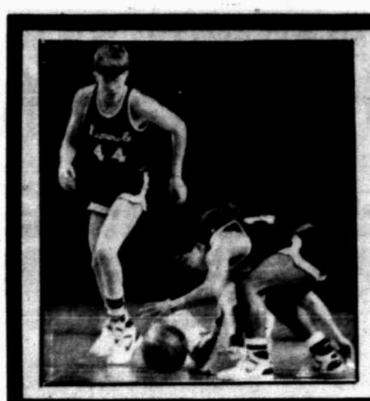


Allison Worley recently won a blue ribbon for her One-Rise Buttermilk Bread in the 4-H District Food Show.

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Midland High had a successful night Tuesday with the boys posting a victory over Seminole and the girls knocking off Greenwood.

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Iran calls on OPEC to suspend Iraq

GENEVA (AP) — Iran's official news agency reported today the Tehran government was calling on OPEC to suspend Iraq's membership for refusing to cut its oil production.

The report cast new doubt on OPEC's ability to reach a final agreement on production cuts designed to boost oil prices by about $4 a barrel. Saudi Arabia has announced it is ready to cut production as part of an OPEC plan to drive up prices.

The Islamic Republic News Agency said a high-ranking Iranian oil official had told it that Iran was urging the other OPEC members to suspend Iraq, with which Iran has been at war for six years.

Sources in the Iranian delegation to the OPEC meeting here said they could not confirm or deny the report.

The Ecuadoran oil minister, Javier Espinosa Teran, told reporters he had not personally been contacted by Iran regarding a possible Iraqi suspension.

Espinosa pointed out that the official statutes of the 13-member Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries include no provision for suspensions although members can withdraw.

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The OPEC oil ministers, except Iraq, have tentatively agreed to production cuts amounting to about 7 percent overall for three months starting Jan. 1.

If the OPEC ministers sign such a deal, world oil prices are expected to rise, but analysts are divided on whether they would go as high as OPEC's targeted $18 a barrel.

The effect of an OPEC production cut on the retail price of gasoline and other oil products is uncertain, since a jump in OPEC prices would not necessarily lead to a uniform increase in all world oil prices.

The price of oil in the open market currently ranges between $13 and $16 a barrel, barely half the level of a year ago.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, contracts for January delivery of the main U.S. grade of crude oil fell 26 cents a barrel to $16.10 on Tuesday.

Hisham Nazer, the Saudi oil minister who replaced Ahmed Zaki Yamani in late October as the kingdom's chief representative to OPEC, confirmed Tuesday that he was willing to accept a production cut as long as the rest of OPEC did the same.

It was the first time since the cartel deliberations began last Thursday that Nazer made a substantive response to reporters' questions.

"Saudi Arabia will cut production like everybody else," he said, putting extra emphasis on the word "will."

Asked how big a cut he anticipated, Nazer repled, "As much as OPEC decides." He declined to say more.

Saudi Arabia's willingness to cut its output, which is the largest in OPEC, is crucial to the success of a cartel strategy for increasing oil prices.





Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Parents In Control spokesman Roy Marshall, above, urges Midland School Board members to rescind a controversial drug policy giving the district off-campus jurisdiction over students or face possible court action. In support of the policy, Midlander Bruce Pearson, left, presents the board with a $1,000 check to be placed in a legal defense fund and used if PIC decides to sue the MISD.

MISD stands by its drug policy

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Midland school trustees Tuesday afternoon denied a parent group's request to rescind a controversial drug policy giving the district off-campus jurisdiction over students.

About 50 members of Parents In Control were present to repeat their request that the seven Midland Independent School District board members limit the district's 24-hour drug monitoring program.

The group also threatened to file suit against the district over a portion of the alcohol, drug and tobacco policy that spokesman Roy Marshall said constitutes the "24-hour surveillance" of students involved in extracurricular activities.

"The students, right now, are afraid of each other," said Marshall, referring to the policy which encourages youth to report violations of the rule to school authorities.

"To me, this is outrageous," Marshall said.

Before PIC representatives spoke, trustees said they would not change the policy. Already, some students have been suspended from extracurricular activities in violation of the rule, school officials have said.

"From time to time we hear somebody say, 'It's none of the school's business what students do when they are neither on campus nor engaged in a school-sponsored activity.'

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Committee chair convinced North was 'on his own'

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Intelligence Committee chairman says he is convinced after 12 days of testimony that Oliver North on his own pulled off the "scam" of diverting Iran arms sales profits to Nicaraguan rebels.

The chairman, Sen. David Durenberger, R-Minn., listened Tuesday to closed-door testimony by White House Chief of Staff Donald T. Regan, then told reporters he was convinced that the president "had nothing to do with" the diversion of funds.

"On every lever in this operation was Ollie North's hand," Durenberger said.

The panel today questioned Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, and arranged to hear testimony later in the day from Attorney General Edwin Meese III, about the secret transfer of U.S. weapons to Iran and the extent of CIA involvement in those transfers.

In the House, Rep. Lee H. Hamilton, D-Ind., was named to head a 15-member House committee that will investigate the Iran-Contra connection and coordinate the work of that chamber's other panels probing the fiasco.

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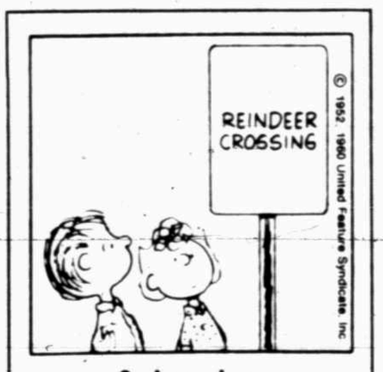
BULLETIN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State George P.Shultz is set to condemn the process of private "back channel" communications between the White House and U.S. envoys abroad, it was learned today.

However, he will allow John H. Kelly, the U.S. ambassador to Lebanon, to stay on the job despite his involvement in such communications, it was also learned.

Kelly's secret contacts with the National Security Council about covert American arms shipments to Iran and American hostages in Lebanon infuriated Shultz, who has testified before Congress that he had limited knowledge about the purchases.

Shultz summoned the 47-year-old ambassador home to explain why Kelly had not informed the State Department about his dealings with Vice Adm. John M. Poindexter, who was later ousted as the president's national security adviser, and Lt. Col. Oliver North, a Poindexter deputy who also was forced to resign last month when the secret arms deals were disclosed.



8 shopping days to Christmas

Local mall celebrates biggest day

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Business/Oil Writer

Coming off its busiest shopping weekend of the year, Midland Park Mall is in the midst of a "Business Is Good" promotion directed at boosting the morale of shoppers and mall employees alike.

BUSINESS IS GOOD!

Mall manager Carole Joyce estimates that 51,520 shoppers visited the mall last Saturday (Dec. 13), the busiest single day in the mall's six-year history. Estimates are calculated on the basis of traffic counters at each mall parking lot entrance, multiplied by an average of 2.3 persons per car. Saturday's 22,400 car traffic count compares to 19,500 cars counted during the corresponding second weekend before Christmas last year.

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Bank firm will be Southwest's largest

DALLAS (AP) — First RepublicBank Corp., to be formed next year by the second- and third-largest banking organizations in Texas, will be the largest bank holding company in the Southwest, company officials said.

RepublicBank Corp. and InterFirst Corp. will form a $35 billion banking organization, executives of the Dallas-based companies said Tuesday at a joint news conference Tuesday.

The new company will be the 12th largest bank holding company in the United States, they said.

Although the executives called the deal a merger, the new firm's charter will retain the name of RepublicBank Corp., said InterFirst spokesman Joe Bowles.

"As a matter of accounting procedure, this is being treated as a purchase (of InterFirst)," Bowles said.

Bowles acknowledged that InterFirst's non-performing loans were one factor in structuring the deal.

"Otherwise, you wouldn't be able to write off any of the bad loans," said Frank Anderson, senior vice president with Ferguson & Co., a banking management consulting firm.

The all-stock transaction, subject to approval by shareholders of each company, as well as federal regulatory agencies, is expected to be final sometime during the second quarter of next year, said Robert W. Stewart, chairman and chief executive officer of InterFirst.

The transaction required no assistance from bank regulators, he said.

Stewart will be chairman of First RepublicBank, and Gerald W. Fronterhouse, who is chairman and chief executive of RepublicBank, will be the president and chief executive of the new company.

"While having a regional orientation, it will also be able to compete on a national basis with anyone," Fronterhouse said.

Fronterhouse said First RepublicBank will save $600 million in overhead over the next few years, largely by merging operations in cities where both companies have banks. He said the companies will probably close about 25 branches and lay off about 3,000 employees, 18 percent of the combined workforce, over the next two years.

Under the merger agreement, each common share of RepublicBank will be converted into one common share of First RepublicBank. RepublicBank has about 27.4 million common shares outstanding.

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MIDLAND CHEER

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$100,000 Greathouse gift will make 'MARC'

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

Midland Association for Retarded Citizens' goals are closer to reality today because of a Midland woman's $100,000 donation Tuesday afternoon to Ray Unterbrink, MARC executive director.

"I was speechless," Unterbrink said of the donation from Helen Greathouse, a Midlander since 1929.

Ms. Greathouse, 77, walked into the lobby of the MARC building at about 3 p.m. Tuesday and sat patiently until Unterbrink got out of a meeting, he said.

"Our secretary said she thought there was a woman out there who wanted to give us a Christmas gift.

"I have never gotten $100,000 from someone who just walked in. I am used to getting a lot of $10, $100 or even $1,000 donations...but when there's more zeros than that, I can't count," Unterbrink said.

"I wanted to do it in his (her late husband Barney's) memory. Everything I give is mostly for Midland because it was good to us," Ms. Greathouse said.

Greathouse died 12 years ago.

"We came here as bride and groom on the last day of 1929, in the depression.

"He worked in a drug store," Ms. Greathouse said of her late husband, who went on to own Walgreen Drug Stores in Midland, Odessa and Brownfield.

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Archer: Tax Reform Bill 'anti-savings, anti-Texas'

"This industry has got to get organized...."
— Rep. Bill Archer



By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Speaking to a Permian Basin Petroleum Association seminar Tuesday, Rep. Bill Archer blasted the current Tax Reform Bill, saying it would cost the already ailing industry an additional $10 billion in taxes over the next five years.

"It is anti-savings, anti-Texas, anti-capital formation, anti-financial institutions, and will be negative to the economy in the short term," said the Republican congressman who has represented Houston's seventh district for 18 years and was the leading opponent of the Tax Reform Bill.

He said there was no "long term" because the bill merely marked the beginning of tax reform, adding that the 101st Congress would probably be the one to make corrective changes in the bill.

Archer said Gramm-Rudman was a step in the right direction, but there was no way Gramm-Rudman would be met in the next Congress. He predicted a $188 billion deficit by the end of 1988, and said the only thing the legislation would do would be to help Congress resist new spending. Archer said a constitutional amendment was the only way to achieve a balanced budget.

Still, Archer, a member of the Ways and Means Committee, believes the tax code offers the best hope for the oil and gas industry. He first called for oil industry tax credits in 1971, when oil was selling for around $3 as a means to help an ailing industry.

Archer says his proposed exploration tax credit would attract new capital to the oil industry and offset low oil prices. He also proposes tax credits for stripper and marginal wells.

"We would need tax credits that would put about a $20 per barrel equivalent value on oil to make it worth while," he said.

Archer cautioned, however, that there was very little love lost for the oil industry in Congress and passage of such tax credits would face a tough battle.

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Reagan scheduled for prostate surgery

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan will undergo prostate surgery in January to relieve what a spokesman called "mild, recurring discomfort" caused by an enlarged prostate, the White House announced today.

Spokesman Larry Speakes said Reagan would have what is technically called a transurethral resection of the prostate performed by two civilian physicians at Bethesda Naval Hospital outside Washington on Jan. 5.

Reagan underwent a similar procedure 20 years ago and was told he probably would have to have it done again at some time, Speakes said.

The prostate is a sex gland surrounding the urethra at the base of the bladder. It often becomes enlarged in men as they grow older and sometimes can be cancerous.

Speakes said there is no evidence Reagan has cancer of the prostate, although examination of tissue removed during the procedure is normal in such cases to determine whether any malignancy is present.

During the same visit to the hospital, the president also will undergo a colonoscopy examination to check for any recurrence of the colon cancer discovered and removed in July 1985, Speakes said. He is expected to be hospitalized for three or four days.

The prostate procedure, to be performed by two Minnesota physicians recommended by a friend and associate of Nancy Reagan's late father, Dr. Loyal Davis, will be done under a spinal anesthetic, and Reagan is not expected to lose consciousness, Speakes said.

He said the physicians, Dr. David Utz of the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., and Dr. J.R. Behrs, who was trained at the Mayo Clinic and now practices in Minnesota, expect the procedure to take about 30 to 40 minutes.

In a transurethral resection of the prostate, a small, flexible instrument is inserted into the penis and through the urethral canal, which passes through the prostate to the bladder.

The instrument has a tiny, electrically charged wire on the end, which is used to cut away pieces of the prostate obstructing the canal.

Speakes said Reagan, 75, who has undergone several urological examinations in recent years, has experienced some discomfort, which has recurred "over the past several weeks."

In his most recent exam, on Aug. 9, Speakes said, the doctors at Bethesda "did not report any sign of disease at all.."

Dr. T. Burton Smith, who performed the first resection in 1967 and was named by Reagan to be the presidential physician two years ago, said after the two-hour procedure in August that the checkup "revealed no abnormalities or evidence of tumor or any other disease."

Nonetheless, Speakes said today, Reagan has been told for years that he probably would need a second prostate resection at some point.

Smith, who is resigning at the end of the year to return to California to take care of what the White House describes as family matters, will not oversee Reagan's treatment. The president's new White House physician is Dr. John E. Hutton, an Army surgeon.

Speakes said Dr. Oliver Behrs of the Mayo Clinic, who was described as "an old friend and associate of Mrs. Reagan's father," would be present for the procedure. Behrs is the father of Dr. J.R. Behrs.

Asked why Reagan had chosen civilian physicians to perform the procedure rather than a team of military doctors such as the one that performed his cancer surgery last year, Speakes said it was simply "family preference."

"These are friends," the spokesman said.

Speakes said Reagan would enter the hospital Jan.4, two days after he returns from a New Year's vacation in California, and will undergo a physical examination and the colonoscopy that day, a Sunday. The following day, Reagan will have the prostate surgery, and is expected to remain in the hospital for a couple of days, assuming he has a normal recovery.

IRAN

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Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., was designated as vice chairman and Rep. Dick Cheney, R-Wyo., will be the senior Republican on the panel.

Hamilton is the outgoing chairman of the House Intelligence Committee. Fascell is the chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee. Cheney is the chairman of the House Republican policy committee.

The appointments, along with others, were announced by House Majority Leader Jim Wright of Texas and Republican leader Bob Michel of Illinois.

Hamilton, meanwhile, told reporters that the Intelligence Committee will hear from Regan on Thursday.

Durenberger said Regan has made it clear to him "that whoever pulled it off, did it without proper, appropriate or other authority."

"And that person is Ollie North," Durenberger said.

North, a Marine lieutenant colonel, was fired from his job as an aide on President Reagan's National Security Council on Nov. 25, when Meese announced that up to $30 million in profits from the secret arms sales had been diverted to the Nicaraguan rebels, or Contras. North's superior on the council, Vice Adm. John Poindexter, resigned.

Asked about the nature of Poindexter's role, Durenberger said: "Poindexter didn't pull off the scam. That's Ollie North's work."

"It is clear to me that (North) acted totally without proper authority in this matter and it's up to him to come forward now and produce the rest of the piece of the puzzle, and we'll have it done," Durenberger said.

Some senators said they found essential elements of the chief of staff's story difficult to accept at face value.

"He told an unbelievable story in a very believable manner," said Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz. "It's the story you've read about. He says he knew nothing about it (the alleged diversion). I find that unbelievable."

Reagan is urging the Senate panel to grant North and Poindexter limited immunity from prosecution so they can testify fully, a proposal that was rebuffed by committee leaders.

In addition, Senate Democratic leader Robert Byrd and Republican leader Bob Dole today said they opposed granting immunity, at least for now.

"I think immunity should be something of a last resort," Byrd of West Virginia said on the ABC's "Good Morning America" today. "To grant immunity at this stage, I think, would be to invade the province of the independent counsel, who hasn't even been appointed yet, and it would, I think, also invade the province of the select committee."

Dole of Kansas, also appearing on ABC, said he thought Byrd's view was held by a majority of the Senate.

"My view is they don't need immunity. They ought to come up there and tell what they know," Dole said. "I think they owe it to their president and they owe it to their country."

In other developments:

— The owner of Southern Air Transport, the cargo airline linked to arms deliveries to Iran and the Contras, said in an interview in today's Miami Herald that he has been subpoenaed by the Senate and House intelligence panels and by a federal grand jury in Miami.

— The White House announced the resignations of two more National Security Counsel staff members as part of a shake-up by Reagan's newly named national security adviser, Frank Carlucci.

— CIA Director William J. Casey was described as alert and in stable condition at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington after suffering a minor brain seizure Monday.

— The New York Times, in today's editions, reported that Casey called North shortly after an American cargo plane carrying arms to the Contras was shot down to ask if any CIA personnel and equipment were involved. The newspaper, quoting a House member familiar with Casey's testimony, said North assured Casey that the CIA was not involved.

ARCHER

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He said the main obstacles to passage of such tax credits were a divided industry, and a lack of willingness in energy consuming states to penalize their basic industries with higher energy costs.

"This industry has got to get organized and focus on something everyone can agree on," he said.

Other measures proposed by Archer for turning the industry around are: repeal of the Windfall Profits Tax; a change in the transfer rules that would permit majors to transfer depletion allowance to independent producers and prevent plugging; repeal of the Fuel Use Act.

Archer does not come out strongly against an oil import fee, but he falls short of endorsing one. He said the problem with floor prices is that they become the ceiling when oil prices improve. Asked if he would support an import fee, he replied that he had asked the Administration to look at all options to help the oil industry.

"As a member of the Ways and Means Committee, I know that Chairman Dan Rostenkowski will never let an oil import fee bill get out of his committee. He has repeatedly said he would not," Archer said.

He was critical of current Energy Secretary James Herrington, saying he should be replaced, because he was not the kind of in-front leadership the nation needed. In response to a question from the floor, Archer hinted U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler, who is leaving his congressional seat at the end of this year, might be the right man for the job.

The Houston native, who has seen his district facing the same downturn problems as Midland, said a cultivated, well-formed national energy policy that would include putting a three year supply of oil in the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and keeping the basic industry infrastructure of professionals and service companies in place is needed.

Despite hardships, Archer said he was more optimistic than ever about Texas and the oil industry: "I think now is a good time to drill and to invest, because I think we are going to see more stable prices. The Saudis are determined to get the price up to at least $18. The signs are very hopeful."

Archer's address was one of a series of on-going awareness programs presented by PBPA and was sponsored by the Midland Reporter Telegram, Peat Marwick, Mitchell & Co. and RepublicBank First National Midland.

MALL

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The "Business Is Good" (BIG) promotion was introduced at the local mall by Randy Conatser, a member of the advisory board of the Mall Merchants Association. Conatser, manager of Midland's KG Men's Store, picked up the idea from another KG store, which was using "Business Is Good" lapel pins to boost employee and customer morale.

Conatser had additional pins made for his staff, and the response has been "phenomenal," he said. Additional mall tenants inquired about the pins and eventually the merchants' association adopted the program on a mall-wide basis. BIG pins were distributed to all mall merchants on Dec. 8, according to Ms. Joyce.

"A positive attitude affects sales, and this program has generated enthusiasm among mall store employees and shoppers," she noted.

"We're making a positive statement about the local economy. Sales are very good, relative to overall economic indicators," Conatser said.

"A positive attitude from store employees causes customers to respond more positively and gives a store an edge on its competitors," Ms. Joyce said.

After only 10 days of the mall-wide program, it is too early to measure its success, but Joyce said response from merchants and consumers has been supportive, upbeat and enthusiastic.

MISD

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That's not true now, and it never has been true," Board President Bill Jackson said in a prepared statement.

"The truth is that whenever a course of conduct impacts a school or it's student body, it is the school's business, and it always has been," he said.

The meeting also drew supporters of the policy, including Independent Geologist Bruce Pearson, who gave the board a $1,000 check to be placed in a legal defense fund and used if members of PIC sue the MISD.

Pearson told board members that he wanted the district and PIC to avoid a lawsuit because both groups oppose drug and alcohol use by students.

"I'm sorry we're divided on this because we all have the same objectives," Pearson said.

Pearson said the lenient policies of the 1960s and 1970s contributed to his son's suicide.

"There are a lot of kids who are under self-control...but what about the weak ones? ...We're going lose them," he said.

Pearson supported the policy, saying problems with drugs and alcohol among youth appear to be much worse today.

"These are emergency times and we've taken emergency steps. I applaud you for it," he told trustees.

The board's policy passed on Sept. 9 imposes penalties ranging from mandatory work details, two-week suspensions and obligatory family counseling for students who participate in extracurricular activities and who are caught using, under the influence or in the possession of drugs, alcohol, tobacco and steroids.

However, members of PIC charge that the policy violates their constitutional rights and those of their children. They claim the policy should only apply on school grounds and during times when students are participating in extracurricular activities.

Marshall, the father of three students, said parents who object to the 24-hour policy are not condoning drug and alcohol abuse.

"We're not against the fight on drugs. We're not against the fight on alcoholism. We all know that tobacco is bad," he said. "We're against you coming up with a 24-hour surveillance."

The school board in October took no action on the parents' request to reduce the drug enforcement policy.

Jackson said the school board has been advised by its attorney and the School Board Association in Austin that the policy is legal.

However, a Texas Civil Liberties Union official has said the parents have legitimate legal concerns and that the officials may have overstep their authority.

Jackson said students caught off school grounds abusing the policy will only be suspended from extracurricular activities, not school.

"Within certain limits, students have a right to attend public schools. However, no student has a right to participate in any extracurricular activity" Jackson said. "Extracurricular participation is a privilege, not a right. And we believe that it is a resonable restriction on that privilege to extend it only to those students who do not illegally use or distribute narcotics, alcohol and other mood-altering chemicals."

Marshall said Parents in Control represents about 150 parents.

But Jackson said the school board will not change the policy because it is supported by the majority of the parents of the about 4,000 secondary students involved in extracurricular activities.

Three-week-old polar bear still not 'out of woods'

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — A footlong polar bear born in the semi-tropics of South Texas has lived longer than any other born at the Gladys Porter Zoo here.

But staff veterinarian Sherri Huntress says 3-week-old Sheela isn't completely out of peril.

Ms. Huntress says the 3-pound, 15-ounce bear has to survive another six months before she'll feel confident Sheela will grow to adulthood. A full-grown bear may weigh 650 pounds.

"There's just too many things that can go wrong with the little guy — pneumonia, diarrhea," she said. Because Sheela has been hand-raised on formula, she does not have the resistance to disease that other bears get on their mother's milk.

GIFT

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"He was a great guy and did a lot of good. He was one of the original organizers of Trinity Towers," Ms. Greathouse said.

She added she later gave an additional $1 million in Greathouse's memory to help build Manor Park retirement community.

"This comes at a time when we were recognizing a dilemma in the need to expand residential services for retarded services," Unterbrink said.

"We've struggled with that for the last couple of months," he said.

"What we have now is Marcwood I and II — group homes where 14 mentally retarded people live in each house, supervised apartments and semi-independent apartments," Unterbrink said.

"The new areas we are looking at are for what is called 'shared living,' where one person who is not retarded lives with one who is.

"A college student could get through school on what we'd pay," Unterbrink said.

The concept of shared living — now closer to reality with Ms. Greathouse's gift — will consist of renting some new apartments, Unterbrink said.

"In addition, some new 'six-bed group homes' for mentally retarded senior citizens may be helped to be built because of the gift."

MARC also plans to use some of the gift for adding a behavior unit for young children who, because of a handicap, have problems that make it hard for them to live at home, he said.

Unterbrink said a plaque in Barney Greathouse's memory would be placed in the Opportunity Center Hall of Honor at the MARC offices.

"He was just a country boy who worked hard to get ahead," Ms. Greathouse said.

"I get so amused at my brother who wanted me to move to Stephenville.

"Midland is home. I love the people," Ms. Greathouse said.

BANK

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In addition, each InterFirst common share will be converted into 0.08 of a share of First RepublicBank, 0.1 of a share of a new convertible common share and 0.02 of a share of preferred stock with a declared value of $100.

Anderson said the transaction is structured in a way that InterFirst shareholders do not stand to gain much in the short term.

RepublicBank stock closed Tuesday down ¼ at 21¾. InterFirst closed down ⅛ at 5.

Numerous Texas banks have been financially pressed, with more than 20 failing in 1986 because of problems with loans to the Southwest's slumping energy, real estate and agricultural sectors.

Announcement of the InterFirst-RepublicBank union came a day after Texas Commerce Bancshares Inc. of Houston and Chemical New York Corp. announced their plans to merge in a $1.1 billion deal, the largest U.S. bank merger ever.

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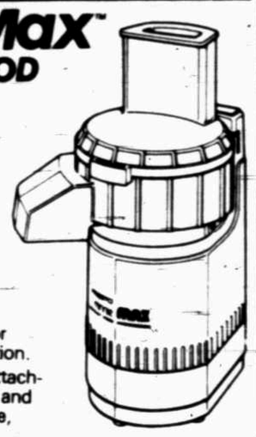
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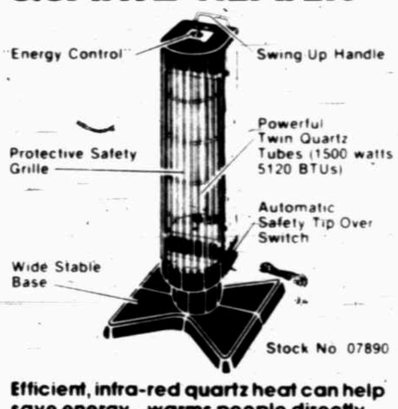


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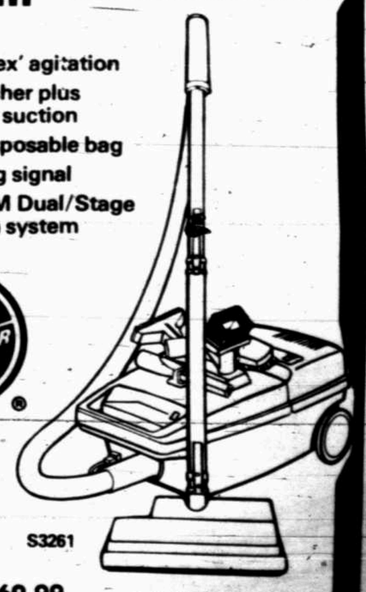
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Actress pushes Minnesota vacations

SCANDIA, Minn. (AP) — Actress Linda Kelsey says she's picky about making commercials. She turns down a good share of those offered by her agent, she says.

But there she was in early fall, filming a Minnesota tourism spot on the front porch of a huge log home near Scandia. For $10,000 she had agreed to star in TV spots that the Minnesota Office of Tourism hopes will persuade viewers to covet a Minnesota vacation.

The commercials will appear next February and March in Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha, Kansas City, Des Moines and perhaps Indianapolis. Minnesotans will see them later.

The daylong session, part of a $100,000 production budget, yielded footage for 30-, 60- and 90-second commercials that ask viewers to call a toll-free number. Callers will receive a free newspaper, The Minnesota Explorer, that offers features and hard information about the state's attractions.

Ms. Kelsey, who portrayed the character Billie Newman, a reporter in the defunct "Lou Grant" TV show, now lives in California and made the commercial while visiting family and friends in her home state.

"Commercials are wonderful for actors," Ms. Kelsey said. "They allow them to be middle-class people and put their children through college."

Ms. Kelsey and her husband have two daughters, 4-month-old Margit and 3-year-old Sophie.

While she is fussy about the commercials she accepts, she had no trouble saying boosterish things about the state where she was born and where she began acting, from the University of Minnesota Showboat to the Chanhassen, Children's Theater and the Guthrie Theater.

Bob Colvin, Ms. Kelsey's longtime agent at International Creative Management, Los Angeles, says that she typically will accept two or three commercial jobs a year.

He said a performer's earnings on a national commercial were anywhere from $50,000 to $1 million, but that the typical fee was $100,000 to $200,000.

Ms. Kelsey's script for the tourism commercial, written by Carmichael Lynch Inc. of Minneapolis, opened with: "There's nothing like summer in Minnesota." On the day of the shoot, that was true in unintended ways.

Despite the calendar, leaves were turning in the surrounding woods and the breeze was chilly and damp. Between takes — every few minutes, in other words — a young woman bundled Ms. Kelsey in a jacket and sometimes a blanket.

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WORLD in brief

Fate of AWOL Marine in Australia undecided

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — The fate of a U.S. Marine who went absent without leave during the Vietnam war 16 years ago to build a secret life in Australia remained undecided today.

Immigration Minister Chris Hurford made it clear he did not favor turning Pfc. Douglas Beane over to U.S. authorities for court-martial in the United States.

Beane, 39, was arrested Monday by Australian naval police at his home in far northern New South Wales at the request of U.S. officials whose attention was drawn to Beane when he applied for a passport to visit his sick father in the United States.

"He was here illegally without any doubt in the earlier years but he is now here legally," Hurford said. "He has achieved permanent residence by virtue of his marriage to an Australian and of course he has two Australian children as well."

Hurford said Beane had "come clean" while being interviewed in custody at the Hmas Penguin navy base in Sydney.

Australian Defense Minister Kim Beazley, who has the final decision on Beane's fate, has not issued any statements on the case yet.

Hopes of finding bodies rise

MANCHESTER, England (AP) — Hopes of finding the remains of two children missing for more than 20 years rose today after murderer Myra Hindley made a tearful return to help police search moorland where she and her lover buried their victims.

Miss Hindley, 43, led detectives in a macabre hunt for more than five hours Tuesday across northern England's bleak Saddleworth Moor in Yorkshire.

It was the site where Miss Hindley and Ian Brady, known as the "Moors Murderers," used to hold midnight picnics near the gravesites of children they had tortured to death in the 1960s.

"At one stage she was reduced to tears. She became completely upset for five or 10 minutes. The search was called to a stop," Miss Hindley's lawyer, Michael Fisher, said after she was taken by helicopter back to prison.

Waite: No link to arms deal

LONDON (AP) — Terry Waite, the Anglican Church envoy credited with helping to gain the release of U.S. hostages in Lebanon, has denied reports he was involved in a deal to supply arms to Iran for the captives' freedom.

Waite made the denial in a statement issued Tuesday after news reports in Washington said he had been in contact with Lt. Col. Oliver North, the U.S. National Security Council aide who was fired in the Iranian arms controversy.

Waite's statement said "the interests of the hostages will not be served by specifying my contacts.

"My mission to release the hostages has always been based upon humanitarian grounds, and at no time have I ever had any dealings in arms or money," the statement said. "My mission has been, and will continue to be, independent of any government."

He made no reference to meetings with North.

Zambia arrests Westerners

LUSAKA, Zambia (AP) — Police have arrested three Westerners on charges they are South African agents and are responsible for bombings during last week's food riots in northern Zambia, a police spokesman said today.

"They have confessed to having been recruited by the South African government," said Lawrence Munalisa, police public relations officer, who announced the arrests of the Briton, New Zealander and Australian.

He would not reveal the men's identities or give much additional information. Espionage and sabotage are punishable by death here.

Officials at the British and Australia high commissions here said they were investigating the case. New Zealand's sole diplomatic mission in Africa is in Harare, Zimbabwe, and officials there said they, too, were trying to get information on the arrests.

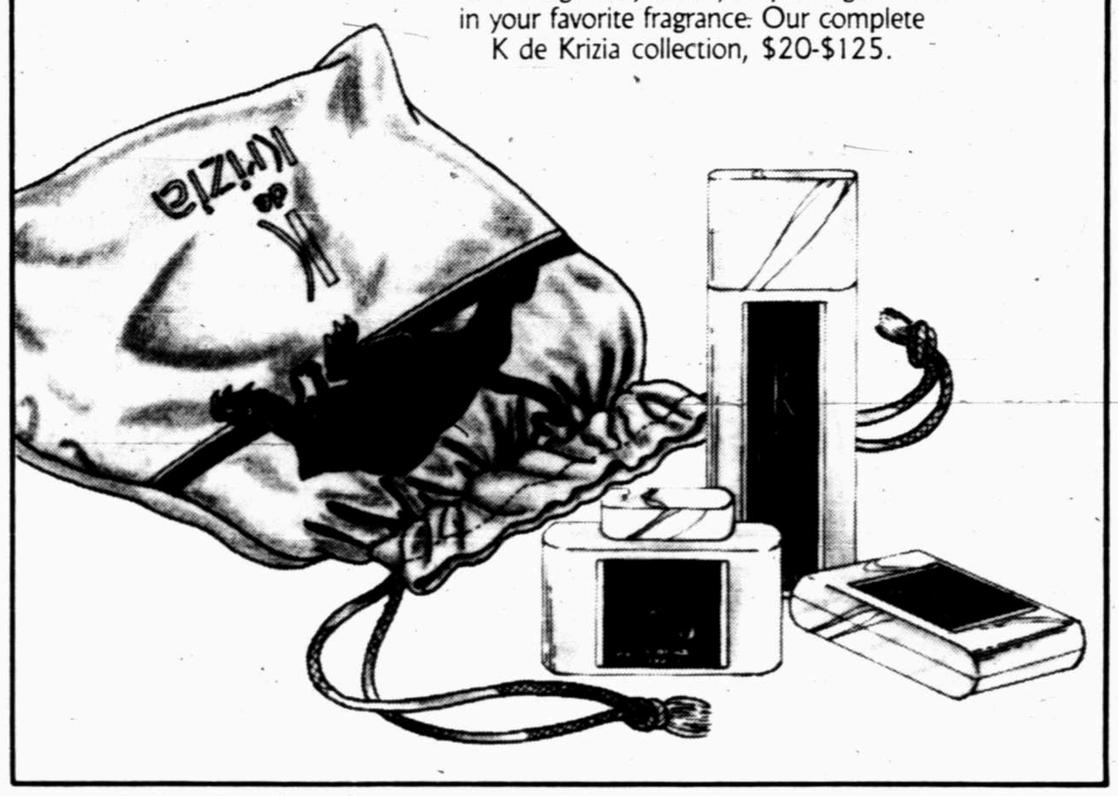
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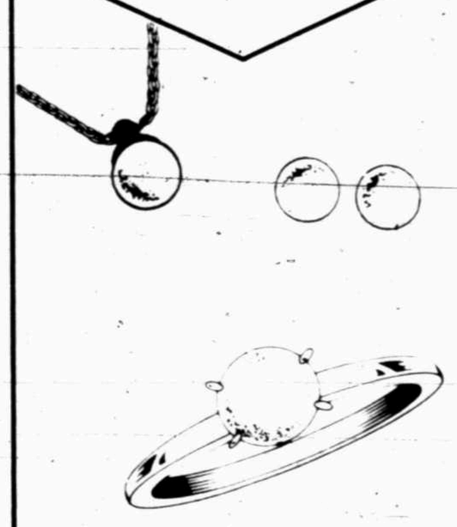
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American Sam Hall will be tried by revolutionary tribunal, Ortega says



Ortega

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — President Daniel Ortega said Sam Nesley Hall, identified as an American suspected of spying, will be tried by a revolutionary tribunal like the one that convicted U.S. mercenary Eugene Hasenfus.

Meanwhile, Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., announced that he would be allowed to visit Hall today. He also said there was a "50-50" chance Hasenfus would be pardoned and released in the coming days, perhaps today.

Nicaragua has ignored a request by the U.S. Embassy that an American consul visit Hall. The embassy says it cannot confirm Hall's identity until an official sees him.

Nicaraguan authorities have identified Hall as being 49 years old and from Dayton, Ohio. Reports in the United States say he is the brother of Rep. Tony P. Hall, D-Ohio.

Sam Hall was arrested Friday in a restricted military area near the Punta Huete air base, 13 miles northeast of Managua, with maps stuffed in his sock, according to Nicaraguan officials.

Ortega described Hall as a "mentally unbalanced person" and claimed he brought explosives into the country to help U.S.-backed Contra rebels in their fight against the leftist Sandinista government.

It "would be normal procedure" to turn him over to a revolutionary tribunal, Ortega told reporters Tuesday. "The tribunals are for terrorists. He was conducting terrorist activities in this country."

The tribunals were created by the Sandinistas soon after they overthrew President Anastasio Somoza, a rightist pro-American strongman, in 1979. The tribunals tried Somoza supporters accused of human rights violations, and later the Contras.

Hall is being held at a Managua prison for political prisoners under a national emergency law, but has not been formally charged. The law, imposed four years ago by the Sandinistas to fight the Contras, gives security agencies wide powers to search, arrest and hold people.

Dodd, who met with Ortega on Tuesday, said he and Tony Hall would be allowed to visit the prisoner. Dodd said he talked by telephone with the Ohio congressman and asked whether he had a message for the prisoner. Dodd did not elaborate.

There was no indication Tony Hall had immediate plans to travel to Nicaragua.

Dodd on Tuesday was allowed to visit Hasenfus, who is serving a 30-year sentence for running weapons to the Contras. Dodd said he believed there was a "50-50" chance the Sandinistas would release Hasenfus, 45, of Marinette, Wis., and allow him to return home.

Dodd, in an interview from Managua with NBC's "Today" show, said he believes the Nicaraguans would like to see Hasenfus testify in Washington about arms supplies to the Contra rebels. The Contras reportedly received some of the proceeds from the Reagan administration's sale of U.S. arms to Iran.

Referring to the new Senate committee established to investigate the Iran-Contras controversy, Dodd also said that "after having talked with Mr. Hasenfus, I believe he could be an important witness for the special committee. I think the special prosecutor may want to talk to him, and certainly the intelligence committees."

He added: "Certainly the Nicaraguans, for their own reasons, are going to see that as important."

Dodd, in an interview on the CBS Morning News, said about Hasenfus: "I believe the chances are 50-50 that he'll either be able to leave today or in the next few days."

The senator, a member of the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, is on the last leg of a private fact-finding tour of Central America.

Ortega refused to provide details on the accusations that Hall smuggled explosives, but he said Hall also came "to find out about our bases and our helicopters as part of the plans by United States leaders to bombard Nicaragua."

Hasenfus has '50-50' chance of being released, U.S. senator says

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — Sen. Christopher Dodd said today in televised interviews that the chances are good Nicaragua soon will release American mercenary Eugene Hasenfus, who is serving a 30-year term for running guns to Contras.

Dodd, D-Conn., said Tuesday after meeting with President Daniel Ortega and other officials that he was granted permission to visit Sam Nesley Hall, identified as an American suspected of spying.

"I raised the question about whether or not Mr. Hasenfus could leave," Dodd told the NBC "Today" show in an interview from the Nicaraguan capital.

"They're considering that request now," Dodd said. "There's a possibility that he may leave with me this afternoon when I leave here. And I'll know the answer to that later today. No definitive no, but certainly no definitive yes, either."

Asked what the chances were for Hasenfus' release, Dodd said: "I think they're pretty good. I think if he doesn't leave today there's a pretty good chance he may leave in a few days."

In an interview on the CBS Morning News, Dodd said the chances were "50-50" Hasenfus would be allowed to leave soon.

Hasenfus, 45, of Marinette, Wis., was arrested Oct. 6, one day after his aircraft carrying weapons to the Contra rebels was shot down by Nicaraguan soldiers. A revolutionary tribunal sentenced Hasenfus to 30 years in prison.

Dodd, accompanied by the prisoner's wife, Sally, visited Hasenfus on Tuesday evening at Tipitapa prison five miles east of Managua.

The senator said he believed Hasenfus could be "an important witness" in investigations into the channeling of funds from Iranian arms sales to the U.S.-backed Contras.

"I think he's got something to say. He expressed a willingness to talk to members of the staff and the members of those committees," Dodd told NBC.



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Artists' solar system includes Austin supermarket, San Antonio motel

AUSTIN (AP) — Looking for a good view of the planet Jupiter?

In artist John Blum's solar system, a good sighting can be made from the frozen food section of an Austin supermarket. To see Pluto, head for a San Antonio motel.

For the past month or so, Blum, 33, has been creating a scale model of the solar system by using the Capitol dome to represent the sun and an assortment of properly sized spheres distributed around central Texas to mark the planets.

His Capitol Planets Project can help people realize how large the solar system is, said Blum, who has a bachelor's degree in art and eight years of graduate study in physics.

"A lot of people have asked, 'Well, why couldn't you just do the calculations and write it up? Why bother going to all the trouble?'

"But when you are standing in the Blanco County courthouse with a beach ball that represents Neptune, and you know that the sun is the Capitol dome in Austin, you begin to get a feeling for how immense the solar system is," he said.

Blum's solar system is primarily an art project, but some science teachers in Austin have used the model as a learning tool for classes.

Blum has been meticulous in his calculations, but he said it was tough to resist the urge to fudge a little for the sake of cosmological irony.

"I drove all the way to San Antonio and found a place called Galaxy Billiards. But it was nearly a mile out of the orbit of Pluto," he said.

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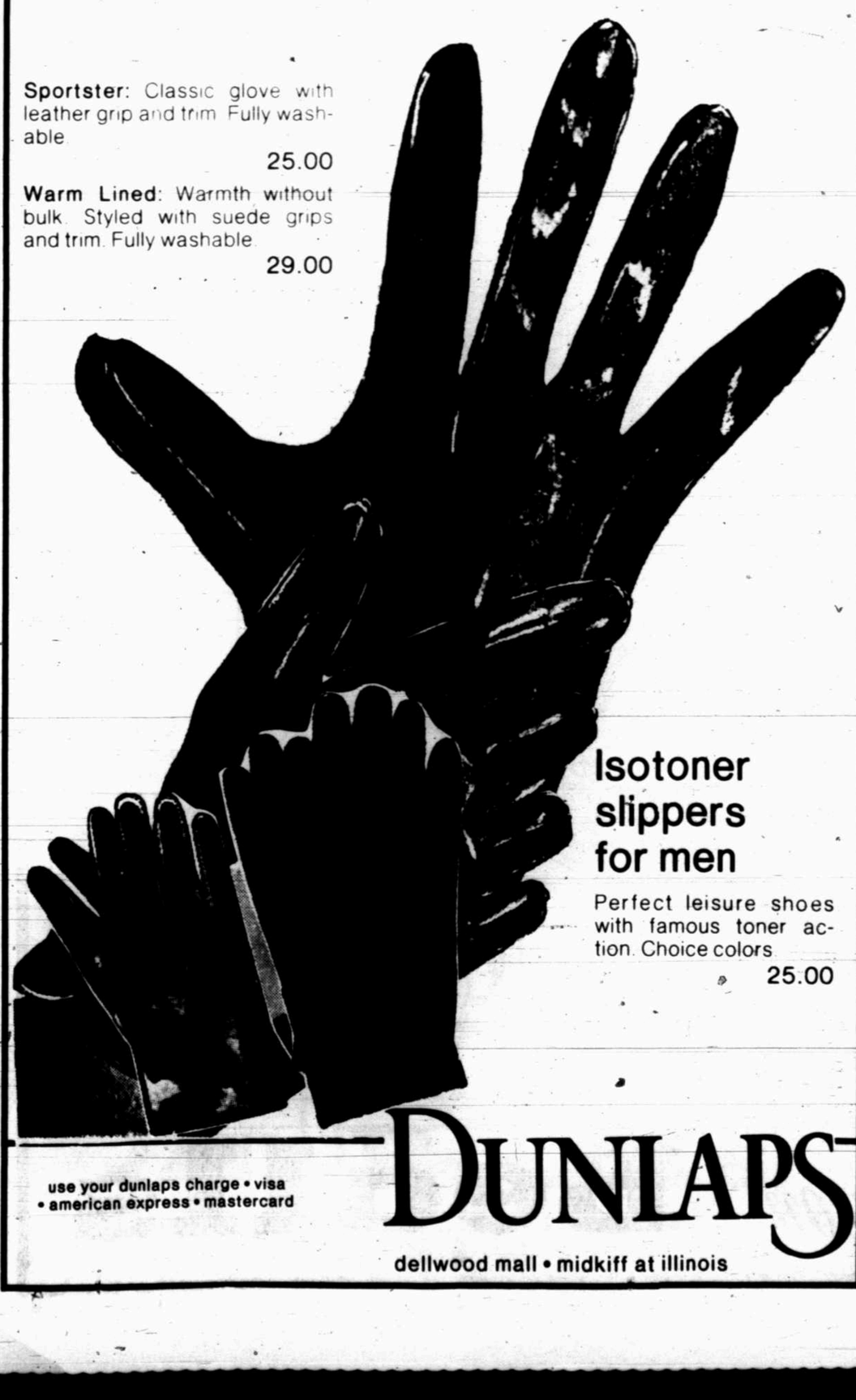
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Ethnic groups continue battles in Karachi

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — Pakistani Pathans battled immigrant groups for the fourth day today while bulldozers razed buildings in a district where the violence had erupted. The death toll rose to 153.

At least 610 people have been injured since Sunday, when the violence began after raids on Pathan gun runners and drug dealers.

Ambulance workers said two men were stabbed to death today in the Landhi neighborhood of Karachi. Hospital officials said crews recovered the bodies of three people killed Tuesday.

Minor clashes also occurred today in northern and northeastern Karachi, ambulance workers said.

A curfew covering about two-thirds of the city of 7 million was relaxed for two hours today to allow people to shop for necessities. Soldiers patrolled the city in trucks with mounted machine guns, while others set up behind sandbags on rooftops.

Most areas were untroubled but tense. Many shops in the downtown area and the Sind Industrial Trading Estate, Pakistan's largest industrial area, remained closed.

In one section of the hard-hit Orangi district, dozens of shops were burned out, some still smoldering from rioting two days earlier. Troops stopped reporters from going far into the district, where some of the heaviest attacks on Mohajirs occurred.

In other neighborhoods near Orangi, soldiers carried rolls of barbed wire to be strung across the main roads once the curfew was on again.

The rioting, the worst since independence in 1947, began after police seized guns and drugs from Pathans in the Sohbran Goth nieghborhood, which is notorious for its illegal guns and drugs trade.

When authorities refused to meet Pathan demands that the raids cease, the Pathans struck out at their neighbors, the Mohajirs and the Biharis, many of whom had demanded the district be cleaned up.

Witnesses said bulldozers razed about a half-square-mile area of the district which also housed thousands of refugees from Afghanistan, where Moslem insurgents are battling a Soviet-backed Marxist government.

Pakistani officials said last week the refugees were being moved to two camps outside Karachi.

"I don't know where the women in my family are," said one of the refugees, 25-year-old Fazal Khan. "With the curfew, I can't go find out and they can't come here."

Sayed Hasimuddin, 35, said police and troops had come, searched the refugees' homes and then told them they would be taken to camps.

"They searched our houses even before the criminals' places," he said. "When we left, the bulldozers came in. We couldn't take our things with us. We lost our valuables."

Two separate tent cities were set up, one for Afghans who speak Pashtu and the other for Farsi speakers. There appeared to be about 50 to 60 tents in one camp and more than 200 in the other.

Rafik Ahmed, a Pakistani government official surveying the camps to determine their needs, said 25,000 refugees were expected to live in the two camps.

Some of the refugees complained they were not getting enough food and water, but Ahmed said the government was doing its best to provide.



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Flames of hope

Unidentified South Africans light candles at St. Mary's Anglican Cathedral in Johannesburg Tuesday, at the start of a campaign to protest the current state of emergency. An estimated 500 people attended the service, where they prayed for peace and justice and closed the service with Sikelel Africa (God Bless Africa), the anthem of the anti-apartheid movement.

U.S. set Iran arms' price, Israeli lawmakers say

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli legislators say the price Iran paid for U.S. arms was set by the United States, and confirmed Foreign Minister Shimon Peres' statement that Israel made no profits in the weapons deal.

A senior member of Parliament, speaking to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity, said the Iranian payments were made directly to a Swiss bank account operated by the CIA. He spoke in describing conclusions based on an informal investigation by legislators into the Iran arms scandal.

U.S. Attorney General Edwin Meese has said that $10 million to $30 million in profits from the Iran arms sale were diverted to Contra rebels fighting the elected government in Nicaragua. He said the U.S. Defense Department was reimbursed the $12 million cost of the arms.

President Reagan said a third country, later identified as Israel, overcharged Iran for the shipments.

The Israeli legislator declined to say how much money changed hands.

"I'm satisfied that Israel will come out all right" from the U.S. Congress' probe into the siphoning of profits from the Iranian arms deal to the Contras, the legislator said.

No formal investigation would be launched by the Knesset, or parliament, because there was no suspicion of impropriety by the government, said the legislator, who is a member of the Foreign Affairs and Security Commitee.

"The question of what happened to the money has to be answered in the United States, not in Israel," he said.

Such an inquiry, headed by the U.S. Senate Intelligence Committee, has been underway for several weeks, featuring testimony from many of the Reagan administration's top aides.

Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin confirmed on Israel Radio that the government once agreed to a U.S. request to stop bombing guerrilla bases in Lebanon for fear the raid might sabotage efforts to free U.S. hostages.

Rabin and other Israeli leaders have said their main concern in the Iranian arms deal was to help the United States free its hostages held by pro-Iranian groups in Lebanon.

The radio and the Yediot Aharonot newspaper reported that Lt. Col. Oliver North, the former National Security Council staffer reported to be in charge of the arms deals, had asked Israel several times this year not to raid camps of the Hezbollah, or Party of God, in Lebanon.

Paper released in war crimes trial

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — The original SS training camp identity document of John Demjanjuk, a key to the prosecution of him for Nazi war crimes, has been released by the Soviet Union, Israel television reports.

The 66-year-old Demjanjuk, who was born in the Ukraine and fled to the United States after the war, is on trial in Israel. He is accused of being "Ivan the Terrible," a sadistic guard at the Treblinka concentration camp in Poland blamed for the deaths of 900,000 Jews, gypsies and others.

Foreign Ministry officials were quoted by the television Tuesday as saying the Soviet Union made available the original. Copies of the document were previously furnished, but there were questions about the authenticity.

Vietnam's top officials give up leadership

HANOI, Vietnam (AP) — The country's top three officials, who had guided the Communists through more than half a century of war and revolution, stepped down today after months of self-criticism over failings in leadership.

Party Secretary General Truong Chinh, Prime Minister Pham Van Dong and key Politburo member Le Duc Tho will not seek re-election to the party Central Committee, Vice Premier Pham Hung told the Sixth Party Congress in announcing their resignations.

Chinh, 79, Dong, 80, and Tho, 75, were the last of a core of revolutionaries who helped Ho Chi Minh found the party in 1930, drive out the Japanese, French and then Americans and reunify Vietnam under the Communist banner in April 1975.

The three, along with Chinh's predecessor, the late Le Duan, had emerged as a collective leadership after Ho died in 1969. They were part of one of the most stable autocracies in Communist history.

Their replacements are expected to be announced Thursday along with the new Central Committee and ruling Politburo.

Hung said the retirements were at the leaders' own request because of "advanced age and bad health."

He called them "brilliant disciples of our beloved Ho" and "brilliant Communist fighters" and said they would be advisers to the Central Committee.

The delegates stood and applauded the retirees for two or three minutes. Hung embraced and kissed each of the three on both cheeks.

Overlooking them were a large white bust of Ho, portraits of Karl Marx and Vladimir Lenin, and a huge bright red composite of the single-star Vietnamese flag and the Communist hammer and sickle emblem.

The resignations came after months of public criticism by top party officials, who said the leadership was "too old" and conservative to resolve the problems of impoverished, isolated Vietnam.

Chinh conceded failings in a speech Monday and said it was time to purify the party and government.

The three leaders served the nation well, but Vietnam now needs more creative leaders who can carry on tasks such as economic reforms based on capitalist-style incentives, Agriculture Minister Nguyen Ngoc Triu said today in an interview with The Associated Press.

Widely tipped as the new party secretary general is Nguyen Van Linh, 73, a key figure in the party organization in the south during the Vietnam war. He later made his name as the reform-minded party chief in Ho Chi Minh City, known as Saigon when it was the capital of South Vietnam.

Mentioned as likely successors to Dong are vice premier Vo Chi Cong, 74, a former agriculture minister, and Vo Nguyen Giap, 75. Giap, an almost-legendary military strategist, defeated the French at Dien Bien Phu and later the U.S.-backed South Vietnamese government.

Chinh, Dong and Tho were bound by decades of shared struggle: all suffered lengthy imprisonment and sometimes torture under the French colonialists.

Chinh, who took up the Communist cause as a teen, became known as a major theoretician and hardline ideologue who championed alignment with China rather than the Soviet Union. Vietnam is now heavily reliant on the Soviet Union for aid, and at odds with China because of the Vietnamese occupation of Cambodia.

In 1941, he became general secretary of the party, with Ho as chairman. He lost that post in 1956 after overseeing a land reform program that, according to French historian Bernard Fall, cost 50,000 lives.

Chinh remained in the Politburo, however, and in 1981 was named chairman of the State Council, the top government organ.

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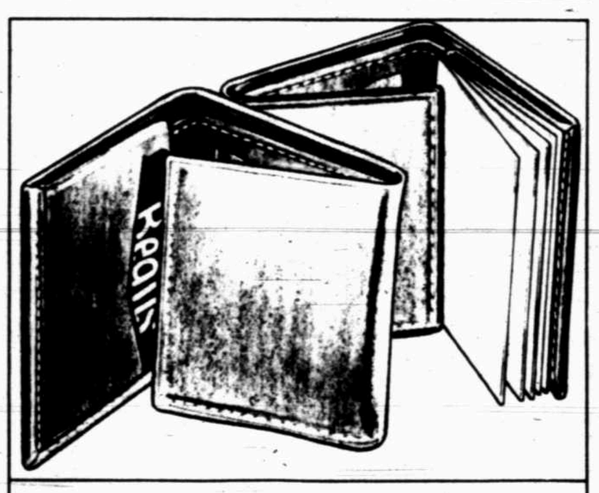
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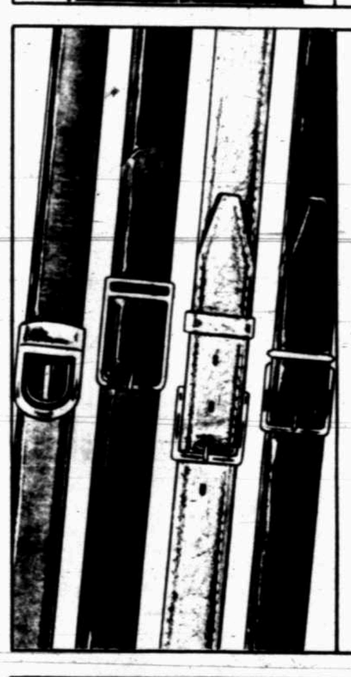
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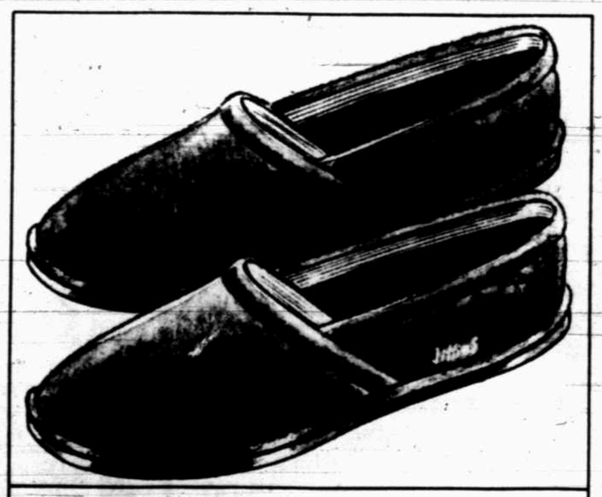
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Fatigue looms on Voyager

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Voyager flew into towering ra in clouds today near the Philippines, and supporters worried that the pilo t was wearing himself out in the unprecedented quest to circle the glo be nonstop on one tank of fuel.

Traversing the Le yte Gulf near the southernmost isl and of Mindanao in the Philippines late Tuesday, co-pilot Jeana Yeager guided the experimental craft tow ard Thailand and Malaysia.

On Tuesday, the pla ne winged its way through the spir aling arms of Typhoon Marge, a 1 2-hour ordeal during which pilot Dic k Rutan, a 48-year-old former Air Fo rce fighter pilot, stayed at the con trols.

"Dick is such a gre at pilot (that Voyager officials) want ed him to get as close to the storms as possible," meteorologist Len Snel lman said, explaining the storm ger erated a tailwind that propelled V oyager.

Voyager, which was traveling at 145 mph, was expecte d to be near Singapore around 11 a.m. PST today. It will then cross the Ind ian Ocean to Africa, where changes in land temperatures were expect ed to create new turbulence.

"There's been a grea t deal more weather and turbulenc e than they have encountered (in t est flights)," Voyager spokesman Pet er Riva said. "It isn't all that pleasa nt."

During the flight's fi rst 48 hours, Rutan got only about six hours' sleep. During one nap, he stayed in the pilot's seat while Ms . Yeager, 34, monitored the flight as t he craft proceeded on automatic pi lot.

After flying through the storm Tuesday, Rutan got up again while the pair shut down th e airplane's forward engine to save fuel for the rest of the 25,500-mile odyssey.

Ground crew officia ls reported Tuesday night that Rut an went to sleep as Ms. Yeager pilot ed the craft over the Leyte Gulf, 60 hours and about 6,400 miles from their Southern California takeoff, bu t they were clearly worried Rutan was not getting enough sleep.

The flight surgeon, Dr . George Jutila, told Rutan he shou ld give Ms. Yeager more time in the pilot's seat, but "poor communicat ion did not permit a formal dema nd to be issued," according to a s tatement by Riva.

As the projected 10-da y flight progresses, fatigue increas ingly looms as a critical factor for th e two fliers. Both were exhausted af ter completing a 111-hour, record-s etting flight in the Voyager last Ju ly.

The Voyager is expe cted to complete its flight on Christ mas Eve, returning to Edwards Air Force Base in the Mojave Desert 60 miles north of Los Angeles.

The five-year, $1 mill ion program was undertaken b y private volunteers.

On Tuesday, the V oyager lost more Styrofoam from its wingtips, but the loss didn't harm the plane's performance. The wingtips were damaged when they dr agged along the 15,000-foot runway Sunday.

NATION

'Touch of gas' may deter sea lions from trout dining

SEATTLE (AP) — Scaring sea lions with firecrackers worked pretty well, but now officials plan to deter the animals from dining on steelhead trout in the Ballard Locks by giving them indigestion or a one-way ticket to California.

A few discerning sea lions have gathered for the past several winters at the locks to snack on fish forced to make their way along a narrow passageway from saltwater Puget Sound to Seattle's Lake Union and connecting lakes.

The sea lion's normal diet consists of bottomfish and squid, scientists say, and it only gets a chance at faster-swimming fish such as salmon and steelhead when their movements are restricted.

The sea lions "know there's a good place to feed here," said Steve Jeffries, a state Game Department biologist.

Game Department and National Marine Fisheries Service officials on Tuesday announced their latest plans for the annual battle, but the environmental group Greenpeace challenged the proposal as dangerous to the sea lions.

From Thursday through the end of the month, sea lions that have developed a taste for steelhead will be fed trout treated with lithium chloride to create a "taste aversion" to the prized game fish, authorities said.

"Following a brief gastrointestinal illness, sea lions are expected to avoid eating steelhead," according to the plan.

Sea lions that still have a taste for finer fish by Jan. 1 could be netted and shipped to Southern California. But that might not be a permanent solution, because a sea lion determined to dine here could get back in three weeks, scientists said.

The old ploys — harassment with firecrackers, underwater acoustic devices and small boats — will begin Jan. 1 and continue through April 30 if the new methods are not successful, officials said. Those gambits were credited with drastically reducing salmon and steelhead predation last winter.

But Game Department spokesman Bob Byrne said that while the old program cut steelhead losses by 96 percent, "it became readily apparent that several of the animals involved were repeat offenders."

During the 83-day harassment program last winter, the sea lions had to be chased from the area 144 times. As soon as harassment ended, sea lions returned and ate more steelhead, Byrne said.

Vivia Boe of Greenpeace said the environmental group opposed the proposals to sicken the sea lions or ship them to California because those actions could kill the animals, protected under the Marine Mammal Protection Act.

She said the small fireworks and boats should be used again as a short-term solution.

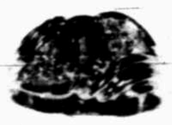
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Hamilton named to head investigative committee

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Lee H. Hamilton of Indiana was named today by Majority Leader Jim Wright to head a 15-member House committee to investigate the Iran-Contra connection and coordinate the work of the chamber's other panels probing the foreign policy fiasco.

On Tuesday, Senate leaders picked a similar Watergate-style panel of 11 members — six Democrats and five Republicans — to be chaired by Sen. Daniel K. Inouye, D-Hawaii. Both committees will be officially formed after the 100th Congress convenes Jan. 6.

Wright, D-Texas, who will become speaker of the House in January, and Republican Leader Bob Michel of Illinois announced their choices for the panel at a news conference.

Hamilton, a Democrat, is the outgoing chairman of the House Intelligence Committee.

Among the Democrats who will serve on the panel are Reps. Dante B. Fascell of Florida, chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee; Jack Brooks of Texas, chairman of the Government Operations Committee; Les Aspin of Wisconsin, chairman of the Armed Services Committee; Peter W. Rodino Jr. of New Jersey, chairman of the Judiciary Committee, and Louis Stokes of Ohio, incoming chairman of the Intelligence Committee.

Other Democrats on the committee will be Edward P. Boland of Massachusetts, a former Intelligence Committee chairman, and Thomas S. Foley of Washington, the incoming majority leader.

Republicans named by Michel included Reps. William S. Broomfield of Michigan, the top GOP member of the Foreign Affairs Committee; Dick Cheney of Wyoming, chairman of the House Republican policy committee, and Henry J. Hyde of Illinois, top Republican on the Intelligence Committee.

Overall the special committee will include nine Democrats and six Republicans.

House and Senate leaders settled earlier this month on forming the separate committees in each chamber after they said a single, joint committee would have been too complicated and unwieldy.

Although there will be two committees, it is likely the House panel will be overshadowed by its Senate counterpart. The Senate committee is smaller, will be able to move more quickly and has more recognizable members.

In addition, the Senate Intelligence Committee has been working vigorously over the past several weeks to gather as much information and testimony as possible about the secret transfer of Iranian arms sales profits to Nicaraguan rebels and related matters.

The Senate panel's membership was announced at a news conference by Senate Democratic leader Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia, who becomes majority leader in January, and Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas.

Inouye gained national prominence 13 years ago as a member of the original Watergate panel.

Appeal for immunity being 'shot down'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress is shooting down President Reagan's appeal for limited immunity against prosecution for two former White House aides refusing to testify about the diversion of profits from Iran arms sales to Nicaraguan rebels.

Reagan, who has refused to question the aides himself about their role in the affair, said Tuesday a grant of limited immunity was the best way to produce "a full disclosure of all the facts surrounding the Iranian controversy."

Even before Reagan's request was delivered to Capitol Hill, the leaders of the Senate Intelligence Committee said they opposed giving a legal shield to the officials, Vice Adm. John M. Poindexter and Marine Lt. Col. Oliver L. North, to get them to answer questions.

The idea also got a chilly reception from members of the Watergate-style Senate committee that will investigate the affair early next year.

Sen. David Durenberger, R-Minn., chairman of the intelligence panel, said Poindexter and North "need to come forward on their own" to tell their story. Both men have refused to testify, citing the Fifth Amendment protection against self-incrimination.

"This Congress is not going to make a decision on an issue like immunity," Durenberger said. "The president apparently is not going to make a decision" on granting a pardon to his former aides for any crimes that may have been committed, he added

"Playing games about granting immunity — you do this, you do that — the back and forth between the president and the Congress — isn't going to accomplish anything," Durenberger said.

Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., the panel's vice chairman, said talk of immunity was premature, a feeling echoed by a number of other senators, including several on the new Senate investigative committee.

Sen. Warren Rudman of New Hampshire, the top Republican on the new committee, expressed mixed feelings about the proposal, saying it "well may be a good idea" that was probably premature.

But Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, another committee member, praised the proposal, saying, "I'm more interested in the country than I am in prosecuting people."

A grant of limited immunity — or "use immunity" — would require witnesses to testify fully before a congressional committee but would bar prosecutors from using that testimony against them in any later criminal proceeding. Prosecutors would have to build any case from information gathered independently or from testimony of another witness.

However, Reagan asserted that granting such immunity would "not interfere with the duties and responsibilities of the independent counsel" who has not yet been named to investigate the Iran-Contra scheme.

Asked why Reagan had not waited for the independent counsel to offer his views on immunity, presidential spokesman Larry Speakes said, "The president decided that the overriding factor at this moment is to get the facts out before the American people as quickly as possible so we can put this business behind us."

Speakes said Reagan did not want to call in his former aides and ask them what they did because he "would subject himself to criticism if he would take this course of action."

"It is better for someone that is entirely independent of the administration, someone that has no ax to grind in any fashion, someone who can approach this matter without being subject to any criticism, that would have no interest of their own involved, that could bring all of the facts out," Speakes said.

The Intelligence Committee hearings have been conducted out of the public eye, and some of the hearings of the House Foreign Affairs Committee have been conducted behind closed doors, presumably to hear classified information about the arms sale and profit-skimming scheme.

Speakes said Reagan "would be willing to consider declassification of all testimony presented in this matter...because I think it's important that the entire record be placed before the American people."

Speakes said Reagan has not ruled out using his power to grant executive clemency, or a pardon, to protect his aides from incriminating themselves, but that he plans no such action now.

Poindexter resigned last month as Reagan's national security adviser and North was fired from the National Security Council after disclosure that Iran arms sale profits had been transferred to the Contras.

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New NSC selections favored

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's new national security adviser, Frank Carlucci, is tapping as his deputy a three-star Army general who played a bit role in the burgeoning Iran arms controversy.

The officer, Lt. Gen. Colin L. Powell, is considered a bright, politically savvy career man who spent three years serving as the top military aide to Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger.

In that role, Powell, acting on Weinberger's directions, arranged the transfer to the Central Intelligence Agency of Army missiles that were later sold to Iran.

Weinberger has said that neither he nor Powell played any role in actually selling the arms to Iran and had no idea that profits from the sale were diverted to the U.S.-backed Contra guerrillas.

The selection of Carlucci and Carlucci's decision to bring Powell to the National Security Council are viewed within the Reagan administration as strengthening Weinberger's already strong advisory role to the president.

Aides to the defense secretary say Powell, by dint of his training, experience and temperament, is better prepared for a high-level NSC post than Vice Adm. John M. Poindexter and Marine Lt. Col. Oliver L. North, the two military officers who lost their jobs because of the controversy.

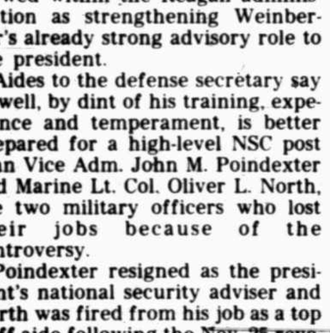
Poindexter resigned as the president's national security adviser and North was fired from his job as a top staff aide following the Nov. 25 revelation by Attorney General Edwin Meese III that arms profits had been diverted. A short time later, Reagan picked Carlucci to succeed Poindexter.

Carlucci, a respected deputy defense secretary and a former deputy CIA director who has been out of government since 1982, will not formally take up his new post until the start on the year. But he has already started a shake-up of the NSC staff and, sources speaking on condition they not be identified, say he has settled on Powell to help him with the overhaul.

According to the sources, Reagan called Powell in Frankfurt, West Germany, to ask him to accept Carlucci's offer of the No. 2 staff post.

Powell is the commanding general of the Army's V Corps, which is assigned to Europe and NATO defense.

"Colin's going to do it, because the president asked, but he really didn't want to come back to Washington," said one official, noting that such a key field command as the one he holds is considered essential to advancement within the army.

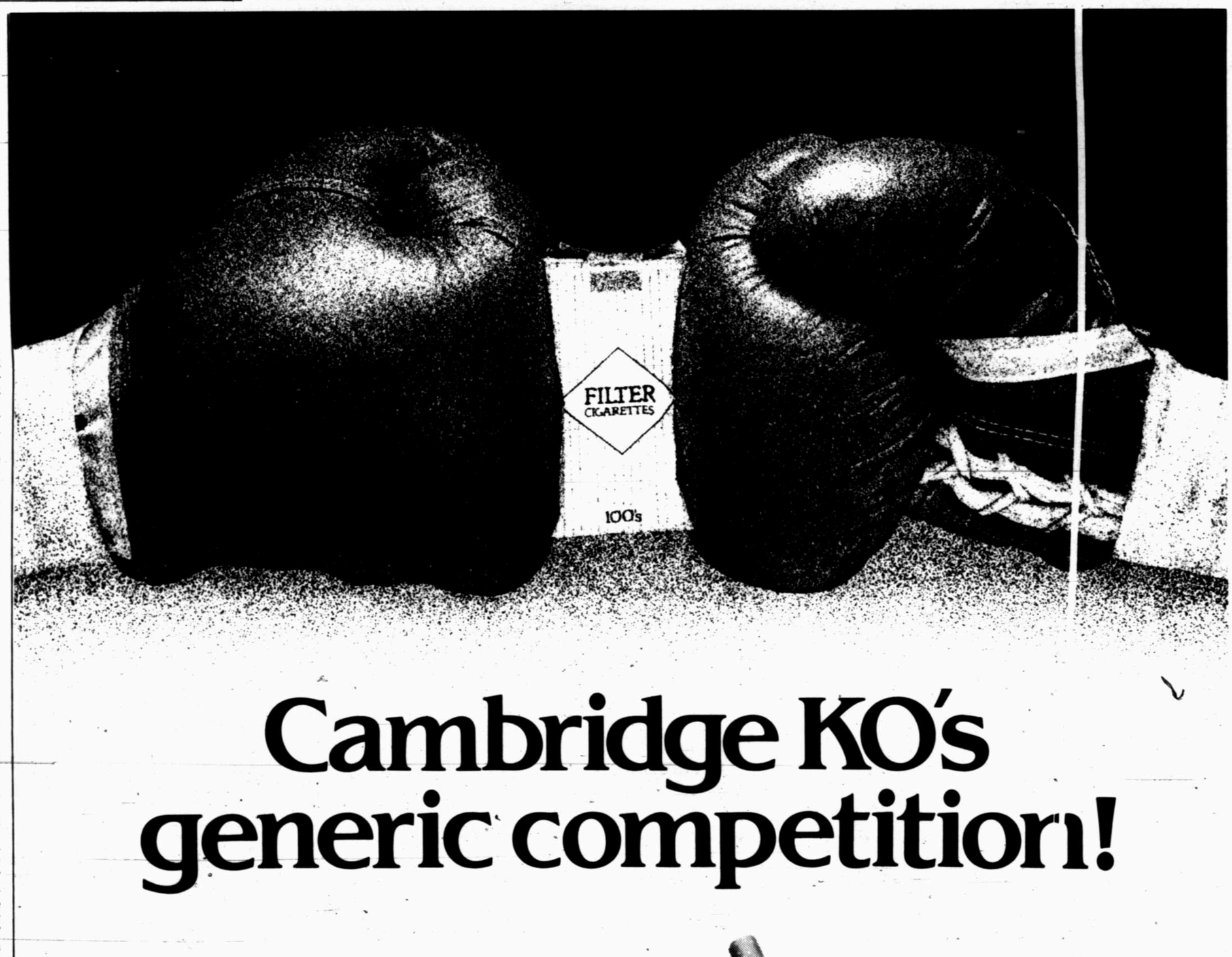


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Immunity issue may impede development of criminal case

By LARRY MARGASAK

WASHINGTON (AP) — During the Watergate scandal, prosecutors found enough evidence to wring guilty pleas from two key figures — John Dean and Jeb Stuart Magruder — who had been granted congressional immunity.

But legal experts say it may not be as easy to build criminal cases against major figures in the investigation of aid to the Nicaraguan Contras if they are granted immunity, as President Reagan proposes.

In a case shrouded in secret dealings and national security matters, developing an independent criminal case may be impossible, they said.

Reagan raised the immunity issue Tuesday by requesting the Senate Intelligence Committee to seek immunity for two central figures in the current probe: Former national security adviser Vice Adm. John Poindexter and his fired aide, Marine Lt. Col. Oliver North.

If they were to be granted immunity, they would be compelled to testify before the committee, but could not be prosecuted on the basis of what they said. An independent counsel would have to base any prosecution on evidence obtained independently of that testimony.

Both men have taken the Fifth Amendment before the intelligence panel, refusing to answer questions on grounds the testimony might incriminate them.

"At this time in Watergate, little details were not known, but everybody had the big picture" to develop independent cases against Dean and Magruder, said Donald Campbell, who was on the Watergate prosecution team at the U.S. attorney's office in Washington. "That's the point."

Dean, the former White House counsel, served 127 days in prison after pleading guilty to one count of conspiracy to obstruct justice.

Magruder, a top official of Richard Nixon's re-election committee, pleaded guilty to one count of conspiracy to unlawfully intercept wire and oral communications, obstruct justice and defraud the United States. He served 218 days in prison.

Campbell said the circumstances surrounding aid to the Contras is "so clandestine, you probably won't come up with it (an independent case) in normal investigative techniques."

"It's always possible it will destroy ever being able to prosecute Poindexter and North. But you may be better off knowing the facts. It's a tough call," he said.

Richard Ben-Veniste, also a Watergate prosecutor, recalled the Dean prosecution almost was ruined by the grant of congressional immunity.

"Dean pleaded guilty, but only after we conducted a mini-investigation to find one slim wedge of the pie that Dean had not testified about, probably by inadvertence," he said. "It was (Watergate special prosecutor Archibald) Cox's intention that because of Dean's complicity he must not escape punishment."

In the Contra case, he said, a prosecutor, when selected, would lack the key information that permitted the prosecutions of Dean and Magruder — and may not be able to get it.

He cited reports that two Swiss bank accounts may have been used to funnel money from weapons sales to Iran to the Contras, and that payments from Iranian arms profits may have been made for pro-Contra lobbying and political campaigns in the United States.

"Nobody to my knowledge outside of the executive branch has reviewed these bank accounts," he said. "If in fact this was a slush fund that found its way into American domestic political campaigns, this would be a serious problem."

Cox, the first Watergate special prosecutor, was among the critics of Reagan's request on Tuesday.

"Rushing to grant...immunity risks unnecessarily exculpating two of the principal actors in what may well be a major conspiracy to subvert the laws at the highest levels of government" he said.

"Immunity once given bars using any criminal prosecution, any evidence that might have been even indirectly developed as the result of leads suggested by the witnesses' testimony," he said. "Both independent counsel and the Senate and House select committees (to begin work in January) should be allowed time to study the evidence now available and check other potential sources before deciding whether and when immunity should be given."

North known for his dramatic tales

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Lt. Col. Oliver North initially labeled reports about the secret Iran-Contra arms deal as disinformation and described a plan that involved trading American hostages for relatives of Iranian officials, according to a report published today.

North told a National Security Council colleague that he had ordered Iranian relatives kidnapped and held in cages or crates throughout Europe, the Los Angeles Times reported, quoting unnamed sources close to North.

The colleague, identified as anti-terrorism specialist David Major, subsequently used the NSC's secure in-house computer to question North about his assertion, a source told the newspaper.

North twice ignored the queries. When asked a third time if he had ordered kidnappings, tapped out a one-word reply: "Yes," the Times reported.

The episode has been widely discussed by NSC staff members, the Times said.

An administration official who insisted on anonymity said today that Major "does not believe Lt. Col. North kidnapped Iran officials."

North, a Marine, was fired from his job as an NSC aide on Nov. 25, when Attorney General Edwin Meese III announced that up to $30 million in profits from secret arms sales to Iran had been diverted to the Nicaraguan rebels, or Contras. North's superior on the council, Vice Adm. John Poindexter, resigned.

Some sources told the Times that North's impulse to try a cover-up with a dramatic kidnapping tale would be typical, and that he has displayed a penchant for wild schemes.

One administration source said the kidnap story was "vintage Ollie," the newspaper said.

"He would rather tell a good story than the truth, even if the truth serves his purposes better," another source said.

North first told the story to Major on Nov. 3, the day Beirut magazine Al Shiraa had revealed that former U.S. National Security Adviser Robert McFarlane had flown secretly to Tehran with a shipment of arms and spare parts the previous May.

According to several sources to whom Major recounted the story, North burst into Major's office and indignantly declared that the Lebanese reports were "disinformation" being leaked from the NSC, and demanded an FBI investigation of the leaks, the Times reported.

When Major asked if the story were true, North replied that he had undertaken a different program for gaining release of American hostages: His friends were kidnapping the relatives of senior Iranian government officials and were holding them in cages in Europe, the paper said.

North has told other stories that suggest a taste for the dramatic, the paper said. One source said North told colleagues that his family dog in suburban Virginia was poisoned in retaliation for his support of the Contras, although actually the dog died of cancer and old age.

CIA director remains in stable condition

WASHINGTON (AP) — CIA Director William J. Casey remained in stable condition at Georgetown University Hospital two days after suffering what doctors described as minor cerebral seizures.

He underwent a full day of neurological and other tests on Tuesday as doctors sought to find an exact explanation for the seizures, which caused spasms in his arms and legs.

Casey, 73, was rushed to the hospital from his office in Langley, Va., after suffering the first seizure, then was struck by a second one shortly after arriving at the hospital, officials said.

He was conscious and lucid throughout, said the hospital's medical director, Dr. John Stapleton.

The CIA director had been scheduled to testify Tuesday before the Senate Intelligence Committee, which is looking into the sale of arms to Iran and diversion of proceeds to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua.

He had testified at length on the issue last week and had appeared very tired, but Stapleton said he thought the timing of the seizures after the testimony was merely "an unfortunate coincidence."

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Geography, history, trivia piece together in educational jigsaw

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — The location of counties can be puzzling, but two teachers are combining geography, history and trivia into educational jigsaw puzzles of five states, including Illinois.

"It's not just a children's puzzle," said Barbara Peirce, one of two Hutchinson, Kan., women who created the puzzles. "Adults buy (them) because of all the historic information and trivia."

In their first year, Ms. Peirce and Shelia Austin have created 100-piece "Puzzlin' State" jigsaw puzzles of Kansas, Arkansas, Missouri, Colorado and Illinois. They plan to complete all 50 states in the near future.

Sales to schools are especially good.

"It's amazing how fast you learn about counties when you start putting together the state," said Mrs. Peirce, who teaches Kansas history at a junior college.

Among the tidbits in the colorful puzzles:

— Morgan County, Ill., contains the nation's only Ferris wheel factory.

— Iroquois County, Ill., has the nation's only courthouse financed totally by an individual.

— The world's largest watermelon was grown in Hope, Ark.

— The nation's wild goose capital is in Chariton County, Mo.

— Charleston, Mo., is known as the City of Beautiful Homes.

— The world's highest suspension bridge is in Fremont County, Colo.

— A tower in Lincoln County, Colo., affords a view of six states.

— The world's largest hand-dug well is in Kiowa County, Kan.

— The town of Kinsley, Kan., is exactly 1,561 miles from both New York City and San Francisco.

Mrs. Peirce and Mrs. Austin, a second-grade teacher, came up with the idea in the spring of 1985, as Kansas was celebrating the 125th anniversary of its statehood.

They introduced the Kansas puzzle last December and sold 10,500 copies in five weeks, Mrs. Peirce said.

They next produced a puzzle about Arkansas, which was celebrating its 150th anniversary, and Missouri because that state is Kansas' neighbor.

Colorado was next because both women enjoyed skiing there.

Illinois is the latest, brought to market in November, and was chosen because its large population offered the prospect of big sales, Ms. Peirce said. So far, they have sold more than 8,000 copies in the state.

Richard Scrogin does the artwork.

River lore comes to light

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The history books, encyclopedias and maps say the source of the Mississippi River is Lake Itasca in Minnesota. Don't believe it.

The true source of Ol' Man River is a spring that emerges from the base of a hill to form a narrow stream deep in the woods of Potter County, in north central Pennsylvania. This pristine stream, with brook trout darting among its rocks and ripples, eventually swells into a mature river — the Allegheny.

No one is suggesting that the rivers be renamed, but a case can be made that the Indians and early map makers slighted the Allegheny. It's one of the many little-known tidbits of river lore.

One way to trace a river is to follow it upstream, always choosing the fork with the most water.

Imagine a boat traveling upstream on the Mississippi, starting at its mouth at the Gulf of Mexico. If the boat always takes the largest fork when it comes to a confluence with another river, it would end up on the Allegheny.

This is because the boat would turn off the Mississippi at Cairo, Ill., where the Ohio River joins. At that point, the Ohio's flow is 265,000 cubic feet per second. The upper Mississippi's flow is, by comparison, a measly 196,000 cfs.

Continuing up river, the boat would reach another major fork at Pittsburgh.



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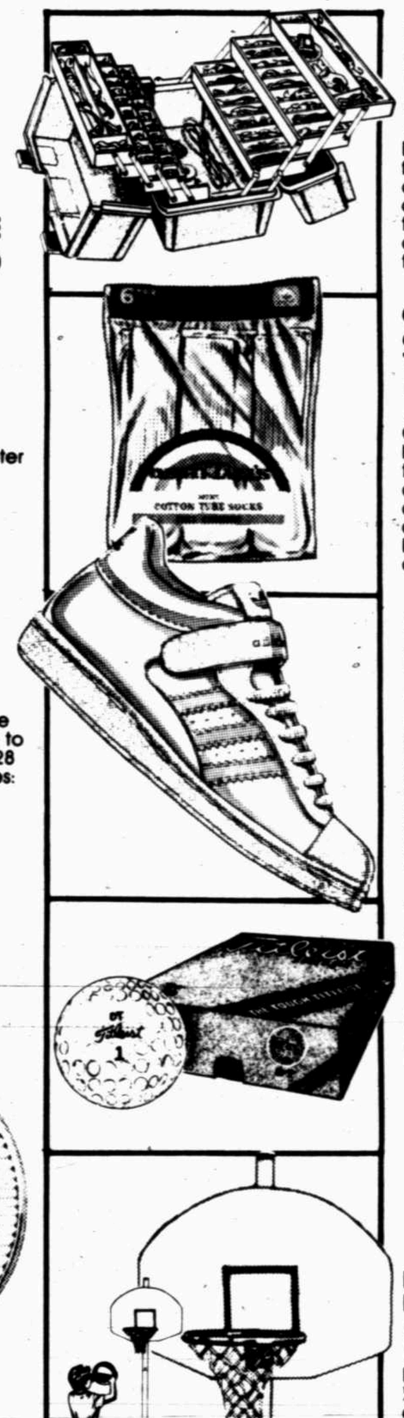
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Yeager sets new speed record because nobody elso had

By TOM MINEHART

KITTY HAWK, N.C. (AP) — Pioneering pilot Chuck Yeager set yet another aviation mark today, flying from the California desert to Kitty Hawk to establish a speed record and mark the anniversary of the Wright Brothers' famed flight.

"It'll never replace sex," a smiling Yeager said as he emerged from the Piper Cheyenne 400LS twin-engine turboprop at 7:05 a.m. "I'd been waiting all morning to say that."

Yeager, a retired Air Force general, took off Tuesday night from Edwards Air Force Base, where he broke the sound barrier in 1947. He reached Kitty Hawk five hours and 15 minutes later.

Yeager said his average speed was 450 mph, but because no speed record for this type of aircraft currently exists between those two points, any speed would have set the record.

"We didn't have nothing to fight," Yeager said. "We laid one down for them to shoot at. ...You've got two very significant places in aviation. We're going to let someone else shoot at it."

Today is the 83rd anniversary of the Wright Brothers' Dec. 17, 1903, flight at Kitty Hawk, the first successful sustained flight. It also is the 50th anniversary of Piper Aircraft, the company that made the plane Yeager flew with co-pilot Renald Davenport.

Dec. 17, Yeager said, was to aviators as Christmas is to Christians.

"He said he wanted to take off from Edwards because this is where the state of the art of aviation is being pioneered" said base spokesman Don Haley.

"Yeager already holds 35 records in either speed or time-to-climb in the 400LS, and has accumulated several hundred hours of flight time on it," Piper spokesman Joe Ponte said. "His most recent record was a 5 hour, 24-minute flight from Los Angeles to New York on Feb. 7, 1986, that broke the record set by a Cessna Conquest by more than one hour."

Yeager is no relation to pilot Jeana Yeager, who with Dick Rutan is trying to set an aviation record by circling the globe without refueling in the experimental Voyager aircraft.

The Cheyenne, a twin-engine turboprop with each engine developing 1,000 horsepower, can go more than 400 mph and is expected to make the trip at speeds around 450 mph, taking advantage of tail winds.

Yeager broke the speed of sound in October 1947 aboard a Bell X-1 experimental rocket plane that took off from Muroc Air Field, later renamed Edwards Air Force Base.

Pentagon wants AIDS-affected military personnel to remain active

By NORMAN BLACK

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon's top health official wants the Defense Department to continue keeping personnel on active duty who test positively for exposure to AIDS, defense officials say, despite some internal opposition.

But a working group under Dr. William Mayer, assistant defense secretary for health affairs, is also recommending that commanders be allowed to deny security clearances and flight status for personnel who admit during medical screening to drug use or homosexual activity, factors linked to the disease.

The proposals were contained in a draft policy statement, obtained Tuesday by The Associated Press.

The draft is being circulated by Mayer among the armed services and the Joint Chiefs of Staff for comment. Dated Dec. 11, it asks for final comments by Jan. 5 so a final recommendation can be forwarded to Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger on Jan. 15.

The idea of maintaining the Pentagon's policy of retaining personnel found to be exposed to AIDS is likely to be contested by Army officials, said defense officials who spoke on condition they not be identified.

The Defense Department currently allows personnel who test positively for exposure for AIDS, but who show no signs of the actual disease, to remain on active duty.

AIDS — acquired immune deficiency syndrome — attacks the body's immune system and its ability to resist infection. No cure has been found for the fatal disease. Most of its victims are homosexuals, intravenous drug users and people receiving tainted blood transfusions, although there is evidence the disease is spreading to the general population.

The Pentagon began testing the blood of all military recruits for an antibody associated with AIDS in October 1985. Early this year, the screening was extended to all active-duty personnel.

The testing began under interim guidelines, subject to review after the first year of screening. The draft statement is a review of that first year and would leave most of the current rules unchanged for a second year, when Mayer says a second review should be conducted.

But he is recommending some changes.

The draft policy would allow military commanders to revoke security clearances and flight status to personnel who, after testing positively for exposure to AIDs, tell their doctors they have used drugs or engaged in homosexual activity.

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The draft policy says such information provided to doctors cannot be used to launch a court-martial or some other adverse personnel actions. In the Pentagon's 1987 budget authorization bill passed by Congress in October, the Defense Department was prohibited from discharging personnel on the basis of information they gave doctors during AIDS examinations.

But the proposed policy would allow such information to be used for removal from flight status; "denial, suspension or revocation of a security clearance;" or disqualification from a Personnel Reliability Program.

The Personnel Reliability Program is an extra layer of security required of any personnel who handle nuclear or chemical weapons.

Currently, personnel testing positively face restrictions on job assignments and overseas deployments.

The draft policy also would allow military physicians to share with civilian health officials the names of any individuals identified by a serviceman as likely to have been exposed by him to the disease through sexual or drug-abuse contact.

The serviceman would be informed in advance, however, that any names he volunteered would be shared with civilian health agencies.

Military doctors routinely tell civilian health officials if members of the services have other communicable diseases, and in some states are required to do so by law.

The draft also would relax the Pentagon's plan to require AIDS blood screening of all reserve personnel in addition to recruits and active-duty troops. The draft policy calls for testing only those individuals called to active duty for 30 days or more.

The most controversial aspect of the new review, however, was the question of retention, said the officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Military recruits who test positively are automatically denied entry into the service. But those on active duty who show no signs of the disease are allowed to remain in the service, subject to restrictions on overseas deployments and job assignments.

Army officials have argued that any soldier who tests positively should be given an honorable discharge, said one source. People exposed to the disease, even those who have not contracted it, can transmit it through sexual contacts, raising ethical questions about keeping them on active duty as an employee of the U.S. government, the source said.

Even if the latest Pentagon predictions are accurate and only 1,300 to 1,500 of the 2.1 million men and women on active duty will test positively, that is a large enough number to raise readiness concerns, the source continued.

Mayer and his working group, while acknowledging the Army arguments, have decided that automatic discharge would be too drastic a step given what researchers know about the disease, the official said.

NATION IN BRIEF

OSHA targets workers at hazardous waste sites

WASHINGTON (AP) — New government rules require health exams and special safety training for some 170,000 workers at hazardous waste sites.

The new regulations by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, which took effect when issued Tuesday, were required by Congress last fall when it resuscitated the financially drained Superfund program for cleaning up thousands of abandoned toxic waste dumps.

The 122 pages of OSHA rules require periodic medical exams and a minimum of 40 hours of safety and health training for workers at both cleanup sites and currently operating dumps handling hazardous wastes such as toxic chemicals and metals.

They do not cover workers at landfills and dumps that are for ordinary garbage and trash.

OSHA estimated about 30,300 workers are now involved in the cleanups and another 137,000 are employed by the operators of active hazardous waste dumps.

Parks to impose entry fees

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Park Service estimates it will raise $54 million a year by imposing entrance fees at 73 parks and other installations that now charge nothing and by raising fees at other facilities.

The $54 million was appropriated by Congress as a special expenditure for research, resource conservation and interpretation for visitors, with the new and increased fees returning approximately the same sum to the Treasury.

The new maximum fee will be $5 per vehicle or $3 for an individual walk-in. Currently, the maximum fee is $3 per vehicle, imposed only at Yosemite National Park in California, the park service said Tuesday.

The Golden Eagle pass good for entrance at all parks and other units is being increased from $10 to $25 per year. The Golden Access pass for the handicapped and the Golden Age pass for the elderly will remain free.

There are 338 national parks, monuments, battlefields and historic sites operated by the service. Where there are entrance fees, they have not been raised since 1972.

Cuba refuses exit to U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cuba, without explanation, refused to issue exit permits to 40 former political prisoners and family members who had planned to travel to the United States today, a State Department official said.

Cuban officials held out the possibility that the group would be allowed to leave the country next month, according to the official, who asked not to be identified.

He said all U.S. government processing for the Cubans had been completed and that U.S. sponsors had been found for those needing them.

The official did not know how many of the 40 were former prisoners and how many were family members. But he said that all of the former prisoners were released from detention earlier this year following the intercession of French undersea explorer Jacques Cousteau.

Senators to join law firm

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sens. Russell B. Long, D-La., and Paul Laxalt, R-Nev., will join the law firm of Finley, Kumble, Wagner, Heine, Underberg, Manley, Myerson & Casey when they retire from the Senate next month.

Laxalt, considered President Reagan's closest friend in Congress, was elected to the Senate in 1974. He served as chairman of Reagan's presidential campaigns in 1976, 1980 and 1984.

Long, a member of the family that has been a major force in Louisiana politics for decades, was elected to the Senate in 1948 in a special election. Long, who served on the Senate Finance Committee, has been the most influential tax writer in Congress.

Neither Long nor Laxalt sought re-election in November. They announced Tuesday that they would join the firm.

The firm employs more than 650 lawyers and has offices in Washington, New York, Beverly Hills, Calif., San Diego, Miami, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Palm Beach, Fla., Los Angeles, Baltimore, Dallas, Chicago and London, England.

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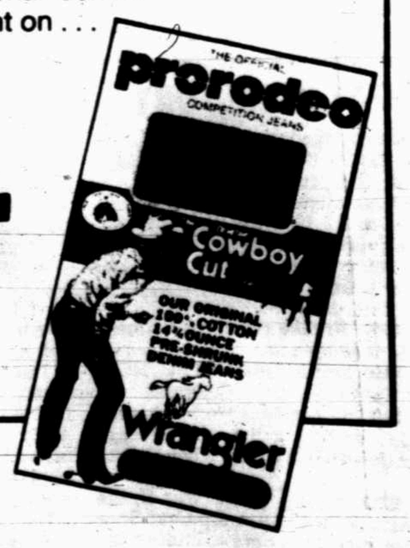
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System of death

The bitter irony is overwhelming. The Soviet Union announced the death of dissident Anatoly Marchenko during their celebration of International Human Rights Day.

The world should note that the hunger strike that ultimately killed him began as a protest directed at the sham review of the Helsinki Final Act.

Such is the cruel symmetry framing the last days of this brave man, who died last week at the age of 48.

Marchenko was not the normal Soviet dissident known to the West. A rough-hewn, blue-collar worker with little education, he was thrown into a Siberian labor camp at the age of 19 after a work-place brawl. His escape from the camp and subsequent capture led to a brutal prison term that ultimately forged one of the most widely read indictments of the Soviet penal system ever published.

It is called simply "My Testimony". Evocative and powerful, Marchenko's account describes the unspeakable horrors inflicted on those imprisoned for criticizing the Soviet state. Marchenko himself suffered beatings and torture in prison and emerged deaf and slightly brain damaged.

The book ends with this chilling prophecy by a government official after the dissident's release from prison in 1966: "I fear that with your views, we shall be seeing you back again, Marchenko." And from 1968 until his death, Marchenko was either in prison or hounded by the KBG while in internal exile.

His relentless championing of human rights made Marchenko, aside from physicist Andrei Sakharov, the best-known dissident inside the U.S.S.R. What is little known is that Marchenko was the founder of the Moscow Helsinki Watch Group established to monitor human rights after the signing of the 1975 accords. At the onset of a review meeting of this now-debased document, Marchenko began his ultimately fatal hunger strike to protest the incarceration and abuse of political prisoners in the Soviet Union.

Anatoly Marchenko was a martyr for the principles of freedom. His death should serve as nothing less than a signal for the West to bring its moral and diplomatic weight to bear on the heartless Soviet system that took his life.

LETTERS

Getting ready for war?

The United States has used its "contra" mercenaries to provoke border fighting between Honduras and Nicaragua for the second time this year in their preparations for deeper U.S. military involvement in Central America.

Over the past seven years, more than 40,000 U.S. troops, including Texas National Guard members, have trained in Honduras. They learned how to construct roads, airstrips and bivouacs within three miles of the Nicaraguan border. These were left in place when the troops left the country. Many are now used by the contras to stage their raids across the border.

Most of the building is being done in small projects by the Department of Defense to avoid the need for congressional approval on projects costing over $200,000. Yet Congress has proved willing to spend the money necessary to make Honduras dependent on U.S. dollars, approving nearly $240 million in and for 1986.

Recently the U.S. announced it will also donate up to two dozen U.S.-built fighter jets to Honduras. Already considered to have the strongest air force in Central America, Honduras could use these planes to protect our contras when they run back into Honduras to hide from the Sandinistas. They know that the U.S. will offer helicopters, pilots and emergency dollars. The U.S. also offers the threat of a U.S. naval flotilla just 60 miles off the Atlantic coast of Nicaragua. All of this makes the contras feel fairly safe in Honduras.

Still it is obvious that the contras cannot defeat the Sandinistas. No matter what kind of training they are receiving in Florida or how much money the CIA and Congress gives them, they cannot win. They are not supposed to. They are simply buying time while the administration prepares the public to accept another war.

Mike Gray
Midland

Greenwood counts too

After reading the article in the Wednesday, Dec. 10, sports section concerning the Lee Rebels' loss at the hands of Greenwood, I felt that Greenwood received the short end of the stick even though they won the game. The article, written by Lance Stewart, made little mention of the Greenwood girls. By the way, the girls' teams at Greenwood are the Rangerettes and the boys' teams are the Rangers.

Yes, the Lee girls are a fine and flashy team that should go far in their district, but what about Greenwood? Hey, these ladies are undefeated and the winners of the Reagan County Tournament thus far this year. Not too bad is it?

Now, I realize that those of us who live in Greenwood probably don't buy as many ads or as many papers as the Lee or Midland High supporters, but the athletes at Greenwood work just as hard as the athletes from the other Midland schools and they should be given equal coverage from your paper for their efforts.

In the past and even now it seems that the only time that the Reporter-Telegram is interested in Greenwood is when there is a controversy or when they are the only team from this area left in the playoffs. As a Class 3A school, I feel that the Greenwood Rangers and Rangerettes deserve more media attention from your sports section. After all, there are more high schools in Midland County than two.

Vincel Carlisle
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Dec. 17, the 351st day of 1986. There are 14 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Dec. 17, 1903, the Wright Brothers, Orville and Wilbur, staged the first successful powered-airplane flights near Kitty Hawk, N.C.

On this date:

In 1777, France recognized American independence.

In 1830, South American patriot Simon Bolivar died in Colombia.

In 1933, in the first world championship football game, the Chicago Bears defeated the New York Giants, 23-21.

In 1939, during World War II, the German pocket battleship Graf Spee was scuttled by its crew, ending the Battle of the River Plate off Uruguay.

In 1944, the U.S. Army announced it would end its policy of excluding Japanese-Americans from the West Coast.

In 1969, the U.S. Air Force closed its Project Blue Book by concluding there was no evidence of extra-terrestrial spaceships behind thousands of UFO sightings.

In 1969, an estimated 50 million TV viewers saw singer Tiny Tim marry his fiancee, Miss Vicky, on NBC's "Tonight Show."

In 1975, Lynette Fromme was sentenced in federal court in Sacramento, Calif., to life in prison for her attempt on the life of President Gerald R. Ford on Sept. 5, 1975.

Ten years ago: Representatives of OPEC, meeting in Qatar, announced that Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates would raise their prices by 5 percent in 1977 while other members of the cartel raised their prices by 15 percent in two stages.

Five years ago: Members of the Red Brigades kidnapped Brigadier Gen. James L. Dozier, the highest-ranking U.S. Army official in southern Europe, from his home in Verona, Italy. He was rescued 42 days later.

One year ago: The House of Representatives passed by voice vote and sent on to the Senate an income tax revision bill.

JACK ANDERSON

You decide whether Reagan was right

WASHINGTON — How do the American people judge President Reagan? Was he right or wrong in using arms as bait to win favor with Ayatollah Khomeini's Iran?


Jack Anderson

Americans are constantly polled, surveyed and interviewed about the issues of the day. Yet we have never met anybody who has personally been polled; the American mind is analyzed on the basis of tiny samplings.

For those who are tired of pollsters telling them what they think and how they feel, we have decided to conduct a genuine Peoples Poll that will allow anyone to register an opinion. We will submit the results, to the White House and the appropriate congressional committees.

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As a guide, here's a summary of the opposing arguments:

THE CASE FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN — The Persian Gulf, in a sense, is our jugular vein; half of the Western world's oil flows through this strategic waterway. Indeed, the United States has declared that it will take military action, if necessary, to protect this vital flow.

As the dominant power on the Persian Gulf, Iran holds the key to its stability and security. Ex-President Jimmy Carter let Iran fall into hostile hands. President Reagan's covert approach was merely an attempt to neutralize Iran and safeguard the Persian Gulf.

The president is also concerned that, without an American presence in Tehran, the Soviets may be tempted to move into Iran during a post-Khomeini period of confusion and chaos. This would give the Soviets control of the Persian Gulf, with the ability to shut off the Western world's lifeblood.

Finally, the president hopes to free American hostages and reduce the terrorist threat by improving relations with the regime that controls the Shiite terrorists.

THE CASE AGAINST PRESIDENT REAGAN — The president has been dealing with "moderates" in Ayatollah Khomeini's hierarchy. In reality, they are bloodthirsty, unrepentant fanatics who have been demonstrably and rabidly anti-American in the past. They may be pragmatists, but they certainly aren't moderates.

U.S. officials have been dealing behind the scenes with Iran's speaker of the parliament, Hashemi Rafsanjani, and a notorious killer-judge Sadeq Khalkali, who used to be partners in a battery-service garage in Tehran. This was an underground center for Khomeini's revolutionaries, who murdered at least two Americans and hid their bodies in the garage.

Both Rafsanjani and Khalkali not only have been flagrantly anti-American, but Khalkali desecrated the charred remains of Americans killed during the aborted hostage rescue mission in 1980. He staged his grisly performance before photographers. Even in Iran, he's known as "Judge Blood" for ordering the blood drained from prisoners he condemns.

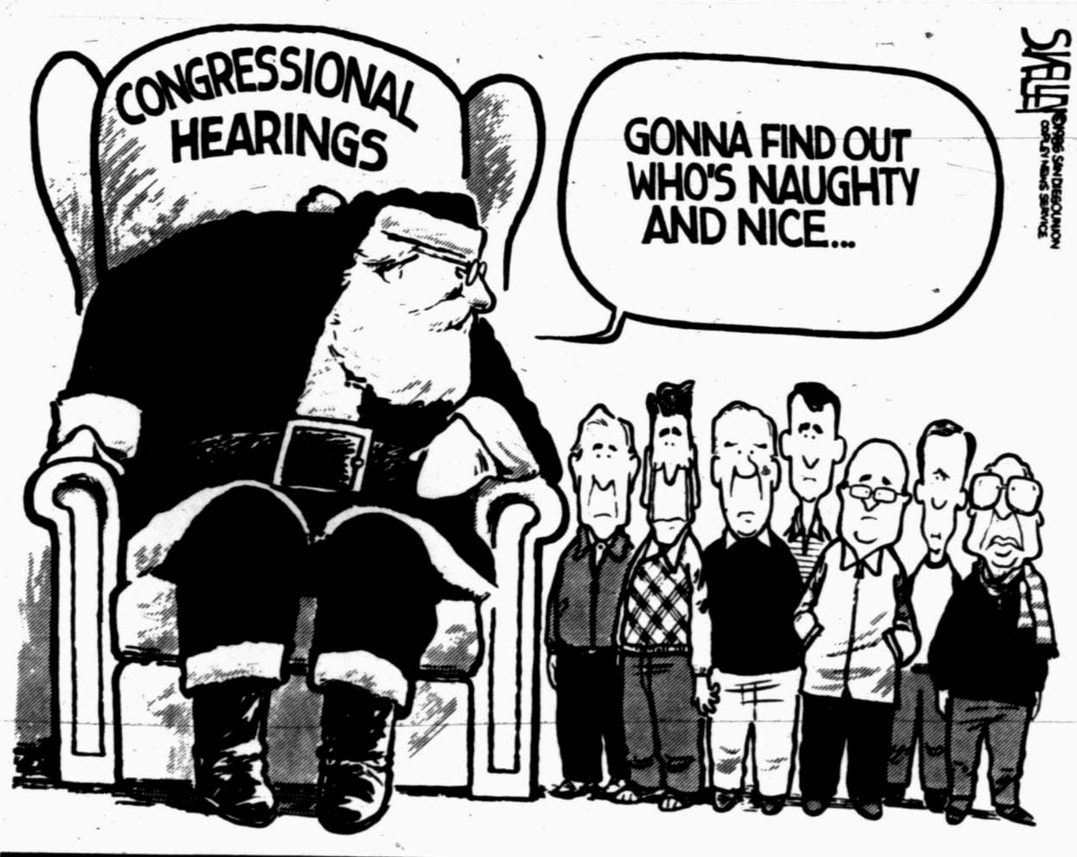
As for Khomeini, he likes to call America the "Great Satan," but he can behold the real satan simply by looking into a mirror. For he is the personification of evil. He preaches the gospel of hate, abuses his own people, savagely tortures dissidents and sends children to the battlefront to clear the way for combat troops.

Americans must feel uncomfortable doing business with the likes of Khomeini.

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MINI-EDITORIAL: Partisan sniping is accepted behavior in this town, but could it at least be faintly believable? We refer to the alleged first-family spat in which President Reagan supposedly snapped at his wife: "Get off my blankety-blank back!" Here are a few questions that some responsible editor should have asked before this tripe was printed: Where did the spat occur? At a state banquet? If so, why didn't anyone else report it? In the Reagan's bedroom? If so, how could it possibly have been overheard?

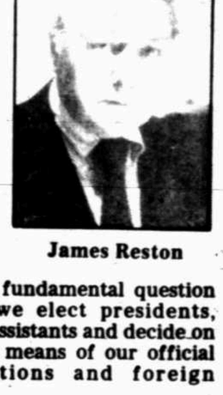
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JAMES RESTON

Sweet land of mystery needs bit of continuity

WASHINGTON — By now we know quite a lot about the effects of the Iranian scandal, but very little attention has been paid to the deeper causes of these bizarre events.


James Reston

This is not merely a question of whether the moolah from the mullahs in Iran went to the contras in Nicaragua, or what was going on upstairs, downstairs and backstairs in the White House, but a fundamental question about how we elect presidents, choose their assistants and decide on the ends and means of our official public relations and foreign relations.

To begin with politics, since we are starting another national campaign, it is now clear that we have a tendency to pick candidates who can wow the voters on television rather than presidents who can govern the country. President Reagan is a reminder that the qualities for these two jobs are not necessarily the same.

That is one of the deeper causes of our present troubles. A second cause is that we choose their assistants in the Cabinet and the White House in a rather absent-minded fashion, and confirm them in the Senate with almost equal indifference.

Sometimes we put them in key jobs such as the National Security Council without the senators' ever having a look at them, except on television, and then dispose of them like Kleenex. We have had five national security advisers under Reagan in less than six years, the fourth of whom, Admiral Poindexter, was pursuing democracy with guns abroad while mocking it with disinformation policies at home.

A related question, asked by James Bryce in his classic book "The American Commonwealth" almost a hundred years ago is: "Why don't the best men go into politics?" The answer much of the time is that they're uninvited, underpaid and bypassed in favor of political hacks, ideological zealots or presidential cronies.

Then there's the problem of not using to their full capacity in key jobs many of the most experienced people who are available and who might give some continuity to our policies from one administration to another.

This country has a professional foreign service that is equal if not superior to any in the world, but now that it is most needed it is least used, particularly by the present administration, whose appointments to most of the major embassies and the National Security Council have been, to put it mildly, a disgrace.

Every other major democracy, for example, chooses political cabinet members, as we do, but they recognize that there are some guiding principles that endure regardless of which party governs the executive.

Accordingly, they have in each major department a "permanent under secretary" who knows how to say, politely of course, "Wait a minute."

It's hard to imagine that if we had had such characters serving the president, the Cabinet and the National Security Council that one of them wouldn't have suggested that sending weapons to terrorists to stamp out terror and end the Iran-Iraq war wasn't a particularly good idea.

So much for the machinery around here, which needs some new connecting rods. The philosophy of our foreign policy is an even more difficult and troublesome problem.

For the fertility of the human mind and body is changing the world faster than we can change ourselves and our institutions. We are not clear in either political party whether we are trying mainly to defend the nation or the civilization of all the free nations and those who are "yearning to be free."

From Woodrow Wilson at Geneva, Franklin Roosevelt at Yalta and Harry Truman at Potsdam, to John Kennedy at the Bay of Pigs, Lyndon Johnson and Richard Nixon in Vietnam and Ronald Reagan at Reykjavik there has been fundamental confusion over the methods and objectives of our policy — all confounded by the menace of Moscow and party squabbles in Washington.

This is not the sort of thing that can be handled by Ron, Don and Pat, upstairs in the White House, who think more about tomorrow's headlines and the next election than about the next century.

The problem requires a basic reappraisal by the best minds in the land and by both parties, which are not the same thing, about where we're going and what sort of people can lead us in this sweet land of mystery.

It must begin now before the people start laughing at the wrong places and tossing chairs from the balcony. This will be tough if Admiral Poindexter and Colonel North, who are both still in uniform, won't talk and their commander in chief won't ask. But as they say in the television recruiting ads, "The military is a good place to start."

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ART BUCHWALD

Something's cooking upstairs at White House

Everyone loves a good mystery, and it is not surprising that the Iran-contras caper continues to hold our fascination as one of the most bungled cloak-and-dagger crimes of our lifetime.


Art Buchwald

"What do you make of it all?" I asked Sherlock Holmes in his Federal house in Georgetown.

"It's very interesting, my dear Watson," Holmes replied, tamping down on his pipe. "The President promised he would get to the bottom of this, and we know less now than we did when he said it."

"Do you believe the President is happy that we can't get to the bottom of it?"

"He appears to be extremely happy."

"Why is that?"

"Because he saved Don Regan's job. Don is like a son to the President and is very good at shoveling up after the circus elephants go by."

"Holmes, what did Secretary of State George Shultz know and when did he know it?"

"That's the most interesting thing, Watson. For a Secretary of State, Shultz didn't know anything at all. He didn't even know when Nancy's dog did doo-doo on the White House lawn. According to him no one on the President's staff spoke to him, and they only made decisions *after* he left the room. Scratch Shultz as a suspect."

"If it wasn't Shultz, could it have been Bill Casey?"

Holmes puffed on his pipe. "Casey has an iron-clad alibi. He was home laundering money for Angola when the overcharges for Iranian arms were being washed in Switzerland. Besides, as CIA director why would Casey know anything about what was going on in Iran?"

"By jove, Holmes, this is getting more difficult than I thought. What about the Marine chap, Colonel North?"

"A likely suspect," Holmes said, "but you forget one thing. He took the Fifth Amendment. You can't accuse a man of a crime if he takes the Fifth. We have to eliminate Admiral Poindexter on that count as well."

"Too bad. I was hoping North and Poindexter could give us a clue."

"Watson, we must ask ourselves who had to most to gain from the Iranians getting arms, and the contras getting money."

"Imelda Marcos?"

"No, that's another case. The ones who had the most to gain in this whole affair were the press."

"You don't believe the press was behind the whole thing, do you, Holmes?"

"I don't but Pat Buchanan does."

"Well fiddledeedee on him. He's just attacking the press so he will get his name in the newspapers. If you want to know what I think, I see the hand of Richard Nixon in this whole thing. I say we find the smoking gun and make him resign all over again."

"Watson, I would like to think Richard Nixon was to blame, but except for the 18½-minute gap on the tapes we have no evidence. It's true he does keep calling President Reagan, which indicates he feels guilty about *something*. But until Nixon gets up and declares he is not a crook we cannot consider him a suspect."

"You're probably right, Holmes. I suppose the thing that bothers me the most is while laws were broken everyone involved has been called a national hero."

"Perhaps I may have a clue, Watson. As you know, the key to the mystery is the secret numbered bank account in Switzerland. What do they give you, Watson, when you open a numbered Swiss bank account?"

"Depending on the size, Holmes, Tupperware, a coffee pot, a Cuisinart, a toaster, an orange juice squeezer, and if you put in more than $30 million, a microwave oven."

"Precisely, Watson. Whoever opened that account in Switzerland was given one of those items and it is now in his possession. If we find it we'll know who committed one of the most amateurish crimes of the century."

"By jove, Holmes, you're right. Let's have a look-see. You go to George Bush's kitchen and I'll go to Bob McFarlane's — and then we'll go together to see what they're cooking upstairs at the White House."

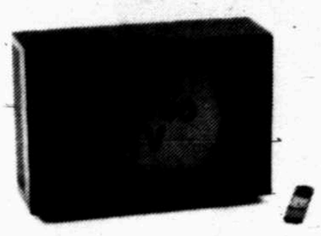
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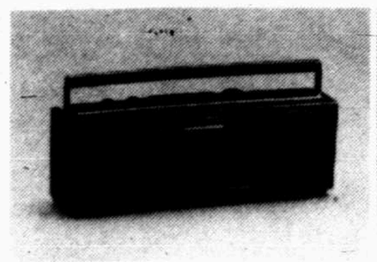
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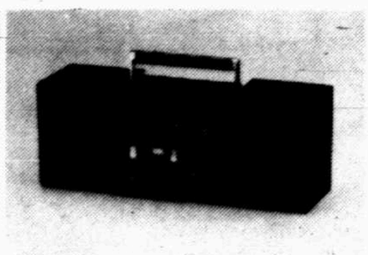
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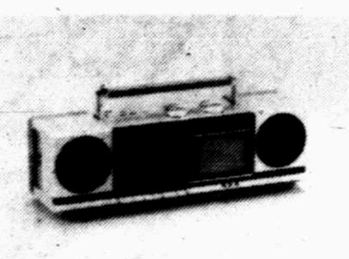
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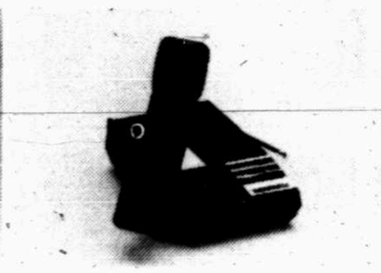
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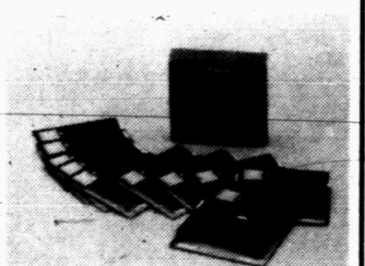
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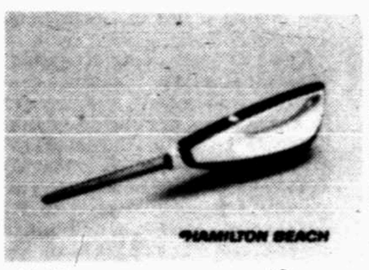
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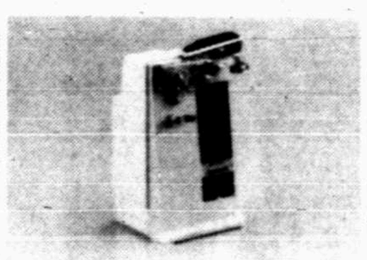
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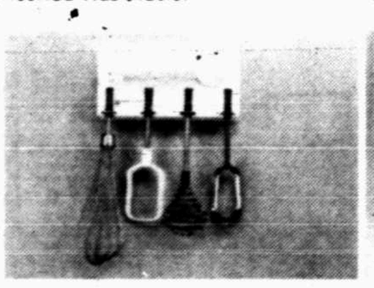
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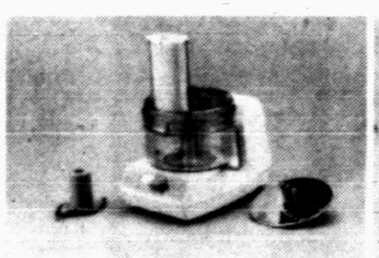
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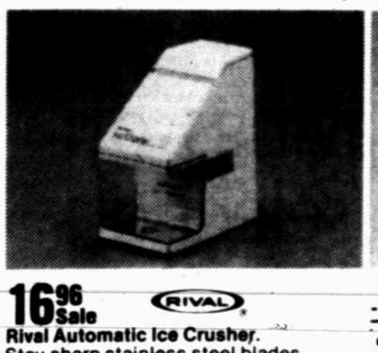
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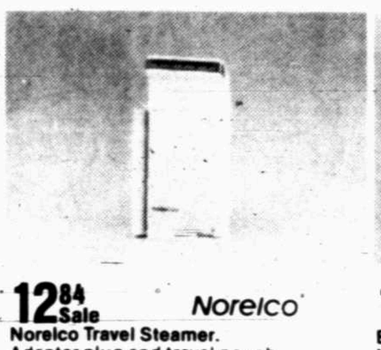
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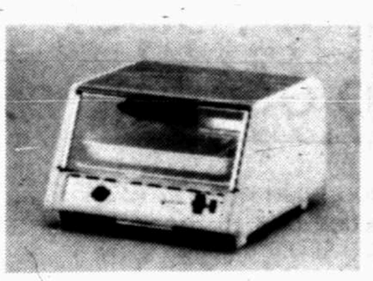
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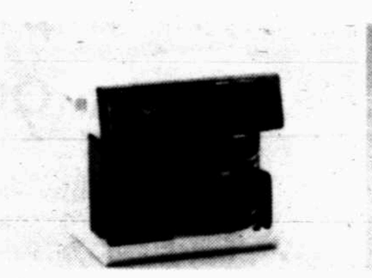
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Franzus Electric Steamer.
Won't scorch or shine fabrics.
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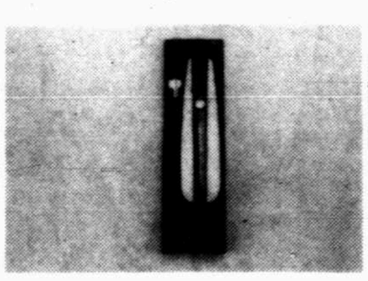
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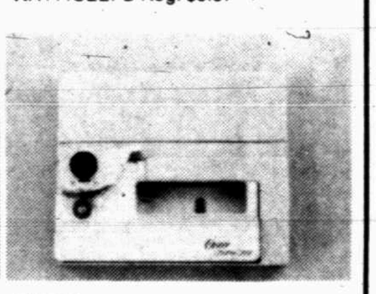
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General Electric Brew Starter® Drip Coffee Maker.
DCM15GE Reg. $34.92



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Stainless steel, 12" dia. server.
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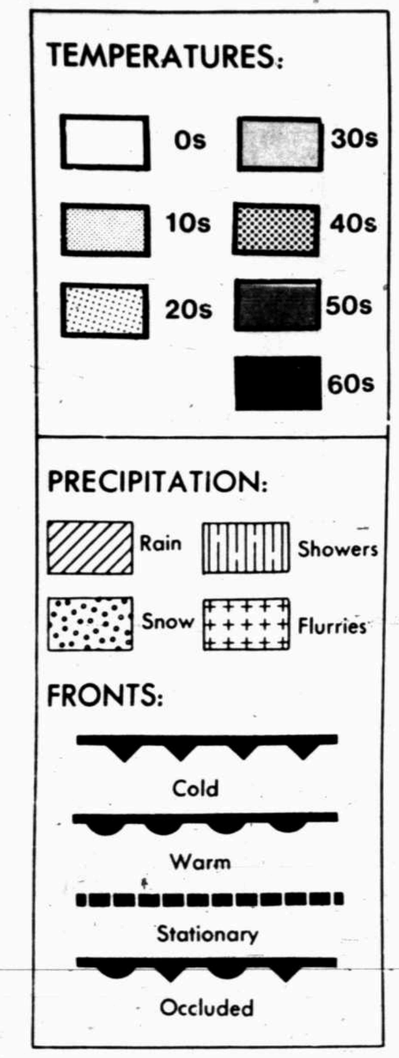
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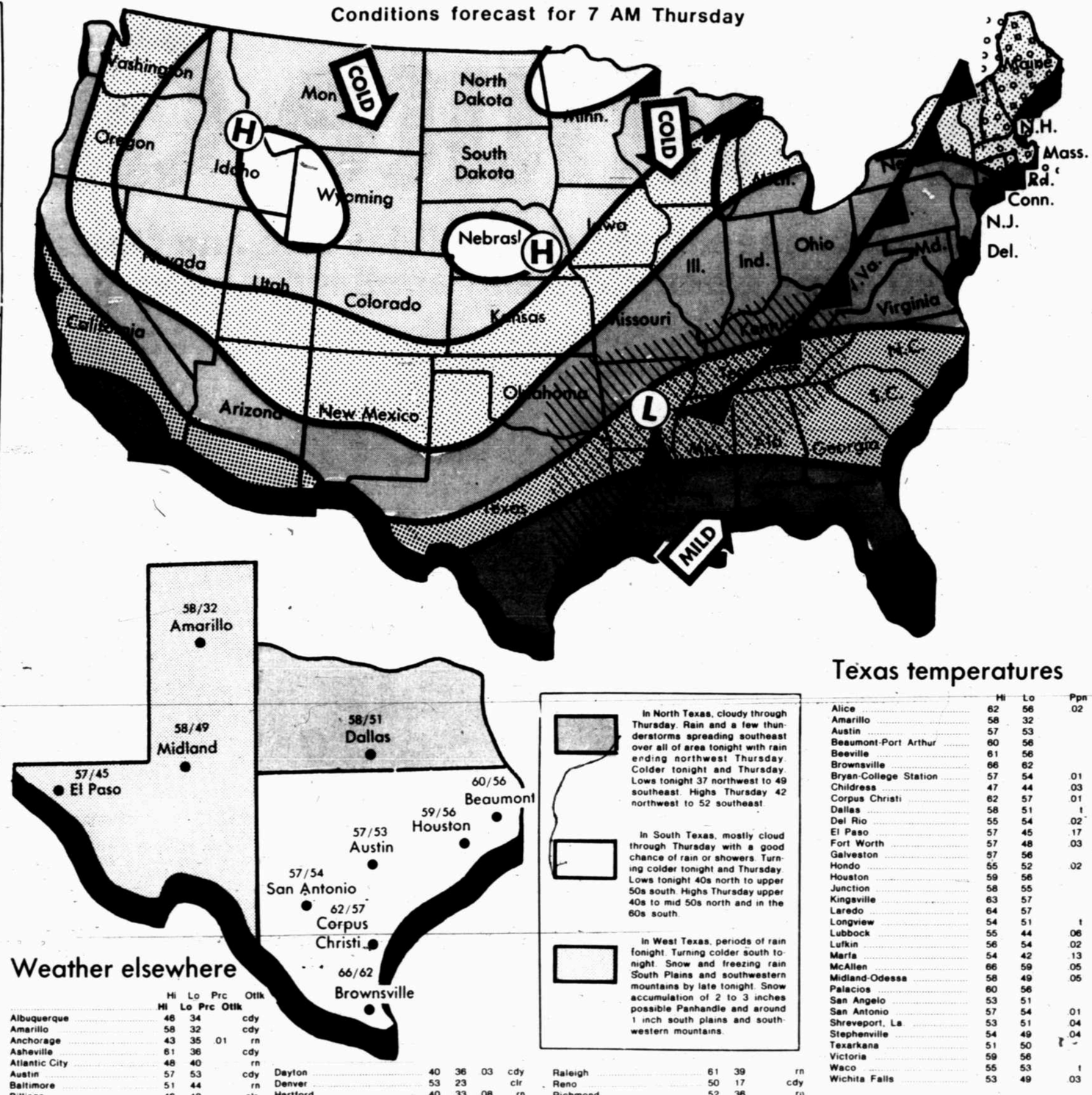
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WEATHER SUMMARY





Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Colder with periods of rain and possibly a thunderstorm. Low in the mid 30s with northeast winds at 10 to 20 mph. Chance for rain, 80 percent.

Thursday: Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers mainly during the morning. Highs in the low 40s with north winds at 10 to 20 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	58 degrees
Overnight Low	49 degrees
Sunset today	5:47 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:43 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0.05 inches
This month to date	0.55 inches
Year to date	29.38 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	41	6 p.m.	54
7 a.m.	41	7 p.m.	52
8 a.m.	40	8 p.m.	51
9 a.m.	46	9 p.m.	51
10 a.m.	53	10 p.m.	50
11 a.m.	55	11 p.m.	50
noon	56	midnight	50
1 p.m.	58	1 a.m.	50
2 p.m.	58	2 a.m.	50
3 p.m.	56	3 a.m.	50
4 p.m.	57	4 a.m.	49
5 p.m.	55	5 a.m.	49
		6 a.m.	50

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	46	34		cdy
Amarillo	58	32		cdy
Anchorage	43	35	.01	rn
Asheville	61	36		cdy
Atlantic City	48	40		rn
Austin	57	53		cdy
Baltimore	51	44		rn
Billings	46	19		clr
Birmingham	67	49		rn
Bismarck	39	28		clr
Boston	37	32		rn
Buffalo	38	34		sn
Burlington,Vt	30	22	.04	sn
Charleston,W Va	47	31	.01	rn
Charlotte,N.C	63	42		cdy
Cheyenne	46	21		clr
Chicago	40	35		clr
Cincinnati	45	37	.01	cdy
Concord,N.H.	33	27	.11	sn
Dallas-Ft Worth	57	48	.03	cdy
Dayton	40	36	.03	cdy
Denver	53	23		clr
Hartford	40	33	.08	rn
Honolulu	85	74		cdy
Houston	56	55		rn
Indianapolis	42	39		cdy
Jacksonville	69	49		rn
Juneau	44	35	.39	rn
Kansas City	50	42		cdy
Las Vegas	56	39		clr
Little Rock	51	48	.02	cdy
Louisville	50	44	.01	cdy
Miami Beach	77	69		cdy
Midland-Odessa	58	49	.05	cdy
Milwaukee	37	32		clr
Raleigh	61	39		rn
Reno	50	17		cdy
Richmond	52	36		rn
St Louis	50	44	.03	cdy
San Diego	68	53		cdy
San Antonio	57	54	.01	cdy
St Ste Marie	34	33		cdy
Shreveport	53	51	.04	rn
Sioux Falls	48	24		clr
Spokane	31	28		cdy
Syracuse	37	32		sn
Tampa-St Ptrsbg	78	62	.01	cdy
Topeka	49	37		cdy
Tucson	71	52	.11	clr
Tulsa	52	43		cdy

In North Texas, cloudy through Thursday. Rain and a few thunderstorms spreading southeast over all of area tonight with rain ending northwest Thursday. Colder tonight and Thursday. Lows tonight 37 northwest to 49 southeast. Highs Thursday 42 northwest to 52 southeast.

In South Texas, mostly cloud through Thursday with a good chance of rain or showers. Turning colder tonight and Thursday. Lows tonight 40s north to upper 50s south. Highs Thursday upper 40s to mid 50s north and in the 60s south.

In West Texas, periods of rain fonight. Turning colder south tonight. Snow and freezing rain South Plains and southwestern mountains by late tonight. Snow accumulation of 2 to 3 inches possible Panhandle and around 1 inch south plains and southwestern mountains.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	62	56	.02
Amarillo	58	32	
Austin	57	53	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	60	56	
Beeville	61	56	
Brownsville	66	62	
Bryan-College Station	57	54	.01
Childress	47	44	.03
Corpus Christi	62	57	.01
Dallas	58	51	t
Del Rio	55	54	.02
El Paso	57	45	.17
Fort Worth	57	48	.03
Galveston	57	56	
Hondo	55	52	.02
Houston	59	56	
Junction	58	55	
Kingsville	63	57	
Laredo	64	57	
Longview	54	51	t
Lubbock	55	44	.06
Lufkin	56	54	.02
Marfa	54	42	.13
McAllen	66	59	.05
Midland-Odessa	58	49	.05
Palacios	60	56	
San Angelo	53	51	
San Antonio	57	54	.01
Shreveport, La	53	51	.04
Stephenville	54	49	.04
Texarkana	51	50	t
Victoria	59	56	
Waco	55	53	t
Wichita Falls	53	49	.03

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight colder with periods of rain and possibly a thunderstorm. Low in the lower 30s. Wind northeast 10 to 20 mph. chance of rain 80 percent. Thursday 30 percent chance of showers, mainly morning otherwise mostly cloudy with a high in the lower 40s. North wind 5 to 15 mph.

Rain chance still strong

From Staff and Wire Reports

Midlanders will continue to have a wet day into the evening with an 80 percent chance of rain predicted by the National Weather Service at the Midland Regional Airport.

Tonight is expected to be colder with periods of rain and possibly a thunderstorm. The low will be in the mid 30s with winds northeast at 10 to 20 mph.

Thursday will be mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers mainly during the morning. Highs in the low 40s with winds north at 10 to 20 mph.

The record high of 80 degrees set in 1946 for a Dec. 16 was 22 degrees warmer than Tuesday's high of 58 degrees.

The record low of 18 degrees set in 1932 was 31 degrees cooler than the overnight low of 49 degrees.

STATE

Snow was expected to begin falling across portions of Texas Panhandle late today and the National Weather Service said the area might get 2 to 3 inches of snow by Thursday.

Elsewhere, forecasts called for mostl cloudy skies over the rest of the state with a good chance of rain over most of the state. It will be cloudy and colder over most of Texas Thursday.

Lows tonight will be in the 20s in Northwest Texas, the 30s over the rest of West Texas and in the 30s and 40s over North Texas and in the 40s and 50s in South Texas.

Highs Thursday will be in the 40s and 50s in North Texas, the 40s in West Texas and in the 40s and 50s in South Texas with a few readings possibly reaching into the lower 60s in extreme South Texas.

A large area of rain extended early today from the upper portions of the Edwards Plateau through the low rolling plains in North Central Texas.

The rain was being triggered in moist air from a low pressure center in West Texas ahead of a cold front that was about to enter the Panhandle from the north. And some others showers were reported in far West Texas and parts of Southwest Texas.

Dense fog covered most of West Texas except the Panhandle and also covered eastern portions of the state from Northeast Texas though Southeast Texas and on to the coast near Galveston.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 40s and 50s, ranging from the 30s in the Panhandle to the 60s in extreme South Texas. Extremes ranged from 37 at Amarillo to 63 at Brownsville.

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Council OKs permit for senior center

By RICK BROWN
Staff Writer

Amid charges of abandonment of Midland's elderly, City Council members Tuesday voted without dissent to grant a special zoning permit for establishment of a senior citizens teaching and administration center.

"We were told three weeks ago that this thing was going through no matter what," charged Midge Erskine, one of several neighborhood residents who opposed the permit. The zoning "special use permit" allows establishment of the center near the intersection of Sinclair Avenue and Midkiff Street at the Furhman Estate, which includes 2.7 acres of grounds and an estimated 6,000-foot mansion.

The house and grounds are a gift to Community and Senior Services, a Midland non-profit organization, for establishment of the center.

"We knew that this was futile, but we had to put it on the public record," Ms. Erskine said of residents' opposition to the center in their neighborhood after the council vote.

"They (City Council members) are pushing off their responsibility to senior citizens," she said. "They're literally washing their hands to save a few dollars."

Ms. Erskine predicted that Community and Senior Services representatives would return to the council in the future for more funding for the center's upkeep.

Dean Rucker, attorney and board member with the senior services agency, charged the residents with conducting "a campaign of misinformation" in their opposition to the permit.

"We are firmly committed to offering quality care, and it will not cost the taxpayers one dime," Rucker told the council. He said that the estate's loss to the county tax rolls would mean a negligible decrease of about $6,200 in county property valuations. He added that the center would preserve the neighborhood's character rather then open the door for more commercialization.

Councilmember Kelly Fish said after the vote that he "had to take exception with the statement of us washing our hands of senior citizens.

"I feel they (Community and Senior Services) can provide a better service," he said, adding that the organization's administering of senior activities would save the city an estimated $401,000 "and the senior citizens are going to get a better service."

Steve Edwards, the organization's executive director, has said that the center would bring "a better coordination with other non-profit agencies working with senior citizens and their families.

"The effect will be to provide more services to more individuals," he said.

In other action Tuesday, the council deferred consideration of a bid for an automated control system for a city water well field.

A motion from council member Gorden Marcum to accept the $644,000 bid failed to receive a second because other council members were concerned about the system's cost.

Original estimates for automating the 42-well field 22 miles north of Midland were about $350,000, they pointed out. The subsequent unanimous vote for deferment means the council will consider the bid again after more study.

The council also voted to change the city's workman's compensation injury pay system. Under the new system, employees would no longer be allowed to log injury days and pay for days off due to injuries and would have to use their sick days for that purpose, Assistant City Manager Mike McGregor has said.

The new system "placed a greater incentive on the employees to want to come back to work as quickly as possible," he said.

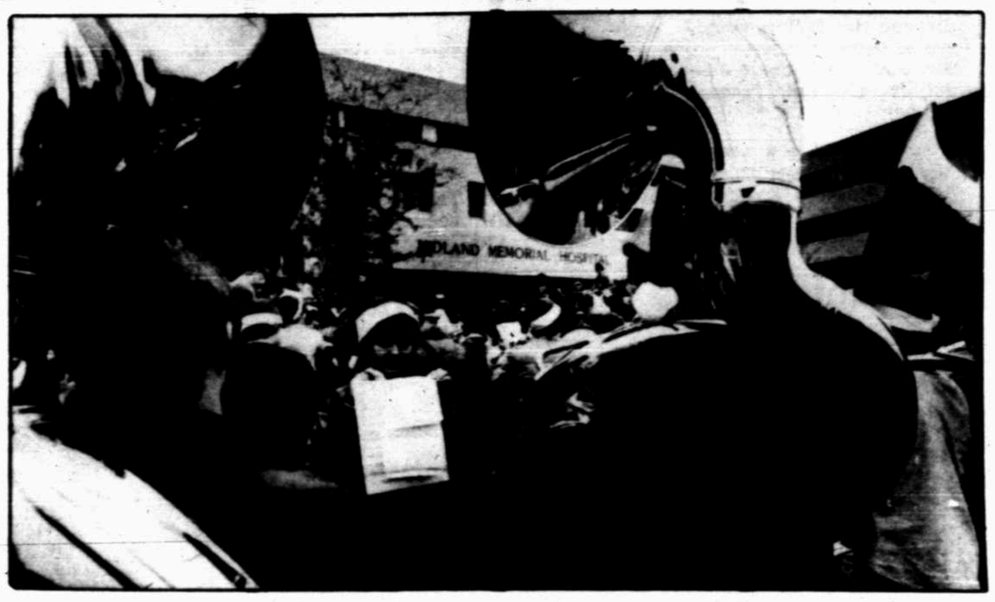
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Christmas music

Midland High School band member Lauri Marburger exemplifies the Christmas spirit as she and fellow students play outside Midland Memorial Hospital Tuesday on a caroling tour of nursing and retirement homes as well as the city's two hospitals.

Jerry Mennenga / Reporter-Telegram



Officials say 'largest bookmaking operation' broken up

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Federal officials claim they have broken up what is described as the largest bookmaking operations in the Odessa area.

According to information contained in an affidavit by retired Department of Public Safety Intelligence Capt. Don Roberts, the bookmaking operation had been handling an estimated $500,000 to $750,000 weekly in illegal wagers on sporting events.

In a combined operation that began late Monday afternoon and lasted into the nighttime hours, according to Ron Butler, FBI supervisory senior residence agent in Midland, federal agents, DPS intelligence officers and Odessa police executed search warrants for eight named individuals, six specific locations and 11 vehicles.

The individuals named were: Will Weddel, an Odessa businessman; Jimmy Richards, a former Ector County grand jury foreman; Charles "Red" Clinger, who has operated Will's Bonding Service for Weddel; Shawn Sherrie Clinger, Clinger's wife; Mike Alcorn, Terry Ray Cooper and Ronnie Keith McClenndon.

Also named as workers in the alleged illegal bookmaking operation were: David Mark Vincent, Johnny Andrew Lloyd, Billy Wade Moore, Harold Bert Moore and Olin Norwood.

During the Monday raids, officers seized a variety of gambling paraphernalia, including betting slips, line sheets, settlement slips, telephones and several lists of names and numbers, as well as telephone paging devices, cash, coins and jewelry.

Officers also found a newspaper signed by recently terminated Odessa Police Deputy Chief K.R. Jones, an official police statement, a grand jury folder and a folder from Ector County Attorney's office.

In an interview Tuesday, County Attorney Gary Garrison said the folder had contained evidence from an investigation of the Odessa Police Department conducted by his office. According to Garrison, the information was the same as he had turned over to the FBI concerning alleged corruption in the police department.

Garrison said he had given the file to Clinger "so he could protect himself" and in case "anything happened to me."

The cases involving the named individuals are expected to be presented to a federal grand jury sometime next year.

Commissioners favor new computer system

By RAMONA NYE
Staff Writer

Midland County Commissioners say they are in support of a computer system expected to cost around $20,000 and to be used to update the treasurer's and auditor's computers.

"It is considered an investment that will start paying dividends almost immediately as each department is strained to their limits," said Commissioner Durward Wright.

"This upgrading will forestall the need for additional personnel in each of the offices and enable the personnel we have now to handle the workload," Wright said.

County Auditor Floyd Jarnagin and Treasurer Dee Thompson said they need the updated equipment or they will each have to hire an additional person to handle the work load during the next year.

"We're to the point now that we need help. It's either update our equipment or we would be faced with the prospect of hiring another person," Jarnagin said.

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Midlander pays late tax bill with small change

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Don Schaffrina has resolved his $1.02 penny-ante tax bill with Midland County.

He put off paying the 1985 tax bill on his $510 14-foot fishing boat until this week when he received a foreboding letter from the county's delinquent tax attorney, Calame, Linebarger & Graham of Austin, Midland, Corpus Christi, Corsicana, El Paso and Houston.

"Suits will soon be filed against persons who have not paid their delinquent taxes," the letter said. "No further action will be taken provided payment is made immediately."

Schaffrina paid right away.

But instead of paying $1.02, he paid the office of Midland County Tax Assessor-Collector Frances Shuffield $1.44 in 28 nickels and four pennies. The additional 42 cents included penalty-and-interest charges and the 19-cent attorney's fee, which is 15 percent of the unpaid balance. Schaffrina was almost 11 months late in paying the bill.

"I was looking for 144 pennies," Schaffrina said Tuesday, but came up with a shortfall of pennies.

Before he paid, though, Schaffrina said he telephoned the delinquent tax attorney's office, which had been "instructed to go ahead and file sujt" and would "lump" his case with other "minor" ones, he said.

Schaffrina said he paid the $1.44 to Nell Cornell, a collections clerk, who was "just as cool as a cucumber."

Mrs. Shuffield today said she had "no comment" on the Schaffrina incident. "It's just a taxpayer paying his bill," she said.

"I think it's really hilarious that everybody associated with the Tax Office thought I was trying to beat the tax," said Schaffrina, who said he is current on other taxes. "Everybody else thought it was hilarious."

A friend of his jokingly accused Schaffrina of being a "tax evader." But that was far from the case, he said. Schaffrina said his intention was to point out the tax collector's expenses in collecting such a small amount in taxes and to suggest that a minimum value be set on property before it is placed on tax rolls. Such action, however, would be up to the Texas Legislature.

"It's ridiculous for them to spend so dang much money to collect a tiny amount of tax," Schaffrina said.

Schaffrina, a 38-year-old landscape contractor, said he never did "dispute that the taxes" were owed.

But what got him slightly miffed and chuckling is what he termed "the asininity" of the county's and delinquent tax attorney's expenses in billing him the "piddling sum" of $1.02.

He figured that the expenses outweighed the taxes and questioned the "common sense" of the government billing for taxes which, in his case, apparently were less than the collecting expenses.

The tax fell due last January, started collecting penalty and interest in February, and was placed on the delinquent tax rolls in July.

"How much money is the county going in debt to collect one dollar and two cents?" asked Schaffrina.

Postage alone has totaled $1.10 for five 22-cent mailings by Midland County Tax Assessor-Collector Frances Shuffield and by the delinquent tax attorney in notifying Schaffrina of his tax bill. Billing and computer-related expenses would add more to the costs.

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Two burglary suspects will be charged

From Staff Reports

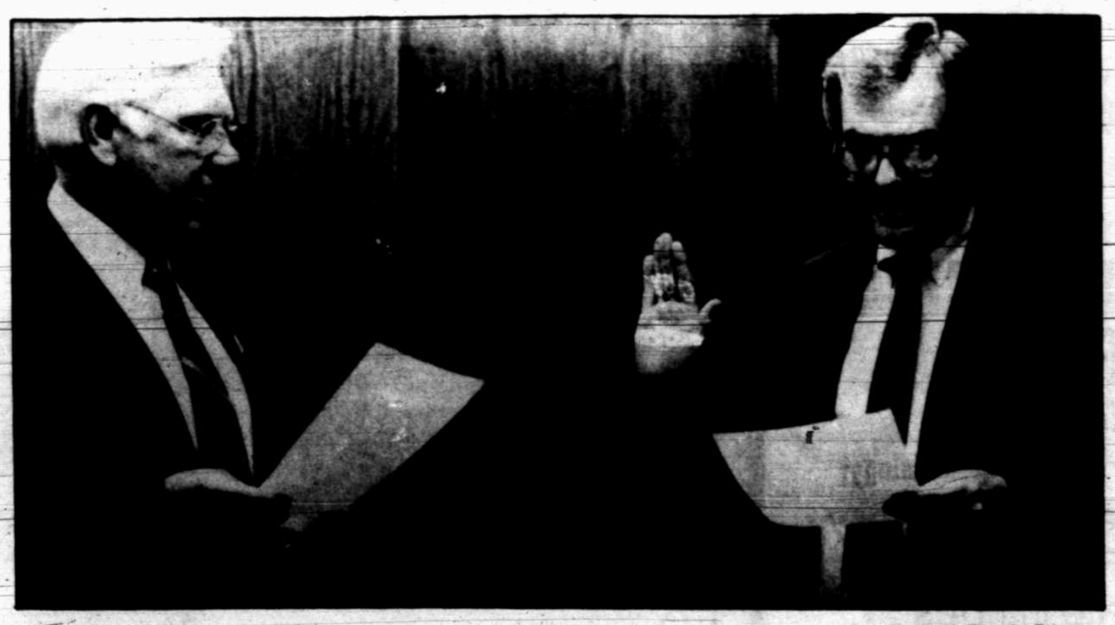
Police Roundup

Two Midland men are expected to be charged today after they were arrested late Tuesday outside a residence that had just been burglarized.

According to reports, officers responded to a report of a burglary in progress at 711 N. Mogford about 8:20 p.m., and found a vehicle with keys in the ignition in the alley behind the house. The two men, ages 21 and 32, were arrested after they climbed over a backyard fence and attempted to run away.

Police said a stereo valued at $100 was stolen from the house, which according to a neighbor was vacant at the time. The men are expected to charged with burglary of a habitation.

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Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Being sworn in

Parker Humes, recently appointed to an unexpired term on the Midland Junior College District Board of Trustees, takes the oath of office Tuesday during a special meeting.

UTPB students do better than average on ExCET

By JIM WARREN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

Of 88 UTPB students who took the Examination for the Certification of Educators in Texas — the ExCET — 77 passed...

AUSTIN — Prospective teachers at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin outperformed the state average in a recent certification test and posted an 88 percent passing rate.

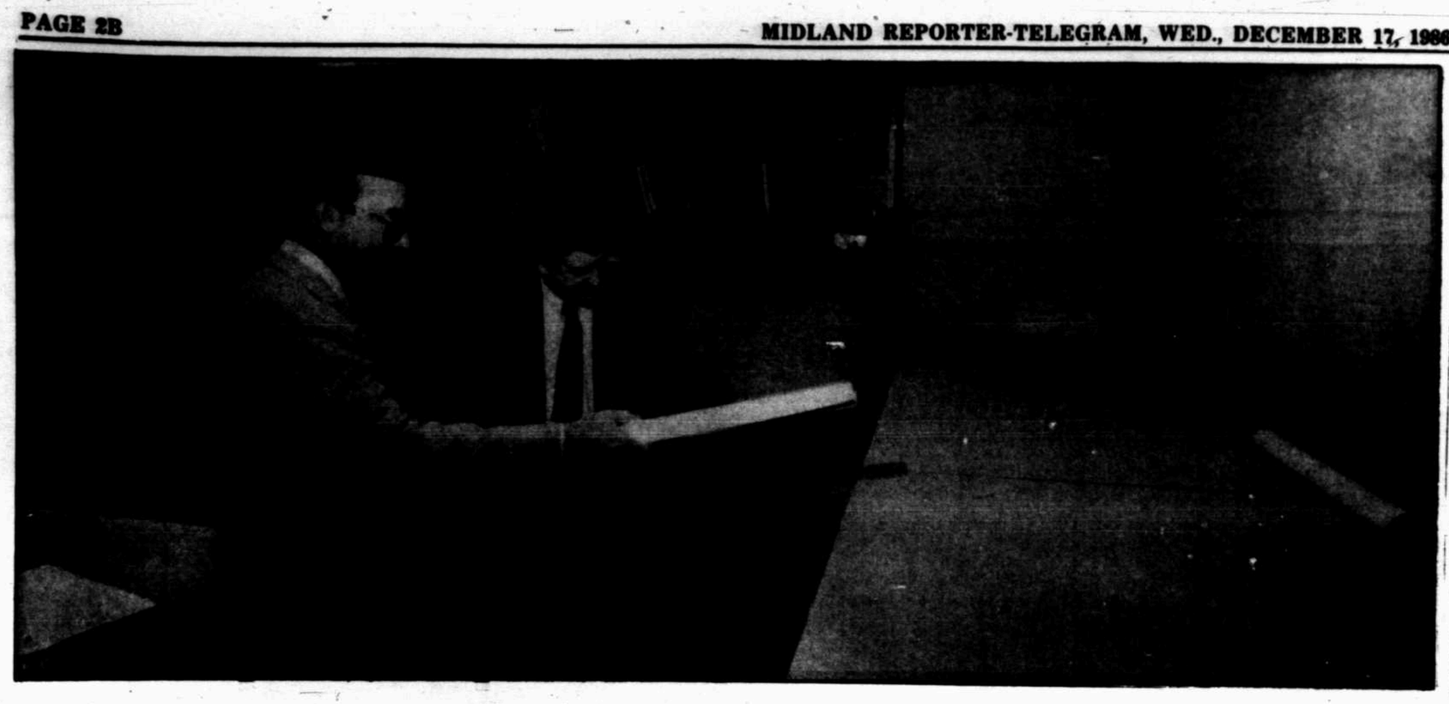
Of 88 UTPB students who took the Examination for the Certification of Educators in Texas — the ExCET — 77 of them passed, the Texas Education Agency reported Tuesday.

The ExCET, a battery of 34 tests, covers teaching skills and subject areas, and generally education students must pass two or three tests to be certified in a particular subject.

While 80.8 percent passed overall, more blacks failed the test than passed. Slightly more than 54 percent of blacks failed the test, while 39.3 percent of Hispanics failed. The third ethnic breakdown — simply listed as "other" and made up of non-black and non-Hispanic students — passed at a rate of 87.6 percent.

One hundred percent passed at Trinity Unviversity, and passing rates were in the 90s at Baylor University, University of Houston, St. Mary's University and three campuses of the University of Texas — Austin, Arlington and Dallas.

On the low end, predominately black Prairie View A&M University students posted a 34 percent passing rate, the lowest in the state. Students at another black school, Texas Southern University, passed at a rate of 42 percent. Mostly Hispanic Pan American University at Brownsville had a passing rate of 54 percent, one percentage point worse than Wayland Baptist College.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Checking out the office

Midland school trustee Joe Reed, right, and Wilson Heidelberg, director of school plant services, examine office space at the district's newly acquired transportation/warehouse facility. Trustees last week voted to buy the complex and 27 acres of property in northwest Midland at a cost of $650,000.

Jury acquitts man in officer's slaying

DALLAS (AP) — A jury deliberated more than five hours before acquitting Charles Tillis Jr. of a murder charge in the slaying of a Dallas policeman.

During closing arguments Tuesday, defense lawyers argued that Tillis, who is black, was merely attempting to help a friend who was being provoked by a police officer with a history of confrontations with the public.

"I just want to work and just live," said Tillis, who cried after the verdict was returned about 10:30 p.m. by an all-white jury in state district court.

Tillis, 28, was accused of kicking and hitting Officer Gary Blair before another man shot Blair. In March, Blair and Andrew Oliver Pigg fatally shot each other in an apartment parking lot in a dispute that became the focus of the trial.

Prosecutors contended Tillis kicked and hit Blair, allowing Pigg to grab one of Blair's two guns.

Defense attorneys maintained Tillis came to the rescue of his friend after Blair provoked Pigg into a fight when the officer stopped Pigg on a traffic violation.

Blair's former partner testified that Blair often provoked citizens and would unnecessarily escalate tense situations. But under cross-examination, the officer said he had never reported any of Blair's actions to superiors.

"It sends a message that we can have a white jury deciding judgment of a black man, and that they may come to the right decision," defense lawyer Roger Joyner said. "It sets a new day for Dallas."

State District Judge Ron Chapman told jurors they could either find Tillis guilty of murder, which carried a maximum sentence of life in prison, or acquit him.

J.K. Ramsey, president of the Dallas Police Association, said the verdict was "going to be hard to live with."

"You've got a man who interfers in a confrontation between a police officer and a person he is trying to arrest," Ramsey said. "He kicks and assaults the officer. I just can't understand how the interference didn't contribute to the death of one or both the men."

BIRTHS

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December 8, 1986

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Bernard Conally, 3609 Caldera, #233, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eugene Harrison, 4802-B Country Club, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Coffman, 5200 N. Midkiff, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hinkley, 2409 Haynes, Midland, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Joseph Ostrout, Jr., 4700 Polo Parkway, Midland, boy.

December 9, 1986

Mr. and Mrs. Brett Eugene Weinzel, Rt. 6, Box 600, Sp. 35, Midland, boy.

Rose Anna Freeman, 1100 S. Loraine, Midland, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Wynne Wroe, P.O. Box 327, Sheffield, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Michael Brich, Rt. 10, Box 13196, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Manuel De La Cruz, P.O. Box 174, Big Lake, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Leodegario Amezcuza, 1115 N. Carrizo, Midland, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Robert Hablston, 3205 Frontier, Midland, girl.

December 10, 1986

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wade Anderson, 2406 Brunson, Midland, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Radford Kiowski, 5211 San Antonio Ave., Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edward Halfman, St. Lawrence Rt. Box 32-A, Garden City, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mack Mitchell, 211 Kniffen Dr., Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lee Golson, 406 Irvin, Midland, girl.

Trudy Louise Williamson, 300 E. Cedar, Midland, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Salas Garza, P.O. Box 1303, Stanton, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin H., Baeza, P.O. Box 38, Jal, New Mexico, girl.

December 11, 1986

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Guadalupe Moreno, 305 E. Pecan, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Roberts, Rt. 2, Box 115, Sp. 25, Midland, twin boys.

Deborah Francisca Lindsey, 307 E. Pecan, Midland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brett Smith, 2602 Racquet Club, Midland, girl.

San Antonio priest will become bishop of new Tyler archdiocese

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A priest in the San Antonio Roman Catholic Archdiocese will become the bishop of a new diocese to be created in Tyler next year.

Monsignor Charles E. Herzig is currently vice chancellor and director of the tribunal of the San Antonio Archdiocese. He will be ordained archbiship on Feb. 17, church officials said Tuesday.

The bishops of Texas requested and Pope John Paul II granted the creation of the new diocese in East Texas because the 32-county area was not being served adequately by the dioceses in Dallas, Houston and Beaumont, San Antonio Archbishop Patrick Flores said.

"Bishop-elect Herzig is a very dedicated individual with a clear and incisive mind," Flores said. "He is a good moral person, reflecting the virtue of poverty in his lifestyle.

"He has a great rapport with his fellow priests and is loved by us all. His health is in excellent condition," Flores said.

He said the Catholic population in the area is about 40,000 and growing.

Herzig was born on Aug. 14, 1929, in San Antonio. He studied at St. John's Seminary, Assumption Theological Seminary and at St. Mary's University, all in San Antonio.

He was ordained a priest on May 31, 1955 by Bishop Robert L. Lucey.

Herzig was associate pastor at several parishes.

He was financial secretary to Archbishop Lucey, 1956-66; vice rector of St. John's 1968; vice president of Assumption-St. John's Seminary, 1970; vice dean of students at Assumption-St. John's, 1972; pastor of St. Stephen's Church in San Antonio, 1973-80; pastor of Holy Name Parish, San Antonio, 1981-84.

Clements names secretary of state

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov.-elect Bill Clements today announced his appointment of Jack Rains of Houston as secretary of state.

Rains was a founder of 3D-International, a Houston-based design and management firm. Until this month, he served as chairman of the board of the company.

"Jack has a tremendous background as a businessman and a entrepreneur," Clements said at a news conference. "He also has a keen sense of public service and civic affairs."

Rains was the statewide co-chairman of Clements' 1986 campaign.

"Gov. Clements and his administration will lead the state successfully through these difficult times. I am fully prepared and completely dedicated to serving our great state of Texas and our governor," said Rains.

Rains will replace current Secretary of State Myra McDaniel in January.



Dennis Kruse, back, and his 60-year-old father, John, have been separated for 15 years. Kruse lost track of his son in 1971 after moving to Califorhad and given up hope of ever seeing his son again.

AP Laserphoto

Father, son together again after 15 years

DALLAS (AP) — John Kruse hadn't seen his son since 1971 even though they had lived 40 miles apart for almost six years.

A newspaper story changed that.

Last Friday, the 60-year-old Kruse began to read an article about a DeSoto policeman whose car had been damaged in a chase.

Kruse leapt from the table, shouting, "It's him. It's got to be him."

Because he has a hearing problem, Kruse asked his daughter to telephone Officer Dennis Kruse. The phone call touched off a weekend of hugging and reminiscing.

The elder Kruse lost track of his son 15 years ago after moving to California and taking a migratory logging job in the Sierra Nevadas. He had given up hope of ever seeing his son again.

"He's my flesh and blood. I thought about him constantly," Kruse said.

"What's so amazing is that we were so close together," said Dennis Kruse, 42. "I had forgotten how he looked. But looking into his face is like looking into a mirror."

Both father and son said they never stopped looking for each other.

At 8, Dennis Kruse lost touch with his father when his parents divorced. He grew up with his mother in northern California.

BURGLARY

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Police also are investigating the burglary of two vehicles Tuesday. According to reports, police have two suspects, both juveniles, following the burglary of a vehicle in the 900 block of East Gist Avenue. Two stereo speakers valued at $60 were stolen.

A radar detector valued at $349 and 10 cassette tapes valued at $100 were stolen from a vehicle while parked in the 1700 block of Carol Lane. Police are still investigating that incident, reports said.

In other reports, a storage unit at Midland Self Storage, 3600 N. Big Spring, was burglarized sometime between Sunday and Tuesday. Tires valued at $200 and mag wheels valued at $200 were reported stolen.

COUNCIL

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The council Tuesday also voted to purchase two new ambulances, two garbage trucks and a new fire truck at a total cost of $335,500.

DEATHS

Earl Baker

Earl R. Baker of Midland died early Wednesday morning at a Big Spring hospital. Services are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

Augusta Perry

IRVING — Services for Augusta C. Perry of Irving, father of a Midland woman, were Tuesday at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Fort Worth.

He was 77 years old and died Sunday at an Irving hospital.

He was born June 9, 1909 in Stonewall County. He owned his own dental supply company which was operated out of Irving.

Survivors, include one son, Dr. Litt Perry of Irving; two daughters, Gayle Suttles of Dallas and Judia Foreman of Midland; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

TAX

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Schaffrina said that he did offer to pay the tax bill last summer but that a clerk in the Midland County Tax Assessor-Collector's Office declined the cash offer and "said it had to be a check or money order." He had no blank checks with him at the time.

Since then, Schaffrina decided to make an issue over the picayune tax.

But Mrs. Shuffield, who said Schaffrina must be mistaken on the no-cash matter, said that her office has "never refused a check or cash from anyone." Most taxpayers will pay the minor bills with cash," she said. "We ask them (taxpayers) for cash or check." Ninety percent of taxes which she collects are paid by check.

Mrs. Shuffield said that she has no choice but to bill for any taxable item — real or personal — on the tax rolls. To do otherwise "would be indiscriminate taxation. We can't remove it from the tax rolls if it is a taxable item."

"They (tax attorneys) can file suit at any time" to collect the tax, Mrs. Shuffield said last week, and conceivably could get a judgment to sell Schaffrina's $510 boat to collect the $1.02, the interest and penalty and 15 percent attorney's fees.

"The judgment on this would be minor," Mrs. Shuffield said last week. "It would be a waste of time."

COMPUTER

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Commissioner Scott Welch said he supports buying the system because it will be cheaper than hiring another person.

Compared with the expected cost of about $20,000, the county would have to spend up to $35,000 to hire two more people, Wright said.

"I don't think it's a question of being able to afford to. It's a question of not being able to afford to," Wright said.

The six-year-old Burroughs system needs updating to handle more accounting and treasurer records, the department heads said.

The system will be bought using surplus funds, the commissioners said.

Because all departments worked to limit their budgets this year, the county reserve fund has been built up from $200,000 to about $800,000, Wright said.

"We're in better shape as far as our reserves go," Wright said.

The commissioners will open bids for the new computer system at their last meeting of the year on Dec. 29.

Meeting to be held on extending Lamesa Road

From Staff Reports

The Eastside Economic Development Task Force will sponsor a southside community meeting on the proposed extension of Lamesa Road and its impact on the southside of Midland.

The meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Fellowship Hall of Hollowell United Methodist Church, 400 S. Marshall..

For additional information, call Conrad Coleman or Nancy Vickrey at 686-0747.

Red ribbon will be sober reminder

From Staff Reports

Tie a red ribbon to the left door handle of your car, says Faye Higgins, to remind fellow Americans to stay sober behind the driver's wheel.

"The red ribbon campaign is a symbol of a less violent future for all of us this holiday season," said Ms. Higgins, who is president of Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) in Midland.

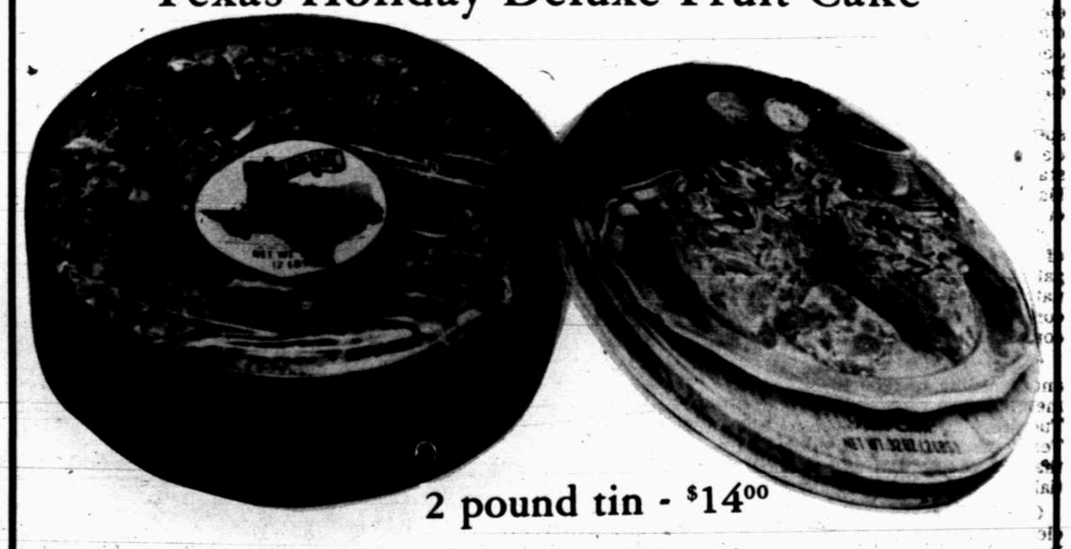
MADD is campaigning to persuade more and more motorists not to drive if they have drunk or are drinking alcoholic beverages.

Last year, Texas reported 989 alcohol-related highway deaths but, Ms. Higgins said, the count "may be closer" to 2,000 because blood-alcoholic tests were not taken in all fatal accidents — particularly in cases where the driver was injured and not killed.

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Even new Cadillac didn't drive woman to get license

FORT WORTH (AP) — Most anyone who'd just received the gift of a brand-new red Cadillac would be eager to slide behind the wheel for a test spin. Not Vivian Millirons, who doesn't drive.

The car, which she received in 1976, was a gift from her husband, Rolly, who hoped it would give his wife incentive to learn to drive. He even offered to teach her himslf.

"There weren't that many lessons," Mrs. Millirons remembered with a laugh. "Husbands aren't the best teachers. I could start it, but he had me on this country road with S-curves and very sharp curves. He got a little scared and was yelling at me to put on the brakes. Very unnerving."

Friends who consider independence one of Mrs. Millirons' salient characteristics have teased her a bit because she doesn't drive.

"When people who've known me for years find out I don't drive, they're shocked," said Mrs. Millirons, 43. "I guess I just never had a real strong drive to drive. I'm a little afraid of cars. I don't know why — I've never been in an accident."

Mrs. Millirons has lots of company, said Gerry White, general manager and president of Sears Driving School, which has offices in Fort Worth and several other cities.

Most adults who begin driving lessons are "basically afraid," he said. "The older people get, the more fearful they get of dying or being hurt, whereas teen-agers feel it always happens to someone else.

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"We've had a number of people from up north — Chicago or New York — who've never learned to drive, because the (public) transportation systems up there are excellent — subways and buses and commuter trains," he said.

"Right now, there are a lot a lot of people who stayed at home, and their spouses did the driving. Then they either get a divorce or the spouse gets sick and dies — and they have to see to the driving," White said.

Until lately, Mrs. Millirons' not driving hasn't been a problem. If she wanted to go shopping, her husband, who was self-employed, could simply drop her off at a mall and pick her up later. If she had to go to a civic meeting, she generally could rely on catching a ride with friends going the same direction.

But since her husband was elected a justice of the peace recenty, his hours have become more regimented, and Mrs. Millirons' mobility has been more limited, she said.

"I do occasionally regret it (not driving)," she said. "It would be nice just for simple errands. Or, for an emergency with an animal — we have eight cats and seven dogs — to be able to go to the vet's. I've thought about taking driving lessons ...I have a lot of friends who tell me I ought to before I get older.

"After you get used to being out and about, you kind of feel trapped, so I may still," she said.

Jeremiah Collier, owner of Texas Driving School, said that it's wise to learn to drive before it becomes a necessity.

"When one spouse has done all the driving and that person dies, the other is left holding the bag with a car they can't use. Or they have to depend on others who may want to go (on an errand) at a time the person really doesn't want to go."

If the individual takes driving lessons under those circumstances, it's much more difficult to learn than it normally would be, he said.

"They're highly nervous anyway, because they've always been on the other side of the car and seen cars coming at them from that perspective. Plus, they feel pressured to act at a time when they really haven't gotten over the grief of losing the spouse," he said.

Under normal conditions, though, adults make good students because they are "more cautious, more acutely aware of the responsibility" than teen-agers, Collier said. While teen-aers may master the driving skills themselves more quickly, adults "want to do it meticulously and properly."

Collier said a very small percentage of his pupils are adults. Like younger driving students, they must pass a written exam and eye test and pay a $5 fee to obtain an instruction permit from the Texas Department of Public Safety.

After obtaining the instruction permit from the department, a person may begin behind-the-wheel training, Collier said. Generally, adults spend nine to 10 hours of such training before they are ready to take their driving test, he said.

Once they're to that point, the major problem most people have is one of nervousness, said Dutch Miller, instructor with the Sears school.

"When the (DPS) troopers come out (to give a driving test), the students just die," he said. "I had one lady, an excellent driver, who couldn't get the key in the ignition. The trooper finally got disgusted and got out of the car.

"I had another woman, about 66, who was an excellent driver — even lined everything up in parallel parking just perfect. But with the troopers, she kept getting so nervous she didn't pass," he said. "She came back five times to be tested.



AP Laserphoto

Vivian Millirons, 43, received this bright red Cadillac from her husband in 1976 as an incentive to learn to drive. The Fort Worth woman still does not have her license. She says she doesn't know why she hasn't so far learned to drive, but now that her husband — who used to drive her wherever she wanted to go — has been elected justice of the peace, she might have to go ahead and learn.

Report predicts boom in Hispanic population

WASHINGTON (AP) — Education and labor in Texas will change dramatically over the next 50 years because of a predicted boom in Hispanic population, a private research group says.

The report, written by economist F. Ray Marshall and demographer Leon F. Bouvier, predicts the population of Hispanics in the Lone Star State will nearly equal that of the state's Anglo population by the year 2035.

In 1985, Anglos represented 63 percent of the state's population of 16.5 million people compared to 22.7 percent for Hispanics, 12.5 percent for blacks and 1.8 percent for Asians and other groups, according to the report, which was released Tuesday.

By 2035, when the state's projected population will be more than 30.2 million, Anglos will represent 43.4 percent of all Texans, Hispanics 39.3 percent, blacks 10.9 percent and Asians and others 6.4 percent, according to the report.

"Texas will continue to grow and should double in size over the next half-century," according to the study, issued by the Washington-based Population Reference Bureau, Inc. "In marked contrast, the United States population is expected to increase by only 28 percent during the same period."

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— Report by Population Reference Bureau, Inc.

The study suggests the population shift will put increasing demands on the state's educational system as the school-age population becomes increasingly Spanish-speaking.

"Over two-thirds of foreign born Texans came from Latin America, most of whom were Mexican," according to the report.

The report predicts that "under reasonable assumptions regarding fertility and age-specific imigration rates, Anglo children will lose their majority before the turn of the century and by 1995 they will make up 48 percent of the state's population under 15.

"Thirty years from now, young Hispanics will equal Anglos in numbers. If current trends continue, black youths will comprise smaller proportions in the future while Asian proportions will grow."

The sheer growth of nearly 2 million students over the next 50 years will require 100,000 more teachers if the current ratio between students and teachers is retained, the study suggests.

"Bilingual instructors will be particularly in demand."

The shift in ethnic balance will also bring more minorities into the labor market, including a substantial increase in white collar jobs, most of which are now held by Anglos, according to the report.

"Between 2000 and 2035, Anglo females and minorities will comprise 95 percent of the new entrants into the labor force of Texas," the report said.

The researchers estimated the labor force to grow from just over eight million people in 1985 to 11.5 million by the turn of the century and 15.7 million by 2035.

"In future years, the labor force of Texas will become increasingly feminized and, perhaps more important, considerably older," Marshall and Bousier said. "Not only will the state's labor force age, it will also be more ethnically diverse."

In 1985, women comprised 41.8 percent of the labor force and are expected to secure 46.6 percent by 2000 before dropping off slightly in the 21st century, the study suggests.

Bunche won Nobel in 1950

The first Black American to win the Nobel Peace Prize was Ralph Bunche in 1950 for his work with the United Nations in Mideastern peace efforts.



Lubbock student diagnosed with AIDS to be allowed back in school

LUBBOCK (AP) — A child diagnosed as the first Texas elementary school student having AIDS will be allowed to return to school.

The student whose name, age, sex and school have not been released by school officials, was diagnosed as having the disease in early June, and subsequently was voluntarily withdrawn from summer school after attending the first two days of classes.

The readmission will be subject to at least six guidelines designed to protect the AIDS victims and his or her classmates from medical dangers, as well as to address the public's concerns, said Vicki Shadden, Lubbock Independent School District's director of nursing.

The school board Tuesday night unanimously concurred with a review committee's recommendation that the AIDS victim be re-admitted, noting that there is no medical evidence to justify barring the child from school.

The guidelines, to which the child's parents agreed, require that the AIDS victim use a separate restroom, bring his or her lunch or eat at home, be monitored daily by a school nurse and submit to other rules as necessary.

They also require that the school staff will be notified of the child's medical condition on a "need-to-know" basis and that transfer requests from teachers and students at the child's school be given no special consideration.

Under the policy, the AIDS victim may be removed from school at any time by the school principal, the school nurse, his or her family or physician. The child would not be allowed to return to school unless the school board then again voted to allow re-admission.

AIDS, acquired immune deficiency syndrome, is a fatal illness in which the body's immune system no longer has the ability to fight off certain cancers and infections.

Brian Quinn, LISD attorney, cited precedents involving school attendance by AIDS victims that all have ended with courts ordering school districts to allow the children to attend classes.

According to the district's AIDS attendance policy, a victim of the disease may be allowed to attend classes provided "his/her presence does not pose a substantial threat or danger to that individual or other persons within the facility or a substantial threat to the academic process."

Shadden said the child exhibits none of the warning signs, such as aggressive behavior, uncontrolled drooling or open sores, that would provide a medical reason for denying readmission.

Dr. Anthony Way, city health director, noted that medical experts have determined that the disease can be transmitted only through sexual activity, contact with contaminated blood products or from a female victim to her child.

"Given this," he said, "it is quite clear that this child does not pose a threat."

The child received instruction from Homebound program instructors last year and thus far in the 1986-87 school year, but requested readmission to school in October.

With the board's action, the child will be allowed to return to school for the second semester, which begins on Jan. 26.

Potential candidate visits Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — A change in state election laws will make Texas extremely important in the 1988 presidential campaigns, says potential Democratic candidate U.S. Rep. Dick Gephardt.

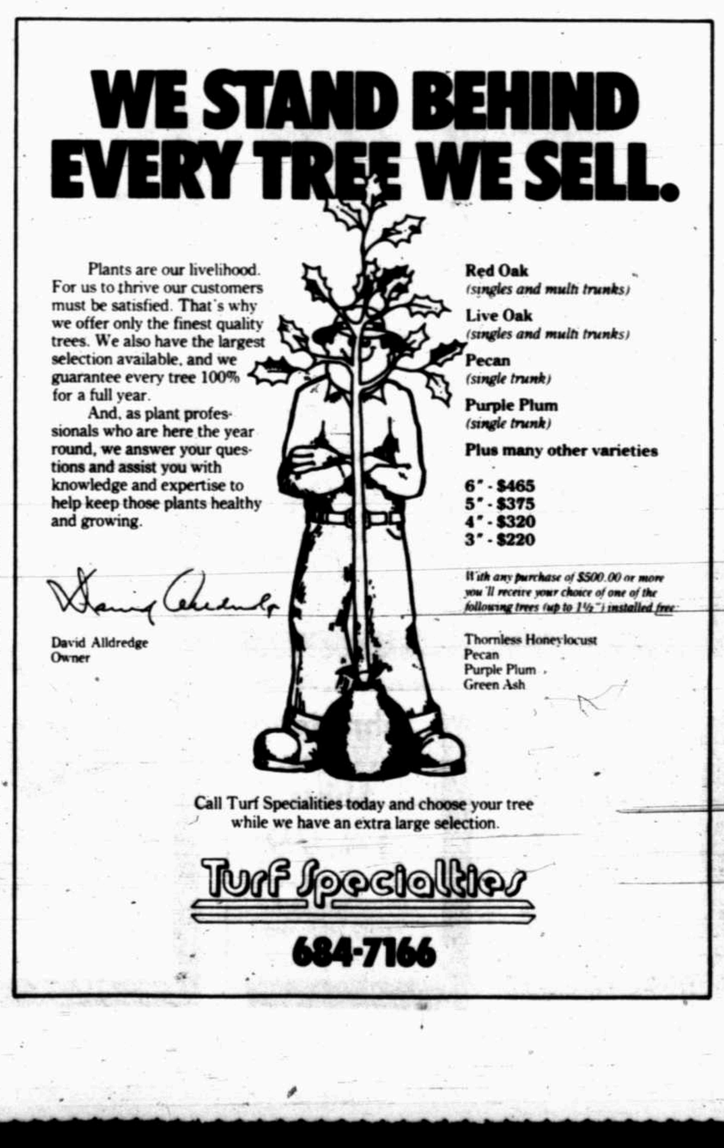
A law changed during the summer special session will shift Texas' presidential primary, along with the statewide primary, from May to March 8, along with a number of other Southern states.

"By the end of March 8, by the end of the day, about half of the delegates will be selected to go to the national conventions," the Missouri congressman told a Capitol news conference on Tuesday.

"Texas is one of the biggest states and will have a major impact on the message that comes out of Super Tuesday," Gebhardt said. "I think Texas will have a much greater say than it has had in who our presidential nominees will be."

Gebhardt, who recently was re-elected chairman to the U.S. House Democratic caucus, set up an exploratory committee three weeks ago for the 1988 presidential race. He told the news conference he probably would make a decision in February or March.

Gebhardt visited Austin as part of a three-day swing through the state, also visiting Dallas, San Antonio and Houston.





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Christmas trees supply increased

DETROIT (AP) — The nation's bil lion-dollar Christmas tree industry has produced a bumper harvest, and while that's good news for consumers it could be bad news for growers, a forestry researcher says.

There is concern in Michigan, the nation's No. 1 Christmas tree produc er, that an oversupply could hurt some in the already highly competi tive industry.

"The demand for Christmas trees is increasing 1 to 2 percent a year while the supply could increase as much as 10 percent in the next five years," said Mel Koelling, a Michigan State University forestry professor.

Prices already have leveled off. Last year, the average 5½- to 7-foot tree sold for $21.75, said David Bau mann, spokesman for the National Christmas Tree Association in Mil waukee. The average price is about the same this year, he said.

Profits are still good, but competition fueled by an increasing number of growers during the past 10 years could eventually drive some farmers out of business, Koelling said.

Besides the common enemy, the plastic Christmas tree, growers are having to deal with regional competition.

Southern farmers, who grow their own varieties such as Virginia Pine, are trying to capture profitable markets in cities like Dallas, Atlanta and New Orleans, which used to rely on the Northern-grown varieties, such as balsam firs and white spruce.

"'This is Georgia grown,' or, 'This is Texas grown' has a certain appeal to state nationalism," Koelling said.

Growers have responded to the competition by producing a better product, he said. Some clean trees before selling them, and many tint them green or use an adhesive to prevent needle loss.

"In the '70s, nearly everything that was green and had some needles on it could be sold," he said. "Now we're seeing growers be more selective. They're offering a better tree."

Koelling blamed the growing harvest on the oil crisis of the 1970s, when the cost of plastic trees made with oil jumped, raising demand for natural trees.

Growers responded to a shortage of real trees by dramatically increasing planting, and the effects of that are just being felt because it takes nearly 10 years for a tree to mature, Koelling said.

About 1,200 commercial growers farm on 130,000 acres in Michigan's $100 million industry, Koelling said. About three-quarters of the 5.3 million trees grown in Michigan this year will be sent to 38 other states.

Barry Brand, executive secretary of the Michigan Christmas Tree Association, said studies have shown Christmas tree purchases are evenly divided among real trees and artificial ones.

Road crew uses tractor rims to make culverts

PLAINVIEW, Texas (AP) — It may not be the same as beating swords into plowshares, but turning tractor rims into culverts and saving taxpayer money is a good idea anyway.

Precinct 3 Hale County Commissioner Henry Rieff says he got the idea about a year ago when he was at a local steel-supply firm and saw a large stack of farm-tractor rims "just sitting there doing nothing."

His seven-member precinct crew has since fabricated and installed two such creations, while a third is finished and two more are in the works.

By welding 18 or so of the 36-inch diameter rims together, Rieff is able to produce a 24-foot-long culvert at a cost of about $19 — a savings of more than $700 over the price of "store-bought" corrugated-steel culverts, which measure 24 inches in diameter.

He also uses the culverts to join adjacent lakes and equalize their water levels.

Individual farmers or stores that sell and mount tractor tires either give him old rims or sell them to him for $1 each. "One farmer said if it would save taxes, go ahead and take 'em," he recalled.

Besides reducing capital outlays for the county, Rieff says his culverts are more durable than ready-made ones because they're twice as thick. He figures he can get 30 to 40 years out of them, compared with 20 or 30 years from the others.

His costs don't include labor or materials such as welding rods and paint. But there's really no labor cost at all because his crew works on culverts when the weather's bad and they can't be out grading county roads or performing other tasks.

"They're salaried, so you have to pay them even if you send them home," said Rieff.

"One (crew member) said it sure beat sitting around smoking and telling jokes," he added. "It makes the day go by faster."

Store wraps in money

BAL HARBOUR, Fla. (AP) — A clothing store is offering Christmas wrapping paper made from crisp, uncut sheets of $1 bills.

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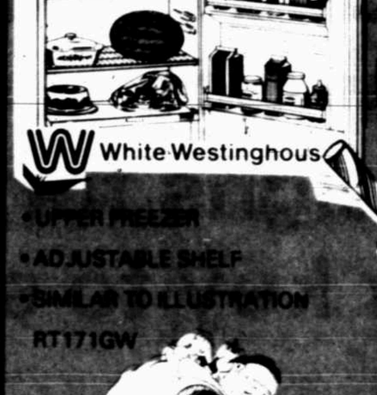
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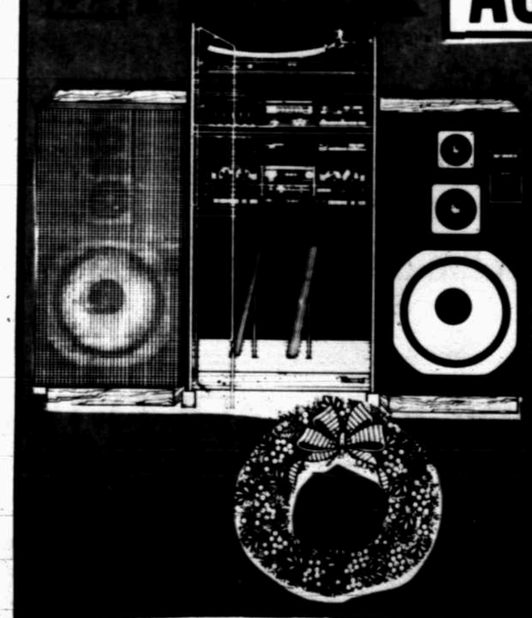
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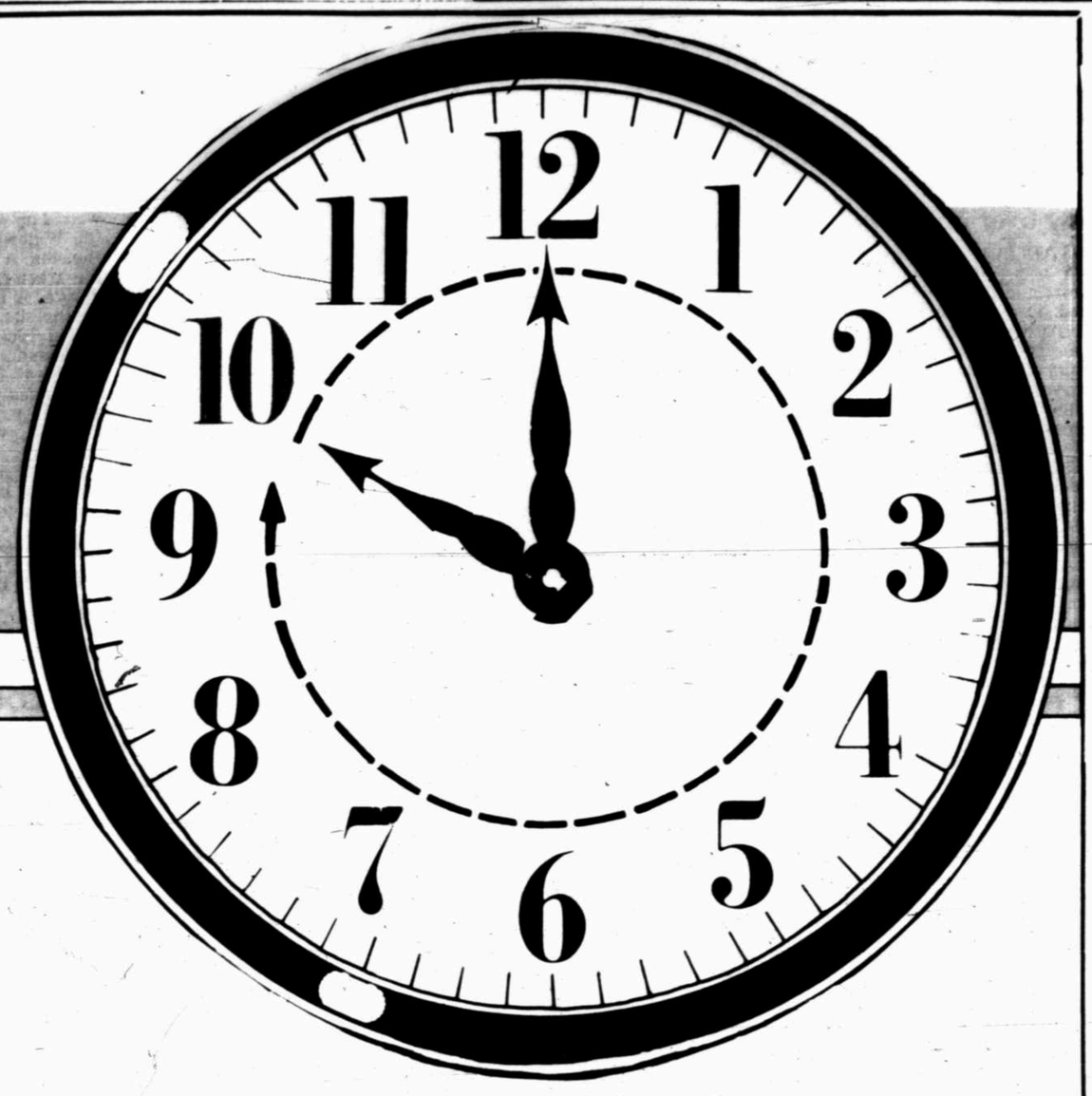
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STATE in brief

Fuel prices to remain steady over holidays

HOUSTON (AP) — Motorists planning to travel in Texas over the Christmas and New Year's holidays will find steady fuel prices throughout the state, according to an American Automobile Association survey.

The prices in most categories have remained relatively unchanged since the Thanksgiving weekend, but prices have dropped dramatically since last year.

The survey says prices have decreased by an average of 32 cents per gallon in the full-serve category and 38 cents per gallon at the self-serve pumps.

The average price for self-serve unleaded gasoline in the state this Thanksgiving weekend was 72.4 cents per gallon, while the price for the same gasoline last December averaged $1.14 per gallon.

The lowest price for self-serve unleaded gasoline can be found in Houston at 62 cents per gallon while motorists getting the same gasoline in Amarillo and El Paso can expect prices at 81 cents per gallon, the survey shows.

Availability of fuel for the holiday stretch has declined slightly since last year, with 42 percent of the stations surveyed planning to be open on the Christmas and New Year's holidays. About 29 percent of the those surveyed will remain open 24 hours during the holiday season.

Banned paper published

AUSTIN (AP) — Bryan High School students distributed a Christmas edition of a formerly banned alternative newspaper on school grounds Tuesday, Texas Civil Liberties Union officials said.

Protected by a temporary injunction issued this month by State District Judge Harley Clark, students distributed "Twisted Times," which was banned last year by Principal Jerry Kirby.

The TCLU filed suit Dec. 4 against the Bryan Independent School District, alleging that student Karl Evans' rights had been violated by requiring him to submit his newspaper to school officials before publication and by allegedly censoring it.

TCLU legal director Jim Harrington said Kirby was aware of the alternative newpaper and banned it only after "Twisted Times" sponsored a contest for students to draw a picture of the principal.

Kirby banned the paper in the spring of 1985 after it had been distributed once a month between October 1984 and March 1985 by Evans, Harrington said.

Cases of gonorrhea up

AUSTIN (AP) — A new strain of gonorrhea found in the Travis county area has caused a 360 percent increase in cases of the veneral disease since last year, health officials reported Thursday.

Penicillin resistant gonorrhea is on the rise because of an increase in casual sex and prostitution, health officials say.

Last year, five cases of penicillin resistant gonorrhea were reported in Travis county. Since September, 23 cases of the disease have been reported.

Doctors say the new strain cannot be treated with ordinary medication and that could lead to patient complications, including infertility.

Bingo halls shut down

AUSTIN (AP) — The state comptroller has shut down three commercial bingo halls and suspended the bingo licenses of 15 organizations in Tarrant County until court hearings can be held to determine if the licenses should be lifted permanently.

"Charity bingo games in Texas will be operated by the letter of the law or they won't operate at all," said Comptroller Bob Bullock.

The commercial halls closed included Westside Bingo in Arlington and Westside Bingo and Benbrook Bingo, both in Fort Worth.

The organization licenses suspended included Pride of the South No. 324, Rescue No. 20, Kingdom of God's Son, True Gospel Missionary Baptist Church, True Light Holy Sanctified Church, Elks Lodge No. 1562, Samson Park VFD, Provident Lodge No. 273, Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, Lake Worth VFD, High Twelve Lodge No. 559, Cowan Lodge No. 421, Pro-Fection No. 140, River Oaks VFD, and River Oaks Lions Club.

The 18 were charged with multiple violations of the state bingo law. A total of 201 violations were alleged. Thiolations alleged were for incomplete books and records, commercial lessor involvement with groups, failure to account for funds, and incomplete or inaccurate records on quarterly reports.

Civil rights trial date set

WACO (AP) — April 13 has been set as the date of a trial in a civil rights lawsuit filed by the descendants of a black Freestone County resident seeking to reclaim almost 3,000 acres in Freestone County.

The descendants of Anderson Willis, a former Freestone County slave, claimed in the federal suit that Willis was the victim of a fraud scheme masterminded by whites in Freestone County who sold off much of Willis' prime land without his knowledge around 1904.

The suit, filed by Dallas attorney Donald Hicks Sr. in June 1984, lists more than 280 plaintiffs, all descendants of Willis, and about 20 defendants, many of whom are now deceased or are descendants of those the Willis family says defrauded the slave.

Mauro says land swaps make money for state

AUSTIN (AP) — State land transactions that have drawn questions from a lawmaker are part of the answer to the state's financial woes, Land Commissioner Garry Mauro says.

Mauro's staff Tuesday presented figures showing that recent land swaps are money-makers for the state.

"The public lands of Texas are going to be a partial solution to the fiscal crisis facing the state. I'm proud of what our staff is doing. I'm proud of what this board is doing," Mauro said after the presentation to the School Land Board.

In one of the deals — the swap of about 22,000 West Texas acres for about four Houston acres — the state did better in one year than it would have in 1,000 years of keeping the land, according to Steve Roberts, a deputy commissioner for asset review.

Mauro arranged the presentation to the board, on which he serves as chairman, in response to recent news stories raising questions about his program of trading large, relatively low-priced, state land in West Texas for commercial property.

Income from the state land is used for public education.

The Austin American-Statesman last week published stories that included questions raised by state Rep. Randy Pennington, R-Houston, about the land deals. Pennington wants lawmakers to look into the swap involving the West Texas and Houston tracts.

In that transaction, the state wound up with a four-acre tract near the Willowbrook Mall in northwest Houston. A developer who is leasing the tract from the state has been delayed in his efforts to build a hotel on the site.

Neil Block, an official with the partnership that is leasing the land, told the board the hotel will be built. He handed Mauro a $24,917 check in advance payment of the next lease payment, which is not due until March.

Roberts said the West Texas tracts included land that was virtually worthless to the state because of access problems. Mauro said the state had been stuck with the land because it had little value to anyone else.

Working out deals in which the state gets rid of those tracts and gets income-producing commercial tracts makes sense, according to Mauro. The Houston land was valued at $2.3 million, as was the West Texas tracts involved in the deal.

Mauro's staff said projections show the state would have made up to $1.5 million during the next 50 years by keeping the West Texas land. The Houston tract could produce as much as $104 million in that period, according to the projections.



Mauro

Couple's bodies found

MISSION (AP) — The bodies of a couple were found three days after they were shot to death in their Mission home, authorities said.

William Dyson, 63, and Phyllis Dyson, 64, were both shot in the face, said Hidalgo County sheriff's Capt. Albert Garcia.

Their bodies were discovered Monday by one of Dyson's co-workers, who was sent to the home after Dyson failed to answer another co-worker's phone calls over the weekend, Garcia said.

Authorities believe the victims were shot Friday, Garcia said.

Dyson was employed by a county water district and lived and worked in a home owned by the district.

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Latest quote $15.25 - 15.30; previous quote $15.50; year ago $25.00.

Latest quotes are from Tuesday, Dec. 16. Previous quotes are from the previous working day.

Source: Wall Street Journal

MONEY



Dollar mostly lower

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar was mixed but mostly lower in light European trading early today. Gold slipped to $393.40 in Europe after rising slightly in Hong Kong.

Currency traders said a lack of activity, typical of a year-end market, was keeping the dollar steady.

A second revised estimate of U.S. third-quarter gross national product was due later Wednesday, but traders said only a dramatic deviation from earlier estimates was likely to move the market.

A Dow Jones survey of 12 prominent economists predicted a third-quarter annual economic growth rate of 2.8 percent, down slightly from an earlier estimate of 2.9 percent.

Midmorning dollar rates compared with levels in Europe late Tuesday:

— 2.0170 West German marks, down from 2.0220

— 1.7025 Swiss francs, down from 1.7058

— 6.6035 French francs, down from 6.6145

— 2.2776 Dutch guilders, down from 2.2835

— 1,397.60 Italian lire, up from 1,397.50

— 1.3787 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3795

The British pound fell to $1.4288 from $1.4297.

The dollar gained ground against the Japanese yen for a seventh consecutive trading session, closing in Tokyo at 163.75 yen, fractionally up from Tuesday's close of 163.68 yen. Later in London the dollar drifted back to 163.68 yen.



London's five biggest bullion houses fixed a recommended gold price of $393.40 a troy ounce at midmorning, down from $394 Tuesday afternoon.

In Zurich, gold also was bid at $393.40, down from $393.50.

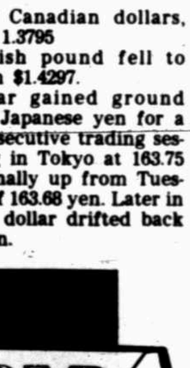
Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold edged up to a closing bid of $393.94, compared with Tuesday's $393.72.

Silver bullion traded in London at a bid of $5.37, down from $5.45.

STOCKS

MARKET IN BRIEF

N.Y.S.E. Issues
Consolidated Trading
Tuesday, Dec. 16
Volume Shares
185,168,280



Issues Traded 2,070
Up 944
Unchanged 456
Down 670

N.Y.S.E. Index	
142.87	+ 1.00
S.&P. Comp.	
250.04	+ 1.83
Dow Jones Ind.	
1,936.16	+ 13.35

Economy grows 2.8 percent

Analysts fear growth could weaken in 1987

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. economy, bolstered by a surge in car sales, expanded at an annual rate of 2.8 percent from July through September, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said the revived performance of the gross national product, the broadest measure of economic health, was accompanied by a substantial pick-up in inflation as well.

An inflation index tied to the GNP was rising at an annual rate of 3.6 percent in the third quarter, double the pace from April through June.

The GNP implicit price deflator, which measures price changes and changes in purchasing patterns, had risen just 1.8 percent in the second quarter, the lowest inflation rate since the spring of 1967.

Analysts blamed a rise in food prices for much of the upward spurt in prices.

The 2.8 percent rise in the GNP represented a revision from a slightly higher government estimate last month that put third quarter growth at 2.9 percent.

Analysts believe the 2.8 percent third quarter growth will be repeated in the October-December quarter, but they have expressed fears that growth could weaken substantially in the early part of 1987 because of the adverse impact of major changes in the tax law.

For the first nine months of 1986, the economy expanded at an annual rate of 2.4 percent, far below the administration's hopes at the beginning of 1986 for growth of 4 percent.

In 1985, the economy expanded at an annual rate of 2.7 percent and some analysts believe growth this year will fail to match even that lackluster performance.

The Reagan administration last week slashed its estimate for GNP growth in 1987 to 3.2 percent.

This was a full percentage point lower than its earlier estimates as the administration responded to criticism that its forecasts for the last two years had proven to be wildly optimistic. The administration's economic forecasts are used to estimate government revenues and spending.

The third quarter GNP report showed that much of the strength came in a boom in auto sales as consumers responded to cut-rate financing offers. Final sales jumped $40.4 billion, 4.5 percent, in the summer with half of that increase accounted for by auto sales.

Business investment, which has been weak all year, edged down 2.1 percent in the third quarter, a decline partially offset by a 9.7 percent rise in housing construction, which has enjoyed a boom because of falling mortgage rates.

The country's trade deficit, as measured by the GNP, worsened in the third quarter but at a slower pace than in the spring. While the deficit was growing at a rate of $28 billion from April through June, the summer increase was $9.4 billion.

The various changes left the GNP at $3.69 trillion at an annual rate after adjusting for inflation in the third quarter. Before inflation was taken into account, the GNP rose 6.4 percent in the third quarter.

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Seed company workers equal partners in firm

LUBBOCK, Texas (UPI) — The dozen employees of Summit Seed Co. often work long hours without any overtime pay, but being employed at the fledgling company has one major benefit — they are all equal owners of the operation.

The owners of Summit Seed are former employees of Terra Seed who purchased the operation from Terra Seed International after the Sioux City, Iowa, company decided to close down its Lubbock operation in August.

"It was a fairly quick decision to buy the company — one we talked about at length over several nights," said company president David True, who has exactly the same stake in the company as the 11 other employees. "The idea of employee ownership appealed to me and I had been doing some reading about leveraged buyouts. We decided that there might be an opportunity here.

"The one thing that makes it unique is that each employee owns the same amount of stock. Most leveraged buyouts are done by employees but a group of officers control most of the stock. This came closer to doing what we want to do. Everyone owns an equal share," True said.

The company moves about $2.5 million of sorghum, corn, cotton and wheat seed each year. The seed is sold primarily to farmers in Texas, but also to those in the Deep South, Midwest and Southwest.

"It's worked very well because we're all owners. We work long hours when we need to and we take an awful lot of pride in what we do. The only reason people will do that is because they are owners. They also take care of the equipment because everyone feels like they own that piece of equipment," True said.

Summit Seed is not much different from most seed companies, except for the personal service it offers, True said. And that personal service is what True hopes will allow the company to grow.

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U.S. aid to Iraq adds ironic twist to arms controversy

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON — Revelations that the United States provided military intelligence to Iraq have put the Reagan administration in the awkward position of helping both sides in the Persian Gulf war — and undercutting petroleum supplies to the West from the strategic region.

While the aim evidently is a negotiated settlement of the protracted Gulf conflict, helping Iraq knock out Iranian petroleum installations conflicts with another long-standing U.S. goal: keeping as much oil as possible flowing to Western homes and industries.

Administration credibility, already damaged by controversial American weapons shipments to so-called moderates in Tehran, could slip even further.

Only last April, Vice President George Bush was sent to the region to affirm the administration's intention to keep the Persian Gulf open.

AP Analysis

He said the United States had "common security objectives" with the countries in the area and he pledged to help combat aggression.

Together, Iran and Iraq, both members of the international oil cartel, produce about 11.5 percent of the petroleum imported by Western Europe. Iranian supplies are roughly at the pre-war level of about 1.4 million barrels a day, while Iraqi exports declined from 3 million barrels daily to 1.6 million barrels last month.

The world is floating on an abundance of oil, forcing prices down for industries and individual consumers. But a cutback in production, as contemplated by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries cartel or through the Iran-Iraq war, could cause them to inch up again.

In October, Iraqi bombing raids on Iranian installations forced a 30 percent cut in Tehran's output. Exports from Iraq, which go mostly through pipelines in Saudi Arabia and Turkey, are also slipping because the Saudis are in the midst of remodeling their facilities.

The U.S. help to Iraq, confirmed on Monday by two Reagan administration officials, is based on American satellite reconnaissance photography of Iranian defenses. The secret reports helped enable Iraqi pilots in their bombing raids on Iranian oil terminals and power plants.

Secretary of State George P. Shultz, on a U.S. government telecast to Western Europe, said Tuesday that a weakened Iran might be willing to negotiate with Iraq.

While Shultz said he was not free to comment on intelligence-sharing questions, he criticized Iran as "the principal recalcitrant party," and said "to the extent that Iran's military capabilities can be reduced, that presumably would bring them to a frame of mind where they are willing to sit down with Iraq and try to reach an agreement."

Shultz said the Reagan administration was in favor of an agreement that maintained the territorial integrity of both countries "and doesn't have, so to speak, a winner or a loser."

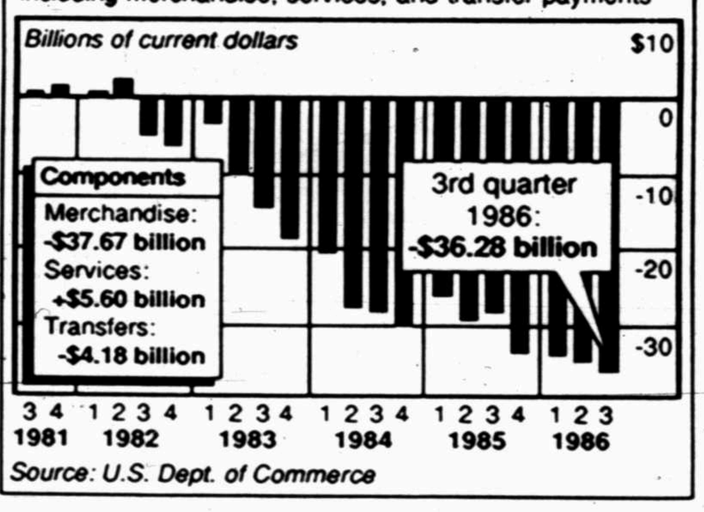
Responding to questions from a half-dozen European capitals, Shultz ruled out additional U.S. weapons sales to Tehran, which touched off a furor in Washington that is still gathering force.

He said President Reagan thought it was worthwhile "to send a small signal" that he wanted an improvement in relations. "No further signals are necessary or will be given," Shultz said. "The question of any further arms sales to Iran from the United States has been settled and there won't be any more under the present circumstances."

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U.S. Current Account

Seasonally adjusted broad measure of foreign trade, including merchandise, services, and transfer payments



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce

Trade deficit hits new high

By VIVIAN MARINO
AP Business Writer

The broadest measure of the U.S. foreign trade imbalance hit record heights in the third quarter while housing construction fell in November to the lowest level in more than two years, the government reported.

The Commerce Department said the imbalance in the nation's current trade account climbed to an all-time high of $36.28 billion in the July-September quarter. The department said the imbalance was 5.4 percent higher than the old record of $34.41 billion set in the second quarter.

The current account measures trade between countries not only in merchandise but also in services, primarily investment earnings, and transfer payments such as foreign aid.

Deficits in the current account have pushed the country in just three years from being the world's largest creditor to the biggest debtor. That means foreigners hold more U.S. investments than Americans hold in foreign investments.

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Head of Saudi oil company dismissed

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — King Fahd of Saudi Arabia removed another longtime oil official Tuesday by demanding the resignation of Abdul Hadi Taher, head of the Saudi national oil company. Last month the King dismissed Sheik Ahmed Zaki Yamani, his oil minister.

No reason was given for Tuesday's action. It was not announced by the Saudi government but became known through a report by the Saudi radio in Riyadh, the capital.

Oil specialists in the United States suggested that Taher — who was governor of Petromin, the Saudi petroleum and mineral agency, since he founded it in 1962 — might have been been ousted because of his longtime association with Sheik Yamani.

American West Airlines may service Midland

From Staff Reports

Midland may get another airline Friday, when American West, a Tempe, Arizona-based airlines is expected to announce service to Midland Regional Airport.

Airport manager, Vic White, said American West had been studying the Midland market for two years and could begin service as early as January 15, connecting Midland to the Phoenix hub.

A spokesman for American West would not confirm that the airline would be starting service to Midland, but added the company was very interested in the market.

The addition of the Arizona-based airline would bring the regional airport from an all time low of only two airlines to five. Only American and Southwest were left following the demise of Frontier, but that exit was followed by the entry of United Express and Continental. United Express serves Amarillo, Lubbock and Denver, while Continental serves Denver, Amarillo, and Houston from Midland.

According to White, American West may connect Midland to Austin and San Antonio.

GM investors to question Perot, Smith

DETROIT (AP) — Representatives of 40 institutional investors who hold General Motors Corp. stock want to ask some questions about the automaker's $700 million buyout of Texas billionaire H. Ross Perot.

The Council of Institutional Investors invited Smith and Perot to Washington, D.C., today to answer those questions. Smith and Perot were scheduled to meet separately with the group in the afternoon.

"It would appear that Ross Perot was the best thing to happen to General Motors since Frigidaire," Harrison J. Goldin, New York City's comptroller and co-chairman of the council, said Tuesday.

"It is of concern to me and other shareholders that the company is seeking to drum him out, draw the wagons closer and shut off fresh ideas and the therapeutic effects of light and air."

GM's board voted earlier this month to buy out the publicly critical Perot and three top executives of Electronic Data Systems Inc., a GM subsidiary founded by Perot, for nearly $750 million.

In exchange, Perot resigned from the GM board and as EDS chairman and agreed to submit to an arbitration panel that could fine him as much as $7.5 million if he publicly criticizes GM.

Perot put the money into escrow, where he said he has agreed to leave it while shareholders decide whether they will take any action to reverse the buyout.

The buyout amounted to giving Perot about twice the market value of his GM Class E stock, which is valued based on EDS earnings. Since the buyout, GME stock has fallen sharply.

"I want to know from Mr. Smith why the company is so anxious to get rid of a useful gadfly," Goldin said.

New York City holds more than 1 million shares of regular GM common stock, Goldin said.

Other members of the council include the pension management arms of states including California, Wisconsin, New Jersey, Michigan, Delaware, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Minnesota and Kansas as well as some union and corporate pension funds.

The council has not determined how much GM or GME stock it holds altogether, but the amount is considerable, Goldin said.



BUSINESS SCENE

New store specializes in security-related items

By MELLA McEWEN

There's a new store opening in Midland designed to make Midlanders feel a little safer.

It's **SECURITY ELECTRONICS**, located at 3310B Midkiff, across from San Miguel Square. The store is a relatively uncommon concept of retail selling burglar alarms and other protection-related items over the counter to the public, according to Paul Younger, who owns the store with Jackie Hayes.

Not only will the store offer do-it-yourself projects or complete installation, but "we'll have all kinds of things the public hasn't seen before," Younger said.

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After 15 years with Santa Fe Contract-Design, Caroline Miller has formed her own company, **MIDLAND MEDICAL & OFFICE FURNISHINGS**, located at 3415 W. Illinois, in the west end of the Digital building.

According to Miller, she will do "everything that goes into a medical or office building." She said she's done a lot of work for Midland Memorial Hospital and doctors offices.

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The B. RYAN FREEMAN GALLERY has relocated from 1307 Big Spring to No. 8 Oakridge Square, next door to Papagallo.

Owner Becky Freeman said the move will give her more space and allow her to carry more originals.

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DESIGNS FANTASTIC is celebrating its first week in business at 119 San Miguel Square.

Owners Doris Rogers and Clarice Sullivan design handbags, cosmetic bags, bandanas, suede scarves, Christmas wreaths and and fruit baskets, among other items. They also do original or custom designs on sweatshirts. "Whatever you want. Just bring in your product and we'll put a design on it," Sullivan said.

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Midland's **KENTUCKY FRIED CHICKEN** franchise, Imperial Foods, Inc., has become a three-time winner of the Five Star Award given by the KFC Corp. for meeting the company's highest standards for store management, operations and customer satisfaction.

Imperial Foods previously received the Five Star award in 1984 and 1985. The firm operates seven stores located in Abilene, Midland, Odessa and Sweetwater.

Each star in the award represents an area of Kentucky Fried Chicken's highest operating goals, including quality in food, facilities and service; sanitation standards, and promotion programs. Franchisees are evaluated yearly.

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TEXAS MEDICAL, INC., a Dallas-based medical equipment specialist, has opened a Permian Basin facility in Midland at 1308 S. Midkiff in the Midkiff Business Center.

The firm established a respiratory home care program over six years ago to provide rental, sales and home medical care to patients with pulmonary and cardiac problems.

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Midlanders now have the opportunity to order pizza the way they like it from **BIG CHEESE PIZZA**, 4348 W. Illinois and No. 1 Plaza Shopping Center.

The concept, "Create Your Classic Pizza" offers customers to choose a mini, small or medium large pizza with deep pan or original crust; and to have mild, original or spicy Italian sauce in regular, light or extra amounts, mozzarella, mozzarella & cheddar, mozzarella & Romano, or all three cheeses, and any combination of 14 toppings put on the pizza.

"Customers will be able to order pizza the way they like it, not just the way we want to prepare it," said Bill Wampler, area general manager for the Midland stores. He stressed that there will be no additional charge for using the new concept.

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ADIA SERVICES, INC., a national supplier of temporary help services, headquartered in Menlo Park, Calif., has purchased Mannle-Nolan Associates, Inc., headquartered in New York City.

Mannle-Nolan provides operations specialists on a temporary basis to the banking, securities and financial services industries.

Mella McEwen is a Business/Oil writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Appeal of Texas banks dimming

Deals leave fewer, less attractive targets

By ERIC N. BERG
N.Y. Times News Service

Business analysis

With the proposed buyout of Texas Commerce Bancshares Inc. and the planned merger of the Republicbank Corp. with the Interfirst Corp., potential acquirers of Texas banking companies are left with much less desirable choices, banking experts said Tuesday.

The experts noted that no bank in Texas could be considered a picture of health, given the oil recession that has severely weakened the state's economy during the last year. But, to the extent the Texas banks could be ranked, Republicbank and Texas Commerce were considered the best run and the healthiest.

Of the state's remaining bank holding companies, the most likely acquisition targets are considered to be the First City Bancorporation of Houston, which has a huge exposure to the oilfield supply industry, the Allied Bancorporation of Houston, which has made extensive loans to that city's crumbling real estate industry, and MCorp of Dallas, which may soon find itself outdistanced in its home market by the Republicbank-Interfirst combination.

"The companies that remain are, to some extent, less attractive," said James J. McDermott, a bank analyst at Keefe, Bruyette & Woods Inc.

Yet, there was a feeling in the banking community that future mergers might be spurred by the Chemical New York Corp.'s proposed purchase of Texas Commerce, announced Monday, and the proposed merger of Republicbank and Interfirst, announced Tuesday.

Industry experts pointed out that out-of-state acquirers, for the first time, have other deals for comparison to help them formulate their own bids. They also said that the state's other banking companies, though less appealing, were still salable.

"Now, investors, buyers and sellers alike, have some benchmark, a feel for what it will take to acquire one of these Texas institutions," said Frank Anderson of Ferguson & Co., a Dallas-based bank consulting firm.

At the University of Texas, Ben T. Head, the senior lecturer in banking, put the problem facing the out-of-state acquirers like this: "It's not that the remaining institutions are unattractive per se. The question is: What is the appropriate price at which to buy them?"

Indeed, the big banks that have expressed interest in Texas — including Citibank, Chase Manhattan, Security Pacific, Wells Fargo, and First Interstate — face a daunting task.

The remaining pool of targets consists almost entirely of troubled banking companies, some of which continue to weaken. Thus, out-of-state acquirers would have to devote large amounts of time and spend huge sums of money to evaluate the remaining banks' loan portfolios.

Even with careful analysis, potential acquirers face the risk of not detecting all the problems. In addition, many may not share Chemical's view that the potential rewards of buying into Texas now, when prices are low, are worth the risk that the state's economy might not recover for years or that they might be sued by their shareholders who consider Texas nothing but a black hole.

In a report published Dec. 3, for instance, McDermott of Keefe, Bruyette noted that nonperforming loans at all the top Texas banks — Republicbank and Texas Commerce included — had risen in every quarter of 1986 and would likely rise in the current quarter.

The banks have also been deeply in the red. In Harris County, where Houston is situated, they lost $345 million in the six months ended June 30, while the banks' loss in Dallas County was $107 million, according to Sheshunoff & Co., a compiler of bank data based in Austin, Tex.

Significantly, most of the increases in nonperforming loans, along with the losses, were related to real estate credits.

Pickens attacks proposed SEC changes

WASHINGTON (AP) — A proposal before the Securities and Exchange Commission that would end voting rights for some stockholders reflects incompetent managers trying to protect their jobs, says Texas oilman T. Boone Pickens.

Pickens, the Amarillo financier and takeover specialist, was scheduled to testify today at an SEC hearing on a New York Stock Exchange petition to end its 60-year-old "one share, one vote" standard.

The proposed change would allow companies listed on the exchange to issue two classes of common stock — one with little or no voting authority and one with significant voting authority. In practice, the latter would be held by management and its allies, giving them unchallenged control.

"A fundamental principle of corporate democracy ... is that shareholders are the owners and management is the employee," Pickens said in a breakfast session before the SEC opened its hearings Tuesday.

Many companies want the change as the ultimate weapon against takeovers. By limiting who can vote on management issues, they can ensure that raiders do not corner enough stock to take over a corporation.

But corporate raiders argue that it would insulate the managers from stockholders.

Under the proposed change "ordinary shareholders are disenfranchised and management accountability is lost forever," Pickens said.

Pickens and his United Shareholders Association have urged the SEC not only to keep the rule at the NYSE, but to extend it to other exchanges as well. He argues that it is the only way shareholders, the company's legal owners, can remove incompetent managers.

NYSE Chairman John Phelan said Tuesday that the Big Board was moving to abandon the rule reluctantly, under competitive pressure.

He said an increasing number of NYSE-listed companies want to limit shareholder authority, one of the most effective defenses against hostile takeovers, and will take their business to competing exchanges if the NYSE does not lift its ban.

Arthur Levitt Jr., the chairman of the American Stock Exchange, said his exchange would be forced to abandon its much weaker version of the rule if the Big Board is permitted to abandon the standard. Levitt urged the SEC to reject the NYSE petition to avoid a so-called "race to the bottom."

For 60 years the Big Board has required all its listed companies to give holders of common stock equal voting rights, citing the standards of "corporate democracy."

The spate of takeovers has prompted managers to prepare defenses, including limits on shareholder authority.

"The marketplace reacts spasmodically to rumors, and offers and counter-offers are thrown together virtually overnight," said Levitt. "Under these conditions, it is not surprising that even the most dedicated and responsible corporate managments have sought to erect the strongest possible defenses. One of the most effective of those is the two-tier voting structure."

There are few public defenders of the rule change, however. No companies were scheduled to testify before the SEC about their need for the rule. And Phelan, the ostensible sponsor of the rule, flatly told the SEC he did not like it.

"The (NYSE) board reiterates its support for the 'one share, one vote,'" he said Tuesday. "If the board could create the universe, they would prefer to have 'one share, one vote.'"

But the Big Board cannot maintain that position in view of the weaker rule applying at the Amex, he said. Amex-listed companies can issue two classes of common stock, provided that the more powerful carries no more than 10 times the voting strength of the weaker.

He said the board is proposing instead to allow NYSE-listed companies to limit voting rights of stockholders only under carefully drawn requirements, including one that such changes be approved by a majority of all outstanding stock.

PARTNERS

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"Everyone involved in agriculture in any way is suffering from the farm economy, but we have something unique that will appeal to farmers," he said. "We are small business and we offer some things other companies don't. When they are talking to anyone in this company, they are talking with an owner.

"It also helps because we can react to the market quickly, where in a large corporation it takes a long time for their committees to get together," True said.

Although there is not much movement in the seed business during the winter, True said the company already has had success in farmers booking seed for the spring.

Of the 12 people who own the company, nine, including two full-time plant breeders with Ph.Ds., live in Lubbock. The other three are district sales managers who sell the seed to farmers.

True and the 11 others invested an intital $300 to secure the company and in return they forfeit 7.5 percent of their montly paychecks for each one's 100 shares in the company.

"All we're drawing out of the company is a salary. No one is vested in their stock for three years. If they leave the group, the stock goes back to the corporation," True explained.

The biggest day-to-day challenge is raising the $25,000-a month company payroll, but True said the rewards are great in owning a company.

"This is the time to be doing things like this," he said. "If times were really good, this opportunity would never arise. I don't know that we'll ever get rich, but our goal is that we'll be able to provide jobs and a living for our families.

"We want to expand our business someday," he said. "I think we have a sound business concept and there's a solid future in the seed business because it's very basic to agriculture. We are projecting a sales increase every year, and I think we'll eventually need to expand."

ECONOMY

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In a separate report, the government said that corporations' after-tax profits rose 5.5 percent in the third quarter, the biggest increase since an 11.3 percent advance in the third quarter of 1983.

Many analysts believe that economic growth will weaken considerably in the first three months of 1987 as businesses cut back further on investment because of the loss of a variety of tax incentives.

"We expect growth to slow substantially in the first quarter but then to come back to around 3 percent and stay at that level for the rest of the year," said David Wyss, chief financial economist for DRI.

The Reagan administration last week announced it was reducing its estimate of economic growth for 1987 by a full percentage point, predicting the economy would grow at a 3.2 percent rate in 1987, as measured from the fourth quarter of this year.

The administration had been predicting much stronger growth of 4.2 percent. The downward revision reflects the fact that administration officials, particularly Treasury Secretary James Baker, were unhappy with trying to defend the higher estimate at international economic meetings.

TRADE

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Until five years ago, the country enjoyed a surplus in its current account as earnings on American investments overseas to offset deficits in merchandise trade. But a string of huge merchandise trade deficits has wiped out the cushion of investment earnings.

In a separate report, the Commerce Department said a building slump in the South helped push housing construction down 1.8 percent in November, the third straight monthly decline.

New homes and apartments were built at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.6 million units last month, the slowest pace since October 1984, the department said.

Analysts blamed the latest setback on depressed conditions in the oil patch and adverse affects on multi-family construction coming from the new tax law and high vacancy rates.

But even with the declines, construction for the first 11 months of the year is running 4.4 percent ahead of the pace set during the same period in 1985.

AID

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The disclosure of U.S. aid to Iraq in Monday's editions of The Washington Post added an ironic twist to the controversy over the secret U.S. arms shipments and the surreptitious diversion of profits to Nicaraguan rebels.

In effect, the United States was assisting both sides in the 6-year-old Persian Gulf war while officially proclaiming its neutrality.

State Department spokesman Charles E. Redman said Tuesday that neutrality had never meant "we are uninterested in the outcome of the war, that we refuse to act in a way to help end the war, or that the U.S. was doing nothing to protect its interest."

Redman added: "In that sense, neutrality did not mean neglect."

Asked if there was a conflict between depriving Iran of a war-making capability by organizing an arms embargo without taking similar action against Iraq, the U.S. spokesman said "absolutely not."

Barry Schweid has covered U.S. diplomacy in the Middle East and Persian Gulf since 1973.

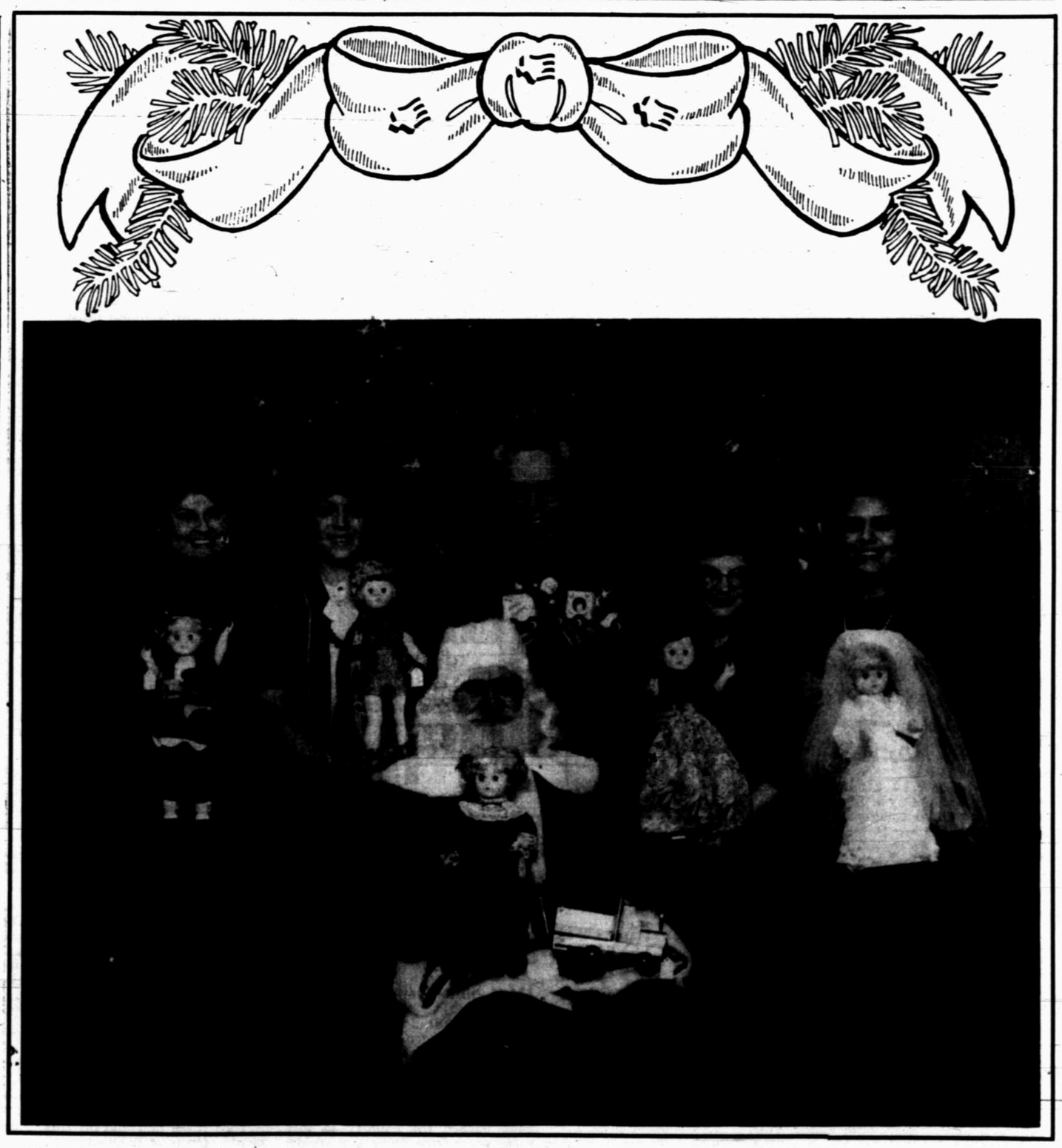
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AirPrd	s.80	452	123	
AlekAir	.16	15	263	
Alcan	.80		851	
AlcoStd	1.28	16	274	
Alginl	.35j		474	
AlgPw	2.92	11	223	
AldSgnl	1.80b		186	
AldStr	s1.16	66	2137	
AlliedCh			428	
Alcoa	1.20		951	
Amax			279	
AmHes	.27j		1620	
AmAgr			45	
ABrnd	s2.08	15	432	
AmCan	2.90	12	571	
ACyan	1.90	23	490	
AEIPw	2.28	11	1071	
AmExp	1.44	11	2472	
AFami	s.44	14	183	
AHome	3.10	15	1638	
Amrtch	7.08	12	546	
AlnGr	s.25	19	516	
AmMot			870	
AmStd	1.60	16	137	
AmStor	.84	14	221	
AT&T	1.20	17	25025	
Ametek		1	17	255
Amoco	3.30	18	1794	
AMP	.72	25	775	
Anacmp		50	429	
Anchor	1.48			50
Anheu	s.48	17	1756	
Anthny	s.44			12
ArchD	s.10b	12	1110	
Armco				331
ArmWl	s.84	13	176	
Asarco				84
AshlOil	1.80	9	320	
AtlRich	4	16	1478	
AtlasCp				12
Augat	.40	35	136	
AVMC	s.50	12	10	
Avery	.76	19	321	
Avnet	.50	41	254	
Avon	2		547	
Aydin		15	41	

B—B

Bkrintl	.34	9	911	
BallyMf		20	20	536
BaltGE	1.80	11	230	
BncOne	.84	11	3800	
BkNY	s1.68	8	93	
BnkAm			2393	
Bausch	.76	16	135	
BaxtTr	.40	12	3677	
Becor	.20	62	215	
Beker			153	1
BellHwl	.62	12	349	
BellAtl	s3.60	12	979	
BellSou	3.04	12	3116	
BentCp	2		2073	
BengtB			136	
BestPd	.24		334	
BethStl			886	
Bevrly	s.20	15	746	

INVESTING COMPANIES

NEW YORK (AP)-The following quotations, supplied by the National Association of Securities Dealers, are the prices at which these securities could have been sold (not including sales charges).

AARP Invst		
CapGr	21.51	NL
GnlM	16.28	NL
GenBd	16.02	NL
GthInc	21.74	NL
TxFBd	16.86	NL
TxFSh	15.63	NL
ABT Midwest		
Emrg	9.13	9.98
GthInc	11.65	12.73
IntGv	10.81	11.03
LG Gvt	10.83	11.28
LG Gth	13.61	14.29
SecInc	11.36	12.42
UtilInc	15.53	16.97
ADTEK	11.78	NL
AIM Funds		
Chart	8.19	8.80
Constl	21.50	22.67
CvYld	11.79	12.38
Grwsy	10.77	11.31
HiYld	9.70	10.18
Sumit	7.24	
Weing	16.06	16.96
A M A Funds		
AMA	49.67	NL
Grth	10.85	NL
Incom	9.41	NL
MedT	13.57	NL
AMEV Funds		
Capitl	13.96	15.26
Grwth	16.73	18.26
Specl	25.31	NL
US Gvt	10.37	10.86
AcornF r	37.15	NL
Afuture	12.83	NL
Advest Advant		
Govt r	10.07	NL
Gwth r	11.10	NL
Inco r	10.77	NL
Spcl r	9.07	NL
Alliance Cap		
Chem	9.12	9.97
AlliCv	9.53	10.08
Count	14.45	15.29
Govt	9.31	9.85
HiYld	9.72	10.29
Intl	20.57	22.48
Mortg	9.75	10.32
Survey	11.65	12.73
Tech	23.30	25.46
Alpha F	7.24	7.91
Amer Capital		
Corp	7.32	8.00
Cmstk	14.98	16.37
Entrp	13.04	14.25
Exch	56.48	
FedMt	14.23	15.26
Fd Am	10.74	11.74
GvSec	11.71	12.56
Grow	23.09	
Harbr	13.67	14.94
Hi Yld	9.75	10.46
Mun B	21.06	22.11
OTC	8.42	9.20
Pace	23.21	25.37
Provid	4.64	5.00
TxE HY	12.03	12.63
TxE In	12.21	12.82
Ventr	14.85	16.23
American Funds		
A Bal	11.01	12.03
Amcp	9.80	10.71
A Mutl	18.34	20.04
Bond	14.69	15.42
Eupac	23.81	26.02
Fd Inv	14.54	15.89
Govt	15.00	15.75
Grwth	16.00	17.49
Incom	12.20	13.33
ICA	13.40	14.64
NEco	19.72	21.55
N Pers	9.88	10.80
TaxE	11.41	11.96
TxE Md	14.41	15.13
TxE Va	14.73	15.46
Wsh Mt	12.93	14.13
A GthFd	7.75	8.47
A Heritg	1.44	NL
A Invest	6.57	NL
A Inv In	9.08	NL
A NtGth	4.72	5.16
A Ntinc	19.67	21.50
APl Tr r	12.22	NL
Amway	8.05	8.81
Analyt	15.60	NL
Amstng	8.23	NL
Aquila Funds		
Ariz	10.08	10.48
Hawai	11.08	11.52
Oreg	10.03	10.45
Axe Houghton		
Fnd B	11.22	NL
Incom	5.58	NL
Stock	8.36	NL
Babson Group		
Bond	1.69	NL
Enterp	12.21	NL
Gwth	13.34	NL
TaxFr	9.26	NL
UMB St	13.11	NL
UMB B	11.37	NL
Value	15.08	NL
BairdCa	15.19	15.74
Bartlett Funds		
BascVl	13.05	NL
CpCash	1.08	NL
Fixedl	10.14	NL
Basc Hill	25.28	NL
Benham Capital		
CaTF f	11.46	NL
CalTF f	10.67	NL
CapNT f	11.60	NL
GNMA f	10.46	NL
NTFL f	12.00	NL
Tg1990 f	78.89	NL
Tg1995 f	53.47	NL
Tg2000 f	35.43	NL
Tg2010 f	17.76	NL
Berger Group		
100	20.09	NL
101	15.24	NL
BlnSGr	8.50	NL
Boston Co		
CapAp	35.58	NL
GNMA	12.70	NL
Mgdl	11.92	NL
SpGth	21.03	NL
Bostl	13.64	NL
Bowser	1.85	NL
Brndywn	11.82	NL
Bruce n	111.91	NL

This afternoon's market report

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

Stock	Div	PE	Sales	Last	Chg.
A—A					
AMR		13	1248	55⅝	+⅛
ARX	.71t	11	13	11⅝	+⅛
ASA	2a		143	36⅜	−⅛
AZP	2.72	9	473	28⅝	−⅛
AbtLb	s.84	21	2079	48⅝	−⅛
AetnLf	2.64	8	1493	57⅛	−⅛
AirPrd	s.80	452	1239	36⅛	−⅛
AlskAir	.16	15	263	19⅜	−⅛
Alcan	.80		851	28	−⅛
AlcoStd	1.28	16	274	42⅝	+⅛
AlgInt	.35j		474	12⅜	+⅛
AllgPw	2.92	11	223	46⅛	−⅛
AldSgnl	1.80b		1889	43	−⅛
AldStr	s1.16	68	2137	67⅛	−⅛
AlliaCh			428	2⅛	−⅛
Alcoa	1.20		951	33⅝	−⅝
Amax			279	12⅛	−⅛
AmHes	.27j		1620	22⅝	−⅛
AmAgr			45	13-16	+1-16
ABrnd	s2.08	15	432	44⅛	−⅛
AmCan	2.90	12	571	86⅝	−⅛
ACyan	1.90	23	490	80⅛	−⅛
AElPw	2.26	11	1071	28⅝	−⅛
AmExp	1.44	11	2472	59⅛	−⅛
AFamI	s.44	14	163	25⅝	−⅛
AHome	3.10	15	1638	77⅝	−1⅛
Amrtch	7.08	12	546	136⅛	−⅛
AInGr	s.25	19	516	63	−⅛
AmMot			670	3	−⅛
AmStd	1.60	16	137	43	−⅛
AmStor	.84	14	221	55⅝	−⅛
AT&T	1.20	17	25025	27⅛	+⅛
Ametek	1	17	255	26⅛	−⅛
Amoco	3.30	18	1794	66⅛	−1
AMP	.72	25	775	37⅝	−⅛
Anacmp		50	429	4	
Anchor	1.48		50	30⅛	−⅛
Anheu	s.48	17	17585	26⅝	−⅛
Anthny	s.44		12	11	+⅛
ArchD	s.10b	12	1110	20⅝	−⅛
Armco			331	5⅛	
ArmWI	s.84	13	176	31⅝	−⅛
Asarco			84	14⅛	−⅛
AshlOil	1.80	9	320	57⅝	−⅛
AtlRich	4	16	1478	59⅛	−⅛
AtlasCp			12	14⅛	−⅛
Augat	.40	35	136	16⅝	
AVMC	s.50	12	10	28⅛	+⅛
Avery	.76	19	321	40	+⅛
Avnet	.50	41	254	26⅝	−⅛
Avon	2		547	29⅝	−1⅛
Aydin		15	41	23⅛	
B—B					
Bkrintl	.34	9	911	10⅝	
BallyMf	.20	20	538	19⅝	−⅛
BaltGE	1.80	11	230	34⅝	−⅛
BncOne	.84	11	3800	23⅛	+⅛
BkNY	s1.68	8	93	39⅝	−⅛
BnkAm			2393	15⅛	−⅛
Bausch	.78	16	135	38	−⅛
BaxtTr	.40	12	3677	20⅛	−⅛
Becor	.20	62	215	11⅝	−⅛
Beker			153	11-32	−1-32
BellHwl	.62	12	349	36⅝	
BellAtl	s3.60	12	979	72⅛	−⅛
BellSou	3.04	12	3116	59⅛	−⅛
BenfCp	2		2073	57⅝	+⅛
BengtB			136	4⅝	+⅛
BestPd	.24		334	9	
BethStl			886	4⅝	−⅛
Bevrly	s.20	15	746	17⅛	+⅛
BlackD	.40	34	1426	18⅝	−⅛
BlkHR	1.48	22	220	45⅛	−⅛
Boeing	1.20	12	2232	51⅝	−⅛
BoiseC	1.90	21	235	62	+⅛
Boise pfC	3.50		7	53	+⅛
Borden	s1.12	17	486	47⅝	−⅛
BorgWa	1	17	3316	41⅛	+⅛
BosEd	s1.76	10	897	26⅛	−⅛
BristM	2.80	20	1684	81⅛	+⅛
BritPt	2.44e		841	40⅝	−⅛
Brnsw	s.80	13	189	33⅛	
Burlind	1.64	20	354	40⅝	
BrlNth	2	10	882	57⅝	−⅛
C—C					
CBS	3	15	318	130⅛	−⅛
CIGNA	2.60		394	55⅛	−1
CNW			1025	49	20⅛ −⅛
CPC Int	2.48	20	2349	81	+1⅛
CRSS	.34	13	27	14⅝	−⅛
CSX	1.16		2403	30⅛	+⅛
Caesar		13	480	19⅝	
CRLk	g.40		178	19⅛	−⅛
CamSp	1.44	17	137	59⅝	−⅛
CapCits	.20	29	157	269⅛	−1⅛
Caring	g.48		14	9⅛	
CarPw	2.68	10	261	40⅛	−⅛
Carrol	.10		3	11	
CartHw	1.22	31	478	48⅛	−⅛
CastlCk		14	420	19⅛	+⅛
Caterp	.50	13	866	39⅝	−⅛
Celans	5.20	14	60	240⅛	−⅛
CentE	n2.56	8	920	23	−⅛
CenSoW	2.14	9	442	35	−⅛
CnIlPS	1.68	13	89	27⅛	−⅛
CentrDt		36	429	4⅝	
Crt-teed	.90	9	63	30⅛	−⅛
Chmpin	.52	18	1689	31⅝	+⅛
ChamSp	.20j		937	10⅝	−⅛
ChrtC			48	3⅝	
Chase	s2.05	6	2291	38⅝	−⅛
ChesPn	2.08	20	1625	71⅝	−⅛
Chevrn	2.40	12	2240	46⅝	−1
ChiPnT			5	37⅝	+⅛
ChrisC	s	35	199	19⅝	−⅛
Chrys	s1.40	5	3665	39⅛	−⅛
CircIK	s.28	18	181	16	−⅛
CirCty	s.08	27	481	31⅛	
Citicrp	2.46	8	4374	55	−⅛
ClarkE			88	20⅝	−⅛
Clorox	1.52	14	462	50⅝	−1⅛
Coastal	.40	43	260	33⅝	
CocaCl	s1.04	19	3684	38⅝	−⅛
Coleco		48	226	8⅝	−⅛
ColgPal	1.36	25	1177	43⅝	−⅛
ColAik	.88	17	108	52⅝	+⅛
Colt	n		20	10	−⅛
ColGas	3.18	27	452	45⅛	−⅛
CmbEn	1	21	201	32⅛	−⅛
Comdre			351	8⅝	−⅛
CmwE	3	7	1580	33⅝	−⅛
Comsat	1.20		467	30⅛	−⅛
ConsEd	2.68	11	209	48⅝	
CnsNG	s1.50	15	273	33⅝	−⅛
CnStor	s	30	508	12⅛	−⅛
ConsPw			1833	16⅝	−⅛
Contel	1.88	10	838	31⅝	−⅛
CntlCp	2.60	32	602	47⅝	−⅛
CtData			990	27⅛	+⅛
Cooper	1.60	14	1005	43⅝	−⅛
CornGl	1.40	17	575	56	−⅛
CrwnCk		15	18	107⅝	−1
CumEn	2.20		72	65	−1⅛
CurtW	1.60		8	54⅝	−⅛
D—D					
DPL	2	16	267	26⅛	−⅛
DanaCp	1.28	16	365	35	−⅛
DataGn		151	164	31⅝	−⅛
Dayco	.40	13	136	28⅛	+⅛
DaytHd	.84	15	680	43⅝	−⅛
Deere	.25		329	23⅝	−⅛
DeltaAr	1	28	2288	49⅛	+⅛
DetEd	1.68	7	765	17⅛	
DiamS	.70r		583	13⅛	−⅛
Digital	s	19	2783	108⅝	+⅛
Disney	s.32	25	3807	45	−⅛
DomRs	2.96	12	351	46⅛	−⅛
DowCh	2	45	2335	60⅝	−⅛
DowJn	s.56	22	547	40	−1
Dresr	.40		232	19⅝	−⅛
duPont	3.20	14	1730	87⅝	−⅛
DukeP	2.68	12	428	46⅝	−⅛
DuqLt	1.20	6	349	12⅝	−⅛
E—E					
ERC		13	17	10⅝	
EastGF	1.30	14	50	29⅝	+⅛
EKodk	2.52	47	3183	69⅝	−⅛
Eaton	1.60	17	460	75⅝	−⅛
Echlin	.50	17	687	19⅛	+⅛
EmrsEl	2.88	16	884	88⅝	−⅛
Enron	2.48	30	441	41⅝	−⅛
Enserch	.80b		1841	16⅝	+⅛
Ethyl	s.38	14	1201	17⅝	−⅛
Exxon	3.60	9	4864	72	−⅛
F—F					
FMC		14	158	23⅛	−⅛
FPL Gp	2.04	11	375	31⅝	−⅛
Fairchd	.20	10	73	9⅝	
Fairfd	.20	17	17	8⅛	−⅛
Feders	.20	12	72	9⅝	−⅛
FedNM	.32	25	6173	39⅛	−1⅛
FedDSt	2.68	15	436	89	
FinCpA		3	8725	8⅛	+⅛
FnSBar		4	74	12⅛	−⅛
Firestn	.80	13	1199	27⅝	−⅛
FtBkSy	2	8	1130	53⅛	−1⅛
FtBkS	wi		1	27⅝	+⅛
FCapHd		23	550	14⅛	−⅛
FstChic	1.32	7	554	31⅝	−⅛
FInste	2.68	8	404	55⅛	−⅛
FstPa		13	54	9	
FtWach	1.08	11	92	38⅝	−⅛
FleetEn	.52	16	63	24⅛	−⅛
FightSf	.20	16	860	21⅝	−⅛
FlaPrg	2.40	11	283	41⅝	−⅛
FlwGen			181	d 4⅛	−⅛
Fluor	.40		663	12⅝	−⅛
FordM	s2.60	5	2724	57⅝	+⅛
FrptMc	2e	61	737	17⅝	−⅛
Fruehf	.52j	24	53	41⅝	−⅛
G—G					
GAF	s.10	16	276	39⅝	−⅛
GTE	3.66		1922	59⅝	−⅛
Gannett	1.84	22	919	74⅛	−1⅛
GnCorp	1.50b	17	335	77	−1
GnDyn	1	8	868	70⅛	−1⅛
GenEl	2.52	16	5162	87⅝	−⅛
GnHous	.24	33	1	10	−⅛
GnInst	.25		283	18⅝	
GnMill	s		1081	43⅛	−⅛
GMot	5e	7	7677	68⅛	−1⅛
GM E	.40	13	1744	25⅝	−⅛
GPU		9	98	23⅛	−⅛
GnSignl	1.80	36	133	42⅝	−⅛
Genesco			121	3⅛	
GaPac	1	17	1222	38⅝	
GerbPd	1.32	21	298	42⅝	−⅛
GlbrFn	.15e	4	250	10⅝	−⅛
Gillet	s1.36	18	3452	51⅝	+⅛
GldNug		79	385	9⅝	
Gdrich	1.56		91	45	
Goodyr	1.60	11	935	42⅛	−⅛
Gould	.34j		687	18⅛	−⅛
Grace	2.80	18	296	52⅛	−⅛
GtAtPc	.30	11	212	23⅝	+⅛
GtNNk	1.72	29	245	64⅛	−⅛
GtWFin	1.20	7	740	46⅛	−⅛
Greyh	1.32	13	974	32⅝	−⅛
Grumn	1	11	53	26⅛	−⅛
GlfWst	.90	17	1486	65⅛	−⅛
GlfStUt	.67j	4	2018	7⅝	−⅛
H—H					
Halbtn	1		686	25⅛	−⅛
Harlnd	.68	24	396	48⅛	−⅛
HrpRws	.60	15	x36	23	−⅛
Harris	.88	20	92	30⅝	−⅛
Hecks	.04		111	11⅝	
HeclaM	.05j		262	10⅝	−⅛
Heilmn	.52a	13	73	23⅝	−⅛
Heinz	1	18	454	41⅝	−⅛
Hercuis	1.76	15	701	55⅛	−⅛
Hrshy	s.54	18	546	25⅛	−⅛
HewlPk	.22	22	x1913	43⅝	
Holiday	1.12j	15	1478	69⅛	+⅛
HollyS	1	38	8	103	+⅛
Hmstke	.20	52	433	25⅝	−⅛
Honwell	2	13	1374	64	+⅛
HCA	.68	12	1014	30⅝	
Hotlin	s2		230	22⅛	+⅛
HousInt	1.86	12	466	48⅛	−⅛
Houlnd	2.80	9	1087	35⅛	−⅛
HughTl	.08		2293	8⅛	−⅛
Human	.76	36	1311	20	
I—J					
IC Ind	s.80		5613	23⅝	−⅛
IRT	s1.28a	17	99	17	−⅛
ITT Cp	1	22	1469	53⅝	−⅛
IU Int	.60		68	14⅝	−⅛
IdahoP	1.80	14	172	28⅛	−⅛
IdealB			169	2⅛	
IllPowr	2.64	7	522	29⅛	+⅛
ImpCh	2.81e	12	755	61⅝	+⅛
ImplCp		12	122	14⅝	+⅛
INCO	.20		548	11⅝	−⅛
IngerR	2.60	14	169	57⅛	+⅛
InldStl	.38j		93	18⅛	−⅛
Intrfst	.18j		12087	4⅛	−⅛
Intlk	s1.30	15	41	39⅛	+⅛
IBM	4.40	13	4816	127⅝	−⅛
IntFlav	1.24	18	363	39⅛	+⅛
IntMin	1		351	28⅛	−⅛
IntPapr	2.40	16	1621	74⅝	−⅛
Ipalco	s1.52	13	196	25⅝	+⅛
JRiver	s.40	19	718	33⅛	−⅛
Jewlcr	s	5	35	12⅛	−⅛
JohnJn	1.40	35	1476	69⅝	−⅛
Jostn	s	20	88	19	−⅛
JoyMfg	1.40		1310	30⅝	+⅛
K—K					
K mart	1.48	20	2028	47⅛	−⅛
KaisrAl	.15j		432	12⅝	−⅛
Kaneb	.14j		233	2⅛	
KanGE	1.36	17	466	22⅝	−⅛
KanPLt	3.16	11	321	57	−⅛
Katyin			37	13⅝	
KaufB	s.33	12	214	18⅛	−⅛
Kellog	s1.08	21	606	52	−⅛
KerrMc	1.10		298	28⅝	−⅛
KimbCl	2.48	15	116	83⅝	−⅛
KnghtRd	.88	20	134	47⅛	−⅛
Kopers	.80		215	29⅝	−⅛
Kraft			1020	50	−⅛
Kroger	s1.05	15	1280	30⅛	−⅛
L—L					
LTV			987	1⅝	
LearPt	.05j		58	4⅝	−⅛
LearSg	2	27	5791	89⅝	+14⅝
LeaRnl	s.40	17	53	15⅝	+⅛
LeeEnt	.60	19	199	24	−⅛
Lehmn	3.60e		83	15⅛	
Lilly	s2	19	1143	74⅛	−⅛
LincNtl	2.16	10	192	47⅛	−⅛
Litton		35	489	78⅛	
Lockhd	1	8	2210	52⅝	+1
Loews	1	10	1445	61⅛	−⅛
LnStar	1.90	18	55	32⅛	−⅛
LILCo		3	362	11	−⅛
LaLand	1	72	276	27⅛	
LaPac	.80b	23	447	31⅛	−⅛
LuckyS	1.16j	24	667	30⅝	+⅛
Lukens	.48	33	25	15⅛	+⅛
M—M					
MDU	s1.42	11	90	22⅛	−⅛
Macmil	.60	18	694	44⅛	+1⅛
Manvl		1	1172	2⅛	−⅛
MAPCO	1	14	343	60⅝	−⅛
Mariot	s.16	22	1126	30⅛	+⅛
MartM	1	11	634	39⅝	−⅛
Masco	s.36	19	750	28⅝	−⅛
Maxam			53	8⅛	
MayDS	s1.04	15	1177	37⅛	−⅛
Maytag	1.60a	17	367	47⅛	+⅛
McDerl	1.80	4	278	20⅝	+⅛
McDnl	s.66	18	1160	62⅝	+⅛
McDnD	2.08	11	197	77	−⅛
McGrH	1.52	19	234	58⅛	+⅛
McKes	s1.28	15	157	32	+⅛
Mead	1.20	20	202	57⅝	−⅛
Mellon	2.76	8	466	58	−⅛
Melvill	1.56	13	698	56⅝	−⅛
MercSt	1.50	13	10	99⅛	−3
Merck	s2.20	25	1585	113⅛	−⅛
MerLyn	.80	12	1232	38⅝	−⅛
MesaPt		2	271	3⅝	−⅛
MidSUt		7	2753	13⅝	−⅛
MWE	s1.48	14	32	22⅝	−⅛
MMM	3.60	16	1328	115⅝	−⅛
MinPL	s1.52	12	99	31⅛	−⅛
Mobil	2.20	10	3349	39⅝	−⅛
MohkDt			114	2⅝	
Monsan	2.60	175	1696	77	−1
MonPw	2.48	7	751	40⅛	−⅛
Morgan	2.72	9	1266	87⅝	+⅛
Morton	.76	14	320	38⅛	−⅛
Motorla	.64	27	3933	37⅝	−⅛
N—N					
NCR	.92	14	897	47	−⅛
NL Ind	n.12j		119	5	−⅛
NWA	.90	25	380	61⅛	+⅛
Nalco	1.20	12	53	28⅛	−⅛
NatDist	2.20	32	86	46⅛	−⅛
NatFGs	2.28	11	33	38⅛	−⅛
NII	.25		123	13⅝	−⅛
NtSemi			902	11	−⅛
Navistr			1959	5⅛	
NevPw	s1.44	13	155	21⅛	−⅛
NEngE	s2	10	160	30⅛	−⅛
NwmtM	1	33	92	59⅝	−⅛
NiaMP	2.08	7	1119	18⅛	+⅛
NorfkSo	3.40	11	475	85⅝	−⅛
Nortek	.08	6	158	16	−⅛
NAPhil	1	24	61	39⅝	−⅛
NoestUt	1.68	9	903	25⅝	−⅛
NIndPS			1984	12⅝	−⅛
NoStP	s1.90	11	393	35⅝	−⅛
Nortrp	1.20	31	2940	38⅛	−⅛
Norton	2		119	38⅛	−⅛
Norwst	1.80	12	128	39⅛	−⅛
Nynex	s3.48	11	1041	67	−⅛
O—O					
OcciPet	2.50	29	469	27⅝	−⅛
OhioEd	1.92	8	1463	20	
OklaGE	2.18	14	692	35⅛	+⅛
Olin	1.60	13	191	41⅝	+⅛
ONEOK	2.56	14	139	34⅛	−⅛
OwenC	n		10786	12⅝	+⅛
OwnIll	s.96	17	6489	51⅛	+⅛
Oxford	.46	14	155	14	−⅛
P—Q					
PPG	1.92	15	332	74	+⅛
PacGE	1.92	9	1325	24⅝	−⅛
PacLtg	3.48	32	686	48⅛	+⅛
PacTel	s3.04	11	2367	56	−⅛
Pacifcp	2.40	11	765	35⅝	+⅛
PanAm			13143	d4⅝	−⅛
Penney	2.48	12	738	75⅝	−⅛
PaPL	2.60	13	1441	37⅛	
Penwlt	2.20	21	52	52⅛	
Pennzol	2.20	63	867	65⅛	−⅛
PepBoy	.22	29	483	43⅛	+⅛
PepsiC	s.64	16	4396	27	+⅛
PerkEl	.60	17	540	26⅝	−⅛
Pfizer	1.64	15	1688	60⅝	−⅛
PhelpD		23	143	21⅛	−⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	8	863	23⅛	−⅛
PhilMr	s3	13	1843	73⅝	−⅛
PhilPet	.60	8	1378	10⅝	−⅛
Phlcrp	n		21	d10	−⅛
Pillsby	s	14	1158	35⅛	−⅛
PitnyB	s.66	18	508	37⅝	−⅛
Pittstn		53	364	11⅝	−⅛
Polarid	1	23	385	68⅛	+⅛
PortGC	1.96	10	257	31⅛	−⅛
ProctG	2.70	18	889	79⅛	−⅛
PSvCol	2	12	1255	18⅝	
PSInd		7	747	15⅝	+⅛
PSvEG	2.96	10	1433	41⅝	−⅛
PugetP	1.76	12	284	22⅛	−⅛
PulteHm	.12	17	743	12⅛	
Pyro		10	69	5⅛	−⅛
QuakO	s	19	x722	42	−⅛
QuakSO	.80a	13	216	26⅛	−⅛
Questar	1.80	15	223	37⅝	
R—R					
RJR	Nb1.60	13	4032	49⅝	−⅛
RLC	.20	15	178	10⅝	+⅛
RalsPur	1.10	22	10144	75⅛	+⅛
Ramad		23	631	6⅝	−⅛
Ranco	.84	17	463	u30⅝	+1⅛
RangrO		66	1628	4⅝	+⅛
Raythn	1.80	14	270	68⅝	−⅛
ReadBt	.02j		109	1⅝	−⅛
ReichC	.80		83	31	+⅛
Revlon			366	10⅝	−⅛
ReyMtl	1	16	1026	40	
RiteAid	.58	18	169	30⅛	−⅛
Robins		3	142	7⅝	−⅛
Rockwl	1.20	12	1040	47⅝	+⅛
RHaas	s.80	18	134	36	−⅛
Rohr		12	78	29⅝	−⅛
Rorer	1.16	6	660	40⅝	
Rowan	.06j	54	228	3⅝	
RoylD	5.29e	9	1282	92⅝	−⅛
Ryder	s.44	17	719	33⅝	−⅛
S—S					
SPSTec	.96	13	62	36⅝	−⅛
SfgdBs	.30	32	35	20⅛	
SFeSoP	1	20	2032	30⅝	−⅛
SaraLe	2	17	967	70⅛	+⅛
SaraL	wi		130	35⅛	+⅛
SCANA	2.24	13	343	37⅛	−⅛
SchrPlo	1.80	21	1027	80⅛	
Schlmb	1.20		1451	32⅝	−⅛
ScottP	1.36	13	579	63⅝	+⅛
Seagrm	1	13	396	62⅛	−⅛
Sears	1.76	11	2700	41⅛	−⅛
ShellT	2.97e	10	188	55⅛	−⅛
Shrwin	s.50	17	813	29⅝	+⅛
Singer	.40b	9	729	40	+⅛
Skyline	.48	15	57	14⅛	
SmkB	3	14	2415	90⅝	+⅛
Sonat	2		243	25⅝	−⅛
SonyCp	.23e	16	1136	22⅝	+⅛
SCalEd	2.28	11	818	35⅛	−⅛
SouthCo	2.14	8	1974	26⅛	−⅛
SoutInd	1.12	11	1440	49	+⅛
SwBell	6.40	12	828	113⅛	−⅛
SwtPS	2.12	12	184	32⅛	
SquarD	1.84	13	103	45⅝	−⅛
Squibb	2	22	207	109⅝	−⅛
Staley	.80	31	285	27	−⅛
StdOil	2.80		1271	48⅛	−⅛
SterlDg	1.32	22	307	46⅛	−⅛
StevnJ	1.20	13	164	39	−⅛
StopShp	1.10	17	1164	54⅛	+2⅛
SunCo	3	9	441	57⅛	−⅛
Syntex	1.60	17	1111	58⅝	−⅛
Sysco	s.28	19	448	26⅛	
T—T					
TECO	2.52	13	416	46⅝	−⅛
TRW	3.20	19	304	91⅛	−1⅛
TacBt			10	1	
Talley	.30	11	81	17⅝	
Tandy	.12e	19	975	41⅛	−⅛
Tektrnx	1.20	24	620	69⅛	−⅛
Teldyn	17.50t	12	56	309⅛	−1⅛
Telex		14	239	66⅛	−⅛
Tennco	3.04	18	1177	38⅛	
Tesoro	.30j		126	10⅝	−⅛
Texaco	3	9	2011	35⅛	−⅛
TexEst	1		337	29⅛	−⅛
TexInst	2		449	119⅝	−1⅛
TxPac	.40	17	33	25	−⅛
TexUtil	2.68	8	2451	32⅝	−⅛
Textron	1.80	11	680	66⅝	−⅛
Tigerin			546	7⅝	
Time	1	11	1974	71⅝	+1⅛
TimeM	1.64	11	255	65	−⅛
Timken	1		69	44⅛	−⅛
Tokhm	s.48	48	50	20⅝	−⅛
Tosco			205	1⅝	−⅛
Transm	1.76	11	389	35⅝	−⅛
Transco	4.24e		1573	43⅛	−⅛
Trnwld	s.40b	10	3164	34⅝	−⅛
Travler	2.16	9	1026	46	
TriCon	3.59e		143	29⅝	
Tribune	1	8	205	59⅝	
Trico	.20	16	7	7	−⅛
Trinov	s1		138	47⅛	−⅛
TucsEP	3.30	13	480	59⅝	−⅛
U—U					
UAL	1		909	57⅛	+⅛
UGI	2.04		48	26⅝	
UNCInc		18	54	9⅝	
USFG	2.32	17	622	41	+⅛
USG	s1.12	14	1030	39	−⅛
USX	1.20		14717	22⅝	+⅛
UCarb	s1.50	10	1683	22⅝	−⅛
UnElec	1.92	10	648	29⅝	−⅛
UnPac	2		2986	64⅛	+⅛
Unisys	2.60	15	362	82⅝	−⅛
UnBrnd		9	3	33⅛	−⅛
USWst	s3.04	11	1459	55⅝	−⅛
UnTech	1.40	14	1378	46⅝	−⅛
UniTel	1.92		2438	26⅝	−⅛
Unocal	1		2249	26⅛	−⅛
Upjohn	s1.52	25	626	97⅛	+⅛
USLIFE	1.20	11	203	47⅛	−⅛
UtaPL	2.32	13	718	27⅝	−⅛
V—V					
Varian	.26		136	23⅛	
Varity			2713	1⅝	−⅛
W—W					
Wackht	.60	17	11	20⅝	−⅛
WalMrt	.17	34	764	47⅝	−⅛
WaltJ	s1.40	11	380	48⅝	
WrnC	s.30	13	1309	22⅛	−⅛
WarnrL	1.68		1279	58⅝	−⅛
WshWt	2.48	11	197	26⅛	+⅛
WellsF	3.12	12	95	105⅝	−1⅛
WnAirL		26	1411	12⅝	+⅛
WUnion			263	4⅛	
WstgE	1.40	15	3066	60⅝	+⅛
Weyerh	1.30	24	1163	39⅝	−⅛
Whirlpl	2.20	12	156	69	−⅛
Whittak	.60		63	30⅝	−⅛
William	1.40		181	24⅝	−⅛
WinDix	1.80	17	71	46⅝	−⅛
Winnbg	.20	15	347	11⅝	+⅛
Wlwth	s1.12	13	2117	39⅝	
Wynns	.60		13	21⅝	−⅛
X—Y—Z					
Xerox	3	13	1070	61	+⅛
ZaleCp	1.40		52	49⅝	
ZenithE			291	21⅛	+⅛

MUTUAL FUNDS

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Fund	Sell	Buy
AARP Invst:		
CapGr	21.51	NL
GiniM	16.28	NL
GenBd	16.02	NL
GthInc	21.74	NL
TxFBd	16.86	NL
TxFSh	15.63	NL
ABT Midwest:		
Emrg	9.13	9.98
GthInc	11.65	12.73
IntGv	10.81	11.03
LG Gvt	10.83	11.28
LG Gth	13.61	14.29
SecInc	11.36	12.42
UtilInc	15.53	16.97
ADTEK	11.78	NL
AIM Funds:		
Chart	8.19	8.60
Constl	21.50	22.57
CvYld	11.79	12.38
Grnwy	10.77	11.31
HiYld	9.70	10.18
Sumit		7.24
Weing	18.06	18.96
A M A Funds:		
AMA	49.67	NL
Grth	10.85	NL
Incom	9.41	NL
MedT	13.57	NL
AMEV Funds:		
Capitl	13.96	15.28
Grwth	16.73	18.28
Specl	25.31	NL
US Gvt	10.37	10.86
AcornF r	37.15	NL
Afuture	12.83	NL
Advest Advant:		
Govt r	10.07	NL
Gwth r	11.10	NL
Inco r	10.77	NL
Spcl r	9.07	NL
Alliance Cap:		
Chem	9.12	9.97
AlliCv	9.53	10.06
Count	14.45	15.29
Govt	9.31	9.85
HiYld	9.72	10.29
Intl	20.57	22.48
Mortg	9.75	10.32
Survey	11.65	12.73
Tech	23.30	25.46
Alpha F	7.24	7.91
Amer Capital:		
Corp	7.32	8.00
Cmstk	14.98	16.37
Entrp	13.04	14.25
Exch	58.48	
FedMt	14.23	15.26
Fd Am	10.74	11.74
GvSec	11.71	12.56
Grow	23.09	
Harbr	13.67	14.94
Hi Yld	9.75	10.46
Mun B	21.06	22.11
OTC	8.42	9.20
Pace	23.21	25.37
Provid	4.64	5.00
TxE HY	12.03	12.63
TxE In	12.21	12.82
Ventr	14.85	16.23
American Funds:		
A Bal	11.01	12.03
Amcp	9.80	10.71
A Mutl	18.34	20.04
Bond	14.69	15.42
Eupac	23.81	26.02
Fd Inv	14.54	15.89
Govt	15.00	15.75
Grwth	16.00	17.49
Incom	12.20	13.33
ICA	13.40	14.64
NEco	19.72	21.55
N Pers	9.88	10.80
TaxE	11.41	11.98
TxE Md	14.41	15.13
TxE Va	14.73	15.46
Wsh Mt	12.93	14.13
A GthFd	7.75	8.47
A Heritg	1.44	NL
A Invest	6.57	NL
A Inv In	9.08	NL
A NtGth	4.72	5.16
A NtInc	19.67	21.50
API Tr r	12.22	NL
Amway	8.05	8.61
Analyt	15.60	NL
Amstng	8.23	NL
Aquila Funds:		
Ariz	10.06	10.48
Hawai	11.06	11.52
Oreg	10.03	10.45
Axe Houghton:		
Fnd B	11.22	NL
Incom	5.58	NL
Stock	8.36	NL
Babson Group:		
Bond	1.69	NL
Enterp	12.21	NL
Gwth	13.34	NL
TaxFr	9.26	NL
UMB St	13.11	NL
UMB B	11.37	NL
Value	15.06	NL
BairdCa	15.19	15.74
Bartlett Funds:		
BascVl	13.05	NL
CpCash	1.06	NL
FixedI	10.14	NL
Beac Hill	25.28	NL
Benham Capital:		
CaTF f	11.46	NL
CalTF f	10.67	NL
CapNT f	11.60	NL
GNMA f	10.46	NL
NTFL f	12.00	NL
Tg1990 f	78.89	NL
Tg1995 f	53.47	NL
Tg2000 f	35.43	NL
Tg2010 f	17.76	NL
Berger Group:		
100	20.09	NL
101	15.24	NL
BlnSGr	8.50	NL
Boston Co:		
CapAp	35.59	NL
GNMA	12.70	NL
MgdI	11.92	NL
SpGth	21.03	NL
Bostl	13.64	NL
Bowser	1.86	NL
Brndywn	11.82	NL
Bruce n	111.91	NL
Bull & Bear Gp:		
CapitG	14.89	NL
Equity	12.00	NL
Golcn	12.72	NL
HiYld	13.66	NL
TxFre	18.28	NL
USGvt	15.15	NL
CalMun	10.38	NL
CalTrst	11.82	NL
Calvert Group:		
Equity	20.51	NL
Inco	17.02	NL
Social	23.94	25.06
TxF Lt	10.71	NL
TxF Lg	17.24	NL
WshA r	18.70	NL
Calvin Bullock:		
BalShs	15.06	16.45
Grwth	7.97	8.71
Candn	7.09	7.75
DivShs	3.63	3.96
USGvt	12.54	13.20
AggGr	9.51	10.39
Hilnco	9.91	10.68
MoInc	12.62	13.79
TxFre	11.19	11.75
Carnegie Funds:		
Govt	10.30	10.73
CapGr	14.23	14.82
CapTR	10.96	11.42
Cardnl	14.97	16.36
CrdnlGv	9.39	9.86
Cnt Shs	19.58	NL
Chp Dir	12.84	NL
Chestnut	66.08	NL
CIGNA Funds:		
Agrav	12.52	13.18
Grwth	15.80	16.63
HiYld	10.62	11.18
Incom	8.25	8.68
MuniB	8.70	9.16
Value	13.58	14.29
ClarmtC	12.28	NL
Clipper	43.66	NL
Colonial Funds:		
AGold	17.63	18.91
CalTE	7.45	7.82
CpCsh	50.05	51.07
CpCall	48.14	49.12
Eqinc	15.88	17.03
Fund	18.15	19.46
GovMt	14.45	15.17
GvSec	12.78	13.71
Grwth	13.40	14.37
Hi Yld	7.69	8.07
Incom	7.22	7.58
OptInc	7.78	8.34
Opt II	10.68	11.45
SS Idx	11.48	12.05
TXIns	8.03	8.43
TaxEx	13.77	14.46
Columbia Funds:		
Fixed	13.44	NL
Grth	27.20	NL
Muni r	11.71	NL
Spcl r	28.18	NL
Composite Group:		
BdStk	10.21	10.84
Fund	11.66	12.15
IncoFd	9.45	9.84
TaxEx	7.69	8.01
USGov	1.07	1.12
Conn Mutual:		
Govt	11.00	11.73
Grwth	12.37	13.19
TotRet	12.23	13.05
Copley	11.36	NL
CorpPl	46.79	47.99
Criterion Funds:		
Cmrce	10.13	11.07
Gvinst	9.83	9.93
InvQl	10.33	10.82
Lowry	8.51	9.30
Pilot	10.73	11.73
QualT	11.37	11.91
Sunblt	18.49	20.21
US Gv	9.72	10.42
CmbridG	34.03	NL
DFA Sm	8.78	NL
DFA Fix	101.66	NL
Dean Witter:		
CalTF	12.36	NL
Convt r	11.16	NL
DvGt r	9.15	NL
DivGt r	18.98	NL
HiYld	14.12	14.94
IndVl r	14.60	NL
NY TxF	11.66	NL
NtlRs r	8.10	NL
Optn r	9.80	NL
SearTx	11.61	NL
Tax Adv	10.36	NL
TaxEx	11.68	12.17
USGv r	10.36	NL
WrldW r	16.84	NL
Delaware Group:		
Decltrl	17.33	18.94
Dectll	10.42	10.94
Delaw	18.71	20.45
Delch	8.01	8.59
Delta	7.32	8.00
USGvt	9.26	9.72
GNMA	9.32	9.78
TxFPa	8.03	8.43
TF USI	10.86	11.40
TxFUS	11.70	12.28
Inves	9.99	NL
DIT Funds:		
Destinyl	12.73	
DestII	16.17	
DG Div	25.43	NL
DodCx Bl	33.14	NL
DodCx St	32.40	NL
DbleTx	11.84	12.33
Drexel Burnham:		
Burnh	23.75	24.81
DS BD r	11.76	NL
DS Cv r	9.78	NL
DS E r	12.99	NL
DS Gv r	10.72	NL
DS Gr r	12.80	NL
DS Op r	10.55	NL
Fenm r	12.25	NL
TFLtd	10.82	10.98
Dreyfus Grp:		
A Bnd	15.17	NL
CalTx	15.42	NL
CapVl	19.71	NL
CvSec	8.98	NL
Dreyf	13.74	15.02
GNMA	15.75	NL
InsTx	18.37	NL
Interm	14.14	NL
Levge	16.33	17.85
GthOp	11.97	NL
Mas Tx	16.73	NL
NwLdr	20.62	NL
NY Tx	15.66	NL
Eaton Vance:		
CalMu r	10.67	NL
EHStk	13.91	15.00
GvtOb	12.24	13.13
Grwth	6.96	7.61
Hilnc r	10.06	NL
HiMu r	10.39	NL
HiYld	5.30	5.68
IncBos	10.52	11.28
Invest	7.79	8.51
MunBd	9.20	9.56
Nautls	12.17	12.78
SpEqt	16.36	17.88
TotRet	11.06	11.63
VS Spl	10.62	11.61
EmpBld	17.65	18.53
Equitec Siebel:		
HiYld r	9.70	NL
TotRet r	13.62	NL
USGv r	9.93	NL
EqStrat	16.98	NL
Evrgrn	12.72	NL
EvrgrTtl	19.66	NL
FPA Funds:		
Capit	11.30	12.28
Nwinc	9.48	9.98
Parmt	12.61	13.78
Peren	18.66	20.39
Fairmt	56.22	NL
Frm BG	14.50	NL
Federated Funds:		
CpCsh	10.82	NL
Exch	50.46	NL
FT Int	22.76	NL
FdlInt	10.29	NL
FloatT	10.02	NL
GNMA	11.49	NL
Gwth	16.50	NL
HiYld	10.85	NL
Inco	10.77	NL
FIMT	10.49	NL
Short	10.37	NL
SIGT	10.46	NL
StkBd	15.53	NL
Stock	23.21	NL
USGov	10.03	NL
Fidelity Invest:		
Agresv	11.54	NL
Cal Tx	11.77	NL
Congrs	66.78	NL
Contfd	11.59	NL
CTAR	10.45	NL
Eq Inc	26.25	26.83
Europ	10.44	10.66
Exch	64.76	NL
Fidel	16.62	NL
FlexBd	7.38	NL
Fredm	16.82	NL
GroCo	14.39	14.84
HiInco	9.72	NL
Hi Yld	13.27	NL
InsMu	11.32	NL
Lt Mun	9.56	NL
Magel	49.27	50.79
MchTx	11.36	NL
Mun Bd	8.26	NL
MassT	11.67	NL
MinnT	10.99	NL
MtgSc	10.63	NL
MuOh	10.99	NL
NYHY	12.22	NL
NYIns	11.29	NL
OTC	16.75	17.27
Ovrse	27.84	28.70
PcBas	10.63	10.86
Puritn	13.32	NL
Qual	15.34	NL
SelAr r	10.92	11.14
SelGd r	11.66	11.90
SelBio r	10.34	10.55
SlBrd r	9.96	10.16
SlBrk r	12.15	12.40
SelCh r	15.89	16.21
SelCm r	12.32	12.57
SelDf r	14.87	15.17
SelElc r	8.57	8.74
SlPap r	12.10	12.35
SelPr r	11.10	11.33
SelRtl r	11.58	11.82
SelSL r	12.88	13.14
SelSf r	12.77	13.03
SelTc r	20.42	20.84
SelTl r	13.26	13.53
SelUtl r	28.29	28.87
ShTBd	9.98	NL
SpcSit	16.54	17.05
TexTF	10.38	NL
Thrift	11.55	NL
Trend	41.35	NL
Value	23.71	NL
FiduCap	18.62	NL
Financial Prog:		
Dyna	7.97	NL
FSB Gv	8.12	NL
FSP Eg	8.50	NL
FSP Eur	8.59	NL
FSP Fin	7.51	NL
FSP U	8.91	NL
FnclTx	16.13	NL
Gold	5.38	NL
HlSci	12.57	NL
HiYld	8.77	NL
Indust	4.04	NL
Incom	8.73	NL
Leisr	10.94	NL
Pacif	12.52	NL
Select	7.59	NL
Tech	9.51	NL
WrldT	9.58	NL
Fst Investors:		
Bnd Ap	12.91	13.92
Disco	9.09	9.93
Govt	12.26	13.22
Grwth	5.81	6.35
HighY	14.87	16.03
Incom	5.91	6.46
IntlSec	16.24	17.75
NatRes	3.63	3.97
NYTF	14.21	15.32
90-10	12.49	13.66
Optn	4.79	5.16
Tax Ex	10.09	10.88
FtTrUS	10.81	11.35
FlgCCsh	9.93	NL
Flagship Group:		
CpCsh	46.16	NL
MichD	10.75	11.22
NCaro	9.74	10.17
OhioD	10.56	11.02
Virgna	9.84	10.27
FlexBd	21.41	NL
FlexFd	11.08	NL
Fortress Invst:		
GlSl	9.80	9.90
Hi Icm	12.25	12.76
HiQual	11.59	NL
44 WlEq	6.00	6.06
44 Wall r	3.27	NL
Founders Group:		
Grwth	8.50	NL
Incom	15.61	NL
Mutual	8.73	NL
Specl	32.46	NL
Franklin Group:		
AGE	3.65	3.80
Calins	11.68	12.17
CpCsh	8.88	NL
DNTC	10.25	10.68
Equity	6.56	6.85
FedTx	11.98	12.48
Gold	8.99	9.36
Grwth	16.29	16.97
InsTF	11.80	12.29
MaTF	11.21	11.68
MI Tax	11.48	11.96
MNIns	11.82	12.31
NY Tax	11.57	12.05
OhioI	11.46	11.94
Option	6.02	6.27
Utils	8.45	8.80
Incom	2.23	2.32
US Gov	7.42	7.73
CalTx	7.17	7.47
Freedom Funds:		
Global	9.92	10.33
Gold	16.05	NL
GvPls	10.44	NL
RegBk	11.06	NL
FundTrust:		
Aggr f	13.36	NL
Grth f	13.19	NL
GroInc f	12.98	NL
Inco f	10.59	NL
GabelliA	11.44	NL
Geico	25.02	NL
GIT Invst:		
EqSpc	16.07	NL
HiYd	11.42	NL
Inc n	9.51	NL
GatwyGr	10.22	NL
GtwyOp	14.81	NL
GT Global:		
Europ	18.51	NL
Intl	17.74	NL
Japan	18.85	NL
Pacific	26.81	NL
GenAgr	19.84	NL
Gen Elec Inv:		
ElfnIn	12.02	NL
ElfnTr	28.03	NL
ElfnTx	11.42	NL
S&S	38.47	NL
S&S Lg	12.48	NL
GnSec r	11.77	NL
GenTxE	14.89	NL
Gintel Group:		
CapAp	10.92	NL
Erisa	45.16	NL
GintFd	66.63	NL
GrdsOp	11.87	NL
GrdsnEs	15.45	NL
GthWsh	11.31	11.91
Grth Ind	9.26	NL
Guardian Funds:		
Bond	12.31	NL
ParkA	21.15	23.11
Stock	17.37	NL
Ham HDA	8.03	8.78
HarborGr	10.42	NL
Hart Gth	13.00	NL
Hart Lev	15.91	NL
Heartld	14.73	15.42
Heritge	10.95	11.29
Hor Man	26.38	NL
Hummer	13.79	NL
Hutton Group:		
Bond r	12.92	NL
Calif	11.06	11.51
Gwth r	16.16	NL
Optn r	8.40	NL
GvtSc r	10.50	NL
Basic r	12.44	NL
Natl	11.90	12.40
NY Mu	11.31	11.78
PrcM r	12.83	NL
SpEq r	12.86	NL
IDS Mutual:		
IDSAg r	9.96	NL
IDS Bd	5.29	5.48
IDS Dis	7.55	7.95
IDSEq r	7.65	NL
IDSE P	9.62	10.13
IDS Ex	5.15	5.42
IDS Fdl	5.27	5.55
IDS Grt	20.88	21.98
IDS HiY	4.77	5.02
IDS In r	6.20	NL
IDS Int	8.95	9.42
IDS ND	8.69	9.14
IDS Prog	6.81	7.17
ISI Group:		
Grwth	7.01	7.66
Incom	3.39	3.70
Trst Sh	10.84	11.85
IDEX	12.65	13.83
IDEX II	10.22	11.17
Indust Grp:		
IndAm	8.69	9.50
OptInc	8.99	9.83
GvtPl	9.35	10.03
Industry	3.13	NL
Integrated Resc:		
CapAp r	13.76	NL
Hmeln r	10.74	NL
TaxFr	12.53	13.15
IntlEqt	13.84	NL
IntstCa	6.52	6.69
Invst Portfolio:		
Equit r	11.03	NL
GvtPl r	8.62	NL
HiYd r	9.80	NL
Optn r	7.75	NL
ITB Group:		
InvBos	12.28	13.20
HiInco	14.10	15.12
MaTF	16.65	17.80
Inv Resh	5.26	5.75
Istel	13.58	NL
Janus Fund:		
Fund	14.73	NL
Value	12.37	NL
Ventur	27.49	NL
John Hancock:		
Bond	15.83	17.30
Globl	14.81	15.97
Grwth	14.46	15.80
SpclEq	5.86	6.40
USGvF	9.73	10.63
Tax Ex	11.04	11.59
US GvT	10.78	11.78
Kaufmn	1.14	NL
Kemper Funds:		
CalTx	14.51	15.19
Incom	9.16	9.60
Grow	10.26	11.20
Hi Yld	11.42	12.08
IntlFd	18.96	20.74
Mun B	9.80	10.26
Optn	9.97	10.90
Summ	5.16	5.68
Tech	11.38	12.44
Tot Rt	15.54	16.98
US Gv	10.03	10.60
KyTxFr	6.94	NL
Keystone Mass:		
Cus B1 r	17.62	NL
Cus B2 r	19.90	NL
Cus B4 r	7.80	NL
Cu K1 r	9.06	NL
Cus K2 r	7.76	NL
Cus S1 r	20.96	NL
Cus S3 r	8.37	NL
Cus S4 r	6.08	NL
Intl r	6.90	NL
KPM r	14.37	NL
TxETr r	11.31	NL
TxFr r	9.00	NL
Kidder Group:		
KPE r	17.74	NL
Gvt r	15.15	NL
Natl	15.84	16.50
NY Ser	15.56	16.21
SpGth r	14.26	NL
LdmkNY	10.17	NL
LdmkUS	9.77	NL
LMH	24.36	NL
Lehman Group:		
Capitl	18.23	NL
Invst	17.91	NL
Oppor	23.32	NL
Levrge	7.25	NL
Lexington Grp:		
CLdr fr	14.18	15.21
Goldfd	4.43	NL
GNMA	8.24	NL
Grow	12.03	NL
Resh	19.60	NL
Liberty Family:		
Am Ldr	12.82	NL
Tx Fre	10.67	NL
US Gvt	8.86	NL
LibMuG	10.01	10.43
LtdTrm	12.90	13.26
LindDv r	23.78	NL
Lindr r	16.17	NL
Lord Abbett:		
Affild	10.81	11.65
Bnd db	10.28	11.23
Dev Gt	7.87	8.60
FdVal	10.14	10.87
GvtSec	3.30	3.54
TaxFr	11.20	11.76
TFCal	10.63	11.16
TxNY	11.26	11.82
ValAp	12.96	14.19
Lutheran Bro:		
Fund	17.37	18.26
Incom	8.96	9.43
Muni	8.35	8.79
MacKay Shields:		
CapA r	9.69	NL
Conv r	9.93	NL
CrpBd r	9.75	NL
GovPl r	9.99	NL
TxFB r	10.09	NL
Value r	9.31	NL
Mass Financl:		
MIT	12.42	13.39
FinDv	11.17	12.04
GrtStk	9.67	10.43
CapDv	11.52	12.42
Specl	8.74	9.42
Sectrs	9.85	10.34
EmGt	16.92	18.24
TotRet	10.49	11.31
GovGu	10.31	10.82
GvHiY	9.77	10.26
IntBnd	13.00	14.02
FinBd	14.61	15.75
HilnBd	6.89	7.43
MuBd	10.60	11.13
TxFCA	5.23	5.49
TFMA	11.00	11.55
TFMD	11.00	11.55
TFNC	11.50	12.07
TFVA	11.09	11.64
MuHY	10.27	10.78
Mathers	19.70	NL
Meschrt	27.94	NL
Merrill Lynch:		
Basic	17.34	18.55
CalTx r	11.60	NL
Capit	24.65	26.36
CpDiv	10.96	11.18
EqBd r	13.38	13.94
FedSc	9.91	10.57
FdTm r	15.57	NL
HiInc	8.33	8.68
Hi Qlt	11.92	12.42
Instint	10.02	NL
IntHld	14.10	15.41
InTrm	11.89	12.13
LtMat	9.90	10.00
MunHi	10.65	11.09
MuInc r	9.91	NL
MuniIn	8.17	8.51
NYMu r	11.24	NL
NtlRs r	12.79	NL
PacFd	33.52	35.85
Phnix	12.47	13.34
Retire r	11.12	NL
RetIn r	10.02	NL
RetGB r	9.86	NL
SciTch	11.86	12.98
Spl Val	14.06	15.06
MetlfEq	9.65	10.10
MetlfHi	7.44	7.79
Mid AM	6.19	6.77
MidAHi	4.40	4.81
MidasGd	7.75	8.24
MSB Fd	23.91	NL
Monitr	19.93	20.65
Mut Ben	13.93	15.22
Mutual of Omaha:		
Amer	10.66	NL
Grwth	7.65	8.32
Incom	9.46	10.28
Tx Fre	12.44	13.52
MutlBcn	18.53	NL
MtlQual	19.94	NL
Mut Shr	60.23	NL
Nat Avia	11.36	12.42
NatInd	13.30	NL
Nat Securities:		
Balan	14.35	15.47
Bond	3.20	3.45
CaTxE	13.20	13.93
FedSc	11.35	12.17
Grwth	11.12	11.99
Prefd	8.56	9.23
Incom	7.95	8.57
RealE	9.88	10.71
Stock	9.23	9.95
Tax Ex	10.28	10.86
TotRe	7.61	8.20
Fairfd	8.42	9.20
NatTele	14.15	15.46
Nationwide Fds:		
NatFd	13.70	14.81
NatGt	8.58	9.28
NatBd	10.16	10.98
NewEngland Fds:		
Equit	24.18	26.28
GvSec	13.50	14.44
Grwth	29.03	31.55
Incom	11.75	12.77
Ret Eq	26.83	29.16
TaxEx	8.08	8.46
Neuberger Berm:		
Enrgy	18.99	NL
Guard	39.47	NL
Libty	4.72	NL
LtdMat	10.18	NL
Manht	9.88	NL
Partn	17.87	NL
NY Mun	1.26	NL
Newt Gt	25.87	NL
Newt Inc	8.48	NL
Nicholas Group:		
Nichl r	35.38	NL
Nch II r	16.45	NL
NchInc	4.00	NL
NodCal	11.27	NL
NeinvGr	19.07	NL
NeinvTr	13.64	NL
Nomur f	21.01	NL
North Star:		
Apollo	10.32	NL
Bond	10.39	NL
Region	20.86	NL
Reserv	10.17	NL
Stock	15.48	NL
NovaFd	16.51	NL
Nuveen	8.93	9.30
OldDom	25.95	28.36
Omega	13.84	NL
Oppenheimer Fd:		
AIM	26.88	29.38
Direct	22.60	24.70
EqInc	8.64	9.44
GNMA	14.32	15.03
Oppen	10.03	10.96
Gold	8.32	9.09
Hi Yld	16.95	18.18
NY Tax	12.58	13.21
Prem	18.75	20.49
Rgcy	15.69	17.15
Specl	19.18	20.96
Target	20.90	22.84
Tx Fre	9.74	10.23
Time	16.79	18.35
Ret Gov	10.45	11.42
SelStk	12.47	13.63
USGvt	10.31	11.06
OTC Sec	17.29	18.79
Pacific Horizon:		
Agresv	25.75	NL
Calif	14.40	NL
High Yd	16.30	NL
Paine Webber:		
Atlas	15.60	17.05
Amer	15.37	16.80
CalTx	11.15	11.66
GNMA	10.27	10.73
HiYld	10.39	10.85
InvGd	10.88	11.25
MstGt r	9.66	NL
Mstln r	10.07	NL
Olymp	11.19	12.23
TaxEx	11.37	11.87
ParkAv	19.09	NL
PaxWld	13.55	NL
Penn Sq	9.42	NL
Penn Mu	7.75	NL
PermPrt	13.06	NL
Phila	6.91	7.55
Phoenix Series:		
Balan	12.84	14.03
CvFd	17.59	19.22
Grwth	16.71	18.26
HiYld	9.68	10.41
Stock	12.89	14.09
TotRet	12.54	NL
Pilgrim Grp:		
PAR	22.13	22.47
GNMA	15.35	15.58
PilMg	10.06	10.87
PilPfd	25.09	25.47
PilgHi	7.97	8.09
Pioneer Fund:		
Bond	9.67	10.13
Fund	20.16	22.03
II Inc	18.51	20.23
III Inc	15.30	16.72
Price Funds:		
CalTxF	10.27	NL
CapAp	11.10	NL
Equin	13.18	NL
GNMA	10.26	NL
Grwth	17.17	NL
GthInc	13.36	NL
HiYld	10.90	NL
Incom	9.16	NL
IntlBd	9.74	NL
IntlStk	24.71	NL
NewA	13.40	NL
N Era	18.11	NL
N Horiz	12.47	NL
ShTrB	5.20	NL
TxFrI	10.03	NL
TxFrH	11.91	NL
TxFrSI	5.28	NL
Princpl Presv:		
GovtPl	9.91	10.38
SP 100	10.87	11.38
TaxEx	8.74	9.15
Princor Funds:		
CapAc	17.89	19.55
Govt	11.02	11.60
Gwth	19.19	20.97
Prudential Bache:		
AdjPfd	23.24	NL
CalMu r	11.51	NL
Eqty r	9.86	NL
GNMA r	16.23	NL
Globl r	10.48	NL
GvPl r	10.63	NL
GvPlII	10.03	10.34
GvtSc	10.97	NL
GtOp r	11.60	NL
HiYld r	10.85	NL
InVer r	11.42	NL
MnAz r	11.46	NL
MuMd	10.97	NL
HYM r	16.72	NL
MnMa r	11.37	NL
MnMi r	11.47	NL
MuNY r	11.71	NL
MnOh r	11.62	NL
OptG r	8.95	NL
Rsch r	12.98	NL
Util r	16.28	NL
Putnam Funds:		
Quasar	56.97	NL
QuestF	26.70	NL
Rainbw	5.58	NL
ReaGr	15.02	16.42
RchTng	15.22	NL
Rghtme f	30.33	NL
Rochester Fds:		
CnvGr	10.05	10.36
Cnvinc	8.47	8.73
Grwth	9.27	10.13
Tax	[illegible]	11.81
Royce r	8.96	NL
Safeco Secur:		
CalTF	12.01	NL
Equit	9.79	NL
Grwth	14.06	NL
Inco	15.54	NL
Munic	13.90	NL
SalemGr	12.75	NL
Scudder Funds:		
CalTx	10.99	NL
Devel	20.93	NL
CapGt		
Gen90	10.79	NL
Globl		
GvMtg	15.57	NL
Grwin	15.34	NL
Incom	13.45	NL
Intl Fd	38.38	NL
MMB	8.94	NL
NYTax	11.28	NL
TxFr87	10.05	NL
TxFr90	10.32	NL
TxFr93	11.04	NL
Security Funds:		
Action	8.77	
Bond	8.36	8.78
Equty	5.36	5.85
Invest	9.61	10.50
OmniFd	2.92	3.19
Ultra	6.79	7.42
Selected Funds:		
Am Shs	12.80	NL
Spl Shs	18.08	NL
Seligman Group:		
CapFd	13.08	14.27
CmStk	13.38	14.43
Comun	11.49	12.56
Growth	5.36	5.78
Inco	13.56	14.24
ColoTx	7.17	7.53
LaTx	8.00	8.40
MassTx	8.02	8.42
MichTx	8.38	8.80
MinnTx	7.92	8.31
MO Tx	7.42	7.79
NatlTx	8.32	8.73
NY Tax	8.21	8.62
OhioTx	8.16	8.57
CaTax	6.56	6.87
CaTxQ	6.75	7.07
GovGtd	8.21	8.62
HiYld	7.85	8.24
MdTx	7.75	8.14
MtgSec	7.37	7.74
Sentinel Group:		
Sequoia	39.92	NL
Sentry	13.04	14.17
Shearson Funds:		
ATIG r	93.38	NL
ATlin r	103.93	NL
AgrGr	15.37	16.18
Appre	27.80	29.26
CalMu	16.31	17.17
FdVal	6.59	NL
Global	32.67	NL
HiYld	19.05	20.05
SplGv r	11.80	NL
SPL L r	9.29	NL
MgGvt	13.42	14.13
MMun	15.69	16.52
NYMu	16.86	17.75
SplCnv	13.11	NL
SpGlBd	15.11	NL
SpOpt r	14.19	NL
SpGro r	14.39	NL
SpPlu r	14.89	NL
SpHln	14.26	NL
SpInt r	19.34	NL
SpTx r	17.14	NL
Sherm D	5.17	NL
Sierra Gt	11.57	NL
Sigma Funds:		
Capit	9.07	9.91
Inco	9.08	9.92
Invest	10.82	11.83
Spcl n	10.12	11.06
Trust	14.41	15.75
Vent	11.73	12.82
WldFd	15.80	17.27
SitNBG	25.71	NL
Smith Barney:		
Equt	14.26	14.86
IncGro	11.80	12.52
IncRet	9.47	9.59
USGvt	13.86	14.44
SoGen In	17.53	18.31
StheatG r	12.87	NL
Sover In	25.42	26.76
State Bond Grp:		
Com St	7.10	7.76
Divers	8.23	8.99
Progrs	10.32	11.28
TaxEx	10.65	11.15
St FarmFds:		
Balan	17.64	NL
Gwth	12.33	NL
Muni	7.99	NL
StStreet Resh:		
Exch	121.27	NL
Grwth r	73.34	NL
Invst	85.80	86.17
Steadman Funds:		
Am Ind	2.41	NL
Assoc	.91	NL
Invest	1.60	NL
Ocean	4.59	NL
Stein Roe Fds:		
Cap Op	26.71	NL
Discv	10.70	NL
HYMu	12.04	NL
HYBds	9.96	NL
Int Mun	10.76	NL
MgdBd	9.29	NL
MgdM	9.20	NL
Specl	17.18	NL
Stock	17.34	NL
TotRet	25.41	NL
Univ	17.86	NL
Strategic Funds:		
Capit	6.92	7.56
Invst	4.76	5.20
Silvr	4.07	4.45
StratnDv	29.71	NL
Strat Gth	20.38	NL
Strong Funds:		
Inco	12.59	NL
Invst	22.41	22.64
Oppty	16.52	16.86
Total	21.97	22.19
TellnSh	16.16	NL
Templeton Group:		
Frgn	14.99	16.38
Global I	40.73	
Glob II	12.77	13.96
Grwth	13.03	14.24
Inco	10.14	11.08
World	14.88	16.24
Tenneco Group:		
PBHG	12.50	13.51
Fd SW	9.48	10.25
Inco	5.33	5.58
Trend	11.02	11.91
Thomson McKinn:		
Global r	9.85	NL
Gwth r	13.55	NL
Inco r	10.25	NL
Opor r	12.44	NL
TaxEx r	11.39	NL
USGv r	10.64	NL
Trnsatl	22.03	NL
TratFd	12.84	NL
TrFdBd f	10.25	NL
Trust Portfolio:		
EqGth	12.16	NL
EqInc	12.74	NL
Fixed	11.12	NL
20th Century:		
Gift r	6.95	6.96
Grwth	19.52	NL
Select	36.14	NL
Ultra r	9.14	9.16
USGv	101.43	NL
Vista r	6.80	6.83
USAA Group:		
Cornst	14.84	NL
Gold	8.91	NL
Grwth	15.12	NL
Inco	11.97	NL
Sblt	17.42	NL
TxEH	13.76	NL
TxElt	12.36	NL
TxESh	10.71	NL
Unified Mgmnt:		
Genrl	9.23	NL
Gwth	23.98	NL
Inco	12.78	NL
Indi	9.30	NL
Mutl	17.45	NL
United Funds:		
Accm	7.92	8.66
Bond	6.40	6.99
GvtSec	5.67	5.91
IntGth	6.93	7.57
Con Inc	19.58	21.40
GldGv	6.75	7.38
Hi Inc	14.01	15.31
HiIncII	4.96	5.42
Incom	17.40	19.02
Muni	7.13	7.43
MunHi	5.30	5.52
NwCcpt	6.09	6.66
Retire	6.04	6.60
ScEng	10.19	11.14
Vang	6.33	6.92
Utd Services:		
GldShr	4.66	NL
GBT	17.11	NL
Growth	6.90	NL
Inco	11.04	NL
LoCap r	6.79	NL
N Pro r	1.30	NL
Prspc r	.70	NL
ValFrg r	10.63	NL
Value Line Fd:		
Aggrin	9.73	NL
Conv	11.78	NL
Fund	16.74	NL
Incom	7.33	NL
Lev Gt	26.09	NL
MunBd	10.82	NL
Spl Sit	15.26	NL
US Gvt	13.01	NL
Van Eck:		
GoldR	11.52	12.45
Intinv	12.02	13.14
WldTr	13.16	14.23
Van Kampen:		
HiYld	14.21	14.94
InTxF	17.84	18.76
TxFrH	16.56	17.41
US Gvt	16.71	17.57
Vance Exchange:		
CapEx	86.39	NL
DBst	56.34	NL
Diver	90.50	NL
ExFd	131.73	NL
ExBo	125.15	NL
FidEx	73.94	NL
SecFid	78.61	NL
Vanguard Group:		
Convrt	9.82	NL
Explr	28.03	NL
ExplII	19.10	NL
Morg	12.29	NL
NaesT	35.58	NL
Prmcp	44.16	NL
QDiv I	17.04	NL
QDiv II	9.56	NL
QDvIII	22.55	NL
STAR	11.51	NL
TC Int	39.12	NL
TCUsa	30.60	NL
GNMA	10.09	NL
HiYBd	9.19	NL
IGBnd	8.75	NL
ShrtTr	10.82	NL
US Tr	10.31	NL
Ind Tr	25.71	NL
MuHY	10.62	NL
MuInt	12.29	NL
MuLg	11.10	NL
MinLg	11.85	NL
MuSht	15.46	NL
Cal Ins	10.45	NL
NYIns	9.99	NL
Pennln	10.22	NL
VSPE r	11.15	NL
VSPG r	9.16	NL
VSPH r	17.85	NL
VSPS r	18.04	NL
VSPT r	12.15	NL
Wellsl	17.09	NL
Welltn	16.12	NL
Wndsr	14.20	NL
Wnds II	12.75	NL
WldInt	10.85	NL
WldUS	10.52	NL
Venture Advisers:		
Muni r	10.17	NL
NY Ven	9.37	10.24
RPF B r	7.99	NL
RPF E r	20.56	NL
IncPl	9.87	10.79
VikEqIn	13.76	NL
WealthM	8.16	8.92
Weiss Peck Greer:		
Tudor r	20.20	NL
WPGld	21.15	NL
Govt	10.37	NL
Gwth	90.66	NL
WallSt	6.99	7.40
Wstgrd	9.88	10.56
Wood Struthers:		
deVeg	14.89	NL
Neuw	15.40	NL
Pine	14.07	NL
YesFd	7.76	8.06

NL- No load (sales charge)
F- Previous days quote

Additional listings

The following lists of New York and American stock exchange listings are not reported in the Reporter-Telegram's regular daily postings for the exchanges.

(This list is compiled by Rauscher Pierce Securities Corp.)

New York	LS	PC
Adobe Resrce ADB	—	6⅛
ADBA	—	15⅛
ADBB	17⅛	17⅛
Baker International	10⅝	10⅝
Cameron Iron Works	9⅝	9⅝
Chromalloy American	23⅝	24
Coastal States	33⅝	33⅝
Datapoint Corp	7⅛	7⅛
Diamond Shamrock	13⅛	13⅝
Elcor	16⅝	16⅝
First City Bank Corp	4⅝	4⅝
First Mississippi	6⅝	6⅝
Fluor Corp	12⅝	12⅝
Helmrich & Payne	21	20⅝
Hughes Tool	8⅝	8⅝
Lear Petroleum	4⅝	4⅝
Luby's	25⅝	26
Mesa Petroleum	3⅝	3⅝
Mesa Royalty Trust	—	38
Murphy Oil Corp	25⅝	25⅝
Noble Affiliates	10⅝	11
Parker Drilling	2⅝	2⅝
Pennzoil	65	65⅝
PepsiCo	26⅝	26⅝
Pogo Producing	5⅝	5⅝
RepublicBank	20⅝	21⅝
Rowan Co	3⅝	3⅝
Sabine Royalty	12⅝	13⅝
Schlumberger, Ltd	32⅝	33
Smith International	4⅝	4⅝
Southland Corp	48⅝	48⅝
Tandy Corp	41⅝	41⅝
Texaco	35⅝	35⅝
TexAmer Bancshares	16⅝	16⅝
TexCom Bancshares	26⅝	26⅝
Tidewater	3⅝	3
Tosco	1⅝	1⅝
Western Co	⅝	⅝
Zapata Corp	2⅝	2⅝
American	**LS**	**PC**
Adobe Coal	2⅝	2⅝
Houston Oil&Mineral	2	2
Sage Energy	6⅝	6
Texas Amer Energy	1	1

LS-Last Sale
PC-Previous Closing

Over the counter

Quotations from the NASD are representative interdealer prices as of approximately 11 a.m. Interdealer markups change through the day. Prices do not include retail markups, markdown or commission.

(This OTC is compiled by Shearson-American Express.)

	B	A
Alta Energy	⅛	⅛
Bell Petrole	⅛	⅛
Blyvoors	5⅝	5⅝
Coors	24	24⅝
Cyprus Minerals	16⅝	16⅝
Cyprus Semicondctr	7⅝	7⅝
Dawson Geophysical	4⅝	4⅝
Delta Drilling	⅛	⅛
Flare, Inc	⅛	⅛
Forest Oil Corp	8⅝	8⅝
Midland SW Corp	⅛	⅛
Mineral Development	3	6
Network Security	5⅝	5⅝
Oceaneering Intl	1	1⅝
Parallel Petroleum	⅛	⅛
Service Mdse	8⅝	8⅝
Templeton Energy	1⅝	1⅝
Tom Brown, Inc.	⅛	⅛
Tucker Drilling	5⅝	5⅝
Tx Van Guard Oil	⅛	⅛
U.S. Enco	⅛	⅛
Vaal Reefs	8⅝	8⅝
Welkom Gold	7⅝	7⅝
Western Deep Levels	30⅝	30

B-Bid
A-Asked

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

Typical insurance agent can offer varied term policies

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I have been approached by an agent for a company which sells both life insurance and investments. He not only wants to sell to me. He wants me to join the company and sell to others.

The agent explains that the only type of insurance his company handles is term life, which costs less than other types of life insurance. I like the idea of "buying term and investing the difference."

However, I wouldn't want to sell anything to friends and relatives — especially young married people — if the product is not worthwhile. What "probing" questions should I put to the agent?



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A. First off, get details on the term policy he wants to sell to you. After all, if you buy, the premiums will be money out of YOUR pocket. Then compare that policy with other term insurance policies.

All term policies are not the same. Some are better than others. The typical insurance agent can offer a number of different policies. That agent might be pushing one with a higher cost than others, for the simple reason it will pay him a higher commission.

Then, find out what kind of investments his company sells. Chances are it's mutual fund shares.

A number of sales outfits stress the sale of "low-cost" term, which turns out to be far from the LOWEST cost term, and mutual fund shares with fat commission charges. Some sell mutual fund contractual plans, on which up to 50 percent of the money an investor pays in the first year goes out to pay a "front-end load."

Since your letter shows you to be conscientious and concerned about people, it's most unlikely you'll be talked into peddling such things to your friends and relatives.

Although it brings screaming-mad letters from many people in the insurance business, this column has always agreed with the "buy term and invest the difference" theory. However, even the best concept can go awry when it's loaded with heavy charges.

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Q. Since the birth announcement of our first child, we have been bombarded with proposals from insurance companies and agents. I'm no genius, but it is obvious that, with the limited dollars I have available, term insurance on my life will provide the most protection for my wife and son.

By just going through a half dozen of these proposals, I have learned there is a great deal of difference from one term policy to the next. Where, oh where, can I find a listing of comparative costs, etc., on term life insurance policies offered by major companies?

A. Get hold of a June 1986 issue of Consumer Reports magazine, which contains a detailed and unbiased study of term insurance, as well as a table rating 96 term policies.

You'll probably find that magazine on file in your public library. Assuming you have friendly and efficient librarians, as we do in our home town, you'll be able to obtain photocopies of that rather long article — the first of an excellent three-part series on life insurance.

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Q. My son and his wife are buying term insurance and investments from a company promising returns of up to 25 percent a year. In my estimation, that is too good to be true. Are these people to be trusted?

A. Anyone who "promises" annual returns even approaching that number not only can't be trusted but shouldn't be allowed in the house.

It may be that those salespeople aren't promising how well the investments will do in the future, but are simply showing how well the investments have done in the past. That's OK.

Quite a number of investments have produced "total returns" — income plus gain in value — in the double-digit range. However, none do it year-in and year-out. Some years, the investments probably show losses. That should be spelled out in the literature the salespeople are required to present. Advise your son and daughter-in-law receive to study the sales literature.

If "promises" have been made that future results will equal past performance, your boy and his wife should lock the door next time those salespeople come calling.

Address your question to Investor's Guide, King Features Syndicate, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

Instruments placed on ice

NEW YORK (AP) — Christmas carols took on an unusual note as 400 tubists aged 8 to 76 took to the ice at Rockefeller Center.

Performers in the 13th annual TubaChristmas concert on the skating rink serenaded shoppers Sunday with tuba renditions of such all-time favorites as "Deck the Halls," "Silent Night" and "Joy to the World."

"The concert kicks off the holiday spirit a little bit," said Ted Kucin, 35, of Rocky Point, who was in the audience. "It's good that it's a little cold out...it's part of the atmosphere."

"The concert spreads the Christmas cheer," said Vince Caputo of Ronkonkoma, after his son Mike, 12, had finished playing a sousaphone as part of the on-ice ensemble.

American Exchange

NEWYORK(AP)—Middaynational-prices for American Stock Exchange issues

Stock	Div	PE	Sales	Last	Chg.
AM Intl			213	631	6⅝
AdRusl	.16b	79	52	20⅝	
Alza	s	40	158	19⅝	−⅛
Amdahl	.20	44	178	24	−⅛
APetf			1	40⅝	−⅛
AmRoyl	.71j	3	72	5⅝	
AScIE		86	4	4⅝	
Andal		13	10	9⅝	+⅛
Armtrn			3	3⅛	−⅛
Asmr	g.20	127	26	7⅝	−⅛
Astrotc			496	⅝	
AtlsCM			50	13-16	
BAT	.21e		2906	11-16	+1-16
Banstr	g		11	5⅝	−⅛
BergBr	.32b	14	264	21⅝	+⅛
BowVal	.20r		4	9⅝	−⅛
Brscn	s.80		52	18	−⅛
ChmpH			116	1 7-16	−1-16
Comfd	s.50	7	24	28⅝	−⅛
ConsOG			822	11-16	+1-16
ContAir			5	16⅝	
Cross	1.60	20	13	47⅝	−⅛
Damson			137	5-16	−1-16
DataPd	.16	21	120	d11⅝	−⅛
Delmed			306	9-16	
DomeP			1311	⅝	+1-16
EchoB	g.14		260	22⅝	−⅛
Endvco	.69t	7	21	5⅝	−⅛
EntMkt		35	162	14⅝	+⅛
Fidata		2	2	4⅝	
FAusP	n.57e		278	9⅝	
Fluke	1.14t	16	26	23⅛	+⅛
FurVit	s.20	27	16	10⅝	+⅛
GRI		117	33	7	
GelLjt			173	5⅝	
GntYl	g.26e	10	13	13⅛	+⅛
Glatflt	s.80	16	22	26⅝	
GldFld			68	⅝	
GrtLkC	.56	22	166	36⅝	−⅛
GlfCda	s.52		627	10⅝	+⅛
Hasbr	s.09	12	389	20⅝	−⅛
Heico	.10	9	24	32⅝	
HollyCp		6	315	17⅝	−⅛
HmeGp		16	154	19⅝	−⅛
HmeSh	s	67	469	39⅛	+1⅛
HrnHar			177	13⅝	+⅛
HouOT	.40e		291	2⅛	+⅛
Husky	g.20		277	8	
ImpOil	g1.80	9	629	36⅝	−⅛
InstSy		19	24	1⅝	
IntBknt		10	135	5	
Kirby			836	2⅛	−⅛
LdmkSv	.15e	5	11	10⅝	
Lionel		2	259	6⅝	+⅛
LorTel	n	16	3009	15⅝	−⅛
MCO Hd			165	6⅝	−⅛
MCO Rs			10	⅝	
MSR			12	1⅝	−⅛
Media	s.64	18	42	46	
MtchlE	.24	29	183	11⅝	
NtPatnt	.10		162	11	+⅛
NProc	1.25a	14	22	27	+⅛
NYTme	s.36	23	721	38⅝	+⅛
NCdO	G		16	7⅝	+⅛
Numac			39	6	−⅛
PallCp	s.36	23	620	34⅝	−⅛
PE Cp			73	5-16	
Pittway	1.60	16	41	88⅝	−1
PlcrD	g.30		161	21⅝	+⅛
Ransbg	.72	60	241	11	
Resrt A			572	42	48⅝ +⅛
SecCap	.20		48	6⅝	+⅛
Solitron		19	60	6⅛	−⅛
SterlSft		13	221	10⅝	+⅛
TIE			487	3⅝	
TchSym		11	73	14⅝	+⅛
Telesph			63	2⅝	
TexAir		73	189	38⅝	+⅛
TotlPt	g.36	13	92	16	+⅛
TubMex			19	1⅝	
UFoodA	.10e		1	22	2
UFoodB	.20e	2	21	2⅝	
UnivRs			10	2⅝	
UnvPat	2.26t		25	13⅝	−⅛
Vernit	.20	9	681	d 7⅝	−⅛
WangB	.16	136	641	12⅝	−⅛
WshPst	1.12	20	69	140	+2
Wthfrd			29	13-16	+1-16
WDigitl		14	421	16	
Wickes		17	4690	9⅝	

Amoco board sets budget of $3.25 billion

CHICAGO (UPI) — The board of Amoco Corp., the nation's fifth-largest oil company, Tuesday approved a 1987 capital and exploration budget of $3.25 billion that is almost the same as estimated spending of $3.28 billion in 1986.

In February Amoco lowered its original 1986 spending target of $5 billion to around $3.5 billion in face of the sharp drop in crude oil and natural gas prices. The rest of the oil industry also cut back sharply on exploration and production spending in response to the oil price collapse.

Amoco would not disclose how much of its 1987 budget would be allocated to exploration and production spending or any other sectors of the business.

Amoco Chairman Richard M. Morrow said Amoco's ability to carry out its 1987 spending plans will depend on a variety of factors, including price levels for oil, natural gas and refined petroleum products.

Stockholders okay creation of fourth largest air carrier

ATLANTA (AP) — Stockholders of Delta Air Lines and Western Airlines approved the merger of the two companies Tuesday, clearing the way for creation of the nation's fourth largest air carrier.

Delta stockholders approved the merger at a meeting in Monroe, La., where Delta was founded 60 years ago as a crop-dusting company. Western shareholders voted in Los Angeles, where Western is based.

Jim Ewing, a spokesman for Atlanta-based Delta, said the merger was approved by the owners of 70 percent of Delta's outstanding shares. Western Airlines said 63.8 percent of its outstanding shares were voted in favor of the merger.

Delta officials said they expect the acquisition of Western stock to be completed later this week, with each outstanding share of Western common stock converted into the right to receive $6.25 in cash plus a fraction of a share of Delta common stock.

The target date for a complete merger is April 1.

"There will be a lot of very intense activity between now and April 1, but Delta has been through two of these mergers and we feel very confident we can get everything done according to schedule," Ewing said.

Tenneco settlement tops $45 million

HOUSTON (AP) — As many as 80,000 people may qualify for the out-of-court settlement that capped a series of lawsuits stemming from the 1981 merger of Tenneco Inc. and Houston Oil & Minerals Corp.

U.S. District Judge Carl O. Bue approved a final $20 million settlement Tuesday on top of $25 million awarded earlier in the complex litigation that was a consolidation of 16 lawsuits.

The investors who may qualify for a settlement have until April 3 to file proof of their claim with a plaintiff attorney, said lawyer Terry Oxford of Houston.

The total of $45 million may be the largest settlement of a class-action securities case, attorneys said.

In agreeing to the settlement, Tenneco and the other defendants made no admission of wrongdoing or liability, officials said.

The class-action suit was filed in 1982 by people who had acquired stock or units in Houston Oil & Minerals on the open market, both before and after the April 23, 1981, merger. Those investors were guaranteed a share in the newly formed Houston Oil Trust after the merger was completed.

The suit accused Houston-based Tenneco of violating federal securities laws by allegedly lying about the quantities of oil and gas reserves and future revenues attributable to Houston Oil Trust.

In June, Tenneco and Keplinger & Associates, a Houston-based consulting firm, agreed to a $25 million settlement. Of that, Tenneco will pay $20.5 million.

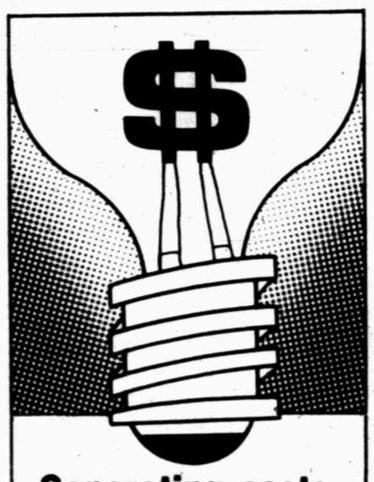
The latest settlement was reached with the remaining defendants: Houston Oil Trust, its trustee Interfirst Bank of Houston and the nine former officers and directors of Houston Oil & Minerals.

On Tuesday, Bue also approved payment of about $11.4 million in costs and attorneys' fees, or about a fourth of the total settlement, to 23 law firms and lawyers involved in the case.

Parties on both sides praised the settlement as fair.

"It was a hard-fought battle," said Houston attorney Geoffrey Norris, who represented the former Houston Oil & Mineral officers and directors. "We got the best results for all, particularly in view of the circumstances."

The settlement applies to those who bought shares of Houston Oil & Mineral common stock or units of Houston Oil Trust between Dec. 9, 1980 and the date of the merger.

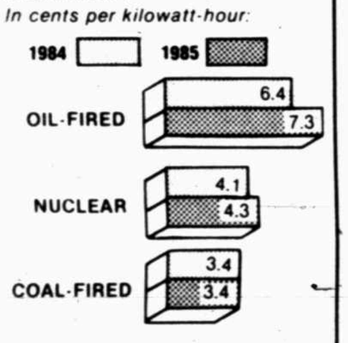


Generating costs of electricity

In 1985, the average cost of oil-fired electricity generation in the U.S. was 7.3 cents per kilowatt-hour, compared to 6.4 cents in 1984. The cost of nuclear-generated electricity rose from 4.1 cents/kwh to 4.3 cents, while coal-fired costs stayed the same, 3.4 cents/kwh.

COSTS OF GENERATING ELECTRICITY

In cents per kilowatt-hour:



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Ford recalls LTDs, Marquis

DEARBORN, Mich. (UPI) — Ford Motor Co. said Wednesday it is recalling about 315,000 1981- and 1982-model cars to correct a possible problem with their emission control systems.

The recall covers Ford LTD and Mercury Marquis vehicles equipped with certain 4.2 or 5.0-liter engines, Ford said. Inspections and modifications will be done at Ford or Lincoln-Mercury dealerships at no cost to owners.

Ford said Environmental Protection Agency studies have shown that the emission levels of some vehicles may exceed government standards. To correct this situation, dealers will modify the exhaust gas air supply control system, adjust a vacuum switch assembly and inspect and, if necessary, replace the exhaust gas recirculation valve on 1981 models equipped with 5.0-liter engines.

Consumers seek GM tire recall

WASHINGTON (AP) — An automotive safety group is seeking the recall of 6 million 1985-86 vehicles from General Motors Corp. because the group says the tires may wear out prematurely and endanger motorists.

The private Center for Auto Safety urged the car manufacturer to call back all the vehicles affected and to notify owners they may be eligible to have repair costs reimbursed. It also asked the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration to investigate the problem and order a recall.

The center said GM was conducting a "secret warranty" by instructing dealers to offer free repairs and replace up to two tires during the cars' first year or 12,000 miles but not notifying customers about the problem or the repair policy.

GM spokesman Bill Noack said there was no secret warranty. Motorists who followed recommended maintenance schedules would be likely to discover the tire problem, which usually shows up by 7,000 miles, and have it fixed for free at the dealership, he said.

The problem apparently is caused by an improper alignment, which Noack said occurred on fewer than 1 percent of vehicles equipped with all-season radial tires that are sensitive to misalignment problems.

The auto safety group said premature tire wear may affect about half of all GM vehicles sold in the past two years.

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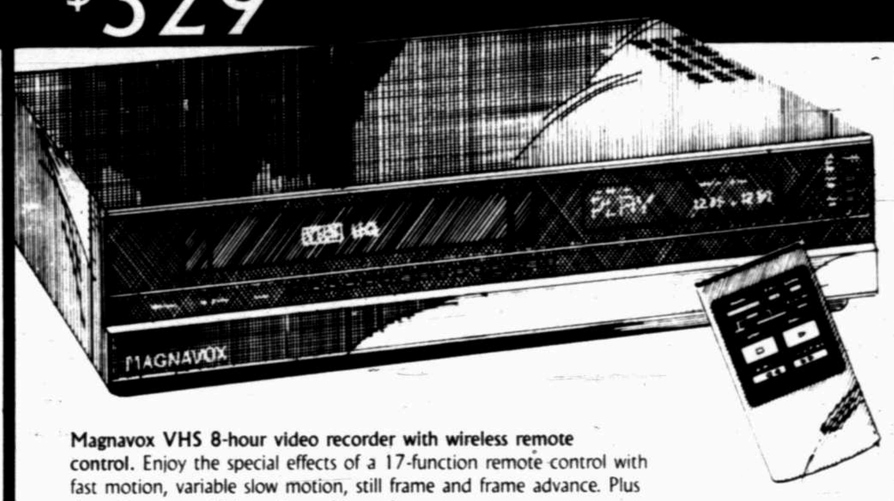
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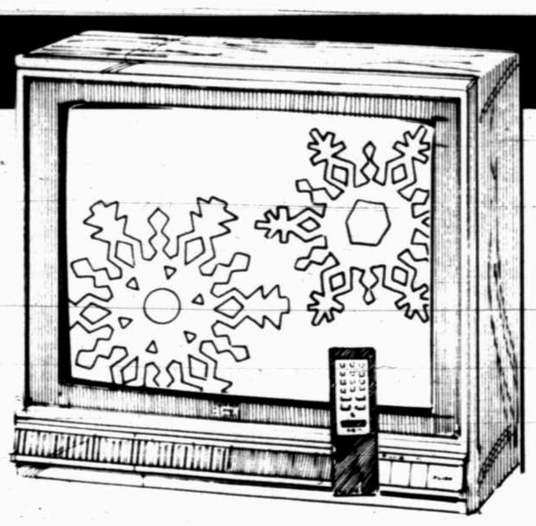
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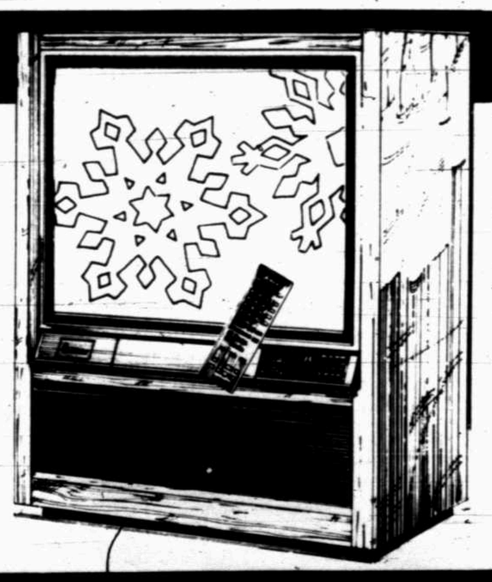
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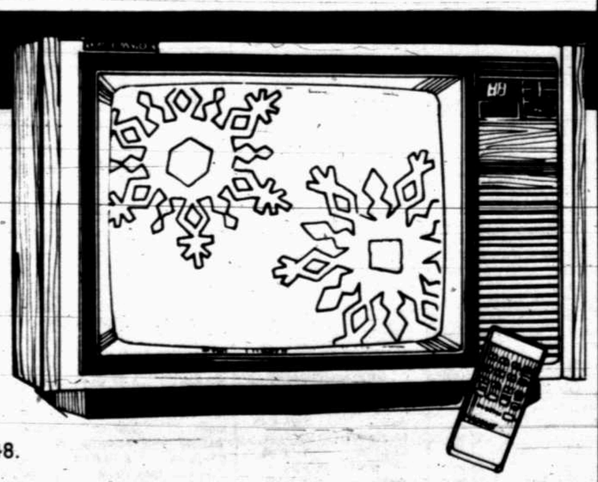
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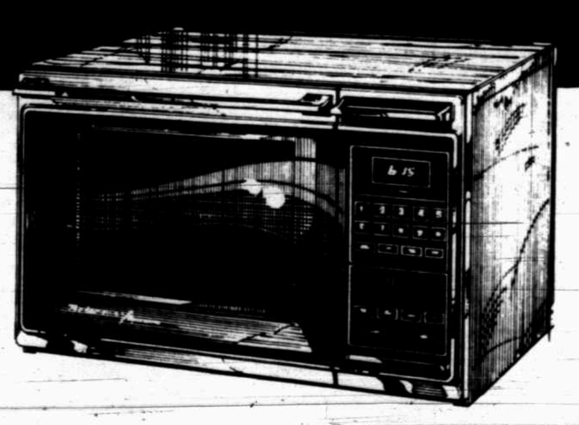
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CELEBRATE THE SEASON with great gift ideas from the SUPERMARKET



Traditionally, the heart of the home is the kitchen, especially during the holiday season. What transpires there—licking the spoons, breathing in the heady warmth and aroma, savoring that first bite hot from the oven—is the stuff of which memories are made. Many people cherish those memories, fondly thinking back to the times when holidays simply meant family and friends gathering together to share the gifts and blessings of the season.

This year, bring back the magic of the holidays with strikingly personal homemade gifts of food. The Kitchens suggest looking to the local supermarket as a source for a variety of savory gifts and thoughtful accompaniments. For inspiration, they have combined a few quality ingredients with an assortment of imaginative containers and wrappings to create the following ideas that are sure to become lasting holiday memories of delicious gifts.



Wrap and give these savory fixings from the kitchen separately or combine them to create a "winter picnic." Clockwise from the top: Curried Pecans; Cheese 'N Apple Spread; Parmesan Toast Rounds.

For example, surprise the mailman or paperboy with a gift of tasty Curried Pecans. Liquid margarine adds creamy smoothness to these spicy nibblers and a container decorated for the season will make the gift even more festive and appealing.

CURRIED PECANS

1/4 cup margarine
1 teaspoon curry powder
1 teaspoon salt
4 cups (1 lb.) pecan halves

Combine margarine and seasonings. Add pecans; toss until well-coated. Place in 15 x 10 x 1-inch jelly roll pan. Bake at 350°, 15 minutes; stir once after 8 minutes. 4 cups

Variations: Omit curry powder and salt. Add 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce, 1 teaspoon seasoning salt and dash of garlic salt.

Omit curry powder and salt. Add 1/2 cup packed brown sugar.

Cheese 'N Apple Spread is a different way to remember co-workers during the holidays. Fill individual coffee mugs with the spread that's made zesty with reduced calorie salad dressing. Serve with fresh fruit and crackers for a unique and memorable "party break."

CHEESE 'N APPLE SPREAD

1 8-oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened
1/2 cup reduced calorie salad dressing
1/2 cup (2 ozs.) 100% natural shredded cheddar cheese
1/2 cup finely chopped dried apple
Apple wedges
Crackers
Party rye bread slices

Combine cream cheese and salad dressing, mixing until well blended. Add cheese and chopped apple; mix well. Chill. Serve with apple wedges, crackers and bread. 1-2/3 cups

Variations: Substitute 1/2 cup golden raisins for apple. Add 1/4 cup chopped nuts.

Substitute 1/2 cup frozen shrimp, thawed, for apple.

Substitute 1/4 cup chopped stuffed green olives for apple.

Treat the holiday host and hostess for a change...line an attractive box or basket from the supermarket with a colorful napkin and fill it with Parmesan Toast Rounds. The classic taste of grated parmesan cheese enhances fresh French bread for an easy-to-make treat that will delight hosts and party-goers alike.

PARMESAN TOAST ROUNDS

1 French bread loaf, cut into 1/4-inch slices
1/2 cup soft margarine
1/2 cup (2 ozs.) grated parmesan cheese
Sesame or poppy seeds

Spread bread with margarine; sprinkle with remaining ingredients. Place on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake at 250°, 20 minutes. 5 dozen

Spread some holiday magic to special friends and relatives with personalized Jumbo Gift Cookies. Kids of all ages will enjoy garnishing the cookies using Soft Frosting made with soft margarine. For an added treat, accompany each cookie with ingredients for a cozy snack—mugs, cocoa and miniature marshmallows.

JUMBO GIFT COOKIES

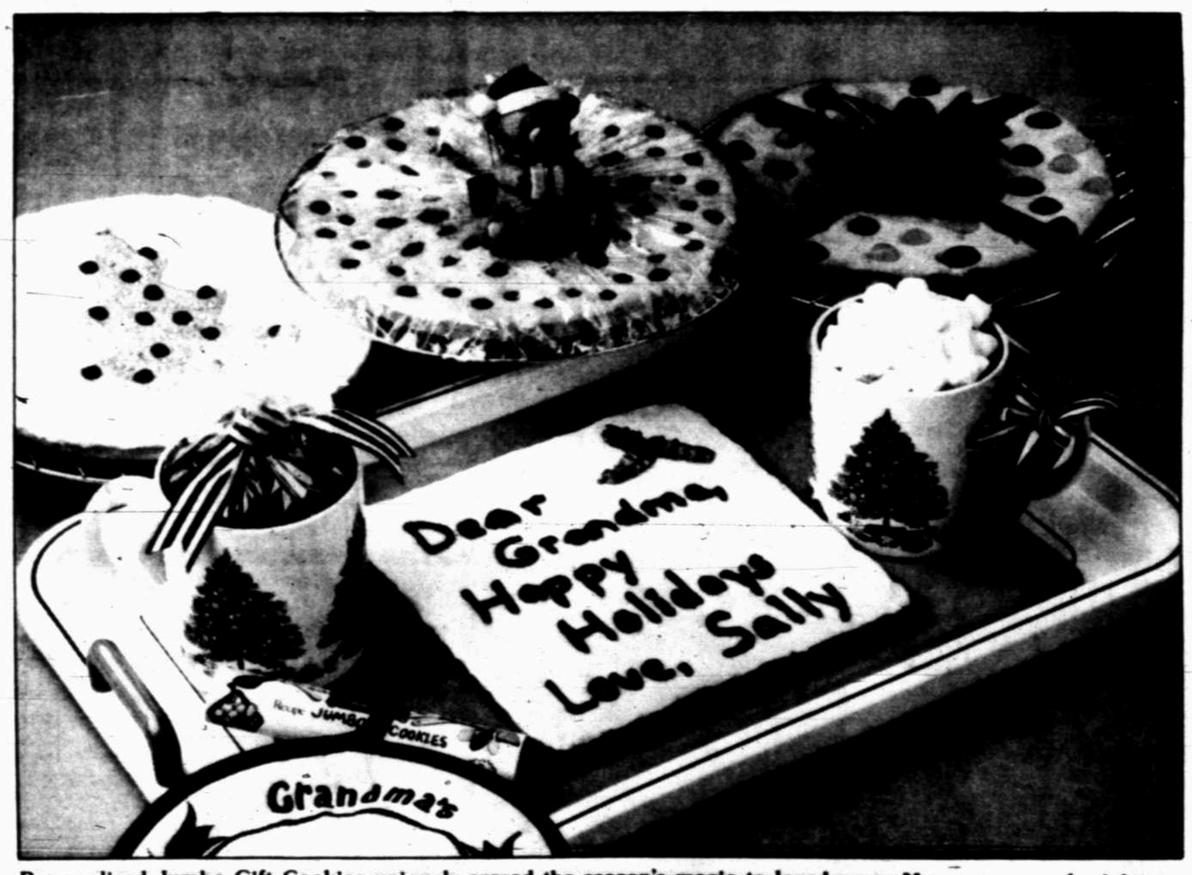
3/4 cup margarine
1 cup granulated sugar
2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon vanilla or almond extract
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
Frosting
Gumdrops, colored sugar, silver decors or red cinnamon candies

Beat margarine and granulated sugar until light and fluffy. Blend in eggs and extract. Add combined dry ingredients; mix well. For each cookie, lightly pat approximately 3/4 cup dough into greased and floured 8 or 9-inch layer or square pan. Bake at 400°, 9 to 10 minutes or until edges are lightly browned. Loosen edges; invert onto cooling rack. Cool. Frost. Decorate with candies and decors as desired. For quick decorating, sprinkle cookie with candies before baking. Omit frosting.

SOFT 'N CREAMY FROSTING

2/3 cup soft margarine
1-1/2 teaspoons vanilla or almond extract
7 cups sifted powdered sugar
1/3 cup milk
Few drops food coloring (optional)

Beat margarine; blend in extract. Add powdered sugar alternately with milk, beating until light and fluffy. Tint with food coloring. 4 cookies.



Personalized Jumbo Gift Cookies uniquely spread the season's magic to loved ones. Mugs, cocoa and miniature marshmallows are creative and practical accompaniments that make the gift extra-special.

For a favorite neighbor, box unbaked Sweet 'N Savory Cheddar Rounds in a tin that's designed especially for food gifts. The recipient will enjoy receiving these goodies—made hearty with aged sharp natural cheese—when they're accompanied by the fixings for an afternoon "tea party."

SWEET 'N SAVORY CHEDDAR ROUNDS

1 10-oz. pkg. natural cheddar cheese
2/3 cup margarine
2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon ground nuts
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
2 teaspoons paprika
1 teaspoon dried rosemary leaves, crushed

Combine cheese and margarine, mixing at medium speed in electric mixer until well blended. Add flour and salt; mix well. Divide dough in half. Shape each half into two 18-inch logs. Roll one log in combined sugar, nuts and cinnamon; roll remaining log in combined paprika and rosemary. Cut logs into 1/4-inch slices; place on lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake at 375°, 12 minutes or until lightly browned. 6 dozen

Note: Logs may be wrapped securely and frozen. Thaw 1 hour at room temperature before slicing and baking.



Friends and neighbors will appreciate a gift of tea party essentials, especially when they're thoughtfully accompanied by Sweet 'N Savory cheese rounds...homemade British biscuits to make holiday tea-time splendid.

Pumpkin pudding prepared in microwave-safe baking ring

Associated Press

If you own a microwave oven but don't have a microwave-safe baking ring, ask Santa to leave one under the tree. Meat loaves, breads and cakes such as this one cook more quickly and evenly in a baking ring.

PUMPKIN PUDDING RING
½ cup butter or margarine
½ cup granulated sugar
½ cup packed brown sugar
2 eggs
1¼ cups all-purpose flour
1¼ teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon baking soda
¾ cup canned pumpkin
½ cup milk
½ cup chopped pecans
Cream Cheese Sauce

In large mixer bowl beat butter, granulated sugar and brown sugar with electric mixer until well combined. Add eggs; beat well. Stir together flour, spice, baking powder, salt and baking soda. Combine pumpkin and milk. Add dry ingredients to creamed mixture alternately with pumpkin mixture, blending well after each addition. Fold in nuts. Turn into well-greased, microwave-safe 9-inch baking ring. Cook, uncovered, on 50 percent power (medium) 11 minutes, giving ring a quarter turn every 4 minutes. Give ring another quarter turn. Cook uncovered, on 100 percent power (high) 3 to 4 minutes or until done. Cool 10 minutes in baking ring; unmold.

CREAM CHEESE SAUCE: In a microwave-safe bowl cook one 8-ounce package cream cheese on 10 percent power (low) 2½ minutes or until softened. Stir in 3 tablespoons granulated sugar, ½ teaspoon vanilla, and ½ teaspoon finely shredded orange peel. Beat in 3 tablespoons milk.

Bourbon, nuts flavor cookies

Associated Press

Bite-size and nut-covered, these rich cookies get their distinctive flavor from bourbon.

CHOCOLATE BOURBON BITES
½ cup butter or margarine
½ cup packed brown sugar
¼ cup bourbon
1 cup all-purpose flour
3 tablespoons unsweetened cocoa powder
½ cup miniature semisweet chocolate pieces
1 slightly beaten egg white
1 cup finely chopped pecans

In a large mixer bowl beat butter and sugar with electric mixer on medium speed until fluffy. Add bourbon; beat well. Gradually add flour and cocoa powder, beating until well mixed. Stir in chocolate pieces. Chill 2 hours or until firm enough to handle.

Shape dough into 1-inch balls. Roll in egg white, then nuts. Place on lightly greased baking sheet. Bake at 350 degrees 12 minutes or until edges are firm. (The centers will still be soft.) Cool on baking sheet 1 minute. Remove to wire racks; cool completely. Makes about 30.

Brioche loaf brightens brunch fare

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Take the blahs out of brunch with rich, tender brioche. What sets this nut-filled bread apart is its double pin-wheel shape.

For a picture-perfect loaf, roll out the dough and spread with filling. Then roll the short ends of the dough jelly-roll style to the center, making equal-size rolls.

Bake the bread in a greased loaf pan; the pan holds the rolls in place during baking. Because the dough is very rich, it's easier to handle if it's chilled overnight before rolling.

NUT-FILLED BRIOCHE LOAF
1 package active dry yeast
½ cup warm water (110 degrees to 115 degrees)
1 cup butter or margarine
¼ cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon shredded lemon peel
4½ cups all-purpose flour
6 eggs
⅔ cup packed brown sugar
2 beaten egg yolks
½ cup butter or margarine, melted
2 tablespoons milk
¼ teaspoon vanilla
2 cups chopped walnuts
Sifted powdered sugar

Soften yeast in warm water. Beat together 1 cup butter, granulated sugar, salt and lemon peel; add 1 cup of the flour, 6 eggs and yeast. Beat well.

Stir in remaining flour until smooth. Turn into greased bowl. Cover; let rise in warm place until double. Cover; chill overnight. Stir down.

For filling, in a bowl combine brown sugar, yolks and 3 tablespoons of the melted butter. Stir in milk and vanilla. Add nuts. Divide dough in half; return half to refrigerator.

Turn other half onto floured surface. Roll into a 14x9-inch rectangle. Brush with 1 tablespoon of the remaining melted butter; spread with half of filling.

Beginning at short ends, roll each side up jelly-roll style to center. Place, rolled side up, in greased 9x5x3-inch loaf pan. Repeat with remaining dough, butter and filling.

Brush loaves with remaining melted butter. Cover; let rise until double. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 35 minutes. Remove from pans; cool. Sprinkle with powdered sugar. Makes 2 loaves, 32 slices.

Nutrition information per slice: 230 cal., 4 g pro., 21 g carbo., 15 g fat, 92 mg chol., 171 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 10 percent thiamine.

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Midland Association of Churches will sponsor a 13-week human sexuality course for 9th-grade students beginning Jan. 11.

There will be five classes, 20-students each, which will meet once a week from 7-8:45 p.m. Four classes will be in local churches at a cost of $25 per student; the fifth will be at Casa de Amigos free to low-income students.

Classes, presented by Christian Life Enrichment Resources, are open to all 9th-grade students. For more information or to register call 697-5078...

...**HUMANE SOCIETY** of the Permian Basin, Friends of the Animals telephone line is open 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. A spay/neuter program for pets is also available. For more information call 689-0999...

...**MIDLAND SOCIETY** of University Women will meet 10 a.m. Friday at 214 Ridglea. The program, "A Christmas Story," will be presented by Imogene Damron. Members are to bring a wrapped toy which will be given to the Center for Battered Women. Guests are encouraged to come. Members of the Board are asked to meet at 9:30 a.m., prior to the regular meeting...

...**MIDLAND ALUMNAE** Association of Alpha Delta Pi sorority will have mother-daughter tea 3-5 p.m. Sunday at 1609 W. Indiana. Alumnae new to the area are invited to attend. For more information and reservations call 682-1769 or 699-1106...

...**MIDLAND RAPE CRISIS** Center will have a workshop for persons interested in becoming volunteers for the center. Topics will include counseling skills, child sexual abuse, medical, law enforcement, legal and MRCC procedures. The workshop is scheduled for early February. For more information call 682-RAPE...

...**MIDLAND CHAPTER**, American Heart Association, will have its annual fund-raiser 7 p.m.-midnight Jan. 17 at Midland Center. "Heartbeat '87" will be themed Beach Party. Music will be provided by Sons of Beaches; dress will be early '60s or beach wear.

To receive an invitation call the American Heart Association at 689-7041...

...**MIDLAND JAYCEES** have tickets available for the Cowboy Christmas Ball 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday at the Midland County Exhibit Building, E. Hwy. 80.

The Sesquicentennial event will feature Frankie McWhorter and his Over the Hill Gang performing "old time" Western swing music.

Proceeds will benefit Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Midland, High Sky Children's Ranch and Midland Association for Retarded Citizens.

Advance tickets are $7 per person, $12.50 per couple, and $50 for a reserved table of eight. Tickets at the door will be $10 per person.

Call 697-5502 for ticket information...

...**UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS** of the Permian Basin will present a spring travel course to Spain March 14-22. Titled "Panorama of Spain," the three-hour history course can be taken for graduate or undergraduate credit, or as ENCORE non-credit course.

Series of pre-trip classes will be in January. Trip cost is $1,653 with a $350 deposit, payable to Sanborn Travel Center, due by Dec. 31. Course sign-up will be during UTPB's spring registration 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-7 p.m. Jan. 12-13.

For more information call Dr. Frank Samponaro at 367-2116 or 563-2400 ext. 2116...

...**WEST TEXAS** Cat Club Inc. will sponsor a Holiday Arts and Crafts and Bake sale 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday in Dellwood Mall. Proceeds will go toward hosting a championship cat show in Midland in 1987.

The organization is to promote the welfare of all animals and supports the Midland County Animal Shelter and the Midland Chapter of the S.P.C.A. For more information call 699-5280 and 699-6662...

...**ODESSA RAPE** Crisis Center will begin volunteer training Jan. 5. Volunteers are trained to provide support to sexual assault survivors and their families. For more information call the Odessa Rape Crisis Center at 366-RAPE...

...**CHI OMEGA ALUMNAE** Christmas party to honor members and new pledges will be 2-4 p.m. Sunday at 3804 Crestridge...

...**CAMP FIRE, INC.** presents "The Christmas that Almost Wasn't" 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Permian Mall Theatre. Tickets are $1.50. Proceeds go to the Petro-Plains Council of Camp Fire, Inc. There will be adult supervision and a free ice cream cone with each ticket...

...**MIDLAND JAYCEES** will meet for a luncheon at noon Friday at the Midland Hilton. The Rev. Joseph H. "Buddy" Schley, pastor of St. Nicholas Episcopal Church and Jaycee Boss of the Year, will speak on the meaning of Christmas...

...**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM** with children from Midland public schools and Midland Association of Retarded Citizens will be 7 p.m. Thursday in the Occupational Development Lab at Carver Center...

Savories special homemade gifts

By PAMELA GATES SOLOMON
Hearst News Service

When people think of giving gifts of food, what most often comes to mind are cookies and candies. But there's a whole other category that is just as much fun to make: savories.

Included in this group are mustards, pickles, relishes, flavored oils and vinegars — the list goes on and on. And because most of these foods are not meant to be opened and eaten right immediately, the recipients have something special which will last after the holidays are just a memory.

Perhaps the easiest project of all is making herb-flavored oils and vinegars. Fresh herbs are best because they contain more oil than dried herbs. Carafes or bottles with stoppers or corks (always use fresh ones), decanters or empty wine bottles make pretty containers. Just like fine wine, the longer these are allowed to age, the more mellow they will be.

Begin with a good quality olive oil, keeping in mind its fruitiness when matching it with herbs. The best herb choices are those most commonly associated with olive oil, such as basil, oregano or rosemary. Gently place the herb into the container, fill with oil and set aside to age in a cool cupboard or pantry. Garlic is also a good flavoring; thread several peeled cloves on a skewer and place in the container.

WHEN MAKING vinegars, begin with about one cup of fresh herbs to flavor one quart of vinegar. The proportion is a matter of taste, so sample it after a few days to see if it's developing as desired. Red wine vinegar is the best match for garlic or shallots, but use white wine or rice vinegar for steeping with herbs. Heat the vinegar and then pour over the herbs which have been placed in a heat-proof jar or bottle. Let steep for two weeks or longer, shaking occasionally. When the vinegar has the desired flavor, strain and pour into sterilized bottles, cap tightly and store in cool, dark place.

These recipes run the gamut from mustards to pickled vegetables. Although it's not necessary to prepare these much in advance of gift-giving, most will benefit from a resting period which will allow the flavors time to blend.

These flavorful mustards, from "Fancy Pantry" by Helen Witty, are perfect for waking up a tired sandwich.

CORIANDER-LIME MUSTARD
(makes about 2 cups)

½ cup mustard seed, preferably light
2 tablespoons lightly packed dry mustard powder, preferably imported
½ cup water
¾ cup fruit flavored, white wine or rice vinegar
3 tablespoons light corn syrup or mild honey
2 tablespoons sugar (increase to 3 tablespoons if wine or rice vinegar is used)
2 teaspoons salt
2 teaspoons freshly ground coriander seed
2 teaspoons packed, very finely chopped, fresh lime zest
About 2 tablespoons strained fresh lime juice

Grind mustard seed to consistency of fine meal in spice grinder or blender. (If using a blender, add mustard powder to seed to add volume.) Combine ground mustard seed, dry mustard and water in bowl and mix to smooth paste. Let mixture stand, uncovered at room temperature, for at least one hour, but preferably three or four. Stir occasionally.

Scrape mixture into container of blender or food processor and add all other ingredients except lime juice. Process mustard until as smooth as possible, scraping down sides of container as necessary. Taste mustard (the flavors won't be completely pulled together yet) and add more salt and-or sweetening if needed. Add lime juice to taste, and blend in.

Scrape mustard into clean, completely dry glass jar or jars, cap tightly and store at room temperature or in refrigerator. Can be stored in refrigerator or cool cupboard almost indefinitely.

Note: If you wish to preserve the heat of this, store in refrigerator. If you prefer a milder mustard, store at room temperature.

COARSE-GROUND MUSTARD WITH HONEY AND TARRAGON
(makes about 2 cups)

½ cup mustard seed, light or dark
3 tablespoons lightly packed dry mustard powder
⅔ cup water
¾ cup white wine or rice vinegar
3 tablespoons mild-flavored honey or 2 tablespoons white corn syrup plus 1 tablespoon strongly-flavored honey
2 teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons chopped fresh tarragon leaves or to taste

Combine seed, mustard powder and water in container of blender or food processor and process to coarse puree. Set mixture aside, uncovered, for at least two hours or overnight, stirring occasionally.

Combine mustard mixture with vinegar, honey, salt and tarragon. Process mixture in blender or food processor to texture desired, from slightly coarse to creamy. Store mustard in clean, dry jar, tightly capped, at room temperature or refrigerate.

New and different marinades are always a welcome gift. Here are two from the "Grill Book" by Kelly McCune.

CORN RELISH WITH SWEET RED AND GREEN PEPPERS

6 cups cooked golden corn kernels
2 cups diced onions
1 cup each chopped, cored and seeded sweet red and green peppers
¾ cup chopped celery
1½ cups packed light brown sugar
2 tablespoons pickling salt or other fine non-iodized salt
2 tablespoons lightly packed dry mustard
2 teaspoons mustard seed
2 teaspoons turmeric
1½ teaspoons celery seed
¼ teaspoon ground cayenne pepper
2½ cups cider vinegar
½ cup water

Combine all ingredients in preserving pan. Bring mixture to boil over medium-high heat, stirring occasionally. Lower heat and simmer, partly covered, until slightly thickened, about 30 minuutes. Stir occasionally.

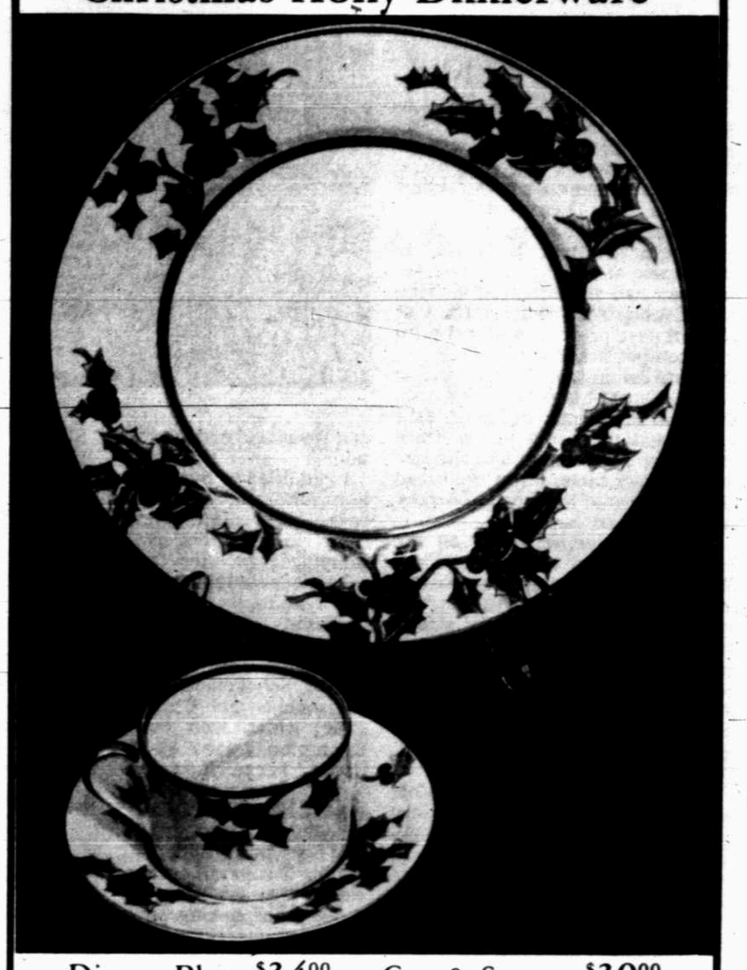
Ladle boiling-hot relish into hot, clean pint canning jars, leaving ¼-inch of headspace. Seal jars with new 2-piece canning lids according to manufacturer's directions and process for 15 minutes in boiling water bath. Cool, label and store jars, letting relish mellow for a few weeks. (Relish can be stored in a cool pantry for up to a year.) From "Fancy Pantry" by Helen Witty.

New York restaurant survey spreading

NEW YORK (AP) — Zagat New York City Restaurant Survey, begun in 1979 as a mimeographed tally sheet passed among friends, has not only grown into a book-format compilation of reviews, but is also expanding to other areas, Tim and Nina Zagat report.

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'Tis season for mincemeat

By MARIE BIANCO
Los Angeles Times-
Washington Post News Service

No one is lukewarm about mincemeat — you either love it or hate it. When the holiday season approaches, traditionalists look for it in pies and cookies, but mincemeat can also be used in stuffings, relishes, biscuits — even baked beans.

Five hundred years ago in England, mincemeat was a combination of finely chopped meat, suet, spices, dried fruit and alcohol stored in stone jars and tightly sealed with wax. It was a form of food preservation beyond drying, smoking and salting. Mincemeat pie, a favorite of Henry V, was served at his coronation in 1413.

Today's commercial mincemeats usually are made with either meat or suet. For those who wish to make their own meatless mincemeat at home, the following recipe is a cinch if you possess a food processor. This version is almost a conserve, yet has a spicy, fruity flavor.

CHRISTMAS MINCEMEAT

4 tart green cooking apples, peeled, cored
4 firm pears, peeled, cored
4 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
11-ounce box dried apricots
15-ounce box dark raisins
15-ounce box golden raisins
2 teaspoons fresh lemon peel
¼ pound candied orange peel, chopped
¼ pound candied citron, chopped
1½ cups granulated sugar
1 cup apple cider
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon allspice
¼ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon black pepper
1 cup rum
1½ cups pecans, chopped

Coarsely chop apples and pears in a food processor or with sharp knife. Combine with lemon juice in a large saucepan.

Coarsely chop apricots, dark and golden raisins and add to saucepan along with lemon peel, candied orange peel and citron. Stir in sugar, apple cider, cinnamon, allspice, salt and pepper. Bring mixture to a boil, lower heat and simmer over medium heat for about 30 minutes. Stir in rum and cook 10 minutes longer.

Meanwhile, toast the pecans at 350 degrees 10 minutes, shaking pan once or twice during cooking to turn nuts over. Add toasted nuts to mixture. Ladle into hot, sterilized jars and seal. Jars may be refrigerated for 6 weeks. For longer storage, process in a hot-water bath for 5 minutes.

MINCEMEAT PIE

Pastry for 2-crust pie
2 firm pears, pared, cored and sliced
3 cups mincemeat, commercial or homemade
1-egg yolk combined with 2 tablespoons water

Line pie pan with pastry and cover with pear slices in shape of pinwheel. Spread with mincemeat. Cover with top crust, seal and flute. Cut slits in top. Brush top with egg yolk wash. Bake on rack in lower half of 425-degree oven for 25 to 30 minutes or until golden.

MINCEMEAT TURNOVERS

17-ounce package frozen puff pastry
2 cups mincemeat, homemade or commercial
1 egg
1 tablespoon water
1 cup confectioners' sugar
3 teaspoons milk, approximately

Thaw puff pastry 20 minutes at room temperatre. Remove packaging and unfold both pieces.

On a lightly floured surface, roll each piece into a 10x10-inch square. Cut each square into four 5x5-inch pieces.

Visually draw a diagonal line through each square, forming two triangles. Place ¼ cup of mincemeat on one triangular half, leaving ½-inch space along the outer edge.

Combine the egg and water. With a pastry brush, moisten all edges of each square. Fold pastry over filling into triangular shape and press edges together.

Bake at 350 degrees 20 minutes or until pastry is golden brown. Cool.

Sift confectioners' sugar and stir in 2 teaspoons milk. If necessary, add the third teaspoon. Drizzle over top of pastry. Makes 8 turnovers.

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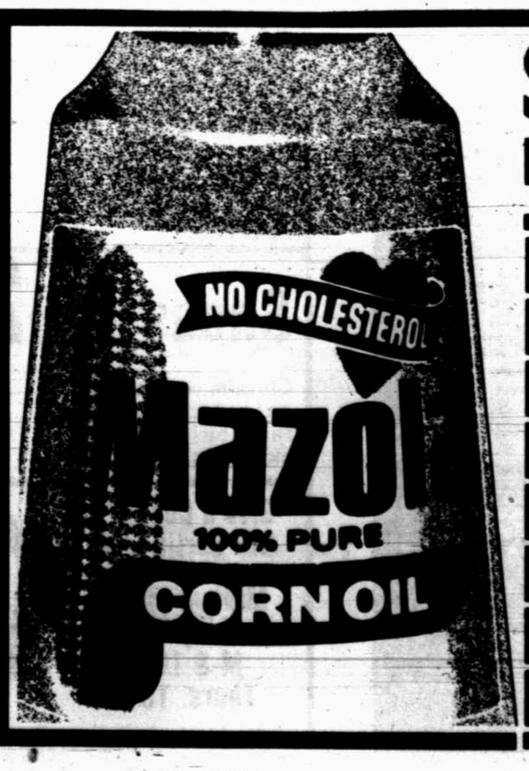
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Spuds long on luxury

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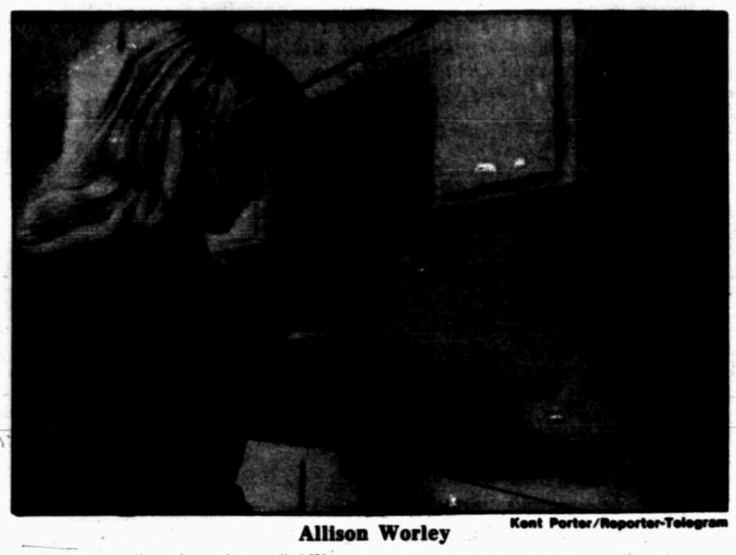
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WHAT'S COOKING

Buttermilk bread wins blue ribbon

By ELIZABETH EDWIN
Lifestyle Editor



Allison Worley Kent Porter/Reporter-Telegram

Allison Worley, the 9-year-old daughter of Cydnie and Mike Worley of Greenwood, may appear to be an average fourth grader at Greenwood Elementary, but her knowledge of nutrition seems well above average.

Allison is one of 11 Midland County 4-H members that recently competed in the District Food Show in El Paso. Allison won a blue ribbon and placed first in her class in the Junior I division, 9 to 11-year-olds.

Preparing for the trip to district was not an easy task. To be eligible to compete at the district level, 4-H members had to first win in the Midland County Food Show. Once that test was past, preparation for the district competition began.

Before leaving for El Paso, Allison had to prepare her competition dish, One-Rise Buttermilk Bread, to take for presentation to the judges. Once in El Paso for competition, she had to set up her table, warm the bread and be prepared for the judges questions and their taste test.

"They (the judges) asked me the food groups and how I made my bread. Then they asked me what nutrients were in my dish. There is calcium in the buttermilk for strong bones and teeth, B-12 to aid in proper growth of children and the nervous system ...," Allison said, continuing with her list of the beneficial ingredients in her dish. "I chose it 'cause it tastes good and it has buttermilk in it for nutrition."

HER MONTHS of work paid off with a first place award she is very proud of. But the district competition wasn't all work. "We got to swim at the hotel and go in the steam room and the sauna. And there was a dance with the Food Show too," Allison said.

In divisions Junior I and Junior II (ages 12 and 13), district is the top level of competition. Senior division winners (ages 14-19) are eligible to compete at the state level in the summer.

Allison and her brother Coy, 12, do some of their 4-H projects together, but her sister Ashley, 4, is still to young to help, Allison said.

"One of the cutest things they do is their Teddy Bear Method Demonstration," Mrs. Worley said. "They make bread in the shape of bears and turn one into a boy and one into a girl with a bow tie and a ribbon." (The recipe for Loveable, Huggable Teddy Bears will be featured in next week's What's Cooking.)

The brother and sister team also raise and show sheep together.

"We have eight sheep, five horses and a goat that won second place," Allison said. "My brother feeds the sheep in the morning and I feed them at night and we have to exercise them. We run them and our dog Jake helps train them."

Allison explained to show sheep you have to teach them to stand up straight and you have to keep them clean and sheered. "My mom and I sheer their wool. It's sorta hard to tackle them. I was holding one once and it wiggled and got loose," Allison said.

In addition to her 4-H projects, Allison also enjoys collecting shiny rocks "like flint," playing in the snow, riding her horses and bike and jumping rope. Her favorite school subjects include math, social studies and reading.

Allison included a copy of her prize-winning recipe for One-Rise Buttermilk Bread, along with a recipe for Schokolade-Kartoffelkuchen (German Sweet Chocolate Potato Cake) which won her the Grand Champion award at the Midland County Pecan Show.

ONE-RISE BUTTERMILK BREAD
2 packages active dry yeast
1¼ cups buttermilk
4½ to 5 cups all-purpose or bread flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
butter or margarine, softened
¾ cup warm water (105-115)
¼ cup shortening
2 tablespoons sugar
2 teaspoons salt

Dissolve yeast in warm water in large mixer bowl. Add buttermilk, 2½ cups flour, shortening, sugar, baking powder and salt. Blend ½ minute on low speed, scraping bowl constantly. Beat 2 minutes on medium speed. stir in just enough remaining flour to make dough soft and slightly sticky.

Turn dough onto generously floured surface; knead 5 minutes or about 200 turns. Flatten dough with hands or rolling pin into rectangle, 18x9-inches. Fold crosswise into thirds, overlapping the two sides. Roll dough tightly toward you, beginning at one of the open ends. Press with thumbs to seal after each turn. Pinch edge firmly to seal. With side of hand, press each end to seal; fold ends under.

Place loaf seam side down in greased loaf pan, 9x5x3-inches. Brush lightly with butter. Cover; let rise in warm place until double, about one hour. (Dough in center should be about 2 inches above pan.)

Heat oven to 425 degrees. Place loaf on low rack so top of pan is in center of oven. Bake until loaf sounds hollow when tapped, 30-35 minutes. Remove from pan. Brush with butter; cool on wire rack.

NOTE: To prepare 2 small loaves, divide dough in half after kneading and shape as directed. Place loaves in 2 greased loaf pans, 8½x4½x2½-inches. Bake as directed.

To prepare 2 large loaves, double all ingredients except yeast. Blend 1 minute on low speed, scraping bowl constantly. Beat 4 minutes on medium speed. Stir in just enough remaining flour to make dough soft and slightly sticky. Divide dough in half; knead each half 5 minutes. Continue shaping each half as directed.

Little loaves: After kneading, divide dough into 8 equal parts. Flatten each part into a rectangle, 10x5-inches. Shape as directed. Place in 8 greased individual loaf pans, 4½x2¾x1¼-inches. Bake 20-25 minutes.

SCHOKOLADE-KARTOFFELKUCHEN (GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATE POTATO CAKE)
1 cup butter or margarine
2 cups sugar
4 egg yolks, well beaten
1 cup mashed potatoes, cooled
4 ounces German sweet chocolate, melted and cooled
2 cups flour
pinch salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
½ cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 or 2 cups pecans, broken
4 egg whites, beaten stiff

In large bowl, cream butter and sugar thoroughly. Add egg yolks, potatoes and chocolate, mixing well after each addition. Sift dry ingredients. Alternately add flour and milk mixed with vanilla to creamed mixture, blending slowly after each addition. Add pecans and fold in egg whites. Bake in greased and floured tube pan at 325 degrees for one hour or until done. Do not invert pan until cake is cool. This cake needs no frosting; it keeps well and becomes moist with time.

Pancake mix key ingredient to Shoofly Coffee Cake

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

While growing up, our family made several vacation trips through the Pennsylvania Dutch country. Of all the wonderful food served there, I liked shoofly pie best, and no vacation was complete until I had eaten it at least once. The crumb topping and molasses-and-spice taste of this coffee cake remind me of that treat.

SHOOFLY COFFEE CAKE
2 cups complete buttermilk pancake mix
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
¼ teaspoon ground ginger
⅔ cup milk
⅓ cup molasses
¼ cup sugar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine

In a bowl combine pancake mix, cinnamon and ginger until well mixed. Remove ⅓ cup of the mix; set aside. Combine milk and molasses; add to dry mixture. Stir just until moistened. Do not overmix. Turn into a greased 9-inch pie plate.

In a small bowl combine the reserved pancake mix and sugar. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Sprinkle over batter. Bake in a 350 degree oven about 25 minutes or until toothpick comes out clean. Serve warm or cool.

Kogelhopf pan used for baking European breads

Associated Press

A kugelhopf pan is the traditional pan for baking some European breads. It's a tube pan, tall with narrow, swirled fluting. This rich bread can be baked in either a 10-cup kugelhopf pan or any other fluted tube pan of that size.

NUTMEG RAISIN COFFEE CAKE
1 16-ounce package hot roll mix
¾ teaspoon ground nutmeg
1¼ cups milk
⅓ cup butter or margarine
⅓ packed brown sugar
2 eggs
¾ cup currants or raisins
Sifted powdered sugar

In a large mixer bowl combine the hot-roll-mix yeast packet and 1 cup of the flour from the mix. Stir in nutmeg. In a small saucepan heat milk, butter and brown sugar just until the mixture is warm (115 degrees to 120 degrees) and butter is almost melted, stirring constantly. Add to flour mixture; add eggs. Beat with electric mixer on low speed for ½ minute, scraping sides of bowl constantly. Beat 3 minutes on high speed. Stir in remaining flour just until combined. Stir in currants or raisins. Do not overbeat.

Pour batter into greased 10-cup kugelhopf pan or fluted tube pan. Let rise in warm place until nearly double (about 40 minutes). Bake in 350 degree oven 35 to 40 minutes or until done. If necessary, cover bread with foil the last 10 to 15 minutes to prevent overbrowning. Remove from pan; cool on wire rack. Sprinkle with powdered sugar to serve. Makes 12 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 285 cal., 6 g pro., 40 g carbo., 12 g fat, 69 mg chol., 281 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 13 percent thiamine.

Booklet talks turkey to Christmas cooks

Copley News Service

In the wee hours of Christmas morning, you may be one of the thousands of chefs who drags out an old faithful cookbook, checks cooking times for turkey, throws the bird in the oven, and then goes back to bed. In your pre-dawn drowsiness, you probably don't take the time to study how to handle turkey and stuffing safely.

Do your homework now so you can sleep more soundly at Christmas. A 22-page booklet published by the U.S. Department of Agriculture has new information about how to buy, store, thaw, stuff and prepare your holiday bird safely even if this is your 20th year to prepare the Christmas turkey.

If this Christmas marks your debut as a holiday cook, you'll want to pay particular attention to the sections describing why you must never thaw a turkey on your kitchen counter and why you must only stuff the bird at the very last minute.

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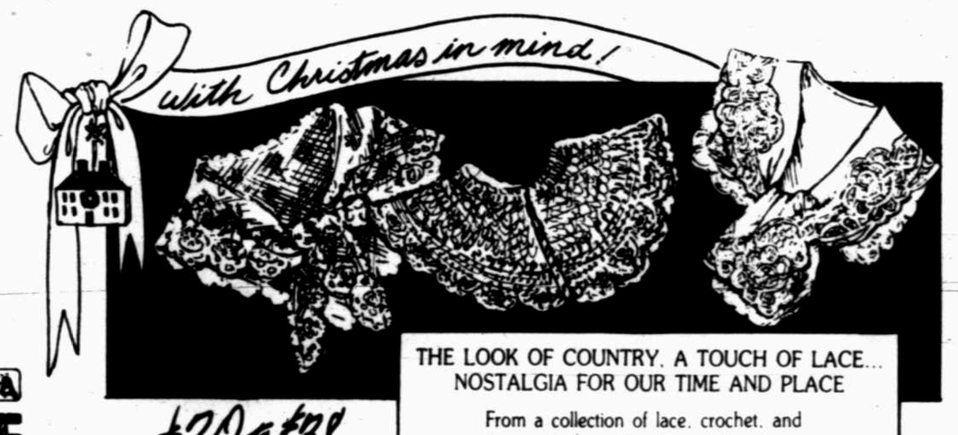
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Merchandising tricks 'rip-off'

By MERLE ELLIS



Some things that I see in supermarket meatcases would like to drive me crazy. Many meat markets use merchandising tricks that are more than a little unethical. They're downright dishonest. They ought to be illegal, but they're not.

One of the classics, and the one that makes me the craziest — it makes me want to run out of the store, find a lawyer and file a class action suit — is one I call the "roasting chicken rip-off." These are chickens labeled "Roasting Chickens" that are no larger than those labeled "Frying Chickens" but are priced 50 cents to 75 cents per pound MORE! If there is no difference in the size of the birds, there is no difference in the birds. The butcher has simply taken a few frying chickens out of the plastic bags they came in, put them in a different package, labeled them "Roasting Chickens" and weighed them up at a higher price per pound. It's a rip off! No market should have to stoop that low to make a profit.

Another practice that causes me some concern I call, for lack of a better term, "the Prime Beef Ploy." Many markets around the country are taking out a section of their "self service" meatcases and replacing it with a section of brand-new-fancy-upscale curved-glass "old-fashioned" service cases. The kind that requires a real live person to wait on you. They are lovely cases, and it's nice to see the "old-fashioned butcher" make a comeback, even if most of the young men behind those fancy counters "ain't never even seen no steer," to quote a much older old-fashioned butcher I know.

What annoys me to no end is calling that section of the meatcase the "Prime Meat Department." To quote again that old-fashioned butcher, "No sir, not much prime around these days. Too bad, too!" Most of the meat in these "Prime Shops" is not prime at all. It's just overpriced! Pretty perhaps, but overpriced. You can usually find the same cut in the self-service section prepackaged in plastic selling for a lot less.

A few weeks ago, I ran across a low-down merchandising trick that I dubbed "The Round Steak Rip-Off" or "Beware of the Bottom Round." I'd never seen it before. It was cute! Butchers can get very creative with cutting meat when it helps "cut a gross." Many markets offer specials occasionally on "full-cut round steak;" it's a slice of the round (the hind leg of beef) that contains three individual muscles: the top round, eye of round, and bottom round muscles.

Of the three, the top round is by far the most tender, and often wise shoppers will buy the full-cut round "on special" in order to get the top round at a better than usual price. It makes good sense. I picked up what I thought was a "full-cut round" on special in one market a while back, but when I got the package home and opened it up, I got a big surprise. There was no top round attached. Some clever-devil-of-a-butcher had "butterflied" a thick slice of bottom round and opened it up so that (if you weren't paying careful attention, and I wasn't) you'd take it thinking you were getting a good buy. I took it. I got took and someone else got the top round!

Fancy terms used to label cuts of meat have always bugged me. "London broil" was for years the classic. I have seen that fancy-sounding term used to label half a dozen different cuts, not one of which is the cut that's called for in the classic recipe for this cut. If you look up a recipe for "London broil" in an old cookbook from "Fannie Farmer" and "The Joy of Cooking" to James Beard, you will see that the recipe calls for flank steak. Some markets these days use the term to label a thick cut of almost anything.

The latest fad in the crazy term category is a cut called "fajitas." In Spanish, the language of its origin, the terms means skirts or sashes and was used to describe the diaphragm muscle of the beef animal which is shaped like a sash.

In the U.S., we call the cut "skirt steak," or at least we did until the "fajitas" fad. Now the term "fajitas" is being used to label more cuts of meat than London broil. Slice it thick, whatever the cut - label it London broil. Slice it thin - and label it "fajitas." Get the most possible money out of both of 'em seems to be the current merchandise philosophy. I have even seen cuts of chicken and turkey labeled "fajitas." Come on, you guys! Turkeys don't got no "fajitas." You're driving me crazy!

Merle Ellis is a columnist for Chronicle Publishing Co.

Classic bread pudding updated with pumpkin

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

You may hear bread pudding called a "comfort food," the kind of homey eating that reminds us of dinner at Grandma's. Now, updated bread pudding desserts such as this one are on menus across the country.

PUMPKIN BREAD PUDDING
2 slightly beaten egg yolks
1 cup canned pumpkin
½ cup packed brown sugar
2 tablespoons brandy (optional)
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
½ teaspoon ground nutmeg
2 cups milk
4 cups whole-wheat bread cubes (5½ slices bread)
½ cup chopped pecans
½ cup snipped pitted dates
2 egg whites
Light cream

In large bowl combine egg yolks, pumpkin, brown sugar, brandy and spices. Stir in milk. Fold in bread cubes, pecans and dates. In small mixer bowl beat egg whites until stiff peaks form (tips stand straight). Fold egg whites into bread mixture. Turn into 10x6x2-inch baking dish. Bake at 325 degrees 45-50 minutes or until a knife inserted near center comes out clean. Serve warm with light cream. Makes 8 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 235 cal., 7 g pro., 37 g carbo., 8 g fat, 73 mg chol., 214 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 139 percent vit. A, 10 percent thiamine, 11 percent riboflavin, 13 percent calcium, 12 percent iron, 16 percent phosphorus.

Molasses gives butter cookies richer flavor, color

Associated Press

These cookies are similar to old favorite Sandies or Russian Tea Cookies, but molasses gives them a richer flavor and color.

MOLASSES BUTTERBALLS
1 cup butter or margarine
¼ cup molasses
2 cups all-purpose flour
2 cups very finely chopped walnuts
Powdered sugar

In mixer bowl beat butter or margarine with electric mixer on medium speed for 30 seconds. Add molasses and beat until fluffy. Add flour; beat at low speed until well blended. Stir in nuts. Shape dough into 1-inch balls, using about 1 tablespoon dough for each. Place on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at 325 degrees 20 minutes. Remove to wire rack to cool. When cookies are cool, gently roll in powdered sugar to coat.

German chocolate pie 'luscious'

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Count me among the chocolate lovers who will save up calories all day to splurge on a special dessert at dinner.

This luscious pie is a takeoff of the cake that helped start the chocolate craze.

Like any cream pie, this pie should be thoroughly chilled before serving and any leftover portions should be refrigerated.

GERMAN CHOCOLATE PIE
⅓ cup sugar
3 tablespoons cornstarch
1½ cups milk
1 4-ounce bar German sweet cooking chocolate, cut up
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
2 beaten egg yolks
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 9-inch baked pie shell
1 beaten egg
1 5½-ounce can evaporated milk (⅔ cup)
½ cup sugar
¼ cup butter or margarine
1 3½-ounce can flaked coconut (1½ cups)
½ cup chopped pecans

In a medium saucepan combine the ⅓ cup sugar and cornstarch. Stir in milk, chocolate and the 1 tablespoon butter. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly. Reduce heat; cook and stir 2 minutes more.

Gradually stir about 1 cup of the hot mixture into egg yolks. Return mixture to saucepan; bring to boiling. Cook and stir 2 minutes more. Stir in vanilla. Turn hot pie filling into baked pie shell.

In another saucepan combine the whole egg, evaporated milk, the ½ cup sugar and the ¼ cup butter. Cook and stir over medium heat just until thickened and bubbly. Stir in coconut and pecans. Spread mixture evenly over chocolate filling.

Cool pie on wire rack, chill thoroughly. Makes 10 servings.

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Favorite foods enlivened for parties

Hearst News Service

Entertaining these days means enlivening old favorite foods with new treatments. Here are some ideas for party foods your friends may not have tried.

Brie, Camembert, creamy havarti and other semisoft cheeses become luxuriously rich hors d'oeuvres when they're heated. This recipe for baked brie suggests classic pairings: The brie is baked with nuts, then scooped up with apple or pea wedges. It's from the Sunset "Appetizers" book.

BAKED CHEESE WITH NUTS
1 wheel firm brie or Camembert OR a square of havarti
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
Nut halves (pecans, walnuts, etc.)
Apple or pear wedges

Place the cheese in round, rimmed baking dish that can be brought to the table. Brush with butter. Press nut halves into top. Bake at 350 degrees 10-12 minutes or until cheese just begins to melt. Serve with fruit for scooping up cheese. Bread sticks and a knife for spreading might be a good idea, too.

Chef Kyle Fulwiler served the following stuffed potato recipe at a reception celebrating the ethnic heritage of citizens with Scandinavian roots. It's a hearty dish; serve it at cocktail parties where there is no meal to follow.

STUFFED NEW RED POTATOES
50 extra-small new red potatoes
3 (8-ounce) packages cream cheese, softened
¼ cup mayonnaise
⅛ teaspoon white pepper
2 teaspoons dried dill
Caviar, for topping
Fresh dill sprigs, for garnish

For potatoes 1½ inches or smaller, just cut a small, lengthwise slice off each one, so it will stand up nicely. Cut larger potatoes in half, lengthwise. Cook the potatoes in a large pot of boiling water for 12 minutes. Do not overcook. Drain the potatoes and cool to room temperature.

Combine the cream cheese, mayonnaise, white pepper and dried dill in an electric mixer. Whip until quite smooth. Adjust seasoning. Use the mixture to fill a pastry bag fitted with a ½-inch star tip.

Place the potatoes cut-side-down on a tray and cut a hole out of the top of each potato with a melon baller. Pipe a generous amount of cream cheese into each potato. Garnish the tops with caviar or dill sprigs. Serve on a leaf-lined tray.

At an workshop on healthy holiday entertaining, nutritionist Evette Hackman served salmon pate stuffed in oversize pasta shells as a nutritious and filling appetizer. The recipe is from "Seafood: A Collection of Heart-Healthy Recipes" by Evie Hansen and Janis Harsila.

This simple recipe uses liquid smoke flavoring to enliven the flavor of simple canned salmon.

SMOKY SALMON PATE
1 (15½-ounce) can salmon
1 cup low-fat cream cheese
1 teaspoon liquid smoke flavoring
1 teaspoon lemon juice
2 tablespoons onion, minced
2 tablespoons ripe olives, finely chopped
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
½ teaspoon paprika

Drain salmon and mash with fork. Press cream cheese through sieve or blend until smooth. Combine all ingredients, mix well and chill at least one hour.

Spread on melba toast or rye bread rounds or use to stuff oversize pasta shells.

Muffins made with apples, cinnamon, sour cream

From Wire Reports

APPLE MUFFINS
4 teaspoons baking powder
2 cups all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt, cloves, baking soda
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup butter
2 eggs
1 cup sour cream
3 apples, peeled, cored, shredded
½ cup chopped walnuts

Sift baking powder and baking soda. Add flour and salt. Stir in cinnamon, nutmeg and cloves. Cream brown sugar and butter. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Beat in half of flour mixture, half of sour cream; repeat with remaining mixture. Stir in apples and walnuts. Spoon into buttered muffin tin. Bake at 400 degrees for 20 minutes.

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Author: Elegant entertaining doesn't have to be difficult

By VERNE PALMER
Copley News Service

"Sable & Rosenfeld Elegant Entertaining Cookbook" by Myra Sable; Bantam Books; $19.95 hardcover, $11.95 softcover.

Elegant entertaining is, almost by definition, labor intensive, time consuming and, well, fussy. To everyone but Myra Sable, that is. She believes foods served at everything from black-tie cocktail parties to backyard barbecues ought to be — catch this now — easy. To that she would add festive, fun and durable. Durable? I hate to break up a lively conversation in order to push guests to the table merely because the first course is ready, she says. To circumvent that odious necessity, she has filled her book with party dishes that can be served at room temperature, should the situation so dictate.

She also offers up ideas and menus for a variety of occasions, suggestions for special theme parties, serving tips and decorating advice — and her own personal pet strategy: gracing otherwise simple dishes with special homemade condiments such as relishes, sauces, mustards, jams, jellies, chutneys, etc.

In 1971 Sable and her former partner, Carol Rosenfeld, pooled a wide-ranging collection of original and handed-down pet recipes and opened their first specialty food boutique.

After years of offering advice on how best to put their products to use and as a food and entertaining columnist, a cookbook was almost inevitable.

This (first?) effort includes not only the standard appetizers, soups, salads, main dishes and desserts, but also dressed up side dishes, breads, muffins, pates and a wide range of condiments.

Here's a sampling:

TINY MUSHROOM CAPS STUFFED WITH PECANS AND CREAM
30 medium mushrooms
1 cup pecans, finely chopped
¼ cup chopped fresh parsley
¼ cup soft sweet butter
1 clove garlic, finely chopped
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon dried thyme
¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
¼ cup heavy or whipping cream
Sliced pimiento
Shredded lettuce

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Remove mushroom stems, finely chop them, and set aside. Wipe caps with damp cloth and arrange in a shallow baking dish, hollow side up.

In a bowl combine 1 cup chopped mushroom stems with pecans and parsley. Stir in butter, garlic, salt, thyme and pepper. Heap mixture into mushroom caps.

Drizzle cream over each mushroom cap and bake for 20 minutes until heated through and beginning to brown.

Makes 30 appetizers.

CRUNCHY BROCCOLI SALAD
2 pounds fresh broccoli, florets and stems, cut into bite-size pieces
1 lemon
¾ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
Dressing:
⅓ cup dry white wine
3 shallots, minced
1½ cups mayonnaise
1 tablespoon chopped chives or parsley

In a large pot of salted boiling water, cook broccoli 2 minutes, until tender but firm. Drain and rinse immediately with ice cold water. Drain and spread on paper towel to dry. Sprinkle with juice of 1 lemon and pepper. Place in a salad bowl.

In a small saucepan combine wine and shallots. Reduce until about 3 tablespoons remain.

In a small bowl combine mayonnaise, chives and shallot mixture.

Pour over broccoli. Toss gently.

Refrigerate 2 hours before serving. Toss again and serve.

Makes 6 to 8 servings.

HONEY ORANGE CHICKEN
1 chicken, 2½ to 3 pounds
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
2 medium onions, coarsely chopped
2 teaspoons salt
2 teaspoons paprika
⅛ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
4 oranges, grated rind and juice
¼ cup honey
2 tablespoons Grand Marnier
1 piece (1 inch) ginger root, peeled and finely chopped
¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg
1 tablespoon cold water
2 teaspoons cornstarch

Preheat oven to 350 degree. With a sharp knife disjoint and cut chicken into 8 pieces. In a large skillet, heat oil. Add chicken pieces, a few at a time. Cook, turning, about 10 minutes, until brown.

In a baking dish or casserole, arrange chicken. Spread onions over top. Sprinkle with salt, paprika, and pepper.

Pour oil out of skillet. Add orange rind and juice, honey, Grand Marnier, ginger root, and nutmeg and deglaze pan by scraping down brown bits. Simmer 5 minutes. Pour over chicken.

Cover chicken and bake for 50 to 60 minutes, until tender. Remove chicken and onions to warm serving platter and keep warm.

Pour pan juices into a small saucepan. Combine water and cornstarch; mix until smooth. Stir into juices. Bring to a boil; cook, stirring about 2 minutes, until thickened. Pour over chicken and serve.

Makes 4 servings.

Bishop wrote carol

Copley News Service

One of America's favorite Christmas carols, "O Little Town Of Bethlehem," was written by Bishop Phillips Brooks (1835-1893), an eloquent preacher who served first as rector at Holy Trinity Church in Philadelphia and later at Old Trinity Church in Boston.

A bronze statue of Brooks can be seen at the church. It was done by famous sculptor Augustus Saint-Gaudens.

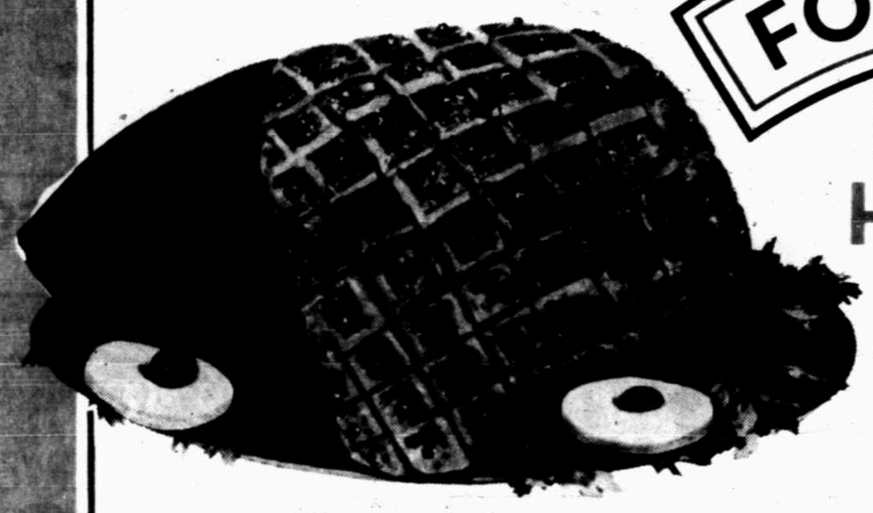
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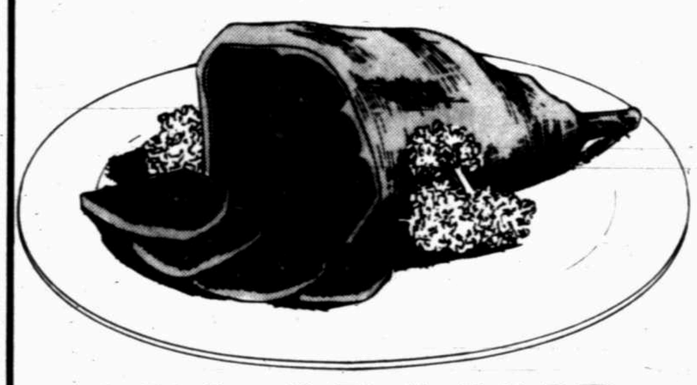
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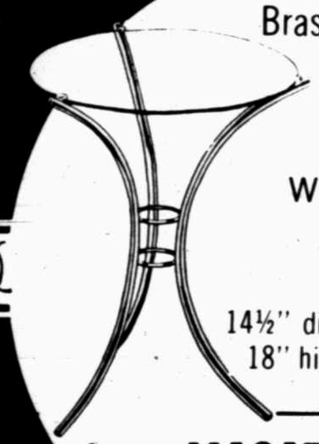


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DEAR ABBY

'Spirit of the season' won't soothe party guest's rancor

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



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DEAR ABBY: I have one of those awkward "don't want to hurt anyone's feelings" situations, and I don't know quite how to handle it.

I have a very good friend (I'll call her Mary) who tends to get depressed over the holidays because her family is scattered across the country, and she's alone. My parents are planning a Christmas dinner for family and friends, so I asked my mother if I could invite Mary. She said, "Certainly." I invited Mary, and she was thrilled to accept.

It seems Mother had invited her friend, "Rita," for that evening. Yesterday Mother saw Rita. She asked Mother who else was coming to her party, and Mother told her, adding, "My daughter's friend, Mary, will be there." Rita said, "I'm sorry, I am not coming. I know Mary, and I refuse to be in the same room with her!"

You can see the quandary. I didn't know that Mary and Rita even knew each other. Mother said she tried to persuade Rita to tolerate Mary's presence for the one evening, but she flatly refused.

My mom and I are caught in the middle. I don't want to rescind the invitation to Mary because of Rita, and my mom feels terrible that Rita will not come because of Mary.

Help! Comfort, consolation, or some workable solution, please. — IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR IN: The solution is simple. Mary is in, and Rita — by her own refusal to attend if Mary does — is out. No guest has the right to disinvite another guest. I don't know Rita, but I'm sure the party will not suffer for her absence.

DEAR ABBY: My nephew and I have this bet on, and we need you to help us settle it. If a gentleman invites a lady to go to the dog track with him, isn't it only proper that he pay for the lady's betting costs? I say it is.

Please rush your answer, because I am going to the track as soon as I win this bet. — V. IN COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

DEAR V.: There is no need for me to rush my answer because you've lost the bet.

When a gentleman invites a lady to the track, Monte Carlo, Las Vegas or anywhere else people go to gamble, he pays the admission fee — if there is one — but unless he has agreed in advance to stake her, she's on her own.

DEAR ABBY: It seems that the more things change, the more they stay the same.

As I was driving to work last week, I heard a young, pregnant girl (on the radio) talking about how her teen-age boyfriend talked her into it. She said he told her, "If you loved me, you would." So she did.

When I was a young girl (25 years ago), the same line was being used. In one of your columns I read the perfect comeback.

I remember this one so well because I used it a few times.

He said, "If you loved me, you would." and I said, "If you loved me, you wouldn't ask me to." It worked every time. — GOOD MEMORY

DEAR GOOD: Some of my advice is as good as new because it hasn't been used much. I'm glad this comeback came back to mind. Thanks for the memories.

DEAR ABBY: When I married a man with two teen-age children from a previous marriage, there was considerable discussion as to what I should be called.

The children felt that calling me "Mom" was disrespectful to their still-living mother. For that reason, there were some protests and corrections from them when some unknowing stranger referred to me as their "mother."

However, they were uncomfortable with "stepmother" because of the "wicked stepmother" connotations from fairy tales.

I joked about it and told them they were perfectly welcome to introduce me as their "wicked stepmother."

When addressing me directly, they call me by my first name. With the high number of divorces these days, this must be a common problem. I see no reason to do away with a distinction between two different relationships, which the child may regard as an important distinction. — SHARI PRANGE, CALIF.

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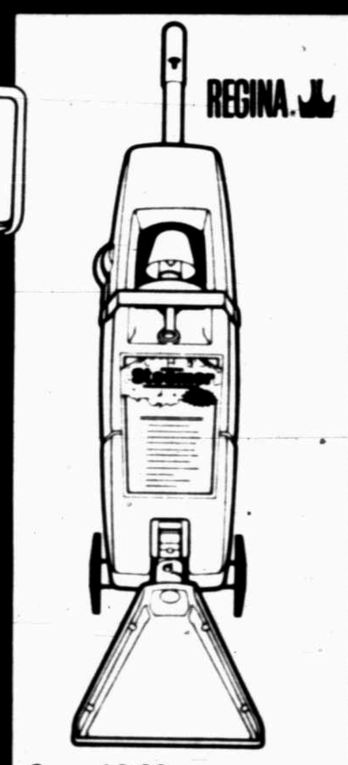
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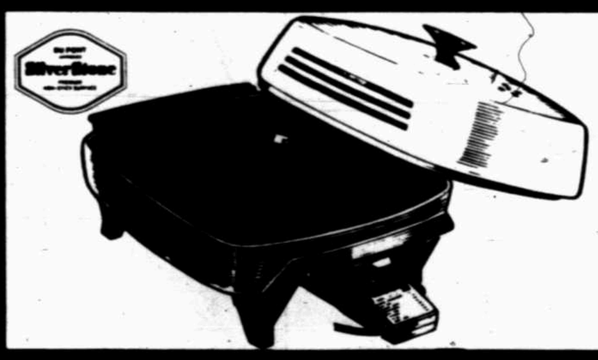
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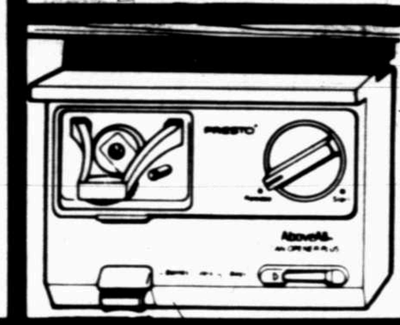
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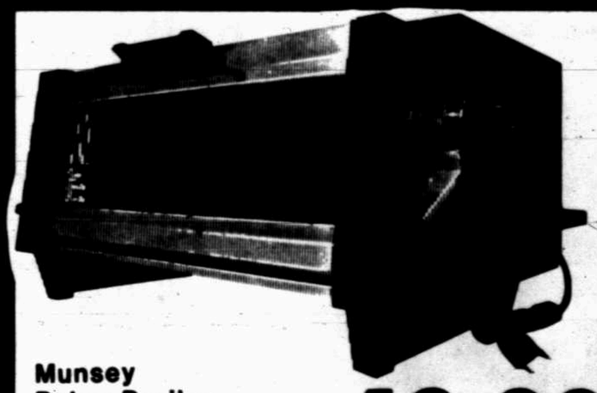
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'How to Cook' rates high for gift list

By JIM WOOD
Hearst News Service

Some beginning cookbooks assume you don't know how to boil water; others act as if you're a French chef slumming. "How to Cook" by Raymond Sokolov assumes you're a moderately bright person with enough intelligence to want to learn to cook.

The tone is friendly, helpful, not patronizing. Some intelligent people don't know how to fix a car; this book is for intelligent people who don't know how to cook. With one very minor exception, I would recommend this book as the perfect gift for any person even casually interested in learning the right moves in the kitchen.

Already we have "The Joy of Cooking," Fannie Farmer," "Doubleday Cookbook," as well as "Mastering the Art of French Cooking," which is a great teaching book as well as a library of recipes. Why then do we need this little book?

There are several reasons, the biggest being that it is a little book, not some intimidating volume including many advanced recipes. These recipes are short, they're easy to follow, they're not much work. They also are delicious.

The book also will provide the aspiring cook with a repertoire of basic dishes, simple stuff like how to boil beets. They also provide a very fast path to learning how to entertain — read this short book and you'll be able to give successful, sophisticated dinner parties.

Sokolov begins with a simple, entertaining discussion of the kitchen, a sort of users' guide to stoves, refrigerators, sinks and pots and pans. He's tried to anticipate every insecurity, every question. Yet his prose never becomes tedious.

He explains terms: a slow oven, carbon steel, recipes (what they really mean and how to read them easily). He tells you how to select a stove, light an oven, how (and when) to defrost, how to shop.

Follow Sokolov and you'll have a well-equipped kitchen at a reasonable price, and you'll be ready to cook with good, fresh ingredients. His advice may not be like mother's, but for computer-era families, it's excellent.

Then come the recipes. Sokolov explains in clear, concise, yet gentle prose one technique after another, from the right way to separate eggs (not difficult, but probably different from the way you've been doing it), how to chop herbs, how to make simple oil and vinegar dressing. It's amusing to read the very high level of sophistication his simple prose produces: a novice cook following his easy directions will produce absolutely first-class food.

Beginning with sauces and salads, he eventually works up to full-course dinners and Asian dishes that would please any sophisticated palate. How to prepare each dish is explained in full, either in the recipe text or through a cross reference to an earlier recipe employing the techniques.

Sokolov's skill is scarcely surprising. A former New York Times writer, he is author of "Great Recipes From the New York Times," "The Saucier's Apprentice" and "Fading Feast." He also became nationally known as a food columnist for Naturally History magazine.

In addition, Sokolov wrote "Wayware Reporter," a beautiful bit of biography, documenting the life of great eater and writer A.J. Liebling. This book, rich in detail and drama, should have been a runaway best seller. Alas, it was under-promoted, just as I fear "How to Cook" appears likely to be.

"How to Cook," ironically, began on the initiative of one of the editors at William Morrow and Co. Sokolov acknowledges the contributions of Maria Guarnaschelli, who "saw the need for the book, asked me to do it and encouraged me with praise and detailed, intelligent criticism as the manuscript passed piecemeal to her."

I said I had one trifling reservation about Sokolov's book. It's the recipe for Christmas Roast Goose. He says, and I've seen it in other goose recipes, to baste the bird with pan drippings. Never, never do this. If you do, the skin will be tough and probably greasy as well. A properly cooked goose has a delicious, crisp skin, obtained by allowing the bird to baste itself. If you feel you must baste, use beer.

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Pork chops now lower in fats, calories

By PAUL BENSEN
Copley News Service

In recent years, as many Americans have tried to reduce the saturated fat in their diets, pork chops have gotten a largely undeserved bad press as being high in fats and calories. This is a shame, because there are many recipes for pork chops that are perfect for the chef in a hurry, and today's pork is very different from that of even a decade ago.

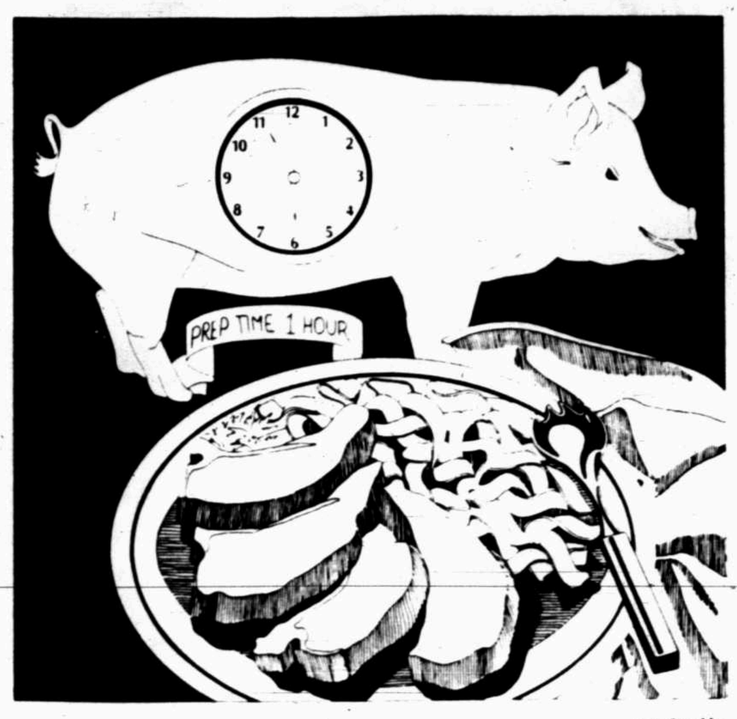
Pork produced in America today is much lower in fat than ever before. At one time, farmers tried to raise the fattest hogs possible but today's pork producer turns out a much leaner product — the average hog today has 50 percent less fat than one raised 25 years ago.

For equal-sized servings, pork has about the same number of calories as beef, veal, lamb and dark-meat turkey. It is approximately equal to any of these in protein, and is far higher in B vitamins. Lamb, veal, dark-meat turkey and even some fish are higher in cholesterol than currently produced pork. Pork also has less saturated fat than either beef or lamb.

Pork made its North American debut courtesy of Hernando DeSoto, who brought 13 pigs along with him, as a kind of larder-on-the-hoof, when he landed in Florida in 1539. Native Indians became very fond of pork, and reportedly raided DeSoto's herd regularly, making off with pigs for their own consumption.

By the time DeSoto died, in 1542, his captive herd had grown to over 700, not including the pigs that were eaten, the ones that the Indians took and still others that ran away to become the patriarchs of our wild hog population.

Other notable dates in the swining of America are 1600, when Hernando Cortez introduced the pig to New Mexico and 1607, when Sir Walter Raleigh brought some English-bred stock to Jamestown Colony.



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Pork should, of course, be cooked thoroughly. Cooking pork slowly at moderate temperatures will ensure even cooking, minimize shrinkage and make the meat more tender and flavorful. As a rule of thumb, pork should reach an internal temperature of 170 to 180 degrees Fahrenheit during cooking, to be sure that it is thoroughly cooked.

From the earliest colonial days until very recently, pork was one of the most widely prepared meats throughout this country. American pork became the standard of quality for the world, much like French veal.

CARAWAY PORK CHOPS
4 thick loin pork chops
1 tablespoon caraway seeds
Olive oil to coat chops
Freshly ground black pepper

Total preparation/cooking time: (including fried apples and onions) about 30 minutes.

Before cooking chops, rub lightly on both sides with olive oil and sprinkle generously with caraway seeds and pepper, pressing down so seeds adhere to meat.

Heat lightly oiled, heavy cast iron or non-stick pan over medium high heat. Sear chops until browned on both sides. In frying pan, or in roasting dish, place chops in preheated 400 degrees oven for 15-20 minutes, until cooked through. Serve with juices that have accumulated during cooking, and with Fried Apples and Onions (recipe follows).

FRIED APPLES AND ONIONS
6 medium, tart apples
3 medium yellow onions
4 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons dark brown sugar
¾ teaspoon salt

Preparation/cooking time is included in the recipe above.

Peel, halve and slice apples into ⅛-inch-thick slices. Do same with onions. In large frying pan with lid, melt butter over medium heat until it bubbles. Stir in brown sugar until it is dissolved.

Add apples and onions and toss, to coat them with butter-sugar mixture. Sprinkle with salt to taste and cover pan.

Allow to simmer, covered, 5 to 8 minutes or until the apples and onions are quite soft. Remove the cover and saute, stirring often, another 10-15 minutes, or until the mixture is thoroughly browned.

Makes enough for 4 pork chops.

HUNGARIAN PORK CHOPS
4 thick loin pork chops
2 tablespoons butter
1 tablespoons olive oil
2 cloves garlic, chopped
1 tablespoon Hungarian paprika
1 teaspoon marjoram
1 cup dry white wine
Salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste

Total preparation time is about 10 minutes. Total cooking time is about 45-60 minutes.

Trim excess fat from pork chops and wipe chops with paper towel. In Dutch oven or heavy, high-sided cast-iron frying pan, heat butter and oil over medium-high heat and brown chops. Remove chops and briefly saute garlic. Return chops to Dutch oven or pan, along with paprika, marjoram, wine and salt and pepper. Cover and cook in a 350 degrees oven for 45 minutes to 1 hour, or until chops are tender and cooked through. Serve over noodles.

Serves 2.

Scones cousins of biscuit family

Associated Press

Scones are the British cousins of the biscuit family. They're sweeter, richer, and more flavorful because of the currants they contain. In the British Isles they're as much of a teatime tradition as the tea itself.

COUNTRY SCONES
½ cup dried currants
2 cups all-purpose flour
3 tablespoons sugar
2 teaspoons baking powder
¾ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon baking soda
5 tablespoons butter or margarine
8-ounce carton dairy sour cream
1 egg yolk
1 slightly beaten egg white
1 teaspoon sugar
⅛ teaspoon ground cinnamon

In a small mixing bowl pour enough hot water over currants to cover; let stand 5 minutes. Drain well; set aside. In a large mixing bowl combine flour, 3 tablespoons sugar, baking powder, salt and soda. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Stir in currants. In a small bowl blend sour cream and egg yolk. Add all at once to crumb mixture, stirring just until dough clings together.

On a lightly floured surface knead gently for 10 to 12 strokes. Pat or roll into a 9-inch circle about ½-inch thick. Cut into circles with a 4-inch round cookie cutter. Slice each circle completely through into quarters, but do not separate. Place on ungreased baking sheet. Brush with egg white. Combine 1 teaspoon sugar and cinnamon. Sprinkle sugar-cinnamon mixture over top. Bake in a 425 degree oven for 15 to 18 minutes or until light brown. Cool on wire rack 5 minutes. Break apart.

Vegetables vanished

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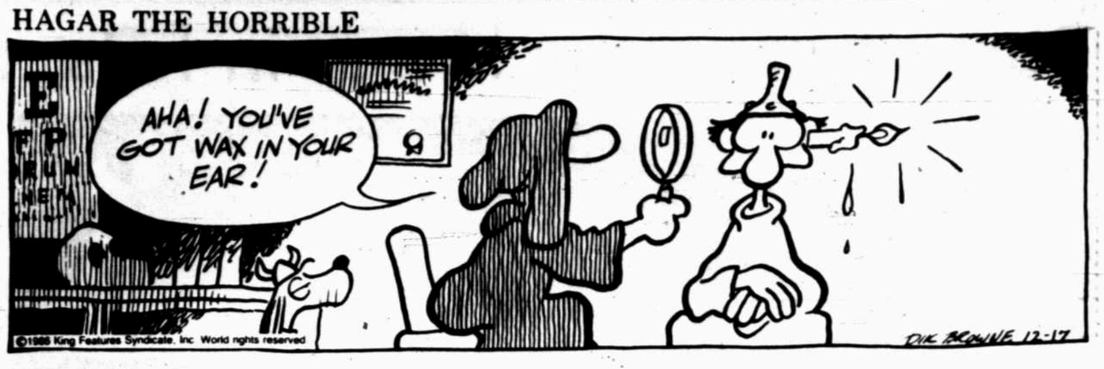
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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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By Jeane Dixon
Thursday, December 18, 1986

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: The sooner you get organized, the sooner you will strike pay dirt! A family decision cannot be postponed much longer. Tensions fade when everyone puts his cards on the table. A financial offer may not be all it seems. Compare the fringe benefits of two jobs. Creative ideas are linked to new profits. Go after that promotion you want. A windfall aids romance.

CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES: Award-winning director Steven Spielberg, Toronto Blue Jays pitcher Jim Clancy, artist Paul Klee, actor Ossie Davis, Georgia batting star Ty Cobb, Italian violin maker Antonio Stradivari, Germany's Willy Brandt, poet-dramatist Christopher Fry, actress Betty Grable, basketball's Gene Shue, actor-producer Roger Smith.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A social event or trip brings excitement your way. A new client or romantic partner could be part of the picture. A valuable alliance is formed.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Good timing is an integral part of your success. Keep all business dealings confidential. Improved organization makes it possible for you to accomplish more. Romance intensifies.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You add to your good luck in business by working quietly in the background. Become a better listener and you will strengthen your relationship with your children.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Avoid arguing with mate or partner. Conflict could impede business progress. Take a more open-minded approach to a sticky office problem. Romance soars to new heights.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Collaborative financial ventures involving friends or relatives should be avoided. Profits will be small. Remain true to your high ideals.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Keep your options open or you could miss out on a lucrative deal. Postpone making a romantic commitment permanent. You could change your mind.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A business project gets a boost from a secret financial backer. Play a hunch and you will reap larger profits. Good news or a romantic invitation brightens your evening.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Look forward to a highly productive day! You get a chance to catch up on important paperwork. Be more realistic about romance. Choose your partners with an eye to the future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A close friend seeks your advice today. Make suggestions only if you feel qualified to do so. Be impartial when mediating a dispute.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Hard work improves your chances for a raise or promotion. Do not expect immediate results. Curb spending. Romance is pretty much what you expected. Try to keep the excitement in your relationship.

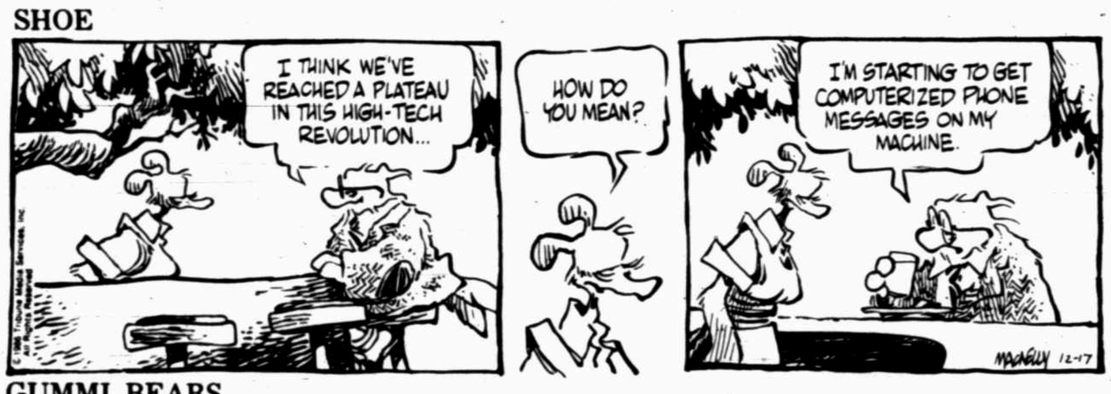
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your creative energies flow freely today. Someone influential gives you an opportunity to put your special talents to work. Move forward with confidence. Do not be too humble.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Discuss a tricky personal problem with experts. This is no time to let trivial things get to you. Guard your privacy from a nosy neighbor or co-worker. Refuse to answer impertinent questions.

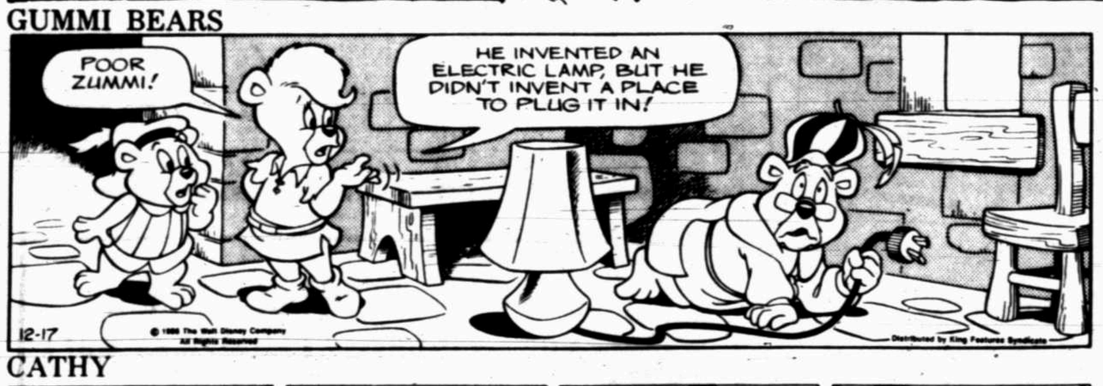
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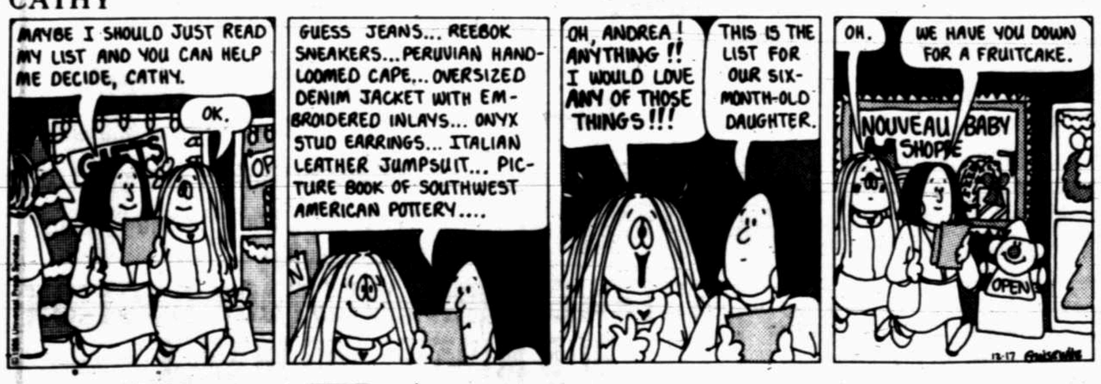
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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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CANADIAN CAPERS

Both vulnerable. West deals.

	NORTH	
	♠ 8	
	♡ A Q J 9 8	
	◇ Q 7 4	
	♣ 10 9 8 5	
WEST		**EAST**
♠ A 7 4 2		♠ 10 6 5 3
♡ 7 5 3		♡ K 10 6
◇ 10 6		◇ K J 9 2
♣ Q J 6 3		♣ K 7
	SOUTH	
	♠ K Q J 9	
	♡ 4 2	
	◇ A 8 5 3	
	♣ A 4 2	

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ◇	Dbl	2 ♡
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Ten of ◇

In duplicate, much of the tactics centers around who will get the plus score on hands where the strength is more or less evenly divided. Here's a prime example from the recent Open Pairs event at the World Bridge Olympiad in Miami Beach.

Sitting East-West were a young Canadian duo, Drew Cannell and G. Sekhar. North-South were using weak no trump opening bids with transfers, and Cannell's lead-directing double of two diamonds was aggressive even by match-point pair standards.

West dutifully led the ten of diamonds, which ran around to declarer's ace. Declarer tried the heart finesse, and Cannell ducked smoothly. Impressed by the success of this maneuver, declarer tried to get to his hand to repeat the hook.

A spade to the king lost to West's ace, and back came another diamond. East won with the nine, cashed the king of diamonds and then shifted to the king of clubs. South rose with the ace and led a trump to the jack—and the roof fell in.

East took his king and reverted to clubs. After his jack won, West continued with the queen of clubs and another, and the setting trick was promoted. Whether declarer ruffed high or low on the table, East's 10 of trumps was going to be the setting trick. A pretty performance by the young North American internationalists.

An interesting footnote on bridge's international appeal. The world championship provided an opportunity for Sekhar to get together with his parents. He had left his native India to settle in Canada; his parents were in Miami Beach playing for India.

For information about Charles Goren's new newsletter for bridge players, write Goren Bridge Letter, P.O. Box 4426, Orlando, Fla. 32802-4426.



GARFIELD



DENNIS THE MENACE



THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME
Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

MAINEA
ONRIM
VABER
ONTHUG



Gram and Gramps celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Gram proclaimed, "A happy marriage is the world's best ——."

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS
Anemia — Minor — Brave — Nought — BARGAIN
Gram and Gramps celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Gram proclaimed, "A happy marriage is the world's best BARGAIN."

MARMADUKE



"Thanks, Marmaduke, but we'd rather top it off with a star."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Close the door! You're letting out the Christmas tree smell."

DOONESBURY



Evening TV Schedule

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 17, 1986

	KMID Mdld/Odsa CABLE 3	KOSA Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ Mdld/Odsa CABLE 14	TBN Religious CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV Odessa CABLE 13
4:00	Afterschool Special	Divorce Ct. Hour	Chance People's Ct.	G.I. Joe Kommandos	Praise The Lord	Gilligan Rocky Road	Seduccion "	G.I. Joe Transform.	Outdoors Horse Wk.	Captain Roo Mr. Rogers
4:30										
5:00	Newlyweds ABC News	Magazine CBS News	News NBC News	Jeannie Hillbillies	Praise The Lord	A. Griffith At Home	Conmigo Nueva SIN	Facts Good Times	SportsLook Outdoors	Sesame Street
5:30										
6:00	News Fortune	News M*A*S*H	Jeopardy Dating	Benson Taxi	Praise The Lord	Sanford H'mooners	Maria De Nadie	B. Miller Benson	SpoCtr. Superstars	MacNeil / Lehrer
6:30										
7:00	P. Strangers Head Class	Grinch 'Twas Night	Highway To Heaven	Santa Claus "	The Scenes Kent Axtell	Movie: "It's A	Calvario Maldita	Twil. Zone College	Wrestling "	Die Fledermaus
7:30										
8:00	Dynasty "	Magnum, P.I.	Year In The Life	Rudolph "	R. Hagin Doug Clark	Wonderful Life"	Del Alma Secreto	Basketball Creighton	Superbouts "	M. Russell Flappers
8:30										
9:00	Hotel "	Equalizer "	" "	Hawaii Five-0	Praise The Lord	" "	Roberto Carlos	at DePaul News	Bodybuilding	Goodbye, Mr. Speaker
9:30										
10:00	News Ent. Tonight	News WKRP	News Tonight	Soap B. Newhart	Praise The Lord	Movie: "Forty-	24 Horas "	" Magnum,	Karate SpoCtr.	Firing Line "
10:30										
11:00	Nightline Nightlife	Adderly "	" David	Mission: Impossible	Praise The Lord	Second Street"	Amor Y Senor	P.J. Movie:	Fishing Skate	Telecourses Vict. Garden
11:30										
12:00	News CBN News	"One-Trick Pony"	Letterman News		The Scenes J. Hayford	"Silent Running"	Roberto Carlos	"Nickelodeon"	America NBA Today	
12:30										

	SHOWTIME Movies/Spec. CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	HBO Movies/Var. CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	SPN CABLE 27	CBN Family CABLE 31
4:00	"Antarctica" "	Movie: "McCabe	Captain EO "	Like Dancin' "	" Country	Love Me Dance Party	Dennis Double Dare	Movie: "Against	J.C. Miller Alive	Green Acres Rifleman
4:30										
5:00	Movie: "Heartland"	And Mrs. Miller"	Movie: "The Glacier	Movie: "Highpoint"	Chase Videocount.	Cartoons "	Monkees NICK Rocks	The Wind" "	Manuf. Gold Trust	Big Valley "
5:30										
6:00	" "	Movie: "For	Fox" Mousterpie.	" Talk Show	Be A Star Fandango	Riptide "	You Can't Mouse	Oliver Twist "	Buy Now & Save	Hardcastle "
6:30										
7:00	Brothers Shoulding	Heaven's Sake"	Edison Danger Bay	Movie: "Wild Geese	Nashville Now	Wrestling "	Donna Reed Mister Ed	Air Power 20th Cent.	Amer. Baby Coaches	Bring 'Em Back Alive
7:30										
8:00	Movie: "Clue"	Movie: "Phobia"	Movie: "Brigadoon"	If" "	" Country	" "	My 3 Sons Monkees	Legendary Sports Cars	" "	700 Club "
8:30										
9:00	" "	" "	" "	"Roosbud Beach	Chase Videocount.	Airwolf "	I Spy "	Horizons "	Hello Austria	" Snapshots
9:30			Movie:							
10:00	Movie: "Hollywood	"American Ninja"	Gizzie Movie:	Hotel" Movie:	Be A Star Fandango	Alfred Hitchcock	Route 66 "	Evening At The Improv	Jewelry Lifestyle	Hardcastle "
10:30										
11:00	Hot Tubs" "	" "McCabe	"Man In The White Suit"	"Beer" "	Nashville Now	Dragnet Edge Nt.	Donna Reed Mister Ed	Air Power 20th Cent.	Fishing Shopper	G. Burns Groucho
11:30										
12:00	Graceland "	And Mrs. Miller"	Movie "	"Hot Resort"	" Country	Auto Racing	My 3 Sons Monkees	Legendary Sports Cars	"Danger On Wheels"	Jack Benny Dobie Gillis
12:30										

PEOPLE

Estranged wife watches husband wed another woman on evening news

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — A woman watching the evening news saw her husband marry another woman.

The other woman, **Connie Faye Goggins**, asked for an annulment after learning that **Larry Wayne Hill** had never divorced **Rhonda Hill**, who saw the televised ceremony.

The marriage occurred Friday at Jefferson County Circuit Court, where Miss Goggins was serving jury duty. The lunch-hour vows attracted media attention, landing the ceremony on the evening news.

"I had no idea that he was seeing someone," said Mrs. Hill, 29, of Bessemer.

She said she and Hill were married March 29, 1983, and that he left her in December of that year. Mrs. Hill has not filed for divorce, nor received papers that her husband had.

"I wasn't going to pay for it," she said. "I don't have the money. I figured if he wanted a divorce, he'd file."

Mrs. Hill said it was a shock to see Hill marrying someone else. "I don't feel married either, but...I am."

Miss Goggins said Hill told her Friday night after a Christmas party that he was still married.

"I asked for my house key back and asked him to leave," she said, adding that Hill said he neglected to tell her about his first wife because he didn't want to lose her.

"He told me he'd lost me 11 years ago when we were dating, and he didn't want to lose me again," she said. "He said, 'I'd do anything to have you.'"

Miss Goggins said she'd never marry him again, even if he divorced his first wife.

Hill, who has not commented to reporters about the case, will be given a chance to explain himself, said **Grover Sims**, an investigator for the district attorney's office.

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Hartley

NEW YORK (AP) — **Mariette Hartley**, a co-host of "The Morning Program" premiering Jan. 12 on CBS, is touting the show as an early-morning attention-grabber.

"My image of the show is that if you've got a cup of coffee in your hand and you've brought it to your mouth, that you spit it out at least once a morning," Hartley said Tuesday.

CBS described the format at a news conference attended by executive producer **Bob Shanks**, co-hosts Ms. Hartley and **Rolland Smith**, weatherman **Mark McEwen** and "sidekick" **Bob Saget**, a comedian.

"The Morning Program" will open with the weather, brief newscasts will appear midway through the first two half-hour periods, and will feature entertainment news, instant surveys of a studio audience and home viewers, personal ads placed by screened applicants with follow-up reports, consumer tips and a daily comedy segment taped at a nightclub.

Ms. Hartley, an actress, did a brief stint on NBC's "Today" show a few years ago. Smith was a local television news anchor in New York. Saget is a stand-up comic, and McEwen comes from radio.

"The Morning Program" will be broadcast live before a studio audience in the 7:30-9 a.m. timeslot, replacing the "CBS Morning News," which will move to the 6-7:30 a.m. period. "CBS Morning News" was a long-time third in ratings behind "Today" and "Good Morning, America" on ABC.

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Legislative wrangling gave **Gov. James R. Thompson** a pain in the back, a spokesman says.

The governor, who has had a disc problem for years, canceled his activities Tuesday and spent the day in bed, said spokesman David Fields. "He hasn't had the problem for about 18 months, but stress and tension can aggravate it.

"It flared up again during the legislative session."

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Long

LOS ANGELES (AP) — **Shelley Long** is leaving the NBC comedy "Cheers," saying she turned down a contract extension to devote more time to her family and other interests.

There was no word on how producers would end Miss Long's five-year stint on the show, where she won an Emmy for best actress in a comedy series in 1983 for her portrayal of highbrow waitress Diane Chambers.

The role also garnered Miss Long a pair of Golden Globe awards.

"The 'Cheers' producers offered me an extension to my five-year contract that expires at the end of this season," Miss Long said Tuesday in a statement. "It was a very difficult choice to make. We've done some really terrific work at 'Cheers' but I've decided to give priority to my family and to my newly established film production company in connection with Disney Productions."

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Carson

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Talk-show host **Johnny Carson** has asked **Alex Maas**, a woman described as his constant companion, to become his fourth wife.

"All he did is confirm the fact they are engaged," spokesman James Mahoney said late Tuesday. "I asked him because I'd heard rumors. They became engaged quietly late last week. There will be no formal announcement."

Carson, 61, who has hosted "The Tonight Show Starring Johnny Carson" for the last 24 years, has been married three times, most recently to **Joanna Holland Carson**, a former model.

In July, the Los Angeles Times described Ms. Maas as Carson's constant companion, a "beautiful blonde he met by chance on Carbon Beach" in Malibu. The couple has apparently known each other for a couple of years.

Mahoney said he did not know when the pair planned to marry.

Carson and his third wife reached a divorce settlement last year in which Mrs. Carson was to receive $35,000 a month over five years, two New York City apartments, a Bel-Air home, a Rolls-Royce, Mercedes Benz and 310 shares of Carson Production Corp.

The couple married in September 1972 and separated in November 1982, citing irreconcilable differences.

Carson and his first wife, childhood sweetheart **Jody**, had three children, sons **Chris**, **Ricky** and **Cory**. The couple divorced in 1963.

Carson and his second wife, **Joanne Copeland Carson**, were married in 1963 and divorced in 1972.

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LONDON (AP) — Opera star **Placido Domingo** has postponed a concert tonight and is demanding that the ticket prices be lowered. Concert promoters said he couldn't draw a full house and was demanding excessive fees.

Domingo's announcement was made Tuesday night on a Thames Television talk show.

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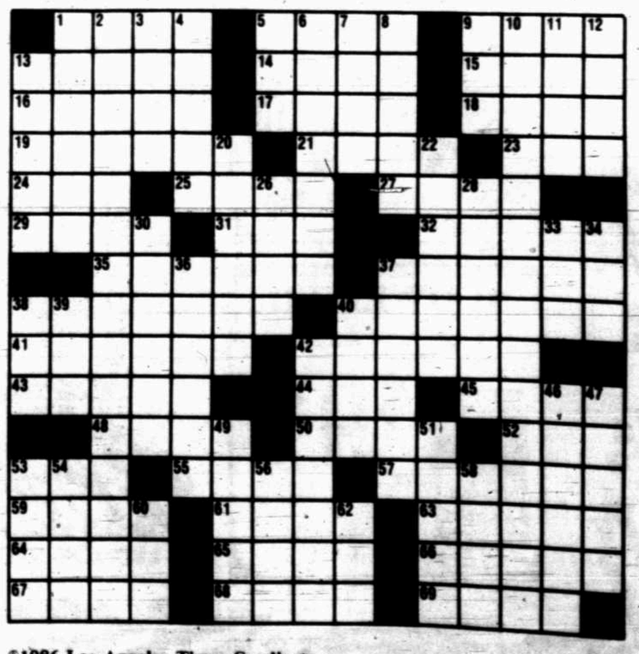
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Veal section often passed over

Copley News Service

Lots of American shoppers pass the veal section of their supermarket's meat counter without a second glance. There are a number of reasons for this — some cuts of good veal can cost $8 a pound or more; veal is not a traditional staple in American cooking; and veal has a largely undeserved reputation for being tricky to cook.

After-work cooks should give veal a try, though, because there are many quick and delicious ways to prepare it, and you need only 4 to 6 ounces per serving, so the cost of preparing veal dishes is really quite modest.

Incidentally, veal hasn't always been the high-priced item it is today. During the Depression of the 1930s veal was much cheaper than chicken, and many unscrupulous restaurateurs served it instead of chicken to unsuspecting customers.

ALMOST EVERY cookbook contains dozens of delicious veal recipes, many of which originated in Italy or France. As for veal's "tricky" reputation, just a few simple precautions will enable you to produce perfectly cooked veal every time.

The most important rule for cooking veal is that it mustn't be overcooked, since it is very low in fat and can toughen quickly. For veal roasts, allow about 25 minutes per pound. Cutlets and scallops (scallopini), both of which are sliced from the thigh muscle, should be cut thin and pounded to a uniform ¼-inch thickness before cooking.

Cutlets and scallops often have a thin membrane which runs through the slice of meat. This membrane should be cut through in several places with a sharp knife before cooking. Veal chops should be cooked no longer than you would lamb chops of equal size.

There are three basic types of veal. Bob veal comes from calves that are slaughtered very young — before they are a week old. While some people prefer bob veal to any other type, it is definitely an acquired taste, and does not have the texture and flavor of veal from more mature calves.

MILK-FED VEAL, which most chefs consider to be the finest quality, comes from calves up to 15 weeks old. The meat is light pink, firmly textured and lightly marbled. Your butcher can probably get milk-fed veal for you if you order ahead — but be prepared to pay a premium price.

Grain-fed veal, which is the kind most commonly sold in this country, comes from animals 16 to 18 weeks old. The meat, uncooked, is a reddish-pink, and both the taste and texture are less delicate than milk-fed veal. Soaking grain-fed veal in milk overnight in the refrigerator will make it more tender and lighter in color. An alternative is to soak it in lemon juice for an hour, drying it carefully before cooking.

This recipe for Breaded Veal Cutlets is a simple, classic presentation that takes only minutes to prepare. Veal Chops with Green Peppers have a definite Italian accent, and are great served with pasta and sauce.



CNS Graphic

BREADED VEAL CUTLETS

4 veal cutlets, 4-6 ounces each, pounded to ¼-inch thickness
Salt and freshly ground pepper
Flour (for dredging)
1 large egg
1½ teaspoons water
1 cup freshly made bread crumbs (see note below)
¼ cup (½ stick) butter
Lemon wedges (for garnish)

Total preparation/cooking time: 15 minutes. Sprinkle salt and pepper on both sides of the pounded cutlets. Dredge them carefully in the flour, so that they are thoroughly covered. Shake off excess flour.

Beat the egg and water together and dip each cutlet in the mixture. Coat the cutlets evenly with the bread crumbs. If time allows, cool an hour or more on waxed paper in the refrigerator, so breading will adhere better to the cutlets during cooking.

In a large, heavy skillet, heat the butter over medium heat until it is bubbling but not smoking. Add the cutlets and saute on both sides until golden brown. Arrange the cutlets on a serving platter, garnish with lemon wedges and serve.

Fresh bread crumbs make a big difference in this recipe. Four slices of firm white bread will yield about a cup of crumbs. If you are using fresh bread, heat it just a couple of minutes in the oven, until it is somewhat dried, tear the bread into pieces and put in an electric blender, a handful at a time, on high speed. If you are using bread that is somewhat stale you will not need to put it in the oven.

Serves 4.

VEAL CHOPS WITH GREEN PEPPERS

4 large loin veal chops — about 1½ pounds total weight
3 tablespoons olive oil
2 cloves garlic, minced
4 medium green peppers, seeded and thinly sliced
1 medium onion, finely chopped
4 artichoke hearts (canned in water, not oil), drained and sliced
1½ tablespoons capers
Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
Flour (for dredging veal chops)
3 tablespoons butter
⅓ cup dry white wine

Total preparation/cooking time: 35 minutes. In a large, heavy skillet hat the oil and add garlic, peppers and onion. Saute over medium heat until onion is tender and translucent, but not completely browned. Place in a medium bowl and stir in the artichoke hearts and capers. Add salt and pepper to taste and reserve.

Lightly dredge the veal chops in flour, shaking to remove excess. In the same skillet, heat the butter and brown the chops on both sides over medium heat. Add the reserved ingredients, cover and cook over medium-low heat 25 minutes, or until chops are tender.

Arrange the chops and peppers on a platter and place in a preheated 150 degree oven.

Add the wine to the skillet over low heat, scraping all the crisp particles from the side of the pan into the wine. When the wine has reduced a bit, pour over the chops and peppers and serve.

Serves 4.

Hollandaise sauce gives Veal Oscar lemony accent

Copley News Service

Veal Oscar, a favorite of many, is a delicious combination of veal, crabmeat, asparagus and hollandaise sauce. Some recipes for this dish call for bearnaise sauce, but some prefer the lemony accent of hollandaise.

VEAL OSCAR

4 veal cutlets, 4-6 ounces each, pounded to ¼-inch thickness
4 tablespoons butter
Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
12 asparagus spears, trimmed to 4-5 inches in length
1 cup cooked crabmeat, shredded
1 recipe hollandaise sauce (recipe follows)

In a large skillet, melt 3 tablespoons butter over fairly high heat until the butter is bubbling, but not smoking. Saute the veal until golden brown on each side. Remove veal to a platter, add salt and pepper to taste, cover loosely with foil and keep warm in a preheated 250 degrees oven.

Meanwhile, steam the asparagus 5-7 minutes, until just tender. In a small frying pan melt the remaining 1 tablespoon butter over medium heat. Toss the crabmeat in the butter until heated through.

Remove the veal from the oven and on each piece of veal lay 4 asparagus spears and top with a quarter of the heated crabmeat. Top with a generous amount of hot hollandaise sauce, garnish with parsley sprigs and serve.

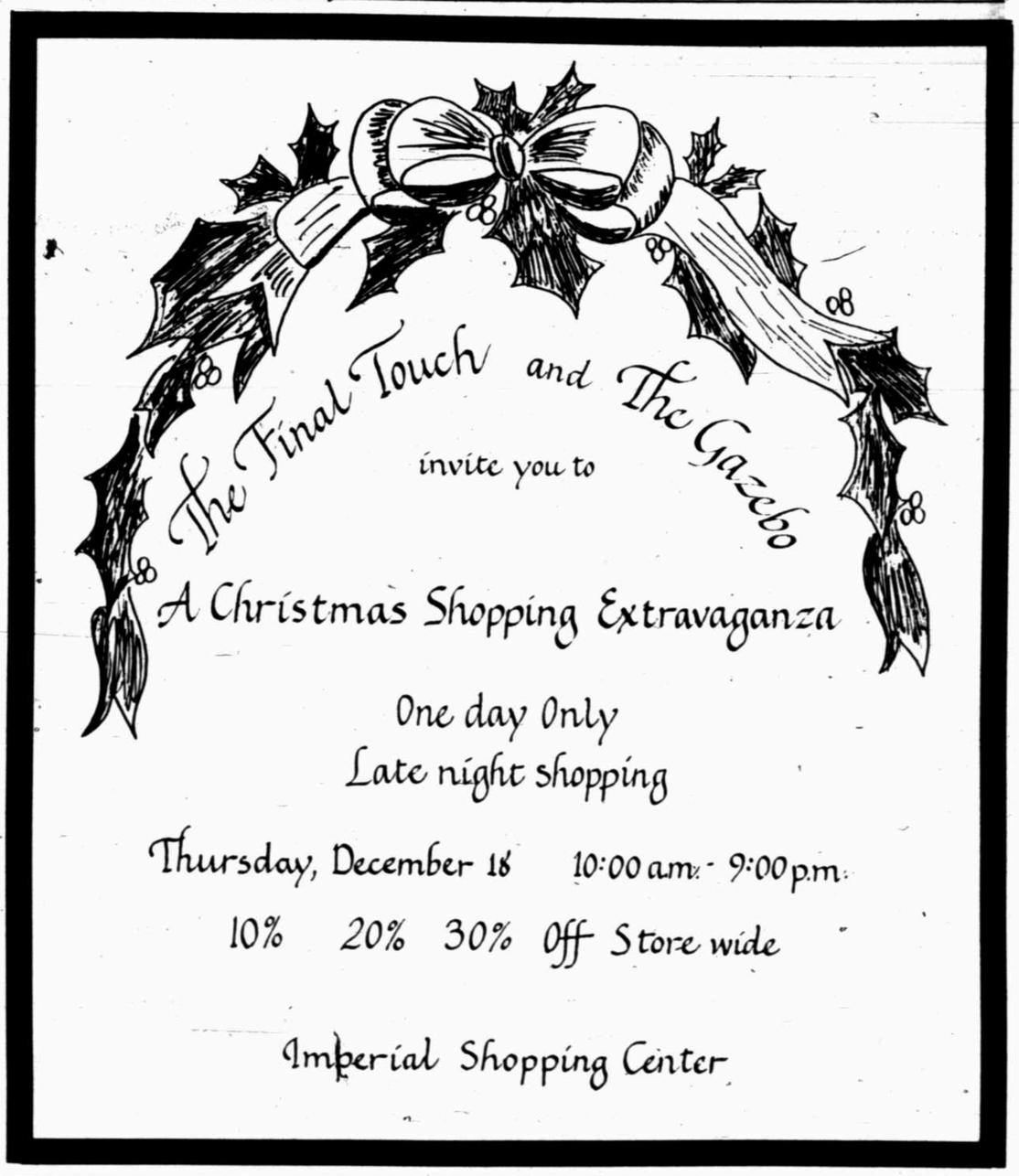
EASY HOLLANDAISE SAUCE

2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
4 egg yolks
½ teaspoon salt
1 pinch white pepper
1 pinch cayenne
½ teaspoon dry mustard
1 stick unsalted butter

In a blender or food processor blend the lemon juice, egg yolks, salt, peppr, cayenne and mustard. Melt the butter in a small skillet or saucepan until bubbling (it must be bubbling or the hollandaise will not thicken).

With the blender running on medium or high speed, slowly add the hot butter in a thin stream. Serve hot. Makes about ¾ cup.

NOTE: for thicker hollandaise, or to reheat, the sauce may be placed over hot water in a double boiler.





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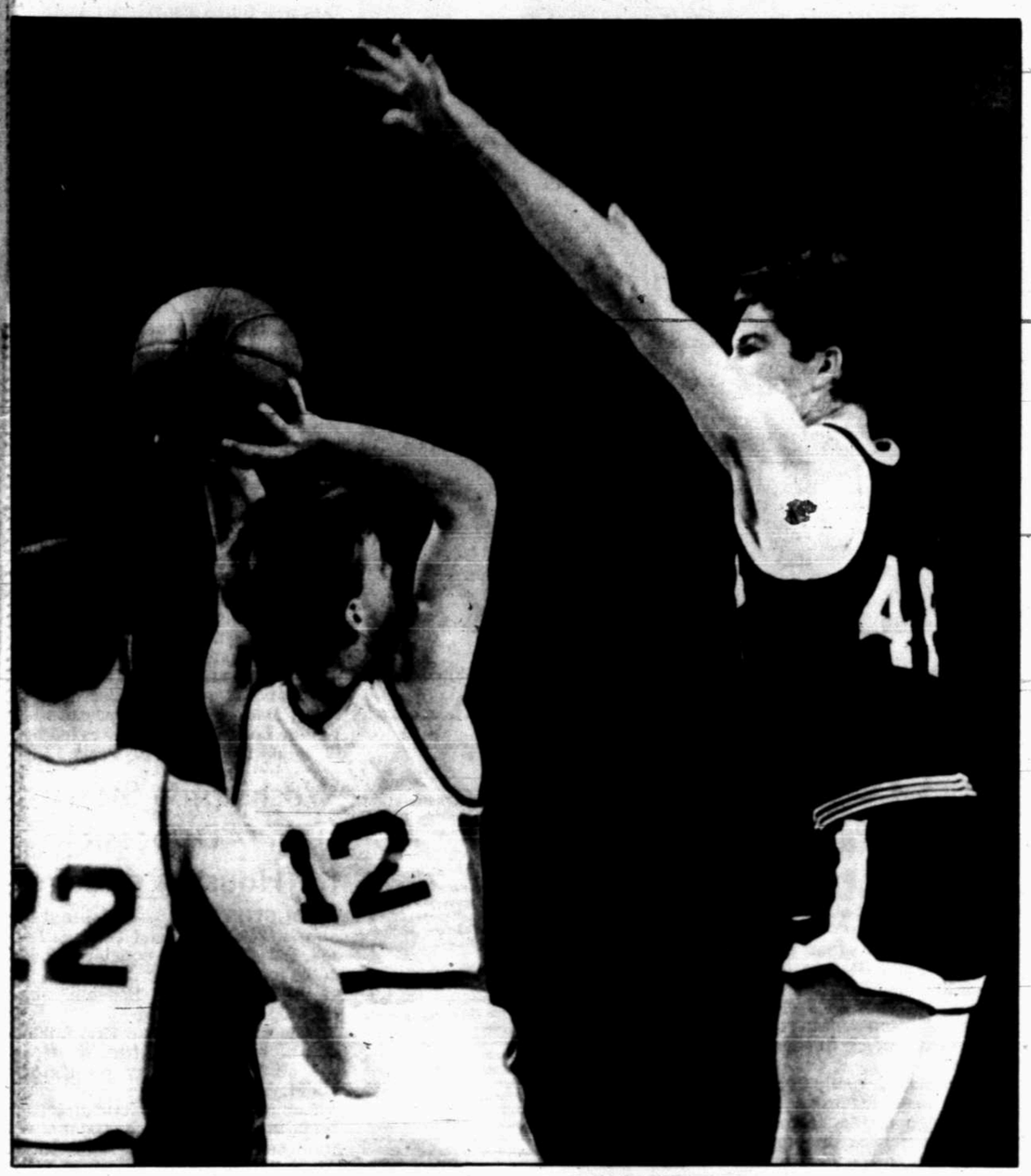
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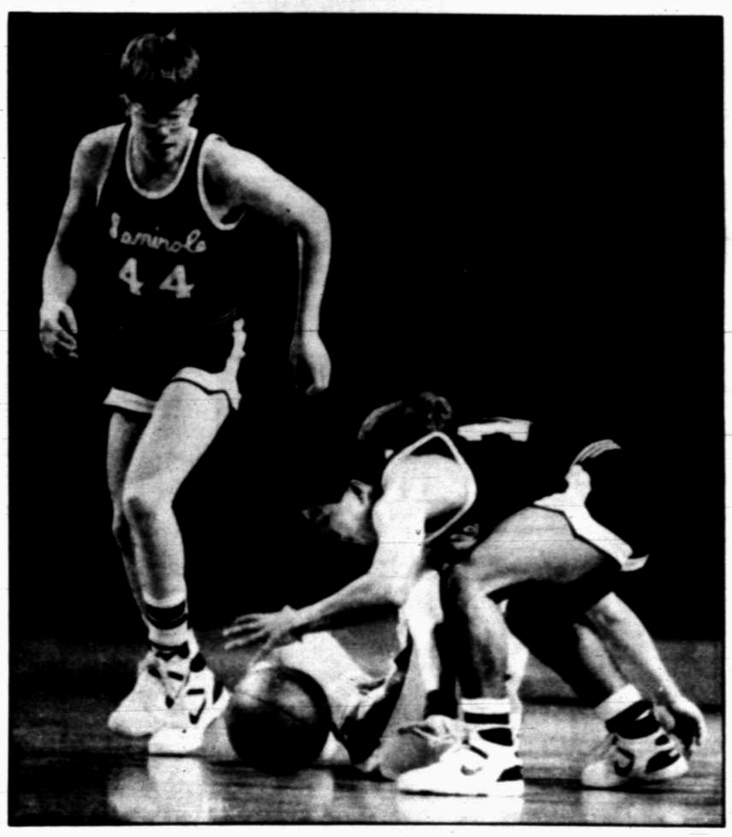
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'Dogs win third straight, 87-69





Midland High's Eric Boyt (12, top photo) finds the high route rough going as Seminole's Jeff Aldridge (42) blocks the way while Bulldog Greg Arrell (22) looks on. Things weren't much easier closer to the ground as Seminole's Sid Lopez (12, bottom photo) battles a seated Bulldog for a loose ball while Jason Sellers (44) tries to find the right angle of attack.

Scott Rathburn/Reporter-Telegram

By ERIC SCHURER
Sports Writer

Jack Stephenson hates the zone defense.

But when Seminole's 6-foot-6 David Williams popped in his 14th point just two minutes into the first quarter Tuesday night at the Chaparral Center, the Midland High coach had what amounted to a change of heart.

The Bulldogs utilized the hated zone to stonewall Williams the rest of the night and earn their third straight victory, 87-69.

"I hate playing zone, but I did it tonight because we had to," Stephenson said. "We just built a fence around big No. 54 (Williams). We didn't guard anybody else all night, except maybe once or twice by accident."

Williams was more than fenced in, he was caged. Not only did the 6-6 senior not score another point all night, he took only two shots as the Indians' offense lapsed into a coma.

The Bulldogs, on the other hand, picked up right where the Indians left off, turning around a 31-24 Seminole lead before Stephenson's timeout, to a 43-36 MHS advantage at the half.

CRAIG CRAWFORD nailed four straight baskets, three long range bombs from the corner, as the Bulldogs took the lead for good. From there, Michael Ball and David Lujan took care of the rest.

Lujan, who just entered the game, knocked in his first two shots to go on top 34-33. Then Ball, a junior, began to fire away with a pair of baskets sandwiching shots by Greg Lewis and Varrick McDonald. Ball finished the first half with a three-point play for the seven-point bulge.

Ball dominated in the third quarter as well, tossing in nine points on his way to a varsity high 26 points. Lujan added 13 on a six-for-six performance, and Crawford reached double figures with 11.

And with the lead stretching into double figures in the second half, Stephenson was able to call off the despised zone and put full attention to his beloved press, forcing steal after steal. The Indians responded with a press of their own, which led to MHS trotting to the free throw line 23 times in the fourth quarter, hitting on 17 attempts.

"WE'RE ON our way," said an excited Stephenson. "That was one of the best Class 3A teams in the state. I feel a whole lot better about this team now than I did after the way we started out. When you beat a team like Hobbs, it gives you a lot of confidence."

The Bulldogs aren't short on that emotion, not with three big wins in a row after a dismal seven-game losing streak nearly knocked the 'Dogs down for the count.

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Seminole	27	9	16	17—69
Midland High	22	21	19	25—87

Seminole (69): Jeff Aldridge 6-8 3-4 2 15, David Williams 5-7 4-5 5 14, Bobby Jenkins 4-8 2-2 5 10, Jamie Nave 0-5 4-6 4 4, Lane West 1-5 1-2 3 3, Sidney Lopez 4-10 3-4 4 11, Jason Sellers 0-0 1-2 2 1, Dwight Hill 4-6 3-4 2 11. **Totals 24-69 21-29 27 69.**

MHS (87): Joe Wayland 0-1 2-2 0 2, Craig Crawford 4-8 3-4 0 11, Greg Arrell 3-8 0-1 1 6, Jim Pannell 0-1 2-2 4 2, Eric Freeman 1-5 0-1 2 2, Kelly Sloan 0-3 4-4 0 4, Greg Lewis 1-4 0-0 0 2, Daniel Subia 0-2 2-2 1 2, Varrick McDonald 3-7 2-3 1 8, Michael Ball 9-17 8-11 4 26, Kyle Lusby 3-7 0-0 1 6, David Lujan 6-6 1-2 4 13, Eric Boyt 1-4 1-2 1 3. **Totals 31-73 25-34 19 87.**

JV Score: Midland High 52, Seminole 42

JUCO Top 20

Team	1st Votes	Record	Total Points
1. San Jacinto, Tex.	**21**	**14-0**	**231**
2. Kankakee, Ill.	1	12-0	184
3. Dixie, Utah		12-0	117
4. Allegany, Md.	1	14-1	99
5. Southern Idaho		12-0	77
6. Herkimer, N.Y.	1	10-0	74
7. New Mexico JC		14-1	66
8. Midland, Tex.		13-1	64
9. Daytona Beach, Fla.		15-1	58
10. Pensacola, Fla.		14-1	43
11. Gloucester, N.J.		4-0	34
12. Mississippi Cty Ark.		12-1	28
13. Ellsworth, Iowa		9-0	24
14. Corning, N.Y.		11-0	22
15. Vincennes, Ind.		12-2	19
15. (tie) Fashion Inst N.Y.		7-1	19
15. (tie) Chowan, N.C.		11-1	19
18. Southern Union, Ala.		10-0	18
19. Copiah, Miss.		13-1	17
20. Allen Cty, Kan.		12-1	16

Lady Bulldogs stun Rangerettes

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

The Midland High girls not only ended a two-game losing streak at the MHS gym Tuesday night, but the Bulldogs also dropped the Class 3A Greenwood Rangerettes from the ranks of the unbeaten, 52-46.

At first glance, this would seem to be a mismatch with a Class 5A team going against a 3A squad, but Greenwood is a 3A power with a lot of playoff tradition and the Rangerettes already owned a powerful upset over Midland Lee last week, handing the Rebels their first defeat of the season.

With the loss, the talented Rangerettes fell to 8-1 while Midland improved to 7-4.

So what it took at the MHS gym Tuesday was one of the best games of the season by the Bulldogs, who discovered a new found star in sophomore Kim Jackson.

Jackson scored 13 points in her first start, hitting six-of-six from the field in the first half and did a remarkable job in the rebounding department.

"I have to say I was nervous at first in my first game to start," said Jackson. "We knew Greenwood was very good, so we worked hard in practice. We really weren't down after losing two straight because we lost to two good teams (El Paso Parkland and El Paso Eastwood)."

But Jackson was only part of the MHS story in this one. The Bulldogs hit on 23-of-34 shots from the field for a 68 percent shooting eye. You don't lose many games when you hit like that.

"Greenwood is a very good team, but the sophomore (Jackson) came in and played very well in her first start. She scored some points, but I think she helped us even more on the boards," said MHS coach Jane Young. "Terri Cecil didn't score a lot, but I thought she played a great game, and of course, Amy (Cumings) had her usual game."

CUMINGS LED all scorers with 18 points, but she had to work for them. Greenwood's Cheryl Martin held MHS' leading scorer to a meager four points and one field goal in the first half. However, Cumings began to get open underneath in the second half for 14 points.

"Greenwood hurt Lee by going to the postman a lot, and I thought we did a good job in that area tonight," said Young.

Post Stephanie Smith led Greenwood with 10 points, but was the only Rangerette in double figures. Krissy Wallace hit three straight long jumpers in the second period for six points, but fouled out of the game. Maralea Hunsinger came off the bench for an eight point night.

"We missed a lot of opportunities and we weren't very aggressive," said Greenwood coach Terry Crocker. "I thought Midland High got after it real well, but we were just not aggressive enough, early enough.

"We hope playing these 5A schools will help us. We try to learn something every time out, and hopefully, we will learn from this one too."

During the game, Midland High held the lead seven different times. The scored was knotted on six occassions and Greenwood held two leads.

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Midland High Girls 52, Greenwood 46

Greenwood: Sheryl Moellering, 2-2 0-1 1 4; Denisa McMullan, 1-3 4-5 1 6; Kim Ross, 0-2 0-0 0 0; Maralea Hunsinger, 4-9 0-1 0 8; Tina Blackwell, 0-0 1-2 3 1; Krissy Wallace, 3-5 0-0 5 6; Cheryl Martin, 2-12 1-4 2 5; Robbie McCollum, 3-7 0-2 0 6; Stephanie Smith, 3-5 4-7 4 10. **Totals: 18-45 10-22 16 46.**

Midland High: Amy Cumings, 8-13 2-3 3 18; Brenda Rodriquez, 2-5 3-6 4 7; Sebrenia Finch, 2-3 0-1 4 4; Amanda Hendrickson, 0-1 0-0 1 0; Terri Cecil, 3-3 0-0 5 6; Kim Jackson, 6-7 1-4 3 13; Rosa Madrid, 1-1 0-0 0 2; Chandra Govan, 0-0 0-0 1 0; Ethel Edwards, 1-1 0-0 1 2; Mollie Nelson, 0-0 0-0 0 0. **Totals: 23-34 6-14 22 52.**

Score by quarters:

Greenwood	6	16	8	16—46
Midland High	12	12	10	18—52

McCamey girls open 6-2A with victory over Rankin

From Staff Reports

McCAMEY — The McCamey girls opened District 6-2A basketball action here Tuesday night with a 57-31 win over the Rankin Red Devils as Carla Wilson led the way with a game high 16 points.

McCamey also got 10 points from Stacy Shannon as the Badgerettes climbed to 1-0 in district play and 9-3 on the season. Rankin, now 0-2 in loop action, got 15 points from Maria Hernandez and 10 from Joanna Aguilar.

The McCamey boys also improved to 9-3 on the season with a 69-30 non-conference victory over Sanderson. McCamey got 19 points from Rob Adams, 15 from Luis Lopez and 12 from Chris Chunn.

McCamey defeated Rankin's JV girls by a 37-30 margin while the McCamey JV boys won a 49-21 decision over Sanderson.

McCamey's boys and girls host Forsan Friday in District 6-2A action. It will be the McCamey boys first district test of the year.

McCamey Boys 69, Sanderson 30

Sanderson: Schlinke, 3-0 4-6, Maldonado, 1-2 2-4, Garza, 1-1 3-3, Flores, 1-0 2-2, Garza, 3-0 5-6, Maldonado, 0-0 1-0, Barron, 1-0 1-2, Stavely, 1-1 4-3, Perez, 0-1 3-1, Aguirre, 0-3 0-3, Alvarez, 0-0 0-0. **Totals: 11-8-25-30.**

McCamey: Roman Zarate, 1-3 1-5, Bobby Melendez, 0-2 1-2; Chris Chunn, 3-6 0-12; Rob Adams, 9-1 1-19; Joey DeLeon, 0-0 4-0; Sal Holguin, 1-1 3-3; Luis Lopez, 6-3 3-15; Mikel Rowe, 3-1 4-7, Tracy Wyatt, 2-2 2-6; Edd Bogart, 0-0 1-0. **Totals: 25-19-20-69.**

Score by quarters:

Sanderson	2	8	7	13—30
McCamey	18	20	17	14—69

McCamey Girls 57, Rankin 31

Rankin: Maria Hernandez, 6-3 3-15; Joanna Aguilar, 5-0 1-10; Paula Johnson, 0-0 0-0; Becky King, 0-0 0-0; Bonnie Gosnell, 2-0 4-4; Kim Caldwell, 1-0 2-2; Tony Wilkes, 0-0 0-0; Rhonda Templeton, 0-0 1-0; Bobbie Templeton, 0-0 1-0. **Totals: 14-3-12-31.**

McCamey: Jodie Johns, 2-0 0-4; Carla Wilson, 8-0 0-16; Monica Granado, 2-0 1-4; Michelle Tesch, 4-0 2-8; Stacy Shannon, 5-0 3-10; Mary Stephens, 2-0 1-4, Lisa Martin, 1-0 0-2; Nichoel Walaski, 2-1 1-5; Pam Mitchel, 1-0 0-2; Rena Baiva, 1-0 1-2. **Totals: 28-1-9-57.**

Score by quarters:

Rankin	9	8	8	16—31
McCamey	14	18	12	13—57

Rangers down Owls, 60-52

From Staff Reports

The Greenwood Rangers jumped out to an early lead Tuesday night and went on to post a 60-52 victory over Reagan County to improve their record to 5-3 on the year.

The Ragners got a strong scoring effort from Brian Morgan with 23 points while Tommy Lawson dumped in another 11 and Randy Donnell 10. For the Owls, Sam Thompson hit for a game-high 27 while Larry Bitner added 10.

Greenwood took a 19-6 first quarter lead and hedl a 25-15 advantage at the half. The Rangers picked up another point in the third quarter, 40-29 and only gave back three to the Owls in the fourth.

Thursday, the Rangers will open play in their own tournament with a 7 p.m. date with the Midland Lee sophomores.

Greenwood 60, Reagan County 52

Reagan County: Scott Lipsey, 2 0 5 4; Larry Bitner, 5 0 4 10; Garcia, 0 1-4 1; Griner, 4 0-4 8; Martinez, 1 0 1 2; Sam Thompson, 12 3 4 27. **Totals: 24 4 22 52.**

Greenwood: Mark Graham, 0 4 3 4; Brian Morgan, 9 5 2 23; Glen Teal, 2 0 1 4; Tommy Lawson, 3 5 1 11; Joey Sims, 3 0 2 6; Randy Donnell, 4 2 0 10; Jason Harris, 1 0 0 2. **Totals: 22 16 9 60.**

Score by quarters:

Reagan County	6	9	14	23—52
Greenwood	19	6	15	20—60

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Trivia Teaser...

Wednesday's Question: Most home runs by a player in a decade...the player and the decade?

Tuesday's Answer: Andy Pafko played in the World Series for the Chicago Cubs (*1945), Brooklyn Dodgers (1952), Milwaukee Braves in 1957-58).

Did You Know...

In the 1908 Olympics in London, the American team refused to dip its flag to King Edward VII of England, creating a controversy.

Jim Thorpe, one of the greatest athletes of all time, was considered an Indian. But his father was half-Irish and his mother was one-fourth French. The rest of Thorpe's ancestry was Indian.

Paavo Nurmi, one of the outstanding runners in the history of the Olympics, always carried a stopwatch when he ran.

Jazz win again, 109-106

Mavs slip past Spurs in Texas showdown

Associated Press

Utah Coach Frank Layden looked up at the scoreboard at the Capital Centre Tuesday night, saw three seconds remaining with the score tied at 106, and told the Jazz not to worry about anything.

"Three things can happen," Layden told his players during a timeout. "Either we'll get a foul, or get a shot, and if it doesn't go in we'll beat them in overtime."

Overtime was not necessary, however, because Darrell Griffith made a 26-foot jump shot at the buzzer to lead Utah to its seventh straight NBA victory, 109-106 over the Washington Bullets.

"It's a play we'd run a few times already ... and it worked just the way we wanted it to," said Kelly Tripucka, who inbounded the ball. "As soon as it left his hands, it looked good to me."

"The last year I played, we ran that same play against Washington in the Salt Palace and I hit it," said Griffith, who finished with a season-high 27 points after sitting out last season.

Karl Malone had 24 points and Tripucka 21 for Utah, which began a six-game road trip.

Moses Malone had 38 points and Jeff Malone 29 for Washington.

Mavericks 101, Spurs 98

The Dallas Mavericks had a lot to overcome, but they made it. They had just finished a long West Coast road trip, made a long flight home and attended a team Christmas party.

But they were able to overcome the obstacles enough to score a victory over the San Antonio Spurs and spoil former Mavericks assistant coach Bob Weiss' first trip back to Reunion Arena.

Weiss was assistant to Dallas coach Dick Motta for six seasons before taking the head coaching job at San Antonio.

"We were not sharp because we've been on the road a lot and we were tired," Motta said. "This was a hard game to play because we flew twice on Monday and then went to a (Christmas) party. Also San Antonio is a lot better team than its record indicates."

It was the fourth consecutive loss for the Spurs who have now lost eight of their last nine games.



AP Laserphoto

Dallas forward Detlef Schrempf drives against the defense of San Antonio forward Tyrone Corbin Tuesday.

NBA Roundup

Mark Aguirre provided the scoring punch with 26 points for Dallas and guard Derek Harper, who scored 22, provided a key steal with 53 seconds remaining to set up a basket by Rolando Blackman to give Dallas a 99-95 lead.

Harper then hit two free throws to increase the lead to six points at 101-95. Jon Sundvold, a rookie guard, hit a three-pointer with 20 seconds left to finish the scoring.

Rookie Johnny Dawkins, who scored 18 points for the Spurs, was victimized by Harper's steal.

"I don't think he (Dawkins) realized I was still behind him," Harper said. "I pursued him and came up with a hand on the ball."

Suns 106, Rockets 102

Phoenix forward Walter Davis says the Houston Rockets will have to learn that pro basketball is a 48-minute game and they can't start coasting too early even when they have what appears to be a commanding lead.

Davis made the comment after the Suns came back from a 21-point third quarter deficit to defeat the Rockets, 106-102, in an NBA game Tuesday night.

"They looked like they were coasting in the fourth quarter," Davis said. "They were laughing and goofing around and it made us play harder."

"It's a 48 minute game. They will learn from tonight, but I'm glad they did it," Davis added. "We stayed aggressive and they weren't able to turn it back on after they let up."

Davis provided the offensive spark for the Suns, scorring nine of his game-high 24 points in the final 2:41.

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NBA

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Houston still held a 98-94 lead when Davis took charge, scoring two field goals and hitting on five of six from the free throw line.

"Coach gave me a couple of plays that were designed for me," Davis said. "They were playing me close so I wanted to penetrate and make things happen."

"Fortunately my shots fell and I was able to make some free throws.,"

Houston had dominated the second and third quarters, behing the scoring and rebounding of Akeem Olajuwon and Ralph Sampson. Olajuwon scored 24 points and grabbed 21 rebounds while Sampson scored 22 points and pulled down 13 rebounds.

"Ralph stayed outside a lot more in the fourth quarter," Davis said. "Before that, when they had the lead, he was inside, so when they shot and missed, he got the rebound."

It was the seventh loss at home for the Rockets in their last 13 home games. That's two more home losses than the Rockets suffered at home during the entire season last year. The Rockets are 9-12.

Bulls 99, Nets 98

Chicago's Michael Jordan scored 41 points, but it was one of his shots that went awry — resulting in Mike Brown's last-second game-winning tip-in — that ultimately made the difference in the eyes of most.

Not New Jersey Coach David Wohl, however, who termed it "as controversial as were several other calls that went against us because the ball definitely was on the cylinder."

Jordan, who went over the 40-point mark for the 14th time in 22 games this season, took an inbounds pass with six seconds left and drove the lane. The 6-foot-9, 250-pound Brown was there to convert it.

Celtics 107, Knicks 96

Boston's Larry Bird hit 11 of 18 shots from the floor, dished out nine assists, pulled down 10 rebounds, scored 29 points and left New York Coach Bob Hill shaking his head.

"Bird was absolutely incredible," Hill said. "He's a totally unselfish player."

Kevin McHale also scored 29 for the Celtics in the fight-interrupted game that featured an exchange between New York's Patrick Ewing and Boston's Greg Kite in the second period. Neither combatant was injured or ejected.

Lakers 121, Cavaliers 116

Magic Johnson scored 25 points, added 14 assists and 11 rebounds to lead Los Angeles. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar added 25 points and James Worthy 22.

"We're a lot more diversified, not as predictable as we used to be," Abdul-Jabbar said of the Lakers' spread-out scoring.

Pistons 111, Hawks 100

Bill Laimbeer scored 14 of his 28 points in the first quarter, grabbed 20 rebounds, and scored on both ends of a double technical foul in the final minutes as Detroit beat flu-ridden Atlanta to end the NBA's last home unbeaten streak.

"They were 9-0 on their home court ... and we wanted to make sure they had lost one, too," Laimbeer said.

The Hawks, already missing guard Spud Webb with a knee injury, lost scoring ace Dominique Wilkins to the flu. Five others played despite being ill.

Bucks 103, 76ers 91

Milwaukee got 24 points from Ricky Pierce and 20 from Terry Cummings to hand Philadelphia its third straight loss.

The Bucks, whose largest lead was 67-47 at 7:58 of the third quarter, opened the fourth with a 6-2 run for an 82-68 lead at the 10:20 mark. Pierce had 10 of his 24 points in the final period.

Warriors 119, Clippers 117

Joe Barry Carroll scored 13 of his 33 points in the fourth quarter as Golden State handed Los Angeles its 15th loss in the last 16 games.

After Darnell Valentine snapped a 113-113 tie with 2:13 left, Eric Floyd scored off a fast break to tie the game. But Carroll's six-foot hook with 26 second left put the Warriors ahead to stay.

Nuggets 120, Kings 119

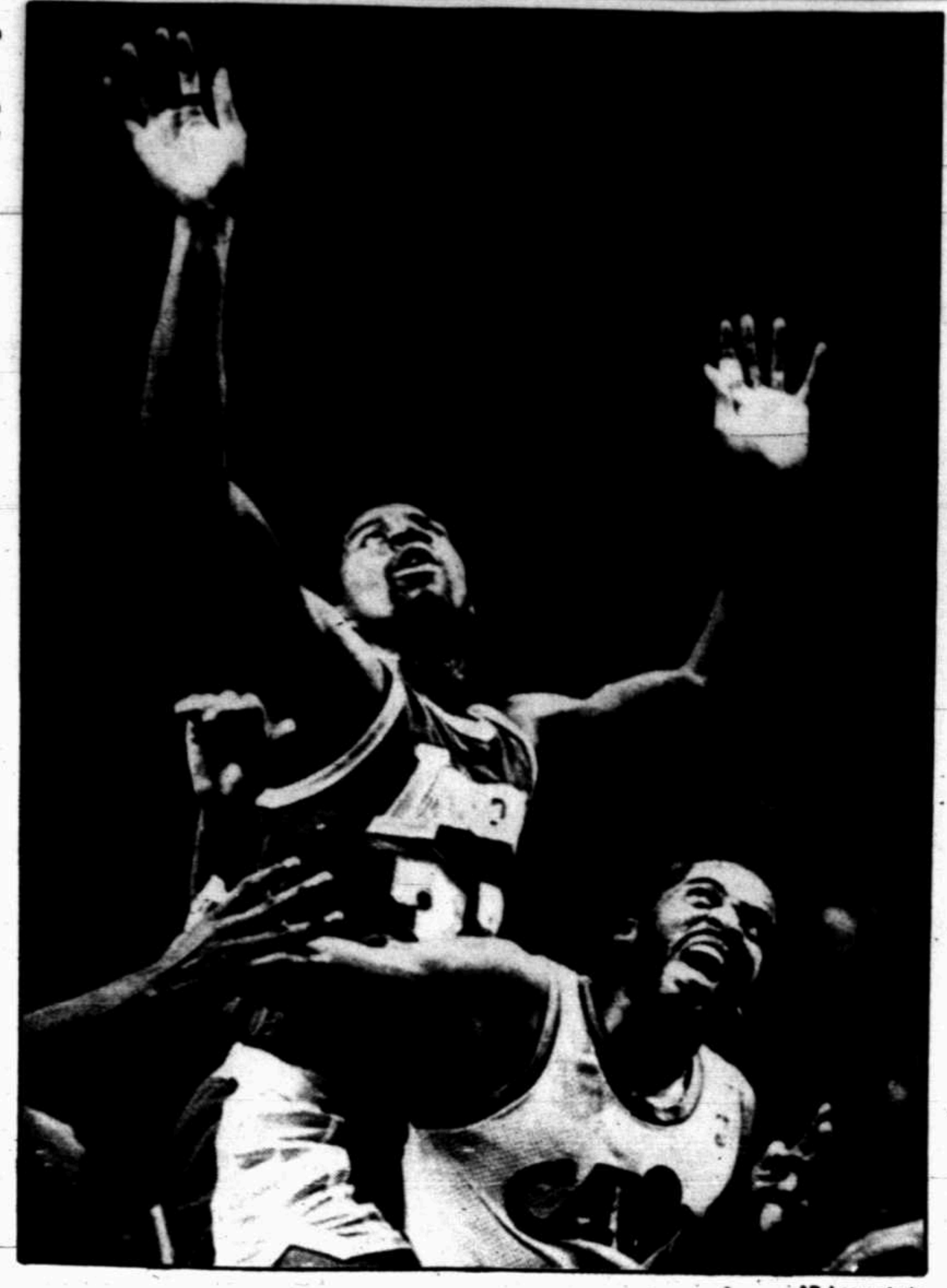
An 18-foot jumper by Lafayette Lever with 33 seconds left enabled Denver, which got a season-high 45 points from Alex English, to hand Sacramento its sixth straight home-court loss.

The loss eclipsed the franchise record of five straight losses at home, set in 1978, when the Kings were based in Kansas City.

Trail Blazers 126, SuperSonics 118

A career-high 27 points by Jerome Kersey, including 19 in the second half, rallied Portland past Seattle.

It was the Blazers' ninth straight victory at home and their eighth in nine games overall.



AP Laserphoto

Los Angeles guard Earvin "Magic" Johnson crashes into Cleveland's John Bagley (5) after launching a shot Tuesday.

'DOGS

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"We promised ourselves after Hobbs beat us by 33 points that when they came to our place we would be a better basketball team," Stephenson said. "And we **HAVE** improved. We worked very hard, showed a lot of dedication. Now that's paying off. We have a lot more belief in ourselves."

The Bulldogs are going to need that new-found confidence as they head into the 32-team Optimist Classic in San Antonio Thursday night. MHS will open with San Antonio Madison at 7:30 p.m. in Madison's gym.

"This is probably **THE** classy tournament in the state, we feel lucky just to get invited each year," Stephenson said.

MHS

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THE WIN becomes even bigger for the Bulldogs since MHS will host Odessa High Friday night in the District 4-5A opener at the MHS gym at 8 p.m. That game was originally scheduled for Chaparral Center, but has been changed.

"This win has to help us. You don't like to go into district play with a three-game losing streak," said Young.

Greenwood will meet Alpine at 5:30 p.m. Thursday in the first round of the three-day Greenwood Invitational tournament, which features boys and girls divisions. The Greenwood boys will play the Lee sophomores at 7 p.m.

In junior varsity action, unbeaten Greenwood won a 46-37 decision as Shelly Mackey hit for 15 points and Tiffany Long for 12. MHS was led by 12 points from Laverne Pratt.

Judge dismisses Lemons' lawsuit against Texas

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — A federal judge has dismissed a lawsuit filed against the University of Texas by Oklahoma City University basketball coach Abe Lemons.

In the lawsuit, which sought $2.3 million, Lemons claimed that Texas owed him for various fringe benefits that were lost when he was fired by the school in 1982.

U.S. District Judge Ralph Thompson also said in an order Tuesday that the case was so poorly prepared that Lemons' attorney, Robert Dorsett of Austin, would be ordered to pay the legal fees incurred by the university in defending the lawsuit.

The lawsuit claimed that Lemons, who had two years remaining on his contract when he was fired from the Texas job, had been deprived of his share of revenues from basketball camps, speaking engagements, a shoe contract and the radio and television rights to his coach's show.

Attorneys for the university contended that the Oklahoma City federal court lacked jurisdiction in the case. They also argued that the statute of limitations had already expired when the lawsuit was filed.

Lemons coached the Texas team for six seasons, accumulating a record of 112-63. After winning the first 14 games of 1982, Texas lost 11 of its last 13 games and Lemons was fired.

Two teams dominate 6-2A

Owls, Forsan own 21-of-30 elite berths

From Staff Reports

State Class 2A semifinalist Reagan County and its District 6-2A co-champion Forsan dominated the All-District team released Tuesday, placing 21 players on the 30-man squad.

Junior Scott Lipsey led the squad, being named both first team quarterback and defensive back. Joining Lipsey as two-way players were teammates Junior Romero, fullback/defensive end; and Robert Chaney, offensive and defensive lineman.

Stanton's Greg Barnhill was also a two-way player, making the squad as both running back and in the defensive backfield and was one of two Buffaloes on the squad.

Forsan's Wayne Wright, running back/kicker; Mike Averrette, lineman; and Michael Self, lineman/end were the other two-way starters.

Also making the squad were Stacy Noland and J.D. Garland on the offensive line and Tony Smith on the defensive line and linebacker Kelly Baggett. Stanton's Robert Schoolcraft was the other Buffalo on the first team.

Rankin placed Teddy Johnson on the first team offensive line and Doug Braden in the defensive secondary. Braden was the only sophomore named to the first team.

FIRST TEAM

OFFENSE

Quarterback: Scott Lipsey, Jr., Reagan County. **Running Backs:** Wayne Wright, Sr., Forsan; Russ Dacy, Sr., Eldorado; Greg Barnhill, Sr., Stanton; Junior Romero, Jr., Reagan County. **Wide Receiver:** Roger Flores, Sr., Ozona. **Tight End:** Lee Morris, Sr., Forsan. **Lineman:** Robert Chaney, Sr., Reagan County; Mike Averrette, Jr., Forsan; Teddy Johnson, Jr., Rankin; Mitchell Bradley, Sr., Eldorado; Stacy Noland, Jr., Reagan County; J.D. Garland, Sr., Reagan County; Robert Schoolcraft, Jr., Stanton; Michael Self, Jr., Forsan. **Punter:** Lee Morris, Sr., Forsan.

DEFENSE

Secondary: Scott Lipsey, Jr., Reagan County; Greg Barnhill, Sr., Stanton; Doug Braden, Soph., Rankin; David Henson, Sr., Forsan. **Linebackers:** Kelly Baggett, Sr., Reagan County; Wayne Wright, Sr., Forsan; Shane Clanton, Jr., Forsan. **Linemen:** Tony Smith, Jr., Reagan County; Mike Averrette, Jr., Forsan; Robert Chaney, Sr., Reagan County; Stacy Munoz, Jr., Forsan. **Ends:** Junior Romero, Jr., Reagan County; Michael Self, Jr., Forsan. **Kicker:** Wayne Wright, Sr., Forsan.

HONORABLE MENTION

OFFENSE

Brant Nichols, Forsan; James West, Reagan County; George Abalos, Rankin; Carlos Ortiz, Stanton; Stan Young, Stanton; Bran Tucker, Reagan County; Danny Evans, Forsan; David Collins, Reagan County; Bruce Hooker, Rankin.

DEFENSE

George Abalos, Rankin; Rusty Newcomb, Forsan Mike Townsend, Reagan County; Shane McCutchen, Reagan County; James West, Reagan County; Mitchell Bradley, Eldorado; Abel Lara, Ozona; Derek Sorley, Stanton; J.D. Garland, Reagan County; Troy Daniels, Eldorado; Eddie Rodriguez, Rankin; Charles Wright, Eldorado; Chris Beeman, Rankin; Stan Young, Stanton; Luis Garcia, Reagan County; Oscar Payne, Ozona.

Washington State, UTEP ADs possible for Houston opening

HOUSTON (AP) — Washington State's Dick Young and Texas-El Paso's Bill Cords are possible candidates for the athletic director's job at the University of Houston, The Houston Post reported.

University spokesman Eric Miller said he could not confirm or deny the newspaper's story published Tuesday.

Young worked as athletic director at Bowling Green and Oklahoma State before taking the same position at Washington State in 1983. The native of Columbus, Ohio, received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Ohio State where he played football. He also coached baseball for 12 years at Bowling Green.

Cords became athletic director at the El Paso university in 1982.

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FULL-SEASON STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.	Avg.	Opp.	Diff.
Arkansas	5	1	.833	88.2	69.2	+19.0
Houston	5	1	.833	79.2	70.2	+ 9.0
SMU	5	1	.833	90.3	71.2	+19.1
Texas A&M	4	1	.800	73.8	70.2	+ 2.6
TCU	5	3	.625	79.0	76.8	+ 2.2
Baylor	4	4	.500	77.0	74.3	+ 2.7
Texas	4	4	.500	72.9	73.1	- 0.2
Tech	3	4	.429	70.9	69.6	+ 1.3
Rice	2	4	.333	61.5	63.8	- 2.3

FIELD-GOAL ACCURACY

Team	FGM-FGA	Pct.
SMU	213-382	55.8
Houston	186-363	51.2
Texas Tech	195-387	50.4
TCU	234-473	49.5
Baylor	216-450	48.0
Arkansas	180-376	47.9
Texas A&M	133-290	45.9
Texas	214-472	45.3
Rice	141-322	43.8
OPPONENT	**FGM-FGA**	**Pct.**
SMU	170-381	39.4
Texas A&M	129-327	39.4
Arkansas	152-353	43.1
Houston	177-403	43.9
TCU	228-504	45.2
Rice	142-310	45.8
Texas	203-442	45.9
Texas Tech	178-374	47.6
Baylor	228-451	50.6

THREE-POINT ACCURACY

Team	TPGM-TPGA	Pct.
SMU	11-24	45.8
TCU	24-58	41.4
Texas Tech	22-58	37.9
Arkansas	27-74	36.5
Houston	25-72	34.7
Baylor	15-46	32.6
Texas	30-118	25.4
Texas A&M	5-21	23.8
Rice	13-57	22.8

FREE-THROW ACCURACY

Team	FTM-FTA	Pct.	Pct.
Arkansas	142-186	76.3	67.3
Texas Tech	84-114	73.7	72.4
Texas	131-186	70.4	75.6
Baylor	169-249	67.9	65.9
Houston	78-117	66.7	60.3
Rice	74-113	65.5	65.4
TCU	140-216	65.1	73.0
Texas A&M	98-159	61.6	69.7
SMU	105-179	58.7	72.5

REBOUNDING

Team	Avg.	Opp.	Diff.
TCU	40.6	34.2	+ 6.4
Texas	39.5	33.6	+ 5.9
Texas A&M	44.8	39.8	+ 5.0
Texas Tech	32.9	29.7	+ 3.2
Houston	37.8	36.5	+ 1.3
Arkansas	38.2	37.2	+ 1.0
SMU	41.8	40.8	+ 1.0
Rice	34.3	33.5	+ 0.8
Baylor	32.6	36.6	- 4.0

ASSISTS

Team	Avg.	Opp.	Diff.
SMU	26.2	15.7	+10.5
Texas A&M	17.8	10.8	+ 7.0
Baylor	15.5	13.0	+ 2.5
Texas Tech	14.3	13.0	+ 1.3
Arkansas	13.2	12.2	+ 1.0
Houston	17.2	16.5	+ 0.7
Texas	14.5	15.4	- 0.9
Rice	9.7	11.2	- 1.5
TCU	14.6	16.5	- 1.9

BENCH POINTS

Team	G	Pts.	Avg.	Points
Arkansas	6	219	36.5	41.4
Texas Tech	7	172	24.5	34.7
TCU	8	196	24.5	31.0
SMU	6	167	27.8	30.8
Texas A&M	5	94	18.8	26.5
Baylor	8	134	16.8	21.8
Texas	8	110	13.8	18.9
Houston	6	89	14.8	18.7
Rice	6	64	10.7	17.3

TURNOVERS

Team	Avg.	Opp.	Diff.
Baylor	15.6	20.4	+ 4.8
SMU	12.3	16.2	+ 3.9
Arkansas	19.2	22.8	+ 3.6
Houston	12.8	12.5	- 0.3
Texas A&M	15.2	14.6	- 0.6
Rice	15.5	14.0	- 1.5
Texas Tech	15.6	13.6	- 2.0
Texas	17.9	15.4	- 2.5
TCU	14.1	11.4	- 2.7

FIELD-GOAL PERCENTAGE
(Min. 3 FGM or 5 FGA per team game)

Player and School	FGM-FGA	Pct.
Perryman, Texas	25-38	65.8
Williams, SMU	35-56	62.5
Robertson, Rice	31-50	62.0
McKinney, SMU	52-84	61.9
Ferreira, Houston	26-42	61.9
Mills, Arkansas	19-31	61.3
Anderson, Houston	62-103	60.2
Crite, Texas A&M	30-50	60.0
Crowe, Texas Tech	24-40	60.0
Holcombe, TCU	53-89	59.6

THREE-POINT PERCENTAGE
(Min. 1.5 TP or 3 TPA per team game)

Player and School	TP-TPA	Pct.
Dixon, TCU	13-23	56.5
Gay, Texas Tech	10-25	40.0
Scott, Arkansas	14-39	35.9
Jackson, Houston	11-32	34.4
Whitby, Arkansas	6-18	33.3
Fairs, Texas	12-37	32.4
Cooper, Rice	6-19	31.6
Lott, TCU	6-25	24.0
Hines, Rice	4-22	18.2

FREE-THROW PERCENTAGE
(Min. 2 FTM or 3 FTA per team game)

Player and School	FTM-FTA	Pct.
McKellar, Arkansas	16-17	94.1
Mason, Texas Tech	11-12	91.7
Crowe, Texas Tech	16-18	88.9
Huery, Arkansas	21-24	87.5
Johnson, SMU	13-15	86.7
Davis, Texas	38-46	82.6
Lott, TCU	28-34	82.4
Graves, Texas A&M	12-15	80.0
M.Williams, Baylor	45-57	78.9
Fuller, SMU	18-23	78.3

REBOUNDS

Player and School	G	NO.	Avg.
Anderson, Houston	6	81	13.5
Clifford, Texas A&M	5	47	9.4
Fairs, Texas	8	71	8.9
Crite, Texas A&M	5	43	8.6
Richard, TCU	8	68	8.5
T.Williams, SMU	6	51	8.5
Gilchrist, Rice	6	51	8.5
Winslow, Houston	6	46	7.7
Middleton, Baylor	8	56	7.0
Davis, Texas	8	54	6.8

ASSISTS

Player and School	G	No	Avg.
Holloway, Texas A&M	5	35	7.0
Armstrong, SMU	5	28	5.6
Broadway, Texas	6	33	5.5
McArthur, Houston	6	32	5.3
M.Williams, Baylor	8	42	5.3
McKinney, SMU	6	27	4.5
Gay, Texas Tech	7	29	4.1
Dixon, TCU	8	32	4.0
Johnson, SMU	6	24	4.0
Thomas, Texas	8	30	3.8

STEALS

Player and School	G	No.	Avg.
M.Williams, Baylor	8	27	3.4
Huery, Arkansas	6	19	3.2
Scott, Arkansas	6	17	2.8
Middleton, Baylor	8	19	2.4
Gay, Texas Tech	7	15	2.1
Winslow, Houston	6	12	2.0
Robertson, Rice	6	12	2.0
McKinney, SMU	6	11	1.8
Holloway, Texas A&M	5	9	1.8
Armstrong, SMU	5	8	1.6
Trezvant, Texas A&M	5	8	1.6

BLOCKED SHOTS

Player and School	G	No	Avg.
Lang, Arkansas	6	15	2.5
Ferreira, Houston	6	9	1.5
Crite, Texas A&M	5	7	1.4
Richard, TCU	8	11	1.4
Anderson, Houston	6	8	1.3
Robertson, Rice	6	6	1.0
Taylor, Baylor	8	7	0.9
Thomas, Texas	8	6	0.8
T.Williams, SMU	6	4	0.7
Gay, Texas Tech	7	4	0.6

NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	15	7	.682	—
Philadelphia	13	9	.591	2
Washington	10	12	.455	5
New York	5	19	.208	11
New Jersey	4	19	.174	11½
Central Division				
Atlanta	18	5	.783	—
Milwaukee	16	8	.667	2½
Detroit	11	8	.579	5
Chicago	11	11	.500	6½
Indiana	11	11	.500	6½
Cleveland	9	12	.429	8

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	14	7	.667	—
Dallas	15	8	.652	—
Denver	11	13	.458	4½
Houston	9	12	.429	5
San Antonio	6	16	.273	8½
Sacramento	6	17	.261	9
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	17	5	.773	—
Golden State	14	9	.609	3½
Portland	15	10	.600	3½
Seattle	11	10	.524	5½
Phoenix	12	11	.522	5½
L.A. Clippers	4	18	.182	13

Tuesday's Games
Boston 107, New York 96
Utah 109, Washington 106
Detroit 111, Atlanta 100
L.A. Lakers 121, Cleveland 116
Milwaukee 103, Philadelphia 91
Chicago 99, New Jersey 98
Dallas 101, San Antonio 96
Phoenix 106, Houston 102
Golden State 119, L.A. Clippers 117
Denver 120, Sacramento 119
Portland 126, Seattle 118

Wednesday's Games
Indiana at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Phoenix at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games
New Jersey at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.
Portland at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.
Washington at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.
Houston at Seattle, 9:30 p.m.

NHL Standings

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	22	7	2	46	132	76
NY Islanders	17	12	2	36	120	105
Pittsburgh	15	11	4	34	117	103
New Jersey	14	14	2	30	116	135
NY Rangers	10	14	6	26	117	126
Washington	10	15	6	26	94	118
Adams Division						
Boston	16	11	4	36	110	95
Montreal	18	13	4	36	115	106
Hartford	14	9	4	32	92	86
Quebec	14	14	4	32	113	97
Buffalo	6	20	4	16	93	123

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	13	14	3	29	123	119
St. Louis	12	13	5	29	98	110
Toronto	12	13	4	28	98	103
Detroit	10	14	5	25	88	101
Chicago	8	17	6	22	102	136
Smythe Division						
Edmonton	20	11	1	41	144	112
Calgary	18	13	1	37	123	119
Winnipeg	15	13	2	32	105	104
Los Angeles	13	17	2	28	133	140
Vancouver	9	19	3	21	103	122

Tuesday's Games
N.Y. Islanders 4, Minnesota 2
Montreal 4, St. Louis 2
Calgary 6, Detroit 3

Wednesday's Games
Buffalo at Hartford, 6:35 p.m.
Washington at N.Y. Rangers, 6:35 p.m.
Toronto at New Jersey, 6:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at Chicago, 7:35 p.m.
Quebec at Edmonton, 8:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, 9:35 p.m.
Detroit at Vancouver, 9:35 p.m.

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
New England	10	5	0	.667	378	280
y-N.Y. Jets	10	5	0	.667	343	334
Miami	8	7	0	.533	403	371
Buffalo	4	11	0	.267	280	332
Indianapolis	2	13	0	.133	199	376
Central						
x-Cleveland	11	4	0	.733	344	293
Cincinnati	9	6	0	.600	357	373
Pittsburgh	6	9	0	.400	288	312
Houston	4	11	0	.267	258	322
West						
x-Denver	11	4	0	.733	362	286
Kansas City	9	6	0	.600	334	307
Seattle	9	6	0	.600	325	277
L.A. Raiders	8	7	0	.533	299	316
San Diego	4	11	0	.267	318	349

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x-NY Giants	13	2	0	.867	316	212
y-Washngtn	11	4	0	.733	347	282
Dallas	7	8	0	.467	336	313
Philadelphia	5	9	1	.367	242	291
St. Louis	3	11	1	.233	197	334
Central						
x-Chicago	13	2	0	.867	328	177
Minnesota	8	7	0	.533	365	256
Detroit	5	10	0	.333	271	306
Green Bay	4	11	0	.267	230	363
Tampa Bay	2	13	0	.133	222	452
West						
y-L.A. Rams	10	5	0	.667	295	243
y-S Francsc	9	5	1	.633	350	233
New Orleans	7	8	0	.467	271	254
Atlanta	6	8	1	.433	260	274

x-clinched division title
y-clinched playoff berth

Friday's Game
Los Angeles Rams at San Francisco, 8 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Green Bay at New York Giants, 11:30 a.m.
Denver at Seattle, 3 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 21
Atlanta at Detroit, noon
Buffalo at Houston, noon
Kansas City at Pittsburgh, noon
New Orleans at Minnesota, noon
New York Jets at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
San Diego at Cleveland, noon
Tampa Bay at St. Louis, noon
Washington at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
Chicago at Dallas, 3 p.m.
Indianapolis at Los Angeles Raiders, 3 p.m.

Monday's Game
New England at Miami, 8 p.m.
END REGULAR SEASON

CBA Standings

Eastern Division	W	L	QW	Pts
Tampa Bay	6	1	21	39
Jacksonville	4	3	15	27
Savannah	4	3	12	21
Pensacola	3	2	11	20
Albany	1	5	9	12
Charleston	1	5	6	9
Western Division				
Topeka	5	1	16	31
Cincinnati	3	3	13½	22½
Rockford	2	5	12½	18½
Wisconsin	3	2	10½	18½
La Crosse	3	2	7½	16½
Wyoming	2	3	10	16

NOTE: Each victory is worth three points and each quarter won during the game is worth one point.

Tuesday's Games
Cincinnati 133, Savannah 105
Wyoming 105, La Crosse 78
Topeka 115, Rockford 93
Jacksonville 116, Tampa Bay 114

Wednesday's Games
Albany at Pensacola
Savannah at Topeka
Wisconsin at Jacksonville

NBA Winners

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(Through games of Dec. 16)

1. Red Auerbach	938
2. x-Jack Ramsay	797
3. x-Dick Motta	772
4. Gene Shue	757
5. Red Holzman	696
6. x-Bill Fitch	663
7. Cotton Fitzsimmons	598
8. x-John MacLeod	589
9. x-Lenny Wilkens	562
(tie) Al Attles	557
11. x-Don Nelson	508
12. Alex Hannum	471
13. Billy Cunningham	454
14. x-Doug Moe	442
15. Larry Costello	430

NBA Boxes

At New York
BOSTON (107): Bird 11-18 4-4 29, McHale 13-20 3-4 29, Parish 9-15 2-5 20, Ainge 5-9 3-3 13, Johnson 3-11 0-0 6, Roberts 1-3 0-0 2, Sichting 2-2 4-4 8, Kite 0-1 0-1 0, Thirdkill 0-0 0-2 0. Totals 44-79 16-23 107.
NEW YORK (96): Oldham 1-3 0-0 2, Orr 4-11 3-4 11, Ewing 7-16 3-5 17, Sparrow 1-3 0-0 2, Wilkins 6-16 11-13 23, Cartwright 5-9 12-14 22, Tucker 5-11 2-2 13, Cummings 2-7 2-2 6. Totals 31-76 33-40 96.

Boston	31	27	26	23—107
New York	17	30	22	27— 96

Three-point goals—Bird 3, Tucker. Fouled out—Ewing. Rebounds—Boston 49 (Parish 12), New York 45 (Ewing 9). Assists—Boston 32 (Ainge 10), New York 15 (Wilkins 6). Total fouls—Boston 24, New York 22. Technicals—New York Coach Hill, McHale, Boston Coach Jones, New York illegal defense. A—18,694.

At Landover, Md.
UTAH (109): K. Malone 9-21 6-6 24, Tripucka 8-16 5-5 21, Eaton 2-8 0-0 4, Green 1-10 2-4 4, Hansen 0-1 0-0 0, Curry 3-4 0-0 7, Stockton 2-5 1-2 5, Iavaroni 0-2 1-2 1, Benson 1-4 0-0 2, Griffith 12-18 0-1 27, Bailey 6-11 2-2 14, Scurry 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 44-100 17-22 109.
WASHINGTON (106): Catledge 8-16 3-7 19, C. Jones 0-2 0-0 0, M. Malone 15-28 8-9 38, J. Malone 12-27 5-6 29, Whatley 1-7 3-4 5, Adams 1-5 2-2 4, Roundfield 1-3 0-0 2, Williams 1-6 1-2 3, Cook 3-5 0-0 6, Bol 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-99 22-30 106.

Utah	25	30	23	31—109
Washington	16	32	32	26—106

Three-point goals—Griffith 3, Curry. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Utah 55 (K. Malone, Eaton 9), Washington 71 (M. Malone 21). Assists—Utah 32 (Green 12), Washington 15 (Whatley 4). Total fouls— Utah 23, Washington 21. A—6,239.

At Atlanta
DETROIT (111): Dantley 6-16 4-6 16, Green 2-7 2-2 6, Laimbeer 8-14 12-12 28, Dumars 4-9 1-2 9, Thomas 7-14 2-4 18, Johnson 4-7 0-0 8, Mahorn 4-5 6-7 14, Salley 0-1 2-2 2, Campbell 1-8 2-2 4, Rodman 3-5 0-1 6, Taylor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-86 31-38 111.
ATLANTA (100): Levingstone 7-14 4-4 18, Willis 9-18 3-4 21, Rollins 0-0 0-0 0, Rivers 10-18 4-4 24, Wittman 2-13 4-5 9, Koncak 1-6 1-2 3, Carr 0-3 0-2 0, McGee 3-8 0-0 9, Battle 3-9 5-7 11, Hastings 2-4 0-0 5. Totals 37-93 21-28 100.

Detroit	39	31	21	20—111
Atlanta	39	23	27	11—100

Three-point goals—McGee 3, Thomas 2, Wittman, Hastings. Fouled out—Rivers. Rebounds—Detroit 61 (Laimbeer 20), Atlanta 56 (Willis 12). Assists—Detroit 26 (Thomas 7), Atlanta 20 (Rivers 8). Total fouls—Detroit 23, Atlanta 30. Technicals— Detroit illegal defense 2, Johnson (ejected), Atlanta illegal defense, Rollins (ejected), Atlanta Coach Fratello, Atlanta coach Suhr, Rivers, Wittman. A—13,412.

At Richfield, Ohio
L.A. LAKERS (121): Worthy 11-17 0-0 22, Green 4-6 2-3 10, Abdul-Jabbar 10-17 5-7 25, Scott 6-12 0-0 12, Johnson 10-19 5-6 25, Cooper 6-15 2-2 15, Rambis 1-2 1-2 3, Matthews 1-2 4-4 6, Brickowski 1-1 1-2 3. Totals 50-91 20-26 121.
CLEVELAND (116): Hubbard 8-12 0-0 16, Williams 11-15 0-0 22, Daugherty 5-11 4-4 14, Harper 5-14 5-12 16, Bagley 4-8 3-4 11, Price 6-11 0-0 14, West 1-3 1-4 3, Turpin 7-14 6-6 20, Poquette 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 47-88 19-30 116.

L.A. Lakers	31	28	35	27—121
Cleveland	33	26	26	31—116

Three-point goals—Price 2, Harper, Cooper. Fouled out—None. Rebounds— L.A. Lakers 53 (Johnson 11), Cleveland 48 (Daugherty 10). Assists—L.A. Lakers 26 (Johnson 14), Cleveland 27 (Harper 12). Total fouls—L.A. Lakers 22, Cleveland 20. A—17,755.

At Dallas
SAN ANTONIO (96): Greenwood 4-7 2-2 10, Thompson 6-14 0-0 12, Gilmore 8-17 0-0 16, Moore 0-4 0-0 0, Robertson 10-20 2-3 22, Corbin 6-11 1-2 13, Dawkins 9-19 0-0 18, Duckworth 0-2 0-2 0, Sundvold 3-5 0-0 7. Totals 46-99 5-9 96.
DALLAS (101): Aguirre 11-21 4-5 26, Perkins 6-11 1-2 14, Donaldson 3-7 3-3 9, Harper 9-14 4-7 22, Blackman 6-13 2-2 14, Schrempf 3-11 3-4 9, Davis 1-2 0-1 2, Wood 1-4 3-3 5, Tarpley 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 40-84 20-27 101.

San Antonio	23	22	23	30— 96
Dallas	21	28	29	23—101

Three-point goals—Sundvold, Perkins. Fouled out—Greenwood. Rebounds—San Antonio 60 (Greenwood 15), Dallas 48 (Donaldson 12). Assists—San Antonio 24 (Dawkins 6), Dallas 22 (Harper 11). Total fouls—San Antonio 24, Dallas 13. Technical—Aguirre. A—17,007.

At Milwaukee
PHILADELPHIA (91): Barkley 11-17 4-5 27, Hinson 5-12 7-11 17, McCormick 2-9 3-8 7, Cheeks 1-6 1-1 3, Erving 3-7 3-3 9, Robinson 4-13 1-2 9, Threatt 0-3 1-2 1, Wingate 1-2 2-2 4, Toney 5-8 2-2 14, Vranes 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 32-77 24-36 91.
MILWAUKEE (103): Cummings 9-17 2-2 20, Reynolds 4-8 0-0 8, Sikma 6-10 2-2 14, Hodges 3-8 0-0 7, Pressey 6-13 4-6 16, Mokeski 1-3 0-0 2, Pierce 9-17 6-7 24, Breuer 5-11 2-4 12. Totals 43-87 16-21 103.

Philadelphia	17	27	20	27— 91
Milwaukee	27	28	21	27—103

Three-point goals—Barkley, Toney 2, Hodges. Fouled out—Barkley. Rebounds— Philadelphia 53 (Barkley 11), Milwaukee 53 (Sikma 13). Assists—Philadelphia 18 (Barkley, Cheeks 4), Milwaukee 28 (Pressey 12). Total fouls—Philadelphia 21, Milwaukee 26. Technical—Milwaukee illegal defense. A—11,052.

At Houston
PHOENIX (106): Addison 2-7 2-2 6, Pinckney 1-5 0-0 2, Adams 8-15 4-6 20, Davis 8-15 8-11 24, Humphries 7-11 5-5 19, Bedford 3-6 0-0 6, Gattison 5-10 2-2 12, Gondrezick 2-4 3-4 7, Sanders 2-8 1-2 5, Hornacek 2-3 1-2 5. Totals 40-84 26-34 106.
HOUSTON (102): McCray 4-8 2-3 10, Sampson 10-20 2-2 22, Olajuwon 8-16 8-15 24, Harris 7-16 0-0 14, Lloyd 3-5 2-2 8, Petersen 1-2 0-0 2, Wiggins 4-9 0-0 8, Minniefield 5-13 0-0 10, Johnson 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 44-92 14-22 102.

Phoenix	28	18	25	35—106
Houston	26	31	28	17—102

Fouled out—Wiggins. Rebounds—Phoenix 49 (Pinckney, Adams 8), Houston 59 (Olajuwon 21). Assists—Phoenix 19 (Adams 6), Houston 34 (Sampson 7). Total fouls—Phoenix 23, Houston 26. A— 16,016.

At Chicago
NEW JERSEY (98): Turner 4-9 0-0 8, Williams 7-11 6-9 20, Gminski 8-14 8-8 24, Brown 7-12 3-4 17, Washington 1-6 0-0 2, Wood 3-7 4-4 11, Bailey 5-9 1-5 11, McKenna 2-7 1-2 5, Coleman 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 37-77 23-32 98.
CHICAGO (99): Banks 2-4 2-2 6, Oakley 1-5 2-2 4, Waiters 0-1 0-0 0, Paxson 2-7 3-4 7, Jordan 13-29 15-18 41, Corzine 3-7 0-2 6, Sellers 2-4 0-1 4, Colter 6-11 2-3 14, Turner 2-4 0-0 4, Cureton 1-6 1-3 3, Brown 4-6 2-2 10. Totals 36-84 27-37 99.

New Jersey	27	30	23	18—98
Chicago	21	30	28	20—99

Three-point goal—Wood. Fouled out— None. Rebounds—New Jersey 46 (Williams 11), Chicago 61 (Oakley 11). Assists—New Jersey 31 (Wood 9), Chicago 25 (Paxson 6). Total fouls—New Jersey 29, Chicago 27. A—10,162.

Portland, Ore.
SEATTLE (118): Chambers 8-16 4-4 21, McDaniel 8-15 3-3 19, Lister 5-7 2-2 12, Ellis 15-24 4-5 34, Young 4-6 5-6 13, McMillan 2-7 1-2 5, Johnson 2-2 0-0 4, Schoene 0-3 0-0 0, Williams 3-3 2-3 8, Stansbury 0-1 0-0 0, Phelps 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 48-87 21-25 118.
PORTLAND (126): Carr 7-10 3-3 17, Vandeweghe 10-20 3-3 23, Johnson 6-7 3-7 15, Drexler 6-12 3-7 15, Porter 5-11 10-12 20, Kersey 8-14 11-13 27, Paxson 4-6 0-0 9, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Holton 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 46-80 33-45 126.

Seattle	31	27	40	20—118
Portland	31	38	21	36—126

Three-point goals—Chambers, Paxson. Fouled out—McDaniel, Drexler. Rebounds—Seattle 39 (Johnson 7), Portland 50 (Carr 11). Assists—Seattle 29 (McDaniel 7), Portland 25 (Johnson, Drexler 6). Total fouls—Seattle 36, Portland 23. Technicals—Chambers, Portland illegal defense. A—12,666.

At Sacramento, Calif.
DENVER (120): English 17-27 11-12 45, Schayes 2-8 7-7 11, Cooper 4-10 0-0 8, Dunn 1-4 0-0 2, Lever 7-16 3-3 17, Hanzlik 4-9 1-2 9, Walker 7-12 2-3 16, Rasmussen 4-9 0-2 8, Evans 2-6 0-0 4. Totals 48-101 24-29 120.
SACRAMENTO (119): Johnson 9-14 2-2 20, Thorpe 4-7 4-5 12, Thompson 5-11 10-11 20, Smith 10-17 11-12 31, Theus 7-15 2-3 16, Olberding 3-6 2-2 8, Tyler 2-4 2-2 6, Steppe 1-3 2-2 4, Pressley 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 42-81 35-39 119.

Denver	33	27	39	21—120
Sacramento	25	33	25	36—119

Fouled out—Schayes. Rebounds—Denver 46 (Lever 11), Sacramento 55 (Thompson 10). Assists—Denver 27 (Lever 14), Sacramento 25 (Theus 13). Total fouls—Denver 33, Sacramento 24. Technicals—Smith, Sacramento coach Hamblem, Olberding. A—10,333.

At Los Angeles
GOLDEN STATE (119): McDonald 5-11 0-0 10, L. Smith 5-6 1-4 11, Carroll 14-21 5-6 33, Floyd 7-14 7-8 22, Mullin 4-9 1-1 9, Ballard 6-14 2-2 15, Whitehead 2-7 4-4 8, Teagle 3-7 3-3 9, Higgins 0-2 0-0 0, C. Smith 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 46-91 25-30 119.
L.A. CLIPPERS (117): Cage 7-17 6-8 20, Maxwell 7-13 11-11 25, Kempton 5-9 1-2 11, Woodson 5-17 2-2 12, Valentine 10-18 3-4 24, Benjamin 5-9 6-9 16, White 1-2 1-2 3, Huston 2-5 0-0 4, Gordon 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 43-92 30-38 117.

Golden State	27	36	25	31—119
L.A. Clippers	35	23	28	31—117

Three-point goals—Floyd, Ballard, Valentine. Fouled out—None. Rebounds— Golden State 52 (L. Smith 11), L.A. Clippers 55 (Cage 18). Assists—Golden State 23 (Floyd 12), L.A. Clippers 23 (Valentine 6). Total fouls—Golden State 29, L.A. Clippers 24. A—6,813.

NHL Summaries

At Uniondale, N.Y.

Minnesota	1	1	0—2
N.Y. Islanders	2	0	2—4

First Period—1, New York, Boyd 1 (Flatley, B. Sutter), 3:23. 2, New York, B. Sutter 14 (Jonsson, Trottier), 15:28 (pp). 3, Minnesota, Bellows 6, 19:50.
Second Period—4, Minnesota, Ciccarelli 29 (Lawton), 15:15.
Third Period—5, New York, Flatley 10 (Makela, Boyd), 13:24. 6, New York, B. Sutter 15 (Makela, Flatley), 19:37 (pp).
Shots on goal—Minnesota 12-10-11—33. N.Y. Islanders 11-11-8—30.
Goalies—Minnesota, Beaupre. N.Y. Islanders, Smith. A—13,916.

At Calgary, Alberta

Detroit	3	0	0—3
Calgary	1	4	3—8

First Period—1, Detroit, Probert 7 (Ladouceur, Shedden), 1:48. 2, Detroit, Gallant 12 (O'Connell, Shedden), 8:40 (pp). 3, Detroit, Burr 10 (Higgins), 9:28. 4, Calgary, Mullen 13 (Peplinski, MacInnis), 18:11.
Second Period—5, Calgary, Berezan 4, 3:56. 6, Calgary, Bullard 9 (Otto, MacInnis), 9:42 (pp). 7, Calgary, Bradley 6 (Macoun), 18:53. 8, Calgary, MacInnis 7 (Patterson, Loob), 19:56.
Third Period—9, Calgary, Loob 13 (MacInnis, Wilson), 4:08. 10, Calgary, Otto 9 (Peplinski, Hunter), 4:26. 11, Calgary, Loob 14 (Wilson, MacInnis), 13:07.
Shots on goal—Detroit 8-7-6—21. Calgary 12-13-12—37.
Goalies—Detroit, Hanlon, Stefan. Calgary, Vernon. A—16,798.

At St. Louis

Montreal	2	0	2—4
St. Louis	1	0	1—2

First Period—1, St. Louis, Paslawski 9 (Gilmour), 7:26. 2, Montreal, McPhee 7 (Skrudland), 8:13. 3, Montreal, Lemieux 8 (Smith, Gainey), 18:05. Penalties—None.
Second Period—None. Penalties—Naslund, Mon (high-sticking), 5:20; Meagher, StL (roughing), 5:20; Kordic, Mon (elbowing), 13:15; St. Louis bench, served by Lemieux (too many men), 16:26.
Third Period—4, Montreal, Gingras 5 (McPhee, Maley), 11:27 (pp). 5, St. Louis, Dark 2 (Bothwell, Flockhart), 13:29. 6, Montreal, Gainey 1 (Lalor, Walter), 18:56 (en). Penalty—Hunter, StL (slashing), 9:54.
Shots on goal—Montreal 9-15-8—32. St. Louis 4-10-9—23.
Power-play Opportunities—Montreal 1 of 2; St. Louis 0 of 1.
Goalies—Montreal, Roy (23 shots-21 saves). St. Louis, Wamsley (31-28).
A—11,226.
Referee—Ron Hoggarth. Linesmen—Ron Finn, Dan McCourt.

Cup Standings

At Fremantle, Australia
CHALLENGER ELIMINATION
Standings

Yacht, Country	W	L	Pts
New Zealand, N Zealand	33	1	196
Stars & Stripes, U.S.	27	7	154
USA, U.S.	23	11	139
French Kiss, France	20	14	129
America II, U.S.	26	8	128
White Crusader, Britain	21	13	115
Italia, Italy	17	17	99
Heart of America, U.S.	11	23	66
Canada II, Canada	15	19	79
Eagle, U.S.	10	24	48
Azzurra, Italy	4	30	23

Round-Robin
Round Three
(12 points)
Monday's Races
Eagle, Rod Davis, def. Azzurra, Mauro Pelaschier, DNF.
Stars & Stripes, Dennis Conner, def. White Crusader, Harold Cudmore, 4:12.
Heart of America, Buddy Melges, def. Canada II, Terry Neilson, 12:49.
America II, Tom McLaughlin, def. Challenge France, Yves Pajot, DNF.
New Zealand, Chris Dickson, def. USA, Tom Blackaller, :59.
Italia, Albino Fravezzi, def. French Kiss, Marc Pajot, 1:55.
End Round Three
Semifinals
Best of Seven
Begins Dec. 28
New Zealand vs. French Kiss
Stars & Stripes vs. USA

DEFENDER ELIMINATION
Standings

Yacht	W	L	Pts
Kookaburra III	26	4	53
Australia IV	22	8	47
Kookaburra II	17	13	34
Steak'n Kidney	3	27	12

Series C
(3-points)
Sunday's Races
Australia IV, Colin Beashel, def. Kookaburra II, Peter Gilmour, jury disqualification.
Kookaburra III, Iain Murray, def. Steak'n Kidney, Fred Neill, 2:54.
End Series
Semifinals
Each boat races nine times
Begins Dec. 27

College Basketball Scores

MEN
EAST
C.W. Post 75, Sacred Heart 72
Davidson 58, Princeton 56, OT
Glassboro St. 72, Trenton St. 59
Manhattan 66, Lehman 53
St. Bonaventure 103, E. Stroudsberg 58
Staten Island 76, Old Westbury 51
SOUTH
Clemson 103, Prarie View 45
Florida 96, Louisiana St. 75
Florida St. 101, W. Carolina 76
Georgia St. 98, Kennesaw 80
Nicholls St. 65, Jackson St. 57
Tn-Chattanooga 66, Mississippi St. 51
Wiley 65, Grambling 59
MIDWEST
Anderson, Ind. 102, Marion 91
Black Hills St. 73, Dickinson St 58
Dayton 89, Ohio St. 88
Drake 81, Southern 58
Hillsdale 77, Tri-State 72
Ill.-Chicago 74, Michigan St. 65
Kenyon 67, Mt. Vernon Nazarene 65
Missouri 79, Austin Peay 73
N. Dakota St. 87, Valley City St. 70
Northwestern 56, Marquette 54
Rose-Hulman 87, Earlham 67
S. Indiana 75, Urbana 62
SE Louisiana 62, Florida A&M 61
Wright St. 122, NE Illinois 85
SOUTHWEST
Ga. Southern 75, Hardin-Simmons 71
FAR WEST
Biola 76, W. Washington 70
Boise St. 80, Cal-Irvine 71
Brigham Young 97, Utah St. 93
Cal-Santa Barbara 92, San Francisco St. 80
Cent. Washington 77, Lewis-Clark St., Idaho 65
Dominquez Hills St. 86, Cal Baptist 58
Montana 85, E. Washington 43
Sacramento St. 80, Fresno Pacific 77
TOURNAMENTS
Columbus College Christmas Tournament
Championship
Columbus 52, Troy St. 51
Third Place
Savannah St. 98, Allen 69

WOMEN
SOUTH
Florida Intl. 65, Rider 63
McNeese St. 97, Texas A&I 70
SE Louisiana 64, Ga. Southern 61
W. Georgia 96, Tampa 82
MIDWEST
Bradley 78, Northwestern 76
Indiana Tech 51, Ferris St. 50
Muskingum 77, Wittenberg 69
Ohio Northern 82, Mt. Union 56
SOUTHWEST
Arkansas St. 95, Ark.-Little Rock 81
FAR WEST
Cal Poly-Pomona 84, Santa Clara 67
Georgia Tech 79, Pepperdine 77

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — This week's odds from Harrah's Reno Race & Sports Book for National Football League games and upcoming college bowl games.

NFL
Friday
San Francisco 5½ over Los Angeles Rams
Saturday
New York Giants 11½ over Green Bay
Seattle 3 over Denver
Sunday
Cleveland 7 over San Diego
Minnesota 3 over New Orleans
Pittsburgh 1½ over Kansas City
Detroit 3 over Atlanta
St. Louis 12 over Tampa Bay
Houston 3 over Buffalo
Washington 3 over Philadelphia
Cincinnati 6 over New York Jets
Chicago 7½ over Dallas
Los Angeles Raiders 9 over Indianapolis
Monday
Miami 4 over New England
COLLEGE
Saturday, Dec. 20
Independence Bowl
Mississippi 2½ over Texas Tech
Tuesday, Dec. 23
Hall of Fame Bowl
No. 17 Georgia 2½ over Boston College
Thursday, Dec. 25
Sun Bowl
No. 13 Alabama 2½ over No. 12 Washington
Saturday, Dec. 27
Gator Bowl
Clemson 1 over No. 20 Stanford
Aloha Bowl
No. 16 Arizona 8 over North Carolina
Wednesday, Dec. 31
Peach Bowl
No. 18 North Carolina St. 3 over Virginia Tech
Bluebonnet Bowl
No. 14 Baylor 5½ over Colorado
All-American Bowl
Florida State 14 over Indiana
Thursday, Jan. 1
Florida Citrus Bowl
No. 10 Auburn 7 over Southern Cal
Cotton Bowl
No. 8 Texas A&M 1½ over No. 11 Ohio State
Sugar Bowl
No. 6 Nebraska 4½ over No. 5 LSU
Rose Bowl
No. 4 Michigan 2½ over No. 7 Arizona St.
Orange Bowl
No. 3 Oklahoma 17½ over No. 9 Arkansas
Friday, Jan. 2
Fiesta Bowl
No. 1 Miami 7 over No. 2 Penn State

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Acquired Rene Gonzales, infielder, from the Montreal Expos to complete an earlier trade.
TEXAS RANGERS—Released Ricky Wright, pitcher.
National League
HOUSTON ASTROS—Named Rusty Kuntz and Dave LaRoche minor-league instructors.
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Named Richard Andersen vice president for stadium operations and administration.
California League
SALINAS SPURS—Announced that Jay Goldinger, a Los Angeles investment counselor, has purchased the franchise from Herb Rosen for $200,000.
Eastern League
READING PHILLIES—Announced that Craig Stein and Herb Barness, partners in the Barness Organization, had purchased the franchise from Joe Buzas.
Florida State League
WINTER HAVEN RED SOX—Named Doug Camilli manager.
South Atlantic League
CHARLESTON WHEELERS—Announced a co-op agreement with Chicago Cubs, Cincinnati Reds, Detroit Tigers and Philadelphia Phillies for the 1987 season.
BASKETBALL
Continental Basketball Assoc.
CHARLESTON GUNNERS—Signed Winston Morgan, guard-forward, and Kenny Patterson, guard.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Waived Jerry Boyarsky, nose tackle. Activated Charles Martin, nose tackle from suspended list.
HOUSTON OILERS—Placed Doug Smith, nose guard, on injured reserve. Signed Karl Morgan, defensive lineman.
NEW YORK JETS—Waived Jim Stuckey, defensive lineman.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Signed Jess Atkinson, placekicker. Resigned Todd Frain, tight end. Placed Max Zendejas, placekicker, and Anthony Jones, tight end, on injured reserve.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
DETROIT RED WINGS—Announced that Steve Chiasson, defenseman, will leave the team to play on the Canadian national junior team.
MONTREAL CANADIENS—Sent Sergio Momesso, forward, to Sherbrooke of the American Hockey League.
COLLEGE
ARIZONA—Announced that Eric Cooper, guard, has left the basketball team.
COLGATE—Announced that women's cross country will be added as a varsity sport next fall.
DELAWARE VALLEY—Named Dick Bedesem head football coach.
LOUISIANA TECH—Named Carl Torbush head football coach.
MARYLAND—Named Tony Whittlesey assistant football coach.
NORTH DAKOTA—Announced resignation of Earle Solomonson, head football coach, so he could accept the same position at Montana State.
WISCONSIN—Announced that Mark Mauer, assistant football coach at Ball State, has been named an assistant in charge of wide receivers.

World Cup Skiing

MADONNA DI CAMPIGLIO, Italy (AP) — Results of Tuesday's men's World Cup slalom race:
1. Ivano Edalini, Italy, 1 minute, 45.79 seconds.
2. Ingemar Stenmark, Sweden, 1:45.99.
3. Joel Gaspoz, Switzerland, 1:46.24.
4. Bojan Krizaj, Yugoslavia, 1:46.54.
5. Guenther Mader, Austria, 1:46.57.
6. Joshan Wallner, Sweden, 1:46.67.
7. Armin Bittner, West Germany, 1:46.77.
8. Pirmin Zurbriggen, Switzerland, 1:46.97.
9. Finn Christian Jagge, Norway, 1:48.37.
10. Ole Christian Furuseth, Norway, 1:49.31.

World Cup Ski Men Standings
MADONNA DI CAMPIGLIO, Italy (AP) — Overall men's World Cup ski standings after Tuesday's slalom race, the 10th event of the competition:
1. Pirmin Zurbriggen, Switzerland, 105 points.
2. Markus Wasmeier, West Germany, 93.
(tie) Richard Pramotton, Italy, 93.
4. Ingemar Stenmark, Sweden, 66.
5. Joel Gaspoz, Switzerland, 63.
6. Peter Mueller, Switzerland, 62.
7. Franz Heinzer, Switzerland, 51.
8. Leonard Stock, Austria, 43.
9. Robert Erlacher, Italy, 42.
10. Hubert Strolz, Austria, 39.
Other North Americans
18. (tie) Rob Boyd, Canada, 26.
42. Brian Stemmle, Canada, 9.
72. Felix McGrath, Norwich, Vt., 1.
Slalom standings after two races:
1. Ingemar Stenmark, Sweden, 45 points.
2. Joel Gaspoz, Switzerland, 26.
3. Ivano Edalini, Italy, 25.
4. Bojan Krizaj, Yugoslavia, 24.
5. Jonas Nilsson, Sweden, 20.
6. Richard Pramotton, Italy, 15.
7. Armin Bittner, West Germany, 14.
8. Guenther Mader, Austria, 11.
9. Grega Benedik, Yugoslavia,

JUCO Women Top 20

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — The top 15 women's teams in the National Junior College Athletic Association basketball poll with first place votes in parentheses, records through Dec. 15 and total points:

	Record	Pts
1. NE Mississippi (4)	11-0	60
2. Trinity, Tex.	15-1	56
3. Western Texas	14-1	50
4. Emmanuel, Ga.	11-0	47
5. Connors, Okla.	13-1	44
6. Ellsworth, Iowa	9-0	39
7. Central Arizona	10-1	35
8. Florida JC	8-1	32
9. Hilbert, N.Y.	9-0	31
10. Crowder, Mo.	8-2	21
11. St. Gregory's, Okla.	10-1	20
12. Cowley Cty, Kan.	11-2	11
13. John A. Logan, Ill.	7-0	10
14. Illinois Central	6-2	8
15. Miami Dade North	13-0	6

Outcry heard after Hoyt gets 45 days

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Former Cy Young Award winner LaMarr Hoyt must spend 45 days in federal prison on a misdemeanor drug conviction — a sentence that prompted cries of protest from prosecutors who accused the judge of violating a plea bargain agreement.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Pat Swan was visibly upset Tuesday after Magistrate Roger McKee issued the sentence to the Padres right-hander, who pleaded guilty Nov. 13 to two drug counts. In exchange, a felony drug complaint against Hoyt was dropped and the pitcher agreed to spend at least 60 days in prison. The deal, however, was not legally binding.

"The law is clear. The judge had the right to do what he did," said Hoyt's attorney, Howard Frank, who delivered an impassioned plea for leniency before the sentence was handed down.

Swan argued for a four-month sentence and tried to revive the felony drug complaint after McKee ordered the shorter term, but the magistrate dismissed the charge in accordance with the plea bargain. Swan said the sentence put Hoyt's case "back to square one" and indicated an appeal may be filed.

Hoyt, 31, must surrender to federal marshals Jan. 5 to start serving the sentence, which includes five years probation, a $10,000 fine and forfeiture to the government of his $33,000 Porsche sports car.

As part of probation, Hoyt must undergo random drug testing, drug and alcohol treatment, and continue the psychiatric counseling he began after his Oct. 29 release on bond from jail.

"I've let a lot of people down with this situation," Hoyt told the court before being sentenced. "It's not something I'm very proud of. I'm very sorry for what I've done. I know what I did was wrong."

Hoyt has admitted trying to smuggle nearly 500 Valiums and propoxyphene painkiller tablets across the U.S.-Mexico border Oct. 28.

In arguing for a stiff sentence, Swan noted that it was Hoyt's third drug-related brush with the law this year.

"He made promises he wouldn't do this again but he did. I submit the reason is that he does have a drug problem ... one that's significant enough to jeopardize his career and his health," Swan said, emphasizing the need for a "structured environment."

But both Frank and a report by a psychiatrist treating Hoyt challenged the assessment that Hoyt has a drug problem.

"When we get beyond that initial knee-jerk reaction, we see that this was a man in trouble. There is no way a person acting rationally could have done what LaMarr did in October," said Frank.

Hoyt was under severe emotional stress because of a crumbling marriage and suffered from insomnia, often going for days with an hour's sleep each night, Frank said.

The defense attorney also said Padres management was well-intentioned but misguided when it directed Hoyt to enter a Minnesota drug and alcohol rehabilitation center last February for a month of therapy.

Hoyt broke into the major leagues with the White Sox in 1980 and won the Cy Young three years later with a 24-10 record. He was acquired by San Diego in a 1985 preseason trade.

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Flames rally past Wings, 8-3

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — The Calgary Flames gave up three goals and didn't panic. The Detroit Red Wings gave up one goal and did.

That was the difference Tuesday night, as the Flames overcame a 3-0 deficit to whip the Red Wings 8-3.

In other NHL action, the New York Islanders beat Minnesota 4-2 and Montreal downed St. Louis 4-2.

For the first 18 minutes, it appeared Detroit would skate to an easy victory. But a thundering body-check by Jamie Macoun woke up the Flames and led to their first goal late in the period.

After that, Detroit seemed to collapse, much to the disgust of Coach Jacques Demers.

"We should have regrouped" after the late goal, said Demers. "So it's 3-1, we're still in good shape.

"There was no reason for us to panic. We prided ourselves all year on being disciplined and not panicking. It seemed tonight we panicked."

The result, said Demers, was Detroit's "worst game all year. Tonight some guys didn't show up, it's as simple as that."

Calgary defenseman Al MacInnis, the game's offensive star with a goal and four assists, said the Flames stayed cool despite the early deficit.

"We were down 3-0 but I didn't feel any lack of confidence on the bench," he said. "Nobody was worrying, nobody was panicking. We felt we could come back."

Both MacInnis and Calgary coach Bob Johnson pinpointed Macoun's hit as the key play in the comeback.

"That certainly changed it around for us," said MacInnis, Macoun's defense partner. "It starts waking the guys up on the bench, and everyone starts realizing that all 20 guys have to pick up the slack."

Johnson, whose team just returned from a five-game coast-to-coast road trip, said he was worried about the first game back home.

"The first couple of shifts, nothing was happening," said Johnson. "I was ready to chalk it up (as a loss).

"But then we got a good hit by Macoun, came right back and scored a goal. All of a sudden it gives us a little spark."

The Wings were up 3-0 on goals by Bob Probert, Gerard Gallant and Shawn Burr. But Joey Mullen put the Flames on the board before the period ended.

In the second, the Flames took control, beating Detroit goaltender Glen Hanlon four times — including the game-winner by Brian Bradley and another by MacInnis in the last minute.

Hakan Loob scored twice, while Perry Berezan, Mike Bullard and Joel Otto also scored for Calgary.

Islanders 4, North Stars 2

Brent Sutter scored two goals, Patrick Flatley got the game-winner with 6:36 remaining, and goalie Billy Smith overcame a weird goal to post the victory for the Islanders.

Leading 2-0, the Islanders gave up a fluke goal with 10 seconds left in the first period. North Stars rookie Jari Gronstrand sent the puck high into the air from center ice. Smith and defenseman Steve Konroyd collided going after it. Neither could trap the puck, which skidded to Brian Bellows. He put it into the unguarded net from 25 feet.

Smith, a veteran of 15 NHL seasons, wasn't going to let it be a problem all night.

"I could not let that make me lose a hockey game, which is why I didn't go crazy," he said. "I had to just forget it. A goalie has to do that."

Canadiens 4, Blues 2

Gaston Gingras' power-play goal at 11:27 of third period was the winner, and Bob Gainey had an empty-net goal to clinch the win. Gingras' rising blast from the blue line beat St. Louis goalie Rick Wamsley to the glove side and gave Montreal a 3-1 lead.

The win lifted Montreal into a first-place tie with Boston in the Adams Division with 36 points apiece.

Mike McPhee and Claude Lemieux had the other Montreal goals. Greg Paslawski and rookie Michael Dark scored for the Blues.

NHL Roundup

Astros ink Kuntz, LaRoche

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Astros signed former major leaguers Rusty Kuntz and Dave LaRoche as minor league instructors, the NL club announced Tuesday.

Kuntz, who played with the Chicago White Sox, Minnesota and Detroit, replaces Bert Campaneris as minor league outfield and base running instructor.

LaRoche, who played last with the New York Yankees, will be a minor league pitching instructor based in Sarasota, Fla.



AP Laserphoto

Montreal's Claude Lemieux (32) reaches out with his stick as St. Louis goalie Rick Wamsley (30) is turned around in front of the net Tuesday. Lemieux' shot went into the net for a goal.

Landry names Collier as Sunday Bear bait

IRVING (AP) — Now it's Reggie Collier's turn to bring a silver lining to the Dallas Cowboys' disastrous 1986 season.

Collier, a third-string quarterback who has thrown only six NFL passes, will put his strong arm and quick feet on display Sunday against the defending Super Bowl champion Chicago Bears.

"You learn a lot about people when you play the Bears," said Dallas Coach Tom Landry. "We'll probably get him in right off. We'll probably start him."

Collier, a three-year starter for the USFL's Washington Federals and Orlando Renegades, has completed four passes for 52 yards and one touchdown, all against the Washington Redskins.

Landry said Collier's start "will take some of the pressure off Steve Pelluer. We'll probably use both of them but it's an opportunity to see a player. We'll have Steve ready as a backup."

Landry said Collier, who was a sixth-round draft choice in 1983, "has a lot of work ahead of him and he knows it."

Landry has criticized Collier for sloppy work habits.

"He might be a player some day but he's not as dedicated as he should be," Landry said. "We'll have to cut our offense down to plays we think he can handle best. He's more comfortable back there when he's moving."

Collier rushed for 606 yards and scored 12 touchdown in 1985 with the Renegades. For Dallas, he's run one time for 21 yards.

Pelluer has had a rough season as the starter after Danny White suffered a broken wrist in the ninth game against the New York Giants.

Pelluer, who was lustily booed last week, has suffered 16 interceptions while throwing only 7 touchdown passes.

"It's not Steve's fault we're down where we are," Landry said. "His confidence may be down a little but he made the play that got us ahead against Philadelphia; then the defense let down."

Paul McDonald, a former Cleveland Browns quarterback who was obtained as a free agent, also was available.

"McDonald could play if needed," Landry said. "He's a smart quarterback."

The 7-8 Cowboys are faced with the possibility of their first losing season since 1964.

Their 20-year streak of winning seasons ended Sunday with a 23-21 loss to the Philadelphia Eagles.

"This is an important game for us," Landry said. "You want to win it if you can. A win gives you a better outlook for next year. We don't want to start next season on a downslope."

Chicago blasted the Cowboys 44-0 last year.

"The Bears are still the best team in football and it's exciting to play them," Landry said. "Of course, we didn't like getting pushed around last year. Some of our players still remember it."

Landry is already making plans for next year and said there will be changes in the Cowboys' personnel.

"There is no question there will be changes in this team," Landry said. "There has to be. Everyone will have to prove themselves next season."

Asked if he would be back next year, Landry laughed and answered tongue-in-cheek: "I don't want to comment on that right now. I don't want to disappoint the ones who want me to leave."

Landry has said he loves a challenge — "and we have a big one next year," he said.

Morris, Twins stumble; Yanks on deck

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Jack Morris wanted to pitch in Minnesota — where he was born and raised — and the Twins wanted him to come home.

But because they felt the free-agent right-hander's price tag was too hefty, the Twins rejected three Morris contract proposals Tuesday and sent the hometown hero packing to New York — where he will meet with the Yankees on Thursday.

"The fact is we've spent millions and millions and our club has gone from a .500 club (in 1984) to 10 games under .500 to 20 games under," said Andy MacPhail, Twins executive vice president. "It's difficult to overstate the disappointment the Twins feel, particularly (owner) Carl Pohlad. We just felt the numbers were excessive."

Morris' agent, Richard Moss, said he proposed a two-year contract for exactly the same salary as that of left-hander Fernando Valenzuela of the Los Angeles Dodgers — $1.85 million in 1987, and $2.05 million in 1988. Or, Moss said, Morris was willing to sign a three-year deal for $1.8 million a year or a four-year deal for $1.7 million a year.

MacPhail, who concurred that those were the figures discussed, said the Twins were prepared to make Morris the team's highest-paid player, but could afford to go no higher. Pitcher Bert Blyleven is reportedly the highest-paid Twin with a contract of about $1 million a year.

"We said, and we believe, that those proposals are reasonable," Moss said. "We said that if there was any disagreement, we were willing to have the salary determined by impartial arbitration. We indicated over and over again that all we wanted to get was a fair and proper agreement. In the meeting in Mr. Pohlad's office ... the response we got was that anything we said was unacceptable."

The Twins were the first team Morris met with after announcing last week that he would not pitch again for the Detroit Tigers and that he would choose from among four teams — the Twins, New York Yankees, Philadelphia Phillies and California Angels.

Morris, a St. Paul native, had said all along that he wanted to return to Minnesota.

"I think you all know my view on the Minnesota area," he said. "That will never change. New York is also a very good ball club. If I can get the chance to play for a winner I will."

Morris, 31, who has a career record of 144-94 in nine seasons with the Tigers — including 21-8 last year — was asked if Tuesday's developments would lead him to consider returning to the Tigers.

"It doesn't change a thing," he said.

Morris is scheduled to meet with Yankees owner George Steinbrenner and team officials on Thursday.

"If I can display one emotion, it would be disappointment," MacPhail said. "There is no dispute to the talent that Jack Morris displays as a pitcher. We had the greatest interest in adding Jack Morris to the pitching staff. But it was my recommendation to Mr. Pohlad that he not accept any of the proposals."

It was the second major exeutive recommendation made by the 33-year-old MacPhail since he was promoted to executive vice president last month. In November, he recommended that the Twins hire Tom Kelly as manager.

He said he was prepared for public criticism.

"It does bother me," he said. "I'm going to be a household word ... like toilet."

Kelly said he was never consulted regarding the Morris negotiations but said he didn't mind that the front office didn't consult the field manager before making the decision.

"I just heard from (a sportswriter)," he said. "But it's none of my business. That's the general manager and owner's decision. I just run the game on the field."

Still, he admitted that adding Morris would have benefitted the team, which had a 4.77 earned-run average in 1986 — the worst in the majors.

"I'm sure all the managers in the major leagues would love to have a Jack Morris," Kelly said.

First baseman Kent Hrbek, one of four Twins that Pohlad has signed to multiyear, multimillion-dollar contracts since buying the club in 1984, said: "I thought this was a great chance to get a pitcher. The bottom line is that our offensive power has been there. We can score runs. But we had the worst ERA in the league and had a losing record."

Said Kelly: "The players should worry about doing their jobs and not worry about what the front office does."

Augustana seniors don't know meaning of defeat

ROCK ISLAND, Ill. (AP) — Augustana's Class of 1986 is truly the class of small college football.

The 12 seniors on the Vikings squad have never lost in 50 games, and have captured four straight NCAA Division III championships.

The Rock Island team won its fourth national title Saturday with a 31-3 victory over Salisbury State of Maryland.

"It's awesome winning four national championships," said running back Brad Price, who capped a 1,000-yard rushing season by running for 162 yards and three touchdowns in the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl, at Phenix City, Ala. "We seniors can say we never lost a game."

Senior middle guard Brian King said he will relish the day a few years from now when he is asked about his college football team.

"When people ask us, 'How did your college do?,' they'll think we're joking," King said in an interview Monday night.

"It almost seems metaphysical," said senior defensive tackle Lynn Thomsen, the only player to start all 50 games. "It's hard for me to realize that being part of history is something that happens, if you're lucky, once in your life."

The Vikings' only non-victory in four years was a 0-0 tie at Elmhurst College at the beginning of the recently-completed season.

Everybody wonders how Elmhurst, a 24-1 team, managed to tie mighty Augustana. But King explained: "We had a young offensive line and couldn't get rolling. We were at our worst and Elmhurst was at its best."

The Vikings started their streak in 1983 with a 42-14 season-opening win over Carroll after losing the 1982 Stagg Bowl to West Georgia 14-0.

Only about 100 people or so greeted the team at the Quad Cities Airport on their flight home from Alabama on Saturday night, but many more attended campus celebrations, including one at the house King shares with two other players.

"It was wall-to-wall. People never stopped coming in," said King, a 6-foot, 225-pounder from Crystal Lake. "We went through a few kegs of beer."

The Vikings go for beer parties and no-frills football.

Augustana wins with a rushing game off a wishbone offense and a solid defense. The Vikings threw only 73 passes all season in 13 games.

"No one saw anything they haven't seen the last four years," Vikings Coach Bob Reade said after Saturday's game. "The secret here is to play your game and to play it well."

The Vikings led the nation defensively this year, giving up an average of less than 25 yards rushing and fewer than six points each game, while Augustana's offense generated a total of 446 points.

Reade, 54, is 81-8-1 at Augustana and ranks No. 1 for winning percentage among all active NCAA football coaches with more than five years experience. He reportedly applied unsuccessfully for the Iowa State head coaching job.

"Reade is a quiet coach. He never screams, but he gets his point across," said King. "His only rules are: Obey (the) law and be a gentleman."

King, who majors in math and public administration, said he is sad that the winning is over for him.

"It's a great feeling to go through your college career undefeated," he said, "but next fall when football starts up again, I'll be a spectator."

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Flyers hold off Buckeyes

Ohio State streak ends at 11

Associated Press

Dayton Coach Don Donoher was not sure which would end sooner — the game or his team's lead. As it turned out, the Flyers ended the longest winning streak in major-college basketball.

"That's the longest five or six minutes of any game I can remember. They were all over us and we were sort of fighting for our lives," Donoher said after Dayton held off Ohio State 89-86 Tuesday night.

The Buckeyes entered Dayton Arena with an 11-game winning streak, including six victories this season, and got 41 points from Dennis Hopson. But that was not enough to overcome Dayton's 10-for-10 foul shooting in the final 74 seconds.

"We were up by 15, but then (Ohio State's Jerry) Francis hit a free throw to cut it to 14," Donoher said. "All of a sudden, they get a steal and Hopson scores and its down to 12. Then you're looking at a full six minutes left.

"We had the lead and were reluctant to put it up late in the game. They were going to score points. We had to outscore them. Thank goodness they had to foul at the end."

The intrastate rivalry highlighted a night in which no teams ranked in the Top 20 played.

Dayton led 49-42 at halftime and expanded its lead to 73-58 with 6:14 remaining before Ohio State rallied. Curtis Wilson's three-point shot with 27 seconds left pulled the Buckeyes within 85-83.

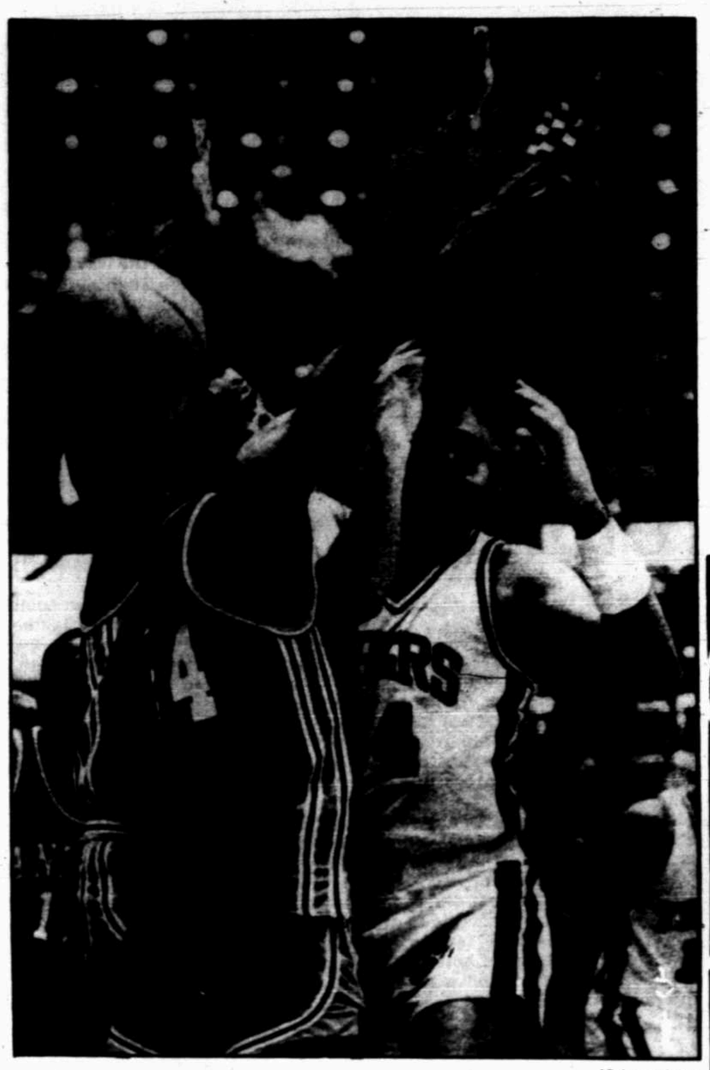
Bill Crotty and Steve Smith then each made two free throws to keep Dayton ahead. Dan Christie sank four foul shots in final 38 seconds for the Flyers.

Christie scored 19 points, Anthony Grant had 16, Ed Young 14, Noland Robinson 12 and Smith 11 for Dayton, now 3-3. Wilson finished with 23 for Ohio State.

"This is a tough game to lose, but Dayton just took it to us. I thought we came back well, but when we did, Dayton hit their free throws," Ohio State Coach Gary Williams said. "We forgot what got us to 6-0 and it gave Dayton a lot of easy shots."

IN OTHER action, undefeated Clemson won its sixth straight game by routing Prarie View A&M 103-45. Anthony Jenkins and Michael Tait hit three-point goals on Clemson's first two shots and the Tigers went on to lead 19-0 and 38-3. Horace Grant topped Clemson with 15 points.

Randy Allen and Jerome Fitchett scored 21 points each to lead Florida State past Western Carolina 101-76.



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Clemson's Jeff Holstein (4) loses the ball as he is defended by Prairie View A&M's Paul Barber Tuesday. No matter, Clemson won, 103-45.

College Roundup

The victory was the Seminoles' first on the road in 22 games since Dec. 29, 1984, against Furman. Florida State is 4-1 and Western Carolina is 0-6.

Andrew Moten scored 32 points as Florida beat Louisiana State 96-75 in the Southeastern Conference. Moten scored 13 of the Gators' first 17 points in the second half as they stretched their lead from eight to 22 points. LSU center Jose Varas scored 33 points and grabbed 18 rebounds.

Jim Wyss' layup broke a 50-50 tie and Shawn Watts made two foul shots with 22 seconds remaining as Northwestern beat Marquette 56-54. Watts finished with 16 points for the Wildcats.

Morris Lyons scored 20 points, leading Tennessee-Chattanooga past Mississippi State 66-51.

Bucs on brink of big win

Colts' victory gives Tampa Testaverde

By MICHAEL JANOFSKY
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — The Indianapolis Colts' two-game winning streak has pushed the Tampa Bay Buccaneers to the brink of clinching the first pick in the 1987 National Football League draft, and that, of course, means Vinny Testaverde, the University of Miami quarterback and recent Heisman Trophy winner.

The Buccaneers' record fell to 2-13 Sunday when they lost to the Green Bay Packers, 21-7. The Colts, who had lost their first 13 games, beat the Buffalo Bills, 24-14, to reach 2-13. If the Buccaneers and Colts finish with the same record — 2-14 or 3-13 — the Buccaneers would win the pick because the combined record of their opponents is worse than that of the Colts' opponents.

Currently, the Buccaneers' opponents are 111-125-4; the Colts' are 123-115-2.

The only way the Colts could get the pick is if the Buccaneers beat the St. Louis Cardinals next Sunday in St. Louis and the Colts lose to the Raiders in Los Angeles.

The possibility that Testaverde would be taken by the Buccaneers has led to speculation that the Buccaneers would trade Steve Young, their current starting quarterback, to one of several clubs interested in him, including the San Francisco 49ers, the Seattle Seahawks, the San Diego Chargers and the Raiders. Of course, those clubs are also interested in Testaverde. But if the scouting reports calling Testaverde a franchise player are to be believed, the Buccaneers may be more inclined to move Young, even though some of the rumored trades for the Testaverde pick are eye-popping.

"To get Testaverde," said the general manager of one club, "you've got to be ready to give up at least four players, whether they are starters or No. 1's."

When the Houston Oilers traded Jim Everett, the third player taken in the 1986 draft, to the Los Angeles Rams, they got five players (veterans and draft choices) in return.

The 49ers appear to be in the best position to satisfy the Buccaneers in a trade for either quarterback. They have two No. 1's, their own and Washington's; two No. 2's, their own and Philadelphia's; and many desirable players. The Raiders are said to be offering Marcus Allen and-or Howie Long. The Seahawks may be willing to part with Kenny Easley, their Pro Bowl strong safety.

"To tell you the truth, I'm not that far into it," Hugh Culverhouse, the owner of the Buccaneers, said Monday. "Until we lost to the Packers, I didn't think we had a shot at the pick. With Young and Testaverde, I'm sure it will be the same as it was with Bo Jackson. We'll explore all types of trade possibilities before we would do anything. Right now, I have no idea what we would do."

Jackson, the running back from Auburn, was the reward the Buccaneers got last season for finishing 2-14. But Jackson, who was also an outfielder in college, chose to pursue a career in baseball, leaving the Buccaneers with nothing to show for their futility.

Leigh Steinberg, the attorney who represents Young, said that he expects the Buccaneers to take Testaverde and trade Young. In either case, the market should be active.

"I've never seen the situation before when so many well-stocked playoff contending teams are in such dire need of a starting quarterback," Steinberg said. "All the ingredients are there for a truly blockbuster trade."

Assuming a trade is made, more than likely it won't happen until very close to the draft next spring. It's also likely that if the Buccaneers pick Testaverde, they will have made certain he has no marketable future in another sport.

"Losing him," Culverhouse said, "would hurt."

With Testaverde's earning potential in the millions, he and his family have asked a state court judge in Miami, a family friend, to screen agents interested in representing him.

Judge John Gail said more than 80 people have contacted him. They were all told to explain in writing what they could do for Testaverde.

"Then in the latter part of January, I'll pick eight people to interview before I make a recommendation to the family," the judge said. "At this point, I'm not sure if it will be one major entity or several people for different fields, such as investments and endorsements."

Among those believed to be in contention, in addition to Steinberg, Young's agent, are Bob Woolf, Jack Mills, Marvin Demoff and Dr. John Galetka, all of whom represent professional athletes.

Judge Peter K. Leisure, who presided in the trial of the United States Football League's antitrust case against the NFL last summer, is scheduled to hear arguments Wednesday by attorneys for the NFL against the USFL's request for injunctive relief, the last step in the case at the lower court level.

The USFL has asked the court to prevent the NFL from signing contracts with all three major networks.

Leisure is not expected to rule on the matter right away.

Commissioner Pete Rozelle plans to meet Tuesday with seven black club officials to discuss how to increase the number of minority employees in the league.

Those expected to attend are Tank Younger, the assistant general manager of the Chargers; Bobby Mitchell, the assistant general manager of the Redskins; Paul Warfield, the director of player relations for the Browns; Theo Bell, the consultant for player and community relations for the Buccaneers; Charlie Lee, the director of player and community relations for the Broncos; Ronnie Barnes, the Giants' trainer; and John Wooten, a scout for the Cowboys.

Andrews posts double victory

From Staff Reports

The Andrews Mustangs were double winners Tuesday night as the boys opened District 2-4A play with a 79-56 victory while the girls were 48-42 victors over Sweetwater.

The Andrews boys jumped out to an early 16-8 lead and never looked back as they outscored Sweetwater in every quarter, including a shootout fourth with a 29-24 edge.

Andrews was led by the 26-point effort of Bernard Williams while Damon Clay added another 22 and Lewis Clay 12.

On Friday, Andrews will put its 9-3 overall record and 1-0 2-4A mark on the line when they host Monahans at 6 and 7:30 p.m.

The Andrews girls also took an early lead against Sweetwater but found the going a bit rougher.

Trailing 13-4 after the first quarter, Sweetwater rallied to cut the margin to one at the half, 21-20. The third quarter proved decisive for Andrews, which took a 16-4 spurt for a 37-24 lead. Sweetwater could only cut seven points off the advantage in the final period.

Holly Luck led Andrews' double figure trio with 15 points while Kathleen Johnson added 11 and Paula Jones 10.

On Friday, the Andrews travels to Monahans for a 6 and 7:30 p.m. encounter with the Lady Loboes. Andrews is now 5-6 overall and 2-1 in league play.

BOYS
Andrews 79, Sweetwater 56

Andrews: Bernard Williams, 11 4-4 2 26; Damon Clay, 11 0-0 2 22; Lewis Clay, 6 2-2 4 12; Jim Bice, 1 5-6 4 7; Mark Bergen, 3 0-0 2 6; Robert Roighter, 2 0-0 1 4; Jeff Pino, 1 0-0 0 2. Totals: 34 11-12 20 79.

Sweetwater: Messer, 6 4-8 2 14; Blosford, 6 2-2 1 14; Harris, 5 3-5 0 13; Leherman, 3 1-1 5 7; Green, 2 0-0 0 4; Rowan, 1 0-0 1 2; Reed, 1 0-0 3 2. Totals: 23 10-16 14 56.

Score by quarters:

Andrews	16	16	18	29—79
Sweetwater	8	12	12	24—56

J.V.: Sweetwater 52, Andrews 48. A-Brinson Hammond, 22. S-Hosler, 16.

GIRLS
Andrews 48, Sweetwater 42

Sweetwater: LaDawn Pluckett, 2 0-0 2 4; Angela Goodman, 1 4-5 2 6; Cheryl Owens, 4 0-1 5 8; Kelly Brantz, 4 0-0 4 8; Jennifer Ritchy, 1 0-0 1 2; Sharon Smith, 2 0-1 1 4; Karshema Blosford, 3 0-4 5 6; Juanelle Saddler, 1 2-6 2 4. Totals: 18 6-17 22 42.

Andrews: Paula Jones, 5 0-1 3 10; Kathleen Johnson, 3 5-6 5 11; Holly Luck, 4 7-13 2 15; Chris Mendoza, 1 2-3 3 4; Paulette Jones, 1 0-2 1 2; Tammy Herbin, 1 2-2 3 4; Connie Conner, 1 0-0 0 2; Stacy Trevino, 0 0-1 1 0. Totals: 16 16-29 18 48.

Score by quarters:

Sweetwater	4	16	4	18—42
Andrews	13	8	16	11—48

J.V.: Sweetwater 28, Andrews 19.

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Since Leonard wants answers from questions he asks...



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At a recent press conference, the box-fighter Sugar Ray Leonard, proclaiming himself fed up with the sameness of the media exchanges, decided he would make up his own questions and give the answers he saw fit.

Fair enough. I would, accordingly, be obliged if he afforded us the same courtesy. In our case, we would like the liberty of being able to make up the answers, however.

Question: Sugar Ray, how can it be you're going to be coming back to fighting after a layoff since May, 1984, after having only one fight in 60 months – that's five years?

Answer: How does 30 percent of $47 million grab you?

Q: But they tell us you've got a 2½-acre estate in Maryland with a swimming pool, a Ferrari, Mercedes, station wagon and two Rolls-Royces!

A: You ever take a Rolls-Royce to the garage overnight? You ever heat an estate on 2½ acres?

Q: I see. They say you can never be too thin or too rich, right?

A: You can be too thin.

Q: Why Marvin Hagler? Why not fight a leopard in a tree, a shark in water? Didn't you see this guy practically vaporize Thomas Hearns? And, why not a tune-up fight?

A: Three years ago, I fought a "comeback" fight against a nobody named Kevin Howard for coffee money, a test fight. He knocked me flat on my back. I barely beat him. I figure if I'm going to get knocked on my back, I'm going to get paid for it. Tune-up fights are for truck drivers in bars.

Q: Do you think you have a realistic chance against Hagler?

A: What am I, crazy? Do you think I have a realistic chance against Hagler? Do you know where the expression "They never come back" came from? Lotta people think it was Dempsey. It wasn't. It was James J. Jeffries. He laid off for six years – six years! They talked him into coming back because a black champion had the title. Jack Johnson just laughed at him. Knocked him out at his leisure. That set the pattern. Don't you think I know that? What's the old saying, "Those who ignore history are doomed to repeat it?"

Q: Then, why not learn from it?

A: And leave $10 million just lying there? I like my swimming pool. I got a lot of other history I want to remember – scuffling for pennies, sleeping in flea-bag hotels, owing the gym money. That's the history I don't want to repeat.

Q: I know you don't want to talk about your eye problems, that you say that question has been asked and answered, but a detached retina would seem to be a serious warning about the danger of fighting again. Arena lobbies are full of guys who got detached retinas in the ring. They're selling pencils.

A: Why do you think I don't want to talk about it? Why do you think I just listen to the doctors who tell me it's OK? You know, Joe E. Lewis used to have this routine where he said he went to all these doctors and they told him to quit drinking. Finally, he went to one who told him to drink all he wanted. "That's what I like!" he said. ""A doctor with guts!" Well, that's what I like, too.

Q: Doctors have never fought Marvin Hagler.

A: Neither have you. Neither have I.

Q: Boxing is hazardous even for healthy eyes.

A: Boxing is hazardous for lots of healthy things – brains, for instance.

Q: Don't you worry the way Hagler just walked through Thomas Hearns as if he weren't there? Just knocked him out on the way by, so to speak? Like a hit-and-run truck?

A: I never thought Marvin Hagler was a walk in the park. A day at the beach. I wouldn't want to fight him in the dark. But these guys who just stand in his face might as well go jump under a train. Or dive down the smokestack of a battleship. I'm aggressive, not suicidal. He's going to have to go find me.

Q: He'd scare Hitler.

A: You think Roberto Duran looked cuddly? My problem is not fear, it's speed.

Q: Your problem is, you don't know when you're well off. Doesn't it bother you that a lot of people think you're crazy to be doing this?

A: A lot of people thought Nero was crazy, too.

Q: He was.

A: Exactly. A lot of times a lot of people are absolutely right.

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United States' Cup boats returning home in defeat

By BARBARA LLOYD
N.Y. Times News Service

FREMANTLE, Australia — The three boats built for the New York Yacht Club's ill-starred America's Cup campaign are being packed to go home.

It is a huge job. Besides three 68-foot hulls — including America II, the boat John Kolius sailed under the club's flag — there are more than 250,000 pounds worth of lead keels that have to be shipped. And then there is the assortment of masts, booms, sails, machine tools, generators and boatyard gear.

Few expected such an early end to the effort. At the very least, those at the heart of the New York syndicate thought they would last through Christmas. But the scorecard of three sets of trial races for America II told a different story: a good start in October with only one loss, two losses in November and then five in December that left them a point short of making the semifinals.

Realization that America II was a slow boat dawned slowly. William Packer, vice chairman of the America II syndicate and a 15-year member of the New York Yacht Club, said it took until December for him to see the truth.

"Our great crew work obscured some of the other problems we had in the program," he said recently. "We thought all along we had a fast boat and a good crew, so we were reluctant to make changes. It was the kind of thing where, if it's not broken, don't fix it."

In the November trials, excuses came easy. In the loss to Dennis Conner's Stars & Stripes, the rationalization was that Conner's boat beat Kolius and his America II team because Stars & Stripes sails better in heavy winds. There were other excuses in the defeat by New Zealand — America II had passed Chris Dickson's virtually unbeatabale boat on one downwind leg, and finally lost only because of a freakish quirk in nature, a dramatic wind change that put the two boats in separate weather patterns.

When it came to December, there were no excuses left. In the first race, America II lost to Heart of America, which was in 10th place among the 12 boats. The next day, Stars & Stripes dealt a crushing blow.

"We discovered our boat speed was average at best," said Packer. "After the race with Heart of America, we realized other people had made giant strides and we hadn't."

Bill Langan, the 31-year-old designer of America II, maintains that he was close to filling in the gap. As chief designer for Sparkman & Stephens, the New York-based naval architecture firm, he had a vast reservoir of experience to tap.

Langan said that he, too, misjudged the progress that other challengers would make. Under the America's Cup rules, structural changes must be made between series. "Basically, we didn't win when the points counted most," said Langan, referring to the higher point totals awarded for victories in the December series. "I think we improved, but obviously, not enough. We knew we had to make changes, but we felt we had a good boat."

Langan had reason to think so. As the first syndicate to mount a challenge to regain the cup that the club had lost to the Australians in 1983, New York put together a $15 million campaign and built its first boat before most of the others had put a pen to paper.

The first version of America II had a keel that everyone wanted to see. It was big and wide, the way most 12-Meter keels have evolved. But it may have been a case of too much too soon. A year later, other designers had caught up.

The crunch came after the November series, when the team installed a new keel on America II. But the new keel, to their horror, didn't seem to make any difference in boat speed. The 40,000-pound winged appendage was removed and the boat was put back the way it was for the December series.

Langan sped off to New York to rework the numbers. He could work better there and consult with his design team, one that included the grand master of 12-Meter yacht design, Olin Stephens.

There are reports within the syndicate that the keel didn't work because of a computational error in the drawings.

Giants, Browns, in title matchup?

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

And so, with one weekend left in the 1986 NFL regular season, we come down to the projected Super Bowl matchup of the moment:

The New York Giants and Cleveland Browns, rekindling visions of Sam Huff shadowing Jim Brown and Pat Summerall kicking field goals through the snow as the two battled yearly for the title in what was then the NFL's Eastern Conference.

Premature?

Of course.

But what's to keep fans of these two title-starved teams from dreaming.

If the Giants beat Green Bay on Saturday, they will clinch the home-field advantage for the entire playoffs. The last five NFC teams to have earned that honor went all the way to the big one and four of them won it.

Cleveland will also be at home throughout the playoffs if it beats San Diego on Sunday. With the AFC's speed horses — the New York Jets, New England Patriots and (to some extent) the Denver Broncos — gasping for breath at the finish line, the Browns are coming up fast on the outside.

Allowing that two AFC playoff spots have yet to be finalized, here's what the road to Pasadena looks like entering the final week of the regular season:

NFC

"They sure look like a Super Bowl team to me," Cardinals Coach Gene Stallings said after the Giants toyed with his team 27-7 last week. Other football people think the same. "A very, very good team," says Jack Faulkner, director of football operations for the Los Angeles Rams.

But they're no sure thing in a conference where all five playoff teams are legitimate Super Bowl contenders. The Giants have played close to the edge all year and they know it. "A couple of plays one way and we could be 16-0; a few plays the other and we could be 8-8 or 9-7," says guard Billy Ard.

They've also done it against one of the NFL's toughest schedules and did what seemed impossible beforehand — beat San Francisco on the West Coast on a Monday night, then handled Washington relatively easily at RFK Stadium six days later.

In fact, San Francisco and Washington may be New York's biggest obstacles, particularly the Redskins — beating them twice in one season is tough; beating them three times even tougher.

The Bears? The defense is still intimidating, but will the offense be able to steamroll playoff teams they way it did in the fourth quarter against Detroit in another of those three-point victories over mediocre opposition? Without a proven quarterback, probably not.

The Rams may have the same problem. Jim Everett shows all the signs of becoming a Super Bowl quarterback some day. But with less than half a season of NFL experience, how will he react under pressure from the likes of Lawrence Taylor, Dexter Manley or Dan Hampton-Richard Dent.

AFC

Who wants it?

If Notre Dame declines bowl bids, why not the Jets, who are in the playoffs despite four straight losses with a chance of a fifth Sunday in Cincinnati. The same goes for the banged-up Patriots with one difference — if they lose to Miami Monday night, they are likely to miss the playoffs.

The two leading contenders appear to be the two teams (along with the Jets) who have clinched spots — Denver and Cleveland.

The Broncos started 6-0 but are just 5-4 since.

Their running game has faltered, quarterback John Elway has been erratic, and the quick-but-light defense may have become a bit worn by a tough schedule. But with a week off to recover before the first home game and the possiblity of a Mile High Stadium advantage, the Broncos still enter the playoffs as at least a co-favorite.

The Browns have won seven of their last eight, but until Sunday's 34-3 victory in Cincinnati, they had been winning like the Bears — narrowly against mediocre opposition. Still, the mere fact that they've been winning adds to the snowball effect.

"We're gaining confidence as we go along," says tight end Ozzie Newsome, one of the few survivors from Cleveland's 1980 division champions.

Of the rest, Cincinnati's offense makes it dangerous — if it gets in. But it's hard to see a team starting three rookies on defense in the Super Bowl.

The Seahawks might also have a shot — if they make it, they'll be coming in with five straight victories. But their penchant for up-and-down football might bring them down in the playoffs.

The Chiefs are probably a year away; the Raiders a year late and the Jets and Patriots ... Only if you turn the clock back six weeks and bring back the lame.

No OT for Fiesta Bowl

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — The NCAA has officially rejected any suggestion of playing an overtime period if the Jan. 2 Fiesta Bowl football game between No. 1 Miami and No. 2 Penn State for the national championship ends in a tie.

Bruce Skinner, the Fiesta Bowl's executive director, confirmed Tuesday that bowl officials had been notified by the NCAA of its decision against allowing an overtime.

Skinner said the issue isn't necessarily dead, however.

"You know, we may take another run at it," Skinner said. "If the game ends in a tie, I'd like to finish it."

But Skinner added that the Fiesta Bowl had not formally applied to the NCAA for permission to play an overtime period.

"We might ask them and we might get another 'No,'" he said. "Certainly we will do whatever the NCAA decides."

"The answer is very simply no," NCAA spokesman Bob Minnix said Tuesday. "I base that on the NCAA football rules interpretation for this year. Those are simply the rules. They state that an overtime period can only be used in one of two situations. The first is when you have a progressive post-season game situation, a number of teams starting with the quarterfinals, etc. Obviously, in that kind of system you need a winner in each instance.

"Secondly, it could be used if there were a national championship game being played. And even though Penn State-Miami is being viewed as a national championship, as far as the NCAA is concerned, they are just two teams playing in a bowl game. We're viewing the Fiesta Bowl as no more or no less than any other bowl game."

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Reindeer rancher has very small herd

SHERMAN (AP) — Ron Portman might not qualify as one of Texas' greatest ranchers. His entire stock consists of one beast, a 3-year-old Alaskan reindeer named Rudy 2.

And Rudy is more at home in the ranchhouse than he is on the range.

"Rudy's housebroken," Portman explained, "but he's hard on lamps."

An electrician, Portman took temporary leave from an $11 an hour job at a Sherman company to go into the reindeer business. Friends and relatives, Portman admitted, said he also took leave from his senses.

But Portman and Rudy may have the last ho, ho, ho.

Shoppers at Sher-Den mall regularly pay Portman to snap their pictures, posed on a sleigh pulled by Rudy.

Others simply stand and gawk.

"People don't know what to make of Rudy," Portman said.

"They think maybe he's a cow with a tree on its head. Or a Shetland pony that's been worked on."

He bought the 392-pound, 40-inch-high reindeer steer from an Oregon company in July.

And though he won't say how much Rudy cost, "I'm glad I was sitting down when they told me the price."

Rudy, Portman said, will weigh 500 pounds when fully grown. Life expectancy of a reindeer is about 20 years, he added.

The animal spends hot, summer days in an air-conditioned shed and eats about 70 pounds of a special feed mix each week, Portman said.

No novice to reindeer raising, Portman bought a small, 150-pound Asian reindeer — Rudy 1 — from a wildlife park in Grand Prairie several years ago.

"That reindeer had mental problems," said Portman, who lived in Tom Bean at the time.

"One day we came home to find that he'd kicked in the door to our trailer house and was in our bedroom on the bed."

The reindeer escaped one night and farmers still spot it roaming the black land country between Tom Bean and Luella, said Portman, who now lives in Durant, Okla.

Rudy 2, who has been trained to pull a sleigh, is much more manageable, Portman said.

"When we moved to Durant a couple of weeks ago, I was a little worried about what the neighbors might think. And I could imagine what they'd say: 'Yeah, the new neighbors are weird. They've got a reindeer.'

"So I went around and asked them if they'd mind a reindeer in my backyard. They were excited about the idea."

Portman is so pleased with Rudy that he's thinking of adding eight calves to his "ranch" — a 100 by 100-foot backyard lot in Durant.

"I'm trying to talk my wife into it now," Portman said.

"I keep telling her it'll work. There are no reindeer down in this part of the country."

Portman hopes to eventually breed calves by artificial insemination. He would sell the offspring to individuals and exhibit reindeer sled teams during the Christmas season, perhaps in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Pre-holiday holdups 'routine' in L.A.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Robbers strike Southern California banks so often that the traditional pre-holiday holdup spree is hardly noticeable in "the bank robbery capital of the world," authorities say.

The "Marx Brothers," a pair of armed robbers nicknamed for the disguises they usually wear, made headlines last week by forcing 10 bank customers and employees into a vault and making off with about $90,000. It was their 11th bank robbery in 2½ years.

Largely unnoticed, however, were most of the 39 other heists last week at banks and savings and loans in the seven counties that form the FBI's Central District. By Friday, authorities had arrested five people, including a man who robbed four banks in three hours, FBI spokesman Fred Reagan said.

"If there's been no bank robberies (on a working day) then something's terribly wrong," Reagan said. For years, law enforcers had at least one holdup to deal with every workday.

"Just after the (1984) Olympics we had one (workday) when there wasn't a robbery, but we haven't had any since," said Reagan.

By the end of last week, there had been 1,212 bank or savings and loan robberies this year — an average of five per workday — in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties. Last year, there were 1,050 holdups.

"We'll top last year by a couple hundred, maybe more," Reagan said. "December will be higher than some months...but I don't think there's an inordinate pre-Christmas increase."

The total amount of money taken wasn't available. But Reagan said the average haul is $2,300, which adds up to almost $2.8 million.

Last year, almost one-fifth of the country's 5,427 bank robberies occurred in the Central District, which also accounted for nearly two-thirds of California's 1,806 bank robberies.

The second most popular state with bank bandits was New York, which had 432 robberies, followed by Florida with 424 and Oregon with 214, according to FBI statistics.

"For whatever reason, this federal district is the bank robbery capital of the world," said U.S. Attorney Robert Bonner.

"One reason might be that we have such a staggering number of bank robberies prosecuted in the Central District that it may seem something like old hat for judges here, whereas bank robberies in other parts of the country are so few and far between that federal judges take them very seriously" and impose harsher sentences, Bonner said.

Convicted armed bank robbers face a maximum sentence of 25 years in prison. Unarmed robbers face up to 20 years.

But the average sentence handed down for the crime in the Central District was 9½ years for the 12 months ending June 30, 1985, said Allan McLean, deputy chief probation officer for the region's federal courts.

The average jail time imposed has decreased gradually since 1982, when it was nearly 12 years, but Bonner said most bank robbers do go to prison.

"We just aren't getting sentences as lengthy as they were 10 or 15 years ago, when sentences of 18 and 21 years were almost routinely handed down," he said.

The high number of branch banks in the area, an extensive freeway system and good weather all year also probably contribute to the excessive number of robberies, authorities said.

"Our freeway system is very widespread and we have something like 3,200 branch banks, so when you combine those two it means a guy can make a quick hit and be back on the freeway in a split," Reagan said.

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Conjuction of Jupiter, Mars will form this year's 'Christmas star'

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) — This week's conjunction of two of the brightest planets will form a Christmas star, according to an astronomer who says the original Star of Bethlehem could have resulted from a similar event.

Jupiter and Mars will appear to come as close as the diameter of the full moon Thursday night, University of Florida astronomer Alex Smith said Tuesday.

"It's even neat that this one precedes Christmas by a week," Smith said, "Presumably the real Star of Bethlehem did something similar to lead the three Magi, two millenia ago."

Astronomers have offered other theories to explain the Star of Bethlehem. Some have suggested that it could have been a comet, and others have guessed it may have been an exploding star, or supernova.

The works of Chinese astronomers from 2,000 years ago don't record any supernovas, and Halley's comet passed near Earth in 11 B.C., but astronomers generally believe the Star was a planetary conjunction, Smith said.

Astronomers using computer simulations found that Jupiter and Saturn had three conjunctions in 7 B.C., and Jupiter and Venus had one in 2 B.C., he said.

While planetary conjunctions are not rare, Thursday's will be the brightest of 1986, Smith said. Jupiter will be a large, bright, yellowish-white object, while Mars will be smaller and red.

"You can tell planets from stars because planets generally shine with a steady light while stars twinkle. And if you're still not sure, just remember that besides the moon, Jupiter will be the brightest thing in the Southern sky," he said.

Early departure of Santa leads to mall melee

WOODBURY, N.J. (AP) — The spirit was hardly that of Christmas after Santa Claus left a photo session early, starting a melee in which an elf reportedly made an obscene gesture and a man was accused of making terroristic threats.

"What went wrong," said Alan Wexler, whose company operated the photo service, "went very, very wrong."

Sunday night's disturbance occurred at the Deptford Mall, outside Philadelphia, when the unidentified Santa Claus left four minutes early, with more than 15 people still waiting for their children to be photographed.

"Santa had to go back to the North Pole," Deptford police Lt. Steve Moylan said in a telephone interview Tuesday. "We weren't called in until the fiasco was way out of hand. There was a lot of yelling and screaming."

John Perdikouris, a mall security guard, filed a complaint Monday accusing Michael DeCample of Lindenwold of making terroristic threats, said Deptford police Lt. Larry Ek. A court appearance was scheduled for Jan. 21.

DeCample was among the parents waiting in line with their children. An elf told them Santa would be leaving at 5:45 p.m. However, he left at 5:41 p.m.

One father told police an elf made an obscene gesture when he complained.

Witnesses told police DeCample followed the Santa to the management office to find out the reason behind the early departure.

A few minutes later, police responded to a call that DeCample was chasing two security guards with a pipe used to support a rope barrier around the display, police said.

A shouting match erupted between DeCample and about a dozen township and mall officers, police said.

Wexler, president of Cherry Hill Photo Inc., said Tuesday he did not know if reports of the elf's obscene hand gesture were true. "If it did happen, a person must have been provoked beyond a reasonable doubt," he said.

Once everything quieted down, Allen Oliver, a photographer for the Gloucester County Times, was detained by an unidentified mall security officer.

The guard grabbed Oliver and demanded he turn over the film used to photograph the melee. Oliver refused, but Deptford police declined to arrest him.

No one from mall management returned phone calls Tuesday.

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Quality selection of Ninja skooters, BMX bikes, and freestyle bikes. Parts selection. Assembly and experienced repairs of all makes.
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HANDCRAFTED LOCALLY
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Give The Gift of Homemade Goodies This Year.
☆Fudge;
☆Pumpkin, Banana, or Yeast breads;
☆Bread baskets,
☆Party trays,
☆Jams, Sugar cookies, Divinity,
☆Fruit cake, Peanut butter cups, and
☆Chocolate covered cherries.
Or give a darling edible GINGERBREAD HOUSE (good for centerpiece). Everything tastefully giftwrapped.
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1212 West 10th Street
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Monday - Saturday
10:00 to 5:00
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Nice selection at affordable prices!

SANTA CLAUS ...IS COMING TO TOWN
Send our Santa to your children and watch their faces glow...
Send our Santa to your parties to get them on a roll...
Call today and book the date... So Santa won't be late!
ABRA-KADABRA
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OVER 60 DEALERS!!
'IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AT THE MALL'
Bicycles, tricycles, trucks, helicopters, cars, dolls, talking bears, skating bears, Watches, jewelry, wood items, ceramics, white ware, miniatures, Shadow boxes, Christmas trees and decorations, Crafts and more!!
FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY
7715 ANDREWS HWY.
ODESSA (915) 366-8185
Sign up for the TV to be given away December 21, 1986.

GIVE A Gift From You
gift certificate
CHEAPY CAR CARE
699-1772
4400 W. HWY. 80 (BER. RD.)

COMPLETE DETAIL
WASH-VAC-WAX
BUFF-SHAMPOO
INTERIOR-STEAM
CLEAN ENGINE
$95.00

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Midland's People To People Market Place

CLASSIFIED OFFICE HOURS: Mon.-Fr. 8 a.m.-6 p.m.
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CALL
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50 LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INCORPORATE GOING BUSINESS.

Notice is hereby given that Hiebert, Cihonski & Co., doing business heretofore as a general partnership in Midland, Texas, will cease doing business as a general partnership on December 31,1986. Beginning January 1, 1987, the above named business shall be continued in the name of Hiebert, Cihonski & Co., P.C., a Texas professional corporation, at Midland, Texas, and certain assets of the business will be transferred to the corporation which will assume certain outstanding debts.

This notice is given pursuant to Article 1302 2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act, Section 6.103(7) of the Texas Business & Commerce Code, and Section 35 of Article 6132b of the Texas Civil Statutes.

Paul A. Hiebert, Partner
December 10,17,24,31, 1986.

Classified Advertising

LEGAL NOTICE
Sealed Bid or Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. December 39, 1986 to be opened at 3:00 P.M. December 30, 1986 in the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Midland, Texas, for the following Bid or Bids:

Bid #69-97 to purchase:
± 14 7/8 x 11 Greenbar Computer Paper for the Municipal Warehouse.

Information for bidders, proposal forms and specifications, may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Midland, Texas.

The City of Midland, Texas, reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities. The City shall determine the most tageous bid for the City and accept the proposal of the responsible party submitting the best and/or most advantageous bid or reject any and all bids.
Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas
December 19, 16, 1986

110 LODGE NOTICES

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Stated meeting Friday, December 19, 1986. Covered dish dinner 7:00pm. Business meeting 8:00. All nobles and their ladies invited. Max Domino, President, Ron Yeager, Secretary.

DAYLIGHT LODGE
Midland Centennial Lodge U. D. A. F. & A. M., 1000 Upland St., 694-3293. Stated meetings first and third Saturday of each month. 8:30 AM. Breakfast served 7:30 AM. Grand Master present- Constitute Lodge December 20, 1986 at 8AM. W.H. Bowen, W. M., H.S. Ellion Secretary.

Acacia Lodge No. 1414 A.F. & A.M., 1000 Upland St. Regular stated meetings every 2nd & 4th Tues. 7:30 pm. Annual family Christmas dinner December 22nd, 7:00pm. Joe Agan, W. M. Max Domino, Secretary.

120 PUBLIC NOTICES

LOSE weight before the holidays. Call SuZann at 699-0470.

The Chaparral Beauty Shop
4311 West Illinois
We have been at this location for 10 years. Thank you for dropping by to see us. We are not in the Yellow Pages this year as an overnight, so keep this number "694-8886". There are 4 operators to serve you. THIS AD IS WORTH $10 OFF YOUR NEXT PERM, NEW CUSTOMERS ONLY.

THURSDAY'S LTD. COLLECTION, 5000 Andrews Highway, will be open Thursdays AND Fridays till Christmas. 10-7. Lots of gifts! Come see us! Bev, Charlie, Susie, (Tom's Tree House building).

130 PERSONALS

LOOKING for the perfect gift for your boss or husband on that special occasion? Send a Bellygram or Hulagram! 699-0885.

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

VILLAGE
CAR WASH AND AUTO CARE CENTER
Professional Detail Center
Where you get a superior job at an affordable price.
SPECIAL FOR DECEMBER
SIMONIZE PASTE WAX
Reg. $39.95 NOW $29.95
Extra charge for Vans and Pickups-Free Estimate
604 Andrews Hwy.
Call for your appointment
684-9485

130 PERSONALS

DRINKING problem in your life? Call Midland Council on Alcoholism, 682-4721. 24 hour service.

SANTA Claus, Frosty Snowman, Christmas tree and all occasion costume rental. Costumes by Dorothy, 694-7687.

I, Robert Stalvey, a previous Partner of S. S. & W. Partnership, will not be responsible for any debts incurred before or after December 3, 1986, other than those incurred by myself, personally.

RENT-A-SANTA! Charities Benefit. December 18th through December 23rd. $25 per visit. Schedule Santa's visit now. Call Mrs. Grant before 5pm, 684-6653. After 5pm, 694-1233.

NEED 100 OVERWEIGHT PEOPLE TO TRY OUR HERBAL WEIGHT CONTROL PROGRAM. NO DRUGS, NO EXERCISE, 100% GUARANTEED. CALL 685-1423.

BETA MOVIES
Close out sale on over 340 titles. Will sell $15.00 each or make deal on entire stock. Come by:
FREDDIE'S INSTANT SHOPPING
1301 E. FRONT685-1001

160MONEY LOANS WANTED

NEED MONEY
Professional money finder, $2,000 to $200,000,000. Nationwide sources, mortgage, personal, business, debt consolidation. New ventures. Call:
(915) 683-0087

130 PERSONALS

The West Texas Chapter of AIRLIFE LINE of TEXAS, Inc. flys emergency medical missions transporting blood, tissue, donor organs for transplant patients, doctors and technicians at no charge or cost to the public. For information call Odessa 333-2800.

SANTA'S HELPER
RUSHED FOR TIME? Let Santa's Helper assemble all those toys and small furniture items that will be under the tree Christmas day. Reasonable rates. Call:
SANTA'S HELPER
684-9015

150 LOST & FOUND

REWARD! For the return of one gold and black onyx bracelet, lost in or around the Civic Center, Tuesday, December 9th. 682-2620.

LOST: grey tabby cat, male adult, collar and name tags. Last seen in vicinity of 2500 block Shell Street. Large reward. 682-7551.

FOUND: Have you lost a big yellow cat, seems to be housecat. Vicinity of 3200 Boyd. 694-5286

MALE black Lab, answers to Buster, lost in vicinity of Garfield and Neely. 682-7208 or 688-1624.

LOST: Two young boys Christmas gift. White American Husky dog around Ward and Neely Street. Please call 683-0053.

LOST: Female West Highland Terrier, white, tags with wrong address. North of Wadley. Call 685-1994.

LOST: Goldish male Pomeranian, six years old. Between Shandon and Wadley. Reward! Call 683-7441.

FOUND: Small apricot and white long haired female mixed dog. Narrow white collar. 4300 block of Mercedes. Please call 697-1630.

FOUND White puppy, 8-10 weeks old, looks like Spitz. Ward & Wadley, 682-6017, 682-3349.

FOUND: female Aussie-mix, white/ tan about two years old. Wearing Lubbuck tag, found Saddle Club Apartments. Animal Control 683-2941.

170 SCHOOLS-INSTRUCTIONS

SEMI-DRIVER TRAINING
- DOT Certification
- National Job Placement
- Correspondence/Resident Training
- Eligible Institution for Federal Aid, Guaranteed Student Loans

Call Collect 915-333-7080
810 N. Dixie Odessa, TX
UNITED TRUCK MASTER
Home Office Clearwater, FL

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WE Buy Scrap Gold, Silver, old coins and coin collections. We pay top dollar in cash! Village Coin Shop, #19 Village Circle. 685-1711.

TOP $dollars$ for diamonds, old gold, estate pieces, strictly confidential. Call 699-5167.

CASH paid for 1st and 2nd lien real estate notes, trust deeds or mortgages call 915-368-7402 for fast quote.

NOW BUYING
Diamonds, Rolexes, Old Gold, Silver, Coins, Silver Flatware. Top prices. WILLIAM'S JEWELRY EXCHANGE IN THE ATRIUM,SAN MIGUEL SQ. 694-7127

170 SCHOOLS-INSTRUCTIONS

PERMIAN BASIN HIGH SCHOOL
- Private Instruction
- Grades 7-12
- Regular School Semesters
- General and College Preparatory
- Tutoring Available

Enrollment Information
(915)683-4448

ENROLL NOW
Learn in 6 months; Truck Driving (10 weeks); Auto Body Repair; Auto Mechanics; A/C - Heat - Refrigeration; Welding; Domestic Appliance (Survey); Apartment & building maintenance (Survey); Diesel Mechanics (Survey); Day & night classes - Placement Assistance - Financial Assistance. Call (915) 655-3420 collect or write for information. Concho Career Institute, 706 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas 76904.

ACADEMIC COUNSELING & ENRICHMENT CENTER
Offers a total approach to improve your child's academic performance.
Pre-School - Grade 12
FREE INITIAL CONSULTATION
Financial Assistance Available
CALL: 683-7824

205 EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

NEED MAJOR MEDICAL INSURANCE WHILE YOU'RE BETWEEN JOBS? WE WRITE SHORT TERM MEDICAL FOR 30 TO 180 DAYS. CALL LARRY CRAWFORD, MIDLAND INSURANCE. 686-8627.

HIRING! Federal Government jobs in your area and over seas. Many immediate openings without waiting list or tests. $15-$68,000. Phone call refundable. (602) 838-8885 EXT. 254.

210 General Help Wanted

REALTY Unlimited is looking for licensed selling agents. Excellent commission splits, training program, fringe benefits. Contact Cindy Brown, Broker-/Realtor, 694-6801.

WEEKLY cash bonuses with good pay for marketing. Telephone work at home. Call 694-2205.

DENTAL assistant needed. Experienced in all phases of Dentistry. Busy Progressive office. Call 685-3014

MACHINIST WANTED
For automotive type machine work with extensive lathe and mill experience or tool and die quality Machinist capable of very precision machine work.
Only qualified Machinist need apply! Send resume to: BOXU-2 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

NEED a responsible non-smoking Christian woman to care for 2 children in my home Monday through Friday. Transportation required, references requested. Send resume to P. O. Box 81269, Midland, TX 79705.

EXPERIENCED O R CIRCULATOR (RN) every other weekend (Friday 6 pm to Sunday 10 pm). Furnished apartment and beeper provided. Call Donna Bechthold, RN, Director of Nursing. (915) 447-3551 ext. 215.

TRINITY TOWERS MANOR PARK
Has openings for CNA, 7 to 3 shift. Excellent benefits, make application at office.
2208 N. Loop 250 West
No Phone Calls!

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Immediate entry-level opening in the Amarillo area for a career minded individual. Self-motivated, creative person needed to do community organization work. Will cover a 10 county area and work with volunteer boards and committees. Some night work and limited travel. Applicant must be organized, enthusiastic and competitive. Excellent benefits. Degree preferred. Submit resume by Dec. 22 to:
Association
909 E. San Antonio
El Paso, Texas, 79901

MIDLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND EQUITY
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1986

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	August 31, 1986
Revenues:					
Local, Intermediate, Out-Of-State (Excluding Non-revenue Receipts)	$35,368,518	$1,013	$3,898,154	$105,033	$39,372,718
State Program Revenues	18,837,551	-	-	-	18,837,551
Federal Program Revenues (Note D)	1,782,461	2,011,657	-	-	3,794,118
Total Revenues	55,988,530	2,012,670	3,898,154	105,033	62,004,387
Expenditures:					
Instruction	30,701,288	1,649,470	-	10,392	32,361,150
Instructional Administration	1,162,173	134,283	-	-	1,296,456
Instructional Resources and Media Services	1,010,426	-	-	-	1,010,426
School Administration	2,897,762	11,478	-	-	2,909,240
Communication and Dissemination	61,467	-	-	-	61,467
Guidance and Counseling Services	919,385	72,414	-	-	991,799
Attendance and Social Work Services	133,685	38,129	-	-	171,814
Health Services	195,204	28,858	-	-	224,062
Pupil Transportation - Regular	1,626,790	663	-	-	1,627,453
Pupil Transportation - Exceptional Children	406,889	-	-	-	406,889
Co-curricular Activities	889,594	-	-	-	889,594
Food Services	3,187,389	6,395	-	-	3,193,784
General Administration	3,021,292	54,121	-	12,463	3,087,876
Debt Service	-	-	3,813,084	-	3,813,084
Plant Maintenance and Operation	7,282,854	1,958	-	1,427,517	8,712,329
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	-	-	-	132,749	132,749
Community Services	17,810	14,901	-	-	32,711
Total Expenditures	53,514,008	2,012,670	3,813,084	1,583,121	60,922,883
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Resources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	2,474,522	-	85,070	(1,478,088)	1,081,504
Beginning Fund Equity	10,740,836	-	700,494	1,709,347	13,150,677
Increase in Reserve for Commodities Inventory	82,507	-	-	-	82,507
Ending Fund Equity	$13,297,865	$ -	$785,564	$231,259	$14,314,688

WHO'S WHO FOR SERVICE



Air Conditioning Service

LIPPES Air Conditioning, Heating, Refrigeration. Service all makes and models. 24 hour service. LICENSED AND INSURED! 689-7183.

JETER'S SERVICE FIRST. Commercial, Residential. Lennox Air Conditioning. Installation & Service. 563-0104.

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REPAIR Service on GE, Hotpoint, Whirlpool and Kenmore washers, dryers and dishwashers. 694-5782.

Beauty And Health

SCULPTURED nails, $20. Call for appointment. 689-6907

Bookkeeping & Taxes

BILL Green Accounting Services. Income taxes and bookkeeping for individuals or corporations. 697-3751.

BOOKKEEPING and Income Tax Services, reasonable rates. Available seven days a week. Terry Evans, CPA 697-6489 or 686-9374.

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Carpentry & Cabinets

FREE estimates! Kitchen, bathroom remodeling. Formica and refacing old cabinets. Please call "Rivas Cabinet Shop" at 682-6181. After 6:00, 697-6832.

Carpet Install. & Cleaning

CARPET repairs. Carpet and vinyl installation. Experienced at reasonable prices. All work guaranteed. Call 682-2754.

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EXPERT watch repair, 45 years experience. "Batteries installed while you wait" Buddy's Watch Shop, #9 Dellwood Mall, 697-5709.

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Concrete Work

Y'ALL Need Stucco, brick, concrete, framing. No job too small! Insured and bonded. 683-7859 Freddie.

ALL Types of Concrete work. Twenty years experience in the Midland area. Call 686-8879, 682-1175 estimates.

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DIRT, caliche, driveway rock, trash hauling. Reasonable rates, you call, we haul! 683-9385.

DUMP Truck and Tractor: Top soil and Field Dirt, Leveling, Discing and Shredding. Call 694-4832.

DOZER and maintainer, grubing, raking, fire guards, right- of- ways. All types of dirt work, small and large tracts. Call 682-0366.

WILL do any kind of dirt work and haul caliche. Deliver field dirt and pick up trash, grubbing and raking. Roy Rogers. 682-7843 or 682-7548

BL backhoe, dozer, dump trucks, top-soil, caliche, lots, alleys, discing, shredding, septic systems. 687-4876.

Electric Service

PEARCE Electric, licensed, bonded, insured, commercial, residential. Ceiling fans, service calls. 687-0974.

ELECTRICAL work wanted. No job too small. Ceiling fans. Most reasonable rates in town. 699-4790.

KREGER Electric Company. Licensed, bonded, insured. Ceiling fans, lights, plugs added, additions, commercial, residential. 684-4836.

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CHIMNEY sweep: Sir Giles Chimney Sweep: affordable cleaning, free inspections, call anytime 561-9616.

Fences

GENERAL repair. Wood - chain link fence repair - painting. Free estimates. 685-1412, 7am till ?, Midland.

LABRO Rodriquez. Qualified for all fencing and repairs. 30 years experience. Free estimates. 682-4015, 1309 E. Jax.

Furniture Refinishing

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Interior Design

ABSTRACT graphic murals. Walls, ceilings, canvas, etc. Local references. Call Z. Portas Graphic Designs, 689-0725.

Home Repairs, Remodeling

FINANCING for home improvements 11% $3,000 - $30,000 for carports, storage buildings, room additions, remodeling. Call Econ Building Systems 689-8220.

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☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

DON'S Home Repair. Painting, vinyl floor covering, dry wall, acoustic ceilings, ceramic tile, carpentry. Free estimates. Call 684-4608.

HOME Repairs Service: For all those small repairs around your home or office. Carpentry, plumbing, glass, electrical. Call Rick 694-2047 or 682-2966.

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COMPLETE remodeling and repair, additions, patios, doors, etc. Guaranteed quality work. References. Call Jerry, 683-5836.

CERAMIC tile installed, bathroom remodels, floors. All work guaranteed, free estimates. Call 689-6540.

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JOHNNY'S Home Improvement and Repair Shop: Welcome small jobs. Painting, ceramic tile and carpetry. Call 563-1517.

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Ironing

LET us give you a break, cleaning and ironing done. Reasonable rates. 697-4940 or 699-5634.

"NEAT-As-A-Pin" Ironing Service. Non-smoker. Convenient location, reasonable rates. Call 699-2022.

IRONING done in my home. Non-smoker. 697-5226.

Janitorial Service

CRYSTAL Janitorial Service: offices, commercial, residential. Free estimates. Local references. Call 683-1034.

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YOU can depend on Reliable Cleaning Service to care for your home weekly, bi-weekly or monthly. References. Call 697-1545.

CHRISTIAN'S Cleaning Service. Homes, offices, apartments, move-outs. Reasonable rates. Call Cheryl at 685-3516.

Janitorial Service

"LET US DO YOUR CLEANING" Residential, Weekly & Spring Cleaning. Insured & Bonded. "CLEAN MASTER" Call 697-5274.

CAN'T be beat! Will clean two bedrooms $25, three bdrooms $35. Call after 3:00, 689-7631.

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IF you need your home cleaned before or after the holidays call 699-7456. Reasonable rates.

"EVER-READY Maid Service" 1609 S. Main. Phone 687-6009. Need help during holidays!!! Call us...Special rates during holidays.

Lawn & Garden Service

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320 Trucks and Vans

NOTICE of public sale: A public sale will be held on December 22, 1986 at 10:00 A.M. at Hobbs Trailers, 11705 W. Hwy. 80, Odessa for (1) 1985 Hobbs 42 ft. platform trailer. For information call 563-0923.

1986 black Chevrolet Pickup with chrome roll bar, side railings, push bar, running boards, fancy wheels and more!! 4,800 miles. Asking $12,800. Call 915-263-7713, Big Spring.

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1984 Silverado Pickup, 305 V-8, 4-speed automatic, power windows and door locks, tilt, cruise, dual tanks, captains seats, Alpine deck and Seven Band Alpine Equalizer, mag wheels, chrome headache rack and bed rails, 43,000 miles. $1000 equity and assume note. See at West Wall Fina. 687-3066.

1983 Chevy Silverado. Loaded with options including air conditioning, mags, chrome, tool box and Alpine stereo system. $7500. 697-2088.

1983 Chevrolet 1 ton crew cab. 4 wheel drive dually. 67,000 miles. Custom paint and interior, chrome wheels. $8,500 or best offer. 561-8318

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1982 Chevrolet Heavy Half ton Custom Deluxe: air conditioning, 68,000 miles, $4000. 687-5140.

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1982 Suburban Silverado, new engine, new tires, new transmission, am/fm cassette, front and rear air conditioning, $5,200 Firm. 694-8938.

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320 Trucks and Vans

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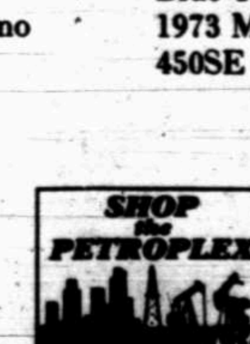
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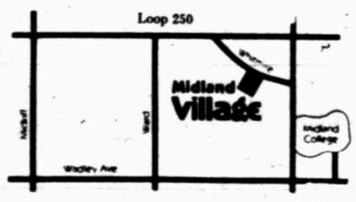
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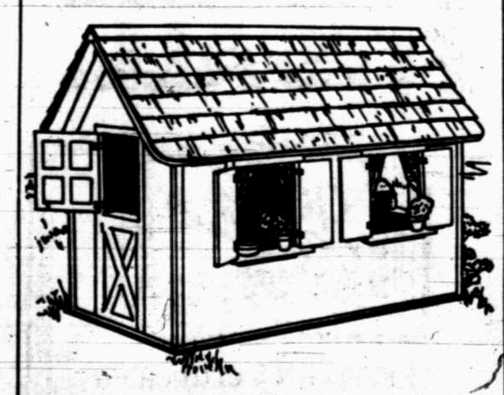
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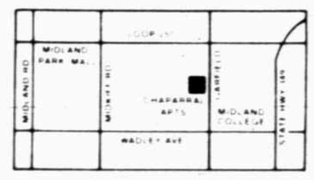
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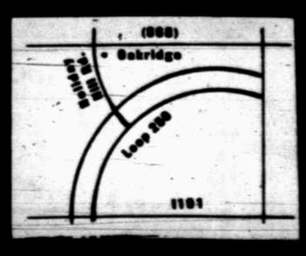
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LARGE 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 2 living areas, washer/ dryer connections, fenced yard. See at 2208 West College. $325 rent, $125 deposit. Call 697-3827.

NICE one bedroom house with carport. Recently remodeled, walking distance to downtown. $175 plus bills, $100 deposit. 685-4079.

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Over 2200 sq. ft. in this 2 bedroom, 2 bath, huge den, living, dining, etc. Good storage, drive by 800 W. Storey and you can rent or lease all of this for only $350 per month.
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3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, large living area with fireplace, nice kitchen with built-ins. Beautiful landscaping with swimming pool. Rusk, Goddard, Lee area. 8:30 to 5:30 call 694-1666. Evenings and weekends 694-4720.

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$350 monthly, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, carport, appliances, fenced yard. 2602 Kessler, 694-9853

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3 bedroom, like new, fenced, ceiling fans, central heat/ air, $295. 1608 East Pine. 699-4127.

NEW listing: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 2 living areas. 4522 Comanche. $300 /$150 deposit. 694-6838.

THREE bedroom house. Lease or lease purchase. Fresh paint, carpeted, central heat and air, microwave, dishwasher. Fenced backyard, excellent neighborhood. Only one block from school. Call 697-3115 8:00 to 6:00. Ask for Terry.

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IDEAL location: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area. Electric range, washer dryer connections, large fenced backyard. $475 monthly plus deposit. 694-9778.

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3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living area, carpets, fireplace, covered patio, fenced, garage. 4325 Douglas. 697-2323.

3 bedroom, 1 bath, carpets, fenced. 509 Devonian. 697-2323.

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Emerson, Goddard, Midland College area. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, with formal dining. Cozy paneled den with wood burning fireplace. Rear entry, double garage with electric openers. Freshly painted with new carpet and vinyl. KimberLea pool and tennis membership available.
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HOUSE for rent: 3302 Golf Course: 1 acre land, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, $650 monthly. $300 deposit. 694-8166.

FOR LEASE
4306 Ferncliff: 2 bd, 2 ba, 2 car gar. $600 per mo. with $600 security deposit.
1001 Louisiana: 3 bd, 2 ba, 2 car gar. $700 per mo. $350 deposit.
2505 Haynes: 3 bd, 2 ba, 2 car carport. $550 per mo. $350 security deposit.
5102 Rainbow: 3 bd, 2 ba, 1 garage, 1 carport. $550 per mo. $350 security.
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2706 W. Washington Avenue. Two bedroom, one bath, carpeted. No bills paid. Large fenced yard. $275 monthly, $100 deposit. For information call 1-804-491-8928 after 5:00 PM.

NEAT 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, fenced, garage. Available second week in January. $450 monthly.

Executive home. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, double garage on 1.42 acres, pool, fruit and pecan trees. $960 monthly. Dene Kelly Inc., Realtors Apartment Placement. Ask for Willa Dean Berry, 687-2384, evenings 683-5450.

ONE bedroom duplex at 703 North D. $150 per month, $50 deposit. 682-4281 or 694-8606.

SINGLE or couple. 2624 Franklin. 1 bedroom, appliances, refrigerated air, carpeted, fenced. Shown by appointment. $225 plus deposit. 694-0870.

TWO Bedroom Townhouse, Vaulted ceiling, breakfast bar, appliances, washer/ dryer connections, fenced courtyard. $340. 123-A North Glennwood. 697-0785, Please, no phone calls after 8!

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$425 on Ric: 3 bedrooms, 2 living areas, Hollywood bath, wood paneling, range. 685-3327

DUPLEX: 2009 West Louisiana, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, refrigerator and stove, 1 bedroom furnished, washer/ dryer connections, covered parking, Adults preferred. 682-7250, 683-3013

4606 Pleasant Drive. $475. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, $100 deposit. 687-0879

NICE! 2 bedroom, 1 bath with attached garage and fenced yard. $[illegible]50 per month plus deposit. Call 683-[illegible]78 or 682-0569.

NICE and clean three bedroom, bath and ½ duplex. Reasonable price. 4323-A W. Storey. 699-0178.

FOR rent: Three bedroom, one bath, two car garage. $350 per month, $100 deposit. Located on County Road 130-W. South of I-20. Call 683-6664, after 7:00 call 697-4642.

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3 bedrooms (4th possible) 2 living areas, dining room, Hollywood bath. $400. 685-3327

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DUPLEX
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LASALLE-3bd, 2ba 550
WATSON-3bd, 2ba, 500 dep 500
DOUGLAS-2bd, 1ba 450
STOREY-3bd, 2ba, 350 dep 400
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630 Houses Furnished & Unfurnished

NEW listing. Executive's house, 2615 Maxwell. Pool, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths separate dining room and more. Excellent condition. $900 monthly. Call 563-2092 9 to 5, 683-8943 after 5.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurnished

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645 Condos & Townhouses Furnished & Unfurnished

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County Road 1140 North. 2 bedroom, water furnished, $250 monthly, deposit required. 683-5161.

NICE two bedroom in nice park. Water furnished. Pool! Call 687-5051.

TWO bedroom, two bath mobile home. Washer /dryer, stove, refrigerator and dishwasher furnished. Central air and heat, water and lot free. $150 deposit, $350 monthly. Call 689-7792.

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✓ for next 6 months
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Close to I-20 near downtown, 5 miles from Airport
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670 Warehouses and Storage Area

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OFFICE Warehouse Combinations: 1200, 2000, 2800, 4800, 7200, 9600, 11,000 sq.ft. Nice offices, fenced yards, good locations. 683-6927, 694-8759.

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670 Warehouses and Storage Area

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FOR rent! Metal Warehouse. 20X48. 800 West Pennsylvania. $120 monthly. Call 683-6639, after 5:00.

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3 bedroom house, 2 baths. Cedar Creek area. $70 per night for 4. Call 686-8293.

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685-0881

BY owner, beautiful 2 story Victorian, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 formal areas, 5 acres, barn and smokehouse. Appraised at $150,000. Selling $85,000 firm. Adjacent to Country Club. 756-2078 Stanton

NO credit check! Non-qualifying assumable. $1,900 equity, payments $826. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 4305 Country Club, 697-8308.

PRICE reduced: 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, 2 living areas, dining. Large backyard with storage, playhouse, covered patio. Next to city park. Save realtors' fee, $56,900. 703 Alpine. 697-1077.

BY owner; 3 bedroom, 2 bath, nice neighborhood. Vaulted and cathedral ceilings, skylights. Large yard, 2½ car garage, wet bar. DI water, 5 year old central heat & air conditioning. Fireplace, lots of built-ins, new paint inside and out. New insulated window. Totally remodeled at 2400 sq. ft. Circle Drive, clear storey windows. $79,500. Make appointment on answering machine. 406 E. Broadway, 684-7470.

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You'll love living in this neighborhood. So will your kids! 3Br. 2Ba. 2 car garage and priced in the 80's. Great buy for this location. Close to schools, parks, & shopping. Call Tish Duncan.
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NOTHING down: 5216 Rio Grande: by owner. Newer three bedroom, two bath, brick home. Garage, fenced yard. Fireplace. Large kitchen, including major appliances. Take over VA assumable loan. 689-6760.

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This custom built home has Mexican tile in kitchen & den. 3Br. 3½Ba. 2La. Large seq. MBR with his & hers bath. Priced in the 70's. Contact Jana Iverson.
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FRESH paint on this pretty 2 bedroom with central air and heat. Also guest cottage or income property. Fenced yard. Can be bought with little down payment and low monthly payments. $49,500.
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BY owner large Austin Stone approximately 2,500 square feet livable, lots of extras! Total price $68,500. See at 2500 West Cuthbert. 683-2423.

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Elegant living at Greentree Country Club. Beautiful custom home with huge master with fireplace and sitting area. Large open kitchen with island and breakfast bar. All the custom features.
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Into better quarters with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, tile fence and workshop. Lovely area and priced in the 60's.
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Two large living areas, 3 bedroom with sequestered master, country kitchen and all of this space priced in the 30's.
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LET THE RENT PAY
Your payment. Extra nice duplex with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths on each side. Good location in North Midland.
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Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath home plus 2 living areas. Lovely entry! Located in Northgate and priced to sell.
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Own a cute home for only $37,500. 3 bedrooms, corner lot with 2 living areas. CALL HELEN MASON, Associate, evenings, 694-0247.
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2 story home on 1.26 acres with 4 bedrooms, 2-½ baths with fireplace and some remodeling in progress. Priced right at $47,000.
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Take a look at this great 3 bedroom home in Wilshire Park. Lots of new and priced in the 40's. CALL KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.
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SOMETHING SPECIAL
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Owner is ready to talk! How about you? Lovely Bill Hickey townhouse featuring 3 br, 2 baths, 2 car garage w/opener, ceiling fans, fireplace, low maintenance yard and more. Ask for
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FOR sale by Owner. 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, 1 car garage, carport, Westside, large lot with trees. Many extras! Call for appointment. $68,000. 699-1243.

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