

Sports

Connecticut 77, Duke 74

The Huskies, in their first Final Four appearance, beat the top-ranked Blue Devils, who no one thought could be beaten in this NCAA tournament, for their first national championship./**1C**

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TODAY
Partly cloudy with high in the low 70s. Weather on 2A





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Ben Clements and Natalie Neal recently returned from a trip to the Philippines.

Island vacation

ODESSA — While other people were planing what to do for spring break, two Odessans spent time in the Philippines. University of Texas of the Permian Basin student Ben Clements and former student Natalie Neal were part of a team of five people who took part in the Rotary Club's foreign exchange program.
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NATO attacks

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia — Ground-attack jets took off for Kosovo on Monday as part of NATO's expanded attacks on the Serb forces carrying out a "scorched earth policy" in the separatist province, and tens of thousands of ethnic Albanian refugees flooded neighboring countries.
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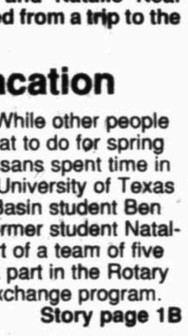
Dow at 10,000

As NATO dropped bombs on Serb forces in Yugoslavia for a sixth day, investors sent the Dow Jones industrial average above the 10,000 level — where it remained at closing — for the first time in history.
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E-mail virus

NEW YORK — E-mail systems at thousands of companies and government agencies around the country were swamped Monday by a cunning virus called "Melissa" that disguises itself as an "important message" from a friend.
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Gary Ott



... when you stop and think about it, a conversation is really just two monologues that eventually intersect with one another.
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2nd inmate walks away from Big Spring prison

By T.E. Jenkins
Big Spring Correspondent

BIG SPRING — Less than three weeks after announcing the "walk-away" of an inmate at a Federal Correctional Institute minimum security satellite camp, prison officials are faced with the same problem all over again.

"The details of this walk-away are almost identical to the previous one three weeks ago," said prison spokesman Alan Booth. "Inmate Hector J. Gonzalez was discovered missing during our 10: 15 p.m. count Thursday evening."

Gonzalez's "escape" comes within three weeks of the walk-off of prisoner Daniel Renteria-Nunez. U.S. Marshals report they have not yet captured Renteria-Nunez but are trying to find the Odessa native.

Booth said although it is discouraging to have inmates walk away from the minimum security facility, it is something that will continue to happen as long as there are no walls or fences.

"This is only the 15th walk-away we've had since the facility was put into operation in 1992," Booth said. "However, as long as we operate in the manner that we do, without fences or walls to keep these guys here and in prison, this will happen. Even the best minimum security prison camps can't keep people from walking away if that's what they want to do at the time.

"The prisoners that we have at the camp are nonviolent offenders and usually have less than four or five years on their sentence. These guys have so much more to lose by walking away from the camp, and then having escape added to their charges and sentence.

"Once these guys make the mistake of walking away from the facility, they will never be eligible to return here. They will have to spend the rest of their sentence, which usually becomes considerably longer, in a higher security prison, with fences and razor wire."

Booth said it is important to understand why the satellite camp operates on the no-wall, no-fence policy.



Gonzalez

"It costs the government a lot less money to operate the camp on such a low level of security," he said. "And if you look at the escape rate of these camps, and compare that to the overall cost of running them, then it's very easy to see why the government is willing to put these guys on their honor."

Booth said Gonzalez has effectively made things harder on the other inmates by walking away, forcing the staff to increase security and decrease the amount of low-level security and privacy the inmates now enjoy.

"We are having to increase our perimeter security as a result of these recent walk-offs," Booth said. "We are also having to severely limit the places the inmates are

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Talking about the animals



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Jan McArthur is joined in front of her computer by her 5-year-old singing dachshund, Diogee.

Midlander moderates AOL Pet Care Forum

By Jimmy Patterson
Staff Writer

When Jan McArthur graduated from Midland College with a degree in veterinary technology, she had no idea she would one day be dispensing her knowledge to people as far away as Oslo, Norway. Not once did she envision being asked to be a guest speaker at the first-ever conference of the American Tarantula Society, this June, in Carlsbad, N.M.

But strange things happen when reptiles and arachnids are not only your job, but your love.

Being an owner of everything from frogs to dogs, Ms. McArthur said she "just sort of fell into" her current position as a moderator and monitor of discussion and chat areas for America Online's Pet Care Forum.

"I was on some pet care message boards one day and I was recruited by the moderator," Ms. McArthur said. "I was talking to some people about turtles and I all of a sudden received an e-mail asking, 'Do you want to work for us'?"

Seeing an opportunity to expand her knowledge and dealings with other people as a pet care professional, Ms. McArthur's answer was not only yes, but absolutely.

She spends about two to three hours a day serving as a moderator and a sort-of online police officer, observing chat areas and watching for troubling signs that areas may be about to fall victim to objectionable language or content. Even discussions about kittens are apparently not immune from one of the Internet's thorniest types — those who disrupt what would otherwise be a meaningful exchange of ideas and advice.

"I have to watch for unacceptable discussion, such as foul language, disruptive language,

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Burns, group plan petition for citywide sports venues

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

Midlanders who have talked about the need for a new football field or baseball stadium will get a chance to back it up, and if their actions are louder than their words, the process of building both could be started in the not-too-distant future.

On Monday, Mayor Bobby Burns brought together a panel of 40 Midlanders to discuss the possibility of building a multimillion-dollar sports complex that would contain a new football-soccer stadium and a new baseball park.



Burns

What came out of the meeting — which included some members of the City Council, school principals, city football coaches and Midland businessmen — was the announcement of a petition drive to put the sports complex on the ballot for the November election.

"I think people are concerned about the new millennium and preparing for the future," Burns said. "This is one way to make Midland into a first-class city. The option will be up to them."

The proposed sports complex carries with it a price tag that would range from $24 to $30 million, and Burns' committee wants to raise the city's sales tax by one-fourth of a cent to pay the bill. As it stands right now, Midland's sales tax is 7.75 percent. With the proposed tax, it would go up to 8.0 percent — a figure that is still lower than Odessa, Lamesa and Big Spring, Burns said.

He added that with a sales-tax increase, the sports complex would be paid off in 12 to 15 years, and once the facilities are paid for, the sales tax would be reduced by one-fourth of a cent.

"We need a sales tax to make it work," Burns said.

Burns said that more than 500 signatures from registered voters would be needed to call an election in November but estimated that between 7,000 and 10,000 "yes" votes would be needed if the referendum eventually made it to the ballot. The drive to get those initial 500 signatures — and preferably many more — would go through the end of June.

Although nothing has been set in stone, the preferred location for the sports complex is where Midland Air Park is now located, but areas around State Highway 191 were also mentioned.

What would be on the site is a $12 to $15 million football-soccer stadium. It would replace an aged Midland Memorial Stadium for high school football, a number of soccer tournaments and band contests. Memorial Stadium was built in 1947, making it one of the older Class 5A facilities in West Texas.

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Retaining wall goes up at Wadley-Barron Park

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

If all goes well, and it hasn't entirely, Midland's celebrated but worrisome duck pond, Wadley-Barron Park, ought to be the blossoming epitome of park renovation ... one of these days.

The project is funded with federal money under the 1991 Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act or ISTEA.

"I hope everybody is happy," said Heather Sinclair, inspector for the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), which is overseeing the almost $400,000 renovation of the 7.3-acre park, including its 2.25-acre pond, near downtown Midland.

The park started out as part of the original Midland Country Club's golf course in 1927 and developed into a park after the greens and country club were reestablished five miles north of town in the 1950s as the community expanded to the north and west.

"Anytime there are federal funds (involved), the state has to do oversight," Ms. Sinclair said.

The park, to be rechristened as a hike-bike trail and pond for walkers, cyclists, sojourners, sight-seers, picnickers, bird-watchers and others is to be replete with an encircling sidewalk inside the perimeter of the park. One-half mile in circumference, the park will incorporate a 4-1/2-foot terra-cotta keystone retaining wall on its west, north and east sides.

The park, as it has in the past, is to afford plenty of wading, surfing, meandering, hunting and sailing waters for waterfowl. And the gazebo and shaded areas can accommodate weddings and other occasions. There are to be lots of trees and verdant landscaping by the city's parks caretakers, who maintain the approximately 50 citywide parks.

"That park is going to have a beautiful feel to it, a beautiful look," promised Midland Mayor Bobby Burns. "It's such a visible park" at A Street and Cuthbert Avenue at the northern border of Midland's downtown district. "It's a very important park for the people of Midland to take care of the very best way we can.

"I hope when the project is done in a month or two, it's something the people of Midland are proud of," Burns said. "It's very important to me. I know it is to Lee Wood," a Midland city councilman who is involved in the park renovation in his neighborhood.

Work on the project, which included dredging and

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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Francisco Tello, with Boothe Brothers Paving from Prairie Lea, Texas, sets the top stones in place for a section of the new retaining wall around Wadley-Barron Park Monday afternoon.

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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast

Today	Wednesday	Thursday
Partly cloudy	Mostly cloudy	Partly cloudy
High 73	High 84	High 83
Low 50	Low 51	Low 55

Partly cloudy skies and moderate temperatures will greet Midlanders today.

The National Weather Service at Midland International Airport is calling for low-hovering clouds this morning and partly cloudy skies by midday. The day's high temperature is to be in the lower 70s. Winds are to be southeasterly at 10 to 15 mph.

Tonight's low temperature under partly cloudy skies is to be in the low 50s.

The weather is to be windy and sunny on Wednesday. The temperature is to be in the low 80s.

Monday's high temperature was 60 degrees, and the day's low temperature was 52 degrees.

The record high temperature for March 30 is 94 degrees, set in 1946, and the date's record low is 17 degrees, set in 1987.

Yesterday's precipitation

Rainfall Monday	0.00 in.
Rainfall Sunday	0.00 in.
Total for month	1.22 in.
Total for year	1.55 in.
Normal total yr to date	1.57 in.

Yesterday's temperatures

High	60
Low	52
Normal high	75
Normal low	44

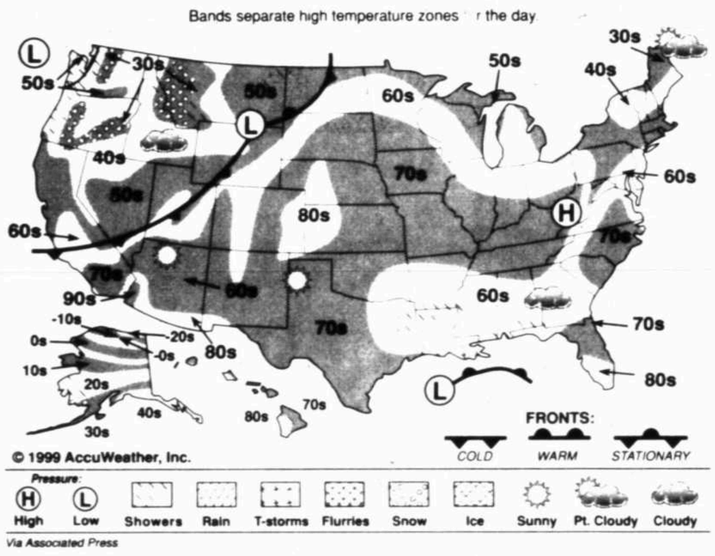
Pollen count

Trees: High **Weeds:** Absent
Grass: Absent **Molds:** Moderate
Dust: Low
Courtesy: John D. Bray, MD.

Sunrise ... 7:30 a.m.
Sunset ... 6:36 p.m.

National forecast

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, March 30.



Via Associated Press

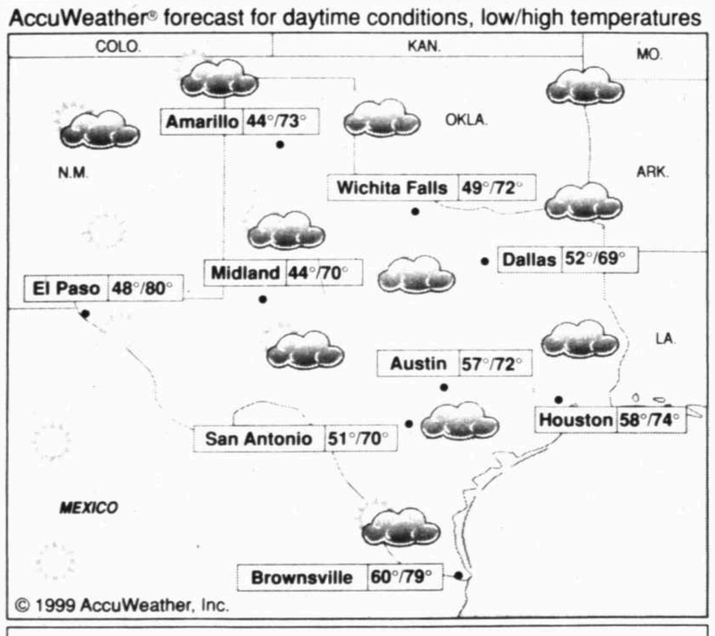
United States temperatures

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 7:00 p.m. EST.

	Hi	Lo	Prc	
Albany,N.Y.	61	41	clr	
Albuquerque	70	42	clr	
Anchorage	33	22	sn	
Asheville	57	40	07	clr
Atlanta	64	51	02	cdy
Atlantic City	69	38	clr	
Baltimore	69	38	clr	
Billings	63	25	cdy	
Birmingham	67	48	01	cdy
Bismarck	59	22	cdy	
Boise	59	43	sn	
Boston	62	41	clr	
Buffalo	51	33	cdy	
Casper	62	24	clr	
Charleston,S.C.	73	47	54	cdy
Cheyenne	59	24	clr	
Chicago	62	37	clr	
Cincinnati	63	44	clr	
Cleveland	59	35	clr	
Columbia,S.C.	67	45	01	cdy
Columbus,Ohio	62	47	clr	
Concord,N.H.	53	39	02	clr
Denver	69	18	clr	
Detroit	61	40	clr	
Duluth	50	32	cdy	
Fairbanks	23	6	clr	
Fargo	57	29	cdy	
Flagstaff	64	23	clr	
Grand Rapids	58	34	clr	
Great Falls	54	23	cdy	
Greensboro,N.C.	65	39	clr	
Honolulu	82	72	clr	
Houston	70	57	35	cdy
Indianapolis	63	37	clr	
Jackson,Miss.	63	57	rn	
Juneau	45	26	cdy	
Kansas City	68	39	clr	
Las Vegas	84	54	clr	
Little Rock	61	49	65	cdy
Los Angeles	67	53	cdy	
Louisville	66	50	clr	
Memphis	59	50	19	cdy
Miami Beach	80	68	cdy	
Milwaukee	61	37	clr	
Mpls-St Paul	58	31	01	cdy
Nashville	62	47	18	clr
New Orleans	72	60	02	rn
New York City	66	46	clr	
Oklahoma City	68	50	cdy	
Omaha	70	35	clr	
Orlando	84	49	cdy	
Philadelphia	68	43	clr	
Phoenix	86	57	clr	
Pittsburgh	59	32	clr	
Portland,Ore	50	39	45	rn
Providence	67	42	02	clr
Raleigh-Durham	73	34	clr	
Rapid City	64	23	clr	
Reno	63	34	clr	
Richmond	71	43	cdy	
Sacramento	64	41	cdy	
St Louis	65	39	clr	
Salt Lake City	68	33	cdy	
San Antonio	69	59	cdy	
San Diego	68	56	cdy	
San Francisco	58	47	cdy	
Santa Fe	67	33	clr	
Seattle	48	39	11	rn
Sioux Falls	62	30	clr	
Spokane	42	34	18	cdy
Tampa-St Ptrsbg	82	58	cdy	
Topeka	69	34	cdy	
Tucson	87	45	clr	
Tulsa	71	49	02	cdy
Washington,D.C.	71	43	clr	

State forecast

AccuWeather® forecast for daytime conditions, low/high temperatures



Via Associated Press

Texas temperatures

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

	High	Low	Pcp.
Abilene	56	51	
Alice	76	59	
Amarillo	63	43	
Arlington	61	52	
Austin	75	59	
Beaumont	67	60	0.31
Brownsville	76	56	0.10
Burnet	72	54	
College Station	74	57	
Conroe	73	57	0.06
Corpus Christi	73	58	0.01
Corsicana	63	54	0.01
Dallas	62	52	
Del Rio	68	52	
Denton	59	50	
El Paso	77	48	
Fort Worth 60	51		
Galveston	69	63	0.20
Harlingen	78	58	
Houston	73	61	0.01
Huntsville	73	59	0.05
Junction	57	53	
Kingsville	68	58	
Laredo	75	57	
Longview	69	52	0.59
Lubbock	61	48	
McAllen	80	59	
New Braunfels	74	58	
Paris	61	50	
Rockport	73	59	0.02
San Antonio	76	59	
Terrell	61	52	0.05
Tyler	68	53	0.06
Victoria	75	57	
Waco	66	53	
Wichita Falls	59	50	
Wink	71	53	

Missile defense system test fails for sixth time

WASHINGTON (AP) — A weapon designed to knock enemy missiles out of the sky failed its sixth direct-hit attempt Monday, raising questions about the technological feasibility of a defense system that is now a national priority.

Pentagon officials in charge of the Army's Theater High-Altitude Area Defense missile program put a positive spin on the test, saying all targeting, radar and launch systems worked well together for the first time. And they predicted a complete success soon, although they couldn't say exactly what caused the miss.

"Everything seemed to work very, very well with the exception, obviously, of what happened relative to the closing end game for the missile," Lt. Gen. Lester Lyles, director of the Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, told a Pentagon news conference.

Critics of the program were skeptical, however, given that the Pentagon has spent more than $50 billion on research and limited testing on missile defense with few results, dating to the Reagan administration's ambitious space-based "Star Wars" system.

"At some point you have to wonder if this is in the category of developing fusion power," said John Pike of the Federation of American Scientists. "The fact is, even the smallest malfunction means you missed the target. It says something about how difficult this is to do. Everything has to work exactly right or it doesn't work at all."

The THAAD is designed to strike enemy missiles fired from ranges of 800 miles away or more — just the kinds of weapons nations such as Iran, North Korea and Pakistan are developing, raising the threat to U.S. troops and allies overseas.

Lyles said scientists won't know exactly what went wrong with the THAAD hit-to-kill part of the missile test until reviewing radar, infrared and visual data. The telemetry system, which tracks how the THAAD is performing, went down one minute into the test, which could hamper efforts to figure out the problem and try to correct it, he said.

Monday's test was the ninth in a series of 13 flight tests for the THAAD program and the sixth attempt at intercepting a missile. The system has cost $3.8 billion so far.

The THAAD — by definition a regional rather than national missile defense system that could protect American cities from attack — has technology that is the most sophisticated military weaponry, and it would contribute to development of a system that could protect the United States.

In mid-March, the House and Senate passed separate bills making the deployment of a national missile defense as soon as possible a U.S. government priority.

President Clinton, who had threatened to veto similar legislation in the past, this year proposed spending $6.6 billion more through 2005 for missile defense work.

Given the technological hurdles, the administration moved its target date for deploying a national missile defense system — if one can be built — from 2003 to 2005.

On Monday, the THAAD missile came within 10 to 30 yards of hitting its target, a modified Minuteman 2 missile called a Hera, during an early morning test at the White Sands Missile Range, N.M. The THAAD self-destructed 10 seconds after the miss, which occurred about 300 meters above the ground.

The Pentagon charged Lockheed Martin Corp., the maker of the anti-missile system, a $15 million penalty for not achieving a body-to-body hit during Monday's test as required by its $15 billion contract, modified last June under congressional order.

PETITION: Group wants sports complex on ballot

(From 1A)

"To build a modern facility that is user-friendly would make an improvement in the number of people that come to a game," Lee High fo tball coach John Parchman said. "It was probably a nice facility years ago, but we see that (a new stadium) as a definite need for the city of Midland."

There would also be a $12 to $15 million baseball park to replace Christensen Stadium, home of the Midland Rockhounds, the Double-A affiliate of the Oakland A's. Christensen, built in 1952 and last improved in 1994, does not conform to the regulations set by Major League Baseball for Double-A baseball teams.

Although Christensen is now protected by a grandfather clause, there is talk that Midland could lose its team if nothing is done in the future.

"We are hoping this is the time to get it done," Rockhound General Manager Monty Hoppel said. "We have patched it up over the years, but we have been delinquent as far as what is required. We are going forward because we want to be here and we need a facility here for many years to come. We don't want Midland to miss the boat."

A similar attempt to raise the sales tax for an economic development fund has failed twice in the last decade. However, Burns and his committee see this as being the best way. Attempts to raise property taxes are usually doomed to fail, and this way people who come from out of town to eat at Midland's restaurants or shop at Midland's businesses will help pay for it.

Going forth with the petition drive also keeps it from being a school board issue.

"This is a way for the city to help the school district," Burns said. "They have their own challenges with books and teachers' salaries."

Economic impact is something the voters in Midland will hear a great deal about during the process of getting the petition moved along and before any election. Those who favor new stadiums think that should be the case.

In one March weekend, the Midland economy benefited from athletic events (state swim meet, regional basketball tournament, girls golf tournament and boys baseball tournament) to the tune of $800,000.

"You have to talk about all of that," Burns said. "Those are examples of how sports drive economic numbers. They really do in our town. Two years ago, our town turned down an economic development fund; we have to find ways to make our city better so people choose to live in Midland, stay in Midland and bring jobs to Midland."

Hoppel said that Double-A baseball brings an economic impact of $5 to $7 million annually and creates 100 jobs. He also believes that a new stadium would increase the team's attendance and bring more people to Midland to watch the team.

As far as football goes, Midland Memorial Stadium, which seats 10,500, didn't host one playoff game in 1998 while Odessa's Ratliff Stadium brought in multiple post-season games during some weekends. Also, Parchman expects attendance to be greater for most Midland High and Lee games with a new stadium.

"The thing I hear all the time is we would like to come to the games, but it is difficult to get a ticket, or the parking is such a mess, or there is such a hassle to get there," Parchman said. "Our stadium is the smallest in the district and is old."

A new football stadium would also host exhibition and tournament soccer play and band contests, which would add to the number of people visiting Midland.

With the oil price crunch that has plagued West Texas over the past months, there will probably be some surprised with talk of raising taxes. Burns, however, says any time is a good time to improve the city of Midland.

"We see there is a huge interest," Burns said. "To some degree it is incumbent to me and the City Council to figure out answers. That is what we have tried to do."

FORUM: Midlander enjoys job as AOL moderator

(From 1A)

insulting or harassing people," Ms. McArthur said. "If they do that, then we are supposed to call in and America Online has emergency teams. If people are violating a rule, they can knock whoever it is out of the room."

Ms. McArthur said AOL builds personal files on members and will review them upon being notified of a violation. If officials see a person's history shows a pattern of disruptive behavior or that they have exceeded a certain amount of violations, the user is history.

But Ms. McArthur admits that on pet care forums, disruptive exchanges are not as common as other areas such as politics and music.

The reptile and amphibian area is so well monitored people know better, said Christie Keith, Pet Care Forum director.

She added that Ms. McArthur is one of 175 people who assist in the Pet Care Forum area. She serves as chat moderator from 8 to 10 p.m. on Friday and Sunday nights for the reptile and amphibian chat rooms. Additionally, she is the content leader for the Pet Care Forum Hospital and board monitor for the small mammals and exotics area, as well as the reptile and amphibians classified message boards.

Ms. McArthur's Web site, at http://hometown.aol.com/Tadpfrog/index.html, provides additional information and links to sites on turtles, frogs, anoles, rats, dogs and birds, and has a link called, "Our Dearly Departed," which serves as a virtual pet cemetery. The Dearly Departed site also provides a link to a support group site that provides comfort for those who have lost animals.

Ms. McArthur has helped people who have injured box turtles and American wood turtles but stresses on her home page to take their pet to a vet if it is ill.

"I also get a lot of questions from people about their pet rats," Ms. McArthur said. "There are people in the northern part of America and Canada who show their rats the way people here show their cats and dogs."

Her success with the Pet Care Forum has led to one other personal positive: She has had articles published in consumer magazines catering to rat and reptile owners.

"I didn't think it would be this easy," she said after having published an article on ulcerative pododermatitis in rats.

Ms. McArthur's next stop: Knocking on the doors of publishers who specialize in animal books.

"Pet rats are very prone to respiratory disease," she said. "And they really make a better pet than you might think. There are books out on them, but they're not very good and they have a lot of misinformation."

And then there's June, when she will make the drive to Carlsbad on the first weekend of the month to address the American Tarantula Society.

"A lot of people keep tarantulas as pets," she said. "We had three of them in our back yard when we lived in Odessa. But I never thought managing a message board would get me into speaking on tarantulas."

WADLEY-BARRON: Work continues

(From 1A)

draining the pond but not to bare bottom, began in mid-October but was halted at mid-December.

"We've kind of run into a little snag," Doug Eichorst, the Midland-based TxDOT resident engineer, noted after the work shutdown to modify park plans and dig trenches to lay rock-and-caliche foundations to stabilize the banks. Otherwise, the retaining walls might shift and collapse.

"With the saturated soil, there wouldn't be anything to hold up the retaining walls," Ms. Sinclair explained. "That's what the big holdup was" — laying a rock-caliche foundation to secure the retaining walls.

Over the years, the park, including an old playa lake or buffalo wallow now widened and deepened, has become a place of endearment.

"We love that park," Marion Miller, who lives just west of the park, said during the winter work shutdown. "We take great pride in the neighborhood."

Craftsmen are completing the laying of 80-pound keystones forming the retaining walls.

"This is going to look nice," said Francisco Tello, a Prairie Lea artisan who is supervising the retaining-wall construction. Reece Albert Inc., which has offices in Midland, is the project's primary contractor.

Trovall "T" Stall, a retired geologist who has witnessed decades of the park's evolution from the golf greens to a canoeing site for youngsters, said the retaining-wall work is "certainly ... an improvement," although "I can't tell for sure what the hell they are doing" from his vantage point to the east.

Stall said that over the years, he has gotten "a kick out of watching the migrating birds and the fish," such as carp, perch, catfish and three-foot-long goldfish, as well as soft-shelled turtles.

Like others in the neighborhood, Stall is concerned about the park's aesthetics and its flooding propensity in times of those rare, heavy rains.

"I figure it will rain eventually here," he said. "If it will stop raining eight hours between rains, that pump down there can lower the lake seven inches overnight. That's a pretty big pump."

When it rains, the pond collects runoff from neighborhood streets. "That lake never did have water in it, not even in a hard rain" before the former pastureland north and west of the pond became streets and housing developments, Stall said.

Meanwhile, park work goes on.

Midlanders "should be very thrilled with it when it is all done," Burns said. "The park will have a different feel to it, a different look. It ought to be something we all will be proud of."

PRISON: Walk-away is 2nd in 3 weeks

(From 1A)

allowed to go after dark.

"It's sad that one or two persons' actions will hurt the entire prison camp population, but we have to deal with the situation in the best manner we know of."

Booth said that although Gonzalez is a nonviolent offender, it is still not a good idea to approach him if seen.

"Mr. Gonzalez is not a violent offender, and has never given us any reason to believe he will become violent," Booth said. "However, it is important to remember that the man is on the run, and desperation can make people do some rash things.

"If you see this man, or you know where he is, contact your local police, or the U.S. Marshal's Office. Do not attempt to detain him yourself."

According to prison officials, Gonzalez is a Hispanic male, 30 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches tall, weighing an estimated 190 pounds. He has brown eyes, brown hair, and was serving an 87-month sentence for possession of cocaine with intent to distribute.

Gonzalez would have been eligible for release with good behavior in September 2004.

Booth said the escape has been turned over to the U.S. Marshal's Office.

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Help trickles in for victims of powerful earthquake in India

BIYASI, India (AP) — Hundreds of work crews cleared roads to stranded mountain towns Monday and military helicopters evacuated the injured after a powerful earthquake jolted northern India, killing at least 87 people.

The quake, with a magnitude of 6.8 and lasting nearly 40 seconds, it was the strongest this century in the earthquake-prone Himalayan foothills, India's seismological department said.

Striking just after midnight, it caught many villagers in their beds, toppling homes, setting off landslides and knocking out electricity in the region.

Aftershocks rumbled across the green mountains in quick succession immediately afterward and throughout the day — prompting cows and other animals to rush out of their sheds in panic.

At least 132 villagers were injured by the earthquake, officials said in Biyasi, a small town on the main mountain road to Nandprayag, the epicenter 190 miles north of New Delhi.

"For a minute, all the earth seemed shaking ... we all ran out of our houses very, very scared," said Himanshu Thapliyal, a 28-year-old lawyer.

With telephone lines severed, reports of casualties and damage were incomplete nearly a day after the quake. Still, government officials used loudspeakers to caution people not to go back to their damaged houses.

Help began trickling in hours after the earthquake. A row of army trucks and relief vehicles meandered up the steep slopes of the Garhwal hills close to India's border with China. A large stretch of the main road into the region was blocked by a landslide.

Crews cleared the boulders, earth and other debris that had crashed down upon the narrow road.

Top government officials met in Lucknow, capital of Uttar Pradesh state, where the quake was centered, and announced compensation of $2,400 for relatives of the dead.

After surveying the quake zone by helicopter, B.M. Vohra, commissioner of the Dehra Dun district, said there was an urgent need for tents and food. Four helicopters and 300 rescue workers, mostly police and soldiers, were called into service.

"Before we could realize what was happening, the electricity went off and the whole area plunged into darkness," said Uma Kant Pawar, the top official in Chamoli, a town of 7,000 close to the epicenter.

Pawar had heard a deafening rumble of rocks and earth come crashing down nearby. "It looks like half the mountain had come off," he said.

About 90 percent of the houses in Chamoli were destroyed or badly damaged, including the local jail, where five prisoners died, he said. Twelve tent camps were set up in Chamoli to house survivors.

Monday's quake was felt in major northern cities of Varanasi, Kanpur and Chandigarh and even as far away as Pune, 900 miles to the south. The quake also rocked the other side of the Chinese border, but there were no immediate reports of casualties, said the Xinhua news agency.

It was the second massive earthquake in the region in nine years. Environmentalists said deforestation and neglect was contributing to the quickening pace of disasters in the area.

"Part of the reason why the impact of the quakes is so intense is that government road contractors never build mountain roads in consultation with geologists, and cut away into the mountains," geologist S.B. Mishra said. "Their recklessness weakens the already unstable mountains."

The Himalayas, one of earth's youngest mountain ranges, are still growing. Eight earthquakes have been recorded this century measuring more than 6, but Monday's was the strongest.

Last year, the same area was shaken by dozens of landslides, including one that wiped out a camp of Hindu pilgrims. More than 250 people were killed.

India's most lethal recent earthquake killed nearly 10,000 people in western India in 1993. The country's most powerful quake struck Assam in eastern India in 1950, measuring 8.5 magnitude.

Rwandans cast ballots in first free vote since 1994 genocide

KIGALI, Rwanda (AP) — Despite torrents of rain, millions of Rwandans voted for local leaders Monday in the country's first free, nonpartisan elections since brutal ethnic killings five years ago that left a half-million people dead.

The government hopes the vote will foster grassroots democracy and reconciliation among the majority Hutus and minority Tutsis, as well as shift attention from ethnicity toward rebuilding the country.

Protease Musoni, secretary-general of the Ministry of Local Government, called on voters to elect leaders capable of helping society erase the evils of the genocide.

"This is a moment to show that we Rwandans are prepared and committed to depart from old ways," Musoni said.

Candidates were forbidden to solicit votes on political, ethnic or religious grounds.

Monday's elections mark the first time Rwandans are not legally obliged to vote. Nonetheless, according to preliminary reports, turnout was high, with more than 80 percent of 3.5 million eligible voters turning out in rural areas and 75 percent in urban centers, Musoni said.

Monday was a public holiday, and soldiers, who were not permitted to cast ballots, were put on standby to beef up security.

However, voting took place without incident in most of Rwanda, where about 7.2 million people live.

In Muslim neighborhoods of the capital, Kigali, authorities postponed the exercise for a day after residents refused to consider voting for non-Muslim candidates, and the torrential rain forced some polling stations to close until Tuesday.

The government says the vote will give citizens a voice in a country where unquestioned obedience to state authority was partly to blame for the speed and efficiency of the 90-day genocide.

Tutsi-led rebels put an end to the slaughter in July 1994, after at least 500,000 minority Tutsis and politically moderate Hutus were hacked or bludgeoned to death. Hutu soldiers, militiamen and ordinary people acted on the orders of an extremist Hutu government.

In the past, Rwandans were obliged to vote in tightly controlled elections that always resulted in the majority Hutus controlling the country.

The elections are meant to decentralize state power in what authorities call a "participatory democracy," not based on candidates' political or ethnic allegiances but on their ability to perform.

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New soil treatment reduces salt, boosts plant growth

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You may have said this: "The more I watered my yard last summer, the worse it looked." As hot and dry as last summer was, many homeowners looked at their high water bills and their brown grass and gardens and wondered what the problem could be.

"It's the salt," says Eric Selinger of Salt-Ex. "The City of Midland blends approximately five million gallons per day of salty well water with the water it gets from area lakes due to low water levels in area reservoirs," says Eric.

High salinity keeps plants from extracting water from the soil. It also leads to the accumulation of elements toxic to plants. While Bermuda grass is somewhat salt tolerant, most garden vegetables and fruit trees have a much lower tolerance. That's why brown leaves, stunted growth and other low-yield problems show up first in the latter plants.

A little rainfall would help leach some of the salt out of the soil, but recent news reports show that forecasters expect this year to be just as hot and dry as last year.

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Eric Selinger of Salt-Ex Lifeguard treats a recently budded tree. Salt-Ex uses salt-consuming microbes to reduce soil salinity and the damage it can do.

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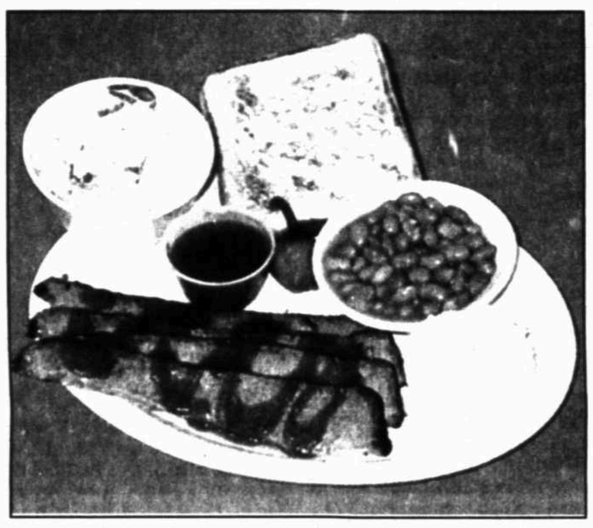
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Eric Selinger is the sole agent in this area for Salt-Ex Lifeguard. Call him at 686-3444. The number is answered 24 hours per day.

Jib's barbecue is great—and that's no bull

Earl and Effie, Slim and Sally Sue had barbecue at Jib's before heading over to the Top Guns Bull Ride.



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"Earl, I've been wondering," Effie said as she poured a little more tangy barbecue sauce on her sausage platter. "I know Sally Sue's car is in the shop, so I'm glad for her and Slim to ride with us to Odessa. But why do we have them jammed into the back seat of our pickup? Why didn't we take my Buick?"

"Effie, baby," Earl said, his voice muffled by a mouthful of buttery Texas toast, "This is Texas. We can't show up at a BULL RIDE, of all things, in somethin' other than a pickemup truck."

Sally Sue looked up quickly from her platter of Jib's tender, deeply mesquite smoked brisket and said, "So that's it, Slim. That's why you didn't argue with Earl about us sitting in the back seat of that club cab."

"Well, my experience is, you don't get far arguing with Earl," Slim said, picking up a meaty baby back rib from his plate. "Earl is the expert on these kinds of things."

"Yup, that's right," Earl agreed as he finished off the last of the flavorful barbecue from his combination plate.

Effie was quiet as she twirled her fork around in her tangy, made-from-scratch potato salad. "Sally Sue, it seems the guys have decided that comfort should take a 'back seat' if you will, to cowboy fashion. I think we should do something about that."

Sally Sue's eyes twinkled as she enjoyed another forkful of Jib's tangy Cole slaw. "What do you have in mind?"

"I think we should let the guys ride in that cramped back seat, and you and I take the front seats."

"Excellent idea," Sally Sue replied.

"Very funny," Earl said over the last swallow of his Fruitopia drink. "I have the keys."

"No, you don't," Effie said, smugly. "Remember when I asked you for them right after we came in, because I'd left my purse in the truck? I still have them."

Earl blanched and quickly rammed his hands into each of his pockets. Effie was right. She was in control.

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"Next time you need something out of the truck, I'll get it for you," Earl said.

"That would be nice, too," Effie replied. "You'd have to be a gentleman to do that."

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Van Pearcy

How did he do it? Financial experts define a millionaire as someone who has $1 million or more in liquid assets, which includes cash, stocks, bonds, mutual funds and other securities. These can be sold immediately or provide regular income. Other assets such as a home, business, etc. are part of a person's net worth—hard to figure into a plan for income.

Like this man, most people become millionaires because they plan for their future **rather than spending big today**. They reasonably project how much money they'll need at retirement to provide a comfortable living for an additional 20 to 30 years. Self-made millionaires avoid high personal debt. *Most have found they can be happy without overspending.* This is what separates people who live for today vs. those who will live well in the future.

As another example, a couple in their early 40s was planning to move to a large home that they could well afford but didn't need. After some financial planning, they decided to stay put and funnel the considerable amount of cash they saved each year into investments. With good returns, this alone should afford them a comfortable retirement.

Self-made millionaires establish specific investment programs and invest regularly. They don't waste time looking for get-rich-quick schemes. Most contribute the maximum allowed to retirement plans, IRAs and 401(k)s. they also allocate a percentage of their annual earnings to other investments.

These investments typically focus on consistency of returns rather than short-term theatrics. Blue chip stocks, high-quality growth stocks and stock funds are reasonable long-term investments that can make it through market ups and downs.

Finally, millionaires take interest in their investments. They watch economic developments and read respected financial publications. This knowledge helps them understand and analyze advice they receive. And the wealthy are generally willing to seek and listen to professional advice, asking questions until they understand the answers.

Becoming a millionaire is a reachable goal, but it demands hard work, determination and self-discipline. Would you recognize a millionaire if you saw one? Probably not. But then, you could be looking at a millionaire in the mirror. *All you have to do is think, act and plan like one.*

Van Pearcy, a native West Texan, joined the full-service investment firm of Edward Jones in 1987. He received his BA in economics and his Master's degree in business administration from the University of Notre Dame. If you need help with investment or retirement planning, you may call Van's office at 683-1516 for a no-fee, no obligation appointment. His office is located at 2020 West Cuthbert, directly across from the high school football stadium.

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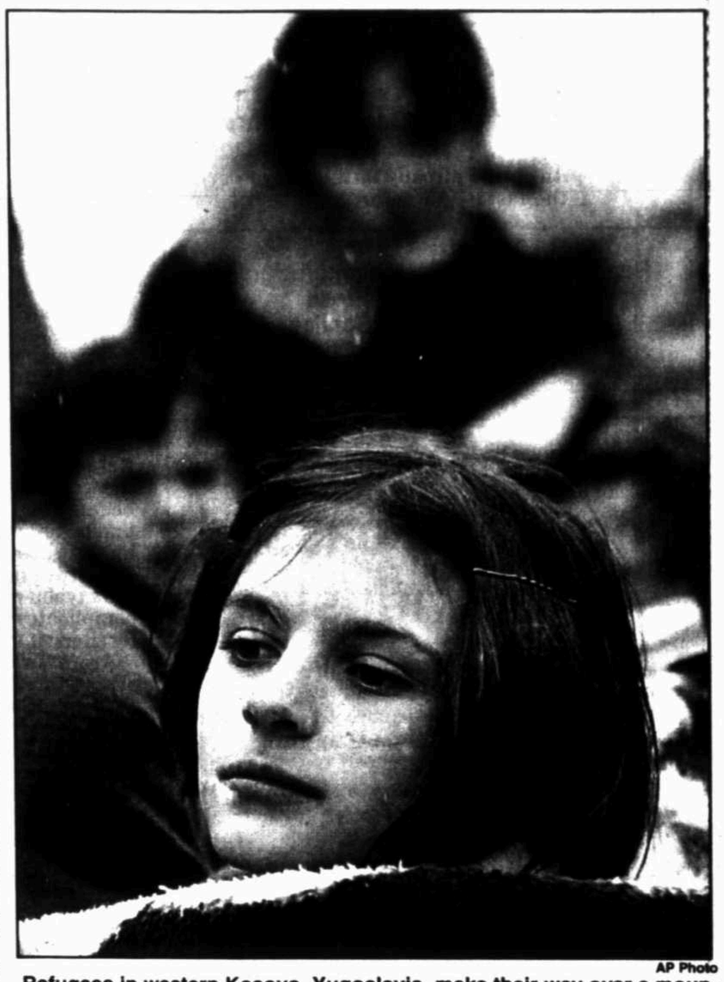
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NATO bombing escalates as Russians seek negotiations



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Refugees in western Kosovo, Yugoslavia, make their way over a mountain road separating Kosovo from Montenegro Monday. Montenegro authorities are reporting that over 17,000 refugees have arrived in the last three days.

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Ground-attack jets took off for Kosovo on Monday as part of NATO's expanded attacks on the Serb forces carrying out a "scorched earth policy" in the separatist province.

While tens of thousands of ethnic Albanian refugees flooded neighboring countries, specialized A-10 "Warthog" planes were spotted taking off from Aviano Air Base in northern Italy. The A-10 is a low- and slow-flying tank-killer aircraft that could be used to strike Serb ground forces.

Air raid sirens blared Monday evening in Belgrade, the Yugoslav capital, and two detonations shook Pancevo, six miles to the north, marking the beginning of a sixth night of bombing.

As new atrocities were reported in Kosovo, Russia's prime minister announced he was going to the Yugoslav capital of Belgrade on a peace deal, and rallies for and against the airstrikes took place in London, New York, Prague and other cities.

NATO spokesman Air Commodore David Wilby said the latest air attacks targeted Serb and Yugoslav units involved in atrocities in Kosovo, a province in Serbia, the main republic in Yugoslavia.

"There are indications genocide is unfolding in Kosovo," said James P. Rubin, the State Department spokesman, citing reports of summary executions and people being forced from their homes at gunpoint.

Wilby said NATO had received reports that Fehmi Agani, an ethnic Albanian negotiator at recent peace talks in France, was "executed" on Sunday and that others had gone into hiding.

Four other prominent ethnic Albanians were also reported executed in the Serbs' "scorched earth policy," NATO said.

The Serbian Media Center in Pristina, the Kosovo capital, claimed later there was no evidence to support the accusations.

Pentagon spokesman Ken Bacon, speaking in Washington, said more U.S. aircraft, including five B-1 bombers, would soon join the mission.

The western allies want Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic to stop his campaign against Kosovo's separatists and accept a peace plan that calls for 28,000 NATO troops to enforce the accord, including 4,000 Americans. His refusal to accept the peacekeeping force triggered the NATO airstrikes.

Ethnic Albanians make up 90 percent of Kosovo's 2 million people inhabitants. Serbs, however, consider Kosovo theirs because it was the birthplace of their culture before they lost it to the Ottoman Turks in the 15th century. Serbia regained the province shortly before World War I.

Serb reprisals against ethnic Albanians in Kosovo have reportedly escalated since NATO launched its air attacks.

French President Jacques Chirac said NATO had to act against Milosevic's troops.

"(Europe) cannot accept on its soil a man and a regime that, for nearly 10 years, has conducted ... operations of ethnic cleansing, murders and massacres, of destabilization in the entire region, resulting in more than 200,000 deaths and millions left homeless," Chirac said. "It is enough."

Russia, as a longtime ally of Yugoslavia and Cold War enemy of NATO, again condemned the NATO attacks. Russian Prime Minister Yevgeny Primakov planned to go to Belgrade on Tuesday to seek "an immediate halt" to the bombing that began Wednesday.

But there were few signs of any Serb capitulation Monday. Instead, Yugoslavia geared up its war effort, prohibiting men of military age from leaving the country in an order announced Monday night.

"Our country must be defended to the last man and the last available piece of arsenal," said Col. Gen. Spasoje Smiljanic, head of the air force and air defenses. He acknowledged $300 million worth of damage to stationary targets and infrastructure, and said that seven air force personnel were killed and 17 injured.

Russian Defense Minister Igor Sergeyev claimed 1,000 civilians had been killed in Yugoslavia. But a total death toll from the airstrikes was not available, since NATO and Yugoslav officials have been vague about casualties, and restrictions on journalists have made an independent assessment impossible.

Serbian state-run television repeatedly showed a video Monday night of a raging fire in Pristina that it said was set off by a NATO missile attack on the city's police headquarters.

In Brussels, Wilby said the overnight attacks also went after Serb and Yugoslav units involved in atrocities, such as the 243rd combat group at Donjan Semanja.

Yugoslav forces appeared to be hastening the departure of refugees from Kosovo. Since the attacks began Wednesday, between 80,000-100,000 ethnic Albanian refugees have fled Kosovo, the U.N. relief agency said Monday.

People forced across the border to Albania were being stripped of their passports, identity papers, even their car license plates, in an effort to make it impossible for them to return, NATO authorities said.

"The pattern that emerges is paramilitary forces arriving, rounding people up and telling them at gunpoint to go," said U.N. refugee agency spokesman Kris Janowski. "So we are seeing officially sanctioned ethnic cleansing of the Albanian population in Kosovo."

One refugee from the Suva Reka area of southern Kosovo said that when NATO airstrikes began, Serb police "came to our village and told us to go to America, go to NATO and they will help you."

Demonstrations over the NATO attacks continued around the world Monday, and one man was shot dead at a rally in Prague after clashes between Kosovo Albanians and Serb demonstrators.

After terrible journey, little help for refugees

KUKES, Albania (AP) — With homes and even warehouses already packed with people, new refugees from Kosovo took shelter on truck beds under plastic sheeting. Others simply wandered the streets Monday, as a chaotic aid effort struggled to catch up with one of Europe's largest exoduses since World War II.

At the border crossing in Moroni, an Albanian policeman tried to register the arriving refugees, but said the size of the crowds often made that too difficult.

"When the two lanes get packed with cars and tractors loaded with refugees, I just give up," said the policeman, who refused to be identified. "Last night, I didn't register for about two hours, it was just impossible."

With NATO estimating that 80,000-100,000 ethnic Albanians fleeing Serb attacks have crossed into the area since the alliance began airstrikes on Yugoslavia last Wednesday, Albanian authorities and international organizations were overwhelmed.

U.N. relief workers arrived Monday with just 5,000 loaves of bread — all the food they could muster. "We need everything," sighed Xhemil Shahu of the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees.

Faced with the unexpected onslaught, Kukes' 20,000 residents have put up about 5,000 refugees in private homes. Another 5,000 have been given shelter in empty warehouses, where the local Red Cross fed them cookies and water.

The vast majority, however, spent Sunday night in the rain, sleeping on the beds of trucks or tractors beneath plastic sheeting provided by the UNHCR. Hordes of people also slept in doorways and on sidewalks.

"There is no registration of refugees, so we're literally just handing out food," said Paul Benson of the International Medical Corps.

As soon as a truckload of supplies arrived in Kukes, about nine miles southwest of the Kosovo border, traumatized refugees swarmed about it trying to find something to eat.

Frightened women and children wandered through the streets, with no idea where to go or what to do.

Dozens gathered in front of the city building Monday while a local official read out names over a megaphone of the children, elderly people, husbands and wives looking for lost family members.

Others traveled back up to the border crossing, hoping to see familiar faces in the crowd.

Daud Bojku, 40, was searching for a blue Opel carrying his brother and nine children. Bojku said he had left from Pec 12 hours earlier, when the Serbs shelled his neighborhood, sending his family and 20 others who had been staying with them fleeing.

Albanian authorities simply could not cope with the human tide, and international organizations were scrambling to set up operations in a region with some of Europe's most primitive roads and communication systems.

The Rome-based World Food Program said Monday it has sent about 10 tons of high-protein biscuits to Kukes. Another WFP convoy left the Albanian capital of Tirana on Monday carrying 40 tons of wheat flour and another 10 tons of biscuits.

The refugees who managed to escape Kosovo with Western money — primarily German marks — can catch rides to Kukes with local Albanians, who charge up to $60 for the nine-mile journey from the border.

"It's a shame to charge us for a ride," said Adnan Beqiri, an architect from the southwestern Kosovo city of Pec. "But we've been walking since yesterday at 5 a.m."

Along the road, crowds of ethnic Albanians bunched together as they trudged down the mountain, snow-covered peaks in the distance.

One frail, elderly man sat beside a small fire he had built from brush and twigs, holding his feet toward the flames for warmth. Relief agencies started handing out shoes to refugees, since many had walked for so long that their shoes had disintegrated.

About 15 buses chartered by the Albanian government arrived late Monday to carry refugees to the cities of Tirana, Vlora, Shkodra and elsewhere. But many refugees refused to leave.

"I have not found my family yet," said 55-year-old Shefki Morina, from Pec. "I'm going nowhere without them."

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Chisum measure should be passed for oil industry

A bill currently moving through the Texas Legislature needs to be enacted if legislators are truly interested in helping the struggling domestic oil industry.

It is House Bill 1624 and it is scheduled for a hearing Tuesday. The measure would permit statutory Enhanced Recovery Unitization in Texas, the only state that does not already have this type of unitization statute.

Now, granted, if you talk to a number of oil men you will find that not all are sold on unitization. Essentially what the bill would mean is that a particular field could be unitized to maximize recovery of oil even if some operators working in that field opposed unitization. Until now, any single operator who wanted to hold out against unitization could do so and stymie the entire field.

Some landowners also oppose the measure, basing their opposition on the bill's erosion of private property rights. That is a concern and we understand their opposition in that regard. But in this instance the measure is needed for the future of this region.

Under provisions of House Bill 1624, authored by Rep. Warren Chisum of Pampa, a good faith effort must be made first to voluntarily unitize a field. If that fails, application may be made to the Railroad Commission for statutory unitization provided an operator can gain the approval of 80 percent of the working interest owners of the proposed plan of unitization and 80 percent of the royalty interest owners who respond. It is important to note that sponsors of the statutory unitization measure say they would far prefer voluntary unitization to statutory. We also believe voluntary unitization would be better, but it will take diligent efforts by operators and royalty owners.

In the absence of voluntary agreement, after the operator has applied to the Railroad Commission, he must show that he has made a good faith effort to unitize the field voluntarily, that the unitization will recover additional oil, and that the additional oil will cover cost of recovery. It creates a royalty owner bill of rights and provides protections for small operators.

It is worthwhile noting that the Chisum bill is being supported by the Permian Basin Petroleum Association (PBPA), Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association, North Texas Oil and Gas Association, West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners and Texas Oil and Gas Association. In the past, says Morris Burns, executive director of the PBPA, getting all the associations to agree on any measure such as this would have been impossible.

Rep. Tom Craddick of Midland has not yet decided whether he will support the measure. We hope he will. The oil industry definitely needs the support of all the representatives like Craddick who have helped it so much through the years.

The projections of what unitization could mean for the depressed oil industry are impressive to say the least. Conservative projections indicate it could create $134 million for Texas over five years in sales taxes, severance taxes, royalties and so forth. And based on New Mexico's 18-year history with statutory unitization, it could create 27,000 jobs in the oil field per year and generate $28 billion in revenue.

Chisum's bill appears to offer what the oil and gas industry needs at this time. It should be enacted.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, March 30, the 89th day of 1999. There are 276 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On March 30, 1981, President Reagan was shot and seriously injured outside a Washington, D.C., hotel by John W. Hinckley Jr. Also wounded were White House press secretary James Brady, a Secret Service agent and a District of Columbia police officer.

On this date:

One year ago: Rolls-Royce was purchased by German automaker BMW in a $570 million deal.

JACK ANDERSON

Arafat: Bad cop, worse cop act in Washington

Yasser Arafat's visit to Washington on Tuesday (March 23) allowed him to play his bad cop-worse cop role. He has pledged to declare an independent Palestinian state on May 4 in violation of the Oslo accords, but he might delay the declaration if he gets concessions from the United States and Israel.


Anderson

The Clinton administration, which worked to defeat Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in his run against Shimon Peres in 1996, does not want Netanyahu to win again in the coming May elections because it erroneously thinks Netanyahu, not Arafat, is the primary impediment to peace. If Arafat declares a state, the Israeli electorate might move to the right, guaranteeing Netanyahu victory. Such a declaration would further complicate matters because Israel might annex the territory it still holds.

Arafat probably wants more money and concessions from the United States. But as a Jerusalem Post editorial correctly stated, "it is entirely inappropriate to 'pay' Arafat for not acting recklessly." He should be required to live up to both the Oslo and Wye agreements, which committed both sides to negotiate a final settlement.

Arafat's ultimate intentions are frequently on display at home. Only four days before leaving for Washington, Arafat declared to a crowd of 3,000 Fatah members in Ramallah: "The state will be established with Jerusalem as its capital, whether they like it or not. If they don't like it they can drink from the waters of the Dead Sea." Is this the language of a peacemaker, a peacekeeper?

The Palestinian Authority continues to violate -- or fail to live up to -- most of the agreements it has signed. But the its rhetoric and what it is teaching the next generation demonstrate its intentions to claim all of the land, including Israel, for Palestinians.

Sen. Connie Mack (R-Fla.), who recently toured Israel, gave a speech on March 3 that was mostly ignored by the press. In it, he summed up the objections many have to pressuring Israel without movement by the Palestinian Authority toward fulfilling its obligations.

On the Senate floor Mack asked the ultimate question: "How is it possible to engage in peace negotiations with people who maintain the right to obliterate you, who are filled with hatred toward you and who harbor the dream of one day destroying your homeland? Peace is a matter of the heart."

Mack said of the Palestinian Authority: "Their hearts and minds are set on other goals (than peace) .... They want, first, their own state which they can control with total power. Then they want to use that state to eliminate the state of Israel."

He labeled the administration's approach to Arafat "foolish appeasement," and he mentioned scenes he had seen on videotape and books in Palestinian schools that teach hatred of Jews and affirm the "wisdom" of children who choose to be martyrs. "How would you feel if your government was teaching your children to hate?" asked Mack. "Could you conclude that they were serious about long-term peace with their neighbors?" Children's textbooks define Israel as the "Zionist enemy" that attacks civilians and hates Muslim unity.

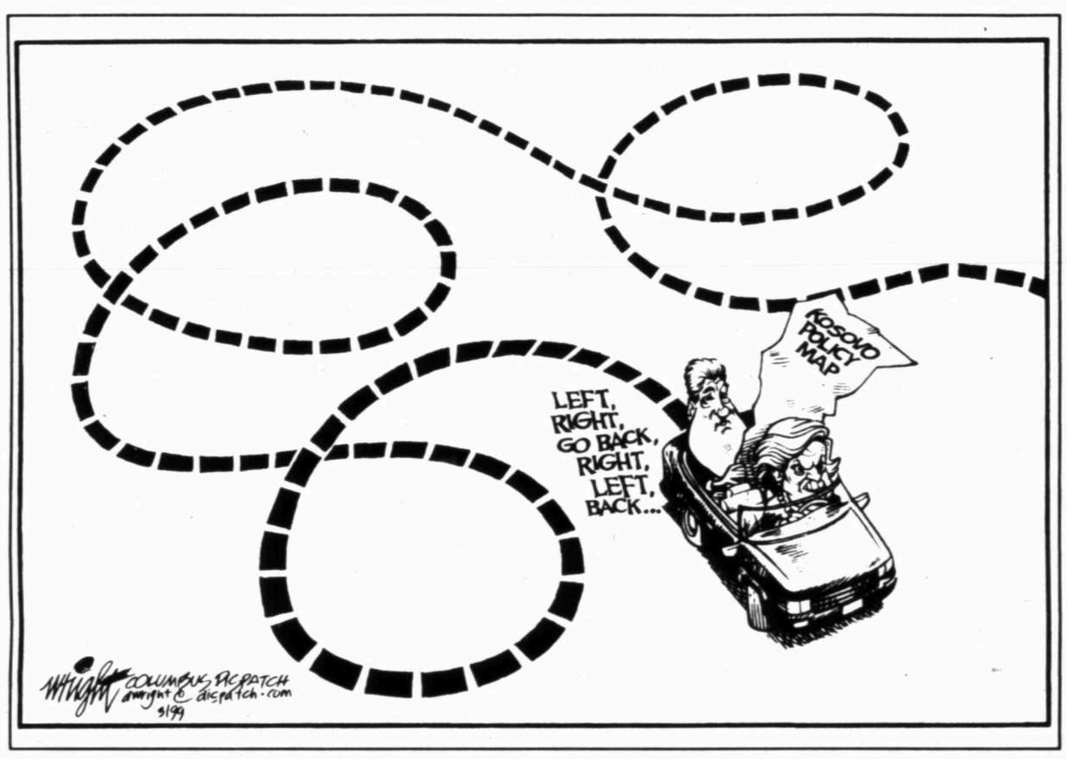
Mack says he met with Palestinian Christians who told him they were tortured and discriminated against for their faith. He wondered: "How can the people of Israel find peace with the Palestinian Authority while the Palestinian Authority engages in coercion and torture based upon religious beliefs?" It's a question President Clinton and Secretary of State Madeleine Albright probably did not ask Arafat.

The Wye agreement established a timeline. At prescribed moments when Israel does something, such as relinquish land, the PA is supposed to reciprocate. Israel has given up land, but the PA has failed to live up to its side of the bargain. Israel doesn't want to commit suicide -- but it is being asked to by the Clinton administration in the name of "peace."

It is a fool's bargain. As Mack said, "In the United States, many people seem to think that if we do not confront these obstacles to peace and if we look the other way, then we will be able to come to an agreement. The reality, however, is just the opposite. If we do not acknowledge the attitudes and acts of those at the peace table, then the peace process is already over, and we just won't admit it."

Arafat shouldn't be pressuring us. We should be pressuring him. But that would require the administration to remove its blinders, hold the PA accountable for its behavior and acknowledge its deadly ultimate objectives.

Jack Anderson and Jan Moller's column is distributed by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.



CHARLEY REESE

Education can be defined by content

In all the hoopla and babble about education these days, the single most important point is being completely ignored.


Reese

That's content. Education is good or evil depending on the content. An educational system designed to graduate semiliterate, young socialists who are atheistic and hostile to their own country, to capitalism, and to liberty is not a system sensible Americans would want their children involved in.

Let's do a bit of clarifying on this subject.

State-controlled education is a high priority of every totalitarian state now or in the past. V. I. Lenin said it plainly: "Give me four years to teach the children and the seed I have sown will never uprooted." In fact, even democracies and liberal monarchies saw public schools as a means of indoctrinating and training citizens. The point is simply this: Government schools are by design established and run to serve government purposes. These purposes will change as the people who control the government change.

Though France set up the first central education system, the model most admired and adopted in America was the Prussian one. In 19th century America, there were many bitter battles fought as government education proponents sought to impose a system incorporating three points: tax-supported, government-controlled and the absence of all religious instruction.

As opponents of the government school system argued in 1800s, if you remove Christianity from the schools, then inevitably it will be replaced by the state religion of secular humanism. History has proven them correct.

So it's important to remember that education is not a synonym for the government educational system. There are many ways to educate children. The government-funded, government-controlled secular system is only one of them.

And whether you wish your children to be a part of that government system should depend on what it is teaching as well as its ability to provide a healthy and safe environment. Good luck trying to find out. Most educational bureaucrats take the position that they are the high priests and that peasant parents should not interfere or ask too many questions. Just supply kids and money and keep your mouth shut.

Based on my observation of the products of this government system, I think all who can should withdraw their children and their support from it. I recognize, of course, that with 15,000 separate school districts there are some government schools that do a good job. My own children attended public schools. Still, the trend is toward even more indoctrination rather than true education, and if I had to start over today, I'd find a way to keep them in private schools.

In 19th century America, education was targeted, as it ought to be, to fit the needs of the people. There was no need for a young man who intended to be a blacksmith to learn Greek and Latin. He was apprenticed to a blacksmith and taught enough reading and arithmetic to run his business. One of the most successful and intellectually esteemed individuals in American history was a product of this system -- Benjamin Franklin.

Franklin received no more than two years of formal schooling, but at an age when Americans today are graduating from high school, Franklin was already successful and well-established in his chosen field.

To pad their own jobs, the government bureaucrats have stretched the length of time required to earn education certificates. A young American today has already wasted nearly a third or more of his life sitting in government institutions before he can even begin his vocation.

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

Intervention applied inconsistently from one case to another

WASHINGTON — Never will so many nations inflict so much destruction with so little relish.


Safire

Because outrage is absent and the public's war spirit is lacking; because few in NATO want to see the collateral damage sure to be inflicted as bombs go astray; and because foreign policy is so foreign to our economy-fixated discourse, Americans are asking as we go in: What national interest impels us to intervene to stop an independence movement from losing?

Four categories of answers, the first three of them unhappy:

1. THE SIMPLIFIERS: President Clinton painfully gives the reason designed to stir emotion and rally popular support: "President Milosevic ... has again chosen aggression over peace." Serbian forces are "burning down Kosovar Albanian villages and murdering civilians."

2. THE THOUGHTFUL INTERNATIONALISTS: Senators like Richard Lugar, R-Ind., and John McCain, R-Ariz., are reluctant to see us lurch into combat commitment with no end in sight. They find themselves forced to support the bombing of the Serbs because to do otherwise after all our threatening would be to reveal the alliance of Western nations as a pitiful, helpless giant.

3. THE ANTI-WILSONIANS: Henry Kissinger exhibits "great unease" at NATO's decision to intervene; his conceptual framework holds Woodrow Wilson's principle of self-determination to be unduly idealistic and destabilizing. He stops short of saying we should not join the bombing because he does not want to disestablish the foreign policy Establishment.

4. THE AMERICA FIRSTERS AND THE QUAGMIRE-AVOIDERS: Now that the McGovernite left has fallen silent about taking sides in a civil war, anti-war voices are mainly from the Republican right, and they alone are unconflicted. They condemn the multilateral intervention, arguing: If Serbia refuses to allow a province coveted by neighboring Albania to secede, outsiders have no right to label such defense of its national borders "aggression" and to support the rebels. Russia agrees: If NATO can help the Kosovars break away from Serbia, then it can help the Chechens break away from Russia. That's why Yevgeny Primakov had to turn around and go home.

I'm in a separate school with President Wilson, who was three generations ahead of his time. Wilson was an arrogant idealist, a troublemaking rearranger of national borders who summed up his vision thus: "Every people has a right to choose the sovereignty under which they shall live." (Great principle; bad sentence structure.)

We now live in a world of satellite-televised brutality and computer-samizdat suffering; repression is hard to hide. If a large ethnic group dominating the demography of a province wants to be independent, it can assert its desire for self-determination in a dramatic way that earns a decent respect of the Opinion of Mankind.

But what happens when a people — bonded by linguistic, cultural, racial or religious ties — is denied the expression of its culture, and then demands sovereignty from despots? If those oppressees are ready to shed their own blood and that of their territorial hosts, their sometimes self-induced agony, projected on the world's attention screen, becomes a persuasive argument for "humanitarian intercession."

If the repressing country is powerful, the sovereignty does not change; too bad for now, Tibet.

If its leadership is savagely dictatorial but vulnerable, as in Iraq, repression is restricted from outside: We'll enforce your autonomy, you Kurds, but no independent Kurdistan lest your compatriots in Turkey and Iran get ideas.

If the villainous sovereign is relatively weak and the potential bloodshed is horrendous, then in we go (with bombs, not troops) to save the Kosovars.

Consistent and principled? Not quite. But the trend at century's end is toward self-determination, propelled by a world audience humanely averse to seeing casualties up close.

William Safire's column is distributed by the N.Y.

Viruses swamp thousands of computers

NEW YORK (AP) — E-mail systems at thousands of companies and government agencies around the country were swamped Monday by a cunning virus called "Melissa" that disguises itself as an "important message" from a friend.

The virus began to show up Friday and spread rapidly on Monday by making computers fire off dozens of infected e-mails. Although the virus apparently causes no permanent damage to a computer, its effects were far-reaching.

In Portland, Ore., city government slowed to a crawl. The e-mail network at Lockheed Martin, the aerospace company in Bethesda, Md., was overloaded.

Michael Vatis, a federal prosecutor and director of the National Infrastructure Protection Center based at FBI headquarters, said military and government computers were sabotaged, along with thousands of other institutions' systems.

The FBI is investigating, he said. Vatis would not comment on whether investigators had any leads, or on where the name Melissa came from.

To make matters worse, a similar virus called Papa was discovered Monday. Papa is programmed to send out even more infected e-mails than Melissa, although it has a bug that sometimes prevents it from working, said Srivats Sampath, general manager of McAfee software, a company that makes antivirus software.

The Melissa virus comes in the form of an e-mail, usually containing the subject line "Important Message." It appears to be from a friend or colleague.

The body of the e-mail message says, "Here is that document you asked for ... don't show it to anyone else" with a winking smiley face formed by the punctuation marks ;-).

Attached to the message is a document file. Once the user opens that file, the virus digs into the user's address book and sends infected documents to the first 50 addresses.

E-mails from the Papa virus include an attached spreadsheet file. When the user opens that file, the virus sends 60 infected e-mails.

"The reason this is spreading so rapidly is that you're getting it from people you know and you trust," said Eric Lundquist, editor in chief of PC Week magazine. "You should never open documents or attachments from people you don't know, but this is the first one you need to be careful of opening documents from people you do know."

People who get an unexpected e-mail with the "important message" subject line were advised to delete it immediately and not open the message.

Corporate computer managers first noticed the Melissa virus late Friday, but it began spreading rapidly Monday, with the start of the work week.

Those affected include the chemical company DuPont in Wilmington, Del.; electronics maker Honeywell Inc. in Minneapolis; North Dakota state government; The Associated Press Broadcast Services in Washington; and Compaq Computer Corp. in Houston.

In Portland, computer managers had to shut down an e-mail server that supplied schedules for city meetings and circulated documents for review.

"I can tell you that we've become addicted to the e-mail system," said Mayor Vera Katz. "The phone and shouting have been the methods of communication. It has slowed down business."

She said eradicating the virus would take at least a couple of days, and she ordered a plan to prevent similar problems.

North Dakota Secretary of State Al Jaeger and Tax Commissioner Rick Clayburgh said they inadvertently spread the computer bug because the name in the message's address line was familiar and they assumed there was nothing wrong.

"I did think it was a little unusual, because of the wording," Jaeger said. "I opened it up, and in turn, sent it to thousands of others."

Several antivirus software makers, including McAfee, Symantec, Trend Micro and Sophos, posted patches on their Web sites that detect and reject the Melissa virus. Sampath said that while the Papa virus doesn't always work, its code has been published on the Internet, where hackers will probably fix the bug and continue its distribution.

Vatis said the author of a virus can be charged with a felony computer crime carrying a prison term of five to 10 years and a fine of up to $250,000.

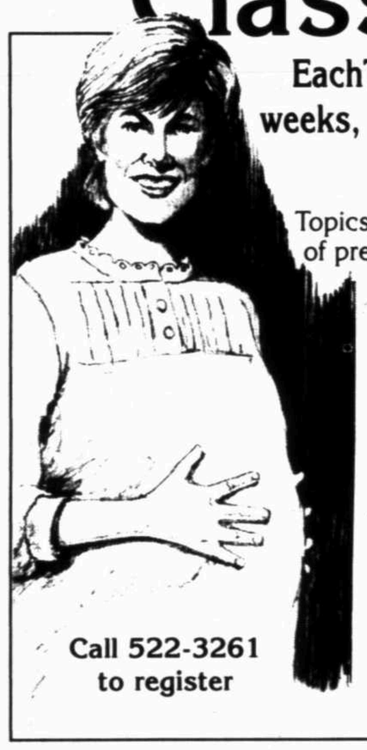
EDITOR'S NOTE: Information about the Melissa virus is available on the Web at http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-04-Melissa-Macro-Virus.html. Microsoft has a patch available at http://www.microsoft.com/security/bulletins/ms99-002.asp.

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Justices issue divergent orders on affirmative action

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court won't let the Dallas Fire Department revive an affirmative-action program to promote more blacks, Hispanics and women. But the justices are letting the federal government give companies with disadvantaged owners extra help in winning highway contracts.

The apparently contradictory actions Monday, however, seemed based on how the second case, from Utah, reached the nation's highest court — not on the justices' views of affirmative action. In both cases, the court simply refused to review lower court rulings, action that sets no national precedent.

But its handling of the Dallas case betrayed little patience for employers' efforts to give special help to those historically underrepresented in their work force. Over two dissenting votes, the court left intact a ruling that struck down the Dallas program as discriminatory against white men.

Justices Stephen G. Breyer and Ruth Bader Ginsburg voted to consider reviving the fire department's program. But the votes of four of the court's nine members are needed to grant such review.

In an opinion for the two, Breyer cited "the many affirmative action plans in effect throughout the nation," and conflicting lower court rulings over when such programs are appropriate.

The court generally has been hostile in recent years to programs aimed at giving special help to racial minorities.

In Dallas, the city council adopted a five-year plan in 1988 for promoting qualified blacks, Hispanics and women ahead of white men who had scored higher on fire department promotion tests.

At the time, white men filled 85 percent of all driver-engineer jobs within the department and 97 percent of the 103 lieutenant posts. Five years later, those percentages had dropped to 77 and 82, respectively.

In 1992, the city council voted to extend the affirmative-action plan for another five years, but between 1991 and 1995 the Dallas Fire Fighters Association and individual firefighters filed four lawsuits challenging the promotion program.

City officials defended the program, saying it was a necessary remedy for past discrimination that had been acknowledged in a 1976 consent decree between the city and the Justice Department. But a federal judge and the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against the city.

"The record is devoid of a history of egregious and pervasive discrimination or resistance to affirmative action that has warranted more serious measures in other cases," the appeals court ruled. As a result, it said, the city had failed to show the necessary "compelling interest" for such a program to promote blacks and Hispanics.

Finding "little evidence" of racial discrimination, the appeals court said it had found "even less evidence of gender discrimination."

In the Utah case, the court let the federal government continue giving companies owned by disadvantaged people extra help in winning highway-project contracts. The justices turned away arguments that said the federal program discriminates against companies owned by white men.

The action, however, cannot be read as an endorsement of the federal Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program, which requires that no less than 10 percent of all federally funded highway construction contracts be awarded to "small business concerns ... owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals."

One of the federal laws encompassing the program defines "small business concern" as one with less than $16.6 million in annual average gross revenue for the preceding three years. The program also presumes that racial minorities and women who own small businesses are "socially and economically disadvantaged."

That presumption was challenged by Cache Valley Electrical Co. after it lost out on two 1995 contracts for work on federally funded highway projects in Utah.

Cache Valley Electrical is owned by Jack Laub, who is white, and it has annual gross revenues of about $41 million. A federal judge threw out the lawsuit, saying the company lacked the legal standing to sue, and a federal appeals court upheld the dismissal.

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Long Range Strategic Plan

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Tuesday, March 30, 7:00 p.m.
at the following locations:
•Alamo Jr. High School
3800 W. Storey St. (District 3 & 6)
•Bowie Elementary School
805 Elk Ave. (Districts 4 & 5)
•Greathouse Elementary School
5107 Greathouse (District 7)
•Pease Elementary School
1700 E. Magnolia (Districts 1 & 2)

Please attend in the district where you reside. English Spanish translators will be available at all meetings.
Help shape the future of MISD.
For more information contact the MISD Community Affairs Dept., 689-1008.

Noticia de Junta al Público

Distrito Escolar Independiente de Midland
Plan de Estrategia de Largo Alcance

Ciudadanos, dejen que sus voces sean escuchadas. El Distrito Escolar independiente de Midland tendrá juntas entre la communidad para discutir el Plan de Estrategia de Largo Alcance **el Martes, 30 de Marzo, a las 7:00 p.m.** en los siguientes lugares:
•Escuela Alamo Junior High
3800 W. Storey (Distritos 3 y 6)
•Escuela Primaria Bowie
805 Avenida Elk (Distritos 4 y 5)
•Escuela Primaria Greathouse
5107 Greathouse (Distrito 7)
•Escuela Primaria Pease
1700 E. Magnolia (Distritos 1 y 2)

Por favor atienda la junta en el distrito donde vive. Traductores de Ingles/Español estarán presentes en estas juntas para asistirle.
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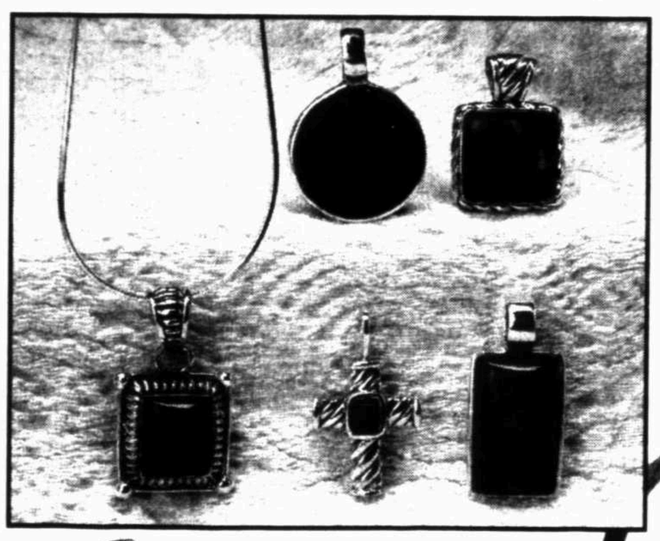
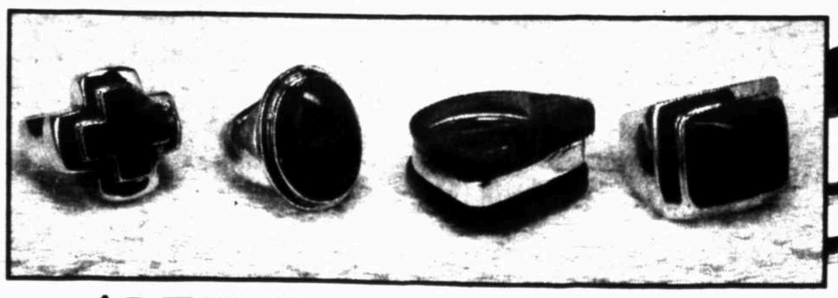
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BASIN BRIEFING

Lee concert

Lee High School Choir presents music from the Renaissance to Afro-American spirituals in its final concert of the season set for 7:30 p.m. today at Lee High School auditorium. No admission wil be charged.

Science fair

Four Midland students will be competing in the International Science Fair in Philadelphia after placing in the regional science fair over the weekend at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

Midland High School senior Peter Alderks and Lee High School junior Cody Hansen were overall winners, while the MHS team of Vanessa Spencer and Robin Nelson won first place for group effort.

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Shooting rampage

ABILENE — Four teen-age females were shot to death and a man wounded Monday at a duplex, officials said.

Police released few details about the incident but said they were summoned to the duplex about 5 p.m.

A wounded man was found in the driveway and the four other victims, including one who was pregnant, were inside, police said.

The women were identified as Sandy Witt, Naomi Martinez, Penny Estrada and Erica Arispe, KTXS-TV reported. Injuries to the fifth victim, Larry Hammond, were not believed to be life-threatening.

Police at the scene told KTXS that they were looking for a light-colored Cadillac that was seen speeding from the scene.

Mail bomb

DALLAS — Postal authorities confirmed Monday that it was a mail bomb that exploded on a conveyor belt at a bulk-mail facility over the weekend.

No one was injured Sunday when the package exploded while traveling on a conveyer belt about 30 feet off the floor at the mail center in south Dallas. The blast touched off a small fire, but damage was described as very slight.

Postal Service spokeswoman Linda Kirksey said officials are trying to figure out who sent the bomb. It was believed to have been destined for someone in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas or Louisiana.

The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms also is investigating the explosion.

TODAY'S AGENDA

For information on checking out books, library hours and how to get a library card, call the Midland County Library at 688-8991.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8928.

American Lung Association's Better Breathing Club, 11:30 a.m., Westwood Medical Center lecture hall, 522-2273.

Tx TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Beyond Choice support group, for those dealing with post-abortion issues, Dot, 683-3775 and Kathy, 580-HELP.

La Leche League, 7:30 p.m., Grace Presbyterian Church, 694-2018 or 697-0539.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrows Restaurant, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toasters, 6:30 a.m., Kay Sutton Realtors, 702 Andrews Highway, 694-4271 or 694-3716.

Adult Children of Alcoholics; From Survival to Healing, 7:30 p.m., Our Savior's Lutheran Church

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

45-Plus Dance Club, 7:30 p.m., Downtown Lions building, 694-8442.

Midland Outreach Aglow Fellowship. 6:30 p.m., Rodeway Inn, 756-3688 or 332-9151.

Downtown Bible Study, noon, 312 E. Illinois Ave., Suite 6, 682-6748.

Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2982 Auxiliary, 8 p.m., VFW hall, 1306 E. Taylor.

Alcoholics Anonymous closed step-study, 8 p.m., 111 E. Michigan Ave., 684-9430 or 687-3427.

Norman Read Chapter No. 1010 OES, 7:30 p.m., 1600 W. Wall St.

Teachers ask more of retirement fund

By Daniel Arp
Staff Writer

The Texas Teacher Retirement System — one of the healthiest pension funds in the world — got $12 billion healthier this past year, and teachers' groups are using the latest numbers to fuel a push to increase retirement benefits this year.

TRS released results of a report Monday that showed an 18 percent increase in the state teacher pension fund, bringing assets near a total of $75 billion this year. The news comes as teachers' groups lobby aggressively with the Texas Legislature for a 12 percent increase in benefits.

"That fund is huge, and it's not paying out. That's what everyone's upset about," said Steve Buck, president of the Midland Federation of Teachers.

During fiscal year 1998, the fund paid out almost $2.5 billion to retirees. At the same time, the fund has been accruing astronomical profits from a booming stock market. TRS assets have more than tripled since 1990, when the fund was worth about $24 billion.

The investment performance has put pressure on the Texas Legislature to burn a little of the wealth.

State Sen. Teel Bivins (R-Amarillo), who chairs the Senate education committee and represents Midland as part of his constituency, included in his omnibus education bill a provision for raising pensions about 5 percent — based, he said, on assessments of how much the fund would bear and remain healthy.

Other legislators have been less conservative than Bivins, calling for the full 12 percent increase teachers' groups are pulling for.

But some local retired teachers — knowing the stock market can go down as easily as it has gone up — are wary of an increase — though it would help their pocketbooks.

"I'm sort of leery about it," said Orin Wade, who has been retired five years. Wade taught math for 24 years at Lee High School, working before then as a teacher in Ohio and Lubbock.

"I see demographics in the future, the next 10 years: the baby boomers are going to start to retire. I'm sort of conservative on that," said Wade. He also worried that the stock market could not maintain its current level of prosperity.

"I'd like to see us keep the fund sound," said Wade. "But, I'm not an actuary, so I don't know."

At issue is the retirement multiplier. Currently teachers who retire after 30 years, for instance, get a percentage equaling twice the number of years worked, or 60 percent of the average of their best three annual salaries. Teacher unions want that multiplier upped to 2.25, so a teacher who worked 30 years would get 67.5 percent of their salaries.

But Bivins' bill calls for only a 2.1 multiplier, and even with the latest assessment, TRS officials are not quoting figures above 2.15 as being workable.

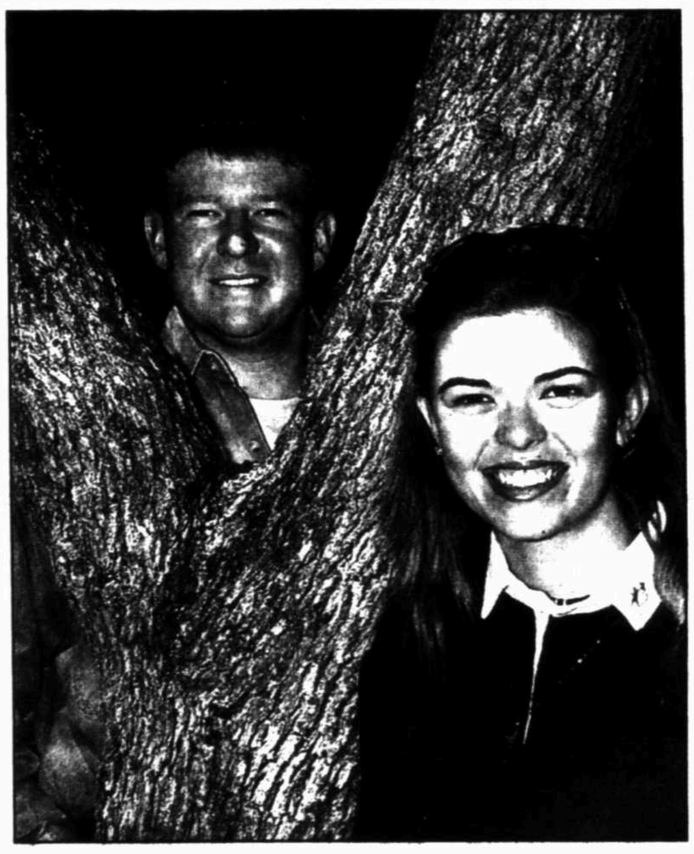
Buck said the estimates are overly cautious — as are retired teachers who are not sure they want the increase.

"I don't know what they're afraid of," he said. "They have nothing to lose."

Buck said the fund had reached the point where the multiplier could be raised to 2.25 and the fund could still cov-

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Spring break in the Philippines





Phto courtesy of Natalie Neel
Natalie Neal poses with a young Filipino girl in a photo from her trip.

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram
Odessans Ben Clements and Natalie Neal, left, recently returned from a Rotary Club foreign exchange trip to the Philippines.

Two Odessans participate in foreign exchange program

By Richard Acosta
Staff Writer

ODESSA — While other people were planing what to do for spring break, two Odessans spent time in the Philippines.

University of Texas of the Permian Basin student Ben Clements and former student Natalie Neal were part of a team of five people who took part in the Rotary Club's foreign exchange program. Other members of the group were Bill Pool of Post, Dan DeAsis of Plainview and Suzana Scholes of Big Spring. They were gone Jan. 28 through March 2.

The purpose of the program is to help people learn about other countries.

"They do it as a service for the community," Clements said. "We go to different Rotary Clubs and give a presentation about what we learned and share our experiences with them."

Clements said that as part of the exchange, a group from the Philippines will spend time in Texas, including four days in Odessa around April 19.

Clements is a rodeo announcer for the Odessa College rodeo and Ms. Neal is the executive director of Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

The main purpose for the trip was to do demonstrations and presentations for the Rotary Clubs in the Philippines.

Ms. Neal said her presentation was about what she did at Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

"I think a lot of what I said was well-received," Ms. Neal

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Folklore society hosts 89-year-old Texan storyteller

By Rick López
Staff Writer

Only a fine storyteller could bring alive the small-but-mettlesome towns of West Texas.

One might think this region isn't much more than oil rigs and rickety windmills scattered across miles of sand. But even unpopulous places, like Upton County, are filled with an energy that writer Paul Patterson has captured for decades.



Kelton

Patterson, who turns 90 this year, will be honored Thursday at the Texas Folklore Society's meeting in Midland. A $5 registration fee buys a ticket to Patterson's celebration and two days of entertainment from the state's best folklorists.

San Angelo writer Elmer Kelton regards Patterson an inspiration to many other writers who preserve the rustic Texan culture through their talents.

The two men met more than 50 years ago, when Patterson, who just finished college, took a job working for Kelton's father at the McElroy Ranch.

"I knew him on the ranch as Cowboy Paul," Kelton said. "When he became my high school teacher, I knew him as Mr. Patterson. He was a good teacher, well known by the students. But he wasn't easy. You didn't get a good grade unless you earned it."

Patterson taught Kelton the basic principals of journalsim he'd eventually put to use as an agriculture reporter at the San Angelo Standard-Times. He also gave Kelton good advice that he would take to heart: get a full-time newspaper job to support your book-writing projects.

He followed those words of wisdom for 42 years.

After releasing his first book, "Hot

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Reports are in, Vision 2000 group is ready for next step

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

With all the reports in from the 20 focus groups that met March 4 to kick off "Midland Vision 2000," the executive committee is set to take the next step.

Committee member Joan Baskin said her fellow members are in the process of asking volunteers to chair various task forces that will focus on nine wide-ranging topics.

"It will be four months of heavy lifting," she quipped. A preliminary report summarizing the work of the task forces is due at the end of the summer.

Dr. Warren Gardner of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin has been organizing the topics and looking for ways to keep Midlanders current on the project's progress.

"People have been asking about the Internet, so we're looking at possibly a home page that can link to the Chamber of Commerce site," he said.

The topics include economic development, education, leisure activities — recreation and arts, health and social services, seniors and housing, city and county services and promoting Midland, youth issues, transportation and facilities.

"They're wide ranging," Ms. Baskin said. "We want to do a wide-range look at Midland's needs. We knew everyone would be concerned with economic development, but we want to look at what else is vital, what else is needed in Midland."

She said she thought the March 4 meeting, where residents were encouraged to attend and present their ideas about what Midland will need in the near future and ways to meet those needs. In fact, she said, community input is still welcome and being received at her home, at the homes of other committee members and at the Chamber office. She encouraged those wishing to provide input to put their suggestions in writing.

Gardner said he was impressed with the breadth of suggestions that came out of the meeting and the fact that people came to the meeting prepared and upbeat. The ideas ranged from "small dreams to huge dreams. Some aren't doable in 10 or 20 years, but they should be on the table. There are projects now coming to fruition that wouldn't be if they hadn't been put on the table in 1970."

He added, "Also, people want to stay involved. People are volunteering, they want to work. I was overwhelmed. You always hope a lot of people will show up and show interest. I've done this in other communities and I've not seen this scope of participation."

After the preliminary report is issued, a series of public meetings will be held this fall in different Midland neighborhoods, with a final report issued in December.

GARY OTT

An 'untimely death' has always struck me as redundant

More rambling thoughts ...

— Most Americans, it seems to me, are desperately trying to support the NATO air strikes in Kosovo, but are having an increasingly difficult time understanding why it so important that we launch them at this particular point in time.



Ott

— The best advice I've received in a long, long time goes something like this: "If your mind isn't open, keep your mouth shut, too."

— It is hard to believe, but it was four years ago Wednesday that renowned Tejano singer Selena, 23, was shot to death in Corpus Christi by a leader of her fan club.

— As I recall her tragic death, at the time, was compared to that of Elvis Presley because it had dramatically influenced an entire segment of the population.

— Frankly, I questioned that assessment, but as I reflect back on the outpouring of emotions that has resulted, both then and now, I'm beginning to realize it wasn't an overstatement, after all.

— Here's an idle thought: Far more people are cautious than bold.

— And I don't know if that is good or bad.

— Overheard: "Too much virtue is just as worrisome as wickedness in my book."

— I agree, especially when people wear their virtue on the sleeve.

— The brilliant Tennessee Williams once said, "Time is the longest distance between two places."

— It is always a bit of a jolt when you first meet people with whom you have had numerous telephone coversations and you suddenly realize they don't look anything like what you had initially pictured.

— The statement, "All is well that ends well", sounds good, but let's face it, it comes across as just a tad on the naive side.

— "I'd loved to keep chatting, but I'm getting ready to step into a meeting" has become the most-used excuse for ending an unwanted telephone conversation.

— Question: "Which Tom was the first Peeping Tom?"

— It has been described many different ways, of course, but when you stop and think about it, a conversation is really just two monologues that eventually intersect with one another.

— "Untimely death" has always struck me as a redundant statement.

— It was Samuel Johnson who first said, "The true art of memory is the art of attention."

— Interviewing people on television seems like it would be a fun job, especially if the individuals you were talking to turned out to be even remotely interesting, which, as we all know from watching TV talk shows, is not always the case.

— Few scenes are more pathetic than watching a person attempt to give the impression he is best buddies with a prominent individual, when it is obvious — especially based on the actions of the prominent person — that the two barely know one another.

— And today's final quote comes from Goethe, who once said, "National hatred is something peculiar. You will always find it strongest and most violent where there is the lowest degree of culture."

— And, I might add, intelligence.

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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POLICE REPORTS

Midland Police Department
Saturday

Criminal mischief: John Lujan reported damage to a pickup in the 1900 block of North Midland Drive. It was reported at 7:48 a.m.

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Burglary: Gerado Carrasco Salgado reported a vehicle burglary 1902 N. Midland Drive. It was reported at 7 a.m.

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Burglary: A pickup was burglarized at 1902 N. Midland Drive. It was reported to police at 9:55 a.m.

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Burglary: Chad Sandel reported the burglary of a pickup at 3824 Nassau Drive. It was reported at 12:11 p.m.

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Burglary: A pickup window was broken at 1902 N. Midland Drive. It was reported at 6 p.m.

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Burglary: Dennis Miller reported the burglary of a vehicle at 1902 N. Midland Drive. It was reported at 8 a.m.

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Burglary: A pickup was reported damage at 1902 N. Midland Drive.

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Sunday

Assault: An assault involving juveniles was reported at Hogan Park. The incident was reported at 10 p.m.

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Possession of marijuana: A 27-year-old woman was arrested in the 4400 block of Andrews Highway about 10 p.m. for possession of marijuana.

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Criminal mischief: Irene Ortega at 9:35 p.m. reported vandalism at 810 S. Pecos St.

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Theft: Theft was reported at Furr's Supermarket, 2208 N. Big Spring St. The incident was reported at 5:19 p.m.

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Possession of marijuana: A mother on Mariana Avenue at 8:08 p.m. reported that her sons were in possession of marijuana.

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Theft: Hubcaps were reported stolen from a car at 4517 N. Midland Drive. The incident was reported at 1:30 p.m.

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Criminal mischief: Albert Jordan at 5:56 p.m. reported a broken driver's side window vent to a tractor in the 1400 block of East Jax Avenue.

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Theft: Theft was reported at 2901 W. Louisiana Ave. The incident was reported at 8 a.m.

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Criminal mischief: Jennifer Anders at 3 p.m. reported a broken rear window to a car at 2613 N. Midland Drive.

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Criminal mischief: A car's rear window was reported broken at 3801 E. U.S. Highway 80. The incident was reported at 1:15 p.m.

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Theft: Carolyn Grismore at 10:33 a.m. reported the theft of a double gate from the backyard fence at 1312 E. Chestnut Ave.

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Burglary: A portable telephone was reported stolen from a van at 410 E. Shandon Ave.

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Burglary: Juan Heredia at 9:23 a.m. reported that the owner's manual was missing from a burglarized pickup truck a 2101 S. Belmont St.

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Burglary: Linda Smith at 8:01 a.m. reported the theft of a stereophonic audio system from a car at 1718 E. Pine St.

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Burglary: A car was reported burglarized at 500 N. Terrell Ave. The incident was reported at 3:16 a.m.

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Burglary: Armando Moreno at 9:30 p.m. reported the burglary of a sports utility vehicle at 3207 W. Cuthbert Ave.

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Midland County Sheriff's Office
Sunday

Burglary: Martha Gonzales reported a burglary at 3108 S. County Road 1194. It was reported at 2:58 p.m.

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Illegal dumping: Oscar Duran Valencia at 3:09 p.m. reported that someone in a pickup truck illegally was dumping trash on his property at Farm-to-Market Road 307 and County Road 1150.

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Criminal mischief: Debbie Turner at 5:34 p.m. reported criminal mischief at 1907 W. County Road 120.

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Monday

Illegal dumping: Illegal dumping at S. County Road 1120 and Interstate Highway 20 was reported to the sheriff at 1:58 p.m.

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Anyone having information concerning these incidents should contact the Police Department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

RETIRE: Teachers call for higher percentages

From 1B

er its costs, even at only five percent investment growth.

"I'll assure you, I can write 30 year treasury notes at better than 5 percent," said Buck. "What teachers need to do is make sure the TRS pays out."

Still, some retirees are more concerned about other benefits besides their pensions.

John Bond, in his fourth year of retirement after 30 years of teaching in the Midland public school system, said the current multiplier is "adequate." What concerns him most, he said, is the health insurance program for retired teachers, a fund which, unlike its TRS counterpart, is ailing financially.

"(TRS) does pretty good. If the insurance is there. I can live with it," he said.

OBITUARIES



Fred Muniz

Funeral services for Flugencio (Fred) Muniz will be today (Tuesday) at 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

He was born January 9, 1908 in Brownsville, Texas, to Luciano Muniz and Paula Martinez. He married Ramona Molina in 1930. She preceded him in death in 1998. He lived in Corpus Christi working as a carpenter, and later he did maintenance work. He retired and moved to Midland in 1975 to be with his daughter and grandchildren. He was a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, and was a volunteer at Casa de Amigos. He was preceded in death by his son, Flugencio Muniz Jr. in 1994.

Survivors include his daughter, Ines Baeza of Midland; three grandchildren from Midland, Adelita Monarrez, Maria Oropesa and Carlos Garza Jr. of Houston; six other grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and 16 great-great-grandchildren.



Charlotte Cooper

Mary Charlotte Cooper was born November 29, 1922 in Denver, Colorado to Louis and Rachel Octavia (Wagner) Vanhille. She graduated from East High in Denver, Colorado. On October 3, 1942 she married Donald Cooper. Mrs. Cooper was a long time member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, where she served as Church Secretary for 6 1/2 years. She was also on the Auxiliary Board of Trinity Towers where she taught fitness and exercise. In addition, she had been a member of the Children's Service League, on the Board of the YMCA, and a Girl Scout Troop Leader.

Mrs. Cooper died at a local hospital Sunday, March 28, 1999.

She is survived by her husband, Donald Cooper of Midland; her son, David Cooper of Midland; her daughter, Cindy Cooper Smith of Edmond, Oklahoma; one grandchild, Sasha Smith of Edmond, Oklahoma; and has extended family throughout Texas, Colorado, California, and Kansas.

Memorial services have been scheduled for Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. John Setzer officiating.

The family requests memorials be directed to Southwestern Organ Donation Bank.

DEATH NOTICES

Joyce Martin

Lincoln, Neb. — Joyce C. Martin of Lincoln, mother of a Midland man, died Sunday, March 28, in Lincoln.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 31, in the Roper and Sons Chapel in Lincoln with the Rev. Lauren Ekdahl officiating. Burial will follow in the Lincoln Memorial Park.

She was born in Adams County, Neb. She attended Kearney State College and taught in rural schools in Adams County. She was a former pastry cook for the YMCA.

She is survived by one son, Mark Martin, of Midland; two daughters, Amy Skinner and Carol Gorham, both of Lincoln; eight grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and 16 great-grfeat-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Mark Martin.

Margaruette Deel

Services for Margaruette Morgan Deel, 70, of Buchanan Dam are set for 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 31, at the Pipkin Funeral Home Chapel in Midland with the Revs. Betty McNerlin and Stave Calley officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery with Pipkin Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Eddie Henley, Terry Minica, Patrick Earls, Jeff McKenzie, T.J. Smith, and Gene Stack.

Honorary pallbearers will be Dan Morgan, Thelma Morgan, Justin Morgan, Kristi Morgan and Cody Morgan.

Mrs. Deel died Monday, March 29, in Midland.

She was born Nov. 24, 1927, in Fisher County. She married Waylon Deel in 1969. She graduated from Childress Beauty College in 1968, and owned and operated a beauty salon in Buchanan Dam.

She is survived by her husband, Waylon Deel; her son, Dan Morgan, of Lampasas; two sisters, Dode Fitzgerald and Betty McNerlin, both of Midland; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, three brothers and three sisters.

Pat Pauley

Graveside services for Pat O. Pauley, 73, of Midland have been set for 3 p.m. Wednesday, March 31, at Resthaven Memorial Park with Dr. Jim Rudd officiating. Pipkin Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Pauley died Monday, March 29.

He was born Oct. 10, 1925, in Coleman. He was raised in McCamey. He moved to Midland from Odessa in 1965.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Martha Jean Pauley.

He is survived by three sons, Pat O. "Mike" Pauley of Ozona, Andy Pauley of Sherman and Jerry Pauley of Midland; two brothers, Robert "Bob" Pauley of Midland and David Pauley of San Marcos; one sister, Jan Owens, of Barnhart; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to Lone Star SPCA, 4311 W. W. Illinois Ave., Midland, 79703.

Nina Ivy

ASPERMONT — Nina Ilera Ivy, mother of a Midland man, died Sunday, March 28, in a Levelland hospital.

Servicves will be held at 11 a.m. today, March 30, in the Aspermont Church of Christ with Bob Phillips officiating. Burial will follow in the Aspermont Cemetery with McCoy Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Ivy was born in Stonewall County and married Linville C. "Snooks" Ivy on May 17, 1926 in Stonewall County. He preceded her death in June of 1981.

Survivors include two daughters, Louise Smart of Levelland and Wanda Jackson of White Oak; three sons, Bill Ivy of Midland, Lynn C. Ivy of Lubbock and Glenn A. Ivy of Sweeny; two brothers, B.O. Hawkins, Sr. of Aspermont and R.M. Hawkins of Buckhorn, N.M.; one sister, Lois Dart of Mansfield, Ark.; 12 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Rozelle Kellam

LAMESA — Memorial services for Rozelle Kellam, 83, of Midland are set for 11 a.m. Friday, April 2, at the First Baptist Church Chapel in Lamesa with the Rev. Dennis Teeters, pastor, officiating. A graveyard service was held Sunday, March 28, in the Lamesa Cemetery with Branon Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Kellam died Saturday, March 27, in a Midland hospital.

She was born July 18, 1915, in Timpson. She married O.C. Kellam, Sr. on Aug. 29, 1931, in Lovington, N.M. He died Oct. 1, 1979. Mrs. Kellam moved to Midland in 1992, after living in Dawson County for many years.

Survivors include three daughters, Sue True and Ann Moore, both of Midland, and Donna Adkins of Sweetwater; one son, Carley Kellam, of Lamesa; two sisters, Violet Hudson of Seminole and Hazel Sandell of Las Cruces, N.M.; 13 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to the Television Ministry of First Baptist Church in Lamesa.

Stanley Kruzel

TOLEDO, Ohio — Stanley J. Kruzel Jr., 68, of the Polish Village, died Monday, at home.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Thursday, April 1, at Urbanski Funeral Home in Toledo. Visitation is to be 2-9 p.m. Wednesday, March 31, at the funeral home.

He worked for the City of Toledo in sewer maintenance for 26 years, retiring in 1992.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Donald Kruzel.

Survivors include his wife, Pat Kruzel; his children, Sharon Nyitray, Catherine Pozniak, James Kruzel, Kenneth Kruzel and Nancy Kruzel, all of the Toledo area, and Jackie Revilla of Midland; two sisters, Mary Emlong and Betty M. Lisk; a brother, Robert Kruzel; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

Obituary & Death Notice policy

There is no charge for death notices of residents or former residents of Midland or for those who have Midland relatives. We also publish death notices for residents of the surrounding West Texas area.

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Deadline for both free death notices and paid obituaries is 3:30 p.m. and information must be either received from or verified by a funeral home.

Teacher charged with indecency, placed on leave

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — Odessa teacher Eloy Tarin was placed on administrative leave Monday in connection with his Friday arrest.

Midland Police arrested Tarin, 41, at his Midland residence after searching his house and seizing evidence. He was taken to the Midland County jail on charges of indecency with a child, a third-degree felony.

Tarin was released from jail Saturday after posting a $15,000, jail records indicate.

Officials have said Tarin's charges stem from alleged contact with a teen-age Midland boy. The boy told police the incident occurred about a month ago.

Chuck Hornung, spokesman for Ector County Independent School District, said Tarin will remain on paid leave as his case goes through the judicial process. This bans him from visiting all ECISD campuses and events.

Tarin began working for the Milam Elementary Magnet School in August, Hornung said.

Four Midland students to compete in International Science Fair

From Staff Reports

Four Midland students will be competing in the International Science Fair in Philadelphia after placing in the regional science fair over the weekend at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

Midland High School senior Peter Alderks and Lee High School junior Cody Hansen were overall winners, while the MHS team of Vanessa Spencer and Robin Nelson won first place for group effort.

Other Midland winners are:

Senior Division

Biochemistry: Michael Peterson, LHS, second place.

Botany: William Miller, LHS, first; Jonathon Carrasco, Midland Freshman High School, second; Thomas Millstead, Grace Christian Academy, third.

Chemistry: Everett Moran, LHS, first; Brittany Duncan, MFHS, second; Emily Blake, LHS, second.

Earth/space science: Peter Alderks, MHS, first.

Engineering: Cody Hansen, LHS, first.

Gerontology: Lisa Lawrence, Midland Christian School, first.

Mathematics: Bonnie Meinke, LHS, first.

Zoology: Steven Cummings, MHS, first.

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Junior Division
Grade 3

Chemistry: David Talbott, Crockett Elementary School, first; Aaron Brady Bishop, Anson Jones, second; Katharine Folger, Santa Rita,third.

Earth/space science: Cambrey Oehler, Scharbauer, first; Andrew Beckett, Lamar, second.

Mathematics/physics: Erin Franks, Travis, first; Kelly Craig, Santa Rita, second; Benjamin Cumings, Bonham, third.

Grade 4

Behavioral/social science: Stephanie Krol, Parker, second.

Earth/space science: Susan Strange, Parker, second.

Life science: Ben Meritt, Bonham, first.

Mathematics/physics: Stephanie Strauss, Anson Jones, first.

Grade 5

Earth/space science: David Bingham, Fannin, first.

Environmental science: Kenny Worrell, St.Ann's, first; Emery Rickard, St. Ann's, third.

Life science: Katelyn Lacy, Bush, first; Tanner Wolf, Santa Rita, second.

Mathematics/physics: Amy Hufnagel, Scharbauer, second; Kyle Napier, Bush, third.

Grade 6:

Behavioral/social science: John Carathers, St. Ann's, first; Tracy Hughes, St. Ann's, third.

Chemistry: Justin Atchley, St.Ann's, third.

Earth/space science: Brent Bennett, Milam, second; Beth Rowan, Travis, third.

Environmental science: Devon Ramey, Crockett, first; Keal Rasavage, St. Ann's, second.

Life science: Reen Ann Downing, St. Ann's, first; Mc Boyd, Crockett, third.

Mathematics/physics: Emily Fortuna, Crockett, first; Stephanie Mundy, tSt. Ann's, third.

Grade 7

Behavioral/social science: Katherine Camp, Abell Junior High School, first.

Chemistry: Laura Carr, Abell, first.

Earth/space science: Clayton Winkler, San Jacinto, first; Lindsay McDonald, Abell, second; Andrew Hobby, San Jacinto, third.

Environmental science: Nathaniel Brummert, Alamo, first; Tara Butterfield, Abell, second; Elizabeth Smith, San Jacinto, third.

Life science: Jessica Stewart, Alamo, first.

Mathematics/physics: Jessica Gilson, Abell, first.

Grade 8

Behavioral/social science: Tony Georges, Goddard, first.

Chemistry: Cari Sadler, Goddard, first; Matt Dickson, Alamo, second; Tommy Brown, San Jaconto, third.

Environmental science: Trent Thompson and Dean Haskin, Alamo, first; Alan Kaup, Alamo, second; Ross Cox, San Jacinto, third.

Life science: Wade Fagen, Goddard, first; Amber Raindl and Holly Sheppard, Alamo, second; Joshua Sneed, Abell, third.

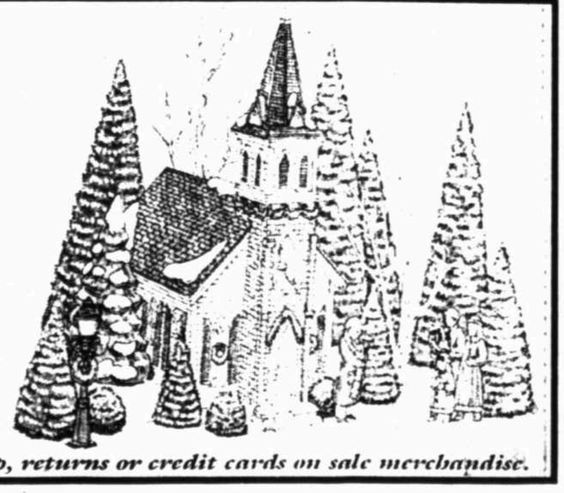
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PHILIPPINES: Biggest culture shock was kinds of food, large amounts served

From 1B

said. "There is a huge population of children in the Philippines and my organization deals with children. I have several people who approached me saying they wanted to start child education programs.

"They told me that you are either in regular school or are sent to the school for the mentally retarded," she added. "There is no gray area. So they asked me about programs we use here."

Clements said that he could not believe how the people took to him. In addition to a presentation about rodeo announcing, he would do rope and whip tricks.

"Oh, man, they loved it," he said, laughing. "They would go crazy for my rope tricks and, because of my cowboy hat, they associated me with the Marlboro Man. They asked me if he was my dad.

"And when I would snap my whip, they would go crazy. They would hear the snap and ask me, 'where is the gun powder? Where is the fire cracker?' Every one wanted my hat. I hadn't planned on wearing it everyday, but everyone wanted to see it."

The group's presentations went well, but the trip to the Philippians took a while and Clements said at times he was having second thoughts.

"The trip up there was long," Clements said. "It took us 29 1/2 hours to get there. We went from here (Midland) to Lubbock, to Houston, to Honolulu, to Manila, in the Philippines. It was pitch dark and we loaded our bags in one van, we got in another and spent the night at the hotel. The next day, we went back to the airport and flew another hour to Zamboanga City in the Philippines.

"When we first got there I thought to myself, 'I can't believe I did this.' To top it off when we got to Zamboanga City there was a sign that said, 'Must walk on carpet to prevent foot and mouth disease.'"

Ms. Neal said that although the group's first impression was bad it wasn't long before the members felt welcomed.

"I was like, 'this was a mistake,' until we met the Rotary Club's welcoming group," Ms. Neal said. "They were so friendly that I felt very welcome and comfortable. After that, I just sat back and enjoyed the trip."

She was particularly intrigued by the scenery of the city.

"You drive down the road and see a business, another business, a house and then a big Muslim Temple all in the same block," she said. "Also on the road were children just there on the ground. You couldn't tell if they were asleep or dead or what.

"We asked our driver who they were. He said, 'Oh, they're just street children; they have no where to go.' And people would just walk over them like they were not there."

What stood out in Clements' mind was the traffic. The only rule there appeared to be was that there were no rules.

"It was horrible, total chaos," Clements said. "You'd see people driving the wrong way on a one-way street; people driving around 'road closed' signs; people parked at no parking signs. Oh, and there is no such thing as a two-lane road, or turning lanes or anything like that.

"The funny thing was, there were no accidents. Because of the heavy traffic people only drive like 25 mph and everyone lets the person with the biggest car go first."

Both Ms. Neal and Clements agreed that the biggest culture shock was the food. They said they had everything from shark fin soup to barbecued squid.

"It is almost like they didn't eat the meat part of the animal," Ms. Neal said. "Like chicken. On menus you would see, chicken brains, chicken intestine soup, chicken butts. You could order a plate of chicken butts."

As far as meals go Clements said a typical day went like this:

■ Breakfast was at 8 a.m. and consisted of rice, eggs, dried fish, bacon, toast, juice and coffee.

■ Around 10 a.m. or so there was a snack, which was as big as a meal. It would include rice, fruit, chicken, pork, fish, a sandwich, cokes, tea and juice.

■ Lunch was not at noon, it would just be at "lunch time." The lunches were huge eight-course meals ... fish, pork, water buffalo, vegetables, soups, beer, water, cokes and a huge roasted pig.

■ In the afternoon there would be two to three snacks like the one in the morning.

■ Dinner was bigger than lunch ... another roasted pig, fish, rice, chicken, brandy, beer, vegetables.

"Some houses had so much food they would set up like a buffet table," Clements said. "And if you didn't eat, it was very disrespectful. You didn't have to eat a lot, but you had to eat and you had to clear your plate.

"One night there was this fiesta. Each city has a saint and they celebrate the saint's feast day. We ended up having to eat dinner three times that night."

Ms. Neal said that the whole trip it seemed like they were eating.

"I was always either miserably full or just plain full," Ms. Neal said. "It seemed like they would have celebrations for everything — 'Joe broke his toe, get the pig and cook it up.'"

Clements couldn't believe how fast the time went by.

"We did our last presentation in Pagadian City," he said. "It was kind of hard to believe we had been there for a month. While we were doing the show for the last time, it wasn't really sad, but it was strange that we would never be doing this again."

Ms. Neal said that out of all her experiences the one that stood out the most was a day care the group stopped at.

"We were driving through this jungle in the middle of nowhere," she said. "All of a sudden we pulled up to this day care with a little marching band of about 12 to 15 kids. The band was playing, 'When the Saints Come Marching in.'

"Their day care was just this little room the size of a clubhouse. We went in and these little kids, about 5 years old, were doing a Muslim folk dance, and we all had a good time. These kids were so poor, but they were so happy. They had a feast out for us, which was more food then they would have in a week. It really makes you feel special that these people would do this for us."

FOLKLORE: Presentations to be made Thursday at 8:30 a.m.

From 1B

Iron," Kelton continued writing for 45 years. He also wrote "The Good Old Boys" — a novel turned into a movie starring Tommy Lee Jones.

Patterson has much involvement in Kelton's career, often playing the role of a "teacher, mentor and friend."

"Paul's one of those people who hits life head-on with optimism," Kelton said. "Most of his poetry is humorous prose. He always sees the funny side of things."

Take, for instance, growing up in the small, desolate town of Crane. At the turn of the century, there wasn't much to do in Upton County other than wander into houses abandoned during the homestead movement.

"He was a gullible kid. His older brothers teased him by saying crazy women lived in the rafters of those vacant homes," Kelton said.

Hence, the name of Kelton's favorite book by Patterson, "Crazy Women in the Rafters."

"They also convinced Paul that there were so many windmills in Midland that you couldn't breathe, because they'd suck up the air," Kelton said.

Titles of other presentations give hints to what type of outlandish humor visitors should expect. For example, "Funeral Homes in Small West Texas Towns in the Early Part of the Century", "Extracts, Spices and Soothing Ointments: Peddlers in Central Texas in the Thirties and Forties" and "The Oatmeal Festival: Folkways, Inventedways and Fakeways."

The event kicks off at 6 p.m. Thursday with Patterson's celebration. Writer presentations begin at 8:30 a.m. Friday and 9 a.m. Saturday. A Friday night banquet will include entertainment from Rusty Huddleston and the Bum Steers and cash bar. All sessions will be held at the Holiday Inn on Highway 80.

Coordinator Cynthia Savage said more than 200 people had registered as of Monday. Most of them are repeat-attendees, she said.

"It becomes a habit. Before you know it, you don't want to miss a single session," Ms. Savage said.

The meeting's got a casual atmosphere, where cowboy hats and jeans outnumber business suits. No one take themselves seriously, regardless if you're a veteran author, teacher or listener, Kelton said.

"It's just people who want to listen to good stories," he said.

For more information, contact Cynthia or Sarana Savage at 694-0708.

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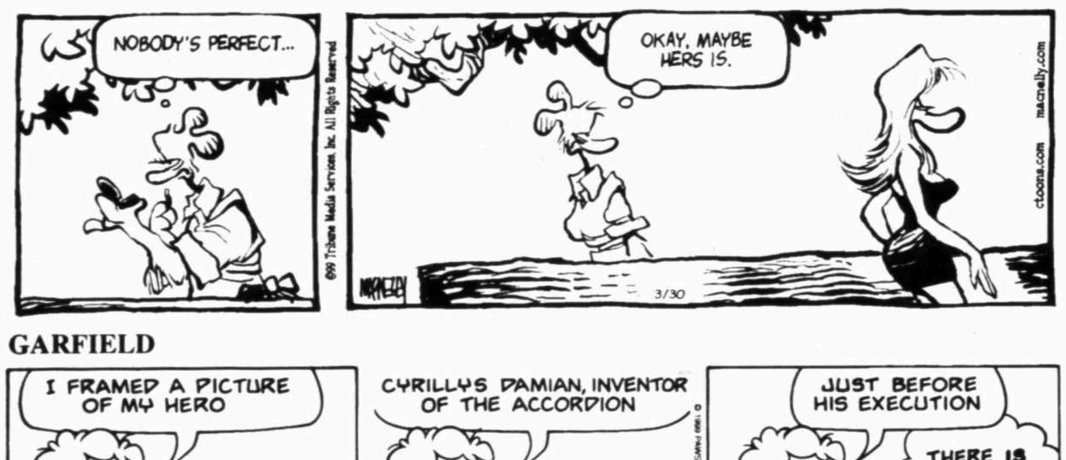
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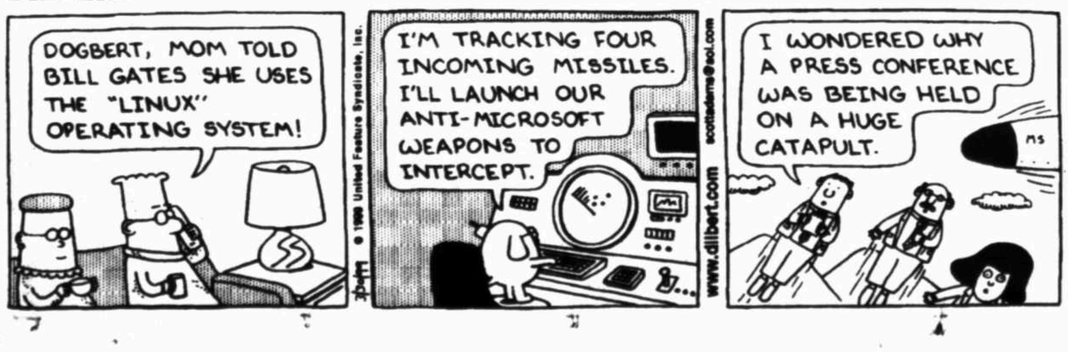
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The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll have: 5-Dymanic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Tuesday, March 30, 1999

Think through decisions carefully this year. On many occasions, absorbing all the facts may be difficult; at other times, you could fret over things that might not happen. Work remains your highest priority; you'll gain financially if you stay focused. A lucky cycle makes it easy to manifest your desires. If you are single, romance pops into your life quickly. Don't make snap judgments about another — get to know him first. If attached, express your vulnerabilities. As a result, your partner will be more aware of your needs. VIRGO is a good work buddy.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★ Pressure builds as you sense a general atmosphere of confusion. Trying to make sense of it could be difficult, at best. Check meeting times, especially involving work. Listen to your intuition, but confirm what is going on. Tonight: Relax, then decide what you want to do.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ Misunderstandings flare where none need be. Worry less about expectations (at least for today) and attempt to handle what is happening. A creative guess now seems wrong. Check it tomorrow, after the air clears. Tonight: Off to the gym or onto your exercise bike.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★ Anchor in and be sure of yourself. Be clear-headed and logical. How you decide to handle a loved one could change substantially. Evaluate your commitments, both professional and personal. Decisions made are likely to be long term. Tonight: At home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ Another does not get your message clearly. Listen carefully and be willing to take a risk or two. Confirm meetings; ask others for feedback. Use all your communication skills. News from a distance isn't on the up-and-up. Fretting won't help. Tonight: Hanging out.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★ One-to-one relating allows you to gain a perspective about a partner. Chaos and disagreement surround money matters. You might not be able to solve problems in the present climate; however, you can plug the hole in the dam. Still, recognize that this is only a temporary solution. Tonight: Out with friends.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ Others are simply clueless about where you are coming from, and all the talking in the world won't make a difference. Sometimes actions count more than words. This is such an occasion! Be generous with others while confusion reigns. Tonight: Indulge a little.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★ Take a deep breath and think before you speak. Another is as focused on getting the job done as you are, though your methods could be considerably different. Go within and evaluate your actions. Right now, maintaining a holding position could work. Tonight: Nap, then decide.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ You might have the best intentions, but others are going in many different directions. Try to make an important meeting, yet don't be surprised by what goes on. A little cynicism goes a long way. Trust decisions based on logic. Hold creativity and risk-taking in check. Tonight: Visit with a dear friend.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★ You are under unusual pressure to perform, despite numerous distractions. Don't let your mind drift; stay focused. Partners and emotional ties create an uproar. You might seriously wonder what is going on here. Don't speculate. Much will become clear soon. Tonight: Work late.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Seek and listen to feedback. Read between the lines. You gain insight because of what others let you know. Let them bubble forth while you take notes! Taking an overview helps. There is much more going on than meets the eye. Tonight: Do your own research.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ One-to-one relating is imperative, especially concerning a financial issue. You can no longer sweep a problem under the rug. Handle it. Take a stand. Partners might be confused as you deal with different problems. Avoid making permanent decisions right now. Tonight: Opt for the big picture.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ You seem to trip over your words or ideas. Be careful, even if you feel sure of yourself. You might not be getting the whole story. Partners mean well, but they might not be able to convey their message properly. Let others carry the ball right now. Tonight: Go along with another's plans.

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BORN TODAY
Actor Warren Beatty (1938), singer Eric Clapton (1945), actor Paul Reiser (1957)

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

RUBBER BRIDGE VS. DUPLICATE

Both vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ A 8
♡ 7 4
◇ K 6 2
♣ A K Q 9 5 3

WEST
♠ J 6 5 4 2
♡ A 10 9 5
◇ Q J 8 7
♣ Void

EAST
♠ Q 10 7 3
♡ Q J 8
◇ 9
♣ 10 7 6 4 2

SOUTH
♠ K 9
♡ K 6 3 2
◇ A 10 5 4 3
♣ J 8

The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♣	Pass	1◇	Pass
3♣	Pass	3NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Four of ♠

This looks like a simple enough hand. How would you play it at duplicate? Would you adopt the same line at rubber bridge?

The auction was straightforward. North showed a good, long suit and strong hand with the jump rebid in clubs. South was close to a slam try, but settled for the no-trump game instead.

At duplicate there is no problem. The chance of a 5-0 club split is about 4 percent, but if West has all the clubs the suit can be brought in with a marked finesse for the ten. And even if East has all the clubs, the contract is still safe if diamonds are 3-2 and either East holds the ace of hearts or diamonds can be established without allowing East to gain the lead. All in all, the contract will come home 99 times in a hundred, so start clubs from the top in an effort to take as many tricks as possible. However, this is the one time in 100 when everything is wrong and, barring a major gaffe by the defense, declarer can come to only eight tricks.

At rubber bridge, it is more important to secure the contract than worry about overtricks. There are four tricks available in spades and diamonds, so South needs only five club tricks to get home. In addition, East must be kept off lead to prevent a possibly fatal lead through the king of hearts.

That can be accomplished easily. Declarer must win the first trick in dummy and lead a low club, inserting the eight from hand if East follows. At worst, West will win and declarer has blown an overtrick or two. At best, the cards will lie as in the diagram and declarer will land the contract with an overtrick when the eight holds the trick.

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"It's a robin red dress!"
"Not red dress, Dolly. It's red VEST!"

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PEOPLE TODAY

Seinfeld comes to rescue of neighborhood

NEW YORK — Don't go trashing Jerry Seinfeld's neighborhood.

He was forced to defend Manhattan's Upper West Side — where he lives and where his TV show was set — after The New York Times said March 21 that the neighborhood is no longer "party central" and has become "a sleepy suburb."

Seinfeld counterattacked in a letter published Sunday:

"The article said that since the Upper West Side lost Charivari (an expensive clothing retailer) and the China Club (a nightspot), it's equivalent to 'a mall in Iowa.'

"It's true. Now, to get ripped off I have to traipse all the way over to Madison Avenue, and to get crunched into a mass of pretentious drunken losers, sometimes I don't know where to go."

Still, he added that Upper West Siders, "stinking from smoked salmon and covered in grass stains from playing in the park, are not going away.

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COLOGNE, Germany — Violinist Isaac Stern arrived in Germany on Monday for the first time since he was there as a U.S. soldier a half-century ago.

The 78-year-old virtuoso will not be performing — he left his violin at home in New York — but will give master classes to young musicians.

"I have a responsibility to pass on to the next generation what I learned from my teachers," he said. "It keeps me young and reminds me where I came from. Teaching young artists is like giving water to a flower."



Violinist Isaac Stern will give master classes to young musicians.

Stern said he and his wife will visit the German cities where Beethoven, Bach and Mendelssohn lived and worked. He called Germany a "country of music" and said it is time to return to hear and see for himself what young German musicians are drawing from their heritage.

Stern was born in Russia but moved to the United States with his parents when he was a baby and is an American citizen.

He is the president of Carnegie Hall.

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MISSION VIEJO, Calif. — Elizabeth Taylor's ex-husband Larry Fortensky, critically injured two months ago in a fall down a flight of stairs, is out of the hospital.

Fortensky, 46, was released Friday from Mission Hospital Regional Medical Center into the care of his family, hospital spokeswoman Karen Prestia said Monday. No details on his condition were disclosed.

Fortensky fell at his San Juan Capistrano home Jan. 28. A woman who called 911 said he had been drinking heavily.

Miss Taylor met Fortensky while they were both at the Betty Ford Clinic. They were married in 1991 and divorced in 1996.

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SOWETO, South Africa — The small house where President Nelson Mandela and his wife lived in the early '60s is at the center of a court battle.



President Nelson Mandela heads to court over house.

Winnie Madikizela-Mandela is taking her former husband and the Soweto Heritage Trust to court over ownership of the house.

Seven years after he was freed from prison in 1990, Mandela purchased the house and gave it to the trust, said Ismail Ayob, Mandela's lawyer.

But Ms. Madikizela-Mandela, who was divorced from Mandela in 1996, has said the house is hers.

The house is now a museum.

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CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Less than three months after his second retirement, Michael Jordan said Monday he's in preliminary talks over buying a piece of basketball's Charlotte Hornets.

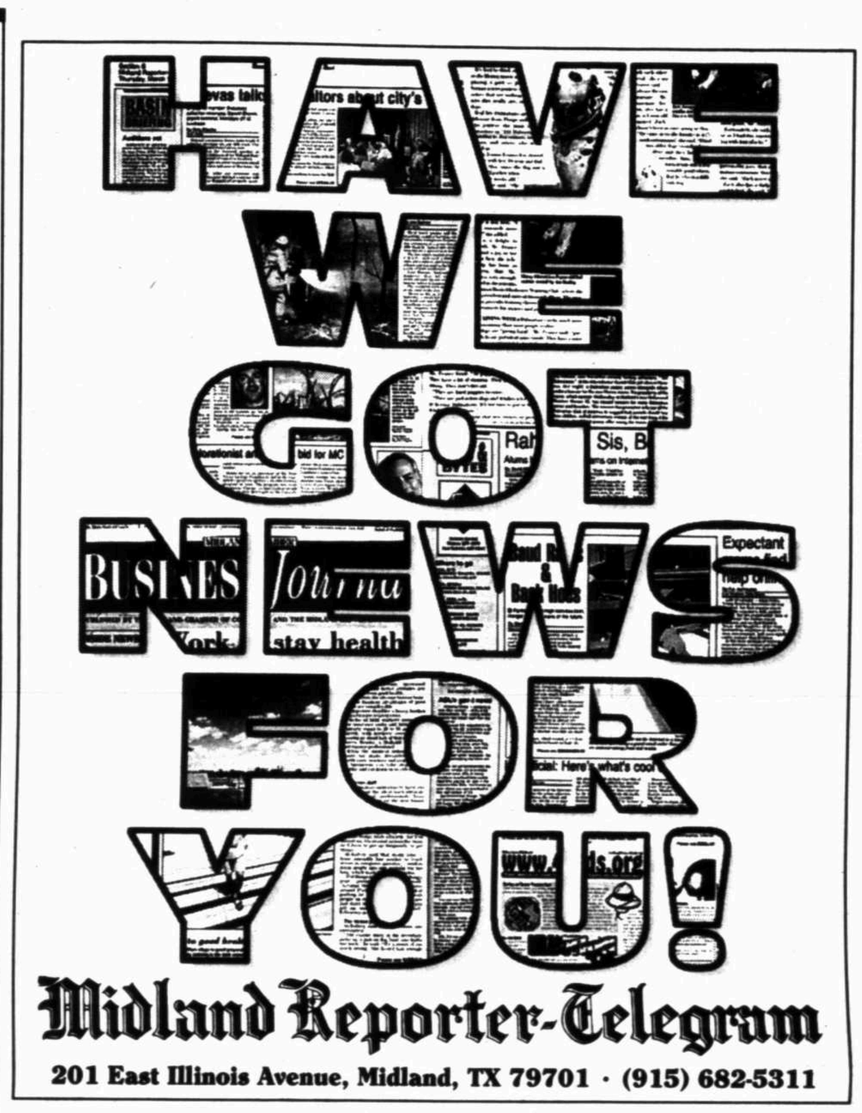
NBA and team officials have said Jordan spoke with Hornets owner George Shinn earlier this month about buying a 50 percent share.

"The discussions are very preliminary," Jordan said in a statement, "and I am unsure whether I will be able to make an investment on terms that are acceptable to me."

Jordan, who grew up in Wilmington, said staying involved in the NBA "would be a fulfilling personal and business challenge."

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Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.



TV TONIGHT

TUESDAY EVENING — March 30, 1999 — For Complete Information Please Check Movie Listings

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 189	Wheel of Fortune	Home Improvement	The Hughleys 653	Spin City 5634	Sports Night 4769	NYPD Blue: Czech Bouncer 5721 (TV14-LS)		News 8624943	Nightline (10:35)	Politically Incorrect	Access Hollywood
(5) KPEJ	24	5	The Simpsons	Home Improvement	King of the Hill	The PJs 23547	Magician's Code: Magic's Secrets Revealed		Mad About You	The Nanny 27585	Jerry Springer 31127		Cops 58671	NewsRadio 56160
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 5905	Entertain. Tonight	JAG: Shakedown 78030		Species (R, '95) ** (Ben Kingsley, Michael Madsen) 85588				News 3377818	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 9127	Seinfeld 1739	3rd Rock From Sun	Frasier 9363	Just Shoot Me	Will & Grace 1479	Dateline NBC 14856		News 1194498	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35)		Late Night Conan
(12) KMLM	42	12	Crystal Lyons	John Hagee 30450	Faith Pleases God Church 18214		The Light of the Southwest 98450				Richard Roberts 17585		News 91059	Aquilla Nash 63498
(13) KOCV	36	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 451127		Nova: Volcanoes of the Deep 561943 (TVG)		Facing the Truth With Bill Moyers 558479 (TVPG-V)				Telecourse 823295			
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(8) CNBC		8	Business Center	Upfront Tonight	Hardball With Chris Matthews 8187059		Rivera Live 8163479		The News With Brian Williams 8176943		Hardball With Chris Matthews 8179030		Rivera Live 6019295	
(10) WGN		10	Family Matters	Family Matters	Buffy the Vampire Slayer 971127 (TVPG-V)		Felicity: Pilot 957547 (TVPG)		News 960011		MacGyver 970498 (TVPG-V)		In the Heat of the Night 200276 (TV14-V)	
(11) WTBS		11	Roseanne 385585	Roseanne 376837	Fatal Error ('99) (Antonio Sabato Jr., Janine Turner) 567905				The First Power (R, '90) * (Lou Diamond Phillips, Tracy Griffith) 6932858				Buried Secrets (11:10) ('98) ** 6057011	
(14) FAM		14	Add. Fam.	Add. Fam.	Add. Fam.	Add. Fam.	Protocol (PG, '84) ** (Goldie Hawn) 803586				The 700 Club 815301		Show Me	Show Me
(20) DISC		20	Salmon: Against the Tides 414009 (TVG)		Firefight 187905 (TVG)		New Detectives: Studies in Forensic Science		The FBI Files: The Crazy Don 183189 (TVPG)		Firefight 186276 (TVG)		New Detectives: Studies in Forensic Science	
(21) AMC		21	Voyage to the ... (5)		Pocket Money (PG, '72) ** 349943				Heaven and Hell: Bible		David and Bathsheba ('52) ** 626853			
(22) TNN		22	The Waltons 790214		Life of Conway Twitty		Prime Time Country		Celebrating Hitmakers		Dallas 883363		Dukes of Hazzard	
(23) TNT		23	ER 783924 (TV14)		NBA Basketball: Indiana Pacers at New York Knicks 869479					Inside NBA	Kung Fu: The Legend		The Big Red One	
(24) BRAV		24	Inside Actor's Studio		The Shooting Party ('84) *** 217586				Life/Times Little Jimmy		The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie (PG, '69) 115180			
(26) BET		26	Planet Groove 401943		Hit List 595721		Sparks	Thea	Comicview 591905		Tonight W/Tavis Smiley		Sparks	227
(27) DISN		27	Easter Egg Mornin'	Fam. Circus Easter	The Easter Bunny Is Coming to Town 986059		Lucas (PG-13, '86) *** (Corey Haim, Kerri Green) 8361721			Growing Pains	Walt Disney Presents 978030 (TVG)		Zorro 229276	Mickey Mouse Club
(28) CNN		28	Moneyline	Crossfire	The World Today		Larry King Live 743585		People Profiles		Sports	Moneyline	Larry King Live 509363	
(29) ESPN		29	SportsCenter (5:30)	Outside the Lines 957092		Billiards: Ultimate 9-Ball Challenge 835672		Sumo Wrestling	Baseball Tonight 572059		SportsCenter 542818		Baseball Tonight 341301	
(30) USA		30	Xena: Warrior Princess 635127 (TVPG-V)		Walker, Texas Ranger 729905 (TV14-V)		Moby Dick (Part 1) ('98) ** (Patrick Stewart, Henry Thomas) 749788				New York Undercover 728276 (TV14)		Silk Stalkings 534059 (TV14-S)	
(31) FX		31	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	The X-Files 3515818		NYPD Blue 3524566		M*A*S*H	Comedy	The X-Files 3514189		NYPD Blue 9609566	
(32) A&E		32	Law & Order: Right to Counsel 119437 (TVPG)		Biography 105301 (TVPG)		Inside Story 181721 (TVPG)		Inspector Morse (Part 1 of 2) 101585 (TVPG)		Law & Order: Purple Heart 104672 (TVPG)		Biography 961189 (TVPG)	
(33) TLC		33	Code 3: Clinging to Hope 785382 (TVPG)		Trauma: Life in the ER 879160 (TVPG)		Storm of the Century 895108 (TVPG)		Port Chicago Mutiny 808672 (TVPG)		Trauma: Life in the ER 818059 (TVPG)		Storm of the Century 668276 (TVPG)	
(34) NICK		34	Doug 212030	Rugrats 203382	Wild Thornberrys	Cousin Skeeter	Brady Bunch	The Wonder Years	The Jeffersons	Laverne & Shirley	I Love Lucy	Bewitched 342905	Brady Bunch	Happy Days
(36) LIFE		36	Party of Five: Short Cuts 282059 (TVPG-L)		Chicago Hope 896276 (TVPG-V)		Any Day Now: No Comment 805924 (TV14)		Intimate Portrait 885160 (TVPG-L)		New Attitudes	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries
(39) OUTDR		39	Great Outdoorsman	Trailside	Sea Trek 4756585	Bears of the World	Global Family	Safari 4744740	Earth Rescue 1876635		Sea Trek 8363837	Bears of the World	Global Family	Safari 4118924
(42) UNI		42	Gotita de Amor	Preciosa 43924	La Usurpadora 81160		La Mentira 26568		Primer Impacto: Edicion Nocturna 10672		Impacto Extra	Noticiero Univision	Lo Mejor de Al Ritmo de la Noche 94856	
(43) FSN		43	Fox Sports News	Sports Tonight	NBA Basketball: Dallas Mavericks at Minnesota Timberwolves 812769					Fox Sports News	Fox Sports News 73189		Fox Sports News 36295	
(44) COM		44	Daily Show/Stewart	Ben Stein's Money	Something Wild (R, '86) *** (Jeff Daniels, Melanie Griffith) 5668896				Saturday Night Live: Kevin Spacey 4980905		Daily Show/Stewart	Ben Stein's Money	Saturday Night Live 9591740	
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(45) HBO 2		45	New York Stories (5:45) (PG, '89) ** (Nick Nolte, Heather McComb) 82192721				The Naked Gun 2 1/2: The Smell of Fear (PG-13, '91) *** 1704189		A Cinderella Season: The Lady Vols Fight Back 2497740 (TVG)				Tenacious D	Movie (11:30)
(46) HBO		46	Born Yesterday (5:15) (PG, '93) ** (Melanie Griffith, John Goodman) 12419009				Great Expectations (R, '98) ** (Ethan Hawke, Gwyneth Paltrow) 985799				The Sopranos: Isabella 544276 (TVMA)		U.S. Marshals (PG-13, '98) ** 6080905	
(47) MAX		47	Alias (5) (R, '75) *** (Tom Skerritt) 539479		Switchback (R, '97) ** (Dennis Quaid, Danny Glover) 161127				Alien Resurrection (R, '97) ** (Sigourney Weaver, Winona Ryder) 817789				The Sexperiment ('97) (Carlton Lynx) 3523362	
(48) SHOW		48	Movie (4:45)	The Borrowers (PG, '97) ** (John Goodman, Jim Broadbent) 780547			The Devil's Arithmetic ('99) (Kirsten Dunst, Brittany Murphy) 2661906			Backstreet Boys	Blown (R, '94) ** (Michael Rapaport, Lili Taylor) 4481721			
(49) TMC		49	Desperately Seeking Susan (5:15) (PG-13, '85) *** (Rosanna Arquette, Madonna) 53829947				Donnie Brasco (R, '97) *** (Al Pacino, Johnny Depp) 2234547				The Package (10:10) (R, '89) *** (Gene Hackman, Joanna Cassidy) 92763092			
(51) HBO 3		51	Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice (3:15) 12721597			Larry Sanders	Dennis Miller Live		Close Encounters of the Third Kind (PG, '77) **** (Richard Dreyfuss) 57298818		Tyson (10:15) ('98) (Michael Jai White, George C. Scott) 64312092			
(52) MAX 2		52	John Grisham's The Rainmaker (5:45) (PG-13, '97) *** (Matt Damon, Claire Danes) 10696030						Practical Road (R, '97) ** (Glenn Close, Pauline Collins) 8410011		The Neon Bible ('96) ** (Gena Rowlands, Jacob Tierney) 2062112			Cries of Silence

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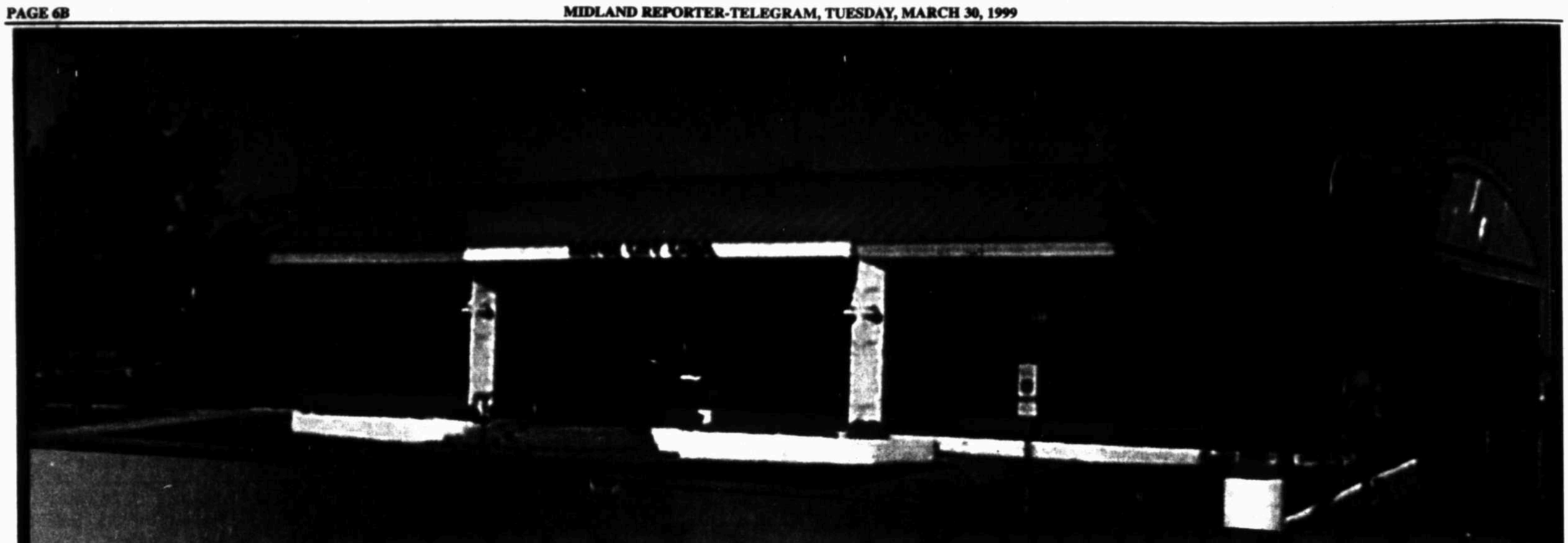
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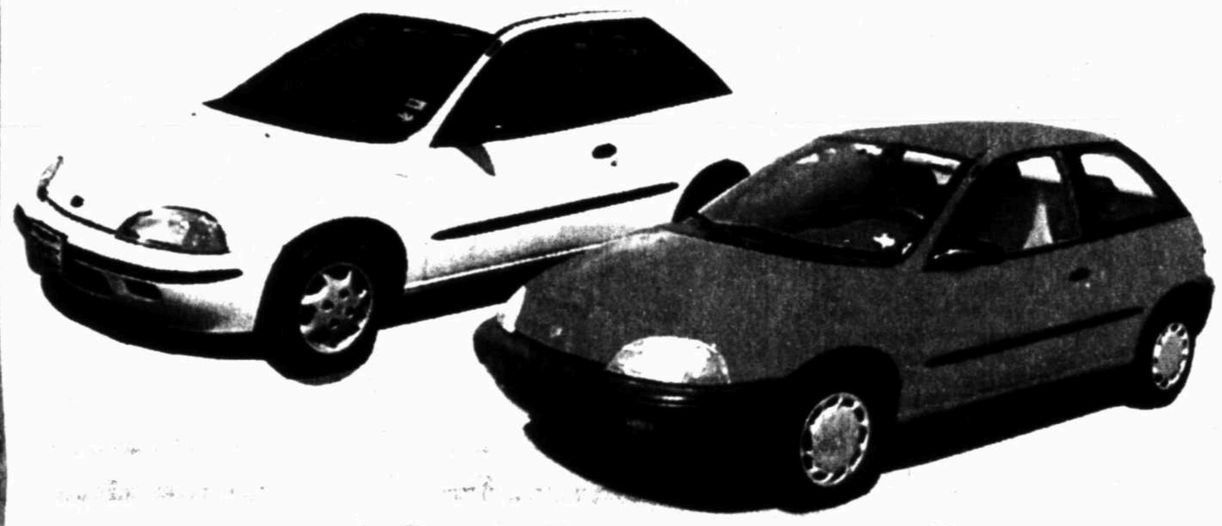
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SPORTS BRIEFING

TV Sports

NHL — Carolina Hurricanes at Philadelphia Flyers, 6:30 p.m., ESPN2.

NBA — Dallas Mavericks at Minnesota Timberwolves, 7 p.m., FSS.

Indiana Pacers at New York Knicks, 7 p.m., TNT.

Texas Scores

PREP BASEBALL — Midland High 9, San Angelo Central 6.

PREP SOFTBALL — Midland Lee 2, Midland High 0.

NBA — Seattle SuperSonics 109, Dallas Mavericks 101.

Sports Today

JUCO GOLF — Midland College Men at Omega Treating Chemicals/Green Tree Country Club Invitational, 7:30 a.m.

PREP GOLF — Girls, District 4-5A Tournament, Midland High and Midland Lee at Abilene, 8 a.m.

PREP BASEBALL — Abilene High at Midland High, 4 p.m.

Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper, 4 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL — Odessa Permian at Midland Lee, 4:30 p.m.

Midland High at Odessa High, 4:30 p.m.

4-5A Baseball

	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Midland Lee	3	0	14	3
San Angelo	2	1	8	7
Midland High	2	2	18	5
Abilene Cooper*	2	2	7	6
Abilene High	1	2	7	5
Odessa Permian	1	2	8	8
Odessa High	1	3	4	14

*overall record includes a tie

Monday's Games

Midland High 9, San Angelo Central 6; Odessa Permian 3, Abilene Cooper 1; Abilene High 3, Odessa High 0. Midland Lee was open.

Tuesday's Games

Abilene High at Midland High; Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper; Odessa Permian at San Angelo Central. Odessa High is open. All games start at 4 p.m.

4-5A Softball

	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Midland Lee	**6**	**1**	**20**	**5**
Abilene High	6	1	15	6
Odessa Permian	6	1	13	2
Abilene Cooper	3	4	13	8
Midland High	**2**	**5**	**14**	**9**
San Angelo	1	5	8	9
Odessa High	0	7	1	14

Monday's Games

Midland Lee 2, Midland High 0; Abilene High 3, Abilene Cooper 1; Odessa Permian 3, Odessa High 2 (10 innings). San Angelo Central was open.

Tuesday's Games

Odessa Permian at Midland Lee, Midland High at Odessa High, San Angelo Central at Abilene Cooper. Abilene High is open. All games are 4:30 p.m.

MC softball

The Midland College softball team will play El Paso Community College in a doubleheader Thursday beginning at 1 p.m. at Bill Williams Softball Complex. The two games, which are Western Junior College Athletic Conference contests, were rescheduled from last Saturday when they were rained out.

Friday, the Lady Chaps will host the two-day Midland College Softball Tournament, the first softball tournament ever hosted by Midland College.

Texas departures

AUSTIN — With Major Applewhite firmly holding the starting quarterback spot and the Cincinnati Reds promising a call up to the major leagues this season, Adam Dunn said Monday he is leaving the Texas football team to pursue his pro baseball career.

Junior fullback Josh Spoerl and sophomore tailback Eric Tasby also said they are leaving and plan to transfer to other schools. Dunn, a second-round draft choice by the Reds in 1998, said the team guaranteed he would be called up to major-league club by Sept. 1.

"This was an extremely difficult decision because I love football and I really enjoyed my time at Texas, but the Reds offered me an opportunity I could not refuse," Dunn said. "You don't get many guarantees in life and the Reds have offered me one."

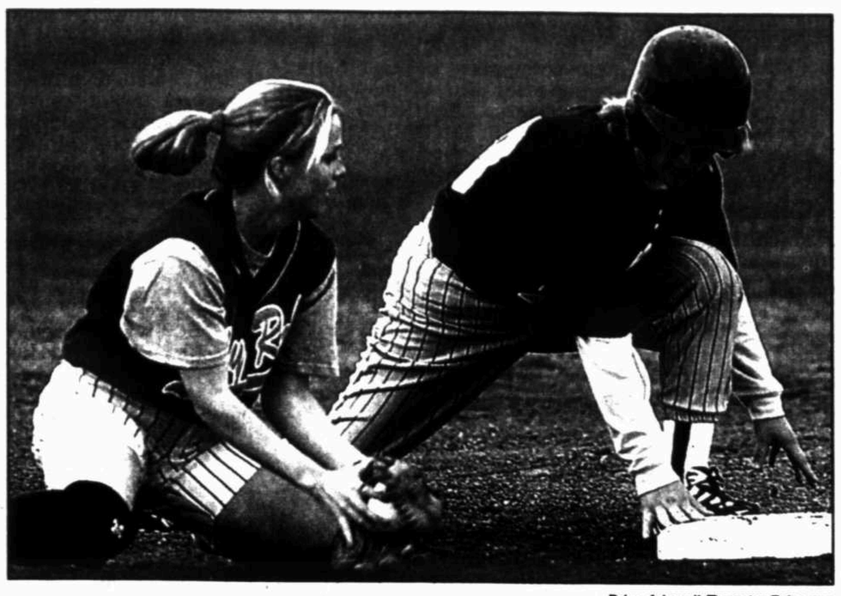
Reds officials did not return phone calls Monday.

Dunn's future at quarterback appeared greatly limited once the Longhorns signed USA Today high school offensive player of the year Chris Simms, who is expected to assume the No. 2 role behind Applewhite. A redshirt freshman, Dunn had even moved to tight end for part of spring practice before moving back to quarterback for the annual Orange and White intrasquad scrimmage on Saturday.

An outfielder, Dunn hit .288 with four homers and 13 RBIs for the Reds' rookie club in Billings, Mont., last summer.

Applewhite is the only scholarship quarterback currently on the Longhorns' roster. Besides Simms, Texas also signed Austin Westlake's Adam Hall for next season.

"Selfishly, we are disappointed to lose as quality of a football player and person as Adam," said Texas coach Mack Brown.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Lee shortstop Crista Hargrove (left) tries to catch Midland High's Amberleigh Berry off second base, but Berry got back safely. Lee defeated MHS 2-0 Monday to open the first half of District 4-5A play.

Lady Rebels make MHS another victim

■ Hacker throws Lee's fourth straight shutout in 2-0 win over Lady Bulldogs.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Gifts came by twos and fours for the Midland Lee softball team Monday afternoon.

The Lady Rebels took a 2-0 District 4-5A win over Midland High at MUGS Field in Ulmer Park, scoring two unearned runs in the first inning and then made them stand up behind the two-hit pitching of sophomore Mandy Hacker.

It was also the fourth time this year Lee has beaten the Lady Bulldogs and it was also the fourth consecutive district shutout posted by the Lee pitching staff (Brandie Row and Hacker now each have two straight shutouts).

"I didn't even know we had a (shutout) string going," Hacker said. "I really didn't come in thinking I would pitch a shutout. I thought Midland High would hit me better."

And even though it looked like a weak effort at the plate, it was Hacker's seemingly harmless grounder to third that produced both of Lee's runs, which came early.

With two outs and the bases loaded, Hacker hit a soft grounder to third base where MHS' RayLynn DeLeon easily fielded the ball, but overthrew first base. Erin Evans, who had started the rally with a single, scored from third base.

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UConn triumphs over Devils

■ Huskies surprise Duke 77-74 to win first national championship.

By Jim O'Connell
AP Basketball Writer

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Connecticut spoiled the Duke Invitational.

The Huskies beat top-ranked Duke, the team no one thought could be beaten in this NCAA tournament, for their first national championship in their first Final Four appearance. Monday night's 77-74 thriller ended Duke's 32-game winning streak, kept the Blue Devils from an NCAA record for wins in a season, and prevented them from ending the '90s with a third national championship.

Richard Hamilton led third-ranked Connecticut (34-2) with 27 points, but it was some tremendous team defense and a big shot and free throws by Khalid El-Amin that won it all.

Trajan Langdon led Duke (37-2) with 25 points, but Duke's last two possessions ended with him making turnovers. And so the Blue Devils fell short of what everyone had expected — another title.

These were the only two teams to hold the No. 1 ranking this season and they played a final game worthy of the two best.

"We lost to a great basketball team. We were beaten tonight, we didn't lose," Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said.

"We picked it up in the second half and we had some opportunities, but they put the pressure on us and were tough to defend," he said. "We got some good looks and had a chance to win, but they made the play and we didn't make the play in the last minute."

Connecticut was able to keep the game at a pace it liked even though most everyone thought the Huskies should try to slow the tempo. The quick pace made for what seemed like constant lead changes, the last coming with 3:50 to play when Hamilton's free throws gave the Huskies a 70-68 lead.

He hit a 3-pointer 21 seconds later for a five-point lead and suddenly Duke was playing a role it had very little experience at this season — the chaser.

"We're happy as heck, and we truly believed we could beat them," UConn coach Jim Calhoun said. "I said before the game that we hadn't played our best yet. If you count character, I think tonight we did."

William Avery's free throws with 54 seconds left got the Blue Devils within 75-74. El-Amin, whose driving basket had given Connecticut the 75-72 lead, missed on a drive with 24 seconds left and Duke had life.

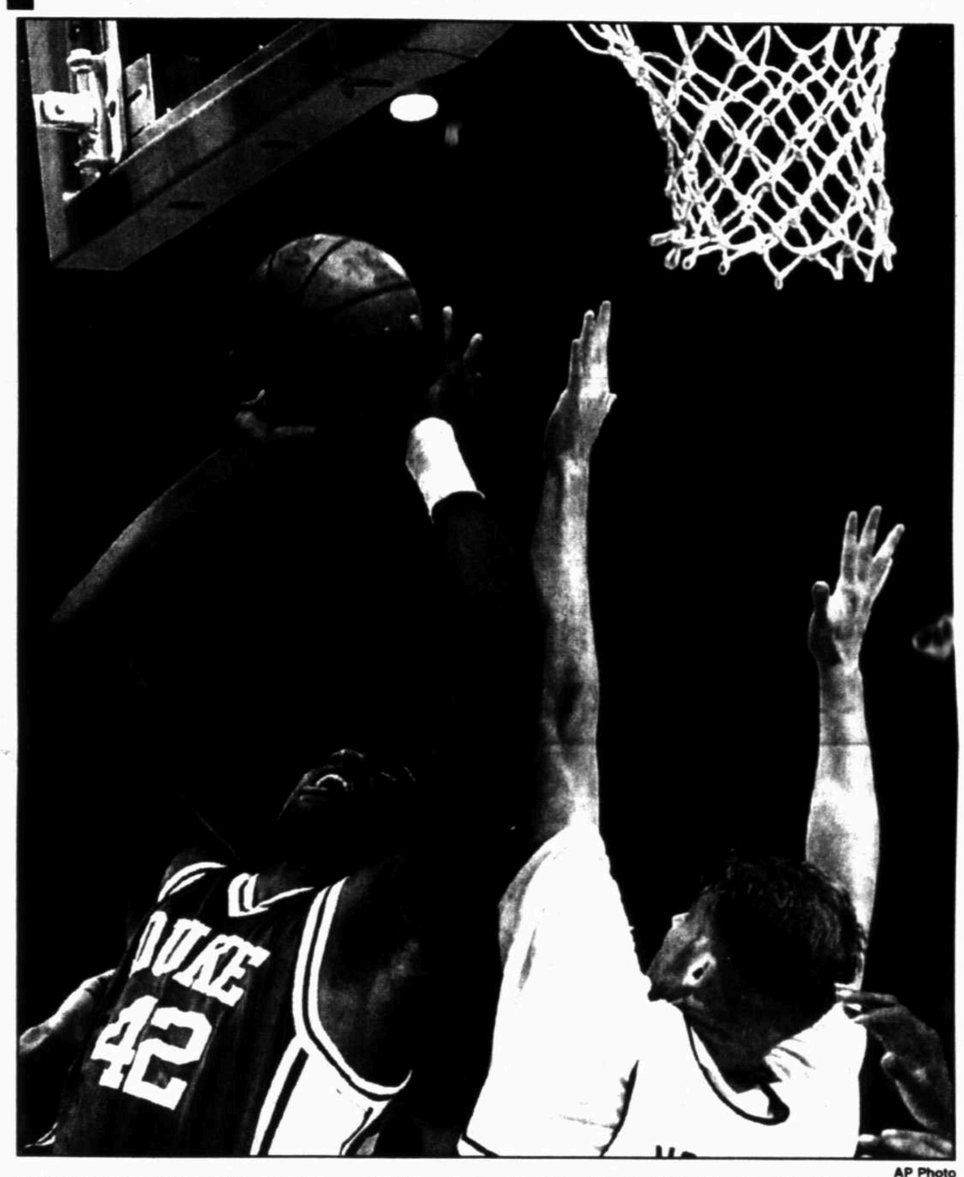
The crowd of 41,340 at Tropicana Field, the court where Duke's season ended a year ago, was roaring as the Blue Devils went for the final shot without calling a timeout.

Langdon, the fifth-year senior who made the Final Four in his last chance, tried to get by Ricky Moore, one of the game's best defenders. Langdon spun but Moore was there. Langdon took an extra step and was called for traveling with 5.4 seconds to go.

El-Amin made two free throws with 5.2 seconds left to get the lead back to 3, and Langdon's last chance at tying the game ended when he fell near the 3-point line and lost control of the ball. With that, Connecticut charged the court and had the title everyone thought Duke would claim.

"We really worked hard as a team," Moore said. "I wanted to come out and prove myself. I wanted to show I have an offensive

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AP Photo

Duke's Elton Brand (42) shoots under Connecticut's Jake Voskuhl in the first half of the championship game of the NCAA Final Four, Monday at Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Bulldogs pull even in 4-5A by rallying past Central

By Tom Ruiz
MRT Correspondent

The Midland High Bulldogs' wild win over San Angelo Central had more twist and turns than the Flying Pharoe carnival ride at the Midland Park Mall, which was grounded because of the weather.

The difference between the carny ride and the key district game against Central was this show got off the ground in a rare Monday afternoon game. When the mud finally settled it was the Dawgs who manufactured three runs in their half of the sixth inning and came away with a 9-6 District 4-5A win at Zachery Field.

Aaron Pullin closed out Central on three pitches in the Bobcat seventh to save the win for Lance Nix. The win put Midland High back into the thick of the Distrcit 4-5A race at 2-2 and 18-5 overall.

The Bulldogs, twice, however, had to comeback from two run deficits of 2-0 after the first inning,and 6-4 after the Central fourth.

But the craziness began in the MHS third inning. The MHS bats which had been pretty silent since a loss to Abilene Cooper six days ago finally awakened.

Trailing 2-0, Jeff Beard shook Central pitcher Jerred Denton with a home run over the the left field fence. Blake Johnston followed with a single and Aaron Hamblin placed a perfect bunt down the first base line that died in the mud.

Nix grounded out to the first baseman, but the play advanced the runners to second and third. It was there when Cotey-Joe Cswaykus drove in Johnston with a sacrifice fly and a 2-2 game.

Hamblin, who had gone to third on the play, scored with a double off the bat of John Schlaffer, and a 3-2 lead. The Bulldogs used another single to take a 4-2 advantage as the inning came to an end.

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Boys 4-5A golf has five teams battling for 2nd

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

After two rounds of the District 4-5A boys golf tour, Odessa Permian has all but taken care of the team title and everyone else is playing for second place.

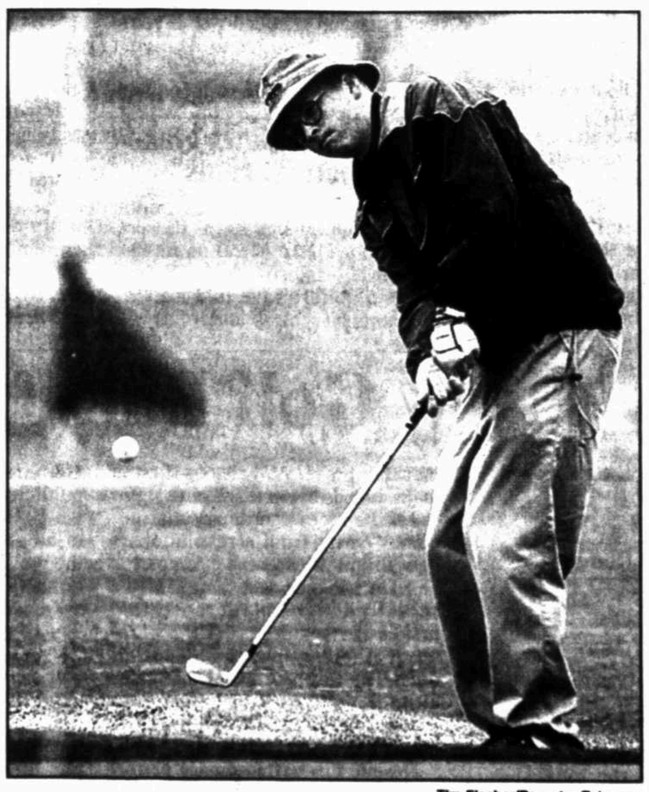
But what a race for second it is. Five teams including Midland Lee and Midland High are separated by eight shots with two rounds yet to play after a low-scoring Monday round at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Odessa Permian shot the first sub-300 team round of this 4-5A tour, firing a 291 for a two-round total of 612. The Panthers, the unanimous favorite to collect a district title coming into the spring, hold a 30-stroke lead over the rest of the pack.

"I had really high hopes for this group coming in and I am confident that they will pull it off," Permian coach Bob Pulliam said. "We will try not to worry about the regional tournament. We are trying to get this job done first. This is a funny game. A lot of things can happen. The thing we have to guard against is becoming overconfident."

The top two teams in the district after the four rounds of district play is completed will go to the

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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High's Mathew Gerhard shot a 74 Monday, the top round for any Midland golfer in the second round of the District 4-5A tournament at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Chaps lead in opening round of Invitational

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

The Midland College Chaparrals are in search of their 11th tournament title of the year, and by the looks of it on Monday the Chaps got off to a solid start at the Omega Treating Chemicals/Green Tree Country Club College Invitational.

Midland College's first team, led by the strong individual play of Ernie Rose and Ben Clark, shot a 36-hole team total of 568 to take a nine-stroke lead over Temple Junior College in the 19-team tournament. Paris Junior College is in third after a 586 on Monday, while San Jacinto and New Mexico Junior College are tied for fourth at 587.

"I felt we played consistent today," said MC coach Delnor Poss. "The greens bothered us a little because they were a little bumpy, but I was proud that we were able to play steady."

In fact, four of the Chaps' first team members had under-par rounds on the day, with Rose and Clarkeach leading the way with 141 totals after the two rounds of play.

"Ernie Rose and Ben had really good days," Poss said. "Kevin Hoffer played his usually steady rounds. I felt we had a good attitude and good focus

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SOFTBALL: Lee makes 1st inning stand

(From 1C)

Shandi Neatherlin, who was on first when Hacker grounded to third, rounded second base too far and was caught in a rundown. Neatherlin stayed alive long enough before being thrown out at third to let Jennifer Bryant score.

Two runs on one error. Ball game.

"When I hit that grounder to third, I was thinking, 'Oh great, I just made an out with the bases loaded.' " Hacker said. "I thought that was going to be an easy out."

Lee left runners stranded at second and third in the third and fifth innings. Lee also left a runner stranded at third in the second and left runners at second in the sixth and seventh as MHS' Collin Lange pitched well in several key jams.

The two teams might still be playing had it not been for the unfortunate first inning for the Lady Bulldogs.

"We continue to leave a lot of runners (eight) on base, but my philosophy is to take runs anytime you can get them. Unearned runs count and runs always help," said Lee coach Wes Overton. "When you have two good pitchers going, you never know when a run will make the difference."

Hacker pretty well dominated the MHS offense. The Lady Bulldogs got a leadoff single in the third by Lange and a leadoff single by Amberleigh Berry in the fourth, but could not score. The best opportunity that got away for MHS came in the sixth when Berry reached third and Kristi Heard second with only one out.

However, both were left stranded as Tiffany Robinson grounded out to second and Beckie Hartman flew out to second. It was the only runner to get as far as third base for MHS in the game.

"We had our opportunities, but we didn't ge' the runs in and that's our fault," said MHS coach Shawnda Vines. "The two unearned runs in the first inning shouldn't have been the difference in this game. It shouldn't have killed us, but it did. We continue to beat ourselves."

This game was pushed from Saturday to Monday because of rain, making this a heavy week for both teams. This is a huge week for Lee in its quest to win a district championship since the Lady Rebels host Odessa Permian at 4:30 p.m. today and travel to Abilene High for a 2 p.m. game Saturday.

Those three teams are currently tied for the district lead, all standing at 6-1.

"This is a big week that will tell the tale," Overton said. "We go head-to-head with both of the teams that we are tied with and this was a big start to the week. We hope this starts a snowball rolling and we hope it just keeps getting bigger and bigger."

The Lady Bulldogs are now within one game of playoff elimination after the loss and will travel to Odessa High today at 4:30 p.m. and will host Abilene Cooper at 2 p.m. on Saturday.

"Every game is important to us now," Vines said. "We have to win the rest of them."

Midland Lee 2, Midland High 0

Midland Lee	200000	0	—	2	5	1
Midland High	000000	0	—	0	2	4

Mandy Hacker and Shandi Neatherlin. Collin Lange and Kim Combs. W-Hacker. L-Lange. E-Marci Digennaro (ML); RayLynn DeLeon, Amberleigh Berry 3 (MH). 2B-Jennifer Bryant (ML). RBIs. None. Multiple Hits. Bryant 2 (ML). Sac.-Dzubinski, Digennaro, Bryant (ML); Kristi Heard (MH). HBP-Bryant (by Lange); Heard (by Hacker). PB-Neatherlin.

MHS: Bulldogs score three in 6th for win

(From 1C)

"I was really pleased with our hitting. We had been struggling lately and we began to question our ability," said MHS coach Barry Russell, whose team pounded out 11 hits.

San Angelo, which entered the game unbeaten in district play, rallied for four runs in its half of the fourth that sent MHS starter Matt Bose to the showers.

Nix came into relieve Bose, but the damage had been done as Central regained a two run lead at 6-4. But the Bulldogs saw their season slipping away, and they responded by tying the game in their half of the fourth.

Midland had two hits in the inning, the Bulldogs were helped by a called balk on Denton with a runner on third and Hamblin scored Johnston with an RBI single.

Nix who came in for Bose, mesmerized the Bobcat hitters. He gave up one hit and two walks in 3 1/3 innings.

With the momentum on its side, MHS finally took the lead for good in its half the sixth inning.

Johnston began the winning stretch with a line shot that nearly took Denton's head off. Then Hamblin lined a lazer grounder that raced through Denton's legs.

On the play, Johnston motored to third base and was brought home on a long sacrifice fly by Cswaykus for a 7-6 lead. In the meantime, Hamblin managed to steal second and third base and finally home plate.

Denton, who went the distance for the Bobcats, saw Hamblin racing to homeplate and was hypnotized by the surprise play, he threw to his catcher but the throw was late.

"Plays like that change the momentum of a game," said Russell.

The Bulldogs scored once more for the badly needed district win. The Bulldogs continue their crucial home schedule today against Abilene High at 4 p.m., and are at Odessa Permian on Thursday.

Midland High 9, San Angelo Central 6

Central	2 0 0 4 0 0 0	6	8	2
Midland	0 0 4 2 0 3x	9	11	0

Matt Bose, Laynce Nix (4), Aaron Pullin (7) and John Schlaffer. Jerred Denton and Chad Gossett. W-Nix. L-Denton. S.-Pullin. 2B: Central — Jamin Burke.MHS — Blake Johnston, Schlaffer. 3B: MHS — Jeff Beard.

LOCAL SPORTS

Greenwood places pair

KILLEEN — Two Greenwood High weightlifters had top 10 finishes this past weekend at the State Powerlifting championships.

Justin Brooks and Justin Outlaw finished ninth and 10th respectively in their weight divisions. Brooks, competing in the 165 pound class, lifted a total of 1,160 pounds while Outlaw, competing at 114, lifted 760 pounds.

Trinity sends 11 to state

WICHITA FALLS — The Trinity Chargers tennis team sent 11 players to the District I TAPPS 3A tournament on Monday, and qualified all of them to the state tournament.

Trinity captured district titles in boys and girls singles, and the boys and girls doubles.

Catherine Durbin won the girls singles title, the doubles team of Leigh Beal and Rose Callo won the girls doubles, Curtis McDonald won the boys singles, and the boys doubles team of Mark Zillanueva and Steven Lee defeated fellow Trinity teammates Rob Buchanan and Ryan McKenna in the finals.

Also qualifying for Trinity were the girls doubles team of Valerie Cower and Luisa Zieht which placed third; Nick Bowden also placed third in the boys singles competition to qualify for state.

The Chargers head to Waco April 23-24 for the state tournament.

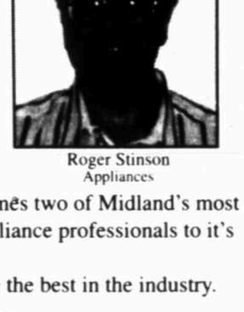
Andrews golfers dominate 5-4A

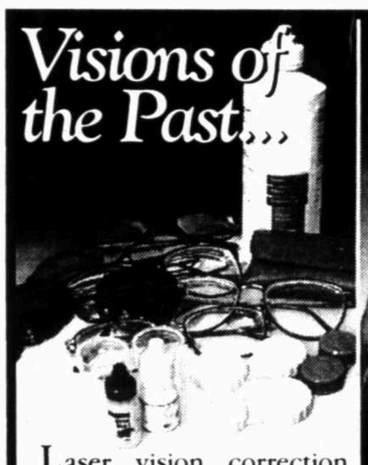
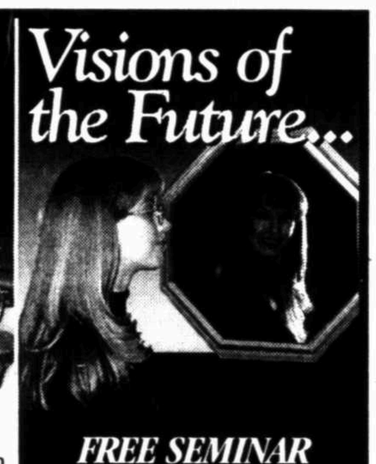
BIG SPRING — The Andrews High boys golf team dominated during the first round of the District 5-4A tournament Monday at the Big Spring Country Club. The Andrews No. 1 team led the team standings by 15 strokes with a 302 while the school's No. 2 team was one of three teams tied for second at 317.

Four of the top five golfers in the first round came from Andrews. Brad Gibson from the Andrews first team shot a 72 to lead by two strokes over teammate Luke Barner and Andrews No. 2 golfer Ryan Baird, who each shot 74.

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SPORTS TECH NEWS

Hardest metal in golf flattens bullets, adds yards

Metal used on fighter aircraft, armor-piercing shells, bullet-proof vests

Out-guns titanium and steel drivers by 25 to 30 yards.

SAN DIEGO, CA-- Golf has commandeered a new metal developed by the military to protect fighter planes and pierce enemy armor. Federal law enforcement officers recently discovered it too. They tested it on a bullet-proof vest and it stopped a 9 mm bullet in its tracks; the vest's regular material couldn't stop them.



By Charlie Allen

Now golf has discovered it. An ex-Navy engineer who used to apply the metal to the tips of torpedoes has put it on a golf driver called the Condor Armor Pierce. The club's a bonanza for golfers. Its extreme hardness can whack a ball 25 to 30 yards farther off the tee.

A number of pros are testing the metal, including a former U.S. Open champion, a former Masters champion, two of the top 25 money-winners on the PGA Tour and one of the longest hitters on the Senior Tour.

There are some dramatic stories from regular golfers who have tested theclub, but the most powerful one was a in letter from a golfer handicapped with an artificial leg. He wrote that he hit a 320 yard drive with the club, cut six strokes off his score and out-hit his pro, who uses a titanium driver.

Then there's my own story. While watching an independent lab test the club on a hitting machine I suggested that the machine be set at 120 MPH, a speed attained by long-ball champs, to see how far it would go. The club's new metal broke the ball.The lab technicians had never seen that before. One of the club's developers told me this.

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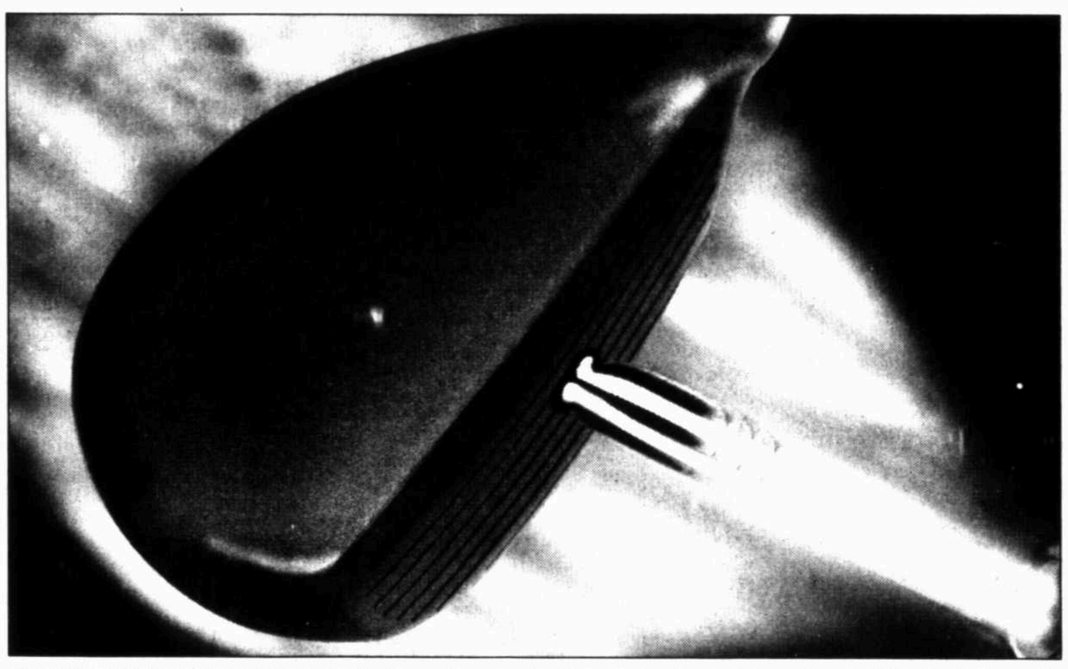
"The new metal boosts control as well. For example, on a steel and titanium driver an off-center shot will slide toward the toe or heel and accelerate the hook or slice spin that has already begun. The Condor's Armor Pierce Metal has hidden 'claws' that brake these spins by holding the ball on the face of the club four times longer. This braking action tames abnormal spins and prevents off-center shots from whirling off into the rough. It also lets a golfer draw and fade the ball with uncanny control– a great advantage on dog legs and for getting around trees. The extra holding power also gives shots a lower trajectory that bores the ball into the wind and gives it a much longer roll. The club out-does the tri-metal clubs by a factor of two. There are six metals in the Armor Pierce Metal's formula. We have a patent pending on it.

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Bullet-1

Small Company's New Golf Ball Flies Too Far; Could Obsolete Many Golf Courses

Pro Hits 400-Yard Tee Shots During Test Round

Want To Shoot An Eagle or Two?

By Charlie Allen

YALESVILLE, CT – A small golf company in Connecticut has created a powerful, new ball that flies like a U-2, putts with the steady roll of a cue ball and bites the green on approach shots like a dropped cat. But don't look for it on weekend TV. Long-hitting pros could make a joke out of some of golf's finest courses with it. One pro who tested the ball drove it 400 yards, reaching the green on all but the longest par-fours. Scientific tests by an independent lab using a hitting machine prove the ball out-flies 15 major brands by up to 22 yards.

The ball's extraordinary distance comes partly from a revolutionary new dimple design that keeps the ball aloft longer. But there's also a secret change in the core that makes it rise faster off the club-head. Another change reduces air drag. The result is a ball that gains altitude quickly, then sails like a glider. None of the changes is noticeable in the ball itself.

Despite this extraordinary performance the company has a problem. A spokesman put it this way: "In golf you need endorsements and TV publicity. This is what gets you in the pro shops and stores where 95% of all golf products are sold. Unless the pros use your ball on TV, you're virtually locked out of these outlets. TV advertising is too expensive to buy on your own, at least for us.

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NBA Standi

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EASTERN CONFE

Atlantic Divis

	W	L
Orlando	21	9
Miami	19	9
Philadelphia	15	13
New York	16	14
Washington	12	16
Boston	9	18
New Jersey	5	23

Central Divisi

Indiana	20	9
Atlanta	19	11
Detroit	17	12
Milwaukee	16	12
Cleveland	14	13
Toronto	14	14
Charlotte	12	15
Chicago	8	21

WESTERN CONFE

Midwest Divis

	W	L
Utah	21	7
Houston	21	9
San Antonio	19	10
Minnesota	16	13
Dallas	10	21
Denver	8	22
Vancouver	5	23

Pacific Divisi

Portland	23	5
L.A. Lakers	20	11
Seattle	15	13
Phoenix	14	16
Sacramento	13	17
Golden State	12	16
L.A. Clippers	3	25

Monday's Ga

Late game not inclu

Atlanta 83, Indiana 82
Seattle 109, Dallas 10
Denver 100, L.A. Clip
Vancouver at L.A. Lal

Tuesday's Ga

Boston at Charlotte, 6
Detroit at Atlanta, 6:3
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Toronto at Cleveland,
Indiana at New York,
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Washington at Milwa
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Philadelphia at Chicag
Denver at Vancouver,
Utah at Sacramento,
Houston at L.A. Clippe
Portland at Golden Sta

Nuggets 100, Clipp

L.A. CLIPPERS (88): M
2 6, M.Taylor 5-13 0-2 10
di 1-11 5-6 7, Martin
Piatkowski 3-6 3-4 10, W
4, Smith 0-1 0-0 0, Hudson
Rogers 4-7 9-13 17, Murra
Skinner 0-1 0-0 0. Totals
88.

DENVER (100): Stith
McDyess 9-20 6-8 24, Fo
0 0, Billups 8-16 6-6 24,
18 3-3 22, J.Taylor 0-4 2-2
2 1-2 3, Herrera 1-3 0-0
ton 3-5 0-0 8. Totals 35-8

L.A. Clippers 18 23 20
Denver 24 30 24

3-Point Goals—L.A.
(Martin 2-2, Murray 1-1, P
2, Hudson 1-2, Nesby 0-1
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2-4, Van Exel 1-4, J.T
Fouled out—M.Taylor.
L.A. Clippers 52 (Wright, P
Denver 55 (Fortson, Mc
Assists—L.A. Clippers
Hudson 3), Denver 20 (Bill
fouls—L.A. Clippers 24,
Technicals—M.Taylor, H
7,829 (17,171).

Hawks 83, Pacer

ATLANTA (83): Hende
0 2, Crawford 4-9 2-2 10,
8 2-5 14, Smith 5-13 1-3 1
6-12 4-4 17, Long 3-5 8-8
0 0-0 0, McLeod 2-4 4-4 8
7 1-4 5. Totals 29-67 22-3

INDIANA (82): Mullin 6
D.Davis 2-5 0-0 4, Smits 1
Miller 6-15 5-5 17, Jackso
A.Davis 2-5 0-2 4, Perkins
Rose 3-6 0-0 6, Best 1-4
nngton 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 3
82.

Atlanta	18	26	16
Indiana	22	23	23

3-Point Goals—Atlanta
2-4, Johnson 1-2, Crawford
0-2), Indiana 1-13 (Mullin 1
0-1, Harrington 0-1, Perkins
0-4). Fouled out—Smith. R
Atlanta 47 (Mutombo 17),
(D.Davis 12). Assists—
(Johnson 6), Indiana 15 (
Total fouls—Atlanta 20,
Technicals—Miller.
(16,530).

Sonics 109, Maveric

SEATTLE (109): Schre
4 20, Owens 7-10 1-1 15,
8 3-10 9, Payton 9-17 1-2 2
1-4 2-2 4, McCoy 2-3 0-0
4-8 0-0 8, Crotty 2-6 6-6 1
0-0 10, Barry 1-1 1-3 4, L
4 2, A.Williams 1-2 0-0 2.
80 20-32 109.

DALLAS (101): Finley
Green 0-2 0-0 0, Bradley 4
Nash 2-7 0-0 5, Strickland
Trent 9-13 2-3 20, Davis
Walker 4-9 2-5 10, Nowitzki
Anstey 1-2 1-2 3. Totals 3
101.

Seattle	26	24	27	
Dallas	20	22	15	

3-Point Goals—Sea
(Schrempf 2-2, Ellis 2-7,
Crotty 1-3, Payton 1-6, Ha
Dallas 6-20 (Strickland 3-7
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Fouled out—Nash. Rebou
tle 59 (Polynice 12), Dalla
er 13). Assists—Seattle 22
Dallas 21 (Strickland 7). T
Seattle 21, Dallas 25. Te
McCoy, Anstey. A—13,31

Family Circle

HILTON HEAD ISLAN
— Results Monday of the
Family Circle Cup Champ
the Sea Pines Racquet C

Singles

First Round

Anne-Gaelle Sidot, F
Corina Morariu, Boca Rat
6, 6-3, 6-4.
Brie Rippner, Chico,
Mariaan de Swardt, South
6-2.
Barbara Schett (12), A
Anne Kremer, Luxembourg
3).
Nathalie Dechy, Fr
Meghann Shaughnessy,
Ariz., 6-2, 6-4
Alexia Dechaume-Balle
def. Samantha Smith, Bri
3.
Ruxandra Dragomir, Ro
Lilia Osterloh, Canal Winch
6-2, 6-0.
Iva Majoli, Croa
Emmanuelle Gagliardi, Sw
5, 5-7, 6-4.
Sylvia Plischke, Austri
bara Rittner, Germany, 6-
Rita Grande, Italy, def
Stevenson, San Diego, 2-
Elena Makarova, Russ
isa Neiland, Latvia, 6-4, 6
Gala Leon Garcia,
Sandra Cacic, Bradenton,
3.
Maria Antonia Sanche
Spain, def. Tatiana Panova
6 6-4, 6-3.
Natasha Zvereva (11),
Kveta Hrdlikova, Czech R
6-1.
Henrieta Nagyova (16
def. Fabiola Zuluaga, Colu
3), 6-4, 6-4.
Virginia Ruano Pascua
Elena Tatarkova, Ukraine
Catalina Cristea, Ro
Adriana Gersi, Czech Rep
5), 6-2.
Andrea Glass, Ger
Magui Serna (15), Spain,
3.
Irina Spirlea (9), Ro
Anna Smashnova, Israel,
Conchita Martinez (10)
Alexandra Fusai, France,
Paola Suarez, Arge
Maria Alejandra Vento, V
7, 7-5, 6-1.

Golf Rankin

LONDON (AP) — Of
Golf Ranking based on
formance throughout
through March 28.

1. David Duval
2. Tiger Woods
3. Davis Love III
4. Mark O'Meara
5. Ernie Els
6. Lee Westwood
7. Vijay Singh
8. Nick Price
9. Colin Montgomerie
10. Fred Couples

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NBA Standings

By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Orlando	21	9	.700	—
Miami	19	9	.679	1
Philadelphia	15	13	.536	5
New York	16	14	.533	5
Washington	12	16	.429	8
Boston	9	18	.333	10 1/2
New Jersey	5	23	.179	15
Central Division				
Indiana	20	9	.690	—
Atlanta	19	11	.633	1 1/2
Detroit	17	12	.586	3
Milwaukee	16	12	.571	3 1/2
Cleveland	14	13	.519	5
Toronto	14	14	.500	5 1/2
Charlotte	12	15	.444	7
Chicago	8	21	.276	12
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	21	7	.750	—
Houston	21	9	.700	1
San Antonio	19	10	.655	2 1/2
Minnesota	16	13	.552	5 1/2
Dallas	10	21	.323	12 1/2
Denver	8	22	.267	14
Vancouver	5	23	.179	16
Pacific Division				
Portland	23	5	.821	—
L.A. Lakers	20	11	.645	4 1/2
Seattle	15	13	.536	8
Phoenix	14	16	.467	10
Sacramento	13	17	.433	11
Golden State	12	16	.429	11
L.A. Clippers	3	25	.107	20

Monday's Games

Late game not included

Atlanta 83, Indiana 82

Seattle 109, Dallas 101

Denver 100, L.A. Clippers 88

Vancouver at L.A. Lakers, (n)

Tuesday's Games

Boston at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.

Detroit at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

New Jersey at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.

Toronto at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.

Indiana at New York, 7 p.m.

Dallas at Minnesota, 7 p.m.

Seattle at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

Washington at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.

Philadelphia at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.

Denver at Vancouver, 9 p.m.

Utah at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Houston at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Portland at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

Nuggets 100, Clippers 88

L.A. CLIPPERS (88): Nesby 2-7 2-2 6, M.Taylor 5-13 0-2 10, Olowokandi 1-11 5-6 7, Martin 2-6 5-6 11, Piatkowski 3-6 3-4 10, Wright 1-1 2-6 4, Smith 0-1 0-0 0, Hudson 6-8 3-4 16, Rogers 4-7 9-13 17, Murray 2-9 2-2 7, Skinner 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 26-70 31-45 88.

DENVER (100): Stith 4-7 5-6 15, McDyess 9-20 6-8 24, Fortson 0-5 0-0 0, Billups 8-16 6-6 24, Van Exel 9-18 3-3 22, J.Taylor 0-4 2-2 2, Clark 1-2 1-2 3, Herrera 1-3 0-0 2, Washington 3-5 0-0 8. Totals 35-80 23-27 100.

L.A. Clippers	**18**	**23**	**20**	**27 — 88**
Denver	**24**	**30**	**24**	**22 — 100**

3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 5-8 (Martin 2-2, Murray 1-1, Piatkowski 1-2, Hudson 1-2, Nesby 0-1), Denver 7-14 (Stith 2-2, Washington 2-3, Billups 2-4, Van Exel 1-4, J.Taylor 0-1). Fouled out—M.Taylor. Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 52 (Wright, Piatkowski 8), Denver 55 (Fortson, McDyess 15). Assists—L.A. Clippers 14 (Martin, Hudson 3), Denver 20 (Billups 9). Total fouls—L.A. Clippers 24, Denver 28. Technicals—M.Taylor, Herrera. A—7,829 (17,171).

Hawks 83, Pacers 82

ATLANTA (83): Henderson 1-9 0-0 2, Crawford 4-9 2-2 10, Mutombo 6-8 2-5 14, Smith 5-13 1-3 13, Johnson 6-12 4-4 17, Long 3-5 8-8 14, West 0-0 0-0 0, McLeod 2-4 4-4 8, Corbin 2-7 1-4 5. Totals 29-67 22-30 83.

INDIANA (82): Mullin 6-10 2-2 15, D.Davis 2-5 0-0 4, Smits 10-16 2-2 22, Miller 6-15 5-5 17, Jackson 3-9 3-4 9, A.Davis 2-5 0-0 4, Perkins 0-4 1-2 1, Rose 3-6 0-0 6, Best 1-4 0-0 2, Harrington 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 34-77 13-17 82.

Atlanta	**18**	**26**	**16**	**23 — 83**
Indiana	**22**	**23**	**23**	**14 — 82**

3-Point Goals—Atlanta 3-9 (Smith 2-4, Johnson 1-2, Crawford 0-1, Corbin 0-2), Indiana 1-13 (Mullin 1-5, Jackson 0-1, Harrington 0-1, Perkins 0-2, Miller 0-4). Fouled out—Smith. Rebounds—Atlanta 47 (Mutombo 17), Indiana 46 (D.Davis 12). Assists—Atlanta 13 (Johnson 6), Indiana 15 (Jackson 9). Total fouls—Atlanta 20, Indiana 27. Technicals—Miller. A—16,669 (16,530).

Sonics 109, Mavericks 101

SEATTLE (109): Schrempf 7-10 4-4 20, Owens 7-10 1-1 15, Polynice 3-8 3-10 9, Payton 9-17 1-2 20, Hawkins 1-4 2-2 4, McCoy 2-3 0-0 4, Stepania 4-8 0-0 8, Crotty 2-6 6-6 11, Ellis 4-11 0-0 10, Barry 1-1 1-3 4, Lewis 0-0 2-4 2, A.Williams 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 41-80 20-32 109.

DALLAS (101): Finley 5-14 3-3 13, Green 0-2 0-0 0, Bradley 4-13 4-5 12, Nash 2-7 0-0 5, Strickland 7-17 0-0 17, Trent 9-13 2-3 20, Davis 4-8 0-1 10, Walker 4-9 2-5 10, Nowitzki 3-7 5-5 11, Anstey 1-2 1-2 3. Totals 39-92 17-24 101.

Seattle	**26**	**24**	**27**	**32 — 109**
Dallas	**20**	**22**	**15**	**44 — 101**

3-Point Goals—Seattle 7-20 (Schrempf 2-2, Ellis 2-7, Barry 1-1, Crotty 1-3, Payton 1-6, Hawkins 0-1), Dallas 6-20 (Strickland 3-7, Davis 2-3, Nash 1-6, Finley 0-1, Nowitzki 0-3). Fouled out—Nash. Rebounds—Seattle 59 (Polynice 12), Dallas 52 (Walker 13). Assists—Seattle 22 (Payton 7), Dallas 21 (Strickland 7). Total fouls—Seattle 21, Dallas 25. Technicals—McCoy, Anstey. A—13,311 (18,042).

Family Circle

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. (AP) — Results Monday of the $1 million Family Circle Cup Championship at the Sea Pines Racquet Club:

Singles

First Round

Anne-Gaelle Sidot, France, def. Corina Morariu, Boca Raton, Fla., 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Brie Rippner, Chico, Calif., def. Mariaan de Swardt, South Africa, 6-2, 6-2.

Barbara Schett (12), Austria, def. Anne Kremer, Luxembourg, 6-1, 7-6 (7-3).

Nathalie Dechy, France, def. Meghann Shaughnessy, Scottsdale, Ariz., 6-2, 6-4

Alexia Dechaume-Balleret, France, def. Samantha Smith, Britain, 6-4, 6-3.

Ruxandra Dragomir, Romania, def. Lilia Osterloh, Canal Winchester, Ohio, 6-2, 6-0.

Iva Majoli, Croatia, def. Emmanuelle Gagliardi, Switzerland, 7-5, 5-7, 6-4.

Sylvia Plischke, Austria, def. Barbara Rittner, Germany, 6-3, 6-2.

Rita Grande, Italy, def. Alexandra Stevenson, San Diego, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Elena Makarova, Russia, def. Larisa Neiland, Latvia, 6-4, 6-0.

Gala Leon Garcia, Spain, def. Sandra Cacic, Bradenton, Fla., 6-3, 6-3.

Maria Antonia Sanchez Lorenzo, Spain, def. Tatiana Panova, Russia, 4-6 6-4, 6-3.

Natasha Zvereva (11), Belarus, def. Kveta Hrdlikova, Czech Republic, 7-5, 6-1.

Henrieta Nagyova (16), Slovakia, def. Fabiola Zulauga, Columbia, 6-7 (7-3), 6-4, 6-4.

Virginia Ruano Pascual, Spain, def. Elena Tatarkova, Ukraine, 6-2 6-4.

Catalina Cristea, Romania, def. Adriana Gersi, Czech Republic, 7-6 (7-5), 6-2.

Andrea Glass, Germany, def. Magui Serna (15), Spain, 6-0, 3-6, 6-3.

Irina Spirlea (9), Romania, def. Anna Smashnova, Israel, 7-5, 6-3

Conchita Martinez (10), Spain, def. Alexandra Fusai, France, 6-0, 6-0.

Paola Suarez, Argentina, def. Maria Alejandra Vento, Venezuela, 5-7, 7-5, 6-1.

Golf Rankings

LONDON (AP) — Official World Golf Ranking based on players' performance throughout the world through March 28.

	Cty	Avg
1. David Duval	USA	12.75
2. Tiger Woods	USA	12.62
3. Davis Love III	USA	10.33
4. Mark O'Meara	USA	9.96
5. Ernie Els	SAf	9.15
6. Lee Westwood	Eng	8.89
7. Vijay Singh	Fij	8.85
8. Nick Price	Zim	8.33
9. Colin Montgomerie	Sco	8.22
10. Fred Couples	USA	7.43

College Basketball

Final Four

THE FINAL FOUR

National Semifinals

Saturday, March 27

Connecticut 64, Ohio State 58

Duke 66, Michigan State 62

National Championship

Monday, March 29

Connecticut 77, Duke 74

Title Game

UConn 77, Duke 74

DUKE (37-2): Carrawell 3-7 3-4 9, Battier 2-7 1-2 6, Brand 5-8 5-8 15, Avery 3-12 4-4 11, Langdon 7-15 6-7 25, James 0-0 0-0 0, Maggette 3-7 2-2 8, Burgess 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-56 21-27 74.

CONNECTICUT (34-2): Freeman 3-6 0-0 6, Hamilton 10-22 5-6 27, Voskuhl 1-1 0-0 2, Moore 6-10 0-1 13, El-Amin 5-12 2-4 12, Wane 2-2 0-0 4, Mouring 3-4 0-1 6, Saunders 1-3 2-4 4, Jones 1-1 1-2 3. Totals 32-61 10-18 77.

Halftime score—Duke 39, Connecticut 37. 3-Point Goals—Duke 7-19 (Langdon 5-10, Avery 1-3, Battier 1-3, Maggette 0-1, Carrawell 0-2), Connecticut 3-8 (Hamilton 2-4, Moore 1-1, Mouring 0-1, El-Amin 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Duke 31 (Brand 13), Connecticut 41 (Moore, Freeman 8). Assists—Duke 10 (Avery 5), Connecticut 11 (El-Amin 4). Total fouls—Duke 19, Connecticut 20. A—41,340

No. 1 vs. No. 1

By The Associated Press

1982 — North Carolina 63, Georgetown 62

1993 — North Carolina 77, Michigan 71

1999 — Connecticut 77, Duke 74

Largest Upsets

By The Associated Press

Largest underdogs to win the NCAA championship since 1961, with point spread, date of game and final score:

9 1/2 — April 1, 1985, Villanova 66, Georgetown 64

9 1/2 — March 29, 1999, Connecticut 77, Duke 74

8 1/2 — April 4, 1983, North Carolina St. 54, Houston 52

8 1/2 — April 4, 1988, Kansas 83, Oklahoma 73

8 — March 25, 1961, Cincinnati 70, Ohio State 65, OT

7 — March 31, 1997, Arizona 84, Kentucky 79, OT

6 1/2 — March 19, 1966, Texas Western 72, Kentucky 65

Champions-State

By The Associated Press

15 — California: Stanford, 1942; San Francisco, 1955-56; California, 1959; UCLA, 1964-65, 1967-73, 1975, 1995.

9 — Kentucky: Kentucky, 1948-49, 1951, 1958, 1978, 1996, 1998; Louisville, 1980, 1986.

7 — North Carolina: North Carolina, 1957, 1982, 1993; N.C. State, 1974, 1983; Duke, 1991-92.

5 — Indiana: Indiana, 1940, 1953, 1976, 1981, 1987.

3 — Ohio: Ohio State, 1960; Cincinnati, 1961-62.

2 — Kansas: Kansas, 1952, 1988.

2 — Michigan: Michigan State, 1979, Michigan, 1989.

2 — Oklahoma: Oklahoma A&M (Oklahoma State), 1945-46.

2 — Pennsylvania: La Salle, 1954; Villanova, 1985.

2 — Wisconsin: Wisconsin, 1941; Marquette, 1977.

1 — Arizona: Arizona, 1997.

1 — Arkansas: Arkansas, 1994.

1 — Connecticut: Connecticut, 1999.

1 — Illinois: Loyola, Ill., 1963.

1 — Massachusetts: Holy Cross, 1947.

1 — Nevada: UNLV, 1990.

1 — New York: CCNY, 1950.

1 — Oregon: Oregon, 1939.

1 — Texas: Texas Western (Texas-El Paso), 1966.

1 — Utah: Utah, 1944.

1 — District of Columbia: Georgetown, 1984.

1 — Wyoming: Wyoming, 1943.

Conference Marks

By The Associated Press

(Selections in parentheses)

Conference	W	L	Pct.
West Coast (1)	3	1	.750
Big East (5)	10	4	.714
Atlantic Coast (3)	7	3	.700
Big Ten (7)	13	7	.650
Southeastern (6)	10	6	.625
Atlantic 10 (3)	3	3	.500
Missouri Valley (3)	3	3	.500
Western Athletic (3)	3	3	.500
Mid-American (2)	2	2	.500
Big Sky (1)	1	1	.500
Midwestern Collegiate (1)	1	1	.500
Big 12 (5)	4	5	.444
Conference USA (4)	2	4	.333
Pac-10 (4)	1	4	.200
America East (1)	0	1	.000
Big South (1)	0	1	.000
Big West (1)	0	1	.000
Colonial (1)	0	1	.000
Ivy League (1)	0	1	.000
Metro Atlantic (1)	0	1	.000
Mid-Continent (1)	0	1	.000
Mid-Eastern Athletic (1)	0	1	.000
Northeast (1)	0	1	.000
Ohio Valley (1)	0	1	.000
Patriot League (1)	0	1	.000
Southern (1)	0	1	.000
Southland (1)	0	1	.000
Southwestern Athletic (1)	0	1	.000
Sun Belt (1)	0	1	.000
Trans America Athl (1)	0	1	.000

Tournament MVPs

By The Associated Press

1939 — None selected

1940 — Marvin Huffman, Indiana

1941 — John Kotz, Wisconsin

1942 — Howie Dallmar, Stanford

1943 — Ken Sailors, Wyoming

1944 — Arnold Ferrin, Utah

1945 — Bob Kurland, Oklahoma A&M

1946 — Bob Kurland, Oklahoma A&M

1947 — George Kaftan, Holy Cross

1948 — Alex Groza, Kentucky

1949 — Alex Groza, Kentucky

1950 — Irwin Dambrot, CCNY

1951 — None selected

1952 — Clyde Lovellette, Kansas

1953 — B.H. Born, Kansas

1954 — Tom Gola, La Salle

1955 — Bill Russell, San Francisco

1956 — Hal Lear, Temple

1957 — Wilt Chamberlain, Kansas

1958 — Elgin Baylor, Seattle

1959 — Jerry West, West Virginia

1960 — Jerry Lucas, Ohio State

1961 — Jerry Lucas, Ohio State

1962 — Paul Hogue, Cincinnati

1963 — Art Heyman, Duke

1964 — Walt Hazzard, UCLA

1965 — Bill Bradley, Princeton

1966 — Jerry Chambers, Utah

1967 — Lew Alcindor, UCLA

1968 — Lew Alcindor, UCLA

1969 — Lew Alcindor, UCLA

1970 — Sidney Wicks, UCLA

1971 — x-Howard Porter, Villanova

1972 — Bill Walton, UCLA

1973 — Bill Walton, UCLA

1974 — David Thompson, North Carolina State

1975 — Richard Washington, UCLA

1976 — Kent Benson, Indiana

1977 — Butch Lee, Marquette

1978 — Jack Givens, Kentucky

1979 — Earvin Johnson, Michigan State

1980 — Darrell Griffith, Louisville

1981 — Isiah Thomas, Indiana

1982 — James Worthy, North Carolina

1983 — Akeem Olajuwon, Houston

1984 — Patrick Ewing, Georgetown

1985 — Ed Pinckney, Villanova

1986 — Pervis Ellison, Louisville

1987 — Keith Smart, Indiana

1988 — Danny Manning, Kansas

1989 — Glen Rice, Michigan

1990 — Anderson Hunt, UNLV

1991 — Christian Laettner, Duke

1992 — Bobby Hurley, Duke

1993 — Donald Williams, North Carolina

1994 — Corliss Williamson, Arkansas

1995 — Ed O'Bannon, UCLA

1996 — Tony Delk, Kentucky

1997 — Miles Simon, Arizona

1998 — Jeff Sheppard, Kentucky

1999 — Richard Hamilton, Connecticut

x-subsequently ruled ineligible

Seed Advancement

No. 1 — Champion: North Carolina, 1982, 1993; Georgetown, 1984; Indiana, 1987; UNLV, 1990; Duke, 1992; Arkansas, 1994; UCLA, 1995; Kentucky, 1996; Connecticut, 1999

No. 2 — Champion: Michigan State, 1979; Louisville, 1980, 1986; Duke, 1991; Kentucky, 1998

No. 3 — Champion: Indiana, 1981; Michigan, 1989

No. 4 — Champion: Arizona, 1997

No. 5 — Semifinals: Iowa, 1980; Mississippi State, 1996

No. 6 — Champion: North Carolina State, 1983; Kansas, 1988

No. 7 — Semifinals: Virginia, 1984

No. 8 — Champion: Villanova, 1985

No. 9 — Semifinals: Pennsylvania, 1979

No. 10 — Regional Finals: St. John's, 1979; Dayton, 1984; LSU, 1987; Texas, 1990; Temple, 1991; Providence, 1997; Gonzaga, 1999

No. 11 — Semifinals: LSU, 1986

No. 12 — Regional Semifinals: Kentucky, 1985; DePaul, 1986; Wyoming, 1987; Ball State, 1990; Eastern Michigan, 1991; New Mexico State, 1992; George Washington, 1993; Tulsa, 1994; Arkansas, 1996; Southwest Missouri State, 1999

No. 13 — Regional Semifinals: Richmond, 1988; Valparaiso, 1998; Oklahoma, 1999

No. 14 — Regional Semifinals: Cleveland State, 1986; Chattanooga, 1997

No. 15 — Second Round: Richmond, 1991; Santa Clara, 1993; Coppin State, 1997

No. 16 — None

Coaching Records

By The Associated Press

Most Appearances

27 — Dean Smith, North Carolina

23 — Bob Knight, Indiana

22 — Denny Crum, Louisville

20 — Lute Olson, Iowa-Arizona

20 — Adolph Rupp, Kentucky

20 — John Thompson, Georgetown

19 — Jim Boeheim, Syracuse

19 — Lou Henson, New Mexico State-Illinois

19 — Eddie Sutton, Creighton-Arkansas-Kentucky-Oklahoma State

Most Consecutive Appearances

23 — Dean Smith, North Carolina, 1975-97

15 — Lute Olson, Arizona, 1985-99

14 — Bob Knight, Indiana, 1986-99

14 — John Thompson, Georgetown, 1979-92

11 — Mike Krzyzewski, Duke, 1984-94

11 — Eddie Sutton, Arkansas-Kentucky, 1977-87

10 — Jim Boeheim, Syracuse, 1983-92

10 — Dale Brown, LSU, 1984-93

10 — John Chaney, Temple, 1990-99

10 — Roy Williams, Kansas, 1990-99

Most Wins

65 — Dean Smith, North Carolina

47 — Mike Krzyzewski, Duke

47 — John Wooden, UCLA

42 — Denny Crum, Louisville

42 — Bob Knight, Indiana

34 — John Thompson, Georgetown

31 — Lute Olson, Iowa-Arizona

31 — Jerry Tarkanian, Long Beach State-UNLV

30 — Adolph Rupp, Kentucky

29 — Jim Boeheim, Syracuse

29 — Eddie Sutton, Creighton-Arkansas-Kentucky-Oklahoma State

Highest Winning Percentage

Minimum 10 games

.917 — Ed Jucker, Cincinnati (11-1)

.900 — Ken Loeffler, La Salle (9-1)

.867 — Phil Woolpert, San Francisco (13-2)

.825 — John Wooden, UCLA (47-10)

.818 — Branch McCracken, Indiana (9-2)

.788 — Rick Pitino, Boston U.-Providence-Kentucky (26-7)

.783 — Mike Krzyzewski, Duke (47-13)

.778 — Fred Taylor, Ohio State (14-4)

.769 — Steve Fisher, Michigan (20-6)

.769 — Phog Allen, Kansas (10-3)

.769 — Pete Newell, California (10-3)

Team Records

By The Associated Press

Most Appearances

41 — Kentucky

35 — UCLA

34 — North Carolina

28 — Indiana, Kansas, Louisville

25 — St. John's; Syracuse; Villanova

24 — Arkansas; Notre Dame

Most Consecutive Appearances

25 — North Carolina, 1975-99

15 — Arizona, 1985-99

14 — Georgetown, 1979-92; Indiana, 1986-99

15 — UCLA, 1967-81

11 — Duke, 1984-94; UCLA, 1989-99

10 — Kansas, 1990-99; LSU, 1984-93; Marquette, 1971-80; Syracuse, 1983-92; Temple, 1990-99

Current Most Consecutive Appearances

25 — North Carolina, 1975-99

15 — Arizona, 1985-99

14 — Indiana, 1986-99

11 — UCLA, 1989-99

10 — Kansas, 1990-99; Temple, 1990-99

8 — Cincinnati, 1992-99; Kentucky, 1992-99

7 — Purdue, 1993-99

6 — Maryland, 1994-99

Most Tournament Games

122 — Kentucky, 1942-99

108 — North Carolina, 1941-99

107 — UCLA, 1950-99

86 — Kansas, 1940-99

85 — Duke, 1955-99

78 — Louisville, 1951-99

75 — Indiana, 1940-99

63 — Arkansas, 1945-99

63 — Syracuse, 1957-99

Most Tournament Wins

86 — Kentucky

79 — UCLA

76 — North Carolina

64 — Duke

58 — Kansas

52 — Indiana

48 — Louisville

41 — Michigan

39 — Arkansas

Highest Winning Percentage (Minimum: 20 games)

.753 — Duke (64-21)

.738 — UCLA (79-28)

.714 — UNLV (30-12)

.705 — Kentucky (86-36)

.697 — North Carolina (76-33)

NCAA Seed Records

Seed	W	L	Pct.	Champ	RU	FF
No. 1	252	74	.773	10	9	38
No. 2	186	79	.702	5	5	18
No. 3	124	82	.602	2	4	9
No. 4	117	82	.588	1	1	8
No. 5	93	85	.522	-	-	2
No. 6	116	82	.586	2	1	6
No. 7	67	84	.444	-	-	1
No. 8	60	83	.420	1	1	2
No. 9	51	85	.375	-	-	1
No. 10		84	.396	-	-	-
No. 11		80	.304	-	-	1
No. 12	31	80	.279	-	-	-
No. 13	15	60	.200	-	-	-
No. 14	15	60	.200	-	-	-
No. 15	3	60	.048	-	-	-
No. 16	0	60	.000	-	-	-

Baseball Polls

Collegiate Baseball Top 25

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — The top 25 teams in the Collegiate Baseball poll with records through March 28, point totals and previous ranking (voting by coaches, sports writers and sports information directors):

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Florida State	29-3-0	493	1
2. Auburn	27-4-0	477	2
3. Stanford	20-8-0	472	4
4. Pepperdine	27-3-0	469	5
5. Cal. St.-Fullerton	25-5-0	465	8
6. Miami	22-6-0	464	6
7. Georgia Tech	23-6-0	461	10
8. North Carolina	22-5-0	459	3
9. Rice	**28-7-0**	**458**	**7**
10. Florida	21-8-0	457	11
11. Miss. State	22-4-0	455	13
12. Wichita State	21-6-0	454	17
13. Baylor	**24-6-0**	**452**	**20**
14. Florida Atlantic	31-1-0	450	18
15. Alabama	22-7-0	448	12
16. Texas	**22-11-0**	**447**	**9**
17. Texas A&M	**25-7-0**	**443**	**16**
18. Arizona State	27-11-0	440	19
19. Nebraska	20-6-0	437	—
20. Oral Roberts	22-4-0	435	23
21. Texas Tech	**24-8-0**	**433**	**14**
22. Louisiana State	20-9-0	432	15
23. Wake Forest	19-6-0	429	—
24. East Carolina	24-5-0	425	—
25. USC	16-16-0	421	22

Baseball America Top 25

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — The Top 25 college baseball teams as determined by the staff of Baseball America magazine with records through March 28, and previous ranking (tie games are not included in records):

	Record	Pvs
1. Florida State	29-3	1
2. Auburn	27-4	2
3. Stanford	20-8	5
4. Rice	**28-7**	**4**
5. Pepperdine	27-3	8
6. Texas A&M	**25-7**	**6**
7. Cal State Fullerton	25-5	11
8. Miami	22-6	7
9. North Carolina	22-5	3
10. Wichita State	21-6	12
11. Georgia Tech	23-6	13
12. Baylor	**24-6**	**18**
13. Texas	**22-11**	**9**
14. Florida	21-8	15
15. Louisiana State	20-9	14
16. Texas Tech	**24-8**	**10**
17. Mississippi State	22-4	16
18. Nebraska	20-6	25
19. Wake Forest	19-6	24
20. Arizona State	27-11	20
21. Florida Atlantic	31-1	21
22. Alabama	22-7	19
23. East Carolina	24-5	17
24. Oral Roberts	22-4	23
25. South Carolina	21-7	22

WPHL Playoffs

Second Round

(Best-of-5)

EASTERN BRACKET

Shreveport vs. Monroe

Sunday, March 28

Shreveport 3, Monroe 2, Shreveport leads series 1-0

Tuesday, March 30

Monroe at Shreveport

Thursday, April 1

Shreveport at Monroe

Friday, April 2

Shreveport at Monroe, if necessary

Saturday, April 3

Monroe at Shreveport, if necessary

Corpus Christi vs. Lake Charles

Monday, March 29

Corpus Christi 6, Lake Charles 4, series tied 1-1

Thursday, April 1

Corpus Christi at Lake Charles

Saturday, April 3

Corpus Christi at Lake Charles

Sunday, April 4

Lake Charles at Corpus Christi, if necessary

WESTERN BRACKET

Abilene vs. Fort Worth

Sunday, March 28

Fort Worth 4, Abilene 0, Fort Worth leads series 2-0

Tuesday, March 30

Abilene at Fort Worth

Saturday, April 3

Abilene at Fort Worth, if necessary

Sunday, April 4

Fort Worth at Abilene, if necessary

Waco vs. San Angelo

Sunday, March 28

San Angelo 4, Waco 3, OT, San Angelo leads series 1-0

Tuesday, March 30

San Angelo at Waco

Thursday, April 1

Waco at San Angelo

Friday, April 2

Waco at San Angelo, if necessary

Saturday, April 3

San Angelo at Waco, if necessary

NHL Standings

By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New Jersey	39	22	11	89	213	179
Pittsburgh	36	24	13	85	222	194
Philadelphia	33	23	17	83	213	176
N.Y. Rangers	31	33	10	72	202	204
N.Y. Islanders	20	45	9	49	167	221
Northeast Division						
x-Ottawa	41	21	10	92	211	153
Toronto	39	28	6	84	231	211
Buffalo	33	24	15	81	187	159
Boston	32	27	13	77	189	164
Montreal	29	34	10	68	168	186
Southeast Division						
Carolina	31	28	15	77	190	189
Florida	27	27	18	72	185	188
Washington	29	37	6	64	182	191
Tampa Bay	17	49	6	40	155	261
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
Detroit	37	30	6	80	219	186
St. Louis	31	31	11	73	208	191
Nashville	25	41	7	57	170	232
Chicago	22	40	12	56	176	232
Northwest Division						
y-Colorado	38	26	9	85	212	183
Calgary	28	34	11	67	191	204
Edmonton	28	34	11	67	201	198
Vancouver	21	41	11	53	175	226
Pacific Division						
y-Dallas	46	15	12	104	209	146
x-Phoenix	36	25	12	84	183	173
Anaheim	33	28	11	77	194	174
San Jose	27	29	17	71	168	172
Los Angeles	27	40	5	59	166	195

x-clinched playoff berth

y-clinched division title

Monday's Games

Late Game Not Included

N.Y. Rangers 3, N.Y. Islanders 1

Phoenix at Vancouver (n)

Tuesday's Games

Los Angeles at Boston, 6 p.m.

Nashville at Washington, 6 p.m.

Carolina at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.

Ottawa at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.

Calgary at Colorado, 8 p.m.

Phoenix at Edmonton, 8 p.m.

Rangers 3, Islanders 1

N.Y. Islanders	**0**	**1**	**0**	**— 1**
N.Y. Rangers	**0**	**1**	**2**	**— 3**

First Period—None.

Second Period—1, N.Y. Rangers, Graves 36 (Leetch, MacLean), 3:21. 2, N.Y. Islanders, Czerkawski 15 (Linden, Cairns), 8:53.

Third Period—3, N.Y. Rangers, Gretzky 9, 17:53. 4, N.Y. Rangers, MacLean 26 (Malhotra, Sundstrom), 19:17 (en).

Shots on goal—N.Y. Islanders 4-6-12—22. N.Y. Rangers 14-8-13—35.

Power-play Opportunities—N.Y. Islanders 0 of 3; N.Y. Rangers 0 of 5.

Goalies—N.Y. Islanders, Flaherty 2-9-1 (34 shots-32 saves). N.Y. Rangers, Richter 25-27-8 (22-21).

NASCAR Leaders

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The NASCAR Winston Cup driver standings and money leaders through March 28:

Points

1, Jeff Burton, 909. 2, Bobby Labonte, 907. 3, Dale Jarrett, 847. 4, Jeff Gordon, 790. 5, Terry Labonte, 786. 6, Mark Martin, 780. 7, Jeremy Mayfield, 770. 8, Ward Burton, 749. 9, Mike Skinner, 734. 10, Michael Waltrip, 710.

11, Rusty Wallace, 706. 12, Chad Little, 705. 13, Tony Stewart, 696. 14, Bobby Hamilton, 654.

Money

1, Jeff Gordon, $2,619,361. 2, Dale Earnhardt, $820,379. 3, Jeff Burton, $746,936. 4, Mike Skinner, $690,079. 5, Kenny Irwin, $613,554. 6, Mark Martin, $534,161. 7, Bobby Labonte, $532,271. 8, Ward Burton, $479,614. 9, Michael Waltrip, $474,786. 10, Dale Jarrett, $429,774.

11, Ken Schrader, $421,842. 12, Rusty Wallace, $406,279. 13, Jeremy Mayfield, $388,694.

MC: Rose and Clark tied for second at 141

(From 1C)

today and I'm proud of the way they played."

Both Rose and Clark are in a four-way tie in the medalists standings for second, two strokes behind Western Texas' Jason McGrath, who shot a blistering 5-under-par 139. Hoffer is tied for sixth with a 142.

It shouldn't be much of a surprise to see Rose up there in the medalists standings since he's been on a hot streak lately, walking away with the medalist title just last week at the Quicksand College Invitational at San Angelo.

"I'm so impressed with the way Ernie Rose has been playing," said Poss about his freshman golfer. "His focus and concentration has just been really good, and his execution has been excellent.

"I was also pleased to see Graham Gordon coming back this afternoon and shoot a 69."

The afternoon round proved to be a better outing for the Chaparrals as they improved by four strokes from their morning round of 286.

"I think it's always really a test for them and gives them a true indication of how well they concentrate on their last 18 holes," Poss said.

The tournament concludes today at Green Tree Country Club with only an 18-hole round.

"We're just going to have to play consistent tomorrow and not let the greens bother us," Poss said. "I think it's important when you get into the final round that you play one stroke at a time and one hole at a time and not worry about other things that are around."

Here are the results from the first day of the Omega Treating Chemicals/Green Tree Country Club College Invitational held Monday.

Team Standings: 1. Midland College I 286-282—568; 2. Temple College 285-292—577; 3. Paris Junior College 290-296—586; 4. (tie) San Jacinto 294-293—587; and New Mexico Junior College 294-293—587; 6. Odessa College I 297-291—588; 7. Grayson County College 297-295—592; 8. Western Texas 297-296—593; 9. Dixie College 302-294—596; 10. Cisco Junior College 299-299—598; 11. Navarro Junior College 303-297—600; 12. McLennan 305-299

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1999 Teachers Of The Year

FIRST PLACE ELEMENTARY

REGINA WILSON
BEN MILAM ELEMENTARY



Typical is not an adjective that one would use to describe Regina Wilson. On the contrary, she is a teacher that uses her unique, individual style to elevate her students to a high level of success. For Ms. Wilson, success is not defined as test scores. Although test scores are important to her, they are secondary to the well-being of her students. Regina nurtures the whole child and the parents of her students greatly value that approach. Very frequently you will see Ms. Wilson in the doorway of her classroom talking to parents/guardians of her students about their progress and how they can assist them at home. Regina has known many of her students' families for years, and they feel that she is family.

At first glance into her classroom, one might think that she is disorganized and the students are off-task. But a closer look will reveal, that in fact, all students are engaged in a well-orchestrated variety of educational tasks. Her instructions both interesting and fun, resulting in the children often learning without realizing it. Ms. Regina Wilson is a teacher, a mother, a sister, and a friend to her students. She is a true educator!

FIRST PLACE SECONDARY

KARAN YOUNG
MIDLAND EXCEL HIGH SCHOOL



John Locke's "blank slate" theory states that people enter this world with a mind like a blank sheet of paper on which life's experiences are written. As an "at risk" teacher, Karan Young encounters young people whose life experiences have often left them troubled and disillusioned. She allows each student who enters her classroom the opportunity to wipe clean his/her slate and to begin a new in a nurturing yet academically challenging environment.

Dedicated to continuous professional improvement, she recently held a workshop for Midland High School teachers that reflects the "at risk" teaching strategies that she uses. Furthermore, Karan spends hours serving on district committees that serve to improve teaching in Midland. She also finds time to volunteer at Midland Community Theater bringing this expertise back to her students.

With samples of their work posted on the walls, anyone who walks into Karan's classroom knows that she values and respects her students. Letters of recommendation from both her pupils and their parents attest to the dedication and professionalism that Karan shows. When these students enter her classroom, she helps them to erase the past and to rewrite a new and brighter future.


Sylvia Bernal
Jones Elementary


Carol Burgess
Parker Elementary


Sandy Burns
Rusk Elementary


Kathleen Carmona
Alamo Junior High


Adolfo Chavez
Travis Elementary


Janice Connally
San Jacinto Junior High

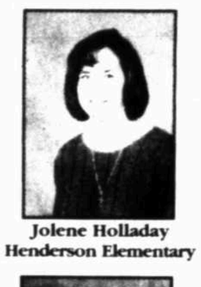

Robin Farris
Santa Rita Elementary


Jane Goodman
Abell Junior High


Jeanne Gorsuch
Lamar Elementary


Kelli Hamilton
Crockett Elementary

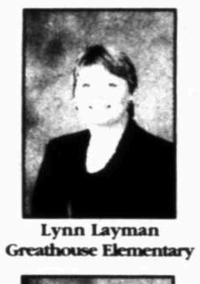

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Washington Elementary


Jolene Holladay
Henderson Elementary

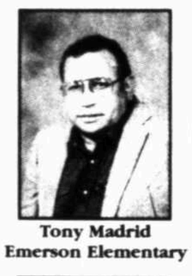

Michelle Ingram
Houston Elementary


Leanne Jamison
Midland College

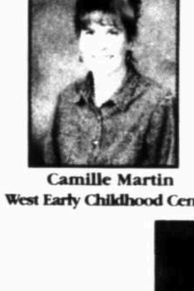

Jody Jones
Midland High

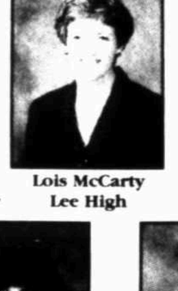

Lynn Layman
Greathouse Elementary

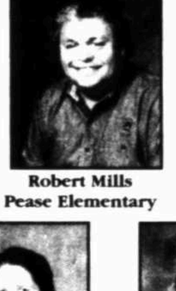

James Lorenz
Midland High


Tony Madrid
Emerson Elementary

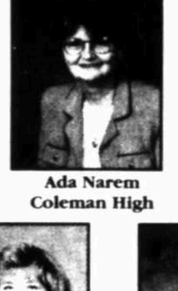

Rafaela Mandujano
South Elementary


Camille Martin
West Early Childhood Center


Lois McCarty
Lee High

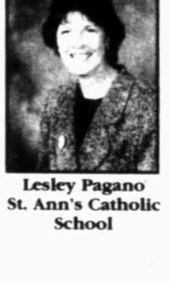

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Pease Elementary


Jennifer Mitchan
Long Elementary

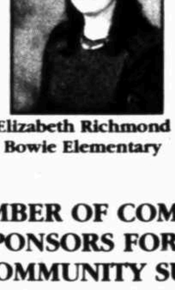

Ada Narem
Coleman High


Lorrie Orosco
Bush Elementary

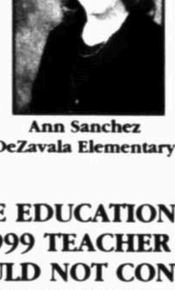

Christina Ortez
Lee Freshman High


Lesley Pagano
St. Ann's Catholic School

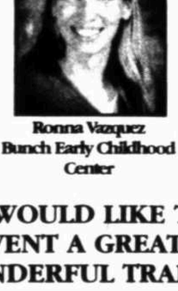

Jan Rhodes
Fannin Elementary


Elizabeth Richmond
Bowie Elementary


Kathy Robinson
Bonham Elementary


Ann Sanchez
DeZavala Elementary


Dorothy Thompson
Goddard Junior High


Ronna Vazquez
Bunch Early Childhood Center

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Previous $16.17

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Energy futures up

NEW YORK (AP) — Energy futures prices continued their sharp gains Monday on the New York Mercantile Exchange amid concern about the availability of gasoline going into the peak driving period.

On other markets, hog futures fell sharply, as did copper.

Gasoline futures helped boost heating oil and crude, reflecting market nervousness about recent refinery problems and oil producers' intentions to reduce available supply.

Gasoline prices soared last week after world oil producers moved to take some 2.1 million barrels of crude off the market daily, in a bid to boost prices per barrel above $17. While analysts noted it will not be possible to determine compliance until the end of April, at the earliest, positive statements from many of the world's top producers have supported the gains.

Prices also were supported by a spate of refinery problems, many of them on the West Coast, that could shift gasoline destined for the Atlantic Coast westward.

With mild weather already boosting gasoline demand across the eastern half of the United States, many market participants are beginning to fear spot shortages may occur this summer.

Unleaded gasoline for April delivery rose 1.07 cents to 51.70 cents a gallon; May crude rose 27 cents to $16.44 a barrel; April heating oil rose .46 cent to 43.20 cents a gallon; May natural gas fell 1 cent to $1.870 for each 1,000 cubic feet.

In London, North Sea Brent Blend crude oil for delivery in May settled at $14.58 per barrel, up 17 cents, at the International Petroleum Exchange.

Dollar rises

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar rose against the euro and other major European currencies Monday as the continued fighting in Kosovo threatened to halt the region's already stagnant growth. The euro fell to yet another low.

The dollar edged lower against the yen.

The euro was quoted at $1.0735, down from $1.0769. During the trading day, the euro fell to $1.0697, its lowest level since the launch of the new currency in January. The euro has mostly fallen since its inception.

In other trading, the dollar was quoted at 120.13 Japanese yen, down from 120.26.

NATO air strikes against Yugoslavia entered their sixth day Monday, having failed so far in efforts to get Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic to the negotiation table to sign a peace accord. Thousands of refugees were fleeing the country to an uncertain future.

"The longer it goes along, the more likely it is to slow economic growth in the region," said Jim Culnane, a senior trader at Norddeutsche Landesbank.

The European economy already is stagnant, with calls continuing for lower interest rates to spur borrowing and growth. The International Monetary Fund, according to Monday's Financial Times, called for lower rates at a private meeting over the weekend with officials from the European Central Bank. The ECB makes monetary policy for the 11 nations using the euro.

However, lower interest rates make a region's currency and assets less appealing to overseas investors. That too weighed on the euro.

But the dollar benefited, as it typically does during international turmoil, by being deemed a safe-haven currency.

Local cable rates won't change with end of controls, spokesman says

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Even though federal price controls on expanded basic cable services expire Wednesday, local cable television customers shouldn't expect an increase in rates.

"There will be no changes other than what we've already implemented" as a result of equipment upgrades, additional programming and inflationary pressures, said Charlie Moore, operations manager with Cox Communications. "We feel this is not the time and not the place to raise rates."

Moore said his company works to minimize costs, especially those the company can control. Cox is trying to control programming costs through tiering, offering customers only those channels they want, he said.

Experts say Congress set the March 31 date hoping that by that deadline the cable industry would see widespread competition, lowering rates and making price controls unnecessary.

"In reality, we're seeing competition of different types, like DirecTV," said Glen Hackler, deputy city manager. "So there's different types of competition but not direct cable competition. And that has primarily to do with the tremendous investment required to build a cable system and the time involved."

The city has the right to award or rescind a cable franchise in the city and has some regulatory authority over basic service rates, Hackler said, although the Federal Communications Commission gives cable companies quite a bit of leeway.

Moore said Cox is seeing increased competition from direct satellite programming providers such as DirecTV or Primestar, more so in Lubbock than in Midland.

But, he said, "we feel we'll never get into a price war with the satellite companies because our product is customer service. We come to you and work on problems, we'll make technological updates for you, not require new equipment."

The biggest hurdle satellite programming must overcome, said a spokesman for the local Primestar office, is its lack of local channels. He said the industry is planning to launch satellites in the next couple of years that will allow for local programming throughout the United States.

Moore welcomes competition.

"The more competition we get, the better we get," he said. "It keeps us on our toes. We have to build customer loyalty to compete and if we deliver service and programming, we can compete even with slightly higher prices. People don't always shop the price — they want quality and they're willing to pay a little more for it."

Market climbs as NATO bombs fall

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

As NATO dropped bombs on Serb forces in Yugoslavia for a sixth day, investors sent the Dow Jones industrial average above the 10,000 level — where it remained at closing — for the first time in history.

The average climbed 184.54 points to close at 10,006.78.

Market reactions to international events such as the bombings over Yugoslavia or, a several months ago, the American and British attacks on Iraq, depend on the results of those attacks, said Bob Stangby, trade manager with Ron Clifton Investment Associates in Odessa.

"Usually international incidents affect the bond markets more than stocks," he said. "In this case the markets are holding up well and encouraging buying in other sectors like the oil markets. Oil stocks are holding up well."

Kevin Skipper of Desert Analytic agreed.

"The market hates uncertainty. International unrest can disturb market psychology, although the Balkan conflict apparently hasn't unsettled investors," he observed. "The reason why is that the U.S. has little, if any, capital invested there. In the Gulf war, the market tanked because of the monetary importance of the region to our economy. In the Serbian conflict, I would expect the only impact on U.S. markets (for now) would be an increase in the value of the U.S. dollar."

The market's dislike of surprises, said economist Dr. Jerry Jones of the Midland Business Center, is why officials from President Clinton to Alan Greenspan, chairman of the Federal Reserve, and even corporate officers send out signals to prepare investors about monetary policy or earnings expectations.

Warren Bell, senior vice president with Everen Securities, said that positive earnings reports are currently what is driving the stock market.

"Markets had a sell-off as they anticipated less positive earnings reports, but the reports are as good or better than expected," Bell said.

He noted that over the last several years, first quarter earnings have been strong due to income tax refunds that have been refunded to taxpayers faster through technological improvements. That impact traditionally disappears in the second quarter, he said, when earnings usually weaken some.



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram
Positive earnings are driving the market, Everen Securities Senior Vice President Warren Bell says.

What's significant to Permian Basin investors, said Dennis Elam of Dennis Elam Financial Services in Odessa, is the run-up in oil prices from below $12 in December to just under $16.50 Monday.

"For everyone to be crying the blues two months ago and for oil prices to run up $4 with no give-back, that's significant," he said. Analysts attribute the rise in oil prices to the agreement by OPEC and non-OPEC producers to remove 2 million barrels of production from glutted world markets as well as strength in gasoline prices following a fire last Thursday at a Chevron refinery in California.

"The oil markets are an amazing thing to watch," Jones said. "There's been such a turnaround. What's interesting is that the low oil prices helped solidify the view that inflation was not a problem. Now that they're coming back up, the market has already discounted that and decided higher oil prices won't affect inflation."

Elam said another boost for oil prices is the fear that Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic could try to distract NATO forces by fostering terrorist attacks on major pipelines in nearby countries like Turkey.

The attacks have had little effect on markets, he said, because they have been carried out by air with no western casualties.

"If these bombings drag on, if it spreads to neighboring countries, what's the natural outcropping of that?" asked Bell. "You could have the whole world concerned about oil stocks in that part of the world. If the oil supply is disrupted, economic development in this country and economic recovery in other countries would not be so rosy."

Stangby said he imagined there was the possibility the NATO strikes could lead to terrorist attacks, but what has mostly concerned his friends and clients is the local economy and the fact that it is lagging the rest of the nation.

"We have some growth, but it's limited," he said. "We don't have expansion in manufacturing and that's hurt. We're so singular in our economic development and that's oil, that it hurts when prices are so low. Price levels now are good for integrated oil companies that are not only producers but also have refining and service interests. For other companies that aren't integrated, prices aren't high enough."

The real loser in today's stock markets, Jones said, is the one who isn't watching trends.

"One thing that's been happening over the last few months is companies buying back their own stock," he said. "That tends to increase their value, and that's a trend people should watch closely or be aware of. It's happened to a degree over the years, but doesn't frequently happen in a rising market."

The truth of the matter, he continued, when companies merge — as BP Amoco and Atlantic Richfield Monday confirmed they were negotiating — that removes large amounts of stock from the market and leaves investors with fewer options.



AP Photo
Traders celebrate on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange after the Dow Jones Industrial Average ended the day above 10,000 points for the first time in history Monday, lifted by news of some big mergers in the works. The Dow shot up 184.54 points to close at 10,006.78.

The deal, in which BP Amoco would buy Arco for about $25 billion, is expected to be announced later this week after the boards of the two companies vote, it was reported.

BP Amoco nears merger with Atlantic Richfield

LONDON (AP) — Fresh off the completion of one merger, oil giant BP Amoco is holding merger talks with Los-Angeles-based Atlantic Richfield Co.

The two companies confirmed that they were discussing a "possible combination transaction" Monday, following news reports Sunday.

The deal, in which BP Amoco would buy Arco for about $25 billion, is expected to be announced later this week after the boards of the two companies vote, The Financial Times and The Wall Street Journal reported. The companies said no definitive agreement had been reached, nor was one assured.

If completed, the merger would be the latest integration in a rapidly consolidating oil industry and the second acquisition for the former British Petroleum Co, which completed its $57.6 billion merger with Chicago-based Amoco Corp. in December.

Any deal would have to be approved by U.S. regulators.

Spokesmen for the Arco and BP Amoco operations in Alaska said separately that they could not comment on rumors.

Based on Friday's closing stock prices of $65.37 1/2 on the New York Stock Exchange, Arco has a market value of about $21 billion. The Financial Times quoted people close to the negotiations as saying that Arco was looking for a premium of 20 percent, putting the price tag at about $25 billion.

One main advantage of the link is savings and improved efficiency that may be gained by uniting the two companies' Alaskan operations.

In Alaska, BP Amoco and Arco jointly operate the 13-billion barrel Prudhoe Bay field, the 800-pound gorilla of U.S. oil discoveries. But from a peak in 1988 of 2.1 million barrels a day, production has fallen off to about 1.2 million barrels daily.

While BP Amoco now produces more oil than Arco in Alaska, it's Arco that has the best future prospects. The company expects to have its 360-million barrel Alpine field operating in about two years, and it also is eyeing acreage in the vast National Petroleum Reserve-Alaska west of Prudhoe for additional opportunities.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

Understanding small business, college tax breaks

By Eric Tyson

Q: I feel like a dummy about taxes but don't know where to begin or what I need help with. I'm a small-business owner and don't make a high income and feel that there aren't many tax breaks for people like me. Can you help me? Also, what is the time frame for showing a profit on a small business? I know that at one time the IRS saw it as a hobby if it didn't show something by then.



Tyson

A: Many people believe that the best tax breaks are there for corporations and wealthy individuals. That's simplistic and not really true.

It is true, however, that in order to take advantage of many of the best tax breaks, you have to learn to live within your means and have money available so that you can invest and do other things with it — for example, funding retirement accounts. That's a great tax break and immediately reduces federal and state taxes. However, to be able to fund retirement accounts, you have to spend less than you earn, which many Americans are not able to do.

Many people aren't aware of tax breaks because they haven't educated themselves. An example would be small-business owners who don't take the time to learn about the myriad tax breaks available to them. There's a whole range of them: something as simple as deducting mileage for business use of your car or depreciating assets more quickly. If you don't learn these things by reading a book such as my "Taxes for Dummies" (IDG Books) and don't hire a tax adviser, you're operating in the dark.

Setting up a self-employed person's retirement account, like an SEP-IRA or a Keogh, is often not done by many small-business owners. I find that even some small-business owners who know about these accounts have misconceptions about them, such as believing that they will have to make large contributions for all their employees if they fund the accounts themselves.

As for the time frame for showing a profit in your business, what the IRS is most concerned about is that the supposed business owner may be using a phantom business to write off personal expenses and generate losses. So-called hobby-loss rules may classify your business as a hobby if it shows a loss for three or more years of the past five years. There are some exceptions to this rule — for example, if you're involved in horse racing.

Q: What are the tax exemptions for college expenses?

A: First, they're few and far between. But there are a number of small perks added by the 1997 tax-law changes. They include the Hope scholarship credit and the Lifetime Learning credit, as well as parents' ability to fund Education IRAs.

Funding Education IRAs is not necessarily an intelligent thing to do, though, because it's not clear at this point how college financial aid officers are going to treat money in Education IRAs. However, it's safe to assume that they will treat money in such accounts the same way that they treat money in the child's name.

In other words, putting money into an Education IRA could lead, or probably will lead, to a large reduction in the financial aid that the child is eligible for. So non-wealthy parents should be very cautious about putting money into education IRAs.

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THE MARKET IN REVIEW

MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
AmOnline s	193408	132⅜	+6 11/16
Compaq	145968	31½	+5/16
Unicom	127405	38 1/16	+¾
CmpUSA	126435	7 7/16	+1 9/16
Lucent	93129109	115/16	+7 7/8

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Thrgen s	6¾	+1½	+28.6
CmpUSA	7 7/16	+1 9/16	+26.6
NatDiscB	33½	+6¾	+25.2
Neff Cp n	7	+1¼	+21.7
HomestVil	2 15/16	+½	+20.5

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GenesisH	5⅝	-1 1/16	-15.9
BatlMt	2⅝	-7/16	-14.3
KV Ph B s	15⅜	-2 5/16	-13.1
KV Ph A s	15	-2 1/16	-12.1
JenCrg	3 3/16	-7/16	-12.1

DIARY

Advanced	1,841
Declined	1,143
Unchanged	558
Total issues	3,542
New Highs	43
New Lows	87
Volume	921,558,638

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SPDR	58639131	5/32	+2 19/32
PC Quote	38860	9 3/16	-13/16
DevnE	35071	26½	-½
Nasd100T n	25569	107¼	+3¾
DigiLava n	13999	15⅝	+3 11/16

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
DigiLav wt	6¾	+1 13/16	+36.7
EXX A	2⅝	+⅝	+31.3
DigiLava n	15⅝	+3 11/16	+30.9
EXX B	2½	+½	+25.0
AndreaE	7 15/16	+1⅜	+21.0

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PeakTrd n	4¼	-¾	-15.0
AvenEnt	2⅛	-¼	-10.5
Unidigital	3⅞	-⅜	-8.8
ThmoVisn	3¼	-5/16	-8.8
FrkTlcm n	2¾	-¼	-8.3

DIARY

Advanced	310
Declined	249
Unchanged	183
Total issues	742
New Highs	18
New Lows	14
Volume	45,892,470

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
PlatTc	420362	24 1/16	+14 3/16
Microsft s	399084	92⅜	+3¼
DellCptr s	290026	39 7/16	+1 9/16
Cisco s	129154	110	+4 13/16
Oracle s	115876	28½	+1

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PlatTc	24 1/16	+14 3/16	+143.7
MaceSec	5¼	+2⅛	+68.0
HrtzT wt	2¾	+15/16	+51.7
IntllcII	3¾	+1¼	+50.0
GlobalPh	3⅜	+1	+42.1

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Vodavi n	2 1/16	-11/16	-25.0
GBC Bcp s	15 11/16	-4 9/16	-22.5
GrekaEgy	5⅞	-1½	-20.3
AtrivaFn s	3½	-⅞	-20.0
CmtyMT	2¾	-11/16	-20.0

DIARY

Advanced	2,125
Declined	1,723
Unchanged	1,303
Total issues	5,151
New Highs	69
New Lows	78
Volume	876,202,400

HOW TO READ THE MARKET IN REVIEW

Here are the 1,675 most active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, 925 most active on the Nasdaq National Market and 405 most active on the American Stock Exchange. Stocks in **bold** are worth at least $5 and changed 5 percent or more in price. Underlining for 50 most active on NYSE and Nasdaq and 25 most active on Amex. Tables show name, price and net change, and one to two additional fields rotated through the week, as follows:

Div: Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted.
Name: Stocks appear alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Names consisting of initials appear at the beginning of each letter's list.
Last: Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.
Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ...

Stock Footnotes: cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S.$. n – New issue in past 52 weeks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 percent or more in last 52 weeks. Dividend begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-week high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.
Dividend Footnotes: a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i– Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p – Initial dividend, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. vj – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.

Tuesday

Div	Name	Last	Chg
.44	ACE Ltd	24⅞	-⅛
1.10	ACMIn	9⅜	+⅛
.80	ACM Op	7⅝	-
1.10	ACM Sc	½	-⅛
..	ACMSp	7⅝	-

Wednesday

PE	PPE	Name	Last	Chg
8	9	ACE Ltd	24⅞	-⅛
17	19	ACMIn	9⅜	+⅛
5		ACM Op	7⅝	-
12	10	ACM Sc	½	-⅛
..	8	ACMS	7⅝	-

Thursday

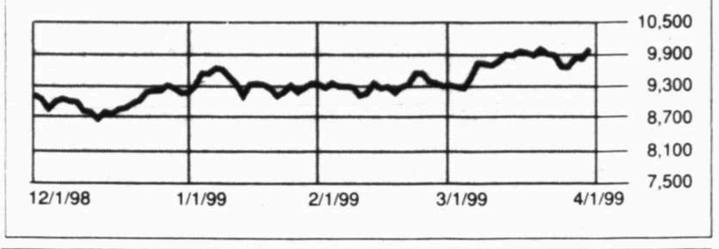
Thr	Name	Last	Chg
Air	ACE Ltd	24⅞	-⅛
ACL	ACMIn	9⅜	+⅛
ACG	ACM Op	7⅝	-
AGF	ACM Sc	½	-⅛
..	ACMSp	7⅝	-

Friday

YTD	Name	Last	Chg
+2.3	ACE Ltd	24⅞	-⅛
+0.2	ACMIn	9⅜	+⅛
-3.0	ACM Op	7⅝	-
-0.2	ACM Sc	½	-⅛
..	ACMSp	7⅝	-

Daily markets roundup

Dow Jones March 29, 1999 — Close **10,006.78** High **10,040.08** Low **9,821.61** Net change **+184.54** Pct. change **+1.88**



INDEXES

52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Net Chg	% Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
10,085.31	7,400.30	Dow Jones Industrials	10,006.78	+184.54	+1.88	+8.99	+13.94
3,701.42	2,282.18	Dow Jones Transportation	3,294.37	+34.26	+1.05	+4.61	-5.86
322.21	269.09	Dow Jones Utilities	300.31	+.54	+.18	-3.84	+6.53
620.06	462.69	NYSE Composite	613.16	+10.81	+1.79	+2.91	+7.78
753.75	554.70	Amex Index	717.88	-.86	-.12	+4.19	-2.52
2,533.44	1,357.09	Nasdaq Composite	2,492.84	+73.67	+3.05	+13.69	+37.07
1,323.88	923.32	S&P 500	1,310.17	+27.37	+2.13	+6.58	+19.81
492.28	303.87	Russell 2000	399.76	+5.84	+1.48	-5.26	-16.06
11,932.09	8,620.80	Wilshire 5000	11,893.39	+234.56	+2.01	+5.09	+14.10

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Div	Name	Last	Chg
	A-B-C		
.34	AAR	18	+1⅛
56t	ABM	29⅜	+2 1/16
.36	ACE Ltd	32⅜	+⅝
90a	ACMIn	8½	-1/16
.90	ACM Sc	7¾	-
	ACNiels	26⅞	+⅞
	ACX Tech	12 7/16	+½
	AES Cp	37⅛	-2 5/16
.26	AFLAC s	52⅛	+1/16
.04	AGCO	6⅜	+1/16
1.08	AGL Res	17¾	-⅛
.50	AK Steel	22⅞	-⅜
1.40f	AMB Pr	d20½	+1/16
	AMR s	56⅝	-1/16
1.32	AT&T	81 11/16	-1
2.06	ATT N28 n	26	+1/4
2.03	ATT D28 n	26⅛	+1/4
	Aames	1 7/16	+1/16
68f	AbtLab s	47 15/16	+1⅛
	AberFitch	u947⅛	
+4 13/16			
40	Abitibi g	9¼	
	Acuson	14⅞	
2.10e	**AdaEx**	**27½**	**+ 5/16**
	AdvCmG	4 9/16	-1/16
	AMD	15⅞	-1/16
	Advolnc	19	+5/16
1.02e	Aegon s	89 9/16	+9/16
	Aeroflex	13¼	-¼
88	AeroVick	57 9/16	+1/16
80	Aetna Inc	81⅞	
+1 11/16			
...	**AffCmpSv**	**44¼**	**+3⅜**
.02e	Agnico g	5 1/16	-1/16
11	Agrium g	9¼	+1/16
68	AirProd s	35⅜	+1⅛
16	AirbFt	31⅝	+⅜
	Airgas	9	+1/16
	AirTouch	92	+2⅜
1.74	AirTch pfB	74 9/16	+2 5/16
2.13	AirTch pfC	127⅜	+4 3/16
1.84	**AlaPC pfQ25**	⅛	...
	AiskAir	47⅛	-1 1/16
40	Albemar	20 1/16	-⅜
26f	AlbCulA	21 7/16	-1/16
72f	Albertsn	54 15/16	-⅜
60	Alcan	26 1/16	+5/16
38e	Alcatel	23 1/16	+1 1/16
80f	Alcoa s	41 15/16	+1 5/16
1.72	AlgEngy	30	-⅞
64	AlegTeldy	19 7/16	+ 7/16
	AlienTel	5 9/16	+1/16
56f	Allergn	87 9/16	-3 1/16
1.62e	AlliCap	25½	+1/16
1.32a	AllWrld2	9⅜	
16	AlliedPd	3 1/16	+1/16
68f	AlldSgnl	u50¾	+⅜
	AldWaste	14 7/16	+1/16
20	AlmrFn	55	-5/16
60f	Alstate s	38¼	+⅞
1.22	Altel	65 1/16	-1/16
	Alza	40¾	-5/16
40	AmbacF	53⅝	+⅜
	Amdocs n	21⅜	+½
60	AmHes	50⅞	
+1 13/16			
2.54	Ameren	37⅜	-1/16
	AmOnline su	132⅛	
+6 11/16			
	AmWest	17 1/16	-1/16
	ABkNHoln	2	-1/16
48	ABankrs	52⅜	+1/16
	AmBknt	d3⅜	-1/16
2.40	AEP	40¾	+⅜
90	AmExp	123 5/16	+2 9/16
1.75	AExp pfA	25 1/16	-1/16
1.60f	AGenCp	72⅜	+⅜
76	AGreet	24⅝	+⅝
2.26f	AHltPr	18⅜	+½
.90	**AHomeP s**	**65¾**	**-15/16**
22	AmIntG s	118 11/16	+2 1/16
	AResidSvc	5⅜	-1/16
	ARetire	13⅝	+1/16
	AmStd	34 13/16	+½
36	AmStor	33 7/16	+1/16
	ATower n	23¼	+1⅜
86f	AmWtr	29½	+½
	Americdt s	13⅛	+¼
	AmeriSrc s	34½	
1.27	Ameritch	60 25/32	-1⅛
24	Ametek	18½	+⅜
1.08	AMP	u55¾	+⅝
1.00	AmSouth s	46 11/16	-⅞
...	**AmwyAs**	**7 11/16**	...
41e	AmwayJ	4⅜	-1/16
.20	**Anadrk s**	**39⅞**	
+2 13/16			
	Analog	30⅜	+1⅜
1.27e	Angiogid n	19⅛	+⅛
1.12	Anheus	74⅜	+⅛
	Anixter	11½	+1/16
	AnnTayl	42⅞	+¼
1.32f	Annaly	9¾	-1/16
1.12	Aon Cp	65⅜	+⅝
.28	**Apache**	**28¼**	**+1⅜**
2.50f	Apitrv	35¾	+⅜
	ApplMg	4⅝	
06	ApldPw	27	+1¼
	Aptia	8 5/16	+1/16
14e	Aracruz	14⅜	+⅛
	ArcadiaFn	4⅝	+3/16
40	ArchCh n	16⅞	-1/16
20b	ArchDan	14 13/16	+¼
1.48f	ArchStnC	19⅝	
1.78f	ArdenRlt	21 13/16	+⅝
25e	ArgentFd	9¼	+1/16
	Argosy	5⅛	-1/16
	Armco	4⅜	+1/16
1.92	ArmWi	45⅝	
	ArrowEl	15½	+⅝
	Arrha	u9 16	+1 5/16
84	Arvin	34 1/16	-1/16
20m	Asarco	14⅝	-⅞
08e	Ashanti	8	-⅛
1.10	Ashland	43¼	+ 7/16
06t	AsiaPR	7	
	AsiaPlp	9¼	+5/16
1.86	AsdEstat	10⅝	+1/16
22	AscFCap s	44 1/16	-1/16
23e	AstraA	u22 1/16	+15/64
23e	AstraB	u22 1/16	+⅛
2.85	AtHRch	74 1/16	
+8 11/16			
	AtlasAir s	29⅛	+⅝
1.10	**ATMOS**	**24**	**+ 1/16**
	AtwdOcn	31 1/16	
+1 11/16			
	AuroraFn	15⅞	+¼
44	Autoliv	36½	-1/16
31	AutoDta s	40⅜	+1/16
	AutoZone	31	+1/16
2.04	AvalonBay	31⅝	+½
96	AveryD	57 13/16	+1/16
	Aviall	15⅞	+¼
	Aviation	44½	+ 7/16
	Avis	27⅝	+⅜
48m	Avista	16⅜	-1/16
60	Avnet	36 13/16	+7/16
72f	Avon s	47¼	+1½
	Aydin	13⅜	+1/16
	Aztar	4 11/16	-1/16
70	BB&T s	37¾	+½
1.36	BCE g	u45⅞	-⅜
1.94f	BEC Engy	38 13/16	-⅝
	BJS	24⅛	+1½
	BJS wt	20¾	
+1 15/16			
	BJs Whls s	25¼	+⅝
2.87e	**BP Amoco**	**u105**	
+4 9/16			
	BP Pru	7½	+⅝
1.58t	BRE	22½	+¼
3.77e	BakrF	15⅛	-1/16
46	BakrHu	25⅝	+1½
60	Ball	46 13/16	+1
10	BallardM	24⅝	
	BallyTotF	23⅞	+⅜
1.68	BallGE	25¼	+⅛
02e	BcoBHIF	10¼	+1/16
	Banctec	13 13/16	-⅜
1.88	BkOne pfU	25⅜	-1/16
1.68f	BankOne	55 15/32	+9/32
07e	BkTokyo	14 5/16	+5/16
56	BkNY s	37⅛	+1 1/16
1.80	BankAm	71⅜	+1½
1.28f	BkBost s	43¾	
4.00	BankTr	88 13/16	+½
56	Banta	19 7/16	+1/16
76	Bard	53⅜	-⅜
	BarrNbl	32¼	-7/16
	BarrLab	32 1/16	+15/16
	BarrettRs	27¼	+1¼
18	BarrickG	16⅝	-⅜
	BattlMt	d2⅝	-7/16
1.04	Bauschl	61 13/16	-⅛
1.16	Baxter	67⅞	+⅝
60b	BearSt	48½	+⅝
64	BeckCoult	44¾	+⅞
34	BectDck s	41⅝	-⅜
20	Belden	16¾	+½
	Bell&Howl	30⅛	-1/16
1.54	BellAtl s	52⅜	+15/16
1.76	BellSp s	41	-1/16
24	BeloA H s	17⅝	+⅜
92f	Bemis	33⅞	+1/16
	BengtB	9 32	-1/64
	BentonOG	4	+1/16
30	BergBr s	20¾	-⅜
...	**BerkHa A**	**73300**	**-200**
1.00f	BerkRty	11⅝	+⅛
.40	**BerryP**	**12**	**5/16 +1/16**
	BestBuy s	51⅞	+2
98	Bestfds	49	+1½
	BethSti	8¾	
	Beverly	5	
	BigFlower	32½	-⅝
	Biomatrix	74 15/16	+3 9/16
10	BirSti	41⅜	+⅛
48	BlackD	54 15/16	+1/2
1.04f	**BlkHlCp**	**21½**	**+ 5/16**
40	Blk2001	9 3/32	+1/32
56	BlkIT	6 13/16	-1/16
50	BlkTT	9⅝	
1.00	BlockHR	47⅜	+13/16
28	Blount A	27 5/16	-⅜
	Bluegreen	5¾	+⅛
	Blyth	21 15/16	-⅝
66	Boeing	34¾	-1/16
60	BoiseC	32 9/16	-3/16
	BordCh	7⅛	-⅜
	Borders	14⅛	-⅜
60	BorgWAu	44⅞	+11/16
	BorWSc	17½	+¼
	BostBeer	8	
1.70	BostProp	31¼	+1 1/16
	BostScis	39¼	+1½
80	Bowatr	40⅝	-⅛
	BoydsC n	16⅝	+⅜
1.88	BoykinL	12¾	-⅛
1.48	BradRE	17 13/16	+⅜
30e	Brahma	9¼	-1/16
1.56f	Brandyw	16 7/16	+⅜
3.06e	Brazil	12	
	BredTch	3 7/16	-1/16
1.76	BrgStrat	50¾	+1 1/16
	Brinker	26 13/16	+5/16
.86	**BrMySq s**	**62**	**⅛**
+2 11/16			
2.04e	BrstSt	20½	
1.18	**BrwnFA**	**53⅜**	**+ 7/16**
1.18	**BrwnFB**	**57¾**	**+1 1/16**
76	BrwnFr	39	+⅜
50	Brunswick	19¾	+¼
	BudgetGp	12½	+⅛
02	BurlCoat	11¾	+⅛
	BurlInds	7⅛	+1/16
48	BurlNSF s	33½	+⅛
55	BrlRsc	41⅞	+1 9/16
1.05	BurrnPP	10⅞	+1/16
11	C&D Tch s	21⅜	
81e	CANTV	16 7/16	+1 1/16
1.95f	CBL Assc	d22⅛	-1/16
	CBS	u40⅜	+⅞
	CEC Ent	34½	+1½
	CHS El	d3⅛	-⅛
1.20f	CIGNAs	u85⅛	-1⅛
40	CIT Gp	31	+⅞
08b	CKE Rst	19⅜	+⅛
12	CMAC Inv	36 1/4	+1 1/16
1.32	CMS Eng	41 7/16	-1/16
	CNA Fn s	38⅝	+⅜
32	CNA Sure	13	+⅜
40	CNF Tran	38 7/16	+¼
1.20	CSX	38½	+1
23	CVS Cp s	48½	-⅛
63e	CabiWire	38 7/16	+1
	CablDsg	11⅞	-⅛
44	Cabot	22	-⅛
	Cadence	26¼	+⅜
32	Calgon	5⅜	+1/16
2.28	CalFPC pf	26½	
28	CalGolf	10 1/16	+1/16
	Calpine	33 1/16	+⅜
2.08f	CamdnP	d24 9/16	+⅜
	CmpR g	½	
90	CampSp	42 3/16	+1 3/16
1.20f	CdnNRy g	57 3/16	+1 7/16
56	CdnPc g	20 7/16	+⅛
32	CapOne	u146	+2 1/16
	CapstrRn	22⅜	-1/16
	Capstd	5⅛	
10	Cardnlm s	69 11/16	-1/16
64	Carlisle	44 1/16	+2 7/16
40	CarnvCp s	48½	+2¼
2.00	CaroPw	39½	-⅝
1.32	CarpTech	26 3/16	+⅛
1.85	CarrAmR	21	-3/16
20	CaseCp	26¾	+1/16
	Catelus	13⅜	+1/16
1.20	Caterplr	47 1/16	+ 7/16
16	CavalrH	9	-1/16
	Celestic gn	29 9/16	+1 7/16
	Cendant	15½	-5/16
16	Centex	34 3/16	+11/16
1.74	CenSoWst	d24½	-3/16
48	CtrNws s	31⅜	+1⅜
06	CntrtPrkg	34½	-3/16
1.16	CentBk	61¼	-⅜
27f	CntryTel s	68⅝	-⅜
	Ceridian s	35 15/16	+⅛
	ChmpE	19 5/16	+⅝
20	Chmpln	42⅜	+⅞
16	ChartwllRe	18⅜	-⅛
1.64f	ChaseM s	82¼	+1⅜
01	Checkpnt	9 3/16	+⅝
2.88f	CheiGCA	29 13/16	+3/16
	ChesEng	13⅜	-1/16
2.44	**Chevron**	**u89⅝**	
+2 13/16			
2.52e	ChileFd	10⅜	+1/16
43e	ChileTel	23⅝	-⅜
	ChinaTic	33⅜	-1/16
20	Chiquta	10⅝	+3/16
	Chocpt	47¼	+1⅜
1.28f	Chubb	60	+⅝
	CIBER	20 15/16	+1 7/16
40b	CinnBell s	22½	-⅝
1.80	CINergy	28⅜	-1/16
14	CircCtyCC	72½	+1 3/16
	Circus	18	-5/16
72	Citigrp	64⅛	+⅜
3.18	Citigp pfF	53⅛	-⅛
26t	CitzUtil	7⅝	-1/16
66f	CityNC	32⅜	-1/16
16	ClairesStr	u30⅜	+21/64
06	Claytnl s	11⅝	-1/4
	ClearC s	66 15/16	+1⅞
1.44	Clorox	119 5/16	+1½
	Coachlnc	27⅛	-1/16
20	Coachmen	20	+⅝
25	Coastal s	36 1/16	+1 7/16
2.09	CstlpfT	25	-3/16
.64f	**CocaCl**	**64 1/16**	**-1/2**
16	CocaCE	33 5/16	+5/16
11i	CCFemsa	16⅛	+¼
	Coeur	d4	
1.10	**ColgPal**	**94⅛**	
+1 9/16			
38f	ColBgp s	11⅞	+1/16
68a	ColiHI	6⅜	-1/16
2.32f	ColonPT	26 1/16	+9/16
	Coltec	18 51/64	+27/64
80	ColumEn s	53⅝	
+2 11/16			
08	ColHCA	19⅜	+7/16
10	Comdisc s	17⅛	-7/16
1.44f	Comerc	64⅜	+1 1/16
	ComfrtS	15⅜	+⅜
26	CmcFdl	21 7/16	-⅜
60	CmlTek	12½	+9/16
1.24	CmclNL	11⅝	
	ComScop	20⅜	+1½
	CmpUSA	7 7/16	+1 9/16
46e	CBD--Pao	14⅜	+¼
08f	Compaq	31½	+5/16
07	CompAs	37+31/64	
20	Comsat	29½	-7/16
	ComstkRs	2 15/16	+¼
71	ConAgra	26¼	-⅛
1.54	Conectiv	20 7/16	-1/16
1.34	**ConnEn**	**25½**	**- 5/16**
14p	Conoco n	24 13/16	+1
56	Conseco	32 7/16	+½
2.14f	ConEd	46½	-1½
	ConsGph	53¾	+3
1.94	ConsNG	49⅜	-
1 15/16			
88	ConsPap s	24¼	+⅜
	ConStor	31	+2
2.08	CnE pfcid	24 15/16	-1/16
	Contfincl	7	+⅝
	CtiAir B	38⅝	-⅜
	Cnvrgys n	18½	+1 1/16
	Converse	3¾	+1/16
	CoopCam	35⅞	+1¼
1.32	Cooper	44	+⅝
42	CooprTr	19⅝	+⅝
25e	Copel	6⅞	
	CoramH	2	+5/16
40	Cordant	42⅝	+1 3/16
	CoreLab	18⅜	+¼
32	CornPdts	25¼	+1¼
1.20	CorPrpt	15	+⅛
72	CorningIn	60 15/16	+4
1.26a	CorpHY	11¾	-⅛
1.43a	CpHYIII	12⅞	
72	CorpOffP n	6⅞	-1/16
	CortBus	23	+¼
40f	CntwCrd	38⅞	+⅜
	Covance	25 16	
	CoxCm	74⅞	-⅛
40	Crane s	23½	+¼
2.20	CresRE	21⅛	+5/16
1.69	CresRE pf	15¾	+1/16
	vjCrmmM	2⅜	-1/16
	CrmpcN	23⅞	+⅜
04m	**CrosTbr**	**13**	**⅜ + 1/16**
1.56	CrosTpfA	22⅜	+⅛
1.04e	**CrownCas**	**9¼**	**+⅛**
1.00	CwnCork	28 7/16	+⅜
2.20	CwnCrkpc	21⅞	+¼
1.20	CullnFr	49	-1¼
14	Culp Inc	6	
1.10	CumEng	37 1/16	+⅛
	CypSem	8 1/16	-1/16
20m	Cyprus	12⅜	+⅛
	Cytec	23 7/16	+⅜
	D-E-F		
96	DLJ HiY n	9	+1/16
94	DPL	17¼	-¼
1.52	DQE	40⅝	-⅛
12f	DR Horton	16 1/16	-5/16
	DSP Com	17 7/16	-3/16
	DST Sys	58 11/16	+1 1/16
2.06	DTE	40 1/4	-7/16
	DaimrCn	87	+1⅜
	DainTele	9	+⅛
20f	DalSem	37⅛	+1¼
1.24f	DanaCp	35⅜	+¼
06	Dananer s	50⅞	+1
18	Daniel	15⅜	+1 1/16
08	Darden	21 13/16	+1¼
	DataGr	11 15/16	-1/16
40f	DayHud s	68 11/16	+⅜
	DeVry s	28¼	+1⅛
84	DeanFd	37 5/16	+13/16
83a	DebtStr2	8	-1/16
77a	DebtStrt	7 7/16	
88	Deere	39 9/16	+2⅛
	DelMnte n	11 3/16	-⅜
	DelphiAn	18⅛	+1/16
	DelphiFn	32½	-1 1/16
12	DeltPne	31½	-1 1/16
10	DeltaAir s	69	+1 3/16
10	DeltaW	6	+5/16
1.48	Deluxe	30⅜	+ 7/16
	Denbury	4	
	DeRigo	7 11/16	+1/16
68e	DeutTel	40 13/16	
+1 13/16			
1.04	Dexter	31½	+1⅜
1.27e	Diageo	45 1/16	-1/16
32	Dial	u34 11/16	+1 1/16
50	DiaOffs	33⅜	+2 3/16
60f	Diebold	23½	+⅜
16	Dillards	25 11/16	-⅜
20	DimeBcp	24 13/16	+⅛
36	Dimon	43⅜	-1/16
.21	**Disney s**	**33 1/16**	**+1/16**
40	Dole	29¾	
13	DollarG	34 7/16	+1/32
	DollarTh	17	+⅜
2.58	DomRes	38 1/16	-1/16
25	DonLuf s	65½	
+1 11/16			
	DKaran	6 13/16	-1⅛
84	Donlley	33 1/16	-15/16
42	Dover	33⅝	+⅛
3.48	**DowCh**	**94 11/16**	
+4 9/16			
96	DowJns	47⅞	+⅜
32b	DowneyFn	18½	+¼
1.44	DryHYSt n	11⅞	
55	DryStrt	9⅜	+⅛
61	DrySM	9⅜	-1/16
	DrilQuip	22	
+1 13/16			
1.40	DuPont	57⅛	+1⅜
	DuaneR	29½	+2¼
78	DufPlt1l	10 15/16	
2.20	DukeEngy	56 13/16	-⅜
1.36	DukeRlt	21¼	-⅝
74	DunBrad n	36⅜	+7/16
	Dycom s	41¾	+⅞
	DynexC	3⅛	-1/16
	E4L	7¼	-1⅛
	EEX Cp s	5 13/16	+5/16
56	EGG	26⅜	+¾
	EMC	u129 15/16	+6⅜
1.57e	ENI	63 3/16	+3 9/16
16	Earthgr	23¾	-⅜
1.68	EastEn	37⅞	+⅛
1.76	EastChm	45¼	+¼
1.76	EKodak	65⅝	+⅜
1.76	Eaton	71⅝	+2⅜
82	EV Srlnc n	9⅝	+1/16
42	Ecolab	37⅛	+1/16
1.08f	EdisonInt	d23⅝	-⅛
80f	Edwards	32⅝	-

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Div Name Last Chg

A-B-C

ABR Inf 17⅝ +3⅛
ACT Net 18¼ +3⅛
ACTV 7⅞ +3⅛
ADC Tel u50½s+4 3/16
AFTech n 15 +5/16
AavidTh 14¼ +1/8
Abacan 3⅛
AbacusDir 80 +4
... **AbleTel 7** ⅜s ...
AbveNet n 80⅞s-4 3/16
... **Abraxas** 1¾s- 5/16
Acclaim 8⅛ +1/16
Actel 17½ +1⅛
ActPerf 31½ +3/16
Actwisn 12¾s+1 3/16
Acxiom 26⅜s +1/16
AdacLb 13⅝s+ 7/16
AdmsGlf n 3⅞ +5/16
Adaptec 24¼ +1¼
Adelph n 62⅝s+1 5/16
20 AdobeSy u59+2 1/16
... **AdrianR** 7/32- 1/32
AdvEnid 22⅝s
+1 1/16 AdvFCm 7½ +1/16
07f AdMkSv s 16⅞ +4 3/16
AdvRadio 12 -5/16
Affymet 32⅝s -
2 13/16 Agourn 57⅜s +5/16
AgriBio 5¾ -1/16
24 AirExp 15 +1/2
AirTran 4⅞ +7/16
1.39e Akzo s 37⅞ + 9/16
AlbnyMic n 21¼ +1/4
Alkerm ● 26⅞ -2 1/4
AliegTl n 25¼ +1/2
1 60f AlldCap 18½ -1/16
AlphaMic 5⅝s -5/16
Alteon 1⅛ +1/16
Altera 61⅝s +1 7/16
AltResc 6⅜ +1/16
Amazon s 149⅝s
+10 9/16 AmTrade s 66½ +7 7/16
AEagleO s 71½+2 5/16
AHomPat d1 3/32 -7/32
AmintPt ⅜ -1/16
AmMbSat 5 13/16s +5/16s
AOncol 7¾ -1/4
APwrCnv 28¾ +1/8
Amerin 18⅝ +3/8
AmesDS 34 7/16
... **Amgen s 77¼ +2** 5/8
AmkorT n 73½s+2 1/32
Amplidy 12⅝s+2 3/32
Amresco 8 -21/32
Amylin 27/32 +1/32
Anadigc 17⅛ +¾
40 Analysts 11⅛
AnlySur 24⅜ +1 3/8
AncorCm 4 11/16s -5/16s
Andrew 12½ +11/16
Anesta 23⅜s+3 1/16s
Anicom 6 11/16
AnikaTh 5 +3/16
Antec u28 13/16s +1 3/8
ApexPC s 13 13/16s +3/8
ApolloG s 29 11/16s +9/16
AppleC 35⅜ +2 1/8
09f Applebee 25 15/32s -21/32
AppAnl 12 -5/8
APICeil n 21⅜s -3/16s
AppGrph 7 11/16s +1/8
... **ApldMat 61⅜**
+3 9/16 AMCC 43⅝s+1 9/16s

ArQuie 6⅜ +1
24 ArcticCat 9¼ +1/16
ArdentSft 14 7/16s -1/2
ArgsyEd n d7¼s-1 1/32
AriadP 1 13/32s -5/32
Artesyn 14⅛ +1/16
ArtisanC 5¼
Ascend 85 15/16s +6 1/16s
AshtnT 2⅞ +3/32
AspctDv s 24⅝ +1/4
AspectTel 6 11/32s -1/32
AspenTc 11¾ +5/16
AscdGpB 48 +3½
96f AstonaF 49 25/32s+1 11/32s
AsystTch 14 -1/32
AtHomeu 159 11/16s
+8 13/16s AtiCstAr s 26⅛ +⅜
Atmel 16 +9/16s
adnghwy n 11⅝s -1/4
... **AuraSy** 3⅜s- 1/32
autobytel nd 35⅜s -4⅞
24 Autodesk 43¼
+2 11/16s AutonoT 9¼
Autoweb n 29¾ -3
Avanti 16⅝s +1/8
AvidTch 24⅜s +1⅛
Aware u47 9/16s+3 9/16s
AxentT 32¼ +¾
AztecTc n d17⅝s -1/8
BE Aero 14 +¼
BEA Sys 153⅜s -1/8
BISYS 58
+1 1/16s BMC Sft s 36 7/16s +¾
Baan Co 9 7/32s+1 11/32s
23r BncGalic 16¾ -1/16s
64 BnkUntd 41⅛s -¼
BanyanSy 13¼s +1 5/8s
40 BayVw 19¼s+1 13/16s
BedBath s 33⅞s +7/16s
bynd com n 23⅜s +7/8
BillConc 10⅝s +5/16s
BioPharm 20 13/16s +1/16s
Biogen u116 15/16s+11/16s
12f Biomet 45⅛s +1½
BioTcG 6⅜s +3/16s
Bluefly 11⅞s +1
BookMill 10¼ +3/16s
BorLePr 11½ -1/16s
BostnCom 9⅞ +1/16s
BstLfSci 6 15/16s+2 5/32s
BttmlntT n 6¼ -1½
Brghtpt 61 3/32 +7 3/32
BroadVis 66 5/16s+6 9/16s
brdc com s 114⅜s +4¼s
Brdcom s 61 +1½
... **BrownTom 13** 11/16s
+8 13/16s BldgOne 17⅜s +1/8
BusnObj 32⅛s+1 1/16s
C-CUBE 20⅜s +1/8
.02 **CBRL Grp 18** 11/16s **+1** 1/4
CBT Gp 12 15/16s -3/16s
CDnow 17⅛s -1 9/16s
CMGI s 186 9/16s+4 3/16s
CNET s 96⅝s+1 5/16s
... **CNS 3¼s-** 1/16s
CSG Sys s 36⅝s +1⅜
CambTch 12 3/16s +1 1/4s
Candies 3 3/32 -1/16s
CarrAcc n 60 7/8s+5 1/16s
Casella n 22⅞ -1 1/4s
22f CatoCp 9¼ -⅜s
CecoEnv 3¾ +1/4
Celgene 13⅞ -1/4
CellGens 5¼ +1/16s
CellNet 6 -1/8
Cellstar s 11⅝s +1 3/16s
Centocor 36 15/16s -9/16s
CEurMda 8½ +7/8
CenGardn 15 15/16s+ 15/16s
CntyCm 45 1/16s+1 1/16s
Cerner 15⅞ -1/8
ChancMda 46½
... 58b ChtOneF s 29 13/16s +¾
ChpTick n 29¾ -1/8
ChkPnt n 43 +2⅜
ChkFree u42 15/16s+3 1/16s
ChildPlc 26⅝s
Chiron 22⅝s +1/8
Chronimd 5 1/32 -15/32
CienaCp 23⅝s +1/2
CinarCp s 21⅝s +1 1/16s
68f CinnFin s 39 1/16s
+1 13/16s
22f Cintas 68⅝s +1 1/2
... **Ciprico 7** 15/16s+ ⅝s
Cirrus 63 1/32 +3/32
Cisco s 110
+4 13/16s
Citadel n u30⅞ +3⅞
CitraSy s 41 1/32 +2 29/32
Clarify 23⅜s +3⅜
... **ClayEng 5** 11/16s **+1**⅛
Cognos g 22½ +2 1/16
... **Coherent 14** ⅜s- 1/16s
Com2° n 24¾s +3⅜s
11 Comair s 25 7/16s -⅝s
CombiChm 3 9/16s -3/16s
09j Comcast 83 7/16s +1/2
09 Comc sp 64 11/16s +1⅛
CmndSec u1 9/32s -5/32s
Comintell 1 5/16s -1/16s
56f ComFBks 18¾s +1/16s
1 20f CompsBnc 35 9/16s -1/16s
Cmpassl 5 5/16s +⅛s
CmpBusi s 17 1/16s -3/16s
CmptHz 11 -1/16s
CptrLrn 5 1/16s
CompuLit n u28¼ +7 1/2
CptNwk 14 5/8s+2 7/16s
Compuwr s 24 3/8s +7/16s
Comvers 85½ +5 5/8s
ConcMngd 14 9/16s -1/16s
ConcNet nu80 5/16s
+13 5/16s CncEFS s 28¾ +1/4
Conexnt n 24 31/32s+1 7/32s
Connect 3 9/32s +1/16s
CnsFrtC n 12 5/16s -9/16s
CorTher 9 21/32s +2 5/32s
CorelCp 3 +1/4
CorpExp 4 11/16s +1/4
CostPlus s 28½ +1 1/16s
Costco 91 13/16s+ 13/16s
... **CostEner 2** 1/2s **+** 1/16s
Cott Cp 2 7/16s +1/4
CovadCo n 71¼ +6 7/8s
Coventry 8 9/16s +7/16s
CrBioMol 2½ +1/16s
50e CreTcLtd 11 13/16s -1/8s
CredSys 21 1/16s+1 5/16s
CrdAcp 5 13/16s +1/16s
Creditrst n 18¾s+1 9/16s
CreeResh 44 1/16s+1 7/16s
CrstPath n 6 5/8
CrwnCstl n 18⅜s +⅜s
CrwnRs d1 1/2 -1/16s
CustmTrk 13 13/16s -1 1/16s
CybrCsh 15¼ +¼
CybrOtp n 21 11/16s+1 3/16s
CybrShp 12 -1 1/8s
Cygnus 8 1/16s +1/16s
Cylink 4⅜s +1/16s
Cymer 21 1/16s +7/16s
CyprBio 3 5/32s +7/32s
Cytogn 1 1/16s +1/16s

D-E-F

91 DECS iV n 8¼s -3/16s
DGJewl n 9 7/16s +7/16s
Dll Grp 27⅝s -⅜s
DSP Gp 15 7/16s +5/16s
08 DT Inds 6⅞s -1/16s
13e Danka 5¼ +1/16s
DtBdcst 13 1/16s -1/4
DtaProc 12 +1 11/16s
Datatec 2 15/16s +3 1/16s
DataRce 5 7/32s -5/32s
Davox 8 7/16s -3/16s
... **Dawson 8¼** -1/4
77e DBeer 19¼ +7/16s
Delias 26⅜s +⅞s
DellCptr s 39 7/16s+1 9/16s
DeltaGal n u9⅛s +1/8s
Dendrite s 22⅝s +1⅛s
DescSys n 6⅝s +⅜s
Diametrc 6 13/16s +1/16s
DiamM 6 5/16s -3/32
DigMic 8¼
DigRiver n 35⅛s -1/4
Diplomat 1 13/32s -5/32
Documnt 15 11/16s -7/16s
DlitTees s 32 3/16s -1 3/4s
DpleClick 19 1/4s +8⅞s
DresB 13⅝s -1/4
DrugE 4 11/16s -5/16s
DuraPh 14⅜s
Duramed 10⅜s -⅞s
DurbanRo 2⅛s
DynRsh s 3⅞s +13/16s
ETrade s 59 15/16s+2 1/16s
ETkDyn n 34 1/32
+2 17/32 e spire 12+1 5/16s
eBayInc s 147 25/32s -
8 23/32
20 ECI Tel 34 9/16s +15/16s
eFax com 18 -2
ESCMed 7⅛s -1/32
EgleGeo 4⅛s +⅜s
Erthlnk s 62½ -⅝s
ErthShll 12 13/16s+1 5/16s
ErthWeb n 49¾s -2 1/16s
EstWstB n d7½ -1 1/4s
EchoStaru 74 11/16s
+5 13/16s EclpSurg 10 11/16s -⅛s
Eclipsys n 22⅞s -⅜s
EdcMge s 28⅜s +⅞s
... **Egghead 17⅝s** -
1 7/16s 800 Travel 8⅛s +⅞s
800 Trv wt 3 9/16s +15/32s
Elcom n 2 29/32s -1/32s
ElcArt 50¼s+11¼s
ElClear 2 +17/32s
EFII u40⅞s -11⅛s
... **Elctsrc 1¾s+** ⅝s
.24a **ElronEl 18¾s +1**
EmisTch 8⅞s -11/16s
EmplySi 1 7/32s +1/32s
EnPointe 7 15/16s +1⅛s
EntreMd 24 +1⅛s
Entrust n 33⅜s +⅜s
Envoy 44½ +⅜s
.25e **EricTel s 24 +1/2**
EtecSys 44¼s +1⅜s
Euroweb 2 7/16s +⅜s
Excalib 13¼s -11/16s
Excite s u147⅜s +7 1/8s
Executone 3 5/32s +1/32s
ExodusCm 144⅞s -1 1/8s
FamGoff s 7¼s +⅜s
FaxSav 7 9/16s -¼s
80 FfthThrd 72⅜s+2 9/16s
FileNet s 7⅜s -⅜s
FinetHlg n 4¼s -⅜s
56f FSecOp 18 11/32s+1 9/32s
76 FstTenn 39¾s -⅛s
Fiserv s 55

G-H-I

30 GBC Bcp sd 15 11/16s -
4 9/16s GST Tele 10+17/32
GalileoT 26⅝s +⅛s
GelTex n 15⅛s -⅝s
Gemstr 6 3/32 +1 1/32
GeneLTc 17 27/32 -3/32
GiMagic 3 29/32 -7/32
GenNutr 13 7/32s +⅜s
GeneDir n 4 5/16s +7/16s
GenMcr 25 11/16s +7/8s
GenesyTel 16 5/16s
+1 15/16s Genome 3⅜s +3/16s
Gentex s 23 3/16s -3/16s
84t GenzymGn 52+1 7/16s
GeoCities n 113 1/4s+2 1/4s
GeronCp 9 7/8s -5/16s
GibsnG 7 7/16s -3/16s
GilatSat 60 7/8s+3 3/16s
Gilead 44 7/8s -1 3/8s
Glenayre 3 1/2 -3/16s
GlblCrss s 47⅛s +⅜s
Globlind 10⅛s -1/16s
GlobalPh 3⅜s +1
GlbITel 54⅝s +1
Globalstr s 14 3/16s -9/16s
GlobixCp 37¾s +½
Go2net s 13⅜s +1/4
GldStBc wt 4¾s +7/32s
GoodGy 3¼s -1/4
GdyFam s 14⅛s +1/2
GrnstRs g 5/16s +1/64
GrekaEgy d5⅞s -1 1/2s
GuilfrdPh 10½s +1/2
GuitarC 22⅝s +⅜s
Gulfisland 11½s +1½s
Gymbree 8 13/16s +3/16s
HCIA 4 9/16s +1/16s
HIE 4½s -7/16s
HMTTch 3⅞
HNC Sft 32 +2 1/16s
Hadco 25½s +¾s
HaglerB n 8 15/32s+15/32s
HallKin 5 15/16s +½s
Harbngr s 7¾s +1/16s
HlthcrRc 4 15/16s +7/16s
Healthn n 46⅜s +8 3/4s
Heartprt 4⅞s -1/16s
HelixTech 15½s +⅜s
HSchein 25½s +7/16s
HrtzT wt u2 1/4s+1 5/16s
HertzTch u151½+41⅛s
hiAn Inc n u39¾s -1/4s
HlywdE 19⅝s -⅜s
HumGen 35 3/4s -1 9/16s
80b HuntBnk 32 9/32s+2 5/32s
HutchT 23⅝s+3 3/4s
HvideM 4⅜s +⅛s
HyperSolu 15½s +1/2
HypTele n 10⅝s +1¼s
i2 Tech s 26⅜s +1/2
ICG Com 18⅝s+1 9/16s
ICOS 35⅜s +1/2
IDEC 51⅜s -⅝s
IdexxLb 23½ +⅜s
IDTCorp 18 +13/16s
IDXSys n 15 7/16s
IMC Mt 7/32
IMRglobal 15 5/16s +¾s
INSO 7¼ +¾s
1 27f IPCHold 19⅞s -1/16s
ISS Grp 80¼ -3
ITC Dlta 20 +¼
ITI Tech 31 15/16s +1/16s
IXC Com 47⅜s +1⅜s
IbisTech 19⅝s +1 1/4s
ImagEn 6¼ +1/16s
ImaginOn 4⅝s -⅜s
Imatrn 1⅛s -5/32s
Imcine 15⅛s +⅜s
ImunRsp 9⅜s +⅛s
Imunex s 91¾s +3 1/4s
ImpCrdt 8 13/16s -1/8s
InFocus 9½s+1 1/16s
Incyte 21⅛s -⅜s
12 IndpCmty 13 15/16s +1 1/16s
IndigoNV 5⅜s +5/32s
IndivInv 4⅞s+1 1/16s
IndusMate 17s -5/32s
Infinium 4⅛s +⅛s
InfoAdv 6⅜s +1/8s
Informx 8 11/32s +7/32s
Infoseek 81 7/16s+2 5/16s
InfoSpce n 87½ -⅜s
InhalTh 25⅜s +13/16s
Inktomi s 82⅜s +2⅞s
.16f **Innovex 13½ +¾s**
Inprise 3⅝s +3/32s
Insight s 20 9/16s +3/16s
InsitTc u16 7/8s+1 1/16s
Inspire s 18 5/16s +13/16s
Intasys 4¼s +5/32s
IntgDv 6⅛s -1/16s
.24f **Intel 121 7/8s +4** 3/4s
Intelect 11½s -3/32s
Intelligrp 7⅜s +5/16s
InterTel 15½ +1
InterVu 45¼ +¾s
Intgph 7 7/32s+2 3/32s
Interiors 2¼
IntrmdCm s 27⅛s -9/16s
IntlNtwk 66 5/32
+1 15/32 IntlTDS 11⅛s +⅝s
IntntAm n 28½ -1/16s
Intvoice s 11⅜s -9/16s
Intrawre n 35¾s +¼
Intuit u104 9/16s
+8 15/16s Invacare 23⅝s +1/8s
Invstrogn n 12 3/16s +3/16s
IridmWr 19 15/16s -
1 11/16s Irvine 1 9/16s +1/32s
Isolyser 2½s -5/16s
iVillage n u10 45/64s+2 5/16s

J-K-L

JD Edwr 14¼
JB Oxfrd 8 3/32s+2 5/32s
JDASoft s 8 +¼s
JMC Gp h 1⅜s +1/16s
JacorCm u76 1/4s+2 3/4s
Jmar 2 9/32s +1/32s
12 JonesPhm 34⅜s +1 1/8s
40 JunoLt 22¾s +2¼s
JstFeet 13⅜s +1 1/4s
06 K Swiss s 27⅜s +⅜s
KGMens 10 1/32s +⅞s
KLA Tenc 51⅛s +1⅝s
KTI 13¾s +1¼s
KeilOG ½ -1/32s
Keistrm n 12 13/16s -⅜s
Kemet 11½
1 16f KeystnFn 33¼ -1
KnghtTrn u65 1/8s+8¼s
Komag 5 5/16s
Kulcke 26
+2 11/16s KushLk u14 13/16s+1 1/16s
LCA Vis 3½ +1/32s
LTX 5 9/32s +⅜s
LamRsch 31 7/16s+2 7/16s
LamarAdv 36 1/16s -⅞s
LattMdA 4⅞ +1/16s
MultiZns 10⅝s +⅛s
MustgSoft u5 +3/16s
Mylex 5⅝s -⅜s
NABI 3½s -15/32s
NBTY s 5¼ +1/32s
NCS Hlt 10 +⅜s
NPC Intl 16 5/16s -⅛s
NTL Inc 81 7/16s+1 3/16s
NaProBio 2½ +⅛s
NtlCptr 26½s -⅝s
Nautica 11 9/16s -1/16s
Navarre 11 5/16s -7/16s
Navidec 11 13/16s -
1 13/16s NeoMgic 10⅛s -1/16s
NeoMdia 4 29/32s +7/16s
NeonSys n 45 +4⅛
NeoPath 4⅜s +1⅛s
NetBank u70 +4½
Netegrity 10⅝s -11/16s
NetGrav n 32⅛s +4¼s
Netmng 2½s -1/32s
Netplex 3⅜s +3/16s
NetwkAp s 52 7/8s +1¾s
NetwkAs s 32 +15/16s
NetwkE 12 -½
NetwSol s 104½ -2
Neurgn 11 +⅛s
NewEra s 62½ +4¼s
NewFrnt 4 15/16s
NextelCm 38 +⅛s
Nextlink u62 1/4s+4 7/8s
Nissan 7 9/16s -1/16s
Nordstr s 40 1/8s+2 7/16s
NrthFce 13 7/16s -5/16s
NorTrst 90 3/8s+1 5/16s
NwstAri 26 11/16s +1⅛s
Novell 25 9/16s +3/16s
Novlus 58 1/4s+2 5/8s
ORellyA 40 3/4s+3 1/16s
ObjDes 5¼
OfflsLog 11 +¼s
OmegaRs 10 5/16s -⅜s
Omnipoint 12 3/16s -⅛s
OneMain n d33 +1
OnHealth 15⅛s +¼s
Onsale 34 1/16s-1 5/16s
OnyxSft n 30⅞s +1 3/4s
OpenMkt 14⅛s +⅛s
OpenTxt g 26 1/16s +2
... **Optika 3**⅞s ...
... **OptnCr 2**⅛s ...
Oracle s 28½ +1
OrckitCm 18+1 3/16s
OryxTc 1 13/16s +1/16s
Oscom s 24⅜s +1 3/4s
OutbkStk s 31 7/16s -⅝s
OxfordHlt 16 11/16s -1/2s

P-Q-R

P-Com 7 25/32s +9/32s
PC Connct 13 1/16s-1 9/16s
36 PMA Cap 20 +1/16s
PMC Srra 70¼ +1/2
PRI Auto 25 9/32s+1 1/32s
PSINet 43 11/16s+5 3/16s
PSS Wrld 8 31/32s -1/32s
80f Paccar 41 15/16s+4 5/16s
PacTec 1⅛s
14e PacGate n 35 +2⅛s
Pcintnet n 45⅝s+1 3/16s
PacSun s 30 7/16s -11/16s
PacifCB 66 9/16s-2 1/16s
Packlce n 6⅛s -1/8s
PagingN 4 3/16s
PairgTch 9⅜s +9/16s
... **PalEx 8**⅝s **+**¼s
PalmrMd d 9/32s -1/32s
PanAmSat 40 5/16s
+1 5/16s PapJohn 43 11/16s -5/16s
... **ParPet 1**⅜s **+** 1/32s
ParmTc 20½s+11/16s
Parexel 21⅜s -⅞s
PartyCity 4 13/32s +9/32s
PathoG 12½s +1½s
... **PattEng 6+** ⅝s
36 Paychex s 48 5/16s+1 5/16s
Peakint n d23⅜s -5/16s
Peapod 10 15/16s
PegaCm 26⅝s +1⅞s
Pegasys 6 7/16s +1⅜s
PenInter n 1 1/32s +3/32s
... **PenskeM 36** 1/4s **+**⅝s
46f PeopHrt s 18¼
PeoplesoftI 16 3/16s +3⅜s
Perclose 34⅛s -7
Peregrne s 29 -1
Perfum 2 15/16s -9/32s
Perphn 6 1/2 +1/16s
Perrigo 7⅞s
20 PtHelnv 13 11/16s +⅜s
PetsMart 9 1/16s -⅜s
PharM 5 1/16s +1/16s
PhrmMkt u14 7/8s +⅜s
PharmPdt 31 3/4s+1 5/16s
Pharmos 1 1/32s -5/32s
PhnixTc 8 9/16s +⅜s
Photon u6 3/8s +5/32s
PhyCor 4¾s -1/4
... **PhysReli 7**⅛s **-**⅝s
PicTel 6 1/16s -1/16s
PilotNet n 15 1/2s+1 9/16s
PncleHld n 14 1/16s +1/16s
PlatEnt n 6 1/8s +5/16s
PlatSoft 7⅝s -1/4
PlatTc 24 1/16s
... PointWest 9 1/16s -5/16s
PtofSale n u9⅞s +1 1/4s
Polycom 14 1/2s -⅜s
Polymed 8¼s -11/32s
PoolEn 16⅞s +¾s
56 Popular s 31 29/32s -2 3/32s
Possis 10⅝s +⅝s
Powrlntag 30¾s +⅝s
Powrwv 26⅞s +1
PrefEmp n 9 11/16s +1/16s
PremT 10 15/16s+1 5/16s
Primsy 9⅛s -1/8s
PrCigar 25/32
PrevTrvl 17⅜s -1/8s
40 PriceTR s 34 9/16s +1
... **PrmEgy 5** ...
PrinceVid 5 1/2 +5/16s
Prodigy n 37 3/16s -1/16s
PrdEnt wt 15/32s -1/16s
PrdEnt 2 13/32s -1/32s
ProfRec 35⅞s +1 1/2s
ProtDg 16 5/16s +2⅞s
ProvAmr n 12⅞s +1⅜s
ProvHlth 17 1/4s+1 1/16s
Proxim 29 1/2s -7/16s
Proxymd 13 1/2s +⅝s
PumaT n 4¼s -1/2s
Qlogic s 63¾s +3 1/8s
Quadrmd 9⅛s +1/8s
1 13t Qualcom 114 15/16s +3⅜s
Quantum 19⅛s+1 9/16s
Quintiles 38¾s -1/16s
QuormH 9 3/4s +⅜s
QwestCm 74 13/16s+3 7/16s
RCN Cp u38⅛s +⅜s
RF McD 89⅛s +5/8s
RSL Cm 38⅞s +1¼s
RadiSys 30⅝s +¾s
RaintCafe 5 -1/16s
Rambus 63¼s -1⅜s
Ramtron 2½s -1/32s
RatnSft 29½
+2 5/16s ReadRt 6 7/16s +1/16s
RlNetwr 127 +7
1 00f RegionsFn 35 1/16s+ ⅜s
Regis Cp s 27⅛s +1⅝s
Remec 19⅝s -⅛s
Remedy 14½ +⅜s
RenaisW 5 15/16s +1 1/16s
RenalCre s 19⅜s +⅝s
Rntrak 27⅛ -⅛s
24 RepSec 8 3/32 -9/32s
RschMot n 9 15/16s +5 1/16s
ResMed s 29½ +2 1/16s
Respirn 13¼ +1/4
1 50e ReutrGrp 84⅞ +5 1/16s
RexisNum 18 13/16s -⅝s
Riblm 1⅝ +1/16s
RobotVs 2⅜ -1/16s
08 RockFn n 16⅝ +⅜s
Romac 8⅝ -1/16s
46f RoslynB 17 3/32s -15/32s
26f RossStrs 43½+1 9/16s
RoweCm n 33⅜s+2 7/16s
Ryanair n 40⅞s -1/8s

S-T-U

S3 Inc 7 9/16s -1/16s
SBS Bdc 30⅝s -1/4
SDL Inc u82 1/4s+6 3/8s
SED Intl 2⅞s +1/16s
SFX Ent n 61 +1⅛s
SPR Inc 4 9/32s +1/4
Sabratek 15⅞s -⅜s
1 40 Safeco 40⅝s -1/8s
Safeskin d7 5/8s -9/32s
.20 **SandFm 12** 15/16s **+** 3/8s
Sangstat 14⅜s -1/8s
Sanmina s 60 7/8s+1 7/16s
Sapiens n 10 7/8s +3/16s
... **Sapient 64 +7** 3/4s
Saville 12⅝s +1/8s
Sawtek u33 1/8s +3
Scitex 9⅝s +1/4
SeacstFn n 10 9/32s +1/32s
SecComp n 10 7/8s-1 1/16s
SeqIntl 2 13/16s +1/16s
Sequent 9 -5/16s
SerenaSft n 13 1/4s +1/2
7th Level 6 13/32s -1/8s
ShopHm n 11¼s -1/2s
SiebelSys 49 +1 1/4s
1 6f SiebrtFn s 27⅞s +4⅝s
SigmDg 6½ -9/16s
.29 **SigmAl 30**⅝s
+1 1/16s SilicnVl 11⅝s +1
SimsCm h 1⅜s +1/32s
Sinclair s 13⅜s +3/4s
SipexCp 13⅞s -1 1/8s
SkyTel 17⅞s -1/2s
SmrtMod 14 1/2s +⅜s
SmurfStne 19½s +1 1/4s
Softwrks n 10⅜s+1 5/16s
SouthIdCp 16 3/8s +1/4s
88f Southtrst 37½s +1/4s
10f SovBcp 12 11/16s -1/16s
Spectran 12¼s +2 1/16s
SpdFam n 12 -¼s
... **SpeedUs 3**¼s **+** 3/32s
SportsLn 45½s -1⅞s
Spygiss 9¼
StaffMark 8⅛s +1/16s
Staples s 33 5/16s +⅝s
StarTele 10⅛s -1/4s
Starbase 1 27/32s -9/32s
Starbcks s 29⅜s +1
SteinMrt s 10 ...
StrlVis n 3¼s -7/32s
08 StewEnt s 14⅜s +1/16s
StoltCmx s 10 +1/16s
StrucD 19⅜s +⅜s
SUGEN 18 7/8s +⅝s
SumtDag d3¼s -⅜s
SumitTc 9⅛s -1/16s
SunMic u124½ +8
Sunglss 10 7/16s +⅜s
SunrAssist 44 +1⅜s
SuperGn n 11¼s +⅜s
SupConsl 34 +3⅝s
SupEnrgy 3⅛s -1/16s
SupServ 19⅜s -1/16s
SwftTrn 26 31/32s+ ⅝s
Sybase 8⅛s
+1 15/32 SykesEn 31 +2
... **SylvnLrn s 29 +**½
Symntc 17+1 3/16s
SynergyB 3 31/32s +1/32s
Synetic 81 +3⅛
Synopsy 53⅜s +3½
10 SystSft 2 15/32s +1/32s
SystCpt s 9⅞s +3/16s
TMyA Tch 5 1/32s -15/32s
32 TCAs 47⅝s+2 3/16s
TSAt An 2½s +1/16s
THQ s 20⅛s +⅞s
TLC LsC u30 3/4s+2 1/16s
TMP Wr 66 +17⅜
TSI Intl 49½ +2⅝s
TTI Tm 8⅜s +½
TV Guide s 30 17/32s
+1 5/32s TVG Tch u1¼ +1/4s
TrDrpGf 4¾s+1 1/16s
TechData 19½s +2⅝s
Techclone 15/16s -1/16s
TechSol s 6⅝s
Tekelec 7 7/16s -1/4
TelSv com 10⅛s -1/4
TeleSpec 8¾s +1/4
TeleBnc nu83 7/16s+14 7/8s
07e TeleMax 3¼ +1/8s
Telescan 18-1 9/16s
Teligent 39 7/8s +4 3/8s
Tellabs u100 1/4s +27⅝s
01 Telxon 10 5/16s-1 9/16s
Terayon n 37¼s +1 1/4s
TetraTc s 20¾s +⅛s
30e Teva 48½ +1⅜s
theglobe n 53½ +3 1/16s
ThinkNw 14⅞s -1/2s
3Com 24 +⅜s
3DO Co 5⅝s -1/32s
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VisiNet 38⅞ +1/4
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MUTUAL FUNDS

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AAL Mutual A:			
Bond	9.93	-.03	+0.9
CaGr	35.50	+.69	+5.9
MidCSt	13.53	+.18	+3.0
MuBd	11.48	-.02	+0.3
AARP Invst:			
BalSt&B x	19.91	+.02	+2.5
CaGr n	60.93	+1.19	+5.4
GnlnM n	15.04	-.03	+0.5
GlblGr n	18.91	+.16	+5.2
Gthlnc x	49.94	+.47	+3.6
HQSTBd n	16.07	-.02	+0.8
TxFBd n	18.56	-.02	0.0
AIM Funds A:			
Agrsv p	44.33	+1.01	+2.1
BalA p	28.84	+.33	+4.8
BlChipA p	44.26	+.93	+8.5
CapDvA p	13.55	+.27	+0.7
ChartA p	16.20	+.37	+8.0
ConstA p	29.86	+.64	+4.6
GlAgGA p	16.84	+.24	+2.2
GlGrInA p	18.07	+.04	+0.6
HYldA p	8.76	+.02	+1.4
IntlEqA p	17.61	+.12	+1.7
SlGrthA p	19.57	+.50	+8.5
ValuBA p	43.08	+.70	+6.3
WeingA p	25.91	+.58	+7.0
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AdvFlxC t	19.87	+.18	+1.7
AIM Global Theme:			
HlthCrA p	25.34	+.49	+8.1
TelecmA p	21.57	+.46	+8.3
TelecmB t	20.81	+.45	+8.2
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg n	9.92	+0.5	
ARCH Funds Tr:			
NtlMuBd n	10.07	-.02	+0.2
ARK Funds:			
ValEq n	14.86	+.24	+4.0
Acorn Funds:			
AcornF n	16.20	+.17	+1.2
Intl n	20.86	+.08	+1.7
Aetna CI I:			
GrwIncI	15.85	+.29	+2.9
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GrwthB t	14.72	+.36	+8.6
SmCap t	9.85	+.18	+6.3
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CTGr&Inc	26.76	+.47	+8.3
M&CGroN	32.62	+.78	+7.8
Alliance Advisor CI:			
GwthAdv	52.89	+.92	NA
Alliance Cap A:			
Aluap	6.30	+.08	+8.1
BondAp	12.85	-.04	+1.5
GovtAp	7.40	-.01	+0.8
GrIncAp	3.63	+.07	+7.4
GthFp	52.47	+.91	+3.5
MtgAp	8.46	-.01	+0.9
MMSAr	6.53		+1.1
MCAAp	11.27	-.01	+0.5
NMuAp	10.96	-.01	+0.6
NAGvAp	7.56	-.01	+4.0
PGthAp	33.48	+.75	+8.2
QusarAp	22.96	+.38	0.0

West Texas Sports

Booster Clubs...

The Midland Lee Softball Booster Club meets the first Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. at the Lee High cafeteria...

The **Midland Lee Soccer Booster Club** will meet April 12 and May 3 at 7 p.m. in the school library. For information call Debbie Butts at 520-0248...

The **Midland Lee Golf Booster Club** will meet on the second Tuesday of every month during the regular school year. Meetings will take place at 7 p.m. in the Lee Library. For more information, call Dan Pender at 689-0305...

The **Midland Lee Baseball Booster Club** will meet at 7 p.m. each Thursday at the Lee library...

Baseball...

If you are interested in coaching a 13-18 year old team in the **Midland Junior Baseball Association**, applications are available at Stadium Sports on 2040 W. Cuthbert. Applications are being accepted for both Little League and AABC. For information, call Ronnie Lynch at 699-1405...

Golf...

McCamey Country Club will host the following tournaments; April 24, 4-lady select shot, $40; May 15-16, Charlie Shepard Memorial 2-man lowball, $140 per team. Call 652-8904 for more information...

Hogan Park is holding a golf and merchandise show April 12 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. with factory representiatives on hand to display new products. Companies include Callaway, Ping, Taylormade, Cobra, Titleist, Wilson, Orlimar, Cleveland, Macgregor, Carbite and Bolle. There will also be a **ladies clinic** April 6-8 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. each day. It includes four hours of instruction on the putting green and two hours on the course. Cost of the clinic is $60. For more information on these events, call 685-7360...

Nevada Bob's Professional Golf will conduct a Demo Day on April 10 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Tee-Off Practice Range, located at 5206 Princeton. For more details, call Nevada Bob's at 686-7367 or Tee-Off at 699-4899...

West Texas Longhorn Club will hold a golf tournament and dinner on April 20 at Green Tree Country Club. Coaches Mack Brown and Rick Barnes will participate. Cost is $125 in advance ($150 at the door), includes lunch, cart, range balls, giveaways and dinner with the UT athletic staff. Dinner only is $20 ($30 at the door). For reservations call Chris Renaud at 685-3116 or Greg Mitchell at 682-7900...

The **Iraan Golf Club** is holding a 4-Man Select Shot tournament April 3-4. The cost is $320 per team for the first 36 paid teams. For more information, call Paula Miller at (915) 639-2295...

Softball...

Men's and Women's divisions are offered in the **17th annual Permian Basin ASA Umpires Association Slowpitch Softball Tournament** on April 10-11 at the Bill Williams Complex in Hogan Park. There are two divisions for men, a Class A round robin and a Class C double elimination with a consolation bracket. The women's division will be determined by the number of entries. Entry fee is $110 per team and entry deadline is 5 p.m., April 7. Call Al Enriquez at 684-8481 or Bonita Clark at 683-8741 for more information...

The 17th annual **Permian Basin ASA Softball Umpires Association** Slowpitch Softball Tournament is April 10-11 at the Bill Williams Softball Complex. There is a Class A round robin, single elimination on Sunday and a Class C double elimination with the consolation bracket. Two Divisions of play with Men's Class A (6 home runs) and Men's Class C (1 home run). Entry fee is $110 per team and entry deadline is 5 p.m. on April 7. Call Al Enriquez at 684-8481 or Bonita Clark, 683-8741, for information...

Registration for the **YMCA's Youth Softball League** begins April 13. The league is for boys and girls in grades K-6. The entry fee is $25 for YMCA members and $38 for non-members. For more information, call 682-2551...

Entries are being accepted for the **ASA girls fast pitch 18 and under tournament** April 23-25 at Hines Park in Duncan, Okla. Entry fee for the tournament is $185 and limited to 16 teams. All teams must be ASA sanctioned. For information, call (580) 255-4800 or 255-1967...

Tennis...

Clinics for ladies are being held at the Kimber-Lea Swim and Tennis Club. Beginners clinics are Tuesdays at 11 a.m., intermediate clinics Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and beginner-intermediate clinics Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. For more information, call Luis Valdez at 689-2237 or 683-5360...

The **Club at Mission Dorado** is offering junior clinics for beginner, intermediate and advanced levels Tuesdays and Thursdays. Beginner and intermediate clinics run from 4:30-5:30 p.m. while advanced clinics run from 5:30-6:30 p.m. For more information, call Toby Curtis at (915) 563-4707...

USTA Leagues are now forming for adult men and women. League play begins in April. Call league coordinator Juanell Fort, 686-0277, for more information...

The **Midland Tennis Club** will hold the following tournaments at the Midland College Tennis Center: April 24-25 Mixed Doubles; May 1-2 Men's and Women's Singles; May 15-16 Mixed Doubles; May 22-23 Men's and Women's Singles. Club Levels are Open, A-1, A-2, B-1, B-2, C and Senior (50 and over). Non-members can play in any tournament with a $10 entry fee...

Invitations are being sent out this month for the **Second Samaritan Spring Swing**, an open tournament featuring men's and women's doubles. The tournament is scheduled for the Racquet Club and the Midland Country Club April 17. Entry is $50 and includes lunch and a happy hour reception. All proceeds benefit Samaritan Counseling Center. For an invitation, call 563-4144...

A **Tennis Rating Clinic** will be held April 1 from 6:45 to 9 p.m. at Odessa Country Club. Cost is $5 and anyone interested in playing USTA team tennis in the spring should attend. Everyone will play singles or doubles for two verifiers. The league coordinator will attempt to locate a team for everyone who attends. League play is one or two weekday evenings from April through June for players 19 and over. For information, call Lance or Kathy Armstrong at 687-4046...

The **Tennis Association of Midland** (TAM) has postponed its first circuit tournament set for March 27-28 to April 1-2. Entry deadline is today at 6 p.m. To enter call Armstrong Racquet Shop for information...

Basketball...

El Paso's largest basketball tournament, the **Southwest Shootout,** will be held April 9-11. The tournament is for divisions 10-18 & under boys and Girls 12-16 & under girls. Entry fee is $100. For information call Bobby Rivera at 1-915-857-7700 or 1-915-852-2600...

The **Crane County Chamber of Commerce** is holding its first 3-on-3 basketball tournament April 10 at Crane High School. Deadline for entry is April 2 with a $60 entry fee per team. There will be an open division for both adult men and women and high school and junior high divisions for both boys and girls. For more information, call (915) 558-2311...

West Texas Breakers, a girls basketball program for ages 12 through high school, is seeking girls who would like to partcipate in competitive basketball. Call Mickey Long at 697-1030 for more information...

The Boys and Girls Club of Midland is having a basketball tournament for boys grades 5-6, running from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the Taylor Park Gym, located at 1321 S. Goode. Teams from Carlsbad, Lamesa, Odessa, Hobbs and Midland will be competing. For more information, call David Jones at 683-0050...

The **Big Spring varsity boys basketball team** is looking for an opponent for Dec. 17 either home or away. For more information, please call Jimmy Avery at (915) 264-0403...

Miscellaneous...

The **Midland Wrestling Club** offers adult, high school, Olympic and freestyle wrestling. Call 685-0531 for information...

Gymnastics classes are being offered at the Mabee Aquatic Center. Parent-tot, grade school and tumbling classes are available. There will also be an advanced team class by tryout only. The staff is certified by USA Gymnastics. For more information, call Megan Rodriguez at 684-7755...

The **Alamo YMCA Gymnastics Program** is offering classes for all age groups from toddlers to age 17. Parent-tot, beginners, advanced beginners, pre-teens and competitive teams are all offered. For more information, contact Stephanie Barr at 694-2528...

The Alamo YMCA is offering **Martial Arts Classes**. Tae Kwon Do Classes are offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:10-9:10 p.m. and Aikido Classes are Wednesdays from 8:10-9:10 p.m. and Saturday from 11-12 p.m.. Call 694-2528 for more information...

Citizens for Midland Skaters is a local group dedicated to raising funds for the establishment of a city park for skateboarding and in-line skating , If you would like to contribute to this project, please send your donation to Permian Basin Area Foundation/Skate Park Project, P.O. Box 10424, Midland, Texas, 79702. Donations are tax deductible. If you have questions, please call Pam Sledge at 685-3227...

The Permian Basin Adult Chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes is holding a fundraiser luncheon April 14 at The Club at Mission Dorado featuring Florida State football coach Bobby Bowden. Individual tickets may be purchased from the chapter for $35 apiece. Business tickets can be purchased at $1,000 for a table of 10, $600 for a table of eight and $300 for a table of six. For information, call Jim Cooke at 685-0873 or John Stanley at 689-8804...

Swimming...

Pre-competitive swimming is being offered at the Mabee Aquatic Center. The program will teach elementary age swimmers techniques of competitive swimming while improving their strokes. It is open to swimmers who can swim at least 25 yards of freestyle and backstroke. The cost is $40 per month on a year-round basis. For more information, call 684-7755...

COM Aquatics is holding water aerobics classes Monday through Saturday at Mabee Aquatic Center. Classes are at 6:15 a.m., 7:15 a.m., and 5:30 p.m. All classes are open to the public and swimming skills are not necessary. Deep and shallow water classes are offered. For information, call Beth Santilli at 684-7755...

The **Alamo YMCA Aquatics Program** is offering swimming lessons for all ages. Children are placed in classes according to age and ability. The Skip class, for children three months to three years is a parent participation class while the Pers classes are for children 3-5 and Progressive classes are for children 6 and up. Lessons are also offered for adults. Safety is taught in conjunction with the classes. Group and private lessons are available. For more information, call 694-2528...

The Alamo YMCA is offering **water aerobics**. Swimming ability is not necessary to participate. For more information, call 694-2528...

COM Aquatics - **Learn to Swim** year round lessons for both children (3 years of age or older) and adults wishing to learn to swim or improve technique. Private or group lessons (limit four students per instructor) are available. Children are grouped by age and ability. A session normally consists of eight 30-minute lessons. Please call 684-7755 for more details...

The **COM Masters Swim Team** is open to anyone 20-over. There are two Masters swim team workouts. You can choose from Mon.-Wed.-Fri or Tue.-Thurs.-Sat. at 6-7 a.m. at the COM pool. Call 684-7755 for more information...

COM Diving offers a full range of diving instruction from beginning lessons to elite team training and competition. All ages and ability levels are invited to participate. Diving lessons are offered Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30 to 4:55 p.m. and from 5 to 5:25 p.m. For information, call 684-7755...

Duke wasn't prepared for hungrier Huskies

By Alan Robinson
AP Sports Writer

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — UConn? UCan.

The UConn Huskies are a blue-collar team that supposedly didn't have a chance against a blue-chip Duke team that felt so confident it didn't even practice the day before the biggest game of the year.

But it turned out to be a Blue Monday for Duke, thanks to an unruffled Connecticut team that didn't leave its A-game on the beach where its opponents supposedly partied Saturday night. And a bench that was presumably far inferior to the Blue Devils'.

With coach Jim Calhoun yoyoing players in and out of the game as if they were on an invisible string, the Huskies outworked, outplayed and outhustled — outcoached, too — a team that was being fitted for its championship rings weeks ago.

Final score: Connecticut 77, Duke 74.

"The kids truly believed this was possible, even when the folks around us — and I was leading the parade — were saying how good Duke was," Calhoun said.

Sure, the stars came out for the Huskies, as Richard Hamilton scored 27 points, Ricky Moore transformed from defensive stopper to offensive sparkplug with 13 first-half points and Khalid El-Amin ran an offense that never wasted a single possession.

"I wanted to shock the world," Moore said.

The world is suitably shocked.

But the Huskies are national champions in great part because their bench players weren't content to play minor roles, outscoring a Duke bench loaded with four McDonald's All-Americans 17-8. The Huskies also outrebounded Duke 41-31, with Player of the Year Elton Brand getting 13 — as many as he had in the first half Saturday against Michigan State.

"We had a team that wanted to be the best, and to do that we had to beat the best," Calhoun said. "We knew it was possible because we hadn't played our best game yet."

Jake Voskuhl, the 6-foot-11 center whose coifed hair never ruffled even amid a frantic Duke second half comeback, banged and clanged all night with Brand, who worked overly hard for each of his 15 points and managed to get off only eight shots. To keep the foul-prone Voskuhl in the game, Calhoun began substituting three minutes into the game, running players in and out so quickly that some of the Huskies' best fast breaks came in front of the scorer's table.

Edmund Saunders, more of a tight end than a power forward, came in to contribute valuable minutes and a physical presence that threw Brand off his game, and Souleymane Wane spelled Voskuhl with key minutes and four very-important points.

Maybe the Blue Devils left their game on the beach where many of the Blue Devils were seen reveling at 3 a.m. Sunday after the semifinals, only nine hours before a practice that was never held because coach Mike Krzyzewski felt they already were ready. They weren't ready for this.

"They haven't been challenged in close games all year, but we win in close games," Kevin Freeman said. "We wanted to prove we are the best team in the country and we did."

Duke, the team that usually intimidates, finally ran into an opponent that didn't back down. Wane once stared down Brand as the two ran down the court, and Voskuhl seemed to get into Brand's mind — and, once, into his shirt, nearly tugging him to the ground while nearly tearing off his jersey as he protectively guarded the baseline.

"It was great team defense," Voskuhl said. "We got help from everyone and everywhere."

And the so-called Duke Invitation turned out to be the UConn Vindication. The Huskies had never before reached the Final Four in 20 previous trips to the NCAA tournament.

BOYS: Lee maintains third

(From 1C)

Region I-5A tournament. Right now, San Angelo Central, which stands at 642 for the tournament, holds that second spot. The Bobcats, who began the round in fourth place, shot a 304 to hop over Odessa High and Lee, which came into the round in second and third respectively.

The Rebels stayed in third after a 307 moved the team total to 644. It was a day that Lee coach Bobby Dunn will take.

"We started the day two shots out of second and are still two shots out of second," Dunn said. "I feel good considering that our No. 1 player doesn't count his score (the low score of the five team members is dropped). That doesn't happen very often."

What did happen was that Omar Sanchez fired a 72 and Daniel Pender and freshman Tommy Fioretti both carded 77.

"The freshman (Fioretti) I moved up to the first team shoots a 77. That is a bright spot," Dunn said. "Omar Sanchez shooting a 72 is a bright spot. He is starting to play like everybody knows he is capable of playing. Of the 12 players we have playing, the high score is 85."

Midland High moved into fourth place after the third best round of the day behind Permian and Central. The Bulldogs put a 305 on board early in the day to move to 646 overall, just four shots behind Central.

"It is really tight now," MHS coach Jack Ratcliff said. "We are competitive for the second spot. Permian has sewed up No. 1, which we all expected."

MHS, which played in an early group, came in with some low scores. At the time, Ratcliff said that things are very good when you have to drop an 81.

What he counted was a pair of 74s from Matt Gerhard and Micah Malouf and a 77 from Blake Braun.

"Our kids came back and competed well today," Ratcliff said. "We felt like we had to play well in our hometown. They did a super job of coming back."

Odessa High is in fifth at 649 and Abilene Cooper is sixth at 650.

In the medalist race, Permian senior Austin Burk carded a 69 to take a one-stroke lead over teammate Phil George and a two-shot lead over Central's Chris Andros, who had the low round of the day, a 68. Odessa High's Jamie Luna and Permian's Chad Hanchey are tied for fourth at 154.

One thing was for certain. Ranchland Hills played easier than Abilene's Fairway Oaks did last week. Only one golfer posted a higher score in round 2 — Lee's Chance Finley.

"I was pleased with the way Ranchland Hills had the course set up," Dunn said. "They had the tee boxes back which made a premium of hitting the ball but they didn't have tricky pin placements. At Fairway Oaks, they had it back as far as it could go and pin placements that you would want the pros to play. It was impossible. There is not anything wrong with letting the kids play good."

"Today I saw the kids coming off the course with smiles and heads held high," Ratcliff said. "That is the way it should be."

Results from the second round of the District 4-5A Boys Golf Tournament. Monday's round was played at Ranchland Hills Country Club

Team Standings: 1. Odessa Permian 291-612; 2. San Angelo Central 304-642; 3. Midland Lee 307-644; 4. Midland High 305-646; 5. Odessa High 314-649; 6. Abilene Cooper 307-650; 7. Odessa Permian II 320-667; 8. Midland Lee II 321-676; 9. San Angelo Central II 322-690; 10. Abilene High 321-692; 11. Midland High II 341-704; 12. Abilene High II 328-710; 13. Abilene Cooper II 338-711; 14. Odessa High II 353-751

Medalist Standings: 1. Austin Burk, Permian, 69-149; 2. Phil George, Permian, 74-150; 3. Chris Andros, Central, 68-151; 4. (tie) Jamie Luna, OHS, 73-154; Chad Hanchey, Permian, 72-154; 6. Omar Sanchez, Lee, 72-155; 7. (tie) Micah Malouf, MHS, 74-156; Michael Watson, Cooper, 72-156; 9. Brian Murray, Permian II, 77-161; 10. Matt Gerhard, MHS 74-162.

Team By Team Scores

Odessa Permian (321-291—612): Austin Burk 69-149; Blake Doran 76-164; Jarryd Foreman 82-165; Chad Hanchey 72-154; Phil George 74-150.

San Angelo Central (338-304—642): Chris Andros 68-151; J.C. Ramirez 77-166; Jason Chesser 80-163; Zach Drennan 79-164; Orlando Juarez 82-169.

Midland Lee (337-307—644): Chance Finley 83-163; Omar Sanchez 72-155; Daniel Pender 77-164; Dillion King 81-168; Tommy Fioretti 77-163.

Midland High (341-305—646): Matt Gerhard 74-162; Jason Lindgren 81-164; Zack Cauthen 80-168; Blake Braun 77-169; Micah Malouf 74-156.

Odessa High (335-314—649): Kyle Davis 83-169; Jamie Luna 73-154; Josh McCann 77-166; Rick Leach 82-166; Eric Hudson 82-166.

Abilene Cooper (343-307—650): Clint Wellhausen 77-164; Matthew Smith 80-164; Michael Watson 72-156; Duane Scott 78-166; Lee Hughes 89.

Odessa Permian II (347-320—667): Brian Murray 77-161; Joey Carrasco 82-167; Bryan Milson 80-171; Jeff Hogan 81-163; Willy Justis 84-173.

Midland Lee II (355-321—676): Thomas Freeman 79-167; Daniel Blair 78-168; Justin Smith 85-175; Chad Wheeler 83; Chris Washburn 81.

San Angelo Central II (368-322—690): Kyle Kulig 79-176; Ryan Alpert 79-169; Josh Tanner 88; Blake Carpenter 89-81—170; Chad Spruell 83-175.

Abilene High (371-321—692): Logan Gage 83-174; Marcus Moncibais 82-173; Austin Miller 81; Adam Calderon 89-182; Christopher Gage 76-171.

Midland High II (363-341—704): Justin Scott 86—181; Conner Ewing 89-187; C.W. Porter 85-170; Alan McGuire 83-172; Coley Gevecker 87-181.

Abilene High II (382-328—710): Chris Perkins 80-174; Allen House 79-183; Kyle Moore 84-179; Isaiah Martinez 91; Todd Veach 85

Abilene Cooper II (373-338—711): Chad Keese 80-172; Jay Sharrow 88-181; Bryan Jones 90-189; Andrew Wallace 89-183; Drew Varner 81-175.

Odessa High II (398-353—751): Justin Eckel 86-182; Houston Bright 88-183; Ben Browning 92-184; Ryan Abila 92-199; Boone Cowan 87.

Staying got a title for UConn star Hamilton

By Hal Bock
AP Sports Writer

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Last spring, Richard Hamilton thought seriously about leaving Connecticut for the NBA.

He had all the credentials including a couple of Big East championships and the conference's Player of the Year award. So he talked it over with coach Jim Calhoun and together they decided there was one more piece of business for him to complete.

"We won the Big East but never the national championship," he said. "I thought about that. I didn't want to end my season on a loss. The only thing I could do about it was come back and play."

On Monday night, he made sure to finish with a win, pouring in 27 points as the Huskies beat Duke 77-74 for the national championship he wanted so much. Calhoun was suitably grateful.

"The first thing is, he's a great basketball player," he said. "Great scorers score so many different ways and can beat you so many different ways. He has a tremendous mind for the game."

Hamilton was heroic in the victory. Every time UConn needed a basket, he seemed there for it. He slashed to the basket, he nailed shots from outside and he took the game over in the second half.

For him, though, it was routine.

"It's been the same thing that's been going on all year," he said. "My teammates set screens. I got open opportunities and I took advantage of them."

There was one sequence near the end that showed just how much he means to Calhoun's program.

With the score tied at 68 and 3:50 left to play, he took a shot to the midsection from Duke's Chris Carrawell. Hamilton was doubled over for a moment, trying to catch his breath. Finally, he stepped to the foul line and nailed the free throws for a lead the Huskies would never again surrender.

Then, just for emphasis, the next time down the floor, he drained a 3-pointer, extending UConn's lead to five points.

For the game, he finished with 10-of-22 from the floor with seven rebounds and three assists. He was not intimidated by Duke.

"Once the ball was thrown up, we attacked them like we do any other team," he said.

Hamilton was the heart of the UConn season, averaging 19.7 points and becoming the second highest scorer in school history when he went over the 2,000-point mark in Saturday's semifinal victory against Ohio State. He was an All-American and co-Player of the Year in the Big East Conference, joining Patrick Ewing and Chris Mullin as the only two-time winners of that award.

And when he wasn't around, UConn missed him.

The Huskies won their first 20 games this season but when he and Jake Voshkul were hurt and missed a Feb. 1 game against Syracuse, the Huskies lost. It was no coincidence and something Calhoun said he thought about when he talked about the NBA with Hamilton last spring.

"He's had two major injuries," Calhoun said. "I would never want to have him in a situation where he's sitting there in crutches or in a cast or something and passed on a great deal of money. I'd feel very badly about that."

NCAA: UConn wins crown

(From 1C)

game as well as a defensive game. I wanted to shock the world."

It was Duke's eighth Final Four under Krzyzewski, who was trying to become the fourth coach to win a third national championship. Calhoun, labeled one of the best coaches never to reach a Final Four, finally did, and left the court with a national title in his 27th season, the last 13 at Connecticut.

Duke finishes tied with the 1986 Duke team and UNLV in 1987 with 37 victories. The loss also gives Duke a 2-6 record in national championship games, the titles coming in 1991 and 1992.

This title was the first for the Big East since Villanova pulled off another huge upset in 1985, beating Georgetown.

A jumper by Hamilton gave the Huskies a 65-59 lead with 8:57 left. Elton Brand, the national player of the year who finished with 15 points and 13 rebounds, got Duke right back in it.

Brand blocked a shot by Hamilton then went down and scored on a fast break. He then stole the ball from Edmund Saunders 30 feet from the basket, but missed the free throw when he was fouled. After a basket by Chris Carrawell brought the Blue Devils within 65-63, Brand blocked a 3-point attempt by El-Amin and Langdon made one of two free throws on that possession to make it 65-64.

Hamilton, a first-team All-American who was 10-for-22 from the field and had seven rebounds, finished as the tournament's leading scorer with 145 points in the six games, a 24.1 average. He was the tournament's Most Outstanding Player.

Moore scored all 13 of his points in the first half and El-Amin had 12. Langdon was 7-for-15 from the field, including 5-for-10 from 3-point range, and Avery had 11 points and five assists.

Duke's only other loss was by one point to Cincinnati in November and only four times did a team come within 10 points of the Blue Devils, who led the nation in scoring (92.3) and margin of victory (25.4). Krzyzewski, who will have hip replacement surgery next week, is second on the NCAA tournament career victory list with 49.

Local Baseball Today

Midland Lee vs. Abilene Cooper

When: 4 p.m.

Where: at Cooper High.

Records: Lee is 14-3 overall and 3-0 in District 4-5A. Cooper is 7-6-1 and 2-2.

4-5A Significance: If Cooper beats Lee, the Rebels will be tied for the district lead with San Angelo Central if it beats Odessa Permian and Cooper will be within a half game of the lead. If Lee wins, the Rebels will still sit alone atop the district by at least a full game.

Notes: In going unbeaten through three district games, Lee has been anything but dull. The Rebels rallied in the late innings for home wins over Midland High and Abilene High and survived a six run inning to defeat Odessa Permian. Last Tuesday's 9-8 victory over AHS was Lee's most intriguing. The Eagles scored six runs in the top of the sixth to take an 8-6 lead, but the Rebels wiped that out with a rally as Matt Winston scored on a balk to give Lee the win... Josh Ramos, who has no decisions in two district starts this season, figures to start for Lee, but if he can't make it through, the Rebels can always count on reliever Collin Gilliam, who has come on in relief of Ramos and won twice in district. Gilliam has a 1.11 ERA in district play... The Rebels are coming off a 10-7 nondistrict win over San Angelo Lake View last Friday in which they scored all of their runs in the second inning, highlighted by a grand slam by Winston... Cooper defeated Midland High 2-1 in eight innings last Tuesday in a game which was every bit as intense as Lee's win over Abilene High, but Cooper has had trouble scoring this season, losing 3-1 to Permian Monday.

Next: Lee returns home to host Odessa High in a district game Thursday at 4 p.m.

BATTING

Player	AB	H	R	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB
Matt Winston	7	4	3	.571	2	0	0	5	1
Nate Brignon	13	7	5	.538	1	2	0	6	0
Eric Neatherlin	12	6	6	.500	1	0	1	2	0
Ryan Klatt	10	4	3	.400	1	0	1	5	1
James Bohannon	6	2	3	.333	2	0	0	1	1
George Figueroa	3	1	4	.333	0	1	0	2	1
Blake Crume	3	1	1	.333	0	0	0	1	0
Michael Burlison	10	3	2	.300	0	0	0	0	0
Joe Lilley	4	1	3	.250	0	0	0	0	0
Eric Clodfelter	8	2	2	.250	0	0	1	2	1
Marc Matthews	10	2	1	.200	0	2	0	1	1
Josh Haney	6	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0

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Player	W	L	S	IP	H	R	ER	ERA	BB	K
Eric Clodfelter	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0.00	1	0
Collin Gilliam	2	0	0	6.1	3	4	1	1.11	3	6
Ryan Klatt	1	0	0	3.1	5	2	1	2.10	1	3
Josh Ramos	0	0	1	8.2	16	14	12	9.70	5	4
Eric Neatherlin	0	0	0	1.2	5	6	5	20.98	0	1

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Midland County will hold a public hearing at 5:30 pm on Friday, April 2, 1999 at the W.H Chambers residence located at 1708 Cloverdale Road in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities, and the use of past TCDP funds. The County encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views and proposals to The Honorable Mike Bradford, County Commissioner at the County Courthouse. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact the County Judge's office to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact the County Judge's office at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

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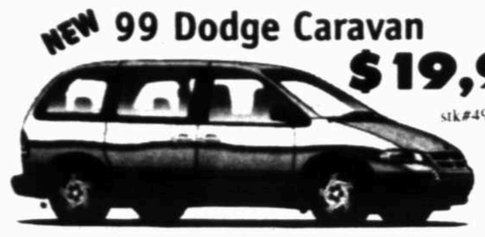
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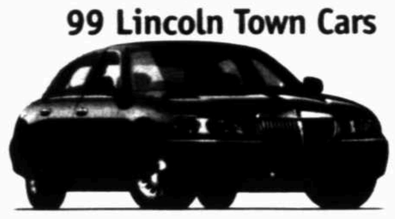


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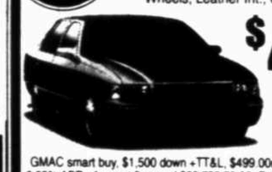
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COMPUTER TECHNICIAN position available. Position requires minimum experience in networking and repair of computer systems, knowledge of various operating systems, including NT, Windows 98, Unix, and others . Degree preferred but not necessary. Position available in the Sherman/ McKinney, TX area. Please fax resume to 806-797-1933 or 903-893-8141. Or email resume to kwilliams@ibclubbock.com.

EXPERIENCED BLOCK layers, brick layers and laborers for school job at West, Texas. Contact Forister Masonry at 254-721-5286 or 254-826-7280 and leave a message.

FENCE FOREMAN opening available at well established 25 year old company. 5 years experience as industrial fencing foreman desired. Corpus Cristi, TX 800-747-0435.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for well qualified HVAC/ Refrigeration Technician, EPA certified, non qualified need not apply. Call 620-9911 or pick up applications at: 2707 West Industrial Avenue, Midland. References a must.

LOOKING FOR Experienced Journeymen Plumbers and HVAC/ Refrigeration Technician. Submit applications to: 1607 South Midkiff.

MACHINIST. EMS is accepting applications for a Repair Machinist with a minimum of 5 years experience. We offer competitive wages, 401K, paid vacation and personal days, health insurance, uniforms, and an excellent work environment. If you are interested in joining our team, please fax or mail your resume. Fax 505-326-3402. EMS, 1025 Troy King Road, Farmington, NM 87401.

MAINTENANCE Supervisor needed for 212 units. Great pay and great benefits. Please fax resume to: 570-4263.

WANTED: EXPERIENCED licensed Commercial Plumber to begin work immediately. Please call 686-0002 or 570-0232.

WINDER. EMS is accepting applications for a Motor Winder with a minimum of 5 years experience. We offer competitive wages, 401K, paid vacation and personal days, health insurance, uniforms, and an excellent work environment. If you are interested in joining our team, please fax or mail your resume. Fax 505-326-3402. EMS, 1025 Troy King Road, Farmington, NM 87401.

336 Adult Care Providers

INHOME CARE for all your in home health needs. Bathing, cooking, cleaning, running errands, etc. Give us a call for more information at 570-4475, ask for Tonya or Jackie.

336 Adult Care Providers

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NURSES UNLIMITED
is now offering home assistance services including housekeeping, personal care, meal preparation, assistance with bathing, dressing, shopping and more. Three levels of care, individualized plan of care developed by an RN. Criminal history checks, CPR, and training for all providers. 24 Hour on-call RN supervision. Family conferences available. Call Dyane Fisher, RN, BSN or Natalie Lawson, RN at 580-0181.
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→NEW TODAY←
HARD WORKING, compassionate, care giver. Will care for your love ones; for vacations, business trips or 24 hour service as need. Excellent references. Contact Jessica 687-2569.

341 Child Care Providers

REGISTERED HOME has openings for 18 months and up. References available. Call Egla from 8 am until 8 pm at 697-8149.

350 Business Opportunities

LOCAL BUSINESSES for sale. Small and large. Some have low down payments and owner financing. Call for a free confidential interview- Sunbelt Business Brokers, 520-1515.

WOW! 100 m. p. g. I did it so can you. For information call (702)615-3059.

Get your Real Estate license quickly, short, day, weekend, evening classes. Southwest College 697-7277

FABULOUS MONEY Maker. Shaved ice snow- cone stand and complete setup. $5,500. Call 570-4514.

BIG SPRING, Texas. Little Caesar's Pizza is for sale! Business and property. Owner financing available. Serious inquires only. 520-8016.

↓SOLD↓
LUCRATIVE BUSINESS for sale! Small investment, large return. Low overhead. Owner moving. $6,000, xxx-xxxx.

Attention Readers
Occasionally, ads found in this section come from distant points & the Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot always know the merits of the offers. We suggest when you are in doubt that you call the Better Business Bureau before signing any contract/ or giving out your credit card or bank information.

400 Merchandise

MERCHANDISE 400
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410 Misc. Sales

48" TALL, ROUND swimming pool. Used one summer. $125. Please Call 683-8136 for information.

→NEW TODAY←
CEDAR FENCE; 6' high pickets on 16' panels. Excellent condition, only 6 years old. Call 689-2205.

↓SOLD↓
RED DEVIL portable grill, seen on TV- $250, used twice- $150 or best offer. XXX-XXXX.

18' ROUND or 24' round pool- Complete- $39 a month, 25 year warranty. Installation and delivery available. 563-3108.

HOT SPRINGS Spa "Prodigy" Good condition, $2,500. Meilink fireproof floor safe, 20 x 36, $150. 699-4166.

GREENTREE MEMBERSHIP For sale. $350. Please call 697-4128.

410 Misc. Sales

★ BIBLE TALK: Is It Possible for a Church to be Right? 520-0381. Free recorded message.

BINGO, American Legion, 501 Airpark Road, Friday nights, games start at 8, Food, Refreshments. 682-5511.

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Reserve Now,
Save Hundreds!
5 Days, Includes Disney
Passes & Maingate Hotels.
Entire Vacation Only
$249 Per Person
800-632-4112 ext. 764.

↓SOLD↓
SCOTTS RIDING lawn mower, brand new, 17 HP, 42" cut, never used, $950. Call xxx-xxxx or xxx-xxxx.

SONY DUAL Shock Play Station. New in box with $15 dollar adaptor. $95. Please 699-1647.

ONE FIRE file legal four drawer safe, used, excellent condition. $500. Please call 682-5251.

SIX SETS, matching wood grain office furniture; desk, credenza, file cabinet, bookcase, chairs. Call 682-5251.

NEW BEL 360 degree radar detector with laser- $150. Quasar 25" console TV- $75. Olivetti electric typewriter- $50. 685-0189.

FINALLY HEALTH Insurance, at affordable rates, for the self employed and small business owner. 1-800-692-8299.

WE HAVE Moved! Wrightway Vacuum Cleaner Company, (Kirby Service Center) has moved to: 1005 North Midkiff at Cuthbert. 520-6464

ECHO WATER system, used, automated, electronic. Excellent condition. $800. Call 694-6997- weekends, 520-2128 Monday through Friday- 8- 5.

SNAPPER SR1333 RIDING lawn mower, two years old, rear bagger, used one season, paid $2,500, asking $1,500. Call 570-7120, leave message.

SIX PERSON in ground spa, gas heater, make offer. Please call 366-3237.

HOSPITAL BED; Good condition- $975 firm. Small wheelchair, new, $400 firm. Call Carla at 697-4116.

TWO DALLAS Cowboys stadium bonds with season ticket options and blue parking. 520-7100.

415 Misc. Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687–5039.

WE WANT a kitty, 6- 8 weeks old for Easter. Please call 522-1777.

430 Household Goods

GE RANGE- Like new. Wing back love seat. Mapee coffee table, end tables, full bed frame, and dresser. Call 694-4158 or 694-4954.

432 Household Furniture

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, three piece, will sell separately, solid oak, 7' tall, fits 27" TV. One piece- TV cabinet fits 36". Custom made, 5' tall. 689-2205.

↓SOLD↓
5 PIECE MATCHING Set: Pacific Rattan. Couch (navy background/ floral print), 2- dark apricot chairs, coffee/ end tables. $550. 2- pair speakers, climber. xxx-xxxx.

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, custom built, 8 ft. tall, solid oak, glass display shelves, (4 units), $4,500. Days 557-2229 or Nights 550-0226.

UNIQUE Early American rocker. Wooden arm rests. Great potential! $50. 520-5969.

↓SOLD↓
QUEEN SIZE set complete bed, chest, triple dresser with two mirrors- $200. Please call xxx-xxxx.

King size waterbed and headboard with 12 drawers- $300. Please call 520-3985.

COUCH SET- $350, burgundy recliner- $150, maple dresser and hutch- $300, swivel rocker- $150. 697-7827.

WOOD DESK 31" X 60", comes apart to move, $45. Please call 694-7524.

SECTIONAL- BEIGE multi colored, $375. Recliner- light brown, $100. Both very good condition. Call 697-8390.

432 Household Furniture

TWO LAZY Boy recliners, one Wing Back, one swivel rocker, needs reupholstered, $100 each. 697-2191.

→NEW TODAY←
KING SIZE bed (no headboard) excellent condition, $250. Sleeper sofa (beautiful navy blue), $350. 1800's Oak bedroom set, $350. 915-362-2746

COUCH, 2 end tables, coffee table. Good condition. $500. Please call 684-5188 for more information.

FULL SIZE couch with matching loveseat and recliner- $600. Please call 520-3985.

SOFA AND oversized chair, excellent condition. Must see to appreciate- $600. Please call 694-8144.

TWIN BUNK beds with bedding, $175. Good condition. Please call 699-7394.

435 Household Appliances

WASHING MACHINE; Brand new, still in box. Gave $325, will sell- $250. See: 3307 Sycamore.

FROST FREE Refrigerator, $175. Call 699-3240 for more information.

WASHER/ DRYER. New. Frigidaire Heavy Duty. Used 6 months. $450. Call 699-1097, mornings.

★ FREE REMOVAL of unwanted appliances. 567-5221. Appliance Sales and Service. 567-5221.

FOUR SUPER wide sheer 6 yard scarf valances. 2 in petal pink and 2 white. Call 570-1756 for details.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453–2151, Fax 1-(915)-453-4322.

450 Sporting Goods

GUNS; PRIVATE collection, Please call for information 697-6981, ask for Heath.

JIM'S GOLF Clubs. Adam's "Tight- Lie" $60. "Tri- Metal" woods, $85. King Cobra II irons $184 set (clones). Reshaft, Regrip, lowest price. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

460 Antiques & Arts

LARGE 7 Foot Louif XV antique jewelry case. Can be seen at Mail-n-More. 4705 North Midkiff. 522-2208.

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1920'S QUSofa, Gentleman's Demi- wing and Lady's chair. Burgundy. $2,000. 689-2288.

465 Collectibles

→NEW TODAY←
BEANIE BABIES for sale. 83 mostly retired, 98 McDonald collection. $900 or best offer. 694-8066.

NEW RELEASE Beanie Babies! Prickles the Hedgehog, Ewey the Lamb, Tiny the Chihuahua, Butch the Dog, Nibbler the Rabbit, Nibbly the Rabbit, Scat the Cat, Goatee the Goat, Slippery the Seal. $12 each. Call 694-3877 after 5:00.

MINIATURE EASTER Bunnies. Series I set of International Coca Cola Beanies, TY Beanies, Puffkins, and Tender Tails. All at Anna Marie's Gifts, 1705 N. Big Spring.

470 Musical Instruments

USED PIANO. Needs tuning, looks good, $125. Please call 520-4486 leave message.

PIANOS- new and used- buy, sell trade. Financing available. Tuning, repair, moving. Caldwell Music. 697-0852.

490 Computers/ Access.

PENTIUM Computers, 1 Gig harddrive, 16 meg RAM, 33.6 modem, CD ROM, Windows 95, Office 97. $550. 520-7775.

SERVICE AFTER THE SALE Computers- New and used, upgrade and repair. Night Owl Computers, 10am- 8pm, 1015-B N Midkiff. 520-5917, 686–8835.

MITSUBISHI Digital still camera, DJ- 1000. Brand new- still in box, $125. Windows "95" compatible. Call 682-6887.

INTERNET ACCESS. Call 620-0839 for details.

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FREE TO good home, cute nine weeks puppies, large mixed breed, weaned. 4414 West Storey.

BEAUTIFUL, Smart- 10 month old yellow lab mix free to good home. Call 694-0483 after 5.

AKC Boxer, 21 months. Free to great home. Gentle with children, needing larger backyard. 697-1814.

TO GOOD home; Adult female spayed cat, great mouser, prefers outdoors. Please call 699-7069.

TO GOOD home; Six month old male black Lab and adult male Beagle. Please call 683-6767.

FREE BLACK & White female short haired puppy. Will be medium size. Call 694-6010.

FEMALE ROTTWEILER. 6 months old, needs good home and big yard. Call 699-1158.

↓FOUND↓
Good home with a fence. Full blood Weimaraner, 1.5 years, female, spayed. Call XXX-XXXX.

FREE DALMATIAN- Liver spotted female, 1 year old to good home. 520-7958.

500 Merchandise

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- 500 Pets and Supplies
- 505 Livestock/Poultry
- 510 Office Furniture & Misc.
- 520 Store,Cafe Equip.
- 525 Bus./Shop Equip.
- 530 A/C - Heating
- 540 Building Materials
- 550 Portable Buildings
- 560 Machinery/Tools
- 570 Oil Field Equip. & Supplies
- 580 Farm Equipment

500 Pets and Supplies

MALE JACK Russell puppy, 6 weeks, smooth coat, tricolor, pedigreed, parents on premises, $300. 699-4000.

AKC YELLOW & Black Labrador Retriever puppies. Health guaranteed. $500 Excellent bloodlines. 570-5493 after 6 pm.

BEAUTIFUL, Outgoing Chihuahua puppies for show or the discriminating pet owner. Lovable personalities. Call 682-2385.

BEAGLES! AKC Registered, 7 weeks old. Call 915-694-0245, if no answer please leave message, pager 915-567-3186.

FULL BLOODED Pit Bull puppies, $100 each, 6 weeks old. Please call 684-5361 for information.

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1 YEAR OLD Male Bengal Cat. Neutered and declawed. Registered. All accessories included. Compatible with dogs. $100. Call 520-4232 or 520-2872.

GARAGE SALES
Hidden treasures? Junk?
Recycle your unwanted items!
Call 682-6222 today. A friendly Classified Consultant will help you create an ad that gets results!

79701

WE HAVE Moved! Wrightway Vacuum Cleaner Company, (Kirby Service Center) has moved to: 1005 North Midkiff at Cuthbert. 520-6464

→NEW TODAY←
350 North Midland Drive, (next to K-Mart). Tots To Teens; Now taking consignments on name brand clothing. Specializing in JR's and teens- infants and childrens. Call 661-8815

79705

The Deadline to place an Ad in our Saturday Garage Sale Section is Noon Friday. Call 682-6222 to place your ad today.

79707

3711 HUMBLE; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. 8 am! Moving sale, everything must go. Call 520-5756.

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REGISTERED Dalmatians, three males, four females, eight weeks old. $225 each. 682-3681 nights, 687-4470 days.

✓ MEDIUM SIZE Boa Constrictor. With tank, supplies and food. $600 or best offer. 661-9640 6- 9pm.

CHIHUAHUA MIXED male, neutered, needs good home. Please call 687-2197 or 694-9558.

CARALOT KENNEL & Training Center. Boarding. Puppy, beginner, advanced classes. Board/ train service available. 683-4718.

AKC AKITAS: Born March 5th, 2 males, 7 females. $50 deposit, $300 each. Please call 520-7348, 620-8855.

505 Livestock & Poultry

REGISTERED THREE year old Paint mare, $2,700. Please call 915-756-2994 evenings.

HORSE BOARDING: Fed morning and evening, tack closets, telephone, exerciser, northwest area. 694-4978.

CHICKS! Spring arrivals are now here! We have Giants, Rocks, Brahmas, Leghorns, Golden Wyandottes, New Hampsires, Rhode Islands. Pulletts and straight runs available. Custom breeding. Call for pricing and availability. J & A Hatterchy, 915-522-2295, 1-877-522-6700.

510 Office Furniture & Misc.

→NEW TODAY←

CLOSING OFFICE sale! File cabinets, secretary desk, copy machine, computer deck, lazier printer, 11' conference table, 16 arm chairs, typewriters, book shelves, phones and miscellaneous. 3303 North Midkiff Ste 272, 9- 3 pm. Tuesday and Wednesday or call 699-1625.

ONE FIRE file legal four drawer safe, used, excellent condition. Please call 682-5251.

SIX SETS, matching wood grain office furniture; desk, credenza, file cabinet, bookcase, chairs. Call 682-5251.

550 Portable Buildings

We move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
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560 Machinery/ Tools

FOUR JACK stands $20. Please call 561-8272 for more information

570 Oil Field Equip & Supplies

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580 Farm Equipment

CHICAGO AEROMOTOR windmill, tank and stand, 4 each. $2,800. Call 570-1495.

SERVICE BRAND shredder, 2 row, asking $300. Please call 915-263-6435 for more information.

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RENTALS 600

600 Rooms for Rent
601 Hotel Rooms
603 Roommates Wanted
604 Want To Rent
605 Apts. Furnished
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630 Houses Furnished
635 Condo/Townhome Furnished
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660 Mobile Home Space for Rent
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690 Oil/Gas Leases
695 Oilfield Misc.

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600 Rooms for Rent

FURNISHED BEDROOM quiet, refrigerated air, TV, kitchen privileges, telephone, bills paid, $200 a month. 694-3972.

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ALL BILLS Paid, furnished, 1 & 2 bedroom, downtown, quiet complex. To see apartments call 682-3589.

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EFFICIENCY APARTMENT Convenient location, smoke free environment, bills paid. Call 684-4216.

STUDIOS. 1 & 2 Bedrooms Available. All utilities paid, free cable. Deposit required. Kensington Motor Inn 1003 S. Midkiff, 697-3155.

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610 Apartments Unfurnished

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CEDAR ELM Apartments: two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Townhouses, stove and refrigerator furnished. All bills paid including basic cable. $450 monthly. Efficiency apartments, all bills paid including basic cable, $325 monthly. 570-4611.

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Quick Rent Me!
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→NEW TODAY←

SUTTON PLACE King size, 2 bedroom, 3 bath Townhome, fireplace, front & back yard. 1,400 sq. ft., assigned covered parking, 682-2423.

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SILVER CREEK Apartments. 2438 Whitmire. 687-0053. 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms. Washer- dryer connections. Be sure to ask about our specials on our 1 and 2 bedrooms. 1st months rent free.

TWO BEDROOM, one bath apartment, large parking and patio area, handicap accessible. Senior citizens discount, water and gas paid. $370 per month. Call 550-3245, after 5 pm.

DAY SLEEPER? Small- quiet apartments, single storey, now available all sizes. Near hospital and doctor's offices, Manager on property. 3001 West Ohio. 694-6858.

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→NEW TODAY←

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625 Houses Unfurnished

SEVERAL nice homes & apartments, $250-$725. Jeannie Printz, Agent 684-8202.

VERY NICE 1998 3 Bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. $550/ Monthly. HUD accepted. Call 522-2285.

AVAILABLE April 1st. 4 Bedroom, 2 bath, in Lee/ Rusk district. $700 monthly. Call Al 697-9798.

→NEW TODAY←

2413 "B" HAYNES: 2 Bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, fireplace, fenced yard. $635 monthly, $350 deposit. 684-6835.

508 STOREY; (In alley). One bedroom, $275 monthly, $100 deposit. Call beeper 499-2281, 689-3420.

2 & 3 Bedroom Houses & Duplexes. $325- $750/ Monthly + Deposit. Williams & Assoc., 694-9663.

625 Houses Unfurnished

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EXTRA NICE: One and two bedroom duplexes ready now. $375 to $550. Please call 699-6724.

LOVELY TWO bedroom duplex, two bath, two car carport, outside storage, all appliances. NO PETS! $470 Monthly, 620-9222.

→NEW TODAY←

DUPLEX: 4013 B. W. Illinois. Large 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Large living room with fireplace. $555 monthly. American Realty, 520-7577.

3 BEDROOM, 2 Bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, all appliances. 4509 Brookdale. $595/ Monthly. 570-7557.

REFURBISHED DUPLEX 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, new tiled floors, glassed in porch, courtyard, plenty of storage. 694-0498.

FOR LEASE

509	North "D" St.	$550
2415	Cuthbert	$650
2000	Brunson	$785
3524	Seaboard	$850
4308	Downing	$1,300

No Pets & Good Credit Required.
Dene Kelly Realtors
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HOUSE FOR rent, three bedrooms, , kitchen/ large room, $275 monthly, $100 deposit. Call 686-8067.

LOVELY GARDEN home, 4 bedroom, 2 bath in country club area. Available now!! $1,500 monthly. Call Norma Pine at ReMax of Midland/ Chaparral Realtors, 915-686-7000, ext #223.

4709 TEAKWOOD Trace, Greentree South. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, formal living and dining, 3 car garage, recent updates. $1,500 monthly, plus deposit. Available April 5. Call 689-0474. Owner/ Agent.

SUBURBAN; Ridgeheights, Horses! Large 4 bedroom, 3 bath, study, double dining, garages, $975 Agent 684-7788.

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KEY To Abbreviations

Bdrm.	Bedroom
Ba.	Bath
Kit.	Kitchen
Dbl.	Double
A/C	Air conditioning
Mst. Bdrm.	Master Bdrm.
Gar.	Garage
Bldg.	Building
Cond.	Condition
N-QA	Non-Qualifying
	Assumable
QA	Qualifying
	Assumable
Ac.	Acre
3/2/2	Bdrm./Ba./Gar.

BY OWNER, 2808 Purple Sage Trail, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, new appliances/ air/ heat, large rooms/ backyard, $90,000. 520-5954/ 683-3665

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