more avoiding the danger than attacking the hole."

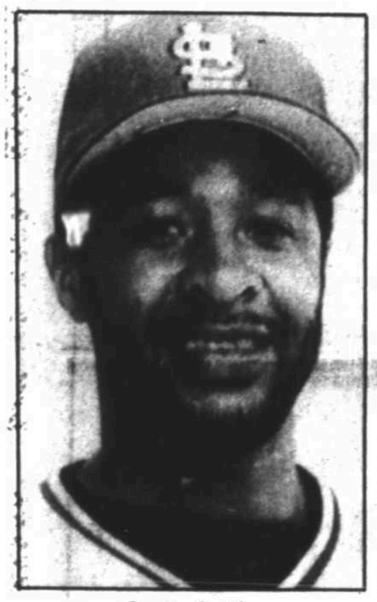
Ram Rock probably is the toughest overall.

"A thousand rounds of golf were played before anyone broke 80," said Clause, who was the club pro when Ram Rock opened in June of 1981. "We had a foursome, including a 2-handicapper, that lost 34 balls, and the 2-handicapper shot 90."

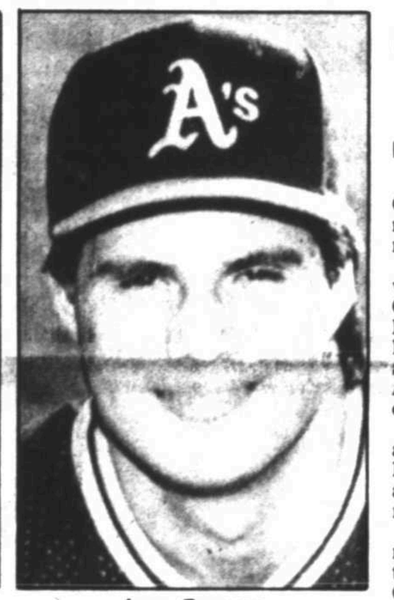


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191-yard, par 3, No. 4 at Ram Rock...splash?



Ozzie Smith



Jose Canesco

Chi Cubs pack NL All-Star lineup

From Wire Reports

NEW YORK (AP) — Six Chicago Cubs are Tuesday's National League roster, most of any team in the majors.

Along with pitcher Greg Maddux, who leads the NL with 14 victories, Cubs picked were second baseman Ryne Sandberg, shortstop Shawon Dunston, third baseman Vance Law and outfielders Rafael Palmeiro and Andre Dawson for the game in Cincinnati Tuesday.

Sandberg and Dawson were voted as starters in fan balloting. Maddux, Law, Palmeiro and Dunston were among the pitchers and reserves named Thursday.

Of the 28 players on the All-Star roster, 18 are making the team for the first time. New York catcher Gary Carter is an All-Star for the 10th time, the most of any NL player. Shortstop Ozzie Smith of the St. Louis Cardinals is an eight-time All-Star, while Philadelphia catcher Lance Parrish was a six-time All-Star in the American League, but is representing the NL for the first time.

The average age of the National League team is 27 and Cincinnati third baseman Chris Sabo is the only rookie for either league.

First time pitchers are New York's David Cone, San Diego's Mark Davis, Philadelphia's Kevin Gross, Cincinnati's Danny Jackson, and the Cardinals' Todd Worrell.

Rounding out the staff are New York's Dwight Gooden, making the team for the fourth time, and Houston's Bob Knepper and Los Angeles' Orel Hershiser, both the second time.

San Francisco's Rick Reuschel was named, but declined because he is getting married next week.

Other first-time All-Stars are: first basemen Andres Galarraga of Montreal, Gerald Perry of Atlanta and Will Clark of San Francisco, San Francisco second baseman Robby Thompson; shortstops Dunston of Chicago and Barry Larkin of Cincinnati; third basemen Bobby Bonilla of Pittsburgh, Sabo of Cincinnati and Law of Chicago, and outfielders Vince Coleman of St. Louis, Palmeiro of Chicago and Andy Van Slyke of Pittsburgh.

Clark will start at first and Bonilla at third.

The New York Mets and the St. Louis Cardinals each have four players on the roster.

The Mets are Carter and outfielder Darryl Strawberry, both starters, and pitchers Gooden and Cone. Smith and Coleman. Outfielder Willie McGee and Worrell will represent the fifth-place Cardinals.

The Cincinnati Reds have three on the team: Larkin, Sabo and Jackson. San Francisco, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia will each send two players. Hershiser is the only representative of the Dodgers, the leaders in the West.

Reserves include Galarraga, the NL's leading hitter at .341, and Perry, .336 second to Galarraga.

Other players chosen were: Parrish, Dunston, Law, Palmeiro, Sabo, Larkin, Thompson, Van Slyke and McGee.

Worrell leads the league with 16 saves, followed by Davis with 15. Maddux is 14-3 with a 2.15 ERA. Hershiser has 13 wins and a 2.46 ERA. Gooden, 11-4, is tied for the league lead in complete games with Jackson and Maddux at seven. Knepper is 8-2 with a 2.47 ERA while Jackson is 9-4 and Gross 8-4.

Sabo, Larkin, Law, Palmeiro, McGee and Thompson, batting .300 or better, are among the top 10 NL hitters. Van Slyke is fourth in rbi with 56.

Drillers top Angels

From Staff Reports

TULSA— Tulsa's Drillers erupted for five runs in the third inning on the way to an 8-1 win over the Midland Angels in the opener of a five-game Texas League series Thursday night.

Scott Coolbaugh drove in three runs, two on an RBI single that sparked the five-run third. Coolbaugh tripled home a run in the second as well.

Tulsa also scored on a two-run single by Paul Postier in the third and RBI singles by Gar Millay in the third, Gary Alexander in the fourth and Jose Vargas in the fifth.

Midland scored in the third on an RBI double by Jim McCollom.

John Barfield, 7-4, was the winning pitcher. The loser was Steve McGuire, 4-10.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Tulsa	ab	r	h	bi
Poniger cf	4	0	1	0	Threadgill cf	4	2	1	0
Carrasco 2b	4	0	1	0	Scanlin lf	4	1	0	0
McCollom 1b	3	0	1	1	Alexander 1b	4	0	1	1
Alfaro 1-3b	4	0	0	0	Reimer dh	4	2	2	2
Alfredson rf	3	0	0	0	Coolbaugh 3b	4	1	2	3
Manto 3b	0	0	0	0	Millay rf	4	2	2	1
Stevens 1b	3	0	0	0	Kreuter c	3	0	1	0
Opie ss	3	1	2	2	Postier ss	4	0	2	2
Pappas dh	2	0	0	0	Vargas 2b	4	0	2	2
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GWRBI: Coolbaugh. DP—Midland 2, Tulsa 2. Left—Midland 5, Tulsa 10. 2b— McCollum, Millay, 3b— Coolbaugh. SB— Manto.

Midland	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
McGuire l 4-10	4.2	10	8- 7	2	2
DeMichelle	2.1	1	0- 0	2	1
Reed	1.0	1	0- 0	1	0
Tulsa	**ip**	**hi**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Barfield W 7-4	8.0	4	1- 1	4	10
Lankard	1.0	0	0- 0	1	0

HBP by McGuire (Reimer, Threadgill). WP— McGuire. T—3:00. Att— 7,044.

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Viola, 4 mates picked from Twins

From Wire Reports

NEW YORK (AP) — Pitchers Frank Viola and Jeff Reardon, catcher Tim Laudner, infielder Gary Gaetti and outfielder Kirby Puckett of the Minnesota Twins were among the pitchers and reserves selected by AL President Bobby Brown and Twins manager Tom Kelly for Tuesday's game against the National League in Cincinnati. No Twins were among the starters elected in fan balloting.

The Oakland Athletics, with two elected starters, are the only other club with five players on the team.

Starters Roger Clemens of Boston, Mark Gubicza of Kansas City, Dave Stieb of Toronto, Doyle Alexander of Detroit made the team in addition to Viola, who leads the AL in victories with a 14-2 record and in earned run average at 2.24. Clemens, at 12-3 with a 2.45 ERA, is second in both categories. Gubicza is 11-5, Steib 10-4 and Alexander 8-4.

Bypassed starters included Dave Stewart of Oakland (11-7), Frank Tanana of Detroit (10-4), Bob Welch of Oakland (10-4), Bret Saberhagen of Kansas City (10-7) and Greg Swindell of Cleveland (10-7).

Relievers Dennis Eckersley of Oakland (25 saves), Doug Jones of Cleveland (20 saves), Dan Plesac of Milwaukee (19 saves) and Reardon (23 saves) were picked.

Jeff Russell of Texas, a spot starter who is 10-2, completed the 10-man staff, which has only two left-handers — Viola and Plesac.

George Brett of the Royals was named to the team for the 13th consecutive season. Starting outfielder

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SportScan

TV Sports....

(Subject to Change)

BASEBALL— Mets-Astros, 7 p.m., NBC.

Sports Today...

BASEBALL— Texas League: Midland Angels at Tulsa Drillers, 7:30 p.m., KCRS-radio.

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question— The longest recorded fight with gloves lasted: a. 52 rounds b. 79 rounds c. 110 rounds d. 123 rounds

Thursday's Answer— Floyd Patterson knocked out an interferring ref..

Quotebook....

"I didn't see it hit the bat and I didn't hear it. I was putting my mask back on and I saw the replay, like everybody else. ... I don't know if it's right, baseball-wise, to change the call, but it became a moral issue..." — Paul Runge on reversal after viewing the TV replay on the stadium scoreboard.

Thursday Homers...

American League

Lemon (7), Herndon (3), Heath (4), Salazar (10), Knight (2), Tigers; Tettleton (6), Gerhart (6), C.Ripken (14), Orioles; Joyner (5), Angels; Greenwell (15), Red Sox; Gaetti (19), Bush (9), Twins; Macfarlane (2), Royals.

National League

Treadway (2), Reds.

JIM MURRAY

Jim Spence, his tell all book is part spice, part spite



Murray

When Roone Arledge was presiding, high, wide and handsome, over ABC network sports, Jim Spence was widely perceived in the media as his hatchet man.

Well, now, he's buried the hatchet. In Roone.

While he's at it, he takes a swipe at a few other scalps, too, most notably Howard Cosell's.

President Reagan called them "kiss-and-tell" books. They have become a phenomenon of our age.

They probably originated with sports books. Jim Brosnan, a pitcher for Cincinnati, pioneered the genre with a diary-like tome, "The Long Season" which opened the door of the baseball clubhouse to the fan and let him see his heroes, warts and all. As an expose, it was not really in the class with Donald Regan's — or Jim Spence's — but it showed there was an appetite and a market, for behind-the-scenes stuff.

Before that, historians usually had to wait a decade or two and for a formal biography to find out what had been going on before their very eyes.

Prior to Brosnan, sports books ran heavily to "And then I hit a triple down the left-field line," or "Out of the corner of my eye I saw Randy was open."

We didn't find out till 20 years after he'd died that Babe Ruth drank, or that Ty Cobb was homicidal off the field, too.

Now, you know that kind of stuff as soon as the presses run. Now, if the New York Yankee outfield climbs up on a Washington hotel roof to ogle young ladies undressing, we find out about it —via a Jim Bouton book — almost as soon as they climb down.

THERE was a natural progression from that to the "Mommie Dearest" type of Hollywood blog. And then we moved backstairs at the White House. Nobody in the country knew Warren Harding had an illegitimate child except Warren and the mother. In fact, hardly anyone in the country knew that Franklin Roosevelt was crippled.

That era has closed and Spence's book, "Up Close And Personal" (Atheneum) gives a running account of the infighting at television networks while the players are still around to say "Who me?"

Like all such books, Spence's is part spice, part spite.

Roone Arledge was the closest thing to the "Invisible Man" you could find when he was running ABC sports. When he chose to, he could make Howard Hughes look gregarious. Even Bing Crosby was moved to observe wryly on TV once, "Roone Arledge — good man. Hard to find."

Jim Spence identifies him, accurately enough, as "the most significant figure in the history of television sports in America." Roone knew what the public wanted — live sports. They couldn't get enough of it. It was the last bastion of spontaneity on the tube, the only fresh fruit on the network. Everything else came out of a can.

ROONE had an unerring instinct for what played on the TV screen — stars not things. With Roone, the play wasn't the thing, the players were. He made "Monday Night Football" an American tribal rite. He took the Olympic Games out of the category of a quadrennial track meet or toboggan run and made them into a powderless war.

Roone took care of the big picture; Spence, the details. And, Spence complains, Arledge generated all this heat without going near the kitchen.

"His human qualities did not match his professional achievements," writes Spence.

He accuses Arledge of creating a Garbo-like mystique about himself, of making a lifelong career out of unavailability. Some of it was insensitivity, some of it was hostility, all of it was calculated, claims Spence. Arledge, in his book, comes off as more Captain Bligh than Captain Video, a man who considered his crew expendable and himself infallible.

HIS managerial philosophy was to hire two people for the same job and let them fight it out, an executive technique as old as William Randolph Hearst or maybe even William of Orange. Spence makes Arledge as aloof to the bloodshed as a guy watching a cockfight. His solution for any problem, says Spence, was to do nothing till it went away — even if it took two or three trusted employees with it.

Arledge was a jock chaser who liked to fill his booths with inarticulate halfbacks, broad-shouldered platform divers and other political footballers because he liked to socialize with them afterward while he systematically demoted or dealt off such seasoned professionals as Chris Schenkel.

Still, Arledge's most celebrated creation was that strange phenomenon, Howard Cosell.

No unlikelier figure ever bestrode the narrow straits of sports. Stooped, angular, possessed of an accent part Bronx and part Canarsie, and a mind like a steel trap, Howard Cosell fascinated America — as Arledge knew he would.

He had made somewhat of a reputation as Muhammad Ali's buddy and the two of them toured the world like a network Frick and Frack or a pair of burlesque comics. No one ever figured out whether Howard Cosell made "Monday Night Football" or "Monday Night Football" made Howard Cosell but the result for years was magic. America never knew whether it disliked or admired Howard Cosell but, either way, it watched.

HOWARD Cosell, Jim Spence writes, was a victim of his own celebrity and his own insecurity. He began to see enemies in lamp posts and vindictiveness overtook judgment, Spence writes. "Instead of enjoying his success, he let it devour him. With Cosell ... all of us knew we were dealing with a man whose problems and insecurities had overwhelmed him."

The facts of the matter were, one of the things that eventually overwhelmed Cosell was a spiteful little memoir he wrote in which he took to task nearly everyone who had ever worked closely with him.

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TED BATTLES

Icy topic to cool off with on a sweltering summer day



Battles

The distressed caller was looking for a sympathetic ear and figured he knew where to find one.

"I was disappointed that Midland was overlooked when the International Hockey League expanded a couple of teams," he began.

"It's obvious why," he was consoled, "Midland just isn't your basic hockey hot bed. Gary Ott was complaining just the other day that he didn't understand how they awarded assists. That's the way most Texans feel, although Gary's pedigree is subject to question. He claims to be a Texan, but he hates the Cowboys."

"But hockey can be confusing to many. There was the hockey writer at the Associated Press Sports Editors convention in St. Louis the other day. He said, 'I've been covering hockey for years. I love it. I think I even saw a goal scored once.'"

The caller was persistent. "I still think it was a serious oversight." he argued unreasonably. "We are trying to sell Midland as an ideal community in which to retire. How are we going to attract snowbirds, if we don't have sports with which they are familiar."

"I think you've gotten the chicken before the egg. The snowbirds have to be here to create the demand before hockey can become a reality," it was pointed out in trying to reason with the caller.

"Besides, there was that story about the hockey team getting out of the bus and beating up that car, that's not the type citizen we want to invite to our community.

"And that's not the kind of support I expected from you." The tone was nasty. "I thought you were a hockey fan. In fact, I have it on good authority that you followed the NHL Stanley Cup on ESPN religiously."

"Well, that's true, but it was as much for the sobriety and restraint of the beer ads as the hockey."

It's not that I'm against hockey. It's just that Midland isn't ready for it. Still, admittedly, I never enter the Chap Center without looking down at the area of combat below and picturing a rink.

That was one of the nice things about living in California many years ago. One could skate in a different rink almost every night.....the Polar Palace, Pan-Pacific, where the Hollywood Wolves and Los Angeles teams played; Pasadena.... There was even an outdoor rink at Westwood Village with a warming hut where you could cool off? The area always has had a reputation for make-believe, but the warming hut was stretching the imagination.

I guess they're all gone, but for someone who checked the back porch on winter mornings to see if it was cold enough for the pond to freeze, the choice of rinks was better than palm trees and lolling on the beach in Santa Monica in February.

The caller pursued, "Think of what it could mean to the Chap Center...Midland College basketball Monday and Thursday, the IHL Oil Gladiators Wednesday and Saturday and, as long as you've got the sideboards up, why not indoor soccer Sunday afternoons, not to mention the open skating sessions. In a fitness aware community such as Midland, ice skating isn't a bad way to exercise."

The guy's persistence had my dander up by this time. "It doesn't as sound as though you just got off the boat, but hockey in Midland....where did your space ship land? You've got to be from another world," I tried to shame the caller into submission. The click told me I had succeeded.

But the guy might have had a point. If the IHL could stick a franchise in some out-of-the-way place like Phoenix, how come they didn't at least ask us?

(Ted Battles is sports editor of the MRT)



AP Laserphoto

Tiger third baseman Tom Brookens dives in vain as A's Louis Polonia singles in AL action at Detroit Tuesday.

Tigers hand A's fourth straight defeat

From Wire Reports

DETROIT — Jeff Robinson and Paul Gibson combined on a four-hitter and Detroit hit five home runs as the Tigers handed Oakland its fourth straight loss, 8-1, reducing their lead over Minnesota to three in the AL West.

The Tigers increased their lead to three in the AL East.

Robinson, 10-3, allowed a leadoff single to Luis Polonia in the first inning and then retired the next 17 batters.

Luis Salazar hit a three-run homer, his 10th, in the third and Ray Knight added a two-run shot later in the inning to make it 8-0.

Orioles 6, Rangers 0

BALTIMORE — Oswald Peraza, 2-3, and Tom Niedenfuer combined on a seven-hitter and Mickey Tettleton, Ken Gerhart, and Cal Ripken homered as the Orioles beat Texas lefthander Paul Kilgus, 7-8, for the second time in five days. Kilgus has a 1-5 record over his last nine starts.

Baltimore, after losing 22 of its first 25 games against left-handed starters, has won four of its last five.

Red Sox 4, Twins 3

MINNEAPOLIS — Jim Rice scored the go-ahead run on Charlie Lea's sixth-inning wild pitch and Jody Reed followed with a suicide squeeze to drive in what the winner. Dennis Boyd, 7-7, won for the second time in his last 10 starts.

The Twins had won five of their last six games while the Red Sox had lost five of six.

Boggs went 1-for-4 to lose the lead in the AL batting race to Puckett, who went 3-for-5. Puckett is batting .354, two points higher than the four-time batting champion.

Angels 7, Indians 1

CLEVELAND — Terry Clark, pitching in his first major league game, and Greg Minton teamed on a six-hitter while Wally Joyner's two-run homer highlighted a four-run third inning in support of Clark.

Clark, in his 10th minor-league season, was called up Tuesday from the Class AAA Edmonton Trappers.

Royals 7, Brewers 3

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Mike Macfarlane hit a three-run homer and George Brett drove in two runs as Kansas City defeated Milwaukee for the first time at home in eight games.

Charlie Leibrandt, 5-10, shut out Milwaukee for five innings before yielding a run-scoring single to Jeffrey Leonard with two out in the sixth as the Royals ended a three-game losing streak by beating the Brewers at home for the first time since Sept. 1, 1987. Kansas City is 2-7 against Milwaukee this year.

Pirates 2, Padres 0

SAN DIEGO — John Smiley, 9-4, won his sixth consecutive game and combined with two relievers on an eight-hitter. Smiley is the first Pirate to win more than five straight decisions since John Candelaria won eight in a row in 1983.

Jim Gott finished for his 10th save.

Reds 5, Phillies 2

CINCINNATI — Danny Jackson, 10-4, scattered seven hits over 6 1-3 innings to beat Philadelphia for the fourth time this season, and Chris Sabo singled home a pair of runs to lead the Reds.

Jackson is the first Red to beat the Phils four times in a season since Joe Nuxhall did it in 1965.

Haskins fires 62 to lead PGT play

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Steve Haskins, son of Texas-El Paso head basketball coach Don Haskins, took the first-round lead Thursday in the Pro-Golf Tour $100,000 PGT with an 8-under-par 62.

Haskins, a product of El Paso's junior program and two-time low pro in the nearby New Mexico State Open, led Louis Brown of Newnan, Ga., by three strokes and Scott Gump of Merritt Island, Fla., by four.

Gump's 66 round included a hole-in-one on the 173-yard No. 5.

Haskins has been playing the 6,495-yard Coronado Country Club course for more than 15 years and demonstrated his control of the course. A small group of relatives and friends following him during the humid, sticky day gave him added support, he said.

Haskins posted a round of 31-31—62 that included eight birdies and no bogies to establish the competitive professional record. He had previously held the course record of 61, set several months ago but not in tournament competition.

Haskins, fifth on the PGT money list $20,930, won the season's opener in Mobile in March.

Mast paces Busch

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP) — Winless PGA Tour veteran Dick Mast came within a stroke of the course record with a 7-under-par 64 that gave him a one-shot lead after Thursday's opening round of the Anheuser-Busch Golf Classic.

Playing in the morning on the 6,776-yard Kingsmill Golf Club, Mast did not bogey a single hole and rolled in seven birdie putts of between two and 20 feet.

At 65 were Tom Byrum and Tom Purtzer, both of whom also played in the morning, and Bill Buttner, who began his round later in the day when rising temperatures and winds hardened Kingsmill's greens.

"I've played well this past month and would like to continue," said Mast, who tied for seventh at the Kemper Open in early June and tied for sixth the following week at the Westchester Classic.

Mast, 37, played on the PGA Tour before losing his card for the third time after the 1979 season. He spent the next few years on satellite tours, but rejoined the regular Tour full-time in 1986.

"It's taken me a lot longer to adapt my short game to conditions out here," Mast said.

Inkster sizzles with 65

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Juli Inkster had an eagle and four birdies in her first 10 holes Thursday and finished with a 6-under-par 65 to take a three-stroke lead after the first round of the $400,000 LPGA Mayflower Classic.

Inkster, who started on the back nine, got her eagle on the 472-yard, par-5 No. 1 hole, leaving a four-wood shot six feet from the cup and making the putt. She then completed her bogey-free round with eight consecutive pars, matching the best round in tournament history, set in 1980 by Amy Alcott before the event was shifted from nearby Noblesville and matched by Beth Daniel in 1982, after the move to the Country Club of Indianapolis.

Seven players were three strokes behind Inkster, including defending champion Colleen Walker, who is seeking to become the first repeat champion in the 12-year history of the tournament. Also at 68 were Chris Johnson, Sally Quinlan, Terry-Jo Myers, Donna White, Betsy King and Tammie Green.

Inkster, whose best round this year had been a 67, began her round as temperatures started climbing to the upper 90s.

The temperature reached 97 by mid-afternoon and 17 of the 31 players breaking par were morning starters.

Gilbert upset victim

BROOKLINE, Mass. (AP) — Third-seeded Brad Gilbert and fourth-seeded Guillermo Perez-Roldan were knocked out of the $415,000 U.S. Pro Tennis Championships in major third-round upsets Thursday.

Gilbert lost to Michael Kures, 7-5, 4-6, 7-6 (7-4), in a dispute-filled match at the sweltering Longwood Cricket Club. Kures won after losing a 10-minute argument eventually settled by tournament umpire Frank Hammond.

Perez-Roldan, of Argentina, bowed in straight sets to Lawson Duncan of Asheville, N.C., 6-1, 6-4, in a match that lasted only 83 minutes.

All of Thursday's winners advanced to Friday's quarterfinals.

Kures said he objected to a belated line call after losing a point that gave Gilbert a 3-2 lead in the tie-breaker. But Hammond, called to the court, said he allowed the decision to stand because the argument was over a second serve by Kures rather than the first serve.

In other matchesy, fifth-seeded Aaron Krickstein defeated 12th-seeded Richey Reneberg, 7-5, 6-1; eighth-seeded Tom Muster defeated Jim Courier, 6-2, 6-2; Bruno Oresar eliminated Juan Aguilera, 6-4, 6-4, and Horacio de la Pena knocked out Mark Dickson 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

600 All-Star tickets stolen

NEW YORK (AP) — About 600 tickets for Tuesday's All-Star Game at Riverfront Stadium in Cincinnati have been stolen, the Commissioner's office reported.

The tickets were taken from a private delivery service employed by the Reds, that was delivering them to fans in the Columbus, Ohio area. The seat locations of the tickets involved have been identified, and duplicates are being issued to the rightful owners.

Individuals arriving at Riverfront Stadium for the game with stolen tickets will not be seated and will be escorted from the facility.

Those fans who have not yet received their tickets or have questions about the validity of their tickets may call the Reds' ticket office for verification or check their locations against a list of the known affected locations. A list of those locations will be published in Friday editions of The Cincinnati Enquirer, The Cincinnati Post and the Columbus Dispatch.

TEXAS

(Continued from Page 1C)

BLAINE BEATTY pitched a five-hit shutout and his third straight complete game as the Jackson Mets blanked the Wichita Pilots, 2-0, while San Antonio defeated Arkansas, 6-1, and Shreveport blanked El Paso, 4-0.

Beatty, 10-5, who walked two and struck out six, has given up one earned run in his last 35 innings.

Jackson scored its first run in the second inning when Joaquin Contreras walked, stole second, went to third on a wild pitch and scored on a two-out single by Manning Salinas. The Mets added an insurance run in the fourth on a one-out triple by Craig Shipley and a two-out RBI double by Chris Jelic.

The losing pitcher was Pete Roberts, 0-1.

THE TOP four batters in the lineup for the Missions had 11 hits in 15 at-bats and drove in five runs in a 6-1 victory over the Travelers.

Domingo Michel was 4-4 and drove in four runs, Walt McConnell had three hits and two RBI, Wayne Kirby had a hit and scored twice and Mike Huff had two hits and scored three times.

Ron Mathis, Phil Torres and Mike Munoz combined to allow the Travelers only four hits.

Mike Hocutt's sacrifice fly in the seventh inning provided Arkansas' only run.

Shreveport's John Burkett pitched a two-hit shutout to lead the Captians to a 4-0 win over the El Paso Diablos.

Burkett struck out six, walked one and the two hits he gave up were singles. He is now 2-1.

It was only the second time this season that the Diablos, with the league's best team batting average of .300, have been blanked.

The losing pitcher was Jim Hunter, 5-6.



Sports Scoreboard

American

Tigers 8, A's 1

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi
Polonia lf	4	1	2	0	Brookns 3b	3	1	0	0
Lansfrd 3b	3	0	0	0	Whitakr 2b	4	1	1	0
Sinatro c	1	0	0	0	Salazar cf	4	1	2	3
Cansec dh	3	0	1	1	Lemon rf	4	1	1	1
Hassey c	3	0	0	0	Herndon lf	2	2	2	1
Hubbrd 2b	0	0	0	0	Sheridan lf	2	0	0	0
McGwir 1b	2	0	0	0	Knight 1b	4	1	1	2
DHedan cf	3	0	0	0	DEvns dh	4	0	0	0
Stenbch 1b	0	0	0	0	Heath c	4	1	2	1
Javier rf	3	0	0	0	DeJesus ss	3	0	1	0
Gallego 2b	3	0	0	0					
Weiss ss	3	0	1	0					
Totals	28	1	4	1	Totals	34	8	10	8
Oakland					000 000 100—1				
Detroit					035 000 00x—8				

GWRBI — Lemon (8). DP—Detroit 2. LOB—Oakland 1, Detroit 3. 2B—Herndon. HR—Lemon (7), Herndon (3), Heath (4), Salazar (10), Knight (2).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
CYoung L,8-6	2 2-3	7	8	8	1	0
Corsi	5 1-3	3	0	0	0	4
Detroit						
Robinson W,10-3	6 2-3	3	1	1	0	3
Gibson	2 1-3	1	0	0	1	1

T—2:15. A—28,081.

Birds 6, Rangers 0

TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Espy cf	4	0	0	0	Stanicek lf	4	0	0	0
Fletchr ss	3	0	0	0	CRipkn ss	4	1	1	1
Sierra rf	4	0	1	0	Murray dh	3	1	0	0
Incvglia lf	4	0	2	0	Tettleton c	4	1	2	1
OBrien 1b	4	0	1	0	Sheets rf	2	1	0	0
Petralli c	4	0	1	0	Orsulak rf	0	0	0	1
Parrish dh	4	0	0	0	Schu 3b	3	1	1	0
Buechle 3b	4	0	1	0	Gonzala 3b	1	0	0	0
Wilkrsn 2b	3	0	1	0	Traber 1b	2	0	1	0
					Gerhart cf	4	1	1	2
					BRipkn 2b	3	0	1	0
Totals	34	0	7	0	Totals	30	6	7	5
Texas					000 000 000—0				
Baltimore					030 000 12x—6				

GWRBI — Tettleton (2). E—Schu, Fletcher. DP—Baltimore 1. LOB—Texas 8, Baltimore 5. 2B—Buechele, Tettleton. HR—Tettleton (6), Gerhart (6), CRipken (14). SB—Schu (5). S— Traber. SF—Orsulak.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Kilgus L,7-8	7	6	6	5	2	3
Mohorcic	1	1	0	0	1	1
Baltimore						
Peraza W,2-3	7	6	0	0	1	7
Niednfuer	2	1	0	0	0	2

Kilgus pitched to 2 batters in the 8th. WP—Peraza.
T—2:48. A—22,255.

Angels 7, Indians 1

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
DWhite cf	5	2	2	1	Franco 2b	3	1	1	0
Ray 2b	4	0	1	1	Francn dh	4	0	1	0
Joyner 1b	5	1	2	3	Carter cf	4	0	0	1
Dwnng dh	3	1	0	0	Snyder ri	4	0	1	0
CDavis rf	4	1	2	0	Hall lf	3	0	2	0
Howell 3b	4	0	2	0	Jacoby 3b	3	0	0	0
Armas lf	2	1	1	0	Upshaw 1b	3	0	1	0
Bosley ph	1	0	1	1	Allanson c	3	0	0	0
Hendrck lf	1	0	0	0	JBell ss	3	0	0	0
Boone c	4	1	1	0					
Polidor ss	3	0	0	0					
Totals	36	7	12	6	Totals	30	1	6	1
California					004 101 001—7				
Cleveland					100 000 000—1				

GWRBI — Ray (6).
E—Carter. DP—California 2. LOB—California 6, Cleveland 3. 2B—CDavis. HR—Joyner (5). S—Polidor. SF—Ray.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
California						
TClark W,1-0	5	5	1	1	0	1
Minton S,2	4	1	0	0	1	2
Cleveland						
Farrell L,9-6	5 1-3	8	6	5	2	2
Havens	3 2-3	4	1	1	0	1

T—2:37. A—10,889.

Bosox 4, Twins 3

BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
Bogga 3b	4	0	1	1	Moses lf	5	0	1	0
Barrett 2b	5	0	1	0	Bush rf	5	1	1	1
DwEvn 1b	5	0	2	0	Puckett cf	5	0	3	0
Romine rf	0	0	0	0	Hrbek dh	3	0	1	0
Greenwl lf	3	1	1	1	Gaetti 3b	4	1	1	1
Burks cf	4	0	1	0	Larkin 1b	4	1	2	0
Rice dh	4	1	1	0	Harper c	3	0	2	1
Benzngr rf	4	1	1	0	Gagne ss	3	0	0	0
Gedman c	3	1	1	0	Torve ph	1	0	0	0
SOwen ss	1	0	0	0	Newmn 2b	0	0	0	0
JoReed ss	1	0	0	1	Lmbrdz 2b	2	0	0	0
					Laudner c	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	9	3	Totals	36	3	11	3
Boston					010 102 000—4				
Minnesota					011 001 000—3				

E—Burks. LOB—Boston 11, Minnesota 9. 2B—Burks, Harper, DwEvans, Hrbek, Larkin, Barrett. 3B—Puckett. HR—Greenwell (15), Gaetti (19), Bush (9). SB— Puckett (3). S—Gedman, JoReed, Harper.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Boyd W,7-7	6	9	3	2	1	6
Stanley S,1	3	2	0	0	1	2
Minnesota						
Lea L,5-4	6	7	4	4	2	6
Atherton	2 2-3	2	0	0	3	0
Portugal	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—SOwen by Lea. WP—Lea.
T—2:52. A—32,724.

Royals 7, Brewers 3

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Molitor dh	4	0	2	0	Stllwll ss	4	1	0	0
Robidx dh	1	1	0	0	Capra cf	4	1	1	0
Gantnr 2b	3	1	2	0	Brett 1b	3	0	3	2
JCastill 2b	1	1	1	0	Trtabll rf	5	0	2	1
Yount cf	4	0	1	1	Seitzer 3b	4	1	1	0
Leonard lf	3	0	1	1	FWhite 2b	4	0	2	0
Adduci lf	1	0	0	1	Wellmn 2b	0	0	0	0
Sveum ss	4	0	0	0	BJackn lf	4	1	1	1
Surhoff 3b	4	0	2	0	Tabler dh	4	1	1	0
Meyer 1b	4	0	1	0	Macfarln c	4	2	2	3
Schroedr c	4	0	1	0					
Hamiltn rf	4	0	0	0					
Totals	37	3	11	3	Totals	36	7	13	7
Milwaukee					000 001 020—3				
Kansas City					060 200 00x—7				

GWRBI — BJackson (3). E—Sveum, Brett. DP—Milwaukee 1, Kansas City 2. LOB—Milwaukee 7, Kansas City 9. 2B—Gantner, Brett, Molitor, Tartabull, Schroeder. HR—Macfarlane (2). SB—Capra (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Bosio L,6-10	3 2-3	9	7	6	1	1
OJones	2 1-3	4	0	0	1	2
Clear	2	0	0	0	2	2
Kansas City						
Lebrndt W,5-10	7	8	1	1	0	2
Sanchez	1	2	2	2	0	0
Farr	1	1	0	0	0	0

WP—Sanchez. BK—OJones. Clear.
T—2:41. A—33,559.

Transactions

FOOTBALL

National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Jamie Dukes, guard-center, to a one-year contract.

CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed Lui Passaglia, kicker.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed Dan Johnson, tight end, and Scott Nicolas, linebacker.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Agreed to terms with Tony Jordan, running back, on a series of three one-year contracts.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed Vernon Dean, defensive back, and Dave Des Rochers, offensive tackle.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Signed Milton Barney, wide receiver.

Canadian Football League

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS—Traded Jeff Boyd, wide receiver, and Ryan Hanson, running back, to the Toronto Argonauts for Jeff Smith, wide receiver, and Tony Johns, running back.

Texas League

TEXAS LEAGUE
SECOND HALF
EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Tulsa (Rangers)	11	7	.611	—
Arkansas (Cards)	10	8	.556	1
Jackson (Mets)	9	10	.474	2½
x-Shreveport (Gnts)	8	11	.421	3½
WESTERN DIVISION				
Midland (Angels)	12	7	.632	—
El Paso (Brewers)	8	10	.444	3½
x-San Antn (Ddgrs)	8	10	.444	3½
Wichita (Padres)	8	11	.421	4

x-won first-half title

Thursday's Games

Shreveport 4, El Paso 0
Tulsa 8, Midland 1
Jackson 2, Wichita 0
San Antonio 6, Arkansas 1

Friday's Games

El Paso at Shreveport
Midland at Tulsa
Jackson at Wichita
Arkansas at San Antonio

Saturday's Games

El Paso at Shreveport
Midland at Tulsa
Jackson at Wichita
Arkansas at San Antonio

The Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Detroit	51	31	.622	—	z-7-3	Won 2	27-16	24-15
New York	48	34	.585	3	5-5	Lost 1	23-14	25-20
Cleveland	45	40	.529	7½	4-6	Lost 1	26-20	19-20
Boston	41	39	.513	9	z-5-5	Won 1	21-18	20-21
Milwaukee	41	43	.488	11	4-6	Lost 1	24-20	17-23
Toronto	40	45	.471	12½	z-3-7	Lost 1	21-23	19-22
Baltimore	26	58	.310	26	z-6-4	Won 1	15-22	11-36
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Oakland	52	33	.612	—	5-5	Lost 4	22-16	30-17
Minnesota	47	35	.573	3½	6-4	Lost 1	25-17	22-18
Kansas City	44	40	.524	7½	z-6-4	Won 1	23-22	21-18
Texas	39	44	.470	12	4-6	Lost 1	23-23	16-21
Chicago	38	44	.463	12½	5-5	Won 1	22-24	16-20
California	38	46	.452	13½	z-6-4	Won 2	15-23	23-23
Seattle	33	51	.393	18½	z-5-5	Lost 1	18-20	15-31

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	53	31	.631	—	z-7-3	Won 1	30-14	23-17
Pittsburgh	46	37	.554	6½	z-5-5	Won 2	24-17	22-20
Chicago	44	38	.537	8	z-6-4	Lost 2	21-16	23-22
Montreal	42	41	.506	10½	z-8-2	Won 4	24-18	18-23
St. Louis	38	45	.458	14½	2-8	Lost 3	18-20	20-25
Philadelphia	35	47	.427	17	2-8	Lost 5	19-18	16-29
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	48	33	.593	—	z-7-3	Won 3	25-20	23-13
San Francisco	43	39	.524	5½	7-3	Won 2	24-21	19-18
Houston	41	43	.488	8½	z-2-8	Lost 5	24-18	17-25
Cincinnati	40	44	.476	9½	z-7-3	Won 1	19-20	21-24
San Diego	37	48	.435	13	z-5-5	Lost 2	25-22	12-26
Atlanta	30	51	.370	18	4-6	Won 3	15-25	15-26

z-denotes first game was a win

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Thursday's Games

Baltimore 6, Texas 0
California 7, Cleveland 1
Detroit 8, Oakland 1
Boston 4, Minnesota 3
Kansas City 7, Milwaukee 3
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Boston (Smithson 3-2 and Ellsworth 1-6) at Chicago (Reuss 6-5 and Long 3-3), 2, 4:30 p.m.
Kansas City (Gubicza 11-5) at New York (Candelaria 9-4), 6:30 p.m.
California (McCaskill 5-5) at Cleveland (Black 3-2), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Davis 5-4) at Detroit (King 1-0), 6:35 p.m.
Seattle (Bankhead 3-3) at Toronto (Flanagan 7-6), 6:35 p.m.
Texas (Guzman 8-6) at Baltimore (Ballard 4-5), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Wegman 7-6) at Minnesota (Blyleven 7-6), 7:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Thursday's Games

Pittsburgh 2, San Diego 0
Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 2
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Philadelphia (Carman 4-5) at Cincinnati (Rijo 9-3), 6:35 p.m.
Montreal (B.Smith 5-5) at Atlanta (Mahler 8-7), 6:40 p.m.
New York (Gooden 11-4) at Houston (Knepper 8-2), 7:10 p.m.
Chicago (Pico 3-3) at San Diego (Rasmussen 6-6), 9:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Drabek 5-5) at Los Angeles (Leary 7-5), 9:35 p.m.
St. Louis (Magrane 1-2) at San Francisco (LaCoss 6-6), 9:35 p.m.

PGA Golf

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. — $650,000 PGA Anheuser-Busch Golf Classic

Dick Mast	33-31—64	Steve Thomas	35-36—71
Tom Purtzer	34-31—65	Bruce Zabriski	33-38—71
Tom Byrum	34-31—65	Mike Donald	36-35—71
Bill Buttner	34-31—65	Bob Lohr	38-33—71
Larry Rinker	33-33—66	Loren Roberts	35-36—71
Charles Bolling	33-33—66	Richard Zokol	35-36—71
Jerry Pate	34-32—66	Woody Blackburn	35-36—71
Clark Burroughs	33-33—66	Calvin Peete	37-34—71
Peter Jacobsen	34-33—67	Hal Sutton	36-35—71
Ed Dougherty	34-33—67	Glen Barrett	35-36—71
Kenny Knox	35-32—67	Brian Mogg	37-34—71
Sam Randolph	34-33—67	Dewey Arnette	35-36—71
Fuzzy Zoeller	35-32—67	Mike McCullough	39-33—72
John Inman	34-33—67	Gibby Gilbert	37-35—72
Scott Hoch	35-32—67	Brad Bryant	38-34—72
Bobby Clampett	33-34—67	Pat Mcgowan	38-34—72
Chris Kite	37-30—67	John Mahaffey	38-34—72
Blaine McCallister	33-35—68	Gary Koch	39-33—72
Mike Sullivan	34-34—68	Jay Delsing	37-35—72
Frank Conner	34-34—68	Jim Dent	39-33—72
Jim Nelford	34-34—68	Mark Brooks	36-36—72
Russ Cochran	32-36—68	Tim Norris	37-35—72
Mark Wiebe	36-32—68	David Ogrin	37-35—72
Curtis Strange	35-33—68	Dave Stockton	35-37—72
Roger Maltbie	34-34—68	Ray Stewart	36-36—72
Mark McCumber	35-33—68	Ed Pfister	38-34—72
Billy Ray Brown	35-33—68	Mike Bender	32-40—72
Danny Briggs	36-32—68	Joey Rassett	38-34—72
Bill Britton	36-32—68	Steve Lowery	34-38—72
Gene Sauers	34-34—68	Tom Pernice Jr.	35-37—72
Danny Edwards	34-34—68	Fred Funk	37-35—72
Mike Hammond	35-33—68	David Peoples	39-33—72
Leonard Thompson	37-32—69	Barry Jaeckel	36-37—73
Gregory Ladehoff	37-32—69	Ronnie Black	36-37—73
Tom Sieckmann	35-34—69	John Cook	40-33—73
Clarence Rose	36-33—69	Lee Janzen	36-37—73
Tim Simpson	34-35—69	Bobb Mitchell	37-36—73
Richard Cromwell	34-35—69	Tony Sills	38-35—73
Jim Gallagher	34-35—69	Mac O'Grady	35-38—73
Barry Cheesman	38-31—69	Rick Fehr	36-37—73
Kenny Perry	36-33—69	Mark Maness	37-36—73
Brad Fabel	34-35—69	Antonio Cerda	37-36—73
Lennie Clements	32-37—69	John Adams	37-37—74
Steve Elkington	34-35—69	Phil Hancock	37-37—74
Bill Glasson	36-33—69	Rex Caldwell	37-37—74
Bob Murphy	35-34—69	Ted Schulz	37-37—74
Ray Barr	34-35—69	A.J. Duncan	37-37—74
David M. Graham	33-36—69	Bill Kratzert	36-38—74
Larry Ziegler	35-35—70	Jeffrey Lankford	39-35—74
Jeff Sluman	35-35—70	Ernie Gonzalez	38-36—74
Robert Wrenn	38-32—70	Bruce Soulsby	37-37—74
Mark Carnevale	38-32—70	Andy Dillard	38-36—74
Bob Proben	35-35—70	Bert Yancey	36-39—75
Robert Thompson	35-35—70	Chris Perry	38-37—75
Rick Pearson	36-34—70	Mark Hayes	36-39—75
Forrest Fezler	37-33—70	Jeff Coston	38-37—75
Mike Nicolette	39-31—70	Mike Blackburn	36-39—75
Dave Eichelberger	37-33—70	Brandel Chamblee	40-36—76
Joey Sindelar	38-32—70	Roy Biancalana	39-37—76
Scott Simpson	35-35—70	James Hallet	38-38—76
Keith Clearwater	34-36—70	Ron Streck	42-34—76
Jim Booros	36-34—70	Paul Gooden	41-35—76
Dillard Pruitt	33-37—70	Griff Rudolph	42-35—77
Bobby Wadkins	37-34—71	Bob Lunn	37-40—77
Rod Curl	36-35—71	Mark Pfeil	37-40—77
Howard Twitty	35-36—71	Terrance Dill	41-37—78
Rocco Mediate	35-36—71	Jodie Mudd	40-38—78
D.A. Weibring	36-35—71	Tim Poland	39-39—78
Billy Andrade	36-35—71	John McCloskey	40-39—79
Paul Trittler	36-35—71	Lance Ten Broeck	38-41—79
		Labron Harris	41-39—80
		Woody Fitzhugh	39-42—81

LPGA Scores

INDIANAPOLIS — LPGA Mayflower Classic

Juli Inkster	34-31—65	Dale Eggeling	38-36—74
Sally Quinlan	34-34—68	Anne Kelly	37-37—74
Betsy King	33-35—68	Barb Bunkowsky	38-36—74
Terry-Jo Myers	34-34—68	Mitzi Edge	40-34—74
Chris Johnson	36-32—68	Robin Walton	37-37—74
Tammie Green	36-32—68	Sue Erti	37-37—74
Donna White	34-34—68	Patty Jordan	40-34—74
Colleen Walker	34-34—68	Margaret Ward	40-34—74
Carolyn Hill	35-34—69	Therese Hession	37-37—74
Lenore Rittenhouse	35-34—69	Carole Charbonnier	37-37—74
Lisa Walters	36-33—69	Diane Dickman	37-37—74
Nancy Taylor	36-33—69	Melissa Whitmire	37-37—74
Joan Pitcock	34-35—69	Penny Hammel	38-36—74
Allison Finney	36-33—69	Susie Berning	38-36—74
Cathy Johnston	35-34—69	Tina Tombs Purtzer	36-39—75
Shirley Furlong	32-37—69	Adele Lukken	36-39—75
Martha Nause	33-36—69	Deborah McHaffie	39-36—75
Dot Germain	34-36—70	Kim Shipman	37-38—75
Amy Benz	36-34—70	Silvia Bertolaccini	38-37—75
Sherri Turner	34-36—70	Connie Chillemi	37-38—75
Lori Garbacz	34-36—70	Kelly Leadbetter	41-34—75
Jerilyn Britz	35-35—70	Marci Bozarth	39-36—75
Nancy White	38-32—70	Terri Carter	37-38—75
Deb Richard	33-37—70	Vicki Fergon	38-37—75
Jill Briles	34-36—70	Joan Joyce	41-34—75
Patti Rizzo	34-36—70	Becky Larson	35-40—75
Stephanie Farwig	34-36—70	Denise Strebig	37-39—76
Sandra Spuzich	38-32—70	M. J. Smith	40-36—76
Cathy Marino	35-35—70	Karin Mundinger	43-33—76
Ayako Okamoto	38-32—70	Vicki Tabor	37-39—76
Kim Bauer	34-36—70	Susie McAllister	39-37—76
Jane Crafter	32-39—71	Laurie Rinker	38-38—76
Robin Hood	39-32—71	Cathy Morse	42-34—76
Ok-Hee Ku	34-37—71	Sherri Steinhauer	37-39—76
Sarah LeVeque	36-35—71	a-Michele Redman	36-40—76
Kathy Ahern	36-35—71	Joan Delk	40-37—77
Lynn Connelly	37-34—71	Trish Johnson	37-40—77
Judy Dickinson	36-35—71	Martha Foyer	40-37—77
Elaine Crosby	36-35—71	Lori West	41-36—77
Cindy Rarick	36-35—71	Nancy Ledbetter	38-39—77
Danielle Ammaccapane	36-35—71	Debbie Hall	39-39—78
Liselotte Neumann	36-35—71	Pam Allen	37-41—78
Deedee Lasker	36-35—71	Rebecca Ward	39-39—78
Caroline Gowan	37-34—71	Clifford Ann Creed	41-37—78
Mary Bea Porter	33-38—71	Cindy Ferro	40-38—78
Amy Alcott	37-34—71	Mary Murphy	40-38—78
Marta Figueras-Dotti	35-36—71	Gail Lee Hirata	42-37—79
Debbie Massey	37-34—71	Sherrin Smyers	38-41—79
Alice Ritzman	35-37—72	Laurel Kean	39-41—80
Alice Miller	37-35—72	a-Alice Plain	41-40—81
Kim Williams	35-37—72	a-Suzanne Noblett	42-40—82
Caroline Pierce	36-36—72	Anne-Marie Palli	45-38—83
Nancy Rubin	36-36—72	Jan Stephenson	DNS
Carol French	37-35—72	Julie Cole	DNS
Kathy Postlewait	37-35—72	Myra Blackwelder	DNS
Kathryn Young	36-36—72		
Cindy Figg-Currier	37-35—72		
Heather Farr	36-34—72		
Val Skinner	37-35—72		
Mary Beth Zimmerman	38-35—73		
Marlene Hagge	38-35—73		
Lauri Peterson	36-37—73		
Carla Glasgow	34-39—73		
Susie Redman	37-36—73		
Sandra Palmer	37-36—73		
Gina Hull	38-35—73		
Kristi Albers	37-36—73		
Cindy Mackey	36-37—73		
Nina Foust	36-37—73		
Becky Pearson	38-35—73		
Missie McGeorge	37-36—73		
Jackie Bertsch	38-35—73		
Heather Drew	38-35—73		
Julie Kintz	37-36—73		
Laura Davies	35-38—73		
Kris Tschetter	39-34—73		
Meg Mallon	36-38—74		

Pro Tennis

BROOKLINE, Mass. — Results Thursday at the $415,000 U.S. Pro Tennis Championships

Singles Third Round

Tom Muster, Australia, def. Jim Courier, Dade City, Fla., 6-2, 6-2.

Lawson Duncan, Asheville, N.C., def. Guillermo Perez-Roldan, Argentina, 6-1, 6-4.

Bruno Oresar, Yugoslavia, def. Juan Aguilera, Spain, 6-4, 6-4.

Aaron Krickstein, Grosse Pointe, Mich., def. Richey Reneberg, Houston, 7-5, 6-1.

Michael Kures, Willow Springs, Ill., def. Brad Gilbert, Piedmont, Calif., 7-5, 4-6, 7-6 (7-4).

Horacio de la Pena, Argentina, def. Mark Dickson, Tampa, Fla., 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

National

Bucs 2, Padres 0

PITTSBURGH	ab	r	h	bi	SAN DIEGO	ab	r	h	bi
Bonds lf	4	0	3	0	Thon ss	3	0	0	0
Lind 2b	4	1	0	0	Kruk lf	1	0	0	0
VanSlyk cf	4	1	1	1	Ready 2b	4	0	2	0
Bonilla 3b	4	0	1	0	Gwynn rf	4	0	2	0
Coles rf	3	0	0	0	Morlnd 1b	2	0	0	0
Bream 1b	2	0	0	0	Wynne lf	1	0	0	0
LVlire c	3	0	0	1	McCllers p	0	0	0	0
Bellard ss	4	0	0	0	CMartnz lf	4	0	2	0
Smiley p	3	0	0	0	Brown 3b	4	0	0	0
JRobsn p	0	0	0	0	Parent c	2	0	0	0
Destrd ph	1	0	0	0	Santiago c	2	0	1	0
Gott p	0	0	0	0	Mack cf	4	0	0	0
					Hawkins p	1	0	0	0
					Tmplin ph	1	0	0	0
					Leiper p	0	0	0	0
					Flannry ss	1	0	1	0
Totals	32	2	5	2	Totals	33	0	8	0
Pittsburgh					000 002 000—2				
San Diego					000 000 000—0				

GWRBI — VanSlyke (10). E—Ready. LOB—Pittsburgh 7, San Diego 8. 2B—Bonilla.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pittsburgh						
Smiley W,9-4	6 1-3	5	0	0	1	9
JRobinson	1 2-3	2	0	0	1	1
Gott S,10	1	1	0	0	0	1
San Diego						
Hawkins L,8-7	6	4	2	2	4	3
Leiper	2	1	0	0	0	2
McClllers	1	0	0	0	0	1

T—2:46. A—16,076.

Reds 5, Phils 2

PHILA	ab	r	h	bi	CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi
Dernier cf	2	1	1	1	Larkin ss	4	0	0	0
Bradley lf	2	0	1	0	Daniels lf	4	1	2	0
Barrett 2b	5	0	0	0	Sabo 3b	3	1	1	2
Hayes 1b	3	0	1	0	ONeill rf	3	1	0	0
MYoung rf	4	0	1	0	Franco p	0	0	0	0
CJames lf	3	0	0	0	Esasky 1b	4	0	1	1
Aguayo 3b	2	1	1	0	Milner cf	4	0	1	1
Daulton c	4	0	0	0	BDiaz c	4	0	0	0
Jeltz ss	4	0	3	1	Tredwy 2b	2	1	1	1
KGross p	1	0	0	0	DJacksn p	3	1	0	0
Schmdt ph	1	0	0	0	Dibble p	0	0	0	0
Tekulve p	0	0	0	0	TJones rf	0	0	0	0
Russell ph	1	0	0	0					
Totals	32	2	8	2	Totals	31	5	6	5
Philadelphia					100 010 000—2				
Cincinnati					004 001 00x—5				

GWR — Sabo (4).
E—Aguayo 2, Daulton. DP—Philadelphia 1, Cincinnati 2. LOB—Philadelphia 9, Cincinnati 5. 2B—Aguayo. 3B— Esasky. HR—Dernier (1), Treadway (2). SB—ONeill (1), Daniels 2 (16), Sabo 2 (26). S—KGross.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Philadelphia						
KGross L,8-5	6	5	5	3

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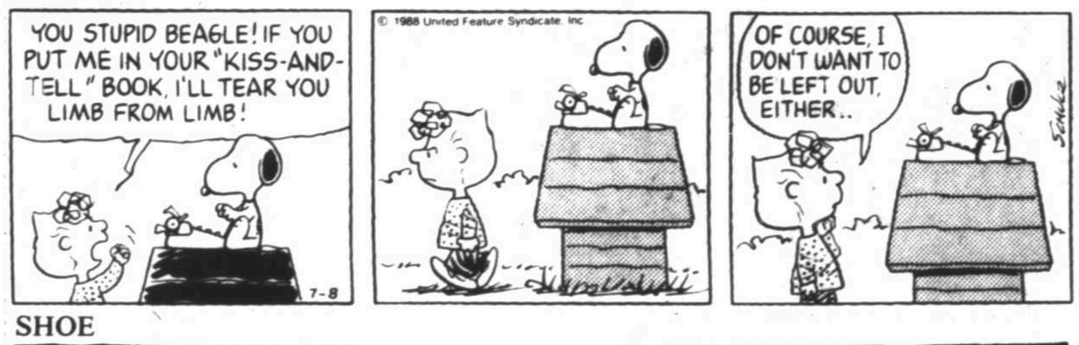
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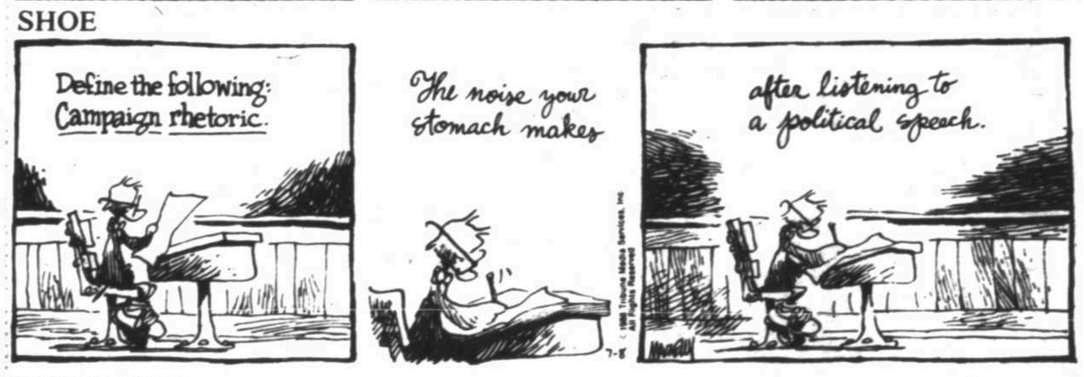
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JEANE DIXON'S
your horoscope

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SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Keep your own counsel and things will go better, both at work and at home. A windfall or bonus could set you looking for a new automobile or home. Exciting romance is possible. Be gracious to newcomers. Good nutrition translates into good health. Bending over backward to be fair at work will strengthen your position in October. The best time for a wedding is April. Lovingly attend to family members' needs.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actors Tom Hanks and Jimmy Smits, romance author Barbara Cartland, inventor Elias Howe, football star O.J. Simpson, football coach Paul Brown, outfielder Willie Wilson, actor Richard Roundtree.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Member of opposite sex is drawn to you this weekend. Family responsibilities could impose restraints on your social plans. Home repairs should not be postponed. Travel can wait. Stick close to home.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Ignore someone who tries to make you angry today. You will gain more by keeping your emotions under control. Your best chance of mending a broken relationship will come in a quiet setting.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your open manner and endearing ways will carry you far in human relations. A picnic in a private spot could be the ideal setting for romance. Consider your own needs as well as others'.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You have much to be proud of now. The way you handle a relationship reflects well on your upbringing. Someone wants to cling to you for all the wrong reasons.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Put work on a back burner and just have fun this weekend. A romantic interlude could provide one of your finest moments. Soak up the outdoors. A daily swim or walk works wonders.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A close friend proves his or her loyalty in a unique manner. Do not let a legal matter slide. Romantic ties seem to grow stronger. Spend more time with that special person.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A communications mix-up could cause problems for someone at a distance. A phone call or quick trip will straighten things out in a big hurry. The young-at-heart find new adventures.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): If you insist on having your own way, be prepared to accept the consequences. Avoid talking shop at social events or others may think you a bore.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Become more assertive or you will be taken for granted. Part-time employment could be the best answer to a temporary money crunch. Music soothes you when you are feeling upset.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Confront a sarcastic person before the situation gets worse. Shop in your own neighborhood to save time. Chances are, the prices will be lower, too. A close friend begins to show a romantic interest.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Share expenses if you want to take a day trip. Ignore gossip. Family connections prove very helpful in business or romance. Stop trying so hard to impress a newcomer. Be yourself.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Finish up overdue projects to avoid possible cancellation of a contract. Seek a lawyer's advice if you have unanswered questions. Talk over joint financial responsibilities with mate, partner. Intelligent compromises are possible.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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THE SHADOW OF A TRICK

Both vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ A J 6
♡ 8 5 3
◇ 9 5
♣ A K 10 8 2

WEST
♠ Q 5
♡ A 10 7 2
◇ 7 4 3
♣ 9 7 6 4

EAST
♠ K 10 9 8 4 3
♡ K
◇ Q 10 8
♣ Q J 5

SOUTH
♠ 7 2
♡ Q J 9 6 4
◇ A K J 6 2
♣ 3

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	1 ♠	2 ♡	Pass
3 ♡	Pass	4 ♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Queen of ♠

Who knows whence tricks will come. It is a tossup who was more surprised at the 13th trick, declarer or the defenders.

The auction was straightforward. Once the heart fit was revealed, there was no reason for South to show that he had a two-suited hand. The less you tell the defenders, the more difficult the defense is likely to be.

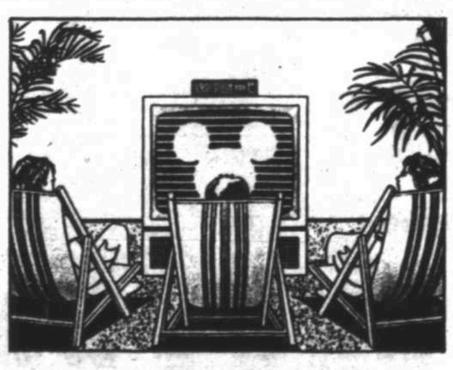
Declarer rose with the ace of spades at trick one to cash dummy's ace-king of clubs for a spade discard. Next came the ace-king of diamonds and a diamond ruff, followed by a heart to East's king. Stripped of red cards, East had a choice of exiting with a spade, setting up dummy's jack, or the queen of clubs, setting up the table's ten. Since dummy was entryless, it seemed of no import, so East chose the queen of clubs, ruffed by declarer.

Declarer led the queen of trumps, taken by West's ace. Back came a spade, and declarer ruffed East's ten. The jack of hearts was cashed for declarer's ninth trick, reducing West to nothing but a trump and a club. Now declarer simply led a diamond, and West had no way out. He had to ruff, but then he could do no more than concede the game-going trick to the ten of clubs.

Note that it would not have mattered had West exited with the king of spades rather than a club. When in with the ace of hearts, West would have to get off play with a club, and the same ending would result.

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"MY HORSE IS LOSING YOUR BREATH."

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.

STESHI

SALEI

KILNE

RUCLOA



One comic to another: "A pun is the lowest form of humor, unless, of course, you have a chance to — —."

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES

1	2	3	4	5

3 UNSCRAMBLE ABOVE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

			■	■		

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS 7-8

Thesis — Aisle — Liken — Ocular — USE IT
One comic to another: "A pun is the lowest form of humor, unless, of course, you have a chance to USE IT."

MARMADUKE



"Ha, ha, fooled you! My lunch is in the belt pack with the zipper and padlock on it."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Know what my measurements are? 20-20-20."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Ann Landers helps Vietnam vet find mother of dead buddy after 20 years

CHICAGO (AP) — After 20 years, a Vietnam veteran finally was able to tell the mother of a buddy killed in the war how much her son was admired and respected, thanks to some unorthodox help from advice columnist **Ann Landers.**



Landers

After trying unsuccessfully to locate the man's family, Ms. Landers decided to publish a letter from veteran **Gil Noble,** who wrote that he wanted **Kevin H. Dugan's** parents to know "how much their son was admired and respected by the men he served with" before his death in 1968.

She telephoned several Dugans in Kevin's hometown of Blue Point, N.Y., but no one knew him, she said.

Finally, Ms. Landers decided to break her rule against publishing the names of letter writers and use Noble's name Tuesday, in hopes that a reader of her nationally syndicated column would know Kevin's family.

"I felt the letter from Gil Noble was so sincere," she said.

Kevin's mother, **Anne Dugan Brown,** who has remarried but still lives in Blue Point, said a neighbor called to tell her about the column, and the phone then rang all day.

"We were all a little teary-eyed at first," Ms. Brown said, "but I felt it was a wonderful tribute to (Kevin's) memory."

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ROME (AP) — Actress **Sophia Loren,** born in the Neapolitan suburb of Pozzuoli, represents the "soul of Naples," according to the Naples Prize Foundation.

The organization voted unanimously to honor Loren by giving her the "Naples in the World" prize, said **Vittorio Pellegrino,** president of the foundation. Loren "skillfully represented the soul of Naples," he said Thursday.

The prize is to be awarded in December in Naples.

It is the first to be given by the foundation to thank those who have spread the "the special character and the extraordinary vitality" of the southern Italiar. ity, the Italian news agency ANSA reported.

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CINCINNATI (AP) — **Roy Rogers,** who entertained a generation of post-World War II Americans as the singing cowboy atop a horse called Trigger, says he has happily settled into retirement by spending time with his family.

"I'm like Popeye. I am what I am," Rogers, 76, said Thursday at the start of a four-day visit to Cincinnati, his hometown.

A 57-year veteran of movies and television, Rogers said he is amazed he even made it in the entertainment industry.

"I don't know how I got into show business. When I was young, I couldn't say 'hi' to somebody, I was so bashful," he said.

After making his first movie in 1938, Rogers and his wife **Dale Evans** entertained a generation of Baby Boomers as a singing Western duo.

Rogers and Miss Evans, his wife of 40 years, now live in Apple Valley, Calif., about 100 miles from Los Angeles.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — **Paul Revere,** the 1960s rock 'n' roll star and namesake of the Revolutionary War hero, says he has found solid financial ground in Idaho real estate.

Revere, 49, founded and led the group Paul Revere and the Raiders, which had such hits in the late 1960s and early 1970s as "Kicks," "Hungry," and "Indian Reservation."

Revere and the band continue after numerous personnel changes over the years, although Revere spends a lot of time playing the land-and-development market as well.

"My brother owned a real estate company in Boise (Idaho) and was always looking for exceptional property," he said in a recent interview. "I knew that Boise was a growing city."

Revere was always a go-getter, starting as a teenage barber in Caldwell, Idaho. He used his earnings to invest in a small drive-in restaurant and "started a rock 'n' roll band to promote my restaurant," he said.

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TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — The 24-year-old son of former Green Bay Packers quarterback **Bart Starr** had been dead up to four days before his body was found by authorities summoned to the locked home by his father, police said.

The remains of **Bret Michael Starr** were unrecognizable, said Hillsborough County sheriff's spokesman **Jack Espinosa,** adding that it took authorities more than four hours Thursday to make a positive identification.

There were no signs of a struggle in the house or trauma to the body, no bullet or stab wounds and no indication of foul play, police said.

The county medical examiner planned to conduct tests today to determine how he died, said **Jack Hall,** forensic investigator. He was unsure how soon results would be available.

"The place was locked up tight. The body was lying on the floor in a dining area that opened into a back yard. It had been there an estimated two to four days and the air conditioning was off," Espinosa said.

Authorities gave no indication that drugs were involved, but the elder Starr wrote about his son's drug problems in his autobiography, "My Life in Football: Starr."

"Unbeknownst to us, by the time Bret graduated from high school, he was well on his way to a cocaine addiction," the book says, noting that the younger Starr had trouble dealing with his father's fame.

Starr went to see his son at his house in Carrollwood Thursday morning but couldn't get in. Struck by a foul smell, he went for help.

Starr and a deputy who returned with him obtained a key from the landlord but had difficulty entering the house because of two Rottweiler dogs inside. They were removed by animal control officers.

Bret Starr moved to Tampa in late 1984 and was part owner of a wholesale exotic fish and reptile importing company called Gulf Coast Fisheries.

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ROCHESTER, Minn. (AP) — **Joy Baker,** the wife of former White House Chief of Staff **Howard Baker,** has checked into the Mayo Clinic, said a hospital spokesman.

"She is a patient at Mayo, but because of our policy of patient confidentiality we won't release any more information," said Mary Ellen Landwehr, clinic spokeswoman.

On July 1, Howard Baker stepped down as chief of staff and said he would return to his home in East Tennessee where his wife and stepmother were in poor health.

Mrs. Baker, 59, the daughter of former Senate Minority Leader **Everett Dirksen,** entered the clinic Wednesday, said Ms. Landwehr.

She was discharged earlier Wednesday from St. Mary's Medical Center in Knoxville, Tenn., where she was treated since June 9 for chronic back problems.

Evening TV Schedule

FRIDAY JULY 8, 1988

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (8) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	CBN Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (45) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (36) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Donahue	Hour Maga-	Sup. Court	Jetsons	Lone Ranger	Beaver	Topacio	G.I. Joe	Sports Trivia	Read/Rainbow	World Wide
4:30	"	zine	People's Court	DuckTales	Rifleman	Laverne	"	Jem	Motorweek	3-2-1 Contact	Wrestling
5:00	Family Ties	Current Affair	News	Double Dare	Big Valley	Alice	Chispita	Good Times	SportsLook	Sesame Street	HSE Program
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	B. Hillbillies	"	Carol Burnett	Noticiero	Jeffersons	Racing	"	Guide
6:00	News	News	Jeopardy!	Star Trek	Remington	Andy Griffith	Primavera	Barney Miller	SportsCenter	Nashville Sky.	Sportfishing
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	M*A*S*H	Lose or Draw	"	Steele	Andy Griffith	"	Benson	Tractor Pull	MacNeil/	Odyssey
7:00	Strangers	Kane & Abel	Major League	Black Sheep	Crazy Like a	Movie: "San	Mansion de	Movie: "Roos-	Karate: From	Lehrer	To Be An-
7:30	Full House	"	Baseball: New	Squadron	Fox	Antonio"	Luxe	ter Cogburn"	Tulsa, Okla.	McLaughlin	nounced
8:00	Mr. Belvedere	"	York Mets at	Movie: "Twi-	700 Club	"	Dos Vidas	"	Top Rank Box-	Wash. Week	"
8:30	I Married Dora	"	Houston As-	light's Last	"	"	"	"	ing: Donald	Wall St. Week	"
9:00	20/20	"	tros	Gleaming"	Straight Talk	"	Noticiero	News	Curry vs. Gian-	Deaf and	"
9:30	"	"	"	"	Last Frontier	Portrait of	Generacio.	INN News	franco Rosi	Blind	"
10:00	News	News	News	Bob Newhart	Remington	America: N.Y.	Johnny Can-	Twilight Zone	"	"	"
10:30	Ent. Tonight	WKRP	Tonight Show	Soap	Steele	Night Tracks	ales	Trapper John,	SportsCenter	"	Major League
11:00	Nightline	Gunsmoke	"	Hawaii Five-0	Paper Chase	"	Movie: "Cifra	M.D.	Volleyball	Tom Cottle	Baseball: New
11:30	Love Connec.	"	David Letter-	"	"	Night Tracks	Impar"	Movie: "The	"	DeGrassi High	York Mets at
12:00	News	Can't Take It	man	Movie: "Earth-	Burns & Allen	"	"	Amityville Hor-	Powerboats	Sign-Off	Houston As-
12:30	Headline News	It's a Living	Friday Videos	quake"	Groucho	Night Tracks	"	ror"	Powerboats		tros

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var. CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	SPN CABLE 27	TBN Religious CABLE 31
4:00	"	"	Kids Inc.	Movie: "P.K.	Marco Polo	"	Dance Party	NICK Rocks	Diana	Double Life"	Praise the
4:30	"	Movie: "Turtle	Videopolis	and the Kid"	Movie: "Radio	New Country	USA	Dennis	"	"	Lord
5:00	Movie: "Sweet	Diary"	King of Beasts	"	Days"	Fandango	Cartoons	Finder Keeper	Golden Age	World Access	Praise the
5:30	Lorraine"	"	Mouseterpiece	Roy Orbison &	"	Be a Star	"	Don't Sit	Prime Min	Television	Lord
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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

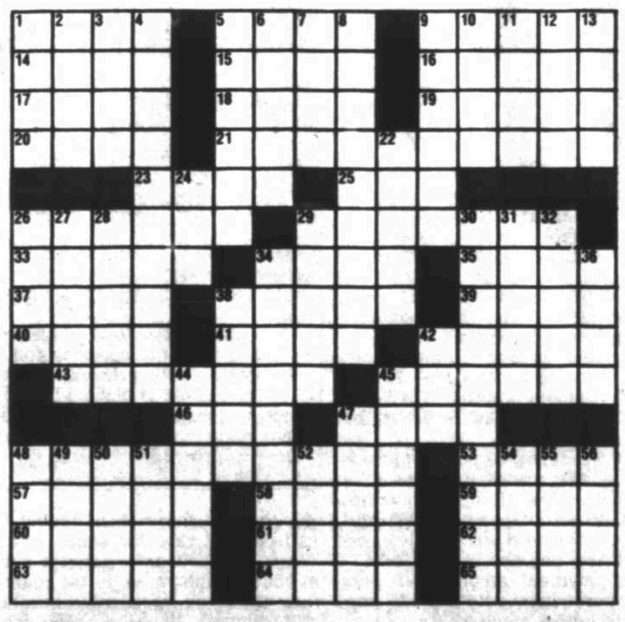
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Oil prices jump in nervous market

By MATTHEW L. WALD
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Anxious oil traders briefly pushed the price of oil up by nearly a dollar a barrel in trading on the New York Mercantile Exchange early Thursday after news of an explosion and fire on a North Sea oil platform.

New figures showing high demand for gasoline also bolstered prices.

In afternoon trading, however, oil fell and closed at $15.83 a barrel for August delivery, up 47 cents for the day. The late weakness was caused partly by rumors that Saudi Arabia was planning to increase production, to keep up with its neighbors.

"It's a very, very nervous market right now," said Peter C. Beutel, an analyst at Elders Futures Inc.

Nauman Barakat, vice president of futures at Shearson Lehman Hutton, said: "The market is extremely volatile. It seems the market is moving almost daily based on what is the rumor of the day."

The morning jump was a reaction to reports that North Sea oil production could be cut by 289,000 barrels a day, or about 10 percent, until the end of the year or longer because of an explosion and fire at Occidental Petroleum's Piper Alpha rig.

The early news of the oil rig explosion off the coast of Scotland "was the beginning reason for hysteria," said John O'Connell, senior energy analyst at Refco Inc.

He said traders were quick to react to the fact that the explosion would affect about 12 percent of total North Sea production, or as much as 300,000 barrels of oil ar day.

The platform had a capacity of 167,000 barrels a day and had recently been producing about 123,000 barrels, according to Beutel, and six other platforms fed their production through it.

"That sounds very, very impressive, but it's really insignificant — it's a very small amount of world production," and crude contracts began to ease once traders put the incident into perspective, O'Connell said.

In addition, the American Petroleum Institute, the industry trade association, released figures after the market closed Wednesday showing that gasoline demand in the week ended July 1 was more than 8 million barrels a day for the second straight week and that gasoline stocks were down by 12 million barrels in two weeks, to 209.7 million barrels.

"Since March 1979, there have been only five weeks where gasoline demand has been over 8 million barrels a day, and two of them were in the last two weeks," Beutel said.

Robert Boslego, president of the Boslego Corp., an oil analysis concern in Winchester, Mass., said, "Gasoline stocks are now at the lowest level they've been at this time of year since before 1982." He noted that the "gas yield," the proportion of crude oil that refineries turn into gasoline, was not rising, despite the strong demand.

"The only theory that makes sense is gas production has reached a capacity constraint," he said. Several refineries have had fires or other production problems in recent weeks.

"Unless and until we see a rise in the gasoline yield, gas prices are headed higher, at least relative to crude prices," Boslego said.

Unleaded gasoline closed at 53.12 cents, up 2.56 cents.

Also affecting the oil market Thursday were reports that Rilwanu Lukman, Nigeria's oil minister who is also president of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, would meet in Vienna on Monday with other OPEC officials to discuss the condition of the oil market.

Prices had been declining in recent days, with the price of West Texas Intermediate crude oil on the New York Mercantile Exchange dropping below $15 a barrel recently for the first time since late 1986.

But the market may not have taken the report seriously. "They're trying to do a job on the market by making these kinds of announcements," said Shearson's Barakat.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $15.58
- Thursday's Close $15.85
- Previous Close $15.35
- One Year Ago $21.25

W.T. SOUR

- Thursday's Close $15.05
- Previous Close $14.35
- One Year Ago $20.62

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $15.25
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- One Year Ago $19.00

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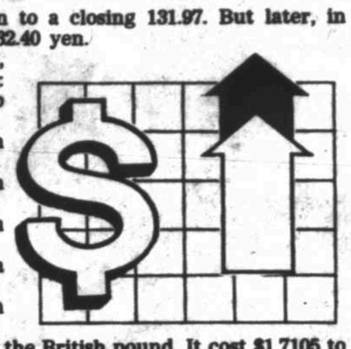
MARKETS

Dollar up despite German sell off

LONDON (AP) — The dollar rose in active late-morning trading in Europe today despite reports of dollar-selling by the West German central bank.

Gold prices were lower.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell 0.33 yen to a closing 131.97. But later, in London, it was quoted higher at 132.40 yen.



Other dollar rates at midmorning, compared with late Thursday's rates:

—1.8219 West German marks, up from 1.8161

—1.5148 Swiss francs, up from 1.5100

—6.1288 French francs, up from 6.1140

—2.0514 Dutch guilders, up from 2.0440

—1,350.25 Italian lire, up from 1,346.50

—1.2058 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2050

In London, the dollar rose against the British pound. It cost $1.7105 to buy one pound, cheaper than $1.7180 Thursday.

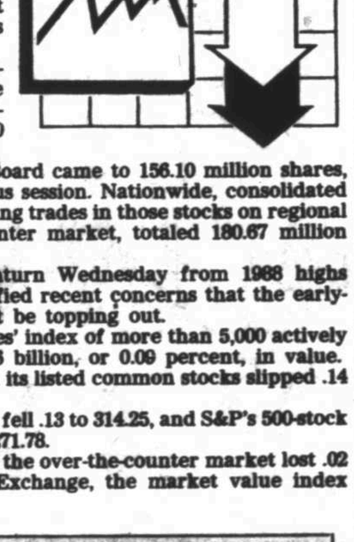
Gold opened in London at a bid price of $439.20 a troy ounce and at midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $438.90. Both were down from Thursday's late bid of $440.25.

In Zurich, the bid price was $438.90, down from $441.00 late Thursday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold rose $1.09 to close at a bid $441.59.

Silver was quoted in London toda at a bid price of $6.94 a troy ounce, down from Thursday's $6.98.

Stocks narrow loss late in session



NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices lost ground for the second straight session Thursday, but finished well above their midday lows.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, down more than 20 points at one stage, closed with a 7.47 loss at 2,122.69. The average fell 28.45 points on Wednesday.

Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 3 to 2 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 587 up, 850 down and 525 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 156.10 million shares, against 189.63 million in the previous session. Nationwide, consolidated volume in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 180.67 million shares.

Analysts said the market's downturn Wednesday from 1988 highs reached earlier in the week intensified recent concerns that the early-summer rally in stock prices might be topping out.

As measured by Wilshire Associates' index of more than 5,000 actively traded stocks, the market lost $2.36 billion, or 0.09 percent, in value.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks slipped .14 to 153.62.

Standard & Poor's industrial index fell .13 to 314.25, and S&P's 500-stock composite index was down .24 at 271.78.

The NASDAQ composite index for the over-the-counter market lost .02 to 395.43. At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index closed at 308.95, down .26.

Sun sets production, exploration spin-off

From Staff and Wire Reports

A vice-president for Sun Co. Inc. says the energy company's plans to spin off its domestic oil and gas exploration and production business and cut its work force by 1,000 employees is an attempt to boost profits in the face of a "rather weak" market for oil and gas.

In conjunction with the spin-off, the company's exploration and production division announced a major restructuring plan that will establish Midland as one of four regional production offices in the nation.

Sun E&P spokesman Tom Sullivan in Dallas said that it is too early to estimate the ultimate employment impact, but it appears that Midland will at least hold its own. Throughout the E&P division, 450 production jobs are expected to be eliminated.

A company statement said prion offices in Abilene, Longview, Corpus Christi, Lafayette and Denver will be closed, probably within the next two to three months, although no official date has been set.

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FDIC near decision on bank bailout plan

New York Times News Service

DALLAS — The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. is nearing a decision on several competing plans for a bailout of the First Republicbank Corp., but the timing remains uncertain, a spokesman for the bank insurance fund said Thursday.

"We would like to be able to announce a final transaction, a resolution of our interim assistance in the very near future," said Steve Katsanos, a spokesman for the FDIC.

The NCNB Corp. said it had "submitted a proposal related to" First Republicbank, but declined to give details. John S. Reed, chairman of Citicorp, told reporters Wednesday that Citicorp was "expressing an interest" in First Republicbank and was awaiting a response from the FDIC.

Katsanos said he would not elaborate on the statements by NCNB and Mr. "We are talking to several parties," he added, "but I can't say whether that list goes beyond those three entities."

Albert V. Casey, First Republicbank's chairman and chief executive, said he remained confident that a proposal submitted last month by First Republicbank's management "is the best one and will be accepted."

In recent weeks, L. William Seidman, chairman of the FDIC, told reporters that the most attractive bid was likely to be the one requiring the least assistance from the agency.

Success proving 'only natural' at Lite Bites

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Assistant Business/Oil Editor

In the best Hollywood tradition, Midland's current "hot spot" for lunch is an overnight sensation that was more than three years in the making.

Steve and Glenna Plummer had been cooking without refined sugars and flours for many years when they ran upon the "100 Percent Natural" restaurant in Acapulco.

That's where the inspiration for Lite Bites came from, but it wasn't an easy translation.

"In Acapulco, they had all kinds of local tropical fruits which they put into their shakes and juices," recalled Steve. It was more of a challenge for West Texas, but the Plummers came up with a menu of shakes, slushes, juices, salads and sandwiches using only all-natural and fresh ingredients.

After many months of experimenting at home with ingredients, the couple came up with recipes for bread without eggs, shortening or milk; low-fat yogurt; and honey and fructose-sweetened items. In March 1987, the first Lite Bites opened at Empire Plaza at 508 West Wall Street.

Less than 18 months later, the duo is operating three Midland/Odessa area restaurants, licensing the idea for use in other areas and preparing to incorporate and franchise the "Lite Bites" concept nationwide, Plummer said.

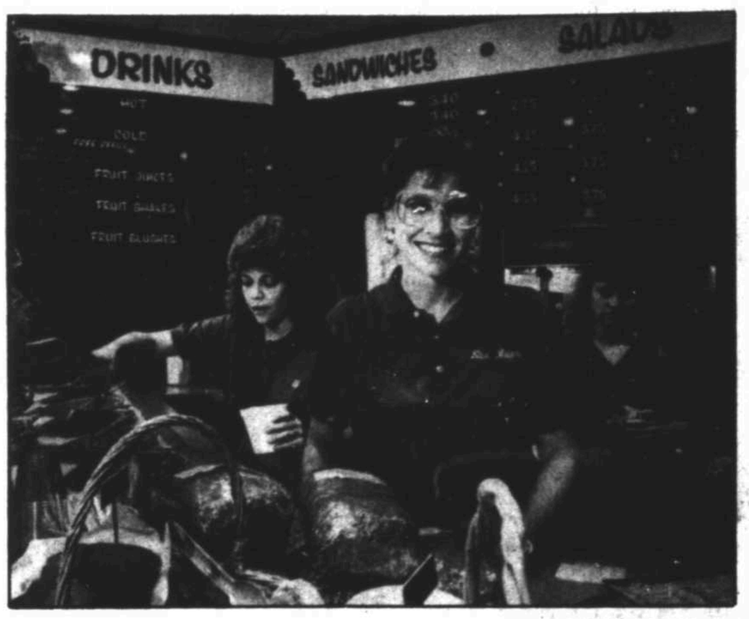
Although both the Plummers have been involved in health and nutrition for many years, the success of their restaurants goes beyond the foods just being healthy — taste is very important.

"People won't eat something just because it's good for them, if it doesn't taste good and isn't presented attractively and appetizingly," said Carol Reyes, manager of the Lite Bites at ClayDesta Plaza.

Reyes joined the company a little over a month ago to help the restaurants streamline operations and cut waiting times for customers at the popular lunch spots.

She estimates that 500 to 600 customers per day come through the doors of the ClayDesta location during the lunch rush and boasts that waiting times which had ballooned

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

ClayDesta store manager Carol Reyes has been instrumental in cutting waiting times by more than half during the hectic lunch rush.

FHLBB doubles estimate for aiding Texas thrifts

By NATHANIEL C. NASH
New York Times News Service

WASHINGTON — In an admission that it had significantly underestimated the problems in the savings and loan industry, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board more than doubled its projection of the cost of shutting down or merging more than 100 insolvent savings and loan associations in Texas.

Testifying before the House Banking Committee on Thursday, M. Danny Wall, chairman of the bank board, said the agency would have to come up with $15.2 billion to close 117 bankrupt Texas savings institutions, up from estimates of $7 billion made six weeks ago.

Wall, who has come under growing criticism for playing down the gravity of the savings and loan problem, said that the revision was made primarily because the savings institutions had not been writing down enough of their uncollectible loans.

But he maintained that the problems in the industry were still manageable and that it was inappropriate to begin discussing a taxpayer-financed bailout.

While the bank board now estimates that the cost of resolving the problems of the industry nationwide could exceed $30 billion, many other experts predict an ultimate price tag of $40 billion to $75 billion.

Wall said that the bank board planned to deal with the industry problem by continuing to impose, for the next 10 years, a special insurance premium on savings instituitions. Wall had previously said that the premiums would be imposed until 1995.

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Unemployment drops to 5.3 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Youths finding a wealth of summertime jobs dropped the nation's June civilian unemployment rate to 5.3 percent, its lowest since 1974, the government said today.

President Reagan called the news "solid evidence" that his economic policies have succeeded.

Seasonally adjusted employment in June jumped by 820,000 — 75 percent of it among youths 16-24 years old — to more than offset May's decline of 536,000.

The 0.3 percentage point improvement in the unemployment rate marked the first time the rate has dipped so strongly since 1986 and sent it to its lowest since joblessness stood at 5.1 percent in May 1974.

Unemployment among teenagers fell 2.0 percentage points to 13.6 percent, its lowest since 1970.

Among black teens, the rate fell a whopping 6.0 percent to 28.4 percent, the lowest recorded since that statistic was first tracked in 1972. Black teenage employment, however, was still more than double the 12.0 percent rate for white teens.

Analysts had anticipated a surge in youth employment in the tourism industry as unprecedented numbers of foreigners, buoyed by the devalued dollar, are vacationing in the United States this summer.

Reagan appeared before reporters at his spokesman's daily meeting with reporters to applaud the labor force report and to put in a thinly veiled plug for Vice President George Bush.

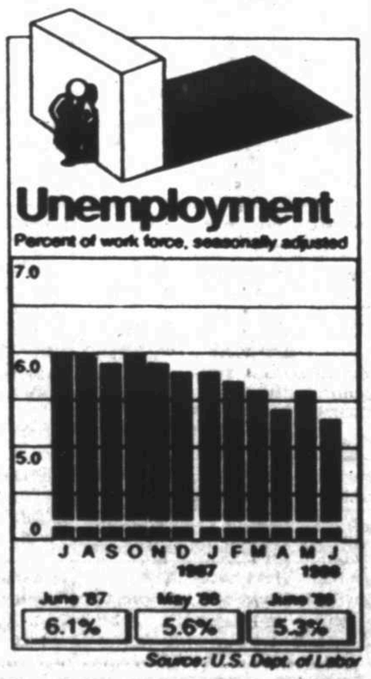
"Today's news is more solid evidence that the policies of this administration work, that our philosophy works," the president said. "I predict that 1988 will be a banner year for Republicans because it's a banner year for peace and prosperity in America."

State jobless rate drops further

DALLAS (AP) — Slow, steady improvement in the Texas job market pushed the state's unemployment rate down by another 0.3 percent in June, leaving the figure at 6.9 percent — its lowest point since January 1986.

The state's labor force surpassed 8.5 million last month, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. An estimated 7.9 million people held jobs while another 592,000 were looking for work.

"Over almost two years the numbers have been very slow but very steadily going in the appropriate direction," said Nic Santangelo, a BLS labor market analyst. "I would say this is a decided step toward saying we're improving."



Source: U.S. Dept. of Labor

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Retailers' sales up 2.5% for year

Associated Press

Retail sales rose between 3.5 percent and 4 percent in June, helped by the hot weather and consumer purchases of summer clothing, retailers have reported. For the year, sales were up 2.5 percent.

Industry analysts remained cautious, however, about the outlook for consumer spending. Some said the drought in the Midwest could affect July sales.

June sales also were aided by the markdowns retailers continued to take to clear their inventories, the nation's largest retailers reported Thursday.



Sales of Top General Retailers
June 1988
Figures in billions of dollars; exact reporting periods as shown; percent change from same period in 1987.

Sears, Roebuck & Co.		
$3.11	▲ 9.8%	Five weeks to July 2
K mart Corp.		
$2.60	▲ 7.0%	Five weeks to June 29
Wal-Mart Stores Inc.		
$1.62	▲ 32%	Month of June
J.C. Penney Co. Inc.		
$1.16	▲ 3.4%	Five weeks to July 2
Dayton Hudson Corp.		
$1.05	▲ 19.6%	Five weeks to July 2

NYSE, Chicago Merc unveil joint reforms

NEW YORK (AP) — The nation's two largest financial markets have taken a joint step toward averting another stock crash, proposing reforms that include special attention to small investors and coordinated trading halts when the Dow Jones industrial average falls 250 points.

Thursday's announcement by the boards of the New York Stock Exchange and Chicago Mercantile Exchange addressed many key issues raised by government studies on the causes of the October crash, particularly the need for cooperation between the nation's financial markets.

SEC approves one-share, one-vote rule

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Securities and Exchange Commission has voted to limit American companies' ability to weaken the voting power of their stockholders as a way of fighting hostile takeovers.

The new one-share, one-vote rule, approved 4-1 on Thursday, spells out how shares with reduced voting power can be issued.

One popular takeover defense, in which companies entice stockholders into giving up their voting rights by offering a special one-time dividend, would be prohibited.

Fed nominee accused of dodging taxes

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's latest nominee for a seat on the Federal Reserve Board has been accused of attempting to dodge taxes in negotiating a $2.5-million "golden parachute" compensation agreement with the Boston bank holding company he heads.

John P. LaWare, chairman of Shawmut National Corp., said Thursday he was not sure a tax dodge was involved in the agreement, which he said was offered to assure him his $500,000 annual income until he reaches age 65. He turned 60 on Feb. 20.

Despite concern expressed by Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, there was no indication the issue would affect LaWare's nomination.

Lyng reverses on immediate drought relief

WASHINGTON (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Richard E. Lyng, after meeting with six farm-state governors, says there is an urgent need for legislative action to provide drought relief.

Lyng earlier had commented that Congress should hold off on a relief package until the extent of the drought damage is known.

Bill-drafting sessions could start as early as next week in both the House and Senate Agriculture committees. Lyng said that President Reagan might sign relief legislation if it is a measure "that is reasonable and compassionate and will help farmers."

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Fullerton

Exxon Corp. No. 7230 Fullerton Clearfork Unit; 11,220 fsl, 14,520 fel, sec 5, blk 13, ULS, 15.5 nw Andrews. Elev. 3300.3, TD 7331. Completed 3/25/88. Potentialed 6/4/88, pumping 147 bopd, 237 Mcfd, 442 bwpd, 41.8 API. GOR 1612:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7331. Perforations 6596 to 7078. Acid: 16,700 gals. 15 percent HCL. Top of pay 6596.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Stephens-State "D"; 1980 fsl, 161 fel, SF 16482, Tract 4, T-1-S, T&P, 12 e Midland, Elev. 2660, TD 8850, PB 8779. Completed 6/20/88. Potentialed 6/30/88, pumping 52 bopd, 35 Mcfd, 95 bwpd, 39.1 API. GOR 673:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8850. Perforations 7176 to 8740. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 153,600 gals. gel, 225,200 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7170, Lower Spraberry 7736, Dean 8704, Base Dean 8466. Top of pay 7176.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Turner-Gregory (Clearfork)

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 5 Powell "A"; 722 fsl, 612.5 fwl, sec 18, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2207, TD 2980, PB 2956. Completed 4/24/88. Potentialed 5/29/88, pumping 21.7 bopd, 26.5 bwpd, 27 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2980. Perforations 2743 to 2777. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 26,000 gals. gel, 55,000 lbs. 20/40 sand, 8000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 1950, Glorieta 2397, Clearfork 2666. Top of pay 2682.

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 3-A Powell; 722 fsl, 662 fwl, sec 18, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2197, TD 2940, PB 2910. Completed 5/19/88. Potentialed 6/1/88, pumping 38.1 bopd, 77.5 bwpd, 26 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2940. Perforations 2681 to 2692. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 10,750 gals. gel, 19,250 lbs. 20/40 sand, 6000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 1927, Glorieta 2373, Clearfork 2664. Top of pay 2670.

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 2 Jackson; 685.8 fnl, 648.1 fwl, sec 20, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2186, TD 2980, PB 2934. Completed 6/2/88. Potentialed 6/17/88, pumping 18.3 bopd, 107.7 bwpd, 26 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2980. Perforations 2649 to 2772. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 17,000 gals. gel, 24,000 lbs. 20/40 sand, 14,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 1906, Glorieta 2343, Clearfork 2600. Top of pay 2606.

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 2 Gregory "B"; 667.6 fnl, 636.3 fwl, sec 19, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2208, TD 2980, PB 2892. Completed 3/8/88. Potentialed 6/19/88, pumping 12.6 bopd, 197.1 bwpd, 26 API. GOR 5 1/2 inches at 2980. Perforations 2670 to 2758. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 24,000 gals. gel, 35,500 lbs. 20/40 sand, 25,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 1730, Glorieta 2371, Clearfork 2658. Top of pay 2670.

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 5 Gregory "A"; 1991 fnl, 664.3 fel, sec 19, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2188, TD 2980, PB 2939. Completed 6/9/88. Potentialed 6/14/88, pumping 18.5 bopd, 103 bwpd, 26 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2980. Perforations 2612 to 2751. Acid: 2500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 24,000 gals. gel, 35,500 lbs. 20/40 sand, 25,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 1878, Glorieta 2318, Clearfork 2586. Top of pay 2612.

Hrubetz Operating Co. No. 2 Gregory; 667.6 fnl, 1940.9 fwl, sec 19, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 nw Westbrook, Elev. 2205, TD 2980, PB 2937. Completed 3/23/88. Potentialed 6/11/88, pumping 7 bopd, 39 bwpd, 26 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2980. Perforations 2666 to 2861. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: San Andres 1931, Glorieta 2374, Clearfork 2652. Top of pay 2666.

STERLING COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co., Inc. No. 1 Ferguson Brothers "34"; 660 fnl, 1730 fwl, sec 34, blk 7, H&TC, 15 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2471, TD 7800. Completed 3/22/88. Potentialed 6/27/88, flowing 128 bopd, 1.4 Mmcfd, 14/64 inch choke, FTP 400 psi. API 49. GOR 10,937:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7800. Perforations 7315 to 7503. Acid: 600 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 80,000 gals. gel, 110,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Spraberry 4625, Dean 5825, Wolfcamp 5995, Canyon Marker 7235, Canyon Sand 7280. Top of pay 7315.

WINKLER COUNTY

Scarborough (Yates)

Sell Rasmussen Operating, Inc. No. 8 Edwards; 660 fsl, 1140 fwl, sec 6, blk C-23, PSL, 10 n Kermit, TD 3057, PB 2915. Completed 3/16/88. Potentialed 3/19/88, CAOF 1.6 Mmcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3057. Perforations 3007 to 3029. Acid: 900 gals. 20 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Rustler 785, Yates 2585, Seven Rivers 3005. Top of pay 3007.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Good Northeast (Canyon Reef)

Baytech, Inc. No. 1-32 Clayton; 600 fnl, 900 fwl, sec 32, blk 32, T-4-N, T&P, 13 sw Gail, TD 8160. Pumping 31 bopd, 92 bwpd, 41 API. GOR 2097:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8160. Perforations 8103 to 8126.

GAINES COUNTY

Tex-Mex Southeast (Wichita Albany)

Petroleum Technical Services Co. No. 1 Mooers; 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 23, blk A-12, PSL, 22 sw Seminole, TD 7740. Pumping 23 bopd, 17 bwpd, 37.2 API. GOR 652:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7740. Perforations 7411 to 7606.

KENT COUNTY

Salt Creek

Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 24-H Salt Creek Field Unit; 2153 fsl, 720 fel, sec 132, blk G, W&NW, 9 nw Clairemont, TD 6700. Flowing 345 bopd, 1693 bwpd, 30/64 inch choke. API 38.5. GOR 609:1. Casing 7 inches at 6712. Perforations 6364 to 6406.

SCURRY COUNTY

Sharon Ridge (1700)

Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 61 State Strain Unit; 701 fnl, 1417 fel, Lot 5, C.A. O'Keefe subdivision, suvey 32, 3 se Ira, TD 1850. Pumping 69 bopd, 59 bwpd, 28.2 API. GOR 15:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1845. Perforations 1656 to 1725.

Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 63 State Strain Unit; 1307 fsl, 603 fwl, Lot 5, C.A. O'Keefe subdivision, survey 32, 3 se Ira, TD 1800. Pumping 22 bopd, 19 bwpd, 28 API. GOR 45:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1800. Perforations 1606 to 1678.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Olson (Grayburg)

Marathon Oil Co. No. 28 M.A. Shannon Estate "O"; 3533 fsl, 3191 fwl, sec 1, blk GG, Archer CSL, 34 nw Ozona, TD 2315, PB 2229. Pumping 28 bopd, 1137 bwpd, 20.5 API. GOR 36:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2304. Perforations 2065 to 2093. Acid: 1850 gals.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

High Lonesome

Blanco Engineering, Inc. No. 2 Cal Mon State; 2260 fsl, 512 fwl, sec 19, T16s, R29e, Elev. 3632, TD 1804, PB 1790. Completed 6/10/88. Potentialed 6/13/88, pumping 40 bopd, 35 API. Casing 7 inches at 1803. Perforations 1719 to 1733. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 33 gals. gel, 57,700 lbs. 10/20 sand, 27,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Yates 577, Seven Rivers 802, Queen 1396, Penrose 1719. Top of pay 1719.

LEA COUNTY

Dollarhide

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. NO. 114 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 115 fsl, 2338 fwl, sec 32, T24s, R38e, Elev. 3143, TD 3913. Completed 6/16/88. Potentialed 6/19/88, pumping 73 bopd, 2 Mcfd, 110 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 21:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3913. Perforations 3576 to 3682. Acid: 3600 gals. 15 percent neFe. Frac: 457 barrels gel, 45,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3546, Grayburg 3732. Top of pay 3576.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 115 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 1400 fnl, 1210 fwl, sec 5, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3124, TD 3920. Completed 6/15/88. Potentialed 6/18/88, pumping 107 bopd, 2 Mcd, 151 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 19:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3920. Perforations 3588 to 3710. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 475 barrels gel, 52,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1155, Salt 1200, Base Salt 2505, Yates 2675, Queen 3585, Grayburg 3745. Top of pay 3588.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 117 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 100 fnl, 1210 fwl, sec 5, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3137, TD 3910. Completed 6/13/88. Potentialed 6/16/88, pumping 254 bopd, 5 Mcfd, 610 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 20:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3910. Perforations 3853 to 3714. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 252 barrels gel, 28,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3540, Grayburg 3728. Top of pay 3853.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 119 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 1470 fnl, 1520 fel, sec 5, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3162, TD 3871. Completed 6/18/88. Potentialed 6/21/88, pumping 75 bopd, 2 Mcfd, 105 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 20:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3871. Perforations 3700 to 3742. Acid: 1000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 247 barrels gel, 25,500 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1182, Salt 1240, Base Salt 2522, yates 2697, Queen 3585, Grayburg 3780. Top of pay 3700.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 120 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 1350 fnl, 2435 fwl, sec 5, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3135, TD 3943. Completed 6/17/88. Potentialed 6/21/88, pumping 78 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 112 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 23:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3943. Perforations 3701 to 3728. Acid: 900 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 195 barrels gel, 24,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3552, Grayburg 3742. Top of pay 3701.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 123 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 2530 fnl, 1500 fwl, sec 5, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3119, TD 3994. Completed 6/1/88. Potentialed 6/3/88, pumping 184 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 176 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 6:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3994. Perforations 3833 to 3799. Acid: 4800 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 860 barrels gel, 400 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3616, Grayburg 3814. Top of pay 3633.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 134 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 330 fnl, 1080 fel, sec 6, T25s, R38e, Elev. 3115, TD 3992. Completed 6/21/88. Potentialed 6/24/88, pumping 56 bopd, 73 Mcfd, 1 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 21:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3992. Perforations 3629 to 3788. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 368 barrels gel, 31,500 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3622, Grayburg 3812. Top of pay 3629.

Sirgo-Collier, Inc. No. 116 West Dollarhide Queen Sand Unit; 100 fnl, 50 fel, sec 6, T25s, R38e, Eelv. 3125, TD 3904. Completed 6/4/88. Potentialed 6/8/88, pumping 123 bopd, 3 Mcfd, 506 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 21:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3904. Perforations 3575 to 3740. Acid: 3900 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 119 barrels gel, 14,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen 3568, Grayburg 3752. Top of pay 3575.

Maljamar

Arrowhead Oil Corp. No. 2 Brown Federal; 330 fnl, 2310 fel, sec 31, T17s, R32e, Elev. 3880.7, TD 4165, PB 4132. Completed 6/3/88. Potentialed 6/13/88, pumping 80 bopd, 50 Mcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4146. Perforations 3849 to 4030. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 80,00 gals. gel, 1200 sacks sand. Formation tops: Salt 1200, Seven Rivers 2426, Queen 3180, Grayburg 3550, San Andres 3952. Top of pay 3849.

Saunders (Permo)

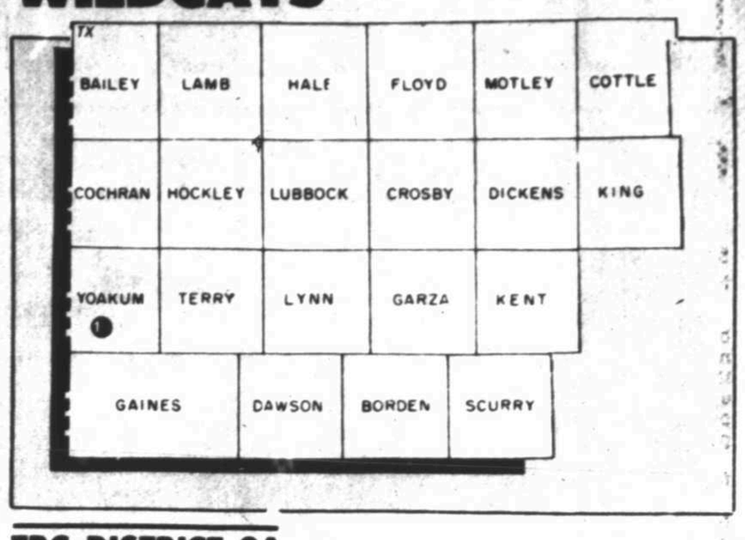
Tahoe Energy, Inc. No. 2 Tahoe "WA" State; 1650 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 11, T14s, R33e, Elev. 4199.6, TD 10,070, PB 10,020. Completed 6/17/88. Potentialed 6/17/88, pumping 65 bopd, 67 Mcfd, 81 bwpd, 41 API. GOR 1031:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,068. Perforations 9894 to 10,001. Acid: 8000 gals. 20 percent HCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1690, Yates 2655, Seven Rivers 2840, Queen 3570, Grayburg 3938, San Andres 4090, Glorieta 5952, Paddock 6090, Blinebry 6532, Tubb 6993, Drinkard 7105, Abo 7705, Wolfcamp 9145, Pennsylvanian 9705, Cisco 9891. Top of pay 9894.

Shipp

Pennzoil Co. No. 1 Price Family Federal; 2126 fnl, 766 fwl, sec 1, T17s, R37e, Elev. 3744.8, TD 12,060, PB 12,023. Completed 6/24/88. Potentialed 6/27/88, flowing 584 bopd, 472 Mcfd, .25 bwpd, 18/64 inch choke, FTP 925 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 12,060. Perforations 11,622 to 11,660. Top of pay 11,622.

Amerind Oil Co. No. 1 State "2"; 2020 fnl, 2130 fwl, sec 2, T17s, R37e, Elev. 3756, TD 11,770, PB 11,725. Completed 6/15/88. Potentialed 6/24/88, flowing 511 bopd, 452 Mcfd, 24/64 inch choke, FTP 285 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,770. Perforations 11,608 to 11,672. Top of pay 11,608.

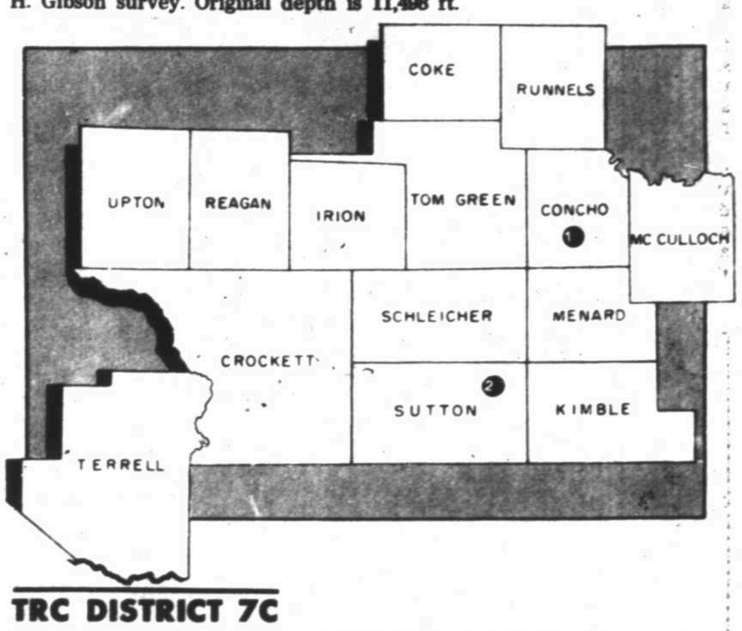
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. YOAKUM REENTRY TO TEST PENN FORMATION.** Getty Oil Co., Hobbs, will reenter the No. 1-D L.F. Webb, a producer in the Brahaney (Devonian) field of Yoakum County and plugback to 9,684 ft. for wildcat tests in the Pennsylvanian formation.

Location is 467 ft. from north and east lines of Section 543, Block D, John H. Gibson survey. Original depth is 11,498 ft.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. CONCHO DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 4,000 ft. wildcat has been staked in Concho County, seven miles north of Eden.

CAG Exploration, Inc., Dallas, will drill the No. 1 Floyd Daniel et al 661 ft. from south and 2,000 ft. from east lines of J.F. Bustin survey 146, Abst. 1145.

■ **2. SUTTON REENTRY PLANNED.** A dry hole in Sutton County, 25 miles east-northeast of Sonora, will be re-entered and cleaned out to 3,800 ft. fro wildcat tests by Cabana Oil Corp., Abilene.

The No. 1 Winnie Joseph is 660 ft. from south and west lines of Section 15, Block 5. TW&NG survev.

DEVELOPMENT

TRC DISTRICT 8A

SCURRY COUNTY

Diamond M (Wichita Albany)

Wayne Dodson Consultants, Inc. No. 2 F.M. Addison; 1650 fnl, 330 fel, sec 144, blk 25, H&TC, 11 w Snyder, PD 4700.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

UPTON COUNTY

Taylor Draw (Bend)

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 2 University "6-A"; 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 6, blk 15, ULS, 7 sw Rankin, PD 8400.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Diablo

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Pathfinder "AFT" State; 990 fsl, 1650 fel, sec 21, T10s, R27e, 18 e Roswell, PD 2100.

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 2 Pathfinder "AFT" State; 2310 fnl, 1650 fel, sec 21, T10s, R27e, 18 e Roswell, PD 2100.

EDDY COUNTY

Brushy Draw

Challenger Energy, Inc. No. 10 Mobil "22" Federal; 1775 fsl, 790 fwl, sec 22, T26s, R29e, 14.5 se Malaga, PD 6250.

Grayburg-Jackson

Hondo Oil & Gas Co. No. 17 J.L. Keel "A" Federal; 640 fnl, 2050 fwl, sec 7, T17s, R31e, 4.5 ne Loco Hills, PD 4000.

Laguna Grande (Undesignated)

Exxon Corp. No. 1 Laguna Salado South Unit; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 27, T23s, R29e, 7 e Loving, PD 13,900.

McKittrick Hills (Undesignated)

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 1 M-H Federal Com.; 660 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 1, T22s, R24e, 10.5 w Carlsbad, PD 10,600. Reentry.

Undesignated

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 1 McKittrick Federal Com.; 2310 fsl, 960 fel, sec 11, T22s, R24e, 6.5 w Carlsbad, PD 10,600. Reentry.

LEA COUNTY

Northeast Lovington

Harvey E. Yates Co. No. 1 East lovington "17"; 660 fnl, 760 fel, sec 17, T16s, R37e, 4 e Lovington, PD 11,800.

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 1 Soledad "30-D" State; 512 fnl, 830 fwl, sec 30, T16s, R37e, 3 se Lovington, PD 12,000.

Quail Ridge

Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 1 Lea Chapparral Federal Com.; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 33, T19s, R34e, 13.5 sw Arkansas Junction, PD 13,700.

Shipp

Sohio Petroleum Co. No. 2 State "36"; 1300 fnl, 1060 fel, sec 36, T16s, R37e, 5 nw Knowles, PD 12,300.

Undesignated

Maxus Exploration Co. No. 1 Bear Claw State; 660 fnl, 2200 fwl, sec 6, T11s, R37e, 9.5 se Crossroads, PD 12,500.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

HOWARD COUNTY

Iatan (San Andres)

Northwest Oil Co. No. 14 J.P. Davis Heirs "B"; 990 fwl, 990 fsl, sec 2, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 4.5 e Coahoma, TD 2363. Plugged 6/2/88. Oil well.

Lomax (Strawn)

B&G Energy Corp. No. 1 Mathis; 330 fwl, 1980 fnl, sec 33, blk 34, T-1-S, TP, 1 ne Lomax, TD 10,734. Completed 10/19/84. Plugged 1/31/88. Oil well.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

KING COUNTY

Wildcat

Clear Fork, Inc. No. 1-C Foster; 3900 fnl, 2400 fwl, sec 229, blk F, H&TC, 11 sw Guthrie, TD 4014.

Sabine Corp. No. 1 Bateman; 9544 fsl, 728 fwl, sec 94, blk A, JNO-Rector, 12 e Guthrie, TD 5859.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

REAGAN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Standard Oil Production Co. No. 4 L.C. Proctor "32"; 1980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 32, blk 36, T&P, 23 sw Garden City, TD 7680. Completed 6/52. Plugged 4/26/88. Oil well.

NEW MEXICO

LEA COUNTY

East Shugart (Delaware)

Siete Oil & GAs Co. No. 10 Inca Federal; 660 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 30, T18s, R32e, Elev. 3699, TD 6650. Plugged 6/14/88.

South Crossroads (Devonian)

Bell, Foy & Middlebrook, Ltd. No. 1 Gainer; 2310 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 22, T10s, R38e, Eelv. 4003.5, TD 12,325. Plugged 1/22/88.

West Teas (Yates-Seven Rivers)

Grover-McKinney Oil Co. No. 4 Federal; 990 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 9, T20s, R33e, Elev. 3631, TD 3400. Plugged 6/4/88.

SUN

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The consolidation of much of the Abilene production operation into the Midland office was announced by the company late last year. The new plan does not mention the downsized operating offices, one of which was planned for Abilene under the previous measures.

The new Southwestern Region which will be based in Midland, will be headed by Warren Bryan, district manager in Corpus Christi since 1985. Sullivan expects the new region office to be operating by September.

Sun's board of directors on Thursday approved the major restructuring plan, which also calls for the restructured company to retain and expand its international exploration and production operations, as well as its refining and marketing business, company officials said.

It comes two days after Sun, the nation's 10th largest oil company, announced it had agreed to buy Atlantic Petroleum Corp., a Northeast refiner and retailer, for $513 million from oil trader John Duess.

Company officials believe that payroll reductions and independent management structures for the separate companies will result in higher earnings that will boost profits, said Peter Waitneight, a vice president of corporate financing for the Radnor-based company.

"The earnings have not been growing in the rather weak market for crude oil and natural gas," Waitneight said in a telephone interview.

Under the plan, current Sun shareholders would receive a one-for-one tax-free distribution of stock in the newly created Sun Exploration & Production Co., which will handle domestic oil and gas exploration and production.

The redistribution is subject to approval by shareholders and dependent on the Internal Revenue Service granting it tax-free status.

The new company, to be headquartered in Dallas, would become the largest independent oil and gas producer in North America, with approximately $4.8 billion in assets and $1.6 billion in revenue in 1987, Sun officials said.

The original Sun would restructure with more than $9 billion in assets. Excluding the domestic oil and gas exploration and production business, Sun totaled $9.1 billion in revenue last year.

Waitneight said the distribution would be presented for shareholders' consideration during a special meeting in early October, with distribution of shares, if approved, planned for the end of October.

Reduction of the work force will begin immediately, Waitneight said.

About 800 Sun workers employed in the new company's operations, most of them in the Western United States, will lose their jobs, Waitneight said.

Also, 250 workers at the restructured Sun, most of them in the East and many in the Philadelphia area, also will lose their jobs, he said.

Company officials said some employees would be offered early retirment incentives, but Waitneight would not specify how many.

Sun officials expect the restructuring to produce $65 million in after-tax savings for Sun E&P each year and $15 million for the restructured Sun each year, most of that through payroll reductions.

"The driving force behind this decision is to enhance value for holders of Sun stock," said Robert McClements Jr., chairman and chief executive officer of Sun.

Robert P. Hauptfuhrer, Sun's president and chief operating officer, was named by the Sun board as the chairman and chief executive officer of the newly created Sun E&P. James McCormick, who heads the company's exploration and production operations, will become the president and chief operating officer of Sun E&P.

BITE

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to more than a half-hour in extreme cases, have been cut to less than 10 minutes.

The success of the north side location has drawn business away from the Empire Plaza store, which is "still doing very well," Plummer said. The much smaller downtown location does about two-thirds as much business as the newer eatery, he estimated.

Reyes, whose food service background includes seven years with Steak & Ale in Odessa, improved the "front house" operations by identifying the most time-consuming tasks and applying more manpower to those areas and "building a sense of urgency" about service, she said.

With the original and ClayDesta locations in Midland, along with an Odessa restaurant near Permian High School on East 42nd Street in Odessa, the Plummers aren't content with the progress they've already got under their belt.

"We're constantly testing new recipes, working on new menu items," Steve said. They are nearing completion of a no-fat frozen yogurt to replace the current low-fat variety and are working on non-sugar sweetened cookies and new salads for the menu.

"We hope to open at least two more local restaurants this year, too," said Plummer, a graduate of Southern Oregon State University in Ashland. The duo is looking for a second downtown location, plus a site with higher traffic in the evening.

The restaurateurs are undaunted by locations which have been less than successful for other operators in the past. "Everybody tried to warn us about each of the stores before we went in, but we've proven them wrong," Plummer said.

The Plummers have reached licensing agreements for restaurants in Lufkin, Texas and Los Angeles. Steve expects to begin training the owners of those stores soon, adding that they are developing a videotaped training program and operations manual in anticipation of franchising Lite Bites in the near future.

The couple is negotiating deals for the Dallas/Fort Worth and San Angelo areas, and hope to get inquiries from other surrounding markets, he said.

Each store is expected to have a unique look because of another of the individual touches the Plummers use — supporting local art galleries.

The walls of each restaurant are decorated with a variety of works for sale by local artists. "It makes it possible to change the decor and support local artists at the same time," Plummer said.

FHLBB

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Some analysts said Thursday that news of the deeper losses in Texas would make it harder for the bank board to succeed in its Southwest Plan — an effort to find buyers for more than 150 insolvent institutions in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

The grim numbers were in large part anticipated by analysts. Late last month, the bank board reported that in the first quarter the industry as a whole posted near-record losses of $3.79 billion, after record losses in the fourth quarter of 1987 totaling $3.81 billion.

Those figures are the most recent evidence that the industry, which pursued risky lending after being deregulated earlier in this decade, is a long way from recovery. That lending included billions of dollars lent to Texas developers.

As the Texas economy deteriorated, builders defaulted on many loans, leaving savings and loans holding everything from vacant apartment buildings to the shells of office buildings.

Regulators are worried that the problems of the savings and loan industry could spill over into the banking industry and that if Wall continued to maintain a too- optimistic posture, he and the bank board could lose credibility.

The admission Thursday by Wall again raised the issue of how Congress was going to deal with the savings industry's problems. The healthy segment of the industry is paying for the sins of the troubled institutions through insurance premiums that are higher than those paid by the banking industry.

Now, the healthy institutions are bristling at the thought of having the extra insurance premium continuing through the next decade.

"The bank board seems to be willing to cannibalize healthy thrifts to keep the regulatory status quo alive," said Charles John Koch, chairman of the National Council of Savings Institutions. "It is time for the Congress to step in and accelerate its effort to find permanent solutions to the deposit insurance crisis."

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Look for mutual fund that best manages expenses

By BILL DOYLE

Q. My wife and I have $30,000 in a mutual fund. The fund's investment portfolio consists mostly of Government National Mortgage Association certificates — "Ginnie Maes." We also have direct ownership of 16 Ginnie Maes purchased over a long period of time. The interest we collect on our Ginnie Maes is about two percentage points higher than the dividend yield on the mutual fund.

It just doesn't seem right for the mutual fund to take that much off the income for management and other expenses. Are there laws to protect consumers in cases such as this? Do we have any recourse?



Doyle

A. There are no federal laws or regulations on that subject. However, some states do limit the amount mutual funds can take "off the top."

Every mutual fund receives interest and/or dividends from the securities it holds as investments. After collecting that money, the fund deducts its operating expenses and passes the rest along to fund shareholders as dividends.

All mutual funds have operating expenses. Typically, the largest expense is the "management" or "investment advisory" fee paid to the people who run the fund. But other expenses add to the fund's total operating costs.

When a fund has a 12b-1 plan — through which management extracts money from the fund's assets, which belong to existing shareholders, and uses that money to promote the sale of shares to new investors — total expenses can be very high.

As has been stressed in this column, a well-run mutual fund with a cost-conscious management can keep its annual expenses below 1 percent of the fund's assets. At some funds, that "expense ratio" is three-quarters of 1 percent or lower.

At mutual funds with 12b-1 plans, the expense ratio often exceeds 2 percent.

Since you obviously are most dissatisfied with the expenses of your mutual fund, your only recourse is to "vote with your feet" — redeem the shares you own in that fund and invest your money elsewhere.

Q. It's relatively easy to learn which mutual funds have commission "loads" on the purchase of their shares. But the only way I know of finding out which funds have 12b-1 plans and "rear-end loads" in the form of redemption fees or contingent deferred sales charges requires reading the prospectus of each fund.

Is there any source listing this data on all mutual funds?

A. Yes. You will find that information in the "Panorama" section of Wiesenberger Investment Companies Services, a thick manual on file in the reference sections of many public libraries. The expense ratios and other statistics on mutual funds are included in Panorama.

Wiesenberger recently published a separate 69-page Panorama, with information updated to Dec. 31, 1987. Look for it in your library.

Q. The shareholder reports from my mutual fund are very difficult to read. I have to read them several times to understand how well — or how badly — my investment is faring. But I am still in the dark about one often-used term in the reports — "basis points." For instance, the most recent quarterly report says the fund's dividend yield was "50 basis points higher than the yield on 10-year Treasury securities." What in the world is a basis point?

A. It's one one-hundredth of 1 percent. And 50 basis points in one-half of 1 percent.

As I write this, the yield on U.S. Treasury bonds due to mature in 1998 is 9 percent. Assuming your mutual fund's dividend payments have the same yield advantage over 10-year Treasuries they did on the date of the shareholder report, your "current yield" — annual dividend divided by share value — is 9.5 percent.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

PE	Sales	Last	Chg.

A—A

AMR	12	3677	47⅝	—	⅝
ARX	11	17	8⅝		
ASA		3	169	42⅛	
AbtLab	1.20	16	1054	45⅛	— ⅛
AdmLJ	2.76	6	796	44⅝	+ ⅛
AirPrd	1.20	14	856	49⅝	
AlskAir	.16	17	251	19⅛	+ ⅛
Alcan	e.72	10	1910	32¼	
AlcoStd	.60	12	141	24	+ ⅛
Alglnt		115	3⅝	— ⅛	
AlgPw		3	9	98	37⅝
AldSgnl	1.80	11	2415	35⅛	— ⅛
AlliaC		231	1	+ 1-16	
Alcos	1.20	13	1228	52	+ ⅛
Amax	.20	97	573	23⅛	
AmHse	.60	20	625	27⅝	
AmBrnd	2.20	10	543	49⅝	— ⅛
ACyan	1.20	16	1720	51⅛	— ⅛
AEPw	2.28e	10	662	28⅛	— ⅛
AmExp	.76	24	2185	27	
AFamly	.24	10	384	12⅞	
AHome	3.60	13	394	74	
Amrtch	5.40	10	488	90⅛	
AlntGr	.40	9	612	57⅛	— ⅛
AmRity	.56e	3	437	4⅝	— ⅛
AmStor	.84	13	66	50⅛	+ ⅛
AT&T	1.20	14	3180	26⅛	
Ametk	e.60	14	68	15	— ⅛
Amoco	3.50	12	1564	74⅛	
AMP		1	22	649	50⅛	— ⅛
Anacmp		15	236	11⅛	+ ⅛
Anadrk		.30	55	790	23⅝
Anheus		.60	15	1022	31	+ ⅛
Anthony	.44b	9	12	14⅜	
ArchDn	.10b	10	1457	20	+ ⅛
Armco	22	2939	10⅝	+ ⅛	
ArmWl		1	11	771	37⅛	+ ⅛
Asarco	.30e	4	736	25⅝	— ⅛
AshlOil		2	13	606	72⅝	— ⅛
AtlRich		4	11	1603	81⅛	— ⅛
AtlasCp	.36	3	33⅝	— ⅛	
Augat		.40	24	1013	13⅝	— ⅛
AVMCO		.34	13	29	27⅛	+ ⅛
Avery		.48	25	201	25⅛	— ⅛
Avnet		.60	19	434	23⅝	— ⅛
Avon		2	13	3294	26⅛	— ⅛

B—B

BakrHu	.48		639	10⅝	— ⅛
BallyMf	.24	8	4003	20⅛	+ ⅛
BaltGE	2	9	353	32⅛	— ⅛
BncOne	.92b	13	713	27	— ⅛
BkNY	1.80	11	323	34⅛	— ⅛
BnkAm		1718	13⅞	+ ⅛	
Bausch		1	16	143	46	
Baxter		.50	17	2044	20⅝	— ⅛
Baker		138	⅛	+ 1-64	
BellAtl	4.08	11	648	70⅝	+ ⅛
BellSo	2.36	12	1432	41⅝	+ ⅛
BentCp		2	8	118	46⅛	+ ⅛
BengtB	.12r	14	100	4⅝	
BestPd		15	174	13⅝	+ ⅛
BethSt	10	1373	23⅛	— ⅛	
Bevrly	.05j		615	7⅛	— ⅛
BlackD	.40	18	1866	24	+ ⅛
BldHR	a1.04	16	91	27⅛	+ ⅛
Boeing	1.60	18	883	58⅝	— ⅛
BoiseC	a1.20	10	577	46⅛	— ⅛
Borden	1.50	14	698	52⅝	— ⅛
BostEd	1.82	9	992	15	
BristMy	1.56	15	1947	40⅛	+ ⅛
BritPt	3.13e	13	821	54⅝	
BrwnFr	.40	18	1052	24	— ⅛
Brnwk	.44	10	1920	20⅝	
BrlNth	2.20	13	684	66⅛	— ⅛

C—C

CBS		3	18	71	160⅝	+ ⅛
CIGNA	2.90		7	466	48⅝	— ⅛
CMS		En	6	311	21⅝	— ⅛
CNW	19	771	26			
CPC		1.44	10	2119	44⅛	— ⅛
CRSS		a.24	11	97	22⅛	+ ⅛
CSX	1.24	40	1148	27⅛	— ⅛
Caesar	13	401	28	— ⅛	
CamSp	e.84	13	751	24⅝	— ⅛
CapCits	.20	16	330	310	+ ⅛
CarPw	2.76	9	59	33⅛	— ⅛
CartH		s	9	11	9⅝
CastlCk	14	776	26⅝	— ⅛	
Caterp	.75	13	799	66⅝	— ⅛
Centel	a1.72	13	270	46⅛	+ ⅛
CentEn	1.60	7	546	16⅛	
CenSoW	2.44	8	745	31⅛	— ⅛
CnlPS	1.76	11	87	21⅝	— ⅛
Chmpln		1	8	856	36	— ⅛
ChamSp	.15e	25	58	12⅛	— ⅛
ChartC	.02e		6	40	3⅝	— ⅛
Chase	2.16			453	29⅝	
ChmBnk	2.72			232	29⅛	— ⅛
Chevrn	2.60	12	1736	47	— ⅛
ChrleCr	.53t	29	69	21⅛	+ ⅛
Chryslr		1	4	3614	23⅝	— ⅛
CircleK	.28	13	116	14⅛	
CirCty	.12	15	138	34⅛	+ ⅛
Citicrp	a1.46			2811	24⅝	— ⅛
ClarkE			45	34⅛	+ ⅛
Clorox	1.04	12	78	28⅛	— ⅛
Coastal	.60	14	260	29⅝	+ ⅛
CocaCl	1.20	15	1067	37⅛	— ⅛
Coleco			310	1⅝	
ColgPal	1.48	46	693	43⅛	+ ⅛
ColGas		2	13	73	32⅛	— ⅛
CmbEn		1	22	68	35	— ⅛
Comdre		11	512	12⅜	— ⅛
CmwE		3	6	1100	27⅛	+ ⅛
Comsat	1.20			134	29⅜	— ⅛
ConsEd	3.20	10	340	43⅜	
ConsNG	1.64	15	611	36	+ ⅛
Conrail		1e	9	4583	32⅝	+ 1
CnStor	20	2737		6⅝	+ ⅛
Contel	2.06	57	193	33⅜	— ⅛
CnttCp	2.80	11	214	36⅛	— ⅛
CtData	46	474	25⅜	— ⅛	
Cooper	1.80	16	285	56⅝	— ⅛
CornGl	1.48	12	625	56⅛	— ⅛
CrayRs	23	508	85⅝	— ⅛	
CrwnCk	13	14	116⅜	— ⅛	
CumEn	2.20			74	55⅛	
CurtW	1.60	9		2	51⅛	— ⅛

D—D

DPL	2.16	11	61	26⅝	— ⅛
DanaCp	1.52	11	177	37⅛	— ⅛
DataGn		644	23⅝	— ⅛	
DaytHd	1.02	15	329	36⅝	+ ⅛
Deere	.80	14	1123	44⅛	+ ⅛
DeltaAr	1.20	10	987	53⅜	— ⅛
DetEd	1.68	11	4316	14⅜	— ⅛
Digital	17	4651	112⅜	— 1⅛	
Disney	.40	18	1586	62⅝	— ⅛
DomRs	3.06	9	387	43	— ⅛
Dover	1.12	19	407	71	+ ⅛
DowCh	2.40	11	2346	89⅛	— ⅛
DowJns	.66	14	109	33⅜	
Dresr	.60	17	3539	29⅝	
duPont	3.80	11	1723	89⅝	— ⅛
DukeP	2.80	10	269	45⅝	— ⅛
DuqLt	1.20	9	167	14⅜	— ⅛

E—E

ERC	9	7	10⅜		
EastGF	1.30	11	560	24⅝	— ⅛
EKodk	a1.80	12	1308	44⅜	— ⅛
Eaton	2	11	64	81⅛	+ ⅛
Echlin	.62	16	226	16⅝	— ⅛
EKCO	45	611	2⅛		
EmrsE	e1	14	1478	30⅝	— ⅛
Enron	2.48		58	40⅝	+ ⅛
Enarch	.80	37	1631	19⅛	+ ⅛
Ethyl	.44	13	771	22⅛	+ ⅛
Exxon	s2.20	12	3422	44⅝	

F—F

FMC	8	81	37⅝	+ ⅛	
FPL Gp	2.20	10	165	30⅝	— ⅛
Fairchd	.20		19	10½	
Fairfd		10	5⅜		
Fedders	.28	18	50	10⅜	
FedNM	.72	8	1103	43⅛	— ⅛
FedDSt	1.48	21	6	72⅛	
FinCpA		42	1		
FnSBar	.10		8	5⅛	
FtBkSy	1.64	66	434	23⅛	— ⅛
FCapHd	6	664	6⅝	+ ⅛	
FstChic	1.50		2043	30⅛	
FlntsteE	2.92		463	52	— ⅛
FstPa		392	10⅝	+ ⅛	
FtWach	1.36	12	120	39⅝	+ ⅛
FleetEn	.64	11	330	23⅛	— ⅛
FightSt	.20	22	8	42⅝	— ⅛
FlaPrg	2.48	9	48	35	
FlwGen	16	96	6⅜		
Fluor	13	1178	20⅜	+ ⅛	
FthillG	.20	8	24	7⅜	+ ⅛
FordM	e2.40	6	4625	53⅝	— ⅛
FrptMc	2.41e	8	1068	29⅛	+ ⅛

G—G

GAF	.10	14	1977	44⅝	+ ⅛
GTE	2.52	11	2351	38⅛	— ⅛
Gannett	1	15	1092	32	— ⅛
GnCrp	s.80	8	163	18⅜	— ⅛
Genstch	43	979	26⅝	— ⅛	
GnDyn	1	5	300	53	+ ⅛
GenEl	1.40	13	7430	44⅛	
GnHouse	.24	16	38	9⅛	— ⅛
Gninst	.50	16	81	38⅝	+ ⅛
GnMills	1.88	14	1831	45⅛	— ⅛
GMot	5e	7	1044	79⅝	— ⅛
Gm E	.88	14	233	38⅝	+ ⅛
GPU	1.20	8	2927	35	— ⅛
GnSignl	1.80	20	245	54⅜	
Genesco	10	34	4⅛	— ⅛	
GaPac	1.20	9	436	41⅜	+ ⅛
GerbPd	1.32	42	268	44⅛	+ ⅛
GlbcFn		46	3⅛		
Gillete	.86	18	1136	39⅝	— ⅛
Glaxo	.46e	13	1268	16⅝	
GldMeg	3	73	13⅜	— ⅛	
Gdrich	1.72	14	307	54⅛	— ⅛
Goodyr	1.60	8	1269	63	
Gould		668	15⅝	+ ⅛	
Grace	a1.40	14	1468	25⅝	— ⅛
GtAtPc	.50	14	46	37⅛	
GtNNk	.92	11	312	46⅛	+ ⅛
GtWFn	.76	10	581	14⅛	
Greyh	1.32	2960	90	29⅛	— ⅛
Grumn	1		144	22⅝	— ⅛
GtWat	a.70	15	812	43⅜	
GtStUt	5	519	6⅛	— ⅛	

H—H

Halbtn	1	36	1618	29⅛	— ⅛
Harind	.56	16	418	21⅛	
Harley	9	102	27⅛		
Harris	.88	13	291	29⅝	— ⅛
Hecks		17	1⅜	— ⅛	
Heclald	.05e	22	447	15⅝	
Heinz	1.24	14	514	40⅝	+ ⅛
Herculs	1.92	4	105	47⅛	
Hrshey	.62	14	409	24⅛	+ ⅛
HewlPk	.26	19	2503	55⅛	— ⅛
Holidy		s	9	185	25⅝	— ⅛
Hmstk	s.20	9	789	15⅛	
Honwell	2.10	11	100	69⅛	
HCA	.72	12	479	36⅛	+ ⅛
Hotlinv		2	20	31	15⅛	— ⅛
Housint		2	10	397	58⅝	— ⅛
Houlnd	2.96	8	614	30⅝	— ⅛
Human	.92	12	389	26⅛	— ⅛

I—I

IC Ind.	96	15	3218	33⅜	— ⅛
IRT	1.40	12	9	17⅝	
ITT Cp	1.25	7	805	52⅝	+ ⅛
IdahoP	1.80	19	41	22⅛	
IdeaIB		238	2⅝	+ ⅛	
IllPow	2.64	6	555	18⅝	— ⅛
ITW	.48	19	102	40⅝	— ⅛
ImpCh	3.99e	9	596	75⅛	— ⅛
ICA	.80	5	14	11⅝	
INCO	.80	16	3333	u34⅞	+ ⅛
IngerRd	1.04	19	310	41⅝	+ ⅛
InldStl	.25e	14	666	36⅝	+ ⅛
Intrlke	1.40	10	22	44⅝	+ ⅛
IBM	4.40	14	8392	127	— ⅛
IntFlav	1.60	16	566	49⅝	— ⅛
IntMin	1	19	355	46⅛	— ⅛
IntPap	1.30	11	1196	47⅛	— ⅛
Ipalco	1.64	9	135	23	

J—J

JRiver	.48	11	447	25⅛	+ ⅛
JohnJn	2	15	1813	77⅝	— ⅛
Johnind	7	4	16⅜	— ⅛	
Josten	.56	7	92	17⅜	— ⅛

K—K

K mart	1.32	10	765	35⅛	— ⅛
Kaisrtc	.16j		1306	17⅛	+ ⅛
Kaneb		125	2		
KCSou	1.08	22	5	41⅝	— ⅛
KanGE	1.48	8	11	19⅛	— ⅛
KansPL	1.72	9	35	24⅛	— ⅛
Katyln	22	11	15⅜		
KaufB	s.32	8	470	13⅜	— ⅛
Kellogg	1.52	16	735	53⅜	+ ⅛
KerrMc	1.10	20	670	34⅝	
KimbCl	1.80	16	3395	63⅜	+ ⅛
KnghtR	1.12	16	136	43⅜	
Kopers	.90e	400	10	60	
Kraft	2.04	15	784	51⅜	+ ⅛
Kroger	1.12	15	177	35	

L—L

LTV	1	344	3⅛		
Learni	e.48	17	26	16⅛	+ ⅛
LeeEnt	.84	16	2	27⅜	— ⅛
Lehmn	2.14e		82	12⅛	+ ⅛
Lilly	2.30	18	1219	84	— ⅛
LincNtl	2.36	11	174	46⅛	— ⅛
Litton	13	16	78⅝		
Lockhd	1.60	6	781	43⅝	— ⅛
Loews	1	8	598	66⅝	— ⅛
LnStar	1.90	15	248	32⅛	
LILCo	6	790	13⅝		
LaLand	1	49	133	30	+ ⅛
LaPac	.92b	9	1142	36⅛	— ⅛
Lukens	.88	9	79	42⅞	+ ⅛

M—M

MCA	.88	23	607	41⅜	— ⅛
MDU	1.42	11	25	18⅝	— ⅛
Macmil	.80s	27	180	74½	+ ⅛
MfrHan	3.28		506	28⅝	— ⅛
Manvl		77	1⅜		
MAPCO	1	21	15	58	+ ⅛
Marriot	.20	16	806	29⅛	+ ⅛
MartM	1.10	10	103	44	+ ⅛
Masco	.48	16	1451	26⅝	
Maxus		262	8	— ⅛	
MayDS	1.28	12	8086	36⅝	+ 2⅛
Maytag	s.90	12	313	23	+ ⅛
McDerl	1.80		266	19⅛	
McDnl	.56	15	2550	45⅝	+ ⅛
McDnD	2.56	8	121	64⅝	
McGrH	1.84	17	3330	56	
McKes	1.44	15	34	33⅜	— ⅛
Mead	.76	9	341	35⅝	+ ⅛
Mellon	1.40		157	30	+ ⅛
Melvill	2.10	12	230	68⅛	— ⅛
MercSt	.80	12	82	41⅛	
Merck	a1.28	23	2074	54⅛	
MerLyn	1	8	1314	26⅝	+ ⅛
MidSUt	8	1192	13⅜		
MWE	1.52	10	14	19⅝	
MMM	2.12	15	1199	64⅛	— ⅛
MinnPL	1.72	11	13	24	— ⅛
Mobil	2.40	12	2317	44⅛	+ ⅛
Monsan	3	13	917	89⅝	
MonPw	2.68	12	123	34⅛	
Morgan	1.50	55	1146	37⅜	— ⅛
Morton	.84	13	217	41⅛	+ ⅛
Motorla	.64	18	1787	51⅜	— ⅛

N—N

NCR	1.24	13	795	62⅝	
NIPSCO	.45e	16	135	11⅛	
NL	ind.20		38	6⅛	— ⅛
NWA	.90	14	498	47⅛	+ ⅛
Nalco	1.32	17	220	36	
NatlFGs	1.26	10	15	18⅛	+ ⅛
NB	.12j		164	18⅝	+ ⅛
NtlSemi	25	2408	12⅛	+ ⅛	
Navistr	10	1591	6⅝		
NavPw	1.52	11	14140	20⅝	— ⅛
NEngEl	2.04	8	42	23⅛	
NwtMg	.60a	7	706	43⅜	+ 1
NiaMP	1.20	16	545	14⅜	+ ⅛
NflkSo	1.20	39	1599	28⅛	+ ⅛
Nortek	.10a		76	6⅛	
NoestUt	1.76	10	334	19⅝	
NoStPw	2.12	10	106	30⅝	— ⅛
Nortrp	1.20	7	383	30	+ ⅛
Norton	2	16	1325	56	— 1
Norwst		s	221	30⅝	
Nynex	4.04	10	648	65⅛	— ⅛

O—O

OcciPet	2.50	25	5900	26⅛	— ⅛
OhioEd	1.96	8	706	18⅝	— ⅛
OklaGE	2.28	12	17	31⅛	+ ⅛
Olin	1.60	13	135	47⅝	+ ⅛
ONEOK	.64j	10	588	16	+ ⅛
OrngCo	17	4	9⅝		
OwenC		s	7	121	22	
Oxford	.50		3	10⅛	

P—Q

PHM	.12	50	60	7⅛	+ ⅛
PPG	1.20	13	670	44⅝	+ ⅛
PSI	5	1033	11⅛	+ ⅛	
PacEnt	3.48	12	.57	47	— ⅛
PacGE	1.40	11	673	16⅝	— ⅛
PacTel	1.76	12	949	29⅛	— ⅛
PacIlcp	2.64	9	212	36	
PanAm		445	2⅜	— ⅛	
PanEC	2	6	497	25	— ⅛
Patton	.12	7	53	5⅛	— ⅛
Penney	2	11	1813	49⅝	+ 1
PaPL	2.76	10	207	36⅛	— ⅛
Pennwlt	2.40	19	659	80⅝	— ⅛
Pennzol	2.20	97	298	73⅛	+ ⅛
PepBy	s.10	20	121	12	
PepsiCo	.84	15	1319	35⅝	— ⅛
PerkEl	.60		580	25⅛	+ ⅛
Pfizer	2	12	1574	51⅛	— ⅛
PhelpD	.80	6	169	40⅝	
PhilaEl	2.20	8	519	18⅝	
PhillMr	3.60	10	6631	85⅝	+ ⅛
Philpin	.44	14	184	21⅛	+ ⅛
PhilPet	.80	20	3212	18⅝	— ⅛
Phlcorp		48	10		
Pilsbry	1.12	43	611	34⅛	+ ⅛
PinWst	2.80	9	214	25⅛	— ⅛
PittnyBw	.92	16	386	44⅛	
Pittstn		258	14⅛	+ ⅛	
PlerD g	s.20		1303	14	— ⅛
Polaroid	.80	18	905	30⅛	+ ⅛
PortlGC	1.96	14	21	22⅝	
Primco	a1.80	9	145	28⅜	— ⅛
ProctG	2.80	24	802	76	— ⅛
PSvCol	2	8	54	22	
PSEG	2	10	637	24	— ⅛
PugetP	1.76	10	87	19⅛	+ ⅛
Pulmn	.12	20	2075	7⅛	
Pyro	15	39	6	— ⅛	
Qantel	2	24	1⅛		
QuakrO	1	15	792	43⅝	
QuakSC	.80		47	21	+ ⅛
Quantm	2.20	10	649	103⅛	+ 1⅛
Questar	1.88	22	65	34⅝	

R—R

RJR	Nb1.92	10	2662	49⅛	+ ⅛
RLC	.20	10	162	10⅝	+ ⅛
RalsPur	1.60	13	564	74⅜	— ⅛
Ramad		113	7⅛		
RangrO	30	33	5⅝		
Raythn	2	10	158	66⅝	
ReadBt		116	1⅜		
ReyMtl	.80	11	1093	50⅛	
RiteAid	.74	16	134	37⅜	— ⅛
Robins	13	12	25⅝		
Rockwl	.72	8	501	20⅝	— ⅛
RohHas	.92	12	642	34⅛	— ⅛
Rohr	17	193	29⅝	— ⅛	
Rorer	s.80	21	1674	36⅝	— ⅛
Rowan		124	6⅝	— ⅛	
RoyID	8.62e	7	1203	111⅛	
Ryder	.56	18	402	27⅝	— ⅛

S—S

SCEcp	2.48	10	542	32⅝	— ⅛
SPSTec	1	16	40	37⅜	— ⅛
SFeSP	s.10	5	532	19⅝	— ⅛
SarsLee	1.20	14	171	36⅜	+ ⅛
Savn	pf8.80		24	7⅛	+ ⅛
SCANA	2.40	10	86	32	— ⅛
SchrPlg	1.40	18	286	52⅛	— ⅛
Schlmb	1.20	16	2101	34⅛	— ⅛
ScottP	s.74	12	536	39⅝	— ⅛
Seagrm	1.20	9	226	56⅝	— ⅛
Sears	2	9	1279	36⅛	— ⅛
ShellT	4.76e	9	349	72⅛	
Shrwin	.84	15	236	27⅛	— ⅛
Skyline	.48	13	7	14⅝	
SmkBck	1.84	10	1819	45⅝	— ⅛
Sonst	2	9	184	27⅝	— ⅛
SonyCp	.29e	34	849	40⅜	+ ⅛
SouthCo	2.14	9	947	23⅛	+ ⅛
SwBell	2.48	11	668	38⅛	
SwtPS	2.12	11	127	26⅛	
SquerD	1.92	13	386	53⅜	+ ⅛
Squibb	1.80	18	890	64	— ⅛
SunCo	3	18	2669	61⅛	+ 4⅜
Syntex	1.30	17	1196	40	— ⅛
Sysco	.32	20	1301	31⅝	+ ⅛

T—T

TECO	e1.42	12	72	23⅛	+ ⅛
TRW	1.60	11	961	45⅝	— ⅛
TacBt		319	1⅝	+ ⅛	
Talley	.30		27	14⅜	— ⅛
Tandem	19	3771	19⅜	— ⅛	
Tandy	.60	13	1274	45⅛	— ⅛
TchSym	13	16	16⅛	— ⅛	
Tektrnx	.60		89	25⅝	+ ⅛
Teldyn	4	9	41	335⅛	— ⅛
Tennco	3.04		19594	48⅝	+ ⅛
Tesoro		66	10	— ⅛	
Texaco	3	20	2517	47⅜	— ⅛
TexEst	1	19	276	26⅛	— ⅛
Texinst	.72	17	679	47⅝	— ⅛
TexUtil	2.66	6	1080	27⅛	
Textrn	e1	7	766	24⅝	— ⅛
Tigerin	6	195	12⅜	— ⅛	
Time	1	21	512	95⅛	+ ⅛
TmMir	e.92	15	343	32⅜	
Timken	1.20	35	37	77	— ⅛
Tosco	18	406	3	+ ⅛	
Transm	1.84	6	648	32⅜	— ⅛
Transco	1.36		132	30⅝	— ⅛
Travler	2.40	11	95	36⅝	
TriCon	4.50e		32	21⅜	— ⅛
Tribune	.76	18	136	38⅝	+ ⅛
Trinova	.56	13	43	29⅛	— ⅛
TucaEP	3.90	11	66	55⅛	+ ⅛

U—U

UAL		Cp	14	1642	97⅛	+ ⅛
UGI	2.14		9	9	28⅝	+ ⅛
UNCInc	.01e	14	130	9⅝	— ⅛
USFG	2.64	7	666	31⅛	
USG	1.12b	16	4476	48⅝	+ ⅛
USG	wi		13298	e7⅛	+ ⅛
USX	1.20	22	1453	32	— ⅛
UCarb	1.50	11	1951	22⅛	— ⅛
UnElec	1.92	8	64	23	
UnPac	2	12	204	63⅛	— ⅛
Unisys	1	11	1643	35⅝	— ⅛
USBrnd		s13	110	17⅜	— ⅛
USWest	3.52	10	371	55⅝	
UnTech	1.60	8	470	38	— ⅛
UniTel	1.92		3527	34	+ ⅛
Unocal	1		821	35⅛	— ⅛
Upjohn	.72	18	1970	31	
USLIFE	1.26	10	45	37⅛	— ⅛
UtaPL	2.32	12	143	29⅛	— ⅛

V—V

Varian	.26	500	126	30	— ⅛
Varity	12	1624	3⅜		

W—W

WalMrt	.16	27	3733	32⅛	— ⅛
WarnC	.56	18	3249	35⅛	+ ⅛
WarnrL	2.16	15	460	67⅜	+ ⅛
WashHm	.16e	8	3	13⅝	
WshWt	2.48	11	33	27⅛	
WellsF	2.40	46	140	58⅝	— ⅛
WUnion		79	2⅝		
WstgE	2	11	1320	55⅛	— ⅛
Weyer	s1.20	12	3984	26⅛	— ⅛
Whrlpl	1.10	12	294	28

around town

Eighth annual Texas Ranch Roundup, a ranch skills competition, will be Aug. 19-20 at Wichita Falls.

Sponsored by Budweiser and the North Texas Rehabilitation Center, the event will include competitions in roping, branding, horse breaking, penning and wild cow milking.

There will also be contests in talent, ranch cooking, and a first lady competetion.

Tickets for the roundup are $9 each for reserved seats, $4 for general admission and $5 to attend dances. Saturday afternoon events are $3 for adults and $1 for children.

Tickets may be obtained by contacting Falls Distributing Co., 3811 Tarry, Wichita Falls 76308, or call (817) 692-9011...

...MIDLAND QUILTERS Guild will meet 7 p.m. Tuesday and 1 p.m. Wednesday at Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Jean Roberts will give a program on aprons for the quilt show. Members are asked to bring their quilt show aprons.

For more information call 689-7585...

...SOCIETY FOR THE Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) will host its fourth annual Cause for Paws Charity Dinner Dance 8 p.m.-midnight July 22 at the Racquet Club.

The theme will be Spud's McKenzie and Garfield the Cat.

The event, to benefit the SPCA, will feature a fajita dinner, a style show by the Canopy, music by the Bill Tillman Band from Dallas, a silent auction and a door prize drawing for a round trip to San Francisco for two from American Airlines.

The SPCA provides services in cruelty prevention for 18 counties and is the only humane organization between Dallas and El Paso. It is funded solely by private donations.

For more information call Jan Stevenson at 689-6593 or 686-7000...

...OUTDOOR DRAMA GROUP of Sonora will present "Covered Wagon Dinner Theatre" Fridays and Saturdays through Aug. 20.

Performances will be on the grounds of the Caverns of Sonora. Different acts will be presented every evening.

Dinner will be provided by the Sutton County Steak House and is served at 6:30 p.m.

There will be a singalong followed by the dinner theatre performance at 7:30 p.m.

Meals are $5.50 and $3.75. Theatre tickets are $4 each with children under 6 admitted free.

For information call (915) 387-2507...

...EN AMIE Review Club will meet at noon Wednesday at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Patteann Daniel-Beverley will review "Getting Better All The Time," by Liz Carpenter.

For reservations call 682-1753 or 682-1970...

...MIDLAND CHRISTIAN Women's Club will meet for luncheon 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Green Tree Country Club. Style show will feature clothing from Designer Secrets and Daisey's.

Joe Shuffield, senior at Baylor University, will provided special music. Mary Vacek of Austin will be guest speaker.

Cost of the luncheon is $10. A free nursery for pre-school children will be at Northwestern Baptist Church. Mothers are asked to bring sack lunches for their children. Drinks will be provided. For luncheon and nursery reservations call 682-5851 or 684-4444.

Midland Christian Women's Club is non-denominational and has no formal dues or membership. All interested women are invited to attend...

...SPEAKER EXPRESS, sponsored by the University of Texas of the Permian Basin Women's Center, the Midland and Odessa Chambers of Commerce, the Ector County Community Service, the Odessa American and the Midland Reporter-Telegram, is a comprehensive directory of public speakers in the Permian Basin.

The directory, to be published in September, will provide a list of both volunteer and paid professional public speakers, and their topics, for individuals and businesses needing frequent guest speakers.

Volunteer speakers will be listed free; professional speakers will be charged a $25 fee.

For more information call 367-2218 or 367-2336...

...ANNUAL COURTNEY Reunion, presented in conjunction with the old Settlers Reunion, will be Saturday at Caprock Electric Auditorium in Stanton, following the 10 a.m. parade.

For more information call 756-3744 or 694-9941...

...WEST TEXAS Storytelling Guild will meet 7 p.m. today at 2100 Tarleton in Midland. This new organization will serve as a clearinghouse for information on local storytellers. For more information and reservations call 367-2319 or 367-2188...

FAMILY MATTERS

Parental consistency important

By JIM MAY



May

DEAR FAMILY: The biggest problem that I have with my 4-year-old son is being consistent. My husband is always pointing out that I am not consistent. He is probably right, but it is very hard to always do the right thing. How can I be more consistent? INCONSISTENT

DEAR INCONSISTENT: First, make the decision that consistency is important in parenting. Then, the next step is to commit to *being* consistent — and it's a real effort at first.

Experts stress that consistency is an important part of controlling a child's behavior — this means consistency no matter where you are, what time it is or what else is going on.

Also, parents must agree on what inappropriate behavior is, and that the child will be punished. This does not mean giving the same punishment each time, just that punishment is administered for inappropriate behavior.

Establish specific behavioral rules for your children. I suggest calling a family meeting and explaining the "house rules" to them. The children should be allowed plenty of time to question and discuss the rules and what they mean. The level of understanding will depend on the age of the child — but the important point is that the house rules are explicit.

This may sound easy, but it's not. A normal, healthy child will test the rules — that's his or her job. But our job as parents is to help our children know rules and the consequences for breaking them. The lessons they learn as children will help them as adults as to how they will have to follow society's rules to function effectively.

From consistency comes a certain calmness in administering punishment, allowing us to discipline respectfully rather than angrily.

DEAR FAMILY: My husband refuses to do any work around the house. He says that it's my job to clean and take of the house. That might have been true before I got a job, but now I ust don't have time to do everything. I need help. I am tired.

Even though he won't help me, I think tht I could live with that. But now our oldest son has decided that he doesn't have to help around the house. He says that it's women's work. His father will make him help some, but I can tell he's not real happy about it. What's the problem here? Why won't he help? What can I do to make them help me without screaming and crying? FRUSTRATED

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Today's fathers face a crisis in role definition. Earlier generations understood clearly what constituted "men's work" and "women's work."

Men reared with one societal role often can't easily assume another. Some husbands are caught between the traditional male role definitions and their working wives' expectations for them.

It is perfectly reasonable for you to request needed help from your family. I suggest calling a family meeting to discuss this important topic. Lay out the issues just as you have expressed them to me.

Family problem-solving is needed here. Your son is getting a clear message that he is not going to have to be involved in housework — you owe him and his future wife a different experience.

It is important that the family resolve this issue. Brainstorm — see what everyone can come up with. Make a schedule as to who will do what chore and when. You may have to hold some training sessions to teach family members *how* to do certain jobs. Housework requires skills that must be learned.

As parents, we must let our children solve problems, including doing things that they don't want to do.

We also must help our children to set aside the male-female stereotypes of the past. We are all people of value with contributions to make regardless of gender.

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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DEAR ABBY

Sailor meets his dream woman through letters

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am currently in the U.S. Navy and have just returned from a six-month deployment in Keflavik, Iceland. I want to tell you that through Operation Dear Abby, I met the woman of my dreams! We corresponded for six months and I finally met her when I came home on leave, and we've been inseparable ever since.

I want to thank the thousands of Dear Abby readers who sent letters to our troops in Keflavik. What a great morale booster! It helps to know that people appreciate our efforts when we're overseas. Needless to say, it made my holiday season much happier. Now my future looks brighter because of the wonderful woman I met — through you. Thank you. — A02 BRUCE BLOUNT, KEY WEST, FLA.

P.S. Here's a letter from "her":

DEAR ABBY: I took part in your Operation Dear Abby to cheer those men in uniform who would be far from home over the holidays. I decided to write to someone in Iceland because that seemed like the most desolate place in the world to be over the holidays.

To my surprise, a Navy man named Bruce answered my letter. During the six months we exchanged letters, we discovered we had a lot in common. And when we finally met, I became a true believer in "love at first sight."

Abby, there is something ve pecial about getting to know a son "between the lines" of letters. Our lives will never be the same. Thank you for bringing us together. — LIN CHARVAT, SCHAUM[illegible], ILL.

DEAR BRUCE AND LIN: Congratulations. Although not all pen pal relationships lead to romance, many do. Schoolt chers have made class projects o America Remembers and Operation Dear Abby with fascinating results.

For those out there who would like a pen pal in the North Pole and Alaska, here's the address for troops stationed there: Operation Dear Abby, America Remembers U.S. Forces in Alaska, c/o USCG Support Center Kodiak, Attention: PAO, Kodiak, Alaska 99619-5000. They represent men and women from all branches of the military.

"How to Write Letters for All Occasions" provides sample letters of congratulations, invitations, thank-yous, condolences, regrets, acceptances, resumes and business letters — even how to write a love letter! It shows the proper way to address clergymen, government officials, dignitaries, widows and others. To order, send your name and address, clearly printed, plus check or money order for $2.89 ($3.39 in Canada) to: Abby's Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. Postage and handling are included.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Researchers pay people to fall down stairs

ATLANTA (AP) — Georgia Tech researchers have constructed collapsing stairs and are paying volunteers to tumble down them wearing crash helmets, neck braces and padded mittens. All in the name of science.

"Stairs are the second most dangerous consumer product — right after automobiles – but the one thing we really don't know is what happens in the instant of a fall," said researcher Deborah Hyde of Georgia Institute of Technology's School of Architecture.

Researchers have constructed a pneumatic stairway that can collapse in any of five different ways to prompt a scientific pratfall. Volunteers are paid $15 dollars for falling on that air-cushioned flight. Each subject's flailing arms and legs are frozen by strobe lights and high-speed cameras for later analysis.

Designers are looking for new insights into how to make a safer flight of stairs. Results already have dispelled some misconceptions about when and how people stumble.

For example, although people generally fear falling down a flight of stairs, research shows they are more likely to stumble on the way up.

During the experiment, each volunteer is trussed in a green flight suit, neck brace, crash helmet and padded mittens, and slung from a red parachute harness that automatically arrests each fall.

"At a predetermined point, we turn on an electric beam that goes across the front edge of the stair we want them to fall on," Ms. Hyde said. "They break the beam and that acts as the trigger to collapse the stair."

So far the researchers have entered 1,400 images from 50 recorded falls into a computer to recreate a complete electronic composite of a bad fall.

As many as 2.6 million people every year are injured in stairway falls. An undeveloped or deteriorating sense of balance make the danger acute for children or the elderly.

The Georgia Tech team has a two-year, $125,000 grant from the National Science Foundation to develop energy-absorbing foams that could replace the wood, metal and stone of traditional stairways.

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Family move requires adjustment

New York Times News Service

Nearly one in five families living in the United States will move this year, with more than 40 percent of the moves taking place between June and September. Here are some ways to help children adjust to their new homes and schools.

As moving day approaches, reassure toddlers and even preschoolers that they will be coming along with their parents on the move. A surprising number of young children see their family's possessions being boxed, sold or thrown out and wonder whether that will happen to them as well, child psychologists say.

Put off redecorating your child's new room for a few months unless he asks you to. "Having the old furniture arrangement is like taking a security blanket," said Dr. Tiffany M. Field of the University of Miami Medical School.

Pay attention to the ways the design of your new home influences how you spend time with your children. The increased privacy of a larger house can sometimes make it harder for a child to adjust.

"The new home may not have the same type of central family gathering place as the old one," said Dr. Robert D. Felner of the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. "You may not realize you're not spending as much time together as a family as you used to."

Ask the school to arrange for a "buddy" in the same grade who can show your child around the school the first week or so. This gives your child a kind of temporary membership in a social group and alleviates a lot of stress while he tries to figure out where he fits in.

Following a divorce or the death of a spouse, some parents move for emotional rather than financial reasons. "In those situations, if you can at all keep from moving, don't move," Felner advised. "It's often too much for the children to cope with. The children may need to keep some of the memories you're trying to leave behind."

Scientists research methods of changing flexibility of plastics

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Imagine a plastic fishing pole that becomes rigid when a fish bites, car springs that vary with the roughness of the road, or a tennis racket that stiffens when the ball hits to improve your game.

Such advances are years away, but they're possible, through a process that allows plastic to change its flexibility, say Brian Thompson and Mukesh Gandhi of Michigan State University's Composite Materials Center.

"Whether we are designing space ships or automobiles or washing machines," Gandhi said, "We constantly have to compromise between a material that is good in one application and a material that is good in another.

"Engineers have always had a dream of being able to change materials when they want to. Now, we can give them that dream."

Thompson and Gandhi found that when electricity is sent through a type of fluid, the fluid stiffens. When the charge is taken away, it liquefies. When the fluid is used in composite materials such as plastic or fiberglass, the reaction instantly changes the material's flexibility.

The researchers won't reveal how the material is made until it's patented, which they expect in about a year, but they say they're testing the "smart" material for use in the rotors of a U.S. Army helicopter.

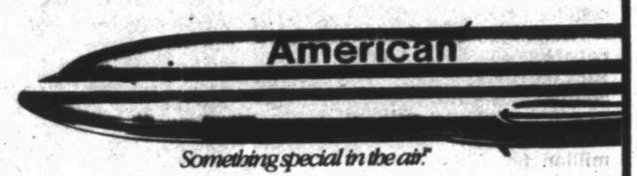
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Breast Cancer Detection Unit Available to Area Women

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of eleven women in the United states will develop breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast cancer.

Ninety percent of breast cancer are diagnosed by women or their physicians finding a lump in the breast. Women who are diagnosed with a lump large enough to feel have a 50 percent five year survival rate. A woman who is diagnosed as having breast cancer by mammography, before a lump can be felt, has a 97% five year survival rate. A mammogram can detect a cancer this small, even before it can be felt. The American Cancer Society has established guidelines for a mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and the American College of Radiology. Those guidelines are:

I. 35-40 years of age - One baseline mammogram.
II. 40-50 years of age - A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.
III. 50 years of age and over. An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.
V. A symptomatic woman should have a mammogram at any age when she experiences a mass, nipple discharge, skin changes or unexplained breast pain.

A screening mammogram is an x-ray of the breast using extremely low dosages of radiation (usually comparable to dental x-rays) and is designed to find very early cancers.

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STATE IN BRIEF

Grand jury indicts inmate with murder

HOUSTON (AP) — Prosecutors claim that a jail inmate indicted on a murder charge in the death of bankrupt real estate developer J.R. McConnell caused the former millionaire's death by plugging in the wire that electrocuted him.

Harris County grand jurors handed down the murder indictment against Thomas Joseph Damase, 42, on Thursday, three days after McConnell was found dead in his cell. He had an electrical cord wrapped around his leg and his death was believed a suicide.

McConnell had been jailed since November on fraud charges and had been unable to raise $750,000 bail.

The grand jury indicted Demase, who had been jailed for violating probation, even though District Attorney John B. Holmes said McConnell wanted to die.

"If you ask me to get the gun and then you blow yourself away, that's suicide. If I do it for you, that's murder, " Holmes said, explaining why prosecutors sought the first-degree felony charge rather than a lesser charge of aiding a suicide.

Senate wraps up projects

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has sent President Reagan legislation appropriating $156.61 million for water and energy projects in Texas and $100 million for the super collider.

The Senate gave final congressional approval to the water and energy package Thursday on a 91-3 vote, including $126.51 million in water construction projects and studies for the Lone Star State and another $30.1 million for energy projects.

"In this tight budget year, I am pleased that we have been able to get some pretty solid funding for Texas projects," said Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas.

The legislation also appropriates $100 million for research and development of the multibillion-dollar super collider. The bill decrees no construction can begin on the atom-smasher but allows for detailed engineering and some capital eqiupment purchases.

Eagle feathers confiscated

ZAVALLA (AP) — A U.S. Forest Service official scuffled with a Rainbow Family member and confiscated two eagle feathers used by the back-to-nature group during religious ceremonies.

Kim Ramsay was arrested Thursday afternoon, but he was later released to another family member.

Forest Service Special Agent Billy Ball tackled and arrested Ramsay for "allegedly violating the Federal Endangered Species Act by possessing the eagle feathers. Ten Forest Service rangers and two Texas Department of Public Safety troopers were at the scene.

The incident occurred during the family's annual vision council where about 120 members discussed possible sites for their next July 4 gathering.

Former Waco mayor dies

KERRVILLE (AP) — Dr. Herschel Frank Connally Jr., 75, of Kerrville, who was a former mayor of Waco and a former University of Texas regent, died Wednesday at a Kerrville hospit l.

He was a member of the Waco City Council from 1951 to 1955 and mayor in 1954-55.

Church upgrades SMU's status

DALLAS (AP) — Saying the school has made "quite a turnaround" since last year's pay-for-play football scandal, the United Methodist Church has upgraded the status of Southern Methodist as a church-related institute.

The denomination's University Senate president, Roy B. Schilling, said in a statement released Thursday that the senate voted at its semi-annual meeting on June 28 to restore SMU's status from "approved with warning" to "fully approved without qualification."

The statement wasn't made public until SMU was notified this week of the change, a United Methodist News Service official said.

"This is certainly good news for SMU, and it's a sign to us that we are doing some things right," said Leighton Farrell, chairman of SMU's trusteeship committee, which monitors the university's board of trustees.

Farrell said the church senate "shows a great deal of confidence in SMU's progress" by deciding to approve the university's status "without qualifications," bypassing the intervening step of "approved with qualifications."

He credited SMU's new president, A. Kenneth Pye, and a change in the governing structure for improvements at the university.

Farrell, also senior pastor of Highland Park United Methodist Church, said the action represents a "big step" since troubles in SMU's athletic department led to a public warning by the 29-member senate in June 1987.

At that time, a report from two on-site visits by senate representatives charged that SMU officials knew of illegal payments to student football players and acted to cover up the scandal.

But school officials seem to have put that behind them, looking more toward the future.

"We are very pleased with the tremendous work that has been done to improve conditions at the school," Schilling said.

Leader praises advances of blacks

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A national black leader praised the advances his race has made toward racial justice over the past two decades, but warned that blacks often are their own greatest enemy.

"Somehow my brothers and sisters we must stop talking all the time about what white folks are doing to us and spend some time talking about what we (blacks) are doing to ourselves," Benjamin Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said Thursday.

Hooks addressed delegates to the African Methodist Episcopal Church general conference.

Blacks have risen economically and politically but are hurting themselves with street violence, drug abuse and sexual irresponsibility, said Hooks, in a surprise appearance at the conference being held at Fort Worth-Tarrant County Convention Center.

Blacks have opportunity for racial equality, but many are engaged in self-destructive behavior, he said.

"I wonder if we are going to let cocaine, and crack, and dope and sexual irresponsibility and black-on-black crime, do to us what the KKK (Ku Klux Klan) could not do, what the White Citizens Council could not do, what slavery could not do," he said.

Hooks urged predominantly black church groups like the 3.5 million African Methodist Episcopal Church to form an alliance with secular groups such as the NAACP to address problems that originate in black communities.

Hooks said more than half of the people in prison are blacks and that more than 50 percent of black families are headed by single females.

"We must let it be known that the biggest cause of death among young black men is being killed by another young black man," he said.

Racism "still rears its ugly head," said Hooks, and denounced President Reagan's administration, which he said attempted to turn the clock back and wipe out progress made in civil rights in the last three decades.

Those who say no progress has been made are lying to themselves, however, Hooks said.

50 LEGAL NOTICES

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 11:03 A.M., Tuesday, July 26, 1988, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by Cynthia Smith, Lora Canter, Glen Lauderdale and Bruce Patterson for a zone change from 1F-1, Single-Family Dwelling District to PD, Planned District for an office Center on Lots 1-3 and the north 230.8' of 4, Block 5, Lilly Heights Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas. (Generally located along Andrews Highway between Upland and Austin Streets.)

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July 8, 1988

110 LODGE NOTICES

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30pm. Visiting masons welcome. Ron Yeager, W.M. J.H. Beaty, Secretary

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 West Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings, 2nd & 4th Thursday 8:00pm. Open installation of officers, Friday, July 8th, 7:30pm. Tom Vannaman, W.M. Elect. Dale Ivie, W.M. R.G. Kiker, Secretary

110 LODGE NOTICES

MIDLAND Centennial Masonic Lodge #1448 - 1000 Upland street. Stated meetings 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Breakfast 7:30am. Open Lodge 8:30am. All Master Masons Welcome. Henry Cross, W.M. H.S. Elliot, Secretary.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month - July 21st. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8pm. All nobles and their ladies invited. Ron Yeager, President. Rex Perkins, Secretary

Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARGARET HIGGINS
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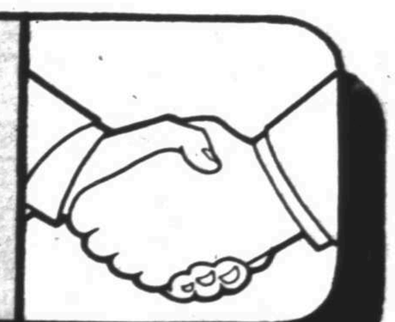
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FOUND: at Central YMCA, female gray/ black striped kitten. Call 683-9376.

FOUND: black, male, short haired puppy; in the vicinity of Tremont and Edgemont. Call 697-1920.

FOUND: miniature Dachshund. Midland Drive and Andrews Highway area. Call 694-5758.

FOUND! Female Sheltie. Vicinity of 'N' and Douglas. Call 682-0147.

FOUND: Chow Chow on west side of Illinois. Call 699-4431.

YELLOW Male tabby, neutered, red collar with tags, last 7/4 near County Road 1244. 694-9974.

LOST five Barbadeau Sheep. In the vicinity of South Lamesa and FM Rd. 130. 682-6516.

SHELTY, gray and white, spayed female, lost in the vacinity of Hyde Park. Call 697-3901.

FOUND near Cuthbert and Ainslee, very young male kitten. Call 687-4154 after 3pm.

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FOUND: White and black adult male cat. Thin white leather collar. 4800 block Shady Lane. 683-2941.

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210 General Help Wanted

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TECHNICAL HELP
Service Representative to service micro film systems. Must have excellent mechanical ability and good knowledge of digital and micro processor electronics. Excellent benefits. Apply with or send resume to:
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Attn: Service Dept.
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210 General Help Wanted

LOOKING for an energetic self-starter. Retail grocery experience helpful, but will train sharp individual. Call 699-0846, 9-11 AM only. Part-time hours.

PLUMBER'S Helper needed. Must be experienced and dependable. 689-8868 or after 6 - 682-7809.

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Or call Pat 697-3632.

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INDEPENDENT Oil Company seeking a Receptionist. Non-smoking office. Benefits and paid parking. Salary D.O.E. Send resume to Receptionist, P.O. Box 993, Midland, Texas 79702.

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210 General Help Wanted

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Midland, Texas 79705
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TEACHERS needed for Tuesday/ Thursday Mother's Day Out Program. Prior experience preferred. Call 689-7778.

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210 General Help Wanted

COUPLES WANTED
As live in houseparents for three client group homes for mentally retarded adults/ children in the Midland/ Odessa area. Minimum requirements: High School diploma or GED, good driving record, reliable transportation and good writing skills. Prefer experience with the handicapped, but will provide training. Salary: $1,200 - $1,400 per month, plus mileage. Contact Alicia Hudson, Permian Basin MHMR, 3128 Kermit Hwy., Odessa, TX 79764.
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RECEPTIONIST needed. Must be personable with neat appearance and have excellent telephone etiquette. Responsibilities include light typing, filing and some computer entries. High School diploma or equivalent required.
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210 General Help Wanted

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EOE

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OPPORTUNITY WITH MAJOR OIL COMPANY FOR COMPUTER TECHNICIAN
Degree in Geology and degree or work experience in Computer science. Candidate must be versatile, congenial and self motivated.
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Midland, Texas 79702

MAINTENENCE Position available. Need five years experience in all phases of apartment maintenance. Own tools, vehicle. Come by University Gardens, 4801 Oakwood, Odessa between 9 & 5 for application.

BUSY medical office seeking healthy, hard working, RN. Monday through Friday; no weekends, no nights. Salary commensurate with hospital pay scale. Resume requested 561-8185.

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ROMA Pizza. General help wanted. Must have own transportation. Apply 4322B Andrews Hwy., between 4 and 5:30 pm.

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1988 CHEVY S-10. Black, low mileage, like new! Takeover payments/ good credit. 684-7592, 699-4726.

1987 SUBURBAN, Sierra classic, 19,000 miles. $15,500. 683-6107 after 6.

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1980 FORD Bronco 4x4; automatic, a/c, new tires, mags, bright red; $2000 as is. Call 699-6532.

1977 JEEP CJ5, Very clean. $3,000. 682-4066.

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BARGAINS Galore! 2707 Whittle Way. 9 AM - 6 PM, Friday-Saturday. Furniture, baby things, miscellaneous.

6104 ORIOLE - Greentree. Friday and Saturday, 8-5. Golf clubs, miscellaneous clothes and household goods.

ANNUAL Seaboard Garage Sale! Friday and Saturday. Opens 8 o'clock am. Chairs, stereo, waterbed frame, edger, excellent clothing, sewing machine. 3110 Seaboard.

FRIDAY and Saturday. Lots of miscellaneous, child's tricycle. 4810 West Storey.

STARVING Student Sale! Help send a starving student to college. Antique buffet, clothes, furniture, knick-knacks and more. Friday-Saturday, 9-5. Sunday 1-5. 1704 Bedford.

4507 MEREDITH. Two cribs, queen size sofa sleeper, AM/FM car stereo, children's clothes and much more. Friday, Saturday and Sunday 9 - 6.

BACKYARD and Craft Sale! Lots of miscellaneous, clothes, games, some furniture and new handmade crafts. Friday and Saturday, July 8th and 9th, 8am to 7pm, 4510 Leddy Dr.

THREE families. Clothes, all sizes, furniture, appliances, household and yard items, etc. 2825 Cimmaron. Friday and Saturday. 8-6.

BIG garage sale! Friday 12-6, Saturday 8-6. 4803 Ric. Furniture, odds and ends, preteen clothes.

WOW!
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Retiring from collecting of shop and household items: Lathe, table saw/ jointer, jig saw, space heaters, solid wood doors, linens, space heaters, good antique furniture, lawn chairs... 30 years of useful and decorative objects. Corner of South "M" Street and Holloway... The center of Midland's Heritage District.

3124 TEALWOOD
MOVING AND MUST SELL MANY ITEMS INCLUDING:
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SATURDAY ONLY!
8 AM to 3 PM

LARGE Backyard sale. Furniture, clothing and miscellaneous. 1401 South Fort Worth. Friday, Saturday, July 8th and 9th. 7 to ?.

SUPER Sale! (In alley) 3239 Preston. No checks please. Friday and Saturday.

GARAGE Sale on FM 868 West, Crescent Storage and Antiques #5-A. Fish aquarium with stand, swivel rocker, wicker shelf, lots of miscellaneous; too much to mention! Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 10 AM to ?.

GARAGE sale: tires, lawn mowers, rug, clothes, etc. 2816 Marmon, Friday, Saturday.

4707 CINDY Place, Saturday 8-4: 190 skis (Solomon bindings), poles and boots, baby backpack, boy's and adult clothes and lots of miscellaneous. No early callers. Cash only.

EVERYTHING Goes Sale! Toys, clothes, small appliances, headboard, much more. 3015 Fredna. Friday-Saturday, 8-30.

THE GARAGE SALE
1902 W. Florida
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Multi-family - Warehouse
Everything from picnic items to Christmas trees and clothes.
8 am - 5pm
Friday & Saturday only

THREE family garage sale: furniture, gas stove like new, clothing, and miscellaneous items. 4105 Amistad, north of Midland Dr.; Friday and Saturday only, all day!

THREE Family Garage Sale. Friday, 3 - 8:30, Saturday, 8 - 1. 3410 Shell. Miscellaneous! 694-6112.

GARAGE Sale. Kids clothes, toys, yard and household items. 1702 Cimmaron. Friday 1 to 5, Scturday all day.

1975 FORD Super Cab, ¾ ton with 9½ foot self contained camper. One Bundy cornet. Call 694-9785.

4722 ERIE, auxiliary gas tank, ten speed, child's riding toys, clothes and much, much more.

2801 GULF: Five family! Car, furniture, old books, kitchenware, kid's clothes and lots of miscellaneous. Through Saturday.

MOVING Sale. Furniture, living room, dining room, bedroom, and kitchen appliances, antique dining room table, desks, chairs, much more. Everything must go. 1805 Bates (off of 4700 block Andrews highway).

4506 MEREDITH Place: Moving sale. Fundraiser needs to liquidate product samples. Additional items to be sold include baby clothes, books, kitchen items, sofa, and four dinette chairs. Friday and Saturday 8am - 2pm.

THE Youth Group of The First Church Of The Nazarene will have a garage sale all day Friday and Saturday at 5201 Bellaire.

3230 CAMARIE: Friday-Saturday, 8-5. Baby clothes, baby items and lots of miscellaneous.

MOVING Sale!!! Linens, some antiques, household items, pool cover, clothing, Etc. Saturday only, 8:30 on. Alley behind - 2306 Bellechase.

MOVING Sale: Living room set, washer & dryer, bed, Datsun B210 & lots more! 1705-B Checotah, 686-0142.

4800-A COUNTRY Club: Carport sale. Lots of items and a dirt bike! Saturday morning.

8-30, SATURDAY: Crib, chairs, sewing machine, fireplace tools, band saw, fertilizer spreader, glassware, dishes, map rack, colored fiberglass sheets, etc. 3006 Sentinel.

1601 DELMAR-Four Families-Saturday, 8-2. Nice clothes (boy's size 4 & 5, ladies 6-12). Baby things, shoes, car seat, tricycle, knick-knacks and more!

1709 WEATHERFORD: Friday, July 8, Saturday, July 9. Used clothes & used shoes. Two 15 used tires and many more!

MOVING SALE!
3814 GULF
SATURDAY ONLY, 9-4
Furniture, microwave, refrigerator, dishes, lots of miscellaneous.

3308 FANNIN. Saturday 8 to 5; high chairs, car seats, toys; baby clothes, girl's toddler through 5, boy's toddler; small appliances, stereo/ dual cassette.

GARAGE Sale. 3527 Shell. TV, stereo console, Women's clothes and much more. Saturday only! 8 to 12.

3405 NORTHFIELD in Trinity Meadows; Friday July 8, Saturday July 9; between 8 and 6; four family garage sale: furniture, antiques, oriental rugs, many household items, baby and adult clothes, toys, three chandeliers, hardware, interior doors, lots more.

☐ 2509 GULF
Saturday 8 AM, Sunday 1 PM. BMX bike, large playhouse, sofa, bookcase, chandelier, good children and adult clothes, toys, miscellaneous and much more!!! No checks.

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FIVE family sale: furniture, exercise equipment, swingset, lots of childrens clothes, toys, miscellaneous. 4614 Laura

SATURDAY JULY 9
8 to 4
3115 Auburn
1983 Rockwood pop-up camper, 1979 Chevy Impala Station wagon, battery - Grand Father Clock, two t.v.'s, two radios, Jeep top, luggage, Atari and games, bicycle, Karate suit and pads, swing set, clothes, toys, books; much more.

3405 HUMBLE. Saturday only. Children's clothes and shoes and lots of miscellaneous!

NICE CLOTHES
Golf clubs, portable whirlpool, wheelchair, commode, walkers, glucose monitor and lots of miscellanous.
Saturday
1 - 5 pm only
1710 North A Street, #47

GARAGE/ Yard Sale. Marriage brought two complete households into one: camper,furniture, kitchen and home appliences, childrens toys and bikes, cameras, TV's, many other items. Saturday and Sunday 8 to 5, 4501 Trevino

GARAGE Sale in Alley behind 4402 Wilshire. Rattan furniture, round Oak dining table, bar stools, glassware, and much more. Saturday and Sunday, 8 to 5

PATIO Sale! 103 S. Bentwood. Clothing (including man's extra large) bicycles, 250 new Fruit Of The Loom t-shirts, toys, jewelry, kitchenware, miscellaneous. Friday-Saturday, 9-6.

SATURDAY, 8-4. 907 Harvard. Bicycles, Exercycle, English antique armoire, desk, organ, chair, recliner, table, mirrors, miscellaneous.

417 EASTWOOD, Friday, Saturday and Sunday: Dishwasher, stove, bar and bar stools, ceiling fan. Lots of good things.

3609 NEELY: pickup tool boxes, Geminhardt flute, clarinette, clothes and lots of miscellaneous. Saturday only open at 8 AM.

4809 SHADYLANE. Saturday, 9-5. Two year old stove, porch swing, clothing, baby items, miscellaneous.

HURRY!
100's of yards of good used carpet. Will sell fast! $1.50 to $6.00 sq. yard.
3100 W. Kentucky
Saturday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Sunday 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM.

GARAGE sale, Saturday only: couch, oven, metal desk, bar stools, baby stroller and clothes, etc. To begin 8 AM; 4610 Wilshire.

GARAGE sale; Saturday July 9, 8 AM; 4601 St. Andrews: lots of clothing and shoes.

ONE day only. Saturday 8-3. Couch, chair, baby clothes, clothes and miscellaneous. 2304 Stanolind.

THREE Family Garage Sale! Sofa, end table, two lamps, ice cream freezer and lots 'more! Saturday, 8-5 PM. 3518 Stanolind.

430 Household Goods

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SATURDAY only. 3114 Thomas. Starts 8 am. Three households - TVs, stereos, clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

4300 CRESTGATE: Saturday, 8-1. Couch, recliner, children's clothing, books, curtains, housewares, barstools and miscellaneous.

THREE Families! 2505 Shandon. Saturday only, 8-12. Baby items, television, clothes, furniture, vacuum, miscellaneous.

3 FAMILY SALE!
601 W. CUTHBERT
SATURDAY-SUNDAY
9 - 2 PM
Sewing machine, lots of girl's and woman's clothing (sizes 5, 7, 10-14, large sizes), man's casual clothing, knick-knacks, lots of interesting items!

SATURDAY only 1801 Ward: carpet, drapes, dishwasher, linen, clothes, miscellaneous. From 8 AM - 5 PM.

720 W. PINE St; Saturday from 8 to 4: go cart, $150; clothing and household items.

GARAGE Sale. 1606 Humble. Saturday only! 9 to ?. Children and Adults clothes and miscellaneous.

701 DEVONIAN, two family: '75 Chevrolet truck, $500; pickup bed trailer, $125. Saturday only, from 8 to 5.

4313 GREENBRIAR, Saturday, 8-12. children, maternity and ladies clothes, toys and baby items, household items, bedspread.

SATURDAY only; three family backyard sale: two hide-a-bed couches, baby items, lots of miscellaneous. 3909 Gaston.

John's Furniture and Swap Shop
600 Florida
Window units & roof top air conditioners. Bar tools, good selection of living roomsuites, new dinett electrical stoves and refrigerators
John can handle all of your bedding needs.

2807 LOCKHEED: Saturday-Sunday, 8:30-4:30. Lots of good baby and household items, womens/ mens clothes.

GARAGE Sale! Baby bed, woman's clothes, dishes and household goods. Friday 1, Saturday 9. 207 Canyon Drive.

3115 ROOSEVELT. Lots of clothes, slacks, shorts, shoes, records, books and miscellaneous. All day Thursday. Friday until 2.

3321 NEELEY; Friday, Saturday; fish tank, Cockatoel, some livingroom furniture, new scooter and good miscellaneous.

MOVING SALE
Color t.v., men's clothes and shoes, t-shirts, satin bedspread set, luggage set, glass set, ironing board, dining table accessories, picture frame, weights, and miscellaneous.
Call 682-5255
Or visit Saddle Club Apartments #105 building #3.

FURNITURE sale: kitchen, livingroom and bedroom. Hammond organ. One day only, Saturday July 9, 9 AM. 1005 Ainslee.

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MIDLAND Flea Market. Used and new merchandise. Four blocks west of Rankin Highway on County Road 114. Friday-Sunday.

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4006 ANGELINA. Friday and Saturday 9-4. Many miscellaneous household goods, some furniture, lots of children's clothes, decorative items.

FRIDAY and Saturday only 9-5. Furniture, linens, ceramics, clothes and baby things. 412 Mariana.

BACKYARD SALE
Friday through Sunday
9 AM to 5 PM
2105 W. Indiana
Refrigerated window unit, small truck tool box, typewriter, weights and bench, old washer $10, decor items, books, clothes all sizes (new and used), new costume jewelry, miscellaneous household, baby bed and sheets, set of louver doors and more!

2201 BRUNSON. Baby furniture, baby items, baby clothes, dishes. 9 am - 5 pm. Sunday only.

4806 W. STOREY. Baby things, christmas items, all sizes of clothes, lots of good miscellaneous. Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 8 to 6.

GARAGE sale: lots of furniture, stereo, clothes, camera, luggage, miscellaneous. Saturday only; 8 to 5. 3909 Permian Court.

TRADE Village Flea Market, 2905 Rankin Highway. Friday - Sunday, 9am-6pm. Snack Bar. Antiques, jewelry.

ESTATE Sale. 1700 W. Storey. Friday and Saturday, July 8 and 9, 8 AM to 6 PM. Sunday, July 10th, 1 to 6 PM only! Furniture: living room, dining room, three bedrooms. Desks, appliances, kitchenware, dishes, much much bric-a-brac, books galor, luggage, linens, clothes, and so fourth and so fourth...

410 Miscellaneous Sales

ROLEX!!! Mens 18 carat Presidents, hidden clasp. Call 685-4009 or 683-3936.

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TWO-WHEEL utility trailer, good tires, good condition, $200, call 686-8374.

TWO Matching Brass and Glass Tables. Sell for $125. Call after 6 PM, 685-0065.

FOR sale: an old El Toro mechanical bull, $600. Call 694-3773 anytime.

TRANSFER case out of 1973 Blazer $200; four-Daytona 33x12.50R15 $300; Hilltopper mini-bike with 5 horsepower Tecumseh $200. 694-1989.

45 inch RCA Big Screen TV with cabinet and United Bank Stock for sale. 686-0658.

NEW Car Cover and Bra for Turbo 280 ZX Datsun and 10 speed Schwinn bicycles. Call 694-4701.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

JUKE Box, 1950 Wurlitzer; Excellent condition. Includes new records (oldies, 1950's and 60's), $1500. Call, 682-0813 or after 5 PM, 697-2090, ask for Jill.

LET us sell your mobile home! Have buyers looking for 2/ 3 bedroom houses. 333-6327.

11'x19' wooden porch. Great for mobile home or above ground hot tub decking. 699-1956. Midland.

WHIRLPOOL electric range; continuous cleaning, like new, $125. Push button mobile phone, memory, $350. 694-6306.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANT to buy: two full Cranoline petticoats, tea length; sizes 12 - 13 and 9 - 10. Call 683-6032.

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420 Good Things To Eat

FOR sale: loads of 50# bags of 1015y onions. Also, large white or yellow Vadilloa or Granex. Call 756-3682 in Stanton.

SHELLED Pecans: $3.50 per pound, will deliver one pound or more, electric crackers. 682-4887.

BERRIES, cherries, peaches, apples, apricots, fresh frozen from Oregon. Prepaid orders now. Donna Lemon 362-4131.

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USED washers and dryers for sale. Also buy non-working washers and dryers. Call 694-5350.

USED washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators and TVs. Guaranteed. $75 and up. Call Gary at 686-8702.

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SEARS frost-free refrigerator, five months, $600. Kenmore pilotless ignition gas range, five months old, $400. Magtag washer and dryer, $200/ set. Rainbow sweeper, $300. 694-6749 after 5.

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KING Size Waterbed complete, 2 love seats, antique round oak table, 4 chairs. Call: 684-4314.

SOLID oak dresser and vanity $145 for both. Solid oak sideboard $145. Gateleg walnut table $125. And more! 682-5423.

LAWNMOWERS for sale. Also refrigerator, washer, dryer, and venthood; all good condition. 683-8323 after 5pm.

LOOKING for L-shaped bunkbeds or twin beds in good condition. Call 686-9323.

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10-50% OFF NAME DECORATER FABRICS, WALLPAPER, BLINDS-EVERYDAY. FABRICS $4/YARD. UPOUTSTANDING UPHOLSTERY LABOR $20/YARD. CHRISTINE REDDY DESIGNS, 1308 S. MIDKIFF, #209. 683-3151.

COUCH and love seat for sale. Call 687-2480 after 5 PM.

USED washers and dryers. Reconditioned and guaranteed. Also, service calls made. Britt's Appliance Repair. 694-7502.

NEW day bed complete with pop-up trundle unit and mattresses. $275 or will sell separate pieces. 697-5798.

PINK Velvet loveseat, $125; small brass fireplace set, $12; white, child's table, $5. Call 694-7839.

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KITCHEN breakfast unit: Two padded bench seats, two swivel chairs. Natural colors with white formica top, all steel construction. $800. 683-2507, or leave message.

I NEED to purchase a house full of furniture and appliances with good bargain prices. 697-6780.

19" CURTIS Mathis Color Television. 8 yrs. old, works and looks good, $150. Call 697-9675.

450 Sporting Goods

USED manual treadmills $89/ up, stationary bicycles, rowers, var. exercise equip. Compare our prices! 682-6002.

I AM Interested in buying used guns! 683-8021.

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★★ It's Spring Again!! Time to Form a Group to Play War Games Paint Pellet Pursuit Game. 563-0707. ★★

MASTER Pool Table Mechanic. References. 684-6930.

MEN'S golf clubs: Hogan irons, 2-W, almost new, $175. Featherlite irons and woods $175. 687-5628 after 5.

POOL Table, Brunswick 4½' x 8', ½" Slate commercial grade, complete with balls and ques. $300. Call 699-1221.

26" YELLOW Men's Schwinn Varsity Bicycle with book rack for sale . $40. Call 694-3285.

460 Antiques and Art

FRENCH 1800. MUSEUM QUALITY, FIVE PIECE BEDROOM SUIT:
7' armoire with mirrored front, three doors, shelves and drawers inside. Two porcelain-lined end tables. Dresser with threefold mirror. Bed with siderails, high headboard and low footboard.
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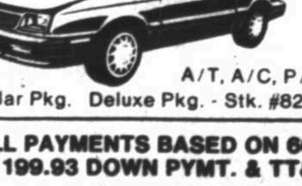
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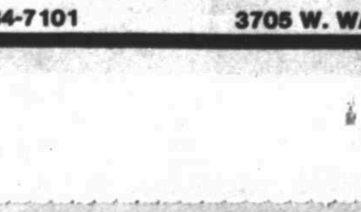
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Century 21
3510 HYDE PARK
Lovely three bedroom, two bath, two car garage home, Hyde Park Addition. Priced in low $80's.

4701 HARVARD
Newer three bedroom, two bath, one car garage. Priced in low $40's.

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Two bedroom, two bath, one car garage, extra nice and clean. Priced low $50's.

3617 SHELL
Extra nice three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, two living areas. Priced in low $50's.

2805 ROOSEVELT
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$676 per month including taxes and insurance*...$3,300 down on this new 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home...You don't sacrifice the sizes in these bedrooms...Vaulted ceiling in family room and kitchen with plant ledge...Both bathrooms have double vanity cultured marble tops...Lots of closet space...Call now for more details!
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...off of large kitchen with lots of cabinet and counter space is ONLY the beginning in this new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home...Large family room with beautiful woodburning fireplace...Lots of extras...Master bedroom has separate dressing area with 'his-n-her' walk-in closets and double vanity cultured marble tops...$3,000 down and monthly payments of only $641* Call NOW!
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I'm affordable, three bedroom with large workshop, double carport, water well, lots of shade and close to churches, schools and hospitals.
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SOMETHING NEW
Beautifully updated three bedroom, two bath in established area. Spacious living area with fireplace, charming dining room, wonderful kitchen and terrific floorplan. Water well for the lovely yard enhances the cost efficiency of this well located home. Only $72,500.
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2409 SHANDON. Storm shelter, workshop. 3 bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths, living, dining, den. Fresh paint, 1 1/2 blocks school and shopping. 697-0566.

EASTSIDE, Non-Qualifying Assumable. 1913 Nash, 3-2-2, payments $195. 1610 E. Pine, 3-1, payments $332. $1500 equity for each, seller pays all closing costs. Call A.G. Calderon, Real Estate Broker, 689-7792.

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NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION
Spacious four bedroom home, two bath, two living areas, lovely roomy yard with trees and swimming pool. Non-qualifying assumable loan and low payments, too.
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BY Owner: Low Equity Assumption. Non-Qualifying. Three bedroom, 1¾ bath, large country kitchen/ dining area. Much new - paint, carpet, wallpaper and appliances. No agents. 3225 Cimmaron. 699-5040 after 5 pm.

BY Owner. Non-qualifying assumption. FHA 9.5%. $643 monthly. North Gate area. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage. $3000 and assume loan. 699-1405, leave message.

I'M Ready to Deal! I am in town this week to sell or lease my home with acreage. Call anytime this week. 682-5980.

ASSUMABLE Loan: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living area, fireplace. Custom features, tile floors, sprinklered, landscaped, 2 car garage, satellite dish, much more. $89,900. 697-2088 evenings and weekends.

FHA Non-Qualifying Assumption. Low, Low equity. Three bedrooms, two baths, two car garage with opener. Large living area with vaulted ceiling and brick fireplace. Big backyard with storage building and lots of trees. 699-0832.

OWNER financing - two bath, three bedroom - $4,000 down and closing costs. Go by 4700 Bowie, then call 686-8112 for details.

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JUST LISTED
This super nice 4 br, 3 bath owner home that is loaded with amenities. Spacious master suite with whirlpool bath; living area with cathedral ceiling & fireplace. Lots more! Extremely well cared for home that is ready for you. At a terrific price of $63,900. Call
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ASSUME LOAN
W. Cuthbert - 3 bedroom, 1¾ baths, fireplace, low equity, buyer must qualify for payments under $420. To see this home contact
Clemmie Sorge at
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Evenings 697-1848.

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Owner will carry note on this large 4 bdrm, 2½ bath home on West Michigan. $56,900. For details contact Clemmie Sorge at Stephenson, Realtors 697-1091, evenings 697-1848.

NON-QUALIFYING
CASTLEFORD - Beautiful 2 bdrm, 2 bath townhouse. Low equity, payments under $720.
TANNER - 3 bdrms, 1 bath, water well for yard, $3,000. Equity, payments under $430.
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LOOK NO FURTHER
This is the home for you, it has three large bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, 2 car garage and extra room for workshop or study. Located on Aurora and priced to sell at $67,900. Call today to see this home. Clemmie Sorge at: Stephenson, Realtors 697-1091, evenings 697-1848.

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LEASE or lease purchase. Assumable low interest loan. Two bedroom, two bath, double garage on Pinemont. 683-3135.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
VA assumable, non qualify, low equity and payments. Three bedrooms, two full baths, two living areas, nice quiet neighborhood. Ask for Larry Hatfield 689-7700 or 699-4396.

ASSUME loan, FHA non-qualifying, no equity. Three bedroom, one bath. Call 697-0106.

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BY OWNER: 4713 Neely, Wydewood. Three bedrooms, 1¾ baths, atrium, fireplace, satellite. $71,000. 689-7370.

BY OWNER: Excellent condition traditional home - 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, sprinklers (front /back). Fannin School. Large utility /playroom. $119,000. 687-4361.

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4300 ARROYO: Approximately 2,000 square feet, four bedroom, two bath, ceiling fans, rear entry garage, Q. Parker, Goddard school district. 697-5418

THREE bedroom, 1 bath brick. One living area, storm windows. 1111 S. Colorado. $26,000. Call 683-5368 till 4:00PM; 686-8919 till 6:00PM; 682-7132 after 6:00PM.

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3/2, No loan problems here! Super non-qualifying assumable FHA loan on this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Check it out - this may be the one for you...$55,000.
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THREE roomy bedrooms, 1¾ baths, two car garage, large country kitchen with fan and skylight, large family room with cathedral ceiling, fireplace and skylight, opens to covered patio with built-in jacuzzi and well landscaped yard. 3801 Neely. 699-1421, by appointment only.

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3/2, Lovely old Midland home. Great location. New roof and new paint. Nice size bedrooms, close to schools and shopping. A must to see...$82,500. Ask for Mary Jo Drury
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FOR sale or trade for Midland residents-three bedrooms, two baths, two large living areas, w/sunroom on one acher in Mineral Wells Texas- just minutes from Ft. Worth. 684-9780

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4800 SHADYLANE-This beautifully maintained home is situated on a corner lot in Wilshire Park. Reduced to $52,500
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Will love this beautiful country estate in Greenwood. Features a 4 br, 3 bath home, zoned with separate shed area, 4 stall barn & play area for the kids on 9.88 acres ..... $149,000.
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