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Another of Braves' golden arms left Busch Stadium badly tarnished, putting the St. Louis Cardinals within one win of the NL championship series./**1C**

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Louisa May Alcott's 'Little Women' comes to the Midland Community Theatre stage Oct. 13-15./**1B**

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Owner: No-go on MISD land deal

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

The Midland Independent School District will go into Saturday's $72.2-million bond election without an intent-to-buy contract on a 78-acre tract owned by Midlander Loyd Wimberley.

The tract is MISD's proposed site for a high school campus in northeast Midland.

"No, sir, there will not be" a contract on that land prior to the election, the 82-year-old Wimberley said on Thursday.

"I'll say that for sure," said Wimberley, who noted that his land is not for sale and especially not at the undisclosed price tendered by MISD through its agents.

The tract at Loop 250 and Fairgrounds Road is MISD's proposed site for a new Midland High School campus. Along with the renovation and expansion of Lee High School, the building of a new MHS to replace the downtown campus is the primary focus of the bond issue.

Further, Wimberley said that negotiations had never been close — contrary to the MISD stance.

In negotiations, dating at least back to mid-September, MISD's Wilson Heidelberg had said that "We're negotiating hard; we're getting close."

Negotiations had involved Wimberley and his attorney, Charles W. "Bro" Seltzer, and MISD's representatives who included real-estate attorney Alan Meyers, real-estate agent Bill Scott, and Heidelberg, who is MISD's executive director for Auxiliary/Construction Services.

"It's not going to be anywhere close to a million dollars," Heidelberg had said of the purchase price. "We have never been that far apart. I think that we

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Bond would put debt at $132 million

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Midland Independent School District's bonded indebtedness would be more than doubled to $132.2 million from $60 million should MISD's $72.2-million bond win approval Saturday.

The increase would be 120 percent.

Along with that would come a 13-cent hike in the school system's tax rate to pay off the new debt and the estimated $80 million to $90 million in interest over the 30-year life of the debt, said Art Martin, MISD's executive director of Business Services.

The cost of MISD's borrowing the $72.2 million would be determined by the interest rate, such as 6 percent or 6.5 percent, he said.

That 13-cent increase could be doved-tailed into the tax rate next year. Or, at the option of the MISD trustees, it could phased in over a period of a few years as the bonds are sold to finance the construction.

"That (13-cent tax hike) is what we are estimating based on the current (taxable) values," Martin noted. "If the property values go up, then the tax rate will go down."

MISD's 2000 taxable values or tax base is $4 billion.

The $72.2-million bond issue includes $39.1

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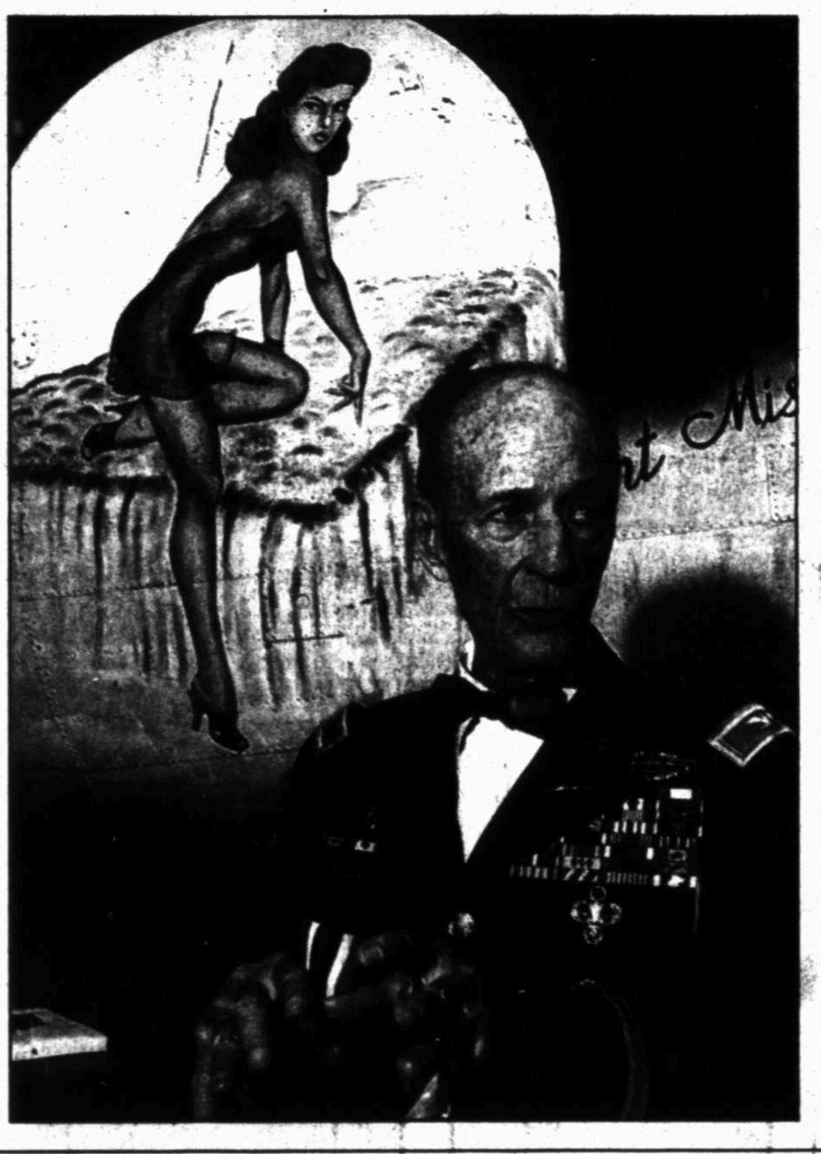

Retired Col. Bruce Wallace is one of the new inductees to the Confederate Air Force Hall of Fame Thursday evening.

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

CAF inducts local hero into its Hall of Fame

By Timothy V. Kreitz
MRT Correspondent

Eight individuals and one combat unit were inducted into the Confederate Air Force Hall of Fame Thursday following a gala reception dinner. Among those honored was Midland resident and World War II veteran, Col. Bruce E. Wallace.

Thursday's dinner precedes this weekend's CAF AirSho 2000, which begins Saturday morning at Midland International Airport.

As a tail-gunner, Wallace flew 46 combat missions in the European theater, was shot down three times and captured

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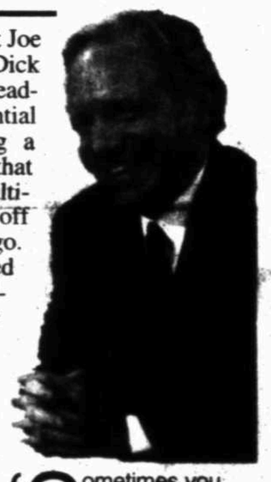
AirSho 2000

- Saturday and Sunday at Midland International Airport.
- Gates open at 7:30 a.m. both days. Flying starts at 1 p.m. on Saturday and 11:30 a.m. on Sunday.
- Among the events will be recreations of some of history's most famous battles, including the attack on Pearl Harbor.
- Discount tickets are $12 for adults and $4 children at 7-Eleven Stores. Tickets at the gate will be $15 for adults and $6 for children.
- For additional information, call 563-1000.

Vice presidential hopefuls debate over policy plans

By Stewart M. Powell and Dan Freedman
Hearst News Service

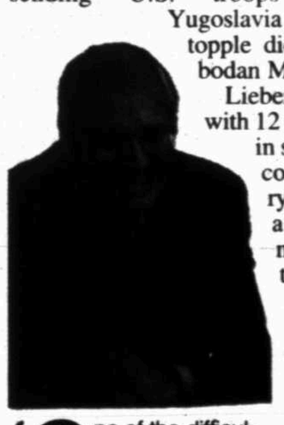


DANVILLE, Ky. — Democrat Joe Lieberman rejected Republican Dick Cheney's criticism of Al Gore's leadership during their vice presidential debate Thursday night, telling a nationwide television audience that most Americans — including multimillionaire Cheney — are better off now than they were eight years ago.

Lieberman and Cheney jousted politely during much of their 90-minute talk show-style encounter in which they spotlighted differences on spending plans for the projected 10-year $4.6 trillion federal budget surplus, overhauling public education, assuring equal pay for women, reversing the Food and Drug Administration's approval of the abortion pill and protecting America's military readiness.

The two candidates sounded tough on ousting Iraqi President Saddam Hussein but ruled out sending U.S. troops to Yugoslavia to help topple dictator Slobodan Milosevic.

'Sometimes you have to dig deep to find out if there's oil in the well. I drilled into that, and the deeper I got, the drier the well became.'
— Sen. Joe Lieberman on the Bush Social Security plan



Lieberman, a upbeat career politician with 12 years in the Senate and 16 years in state government, seemed more comfortable in the thrust-and-parry of partisan debate than Cheney, a former Wyoming congressman who has not served in elective office since 1989.

Lieberman looked directly at the camera in a bid to address the watching television audience in contrast to Cheney who rested his elbows on the table and ether looked at moderator Bernard Shaw or down at the table, almost as though he were a chief executive conducting a corporate board meeting.

Both Cheney and Lieberman sought to defuse the encounter at the outset with funny asides. Lieberman recounted the advice of his 85-year-old mother to "be

'One of the difficulties we have, frankly, is that for the last eight years we've ignored a lot of these problems. We haven't moved aggressively on Social Security; we haven't moved, for example, on Medicare.'
— Dick Cheney

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Hispanic empowerment focus of annual banquet

By Ian Heald
Staff Writer

Economic empowerment of Hispanics both locally and statewide was the message delivered by the keynote speaker at the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (MHCC) banquet Thursday night.

The Hispanic Chamber held its 16th annual Installation Banquet Thursday night at the Midland Center. J.R. Gonzales, chairman of the Mexican-American Association of Chambers of Commerce (MAACC), discussed several nationwide trends affecting Hispanics.

First, Gonzales addressed why a community needs more than one chamber of commerce. "Why do we need more than one church?" Gonzales said. "Everybody's means are a little bit different, but the ends are the same."

The notation has some relevance. MHCC recently received a 25.5 percent reduction in tourism funding from the city of Midland. Others view the cut as being 49 percent, if one takes into account an additional $22,000 that was received from the city last year to help fund the Cinco de Mayo Futbol Festival. Total tourism funding received by MHCC last year was $69,000. For fiscal year 2001 it is only $35,000. The Midland Convention and Visitor's Bureau, on the other hand, received only $7,500 less, or $500,000 in total for fiscal year 2001.

Gonzales reiterated that chambers must work together for the good of the community. He said Midland is a shining example of such a harmonious relationship.

"They're not trying to separate," Gonzales said of Hispanic chambers across the country, "They're trying to serve."

Gonzales then boasted of the increasing power Hispanics are gaining in their population numbers. He estimated that by 2008, 45 percent of Texas' population will be Hispanic. Today, more than half of all students entering grade school are Hispanic, he said.

But Gonzales added that despite their growing population, Hispanics have not yet attained central leadership roles. There are no minorities in the U.S. Senate, he said. There needs to be more Hispanics in the state legislature, too, he added.

"People of color are not ascending to leadership roles," Gonzales said. "The Hispanic Chamber can serve as a leadership training ground."

Gonzales said MAACC is currently focusing on improving three areas to further Hispanic economic development nationwide. They include:

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As the state radio and TV broadcasting headquarters burns in the background, an opposition supporter displays a banner Thursday in Belgrade, Yugoslavia translating "Slobo, I am waiting for you. -Tito" a mock message from the late Yugoslav President Josip Broz Tito who died 20 years ago to Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic. Crowds took control of the parliament building while protesters streamed into the capital for a mass rally claiming electoral fraud by the ruling coalition led by Milosevic./8A

Samaritan Center honors families and businesses

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

"We're here to celebrate that which is healthy," said Dr. Jerry Kelly, executive director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas to begin the center's annual Family of the Year banquet.

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The banquet honored families from Midland, Odessa and Big Spring. Midlanders David and Sarah Cameron and their children, adults Jered and Leah and younger children Joshua and Rocky, were honored at the banquet.

For the third year, the center, along with the Midland and Odessa Rotary Clubs, honored business persons in the three cities with "Ethics in Business" awards. Carol Armstrong, executive director of Hospice of Midland, received one of the awards.

Keynote speaker Robert Danzig, a Hearst Publishing executive and motivational speaker, then spoke eight words to the audi-

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U. Frank Williams Jr./Reporter-Telegram

The Cameron family — clockwise from left: Jered, 22, parents Sarah and David, Leah, 21, Rocky, 9, and Joshua, 10 — stand outside Green Tree Country Club Thursday before being honored as Midland's Family of the Year.

OBITUARIES

Byrne O'Neill Sr.

Mrs. Byrne O'Neill and her children announce the passing of their beloved husband and father, Henry Byrne O'Neill Sr. Mr. O'Neill died on Tuesday, October 3, 2000, of injuries suffered in an accident.

Byrne O'Neill was born on November 6, 1922, in Phoenixville, Pa. He was the sixth of nine brothers. After serving as a lieutenant in the U.S. Navy during World War II, he graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1947. He married the former Mary L. "Mitzi" Derham in 1953, and they had been married for 47 years.

Byrne moved to Midland in 1956, where he worked for O'Neill Properties Ltd. for nearly 44 years. Mr. O'Neill was extremely active in a wide variety of charities and other community causes in Midland throughout that time.

Mr. O'Neill is survived by his wife, Mitzi, of Midland; six children: Hank and his wife, Avery, of Plano, Sean of San Antonio, Kathy Reed and her husband, Peter, of Richardson, Richie and his wife, Dee, of Denver, Colo., Jim of New York City, and Patty Loose and her husband, Ike, of Austin; and eleven grandchildren: Ashley and Ben O'Neill of Plano, Megan O'Neill of Calgary, Alberta, Corey and Patrick Reed of Richardson, Christopher, Emily, David, and Anne of Denver, and Connor and Ryan Loose of Austin. He is also survived by four brothers: William of Bryn Mawr, Penn., Robert of Detroit, Mich., Donald of Sunnyvale, Calif., Frank of Villanova, Penn., and Hugh of Hyannisport, Mass.; and 34 nieces and nephews.

A burial ceremony will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, October 6th, at Resthaven Memorial Park. A Memorial Mass will follow at 11:00 a.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church. The family requests that memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, TX 79702; or St. Ann's Altar Society Memorial Fund, 1908 W. Texas, Midland, TX 79701.

DEATH NOTICES

B. Don Sanders

ANDREWS — Dr. B. Don Sanders, 73, died Thursday, Oct. 5, at his residence.

Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 7, in the Andrews Church of Christ with Moody Conner officiating. Burial will follow at the Andrews Old Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

He was born March 23, 1927 in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife, Rachel; a son, Kip Sanders; and a daughter, Suzanne Blackburn, all of Andrews; a brother, J.L. Sanders of Amarillo; a sister, Lydia Frederick of San Angelo; three grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Home Hospice of Odessa, 516 N. Texas, Odessa, 79761; or Children's Home of Lubbock, 4404 Idalou Road, Lubbock, 79401.

Dayton Ramsey

MONAHANS — Former Midlander Dayton Earl "Pat'' Ramsey died Wednesdsay, Oct. 4.

Services will be 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 7, at First United Methodist Church in Monahans.

He was born June 11, 1927, in Ben Hur. He served in Marine Corps and married Mary Beth Tubbs on May 31, 1947 in Coleman. He was a service engineer with Dowell, working in Snyder, Midland, Hobbs, N.M., amd Tulsa, Okla.

Ramsey was named Citizen of the Year in 1981 by the Monahans Chamber of Commerce.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Dr. David Bruce Ramsey and Russell Dayton Ramsey; three daughters, Connie Beth Ramsey Hisel, Carol Ann Ramsey Hurst and Cynthia Elaine Ramsey Magee.

Other survivors include a brother, Dr. Howard Ramsey; and four sisters, Linda Payne, Dorothy Ben Erwin, Mary Kemp and Carmen McKinney.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Bruce Ramsey.

The family requests memorials be directed to the Alzheimer's Association, 4400 N. Big Spring, Suite C32, Midland, 79705.

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Waite, experts speak on terrorism at UTPB

By Brian Rogers
Staff Writer

ODESSA — One of world's most famous hostages who later became a bestselling author, Terry Waite, was one of five well-known commentators speaking on foreign policy and domestic terrorism Thursday in Odessa.

Some 600 people attended UTPB's roundtable discussion on current issues related to national security.

Waite regaled the audience with several anecdotes culled from his experiences as a negotiator as well as a prisoner ... the most notable being the books his non-English speaking Lebanese captors brought him, including "Great Escapes, Tales From World War II," and an unillustrated manual on breastfeeding.

On a serious side, Waite pointed out that lesser developed countries see the United States and the western world as dominant and uncaring.

"U.S. generosity simply isn't recognized in these countries," Waite said.

Another member of the panel, Scott Ritter, a chief weapons inspector for the United Nations Special Commission in Iraq, said in his opening remarks, "We (the U.S.) are a target for terrorism and have been for years."

Also on the panel, Dr. Robert Gates, the only career officer to rise from an entry level employee at the CIA to director, said, "A terroristic attack is likely and perhaps inevitable, but it's important to keep it in perspective."

The fourth panelist, Dr. Richard Haass, is the former senior director of the National Security Council.

Haass said, "The four major tenets of terrorism are that the violence is premeditated, it's motivated by a political agenda, the targets are non-combatants, and it's not carried out by governments outright."

He also said the war on terrorism is a misnomer, because there is no end and it's not just a military problem.

"There is no root cause that we can solve and be done with terrorism, and we can't remove ourselves as targets. It's not a solvable problem, it's a condition we may be able to manage."

The event's commentator was Ms. Mary Alice Williams, a founding anchor of CNN, who won an Emmy for her work with the NBC Nightly News.

Area briefs

'Harvest' day

This Saturday, an event called "Harvest" will take place at Big Spring State Park. The event includes hayrides along the park road which follows the edge of a 200-foot bluff at the northern limit of the Edwards Plateau. While taking hayrides around the mountains, visitors will be treated to a guided tour of the park's historical and geological characteristics. Hayride No. 1 begins at 3 p.m. and Hayride No. 2 begins at 4:30 p.m. Tickets are $2 for adults, $1 for seniors while children 12 and under can ride free. For more information call Ron Alton, park manager, at (915) 263-3935 .

Job seminar

A special seminar conducted by the Human Resource Professionals of the Permian Basin will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 10, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Center for Energy and Economic Diversification, 1400 N. FM 1788. The topic will be "Employment Law Seminar." Seminar cost is $55 dollars for members and $65 for non-members. Reservations are due by noon today. For reservations call Beth at (915) 685-7247.

Antiques Fair

The Lt. William Brewer Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold an "Antiques Fair" at the Midland Woman's Club on Saturday, Oct. 12th. The event begins at 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend this Fair and may bring up to 3 items for evaluation by Antique Specialists in the Midland Area. A 1930s handmade quilt will be on display and offered at silent auction. Admission fee is $5 dollars per person. For more information call Dorothy Driskill (915)682-3870.

Today's Agenda

Southside Lions Club, noon, Southside Lions Club Building.

Ranchland Hills Ladies' Association, bridge luncheon, 10 a.m., Ranchland Hills County Club.

Tall City Road Riders, dinner ride, 7 p.m., leave from Team Bank, 694-5310.

American Legion bingo, 8 p.m., 501 Air Park Road, 682-5511 (license: 1-75-6035782-8)

Compulsive Eaters Anonymous, noon, First United Methodist Church, 694-2860.

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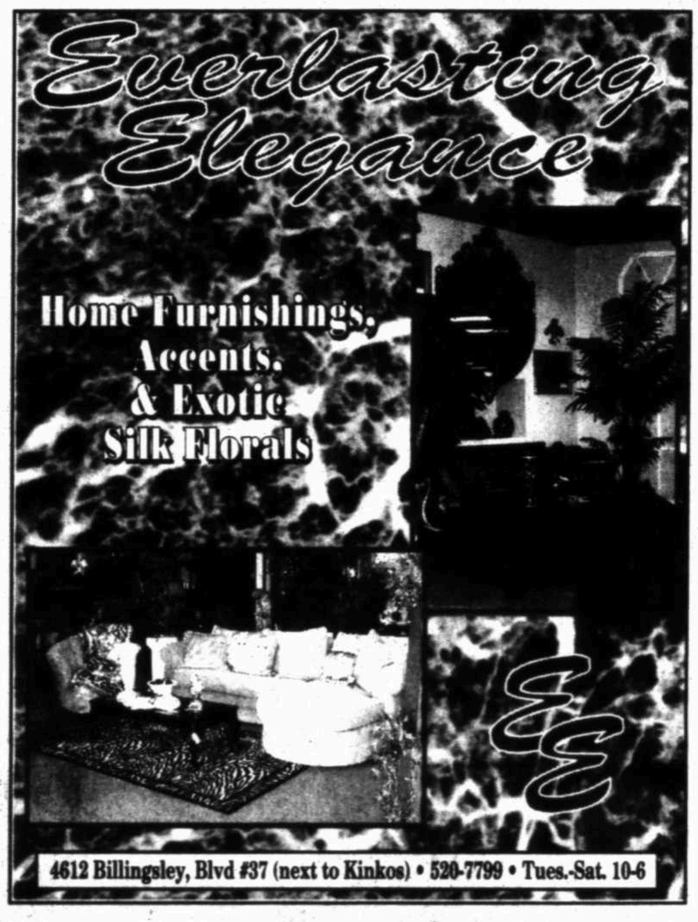

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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast

Today	Saturday	Sunday
Cloudy	Cloudy	Partly cloudy
High 61	High 59	High 55
Low 50	Low 41	Low 30

Today will be cloudy, breezy and cool. Highs will be in the 60s with a northeast wind at 15-25 mph, becoming gusty, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight's forecast calls for increasing cloudiness with a low near 50.

Saturday's forecast calls for cloudy skies with highs near 60, and a chance of rain. Saturday night should be cloudy and cool with a low near 40.

Sunday's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies, and a chance for showers with a low in the 30s and highs in the 50s.

After an overnight low of 59, Thursday's high was 93, compared to a record high of 98 from 1937. The record low of 36 was set in 1932.

Yesterday's precipitation

Rainfall Thursday	0.00 in.
Rainfall Wednesday	0.00 in.
Total for month	0.00 in.
Total for year	6.05 in.
Normal total (year to date)	12:35 in.

Yesterday's temperatures

High	93
Low	59
Normal high	81
Normal low	55

Sunrise ... 7:46 a.m.
Sunset ...7:26 p.m.

DEBATE: Pair square off in personal terms

(From 1A)

positive and know that I will love you no matter what your opponent says about you." Cheney replied that he too would avoid personal attacks, adding in a reference to Lieberman's recent performance on late night television, "I promise, Joe, not to bring up your singing."

But 70 minutes into the rivals' debate, the pair squared off in personal terms. Cheney took off his glasses for the first time, then stared and gestured at Lieberman as he argued that Gore had failed to forge bipartisan cooperation to get things done during his vice presidency.

Cheney echoed a contention of GOP presidential nominee George W. Bush that the Clinton-Gore administration had left many problems unattended.

Lieberman, a veteran of three decades in state and national politics, countered that Cheney "must be one of the few people who thinks that nothing has been accomplished during the last eight years."

Lieberman proudly cited 22 million new jobs and 4 million new businesses.

"The fact is promises were made and promises were kept. Did he deliver? Big time!" Lieberman added.

Lieberman lightheartedly told Cheney, "You're better off than you were eight years ago." Cheney joined the GOP ticket in July after leaving a Dallas-based oil field services firm with a $35 million golden parachute.

Cheney shot back: "I can tell you Joe that the government had absolutely nothing to do with it."

Lieberman, saying he could see his wife in the audience, said that she was probably thinking, "I wish he could go out into the private sector."

Cheney quickly interjected: "Well, I'm going to try to help you do that, Joe."

The audience of 1,500 broke out in laughter.

The Cheney-Lieberman showdown was held on the campus of Centre College, a small liberal arts college of 1,050 students founded in 1819 in Danville, a picturesque tree-lined community of 16,500 located in Kentucky's fabled bluegrass country known for horse breeding.

It was the nation's sixth debate between vice presidential nominees since 1976. Lieberman wore a suit with a white shirt and cranberry tie with regimental-style stripes; Cheney wore a dark business suit, a denim-blue colored shirt and a light blue tie flecked with dark spots.

The vice presidential encounters have not changed the outcome of a single election since nationally televised debates began. Yet the $181,400-a-year post remains a heartbeat away from the presidency and the surest way to reach the presidency for an ambitious politician, with 14 of the nation's vice presidents becoming president, including five since World War II.

Bush and Gore resume the debate chores in Winston-Salem, N.C., on Oct. 11 and in St. Louis on Oct. 17, before a final three week dash to Election Day on Nov. 7. Their first debate drew a paltry viewership of 46.5 million viewers — the third lowest audience of any presidential debate since 1976.

Cheney and Lieberman fought to boost their presidential nominees as latest surveys showed Gore building a wider lead over Bush, with margins ranging from 6 to 11 percentage points. A lone survey, the Voter.com/Battleground survey, gave Bush a 2 percentage point lead over Gore.

The state-by-state electoral count continued to narrow, with Gore leading in 22 states with 277 electoral votes and Bush leading in 27 states with 228 electoral votes. A candidate needs to win enough states to capture 270 electoral votes to win the presidency.

HONOR: Daughter earns master's degree despite amputation, dialysis

(From 1A)

ence:

"You are worthwhile. You are full of promise."

Growing up in five foster homes, he said those eight words, spoken to him by a social worker and by the office manager of the Albany Times-Union, where he began his newspaper career as an office boy, were, he said, major threads in the tapestry of his life.

Every family, every organization, every business has common threads, he said.

The first thread is illustrated by the mission of the center: "We will express God's love to hurting people."

By inspiring those they touch, he said, the center's staff and clients at the center inspire people to not choose the thread of darkness but the thread of light.

A second thread is the passion the staff of the center — of any organization, business or family — brings to what they do.

Another thread is that of imagination.

The father of five — four natural, one adopted — shared the story of his second daughter, who at age 14 was diagnosed with Ewing's Sarcoma, which required the amputation of her left leg. From age 14 to 28, Danzig said, his daughter has been out of hospitals and never known wellness. A year ago, her kidneys failed, requiring her to undergo five hours of dialysis treatment every other day.

Still, he said, she has earned a master's degree from Harvard, a second from the Sorbonne in Paris, is working toward a doctorate from Harvard and while undergoing dialysis wrote three childrens' books.

Last year, as he prepared to walk her down the aisle at her wedding, he told her how proud he was of how she was living her life, and she told him she had learned that imagination had no limits.

The final thread, he said, is that children need their parents to listen, understand and encourage.

"All hurting people touched by the center are the same as family members," he said. "The first thing you do is listen and then understand."

He concluded, "When you reach out in service and extend those threads, when you look into the eyes of your families, your children, those hurting people, those eyes in the mirror, those eyes say to each other: 'You are worthwhile. You are full of promise.'"

In addition to the Cameron family, the Morgan family of Big Spring and the Rybolt family of Odessa were honored. Vicki Cole of Big Spring and Dick Sivalls of Odessa were also recipients of Ethics in Business awards.

DEBT: MISD's recent enrollment count is 20,011

(From 1A)

million for building a new Midland High School; $23.43 million for remodeling and expanding Lee High School; $2 million for technology and equipment for both schools; $1.5 million for MHS site purchase and development; $500,000 for temporary classrooms during Lee's phased-in construction, and $5.67 million for professional fees, surveys, soil borings, construction-material testing, HVAC (heating, ventilating, air conditioning), and printing."

13-cent Tax Increase

Should the capital-construction bond issue be approved by the electorate, the MISD bonded indebtedness would be increased by $72.2-million to $132.2 million. The current MISD debt of $60 million includes the 1997 bond issue of $39.5 million for elementary-school renovations and technology-infrastructure updates on the district's 36 campuses.

Based on MISD's $4-billion tax base, 13 cents would bring in about $5 million per year toward paying off the debt's principal and interest.

Whether the 13 cents stays constant until the debt is paid off depends on fluctuations in taxable values — the tax base.

"That's assuming there's going to be no increase in property values," Martin said. Should property values increase, that 13 cents would be reduced to produce the same revenue toward paying off the debt.

"And that is also assuming we don't get any assistance from the state in the future," Martin said. "I would say that (13 cents) is a maximum increase" in the tax rate to pay off the new debt.

According to MISD's Communications Services, the tax increase from the new debt would not be passed onto the taxpayers until 2002. The increase in taxes on a $100,000 house would be $97.50 per year or $8.12 per month, according to MISD. The increase on a $50,000 house would be half of that.

Martin noted that the Citizens for Fiscal Responsibility (CFR) political action committee (PAC) that is campaigning to defeat the bond issue "wants to make a big point on the interest payments.

Interest Goes with Debt

"But that's no different than what you would do if you were to buy a house on a 30-year mortgage," Martin said. "When you buy a house on a 30-year mortgage, you are going to pay two to three times the amount of money that you borrowed."

CFR's counterpart is the PAC Our Kids, Our Schools, Our Future, which is promoting the bond issue.

Trustees hiked the Midland ISD 2000 tax rate by 4.48 percent to $1.639 from $1.5687 to generate about $64 million toward fueling the school district's budget for Fiscal Year 2000-2001. Its general-fund budget is $112 million, and the overall budget is $134.6 million.

MISD's recent enrollment count is 20,011 from kindergarten through the 12th grade and 20,603 including prekindergarten and Head Start.

The MISD current bonded indebtedness is higher than that of public schools in Odessa and Abilene but is lower than Lubbock ISD's $75.628 million debt. Lubbock ISD's annual budget is $207.4 million, and its enrollment is 29,090.

The Ector County (Odessa) ISD bonded indebtedness is $19.615 million, according to Bruce Revell, the school district's director of finance. However, that would change if voters approve a capital-improvements bond issue that is being considered by Ector County ISD trustees. The trustees are to weigh impact of a possible bond issue ranging from $50 million to $99 million for capital construction on the campuses, according to Ector County ISD spokeswoman Adela Vasques.

The Ector County ISD tax rate is $1.536 and is unchanged from last year. The school district's budget is $166 million, and school system's enrollment is 26,870 from kindergarten through the 12th grade.

Abilene ISD's bonded indebtedness is $14.8 million, according to a school official, and the district's budget is $126 million. Abilene's enrollment is 18,371. Its tax rate is $1.5751.

San Angelo ISD's debt is $45 million. The school district's current budget is $89.415 million. Its tax rate is $1.50654. The school system's projected enrollment is 16,200.

More Debt in Midland

Of the six taxing entities in Midland County, the city of Midland leads the others with an $88.33-million indebtedness, according to Deputy City Manager Glen Hackler. That debt includes the $35.9 million incurred in the 1999 referendum for a sales-tax-supported sports complex. The city tax rate is 65.1 cents, which is a slight decrease from last year's rate.

Greenwood ISD is debt free, according to Greenwood Business Manager Mark Rushing. Greenwood ISD recently paid off its capital-improvement bonded indebtedness. Its tax rate is $1.50, the maximum allowable for maintenance and operations (M&O).

Midland County's indebtedness is $7.98 million, according to County Auditor Carole Wayland, and is to be paid off by 2011. The county's tax rate is 27.5 cents, which is the same as last year's rate.

The Midland County Hospital District's debt totals $35 million, according to Larry Sanz, Midland Memorial Hospital's chief finance officer. The district tax rate is 15.71 cents, which is a slight increase from last year's rate.

Midland College's debt totals $7.7 million mostly in revenue bonds to finance dormitory construction, according to Richard Bender, MC's director of Accounting and Business Services. The college is free of general-obligation bond debt.

DEAL: Wimberley does not state asking price

(From 1A)

can come to a purchase agreement that will be equal or better than an eminent-domain cost," which, by law, is pegged at a fair-market price.

In negotiations this week, Meyers said that Wimberley had "indicated that if the bond issue passed, that he was going to get his own appraisal (of the tract), and we would talk again.

"That doesn't necessary indicate that we are close, far, or anything else," Meyers said. "As far as today, our (MISD) ability to buy that land from him at some price the school district is willing to pay — no. He (Wimberley) is right."

Wimberley held that the negotiations were not close.

The Midland Central Appraisal District has appraised the Wimberley land at $3,000 per acre or $234,000 for the 78-acre tract.

Wimberley did not cite his asking price.

But in a 1981 condemnation proceeding by the state of Texas and Midland County, 27 acres of Wimberley family property near the proposed MISD site was acquired for $286,575 in the early development of Loop 250. That would compute to about $10,614 per acre.

Of the MISD-expressed stance that eminent-domain proceedings had not been considered to condemn his land and acquire it at a fair-market price, Wimberley said, "That might be wrong, too.

"The way to make sure they don't use condemnation is to defeat that sucker (the bond issue)," he said. "They (MISD officials) are not giving me a break. So why should I give them a break?"

Wimberley noted that MISD or its agents had not contacted him about his land until after the MISD board of trustees had selected the Wimberley site for a new campus.

MISD Board President George Lara said later Thursday said that "The gentleman (Wimberley) has decided to wait to see what happens with the bond referendum before he commits himself to any numbers."

Meanwhile, MISD spokesman Barney Welch said on that "negotiations with the landowner, Mr. Loyd Wimberley, over the acquisition of the proposed new Midland High School site are ongoing."

He did note that "no option to purchase" the tract had been made in leading up the election.

Welch cited the property's tax-roll value of $3,000 per acre and said that "Mr. Wimberley was not prepared to set a final price on the land.

"As a result of the amount of public advice given to both the owner and the (would-be MISD) purchaser regarding the value of the property, both parties have agreed to continue the negotiations," Welch said.

Should the bond issue fail, Welch said that MISD trustees and staff would "have to look what our options are.

"We are going back to the drawing board if this bond (referendum) fails," Welch said. "We respect community input."

And should the bond issue be successful, "Obviously we are going to continue negotiations" for the Wimberley land. And if those fail, MISD officials will "have to see" how to proceed.

"The needs are not going away," Welch said of upgrading the MISD high school campuses. "The needs remains. We are optimistic that it is going to pass. We still have to prepare our students for the 21th Century. It is more expensive the longer we have to wait to do it."

HALL: CAF wants to provide venue for storytelling

(From 1A)

once.

He recalled one of those missions, telling of one cold February day in 1945 when his B-17 bomber was forced down over enemy territory by enemy flak. On that day, his once proud and powerful airplane suddenly became a fiery metal coffin, falling helplessly through a flak-torn sky toward an unknown field named in a foreign language.

"We had lost all of our hydraulics and oxygen. The intercom was out, so I went to the front," Wallace recalled.

The plane had been hit with so much flak that Wallace wasn't sure what to expect on his way to the nose of the plane. What he saw were images of death that would be with him from that moment on.

"Both of the waist-gunners were gone. We still don't know what happened to them," Wallace explained. "The ball-gunner was sitting very still in his turret, which had been shot up pretty badly. But when I grabbed him to help him out, his body was gone from the waist down."

The entire nose of the bomber had also been blown off, and as a result, the bombardier and navigator had been sucked out of the plane. "The co-pilot was in three separate pieces and the flight engineer was dead, too," Wallace said. "My pilot was alive, but his arm had been badly injured."

So by following oral instructions given to him by the pilot of the crippled Flying Fortress, Wallace, who had never flown an airplane before, crash-landed the bomber from the co-pilot's chair. "We made it to the ground alive," he said. "Unfortunately, I landed us right in the middle of a German tank battalion. When the plane came to a stop, I was literally looking directly into a cannon barrel."

What followed after Wallace's subsequent capture by the Germans was a series of psychological and physical abuses that Wallace seemed uncomfortable recalling. In one instance, Wallace was lined up in front of a mock firing squad and shot at with blanks.

Luckily, Wallace and four other captors were able to escape their prison camp by killing several guards and running away. "I killed one of the guards by using the rope they had tied my hands with as garrote wire," Wallace recalled. "I did it quickly, and after his neck snapped, the thousand yard stare he gave was my assurance that he was dead."

After being on the run and avoiding capture for two days, Wallace and his cohorts made it into Holland where they established contact with the Dutch underground, who helped return them to England.

Wallace was described by one CAF official as being, "a warrior's warrior." During his military career, Wallace served in World War II, Korea and Vietnam, earning three Silver Stars, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Soldiers Medal, four Bronze Stars and five Purple Hearts.

The CAF hopes that by honoring heroes such as Wallace and providing them with a venue to tell their stories, an awareness of their actions and sacrifices can be gained and learned from by future generations.

"These men are a treasure to us all," one attendee of the banquet was overheard saying. "We shouldn't ever forget what they did for us."

In addition to Wallace, others honored Thursday night included Captain Victor A. Agather, U.S. Army Air Forces; Major Richard I. Bong (posthumously), U.S. Army Air Forces; Major Kenneth H. Dahlberg, U.S. Army Air Forces; Col. Archie Donahue, U.S. Marine Corps; Col. Joe M. Jackson, U.S. Air Force; Col. Stanley W. "Swede" Vejtasa, U.S. Navy; U.S. Army Captain Jay Zeamer; and The Tuskegee Airmen Combat Unit.

BANQUET: New board is sworn in

(From 1A)

■ Creating more procurement opportunities. "We're looking at agreements with major companies we buy from to in turn do business with us," Gonzales said. "As we leverage our dollars we need to make sure we're getting dollars back."

■ Creating more access to capital for Hispanic businesses. "We don't spend enough money with each other," Gonzales said. "In the Jewish community money circulates seven times before it goes out. Asian-American communities: eight to nine times. The Hispanic community? We're lucky if it hits half a cycle. We need to do business with each other."

■ Improving education. Gonzales referred to the impending vote this Saturday for a $72.2 million bond issuance that would pay for a new Midland High and renovations to Lee High. "Education is a no brainer," he said. "At the drop of a hat you'll build a new stadium (Scharbauer Sports Complex) but you question whether you should build a new school?"

The evening concluded with the swearing in of the new board of directors for the Hispanic Chamber. Diana Cano has replaced Madeline Garcia as chairman of the board. Ms. Cano closed the banquet with words of optimism and a message of "We will move forward."

"I'm confident that with the help of MCHH staff and the board we can make Midland an even better place than it is today," she concluded.

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Plea agreement possible in Big Spring murder case

By Brian Rogers
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — Defense attorney John Young said Thursday that a plea agreement could be reached by next Wednesday in the Big Spring case against his client, David Martinez.

Martinez is accused of killing three people and wounding a fourth in June.

"There are several alternatives in this situation and it's likely that a resolution will be reached soon," said Young, who hopes his client can avoid the death penalty in the capital murder case.

Hardy Wilkerson, the Howard County District attorney, would not comment on any negotiations between his office and Martinez's attorney, but said, "There have been attempts at negotiations in this case, as in all criminal cases."

Vicki Green, 24, was the sole survivor of the alleged attack, and identified Martinez as the shooter, according to police reports.

Martinez's mother-in-law Simona Hollingsworth, 39, Janie Mendez, 56, and Chris Delgado, 21, were killed in the attack.

The trial has been scheduled tentatively for early next year. Although Wilkerson could not comment on whether he would seek the death penalty, he did say he personally advocates that form of punishment. "But it's a decision made with a lot of thought to the circumstances."

He also said, "When you seek the death penalty, it involves a lot more time, money and resources than other capital crime cases."

"A death penalty case is very expensive, and I believe it's likely that another resolution can be reached," Young said, adding, "David (Martinez) is a 17-year-old boy with a five-month-old child and another on the way. Anytime we can take lethal injection out of the equation, I think it's a good idea."

Young also said that although additional indictments had been handed down against his client in September, alternatives could still be reached.

"I would be very surprised to see this case go to trial," Young said.

State agrees to settle lawsuit

AUSTIN (AP) — State officials have agreed on Thursday to pay $99,000 to settle a lawsuit against Gov. George W. Bush and the Department of Public Safety filed last year by a group of environmentalists who were arrested for protesting on the sidewalk around the governor's mansion.

The settlement, which does not list Bush as a party although he was mentioned by name in the lawsuit, also restores the public's right to demonstrate outside the governor's mansion.

Environmentalists, standing across the street from the mansion and waiving anti-pollution signs, hailed the settlement as an important victory for free speech and criticized Bush for his role in their arrest.

Houston Attorney John O'Quinn said at a news conference that although Bush was not listed in the settlement, the settlement will not be finalized until Bush signs off on it.

Bush spokeswoman Linda Edwards said that as governor, Bush must sign off on nearly all settlements that involve state agencies and money from the state treasury. She added that Bush has made no agreements, payments or other concessions in the settlement signed with DPS.

The lawsuit, which alleged Bush and the DPS violated the free speech rights of the protesters, accused Bush of giving state troopers "unbridled discretion" to target protesters picketing in front of the mansion on the sidewalk.

Bush aides have defended the arrests, saying the protesters strayed from a designated protest area.

The arrests took place four times — March 11, March 29, April 19 and May 25 — when the environmentalists were protesting Bush's ties to big business. In each case, the Travis County's district attorney's office dropped charges of blocking an entry.

The lawsuit claimed that previous governors of both parties allowed protesters to picket on the sidewalk in front of the mansion, but the rules changed when Bush decided to run for president. Then, the lawsuit says, environmentalists protesting Bush were arrested, but Bush supporters were allowed to continue their demonstrations.

Edwards also said the plaintiffs should never have named Bush in their lawsuit because they were contesting DPS policies, something Bush has no control over.

"The governor and the governor's office have everything to do with what happened before and with what is happening now," said Rick Abraham, executive director of Texans United.

Abraham was one of those arrested.

AP Photo

Dierdre Tinker, foreground, stands with Rick Abraham, left, and speaks during a news conference across from the Governor's Mansion on Thursday in Austin.

Unprecedented trip for presidential portraits begins in College Station

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — For the first time ever, the nation's presidents — all 42 of them — are out of Washington.

The presidential portraits from the Smithsonian's National Portrait Gallery go on public display beginning Friday at the George Bush Presidential Library at Texas A&M University to start a more than two-year national tour while their normal home at the much-visited Hall of Presidents in Washington undergoes renovation.

"It's unprecedented to do this," Marc Pachter, director of the National Portrait Gallery, said Thursday while last-minute preparations were being made for the exhibition. "This is the chance to get these where people live.

The journey of the presidents actually began about five years ago when plans began to renovate the Smithsonian portrait gallery.

Patricia Burchfield, curator of the Bush Library and Museum, got wind of the project and began a campaign to get the portraits.

"We would have been idiots to think it was not a good idea," Pachter said.

"I'm incredibly delighted this is here," said Burchfield, pushing around a tool cart while making adjustments to some of the 61 paintings, sculptures, photographs and other likenesses of the nation's chief executives from George Washington to Bill Clinton. "This is a real thrill."

Two tractor-trailer. trucks arrived a month ago and it took a week to just unpack the priceless exhibition and make sure everything made it to Texas in one piece.

"You think: Oh my God! These are one of a kind. We've got to protect them from damage and make sure we're dealing with organizations who know their value," Pachter said. "If we lost the paintings — which isn't going to happen — but if we lost them we'd lose our soul."

The works range from a larger-than-life black-and-white photographic close-up of President Clinton's profile to a relatively small Norman Rockwell painting of a smiling Richard Nixon, at ease with one hand on hi. chin and his other resting on the back of a chair.

Lyndon Johnson, in a portrait he termed "the ugliest thing I ever saw," carries a history book with the Capitol behind him.

A vibrant but pensive Abraham Lincoln, in a piece finished after his assassination, rests his chin in his hands while seated in a chair, his long legs crossed. The likeness has no background. But a photograph of Lincoln, displayed with it, clearly shows on his face the stress of running the country during the Civil War.

Dwight Eisenhower is shown in his general's uniform in a painting before his election. A young Thomas Jefferson, in what's believed to be his first portrait, is painted in London while he was American minister to France.

Bush Library and Museum officials expect the number of visitors, averaging some 7,000 a month, will double during the exhibition, which closes Jan. 15.

The portraits then go to the Truman Presidential Library in Missouri, Ford in Michigan and Reagan in California, followed by stops at museums in Memphis, Tenn., and Raleigh, N.C., before winding up in Richmond, Va., late in 2002.

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Cornyn promotes Texas Exile program

By Mark Babineck
Associated Press

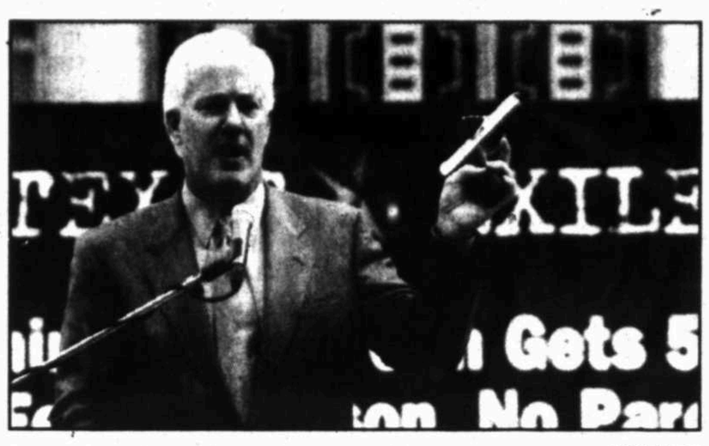
HOUSTON — Displaying one of more than 850 guns confiscated during the year-old Texas Exile program, Attorney General John Cornyn Thursday said the effort has so far been successful, though local prosecutors balked at participating.

The state-federal partnership, fueled by a $1.6 million grant approved by Gov. George W. Bush last year, is designed to snare criminals with guns and send their cases to federal court.

"In the short time we've been in action, we've had more than 450 arrests, 371 indictments and 154 convictions," Cornyn said at a news conference on the steps of City Hall.

Success has come "not by passing new laws, but by enforcing tough gun laws we already have on the books," said Cornyn, showing off a pistol confiscated by an area methamphetamine dealer imprisoned under the program.

Alongside Cornyn, a Republican supporter of Bush's presidential bid, was Mayor Lee Brown, a Democrat who campaigns for Vice President Al Gore.



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Texas Attorney General John Cornyn holds up a gun confiscated from a convicted drug dealer under the Texas Exile program during a rally marking the first anniversary of the program Thursday in Houston. Texas Exile is a crime-control initiative that utilizes existing state and federal gun laws designed to get to the root cause of gun violence — criminals who illegally use and carry weapons. Those convicted of a gun crime can add at least five years of jail time to their sentence.

Brown said felons throughout Texas need to know if they are caught with a gun, they're headed to prison.

"Habitual, violent offenders are essentially exiled from our city," Brown said.

Absent from the news conference was vacationing Harris County District Attorney John B. Holmes Jr.

Holmes, who is retiring from office after two decades, deems Texas Exile unnecessary at best and an unconstitutional intrusion of federal power at worst.

"The police can go to the federal prosecutors if they want, but I'm not going to screen their cases," Holmes said last year when the program began. "And I don't believe the Legislature needs a lesson from the feds."

Before the news conference, Holmes heir apparent Chuck Rosenthal said he would assist Texas Exile if he wins office next month.

Despite being the state's largest county, Harris County's 78 indictments and 36 convictions trail Tarrant County's 102 indictments and 47 gun convictions under the program. Cornyn explained that Fort Worth-area prosecutors began pursuing felon-gun cases before their counterparts elsewhere.

U.S. Justice Department manpower and other resources were necessary for the program to be effective, Cornyn said, adding that federal sentences are firmer than those in state courts.

"Structurally, the federal gun laws are different, and because of federal sentencing guidelines there is no probation or no parole. It's literally hard time," Cornyn said in an interview after a noontime shower cut the event short.

"It provides a significant disincentive to criminals who might otherwise carry guns."

Nueces County lawyer fired in wake of jail death lawsuit

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — The Nueces County lawyer who defended the county jail in a wrongful death lawsuit has been fired.

Tyner Little represented the county in the case of Andrew Sokolinski, an oil worker who died in the jail three years ago. Sokolinski's heart stopped after he was pepper-sprayed and left in a restraint chair.

Nueces County paid Sokolinski's father $1.1 million in an August settlement. County taxes will rise next year to pay for the litigation.

County attorney Laura Garza Jimenez refused to give a reason for Little's dismissal, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times reported.

A second wrongful death lawsuit involving the jail is expected to go to trial next year.

Bobby Stuart was found unconscious in a restraint chair after being arrested for public intoxication last year. Stuart was later pronounced dead.

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Yugoslav regime appears to collapse after day of revolt

By Dusan Stojanovic
Associated Press

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia — Mobs seeking to topple Slobodan Milosevic turned their fury on his centers of power Thursday, leaving parliament and other key Belgrade sites in shambles and flames. The 13-year rule of the Yugoslav president appeared to have collapsed.

Opposition leader Zoran Djindjic said Milosevic was holed up near the eastern town of Bor, some 50 miles southeast of the capital, near the border with Romania and Bulgaria. He said Milosevic had not been in touch with the opposition camp.

"As of today, Serbia is again a democratic nation," declared an opposition leader, Nebojsa Covic, referring to Yugoslavia's main republic. "It belongs to all of us, to Europe and to the world."

By nightfall the crowd's fury was spent as the symbols of Milosevic's power — police stations, state media — had fallen to the opposition. Huge crowds wandered the streets and gathered in the squares celebrating their apparent victory.

Opposition leaders, including some former senior military officers, appealed to the armed forces to support their candidate, Vojislav Kostunica.

Earlier in the day, hundreds of thousands of people swarmed through the capital to demand that Milosevic accept his apparent electoral defeat by Kostunica in the Sept. 24 election. The uprising developed with stunning speed, swelling as security forces showed little willingness to battle the largest anti-Milosevic protest ever.

Some police who did fire on demonstrators were beaten, as was the director of Serbian state television, Dragoljub Milanovic, one of Milosevic's closest allies. He was punched, kicked and pummeled with sticks as he tried to flee the television station.

The government's Tanjug news agency, which defected to the opposition, said two people were killed and 65 injured in the rioting. All but 12 of the injured were treated and released from hospitals, Tanjug said.

Many police put down their clubs and joined flag-waving crowds as they surged across central Belgrade through clouds of tear gas. As demonstrators charged and riot police cowered behind helmets and shields, the federal parliament building, the state broadcasting center and police stations fell in quick succession.

A member of the Yugoslav secret service "Unit for Special Operations" riding on a military vehicle kisses the hand of an orthodox priest Thursday, in Belgrade, Yugoslavia. The unit decided to support the opposition after crowds took control of the parliament building while columns of protesters streamed into the capital for a mass rally claiming electoral fraud by the ruling coalition led by President Slobodan Milosevic in the Sept. 24 presidential election against Vojislav Kostunica.
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Protesters tossed documents and portraits of Milosevic through the broken windows of the parliament complex. Smoke billowed from the building and from the state television headquarters nearby.

Elsewhere in the country, thousands more people joined smaller rallies in a number of towns.

"What we are doing today is making history," Kostunica proclaimed during an evening speech in front of Belgrade city hall, across from parliament.

The opposition's domino-like successes did not fully erase fear that Milosevic could strike back.

"The most critical moments are not over," said Vuk Obradovic, a former general turned opposition leader. "It is very important that people stay in the streets."

Kostunica asked supporters continue demonstrating until dawn to try to block any possible counterattack by the military.

Tens of thousands heeded his call and roamed about in impromptu celebrations well past midnight.

Kostunica also appealed to people from the countryside to stream into Belgrade for rallies today.

"We call on the military and police to do everything to ensure a peaceful transition of power," he said.

The crowd chanted for Milosevic's arrest.. Kostunica answered: "He doesn't need to be arrested. He arrested himself a long time ago."

At the White House, President Clinton said: "The people are trying to get their country back." British Prime Minister Tony Blair said of Milosevic: "Your time is up. Go now."

Commenting on the possibility that Milosevic could strike back, National Security Adviser Sandy Berger said: "There are a lot of rumors swirling around and I would take them all with a certain grain of salt at this point. Again, we have no reason at this stage to believe that he's not still in Serbia."

A statement from Milosevic's Socialist Party of Serbia in the early hours of the clashes said it would "fight against violence and destruction" with "all its force and in all state institutions." No further statement was made.

A former Yugoslav army chief of staff, retired Gen. Momcilo Perisic, appealed to the armed forces to support the democratic forces. He said what was left of the police force had already agreed not to attack people "unless they break into public buildings and cause damage."

During an interview on state television, Kostunica said he envisions a democratic Serbia that has normal relations with other countries and does not suffer under diplomatic sanctions.

The United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions against the Milosevic regime for several years. But French Foreign Minister Hubert Vedrine said France, which holds the rotating EU presidency, is "taking the necessary steps" for the EU to reconsider the sanctions as soon as Monday.

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Astronomers find 18 planet-sized objects in star field

WASHINGTON (AP) — Scientists are rethinking some basic theories about planets after astronomers found 18 planet-sized gas balls drifting free in a star field some 1,200 light years from Earth.

Experts wonder whether faint objects of this size, which have never before been detected, are failed stars or planets without a sun, said Maria Rosa Zapatero Osorio of California Institute of Technology in Pasadena, Calif.

"Everybody agrees with our mass determination of these objects, but what we should call them is not decided yet," said Osorio. "There is a nomenclature problem."

Osorio is lead author of a study appearing today in the journal Science.

The objects don't meet the classic definition of a planet because they are free-floating and nomadic instead of being locked into the orbit of a star, like the Earth and its sister planets in the solar system.

The smallest of the 18 objects has mass equal to 5 to 8 Jupiters, the largest is 13 to 15 Jupiter masses. This puts the largest on the edge of being a brown dwarf, an object between 15 and 75 times the mass of Jupiter.

"We have observed them in the very early stages of evolution," said Osorio.

Jupiter, the largest planet in the solar system, has a mass 318 times greater than the Earth. The sun, which is a star, has a mass about 333,000 times greater than the Earth.

The planet-like bodies are in a star cluster within the constellation Orion, about 1,200 light years away. A light year is the distance light travels in a year in a vacuum, about 6 trillion miles.

Osorio said the planet-like bodies she found could be "failed stars," objects that formed independently but never got big enough to become a star or even a brown dwarf.

Stars are thought to be created when clouds of matter are gravitationally attracted to each other and form a growing ball of gas. When enough mass is collected, the pressure inside is great enough to fuse hydrogen atoms and start the nuclear fires that give stars their light and heat.

A brown dwarf forms in the same way, but never collects quite enough mass to ignite the hydrogen fusion furnace of a star. Instead it has a dull glow from burning an isotope of hydrogen that takes less energy to fuse.

Osorio said the objects she found may be smaller versions of the brown dwarf and their faint light comes only from the heat of formation.

Eventually, the heat from the gravitational collapse will cool and the objects will no longer be detectable from Earth, she said.

Osorio said it is assumed the objects are about the age of the Sigma Orionis star cluster in which they were found, about five million years.

Spectrographic readings, which analyze the light from celestial sources, indicated the objects have the chemistry and temperature of young giant planets, and not that of brown dwarfs, she said.

Joan R. Najita, an astronomer at the National Optical Astronomy Observatory in Tucson, Ariz., said the discoveries by Osorio and her team are significant and are apt to kick off an intensified search for such objects by other astronomers.

Najita said a brown dwarf study by her team at the NOAO had suggested there could be small, drifting objects in distant star fields. The Osorio paper confirms that, she said.

Najita, Osorio and others said the existence of the small, nomadic planets challenges the traditional ideas for how bodies form in space. One possibility, they said, is the objects originally formed around some star and were then kicked aimlessly wandering by some gravitational disruption, such as the tug of another star or of another planet.

About 50 planets outside the solar system have been detected by astronomers, but all of these objects are in orbit of distant stars. In fact, these planets have not been seen directly, but detected through the gravitational effect they have on the host stars.

The objects reported by Osorio and her team were viewed directly.

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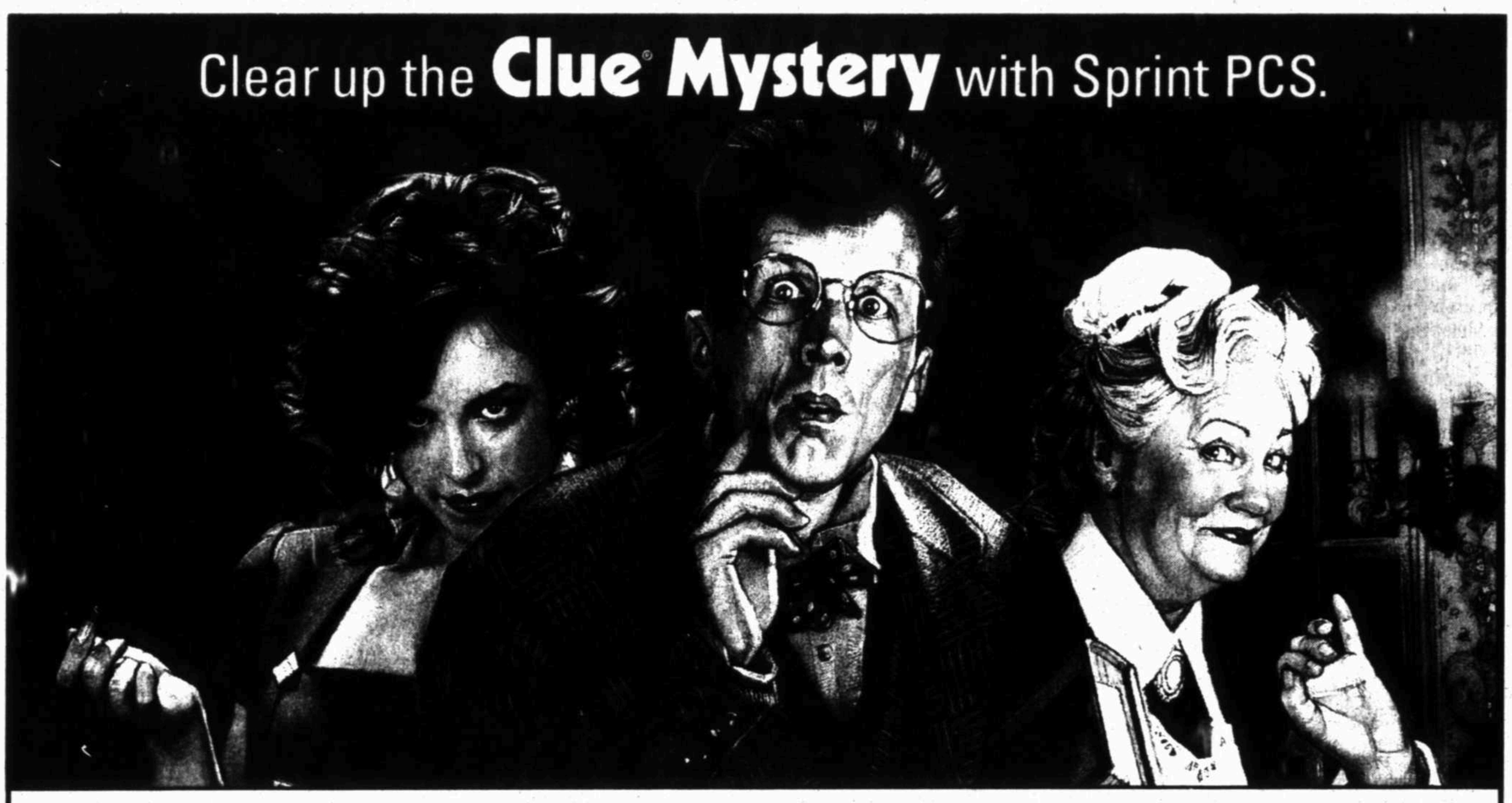

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Fasken Foundation adds financial backing to ATC

The Advanced Technology Center is another $200,000 closer to meeting its private financing goals.

Midland College President David Daniel has done a great job of exciting donors about the prospects of the ATC, which is jointly operated by the college and the Midland Independent School District.

The latest grant comes from the Fasken Foundation. Since 1955, the foundation chartered by Andrew Fasken, Murray Fasken and William B. Neely has given back $18 million to the people and community of Midland. Additionally, the foundation has helped almost 5,000 Permian Basin young people attend college with grants and scholarships. The Fasken Foundation's philanthropic focus has been and will continue to be Midland in general and educational and benevolent endeavors specifically, the foundation's leaders have said.

The Fasken Foundation through its generosity has given another vote of confidence for the future of the ATC.

The ATC has already begun offering sophisticated computer training to students from the college and from our public high schools.

We know that developing a skilled, highly trained workforce will be a key to the long-term economic success of our community. Companies looking for cities in which to locate want to see a pool of knowledgeable workers ready to take on challenging new jobs.

As has been pointed out many times, the new economy demands employees who are computer literate and understand the power of technology.

Job training at the ATC includes computer networking, computer integrated manufacturing, computer graphics, building trades, electronics, business computer applications, computer programming, automotive technology, welding technology and computer maintenance and repair.

The center provides training in four areas: to MISD high school students, to Midland College students in one-year training programs, to Midland College students in two-year associate degree programs and in the fourth area of workforce training.

In addition to the grant from the Fasken Foundation, ATC has already won funding from Wagner & Brown and the Abell-Hanger Foundation.

Over the years to come, the ATC is likely to serve as a cornerstone as a build a new economic future for our community. It's a tremendous facility and it's great to see the ATC winning financial backing as it continues to gear up to meet the challenges of tomorrow.

Today in History

Today is Friday, Oct. 6, the 280th day of 2000. There are 86 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Oct. 6, 1927, the era of talking pictures arrived with the opening of "The Jazz Singer," starring Al Jolson, a movie which featured both silent and sound-synchronized scenes.

On this date:

In 1884, the Naval War College was established in Newport, R.I.

In 1889, the Moulin Rouge in Paris first opened its doors to the public.

In 1891, Charles Stewart Parnell, the "Uncrowned King of Ireland," died in Brighton, England.

In 1939, in an address to the Reichstag, Adolf Hitler denied having any intention of war against France and Britain.

In 1979, Pope John Paul II, on a weeklong U.S. tour, became the first pontiff to visit the White House, where he was received by President Carter.

In 1981, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat was shot to death by extremists while reviewing a military parade.

In 1983, Cardinal Terence Cooke, the spiritual head of the Archdiocese of New York, died at age 62.

Ten years ago: President Bush vetoed stopgap spending legislation passed by Congress following the collapse of a deficit-reducing budget agreement. The space shuttle Discovery blasted off on a four-day mission.

Five years ago: Boeing Co.'s largest group of union workers went on a 69-day strike after voting down a new three-year contract offer. President Clinton delivered an address in which he defended his stewardship of U.S. foreign policy and spoke out against what he said was a spreading mood of isolationism.

One year ago: In Mexico, furious rains sent swollen rivers raging through the streets of the Gulf coast city of Villahermosa and caused mudslides; dozens of deaths were reported in eastern Mexico's coastal mountain ranges. The NFL awarded its newest franchise to Houston instead of Los Angeles, leaving the second-largest TV market in the nation without a football team.

William Safire

Bush wins presidential debate by not losing

WASHINGTON — Because he surprised the undecideds by fighting his more experienced debate opponent to a draw, George W. Bush won Round One.

To those few of us who are human-rights interventionists, Al Gore was not only more sure-footed in demeanor but more sensible about the need for the United States to apply pressure to remove Slobodan Milosevic after the Yugoslav election. Whichever of Bush's policy advisers suggested that we turn to Russia's Vladimir Putin as a mediator did the GOP candidate a disservice. Gore, who should be on the defensive about his trust-Russia record, deftly took advantage of the opening.

Safire

Contrariwise, Bush belted Gore all over the ring on accountability in education. The Texas governor was both well versed and passionate; his sincerity was in contrast to the vice president's cornball use of a letter from a Florida parent complaining that a daughter had no desk to sit at in class. (A local radio reporter then found out that the Sarasota classroom was crowded that day because $100,000 in new lab equipment had just been moved in. Live by folksy anecdotes, die by folksy anecdotes.)

Gore again put on display his compulsion to exaggerate. Republicans call it "the flaming whopper": after Bush complimented the Federal Emergency Management Agency for its response to fires raging in Texas in 1998, Gore blurted, "I accompanied (FEMA Director) James Lee Witt down to Texas when those fires broke out." Not true; Gore went without Witt, said a few words about the fires at the Houston airport, and continued on to a trial lawyer's fund-raiser, one of those events he likes to call "donor-related community outreach."

Abortion should have been Gore's strongest suit, but Bush put him on the defensive by raising its most extreme form. Gore responded, "On the issue of partial-birth or so-called late-term abortion" (he meant to say "late-term or so-called partial birth abortion"), "I would sign a law banning that procedure, provided that doctors have the ability to save a woman's life or to act if her health is severely at risk."

Note that insertion of severely. The loophole that pro-choicers want is "health," which would allow a woman late in pregnancy to say that birth would cause her stress. By adding "severely," Gore may upset some of his absolutist followers, but he shrewdly moves closer to the majority of voters who disapprove of the late-term procedure.

An unremarked zinger was Bush's "I don't know where the vice president stands" on tearing down hydroelectric dams in the Northwest, as fish-protectors want and job-protectors oppose. Gore ignored that and continues to straddle, but the heat is now on for him to decide, which will cost him crucial votes in the swing states of Washington and Oregon.

Bush missed a chance to counterpunch when Gore, with his lifelong pipeline to Occidental Petroleum, went into his populist riff blaming "the big oil companies" for oil prices. Bush failed to nail Gore for his election-time flip-flop on dipping into the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

But here I am scoring the debate on debating points when the political impact of the contest is on general impression.

Gore programmed himself not to appear programmed, but the relentless robot showed through. Not thrice but 10 times on this Rialto did he repeat "the wealthiest 1 percent," his rallying cry of class warfare. Bush's riposte was to point out that his across-the-board tax cuts would benefit the lower middle class more than Gore's more modest tax plan, but that appeal to the already-decideds failed to register.

What did come across was a certain amiable niceness, or even gentlemanliness, in Bush's demeanor even as he imputed phoniness to Gore's numbers, lack of credibility to his character and "totally false!" to his attacks. Bush proved he is not the caricature drawn of him.

Gore was undeniably a commanding presence, interrupting, demanding more time, reciting a series of hot-button points, to the brink of bullying both opponent and moderator (though Jim Lehrer kept equal-time discipline). That impulse to domineer probably helped the vice president with men, hurt him with women.

Offstage, Gore is a serious man of parts, but the part I didn't like in this debate was his mugging as his opponent was speaking. The eye-rolling, snorting, head-shaking, moaning, derisive displays of disbelief struck me as puerile and disrespectful.

In all, two men with profound differences stood toe to toe, and Bush stunned detractors by holding his own. By not losing, he "won." In Rounds Two and Three, he will have to win to win.

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Helen Thomas

Reporters love being in the middle of it all

WASHINGTON — Reporters have a saying: "The only thing worse than being on a campaign is not being on a campaign."

The quadrennial workout for political reporters is both exhausting and exhilarating. You really have to be there, dogging a candidate, listening attentively to the familiar stump speech — known to reporters as "The Speech" — and watching for a new twist or a slip of the tongue. Those things do happen, much to the distress of the spin-doctors and spokespersons who prefer to see reporters in a soporific state when gaffes are committed.

Thomas

Candidates like to have a big press entourage in tow but they don't want reporters to muddy the candidate's message of the day by asking questions.

Laura Bush, wife of Gov. George W. Bush, commented after her husband's boffo appearance on "Oprah" that he was well received because his remarks did not go through a "press filter."

Barbara Bush often claimed that press coverage had a lot to do with President Bush's defeat in 1992.

Blaming the messenger is par for the course.

Both Bush and Vice President Al Gore got a lift with those humanizing appearances on popular TV talk shows. We now know that Bush likes peanut butter sandwiches and his wife had a difficult pregnancy when their twin daughters were born. Gore's appearance on the show also enlightened us with similar trivia.

You can't blame the candidates for liking softball questions. Actually, Oprah gave it a college try in her interview when she pressed Bush about anything in his past that he "needed forgiveness" about.

"I'm looking for specifics," she said.

Bush retorted: "I know you are. But I'm running for president."

Candidates should be pinned down on their grandiose campaign promises but it's not that easy.

In the 1968 campaign, Richard Nixon stumped across the country with a message the country wanted to hear. He said he had a plan to end the Vietnam War. Reporters who inquired about the plan were kept at bay. Four years after he moved into the White House, the war was still tearing the country apart and the United States was still bombing Hanoi.

Had his impossible plan — to turn the war over to the South Vietnamese — been revealed, the outcome of that election might have been different.

Generally speaking, Gore has been elusive to reporters, going for two months, from July 17 to mid-September, without meeting the press. More recently, however, he has had a couple of 20-minute chats with reporters.

But the name of the candidate's game is to "stay on message." If they have the discipline to do that, the media will have to report that message.

Bush often wanders to the back of his chartered plane to banter off-the-record with the press and exchange high fives. He anoints the regulars with nicknames.

Bush also relies heavily on his towering spokeswoman, Karen Hughes, who is a major player on his team.

Gore's spokesman, the wiry Chris Lehane, takes the press in stride. When a stop seems particularly dull, a reporter will coax, "Come on Chris, give us some spin" and out pours a press release.

For reporters it is "pack journalism." They are all in it together. To stay in touch they carry cell phones, laptops and palm pilots. After days of non-stop campaigning, they gripe about having to have their bags in the lobby at 5 a.m. and the other hassles of constant travel. But a veteran correspondent observed that whenever they feel that way, the traveling reporters realize there are hundreds of others out there who would love to take their places and they consider themselves lucky.

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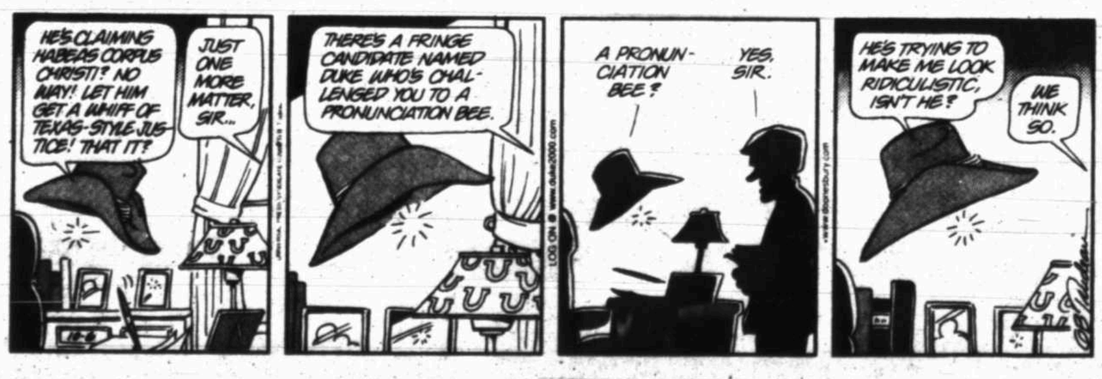

Charley Reese

All candidates should be part of debates

The Commission on Presidential Debates is really an establishment front designed to silence political dissent.

That is precisely its purpose in excluding Ralph Nader, the presidential candidate for the Green Party; Pat Buchanan, the presidential candidate for the Reform Party; and Harry Browne, the presidential candidate of the Libertarian Party.

The commission's message to the American people is that you can debate issues within the narrow parameters set by the corporate establishment that runs this country. You may not even hear any discussions that are outside those boundaries.

Reese

And, of course, Al Gore and George W. Bush are engaged in a debate over the details of establishment policies. Their main difference is their character, and given the character of Gore, that is sufficient reason to vote for Bush.

Nevertheless, both Buchanan and Nader have much to say that the American public needs to hear. Buchanan does a good job of challenging the blind support of managed trade disguised as free trade. Nader presents a strong case against corporate welfare and the need for tougher laws to deal with corporate miscreants. Browne can explain the philosophy of the Founding Fathers.

All three men have much sounder ideas about what U.S. foreign policy should be than either of the two major candidates. It would be highly instructive and possibly beneficial for Nader to hold Gore's feet to the left side of the fire while Buchanan gives Bush a hot-foot on the right side of the fire.

As for the commission's rule that only candidates who can show 15 percent of support are eligible, that's stuff and nonsense. Federal law requires only 5 percent to qualify for public campaign funds. Why triple that? And why restrict a full and free discussion of all the issues facing this country? It would not cost the corporate sponsors one extra penny to include Buchanan, Browne and Nader, and it would certainly liven up the debate and attract a larger audience.

Naturally, the standard tactic of the establishment has always been to label non-establishment people as "fringe people," or people whose ideas are completely off the wall. That, however, is merely a people-control tactic. It's an illegitimate claim.

Browne, Nader and Buchanan are demonstrably more intellectual and men of more substance than either Gore or Bush. Nader and Buchanan could both spot their mainstream opponents 10 points of IQ and still come out ahead. Nader and Buchanan are better-educated and far-more-serious thinkers than either Gore or Bush.

To make them a part of the next two debates, I would suggest you protest to the Commission on Presidential Debates (www.debates.org or 202-872-1020). It probably won't do any good, but it certainly won't hurt to let these nabobs know that you are on to their game and don't approve of it.

Nader is smart enough to know he can't win, but he is quite sincere and quite correct in taking the position that a good vote for him would help establish the Green Party as a viable political alternative.

The same can't be said for Buchanan. The Reform Party, if it can even be called a party, is a collection of libertarians and other assorted rejectors of the political parties. I doubt seriously it will survive this year's run, and I'm even more certain this is the last hurrah for Buchanan as a candidate.

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Ethics committee charges congressman violated rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House ethics committee rebuked powerful committee chairman Bud Shuster on Thursday for "serious official misconduct" but spared him from harsher penalties for accepting improper gifts, favoring a lobbyist and misusing congressional staff for politics.

An unrepentant Shuster, R-Pa., whose Transportation Committee controls funding for the nation's highways, mass transit and airports, dismissed the action in a written response as "overkill." Shuster maintained that he "complied with the law and with his understanding of what was right."

The colleagues who investigated Shuster and his ties to lobbyist Ann Eppard pronounced themselves "disturbed" by the lawmaker's defiance. They cited evidence that he allowed Eppard, after she resigned as Shuster's chief of staff in 1994, to continue lobbying him on behalf of her clients and accepted a Christmas vacation trip to Puerto Rico from interests she represented.

The response "is one of blame-shifting and trivializing of misconduct to which you have admitted.... You committed substantial violations," Committee Chairman Lamar Smith, R-Texas, and Rep. Howard Berman, D-Calif., wrote in the letter of reprimand.

In a House floor speech before several dozen colleagues Thursday, Shuster explained why he negotiated the letter of reprimand: "I accept the findings to stop the hemorrhaging of legal fees to put this behind us."

The "letter of reproval" was the mildest penalty the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct could deliver, and it spared Shuster and the lawmakers whose transportation projects are affected by his committee from a vote on the House floor.

In contrast, the full House in January 1997 gave then-Speaker Newt Gingrich a formal reprimand for ethics violations and slapped him with a $300,000 penalty.

The letter to Shuster concluded the 14-term lawmaker "brought discredit" to the House and "engaged in serious official misconduct through the violations to which you have admitted under penalty of perjury."

The case focused on Shuster's relationship with Eppard.

Their relationship "created the appearance" of a conflict of interest, the committee found, not only because of Eppard's lobbying but because even after leaving government, she served in an unofficial role in deciding who got to meet with the chairman.

Eppard represented transportation clients including Amtrak, Conrail, the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission, Federal Express Corp., the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority and the Outdoor Advertising Association of America.

The committee also concluded that Shuster violated standards of conduct by:

■ Allowing two of Eppard's clients to pay for luxurious villas for the lawmaker and his family in the 1995 Puerto Rico trip. The committee found Shuster's participation in official business during the trip was "extremely limited" and did not justify private sponsors.

Members of Congress cannot accept gifts in any calendar year totaling more than $250, an amount the committee said Shuster far exceeded.

■ Authorizing and-or accepting Eppard's scheduling and advisory services on official matters for approximately 18 months after she resigned from his congressional office. Lawmakers are prohibited from accepting private support for official activities.

■ Allowing employees in his congressional office to work for his campaign committee to the "apparent detriment" of their congressional business.

■ Creating the appearance, through poor record-keeping, that between 1993 and 1998 certain campaign committee expenditures may not have been for bona fide campaign or political purposes. Shuster used campaign funds for "political meetings" or similar events "on more than 675 occasions, totaling approximately $300,000," the committee found. The lawmaker also used some $400,000 in campaign funds for private chartered airplane flights.

Members are prohibited from converting campaign funds to personal use in excess of "legitimate and verifiable campaign expenditures."

The Congressional Accountability Project, an organization founded by Ralph Nader, filed the complaint against Shuster. The ethics committee appointed an investigative subcommittee, headed by Rep. Joel Hefley, R-Colo., in November 1997.

Gary Ruskin, director of the Congressional Accountability Project, denounced as "outrageous" the decision to forego harsher penalties.

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■ Candidates begin battleground states

Al Gore and George W. Bush are intensifying their struggle for battleground swing states, with both men stumping in Michigan Thursday after making separate campaign forays into Ohio on Wednesday. Gore criticized his rival's tax proposals. Bush focused on credibility. He also talked about children's issues in Detroit, where he proposed to amend federal law by allowing private sector employees to take comp time at time and a half, and employers would be required to reimburse workers in cash for any unused comp time. Gore, in Warren, a Democratic stronghold, was emphasizing his contention that Bush would fritter away the budget surplus on tax breaks for the rich. At the same time, he touted his own child care tax credit proposal.

■ Bush unveils new philosophy ad

George W. Bush began airing a new TV spot Thursday offering viewers a sweeping outline of his philosophy, saying he trusts Americans while his opponent trusts government. The 60-second ad, which will air in 19 states, features Bush speaking to the camera: "He (Al Gore) trusts government. I trust you. . . . I believe we need to encourage personal responsibility so people are accountable for their actions. And I believe in government that is responsible to the people. That's the difference in philosophy between my opponent and me." Ads this philosophical are rare, said Bill Benoit, who studies political advertising at the University of Missouri. "This is a much more ideological, philosophical approach that ties together several different specific policies into a general principle," Benoit said. "I don't think you see a lot of ads like that."

■ Gore holds lead; Nader surges

Al Gore continued to hold a slight lead over George W. Bush in the Reuters/MSNBC daily tracking poll released Thursday, the first to reflect some impact of Tuesday's presidential debate. The poll, conducted by independent pollster John Zogby with a 3 percentage point error margin, found Gore leading 46-40 percent. Bush dropped a point from Wednesday's poll, while Gore remained steady. Green Party candidate Ralph Nader, who was excluded from the debate, rose two points to 7 percent in the new survey. Nader showed 17 percent support among independents and 18 percent among "progressives." The Reform Party's Pat Buchanan had 1 percent. Libertarian Harry Browne and Natural Law's John Hagelin had less than 1 percent.

■ Bush got in more words than Gore

During Tuesday's presidential debate in Boston, Al Gore interrupted, went over his time limits, asked for more time, even petitioned moderator Jim Lehrer for more chances to respond. He was, in short, the overeager beaver, trying to monopolize the evening, doing most of the talking. Right? Well, not quite; it just seemed that way at times because of his relentless recitation of facts and figures. But a look at the debate transcript shows that George W. Bush talked more. He managed to get out 7,900 words in the 90 minutes, give or take a mouthful. Gore got out only 7,400. Also, the ABC News political unit put a stop watch on the debaters: Gore talked for 43 minutes and 15 seconds; Bush talked for 42 minutes and 30 seconds.

■ Bush's judges show independence

In the debate Tuesday night, George W. Bush said he was "pro-life," but would have no "litmus test" on abortion or any other issue when nominating U.S. Supreme Court justices. He invited voters to look at his record in appointing judges to the Texas Supreme Court, the state's highest civil court, where justices are elected, but the governor fills unexpired terms. Here's the record: In its first ruling on the state's new parental notification law, the all-Republican court, including three Bush appointees, decided a teenage girl could have an abortion without telling her parents. Aside from that March ruling, in five other cases the court has voted against minor girls seeking to bypass the notification law or sent their cases back to lower courts. So while not definitive, the actions suggest that the Bush appointees are not necessarily bound by his own abortion views.

■ Gore and Bush agree on Milosevic

As protesters in Belgrade staged the most violent revolts Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic has seen during his 13-year rule — protesters took control of the parliament Thursday, angry that Milosevic won't accept electoral defeat — both U.S. presidential candidates agreed Thursday that Milosevic must heed protesters' calls that he step down. George W. Bush, deviating from an education speech at a public school near Detroit, said, "Our country must work closely with our allies in Europe, the international community including Russia, to pressure Mr. Milosevic to leave office."

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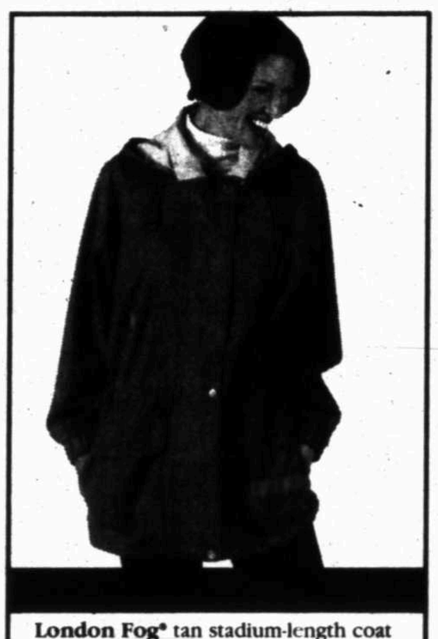

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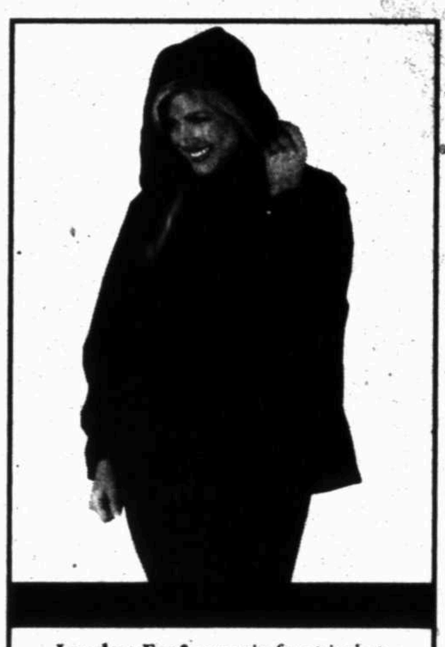

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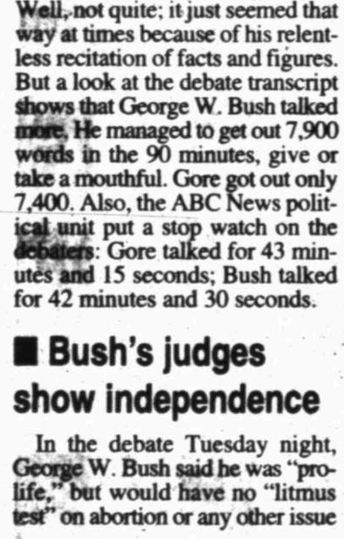

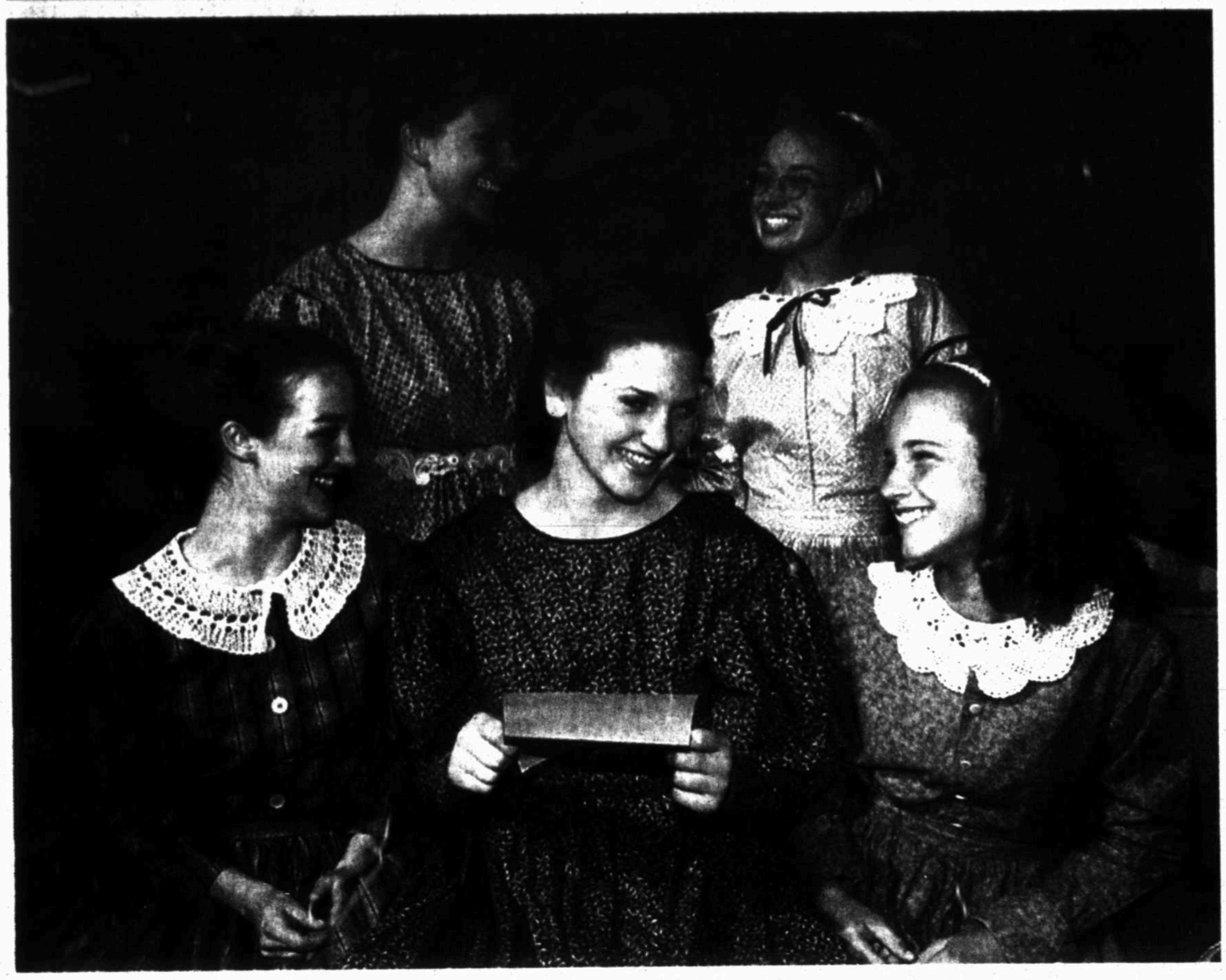

Stage vs. screen

Kristen Riek, left, plays Jo in the Pickwicks production; Winona Ryder plays Jo in the 1994 film.

Anne Edelbrock, left, plays Marmee in the Pickwicks play. Susan Sarandon stars as Marmee in the film.

Meredith Buchanan, at right, plays Meg in the Pickwick play; Trini Alvarado stars as Meg in the film.

Kelli Dugan, at right, plays Beth in the Pickwick play; Claire Danes stars as Beth in the film.

Lauren Schneider, at right, plays Amy in the Pickwick play; Kirsten Dunst stars as Amy in the film.

Michael Wood, at right, plays Laurie in the Pickwick production; Christian Bale stars as Laurie in the film.

Mike Yager, at right, plays John in the Pickwick production; Eric Stoltz plays John in the film.

ABOVE: Back row from left, Kristen Riek and Meredith Buchanan, and front row from left, Kelli Dugan, Anne Edelbrock and Lauren Schneider star in the Pickwick Players presentation of "Little Women." Below right, Laurie, played by Michael Wood, confesses his love to Jo, played by Ms. Riek in the Pickwick play. AT RIGHT AND BELOW, scenes from the 1994 film "Little Women."

LITTLE WOMEN

Pickwick Players to present classic heartwarming tale

By Georgia Temple

Published in 1868, the fictional story of the four March sisters living in Concord, Mass., during the Civil War continues today to find a home among readers, moviegoers and theater buffs alike. And this month, Louisa May Alcott's "Little Women" comes to the Midland Community Theatre stage Oct. 13-15 when the theater's youth performing troupe, the Pickwick Players, presents the heartwarming tale.

"I'm trying to pick a lot of literature-based plays to do," said Bill Williams, director of the Pickwicks. "Hopefully, this will encourage young people to read if they are not familiar with the stories. And we have so many talented young ladies in the Pickwicks, I felt like this classic gave them a good acting opportunity."

Certainly, the film versions helped to introduce young actresses to potential fans. First presented on film in silent movies in 1917 and 1918, "Little Women" has seen several updated versions.

The 1933 black-and-white version with sound featured an up-and-coming young actress, Katharine Hepburn, in the role of Jo March, the independent sister who becomes a writer. Also in the film were Joan Bennett as the youngest sister, Amy, and Spring Byington as Marmee, their mother.

Today's moviegoer, whether they are fans of classic movies or not, will recognize names from the 1949 cast: June Allison as Jo, Margaret O'Brien as Beth, Elizabeth Taylor as Amy, Janet Leigh as Meg, Peter Lawford as Laurie Laurence, Rossano Brazzi as Professor Bhaer and Mary Astor as Marmee March. This version marked the first in Technicolor.

In an online fan review on the Internet Movie Database, a respondent wrote the following about the 1949 film: "This version of 'Little Women' is the best. All of the actors and actresses light up the screen. I have watched it over 100 times and have yet to see it enough. Margaret O'Brien's portrayal of Beth was absolutely wonderful."

Tomorrow's audiences will know whether the names of those cast in the 1994 version remain in the minds of future moviegoers or not. The work represents the collective effort of a group of women filmmakers and actors: Australian director Gillian Armstrong, producer Denise Di Novi, screenwriter Robin Swicord, and stars Winona Ryder as Jo, Trini Alvarado as Meg, Samantha Mathis as Amy at 16, Kirsten Dunst as Amy at 12, Claire Danes as Beth, Mary Wickes as Aunt March and Susan Sarandon as Marmee.

"The older version of the movie is a lot like the play," said Meredith Buchanan, a junior at Lee High School who plays Meg in the Pickwick production. "There are a few different things in the newer movie.

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So, there's nothing to do in Midland?

Friday, October 6

The Bar: today & Sat.: (9 p.m.): Luscious Funk. No cover Fri. Sat.: $5. 606 W. Missouri Ave. Call: 685-1757.

Blakemore Planetarium: today: Sky Show: Black Holes, 8 p.m., Museum of the Southwest complex, 1705 W. Missouri, 683-2882. Telescope viewing in Haley Park. Children 12 and under, accompanied by an adult. Cost: $3 adults, $2 children. Members free.

Midland Arts Association/Midland College: 7-9 p.m. opening reception/awards. 23rd Fall Juried Art Exhibition through Nov. 10. McCormick Gallery, Allison Fine Arts Building, MC. Free.

Midland Community Theatre: today & Sat.: Mystery: Dial M for Murder, through Oct. 28, 8 p.m., Mabee Theatre 11, 2000 W. Wadley, 682-4111 or 570-4011. Tickets: $10 Fri. &Sat. $8 Thurs. & Sun.

The New Sans Souci: today & Sat.: Vance Lane. No cover. Full dinner menu available. 106 S. A St. Call: 683-6944.

The Ranch: today & Sat.: Live entertainment. 4400 H. Big Spring. Mon.: Karaoke. Tues.: Karaoke contest/Wet-T contest ($150 prize money). Wed.: Ladies night. Wed. & Thurs.: live entertainment. Call for cover: 682-5911.

Riley's Bar & Grill: today & Sat.: Itch. $3 cover. Wed. & Thurs: Blue Midnight. $3 cover. 3421 W. Wall. Call 520-0006.

Your Place: today: Going South, 9-1:30 p.m., no cover. 3704 W. Wall. Call: 689-3022.

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Big Country Nightclub & Museum: today & Sat.: Live entertainment. No cover. Opens 4 p.m. 1409 E. 7th. Call: 580-4600.

Chelsea Street Pub: today & Sat., Karaoke with Reed Boyd. 9 p.m. Monday-Thurs.: Music City Mall. Call: (915) 368-0949. No cover. Outside entrance after mall hours.

Graham Central Station: today: 5-8 p.m., World's Largest Office party. Free buffet, No cover till 7 p.m. for 21 & up. 4240 Preston Smith Rd. Call: 552-0552.

Incredibles: today & Sat.: Vodoo Poet, 9:30-1:30. $5 Cover. Wed.: Back to Back (Charlie & Barbara), 7:30-11:30. No cover. Thursday: Karaoke, 9 p.m. No cover. 600 N. Grandview Ave. Call: (915) 332-1812.

Kay Kay's Blues Club: today: Big Al & The Heavy Weights, 9-9:30, $6 cover. Sat.: Kay Kay & The Rays with Abner Burnett, $5 cover. Sun.: Jibe Train. Tues.: Karaoke. Wed.: Backyard party: The Pilsener Bros. No cover. 7:30 p.m. Thurs: Crescendo Night. cover $3. 2117 E. 8th St. Call: (915) 333-3133.

Main Street Odessa & Odessa Council for Arts & Humanities: today: Concert: 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Musical Menus, a tribute to Hispanic Heritage Month, Lincoln Plaza, 311 W. 4th. Folklorico dancers and guitarist, Marcos Mendoza. Bring sack lunch. Free. Call: (915) 335-4682.

Permian Playhouse: today & Sat.: Musical Comedy: 8 p.m. "Big River." Sun.: 2:30 p.m., runs through Oct. 15. 310 W. 42nd St. Tickets: $14 adults/$12 seniors & students. (915) 362-2329 or 550-5456.

Opening: "Meet The Parents," "Get Carter," and "Digimon" Tall City 10.

Saturday, October 7

Confederate Air Force: Sat. & Sun.: AirSho 2000: Featuring historic aircraft as they recreate battles of World War 11. Events include pancake breakfast, 7:30-11 a.m.; aircraft available for viewing, 7:30-11 a.m., flying begins, 11:30 a.m. CAF Hangar, Midland International Airport, 563-1000. Discount tickets: Sat.: $12 adults, $4 children ages 6-12. Sun.: $10 adults, $4 children, available at 7-Eleven Stores.

St. Luke's United Methodist Church: Sat.: Pumpkin Patch: 12 p.m. until sundown. Sun.: 12 p.m. until sundown, runs through Oct. 31. Fall decorations, face painting, & etc. Call: 694-2571.

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Odessa Brand New Opree: Sat.: 7-10 p.m. performance: Gospel Hour and country & western music by Country Spirt. Globe of the Great Southwest, 2308 Shakespeare Rd., Odessa College campus, (915) 332-1586 or 580-3177. Tickets: $7 reserved, $5 general admission.

Sunday, October 8

Chaparral Center: Sun.: concert: 7:30 p.m., Lonestar, with special guest, Tracy Byrd. Tickets: $26.50 & $22.50 (plus applicable service charges). Call: 685-4584.

Tuesday, October 10

45 Plus Dance Club: Tues: country western band, Midland Downtown Lions Center. non-smoking/non-alcoholic. 7:30-10 p.m. members: $4. Guests: $5. Guests welcome without member. Call: 699-5202 or 694-1869.

Midland Palette Club: Tues.: Demonstration: LaJuan Schlegal from Ennis, 9:30 a.m., 907 W. Wadley. Workshop held Tues. afternoon, Wed. & Thurs. morning. Free. Call 694-0516 or 520-0432.

Wednesday, October 11

Seniors Over 50 Dance Group: Wed.: 8-10:30 p.m., American Legion Hall, 501 Air Park Road. Country western. Professional bands. Admission: $4. Call: 682-5511, 694-3236, 687-1633.

First Presbyterian Church: Concert: Wed.: noon. Bach Lunch Series. Rebecca Sawyer, organist. 800 W. Texas, 684-7821. Free. Lunch: $4.

Thursday, October 12

Davidson Distinguished Lecture Series: Lecture: Thurs.: Richard Rodriguez, writer & journalist, 7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center, Midland College, 685-4526/ Free, but seating is limited.

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PRESENT: Pickwicks hope play is sentimental favorite

(From 1B)

"It's not like if you watched it and watched the play, you would be totally confused, but it's a movie so they have to kind of spice it up. It's still really good, and it still gets the story line across, but it's a movie made in the '90s so what do you expect?"

"I think the movie is more modern than the script in a way," said Kristen Riek, a sophomore at Midland High School who plays Jo. "They are still in the 1800s, but they are just a little bit different."

The movie makers had concerns about the characters, particularly Marmee, whom they feared might come across as too sweet, too good and too sentimental to be believable and accessible to audiences in the 1990s and beyond.

When they cast Ms. Sarandon in the part, the director said in the film's production notes, "I couldn't think of a better person for the role. To me, Susan is the '90s version of the mother we'd all like to be."

"I really liked Susan Sarandon," said Anne Edelbrock, a junior at Lee High School who plays Marmee in the Pickwick production. "I loved the book when I was little. I had seen the new movie, and then when I was cast, I decided to watch the older movie. I like the new one better just because it gives more characterization, but the old show is more true to the script."

"I've heard the older movie is just like the script, but I really liked the (1994) movie and I really like this show," said Kelli Dugan, a student at Midland Freshman who plays Beth.

Mike Yager, who plays John, had not read the book or seen any of the movie versions before auditions. Since being cast, he has seen the 1994 film.

"The movie had its strong points as far as acting and writing," said Yager. "But we have a really strong script and acting. We're going to go toe-to-toe with the movie. ... It's a great story, a lot of good messages, and I think the kids will like it."

Michael Wood, a student at Lee Freshman, who plays Laurie Laurence, cited the characters as responsible for making the story popular across generational lines.

"The characters are so real and so true that people are just drawn to it," said Michael. "That's why it's such a classic."

Jo and Meg and Beth and Amy and Marmee, as well as the others in "Little Women," represent a distillation of the author's childhood memories blended with her more recent recollections of the Civil War years.

Ms. Alcott was 8 when her parents moved from Boston to Concord, where they became intimate friends of the Ralph Waldo Emersons and David Thoreau. From 1860, Ms. Alcott (who was born in 1832) figured prominently in the New England literary scene and was, along with her father, Amos Bronson Alcott, a member of the Concord transcendentalist circle. Although she wrote many other books, she is best remembered for "Little Women."

In 1965, the Encyclopedia Americana wrote of Ms. Alcott's "Little Women," "After the lapse of three-quarters of a century since the original publication, this school-girl classic is still enjoyed by girls in all the English-speaking lands and by the granddaughters of continental Europeans who read it in translations."

Local movie fan Linda Bond noted that in her family the book is a generational favorite.

"That was one of my favorite books growing up because it was my grandmother's favorite and my mother's favorite," Ms. Bond said. "My grandmother's name was Jo, and she really identified with the character in the book — the strong, independent one. My middle name is Jo also, and my niece's middle name is Jo. So 'Little Women' is a sentimental favorite for us."

The Pickwicks hope the play is a sentimental favorite for many Midlanders who will attend the public performances set for 7:30 p.m. Oct. 13 and 14 and 2 p.m. Oct. 15 in Davis Theatre I, Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. Tickets are $5. Reservations may be made by calling 682-4111 or 570-4011.

Also in the Pickwick cast are Kathryn Yarbrough as the adult Jo who narrates the story; Lauren Schneider as Amy; Ariana Cook as Hannah; Shelby Orr as Aunt March; Chad Mecham as Mr. Laurence; Daniel Hartman as Professor Bhaer; Melanie Seanard as Mrs. Tomlinson and Mrs. Kirke; Ashley Susik as Mrs. Moffet; and Libby Dees as Clara.

The play, adapted for stage by Thomas Hischak, condenses the action in the book into around 90 minutes, said Williams. "It's a book with a lot of things going on. You can't cover the whole book. He picks up on the main points of the story. And it's a good life story. Whether you're male or female, it teaches a lot of valuable lessons."

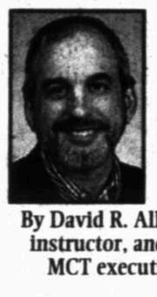
Editor's Note: The comments in this story are from local interviews, the production notes for the 1994 film version of "Little Women," the Internet Movie Database (IMDB) and the Encyclopedia Americana.

THE MOVIE GUYS'

Black Gold Review

A gusher: good to excellent

Dry well: Fair to poor



By David R. Allen, MC drama instructor, and Tim Jebsen, MCT executive director

"Almost Famous," starring Billy Crudup, Frances McDormand and Kate Hudson, opened in a limited release two weekends ago, and then opened across the country this past weekend.

TIM: I have been looking forward to the fall, where studios release movies that have a more limited appeal than the summer fare. Fortunately, this provides the viewer with more quality movies, including those aimed at gaining Academy Award nominations. "Almost Famous" is Cameron Crowe's follow-up to "Jerry Maguire." Because of the success of his first movie, Crowe was allowed to write and direct this semi-autobiographical story about a young man who follows a fictional 1970s band on the road.

DAVID: Yes, Tim, Hallelujah! The long dry spell at the movies is over. Not only have we had to suffer through the usual end of summer releases, but also the entire summer this year was arid. "Almost Perfect" is the first really good movie of the fall season and it is almost perfect.

TIM: Fortunately, the fall treats us to movies with better writing and vision. Summer movies are now made by committee, with too many cooks spoiling the broth. Crowe's vision for this movie was allowed to shine through, and it has produced an insightful view into our protagonist as he follows the band to write a story for Rolling Stone. Unfortunately, he becomes friends with the members of the band, which clouds his ability to write the story. His need to balance his personal life with his professional life provides the conflict within this character.

DAVID: Crowe's work in this film is outstanding. The writing is intelligent and the direction tight. He doesn't spoon feed us the elements of his story. Through editing, camera angle and intersection of song and picture, he carries us along, making us use our minds to fill in the emotional details. The result is a film that is beautiful and ugly, funny and sad, brash and shy, and personal and public all at the same time.

TIM: Overall, I feel that the acting performances were very good. Frances McDormand (Fargo) plays the college professor, single mother who must cope with her children's freedom. Billy Crudup (Inventing the Abbotts) and Jason Lee (Dogma) star as two members of the band who fight for control. Both actors bring a strong presence to their roles — especially stage veteran Crudup. Finally, newcomer Patrick Fugit and Kate Hudson (200 Cigarettes) provide solid performances.

DAVID: I couldn't agree with you more, Tim. As fine as the direction is in "Almost Perfect," the acting is better. Crudup, McDormand and others do put in excellent performances, but it is the acting by Fugit as the young William Miller (Crowe's alter-ego) and Hudson as Penny Lane, his romantic interest, that is at the heart of the film's success. Fugit and Hudson both manage to deliver teen-age characters that are mature beyond their years and still incredibly young and naive. The moment that Fugit's character tells Hudson's the truth about her lover, is one that I'll be pointing out to young actors for years to come. It is a perfect example of an actress presenting us with two conflicting emotions at the same time.

TIM: In the end, I would recommend this movie to most people. If you enjoy rock and roll or appreciate the trials and tribulations of life on the road, you will appreciate this movie. A gusher!

DAVID: Although "Almost Perfect" is about a rock band and does, therefore, contain scenes about sex, drugs and rock and roll, almost anyone will enjoy it. Crowe and his actors created characters who are good and bad, mature and immature, and wise and confused – who are fully human. Any film that can do that is almost perfect and clearly a gusher.

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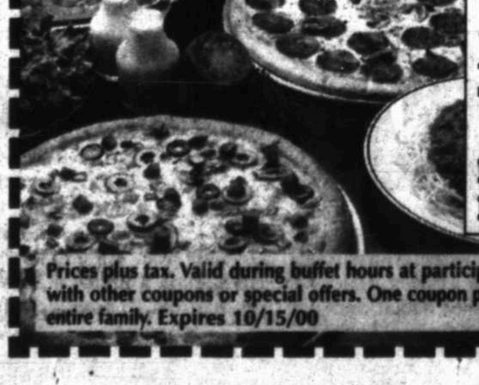
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ONE ON THE AISLE

Pamela C. Allen

BIG RIVER

There really is more to do on a Friday night in Odessa than watch football. For instance you could have been at Permian Playhouse for the opening of "Big River." The fact that it wasn't a full house is a shame, but those who were present received a treat. William Hauptman & Roger Miller's adaptation of Mark Twain's story of Huck Finn and the runaw ..ve Jim and their adventures on the mighty Mississippi was a good opening for their next season.

The set designed by the director Colby Landers was appealing in its sparseness. Especially interesting are the black and white renderings on the walls on each side of the proscenium opening.

Tall, lanky Nathaniel Carter plays Huck Finn. In his baggy costume, Carter gave the audience the right mixture of charm and the "devil may care" free spirit with a conscience that is Huck. He was fun to watch on stage as he tried to manipulate the people around him. His scene with Cherri Timms as he pretends to be a girl is very funny.

The chemistry between Carter and Tom Colter as the runaway slave Jim was strong. They play off one another well. Both have strong voices, but one duet didn't work for me musically. It sounded off and I couldn't tell if it was the music or just the opening night — "it hasn't gelled yet," syndrome. The rest of the time is was a pleasure to hear this music.

There is a lot of talent on this stage and that is reason enough to see this production. The cast includes many of the very good, longtime volunteers of PPH who are always good whatever role they are given, such as Cherri Timms and Darci Georges. Both are very good to watch when they are on stage. Two characters that all but steal the show are Victor Lopez as King and Scott Timms as Duke. The characters that they play don't have an off switch when it comes to scenery chewing. Very good guys!! There are new faces you need to see. For one is Mike McCreery, playing Huck's Pap, a real plus for PPH.

Because of the strength and talent of the voices of the whole cast the big production numbers were well done, especially the hymns that are sung, beautifully.

Technically, I was most impressed with a raft that moved easily AND YOU DIDN'T HEAR IT MOVE! Opening night, the lights didn't seem to be part of the show. This has been, I feel sure, worked out by now. Some of the costumes seemed a little too modern and Wayne Perego needed to wear a black coat in his scene as the real heir.

All in all, this is a good production and worth seeing. It runs through Oct. 15. Call the box office at PPH 550-5456 for times and prices.

October is a great month for theater in this area in both cities. Opening tonight at Midland Community Theater is "Dial M For Murder": 682-4111. On Oct. 13, "Cyrano de Bergerac" will open at the Globe: 332-1586. At the Yucca on Oct. 13, the Maverick Players will open with "Love, Sex, and the IRS." The tickets can be purchased at Wild Birds Unlimited. Last but not least the MCT Pickwicks are opening "Little Women" on Oct. 13.

M.Y. Two Cents: a teen perspective of the movies

By Mike Yager

Remember the Titans

At the very outset of the movie, one character says, "In Virginia, high school football is a way of life." Coincidentally, if you substituted West Caanan, Texas for Virginia, you'd have the opening line of last year's "Varsity Blues," and could possibly assume this movie would be "just another football movie," such as the recently released "The Replacements." Make no mistake, though, "Remember the Titans" is no ordinary football movie; although some of its plays have been used before, solid acting and a heartfelt true story lead it to the championship.

Yager

The story revolves around the 1971 desegregation of two Virginia schools, "white" and "black," creating T.C. Williams High School and a whole lot of racial tension. Coach Herman Boone, played to near perfection by probable Oscar contender Denzel Washington, is placed diplomatically in the head coaching spot for the Titans football team so as to promote diversity during the post Martin Luther King Jr. era. Meanwhile, the "white-school's" Coach Bill Yoast (Will Patton), is knocked down to assistant, which makes him none too happy with his situation. Boone decides to take the newly integrated squad on training camp hell, male bonding seminar, teaching them all about each other and themselves in the process. Slowly, but surely, the walls of race come tumbling down, and soon the boys return to Alexandria, Va. as friends. Despite that fact, nothing has changed in town, and they only return to bigotry and hate. All of this creates extreme conflict going into the season, forcing the teammates to rise above the racism, making a very inspirational "Malcolm X meets Rocky," kind of story.

Luckily, the acting in the movie overcomes Gregory Allen Howard's merely mediocre script. Denzel leads the way with a superb portrayal of Coach Boone. He really plays the "back against the wall" desperation extremely well. Although Denzel may be the heart of the movie, the players on the team are the real work-horses of the supporting cast. Donald Faison ("Clueless", "How Stella Got Her Groove Back") leads the comedic moments as hot-headed but vulnerable running back Petey. Ethan Suplee, finally breaking out of his thug-like typecast ("Boy Meets World's" big bully), also draws a few laughs as Lewis Lastik, the "white-brother," as he's referred to. Ryan Hurst and Wood Harris, who play the captains of their respective races, exemplify the theme of the movie. Their performances are both star making turns in my book, but I won't ruin it for you.

The only problem that I have with this movie is that it tries way too hard to be Oscar-caliber. It spends too much time on close-ups of Denzel's contemplative gaze, and not enough on the outstanding support. I say keep it a feel-good movie, and if the Academy knocks on your door, more power to you.

Overall, this is the kind of movie that everyone can enjoy. It deals with these tough issues, such as race, but not in a preachy manner. In the end, the story is merely about friendship, and although we've seen many movies about friends, we can always use a reminder.

Bottom Line: Not so much a sports movie as a great lesson in life.

'Dead Man Walking'

Former Midlander ready for her close-up in new opera

SAN FRANCISCO (NYT) — The American mezzo-soprano Susan Graham, formerly of Midland, has for the better part of a decade impressed audiences with her creamy singing and chiseled characterizations, sharing the stage with stars like Renee Fleming, Thomas Hampson and Dawn Upshaw, and consistently earning reviews as strong as theirs. In December, Graham gained new prominence in John Harbison's "Great Gatsby" at the Metropolitan Opera. Now she is ready for her close-up, at the center of another new work, Jake Heggie's "Dead Man Walking," which opens on Saturday at the San Francisco Opera.

"Dead Man Walking," with a libretto by the playwright Terrence McNally, is based on Sister Helen Prejean's book of the same name, which also inspired a 1995 movie that earned the actress Susan Sarandon an Oscar. It tells of Prejean's attempts to save the soul of a murderer sentenced to death.

The opera is confrontational, Graham said last month, during rehearsals here at the War Memorial Opera House. "It makes you go places you might not ordinarily go."

"Dead Man Walking" is the first opera by Heggie, who has mostly written art songs for reigning divas, especially the mezzo-soprano Frederica von Stade. Graham, who had never sung any of his songs, said she was surprised when Heggie approached her about his opera, and daunted by the idea.

"When Jake told me of the project over a cup of coffee in the summer of 1997, I dissolved in tears," she recalled. "I said, 'I can't do it.' But Jake persuaded me otherwise. He told me that because of my reaction to the description, I'd be perfect for the role."

Heggie had his heart set on Graham nearly from the start. "I originally offered the role to Flicka," Heggie said, referring to von Stade, "but she declined in favor of someone younger. And so Terrence and Patrick Summers, who will conduct, and I immediately thought of Susan. We were after a Janet Baker type."

Graham, 40, speaks excitedly of playing the protagonist in a new opera, an honor seldom accorded a mezzo. "I normally play Eve Arden," she said. "I don't usually get to play Bette Davis."

Graham, who was born in Roswell, N.M., moved to Midland when she was 13. She attended Texas Tech University in Lubbock and earned a master's degree in opera performance at the Manhattan School of Music.

Her voice is light for a mezzo, her lyric timbre possessing something of a soprano's brightness; she could never be mistaken for a contralto. Her signature roles include Cherubino in Mozart's "Nozze di Figaro," Octavian in Strauss' "Rosenkavalier," Charlotte in Massenet's "Werther" and, recently, Iphigenie in Gluck's "Iphigenie en Tauride."

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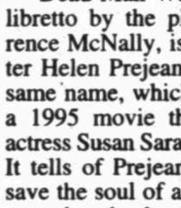
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Mike Barker with Channel 2 News will be auctioneer. Auction will include handmade items donated by members and a variety of gift items and services. Mary Lawskoski has donated a handmade quilt for the event.

Tickets will be available from members Oct. 28-29 and Nov. 4-5 in front of Walmart. Call 697-2975 or 522-1478...

...EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN of Holy Trinity will host a Brunch at Holy Trinity (in place of its Bit of Britain Tea.) The event will raise funds to benefit outreach projects.

The brunch is scheduled for noon Oct. 17 at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity. Included will be a bake sale, fashion show, silent auction and music by Daryl Knapp.

Space is limited so reservations are requested. Call 682-7502...

...UNIVERSITY OF Texas Exes and football fans of both UT and the University of Oklahoma are invited to attend the annual Texas-OU football game event Oct. 7 in the Santa Fe Bar of Midland Hilton and Towers, 117 W. Wall St. Kickoff is 11 a.m....

...CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT of Midland County Public Library will present Story Time each Tuesday and Wednesday for children ages 3-6. "Fall"ing Down Story Time is scheduled for 10-10:45 a.m. Oct. 10 and 11 in the Kaleidoscope Room of the library...

...SAN ANGELO Writers' Club will meet 7 p.m. Oct. 10 at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, 3355 W. Beauregard in San Angelo. Jerry Ruiz, chairman of the Guadalupe School Alumni Association and Tom Green County Historical Commission, will be guest speaker.

Ruiz recently launched the Mexican Heritage Exhibit in Angelo State University's West Texas Collection. He will speak on the writing and interviewing process involved in building his collection of material on Hispanic heritage for his work, "Las Historias de mi Gente." All interested people are invited to attend...

...DELTA DELTA Delta alumnae will meet for dinner 6:30 p.m. Oct. 9 at La Bodega. All area Tri-Deltas are encouraged to attend..

...COL. THEUNIS Dey chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet 1 p.m. Oct. 9 at #8 Ridgemar Court. Mrs. Vance Hendrickson will speak on "American History: The Way it Wasn't"...

...POLITICAL SCIENCE Organization of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin will conduct an Ector County Sheriff Candidates Forum 7-8:30 p.m. Oct. 24 in the gymnasium at UTPB. Republican candidate Mark Donaldson and Democrat incumbent Reggie Yearwood will each get five minutes to make an opening statement. Following the address, candidates will answer questions. At 8:20 p.m., each candidate will be given five minutes to make closing remarks.. The public is invited to attend...

...VAN, Serving the Visually Impaired, has two weekly group meetings.

The men's support group will meet 10-11 a.m. Oct. 10 at the VAN House, 2908 W. Ohio. All men with visual impairment are invited to attend.

The women's group will meet for bingo 10 a.m.-noon Oct. 11 at the VAN House. All interested people are invited to attend.

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FAMILY MATTERS

Former wife regrets decision to divorce

By Jim May, Ph.D.

DEAR FAMILY: You answered "Convicted Without a Cause" and told her to try and support her sister to save her marriage even though her husband had had an affair. I couldn't agree with you more.

May

Seventeen years ago I was happily married with two young children. I was busy with our children and all of their activities and wasn't paying enough attention to my husband and his needs. He kept telling me that he needed more, but I just thought that he would get over it. We were both active in our church and were the "perfect family."

Then one day a "friend" told me that she had seen my husband at lunch with his secretary. I was hurt and angry. When he came home from work, I attacked him with all the righteous indignation I could. When I finished attacking him, he shocked me by agreeing with me and saying he was leaving. He packed a bag right then and left.

I called my friends and they all were very supportive, but one person told me that he was a rat and to let him go (and good riddance). I talked to our minister, and he advised me to try and get my husband to come in for counseling.

For a few months, every time I talked to my husband I attacked him. He really never said anything, but wouldn't come home or go to counseling. I think he was too ashamed to face our minister. Twice I even went to his girlfriend's apartment and confronted both of them there.

My friends told me that I had better file for divorce before he spent all of our money on his girlfriend. I did and before I knew it we were divorced.

As things have turned out, he has been a great dad to our children. He married his girlfriend and after a few years of hating her, I have actually formed a friendship with her. She is good to my children and is very considerate of me and my feelings on special occasions. I have forgiven her and my ex.

I think the children are fine, but they have lived a very different life than they would have, because I had to get a job and we have a lot less money than we would have had I stayed married.

What I'm trying to say is that I wish I had it all to do over. Make your husband go to counseling. Work on your marriage. An affair isn't the end of the world. Set aside your hurt pride. If there is any chance in this world to save your marriage take that chance! Divorce is NOT the answer! OLDER AND WISER

DEAR WISER: Thank you for your letter. You have learned, and I firmly agree, that spouse should first *listen* to the other when he or she expresses unhappiness, then *take action* to resolve the unhappiness. Marriages having problems is *not* the problem; the real problem is when problems are not resolved.

I am sorry that you and your children have had to go through divorce. I too believe that most affairs can be resolved and the couple reconciled. It is not easy, but it is "do-able."

Marital counseling with a professional who believes in trying to preserve the marriage most often has a good outcome. Unfortunately some counsel, like that of your friends, encourage the dissolution of the marriage rather than saving it.

Continue to live your life in forgiveness and grace and thanks again for writing.

THE FOLLOWING TIPS ON "SHARED PARENTING AFTER DIVORCE" ARE PRESENTED BY THE CENTERS FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES:

- Come to reasonable agreements about house rules and general living patterns that are of special concern to either parent.
- Such things as a difference of a few minutes in bedtime or chores may not be that important, but having the child's hair cut by the same barber may be.
- Plan to set up master calendars at each home (....ybe color-coding days at each location) and to meet or talk on the telephone often enough to keep calendars up-to-date and accurate.
- It may prove to be more efficient to let the more detail-oriented parent make up the master calendar and copy it for the other.
- Talk about the children's religious education and who will be responsible for transportation.
- Be specific about issues of responsibility and payment for expenses that fall outside the norm of child support.

(From Vicki Lansky's book, "Divorce Book for Parents")

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Family Matters, P.O. Box 51638, Midland, 79710-1638.

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DEAR ABBY

Happy couple with 10 children still found time for each other

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I agree with your answer to "Happily Married Husband," who revealed that five husbands in his circle of friends have gotten divorces because their wives spent too much time with their children and they felt displaced.

Van Buren

Like many other couples, my husband and I were busy, and we didn't have enough extra money to go out. So once a month, we enjoyed a candlelight supper at home. I wore something sexy and used our best china. We ate at a small table after the children were finished eating, and we danced to romantic music on the record player.

Abby, you were right that couples must find time for each other. We did, and we've been happily married for 45 wonderful years. — STILL ROMANTIC IN MANSFIELD, MASS.

P.S. We're the parents of 10 terrific children.

DEAR STILL ROMANTIC: I applaud your obviously successful (and fruitful!) union. Sometimes couples become so pressured they have trouble budgeting time to spend together. Being disciplined enough to do so can mean the difference between a marriage that succeeds and one that doesn't. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: Many religions preach that man is head of the household and his wife and children must be obedient to him. This is one reason why abuse occurs. Unless spouses are equal and share responsibilities as mature adults, they will experience a serious imbalance in their relationship.

When children are the first concern of both parents, they will find joy in each other as well.

It's unfortunate when one of the parents dumps the total burden on the other. The immature spouse demands "Mommy's" (or "Daddy's") full attention and is the one who will most likely seek affection elsewhere. Irresponsible mates pursue self-pleasure. It's as simple as that. If families work together, they stay together. — BETTY NELSON, MILACA, MINN.

DEAR BETTY: We're now living in a time when many parents teach their children that marriage is a full partnership. It touches me to see young fathers out with their infants carried in slings next to their hearts, or pushing toddlers in racing prams while exercising. When both spouses participate in child rearing, it makes for healthier, closer families. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Happily Married Husband" was on target! As a husband in a marriage of 53 years and the father of three, I would like to add that the children are the husband's children, too. He should be grateful his wife gives time and love to his children. Women carry the children in their bodies. Giving birth is an awesome event in their lives. Nursing, nurturing and attending to children is absorbing. Why wouldn't their relationship with their children be intense?

Today's women often work full time outside the home and do most of the household chores. How much time and energy does a wife have left for a husband?

I suggest that instead of pursuing another woman, a husband be understanding of his wife; that he spend more time and love on his children; and that he make time to occasionally get away for brief dates with his wife. Chances are his wife loves him, too. If he sticks with her, he'll have a loving companion for life. Memories of family fun and laughs, hardships overcome together, best efforts made with child rearing, and pride in the marriage all make a husband's life fulfilling. Try it! — HAPPILY MARRIED FATHER IN KENOSHA, WIS.

Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DR. PAGE

'Secret' of aging well is to live in healthy way

By Henry F. Page

From the viewpoint of a nonagenarian (90-plus), today's column consists of tidbits of worldly wisdom directed to the "old-old" (85 and older) who now constitute the fastest-growing segment of the population. Oliver Wendell Holmes (1809-1904) set the tone with his poem, "Have you heard of the wonderful one-hoss shay, that was built in such a logical way, it ran a hundred years to the day" — but alas, the collapse of only one portion brought down the whole structure.

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The media is replete with displays of elderly exhibitionists performing brilliant athletic feats, thereby attempting to raise the standard bar for senior citizens. Parachuting out of airplanes; rocketing to the moon; running the marathon; or climbing the highest mountain may be good for septuagenarian (70-plus), but octogenarians (80-plus) are flirting with disaster.

The secret of living is maintenance of homeostasis — a state of physiological equilibrium produced by the balance of function. It resembles an organ symphony, with each tune melding into another. When age sets in, they all are impaired to some extent, but the old shay keeps " 'a-moverin,' albeit a bit slower. If one severely breaks down, the symphony resembles the wall of Jerico after Joshua blew his trumpet. Unfortunately youthful resiliency no longer exists to compensate for the problem.

Aging problems progress slowly in each organ and usually are easily apparent. They include failing vision, hearing, balance, coordination, memory, frail skin and so on. Other problem areas are more subtle, such as dimishing of the ability to absorb nutrients, which results in "non-clinical" avitaminosis; nitrogen depletion; and generalized malnutrition. Vigorous bodies tend to shrivel, becoming wispy, pretzel-like, osteoparetic shadows of their former selves. Subtle endocrine and metabolic changes also play a role.

Prevention of this deplorable state consists of generous amounts of multiple vitamins and minerals, plus "no-fad" ADA dietary regimes, plus routine medical maintenance with rapid response to detected declines, plus moderate exercise such as walking, and of course, positive social motivation. All this will help you achieve half of your former activity in twice the time, yet still be a positive member of society — count your blessings.

"Life is not a race, do take it slower.

Hear the music before the song is over."

Henry F. Page, M.D., F.A.C.P., is health and safety consultant to Manor Park Inc.

R.E.M. fans' campaign to 'Save the Trestle' works

By Rebecca McCarthy
Cox News Service

ATHENS, Ga. — Fans of R.E.M. were successful in persuading the Athens-Clarke County Commission to buy an old railroad trestle that has become a local landmark.

Last summer, R.E.M. fans around the world flooded Athens Mayor Doc Eldridge with e-mail urging him to save the railroad trestle pictured on the band's first album, "Murmur." Though partially dismantled, the structure is the only one still standing of a string of trestles that transportation firm CSX demolished in July after the Athens-Clarke County Commission voted not to proceed with their purchase.

Commissioners voted to pay $25,000 to buy the trestle near Athens. The commission said it would take up purchase of the right of way and abandoned rail line later. Additional costs have not been determined.

Built in the late 1800s, the trestles were part of a 1.9-mile stretch that CSX abandoned in 1998. They sat along a rail line linking Athens and Winterville, one that BikeAthens President Jason Henderson was expecting to become part of a "rails-to-trails" network — something advocated by Eldridge when he was running for mayor in 1998.

A Web site put up last summer by R.E.M. fan and San Diego resident Ethan Kaplan to spur interest in the historic structure allows people to buy commemorative T-shirts or mouse pads featuring an image of the remaining trestle.

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PRIME TIME

PRIME TIME CALENDAR

CASA DE AMIGOS

Casa de Amigos is located at 1101 E. Garden Lane. Call 682-9701. Activities include:

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards/bowling; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10:15 a.m. crafts; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. games.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. gem and mineral; 10:15 a.m. sing-a-long; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. bingo.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10:15 a.m. advisory meeting; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. table games.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. adult classes; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. games.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards; 10:15 a.m. crafts; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Bible study.

MIDLAND YMCA

Midland YMCA has many activities scheduled for Prime Time adults. Contact Central YMCA 682-2551. Scheduled activities are:

■ Low impact aerobics: 8:15 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 6 p.m. Monday and Wednesday.

■ YMCARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, call for appointment before beginning class.

■ Senior water aerobics, 8-8:45 a.m. Monday through Friday.

■ Water arthritis classes, 10:15 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

■ Deep water aerobics, 6:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday;

■ Hydro-fit and water aerobics, 9 a.m Monday-Saturday.

■ Hydro-fit aerobics, 6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

■ Lap swim/water walking, 5:30-8 a.m. and 11 a.m.-1 p.m Monday through Friday; 6-8:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday; 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; 10 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturday; and 1:15-4 p.m. Sunday. **Certified lifeguard is on duty during lap/open swim times and water classes.**

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

Southeast Senior Center, 1803 E. Indiana, is open 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Call 685-7231. Activities include:

■ Monday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, needlework and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. quilting, crafts and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, choir and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Thursday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Bible class and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. movie and center bingo.

MIDLAND SENIOR CENTER

Midland Senior Center is located in Kingsway Mall, 3303 W. Illinois, Space #18. Call 681-7636. Activities for Oct. 9-13 include:

■ Monday: 8:45 a.m. Koffee Klatch (for pre-registered members); 9 a.m. billiards, exercise, cards, dominoes and ceramics class; 9:30 a.m. art class; 10 a.m. Kitchenettes; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m bridge, cards and dominoes.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise, cards, dominoes and ceramics; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. art class; 1 p.m. bridge, dominoes and cards.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards, cards, dominoes, ceramics class and exercise; 10 a.m. Gospel singing; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge, dominoes and cards.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise, cards, dominoes; 9:30 a.m. country and western dancing and Tall City Dancers; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m art for fun and Defensive Driving Class (first of two days); 1 p.m. bridge, cards and dominoes.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. blood pressure check, billiards, exercise, cards and dominoes; 10 a.m. bingo; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. Defensive Driving Class (second of two days); 1 p.m. bridge, cards and dominoes.

MISSION ADULT DAY CARE CENTER

Mission Adult Day Care Center of Midland is open 6:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at 5212 Sinclair. The center is closed for major holidays. Call 522-1221. Weekday schedule includes:

■ 8 a.m. light breakfast or snacks; 9 a.m. visitation, special events; 10 a.m. exercise, R.O.M., singing or live music; noon lunch; 12:30 p.m. rest period; 2:30 p.m. snacks.

■ Activities include visits from Gospel groups, line dancers and country groups, and golfing.

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul assists Midland's poor with rent, utilities, food and clothing. Volunteers are needed to work one to four hours each week in the agency's Thrift Store, 701 N. Fort Worth. Store hours are 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. Call 687-2343. Meetings are 6:30 p.m. each Thursday at St. Ann's Catholic Church parish annex. Call 688-8987.

COM AQUATICS SENIORS AND THERAPEUTIC EXERCISE

City of Midland Aquatics has programs of water exercise for seniors. The schedule is:

■ Monday: 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. seniors shallow; 7:30-11 a.m. water walking; 10:15 a.m. ST deep water; 11-11:45 a.m., noon-12:45 p.m. and 1-1:45 p.m. arthritis exercise.

■ Tuesday: 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. seniors shallow; 7:30-9:30 a.m. water walking; 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. arthritis; 12:15 p.m. ST deep water.

■ Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. seniors shallow; 7:30-11:30 a.m. water walking; 10:15 a.m. ST deep water; 11-11:45 a.m., noon-12:45 p.m. and 1-1:45 p.m. arthritis exercise.

■ Thursday: 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. seniors shallow; 7:30-9 a.m. water walking; 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. arthritis; 12:15 p.m. ST deep water.

■ Friday: 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. seniors shallow; 7:30-11 a.m. water walking; 10:15 a.m. ST deep water; 11-11:45 a.m., noon-12:45 p.m. and 1-1:45 p.m. arthritis exercise.

■ Saturday: 9-10:30 a.m. water walking.

CITY OF MIDLAND HOUSING AUTHORITY

Recreation and leisure activities at Hillcrest Manor, Langtry Village and Parker Place are managed by City of Midland Housing Authority and coordinated through Community and Senior Services. The schedule is:

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. wellness check at Parker Place; 10 a.m. exercise at Parker Place; 2 p.m. exercise at Hillcrest Manor; 2:30 p.m. exercise at Langtry Village.

■ Wednesday: 10 a.m. bingo at Parker Place; 2 p.m. bingo at Hillcrest Manor; 3 p.m. crafts at Hillcrest Manor; 3:30 p.m. crafts at Langtry Village.

■ Thursday: 10 a.m. exercise at Parker Place; 2 p.m. exercise at Hillcrest Manor; 2:30 p.m. exercise at Langtry Village; 3 p.m. bingo at Langtry Village and Gospel singing at Hillcrest Manor.

RSVP

Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) is recruiting persons 55 years and older to volunteer with non-profit agencies. RSVP will match volunteers' skills and interests to community agencies' needs. The program is sponsored by Community and Senior Services, 3301 Sinclair. Call 689-6693. Current opportunities include:

■ Allison Cancer Center needs a volunteer to assist the coordinator with office work, including filing, answering the telephone and preparing mail. Shifts are one morning or afternoon each week.

■ Habitat for Humanity needs two or more male volunteers to help pickup donated items once a week. Volunteers need to have use of a truck and be able to lift. Volunteers can pick up address list from Habitat office and set own pick-up times.

■ Community and Senior Services needs kitchen volunteers to help package meals for delivery to homebound clients. Shifts are 8-10 a.m. Wednesday or Thursday mornings. Brief orientation and support and guidance are provided.

'Family' found through volunteering

By Lana Cunningham

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Ten years ago, Nada Loper became a volunteer for Midland Memorial Hospital, where these days she serves in the admissions office.

Nada Loper walked out of the nursing home and marched into Midland Memorial Hospital where she picked up a pink jacket and white pants. A new phase of her life had begun.

That was 10 years ago, and since then she was worked more than 7,800 hours as a member of the MMH Auxiliary.

It was a breath of fresh air for the woman who already had spent six years caring for her husband at home. Pat Loper was suffering from Alzheimer's, and finally reached a point where more continuous care was needed. Mrs. Loper finally assented to placing him in a nursing home.

However, at first she continued to spend every day with her husband, who by then didn't know her. The visits were killing her.

Family and friends finally convinced Mrs. Loper "to find something constructive to do and to stay away from the nursing home."

The hospital — with its employees, patients and visitors — has become her family.

"I've become a part of this community and I know a lot of people from working here," she said. "This is my contact with the outside world."

Prior to that day, Mrs. Loper's world revolved around her husband, her daughter and grandchildren, and her home.

"I got married in 1937. Back in those days, women stayed home and cleaned house and took care of the family. I never worked outside the home," she recalled.

Mrs. Loper had been no recluse, either.

Adjusting to the big outside world proved no difficulty for the woman who is 2 inches shy of 5 feet tall.

Growing up in the Oklahoma town of Sentinel, she graduated from high school at the age of 16.

The following year she went to business school in Oklahoma City, where she met her husband, who was roughnecking. This was during the Depression, she recalled, and her husband had taken a respite from three and a half years in college. They married when she was "barely 18." Shortly before the first anniversary, their daughter was born.

Then came World War II. Loper wasn't drafted because he was "30 and working in what was considered an essential industry," she said.

That didn't keep the family from being touched by the war. They went to Trinidad in the West Indies where Pat was selling oilfield equipment. "The war caught up with us. The water around the West Indies was mined. Our staples came from England and Canada and Argentina. Our food supply was cut off. We ate whatever the servants could get out of their market and we didn't ask what it was."

Eventually, she and daughter Judy were allowed on a plane out of Trinidad.

After the war, the family moved around with Pat's job. "He worked for oilfield specialty companies. We moved all over the oilfields when the companies transferred you at the drop of a hat. Eventually, we were transferred to Midland," and that is where her husband decided to retire.

Then came the day Mrs. Loper walked into the hospital and signed on as a volunteer. She works three days a week in the Admissions Office, putting together charts that go to the nurses' stations. She especially enjoys the Saturday afternoon shift. "All the offices are closed. We're the only ones to help tell people where to find a patient."

It wasn't long before she became an Auxiliary officer. "I've had an office of some kind ever since I've been here," said the woman who is corresponding secretary this year. She worked her way up to president two years ago when she turned 80. A surprise birthday party held at Trinity Presbyterian Church included people from Housekeeping up to the hospital president.

Mrs. Loper understands how hard the Auxiliary works to earn money for equipment. Recently, the Auxiliary paid $226,950 for a C-arm, a high resolution X-ray machine needed for open heart surgery. This machine helps the heart surgeon see the heart and arteries while beating and if there are any leaks that need to be repaired.

"We've given more than $2 million in equipment to this hospital. We work like dogs to earn money," Mrs. Loper said with a laugh. Last year the Auxiliary's hours totaled 22,359, which at minimum wage would be $115,148.85, she noted. Income rolls in from the popcorn machine in the lobby and sales in the Gift Shop, including other special events through the year.

Mrs. Loper doesn't let much stop her. A few years ago, she found herself a patient in the Allison Cancer Center, but today refers to herself as a cancer survivor. Nor does new technology faze her. She has a computer at home and e-mails her daughter and grandchildren.

"I've been running all my life. I move too fast," she said. "I'm impatient with whatever is slowing me up. If I get unbusy here, I go home. I just can't not be busy."

Study: Warning sign of osteoporosis often overlooked

N.Y. Times News Service

Doctors routinely overlook a serious sign of osteoporosis, the condition that leaves older people — primarily women — susceptible to repeated, often immobilizing bone breaks, according to a recent study.

The study, which looked at 1,162 postmenopausal women who had broken one or both their wrists, found that only a quarter had been evaluated or treated for the disease.

The report was published The Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery and was prepared by researchers at the University of Pennsylvania.

A broken wrist, the researchers said, is often the first sign of osteoporosis in women over 55, suggesting decreased bone mineral density, thus making bones more fragile.

A woman who breaks her wrist at this age may double her chance of breaking a hip, the study said.

Yet after analyzing patient records and pharmacy claims in the six months after the wrists were broken, the researchers found a serious failure to diagnose and treat osteoporosis.

Indeed, for the oldest patients, those most at risk, the level of treatment was even lower.

Only 9.1 percent of the women ages 85 to 89 in the study were being treated for osteoporosis; 4.2 percent of those 90 to 94; and 4.7 percent of those over 95.

This compares with a rate of 36 percent in the women ages 55 to 59.

The author of the study, Dr. Kevin Freedman, said the findings suggested that doctors needed to be diligent about making sure that postmenopausal patients being treated for wrist breaks received good follow-up evaluations.

"Even in older patients," he said, "treatment for osteoporosis does work to maintain or increase bone density and prevent fractures."

Osteoporosis is commonly treated with hormone replacement therapy or drugs that restore the mineral levels in the bones.

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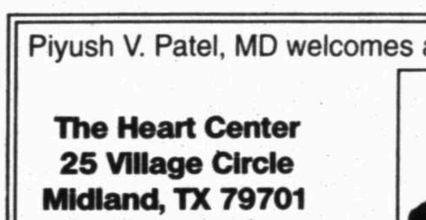

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Ferocity of Israeli-Palestinian clashes ebbs after U.S.-brokered mediation

By Laura King
Associated Press

BETHLEHEM, West Bank — A fragile U.S.-brokered truce appeared to take hold Thursday, as Israel rolled back tanks from sensitive positions near several West Bank cities. But one Palestinian was killed in a clash near the West Bank town of Bethlehem, and another died at a Gaza Strip crossroads.

In both the West Bank and Gaza, emotional funerals for victims of clashes with Israeli troops set off new skirmishes. And both sides are braced for the possibility of large-scale trouble today, when officials feared that noon prayers — the most important of the Muslim week — could become a new call to battle.

One of Thursday's two deaths came at Netzarim Junction in Gaza, the scene of repeated battles as Palestinian mobs have besieged a lone Israeli outpost that guards the access road to a Jewish settlement. At least nine other Palestinians were hurt.

The ferocious street riots that swept the Palestinian lands beginning Sept. 28 have claimed at least 68 lives and injured nearly 1,900 people, nearly all of them Palestinian.

Today's prayers at Al Aqsa Mosque, the Jerusalem shrine at the center of the current outbreak of violence, are expected to be particularly fraught with danger. Weekly sermons at Al Aqsa often consist of fiery calls from the imam, or Muslim cleric, to defend to the death Arab control of the compound, Islam's third-holiest site.

A visit to Al Aqsa last week by rightist Israeli politician Ariel Sharon set off this convulsive bout of clashes, the most intense and sustained fighting since the 1987-93 intefadeh, or Palestinian uprising against Israeli military occupation. The compound — known to Jews as the Temple Mount — is also Judaism's most sacred site, and Sharon says he was defending Jewish rights by visiting it.

In advance of today's prayers, Israeli police were heavily deployed in Jerusalem neighborhoods, and the nearest hospital to Al Aqsa said its staff was on alert for potentially heavy casualties.

Israeli media said authorities were considering banning worshippers under 35, who are considered to better fit the profile of potential rioters.

Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak, returning to Israel after turbulent U.S.-brokered talks in Paris, expressed determination to halt the fighting and get the battered peace process back on track.

But on both sides, mistrust and bitterness were readily apparent, despite an agreement that field commanders would seek to exercise restraint.

"Yesterday in Paris, we continued to turn every stone on the way to peace, and try to stop the violence," Barak said. "I am not convinced that at this moment we have a partner for peace, but it is our obligation ... to pursue this to the end."

At a memorial service for paratroopers slain in past wars, Barak, a former general, said "the time has not yet come to beat our swords into ploughshares." But he pledged to "seek any way to bring true security and peace to this tortured and suffering land."

Later, he told a news conference: "It will be a long struggle. There will be ups and downs." A statement from his office said Barak sent a message to about 100 world leaders, calling on them to pressure Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat to stop the violence and return to the path of negotiations.

Arafat, returning to Gaza, was asked whether the door remained open to future peace negotiations.

"We hope so," he replied. "But first of all, we have to stop the massacres against our people ... against our students and youth and children and women."

The Palestinian Cabinet decided to ask the U.N. Security Council to pass a resolution condemning Israel.

Covered with a Palestinian flag, the body of 12-year-old Muhammad Abu-Asy is carried into his house in the town of Bany Shala in southern Gaza Strip prior to his funeral Thursday. Muhammad was shot during clashes at the Netzarim Junction Wednesday the scene of some of the worst clashes in the weeklong violence.

AP Photo

Victim's father pleads to jail bombers as inquiry ends

OMAGH, Northern Ireland (AP) — A father's angry plea for justice marked the end Thursday of a monthlong coroner's inquest into the car bombing of Omagh, an atrocity that left 29 people dead, shattered a community and raised questions about the price of Northern Ireland's peace process.

Victor Barker, whose 12-year-old son James was killed in the 1998 attack, condemned the British government for failing to crack down on the Irish Republican Army dissidents responsible.

"I find it inexcusable that the government of Great Britain has only chosen to give us pieties about the hunt for the Omagh bombers, and has singularly failed to deliver any form of justice to the innocent victims, especially the children whose lives and bodies were shattered, including that of James," Barker told an Omagh press conference.

The 500-pound car bomb blew up in the midst of a crowd of shoppers on Omagh's main shopping street. Victims included mothers shopping for school uniforms, a woman heavily pregnant with twins, two toddlers and a pair of Spanish exchange students. The 29 dead and more than 300 wounded — many of whom lost limbs, suffered extensive burns or were blinded — made it the bloodiest terrorist strike in Northern Irish history.

In response, the governments of Britain and Ireland passed emergency legislation designed to make it easier to convict those suspected of planning and carrying out the Aug. 15, 1998, attack.

The dissidents, who oppose the IRA cease-fire of 1997 and have been dubbed the Real IRA by Irish media, are based mostly in border areas of the neighboring Irish Republic. Police believe they have identified most of those involved, based chiefly on telephone records that aren't admissible in court.

So far, one person has been charged with conspiring to cause the explosion, 48-year-old pub owner Colm Murphy. Free on bail for the past year, he has yet to face trial in the Irish Republic.

In the latest police sweep, detectives released five people arrested Tuesday on suspicion of Real IRA involvement. A sixth man was charged with membership in the illegal group, a charge that is traditionally difficult to prove.

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AP Photo
Rural residents near Villahermosa salvage household belongings from their home after the region received heavy rains from Hurricane Keith Thursday. The Hurricane then moved northwest, striking Mexico's Gulf coast of Tamaulipas Thursday afternoon.

Keith hits Mexico's coast

By Mark Stevenson
Associated Press

MEXICO CITY — Former Hurricane Keith slammed into land just north of Mexico's Gulf coast port of Tampico Thursday, forcing evacuations, ripping roofs from homes and causing flooding before weakening to a tropical storm.

Hurricane Keith has built a reputation as the storm that would not die, after ravaging Central America as a powerful category-three hurricane last week, passing over the Yucatan peninsula and entering the Gulf to regroup there.

Packing winds of winds of 90 mph (150 kph), Keith was a category 2 hurricane when it hit a fairly unpopulated section of coast above Tampico, about 280 miles (450 kms) south of the U.S. border. No injuries or deaths were reported by Thursday evening.

"Corrugated metal roofs blew off several wooden houses, trees were blown over and electrical posts were knocked down," said Tofik Salum, director of the civil defense agency in the northern state of Tamaulipas.

The hardest hit was the town of Gonzalez, about 175 kilometer (110 miles) northwest of Tampico, Salum said.

Meanwhile, Keith deteriorated into a tropical storm hours later, and was forecast to rapidly weaken as it moved farther inland. All warnings were called off except a tropical storm warning north from Tampico to the port city of La Pesca.

At 8 p.m. EDT, the center of Tropical Storm Keith was about 35 miles south of Ciudad Victoria, Mexico. The storm was moving toward the west-northwest near 13 mph with maximum sustained winds near 65 mph.

More than half of the 2,500 people who were evacuated in the area returned to their homes Thursday evening and only 222 of the 850 shelters the government had set up in anticipation of the storm remained open, Salum said.

Authorities, however, were on alert in Ciudad Victoria for mudslides in the hills ringing the city of 243,960 as the storm headed that way.

Earlier in the day, the storm dumped heavy rain on Tampico, which together with the twin city of Ciudad Madero, has a population of nearly 450,000.

Television footage showed calf-deep water streaming through some streets in Tampico, about 280 miles (450 kms) south of the U.S. border, forcing the evacuation of residents of low-lying areas there.

Keith was born last week in the Caribbean and quickly developed into a powerful hurricane with maximum winds of up to 135 mph (217 kph), cutting a path of destruction through Central America and southeastern Mexico and causing at least a dozen deaths.

It had weakened into a tropical depression Tuesday after soaking much of the Yucatan peninsula. A tropical storm becomes a hurricane when winds reach 74 mph (120 kph).

The storm dumped 22 inches (55 centimeters) of rain on Belize and caused major damage there, flooding streets and toppling houses.

While one drowning death was reported in Belize, the bulk of the casualties from the storm came in Nicaragua and other Central American countries. One person was reported dead in flooding the storm has caused in Mexico.

Meanwhile, another tropical storm, Olivia, continued far off Mexico's southern Pacific coast, with winds of 61 mph (100 kph).

Olivia was about 250 miles (500 kms) southwest of Manzanillo, Mexico, and was moving west at about 6 mph (9 kph).

Ford's Venezuela unit drops Firestone as tire supplier

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — Ford Motor Co. has dropped Bridgestone/Firestone Inc. as the tire supplier for two vehicle models manufactured in its Venezuelan plant, a decision that breaks all ties between the two companies here, a spokesman for the automaker said Thursday.

Ford's Venezuelan subsidiary decided Sept. 14 to begin using Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. tires on its Lazer family vehicle and 350 truck, the only two of eight models sold in Venezuela previously fitted with Firestone tires, Ford spokesman Ricardo Tinoco told The Associated Press.

Ford's relations with Bridgestone/Firestone have soured in an escalating feud over who is to blame for at least 147 fatal crashes in the U.S. and Venezuela involving Firestone tires. In many cases the tires were mounted on Ford Explorers.

Ford's Venezuela branch stopped using Firestone tires on Explorers in September 1999, amid rising complaints of tire blowouts.

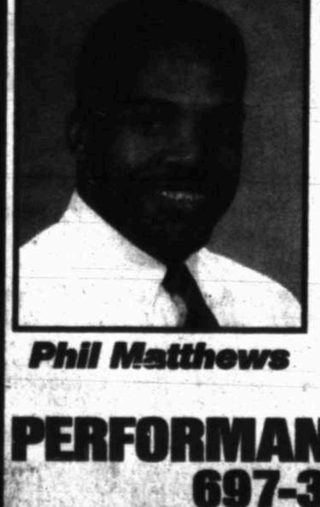
"Our decision was based on the serious doubts we have in the production process of those tires," Tinoco said.

Ford maintains "tread separation" in Firestone tires is the common factor in Explorer accidents that have killed at least 46 people in Venezuela. Ford says the tread separation is caused by a manufacturing defect in the tires, but Bridgestone/Firestone suggests flaws in the Explorer's suspension system may be to blame.

A Bridgestone/Firestone spokeswoman said the tire maker was not concerned about Ford's decision because it only represented a 2 percent loss in Venezuelan sales.

Venezuelan government officials said Thursday they want to evaluate the safety of Ford Explorer 2001 models before they go on sale later this month.

Indecu, a government consumer protection agency, will ask the attorney general to order the examination, which could occur next week, said Indecu head Samuel Ruh.



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Know the facts before you vote:

Fact 1: Both Lee and Midland High Schools have 600-700 too many students TODAY! This problem isn't going away without major construction.

Fact 2: Our high schools are out of date. We don't have adequate technology resources or space to add them in current facilities. Again, major construction is the only solution.

Fact 3: Our high school science labs are antiques.

Fact 4: Because of the above, our children are in danger of missing opportunities they need to compete with other Texas and US students.

Fact 5: MISD's debt per student is substantially below the average for the fifty largest districts (of which we are one) MISD-$2,897, Average 50-Largest Districts-$5,431, and Average State-$4,597

Fact 6: Passagof the high school bond will put MISD's per student debt in the "average" range.

Fact 7: When the bond issue passes, but not until 2002, property taxes on a $50,000 home will increase by $4.06 per month, on a $100,000 home-$8.12 per month, etc. If you're 65+ and have filed an exemption, they won't go up at all!

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Fact 9: MISD TAAS scores (reading and math) are the best ever. SAT scores are above the state and national averages. Terra Nova achievement test scores are considerably above the national norm. Plus, Midland has more National Merit Scholarship finalists than Abilene, Amarillo, San Angelo, and Odessa-combined!

Fact 10: Approving the bond would send a positive signal to superintendent candidates that Midlanders value children and education. Midland would more likely attract top-notch candidates.

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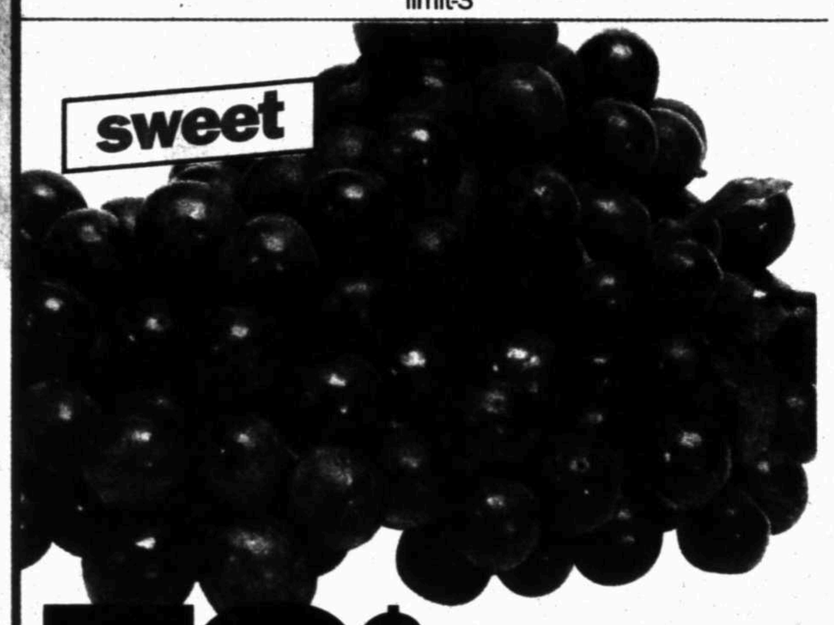

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Lee, MHS hit road for last tuneup

Rebs go for 5th straight victory over Coronado

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

EL PASO — At 7:30 p.m. (MDT) today, the Midland Lee Rebels finish off their non-district schedule Sun City style, taking on El Paso Coronado.

LEE
Midland Lee at EP Coronado

Somewhat familiar foes, Lee and Coronado will hook up at Coronado Stadium for the fifth straight year, and it has been a good series for the Rebels so far. Lee has won all four contests by an average of score of 46-8. Also, Midland Lee head football coach John Parchman is 15-1 against El Paso teams. It is a percentage that is above the rest of District 4-5A schools, but only. El Paso Coronado coach Don Brooks knows all this quite well.

"I am old enough that I don't have to worry about my record any more," Brooks said, "but if I hadn't played the Permians and Lees, my record would be a lot better."

He has been the head coach of Coronado — one of El Paso's better programs — since 1977.

"I haven't had much success here (against 4-5A teams), but it makes us better," Brooks said. "If you get to the playoffs, you have to play them anyway,

Please see LEE/4C

TERRY WILLIAMSON

Rebels could give Parchman his 60th win as Lee coach

While walking through the land of District 4-5A football:

Parchman Milestone: If Midland Lee beats El Paso Coronado tonight, coach John Parchman will have notched his 60th victory at Lee since 1995. That's an average of 10 wins per season and this one is only half way over in regular season play. His current record at Lee is 59-9-1 (.862). In his four-plus seasons, Parchman has lost more than one game in a year only once, 1997 (5-5). He did have a loss and a tie in 1995, his first season. Parchman is 15-3 (.833) in the state playoffs.

Williamson

The Amarillo Strangers: It seems strange that Midland High and Amarillo High have played only twice since 1955. They were once in the same district (1952-55) and the Bulldogs won three of four games as district mates.

Lee vs. El Paso: Lee owns a 47-4-1 overall record against teams from El Paso. All four losses and the one tie have come in El Paso. The one tie was as good as a loss since Lee once tied

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District 4-5A

	Overall W	L	District W	L
Abilene High	5	0	0	0
Midland Lee	**3**	**1**	**0**	**0**
Odessa Permian	3	2	0	0
Abilene Cooper	3	2	0	0
Midland High	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**
Odessa High	2	3	0	0

Tonight's Games

*Midland High at Amarillo High, 7:30 p.m.

*Midland Lee at El Paso Coronado, 8:30 p.m.

All other District 4-5A teams are off this week.

Area Teams

Tonight's Games

Andrews at Lubbock Estacado, 7:30 p.m.

San Angelo Lake View at Big Spring, 7:30 p.m.

Garden City at Fort Davis, 7:30 p.m.

Midland Christian at Reagan County, 8 p.m.

*See Page 3C for radio information

Bulldogs get to test out Field Turf while testing offense against Sandies

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

AMARILLO — The Midland High Bulldogs have a couple of missions to accomplish at 7:30 p.m. today at Dick Bivins Stadium.

First and foremost, the Bulldogs would like to bring home a victory over the playoff rich Amarillo High Golden Sandies.

Second, MHS coach David Browning wants to see what the new Dick Bivins artificial turf is like.

Amarillo has put in Field Turf at Dick Bivins Stadium and that is one of the surfaces being considered for the new football/soccer stadium being built in Midland.

"This will be my first experience with that surface," Browning said. "Playing on it will give me a better idea of what it is like. I do know that they seem to really like it in Amarillo."

Larry Dippel, the long time head coach of the Sandies, said of the surface, "I love it. It's a great surface and it's my preference over anything that's out there right now. It's better than any of the astroturf surfaces that are out there.

"Everyone knows the traffic we have on our field with four high schools in town and the playoff traffic. When we had grass, and we would get rain and snow, our field was really awful as a lot of people who live in Midland know since they have played games up here in some bad conditions in the past. It's safer, softer and has some spring to it. It's really a lot like playing on grass."

But this game is key for both teams. The winner will come away with a winning record in non-conference play and have a little momentum going into district play next weekend. Both teams now own 2-2 marks.

The Sandies beat Amarillo Palo Duro (28-6) and Plainview (14-7) to open the season before losing to Class 4A Pampa (21-10) and Odessa Permian (35-14). Now they have had an open week to prepare for Midland High, which is coming off a 3-0 win over Lubbock Coronado.

Please see MHS/4C

BASEBALL PLAYOFFS

Cards rip another Braves starter

By R.B. Fallstrom
AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS — Another of the Atlanta Braves' golden arms left Busch Stadium badly tarnished, putting the St. Louis Cardinals within one win of the NL championship series.

■ Mets nip Giants/2C

Tom Glavine was pounded for seven runs and six hits in 2 1-3 innings — his shortest outing in seven years — and the Cardinals beat the Braves 10-4 Thursday to take a 2-0 lead in their best-of-five NL playoff series.

"It came at a bad time," Glavine said. "I needed to go out there and give us an opportunity to win, and I didn't do that."

Will Clark overcame a 2-0, first-inning deficit with a three-run homer, and Mark McGwire, limited to one at-bat per game because of knee pain, limped out of the Cardinals dugout in the eighth to hit a pinch homer off Mike Remlinger.

AP Photo

Atlanta Braves pitcher Tom Glavine, right, shows his frustration as St. Louis' Will Clark, left, rounds first base after hitting a three-run homer in the first inning of their playoff game Thursday in St. Louis. The Cardinals took a 2-0 lead in the best-of-five series with a 10-4 victory.

"What we were trying to do was go out there and get a good pitch to hit, basically the same thing that we did with Maddux," Clark said. "These guys are awesome pitchers. They're 20-game winners for a reason."

Darryl Kile limited Atlanta to two runs and four hits in seven innings,

Please see NLDS/2C

Yankees return to comforts of home

By Josh Dubow
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK — Watch out, Oakland.

The New York Yankees have their swagger back, their boisterous fans on their side, and their postseason ace on the mound.

Almost written off after dropping the opener against the Athletics, the best-of-five AL division series shifts to Yankee Stadium on Friday night with teams tied at 1.

"Our confidence is building," reliever Jeff Nelson said Thursday.

That could be a scary thought for Oakland, especially with Orlando Hernandez pitching for the Yankees.

Hernandez (12-13) had a mediocre regular season but has always been at his best come October. El Duque is 5-0 in six career postseason starts with a 1.02 ERA, trailing only Sandy Koufax and teammate Mariano Rivera for the best ERA among pitchers with 40 or more innings.

"He's just been big in big games for us," manager Joe Torre said. "He loves the challenge. ... It's hard to explain, except that certain guys are driven by that challenge."

The A's have an unforeseen additional hurdle as well as they spent most of the day traveling. After refueling in Salinas, Kan., the A's were stuck on the ground for about one hour because of bad weather.

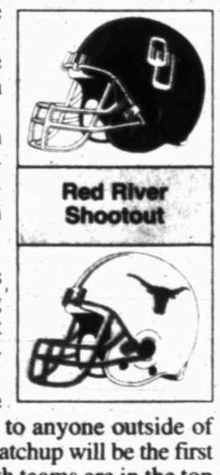
After they finally took off, the flight was diverted to Newark International Airport in New Jersey because President Clinton was landing at LaGuardia Airport in Queens. The plane circled for about 30 minutes before being rerouted and landing at LaGuardia at 8:30 p.m., two hours lat-

Please see ALDS/2C

UT-OU rivalry regains some significance

By Jim Vertuno
AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN — For 100 years, the Red River Shootout has been a border war, played during the hoopla of the Texas State Fair in a stadium evenly divided in Texas orange and Oklahoma crimson.



Home field advantage doesn't exist in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas.

Depending on which team you root for, it's either Texas-Oklahoma or Oklahoma-Texas. The preferred team comes first. Always.

In its heyday, winning was considered key to recruiting the top high school talent. It could make or break a program's future.

But it's been a long while since the game meant much to anyone outside of Big 12 country. Saturday's matchup will be the first time since 1984 in which both teams are in the top 15, with Oklahoma (4-0, 1-0) at No. 10 and Texas (3-1, 1-0) at No. 11.

The rivalry dates back to 1900, before Texas was known as the Longhorns and Oklahoma was still called the Rough Riders. Texas leads the series 55-34 with five ties. Nine times, either Texas or Oklahoma has come in ranked No. 1 in the nation.

"It's always important regionally, and this year it has more national attention," said Texas coach Mack Brown. "And now that both programs are improving, I think it will be good to get it back on the national level."

The fans, however, never wavered. The October game brings out their best, or perhaps their worst.

Texas cornerback Roderick Babers learned that last year when he played Oklahoma for the first time.

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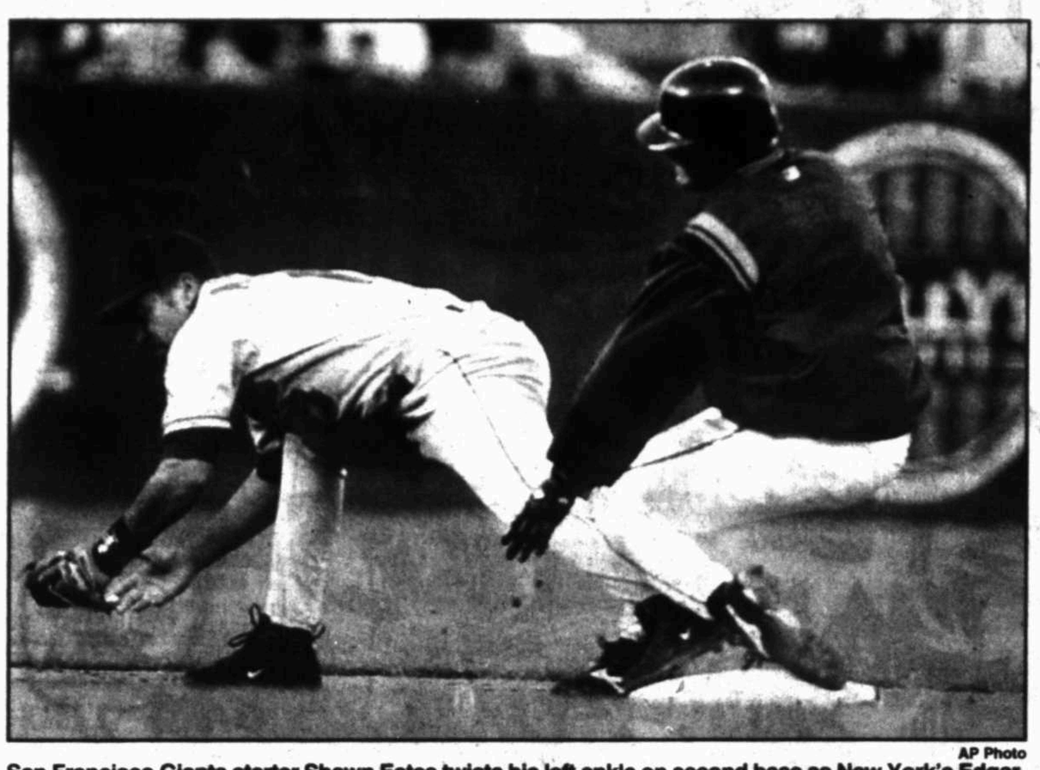

AP Photo

San Francisco Giants starter Shawn Estes twists his left ankle on second base as New York's Edgardo Alfonzo fields the ball Thursday in San Francisco. The injury forced Estes to leave the game.

Payton's single upstages Snow's homer in Mets' win

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — Jay Payton's quiet little single was bigger than J.T. Snow's dramatic pinch-hit homer.

After Payton's go-ahead single in the 10th inning, John Franco did what Armando Benitez couldn't: Franco closed it the New York Mets overcame a game-tying -run homer by Snow in the bottom of the nu beat the San Francisco Giants 5-4 Thursday ni t.

Edgardo Alfonzo had a two-run homer in the ninth for the Mets, who evened their best-of-five NL playoffs series at 1-1 and won for the first time in six games at Pacific Bell Park.

Game 3 is Saturday at Shea Stadium.

Given a 4-1 lead in the ninth, Benitez wasted a standout performance from Al Leiter, who held the Giants to five hits in eight-plus innings.

"We won at this ballpark. I think that's really good for us," Mets manager Bobby Valentine said. "Al Leiter is fabulous. I'm proud of this group, that wasn't an easy win. This time of the year, they're not supposed to be easy. I'm proud of the guys."

When Leiter gave up a leadoff double to Barry Bonds in the ninth, the Mets went to the bullpen for Benitez, a closer with a sobering history of poor postseason performances.

Jeff Kent reached on an infield single and, one out later, Snow launched the first pinch-hit homer of his career.

The ball hit the facing of the walkway over right field at Pac Bell and landed maybe two feet to the left of the foul pole.

As the Giants' fans went wild, Benitez's shoulders sagged into an all-too-familiar pose. He allowed three game-deciding hits the 1997 AL championship series while he was with Baltimore, including a game-winning homer by Tony Fernandez that broke up a scoreless tie in the 11th inning of the series finale and a three-run, go-ahead homer by Marquis Grissom in the eighth inning of Game 3.

But the Mets came back in the 10th with a two-out double by Darryl Hamilton, who struck out with the bases loaded in the eighth inning of the Mets' 5-1 series-opening loss on Wednesday.

Hamilton, who missed about four months of the season because of an arthritic left toe, lined the ball the right-center and managed to get to second. Payton followed with a run-scoring single to center off Giants setup man Felix Rodriguez.

"We knew we were going to get another chance to go up there and swing the bats," Payton said. "Fortunately, it worked out for us."

Franco got the first postseason save of his 16-year major league career with a gutsy performance in the 10th. Armando Rios reached second on a pinch-hit single and a sacrifice, but Rios tried to take third on Bill Mueller's grounder and was thrown out by shortstop Mike Bordick.

Franco ended things dramatically by throwing a called third strike past Bonds, a curveball that hooked just over the inside corner.

"Tonight was my turn to pick Armando up. He's picked me up," Franco said. "Now we want to go to Shea with our fans. They've got pretty good fans here, but hopefully our place will be rocking."

Until the ninth-inning craziness, the game was dominated by Leiter. He pitched 4 2-3 hitless innings in the middle and appeared poised to get his first postseason win since 1993.

After allowing a run in the second inning, Leiter held the Giants hitless from the third until the eighth. He didn't allow another runner even to reach second base until the ninth.

"I kind of feel bad for Armando. He's been there for us all year," Leiter said. "I'm happy right now. Doesn't seem like we do it easy, but that will hopefully build momentum for Game 3."

The Giants lost starting pitcher Shawn Estes in the third inning when he grotesquely jammed his left ankle into second base while trying to beat out a force play. Estes limped off the bag and was tagged out.

Estes, who wasn't sharp in the three innings he pitched, sustained a sprained ankle on the play and was replaced by Kirk Rueter, the Giants' No. 4 starter during the regular season.

Timo Perez had a two-run single to center in the second inning for New York. San Francisco got one run in the second on Ellis Burks' RBI double.

Allman's hat trick sparks Jacks

Staff Report

LUBBOCK — Jackalope newcomer Trevor Allman turned in a hat trick with three late goals to lift Odessa to a 5-4 shootout win over the Lubbock Cotton Kings here Thursday night in a Western Professional Hockey League exhibition game.

Trailing 4-2 in the third period, Allman scored back-to-back goals in the space of 2 1/2 minutes to tie the game at 4-4. The Jacks won the shootout 2-1 after each team sent five skaters up. John Bossio and Allman each scored in the shootout with Allman getting the game winner to turn in the hat trick for the night.

Lubbock took a 1-0 lead in the first period, but the Jacks' Mike Sanderson tied it at 1-1.

Jacks newcomer Mike Stalk gave Odessa a 2-1 lead in the second period and Odessa goalie Grant Sjerven gave up only one goal in his work in the first two periods.

Joe Harris went into the net for Odessa in the final period and Lubbock scored three unanswered goals for a 4-2 lead. But Harris came back strong in the shootout, stopping four of Lubbock's five shootout efforts.

The Jacks outshot Lubbock by a huge 50-25 margin in the exhibition contest.

The Jacks will host these same Cotton Kings in another exhibition at the Ector County Coliseum at 7 p.m. Saturday in Odessa.

Local Sports

Football

Junior Varsity

Midland High JV 7, Amarillo High JV 0. MHSJV (4-1): Lucas Watkins, 20 yard TD pass from Jason Russell, 2 interceptions; Russell, 150 yards passing; Ty Seeker, 1 interception; Ollie Fitts, 10 tackles, 2 sacks; Tres Watson, 2 sacks.

Midland Christian JV 28, Reagan County JV 12. For MCSJV (5-1): Cad Davis, 2 rushes for 108 yards, 2 TDs; Thomas Minihan, 58 yards, 1 TD, two 2-point conversions; Blake Morphew, 68 yards, 1 TD, 1 sack; Roy Geer, interception; James Vale, interception; Thomas Minihan, interception; Craig Sparkman, 1 sack; Brandon Quick, 1 sack; Jonathan Grosse, 1 fumble recovery.

Freshmen

Lee Freshmen Maroon 41, Midland Freshman White 8. For Maroon (4-2): Curtis Riley, 126 yards, three TDs; Cameron Phillips, 121 yards passing (including a 74-yard touchdown pass to Cory Wheeler); Ryan Dupriest, 15-yard TD run; James Peterson, 60 yards rushing, one TD, one 2-point conversion; Rocky Flores, three PATs; Noel Bautista, six tackles, one sack; Tyler Knoll, five tackles, one sack; Randy Hall, five tackles, one sack; Robby Hudson, fumble recovery.

Eighth Grade

Alamo B 26, Goddard B 0. For Alamo (4-0): Maurice Ringo, one TD; Jaime Ramos, 87 yards, 2-point conversion; Jaime Azueje, 82 yards, 2 TDs; Richard Mendoza, 1 TD, one sack; Javier Sosa, 6 tackles, 2 sacks; John Hicks, 1 sack; Clayton Creech, 1 sack.

Abell B 28, San Jacinto B 8. For Abell (2-2): Nick Barrientez, punt return for TD, 2 rushing TDs, 125 yards rushing; Michael Webber, two 2-point conversions; Ariluo Lopez, 1 TD; John Evans, 3 interceptions; Tim Smith, 8 tackles; Michael Aranda, 8 tackles.

Volleyball

Seventh Grade

City American Conference Tournament

Abell Blue def. Alamo White, 15-13, 15-9. For Blue (7-1): Cydney Cumbest, 5 service points. Blue advances to semifinals.

Abell Silver def. Goddard White, 15-11, 7-15, 15-11. For Silver (6-2): Caitlin Gravelle, 8 service points; Ana Avila, 6 service points; Carlota Cordero, 5 service points. Silver advances to semifinals.

National Conference Tournament

San Jacinto White (3-5) def. Goddard Black, 15-8, 2-15, 15-13. SJ White will play Goddard Purple, which beat Alamo Red. Alamo Red will play Goddard Black in the consolation round. Also Abell Maroon defeated San Jacinto Green to move against Alamo Gray. SJ Green will play Abell White in the consolation side.

Alamo Gray def. Abell White, 15-1, 13-15, 15-11. For Alamo (8-0): Katie Wells, 11 service points; Marcie Marino, 9 service points; Liz Montgomery, 8 service points. Gray advances to semifinals.

Eighth Grade

Midland Christian A def. Andrews, 15-10, 15-6. For MCS (19-0). Last year MCS was 21-1 and Andrews was the only team to beat Midland Christian. This team is 40-1 over the last two seasons. Nikki Davis, 8 service points, 14 digs; Paula Diffie, 6 service points; Jennifer Oden, 6 service points; Jacci Vallee, 6 service points; Amy Stretcher, 11 digs; Haley McMinn, 10 digs; Courtney Elder, 5 kills.

Andrews def. Midland Christian B, 15-7, 15-9. For MCS: Cici Nuñez, 5 service points; Rachael Morris, 4 service points.

ALDS: Hudson hopes to pilot Athletics to victory in Game 3

(From 1C)

er than planned.

"We're miserable and grumpy," third baseman Eric Chavez said. "I just want to get to my room."

Game 3 starter Tim Hudson, who sat at the controls in the cockpit with teammate Adam Piatt when the plane was on the ground in Kansas, was ready for a good night's rest.

"I'm weathered," he said. "But I'll be ready to go."

But Oakland does have its ace on the mound. Hudson (20-6) was the best pitcher in the league down the stretch, going 7-0 with a 1.16 ERA in his last seven starts.

Hudson hasn't pitched in the postseason before, but he did beat Texas on the final day of the regular season to clinch the AL West.

"We know with Huddy going out there we have a good chance to win," second baseman Randy Velarde said. "In my opinion, that game Sunday was every bit as big as a playoff game, and he won it for us."

It just wasn't played at Yankee Stadium, with 55,000 fans screaming insults, cheering the Yankees and even and throwing objects onto the field.

"They are going to be very loud and noisy," Oakland manager Art Howe said. "They'll get the Yankees going no matter what the situation is. It's going to be very exciting to see how our young players react to that."

Nelson knows firsthand how difficult it can be to be a visitor in Yankee Stadium. He played against the Yankees in 1995 with Seattle and has watched opponents come into with a little fear the past four Octobers.

"It's definitely an advantage," he said. "It's a different atmosphere here. The fans will get loud and show Oakland what real fans are all about."

Some of the A's are approaching the game with trepidation — Chavez admitted to being a "little bit nervous" — but team leader Jason Giambi is relishing the chance.

"I've always said that's the ultimate place to play baseball," Giambi said. "It's the sports capital of the world. It doesn't get any better than that."

Hudson wasn't intimidated in his only career start against the Yankees. He allowed no hits through 4 2-3 innings on Aug. 30, 1999, before faltering in the fifth and losing 7-4.

"This is fun," the 25-year-old pitcher said before leaving Oakland. "I'm going to be one of the happiest guys out there. I love pitching in front of big crowds and huge stadiums."

But Hudson's pitching won't mean much unless Oakland's offense reverts to its regular-season form. After finishing second in the league in runs per game and homers, the A's have scored five runs with no homers in the first two games of the series.

The Yankees haven't hit much either, scoring seven runs without a homer. Most of New York's offense has come from unexpected sources. Luis Sojo has three RBIs — and two errors — starting at second base for Chuck Knoblauch, backups Glenallen Hill and Clay Bellinger have driven in one run apiece, and Scott Brosius and Tino Martinez, who both struggled all season, have the other RBIs.

"I'd like to believe that we have something coming from the middle of our lineup," Torre said.

Torre shuffled his lineup in the second game, sitting Knoblauch for Hill and dropping Paul O'Neill to sixth, but he won't commit to a lineup for Game 3.

NLDS: Cards lead Braves, 2-0

(From 1C)

striking out six and walking two.

The reeling Braves are in danger of failing to make the NL championship series for the first time since 1990. They head home hoping either Maddux on three days' rest or Kevin Millwood (10-13) can win Game 3 on Saturday at Turner Field. Garrett Stephenson (16-9) is likely to start for the Cardinals.

St. Louis essentially is in the same position it was in 1996, when it took a 3-1 lead over Atlanta in the best-of-seven NLCS, then lost three straight.

"It's exactly the same thing," Braves manager Bobby Cox said. "We could very well pull that off. Heck, we won 15 in a row this year."

Cardinals manager Tony La Russa remains wary of the Braves, who find themselves struggling in the '00s after calling themselves the team of the '90s.

"We recognize this is a three-win series, not a two-win series," La Russa said. "So nobody's celebrating."

After Clark's three-run homer started the comeback, Carlos Hernandez had a solo shot in the second and St. Louis made it 7-2 in the third on Ray Lankford's two-run double and Eric Davis' sacrifice fly.

Atlanta's top two pitchers, Greg Maddux and Glavine, who have combined for six NL Cy Young Awards, have given up 12 earned runs in 6 1-3 innings, a 17.05 ERA.

Jim Edmonds was 3-for-4 with three doubles and two RBIs for St. Louis, making him 6-for-9 with four RBIs in the series. He also made an over-the-shoulder catch of Rafael Furcal's drive to the center-field warning track in the eighth.

"You'll see him do at least one of these every series," La Russa said. "To the left, to the right, in, back, he's just a complete center fielder."

Kile and Glavine were the only 20-game winners in the NL this season. While Kile evened his career postseason record at 1-1, Glavine dropped to 10-12.

Kile struggled with his control in the first, giving up an RBI single to Chipper Jones and a run-scoring groundout to Brian Jordan. But after Andres Galarraga's two-out double in the first, Kile retired 13 in a row, striking out the side in the second.

"Every game is different," Kile said. "Some days you come out of the chute with your command. I gave up the lead early and fortunately we came back with some big hits."

St. Louis went 6-for-12 against Glavine, who hadn't been chased this quickly since lasting two innings in a 7-5 loss to Los Angeles on Aug. 19, 1993. The Cardinals' three left-handed hitters were for 4-for-6 with a homer, two doubles and five RBIs against them.

His only worse postseason outing was a two-inning stint in Game 6 of the 1992 NLCS against Pittsburgh in which he allowed eight runs.

"Tommy's usually living on the edge," Braves pitching coach Leo Mazzone said. "Today, he caught a lot of the middle of the plate. He was hitting the heart of the plate with left-handed pitchers."

After Glavine departed, Edmonds hit RBI doubles off Andy Ashby in the fourth and John Burkett in the sixth for a 9-2 lead.

Atlanta got a pair of runs in the eighth off Mike Timlin on Andruw Jones' homer and Jordan's RBI single.

McGwire, baseball's biggest star, has hardly played since midseason because of patella tendinitis in his right knee. Two of his 32 homers during the season came after he returned from the disabled list Sept. 8.

He drove a 1-2 pitch from Remlinger 412 feet over the center-field wall. The crowd applauded long enough to get a curtain call.

High school band wouldn't pay to play

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The Devil Rays apparently feel it's such an honor to play the national anthem before Tampa Bay's games that high school band members should pay $6 each for the privilege.

St. Petersburg High School refused to play before Sunday's season finale after team officials told them they would have to pay $6 each to enter Tropicana Field. The band had been invited to play the anthem after the 75 members sold 203 Devil Rays tickets as part of a fund-raiser, making $406 for the band.

They didn't want to spend it all to perform.

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Busch 300

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — Qualifying results Thursday from Saturday's All Pro Bumper to Bumper 300 NASCAR Busch Series, Grand National Division race at the Lowe's Motor Speedway with car number in parentheses, driver, type of car and qualifying speed in mph (Qualifying continues Friday):

1. (17) Matt Kenseth, Chevrolet, 178.956.
2. (5) Dick Trickle, Chevrolet, 178.926.
3. (24) Ricky Hendrick, Chevrolet, 178.861.
4. (60) Mark Martin, Ford, 178.802.
5. (87) Joe Nemechek, Chevrolet, 178.548.
6. (15) Mike Skinner, Chevrolet, 178.512.
7. (20) Dave Blaney, Pontiac, 178.100.
8. (2) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 178.042.
9. (26) Bobby Hamilton Jr., Chevrolet, 177.936.
10. (27) Casey Atwood, Chevrolet, 177.766.
11. (92) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 177.655.
12. (53) Hank Parker Jr., Chevrolet, 177.649.
13. (43) Jay Sauter, Chevrolet, 177.626.
14. (7) Michael Waltrip, Chevrolet, 177.561.
15. (10) Jeff Green, Chevrolet, 177.550.
16. (37) Kevin Grubb, Chevrolet, 177.363.
17. (57) Jason Keller, Chevrolet, 177.256.
18. (82) Ted Musgrave, Chevrolet, 177.189.
19. (35) Lyndon Amick, Chevrolet, 177.165.
20. (1) Randy LaJoie, Chevrolet, 177.072.
21. (36) Tim Fedewa, Chevrolet, 177.072.
22. (33) Tony Raines, Chevrolet, 177.038.
23. (9) Jeff Burton, Ford, 176.968.
24. (98) Elton Sawyer, Ford, 176.887.
25. (25) Kenny Wallace, Chevrolet, 176.864.

Failed to Qualify

26. (71) Kevin LePage, Chevrolet, 176.748.
27. (00) Buckshot Jones, Chevrolet, 176.696.
28. (59) Phil Parsons, Chevrolet, 176.644.
29. (81) Blaise Alexander, Chevrolet, 176.598.
30. (51) Jim Bown, Chevrolet, 176.471.
31. (34) David Green, Chevrolet, 176.304.
32. (21) Mike Dillon, Chevrolet, 176.229.
33. (66) Todd Bodine, Chevrolet, 176.102.
34. (77) Mike Wallace, Ford, 176.022.
35. (63) Mark Green, Chevrolet, 175.987.
36. (48) Mike McLaughlin, Chevrolet, 175.947.
37. (30) Phillip Morris, Chevrolet, 175.844.
38. (74) Chad Little, Chevrolet, 175.816.
39. (31) Steve Park, Chevrolet, 175.479.
40. (18) Jason Leffler, Pontiac, 175.421.
41. (45) Kyle Petty, Chevrolet, 175.262.
42. (0) Johnny Rumley, Chevrolet, 175.211.
43. (3) Ron Hornaday, Chevrolet, 175.063.
44. (91) Rich Bickle, Pontiac, 174.899.
45. (46) Ashton Lewis Jr. Chevrolet, 174.814.
46. (01) Sterling Marlin, Chevrolet, 174.746.
47. (4) Jeff Purvis, Pontiac, 174.740.
48. (44) Justin Labonte, Chevrolet, 174.407.
49. (19) Ricky Craven, Chevrolet, 174.284.
50. (55) Michael Ritch, Ford, 174.205.
51. (04) Terry Labonte, Chevrolet, 174.188.
52. (11) Jason Jarrett, Chevrolet, 173.756.
53. (90) Mike Stefanik, Chevrolet, 172.392.

College Football

Thursday's Football Scores
By The Associated Press
SOUTH
W. Michigan 30, Marshall 10
SOUTHWEST
Fresno St. 27, Rice 24
North Texas 41, Samford 6

Fresno St. 27, Rice 24

Fresno St.	9	7	0	11	— 27
Rice	10	0	14	0	— 24

First Quarter
FSU—Safety, recovered fumble in end zone, 14:48
FSU—Johnson 29 pass from Carr (Asparuhov kick), 13:17
Rice—FB Crabtree 39, 8:16
Rice—Beck 22 run (Crabtree kick)
Second Quarter
FSU—Johnson 28 pass from Carr (Asparuhov kick), 14:47
Third Quarter
Rice—Tyler 3 run (Crabtree kick)
Rice—Evans 15 run (Crabtree kick), 5:50
Fourth Quarter
FSU—Shabaglian 9 pass from Carr (Carr pass to Wright), 1:58
FSU—FG Asparuhov 43, :05
A—10,000.

	FSU	Rice
First downs	22	24
Rushes-yards	34-179	58-306
Passing	220	61
Comp-Att-Int	20-31-2	4-13-0
Return Yards	0	12
Punts-Avg.	2-40	2-28
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	4-2
Penalties-Yards	9-74	3-30
Time of Possession	25:39	34:21

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING— Fresno State, Levi 16-68, Gaines 7-54, Carr 5-27, Tillman 4-20, Wright 2-10. Rice, Hurd 10-97, Evans 18-94, Tyler 9-32, Beck 4-26, Sadler 5-21, Bradley 5-19, S.White 3-13, Griffin 3-5, Hawkins 1-(minus 1).
PASSING— Fresno State, Carr 20-31-2-220. Rice, Evans 3-11-0-53, Hurd 1-2-0-8.
RECEIVING—Fresno State, Je. Johnson 6-77, Wright 5-40, Shabaglian 4-41, Berrian 3-41, Gaines 2-21. Rice, Boothe 3-40, Okoronkwo 1-21.

North Texas 41, Samford 6

Samford	0	0	6	0	— 6
North Texas	20	0	14	7	— 41

First Quarter
NT—Wilborn 3 run (Ball kick), 10:20
NT—C. Pertile 31 fumble return (kick failed), 8:36
NT—Whitehead 4 pass from Hall (Ball kick), 1:57
Third Quarter
NT—Curtis 36 pass from Hall (Ball kick), 11:21
NT—Hickmon 3 run (Ball kick), 8:39
Sam—Ogletree 2 run (kick failed), 2:41
Fourth Quarter
NT—Dean 4 pass from Stack (Ball kick), 2:09. A—6,712.

	Sam	UNT
First downs	17	15
Rushes-yards	52-166	50-262
Passing	92	72
Comp-Att-Int	9-16-1	5-10-0
Return Yards	3	77
Punts-Avg.	3-39	4-43
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-17	8-75
Time of Possession	31:47	28:13

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Samford, Brown 9-46, Ogletree 5-36, Gilliam 8-31, Wright 7-18, Brewer 3-17, Reed 3-15, Holmes 2-10, McCarty 1-8, Salter 2-5, Kellett 12-(minus 20). UNT, Scott 12-91, Hickmon 20-91, Wilburn 8-45, Holly 5-21, Miller 4-12, Whitehead 1-2.
PASSING — Samford, Kellett 8-13-1-61, Brown 1-3-0-31. UNT, Scott 4-9-0-68, Stack 1-1-0-4.
RECEIVING — Samford, Holmes 2-30, Pointer 2-19, Brewer 2-9, Horstead 1-31, Salter 1-2, Reed 1-1. UNT, Curtis 1-36, Massey 1-22, Gardner 1-6, Dean 1-4, Whitehead 1-4.

PBA Gastonia

GASTONIA, N.C. (AP) — Standings Thursday after the fifth round of the PBA Seniors Gastonia Classic:

1. Roger Workman, Kenova, W.Va., 17-7, 9,798. 2, Gary Dickinson, Edmond, Okla., 12-12, 9,731. 3, Gene Stus, Allen Park, Mich. (SS), 15-9, 9,663. 4, Bob Glass, Lawrence, Kan., 16-8, 9,535.

Baseball Playoffs

Postseason Baseball
By The Associated Press
DIVISION SERIES
American League
Chicago vs. Seattle
Tuesday, Oct. 3
Seattle 7, Chicago 4, 10 innings
Wednesday, Oct. 4
Seattle 5, Chicago 2, Seattle leads series 2-0
Friday, Oct. 6
Chicago (Baldwin 14-7) at Seattle (Sele 17-10), 3:07 p.m. (ESPN)
Saturday, Oct. 7
Chicago at Seattle, 3:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
Sunday, Oct. 8
Seattle at Chicago, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (7 p.m. if Giants-Mets and Athletics-Yankees are over)
Oakland vs. New York
Tuesday, Oct. 3
Oakland 5, New York 3
Wednesday, Oct. 4
New York 4, Oakland 0, series tied 1-1
Friday, Oct. 6
Oakland (Hudson 20-6) at New York (Hernandez 12-13), 7:08 p.m. (NBC)
Saturday, Oct. 7
Oakland (Zito 7-4) at New York (Clemens 13-8), 6:38 p.m. (NBC)
Sunday, Oct. 8
New York at Oakland, 7 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
National League
San Francisco vs. New York
Wednesday, Oct. 4
San Francisco 5, New York 1
Thursday, Oct. 5
New York 5, San Francisco 4, 10 innings, series tied 1-1
Saturday, Oct. 7
San Francisco (Ortiz 13-12) at New York (Reed 11-5), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 3:18 p.m. (FOX) (becomes 3:18 p.m. if White Sox-Mariners is a sweep)
Sunday, Oct. 8
San Francisco at New York, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7 p.m. (FOX), (becomes night game if Athletics-Yankees is over)
Monday, Oct. 9
New York at San Francisco, 7:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
St. Louis vs. Atlanta
Tuesday, Oct. 3
St. Louis 7, Atlanta 5
Thursday, Oct. 5
St. Louis 10, Atlanta 4, St. Louis leads series 2-0
Saturday, Oct. 7
St. Louis (Stephenson 16-9, An.Benes 12-9 or Hentgen 15-12) at Atlanta (Maddux 19-9 or Millwood 10-13), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN)
Sunday, Oct. 8
St. Louis at Atlanta, 12:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (becomes night game if all other series are over)
Monday, Oct. 9
Atlanta at St. Louis, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (becomes night game if Giants-Mets is over)
League Championship Series
American League
(NBC)
Tuesday, Oct. 10
Oakland-New York winner at Chicago OR Seattle at Oakland-New York winner, 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 11
Oakland-New York winner at Chicago OR Seattle at Oakland-New York winner, 3:15 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 13
Chicago at Oakland-New York winner OR Oakland-New York winner at Seattle, 7:15 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 14
Chicago at Oakland-New York winner OR Oakland-New York winner at Seattle, 7:15 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 15
Chicago at Oakland-New York winner OR Oakland-New York winner at Seattle, 3:15 p.m., if necessary
Tuesday, Oct. 17
Oakland-New York winner at Chicago OR Seattle at Oakland-New York winner, 7:15 p.m., if necessary
Wednesday, Oct. 18
Oakland-New York winner at Chicago OR Seattle at Oakland-New York winner, 7:15 p.m., if necessary
National League
(FOX)
Wednesday, Oct. 11
St. Louis-Atlanta winner at San Francisco OR New York at Atlanta-St. Louis winner, 7:18 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 12
St. Louis-Atlanta winner at San Francisco OR New York at Atlanta-St. Louis winner, 7:18 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 14
San Francisco at St. Louis-Atlanta winner OR St. Louis-Atlanta winner at New York, 3:18 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 15
San Francisco at St. Louis-Atlanta winner OR St. Louis-Atlanta winner at New York, 7 p.m.
Monday, Oct. 16
San Francisco at St. Louis-Atlanta winner OR St. Louis-Atlanta winner at New York, 7:18 p.m., if necessary
Wednesday, Oct. 18
St. Louis-Atlanta winner at San Francisco OR New York at Atlanta-St. Louis winner, 3:18 p.m., if necessary
Thursday, Oct. 19
St. Louis-Atlanta winner at San Francisco OR New York at Atlanta-St. Louis winner, 7:18 p.m., if necessary

CARDINALS 10, BRAVES 4

ATLANTA	ab	r	h	bi	ST. LOUIS	ab	r	hbi
Furcal ss	4	1	0	0	Vina 2b	4	1	1 0
AJones cf	3	1	1	1	Rinteria ss	4	3	1 0
CJones 3b	4	2	2	1	Edmnd cf	4	2	3 2
Glrrga 1b	4	0	1	0	WClark 1b	2	2	1 3
BJordn rf	4	0	1	2	EDavis rf	3	0	0 1
JLopez c	4	0	0	0	Lnkfrd lf	4	0	1 2
RSndrs lf	4	0	0	0	CHrndz c	4	1	1 1
Lckhrt 2b	4	0	1	0	Planco 3b	3	0	0 0
Glavine p	1	0	0	0	Kile p	3	0	0 0
Ashby p	0	0	0	0	Chrstns p	0	0	0 0
Surhoff ph	1	0	1	0	Timlin p	0	0	0 0
GMddx pr	0	0	0	0	McGwr ph	1	1	1 1
Burkett p	0	0	0	0	MMoris p	0	0	0 0
Mihlind p	0	0	0	0				
Joyner ph	1	0	0	0				
Lgtnbg p	0	0	0	0				
Rmlngr p	0	0	0	0				
Bonilla ph	0	0	0	0				
Totals	**34**	**4**	**7**	**4**	**Totals**	**32**	**10**	**9 10**

Atlanta	200	000	020	—	4
St. Louis	313	101	01x	—	10

E—Furcal (1). LOB—Atlanta 6, St. Louis 5. 2B—CJones (1), Galarraga (1), Edmonds 3 (3), Lankford (1). HR—AJones (1), WClark (1), CHernandez (1), McGwire (1). SB—Renteria (1). SF—EDavis.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Atlanta						
Glavine L,0-1	2 1-3	6	7	7	1	2
Ashby	1 2-3	1	1	1	3	2
Burkett	1 1-3	1	1	1	0	0
Mulholland	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Ligtenberg	1	0	0	0	0	2
Remlinger	1	1	1	1	0	1
St. Louis						
Kile W,1-0	7	4	2	2	2	6
Christiansen	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Timlin	2-3	3	2	2	0	1
MMorris	1	0	0	0	1	0

HBP—by Burkett (Vina), by Glavine (WClark). WP—Ashby. T—3:02. A—52,389 (49,676).

METS 5, GIANTS 4, 10 innings

NEW YORK	ab	r	hbi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	hbi
Perez rf	5	1	3 2	CMurry cf	4	0	1 0
Alfonzo 2b	5	1	1 2	Benard ph	0	0	0 0
Piazza c	4	0	2 0	Mueller 3b	5	0	1 0
Zeile 1b	5	0	0 0	Bonds lf	5	1	1 0
Vntura 3b	3	0	0 0	Kent 1b	4	2	2 0
Agbyni lf	2	0	1 0	Burks rf	3	0	1 1
McEwg lf	0	0	0 0	REMtz 2b	3	0	0 0
Hmlton lf	1	1	1 0	Snow 1b	1	1	1 3
Payton cf	5	1	1 1	Aurilia ss	4	0	0 0
Bordick ss	4	1	1 0	Estlella c	4	0	0 0
ALeiter p	4	0	0 0	Estes p	0	0	0 0
Benitez p	0	0	0 0	Rueter p	0	0	0 0
JFrnco p	0	0	0 0	DHenry p	0	0	0 0
				Crespo ph	1	0	0 0
				FARigz p	0	0	0 0
				Rios ph	1	0	1 0
Totals	**38**	**5**	**10 5**	**Totals**	**35**	**4**	**8 4**

New York	020	000	002	1	—5
San Francisco	010	000	003	0	—4

DP—New York 1, San Francisco 2. LOB—New York 9, San Francisco 5. 2B—Piazza (1), Hamilton (1), Bonds (1), Burks (1). HR—Alfonzo (1), Snow (1). SB—Kent (1). S—Benard.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
New York						
ALeiter	8	5	2	2	3	6
Benitez W,1-0	1	3	2	2	0	0
JFranco S,1	1	0	0	0	0	1
San Francisco						
Estes	3	3	2	2	3	3
Rueter	4 1-3	3	0	0	1	1
DHenry	2-3	0	0	0	1	0
FARigz L,0-1	2	4	3	3	0	3

ALeiter pitched to 1 batter in the 9th, Benitez pitched to 1 batter in the 10th. HBP—by Estes (Ventura). T—3:41. A—40,430 (40,800).

Top 10 Schedule

By The Associated Press
Here is this week's schedule for the teams ranked in The Associated Press' high school football poll (games Oct. 5-7). All games are on Friday, unless otherwise noted:

Class 5A
1. Garland (4-0) at North Mesquite
2. Austin Westlake (4-0) at Killeen Ellison
3. Katy (4-0) at Humble Kingwood
4. Aldine Eisenhower (4-0) vs. Houston Northbrook, 6 p.m. Sat.
5. Midland Lee (3-1) at EP Coronado
5. Converse Judson (4-0) at Schertz Clemens
7. Lewisville (4-0) vs. Carrollton Smith
8. Tyler John Tyler (3-1) is idle.
9. Abilene (5-0) is idle.
10. San Antonio Marshall (4-0) vs. SA Taft, Thursday

Class 4A
1. Wichita Falls (5-0) is idle.
2. Stephenville (3-1) at No. 5 Brownwood
3. San Marcos (4-0) vs. Austin Bowie
4. Hereford (3-1) vs. Pampa
5. Brownwood (3-1) vs. No. 2 Stephenville
6. Wolfforth Frenship (3-1) at Snyder
7. Highland Park (4-0) at Terrell
8. Nederland (4-0) at Angleton
9. Port Arthur Lincoln (4-0) vs. Dallas Kimball
10. Ennis (3-1) vs. Marshall

Class 3A
1. Aledo (5-0) at Springtown
2. Lamesa (4-1) vs. Shallowater
3. Diboll (4-0) at Jefferson
4. Crockett (4-1) is idle.
5. Abilene Wylie (5-0) is idle.
6. Gatesville (4-0) at No. 10 China Spring
7. Daingerfield (4-0) vs. Hallsville
8. Cuero (3-1) vs. Goliad
9. La Grange (3-2) is idle.
10. China Spring (4-0) vs. No. 6 Gatesville

Class 2A
1. Mart (4-0) at Riesel
2. Celina (5-0) is idle.
3. Refugio (4-0) vs. Ganado
4. Sonora (5-0) is idle
5. Olney (5-0) is idle.
6. Pilot Point (5-0) is idle.
7. Rogers (4-0) vs. Little River Academy
8. Lone Oak (4-0) at Winona
9. Alto (3-1) vs. Kereas
10. Arp (4-0) at Frankston

Class A
1. Shiner (4-0) vs. Kenedy
2. Stratford (4-0) at White Deer
3. Beckville (4-0) at Karnack
4. Paducah (4-0) at Baird
5. Iraan (3-1) vs. McCamey
6. Celeste (4-0) vs. Prosper
7. Rankin (5-0) is idle.
8. Roscoe (5-0) is idle.
9. Windthorst (4-0) vs. Nocona
10. Bremond (3-1) vs. Chilton
10. Charlotte (5-0) is idle

Prep Scores

By The Associated Press
Texas H.S. Football Scores
Brownsville Pace 35, Edinburg Economedes 0
Killeen Harker Heights 18, Austin Crockett 13
Weslaco 42, Brownsville Porter 12
Klein 30, Conroe 7
Lamar 42, Westside 0
Elsik 28, Pasadena 26
Wheatley 12, Furr 0
Waltrip 6, Kashmere 0
Laredo United 42, S.A. West Campus 32
Boerne 38, S.A. Brackenridge 6
S.A. Marshall 51, S.A. Taft 7

Quality 500 Lineup

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — Starting lineup for Sunday's NASCAR Winston Cup Series UAW-GM Quality 500 at Lowe's Motor Speedway with qualifying position, car number, driver, car make and speed in miles per hour:

1. (24) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 185.561.
2. (18) Bobby Labonte, Pontiac, 185.516.
3. (25) Jerry Nadeau, Chevrolet, 185.484.
4. (26) Jimmy Spencer, Ford, 185.153.
5. (88) Dale Jarrett, Ford, 185.103.
6. (28) Ricky Rudd, Ford, 184.862.
7. (94) Bill Elliott, Ford, 184.691.
8. (6) Mark Martin, Ford, 184.596.
9. (10) Johnny Benson, Pontiac, 184.596.
10. (12) Jeremy Mayfield, Ford, 184.521.
11. (14) Rick Mast, Pontiac, 184.502.
12. (22) Ward Burton, Pontiac, 184.458.
13. (8) Dale Earnhardt, Jr., Chevrolet, 184.451.
14. (7) Michael Waltrip, Chevrolet, 184.231.
15. (77) Robert Pressley, Ford, 183.986.
16. (16) Kevin Lepage, Ford, 183.892.
17. (20) Tony Stewart, Pontiac, 183.767.
18. (31) Mike Skinner, Chevrolet, 183.742.
19. (4) Bobby Hamilton, Chevrolet, 183.742.
20. (36) Ken Schrader, Pontiac, 183.698.
21. (33) Joe Nemechek, Chevrolet, 183.492.
22. (2) Rusty Wallace, Ford, 183.480.
23. (21) Elliott Sadler, Ford, 183.331.
24. (75) Wally Dallenbach, Ford, 183.316.
25. (13) Robby Gordon, Ford, 183.045.
26. (17) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 182.952.
27. (98) Jeff Fuller, Ford, 182.902.
28. (43) John Andretti, Pontiac, 182.846.
29. (93) Dave Blaney, Pontiac, 182.451.
30. (27) Mike Bliss, Pontiac, 182.303.
31. (11) Brett Bodine, Ford, 182.266.
32. (55) Kenny Wallace, Chevrolet, 182.217.
33. (96) Andy Houston, Ford, 181.922.
34. (66) Darrell Waltrip, Ford, 181.898.
35. (60) Dick Trickle, Chevrolet, 181.855.
36. (90) Hut Stricklin, Ford, 181.824.
37. (3) Dale Earnhardt, Chevrolet, provisional
38. (99) Jeff Burton, Ford, provisional
39. (1) Steve Park, Chevrolet, provisional
40. (5) Terry Labonte, Chevrolet, provisional
41. (40) Sterling Marlin, Chevrolet, provisional
42. (97) Kurt Busch, Ford, provisional
43. (01) Ted Musgrave, Chevrolet, provisional

Failed to qualify
(32) Scott Pruett, Ford, 181.525.
(50) Ricky Craven, Chevrolet, 179.313.
(44) Steve Grissom, Pontiac, 178.495.
(85) Carl Long, Ford, 178.359.
(9) Stacy Compton, Ford, 178.047.
(71) Dave Marcis, Chevrolet, 177.061.
(91) Larry Gunselman, Chevrolet, DNS.

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Odds for college football and NFL games this weekend as provided by Harrah's Reno Casino & Sportsbook:

NCAA Football

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG
Friday		
at BYU	17 1/2	Utah St.
Saturday		
Florida St.	7	at Miami
at Northwestern	5 1/2	Indiana
at Purdue	2	Michigan
at Boston College	30	Connecticut
at TCU	37	Hawaii
at Virginia	10 1/2	Maryland
at Clemson	21 1/2	N.C. State
Ohio St.	1 1/2	at Wisconsin
Michigan St.	9 1/2	at Iowa
at Minnesota	6 1/2	Penn St.
at Mississippi St.	1	Auburn
at West Virginia	12 1/2	Idaho
at Virginia Tech	31	Temple
at Air Force	17	Navy
at Cent. Michigan	5	Kent St.
at Cincinnati	4	Houston
Vanderbilt	11	at Wake Forest
Akron	8	at Bowling Green
at Missouri	3	Oklahoma St.
Nebraska	16 1/2	at Iowa St.
Kansas St.	23	at Kansas
at Miami (Ohio)	28	Ball St.
at Mississippi	26 1/2	Arkansas St.
at Texas A&M	7 1/2	Colorado
at N. Illinois	4	Cent. Florida
at Notre Dame	12 1/2	Stanford
at Colorado St.	17 1/2	New Mexico
at Florida	16	LSU
at Southern Cal	6 1/2	Arizona
Texas	3	Oklahoma-x
at UAB	1 1/2	Louisville
Toledo	17 1/2	at E. Michigan
Boise St.	2 1/2	at Washington St.
Tulane	20	at La.-Lafayette
at Wyoming	5 1/2	San Diego St.
at Arkansas	33	Louisiana-Monroe
South Carolina	2	at Kentucky
Louisiana Tech	2	at Middle Tenn.
at Ohio	30 1/2	Buffalo
at Syracuse	6 1/2	Pittsburgh
at Texas Tech	20	Baylor
UTEP	2 1/2	at Tulsa
San Jose St.	2 1/2	at SMU
at Georgia	4 1/2	Tennessee
East Carolina	6 1/2	at Memphis
at New Mexico St.	3 1/2	Army
at Arizona St.	7 1/2	California
at UNLV	22	Nevada
at Washington	10	Oregon St.
x-at Dallas		

NFL

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG
Sunday		
at Miami	2	Buffalo
at Detroit	3	Green Bay
Indianapolis	3 1/2	at New England
at Chicago	5 1/2	New Orleans
at N.Y. Jets	8	Pittsburgh
Tennessee	10	at Cincinnati
Washington	3	at Philadelphia
at Atlanta	1 1/2	N.Y. Giants
Oakland	4 1/2	at San Francisco
at Arizona	4 1/2	Cleveland
Denver	6 1/2	at San Diego
at Carolina	4	Seattle
at Jacksonville	2 1/2	Baltimore
Monday		
at Minnesota	1	Tampa Bay

World Match Play

VIRGINIA WATER, England (AP) — Results Thursday from the 36-hole, first-round matches of the World Match Play Championship on the 7,047-yards, par-72 Wentworth course:

First Round
Padraig Harrington (8), Ireland, defs. Bob May, United States, 6 and 5.
Sergio Garcia (6), Spain, defs. Adam Scott, Australia, 2 and 1.
Retief Goosen, South Africa defs. Thomas Bjorn (7), Denmark, 5 and 4.
Darren Clarke (5), Northern Ireland, vs. Nick Faldo, England, even after 36 holes — to be completed Friday morning.

Solheim Cup

LUSS, Scotland (AP) — Pairings announced for play Friday morning in the Solheim Cup at the Loch Lomond Golf Club:

Foursomes
Laura Davies and Alison Nicholas, Europe, vs. Dottie Pepper and Juli Inkster, United States.
Trish Johnson and Sophie Gustafson, Europe, vs. Kelly Robbins and Pat Hurst, United States.
Catrin Nilsmark and Carin Koch, Europe, vs. Brandie Burton and Becky Iverson, United States.
Annika Sorenstam and Janice Moodie, Europe, vs. Meg Mallon and Beth Daniel, United States.

New Mexico Golf

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Scores Thursday after the first round of the $425,000 Buy.Com New Mexico Classic, played on the 7,225-yard, par 35-35—70 Santa Ana Golf Club.

Mike Grob	33-33 — 66
Chris Couch	35-31 — 66
Scott Petersen	33-33 — 66
Bo Van Pelt	34-32 — 66
John Riegger	35-32 — 67
Fran Quinn	33-34 — 67
Shane Bertsch	33-34 — 67
J.J. Henry	35-32 — 67
Ty Armstrong	34-33 — 67
Jason Gore	32-35 — 67
Michael Kirk	32-35 — 67
Lee Rinker	35-32 — 67
Craig Kanada	33-34 — 67
Mark Hensby	33-34 — 67
Iain Steel	33-34 — 67
Pat Bates	32-35 — 67
Charley Hoffman	33-34 — 67
Kelly Grunewald	32-35 — 67
Michael Muehr	33-34 — 67
Curt Byrum	32-35 — 67
Marco Dawson	33-35 — 68
Guy Boros	34-34 — 68
Andrew Morse	33-35 — 68
Ian Leggatt	33-35 — 68
Darron Stiles	35-33 — 68
Joe Daley	35-33 — 68
Kris Cox	34-34 — 68
Deane Pappas	33-35 — 68
Donnie Hammond	34-34 — 68
Stan Utley	35-33 — 68
Brian Wilson	34-34 — 68
Zoran Zorkic	33-35 — 68
Derrick Pursley	35-33 — 68
Paul Claxton	34-34 — 68
Rod Pampling	35-33 — 68
Tom Kalinowski	34-34 — 68
Lee Porter	35-33 — 68
Conrad Ray	34-34 — 68
David Berganio	33-35 — 68
Charles Warren	33-35 — 68
Brian Bateman	34-34 — 68
Rocky Walcher	35-33 — 68
Ray Franz	34-34 — 68
Christian Pena	33-35 — 68
Greg Gregory	32-36 — 68
Rick Cramer	33-35 — 68
Brian Kamm	36-32 — 68
Don Reese	34-34 — 68
Hiroshi Matsuo	33-35 — 68
Tripp Isenhour	34-34 — 68
Steve Runge	35-33 — 68
Ryuji Imada	34-34 — 68
Jimmy Johnston	34-34 — 68
Todd Barranger	35-33 — 68
Steve Schneiter	34-34 — 68
Greg Lesher	35-33 — 68
Manny Zerman	34-34 — 68
Matt Peterson	35-33 — 68
Sonny Skinner	34-34 — 68
Chris Smith	35-33 — 68
Kent Jones	34-34 — 68
Jeff Gallagher	35-33 — 68
Rob McKelvey	36-32 — 68
Greg Shakespeare	34-34 — 68
Mike Schuchart	33-35 — 68
Brian Fogt	35-33 — 68
Dan Koesters	34-34 — 68
Michael Long	35-33 — 68
Chris Zambri	34-34 — 68
Charlie Wi	35-33 — 68
John Kernohan	33-35 — 68
Mike Emery	35-33 — 68
Chris Starkjohann	34-34 — 68
Doug LaBelle II	35-33 — 68
Chris Finn	34-34 — 68
Mike Sauer	36-35 — 71
Patrick Burke	35-36 — 71
Garrett Willis	36-35 — 71
Dave Rummells	37-34 — 71
Keoke Cotner	34-37 — 71
Greg Twiggs	35-36 — 71
Vaughn Taylor	36-35 — 71
Alan Bratton	34-37 — 71
Spike McRoy	37-34 — 71
Briny Baird	35-36 — 71
Jody Bellflower	35-36 — 71
Ronald Stelten	35-37 — 72
Roger Rowland	37-35 — 72
Brian Tennyson	36-36 — 72
Steve Haskins	34-38 — 72
Jeff Street	37-35 — 72
Tim Clark	35-37 — 72
Anthony Painter	36-36 — 72
Greg Sweatt	35-37 — 72
Eric Johnson	37-35 — 72
Michael Ciolek	38-34 — 72
Steve Ford	35-37 — 72
Greg Parker	35-37 — 72
Rob Bradley	36-36 — 72
Rob Moss	37-35 — 72
Gibby Gilbert	37-35 — 72
Mike Heinen	37-35 — 72
Richard Johnson	37-35 — 72

NHL Results

NHL Standings
By The Associated Press
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	OL	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	2	6	3
New Jersey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.Y. Islanders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.Y. Rangers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northeast Division							
Buffalo	1	0	0	0	2	4	2
Boston	0	0	1	0	1	4	4
Ottawa	0	0	1	0	1	4	4
Montreal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Toronto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southeast Division							
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carolina	0	0

Reporter-Telegram Football Forecast

Week 6
Oct. 6-9

Lee Passmore
Last Week: 17-8
Season: 83-41
Pct.: .669

Oscar LeRoy
Last Week: 16-9
Season: 83-41
Pct.: .669

Stewart Doreen
Last Week: 20-5
Season: 82-42
Pct.: .661

Terry Williamson
Last Week: 15-10
Season: 78-46
Pct.: .629

Jay Peden
Last Week: 15-10
Season: 77-47
Pct.: .620

Crystal Ball
(Consensus)
Last Week: 17-8
Season: 86-38
Pct.: .693

HIGH SCHOOL						
Midland High at Amarillo	Amarillo	Amarillo	Midland High	Midland High	Amarillo	Amarillo (3-2)
Midland Lee at El Paso Coronado	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee	Midland Lee (5-0)
Andrews at Lubbock Estacado	Andrews	Lubbock Estacado	Andrews	Andrews	Lubbock Estacado	Andrews (3-2)
San Angelo Lake View at Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring (5-0)
Midland Christian at Reagan County	Midland Christian	Midland Christian	Midland Christian	Midland Christian	Midland Christian	Midland Christian (5-0)
Garden City at Fort Davis	Garden City	Garden City	Garden City	Garden City	Garden City	Garden City (5-0)
COLLEGE						
Baylor at Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech (5-0)
Colorado at Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M	Texas A&M (5-0)
Texas vs. Oklahoma	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas (5-0)
Houston at Cincinnati	Houston	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	Houston	Cincinnati	Cincinnati (3-2)
UTEP at Tulsa	Tulsa	Tulsa	UTEP	Tulsa	Tulsa	Tulsa (4-1)
Hawaii at TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU (5-0)
San Jose State at SMU	SMU	San Jose State	SMU	San Jose State	SMU	SMU (3-2)
Florida State at Miami	Florida State	Florida State	Florida State	Florida State	Florida State	Florida State (5-0)
Ohio State at Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Ohio State	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin (4-1)
Arizona at USC	USC	USC	USC	USC	USC	USC (5-0)
Tennessee at Georgia	Tennessee	Tennessee	Tennessee	Tennessee	Tennessee	Tennessee (5-0)
PROFESSIONAL						
Buffalo at Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami (5-0)
Green Bay at Detroit	Detroit	Detroit	Detroit	Green Bay	Green Bay	Detroit (3-2)
Indianapolis at New England	Indianapolis	Indianapolis	Indianapolis	Indianapolis	Indianapolis	Indianapolis (5-0)
Washington at Philadelphia	Washington	Washington	Washington	Washington	Philadelphia	Washington (4-1)
Denver at San Diego	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver (5-0)
Baltimore at Jacksonville	Jacksonville	Jacksonville	Jacksonville	Jacksonville	Jacksonville	Jacksonville (5-0)
Tampa Bay at Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Minnesota	Tampa Bay	Minnesota (4-1)

MHS: Bulldogs can expect solid defense from Amarillo High

(From 1C)

"Midland High really impressed me defensively against Coronado last week," Dippel said. "But what really scares us is what they showed against San Angelo (Central) when they are clicking on all cylinders. They're very capable of busting loose."

Dippel's teams, as a general rule, play solid defense, and he's hoping that this game will turn out much like the game Coronado and MHS staged last week in Lubbock.

"We hope we can keep the score low for us to have a chance," Dippel said. "We're struggling on offense, too. We've always felt that your defense is what keeps you in games."

Midland High has had its own offensive woes in three of the four outings played this year. Last week, wide receiver Lamar Hickey missed the game and Colter Lange, making his starting debut at quarterback, went down with a leg injury. Chris Howard will be back at quarterback.

"Chris is a good quarterback," Browning said. "Before the Coronado game, he was getting about equal reps as Lange. We're pretty deep at quarterback, so that might not impact us as much as at some other positions."

Hickey will be back this week, but Lange, who is also a safety on defense, will again be out, at least this week.

"We have to move the football better because we just haven't shown that big play capability this year," Browning said. "And that will be a difficult task against Amarillo because they have that "Desert Swarm" defense like Arizona. They had a 12-1 season last year and were undefeated on both the sophomore and JV teams. They have a lot of talent."

AHS primarily relies on its two senior running backs, Cole Balderson and Arash Zoobin. But the Sandies will go into one-back and no-back sets and let quarterback Matt Jones throw the ball. His favorite receiver is 6-foot-6, 200-pound Matt Sherwood.

However, even with the open date, Amarillo High will be missing two defensive starters tonight as Dippel listed defensive tackle Shane Massick and free safety Lee Orr out for this game.

Junior tailback Tony Joesph, who had a big second half for MHS last week, will probably be back in the starting lineup, but sophomore Troy Barber will also see a lot of duty.

Sophomore Herb City stepped in at a safety slot last week when Lange went down. Cody Connell and Ray Johnson had big games in the secondary and both came up with interceptions. Connell and Johnson are both being used from time to time in the MHS receiving corps and both caught passes last week. Wide receiver Joey Rigney also had an important outing last week.

"We had some kids step up last week, and if one of them don't perform, we lose that football game," Browning said.

Bulldog Notes: The Bulldogs will drive up and back on Friday, and regardless of how this game turns out, will have to start looking to next week quickly. MHS will host undefeated and No. 9 state ranked Abilene High next weekend at Memorial Stadium in the District 4-5A opener. All games prior to this one were child's play. They count from here on out... Abilene High has this week off to prepare for the start of the 4-5A campaign...

WILLIAMSON: Benson chases Bam

(From 1C)

Andress, 10-10, in the playoffs but failed to advance on penetrations.

Open Date Blues: Not only has Midland High upgraded its non-conference schedule, but it has been caught in the open date blues. Amarillo High was open last week and Abilene High is open this week. That means the Bulldogs will play teams back-to-back that have had two weeks to prepare for them. Look at what MHS did to San Angelo Central (35-7) when they had two weeks to prepare for the game.

Friday Night Lights Out: This is the second and last weekend of regular season play when there won't be a team playing at Memorial Stadium with both Lee and MHS on the road tonight. In fact, it's lights out in the Permian Basin. Both Odessa High and Odessa Permian are open while gearing for the start of 4-5A action next week. Also, Abilene High and Abilene Cooper are open.

A Weaker 4-5A?: District 4-5A owns a current 18-10 (.643) record against non-conference foes. That's a big step down from the 23-6 (.793) record (the best district non-conference winning percentage since 1987) posted a year ago.

Benson Watch: Midland Lee tailback Cedric Benson became the all-time leading Class 5A rusher in the history of Texas high school football Friday with 6,194 yards for a career. The next milestone is to move into the top 10 elite rushers in the state all-time. He now needs 777 yards to pass Byron Morris of Cooper (1986-89). Morris, the former Texas Tech star, had 6,970 yards for a career at Class 3A Cooper.

Last week we slipped a bit in the District 4-5A picking game, going 4-2 for the week while missing the Permian and Odessa High games. We are 21-6 (.778) for the season. Here's how this week's games will go down.

Midland High 14, Amarillo High 7: The Bulldogs are 0-2 against the Golden Sandies since 1955. MHS lost back-to-back contests to AHS in 1992-93. Both teams are having problems scoring points, so this could be another low scoring game. The MHS defense is on top of its game right now. That could be the big difference in this one.

Midland Lee 42, El Paso Coronado 7: The Thunderbirds couldn't beat Odessa High in Odessa last weekend to fall from the ranks of the undefeated. Lee owns a 4-0 record against the T-Birds, all coming in the last four years. Gift wrap this one for Parchman's No. 60 at Lee.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram

LEE: Thunderbirds need perfect game

(From 1C)

so you might as well introduce them to those teams now. Teams that don't, don't have a chance in the playoffs. They don't understand what they are getting themselves into."

So, what kind of game should be expected out of these two teams? Both teams are 3-1, and both have very lopsided wins to their credit. El Paso defeated El Paso Bel Air (54-20), El Paso Montwood (37-13) and El Paso Eastwood (49-0) to open the season.

But on-paper comparisons aside, Lee will be a prohibitive favorite, an upset will take a perfect game by the T-Birds.

Brooks doesn't have to be called out of the government and economics classes he teaches during the day to come to the same conclusion.

"We need to be healthy, and we are not," Brooks said. "We also have to play error-free football. We can't make mistakes."

There might be a second thing — stop Lee's Cedric Benson. That is also proven to be difficult. Brooks can just point to neighbor El Paso school — Franklin — for an example. Benson rushed for 209 yards and three touchdowns against the Cougars last week to become the all-time leading rusher in Class 5A.

"You have to stop him if you are going to have a chance, and nobody has been able to do it," Brooks said. "We will be trying just like everyone else."

For Lee, this game is about making sure that doesn't happen. The Rebels' district opener versus Odessa High is one week away, and Parchman wants to continue the team's offensive continuity on the ground.

"We want to see the same consistency that we played with last week against Franklin," Parchman said. "The offense really showed improvement over the previous week, getting the job done blocking-wise."

How much passing Lee does this week is uncertain. The Rebels have not passed efficiently over the season, but expect to improve. Case in point, Lee has thrown the ball 22 times in the last two games. The Rebels have completed three passes and thrown four interceptions.

Whether through the air or on the ground, the most important thing for Lee is getting its team ready to play the battles of 4-5A. Unlike four other 4-5A schools, Lee does not have an open date this week. Parchman is ready to make do with what he has.

"If you play this game with the hopes of getting better, and of course win the game, that will give you momentum going into district play," Parchman said. "Once, we get into the routine where we work our Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, lighten up on Thursday and play Friday, we do better. I don't have anything against an open date, but I am glad we are in our routine."

Coronado Notes: Coronado is averaging 365 yards offensively and giving up 223.8 a game... RB Chris Little leads the team with 458 yards rushing and eight scores... QB R.J. Salome has rushed for 157 yards and RB Rene Flores has 133 yards and four scores... Part time quarterback Tiger Lyon is 12-of-36 for 133 yards and four scores... Salome is 13-of-32 for 197 yards and two scores... Ryan Mangold has 12 catches for 256 yards and two scores.

Lee Notes: OL Hyatt Harvey will return to the field after being sidelined with a broken collarbone... DB Ashley Jackson, who missed last week with an ankle injury, is also expected to be back... John Parchman is looking for his 60th win as Lee's head coach... Linebacker Mark Gonzales leads the team with 61 tackles... Fred Thrweatt leads in tackles for a loss (4)... Jackson has two interceptions... Michael Wynn has a 40.9 yards-per-punt average... Eric Winston leads the team in catches (4) and yards (111)...

Hitting the Highways: This is also the last of the long trips for Lee during the regular season. After the 600-plus mile round trip, Lee will have traveled approximately 3,370 miles before District 4-5A play starts. The good news is all of Lee's 4-5A games are in Midland and Odessa...

4-5A Statistics

Team Statistics

Offense

Team	G	FD	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.	Pts.
Cooper	5	85	728	981	1,709	341.8	164
AHS	5	84	664	1,041	1,705	341.0	128
Lee	4	54	1,014	261	1,275	318.8	132
Permian	5	77	904	565	1,469	293.8	151
MHS	4	63	724	394	1,118	279.5	55
OHS	5	68	871	402	1,273	254.6	55

Turnovers: Cooper 4, Abilene High 7, Midland High 10, Permian 11, Lee 12, Odessa High 12

Defense

Team	G	FD	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.	Pts.
MHS	4	35	545	293	838	209.5	69
Permian	5	58	736	425	1,161	232.2	83
AHS	5	61	682	510	1,192	238.4	44
Lee	4	49	567	406	973	243.3	62
Cooper	5	61	831	485	1,316	263.2	61
OHS	5	66	904	588	1,492	298.4	87

Turnovers: Permian 13, Cooper 11, Abilene High 10, Lee 9, Midland High 7, Odessa High 6.

Turnover Margin: Abilene Cooper +7, Odessa Permian +2, Abilene High +3, Midland Lee -3, Midland High -3, Odessa High -6.

Penalties-Yards: Lee 23-131, Midland High 20-148, Permian 20-168, Odessa High 23-180, Cooper 23-196, Abilene High 31-274.

Individual Leaders

Rushing

Player, School	G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cedric Benson, Lee	4	70	642	9.2	9
Tremaine Diles, Cooper	5	100	623	6.2	7
Jonathan Johnson, AHS	5	80	469	5.7	1
Mark Gonzales, Permian	4	59	450	7.6	3
Tony Joseph, MHS	4	91	442	4.9	1

Passing

Player, School	G	A-C-I	Yds.	TD
Kevin Goodman, AHS	4	114-74-4	1,041	15
Jordan Neal, Cooper	4	99-66-1	928	12
Justin Whitaker, PHS	5	56-29-3	557	6
Danny Vasquez, OHS	5	69-27-4	402	2
Chris Howard, MHS	4	77-43-4	362	1

Receiving

Player, School	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Robert Spells, AHS	5	35	510	14.6	9
Matt Stewart, Permian	5	18	353	19.6	4
Coby Mavroulis, Cooper	5	20	276	13.9	3
Justin Wilson, AHS	5	15	224	14.9	2
Tony Cunningham, Cooper	5	14	205	14.6	2

Scoring

Player, School	G	TD	PAT	FG	TP
Robert Spells, AHS	5	10	0	0	60
Cedric Benson, Lee	4	9	0	0	54
Tremaine Diles, Cooper	5	8	0	0	48
Josh Brown, Cooper	5	0	18	4	30
Taylor Warren, Permian	5	5	0	0	30
Justin Harper, Cooper	5	0	0	0	30

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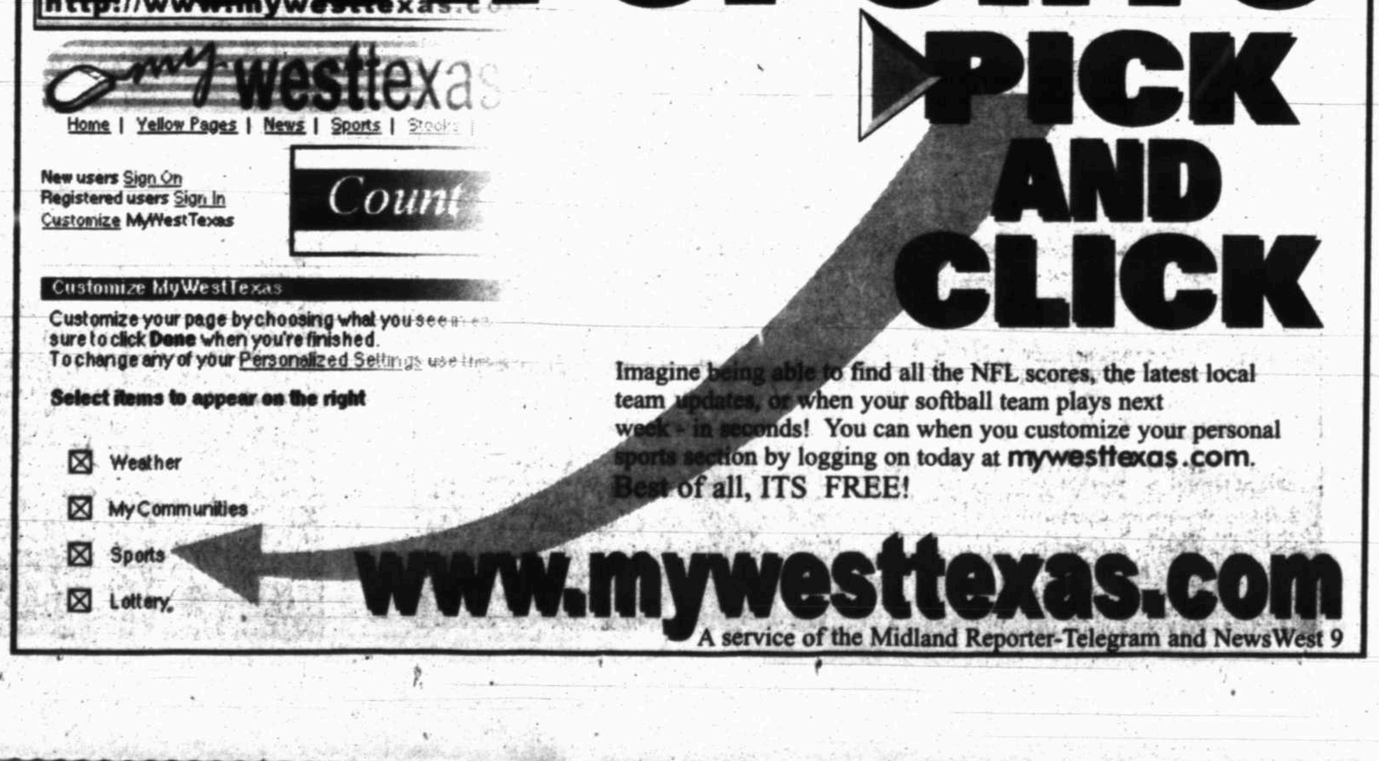

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Fresno State nips Rice with late kick

■ Third time is the charm for Bulldog kicker Asparuhov in comeback vs. Owls.

Associated Press

HOUSTON — After two misses, Asen Asparuhov wasn't about to make it three in a row.

Asparuhov kicked a 43-yard field goal with five seconds left as Fresno State scored 11 points in the final 1:58 to beat Rice 27-24 on Thursday night.

"I was thinking about letting my teammates and coaches down," said Asparuhov, who missed a pair of 35-yard attempts. "On the other two kicks, I didn't do what I was supposed to. My coaches say to concentrate on details. I was keeping my body on target, following through and keeping my right hand in."

Trailing 24-16 with 4:23 left, Fresno State drove 80 yards in 10 plays, with David Carr hitting David Shabaglian with a 9-yard touchdown pass with 1:58 left. Carr then passed to Rodney Wright for the 2-point conversion.

Fresno State (2-2, 1-0 Western Athletic) kicked the winning field goal a play after Travis Hale's 21-yard punt gave the Bulldogs the ball at the Rice 38.

Carr completed 20 of 31 passes for 220 yards and had three touchdown passes in the victory. He also had two interceptions. But it came down to one kick.

"It was a big-time kick," Bulldogs coach Pat Hill said. "He hooked two and we had dropped a couple in the end zone, but he made the one that counted. Dave Carr was putting the ball right on the money. It was bouncing off our guys' hands for interceptions.

"Winning the way we did after turning the ball over that many times and coming back, was a big win for us."

Rice (1-5, 0-3) took a 17-16 lead with 10:24 to go in the third quarter on Jamie Tyler's 3-yard touchdown run following Rashard Pittman's fumble recovery.

The Owls, who have lost five straight, made it 24-16 on quarterback Corey Evans' 15-yard touchdown run with 5:50 left in the third quarter. John White's interception set up the score.

Fresno State took a 9-0 lead in the first 1:12 of the game. The Bulldogs got a safety when Rice fumbled the opening kickoff, and Carr threw a 35-yard touchdown pass to Jeremy Johnson.

The Owls regained the lead at 10-9 on Derek Crabtree's 39-yard field goal, and Robbie Beck's 22-yard run with 2:58 to go in the first quarter.

Fresno State made it 16-10 early in the second quarter on Carr's 28-yard TD pass to Johnson.

"We gave ourselves a chance and we didn't make it," Rice coach Ken Hatfield said. "We've got two seasons and this is our second season. We have an open date now and hopefully we can get some of our guys healthy again."

The game marked the return of quarterback Jeremy Hurd, who broke a finger in the first game of the season.

"I guess I had a lot of anticipation, bottled," Hurd said. "I was just ready to get another chance to play. I watched my teams these last games and I felt I wasn't contributing."

Hurd ran for 97 yards on 10 carries, and Evans had 94 yards on 18 attempts. Hurd and Evans combined for only 61 yards passing, with Evans going 3-of-11 and Hurd 1-of-2.

AP Photo

North Texas quarterback Scott Hall (11) is stopped by Samford cornerback Michael Williams (12), but not before Hall ran 41 yards on a keeper. North Texas won, 41-6, Thursday in Denton.

SHOOTOUT: Rivalry seems revived

(From 1C)

"When little old ladies are giving you the bird, that's when I knew there was some bad blood in this game," Babers said.

Fourteen years since he last laid out a Longhorn, Brian Bosworth still gets worked up about Texas.

Ask him about playing the Longhorns and the former Oklahoma All-America linebacker starts talking faster and louder.

"I lived and breathed that rivalry," said Bosworth, a Texan who crossed the Red River to play for the Sooners.

"It was good vs. evil .... And you know who was evil."

Never one to mince words — he once referred to the Longhorns' color as "puke orange" — Bosworth sounds like he'd love one more game in the annual Red River Shootout.

His first came in 1984, when Texas was No. 1 and Oklahoma No. 3 — a game that ranks as one of the oddest ever.

Texas had walloped Penn State 28-3 two weeks earlier, and Longhorns fans were talking national title.

Rain fell, players slipped and slid about on the field's artificial turf, and the teams combined for just 347 yards of total offense.

"I thought what a shame for that game to be played on that field because you couldn't hardly stand up," said Brown, then the Oklahoma offensive coordinator.

After Oklahoma took a safety to make it 15-12, Texas got the ball back with 2:10 left to play.

The Longhorns drove the length of the field looking for the winning touchdown. But after a pass into the end zone failed — Sooners fans insist to this day it was intercepted by Keith Stanberry — Jeff Ward kicked a 32-yard field goal in a downpour on the final play for the tie.

"I have never seen or heard a crowd like that. The end of the game was just surreal," Ward said. "Oklahoma fans were mad. Texas fans were mad. Everybody was shouting. You felt miserable because of the rain.

"I looked over at the sideline and (Oklahoma coach) Barry Switzer is fuming and sloshing around because he's all caught up in the cords of the coaches' headsets."

Bosworth oozes contempt for the tie.

"They came and did the unthinkable, trying to tie it up," he said. "They were the No. 1 team. That was like shooting themselves in the head."

The tie didn't feel good in the Texas locker room either, Ward said, remembering the actions of coach Fred Akers.

"Akers jumped up on a bench and says, 'I don't like it either. If I could, I'd go out and meet them in the parking lot,'" Ward recalled.

By playing favored Texas to a tie, the Sooners set the foundation for their great teams of 1985-1987 that won one national title and played for another.

But the success didn't last. Bob Stoops is the fourth Sooners head coach since Switzer departed after the 1988 season. The Sooners have won nine games in a season just twice since.

Texas would go on to lose four of its last five games in 1984 and finish out of the rankings. In the 16 years since, three more head coaches have stood on the Texas sidelines. The Longhorns have won nine games or more four times and posted five losing seasons.

Brown and Stoops have revitalized the near-dormant programs.

Texas won the Big 12 South title in 1999 and climbed back into the top 10. Stoops went 7-4 in his first year and changed the face of Oklahoma football with a passing attack never before seen in Norman. His first season broke a three-year streak of losing records.

Darrell Royal, who played at Oklahoma in the 1940s before coaching Texas for 20 years, said both programs — and the rivalry — are reliving the glory days.

"Both schools are on the climb," said Royal, 2-2 against Texas as a Sooners player in the 1940s and 12-7-1 record against his alma mater as a coach.

"Anytime both of us went into the game undefeated, usually we were both in the top 10," Royal said. "And I think we're getting closer to it being that way again. When they both get to the top 10, that's as big as it gets."

Lee product leads North Texas to win

Associated Press

DENTON — Coming into Thursday's game with Samford, North Texas' defense had surrendered 93 points in its last two games.

But the Eagle defenders took out their frustrations on the Division I-AA Bulldogs, giving up just one touchdown and even scoring one of their own — on a fumble return by Midland Lee product Corry Pertile — as UNT (1-3) picked up its first win of the season in a 41-6 victory at Fouts Field.

It was also the Eagles' first win since beating Boise State on Oct. 16 of last season.

"There's no question it's good to get a win," North Texas head coach Darrell Dickey said. "To get a win where we got to play a lot of players. They turned the ball over four times and we didn't (turn it over). We capitalized on that."

In fact, the Mean Green turned Samford's first turnover into the second touchdown of the game.

After JaQuay Wilburn's 2-yard touchdown on the Eagles' opening drive, linebacker Corry Pertile added to the lead when he scooped up a Bulldogs' fumble and raced 31 yards for the touchdown.

"When I saw the ball on the ground, I knew I had to get to it," Pertile said. "There wasn't many people around, and it was just great execution all around."

North Texas, which had been beaten down by UNLV and Kansas State the last two weeks, controlled the Bulldogs early, giving up just 65 first-half yards.

"I felt like we got off to a slow start early," Samford head coach Pete Hurt said. "We didn't tackle well to start the game. Turnovers played a big part to this game, especially when we got down 13-0 right out of the shoot."

Freshman Scott Hall rushed for 97 yards and threw his first two touchdown passes of his career, while rushing for 97 yards.

"Our offense finally got going tonight," Hall said. "We exploited some of the things that we saw them (Samford) do on film."

Hall threw a 4-yard touchdown pass to Robert Whitehead late in the first half, and connected with Byron Curtis on a 36-yard scoring play early in the second half to put the game out of reach.

Wilburn, an Odessa Permian product, left the game with a shoulder injury midway through the first quarter. Michael Hickmon picked up the slack with 91 yards, including a 3-yard touchdown in the third quarter.

Western Michigan halts Marshall's streak

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. (AP) — Unlike last December, Marshall had no furious comeback against Western Michigan. Now the Herd's home winning streak of 33 games — the longest in Division I-A — is over.

Robert Sanford rushed for 203 yards and a three second-half touchdowns to lead Western Michigan to a 30-10 victory over Marshall on Thursday night.

The Broncos (5-1, 3-0 Mid-American) avenged a 34-30 loss to Marshall in last year's conference championship game in Huntington.

Marshall (2-3, 1-1) had not lost at home since the Division I-AA championship game in 1995 against Montana. The Herd rejoined Division I-A in 1997.

Florida State now has Division I-A's longest home and overall winning streaks at 31 and 15 games.

In last year's MAC championship game in Huntington, Western Michigan blew a 23-point lead in the second half and lost on Chad Pennington's 1-yard TD toss with four seconds left.

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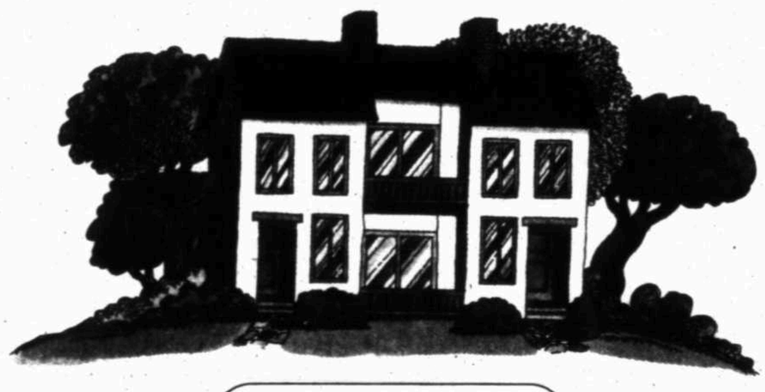

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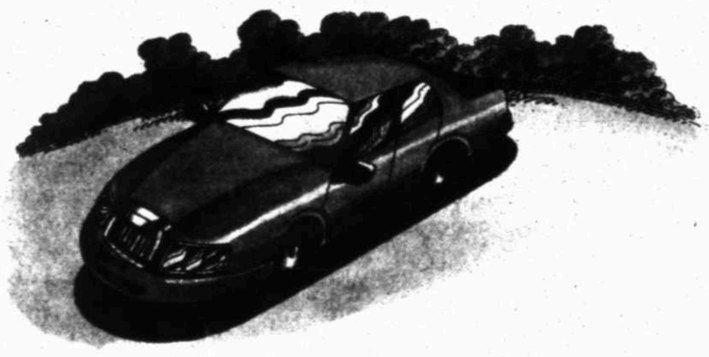

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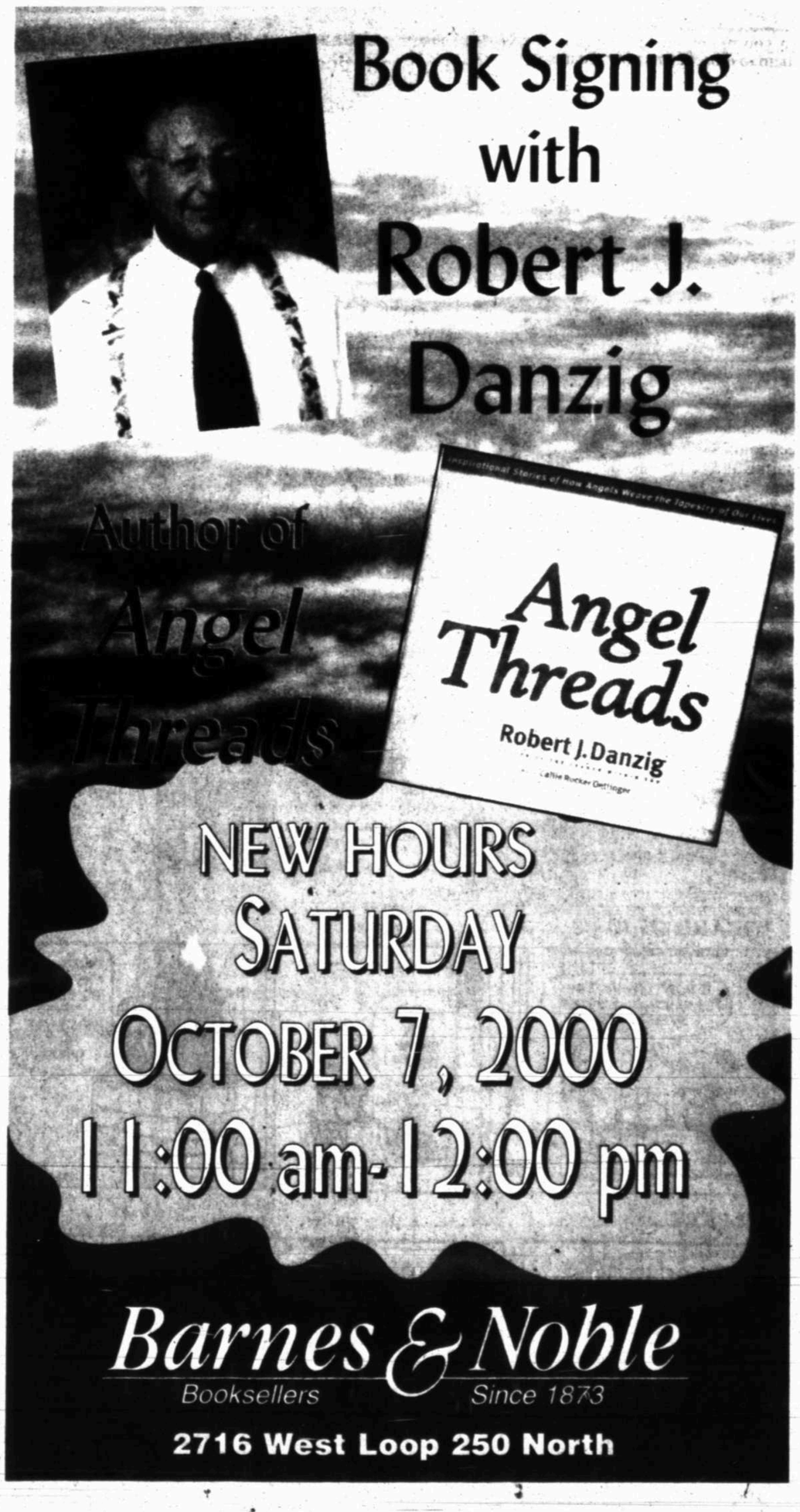

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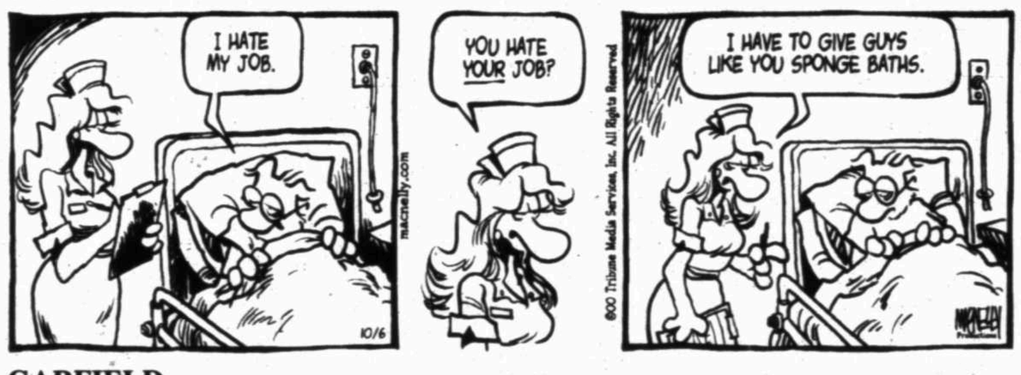

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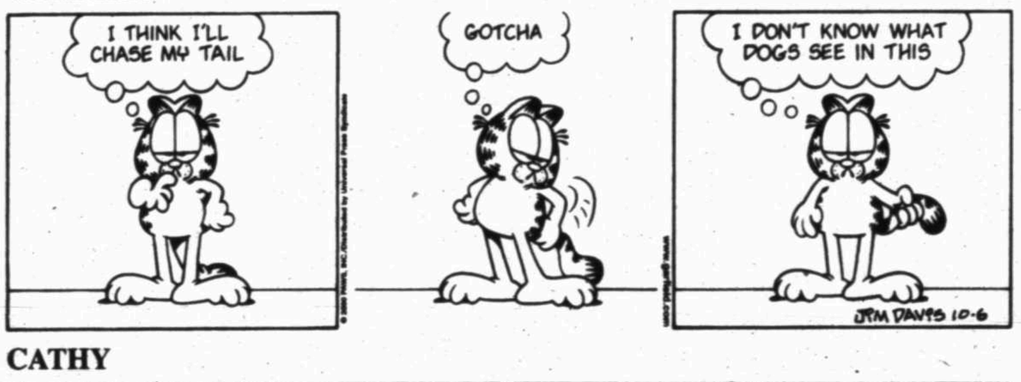

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Oct. 6, 2000:
You have the ability to create greater stability and happiness in your life. Don't push family or close friends away when you are stressed out. Strong foundations are instrumental to your well-being. Allow greater creativity to infuse your life and how you structure it. If you are single, you could meet someone who is special and different. If you are attached, your relationship grows in a dynamic and exciting manner. AQUARIUS teases you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ Just cruise in to work with a clear objective. Remember, the weekend is on top of you. Clear your desk, return messages and set up plans for next week. Reach out for someone at a distance, even if you are unsure of his reaction. Tonight: Play the night away.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ Complete a project that involves research. You need to clear your desk. You might have difficulty concentrating and, as a result, might need to work through the weekend. Think about what you want. Use your ability to visualize to get through a problem. Tonight: A must appearance.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ Continue working through a work project with a partner. You might want a home office. Discuss this possibility with a roommate or family member. In any case, add to the atmosphere where you work. A plant adds clean air and proves to be relaxing. Tonight: Take off ASAP.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★★ Reach out for others. Your imagination knows how to charm another into your way of thinking. Socialize more with your co-workers. Call to check up on a loved one or a dear friend. Tonight: With your best friend.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Use your skills to clear the office and get your work done. You might want to schedule a meeting for late in the afternoon, when a more social aspect comes forth. You greet the weekend with unusual glee. Tonight: Let the good times roll.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ Examine your long-term goals vis-a-vis a loved one. You might need a more concrete expression of your creativity. How you say what you are thinking has everything to do with how your message is received. Don't allow too many distractions to enter your work hours, if possible. Tonight: Run errands.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ Handle a domestic matter head-on. Your style could make all the difference in how your message is received. Evaluate what is happening with a child or loved one. Acknowledge this person's creativity and ability to resolve situations. Tonight: Start the weekend well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★★ Use your unusual style of communication to win friends and make headway. Clear out calls and touch base with another. Evaluate your workload and clear up as much as you can. Greet the weekend with downtime. Check out a new "toy" to make your life easier. Tonight: Happy at home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ Your efforts to handle your finances take you in another direction. Visualize what you want and make inquiries to make it so. Schedule calls for the latter part of the day, when you are more relaxed, if possible. Socialize and make plans for the next few days. Tonight: Do something you have been dreaming of.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Use the daylight hours, when you go full-steam ahead. Not much will stop you. Allow your charisma to come through. A meeting might be important, but all the work that's achieved will need to be done over. Tonight: Treat yourself well.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ Listen to your instincts once more. You might want to assume a low profile. Examine your long-term interests regarding a career decision. Knowing what you want will help you direct your activities during the next few weeks. Get in touch with a loved one you care a lot about. Tonight: Go for whom and what you want.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ Touch base with loved ones and friends. You might be more instrumental than you realize in bringing others together. Your ability to give others a sense of importance becomes one of your finer skills. Trust your instincts later in the day. You might need some downtime. Tonight: Vanish.

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Opening lead: ?

A reader writes: "Recently I encountered a pair playing the Gambling Three No-Trump convention. Please describe the bid and how to defend against it." Here is a case from a recent tournament.

As you can see the Gambling Three No-Trump is based on a long, solid minor suit of at least seven cards. It is never made with a major because of the danger that, with one or more suits unstopped in the combined hands, you might go down at three no-trump with four of the major unbeatable. The most popular version of this convention is that the bid promises no sure stopper outside the long suit, to enable partner to play in three no-trump or maneuver into opener's minor. If partner wants to run, it is done by bidding four clubs, or five clubs if partner wants play in game. Opener passes if clubs is the long suit or otherwise corrects to diamonds.

Suppose that West were to defend normally by leading the six of clubs. Dummy's king would win and declarer would run eight diamonds to land the game. To prevent this sort of catastrophe, the recommended lead is an ace, "to get a look at dummy."

That works well here, as long as the bid denied an ace or king on the side. West leads the ace of clubs — after all, the king might drop — and thereafter the defense is simple. Since declarer cannot have a side ace or king, all West need do is cash the king of spades, then lead ace and another heart so that East can score two more tricks in the majors for a one-trick set.

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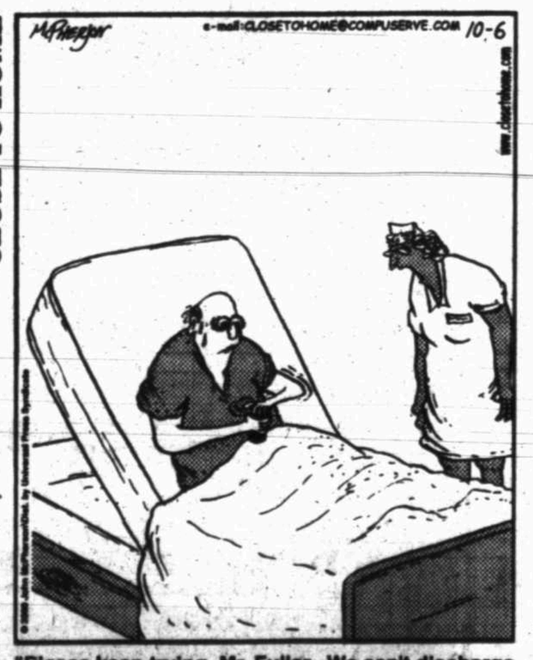

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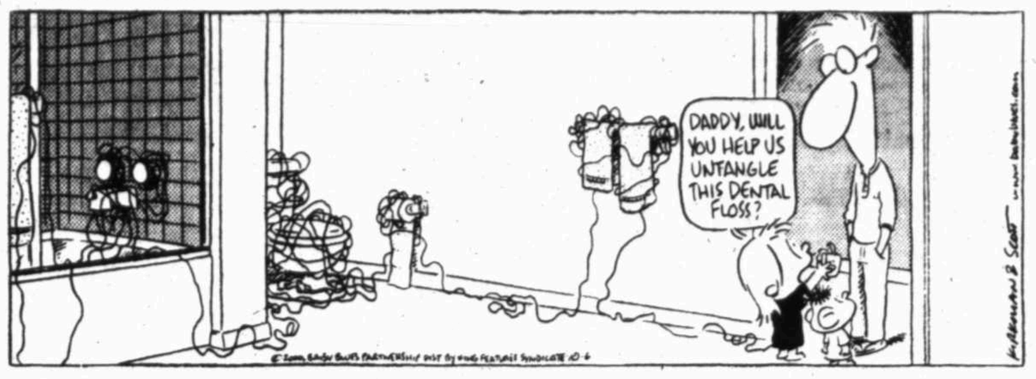

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TV TONIGHT

FRIDAY EVENING — OCTOBER 6, 2000

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(3) KMID	2	3	2	News (E) 821	Wheel of Fortune 631	Two Guys-Girl 9877	Trouble With 815	Norm (N) 8525	Madigan Men 7032	20/20 (Season Premiere) (N) (E) 9341		News (E) 2531457	Nightline (N) 57258070	Final Score 2346902	Politically 90567322
(5) KPEJ	24	5	3	Cosby (E) 49439	Spin City (E) 83761	Police Videos (Season Premiere) (N) (E) 62983		Freakylinks "Pilot" 'PG' (E) 71631		Mad About You 30896	Nanny (E) 65167	Jerry Springer '14' (E) 61254	Blind Date 35341	Divorce Court 49728	
(7) KOSA	7	7	7	News 5709	Ent. Tonight 9761	Fugitive "Pilot" (Series Premiere) (N) 'PG' 55099		C.S.I. "Pilot" (Series Premiere) (N) (E) 31419		Nash Bridges "Rock and a Hard Place" 'PG' 44983		News 5796612	(:35) Late Show (N) 'PG' (E) 71096070	Late Late 9091273	
(9) KWES	9	9	9	News 6457	Seinfeld (E) 7709	Major League Baseball Playoffs Division Series Game 3 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (E) 609070						News 2607047	(:35) Tonight Show '14' (E) 80509070	Late Night '14' 7461631	
(12) KMLM	42	12	19	News 71693	John Hagee 95273	Light of the Southwest (Live) 39877				Something Good Tonight-Healing 42167		News 83821	Life in the Word 25099	Duane Sheriff 19341	Church 90490
(13) KOCV	36	13		Newshour With Jim Lehrer (E) 561612		Wash. Week 220693	Wall St. 953419	Livelyhood (N) (E) 756693		30 Second Candidate 'G' (E) 776457		Telecourse 779544		Telecourse 345761	
(8) CNBC		8	27	Business 1728419	Market 4016821	National Geographic Explorer A team tries to raise a sunken Confederate submarine. 6838693				News With Brian Williams (E) 6642761		National Geographic Explorer A team tries to raise a sunken Confederate submarine. 1129167			
(10) WGN		10		Fresh Pr. 966099	Suddenly 940051	Missing in Action 2: The Beginning (R, '85) ★★ Chuck Norris, Soon-Teck Oh. 900693				News (E) 752983		Suddenly 487167	MacGyver "Cease Fire" 726821	Heat 309235	
(11) WTBS		11	11	Fresh Pr. 8057780	Fresh Pr. 6356254	Licence to Kill (:05) (PG-13, '89) ★★★ Timothy Dalton, Carey Lowell, Robert Davi. James Bond takes on a murderous Colombian drug lord. 57566273						The Living Daylights (:10) (PG, '87) ★★★ Timothy Dalton, Maryam D'Abo, Jeroen Krabbe. 76214186			
(14) FAM		14	6	The Cowboy and the Movie Star ★ (TVPG) 907490				Providence (E) 915419		Early Edition 928983		700 Club (E) 921070		Boss?	Boss?
(20) DISC		20	26	Wild Discovery "Land of the Giant Bats" 181490		On the Inside "Skip Tracers" 'PG' 383761		News 866419	Explore Our 878254	Storm Warning! "Against All Odds" (N) 'G' 312273		Justice Files "Informers" (E) 382032		On the Inside "Skip Tracers" 'PG' 905167	
(21) AMC		21	31	Three Stooges 563070		No Time for Sergeants ('58) ★★★½ 358235				Cinema	Superman (PG, '78) ★★★½ Christopher Reeve. 177419				
(22) TNN		22	35	Martial Law 584544		To Be Announced 777167		Rollerjam 786815		Motor Madness 766051		Martial Law 776438		Auto Racing 314032	
(23) TNT		23	28	Pretender (E) 577254		The Apostle (PG-13, '98) ★★★ Robert Duvall, Farrah Fawcett. 865438						The Apostle ('98) ★★★ Robert Duvall. 581964			
(24) BRAV		24		St. Elsewhere 128902		Awful Truth	Smack Pony	In the Company of Men (97) ★★★½ 756709				Awful Truth	Smack Pony	In-Company 320728	
(26) BET		26	33	106 & Park	Amen	Sparkle (PG, '76) ★★½ Irene Cara 551341				Comicview 303631		BET News	BET Tonight	Midnight Love 557525	
(27) DISN		27	41	In a Heartbeat 964631	Under Wraps ('97) Adam Wylie, Mario Yedidia. (TVG) (E) 7483506			Halloweentown (:10) ('98) Debbie Reynolds, Judith Hoag, Kimberly J. Brown. (TVG) (E) 69047896				In a Heartbeat 492099	So Weird 478419	Zorro (E) 627231	Mickey 283438
(28) CNN		28	22	Moneyline	Crossfire (N)	World Today 934419		Larry King Live 943167		Newsstand (E) 956631		Sports	Moneyline	Larry King Live 549525	
(29) ESPN		29	30	Sportscenter (E) 576544		Major League Soccer Semifinal Game 3 -- Metrostars at Chicago Fire. (Live) (E) 361709				NFL Films 741761		Sportscenter (E) 751148		NFL 703885	Baseball 622322
(30) USA		30	38	JAG "To Russia, With Love" 'PG' (E) 750544		Nash Bridges "Crossfire" '14' (E) 952815		The Getaway (NR, '94) ★★½ Alec Baldwin. Husband-and-wife thieves flee after a gangster's betrayal. (E) 717186					Strip Poker 'PG' 559411	Martin (E) 225273	SilverNR, (E) 351457
(31) FX		31		M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	White Men Can't Jump (R, '92) ★★★ 5450438				Toughman Wld. 6892761		X Show (N) '14' 6802148		X-Files (E) 5449322	
(32) A&E		32	25	Law & Order "The Blue Wall" (E) 116186		Biography "Rock Hudson: Acting the Part" 318457		Poirot (E) 394877		Investigative Reports (E) 307341		Law & Order "Privileged" (E) 317728		Biography "Rock Hudson: Acting the Part" 990235	
(33) TLC		33	21	Trauma: Life in the ER 579612		Police Force: Double Lives 'PG' 762235		Egypt's Lost City 771983		Riddle of Nubia's Tombs 768419		Police Force: Double Lives 'PG' 761506		Egypt's Lost City 353761	
(34) NICK		34	37	Hey Arnold! 'Y' 517631	Rugrats 'Y' 508983	U Pick Nicktoons Viewers pick their favorite Nicktoons. 907525				Facts of Life 682544	Facts of Life 191877	Facts of Life 484099	Facts of Life 460419	Facts of Life 654761	Facts of Life 275438
(36) LIFE		36	40	Intimate Portrait "Celine Dion" 'G' (E) 394902		Unsolved Mysteries 935273		Deadly Family Secrets ('95) Loni Anderson, Gigi Rice, Greg Evigan. (E) 922709				Once and Again "My Brilliant Career" 'PG' 934544		Golden Girls 208631	Golden Girls 457070
(39) OUTDR		39		Hunting 5734896	Sportsman 5725148	Bill Dance 8806341	Fisherman 5714032	Sports. Jrnl. 8882761	Sportsman 8801896	Hunting 9552631	Sportfishing 8391877	Bill Dance 3973322	Fisherman 3982070	Sports. Jrnl. 9531148	Sportsman 2134362
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(43) FSN		43	29	Football Today 52877	Last Word (N) 76457	SW Sports 40544	Red River Shootout (N) 872525		Slant 45099	Goin' Deep 22341		National Sports Report 32728		Sports Report 50065	Last Word 48964
(44) COM		44		Daily Show 5159490	Ben Stein 5173070	Saturday Night Live '14' 4807709		Toothbrush 6503411	Whose? 7858308	8 Heads in a Duffel Bag (R, '97) ★★ Joe Pesci, Andy Comeau, Kristy Swanson. 4819544				Strip Mall '14' 9948490	Strangers 6189254
(46) ANIM		46		You Lie-Dog	Animals	Wind Dancer (PG, '98) Mel Harris. 86761				Wind Dancer (PG, '98) Mel Harris. 96964				Wind DancerPG, 911612	
(47) E!		47		Fashion	Homes	Talk Soup	Scandals	True H'wood 914761		Off-Ramp	Off-Ramp	Howard S.	Howard S.	Wild On 527419	
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(61) TCM		61		The Stranger 9361612		Baby Face ('33) ★½ 6014631			Mary Stevens, M.D. ★★ 5579457			Faithless ('32) ★★½ 6071438			Safe in Hell
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(63) ESPN2		63		NHL Hockey Montreal Canadiens at New Jersey Devils. (Live) 2645148						Boxing: Friday Night Fights 4802254				NHL Hockey 4750148	
(64) SCIFI		64	39	Babylon 5 (E) 6694728		Invisible Man 4278341		Mimic (R, '97) ★★ Mira Sorvino. 4265877				Invisible Man 4277612		Mimic ★★ 3711167	
(53) PLEX				Saint "The Old Treasure Story" 2745438		Avengers "Death Dispatch" 6671273		Murder in Three Acts ('86) ★★½ Peter Ustinov. (E) 1381070		Who's Harry Crumb? (:35) ('89) ★★ John Candy. (E) 55066032				Jekyll Island (:10) ('98) Don Mogavero. 91322525	
(65) FLIX		65		Strategic Air Command (5:00) ★★★ 7558885		The Deil (NR, '97) ★★ Mike Starr, Matt Keeslar, Judith Malina. (E) 1978964				Striking Distance (R, '93) ★★ Bruce Willis, Sarah Jessica Parker, Dennis Farina. (E) 3805380				The Paper (R, '94) ★★★½ (E) 4778728	
(66) SHOW		66	20	Trekkies (5:30) ('97) ★★★ (E)		Snake Eyes (R, '98) ★½ Nicolas Cage, Gary Sinise. (E) 9070964			Movie News 39646273	Stargate 4150099	(:45) Outer Limits "Breaking Point" '14' 54483815	Beggars and Choosers (E) 1098273		RudeAwak 89132235	
(67) TMC		67	16	CrissCross (:15) (R, '92) ★★ Goldie Hawn, Arliss Howard, James Gammon. 58180457				The 24-Hour Woman (R, '99) ★★★ Rosie Perez. (E) 2808631			Naked City: Justice With a Bullet (:35) ('98) Robin Tunney, Kathryn Erbe. (TV14) (E) 86665457			Number1 88668761	
(68) HBO		68	15	Inside the NFL (E) 578902		Striking Distance (R, '93) ★★ Bruce Willis. (E) 8510525				Die Hard (:45) (R, '88) ★★★½ Bruce Willis. An officer single-handedly takes on a band of terrorists. (E) 18798709				Chris Rock 'MA' 903803	The GuiltyR, 4891983
(69) HBOP		69		Simon Sez (5:30) (PG-13, '99) ★ 9259235		Office Space (R, '99) ★★½ Ron Livingston. (E) 6390709			John Leguizamo's Freak 2651896		Autopsy 2: Voices From the Dead 'MA' 7349983			Sex & City 7710186	Made Man 6607341
(70) HBOS		70		Searching for Bobby Fischer (PG, '93) ★★★½ Joe Mantegna, Max Pomeranc. (E) 7356273				Sex & City 9401322	Sex & City 9420457	The Nun's Story ('59) ★★★½ Audrey Hepburn. A nun finds her work cut out for her in the Belgian Congo. (E) 54344525					Frantic (:35) 57841099
(71) MAX		71		Kickboxer (5:30) (R, '89) ★★ 3412544		Guilty as Sin (:15) (R, '93) ★★½ Rebecca De Mornay, Don Johnson. (E) 80762544				Universal Soldier: The Return ('99) ★½ Jean-Claude Van Damme. 206273		Bedtime 644419		Allen Erotica II ('99) Kira Reed. (E) 5368167	
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PEOPLE TODAY

Tokyo to open museum for Lennon

TOKYO — Guitars, photos, clothing and other memorabilia fill a museum honoring **John Lennon** that will open Monday on what would have been the ex-Beatle's 60th birthday.

The musician's widow, Yoko Ono, said the Tokyo area was a logical place for the museum, though Lennon grew up in England and later lived in New York.

"John and I fell in love and we had a child, which is East and West, and John has so much love for this country," said Ono, who was born in Tokyo in 1933 and lives in New York.

"Love is a very important element that will just take us all together to that global village, and so Japan is a very good place to start," she said.

Lennon was shot to death in New York in 1980 at age 40. His killer, Mark David Chapman, lost his first bid for parole Tuesday.

LONDON — On stage, **Jeffrey Archer** loves to play a defendant in a criminal trial. How he likes it in real life is "no comment" territory.

Archer on Wednesday made his first court appearance on charges in connection with a 1987 libel case he won after the Daily Star newspaper accused him of hiring a prostitute. He acknowledged last year that he had asked a friend to lie and say they had dinner together on a particular night.

The admission forced him to drop out of the London mayoral race, but he's found a pleasant avocation this year, appearing nightly in his own play, "The Accused," as a doctor on trial for the death of his wife.

"I'm enjoying what I'm doing more than anything I can remember," said Archer, 60.

The audience votes on the verdict each night, and so far they've found him innocent every time. He declined to tackle a query about whether a nightly exoneration on stage was a psychological recompense for his problems.

"That's a very American question," he snapped.

LOS ANGELES — **Brian McKnight** will be back after one.

The 31-year-old Motown soul singer, whose current hit is "Back At One," told Maximum Golf magazine that he's planning to take a year off from making music so he can improve his golf game.

"Golf is a game you have to practice," he explained in the October/November issue. "Next year's the year."

LOS ANGELES — Back then, she was Rhoda. Now, **Valerie Harper** is several people at once.

That's the way it goes when you're staging a one-woman production of "All Under Heaven," a play about writer and activist Pearl S. Buck.

Buck was the first American woman to win the Nobel Prize for literature in 1938. She spent half of her life in China, the inspiration for her novel, "The Good Earth."

Harper, who co-wrote the play with Dyke Garrison, plays Buck at 80, the writer's lifelong friend, a Chinese peasant woman and Buck's Chinese nanny. She said it took her three years and reading 70 of Buck's books to prepare for the role.

"All Under Heaven" had a successful off-Broadway run at New York's Century Theatre. It opens at the Ivar Theatre in Hollywood on Oct. 13.

Harper said Wednesday that proceeds will go to the nonprofit California Youth Theater.

NEW YORK — **Sean "Puffy" Combs**' former driver has filed a $3 million lawsuit claiming one of the rap mogul's employees forced him to drive through red lights after a nightclub shooting last December.

Wardel Fenderson, 40, says in court papers filed Wednesday that he picked up Combs, actress Jennifer Lopez and Combs' bodyguard, Anthony "Wolf" Jones, outside the nightclub on Dec. 27. Three people had been shot in the club, allegedly by Jamal "Shyne" Barrow, 20, a rapper who had come to the club with Combs and Lopez. Barrow has been charged with attempted murder.

As they fled in Combs' sports utility vehicle, Jones grabbed the steering wheel and screamed at him "not to stop and to continue driving," despite police orders to pull over, according to court documents.

Prosecutors say someone threw a handgun out of a passenger-side window while the vehicle was speeding through 11 red lights. The vehicle eventually was stopped by police barricades and another gun was found on the floor.

Combs and Jones have been charged with bribery for allegedly offering Fenderson $50,000 and a diamond ring if Fenderson would claim the gun in the SUV was his.

Compiled from Associated Press wire reports.

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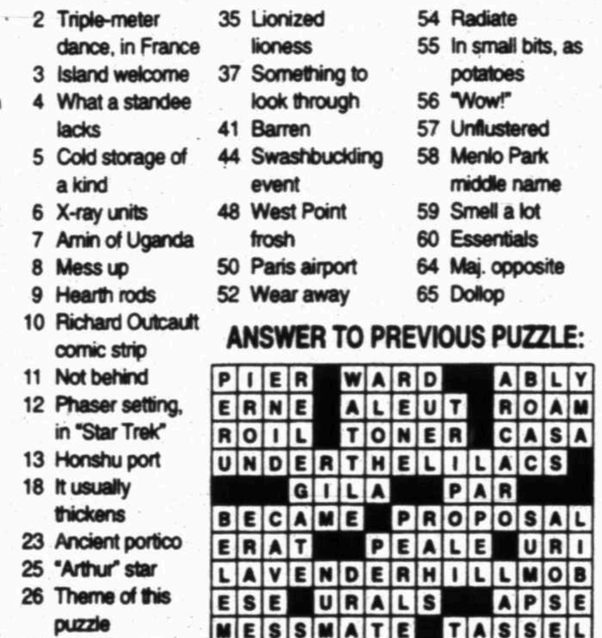

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-29.8	Alcan	29.06	-.38
+47.6	Alcatel	66.44	+.44
-34.6	Alcoa s	27.13	-.13
+36.4	AligEngy	36.75	-.25
-20.6	AlliegTch n	17.81	-.19
+41.7	Allergan s	70.50	+2.13
+21.0	Allete	20.50	-.38
+68.4	AlliCap	49.81	-.19
+8.3	AllWrld2	9.00	+.06
+5.7	AlliantEgy	29.06	+.38
-3.8	AlldHsh	20.31	-.19
+3.5	AldWaste	9.13	...
+16.2	AlmrFn	64.63	-.75
+43.4	Alstate	34.50	...
-33.0	Alltel	55.38	+1.44
+112.6	Alpharma	65.38	+1.94
-68.9	AlpineGr	4.00	+.13
-28.1	Alstom	24.00	-.25
+143.3	Alza	84.25	+4.69
+66.1	AmBev	23.25	+.25
+43.1	AmbacF	u74.69	-1.50
+10.1	AmbacF98	22.56	...
+79.3	Amdocs	61.88	+1.00
+9.0	AmerUs	25.06	-.38
+15.3	AmHes	65.44	+.06
+19.8	Ameren	39.25	-.88
-18.9	AmOnline s	61.50	+2.85
-40.4	AmWest	12.38	+.50
+13.6	AEP	36.50	-1.50
+10.2	AmExp s	61.00	+.13
-16.1	AFrcticGp	22.13	-.19
+8.8	AGenCp	81.06	+1.31
-24.9	AGreet	17.75	+.19
+42.4	**AHomeP**	**55.88**	**+.88**
+33.1	AmIntGp s	96.00	+.25
-32.5	AIPC	20.75	+1.25
-39.5	ARetire	4.80	-.25
-3.7	AmStd	44.19	-1.31
+20.7	AmTower	36.88	-.88
+24.4	AmWtr	26.44	+.13
+47.3	Amerisdt	27.25	-.63
+218.5	AmeriSrc	48.38	+.63
+70.7	Amphenl s	56.75	-.50
-35.6	AmSouth	12.44	-.31
+93.2	**Anadrk**	**65.93**	**-1.12**
+98.0	Analog s	92.06	+.50
-34.8	Anglogld	d16.75	-.44
+22.5	Anheus s	43.50	+1.13
+37.3	Anixter	28.31	-.06
+4.5	AnnTayl	36.00	-3.25
-.2	Aon Corp	39.94	+1.06
+48.9	**Apache**	**55.00**	**-1.94**
+12.9	Aptinv	44.94	+.06
-66.5	Applica	5.69	+.13
+6.6	Apria	19.13	+3.25
-35.5	Aracruz	16.94	+.31
-7.2	ArchCoal	10.50	+.31
-20.1	ArchDan	9.19	+.25
+27.1	ArdenRlt	25.50	+.50
+13.7	Argosy	17.69	-.25
+16.7	ArmorH	15.31	+.13
-79.0	ArmstHld	d7.00	-4.50
-31.0	ArmWl38	d14.06	-5.44
+39.4	ArrowEl	35.38	-1.31
-7.9	ArvMerit n	15.94	-.13
-2.4	Ashanti	2.56	-.06
...	Ashland	32.94	-.25
-20.0	AsiaPc	9.00	+.06
-32.1	AsiaPR	1.19	-.06
-80.2	AsiaPlp	1.56	-.13
+43.0	AscFCap	39.25	+1.13
+23.1	AstraZen	51.38	-.25
+51.7	AtlasAir	41.63	-1.31
-2.1	**ATMOS**	**20.00**	**+.13**
-2.1	AtwdOcn	37.81	-1.69
-63.8	AuroraF	3.38	-.13
-35.8	AutoNatn	5.94	-.06
+18.6	AutoData	63.88	+.94
-26.5	AutoZone	23.75	+.56
+32.7	AvalonBay	45.94	+.25
-25.9	Avaya n	15.19	+.81
+32.4	Aventis	75.31	-1.88
-37.0	AveryD	45.88	-1.25
+23.9	Avista	19.13	-.25
-8.4	Avnet s	28.31	+.19
+31.8	Avon	43.50	+2.75
-53.8	Azurix	4.13	-.13
-15.7	BASF n	37.00	+.31
+11.2	BB&T Cp	30.44	-.06
+11.7	BCE gs	23.88	+.69
+36.0	BJS	56.88	-.31
-4.3	BJs Whls	34.94	+.69
+34.8	BMC	6.56	-.38
-11.4	**BPAmoc s**	**52.56**	**-.31**
+50.3	BP Pru	13.63	-.25
+35.8	BRE	30.81	-.13
+3.8	BSCH prJ	20.63	-.13
+66.2	BakrHu	35.00	-.44
-22.9	Ball	30.38	-.69
-8.7	BallyTotF	24.38	+.44
+4.0	BcBilVArg	14.75	-.75
-7.5	BcoSnCHl	10.81	+.06
+.3	Bancwst s	19.56	-.31
+16.0	BankOne	37.13	+.13
+7.3	Bk of Am	53.88	+1.13
-9.9	BkTokyo	12.56	-.13
+39.7	BkNY	55.88	+1.00
+2.8	Banta	23.19	-.31
-21.2	Bard	41.75	+1.00
-10.9	BarrNbl	18.38	+.19
+196.8	BarrLab s	61.75	-.13
+29.1	BarrettRs	38.00	-1.31
-18.4	BarrickG	d14.44	-.56
-21.2	BatlMt	1.63	-.13
-42.4	BauschL	39.44	+.69
+36.9	Baxter	82.13	+5.44
-36.1	BayView	9.06	+.06
+48.4	BearSt	63.44	+.13
+50.6	BeckCoult	76.63	+1.50
+1.6	BectDck	27.38	+.38
-37.5	Bell&Howl	19.88	-2.00
-4.1	BellSouth	44.88	+1.94
-4.9	Belo	18.13	-.13
-5.7	Bemis	32.88	-.94
+115.5	BenchEl	49.44	-1.44
+22.5	BentonOG	2.38	-.06
+42.8	BergBr	u11.88	+.13
+7.8	**BerkHs A**	**60500.00**	...
+19.0	**BerryP**	**18.00**	**-.19**
+22.9	BestBuy	61.75	-.06
-67.9	BethSt	d2.69	-.19
+37.1	Beverly	8.00	+.06
+132.4	BindlyW	u35.00	+.63
-8.2	Biomtrx	18.06	+.44
+59.9	Biovail s	74.94	-.69
+40.0	Biovail pf	70.00	-.50
-56.5	BirSti	d2.31	-.06
-39.5	BlackD	31.63	-1.81
+26.2	**BlkHlCp**	**28.00**	**+.25**
+5.7	Blk2001	u9.31	+.06
+15.5	BlkHYTr	13.50	-.06
+12.0	BlkIT	6.44	...
+3.5	BlkStrTT	u9.13	+.13
+2.6	BlkTT	9.88	+.06
-64.9	Blanch	21.50	+2.19
-17.6	BlckHR	36.06	-.06
-35.0	Blockbstr	8.69	+.13
-3.6	BlueChp	8.38	-.06
-57.5	Bluegreen	d2.13	-.25
-3.1	Blyth	23.81	+.31
+47.4	Boeing	61.06	-.06
-34.6	BoiseC	26.50	-1.00
-40.3	Bombay	2.69	+.31
-57.1	BordCh	2.06	+.06
-17.7	Borders	13.38	-.31
-7.7	BorgWarn	37.38	+.31
+23.5	BostBeer	8.88	...
+31.3	BostProp	40.88	+.25
-27.7	BostSci	15.81	+.25
-10.0	Bowatr	48.88	-.44
-9.7	BoykinL	9.88	-.13
+19.1	Brandyw	19.50	+.19
-30.4	BrasilTel	63.13	+4.56
-3.0	Brazil	17.94	+.44
-30.5	BrigStrat	37.25	-1.13
+43.3	Brinker	34.56	+1.38
-11.9	**BrMySq**	**56.56**	**+1.06**
-57.3	BritTel	d101.69	-3.56
-27.1	Broadwing	26.88	+1.31
+52.9	BwnSh	3.25	...
+3.1	**BrwnFA**	**55.63**	**+1.69**
-2.5	**BrwnFB**	**55.81**	**+1.69**
-18.3	Brunswick	18.19	...
+43.7	BuckTch	21.38	+.38
-15.6	Buckle	12.50	+.38
-57.9	BudgetGp	3.81	+.06
-13.2	Buenavnt	13.94	-.06
+7.7	BurlCoat	14.94	+.38
-65.6	BurlInds	1.38	+.06
-7.0	BurlNSF	22.56	+.06
+5.1	BrlRsc	34.75	-1.25
-36.0	BurnPP	6.00	+.06
+182.6	C&D Tch su	60.06	+1.75
-4.2	C--Mac gn	63.69	-2.06
	CANTV	24.63	+.25
+20.9	CBL Asc	24.94	+.19
+13.1	CEC Ent	31.94	+.81
+17.6	CH Energy	38.81	-.87
+39.6	CIGNA	u112.43	+4.63
-8.1	CIGNA Hl	4.94	+.06
-23.4	CIT Gp	16.19	-.63
-57.4	CKE Rst	2.50	+.13
-12.2	CMS Eng	27.38	...
+2.5	CMS pfM	25.63	+.19
-3.5	CNA Fn	37.56	-.06
-35.0	CNF Trsn	22.44	+.06
-24.9	CNH Glbl	10.00	-.06
+37.0	CP&L Egy	41.89	+.56
-29.9	CSX	22.00	-.31
-33.7	CTS	50.00	-1.00
+16.9	CVS Cp	46.63	-.63
-21.5	Cabl&Wrls	41.56	-1.44
+48.8	CablDsg s	22.88	-.50
-1.8	Cablvsn	74.13	+1.88
+12.5	Cabltrn	29.25	+.75
+64.6	Cabot s	19.25	-.19
+7.1	CabotITr	19.69	-.56
+18.7	CbtOG	19.06	-.56
+3.1	Cadence	24.75	-.69
+23.4	Calgon	7.25	+.13
-12.0	CallGolf	15.56	+.06
+190.2	Calpine	92.88	-3.19
+7.4	Cambrex	37.00	-.63
-31.5	CampSp	26.50	+1.00
+11.6	CdnRy g	29.56	-.75
+20.9	CdnPc g	26.06	-.75
+18.8	Canwst g	13.13	...
+48.9	CapOne	71.75	+.50
+91.1	CardnlH	91.50	+.25
+125.9	CaremkRx	11.44	+.44
+12.7	Carlisle	40.56	-1.44
-48.9	Carnival	24.44	+.06
+8.0	CarpTech	29.63	+.38
-3.2	CataliMkt s	37.38	-.31
+35.1	Catelus	17.31	-.25
-25.6	Caterpillr	35.00	-.13
-61.9	CavalrH	1.50	+.13
+24.8	Celestic gs	69.25	-2.75
-22.2	Cemex	21.69	+.38
-60.7	Cendant	10.44	+.06
-41.0	Cendant rt	6.13	-.25
-40.7	CentxCn	23.13	-1.19
+34.4	Centex	33.19	-1.00
-31.5	CntryTel	32.44	+1.75
+29.9	Ceridian	28.00	+.44
-31.0	Cervecer	22.13	+.13
-54.4	ChmpE	d3.88	-.13
+26.7	ChRvLab n	27.88	-1.13
+33.8	ChartOneF	24.38	+.19
+8.3	ChaseCap	22.88	+.13
-14.1	ChaseM s	44.44	-1.13
-25.8	Checkpnt	7.56	+.19
-29.3	Chspk	21.56	+.81
+202.7	ChesEng	7.19	-.19
-1.3	**Chevron**	**85.50**	**+.69**
+6.4	ChicB&I	14.63	+.13
-17.2	ChileFd	9.31	...
-4.8	ChileTel	17.38	+.38
+16.3	ChinaMbl s	37.38	+.31
+7.6	ChinaUni n	23.75	+.63
-36.8	Chiquita	3.00	...
-33.6	ChoiceH	11.38	+.50
+6.5	ChoicePt s	44.06	+1.06
+10.8	ChrisCr	77.56	-2.94
+38.6	Chubb	78.06	...
-33.0	ChurDwt	17.88	+.75
+100.0	Chyron	3.00	+.44
-70.9	CiBER	d8.00	...
+25.6	CINergy	30.06	-.69
-49.8	CirCtyCC	22.63	-.06
+34.4	Citigrp s	56.13	+1.38
-3.0	Citigp pfH	44.59	-.91
-3.1	CitzComm	13.75	+.19
+19.9	CityNC	39.50	+1.13
-18.4	ClairesStr	18.25	+.13
+4.2	Clarcor	18.75	...
+1.4	ClaytnH	9.31	-.25
-48.6	ClearChan	d5.88	-6.63
-16.3	Clorox	42.19	+2.75
...	Coach n	20.31	...
-33.9	Coachmen	10.00	+.19
+99.6	Coastal	70.75	-.44
-7.9	Coastcst	15.31	+.19
+1.5	**CocaCl**	**59.13**	**+1.88**
-19.9	CocaCE	16.13	+.13
-58.2	Coeur	1.44	+.06
-23.7	**ColgPal**	**49.61**	**+2.68**
-2.4	ColBgp	10.13	-.06
+12.5	ColumEn	71.13	...
-60.6	Comdisco	14.69	-.25
+26.4	Comeric	59.00	-1.06
+50.8	CmcBNJ	58.06	-.25
+8.8	CmcFdl	19.38	+.06
+1.3	CmclNL	10.06	-.13
-45.7	ComScop	21.88	-.88
+111.9	CmtyHlt n	29.00	-1.19
+17.6	CBD--Pao	38.00	-.94
-6.9	Compaq	25.20	-3.64
-60.1	CompAs	27.94	-.13
-24.2	CompSci	71.75	+1.25
+291.3	ComstkRs	11.25	+.44
-10.7	ConAgra	20.25	+.25
-9.7	ConeMl	4.06	-.31
-1.5	Conectiv	16.56	-.44
+5.1	ConocoA	26.00	+.38
+8.0	ConocoB	26.88	+.50
-64.6	Conseco	6.31	-.25
+89.4	ConsolEgy	16.94	+.25
-8.2	ConEd	32.38	-.69
-21.5	ConStor	12.75	-.25
+57.8	ConstellEn	45.75	-1.06
+7.9	CtlAir B	47.88	+.88
+22.2	Cnvrgys	37.56	+.06
+49.9	CoopCam	73.38	+.88
+12.9	CoopCo	34.00	+.63
-10.7	Cooper	36.13	-.38
-33.3	CooprTr	10.50	...
+21.5	Coors B	63.81	+1.50
+3.4	Copel	9.63	+.88
+15.0	CoreLab	23.00	-.63
+9.0	CornerRit	10.63	...
+125.5	Corning s	96.94	-.44
-.6	CpHYIII	9.94	-.06
-52.1	CorrecCp s	1.13	+.06
-70.8	CorusGr s	7.56	-.56
+50.0	CntwCrd	37.88	+.50
+21.0	CousPrp s	27.38	-.13
-27.7	Covance	7.81	-.19
-15.3	CoxCom	43.63	+.63
-24.0	CoxCm29	n73.88	+.13
-48.6	CoxRadio s	17.75	...
+15.4	Crane	22.94	-.31
-40.1	Credicp	7.19	-.06
+17.7	CresRE	21.63	+.13
+12.3	CristChie	16.00	+.38
-39.3	Crompton	8.13	-.06
+215.5	**CroseTbr s**	**19.06**	**-.56**
+58.5	**CroseTim**	**15.75**	**+.06**
+8.0	CrwnAm	5.94	...
-57.0	CwnCork	d9.63	-.81
+27.9	CullenFr	32.94	-.06
-33.8	CumEng	32.00	-1.19
+13.7	CypSemi	36.81	-3.69
+47.8	Cytec	34.00	-.25

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	D-E-F		
+59.9	DPL	27.69	-.44
+10.5	DQE	36.25	-.75
+40.1	DR Horton	17.75	-.38
+48.8	DST Sys	113.56	+1.56
+13.8	DTE	36.00	-.75
-44.1	DaimlrC	43.84	-.55
+100.5	DainRausu	93.25	-.25
+17.3	Dal-Tile	11.88	-.75
-.6	DallSemi s	32.06	-1.75
-26.3	DanaCp	22.06	-.38
+7.5	Danaher	51.88	+.38
+19.0	Darden	u21.56	+.56
+107.0	DeVry	38.81	...
-15.4	DeanFd	33.63	+.31
+1.8	DebtStr2	7.13	-.06
-20.5	Deere	34.50	-.50
-52.3	DelMnte	5.88	+.13
-14.5	DelhaizeA	17.38	+.13
-19.2	DelhaizeB	16.88	+.19
-7.5	DelphiA	14.56	-.44
+45.0	DeltPne	25.19	+.19
-9.2	DeltaAir	45.25	-.50
-26.7	Deluxe	20.13	-.31
+66.2	Denbury	7.06	-.63
+45.7	DeRigo	8.38	-.13
-51.0	DeutTel	34.81	-.56
+1.5	DevDv	13.06	+.06
+10.0	Diageo	35.19	+.06
-54.2	Dial	11.13	+.13
+26.0	DiaOffs	38.50	-.06
+9.3	Diebold	25.69	-.81
-49.5	Dillards	10.19	-.31
+57.9	DimeBcp	u23.88	+1.13
-1.9	Dimon	3.19	+.13
+41.0	**Disney**	**41.25**	**+1.38**
-60.5	DsneyInt n	d9.38	-.56
-18.5	Dole	13.56	-.19
-10.6	DollarG s	18.31	-.06
+22.2	DomRes n	51.00	-1.94
+84.9	DonLufJen	89.44	+.06
-51.6	DLJ Dir	6.56	...
-2.5	DonlleyRR	24.19	-.56
-1.5	Dover	44.69	-1.25
-39.7	**DowChm s**	**26.81**	**-.44**
-13.6	DowJns	58.75	-.38
-24.5	DryHYSt	7.50	...
+26.5	DrilQuip	38.44	-1.13
-32.1	DuPont	44.75	-.63
-10.4	DuaneR	24.69	...
+16.5	DufPUtil	9.69	...
+60.5	DukeEngy	80.44	-2.25
+17.9	DukeWks	23.00	+.44
+20.7	DunBrad nu	20.81	+.81
+12.0	Duq38	22.81	-.13
+35.3	Dycom s	39.75	+.44
+127.3	Dynegy s	53.13	+.31
-72.8	DynexCap	1.75	+.13
-93.1	E4L	17	-.03
+70.2	EEX Cp	5.00	+.06
+64.8	**EMC s**	**90.00**	**-2.13**
+110.3	**EOG Res**	**36.94**	**-.69**
+8.9	Earthgr	17.56	+.50
+11.2	EastEnt	63.88	-.06
-17.6	EastChm	39.31	-.31
-39.1	EKodak	40.38	-.13
-13.3	Eaton	62.94	-.31
+26.8	EatnVan	48.19	+.25
+2.0	EV Srlnc	9.56	+.13
-7.3	Ecolab	36.25	-.31
-26.1	EdisonInt	19.13	-.38
+66.0	EDO	u9.75	+.38
+24.6	EdwLSci n	20.56	+.63
+57.7	Edwards	50.56	+.31
+52.5	ElPasEn	59.19	-.44
+97.9	Elan	58.38	+.75
-52.9	**Elcor**	**14.19**	**-.06**
-37.2	EDS	42.06	-.06
+39.7	EBrAero n	30.13	+.13
-32.6	Embratl	18.38	+.69
+15.9	EmrsnEl	66.50	-.13
+15.7	**EmpDist**	**26.19**	**-.13**
-20.7	EEIChile	11.25	+.56
-51.9	Empica	1.56	-.19
-54.4	Encompss	4.88	-.06
-2.5	Endesa	19.69	+.38
-.5	Energizr n	23.25	+.56
+1.2	**EgyEast**	**21.06**	**-.19**
-24.9	Enersis	17.38	...
-39.5	Enesco	6.69	+1.00
-7.9	EnglCp	17.38	+.13
-21.5	Enhance	12.75	-.13
+87.0	**Enron**	**83.00**	**-.06**
+4.8	**EnrLLC pf**	**24.44**	**+.13**
+83.1	ENSCO	36.69	-.06
+33.3	Entergy	34.31	-.94
-17.1	EnterPT	10.94	-.19
-92.7	Entrade	3.00	-.19
-13.2	Entravsn n	16.50	-.06
+12.6	EnzoBio	51.81	+.44
+16.8	**EottEng**	**15.19**	**+.13**
-69.7	Equant	33.94	-.69
+30.8	Equifax	30.81	+.75
+88.4	EqtResc	62.88	-.38
-6.5	EqtyInn	6.31	...
+25.4	EqOffPT	30.88	+.38
+7.8	EqtyRsd	46.00	...
+13.9	EqtRpfL	21.50	-.44
+60.7	EssexPT	54.63	-.69
-24.4	EsteeLdr	38.13	+1.31
-22.6	ELaudTrst	67.00	+1.50
+72.4	Esterline	19.94	-.06
-53.6	Ethyl	1.63	...
+117.1	EverestRe	48.44	+.44
+21.1	ExideCp	10.06	+.19
+57.0	ExtStayA	11.88	+.06
+10.7	**ExxonMob**	**89.19**	**-.06**
-13.8	FEMSA	38.38	+.13
+16.4	FMC	66.69	-1.19
+45.7	FPL Gp	62.38	-1.50
-6.2	FactsetR s	37.39	-1.61
-12.6	FairchldS	26.00	-1.00
-5.8	FairfCmts	10.13	-.13
+13.8	FamDlr	18.56	+.44
+14.6	FanniMae	71.56	+2.25
+7.8	FedExCp	44.15	-.85
-29.5	Fedders	3.88	+.38
-26.8	FeddersA	3.75	+.19
-77.6	FedMog	d4.50	-1.06
+5.0	FedRlty	19.75	+.56
+28.8	FedSignl	20.69	+.44
-45.5	FedtDS	27.56	+.88
-80.1	FdDS wtD	4.88	+.69
+89.7	FedInvst s	25.38	-.06
+30.4	FelCor	22.81	+.13
+28.7	Ferrellgs	16.25	+.06
-8.0	Ferro	20.25	-.44
+63.0	FidelFin	23.44	-.38
+5.2	FinlFedl	24.00	+.56
-82.7	Finova	d8.13	-.19
+72.9	FstAmCp	21.50	...
-2.0	FCmwF	9.00	...
-22.6	FstData	38.19	-.06
+30.1	FFinFd	10.00	+.13
+12.1	FstInRT	30.75	+.19
-23.9	FstTenn	21.69	+.06
-.6	FstUC	32.75	-1.38
+.7	FtVaBk	43.31	+.31
+35.8	FWshRT	25.38	...
+68.0	FstFed	u23.63	+.75
-8.9	Firstar	19.25	-.75
+11.3	FirstEngy	25.25	-.56
+13.8	FleetBost	39.63	+.75
+1.3	FtCa pfK	25.25	+.13
-40.9	FleetEn	12.19	-.56
+38.6	Flemng	14.00	-.06
+24.8	FlaProg	62.81	-.19
+19.2	Flowers	19.00	-.13
-1.1	Flowserv	16.81	...
-32.3	Fluor	31.06	+.06
+12.7	Footstar	34.38	+1.88
-2.8	FordM n	25.94	-.44
+83.6	ForestLab	112.81	+4.94
+12.3	ForestOil	14.81	-.25
+16.4	FtJames	31.88	+.25
-23.8	FortuneBr	25.19	-1.25
-12.7	FostWh	7.75	-.25
+76.7	FoundHS	17.56	+.06
-48.4	4KidsEnt	15.00	-.31
+45.1	FourSH g	77.25	+1.56
-4.8	Fox Ent	23.75	+.25
-6.5	FranFin	22.38	+.50
+32.0	FrankRes	42.33	+.28
+14.1	FredMac	53.69	+1.44
-58.6	FMCG	8.75	-.19
-50.0	Fremont	3.69	+.13
-45.1	FDelMnt	d4.94	-.38
-6.3	FGoldmn	6.50	-.31
-78.2	FrntrIns	75	...
+5.6	FrontrOil	7.13	-.31
-29.5	FurnBrds	15.50	-.19

YTD	Name	Last	Chg
	G-H-I		
+27.4	**GATX**	**43.00**	**+.19**
-88.2	GC Cos	3.06	+.13
-61.6	GPU	31.56	-.25
-7.0	GabelliET	11.69	+.06
-29.3	**GabGloM**	**13.25**	**-.06**
+7.8	GablRsd	25.88	-.13
-52.4	Galileo Intd	14.25	-.25
+78.6	Gallaghr s	57.81	-.25
-38.7	Gannett	51.63	+.75
-53.9	Gap	21.19	+1.31
-21.3	Gartner	12.00	-.06
-24.0	GartnrB	10.50	-.19
-31.8	Gateway	49.13	-.75
+27.2	Genentc	171.06	-1.38
-17.7	GenerSA	12.75	+.13
+12.3	**GAImv**	**41.75**	**+.19**
...	GnCable	7.56	+.06
-28.3	GnData	4.75	-.25
+14.0	GenDyn	60.13	-1.88
+15.7	**GenElec s**	**59.75**	**+.88**
+12.7	GnGrth	31.56	+.25
+3.5	GenMills	37.00	+.94
-13.0	GnMotr	63.25	-2.63
-4.7	GM H s	30.50	-2.00
-18.1	GenSemi	11.63	-.75
+35.6	Gensco	17.63	+.56
-20.2	GenuPrt	19.81	+.19
-55.4	GaGulf	13.56	+.25
-51.0	GaPcGP	24.88	-.50
+9.6	GaPTimb	27.00	-.06
-60.4	GerbSc	8.69	-.06
+1.0	GerNew	12.38	-.19
-24.3	Gillette	31.19	+1.25
-24.2	Glamis	1.38	...
+8.8	GlaxoWel	59.69	+.06
+74.4	GlobM	29.00	-.69
-89.4	GlbITele	3.69	+.50
+38.8	GoldStBc	23.94	+.19
+61.0	GoldWF s	53.94	+.19
+22.0	GoldmanS	114.88	+5.44
+43.0	**Goodrch**	**39.31**	**-1.81**
-37.3	Goodyear	17.60	-.57
-30.3	Gotchk	5.19	+.06
-67.7	Grace	d4.56	-2.38
-43.8	Graingr	26.88	-.25
+22.9	GrantPr n	21.50	+.25
-63.5	GtAtPc	10.19	-.25
-22.3	GtLkCh	29.69	-.69
+25.2	GreenptFn	29.81	+.19
-7.8	GpoASur	n14.00	...
-11.3	Gpolusacll	13.25	+.25
-17.9	GTelevsa	56.00	-.50
-26.7	Gtech	16.13	-.25
-14.5	Gucci	97.88	-.69
-54.0	Guess	10.00	...
+19.3	Guidant	56.06	-1.69
-77.6	Guilford	1.63	+.31
+38.

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YTD	Name	Last	Chg
	A B C		
-15.7	AB Watt	9.06	+1.06
+35.0	ADT Wt	50.63	-3.63
-73.0	ACTV	12.31	+.31
+58.3	ADC Tel s	28.69	-.06
+15.9	ANC Rtl n	6.38	+.56
-21.8	AGE Tst	19.06	-.06
-13.2	ASM Lith s	32.88	+.56
-64.0	AT&T LAN	8.00	...
-36.2	ATI Tech	8.38	+.06
-39.5	ATMI Inc	d20.06	-2.58
+108.3	Aaipharm s	69.00	-1.94
-82.1	**AbleTel**	**3.03**	**+.06**
-88.5	About.com	28.25	-3.06
-72.8	AcciNtwk	nd13.00	-2.00
-86.2	AccrueS	7.47	+.59
-42.4	AclaBio	nd18.50	-2.00
+45.1	Actel	34.81	-1.81
-51.6	ActCard n	28.06	+3.38
-14.8	ActPwr n	45.06	-7.06
-2.0	Activsn	15.00	+.13
+30.1	Actrade	19.44	-2.31
+57.0	Actuate s	33.75	...
+40.6	Acxiom	33.75	+.69
-83.8	Adaptec	18.06	-.94
-53.6	AdptBrd s	17.13	-1.93
-81.1	Adelphia	9.09	-.34
-52.1	Adelph h	31.44	+2.38
+120.8	AdobeSy s	148.50	-9.50
-10.8	Adtran	45.88	-.38
+89.3	AdvPara s	40.81	+.94
-41.8	AdvDigI s	14.19	-1.06
-36.2	AdvEngy	31.44	-3.00
-11.9	AdvFCm	39.38	+.31
-69.0	AdvRadio	7.44	+.13
	AdvSwitch n	18.00	...
+515.2	Aerofiex s	u50.75	-.50
+25.7	AethrSys n	90.00	...
-27.8	Affymet s	61.25	+8.50
-37.9	AgileSft	67.50	-9.00
-87.9	AkamaiT n	d39.69	-5.80
+225.6	Akasyst	u15.69	+.88
-.7	**akzo**	**45.44**	**+.56**
+177.0	AlbmyMic s	42.25	-5.94
+247.1	Alkermes	104.56	+4.88
+43.7	Alkarm s	35.38	+1.38
-90.3	Allaire s	7.03	-.31
-41.8	AllegTel s	35.81	-.56
+103.4	AllosPh	15.00	+.50
+15.7	AllianSemi	19.31	-.25
+6.8	AldCap	19.56	+.56
-75.2	AlsRiser n	5.13	-.56
+7.4	Alphalnd s	30.75	-3.19
+39.2	AlteonW	122.13	+8.19
+83.4	AlteraCp s	47.88	-3.19
-53.9	Amazon	58.38	-2.44
-9.6	AmCntLAn	7.85	-.31
-23.3	AEagleO	34.50	+.88
-16.7	AmlRtPt	47	+.03
-47.8	AMS	16.38	-.06
-29.6	APwCnv	18.56	-.06
-27.7	AmrTrde	15.69	+.38
-83.1	AmesDS	d4.88	-.94
+10.9	**Amgen s**	**66.63**	**+2.19**
-8.0	AmkorT	28.00	+.06
+125.0	Amsg A	14.63	...
+24.3	Amylin	10.38	+.50
-39.3	Analdigc s	19.13	-1.81
+234.8	Anaren s	120.94	-6.00
+25.7	Andrew	23.81	-.13
-12.0	AndrxGp n	83.50	+.56
-56.8	ansthink	14.81	-.13
-32.5	Antec	24.63	-1.63
+124.9	ApolloG	45.13	+2.06
-57.1	**Apollo s**	**22.06**	**-1.56**
-11.0	**Applebee**	**28.25**	**+1.13**
-52.5	AplDig n	3.56	-.03
-16.2	**AppliMat s**	**53.13**	**-1.06**
+180.2	AMCC s	176.25	-13.63
-47.2	ApdSci	17.56	-.38
+29.3	ArQule	13.25	+.25
+106.6	Aradigm	19.63	-1.44
-33.7	ArchWirel s	4.38	+.31
+10.2	ArmsSft n	35.81	-1.31
+39.8	Arbtx	118.13	-3.94
+21.7	Arch	72.88	+5.17
+52.4	Arteseyn	32.00	+1.00
-40.6	ArthrOc s	18.13	+.13
-88.7	Artdirect n	d1.06	-.06
-76.7	Ashford	2.56	-.19
-66.0	AshtnT	2.19	+.03
-85.7	AskJvs	16.19	-1.31
-45.4	AspectCm	21.38	-1.06
+21.8	AstoriaF	37.06	-.63
+215.2	Astrpwr	44.13	+3.63
-43.1	AsysitTch s	18.64	-1.05
-72.0	AtHome	12.00	-.25
+9.1	Atmel s	15.50	+1.06
-58.8	Audvox	13.13	...
+20.7	Auspex	12.38	+1.13
-84.4	autobytel	5.38	+.31
-46.2	Avanex n	92.00	-7.00
+18.8	Avanti	17.81	-.13
+284.8	Avantimm	9.50	+.19
-15.0	AvantGo n	17.00	+.44
-93.8	Avenue A n	4.44	-.38
-16.8	AvicoSys n	81.50	+.96
+24.4	AvidTch	16.25	+.25
+44.8	Avigen	44.88	+3.00
+248.6	Avnet	54.81	-.19
+21.3	AvxctCp n	53.69	-1.00
-58.7	Axcelis n	d9.88	-1.13
+1.8	AxsentT	21.38	+.31
+116.8	BEA Sys s	75.81	+1.50
+30.4	BISYS	u85.0e	+5.00
-78.0	BMC Sft	17.56	+1.06
-15.6	BSB Bcp	d16.25	-4.97
-79.8	BackWb	d8.50	-1.56
+249.4	BallardPw	98.50	-1.50
+95.4	BnkUntd	u53.25	+2.25
+24.1	BankNorth	18.69	+.23
-89.2	BarFree s	3.88	-.06
-49.5	BebeStrs	13.63	-1.19
+32.4	BedBath s	23.00	-.13
-88.4	bynd.com n	.91	-.06
-54.8	BillConc	d2.94	-.13
-72.5	BindView s	6.84	-.09
+8.6	BioPharm	23.63	+.06
-34.2	Biogen	55.56	-2.00
+30.3	Biomet s	34.69	+1.00
+150.8	Biomira	9.88	+.13
+6.4	**Biopure**	**17.69**	**+.19**
-34.2	BlackBx	44.06	-3.19
-37.1	BlueMart n	34.44	-.44
-9.9	Bookham n	43.13	+.88
-76.5	Bradlees	2.00	-.84
-87.5	Breakwy s	d4.56	-2.94
-31.1	Brze.com n	27.44	-1.75
+169.4	BrigExp	4.13	+.38
-60.5	Brightpt	5.19	-.06
-64.6	Broadvis s	20.06	-1.38
-77.1	BrobsSft	12.88	-.25
+71.5	Brdcom s	233.63	-8.31
+154.8	BrodeCm s	225.50	+8.81
-25.0	BrooksAu	24.44	-2.38
+72.0	**BrownTom**	**23.00**	**-.88**
+81.5	BuenCtr s	108.00	...
-90.4	COPrint s	15.19	+.19
-10.8	C-CubeM n	18.50	-.81
+48.2	**CBRL Grp**	**14.38**	**+.25**
+43.2	CDW Cpt s	56.39	-4.73
-84.5	CMGI	d21.50	-2.81
-56.4	CNET	24.75	-.81
-1.5	**CNS**	**4.06**	**...**
-23.7	CSG Sys	30.44	-.88
+84.9	CabotMic n	46.00	-1.50
-17.4	CacheFl n	108.00	-13.75
-92.9	Calico	3.75	+.19
-24.0	CalAmp	20.00	+.56
-22.7	CaliperT n	51.63	-2.00
-86.0	CamboTch	3.69	+.34
-81.3	CapRck n	6.06	+.69
+11.9	CpstnTr n	53.69	-3.31
-80.1	Carrier 1 n	6.88	...
-79.2	CarrAcc	14.00	-.70
-19.0	CatlSemi n	9.06	-.75
+126.7	Celgene s	53.00	-2.25
+112.2	CellGens	27.19	+1.19
-16.2	CellPath	d7.75	+1.06
+826.8	CellTch	64.88	+.75
-44.3	CentraSft	3.03	-.03
-86.3	CentBusn	1.16	-.13
+33.5	Cephln	46.13	+.31
+.6	Certicom s	41.25	+2.56
-14.6	ChartCm n	18.69	+.63
-26.2	ChrtSm n	53.86	-2.38
-51.3	Chattm	9.25	-.22
-21.5	ChipTch	10.75	+.13
+220.4	ChkPoint s	159.38	+5.14
-63.8	ChkFree	38.00	-.19
+79.1	Cheeseck s	41.88	+.25
+106.3	Chicos s	38.94	+3.19
-73.3	chndlcm s	10.50	-1.25
-2.9	Chiron	41.13	-.38
-61.5	ChoiceOne	nd11.38	-.38
+307.6	CienaCp s	117.19	+2.75
+325.8	CIMATel s	55.63	-.81
+10.6	CinnFin	34.50	+.44
+21.2	Cintas s	42.88	+.50
-.8	CiphrBio n	31.75	-.75
-9.7	**Ciprico**	**10.44**	**-.13**
-83.8	Cirbl.com n	d2.00	-.50
+179.4	Cirrus	37.06	-3.00
+7.3	Cisco s	57.38	-1.00
-78.2	CitadelC	12.75	-2.00
-87.9	CitrixSys s	19.75	-.69
-55.0	Clarent	35.00	-1.63
-67.7	Clarus	21.31	+.19
+237.8	**ClayEng**	**39.88**	**-.44**
+29.1	Clearnet	44.38	+.25
+81.1	ClickCm n	29.00	...
-50.6	CobaltN s	53.56	-1.13
-9.9	Cognex	35.13	-1.38
+93.9	**Coherent**	**51.88**	**-4.25**
+13.3	ColdHED	9.06	+.39
-48.5	Com21	12.00	-1.00
-13.1	Comcsp	43.94	+2.50
-47.0	ComDge s	81.94	-4.31
-70.1	Cominfoll	2.47	+.03
+12.7	ComFBk	17.75	-.06
-11.8	CompsBc	19.69	-.06
+70.3	CompCrdu	65.56	+3.63
-73.4	CmpltHz	4.31	+.19
+17.4	CptNwk	26.94	+1.06
-79.9	Compuwre	7.50	+.03
+42.1	Comvers s	102.88	+1.88
+38.7	ConcEFS	35.19	+.19
-2.3	ConcCm	18.25	-.31
-45.1	Conexnt s	36.44	+3.19
+158.0	Connticsu	28.88	+2.88
-81.5	Convrgnt	d2.94	+.13
-32.6	CopMrtn	d32.88	-2.88
+298.8	CorTher s	53.56	-.56
-82.0	CoreCom s	7.13	-.13
-83.4	CoreCp	5.53	-.53
+126.2	CorinthC	54.00	+2.25
+45.0	CorpExc s	40.50	+.50
-9.2	Corsair	22.38	-.06
-20.3	CorvisCp n	67.56	+.44
-38.8	CoSine n	39.88	-3.72
-28.3	Costco s	33.63	-.86
+78.6	Counsl g	3.53	+.53
-69.3	CovagCm s	11.44	+1.13
-45.1	CredSys s	23.75	-2.19
+33.2	Cree Inc	113.75	-.94
-41.6	CritPath	55.13	-2.88
-91.7	Crsarda n	7.03	-.91
-27.9	CrssWrld n	12.75	-1.13
-15.0	CrwnCstl	27.13	-1.19
-86.2	CumMed	7.00	+.56
+39.8	CuraGen s	48.75	+1.23
-34.4	Curis n	16.00	-.19
+22.3	Cyberonic	19.50	+.38
-41.2	Cymer	d27.06	-1.75
-85.1	CyprCom n	3.06	+.44
-81.3	Cysive s	6.75	-.36
+133.7	Cytogn	6.06	+.06
+40.8	Cytyc s	42.94	+1.94
	D-E-F		
-26.4	DMC Strtx	17.25	+.50
-84.8	DSET Cp	5.69	-.09
-4.3	DSL Toys	2.75	+.56
-77.1	DSL.net	1.31	+.13
-89.2	Danka	1.38	+.28
-66.7	DtBdcst	d2.75	-.25
-22.6	Dataram s	17.38	-2.25
+88.5	**DataRce**	**5.13**	**+.13**
+10.6	**Dawson**	**9.75**	**-.25**
-3.7	DBear	27.88	-1.38
-69.3	DelanoT n	15.50	+.88
-50.6	DellCptr	26.19	-3.00
-31.2	Dendrite	12.38	-.03
-30.4	DiamndT s	59.81	-8.44
-42.4	Digex	39.63	+.13
-82.4	Digisld	16.75	-2.19
+3.2	DigLght	66.06	-3.69
-83.5	DigRiver	5.50	-.44
-49.2	Digitas n	15.00	-1.19
-26.7	DitechCo s	34.25	-5.13
-71.9	Divrsnt g	6.19	+1.18
-63.7	divinVnt n	d3.19	-.63
-.3	Docent n	18.25	+1.31
+20.2	DotTree s	38.75	-.31
-81.2	DbleClick	d23.81	-2.25
+41.4	DresB	23.50	+1.81
-90.8	drkoop	1.09	-.03
-92.1	drugstre	2.84	-.06
+16.1	DuPontP	56.00	-4.50
+174.4	DuraPh	38.25	+1.19
-43.9	DurbanRo	1.00	-.06
+3.7	DurctCp n	14.94	+1.25
-46.2	DynHlth	.88	-.19
-41.1	ETrade	15.38	+.13
-50.5	e.spire	2.88	-.06
+2.0	eBayInd s	63.88	-.75
-2.8	ECI Tel	30.75	-.19
-23.2	EGL Inc	33.13	-.25
-79.6	eGlobe	.91	+.03
-8.6	EXFO gn	41.00	-3.25
-66.7	EchoStar	1.38	+.03
-73.6	EchoUnk n	d8.31	+.26
-79.9	EchoWeb	10.13	-.13
-71.0	ebix.com	3.25	...
+35.5	EchelonC	26.50	-2.69
-3.7	EchoStar s	48.94	-3.00
-29.0	Eclipsys	18.19	+1.81
+19.2	EdenBio n	35.75	-.75
-55.0	EffNtwr	30.63	-4.38
-86.5	Egghead	2.19	+.03
-50.1	Elan rt	.94	...
+464.0	Elantec s	93.06	-7.81
-25.1	ElstcNet n	10.44	-1.06
+184.8	ElcFuel	9.97	-.59
-2.1	ElectSci s	35.75	-1.50
-36.0	Elctrgls	d16.25	-.38
+15.5	ElecArts s	48.50	-1.56
-66.5	EFII	19.50	-1.13
+84.8	**Elctsrc**	**4.31**	**-.06**
-87.1	eMachns n	1.06	...
+219.5	EmbarT n	51.13	+3.38
+125.7	Emcor s	38.38	-2.81
-77.6	Emerginf	d1.38	+.31
-83.0	EmmisCs	23.06	-2.25
-.9	Emulex s	111.50	-7.50
-88.4	Emusic	d1.19	-.13
-76.0	Engage s	7.19	-.63
-52.6	Enfrust	28.44	-.69
+40.9	Enzon	61.13	+1.00
-69.0	Epiph	69.13	+4.88
-50.0	Equinix n	d6.56	-.56
-3.6	**EricTel s**	**15.75**	**-.06**
-81.9	eToys	.41	-.06
-147.4	ExcelTch	26.44	-.50
-22.4	eXcelon	11.25	-.25
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+130.1	LightPt	43.00	-4.25
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-21.2	**SandFm**	**6.75**	**+.13**
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-88.4	Satyam s	12.25	+.13
-36.8	Sawtek	42.06	-1.44
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-94.3	SciQst n	4.50	...
+102.0	SeaComp n	25.38	+1.50
-80.0	SegueSoft	10.00	+1.25
-82.3

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BUSINESS BRIEFING

OIL PRICES

Thursday	$30.53
Previous	$31.43

POSTED

Thursday	$27.50
Previous	$28.50

NATURAL GAS

Thursday	$5.152
Previous	$5.290

Crude falls

CHICAGO — Crude oil and products futures fell sharply at the New York Mercantile Exchange Thursday on rising expectations of supply builds after 11 U.S. firms successfully bid for 30 million crude barrels offered from the government's Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

Heating oil futures fell hardest, with the November contract settling down 3.62 cents at 92.72 cents a gallon after posting an intraday low of 92.10 cents a gallon.

Earlier Thursday, there was a report that Nippon Mitsubishi Oil Corp., Japan's biggest refiner, and other refiners may increase exports of fuel oil to help ease shortages in the U.S. and Europe in response to U.S. and Japanese government requests.

Futures prices have retreated since the Clinton Administration announced the plan to release oil from the emergency reserve two weeks ago. However, some analysts have said that the release of 30 million barrels of oil does little to change the market's fundamental picture longer-term. The government's estimate that this will yield three to five million barrels of heating oil is overly optimistic because refineries are seen running at capacity, the analysts added.

With inventories of heating oil some 35 percent below a year ago and the East Coast about 50 percent below last year's levels, other analysts said that the SPR oil will do little to head off a winter supply shortage in case of an early cold snap because many refineries are running full blast or scheduling fall maintenance.

Unleaded gasoline for November delivery dropped 1.35 cent to 83.5 cents a gallon and November natural gas fell 13.8 cents to $5.152 per 1,000 cubic feet.

In London, Brent crude from the North Sea for November delivery was down 63 cents to $29.89 a barrel.

Dollar higher

LONDON — The U.S. dollar was mostly higher against other major currencies in European trading Thursday.

The euro was quoted at 86.95 cents in late European trading, down from 87.18 cents Wednesday. Later, in midday trading in New York, the euro traded at 86.96 cents.

Other dollar rates in Europe, compared with late Wednesday, 109.16 Japanese yen, down from 109.26; 1.7479 Swiss francs, up from 1.7411; 1.4946 Canadian dollars, down from 1.4980.

The British pound was quoted at $1.4508, down from $1.4550.

In midday trading in New York, the dollar bought 109.20 yen, and the pound was worth $1.4480.

Based on euro rates, the dollar is worth 2.2481 German marks, up from 2.2419; 7.5397 French francs, up from 7.5190; 2.5330 Dutch guilders, up from 2.5260; 2,225.60 Italian lire, up from 2,219.48.

Gold lower

Gold closed in London at $270.90 bid per troy ounce, down from $271.00 on Wednesday. In Zurich the bid price was $269.95, down from $270.85. Gold fell 20 cents in Hong Kong to $271.15.

Silver closed in London at $4.86 bid per troy ounce, up from $4.84.

Ford using Firestone tires as spares

By Justin Hyde
Associated Press

DETROIT — Some new Ford Ranger pickups come equipped with a 15-inch Firestone ATX tire as a spare — the same type as those involved in a nationwide recall — though both companies say the spare tires have several structural differences.

"We have no indication there's a safety issue with these tires" as spares, Ford Motor Co. spokesman Mike Vaughn said Thursday. "If somebody wants to come up with data that there's an issue with spare tires, we'll deal with it, but we want to focus on replacing the bad tires on the road."

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration said if the spare had a different construction than the recalled tires, there's nothing wrong with using the tire as a spare because it is marked "Temporary Use Only," and customers are warned not to use it for more than 50 miles and not to drive faster than 50 mph.

The use of ATX tires as spares was first reported by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram last week and subsequently by KIRO-TV in Seattle on Wednesday.

In both instances, Firestone officials were quoted as saying the tires were the same as those being recalled, other than having the "temporary use" stamp, a statement reiterated to The Associated Press as well earlier Thursday. Ford, on the other hand, has maintained the tires were different.

Later Thursday, however, Bridgestone/Firestone Christine Karbowiak spokesman said that the ATX spare had a different rubber compound in its tread and a different belt design than the ATX tires included in the recall.

The tire is designed "to allow you to limp to your nearest service station," she said. "It's not part of the recalled universe. It's a different tire."

Ford and Bridgestone/Firestone say the ATX spare has a speed rating limit of 81 miles per hour; the ATX tires used as regular tires were speed rated to 112 miles per hour.

Bridgestone/Firestone Inc. is recalling 6.5 million tires that are under investigation for their possible role in 101 deaths and over 400 injuries — ATX and ATX II tires in a certain size — P235/75R15 — as well as Wilderness AT tires in that size made in Decatur, Ill.

Attorneys general in several states who have looking into the recall are also aware of the spare tire issue, said Chris Jarvis, a spokesman for the Washington state attorney general's office. He said the office was "making contact with the various folks involved to get to the bottom of this."

Ford is still using Wilderness AT tires from Bridgestone/Firestone plants other than Decatur as standard equipment on its Ford Explorer/Mercury Mountaineer sport utility vehicle and on its Ranger pickups.

Bridgestone/Firestone said the company stopped making ATX tires for regular use in 1996, but began making them for Ford in 1997 as a full-size spare that could be supplied with different models. He said Ford is the only automaker who uses the tires as spares.

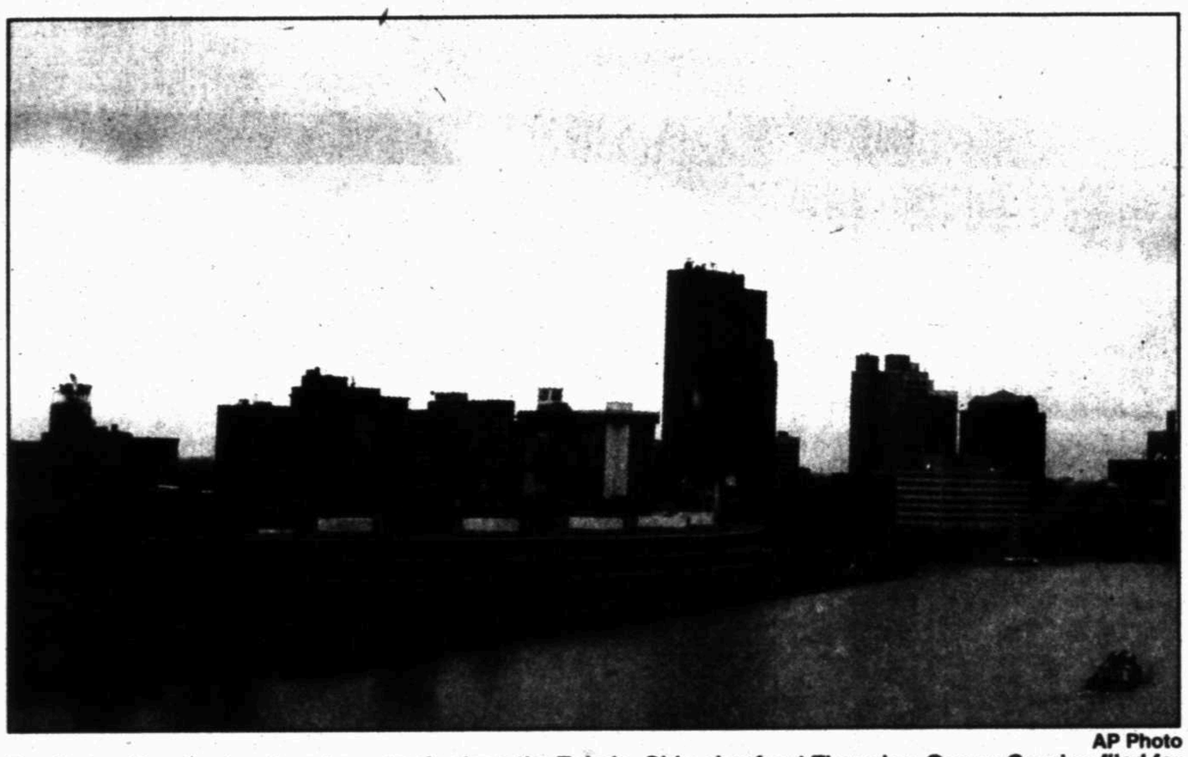
Vaughn said the tires have been used since 1998 on Rangers that come with larger 15-inch or 16-inch tires as standard equipment. Vaughn said the company used the ATX spares because they were the largest size that would fit in the space under the truck's bed.

They are for temporary use only because driving the vehicle for long distances or at high speeds with three tires of one size and one tire that is smaller could cause damage. Vaughn said there have been no reports of tread separation involving ATX spare tires.

Safety advocates have called on Ford and Bridgestone/Firestone to recall a broader range of tire sizes and brands. Some said Thursday they were surprised that Ford was supplying an ATX tire in the size recalled on new vehicles even as a spare.

"A defective tire is a defective tire is a defective tire," said Ralph Hoar, an Arlington, Va., consultant on product safety lawsuits. "It doesn't matter how they're marked. People are going to use them as regular tires."

Construction giant crumbles



AP Photo

The Owens Corning headquarters stands along the Toledo, Ohio, riverfront Thursday. Owens Corning filed for bankruptcy protection Thursday after it ran out of options to pay asbestos lawsuit claims that could eventually cost the company $7 billion. The supplier of building and industrial materials estimated it has paid or agreed to pay $5 billion. It faces about $2 billion more in asbestos payouts even though it stopped selling insulation that contained asbestos more than 25 years ago.

Owens Corning files for bankruptcy protection

TOLEDO, Ohio (AP) — Owens Corning filed for protection from creditors under the federal bankruptcy laws Thursday to help it cope with asbestos-related lawsuits that have already cost the company $3.1 billion.

The supplier of building and industrial materials estimated in July it faced an additional $3 billion in asbestos payouts even though it stopped selling asbestos products more than 25 years ago.

The voluntary Chapter 11 filing in Wilmington, Del., would allow the company to develop a plan of reorganization that would resolve its asbestos liabilities while allowing it to continue operating its businesses, the company said in a news release.

Asbestos, which can cause health problems when inhaled, is a white, flaky substance widely used decades ago for insulation and in shipbuilding and in power plants. It has been known to cause lung cancer and asbestosis, a lung-scarring disease.

Toledo-based Owens Corning has made payouts to 440,000 people who said asbestos made them ill.

Glen H. Hiner, chairman and chief executive officer, said the company had made progress toward settling asbestos claims through a national settlement program and thought a bankruptcy protection filing could be avoided.

However, the cost of resolving claims, combined with new legal filings, "led us to the conclusion that a Chapter 11 reorganization was prudent and necessary," he said.

The company's filing follows a path taken by at least 25 companies that once made asbestos.

Pittsburgh Corning Corp. in April reorganized with U.S. Bankruptcy Court protection because it faced 140,000 asbestos exposure claims. Babcock & Wilcox Co. in February did so to resolve about 45,000 claims pending against it.

Johns Manville Corp. sought protection bankruptcy protection in 1982 when it was faced with suits from people sickened by asbestos. It emerged from bankruptcy protection in 1988.

Despite the mounting claims against Owens Corning, the company as recently as July promised it would stay the course and continue payments to people who suffered asbestos-related illnesses.

However, during recent months the company's stock has dropped below $3 per share from a high of $41 per share in May 1999 and it was dropped from Standard & Poor's 500 index on Sept. 30.

Asbestos payments this year will reach $600 million — more than Owens Corning expects to get in sales from its building products.

Owens Corning stopped selling products containing asbestos in 1972. The company has taken hundreds of millions of dollars in charges against its earnings in recent years to absorb the cost of asbestos litigation, including a $542 million charge in 1996.

The $3.1 billion cost in claims includes $1.2 billion the company agreed two years ago to pay to settle most of the asbestos lawsuits in place at that time. The company said the settlement wiped away 176,000 cases and put it within sight of freeing itself from the cost of the lawsuits.

But the settlement did stop new lawsuits from being filed.

Owens Corning is trying to recoup some of the money it has paid through pending lawsuits filed against every major tobacco company in the United States. Owens Corning has maintained that smokers exposed to asbestos have a higher risk of developing diseases than non-smokers exposed to the material.

The company employs 20,000 people worldwide.

Microsoft vies for more appeals time

WASHINGTON (AP) — Microsoft Corp. accused the government Thursday of trying to "short-circuit the appellate process" as the company sought more time to appeal a federal judge's order breaking up the software giant.

Microsoft asked the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit for four months to prepare its case. That is substantially more time than the Justice Department requested.

The Clinton administration early this week pressed for an expedited appeals process, saying there was "a compelling public interest" to wrapping up the antitrust dispute.

Microsoft responded Thursday by saying that in a case of this size, "if there is no threat of irreparable harm — and none has been shown here — the 'compelling public interest' is in a proper disposition of the case, not in one reached in haste."

The company's reply was filed before the Tuesday deadline set by the court. Justice filed its brief two days early.

The company said the 19 issues it plans to appeal and the many technological details of the case warrant a court schedule far longer than federal appellate guidelines.

The Justice Department's antitrust division proposed that all briefs be submitted by Dec. 22, followed by an oral argument to be set for January.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

The Permian Basin Area-Wide "Dollar Saver" and Odessa Crime Stoppers Inc. received third place in newsprint at the 21st annual Crime Stoppers International Conference, held in Victoria, British Columbia. The award was one of seven Crime Stoppers of Odessa received. Other awards included second place in television, in conjunction with KOSA-TV and first places in productivity — most cases cleared and productivity — most arrests; and third place in productivity — most drugs recovered, productivity — most stolen goods recovered and productivity — total recoveries.

The Uptown chapter, Business and Professional Women, will celebrate National Business Women's Week with a luncheon October 11 at the Petroleum Club from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. The theme of the luncheon will be "Women in Medicine" and Dr. Roddy Strobel will be the keynote speaker. Women in different aspects of medicine will be recognized for their achievements.

Also at the luncheon, the Women of the Year will be announced.

Reservations can be made by calling 686-9307 or by fax at 682-2505.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

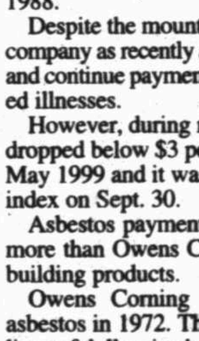
Buying stocks before the dividend helps recoup investment

By Eric Tyson

Q: I read every day in the newspaper where a company will be issuing "X" amount per share in dividends on a particular date based on the number of shares owned on a particular date. An example would be: Company XYZ will be issuing 13 cents per share dividends on Oct. 3 based on the number of shares owned on Sept. 29. Could someone just purchase shares on Sept. 28 and then sell those shares on Sept. 30 and then receive a check in the mail for the dividends? If so, why doesn't everyone buy stocks on the day or the day before dividends will be decided?

A: If that system would work, we could all be rich! The problem is that when a stock goes ex-dividend, the price of the stock generally drops by an amount approximately equal to the size of the dividend distribution.

Thus, what you're accomplishing buying a stock just before the ex-dividend date is that you end up having some of your original investment returned to you in the form of a dividend. When you buy stock outside of a tax-sheltered retirement account, dividend income is taxed at your ordinary income tax rate, which is a good deal higher than the more favorable long-term capital gains tax rate applied to appreciation from investments sold after a 12-month holding period.



Tyson

Q: If you had a brand-new baby who was given $10,000, how would you invest it — both for growth and for stability?

A: First, I would be eternally grateful to whomever made such a generous gift! Then, I would start to think about whether I really wanted growth or stability, as these two investment objectives are inherently contradictory. Growth-oriented investments tend to be much more volatile and therefore don't provide much stability. I would opt for growth, as a new baby has about 18 years until he or she would tap money for college.

I would select diversified stock mutual funds as the primary investment vehicle. Some funds to consider are Vanguard Total Stock Market Index and Masters' Select Equity for domestic stock exposure, and Vanguard Total International Stock Index and Masters' Select International for foreign stocks. The Vanguard funds are more tax efficient if that is a concern to you.

As I've written about in the past, unless parents are so affluent that they can reasonably expect to pay for their children's full college costs, they should not keep college savings in a child's name. From the standpoint of financial-aid eligibility, the money should be invested in the name of the parent or parents.

Q: What happens after a company announces that it will buy back shares of its stock? Is a choice given to the owner, and what price is offered?

A: Generally speaking, when a company is engaging in a stock buyback, the company announces that it will buy back a certain portion of the company's outstanding shares of stock. Firms do this typically if they feel that their stock is undervalued in the marketplace.

When buying back shares, these purchases are generally done over a period of time and on the open market. Thus, a given seller will generally not even know that he or she might be selling shares back to the company.

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Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 11:00 A.M., October 18, 2000, to be opened at 11:00 A.M., in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid #008-01 for:
Labor, material, equipment and supervision necessary to relocate and install a new fence at Airpark for the Airport 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

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The specifications are as follows: Length- -220 meters; width - 8 feet with a 2 inch parabolic crown; materials - 2 inches of Type D asphalt over a 4 inch compacted Caliche base. There will be leveling work and retaining walls needed.

San Vicente I.S.D. is located at 195 Escuela Vista Drive in Big Bend National Park, Texas. Bidders are strongly urged to view the location prior to bidding by visiting or digital pictures may be e-mailed on request. San Vicente will be on Fall Break from October 9- 13. The office may be reached at 915-477-2220 between 8 AM and 4:30 PM Monday through Friday.

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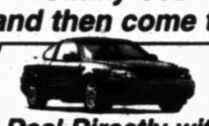

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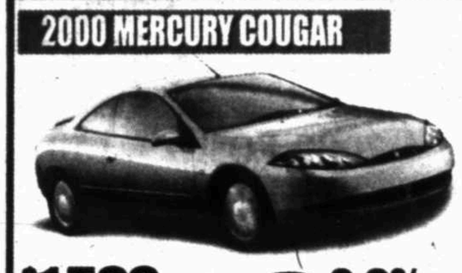

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TOYOTA 2000 SIENNA LE- Sand beige, beige cloth, quad seating, CD, rear air, luggage rack, tow package, 18K, $26,000. 520-9726.

225 4x4 Vehicles

JEEP 1994 WRANGLER- 82K, black, soft top, 5 speed, 4 cylinder, $8,550 obo. 354-2345, 634-9204.

CHEVROLET 1984 Blazer New engine, carburetor, and radiator. Runs great. $2,999 O.B.O. 349-8856.

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FORD 1984 Bronco. New engine, new transmission, Holly carburetor, Edlebrock high rise, Headman headers, mags. $3,995. 689-2123 after 6 pm.

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DODGE 1986 Ram Charger, 4x4, under 70,000 miles, keyless entry, am/ fm/ cassette, 10 disk CD changer, $4,500 obo. 699-2023.

FORD 1983 F150 4X4- With camper shell, new automatic transmission and motor, A/C. Great truck. $5,500 Call Joe, 687-1241, 8-4.

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230 Commercial Vehicles

CHEVROLET 1988 3/4 STEP van, 6.2L, diesel, automatic, 24K miles, $4,800. 694-1279.

GMC 1993 Top Kick, 2.5 ton, sleeper, 3408 Cat, 375,000 miles, 48' float, $18,000. Call 683-3033.

235 Vehicles $3,000 & under

OLDSMOBILE 1985 Cutlass Supreme, cold air, good condition, $2,000 obo. Call 697-7533.

PONTIAC 1991 Grand Am, four door. Great condition. Good school car, $2,650. Call 683-7176.

CADILLAC 1984 Fleetwood Brougham. Black leather, loaded. $1,800 or best offer. Call 686-0428.

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BUICK 1989 SKYLARK Sedan. Nice clean car! Loaded-electric seat, locks, etc. $2,800. 694-5483

↓SOLD↓ CHEVROLET 1994 Corsica. Maroon, 4 door, 104k, runs great, good school car. $1,800. xxx-xxxx.

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ISUZU 1992 RODEO. Grey, power windows, doors, locks, AC. Has body damage. Make offer. 697-4835

MAZDA 1986 B2000- One owner, recently rebuilt motor, new clutch, camper shell. $2,500. 697-7295.

MERCURY 1993 SABLE LS- All electric, white, blown head gasket. $900 o.b.o. Call 699-1713.

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SUZUKI 1999 Bandit 1200. Super clean, adult owner, 2K miles, $5,499. 697-5280 or 631-9787.

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250 Recreational Vehicles

1991 MALLARD 19' vacation travel trailer, like new, $5,500. Odessa, 664-5109 or 550-2057.

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260 Boats & Motors

1998 STEALTH 20'3', 225 Mercury EFI, bass boat and trailer. Many extras! Like new! Low wholesale book price. $15,500. 697-1953.

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290 Parts & Accessories

1966 FORD PICKUP- For parts, tires, engine and battery good. $425.Call 682-1164.

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BEWARE Of Anyone who tries to sell you information about Government & Postal Job Vacancies. This info. is free... call 210-805-2402 (24 Hours) or 210-805-2406 (To request application forms). A public service message from the Midland Reporter-Telegram & the ETC.

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Attention Readers:

See other opportunities under Classification 170, Schools and Instruction.

→NEW TODAY←

A+ OPPORTUNITY for experienced telemarketer. Good salary + commission. Must be able to work with minimal supervision. Some evening work required. 9:00am-5:00pm, Monday- Friday. Call 570-9995.

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→NEW TODAY←

ALL POSITIONS. The Garlic Press Restaurant, Oak Ridge Square, Wadley and Garfield. Apply in person.

ARMSTRONG MCCALL needs part time delivery and in store person with dependable vehicle and insurance. Neat appearance and personable. Apply in person 2215 N. Midland Drive, #5B.

ASSISTANT MAINTENANCE- HVAC preferred, minimum 2 years experience. Knowledge of the construction trades. Benefits. 694-1646.

AVON SELLS Sell Avon- For opportunities or products call Kippy (Independent Rep) at 687-5857.

BEST TIPS IN TOWN- The Bar, downtown Midland, accepting applications for Waitstaff. Apply in person only. 606 W. Missouri between 8- 10 am/ 2- 4pm Monday thru Thursday. No phone calls please.

CHEF MANAGER

Do you have strong culinary art skills and experience in volume cooking? Polo Park Estates, a gracious retirement residence for active seniors in Midland, is seeking a working Chef. Experience in ordering, budgeting and employee supervision a must. If you are a team player looking for a great working environment and a competitive wage, please stop by to fill out an application.

Polo Park Estates
2100 Castleford Road
Midland, TX 79705
EOE

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MEDICAL BILLING and office help. 2- 3 years experience in office skills and computers, general medical knowledge preferred. salary D. O. E. Benefits available after probation period. Apply in person . Seelin Medical Equipment and Supply, 407 Kent street. 570-1140.

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COOK NEEDED and Personal Services Assistants needed for an assisted living facility in Midland. Must enjoy working with the elderly. Pre-employment drug and/ or alcohol testing required. Please apply in person at Cimmaron House, 3400 Caldera Blvd., Midland, TX 79707. EOE.

DRIVERS
$30,000+ per year!
Needs CDL, LPG (propane) transport driver. Local routes, benefits, immediate placement. Call Patty at Mangum Oil & Gas, 561-8434.

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EVENING and WEEKEND Clerks needed for Amigo's Convenience Stores. Apply in person at any location.

EXPERIENCED CONSTRUCTION Hand, wood, metal, electric for 2 to 3 weeks. 520-0204.

FASHION CLEANERS is now taking applications for Customer Service Representatives. Full and part time positions available. We are looking for dependable and hard working people. Apply in person at 801 West Wall.

FLOORING INSTALLERS wanted for wood flooring and ceramic tile. Experience helpful but will train. Call (979)574-7474.

→NEW TODAY←

FRONT DESK and relief night audit poaition availabel at Hampton Inn, full time, various hours. Good pay! Apply in person 3904 West Wall.

→NEW TODAY←

FULL TIME Dishwasher, start immediately. Good pay and benefits including medical. Drug screen required. Come by the Racquet Club, 3009 Racquet Club Drive to fill out an application.

FURNITURE LAND. experienced sales person needed. apply 2030 Adrews Hwy. (Odessa). 580-8482.

HOUSEKEEPER SUPERVISOR. We have current openings for experienced housekeeping supervisor. If you have worked in a nursing home, hospital or hotel as a housekeeper we want to talk to you. We offer a competitive salary and benefit package. If interested, please send a current resume or contact: Terrace West Nursing Center, 2800 North Midland Drive, Midland TX 79707.

JORGES is hiring experienced wait staff. Apply in person to Jesse or Janie, 3323 N. Midland Dr, Ste 100.

KD's Bar-B-Q - Immediate openings- Kitchen, Floor & Cashier. 3109 Garden City Highway, 683-5013.

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KUO'S Chinese Restaurant
Now hiring
Bus Person.
Apply in person at
3303 North Midkiff,
Suite #152, Midland.
697-8888
ask for Pamela.

La Bodega Restaurant is taking applications for full time waitstaff and part time coctail wait person. Apply in person 2700 North Big Spring.

La Bodega Restaurant is taking applications for a part time and a full time line cook. Pay upon experience. Apply in person 2700 North Big Spring.

LEAD MAINTENANCE- HVAC certified, minimum 2 years experience in apartment maintenance. Benefits package. 694-1646.

❤ LET'S TALK AVON part time- full time. Great earnings. Call Verla 520-0119, Independent Rep.

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LOCAL MOVING Company needs experienced Furniture movers. (915)553-1464.

MAINTENANCE Position. Duties include building maintenance and cleaning. Part- time, flexible hours. $7- $10 hourly. Experience required. No Phone Calls. Apply: ATAC, 1012 Andrews Hwy.

MAKE Ready position , full time. HVAC certified a plus. Apply at The Clusters, 4415 Northcrest Drive. No phone calls please.

MAKE READY/ MAINTENANCE person needed at the Meridian Apartments. Apply in person 4400 N. Holiday Hill Rd. Drug screen required.

MIDLAND CHILD Care Center now taking applications for Teachers for Toddler 2's. Apply in person at 3701 Andrews Highway.

MIDLAND POWERSPORTS is seeking an individual for it's parts department. Must be customer service oriented have good communication skills and enjoy helping people. Prior retail experience in helpful. See Tom at 5900 W. Hwy. 80, 520-2080.

NEED EXPERIENCED painter; a make-ready person. Send resume attention; Manager 2928 W. Lousisana, Midland, 79701.

→NEW TODAY←

NEED SNACK BAR HELP evenings 4:30pm- 9:30pm, person with possible management ability, 6 evenings per week. Apply Saturday October 7th, 10:00am- 1:00pm, 1101 S. Marienfeld or call 682-9783.

NOW ACCEPTING applications for Fry Cook positions or Kitchen Prep. Experienced preferred. Apply in person, Cattleman's Steak House, 3300 North Big Spring, Midland.

NOW HIRING Cashier, Counter help and Fry Cook. Full and part time positions available. Apply in person only 9:30 am or 5:30pm, 723 W. Wadley.

NOW HIRING Full/ part time drivers. Must have small van or pick-up with camper. Dependability a must. $6.15 per hour plus mileage. Apply at 1308 South Midkiff Suite 127.

→NEW TODAY←

NURSES UNLIMITED, Inc. needs attendants to assist with personal care, meal preparation and light housekeeping. Part-time basis. Please call 580-2000 Monday- Friday 8:00am- 5:00pm, EOE.

Odessa Detention Center is now accepting applications of employment for a part time kitchen supervisor starting at $7.45 per hour. Part time benefits include: vacation and sick leave. Food service experience preferred but not required. Will train. Apply in person at 203 N. Grant, Odessa, TX.

Odessa Detention Center is now accepting applications of employment for a Jailer/ Correctional Officer starting at $8.25 per hour. Experience preferred but not required. Will train. Benefits include paid health insurance, 401K retirement plan, paid vacation, sick and holiday leave. Apply in person at 203 N. Grant, Odessa, TX.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT Company seeking energetic, self- starter for part- time receptionist position which will include contacting customers to set up appointments for sales, some experience in sales is preferred. Please Call 682-8822.

OIL FIELD SERVICE company seeking individual that must pass drug testing for field and lab work. Some college is a [plus, good driving record, some late night and weekend work will be required. For appointment call 684-8800.

PART TIME Sales Help, computer experience helpful. Must work flexible hours. Apply in person at Flowerland, 413 Andrews Highway.

PINNER

TRANSPORTATION is now accepting applications for experienced CDL drivers. Regional runs, minimum 3 years OTR experience. Clean driving record, Safety Bonuses, Vacation Pay, Medical Insurance, Drug Card, at least 25 years of age. Apply in person to Jack or Frank at 4915 West Industrial, Bldg #3, Midland, TX 79703. (915)689-6884- Office.

SECURITY OFFICERS Needed- Patrol and Guard, commissioned and noncommissioned. 520-1573.

STORE MANAGER Needed. Experienced only. Apply in person at 908 West Indiana.

TAKING APPLICATIONS For experienced make ready and maintenance person, must have own tools & A/C Certified. Silver Creek Apartments. 2438 Whitmire.

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THE MIDLAND HOLIDAY INN is now accepting applications for full and part time Maintenance engineers. 4300 W. Hwy. 80, Midland.

V.I.P Employment Services 686-9722 Industrial Workers needed. Long/ short term assignments.

VILLAGE CAR WASH & Village East is excepting applications for Car wash Attendants. Apply both places- 604 Andrews Hwy, 2300 North Big Springs.

WAITPERSONS needed at Greeri's Restaurant, Call 682-2132, from 9 am to 11:30 am and from 1 to 2 pm for interview.

→NEW TODAY←

WALL STREET Bar & Grill now hiring: Dishwashers full time- nights only. Apply @ 115 East Wall, 2 pm- 4 pm, Monday- Friday.

WANTED PART-TIME Receptionist- Working 20 hours a week. Individual who is professional, customer service oriented, bright, energetic & pay close attention to detail. Call Ann McDonald or BJ Burge at 522-3115. Village Lincoln Mercury.

WANTED Promotions Assistant. Will assist with editing, scheduling and daily upkeep of promotions library. Must be dependable, self motivated and fast learner. Editing skills preferred but not required. Apply at KPEJ-TV, 1550 I-20 West Odessa. EOE.

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→NEW TODAY←

LMSW/ LPC

Above average communications skills and the ability to direct a team. PRN positions available for weekends and possibly to fill on weekdays.
Fax resume to:
Desert Springs Medical Center
@ (915)563-9002.

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$100.00- $300.00 Nurse Bonuses!! * RNs: $25 to $45 * LVNs: $18 to $36 * CNAs $8 to $12. Medical/ Dental/ 401K/ Life.. Fax Resumes to 550-9398 NURSEFINDERS, 550-9399. E-mail us at NFOdessatx@cs.com & register to win a trip to CANCUN!!!

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806-872-2183
806-872-3935 fax

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES: Terrace West Nursing Center, has current openings for Certified Nurse Aides. If you are looking for a career and not just another job we want to talk with you. We offer a competitive salary and a great place to work and a $150 sign-on bonus. If interested please apply to: Terrace West Nursing Center, 2800 North Midland Drive, Midland, TX 79707.

CNA

2 positions 2pm- 10pm. Best pay and staff in the area! Come join our team!
Rockwood Manor
2000 N. Main

DURABLE Medical Equipment Company needs Experienced Delivery Driver/ Equipment Tech. Must be bilingual and have clear driving record. Send resume to: Go West; 3952 E. 42nd, #242; Odessa, TX 79762

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LAB TECHNICIAN- Applicant should have at least a BS degree in Biology or experience in related field. Salary DOE. Flexible hours available. Box J-5001, c/o Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

LVN Needed immediately for doctor's office. Computer knowledge helpful. Bring resume to 1300 W. Wall.

NEEDED NURSING Home Administrator - Midland area. Please send resumes to: Box P-6086, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

NURSING PROFESSIONALS: Terrace West Nursing Center has current openings for Licensed Vocational Nurses on all shifts. Our nurses play an integral roll in the care of our patients and in the environment of our care center. If you are a career orientated person dedicated to providing quality patient care we want to talk with you. We offer an excellent salary/ benefits package and $600 sign-on bonus. If interested, please send a current resume or contact: Terrace West Nursing Center, 2800 North Midland Drive, Midland, TX 79707.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST
PRN for facilities in Midland/ Odessa. Please fax resume to Alliance Care at
800-471-3750 or call
888-783-4300

Odessa Detention Center is now accepting applications of employment for a part time LVN Nurse starting at $12.50 per hour. Part time benefits include: vacation and sick leave. Apply in person at 203 N. Grant, Odessa, TX.

WEEKEND RN, needed. Trinity Haven Healthcare. Apply in person 3203 Sage St..

311 Medical Help Wanted

→NEW TODAY←

OUTPATIENT PHYSICAL Therapy Clinic is looking for Physical Therapy Assistant to work as P.R.N. Basis. Apply in person or send resume to Seal Physical Therapy, 4500 West Illinois, Suite 308, Midland, TX 79703.

→NEW TODAY←

RECEPTIONIST Needed. Must have experience in typing and computer for a busy doctor's office. Send resume to: 1816 North. Midland Drive, Midland, 79707.

RN- Full time, Ambulatory Surgery Center. Will train. No call, weekends or holidays. Also needed PRN RN/ LVN's. Send resume to WTASC, 4241 Tanglewood Ste. 103, Odessa Texas 79762.

SADDLERIDGE LODGE Assisted Living, a gracious retirement residence for active seniors in Midland, is seeking LVN's and CNA's for part time & PRN positions. If you are courteous, attentive and enjoy being part of a team, please stop by to fill out an employment application, or mail, or fax your resume to: JENNY BEENE, Saddleridge Lodge Assisted Living Community, 1808 West Loop 250 North, Midland, Texas 79705. FAX# (915)687-0355, EOE. Assisted Living License #323.

TERRACE WEST Nursing Center, has current openings for Experienced Cook. If interested, please apply in person at: 2800 North Midland Drive, Midland, Texas 79707.

312 Professional Help Wanted

✓ Office Manager/ General Secretarial person for small company. Position open for individual with PageMaker and Access experience (or similar type software), must be self motivated. Oil and gas knowledge and general bookkeeping experience a plus. Fax resumes to 915-686-9494 or Mail to P.O. Box 50545, Midland, Texas 79710.

ACCOUNTANT (or related field) familiar with gas plant accounting, revenue audits, producer payments, and division orders. Part- time or full-time. Retired employee acceptable. Send resume to DGP, Inc., 211 North Colorado, Midland, Texas 79701 or fax resume to (915) 682-4024.

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AUTOCAD DRAFTSMAN

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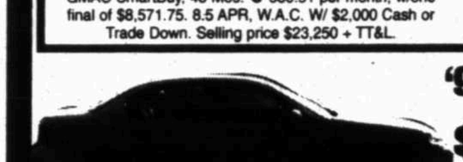

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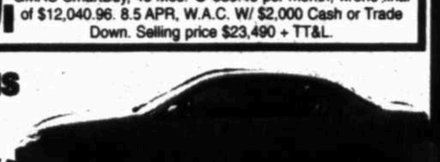

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NEEDED CHILD CARE Provider in the Greenwood area. Call 570-5394.

CHILD CARE Provider need in home. Infant & 5 year old, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm. Must have reference & transportation. Non-smoking environment. Light cooking & cleaning. Please call for application 699-6192.

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***Private Party merchandise ads only. 1 Item per ad, Price must be in ad to qualify. Other restrictions may apply, ask consultant for details.**

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BINGO, American Legion, 501 Airpark Road, Friday nights, games start at 8. Food, Refreshments. 682-5511.

COWBOY TICKETS. 2 options with gold parking, $11,000 firm. 41 yard line, Section 10, Row 41, Lower Level, near aisle, usually shady. Great neighbors. 2000 Season tickets available at cost. Call 570-6515.

WHIRLPOOL, No Frost Refrigerator- $150; Hotpoint upright freezer $60; Whirlpool washer/ dryer- $150; antique stereo $70; queen size bed with bedding- $300; dresser- $50; high chair $30; dog house- $30; BBQ pit $35; file cabinet- $20; 4 book shelves- $30 each; 3 piece book shelf- $60; entertainment center- $40; couch- $45; coffee table- $30; chair- $35; couch- $20; area rug- $20; pantry cabinet- $65. 689-6825.

413 Jewelry & Furs

LADIES WEDDING/ Engagement ring: Platinum with yellow gold, marquis with tapered baguettes (diamonds). 1.90 total weight. Appraises of 6750, asking 5500. 682-0135.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

WANTED TEXAS A&M and UT Football tickets for Thanksgiving day. 694-4269.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE Makers Wanted for the Museum of the Southwest- Christmas at the Mansion contest. For information call 683-2882, ask for Cindy.

430 Household Goods

DINING ROOM set- Drexel Heritage, Large table with 2 leafs and 8 chairs, china hutch, serving piece with and large cabinet with mirror. China- Rainier by Nortake- 13 piece place setting with all serving pieces. Crystal- Desire by Lenox, brass stemware, 500 piece brassware set. (915)570-4526.

432 Household Furniture

ANTIQUE 1930'S Baptist Buffet. Excellent condition. $300. Call 520-6741.

TWO LAZYBOY recliners, $350 & $250; glass top coffee table, $250; antique coffee table, $150; beautiful executive desk, $500; office chair, $65; Ethan Allen end table, $75; three beautiful book cases, $200 each; rocking chair, $45. 699-6631. 5808 Devlin Place.

↓SOLD↓

BLACK CONTEMPORARY Sofa with matching chair and ottoman, 2 years old, excellent condition, $250.xxx-xxxx.

SELECT COMFORT air bed, (2 years old), Queen size. Paid $950, selling for $475. Please call 694-1494.

Call Classified to add *NEW TODAY* on your Classified Specials for only $3.00 Extra 682-6222

8 MONTH OLD Couch, like new, multi colored pastel. $300. 915-686-7479.

CHERRY WOOD dinette table with 4 regular chairs, 2 queen chairs. Purchased new at Carter's in 1999. Paid $2,600, asking $1,495 obo cash. Must see! Very good condition. 683-5504.

QUEEN, BLACK, 3 Cushion sleeper couch and matching chair; new Healthrider. 699-5412.

SLEEPER SOFA, Set of armchairs, recliner. Sold separately or together. Perfect for first apartment. 697-0033.

→NEW TODAY←

SOUTHWESTERN STYLE couch, love seat, over sized chair and ottoman, Southwestern green leather/ vinyl double recliner, two southwestern glass tables, dining table and six matching chairs. Call 687-6701 for appointment.

↓SOLD↓

FULL LENGTH light blue couch for sale, excellent condition, no tears. $90, xxx-xxxx.

432 Household Furniture

→NEW TODAY←

ETHAN ALLEN Dining/ Colonial/ 6 chairs- $600. Floral chair/ ottoman- $225. Oak table $30. 520-3182.

SLEEPER SOFA excellent condition. $150 or best offer. 684-6772, leave message.

QUEEN size bed and box spring. $ 50. Call 689-3596 after 4 pm.

ETHAN ALLEN Table, 2 leaves, 4 chairs, $350. King bed complete, 2 night stands, $300. Triple dresser, $275. Armoire chest $225. White metal day/ trundle bed comforters, $275. Large Bassett recliner, navy, $175. 915-362-2746.

COUCH FOR Sale- 4 months old, $300 firm, 686-7990, leave message if no answer.

DARK WOOD 3 Piece wall unit- Entertainment Center with shelves on sides, $400 obo. 683-6879.

435 Household Appliances

REMODELED KITCHEN-GE range with built in microwave; white, $100. 686-8667.

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G.E. HOTPOINT White Large Capacity, Washer/ Dryer set. Like new! $350. Call xxx-xxxx

→NEW TODAY←

GE WASHER and dryer (work), $50 each. Call 683-3979 for more information.

RECONDITIONED APPLIANCES- Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves. Warranty and free delivery. Removal of old appliances. 683-7040.

40" HOT POINT Electric Range. Double ovens, very clean. $135. Call 697-0908.

→NEW TODAY←

MICROWAVE/ HOOD Combination- 8 months old, originally $409, now $199; miscellaneous items from remodel. 697-1192.

FREE REMOVAL- Of unwanted Appliances/ Evaporative Coolers. Will pick-up 45 minutes or less. 631-3920 anytime.

LIGHT PINE Sears Entertainment Center. Holds a 27" TV, good condition. $100. Call 697-6638.

435 Household Appliances

★ FREE REMOVAL Of appliances 550-6540. Sale- washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezer. $75- up. Free delivery 90 day warranty.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453-2151, Fax 1-(915)-453-4322

450 Sporting Goods

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FREE KITTENS- Call 520-2209 weekdays after 5:00pm or weekdays.

NEEDS NEW Home- black male kitten 15 weeks old stray! Can not keep him. 683-7399.

FREE PUPPIES, 1/2 Lab, 1/4 Doberman, 1/2 Whippet. Call 563-0208.

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BORDER COLLIE AND GOLDEN RETRIEVER. 3 years old. Great dog. Needs a good home. 684-5996

FREE CATS Good for outside. Nice markings. Please call 683-8338.

↓FOUND↓

2 YEAR OLD Black female miniature Dachshund All shots, spayed. To good home. Call 694-2390.

FREE TO Good home. Half Rottweiler & Blue Heeler. 5 weeks old. 514 Brownwood after 3 pm.

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PUPPIES- Border Collie mix and ? 6 Weeks old. 682-1185.

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BEAUTIFUL MALE neutered house cat with accessories, box trained. 684-7830.

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AKC PEKINGESE- 3 males, cream with white markings. Born 8-19-00. Taking deposits. Call 689-4262.

FULL BLOODED tri-colored Beagle Puppies. 6 Weeks old, beautiful markings. $200 each. 520-7182.

ROTTWEILER GERMAN SHEPPARD MIX puppies. 5 weeks old. $50 each. Good homes only. Call anytime 683-7068.

→NEW TODAY←

BOXER Puppies for sale. 7 weeks old. $125 each. 699-7656.

↓SOLD↓

AKC COCKER Spaniel puppies, ready October 15th, buff colored. Call XXX-XXXX.

MEDIUM Size fiberglass dog house. New, cost $45. Will sell for $20. 685-0851.

CHIHUAHUA PUPPIES- Cute, cuddly, great pets. $125 each. Email klo230@cs.com or call 699-0843 leave message.

AKC WEST Highland White Terriers. First shots. Excellent bloodline. Adorable. male- $250 female- $300, 683-6263.

SMOOTH & LONG haired male Dachshund puppies, red/ black and tans. $175. 561-8949 leave message.

JACK RUSSELL TERRIER puppies. beautiful markings. 522-7466.

500 Pets and Supplies

ENGLISH SETTER puppies, three males, registered. Excellent hunting stock! $200. Call 687-6336.

505 Livestock & Poultry

AWARD WINNING Registered Arabian- good lines, great disposition. $3,500. Call 683-7577.

REGISTERED BOER Goat Billy. 5 months old. 620-0276. (leave message).

510 Office Furniture & Misc.

EXECUTIVE DESK, secretarial desk, credenzas, file cabinets, computer tables, map racks, chairs, ect. Come by 2200 Stanolind, Thursday 4:00pm- 7:00pm. Friday 8:00am- 3:00pm or call 686-9212.

530 A/C Heating

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FOR SALE or Trade 14'x26' portable office or playhouse with restroom, heat, a/c. Heavy duty built, $12,000. Call 694-7603.

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WANT TO BUY and Echo Meter (fluid level machine). 683-1475.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

4 TICKETS To Texas Motor Speedway- O'Reilly 300, October 13th. Mall 500, October 15th. Call Roger at 694-9856.

1999 MODEL ELECTRIC Wheel Chair. Jazzy 1103 Mini Power Chair, barely used. Paid $5,350, asking $3,500. Can be seen by appointment only, Monday- Friday between 8 & 5. Call 915-520-6943.

APPROXIMATELY 110 square yards used teal green carpet with padding- Only six years old, good condition! $225. 520-5562.

IBM CORRECTING Selectric typewriter. Very good condition! $50. Call 620-0080.

HEALTH RIDER. (name brand). Good condition. $125. 686-7561.

10'x16' workshop/ storage buildings $39.00 a month. Delivery/ financing available. 915-563-3108.

LARGE DRESSER with mirror and shelves $400. Hall tree $150. Electric Range top $100. 522-2659

QUALITY EXECUTIVE DESK. 7 drawers, solid oak, manufactured by Stow of Grandrapids. Must see to appreciate. Cash only By appointment only. Please call 684-5853.

PLAYPEN with pad $30. Real Good condition. Please Call 694-0585.

FOUR CEMETERY Lots- Resthaven Memorial Park. Garden of Good Sheppard. Lot 165, spaces 1, 2, 3, 4. 683-7444.

FORMICA table and 6 chairs, $200. 19" TV, $75. Console stereo with 8 track tape player, radio, and record player (45 and 33), $150. 697-4036.

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BIG SCREEN 52' RCA Television. $900. Rare antique blumel 1862 grand piano. $5,275, O.B.O. Call 682-7751.

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2 WOMAN'S size medium Halloween costumes. Worn once. $15 each. 699-1998, after 10:00 am.

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EXERCISE BIKE, $40. Coffee table, $40. End table, $35. Full size floral comforter/ valances, $40. Metal pickup tool box, $50. 694-2770.

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TRAMPOLINE, $75. Kids Kett Car, $35. Sear car top carrier, $30. Hot Shot basketball game, $20. Weber charcoal grill, $10. 697-0004.

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SLIGHTLY FREIGHT Damaged, wooden picture frames, various sizes (9X12 to 30X40) and different color stains, cherry wood to antique gold. Call Phyllis or Kathy, Tuesday through Friday, 10am- 5pm, 682-9911.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

ATTRACTIVE PROPERTY. *309 Willowwood 3 bedroom, 2 bath,2 garage, $675 per month. Deposit $350. *4005 Cedar Springs- $495 per month, $300 deposit, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. Owner agents. Contact Realty Unlimited, 550-5609.

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Outgoing SWF, 20, 5'9", 124lbs.. blond hair, blue eyes, likes outdoors. Looking for a friendly, outgoing SWM, 20-25, who loves dancing. Ad#.1231

ZEST FOR LIFE
SWF, 21, 5'4", 110lbs.,brown hair, good personality, likes having fun, reading and movies. I'm seeking a fun-loving SWM, 19-31. Ad#.1232

FITS LIKE A GLOVE
If you're an honest, sincere SWPM, 38-55, then call this easygoing, upbeat SWPF, 38, 5'5", 103lbs., who likes swimming, horseback riding and romantic walks. Ad#.1225

EASY ON THE EYES
Petite, slender SHF, 38, seeks SHM, 29-38, who also likes bowling, miniature golf and family times. Ad# 1222

SPORTS-ORIENTED LADY
SWF, 5'9", 20, 165lbs., blondish-brown hair, likes winter/summer skiing, basketball, the outdoors, seeks an outspoken, fun SWM, 19-30, for friendship, maybe more. Ad#.1217

ISO MR. RIGHT
Sociable SW mom, 32, 5'5", 115lbs., brown hair, hazel eyes, seeks outgoing, kind, romantic SM, 35-45, who likes horseback riding, sporting events, dining, dancing and fun. Midland area. Ad#.1202

BE TRUE
Fun-loving single white Christian female, 50, 5'5", 140lbs., with brown hair and green eyes, who enjoys gardening, cooking and dancing, seeking an honest, caring single white Christian male, 48-60, with similar interests. Ad#.1127

LET'S FALL IN LOVE AGAIN
Healthy, happy WWWF, 66, big brown eyes, white hair, love pets, ceramics, dancing, board games, interested in meeting a SWM, 65-78, a real gentleman, well-mannered, educated, clean-cut, for friendship/more Ad#.5208

GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER
Friendly, humorous SWF, 50, 5'5", 140lbs., enjoys dancing, gardening, walking, traveling, interested in a SWPM, 48-56, who's educated and fun-loving. Ad#.5214

NO GAME PLAYERS
Self-employed SBF, 31, 5'7", medium-built, sense of humor, caring, likes shopping, traveling, church, the parks. Seeking a SBM, 30-47, who's affectionate, caring with a great attitude. Ad#.5213

POSSIBLE FUTURE
Full-figured SW mom, 26, likes romantic dinners, walks in the park, shopping, movies, art/crafts & fishing. Seeking a SWM, 26-34, who's mellow and wants to become friends first. Ad#.5218

GREEN-EYED LADY
Seeks you: stable, mature SHM, 19-26. I'm a SWF, 5'4", 20, interested in a possible LTR. Ad#.5203

OUTGOING MOM
Outgoing SWF, 24, 108lbs., blond hair, enjoys outdoor activities, shopping, skating, going to church, arts, crafts, going to the park. Searching for an honest SM, 20-28, for LTR. Ad#.5193

WALK WITH ME
Sweet, single black female, 31, 5'5", 279lbs., enjoys walking, movies, going to the park. Seeking an honest single black male, 40-50, non-drinker/. Ad#.5160

CALL ME
Caring single white female, 45, 5', brown-haired, blue-eyed, enjoys outdoors, crafts, watching sports. Seeking for kind, non-smoker, sensitive single male, 45-50. Ad#.5156

HONEST MOM
Easygoing SWF, 32, 5'4", brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys horseback riding, dancing, outdoor activities, music, movies, arts, crafts. Seeking an honest SWM, 35-45. Ad#.5191

GROW YOUR HEART
Humorous SWF, 43, 5'5", 135lbs., enjoys walking, working out, outdoor activities, gardening, good conversation and traveling. Seeking for honest, fun-loving, humorous SWM, 32-45. Ad#.5195

ARE WE COMPATIBLE?
Fun, outgoing SHF, 44, 5'6", 195lbs., brown hair/eyes, hobbies include fishing, gardening and quiet times. ISO SHM, 50-57. Ad#.5171

CARE TO SHARE?
Easygoing SWF, 38, 5'11", dark hair, loves reading, movies and skating. She would like to get acquainted with a friendly SWM, 38-45. Ad#.5168

BE SURE TO CALL
Meet this bubbly, kind-hearted SHF, 38, 5'3", full-figured, brown hair, green eyes, enjoys sports, music and dancing. She hopes to share her life with a kind, understanding, family-oriented SHM, 38-45. Ad#.5141

CAN I TRUST YOU?
SHF, 41, 5'3", 160lbs., who's quiet at first, loves movies, dancing, dining out, is seeking a shy, trusting SHM, 40-46, to spend time with. Ad#.1185

GIVE ME A CHANCE
Get involved with this positive SWF, 50, 5'8", 160lbs., long dark hair, green eyes, enjoys cooking, walking, travelling. If you're a upbeat, educated SWPM, 48-60. Ad#.5066

LIKE TO HAVE FUN
Sweet, shy, joking SHF, 19, 4'9", 180lbs., enjoys going to church, biking, skating, movies and dining out. ISO a sweet, honest SM, 18-25. Ad#.5148

LOOK INTO YOUR SOUL
SWPCF, 49, loves life, people, long walks, theatre, movies, dancing, boating. ISO honest, tall, good-looking SWM, 45-55. Ad#.5149

R U GOOD, DECENT?
Sociable, outgoing SWF, 32, 5'5", 115lbs., brown-hair, likes dancing, movies, dinner, horseback riding. ISO a decent SWM, 35-41, who likes kids. Ad#.5151

ROMANCE IS IN THE AIR
Meet this fun-loving, very pretty SW mom, 22, 5'6", 123lbs., with long blonde hair, blue eyes, wants to share a meaningful friendship with a tall, handsome SHM, 19-35, who loves music and dancing. Ad#.5146

LASTING MEMORIES
Get in touch with this friendly SWF, 48, 5'8", 120lbs., brown hair, green eyes, if you're an outgoing SWM, 46-56, who likes art, theater and concerts. Ad#.5135

MAKE A MOVE MY WAY
Happy-go-lucky SWF, 62, 5'6", 185lbs., blond hair, enjoys dancing, traveling and sports. ISO N/S SWM, 61-69, who likes the great outdoors. Ad#.5102

RX FOR ROMANCE
SWCPF, 39, 5'5", blue-eyed blond, likes traveling, laughter, antiques and jazz. Seeks SWC gentleman, for serious relationship with some fun. Ad#.5103

GREEN-EYED LADY
SBPF, 32, likes reading, writing, dining out, seeks sincere SBM, 35-38, for genuine relationship. Ad# 5098

SEARCHED HIGH AND LOW
Cheerful, easygoing single white female, 28, 5'7", 150lbs., brown hair, hazel eyes, likes fishing, camping and sporting events. She dreams of meeting a single white male, 28-38. Ad#.5124

LEAVE A MESSAGE
Serious-minded, quiet single Hispanic female, 20, brown hair/eyes. Seeking an honest, sincere single Hispanic male, 18-26, who enjoys dancing, movies and parks. Ad#.5128

COMMON BOND
Friendly single Hispanic female, 21, 5'8", 115lbs., brown hair, hazel-green eyes. Searching to meet a humorous single Hispanic male, 18-26, who also enjoys fishing, movies and dancing. Ad#.1182

HONESTY IS THE KEY
Be sure to contact this sociable single Hispanic female, 18, 5'6", brown hair/eyes, if you're a single male, 18-29, whose interests include movies, cards and reading. Ad#.5122

FOR A LONG TIME
Fun single white female, 58, enjoys dining out, movies and crafts, hoping to meet a clean-cut single white male, 58-68. Ad#.5123

GREAT GAL
Kind-hearted single white female, 61, likes theater and traveling, hoping to meet a friendly single white male, 50-70, for a lasting relationship.'Ad#.5117

HEART & SOUL
Personable single white female, 19, 5'2", 130lbs., brown hair, likes singing, dancing and pleasant conversation, looking for a single white male, 18-24, for companionship. Ad#.5112

AN ANGEL
Voluptuous single Hispanic female, 31, 5', in search of a carefree single male, 28-39, who likes reading, long walks and traveling. Ad#.5105

RARE GEM
Sociable single black female, 40, 5'3", 170lbs., hoping to meet a humorous single white male, 34-46, with shared interests in antiques, arts/crafts shows and great conversation. Ad#.5101

FRIENDSHIP ANYONE?
Single white mother, 22, 5'10", full-figured, outgoing, enjoys sports, going out, movies, quiet evenings at home, looking for tall, talkative single male, 22-30, for friendship. Ad#.5099

LISTEN
Spontaneous, full-figured single Hispanic female, 25, 5'4", brown hair/eyes, likes singing, movies and traveling, hoping to meet a caring single male, 22-45, for a possible relationship. Ad#.5091

QUEEN OF HEARTS
Delightful single Hispanic female, 19, 5'7", brown hair/eyes, likes video games, baseball and playing cards, seeking a fun-loving single Hispanic male, 19-28, for friendship first. Ad# 5093

SEIZE THE MOMENT
And call this fun, outgoing, fun-loving, spontaneous, attractive single Hispanic female, 18, enjoys movies, fishing and sports. She's looking for an open-minded, height/weight proportionate single white male, 18-26, who's honest, respectful and humorous. Ad# 1200

HIT THE JACKPOT
This pleasant single white professional female, 45, 5'8", 120lbs., blond hair, loves the outdoors, theater, traveling, concerts, art and more, seeking an honest single white professional male, 45-55. Ad#.1193

ONE & ONLY
Refreshing single white mom, 28, 5'5", brown hair/eyes, likes movies and pleasant conversation, in search of that special single white male, 30-40, for companionship. Ad# 1180

ANIMAL LOVER
Shy yet delightful single white female, 23, 5'8", brown hair, hazel eyes, likes cooking, the outdoors and traveling, hoping to meet a well-rounded single white male, 25-30, with similar interests. Ad#.1187

HAVE NO DOUBTS
Funny, extroverted single Hispanic female, 21, 5', brown hair, enjoys movies, shopping and music, in search of a adventuresome single male, 18-25, for good times. Ad#.1184

CANDLELIT DINNERS
Personable single white female, 27, 5'4", 180lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, likes movies and romantic walks, looking to meet that special single white male, 21-35, to spend time with. Ad#.1170

IS IT YOU?
Here's a friendly single black female, 34, 6'1", brown hair/eyes, hobbies include movies, good conversations and sports, hoping to meet a single white male, 32-39. Ad#.1163

HONESTLY
This humorous single Hispanic female, 25, 5'4", brown hair/eyes, searching to meet a passionate single male, 22-45, who likes spending time with friends, swimming and bowling. Ad#.1164

NOTHING SERIOUS
Congenial, full-figured single female, 29, 5'5", with a nice smile, likes dancing, theater and travelling, looking for an honorable single white male, 28-34, for fun times. Ad#.5090

MAD ABOUT YOU
Brown-haired single white female, 32, enjoys dancing, dining out and quiet times, is looking for an energetic single white male, 34-40. Ad#.5085

INTERESTED? CALL
Are you a single white male, 34-50, who enjoys theater, reading and art? Get in touch with this independent single white female, 43, 5'5", dark hair/eyes, whose looking for you. Ad#.5071

JUST WANTS TO BE HAPPY
Humorous single Hispanic female, 18, 5'8", 135lbs., with brown hair, seeking relationship with an honest single male, 24-35, whose hobbies include horseback riding and swimming. Ad#.5068

LIVE IT UP
Single Hispanic female, 28, 5'7", 154lbs., brown hair/eyes, searching to meet a single female, 20-35, who shares her interests in movies, jogging and dining out. Ad#.5067

ARE YOU ROMANTIC? CALL
Sincere single Hispanic female, 18, 5'8", 135lbs., brown hair, green eyes, would like to meet a single white male, 18-25, who shares her interests in dancing, reading and movies. Ad#.5070

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JUDGE FOR YOURSELF
Single Hispanic female, 47, 5'6", 115lbs., blonde hair and hazel eyes, interested in meeting a compassionate single Hispanic male, 40-55, who shares her interests in the outdoors and dancing. Ad#.5086

LEAVE A MESSAGE
Spontaneous single white female, 37, 6', interested in meeting a single white male, 30-50, who enjoys outdoor activities and music. Ad#.5076

SEEKING ROMANCE
5'11", 120lbs., single black female, 32. Her hope is to meet an honest single black male, 34-40, who shares her interests in walks and dining out. Ad#.5079

GO FOR THE GOLD
Single Hispanic female, 18, brown hair, hazel eyes, likes movies, shopping and fishing. She's in search of a faithful single male, 18-24, with similar interests. Ad#.5082

COUNTRY LIVING
Reserved single white female, 47, 5'7", brown hair, green eyes, would like to meet a caring single male, 38-53, who shares her interests in rodeos, dancing and skiing. Ad#.5083

HANDLE WITH CARE
Brown eyed, blond single white female, 66, whose interests include outdoor activities and animals, seeking a single white male, 66+. Ad# 5084

BACK TO NATURE
Funny single Hispanic female, 18, 5'8", 130lbs., brown hair, hazel eyes, in search of an outgoing single white male, 19-25, who likes horseback riding, reading and star gazing. Ad#.5069

GIVE A LISTEN!
Shy-natured single Hispanic mother, 32, 5'4", with brown hair, enjoys family times, the outdoors, movies and music, is looking for a fun-loving single Hispanic male, 29-42, who enjoys children. Ad#.5065

JUST DARLING
Friendly single Hispanic female, 49, 5'4", 150lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys cooking, dancing, long walks and more, is seeking a kind-hearted, sincere single Hispanic male, 49-55, with similar interests. Ad# 5062

BE THE ONE
Fun-loving single Hispanic female, 19, who enjoys sports, reading, movies and more, is looking for an honest, outgoing single Hispanic male, 19-20, for companionship. Ad#.5059

FRIENDS TO START
Outgoing and caring single white female, 64, 5'7", with brown hair/eyes, who likes, country music, dining out and sports. She is dreaming of meeting a single white male, 58-65, with similar interests. Ad#.5057

THAT SPECIAL ONE
Caring single white female, 47, 5'7", with brown hair and green eyes, is searching for an honest single white male, 38-53, who likes rodeo's, sporting events and traveling. Ad#.5054

IT HAS TO BE YOU
Warm single white professional female, 45, 5'7", 118lbs., with blonde hair and green eyes, who enjoys walking, working out and collecting art, seeks a loving, family-oriented, honest, college-educated, single white male, 45-55, who appreciates a lady. Ad#.2997

SETTLE DOWN
Meet this single black female, 22, 5'5", 145lbs., is hoping to find a lovable and caring single male, 35-42, who likes movies, shopping and long drives. Ad# 5058

HEART OF GOLD
Meet this single white female, 46, with burgundy hair and green eyes, is interested in meeting a compatible single white male, 40-65, who likes fishing, camping and cooking outdoors. Ad#.5045

FIT TO LOVE
Personable, attractive single white female, 54, 5'5", 135lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys working out, gardening and reading, is looking for a mature, kind single white male, 50-60, with integrity. Ad#.5041

BE TRUE TO ME
This single white female, 48, 5'7", 118lbs., with blonde hair and green eyes, enjoys spending time with children, outdoor activities and going to plays. She is seeking an honest single white professional male, 45-55. Ad#.5040

ENHANCE MY LIFE
Outgoing single white female, 22, 5'10", with brown hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys sports, dining out and good conversation, is looking for a tall and intelligent single male, 18-30, with a great smile. Ad# 5037

LET'S PARTY
Happy-go-lucky single white female, 18, 5'3", 140lbs., with blonde hair and blue eyes, loves to laugh. Some of her interests are music, dancing, parties, quiet times and more. She's seeking a strong, stable and secure single white male, 18-25. Ad#.5026

NEW HEIGHTS
Pleasant single black female, 20, 5'10", 175lbs., with dark hair and eyes, a student, who enjoys sports, parties, clubs, shopping and more, is looking for a tall, athletic and fun-loving single male, 19-23, to share fun times with. Ad#.5001

SWEETHEART
Happy-go-lucky single female, 67, 5'7", 145lbs., with salt and pepper hair, who enjoys concerts, movies, long walks and more, is seeking a fun-loving single Hispanic male, 69-75, for companionship. Ad#.5005

BRIGHT IDEAS
Spontaneous single white female, 38, 5'7", with auburn hair and brown eyes, enjoys dancing, long walks, family times, movies and more. She's seeking honest, family-oriented single white male, over 35. Ad#.5035

LONELY HEART
Honest and outgoing widowed white female, 58, who enjoys movies, dining out, traveling and the outdoors. Would love to meet a fun-loving single white male, 58-68, to do fun things and see new places with. Ad#.5034

ROAD TO ROMANCE
Energetic and outgoing single white female, 32, 5'5", 115lbs., with brown hair, enjoys dancing, horseback riding, dining out, quiet nights and more, is looking for a humorous, sociable and romantic single white male, 33-37. Ad#.5028

FAMILY-ORIENTED
Social, energetic single white female, 32, 5'5", 115lbs., with long brown hair, involved in the medical field, enjoys dancing, movies and much more. In search of a single white female, 36-45, who is easy to talk to and likes children. Ad#.5022

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LOYALTY
Romantic, independent single female, 52, 5'4", 165lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys long walks, biking, traveling and more, is looking for an honest, fun-loving single Hispanic male, 45-54, to spend quality time with. Ad#.5023

LOOKING FOR LOVE
Happy go lucky single white female, 27, 5'6", 175lbs., long blond hair, blue eyes, enjoys outdoors, movies and dancing, seeking fun-loving single white male, 25-32, who is self-dependant, reliable, caring, charming and funny. Ad#.5015

NO COUCH POTATOES
Medium-built white female, 59, smoker, 5'6", 150lbs., with blond hair, brown eyes, good sense of humor, likes dancing, traveling, crafts, people, joking, life, etc. Seeking white male, 55-65, with similar interests, who knows how to treat a lady. Ad#.5014

MAKE ME HAPPY
Attractive, slim, easygoing single white female, 62 passes for 45, 5'10", 135lbs., blond, blue eyes, enjoys dancing, country music, traveling, dining out, quiet times and more and is seeking tall, lovable single white male, 50-68, with similar interests. Ad#.5013

MUST LIKE KIDS
Easygoing, funny, caring white female, 44, 5'8", 135lbs., with brown hair, who likes bowling, fishing, walking, people, movies, BINGO, kids, communicating, seeking white male, 45-48, similar interests. Ad# 5012

MUST LIKE KIDS
Friendly, outgoing single Hispanic mother of two, 22, 5'3", 115lbs., brown hair/eyes, enjoys outdoors, spending time with kids and cooking. Seeking single fun-loving, family-orientated Hispanic male, 22-35, with similar interests. Ad#.5010

TAKE IT SLOW
Single white female, 40, 5'8", with brown hair and blue/green eyes, whose interests include bowling, movies and country music, is looking for a tall and caring single white male, 38-46, for friendship first. Ad#.1134

GREAT EXPECTATIONS
Hardworking, dedicated divorced black Christian mother, 32, 5', 240lbs., with reddish-black hair and brown eyes. Enjoys long romantic walks, music and family time. Seeking a family-oriented, attentive Christian male, 26-40, who loves attending church. Ad#.1091

ANIMAL LOVER
Single white mother, 44, who enjoys fishing, movies and taking walks, is in search of a single white male, 42-47, non-smoker, non-drinker, with similar interests Ad#.1047

SOCCER MOM
Humorous, caring single white mother, 45, 5'5", with brown hair and blue/green eyes, who enjoys crafts, sewing and sports, is in search of a kind, honest, funny single male 45-50. Ad#.1049

IMPROVING THE WORLD
Easygoing, upbeat single white mother, 44, 5'8", 140lbs., with brown hair and blue eyes, who enjoys Bingo, bowling and fishing, is in search of a kind, loving, thoughtful single white male, 50. Ad#.1053

SWEETNESS
This sweet and sincere single black female, 18, 5', 165lbs., with black hair and brown eyes, who enjoys movies, long walks and sunsets, is seeking a nice single male, 18-20, for fun times. Ad#.1023

YOUNG AT HEART
Quiet single white female, 71, who enjoys church, dining out and dancing, is in search of a single white male, 45-75, for friendship. Ad#.1056

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CAN WE TALK?
Outgoing SBM, 34, 6'1", 280lbs., black hair, likes music, walking and quiet times. Seeking a SF, 25-45. Ad#.1233

LOVES THE LORD
SWM, 27, 6', red hair, green eyes, good personality, self-employed, likes camping, beach walks. ISO spirit-filled SCF, 18-24. Ad#.1226

FALLING IN LOVE
SWM, 43, 6', 180lbs., blue eyes, brown hair, enjoys traveling. I'm looking for a SF, 31-49, for dating and possibly more. Ad#.1234

SPARKLING BLUE EYES
Kind-hearted, self-supporting, outgoing white male, 46, 6'1", 170lbs., with brown hair and a warm smile, seeking nice, non-drinking, slim/medium-built white female, 30-47, for friendship, possibly more. Ad#.5018

WORK HARD PLAY HARD
Active SWPM, 28, likes bowling, camping, hiking, country/western dancing, enjoying life. Seeking a sincere, outgoing SWF, 22-32, for fun, adventure, friendship, maybe more. Ad#.1224

1 IS THE LONELIEST #
SWM, 40, seeks to begin a relationship with a fun-loving SWF, 29-34. Call for details! Ad#.1223

OUTDOORS TYPE
Fun-loving SWM, 24, seeks fun-loving SWF, 21-27, to share good times with. Call for details! Ad#.1216

ENTERPRISING GUY
Fun-loving SWM, 19, enjoys music, movies and fun. Seeks an outgoing SWF, 18-23, to share happy days. Ad#.1215

LOOK HERE
SCM, 47, seeks an easygoing, medium-built SF, for fun, friendship,. maybe more. Ad#.1212

LET'S KICK IT!
SHM, 6'1", brown hair/eyes, psychology student, seeks SWF, 19-21, who is cool and laid-back. Ad#.1209

CIRCLE THIS AD
Easygoing, nice SHM, 39, 5'6", salt/pepper hair, enjoys baseball, playing pool, ISO good-looking SF, 35-43, who is trustworthy. Ad#.5192

ISO FUN TIMES
SWM, 18, 5'10", very old-fashion, romantic, loyal, faithful, trustworthy, enjoys sports, movies, ISO SF, 18-24, who is fun, outgoing, with similar interests. Ad#.5187

GIVE IT A TRY
Laid-back SWM, 37, 5'7", 170lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, enjoys movies, sporting events and camping. ISO honest, responsible, creative SF, 28-39. Ad#.5176

BACK TO THE BASICS
SBM, 31, looking forward to meeting a family-oriented SHF, 20-38, who shares his interests in sports, working out and hunting. Ad#.5158

DON'T KEEP ME WAITING
Fun-loving SBM, 31, 5'11", 180lbs., likes sports, swimming, jogging, movies and dining out, searching for an energetic SF, 21-45, with similar interests. Ad#.5159

LET'S TALK SOON
SHM, 23, 6'2", pastimes include movies and quiet times, desires an attractive SHF, 19-30, to share good times. Ad#.5163

IN SEARCH OF YOU
Cheerful SHM, 31, 5'11", brown hair/eyes, enjoys fishing, jet skiing and quiet times, hoping to meet a SHF, 23-35, for a possible relationship. Ad#.5164

CAN YOU RELATE?
Semi-retired SWM, 62, 5'9", 190lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, wants to meet a quiet SWF, 50-68, who shares his interests in bowling, sports and music. Ad#.5167

LEAVE A MESSAGE
SHM, 23, 6'2", interested in meeting a tall SHF, 19-30, who enjoys working out. Ad#.5174

ONE OF THE BEST
Athletic, upfront SBM, 20, 5'9", 198lbs., enjoys long trips, malls, seeking sincere SF, 19-23, who will hold him when he is down. Ad#.1145

FOLLOW YOUR HEART
Comical single white male, 53, 6'5", 265lbs., brown hair, green eyes, eager to meet a tall, slim single white female, 30-55, who shares his interests in computers, bowling, dancing and football. Ad#.5119

DON'T MISS OUT
Single white professional male, 48, 6'1", 180lbs., interests include traveling, shopping and moonlit walks, in search of a slender single white female, 32-44, 5'4"-5'10". Ad#.5118

ZEST & LIFE
Outgoing single Native American male, 23, 5'9", 180lbs., brown eyes, interests include cars, partying and socialization, in search of a single female, 20-28, for companionship. Ad# 5109

KING OF HEARTS
Laid-back single white male, 65, likes country music, traveling and playing cards, looking for a compatible single white female, 48-65, to spend time with. Ad# 5110

COMMON BOND
Handsome single white male, 59, 5'9", 170lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, enjoys country dancing, campouts and garage sales, looking for a pretty single white female, 40-63, for companionship. Ad#.5114

AVID BOWLER
Congenial single white male, 25, 6'2", 200lbs., brown hair, likes swimming, working out and fishing, looking for a single female, 18-31, to spend time with. Ad# 5106

MR. RIGHT
Entertaining single white male, 41, 6', 210lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys golf, the outdoors and traveling, looking for a delightful single white female, 33-41, for a possible relationship. Ad#.5104

I'LL CALL
Personable single male, 56, 5'8", blond hair, blue eyes, eager to meet a single female,• 38-60, who enjoys country dancing, traveling and candlelit dinners. Ad#.5115

UNDER THE STARS
Relaxed single white male, 24, 5'9", brown hair, loves cooking, movies and socialization, seeking a single white female, 18-28, for fun times. Ad#.5113

TYPE "A" PERSONALITY
You'll love getting to know this shy at first divorced Hispanic dad, 31, 5'1", 145lbs., with dark hair/eyes, who enjoys working out, going to movies, quiet evenings at home and more, if you're an honest single Hispanic female, 24-35, call now. Ad#.3531

NOTHING MATTERS...
Without happiness. White male, 32, 6', 300lbs., honest, truthful, compassionate, easygoing, enjoys art, writing, shooting, martial arts, cooking, outdoors. Seeks an intelligent, attractive, sweet white female, 20-35, loves life and laughter. Ad#.5097

YOU & ME TOGETHER
This white professional male, 61, 6'1", is looking for a white female, 45-65, who loves dogs, fishing, camping, spending time together and more. Ad#.5100

SERIOUSLY
All-around single Hispanic male, 22, 5'9", 150lbs., brown hair/eyes, interests include working out, movies and athletics, looking to meet a single Hispanic female, 20-28, for a possible relationship. Ad#.5092

HUGS & KISSES
Personable single Hispanic male, 25, enjoys long walks, cuddling and good conversation, hoping to meet an educated, attractive single Hispanic female, 20-30, for companionship. Ad#.5094

BE MY LADY
Kind-hearted single white male, 27, 5'11", red hair, likes movies, bowling and roller-skating, seeking that special single Hispanic female, 18-25, for a possible relationship. Ad#.5095

HE EVEN COOKS
Amiable single Hispanic male, 25, 5'11", 190lbs., dark hair/eyes, likes golf, boating and candlelit dinners, in search of a sexy, feminine single Hispanic female, 20-30, for companionship. Ad#.5096

SPARK THE LOVE FLAME
By calling this single white male, 38, an electrician, that enjoys playing guitar and sharing quiet evenings at home with a woman, 26-45, who wants to be appreciated. Ad#.1199

MATCH IN HEAVEN
Would be with this witty, single Hispanic male, 41, that enjoys music, sports, working around the yard, and a health conscious, goal-oriented, humorous, energetic single white female, 27-36. Ad#.1198

FOREVER TRUE
Easygoing single white male,18, 5'11", 125lbs., light brown hair, loves music, horseback riding, socializing with friends, seeking a down-to-earth, outgoing single white female, 18-22. Ad#.1192

COUNT ON ME
Creative single white male, 42, hoping to meet an adventurous single white female, 18-50, who enjoys outdoor activities, road trips, movies and music. Ad#.1190

NO DEMANDS
Humorous, outgoing single white male, 38, 5'7", 220lbs., brown hair, green eyes, enjoys playing guitar, family times, sports and quiet evenings, looking for an appreciative single female, 21-45. Ad#.1195

TABLE FOR 2
Active single Hispanic male, 26, 126lbs., brown hair, interests include swimming, sports and dining out, hoping to meet a caring single Hispanic female, 21-30, for a possible LTR. Ad#.1183

HAPPINESS
Personable single Hispanic male, 36, 5 '11", 190lbs., likes hiking, fishing and great conversation, hoping to meet a friendly single Hispanic female, 25-40, to spend time with. Ad#.1181

TOGETHERNESS
Invigorating single white male, 33, 6', blue eyes, with varied interests, hoping to meet that special single white female, 25-36, to spend time with. Ad#.1177

LEGACY OF LOVE
Reserved single white male, 26, 6'6", 250lbs., brown hair, hazel eyes, enjoys outdoor activities, movies and dining out, looking for a sweet, fun-loving single white female, 21-40. Ad#.1172

WILL RETURN CALLS
Secure single white male, 43, 6', 180lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, is hoping to meet a single white female, 30-47, that enjoys swimming. Ad#.1167

THE GREAT OUTDOORS
Single white male, 36, 6'1", brown hair, green eyes, looking for an active single white female, 45-42, who enjoys spending time with friends, motorcycling and sports. Ad#.1188

INTERESTED? CALL
Single white male, 35, likes motorcycling, horseback riding and skiing. Seeking a single white female, 25-40. Ad#.1000

BRING ME LUCK
Fun, outgoing single Hispanic male, 19, 5'5", 145lbs., brown hair, would like to get acquainted with a single female, 18-21, who enjoys singing and rollerblading. Ad#.5089

I NEED A LADY LIKE YOU
Cheerful single white male, 22, 5'5", 175lbs., red hair, blue eyes, loves family outings, sports and music. He's searching to meet a single white female, 18-25, for friendship first. Ad#.5072

GIVE INTO TEMPTATION
Here's a shy single white male, 24, 5'11", blond hair, blue eyes, looking forward to meeting an outgoing single white female, 18-28, hobbies include outdoor activities and dining out. Ad#.5078

ROMANCE IN THE AIR
Shy Hispanic male, 26, 6'4", 250lbs., enjoys workouts, reading, jazz, painting, art, theatre and sports, is seeking a sincere, honest, funny, full-figured, mature Hispanic female, 21-45. Ad#.5067

TAKE A CHANCE
You won't be sorry. Hispanic male, 45, 5'9", 200lbs., black hair, friendly, easygoing, fun-loving, enjoys music. Seeks fun-loving, easygoing Hispanic female, 30-45, friendship, companionship, long-term relationship. Ad#.5077

DINNER AND A MOVIE?
Meet this easygoing single white male, 28, 6'2", 190lbs., with brown hair and blue eyes, is hoping to meet a single female, 20-35, who enjoys dancing, dining out and movies. Ad#.5055

ENHANCE MY LIFE
Professional single white male, 25, 5'9", 150lbs., with brown hair and green eyes, is looking for a single female, 19-30, who shares his interests in going to church, dining out and going to the lake. Ad#.5053

LET'S HOOK UP
Outgoing single white dad, 23, 5'9", 160lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys fishing, movies, good conversation and more, is looking for an honest, loving single white female, 18-28

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1702 WEST LOUISIANA- Don't miss this one! Everything must go; 4 family garage sale! Baby items, maternity clothing, furniture and household goods. Saturday 8am- 1pm.

3201 W. LOUISIANA- Friday and Saturday 8am- 1pm. Odds and Ends! A little bit of everything!

1108 N. TILDEN: Friday- Saturday 9:00am- ? Children's clothes 6- 18 months, couch, chair, small appliances, miscellaneous.

1804 COLLEGE- Military bayonets, metals, sword, large carved chest, toys, infants-womens- girls clothes, jeans, baby bed mattress, Little Tikes Slide, Cozy Coupe Car, old crochet doilies, glassware. Friday and Saturday

1000 S. JACKSON (inside garage in case of rain)- Big garage sale. Friday- Saturday 9:00am- 4:00pm. Large selection of glassware, clothes, a couple of antique tables, lots of odds and ends. Everyone welcome.

1103 East Pennsylvania. Saturday only 8:00 am - ?. Clothes, shoes glassware, Christmas decorations, ladies hats and lots of miscellaneous.

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Hatie Mae Jeter
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Thurs. thru Sat. 8:30 to 5.
Imari, Baccarat, Heisey, set of china, pottery, Depression, Mar-crest stoneware, ornate turtle coliaction, queen and twin beds, double dresser, stereo, coffee/ end tables, lamps, ladies clothes (8- 18), jewelry, chair with ottoman, round oak table, TV, refrigerator, washer, dryer, microwave, paintings and prints, file cabinets, books, Christmas things, lawn furniture, kitchen things and more.
Handled by Floy Maberry.

1412 NORTH "A"- MOVING sale! Appliances, household items and musical equipment. Saturday only 8am- 3pm.

3003 LOCKHEED: Furniture, books, stereos, old costume jewelry, Christmas tree, dishes, knick knacks, tapes and videos, drafting table, Adirondack chair, chest of drawers, stuffed animals, telephones. Saturday 8am- 2pm.

3105 WEST ILLINOIS- Saturday October 7th. 8:00am- 1:00pm. Great things for everyone!

3115 WEST MICHIGAN- Friday and Saturday 8am- 2pm. Two rocker recliners, small appliances, linens, dishes, miscellaneous, 1960 De Soto.

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4503 LEDDY- GARAGE Sale! Saturday 8- 5, Sunday 1- 5. Treadmill, stationary bike, barstools, twin bed and lots more!

713 RAYMOND Rd- Friday and Saturday sunrise- sunset. Sunday 1:00pm- sunset. Moving sale! Must go.

416 SWEETBRIAR- Trailer sale! Electric Dr. Pepper box, air conditioner, many more items. Thursday 9:00- 4:00, Friday 9:00- 12:00.

✓2907 ROOSEVELT- Friday 9:00. Saturday. Double range oven, bird cage with stand, computer desk, microwave & stand, toddler bike set, tracker set, bar stools, small grass table with chairs & floor lamp, Pioneer Stereo (nice), two outdoor chairs, much more. Come by and take a look.

4708 PLEASANT. Baby and toddler clothes, women's and junior's clothes, gun rack, exercise equipment and much more. Saturday 8:00am-?

218 NORTH EISENHOWER- October 7th & 8th. Computers, clothes, bunk-bed, stereo, VCR, TV and miscellaneous.

79703

4602 ANETTA; Saturday only; Moving sale. Miscellaneous office equipment, furniture, appliances, TV, kitchen stuff, computer. Too much to mention.

4712 RIC DRIVE: Saturday and Sunday 10:00am-? Whirlpool refrigerator, couch, area rug, book shelves, hard cover books, antique stereo, Graco highchair, dog house, entertainment center, children's clothes, queen bed & bedding and lots of miscellaneous!

4507 ROOSEVELT- (In alley) Saturday, October 7th only 9am. Three family sale! Adult clothing ,children's clothing, toys, furniture, household items, exercise equipment, formal wedding dress, formal evening gown (with matching shoes), computer parts, etc.

4611 WILLSHIRE. Friday and Saturday 8:00 am. Couch, loveseat, bunk beds , coffee table, Christmas items, shoes and clothes, books, knick- knacks, chimeria, and lots of goodies.

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3809 AVONDALE- BABY items, pots and pans, 10 speed bicycle, computer key board, mens and ladies clothing, childrens toys, BBQ pit, luggage trailer. Thursday, Friday and Saturday 9am- 3pm.

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A. Henry Saranec
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Midland, Texas
Oct. 5th thru 8th, 9:00 am- 6:00 pm

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Sale by DELORA KIRBY & CO.

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309 S. DEWBERRY- COMPUTER desk, size 10 P dresses, clothing of all types, miscellaneous. Saturday only!

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➤➤1206 STANOLIND: Friday 8:30am- 2:00pm and 5:00pm- 7:00pm, Saturday 8:30am-?. HUGE multifamily sale. Everything from tot to teen to retirement. Must make rooms in our homes. Priced to sell. Air compressor, 10 speed bike, car seats, ceiling fans, computer equipment, exercise bike, furniture, lawn mower, Power Wheels Jeep, crafts table, household items, children's clothes and toys, large appliances, jewelry, Tupperware (new), utility trailer, home school curriculum and more.

1903 COLEMAN CT.- (Off Bluebird) Patio sale! Friday & Saturday 8am- 6pm. Household items, miscellaneous and clothes.

2000 BLOCK of Sands (2000, 2001, and 2005). Friday and Saturday 8:30am-? Furniture, miscellaneous household items, kids and baby items, clothing, patio furniture, 93 Suburban cargo mat, luggage, fine China, computer and Rainbow vacuum. CASH ONLY.

1500 W. PINE- (Wadley, south on Avenue I) Clothes and lots of miscellaneous! Saturday 8am- 2pm.

408 WEST SPRUCE- Saturday only 8:00- 2:00. Sofas, tires, baby furniture, childrens clothes & miscellaneous. 1984 Chevrolet Pick-up

The Deadline to place an Ad in our Saturday Garage Sale Section is Noon Friday. Call 682-6222 to place your ad today.

2200 STANOLIND. Huge Multi Family Garage Sale! Thursday 4- 7 pm; Friday 8- 3 pm. Kimball office furniture, jewelry, treadmill, sporting equipment, furniture, children's toys, washer & dryer, clothing.

523 CAROL LANE- Friday 8:00- 5:00. Saturday 8:00- 12:00. Furniture, sofa, desk, horse trailer and lots of miscellaneous.

3212 WEST DENGAR. Friday 8:00 am- 6:00 pm and Saturday 8:00- ?. Five piece bedroom set, La- Z Boy recliner, full size comforter sets, ladies clothes, coats and shoes. Lots of miscellaneous. No checks.

✓2800 STUTZ (In alley)- Saturday 8:00am-? Formica desk (40"x80"), portable Singer sewing machine, nice men's clothes (dress shirts 161/2, suits 42- 44, pants 36), childrens clothes, ladies clothes (4- 12), drafting table lamp, king bead spread.

Moving Sale! (Garage Full)
3206 Apperson
Friday &, Saturday 7:30 am.
Wicker furniture, housewares, quality clothing, lots of collectibles & knick-knacks, Southwest oil paintings.
Cheap prices!

✓720 MELTON ALLEY (townhomes next to 7-11 on Scarbauer & A) PARK ON STREET PLEASE.- Desk, bed and other furniture, antiques, hardware, craft materials, Littermaid, lots of treasures. Saturday only 8- 4.

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3609 FM 715. Baby clothes, wedding dress, lots of miscellaneous. Friday- Saturday opens and 8.

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✗3600 S County Rd. 1185- Saturday 8am- noon. (Ridge Heights Area- East off Rankin Hwy on Co. Rd. 120, south on 1185) Moving/ downsizing! Washer/ dryer, linens, curtains/ rods, furniture, ski machine, computer table, craft/ sewing items, filing cabinet, microwave cart, frames, dog house/ supplies, books, lamps, pictures, miscellaneous pipe/ tin, much, more!

79707

5515 ASHWOOD. Saturday 7:00 am- 1:00 pm. Boys clothes, bedroom set bunk beds, toys, etc.

➡7004 ALMEY Court. (in alley) Saturday 9:00 am- 2:00 pm. Lots of good stuff. Some antiques. No early birds.

3604 MEADOERIDGE: Universal gym weight set, sleeper sofa, recliners, queen bedding and linens, dresser, clothes, books, jacuzzi spa, other miscellaneous Saturday 7:00am- 12:00pm

✔3604 EDGEMONT. Saturday only 8:00 am- 2:00 pm. Kitchen remodeling. 21 cubic feet almond side by side refrigerator, electric cook top, double kitchen sink with faucet and disposal, and more. All in good condition.

★4308 NELSON- (REAR) Saturday 8am- 5pm. Sunday 9am- 2pm. Attention store owners! Etageres, belt racks, Christmas items, card tables, household items, quality, women's clothing, shoes, scrubs, mens work clothes, jeans, boy's clothes, crafting items.

6208 DRIFTWOOD DR. (Greentree): 4 family sale. Saturday 8:00am- 5:00pm. Matching living room set, rocking chairs, lamp table and other furniture. Computers, linens, dishes, decor items, Christmas decor, men's shirts & Wranglers, women's clothing and shoes, lots of miscellanous items.

3327 CIMMARON- Saturday 8:30. Four Families. Braided rug, computer, vacuum, carseat, luggage, holiday/ nice dresses.

6822 ISLAND CIRCLE. Toy, furniture and lots of Miscellaneous! Saturday 7 am- 2 pm.

✈5808 DEVLIN PLACE- One set World Book Encyclopedias; fax machine; set of dishes; lamps; books; clothing; exercise bike; patio chairs; fireplace vacuum rods and brushes; complete Jeppesen Pilot training videos, books, headset and calculator. Saturday 8am- 11am.

2607 WHITTLE WAY- Couch, love seat, LazyBoy recliner, stereo stand, cloths and miscellaneous. Saturday 7am- 11am.

➡➤2918 McDONALD. Saturday 8:00 am. Compudyne 286 with quicken and miscellaneous. Medi- mist nebulizer (asthma treatment), brother sewing machine, and lots of miscellaneous.

3511 JORDAN AVE.: Saturday only 8:00am- ? Couch, tables, dishes, kitchen items, clothes. lots of miscellanous.

5115 CONCHO: Multifamily Furniture, lawn mower, lots of clothes, kids stuff. Friday- Saturday, 8:00am- 1:00pm.

4308 GREENBRIAR- SATURDAY October 7th. Huge 6 family garage sale!! Furniture, books, clothes, antiques. 7:30- 12:30.

3805 GULF: Saturday 8:00am- 3:00pm. Household goods, clothing, furniture, miscellaneous.

3309 PROVIDENCE. Saturday 8:00 am. Antique sewing machine, dining room table, lamps, tons of pictures, southwest decor, patio table and Christmas items.

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