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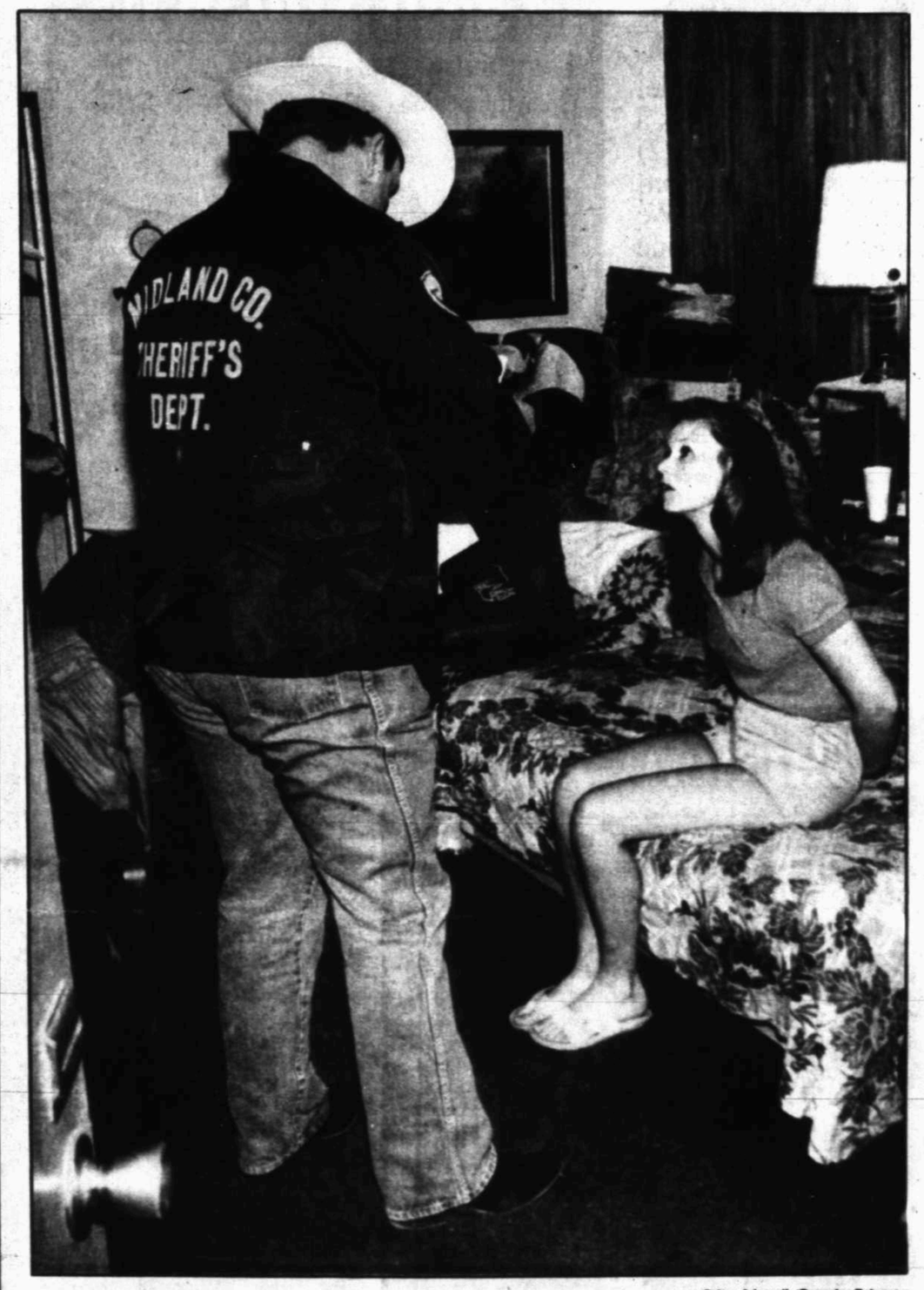


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Scott McKnight, warrants officer with the Midland County Sheriff's Department, notifies an unidentified woman of the charges against her moments after her arrest at a motel on Wall Avenue. The woman was one of 19 persons arrested late Thursday as a part of a roundup of suspected drug dealers.

Law officers continue drug suspect roundup

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Midland lawmen today continued their roundup of suspected drug dealers, the second day of a hunt following an intensive six-month investigation by undercover officers.

By this morning, 19 of 34 persons indicted by a Midland County grand jury Wednesday had been arrested, according to a count by sheriff's officer. All were being held in the county jail on bonds ranging from $5,000 to $30,000.

The grand jury handed down 44 sealed indictments, including 21 for delivery of cocaine, 10 for delivery of heroin, five for delivery of marijuana, three for possession of methamphetamine — commonly known as speed — and two indictments for delivery of a simulated controlled substance.

The roundup of the suspects, who lawmen described as "significant dealers," began about 7 p.m. Thursday when officers from the Midland Police Department, Midland sheriff's office, U.S. Customs Service left the Midland County Courthouse with the warrants and lists of last known addresses. The suspects were located in most parts of town, officers said.

"The main individuals targeted were known traffickers of the more addictive type narcotics," said Sheriff Gary Painter. "I don't know when these dopers will ever get the message."

The probe began as officers of the year-old Permian Basin Drug Task Force went undercover in parts of the city "where the known traffickers are," said Art Van Dorn, commander of the task force.

Four officers made "buys" from suspects, spending about $12,000 cash from the task force budget, Van Dorn said.

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Area of river closed after rafters fired on

BIG BEND NATIONAL PARK, Texas (AP) — Park officials have closed a five-mile section of the Rio Grande while investigators try to figure out who shot at three rafters for more than three hours.

None of the three Texas men were hurt Wednesday when someone shot at them 20 to 30 times from a canyon rim on the Mexican side of the river a few miles from where a Texas man was shot to death in a similar incident last year.

The men, all about 30 years old, were riding a rented raft through San Vicente canyon when at least one and possibly two snipers began firing at them about 4:15 p.m., Big Bend National Park spokesman Roy Given said.

The men dived into the river, pulling their raft behind them, swam to shore, hid behind rocks and shrubbery until night fell, then walked to a dirt road and hitchhiked to Rio Grande Village, Given said. They got to the village, about 12 miles downstream from the canyon, about 1:30 a.m. Thursday, he said. Information on the incident was first released to the press Thursday evening.

Park rangers, U.S. Border Patrol agents and state police from Mexico searched the area, but no one was arrested and clues were scarce, Given said.

The men told authorities the shots continued until about darkness fell as they dashed from cover to cover on the river bank.

"They were being shot at, but to deliberately try to hit them or harass them or scare them, I don't know," Given said. "We don't really know what provoked this, but we don't believe drug-smuggling is involved."

Four teen-agers were arrested after a similar incident in November that resulted in the death on an Eastland man.

In that incident, a few miles upstream from the park, 40-year-old Michael Heffley was shot fatally as he shielded his wife from the bullets. Four youths were arrested, one in the United States and three in Mexico, and all are awaiting trial on murder charges.

The three men who were shot at Wednesday told park rangers they saw one assailant, wearing an orange or red baseball cap, on the canyon rim on the Mexican side of the river. Given said it appeared the men were fired at by a .22-caliber rifle.

Given identified the rafters as Reuben Saage II of Alpine, James Gentry of Houston and Russ Alexander of Riesel. Saage and Alexander have unlisted phone numbers and there are several James Gentrys in Houston.

The men's rented raft drifted downriver and was recovered later, Given said.

Chamber leader takes another post

From Staff Reports

Midland Chamber of Commerce President John Fowler resigned this week to accept a similar position in Colorado Springs, Colo., at the end of April.


Fowler

Fowler, who came to Midland from Sweetwater, Okla., in August 1987, said his resignation, which becomes effective April 15, was "not without regret."

"During John's tenure, the chamber has made great strides organizationally," said Chamber Chairman Steve Davidson.

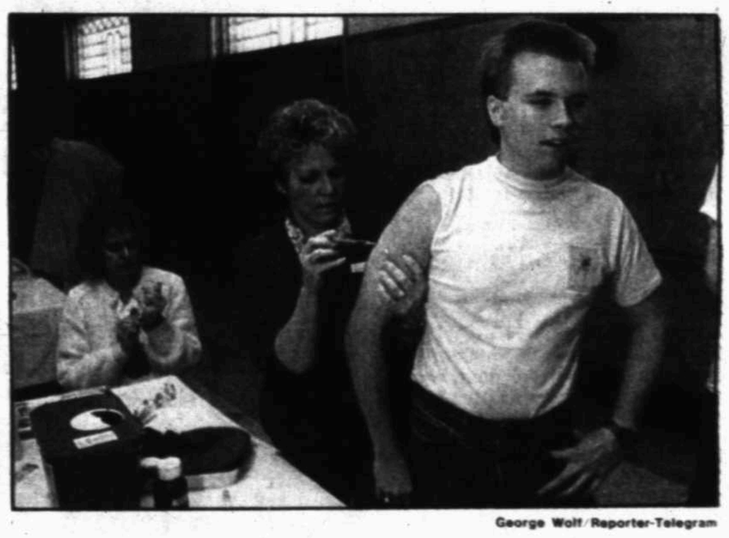
"We will continue to move forward and be a viable force in Midland's progress and its future," said Davidson.

In his letter to the chamber, Fowler wrote, "The Midland Chamber of Commerce is posed to become one of the most effective organizations of its kind.

"Thanks to the efforts of many business and community leaders ... Midland is again on its way to realizing its full potential as West Texas' leading growth center," Fowler wrote.

Davidson said the search for a successor in the chamber's top staff position with move ahead "as soon as we can get the executive committee together and begin to chart our course.

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Anti-measles measure

Midland County Health Department nurse Linda Gilmore pricks Midland High School junior Ron Perritt, 17, during Thursday's measles inoculation effort at the school.

Abell-Hanger donation gives MMH education annex a shot in the arm

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

The Abell-Hanger Foundation pushed Midland Memorial Hospital halfway to its financial goal for education annex renovations through a healthy $1.1 million donation Thursday.

At a regular Midland County Hospital District Board of Directors meeting, officials announced the receiving the gift. The donation allows $1 million for unrestricted use and $100,000 specifically for funding nursing scholarships and stipends at Midland College and Texas Tech University.

After approving a hospital board recommendation to use the $1 million for the $2 million education annex renovations, directors wasted no time in naming the annex the Abell-Hanger Medical Pavilion.

"It takes you're breath away a bit," MMH President Ray Branson said of the gift. "We've had a fabulous response to the fundraising effort.

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Resume doesn't explain Lucas' departure

By DAN FREEDMAN
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — William Lucas, Attorney General Dick Thornburgh's choice to head the Justice Department's civil rights division, was forced to resign from that same unit in 1963 because he failed a bar examination, the Hearst News Service has learned.

Lucas' current resume, furnished by the Justice Department to reporters after Thornburgh recommended him to President Bush last month, gives no hint that Lucas left the division for any reason other than to become an FBI agent.

The resume also overstates the amount of time he spent in the division. The Justice Department has highlighted Lucas' 1960s experience there as evidence he is qualified.

Past Lucas resumes were the subjects of news reports that he credited himself with being a Justice Department "attorney" or "assistant U.S. attorney" when, in fact, he had not passed a bar examination.

Justice Department officials have dismissed reports of such discrepancies. David Runkel, a top Thornburgh aide, has said Lucas' "record, not his resume," is at issue.

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The Military and Jesus: Tomb closely guarded

EDITOR'S NOTE: This final installment of a three-part Easter series about the military and Jesus is drawn from the Bible, historical sources and ancient non-biblical Christian literature. Atmospheric details are supplied in keeping with old documents, but dialogue is quoted verbatim.

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

The night weighed heavily on the Roman legionnaires posted at the garden tomb of Jesus. They had an eerie duty, guarding the dead, and even the tree limbs against the moonlit sky seemed to stretch out like skeletal arms.

A field tent had been set up alongside the tomb, but the squad of eight soldiers still lingered outside, sitting bunched together, swatting at insects, their camp fire dwindled to ashes.

Pretonius, a junior centurion, had assigned them two-by-two to the four watches of night, but so far they all remained wakeful, apparently jittery at these ghoulish precautions.

Details of the scene, the name and numbers, are given in ancient noncanonical writings. The military governor of the province, Pontius Pilate, had been urged to post the guard by temple officials, who told him in Matthew 28:

"Sir, we remember how that impostor said, while he was still alive, 'After three days I will rise again.' Therefore order the sepulcher to be made secure until the third day, lest his disciples go and steal him away and tell the people, 'He has risen from the dead,' and the last fraud will be worse than the first."

Pilate, now edgy about the affair, had personally quizzed another centurion, Longinus, who had headed the execution detail, making sure Jesus had been dead. He also asked about the odd darkness that shrouded the event.

"There was an eclipse of the sun after the accustomed sort," Longinus had responded in crisp, military manner, keeping his own anxieties to himself.

Pilate ordered the tomb guarded for the next two days, also directing that it be tightly sealed.

Pretonius paced slowly before the tomb, studying the limestone cap rock above as a possible approach for intruders. Several times he examined the seven seals of metal strips plastered around the rim of the huge circular stone that shut the entrance.

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INSIDE TODAY

PEOPLE: Former first lady Rosalynn Carter confesses she was surprised by the political activism of her daughter, Amy, now a 21-year-old art student at a Tennessee design school.

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Crack linked to crime epidemic

HOUSTON (AP) — Prosecutors and judges facing a sharply growing docket in Houston courts say a crack cocaine epidemic is to blame, accounting for 12 percent of pending court cases but influencing many more.

Courthouse officials also note a growing public intolerance for the drug as juries impose stiffer sentences in the drug cases, a trend that concerns defense attorneys.

"I think you can figure 85 to 90 percent of all these cases involve cocaine on any given day, even though the defendants aren't charged with drug offenses," Judge Brian Rains said.

"It's an epidemic. It's worse than the plagues in Europe; people just aren't dying as fast," added Judge Ted Poe.

About 2,500 new felony cases were filed in January and 2,200 more in February, up from about 2,000 in each month a year ago, according to Jim Moseley, the assistant district attorney in charge of presenting cases to grand juries for indictment.

"Those people who say we're overreacting are crazy. It's the biggest problem in our society," State District Judge Mike McSpadden said.

But defense attorney Kent Schaffer said he believes judges and prosecutors are exaggerating the number of crack cases because of a new procedure that distinguishes them from other drug cases, even though the offense is no different. That procedure, he contends, makes crack a much more visible presence on court dockets.

Officials seize plane

GOLIAD (AP) — Federal authorities forced down and seized their 13th plane suspected of smuggling drugs in Texas this year and a U.S. Customs Service spokesman said aircraft seizures will approach a record set last year.

The latest seizure occurred early Thursday when a high-performance aircraft and a Blackhawk helicopter followed and forced down an airplane on a dirt road near Goliad, some 70 miles north of Corpus Christi.

Officials seized 900 pounds of marijuana, a van and a Piper PA-23 Apache, said U.S. Customs spokesman Charles Conroy in Houston.

Two men were arrested in the vicinity of the plane, Conroy said.

He said U.S. Customs officials seized 48 airplanes worth about $10.5 million in 1988. There were 34 seized in 1986 and 44 seized in 1987.

State stocked private pond

AUSTIN (AP) — About 500 rainbow trout, which could have been placed in public waters, were placed by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in a private pond owned by a state lawmaker's father-in-law, according to a published report.

Rep. Robert Saunders, who heads the House Environmental Affairs Committee, which has budget and oversight authority for the Parks and Wildlife Department, said he does not think he he did anything wrong.

The Austin American-Statesman reported Thursday that Saunders, D-LaGrange, said he asked parks and wildlife executive director Charles D. Travis where to obtain fish for his father-in-law's private pond near Columbus.

Manley Leyendecker, Saunders' father-in-law, paid the department for the trout, but it was not determined whether that payment included the cost of department personnel and equipment used to deliver the fish from a state hatchery, officials said.

Gary Matlock, parks and wildlife fisheries director, said stocking trout on private land was a highly unusual action for the parks and wildlife department.

Plant's reopening marred

PAMPA (AP) — A reopening celebration at a chemical plant destroyed more than a year ago by a pair of explosions was a blowout in more ways than one.

Officials at Hoechst Celanese had invited U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm to oversee the reopening of the facility, but less than an hour after he departed, the plant, which makes acetic acid and other chemicals, went dark Thursday.

The plant lost electric power at 10:45 a.m., sending workers scurrying to shut down operations, said Ladin Moore, engineering maintenance manager at the plant. Many of the facility's 700 workers were sent home for the day.

The power was back on by 3:08 p.m. and no damage occurred from the outage, officials said.

Officials were investigating the cause of the outage Thursday.

The plant has been shut down since the Nov. 14, 1987 explosions that killed three workers and injured 37 others.

Report totals student loans

AUSTIN (AP) — A total of 53,263 college and vocational students who are due to graduate soon received financial assistance from the Guaranteed Student Loan Program, according to a report released Thursday.

The total includes borrowers at 438 schools, the majority of them in Texas, said the report from the Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corp.

The corporation said the report is a new service to curb the default rate among borrowers.

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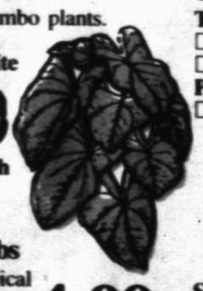
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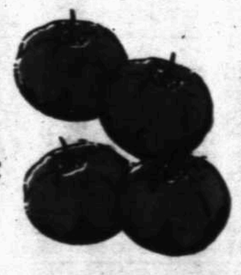
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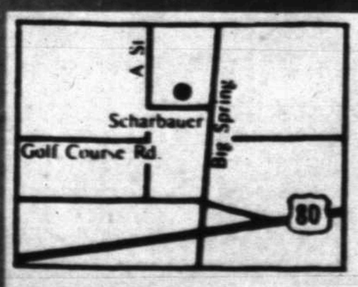


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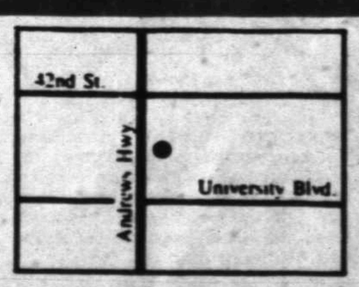
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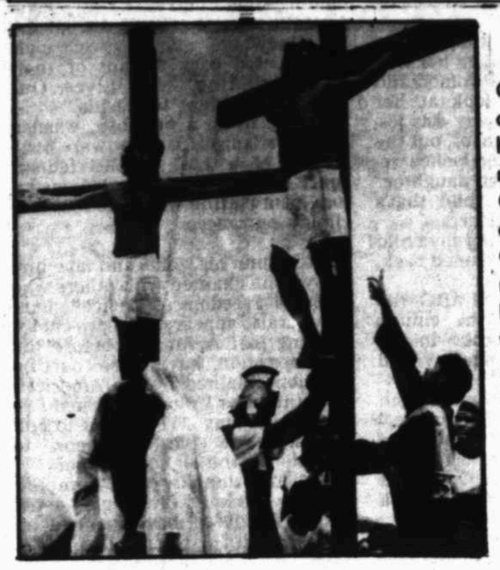
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Pilgrims retrace Christ's path to cross



Filipino penitents Chito Sangalang, left, and Mario Castro have themselves nailed to crosses at Cutud, a village north of Manila, to mark Good Friday. The mock crucifixion have become a tradition in the Philippines, a predominately Catholic nation, during the Lenten season.

AP Laserphoto

JERUSALEM (AP) — Hundreds of Christians from around the world today walked along the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem's Old City, praying and singing to retrace Christ's path to his crucifixion on Good Friday.

The procession to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, where Christians believe Christ died on the cross, was led by 20 Roman Catholic Franciscan monks in black robes tied with white rope belts.

The crowd seemed smaller than in recent years. Pilgrims were seen dragging only about a half dozen large, wooden crosses along the narrow, cobbled street in the walled Old City.

Because of the 15-month Palestinian uprising against Israeli occupation in the territories, hundreds of police, border police and army soldiers were on duty, clustered in groups of six or eight on the Via Dolorosa.

No major violence was reported.

Meanwhile in the Philippines, at least 11 people were nailed to crosses and thousands of Filipinos drew blood by beating themselves on the back today to symbolize the suffering of Christ.

In the village of San Pedro Cutud, about 5,000 people, including foreign tourists and U.S. servicemen from nearby Clark Air Base, gathered on a rice field to watch men dressed as Roman centurions hammer nails into the palms of seven people.

The crucifixions have been an annual ritual for decades in the village 40 miles north of Manila. They have become tourist attractions in recent years, complete with stalls selling food, soft drinks, straw hats, fans and other souvenirs.

In Jerusalem, about 600 pilgrims marched behind the monks. The marchers included groups carrying Canadian and Australian flags, as well as the French fleur-de-lis. A guitarist led a group of Spaniards.

Thousands have marched in past years.

One of the largest crosses today — about eight feet long — was carried by Palestinian Christians from Jerusalem and the nearby West Bank cities of Ramallah and Bethlehem. About a dozen Palestinians carried the large cross on their shoulders.

John Eberlein, 56, of Manassas, Va., said he was deeply moved to see Christians gathered together from around the world.

"You just feel you are part of a tremendous movement, this Christian religion, no matter what denomination it might be," he said. "To see all colors here, all believing the same thing you believe — it's just very exhilarating, spiritually moving."

Eberlein was with a group of 11 Catholics who came from the U.S. East Coast to walk the Via Dolorosa and attend the Mass for his resurrection on Easter Sunday.

According to Christian tradition, the Via Dolorosa, or Street of Sorrows, marks the path where Jesus, wearing a crown of thorns, was forced to carry the cross on which he was crucified. Franciscans began the tradition of walking the street in the 14th century.

The route begins in the walled city's Moslem quarter. There, pilgrims ahead of the main procession walked among Palestinian women in traditional embroidered dresses carrying baskets on their way to market.

Israeli troops moved into the Old City and Arab east Jerusalem, then Jordanian territory, in the 1967 Middle East war.

Since then, Israel annexed Arab east Jerusalem and joined it into the Israeli capital. But most foreign countries, including the United States, consider east Jerusalem disputed territory and keep their embassies in the Israeli coastal city of Tel Aviv.

The Old City contains sites holy to the world's three great monotheistic religions: Judaism, Christianity and Islam. Jerusalem is a major point of friction between Jews and Arabs.

Israel also seized the West Bank and Gaza Strip in the 1967 war. The Palestinian uprising has demanded an end to that occupation.

EASTER

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A bewitched land, this Judean territory. It throbbed with backward superstitions about one overruling, invisible God, and now this new fantasy about his apotheosis in an executed rabbi, snuffed out as a criminal and locked in an impenetrable grave.

Out among the gnarled cypress and sycamores, a screech owl wailed, like some piteously whimpering woman in torment. The soldiers shuffled restlessly, some now crawling into the tent.

Two stayed on the third watch, peering through the foliage. Pretonius reclined beside a smooth rock, pulling his cloak around him. From the trees came the thin trill of crickets, rising and falling. Then it became tremendously quiet, an overwhelming premonitory silence.

A tremor gently pulsed the earth beneath them, mounting gradually, growing stronger and stronger, suddenly hurling aside the great stone door with a rumbling crash.

A cataract of blinding light poured down on them, engulfing all that place in dazzling brilliance, a white immensity that towered to the heavens and flooded the tomb's interior.

The soldiers, momentarily paralyzed by shock, finally bolted and ran, hurtling through the trees and brush, passing but scarcely seeing a group of women headed for the now sundered tomb.

Pretonius ran, too, either in fear or in vain impulse to stop a rout, catching bewildering snatches of voices, later reported when he and the soldiers were questioned by Pilate and others.

"We saw an angel descend from heaven, and he rolled away the stone from the mouth of the cave," the soldiers said shakily. As related in the second-century Acts of Pilate, they added:

"And he did shine like snow and like lightning and we were sore afraid and lay as dead men. ... And we heard the voice ... speaking with the women, saying, 'Fear ye not; for I know that ye seek Jesus which was crucified. He is not here; he is risen."

Asked the women's identity, they said, "We know not who they were."

"At what hour was it?"

"At midnight."

"Wherefore did ye not take the women?"

"We were become as dead men through fear, and we looked not to see the light of day. How then could we take them?"

Pretonius, distressed as his unsteady conduct but overcome by the experience, blurted out, "He liveth! Of a truth, he was the son of God."

Warning against such incriminating sentiments, Pilate ordered the centurion and the soldiers to keep quiet. "Say nothing," he instructed, according to the ancient documents.

Scripture says the temple priests subsequently bribed the soldiers, insisting they "tell people, 'His disciples came by night and stole him away while we were asleep.'"

They did as directed, Matthew relates, and that story was spread from then onward, sometimes appearing in modern fiction.

Pilate, a ruthless Roman commander of equestrian rank, was summoned to Rome a few years later for atrocities committed in his 10-year rule of Judea. Imprisoned, he committed suicide, says Josephus.

As related in Acts 10 and 11, Christianity was first unleashed into the world beyond the Jewish boundaries of its origin through the faith of a Roman centurion named Cornelius.

Cornelius, commander of the Italian Cohort II stationed in the provincial Judean military capital of Caesarea, had rejected heathen devotion to state idols and accepted Jewish belief in a supreme universal God.

Called a "God-fearer," he and his family prayed regularly and gave alms. But as an uncircumcised Gentile, he was outside Judaism.

Learning the apostle Peter was in nearby Joppa, Cornelius sent for him. Earlier, Peter had had a strange dream in which God said all the Earth's food was "clean," not just that approved under Jewish law. "What God has cleaned, you must not call common."

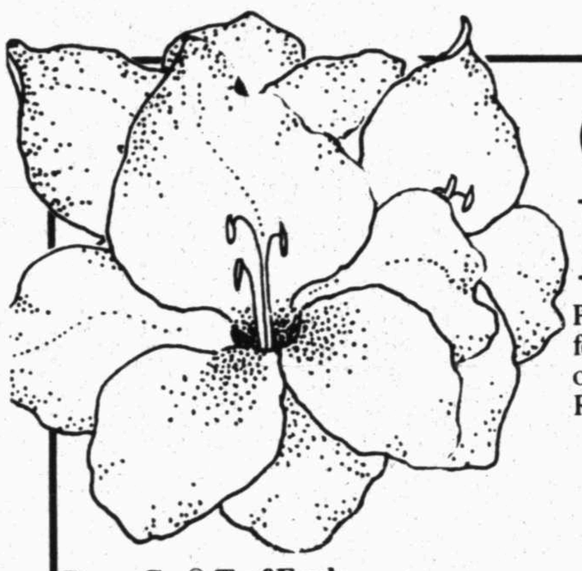
Upon Peter's arrival, Cornelius knelt in reverence, but the blunt Peter objected. "Stand up. I, too, am a man." He remarked that his religion forbade Jews to have fellowship with those of other nations, "but God has shown me that I should not call any man common or unclean."

Cornelius described his devotion to God, and Peter, with typical impulsiveness, thrust aside barriers to outsiders, saying: "Truly I perceive that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does right is acceptable to him."

Cornelius and his entire household were baptized.

"He is Lord of all," Peter said of God's word heralded through Jesus. The centurion's friends rejoiced, "To the Gentiles also God has granted repentance unto life."

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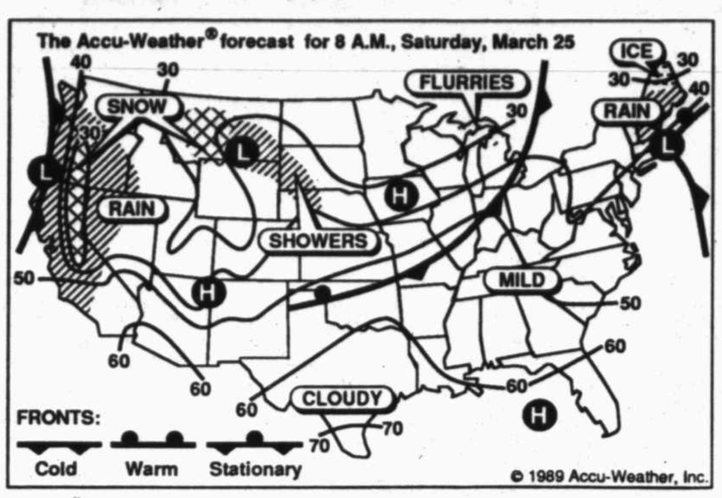
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WEATHER SUMMARY



High in mid-80s anticipated

From Staff and Wire Reports

Fair skies are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be near 50 degrees and winds will be southerly 5-15 mph.

Saturday is expected to be mostly sunny and warm with the high in the middle 80s and southwesterly winds gusting from 15-20 mph.

Thursday's high of 84 was one degree cooler than the record high temperature of 85 set for that date in 1972. The overnight low of 45 was 18 degrees warmer than the record low temperature of 27 set for this date in 1987.

STATE

Pleasant weather is in store for Texans planning outdoor activities for the Easter holiday weekend.

Forecasts called for cloudy skies over southern portions of the state and for fair skies over the rest of the state through Saturday.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 50s and 60s, ranging from the lower 40s in the Panhandle to near 70 along the lower Texas coast.

Highs Saturday will be mostly in the 80s in West Texas, ranging from the 70s in the Panhandle to the lower 90s in the Big Bend area, and in the 80s and 90s in North Texas and South Texas.

Skies were mostly cloudy early today over eastern portions of the Panhandle and in the Hill Country and clear to partly cloudy over the rest of the state early today.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 40s and 50s, ranging from the upper 30s in the mountains of Southwest Texas to the lower 60s in extreme South Texas. Extremes ranged from 39 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains to 63 at El Paso.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 41 at Amarillo, 51 at Wichita Falls, 48 at Fort Worth, 51 at Waco, 50 at Austin, 44 at Houston, 52 at Corpus Christi, 58 at Brownsville, 55 at San Angelo, 49 at Lubobck and 48 at Midland.

NATION

Rain drenched parts of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts today, including areas in North Carolina that received over 2 inches from an overnight storm.

Since the rain began in the middle Atlantic states Thursday night, about 2¼ inches had fallen in Charlotte, N.C. Record rainfalls for the date were set Thursday at Charlotte and Wilmington, N.C.

Freezing rain fell over portions of the central Appalachians. Some power outages were reported south of Wilkesboro, N.C., as ice accumulated on trees and power lines.

In the West, rain was widespread over the central Pacific Coast and snow was falling over the Sierra Nevada mountains. As of late Thursday night, several inches of snow had fallen at Donner Pass, Calif. Six to 8 inches of snow was expected to fall over higher elevations near Lake Tahoe. Winds accompanying the snow have been brisk, with a gust of 55 mph reported on a mountain peak northwest of Reno, Nev.

Rain showers also were widely scattered across the northern Plains and upper Mississippi Valley.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Fair, low near 50, southerly winds 5-15 mph. Saturday: Mostly sunny, high in the middle 80s, southwest winds 15-20 and gusty.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	84 degrees
Overnight Low	45 degrees
Sunset today	7:03 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:47 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	.24 inches
Year to date	1.77 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	37	6 p.m.	78
7 a.m.	36	7 p.m.	71
8 a.m.	44	8 p.m.	66
9 a.m.	54	9 p.m.	60
10 a.m.	62	10 p.m.	56
11 a.m.	69	11 p.m.	58
noon	72	midnight	55
1 p.m.	77	1 a.m.	52
2 p.m.	81	2 a.m.	51
3 p.m.	82	3 a.m.	52
4 p.m.	83	4 a.m.	51
5 p.m.	82	5 a.m.	48
		6 a.m.	47

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Fair and mild tonight. Partly sunny and warm Saturday. Lows tonight from lower 40s Panhandle to mid 50s Concho Valley and near the Rio Grande. Highs Saturday from the mid 70s Panhandle to the mid 80s Concho Valley and Permian Basin with lower 90s Big Bend.

North Texas: Fair tonight and Saturday. Lows tonight 52 west to 58 east. Highs Saturday 82 east to 90 west.

South Texas: Becoming cloudy tonight with patchy dense fog. Mostly cloudy and breezy Saturday with widely scattered showers. Lows tonight near 60 Hill Country to near 70 lower coast. Highs Saturday in the 80s to low 90s Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	79	57	
Alice	81	53	
Amarillo	82	40	
Austin	72	49	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	71	45	
Beeville	80	52	
Brownsville	78	57	
Bryan-College Station	71	46	
Childress	79	53	
Corpus Christi	73	50	
Cotulla	80	55	
Dalhart	79	41	
Dallas	69	52	
Del Rio	75	56	
El Paso	76	61	
Fort Worth	70	48	
Galveston	68	58	
Hondo	72	48	
Houston Hobby	69	47	
Junction	79	48	
Kingsville	80	52	
Laredo	84	60	
Longview	69	42	
Lubbock	83	46	
Lufkin	73	39	
Marfa	76	35	
McAllen	83	59	
Midland-Odessa	84	47	
Mineral Wells	73	46	
Palacios	68	50	
San Angelo	79	52	
San Antonio	73	54	
Stephenville	72	45	
Texarkana	69	46	
Victoria	75	48	
Waco	72	51	
Wichita Falls	74	50	
Wink	84	44	

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, fair. Low around 50. South wind 5 to 15 mph. Saturday, mostly sunny and warm. High in mid 80s. Southwest wind 15 to 20 mph and gusty. Lake wind advisories may be required.

200 anti-abortion activists arrested

Copley News Service

LOS ANGELES — More than 200 anti-abortion protesters were arrested Thursday as Operation Rescue launched its three-day offensive and blockaded a suburban medical clinic, shouting "baby killers" at women who tried to shove their way past the siege.

Pro-choice advocates cheered as police arrested demonstrators who waved gruesome pictures of aborted fetuses outside the Family Planning Associates Medical Clinic in the Orange County community of Cypress.

Operation Rescue's founder, former used-car dealer Randall Terry, was among those who went limp upon arrest and was carried away to a waiting police van.

Cypress Police Lt. John Schaefer said all of the protesters were issued misdemeanor citations for failure to disperse and released later in the day.

More than 60 police officers in riot helmets dragged the abortion foes away from the clinic one by one, while cohorts knelt in prayer, clutched rosary beads and sang "Jesus loves the little children."

Some of the 400 anti-abortionists berated patients who showed up for a variety of gynecological appointments, including routine pap smears.

One woman who had brought her teen-aged daughter to the clinic for a pregnancy test was mobbed by militants pleading that the girl not go through with an abortion. One man thrust a two-inch-tall rubber doll in the teen-ager's face and shouted, "It's this big! Please don't kill your baby!"

"You are sick!" the woman screamed back, as police converged and escorted the mother-daughter team across the street to a holding area. "We're going to raise my grandchild!"

Two hours after the protest began, two dozen police officers made a human barrier around 20 of the clinic's patients, many who were crying and wore blankets over their head, and forced their way through a blockaded entrance.

One anti-abortionist jumped into the shoving match, flinging her tiny screaming infant at the women and demanding that they look at her "beautiful child." The baby was jostled and pushed in the chaos, but the mother refused repeated police requests to leave with her daughter.

"You're hurting the child that's alive!" shouted one officer.

"At least I'm not ripping my child limb from limb," she screamed back, as her baby cried harder.

Many protesters sobbed after the women went through the clinic's door, then suddenly broke into a chorus of "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands."

"We are here to help women from being scarred the rest of their life," said Myrna Shaneyfelt, a 62-year-old crisis pregnancy center director who traveled from Oregon for Operation Rescue. "We're saying, 'This is not a blob of tissue.'"

About 200 pro-choice advocates, including state Controller Gray Davis, feminist attorney Gloria Allred, and "St. Elsewhere" star Christina Pickles, shouted back slogans of their own, including, "Our Lives, Our Rights, Our Right to Decide."

Allred, using a bullhorn, warned anti-abortionists that they were in violation of a Los Angeles federal court order prohibiting demonstrators from getting within 15 feet of a clinic's entrances.

"Read him his rights and take him away," she chanted with others who hoisted "Freedom of Choice" signs.

Davis also appeared at a pro-choice meeting in Los Angeles before the demonstration, waving the court injunction obtained by the American Civil Liberties Union. He issued rescuers a warning: "Your right to protest does not give you license to trample on the rights of others."

Anti-abortionists, who compare themselves to the civil rights activists of the 1960s, have planned on going to jail for their cause.

In Missouri case, Texas backing Roe vs. Wade

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas' support of the U.S. Supreme Court decision legalizing abortion involves personal privacy and state's rights, the Texas attorney general's office says.

The state isn't "coming from a pro-abortion or anti-abortion stance" in signing a legal brief with six other states asking the Supreme Court to affirm its 1973 Roe vs. Wade judgment, said Elna Christopher, spokeswoman for Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox.

"We coming from more of the states' rights stance," Ms. Christopher said Thursday in describing the brief to be filed in a Missouri case before the Supreme Court that could change the landmark abortion ruling.

Mattox gave approval for Texas to be represented in the brief, which must be filed in Washington by March 30, Ms. Christopher said. She said the approval was based on the Texas Constitution and on state laws regarding abortion.

"It's an issue of privacy and of keeping the big government off people's backs," Ms. Christopher said. "Our Texas Constitution, if you look at it, was written to really keep government from interfering with individual privacy.

"That is our historical perspective and our legal perspective," she said.

"We don't have any laws like (those in) Missouri" that are involved in the Supreme Court case, Ms. Christopher said.

Texas' abortion laws require annual reporting of abortions to the state health department and disallow abortions during the last three months of pregnancy unless the mother's life is in danger, Ms. Christopher said.

Under dispute in the Missouri case is a state statute that says human life begins at conception and that unborn children have protectable interests in life, health and well-being.

The law, ruled unconstitutional by the 8th Circuit Court of Appeals, prohibits public funding of abortions or abortion counseling when the mother's life is not in danger, and it requires a doctor's determination of the viability of the fetus.

In its appeal, Missouri asked the Supreme Court to validate its law and reverse the Roe vs. Wade judgment.

Tanker spills oil off Alaskan coast

VALDEZ, Alaska (AP) — An oil tanker ran aground today about 25 miles outside this northernmost ice-free port in the United States, spilling an estimated 150,000 barrels of crude oil into Prince William Sound, the U.S. Coast Guard said.

Cmdr. Stephen McCall, commander of the port, said the Exxon Valdez was heading outbound from the Alyeska marine terminal with 1.26 million barrels of oil aboard when it ran hard aground at Bligh Reef.

"There are no reported injuries," McCall said. "We're estimating right now based on soundings of the tanks and what we can see that she's lost approximately 150,000 barrels.

"The ship is hard aground. It's not moving at this time."

McCall said emergency crews were gathering pollution response equipment and soon would be en route to the scene. Oil was still leaking from the ship, but slowly, he said.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Memorial Hospital will use $1 million of a donation from the Abell-Hanger Foundation to renovate this education facility, located at Andrews Highway and Texas Avenue. The building will be named the Abell-Hanger Medical Pavilion.

HOSPITAL

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We're delighted with the response of the Abell-Hanger Foundation."

Branson added that other donations are waiting in the wings but couldn't yet reveal their sources.

The renovated facility, located at the intersection of Andrews Highway and Texas Avenue is scheduled for August completion. It will serve as a multipurpose center for outpatient service and house a magnetic resonance imaging machine to take pictures of internal tissue.

He said the $100,000 in scholarship funds for Midland College and Texas Tech also will be a big boost to MMH, especially in a time when nurses are scarce.

"It's our major source of new nurses on an annual basis," Branson said, adding that Midland College graduates an average of 24 nurses annually from its program.

Branson said that the financing will help encourage students to choose a career in nursing.

Eileen Piwetz, chairman of Midland College's health science division and director of the associate degree of nursing program, said students will benefit immensly from the money, which will pay for books, tuitions and uniforms.

"I'm ecstatic," Piwetz said. "This is something that every other nursing school in the U.S. could only wish for. The majority of our students need financial assistance to go school.

"This is important to Midland College and the health care employers in the Midland area."

The Abell-Hanger Foundation did not comment on the gift.

In other action, directors approved purchasing $60,000 in computer software for a hospital information system.

Dr. Jim Humphreys, vice president of medical affairs, said information about about operating expenses will be pooled with other hospitals. The hospitals can compare procedures and get tips on how to cut expenses, Humphreys said.

Directors also reviewed a report showing that Clearview Hospital made a $177,336 positive contribution margin in February and a $274,792 margin this year through February.

FOWLER

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"I am proud of the strides the Midland Chamber has made over the past year," Fowler said.

"While much remains to be done and several initiatives are unfinished ... I am confident that the momentum will result in the successful completion of the chamber's ambitious program of work."

LUCAS

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Asked whether department officials had given any thought to withdrawing Lucas' name from consideration, Runkel answered, "Absolutely not."

The department offered Lucas a position in April 1962, shortly after he met then Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy on the campus of Fordham University law school.

Lucas, a New York City police officer and night law student, was part of a security detail protecting Kennedy during a speech. According to Edwin Guthman, then a Kennedy press aide and now a professor of journalism at the University of Southern California, Kennedy had a keen interest in recruiting young black law graduates such as Lucas.

Lucas moved to Washington after graduating from Fordham. It is not clear when he took the bar examination.

But, according to Justice Department spokeswoman Deborah Burstion-Wade, Lucas started as a legal assistant in the civil rights division with the understanding that he had nine months to pass the bar.

In November 1963, Lucas received a one-month extension to comply with the Justice Department's requirement, she said, adding: "From what I can tell, the time did expire" in December 1963 and Lucas had to leave the division.

Lucas became an investigator with the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights on Dec. 10, 1963, and the Federal Bureau of Investigation appointed him as a special agent on Jan. 27, 1964, Burstion-Wade said.

She said she based her statements on responses Lucas gave her to questions from a reporter. Lucas himself did not return repeated phone calls.

Lucas, 61, former sheriff and county executive in Detroit, eventually passed the bar exam in Michigan in 1971. He ran unsuccessfully as a GOP candidate for governor of Michigan in 1986. His nomination by Thornburgh has been greeted with skepticism among many civil rights leaders, who have questioned the strength of his experience in anti-discrimination law.

Lucas' resume is at variance with what he told the Justice Department this week.

The resume says he started at the FBI in 1963, not 1964. It makes no mention of his six weeks with the civil rights commission.

Lucas also claimed on his resume that he worked in the Civil Rights Division from 1962 to 1963.

However, according to Burstion-Wade, FBI personnel records show he spent only four months there — from Aug. 21 to early December of 1963.

Lucas served in the department's criminal division from an unspecified date in 1962 to August 1963, according to FBI personnel information quoted by Burstion-Wade.

In resumes dating back to 1972, Lucas has described himself as an "assistant U.S. attorney" or "an investigator and attorney in the U.S. Justice Department."

For instance, a fact sheet on Lucas provided by the Commission on the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution states that Lucas "was a civil rights investigator and attorney in the Justice Department, under United States Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy." Lucas is a member of the bicentennial commission.

In fact, Lucas was not an assistant U.S. attorney, a job title that describes attorneys from one of 94 U.S. Attorney's offices nationwide who represent the department in federal court.

Since he had not passed a bar exam, he was not an attorney of any kind at the Justice Department.

In one published interview, Lucas defended his resume's self-characterizatons, saying of his time at the Justice Deparment: "I was classified as an attorney ... There was never any doubt at all in my mind that I was an attorney with the Justice Department."

However, he later acknowledged to another interviewer that resume discrepancies were "my fault ... it was carelessness on my part."

In announcing Thornburgh's recommendation of Lucas on Feb. 24, a Justice Department press release spotlighted his work in civil rights.

"He represented the department in Tuskeegee, Ala., during the desegregation of the local schools and was a part of the team which put together information on barriers to voting by blacks," the release said.

Otherwise, Lucas has said that his record in civil rights is slim. He acknowledged in one inteview that as a private attorney, he has never handled a civil rights case.

Kansas couple's baby 'airborne'

CLAY CENTER, Kan. (AP) — Herman Hill didn't have a lot of options when his wife went into labor next to him. He was busy flying a small airplane over northwest Kansas when his wife, Sara, gave birth.

"Herman is a calm person," Mrs. Hill said.

The Hills were flying the four-seater Cessna about 300 miles from their home in Phillipsburg to Manhattan on Wednesday evening, where they had arranged for the baby's delivery at Memorial Hospital. They were about 40 miles short when Mrs. Hill gave birth to a girl weighing 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

"I talked to our county nurse a couple of weeks ago just in case something like this might happen," Mrs. Hill said.

Hill began making arrangements for an emergency landing at Clay Center when his wife went into labor.

"Nobody could seem to understand what he was saying," said Pam Spicer, co-owner of Spicer Aircraft. "So he finally just said, 'Code Red' and there were ambulances and police cars all over the place."

The couple's third child, Shiree, was "the prettiest little girl you ever saw," said one ambulance driver.

Mother and daughter were taken to Clay County Hospital, where both were reported doing fine.

BUST

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"Most of these people are not major suppliers, but they are major dealers," Van Dorn noted. "There are a high percentage of significant dealers involved."

Identification information on the suspects also came from Department of Public Safety narcotics officers, the Drug Enforcement Administration, and the Midland District Attorney's office, according to Painter.

Billy Ray, chief of the police Investigative Services Division, praised the operation.

"It is going to put a crimp in their style," he predicted. "Sooner or later they will get the message."

Investigators explained the high number of cocaine-related indictments as characteristic of the popularity of the drug, which has gained recent popularity in Midland in its derivative form known as "crack."

Cash and weapons as well as vehicles — if prosecutors believe they were used during the sale of drugs — may be taken away from the suspects.

"There will be assets seized and attempts made at forfeitures," said Assistant District Attorney Wayne Frost.

Painter said most of the suspects should be in jail by the weekend.

"We aren't naive enough to believe this is going to stop narcotics, but it is getting dealers off the street."

The task force operation comes less than a month after a highly successful Midland police sting operation resulted in the indictment of 37 persons on drug charges.

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STATE

Adams won't face second murder trial

DALLAS (AP) — As Randall Dale Adams arrived home to rousing cheers from well-wishers, the Dallas County district attorney declared he will not retry the one-time drifter convicted in the 1976 shooting death of a police officer.

That decision prompted Adams' defense attorney to proclaim the former death row inmate finally vindicated.



Vance

"It's almost impossible to find sufficient, credible evidence to try a case that is 13 years old," District Attorney John Vance said at a Thursday afternoon news conference.

Convicted and sentenced to die in 1977 for the murder of Dallas police officer Robert Wood, Adams was released earlier this week on a $50,000 personal recognizance bond following the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals' reversal of his conviction.

He came within three days of execution in 1980 before his sentence was commuted to life in prison.

Adams, who has maintained his innocence, was featured in the Errol Morris documentary movie "The Thin Blue Line."

"I've been standing a twilight zone for the past 12½ years," Adams said after his arrival Thursday at the Port Columbus International Airport in Columbus, Ohio. "I was in that twilight zone until the door opened. Thank God it did."

About 100 people, including family members and Morris, greeted Adams. He and his mother, Mildred Adams, embraced after he stepped off the plane.

"You're supposed to have a resurrection around Easter," Mrs. Adams said. "I guess this is it."

Morris had to battle a swarm of reporters and photographers to get close to Adams. Then he and his movie protagonist embraced.

Adams was skeptical when told of Vance's announcement in Dallas.

"I'll wait until I hear it from my attorney," Adams told reporters. "I'm not supposed to talk about the case."

Meanwhile, in Houston, Adams' attorney Randy Schaffer said his client's name has been cleared and that Adams has been vindicated.

"I'm now satisfied the final chapter has been written," Schaffer said.

The national attention given the case probably forced Vance to drop it, Schaffer said.

"My perception is the publicity for his office had gotten so bad in this thing — after the games they played before a national audience and the public outcry was so outraged by their conduct — they finally realized they were losing credibility," he said.

But Vance defended prosecutors' actions, including a legal fight earlier this week that temporarily held up Adams' release.

"The easy route would have been to release Mr. Adams immediately. However, my obligation is not to the media or to play the part of the hero," Vance said. "My responsibility in every case is to the victim, his family, Dallas County citizens and the state of Texas."

On March 1, the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals threw out Adams' conviction, stating he had not received a fair trial because prosecutors suppressed evidence and witnesses lied on the stand.

Vance said a motion to dismiss the capital murder charge against Adams had been filed with state District Judge Larry Baraka, who in December recommended Adams be retried. Baraka approved the motion late Thursday.

After "The Thin Blue Line" raised doubts about the testimony of the state's key witness, David Harris, pressure mounted to re-examine the case.

Harris picked up Adams the day of the shooting after Adams' car ran out of gas. Harris testified in Adams' trial that Wood had pulled over Harris' car and Adams shot the officer.

But in the documentary, in several interviews and in the hearing last year, Harris changed his story. He said Adams did not shoot Wood, and he provided so many details of the crime that Baraka said he considered Harris' testimony a virtual confession.

Harris was not charged in the Wood killing but is on death row for another slaying.

The district attorney previously said his decision on Adams' case would rest with prosecutors' ability to find two key witnesses — a woman investigators had not spoken with in 13 years and a man who identified Adams, but later claimed he had forgotten his original testimony.

Vance said Thursday he doesn't believe Harris confessed and he doesn't expect him to be tried for the Wood killing.

Doug Mulder, the prosecutor who tried Adams' case and the man Schaffer and Morris alleged withheld evidence during the trial, would not return calls to his home or office Thursday from The Associated Press.

Officials with the Dallas Police Department said they had not been told of Vance's decision prior to the district attorney's public announcement.

Detective J. Copeland of the department's Crimes Against Persons Division said the case probably will not be reopened.

"It's just too bad they can let a guy out because somebody makes a movie that isn't right," Copeland said. "They (prosecutors) know best if they have a triable case or not. In this business you have to roll with the punches."

Adams returns home to family, flowers

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Randall Dale Adams returned home to hugs from his mother, flowers from well wishers, a job offer from the mayor and word from Texas that a murder charge for which he was nearly executed was being dropped.

"I couldn't have dreamed this. I knew I would be home, but not this way," said Adams, whose 1977 conviction was questioned in the 12th year of his prison term by the movie "The Thin Blue Line."

Adams was set free Tuesday, a few weeks after the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals set aside the conviction, saying prosecutors had suppressed evidence and witnesses had given perjured testimony.

In the film documentary, an inmate on death row for another murder recanted his testimony against Adams and all but confessed to the 1976 killing of Dallas Police Officer Robert Wood.

About 100 people cheered loudly Thursday as the 40-year-old suburban Grove City native rushed through an airport gate and into the arms of his mother, Mildred Adams.

He was presented with a daffodil lei, an Ohio State Buckeyes cap and an Easter basket topped with a yellow ribbon.

"I feel happy, really happy," said Mrs. Adams, clutching her son's arm as they left the gate. "You're supposed to have a resurrection around Easter. I guess this is it."

Adams fought back tears as he embraced Errol Morris, director of "The Thin Blue Line." Another cheer arose minutes later when news arrived that the Dallas County district attorney announced he was dropping the case.

But Adams, who appeared flushed and complained of feeling ill shortly after arriving from Texas, cautioned against enthusiasm.



AP Laserphoto

Randall Dale Adams and his mother, Mildred, embrace upon his arrival Thursday in Columbus, Ohio. In Texas, authorities announced the charges that had kept Adams in prison for more than 12 years had been dismissed.

"I'll wait until I hear it from my attorney," he said.

In Houston, Adams' attorney said his client's name has been cleared and that Adams has been vindicated.

"I'm now satisfied the final chapter has been written," attorney Randy Schaffer said.

District Attorney John Vance told reporters in Dallas that it was unlikely enough evidence could be produced to retry Adams.

Adams, who was unemployed before his arrest, said he had no immediate plans, although he is mulling a job offer from Columbus Mayor Dana Rinehart, who was among those greeting him at Port Columbus International Airport.

Rinehart said he will discuss what jobs are available with Adams once he settles in at home.

Adams, who in 1980 came within three days of execution before his sentence was commuted to life in prison, said he harbors no ill feelings toward Texas officials and gave Morris and his film partial credit for his release.

"I still believe I eventually would have won. It may have taken us some time, but thankfully ... Errol was sent to me by my fates."

Mrs. Adams agreed.

"I don't have any hard feelings for anyone. Randy's home," she said, adding that she now considers Morris "another one of my sons."

Adams and his family planned to spend the evening at a private gathering at Mrs. Adams home.

"It's going to take some time. We need time to have the family together," he said.

Leader of jury expresses doubt about Adams' guilt

DALLAS (AP) — The forewoman of the jury that sentenced Randall Dale Adams to die in the electric chair for the murder of a Dallas police officer says she now doesn't believe the man was guilty.

Bette Jane Fain, now 66, told The Dallas Morning News Thursday, "Based on everything that I have seen and read and on this man's reactions, I just don't believe the man is guilty."

"If he had gone to the death chamber and all this had come out later, that would have been a horrible thing to have on my conscience," she said.

Adams, who was once within three days of facing death for the shooting of Robert Wood, was freed on bond earlier this week after the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals ordered a new trial.

The charge was then dismissed after Dallas County District Attorney John Vance said he would not seek a new trial for Adams, who got the news Thursday as he arrived in his native Ohio for a reunion with his mother.

Adams' death sentence was overturned by the U.S. Supreme Court in 1980 on grounds of improper jury selection and Gov. Bill Clements commuted the sentence to life in prison.

In ordering a new trial for Adams, the appeals court ruled that prosecutor Doug Mulder had allowed a key witness to commit perjury and had suppressed evidence that the witness' original description of the killer did not match Adams.

"It makes you wonder sometimes about the judicial system," said juror Elliott Rammey, 47, a Texas Instruments Inc. employee. "If somebody as powerful as the DA's office can manipulate witnesses, it seems to me there's something wrong."

"Hopefully, we'll all learn something from it," he added.

Mulder, now in private law practice in Dallas, did not return telephone calls Thursday, the newspaper reported. In the past, he has denied any misconduct and said he believes Adams is guilty.

"If anything was kept from us, I blame Doug Mulder," said juror Doris Hooper. "What happened is not the jury's fault."

Arrangements being made to move convicted killer back to Amarillo

AMARILLO (AP) — Authorities were arranging Thursday for the return to Texas of a convicted killer who had been a fugitive for more than three years, officials said.

Lafayette Russell Wynne, who has been on the run since being convicted of a 1982 killing, was apprehended Wednesday in California by FBI agents on a federal warrant for unlawful flight to avoid prosecution. He was being held in the San Diego County Sheriff's Department while authorities arrange his transfer to Potter County.

Wynne, a former captain of the Amarillo Police Department's detective division, was found guilty of the 1982 shooting of Amarillo oilman Erle Winston Mathis in 1985 but has eluded authorities since.

Wynne's original 1983 conviction was overturned by an appeals court in 1984, more than a year after he began serving a 50-year sentence.

He was convicted again in a new trial in September 1985, but disappeared before the jury handed down a 55-year sentence.

Authorities listed Wynne with Interpol as an international fugitive and had reports Wynne had been seen in El Paso, New Mexico and Colorado while on the run.

A source in Amarillo led FBI agents to Wynne, living in a mobile home park in Spring Valley, Calif., under the name of Wayne Nail, said Potter County district attorney Danny Hill.

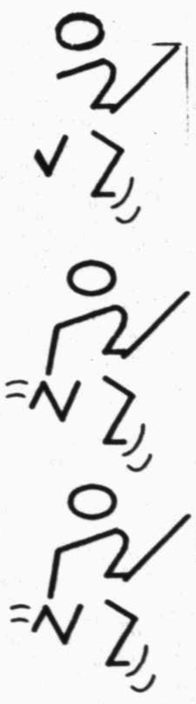
Hill said tracking down Wynne was difficult because the fugitive's law enforcement experience made him familiar with steps authorities would take to find him.

Meanwhile, Wynne's wife, Margie, could face charges of harboring a fugitive, said Hill.

Mrs. Wynne was subpoenaed in January and refused to appear before the grand jury.

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Bush unveils $4.5 million-per-month Contra aid program

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WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush, unveiling a bipartisan Contra aid plan as the first plank of his emerging foreign policy, today outlined a $4.5-million-per-month aid program that commits his administration to support Central American peace efforts.

The agreement, breaking a long history of partisan polarization on U.S. policy toward the region, for the first time offers money to the Nicaraguan rebels to resettle in their native country and rejoin political life there.

"We will be speaking with one voice" on Nicaragua, Bush said with congressional leaders at his side, striking a sharp contrast to what was perhaps the most divisive issue of the Reagan administration.

"Insurgent forces have the right to re-integrate into their homeland" under the agreement, Bush said. Congressional Democrats, in turn, agreed to support Bush's request for an extension of humanitarian aid to the Contras at current levels.

"Does it mean an end to the war? Let's hope so," said Secretary of State James A. Baker III, a chief architect of the compromise accord.

"The burden of proof is on the Sandinista government to comply" with democratic overtures, Bush said.

Bush mentioned no specific figure for continued aid to the rebels, but Senate Democratic Leader George Mitchell said the money was to flow at the current rate. Baker said it would amount to $4.5 million a month for 10 months.

In advance, sources said the accord called for Congress to extend aid to the anti-Sandinista Contra rebels, now scheduled to end after this month, through Feb. 28, 1990. In exchange, the administration pledges to support peace efforts of the five Central American presidents and the eventual reintegration of the rebels into Nicaraguan political life.

Baker was asked if the payments amounted to "mustering out pay" for the Contras and if the agreement sounded the "death knell" for the anti-Sandinista forces.

"No, it is not mustering out pay," the secretary said. He said the agreement calls for the restoration of democracy to Nicaragua and to the voluntary "re-integration" of the Contras into Nicaraguan society.

The agreement, in the works for the past month, came together after a series of meetings Thursday between Baker and Democrats and Republicans on both sides of the Capitol.

"I want to salute the speaker," Baker said in introducing House Speaker Jim Wright, the Democratic leader who was at odds on Contra policy with the previous GOP administration.

"We began talking a very long time ago it seems," Wright said, adding that he spoke with Bush two days after the Nov. 8 election about a shift to bipartisan foreign policy-making. Even before announcing the agreement, prominent Democrats were embracing the change.

"We are trusting the administration, and they are trusting us," said Rep. David Obey, D-Wis. "I do think the administration is legitimate on this."

"We all have to admit that the policy failed to some extent because we were not united," Baker said. "We had an executive branch going in one direction and a Congress going in the other."

Despite the air of harmony at the White House news conference, the congressional leaders warned that the plan is not universally supported on Capitol Hill.

"It will not be unanimous on either side of the aisle," Mitchell said, a prediction echoed by his Republican counterpart, Sen. Bob Dole.

In Baker's early forays to the Capitol, he presented lawmakers with a secret 10-page policy statement that included a timetable for democratization steps in Nicaragua, along with rewards and punishments the United States could mete out at each juncture.

In the end, he was able to secure agreement only on a two-page statement of broad goals which alluded to the need for carrots and sticks to move the Sandinista government toward democracy, but which eliminated most specifics.

Much of the two-page U.S. policy statement, which had been stamped "Secret" and kept under close wraps by Baker, consisted of broad and general policy pronouncements reaffirming democratic goals for the region.

Iraq admits using poison gas in conflicts

By JOHN P. WALLACH
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Iraq admitted this week for the first time that it used chemical weapons against its own Kurdish minority during Iraq's Persian Gulf War with Iran and after the fighting was halted in a cease-fire last August.

Iraq's deputy foreign minister, Nizar Hamdoon, also justified his country's of poison gas against its arch-enemy Iran starting in 1983. He spoke in response to questions from a small group of reporters and think-tank scholars at a dinner party here Tuesday evening.

Last fall, replying to U.S. charges, Iraq denied it had used poison gas against the dissident Kurds. At that time, some Iraqi officials admitted use of chemical weapons against Iran but only, they said, in retaliation for Iranian gas attacks against Iraq.

Hamdoon, former Iraqi ambassador to the United States, said at the dinner that his nation "should not be singled out" for public condemnation since Iran also used such weapons. He added that Iraq is prepared to negotiate international safeguards against any future use of chemical weapons.

"It's clear Iraq used those during the war. I don't deny it," Hamdoon told his dinner guests. Speaking of attacks on the Kurds as well as the Iranians, he said: "We use any means to defend our survival." Hamdoon added that "chemical stuff is not more devastating than nuclear weapons."

Hamdoon drew a parallel between Iraq's use of poison gas, which he said enabled Iraqi forces to regain the offensive during the nine-year war, and the U.S. use of nuclear weapons against Japan which, he said, ended World War II and saved as many as a million American lives.

The Iraqi official also said that the use of chemical weapons during the Persian Gulf war "was well understood" by the Reagan administration and that the United States did not protest directly to Iraqi leaders until they were used after the war itself was over. Iraq has been charged with 10 or more chemical-weapon attacks on its Kurkish population between April 1987 and October 1988.

However, State Department spokesman Charles Redman denied any U.S. acquiescence. "That's not true," Redman said. "It was never well understood. He added that once U.S. officials were aware such chemical warfare by Iraq. "You can find any number of references in my public briefings where we condemned it."

Pressed on the question of whether the United States at any time tacitly approved poison-gas usage by Iraq, Redman said: "Absolutely not."

Iraq received the brunt of international condemnation for a poison gas attack on March 16, 1988 against thousands of inhabitants of Halabja, in Iraqi Kurdistan, a province along the border with Iran, where the Kurdish minority was actively helping Iran.

Halabja became a worldwide symbol of the agony of the Kurdish people because Iranian forces captured the town shortly after the gas attack and invited Western reporters to film the devastating effects.

The television footage was seen by then Vice President George Bush, who vowed during his presidential campaign to make international outlawing of chemical weapons one of his top foreign policy priorities.

On August 26, after the ceasefire had been accepted, the U.N. Security Council passed a resolution condemning the use of chemical weapons and promising to take "appropriate and effective action" if they were used again.

But Iraq blocked demands for a U.N. investigation. In September, after a meeting with Secretary of State George Shultz, Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz, declared that Iraq would refrain from future use of chemical weapons.



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Some of the 15 students from Boston University are seen Thursday with signs picketing outside a Burger King restaurant in Boston, during a demonstration against a proposed training wage by various restaurants and the Bush administration.

Rubella at all-time low, still high among young adults, officials say

ATLANTA (AP) — Reported cases of rubella have declined 99 percent in the 20 years since a vaccine was licensed, but health officials say many people who still get the disease are women of childbearing age.

Of the cases reported during a three-year period, 58.2 percent occurred in people 15 and over, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control said Thursday.

The statistics for 1985-87 did not indicate the sex of the rubella patients, but the CDC noted that age group includes women of childbearing age.

"The continued occurrence of rubella in childbearing-aged populations suggests that potentially preventable cases of congenital rubella syndrome may continue to occur during the next 10-30 years," the Atlanta-based CDC said in its weekly report.

Rubella, also known as German measles, is most dangerous when it attacks pregnant women, said CDC epidemiologist Dr. Paul A. Stehr-Green.

Though the main symptom of rubella is a mild rash for adults, it can cause serious birth defects or fetal deaths, he said.

"The real danger of rubella is when a (pregnant) woman is exposed to the virus," Stehr-Green said. "It can cause serious birth defects, including cataracts, heart disease, enlargement of the liver and spleen and mental retardation."

The licensing of a rubella vaccine in 1969 followed a major epidemic from 1962-64 in which 12.5 million cases were reported in the United States and there were 11,000 fetal deaths.

But the latest CDC figures show there were just 221 U.S. cases of rubella reported in 1988.

That amounted to 0.1 case per 100,000 people and represented the lowest total since 1966, when the government began compiling statistics on the disease.

In 1987, the latest year for which complete figures are available, there were 306 cases of rubella reported in the United States, the CDC said.

"Though the numbers themselves are a lot lower, the proportion of cases among young adults is increasing," Stehr-Green said.

Statistics from Illinois, Michigan and New York City — the only areas that at the time reported rubella cases by specific age groups — indicate that from 1966-68, the last three years before the rubella vaccine was licensed, people in the 15-and-older age group accounted for just 22.9 percent of the cases.

The Public Health Service, in its health objectives issued in 1980, set a goal of fewer than 1,000 overall rubella cases and fewer than 10 congenital cases a year by 1990.

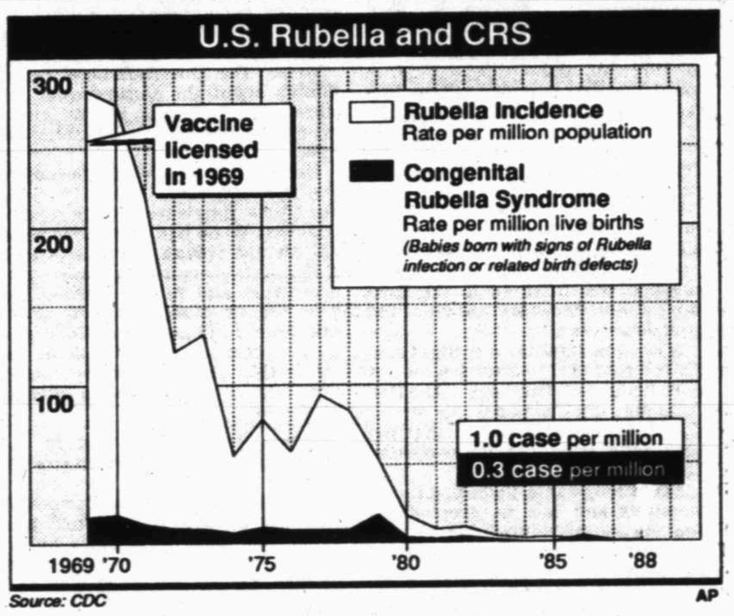
"Although the goal for (congenital rubella syndrome) has also been reached, unacceptable morbidity is still occurring," the CDC said in its weekly report.

There was one case of congenital rubella syndrome reported in 1988, according to the CDC, but three already had been reported this year through Wednesday.

Stehr-Green said most of the rubella cases occurring now stem from people failing to get vaccinated, though there are some cases of the vaccine failing to work.

"There is some percentage of people who get the vaccine, and for a variety of reasons, it doesn't take," he said. "But this is more an issue of failure to vaccinate rather than a failure of the vaccine."

The government recommends that children get rubella vaccine when they are 15 months old. Stehr-Green said adults who are not sure if they've been vaccinated are advised to get the shot again.



House OKs minimum wage increase; Bill shifts to Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — House passage of a plan to raise the minimum wage shifts the partisan battle to the Senate, where the leading proponent of an increase is urging President Bush to refrain from further veto threats while Congress settles on a final bill.

The House voted 248-171 Thursday in favor of legislation that would raise the minimum wage from the current $3.35 an hour to $4.55 by October 1991, with the first increase taking effect later this year.

The House then joined the Senate on an Easter recess that ends April 3.

High on the Senate agenda when it returns is a bill sponsored by Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., that would raise the minimum wage to $4.65 by 1992.

Kennedy has said he is open to amending his bill, and in a statement issued after the House vote he asked Bush, who has threatened to veto any attempt to raise the hourly minimum above $4.25, to keep an open mind until the House and Senate agree on a bill.

"This is an excellent opportunity for Congress and the administration to demonstrate that they can work together and in doing so achieve a fair increase in the minimum wage and an honest training wage," Kennedy said.

Bush has insisted that a six-month sub-minimum training wage covering all newly hired employees be created in any legislation to raise the minimum wage, a provision he said will help offset potential job losses caused by raising the minimum.

Sponsors of the House bill, while disputing GOP projections of massive job losses, added a provision allowing a sub-minimum wage to be paid to new hires for two months provided it was their first job.

That falls far short of the White House demand and, with Kennedy also opposed to Bush's training-wage proposal, that issue likely will be a major sticking point in any attempts to reach a compromise.

Several Republicans insisted that Democrats were going to have to give in to Bush — who appears to have the votes to sustain a veto — or let a ninth year pass without any change in the minimum wage.

"The question is do you want a bill or do you want a political issue?" Rep. Steve Gunderson, R-Wis., said during an unsuccessful GOP effort to substitute Bush's proposal for the House leadership's measure. "If you truly want to raise the minimum wage this is the only game in town."

But Democrats argued they had given enough by cutting the final increase from $4.65 an hour to $4.55 and by adding the new-hire wage.

As amended, the House bill would boost the minimum wage to $3.85 an hour on Oct. 1, to $4.25 on Oct. 1, 1990, and to $4.55 a year later. The provision for the new-hire wage, to be pegged at 85 percent of the minimum wage, would expire Sept. 30, 1992.

It also would expand exemptions allowing small businesses to pay wages lower than the minimum wage and would allow employers of workers who earn tips to pay them 50 percent of the minimum wage, down from the current 60 percent.

Reluctance to disclose threats spurs criticism

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government reluctance to make public an air terrorism threat in Europe is bringing new calls from relatives of the Pan Am Flight 103 bombing victims for disclosure of all serious threats against commercial aviation.

White House, State Department and Transportation Department officials all attempted on Thursday to downplay the hijacking threat against U.S. airlines in Western Europe. Still, some officials, Transportation Secretary Samuel Skinner in particular, expressed anger that it was released to the public in leaks to British news media.

But several relatives of victims of the Dec. 21 bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland said they believe the way the government handles terrorism bulletins warns diplomatic and military personnel while keeping other potential passengers uninformed about risks.

British investigators have concluded that a terrorist bomb concealed in a radio-cassette player blew up the Boeing 747 over Scotland, killing all 259 people aboard and 11 others on the ground in Lockerbie, Scotland.

The relatives, in telephone interviews, criticized government failure to provide the public with information about terrorist warnings, such as the March 16 memorandum sent by the Federal Aviation Administration to airlines, airports and European security officials.

The FAA acknowledged the existence of the memo, but declined to discuss its contents, which were nonetheless reported by the Daily Express and other London news media.

The newspaper said a hijacking by three Palestinians was threatened during the Easter weekend.

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North aide was told Iran arms funds went to Contras

WASHINGTON (AP) — A National Security Council aide to Oliver North says he assumed that profits from a 270 percent price markup on weapons secretly sold to Iran were funncled to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels.

Marine Lt. Col. Robert Earl testified Thursday that North brought him into the Iran arms-for-hostage deal in April 1986.

"At some point in my briefing...it was mentioned that part of the monies that the Ayatollah was providing would be going to support the Contras in Nicaragua," Earl testified.

As the NSC aide prepared for a May 1986 shipment of Hawk missile spare parts, "I remember Lt. Col. North asking for some help" in determining how much to charge the Iranians.

Earl, a former Rhodes scholar, looked at the markup on a previous arms shipment and, based on that, charged the Iranians $3.70 for each dollar in cost to the U.S. government.

North is charged with lying to the attorney general on Nov. 23, 1986, by denying that the NSC was involved in the diversion of funds to the Contras and by saying Israel determined the amount of the diversion.

North and former national security adviser Robert McFarlane made what turned out to be an unsuccessful trip to Tehran in May 1985 in an attempt to gain release of the U.S. hostages held in Lebanon.

Shuttle departs Texas

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A jumbo jet carrying the space shuttle Discovery continued its cross-country journey home Friday after a refueling and overnight stop in Texas.

The Boeing 747 transport took off from Kelly Air Force Base at 8:52 a.m. CST on its way to the Kennedy Space Center at Cape Canaveral, Fla., said Kelly spokesman 2nd Lt. Dave Ebner.

The transport left Edwards Air Force Base in California at 1:01 CST Thursday and landed at Kelly at 4:20 p.m. CST, was refueled and spent the night before departing this morning.

Discovery blasted off March 13 on a five-day mission that deployed the last of three Tracking and Data Relay Satellites to complete the National Aeronautics and Space Administraion's shuttle communications system.

The orbiter landed at dawn Saturday in the California desert. It was originally scheduled to begin a one-day flight to Florida at dawn today, but preparations went smoothly and the journey began a day early.

Missile to undergo test

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M. (AP) — A missile designed to be the "Star Wars" system's final defense against enemy nuclear warheads is scheduled to undergo its first test this summer, according to the Army.

The High Endoatmospheric Defense Interceptor — HEDI for short — would shoot down warheads that got past the Strategic Defense Initiative's first two barriers, project manager Alan Sherer said Wednesday.

The rocket, patterned after the anti-ballistic missiles of the 1960s, is scheduled to be tested in July at White Sands Missile Range by the U.S. Army Strategic Defense Command. It is intended to collide with and destroy warheads as they enter the atmosphere about 50,000 feet high.

In effect, the device is a Sprint missile with a big grenade for a warhead. The warhead, equipped with little maneuvering rockets, would jettison from the booster rocket in mid-flight and use an infrared seeker to zoom toward its target. Then the warhead would explode in a burst of pellets.

'Good things' seen in talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush praised U.S. talks with the Palestine Liberation Organization in an interview published today and said he would try to convince Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir "something good might come out of this kind of discussion."

"I will tell him that the talks that we ... are having with the PLO representatives there in Tunisia are good things, and we'll tell him why I think they are good things," Bush said in the interview with The Washington Times.

Bush is scheduled to meet with Shamir, who refuses to speak with PLO representatives, in Washington on April 6.

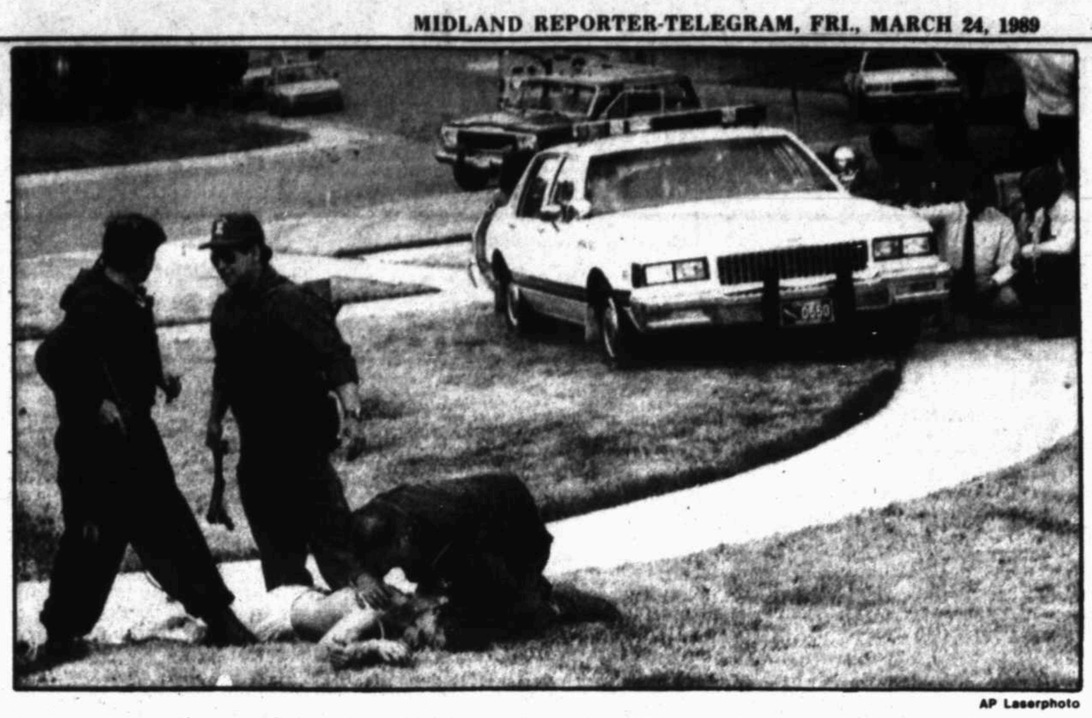
Pacemaker firm to pay

WASHINGTON (AP) — A company that admitted selling defective heart pacemakers has agreed to pay $5 million to settle claims that it defrauded the government, the Justice Department says.

The Cordis Corp. in Miami is satisfied with the agreement, said Chick McDowell, vice president for corporate relations, who noted that the company already has spent $4 million in legal fees and associated costs.

"What we did is we paid $1 million yesterday with the signing, and the balance of $4 million will be paid in three equal annual installments at 7½ percent interest," McDowell said Thursday.

The agreement, announced Thursday by the Justice Department, was simply to reimburse the government for pacemakers purchased directly by the Veterans Administration or that were subject to reimbursement through Medicare and Medicaid programs.



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Arapahoe County, Colorado officers stand over a suspected gunman Thursday in the south Denver suburb of Littleton moments after the end of a 10-hour crime spree, which resulted in the shooting deaths of two women, two rapes and wounds three.

Two killed in 10-hour crime spree

LITTLETON, Colo. (AP) — A man with an insatiable appetite for cocaine killed two women with a semi-automatic gun and wounded two deputies and a hostage before killing himself during 10 hours of rape and terror, authorities said.

Eugene Thompson Jr., 20, of Littleton, was armed with a MAC-11 assault pistol when he broke into a woman's suburban Denver house early Thursday and began his crime spree.

The rampage, during which he raped two women, ended in a gunbattle at a townhouse as 100 officers searched house-to-house for him.

Thompson opened fire on the two officers who burst into the townhouse, hitting one in the chest and neck and the other in the leg, authorities said. He then shot 18-year-old Jake Carper four times in the back, went upstairs and shot himself in the head.

"A madman, it appears, is what we have," said Douglas County Sheriff Steve Zotos. "We were hoping it wouldn't end this way, but I don't know of any other way it could have ended. There is just no reason to this whole thing."

Thompson died at a hospital three hours after he shot himself.

Carper, who lives in the townhouse, remained in critical condition.

Arapahoe County Deputy Arthur L. Hilton, 37, was in serious condition with wounds to the chest. Deputy Daniel Thomas, 36, was released after treatment.

Thompson, a suspect in at least 140 thefts and burglaries, was wanted on arrest warrants that were issued Monday for his failure to appear in Golden District Court for probation revocation, authorities said.

He had been enrolled in a cocaine residence treatment program as part of his probation for thefts but was kicked out after being caught stealing, said Eugene Strauber, regional vice president of the Cenikor Foundation cocaine residence treatment program in the Denver suburb of Lakewood.

"He had an appetite for drugs — mostly for cocaine — that he couldn't keep up with," said Lakewood police Detective George McGlynn. "And that's what led to this."

It wasn't known if Thompson was on drugs during his rampage — an autopsy was pending. But Douglas County Sheriff's Lt. Bill Walker said, "We know he had been using cocaine heavily in recent weeks."

The trouble began around 5 a.m. when Thompson broke into 47-year-old Beverly Swartz's house in Littleton, authorities said. She called for help, but hung up before she could give her address. Authorities traced the call but when they arrived she and her car were gone. Her husband, Ralph, summoned from work, arrived at the house and was talking with investigators when the telephone rang.

It was his father, Oscar Swartz, calling for help.

Thompson had driven the woman to her in-law's home outside Littleton, broke in at gunpoint and tied up the three — Beverly, Oscar and his 68-year-old wife, Janice.

"He raped the younger woman downstairs, then executed her," Sheriff Zotos said. "Then he executed the older one upstairs."

Thompson then stole a car, and drove about 10 miles to Douglas County south of Denver, where he broke into a house, held a man, woman and child at gunpoint and raped the woman, Zotos said.

About 30 minutes after leaving the house, he crashed a stolen car into a fence and fled, setting off the manhunt.

During their search, police warned schools to lock their doors, and told residents to stay inside. About 25,000 school children were kept in their classes.

"What do you do if the crazy guy busts in the school? And I don't know how to answer it. It's a shame it's got to a point in our society where we've got to worry about this," said Bob Dye, Dry Creek Elementary School principal.

Officers tracked Thompson to Littleton, where he broke into Carper's house and shot him and the officers.

"All (Carper) said was, 'Jesus Christ! Jesus Christ! He shot me and then went upstairs and shot himself,'" Arapahoe County Sheriff Pat Sullivan said.

The MAC-11 is a semiautomatic weapon that can be purchased over-the-counter. Sullivan said there was evidence the weapon had been modified to be fully automatic. He said the gun fires 32 rounds and only five were left when the gun was finally recovered.

A day before his deputies were wounded, Sullivan lashed out at the sales of semiautomatic weapons in a nine-page position paper for the state Legislature.

Letters push maximum punishment for Steinberg

NEW YORK (AP) — Convicted child-killer Joel Steinberg wants a judge to "feel he is worthy of redemption," his attorney said, but hundreds of letter writers urged he get the maximum punishment for his daughter's death.

Steinberg's lawyer, Perry Reich, said Steinberg would address the court before his sentencing today in the death of 6-year-old Lisa, the illegally adopted daughter he raised.

Steinberg, 47, was convicted Jan. 30 of first-degree manslaughter in the November 1987 beating death. The maximum penalty is eight to 25 years in prison. He was acquitted of a more serious charge of second-degree murder.

"Joel wants the judge to assess his humanity, to see his sorrow at Lisa's death and to feel he is worthy of redemption," Reich said Thursday. "He's simply going to express himself as a human being."

If sentenced to the maximum, Steinberg would be eligible for parole in less than seven years because he has already been jailed for nearly 17 months since his arrest.

Sources who spoke on condition of anonymity said state Supreme Court Justice Harold Rothwax has gotten hundreds of letters from adoptive parents, childless couples and people abused as children urging him to throw the book at Steinberg.

The sources said letters from Alaska to Florida also came from child advocacy groups and domestic violence projects, including a Georgia organization responsible for writing more than 100 letters.

Not one of the letters recommended mercy for Steinberg, the sources said, and some demanded the death penalty, which New York lacks.

Rothwax, asked to make the letters public, said he had destroyed any letters involving the case.

But a family advocacy group, Family Dynamics Inc., showed reporters its letter to the judge, which said the maximum sentence "will communicate that unspeakable crimes against children shall not be condoned."

A disbarred lawyer, Steinberg had received the child shortly after birth from an unwed teen-ager and raised her as his own rather than arranging for the baby's adoption as he had promised.

Lawmakers urge focus placed on Los Angeles

By BOB REHG
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Two southern California congressional members are urging National Drug Policy Director William J. Bennett to shift his focus away from the nation's capital and recognize Los Angeles as the city most in need of federal aid to curb drug-related violence.

In a letter sent to Bennett this week, U.S. Reps. Howard Berman and Mel Levine, both Los Angeles area Democrats, argued that the migration of drug-dealing street gang members from Los Angeles into Washington is "perhaps the primary reason" for Washington's growing number of drug-related murders.

Bennett is considering targeting Washington, which has become the nation's "murder capital" as a result of its per capita murder rate, as a "high intensity drug/crime area."

Washington's per capita murder last year was 59 per 100,000 compared with 22 per 100,000 for Los Angeles.

A "high intensity drug/crime area" designation for the nation's capital would pave the way for using the city as a test site for increased federal efforts to deal with drug-related crimes. The efforts could involve using federal law enforcement agents as well as a mix of antidrug education and treatment programs.

Berman and Levine, however, said that "the situation will continue to deteriorate in Washington and other cities in which L.A. gangs are operating" until more federal resources are devoted to Southern California.

The U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration estimates that 40 percent of all cocaine coming into the United States enters through the Los Angeles area, where street gangs with ties to Colombian, Jamaican and Mexican dealers then circulate drugs through a network that has expanded to as many as 50 cities across the country.

"Rather than focus on treating the symptoms of the disease (in Washington), we urge you to go right to the source and declare an all-out war on drugs and gangs in Los Angeles and Southern California," the two congressmen wrote to Bennett.

While Bennett has acknowledged that street gang members have moved from Los Angeles into Washington, he also has said the nation's capital would be a convenient test site for expanded federal efforts because it is readily accessible for administrative overview.

"Washington is the nation's murder capital and it's right here under our own nose," said Larry Cirignano, a spokesman for Bennett's new Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Gene Smith, a Berman aide, countered: "We don't want L.A. to drop off the radar screen just because Washington is where (federal officials) live."

Cirignano said "there would definitely not be any additional cities under review" for designation as a "high intensity drug area" other than Washington.

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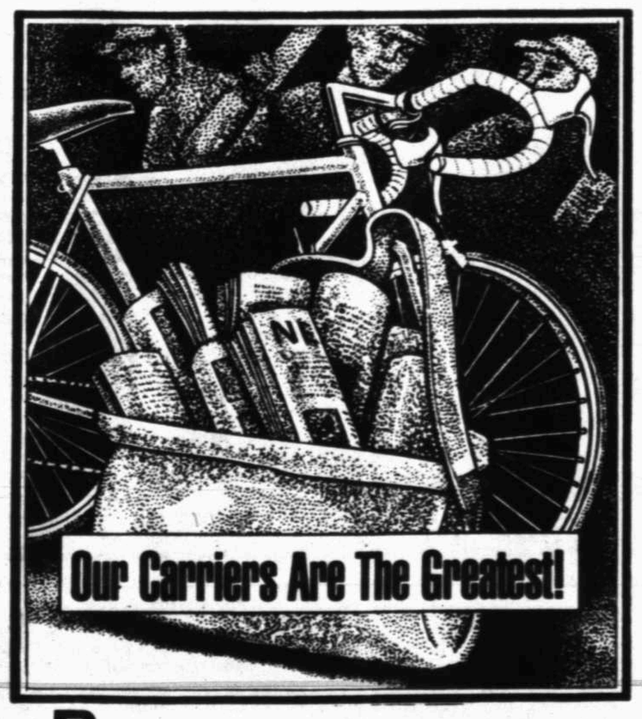
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Ownership change good for Rangers

Many Midlanders have been fans of the Texas Rangers baseball team for years, but now there's an additional reason for them to have an interest in the Dallas-area team. A former Midlander, George W. Bush, is one of the three new owners of the Rangers.

Bush, who lived in Midland until a couple of years ago when he left to join his father's quest for the presidency, was approved by baseball commissioner Peter Ueberroth as one of the new owners. The other men are Edward "Rusty" Rose and Richard Rainwater.

The new owners even gave Eddie Chiles, the former owner also known as "Mad" Eddie Chiles, a classy way to move away from the Rangers. They chose to make Chiles chairman of the board for the next three years, which was a noteworthy gesture for his hard work in the team's interest.

There is a question now as to whether the Rangers will remain in Arlington or move to Dallas. The current stadium is insufficient for their needs and although Arlington wants a new stadium built at the present site or nearby, Dallas business boosters want a downtown Dallas stadium for the Rangers.

To fans living in Midland, the stadium battle is really less significant than the fact that the Rangers are a Texas team and one of the new owners is a former resident. When Midlanders, who also throw their support behind the local Midland Angels team, choose to travel to the Dallas area to see a Rangers game, it's actually of little consequence whether the game will be played in Dallas or Arlington.

The Dallas Morning News noted in an editorial comment recently that the Bush-Rose-Rainwater purchase of the Rangers is "good for Texas, and the Dallas-Fort Worth area." We're certain of the fact.

Now Dallas and Arlington should quickly resolve the question of where the Rangers will be playing future games and put this change of ownership behind the team in a first-class way.

JACK ANDERSON

U.N. ignores rights abuses in Cuba

WASHINGTON — Is the United Nations too soft on Cuba?

George Bush thinks so, but his opinion wasn't enough to keep the U.N. Human Rights Commission from closing the book, at least temporarily, on Cuba.


Jack Anderson

The commission finished its annual session in Geneva after approving a work schedule for the coming year. That schedule makes no reference to monitoring human rights abuses in Cuba. The difference of opinion between the United States and the United Nations has as much to do with politics as it does with human rights.

The United States has been accused of hyping the abuses of the Castro regime to stoke anti-communist fires. But the White House thinks that the United Nations should take action against Cuba to prove that the international body will stand up for human rights no matter what politics are involved.

The 30th anniversary of the Castro regime has prompted Congress to get into the act and suggest a plebiscite in which Castro would allow his people to retain or retire him.

The U.N. Human Rights Commission visited Cuba last fall and found that Castro was still stomping all over the rights of his political enemies. The commission learned that people had been arrested and jailed for something as simple as possessing a Bible or reading a book of the wrong political persuasion.

Even more disturbing is what happened because of the commission's visit. Police harrassed and arrested people who tried to give information to the commission. Here is what happened to just a few of those people:

■ Lazaro Linares Echevarria was arrested in September when he tried to contact the commission, according to Americas Watch, the independent human rights monitoring group. He is reportedly serving a six-month prison term on a charge of contempt.

■ Jose Carlos Montero Ocampo was interviewed by the commission. The next day, he returned to the delegation's hotel with some documents. He was arrested a week later and sent to prison. He says that he is being kept from communicating with his family and a lawyer.

■ Francisco and Alejandro Benitez Ferrer were believed to be near the delegation's hotel when they were arrested. Francisco is a former prisoner of conscience. He served a prison term for spreading propaganda and had only been free about two weeks before he was arrested again while trying to reach the delegation. He was reportedly sentenced to six months in prison for insulting a police officer and resisting arrest. His brother Alejandro was sentenced to three months for being disorderly.

■ Gustavo Venta, who wanted to meet with the delegation, was sentenced to six months in prison for insulting a police officer.

The U.N. Human Rights Commission must use a very narrow definition of abuse if it does not consider those arrests to be a violation of human rights.

The failure of the commisson to schedule Cuba for another human rights evaluation this year proves that Castro can make a mockery of the United Nations and continue to stay in its good graces.

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TOWER POWER PLAY — The battle over John Tower's nomination to head the Defense Department was not simply a case of George Bush sticking by his old friend to the end. Some of Bush's closest advisers interpreted the Senate's opposition as a challenge by Democrats who wanted to flex their muscles with the new president. The aides who believed that view urged Bush to wage an all-out fight and to make it as painful as possible for the Democrats. Those same advisers now want Bush to retaliate with an assault on House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas. But other insiders had pleaded with Bush to take his stands on issues, not personalities. They believe he should be cooperative, not confrontational, and Bush is, by nature, a man who seeks compromise.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — Evan Mecham needs a lesson in the Constitution. Mecham, the former governor of Arizona, was one of the people behind a resolution by the Arizona Republican party to declare the United States a "Christian nation." Perhaps Mecham isn't aware that the Constitution was written to separate church and state because the church needed to be protected from the state. His bizarre attempts to unite the two are more than just insulting to non-Christians. They are a threat to the independence of religious thought. We suggest that the overzealous Mecham visit countries that have an official religion, such as Iran (Islam) or the Soviet Union (atheism).

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

WHOM TO WRITE

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

PRESIDENT: George Bush (R), The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and Phil Gramm (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510.

REPRESENTATIVE: Lamar Smith (R), District 21, 422 Cannon House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515; or 201 W. Wall, Suite 104, Midland, Texas 79701.

GOVERNOR: Bill Clements (R), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

STATE SENATOR: Bill Sims (D), District 25, P.O. Box 12068, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Also P.O. Box 2290, San Angelo, Texas 76902.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE: Tom Craddick (R), District 76, 408 W. Wall St., Midland, Texas 79701.



JACK CASSERLY

Memory of Korea etched in blood

NEW YORK — "Snow-blanketed GIs buried a buddy on a bleak Korean hillside today while the wind played a requiem.


Jack Casserly

"His name was Champ. He was a scout dog who had saved their lives many times on night patrol in no-man's-land. They wept..."

I remember those words as vividly as the bitterly cold day in January 1953 when I wrote them as a war correspondent in Korea.

So many memories of that long-ago battlefield have come flooding back to me recently. They began when I saw a small sign in Battery Park here. It asked for contributions to build a memorial in the park for the 53,000 Americans who were killed and the 103,000 wounded in Korea.

The sign said the only official U.S. remembrance of that bloody sacrifice was a single stamp showing Marines on a sub-zero march in Korea's Chosin Reservoir. I recall writing these words:

"The Marines marched through hell on frozen feet."

It is time to remember the Forgotten War. Now, nearly 36 years since the truce was signed at Panmunjom, the 5.7 million Americans who served there are recalled only in television's MASH. And even that is satire on the whims of life and war.

The chosen site for the memorial overlooks the Statue of Liberty. I sat there alone the other day and listened to the wind as those GIs once again buried their scout dog. I heard the cries on Heartbreak Ridge and the shells whistling down on Old Baldy. And I remembered writing these words about a bunch of Marines whom I had covered for a long time:

"The angels moved over tonight because Dog Company came marching up the streets of heaven. And then they paved it with their dead."

Korea lit a fire in my soul — like a shell whistling down a canyon — 10,000 candles of fierce flame piercing the night. One of my best friends was killed there, riddled by more than 125 bullets from Chinese automatic weapons. Only a week before, he led his army platoon into a minefield to pull down the body of a dead GI that had been fixed by the Chinese to a cross. I remember crying most of the night.

The New York Veterans Memorial Commission is trying to raise $2 million to erect the Battery Park Memorial. It has received about $380,000 so far. Selection of the artist and design is now underway. The unveiling is scheduled for 1990.

I have been to the Revolutionary War Memorial in Boston, the Civil War Memorial at Gettysburg, Pa., the World War I Memorial at Fultonville, N.Y., the World War II Memorial at Arlington, Va., and the Vietnam War Memorial in Washington. But somehow we forgot all the pain and blood of three long years in Korea. I haven't. These words from 1953 still haunt me:

"Up from the dirt floor of this sepulchre of suffering tonight rose the hollow words of war, the deep ache of a mind and heart that bled from battle.

" 'We're all gone now,' cried the pain-wracked little sergeant from Texas, 'all wounded or dead. Our whole company — 140 men.' "

There would never have been a 1988 Olympics in Seoul without the Americans and other troops who served in the United Nations forces. No risen economic power like South Korea. And perhaps no demarcation line between north and south at the 38th parallel.

I remember a kid, God, do I remember him! He had straw-colored hair, this skinny private from Arkansas. He was going home to the States. Some medics were lifting him on a strecher into a plane. A band began playing the national anthem at Kimpo airport outside Seoul. This kid kept looking round and round. He finally caught the eye of an Army nurse and called to her. She walked over and the young private said:

"Can you salute for me? I have no arms."

Yes, some of us remember Korea.

Jack Casserly is a columnist for Hearst News Service.

LEWIS GRIZZARD

Fighting Tyson can't be too bad — can it?

Somebody asked me recently: "Would you go into the ring with Mike Tyson for a million dollars?"

My answer was a simple "no."


Lewis Grizzard

Mike Tyson is the heavyweight boxing champion of the world, and I have seen him nearly take off the heads of men twice my size and half my age. A million wouldn't be enough.

"OK," the questioner went on, "how about two million?"

"Nope."

"Ten million?"

"Let me think about it."

I thought about it.

"All I would have to do for the 10 million is answer the bell, right?"

"That's all."

"OK," I said, "I'd go into the ring with Mike Tyson for $10 million."

Ten million would just about do it for me in my quest to retire filthy rich.

I'd buy myself a couple of houses on a couple of golf courses, one where it was warm in the winter and the other where it was cool in the summer.

I'd buy myself a pair of white Gucci loafers. All filthy rich retired men should have a pair of white Gucci loafers.

I'd buy myself a Rolls-Royce convertible, a red one, and hire somebody to chauffeur me around, and I would insist my driver agree to wear a hat. A chauffeur without a hat is hardly worth having.

Then, I'd buy myself a pet goat, only because filthy rich retired people are usually eccentric, and buying a pet goat is pretty strange.

Now, as to my ring appearance with Mike Tyson.

I never was much of a fighter. The only boy in my class I could beat up was a sickly sort and he missed a lot of time at school, so I never got much practice fighting when I was growing up.

Most of my fighting as an adult has been with women, and all of that has been of the verbal variety, although one of my ex-wives did punch me in the stomach once because I forgot the anniversary of the first time we kissed on the mouth.

I'd do a little training before my fight with Tyson so I wouldn't look so puny in my boxing trunks with no shirt on.

I'm 6-foot-1 and weigh 185, but my arms and legs are very skinny. I'd pump a little iron to keep the laughing down to a minimum when I took off my robe in the ring — the one that would have "Lewis (Tarzan) Grizzard" stitched on the back.

A fighter without a nickname is like a chauffeur without a hat, and I couldn't think of anything that rhymed with Grizzard (I don't pronounce it like lizard, smart-aleck), so that's why I went with Tarzan.

I have at least some pride, so I would wait for Tyson to throw a punch before I would go down. I mean I wouldn't just walk out there after the bell and fall down there and pretend to be unconscious before Tyson could get his first shot at me.

What I would hope to do is dodge Tyson's opening salvo, so as to take only a grazing blow. Then, I would fall down flat on my back and refuse to get up again until I had been assured by members of the boxing commission that Tyson had, in fact, left the arena.

If I had to, I'd remain on the canvas all night. Then, I'd get my check for the 10 million and name my goat "Sugar Ray."

Pet goats won't hit you in the stomach nor take your money in a divorce. Too bad Mike Tyson didn't know that and I didn't think of it sooner.

Lewis Grizzard is a columnist for Cowles Syndicate.

CHARLEY REESE

'Peter Principle' alive and well in America

Has it ever occurred to you that we are becoming institutionally incompetent?

Think about it. People have been teaching children how to read and to do math for centuries. It's not like it's a brand new skill still in its experimental stage. Yet we are now, as a nation, more illiterate than we were in the 1800s.


Charley Reese

People have been building roads — paved roads — for at least 2,000 years, but frequently our governmental road departments do not seem able to build a road that will last much beyond 10 years.

Perhaps the famous Peter Principle — people rise to their level of incompetence — applies as well to institutions as it does to individuals. Perhaps institutions grow to their level of incompetence.

This is probably because the larger they grow, the more diffuse authority and accountability becomes as the same work is broken down into smaller and smaller components to accommodate the increasing numbers of people. As each individual performs a tiny piece of the work, the opportunity for error is multiplied, the potential for preventing error is decreased. Such simple things like getting office supplies becomes a complex operation involving a number of people and a number of forms.

This happens in the private sector as well as the public sector.

It may well be that all the grandiose theories of the rise and fall of empires and nations are just so much intellectual hot air and that all that is involved is the Peter Principle. When the people and institutions in an empire or a nation rise to their level of incompetence, the thing collapses into a puddle on the floor of history.

If there is a preventive, it is surely the prescription written by Henry Thoreau, the American eccentric, who said, "Simplify, simplify, simplify."

The fewer people between the person who makes the decision and gives the order and the person or persons who carry it out, the more likely is the work to get done right. The fewer people involved in making a decision, the more likely it is a decision will be made in a timely fashion.

It would help if we called things by their right names, right being names which describe their function. Our more honest forefathers had a war department, not a defense department. They never recruited people to fight wars or to prepare to fight wars by telling them what wonderful vocational skills they would learn or how lovely it is to travel.

Our society seems to be fatally infected by a disease that is a combination of law, double-entry bookkeeping, and marketing. Mission or function be damned, the object is to comply with the rules that multiply like bacteria, fill out all the forms correctly, and substitute sales pitch for substance.

I am frankly not optimistic about our future because we do seem to have become so incompetent. Whether it's teaching a child to read, whacking a criminal over the head and locking him up, providing for common defense, building a road, or making television sets, we seem to be incapable of doing any task quickly, correctly, and at a reasonable cost.

I, of course, exaggerate a bit, but only a bit, and we had better begin to make some corrections in our systems and institutions. We may argue or disagree as to what we ought to do, but we should all agree that we must have the competence to perform whatever tasks we finally set.

We simply cannot accept the often heard excuse, "Well, that's the way things are and there's nothing you can do about it."

In the first place, that is an incorrect statement. Public officials can be thrown out of office, laws can be repealed, bureaucracies can be dismantled. Incompetent private institutions can be forced into bankruptcy and replaced by competent ones.

We have not one single task, individually or collectively, that other human beings have not successfully handled many times over the course of history.

The only question is, "Do we have the gumption to demand excellence — of ourselves, our government, and our private institutions?"

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Good Friday, March 24, the 83rd day of 1989. There are 282 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On March 24, 1882, German scientist Robert Koch announced in Berlin that he had discovered the bacillus responsible for tuberculosis.

On this date:

In 1765, Britain enacted the Quartering Act, requiring American colonists to provide temporary housing to British soldiers.

In 1883, long-distance telephone service was inaugurated between Chicago and New York.

In 1932, a New York radio station, WABC, broadcast a variety program from a moving train in Maryland.

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed a bill granting future independence to the Philippines.

In 1944, in occupied Rome, the Nazis executed more than 300 civilians in reprisal for an attack by Italian partisans the day before that killed 32 German soldiers.

In 1949, "Hamlet" won Best Picture of 1948 at the Academy Awards, while Oscars went to the father-and-son team of Walter Huston, who had a supporting role in "The Treasure of Sierra Madre," and John Huston, the film's director.

In 1955, the Tennessee Williams play "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof" opened on Broadway with Barbara Bel Geddes as Maggie, Ben Gazarra as Brick and Burl Ives as Big Daddy.

In 1958, rock 'n' roll singer Elvis Presley was inducted into the Army in Memphis, Tenn.

Salvadoran leader willing to meet rebels

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SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — President-elect Alfredo Cristiani said he would accept peace talks with leftist rebels but warned of any U.S. interference in El Salvador's civil war.

"We are willing to open doors to the guerrillas to incorporate them in the Salvadoran democratic process," said Cristiani, the victor in Sunday's presidential election.

"We are willing to work with the United States," Cristiani added in remarks made available Thursday, "but this partnership must be based upon mutual respect and working together, not as an imposition."

Although President Bush congratulated Cristiani on his victory, some congressmen have said his right-wing Republican Nationalist Alliance party, known as Arena, should demonstrate it has become a democratic institution before more U.S. aid is provided. Human rights groups, diplomats and others have linked Arena to far-rightist death squads.

The Salvadoran government has been the biggest recipient of U.S. economic and military aid this decade, receiving more than $3.5 billion. Washington now provides $500 million a year in aid to El Salvador.

The president-elect said the leftist Farabundo Marti Liberation Front "must interpret for the first time the feelings of the great majority of Salvadorans, that they no longer want violence, that they want peace.

"If the guerrillas want to solve the Salvadoran people's problems, they must come and express themselves publicly and peacefully so that the people can judge whether what they offer is valuable or not," he said.

He made no specific proposals for talks, however. Before the elections, rebels asked for a six-month postponement to give them time to participate.

The government and Arena both objected to the plan, and peace talks never got under way.

According to the final results, Cristiani won with 54 percent of the vote in an election boycotted by the rebels. Francisco Merino, also of Arena, was proclaimed vice president-elect.

Fidel Chavez Mena, presidential candidate of the incumbent Christian Democrats, received 36 percent of the vote. President Jose Napoleon Duarte, suffering from terminal cancer, by law could not run for re-election.

More than 1.8 million Salvadorans were registered to vote, and turnout was 52 percent, election officials said.

In his remarks Wednesday, Christiani also said his administration would oppose direct intervention by the U.S. government in the nine-year civil war. The conflict has killed more than 70,000 people, most of them civilians.

Arena was linked in the early 1980s to extreme-rightist death squads blamed for the murders of tens of thousands of suspected leftists. Former U.S. ambassador Robert White once called Arena founder Roberto d'Aubuisson a "pathological killer."

However, Cristiani contends his candidacy shows his party has moderated its views.

Cristiani said neither he nor his party are "anti-North American."

But he said "if they want us to respect the democracies of other countries, we expect that other countries respect the Salvadoran democracy."

Journalists protest killing of newsmen in El Salvador

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The International Federation of Journalists has protested the killing of three reporters in El Salvador, urging a full investigation and measures to protect the press.

Salvadoran journalists Mauricio Pineda and Francisco Roberto Navas and Dutch journalist Cornel Lagrouw were killed by Salvadoran soldiers as they were covering the nation's elections Sunday.

"The people of your country will never be free, and your democracy will never have substance until journalists can walk the streets without fear," said Aidan White, secretary-general of the federation. His the letter was released Thursday by the Brussels-based organization.

"The killing of these journalists during a democratic election is an outrage, not only to the profession of journalism but also to democracy itself," White wrote to Salvadoran President Napoleon Duarte and President-elect Alfredo Cristiani.

"We urge you to ensure that there is the fullest possible investigation into each of the incidents," White added. "This inquiry should be immediate, should be thorough and should be public."

"The deaths come at a time when the democratic process is gathering pace in your country and in other parts of Central America," he added. "But there is no democracy without human rights and freedom of expression.

"Journalists, whose first duty is to serve the public interest, are constantly under threat in the world today," White wrote. "There are taken hostage in Beirut, they are detained without trial in South Africa, they are brutally murdered in political struggles in Peru or in the Philippines.

"I urge you to take urgent action to protect journalists in El Salvador from further attacks," White told Duarte and Christiani.



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Baby's hammock

Premature baby Eric Kienhuis, 23 days old and weighing 2.8 pounds, lies asleep Thursday in his hammock in an incubator in Utrecht's Wilhelmina Children's Hospital in Utrecht, Netherlands. Putting premature babies in a hammock is part of an experiment, trying to simulate the rocking movements of the unborn child in the mother's uterus.

India airlifts supplies to Afghan capital; Rebels blow up bridge

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — Eight tons of food and medicine were airlifted by India into this capital, which is surrounded by Moslem rebels trying to overthrow the Afghan government, a Foreign Ministry spokesman said today.

Rebels meanwhile destroyed a bridge on the main highway linking Kabul to the strategic eastern city of Jalalabad, the government said Thursday.

The anti-government forces have pressed in on Jalalabad in an effort to bring about a quick demise of Kabul's Marxist government in the wake of the Soviet troop withdrawal.

The Afghan capital is surrounded by rebels trying to oust the government of President Najib, and convoys carrying supplies into this city of 2.25 million people are occassionally attacked or delayed.

The Indian supplies were flown in Thursday, said the spokesman, who cannot be identified under briefing rules. Another shipment of nine tons of supplies is being readied, the spokesman said today from New Delhi.

The Indian government announced earlier this month that it would provide humanitarian and economic assistance to Afghanistan.

India is the only non-Soviet bloc nation that maintained relations with Kabul after the Soviet Union intervene militarily in 1979 to prop up its client regime in Afghanistan.

The last Red Army soldiers left Afghanistan on Feb. 15 as part of a U.N.-sponsored peace accord.

Blowing up the bridge could signal a renewal of guerrilla tactics rather than direct battle in the 18-day battle for Jalalabad. The guerrillas have found it difficult to confront an army with air power and long-range missiles.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Mohammad Nabi Amani told reporters Thursday that the bridge near Sarobi, midway between Kabul and Jalalabad, was destroyed by explosives planted on the span. He said the bridge was one of about 100 on the paved highway.

He said three other roads, all unpaved and more circuitous, remain open to military convoys between Kabul and the city, which is 75 miles to the east near the Khyber Pass.

Moslem insurgents, who are based in Pakistan and also backed by the United States, launched their offensive on the eastern city on March 6. But they have not succeeded in dislodging government troops.

Soviet troops completed their withdrawal last month after more than nine years of intervention in a civil war that began with a communist coup in April 1978. The Soviets continue providing military supplies to Kabul's government.

Amani said the guerrillas fired 2,000 rockets and artillery shells at government positions outside Jalalabad in the previous 24 hours.

No government forces were killed, but five soldiers and five civilians were wounded, he said. He said 89 guerrillas, including four local commanders, were killed in the same period.

Soviet-made Scud-B rockets have been fired daily from Kabul toward Jalalabad since the battle began, according to foreign observers and residents of Kabul. They have a range of at least 175 miles.

In Moscow, Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze said Pakistan had grossly violated the U.N.-mediated agreement by allowing the rebels to form an interim government on its territory. They hope the government will soon take power.

Shevardnadze also charged arms were being delivered to the rebels from the United States via Pakistan in violation of the accord.

He said many Soviet civilian specialists remain in Kabul as well as the staff of a large embassy. "Any attempts to encroach upon their security will draw a most resolute Soviet response," he said Thursday without elaboration.

Reports on casualties and fighting around Jalalabad are impossible to verify from Kabul.

BEE SMART

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1989 Regional Spelling Bee April 15 at Midland College.

School spelling champions from Midland, Martin, Glasscock and Upton counties will compete for the top prize of an all-expenses-paid trip to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through April 14. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

god-send

godsend — (noun) Rain after the long drought experienced by our nation this past summer was considered a "godsend." The word "godsend" means some desirable or needed thing that comes unexpectedly as if sent by God. Some students studying for the spelling bee might also consider a book of practice words a "godsend." Another meaning of "godsend" is a happy or welcome event.

Column provided courtesy of Lawrence Institute of Technology and The Detroit News

Israeli police found posing as journalists

JERUSALEM (AP) — Police launched an investigation Thursday after Western journalists photographed plainclothes policemen who had pasted press signs on their car to disguise their identity while investigating Palestinians.

The incident drew a formal complaint from the Foreign Press Association in Israel, which said in a letter to the government that such action places journalists "at great personal risk" and urged authorities "to cease such behavior immediately."

The army and other security agencies repeatedly have denied rumors their agents pose as reporters to get into Arab areas to watch suspects and make arrests.

Journalists covering the 15-month Palestinian uprising have expressed fears that such activity could endanger them if Arabs became fearful of vehicles with press tags.

Police spokesman Uzi Sandori said there were two policemen involved, "but it was the idea of just one of them, his own personal idea."

Police Commissioner David Krauss has called for an officer to be appointed to investigate the matter, Sandori said.

The policemen will remain on duty while the inquiry is made. "The policeman did not break the law, but of course this is a case of ethics," Sandori said.

Among the journalists who saw the undercover policemen using a car with a press sign was a crew from the London-based Visnews television agency.

Michael Sposito, the Visnews bureau chief in Israel, said a team first noticed the car parked near one of the gates to Jerusalem's Old City.

"It was a late-model Subaru, a rental car, with handwritten press signs in the front and rear windows," Sposito said. "Press was written in English."

The crew became suspicious when it did not recognize the men in the car and photographed them.

About three hours later, Sposito said, Visnews photographed the same two men arresting Palestinian women after a stone-throwing incident in the Arab east Jerusalem neighborhood of Wadi Joz, Sposito said.

"Both were armed with sidearms and had handcuffs," he said. "One was talking on a police radio, and one was dragging a Palestinian girl away after arresting her."

Could working less be new trend?

By TERRENCE PETTY

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Work less?

That doesn't sound like the people who brought West Germany up from the ashes of World War II and made it the rich and powerful nation it is today.

But it is the trend these days among workers, some of whom already are on the job only 32 hours or four days a week.

"Work is not in the center of life anymore," says Meinhard Miegel, a social scientist who heads the Institute for Economy and Society in Bonn. "Leisure time has become a more important part of German life.

"This is not laziness. This is just a normal expression of a very wealthy society. Lots of people have acquired material wealth, and now they want to enjoy it."

Miegel doesn't see the work-less trend as negative, even for industry.

"People have become much more relaxed, without hurting the country's overall productivity. More free time increases creativity and spontaneity, which is important for a nation."

But industrial groups maintain the trend will mean higher labor costs.

"We do see a danger that other countries might start to look more appealing to some companies," says Hermann Olbermann, spokesman for Gesamtmetall, an organization that represents employers in the metalworking and electronics industries.

The issue has set off a lively debate across West Germany as workers demand further reductions in their working time, which for unionized employees now range from 32 to 39 hours a week.

Oskar Lafontaine, deputy leader of West Germany's opposition Social Democrats and governor of Saarland state, came under fire of union friends last year by saying further cuts in the work week would be acceptable only if workers took less money.

Unions want a shorter work week but not be at the expense of wage increases.

Employers counter that continuous pay increases coupled with lessened working hours could hinder companies' ability to make a reasonable profit and also make West Germany less attractive as a place to do business.

While West German workers have a reputation for industriousness, in recent years they have succeeded in shrinking working hours to the extent that on average, according to some estimates, they now spend less time on the job a year than any other workers in the world.

The German Employers' Association, West Germany's largest organization representing the interests of German businesses, says that a worker averages 1,716 hours on the job annually, compared with 1,912 hours in the United States and 2,138 in the Netherlands.

A few hundred employees at an Aachen tire plant are already scheduled to go on a three-day work week spread over 32 hours, and some workers with the BMW auto company work a four-day, 36-hour week.

West Germans are also the best-paid workers in Europe — in 1987 the average hourly wage including benefits was the equivalent of about $18, compared to about $15 an hour for the Dutch. Exclusive of benefits, the West German average hourly wage is $10, compared to $9.54 in the United States.

West Germans also get 30 working days of annual vacation, which amounts to six weeks for those working a five-day week and more for those who work fewer and than five days.

Indicative of the less-work trend, thousands of teachers and newspaper employees went on strike recently in demand of shorter working hours or no weekend work.

In addition, the IG Metall union, West Germany's largest labor organization with more than 2 million members, is battling with employers for a cut in the number of weekly hours for metalworkers to 35 from an average of 37.5.

But employers' organizations like Gesamtmetall are starting to resist.

"These (IG Metall) demands would put companies at a distinct disadvantage, compared with labor conditions in other countries," says Olbermann, spokesman for the Cologne-based Gesamtmetall.

In making its demands for shorter working hours, IG Metall says further cuts are needed as a means of reducing West Germany's 8 percent unemployment rate.

"We think that the reduction of working time is the only possibility to create new jobs," says Martin Oertel, an IG Metall spokesman at union headquarters in Frankfurt.

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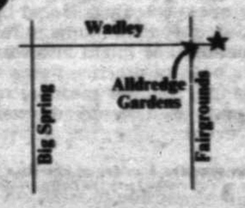
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Odessans plead guilty to gambling

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Two Odessa men pleaded guilty Thursday in federal court in Midland to operating an illegal gambling business involving professional football games.

Charles Ronald "Pepsi Red" Klinger, 44, and Robert Thomas Rice, 40, each could be sentenced up to five years in prison and fined $250,000 for operating the Odessa gambling schemes, which "involved several gambling places," according to the federal complaint lodged against them.

After their pleas were entered, the pair — on the request of U.S. District Court Chief Judge Lucius D. Bunton — did an about-face and joined the judge in singing "Happy Birthday" to Deputy U.S. Marshal Gail Boggs.

Aside from being Boggs' 61st birthday, Thursday was the 89th birthday of the judge's mother, Avis Bunton of Austin.

But the two defendants will have to wait until September to celebrate their birthdays.

And those occasions likely will not be in Bunton's court.

Klinger and Rice are to be sentenced at noon on April 26, which, the judge noted, also will be the 63rd birthday of his cousin, Tommy D. Wood of Marfa.

"Gail, I don't think you look as mean and as old as you claim to be," the judge told the marshal.

"I'm younger than your cousin," Boggs informed Bunton.

And April 26 also will be "the day of Mr. Swan's song," noted the federal prosecutor, Assistant U.S. Attorney Thomas Beery of Midland.

On that day, Bunton will join Boggs and Deputy U.S. Marshal Steve Balog of Pecos, FBI Special Agent Ron Butler, and U.S. Probation Officers Richard Russell and David Worland in "roasting" Jack Swan.

Swan is retiring as the senior federal probation officer assigned to Bunton's court. And he will be subjected to a "roast" on the evening of April 26 at the Holiday Inn Country Villa in Midland.

And at noon on that day, Bunton told Klinger and Rice that "I want both of you to talk to me" shortly before the judge pronounces sentence.

Before Bunton set the sentencing date, he asked the two defendants if they had been coerced into engaging in illegal gambling in 1985 and 1986. They replied that they were not cajoled or threatened at gun-point to operate the gambling business.

"Both of you are pretty big fellows," the judge observed, "and no one is going to come up to you and make you do this."

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Education officials pleased by passing rate of TASP test

By JAMES CULLEN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — State education officials expressed pleasure Thursday that 81 percent of the high school and college students taking the new Texas Academic Skills Program test passed. But they warned the passing rate will likely drop as more students take the exams.

In a Capitol press conference, Texas Education Commissioner William Kirby and Higher Education Commissioner Kenneth Ashworth noted the bad news as well: 42 percent of black students failed at least one portion of the March 4 test, as did 31.1 percent of Hispanics and 13 percent of whites.

After concerns that a passing standard of 70 percent was too high, Ashworth said, "Neither one of us found anything in the results that would cause us to recommend a lower passing score."

They were pleased that nearly 86.8 percent passed the math portion, 88.6 percent passed the writing section and 95.6 percent passed the reading section of the three-part exam.

But the officials said their greatest concern is that relatively high scores on the first test would cause lawmakers to think state colleges and universities do not need the $36 million the Higher Education Coordinating Board recommended for the next two years to pay for courses that would reinforce those basic skills.

"I believe we should continue to press for the amount of funding that is needed for remediation," Ashworth said. "We anticipate that every month the test is given it will become more characteristic of the cross section of the total student body."

He noted that 79 percent of the 7,763 students who took the test March 4 were already college students seeking admission to teacher education programs. Also, many of the high school students who took the exam could have claimed an exemption if they took at least one college-level course this summer.

After Sept. 1, 130,000 students who enter public colleges and universities must pass the test before they can take upper-division courses, complete associate degrees or complete certification programs that require nine or more semester hours of general education course work.

Students now enrolled in college must pass the tests before they can major in education.

Ashworth noted the March group was unusual because only 6 percent indicated they planned to go to junior colleges, while 72 percent of entering freshmen start at community or junior colleges.

The test is designed to show where the student is weak and what can be done to prepare him for college-level work, Ashworth said.

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Special stars

Local Special Olympics stars gathered at Midland Memorial Stadium Thursday for the annual spring competition. At left, 8-year-old Casey Hatch of the Cerebral Palsy Center hurls a softball during one event. Above, De Zavala Elementary School student Melissa Basquez, 11, races toward the finish line.

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Cassette likely to provide clues in death of lawman

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Investigators believe a cassette tape found on the body of a slain Ector County Sheriff's Department reserve deputy may provide lawmen with answers to Monday's shooting.

Ward County Sheriff Ben Keel this morning refused to release the contents of the cassette tape, but said, "It should help our investigation."

Lawmen have yet to disclose whether they believe the Monday night shooting of Terry Gene Molder, 35, was self-inflicted, a murder or accidental.

Suicide is one possibility investigators are not ruling out, Texas Ranger Joe Coleman said Thursday.

Molder was shot once in the chest after being involved in a one-vehicle accident Monday evening. His body was found face down in a ditch beside his rolled-over pickup truck.

Witnesses at the scene of the accident told lawmen they saw Molder uninjured and walking around minutes before they left to call officials.

When Texas Department of Public Safety troopers arrived at the scene minutes later Molder was dead.

The sheriff pointed out that it could be weeks before the results of the autopsy performed Tuesday by Midland pathologist David Shneidman are made public.

Evidence found at the scene of the accident and in the autopsy — the .45-caliber pistol, clothing, a shell casing and the bullet that killed the deputy — won't be sent to the DPS laboratory in Austin until Monday, Keel said.

Lawmen still have been unable to locate a bill of sale for the .45-caliber pistol found at the scene, said Keel, observing that the ownership must be traced through the manufacturer.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Horsing around

Bonham Elementary School students learned about life on the range from Monahans cowboy Lee Edwards during a Texas Day celebration Thursday on the school campus.

House members get no break on budget panel

By RICK BROWN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — It's spring break for the Legislature, but some kids have to stay in school.

Working under an April 9 deadline for sending a state budget to the House floor, 23 House Appropriations Committee members are stuck in Austin while other legislators are off until Tuesday.

The committee is continuing budget mark-up sessions today that began Wednesday afternoon after House adjournment for the Easter holiday. Starting about 8:30 a.m., the meetings often run past 8 p.m.

Setting the tone for the hearings is a sign posted behind the dais, a message to agencies looking to pad their budgets: "What part of NO don't you understand?"

Committee members during these early sessions are scrutinizing proposals for smaller state agencies like the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education and the Board of Land Surveying.

Larger agencies such as the Attorney General's or General Land offices likely won't come up for consideration until next week.

Looming over the proceedings are a jumble of funding issues that will have to be resolved before the deadline.

They include budget levels for higher education, public schools, and state employee pay raises.

House Speaker Gib Lewis earlier this week offered some guidelines on each of those issues, plus a few others. The Fort Worth Democrat also found almost $2 billion extra on top of the state's previously proposed $43.7 billion, two-year budget to pay for the programs.

Appropriations members say they don't act as a rubber stamp — the speaker chose each to sit on the committee — but they feel the revenue projection is something they'll have to live with, for now.

Rep. Ron Lewis, D-Mauriceville, sitting on appropriations for his second session, thinks the speaker "laid out a good plan and a good distribution of funds we have available," he said Thursday.

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Parker both criticized, praised by AIDS activists

By RICK BROWN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The ups and downs of being a public figure can be trying. Just ask Sen. Carl Parker.

The Port Arthur Democrat, castigated last week by one AIDS activist group for a slip of the wagging tongue, is a hero this week to another for the legislation he has sponsored.

Said Parker, waxing philosophically Thursday: "Everybody is somebody here, and somebody's a goat depending on what week you're talking to him."

Parker earlier was named one of six "AIDS action heroes" by Action=Life, an AIDS lobbying organization. Ironically, the group's head, Michael Mathews of Austin, had demonstrated against Parker this past week.

During a Senate Criminal Justice Committee hearing, Parker was asked what should be done with prostitutes and drug addicts who test postive for AIDS. "Kill 'em," said the senator, smiling as the room broke into laughter.

That comment prompted a storm in the press and a demonstration on the Capitol steps by ACT UP, another AIDS activist group, which is affiliated with Action=Life.

Mathews said there really is no paradox to his seeming love-hate relationship with Parker.

"We tried in the ACT UP demonstration to address his words and not his personality," he said. "There are too many people in this state who take those jokes seriously."

But by co-sponsoring the Senate omnibus AIDS bill, Parker "earned his way onto the list," said Mathews.

The bill holds a variety of measures that activists say are overdue, including funding for treatment and education programs and language addressing discrimination and confidentiality.

Others deemed heroes by the group are Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby for co-sponsoring the Legislative Task Force on AIDS and Sens. Gonzalo Barrientos, Chet Brooks, Eddie Bernice Johnson and Craig Washington for their sponsorship and co-sponsorship of the legislation.

"If we're going to criticize, we ought to be for people who do good stuff, and the best criteria is the Senate omnibus AIDS bill," Mathews said.

Parker earned additional plaudits for sponsoring legislation to add AIDS to higher education curriculum studies, and a separate press release hailed House Speaker Gib Lewis for proposing almost $46 million in AIDS-help funding.

Mathews said Action=Life has a lifespan only as long as the current legislative session and is itself funded by several organizations, including the Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas.

However, no legislators contribute money to its operations, he said.

Parker has landed in hot water before on the AIDS question. In January, he said funding AIDS education was like "pouring money down a rat hole."

Asked Thursday the reason for his frequent caustic comments, he responded with another quip.

"It's because it gets so lonely when you're one of the very few representing the people."

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DEATHS

Clara Gabbert

Funeral services for Mrs. Dorman (Clara) Gabbert, 81, of Midland, will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Fairmont Park Church of Christ with Ralph Gates officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.



Gabbert

Mrs. Gabbert died early Thursday morning at her Midland home.

Born June 3, 1907, in Hillsboro, Mrs. Gabbert was reared and attended school there. She married Dorman E. Gabbert in 1924. In 1928 they moved to Midland, where Mrs. Gabbert was employed with Southwestern Bell as a chief operator.

They later established Oriental Cleaners and operated it until 1959, when Mr. Gabbert retired. She was a member of the Midland Women's Club and the American Business Women's Association where she was voted woman of the year in the late 1960s.

Mrs. Gabbert worked for Grammer-Murphy for several years, before she and her daughter purchased The Candle Shop, which they operated until the mid-'70s.

Mrs. Gabbert was a member of Fairmont Church of Christ. She and her husband were instrumental in forming Midland's first Church of Christ.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lloyd (Eloise) Pittman of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Floreine Taylor of Gordonville and Mrs. Maryon Byers of Waco; and three grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland.

Jose Torres



Torres

Services for Jose Torres were to be at 9:30 a.m. today at Our Lady Guadalupe Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Slattery officiating. Burial was to follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were to be Joe H. Torres, Manuel H. Torres, James H. Torres, James Landshaw, Johnny Gomez and Jimmy Lee Sanders.

Honorary pallbearers were to be Baldemar Torres, Domingo Salinas, Robert Salinas and Manual Garcia.

Evelyn Valentine

Funeral services for Evelyn Valentine will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Greater White's Chapel, Church of God in Christ, with Rev. Roy L. Colvin officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery with Thomas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She died in a local hospital Tuesday night following a lengthy illness. She has been a Midland resident since 1950, and was a member of Greater White's Chapel.

She is survived by two sons, Larry Valentine and Ronald Valentine, both of Midland; one daughter, Velda Moultrie of Pampa; one sister, Thelma Griffin of Greenville; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers will be Joe McGruder, Herbert Crisp, William Merritt, Lonnie Dixon, Herman Jefferson, Tony Lightfoot and Mike Wallace.

Julianna Pluta

Julianna Pluta, 93, died Monday at a Toronto, Ontario, nursing home.

Family services were held on Thursday in Toronto with interment following at Queen's Lawn Cemetery, Grimsby, Ontario. Services were under the direction of R.S. Kane Funeral Home, Toronto.

Her husband, Joseph Albert Pluta, preceded her in death in 1951. Survivors include one daughter, Violet (Mrs. Gordon T.) Clarke of North York, Ontario; one son, Joseph S. Pluta of Glendale, Calif.; and three grandchildren.

Joann Putnam

Services for Joann Putnam are pending with the Ellis Funeral Home. Mrs. Putnam died Thursday night at her Midland home.

DeWitt Wallace

Services for DeWitt Wallace are pending with the Ellis Funeral Home. Wallace died early Friday.

White Pig wallows in Tech history

By RAY WESTBROOK

LUBBOCK (AP) — Although it was never a formal degree requirement, hardly a Texas Tech University student since the 1950s has parted from the university without having eaten at least one hamburger at the White Pig.

Somewhere along its route to longevity, the White Pig became an institution by weathering competition from national hamburger chains, and a second generation of students are eating there now.

The restaurant, located near the northeast tip of the campus, also gets an assortment of judges and lawyers, banking personnel, construction contractors and ne'er-do-well reporters for the lunch run or an afternoon soft drink.

It's the kind of business that never expanded into a franchise operation or set up successful branch stores, but it has provided its owner, Gene and Katie Schleuse, a living for 32 years.

A generation of Texas Tech football players are acquainted with the burgers-and-fries cuisine that still flows from the restaurant's griddle.

Schleuse said, "When Jim Carlen was coach here, he bought 120 hamburgers every Friday night. He would give them (the players) two hamburgers and put them to bed."

According to Margaret Sparkman, who has worked at the restaurant for 31 years, the White Pig also used to buy the players' supper every Sunday night after a Saturday win. That was before eyebrows began to lift at such tangible support.



AP Laserphoto

Owner Gene Schleuse poses in font of the White Pig, a Lubbock hamburger restaurant that has become an institution among residents and Texas Tech students. The White Pig has managed to weather the competition from hamburger chains and provide a living for Schleuse for 32 years.

The restaurant has been mentioned in the food columns of Texas Monthly magazine in two recent years, but an ability to persevere through the years and still bring back old customers is probably its proudest achievement.

"Much of the trade is made up by Tech students, but a lot also comes from clear across town," Schleuse said. "Most of the checks I take come from the area from 19th Street to 90th Street. It's old customers that have moved away and still remember — and still come back."

In its early days, the White Pig was a contemporary of the storied Hi-D-Ho Drive-In, but it maintained an atmosphere all its own. Customers watched familiar faces cross the restaurant scene at a distance, with few introductions.

It was the Hi-D-Ho for cruising, the White Pig for eating.

Was there no provision for romantic inclinations then?

Sure.

Schleuse said he was told recently by a Tech student that his parents became engaged while dining at the restaurant.

And another impetuous suitor once had the proprietor painstakingly place an engagement ring atop a food order so that it would have maximum impact when it came into view.

In some circles that could be construed as a bit off the wall, but it must have become a conversation topic forever after.

"I don't try to do as much business as I used to do. I close every day at 5:30, and we only have the dinner run. But our dinner run is as good it has ever been. We compete with Burger King, which is right across the way," Schleuse said.

"I raised two kids out of this place," he said, referring to David, no national sales manager for the Chili Bowl, and Donna, who is in charge of a hospital nursing division in Corpus Christi.

"The east-west freeway will take us out. So, I guess instead of quitting, I will just let it take me on out."

He added, "All the students have memories. They come up and tell you stories. It never misses a day when somebody doesn't just come by to see if we are still here."

Detained aliens a health threat, doctor says

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — A doctor who has provided free medical care for many immigrants says the number of Central Americans in crowded government custody in southern Texas poses a public health threat.

"They are putting a burden on an already strained medical delivery system," said Dr. Lorenzo Pelly, a Brownsville physician who fled Cuba in 1961.

Pelly praised the work of the U.S. Public Health Service personnel attending to the immigrants at the Red Cross shelter and at the immigration service's detention center northeast of Brownsville. More than 2,300 people were at the detention center Thursday.

But he said the number of people in crowded conditions at the facilities heightens the risk of epidemics of diseases such as measles, chicken pox, tuberculosis and hepatitis.

"Now that they are housing people in specific places, yes, there is a potential health threat," said Pelly, adding he sees more malaria cases than most U.S. doctors. "At this juncture, there is a potential for major medical problems."

The federally funded Brownsville Community Health Center recently stopped taking asylum-seeking immigrants at its clinic, which for years has struggled to keep up with the local population of people unable to afford medical care.

Officials at the center have said they lack the resources to serve local needs and care for the influx of more than 40,000 Central Americans through the area during the past year.

Center director Paula Gomez, who was not available for comment Thursday, has complained for months that the immigration service has not done enough to serve the Central Americans it detains in the area.

She has said that sooner or later people will die as a result either from disease or from problems in childbirth.

Patient visits at the center rose from 94,000 in 1987 to 117,000 last year. It had been accepting referrals from the American Red Cross shelter in Brownsville, where 969 Central Americans were housed Thursday.

The Red Cross is under a $3 million contract with the Justice Department's Community Relations Service to shelter family groups of asylum-seekers who must stay in southern Texas until their claims are decided.

Some patients with measles and chicken pox have been isolated at the Red Cross facility.

PANEL

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But he agrees with fellow committee member Frank Collazo, D-Port Arthur, that the "key" to the funding question lies with Comptroller Bob Bullock, who certifies the amount of revenue to be allocated.

"Bullock could come back and say, 'I found you a half a billion dollars more,'" said Lewis. "But then he could come back and say, 'That's it, guys.'"

Collazo said he was "pretty confident" that the comptroller will come back "with additional monies beyond the $2 billion," he said Thursday.

A philosophical question that committee members are grappling with could help the comptroller find the additional money, depending on how they resolve it.

The question is whether the Legislature should raise fees collected by agencies and then divert that extra into general revenue.

Lewis thinks an answer to the state pay raise issue may lie in some fee raises, as opposed to the $540 million from general revenue the speaker proposes for a 5 to 6 percent pay hike.

"So my argument is, take that money we raise off fees and put it into salaries," the Mauriceville Democrat said.

Higher education seems to be the bouncing ball of the session, as the standing committee assigned to that need proposed a budget $634 million above previously set targets, and Appropriations Chairman Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield, promptly rejected it.

Higher Education Chairman Wilhelmina Delco, D-Austin, wanted to tack an amendment on the budget to force appropriations to follow her committee's funding guidelines, but it never materialized.

The education committee's chairman for budget and oversight, Gary Watkins, D-Odessa, said Thursday those previous targets are now in force in appropriations, where he also is a member.

While the speaker proposed an additional $350 million for higher education, Watkins thinks he can eke out $50 million to $100 million more from the committee.

The legislators offered mixed opinions on whether the budget they produce will need new taxes, with Lewis and Collazo pointing again to Bullock as the operative variable.

Wednesday, the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, said taxpayers have to bite the bullet for an estimated $1 billion needed to mend the state's public school funding system.

The system has come under fire in the state courts as discriminatory against poorer districts.

The speaker's plan would put an extra $600 million into public school funding.

But Gibson said he thinks "it's going to be awfully tough" to get a tax bill out of the House. "I think we're going to have to live within available revenue," he said.

Missing student's family hopes case's TV appearance brings in new leads

Hearst News Service

BROWNSVILLE — Mark Kilroy's family hopes a national television reenactment of his disappearance 11 days ago in Mexico will bring new leads to a trail that's been cold from the beginning.

A four-member film crew from "America's Most Wanted," a Fox Television show that features missing persons and fugitives each Sunday night, arrived here Thursday to help Helen and James Kilroy look for their son, a 21-year-old University of Texas pre-med student.

"This is great," said Mrs. Kilroy, of Santa Fe in Galveston County. "I think it's good to keep this in the public's eye. This may also make the law enforcement people stay on the case."

"They want us there," said a show spokesman. "There are no leads now. We're hoping that by simulating this we'll jog someone's memories."

Kilroy, in South Texas for spring break, disappeared in the early morning hours of March 14 from a crowded Matamoros, Mexico, street after a four-hour drinking excursion with three high school buddies.

The four were returning from a bar about 2 a.m. when they were separated. Kilroy and a friend passed a Hispanic man, wearing a blue plaid shirt and with a fresh facial scar. The friend — who only saw the man for a second — told authorities he thought the man motioned to Kilroy and thought Kilroy responded.

The majority of the show will be a re-enactment, filmed in the same locale with an actor playing Kilroy.

Kilroy's three friends who were with him when he disappeared will play themselves. Also included will be a daytime walk-through with the student who last saw Kilroy.

Twenty-three million viewers nationwide will see the show.

A $15,000 reward offered by the Kilroys and a group of Brownsville businessmen will be mentioned on the show — a break from tradition.

"We usually don't like to mention rewards because we don't want it to become like a game show," said executive producer Michael Linder. "But we want to shotgun the area with as much information as we can."

Linder said more than 50 percent of the 130 fugitives shown on the show have been apprehended after they were featured on the program. Ten missing persons have been featured, with one or two being found as a result of the show.

GAMBLING

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Earlier, there was uncertainty over the maximum fine which the judge could imposed — $20,000 or $250,000 — until Tom Stanton, one of Bunton's law clerks, produced a copy of a law which indicated that fines for federal felonies committed after January 1985 could range up to $250,000.

Klinger said that the potential fine would "make no difference" in his offering a guilty plea.

"So, I'm telling you I can fine you up to $250,000," Bunton told Klinger and Rice. Klinger is being represented by Tyler lawyer John Hannah, and Rice is being represented by Odessa lawyer G. David Smith.

Klinger and Rice tendered their guilty pleas under an agreement whereby neither would be prosecuted for additional offenses arising from their gambling operations.

In addition, the agreement stipulates that the government will not prosecute Billie Waters, Klinger's mother, and Clayton Shuffield, Klinger's father-in-law, on gambling-related charges. The plea bargaining agreement also provides that Jim Richards, Mike Alcorn and Danny Boland would plead guilty to misdemeanor offenses, noted Beery.

The complaint charged them with conducting, financing, managing, supervising, and directing an illegal gambling business, which falls under state and federal gambling statutes, including organized-crime laws.

Had Klinger and Rice pleaded "not guilty" and took their case to trial, Beery said the government's evidence against them could have included: the testimony of 50 bettors; court-ordered records of outgoing telephone calls from gambling bases, telephone numbers called and lengths of calls; testimony of undercover FBI and Texas Department of Public Safety agents; physical evidence; surveillance observations; and expert testimony by special agents assigned to the FBI's Gambling Section.

Ron Butler, special agent-in-charge of the FBI's Midland office, noted that the FBI's investigation into the gambling operation certainly "didn't get in on the ground floor."

"It had been there for awhile," Butler said of the gambling operation after Bunton had adjourned court. And Butler noted that generally gambling is not illegal "as long as no one takes a cut out of the thing." In that instance, gambling would be "OK," he said. "We can have a poker game" without violating state or federal laws, Butler said. However, gambling on federal property would be illegal.

Investigation into the operation was a joint venture of the FBI, the Texas Department of Public Safety's Criminal Intelligence Service, and the Odessa Police Department's Intelligence Unit.

Butler noted the FBI's probe into illegal gambling was among "literally hundreds of other cases" investigation by the FBI in Midland and that those cases included investigations into white-collar crimes, terrorism, kidnapping foreign-counter intelligence, fugitive hunts, drug investigations, and civil-rights violations.

"We have had convictions along the line in all of those programs," Butler said.

Of the Odessa gambling operation, Butler declined to indicate if the Internal Revenue Service might probe any tax evasion implications of the operation and would not speculate on how much money was involved.

TASP

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He also noted that at least one-third of those students bought a study guide of nearly 600 pages to prepare for the test and nearly one-third stayed the full five hours allowed for the exams. "This is a serious group of students," he said.

"Basically, we're very pleased with the results," said Kirby, but he cautioned that students should not think it is a snap either. "We're not talking about an easy test. We're talking about a rigorous test."

Of those who failed the test, Kirby said high schools are not necessarily to blame for failing to prepare them. "Our high schools are capable of preparing students to do advanced level work and those students who go through advanced academic programs in fact are prepared and will do very well," he said.

Those who take easier courses in high school will not do as well on the test, he said.

While the scores were broken out by racial groups, Kirby said income levels probably have more to do with academic performance, as students from higher income groups are encouraged to take college preparatory courses.

"What we've got to do is make sure families are involved in education and make sure (their children) take these more rigorous courses," he said.

Eventually, each high school will receive reports on how their graduates do in the TASP test as well as their first year of college work. The first local reports probably will come in the summer of 1990, Kirby said.

The next exam will be administered June 10.

Arson suspected in Thursday fire

From Staff Reports

Arson is suspected in a blaze which damaged a vacant apartment complex near downtown Thursday evening, according to Midland Fire Department reports.

Four units and nine firefighters were called to the blaze at 8:15 p.m. at 204 E. Kansas Ave. The building was flaming when firefighters arrived, according to reports.

The fire began in the living room of one of the apartments when a couch and chair were ignited, according to results of a preliminary investigation.

The complex is owned by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, according to reports.

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around town

Hospice will begin an eight-part volunteer training program on patient care in April. Classes will be offered from 9 a.m.-noon and 7-10 p.m. each Tuesday and Thursday.

Evening classes will be a repeat of the morning classes.

Subjects covered will include physiological and nutritional aspects of terminal illness, communication with patients and family members, mortality, the child and the death experience, needs of the elderly and the grieving process.

There is no fee for the course and participants are not obligated to become Hospice volunteers.

For information call 682-2855...

...**MUSEUM OF THE** Southwest will show the videos "The Quiet Collector: Andrew W. Mellon Remembered" and "Raphael and the American Collector" Tuesday. The videos will be shown at noon, 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.

The museum, 1705 W. Missouri, is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 2-5 p.m. Sunday. It will be closed Easter Sunday...

...**WEST TEXAS EPILEPSY** Association will have its Seventh Annual Four Man Scramble Golf Tournament April 21 at Mission Country Club. Cost is $60 per person. The event is limited to 60 teams.

To become a sponsor and/or player contact the association at 3610 W. Wall, Suite 136, Midland, Texas, 79701 or call 697-7901. Proceeds will benefit WTEA...

...**MIDLAND JUNIOR** Woman's Club will present its 20th annual Parade of Homes 1:30-5:30 p.m. April 16. Proceeds will benefit Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Developmental Disabilities Center, Special Care Infants and The Problem Pregnancy Center.

Tickets will not be sold at the door. Children younger than 12 will not be admitted. For ticket information call 684-6152, 699-1219 or 682-2037...

...**COMMUNITY CONCERTS** will present Harvey Pittel Saxophone Quartet 8 p.m. April 8 at Midland High School. For more information call 684-4557...

...**PLANNED PARENTHOOD** of West Texas Inc. has received a grant from Texas Department of Health and Centers for Disease Control to provide confidential AIDS testing and counseling services for women.

Planned Parenthood clinics in Midland, Odessa, San Angelo, Pecos, Monahans, Big Spring, Lamesa and Seminole will participate as of April 1.

The grant also included funding for AIDS community education...

...'**GREAT BLUEBERRY** Eatin' Meetin' " in Kountze will be June 4-10. There will be a blueberry festival and tours of the nearby Big Thicket National Preserve, Big Thicket Museum and blueberry farm tours.

Co-sponsors of the event include the Thicket Country Tourism Development Group, the Texas Blueberry Festival Association and the Hardin County Agricultural Extension Service.

For information on festival activities call (409) 246-2470...

...**FREDERICKBURG'S** annual Easter Fires pageant will be 8:15 p.m. Saturday. More than 600 residents will participate in presenting the German Easter Story at the Gillespie Count Fair Grounds. Food will be available and parking is free.

Admission is $5 for adults, $1 for children 6-12, and children under six are free. Box seats are $9 and reserved seats are $7. For information call (512) 997-6523...

...**ODESSA COLLEGE** will host a romance novel workshop 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. April 8. Parris Afton Bonds, an award-winning romance novelist from Hobbs, N.M., will teach the class.

Ms. Bonds has published 25 novels including "Dust Devil," "Deep Purple," "Lavender Blue," and "Mood Indigo." She is the co-founder of Romance Writers of America.

Ms. Bonds will present "Romance Novel Workshop: Writing Made Easy." Topics for discussion will include plotting, structuring, preparing manuscripts, characterization, dialougue, marketing and developing screenplays.

Cost of the workshop is $20 or $16 for persons age 55 or older. Interested persons should register by April 7...

...**FRATERNAL ORDER** of Eagles, Aerie #2982, will host a dance 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday at the Aerie Home, behind Rodgers Ford. Joe Stampley and the Double Shot Band will provide the music. Tickets are $5 in advance or $7 at the door. For information or reservations call 697-3131...

...**MIDLAND JAYCEES** will sponsor "Dress for Success/Color Analysis Seminar" noon March 31 at Midland Center. The public is invited to attend...

...**J. CAVINESS** will present a spring style show at the 11:30 a.m. April 7 luncheon at the Odessa Country Club. Cost is $25 per person and proceeds will benefit Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc...

FAMILY MATTERS

Children mimic responses learned from parents

By JIM MAY


May

DEAR FAMILY: I heard you speak to a women's group and what you said started me thinking about my father's drinking. He was only drunk one time that I can remember, but he still does drink a lot. When he drinks, he gets loud and abusive. I try to avoid seeing him now because he makes me feel so bad when I'm around him. Nothing that I ever do is right. He is never happy with me, my children, my husband, or anything that I do.

The reason that I am writing you isn't all that, but it's because of something you said about our being the kind of parents that we grew up with. I really didn't think that was true, but I discussed it with my husband and he says that I'm a lot like my father.

I was very hurt that he would say that and did get very mad at him. I finally did cool off and now I think that there may be some truth to what he said.

We couldn't decide what I should do about it other than I should try not to yell at him and the kids. He said that I should write you and ask you what I could do about it. So, what can I do? DISAPPOINTED

DEAR DISAPPOINTED: The first thing you can do about your learned responses is want to change.

The responses learned as children in alcoholic homes are powerful and difficult to change. The rules of silence and denial stop children from learning appropriate ways to express feelings.

Using alcohol as the "problem solver" means it is used as the solution to any problem; the alcoholic starts drinking and everyone stops trying to solve the problem.

A friend of mine says, "We aren't broken, we are only wounded." You learned your abusive and non-productive response patterns from an alcoholic. You can learn new response patterns, but it takes hard work.

Consider taking the following actions (in whatever order works for you): buy a book on Adult Children of Alcoholics, such as C. Black's "It Will Never Happen To Me," or J. Woititz's "Adult Children of Alcoholics," and go to an Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACOA) meeting. We need other people to work with, share with, feel with. Call 682-4721 for information on times and places of meetings.

You have taken an important first step. I encourage you to take that next step. It can change your life. It changed mine.

DEAR FAMILY: I am a step-mother to three children, ages 3, 5 and 9. I have one child of my own who is 10.

I knew that when we got married that it would be hard, but I really thought that if I worked hard enough with his kids that things would work out.

Boy was I wrong. I have tried to encourage the children, to support them, to be really positive about them. All I get back in return is resentment.

My husband says that I should just back off and leave them alone. I am willing to do that, but I am mad at them. I tried so hard and they didn't try at all. I don't know why I wrote you, but I feel better just having done it. Thank you. FRUSTRATED

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Sometimes trying too hard to please has the opposite effect. Many stepmothers try to keep everyone in the family happy to overcome the myth of the "wicked stepmother."

Unfortunately, as you have discovered, this often creates more tension than joy.

It takes time for two families to "blend." Please stop feeling responsible for everyone's happiness. Give his kids time to adjust to you and your child. Trying to move too fast often creates a conflict of loyalty in a child — being friendly with you may make them feel disloyal to their biological mother.

Focus your attention on your husband. That relationship takes significant time and effort to make it grow and flourish with all the natural problems that accompany a second marriage — his ex, your ex, his children, your child, his parents, your parents, and so on.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

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

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Think twice before heading out to beach

WASHINGTON (AP) — As the weather warms and beaches beckon, thoughts may turn to getting started on that summer tan. Government health experts say that may be an idea worth reconsidering.

In recent years a tanned skin has gotten a reputation for appearing healthy, despite the increasing evidence to the contrary. The preference for pallor that was common a century or more ago, it would seem, was better.

Skin cancer, premature wrinkling and aging, skin rashes and eye damage are all potential dangers of tanning, "whether you tan outdoors during the summer months or tan indoors exclusively," the Federal Trade Commission warns.

The FTC has available a folder detailing the problems of indoor tanning. It can be obtained for 50 cents from the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colo., 81009. Ask for item 420V, "Indoor Tanning."

Getting ready for summer also involves efforts to reduce weight and tone up those muscles for many people. The Consumer Information Center also has some booklets that may help:

■ "Exercise and Weight Control," an eight-page how-to on the benefits of exercise in a weight-loss program; item 422V, 50 cents.

■ "Everybody's Walking for Fitness," a 16-pager on do's and don'ts of starting a walking program to improve health; item 421V, 50 cents.

■ "Fitness Fundamentals," discusses how to set up a fitness program and monitor your progress, seven pages; item 127V, $1.

■ "Getting Fit Your Way," provides a 14-week program to help begin exercising and make it a lifelong habit, with emphasis on strengthening the heart, quitting smoking and losing weight, 47 pages; item 128V, $3.

"Studies suggest that children and teens are harmed more," by ultraviolet tanning rays than are adults, the Federal Trade Commission reports. Thus "the earlier you start tanning, the earlier skin injury may occur."

Tanning salons have become widely popular in recent years, offering customers a chance to relax on lighted tables and get a tan all year.

Following initial reports of the dangers of the short wave ultraviolet-B light used in these tables, many switched to longwave UVA lights, which they contend are safer.

However, the FTC noted that "UVA rays can also be harmful to the skin because they penetrate so deeply."

Shortwave UVB rays can burn the outer layers of skin while UVA penetrates deeply and can weaken the skin's connective tissues, the agency warns.

"Long-term exposure to the sun, to artificial sources of ultraviolet light, or to both, contributes to the risk of three kinds of skin cancer," the FTC reports.

These are "basal cell, an otherwise benign skin cancer that can cause scarring; squamous cell, which is usually benign but which can spread through the body if left untreated; and melanoma, one of the most fatal kinds of cancer."

In addition ultraviolet light from the sun or other sources can damage the eyes. People who seek a tan need to wear protective goggles — ordinary sunglasses or cotton wads are not sufficient. The Food and Drug Administration requires tanning salons to warn customers of this hazard.

In addition to cancer and eye damage, the FTC points out that tannin dries the skin and makes it aged and leathery. Plus, officials say, the combination of ultraviolet radiation and some medicines — including birth control pills — can result in skin rashes and other reactions.

Liquid sunglasses being developed

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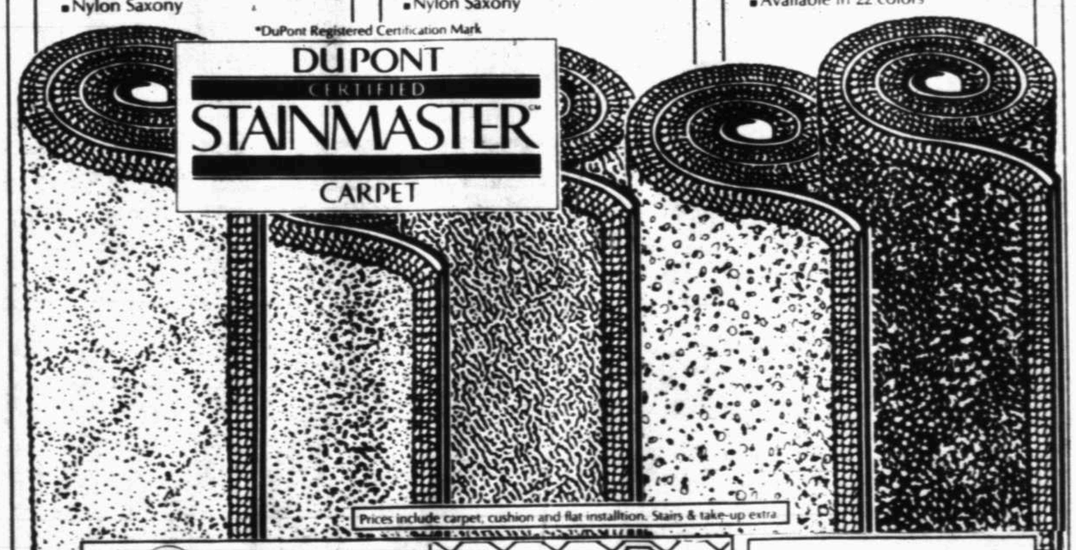
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Spring fever a state of body, mind

By MICHAEL FREITAG
New York Times News Service

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of ... chronobiology?

Alfred, Lord Tennyson, of course, had his mind on that other imperfect science — love — when, in 1842, he wrote his famous ode to spring. But today, as Dr. Norman E. Rosenthal stares out his window at the two turtledoves flirting in the bright sunshine, he cannot help wonder if spring fever is a physiological response to the increased intensity and duration of vernal sunlight as measured by the brain.

As director of seasonal studies at the National Institute of Mental Health in Bethesda, Md., Rosenthal has spent a lot of time studying that odd disease known as spring fever. And what he has learned so far probably will not come as a surprise.

Spring fever really does exist.

Each year at this time, millions of people across the upper half of the Northern Hemisphere begin to feel more energized, upbeat and sexually active, if somewhat distracted.

"Poets have written for centuries about the effects of spring," said Rosenthal, who admitted to having a touch of the fever himself. "They have known, for example, that sex drives and energy levels surge for many people in the spring. But we are only now beginning to understand why that is."

To know how spring fever works, it is first necessary to determine what it is, which is no easy feat. The Third College Edition of Webster's New World Dictionary, for example, offers this ambiguous definition: "The laziness or restlessness that many people feel during the first warm, sunny days of spring."

EVEN THAT MOST traditional of definitions — a time when the sap rises in maples and young men — does not necessarily hold up. Studies have shown conclusively that levels of testosterone, the male sex hormone, are higher in the fall.

"Spring fever is an ill-defined quantity," said Dr. Michael Terman, the director of the Light Therapy Unit at the New York State Psychiatric Institute at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center in Manhattan. "By some definitions it means lassitude, by others it means energy spurts and irresponsibility."

One way to think of it, Terman said, is as the beginning of the end of the "winter blues" that many people experience to some degree. "The turning point," he said, "is the spring equinox," which occurred on Monday. "That's when the population as a whole starts to report a higher energy level, decreased sleep, reduced eating and an alleviation of depression."

Most researchers seem to agree, if only by default, that spring fever may best be characterized as a combination of conflicting emotions, including a sense of comfort, warmth and renewal, amiability and lack of ambition.

"That sense of flux — feeling better in certain dimensions, but not in other ways — may be the real definition of spring fever," Terman said.

But while this reaction was once thought to be psychological, Rosenthal said there is increasing evidence that it is actually physiological.

Exactly how the body is affected is still unclear, but one popular theory is that the increasing intensity and longevity of sunlight in spring is somehow measured by the brain, probably through the eyes.

THIS INFORMATION is then transmitted to the pineal gland in the base of the cerebrum, which responds by reducing its secretion of melatonin, a hormone that influences mood and energy levels.

"The internal body clock which controls circadian rhythms — the 24-hour cycles of body temperature, hormonal secretion and sleep — is directly affected physiologically by bright light," Terman said. "For humans, early morning bright light is a particularly critical signal for keeping the body in synch for day and night."

Everyone seems to have some sensitivity to seasonal changes in sunlight, but in varying degrees, Terman said.

A recent survey conducted by his institute indicated that at least 50 percent of the people who live in the northern latitudes of the United States experience a noticeable seasonal change in their moods, Terman said. And about 5 percent are bothered so severely by the winter blues that they can be clinically diagnosed as suffering from Seasonal Affective Disorder.

"For some people, April is indeed the cruelest month," said Rosenthal, quoting T.S. Eliot's "Waste Land." Suicides and hospital admissions for depression and alcoholism reach a peak in spring, he noted.

Rosenthal said that until recently, spring depression was considered to be solely psychological; some people seem to feel a heightened sense of loneliness and hopelessness when they see others enjoying the nice weather.

"Indeed, there is no reason to believe that may not be the case," Rosenthal said. "But that sense of being left out may also be biological." Some people appear to be unable to adapt physiologically to the rapid seasonal change; their bodies break down — physically and emotionally — under the strain, he said.

FOR THOSE PEOPLE who can't get enough of a good thing, it may be possible eventually to experience an artificial spring fever all year with bright light therapy, which involves exposure to a very intense light for several hours a day. (So far, the therapy has proven effective for SAD patients, who experience a springlike euphoria even in the darkest days of winter, Terman said.)

But those people who simply want to enjoy an all-natural spring fever can maximize their pleasure during the next few weeks by keeping bedroom shades open and getting up early, Terman said.

South Texas winding down

Spring break ends today

By ROY BRAGG
Hearst News Service

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND — Like the swallows who return each year to Capistrano, thousands of college and high school students flock to south Texas beaches like this one every March in search of a good time.

It's called Spring Break. And it's almost over.

The scene on the white beaches of South Padre Island lately has been a majestic tapestry of beer cans and bad behavior.

Several thousand young adults and teen-agers — women in bikinis and men in baggy swim trunks, for the most part — jammed the beach behind the Radisson Hotel, forming a human gridlock of arms, legs, beach blankets and beer coolers.

The smell of tanning lotion, stale beer and the occasional whiff of marijuana smoke prevailed.

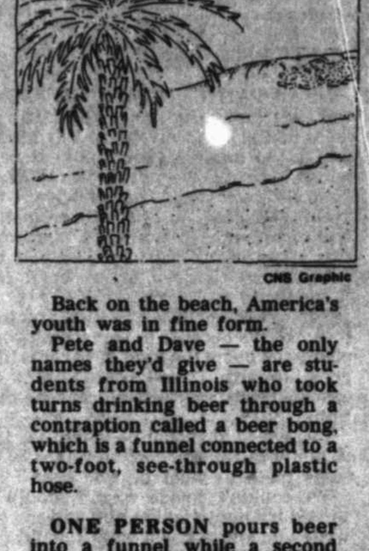
THE DAYS OF "Corona Beer" shirts are gone, evidenced by many shirtless torsos. Some people wore day-glo green sunscreen that matched the stripes on their swimsuits.

Few ventured into the still-cold Gulf of Mexico waters. Pick-up volleyball games abounded, and footballs and Frisbees filled the air. Some folks opted to enter silly competitions sponsored by beer companies — such as the "woman-stuffs-the-man's-pants-with ping pong balls" contest. How could anybody lose?

The most oft-repeated comments were "I got really wasted last night," "Who's playing at the concert Friday?" and "Where are you from?"

Party time begins shortly after 10 a.m. Every night.

By 1 p.m., after three hours of constant guzzling, the lines at the public restrooms by the hotel pools snaked out the doors.



CNS Graphic

Back on the beach, America's youth was in fine form.

Pete and Dave — the only names they'd give — are students from Illinois who took turns drinking beer through a contraption called a beer bong, which is a funnel connected to a two-foot, see-through plastic hose.

ONE PERSON pours beer into a funnel while a second wraps his mouth around the end of the hose. The idea is that an entire beer — or two or three — is downed in one gulp.

It was noon and Dave already had gone through 10 or so beers.

Pete was working the crowd.

"Hi," he said to any woman who'd pay attention. "I'm a television reporter from WCBS and I'm talking to students who've come to Texas for Spring Break.

Call it nature's way of balancing things, fate, or just lessons learned in junior high, but none of them believed it. They usually walked off after a few minutes.

Soon Pete was on the bong. Dave had taken a portable stereo and started stumbling into the surf.

A few dozen feet away, baseball sized water balloons went whizzing by the heads of unsuspecting sun bathers.

UP ON THE CONCRETE wall by the tennis courts, Matt Graves was at the helm of the balloon launcher, which consisted of a two four-foot elastic bands and a leather cup.

"All right, who do I go after now?" asked Graves, a Round Rock high school student. Two friends held the bands, forming a giant human slingshot. Graves loaded a balloon into the cup and pulled it back 12 feet.

"I want to get that guy in the green," he said, pointing at a person who stood 200 feet away. "I've got to aim really high for this one."

He pulled back, but suddenly stopped short and jumped up.

"I want to hit her!" he screamed. He changed his aim, released the cup and narrowly missed a woman 30 feet in front of him.

A crowd gathered for 15 minutes of this cruel but unusual entertainment. The throng dispersed when Graves had emptied the grocery bag that held the balloons.

South Padre residents take it in stride.

A hotel security guard told revelers coming off the beach they couldn't bring beer cans into the hotel courtyard — but he did it with style.

"Hey man, just guzzle your beer over there, then you can come in here and party," he said with a smile.

Even the snowbirds — retirees from northern climes who come to South Texas during the winter — have a laid-back attitude.

"I think it's wonderful," said Bob Peterson, 68, of Milwaukee. "If I was that young, I'd be right with them. We had our day, now it's time for them to have theirs."

Aussies pay dearly for that bronzed look

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Australia boasts up to 14 hours of sunlight a day and some of the world's best beaches, with a lifestyle to match — but has the world's highest rate of skin cancer, and experts say it's getting worse.

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Springtime: A young man's thoughts turn to playing hooky from work

By DAVID GRIMES
New York Times News Service

It's almost spring, the time of year when a young man's thoughts turn to playing hooky from work.

Being a dedicated, conscientious, nose-to-the-grindstone kind of guy, I cannot speak from personal experience as to what the best hooky ploys might be. However, I have observed other people's attempts to cop a day off, and I can tell you that there is a lot of room for improvement.

The most commonly used, and certainly the most transparent, excuse for staying home from work is to call in sick. The problem with calling in sick is that you have to invent some sort of fake illness, a task at which most people show a pathetic lack of imagination.

From what I've seen, the two most common bogus illnesses among work-shirkers today are "the flu" and the flu's first cousin, the dreaded "stomach virus." I assume that people choose these ailments over something more exotic, like, say, a bayonet wound, because flu and viruses are rather vague afflictions that make the sufferer unfit for work without leaving any visible scars.

Also, flu and viruses come in varying degrees of potency, depending on how many days you wish to take off. There's the 24-hour flu, the 48-hour flu, and, of course, the most desirable flu of all, the four-day weekend flu.

Still, viruses and flu are wishy-washy illnesses and highly unconvincing to your boss, particularly if you use them as an excuse more than eight or 13 times a year.

So, the next time you want to play hooky from work, consider using one of the alternative excuses listed below. Your boss won't believe you any more than he did before, of course, but he's bound to appreciate your creativity.

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. Being considered for secretary of defense. As John Tower demonstrated, this can be an extremely time-consuming process. You may need to be away from work for weeks. To make your story more believable, you might consider taking a public pledge. Nothing that's going to interfere with your enjoyment of your time off, mind you. Perhaps you could swear off cabbage juice abuse or something.

Being sued by Margo Adams. If a famous, highly paid, all-American sex addict like Wade Boggs can be sued by Margo Adams, why not you? You will have to go on the talk show circuit to defend yourself, including appearances on Donahue's and, perhaps, Geraldo Rivera's shows. On second thought, forget this one. You'd be better off going to work.

David Grimes is a columnist for New York Times News Service.

Men reveal their intentions with 'blooms of endearment'

Associated Press

The Greeks were the first to acknowledge the romance captured within petals' delicate folds. According to Country Home magazine, Greek mythology is replete with lovers and unrequited lovers who were turned into flowers as punishment or as an escape from an unhappy human existence.

Ancient Chinese and Egyptians assigned meanings to botanical life, too. Such symbolism later appeared in England during the 1500s, but another 300 years passed before its apex — the Victorian language of flowers.

It was the Turks who planted the seeds of that language. Their extensive floral vocabulary allowed them to convey such sentiments as love, forgiveness or compassion with variously composed bouquets.

During the reign of Queen Victoria, the language evolved to a precise, complex system, perfect for Victorian lovers. It allowed the private expression of their innermost feelings, even in the presence of chaperons.

A man could reveal his intentions freely with a small bouquet called a love posy. A posy with a red tulip, white snowdrops and a pansy declared love and hope, and asked a man's sweetheart to keep him in her thoughts. The way in which flowers were presented was meaningful, as well, whether with the right or left hand, upright or upside down.

Today it seems as if a story of love is connected with every bloom. As legend has it, for instance, an angel once fell in love with an earthly woman and was banished from heaven. He could return only if he planted forget-me-nots throughout the world. Together, angel and woman tirelessly scattered the tiny sprigs. Their love for each other so impressed the gods they were allowed to enter heaven together.

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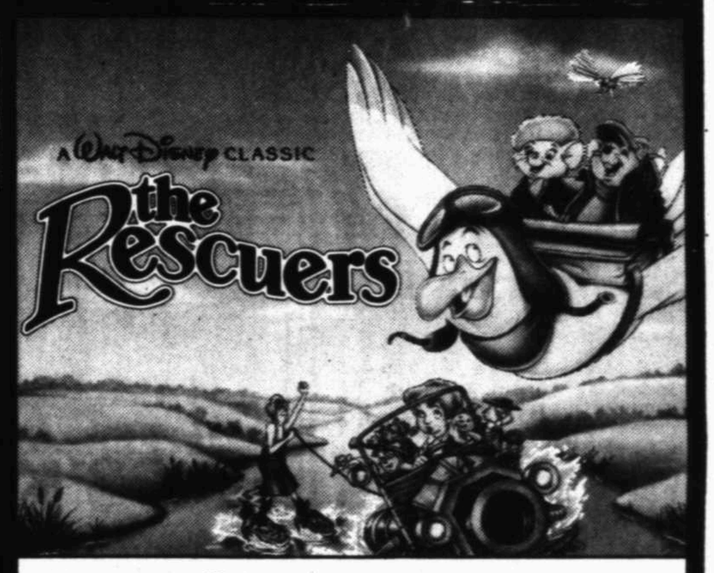
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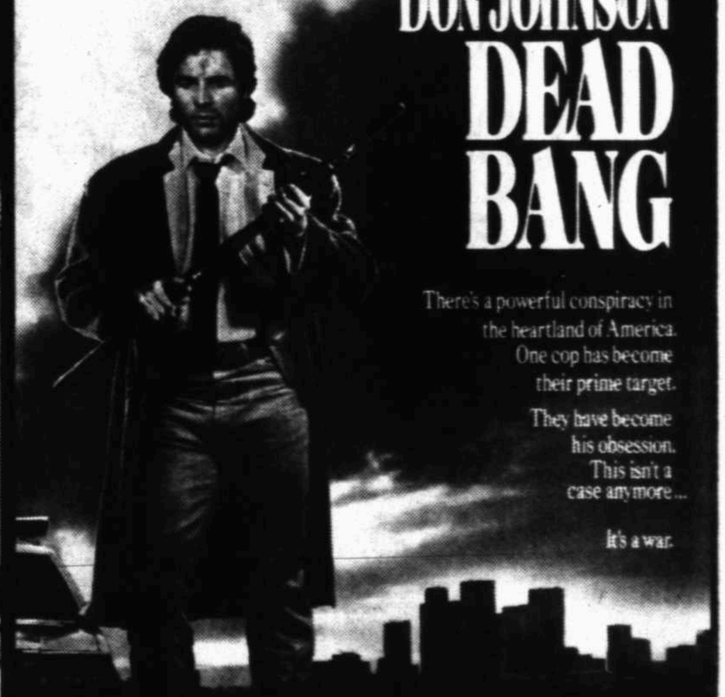
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Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am 18 years old and consider myself a man. I work full time, live with my parents and pay room and board. My question: Shouldn't I be allowed to have my girlfriend sleep over in my room? She's 19 and my one and only girlfriend.

I believe that since I am paying for this room and am of age, I should be able to have overnight company here if I want to. My parents disagree. They think I should live by the house rules they set before I turned 18. I always respected their rules and never complained.

I love my parents and enjoy living with them, but think they should not put any restrictions on what I can do in my room as long as I am paying rent. What do you think? Must I move out to avoid a hassle? This is the only thing we ever argue about. — A MAN WITH LITTLE BOY RULES

DEAR MAN: Obviously your parents are not comfortable with the idea of their son sleeping with his girlfriend under their roof, and I can certainly understand their feelings. But since YOU can't, I suggest you rent a room or apartment elsewhere for complete independence and privacy. The next move is yours.

DEAR ABBY: You should have told that man signed "Hurting in Waukegan" what you told me when I had the problem of a cheating spouse. I have carried it in my wallet for years and could probably recite it from memory. No truer words were ever written. It helped me a lot. Maybe it will help "Hurting" if you want to pass it along. Please print it for others. — MINNIE

DEAR MINNIE: That item was clipped by many, and here it is:

DEAR ABBY: Why will a married man pick up a tramp and treat her like a lady, then turn around and treat his wife (who is a lady) like a tramp? — MINNIE

DEAR MINNIE: A man picks up a tramp because he wants a female companion who is no better than he is. In her company he doesn't feel inferior. He rewards her by treating her like a lady. He treats his wife (who is a lady) like a tramp because he feels that by degrading her he will bring her down to his level. This makes him feel guilty, so to get even with his wife for making him feel guilty, he keeps right on punishing her.

DEAR ABBY: I can't get "Torn Mom's" letter off my mind because I know exactly how she feels. "Torn" had a 3-year-old child who had strikingly beautiful red hair that caught the attention of strangers who couldn't resist commenting on it — in the presence of a 5-year-old sibling who was repeatedly hurt when he was overlooked.

I have a similar problem with well-meaning admirers making a fuss over my identical twin daughters who are a year and a half old. When I have the twins out in public with their older brother, the twins get all the attention and the boy is ignored. May I suggest some reminders to public admirers?

The best way to admire children is from afar. But if you must come closer to comment or ask questions, please make it a point to "notice" the other siblings first. It will make their day.

When you see twins, don't ask, "How do you tell them apart?" Parents of identical twins learn to look for the differences. Also, don't ask, "Are they twins?" It is obvious that they are. — MOTHER OF TWINS

DEAR MOTHER: Good suggestions. Being a twin myself, may I add another to mothers of twins: Do not dress identical twins alike — it discourages individuality and thwarts personal growth. Trust me.

DEAR ABBY: Over the years, you have been very rough on smokers. It may surprise (and interest) you to know that smoking is endorsed in the Bible: "Let him that is filthy be filthy still." (Revelation 22:11) — LONGTIME READER, DURANGO, COLO.

Abigail Van Buren is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Relaxing done 'in the mind'

Hearst News Service

CLEARWATER, Fla. — "The dog is barking," blares a familiar TV commercial, "the baby's crying, the phone is ringing — bath beads, take me away!"

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In the real world, as more and more individuals try to "have it all," juggling careers, families and the pursuit of personal goals, it has become increasingly difficult to pencil in good, old-fashioned relaxation.

So why not take a moment to do so?

Try "imaging." According to Dr. Joy Joffe, of Tampa (Fla.) General Hospital's psychiatric unit, it works.

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The results are amazing. People who make time to relax are rewarded with clearer thinking, quicker reflexes and a greater ability to ward off stress-related health problems.

"Working people are some of the worst offenders," says Dr. Joffe. "Many won't even take a lunch break — instead they'll eat a sandwich at their desk. People need to learn the importance of taking a walk or reading a book, even if it's just for ten minutes."

Joffe believes that, in many ways, much of the problem simply lies in the changing times.

"I think we're going through a difficult period," says Dr. Joffe. "We are changing from an industrial era to an electronic one. This always puts stress on people.

"Life was paced much slower in the old days. I jokingly tell my patents that one of the worst things (about progress) was that men no longer had to chop wood and women no longer had to beat rugs. Those were wonderful, natural ways for people to get out their aggressions — to release stress."

Dr. Joffe suggests regular exercise, and techniques such as progressive relaxation, a method that teaches people how to relax their muscles, as great sources of relieving stress in the modern world.

"A sense of humor helps a great deal, too," she says. "It's really a saving grace. Attitude is so important. Often I'll ask my patients, 'Is the glass half empty or half full?' It's just a glass of water either way, but the way a person looks at it can determine a great deal about how they feel."

Sunscreen ingredient may create cancer risk in user

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The active ingredient in some commercial sunscreens can break down into a substance that causes cancer, according to a study that has prompted further testing to determine whether there is any risk to users.

In tests by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, 14 of 17 sunscreens containing the sun-blocking agent padimate O, itself used to prevent skin cancer from overexposure, were found to contain a newly discovered nitrosamine, the St. Louis Post-Dispatch reported Thursday.

Nitrosamines are a class of compounds notorious for their cancer-causing ability. Roughly 90 percent of the 300 nitrosamines tested so far have been shown to cause cancer in animals.

"We have a saying in this field — guilty until proven innocent," said Stephen S. Hecht, director of research at the American Health Foundation in Valhalla, N.Y.

"You just never know," he told the Post-Dispatch. "Basically, any nitrosamine is cause for concern."

But representatives of major health organizations and the sunscreen industry said people who want to protect themselves from sun-caused skin cancers should continue to use commercially available sunscreens until more testing is done.

Scientists said testing so far has not established whether the newly discovered nitrosamine is a strong enough carcinogen to present any substantial risk to people who use sunscreens.

William Lijinsky, an authority on nitrosamines at the federally owned Frederick Cancer Research Facility in Frederick, Md., said the nitrosamine, which goes by the initials NPABAO, probably was a "very weak carcinogen."

"Compounds of this structure would have a very low activity or are inactive," Lijinsky said.

Representatives of the American Dermatological Academy and the American Cancer Society said they were unaware of the nitrosamine in sunscreens. They said that until officials reviewed any information that sunscreens were harmful, the groups would continue to recommend the use of sunscreens to protect against damage from the sun.

"If you want to scare people into not using sunscreens, the public health implications are super," said Gerald McEwen, vice president of science for the Washington-based Cosmetics, Toiletries and Fragrance Association.

Padimate O, the sun-blocking agent, is found in some, but not all, sunscreen products, he noted. The association collaborated with the Food and Drug Administration to discover NPABAO in sunscreens, then communicated information about it industrywide.

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New bugs sought to wage biological warfare against pests

AGRICULTURE

WASHINGTON (AP) — A century after an Agriculture Department scout found an Australian beetle that saved California's citrus crop, the government on Wednesday announced an escalation of it bug-vs.-bug program of biological warfare against nature's pests.

The department said agreements had been reached to send American scientists to China and the Soviet Union this summer to search unexplored areas for natural enemies of destructive insects and weeds.

"We're raising the priority of making biocontrol a vital part of American food and fiber production," said R. Dean Plowman, head of the Agricultural Research Service.

Taiwanese-born pathologist Yang Shaw-Ming will go to Inner Mongolia in search of a fungus that can destroy the leafy spurge, an aggressive weed which drives grazing cattle and horses away from rangeland at a cost to ranchers that he estimated at $50 million.

At the same time, five Agriculture Department scientists will go to the Soviet Union to look for enemies of the Russian wheat aphid, a pest that was appeared in Texas three years ago and has spread into 15 states.

Working with their Russian counterparts, they also will try to find biological controls to use against grasshoppers, the leafy spurge, the Russian thistle and a number of other pests.

Scientists said the problems that plague farms and backyards alike often arose because crops brought into this country were frequently accompanied by pests — but not by the pests' natural enemies.

The announcement was made at a ceremony marking the first big victory, a century ago, in biological controls.

Deputy Agriculture Secretary Peter Myers recalled that victory. He said in 1888 California's citrus trees were covered by the large white egg sacs of the cottony cushion scale, threatening the state's fledging citrus industry.

The USDA dispatched a scout, Albert Koebele, to Australia to look for a natural enemy of the pest. He found one feeding on scale in a garden in North Adelaide — the black and orange Vedalia beetle.

Twenty-eight of the beetles were released in California on Nov. 30, 1888, and the problem was under control within a year.

Since then, hundreds of biological control agents have been introduced in American agriculture, sparing the environment from tons of chemical pesticides and saving farmers millions of dollars.

To mark the occasion, an exhibition was opened to show how predatory beetles, aggressive parasites and deadly disease organisms are used to keep agricultural pests in check.

William Metterhouse, who directs the Division of Plant Industry in New Jersey's Agriculture Department, said 40 percent of America's "economically important insects" have been found abroad.

He said shade trees across this country would be infested with the gypsy moth, a caterpillar that eats the foliage of more than 500 tree species, if it were not for nine parasites and two predators brought in from overseas. Now a virus has been developed by USDA as a weapon against the gypsy moth, Myers said.

Metterhouse said New Jersey farmers have had to spray eggplant fields as often as 15 times a season to control the Colorado potato beetle. Now a South American egg parasite is being introduced this summer and may solve the problem, he said. Ways are being sought to use the parasite to control the beetle in potato and tomato fields too.

Myers used the occasion to announce success in a 30-year, $10 million battle against the alfalfa weevil, the largest biological control effort in U.S. history.

The campaign has put a parasitic wasp imported from Europe into virtually every alfalfa field in the country, the department said.

At one time, farmers spent up to $1 billion a year on pesticides but the weevil was so persistent that many farmers gave up growing alfalfa, an important forage crop. Now farmers need spray only one year in six.

Drought fears boost insurance sales bonanza

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — The devastating drought of 1988 is still fresh on farmers' minds, and insurers say they're getting a bumper crop of business this year — a lot earlier than usual.

More than 100 million acres of farm land are expected to be insured this year, compared with about 75 million acres in 1988, says Gene Gantz, executive director of the American Association of Crop Insurers.

"It is a gigantic record," he said, adding that up to 150 million acres could be covered if conditions remain dry through the April 15 deadline for signing up for federally subsidized multi-peril crop insurance.

Rainfall has been in short supply so far this year, scaring many farmers who watched their fields and pocketbooks shrivel during last year's long, hot and dry summer across the Farm Belt.

The drought resulted in a $3.9 billion federal bailout.

"When the house burns down down the street, most people get out their homeowners policy to check and see if they're covered," Gantz said in a telephone interview from the Washington, D.C., office of the trade group. "And if you don't have a policy, you get one."

Gantz said some insurers already are reporting two to three times their normal farm business.

Joy Tegels, general manager of Agri-Business Insurance Consultants Ltd. in the central Iowa community of Nevada, said crop insurance business already is up 25 percent.

She said that in Iowa, where 44 percent of the crop land was covered by federal crop insurance last year, an estimated 60 percent of crops would be covered this year if there's no substantial rainfall soon.

"We have not (yet) seen the deluge we're going to see if the weather pattern stays the same," she said. "Our office will be like Sears, you'll have to take a number" to be served.

The selling point this year, said Tegels, is that people collected on federal crop insurance policies.

The Federal Crop Insurance Corp. reported paying claims of nearly $1.2 billion on $435 million in premiums collected last year, said Michael Forgash, a spokesman in Washington for the government-supported program. The program insures against drought losses and protects against insect infestation, plant disease, and damage from hail, winds and flooding.

The biggest payout to any state went to North Dakota, where $550 in claims were paid for every $100 in premiums collected, covering a total of $187.1 million in damages.

Iowa ranked second, with $127.7 million, or $320 in claims for every $100 in premiums collected.

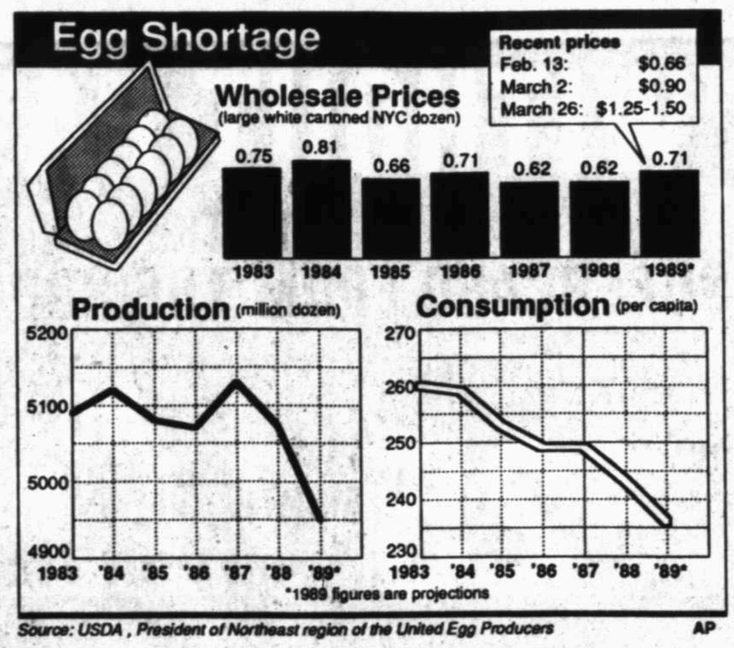
Congress has warned that it won't be so willing to stage a rescue this year for those who failed to insure themselves against losses last year.

"I wouldn't count on it in 1989," said Rep. Tom Tauke, R-Iowa.

Tauke said Congress was able to help drought-plagued farmers last year because there were "a couple of billion dollars to play with" after a miscalculation of the cost of the farm program, "and it was an election year."

Fueling the pressure to buy coverage was a requirement that those who received federal emergency assistance last year be insured this year.

Federal crop insurance plans allow farmers to choose coverage that will pay the equivalent of 50 percent, 65 percent or 75 percent of the 10-year average yields on production.



Storm poaches egg prices to five-year high

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) — A winter storm that killed millions of chickens in three states has helped to push nationwide egg prices to five-year highs just before the Easter rush.

And industry experts said the most lasting damage from the early March ice and snow storms stem from the deaths of brood hens, which are poultry producers' lifeblood.

Ken Klippen, vice president of United Egg Producers in Atlanta, estimated losses in Missouri, Oklahoma and Arkansas at between 1.5 and 2 million brood hens, worth about $55 million. The losses represented just under 1 percent of the nation's egg-laying chickens, he said.

For every 1 percent change in supply, a corresponding 5 percent change in price usually occurs, Klippen said.

Wholesale prices in New York, considered an industry benchmark, rose to 98 cents a dozen for Grade A large white eggs from 90 to 92 cents before the storm hit, said Jack Ross, an economist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Washington. Prices in mid-February averaged about 66 cents a dozen, he said.

The three states have about 7.5 percent of the nation's 230 million brood hens, Klippen said. Arkansas, with 9 million of them, suffered the greatest losses in the storm.

The damage came at a time when egg prices already were rising because of traditionally heavy holiday demand, he said.

Ross said there is a good balance between production and demand, rather than a shortage of eggs. Prices will drop again after Easter, he said.

The last time egg prices reached current levels was in 1984, when an influenza outbreak decimated Pennsylvania flocks and pushed wholesale prices above the dollar a dozen mark, Ross said.

"Each dead brooder hen represents about 150 chicks that won't be produced," said Lyndon Irwin, a professor of poultry science at Southwest Missouri State University. "You have to consider all the potential eggs she could have produced in her lifetime."

In all, the storm destroyed about 600 poultry houses in Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma. About 2.7 million chickens died in Missouri and 3.9 million in Oklahoma. Total damage in the three states has been estimated at about $100 million.

Missouri officials say the storm was the worst disaster ever to hit the state's poultry industry. And McDonald County, which bills itself as the "Poultry Capital of Missouri," was hardest hit.

"Our county's economy is based on the poultry industry," said Gene Hall, the McDonald County clerk. "It's the largest employer off the farm as well as on the farm. It's probably going to take a year or longer to recover. Lost production will occur in the poultry processing plants down the line because of the loss of breeding hens and hatcheries."

The good news for the region's poultry producers is that, while the effects of the storm might last, the recent discovery of heptachlor-tainted chicken feed that led to the destruction of 400,000 chickens in Arkansas should result in only short-term problems.

"In 1987 we produced 879 million chickens here in Arkansas, so this 400,000, that's kind of a drop in the bucket," said Lowell Lankford, a University of Arkansas Extension poultryman.

He said it takes six to seven weeks to grow a chicken for market, so farmers should recover quickly from the effects of the banned, cancer-causing pesticide.

Still, problems will endure from the storms.

"Most of the farmers plan to rebuild," Hall said. "For a lot of people, this was their sole job. Those who had a high mortgage and no insurance are scared about what lies ahead."

Missouri Gov. John Ashcroft has asked that four counties be declared federal agricultural disaster areas, making additional low-interest loans available to eligible producers.

But some poultry growers say government loans may be insufficient.

Contract growers Dixie and Gary Thomas lost five of their eight broiler houses, worth $65,000 each, and 80,000 chickens. Insurance will cover most of their losses, but not enough for the couple to rebuild completely.

"My concern with low-interest loans is that all we're doing is borrowing money to pay for buildings that are already heavily financed," Mrs. Thomas said. "You're paying for them twice."

Emergency drought plan may be drawn up

KING OF PRUSSIA, Pa. (AP) — Officials say they will declare a drought emergency and restrict water use in New Jersey, Delaware and large parts of Pennsylvania and New York if significant rain or snow doesn't fall soon.

The Delaware River Basin Commission stopped short of declaring the emergency on Tuesday, saying storms last weekend and rain and snow since had helped fill half-empty reservoirs in New York's Catskill Mountains.

A drought emergency declaration would restrict non-essential water use.

At the start of spring the Catskill reservoirs should have about 250 billion gallons, or 92 percent of capacity. Instead they held about 129 billion gallons.

"We are 1.4 billion gallons from entering the drought zone," said David Everett, the commission's chief engineer.

The commission said it will declare an emergency if the reservoirs drop below the drought level for five consecutive days.



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Herbicides can help reduce losses

Weeds cost ranchers many dollars in lost production each year because they rob desirable forages of moisture and nutrients.

But herbicides can reduce those losses.



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Range weeds could be a serious problem in some areas of Texas this spring because of winter rains. Each rancher needs to check his range land now to see if he has a weed infestation.

Ranchers that find heavy weed infestations on their ranges should consider control measures. Broadleaf plants such as distaff thistle, annual broomwood, camphorweed, ragweed and others should be the target for herbicide control.

Use of the herbicide 2,4-D in early spring provides excellent control of most annual weeds. Weeds should be growing rapidly and the herbicide should be applied before they flower. Ranchers may use 2,4-D amine in areas that receive more than 25 inches of annual rainfall, while 2,4-D low volatile ester should be used in areas of less rainfall.

To control harder-to-kill weeds, a decamba-2,4-D mixture or a picloram-2,4-D mixture is effective. Dicamba (Banvel) and 2,4-D may be tank mixed, or a dicamba-2,4-D mixture (1:3 ratio) is commercially available under the trade name Weedmaster. Likewise, picloram (Grazon PC) and 2,4-D may be tank mixed or a commercial formulation (1:4 ratio of picloram and 2,4-D) is available under the trade name Grazon P+D.

Weed control on rangeland is a practice that can produce significant returns. Weed control result demonstrations have shown a significant increase in grass production by contolling unwanted weeds. In many cases, a pound of grass has been produced for every pound of weeds controlled.

For maximum benefits from herbicide weed control, ranchers should practice good grazing management. Deferred grazing during the growing season will allow grasses to gain vigor and became better established. Proper grazing management can help keep a good cover of grass while reducing weeds.

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Please be watching for information concerning two up-coming seminars that might be of great importance to you: Gardening tips seminar, April 4, 2 and 7 p.m.; and Private applicator certification training program, Thursday, April 6, 1989, 6 p.m.

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Attitudes about apartheid separate more than races

By CHRISTOPHER S. WREN
New York Times News Service

JOHANNESBURG — Frederick Willem and Willem Johannes de Klerk share a preoccupation with politics, a Calvinist rectitude and almost mystical reverence for their Afrikaner roots.

But South Africa's most prominent brothers diverge in their convictions about the salvation of their white tribe, the Afrikaners, who make up less than 7 percent of the country's population but control virtually all its structures of power.

F.W. de Klerk, 53 years old, a lawyer who preferred politics, became the National Party's leader in the Transvaal and, last month, national leader of the party that has governed South Africa for four decades. His party wants him to replace P.W. Botha as the nation's president.

Willem de Klerk, 60, was ordained as a clergyman before turning to journalism. He edited Die Transvaaler and Rapport, two Afrikaans-language newspapers loyal to the National Party.

He is now professor of communications at Rand Afrikaans University, a political commentator of national stature and policy adviser to the new Democratic Party, which will replace the Progressive Federal Party as the center of white liberal opposition in Parliament.

Willem de Klerk maintains that the Afrikaner people must break with their past and forge alliances with the country's nonwhite majority.

F.W. de Klerk has acknowledged that white minority domination is unacceptable but has sworn not to see it replaced by black majority domination. He takes the National Party's traditional view that South Africans can maintain their identity only in the context of racially defined groups.

"I WANT TO stress that we are very much Afrikaner people and we are very proud of being Afrikaners," Willem de Klerk said as he mused about F.W. and himself.

"We are very much part of Afrikaner culture, of the Afrikaner language.

"We have in common that I am fighting basically for the future of the Afrikaner and he thinks he is fighting for the future of the Afrikaner."

It is an anomaly among the Afrikaners, a people whose origins in Africa reach back to the Dutch settlers of the 17th century, that brothers should disagree so emphatically about the politics on which they were weaned.

Their great-grandfather and grandfather were politicians. Jan de Klerk, their father, became Transvaal secretary of the National Party, a Cabinet minister, president of the now-defunct Senate and briefly the country's acting president. Prime Minister Jan G. Strydom was married to their aunt.

"We were part and parcel of my father's campaigning, so the atmosphere in my father's house was very much politicized," Professor de Klerk recalled.

Both brothers joined the Jeugbond, the National Party's youth organization. At the University of Potchefstroom, they were prominent in the Afrikaanse Studentebond. They were initiated into the Broederbond, the Afrikaner secret society.

Their generation came of age with apartheid. Professor de Klerk supposed they wound up on different sides of the issue because "my development was always more nonconformist and more individualistic." His brother, he said, "is more the extension of my father's philosophy."

WHILE WILLEM de Klerk looked for the interdependence of all South Africans, eventually traveling abroad to talk to members of the outlawed African National Congress, F.W. de Klerk accepted the separateness of the four racial groups legally classified by the government as white, black, colored (mixed race) and Asian.

In a speech to Parliament last month, F.W. de Klerk said the National Party based its solution not on ideological obsession or racial prejudice, but on the reality of South Africa.

"All the lip service being paid to a so-called nonracial society is pure nonsense," he said. "There is no such thing as a nonracial society in a multiracial country.

"However close we may cooperate, South Africa will retain its diversity, and that diversity will remain a powerful force which must be reckoned with."

Willem de Klerk differs foremost with his brother over this inevitability of racial groups.

"My accent is, yes, there are groups in South Africa, but they are basically cultural groups and the differences are basically over language," he said.

"The race concept is basically nonworkable. It's a dangerous concept for the South African future in terms of numbers" because blacks increasingly outnumbered whites.

F.W. de Klerk has called for "a country free of racism, racial hatred, discrimination on the basis of race." But he and Willem de Klerk differ over the pace at which change should proceed.

"FINAL SOLUTIONS will take time," F.W. de Klerk told Parliament. "But movement and visible evolutionary development is tremendously important."

Willem de Klerk finds this inadequate. "We can't wait for the normal evolutionary process," he said.

'Really lovely' smile frozen for 4,400 years

GIZA PLATEAU, Egypt (AP) — An ancient mummy of an aristocratic young woman, her Mona Lisa smile frozen in a plaster death mask, has been unearthed in a shallow pit at the foot of the Great Pyramid of Cheops.

"She's really lovely," said Aly Hassan, director of pharaonic monuments for the Egyptian Antiquities Organization. Hassan dated the mummy as 4,400 years old, one of the earliest ever found in Egypt.

Egyptologists expressed surprise at the recent discovery, noting the Giza pyramids area has been looted repeatedly since antiquity and excavated by some of the greatest archaeologists of the last two centuries.

Hassan said the seals of the grave were intact when an antiquities inspector accidentally found the burial shaft.

Officials who entered the grave found the mummy. She wore a bronze crown covered with gold leaf on her head and jewelry around her neck.

Jewelry, pottery, wooden items, a piece of glass, flint, obsidian, a clove of garlic and more than a dozen teeth lay nearby. The wood and garlic may have been placed in the grave to keep insects away.

The mummy was not identified, but Hassan said the woman's nobility was established both by the finery buried with her and the site of her burial, a cemetery reserved for officials of the ruling court.

She was about 22 years old when she died and stood five feet tall, Hassan said. He said the body dates from the Fifth Dynasty, which lasted from 2465 B.C. to 2323 B.C. He said he dated her body from that dynasty because other bodies in the cemetery were from that period.

Her body is so dried out that it has been wrapped in foam for protection and bound beneath the head.

Zahi Hawass, director general of the Giza area, said the new mummy might have been an important person reburied for safekeeping in the shaft where she was found.

Two vast cemeteries lie under Giza Plateau, one with royal tombs to the east of the Cheops pyramid. To the west lies the one with the new mummy, put into use five years into the reign of Cheops 4,600 years ago.

Inspectors have identified the owner of the complex in which the shaft was found as S-ankh Ptah, but his position under the pharaohs and his relation with the mummy remain mysteries.

Egyptologists hope the mummy can provide clues into early mummification, an art of preservation that spanned more than 3,000 years of Egyptian history into Christian times.

"Any find in the Giza area in such a condition is a great addition to archaeology," said Hassan. "This mummy changes our concept of preservation and mummification and provides a new date for (it)."

The earliest true mummy is that of Waty, found in the tomb of a court singer called Nefer at Sakkara. Waty's mummy dates from the late Fifth Dynasty and was preserved so well by resin-soaked bandages that even a callus on the sole of a foot is visible.

Egyptians mummified their dead for thousands of years and was refined over the ages using a solution of naturally occurring preservative compounds.

An obstacle to unraveling mysteries that still surround the mummification process is that the ancients left incomplete pictorial records of the embalming ritual.

Some say the art of mummification was too sacred to be revealed.

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Gophers would dig another upset

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — The University of Minnesota was picked to finish last in the Big Ten preseason poll, made a 2,000-to-1 longshot to reach the Final Four and tabbed the 11th seed in the NCAA East Regional.

The Golden Gophers have known the meaning of being the underdog all season, so they will be facing nothing new tonight when they meet second-seeded Duke, 26-7, in the semifinal of the NCAA East Regional art 7:40 p.m. EST.

Top-seeded Georgetown, 28-4, will face North Carolina State, 22-8, in the nightcap of the doubleheader at the Brendan Byrne Arena at 10:10 p.m.

Minnesota, 19-11 and the lowest seed still alive in the NCAA tournament, comes into the regional semifinals having turned around its basketball program a little more than three years after an academic scandal left only one player eligible for new coach Clem Haskins. The Gophers went 9-19 in his first year, 11-17 last year and 17-11 during the regular season, finishing fifth in the Big 10.

Against Duke of the ACC, the Gophers are 10-point underdogs.

"We have no pressure on us," said forward Willie Burton, who has averaged 24 points per game in the NCAA tournament. "Nobody thought we'd come this far. We were picked to finish 10th in the Big 10 and we finished fifth and played .500 in the toughest conference in the country."

The turnaround has been accomplished with just one senior, reserve guard Ray Gaffney.

"Coach brought stability to the program," Gaffney said. "He's turned the program around. We're not just a team, we're a family."

According to most of the players, the turning point for the Gophers came on Jan. 14 when they edged Iowa 80-78. In the next month, they followed with victories over Michigan, Ohio State and Illinois.

Haskins said a non-conference victory over Kansas State on Jan. 7 was just as important and gave the team the confidence he is seeing every game.

"I think our guard play is what's starting to come around now," Haskins said. "You don't win championships without good guard play and we're getting it now from Melvin (Newbern) and (Kevin) Lynch."

The guard matchup is something Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski is concerned about because Minnesota does have a height advantage there with Newbern at 6-foot-4 and Lynch at 6-6.

Duke point guard Quin Synder is 6-3 and Phil Henderson is 6-4. The Blue Devils are bigger up front with Danny Ferry and Christian Laettner, both at 6-10.

"We're still looking at the Gophers," said Ferry, the Naismith Award winner as the player of the year. "We know they are very talented and that they'd be a strong contender for the title in our league. Everyone has a lot of respect for them."

Duke also is deserving of respect. The Blue Devils have been to the Sweet 16 the past four years.

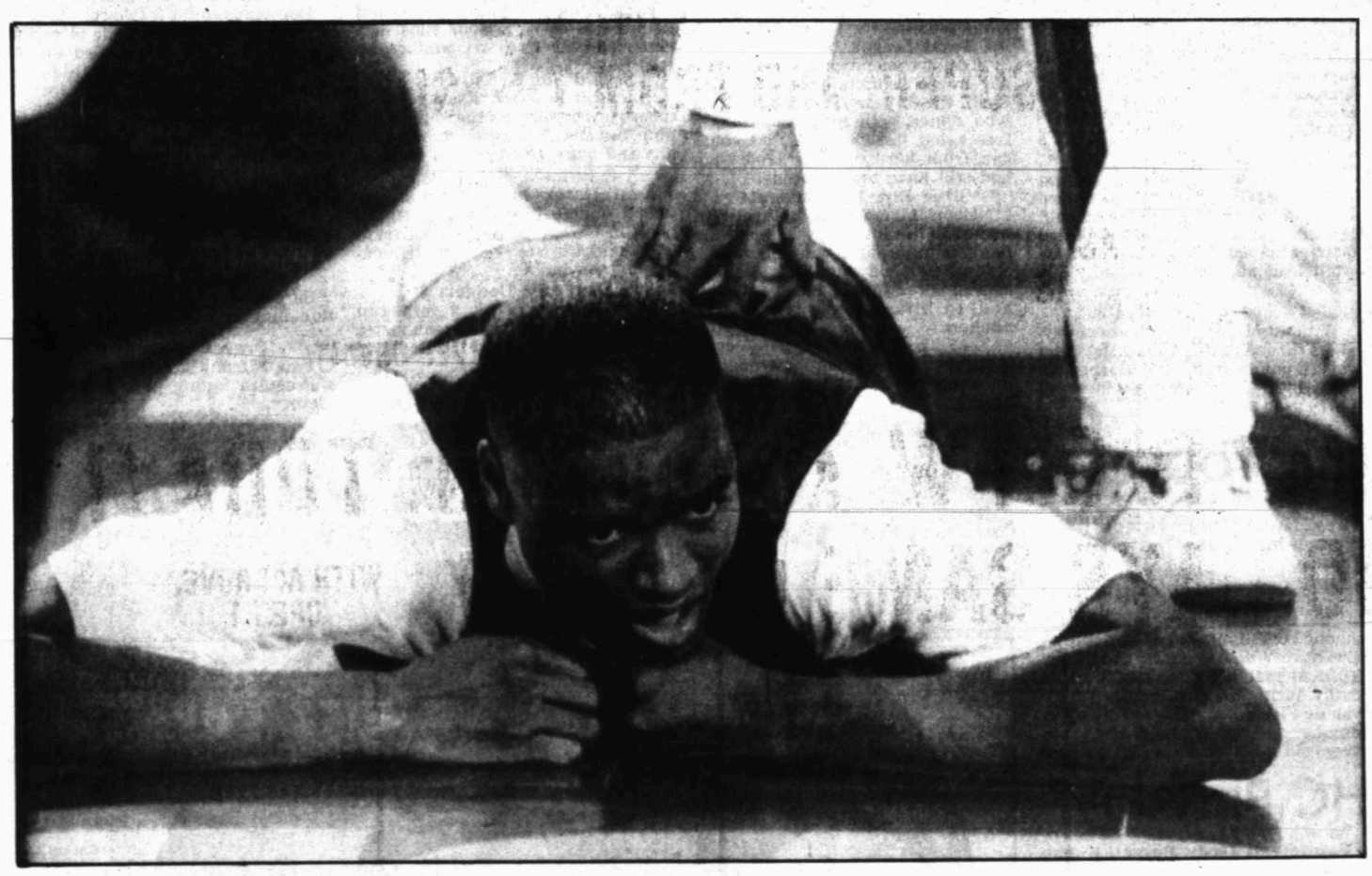
MHS, Rider to do battle at Hardin-Simmons field

From Staff Reports

ABILENE — The Hardin-Simmons University soccer complex here will be the site of a bi-district playoff match next week between Midland High and Wichita Falls Rider, M.I.S.D. Athletic Director Gil Bartosh said Thursday.

The match will start at 7 p.m. Monday. Ticket prices are $3 and $2 for the match between District 4 champion Rider and MHS, District 3 regular season co-champions who lost a district playoff to Abilene High this past Tuesday.

Monday's winner will face the El Paso High-El Paso Eastwood winner in area playoff action next Saturday. Other bi-district pairings include District 1 winner El Paso Coronado against District 2 runnerup El Paso Hanks; District 3 winner Abilene High vs. District 4 runnerup Wichita Falls High; District 6 winner Fort Worth Western Hills against District 5 runnerup Denton; District 5 champion Lewisville against District 6 runnerup Fort Worth Arlington Heights; District 7 champ Weatherford against District 8 runnerup Irving High; and District 8 champion Grapevine against District 7 runnerup Cleburne.



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Illinois' Kenny Battle grimaces after slipping on a wet court during final preparations for tonight's Midwest Regional semifinal.

Syracuse mentor raves about field

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The way Syracuse coach Jim Boeheim sees it, the NCAA tournament Final Four has come to the Metrodome three years early.

The domed stadium in downtown Minneapolis won't play host to the Final Four officially until 1992. But Boeheim says the four teams playing in the Midwest Regional semifinals in the Metrodome tonight could form a Final Four of their own and do themselves proud.

Illinois and Louisville get things started at 7:09 p.m. Syracuse and Missouri will play in the nightcap, 30 minutes after the first game ends.

"This regional is certainly as good as any regional I've been around," Boeheim said. "It's almost like a Final Four."

He's not alone in that opinion.

"I felt coming in that this particular region was every bit as strong, if not stronger, than any of the others," Louisville coach Denny Crum said.

"These four teams all are capable of winning the national championship. "Two of us are going to lose (tonight) and are not going to have a chance to do that, but they'll still be great teams."

Here's why Crum and Boeheim feel that way.

— Illinois, 29-4 and the top-seeded team in the region, was ranked No. 1 nationally after winning its first 17 games. The third-ranked Illini might have stayed at the top had guard Kendall Gill not missed 12 games with a broken bone in his left foot. Illinois is 21-0 with Gill, 8-4 without him.

— Syracuse, 29-7, is seeded second in the region and was seventh in the final regular-season poll. The Orangemen won the preseason Big Apple NIT and lost to Georgetown in the finals of the Big East tournament. They were beaten on a last-second shot by Indiana in the 1987 title game.

— Missouri, 29-7, is ranked sixth nationally and seeded third in the region. The Tigers were ranked as high as third, then went through a difficult period when Coach Norm Stewart was hospitalized for colon cancer and assistant Rich Daly took over. Misouri has won its last six, including a 98-86 thumping of No. 2 Oklahoma in the finals of the Big Eight tournament.

— Louisville, 24-8, is the NCAA tournament team of the 1980s. The fourth-seeded Cardinals have made four Final Four appearances in the decade, winning the national title in 1980 and 1986. The Cardinals' record of 23-5 in NCAA play since 1980 is the nation's best. Louisville, ranked 12th, tied for second in the Metro Conference this season, then won the league's postseason tournament.

The Louisville-Illinois game matches teams loaded with quick, graceful athletes.

Oklahoma pays for taking SE too Cavalier

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Virginia, by doing the little things well, moved one step closer to college basketball's big show.

The Cavaliers took good shots, rebounded well and played sound defense in beating top-seeded Oklahoma 86-80 Thursday night in the NCAA Southeast Regional.

Now Virginia, the No. 5 seed, must beat third-seeded Michigan in the regional final Saturday to earn a trip to the Final Four at Seattle. Michigan, behind 34 points by Glen Rice, beat No. 2 seed North Carolina 92-87 in Thursday's other semifinal.

Virginia did most everything right against the high-powered Sooners, who ended the season 30-6 in failing to repeat last year's visit to the Final Four.

The Cavaliers, 22-10, made things miserable for All-America center Stacey King in the first half while opening as much as a seven-point lead, then had the poise to stay in their offense when the Sooners made second-half runs.

King took only four shots in the first half and scored two points. The Sooners' 5-of-13 shooting from 3-point range in that half wasn't enough to loosen Virginia's sagging defense, and set the Cavaliers up nicely for the final 20 minutes.

Coach Terry Holland told his team at intermission that, while Oklahoma was having some success from outside, "King only has two points, and we have 42 and they have 37."

"We told them, 'You must stay with what we're trying to accomplish,' and I think we did for the most part," Holland said.

Bryant Stith pounded Oklahoma inside with 17 first-half points, and Richard Morgan added 12 from outside. Those two continued their inside-outside success in the second half, while Brent Dabbs grabbed eight of his career-high 14 rebounds and John Crotty ran things from the point.

King helped Oklahoma take a 53-50 lead early in the second half, but a Morgan 3-pointer capped a 12-2 run that gave Virginia a 62-55 lead.

After the Sooners rallied again to take a 72-69 lead with 5:08 left, Morgan hit a pair of 3-pointers in a 9-0 spurt that gave the Cavaliers the lead for good.

Stith, the top freshman in the Atlantic Coast Conference this season, finished with 28 points and Morgan had 25. Dabbs helped Virginia outrebound the Sooners 38-26, including 17-9 on the offensive end. The Cavaliers also outscored Oklahoma 27-8 from the free throw line.

Oklahoma coach Billy Tubbs harped only mildly on the officials, preferring to applaud Virginia's play.

"They just whipped us tonight," he said. "They deserved to win the game."

Coincidentally, Virginia's last trip to the Final Four was in 1984, when it was held at Seattle. But Holland dismissed talk of destiny playing a part in this team.

"When you throw the ball up, that destiny stuff goes out the window," Holland said. "You've got to do the job on the court."

Rice and the Wolverines, 27-7, did exactly that against North Carolina in avenging two previous NCAA tournament losses to the Tar Heels. Rice made eight 3-pointers, including a backbreaker with 1:02 left, as Michigan reached a regional final for the first time since 1977.

Rice's jumper from the right baseline gave Michigan a 90-85 lead, and the Tar Heels would get no closer than three after that.

UNLV upsets Arizona; Seton Hall nails Indiana

DENVER (AP) — He could well be one of college basketball's worst handicappers, but Jerry Tarkanian is going to the NCAA West Regional final anyway.

Tarkanian, acknowledging he was the only member of the Nevada-Las Vegas delegation who thought his team would lose to top-ranked Arizona on Thursday night, admitted he missed on the night's three other games as well.

Tark's Rebels upset Arizona 68-67 on freshman guard Anderson Hunt's 3-point basket with four seconds left. In the other West Regional semifinal, Seton Hall upended Indiana 78-65.

"I picked Indiana and Arizona, so that shows you what I know," Tarkanian said. Informed that Oklahoma had lost to Virginia and that North Carolina had bowed to Michigan in Southeast Regional, he said, "That's surprising. I wouldn't have thought so."

UNLV, 29-7, and Seton Hall, 29-6, will meet Saturday, with the winner advancing to the Final Four in Seattle.

It was a night of upsets, with the top two seeds in the West eating dust.

"It's nice to have underdogs win once in a while — as long as we're the underdogs," Tarkanian said.

After a closely contested first half, the Rebels squandered a seven-point lead with 5:35 left.

According to the calculations of Arizona coach Lute Olson, UNLV went 11 straight possessions without a basket down the stretch.

The Wildcats, sparked by Sean Elliott's 17 points in the half, rallied to take a 67-65 lead with 1:35 left.

When Arizona's Matt Muehlebach was whistled for traveling with 30 seconds to go, UNLV had one last chance.

"We wanted to get the ball inside to (David) Butler or (George) Ackles, either one," Tarkanian said. "If we couldn't, we wanted to kick it back outside.

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Penalty could hurt Rose's Hall chances

PLANT CITY, Fla. (AP) — Pete Rose calls himself a Hall of Famer. He figures his credentials are sure to get him to Cooperstown.

But the gambling allegations that have thrown a cloud over his managing career with the Cincinnati Reds might also cast a shadow over his certainty for election to the Hall of Fame.

Although Rose's place on the 1992 Hall of Fame ballot is probably secure, regardless of the outcome of an investigation by major league baseball, he might have a harder time getting elected if he's punished for gambling.

Writers who vote on the Hall of Fame candidates have shown a reluctance to vote for some players with off-field problems on the first ballot, according to Jack Lang, executive secretary of the Baseball Writers' Association of America.

"I think there's a certain backlash," Lang said. "I can't account for what other people do (in casting their votes), but I do feel from counting the votes that people who might get in on the first or second or third ballot might have to wait a little longer.'

Rose, who hasn't played since the 1986 season, would be eligible on the 1992 ballot along with former New York Mets and Reds pitcher Tom Seaver.

A baseball source told The Associated Press on Thursday that baseball doesn't currently suspect Rose of betting on his own team. But Rose is being investigated for the possibility he bet on other major league games, the source said.

If Rose is found to have bet on games involving the Reds, he could be banned from baseball for life. Betting on other teams' games could bring a one-year suspension.

The baseball commissioner's office is still investigating the allegations and took no action Thursday. Representatives of major league baseball met Thursday with D. Michael Crites, U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of Ohio, and IRS, FBI and federal Drug Enforcement Agents assigned to the case, according to a newspaper report.

The Dayton Daily News reported in a copyright story today that the Rose investigation is part of a multi-state probe of sports betting that has links to organized crime. Investigators also are looking into allegations of substantial debts Rose may owe to bookies with alleged ties to organized crime figures, the newspaper

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On This Date...

1936 — Mud Bruneteau of Detroit ended the longest game in NHL history by scoring the only goal of the game after 116 minutes, 30 seconds of play, six overtimes, giving the Red Wings a 1-0 victory over the Montreal Maroons 1-0 in the semifinals of the Stanley Cup playoffs.

1941 — Long Island University won the NIT championship,beating Ohio University 56-42.

1962 — Paul Hogue scored 22 points and Tom Thacker had 21, leading Cincinnati to a 71-59 victory over Ohio State for its second NCAA basketball championship.

Quotebook...

"I'm like an old TV show that played for five years, went off the air and is now back for reruns," pro basketball player Kelly Tripucka, having his best season in years as a member of the expansion Charlotte Hornets.

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question- Locate the following cities in east to west sequence....St. Louis, Cheyenne, Salt Lake City, Pocatello, Portland, Carson City, San Francisco, Los Angeles.

Thursday's Answer- Mount Whitney is the tallest mountain in California.

Lady 'Horns nip Las Vegas women

AUSTIN (AP) — Maryland's pressing defense will test the inside-outside scoring of Clarissa Davis and Vicki Hall of Texas in a matchup of the nation's No. 5 and 6 teams in the NCAA West regional finals of women's basketball Saturday night.

Fifth-ranked Maryland crushed Stephen F. Austin, 89-54, in the semifinals Thursday night, and it could have been much worse.

Host Texas, which attracted 9,701 spectators for its game with No. 16 Nevada-Las Vegas, won 88-77 on the scoring of the senior Davis and freshman Hall.

Maryland's quick defense, forcing 39 turnovers, had a tournament record 25 steals — eight by guard Carla Holmes and seven by guard Deanna Tate, who also was the scoring leader with 30 points.

Maryland, 27-2, stretched its winning streak to 20 games against No. 11 Stephen F. Austin, which finished 30-4.

"We got a lot of our offense out of our defense," said Maryland coach Chris Weller. "We came in today with that in mind."

Gary Blair, coach of Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches, Texas, said Maryland's defense was "Georgetown-like," holding high-scorer Portia Hill to 18 points, six below her average.

"If you play that aggressive kind of basketball, you win championships," Blair said.

Olympic gold medalist Vicky Bullett supported Tate with 28 points for Maryland.

Texas never trailed after taking a 6-4 lead but needed the 6-foot-1 Hall's long-range shots in the second half to hold off Nevada-Las Vegas, which finished the season at 27-7.

Texas, 27-4, now has won 24 straight games but is seeded second to Maryland in the tournament.

Davis, also 6-1, scored 25 for Texas and had 11 rebounds in living up to her reputation as the best player in women's basketball.

Hall, regarded by some as the top recruit last year when she was signed out of Indianapolis, Ind., scored a career-high 24 points — including five straight 3-pointers in the second half — and had nine rebounds although she sat out nine minutes.

Pauline Jordan led Nevada-Las Vegas with 22 points as the scoring difference in the game came on free throws. Texas had 22 and Nevada-Las Vegas 11.

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Attitudes about apartheid separate more than races

By CHRISTOPHER S. WREN
New York Times News Service

JOHANNESBURG — Frederick Willem and Willem Johannes de Klerk share a preoccupation with politics, a Calvinist rectitude and almost mystical reverence for their Afrikaner roots.

But South Africa's most prominent brothers diverge in their convictions about the salvation of their white tribe, the Afrikaners, who make up less than 7 percent of the country's population but control virtually all its structures of power.

F.W. de Klerk, 53 years old, a lawyer who preferred politics, became the National Party's leader in the Transvaal and, last month, national leader of the party that has governed South Africa for four decades. His party wants him to replace P.W. Botha as the nation's president.

Willem de Klerk, 60, was ordained as a clergyman before turning to journalism. He edited Die Transvaaler and Rapport, two Afrikaans-language newspapers loyal to the National Party.

He is now professor of communications at Rand Afrikaans University, a political commentator of national stature and policy adviser to the new Democratic Party, which will replace the Progressive Federal Party as the center of white liberal opposition in Parliament.

Willem de Klerk maintains that the Afrikaner people must break with their past and forge alliances with the country's nonwhite majority.

F.W. de Klerk has acknowledged that white minority domination is unacceptable but has sworn not to see it replaced by black majority domination. He takes the National Party's traditional view that South Africans can maintain their identity only in the context of racially defined groups.

"I WANT TO stress that we are very much Afrikaner people and we are very proud of being Afrikaners," Willem de Klerk said as he mused about F.W. and himself.

"We are very much part of Afrikaner culture, of the Afrikaner language.

"We have in common that I am fighting basically for the future of the Afrikaner and he thinks he is fighting for the future of the Afrikaner."

It is an anomaly among the Afrikaners, a people whose origins in Africa reach back to the Dutch settlers of the 17th century, that brothers should disagree so emphatically about the politics on which they were weaned.

Their great-grandfather and grandfather were politicians. Jan de Klerk, their father, became Transvaal secretary of the National Party, a Cabinet minister, president of the now-defunct Senate and briefly the country's acting president. Prime Minister Jan G. Strydom was married to their aunt.

"We were part and parcel of my father's campaigning, so the atmosphere in my father's house was very much politicized," Professor de Klerk recalled.

Both brothers joined the Jeugbond, the National Party's youth organization. At the University of Potchefstroom, they were prominent in the Afrikaanse Studentebond. They were initiated into the Broederbond, the Afrikaner secret society.

Their generation came of age with apartheid. Professor de Klerk supposed they wound up on different sides of the issue because "my development was always more nonconformist and more individualistic." His brother, he said, "is more the extension of my father's philosophy."

WHILE WILLEM de Klerk looked for the interdependence of all South Africans, eventually traveling abroad to talk to members of the outlawed African National Congress, F.W. de Klerk accepted the separateness of the four racial groups legally classified by the government as white, black, colored (mixed race) and Asian.

In a speech to Parliament last month, F.W. de Klerk said the National Party based its solution not on ideological obsession or racial prejudice, but on the reality of South Africa.

"All the lip service being paid to a so-called nonracial society is pure nonsense," he said. "There is no such thing as a nonracial society in a multiracial country.

"However close we may cooperate, South Africa will retain its diversity, and that diversity will remain a powerful force which must be reckoned with."

Willem de Klerk differs foremost with his brother over this inevitability of racial groups.

"My accent is, yes, there are groups in South Africa, but they are basically cultural groups and the differences are basically over language," he said.

"The race concept is basically nonworkable. It's a dangerous concept for the South African future in terms of numbers" because blacks increasingly outnumbered whites.

F.W. de Klerk has called for "a country free of racism, racial hatred, discrimination on the basis of race." But he and Willem de Klerk differ over the pace at which change should proceed.

"FINAL SOLUTIONS will take time," F.W. de Klerk told Parliament. "But movement and visible evolutionary development is tremendously important."

Willem de Klerk finds this inadequate. "We can't wait for the normal evolutionary process," he said.

'Really lovely' smile frozen for 4,400 years

GIZA PLATEAU, Egypt (AP) — An ancient mummy of an aristocratic young woman, her Mona Lisa smile frozen in a plaster death mask, has been unearthed in a shallow pit at the foot of the Great Pyramid of Cheops.

"She's really lovely," said Aly Hassan, director of pharaonic monuments for the Egyptian Antiquities Organization. Hassan dated the mummy as 4,400 years old, one of the earliest ever found in Egypt.

Egyptologists expressed surprise at the recent discovery, noting the Giza pyramids area has been looted repeatedly since antiquity and excavated by some of the greatest archaeologists of the last two centuries.

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Gophers would dig another upset

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — The University of Minnesota was picked to finish last in the Big Ten preseason poll, made a 2,000-to-1 longshot to reach the Final Four and tabbed the 11th seed in the NCAA East Regional.

The Golden Gophers have known the meaning of being the underdog all season, so they will be facing nothing new tonight when they meet second-seeded Duke, 26-7, in the semifinal of the NCAA East Regional art 7:40 p.m. EST.

Top-seeded Georgetown, 28-4, will face North Carolina State, 22-8, in the nightcap of the doubleheader at the Brendan Byrne Arena at 10:10 p.m.

Minnesota, 19-11 and the lowest seed still alive in the NCAA tournament, comes into the regional semifinals having turned around its basketball program a little more than three years after an academic scandal left only one player eligible for new coach Clem Haskins. The Gophers went 9-19 in his first year, 11-17 last year and 17-11 during the regular season, finishing fifth in the Big 10.

Against Duke of the ACC, the Gophers are 10-point underdogs.

"We have no pressure on us," said forward Willie Burton, who has averaged 24 points per game in the NCAA tournament. "Nobody thought we'd come this far. We were picked to finish 10th in the Big 10 and we finished fifth and played .500 in the toughest conference in the country."

The turnaround has been accomplished with just one senior, reserve guard Ray Gaffney.

"Coach brought stability to the program," Gaffney said. "He's turned the program around. We're not just a team, we're a family."

According to most of the players, the turning point for the Gophers came on Jan. 14 when they edged Iowa 80-78. In the next month, they followed with victories over Michigan, Ohio State and Illinois.

Haskins said a non-conference victory over Kansas State on Jan. 7 was just as important and gave the team the confidence he is seeing every game.

"I think our guard play is what's starting to come around now," Haskins said. "You don't win championships without good guard play and we're getting it now from Melvin (Newbern) and (Kevin) Lynch."

The guard matchup is something Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski is concerned about because Minnesota does have a height advantage there with Newbern at 6-foot-4 and Lynch at 6-6.

Duke point guard Quin Synder is 6-3 and Phil Henderson is 6-4. The Blue Devils are bigger up front with Danny Ferry and Christian Laettner, both at 6-10.

"We're still looking at the Gophers," said Ferry, the Naismith Award winner as the player of the year. "We know they are very talented and that they'd be a strong contender for the title in our league. Everyone has a lot of respect for them."

Duke also is deserving of respect. The Blue Devils have been to the Sweet 16 the past four years.

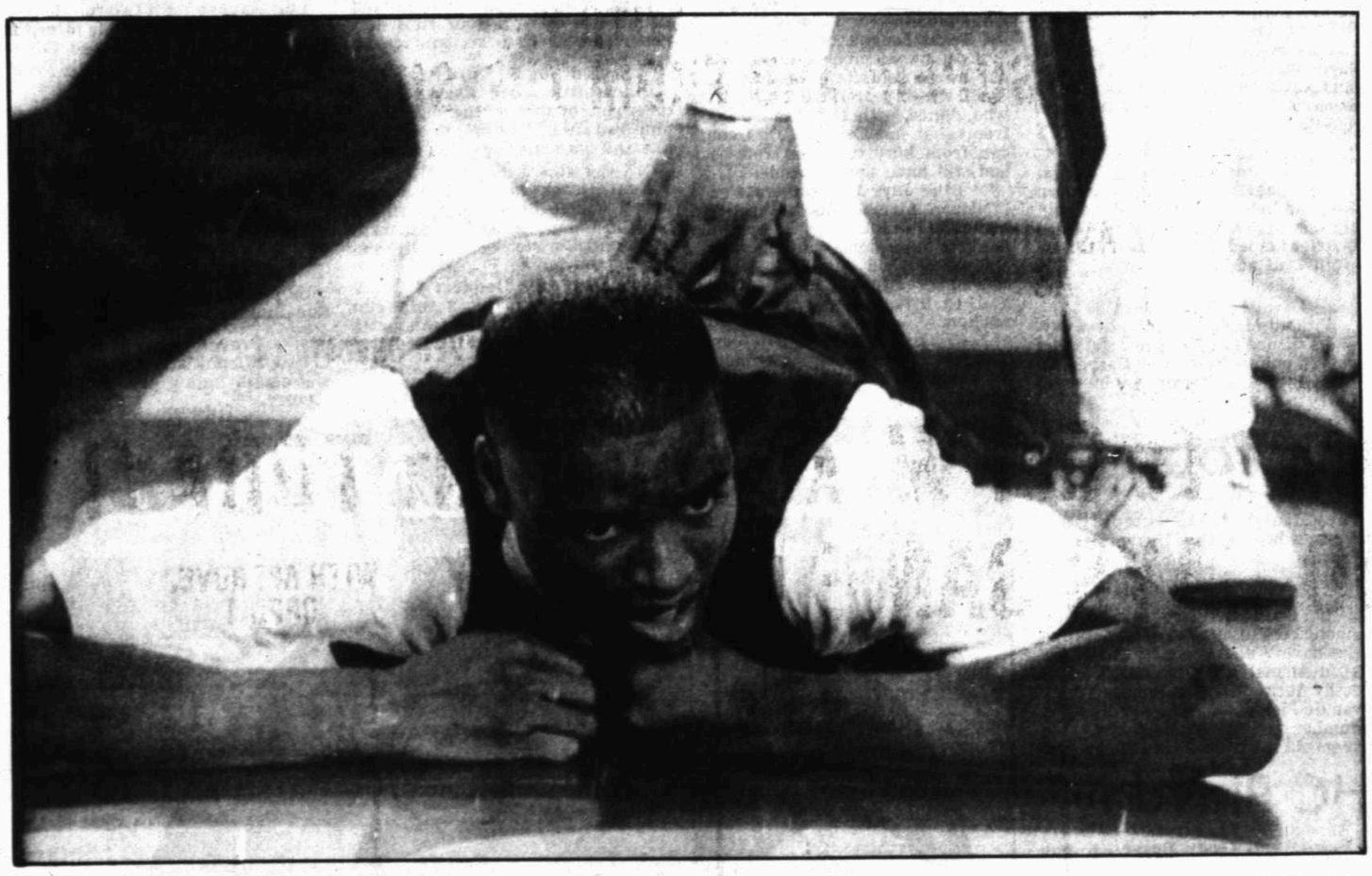
MHS, Rider to do battle at Hardin-Simmons field

From Staff Reports

ABILENE — The Hardin-Simmons University soccer complex here will be the site of a bi-district playoff match next week between Midland High and Wichita Falls Rider, M.I.S.D. Athletic Director Gil Bartosh said Thursday.

The match will start at 7 p.m. Monday. Ticket prices are $3 and $2 for the match between District 4 champion Rider and MHS, District 3 regular season co-champions who lost a district playoff to Abilene High this past Tuesday.

Monday's winner will face the El Paso High-El Paso Eastwood winner in area playoff action next Saturday. Other bi-district pairings include District 1 winner El Paso Coronado against District 2 runnerup El Paso Hanks; District 3 winner Abilene High vs. District 4 runnerup Wichita Falls High; District 6 winner Fort Worth Western Hills against District 5 runnerup Denton; District 5 champion Lewisville against District 6 runnerup Fort Worth Arlington Heights; District 7 champ Weatherford against District 8 runnerup Irving High; and District 8 champion Grapevine against District 7 runnerup Cleburne.



AP Laserphoto

Illinois' Kenny Battle grimaces after slipping on a wet court during final preparations for tonight's Midwest Regional semifinal.

Syracuse mentor raves about field

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The way Syracuse coach Jim Boeheim sees it, the NCAA tournament Final Four has come to the Metrodome three years early.

The domed stadium in downtown Minneapolis won't play host to the Final Four officially until 1992. But Boeheim says the four teams playing in the Midwest Regional semifinals in the Metrodome tonight could form a Final Four of their own and do themselves proud.

Illinois and Louisville get things started at 7:09 p.m. Syracuse and Missouri will play in the nightcap, 30 minutes after the first game ends.

"This regional is certainly as good as any regional I've been around," Boeheim said. "It's almost like a Final Four."

He's not alone in that opinion.

"I felt coming in that this particular region was every bit as strong, if not stronger, than any of the others," Louisville coach Denny Crum said.

"These four teams all are capable of winning the national championship. "Two of us are going to lose (tonight) and are not going to have a chance to do that, but they'll still be great teams."

Here's why Crum and Boeheim feel that way.

— Illinois, 29-4 and the top-seeded team in the region, was ranked No. 1 nationally after winning its first 17 games. The third-ranked Illini might have stayed at the top had guard Kendall Gill not missed 12 games with a broken bone in his left foot. Illinois is 21-0 with Gill, 8-4 without him.

— Syracuse, 29-7, is seeded second in the region and was seventh in the final regular-season poll. The Orangemen won the preseason Big Apple NIT and lost to Georgetown in the finals of the Big East tournament. They were beaten on a last-second shot by Indiana in the 1987 title game.

— Missouri, 29-7, is ranked sixth nationally and seeded third in the region. The Tigers were ranked as high as third, then went through a difficult period when Coach Norm Stewart was hospitalized for colon cancer and assistant Rich Daly took over. Misouri has won its last six, including a 98-86 thumping of No. 2 Oklahoma in the finals of the Big Eight tournament.

— Louisville, 24-8, is the NCAA tournament team of the 1980s. The fourth-seeded Cardinals have made four Final Four appearances in the decade, winning the national title in 1980 and 1986. The Cardinals' record of 23-5 in NCAA play since 1980 is the nation's best. Louisville, ranked 12th, tied for second in the Metro Conference this season, then won the league's postseason tournament.

The Louisville-Illinois game matches teams loaded with quick, graceful athletes.

Oklahoma pays for taking SE too Cavalier

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Virginia, by doing the little things well, moved one step closer to college basketball's big show.

The Cavaliers took good shots, rebounded well and played sound defense in beating top-seeded Oklahoma 86-80 Thursday night in the NCAA Southeast Regional.

Now Virginia, the No. 5 seed, must beat third-seeded Michigan in the regional final Saturday to earn a trip to the Final Four at Seattle. Michigan, behind 34 points by Glen Rice, beat No. 2 seed North Carolina 92-87 in Thursday's other semifinal.

Virginia did most everything right against the high-powered Sooners, who ended the season 30-6 in failing to repeat last year's visit to the Final Four.

The Cavaliers, 22-10, made things miserable for All-America center Stacey King in the first half while opening as much as a seven-point lead, then had the poise to stay in their offense when the Sooners made second-half runs.

King took only four shots in the first half and scored two points. The Sooners' 5-of-13 shooting from 3-point range in that half wasn't enough to loosen Virginia's sagging defense, and set the Cavaliers up nicely for the final 20 minutes.

Coach Terry Holland told his team at intermission that, while Oklahoma was having some success from outside, "King only has two points, and we have 42 and they have 37."

"We told them, 'You must stay with what we're trying to accomplish,' and I think we did for the most part," Holland said.

Bryant Stith pounded Oklahoma inside with 17 first-half points, and Richard Morgan added 12 from outside. Those two continued their inside-outside success in the second half, while Brent Dabbs grabbed eight of his career-high 14 rebounds and John Crotty ran things from the point.

King helped Oklahoma take a 53-50 lead early in the second half, but a Morgan 3-pointer capped a 12-2 run that gave Virginia a 62-55 lead.

After the Sooners rallied again to take a 72-69 lead with 5:08 left, Morgan hit a pair of 3-pointers in a 9-0 spurt that gave the Cavaliers the lead for good.

Stith, the top freshman in the Atlantic Coast Conference this season, finished with 28 points and Morgan had 25. Dabbs helped Virginia outrebound the Sooners 38-26, including 17-9 on the offensive end. The Cavaliers also outscored Oklahoma 27-8 from the free throw line.

Oklahoma coach Billy Tubbs harped only mildly on the officials, preferring to applaud Virginia's play.

"They just whipped us tonight," he said. "They deserved to win the game."

Coincidentally, Virginia's last trip to the Final Four was in 1984, when it was held at Seattle. But Holland dismissed talk of destiny playing a part in this team.

"When you throw the ball up, that destiny stuff goes out the window," Holland said. "You've got to do the job on the court."

Rice and the Wolverines, 27-7, did exactly that against North Carolina in avenging two previous NCAA tournament losses to the Tar Heels. Rice made eight 3-pointers, including a backbreaker with 1:02 left, as Michigan reached a regional final for the first time since 1977.

Rice's jumper from the right baseline gave Michigan a 90-85 lead, and the Tar Heels would get no closer than three after that.

UNLV upsets Arizona; Seton Hall nails Indiana

DENVER (AP) — He could well be one of college basketball's worst handicappers, but Jerry Tarkanian is going to the NCAA West Regional final anyway.

Tarkanian, acknowledging he was the only member of the Nevada-Las Vegas delegation who thought his team would lose to top-ranked Arizona on Thursday night, admitted he missed on the night's three other games as well.

Tark's Rebels upset Arizona 68-67 on freshman guard Anderson Hunt's 3-point basket with four seconds left. In the other West Regional semifinal, Seton Hall upended Indiana 78-65.

"I picked Indiana and Arizona, so that shows you what I know," Tarkanian said. Informed that Oklahoma had lost to Virginia and that North Carolina had bowed to Michigan in Southeast Regional, he said, "That's surprising. I wouldn't have thought so."

UNLV, 29-7, and Seton Hall, 29-6, will meet Saturday, with the winner advancing to the Final Four in Seattle.

It was a night of upsets, with the top two seeds in the West eating dust.

"It's nice to have underdogs win once in a while — as long as we're the underdogs," Tarkanian said.

After a closely contested first half, the Rebels squandered a seven-point lead with 5:35 left.

According to the calculations of Arizona coach Lute Olson, UNLV went 11 straight possessions without a basket down the stretch.

The Wildcats, sparked by Sean Elliott's 17 points in the half, rallied to take a 67-65 lead with 1:35 left.

When Arizona's Matt Muehlebach was whistled for traveling with 30 seconds to go, UNLV had one last chance.

"We wanted to get the ball inside to (David) Butler or (George) Ackles, either one," Tarkanian said. "If we couldn't, we wanted to kick it back outside.

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Penalty could hurt Rose's Hall chances

PLANT CITY, Fla. (AP) — Pete Rose calls himself a Hall of Famer. He figures his credentials are sure to get him to Cooperstown.

But the gambling allegations that have thrown a cloud over his managing career with the Cincinnati Reds might also cast a shadow over his certainty for election to the Hall of Fame.

Although Rose's place on the 1992 Hall of Fame ballot is probably secure, regardless of the outcome of an investigation by major league baseball, he might have a harder time getting elected if he's punished for gambling.

Writers who vote on the Hall of Fame candidates have shown a reluctance to vote for some players with off-field problems on the first ballot, according to Jack Lang, executive secretary of the Baseball Writers' Association of America.

"I think there's a certain backlash," Lang said. "I can't account for what other people do (in casting their votes), but I do feel from counting the votes that people who might get in on the first or second or third ballot might have to wait a little longer."

Rose, who hasn't played since the 1986 season, would be eligible on the 1992 ballot along with former New York Mets and Reds pitcher Tom Seaver.

A baseball source told The Associated Press on Thursday that baseball doesn't currently suspect Rose of betting on his own team. But Rose is being investigated for the possibility he bet on other major league games, the source said.

If Rose is found to have bet on games involving the Reds, he could be banned from baseball for life. Betting on other teams' games could bring a one-year suspension.

The baseball commissioner's office is still investigating the allegations and took no action Thursday. Representatives of major league baseball met Thursday with D. Michael Crites, U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of Ohio, and IRS, FBI and federal Drug Enforcement Agents assigned to the case, according to a newspaper report.

The Dayton Daily News reported in a copyright story today that the Rose investigation is part of a multi-state probe of sports betting that has links to organized crime. Investigators also are looking into allegations of substantial debts Rose may owe to bookies with alleged ties to organized crime figures, the newspaper

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PRO BASKETBALL — Denver Nuggets at Dallas Mavericks, 7:30 p.m., HSE; CBA divisional playoff, teams TBA, 11 p.m., ESPN.

COLLEGE BASEBALL — Cal State Fullerton at Florida State, 10 p.m., HSE.

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PREP BASEBALL — Midland High vs. Abilene Cooper, 2 p.m., Angel Stadium; Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper, 2 p.m.

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On This Date...

1936 — Mud Bruneteau of Detroit ended the longest game in NHL history by scoring the only goal of the game after 116 minutes, 30 seconds of play, six overtimes, giving the Red Wings a 1-0 victory over the Montreal Maroons 1-0 in the semifinals of the Stanley Cup playoffs.

1941 — Long Island University won the NIT championship, beating Ohio University 56-42.

1962 — Paul Hogue scored 22 points and Tom Thacker had 21, leading Cincinnati to a 71-59 victory over Ohio State for its second NCAA basketball championship.

Quotebook...

"I'm like an old TV show that played for five years, went off the air and is now back for reruns," pro basketball player Kelly Tripucka, having his best season in years as a member of the expansion Charlotte Hornets.

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question- Locate the following cities in east to west sequence...St. Louis, Cheyenne, Salt Lake City, Pocatello, Portland, Carson City, San Francisco, Los Angeles.

Thursday's Answer- Mount Whitney is the tallest mountain in California.

Lady 'Horns nip Las Vegas women

AUSTIN (AP) — Maryland's pressing defense will test the inside-outside scoring of Clarissa Davis and Vicki Hall of Texas in a matchup of the nation's No. 5 and 6 teams in the NCAA West regional finals of women's basketball Saturday night.

Fifth-ranked Maryland crushed Stephen F. Austin, 89-54, in the semifinals Thursday night, and it could have been much worse.

Host Texas, which attracted 9,701 spectators for its game with No. 16 Nevada-Las Vegas, won 88-77 on the scoring of the senior Davis and freshman Hall.

Maryland's quick defense, forcing 39 turnovers, had a tournament record 25 steals — eight by guard Carla Holmes and seven by guard Deanna Tate, who also was the scoring leader with 30 points.

Maryland, 27-2, stretched its winning streak to 20 games against No. 11 Stephen F. Austin, which finished 30-4.

"We got a lot of our offense out of our defense," said Maryland coach Chris Weller. "We came in today with that in mind."

Gary Blair, coach of Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches, Texas, said Maryland's defense was "Georgetown-like," holding high-scorer Portia Hill to 18 points, six below her average.

"If you play that aggressive kind of basketball, you win championships," Blair said.

Olympic gold medalist Vicky Bullett supported Tate with 28 points for Maryland.

Texas never trailed after taking a 6-4 lead but needed the 6-foot-1 Hall's long-range shots in the second half to hold off Nevada-Las Vegas, which finished the season at 27-7.

Texas, 27-4, now has won 24 straight games but is seeded second to Maryland in the tournament.

Davis, also 6-1, scored 25 for Texas and had 11 rebounds in living up to her reputation as the best player in women's basketball.

Hall, regarded by some as the top recruit last year when she was signed out of Indianapolis, Ind., scored a career-high 24 points — including five straight 3-pointers in the second half — and had nine rebounds although she sat out nine minutes.

Pauline Jordan led Nevada-Las Vegas with 22 points as the scoring difference in the game came on free throws. Texas had 22 and Nevada-Las Vegas 11.

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St. Louis eliminates Lobos

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — After falling behind to New Mexico by 20 points at halftime, all St. Louis coach Rich Grawer wanted his team to do was to narrow the lead to 10 points by midway through the second half.

"We told them if we could get within 10 with 10 minutes to go, we'd be in fine shape," he said. "And lo and behold, with about 13 or 12 minutes to go we were only down seven.

"I told them, 'We're ahead of schedule.'"

With 10 minutes to go the Billikens had narrowed the lead to 51-49 on a Roland Gray rebound and foul shot.

Gray's basket off a Charles Newberry steal with 12 seconds remaining gave St. Louis a 66-65 victory over the Lobos and earned the Billikens a trip to New York for the National Invitation Tournament semifinals. They'll play Michigan State, 18-13, on Monday.

St. John's also advanced to the semifinals Thursday night with an 83-80 overtime victory over Ohio State. St. John's will take of Alabama-Birmingham in Monday's other game at Madison Square Garden. The championship is set for Wednesday.

New Mexico coach Dave Bliss said the game was typical of the season.

"We still haven't won a big game," he said.

After falling behind for the first time, 59-58 on a Monroe Douglass basket with 3:39 left, New Mexico responded with a six-foot jumper by Charlie Thomas and a 3-pointer by Rob Robbins.

Luc Longley scored on a layin with 48 seconds remaining to give the Lobos a 65-64 lead. New Mexico didn't score again.

The Lobos had a chance to take a three-point lead with less than 20 seconds left, but Newberry stole the ball from Willie Banks in the corner and fed Gray under the basket for the winning score.

The Lobos had another chance with four seconds left, but Newberry again stole the ball and threw it in the air as time ran out.

Bliss said the problem for the Lobos was that nobody was willing to take charge.

"We had a complete lack of leadership on the floor, a complete lack of anything that remotely resembled any type of take-charge courage.

"We let them back in the ball game, and they took advantage of it."

Gray scored 34 points — 21 in the second half — and grabbed 11 rebounds to pace the Billikens, 26-9. Bonner added 16 points and 10 rebounds.

The Billikens used a zone press in the second half and forced 10 New Mexico turnovers.

Winfield, Ryan injured

Associated Press

Dave Winfield's aching back is giving the New York Yankees a pain in the neck.

Winfield's agent, Jeff Klein, said Thursday that the 37-year-old outfielder will undergo surgery today on a herniated disc and miss several months of the season.

"The doctors can be more specific after the operation and when he starts rehabilitation," Klein said.

The back problem has prevented Winfield from playing any exhibition games this spring.

"Surgery wasn't the first choice. More conservative treatment was explored," Klein said. "Doctors concluded this was the most advisable treatment and that it would provide the greatest likelihood for recovery."

Last season, Winfield hit .322 with 25 homers and 107 runs batted in. He has two years left on his 10-year contract, and will make $1.86 million this season.

Pitcher Nolan Ryan pulled a calf muscle in a minor league exhibition game Thursday and may miss the opening of the season for the Texas Rangers. Ryan suffered the injury while pitching for Tulsa of the Class AA Texas League.

"I can't remember a spring without a calf muscle problem," said Ryan, the 42-year-old strikeout king who signed with the Rangers as a free agent last December. "I could run from here to China and back and still have some trouble."

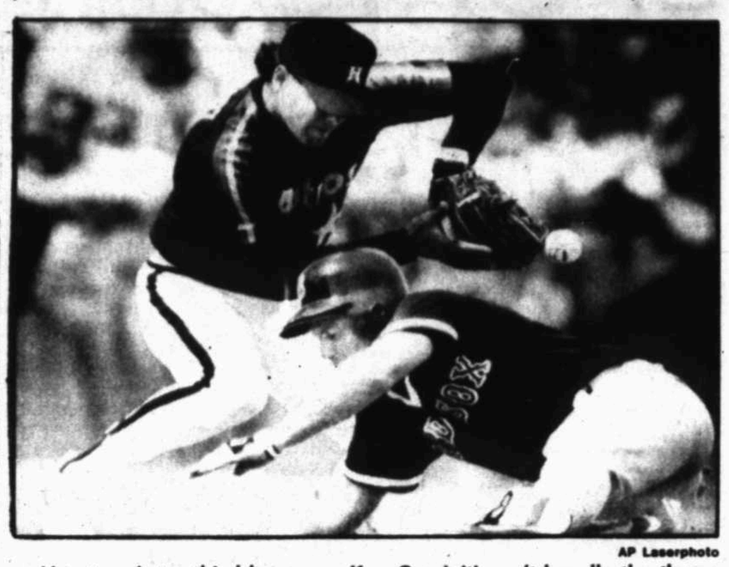
Blue Jays 11, Rangers 4

Nelson Liriano hit a three-run homer as the Blue Jays snapped the Rangers' nine-game winning streak.

Jesse Barfield and Kelly Gruber also homered for the Blue Jays, who had 14 hits against five Texas pitchers.

Expos 1, Mets 0

Darryl Motley, a non-roster player, hit a pinch RBI single in the eighth inning



AP Laserphoto

Houston Astro third baseman Ken Caminiti can't handle the throw as Boston's Marty Barrett slides in safely.

White Sox 5, Pirates 3

Greg Walker homered twice and doubled to drive in four runs in a game shortened to six innings by rain.

Red Sox 5, Astros 2

Pinch-hitter Nick Esasky hit a three-run double in the eighth inning and Mike Boddicker allowed six hits and both runs in seven innings.

Twins 5, Royals 4

Kent Hrbek hit a two-run, go-ahead double in a four-run eighth off Jim Campbell, 0-1. Gene Larkin and John Christensen had RBI singles in the inning.

Orioles 7, Dodgers 3

Mike Devereaux hit a three-run homer against his former teammates and Baltimore snapped the Dodgers' six-game winning streak.

Dave Schmidt, 1-3, struck out five. walked one and allowed nine hits

Indians 4, Mariners 1

Luis Aguayo hit a two-run double off Colin McLaughlin, 0-1, to cap a three-run eighth inning and Cleveland won despite getting only three hits.

Brewers 8, Giants 6

Jim Gantner and Greg Brock capped a sixth-inning rally with run-scoring singles that helped Milwaukee snap a five-game losing streak.

Cubs 9, Angels 1

Scott Sanderson held California to five hits and one run in six innings and the Cubs had 14 hits.

Tigers 7, Reds 5

Billy Bean hit a two-run homer on Rob Dibble's second pitch.

Braves 5, Yankees 3

Dale Murphy's three-run homer in the eighth inning gave Atlanta the victory.

Suns, Warriors put on a show

Associated Press

They might not be the best teams in the NBA. For one night, however, the Phoenix Suns and Golden State Warriors can be the flashiest.

It was the Suns' turn Thursday night as they scored a near-record 87 points in the first half and romped past Golden State 154-124. Only the Warriors, who got 155 points in beating Sacramento on March 4, have scored more in a game this season.

"There are two of the most exciting teams in the league," Suns coach Cotton Fitzsimmons said after seeing Tom Chambers score 33 points and Kevin Johnson add 26 and 11 assists. "There are teams that are better than the Warriors and the Suns, but nobody is more exciting.

"We were sensational. That's the best game we can play."

Six Suns scored in double figures in the first half as Phoenix raced to a 26-point lead with the third highest opening-half total in NBA history. The record is 89, set by Cincinnati against San Diego on March 12, 1970, and matched by the Los Angeles Lakers versus Phoenix on Jan. 2, 1987.

Lakers 115, Kings 92

The Magic Show was at its best as Magic Johnson had 25 points, 14 assists and 10 rebounds. James Worthy added 22 points and Byron Scott 20 as the Lakers snapped their four-game road losing streak.

SuperSonics 115, Clippers 112

At Seattle, Dale Ellis scored 39 points, with his layup with 41 seconds remaining giving the Sonics the lead for good.

Ellis broke a 109-109 tie with his layup on a feed from Nate McMillan and Xavier McDaniel's dunk with 21 seconds left put the Sonics ahead 113-109.

Bullets 102, Hornets 97

After hitting only five of his first 11 shots against Charlotte, Bernard King got hot early in the second half. His six quick points in the third quarter helped the Bullets build a 14-point lead and they held on.

Cavaliers 102, Bucks 88

Without Mark Price, the host Cavaliers turned to their other stars and got 21 points from Ron Harper, 20 from Brad Daugherty and 19 from Larry Nance.

Chap netters begin spring tour

From Staff Reports

In their annual spring tour, the Midland College tennis teams face nothing but university squads in Missouri, Arkansas, and Oklahoma. But tough competition is exactly what MC coach Joe Williams is seeking for his powerful community college players.

Action for the first three days, starting Saturday, is centered in Springfield, Missouri. On the first day, the MC women's team plays Murray State, Kentucky, and the University of Illinois. The Chaparral men play the University of Evansville, Illinois, and Iowa State. The men's team plays Southwest Missouri State on Sunday afternoon. The women play SW Missouri Monday, while the men are contesting Southwest Baptist University.

Both teams have practice matches with the University of Arkansas teams in Fayetteville on Tuesday. They finish their competition Wednesday at the University of Tulsa.

The Chap men are ranked first among community colleges, but injuries have Williams concerned. Their 9-0 dual match record hasn't come easily during the past month. Tonny van de Pieterman, who usually plays number one singles and doubles, has been out with an injury to his leg.

Local youth ride tall at TCYHC Playday

From Staff Reports

Several local youngsters earned all-around honors in the Tall City Youth Horse Club's first playday of the season recently.

All-around winners included Christa Ralston, 6 and under girls; Brent Grizzle and Dusty Burger, 6 and under boys; Jessica Johnson, 7-9 girls; Rocky LaDuque, 7-9 boys; Tamara Baze, 10-12 girls; Michael Green, 10-12 boys; Rachel Lough, 13-15 girls; Chad Stanley, 13-15 girls; Jana Jeffreys, 16-19 girls; Danny LaDuque and Leslie Ralston, 20 and over.

Here are high finishers in their respective events:

6 and under girls

Barrels: 1. Christa Ralston; 2. Kelly Browder; 3. Heather Kemper. **Poles:** 1. Ralston; 2. Browder; 3. Kemper. **Flags:** 1. Ralston; 2. Browder; 3. Kemper.

6 and under boys

Barrels: 1. Jeremy Green; 2. Brent Grizzle; 3. Keonen Ruddell; **Poles:** 1. Grizzle; 2. Dusty Burger; 3. Ruddell. **Flags:** 1. Burger; 2. Green; 3. Ruddell.

7-9 Girls

Barrels: 1. Christy Hodge; 2. Jessica Johnson; 3. Tanta Ralston. **Poles:** 1. Johnson; 2. Ralston; 3. Hodge. **Flags:** 1. Johnson; 2. Ralston; 3. Christy Burger.

7-9 Boys

Barrels: 1. Rocky LaDuque; 2. Ozzie Jarman. **Poles:** 1. Jarman. **Flags:** 1. LaDuque.

10-12 Girls

Barrels: 1. Lindsay Jarman; 2. Tamara Baze; 3. Shawnna Stanley. **Poles:** 1. Stanley; 2. Baze; 3. Jarman. **Flags:** 1. Baze; 2. Stanley; 3. Jarman.

10-12 Boys

Barrels: 1. Cal Baze; 2. Michael Green; 3. Ryan Stanley. **Poles:** 1. Green; 2. Stanley; 3. Baze. **Flags:** 1. Stanley; 2. Green.

13-15 Girls

Barrels: 1. Rachel Lough; 2. Melissa Dickens. **Poles:** 1. Dickens; 2. Lough. **Flags:** 1. Lough; 2. Dickens.

13-15 Boys

Barrels: 1. Chad Stanley. **Poles:** 1. Stanley. **Flags:** 1. Stanley.

16-19 Girls

Barrels: 1. Jana Jeffreys. **Poles:** 1. Jeffreys. **Flags:** 1. Jeffreys.

20 and over

Barrels: 1. Dianne Grizzle; 2. Leslie Ralston; 3. Patricia Herring. **Poles:** 1. Danny LaDuque; 2. Ralston; 2. Nancy Wilkes. **Flags:** 1. LaDuque; 2. Ralston; 3. Wilkes.

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Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Toronto	16	5	.762
Cleveland	16	6	.727
Minnesota	12	8	.600
Texas	11	8	.579
Kansas City	10	9	.526
New York	11	11	.500
Oakland	11	11	.500
California	10	11	.476
Milwaukee	11	13	.458
Baltimore	9	11	.450
Detroit	9	11	.450
Seattle	9	11	.450
Chicago	12	16	.429
Boston	7	14	.333
NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	13	6	.684
San Diego	13	6	.684
Los Angeles	12	10	.545
Pittsburgh	12	10	.545
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
Atlanta	9	9	.500
New York	9	12	.429
Philadelphia	8	11	.421
San Francisco	9	13	.409
Houston	8	14	.364
Montreal	6	12	.333
Chicago	7	15	.318

NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings, ties do not

Thursday's Games

Philadelphia vs. St. Louis, ppd., rain

Boston 5, Houston 2

Montreal 1, N.Y. Mets 0

Chicago White Sox 5, Pittsburgh 3, six innings, rain

Toronto 11, Texas 4

Baltimore 7, Los Angeles 3

Minnesota 5, Kansas City 4

Cleveland 4, Seattle 1

Milwaukee 8, San Francisco 6

Chicago Cubs 9, California 1

Detroit 7, Cincinnati 5

Atlanta 5, N.Y. Yankees 3

San Diego 5, Oakland 4, 13 innings

Friday's Games

Texas vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., noon.

Boston vs. Cincinnati at Plant City, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Houston vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Minnesota vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Los Angeles vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

N.Y. Yankees vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Montreal vs. Baltimore at Miami, 12:35 p.m.

Seattle vs. Milwaukee at Chandler, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

Cleveland vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

Oakland vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

Chicago Cubs vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif., 3:05 p.m.

Chicago White Sox vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 6:30 p.m.

Toronto vs. Kansas City at Haines City, Fla., 6:35 p.m.

Milwaukee vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz., 8:05 p.m.

At Orlando, Fla.

Kansas City 000 200 101—4 9 1
Minnesota 000 001 04x—5 10 0

Bannister, Appier (6), Campbell (7) and Boone, Maclarlane (7); Rawley, Shields (7), Reardon (9) and Laudner. W—Shields, 2-1. L—Campbell, 0-1. Sv—Reardon (2). HRs—Kansas City, Tartabull (1), Boone (1), B.Jackson (4).

At Kissimmee, Fla.

Boston 100 000 031—5 10 1
Houston 000 100 100—2 7 1

Boddicker, Lamp (8), Laskey (9) and Cerone, Marzano (8); Rhoden, Darwin (8), Agosto (8), D.Smith (9) and Biggio. W—Boddicker, 2-2. L—Agosto, 0-2. Sv—Laskey, 1. HR—Boston, Marzano (1).

At Bradenton, Fla.

Chicago (A) 100 103—6 6 1
Pittsburgh 101 001—3 7 0
(Six innings)

Perez and Karkovice; Dunne and LaValliere. W—Perez, 1-2. L—Dunne, 2-1. HRs—Chicago, G.Walker 2 (4).

At Port Charlotte, Fla.

Toronto 021 001 421—11 14 0
Texas 030 001 000— 4 10 0

Nunez, D.Hall (5), Eichhorn (6), Ward (8) and Borders; Witt, Rogers (5), D.Hall (7), Guante (8), Russell (9) and Kreuter, Petralli (6). W—Eichhorn, 1-0. L—D.Hall, 0-1. HRs—Toronto, Gruber (5), Barfield (2), Liriano (1).

At West Palm Beach, Fla.

New York (N) 000 000 000—0 2 1
Montreal 000 000 01x—1 9 3

Darling, Leach (6), Innis (8) and Carter; B.Smith, Gardner (6), McGaffigan (8), Burke (9) and Santovenia, Pevey (9). W—McGaffigan, 1-0. L—Innis, 0-1. Sv— Burke (3).

At Vero Beach, Fla.

Baltimore 103 000 003—7 10 0
Los Angeles 000 011 001—3 12 1

Schmidt, Thurmond (8) and Melvin, Tettleton (4); Morgan, Horton (4), Searage (6), Crews (8) and Scioscia, Hernandez (9). W—Schmidt, 1-3. L—Morgan, 0-1. HRs—Baltimore, Devereaux (2). Los Angeles, Gonzalez (2).

At Plant City, Fla.

Detroit 020 000 401—7 9 1
Cincinnati 000 050 000—5 11 1

Nunez, Hernandez (7), F.Williams (9) and Heath; Birtsas, Tekulve (3), Charlton (5), St. Claire (7), Dibble (7), Hammond (9) and Oliver. W—Tanana, 2-1. L— Dibble, 1-3. Sv— F.Williams (1). HR—Detroit, Bean (1).

At Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Atlanta 000 000 230—5 14 2
New York (A) 000 100 200—3 5 1

Glavine, Acker (7), Boever (9) and J.Davis; LaPoint, Pena (7), McCullers (8), Mohorcic (9) and Slaught, Quirk (8). W—Acker, 1-0. L—Pena, 0-1. Sv—Boever (4). HRs—Atlanta, Stark (1), Murphy (1). New York, Mattingly (2).

At Tucson, Ariz.

Seattle 100 000 000—1 6 2
Cleveland 100 000 03x—4 3 1

Langston, McLaughlin (8) and Valle, Cochrane (8); Yett, J.Davis (7), Skalski (8), Orosco (9) and Skinner, Tingley (6). W—Skalski, 2-0. L—McLaughlin, 0-1. Sv— Orosco, (3).

At Chandler, Ariz.

San Francisco 005 100 000—6 15 2
Milwaukee 000 215 00x—8 8 2

Garrelts, Mulholland (4), Comstock (6), LaCoss (7) and Kennedy; Clutterbuck, O.Jones (5), Krawczyk (9) and Engle, Rodriquez (7). W—O.Jones, 1-1. L—Mulholland, 0-3. Sv—Krawczyk (3). HR—Milwaukee, Deer (3).

At Palm Springs, Calif.

Chicago (N) 020 011 500—9 14 1
California 010 000 000—1 6 3

Sanderson, Bielecki (7), M.Williams (9) and Berryhill; McCaskill, Cliburn (6), McClure (9) and Parrish and Miller (7). W—Sanderson, 2-0. L—McCaskill, 1-1. HR—Chicago, Webster (1).

At Yuma, Ariz.

Oakland 100 001 110 000 0—4 14 5
San Diego 002 000 002 000 1—5 11 3
(13 innings)

C.Young, G.Nelson (7), Plunk (8), Snyder (9), Bordi (11) and Steinbach, Bando (11); Rasmussen, Booker (7), Harris (10), Leiper (12) and Santiago, S.Alomar (11). W—Leiper, 1-0. L—Bordi, 0-1.

PGA Scores

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Scores Thursday in the first round of the $750,000 PGA USF&G Classic played on the par-72, 7,106-yard English Turn golf course:

Dan Forsman	32-34—66
Tom Byrum	38-32—70
Lee Chill	34-34—68
Pat McGowan	33-35—68
Greg Norman	33-35—68
Bill Sander	33-35—68
Tim Simpson	32-36—68
Jim Hallet	34-35—69
Andy Bean	37-33—70
P H Horgan III	33-37—70
Mike Hulbert	34-36—70
Tom Kite	35-35—70
Payne Stewart	34-36—70
Robert Wrenn	38-32—70
Jim Booros	35-36—71
Mark Brooks	36-35—71
Buddy Gardner	37-34—71
Gary Hallberg	34-37—71
Ed Humenik	38-33—71
John Mahaffey	34-37—71
Clarence Rose	37-34—71
Ted Schulz	34-37—71
Hal Sutton	35-36—71
Tom Watson	34-37—71
George Archer	35-37—72
Seve Ballesteros	36-36—72
Phil Blackmar	36-36—72
Bob Boyd	34-38—72
Russ Cochran	38-34—72
Rick Dalpos	35-37—72
David Edwards	35-37—72
Jim Gallagher Jr	36-36—72
David Graham	38-34—72
Hubert Green	35-37—72
Ken Green	37-35—72
Steve Hart	35-37—72
Mark Hayes	36-36—72
Lon Hinkle	32-40—72
Karl P Kimball Jr	37-35—72
Tim Norris	37-35—72
Mark O'Meara	36-36—72
Rick Pearson	38-34—72
Billy Pierot	36-36—72
Don Pooley	35-37—72
Sam Randolph	37-35—72
Lance TenBroeck	36-36—72
Brian Tennyson	36-36—72
Lanny Wadkins	35-37—72
John Adams	37-35—72
Tommy Armour III	36-36—72
Dave Barr	35-37—72
Bill Buttner	36-36—72
Curt Byrum	36-36—72
T C Chen	38-34—72
Trevor Dodds	36-36—72
Fred Funk	35-37—72
Tony Grimes	37-35—72
Kenny Knox	36-36—72
Jack Nicklaus	36-36—72
Calvin Peete	36-36—72
Loren Roberts	35-38—73
Dave Rummells	36-37—73
J C Snead	35-38—73
Doug Tewell	35-38—73
Leonard Thompson	37-36—73
Howard Twitty	37-36—73
Billy Andrade	37-36—73
Chip Beck	36-37—73
Roy Biancalana	36-37—73
Bill Britton	39-34—73
Billy Ray Brown	35-38—73
Lennie Clements	33-40—73
Bob Estes	38-35—73
Wayne Levi	37-36—73
Miguel Martin	36-37—73
Jerry Pate	36-37—73
Larry Rinker	38-35—73
Tony Sills	37-36—73
Duffy Waldorf	36-37—73
Ray Barr Jr	37-37—74
Clark Burroughs	36-38—74
David Canipe	38-36—74
Keith Clearwater	36-38—74
Brad Fabel	38-36—74
Jeff Hart	38-36—74
Webb Heintzelman	38-36—74
Nolan Henke	37-37—74
Peter Jacobsen	36-38—74
Mike Miles	36-38—74
Chris Perry	36-38—74
Carl Poche	37-37—74
Jeff Sluman	36-38—74
Ron Terry	38-36—74
Jim Thorpe	36-38—74
Doug Weaver	37-38—75

LPGA Scores

PHOENIX (AP) — Scores Tursday in the first round of the $400,000 LPGA Standard Register Turquoise Classic played at the par-73, 6,514-yard Moon Valley Country Club:

Allison Finney	32-34—66
Beth Daniel	31-37—68
Joan Pitcock	34-35—69
Penny Hammel	34-35—69
Jody Rosenthal	33-37—70
Carolyn Hill	35-35—70
Sally Quinlan	35-35—70
Jan Stephenson	36-34—70
Kim Shipman	34-37—71
Lori Garbacz	35-36—71
Patti Rizzo	36-35—71
Tammie Green	33-38—71
Missie Berteotti	34-37—71
Ok-Hee Ku	34-37—71
Diana Heinicke-Rauch	34-38—72
Janet Anderson	35-37—72
Dale Eggeling	36-36—72
Cindy Hill	35-37—72
Robin Walton	36-36—72
Rosie Jones	38-34—72
Judy Dickinson	36-36—72
Karin Mundinger	35-37—72
Deb Richard	35-37—72
Patty Sheehan	37-35—72
Alice Ritzman	36-36—72
Amy Alcott	35-37—72
Colleen Walker	36-36—72
JoAnne Carner	36-36—72
Sherri Steinhauer	36-36—72
Lisa Walters	35-38—73
Kathy Guadagnino	37-36—73
Val Skinner	37-36—73
Sandra Haynie	37-36—73
Susan Smith	37-36—73
Anne-Marie Palli	36-37—73
Danielle Ammaccapane	36-37—73
Mei-Chi Cheng	39-34—73
Betsy King	35-38—73
Trish Johnson	33-40—73
Caroline Pierce	38-35—73
Heather Farr	37-36—73
Jane Geddes	36-37—73
Marta Figueras-Dotti	37-36—73
Cindy Rarick	36-37—73
Ayako Okamoto	36-36—72
Caroline Keggi	38-37—75
Juli Inkster	37-37—74
Amy Benz	37-37—74
Kristi Albers	39-36—75
Lynn Connelly	38-36—74
Mindy Moore	35-39—74
Cathy Morse	36-38—74
Kathryn Young	37-37—74
Lisa Lewis	37-37—74
Vicki Fergon	36-38—74
Nancy Brown	35-39—74
Anne Kelly	36-38—74
Cathy Marino	37-37—74
Muffin Spencer-Devlin	37-37—74
Sally Little	38-36—74
Liselotte Neumann	38-36—74
Myra Blackwelder	38-37—75
Mitzi Edge	37-38—75
Martha Nause	36-39—75
Deborah McHaffie	35-40—75
Tina Barrett	35-40—75
Cindy Figg-Currier	38-39—75
Sandra Palmer	35-40—75
Cindy Mackey	37-38—75
Shelley Hamlin	37-38—75
Connie Chillemi	38-37—75
Dottie Mochrie	36-39—75
Nancy Lopez	38-37—75
Martha Foyer	36-39—75
Sandra Spuzich	38-37—75
Pamela Wright	39-36—75
Sherrin Smyers	35-40—75
Laura Davies	37-38—75
Sherri Turner	36-39—75
Jill Briles	36-39—75
Laurel Kean	37-38—75
Clifford Ann Creed	38-40—78
Patty Jordan	35-41—76
Jane Crafter	37-39—76
Kate Rogerson	37-39—76
Tracy Kerdyk	39-37—76
Missie McGeorge	36-40—76
Becky Pearson	38-38—76
Hollis Stacy	37-39—76
Deedee Lasker	38-38—76
Lynn Adams	37-39—76
Kris Tschetter	38-38—76
Terry-Jo Myers	39-37—76
Silvia Bertolaccini	36-40—76
Kathy Whitworth	37-39—76
Barb Thomas	37-39—76
Connie Baker	37-39—76
Shirley Furlong	37-39—76
Mina Rodriguez Hardin	38-38—76
Lauri Merten	38-38—76
Loretta Alderete	37-39—76
Sue Ertl	37-39—76
Janet Coles	38-40—78
Margaret Ward	38-39—77
Nancy Ramsbottom	37-40—77
Bonnie Lauer	39-38—77
Dawn Coe	37-40—77
Stephanie Farwig	40-37—77
Chihiro Nakajima	37-40—77
Marci Bozarth	37-40—77
Lenore Rittenhouse	35-42—77
Sue Thomas	39-38—77
Nina Foust	38-39—77
Robin Hood	37-40—77
Kay Cockerill	37-40—77
Chris Johnson	39-38—77
Debbie Massey	38-41—77
Jerilyn Britz	37-40—77
Alice Miller	38-41—77

District 4-5A Stats

(THROUGH GAMES OF MARCH 18)

TEAM HITTING

Team	ab	r	h	2b	3b	4b	bi	avg.
SA Central	26	5	11	1	1	0	4	.423
Odessa Permian	61	16	23	2	0	1	14	.379
Abilene Cooper	54	16	20	7	2	1	16	.370
Midland High	60	11	19	5	0	0	8	.317
Midland Lee	49	6	8	1	0	0	4	.163
Abilene High	23	0	3	1	0	0	0	.131
Odessa High	38	0	2	1	0	0	0	.053

HITTING

Player	ab	r	h	2b	3b	4b	bi	avg.
Grimaldo,CHS	3	1	3	0	1	0	0	1.000
Heller, CHS	6	0	5	3	0	0	7	.833
Martin, PHS	7	3	5	0	0	0	1	.714
Paige, CHS	9	4	6	1	2	0	2	.667
Orr, SACHS	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	.667
Pugh, CHS	8	5	5	2	0	1	5	.625
Kwiatkski,PHS	7	2	4	1	0	1	4	.571
Perez, MHS	7	1	4	1	0	0	2	.571
Melzer, MHS	8	4	4	1	0	0	2	.500
Harriss, SACHS	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	.500
Bt Sanders,LHS	4	0	2	0	0	0	3	.500
Tucker, PHS	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	.500
Esparza, AHS	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500
Green, CHS	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	.500
Hernandez,SACH	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500
Overend, LHS	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	.500
Rideaux, SACHS	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	.500
Case, PHS	7	2	3	1	0	0	1	.429
Crawford, MHS	6	1	2	0	0	0	2	.333
Johnson, LHS	3	3	1	0	0	0	1	.333
Ortiz, AHS	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	.333
Romero, AHS	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	.333
Rychel, MHS	6	0	2	1	0	0	0	.333
Winchell, PHS	6	3	2	0	0	0	0	.333
Almond, PHS	7	2	2	0	0	0	1	.286
Conaway, MHS	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	.286
Ontiveros, PHS	7	1	2	0	0	0	1	.286
Sowders, MHS	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	.250
Bland, SACHS	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	.250
Emmons,SACHS	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	.250
Villa, PHS	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	.250
JVillalbos,OHS	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	.250
Cedillo, CHS	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	.200
Dominguez, OHS	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	.200
Greeley, LHS	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	.200
Henderson, LHS	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	.200
Malone, CHS	5	3	1	0	0	0	1	.200
Bd Sanders,LHS	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	.200
Stone, MHS	5	1	1	0	0	0	2	.200
Wyles, PHS	5	2	1	0	0	0	1	.200
Bustos, PHS	6	2	1	0	0	0	3	.167
Mowles, MHS	6	2	1	1	0	0	1	.167
Pearson, LHS	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	.143
Thompson, MHS	7	1	1	1	0	0	1	.143
North, CHS	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	.125
Chavarria, PHS	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Galbraith, CHS	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Samaniego,SACH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Sever, LHS	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hernandez, PHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Morris, CHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Parrish, LHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Pritz, SACHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Salcido, OHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Schmidt, LHS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Cobos, OHS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
DeCosta, LHS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Grider, CHS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
McAnally, LHS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Paz, OHS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Brown, LHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Dunlap, OHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Finley, AHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Forkerway, AHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Garrett, LHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Gonzalez, AHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Haynes, AHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Martinez, AHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Montgmry,SACHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Rhoades, OHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
TVillalbos,OHS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Frazier, CHS	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Surovik, CHS	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Morales, OHS	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Rodriguez, OHS	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Snyder, OHS	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Chambers, LHS	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Stolen Bases: Winchell, Permian, 3; Malone, Cooper, 2; 11 others tied with 1.

Sacrifices: Galbraith, Cooper, 1; McAnally, Lee, 1; Montgomery, San Angelo Central, 1; Pritz, San Angelo Central, 1; Hernandez, San Angelo Central, 1; Ortiz, Abilene High, 1.

Sacrifice Flies: Pritz, San Angelo Central, 1; Brad Sanders, Lee, 1; Chavarria, Permian, 1; Heller, Cooper, 1.

Team Errors: Midland High 10, Midland Lee 6, Abilene Cooper 6, Odessa High 4, Odessa Permian 3, San Angelo Central 1, Abilene High 1.

Individual Errors: Stone, Midland High, 4; DeCosta, Lee, 3; Perez, Midland High 2; Bustos, Permian 2; Grider, Cooper, 2; Paige, Cooper, 2; 16 others tied with 1.

Double Plays: Odessa High, Midland Lee, one each.

TEAM PITCHING

Team	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	so	era
Ab Cooper	14.0	14	5	2	3	11	1	1.00
Od. Permian	12.0	7	4	3	8	16	1	1.75
Midland Lee	14.0	14	7	5	5	8	1	2.50
Midland High	14.0	14	11	7	5	19	0	3.50
Odessa High	12.0	16	13	11	6	4	0	6.60
Abilene High	7.0	10	9	8	5	5	0	8.00
San Angelo	7.0	10	9	8	9	8	0	8.00

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Player	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	cg	era
Grider, CHS	10.2	6	0	0	3	8	1	0.00
Greeley, LHS	7.0	2	0	0	3	6	1	0.00
Rychel, MHS	7.0	3	3	0	3	11	1	0.00
Morgan, PHS	5.0	0	0	0	2	7	1	0.00
Ezzell, AHS	2.2	2	0	0	1	3	0	0.00
Prince, PHS	7.0	7	4	3	6	9	1	3.00
Thmpsn,MHS	7.0	9	4	3	0	8	0	3.00
Snyder, OHS	7.0	4	3	3	6	1	1	3.00
Mntgmry,SACH	3.2	4	2	2	2	4	0	3.82
Malone, CHS	3.1	8	5	2	0	3	0	4.20
Pearson, LHS	7.0	12	7	5	2	2	1	5.00
Hernandez,SA	1.1	2	1	1	2	1	0	5.25
Grimaldo, SA	1.1	2	3	2	1	2	0	10.50
Paz, OHS	4.2	12	10	8	0	3	1	12.01
Sherwood,AHS	3.1	8	9	8	4	2	0	16.80
Zamarippa,SA	0.2	2	3	3	4	1	0	31.50
Salazar, MHS	0.0	2	4	4	2	0	0	inf.

Hit batters: Prince, Permian, 1; Sherwood, AHS, 1.

Wild Pitches: Thompson, Midland High, 2; Prince, Permian, 2; six others tied with one.

Balks: None.

Passed Balls: Mowles, Midland High 3; Harriss, San Angelo Central, 1.

Saves: Grider, Abilene Cooper.

Wins-losses: Grider, Cooper, 1-0; Malone, Cooper, 1-0; Prince, Permian, 1-0; Morgan, Permian, 1-0; Rychel, Midland High, 1-0; Greeley, Midland Lee, 1-0; Sherwood, Abilene High, 0-1; Zamarippa, San Angelo Central, 0-1; Salazar, Midland High, 0-1; Pearson, Midland Lee, 0-1; Paz, Odessa High, 0-1; Snyder, Odessa High, 0-1.

Standings

OVERALL	W	L	Pct.
Abilene Cooper	11	1	.917
Odessa Permian	8	1	.889
Midland High	10	2	.833
Abilene High	8	4	.667
Midland Lee	7	5	.583
San Angelo	3	7	.300
Odessa High	2	8	.200

DISTRICT 4-5A	W	L	Pct.	GB
Abilene Cooper	3	0	1.000	—
Odessa Permian	3	0	1.000	—
Midland Lee	2	1	.667	1
Midland High	1	1	.500	1½
San Angelo	0	2	.000	2½
Abilene High	0	2	.000	2½
Odessa High	0	3	.000	3

Wednesday's Scores

Midland Lee 4, San Angelo Central 0; Abilene Cooper 3, Odessa High 2; Odessa Permian 2, Abilene High 1

Thursday's Game

San Angelo 7, Odessa High 5.

Friday's Games

Abilene Cooper-Midland High at Angel Stadium, 4 p.m.; Midland Lee at Abilene High, 2 p.m.; Odessa Permian, idle.

NCAA Boxes

VIRGINIA (86)

Stith 9-16 10-11 28, Blundin 3-4 3-6 9, Dabbs 4-11 2-4 10, Morgan 7-16 6-6 25, Crotty 4-9 6-9 14, Daniel 0-0 0-0 0, Turner 0-0 0-0 0, Katstra 0-0 0-0 0, Oliver 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 27-56 27-36 86.

OKLAHOMA (80)

Henry 4-8 2-2 11, Davis 5-6 2-2 12, King 9-15 4-5 22, Blaylock 2-12 0-0 5, Mullins 6-12 0-0 16, Martin 2-4 0-0 4, Jones 3-5 0-0 8, Bell 1-2 0-0 2, Patterson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 32-64 8-9 80.

Halftime—Virginia 42, Oklahoma 37. 3-point goals—Virginia 5-8 (Morgan), Oklahoma 8-21 (Mullins 4-8, Jones 2-4, Henry 1-3, Blaylock 1-6). Fouled out—Henry. Rebounds—Virginia 38 (Dabbs 14), Oklahoma 26 (King 6). Assists—Virginia 15 (Crotty 8), Oklahoma 15 (Blaylock 5). Total fouls—Virginia 10, Oklahoma 26. A— 22,314.

MICHIGAN (92)

G.Rice 13-19 0-0 34, Mills 8-11 0-2 16, Vaught 1-3 2-2 4, Griffin 0-1 0-0 0, Robinson 7-15 0-2 17, Higgins 5-11 2-2 14, Calip 1-4 0-0 2, Hughes 1-2 3-4 5. Totals 36-66 7-12 92.

NORTH CAROLINA (87)

Bucknall 2-7 4-4 10, Madden 5-12 0-0 10, Williams 4-9 0-0 8, Lebo 6-10 2-2 19, K.Rice 1-3 2-2 4, Reid 12-18 2-7 26, Fox 4-5 0-0 8, Chilcutt 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 35-66 10-15 87.

Halftime—Michigan 50, North Carolina 47. 3-point goals—Michigan 13-24 (G.Rice 8-12, Robinson 3-6, Higgins 2-5, Calip 0-1), North Carolina 7-16 (Lebo 5-9, Bucknall 2-4, K.Rice 0-1, Madden 0-2). Fouled out— Vaught. Rebounds—Michigan 34 (G.Rice, Mills, Vaught, Hughes 6), North Carolina 31 (Bucknall 7). Assists—Michigan 20 (Robinson 13), North Carolina 24 (Bucknall 10). Total fouls—Michigan 18, North Carolina 14. A—22,314.

SETON HALL (78)

Gaze 6-12 0-0 16, Walker 4-9 1-2 9, Ramos 5-12 2-3 12, Greene 3-6 7-8 15, Morton 4-12 8-9 17, Wigington 0-0 0-1 0, Volcy 1-4 2-4 4, Avent 0-2 0-0 0, Cooper 1-3 0-0 2, Katsikis 1-1 0-0 3, Crowley 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 25-61 20-27 78.

INDIANA (65)

Edwards 4-11 9-10 18, Anderson 4-5 5-6 13, Jadlow 1-5 4-6 6, Jones 1-7 2-2 4, Hillman 4-13 3-4 12, White 1-1 0-2 2, Robinson 0-1 0-1 0, Meeks 2-2 0-0 4, Smith 0-0 3-4 3, Sloan 1-1 1-2 3, D'Aloisio 0-0 0-0 0, Pelkowski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 18-48 27-37 65.

Halftime—Seton Hall 42, Indiana 33. 3-point goals—Seton Hall 8-14 (Gaze 4-7, Greene 2-4, Katsikis 1-1, Morton 1-2), Indiana 2-7 (Hillman 1-2, Edwards 1-5). Fouled out—Edwards. Rebounds—Seton Hall 42 (Walker 10), Indiana 35 (Anderson 6). Assists—Seton Hall 14 (Greene 4), Indiana 11 (Jones, Hillman 3). Total fouls— Seton Hall 26, Indiana 24. A—16,513.

NEVADA-LAS VEGAS (68)

Scurry 1-3 0-0 2, Augmon 5-13 4-6 15, Butler 8-17 0-2 16, Hunt 8-12 0-0 21, Anthony 1-7 0-0 2, Rossum 3-4 0-0 8, Young 0-1 0-0 0, Ackles 2-3 0-1 4. Totals 28-60 4-9 68.

ARIZONA (67)

Elliott 6-16 5-7 22, Buechler 4-6 2-3 10, Cook 6-9 0-0 12, Lofton 3-12 0-0 8, Muehlebach 3-6 0-0 6, Othick 1-4 0-0 3, Rooks 1-3 2-3 4, Womack 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 26-56 9-13 67.

Halftime—UNLV 37, Arizona 36. 3-point goals—UNLV 8-19 (Hunt 5-8, Rossum 2-3, Augmon 1-4, Anthony 0-4), Arizona 6-16 (Lofton 2-4, Muehlebach 2-5, Elliott 1-3, Othick 1-4). Fouled out—None.

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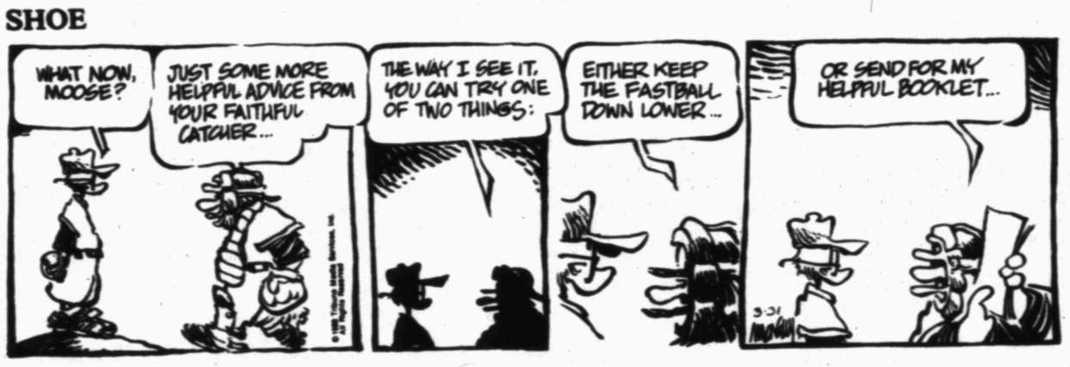
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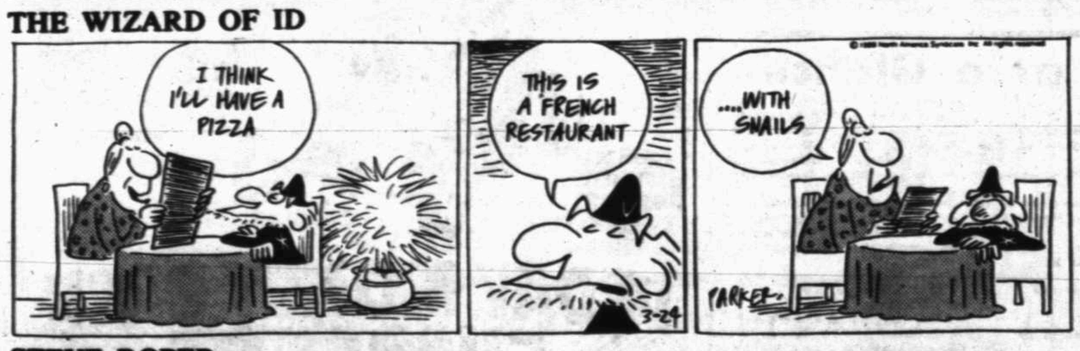
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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Your imaginative ideas could set your career on the fast track to financial success. Guard your health with regular checkups. You have made your choice in romance. Now it is up to you to make it work! New financial gains prompt a change in lifestyle. Your popularity is on the upswing. Singles find themselves surrounded by potential suitors. Legal matters can be resolved with little difficulty in August. Plan a fall vacation.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Aretha Franklin, rocker Elton John, director David Lean, actress Bonnie Bedelia, pinch-hitter Lee Mazzilli, sportscaster Howard Cosell.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): People want you to go where you would rather not. Be kind but firm. As long as you remain calm, a disagreement should not produce strain. Simple pleasures hold the most appeal today.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): It is hard to say "no" when an unexpected offer is so alluring. You can enjoy beauty without unpleasant entanglements. The best companions are those who have your interests at heart.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Golden opportunities appear, but you should not pursue them too hurriedly. Do not make commitments you might regret later on. Bear with a misunderstanding for now. Time will prove you right.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Do not let anger or frustration lead you into acting too aggressively. Choose your words with care. Punishing a young person severely can backfire. Use a reward system for good behavior.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A child will learn more from your example than from a lecture. Resist an inappropriate love match. Choose a spouse who will not embarrass you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Curb everyday spending so you can take that dream vacation! Enlist the cooperation of your family, too. A business or romantic meeting is featured tonight. The results should delight you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You could get the wrong impression about a pal unless you are alert to his body language. Romance is in the air. Be flexible if entertaining. Welcome the friend of a friend.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your social life should be more lively now, especially if your arrangements include visitors from afar. Afternoon is an ideal time for negotiating business deals. Press for the best terms you can get.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Trust your hunches if thinking about launching a new partnership. You may need more information before signing on the dotted line. Accept an interesting invitation for weekend travel.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Read between the lines today. Someone may have ulterior motives. Use your knowledge of others to gain a subtle advantage in negotiations. Resist an urge to delegate tasks you should handle personally.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Business and your personal finances require good judgment this morning; scrutinize paperwork carefully. Expect new developments through your friends or coworkers. Thank someone for working behind the scenes on your behalf.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Work hard and by early afternoon, you will have made surprising progress in advancing a personal project. You enjoy new prestige in your community.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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A STEP IN THE WRONG DIRECTION!

Both vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ Q 10 3
♡ K 10 9 6
◇ A Q 6
♣ A K 3

WEST
♠ 7 4
♡ Q 5 3 2
◇ 8 4 3
♣ 9 6 5 2

EAST
♠ A K J 5
♡ Void
◇ J 10 9 7 2
♣ 10 8 7 4

SOUTH
♠ 9 8 6 2
♡ A J 8 7 4
◇ K 5
♣ Q J

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	1 ♠	2 ♡	Pass
4 ♡	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Seven of ♠

We all have a bit of larceny in our hearts. If we indulge our weakness in everyday life, the consequences could be disgraceful. If we do so at the bridge table and are successful, we can earn accolades from our peers.

We are taught from the day we learn bridge never to overcall on a four-card suit. We are taught wrongly. If you can show a good four-card major, such as East's, at the one-level, it is criminal not to do so. In this case the overcall had little effect, except to get West off to the right lead. North, who had rated his hand as too strong for a one no trump opening, showed his values by bouncing into game at his second turn.

West led the top of his spade doubleton. East won the jack and king, and continued with the ace. The normal action by West would be to discard a minor-suit card, and had West done so declarer would have had a better than 50 percent chance of guessing right in the trump suit.

Instead, West came up with a devilish ploy. Instead of sluffing, he ruffed his partner's ace (another no-no, according to bridge lore) and shifted to a diamond, taken by dummy's ace.

Consider the position from declarer's point of view. He had been wondering how to tackle the trump suit when it seemed that his problem had been solved for him. If West were guarding the queen of trumps, why should he ruff his partner's trick? So he called for the table's king of hearts—down one.

It is quite likely that, left to his own devices, declarer would have started trumps by leading the ace from hand on the theory that, since West was short in spades, he was more likely to have heart length. Therefore, we salute West for his acumen in giving declarer a nudge in the wrong direction.



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Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words.

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NILDB

SEERLS



After a long discussion about my future with my parents, my dad said, "Remember, son, goals are dreams with ---------."

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

3 UNSCRAMBLE FOR ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Diadem — Voile — Blind — Lasser — DEADLINES

After a long discussion about my future with my parents, my dad said, "Remember, son, goals are dreams with DEADLINES."

BLONDIE



FAMILY CIRCUS



"We finished all the eggs, so now we're decorating Daddy's golf balls."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Amy Carter's activism 'a surprise'

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — Former first lady **Rosalynn Carter** says her daughter's political activism came as a surprise.

Mrs. Carter told a Nova University luncheon that the country met Amy as a shy pre-teen and watched her grow into a college activist protesting apartheid and the CIA.

"Actually, Amy's activism surprised us, because she's basically a very shy person," Mrs. Carter said Wednesday. "We don't always agree with her, but we're proud of her. She's only been arrested four times."

Amy, 21, is studying art at a Tennessee design school.

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GALLATIN, Tenn. (AP) — City Council is considering a request to remove **Barbara Mandrell** Boulevard signs from a two-mile section of highway because the country music star has moved 15 miles away.



Mandrell

Jeannie Gregory, executive director of the Gallatin Chamber of Commerce, said she believes the two large signs should be removed "if the posts can be used to advertise civic groups or for some other fashion."

The signs, costing a total of $10,000, were erected in 1983 along the stretch of U.S. 31E about five miles from Mandrell's former palatial home on Old Hickory Lake. The singer moved to Joelton last year.

"There are no hard feelings because she left," Gregory said.

City council members studied the matter Tuesday night, and will discuss it again April 4.

Jeannie Ghent, a spokeswoman for the performer, said there will be no ill feelings if the signs come down.

"We were so honored when they made that stretch of road, but with her moving out, we don't blame Gallatin at all," she said. "We were honored by the time we had it."

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SANTA MARIA, Calif. (AP) — Globe-circling aviator **Jeana Yeager** is planning an educational fund-raising flight that will stop in all 50 states and Canada's 10 provinces.

Yeager, who in 1986 helped fly the experimental aircraft Voyager non-stop around the world, told reporters at Santa Maria Airport on Thursday that she and pilot Milton Mersky will be flying to benefit the Youth Foundation of the Experimental Aircraft Association.

Funds will be used to aid the aviation education in both countries.

The flight will begin in California in July and end in Oshkosh, Wis., in August.

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YAKIMA, Wash. (AP) — Actress **Meryl Streep** has neither accepted nor rejected an invitation from apple processor Tree Top Inc. to view Alar testing, her agent's office said.

Tree Top, the nation's largest apple juice maker, issued its invitation Tuesday. It wants Ms. Streep to visit its headquarters and view how it tests to make sure Alar is not present in its products.

"I have no idea if she is aware of the invitation," Susan Anderson, who works for agent Sam Cohn in New York City, said during a telephone interview Thursday.

She said Ms. Streep will be out of the country until Tuesday, plans to attend the Academy Awards on Wednesday, and will leave the country again the next day.

Tree Top, based in the Yakima suburb of Selah, contends that the nationwide Alar controversy — with Ms. Streep as a vocal opponent of the suspected carcinogenic farm chemical — has been a "blanket indictment" of the entire apple industry.

Tree Top for years has rejected Alar-treated apples for its own products, but contends that the nationwide scare is hurting its sales.

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GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP) — Convicted Watergate figure **Charles Colson** says prison ministries like the one he started 13 years ago are the only way to fight crime.

About 30,000 inmates at 550 state and federal prisons have been through Colson's Prison Fellowship seminars, he said Thursday. During the next three years, 60,000 more inmates will go through them, he said.

The program, which is in prisons in 34 countries, has about 22,000 U.S. volunteers, some of whom are reformed criminals.

"The secular world has to take notice," said the 57-year-old Colson, who addressed about 250 prison chaplains and church pastors from across Michigan at Calvary Church. "This is the only way we're going to deal with crime."

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — **Milton Frome**, who appeared on stage and in more than 50 movies but was perhaps best known as Milton Berle's straight man during television's golden age, died Tuesday of heart failure. He was 78.

Frome appeared opposite such stars as Buddy Ebsen, Mickey Rooney and Ann Miller in a career that spanned vaudeville to television.



Intimate interview

Barbara Walters, right, interviews Boston Red Sox player Wade Boggs, center, and his wife, Debbie, on his controversial relationship with Margo Adams. The Winter Haven, Fla., interview will air on today's "20/20" news magazine on ABC, Channel 2.

Evening TV Schedule

FRIDAY MARCH 24, 1989

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (45) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Donahue	WKRP	Sup. Court	Jetsons	Big Valley	Gilligan	Nina Bonita	C.O.P.S.	NCAA Champs	Sq. 1 TV	Pro Wrestling
4:30	"	Jeopardy!	People's Court	DuckTales	"	Beaver	"	Fun House	Sports	3-2-1 Contact	"
5:00	Cosby Show	Current Affair	News	Airwolf	Bonanza: The	Alice	El Tesoro	Facts of Life	Racing	Sesame Street	HSE Program
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	"	Lost Episodes	Day at a Time	Noticiero	WKRP	SportsLook	"	Guide
6:00	News	News	News	Star Trek	Our House	Andy Griffith	Senora	1heers	SportsCenter	Power/Choice	Pit Road Week
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	USA Today	"	"	Sanford & Son	"	Night Court	SpeedWeek	Tax Tips	Odyssey
7:00	Strangers	NCAA Basket-	Peter Pan	Black Sheep	Movie: "Mys-	Movie: "Chey-	Amandote	Movie: "The	Gymnastics:	MacNeil/	Sportstalk:
7:30	Full House	ball Tourn-	"	Squadron	tery of the So-	enne Au-	"	Return of the	International	Lehrer	NBA Basket-
8:00	Mr. Belvedere	ment: Mid-	"	Movie: "Night	cred Shroud"	tumn"	Encadenados	Pink Panther"	Mixed Pairs	Wash. Week	ball: Denver
8:30	Just Ten of Us	western	"	of the Creeps"	"	"	"	"	Great Ameri-	Wall St. Week	Nuggets at
9:00	20/20	NCAA Basket-	Super Bloop-	"	700 Club	"	Noticiero	News	can Events	Performances:	Dallas Maver-
9:30	"	ball Tourna-	ers & Jokes	"	"	"	Boxeo Estelar	INN News	Spirit of Ad-	La Sylphide	icks
10:00	News	ment: Eastern	News	Bob Newhart	Remington	Ins. NBA	"	H'mooner	venture	Pavarotti in	College Base-
10:30	Cheers	Regional	Tonight Show	Hawaii Five-0	Steele	Night Tracks	"	Hill Street	SportsCenter	the Verdi Re-	ball: Cal State-
11:00	Ent. Tonight	News	"	"	Movie: "Mys-	"	"Mujeres! Mu-	Blues	CBA Basket-	quiem/Youth	Fullerton at
11:30	Nightline	Night Court	David Letter-	Mission: Im-	tery of the So-	Night Tracks	jeres! Mu-	Movie: "A	ball: Division	Movie Palaces	Florida State
12:00	News	Pat Sajak	man	possible	cred Shroud"	"	jeres!"	Man Called Pe-	Playoff Game	Sign-Off	"
12:30	Headline News	"	Friday Videos	Gov't. Grants	Paid Program	Night Tracks	J. Canales	ter"	"		"

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var. CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	TBN Religious CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net. CABLE 37
4:00	"	sitions"	St. Chronicles	"	Movie: "Na-	"	Dance Party	Can't on TV	"	Praise the	"
4:30	Crumbcake	Movie: "Satis-	Edison Twins	"	dine"	Be a Star	USA	Don't Sit	"	Lord	"
5:00	Movie: "Allan	faction"	Dinosaur!	Movie: "Soul	"	Amer. Mag.	She-Ra	Finder Keeper	Profiles	Praise the	Muppets
5:30	Quatermain	"	"	Man"	Movie: "Cat's	Remodeling	Cartoons	Double Dare	20th Century	Lord	Bugs Bunny &
6:00	and the Lost	"	Movie: "One	"	Eye"	Fandango	Miami Vice	Gadget	Chronicle	Praise the	Pals
6:30	City of Gold"	Movie: "The	of Our Dino-	"	"	Crook	"	Looney Tunes	Survival World	Lord	Fraggle Rock
7:00	Movie: "Clue"	Pick-Up Ar-	saurs Is Miss-	Movie: "Going	Movie:	Nashville Now	Murder, She	Mister Ed	Eagle-Bear	Behind Scenes	Movie: "The
7:30	"	tist"	ing"	Bananas"	"Broadcast	"	Wrote	Patty Duke	Churchill	Diane Bish	Prodigal"
8:00	"	Movie: "Wis-	Movie: "Love	"	News"	"	A. Hitchcock	My 3 Sons	Movie: "Who'll	Frederick K.	"
8:30	Comedy Club	dom"	Leads the	Movie: "World	"	The Great Gat-	Ray Bradbury	Donna Reed	Stop the	Price	"
9:00	Brothers	"	Way"	Gone Wild"	Movie: "Rain-	lin Getaway	Hitchhiker	Sat. Night	Rain?"	Praise the	"
9:30	G. Shandling	"	"	"	ing Arizona"	Rock Palace	Werewolf	SCTV	"	Lord	Movie: "Ben
10:00	Super Dave	Movie: "Teen	Ozzie/Harriet	Movie:	"	Be a Star	Miami Vice	Laugh-In	"	Praise the	Hur"
10:30	Movie:	Wolf Too"	Judy Collins:	"School Daze"	"	Amer. Mag.	"	Car 54	At the Improv	Lord	"
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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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27 Aesop's lessons
32 Memorable Egyptian leader
36 Palm fruit
39 Cheers, in Cadiz
40 Deliberate indifference
43 So be it
44 Understanding words
45 Approaches
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48 Encountered
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53 Most despicable
58 "The —": Hamlet's last words
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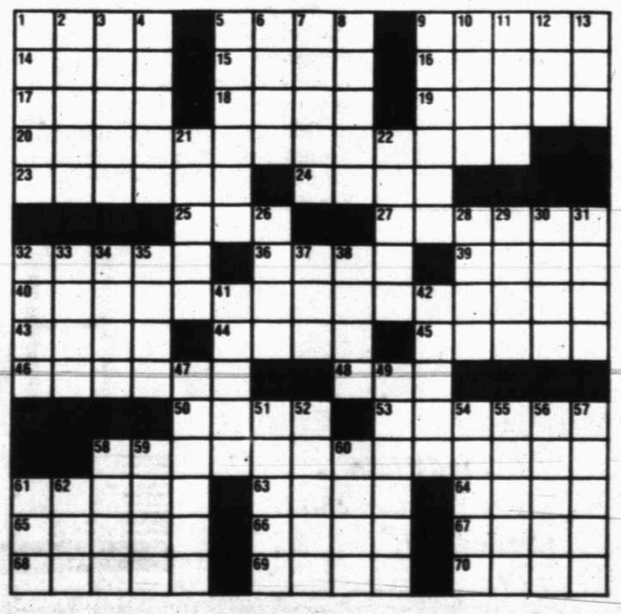
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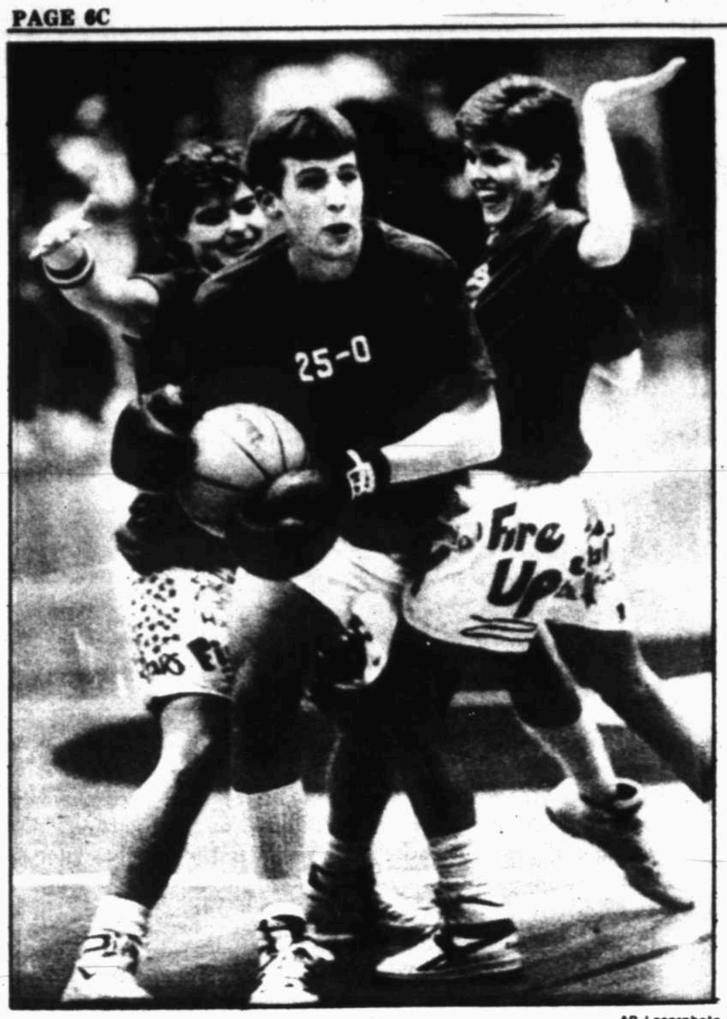
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Millard South High School basketball player Dale Ribble gets boxed in by Amy Erlenbusch, left, and Kelly Luenenborg during a recent exhibition game between the Omaha, Neb. school's state championship boys and girls basketball teams. The boys had to wear boxing gloves, but still won 29-28.

Instant replay approved again

PALM DESERT, Calif. (AP) — NFL owners, who are determined to go through the same debate year after year, gave Commissioner Pete Rozelle a going-away present Thursday by re-approving instant replay for another year.

The television review of officiating was approved 24-4, the most votes it has received in its four years.

But it nearly failed, getting only 19 votes on a straw vote Wednesday, before Rozelle announced his retirement.

When the owners returned Thursday, however, instant replay had the necessary 21 votes and on a re-vote, it came up with 24 with only Cincinnati, Phoenix and the New York Giants against, as usual, along with Tampa Bay.

Among those who changed was Kansas City, a long-time opponent, whose general manager, Carl Peterson, called it "a farewell gift" to Rozelle, who has been one of the foremost proponents of the rule.

Other teams that reportedly backed off their opposition were Buffalo, Minnesota, Pittsburgh and Chicago.

"We might have gotten it, but that helped," Rozelle said of the vote-swicthing. "It was very nice."

Nonetheless, renewal was for just one year, as it has been in the past. That means 21 votes will be needed again next season, although Tex Schramm of Dallas, considered the father of instant replay, said: "I think it's in for good now."

What's not in, however, is the experimental electronic whistle, which would place a dot on the screen at the exact time it blows, eliminating some delay and confusion. The main objection seemed to be the cost of installing the technology needed — $600,000 for the first year.

"I think it just further complicates things," said Minnesota general manager Mike Lynn.

The owners also approved two slight changes aimed at controlling no-huddle offenses like Cincinnati, which are designed to keep defensive teams from substituting. Except in the last two minutes, the umpire will be empowered to hold up play until the defense is set.

Moreover, if there is a penalty on the play, the down will be replayed.

As the meetings broke up, there was some residual criticism of a rule passed on Wednesday limiting training camp rosters to 80.

Jack Donlan, the executive director of the Management Council, noted that it threw a crimp into the Council's new free agency plan, under which 126 players had been signed as of Thursday.

"I'm not sure I understand it," Donlan said. "Some teams have more than 90 players right now."

And Al Davis, managing general partner of the Los Angeles Raiders, was critical of Denver owner Patrick Bowlen, who pushed through the measure as a limitation on spending. On Thursday, Bowlen tendered an offer sheet reported at $7.5 million over five years to Buffalo defensive end Bruce Smith.

"Everyone knows that we're the highest spending team in the league," said Davis, who voted against the roster limitations.

"I sat there all week listening to this guy tell me I've got to be careful with my money. Then he turns around and does something like this. That shows a total lack of credibility."

M-Angels rally to tie

From Staff Reports

MESA, Ariz. — The Midland Angels scored five runs in the ninth inning to force a 6-6 tie with the Edmonton Trappers in preseason minor league action at Gene Autry Park.

Pitcher Mike Butcher, a likely Midland prospect, was given the no-decision for the Angels. Miguel Alicea and Gary Buckels, both '88 pitchers in Midland, also threw aganst the Trappers.

Outfielder Reed Peters went 2-for-4 with one run and an RBI, and designated hitter Jeff Barnes finished with one hit in three at bats. Both Peters and Barnes are expected to be with the Midland team when the season starts at Angel Stadium on April 7. Tom Alfredson was 0-for-2 for Midland.

Midland's preseason record is now 1-1-2; a road trip to Tucson is on tap for Friday.

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ROSE

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said, quoting unidentified sources.

Rose declined to discuss the matters under investigation during an interview session with reporters this week. He said he's not losing sleep over the matter, and cracked one-liners about himself.

However, he became serious when asked if he was worried about having his chances of going to the Hall of Fame jeopardized.

"Four thousand, two hundred and fixty-six hits. 2,200 runs. That's all I did," Rose said. After a pause, he added, "I'm a Hall of Famer. It's every player's dream to go to the Hall of Fame."

There should be no hurdle to Rose getting on the 1992 Hall of Fame ballot, according to Bill Guilfoile, the hall's associate director.

The Hall of Fame sends a list of players who meet the criteria for eligibility each year to a screening committee of the Baseball Writers. A player has to have 10 years of major-league service and have been retired for five years to be eligible.

Guilfoile said a suspension or banishment wouldn't enter into the eligibility listing.

Lang said the screening committee only weeds out those who are obviously unqualified based on their statistics. There are no restrictions that would keep a player off the ballot for sanctions.

WEST

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"We were the underdog, and I think when you're in that position you want to take the three-point shot, instead of the two. If we had been the favorite, we might have settled for a tie and overtime."

Hunt made a move to the basket and collided with Arizona guard Ken Lofton, who went sprawling.

"I looked to see whether he had just staggered or had fallen," Hunt said. "When I saw he was down, I put it up."

Olson said he "knew it was good from the instant it left his hands. That one was money, no question. Hunt shot the ball with rhythm all night long.

"He knocked it down from the perimeter and we didn't, and that basically was the difference," said Olson, whose team finished the year at 29-4. "This was an excellent basketball game. We only allowed them one basket in their last 12 possessions, and you can't ask for more than that. But you look at the numbers and the numbers say Anderson Hunt hit five-of-eight from three-point range."

Hunt paced the Rebels with 21 points, while Butler had 16 and Stacey Augmon 15.

Elliott had 22 for Arizona. Anthony Cook added 12 and Jud Buechler 10.

Noah, Garrison advance in Fla. meet

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. (AP) — Yannick Noah fought off Bill Scanlon in five sets and Zina Garrison breezed past Sweden's Maria Strandlund Thursday night in second-round play at the International Players championships.

Noah, the men's 12th seed, overcame a slow start to beat Scanlon 4-6, 7-5, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3 in 3 hours, 37 minutes. Garrison, seeded fifth in the women's draw, advanced to the third round with a 6-2, 6-1 triumph.

"I'm glad I survived," said Noah. "That's the positive part of playing long matches — surviving. We (he and Scanlon) always have close matches."

In the only other singles match played at night, No. 14 Mikael Pernfors of Sweden defeated Greg Holmes, 6-4, 7-6 (7-3), 6-3.

Earlier, top-seeded Gabriela Sabatini routed France's Catherine Suire 6-0, 6-0, while No. 2 Chris Evert worked hard for a straight-set victory over Kathy Rinaldi.

The next two women's seeds, Helena Sukova and Pam Shriver, also advanced, as did the men's second seed, Mats Wilander of Sweden, and No. 5 Jakob Hlasek of Switzerland.

The highest-seeded player to lose during the daytime session was No. 13 Sylvia Hanika, who was eliminated by Halle Cioffi, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.

While Evert struggled past Rinaldi 7-6 (7-3), 6-4, Sabatini needed just 42 minutes to eliminate Suire. Sabatini said she was able to keep her concentration even though Suire forced only three games to deuce.

Forsman back to basics

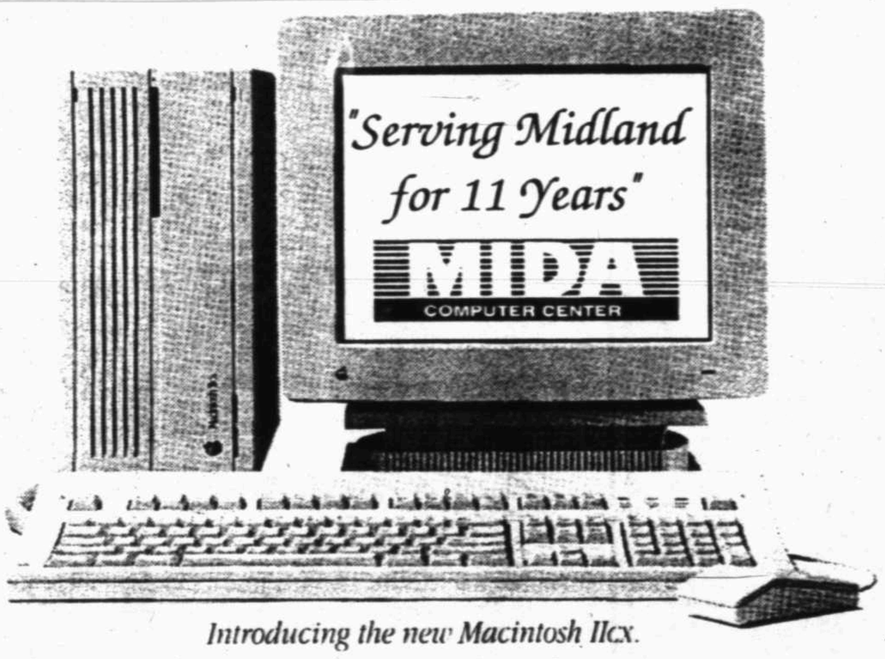
NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Dan Forsman went back to basics Thursday and fired an opening-round 66 to take a two-stroke lead over a group of six golfers in the $750,000 USF&G Classic.

"Today was a big step for me. It was a great feeling, for one day, at least," Forsman said.

In eight tournaments this year, Forsman missed the cut five times and earned $27,152, 98th on the Tour.

"I'm thrilled to be six-under, for the moment at least, atop an outstanding field of international players," he said.

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PBPA draws line on energy bills

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

The Permian Basin Petroleum Association Board of Directors Thursday took action on two important pieces of legislation.

In its monthly meeting, the board voted a resolution in favor of the Domestic Energy Bill, decided not to back Land Commissioner Gary Mauro's plan to mandate the use of compressed natural gas in Texas. The board also reviewed the Natural Gas Decontrol Act of 1989.

Board member Dick Beveridge reported that approximately 60 members of the House and Senate had signed on as co-sponsors of the Domestic Energy Bill, but at least 250 would be needed for the bill to pass.

Beveridge said the legislation, which offers eleven incentives for oil and gas exploration and production, could bring investment money back into the industry.

"The President has thrown out some crumbs. They are more than we had, but compared to the Domestic Energy Bill, they are nothing," said Beveridge, who urged the association to give its wholehearted support to the bill and to seek to add co-sponsor outside the energy producing states. To date only one legislator outside Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Oklahoma has agreed to co-sponsors the bill.

Texas senators Phil Gramm and Lloyd Bentsen have yet to sign on as co-sponsors of the Bill. It was felt by some members of the board that Gramm may be hesitant to sign on because it would be construed as opposition to the President's bill, which was written by the Department of the Treasury.

"We need to send a message that this bill has our top priority," said Glenn Brant, president PBPA.

Board member Kingdon Hughes who was in Washington campaign-

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OPEC head may visit here

Harry Spannaus, executive vice president PBPA, announced at Thursday's meeting that Texas Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance had inquired about bringing OPEC Secretary General Subroto to Midland for a first hand look at oil producing facilities here.

Spannaus said there was nothing definite, but a date in May has been suggested.

Congress set to remove gas controls

HOUSTON (AP) — Energy industry groups and Washington observers say 1989 may be the year that Congress finally removes the last remnants of the 35-year-old system of controls on the price of natural gas at the wellhead.

The last sticking point appears to be the effective date of decontrol.

Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., chairman of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, and Rep. Phil Sharp, D-Ind., head of the panel's subcommittee on energy and power, have signaled their willingness to support removal of the remaining price controls, which cover about 25 percent of the natural gas produced in the United States.

And, producers, pipeline companies and major consumers of natural gas have agreed on the ultimate goal of decontrol.

"I think the time is here substantively and politically (for decontrol)," said Sharp, a leader on natural gas issues among the representatives of the industrial Midwest told the Houston Chronicle's Washington bureau. "It no longer can be viewed from the consumer point of view as a benefit."

"The roadblocks are crumbling because of the changing marketplace," said Rep. W.J. "Billy" Tauzin, D-La., a leader of the producing states' Democrats on Sharp's subcommittee.

Companies once bought and sold natural gas under long-term contracts between producers and pipelines and pipelines and consumers, where purchasers often dealt with a single supplier. Today, the market has become a more competitive one in which producers and consumers make their own deals and the pipelines provide transportation of the gas for a price.

Tauzin said the architects of price controls long believed that the controls were economically beneficial. But with falling gas prices and changes in the regulation of pipelines, the market is no longer the same.

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Ralph Green and his 14-month-old son Andrew check out the bargains as S&Q Clothiers begins its going out of business sale. The Midland store is the last in a 74-year-old chain.

Last S&Q prepares to close doors

By MELLA McEWEN
Business/Oil Writer

A long-time Midland institution will be closing its doors in the near future, a victim of the area's faltering oil economy.

S&Q Clothiers, which opened in downtown Midland in 1946, has begun its going out of business sale. Roy Sheldon, president of S&Q, says the store is committed to some spring merchandise that hasn't arrived yet, so the sale will most likely last most of the spring.

"We'll have large discounts on everything. Everything must go, including the furniture and fixtures. Even the building is for sale," he adds.

He notes that "we tried to stay in business. We fought the hard battle. When we had our 'Future Undecided' sale, people responded, but it just wasn't enough."

His plans, and those of the store's 15 employees, remain indefinite, he adds.

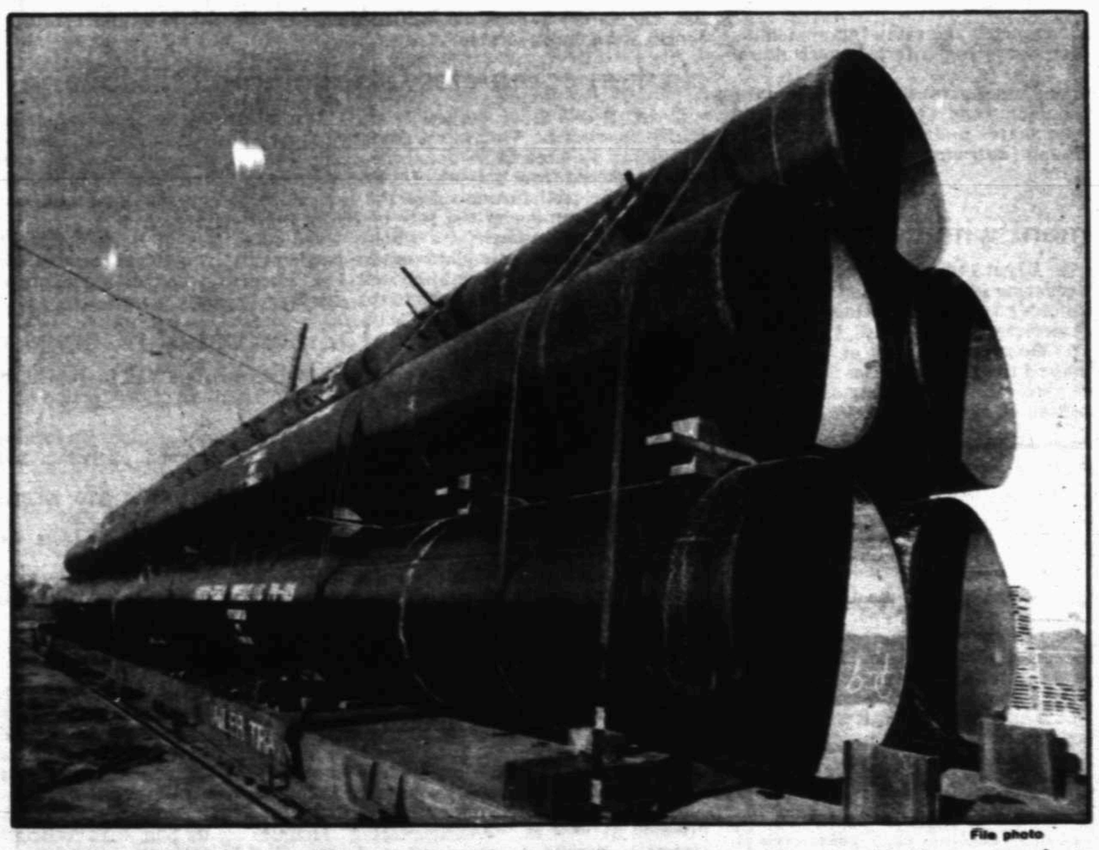
When S&Q closes its doors, it will be the last of a 74-year-old chain that began when Sheldon's father Sam and grandfather Ben opened the first store in Ada, Okla. in 1915, on Washington's Birthday.

The chain grew to about 26 stores in Oklahoma, North and West Texas until the Depression hit. The company split in 1942, and Sheldon says there are still S&Q stores in Lubbock and Enid, Okla., that aren't part of his company.

The company was named for Service and Quality. "That's what was behind our company's growth. We tried to bring the best quality at the best prices, and offer the most current fashions."

S&Q opened its first store in downtown Midland in 1946. A second store, the Suburban store, was opened in 1955 and relocated to its present location at 315 Andrews Highway in 1968. The downtown store was closed in 1984.

"We've had many loyal friends and customers for years, and we hate leaving Midland," says Sheldon, a Dallas resident. "I've always loved Midland."



File photo

Thirty joints of conduit pipe delivered to Pacific Texas Pipeline in Midland are now the object of legal moves, as the pipe's manufacturer seeks to reclaim the pipe. The pipe has been stored at Pacific Texas' yard on Fairgrounds Road since it arrived in early January.

Financial woes mount for PacTex

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Property purchased by Pacific Texas Pipeline and financed by Community National Bank of Midland has been turned over to that's bank's legal department for legal action, it was learned today.

Officials at Community National Bank could not divulge the amount of the loan financed by the bank.

It was also learned that Southwestern Bell is trying to collect a significant amount for past telephone service, that some businesses have begun to pick up office furniture and drafting furniture from the pipeline company's former location at ClayDesta National Bank Building from which the company was evicted.

Pittsburgh Pipe of St. Louis, the manufacturer of the conduit pipe at Pacific Texas yard in Midland has also began legal process to remove the pipe to a bonded pipe yard until Pacific Texas makes payment. The payment deadline passed Wednesday.

The pipe arrived in Midland in January of this year and at that time Pacific Texas issued press statements saying that construction was finally beginning on the pipeline.

At that time Mike Owens, vice president Pacific Texas and son of Cecil Owners, chairman of the pipeline company told the Reporter-Telegram that financial backers of the pipeline project had okayed the purchase of the pipe and the initial construction even though through-put agreements had not been secured from either Arco, Exxon, or Sohio (now British Petroleum), the major Alaskan oil producers, who would use the pipeline.

Cecil Owens had proposed to build a $1.6 billion, 1,030-mile pipeline from Los Angeles to Midland Tank Farm that would transport up to 900,000 barrels per day of Alaskan crude oil.

Texas bank failures now total 26

Associated Press

Three more Texas banks were closed by regulators Thursday, bringing to 26 the number of bank failures in the state this year.

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., named as receiver for all three banks, immediately sold the institutions to other banks in Texas.

Texas Banking Commissioner Kenneth W. Littlefield closed Industrial Bank in Houston, First Bank of Rowlett and First State Bank in Rogers, each of which were one-branch institutions.

MetroBank also will purchase about $76.7 million in securities at current market value. The FDIC will retain assets of $9.4 million.

Industrial Bank, with total assets of $68.7 million, was purchased by MetroBank, N.A., of Houston, which will assume $66.2 million in 14,500 deposit accounts and purchase another $32.6 million of Industrial's assets at a discount of $2.59 million.

First Bank of Rowlett was purchased by Deposit Guaranty Bank of Dallas. First Bank had total assets of $36.3 million. Deposit Guaranty will assume about $34.6 million in 5,600 deposit accounts, and will pay the FDIC a premium of $1,000. It also will purchase approximately $27.2 million of First Bank's assets, including $1.3 million in small loans.

MARKETS

Oil prices remain above $20

NEW YORK (AP) — Energy futures prices spurted Thursday, driven by a rally in the gasoline pits inspired by speculation the Environmental Protection Agency will endorse new restrictions affecting refining in the Northeast.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, the April contract for unleaded gasoline rose 0.66 cent to 58.02 cents a gallon after posting a 0.21-cent increase on Wednesday.

Among other refined petroleum products traded on the exchange, heating oil for April delivery went up 0.52 cent to 56.52 cents a gallon.

Meanwhile, the May contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark grade of U.S. crude oil, finished with a gain of 11 cents at $20.15 a barrel.

Andrew Lebow, a senior broker and analyst at E.D.&F. Man International Futures Inc., said rising gasoline prices lifted the entire energy market.

Gasoline buying was triggered by news reports that the EPA was likely to approve pending applications seeking to lessen pollution-causing emissions from gasoline sold in Northeastern states to cut smog in the region, he said.

Energy market analysts say the restrictions will make the refining process more costly and complicated and could lead to temporary shortages as refiners in the Northeast make alterations to accomodate tighter rules.

Speculation about how the proposed rules will affect gasoline supplies is expected to dominate the gasoline pits in the near future.

"Next week's going to be very critical for the gasoline market," Lebow said. "There's potential for very explosive movement on the up side."

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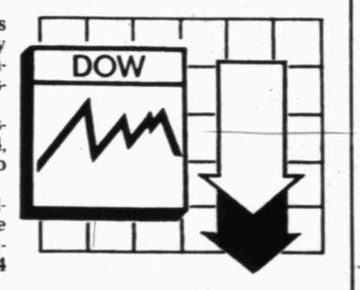
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- Previous Week $18.50
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Recession fears send stocks lower



NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices fell Thursday, wiping out some early gains as talk on Wall Street intensified about the possibility of a recession in the not-too-distant future.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials dropped 20.17 points to 2,243.04, extending its loss for the week to 49.10 points.

Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 7 to 5 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 584 up, 814 down and 567 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 153.75 million shares, against 146.57 million in the previous session. Nationwide, consolidated volume in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 181.25 million shares.

Activity was subdued on the eve of a long holiday weekend. The markets will be closed for Good Friday.

The drop in stock prices came despite a slight decline in interest rates in the government bond market.

Analysts said it appeared that investors were worrying increasingly about prospects for corporate earnings later this year and in 1990 if the economy slows, as many analysts expect it to.

"Stagflation — rising prices and sluggish growth — will characterize much of the year," analysts at Merrill Lynch said in a commentary issued Thursday. "But that environment could give way to an actual recession by the end of the year, as the economy reacts to monetary tightening."

As measured by Wilshire Associates' index of more than 5,000 actively traded stocks, the market lost $12.13 billion, or 0.43 percent, in value.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks dropped .77 to 162.64.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Natural gas clearinghouse proposed

HOUSTON (AP) — Railroad Commissioner John Sharp said Thursday he wants to establish a clearinghouse for natural gas so buyers and sellers of Texas gas can easily obtain information.

Sharp, in a speech to Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners, said such a clearinghouse would be a first for Texas among the states.

"For Texas to capture an increasing share of the national gas markets and reap the economic benefits for our citizens, we must identify the gas available for sale," Sharp said.

Congress may reduce thrift fines

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress will consider reducing the $1 million-a-day fines proposed by President Bush as part of a crackdown on fraud in the savings and loan industry, a House subcommittee chairman said.

Rep. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., chairman of the Judiciary subcommittee on criminal justice, said in an interview Thursday he supported stiffer fines, but added, "We have to discuss how much to raise them."

Bush is proposing an increase from $1,000 to $25,000 a day for most violations of banking regulations but up to $1 million daily if the violation was made with reckless disregard for the safety of the institution.

Chilean grapes reappear at higher prices

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fresh Chilean grapes began moving back into U.S. stores after being deemed free from threatened cyanide poisoning. Industry leaders said consumers may initially see slightly higher prices.

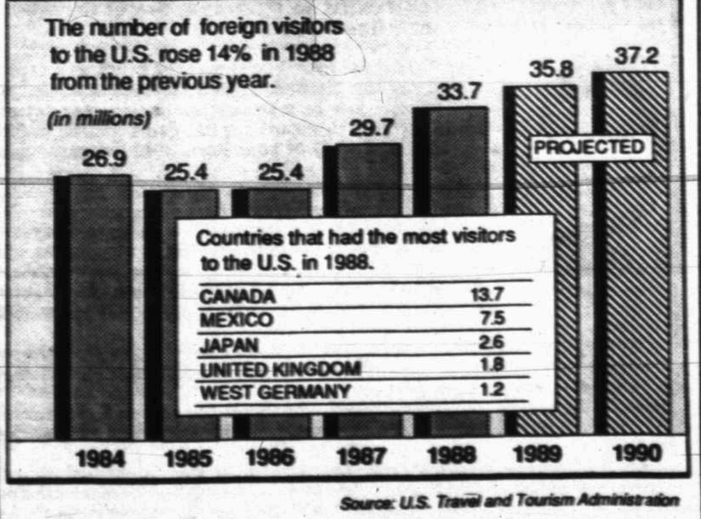
Meanwhile, the Chilean government was working on a plan to compensate U.S. importers, wholesalers and retailers for at least part of their losses in having to dump large amounts of fruit. Chilean exporters said

Judge allows Polaroid to buy stock back

BOSTON (AP) — Shamrock Holdings Inc.'s 8-month-old, $3.2 billion attempt to take over Polaroid Corp. was dealt what appeared to be a fatal blow when the Delaware Supreme Court removed all obstacles to Polaroid's buyback of 16 million shares of its common stock.

The court Thursday rejected Shamrock's request for an extension of a one-week injunction against the buyback plan, an effort by the instant camera giant to stymie Shamrock's takeover bid.

Foreign tourists in the U.S.



Source: U.S. Travel and Tourism Administration

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EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Irion gains Fusselman discovery

From Staff Reports

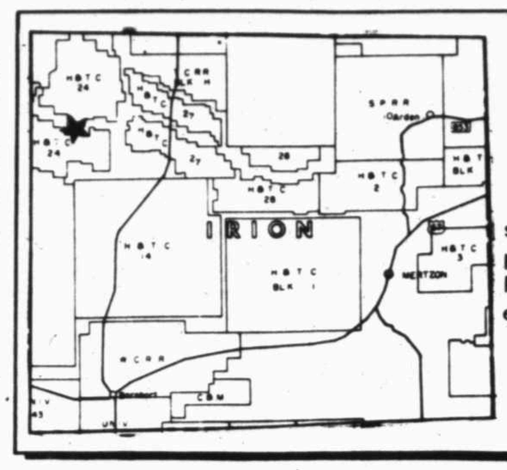
A Fusselman discovery has been completed in Irion County, six miles southeast of the Lone Joe Deep (Fusselman) field.

GEODYNE RESOURCES INC., Tulsa (amended from Primary Fuels Inc.) potentialed the No. 1 Scottish Rite "A" to pump 45 barrels of 46 gravity crude and 10 barrels of water from perforations 8,902 to 8,949 ft. The interval was acidized with 3,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 311:1.

Permitted as a 9,200 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 9,200 ft. and plugged back to 9,142 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 9,188 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,341 ft., include the Dean at 6,151 ft., Wolfcamp at 6,280, Strawn at 8,600, Devonian at 8,814, Fusselman at 8,902, and Ellenburger at 9,010 ft.

Location is 950 ft. from south and 2,800 ft. from west lines of Section 1935, J. Beck survey, 20 miles north of Barnhart.



★Irion find

Geodyne Resources has completed a 45 barrel Fusselman discovery in Irion County.

Two more producers added to Spraberry

PARKER & PARSLEY PETROLEUM CO., Midland, has added two more producers to the Reagan County portion of the Spraberry (Trend Area).

On potential test, the No. 1 State "Q" pumped 38 barrels of 39 gravity crude and 145 barrels of water from perforations 5,356 to 6,818 ft.

The No. 1 State "P" was completed to pump 31 barrels of 38.8 gravity crude and 95 barrels of water. The well produced from perforations 5,304 to 6,702 ft.

Martin completion flows 257 barrels

New Canyon production was added to the Perriwinkle field of Martin County as **ROSEWOOD RESOURCES INC.**, Dallas, completed activity in the area.

On potential test, the No. 5046 Davis flowed 257 barrels of 38.2 gravity crude, 198 Mcfd and no water on an 18/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 290 psi. The well flowed from perforations 9,358 to 9,436 ft., which had been acidized with 750 gallons of NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 990:1.

Permitted as a 10,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 10,153 ft. and plugged back to 9,550 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 10,136 ft.

Formation tops included the Wolfcamp at 8,278 ft., Pennsylvanian at 9,078, Canyon at 9,314, Upper Strawn at 9,520, Lower Strawn at 9,904, and Chester at 10,033 ft. Pay was topped at 9,314 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from west and 2,580 ft. from south lines of Section 46, Block 34, T-3-N, T&P survey, six miles south of Ackerly.

Yates Petroleum tests undesignated producer

An undesignated Silurian producer has been completed in Chaves County, N.M.

YATES PETROLEUM CORP. tested the No. 3 Pathfinder "AFT" State to flow 3.8 Mmcfd on a 32/64 inch choke from perforations 6,255 to 6,356 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 600 psi and the interval was acidized with 2,500 gallons of 15 percent HCL.

Drilled to 6,650 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 6,588 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 3,839.5 ft., include the San Andres at 1,406 ft., Glorieta at 2,582, Yeso at 2,664, Abo at 4,838, Wolfcamp at 5,512, Pennsylvanian at 6,158, Cisco at 6,044, Mississippian at 6,211, Siluro Ordovician at 6,244, and Pre-Cambrian at 6,564 ft. Pay was topped at 6,255 ft.

Location is 1,650 ft. from south and 2,310 ft. from west lines of Section 21, T10s, R27e.

Crockett project nets 2.175 Mmcfd well

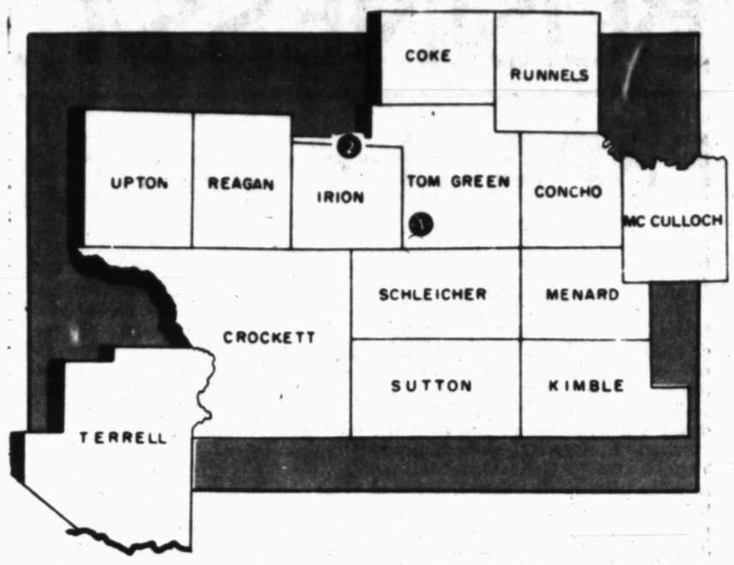
A recompletion project in Crockett County has yielded new Canyon gas production in the Ozona field.

J. CLEO THOMPSON, Dallas, reentered and tested the No. 1 University "29-21" for a calculated absolute open flow of 2.175 Mmcfd from perforations 6,509 to 7,218 ft. Condensate gravity was 48.4 API and gas-liquid ratio is 236,344:1. The interval was acidized with 4,500 gallons of acid and fractured with 60,000 gallons of gel and 120,000 lbs. sand.

Originally drilled to 8,102 ft., the well was plugged back to 7,480 ft.

Location is 669 ft. from south and 880 ft. from east lines of Section 21, Block 29, ULS survey, 24 miles west of Ozona.

WILDCATS



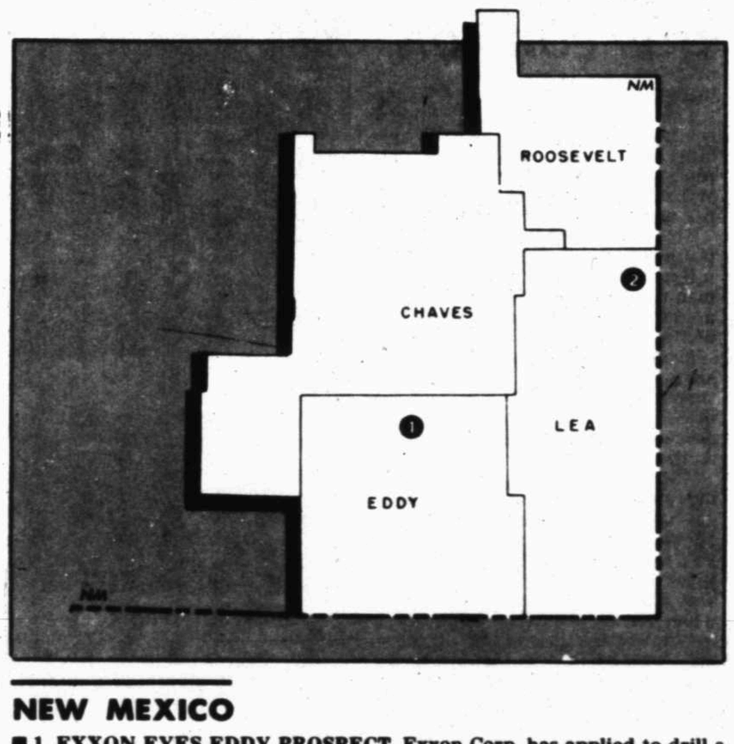
TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. TOM GREEN DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 1,400 ft. wildcat is set for Tom Green County, six miles southwest of Knickerbocker.

C.F. Lawrence & Associates Inc., Midland, will drill the No. 2 Jones "B" 990 ft. from north and 2,310 ft. from east lines of Section 13, Block 20, H&TC survey, Abst. 1187.

■ **2. REENTRY SET IN TOM GREEN.** A former Wayne Harris (Wolfcamp) producer will be reentered and plugged back to 4,305 ft. for wildcat tests in Tom Green County, 15 miles southwest of Sterling City.

Parker & Parsley will reenter the No. 5-41 Harris, 2,100 ft. from north and 1,100 ft. from east lines of Section 41, Block 7, H&TC survey.



NEW MEXICO

■ **1. EXXON EYES EDDY PROSPECT.** Exxon Corp. has applied to drill a 9,800 ft. prospect in Eddy County, eight miles southeast of Artesia.

The No. 1 Simon Federal Com. is 2,095 ft. from south and 922 ft. from west lines of Section 17, T18s, R27e.

■ **2. LEA REENTRY SET.** An abandoned well in Lea County will be reentered and cleaned out to 12,400 ft. for wildcat tests, five miles northeast of Gladiola.

Nearburg Producing Co. will reenter the No. 1 State "10C", located 660 ft. from north and 1,980 ft. from west lines of Section 10, T12s, R38e.

The well is a reentry of UNC Texas Inc. No. 1 State "10", abandoned at 12,134 ft.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

MARTIN COUNTY

Perriwinkle (Canyon)

Rosewood Resources Inc. No. 5046 Davis, 660 fwl, 2580 fsl, sec 46, blk 34, T-3-N, T&P, 6 s Ackerly, TD 10,153, PB 9550. Completed 3/13/89. Potentialed 3/16/89, flowing 257 bopd, 198 Mcfd, 18/64 inch choke, FTP 290 psi. API 38.2. GOR 990:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,136. Perforations 9358 to 9436. Acid: 750 gals. NeFe. Formation tops: Wolfcamp 8278, Pennsylvanian 9078, Canyon 9314, Upper Strawn 9520, Lower Strawn 9904, Chester 10,033. Top of pay 9314.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland

Melzer Exploration Cc. No. 1 Louise Silvey; 990 fsl, 440 fel, sec 9, blk 65, Midland CSL, 11 w Levelland, TD 4958. Pumping 110 bopd, 100 bwpd, 30 API. GOR 200:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4954. Perforations 4864 to 4938.

KING COUNTY

Guthrie North (Cisco)

Terra Resources inc. No. 11-AAA S.B. Burnett Estate; 2010 fsl, 3360 fwl, sec 36, blk 2, Sam Lazarus, 4 ne Guthrie, TD 5350. Pumping 66 bopd. GOR 100:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5100. Perforations 3903 to 3908.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ozona (Canyon)

J. Cleo Thompson No. 1 University "29-21"; 669 fsl, 880 fel, sec 21, blk 29, ULS, 24 w Ozona, TD 8102, PB 7480. CAOF 2.175 Mmcfd. API 48.4. Gas-liquid ratio 236,344:1. Perforations 6509 to 7218. Acid: 4500 gals. Frac: 60,000 gals. gel, 120,000 lbs. sand. Plugback.

IRION COUNTY

Wildcat

Geodyne Resources Inc. No. 1 Scottish Rite "A"; 950 fsl, 2800 fwl, sec 1935, J. Beck, 20 n Barnhart, Elev. 2341, TD 9200, PB 9142. Pumping 45 bopd, 10 bwpd, 46 API. GOR 311:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9185. Perforations 8902 to 8949. Acid: 3000 gals. Formation tops: Dean 6151, Wolfcamp 6280, Strawn 8600, Devonian 8814, Fusselman 8902, Ellenburger 9010.

REAGAN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 State "Q"; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 22, blk 12, ULS, 10.5 sw Big Lake, TD 6950, PB 6860. Pumping 38 bopd, 145 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 1395:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 6950. Perforations 5356 to 6818. Acid: 4000 gals. Frac: 160,000 gals. gel, 231,000 lbs. sand.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 State "P"; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 15, blk 12, ULS, 10 sw Big Lake, TD 6900, PB 6852. Pumping 31 bopd, 95 bwpd, 38.8 API. GOR 1258:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 6900. Perforations 5304 to 6702. Acid: 5000 gals. Frac: 157,000 gals. gel, 290,000 lbs. sand.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Hall (San Andres)

Glen M. Barnett No. 3 Barnett; 398 fsel, 974 fswl, sec 234B, Mason Perry subdivision 1, 2 se Water Valley, TD 877. Pumping 2 bopd, 96 bwpd, 32 API. Casing 7 inches at 863. Perforations (open hole) 863 to 877.

UPTON COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Exxon Corp. No. 3464 Giddings Estate Fee; 5550 fnl, 3450 fwl, sec 4, Throckmorton CSL, Abst. 545, 17 n Rankin, TD 8370. Pumping 83 bopd, 177 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 597:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8358. Perforations 6434 to 8175. Acid: 4800 gals. Frac: 225,000 gals. gel, 540,000 lbs. sand.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Twin Lakes

Stevens Operating Corp. No. 9 O'Brien "C"; 1870 fnl, 80 fwl, sec 1, T9s, R28e, Elev. 3934.4, TD 7468. Completed 2/1/89. Potentialed 2/1/89, flowing 192 bopd, 225 Mcfd, 251 bwpd, 23/64 inch choke, FTP 300 psi. GOR 1172:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7468. Perforations 7211 to 7245.5. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent. Formation tops: San Andres 1922, Abo 5374, Wolfcamp 6122, Cisco 6620, Mississippian 6971, Devonian 7208. Top of pay 7211.

EDDY COUNTY

Cemetary

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 2 Anderson "10J"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 10, T20s, R25e, Elev. 3416, TD 9708, PB 9633. Completed 2/17/89. Flowing 333 Mcfd, 17/64 inch choke, FTP 3050 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9708. Top of pay 9440.

Mosley Canyon

R.E. Hibbert No. 1 Ridge State; 360 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 17, T24s, R25e, Elev. 4215, TD 11,415, PB 10,095. Completed 2/4/89. Flowing 312 Mcfd, 4/64 inch choke, FTP 1917 psi. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 10,095. Perforations 10,030 to 10,040. Top of pay 10,030.

LEA COUNTY

Pitchfork Ranch

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 1 Pitchfork "10"; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 10,T25s, R34e, Elev. 3342, TD 15,027, PB 14,905. Completed 12/17/88. Potentialed 2/8/89, flowing 728 Mcfd, 16 bwpd, 11/64 inch choke, FTP 890 psi. Liner 4 1/2 inches 12,878 to 15,026. Perforations 14,880 to 14,905. ACid: 2000 gals. 7.5 percent. Top of pay 14,880.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Wildcat

W.T.G. Exploration Inc. No. 1 McDowell; 1667 fnl, 973 fel, sec 22, blk 34, T-2-S, T&P, 17 n Garden City, TD 2812. Completed 3/5/89. Plugged 3/5/89. Dry hole.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock

Exxon Corp. No. 18 H.R. Clay; 330 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 138, blk 29, T-2-S, W&NW, 11 se Big Spring, TD 2505. Completed 9/22/57. Plugged 2/20/89. Oil well.

Exxon Corp. No. 6 H.R. Clay; 330 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 138, blk 29, W&NW, 11 se Big Spring, TD 2575. Completed 12/15/70. Plugged 2/3/89. Oil well.

Exxon Corp. No. 4 H.R. Clay; 990 fel, 330 fsl, sec 138, blk 29, W&NW, 11 se Big Spring, TD 1850. Completed 8/29/29. Plugged 1/25/89.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Dollarhide (Ellenburger)

Oxy U.S.A. Inc. No. 116 North Dollarhide Unit; 660 fsl, 2080 fwl, sec 14, blk A-52, PSL, 31 sw Andrews, PD 10,400.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Henry Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Phillips "B"; 660 fsl,660 fel, sec 40, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 11 e Midland, PD 9000.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

GAINES COUNTY

Clearfork

X-APC Energy Inc. No. 1-19 Miller; 1980 fsl, 2310 fel, sec 19, blk A-21, PSL, 7 s Seminole, PD 6350. Reentry.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ozona (Canyon)

Ladd Petroleum Corp. No. 77-D C.C. Montgomery; 2030 fsl, 343 fwl, sec 7, blk R, TCRR, Abst. 2987, 19 sw Ozona, PD 6500.

SUTTON COUNTY

Sawyer

Statex Petroleum Inc. No. 2 Hill-E.S. Mayer Jr. "M"; 4580 fnl, 1335 fel, sec 4, McMullen CSL, Abst. 503, 12.5 nw Sonora, PD 7600.

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 26 Shurley; 1980 fnl, 1890 fwl, sec 18, blk B, HE&WT, 4.5 s Conroe, PD 6200.

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 27 Shurley; 820 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 96, blk C, HE&WT, 4.5 s Sonora, PD 6200.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Diablo

Hanson Operating Co. Inc. No. 5 Hanlad "A" State Bty; 1650 fnl, 990 fel, sec 28, T10s, R27e, 18 e Roswell, PD 2150.

EDDY COUNTY

Parkway

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 3 Apache "A" Federal; 890 fnl, 990 fel, sec 35, T19s, R29e, 15 sw Loco Hills, PD 4500.

LEA COUNTY

Querecho Plains (Undesignated)

Mewbourne Oil CO. No. 1 Federal "P"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 24, T18s, R32e, 8 se Maljamar, PD 9000.

Shipp

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 2 J.R. Holt; 940 fnl, 2210 fwl, sec 2, T17s, R37e, 5 n Humble City, PD 12,000.

South Corbin

Southland Royalty Co. No. 2 Federal "21"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 21, T18s, R33e, 10 se Maljamar, PD 11,450.

Southern Union, Paramount stake wildcat well

From Staff Reports

Southern Union Exploration Co. of Dallas and Paramount Petroleum Co. Inc. of Jackson, Miss. and Houston have staked at 10,500 ft. wildcat well in Claiborne County, Miss.

The well is located on the southwest flank of the Bruinsburg shallow salt dome and will target the Lower Tuscaloosa Massive Sands. A secondary target will be the Wash-Fred Sands.

The new will is located in the eastern half of Section 2, T11n, R1w and is approximately 20 miles northeast of Lake Saint John Field, Tensas and Concorordia Parishes, La.

Dekalb finals sale of Lindsay Manufacturing

DENVER — Dekalb Energy Co. has completed the sale of its remaining 690,000-share investment in Lindsay Manufacturing, a former agricultural irrigation subsidiary.

Bruce P. Bickern, Dekalb's chairman and chief executive officer, said the company realized gross proceeds of $15.5 million and a pre-tax profit of $10.8 million on the secondary offering of the shares in January. The proceeds will be used to fund current operations and future exploration and acquisition activities.

Marathon signs agreement with Egyptians

HOUSTON — Marathon Petroleum Co. Egypt Ltd. has signed two agreements with the Egyptian government covering exploration and production activities in the Nile Delta area. Marathon's co-venturers include IEOC Co. Inc., a subsidiary of AGIP; BP North American Exploration Egypt Inc. and the Egyptian General Petroleum Corp. Marathon is a unit of USX Corp.

The Nile Delta Concession agreement and the Nile Delta Gas Sales agreement provide for the group to continue exploration in the concession and to proceed with development of the onshore El Quar's gas field.

OIL AND GAS DIGEST

Energy Capital, DCR Petroleum plan merger

HOUSTON (SWN) — Energy Capital Development Corp. and DCR Petroleum Corp. announced that their stockholders approved proposals at separate meetings, providing for the combination of the two companies into ENERCAP Corp.

ENERCAP has proved oil reserves of more than 24 million barrels with estimated discounted future net cash flows of more than $104 million assuming a crude oil price of $16 per barrel oil.

ECDC also announced that a legal proceeding commenced by NCC Energy Inc. on March 6, 1989 was settled on terms the board of the company considers to be favorable.

Harken completes Oklahoma oil discovery

DALLAS (SWN) — Harken Energy Corp. of Dallas has completed the Barby Number 6-2 Well in the Mocane-Laverne District of Beaver County, Oklahoma. Located in Section 6, Township 3 North, Range 24 East, the well was completed from a depth of 5,865-5,879 feet as a Marmaton oil producer. On test, the well flowed oil at the rate of 20 barrels per hour and was completed pumping at the rate of 256 barrels per day.

Harken Exploration Co., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Harken Energy Corp., together with its joint venture participants, own 100 percent of the working interest in the subject well. HEC plans to drill the first of three anticipated development wells to this discovery in early March.

Kerr-McGee replaces 152 percent of reserves

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Kerr-McGee Corp. reports it had increased its total proved hydrocarbon reserves in 1988 to 152 percent of production on a barrel-of-oil equivalent basis.

"The increase in our reserves during 1988 reflects the company's success in both exploration and acquisition," Frank A. McPherson, chairman and chief executive office, said in a statement.

The company said oil reserves at the year's end totaled 93.5 million barrels, up 4 percent from 89.6 million barrels at the end of 1987.

Gas reserves were 784 billion cubic feeet, a 10 percent increase from the 712.9 billion cubic feet a year earlier.

McPherson also said the diversified energy and chemical company projected capital expenditures of $435 million in 1989, a 35 percent increase from the $323 million in 1988.

El Paso applies to expand pipeline system

EL PASO (SWN) — El Paso Natural Gas Co. has filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to expand the company's pipeline system to accommodate an additional 500 million cubic feet of natural gas per day from the San Juan Basin area of Colorado and New Mexico. Most of the gas would be the prolific coal seam production which is seen as a major new domestic supply source for California as well as other markets.

In its application, El Paso proposes to add new "loop" pipeline and compression as well as "de-bottlenecking" facilities on its San Juan Triangle system to handle the increased production. Total cost of the expansion is estimated to be $23 million.

NGC Energy announces new president, CEO

SAN FRANCISCO (SWN) — NGC Energy Co., the natural gas and oil exploration and production subsidiary of PG&E Enterprises has selected Joseph T. Williams as its new president and chief executive officer, the company has announced. He replaces Donald E. Fissell, who is retiring after a 17-year career with NGC Energy.

Williams will be based in Dallas. NGC Energy is in the process of moving its headquarters from Concord, Calif., to Dallas.

Amoco to buy 41 Chevron service stations

DENVER — Amoco Oil Co. has agreed to purchase from Chevron U.S.A. Inc. 41 Chevron service station sites in Colorado.

The companies said the acquisition should be completed by Sept. 1. Specific terms of the transaction were not disclosed.

Amoco also disclosed that upon completion of the acquisition, it will make a substantial investment to remodel the Chevron stations to Amoco's image.

Twenty of the stations are located in Denver, four are in the Boulder area, and four are in the Colorado Springs area. The remaining 13 are west of Denver. Most of the facilities are conventional service stations with auto repair bays.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

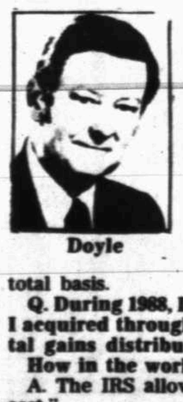
IRS sees fund redemption as capital gains or loss

By BILL DOYLE

Q. After making my first mutual fund investment in 1978, I added to my holdings in that fund by purchasing more shares from time to time. I have always reinvested my dividends and capital gains distributions to buy still more shares.

I redeemed all my shares last year and know that redemption of mutual fund shares is a sale as far as the Internal Revenue Service is concerned. I have spoken to brokers, accountants about what tax, if any, I owe and get conflicting answers.

Do I have any income tax liability as the redemption of the mutual fund shares? If so, how do I figure it out?



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A. You do owe income tax, if you redeemed the shares at a profit. In that case, you report the profit as a capital gain and pay the tax due. If you redeemed at a loss, you have a capital loss to take on your income tax return. You're required to report capital gains and/or capital losses on Schedule D of your Form 1040 federal income tax return.

Your profit or loss was the difference between the amount you received from the redemption and your "basis" — cost for tax purposes — on those shares.

Your basis was the money you paid to buy shares, plus your reinvestments. Add up all the checks you wrote and all the dividends and capital gains distributions you reinvested to buy additional shares and you'll know your total basis.

Q. During 1988, I cashed in some — not all — of the mutual fund shares I acquired through new investments and reinvested dividends and capital gains distributions in previous years.

How in the world do I calculate my basis on the shares I redeemed?

A. The IRS allows two methods: "specific identification" and "average cost."

With the specific identification, also known as the "identified share," method, you pick the shares you redeemed — identifying them by the date or dates on which you bought them. Your basis for the shares redeemed is the price you paid for those particular shares. You get that price from the confirmation statement or statements you received at the time of your purchase or purchases.

With the average cost method, you divide your total basis by the number of shares you owned at the time you redeemed some of them. That tells you your basis per shares. Multiply that per share basis by the number of shares redeemed and you know the basis on the shares you redeemed.

If you use the average cost method, you'll have to do this calculation every time you redeem shares. Your per share basis changes whenever you reinvest a dividend and/or capital gains distribution.

Even though it requires some arithmetic, most mutual fund investors use the average share method.

Q. Mutual fund shareholders are required to pay income tax on the dividends and capital gains distributions received each year, even if they reinvest. Now, I learn I must pay capital gains tax on shares redeemed.

Isn't that double taxation?

A. No. It's the other way about. The dividends and capital gains distribution you reinvested increased your basis. As a result, you have a lower taxable capital gain when you redeem shares.

Let's say you invested $10,000 in a mutual fund and, over a period of time, reinvested $5,000 of dividends and $3,000 of capital gains distributions. Your basis is $18,000.

And let's say you redeem your shares for $20,000. You have a $2,000 profit — not $10,000. You pay tax on a $2,000 capital gain.

Q. I have been investing and reinvesting in a mutual fund for 18 years, but I have kept records of only the past five years. How can I figure my basis for tax purposes when I redeem shares?

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U.S. car sales remain sluggish

New York Times News Service

DETROIT — Domestic car sales stayed in the doldrums in mid-March, and analysts said the 6.8 million annual selling rate would not be strong enough to clear bloated inventories.

"I'm disappointed," said Christopher Cedergren, an industry analyst for J.D. Power & Associates, in Agoura Hills, Calif.

"I had expected about a 7.3 million rate after the manufacturers sweetened their incentives earlier in the month. This 6.8 million rate is going to force me to revise my estimate of second-quarter production downward."

The eight domestic manufacturers Thursday reported sales of 194,597 cars, up 2.8 percent from a year earlier, and 119,203 light trucks, up 8.9 percent. There were eight selling days in the March 11-20 period, as there were in last year's period.

The Ford Motor Co. was the only American company to improve its position, adding 0.8 percent to its share of the domestic light-vehicle market, for a total of 31.3 percent. The General Motors Corp. dropped 1.3 percentage points, for a 44.7 percent share, and the Chrysler Corp. lost 2 percentage points, taking a 16.6 percent share.

If sales continue at the 7 million annual rate of the last two months, Cedergren said, inventories will reach 1.86 million units, a very high level, by April 1. That compares with 1.81 million on March 1, before the spring selling season began.

Analysts said that sales were not so bad by historical levels, but that they were not strong enough to justify the companies' ambitious sales plans.

GM sold 1.9 percent more domestic light vehicles than it had a year earlier, with car sales up 0.2 percent, to 92,362, and light-truck sales up 5.5 percent, to 47,849.

Ford's sales rose 7.9 percent, with cars up 6.1 percent, to 57,479, and trucks up 10.6 percent, to 40,724.

Chrysler's sales fell 6 percent, with cars down 16.2 percent, to 25,824, and trucks up 6.7 percent, to 26,333.

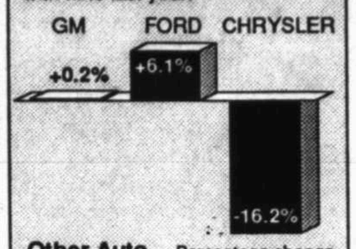
The company's car sales suffered from a shortage of its popular Omni and Horizon models, which only recently returned to production.

Among the foreign-owned manufacturers, Honda of America sold 9,052 domestically made vehicles, up 24.5 percent. Toyota Motor Manufacturing sold 5,027 vehicles, a more than fourfold increase. The Nissan Motor Co. sold 2,912 cars, up 55.8 percent, and 4,297 light trucks, up 63.4 percent. Mazda Motor Manufacturing sold 1,384 cars, up 86.3 percent. Mitsubishi Motor Sales, which began making its first car in this country, the Eclipse, in the current model year, reported 557 sales.

Volkswagen no longer makes domestic cars; in last year's period it sold 1,034 American-made cars.

Big Three Auto Sales

Percentage change in domestic car sales from March 11-20, 1989 compared with the same period a year ago. There were nine selling days this year compared with nine last year.



Other Auto Makers	Percentage change for U.S.-built cars
MAZDA	+ 86.3%
TOYOTA	+ 330.0%
NISSAN	+ 55.8%
HONDA	+ 24.5%

AP

Flight attendants end strike against Continental

HOUSTON (AP) — Striking flight attendants today ended their walkout against Continental Airlines, saying their protests had accomplished the union's goals.

The Union of Flight Attendants said its executive board ended the strike at 9 a.m. Union officials were notifying attendants to report for their work assignments.

The strike, launched over working conditions and pay, began Monday.

"This strike accomplished the objectives we set out to achieve," Carla Winkler, union president, said in a prepared statement.

"We have been able to bring to the public's attention the disparate treatment between the wages and working conditions of Continental flight attendants and flight attendants at other carriers in the industry."

When the strike began on Monday, some attendants on the picket line said it was intended to last only 96 hours, a figure Ms. Winkler then refused to confirm.

Continental officials said 180 attendants refused to report for work during the job action and were replaced. The Houston-based airline lists its flight attendant workforce at 6,440.

"We feel really good that we enjoyed the support of so many of our flight attendants," airline spokesman Dave Messing said today. "Not a single cancellation occurred as a result of the union activity.

"It (the strike) just didn't have the support needed to cause disruptions."

Messing said the 180 strikers had been permanently replaced but would be subject to recall when job openings become available and would have seniority over new applicants.

Some union officials said the walkout, which was approved last November but delayed by promises of more negotiations, was not linked to the ongoing Machinists strike at Eastern Airlines, Continental's sister carrier. Both airlines are owned by Houston-based Texas Air Corp.

Others, however, said the timing was designed for maximum exposure while Eastern's labor problems were receiving heavy media coverage.

The flight attendants union has not had a contract with Continental since the carrier filed for bankruptcy protection in 1983. The union has been seeking a three-year deal that would boost the lower end of a salary scale by 5 percent and the upper end of the scale by up to 35 percent.

"The objective we wanted to achieve first was to let the public be aware we do have problems here at Continental," union spokeswoman Myra Clayton said. "Our working conditions are far below other competitors and industry standards. And we wanted to disrupt service."

Ms. Clayton insisted more than 1,200 flight attendants refused to work during the job action and disputed the airline's statement that no flights were affected.

"It's hard to believe with that many flight attendants not reporting for work there was no disruption," she said.

Continental said it gave attendants effective Jan. 1 a $19 million wage and fringe benefit increase which brought salaries in line with "comparable industry rates."

The union said it was ready to renew negotiations with Continental although no new talks had been scheduled.

Big chocolate makers' share of Easter sales grows

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — America's big chocolate makers are trying to sweeten their profits during Easter, and analysts say the expansion of special holiday products will increase sales for everyone.

"There was a time when many of the major companies were not involved in seasonal type packaging," said Jan Kitt, associate publisher of The Confection magazine, based in Orlando, Fla. Small producers of chocolate bunnies and candy eggs provided most of the specialty Easter products.

While industry watchers don't have statistics on who controls what part of the Easter market, they agree that times have changed. Chocolate giants such as Hershey Foods Corp. and M&M-Mars have entered the fray with seasonal versions of their regular products, and manufacturers are giving more attention to special holiday displays, Ms. Kitt said.

"More and more packages are geared to the holiday season," she said.

The National Confectioners Association is projecting sales of $815 million of Easter chocolate and candy sales this year, a 2 percent increase from 1988.

"Easter's been doing very well," said Dick O'Connell, president of the McLean, Va.-based Chocolate Manufacturers association. "Part of it is we're going back to more traditional thinking in terms of holidays: More attention is being paid to chocolate bunnies and fancy Easter eggs and jelly beans — all the things that go with Easter."

Hershey and Mars, which together control most of the chocolate market, both offer Easter variations of their popular year-round products. Hershey has been marketing Kisses wrapped in Christmas and Easter colors for years, but its recent acquisition of Cadbury's, which makes several chocolate Easter egg products, should boost holiday sales, said Hershey spokesman Carl Andrews.

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ing for the incentive package, said the industry had gained new support from some of the liberal Democrats in the state, namely Mickey Leland of Houston.

"Leland has 20 percent unemployment in his congressional district and I think he is getting the message," said Hughes. "Leland says he wants to help the industry."

The board voted to take a neutral position on proposed legislation by Land Commissioner Gary Mauro that would have mandated the use of compressed natural gas (CNG) in certain state vehicles, school bus fleets and metropolitan buses. The bill would have also mandated the use of natural gas as a boiler fuel during certain months of the year.

The legislation had been proposed by Mauro to revitalize the Texas economy and clean up air pollution in the state.

In its decision not to support the Texas Clean Air Bill, PBPA board members agreed that they support expansion of natural gas markets, but feel that economic incentives and not mandates should create the expansion.

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As a result, the earlier supporters of controls now see them as unnecessary or, in some cases, detrimental to their economic interests, he said.

"The control system is increasingly irrelevant," Sharp said. "But it does have impact on investment and which resources are developed. It has created inefficiencies in the system."

Price controls were first imposed on interstate sales of natural gas in 1954, and many producers responded by continuing to sell all of their gas within the unregulated intrastate markets in producing states. After the frigid winter of 1977-78 revealed shortages in the interstate market, but not within the producing states, Congress extended the controls to the intrastate markets.

What evolved was a complex set of regulations that set different prices for newly developed gas fields, old gas fields, onshore gas, offshore gas, gas from deep wells, gas in tight-sand formations and dozens of other categories.

Congress removed price controls on most of the nation's new gas supplies in 1985 and 1987, but some remain.

Gas produced in Texas or the Gulf of Mexico has been selling in the range of $1.50 per million British thermal units on the spot market. A million Btu is the approximate energy content of a thousand cubic feet of natural gas.

But under the price controls, some old gas still falls under a ceiling price of 35 cents per million Btu, while other gas, produced in tight sand formations in Alabama or New Mexico, has a ceiling price of $6.72.

Although the principal participants in the decontrol debate agree on the need for it, they disagree on how quickly to make the change.

Shipments of gas today are covered by thousands of separate contracts. Some allow producers to sell their gas above market prices. Others allow purchasers — pipelines, industrial users and local distribution companies — to buy gas below market levels.

The people who benefit from those contracts don't want Congress to pass a law that would move the price up or down overnight. Instead of immediate decontrol, they want prices to be freed up at the expiration or renegotiation of existing contracts, or at some point in the future.

The industry groups supporting decontrol include the Natural Gas Supply Association, the American Petroleum Institute and the Independent Petroleum Association of America representing producers, the Interstate Natural Gas Assocation of America representing pipleines, and the American Gas Association representing large industrial users and local distribution systems.

NGSA, which represents larger producers, wants immediate decontrol. The independent producers, pipelines and end-users prefer decontrol when contracts are renegotiated or expire, or in five years.

Tauzin said the consuming state members — including Sharp and Dingell — see the short-term benefit to immediate decontrol.

"It is kind of ironic," he said. "Dingell and Sharp, who principally opposed decontrol, see at least a short-term advantage. Now, some of the producers are asking for a stretch-out."

Bush's brother goes to work for Samsung

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — William Bush, the younger brother of President Bush, has agreed to work as a consultant for the Samsung group, one of South Korea's largest congolomerates, a company spokesman said today.

"A basic agreement has been reached and both sides are working on details, including terms of a contract," said the spokesman, who declined to be named.

Under the contract, the spokesman said the younger Bush will occasionally advise Samsung Chairman Lee Kun-hee on managerial matters on a case-by-case basis.

Samsung is a major exporter of electronics and machinery to the United States. Washington is pressuring South Korea to admit more U.S. imports to help reduce Seoul's trade surplus with the United States, which reached $8.6 billion in 1988.

TEXAS BUSINESS BRIEFS

TU Electric buys Comanche Peak shares

DALLAS (AP) — TU Electric said Thursday it has bought out Tex-La Electric Cooperative's 2.16 percent interest in Comanche Peak Nuclear Plant, giving the Dallas-based utility sole ownership of the north-central power plant.

TU Electric said it would pay Tex-La $163 million, plus interest for its share of Comanche Peak, nuclear fuel, transmission facilities and legal and other expenses related to pending litigation.

Thursday's announcement closes a two-year lawsuit over the 2.3 million kilowatt plant. Previous agreements were announced in February 1988 with the Texas Municipal Power Agency and last July with Brazos Electric Power Cooperative.

Valero can't explain stock activity

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Valero Energy Corp. said it knew of no reason for the unusual activity of its stock in trading Thursday on the New York Stock Exchange.

Stock in Valero, a San Antonio-based specialized oil refining company, rose 62.5 cents per share to $14 as 1.25 million shares were traded.

Valero "is not engaged in any discussion with nor has it been approached by any party regarding acquisition or other combination," the company said in a statement.

Hornbeck, OMI Corp. break off talks

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — Hornbeck Offshore Services Inc. announced Thursday it had broken off discussion with OMI Corp. of New York over the merger of three OMI subsidiaries with Hornbeck.

Management of both companies cited unspecificed structuring obstacles that could not be overcome. The two firms had signed a letter of intent for Hornbeck to merge with the three subsidiaries and some debt restructuring.

Hornbeck President Larry D. Hornbeck said the company would continue to pursue alternatives to debt restructuring and ways to expand the company.

SPI Holding announces quarterly loss

RICHARDSON, Texas (AP) — SPI Holding Inc., parent company of Spectradyne Inc., reported on Thursday quarterly losses of $17.13 million, or 42 cents per share, on revenues of $29.55 million.

For the year, SPI lost $57.36 million, or $1.46 per share, on $112.96 million in revenues.

SPI said comparisons to the same 1987 periods were not applicable as SPI was not formed until Oct. 8, 1987, when it spent $450 million to buy Specatradyne, which supplies pay-per-view and other services to the nation's hotel industry.

SPI itself was purchased Tuesday by billionaire investor Marvin Davis for $635 million.

SPI is composed of Acadia Partners, L.P., of Fort Worth, a partnership affliated with the Robert M Bass Group Inc., and other investors, and the Dallas-based investment firm of Hicks & Haas Inc.

Mitchell earns $5 million for quarter

THE WOODLANDS, Texas (AP) — Mitchell Energy and Development Corp. announced Wednesday earnings of $5.1 million, or 11 cents per share, on revenues of $152.7 million for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1989.

That compares with $4.6 million in earnings, or 10 cents per share, on rvenues of $156 million for the same period last year.

For the year, Mitchell reported earnings of $21.5 million, or 46 cents per share, on revenues of $577.2 million, compared with $8.8 million, or 19 cents per share, on revenues of $561.9 million.

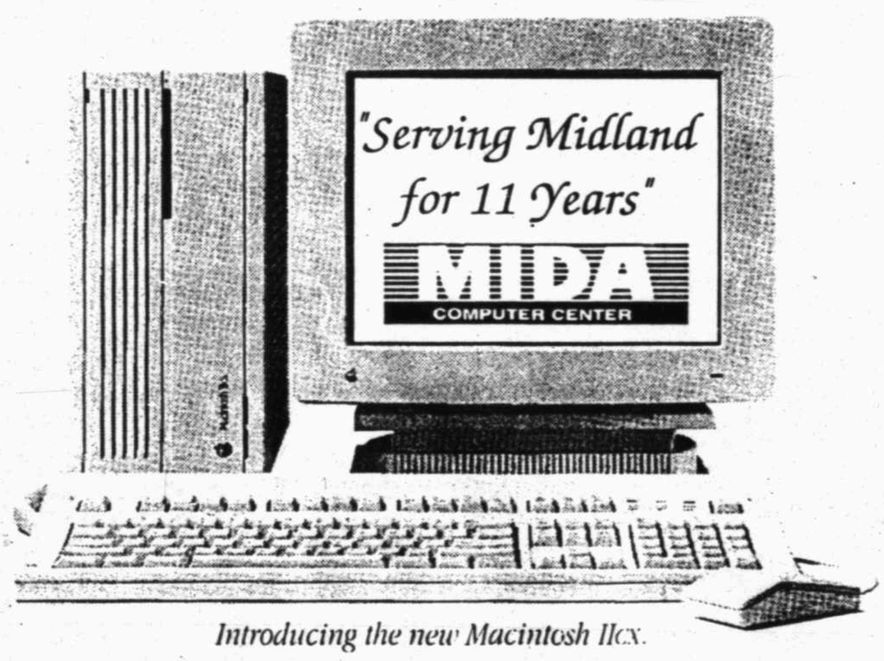
NCNB Texas sells data processing

DALLAS (AP) — NCNB Texas Wednesday announced the sale of its Waco-based bank data processing division to Affiliated Computer Systems, Inc., a data processing and communications service company.

The decision to sell was based on NCNB's effort to concentrate on its own statewide banking network. Terms of the deal were not disclosed.

Under the agreement, 40 NCNB data processing employees will transfer to ACS/FS and the company will provide services for NCNB Texas — Waco for the next three quarters.

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Vietnamese drawn to Delta





Moi Nguyen, 71, above, works in a garden in Versailles, La., a village near New Orleans. He says he emigrated from North Vietnam to South Vietnam in 1954, and then came to Louisiana in 1975. At right, Vi Nguyen, 62, rests beside her garden. She said working in the garden helps her forget her troubles, including her two daughters left in Vietnam. Around 70 percent of Versaille's 4,000 residents are refugees from South Vietnam.

VERSAILLES, La. — As the morning mist lifts, groups of mostly older men and women, faces shielded from the sun by cone-shaped straw hats, make their way to a large, low-lying field to cultivate garden plots.

It's a ritual startlingly reminiscent of scenes shown on television during the Vietnam war. But this is the Mississippi Delta, not the Mekong.

"I have seen this same thing in Vietnam, many times," said Tu Pineda, an interpreter for Associated Catholic Charities of New Orleans. She pointed to an elderly man harvesting small white eggplants, grinned and said, "Papa-san."

The man, Moi Nguyen, 71, spoke to her in Vietnamese. "He says he and his wife sold fish sauce and anchovy paste in their village back in South Vietnam," Pineda said. "He says they emigrated there (from North Vietnam) in 1954, after the French were defeated, and then came here in 1975."

She slowly surveyed the other gardens, many bordered by banana plants, and added, "This is very, very much like Southeast Asia."

The similarity to Southeast Asia of this village 12 miles east of New Orleans is no accident. More than 2,800 of its 4,000 residents, 70 percent, are refugees from South Vietnam. They are part of the larger Vietnamese community, more than 12,000 strong, that has settled in greater New Orleans since 1975.

"There are larger populations of Vietnamese in this country, in California, New York and Texas, for example," said Monsignor Dominic Luong. "But New Orleans certainly has the most unique refugee group in the country."

WHAT MAKES it so unique is Versailles — the nation's most intensely Vietnamese community, a place where cone hats are common and "For Sale" signs are as likely to be in Vietnamese as in English.

"In other areas of the country the Vietnamese refugees are scattered throughout their communities," Luong said. "Here, they basically live in two places, in eastern New Orleans and along the west bank of the Mississippi River, south and west of the city.

"But Versailles is even more special because most of the people living here came from three small fishing villages near Vung Tau, about 50 miles southeast of Saigon; in a sense, they have recreated their villages. Also, many of them fled North Vietnam earlier, so coming here was their second major migration in two decades."

He gestured toward the village's commercial section, where more than two dozen shops and businesses — emblazoned with Vietnamese signs or bearing English names such as "Saigon Plaza" — were doing a brisk trade.

Luong, who has been in this country 20 years, said, "See all those stores, those groceries, those medical clinics, laundries and restaurants and so forth? Those were all built since the Vietnamese arrived here in 1975.

"Before that," he said, a note of pride in his voice, "there was nothing there except weeds."

He stepped into a Vietnamese grocery that offered a variety of oriental vegetables as well as canned abalone, dried squid, pickled duck's feet and a whole, roasted pig. The young Vietnamese clerk said few non-Vietnamese ever came into the store.

LATER, driving down a street in a 400-unit rental complex comprising half of the village proper, Luong pointed to a parking lot where youths were passing a football. "That's where I held outdoor services for the first 18 months after I came out here in 1978."

Jane Foley, director of Resettlement and Immigration Services for Associated Catholic Charities, also remembers those days in 1975. "The archdiocese sponsored 1,000 refugees that first summer, right after Saigon fell. We found apartments for a lot of them out at Versailles because it was a big subdivision that was failing and plenty of housing was available."

By 1978, more than 5,000 refugees had poured into the New Orleans area, many sponsored by the archdiocese. Hundreds more arrived over the next five years, as thousands of "boat people" fled Vietnam. Tu Pineda, who fled with her son, a niece and two nephews, was among them.

Other refugees, like Minh Nguyen, a former helicopter pilot who runs an auto repair shop in Jefferson Parish, came to New Orleans from elsewhere in the country. "I was living in Kentucky and we had a big, big snow that first winter. As soon as spring arrived I came to New Orleans; it is more like Vietnam here," he said.

Most of the refugees who came to New Orleans owned nothing but their clothes when they arrived. Only 5 percent spoke English.

"But they worked hard, often holding two or three jobs, and everybody helped each other," Luong said. "Now, 40 percent of Versailles' Vietnamese residents own their own homes. And we're not talking about professionals here; most of the Vietnamese professionals live in the Washington, D.C., area, not in New Orleans."

IT HASN'T been easy. In the early years, no public transportation ran between New Orleans and Versailles, and language and cultural differences created constant tension with the refugees' American neighbors.

The simmering cultural problems boiled over in 1978, when the area economy was slipping. Death threats were mailed to several Vietnamese families amid rumors that missing pets were ending up in Vietnamese stewpots. And angry neighbors complained more than once when refugee families hung pungent fish from apartment balconies to dry in the sun.

"A lot of those things have been smoothed out," Luong said. "However, I do still spend a lot of time handling misunderstandings with our black neighbors. Many of them are jealous of us, I think, because they feel our people are taking their jobs."

The Vietnamese initially took the lowest-paying menial jobs, jobs nobody else wanted. They have slowly climbed the economic ladder, opening small stores and shops and moving into better-paying service jobs in restaurants and tourist attractions like the Cafe du Monde in the French Quarter. Fishing, however, is the refugees' major occupation.

"Nearly half of Versailles' workers leave home on Monday morning and stay out on the boats until the following weekend," Luong said. "A couple of Vietnamese refugees even run shrimp processing plants now."

SONNY PARFAIT, Dulac's constable, said he doesn't hear nearly as much grumbling about the Vietnamese but noted that tensions have risen in some areas because shrimp catches have been below normal for two fishing seasons.

"Then there's the Louisiana economy," said Eleanor Will, director of Associated Catholic Charities' Office of Refugee Social Services. "The job situation here is so poor. There are so few jobs that some refugees are being forced to leave for other areas, such as California, which has a looser welfare policy."

Will said the most persistent problem for the refugee community has been culture shock, especially for grandparents and older married males.

"Some married men are very threatened by their wives' new-found independence," she explained. "And the grandparents tend to be depressed because they came from a culture where older people were honored and made all the important family decisions; here, things are different."

Squatting beside her garden near Versailles, 62-year-old Vi Nguyen, who left two daughters in Vietnam, said the garden helps her forget her troubles.

"I'm not so sad anymore," said the gray-haired woman, whose youngest daughter soon will graduate from Louisiana State University.

Like many of the refugee gardeners, she sells her vegetables — including yellow ginger, lemon grass and ginseng — to the local Vietnamese markets.

"They use the money to help their children with school expenses," said Luong. "About half of our high school graduates, those who don't have to help their families on the shrimp boats, go on to college."

But this sort of success points out another cultural problem, he said. "The children are forgetting how to speak Vietnamese. Their parents are so upset, that we have begun language classes at the church. And you know, some of the children say they think the Vietnamese language sounds funny and foreign."

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Ex-South Vietnamese premier now runs shrimp plant

DULAC, La. (AP) — When Nguyen Cao Ky moved to this remote Cajun fishing village, it caused hardly a ripple among folks along Bayou Caillou.

In fact, many of the 3,500 residents didn't realize the newcomer was a former general and onetime ruler of South Vietnam.

"We have a lot of Vietnamese in this area and we saw this fellow as just another Vietnamese fisherman," said volunteer fireman Sonny Parfait. "Tell you the truth, I myself didn't know who he was, until you say so."

Parfait, who is also Dulac's constable, said Ky — South Vietnam's premier from 1965 to 1968 — can be seen around town almost any day as he goes about the business of running the shrimp processing plant he leased in May.

"Everybody seems to like him all right," Parfait said. "At least I haven't heard any complaints, and his plant is providing jobs for local people."

One of those people, Jean Fairchild of nearby Houma, acknowledged she had some reservations about staying on as a secretary when Ky took over the then-failing processing plant.

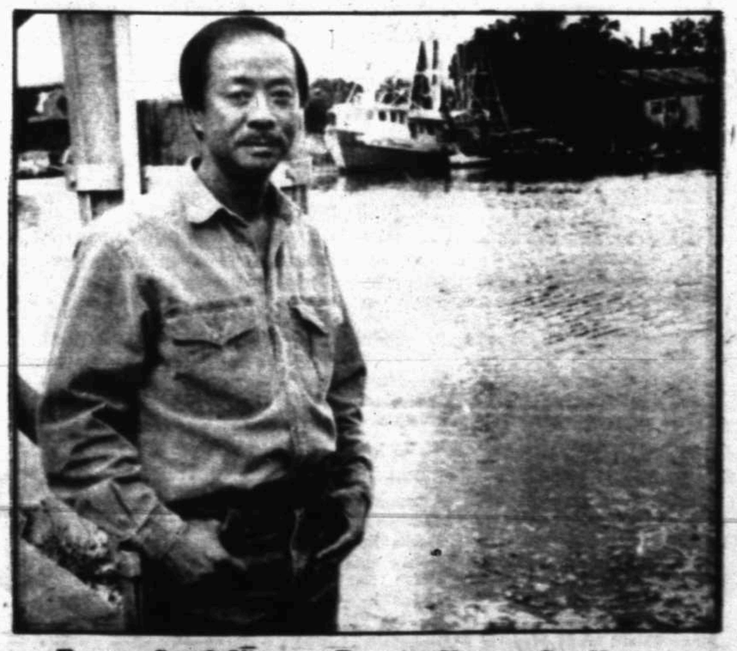
"I decided to give him a chance. I had no idea what to expect, working for a Vietnamese, but it has turned out very well; he's a good boss, and I'm not just saying that, either."

Next door in his paneled office, the slender, dark-haired president of Southern Gulf Seafood Processors Inc. quietly acknowledged that he has worked hard to fit in here. Dulac is located 70 miles southwest of New Orleans, deep in the heart of Cajun country where alligators prowl dark bayou waters and strangers are often regarded with suspicion by the locals, who speak a distinctive Cajun patois.

Ky doesn't dwell on the days when, he says, he had "absolute power" as premier. "I was a soldier and a politician. Now I am a businessman and a fisherman. When I'm with Vietnamese fishermen now, I think they see me now as a fisherman, instead of as a fighter pilot who used to be their premier."

Ky, who looks much younger than his 59 years, usually wears jeans, sneakers and a sports shirt and limits his socializing outside the Vietnamese community to an occasional game of tennis.

More importantly, he hires local workers.



Former South Vietnam Premier Nguyen Cao Ky poses in the fishing village of Dulac, La., earlier this fall. Ky now runs a shrimp processing plant in Dulac.

"Seven of our eight full-time employees are local Americans. And our part-time packing crew is largely made up of local residents."
— Former South Vietnamese Premier Nguyen Cao Ky

"Seven of our eight full-time employees are local Americans. And our part-time packing crew is largely made up of local residents," he said.

"It's only fair. Employment opportunities are very scarce in this area and it wouldn't have been right not to have given the local people the first chance at these jobs."

Ky buys most of his shrimp from the Vietnamese fishermen who ply the Gulf of Mexico from Florida to Texas. It was they who brought Ky to Louisiana two years ago, after his Southern California liquor store went bankrupt.

"I was traveling around the country, visiting Vietnamese refugees," he said. "I came down here and got interested in the fishing industry. I found I liked it and decided maybe I could make a living and also help my people."

Ky said he thinks the Vietnamese, now thought to comprise more than 60 percent of the shrimpers in the Gulf, should form a co-op with the other fishermen. A co-op, he said, would market their catches and help with their business affairs.

"Things are getting more and more complicated for the Vietnamese fishermen," said Ky. "At first, when they just had small boats, they could keep everything they made from their catch. Now, however, many of them own large boats costing several hundreds of thousands of dollars.

"They're getting more and more like Americans," he added, smiling. "They've got to make $4,000-a-month loan payments to the bank, they've got insurance premiums to pay."

WORLD IN BRIEF

Some European airports step up security measures

LONDON (AP) — Some European airports stepped up security after receiving a U.S. warning of a possible hijacking, but others reported business as usual on a busy Thursday.

Authorities in London, Frankfurt, Rome and Brussels said security had been tightened at airports because of the alert, but no additional precautions were reported in Paris, Amsterdam, Athens or Madrid.

The U.S. Embassy in London confirmed the Federal Aviation Administration had issued an alert about a possible attempt by radical Palestinians to hijack a U.S. airliner in Europe this weekend.

In West Germany, officials said the Interior Ministry and U.S. government offices were notified of the threat but had issued no warnings to the public.

Interior Ministry spokesman Roland Bachmeier said Bonn authorities received "a vague warning" but declined to give details. He said his ministry regularly receives indications or warnings of planned terrorist attacks and that security officials routinely investigate them.

In Washington, the White House played down the warning, saying it was similar to many other terrorist alerts and travelers "should be confident that all reasonable precautions are being taken."

The alert was disclosed in several London newspapers, including the Daily Express, which published a photocopy of part of the warning it said had been received by International Aviation Security, a subsidiary of Trans World Airlines.

Health blamed for absence

BEIJING (AP) — Senior leader Deng Xiaoping said Thursday that he skipped the opening session of China's legislature so he could "conserve my health and live longer.

In his first public appearance since the National People's Congress opened Monday, he also acknowledged the government has made mistakes, such as not paying enough attention to education and forgetting its tradition of hard work and plain living.

"I seldom do the daily work (of government) now," Deng told visiting Ugandan President Yoweri Museveni.

Deng, 84, did not attend even though he is a delegate to the congress from his home province, Sichuan. Government officials said only that Deng had asked for leave.

Deng confirmed to Museveni: "I have asked for leave. I want to conserve my health and live longer. What is more important is that I should gradually withdraw from the stage and let others preside over the work."

He noted new government and party leaders were chosen in 1987 and 1988. Deng retired from all his posts except that of chairman of the Central Military Commission, which sets military policy.

Two killed in bus crash

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A bus carrying workers to a nuclear plant collided with a tanker truck on the coast of Veracruz, killing two people and injuring 33, a government report said.

The Notimex government news service said the crash occurred Thursday in Nautla, a town 30 miles north of the Laguna Verde power plant on the Gulf of Mexico.

Witnesses said the Federal Electricity Commission bus was rounding a curve when the driver apparently lost control of the vehicle and slammed into the tanker truck, Notimex reported.

The driver of the bus, identified as 35-year-old Alberto Ramirez, and an unidentified electrical worker, were killed, the news service said.

The nuclear plant, Mexico's first, is scheduled to begin operations later this year.

Paper reveals phony cops

LONDON (AP) — A newspaper said today that 14 days before the bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 a U.S. agency warned that people posing as police had questioned TWA staff members in West Germany about transporting explosives.

The Independent said the warning by the Federal Aviation Administration was the fourth involving a potential terrorist attack before the Dec. 21 bombing that killed 270 people.

The flight, which originated in Frankfurt, West Germany, and changed planes at London's Heathrow airport, was blown up over Scotland, killing all 259 people aboard and 11 on the ground. Investigators say the New York-bound plane was destroyed by a bomb hidden in a radio-cassette player.

It said the FAA alerted airports, airlines and governments after people posing as police twice asked American employees of TWA at the Frankfurt airport how U.S. carriers transported explosives, detonators and pistols.

The newspaper said the Dec. 7 FAA bulletin was disclosed in Washington by a House of Representatives transportation subcommittee, which has been holding hearings on the Lockerbie bombing.

Mexico deports 52 aliens

TIJUANA, Mexico (NYT) — In a rare move, Mexican immigration authorities Wednesday (March 22) deported a busload of undocumented Central and South Americans, most of whom had landed at Tijuana's airport.

While many of the 52 bus passengers sat in stunned silence, clutching deportation papers, immigration agent Jorge Meza explained to a Tijuana television news crew that he was "just following orders."

One Ecuadoran, near panic, claimed he had been separated from his 17-year-old son at the airport and had no idea where the youth was being held. Several others demanded to see an attorney, moments before beginning the 40-hour bus ride south to Mexico City.

Socialist Party official testifies about bribes

New York Times News Service

ATHENS, Greece — The political scandal threatening Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou's government widened this week as a former official of the governing Socialist Party has testified that he had accepted and transferred millions of dollars in bribes for the government.


Papandreou

The former official, Ioannis Mantzouranis, who was secretary general of the Cabinet, said he had acted as the intermediary for payoffs to government officials by a fugitive banker currently in a Massachusetts prison.

Providing documentation Thursday on one specific case, he said he had deposited $2 million in the Swiss bank accounts of Agamemnon Koutsogeorgas, who for many years was Papandreou's closest political associate.

Mantzouranis's written testimony before an investigating magistrate was made available to the media by his lawyer.

Koutsogeorgas, who was deputy prime minister and justice minister last summer when the bribes are said to have been paid, has denied any wrongdoing.

Mantzouranis, who was jailed March 11 on charges of handling illegal funds, said the money came from a Greek banker as a payoff to the government for a law passed to shield his bank from fraud investigations. He provided the magistrate with 62 documents to support his allegations.

The banker, George Koskotas, is being held in Massachusetts while awaiting extradition proceedings on Greek charges that he embezzled $200 million from the Bank of Crete.

The testimony of Mantzouranis, who was jailed two weeks ago on a charge of accepting stolen funds from Koskotas, led to a renewed demand by the opposition for the government's resignation and for more arrests of guilty officials.

Constantine Mitsotakis, the leader of the conservative opposition party New Democracy, told Papandreou in Parliament: "This new, undeniable evidence means that you personally are responsible and must resign." Papandreou again denied any knowledge or involvement.

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50 LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid or Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. April 13, 1989 to be opened at 3:00 P.M. April 13, 1989 in the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid or Bids:

Bid #120-89 to purchase:
Labor and material to install 1 each Heavy Duty Truck Hoist and 1 each twin post floor lift for the Fleet Services Department.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General Conditions for Bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas
March 17, 24, 1989

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted in the office of the County Auditor, second floor of the Midland County Courthouse, or P.O. Box 421, Midland, Texas 79702 until 4:30 o'clock P.M., Friday, April 7, 1989 to be opened by the Commissioners' Court, Monday, April 10, 1989 at the 9:00 o'clock A.M. meeting for the following:

ONE (1) AUTOMOBILE FOR JUVENILE PROBATION

Specifications and bid information may be obtained from the County Auditor's office, second floor of the Midland County Courthouse.

Midland County reserves the right to reject all bids or any parts of the bid and to waive all formalities.

MR. FLOYD T. JARNAGIN
MIDLAND COUNTY AUDITOR
By NANCY L. WHITE
ASSISTANT COUNTY AUDITOR
MARCH 17, 24, 1989

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS
PROJECT NO. W-215-89/1179

The City of Midland, Texas is soliciting bids for the furnishing of materials and labor and the construction of water line relocation and construction, together with appurtenances, including 6,100 L.F. Ductile Iron Pipe ranging in size from 4" to 16" Diameter with fittings, 51 gate valves ranging in size from 6" to 12" diameter, 4 - 16" butterfly valves and 6 fire hydrants together with appurtenance and incidentals.

Attention of Bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to condition of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

Notice to bidders, information for bidders, specifications containing the conditions of employment and minimum wages, plans and proposal forms which are on file in the office of the City Engineer on the fifth floor of the City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas and may secured upon a deposit of fifty dollars ($50) for each set.

Bids will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas, until 3:00 pm on the 4th day of April, 1989. Bids will be opened and read aloud at that time.
March 17, 24, 1989

LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE TO DESIGN/BUILD PROPOSERS ONLY:

You are invited to bid on a Design-/Build "Turn Key" contract for an addition to the First floor of the Midland County Courthouse. All bids must be on a lump sum basis; segregated bids will not be accepted.

The Midland County Commissioners' Court will receive sealed design/build bid proposals until 4:00 P.M. on April 28, 1989, at the Midland County Auditor's office (2nd floor, Midland County Courthouse) in Midland.

50 LEGAL NOTICES

The design/build bids will be held until May 1, 1989, and then opened in public and read aloud. All Design/Build Proposers are invited to attend.

Prior to the bid date and time, sealed bids may be sent to:

Mr. Floyd T. Jarnagin
Midland County Auditor
P.O. Box 421
Midland, Texas 79702

Bids received prior to the time of receipt of bids will be securely kept, unopened. Bids received after the time set for receipt of bids will not be considered.

Bona Fide Design/Build Proposers may secure copies of the Request for Proposal from the Midland County Auditor at the above address.

A Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the Bid Amount and made payable to Midland County must accompany each bid.

The Midland County Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any technicalities and informalities.

This invitation is issued at the request of the Midland County Commissioners' Court.

FLOYD T. JARNAGIN
MIDLAND COUNTY AUDITOR
MARCH 17, 24, 1989

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 10:45 A.M., Tuesday, April 11, 1989, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by Clara Covarrubias for an extension of a Special Temporary Permit for a mobile home on Lot 4, Block 4, Highland Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas. (Generally located on the south side of Cowden approximately 190' west of its intersection with Main Street.)

CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY
MARCH 24, 1989

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 10:50 A.M., Tuesday, April 11, 1989, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by Rodney Roberts for a zone change from IP-3, Industrial Park District, to PD, Planned District of a Transition District, on Lot 1, and Lot 2, except the south 199.37 ft., Block 6, Industrial Park Regional Air Terminal, City and County of Midland, Texas. (Generally located at the southwest corner of the intersection of Sloan Field Blvd. and Windbacker St.)

CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY
MARCH 24, 1989

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 10:48 A.M., Tuesday, April 11, 1989, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by Jason Pizz for an extension of a Special Temporary Permit for a mobile home, on the south 100' of lot 4, Block 3, Holley Heights, City and County of Midland, Texas. (Generally located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Camp Street and Collins Avenue.)

CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY
MARCH 24, 1989

110 LODGE NOTICES

Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

110 LODGE NOTICES

Midland Scottish Rite Association.
Maundy Thursday Observance
Thursday
March 16th
7:30 PM
Lodge Hall
1600 W. Wall.

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings, 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30 pm. March 13th, Floor School, 7:30 pm. March 20th, work in MM Degree, 7:30 pm.
Tom Vanaman, W.M.
R.G. Kiker, Secretary

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414 AF & AM, 1000 Upland.
Stated Meeting, March 28th, 7:30 pm. A vote will be taken on the memory work requirements for Entered Apprentice Masons as proposed by the Grand Master of Masons in Texas. All members are urged to be present and vote their conviction on this issue.
Ron Yeager, W.M.
J.H. Beaty, Secretary

MIDLAND Centennial Masonic Lodge #1448 - 1000 Upland street. Stated meetings- 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Breakfast 7:30am - Open Lodge 8:30am. Come Join Us!
Jerry Cowin, W.M.
H.S. Elliot, Secretary.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. 685-1790. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month. April 20th, 1989. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
Russ Holmberg, President.
Sam Bradley, Secretary.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER Sunday. Traditional Catholic Mass will be offered on Easter Sunday, 12:00 Noon in the chapel of Manor Park. 2208 North Loop 250 West, Midland. For further information 684-5673 or 683-1892.

120 PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC Notice: Any publication which stated auction sale of Ernest and Frankie Briggs at 1222 South Big Spring Street, Midland, Texas as being on March 28th was a printing error. It should have read March 18th.

130 PERSONALS

DRINKING problem in your life? Call Midland Council on Alcoholism, 682-4721. 24 hour service.

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COMPUTERIZED Horoscopes. Unique and individual. Must know time and location of birth. $25. Call 694-6736.

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ADOPTION: A Happily married, financially secure caring couple wants to adopt newborn. Will be full-time Mom. All expenses paid. Confidential and legal. Call Barbara & David collect anytime 413-567-8562.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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CHILI - FAJITAS - BEAN COOKOFF
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Benefiting Northeast Midland County Volunteer Fire Department.
MARK YOUR CALENDARS THE DATE IS!!!
SATURDAY, APRIL 22nd, 1989
This will be a CSAI Sanction Cookoff. (Chili grind only!)
COOKS ENTRANCE FEE
• Chili - $15 • Fajitas - $15 • Both - $25 • Beans - $5
For further details contact:
"NEW WEST" after 5:30
697-9564 or 362-2136

130 PERSONALS

FOR truly personal service on your Toyota-made vehicle - Permian Toyota 3110 W. Wall, 694-3691

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

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Call collect after 5 PM and weekends.
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Desparately wish to adopt infant. Will give warm love and financial security. Confidential. Expenses paid.
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Please Call Carol & Rick collect.
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ADOPTION

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130 PERSONALS

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Professional couple yearns to give special newborn bright sunny life. Devoted parents, good schools, loving extended family, vacations at beach. Expenses paid.
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150 LOST & FOUND

LOST: Gold nugget necklace. KMart or Furrs on Illinois. Work - 697-7958 ask for clock 18.

LOST 3-10-89
Black Male Shepherd Mix
Answers to "C.K." Has black mask, tan muzzle & markings. Approx 45 lbs.
Has been our family pet 9 YRS!
If you have seen this dog or think you have seen him PLEASE CALL 697-3025 leave message OR 1-367-2636 days

LOST 3/16, SPCA AREA
Small Terrier mix female
Black with white feet and chest. Short hair. Silver choke chain with 1986 tag. She is a beloved friend.
Reward, $150
Please, if you find her, CALL 684-7582 or 697-8992 682-8257 or 697-5064

LOST: Ladies black purse in Stanton or between Stanton & Midland. Reward for contents. Please call 756-3458 (Stanton) or 684-6793.

LOST Male Chocolate Lab. Initials DH tattooed in one ear. Reward if found. 685-5001, 684-8825.

LOST: BLACK/ Silver Shih-Tzu. She been clipped, white paws, female. Lost in Meadow Park area, 3/20. Childs Pet. 683-8836, 682-4555, 685-0895, 694-7977.

FOUND: Black female puppy. Dellwood Mall area. Call to identify 694-1765.

LOST: black and silver male poodle with orange collar, last seen Midland Drive/ Thomason area. Please call 697-1447, 697-1689.

LOST: Diamond ring lost near First Baptist church or hospital. Sentimental value. Reward. Call 694-2688.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

130 PERSONALS

150 LOST & FOUND

LOST approximately ½ mile south of I-20 on Rankin Highway, brown leather briefcase with notebook, papers, notary seal. Call Sam 684-7475 or 683-9582.

LOST: Monday, 3/20, near County Road 140. Small black Yorkie with tan face and feet. Call 682-1894, days or 682-4451, evenings.

LOST: Canon camera in black case with strap. Reward offered. Please call 683-3598.

FOUND: Black dog found near Saddle Chap Apartments. Call 689-9667 with description.

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210 General Help Wanted

COOKS, cashiers, early morning helper and delivery drivers. Experience preferred. Apply in person Pinocchio's Pizza, 3303 N. Midkiff. No phone calls please.

AVON; work full-time, part-time, any time. Will help you get started. Evan, 699-2075!

EARN MONEY Reading books! $30,000/yr income potential. Details 1-805-687-6000 Ext. Y-9104. Fee.

SET your own hours. Write your own paycheck. Sell Avon. Call Verla 699-0119.

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MAINTENANCE MAN
Basic mechanical skills, working knowledge of plumbing, electrical and HVAC.
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210 General Help Wanted

FULL-TIME MERCHANDISERS
Positions open for full time merchandisers. High School graduate and own transportation a must. This position requires an aggressive and dependable individual. Week-end work required. Excellent benefits, hourly pay, 40 - 55 hours per week.
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FASHION CLEANERS is in need of a combination wool and silk finisher. Apply at 801 West Wall.

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MR. GATTI'S Pizza at 3205 West Cuthbert. We currently have openings for: Delivery Drivers, Day and Evening Cashiers. Please apply in person 2 - 5 pm.

MIDLAND route for Odessa American. Home delivery and news stands. Delivery 7 days weekly. Will train right person. Must have good transportation and be bondable. Phone 697-0749 after 5 pm, Bill Atwood.

CLEANING Person wanted: 4 hours weekly, day & time negotiable. References required. Call 699-3049.

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Call 694-9375
for appointment

TELEPHONE Sales Help Needed. Full or part-time. Call Mr. Williams at 699-5779.

PART-TIME Telephone Sales help needed. Hours, 6 - 9 pm. Call Mr. Williams 699-5779

WHAT-A-BURGER now hiring for immediate employment. Full time, part time, day or night shifts available. Apply with manager 2-5 pm at 800 Andrews Highway, 3206 Midkiff or 1905 North Big Spring. EOE.

WANTED: housekeeper for working couple with no children. 9 - 1, Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Light housekeeping, laundry and ironing. $4.00 an hour. Call 683-9729 after 6 PM.

LATINO'S Barber Shop is looking for an experienced barber. By commission or lease. Call Danny Hernandez, 686-7459 or come by 1306-D N. Lamesa Road.

SERVICE MECHANIC wanted for Sonora and Carrizo Springs. Call 563-1170.

210 General Help Wanted

210 General Help Wanted

MAGNETO REPAIRMAN. Ignition Systems & Controls now looking for an experienced Magneto repairman. Must be able to work on Solid State, and be familiar with an Oscilloscope. Call for appointment, 563-3300.

MECHANIC needed. Must have own tools and experience. Salary depending on experience. Apply in person at 1100 South Garfield.

PEOPLE PERSON
Immediate opening for organized, go-getter, to represent growing Temporary Service. Non-Smoker.
Send confidential resume to: P. O. Box 1363, Midland, TX 79702

FARM Tractor and truck mechanic wanted. Good benefits. Apply Westex Implement, 915-546-2300, Seagraves, Texas.

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EXPERIENCED TRUCK DRIVERS WANTED
The Permian Corp. has Truck Driving jobs available in Midland and Andrews.
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Must be 25 years old
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Good driving record
Good work history
If interested apply at the Midland District Office on the Garden City Highway, Midland, TX.
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MATURE, dependable people to work snack bar. Must be able to work nights and weekends. Must be over 25. Must have phone and own transportation. Must be clean and neat in appearance. Experience preferred. Apply in person only - Dellwood Lanes, Dellwood Mall.

REAL Estate opportunity. Not Sales. License or related field required. Above average earnings, pleasant working conditions. Resume to BOX H02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

LIGHT local delivery. Dependable person with economical vehicle needed. Must know city. Days and evenings. 699-5779.

WORKERS needed in our office. Day and night shift available. No experience necessary. Part time. Call 694-1957.

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JR. HIGH AND OVER
PART-TIME WORK
Students from all parts of Midland interested in getting out service cards in your neighborhood on Saturdays this Spring, report to the Belle Griffith Firestone Store, Dellwood Mall, at 10:30 Sharp, Saturday morning MARCH 25TH ONLY. No experience necessary. Paid Daily. Bring your friends. NO PHONE CALLS. Bring a pencil.
EVERYONE APPLYING WILL BE HIRED

GENERAL help wanted. Apply within: Roma Pizza, 4322-B Andrews Highway, 4 - 6 PM.

EXPERIENCED
GM MECHANIC
Must have NIASE certification and GM computer systems knowledge. GM Cams experience helpful.
Apply in Person To:
Travis Kendrick
Sloan Brothers Buick
2625 W. Wall

MAR 24 '89

210 General Help Wanted

IMMEDIATE OPENING
For Fire and Casualty Insurance Secretary (commercial and personal lines). Only experienced apply. Send resume and salary requirements to:
BOX H-06
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

WE Create, update and rewrite resumes. Wordswork. Call 697-5110.

ASSEMBLY WORKERS
Attention! Earn excellent income for light assembly work.
Call 504-646-1700, Dept. P 2148

210 General Help Wanted

BRICK Layers needed. Must be experienced. Call Glen Rickey 694-7684.

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Performs difficult and advanced Civil Engineering work in the field and in the office. Does related work as required; work involves the application of Professional Engineering, knowledge and skills to the design and construction of public work projects. Graduation from an engineering school of recognized standing with major work experience and municipal engineering. Must possess a license to practice as a Registered Professional Engineer issued by the state of Texas. Non-smoker preferred. Salary starting $2,454 per month.
Contact City of Midland Personnel Department, 4th floor, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Tx. 79702.
Drug screening through urinalysis is mandatory for employment with the City of Midland. A negative result is a prerequisite for being considered for employment.
Equal Opportunity Employer

210 General Help Wanted

STATIONS for lease, new chairs, lease negotiable. Apply in person, Myers' Family hair care. Dellwood Mall.

ROUTE Relief position available. Apply in person, 305 E. Texas, 8:00 - 5:00, Monday - Friday.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
For Independent Operator
One Man Office
Must have word processing and computer bookkeeping skills. Non-smoker. Maximum responsibilities for right person.
Send Resume To:
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MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

NOW HIRING Hostess. Apply in person, Cattleman's Steak House, 3300 N. Big Spring, Midland, TX

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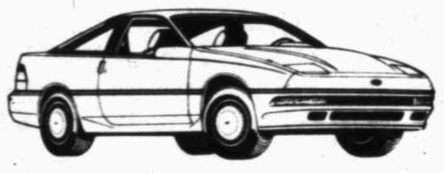
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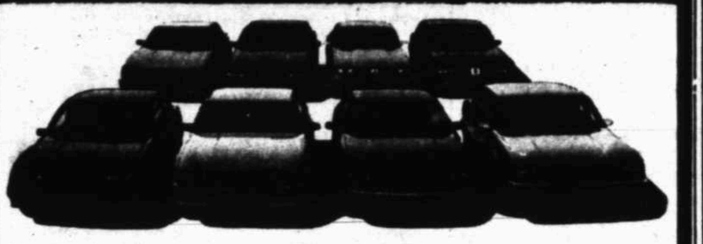
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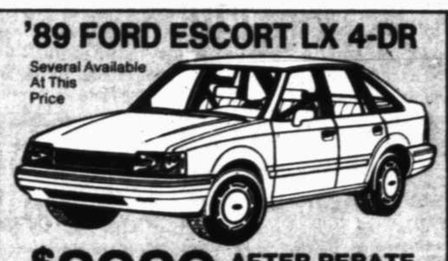
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60 Months on approved credit, amount financed $10,445.23, total of payments $14,339.40, APR 13.25%, down payment $500, plus TT&L.

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- Twin Remote Sport Mirrors
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$196 MO.

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1989 METRO 2-Dr.

- Air Conditioning
- Rear Window Wiper/Washer
- AM-FM-Cassette Stereo
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