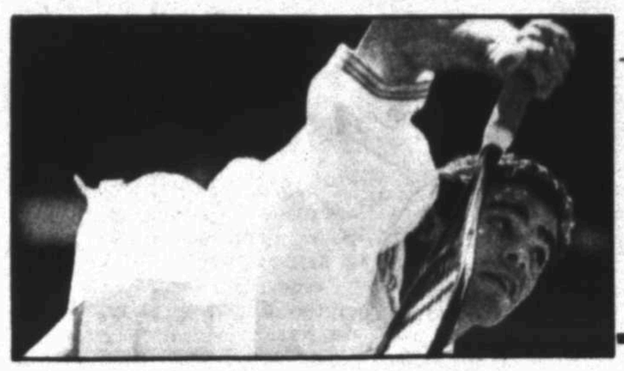


NATION

Busy crime scene

Another knife turns up in the Nicole Simpson murder case. A curiosity seeker, right, said she found it near O.J's home./**7A**



SPORTS

Sampras repeats

Another superhuman effort, another Grand Slam title for the player who lately has made invincibility look easy./**1C**

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News Watch

Cityline Community Pulse

Sex-education poll

Historically, the Midland Independent School District has taken a cautious, conservative approach in its teaching of sex and AIDS education. Do you think the school system should become more explicit in its teaching of those subjects? We'd like to know your views. Call Cityline's **Community Pulse Poll** at 560-2400 and enter **Category 7655.** If you feel the MISD should become more agressive in its handling of this subject matter, press 1. If you feel the district should maintain its traditional stance on sex education, press 2. You also are welcome to leave comments. We ask that you leave your name, but that is optional. The non-scientific poll will remain open until Tuesday at noon. Results will be published in Wednesday's edition.



Justice Scalia hurls barbs from bench.

Acerbic Scalia

WASHINGTON — Justice Antonin Scalia thinks some of the Supreme Court's opinions are irrational, disturbing or downright preposterous — and he isn't shy about saying so./**8A**

Contract signing

A construction contract signing between the Permian Basin Vietnam Memorial Committee and Campbell Construction Co. will be held at 10 a.m. today at the Permian Basin Vietnam Veterans Memorial site on Wright Drive at Midland International Airport.

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Fred, the SPCA's official mascot, poses in his Fourth of July outfit. Related story, photos/3B. The dachshund ignores new poll finding that Americans believe people are less patriotic./7A

Deadly day: At least 37 die on state roads

3 accidents kill 31

Associated Press

WEATHERFORD — In one of the bloodiest days ever on Texas highways, 40 people died in separate crashes Sunday, including 14 people killed here when a tractor-trailer rear-ended a family's van.

■ **The scene**/7A

Eleven people died in another collision also involving a tractor-trailer near the West Texas town of Snyder; another six died in a crash near Ballinger, also in West Texas.

The others died in separate accidents around the state, said Mike Cox, spokesman for the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"It's not quite the deadliest day, but it's rapidly approaching that," Cox said.



AP Laserphoto

Eleven died when this pickup was hit by a tractor-trailer near Snyder.

The deadliest day on Texas roads was Christmas Eve 1975, when 42 people were killed. On

Please see **DEADLY**/4A



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Lewis Manning, right, and his older brother, Bob, at their office in Midland. The guerrillas who kidnapped Lewis thought they were taking the company president, Bob.

Ex-hostage describes life with guerrillas

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Editor's note: This is the second in a four-part series that profiles the 1993 abduction of Lewis A. Manning from a gold-mining camp in Colombia, South America, by a group of leftist rebels. He was released one year and eight days later and now resides in Midland with his family.

Eight days after being abducted by Colombian rebels and whisked into the jungle, Lewis Manning learned the reason for his captivity.

Union Camilista Ejercito de Liberacion Nacional (UCELN) — the National Liberation Army — wanted $1 million.

Since being kidnapped from a gold-mining camp, Manning spent the night at four locations before being brought to a jungle hut near a river, where he was to stay the next 22 days.

There, the guerrillas told Manning to lay down the ransom demand in letters and tapes to his family and the gold-mining company.

Manning told the rebels he didn't speak Spanish; they insisted he did. One guerrilla knew a little English.

The rebels communicated by writing messages, which Manning — with the little Spanish he knew — would look over, try to decipher and then try to relate back his translation. Manning used a small electronic translator out of the sight of his captors.

The rebels wanted names of the gold-mining company's investors, Colombian contacts and bank account numbers.

Manning, who knew the information, directed the inquiries to the company's president: his brother Bob Manning. Manning said he was merely an engineer, an employee, in the venture.

"At this time, they became very frustrated that they had not captured the president," Manning said. Both men had mustaches, gray hair and wore glasses.

Still, the rebels thought Manning was worth something and directed him to write.

Please see **CAPTIVE**/4A

Police, FBI find kidnapped girl, arrest suspect

Associated Press

LODI, Calif. — A naked 12-year-old girl was found safe Sunday a day after she was abducted at knifepoint from her home in a case similar to Polly Klaas' kidnapping.

Katie Romanek was found in a rural area east of San Francisco Bay after a search by more than 100 police officers and some volunteers. The suspect was found with her.

Police arrested Steve Reece Cochran, 25, a transient with a mustache, scruffy beard, shoulder-length hair, and tattoos on his arms and back. He was booked on investigation of kidnapping.

The girl was wearing only socks when she was found, but police declined to say if there was any evidence of a sexual assault. Katie was being examined at the San Joaquin County hospital.

"She has not been seriously hurt. She is in good spirits," police Chief Larry Hansen said.

The girl disappeared Saturday with a man who stopped at the house earlier in the day posing as a home buyer. He fled with her in her sister's car and the search focused on a 5-mile area near where the car was abandoned east of San Francisco.

Officers and FBI agents looked on foot and in planes and helicopters. Au-

Please see **GIRL**/4A

Basin living lures retirees; business gears up to expand

By Melia McEwen
Staff Writer

Retirement facilities in Midland and Odessa are gearing up for expansion in a variety of areas.

Part of the reason could be an influx of retirees moving to the area.

According to Mary Larsson, executive director of the Midland-Odessa Health and Retirement Endeavor, MOHRE tracked 23 pension-elite retiree households that relocated to or

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Jetliner crash toll climbs to 37; crew was warned of wind shear

Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — The USAir jet crash that killed at least 37 people occurred less than two minutes after the pilots were warned about dangerous wind shear during a violent thunderstorm, an investigator said Sunday.

Flight 1016 from Columbia, S.C., tore through telephone poles before slamming into the ground Saturday night with 52 passengers and five crew members aboard. The DC-9 was trying to circle Charlotte-Douglas International Airport after the pilot aborted one attempt to land.

The tower had issued a wind-shear alert after the wind direction shifted by almost 90 degrees in nine seconds, John Hammerschmidt, an investigator with the National Transportation Safety

Please see **CRASH**/4A



The remains of USAir Flight 1016's tail section is tangled within utility-pole wires near Charlotte, N.C., Sunday. The jetliner's tail section slammed into a house with five people inside and caught fire.

AP Laserphoto

French troops open fire on rebels

GISENYI, Rwanda (AP) — French troops and the rebels who oppose their presence fought a brief skirmish Sunday, the first time the French humanitarian mission has entered into combat.

The firefight broke out as French paratroopers were evacuating 270 civilians from the path of a rebel offensive in the southwest, a French officer said.

Col. Didier Thibault said the exchange of gunfire lasted less than a minute. There were no French or refugee casualties, he said, but did not know if there were any casualties among the Rwandan Patriotic Front rebels.

"We passed an RPF checkpoint, and soon after we passed we were shot upon," Thibault said. "We opened up with everything we had," including heavy machine guns.

It was not immediately possible to verify the account with rebel representatives.

Jean-Francis Pezresse, a French journalist accompanying the evacuation, said the shooting broke out after the rebels spotted a government soldier in one of the French vehicles. The soldier, a deserter from fighting in Butare, was dragged from the jeep and shot, Pezresse said.

The rebels, who have taken about two-thirds of the country and are mounting a fierce assault on the capital of Kigali, oppose the 10-day-old French mission because they suspect the troops will try to bolster the government.

They were further provoked Saturday when France informed the United Nations it intended to establish a "safe zone" for refugees in southwestern Rwanda — directly in front of the advancing rebels.

"The fighting is intensifying and that threatens to cause a new exodus of the population, with the risk of massacres that could ensue," Foreign Minister Alain Juppe said on French TV.

Without a safe zone, French troops would be forced "little by little to retreat to the border" with Zaire, Juppe said. A French envoy was to meet Sunday with rebel representatives in Belgium to explain the plan, he added.

The Rwandan government, which fled from Kigali to Gisenyi, called Saturday for French support. But French officials said no help has been offered and France does not regard the Gisenyi government as representative of the country's people.

On Sunday, French paratroopers airlifted 700 orphans from Butare, their biggest mercy operation to date.

"Butare is a ghost town — everyone is running away," Pezresse said.

The French on Sunday abandoned plans to build a field hospital in the Butare region because of the rebel advance. Nuns and French soldiers said the rebels were driving thousands of civilians ahead of them as a human shield.

The French commander, Gen. Jean-Claude Lafourcade, said Butare was close to being overrun and that rebels were tightening their circle around Kigali.

U.N. military spokesman Maj. Jean-Guy Plante, speaking by satellite phone from the U.N. base in Kigali, said, "Constant mortar fire has been hitting the city since last night."

Plante said U.N. troops were taking cover from the shelling and could not confirm that Kigali was completely cut off. "Fighting has been too heavy for us to get out and see," Plante said.

More than 200,000 Rwandans are believed to have died in nearly three months of pogroms and ethnically rooted combat. Some observers put the death toll at half a million.

Refugee pirates force boat owners to increase security, hide their sails

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — Refugee pirates, seeking to take advantage of boat people desperately fleeing Haiti, have prompted maritime workers to increase security and hide their sails while in port.

One ferryboat able to hold more than 1,000 people was nearly hijacked two weeks ago, and dozens of people drowned after another stolen boat listed off Haiti's south coast last month, boat captains and owners said.

"Every time I go I'm afraid they'll hijack my boat," Jean Claude Fignole, owner of another ferry, the Freda I, said before leaving Port-au-Prince late Saturday for the southwestern city of Jeremie.

Standing on deck of his vessel, Fignole estimated that the Freda I, if pirated, could take up to 3,000 boat people out of Haiti.

A single hijacked ferryboat could stall U.S. refugee-processing efforts, which are already severely strained with the interceptions of about 7,000 Haitians aboard hundreds of refugee craft in the past two weeks.

Despite the deployment of 15 U.S. Coast Guard vessels off Haiti, the guard's efforts are hampered by already crowded decks. Nearly 1,000 Haitians were still on cutters Saturday from interceptions the day before.

Diplomats say there are enough boats for 100,000 Haitians to flee.

A liberalized Clinton administration policy on processing refugees and intensified sanctions that aim to pressure the military-backed government out of power are widely viewed as triggers for the refugee surge.

The Rev. Gerard Jean-Juste, a former senior official for exiled President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, said in an interview Sunday that the major cause was army repression.

The government has done little to stop the flow, and accuses Aristide supporters of bankrolling the exodus to try to pressure Washington to intervene militarily to oust the coup leaders who overthrew Aristide in 1991.

"They have accused me of paying everyone 20 dollars to go. Where can I get that kind of money?" responded Jean-Juste, who is living in hiding.

He blamed the army for taking advantage of those desperate to leave. "Among the smugglers there are people from the army. It's a well-organized (attempt) to expropriate people of their money," he said.

The refugee wave has swamped a U.S. processing facility off Jamaica and forced the reopening of a tent city on the U.S. Navy base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, where hundreds more refugees were taken on Sunday.

In addition, Washington is working to finish another camp on the British Caribbean island of Grand Turk and to complete an agreement in an unspecified other territory to set up another.

By midday Sunday, cutters had picked up 178 Haitians aboard six vessels and at least one cutter had docked in Guantanamo to turn over hundreds of refugees to U.S. immigration officials.

"They're still coming in spite of" 5-foot-high swells, Coast Guard spokeswoman Toni Long-Gay said. Among boats blocked Sunday was one that had capsized when an infant fell overboard, Long-Gay said. All 28 people, including the infant, were rescued.

Back in Port-au-Prince, behind Fignole's ferry was the Quonset, a smaller ferry whose crew foiled a hijacking attempt two weeks ago, said Fignole and his Canadian skipper, Ray Hogan. Hogan said the assailants were armed but were stopped by the crew. He didn't who the assailants were.

Mourners gather for slain soccer player's funeral

MEDELLIN, Colombia (AP) — Thousands of mourners attended the funeral of soccer star Andres Escobar on Sunday, outraged at his murder for scoring a goal against his own team during Colombia's World Cup loss to the United States.

"Unpardonable!" said a banner headline in the Medellin newspaper El Colombiano.

Escobar was shot early Saturday in the parking lot of a bar in Medellin, Colombia's third-largest city. Police have arrested two people and were searching for two others.

"Thanks for the own-goal," one of the assailants reportedly said.

Police were investigating the possibility one of the suspects had lost money in bets placed on the Colombian team. Judicial police subdirector Jairo Antonio Rodriguez said Sunday that Escobar was shot six times, not 12 as previously reported.

President Cesar Gaviria told mourners at the funeral, held in a basketball stadium, that Escobar was the victim of "absurd violence" afflicting the country.

Chants of "justice, justice" erupted from the crowd of 10,000 during eulogies to the 27-year-old athlete. His body lay in a wooden casket on the arena floor with a green-and-white flag of Atletico Nacional of Medellin, his regular team, draped over it.

After the funeral, attended by Escobar's teammates from Colombia's World Cup team and from Atletico Nacional, a cortege made its way slowly to a cemetery on the outskirts of the city. A police honor guard walked alongside.

Fans, many of them weeping, threw flowers at the black hearse, already heaped with flowers.

Some 15,000 at the cemetery watched as the coffin was lowered into the ground. Colombian flags waved from the throng on a cemetery hillside. Hundreds of onlookers climbed onto trees for a view, snapping branches under their weight as police and soldiers tried to maintain order.

More than 100,000 mourners viewed Escobar's body in the arena before the funeral, filing past the casket through the night Saturday. Some made the sign of the cross over the soccer star's face, others waved soccer banners over the body.

FBI plans to head off Russian mob

MOSCOW (AP) — The FBI's first field office in Russia will lay the foundation for the coming battle against the increasingly dangerous organized crime groups operating in the country, FBI director Louis Freeh said Sunday.

"It's the first building block of a lot of other things that have to happen — Russian legislation, treaties, the confidence and trust between two police agencies who historically were adversaries," Freeh said on NBC's "Meet the Press."

It will be the bureau's 22nd field office overseas.

The threat to the United States from the Russian mob, Freeh said, is serious, and U.S. law enforcement agents must avoid the complacency that helped Italian mobsters plant American roots in the 1920s.

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Arafat strikes presidential posture in sweep through Gaza

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip (AP) — Yasser Arafat, relishing his new role as leader, took his convoy bristling with armed men on a roaring tour of the Gaza Strip on Sunday, stopping to unveil a juice factory and plaque citing him as "President of Palestine."

The media-friendly events — and statements lashing out at "enemies of peace" — were designed to reinforce Arafat's image as a government leader whose days of violence are over.

Hoarse and exhausted after nearly nonstop meetings and speeches since his celebrated arrival in Gaza on Friday, Arafat still pressed ahead with a break-neck schedule.

His ultimate goal is Jericho, where he was scheduled to swear in the Palestinian National Authority, which will govern Gaza and Jericho until elections. Arafat was expected in Jericho on Tuesday.

In the meantime, he has missed no opportunity to speak on the many issues confronting autonomous Palestinian lands: rival Muslim factions, a nearly lifeless economy and hawkish Israelis unwilling to accept any compromise.

A rally by right-wing Israelis to denounce Arafat and government peacemakers attracted tens of thousands of people in Jerusalem late Saturday.

Afterward, several thousand rampaged until dawn. Some vandalized stores in Arab east Jerusalem and damaged seven cars at the U.S. consulate — scratching the Star of David on two vehicles.

On Sunday, police on horseback pushed back demonstrators trying to storm the parliament.

Others briefly blocked the Jerusalem-Jericho road near the settlement of Mishor Adumim. They chanted "Rabin, traitor" and "Arafat is worse than O.J. Simpson."

In all, nine Israelis were injured and 54 arrested, police said.

Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin accused the right-wingers of teaming up with Palestinian militants in trying to bury the peace process, which he said was working and had lessened violence.

"There is a partnership between the extreme right and the (Muslim fundamentalist group) Hamas," Rabin told the central committee of his Labor party.

Police Minister Moshe Shahal said some of the speakers at the protests might be investigated for inciting violence.

"Peace has a lot of enemies, and there are a lot of attempts to destroy the peace," Arafat told a delegation of Israeli Arabs. "This peace is for all our children."

On the way, his motorcade had stopped at an Italian-funded citrus processing plant, which he said symbolized the promise of a Palestinian-run economy helped by Western aid. Then he paused at a plaque that cited him as the "President of Palestine."

Arafat questioned why Israel was refusing to transfer hundreds of millions of dollars in accrued benefits for Arab workers to the PLO.

Palestinian laborers legally working in Israel since 1967 were obligated to make pension contributions to a labor union but never received the benefits.

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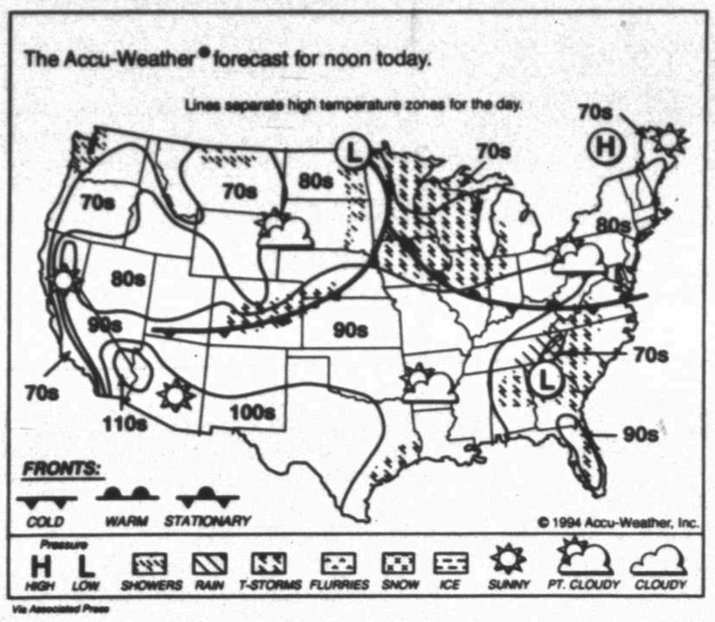
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WEATHER WATCH



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Basin faces degrees of hot

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high between 100 and 105, south winds 15 to 20 mph and gusty, and a less than 20 percent chance of afternoon thundershowers, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight is expected to be partly cloudy with a low between 70 and 75 and a less than 20 percent chance of rain.

Tuesday is expected to be mostly sunny with a high near 100.

After an overnight low of 75, Sunday's high was 106 which tied the record high for that date in 1983. The record low for today's date was 60 set in 1972.

STATE

It was another hot day in Texas Sunday, and the National Weather Service expects more of the same for Independence Day.

West Texas was mostly sunny as temperatures exceeded 100 degrees throughout the state. Guadalupe Pass and Marfa had the region's lows at 92 degrees, while El Paso had the high of 106. Winds were from the south or southwest at 10-20 mph. North Texas should be hot today, with highs again in the hundreds and lows in the 60s.

South Texas was sunny with temperatures mostly in the 90s, although the coast was mostly in the 80s. Port Aransas had the region's low at 81, while Del Rio had the high of 100.

NATION

Showers and thunderstorms hit portions of the East and Midwest on Sunday as the first tropical storm of the season washed over the Florida Panhandle.

A high pressure system over most of the Northwest kept skies mostly sunny west of the Rockies.

Tropical Storm Alberto swept into Florida with 60 mph winds and heavy rains, sending thousands of holiday tourists home early but doing little serious damage.

A tornado watch and flash flood warnings were in effect for parts of Florida, Alabama, Georgia and adjacent coastal waters.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

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Tonight: Partly cloudy, low 70-75, less than 20 percent chance of rain.
Tuesday: Mostly sunny, high near 100.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	106 degrees
Overnight Low	75 degrees
Sunset today	8:58 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:48 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.00 inches
Year to date	3.92 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	103	6 a.m.	77
7 p.m.	101	7 a.m.	79
8 p.m.	94	8 a.m.	83
9 p.m.	87	9 a.m.	86
10 p.m.	88	10 a.m.	90
11 p.m.	89	11 a.m.	95
midnight	85	noon	99
1 a.m.	84	1 p.m.	102
2 a.m.	82	2 p.m.	103
3 a.m.	81	3 p.m.	104
4 a.m.	79	4 p.m.	106
5 a.m.	76	5 p.m.	104
		6 p.m.	103

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	103	73	
Austin	98	77	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	93	73	
Bryan-College Station	94	74	
Corpus Christi	92	73	
Dallas	95	76	
El Paso	106	85	
Fort Worth	96	76	
Galveston	88	82	
Houston	94	73	
Laredo	100	78	
Lubbock	103	77	.01
Marfa	96	60	
San Angelo	104	75	
San Antonio	98	76	
Victoria	84	74	
Waco	97	76	
Wink	107	79	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	98	70		clr
Atlanta	85	73	.19	cdy
Atlantic City	88	67	.85	cdy
Baltimore	88	72	.29	cdy
Boston	79	67		cdy
Chicago	78	56		cdy
Cleveland	77	62		cdy
Denver	90	60	.04	cdy
Detroit	80	57		cdy
Flagstaff	84	49		clr
Indianapolis	87	67	.06	cdy
Kansas City	86	65		cdy
Las Vegas	104	77		clr
Los Angeles	81	65		clr
Louisville	95	69	.02	cdy
Memphis	93	77	.06	cdy
Milwaukee	73	57		clr
Nashville	90	71		cdy
New Orleans	94	74		clr
New York City	83	73		cdy
Oklahoma City	97	70		clr
Orlando	86	71	1.40	rn
Philadelphia	90	73		cdy
Phoenix	109	86		clr
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Reno	90	55		clr
Sacramento	90	57		clr
St Louis	89	71		cdy
San Francisco	65	52		cdy
Seattle	70	53		cdy
Shreveport	94	74		clr
Spokane	71	44		cdy
Topeka	88	69	.04	cdy
Tulsa	94	75		clr
Wichita	94	68	1.03	cdy

CAPTIVE: Manning describes life as a hostage

(From 1A)

"I'm very deliberate the way I write my letter," Manning said. He did not refer to those he wrote by name, only as brother, wife, son, daughter and family.

During the presentation of their demands, the guerrillas alluded to their cause. The Colombian government was corrupt, and the military smoked marijuana and drank, then robbed, raped and abused the poor, the rebels complained.

"They — the rebels — felt compelled to try to correct that. That was their objective — to try to take care of the poor," Manning said.

And "they wanted to bring world attention to this problem," he said.

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During his captivity, Manning kept a secret journal.

His first notes were made with a pen he carried and the cuff of his khaki pants, then wrappers from Colombian chocolate bars the rebels had given him. When Manning was ordered to write ransom letters, he secured additional writing materials.

The journal reveals that during the year and eight days he was held against his will, Manning was moved more than 60 times.

"I preferred to stay because those days were very, very tiring," he said.

Days on the move generally meant walking five to eight hours on jungle trails with a pack weighing about 35 pounds.

Initially, Manning was determined to keep up on the strenuous walks. "As days progressed, I changed that attitude," he said.

A routine day began at dawn. The group — which varied in size from about five to 40 and was about 90 percent male — usually slept in thatched-roof huts with wood floors and without walls.

When not mobile, the guerrillas began their day with exercises. They asked Manning to participate; he declined, he did not want to be "classified as one of them."



Lewis Manning with some of the guerrillas that held him hostage. The rebels took the photograph in the Colombian jungle in July 1993.

Breakfast followed, lasting one to two hours. The rebels half-seriously said Manning should take his turn with everyone else as cook; Manning shunned the idea.

The three meals of the day were basically the same. Rice was the staple. Sometimes there was sausage, beef, eggs, fish, onions, tomatoes, platanos, potatoes or bread. Once, monkey hands were used to flavor the soup; Manning tried to ignore such cuisine. "I like the soup but don't put that (monkey hands, chicken feet or heads) in my bowl," he would say to the rebels.

"Meals for them were whatever was available," he said.

They drank coffee only at breakfast. Other times, they consumed water and the common native drink, "penela," a brown sugar mixed with water.

After meals, each rebel washed his own utensils and — to Manning's surprise — brushed his teeth.

Following breakfast, the revolutionaries would conduct classes. "More or less propaganda classes (to) keep them focused on their objective," said Manning, who usually tried not to listen.

"It was very annoying at times. I could tell they were saying things I did not agree with," he said. "Their perception of the United States was warped."

Sometimes the lessons were educational, teaching reading and writing to some of the rebels, sometimes to the Indians.

Like a child in the presence of busy adults, Manning was left to do as he pleased. "They knew I knew the dangers of the jungle," he said.

Sometimes he would write in his journal, listen to a shortwave radio the rebels had given him, wash his clothes or bathe in the river, exercise or take naps.

Oftentimes Manning would converse with the rebels for short periods to fight the solitude. "I would initiate the conversation as much as possible," he said. Seldom would they.

The discussions were usually small talk, sometimes political philosophy.

"I would tell them they didn't know what they were talking about," he said. "They didn't like that but respected me."

The rebels would break for lunch at noon for a couple of hours, and then have dinner at 5 p.m. On days the guerrillas were on the move, classes would be after dinner.

On occasion, the rebels would listen to a soccer game on the radio or play themselves.

The guerrillas ended the day about 7 or 8 p.m. Flashlights and candles were used in preparation for bed time.

Manning usually slept on a hard floor, and despite a mosquito net he had, biting insects often had to be endured.

"Most of the time the night was restless," he said.

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Most of Manning's days as a hostage were routine. Some days were better than others.

"I had to do things to keep myself from getting depressed," he said.

If it was raining, or if he didn't feel like doing anything, Manning would slip into a deep depression. "When I did that, it was a prelude to getting sick," he said.

Three times Manning suffered major illness — sleepiness, headaches, high fever, diarrhea — for about seven to 10 days.

The first time he fell sick, the rebels tried to ignore the situation. Finally after several days, they summoned a doctor.

"I didn't really care if I lived or not. I felt terrible," Manning said.

The doctor administered an intravenous solution apparently for dehydration, vitamin shots and antibiotics.

The days of melancholy stemmed partially from a feeling of abandonment, which was reflected in his journal.

Manning had been scheduled to return home March 15; his visa expired May 15. Those dates passed.

"I felt a couple of months maybe and I'd be out of there," he said.

As time passed without any outside news, Manning felt more alone.

"I just gradually became more and more anxious about it," he said.

After 51 days, Manning received a letter from his brother

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LURES: Permian Basin attracts more retirees

(From 1A)

moved within Midland and Odessa in May. She said newcomers came to the Permian Basin from other states such as New Jersey, Missouri, North Carolina, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Colorado, Wyoming and California as well as elsewhere in Texas.

To underscore the economic impact of these retirees to the Midland-Odessa economy, MOHRE directors have worked out this formula: Estimating that 1,500 pension-elite households have moved into Midland or Odessa since MOHRE was founded approximately eight years ago, and estimating their annual income at $30,000 per household, those households bring $45 million to the Midland-Odessa economies annually.

"We track an average of 22 to 24 households each month," Larsson said. "The number of pension-elite households that have come here has doubled in less than three years."

With new retirees coming to Midland-Odessa, and with current residents moving into retirement facilities, the facilities are looking to expand.

In Odessa, Lincoln Towers has only a couple of apartments left, said Karen Churchill, a representative with the operating company, Holiday Retirement Corp. of Salem, Ore.

Holiday plans to build the Polo Park retirement community in Midland in the area of Garfield Street and Faulkner Drive near Polo Park. Churchill said groundbreaking is expected before the end of the year and construction usually takes 10 to 12 months.

She described the planned community as a community for active retired folks consisting of a three-story building with between 100 and 110 studio, one-bedroom and two-bedroom apartments. Residents will be served three meals a day, housekeeping service will be provided, linens and towels provided to those residents who don't furnish their own, and an extensive activity program planned. Transportation in the form of a 22-passenger bus will take residents shopping, to medical appointments and to various activities.

"Holiday has had the land in Midland for quite some time," Churchill said. "Corporate officials have wanted to open a facility in Midland for at least seven years that I know of, but there was the oil bust and financing wasn't available in Texas at that time, at least not in Midland. But now, financing is opening up and it looks like the Midland facility will be a go."

She added that corporate officials are looking forward to coming to Midland and anticipate the new Polo Park retirement center will fill up quickly.

Another Midland facility, Manor Park, plans to dedicate its new Alzheimer's unit on July 17, opening the facility in September.

Parks Good Samaritan Village, located between Midland and Odessa across from Mission Country Club, is planning to build a personal care facility.

DEADLY: Three accidents kill 31 in Texas

(From 1A)

Dec. 19, 1981, 41 people died on the state's highways.

In the Weatherford crash, the 18-wheeler hit the van with such force that its front bumper reached the van's front seat, said Weatherford Fire Chief George Teague.

The impact launched the wreckage 600 feet down Interstate 20, throwing a child from the van and leaving a trail of clothing and twisted metal. Eleven other children and two adults were killed inside the van.

The van driver, a 21-year-old woman, two children and the trucker were injured.

The family was on its way from Los Angeles to Vicksburg, Miss., for a family reunion.

The driver, Claudia Funches of Los Angeles, told police she'd pulled to the side of the highway when the 1977 Dodge van stalled. She got it started, pulled back into the travel lane and was hit from behind about 9:30 a.m.

"The impact was so great that the van was knocked 600 feet from the point where it was struck and then exploded into flames," Cox said.

Traffic was diverted as firefighters, state troopers and others worked to clear the scene, about 30 miles west of Fort Worth.

It took authorities nearly three hours to extract the badly burned bodies from the van. The dead were taken to the Tarrant County medical examiner's office, Cox said.

Funches, 47, was in critical condition at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas. The truck driver, Richie Darrell Ware, 37, of Arlington, was in good condition at Campbell Hospital in Weatherford.

Two 4-year-old boys and Nichole Funches, 21, were taken to other hospitals. One child was in good condition, while the other's condition was unknown. The woman was in stable condition.

Authorities were shocked by the carnage.

"It's definitely horrifying," said Jeff Moss, chief of the Greenwood Volunteer Fire Department. "It looked like pretty much the impact had killed most of them. That's where it really gets you, hits close to home."

Shortly after 4:15 a.m., 11 people were killed and six injured when a tractor-trailer rig collided broadside into a pickup truck with three adults in the cab and 12 children crowded into its open bed, Cox said. The accident about 10 miles southeast of Snyder on U.S. 84 at FM 644, 90 miles southeast of Lubbock.

Three children, ages 5 to 12, were flown to University Medical Center in Lubbock, where they were in critical condition Sunday afternoon, a nursing supervisor said.

All of the dead and most of the injured were related, Cox said. The family was traveling from Snyder to Loraine when the accident occurred, he said.

One person was in serious condition at Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder with bruises, lacerations and a possible head injury, a hospital spokeswoman said. The two drivers suffered minor injuries, Cox said.

The Ballinger crash occurred about 2:30 a.m., when a 1981 Lincoln Town Car loaded with eight people slammed into the underside of a tractor-trailer cab overturned on Texas 158.

CRASH: Workers pull bodies

(From 1A)

Board, said at an evening news conference.

Less than two minutes later, the cockpit voice recorder picked up the sound of the plane hitting the ground, according to control-tower recordings of conversations with the pilots.

Wind shear is a sudden shift in wind speed and direction due to a rapid downward rush of cooled air. A plane flying through wind shear at low altitude would first experience a strong headwind and increased lift, then a tailwind and a sharp drop in lift.

A minute before the wind-shear alert another jet had a smooth landing, Hammerschmidt said.

But heavy rain, lightning and wind were so bad that two jets on the ground decided not to take off around the same time the USAir plane made its ill-fated landing attempt, he said.

Allan Pollock, an NTSB spokesman, said a wind-shear alert is a warning for pilots and does not mean they cannot land.

Seventeen people injured in the crash remained in the hospital Sunday, the airline said. Most of the injuries were from the impact, others were from burns and smoke inhalation. Three people were treated and released.

The plane hit the ground at about 6:40 p.m. in a clearing less than a half mile from the runway, bounced, then broke into three parts when it skidded and slammed into some large oak trees, Hammerschmidt said.

'I don't know why I'm here. When I got up, there was nobody. Everyone was either buried or not there.'

— Robert Thomas, crash survivor

The plane's flaming tail section crashed into part of an empty house, and several passengers trapped in the section on top of the house's carport were rescued.

Hammerschmidt said he didn't know why the pilot aborted the landing. Storms had reduced visibility to about a mile, said Kathleen Bergen, a spokeswoman for the Federal Aviation Administration.

It was the fourth crash in five years for USAir and the first major crash on any U.S. airline in more than two years.

The last major crash was in March 1992, when a USAir jet skidded off the runway at LaGuardia Airport during a snowstorm, killing 27 people.

All crew members of the Charlotte-bound plane survived the crash.

One survivor, James Fant, figured it just wasn't his time to die.

"I knew something bad was happening," the 34-year-old Fant said from a Charlotte hospital.

GIRL: Police find 12-year-old alive

(From 1A)

thorities issued 20,000 flyers with a picture of Katie and a composite drawing of the suspect, said police Capt. James Schick.

Police also contacted the Polly Klaas Foundation, set up by the girl's family and supporters after her abduction and murder last year. The group helped organize volunteers to search for Katie.

A man, who called himself Steve, came to the door of the upscale home where Katie lived 67 miles east of San Francisco and pretended he was interested in buying the house, which had a "For Sale" sign posted outside.

The girls' parents were out of town on vacation at the time. They returned home Sunday after learning of the abduction.

The man left after talking to Katie's 16-year-old sister, Schick said. But when the older girl left to get pizza for Katie and a visiting friend, he returned. Schick said it wasn't clear how he got into the house.

The man was still in the house when the older sister returned, Schick said.

"She was assaulted by the suspect, who had a knife and held it to her throat, and threatened her with bodily harm," Schick said of the 16-year-old.

The assailant took the 16-year-old upstairs, where Katie and her friend, also 12, were already tied up. After tying up the teen-ager, he left with Katie in the 16-year-old's car.

The 16-year-old and the friend were not harmed.

"There was a comment heard as she was taken out of the house to the effect, 'At least could I have a blanket,'" FBI agent Tom Griffin said of Katie.

The car was found abandoned near a small brush fire, which it apparently sparked. The fire was noticed by a farmer who told authorities he saw one or two people fleeing the car about 25 miles from Lodi.

When police tracked down Cochran he said, "'What's the matter? What's the matter? I don't remember anything,'" according to Hansen.

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CAPTIVE: Ex-hostage tells his tale

(From 4A)

Bob. "He just informed me he was doing everything he could do to secure my release and to keep positive," Manning said.

Another 70 days later, Manning received a second letter from his brother, and a Spanish-English Bible. "I had requested something to read," Manning said.

Having been raised in a Christian home, the Scriptures were important for Manning. "After I received that Bible I began to search out and read," he said.

"I was drawn very close to God," he recalled. "I talked to him like I'd talk to my earthly dad. And I'd get mad. . . ."

Manning also employed the Bible to make a Spanish-English dictionary; the electronic dictionary he had had drained the batteries long ago.

It was 162 days after he was kidnapped that Manning received a letter from his wife, Donna Kay Manning.

"I was overwhelmed. The emotion just struck me," he said. So much, that Manning had to seek seclusion from his captors.

The letter helped lift his spirits and dismissed one thought he had had: his wife would divorce him because of his absence.

On June 30 — the Mannings' 31st wedding anniversary — Manning remained far from home.

On day 180 — Aug. 21 — Manning turned 53 years old. He recalled writing in his journal "big deal."

During the year, holidays and family birthdays came and went.

"I tried not to think about those things. Too much pain."

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Thoughts of escape never left Manning's mind, although the idea of picking up a gun and shooting his way out diminished.

At one point, Manning would speak to the rebels about being held unjustly, attempting to appeal to their sympathy.

When left with only a few rebels, Manning considered grabbing a weapon, forcing the men to undress and remove their boots, and march them into the jungle to slow down a pursuit and prevent any killing.

Manning pictured various possibilities of freeing himself. Once — in May — he followed through.

He learned from some disgruntled rebels, who had not been compensated for their allegiance, that he would need two days of food to survive an escape.

About 11 p.m., Manning slipped out of a hut and hiked downstream along a river. Eventually he would come across a village where he could bribe someone into a canoe ride to Quibdo, he thought.

Using a flashlight, Manning traveled the river about five hours before resting. At daylight, he continued.

Manning recalled the beauty of the deep jungle, an area few if any white men would see.

Twelve hours after he escaped, while walking in the water, Manning glanced ahead and spotted two guerrillas. He moved out of the water and stayed still but was discovered.

"They seemed very happy to find me," Manning said.

Apparently, the rebels were able to make better time traveling though the jungle than along the river.

The walk back was long — about seven hours — and painful.

"I had been in the (cold) water so long, I had body cramps," Manning said.

When Manning was returned to the camp, the rebels did not punish him. Instead, they lectured him like a child for wandering off into the dangerous jungle alone.

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Declaration shines throughout the ages

On this celebration of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, it's instructive to get a glimpse of how one of the founders of this nation, John Adams, thought future generations of Americans would celebrate the historic day.

In July of 1776, Adams wrote a letter to his wife, Abigail, in which he proclaimed that future Americans would celebrate a single day in 1776 "as the most memorable in the history of America."

Adams went on to state, "It will be celebrated by succeeding generations as a great anniversary festival. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parades, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations . . . from one end of the continent to the other . . . from this time forward . . . forever more."

Adams had a good vision of how the singular event would be cheered by his future countrymen. Did he also suspect that the formula for self-government proclaimed by the men of the Continental Congress would become the guiding light for all freedom-loving people around the world? That the hopes and dreams of this nation's founders were actually the hopes and dreams of all the world's people? That the unalienable rights of which the founders spoke in the declaration — the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness — are the same that dwell in the heart and soul of all mankind?

Today, in nation after nation around the globe, Americans witness the same struggle that our forefathers overcame in 1776 when they took pen in hand and proudly affixed their signatures to that remarkable document, the Declaration of Independence, mutually pledging to each other "our Lives, our Fortunes, and our sacred Honor."

Now we share in their legacy, a legacy not for Americans alone but for all lovers of freedom throughout the world. We cherish this day and that treasured document.

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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, July 4, the 185th day of 1994. There are 180 days left in the year. This is Independence Day.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 4, 1776, the Continental Congress adopted the Declaration of Independence.

On this date:

In 1802, the United States Military Academy officially opened at West Point, N.Y.

In 1826, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson — the second and third presidents of the United States — both died, 50 years to the day after the Declaration of Independence was adopted.

In 1831, the fifth president of the United States, James Monroe, died in New York City.

In 1862, English clergyman and mathematician Charles L. Dodgson, better known as Lewis Carroll, began inventing the story of Alice in Wonderland for his friend Alice Pleasance Liddell during a boating trip.

In 1872, the 30th president of the United States, Calvin Coolidge, was born in Plymouth, Vt.

In 1894, 100 years ago, the Republic of Hawaii was proclaimed.

In 1939, in a farewell speech at New York's Yankee Stadium, baseball's Iron Horse, Lou Gehrig, called himself "the luckiest man on the face of the Earth."

In 1942, Irving Berlin's musical review "This is the Army" opened at the Broadway Theater in New York.

In 1946, the Philippines became independent of U.S. sovereignty.

In 1976, Israeli commandos raided Entebbe airport in Uganda, rescuing almost all of the passengers and crew of an Air France jetliner seized by pro-Palestinian hijackers.

Ten years ago: The Statue of Liberty's torch, symbol of freedom to tens of millions of new Americans for almost a century, was removed from the statue's outstretched hand to be replaced with a new one the following year.

Five years ago: Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev arrived in France for a three-day visit that included an address to the Council of Europe in Strasbourg.

JACK ANDERSON

Philadelphia shipyard wants Russian fleet

WASHINGTON — As the nation celebrates our independence this week, the city that helped give birth to American democracy is bracing for a Russian invasion.



Anderson

If some members of Congress get their way, one of America's oldest shipbuilding facilities could soon become the final resting place for the rusting remnants of the former Soviet Union's once-proud navy. But Pentagon documents we've obtained suggest the plan would be far more troublesome than officials are admitting.

The Philadelphia Naval Shipyard is slated to close next year after 192 years as a hub of American shipbuilding and repairs. The closure was mandated by the independent Base Closure Commission, which was created by Congress to help quell the political squabbles that inevitably arise from military downsizing. The entire effort is expected to cut more than 200,000 jobs once completed.

When the shipyard appeared on the closure list in 1991, it set off a furious scramble by Philadelphia area lawmakers to save the union jobs that will go with it. The latest idea comes from Rep. Curt Weldon, R-Pa., who is actively floating a plan to bring in Russian navy ships for dismantling and recycling. The idea sounded ingenious at first — Russia needs hard currency and has a surplus of navy ships, while the Philadelphia shipyard needs a mission to keep it operating in the post-Cold War world.

But like many ideas that are hatched in Washington, this one loses its luster when applied to the real world. At the present time, the city of Philadelphia is awaiting the results of a "feasibility study" to see if the project is viable. Weldon, who has travelled to Russia twice on behalf of the project, is confident it can be done. The Navy has also expressed its support for the study. But in a private letter sent to Weldon, Deputy Defense Secretary John Deutch offered a far more sober analysis:

"We believe the proposal to scrap Russian ships on a private basis at Philadelphia Naval Shipyard, though well-intentioned, will be exceptionally difficult, if not impossible, to implement," the May 12 letter states. "In essence, we believe the project would face serious environmental and fiscal problems. . ."

In its letter to Weldon, the Navy bases its argument on simple economics.

"Creation of a profitable and competitive operation at Philadelphia Naval Shipyard would necessarily require wages at or below the federal minimum wage rate, which is substantially lower than wages presently paid to shipyard workers," an appendix to the letter states.

The letter continues: "A rough estimate by DOD staff was made of costs and revenues of the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard proposal based on current U.S. business and environmental practice. This estimate concluded that, for dismantlement of 40 ships, costs would be approximately 1.5 times revenues, estimating a total pre-tax loss of about $30 million." The whole project, the Navy estimates, would employ between 300 and 500 workers for about two years, most of them low-cost laborers.

A Weldon spokesperson told our associate Jan Moller that the shipbreaking project is only intended to provide a temporary bridge until a more permanent use can be found for the facilities.

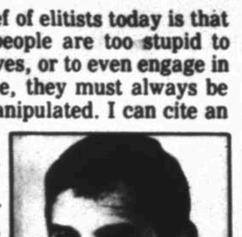
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CHARLEY REESE

Elitists think American people are stupid

The bedrock belief of elitists today is that the American people are too stupid to govern themselves, or to even engage in a discussion. Therefore, they must always be tricked or fooled or manipulated. I can cite an example from NASA.



Reese

Daniel Goldin, NASA administrator, said in a speech recently that NASA needs to set a new goal "that can integrate the space science into a simple statement that the American public can understand." He suggested as one possibility the search for a habitable planet.

In fairness to Goldin, he tossed out the idea of finding a habitable planet as an example of the kind of large goal he thinks NASA should adopt. Still, even as a suggestion, it's silly. It shows really that he's looking for a way to manipulate the public into supporting NASA because he thinks the public simply cannot understand its serious work. The idea of educating the public, rather than propagandizing them, doesn't seem to be even worthy of consideration.

One light year, the distance light travels in a year, is about 6 trillion miles. A planet 10 light years away — Goldin's suggested parameter — is then 60 trillion miles away. Since no vehicle man makes or likely can make can even approach the speed of light, the distance renders the project nonsensical.

How fast does light travel? About 286,000 miles per second. With the moon project, I believe, we hit about 19,000 miles per hour and change.

Goldin, desperate to keep federal dollars going into NASA, seems to me to be suggesting that people's fantasies, fed by science fiction books and movies, should be played upon rather than educating them about the facts of space.

The vast distances of space are much less comforting than the fantasies of science fiction, which is just a modern form of the old fairy tale. In a cube of space containing 4,096 cubic light years, there are only 17 of the estimated one trillion stars in our own little galaxy. The nearest star to our planet, Alpha Centauri, is an unreachable distance, as far as we are concerned. Around each star there are about 400 cubic light years of — nothing. Even our little trip to the moon amounts to nothing but a flea jump.

The basic facts of space are the best arguments in the world for the environmental movement. That's because the basic facts of space are there is no hope — I repeat, no hope — of human beings escaping this planet. This is it, baby. We're trapped and we're alone. Screw this one up and it's death and doom time. Goodbye humans. Extinction. No second chance. Nothing in our solar system, besides Earth, can support human life; nothing outside our solar system is within reach — now or ever.

If Mr. Goldin wants a larger vision to justify NASA's billions, I suggest that NASA become the handmaiden of agriculture, that its goal be directed 100 percent toward preservation of life on this planet. Otherwise it should be dismantled, for it can serve no other purpose useful enough to justify the resources it consumes.

The air, water and soil have to be the top priorities of all humans, because those are the only things standing between life and death. We can learn far more about preserving air, water and soil — and thus life — from American Indians than we can from your average physicist or specialist in rocket fuels.

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MIKE ROYKO

Soccer turns youths into flat-headed dwarfs

"If I don't get excited about this soccer stuff," Slats said, "does that mean I ain't a good patriotic Chicagoan?"

Well, this is a unique event for our city and the nation. The World Cup is the biggest sports event on the planet. Billions of soccer-loving foreigners will watch the contests on TV — everybody from the Armenians to the Zulus.



Royko

"So what? All that proves is that most of the world is too poor to build bowling alleys, golf courses, tennis courts or baseball fields. That's their tough luck. There's hunnerts of millions of people still ain't got indoor plumbing, but that don't mean there's something great about an outhouse. And there's hunnerts of millions who ain't got no teeth, so is there something popular about gumming your food? Besides, soccer is so boring."

That's because you don't understand the game and its many nuances and subtleties.

"What's to understand? A lot of guys named Pedro and Boris and Hwana run around in short pants playing toesy with a ball for half the day until somebody wins by a scrawny score of 1-0. Then the exciting part starts when the spectators go goofy and have a riot and trample each other. If they want good TV ratings, what they ought to do is skip the game and just have the riot. Besides, in soccer they don't have no timeouts, which is crazy."

Why are timeouts needed?

"So people can go to the john or get a beer. I guess in a lot of those foreign countries they don't have indoor plumbing or drink beer, so they don't need time to go to the john. Or maybe that's why they trample each other after the game — all 90,000 of them are trying to get to the john at once."

Like many older Americans, you don't seem to be aware that among young people in this country soccer has become the second-biggest participation sport, ranking only behind basketball. It has become bigger than baseball and football.

"Sure, I read that. But they never tell you why."

I suppose you have a theory.

"Sure. Bum knees is one reason."

Bum knees?

"Yeah. See, a lot of these suburban parents wised up. They look at football and what do they see? They see high school kids who weigh 260 pounds, and it's all muscle. There are some high school teams today that are bigger than the old-time pro teams. So these parents don't want their normal-sized kids stomped by these big galoots and end up gimping around on plastic knees. But they want their kids running around and doing something sweaty instead of sitting home playing Nintendo."

So soccer is an alternative?

"Sure. And you don't have to be real big like in football or real tall like in basketball."

But why is it more popular among young people than baseball, which is supposed to be our national pastime?

"Because it's easier than baseball. It's easier to kick a big, round ball that's sitting on the ground than to hit a fastball with a bat or to scoop up a ground ball and make a good throw to first. I mean, would Babe Ruth have been an American hero if he shuffled around in short pants and let a big ball bounce off his head?"

No, I suppose he would have looked foolish.

"That's right. And that's why soccer will never be a really popular TV sport in this country."

Why?

"Because in soccer they bounce the ball off their heads, and to Americans, it is undignified to bounce a ball off your head unless you are having a boozy back-yard party."

Now that you mention it, I can't think of one.

"See? What happens if a football player is waiting to catch a punt or a pass and it bounces off his helmet?"

The fans would hoot and jeer and shout that he is incompetent.

"And what happens if a baseball player is waiting for a flyball and it bounces off his head?

"Besides, it makes people shorter."

It does?

"Sure. That's why most foreigners are shorter than Americans. All those balls bouncing off their heads compress their necks and spines. And that worries me."

Why?

"Because if American kids keep playing soccer, they're going to get shorter and shorter. In a hunnert years, this could be nation of flat-headed dwarfs."

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Texas accident horrifies hardened rescue workers

WEATHERFORD (AP) — Blue jeans, twisted metal and other debris littered the interstate like a cluttered bedroom as crews worked to extract charred bodies from a sandwiched van Sunday.

For the hardened emergency workers, the scene was more gruesome than any they'd witnessed.

"It's definitely horrifying," said Jeff Moss, chief of the Greenwood Volunteer Fire Department. "It looked like pretty much the impact had killed most of them. That's where it really gets you, hits close to home."

Fourteen people were killed, 12 of them children, when an empty tractor-trailer rig overran and crushed a family van in the eastbound lane of Interstate 20 about 9:30 a.m. Sunday.

It took authorities nearly three hours to remove the bodies of 13 people, scorched almost beyond recognition, from the burned-out wreckage of the van. The dead, 11 children and two adults, were compressed into a space the size of a pickup truck cab.

Another child's body was found among the wreckage, thrown from the force of the accident.

"I've never dealt with anything like this before. I'm sure when I get home and start thinking about it, it'll sink in," said Lt. Bobby Baker of the Greenwood Volunteer Fire Department.

Emergency crews used a front-end loader to pry away the truck cab that had buried itself into the rear of the van. They cut the roof from the wreckage, then began the delicate, gruesome task of removing the bodies. One at a time, the bodies were extracted and placed in blue and white bags, then loaded into white vans to be transported to the Tarrant County morgue.

Throughout the day, as investigators picked through the wreckage, a slow procession of rubbernecking motorists drove past on the frontage roads onto which they had been diverted.

So great was the carnage that the National Transportation Safety Board joined a state team of investigators, said Department of Public Safety Cpl. Bobby Hart of Mineral Wells. They will be aided by laser-sighted equipment and computer animation technology to reconstruct the accident, Hart said.

The green 1977 Dodge panel van driven by Claudia Funches, 47, of Los Angeles, was en route to a family reunion in Vicksburg, Miss., when the van developed mechanical trouble, Hart said.

Ms. Funches, 47, told police she had pulled to the side of the highway when the 1977 Dodge van stalled. She restarted, pulled the van back into traffic and was hit from behind.

The collision occurred beneath a bright, scorching sun on a level straightaway, about five miles west of Weatherford and 30 miles west of Fort Worth, authorities said. It was not immediately clear whether she saw the truck thundering toward her packed van.

Ms. Funches was in critical condition at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas. The truck driver, Richie Darrell Ware, 37, of Arlington, was in good condition at Campbell Hospital in Weatherford.

Two 4-year-old boys and Nichole Funches, 21, were taken to other hospitals. One child was in good condition, while the other's condition was unknown. The woman was in stable condition.

Reports: Woman finds bloody knife at O.J.'s mansion

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A woman found a large, bloody butcher knife in bushes near O.J. Simpson's Brentwood mansion, and a suitcase was taken from the home by police, it was reported Saturday.

Police keeping watch at a barricade near the estate were given an object that could be used as evidence in the June 12 double slayings, Sgt. Jeff Hanson said at a news conference.

"The citizen handed an officer possible evidence that might be crucial in this case," Hanson said.

He refused to describe the object or say whether the discovery was a hoax. Simpson's attorney, Robert Shapiro, didn't immediately return a call seeking comment.

The Los Angeles Times reported in Sunday editions that Daniella Gonzalez said she was walking through the area like other gawkers when she came upon a polka dot blouse next to a fence a few doors from Simpson's estate.

Gonzalez said she kicked the bundle and unwrapped it, finding a knife with an approximately 8-inch steel blade attached to a brown wood handle. The knife does not resemble a German made folding knife with 6-inch blade and deer antler handle that witnesses testified Simpson bought May 3.

Gonzalez and some family members were questioned at the scene and the woman was taken from the area in a police car. The knife will be booked at the West Los Angeles police station, the Times reported.

"It's a potential piece of evidence," Officer Don Cox repeated. "It will be booked and evaluated accordingly."

Police have already had one false murder weapon find. Last week, a knife recovered from an American Airlines waste dump piqued interest, but investigators have all but ruled it out as a possible weapon.

KNBC-TV reported that police carried a suitcase from Simpson's house, and KABC-TV reported that Sara L. Caplan, a lawyer with O.J. Simpson's defense team, was walking in and out of the estate.

Police had searched intensely for the murder weapon last week along several possible routes from the murder scene to Simpson's mansion.

A witness testified at Simpson's preliminary hearing on Thursday that Simpson purchased a 15-inch knife five weeks before the murders.

Newsweek magazine reported in its latest issue that a large envelope Simpson's attorneys gave the judge on Friday contains a knife.

Simpson is charged with killing his former wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman. He has pleaded innocent.


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Conservative Justice Scalia hurls barbs with his pen

By Laurie Asseo
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Justice Antonin Scalia thinks some of the Supreme Court's opinions are irrational, disturbing or downright preposterous — and he isn't shy about saying so.

In the court's term that ended last week, Scalia stepped up his take-no-prisoners style of dissenting from decisions he considers wrongheaded. It's colorful reading for both the liberals who love to hate him and the conservatives who cheer him on.

"Today's opinion is an inspiring demonstration of just how thoroughly up-to-date and right-thinking we justices are in matters pertaining to the sexes," he wrote sarcastically when the court ruled in April that people cannot be excluded from trial juries because of their sex.

"Times and trends do change, and unisex is unquestionably in fashion," Scalia said.

Last week, when the court barred New York from operating a school district in an almost completely Hasidic Jewish village, Scalia attacked Justice David H. Souter's opinion as "preposterous" and "not a rational argument."

The ruling came "out of nowhere," Scalia said, adding, "I never heard of such a principle, nor has anyone else, nor will it ever be heard of again."

Such language may not win him votes on the court, but it's entertaining to read, said Stanford University law professor Kathleen Sullivan.

"A lot of lawyers, whether they agree with him or not, love turning to his opinions to see what fireworks he'll come up with next," she said.

"He's got a very clever pen," added American University law professor Herman Schwartz.

Although strongly worded dissents are nothing new at the high court, legal observers say some of Scalia's writing gets pretty personal.

When Justice Harry A. Blackmun announced in February he believes the death penalty is always unconstitutional, Scalia said his colleague chose one of the court's "less brutal" murder cases to reveal his change of heart.

What about the case of an 11-year-old girl who was killed after being raped by four men, Scalia wondered, adding, "How enviable a quiet death by lethal injection compared with that!"

In 1989, he wrote that Justice Sandra Day O'Connor "cannot be taken seriously" in arguing that the concept of judicial restraint barred the court from reconsidering the constitutional right to abortion in a particular case.

Souter took the trouble to fire back in the case involving the New York school district.

"Justice Scalia's dissent is certainly the work of a gladiator, but he thrusts at lions of his own imagining," Souter wrote.

Scalia's writing shows his deep convictions about what the law ought to be, said conservative legal observer Bruce Fein. Scalia, nominated to the high court by President Reagan in 1986, contends the Constitution should be interpreted according to the original intent of its authors.

The court's decision last Thursday letting judges limit protests near abortion clinics was disturbing, Scalia said, adding, "the court has left a powerful loaded weapon lying about today."

University of Chicago law professor Michael McConnell said Scalia's writing helps clarify issues, although sometimes he shows "a bit of the debater's glee" in thrusting at his colleagues.

Georgetown University law professor L. Michael Seidman credited Scalia with avoiding the "bland, institutional writing style that dominates too many Supreme Court opinions." However, even Scalia's writing is less colorful when he writes majority opinions.

But when he's writing in dissent, the conservative justice lets loose.

Last year, he compared the court's longstanding rule for interpreting the separation of church and state to "some ghoul in a late-night horror movie that repeatedly sits up in its grave and shuffles abroad, after being repeatedly killed and buried."

Criticizing his fellow justices for holding onto the rule, he said, "Such a docile and useful monster is worth keeping around, at least in a somnolent state; one never knows when one might need him."

First lady urges teachers to fight for health care

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — With all the trappings of a political convention, Hillary Rodham Clinton rallied nearly 10,000 teachers and school employees to redouble their efforts in the fight for universal health care. "The struggle to insure every American is far from over," she said Sunday.

Addressing the National Education Association's annual convention, Mrs. Clinton made no mention that a key congressional committee approved a bill Saturday that would leave millions of Americans without health insurance. But the setback to the Clinton administration plan was an undercurrent in her remarks.

"This debate will come down to whether or not the Congress of the United States is able to hear and see the problems in front of their eyes and extend health insurance coverage to every American, or whether they will hear the well-organized voices of opposition," she said.

Mrs. Clinton could not have found a more sympathetic audience. The 2.2 million-member NEA has been solidly behind the administration's plan from the start. Convention delegates were asked to flood Capitol Hill mailboxes with pre-printed postcards demanding that any health care reform bill include universal coverage and employer-paid insurance.

'She said everything I wanted to hear," said Blaine Paradise, an English and English-as-a-second language teacher at a Tucson, Ariz., middle school.

"As a teacher, we see children whose only contact with the medical profession is the school nurse, and there's not much the school nurse can do — maybe give out Band-Aids or make referrals," he said.

Children are preoccupied with their ailments, as opposed to the academic goals of the day, said Dawn Greenwood, a first-grade teacher in the Boston suburb of Reading, Mass. "As much as people thinks it just hits the inner city, it truly has extended into the suburbs."

Poll finds many Americans are less patriotic

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — Americans widely believe people in this country are less patriotic than in previous decades, according to a Gallup poll.

About two-thirds of those polled said they are extremely patriotic (21 percent) or very patriotic (43 percent). Just 28 percent said they are only somewhat patriotic and 7 percent said they are not especially patriotic.

America's Talking, NBC's all-talk cable network, commissioned the poll to use on its July 4 launch date and released results Sunday. The Gallup Organization said it interviewed 1,013 adults by phone June 17-19, and results have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The opinion that Americans are less patriotic today was held by 73 percent, regardless of age or feelings of patriotism, Gallup researchers said.

Feelings of patriotism varied by age, with the youngest adults the least likely to feel very patriotic.

Almost half of all those polled said they believe the next generation of Americans will enjoy less personal freedom than the current generation. The reasons for this pessimism vary across the population, the poll indicated.

For example, older, wealthier people are more likely than others to see government regulations as a serious threat to freedoms, while younger Americans and nonwhites are more likely to see lack of economic opportunity as a serious threat.

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Power of attorney can prevent financial ills

Simple document preparation can prevent future hassles

By Vivian Marino
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — Keeping track of personal finances probably is the least of O.J. Simpson's worries.

But it does raise the question of what happens to those who find themselves unable to manage their affairs due, for example, to a medical condition, aging, or in Simpson's case, incarceration on murder charges.

The solution in most instances is to pre-arrange what's known as a power of attorney — giving someone else the legal power to act on your behalf.

"It's a simple document to prepare ... but it's a very important part of financial planning," said Denis Clifford, co-author of "Who Will Handle Your Finances If You Can't."

"Unless you're married, no one else has authority to act on your behalf if you become incapacitated for whatever reason, be it jail, disease, or an accident," he said, noting that there are even limits to what spouses can do.

A power of attorney contract simply states who will pay bills, cash checks or invest your money and under what circumstances. You don't need court approval to have one, nor do you need to transfer title of assets.

The contract typically runs about two to four pages and can be quickly drawn up when a will or living trust are prepared, usually as part of a packaged deal.

Done separately the fee is usually less than $100. (For do-it-yourselfers: Clifford's book, published by Nolo Press in Berkeley, Calif., contains standard forms for each state. Forms also may be available in some office-supply stores.)

A power of attorney can prevent potential complications by assuring that someone trusted is handling your finances in a way you'd prefer, rather than a having a guardian or conservator appointed in a drawn-out, costly court process.

"I've seen many horror stories," said Martin M. Shenkman, a Teaneck, N.J., attorney who advises clients to make provisions for a power of attorney when they make up their will.

In his book, "The Estate Planning Guide," he recalls what happened to a widower who never bothered to do that:

"He suffered an unexpected and severe heart attack and was hospitalized for an extended duration. ... His nearest family could not access his savings, and they didn't have sufficient funds of their own to meet the expenses of maintaining his home and paying medical bills.

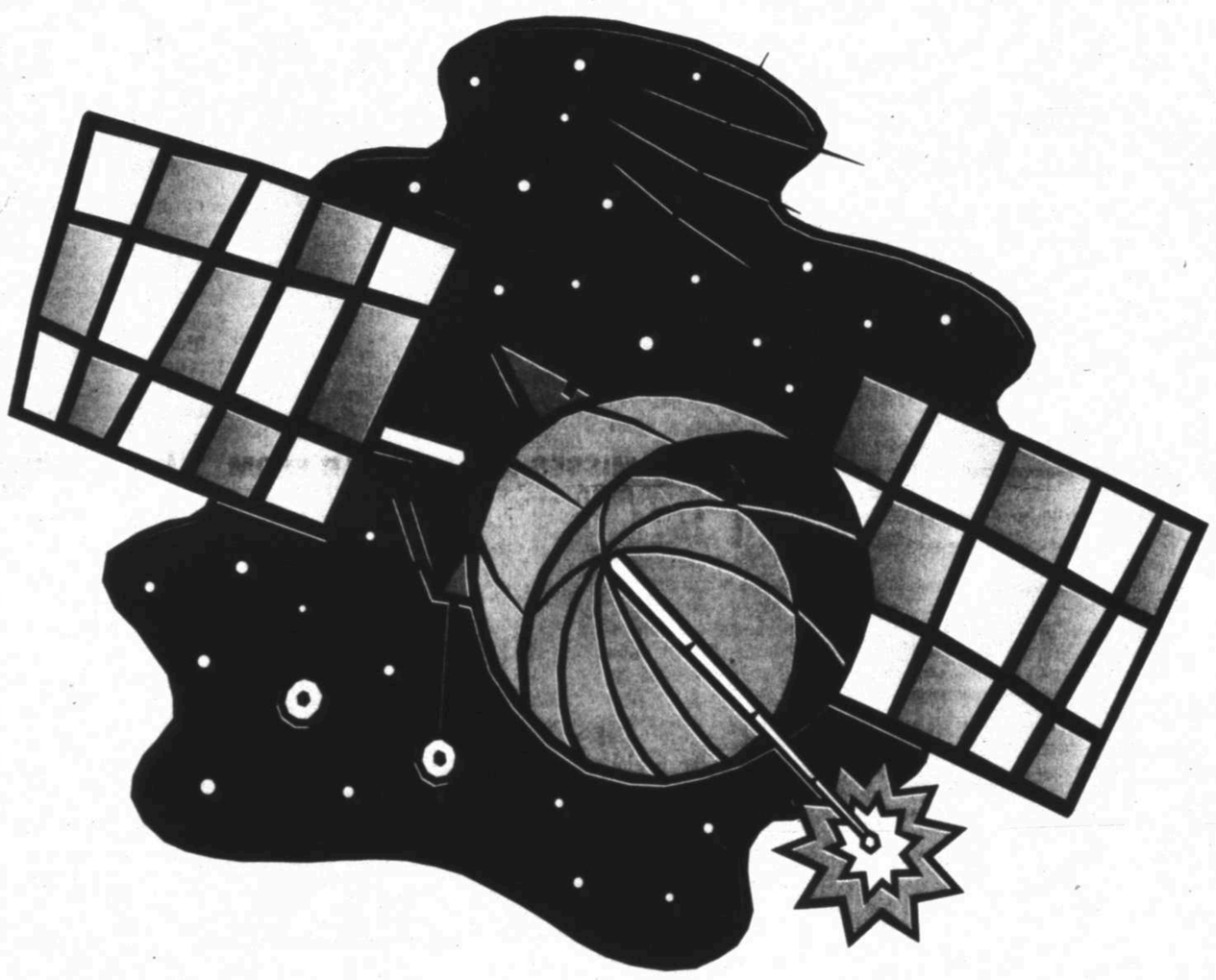
At enormous legal expense, the widower's family was forced to seek a court-appointed guardian to get access to the widower's savings.

Merely signing a person's name to a check or document won't work, says Clifford, since forgery is illegal. "You may get away with it for awhile, but at some

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Turning the page

Onslaught of pagers gets U.S. beeping



By David Dishneau
AP Business Writer

CHICAGO — An insistent sound from Allen Gordon's waist identifies him as part of a new movement in American society.

"Beepbeepbeep."

It's the pager on his belt, telling the 30-year-old shipping clerk a buddy wants to go out for a beer or his girlfriend wants him to come home.

He knows it's not his boss because he doesn't know Gordon's pager number.

"If something goes wrong at work, they can call me at home," he said.

Beepers aren't just for business any more. The little clip-on radio receivers, once the badges of service workers and professionals on call, are now marketed as communication tools for the masses.

Motorola Inc., the largest manufacturer, predicts U.S. pager subscribers, currently about 19 million, will rise to 30 million by 1997 and 50 million by the year 2000.

Many people forced to carry beepers for work consider them a pain. Technocritics call them strangling electronic leashes. But those who get beepers mainly for personal use — about half of new subscribers, according to the Washington-based re-

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How pagers work, what they cost

The Works

You call someone's pager and it beeps. Simple.

But getting the call to the pager is a technological achievement of towering proportions — literally.

Suppose you need to reach your spouse somewhere within the area covered by your local paging service. You dial your spouse's pager, a local telephone number.

The call is answered by the paging service company's computer. You punch in your phone number and hang up. The computer relays the information to a radio transmitter, which sends it to a local radio tower, which broadcasts it on the sliver of radio waveband reserved for your spouse's pager. The pager beeps and displays your phone number.

For regional and nationwide paging, the signal is sent into outer space to be bounced off a satellite and broadcast throughout the service area.

Alphanumeric paging — words and numbers — requires human intervention. The caller either types the message into a computer attached to a phone line or speaks with an operator who does the typing.

It can take as little as 15 seconds to transmit a phone number. Alphanumeric messages take longer but not usually more than three minutes.

Costs, features

A sampling of the features and costs of pagers, which can be purchased outright or rented for a few dollars a month.

BASIC COSTS:

A numeric pager with a screen that can display 10 numerals runs on a single AAA battery and costs about $60.

Numeric pagers that display up to 20 digits and store up to 16 messages range from $80 to $150.

Alphanumeric pagers, which can display letters as well as numerals, start at about $200.

ACTIVATION:

Pagers cannot work unless they are activated, or connected to a wireless paging network. You may have to pay an activation fee, typically $20.

SERVICE CHARGES

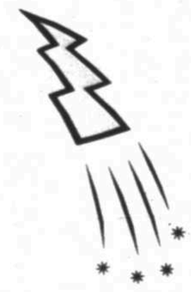
Local service for numeric pagers usually costs no more than $10 a month. Definitions of local coverage vary widely. For alphanumeric pagers, add $5 to $10.

Regional service gives you coverage in up to 13 states at fees beginning at $18 for numeric pagers. Nationwide numeric service starts at $21.

Many retailers have package deals, for example, three free months of local service, or a free pager if you buy a year's worth of service up front. Such deals offer substantial savings.

VOICE MAIL:

Paging networks also offer voice mail, which allows you to call a number to retrieve recorded messages, at costs ranging from $5 for local service to $14 for nationwide service.



MONEY WATCH

IRS exam set

Applications are now available from the Internal Revenue Service for tax practitioners who wish to take the annual IRS tax examination.

The exam helps qualify tax practitioners, other than attorneys and Certified Public Accountants, to represent their clients before the IRS for audits and related tax matters. Practitioners must have their completed applications postmarked no later than August 1.

Applicants have four years to pass all four parts of the two-day exam, provided certain conditions are met. The examination fee is $55. The fee is $45 for those who are required to take less than all four parts.

Those interested can call the IRS at 214/742-2440 or toll-free 1-800-829-1040.

Don't laugh ...

... Says Home Office Computing about bizarre businesses that some entrepreneurs have set up. The magazine found business people who build giant sand castles, sell fortune cookies with biblical verses inside and, for a price of about $3,000, write biographies of average Joes.

Perhaps the most unusual business the magazine found was the Aberdeen Historical Whorehouse Restoration Society, a Washington state company that's raising money through T-shirt and souvenir sales with a goal of buying and restoring a now-defunct brothel.

"In the world of business, the imagination is one of the forces of nature," Home Office Computing said.

No schmoozing

Executives waste an average of 20 percent of their time — one full day out of the work week — on office politics, according to a survey of 150 managers by the employment firm Accountemps.

Company founder Robert Half says politics are an inevitable part of the corporate culture. Politics have their down side, such as the subversive tactics some co-workers use to advance their careers.

But Half notes, being diplomatic and getting someone to see your point of view can produce positive results.

Baltimore maybe

When it's time to test-market an idea, Baltimore may be the best place to try it out. American Demographics magazine says the Baltimore metropolitan area comes the closest to matching the nation's psychological profile, followed by Wilmington-Newark, Del.; Brazoria, Texas; Richmond-Petersburg, Va.; and Evansville, Ind.-Henderson, Ky.

But the magazine found that despite Baltimore's usefulness to marketers and pollsters, the area was the least likely to be used in a survey.

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SMART MONEY

By Leonard Sloane
N.Y. Times News Service

Stocks' paper trail

Q: I want to sell some of the stock I bought through dividend reinvestment plans, but the paperwork has been destroyed. How can I find out how much these stocks have cost me?
— Mitchell Rothman, Atlantic Beach, N.Y.

A: The best source for this information is the transfer agent that handles each company's dividend reinvestment plan. You can usually obtain the name of the transfer agent from the corporation's investor relations office.

"The agent normally keeps dividend reinvestment transactions from day one," said Joseph Tigue, editor of Standard & Poor's annual Directory of Dividend Reinvestment Plans. "There is no charge for the information."

With duplicate statements from the transfer agent, you can determine how much you have paid for your stock.

The Standard & Poor's Corp. also has a section that provides historical dividend data. The first dividend statistic is free, but additional ones cost $5 each, with a minimum charge of $35. The charges are billed to a major credit card. Inquiries should be directed to (212) 208-1199.

Complaints about advisers

Q: Where does a client with a problem with an investment adviser go for redress?
— Ruth Unterberg, New York, N.Y.

A: Anyone who charges to provide advice on the purchase or sale of securities must register with the Securities and Exchange Commission as an investment adviser. If you have a complaint about an adviser, call the agency's consumer affairs section at (202) 942-7040.

Some states require investment advisers to be licensed as well. To find the appropriate agency in your state, call the North American Securities Administrators Association at (202) 737-0900.

"The Better Business Bureau also will mediate your dispute with an investment adviser," said Barbara Berger Opotowsky, president of the Better Business Bureau of Metropolitan New York.

Section 547 plans

Q: What are the benefits and drawbacks of a Section 457 plan?
— Sylvia Antonier Scher, Great Neck, N.Y.

A: A Section 457 plan is offered by state and local governments as a way for employees to save pretax dollars for retirement. Workers can defer as much as $7,500 or 33 1/3 percent of their taxable income, whichever is lower. Tax is due, however, when the funds are withdrawn.

"Unless there are unforeseen emergencies, these dollars cannot be withdrawn from the plan until retirement," said William Dannecker, president of Retirement System Group Inc.

"In addition, the employee may have no say in how the funds are invested, because investment options are determined by the plan sponsor."

As a participant, you cannot roll over your money into a more common 401(k) plan, which is used by private companies, or an individual retirement account. If you change jobs, rollovers are permitted only to other 457 plans.

T-Bill yields have become appealing

By Chet Currier
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — In a harsh environment for many other types of savings and investment vehicles, Treasury bills are looking pretty good right now.

The yields offered by these short-term interest-bearing securities of the federal government have jumped as interest rates have risen in recent months.

The shudders that have hit the stock and bond markets in the first half of 1994 have only served to emphasize the safety and stability of T-bills.

Treasury securities are traded in the money markets along with other "sophisticated" investments that are more familiar to professional investors than to the average citizen.

But they are readily available to public investors as well, through banks and brokers, or directly from the government in denominations as small as $10,000.

Bills are especially alluring today because their yields have risen faster than those of comparable bank certificates of deposit or even money market mutual funds.

Approaching midyear, yields on three-month bills stood at around 4.25 percent; six-month bills 4.75 percent, and one-year bills more than 5.25 percent.

By contrast, the average yield on bank CDs ranged from about 3 percent at three months to 4 percent at a year, as reported by Bank Rate Monitor.

Bank money market accounts were still paying less than 2.5 percent, and money market funds' average yield stood at around 3.75 percent.

Why the disparity? The T-bill market has responded instantly to interest-rate increases, while money funds, as always, show changes only with a lag as the securities in their portfolios mature.

Banks, not competing especially hard for deposits right now, have resisted raising the rates they pay at anything like the pace set in the open money markets.

New T-bills are sold at auction by the government on a regular schedule — three-month and six-month bills every Monday, and one-year bills every four weeks on a Thursday.

You can buy at these auctions by contacting your nearest Federal Reserve bank or branch and setting up an account in a system known as Treasury Direct. The government charges no commissions or fees.

But Treasury Direct is not set up to accommodate investors who want to buy existing securities, or to sell bills before their maturity dates.

Alternatively, you can buy and sell through a bank or broker. These institutions usually charge commissions that can vary significantly from one firm to another.

Remember, though, that brokerage commissions are negotiable. If you are a valued customer at any institution, it may be willing to reduce or waive its fee.

T-bills are among the safest credit risks in the world. Like longer-term Treasury notes and bonds, they pay interest that is exempt from state and local taxes.

Because of the way they are sold, T-bills can also be used as a tax-planning tool. When you buy a $10,000 T-bill with a nominal yield of 4 percent, you pay $9,600 and receive the face amount at maturity.

This means that your actual return is not 4 percent, but 4.2 percent. For tax purposes, it also means that you receive all the interest at maturity.

So if you buy, say, a six-month bill in August, you will receive all of the income from that bill in early 1995, and thus none of it goes into your accounts for the 1994 calendar year.

As comfortable and secure as they may be, T-bills do have a downside. They don't protect your future cash flow from declines in interest rates, since you must reinvest at market rates each time a T-bill you own matures.

They offer very limited prospects for growth and inflation protection.

POWER: Some handle affairs while incapacitated

(From 1B)

point someone might ask, 'What happened to Uncle Joe's money?'"

Wealthy individuals often will give power of attorney to financial advisers or managers.

"I'm sure Simpson already has someone who pays his bills and handles his investments given the size of his estate," said Shenkman.

The football Hall of Famer has pleaded innocent to charges he murdered his ex-wife and her male friend. He has remained jailed without bail since June 17.

Incarceration doesn't necessarily prevent individuals from handling their financial affairs, though it can be difficult if their activities are greatly restricted or nearly impossible if assets are frozen.

"It depends on what they're in jail for," said Benjamin T. White, an Atlanta lawyer specializing in estate planning.

"I'm sure someone like Michael Milken would continue to have some type of ability to work from jail," he said, referring to junk bond pioneer Milken, who served time in a minimum-security prison in California for securities fraud.

There are different types of power of attorney contracts. A standard one can be drawn up to handle specific business only. For instance, a homebuyer unable to attend a real estate closing may give power of attorney to a lawyer or a spouse; a couple taking a one-month trip around the world may transfer bill-paying authority to a son or daughter.

A durable power of attorney, on the other hand, remains effective until the death of the person who created it, even if that person becomes incapacitated.

Special arrangements also should be made with financial institutions since many banks or brokerage houses require clients fill out their company forms as well, said White.

"If you just take a power of attorney to a bank or a brokerage firm ... you will find they resist it vigorously," he said.

Shenkman offers additional advice: Make financial records available to your designated guardian, known legally as the attorney-in-fact.

He recalls one client who gave power of attorney to his daughter, but neglected to tell her where he kept his money. That omission was discovered when she and her sisters needed tuition money while he was hospitalized on life support, unable to communicate.

"They ransacked the house, dumping out drawyers and looking through filing cabinets to find old bank books," Shenkman said. "They spent weeks on the phone."

PAGERS: Marketers appeal to younger set

(From 1B)

search firm Economic and Management Consultants Inc. — say their beepers set them free.

Their spreading popularity is partly due to a multimillion-dollar industry campaign promoting beepers as a way for busy people to stay in touch with friends and family.

"Motorola's pagers answer everyone's needs," the company boasts in a pamphlet that lists 100 possible beeper uses. ("When the baby sitter needs to reach you when you're out." "The golf course can notify you when your tee time is ready.")

Pagerman, a character in a Motorola comic-and-coloring book, tells readers: "Remember kids — pagers are the best way to stay in touch with the people you love."

Teen-agers and twentysomethings need no convincing. Colorful, affordable, available at malls and simple to operate, beepers are hip accouterments among the young. Marketers say people 35 or younger account for up to 80 percent of retail pager sales, a booming business that barely existed before 1991.

Part of beepers' appeal for some is a gritty urban cachet derived from their use by drug dealers, an association the pager industry and parents detest.

Twenty-year-old Lila, who wouldn't give her last name, said she's on her third pager in two years. Her parents keep taking them away.

"My mother thinks it's for drug dealers," sighs Lila, who uses her beeper to communicate with friends.

While kids are prohibited from wearing pagers in many schools for the same reason, some districts concede their usefulness. The school board in Manassas, Va. banned them last fall, but makes exceptions for emergencies such as a student with a critically ill parent.

Busch's Seafood Restaurant in Delray Beach, Fla. is one of a growing number of eateries that hand pagers out to customers waiting for tables. Diners can visit nearby stores and still be reached when their tables are ready.

"They thought it was a little strange at first. Now they're so common it's not a novelty," says Audra Branscombe, the restaurant's secretary.

Waiters at La Casita restaurant in Milwaukee carry soundless vibrating pagers that tell them their orders are up.

Brian Marks, co-owner with his father, Al, of a chain of pager stores in Chicago-area malls, said a customer bought a pair of beepers for his 4-year-old twins so he could page them in from the back yard.

Patti Edstrom of Elk Grove, Calif., uses her pager to stay informed about the blood-sugar levels of her diabetic 4-year-old daughter. The babysitter relays any unusual readings to Mrs. Edstrom at work.

Her story won the $1,000 grand prize in an industry-sponsored contest to find novel uses for beepers. Among the other entries: a man whose martial arts instructor sends him codes that tell him which exercises to practice, and a man who put a beeper on his dog's collar to call the pooch home.

A basic pager is smaller than a cigarette pack and costs less than $100 plus a monthly service charge starting around $10. A caller dials the pager number and punches in his or her own phone number. The pager then beeps or silently vibrates and displays the phone number the wearer should call.

Costlier models display both words and numbers. Paging services also offer voice mail, which allows the caller to leave a recorded message that the pager subscriber can retrieve.

Shoppers face a dazzling array of pagers. Motorola, based in the Chicago suburb of Schaumburg, offers its Lifestyle Plus and Bravo Express units in a rainbow of colors like Bimini Blue, Totally Teal and Ultraviolet.

Users can choose plastic or leather holsters to protect their pagers and buy gold chains to secure them.

A Swatch wristwatch pager introduced in the United States this spring is selling phenomenally well, said Amy Edelson, a spokeswoman for the Swiss watchmaker.

New technology promises pagers that can record voice messages and communicate with each other. Pager jewelry, which received an honorable mention in a Motorola student design contest in April, may be next.

Motorola aims to make paging as commonplace in the United States as it is in Hong Kong, said Julie Greene, a Motorola pager advertising executive.

"In a lot of Asian countries, everybody in the family has a pager and they communicate with pagers. They set up family code books. It's very much a tool for everyday use," she said.

But some admit that personal paging can get out of hand.

"I get 500 pages every two weeks," says Grace Chung, a business student who works part-time at a pager store. "I gave the number to a small number of people and it just spread. I was ready to shoot the thing or throw it out the window."

Technology historian John Staudenmaier of the University of Detroit Mercy also calls beepers a mixed blessing.

He said beepers help people maintain relationships in a world that often requires separation from loved ones, but instant communications leave no time "to ruminate, to savor the information for a while, to think about what kind of response you want to make."

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Reducing mortgage interest payments

By Bill Doyle


Doyle

Q: I always thought all I have to do to reduce the unpaid principal of my mortgage or home equity loan is send the lender a check stating "use this toward the principal balance only" and request an updated statement of the mortgage balance. Am I wrong? Is there some new and better method for paying off the principal amount, shorten the term of my mortgage and reduce total interest payments?

I ask because I attended a real estate investment seminar at which sending in extra payments was recommended as a way to shorten a mortgage and "save as much or more than the original loan." The man conducting the seminar would provide details only to those who signed up for his course – at a cost of several hundred dollars.

A: There are a number of ways to accomplish what you have in mind, thus paying off the loan early and saving a bundle of interest. You do it any time you send in extra payments, which are used to reduce the amount you owe.

The method you have been using, with instructions that the extra money be applied to reduce the loan's unpaid balance, is a good one.

And it is wise to ask for an updated statement on the loan's balance every time you pay extra money on the loan -- either as a separate payment or by adding money to your monthly payment. That way, you can check to be sure the additional money you pay is used to reduce your loan balance.

Many mortgage lenders do this automatically. But some have been known either to "forget" to credit extra payments or, more likely, to hold all the extra payments until they equal the loan's unpaid balance.

Another popular method homeowners use is to "double up" on the principal payment in each monthly check you send to the lender. Although that won't amount to much money during the early years of a 30-year mortgage, it will result in a huge reduction in total interest payments.

Summed up, you save big bucks any time you pay off a debt early. And, assuming there is no prepayment penalty written into your loan agreement, it won't cost the "several hundred dollars" being asked by that character who ran the investment seminar you attended.

Q: Can you explain the advantages of making biweekly mortgage payments?

A: There are two principal advantages: You pay off the loan much sooner than you would with a regular 30-year mortgage, and your total interest payments are much lower.

On a biweekly payment mortgage, your payments are calculated as if the loan were going to last 30 years. However, rather than making a payment monthly, you make half of the monthly payment every two weeks. Over a year's time, you have made the equivalent of 13 monthly payments.

And, because those 13 payments reduced your unpaid mortgage balance faster than 12 monthly payments would have, the amount of interest you pay is greatly reduced.

Q: The bank holding the 30-year mortgage on our home says we would have to refinance, at a cost of several thousand dollars, in order to obtain a 15-year regular mortgage or a biweekly payment mortgage, either of which would save us a great deal of money.

How can we get out of this trap? Our mortgage does not have a prepayment penalty.

A: Start adding money to your monthly mortgage payments. And check to make sure the extra money you send in is being used to reduce the principal of your mortgage loan.

By doing that, it won't be long before you see that mortgage's unpaid balance start – and continue – to come down. When that happens, you will be paying less interest because the mortgage's unpaid balance will be steadily reduced.

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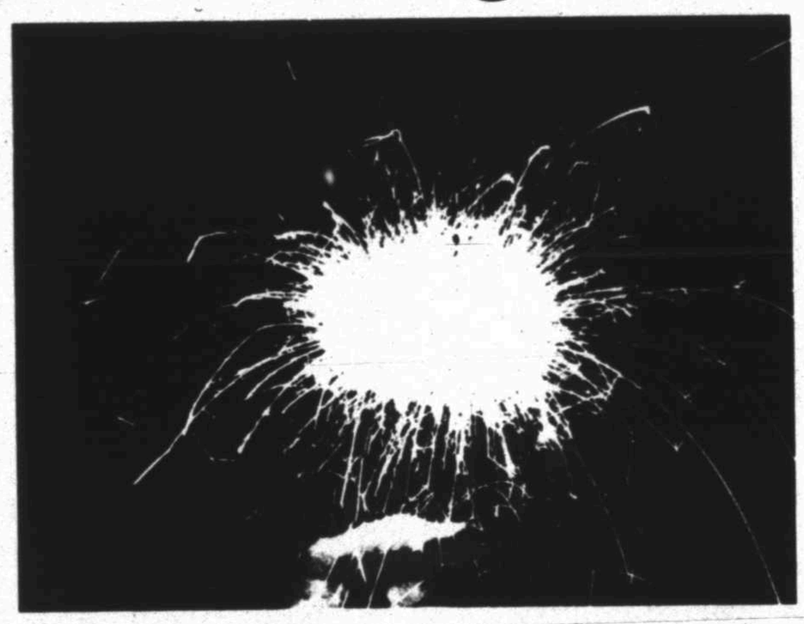
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LEFT: This assortment of potent fireworks is available at Truckload Fireworks on Highway 191 between Midland and Odessa. RIGHT: Anna Morin has been cranking out July Fourth sweets at the Furr's Supermarket on Illinois Avenue.

"I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward for evermore."

— John Adams, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence

On July 4, 1776, Congress adopted the Declaration of Independence; in 1941, July 4 was declared a legal federal holiday.

Today, Americans celebrate the country's birthday — Independence Day or the Fourth of July — much the way our second president envisioned.

For many that means flying flags, shooting fireworks, eating barbecue, and gathering with family.

At Truckload Fireworks — one of several firework stands outside of the city limits — more than 100 different pyrotechnic wonders are for sale, ranging from a quarter for three small packs of firecrackers to $89.99 for a "blockbuster assortment."

People buy fireworks for the tradition, the patriotism, said firework vendor Kim Guynn.

"I think it's part of the Fourth of July tradition. It's like turkey on Thanksgiving," she said.

A more solemn approach to celebrate the day is to hang the red, white and blue.

"They want to show they're part of the good ones. That's what I think," said George Leach, owner of Imperial Flag & Banner.

His store sells a variety of flags from "toothpick size" — ¾-inch by 1½-inch — to 20-feet by 30-foot.

Some folk prefer to show off their patriotism in a more personal way — on a T-shirt.

At Trendy T's at Midland Park Mall, customers can chose from about 25 different transfers that sport a Fourth of July theme, according to salesperson Natalie Cano.

"We had one lady come in and say she had to have one for a Fourth of July party," Ms. Cano said.

Some Independence Day displays are edible.

At the Cookie Bouquet in Fairmont Park shopping center, customers can have made to order a decorative cookie basket with flags and an Uncle Sam bear.

Owner Debra White said people want such displays "cause it's cute."

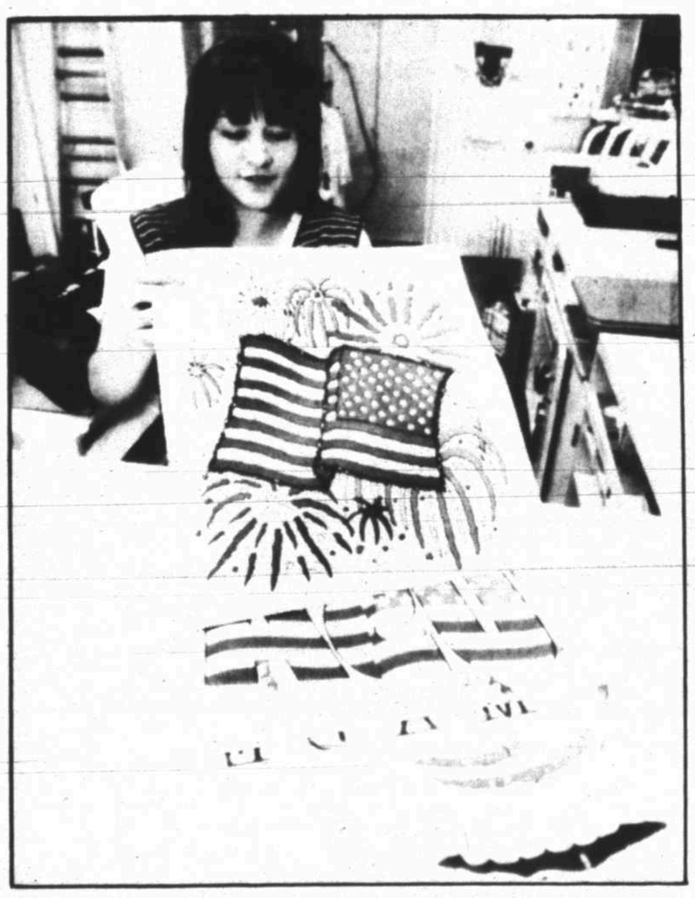
"I imagine a lot of people who have parties, barbecues, this would be a great centerpiece," she said referring to a cookie bouquet being made by employees James and Rhonda Smith.

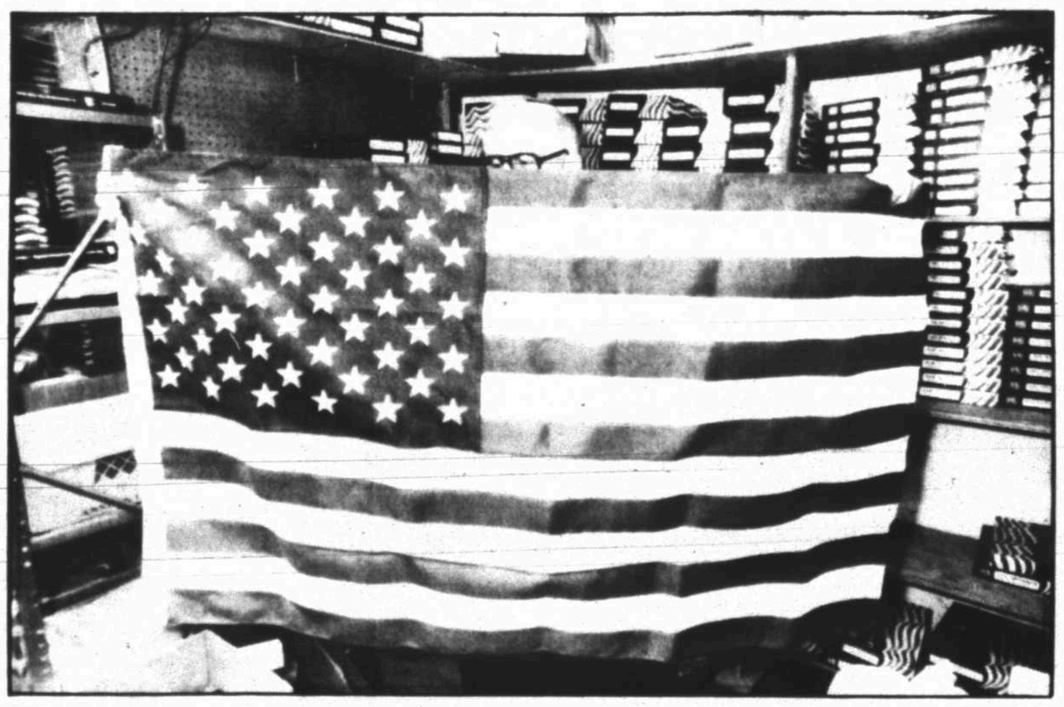
At the Furr's grocery store on Illinois Avenue, the bakery prepared cakes and cupcakes with Fourth of July decorations.

Bakery manager Adrian Martinez said sweets with holiday themes — like for Independence Day — are always "very popular."



Rhonda Smith decorates a shortbread Uncle Sam bear with icing at Cookie Bouquet, one of many local businesses catering to July Fourth's patriotic spirit.





LEFT: Natalie Cano of Trendy T's displays patriotic transfers. ABOVE: George Leach of Imperial Flag & Banner shows off one of his flags.

Photos by Brian Adamcik
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DEATHS

T.R. Holley

LAMESA — Services for T.R. Holley, 85, of Welch are set for 3 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Terry Horton officiating. Burial will be at the Lamesa Memorial Park. Arrangements are with Branon Funeral Home in Lamesa.

Holley died Sunday in Lamesa.

He was born Oct. 22, 1908 in Jones County.

He married Pearl Hurt in 1931. She preceded him in death in December 1977.

He married Cornelia Thompson on March 14, 1977 in Welch.

Holley came to Welch from Jones County in 1921.

He was past president of the Brotherhood of the Lamesa Baptist Association, a deacon and he served as chairman of the deacons at the First Baptist Church in Welch, was on the Welch School Board for several years, and serve don the Dawson School Equalization Board.

Survivors include his wife, Cornelia Holley of Welch; a son, Raymond Eugene Holley of Midland; two daughters, Murlene Belt of Iralou, and Sidney Willems of Andrews; and a sister, Opal Winter of Nocona.

Pallbearers will be Troy Howard, Ira Jeter, Bob Campbell, Floyd Davis, Donovan Phipps and Cliff Hudgins.

Honorary pallbearers will be Frank Wilson and Custer Leatherwood.

Opal Blain

ODESSA — Services for Opal Christine Blain, 75, of Odessa will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at Sunset Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Bob Bratcher officiating.

Ms. Blain died Saturday at an Odessa hospital.

She was born Sept. 5, 1918 in Talco. She married Vernon Blain.

Survivors include a son, Jim Blain of Odessa; three brothers, Aubrey Harris of Odessa, Glen Harris of Talco, and Gerald Harris of Austin; two sisters, Faye Whitley of Brownwood, and Dorothy Stockton of Talco; and two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Hattie Johnson

Services for Hattie Mae Johnson, 68, are pending with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home.

Ms. Johnson died at ther home after a sudden illness Saturday morning.

Survivors include three sons, Claudie Johnson Jr. of Fort Worth, Willie Richardson of Midland, and Martin Johnson of Midland; six daughters, Connie Niblett of Midland, Kathy Whiteside of Midland, Jolene Ballard of Dallas, Penny Johnson of Dallas, Peggy Johnson of Midland, and Renee Mae Johnson of Midland; and nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mary Merritt

Services for Mary Merritt are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Sunday afternoon at a Midland hospital.

Billy Lee

Services for Billy Joe Lee are set for 9 a.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Randy Fenter of the Golf Course Road Church of Christ officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Lee died early Saturday morning at his residence.

Pallbearers will be Johnny Rister, Jim Click, Eddie Ramos, Dennis Bishop, Bill Smith and Fred Blount.

The family request memorials be directed to the Benevolent Fund at Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Stella Woody

Services for Stella Osie Woody have been set for 11 a.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Randy Fenter of Golf Course Road Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Ms. Woody died Thursday at a local hospital.

Survivors include six nephews, Houston Woody of Stanton, Pete Woody of Stanton, John Cal Woody of Midland, John Woody of San Antonio, Jack Kenney of Carlsbad, N.M., and James Kenney of Carlsbad; a niece, Joyce Perkins of Bryan; and a great-niece, Kathileen Locke of Mountain Home.

Pallbearers will be the nephews. Honorary pallbearers will be Robert Perkins, Jimmy W. Kenney and David Woody.

DEAR ABBY

Flag deserves all its 'Old Glory'

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR READERS: Have you noticed that in recent years there seem to be fewer patriotic Americans flying "Old Glory" on Flag Day, Memorial Day and the Fourth of July?



Van Buren

Perhaps this moving piece will stir others to action as it did me.

YOUR FLAG

Hello. Remember me? Some people call me Old Glory, others call me the Star-Spangled Banner, but whatever they call me, I am your flag, the flag of the United States of America.

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I remember some time ago, people would line up on both sides of the street to watch the parade, and naturally I was leading every one, proudly waving in the breeze.

When your daddy saw me coming, he immediately removed his hat and placed it against his left shoulder so that his hand was directly over his heart — remember?

And you, I remember, were standing there, straight as a soldier. You didn't have a hat, but you were giving the right salute. Remember your little sister? Not to be outdone, she was saluting the same as you with her right hand over her heart — remember?

What happened? I'm still the same old flag. Oh, I've added a few more stars since you were a boy, and a lot more blood has been shed since those parades of long ago.

But now, somehow I don't feel as proud as I used to feel. When I come down your street, you just stand there with your hands in your pockets. You may give me a small glance, and then you look away. I see children running around you shouting; they don't seem to know who I am.

I saw one man take his hat off, then he looked around, and when he didn't see anybody else take off his hat, he quickly put his on again.

Is it a sin to be patriotic today? Have you forgotten what I stand for, and where I have been? Anzio, Guadalcanal, Korea and Vietnam!

Take a look at the memorial honor rolls, and see the names of those patriotic Americans who gave their lives to keep this republic free. When you salute me, you are actually saluting them.

Well, it won't be long until I'll be coming down your street again. So when you see me, please stand straight and place your hand over your heart, and I'll know that you remembered. I'll salute you by waving back!

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I know that the above is not nearly as important as whether the North Koreans have nukes or not, but I thought you would like to know. — CHARLES SIGARUSA, COLONEL (RETIRED), U.S. ARMY, SPRING, TEXAS

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Sunday

Burglary of a vehicle: Entry through an unlocked door of a vehicle at 1303 Pratt Ave. was reported by Diane Gonzalez at 3:44 a.m. It was unknown what may have been taken.

Stolen vehicle: A 1986 Cadillac was taken from the parking lot of the Ramada Inn, 3312 S. County Road 1276. The incident was reported at 7:35 a.m.

Vandalism: Windows were broken out of a vehicle at 4301 Raleigh Court, reported Linda Horn at 11:02 a.m.



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Milwaukee Brewers at Chicago White Sox, 6 p.m., WGN.

Pittsburgh Pirates at Atlanta Braves, 6:35 p.m., WTBS.

Toronto Blue Jays at Kansas City Royals, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

Detroit Tigers at Texas Rangers, 7:30 p.m., HSE.

Montreal Expos at Los Angeles Dodgers, (joined in progress), 9:30 p.m., ESPN.

WORLD CUP — Ireland vs. Netherlands at Orlando, Fla., 10:55 a.m., ESPN.

United States vs. Brazil, from Palo Alto, Calif., 2:30 p.m., ABC.

CYCLING — Tour de France, Day Two highlights, 1:30 p.m., ESPN.

Texas Scores

BASEBALL — Texas Rangers 5, Detroit Tigers 3.

Houston Astros 12, Chicago Cubs 6.

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels 9, San Antonio Missions 0.

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TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at San Antonio Missions, 5:50 p.m. RADIO: KCRS (550 AM).

LOCAL GOLF — Midland Country Club Stroke Play Championship, 8 a.m., MCC.

FBI probes Baylor

HOUSTON — The FBI has subpoenaed documents obtained by the Southwest Conference during its investigation of the Baylor basketball program, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

The newspaper, citing unidentified sources familiar with the case, said the documents were subpoenaed as part of an FBI investigation of former Baylor star Jerome Lambert.

The sources told the Chronicle that the FBI wants to know how Lambert turned in a term paper he did not write for course credit at an Arkansas junior college last spring.

Lambert, who transferred from Westark Community College to Baylor last year, has told SWC investigators he received the paper from Troy Drummond, then a coach at the Arkansas school.

Former Baylor women's basketball coach Pam Bowers told the SWC that a paper matching the one turned in by Lambert was wired to Westark by the Baylor basketball office.

FBI agents in Waco are seeking the documents to determine whether the alleged scheme violated federal wire fraud statutes, according to the sources. The documents were subpoenaed about six weeks ago, the sources said.

FBI spokeswoman Juanita Benavides on Friday declined comment.

"I can neither confirm nor deny any of that at this point," Benavides said.

Drummond, who worked as an assistant coach at Baylor until his resignation on April 17, said he was aware of the FBI interest but believed authorities had decided not to pursue the matter.

"I was told by my attorney that it was looked into and dropped," Drummond said.

Neither Baylor coach Darrel Johnson nor David Cherry, Drummond's Waco attorney, returned telephone calls to the Chronicle.

On June 24, Baylor officials acknowledged receiving a 544-page report from the conference that detailed an eight-month investigation. The school has refused to disclose or discuss the report's contents.

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Ken Griffey Jr.'s six-million-plus votes breaks the all-time record held by Rod Carew.

Griffey Jr. leads fan balloting

By Dick Brinster
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK — While a record-setting All-Star vote stands as proof that Ken Griffey Jr. is the most popular player in baseball, the idea that he transcends rooting interests was established before the ballots were counted.

"I got intentionally walked a couple of weeks ago in California, and they booed," the Seattle Mariners outfielder said Sunday after being chosen as an American League

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Pete repeats Wimbledon feat

■ Top-seed Pete Sampras wears down Goran Ivanisevic in straight sets to claim his second Wimbledon crown.

By Steve Wilstein
AP Tennis Writer

WIMBLEDON, England — Pete Sampras didn't just beat Goran Ivanisevic, he demoralized him, forced him to surrender unconditionally, provoked him to throw away his racket in disgust.

In a tour de force of power tennis — ace after ace, volley after volley, and not a rally longer than six shots — Sampras extended his dominance of the men's game by winning a second straight Wimbledon championship Sunday.

If there was monotony in the match, Sampras could hardly be blamed. He played brilliantly throughout the 7-6 (7-2), 7-6 (7-5), 6-0 victory in one of the finest performances of a career that has already earned him five Grand Slam titles at age 22. He showed all the elements of a complete player, serving 17 aces, volleying efficiently, and exhibiting both strength and a deft touch.

Nor could Ivanisevic be criticized for the way he played the first two sets, holding serve all the way through both, only to lose in the tiebreakers. He served 25 aces, 24 before capitulating in the third set.

But unlike the women's final on Saturday when Conchita Martinez beat Martina Navratilova, there was never a sense of tension and rarely a show of emotion. Sampras did crouch and scream while pumping his fists when he broke Ivanisevic to take a 4-0 lead in the third set, and he celebrated the victory by tossing his racket high into the stands. But most of the time they seemed like tennis robots, players without souls, in a match that pushed tennis to the limits of power and tedium.

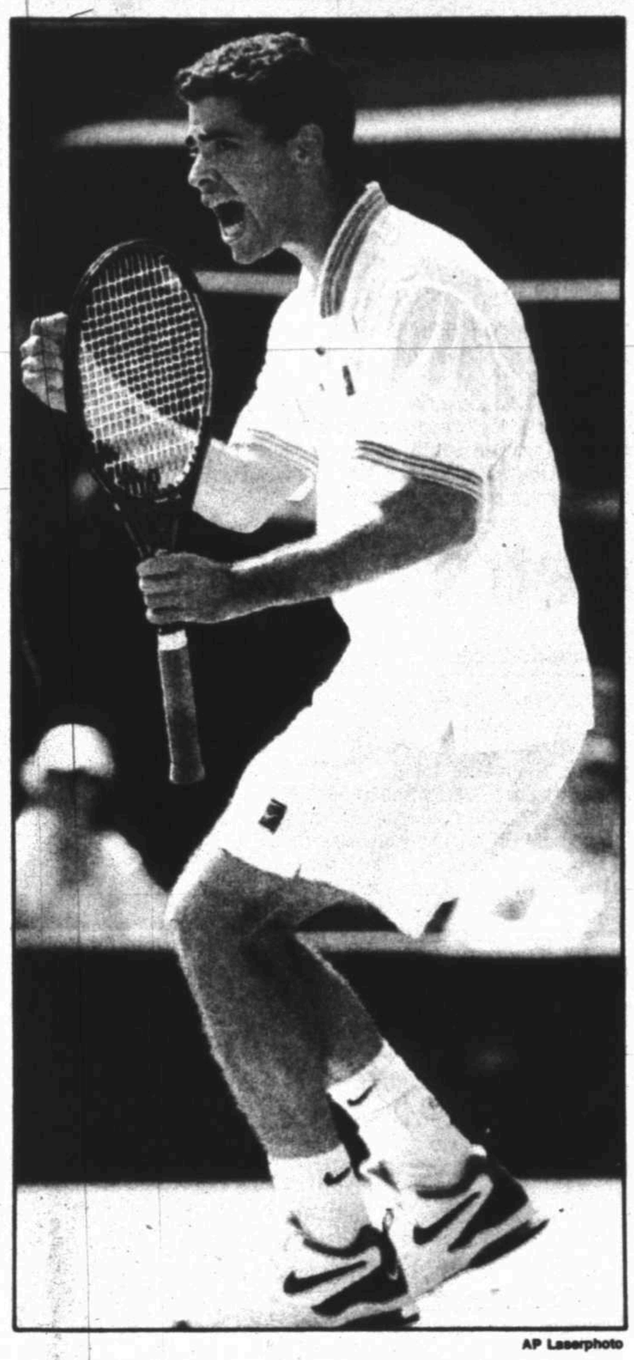
Even Princess Diana couldn't sit through it all. She left the Royal Box at the start of the third set as it became clear to everyone that Ivanisevic had unraveled. She stayed away until the final game, watching the last points from the stairwell before taking her seat for the awards ceremony.

The other guests in the Royal Box diplomatically stayed seated, including U.S. Secretary of State Warren Christopher and the prime minister and deputy prime minister of Croatia. Ivanisevic, the runner-up in 1992, had hoped to become the first Croatian to win Wimbledon.

The spectators responded to most of the match with yawns and polite applause.

"Do you want the truth? I thought it was rubbish," said Eric Page of Bristol, England, reflecting the views of many. "It was absurd. There were absolutely no big rallies. It was all a waste of time. It was a far better match when Ivanisevic played An-

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AP Laserphoto

American Pete Sampras makes short work of Goran Ivanisevic, winning 7-6, 7-6, 6-0 at Wimbledon Sunday. For Sampras it is his fifth Grand Slam title and his second consecutive Wimbledon title.

1994 WORLD CUP SOCCER

Death tarnishes Cup as second round begins

U.S. meets Brazil

By Ronald Blum
AP Sports Writer

STANFORD, Calif. — With American flags filling the stands, fireworks flying through the air and Independence Day festivities spanning the nation from sea to shining sea, the United States will try to make soccer history Monday.

A second-round game with Brazil on the Fourth of July seems like something out of a movie script — haven't they been playing that music from "Rocky" before games?

■ **World Cup '94 updates and scores can be heard on CITYLINE, 560-2400, Categories 8096-8098.**

"If we win tomorrow, people will think of us as a team that can play in the World Cup and win the World Cup," goalkeeper Tony Meola said Sunday. "People will be wondering how far this team can go."

In the last few years, the United States proved it's capable of upsets now and then. However, a first-round victory over Colombia is one thing. The chance for victory in the knockout phase against the most storied national soccer team on the planet has players' heads filled with red-white-and-blue dreams of glory.

"It's the greatest opportunity of our lives," defender Paul Caligiuri said.

Never before has the United States played an international soccer match on July 4. For many American sports fans, it will be the first time they've ever watched a soccer game on television.

Even President Clinton will be watching on television from Camp David with wife Hillary and daughter Chelsea, the family soccer player.

"The whole country is just carried away by your success," the president told the team during a telephone

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AP Laserphoto

Americans John Harkes (foreground) and Tab Ramos (center) waves to the crowd as the U.S. soccer team arrives to face Brazil in the second round of the World Cup today at Palo Alto, Calif. Roy Wegerle is shown in the background.

Fans mourn death

By Barry Wilner
AP Sports Writer

As slain soccer star Andres Escobar was buried Sunday, with more than 10,000 mourners paying tribute, Colombian police made two arrests in the shooting that has shaken the World Cup.

And the specter of gambling as a motive was presented by authorities in Medellin, where Escobar was killed Saturday.

Even while Sweden and Romania were advancing to the World Cup quarterfinals, attention focused on Colombia. Police said Escobar was shot six times by the driver of a man who reportedly lost money betting on the Colombian team. Escobar, a defender, inadvertently kicked the ball into his own net in a 2-1 loss to the United States.

The driver, Humberto Munoz Castro, pulled a gun and shot Escobar after his boss, Santiago Gallon Henao, argued with the player about the own-goal. Police said a gun had been recovered and was being tested by ballistics experts.

Coaches and some players have said they won't be back with the national team. Coach Francisco Maturana resigned after the World Cup, although that had been planned.

"I don't want to return to the squad if it means an error on the field will cost me my life," forward Ivan Valenciano.

President Cesar Gaviria attended the funeral and pleaded for an end to the senselessness.

"Today, the violence appears even more irrational," Gaviria said.

Chants of "justice, justice" erupted from the crowd during eulogies for Escobar.

More than 100,000 mourners had flocked to the city's basketball stadium, where the body lay in a wooden cas-

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MIKE BUTTS

Murder puts World Cup in perspective

Bill Buckner is alive today. So is Scott Norwood. And Chris Weber. And Jackie Smith.

There's a new appreciation for those athletes having the the rest of their lives to live out, because Andres Escobar doesn't have his.



Butts

All the above players did something in sporting events that cost their teams chances to win important games. They all were harassed by fans. Some of them still struggle with the legacy of their mistakes.

But not Escobar. Shot to death in a Medellin, Colombia parking lot Saturday morning, the Colombian soccer player will have no more nightmares about the own goal he made that let a soccer team win a soccer game.

The World Cup games aren't the same now. It's hard to get excited about, derive enjoyment from something that spurned such horror. What might happen to the next goal keeper who drops a save ? The next striker who blows an easy chance for a goal ?

The replay of Escobar's own goal has become sickening to watch. That innocent mistake, made in a sporting event, led to a person's death. An agonizing miscue bacame a death warrant.

My first reaction was to think extreme actions were needed. Postpone the World Cup for a day. Banish Colombia from the event forever, to deter similar tragedies. But that would punish a nation for the act of a madman.

Maybe Colombia has already received its punishment. How many own goals would Colombian soccer fans now trade for Escobar's life?

The circumstances of Escobar's murder magnify the evil in our world: the sickness of the drug tade possibly behind the murder. And the idiocy of big-time gambling. Escobar's murderer apparently blamed an athlete for the fact that he was foolish enough to lose a large sum of money on a soccer bet. In that case, it would have made more sense for the murderer to shoot himself.

The tragedy also emphasizes the senselessness of violence in general. Every day people are murdered for things even more meaningless than soccer games.

Saturday morning in Medellin, a gunman showed the world just how meaningless soccer games are.

Mike Butts is a sports writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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ALL STARS: Former Midlanders make All-Star squad

(From 1C)

starter for the fifth consecutive year. "Then, when I got the home run record, they all stood up and cheered."

The record to which Griffey was referring came when he hit his 31st homer, on June 22 — breaking Babe Ruth's mark for the most prior to the end of June. Now, with 32 home runs at the midpoint of the season, the 24-year outfielder's obvious target is Roger Maris' 1961 record of 61 homers.

But the modest Griffey, whose 6,079,688 votes surpassed the record 4,292,740 Rod Carew got in 1977, doesn't look at the countdown to Maris from a personal perspective.

"This home-run thing is pretty good because it puts interest back in baseball," he said.

Former Midland Angel Dante Bichette, now wth the Colorado Rockies and past Midland Cub Lee Smith, now with the Balitmore Orioles were named to the All-Star by thier respective managers.

The top vote-getter in the National League was Ozzie Smith of the St. Louis Cardinals, back as a starter after a one-year hiatus. Barry Larkin was voted in at shortstop last year, breaking Smith's 10-year hold on that position. Smith got 3,514,824 votes.

Smith credited his selection to longevity, reputation and the conscience of the fans.

"I think its the fans way of saying 'Thank You,' and I'm very appreciative of it in view of last year," he said.

His AL counterpart is Baltimore's Cal Ripken Jr., who received 5,127,994 votes and will be starting for the 11th straight season. In 1988, top vote-getter Alan Trammell of Detroit was injured and Ripken moved into the starting spot.

The selections for the game, to be played July 12 in Pittsburgh, were announced on national television. The NBC broadcast was the first of its kind for major league baseball, which in the past has simply issued a press release to announce the teams.

Kirby Puckett of the Minnesota Twins, the MVP of the AL's 9-3 victory last year at Baltimore, was voted to an outfield berth for the third straight year. Puckett, named on 2,722,255 ballots, will be making his ninth appearance in the game and still hustling for the AL cause.

The other starters selected for AL were first baseman Frank Thomas of the Chicago White Sox (2,833,502 votes), second baseman Roberto Alomar (3,675,730) and outfielder Joe Carter (3,683,682) of the Toronto Blue Jays, and catcher Ivan Rodriguez of the Texas Rangers (2,350,031).

Outfielder Barry Bonds of the San Francisco Giants, a three-time NL MVP, was chosen to start his third straight All-Star Game. He got 3,120,268 votes, and was joined by teammate Matt Williams.

Williams, who unseated Miami's Gary Sheffield at third base, leads the NL with 30 home runs. He got 2,266,133 votes.

Catcher Mike Piazza, an All-Star reserve en route to winning NL Rookie of the Year honors last year for the Los Angeles Dodgers, was voted to start for the first time. He was named on 2,536,825 ballots.

"This is a tremendous thrill, especially when you consider where I've been," said Piazza, a 62nd-round draft choice in 1988.

Also starting for the first time for the NL are first baseman Gregg Jefferies of the St. Louis Cardinals (2,246,987 votes) and second baseman Mariano Duncan of the Philadelphia Phillies (2,029,752).

Making their second starts will be outfielders Lenny Dykstra of Philadelphia (2,099,922) and David Justice of the Atlanta Braves (2,368,785).

Named as reserves for the AL team to be managed by Toronto's Cito Gaston were first baseman Will Clark of Texas, second baseman Chuck Knoblauch of Minnesota, third baseman Scott Cooper of Boston, shortstop Travis Fryman and catcher Mickey Tettleton of Detroit, outfielders Albert Belle and Kenny Lofton of Cleveland, outfielders Chili Davis of California, Paul O'Neill of New York and Paul Molitor of Toronto.

The AL pitchers are Wilson Alvarez and Jason Bere of Chicago, David Cone of Kansas City, 1993 starter Randy Johnson of Seattle, Jimmy Key of New York, Pat Hentgen of Toronto, Mike Mussina and Lee Smith of Baltimore, and Ricky Bones of Milwaukee.

The NL reserves are first basemen Fred McGriff of Atlanta and Jeff Bagwell of Houston, second basemen Craig Biggio of Houston and Carlos Garcia of Pittsburgh, Larkin and outfielders Tony Gwynn of San Diego, Moises Alou of Montreal, Jeff Conine of Florida and catcher Darrin Fletcher of Montreal.

The NL pitching staff is composed of Ken Hill of Montreal, Doug Drabek and rookie John Hudek of Houston, Danny Jackson and Doug Jones of Philadelphia, Jose Rijo of Cincinnati, Randy Myers of Chicago, Bret Saberhagen of New York and Greg Maddux of Atlanta.

Astros erupt with 3 homers in win

Associated Press

■ NL Roundup

HOUSTON — Craig Biggio had four hits, including a homer and two doubles, and Greg Swindell broke a five-game losing streak Sunday as the Houston Astros beat the Chicago Cubs 12-6.

Ken Caminiti hit two homers — one an inside-the-park, three-run shot — and rookie James Mouton also homered for Houston, which has won four of its last five.

Swindell (6-6) gave up five hits and three runs in seven innings to get his first win since May 26.

Mike Morgan (1-9) had another miserable outing for the Cubs, allowing nine hits and six runs in 3 2-3 innings.

In the third, Caminiti hit his 16th homer before Kevin Bass, who doubled to left-center, scored on Luis Gonzalez's single.

The Astros made it 6-0 in the fourth on Biggio's RBI double and Sid Bream's run-scoring single.

Sammy Sosa's 18th homer in the sixth brought Chicago to 6-3.

Braves 12, Marlins 6

MIAMI — Fred McGriff homered and drove in five runs and fellow All-Star Dave Justice had two RBIs for the Braves.

McGriff hit his 22nd home run — and 250th of his career — off Marlins starter Dave Weathers (7-7) to give the Braves a 3-0 lead in the first. He drove in Mark Lemke, who reached on a fielder's choice, and Justice, who doubled.

Tom Glavine (9-7) gave up six runs in 6 2-3 innings to earn his first win over the Marlins in three decisions.

McGriff, who learned he was an All-Star reserve before the game, was 10-for-18 in the four-game series with three homers and nine RBIs. He tied his career-high RBI total in the fifth with a two-run single off Richie Lewis.

Dodgers 3, Phillies 1

LOS ANGELES — Gone was the frenzied emotion of 10 years ago. A more sedate version of "Fernandomania" revisited Dodger Stadium on when Fernando Valenzuela returned to the scene of his greatest glory in a Philadelphia Phillies uniform.

While a sellout crowd of 54,167 welcomed an old friend and hero in Valenzuela, the Dodgers weren't so kind. Orel Hershiser beat his former teammate with seven innings of four-hit ball in the Dodgers' 3-1 victory.

It was the first time two former Los Angeles Dodger Cy Young Award winners started against each other. Valenzuela, 33, won in 1981 as a rookie and Hershiser, 35, in '88.

Giants 8, Expos 5

SAN FRANCISCO — Mark Carreon's three-run homer rallied San Francisco Giants to a victory and a split of a four-game series.

Carreon hit his second homer in as many days — and third of the season — to highlight a four-run fifth inning. He hit a two-run shot on Saturday.

Mark Portugal (6-6), who had been on the disabled list with tendinitis in his right elbow and was activated earlier in the day, went six innings and allowed two earned runs and four hits. He walked five and struck out four for his first victory since June 5.

Rod Beck got the final four outs for his 15th save.

Padres 7, Mets 0

SAN DIEGO — Andy Benes was a one-man show for San Diego, pitching his first career one-hitter, matching his career high with 13 strikeouts and hitting a three-run double as the Padres beat New York.

Benes (6-9) held the Mets hitless through seven innings before Rico Brogna doubled to center field leading off the eighth. It was the 17th one-hitter in the Padres' 26-year history and the first since Bruce Hurst beat the Mets 3-0 on May 18, 1992.

San Diego is one of four major-league teams along with the Mets, Colorado and Florida to never have a pitcher throw a no-hitter.

Eddie Williams homered and Brad Ausmus went 3-for-4 for the Padres.

Williams hit a solo homer to left-center with two outs in the second. It was Williams' fourth of the year and the NL-leading 22nd homer allowed by Smith.

Reds 4, Pirates 3

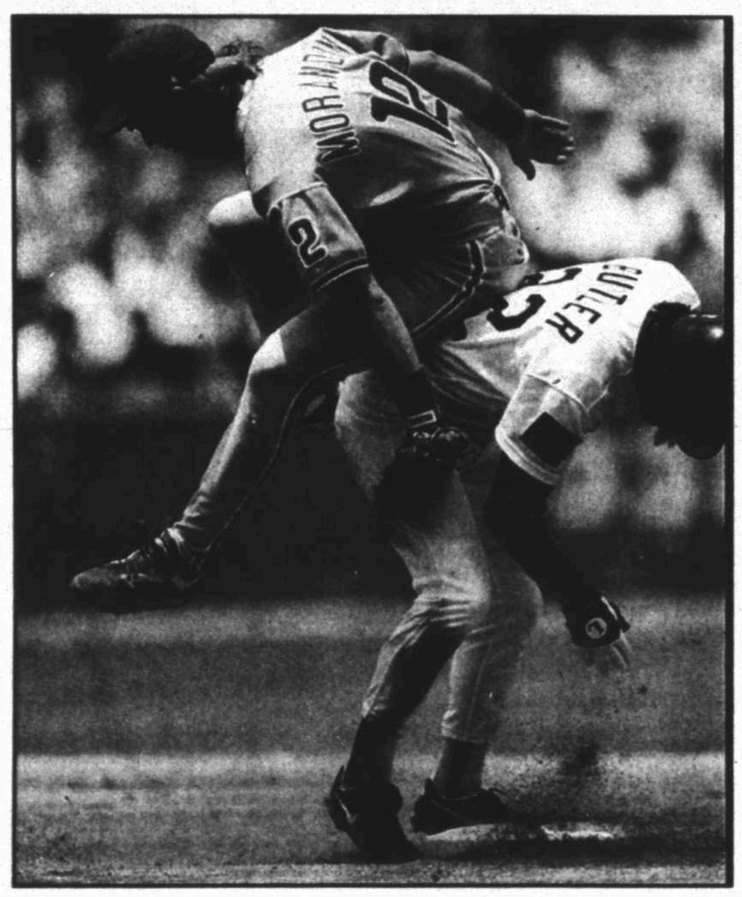
PITTSBURGH — Tony Fernandez continued to torment Pittsburgh pitching, hitting a two-run homer and a double to finish off a .611 weekend as Cincinnati beat the Pirates.

Jeff Branson added a go-ahead solo homer off Jon Lieber (4-3) in the sixth inning as the Reds took three of four in the series to drop Pittsburgh 8½ games back in the National League Central.

The division-leading Reds, now 6-2 against Pittsburgh, have won four of five and are 14 games over .500 for the first time this season.

Rockies 5, St. Louis 2

ST. LOUIS — Walt Weiss and Mike Kingery both doubled home runs in the eighth inning, leading Colorado to a victory over St. Louis.



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Los Angeles outfielder Brett Butler collides into Philadelphia's Micky Morandini to break up a double play during the Dodgers' 3-1 win over Philadelphia Sunday.

Tiger miscues lead to Ranger win, 5-3

Associated Press

■ AL Roundup

ARLINGTON, — Oddibe McDowell hit his first homer in four seasons and the Texas Rangers took advantage of three errors for a 5-3 victory over the Detroit Tigers on Sunday night.

Two Detroit miscues led to three unearned runs in a five-run Rangers third inning, as Texas won for the fifth time in seven games. Detroit has dropped nine of 11 games.

That was enough of a cushion for Texas starter Hector Fajardo (4-4), who held Detroit in check until the Tigers rallied for three runs in the sixth. Fajardo allowed six hits in six innings.

Tom Henke pitched a perfect ninth for his eighth save.

Orioles 10, Angels 3

BALTIMORE — Cal Ripken hit a grand slam and Chris Hoiles added a solo homer in a six-run third inning that sent Baltimore past California.

Ripken's third career slam, which barely cleared the right-field wall, gave the Orioles a 5-2 lead. About 30 minutes later, Ripken was formally named to start his 11th straight All-Star Game at shortstop.

Bo Jackson drove in two runs and Chili Davis, who made the All-Star team as a reserve, homered for California. The Angels have lost eight of 10 and have not won two straight since June 17-18.

Mark Williamson (3-0), pitching in relief of starter Arthur Rhodes, allowed one run and three hits in five innings for Baltimore.

Brian Anderson (5-4) blanked the Orioles in the first two innings before rain stopped the game for 1 hour, 49 minutes. Anderson returned to the mound after the delay but did not retire another batter.

Yankees 5, Mariners 2

NEW YORK — Paul O'Neill's three-run homer capped a five-run sixth inning that carried the Yankees to a victory over Seattle, snapping New York's three-game losing streak.

Melido Perez (7-3) was locked in a pitching duel with John Cummings (1-3) until the Mariners scored the game's first run on Luis Sojo's RBI single in the sixth.

Bernie Williams opened the Yankees' sixth with a single — only the second hit off Cummings to that point. One out later, Jim Leyritz doubled and Danny Tartabull was walked intentionally to load the bases.

Mike Stanley drove in two runs with a single and O'Neill hit a 1-0 pitch over the right-field wall for his 14th homer to make it 5-1.

Tino Martinez hit his 10th homer in the seventh for the Mariners other run. Ken Griffey failed to homer for the eighth straight game, but he went 8-for-14 in the three-game series with eight singles.

Perez allowed seven hits and two runs while striking out five and walking none in eight innings. Steve Howe pitched the ninth for his eighth save.

Royals 11, Blue Jays 6

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — David Cone matched his victory total for 1993, getting his 12th win of the season in Kansas City's victory over Toronto.

Cone (12-4) scattered four hits over seven innings and struck out nine, tying Baltimore's Mike Mussina and New York's Jimmy Key for most victories among AL pitchers.

Mike Macfarlane and Greg Gagne homered for Kansas City, which sent Toronto to its 13th loss in the last 15 games.

Brewers 9, White Sox 2

CHICAGO — Kevin Seitzer had three RBIs, Jody Reed and Matt Mieske each hit two-run singles and Milwaukee broke its two-game scoring drought by beating Chicago.

Angel Miranda (1-0), making his second start since knee surgery in December, held the White Sox hitless until the fifth. He ended up allowing three hits, walking five and striking out three in his first win since Sept. 18.

Wilson Alvarez (9-4), who during the game was named to his first All-Star team, gave up six hits and walked three over 2 1-3 innings, his shortest outing this year.

Jaime Navarro pitched three innings of relief of Mike Fetters struck out the side in the ninth.

Indians 10, Twins 9
11 innings

CLEVELAND — Chuch Knoblauch's first error since last September, a span of 85 games, set up the winning run in the 11th inning as Cleveland beat Minnesota on Paul Sorrento's two-out RBI single.

Knoblauch, four games away from tying the AL record for consecutive errorless games by a second baseman, let Alvaro Espinoza's grounder go through his legs for a two-base error with one out in the 11th.

Albert Belle homered for the seventh time in nine games and had three RBIs for the Indians.

Midland blanks Missions

Staff Report

SAN ANTONIO — Veteran pitcher Julio Valera blanked San Antonio to four hits over seven innings as the Midland Angels defeated San Antonio 9-0 here Sunday evening.

The win, Midland's third in a row, puts the Angels in a first place tie with Wichita, which lost to El Paso 10-8. San Antonio drops to 6-7 in the second half of the Texas League season, one game behind both Midland and Wichita.

The Angels got the only run it would need in the third inning when catcher Fausto Tejero hit a line drive solo home run to leadoff the third inning off loser David Pyc (2-7). The Angels added two more runs in the inning and sealed the win in the fifth with three more runs, highlighted by a bases loaded, two-out, two-run single by Chris Pritchett that scored Chris Smith and Rob Katzaroff to make the score 5-0.

Tejero, Smith and Pritchett knocked in two RBIs each to lead the Angels 11-hit attack.

Valera, who is on a rehabilitation assignment and is scheduled to go to Triple-A Vancouver after Sunday's start, worked out of his only trouble of the game in the second inning. After allowing back-to-back singles to open the inning, Valera shut down the Missions without a run to squelch the threat.

"(Valera) worked the batters well, going after guys early in the count," Tejero said following the game. "He is in rehab here and was working his pitches today. He threw nothing but breaking pitches one inning just to get some work with them."

John Pricher came on in relief for the final two innings of work.

Dom Johnson (4-3, 3.77) will start for Midland tonight while San Antonio will counter with Felix Rodriguez (3-3, 3.91).

The game has been rescheduled for a 6 p.m. start due to the Fourth of July festivities. Airtime on KCRS (AM 550) is 5:50 p.m.

San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi
Spearman cf	2	0	0	0
Beauchamp lf	2	0	2	0
Ingram 2b	3	0	0	0
Castro ss	2	0	1	0
Anderson ss	2	0	1	0
Kirkpatrick 1b	4	0	0	0
Demetral dh	4	0	1	0
Lott lf	4	0	0	0
Abbe c	3	0	0	0
Moore rf	2	0	0	0
Smith rf	1	0	0	0
Blanco 3b	3	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	5	0

Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Walewander dh	5	1	2	0
Harkrider ss	4	2	1	1
Boykin lf	4	1	1	1
Pritchett 1b	5	0	1	2
Wolff rf	3	1	0	0
Smith 3b	4	0	1	2
Ramirez 2b	5	1	1	0
Tejero c	4	2	2	2
Katzaroff cf	4	1	2	1
Totals	38	9	11	9

Midland	003	030	300—9
San Antonio	000	000	000—0

E—Castro. LOB—Midland 7, San Antonio 6. 2B—Harkrider, Katzaroff, Beauchamp. 3B—Beauchamp. HR—Tejero (5). SB—Walewander 2.

Midland	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Valera W, 1-0	7.0	4	0-0	1	6
Pricher	2.0	1	0-0	0	1
San Antonio	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Pyc L, 2-7	4.2	7	6-3	1	3
Henderson	2.0	4	3-3	4	1
Hobbs	2.1	0	0-0	0	4

WP—Henderson. T—2:34. A—5,032.

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CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi
JHrndz ss	5	0	0	0	Biggio 2b	5	2	4	3
Zmbrno 1b	4	0	0	0	Finley cf	5	2	1	0
Sosa rf	4	1	1	1	Bream 1b	5	1	3	1
GHill cf	4	1	1	0	Cmnitti 3b	4	2	2	4
May lf	4	0	0	0	Bass rf	3	1	1	0
Bechele 3b	4	1	2	0	Edens p	1	0	0	0
Snchez 2b	4	2	2	1	Gnzalez lf	4	0	1	1
Parent c	3	1	1	2	Cedeno ss	3	1	0	0
Morgan p	1	0	1	0	Servais c	4	2	2	0
Otto p	0	0	0	0	Swndell p	1	0	0	0
Rdrsn ph	1	0	0	0	Mouton rf	1	1	1	2
Crim p	0	0	0	0					
Rhodes ph	1	0	1	0					
Plesac p	0	0	0	0					
Mksdn ph	1	0	1	2					
Totals	36	6	10	6	Totals	36	12	15	11

Chicago	000	021	003— 6
Houston	112	201	05x—12

LOB—Chicago 4, Houston 5. 2B—GHill (6), Rhodes (14), Maksudian (1), Biggio 2 (31), Bass (8), Servais (10). HR—Sosa (18), Parent (2), Biggio (4), Caminiti 2 (16), Mouton (2). CS—Gonzalez (10). S—Swindell 2.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Morgan L,1-9	3 2-3	9	6	6	2	3
Otto	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Crim	3	1	1	1	0	2
Plesac	1	5	5	5	0	1
Houston						
Swindell W,6-6	7	5	3	3	1	2
Edens	2	5	3	3	0	3

HBP—by Morgan (Cedeno). WP—Morgan. T—2:30. A—27,711.

Rockies 5, Cardinals 2

COLORADO	ab	r	h	bi	ST. LOUIS	ab	r	h	bi
Weiss ss	3	2	2	1	BJrdn cf	5	0	0	0
Kngery cf	4	2	2	1	OSmith ss	4	0	0	1
Bchette rf	4	0	1	2	JBeries 1b	4	0	1	0
Glrga 1b	4	0	0	1	Whiten rf	4	0	3	0
Hayes 3b	4	0	0	0	Gilkey lf	3	0	1	0
HJhnsn lf	3	0	1	0	GPena 2b	3	0	0	0
Shaffer c	3	0	0	0	Royer 3b	4	0	2	0
SReed p	0	0	0	0	Pgnozzi c	2	2	1	0
MMunz p	0	0	0	0	Olivares p	2	0	1	0
VndrWl ph	1	0	0	0	Zeile ph	1	0	0	0
BRuffin p	0	0	0	0	Arocha p	0	0	0	0
Liriano 2b	3	1	1	0	Perry ph	1	0	0	0
Painter p	2	0	1	0					
Girardi c	1	0	0	0					
Totals	32	5	8	5	Totals	33	2	9	1

Colorado	200	000	030—5
St. Louis	001	000	100—2

E—Hayes (10). DP—Colorado 1, St. Louis 1. LOB—Colorado 2, St. Louis 9. 2B—Weiss 2 (9), Kingery 2 (21), Royer (5), Pagnozzi (9). SB—HJohnson (10), Whiten (7), Gilkey (11). CS—Bchette (6), HJohnson (2). SF—OSmith.

Colorado	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Painter	6 1-3	6	2	1	2	4
SReed W,3-1	1 1-3	2	0	0	0	1
MMunoz	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
BRuffin S,13	1	1	0	0	1	2
St. Louis						
Olivares	7	4	2	2	1	3
Arocha L,4-4	2	4	3	3	1	1

HBP—by SReed (Gilkey). WP—BRuffin. T—2:41. A—35,093.

Reds 4, Pirates 3

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	PITTSBURGH	ab	r	h	bi
Howard lf	3	0	0	0	Garcia 2b	4	1	2	0
LHrris 3b	3	1	0	0	DClark ph	1	0	0	0
Larkin ss	1	0	0	0	JBell ss	5	0	1	0
Morris 1b	4	1	1	1	VnSlyk cf	4	1	1	1
RSndrs rf	4	0	0	0	BRHntr 1b	4	0	1	1
TFrndz ss	4	1	2	2	Merced rf	4	0	0	0
Brnson 2b	4	1	1	1	King 3b	4	0	1	0
JBrnhty p	0	0	0	0	Slaught c	4	1	2	0
Tbnsee c	3	0	0	0	Varsho pr	0	0	0	0
Brmfld cf	3	0	1	0	McClkn lf	3	0	1	1
Smiley p	3	0	0	0	Martin ph	0	0	0	0
JRuffin p	0	0	0	0	Lieber p	2	0	1	0
McElry p	0	0	0	0	KYng ph	1	0	0	0
Boone 2b	0	0	0	0	RMnzlo p	0	0	0	0
					Foley ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	5	4	Totals	37	3	10	3

Cincinnati	000	300	100—4
Pittsburgh	110	010	000—3

E—BRHunter (5). DP—Pittsburgh 1. LOB—Cincinnati 2, Pittsburgh 8. 2B—Morris (23), TFernandez (13), Brumfield (3), JBell (22), King (18), Slaught (4). HR—TFernandez (7), Branson (3), VanSlyke (6). SB—Garcia (13).

Cincinnati	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Smiley W,8-8	6 1-3	9	3	3	0	4
JRuffin	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	1
McElroy	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
JBrantley S,10	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh						
Lieber L,4-3	7	5	4	3	0	6
RManzanillo	2	0	0	0	1	0

JRuffin pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. T—2:26. A—27,499.

Padres 7, Mets 0

NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi	SAN DIEGO	ab	r	h	bi
Vzcaino ss	3	0	0	0	Roberts 2b	3	1	1	1
Hare lf	1	0	0	0	Lopez 3b	5	0	0	0
Hndley c	4	0	0	0	TGwyn rf	3	0	0	1
Orsulak rf	4	0	0	0	DBell cf	3	1	0	0
Bonilla 3b	3	0	0	0	Pntier lf	4	0	1	0
Kent 2b	3	0	0	0	EWlms 1b	2	2	2	2
Brogna 1b	3	0	1	0	Gutierz ss	4	1	1	0
Lndmn lf	3	0	0	0	Asmus c	4	2	3	0
RyTpsn cf	3	0	0	0	Benes p	2	0	1	3
Lmton p	0	0	0	0					
PSmith p	0	0	0	0					
Mason p	0	0	0	0					
Cngiosi ph	1	0	0	0					
Gozzo p	0	0	0	0					
Vina ss	1	0	0	0					
Totals	29	0	1	0	Totals	30	7	9	7

New York	000	000	000—0
San Diego	011	040	10x—7

E—Ausmus (6). LOB—New York 3, San Diego 7. 2B—Brogna (2), Ausmus (10), Benes (1). HR—EWilliams (4). SB—Roberts (16). S—Benes 2. SF—Roberts.

New York	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
PSmith L,4-8	4	5	5	5	1	4
Mason	1	1	1	1	1	0
Gozzo	2	3	1	1	2	0
Lmton	1	0	0	0	0	1
San Diego						
Benes W,8-9	9	1	0	0	1	13

PSmith pitched to 4 batters in the 5th. HBP—by Gozzo (EWilliams). WP—Benes. T—2:08. A—14,219.

Giants 8, Expos 5

MONTREAL	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Grssom cf	5	1	0	0	DLews cf	5	1	2	1
Frazier lf	4	1	0	0	RbTpsn 2b	4	2	2	1
Alou rf	3	1	0	0	Bnjmin 2b	0	0	0	0
LWlkr 1b	4	1	2	4	Bonds lf	3	1	1	1
Crdero ss	4	0	1	0	Cmron rf	4	1	2	3
DFichr c	2	1	1	1	Sorsone 3b	3	0	0	1
Lnsing 2b	3	0	1	0	Clayton ss	4	1	1	0
Berry 3b	3	0	0	0	Bnzngr 1b	3	1	1	1
Rueter p	2	0	0	0	Mnwrn c	4	0	0	0
Hrdlia p	0	0	0	0	Prugal p	1	1	1	0
Floyd ph	1	0	0	0	Fneyte ph	0	0	0	0
Shaw p	0	0	0	0	Mntlne p	0	0	0	0
Wbster ph	1	0	0	0	MJcksn p	0	0	0	0
					Beck p	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	5	5	5	Totals	32	8	10	8

Montreal	010	130	000—5
San Francisco	210	040	01x—8

E—LWalker (6), RbThompson (2), Manwaring (4). DP—San Francisco 1. LOB—Montreal 6, San Francisco 5. 2B—Portugal (4). HR—LWalker (14), DFletcher (8), RbThompson (2), Carreon (3). SB—Grissom (29), Frazier (16), LWalker (12), Cordero (12), Clayton (19). CS—Bonds (6). S—Portugal. SF—Scarsone.

Montreal	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Rueter L,3-2	4 1-3	6	6	5	1	3
Heredia	2-3	1	1	1	0	0
Shaw	3	3	1	1	1	2
San Francisco						
Portugal W,6-6	6	4	5	2	5	4
Monteleone	1	0	0	0	0	0
MJackson	2-3	0	0	0	1	0
Beck S,15	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	0

HBP—by Rueter (Benzinger). WP—Portugal. T—2:47. A—23,567.

Dodgers 3, Phillies 1

PHILA	ab	r	h	bi	LOS ANGELES	ab	r	h	bi
MTmsn cf	3	1	1	0	Butler cf	4	1	2	0
Mrndni 2b	4	0	0	1	DeShld 2b	4	0	1	0
Kruk 1b	2	0	0	0	Piazza c	3	0	0	0
Incvgla lf	4	0	0	0	Wllach 3b	3	1	1	1
Lngmr rf	3	0	0	0	Karros 1b	4	0	0	0
Batiste 3b	4	0	2	0	Mndsi rf	3	1	1	0
Lbrthal c	3	0	0	0	Snyder lf	3	0	1	1
Stocker ss	3	0	0	0	Bmigal ss	2	0	1	1
Vinzels p	2	0	1	0	Hrshisr p	2	0	1	0
Esnrich ph	1	0	0	0	Hansen ph	1	0	0	0
Sicumb p	0	0	0	0	TdWrl p	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	1	Totals	29	3	8	3

Philadelphia	000	001	000—1
Los Angeles	020	000	01x—3

E—Lieberthal (1), Piazza (9). DP—Los Angeles 2. LOB—Philadelphia 7, Los Angeles 5. 2B—Wallach (14), Mondesi (20). SB—MThompson (4), Butler (18). CS—DeShields (2). S—Bournigal. SF—Wallach.

Philadelphia	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Valenzuela L,0-1	6	6	2	2	0	1
Slocumb	2	2	1	1	1	0
Los Angeles						
Hershiser W,5-4	7	4	1	0	4	2
TdWorrell S,7	2	0	0	0	2	2

WP—Slocumb. T—2:45. A—54,167.

Braves 12, Marlins 6

ATLANTA	ab	r	h	bi	FLORIDA	ab	r	h	bi
RKelly cf	4	2	2	0	Carr cf	4	1	1	1
Trsco rf	1	0	1	0	Browne 3b	5	2	2	0
Lemke 2b	5	4	2	0	Shffield rf	5	1	2	2
Justice rf	4	3	3	2	Conine lf	5	1	2	2
Brders c	4	1	1	0					
Schfield ss	4	1	1	2					
Totals	35	6	9	6	Totals	33	11	11	9

Toronto	001	000	032— 6
Kansas City	024	012	02x—11

Molitor reached first on catcher's interference.

E—Coles (1), Mayne (1). DP—Kansas City 1. LOB—Toronto 7, Kansas City 5. 2B—White (18), Coles (2), DHenderson 2 (12), Jose (18). 3B—Coleman (10). HR—RAlomar (7), Schofield (2), Macfarlane (9), Gagne (7). SB—White (10), Coleman (43), Shumpert (9). CS—Gagne (6), Shumpert (3). SF—DHenderson.

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Stewart L,5-6	2 1-3	6	6	6	2	1
Cornett	2 2-3	3	1	1	0	3
Righetti	1	1	2	2	2	0
Timlin	2	1	2	1	1	2
Kansas City						
Cone W,12-4	7	4	1	1	3	9
Pichardo	2	5	5	3	1	0

HBP—by Cornett (Gagne). WP—Cornett 2, Timlin. T—2:58. A—25,421.

Orioles 10, Angels 3

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Hudler 3b	4	0	0	0	ByAdsn lf	4	1	3	0
Easley 2b	3	1	0	0	Sabo 3b	4	2	1	0
Salmon rf	2	1	0	0	Plmiro 1b	5	2	4	2
CDavis dh	4	1	2	1	CRpken ss	3	1	1	4
BJcksn lf	4	0	2	2	LGmez dh	3	1	1	1
Curtis cf	4	0	2	0	Baines dh	1	0	0	1
Snow 1b	4	0	1	0	Voigt dh	0	0	0	0
Dtndr c	3	0	0	0	Hoiles c	3	1	1	1
Rynlds ph	1	0	0	0	Hmnds rf	4	0	1	1
DSrcna ss	4	0	0	0	Dvraux cf	5	0	1	0
					Hulett 2b	3	2	1	0
Totals	33	3	7	3	Totals	35	10	14	10

California	101	001	000— 3
Baltimore	006	012	01x—10

DP—California 2, Baltimore 1. LOB—California 6, Baltimore 10. 2B—Sabo (12), Palmeiro (24), Devereaux (5). 3B—ByAnderson (3). HR—CDavis (15), CRipken (12), LGomez (11), Hoiles (15). SB—ByAnderson (19). SF—Hammonds.

California	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
BnAdsn L,5-4	2	7	5	5	1	0
Lefferts	2	3	2	2	1	2
Butcher	1	0	0	0	1	0
BPatterson	1-3	2	2	2	2	1
MLeiter	1 2-3	1	0	0	1	0
Magrane	1	1	1	1	1	0
Baltimore						
Rhodes	3	3	2	2	2	5
Wilmsn W,3-0	5	3	1	1	0	1
Oquist	1					

Rangers 5, Tigers 3

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Phillips lf	4	1	1	1	OMcDl cf	5	1	1	1
Whtkr 2b	4	1	1	0	Frye 2b	4	1	1	0
Frymn 3b	4	0	0	0	Cnseco dh	3	0	0	0
Fielder 1b	4	0	0	0	WClark 1b	4	1	2	1
KGbsn cf	4	1	1	1	JGnzlz lf	3	1	1	0
Tttleton dh	3	0	2	1	Palmer 3b	4	1	0	0
Felix rf	4	0	0	0	Greer rf	3	0	0	1
Trmmll ss	3	0	0	0	IRdrgz c	4	0	1	1
Krauter c	3	0	1	0	MLee ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	3	Totals	33	5	6	4

Detroit	000	003	000—3
Texas	005	000	00x—5

E—Fielder (5), Trammell 2 (8), Greer (5), IRodriguez (3). LOB—Detroit 4, Texas 9. 2B—KGibson (10), Kreuter (5), Frye (12), WClark (22), IRodriguez (15). HR—Phillips (12), OMcDowell (1). SB—JGonzalez (6).

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Belcher L,6-9	6	6	5	3	5	4
Texas						
Fajardo W,4-4	6	6	3	3	1	2
Whiteside	2	0	0	0	0	2
Henke S,8	1	0	0	0	0	1

WP—Belcher. T—2:42. A—46,164.

Indians 10, Twins 9 (11 innings)

MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Knblch 2b	6	1	1	0	Lofton cf	4	1	4	1
ACole cf	5	1	1	0	Vizquel ss	5	0	2	1
Puckett rf	4	2	2	2	Baerga 2b	6	1	1	0
Hrbek 1b	4	2	3	1	Belle lf	6	2	3	3
Mack lf	3	1	1	1	Murray dh	6	2	2	1
PMunz dh	5	0	3	1	Thome 3b	3	1	0	0
Hale 3b	4	1	1	1	Espnza 3b	2	1	0	0
Rboulet ss	4	0	0	0	SAlmr c	6	1	2	0
Wbeck c	4	1	1	2	Srrento lb	6	1	4	4
					Kirby rf	4	0	0	0
Totals	39	9	13	8	Totals	48	10	18	10

Minnesota	100	230	120 00— 9
Cleveland	222	100	200 01—10

Two outs when winning run scored.

E—Knoblauch (1), Hale (3), Thome 2 (13). DP—Cleveland 3. LOB—Minnesota 5, Cleveland 11. 2B—Puckett (23), Hrbek (8), Hale (5), Baerga (24), Murray (18), Sorrento (8). 3B—SAlomar (1). HR—Walbeck (3), Belle (25). SB—Lofton 2 (40). CS—ACole (5). S—ACole, Vizquel, Thome. SF—Puckett, Mack, Hale, Lofton.

Minnesota	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tapani	2 2-3	9	6	6	0	3
Guthrie	3 1-3	4	3	2	2	0
Willis	4	4	0	0	0	1
Aguilera L,0-3	2-3	1	1	0	0	0
Cleveland						
Grimsley	4	8	6	4	3	1
DiPoto	3	3	1	1	1	0
Plunk W,7-2	4	2	2	2	0	2

Grimsley pitched to 3 batters in the 5th, Guthrie pitched to 2 batters in the 7th. WP—Grimsley 2. Balk—Grimsley. T—3:53. A—41,261.

Standings

By Associated Press
All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	48	30	.615	—	z-7-3	Won 1	26-14	22-16
Baltimore	45	34	.570	3½	z-7-3	Won 1	21-20	24-14
Boston	39	40	.494	9½	z-4-6	Lost 1	21-20	18-20
Detroit	37	42	.468	11½	2-8	Lost 1	23-15	14-27
Toronto	33	46	.418	15½	2-8	Lost 1	22-18	11-28

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cleveland	47	30	.610	—	z-6-4	Won 4	28-11	19-19
Chicago	45	33	.577	2½	z-8-2	Lost 1	25-17	20-16
Kansas City	42	38	.525	6½	5-5	Won 1	18-18	24-20
Minnesota	40	39	.506	8	z-3-7	Lost 3	23-16	17-23
Milwaukee	38	42	.475	10½	5-5	Won 1	20-19	18-23

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Texas	38	42	.475	—	z-6-4	Won 1	20-22	18-20
Seattle	35	45	.438	3	4-6	Lost 1	21-18	14-27
Oakland	34	46	.425	4	z-9-1	Won 1	15-23	19-23
California	34	48	.415	5	3-7	Lost 1	16-25	18-23

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Atlanta	50	29	.633	—	z-5-5	Won 2	23-16	27-13
Montreal	48	32	.600	2½	z-6-4	Lost 1	23-15	25-17
Philadelphia	40	41	.494	11	5-5	Lost 2	25-14	15-27
Florida	37	44	.457	14	3-7	Lost 2	20-22	17-22
New York	35	45	.438	15½	z-3-7	Lost 2	15-22	20-23

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cincinnati	47	33	.588	—	z-6-4	Won 3	27-11	20-22
Houston	45	36	.556	2½	z-6-4	Won 2	25-17	20-19
St. Louis	40	38	.513	6	6-4	Lost 2	19-22	21-16
Pittsburgh	38	41	.481	8½	z-5-5	Lost 3	23-17	15-24
Chicago	33	45	.423	13	4-6	Lost 2	13-25	20-20

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	43	38	.531	—	7-3	Won 2	25-16	18-22
Colorado	38	44	.463	5½	z-5-5	Won 2	18-23	20-21
San Francisco	35	47	.427	8½	z-5-5	Won 1	20-23	15-24
San Diego	33	49	.402	10½	z-5-5	Won 2	22-21	11-28

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Sunday's Games

Oakland 10, Boston 0
New York 5, Seattle 2
Kansas City 11, Toronto 6
Milwaukee 9, Chicago 2
Baltimore 10, California 3
Cleveland 10, Minnesota 9, 11 innings
Texas 5, Detroit 3

Monday's Games

Minnesota (Deshaies 4-7) at Cleveland (Martinez 6-4), 12:05 p.m.
Oakland (Ontiveros 4-2) at New York (Kamieniecki 5-3), 12:05 p.m.
California (Leftwich 3-6) at Boston (Clemens 6-4), 12:05 p.m.
Seattle (Bosio 3-9) at Baltimore (Fernandez 4-4), 4:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Bones 7-5) at Chicago (Bere 8-2), 6:05 p.m.
Toronto (Hentgen 9-5) at Kansas City (Milacki 0-2), 6:35 p.m.
Detroit (Doherty 6-6) at Texas (Rogers 9-4), 7:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Sunday's Games

Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 3
Colorado 5, St. Louis 2
Houston 12, Chicago 6
San Diego 7, New York 0
Los Angeles 3, Philadelphia 1
San Francisco 8, Montreal 5
Atlanta 12, Florida 6

Monday's Games

Cincinnati (Rijo 6-4) at Florida (Rapp 4-4), 12:35 p.m.
Colorado (Freeman 7-1 and Hartley 1-4) at Chicago (Young 3-6 and Bullinger 3-2), 2, 12:05 p.m.
Houston (Williams 4-4) at St. Louis (Watson 5-3), 1:15 p.m.
New York (Remlinger 0-2) at San Francisco (VanLandingham 1-0), 3:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Neagle 7-8) at Atlanta (Smoltz 6-7), 6:40 p.m.
Philadelphia (Jackson 10-2) at San Diego (Sanders 3-4), 8:05 p.m.
Montreal (Henry 4-1) at Los Angeles (R.Martinez 7-4), 8:35 p.m.

AL Boxes

Brewers 9, White Sox 2

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
JoReed 2b	3	0	1	2	Martin 2b	4	0	0	0
Spiers ss	1	0	0	0	Raines lf	1	1	0	0
Seitzer 3b	6	1	2	3	Howitt cf	1	0	0	0
TWard cf	6	0	0	0	Thmas 1b	2	0	1	0
GVghn lf	4	1	2	0	Franco dh	3	0	1	1
OLery lf	0	0	0	0	Vnturа 3b	4	0	0	0
Nilsson dh	4	2	2	1	DrJksn cf	2	0	0	0
Jaha 1b	4	2	1	0	Newsn lf	1	0	0	0
Valle c	2	2	1	1	Zupcic rf	4	0	0	0
Mieske rf	5	0	2	2	Krkvce c	4	1	1	1
JsVntn ss	2	1	0	0	Grbeck ss	4	0	0	0
Totals	37	9	11	9	Totals	30	2	3	2

Milwaukee	123	102	000—9
Chicago	000	020	000—2

DP—Chicago 1. LOB—Milwaukee 12, Chicago 7. 2B—Nilsson (22), Valle (5), Franco (14). HR—Seitzer (5), Karkovice (9). SB—GVaughn (4), JsValentin (7), Raines 2 (9).

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Miranda W,1-0	5	3	2	2	5	3
Navarro	3	0	0	0	0	3
Fetters	1	0	0	0	0	3
Chicago						
Alvarez L,9-4	2 1-3	6	6	6	3	1
DeLeon	1 2-3	3	1	1	1	2
DnJohnson	2	1	2	2	4	0
Cook	1	0	0	0	2	1
Assenmacher	1	1	0	0	1	0
RHernandez	1	0	0	0	0	2

HBP—by Navarro (DrJackson). T—3:15. A—33,921.

A's 10, Red Sox 0

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
RHdsn cf	5	2	2	1	Nixon cf	3	0	1	0
Fox cf	1	0	0	0	Tnsley cf	1	0	0	0
Gajes 2b	5	0	0	0	Fltcher 2b	4	0	0	0
Berroa lf	2	1	1	1	JnVntn ss	1	0	1	0
Javier cf	2	1	1	0	CRdrgz ss	1	0	0	0
Sierra rf	5	2	3	2	MVghn 1b	4	0	1	0
Aldrete rf	0	0	0	0	Dawsn dh	4	0	1	0
McGwr 1b	4	1	2	1	Grnwll lf	3	0	1



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Texas' Routt rallies West to win at Festival

■ University of Texas' Ericka Routt scores 26 points to lead the West to an 87-84 win over the South at the U.S. Olympic Festival Sunday.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — As the only U.S. champions in the boxing field, big things were expected from Fernando Vargas and Shane Swartz at the Olympic Festival. They both came up big Sunday.

The 16-year-old Vargas, of Oxnard, Calif., beat Salvador Jasso of Los Angeles 49-19 in a semifinal bout at 132 pounds. Swartz, a 165-pounder from Fort Collins, Colo., beat Robert Wallace of Tempe, Ariz., 71-29 to advance to Tuesday's finals.

The 10-day Festival continued Sunday with events held in 17 sports, including some Festival history in figure skating and a full day of basketball.

Vargas and Swartz would like to be prepping for the Goodwill Games, but Vargas is too young to fight in international competition, and Swartz lost his chance when he was beaten in a box-off after the U.S. Championships.

Vargas dominated Jasso in the first round and appeared to send his opponent to the floor, but the referee ruled it a slip. Jasso held his own after that, but Vargas wound up with a victory by a wide margin.

"I think I pressed a little too much, trying to land a punch to stun him and drop him," said Vargas, who meets Datris Biagas of the Army in the title bout. "I thought it was a knockdown, but the referee saw it differently.

"If I had slowed down and worked a little better on my technique, I would have looked a lot sharper."

Swartz, 18, will face a familiar foe Tuesday, Ronald Simms of the Army. Swartz is 2-0 against Simms, including a victory in the gold medal match at last year's Festival.

"It was good with Robbie because he held a lot," Swartz said of Sunday's fight. "Simms has a sneaky way of holding, so the person who's getting held gets called for it."

Youth was served at the ice skating rink, where a pair of 12-year-olds stood tall.

In the ladies division, Tara Lipinski of Newark, Del., became the youngest gold medal winner in Festival history. Gymnast Shannon Miller was older by a few months when she won a gold in the uneven bars in 1989.

Lipinski hit three triple jumps in her long program to beat Teresa Aiello of Pound Ridge, N.Y.

"She's very talented and has amazing ability to rotate in the air," said Lipinski's coach, Jeff DiGregorio. "She works harder than anyone I've seen in my life, and she loves to train. She loves to be perfect."

In pairs' figure skating, Erin Elbe of Castro Valley, Calif., and Jeffrey Weiss of San Mateo, Calif., had only one stumble during their free skate routine and moved up from fourth place to take the silver medal.

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As a result, they qualified for the 1995 World Junior Championships at Budapest, Hungary, in November.

Elbe, 12, is recovering from a rare staph infection that attacked her left tibia, the front bone in her lower leg. Doctors originally didn't think she would skate or even walk normally again.

The problem was diagnosed in March 1993, and doctors had to remove a section of bone the size of a half dollar.

"I have never been happier in my life except when I first skated," Elbe said.

Danielle Hartsell and her brother, Steve, of Westland, Mich., won the gold medal in pairs despite a fall by Danielle.

Hobday survives bogeys to win Open

Associated Press

■ Golf Roundup

PINEHURST, N.C. — Simon Hobday dropped his putter and jumped as if snake-bitten when his tap-in putt rattled into the bottom of the cup Sunday and made him the U.S. Senior Open champion.

"My hands were shaking. The putter was shaking. I couldn't do anything," the free-spirited South African said after tip-toeing through a minefield of disaster to the biggest victory of his career.

It wasn't pretty, and Hobday knew it.

He started the final round bogey-bogey-bogey and then blew a three-shot lead with five holes to play.

But it was good enough for a one-shot victory over Graham Marsh of Australia and former club pro Jim Albus and enabled Hobday to join Ernie Els in giving South Africa a sweep of the two American Open titles. Els won the U.S. Open two weeks ago at Oakmont, Pa.

Western Open

LEMONT, Ill. — Nick Price benefited from a late collapse by Greg Kraft and won the Western Open for the second straight year, giving him three PGA Tour victories this season.

Another shot back were Bill Glasson, Scott Hoch and Mark Calcavecchia.

Price earned $216,000 for his victory and became the eighth golfer in tour history to surpass $6 million in career earnings. He is the first golfer to defend his championship in the Western Open since Jack Nicklaus in 1968.

Irish Open

KILKENNY, Ireland — Bernhard Langer won his third Irish Open, giving him at least one European event victory every year since 1978.

His final round 67 overhauled Robert Allenby, the 3-stroke leader after three rounds. Langer finished at 13-under-par 275, one stroke ahead of the 22-year-old Australian and John Daly, who closed with a record-equalling 65 over the Mount Juliet Golf Club course.

Youngstown LPGA

WARREN, Ohio — Tammie Green, an Ohio native, delighted a partisan crowd by shooting rounds of 69 and 70 on to win the Youngstown-Warren LPGA Classic by two shots.

Green had a 10-under-par score of 206 for three rounds over the rain-soaked Avon Lakes Golf Course. The native of Somerset led at every stop, shooting a 67 on Friday and completing the weather-delayed second round with a 69 on Sunday morning.

She followed with a 2-under 70 Sunday afternoon for her first LPGA victory since 1989 and second overall.

Colleen Walker had a final-round 71 that included a hole-in-one to finish at 208, and Dottie Mochrie and Kim Shipman were at 209. Barb Bunkowsky, Jean Zedlitz, Betsy King and Katie Peterson-Parker tied at 210.

High-speed fall highlights Tour kickoff

ARMENTIERES, France (AP) — A spectacular fall near the finish marked the first stage of the Tour de France Sunday and sent two top riders to the hospital.

Djamoldine Abdoujaparov of Uzbekistan won the stage, while Chris Boardman of Britain retained the overall lead.

Belgium's Wilifried Nelissen was battling for the lead with less than 50 meters left when he hit a policeman at the side of the course and took down several other riders behind him.

One rider, France's Laurent Jalabert, tumbled on his head. He had blood on his uniform as he was taken away in an ambulance.

"Laurent Jalabert fell very hard on his face and has a bruised nose and jaw," said Gerard Nicolet, a Tour doctor. "Also some teeth broken, and we suspect, a number of problems with the jaw.

"There was a lot of blood, which was spectacular but not necessarily serious. He was conscious and I was talking with him."

A medical bulletin also said that Nelissen had a slight concussion.

Two years ago, Abdoujaparov fell at the Champs Elysees in the final stage, breaking a collarbone.

Abdoujaparov won Sunday's stage with a powerful sprint. Olaf Ludwig of Germany finished second and Johan Museeuw of Belgium was third.

Favorites Miguel Indurain and Tony Rominger were in the pack and did not lose any time to the leader. Indurain was ninth and Rominger 45th, but both were given the same time as most of the others, and Saturday's overall standings changed little.

■ Tour de France

Indurain is second, 15 seconds back, four seconds ahead of Rominger in third.

World champion Lance Armstrong of the United States was 22nd and three-time winner Greg LeMond was 26th, 28 and 41 seconds back, respectively.

Sunday's stage was 145 miles, from Lille to Armentieres. Monday's second stage, from Roubaix to Boulogne-sur-Mer, is 126 miles.

The race ends July 24 at Paris after covering a course of 2,479 miles.

Wallace burns Busch field

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Mike Wallace came from deep in the starting field to dominate the Havoline 250 NASCAR Busch Grand National stock car race Sunday at The Milwaukee Mile.

Wallace, driving a Chevrolet, started 25th in the field, but blasted to the front and led five times for 148 of the 250 laps on the one-mile track. He collected $20,300 for his second NASCAR Grand National win of the season.

Wallace averaged 100.999 mph.

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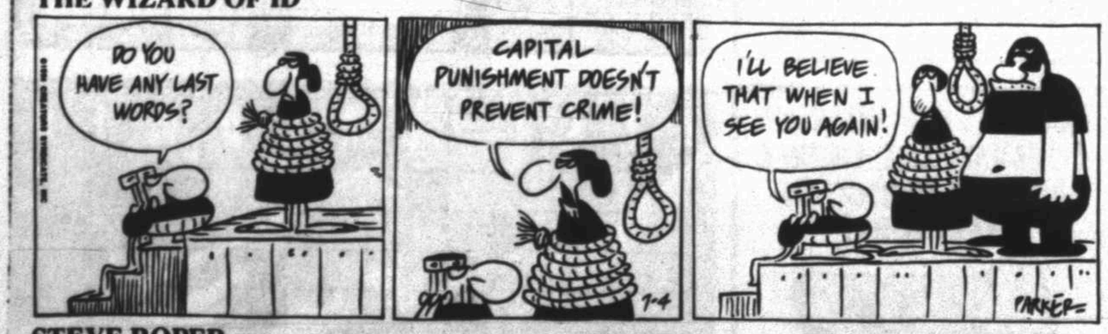
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR: Long-term financial security should be a top priority. Business profits could peak in the fall. A new overseas client makes travel likely before Christmas. A stroke of good luck helps you straighten out a family problem. A close relationship becomes more relaxed and fulfilling. Welcome a change of personnel early in 1995. A new employee could aid your efforts to move up the professional ladder.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: jazz trumpet legend Louis Armstrong, columnists Abigail Van Buren and Ann Landers, actress Gina Lollobrigida.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): An upbeat phone call and last-minute invitation will send your spirits soaring! Dress for comfort on this dazzling holiday. Small fry may be all fired up; kind words will help calm them down.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A party or reunion makes this a fun-filled and memorable day. Catch up on family news. Loyal friends support your efforts to make a fresh start. You learn new facts about an important relationship.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): An unexpected announcement or odd outburst could leave you wondering what is really going on. Once you have earned a newcomer's trust, a wonderful friendship will develop.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Flexibility is your strongest asset in business. To boost profits, get rid of outdated, time-consuming work routines. An older person holds the key to new financial gains.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your mate or partner will "come clean" about something that involves your financial interests. Your talents receive new attention from those who count.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Other people's desires could influence the choices you make now. Hold off on committing yourself to a major career change. A cash shortage demands strong measures.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Nurture yourself as well as others. Once you recapture an earlier enthusiasm, you will be able to accomplish great things! Measure your success in terms of affection, not money. A loving relationship is a wonderful thing.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): An authority figure can help you attain an elusive goal. Working with strangers may not be your cup of tea. Update your wardrobe before seeking a high-profile job.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Put the lid on spending. The more practical you are, the sooner you will reach your financial goals. A hobby could turn into a profitable business. Investigate commercial outlets carefully before investing any money.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): An excellent week to make amends and patch up rocky relationships. Luck is on your side. Seek financial advice from experts only. A recurring dream merits special thought.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Feeling out of shape? Enroll in an exercise program. An investment opportunity may not be exactly as described. Consult financial experts before parting with your hard-earned money. Keep entertainment plans simple tonight.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Widen your circle of friends and contacts. A young person has greater potential than anyone realizes. Offer encouragement. Read more about discoveries on the cutting edge of technology. Review your investment portfolio.

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GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠A865 ♡A ♢A987 ♣A642
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♢	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—Slam is in the air, but not necessarily in diamonds! Spades could be the right spot, particularly if you play five-card majors, so start investigating with a simple response of one spade. The real headache will come on the later rounds of the auction because yours is not an easy hand to describe.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AJ762 ♡KJ4 ♢83 ♣AKQ
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♡	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—The auction has developed most favorably for you. Jump to five spades. That signifies a desire to play slam, but shows two fast losers in the unbid suit—in this case diamonds. Blackwood is of no use here—you won't know what to do if partner shows only one ace.

Q.3—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠73 J106 Q72 ♣AJ653
The bidding has proceeded:

East	South	West	North
3	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	?		

What action do take?
A.—Although it seems automatic to bid four clubs, think for a moment. Partner's takeout double is major-suit oriented, so you might have no good fit. You rate to produce two tricks on defense and partner's cards are well placed behind West. Convert the double to penalties by passing.

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K106 ♡AK1075 ♢KJ96 ♣A
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 NT	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—Despite partner's discouraging response, we would insist on reaching game with this primish hand. Jump shift to three diamonds. If partner takes a heart preference, go on to four hearts; if partner bids three no trump, pass; if partner raises diamonds, you're committed to bid the minor-suit game.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠876 ♡AQJ ♢AKJ4 ♣AK8
What is your opening bid?
A.—Having no spade stopper in a powerful, balanced hand is an obvious flaw. However, we don't think you can ever catch up if you elect to open the hand one diamond. Bid two no trump.

Q.6—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠A87 ♡Void ♢97652 ♣AK852
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—Normally, with two five-card suits you would first respond in the higher-ranking and then bid the other. Here, however, your diamonds are so weak that we would downgrade the suit to a four-bagger and respond two clubs, highlighting where our values lie.

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LOS ANGELES — Keep those dollars coming, **Burt.** **Loni's** got new digs — a $2.3 million home in Beverly Hills.


Loni Anderson has a new $2.3 million home.

Loni Anderson is leaving a leased Bel-Air home for 6,500 square feet, the Los Angeles Times reported Sunday. The new house has four bedrooms, a pool and a view of the San Fernando Valley, the newspaper said.

Anderson's other home, which she and former husband Burt Reynolds leased in 1990, had 15,000 square feet.

Anderson, who appeared on the television show "Nurses," gets $2 million over five years from her divorce settlement with Reynolds. She also gets a $500,000 vacation home in North Carolina and $15,000 a month in child support for their adopted son.

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BATH, Maine — **President Bush** denounced "anti-military critics" and "know-it-all talking heads" who want to cut the Navy fleet as he spoke at the commissioning of the nation's newest warship.


Former President Bush denounces Navy fleet cuts.

"I'm particularly concerned by those who call for us to drastically reduce the Navy — fewer carriers, fewer of these Aegis destroyers," he said Saturday at the ceremony for the USS John S. McCain. "Those voices are wrong and if followed they will lead us down a very dangerous path."

The McCain, which cost $750 million, is a guided-missile Aegis destroyer. It is named after two John S. McCains — **Adm. John S. McCain,** a World War II task force commander, and his son, **Adm. John S. McCain Jr.,** commander in chief of the U.S. Pacific Command.

The ship is scheduled to leave Bath later this month and arrive in Pearl Harbor in September.

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NEW YORK — A score of musicians at the JVC Jazz Festival played a tribute to their favorite minister — the **Rev. John Garcia Gensel.**

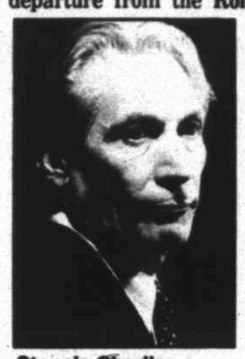
Gensel was pastor to jazz musicians for more than 20 years. He retired in December from St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

A concert Friday night featured a series of combos, including trumpeter **Jimmy Owens,** saxophonist **Lew Tabackin,** pianist **James Williams,** bassist **Paul Williams** and drummer **Roy Haynes.** They played a piece that **Duke Ellington** had written about Gensel, "The Shepherd Who Watches Over the Night Flock."

"I worshiped tonight," Gensel said.

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NEW YORK — Bass player **Bill Wyman's** departure from the **Rolling Stones** hasn't left the group shattered.


Stone's Charlie Watts says new man fits right in.

After three decades of playing alongside him, drummer **Charlie Watts** said the new man in the rhythm section — **Darryl Jones** — fits right in.

"Playing with Darryl feels just like playing with Bill," Watts said. "You never knew Bill was playing, really. There was just a feeling that he was there all the time."

Jones, who worked with **Sting, Miles Davis** and **Whitney Houston,** played on most of the Stones' upcoming "Voodoo Lounge" album. He is rehearsing with the band outside Toronto.

Wyman left the Stones after the "Steel Wheels" tour, saying he has had enough of the rock 'n' roll life.

The Stones announced a new world tour in May.

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NEW YORK — Oh, the things you can learn about **Gov. Mario Cuomo** while cooking lamb shanks — like his late-night weakness for apple pie, and his talent for making cinnamon toast.

That's what New York City's first lady, **Donna Hanover Giuliani,** pried out of **Matilda Cuomo,** the state's first lady, as they chatted on cable's TV Food Network. Mrs. Giuliani is the host a network program, which was broadcast Friday.

Mrs. Cuomo brought along her recipe for lamb shanks, the specialty of the Cuomo household. In addition to food, the two talked about the need for better child care and adoption programs — and the governor.

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U.S.: Yanks clash with favored Brazil

(From 1C)

call Saturday night. "You've absolutely captured the imagination of millions of people."

Brazil is a three-time World Cup champion. But American players believe they have a chance if they play as well as they can and get a lucky bounce or two. They repeat the words of coach Bora Milutinovic like a mantra: "In one game, anything is possible."

And playing on the Fourth of July adds another dimension.

"It's really storybook for it to all come down to this day," forward Eric Wynalda said.

Players wrap the flag around themselves. Playing for their country brings out emotions they don't feel when playing for their clubs.

"For our young country — in comparison to everyone else — it's very special," defender Alexi Lalas said. "It's a tremendous setting. But in reality, Brazil could care less and would gladly spoil the party."

Brazil is 5-0 against the United States and has outscored the Americans 20-3. It has two of the best forwards in the world in Romario and Bebeto. If both teams play to form, the Brazilians won't have a problem.

But all of Brazil appears critical, even the great Pele. Even the coach's mother offers suggestions.

On Sunday, coach Carlos Alberto Parreira decided to bench Rai, the team captain, in favor of Mazinho.

Parreira's news conferences resemble an inquisition more than an information exchange. An 8-2 victory of Honduras — the Americans have scored that many goals just once in 78 years — triggered hysterical outrage back home.

"If we were 30 percent as good as the fans and media expect us to be," Parreira said, "we would be unbeatable."

In contrast, U.S. practice at Stanford Stadium on Sunday was as loose as a pickup game in a park. Midfielder John Harkes, suspended for the game after getting his second yellow card against Romania, kept busy by spraying teammates with a water bottle.

After Brazil's practice Sunday at Santa Clara, players were put through their daily cross-examinations.

"It's crazy," said Jorginho, a defender. "But Brazil can never enter a tournament to be runner-up."

Brazil shut out Russia and Cameroon in the first round, then tied Sweden 1-1 in a game that didn't mean much. Brazilian papers made their team seem like the 1962 Mets.

"We're just sad," goalkeeper Claudio Taffarel said. "We're doing everything right. We have attained our objective. But people aren't satisfied. We don't know what they want."

CUP: Maradona views game from press box

(From 1C)

ket with the green-and-white flag of Escobar's regular team, Atletico Nacional of Medellin, draped over it.

With Escobar's death so quickly following Diego Maradona's banishment for failing a drug test, the spotlight has strayed from the field. Part of it was on the press box at the Rose Bowl for the sensational Argentina-Romania game — and on Maradona.

Maradona was issued a press credential to do television commentary on Argentina's matches, which turned out to be for all of one game.

He was allowed to enter the broadcast booth in the stadium and broadcast offices, but had no access to the mixed zone, where journalists can interview players and coaches after a game.

Near the end of his nation's game, Maradona left the press box, accompanied by his wife. Moments later, the 1978 and '86 champions left the tournament.

"There's nothing that can justify this," the bitter superstar said. "This isn't the team I left ... the happy team, the knowing team. They sawed off our legs, not just mine, but of all Argentines."

Gheorghe Hagi emerged as one of the stars of the event, leading Romania's superb counterattacks in a wide-open game played at a break-neck pace. Hagi scored the winning goal and set up one of Ilie Dumitrescu's two scores as Romania made the quarterfinals for the first time.

At Dallas, Sweden got two goals and an assist from Kennet Andersson in ousting surprising Saudi Arabia, the first Persian Gulf team to get past the opening round.

Andersson set up Martin Dahlin's goal in the sixth minute, then got his two — the last one right after the Saudis crept within a goal in the final minutes.

"When you have two strikers like Martin and Kennet, all defenses must be careful," coach Tommy Svensson said.

Today, the United States plays its biggest game ever, against heavily favored Brazil at Stanford Stadium.

The other second-round games have Ireland vs. the Netherlands at Orlando, Fla., on Monday; Italy against Nigeria at Foxboro, Mass., and Bulgaria vs. Mexico at East Rutherford, N.J., on Tuesday.

SAMPRAS: Serve crushes Ivanisevic

(From 1C)

dre Agassi two years ago.

"It didn't do tennis any good. I'm sure people who had the TV turned on, turned off their sets. It was such a nice day, I'm sure they went outside and sunbathed."

It was one of the hottest days in Wimbledon history, 116 degrees on Centre Court. With no rain the past week, the grass was dry and fast, virtually guaranteeing there would be no long rallies. But that didn't bother Sampras. He loved the conditions and the winner's prize — $517,500. Ivanisevic earned half that amount. The victory was the eighth of the year for the top-ranked Sampras, who has won four of the last five Grand Slams, losing only in the French Open to Jim Courier.

"I thought the tennis was very high class today," said Sampras, whose serve was never broken and who faced only two break-points all match. "Maybe you're not seeing a lot of long rallies, but it's tough to hit a serve that hard in a matter of three or four inches. When you have two guys who play very similar like us, you're not going to see a lot of rallies."

The absence of drama had less to do with the aces and two- or three-shot rallies than it did with the score. It was as if everyone wanted to press fast-forward in the first two sets to get to the tiebreakers, knowing that neither player would yield serve. Yet when the tiebreakers came, they concluded in straightforward fashion, Ivanisevic never threatening Sampras.



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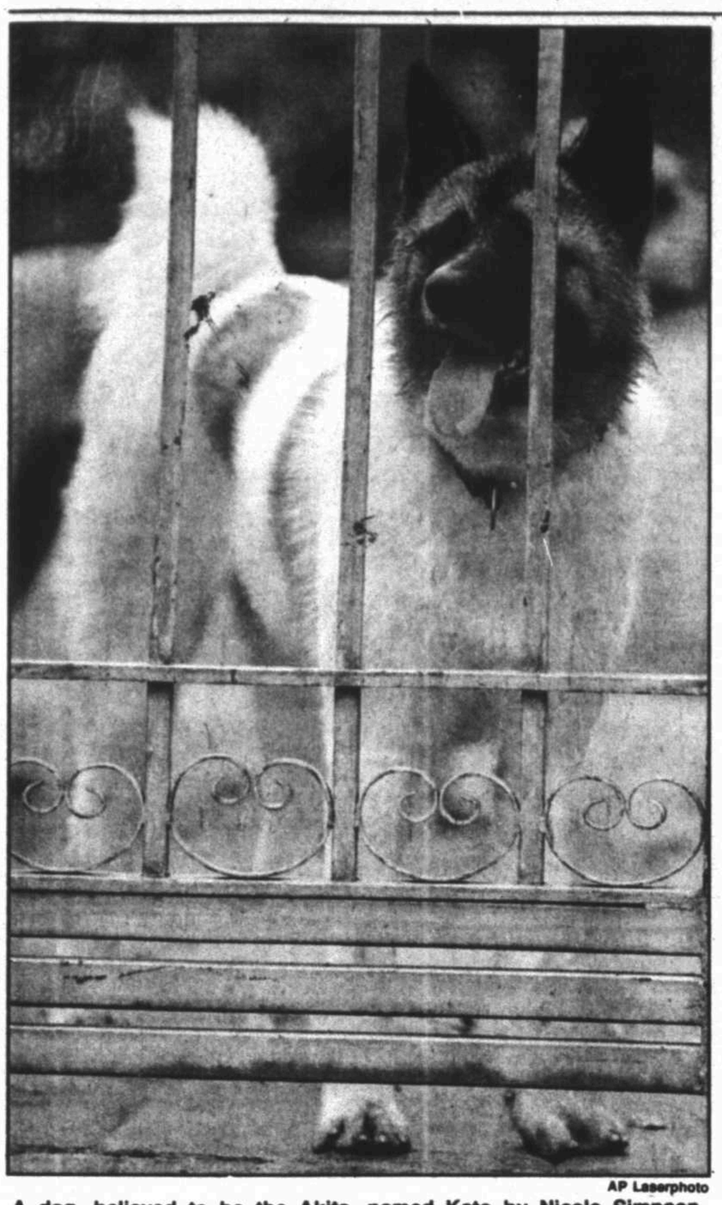
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Nicole Simpson's neighbors recall barking dog



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A dog, believed to be the Akita, named Kato by Nicole Simpson, stands inside the gate at O.J. Simpson's home, Saturday in Los Angeles.

Editor's Note — Nicole Brown Simpson's Akita, named Kato, could be crucial for prosecutors trying to disprove O.J. Simpson's alibi in the slayings of his former wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman. During Simpson's preliminary hearing, neighbors recalled the dog's barking and how it led to the bodies the night of June 12. Here are the neighbors' stories, taken from their testimony Friday.

By E. Scott Reckard
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — He was watching television in the bedroom upstairs, 15 or 20 minutes into the 10 p.m. news, when the dog's wail began.

From time to time, barking dogs had disturbed the serene nights at Paul Fenjves' home on Gretna Green Way, near the Brentwood Country Club. But not like this, he thought. Not for this long. Not in that melancholy tone.

He went down to his first-floor office as the howls continued.

Around the corner on Montana Avenue, Steven Schwab clicked off the TV as "The Dick Van Dyke Show" ended at 10:30 p.m. He put a leash on his dog and stepped into the balmy night. He was back for Mary Tyler Moore's show at 11 p.m.

Schwab walked with his dog across Bundy Drive, then wandered Amherst Avenue, Gorham Avenue, Dorothy Street. He had turned back toward home when the large white Akita loomed. It barked and barked.

It was strange for such a beautiful dog to be abandoned. The Akita was agitated, looking down a path, barking. It stopped the racket long enough to sniff Schwab's dog. Its expensive red and blue collar carried no name. Then Schwab saw its paws.

They were covered with blood. Strange, Schwab thought, though not that strange. After all, his dog had sometimes come home bloodied after a fight, or after stepping on broken glass.

Akitas originated in northern Japan. They are sometimes called the royal dogs of Japan; emperors kept them as pets. A powerful breed, they are normally calm and patient. But they are intensely loyal and attack fiercely when provoked — not surprising for a breed once used to hunt bears. Still used in Japan as police dogs, they are $800 pets in the United States.

Schwab walked his dog down Bundy Drive toward home. The Akita followed. A police car appeared and he flagged it down. The Akita seemed determined to stay with Schwab. They decided the officer would alert the pound; Schwab would keep the dog until animal-control officers arrived.

He had never seen anything like it: the Akita stopped at each pathway to the condominiums along Bundy to bark as they walked back to his home. The Akita would have to stay in the courtyard of Schwab's complex. Inside, where Mary Tyler Moore had started, the dog would spook the cat.

Not far away, Paul Fenjves headed back upstairs to bed at 11. The barking still hadn't stopped. He peeked through the shutters, across the alley toward the back of the condos on Bundy.

Seeing nothing but a few lights, he switched off his own lights and went to bed. It wasn't for him to investigate.

Schwab sat in his courtyard with the Akita as the minutes stretched on. Where was animal control? He decided to walk the dog back to where he had found it; maybe the owner had returned. But it pulled back when he reached the corner of Bundy, as if it didn't want to go.

He took it back to the courtyard. It was panting heavily, and Schwab went inside for a bowl of water. It was about 11:30 as he saw the light flashing on his answering machine. Telling his wife someone had called, he carried the water outside. The Akita drank deeply.

His wife told him the understaffed animal shelter couldn't pick up the dog and would only accept it if they brought it in before midnight, when the last control officer would leave.

They were discussing their options — tie the dog up overnight? print posters later advertising a lost Akita? — when help arrived. It was a neighbor, Sukru Boztepe, who had cared for the Schwabs' pets while they vacationed.

Boztepe woke his wife, Bettina Rasmussen, to show her the Akita. They quickly agreed to keep it overnight and return it to the shelter the next day. But the dog was jumpy, scratching the door, sniffing the windows, its paws and legs still stained red. A walk might calm it down.

It was midnight as they left, the Akita leading, pulling Boztepe hard, his wife at his side. About 600 feet from his home, the dog stopped at a path to a condo.

Boztepe turned to the right to follow the Akita's gaze when he saw it. The woman was sprawled on the path, her face turned to Boztepe. The only light was from the streetlight behind him. But it was enough. Blood covered the tiled walk.

He turned back to his wife. Call 911. Call 911. Bettina Rasmussen got only a quick glimpse of the scene and turned away. My, God, she thought, it's a river of blood.

A woman walking to her car nearby said she would call from a phone box. But Boztepe couldn't count on that. He and his wife crossed the street to call themselves from a house.

It only took two minutes for the police car to arrive.

Later, Boztepe noticed how the Akita had calmed down. When he and his wife left the death scene, it came along easily.

The behavior of Kato is typical of its breed, said Dr. James Isaacs, an Encino veterinarian.

"The Akita is absolutely a family dog and it can be really devastating against an intruder. If it was a witness to the act of violence it would be a dog that would seek help," Isaacs said, adding that the dog would never leave its home and follow a stranger unless it was under severe duress.

"This dog knows that there's been a loss and that dog is going through a terrible separation anxiety," Isaacs said. "When you hear it crying that's what it's doing — crying. It's going through emotional pain."

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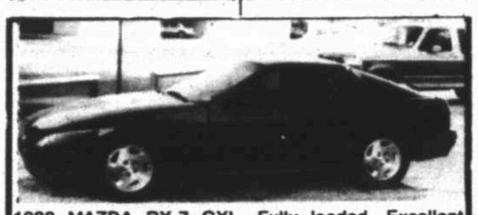
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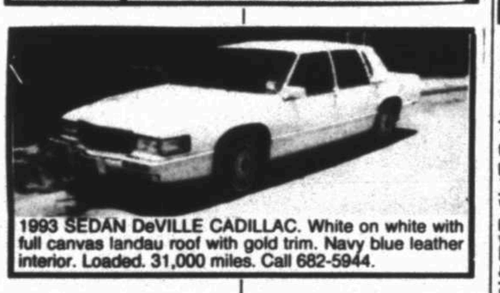
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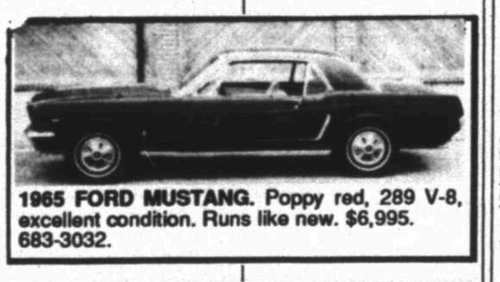
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DWF, 50
Likes flea markets, travel, country western music, board games, cigarettes. Seeks good ole boy type DWM, 48-58, friendship, relationship. VMB 4121

Professional DWM, 38
5'11", 190lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, enjoys golf, fishing and travel. Seeking attractive, outgoing S/DWF, 30-40, for friendship. VMB 1379

SWM, 27
Nonsmoker, 225lbs., 5'11". Chivalrous, still believes in true love. Seeks lady 20-45, intelligent, fun-loving, outgoing. Looks unimportant, personality is. VMB 0631

Scuba diver
SWF, 21, 5'9", auburn hair, aqua eyes, water lover, likes sports, adventures. Seeking S/DWM, 22-30, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 0336

Outgoing SAM, 27
Health conscious, nonsmoker, non-drinker, enjoys walks, outdoors, romantic evenings. Seeking S/DH/WF, 24-30, for friendship, possible romance. VMB 7044

Attractive blonde
Widowed WF, 54, 5'6", trim, enjoys country life, dancing. Seeking nonsmoking S/DWM, 50-65, to waltz across Texas, friendship, relationship. VMB 7987

SWF, 18
5'4", 105lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys country dancing, travel. Seeks SM, 18-30, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4318

New to area
Attractive, outgoing, professional DWM, 38, brown hair, blue-eyed. Would like to meet attractive WF, for dating and fun. VMB 4696

Good-Looking SWM, 32
6'2", 155lbs., brown hair, green-eyed, enjoys country music, nightlife, walking, good conversation, Seeking SWF, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1456

Intense!
SWM, 24, professional artist, metal guitarist. Seeking slender SWF, 21-30, honest, sincere, dedicated, one-man-woman only. VMB 2043

SHCM, 18
Dark brown hair, brown eyes, honest, sincere, enjoys music, outdoors, movies. Seeking SCF, 18-23, race unimportant, friendship, fun times. VMB 3531

Tall, active DWF
50's, medium build, outgoing, people person. Seeks tall, professional, well-rounded DWM, for dancing, travel, movies, dining out. VMB 4559

Very attractive
DBF, 25, nondrinker, drug-free, nonsmoker, outgoing, enjoys exercise, dancing. Seeking honest, attractive S/DM, 35-45, for serious relationship. VMB 4527

SWM, 34
6ft., 160lbs., professional, financially independent, athletic, enjoys movies, outdoor activities, traveling. Seeking S/DWF, 28+, for friendship, relationship. VMB 1505

DWCF, 33
Two children, enjoys walks, quiet evenings, camping. Seeking honest, drug-free, nondrinking S/DWCM, 33-45, for companionship, possible relationship. VMB 7079

Blue-eyed SWF, 25
Brown hair, RN, sincere, honest, independent. Seeking honest, good humored S/DWM, 23-35, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 5619

Outgoing SWM, 28
5'8", 150lbs., enjoys reading, sports, dancing, movies. Seeking nonsmoking S/DHF, 21-30, with similar interests, for friendship, possibly more. VMB 6054

Single Christian
African American female, 40, enjoys movies, swimming, gardening. Seeking SCM, 40-45, who loves the lord. VMB 9720

Widowed WCF, 61
5'7", nonsmoker, nondrinker, enjoys fishing, camping. Seeking S/DWCM, nondrinker, for companionship, possible relationship. VMB 2246

Let's do lunch
SWF, blue-eyed blonde, easygoing, independent, enjoys bowling, dancing, movies. Seeking male Knight, in shining armor, 45-65. VMB 7888

SBF, 19
Looking for nice, energetic SWM, 20-28, who enjoys having fun, nice walks in the park, for possible relationship. VMB 8329

One-man-woman
Single mom, 29, family-oriented. Enjoys children, animals, togetherness, reading, travel. Seeking honest, humorous, one-woman-man, over 30, for monogamous relationship. VMB 8714

Lonely
SWM, 31, 5'6", brown hair, brown eyes, enjoys bowling, fishing, camping, etc. Seeking S/DW/HF, similar interests, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4190

DWCF, early 40's
Single mom, attractive, financially secure, humorous, likes movies, most sports, travel. Seeking S/DWCM, 35-50, who values honesty, communication. VMB 3579

DWM, tall
Attractive, financially secure, outgoing, enjoys traveling, sports, outdoors. Seeking attractive SW/HF, 25-35, who enjoys traveling, for summer fun, romance. VMB 7060

Vivacious SBF, 25
Enjoys quiet evenings, music, movies. Seeking S/DBM, 25-40, who enjoys children. If interested please respond. VMB 0053

Good-looking SBF, 26
Self-confident lady. Seeking good-looking SBM, 26-32, who's honest, drug-free, romantic and enjoys quiet evenings. VMB 3059

DWF, 28
Single mom of two, enjoys weight lifting, family activities. Seeking mature, financially secure, honest S/DWM, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 6543

A real cowboy
DWM, financially secure, dark hair, dark eyes. Seeking S/DWF, 28-40, who enjoys western dancing, sports, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2506

Waltz across Texas?
Handsome, humorous, sophisticated, passionate DWM, 52, nonsmoker, 5'11", 180lbs., athletic build, educated, professional, starting over. Loves romance, beaches, golf, tennis, skiing, travel, big time dance. Wants to be totally spoiled by an active S/DWF of means, 40-55, similar taste. Full-time relationship only. VMB 3387

SBF, 18
5'4". Seeking older SBM, 20-28, who likes talking on phone, having fun, spending quality time. VMB 6315

Attractive DWF, 40's
Tall, slender, brunette, professional, enjoys travel, dining out, theater. Seeks tall S/DWM, who's financially secure, with similar interests. VMB 0120

DWM, 31
Financially secure, two children, enjoys dancing, sports, movies, cooking. Seeking S/DWF, honest, outgoing, active, for possible long-term relationship. VMB 8708

Legally separated WM
23, 5'6", medium build, blue-eyed, outgoing, adventurous. Enjoys sports, quiet evenings. Seeks open-minded S/DF, 18-30, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2809

Sincere, honest
SWF, 31, mom, enjoys parks, dining, dancing. Seeking S/DWM, 30-40, financially secure, physically fit, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2169

SHF, 30's
5'2", 126lbs., brown hair, eyes, attractive, creative, confident, caring. Enjoys working out, music, dining. Seeking compatible SWM, 40-48, 150-180lbs. VMB 9090

Adventurous DWM, 43
Honest, sincere, romantic, 6'3", 215lbs. Enjoys outdoor sports, reading, travel, concerts. Seeking slender S/DWF, dating, possible relationship. VMB 3214

Attractive, professional
DWF, 40's, slender, blonde hair, caring, sincere, enjoys life. Seeks professional, confident, understanding, caring DWM, 40-50, who loves children. VMB 4271

Athletic SWM, 36
5'9", 176lbs., blond, blue-eyed, nonsmoker. Seeking attractive SWF, 23-36, who enjoys laughing, sports, outdoor activities and movies. VMB 3438

Outgoing SWF, 23
5'7", 130lbs., social drinker, nonsmoker, one child. Enjoys outdoor activities, lakes, dancing, traveling. Seeking S/DWM, friendship, possible relationship. 7304

SWM, 34
Enjoys all outdoor activities, movies, car shows, fishing, camping, music and reading. Seeking S/DW/HF, 27-45, for serious relationship. VMB 3135

DCM, 42
Easygoing, financially secure, enjoys outdoors, country and gospel music. Seeks S/DCF, for lasting relationship, smoker, no games. VMB 2829

Friendly DWF, 5'7"
Enjoys cooking, quiet evenings, movies, camping. Seeks sincere, tall, nonsmoking S/DWM, 49-55, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 9295

SBF, 27
Enjoys movies, music, shopping and meeting new people. Seeking outgoing, fun-lovng S/DM, 23-38, with a good personality. VMB 0772

SWM, 18
Seeks country girl, 18-21, who is sincere, enjoys walks in park, dancing, romantic dinners, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 5399

Spontaneous SWM
35, 6ft., hazel-eyed, confident, enjoys music, movies, quiet times. Seeks S/DF, 38-48, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4536

Mars seeking Venus
Affectionate, adventurous SHM, looking for cute, slim SW/HF, 20-30, for long-term, honest, respectable relationship. VMB 0023

DWM, 44, 5'11"
Mr. Nice seeking Miss. Right. Enjoys music, movies, outdoors. Desires S/DW/HF, age unimportant, nonsmoker, sense of humor. VMB 2314

Romantic dancing cowboy
Professional appearance, tall, slender, blond SWM, 54. Seeking trim, beautiful S/DWF, for friendship, fun, country dancing, romantic evenings. VMB 5357

DWF, 32
Loves metal and alternative music, movies, sports, just hanging with friends. Seeking S/DWM, 20-35, similar interests, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4348

Large and lovely
SBF, 28, mother of two, enjoys family outings, quiet times, music. Seeking S/DBM, 29-39, honest, no game players. VMB 7015

DWM, 42
Seeking S/DWF, 30-42, nonsmoker, who likes scenic drives, quiet evenings, walks, camping, hiking, rock-n-roll, movies, for romance, companionship. VMB 0238

Meg Ryan type
Tanned brunette, 5'4", size 8, no kids, likes sports, friends, cookouts. Seeks S/DWM, 23-35, for serious relationship. VMB 6582

SBF, 26
5'7" 145lbs., mom, nonsmoker, non-drinker, romantic, enjoys cooking. Seeks attractive S/DWM, 30-40, 6ft.+, for long-term relationship. VMB 5711

SWM, 24
Smoker, nondrinker, enjoys country music, fishing, outdoors. Seeks slender, nondrinking SWF, 19-25, with similar interests. VMB 2633

Adventurous SHM, 37
5'9", 155lbs., young-at-heart, smoker. Enjoys camping, fishing, animals. Seeking S/DF, 28-40, with great personality, children okay. VMB 4907

DWF, 40's
Easygoing, enjoys slow music, traveling, movies. Seeks tall S/DWM, 45-55, for friendship and companionship. VMB 2475

Back from Hawaii
SWM, 30, energetic, fun-loving, likes rock music, talks, plays, guitar, involved in martial arts. Seeking genuine SH/WF, 24-38. VMB 2267

Widowed WF, 50's
5'3", blonde, young-at-heart, energetic, loves country western dancing, travel. Seeking tall S/DM, 39-49, with similar interests. VMB 2428

Fun-loving DWF
Adventurous, enjoys outdoors, quiet times, dancing, going out. Seeking S/DWM, 30's, for friendship first, kids o.k. VMB 5758

Second hand heart
Seeking slender, attractive, honest S/DW/HCF, 25-38. DWCM, 39, enjoys sports, outdoors, hunting, gardening, looking for friendship, more. VMB 1185

DWM, 38
5'7", 160lbs., single parent, two children. Likes football, softball, bowling, fishing. Seeking sincere WF, 34-42, for possible relationship. VMB 0169

SWM, 59
5'5", blue-eyed, medium-build, enjoys dancing, movies, walks. Seeking level headed S/DWF, similar interests, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2759

DWM, 40
Likes going out, dining, barbecues, dancing. Seeks attractive S/DWF, 35-40, for fun, possible relationship. VMB 9251

SHF, 22
Long-haired, 5'4", 125lbs., romantic, outgoing. Enjoys dining, dancing, quiet evenings, walks in park. Seeking tall S/DHM, 22-28, good-looking. VMB 3944

SBF, 19
5'9", seeking tall SWM, 19-24, who enjoys music, dancing, talking on the phone, being themselves, has sense of humor. VMB 1464

Fun-loving DWM, 50
Good sense of humor, enjoys sports, walking, movies, country western music, quiet times. Seeking S/DF, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 9304

Long-legged
European, blonde, widowed female, 50's, 5'9", artist. Seeks financially secure widower, nonsmoker, 6ft.+, 45-60, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2355

SWM, 34
Very confident, spontaneous, financially secure, enjoys music, cooking, movies, quiet times. Seeks SWF, 30-45, social drinker, children okay. VMB 8783

DWM, 25
6'3", 170lbs., enjoys all sports, outdoors, travel, romantic evenings. Seeking SWF, 20-28, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4280

Party doll, SWF, 45
Looking for love with someone special, SWM, 30-50, enjoys country music, romantic evenings, good conversationalist, endless possibilities. VMB 0096

SWF, 24
Attractive, slim, energetic, mother of two, with zest for living. Seeks sincere, monogamous, financially secure, nonsmoking, drug-free WM, 24-30. VMB 0220

DBF, 44
Sound mind, well-adjusted person, enjoys traveling, movies. Seeking S/DM, 44-50, with similar interests, for possible relationship. VMB 7658

Black is beautiful
SBF, 23, enjoys music, parks, novels, dining. Seeking employed, drug-free, nonsmoking S/DM, 25-37, for friendship, kids okay. VMB 0725

Educated professional
SWCM, 51, likes finer things of life: quiet times, fun times, travel, dancing. Seeks S/DWF, 42-52, for friendship, romance. VMB 9867

SBF, 33
Attractive, honest, intelligent, enjoys quiet evenings, travel, movies, sports. Seeking tall, intelligent, sincere, attractive SBM, 33-45, for relationship. VMB 3243

Easygoing SWM, 20
6'1", 185lbs., green-eyed, enjoys movies, football, music. Seeking humorous, honest S/DWF, 18-23, to treat like a lady. VMB 4476

Outgoing WF, 45
Widowed businesswoman, enjoys dancing. Seeking sincere WM, 30-50, nondrinker, drug-free, for companionship. VMB 0971

SWF, early 40's
Friendly, likeable, likes the outdoors, music, bicycling, traveling anywhere. Seeking mature, sincere S/DWM, 35-50, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 8968

SWF, mid 50's
Outgoing, caring, sincere. Wanting that special WM, 50-60, varied interests, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1605

Enchanted adventure
Tall, handsome, wandering Squire SWM, 31. Seeks slim, fair, professional Damsel, for lifetime of movie magic of the heart. VMB 1560

DWF, 53
Slender, blue-eyed brunette. Seeking SW gentleman, 5'9"-6'4", smoker, social drinker okay. Must be honest, with sense of humor. VMB 1468

DWM
Retired, financially secure, enjoys fishing, bowling, travel, movies, dining. Tired of doing things alone. Seeking companionship, relationship with S/DWF, 45-60. VMB 2149

Widowed WF
5'3", 120lbs., attractive redhead, humorous, non-smoker, good conversationalist. Likes dancing, dining. Seeking nice gentleman, 58+, for friendship, companionship, more. VMB 0102

Abbreviations
[M]-Male [F]-Female [S]-Single [D]-Divorced [C]-Christian [J]-Jewish [B]-Black [H]-Hispanic [W]-White [A]-Asian [NA]-Native American [NR]-Non Religious [VMB]-Voice Mailbox

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250 Recreational Vehicles

OVER 80 NEW & USED RVs IN STOCK
Terry & Mallard travel trailers, Southwind & Tioga motor homes. Expert service and large parts & supply inventory. BLAKELY RV COMPLEX, I-20 Service Rd. West of 1788.
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GMC 1975 Midas Motor Home. 25', self contained. excellent condition. $4,500. 684-3926.

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250 Recreational Vehicles

God Bless America
Closed Today for Holiday
BILLY SIMS, TRAILER TOWN

BLAKELY RV COMPLEX, I-20 service road west of 1788. 561-9551.

DEI RAY 11' Cab over camper. Sleeps 6, refrigerator gas or electric. $600. 683-9367.

260 Boats & Motors

1990 SKEETER FF 175, 175 horse power Mariner, used 6 times, loaded, must sell. Call 523-2763, Andrews.

★ 1979 JET BOAT, 454 Chevy engine, $2,500. Call 683-2597, please leave message.

Sell it in the Classifieds
682-6222

260 Boats & Motors

CAJUN 1992 2050, 20' fish-ski. 200 GT Johnson, Sea breeze color. $14,000 or best offer. 570-6653.

1985 MONARCH 150 horse Johnson, 2 live wells, fish and ski boat. 682-7751.

1972 DECKETTE 15 foot, 115 horse power Mercury motor, power trim, well maintained. 3511 Stanolind, 697-1911.

JET BOAT, 18 foot Tahiti, just rebuilt 455 Olds, Berkley jet, jetavator, lake ready. 520-0711, leave message.

290 Auto Parts & Accessories

REMANUFACTURED - ENGINES. Tune - ups, brakes, air conditioning, diagnostics. Ron's Engines, 685-1076 or 1-800-974-1076.

NEW engine for Buick 1982 Regal, V6. 570-5727.

8 3/4 CHRYSLER rear end, narrowed for dragster, 41 spine axles, disc brakes. $75. 520-0450.

310 General Help Wanted

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an opening on one of its few "special allowance" routes. This larger route receives a $50 check each Friday in addition to the regular monthly route profits. The route is in the Midland Freshman area.

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. These routes require a small deposit.

Apply in person or contact the Circulation Dept.
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois Ave.
Midland
687-8807
Tonya Brandon

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TRUCK Drivers needed for oil field jobs. Must be able to travel. No need to relocate. Must have Class A CDL and clear driving record. Call 1-800-588-2669, Mon.-Fri., 8 am-5 pm.

310 General Help Wanted

✔ ROOFING Crews wanted for local company. Experience a must. Must have own trailer. Call 689-7663. TOP PAY. Plenty of Work!

SALON
NATIONAL Salon Corporation looking for management and staff. Guaranteed base plus commission, benefits. Call 697-7961.

RESTUARANT
NOW hiring waitpersons. Apply in person Fast Freddy's, 4358 W. Illinois. EOE.

HOUSEKEEPER
DEPENDABLE, hard working housekeeper needed immediately. Must be familiar with new and existing construction cleaning. Local references required. Phone 570-9457 after 6 to set up interview.

LABORER
ONE year experienced sheetrock hangers and tapers. 687-0553.

$485 WEEKLY! Mailing letters from home. Full/ part time. No experience necessary! Easy! Any hours! Free information. Further information optional. Call Clearinghouse Publications at 1-413-568-6543 ext. 1515. 24 hr. recording.



EXTRA NICE BONNEVILLE PONTIAC 1987 LE. Perfect second car. Lots of TLC. See to believe. Call 570-9905 office hours or 685-3427 or 685-0509.



1989 BMW 325i 4-DR. One owner, 43,000 miles, garaged, excellent condition. Sunroof, tinted windows, near new tires. Price Negotiable. 699-5551 after 5 p.m.



1954 STUDEBAKER 3/4 TON. Power steering, tilt wheel, Chevy 350, automatic, rewired, dual exhaust and more. (Over $6,000 invested) Sacrifice $2,500. 686-0289 before 8 p.m.



1989 SUBURBAN CONVERSION. 4 captain chairs, lots of wood trim, built-in radar detector, many more extras. Very clean. 86K highway miles. $10,900. Call 686-0351.



1986 NISSAN 300ZX. Red w/ gray & black interior. Fully loaded, T-tops w/ double locks. New tires, shocks & struts. $6,250. (W)685-2066, (H)520-0332.



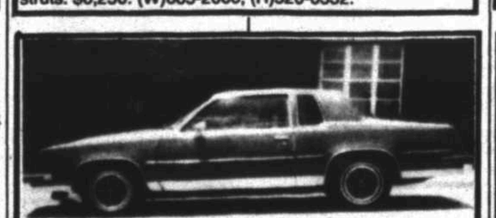
1992 DODGE RAM 350 4-WHEEL DRIVE. Cummins turbo diesel, 5-speed, air. Excellent condition. Days 559-1036, nights 683-7856.



1987 NISSAN PATHFINDER XE 4Wheel Drive. V-6, air, automatic, luggage rack, rear defroster, tilt, cruise, hitch. Very well maintained. 93K miles. $8,400. 697-2806.



1986 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN. Loaded. 108,000 miles. Great condition. Navy and gray color. $7,000. Call 687-2901.



1984 CUTLASS SUPREME. One owner, 66K miles, excellent condition. Automatic transmission, air, power windows. New tires, vinyl top. $2750. Phone 697-9916 leave message.



1986 FIERO SEMR6. Black. Sunroof, power windows, automatic, custom spoiler and ground effects. 74,000 miles. Call 689-7689, if no answer please leave message.



1982 FORD LTD. 99,800 miles. Runs great. Air conditioning. Well maintained. $1,250. 694-7763.

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NIGHT TIME DELIVERY
of the
Midland Reporter-Telegram
to 110 Homes & 8 Stores in the Stanton/Tarzan Area. Potential monthly earnings over $600 average after expenses - take home money! Pick up your papers at 1 am every morning & normally in 3 hours you're DONE!!
$100 REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT REQUIRED
Call Marvin 687-8805,
Office Hours 1-800-542-3952

Single Copy Assistant

The Midland Reporter-Telegram is taking applications for a part-time single copy assistant. You work approximately 20-25 hours per week, Sunday through Friday. This individual will work directly with store manager and newstands. Must have good driving record and reliable vehicle. Company will reimburse mileage.

Apply at:
MRT
201 E. Illinois

DRIVERS

FWA DRILLING COMPANY,INC.
is looking for experienced
TRUCK DRIVERS
must have at least 2-3 years experience with rig up trucks.
Longevity raises paid at 1, 6, & 12 months.
Safety incentives paid monthly
Good company benefits.
Apply in Person
640 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Tx.

DELIVER TELEPHONE BOOKS TO EARN EXTRA MONEY
Men or women over 18 with auto and liability insurance are needed to deliver the New Southwestern Bell MIDLAND Telephone Directory.
CALL TOLL FREE 1-800-648-0014
BETWEEN 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY
EOE

RESUMES & COVER Letters Professionally Written, Free lance writing, fast service reasonable rates. 699-1919.

AVON - Full time/ part-time. Earn extra money. No door to door required. Verla 520-0119

SODA FOUNTAIN help needed PART TIME to make sandwiches and fudge. Apply in person to Graham Pharmacy, 319 Dodson Street. No phone calls please.

★ WE offer you the best jobs and benefits package in the industry. As the largest temporary help service in the world, Manpower can offer you more! We have a wide variety of industrial/ labor positions available, so call the best - Manpower, 682-2119.

CONSULTANT
Needed Immediately. Openings available for training with national image/cosmetic company. Learn color analysis, makeup application, wardrobe planning. $25/hour. Car program and flexible hours. Call: Ms. Morgan 915-684-8680

$25 to 50K/per year
Resthaven Memorial Park is seeking sensitive, caring individuals to act as Pre-Need Counselors. If you are truly interested in helping people, this is one of the most rewarding careers available.
Bilingual would be a plus.
All the benefits plus a tremendous bonus opportunity.
For a personal and confidential interview, contact Sales Manager at 684-5462. Must have dependable transportation.
E.O.E.

NAIL Tech, exclusive spot available for Nail Tech. Relaxed and comfortable atmosphere. Great opportunity to add to customer list. If you have existing clientele and are ready to go to work now, please call 694-2241.

OFFICE
CASHIER NEEDED
Dependable and Detail oriented. Apply in person to Linda Farmer at 4040 W. Wall.

RESTAURANT
ABUELOS hiring experienced Line Cooks. Apply between 8-10:30 am and 2-5 PM. Colonade at Garfield & Loop 250 N.

ROOFING
MCDONALDS Roofing will pay $50 cash for any lead that results in signed roofing contract. 520-8407.

MECHANIC
EXPERIENCED mechanic needed. Immediate opening. Suspension, brakes, alignment and air conditioning. Will be trained on our equipment. Must have own tools and be able to pass drug test. 50 hour work week with overtime and salary depending on experience. Send resume to Box H-01 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MUDLOGGER - Well sight geology. Permain Basin area. Call 817-222-9050 or 817-577-2077.

MANAGER Trainee will lead to running small business. Accounting knowledge required, construction and/ or sales experience helpful. Salary $1,750. Send resume to Personnel Department, P.O. Box 2932, Midland Texas 79702.

COLLEGE STUDENTS & 94' High School Grads. $9.25 to start. Full-time/ part-time. No experience required. 18 Or older. 570-5823.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, full time, needed for MIDLAND Soccer Association Applications now being taken. Applicants must have good communication, organization and management skills. Resumes will be accepted by mail up to July 22, 1994 at: 1909 W. Wall, Suite N, Midland, Texas 79701.

MECHANIC. Engine exchange exprience. Must have own tools. References. No beginners. Ron's Engines, 685-1076.

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Certified Lifegaurd
Kindercare Learning Center has an immediate opening for a certified lifeguard. Must be at least 18 years of age. Apply at 4303 W. Illinois.
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Maintenance Person
Must be neat in appearance. Criminal check required. Experienced only need apply in person at Northridge Court Apartments 3417 N. Midland Dr.

RESTAURANT
SONIC Drive-ins in Midland are now hiring all positions - day or evening shifts. Minimum age requirement: 16 years. Full or part-time. Please apply in person between 10 am-7 pm: 1109 N. Midkiff; 3210 N. Big Spring St.; Rankin Hwy at I-10.

TELEMARKETERS
$CASH/ WEEKLY$ Need 15 serious Telemarketers, hourly wage guaranteed plus excellent bonuses. Full time/ part time available. Experience a plus. Make up to $8 an hour! Call 685-3555.

TELE-MARKETERS ALERT
★ Our Top Producers have earned over $15/Hr.
★ Salary + Bonus
★ Experience helpful but not required
★ Bi-lingual a plus
For a personal interview, Call Lisa after 1:00 P.M. Tuesday.
684-5462
E.O.E.

ASSISTANT Manager wanted. Now taking applications for Assistant Manager. Willing to train for management. Competitive pay, good benefits, future advancement. Apply in person at Sunbelt Credit, 4313-C W. Illinois, Midland.

MANAGER
EXPERIENCED Apartment Manager. 113 units in Odessa. Strong leasing background. Call Jan 362-3313.

RESTAURANT
NOW Hiring at Michael's Charcoal grill. Full time/ part time positions available for cashier and bus person. Apply in person only between 10-11 am, Monday thru Friday 4317 W. Illinois.

HOTEL
THE MIDLAND HOLIDAY INN is accepting applications for:
★ NIGHT AUDITOR
To work from 11 pm to 7 am. This is a full time job. We will provide all necessary training including in IBM computer, 10-key, switchboard and customer contact skills. This job includes weekend and holiday work.
Apply in person at the front desk of 4300 W. Wall.

HAIRSTYLISTS
MASTER CUTS located in Midland Park Mall is seeking hairstylists. No clientele necessary you just need to be a great hair cutter. Licensed cosmetologists only. We offer excellent benefits:
★ Guaranteed salary
★ Monthly bonuses
★ Retail commission and prizes
★ Furnished supplies
★ Advance training
★ Employees stock option plan
★ Opportunity for advancement with a National leading chain
For interview contact Angela at 689-8811.

MANAGER Trainee wanted. 10K + a year. Must be willing to relocate. Apartment will be furnished while in training. Must have at least a high school diploma. Must be 21 years old. Benefits include health insurance, retirement plan. Please fax or mail resume. Fax number: 915-263-2440 or mail to: Manager Trainee, 1611 S. Gregg, Big Spring, TX 79720. Only the serious need to apply. Call 915-263-0234 for information.

ROOFING crews needed. Pay top dollar. 685-5090.

BUS PERSON
EXCLUSIVE private club, with pleasant atmosphere and good working conditions has openings for full or part time bus person. Apply in person between 10 am and noon. Petroleum Club of Midland, 501 W. Wall (rear entrance please).

HEATING, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Technician with experience needed immediately. Must relocate to Carlsbad, New Mexico. Benefits including pay scale according to experience. Send resume to 1910 Gwenda Dr., Carlsbad or call 505-887-7777.

INSURANCE
ODESSA Independent Insurance Agency is seeking an experienced Personal Lines Customer Service Representative with solicitor or ISR license. Salary commensurate with experience. Please call Pat Shands, Melton Insurance Associates, Inc., 550-9308.

OPENHOLE Wireline operator needed. Competitive salary. Class B CDL required, with HAZMAT certifications Openhole Experience needed but not a requirement. Send resume to P.O. Box 60507, Midland, Tx 79711-0507

TEACHER
MISS Irene's Christian Day Care needs a full time teacher. Must have experience, non-smoker, high school diploma. Apply at 1007 Austin, call 689-6309.

CASHIERS
NOW Hiring Cashiers, all shifts available. Must have verifiable references. Burger King, 43805 N. Midkiff Road.

CASHIERS needed. Apply at Raindance Car Wash 1103 Andrews Hwy. Must have references and drivers license.

PAINTER NEEDED
With some body work experience. Apply at:
6001 W. Industrial Ave

PLUMBER - $500 bonus upon employment, top wages, health insurance, paid vacation for a licensed plumber capable of Commercial and Service plumbing! Willing to advance in 47 year old company. Apply at The Darville Company, 213 N. Hancock, Odessa.

DRIVERS
TREY TRUCKS
Experienced drivers needed. Pump truck, vacuum truck, and transport, must have oil field experience, and CDL license. Mandatory drug testing and physical. Starting pay $7.30 to $7.85 per hour. Apply in person only, Mon. - Fri., 3700 E. Garden City Hwy.

HOUSEKEEPER/ Child Care wanted. Monday through Friday, 8 am-5 pm. 1 full time child, 3 after schoolers. Must do washing, cleaning, etc. Must have dependable transportation. Payroll will have taxes deducted. Send brief work history and references to BOX F-14 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

FITNESS
THE Central YMCA - Midland is currently seeking applications for Masseur/ Mens Fitness Center Attendant. Please apply in person at 800 N. Big Spring. EEOC.

DRIVERS
IMMEDIATE OPENING for Tractor-Truck Drivers. Must have 2 years minimum experience current CDL license and be able to pass DOT physical and drug screen. Call (915) 267-1691.

SALON
AVAILABLE Immediately! 2 openings for experienced Nail Techs with some following. Also Available August 1st, hair station. Great opportunity! Lease available. Call us Today!! Head to Toe, 520-4488.

MAKE-Ready person and porter for small apartment complex. Apply between 8 am-12 pm, 2601 N. A Street.

SERVICE STATION Attendant. Only the best need apply. Excellent pay for the right person. Apply in person only. Do Not Call! Cecil Chevron, Midkiff & Wadley.

*****AIRLINES*****
NOW HIRING ENTRY LEVEL
Customer service/ baggage handlers. Many other positions. Great pay/ benefits. Local or relocation. For applications and information call 1-510-796-9675 Ext. A286.

OILFIELD
IF You have knowledge of Oilfield Machinery and computerized data boxes for pumpjacks, and a current H2S certification, call Manpower. We may have a job for you! Manpower Temporary Services, 682-2119.

DISPATCHER
Urgently need someone to work 5 pm to 10 pm Monday thru Friday and 8 to 5 on Saturday and Sunday. No experience necessary. Stable work background required. 2 month assignment. Bring references to Vickey ASAP! No fee.
Temporary Resources
1601 W. Texas

311 Medical Help Wanted

INTAKE COORDINATOR
needed for local home health agency. Need experience in referral intake.
★ Knowledge of Insurance verification & Negotiation
★ Ability to market available services
★ Aggressive, challenging field for motivated RN
★ 35K +
Call Debbie at Infusion Plus
570-7587

RN
ESTABLISHED Ambulatory Surgery Center seeking the right OR/ RN to help us grow. Multi-specialty circulating experience required. Scrub experience preferred. Top dollar to the right person. Contact the Surgery Center of Texas, Ann Wilson, at 367-3906.

RECEPTIONIST Wanted for a very busy Physicians clinic, heavy phones, must have medical office experience. Send resume to: BOX F-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST with other Medical Office duties. Computer knowledge a plus. Send resume to: BOX G-05 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

Speech Language Pathologist/CCC
In the Midland area. Starting salary $60,000 plus sign on bonus, health benefits, continuing education & more. Fax resume to: 702-849-1290 or call Life Therapy, 800-869-0869.

Physical Therapist
Needed in the Midland area. Starting salary $65,000 plus sign on bonus, health benefits, continuing education and more. Fax resume to: 702-849-1290 or call Life Therapy, 800-869-0869.

Occupational Therapist
In the Midland area. Starting salary $60,000 plus sign on bonus, health benefits, continuing education & more. Fax resume to: 702-849-1290 or call Life Therapy, 800-869-0869.

NURSES
CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES
Full time positions available all shifts. Medical insurance available. Salary depends on experience.
Apply in person:
Courtyard Care Center
3203 Sage

DENTAL HYGIENIST needed full time. Please call 367-4774.

CERTIFIED NURSES AIDE
2-10 & 10-6, $5.25 per hour, excellent staff and working conditions.
Apply in person
Rockwood Manor
2000 N. Main

MEDICAL
PERMIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL
is accepting applications for
★ Registered nurse/ staff nurse
Full time position, home health experience preferred.
All applications are to be submitted to:
Sandy Butler
Director of Personnel
Permian General Hospital
P.O.BOX 2108
Andrews, TX 79714
EOE

PT ASSISTANT
A Medicare certified home health agency needs a licensed physical therapy assistant for a full or part time position. Experience preferred. Send resume to: Box A-30 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

L.V.N. Charge Nurse 2-10 Shift
Apply in person
Courtyard Care Center
3203 Sage
Midland, Texas

312 Professional Help Wanted

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN, local company, associates degree in electronics, experience in digital electronics, PCB trouble shooting at component level, analog device calibration, loading microprocessor software, and EPROM burn-in. Send replies to: BOX F-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

Division Safety Manager
Leading Industrial Cleaning Co. seeks Safety Professional for two Division locations. A Bachelors of Science Degree in Safety or related field and at least 4 years industrial experience are required. Knowledge of OSHA, DOT, and EPA regulations. Some travel required and ability to communicate in Spanish a plus. Send resume to: P.O BOX 1809, LaPorte, TX 77572-1809. Attn: Human Resources.

TAX MANAGER
Minimum 5 years public experience. Salary commensurate with experience. Regional Accounting Firm. Send resume to:
Beakley, Garrett & Associates, 5225 S. Loop 289, Suite 200, Lubbock, Texas 79424.

COMPUTER System Administrator. Immediate full time opening. 2 Years experience managing a VAX/VMS system and 2 years experience administering a UNIX system required. Programming and systems and analysis experience desirable. Will be responsible for academic and administrative systems in an educational environment. Please send resumes to ACU Station Box 6178, Abilene, TX 79699.

ROUTE SALES
MRS. BOEHME'S HOLSUM BAKERY
We are interviewing qualified applicants for Route Salesperson positions. Qualified applicants should have:
★ Successful previous job experience
★ Excellent communication and sales skills
★ Good driving record
★ Ability to pass a drug screen and pre-placement physical
★ Sincere interest in professional development and advancement
We offer good starting salary and benefit program and opportunity for advancement.
APPLY:
MON. - FRI.
9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
1108 S. Midland Dr.
Midland, TX 79703
An Equal Opportunity Employer

312 Professional Help Wanted

Engineering Technical Assistant
Applicant must have 2 - 5 years exp. in reserves and economics, data gathering, computer skills, ARIES, Quatro Pro and WordPerfect. Submit resume to Joe. C. Neal & Assoc. P.O. 10552, Midland, 79702.

PETROLEUM ENGINEER
Local oil & gas producer is looking for a Petroleum Engineer with 5 + years reservoir experience with a major. Primary emphasis on economics and reserve estimates. Log evaluation and secondary recovery a plus. Send replies to:
BOX F-08, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

AUTOMOTIVE
WE have immediate openings in sales and management. We need highly motivated, career oriented people who enjoy working in a retail atmosphere. Apply if you have these qualifications:
* Minimum 1 year automotive experience
* Friendly, enthusiastic personality
* Background in sales or management
* Great desire to succeed
Salary based on experience & qualifications. Apply at:
709 N. Big Spring Street
American Tire & Service Co.
682-4376 EEO

314 Clerical Help Wanted

V.I.P. EMPLOYMENT. Call us today for information regarding temporary and permanent jobs. 686-9722.

Word Processing
Temporary Assignments
TEMP TIME 687-1545

OLSTEN! The best temporary positions with the best companies. 683-5677 For interview.

SECRETARY
Must have computer knowledge. Excellent public relations. High traffic position. Must apply in person at Northridge Court Apartments, 3417 N. Midland Dr.

JOIN Temporary Resources "Elite" team. Job opportunities and training for experienced office personnel. 684-0527.

SECRETARY
First Presbyterian Child Development Center. Part time secretarial position. To apply call 683-0851 or 699-7533. Goldie or Peggy.

316 Sales Help Wanted

✔ ROOFING SALES/ Estimator needed for local roofing firm. Leads furnished. Excellent earning potential. 689-7663.

MANAGER
An aggressive financially stable oil field valve company seeking dynamic personnel with strong sales background for management positions. Must have demonstrated management experience, strong communication and inter-personal skills. Have excellent benefit package, salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Confidential resume, salary history and references to: Personnel Director, 6804 E. Hwy. 6 S., Box 341, Houston, TX 77083.

SALES
GROWING telecommunications company needs sales person with experience in the sales of telephone systems or office business systems (copiers, fax machines, computers). Degree preferred but not necessary. Send resume to BOX G-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

HOUSING Consultant Career Opportunity. No Experience Required, only a burning desire to earn High Income! Homes Of America, Largest Mobile Home Dealer in West Texas. Our Top Salesperson Made $11,000 Last Month! Apply In Person, 4750 Andrews Highway, Odessa, Texas. 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

TELEMARKETERS needed, $5 an hour with good, reputable company. Call 689-8868.

STAY home earn $600 to $2,000 income. Part time-full time positions available. Laura 806-462-7386, after 5:30 pm.

COMMISSION sales person wanted. Must have own vehicle and able to travel. Instrumentation or safety equipment background helpful. Send resume to Box A-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

320 Skilled Trades

CONSTRUCTION
CERTIFIED Refrigeration Technician. Needed for Nursing Home. Excellent benefits package including retirement and employees insurance paid. Lakeview Christian Home, 1905 W. Pierce, Carlsbad, NM 88220, Attn: Personnel, (505) 885-3161.

TECHNICIAN
OPENING for experienced Copier Technician. West Texas Office Equipment, 1403 N. Big Spring St., 683-8774.

320 Skilled Trades

MECHANIC
Wheel alignment, brakes, experience a must. Must pass drug test. Apply In Person Only:
2210 W. Front
Midland Tire & Brake

STRIPER Operators and Laborers. Experience a must, both thermo & paint. Salary negotiable with ability. Call 1-800-438-8370.

CONSTRUCTION
NEED an experienced sheet metal mechanic and installer. 570-5741.

CONSTRUCTION
NEED A/ C Technician, must be certified, experienced in air conditioning and refrigeration. 570-5741.

PLUMBER needed. Licensed with truck and tools. Call Ken's Plumbing, 683-3224.

CARPENTERS
Accepting applications for experienced carpenters only. Apply in person:
1003 S. Midkiff
Lexington Hotel Suites

ELECTRICIAN Helpers with experience needed. 2 Years minimum, tools and references required. Call Monday thru Friday 8 - 5. 1-817-834-6351.

CABINET Maker and/ or Finish Carpenters. Apply in person, 4400 N. Midland Drive, Suite 400. Ask for Billy or Terry.

A/C-HEATING
NEED reliable air conditioning/ heating mechanic with at least 3 years working experience. Must be knowledgeable in large commercial units. Interview and references required. Call 689-2151 for appointment.

336 Adult Care Providers

MISSION Adult Day Care Center Of Midland. Open 7:30 am to 5:30 pm Monday through Friday. Transportation arranged. Contact Tom Killingsworth or Freddie Utsman at 520-2242.

IN-Home Care. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. 520-4425.

CERTIFIED nurses aide seeking employment in private home. Several years experience, good local references, reasonable rates, will work any hours. 682-1030 or 694-1363.

ADULT care with licensed staff. All services provided. Top care at reasonable prices. 697-3390.

340 Child Care Needed

CAREGIVER needed. High school diploma or GED, telephone and transportation required. Hours 6:30-6 pm, Monday-Friday. Penney's Early Learning Center, 699-1313.

BABYSITTER/ Housekeeper needed for 2 children ages 5 and 6 in our home. Must have reliable transportation, verifiable references, must be able to travel. Some night work may be required. Call 563-5509 days, 520-7552 evenings.

NEED part time child care in my home for one 4 year old. Enthusiastic, energetic with reliable transportation. Light housekeeping. References required. 687-0926 days, 686-8328 evenings and weekends.

341 Child Care Providers

FAMILY Home, babies only. Meals. CPR/ First Aid. Register now for August 1 opening. 694-9871.

405 Garage / Yard Sales

GARAGE SALE SERVICES
RAINBOW TRADE CENTER & INDOOR FLEA MARKET. Open 10 - 5, Tuesday - Sunday. 1503 W. Industrial Ave. Buy - Sell - Trade. 570-4408. "Your one-stop garage sale shop".

79701
BARGAINS on vacuums, new/ rebuilt. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff (across from Jumburrito). 520-6464.

901 DOUGLAS, Friday, Sunday, Monday, 8-1. Furniture, lawn mower, toys, clothes-excellent shape. Lots of baby and child stuff. 01.

AREA SALES
ESTATE & Garage Sale. Wednesday July 6, Noon - 7 pm. A job site or storage trailer 8' x 30' and 1972 Continental to be used for parts. 1977 Yamaha. Sink, swamp cooler, butane gas tanks, pipe, doors, windows, chairs, and many more items. 903 N. Betty, Monahans, Texas. NO Early Sales! AREA

341 Child Care Providers

WILL DO Babysitting, day or night, snacks & meals provided, qualified nurse. Call 570-0743.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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MOWERS, stoves, refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, hardrock maple dinette/ china cabinet, bar/ stools, piano, furniture. 570-4851.

3 SOUTHWEST Airline Frequent flyer passes, one expires 9/ 94, two expire 6/ 95. $300 each. 682-6386, Mon. - Fri., 8 - 5.

HAVE Fun Learning to Read or improving reading. Ages 4 to adult. Verna Reid, 570-9274.

WEDDING Dress: ivory satin, full skirt, short train, edged in pearls. Long sleeved with lace and pearls, lace bodice, embroidered with pearls. High fitted neck, low back. Matching Veil, size 8. $250 or best offer. 683-3220.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

SELF-Propelled Kirby Generation III, like new, $485. 520-6464.

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NIGHT Time feeder - $20; infant carrier/ car seat - $15; Toddler car seat - $30. Excellent condition. 694-2000.

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✔ JULY Opening Special! Acrylic nails, $25 with free maintenance kit. Pedicure with free manicure, $25. HAND-E-WORKS, 4326-A W. Illinois, 699-0366.

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27" SONY color TV, excellent condition. $500 or best offer. 697-4222.

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JUMP King Trampoline. No pads - $100. 570-1839.

ANN's Dressed in Time. 4311-B W. Illinois. Open 10-4 Tues.-Sat. Costumes, formal & vintage wedding gowns for sale or rent. Clothing restorations. 520-8463.

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DINING room set with matching china hutch $300; coffee table $30; changing table $20; baby clothes. 520-3902.

EXCERCISE Machine - rowing machine in great condition, barely used. Only $20.00 negotiable. Call 520-5954.

413 Jewelry

ORIGINAL Wedding ring, 1/4 carat with ring guards, must see to appreciate. $300. 689-3409.

DIRT Cheap Chandelier ring, over 6 carats. Going through divorce and don't want ex-wife to have it. Will trade for auto. or boat. 550-5706.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED To Buy - metal buildings, to be removed from property. We disassemble and haul. phone 1-800-852-8753.

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SEVERAL nice homes and townhomes, $350-$850 monthly. Small office $100. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

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LARGE 4 bedroom, 3 bath, $1,600 monthly plus deposit. Leslie 694-5730. Ms. Aldridge 683-3424.

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NORTHGATE, lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, fireplace, ceiling fans, 2 car garage, water softner, tool shed, large backyard. $650 monthly. 512-258-7103.

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4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, central air. $875. 570-6944.

NICE CLEAN 2 bedroom, 1 bath, carport, $350 monthly. Agent. 694-9853.

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★ SAN JACINTO area nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area, kitchen has built ins. $700 month plus security deposit, references. 682-8818, Owner/ Agent.

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CUTE 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage with dishwasher, large fenced yard, central heat and air. Available July 8th. $525 monthly, $350 deposit. 520-2301.

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3217 SYCAMORE. $595 per month. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, extras. 686-0320.

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CENTRAL Air/ heat. Excellent condition, 2 bedrooms, large fenced backyard, water well, detached garage, one block from Burnett Elementary. 3905 Pleasant. $450 monthly, deposit required. 694-6273 or 694-8821 ext. 250.

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LARGE LUXURY Duplex, 3203-B Dentcrest, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, openers, fireplace, fenced, sprinklers. $750 monthly plus deposit. Available August 1st. 550-3611.

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3 BEDROOM house, 2801 Delano. $400/ $200 deposit. 694-3780 or 697-3849.

LARGE 4 bedroom, 3 bath home with large above ground pool. $750 per month, $300 deposit. 119 N. Eisenhower. 368-5755.

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$150 MONTHLY, bills paid: 507 1/2 North A, 1 bedroom house, extras available, collateral. 682-3542.

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655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, all appliances furnished, fenced in yard. $300 monthly. Deposit required. 687-6324.

2 BEDROOMS, 2 baths, fenced, appliances, air, water, dumpster furnished, $300 monthly/ $100 deposit. 682-0977.

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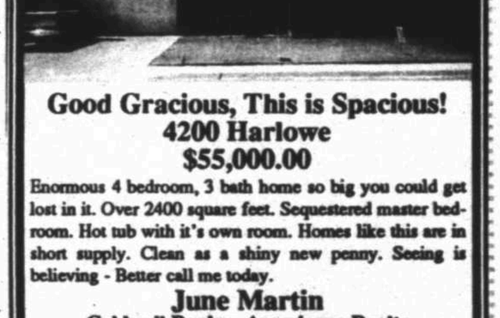
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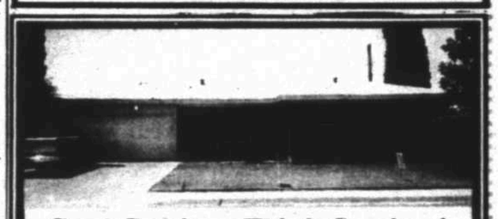
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