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Sitting near a rose she placed in the sand at Smith Point beach in Fire Island, N.Y., a woman mourns the loss of some of her friends July 26, 1996, who were part of the TWA flight 800 flight crew. With families of victims looking on, the FBI announced in New York Tuesday, that the criminal investigation of the crash found no proof that terrorism brought down the ill-fated flight and that it was ending its criminal investigation. Story page 12A

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Witnesses, survivors describe carnage, singing terrorists at Egyptian monument

By Laura King
Associated Press

LUXOR, Egypt (AP) — Face down in ancient holy dust sticky with her own blood, Rosemarie Dousse heard a woman's urgent whisper. "Stay still! They're coming back!"

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Pinned by the weight of a wounded tourist atop her, bleeding from gunshot wounds to her arm and leg, the 65-year-old Swiss did what she could to save herself from the murderous rampage of Islamic militants at the great colonnaded temple of daring Queen Hatshepsut.

"I hid myself under the heavy man. I soaked my head scarf in the blood and got blood everywhere, had my head completely hidden, and I stopped moving. ...

"The terrorists kept coming back. ... Then they started again shooting those who were still alive in the head," Mrs. Dousse said from her hospital bed in a Cairo suburb. "They were dancing and singing."

Firsthand accounts Tuesday of the attack the day before at Luxor, in which 58 foreign tourists, four Egyptians and six terrorists were killed, tell of bullets and

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Swiss Foreign Minister Flavio Cotti, center, and Egyptian Foreign Minister Amr Moussa, left, during a visit to Cairo's military hospital Tuesday, as they speak with Rosemarie Dousse, a Swiss citizen who was wounded Monday in an attack by Islamic militants at the Hatshepsut Temple in Luxor.

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Clinton fortifies Gulf presence

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Lt. Mark Tankersley of Midland visually checks the missiles on his F-14 "Tomcat," Tuesday, as part of his pre-flight inspection onboard The USS Nimitz. Nimitz and her embarked Carrier Air Wing Nine are currently operating in the Persian Gulf. The missile at top is an air to air intercept missile and the other an "AIM54C" long range Phoenix air to air missile.

Addition of aircraft is precautionary move, security advisor says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Strengthening his hand in the standoff with Iraq, President Clinton ordered a fresh buildup of U.S. firepower in the Persian Gulf on Tuesday even as signs emerged of an accelerated push for a diplomatic solution.

Clinton told the Air Force to dispatch six of its F-117 stealth fighters, six B-52 long-range bombers and four refueling planes. Pentagon officials said the decision was based in part on a heightened state of alert by Iraq's air defenses.

A U-2 surveillance plane flew over Iraq without incident — despite Iraqi threats — and the Pentagon said at least one more mission would be flown this week.

The fresh warplanes are to arrive in the region by the end of the week, officials said.

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Pentagon spokesman Kenneth Bacon said the president also authorized Gen. Anthony Zinni, commander of U.S. forces in the Middle East, to send up to 30 other warplanes — including F-15 and F-16 fighters and B-1 bombers — if he deemed it necessary.

The president's national security adviser, Sandy Berger, said the addition of U.S. aircraft, pushing the total to more than 300 in the Gulf region, was a precautionary step — not a signal that Clinton had concluded a military clash was inevitable.

"This is part of our effort to be prepared in a prudent way for any contingency that may arise in the region," Berger said at the White House.

The United States had about 1,700 combat aircraft in the Gulf during the 1991 war against Iraq.

Berger said the buildup was not related to a U-2 surveillance flight over Iraq on Tuesday morning. The spy plane, operating in support of U.N. efforts to monitor Iraq's weapons program, completed its mission without incident, he said. Iraq had threatened to shoot down the U-2, but U.S. officials said it did not try.

Bacon said the U-2 flew for about one hour just west of Baghdad, and he added that at least one more surveillance mission would be flown by the end of the week.

Berger confirmed that the Clinton administration was prepared to consider altering a U.N. "oil-for-food" program under which Iraq currently is allowed to buy $4 billion a year in food and medicine from U.N.-supervised Iraqi oil export revenue. One possibility is that Iraq would be allowed to buy more goods.

Berger said Iraq would first have to comply with a U.N. demand that it per-

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Midlanders have mixed feelings about son's safety in Gulf

By Rick Lopez
Staff Writer

'He's been wanting to fly since he was 5 or 6...He figured that is as exciting as things could get.'
— Charles Tankersley, father of F-14 "Tomcat" pilot U.S. Navy Lt. Mark Tankersley

Reports about the emergency situation in the Persian Gulf are shocking to television viewers, but the news hits a little closer to home for at least one Midland family whose 27-year-old son is in the middle of the standoff.

Midlanders Charles and Trenna Tankersley, parents of F-14 "Tomcat" pilot, U.S. Navy Lt. Mark Tankersley, calm their worries by keeping in touch with their overseas son via e-mail.

Along with 19 other Tomcat pilots, Tankersley — a 1989 graduate of Permian High School in Odessa — set off for a worldwide tour on the USS Nimitz. His squadron, The Fighting Checkmates, made five-day visits each to Japan and Hong Kong and were en route to Singapore when their tour came to a halt. The squadron, his father said, was instructed to go straight to the Persian Gulf when the crisis erupted over Saddam Hussein's refusal to allow U.N. weapons inspections.

"At that time, everything was very peaceful, and we had not thought of anything like the events that we've seen in the last few weeks abroad," Charles Tankersley, a Lee High School counselor, said of his son's situation. "When he was assigned to the ship, we were just excited for him. Mark said that he was happy about it .... and when he got to the Nimitz, he was told that they were going to go around the world and he was pretty excited about that."

The sudden change in plans caused mixed feelings about their son's safety.

"I'm always scared for him to come back and have to land on a carrier, but that's part of the job," Charles Tankersley

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Society honors humanitarians for generosity

By Alice Ashmore
Staff Writer

The spirit of helping others is alive and well in Midland. At a luncheon Tuesday held in observance of National Philanthropy Day, area humanitarians were honored for their generous spirits.

The Permian Basin Chapter of the National Society of Fund Raising Executives presented the awards at their fourth annual awards luncheon.

"Anyone can be a philanthropist at some level," said NSFRE President Carol Steele Boyd. "We all have something to give."

Ms. Boyd said philanthropy also gives us a chance to shape our future. "Non-profits give each of us a chance to give to those things we think are making a difference."

The J.E. and L.E. Mabee Foundation Inc. was honored as Outstanding Foundation. Joe Mabee and his son, Guy Mabee Jr., accepted the award on behalf of the foundation.

Guy Mabee Jr., a foundation board member, said the inspiration to help others has a spiritual basis. "I suppose that God put it in us through the blessing that he gave my great-, great-

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The winners in this year's National Philanthropy Day Awards are: front row, from left: Carl Zapora, Connie Glover, and Joe Mabee; back row, from left, Mark Tompkins, Guy Mabee Jr., Clarence Scharbauer III and his brother, Doug, and Deane Stoltz.
Brian Adamcik
Reporter-Telegram

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Militants claim responsibility for temple attack

LUXOR, Egypt (AP) — Militants blamed for most of the violence in Egypt's five-year Islamic rebellion claimed responsibility Tuesday for the revolt's deadliest attack: the massacre of 62 people at an ancient temple crowded with tourists.

The al-Gamaa al-Islamiya, or the Islamic Group, said in a faxed statement that Monday's attack was a failed attempt to take hostages to trade for the freedom of their spiritual leader, a blind Egyptian cleric jailed in the United States for plotting to bomb New York landmarks.

The sandstone terraces of the Temple of Hatshepsut were bloodstained Tuesday, but dozens of tourists warily returned. Many others were fleeing the country, however, and agencies were scrapping tours — spelling trouble for Egypt's important tourism industry.

President Hosni Mubarak visited the temple on the Nile River's West Bank across from Luxor to reassure tourists, and replaced his interior minister, blaming him for lax security.

Thirty-one of the dead were Swiss, police said. The others included eight Japanese, five Germans, four Britons — including a child — a Bulgarian, a Colombian and a French citizen. Seven of the dead were still unidentified. There were 24 people wounded.

Police shot the six attackers as they tried to escape. Authorities said one was a member of al-Gamaa, the group that claimed responsibility for the attack.

Al-Gamaa has been a main target of police battling a violent campaign aimed at overthrowing Mubarak's secular government and turning Egypt into a strict Islamic state.

The government has arrested and jailed thousands of suspected radicals, put hundreds on trial and executed 63 people in the past five years. But al-Gamaa and similar radical groups are difficult to fight because of their small, loosely connected cells.

Last year, al-Gamaa took responsibility for killing 16 Greek tourists at a hotel near the pyramids on the edge of Cairo. The group also claimed an assassination attempt on Mubarak while he was visiting Ethiopia in June 1995; he was unharmed.

In its statement Tuesday, the group said the gunmen's "brave" hostage attempt went awry because police opened fire too quickly, forcing militants to return fire. It accused police of showing negligence toward the safety of tourists.

"The government forces dealt lightly with the lives of the tourists and the citizens, leading to the falling of this great number of dead," it said.

Witnesses, however, said the six gunmen opened fire as soon as they entered the temple grounds, spraying wildly with automatic weapons and killing 58 foreign tourists and four Egyptians.

A coroner's report said some victims were stabbed after being shot. One Swiss survivor said the "very young" gunmen calmly shot victims who had dived to the ground or run for cover behind temple pillars.

Rosemarie Dousse, the Swiss tourist shot in the arm and the leg, hid under the bodies of other tourists for at least an hour.

"They made us get down on our knees. And then they started shooting. A man who was very heavy fell on top of me and the lady behind me also covered me," she said. "Then they started again — shooting those who were still alive, in the head."

Police gunned down one attacker at the site and the five others after they hijacked a bus. Authorities counted only six gunmen, but the al-Gamaa statement said nine others escaped.

It said it had hoped to trade hostages for the release of Sheik Omar Abdel Rahman, imprisoned for plotting to blow up the United Nations building and other New York landmarks.

That plot was uncovered before the attacks could be carried out, but Abdel Rahman also was said to have advised the six men convicted in the 1993 bombing of New York's World Trade Center, which killed six people and injured more than 1,000.

Al-Gamaa urged foreign governments to advise their citizens not to come to Egypt. It also said — despite a recent offer of a cease-fire by some al-Gamaa members — that the group would continue its battle.

"Al-Gamaa al-Islamiyya will continue its military operations as long as the regime does not respond to our demands," it said.

It listed the most important demands as "the establishment of God's law, cutting relations with the Zionist entity (Israel) ... and the return of our sheik and emir (Abdel Rahman) to his land."

Al-Gamaa and other radical groups insist that Egypt impose Islam's Muslim law code known as Sharia, which bans alcohol and requires women to cover themselves in veils. Egypt maintains the Sharia is the basis of its laws, but it also allows bars to operate and does not require women to be veiled.

U.S. jeweler shot in St. Maarten

PHILIPSBURG, St. Maarten (AP) — Armed robbers shot a New York City jewelry dealer and then made off with $1 million in cut stones, police said Monday.

Allen Karmely was in stable condition Monday at the St. Maarten Medical Center after the Saturday night attack, said police spokesman Geronimo Juliet.

One man was arrested later Saturday, but two other suspects were still at large, Juliet said.

Karmely told police he was leaving a store in Philipsburg, capital of this Dutch Antillean territory, when he was approached by three men who grabbed his jewelry case. One of them then shot Karmely in the chest, Juliet said.

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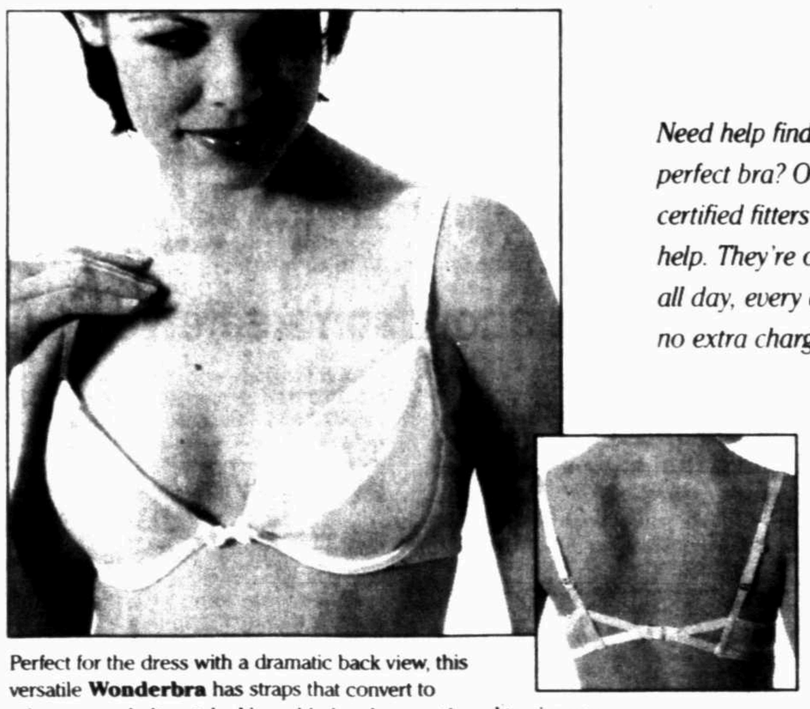
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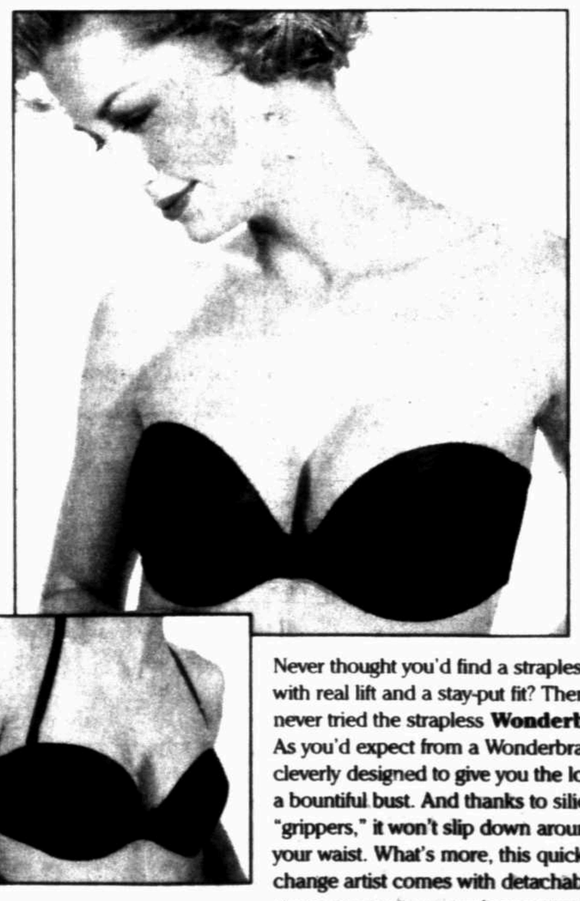
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Iraq rejects U.S. effort at compromise in standoff

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq is not a "camp of refugees," Saddam Hussein's government said Tuesday as it rejected a U.S. offer to ease economic sanctions and help end a crisis over U.N. weapons inspections.

Iraqi officials said the 3-week-old crisis will continue until the United Nations accepts Iraq's conditions for the resumption of U.N. weapons inspections in the country, including a balanced composition of the inspection team. Iraq says American inspectors dominate the team.

"We adhere to our requests and demands, because they are fair, just and fully justified," said Foreign Minister Mohammed Saeed al-Sahhaf.

Saddam expelled the six American weapons experts on the U.N. inspection team Thursday, prompting the remaining 68 non-American inspectors to withdraw in protest. The moves halted the U.N. program to monitor the disposal of Iraq's weapons of mass destruction and chemical weapons.

Until inspectors certify that Iraq is free of such weapons, the United Nations will not lift crippling economic sanctions imposed after Iraq invaded Kuwait in 1990, sparking the 1991 Persian Gulf War.

Iraq also began rationing cooking gas to the public Tuesday, fearing U.S. air strikes on the oil refineries that produce natural gas. In addition, thousands of Iraqis continued to gather at factories, forming "human shields" to lessen the likelihood of American strikes on those facilities.

About 2,500 women and children camped out at a weapons factory outside Baghdad on Tuesday. Children wrote "Down with America" in chalk on the factory floor, heeding a call by Iraqi lawmakers who did the same thing Monday on the sidewalk outside parliament.

"We want them (Americans) off our backs and we want the sanctions lifted," Leila Mohammed, 21, a college student, told reporters who government officials took on a tour of the factories.

U.S. National Security Adviser Sandy Berger said Tuesday that Washington favored improving an existing oil-for-food program that allows Iraq to sell some oil every six months to buy food and medicine.

"We are not a camp of refugees that Sandy Berger will give us small food," al-Sahhaf said. "We will not accept it."

Berger said the U.S. position was not an inducement for Iraq to allow U.N. inspectors back, but said Washington would be in favor of allowing Iraq to sell more oil once Saddam "comes into compliance."

But Iraq's ambassador to the United Nations said his country may stop participating in the oil-for-food deal next month unless he receives assurances that sanctions will soon be lifted.

"We cannot deal with this very temporary, partial deal while we are after the full lifting of the embargo," Nizar Hamdoon said in New York.

Al-Sahhaf also hinted that a separate compromise is being discussed through Russia, where Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Tariq Aziz met Tuesday with President Boris Yeltsin and Foreign Minister Yevgeny Primakov.

The official Iraqi News Agency said Saddam called a meeting of the Revolution Command Council, Iraq's main decision-making body, Tuesday night to discuss "with considerable interest" the Russian proposals.

Despite Iraqi threats to shoot down any American U-2 spy plane in its airspace, the Pentagon said a U.S. pilot flew a high-altitude mission over Iraq without incident Tuesday.

Al-Sahhaf described the plane as a "frightened rat" that returned to its base in Saudi Arabia, and said it had been out of range of Iraqi anti-aircraft batteries.

President Clinton also ordered more U.S. warplanes to the Gulf to prepare for a showdown if Iraq shoots down a U-2. The planes are used by the United Nations to monitor Iraq's weapons programs from the air.

Iraq claims the spy planes are designed to help plan an American attack, not to gather information for the United Nations. Iraq says it no longer possesses biological or chemical weapons, and that U.N. inspectors are refusing to certify that because of pressure from the United States.

The inspectors, meanwhile, are anxious to return to Baghdad, a team spokesman said Tuesday at U.N. regional headquarters in Bahrain.

Inspectors have watched Iraqis burn documents at suspected sites and dump the ashes into nearby rivers, he said.

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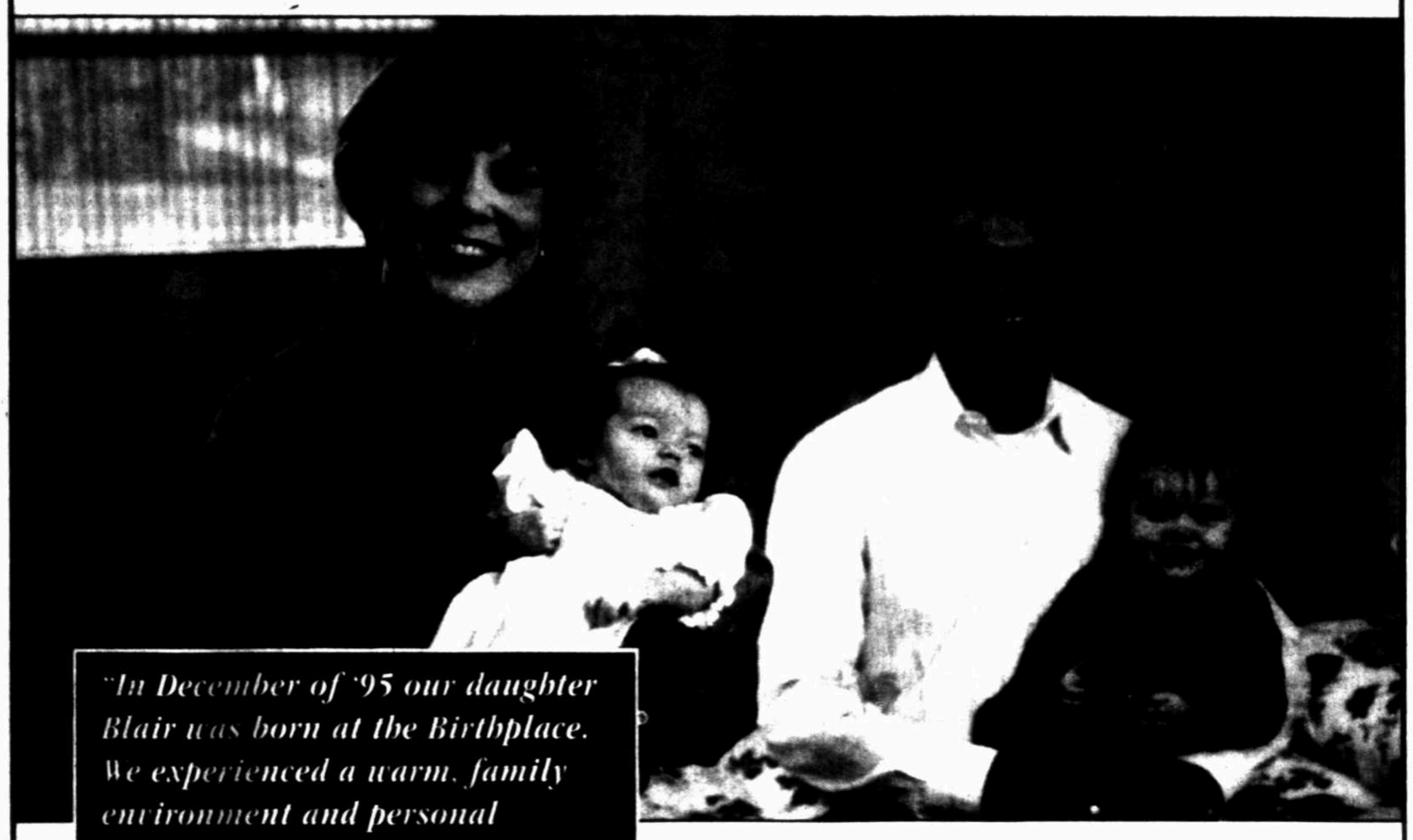

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Mexican congressional pages accuse boss of running prostitution operation

Mini-skirted pages are as much an insitution as Congress itself. But a few former pages are beginning to challenge tradition.

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The pretty, young women filter through the aisles of Mexico's Congress in miniskirts and broad smiles, delivering papers and serving coffee to the mostly male lawmakers.

The pages — and their ability to laugh away the politicians' leers — are almost as much an institution as Congress itself. But now, a few former pages are taking on tradition.

About 20 women who once worked in the lower house of Congress accuse the woman in charge of the pages of running a prostitution ring for lawmakers whose families may be far away. A congresswoman who has taken up their cause is demanding a criminal investigation.

The accusation goes to the heart of women's role in the Mexican workplace, where want ads often request unmarried, "pleasant" secretaries with "good presentation" — and no one over 25 need apply. Photos of applicants often are mandatory.

Mexico has no laws to prohibit hiring on the basis of appearance, age or marital status. Though sexual harassment is prohibited, the problem is rarely addressed in Mexico, where a woman is more likely to quit a job than challenge a boss in court.

The director of the pages, Rebecca Montes de Oca, denies the accusations. But the former pages say they suffered harassment in which lawmakers would joke about their bodies, send them lingerie, make them work private functions without pay — and sometimes try to buy their sexual services.

Now with the House controlled by opposition parties, they are beginning to come forward.

Two former pages spoke Monday with The Associated Press on condition of anonymity. Both now work elsewhere in Congress and fear losing their jobs.

One of them, now in her 20s, became a page in 1993. Soon after, she said Montes de Oca asked her to go to a lawmaker's office to help him work on a book one Wednesday night. When she got to the address, it was a house.

"He asked me to give him a massage, and I said 'no,'" she said. "He specified very clearly that he had paid the lady so I would be with him through the weekend. I told the gentleman he had offended me and that I didn't do that."

When she confronted Montes de Oca the next day, she said, her boss denied making the deal. Montes de Oca then talked with the lawmaker and the matter was never mentioned again, she said.

After that, Montes de Oca changed her schedule, the former page said. She was forced to work twice as long, forbidden to sit down or break for lunch.

"I would get here at 7 a.m. and she would call to make sure I wasn't late," she said. "Sometimes I had to stay until 11 p.m. I began to faint, and my feet would bleed from standing so long."

The stress of recalling those days was evident on the woman's face.

"You had a choice: you prostituted yourself or you worked," she said.

The former pages have come forward because of a new spirit in the House: Last summer, the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party lost its majority for the first time since it was formed in 1929.

Rep. Patria Jimenez, who has met with the former pages, has demanded that the Attorney General's Office investigate. An official at the Attorney General's Office said Tuesday that the law didn't allow her to say whether an investigation had begun.

The National Assembly of Women said it would file a criminal complaint if an investigation was not begun by next week.

"The legislators thought they had a right to this," Jimenez said. "No one is above the law, and it's important that women begin to denounce this kind of thing."

Montes de Oca, 45, who has directed the pages for five years, denied setting up liaisons and said she had never heard of a page having sex with a lawmaker.

"It's absolutely false. The girls treat the gentlemen with respect. (The lawmakers) come to legislate, not to see what they can find around here," she said.

Current pages also denied that any prostitution was occurring.

"No one has ever propositioned me," said Veronica Torres, 22. "The representatives never get close. They see us as workers and we see them as bosses."

Few pages work in the House for more than one session, with most replaced every three years. They earn about $360 a month.

In Congress, the pages' uniforms change each day but normally consist of heeled shoes, blouse, blazer and miniskirt — often worn shorter than the blazer. The two former pages who spoke with the AP said Montes de Oca trained the women to stick out their chests, hike up their skirts and smile at lawmakers.

Montes de Oca said the pages themselves select their uniforms, and insisted she hires them on the basis of education, not appearance. But, when pressed, she conceded that appearance is a factor.

"If you were a lawmaker you wouldn't want a disheveled woman to hand you your coffee," she said. "You wouldn't enjoy your coffee."

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Netanyahu faces ouster effort

JERUSALEM (AP) — Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu faces a mounting rebellion by lawmakers in his ruling Likud Party, who met Monday in a bid to oust him as party leader.

If successful, the lawmakers' campaign — led by Tel Aviv Mayor Roni Milo — almost certainly would trigger elections.

The mutiny was provoked by last week's Likud convention, where Netanyahu and his colleagues pushed through a proposal to abolish primaries — giving the power to pick parliamentary candidates to a committee stacked with Netanyahu loyalists.

Many senior Likud officials, including Cabinet ministers and legislators, fear they will be shunted aside as Netanyahu moves to sideline possible challengers.

The lawmakers' anger stoked discontent in a governing coalition already split over the collapsing peace process and other issues.

Likud members were also angered by reports that Netanyahu's chief aide, Avigdor Lieberman, ordered delegates opposed to abolishing the primaries to be videotaped secretly, with the footage to be used later against Netanyahu challengers.

Netanyahu, who won the prime minister's post in May 1996, is expected to try to win over the lawmakers after he returns from a weeklong trip to Britain and the United States.

In California on Monday, Netanyahu said he would cut short his visit to attend to matters in the Middle East. He said he would make a stopover in London to possibly hold a few meetings. Israeli media reported that he would meet there with Jordan's King Hussein to discuss the Gulf conflict.

Netanyahu also told Israeli reporters that it was "irresponsible" to attack him when he is out of the country.

"I think most of the coalition members ... are aware of the responsibility we shoulder and the need to preserve the important things uniting us — our political, social and economic policies," he said in comments broadcast on Israel Radio.

Milo, a Likud moderate, told Israeli radio that the party's convention was divided.

"I spoke to many members, the veterans...and all have the feeling that there is a deep rift that cannot be ignored, and this means they will make efforts to change the face of the Likud," he said.

'I spoke to many members, the veterans ... and all have the feeling that there is a deep rift that cannot be ignored.'

— Roni Milo, mayor of Tel Aviv and leader of the effort to oust Netanyahu

Names of possible replacements floated by the media included disgruntled party veterans who felt betrayed by Netanyahu, such as Jerusalem Mayor Ehud Olmert, Communications Minister Limor Livnat, former Science Minister Benny Begin and former Finance Minister Dan Meridor.

Milo said the rebels wanted to split the party by luring away at least 12 of the Likud's 22 lawmakers, who would retain the Likud name and party financing.

He said other options were also being considered, but would not elaborate.

Media reports speculated that if the rebels fail to attract at least 12 legislators, they will try to topple Netanyahu's government by supporting the opposition's next no-confidence motion. The rebels would then form a new party.

At Monday's faction meeting, most of the Cabinet ministers and lawmakers were critical of the absent prime minister.

Begin said Netanyahu has "lost all shame." Even Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai, considered loyal to Netanyahu, appeared to be wavering.

Netanyahu's coalition has been wobbly from the start because it includes parties that disagree on key issues: the peace process, free market reforms, and whether to promote separation of religion and state.

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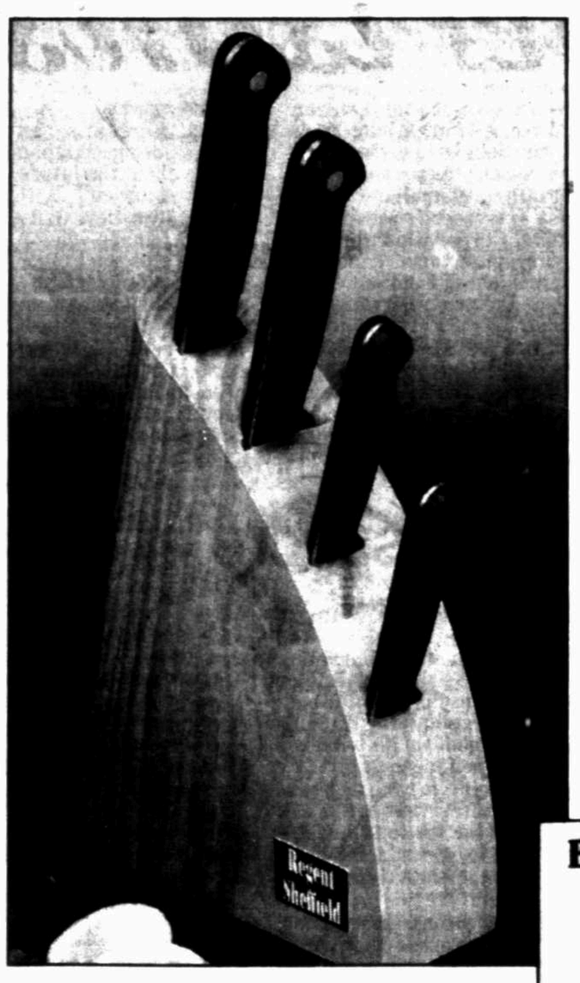

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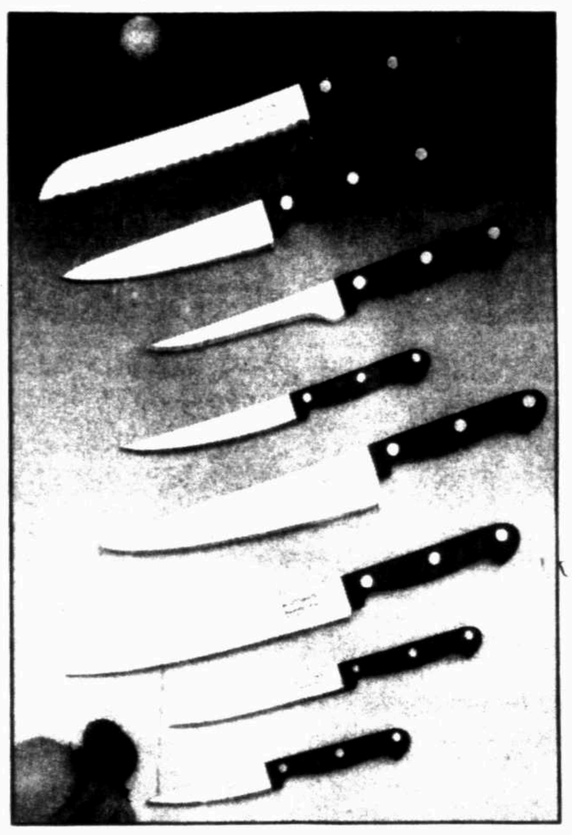

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Midland forecast

3-day forecast

Today	Thursday	Friday
Mostly sunny	Sunny	Sunny
High 68	High 72	High 69
Low 37	Low 34	Low 43

Today's forecast calls for early-morning fog, turning to mostly sunny skies with a high in the upper 60s, according to the National Weather Service. The winds will be from the southwest at 10 to 15 mph.

Tonight's forecast calls for mostly clear skies with a low between 35 and 40.

Thursday's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high between 70 and 75.

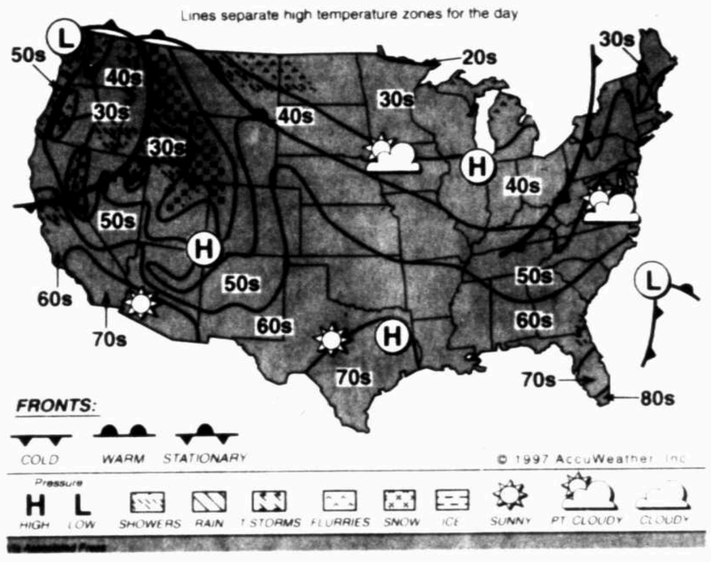
Tuesday's high was 67, compared with a record high for that date of 84 set in 1981. The low was 27, compared with a record low of 19 set in 1980.

Yesterday's precipitation		Yesterday's temperatures	
Rainfall Monday	.00 in.	High	67
Rainfall Tuesday	.00 in.	low	27
Total for month	.44 in.	Normal high	65
Total for year	15.77 in.	Normal low	38

Sunrise 7:21 a.m. Sunset 5:47 p.m.

National forecast

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Wednesday, Nov. 19.

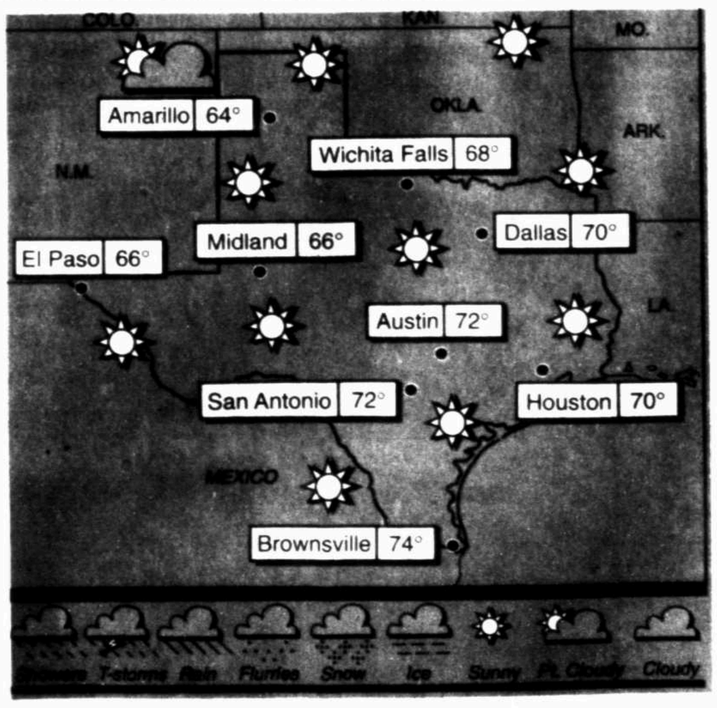


United States temperatures

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 7:34 p.m. EST

	Hi	Lo	Prc			Hi	Lo	Prc
Albany N.Y.	38	m	cdy		Juneau	m	28	cdy
Albuquerque	51	30	cdy	Otlk	Kansas City	56	27	clr
Anchorage	32	31	cdy		Las Vegas	62	39	cdy
Asheville	50	19	clr		Little Rock	56	37	clr
Atlanta	54	28	cdy		Los Angeles	76	53	cdy
Atlantic City	45	23	cdy		Louisville	49	22	cdy
Baltimore	45	21	cdy		Memphis	53	33	clr
Billings	50	31	cdy		Miami Beach	79	64	cdy
Birmingham	57	25	cdy		Milwaukee	40	26	cdy
Bismarck	25	19	cdy		Mpls St Paul	26	13	cdy
Boise	51	35	rn		Nashville	52	20	cdy
Boston	42	32	clr		New Orleans	56	48	cdy
Buffalo	36	30	cdy		New York City	44	33	clr
Burlington Vt	37	m	cdy		Norfolk Va	52	27	cdy
Casper	45	24	clr		North Platte	57	13	cdy
Charleston S.C.	59	30	cdy		Oklahoma City	59	27	clr
Charleston W.Va	45	18	cdy		Omaha	53	20	cdy
Charlotte N.C.	54	25	cdy		Orlando	75	49	cdy
Cheyenne	39	27	clr		Philadelphia	43	26	cdy
Chicago	40	25	cdy		Phoenix	72	47	cdy
Cincinnati	45	17	cdy		Pittsburgh	38	18	cdy
Cleveland	38	17	cdy		Portland Maine	38	18	clr
Columbia S.C.	57	24	cdy		Portland Ore	51	40	rn
Columbus Ohio	40	20	cdy		Providence	43	26	clr
Concord N.H.	39	24	clr		Raleigh-Durham	52	23	cdy
Dayton	42	22	cdy		Rapid City	50	25	cdy
Denver	45	24	cdy		Reno	45	24	rn
Des Moines	43	23	cdy		Richmond	51	23	cdy
Detroit	36	14	cdy		Sacramento	57	48	rn
Duluth	23	12	cdy		St Louis	52	31	clr
Evansville	50	22	cdy		Salt Lake City	50	27	cdy
Fairbanks	16	1	sn		San Diego	71	53	cdy
Fargo	25	20	cdy		San Francisco	60	52	rn
Flagstaff	48	16	cdy		San Juan P.R.	86	m	rn
Grand Rapids	39	24	cdy		Santa Fe	42	20	cdy
Great Falls	46	33	clr		St Ste Marie	40	31	cdy
Greensboro N.C.	50	21	cdy		Seattle	56	45	01 clr
Hartford Spgfld	43	23	clr		Shreveport	49	44	clr
Helena	47	31	cdy		Sioux Falls	23	12	cdy
Honolulu	76	72	03 rn		Spokane	42	33	rn
Indianapolis	43	20	cdy		Syracuse	38	31	3y
Jackson Miss	55	m	cdy		Tampa St Ptrsbg	72	49	cdy
Jacksonville	65	40	cdy		Topeka	58	22	clr
					Tucson	75	40	clr
					Tulsa	58	31	clr
					Washington D.C.	49	27	cdy

State forecast



Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 7 p.m. CDT

	Hi	Lo	Pcp			Hi	Lo	Pcp
Abilene	67	35			Galveston	59	48	0.40
Alice	51	47	0.01		Harlingen	56	50	0.01
Amarillo	58	28			Hondo	63	44	0.02
Arlington	56	44			Houston Hobby	52	48	0.04
Austin	51	44	0.02		Huntsville	47	44	0.04
Beaumont	54	47	0.53		Junction	67	46	
Brownsville	57	49	0.01		Kingsville	53	M	
Burnet	56	42			Laredo	57	43	
Childress	59	31			Lubbock	60	28	
College Station	48	43	0.05		Lufkin	48	44	0.46
Conroe	48	43	0.18		Marfa	63	30	
Corpus Christi	53	49	0.09		McAllen	59	48	0.01
Corsicana	52	42			Midland	67	28	
Cotulla	62	45	0.01		Mineral Wells	62	41	
Dalhart	57	26			Navy Corpus	M	53	0.07
Dallas	58	46			New braunfels	55	45	0.01
Del Rio	66	46			Palacios	54	50	0.10
Denton	59	35			Paris	55	43	
Dfw Airport	55	44			Rockport	63	51	0.10
El Paso	60	32			San Angelo	70	35	
Fort Stockton	65	39			San Antonio	59	44	0.02
Fort Worth	57	39			Terrell	51	43	
					Victoria	51	46	0.16
					Waco	53	42	
					Wichita Falls	60	29	

Panelists have long history of volunteer service

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

The six women participating in a panel discussion honoring National Philanthropy Day hav. a long history of volunteer service in the Permian Basin.

The five panelists were Betsy Triplett-Hurt of Odessa and Midlanders Nancy Anguish, Joanie Holt, Beverly Pevehouse and Linda Foster. Joan Baskin served as moderator.

"It was a wonderful experience," Mrs. Baskin said.

"It was a very good panel. Betsy talked about how there are so many opportunities to participate, you really need to focus on what your interests are rather than spreading yourself too thin. Each panelist had something to offer the non-profit representatives in the audience."

She called them "wonderful philanthropists ... They shared their thoughts about why people give and why women tend to have a different approach to their participation."

She explained that, "Women become interested because they participate and then they get a sense of ownership, whether it's the PTA or church, the community theater or symphony or the American Red Cross, because they've been volunteers. Often men are very busy with their careers and their philanthropic work is writing checks. There's nothing the matter with that; it's just a different approach.

"I think that's changing because so many women today have the same sort of demands for their time in their careers."

Mrs. Baskin said her interests are primarily supporting Midland. Right now, she said, she is in charge of the Midland College committee that organizes the school's distinguished lecturer series and, for the last 13 or 14 years has been very active with the University of Texas and is co-chairman of the 25th anniversary celebration for the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

'It was a very good panel. Betsy talked about how there are so many opportunities to participate, you really need to focus on what your interests are rather than spreading yourself too thin.'
—Joan Baskin, who served as moderator for the panel discussion

Mrs. Baskin said she got involved in civic work by following the example of her father, a newspaper editor who was on Galveston's Chamber of Commerce board and involved in the city's civic affairs.

Mrs. Anguish said she has been active in supporting the arts for the last 20 years, getting her start by attending statewide arts meetings with her husband's aunt, Veda Hodge. She also supports education.

"I believe in volunteerism and community support for activities that are an asset to our community. They are, I think, the heart of arts and particularly the heart and soul of a community and essential to a well-rounded community," she said. "You'll find the women on the panel not only give their money but they also give a great deal of time and help raise money for these organizations. It's sort of the triad of reasons we were on the panel."

Like Mrs. Anguish, Joanie Holt supports the arts, volunteers at local museums and elsewhere in the country.

"I've worked in practically everything in Midland as far as the arts are concerned," she said, noting that she just left the board of the Arts Assembly of Midland, an umbrella organization for arts groups in Midland.

"I had a lot of education in the arts, such as the piano, and I've been around the arts all my life," she explained. "Even though I came from a small town, we had numerous cultural events."

Arriving in Midland, she said, she began doing small volunteer jobs here and there and joined the Junior League. "I got my most valuable training from the Junior League," she said.

"Once you say 'yes' and once they find you'll do something, you get involved. But I've been thoroughly entertained and enjoy it so much."

She said she enjoys volunteerism because of the "knowledge you get and the feeling you get from giving as a volunteer. Knowing it's helping your community and these organizations is a tremendous feeling."

Still, she said, "it's time for some of us to hang up our hats and not do as much. It's time for young people to step in and start doing."

Mrs. Pevehouse said she got interested in philanthropy through the influence of her husband, the late Joe Pevehouse, who was involved in supporting Midland College, the United Way of Midland and YMCA.

"He was a big worker for different things in Midland and it rubbed off," she said. Besides, she added, "I like working for people."

She said she has a great interest in supporting the arts but her efforts are primarily with the boards she serves on, such as the Midland College Foundation Board, Museum of the Southwest Advisory Board and Manor Park Homes Board. She also supports Texas Tech University.

Mrs. Foster, who was not available for comment, is community relations director with Southwestern Bell. She has been active for a number of years with the Midland Chamber of Commerce and is serving as a member of this year's Executive Committee of the United Way of Midland.

HONOR: Spirit of giving alive, well in Midland

(From 1A)

uncle J.E. Mabee."

The Mabee Foundation supports a large number of area organizations, including Community and Senior Services, Casa de Amigos, Hospice of Midland, The Boys and Girls Club, the Midland Association of Retarded Citizens and the Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children.

The United Way of Midland was named Outstanding Philanthropic Organization. Linda Foster of Southwestern Bell said, "The organization mirrors this community with an absolutely 100 percent 'can do' attitude."

Carl Zapora, executive director of the United Way, accepted the award.

Zapora thanked Midland for its "nurturing community and helping people." He noted that Midland will be the only city in Texas with a population of less than 100,000 that raised more than $3 million for its United Way.

Connie Glover, the executive director of Community and Senior Services, received the award for Outstanding Fund-Raising Executive. LuAnn Morgan, who introduced Ms. Glover, described her as "driven and destined to succeed at any challenge that confronts her."

In accepting her award, Ms. Glover attributed her success to "a great community, a great cause, and being surrounded by a wonderful staff and volunteers."

Ms. Glover told the Reporter-Telegram that she was especially proud of the $400,000 raised this year to build a new kitchen for Community and Senior Services and the Meals-on-Wheels program.

Ms. Glover, who has been involved with CSS for 13 years, said, "You have to be creative in fund-raising. There is so much competition in the marketplace."

Midland oilman Deane Stoltz was honored as Outstanding Volunteer Fund-Raiser. Stoltz demonstrates an "outstanding level of commitment" to the organizations he is involved with, said Michael Conaway, in his introductory remarks. He described Stoltz as, "A guy who you would want on your team."

Stoltz said that for that last few years most of his efforts had been directed toward the United Way of Midland.

Stoltz is modest about his accomplishments. "There are lots and lots of people involved," he said. "You've got to recognize that Midland is one of the most philanthropic communities in the United States per capita."

Taking care of elderly residents is another cause dear to Stoltz's heart. "We face a monumental challenge," he said of the burgeoning retirement population.

He urged other Midlanders to get involved in their community. "... Not to do it tomorrow, but today."

The Scharbauer family of Midland was recognized as Midland's Outstanding Philanthropist for 1997.

"The Scharbauer family has a long and distinguished record of helping to build our community," said David Smith, executive director of the Abell- Hanger Foundation. "The uniqueness of their philanthropy is that it has been handed down for three generations."

Smith also praised the "quiet and modest manner" in which the family supports the community.

Brothers Doug Scharbauer and Clarence Scharbauer III accepted the award on behalf of their family. "I come from a long line of folks who believe in giving back," Clarence Scharbauer said.

Phillips Petroleum Co. of Odessa was recognized as Outstanding Corporation for their philanthropic efforts. Vance Gipson, president of Odessa College, spoke on the generosity of the oil company.

"At OC we appreciate what Phillips has done for us," Gipson said. This year Phillips donated law library materials valued at $1 million, allowing the school to develop "one of the premier programs in the country for legal assistants."

Mark Tompkins, manager of Phillips Permian Profit Center, accepted the award for his company. " ... All this success was made possible by the efforts of our employees and their families."

He added that Phillips has always had a philosophy of being supportive of the communities in which it is based. "We're real strong supporters of the United Way."

Tompkins, who moved to Odessa two months ago from China, said that even in China the company had a sign that said, "We care where we live."

Anne Hodges Morgan, a professional historian and writer who has worked in the non-profit field for 16 years, was the luncheon's keynote speaker.

Mrs. Morgan, a native Texan who resides in Oklahoma, is optimistic about the future of philanthropy America.

"I really believe that America is in better shape when it comes to looking after each other." She noted that 50 percent of American adults volunteer at least five hours a week of their time.

She said philanthropy also exists on the grassroots level. "The anonymous employee who happily signs that United Way form — those people are involved in philanthropy too."

ATTACK: Survivors recount massacre at temple

(From 1A)

slashing knives, of men in black sweaters and a careening white car, of outright slaughter on the ramps and steps and terraces of a temple cut into a limestone cliff 3,400 years ago by a woman bold enough to call herself pharaoh.

On most busy days at Luxor, a collection of tombs and monuments along the Nile's pastoral shore 200 miles south of Cairo, guides tell tourists from all over the world of a sight not to be missed: a stone tableau of birds being caught in nets.

On Monday, it was the tourists themselves who were snared.

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Early as it was, Sayed Ahmed Gassem had already collected tickets from a stream of tourists who'd passed through his rough shack at the temple's imposing entrance.

In a welcome lull, Gassem looked up from his coins and tickets to see six men approaching, all wearing military-style black sweaters with epaulets. He asked them for their tickets.

At first they merely stared. Then one said, "You want a ticket? Here's the ticket." Pulling out a gun, he shot Gassem twice in the upper right thigh. As the impact spun him around, Gassem was hit again in the buttocks.

Taking not even the instant necessary to finish him off, the marauders sprinted up the hill, toward the long ramp leading to the temple.

Gassem dragged himself outside his shack. Prone and bleeding, he saw the carnage begin.

"They shot everyone — foreigners, Egyptians, children," he said from a cot in Luxor's simple hospital. "They were like madmen."

When they ran out of bullets, he said, they went at their work with knives. He blacked out before they came back down the hill.

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For the tourists, the attack by the dancing, singing terrorists was swift and vicious.

"They were very young people who came," Mrs. Dousse told Swiss television. "They made us get down on our knees. And then they started shooting." She and other foreign survivors were whisked away from Luxor in the hours after the attack and related their harrowing ordeals only after returning to homelands or from the relative safety of a Cairo hospital.

"A man who was very heavy fell on top of me and the lady behind me also covered me," Mrs. Dousse said. "Only my arm and leg were sticking out."

She lay there, smeared with the blood that saved her life, for more than an hour.

Below, in the parking lot past the ticket taker's shed, a hired driver encountered the fleeing gunmen as they commandeered another driver's white Peugeot station wagon.

Badawi Ahmed Salem suddenly saw a gun in his face and begged for his life.

"Please please please please," he said. "I have a son."

They shot him in both ankles and drove off in the Peugeot.

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Bus driver Hajjah Nahas Ali had skipped breakfast. So after dropping off 23 Swiss tourists at the temple, he set off for coffee at nearby crossroads just down the rocky slope.

He had just stepped back inside his parked bus when he saw the white Peugeot taxi barreling toward him. It stopped, Ali later recounted from his hospital bed, and six men poured out, guns drawn. They shot out his windows and forced open the door.

"We want you to take us out of town, and after that we'll kill you," they said. "After all, we're all dead anyway."

That part they had right.

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Inside Ali's commandeered bus, the excited terrorists were brandishing guns. Ali was driving slowly along the twisting road that led north into the hills, hoping to delay the killers' escape.

His tactic worked. Screaming, bleeding survivors had spilled from the temple and alerted villagers who had rushed to their aid — and after the lumbering bus.

With an angry crowd on their heels and a foothills police post on the road ahead, the terrorists apparently stopped the bus. At this point, witnesses' accounts diverge. About a dozen villagers interviewed generally agreed five of the gunmen left the bus. Two terrorists were downed immediately in a deafening exchange of gunfire with police. Three ran up the hill, where another was felled by bullets — then fatally shot by his remaining comrades, witnesses said.

The sixth gunman was still on the bus. In a bravado moment of fear and inspiration, Ali called to him, "Hey, your friend wants you!"

The man hopped off. Seeing what had happened, he turned, shot Ali in the shoulder and fled.

More police arrived as the remaining gunmen made their way up a dusty mountain track. They made a last stand in a hollow between two hills. Witnesses arriving within the hour saw several crumpled bodies, sprawled at death's impossible angles among the stones.

As police bore them down the mountain, incensed villagers, whose meager livelihood depends on tourists, showered the bodies with stones and spittle.

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PILOT: Midlanders keep in touch with son through e-mail

(From 1A)

said.

"Now the reality is really hitting home — at least for us," said the pilot's stepmother, a counselor at Midland High School. "Yes, it's scary, but we have confidence in his training with the military and his abilities."

But what the younger Tankersley faces is a challenge he's been awaiting since childhood.

"He's been wanting to fly since he was 5 or 6. He said he wanted to land planes on carriers," his father told the Reporter-Telegram. "He had a step-grandfather who was a Navy pilot, and my son has always wanted to do that. He figured that is as exciting as things could get. He really had his mind set on that."

Mark Tankersley, 27, attended the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., and received basic training near Seattle his senior year. Once he graduated from the academy, he was sent to Pensacola, Fla., for basic aviation training. After learning parachuting and water survival, Tankersley was assigned to Corpus Christi, where he trained on a T-34, or trainer jet, for about nine months.

"He felt he was getting the best training in the world. When I went down there, it looked like they did a great job," Charles Tankersley said. "I don't think he ever doubted himself, but he always set high standards for himself."

After his hands-on experience with a trainer jet, Tankersley trained on a T-45 in Kingsville.

"That's where the Navy started looking for people, and they selected him to fly the Tomcat. They knew his strengths were air-to-air combat and landing on the carrier," Charles Tankersley said.

His son was later stationed in Oceana, Va., where he trained with an F-14 and met his girlfriend, Claire Aswell.

The last time the Tankersleys spoke to their son was about three weeks ago, when he was in Kuwait City. Mark, Charles Tankersley said, had completed training and was visiting a site that had been bombed during the Gulf War.

"He said flying over Kuwait was like flying over Midland. It was flat, dusty and had lots of oil," the older Tankersley said.

Though thousands of miles physically separate the pilot from his loved ones, modern technology provides communication between the Persian Gulf and Texas.

"I get e-mail from him about two or three times a week," he said. "I have to e-mail everyone to tell them what Mark is doing."

"The e-mail helps a lot. It's good to hear from him and how he's doing. He's always been really good about communicating," Ms. Tankersley said.

The computerized messages keep alive the 17-month romance between Ms. Aswell and Tankersley. The daily writings is what keeps Ms. Aswell's mind off the horrors she hears from newscasts, she explained.

"It was scary to think that you finally meet someone you want to share everything with, and he's in a scary place. That's what the news makes it sound like," she said from her Virginia home. "Two weeks ago, it hit me bad. I found myself going from one channel to the next. Luckily, not too much has happened in the last couple of weeks ... and I found it much easier not to look at the news. I figure if there is something big that happens, I'll hear about it."

She checks her computer for new messages before and after her working hours and occasionally before bedtime, Ms. Aswell said.

"If the e-mail goes down, I don't know what I'll do. I heard (that) if they are asked to do something, (their computers) will go down without warning, and I could understand that. But I hope that doesn't happen because that's all I have right now," she said. "But one way or another, I think everything will be OK. They've trained for this and the pilots will do well no matter what they are asked to do. They'll come through with flying colors."

IRAQ: Advisor says U.S. not negotiating

(From 1A)

mit U.N. weapons inspectors back, including the American team members it kicked out last week. "Saddam Hussein must reverse course and allow the inspectors back in," he said.

In New York on Monday, Iraq's U.N. ambassador, Nizar Hamdoon, called the proposal a "no-starter."

Although a senior administration official traveling with Secretary of State Madeleine Albright in Pakistan had characterized the "oil-for-food" suggestion on Monday as a "little carrot" for Iraq, Berger insisted the administration was not negotiating. He said changes in the oil sales arrangement had been under consideration before the current crisis arose more than two weeks ago.

"The president has mentioned this to me and raised this with me on a number of occasions over the past few months as there have been reports out of Iraq of hunger or malnutrition. So this has been a longstanding position of the United States," Berger said.

In Moscow, Russian Foreign Minister Yevgeny Primakov told reporters that President Boris Yeltsin, in a meeting Tuesday with Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Tariq Aziz, had come to an understanding on an unspecified diplomatic solution.

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More parents spying on nannies

The baby was cranky and sleeping poorly. The boy's mother, who works, had a hunch. So the father left the camcorder running all day — and confirmed their worst fears on videotape.

"The nanny was yelling at the baby, 'You're miserable! You're miserable!'" recalls Glenn B., the father. "She ignored him while he cried. We were shellshocked."

More and more parents are using hidden cameras to find out what goes on when the baby sitter is alone with the children.

Despite the murky legalities and ethics of such spying, detectives and electronics shops are expanding into the business. Specialized agencies with names like Nannyvision or Baby-Safe are springing up.

And after each new headline involving an abusive nanny — most dramatically, the trial of English au pair Louise Woodward — fretful parents turn to spying.

"Do you have to have your kid really hurt to find out the facts?" asked Glenn B., a New York City-area financial adviser who last week bought a $1,500 miniature camera, partly because of the Woodward case.

"The Woodward case is extreme, but I'd never forgive myself if I didn't make sure," said Glenn, who wouldn't give his full name because he didn't want future nannies to find out he might tape them.

Of the 13 million children in the United States whose mothers work, 5 percent are cared for by nannies, au pairs and other non-family caregivers at the child's home, according to the government.

"The heck with the ethics. When the person is alone with your child, you don't really know what's going on," said Sheri Ader, a New York City mother of two who recently rented a camera to screen a prospective nanny.

Improving technology and falling prices for miniature cameras have helped spur the nanny-watching business. Cameras sell for as little as $50 and rent for as little as $25 a day in some parts of the country.

The case of Ms. Woodward, convicted in the death of an 8-month-old Massachusetts boy, "got us up and running," said Monte Salot, whose new nanny-watching business, Micro Video Products in Westminster, Calif., is getting 20 calls a week.

Secret videotaping — whether in the office or home — raises red flags for privacy and civil rights advocates. Two types of recordings are generally considered illegal: taping other people's private conversations at work and taping in bathrooms or at other grossly intrusive times.

"Parents who exercise good judgment in the location of their camera are probably OK, but there's no guarantee. We don't know what a judge or jury would do," said Lewis Maltby, director of workplace rights for the American Civil Liberties Union.

At the same time, videotaping is no substitute for thorough reference checks and interviewing.

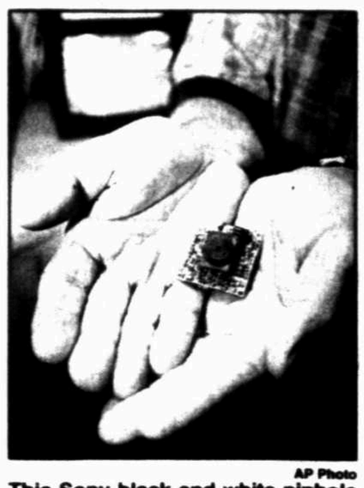
Amelia Georgiana, a live-in nanny in Princeton, N.J., said she would quit if she found her employers were taping her. "If they do it, the circle of trust is totally broken," she said. She added that parents who are so suspicious that they would consider taping should fire the nanny.

Au Pair Homestay USA, one of the largest au pair placement agencies in the country, believes taping violates the trust needed in au pair arrangements, in which young foreigners live with a family and baby-sit for a year or two. But the group is also studying whether to allow taping if both the host family and the au pair agree, director Pamela McCloud said.

Some parents who have used hidden cameras are happily surprised; they see their nanny giving good care on tape. Other tapes have led to arrests.

In Charlotte, N.C., last year, a nanny was convicted of child abuse after a camera hidden behind a Christmas tree filmed her stifling a crying baby with a blanket.

"There is some guilt in this. You do feel you're invading and being sneaky," said Karen T., a California mother who bought a camera last week to tape the first sitter she has had since she filmed her nanny hitting her 6-week-old last year. "You never want to think of yourself as being like this. But what are you doing to do?"



AP Photo

This Sony black and white pinhole chip camera is now seeing use in home surveillance products due to its size and affordability. The camera, shown here by Michael Peros of Privacy Electronics in Pinellas Park, Fla. can be hidden in just about anything and connected directly to a home VCR.

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Congress churns out the bills, but few pass

WASHINGTON (AP) — If Congress played only by the numbers, it would indeed have been a dismal year.

House members introduced 3,036 bills in the congressional session beginning in January and ending last week. So far, the Congressional Record says, 59 have become law. The Senate didn't do any better, getting the president's signature for 19 of the 1,568 bills senators introduced during the year.

Of those that did survive the odyssey through committees, House and Senate votes, House-Senate conferences and the president, many were not exactly monumental. There were post office namings, medal awards, Western land exchanges and technical amendments to existing laws.

The Republican-led Congress this session was also again noteworthy for its enthusiasm for, and total lack of success in, amending the Constitution. In the House there were 77 proposed amendments, in the Senate 17, many overlapping on such subjects as a balanced budget, term limits, school prayer and abortion.

Not one got the necessary two-thirds majority in both chambers. One, on flag desecration, did pass the House but Senate supporters decided to wait until next year in hopes of picking up a few more votes.

Introducing bills that don't have a chance of ever becoming law is hardly new to Congress. "It goes on all the time, allowing people to take positions on a variety of issues," said professor Roger Davidson of the University of Maryland, an authority on Congress.

He added that it is "typical for the first session not to be terribly productive. You can expect more bills through the next time around," in the session beginning in January.

To be fair, Congress did pass several dozen bills — two dozen on the last day alone — in the final days of the session that the president has yet to sign into law.

The White House said Tuesday that 35 bills are on the president's desk, awaiting his signature, and another three dozen or so have passed Congress but have yet to be delivered. Clinton is likely to sign these into law, although he does have his veto power, which he exercised three times this year — on a disaster relief bill, a late-term abortion bill and an attempt by Congress to restore money for military building projects Clinton had previously eliminated.

Most of these late-hour bills, approved with little or no debate and no roll call votes, were minor, of the nature of legislation to amend the Atlantic Striped Bass Conservation Act. But some will affect millions of Americans, including three fiscal 1998 spending bills, bills to overhaul the Food and Drug Administration and Amtrak, and a bill authorizing a new gold-colored $1 coin and 50 newly designed quarters, one for each state.

Additionally, many of the bills that Congress never finished this year will eventually become law before the 105th Congress closes next fall prior to national elections.

In terms of substance, this session of Congress did have some major achievements, particularly the balanced-budget and tax-cut acts and the Senate's confirmation of the Chemical Weapons Convention.

But it's also true that among the first 10 House bills introduced this year, which included some top GOP priorities on labor, public housing, youth crime, education, banking and immigration issues, only one — changing the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act — became law.

In the Senate, the first chronologically listed bill to be enacted into law was S. 305, a measure awarding a gold medal to Frank Sinatra.

Meanwhile, the House also recorded the introduction of 535 resolutions and concurrent resolutions, and the Senate 233 of the same. Concurrent resolutions require action by both chambers.

These are mainly procedural issues and "sense of the Congress" statements that can be important — as in the House vote last January criticizing Speaker Newt Gingrich for his handling of ethics charges against him — but generally are not.

Mad cow disease leads to ban

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States on Tuesday banned imported cattle, sheep, their meat and many related products from Belgium after a case of mad cow disease was reported there last month.

"This emergency measure was taken to protect animal and public health," said Joan M. Arnoldi, deputy administrator for veterinary services with the Agriculture Department's animal inspection agency.

No case of bovine spongiform encephalopathy, the proper name of the neurological disorder fatal in cattle, has ever been reported in the United States. Since 1989, the government has banned imports of live animals and many products derived from them from countries where the disease is known to exist.

Eating meat from cattle tainted by the diseased is believed to cause the brain-wasting Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease in humans, which has killed at least 20 people, mostly in Britain.

Belgium is not a major exporter of meat to the United States, but in the first half of this year its exports of live animals including cattle and sheep were up 600 percent over 1996 levels, according to the Agriculture Department.

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Deck the halls but, clean up after yourself

Despite all the gaiety, cheerfulness and spirit of giving during this season, when you get right down to it this is a trashy time of the year.

What we're talking about here are turkey bones, cardboard boxes, wrapping paper and, yes, even a few slightly used Christmas trees. It all adds up to one huge mountain of trash that somebody has to deal with, and that "somebody" all too typically turns out to be you, Mr. or Mrs. Taxpayer!

You can buy a living Christmas tree this year and after the holidays, you'll even have a new tree to add to your yard.

Oh, we don't mean immediately. Sure, somebody else picks the stuff up after you put it in the trash can in the alley and carts it off to the place where all good trash is supposed to end up; a landfill or something like that, right? And you're finished with it for good, right?

Wrong! At the landfill that trash with your name on it lays around taking up landfill space sometimes for years, but doing little else except running up your bill. In fact, at a forum earlier this week hosted by Keep Midland Beautiful, the League of Women Voters and Midland College, Assistant City Manager Glen Hackler estimated that it costs taxpayers $1.25 million to operate a landfill for 24 months — and that figure doesn't even include transportation costs.

Feel less jolly now? Being trashy is expensive! But there are alternatives that can help you avoid some of the cost while helping the environment, said several of the officials attending the forum this week. It's really something to think about.

- You can buy a living Christmas tree this year and after the holidays, you'll even have a new tree to add to your yard. If you buy a cut Christmas tree, take it to a city park after Christmas so it may be mulched and, thus, help the environment.
- Recycle wrapping paper and bows this Christmas. There is truly an allure to antique wrapping paper.
- Think conservation where waste is concerned, and particularly do not waste food. Didn't your mother ever teach you anything?

Remember the old saying "waste not, want not." And try to have a less trashy holiday season this year.

ANOTHER VIEW

Purchase of MiGs less costly than war

The U.S. purchase of 21 high-performance MiG jet fighters from the former Soviet republic of Moldova, for an estimated $40 million, is money well spent.

The U.S. Air Force is shipping the aircraft from the small, eastern European country ... to Wright-Patterson Air Force Base in Ohio, where they will probably gather expensive dust. That's far better than their other destination, Iran, which tried to buy the jets from cash-starved Moldova. ...

Where 21 of them were going is a country without a valid reason for such high-performance weaponry. Iran already has 30 of the advanced fighters, another squadron of them would not serve the region well. Today, the stakes are too high, the risks of nuclear and biological vandalism too great for the U.S. not to intervene in the transfer of such weapons.

Secretary of Defense William Cohen justified the purchase of the MiGs as an intervention, which it was, but one far less costly than may have been necessary on another day if those planes were flying for Iran.

— **The Seattle Times**
Seattle, Wash.

JACK ANDERSON

Loophole proves advantageous for Iraqi military

Six years ago, for 40 days and 40 nights, Iraq was pummelled by the largest air-and-bombing assault in the history of the world.

Anderson

When it was over, the country was in ruins, a monumental rubble that was the direct result of the madness of its leader, Saddam Hussein.

Since the 1991 Gulf War, Iraq has been crushed further by a series of United Nations resolutions that have imposed oil and trade embargoes until Saddam dismantles and destroys all chemical, biological, nuclear and ballistic missile materiel.

Yet in the last six years, the Iraqis — with the same tenacity, deception and drive used to amass their formidable war machine in the first place — have now rebuilt much of their military complex, according to our intelligence sources. Despite the ongoing U.N. inspections, and the oil embargo, Iraq has:

- Managed to reconstruct more than 80 percent of the military manufacturing capability it possessed before Desert Storm. Neither the United Nations, nor the IAEA, has been able to do anything about this.
- Succeeded in reinvigorating its clandestine procurement network, relying on known front companies in Jordan, France and Germany to purchase critical items and spare parts for its weapons industries. Iraq continues to ship oil to Jordan, and to Iran, using funds from oil sales to feed that procurement network.
- Manufactured T-72 tanks, artillery munitions and even short-range ballistic missiles, and is operating more than 40 major weapons plants. At the same time, Iraq has repaired and returned to service most of the 2,500 main battle tanks and 250 fixed-wing aircraft that survived Desert Storm.

The recent showdown with Iraq over U.N. inspection teams that include Americans have highlighted Saddam's intention to secure the weapons of mass destruction he had before the Gulf War.

But lost in all the coverage about this showdown is what U.N. officials — in more than a dozen interviews with our associate Dale Van Atta — call "the big loophole:" the fact that none of the U.N. Security Council resolutions on Iraq calls for the dismantling or monitoring of Iraq's conventional weapons plants.

Under the authority of the current resolutions, U.N. teams have inspected some of the conventional weapons plants, but only within a very limited framework.

As one senior analyst with the U.N. Special Commission (UNSCOM) on Iraq put it to us, "We can't be bothered with counting how many 155 mm shells the Iraqis can make, as long as they do not violate the terms of (resolution) 687. ... We have too much to do as it is."

In other words, Iraq is fully allowed by the terms of the cease-fire to continue making conventional weapons and ammunition at whatever rate it desires — even in the same plants that are suspected of being part of Iraq's nuclear program.

In theory, Iraq can even save equipment slated for disposal by UNSCOM by declaring that it will only be used for the manufacture of conventional weaponry. Allowable activity includes the manufacture of artillery rockets and ballistic missiles with ranges of 150 kilometers or less.

Iraq has tried to take advantage of this loophole to prevent the destruction of equipment used for the production of the Badr 2000 (Condor II), a 1,000-kilometer-range ballistic missile believed to be far more accurate than Iraq's upgraded Scuds. (Its solid-fuel engines also make it easier to conceal and quicker to deploy.)

Starting in 1985, the U.S. government led a major campaign to prevent the sale of critical manufacturing equipment to the Condor II program, parts of which were being conducted jointly with Argentina and Egypt. Before the U.N. inspections began in Iraq, it was widely claimed that halting the Condor II program was the largest single success of the Missile Technology Control Regime.

UNSCOM inspectors soon discovered four separate bomb-damaged facilities in different parts of Iraq that had been engaged in the production of the Badr 2000 only days before Desert Storm began. One of the facilities, south of Fallujah, was also manufacturing liquid-fueled al-Hussein and al-Abbas missiles, Iraq's improved-range Scuds.

All four missile plants appeared to have been built by German and Italian firms, although the bulk of the solid fuel technology is said to have originated in the United States and to have reached Iraq via France and Italy.

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ART BUCHWALD

'Professional' opinions shape our views

Under the Truth-in-Columning Act I must confess that I attended opening night of the new Broadway show, "The Scarlet Pimpernel," with two free tickets. It was a glitzy event, and everyone was full of optimism — and fear.

Buchwald

To be perfectly honest, I liked the show. I liked the performances. I liked the sets. I liked the music, and I liked the book. As I sat in the audience I said to myself, "Now this is theater, and I don't have to lie to anybody that I liked it."

When I was leaving, a TV person stuck a mike in my face and asked me what I thought of the show. I said, "I liked it very much. I enjoyed myself, and I'm going to bring my children."

Then I went off to the cast party where everything was free — and I liked that, too. I might mention that everybody I talked to during the evening felt the same way I did, and there must have been a thousand people at the party.

The next morning I woke up and purchased The New York Times, New York Post and New York Daily News. All three critics hated the show. Nobody liked the book or the music or anything about "Pimpernel." They really beat up on it with nightsticks.

I immediately began to question my own judgment.

How could I like something that all three New York papers hated? What right did I have to enjoy a musical that these distinguished critics spat on?

I called Andy Stacks and said, "Did you see the reviews of 'The Scarlet Pimpernel'? What do you think?"

His response was, "I hated it, too."

"But last night at the party you told me that you loved it."

"A person can change his mind," he said.

"Is it possible that you didn't know whether you liked it or not until the critics decided if it was worthwhile?"

"It's possible but very unlikely. I have a mind of my own. It so happens that these critics wouldn't be any use unless they knew what was good or bad for us."

"They're only three people. The producers deserve a bigger sampling than that when someone puts $10 million into a show."

"If the critics didn't know more than the rest of us, they'd all be up ladders changing light bulbs on Broadway."

Art Buchwald's column is distributed by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Nov. 19, the 323rd day of 1997. There are 42 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 19, 1863, President Lincoln delivered the Gettysburg Address as he dedicated a national cemetery at the site of the Civil War battlefield in Pennsylvania.

On this date:

In 1794, the United States and Britain signed the Jay Treaty, which resolved some issues left over from the Revolutionary War.

In 1831, the 20th president of the United States, James Garfield, was born in Orange, Ohio.

In 1919, the Senate rejected the Treaty of Versailles by a vote of 55 in favor to 39 against, short of the two-thirds majority needed for ratification.

In 1942, during World War II, Russian forces launched their winter offensive against the Germans along the Don front.

In 1959, Ford Motor Co. announced it was halting production of the unpopular Edsel.

In 1969, Apollo 12 astronauts Charles Conrad and Alan Bean made man's second landing on the moon.

In 1977, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat became the first Arab leader to visit Israel.

In 1985, President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev met for the first time as they began their summit in Geneva.

Ten years ago: Congressional budget negotiators finished all but the final details of a two-year, $75 billion deficit reduction pact, but not in time to avert spending cuts mandated by the Gramm-Rudman Act.

Five years ago: President Bush's mother, Dorothy, died in Greenwich, Conn., at age 91. President-elect Clinton paid a call on Congress.

One year ago: Fourteen people were killed when a commuter plane collided with a private plane at an airport in Quincy, Ill. The space shuttle Columbia lifted off with the oldest crew member to date, 61-year-old Story Musgrave. The United States vetoed U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali's bid for a second term.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Alan Young is 78. Former U.N. Ambassador Jeane J. Kirkpatrick is 71. Talk show host Larry King is 64. Talk show host Dick Cavett is 61. Broadcasting and sports mogul Ted Turner is 59. Singer Pete Moore (Smokey Robinson and the Miracles) is 58. Sen. Thomas R. Harkin, D- Iowa, is 58. TV journalist Garrick Utley is 58. Actor Dan Haggerty is 56. Wisconsin Gov. Tommy G. Thompson is 56. Fashion designer Calvin Klein is 55. Sportscaster Ahmad Rashad is 48. Actress Kathleen Quinlan is 43. Actress Glynnis O'Connor is 42. Rock musician Matt Sorum (The Cult; Guns N' Roses) is 37. Actress Meg Ryan is 36. Olympic gold medal runner Gail Devers is 31. Actress-director Jodie Foster is 35. Rock musician Travis McNabb (Better Than Ezra) is 28. Singer Tony Rich is 26. Dancer-choreographer Savion Glover is 24. Rhythm-and-blues singer Tamika Scott (Xscape) is 22.

Thought for Today: "If an historian were to relate truthfully all the crimes, weaknesses and disorders of mankind, his readers would take his work for satire rather than for history." — Pierre Bayle, French philosopher and critic (1647-1706).

WILLIAM SAFIRE

'The Full Monty' is rapidly becoming a modern metaphor

How do you describe "everything"? I don't mean a few cosmic items, or a bunch of stuff; I mean the whole shootin' match, the works, the entire kit and caboodle, the whole ball of wax. Everything, including the kitchen sink.

Safire

For nearly a century, the collective slang of choice by such writers as Walt Whitman, Bret Harte, and Mark Twain was the shebang, a term meaning "a hut, shed, tent, or dilapidated dwelling," perhaps from the Irish shebaan, or "lowly tavern"; by metaphoric extension, the whole shebang came to mean "the entire setup." After a good run, the shebang seems to be closing its tent.

Its replacement in the past generation had been the whole nine yards. No, this had nothing to do with football (you need 10 yards, not 9, for a first down) or material for a wedding dress. Diligent research, buttressed by many letters from construction workers, points to the cubic contents of a cement truck. (I say it's a cement truck; they call it a concrete truck. Whatever you call the conveyance, a full, rotating load supposedly contains the whole nine yards.)

Now a new challenger has entered the lexicon of surfeit. "Buy a simple package of 14 channels," advises Britain's Daily Mail, and it will cost about $10, but it will cost you triple that if you take 16 channels, a movie channel and Sky Sports, and in the newspaper's figure of speech, "go for the full Monty." In 1993, The Glasgow Herald described a diner "tucking into the full monty — bacon, sausage, eggs, and black pudding." It was the title of a 1993 book by Jim Davidson, a TV comic, and the name of a horse in 1990. (For a century, a monty has been racetrack slang for "a horse certain to win.")

On this side of the Atlantic, The San Diego Union-Tribune ran a story about the Carlsbad City Council's zoning restrictions to avert garishness: "Carlsbad has reached the point where it can afford to go the full monty — full frontal snobbery."

That metaphoric reference to nudity is repeated in the movie section of The Boston Herald: "Apparently Tinseltown is atwitter over 'Boogie Nights,' the New Line Cinema flick where Mark Wahlberg, 26, does The Full Monty, snorts coke and God knows what else as porn star Dirk Diggler."

The phrase is being spread around the world by the success of a low-budget British comedy-drama from Fox Searchlight Pictures titled "The Full Monty." In it, the main character says, "The Full Monty ... don't think I relish the idea of pulling off my kegs and showing my lunch box to the world." Fox publicity defines the phrase this way: "1. naked, nude. 2. to go the Full Monty, vb., to take all one's clothes off, to go the whole way, to be totally naked."

The etymology of the term is in dispute. One school holds that it comes from a card game, either monte bank or three-card monte, the phrase derived from a pile, or mountain, of cards. Another points to a Liverpool haberdashery selling arriving sailors an entire shore outfit. Michael Quinion, who writes a lively Web page about new words (http://clever.net/quinion/words), reports the speculation that it may have to do with Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery, Monty to his troops, who cut a splendid figure in full regalia.

The origin has to be considered obscure, but the meaning is "the totality," with a special sense of "nakedness." The phrase is already spawning puns; Entertainment Weekly refers to "Wuthering Heights" as "the full Bronte."

FILM CLICHES

The quotation anthologist Nigel Rees' Quote ... Unquote newsletter (Box 292437, Dayton, Ohio 45429) takes up the topic of film cliches.

No movie comes close to "Casablanca" (screenplay by Howard Koch, Julius J. Epstein and Philip G. Epstein) for the coinage of what later became cliches: Play it, Sam (without the "again") has been extensively studied here, as have shocked, shocked and the usual suspects, later the name of a rock group and now the title of a movie.

William Safire's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

Witness details alleged financing of bombing

Associated Press

DENVER — An Arkansas gun collector testified Tuesday that a masked gunman in camouflage gear bound his eyes and body with duct tape and stole nearly 70 weapons in a 1994 robbery that prosecutors say financed the Oklahoma City bombing.

Roger E. Moore, 62, told jurors at Terry Nichols' trial he could not identify the gunman, but prosecutors say the masked man was Nichols.

Defense attorney Michael Tigar has questioned whether the robbery really happened, pointing out that Timothy McVeigh, already convicted in the bombing, was a friend of Moore and Karen Anderson, Moore's girlfriend and business partner.

Prosecutor say Nichols committed the Nov. 5, 1994, robbery so the weapons could be sold to raise money for the April 19, 1995, bombing, which killed 168 people.

Earlier Tuesday, Ms. Anderson acknowledged that a Ruger Mini 30-7.62X39 she reported stolen actually was registered to Nichols. The gun's serial number was identical on Nichols' purchase record and on a list of serial numbers of stolen weapons.

Tigar asked: "Isn't it a fact that this list you prepared is a fraud?"

"No, it is not," Ms. Anderson replied, placing her forehead on crossed arms on the witness stand and looking down at a computer screen. Nichols pursed his lips.

As Moore described the robbery, Nichols' jaw dropped and he stared at the witness.

Moore identified several of the weapons found in Nichols' house three days after the bombing, including a .22 Hornet Winchester rifle Moore's father gave him some 37 years ago. Moore said the serial number on a custom-made .50-caliber rifle was the same as a .50-caliber rifle that was stolen.

On the morning of the robbery, Moore said, he had just left his house to feed the farm animals when he heard a man say, "Lay on the ground."

Moore turned and saw the man, wearing well-worn Vietnam-era camouflage clothing, combat boots, military gloves and a black ski mask, and smelling "like a pig yard." The man had "a pistol-grip shotgun aimed right at my face," Moore said.

With the shotgun at the base of his neck, Moore was forced to crawl into his house and get down on his stomach on the living room floor, where the gunman bound his hands and ankles with plastic ties.

After Moore complained the ties were too tight, the gunman moved Moore to the couch and wrapped duct tape around his eyes, around his upper arms, just above the wrists, and around his thighs to bind them to his body.

The gunman kept mostly quiet, making repeated trips to Moore's van outside.

Moore asked him, "Are you a fed?"

Moore said the gunman told him as he left: "There's another guy waiting out there with a shotgun. Don't move. We're coming back for the rest of it. You don't have to worry about your guns; they're going to the gangs."

Moore said he never heard anyone else. He used a penknife sitting on a table near the couch to cut the duct tape and free himself.

Nichols, 42, could get the death penalty if convicted of murder and conspiracy in the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building. McVeigh, his Army buddy, was convicted in June and sentenced to die.

AP Photo

U.S. Attorneys Beth Wilkinson, center, and Geoffrey Mearns, right, are escorted by an unidentified FBI agent, left, as they arrive at the Federal Courthouse in Denver Tuesday, where they continue to assist in the trial of Oklahoma City bombing suspect Terry Nichols.

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It is located at 804 Anasazi Drive in the northeast part of Aztec, a village of fifteen hundred homes. About half the citizens have moved here to retire because its near the mountains but just out of the heavy snowfall area. Even in mid-summer the nights are cool. And it doesn't hurt that some of the finest fly fishing in the world is only minutes away on the San Juan River below Navajo Dam.

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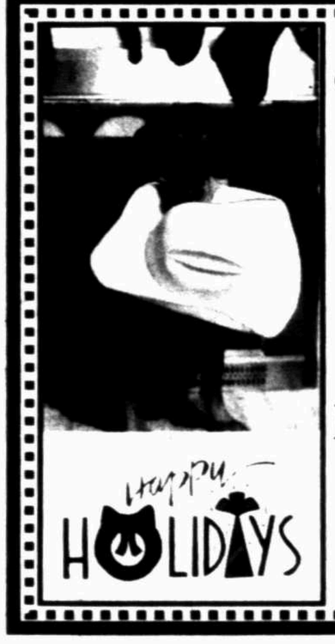

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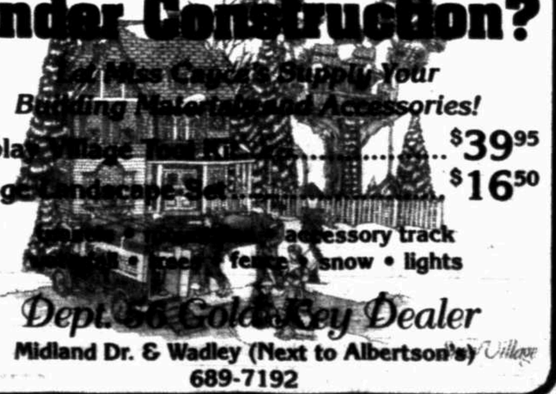

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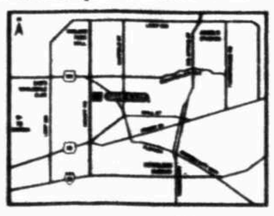

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FBI closes TWA Flight 800 criminal probe, releases video

NEW YORK (AP) — After scrutinizing more than 1 million pieces of wreckage, conducting 7,000 interviews and spending up to $20 million, the FBI officially pulled out of the probe into TWA Flight 800 Tuesday, saying the explosion was not caused by a criminal act.

Investigators also released a videotaped simulation of the jet's last minutes to back up their conclusion and explain what scores of witnesses actually saw when the plane plunged into the Atlantic Ocean.

"We ran out of things to do," Assistant FBI Director James Kallstrom said at a news conference.

"Following 16 months of unprecedented investigation ... we must now report that no evidence has been found which would indicate that a criminal act was the cause."

The Associated Press reported last Wednesday that the FBI had told families of the 230 victims that it would suspend the probe, turning the investigation over to the National Transportation Safety Board.

TWA Flight 800 had just left Kennedy Airport for Paris on July 17, 1996, when its center fuel tank exploded, killing everyone aboard. It broke apart at 13,700 feet and crashed into the ocean 10 miles off Long Island.

Kallstrom showed the CIA-produced videotape, with its computer-generated recreation of the disaster, to explain why 244 eyewitnesses reported streaks of light that some thought were a missile.

Investigators concluded that the witnesses actually were seeing the crippled plane itself, several seconds after the initial explosion. The sound of the blast reached them later, making them think they were watching the beginning of the disaster instead of its end, the FBI concluded.

Ninety-six percent of the wreckage was painstakingly recovered from the sea and reassembled in a Long Island hangar. Investigators looked at more than 1,400 places where the plane was torn and 259 areas of missing fuselage, and took more than 2,000 chemical swabbings, Kallstrom said.

They searched the metal, fabric and wires for telltale signs of explosives, and tried to match up possible entry and exit holes that a missile would have made.

FBI scientists shot missile warheads at scrapped jumbo jets in the Southwest desert to compare scarring to TWA 800's mangled body. Nothing matched.

Aware that the long investigation fueled conspiracy theories and suspicion, Kallstrom bluntly rejected such conjecture.

Asked about a speck of radar some thought was a missile, or forensic evidence that might have indicated a missile, Kallstrom responded: "Never was. Never will be."

He also rejected suggestions that the investigation was too long.

"We had to look at every dark crack and crevice in this investigation," he said. "We are the Federal Bureau of Total Investigation ... not the Federal Bureau of the Obvious."

Kallstrom attacked those who claimed that the military accidentally shot down the plane and that the government covered it up. He said the FBI identified all military assets within 200 miles, documented all training exercises and accounted for all weapons capable of reaching the plane.

White House spokesman Mike McCurry said Tuesday that air-travel security precautions resulting from the disaster remain in place.

"I think we have some confidence that we struck the right balance, irrespective of the announcement today," he said.

Families of the dead filed lawsuits last year blaming the airline and Boeing, the 747's manufacturer, alleging mechanical malfunction. Seattle-based Boeing said it would continue to work with the NTSB in looking for the cause.

Kallstrom left the door open to new leads.

"If something comes up, we are going to jump into it with both feet as quickly as possible," he said. "We are not writing a big 'closed' on it and putting it in some dusty safe somewhere."

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Miami mayor ushers in big plan changes

MIAMI (AP) — The former and newly elected mayor of Miami is back with a vengeance, planning budget cuts and layoffs, demanding resignation letters from dozens of administrators and playing down the city's financial troubles.

Mayor Xavier Suarez, a 48-year-old Harvard-educated lawyer, is surprising many with his fiery shake-up at City Hall his second day on the job Tuesday. In two terms from 1985 to 1993, Suarez cultivated a reputation as calm and contemplative.

But he is the first Miami mayor to wield new powers under a new "strong mayor" type of government voters approved earlier this year. He has more say over city finances and the hiring and firing of employees.

"He certainly seems to be more decisive, to put it charitably," said Dan Paul, an attorney who is active in city politics.

Suarez defeated former Mayor Joe Carollo on Thursday in a tight election marked by allegations of vote fraud. A criminal investigation is under way and Carollo has sued to overturn the results.

That hasn't deterred Suarez from beginning to erase Carollo's stamp on the city.

"We're going to go full speed to straighten out things in the city," he said Tuesday. "We're going to change radically the operations of the city with cuts and with the sale of properties that aren't producing."

One of his top priorities is getting rid of the state oversight board, which was appointed by Gov. Lawton Chiles last year to oversee city finances after a near-meltdown. Suarez claims the city's money woes were exaggerated.

The new mayor's first act in office this week was to fire city manager Ed Marquez, who developed a five-year budget plan after his predecessor was indicted on public-corruption charges and auditors counted a $68 million budget deficit.

Suarez met Tuesday with the board and promised to give it a new five-year plan to bring the city back into fiscal shape. He said he wanted the state out of the city's affairs by the end of the year.

"The city has an incredibly strong bottom line," Suarez said in a news conference following the meeting.

His assertions surprised members of the state board, which has four years of existence remaining under an agreement with the city.

Bob Beatty, Florida general counsel for BellSouth and a member of the board, said the state's job wasn't completed.

"I think it's a naive approach to the issues facing the city of Miami," he said.

The mayor has demanded about two dozen assistant managers to hand in resignation letters by 5 p.m. Wednesday and has suggested he'll ask the new city manager to request another round of resignations by the end of the month.

The job cuts, accomplished by asking most of those affected to retire, will save the city some $10 million, he said.

Suarez also elevated indicted city commissioner Humberto Hernandez to preside over the five-member commission.

Chiles suspended Hernandez in July after he was indicted on money laundering and fraud charges stemming from his law practice. Hernandez was overwhelmingly re-elected two weeks ago.

Hernandez said he plans to ask the commission to increase the mayor's annual salary from $5,000, the amount paid to previous part-time mayors, to $97,000.

Beatty said the mayor's alliance with Hernandez may become a concern to the financial markets, which last year lowered the city's credit rating to near junk-bond level. The ratings have since gone up but not to pre-crisis levels.

"There is no question the financial markets are going to question whether indeed it is a new day in Miami when in fact an indicted person is the head of a branch of government," he said, "and I share that question."

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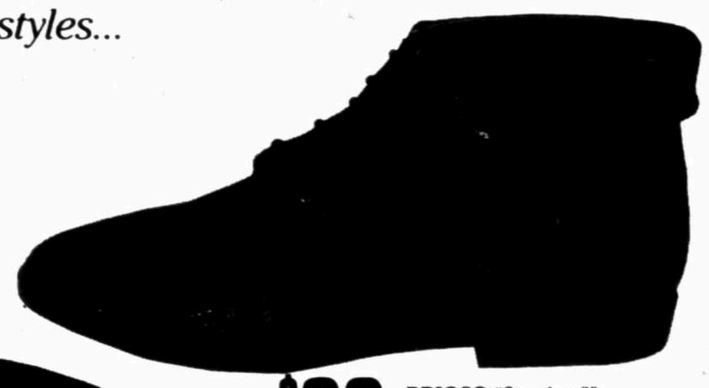

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Bush announces clean air plan

■ Governor urges industrial plants that were exempted from 1971 Clean Air Act to voluntarily apply for state air permits and modernize their facilities.

By Michelle Koidin
Associated Press

HOUSTON — Gov. George W. Bush gathered with industry officials at the Port of Houston Tuesday to announce an effort to reduce pollution from older plants while Bush's new Democratic opponent criticized the plan.

"We can have both clean air and jobs in the state of Texas," Bush said while standing in a warehouse at the port, which includes the largest petrochemical complex in the world.

Ten companies, including Valero Energy Corp., Houston Lighting & Power Co. and Marathon Oil Co., have pledged to reduce emissions from "grandfathered" facilities — plants that either were in existence or under construction when Texas adopted the Clean Air Act in 1971. The plants were exempted from having to get permits because it was believed they either would be modernized or closed over time.

Some of the plants, however, continue to operate as they did 26 years ago and without permits from the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

Bush has asked company heads to voluntarily get permits for their "grandfathered" facilities.

"By voluntarily receiving state air permits for their older facilities and installing modern emissions control technology, these companies will reduce air pollution in Houston, Corpus Christi, El Paso and other Texas cities by an estimated 10,000 tons a year," Bush said. That's equal to emissions from 200,000 automobiles in a year, he said.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, a Democrat who announced Monday he is running against Bush in next year's governor's race, said the plan doesn't go far enough.

"While I applaud good corporate citizens who voluntarily meet clean air standards, the vast majority of pollution is caused by plants that will not voluntarily comply because they are more concerned with profits than clean air," Mauro said during a campaign stop in Longview.

"Until we come up with a compliance plan for those polluters — who are enjoying profits without spending money on pollution equipment — we will not get clean air in Texas," he said.

Valero Energy of San Antonio has volunteered to seek

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BASIN BRIEFING

Diabetes screening

November is American Diabetes Month and in conjunction with that, the local chapter of the American Diabetes Association offered eye screenings and feet screenings because eyesight and nerves of the feet can be affected by the disease. The association is offering another foot screening 1-4:30 p.m. today at First United Methodist Church. For more information call Christi at 570-7521.

Bowl-a-thon

ODESSA — Diamond Lanes, 2208 E. Eighth St., and 7-Eleven are to host a bowl-a-thon and team challenge beginning 11 a.m. Dec. 7 for the benefit of the Muscular Dystrophy Association. To participate, bowlers need a minimum of $36 in pledges or donations. Age groups are 5-8, 9-11, 12-14 and adult. After the pledge bowling, a team challenge is planned. Four-person teams will bowl three games. There is a $100 entry fee. For more information call Trudy at MDA, 570-4970 or Megan at 7-Eleven, 580-0107.

Recertification

AMARILLO — A proposal to require teachers to renew state certification every five years will be made optional for those already in the classroom, the chairman of the State Board for Educator Certification predicts.

Jim Nelson, chairman of the State Board for Educator Certification, told a room full of educators Monday, "We hear you. We have heard you."

At hearings statewide, he said, educators have emphasized the importance of keeping their lifetime certificates good for life.

"I think we've clearly, and I personally, underestimated the really sincere and deep feeling a lot of people have about that word 'lifetime,'" he said.

An initial proposal adopted Oct. 31 would require educators to renew certification every five years by accumulating 150 hours of continuing education, including training already provided by districts during the school year, Nelson said. He said there would be no test, and the re-certification fee would be about $20.

That proposal doesn't give educators the option of whether to participate, but Nelson said he believes it will be revised when the board meets next on Jan. 9.

TODAY'S AGENDA

For information on checking out books, library hours and how to get a library card, call the Midland County Library information Line, on CITYLINE, 560-2400, Category 7100.

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7am, 405 N. Marienfeld, third floor conference room.

Gamblers Anonymous, 4601 Neely Ave., room 6, 7:30 pm 24-hour hotline, 567-7916.

Midland Articulators Chapter of International Training in Communication, 4400 N. Big Spring St., 689-7875 or 682-8820.

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30 pm, parlor.

Arco Articulators, 11:30 am ARCO Building, 688-5760.

Uptown Chapter of Business and Professional Women luncheon program, Petroleum Club, Lynn Clark, 682-0291.

Tall City Toastmasters Club, 11:30 am, Permian Basin Graduate Center, 688-3193 (Bob Clohessey).

Company D, 403rd MP BN, Company D, Texas State Guard 7:30 pm, Texas National Guard Armory.

Midland Apartment Association, board of directors, noon, Clusters Club room.

Seniors Over 50 Dance,7:30 p.m. Eagles Lodge, 697-3131 or 694-3236.

Midland County Child Welfare Board, noon, Department of Human Services, 901 W. Wall St.

Blacksheep A.A. group, 7 p.m., Glenwood Hospital, 3300 S. FM 1788, Info. 563-1200.

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Beyond the classroom

Hillander School students try to get a grasp on science

By Richard Enos
Staff Writer

Some Hillander School students recently took science beyond the classroom as they let their curiosity lead them to new depths.

The private school held its fifth- and sixth-grade science fair on Tuesday as students showed adults their ingenious experiments and scientific discoveries.

Sharon Kimbrell, a science and computer science teacher, said the science fair can be a gateway to further study for the school's 70 or so fifth- and six-graders.

"I let them choose the things they're interested in because I want them all to be teachers and scientists," Ms. Kimbrell joked.

Seriously, she hopes that early experiments will excite the students about science.

"I want them to stay interested in science because it can be boring sometimes," she said. "(It's) daily applications. They do things that are simple to complex — something really small gets them started in the field."

Scott Peterson, a sixth-grader, did an experiment in which he built a working model oil pump jack out of an erector set and a series of tubing from a fish tank.

The tubes lead from the moving, motorized pump jack to a bowl filled with "oil," or dyed water. Scott has plenty of diagrams on how the oil industry removes oil and geologic rock layers.

"I just learned a lot about how oil is brought up from the ground and what the strata formations should be," Scott said.

Annabelle Bailey, also a sixth-grader, wanted to know how different kinds of crystals grow. She mixed Epson salts, table salts and sugar with water and other substances and watched the crystals grow.

"They did grow different, each one had a different shape," Annabelle said. "You put this (one crystal) in construction paper and it would grow some weird crystals.

"You never really hear a lot about crystals and I just decided to do it," she said. "Each

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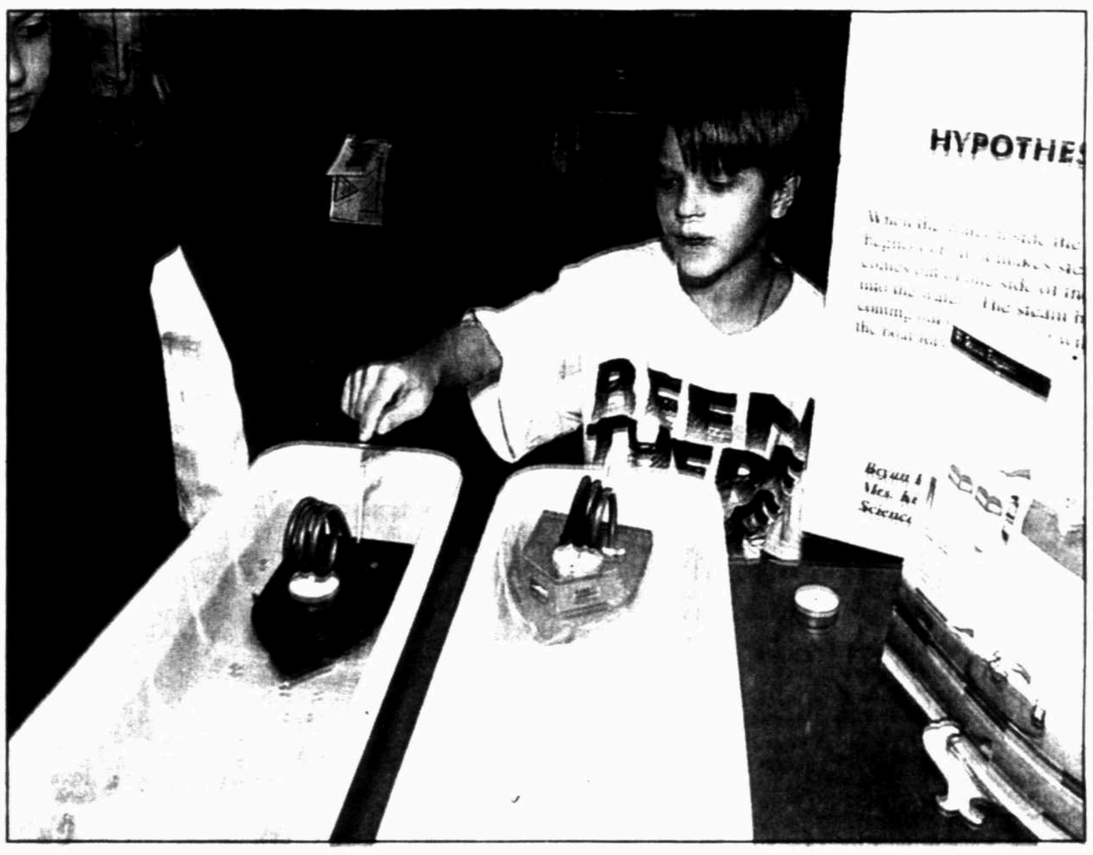

ABOVE: Hillander School fifth-grader Bryan Hastings explains his science project, which illustrates how steam can be used as a source of energy to power boats.

LEFT: Hillander School sixth-grader Kirk True, right, lets K.C. Coe spin a small prop mounted on a small electric motor showing him how electricity is generated.

Photos by Curt Wilcott

Shell officials pleased with handling of mock disaster

By Richard Enos
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Shell Odessa Refinery Co. employees and emergency workers on Tuesday passed an industrial disaster drill with flying colors, according to officials.

Gary Miller, Shell public information officer for the event held at Shell's refinery, said emergency crews stopped a simulated acid gas leak in about an hour with only minor difficulties.

Two Shell employees "suffered" minor injuries from the leak.

At about 9:30 a.m. hydrofluoric acid fumes "leaked" from a gasoline processing unit at the facility south of Interstate 20. The refinery uses the highly toxic and corrosive acid to combine butane with propane to make gasoline.

"It is toxic. That's why we wanted to simulate it — we see this as a worst-case scenario for this location," Miller said of the training. "The intent is to minimize exposure for our personnel and the community."

The Shell plant employs 68 people on various shifts and has 35 contractors. An alliance of public and private emergency workers were able to stop the leak with only some minor communication problems, Miller said.

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'Most of the problems were communication problems, nothing keeping us from physically being able to do something ... Everything went very, very well.'
— Gary Miller, Shell public information officer

Council to seek bids on demolition of Airport Inn

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

In association with ongoing construction of the new terminal complex at Midland International Airport, City Council members voted to seek bids for the destruction of the aging Airport Inn.

Known as the Skyway Motel for most of its life, the structure has been vacant for some years and was purchased last summer at a cost of $300,000 for the strategic location of its 2.25-acre site.

With construction continuing on the new $34 million airport terminal complex, council members decided to purchase the adjacent property as an investment in the future appearance of the area, according to Glen Hackler, assistant city manager.

"It had become an eyesore," Hackler said.

Funds from the purchase came from the airport's reserve fund, which includes all remaining revenues garnered from all airport funds at the end of each fiscal year. These revenues include park-

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Photo by Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Autumn is in the air

Wanda Lowe rakes the yard Tuesday afternoon outside her house in the 2300 block of Terrace. The recent freeze caused trees to lose most of their leaves. Tuesday's high was 67; today's forecast calls for a high in the upper 60s.

Director of engineering looks forward to challenge

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

After two days on the job, Marcus Johnston, 44, new director of engineering and development for the city of Midland, is pleased with his decision to return to Midland.

"It's going to be a great job," said Johnston, who most recently served as city administrator of Bellville, near Houston. "Midland is a good town," he added.

Johnston

Johnston, who lived in Midland between 1976 and 1982, has served as project coordinator for the city of Cleburne and senior budget analyst over capital improvement projects for the city of Dallas.

As director of engineering and development, Johnston will oversee six divisions for the city, including Design and Construction, Code Administration, Planning, Community Development, Street Maintenance and Traffic Engineering.

He will direct a total of 125 employees and an annual budget of $6.9 million.

"I think this is going to be extra challenging," Johnston said. "The nice thing about this job is that it's something different every day," he added.

Johnston and his wife, Cindi, already have found a home. She shares his enthusiasm for the city, he said.

Named to the position in early October, Johnston officially took control of the department Monday. Johnston is replacing former director Harvey Hanson, who resigned from the position in July.

No stranger to West Texas, Johnston received his master's degree in public administration from Texas Tech University and his bachelor's in business administration from the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

After spending a couple of days getting a feel for the new department, Johnston is positive about the challenges facing him. For this, he credits the quality of the city staff he will be leading.

"It's going to be a very challenging job, there is a great staff here," he said.

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POLICE REPORTS

Midland Police Department
Monday

Aggravated assault: A drive-by shooting occurred at the intersection of Humble Avenue and Big Spring Street. A complainant told police that gunshots damaged the driver's side window of their vehicle. The damages were estimated at $100. A report was made at 11:26 p.m.

Assault: An assault report was made from 1411 N. Lamesa Road at 9:07 p.m.

Midland County Sheriff's Office
Tuesday

Criminal mischief: At 12:53 p.m., Ann Ortiz made a criminal mischief report from 6201 E. County Road 85. A vehicle was vandalized.

Theft: An employee of Southwest Convenience Store, 13920 W. U.S. Highway 80, made a theft report at 2:50 p.m. A man drove off without paying for $15 of gasoline.

DEATH NOTICES

Esther Barnes

BIG SPRING — Esther L. Barnes, 73, of Big Spring, mother of Midlander Buster Barnes, died Monday, Nov. 17, at a Big Spring hospital.

Graveside services are to be 4:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21, at Mount Olive Memorial Park in Big Spring with Curtis Barnes officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home in Big Spring.

She was born Oct. 31, 1924, in Plainview.

She lived in Big Spring until moving to Lubbock in 1978 and returned to Big Spring in 1995. She was a retired licensed vocational nurse and worked at a hospital and nursing homes.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Joetta Graham.

Other survivors include a daughter, Deanie Burdette of Big Spring; another son, Curtis Barnes of Birmingham, Ala.; two brothers, Robert Graham of Eureka, Calif., and Richard Graham of Sweetwater; three sisters, Anna Myers of Seguin, Barbara Lambert of Wichita Falls and Katherine Browne of Carson City, Nev.; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Gene Carter

QUITMAN — Gene Rawlings Carter of Quitman, father of Midlander Sandra L. Manley, died Monday, Nov. 12 in a Tyler hospital.

Services are scheduled for 3 p.m. Wed., Nov. 19 at First United Methodist Church in Quitman with the Rev. Curtis Grissett officiating. Burial is to follow at Quitman City Cemetery under the direction of Lowe Funeral Home in Quitman.

He was born April 24, 1916, in Stephenville.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church in Quitman.

Other survivors include his wife, Marilyn Carter of Quitman; a sister, Exia M. Halbert of Stephenville; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Lois Parham

DALLAS — Former Midlander Lois Parham of Dallas, died Monday, Nov. 17.

Graveside services are to be 2 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, at the Kosse Cemetery in Kosse under the direction of Groesbeck Funeral Home in Groesbeck.

She was born Aug. 30, 1913, in Houston.

She lived in Midland from 1971 to 1975. She was involved in ranching and oil businesses. After leaving Midland she lived in Rockport and Emerald Bay before moving to Dallas.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sam L. Parham.

Survivors include a son, Sam Parham Jr., of Dallas.

Memorials may be directed to Presbyterian Healthcare Foundation, Respiratory Therapy Unit, 8220 Walnut Hill Ln., Dallas 7523.

Paula Johnson

EASTLAND — Paula Mae Flournoy Johnson, 82, mother of Midlander George Flournoy, died Oct. 22, in Eastland.

Funeral services were Saturday, Oct. 25, at Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with the Rev. Jeff Smith officiating. Burial was in Acker Cemetery in Stephens County.

She was born April 22, 1915, in Lassater.

She grew up in Stephens and Eastland counties and lived near Morton Valley and Eastland. She was a member of Harmony Baptist Church in Morton Valley and Daughters of the American Revolution.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charlie Johnson, in 1954.

Other survivors included two nieces.

Paul Marroquin

Paul Marroquin, 52, of Midland died Monday, Nov. 17, in Amarillo.

Services are pending with Pipkin Funeral Home.

Obituary & Death Notice policy

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

Free death notices include date and place of death, service and burial information, funeral home handling arrangements, date and place of birth, brief biography, survivors and memorials. A longer, more detailed obituary is available for a charge. It may include tributes, expanded biography, organizational associations, notes of appreciation, pallbearers, honorary pallbearers and a photo.

Deadline for both free death notices and paid obituaries is 4:30 p.m. and information must be either received from or verified by a funeral home.

Plano, Laredo among fastest growing cities

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two Texas cities — one a vibrant conduit for growing U.S.-Mexico trade, the other a business mecca on the outskirts of Dallas — are among the fastest growing communities in the United States, the Census Bureau said Tuesday.

Plano's 50 percent growth from 1990 to 1996 was the fifth-fastest growth rate in the United States. Laredo wasn't far behind, snagging the eighth-fastest growth rate with a 34 percent population gain during the same period.

San Antonio, meanwhile was one of only two U.S. cities rising above the 1 million mark in population during the six-year period, along with Phoenix. That growth has allowed San Antonio to climb the ranks of biggest U.S. cities, trading its 10th place for 8th.

The Alamo City's gain was Dallas' loss.

Dallas slipped from eighth-largest city in the United States to ninth, reporting a 4.5 percent growth rate during the six-year period.

OBITUARIES

Lorraine Johnson

Services for Lorraine "Lady" Todd Johnson will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Midland with the Rev. Molly Krueger of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Friends are invited to join the family at Polo Park Estates, 2100 Castleford, Apartment 220, following the services.

Mrs. Johnson, who for many years sold real estate for Mary Ann Carr, first moved to Midland in 1939 when she was married to oilman George Graham Todd of Dallas.

Those who followed black gold found themselves living a nomadic existence, moving from field to field, as the wives rebuilt their lives time and again. Before their move to Midland, the Todds had lived in Smackover, Ark., Roswell and Hobbs, N.M., and various Texas communities, including Lufkin, Pampa, Pecos, Poyote, Longview and Laredo.

When World War II broke out, Mr. Todd joined the U.S. Navy and served in the European and Pacific theaters of war. As a lieutenant, he was the engineering officer on first the USS Marsh and then the USS Biddle. He participated in the invasion of southern France in August 1944.

Mrs. Todd divided her time during the war between the East and West coasts, working as a registered nurse in hospitals, including Kew Gardens in Queens, N.Y., Hermann and Methodist in Houston, and as a private-duty nurse.

By the 1950s, Mr. Todd was a lieutenant commander and commanding officer in the U.S. Naval Reserves in Midland. Mrs. Todd was involved in community volunteer work and was a member of First Methodist Church.

Mr. Todd died in 1956.

Beginning in the mid-1950s, Mrs. Todd worked for a time as a school nurse in the Midland public-school system before becoming a licensed stock broker. In the 1960s, she went to work for Mary Ann Carr Realtors and was known as "Lady," a term of endearment bestowed on her by her husband when they first met and began dating.

In 1965, Mrs. Todd married Harry Donnell Johnson, president of Carl B. King Drilling Co. Mr. Johnson served as president of the Petroleum Club of Midland and the Midland Country Club.

The couple moved to Houston in the 1970s, and Mr. Johnson served as secretary-treasurer and a member of the board of directors of KBK Financial Co.

Mrs. Johnson will be buried next to Mr. Johnson, who died in November 1990.

Mrs. Johnson returned to Midland in 1992. She lived for a time in Lubbock before moving to Polo Park Estates in Midland.

Born April 25, 1909, in Suttle, Ala., to James Burett and Alice Wilson Lowery, she was the third child in a family of six children. Following her graduation from high school in Suttle, she was accepted at Alabama Baptist Hospital School of Nursing in Selma. She received her diploma in May 1927 and her certification from the Alabama State Board of Examiners of Nurses on Nov. 20, 1928. In August 1927, she married Mr. Todd.

Her friends knew her as a stalwart, regal lady; a sweetheart of a wife, a dutiful, loving mother, and a gracious hostess.

Mrs. Johnson died Saturday in Midland.

She is survived by a daughter, Georgia Todd Temple, arts and entertainment and religion writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram; a stepdaughter, Sue Johnson Cleek Nicoladis and her husband, Pete Nicoladis, of Houston; two sisters, Ruth Plummer of Selma, Ala., and Sally Whetstone of Autaugaville, Ala.; five grandchildren, Bill Paul Temple of Arlington; James Martin Cleek and his wife, Karen, David Thomas Cleek and his wife, Rita, Robert Donnell Cleek and his wife, Tobey, and Susan Lynne Cleek McCall and her husband, Ben; seven great-grandchildren, Hunter Tyler Temple, Charles Thomas Cleek, Harrison Franklin Cleek, Adrian Donnell Cleek, Rachel Celeste Cleek, Andrew Cleek McCall and Christopher Waring McCall; and nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.

Doyle Kelley, Bill Paul Temple, J.A. "Monty" Coldwell, John Coldwell, Jack Streicher and Ed Todd will serve as pallbearers and Tom Frizzell as an honorary pallbearer.

Memorials may be sent to Mayo Foundation for Education and Research, 200 First Street S.W., Rochester, Minn. 55905.

James Lunney

James E. "Jim" Lunney was born February 28, 1919, in Pittston, Pennsylvania, to James Edward Lunny and Mary Ann Ludden Lunny. He was reared and educated in Scranton, Pennsylvania. He was a member of the 84th Infantry Division during World War II, he served in the U.S. Army, participating in the Battle of the Bulge. He married Charlotte Kirby in Dallas November 24, 1943.

After his discharge, they lived in Dallas, before moving to Wichita Falls, Texas, where he joined the U.S. Weather Bureau. While living in Wichita Falls, he attended Midwestern University, receiving a bachelor's degree in mathematics in 1953. He also did graduate work at Texas A&M in 1957 to 1958. The Lunneys moved to Midland in August of 1965, where Mr. Lunney served as meteorologist-in-charge of the National Weather Service until his retirement in 1979.

He was a member of the Permian Basin Stamp Club, a member of Midwestern Alumni Association and the Windmill Study Unit of the National Philatelic Society and a life-long member of the Democratic Party.

Mr. Lunney was preceded in death by his wife in December 1973. He is survived by his sons, James E. Lunney III of Garland, Texas, and Patrick Kirby Lunney of Midland, Texas; his daughters, Deborah Lunney Hartley of Sacramento, California, and Mary Lunney La Fontaine of Dallas, Texas; his brother, Frank Lunney of Quakertown, Pennsylvania; his sisters, Margie Milazzo of Hollandale, Florida, and Doris Sossong of Trenton, New Jersey; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He died Sunday, November 16, at his home.

Graveside services have been scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Fort Bliss National Cemetery with Father Richard Waiwood officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. A memorial service will be held in the parlor of St. Ann's Catholic Church at 12 noon Saturday, November 22, with Monsignor T.J. Murphy officiating. The family will receive visitors from 11 a.m. to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 19, at Ellis Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials be directed to Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Midland Inc., 1007 W. Texas, Midland, Texas 79701.

Dorothy Gilmore

Memorial services for Dorothy Reed Gilmore, 95, of Midland will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, November 20, 1997, in the First Presbyterian Church with Dr. Richard Braun and Dr. Ray Ruddle officiating. Private burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gilmore died Saturday at her residence at Manor Park. She was preceded in death by her husband, W.H. "Bill" Gilmore in June 1986. She was born September 1, 1902, in Belpre, Ohio, the daughter of Arthur George and Matilda Roeser Reed. Her father was an oil industry pioneer in Ohio, West Virginia, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas.

Mrs. Gilmore was a graduate of Central High School, now Paschal High School, in Fort Worth, and graduated from Texas Christian University. In 1930, she married W.H. Gilmore and moved to Penwell, Texas, where Mr. Gilmore was employed by Cosden Oil Co. The family moved to Midland in September 1937.

Mrs. Gilmore was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Midland for almost 60 years. She was one of the first members of the Board of Directors of Trinity Towers, now Manor Park Inc. She was also one of the first women to be a member of the Midland Independent School District Board of Education. She was a member of the Lt. William Brewer Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, a charter member of the Midland Garden Club and a member of the Women's Wednesday Study Club.

Survivors include two sons, W.H. Gilmore Jr. of Midland and Reed Gilmore of Kimball, Nebraska, and their wives, Betty Davis Gilmore and Priscilla Fields Gilmore; eight grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Honorary pallbearers are W.H. Gilmore III, Laurence Gilmore, Reed Gilmore Jr., James Gilmore, Randy Shannon, Stuart Nelson, Lyle Greiss and Eric Lindquist.

The family requests that memorials be directed to Manor Park Inc., the First Presbyterian Church or a favorite charitable organization.

SCIENCE: Students learned about air pressure, gamma globulin

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one is different shaped inside but all have the same (individual crystal) formation."

Angela Darden, a fifth-grader, was curious about what effect temperature had on air pressure.

She poured some water into the rim of a bottle and placed a quarter flat on the bottle's mouth. Then Angela warmed the bottle with her hands.

The warmth heated the air inside the bottle and caused the coin to pop off the bottle.

"It heats up the atoms and they start moving faster and it makes the coin pop up," Angela said.

Matt Norwood, also a fifth-grader, did a complex science experiment on "gamma globulin infusion," a process that doctors use to treat patients suffering from weakened immune systems.

Matt learned that gamma globulin is part of human blood that contains antibodies to fight infections. Hospitals take a donor's blood and remove the other blood components.

A patient with a gamma globulin infusion is better suited to fight diseases. Many patients who are left weak by cancer treatment receive the transfusions.

Matt learned that doctors take a patient's temperature before and after the treatment and measure changes in blood pressure. He found that a patient's temperature generally rises after treatment and that the patient's immune system improves.

Although he wasn't able to provide a working experiment, Matt had a 3-foot doll with an intravenous tube and diagrams.

"I learned a lot about how the immune system works, and different cells and how they fight the germs," Matt said.

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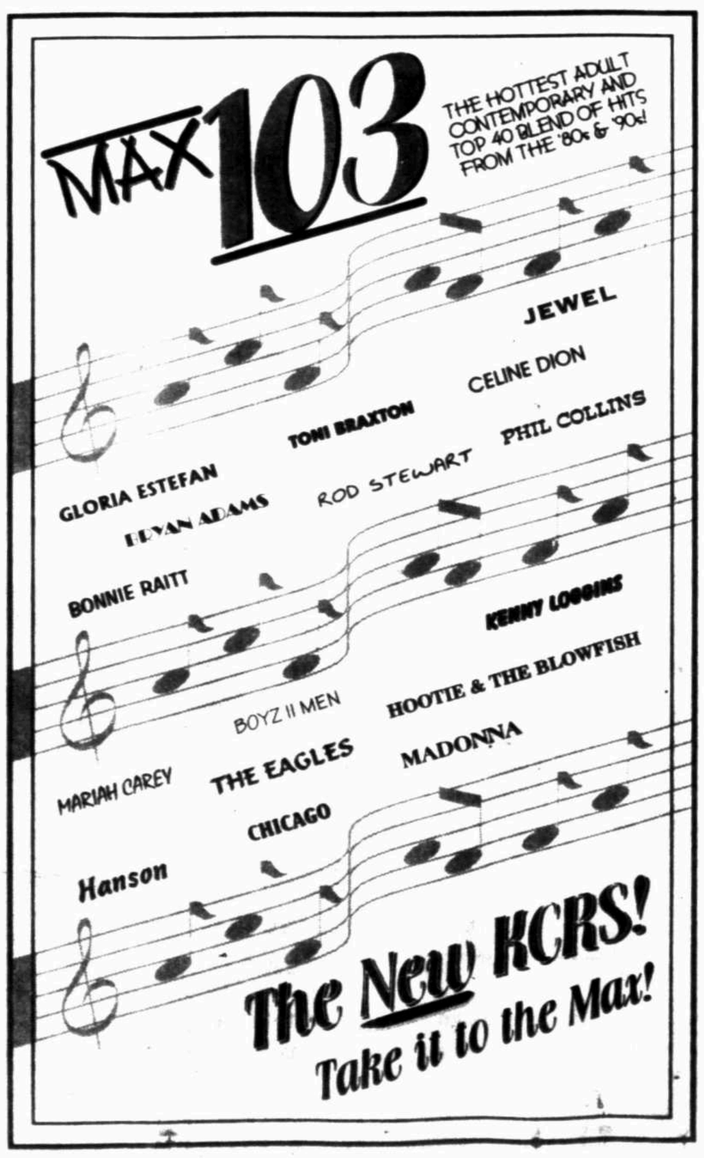

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Keeping Midland beautiful

This month's winner of the Keep Midland Beautiful award is the Continental Emsco Corp. building at 3001 N. Big Spring St. Pictured are, from left: Jeff Johnston of KMB; and the property owners, Ann Caton Gill; her mother, Mary Caton; and Carl Caton, Ann's brother.

AIR: Bush urges industries to clean up acts voluntarily

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permits for refineries in Houston and Texas City. Houston Lighting & Power has volunteered to get permits for three electric generation units, and Marathon has agreed to get permits for its Texas City refinery.

The other companies who have promised to reduce emissions from "grandfathered" plants are: Koch Refining Co. LP, with two refineries in Corpus Christi; Crown Central Petroleum Co., one refinery in Pasadena; Lockheed Martin Tactical Aircraft Systems, which operates an aircraft painting operation in Fort Worth; Merichem-Sasol USA LLC and Witco Corp., two Houston chemical companies; and Phelps Dodge Refining Co. and Phelps Dodge Copper Products Co., both in El Paso.

"Please note than when we discuss bringing these grandfathered facilities under our permits, we are talking about companies voluntarily implementing pollution controls to help achieve clean air," Ralph Marquez, commissioner of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, said Tuesday. "They are under no mandate to to this.

"The point to remember here is this is just the beginning. We know other companies are willing to make this same commitment and will in the near future."

Odessa man in critical condition after shooting; suspect charged

By Rick Lopez
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A 19-year-old man remained in critical but stable condition at Medical Center Hospital Tuesday after he was shot in his torso during a Monday night argument, Odessa Police Department officials said.

Nicholas James Williams remained in the hosptial's intensive care unit as of late Tuesday, said Larry Bartlett, a sergeant with the OPD Crimes Against Persons unit. He quoted hospital officials as saying that the young man was partially paralyzed from the gunshot wound and could not move his legs.

'These people knew each other. There was no gang rivalry.'

— Larry Bartlett, sergeant with OPD Crimes Against Persons unit

Police arrested a man Tuesday in connection with the shooting.

Emmanuel Lee Harris, 18, was arrested on charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, a second-degree felony punishable by up to 20 years in jail and a $10,000 fine, Bartlett said.

Harris was taken to the Ector County Detention Center, pending a bond hearing.

The case was originally investigated as an attempted murder, which is also a second-degree felony.

Harris "knew we were looking for him, and turned himself in," Bartlett said.

His arrest stems from a Monday night shooting at an apartment complex in the 2500 block of 10th Street. A call was made to police at around 10 p.m.

Police said two groups of people were arguing, when a man armed with a small-caliber weapon shot at Williams. No one else was injured, Bartlett said.

"These people knew each other. There was no gang rivalry," Bartlett said.

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SHELL: Leak stopped in less than 1 hour

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Shell actually substituted liquid nitrogen in place of the dangerous acid for the drill. The nitrogen vaporizes into a white steam when it combines with the atmosphere and looks similar to an acid leak.

The refinery has built-in safety mechanisms to find acid leaks, including an infrared sensor and an ionic mobility spectrometer — or the "looker and the sniffer."

The two devices detect a gas leak so that officials can sound an alarm and evacuate personnel. Then the refinery can use a series of water spray poles to create a "water wall" around a leaking processing device.

"Hydrofluoric acid is water soluble; the intent is to absorb the acid," Miller said.

The water sprays up in the air and prevents the gas from escaping. The combination-weakened acid and water puddle then is contained and treated by Shell

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employees.

While the water wall was in effect, emergency workers worked quickly to stop the gas leak. In less than an hour they stopped it by draining the acid from the pipes into sealable storage tanks.

Odessa Fire Department, the Ector County Sheriff's Office, and neighboring Huntsman and Air Liquide plant private fire departments assisted Shell. Odessa Medical Center Hospital "treated" two victims.

The disaster drill was Odessa Mutual Aid Group's annual fall disaster drill. Each year a different industrial facility of the 12-member group hosts the event for safety training.

Lanny Phillips, a battalion chief with Odessa Fire Department, said his department performed well in the situation and transported the two victims to the hospital.

"We did very well. When you do (this), you always learn," Phillips said. "It's good for us, and it's good for Shell."

Miller said later that the group's subsequent critique of the drill was positive — just some communication glitches.

"Most of the problems were communication problems, nothing keeping us from physically being able to do something," he said.

For example, Odessa Fire Department was confused about which plant gate its fire trucks should enter. Miller said there was also some question on how well Shell's pager system worked in notifying employees.

But the response time was outstanding, he said.

"Everything went very, very well, a lot of cooperation. I think everyone left here with a good feeling," Miller said.

AIRPORT: Land to be used in terminal plan

(From 1B)

ing fees, landing fees and all lease/rental payments to the airport, Hackler explained.

As part of the bids for demolition at the airport, the council also included the demolition of a metal hangar building near the terminal, which has reached the end of its serviceable life.

This metal building will be torn down and the materials recovered for use by the Confederate Air Force, according to Hackler.

The land where the Airport Inn now stands will be utilized in the terminal plan at some point over the next few years. Council members and Airport Board members are looking at different ways to make use of the space, he said.

With its proximity, the land could be used as a facility for handling freight moving in and out of the airport. It also could be useful in redesigning the system of roads providing access to parts of the terminal complex.

Construction of the new terminal building is continuing on schedule and slightly under budget with crews currently pouring columns to support the main lobby level.

Some concrete work also is being done in preparation for construction on the concourse level.

In January and February, reinforcement steel will be going up for the concourse level — the secured, second-floor area that includes the gates.

This will have a "dramatic effect" on the appearance of the construction site, Hackler said.

The terminal building itself is expected to be completed in the late fall of 1998. For a time, three gates of this new terminal will handle all jet traffic at MAF.

During this interim, the old terminal building will be demolished and a new concrete apron poured in its place, which will allow aircraft access to the new gates. This final work will allow full operation of the new terminal building and should be completed by January 1999.

Valley's first microbrewery getting set to crank up

EDINBURG (AP) — Call it suds with a South Texas twist.

The Rio Grande Valley's first microbrewery is set to open by the end of the month, cranking out a South Texas version of German pilsner beer.

The $2 million facility, operated by Glasscock Brewing Co., will use 11 tanks to brew and ferment a pilsner that officials say is similar to Mexican Bohemia beer, but richer in flavor and spicier.

"People are drinking less and want something better ... something that has more flavor," head brewer Gerald Johnston told The (McAllen) Monitor for Tuesday editions.

"It's suited for the climate because ours is fairly light," said assistant brewer Alex Talley. "This beer is more traditional."

The brewery expects to begin making its first batch of beer in three weeks. It is scheduled to start manufacturing and selling to distributors in January.

"I think it will do real well," said company President Trey Glasscock. "I look forward to getting it out there to the market."

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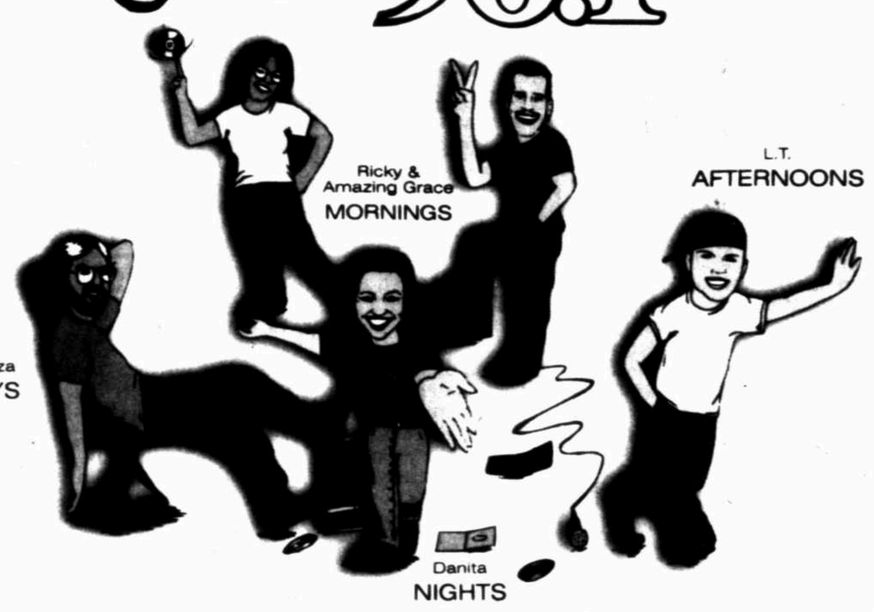

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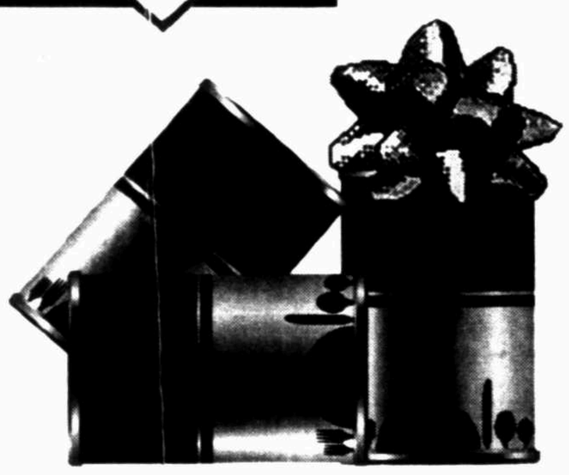

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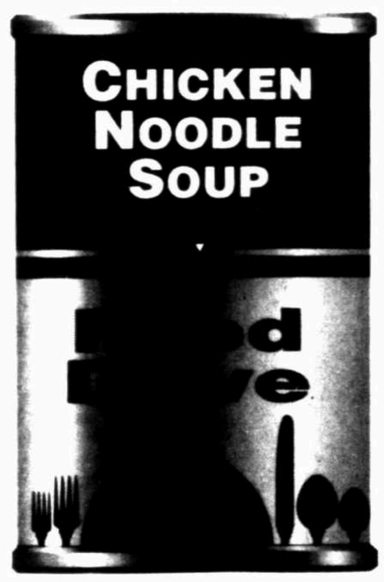

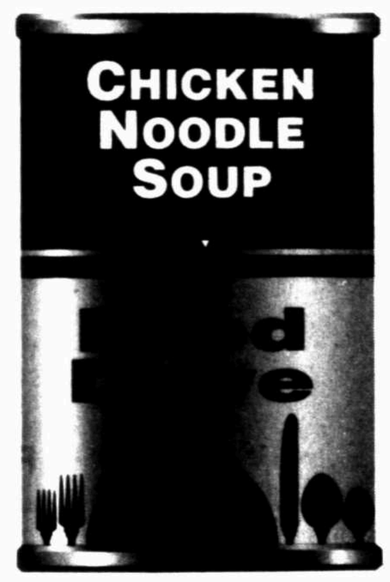

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Teamsters mess affects labor reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — The decision barring Teamsters President Ron Carey from a rerun union election dealt a blow to the broader labor reform movement, too, implicating the AFL-CIO and several prominent union leaders.

Meanwhile, Carey's promise to appeal was slowing efforts to settle on a new candidate to oppose James P. Hoffa. And the election overseer said Tuesday she wanted to delay the rerun while she scrutinized Hoffa's finances.

"Let's hope that they do the same kind of investigation, from congressional committees to the FBI ... that has been done on Carey," said Ken Paff, leader of Teamsters for a Democratic Union.

"There's nothing there," declared Hoffa campaign manager Tom Pazzi. 'What they've alleged is laughable."

Carey, who had built a reputation as a reformer in a corrupt union, was barred from a rerun election Monday by a court-appointed monitor who found that he participated in an illegal campaign fund-raising scheme.

Kenneth Conboy, a former federal judge, ruled that Carey "tolerated and engaged in" schemes that used $735,000 in union treasury funds to benefit his re-election victory over Hoffa last December.

The names of Teamsters leaders who might replace Carey as the leading candidate to oppose Hoffa were circulating. But Carey insisted he would fight the disqualification, forcing supporters to recalculate their next step.

"I'm getting encouragement from around the country, and that's always nice," said Tom Leedham, an Oregon Teamsters leader and head of the union's warehouse division. "But I just think the whole thing is probably premature. The general president is appealing this decision."

George Cashman, a Boston local president who has made no secret of his interest in seeking the union's top job some day, told reporters that he remained committed to Carey while the president pursued his appeal.

Privately, some union officials said a new delay in the contest might end the urgency felt to settle on a new candidate, while others said they doubted Carey would press his appeal once he realized he might hurt his allies.

The Teamsters situation has been a problem for the labor movement since allegations against Carey's campaign surfaced shortly after his re-election victory. And with Conboy's decision things were getting worse.

Labor's influence has been on the rise since John Sweeney took control of the 13-million-member AFL-CIO in 1995. With new energy, unions have been posting some impressive organizing and public relations gains.

But Conboy's decision implicated the AFL-CIO and union officials who, like Carey, played key roles in putting Sweeney in power:

■ Gerald McEntee, president of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees and a key mover behind Sweeney's AFL-CIO campaign, admitted to Conboy that he solicited $20,000 from a printing company called Kelly Press for Carey. It is illegal for union candidates to receive money from employers or the leaders of other unions. One of McEntee's top deputies, Paul Booth, admitted he raised about $30,000 for Carey. A union spokeswoman said both are cooperating with investigators.

■ Rich Trumka, Sweeney's No. 2 at the federation, is accused of funneling $150,000 from the Teamsters through the AFL-CIO to Citizen Action, a liberal consumer group used as a conduit in the fund-raising scheme. Trumka invoked his Fifth Amendment right against self-incrimination and declined to speak with Conboy. Court records filed by federal prosecutors already implicated Trumka, and the FBI is analyzing five computer disks seized from his office for more evidence.

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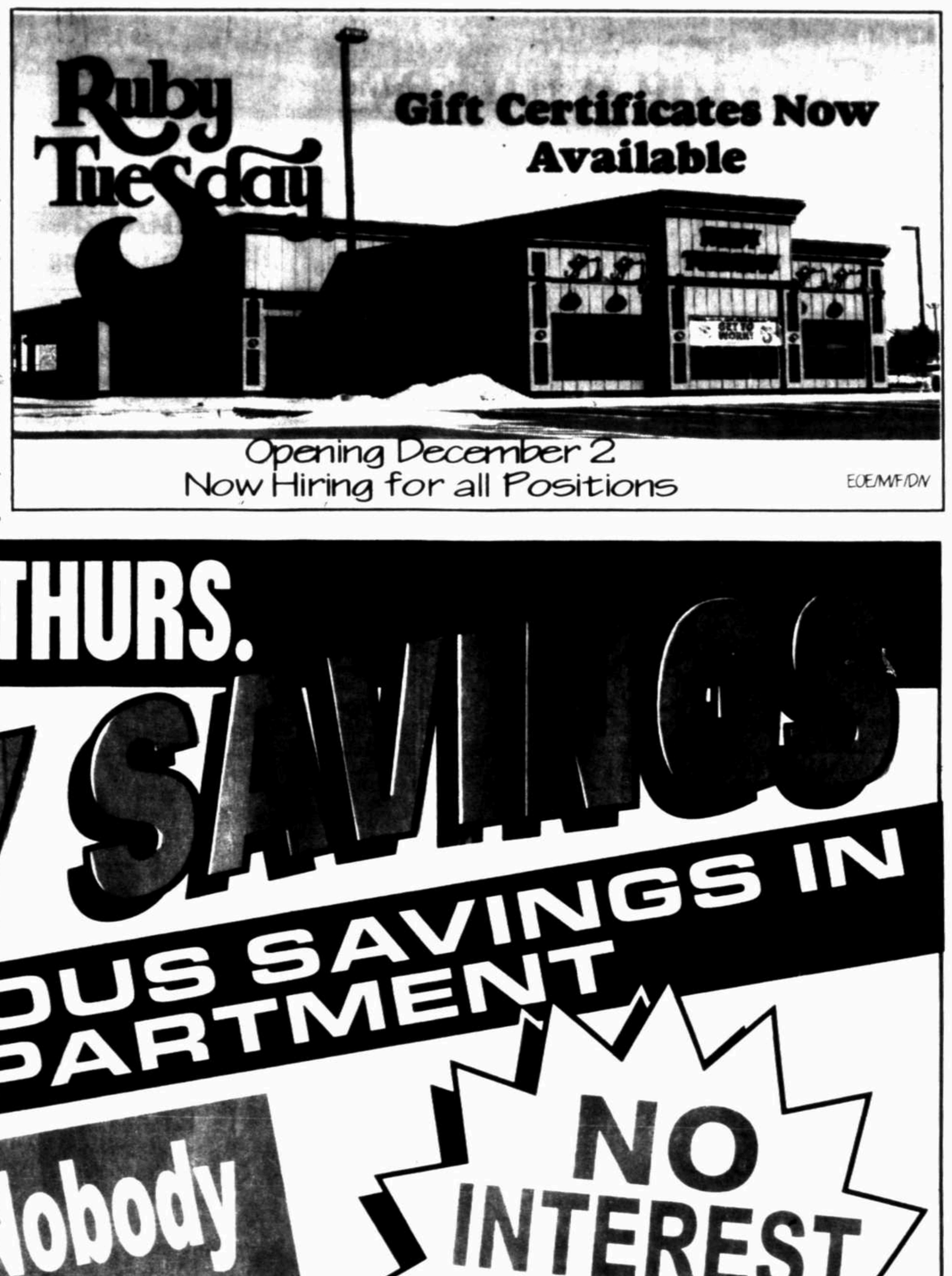

Corn farmers protest latest storage types

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite a rapidly approaching deadline to untangle its knotted lines, Union Pacific says there's no race against the clock to load the grain piles dotting the Midwest.

But the exposed grain is soaking up rain on the outside and rapidly heating from within. "We looked at one pile — the grain we took out of the middle smelled more like whiskey than corn," said Carl Reed, a Kansas State University grain storage specialist.

Farmers and elevator operators dispute the notion that corn can be stored on the ground while the nation's largest railroad tries to iron out the gridlock. Corn is the nation's primary livestock feed for the farmers who raise beef, pork and chicken for America's dinner tables.

At federally licensed warehouses, which store an estimated 45 percent of the nation's crops, about 100 million uncovered bushels are currently on the ground, according to the Farm Service Agency's Kansas City, Mo., commodities office.

Harvests are overflowing grain elevators as they await shipment on Union Pacific's 36,000-mile system, which has been plagued by congestion and equipment and staff shortages from the year-old merger with Southern Pacific. The railroad is looking at ground storage of grain as a long-term option.

"It's not going to rot in the cold winter weather," Union Pacific spokesman John Bromley said. "There's no race against the clock. Elevators aren't heated. Neither are the cars."

In a 40-page statement filed with the federal Surface Transportation Board, the railroad said more than 12,000 car orders remain unfilled as it enters its peak period for grain transportation. The board has warned of further federal intervention if progress isn't apparent by a Dec. 3 hearing.

"Ground storage is a viable long-term storage option if the ground piles are properly prepared," the railroad said. "It ... has been used often in the past to respond to bumper harvests and to hold grain in anticipation of higher market prices."

While all the grain won't be moved by Jan. 1, Bromley said, UP expects its lines to be fluid by then. Even in years of normal demand, its grain car fleet of 33,000 covered hopper cars cannot satisfy peak demand, the railroad said.

The agriculture community views ground storage as a strictly temporary measure. While there are methods of sheltering and aerating grain piles, many elevators were unprepared for the overflow and lack the equipment and technology.

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1. Remove drumstick and thigh by pressing leg away from body. Joint connecting leg to the hip may snap free or can be severed with knife point. Cut dark meat completely from body by following body contour carefully with knife.

2. Slice dark meat by placing drumstick and thigh on cutting board and cutting through connecting joint. Tilt drumstick to convenient angle, slicing towards table as shown.

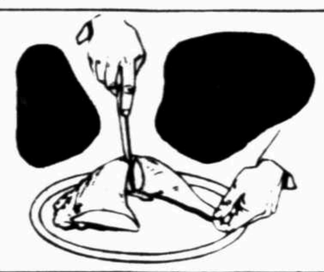
3. Slice thigh meat by firmly holding it on cutting surface with a fork. Cut even slices parallel to the bone.

4. Prepare breast meat to slice by placing knife parallel as close to the wing as possible. Make deep cut into breast, cutting right to the bone. This is the base cut. All breast slices will stop at this horizontal cut.

5. Carve the breast after making base cut. Start each new slice slightly higher up on breast. Keep slices thin and even.

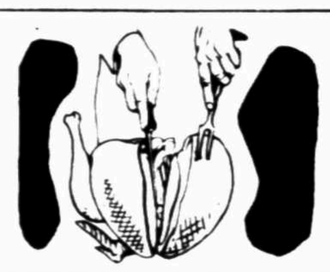
Method 2
(Kitchen Carving Method)

1. Remove drumstick and thigh by pressing leg away from body. Snap joint connecting body or sever with knife. Cut dark meat completely from body by following body contour carefully with a knife.



2. Place drumsticks and thigh on separate plate and cut through connecting joint. Both pieces may be individually sliced. Tilt drumstick and thigh on separate plate and cut through connecting joint. Tilt drumstick to convenient angle, slicing towards plate.

3. To slice thigh meat, hold firmly on plate with fork. Cut even slices parallel to bone.



4. Remove half of breast at a time by cutting along keel bone and rib cage with sharp knife.

5. Place half of breast on cutting surface and slice evenly against the grain of the meat. Repeat with second half of breast when additional slices are needed.

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Three turkey hotlines now in operation

From Staff Reports

Joining the traditional Butterball Turkey Talk-Line are two more talk lines. All have toll-free phone numbers.

The Campbell Soup Company is offering the the Holiday Leftover Hotline with an emphasis on easy preparation since Nov. 28 is the one day of the year targeted as the largest consumption of leftovers, and most folks have their fill of cooking on the day before. The hotline opened Nov. 7 and will be in operation through Dec. 31. The number is 1 (888) 4-LEFTOVER, or 1 (888)-4-533-8683. The line is open daily, 24 hours with recorded recipes. It will be staffed with representatives Thanksgiving day only.

The Reynolds Kitchen is offering a hotline for preparing and cooking turkey. It has recordings on using the oven bag cooking-method, the foil wrapped method and the foil tent method, along with defrosting and roasting directions. The hotline recordings are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week through Dec. 31.

The most well-known turkey hotline, Butterball's Turkey Talk-Line, offers both turkey cooking and turkey leftover recipes. The Turkey Talk-Line is open 8 a.m.-8 p.m. weekdays through Nov. 26. Special hotline hours are set for this weekend and Thanksgiving Day from 6 a.m.-6 p.m.

Final hours will be 8 a.m.-6p.m. Nov. 28 through Dec. 23.

Call the hotline toll-free at 1 (800) 323-4848.

Computer enthusiasts can now send e-mail to the hotline through the Butterball Internet web site at www.butterball.com. Those sending e-mail will get a response within 48 hours. The service opened Nov. 1 and will close Dec. 23.

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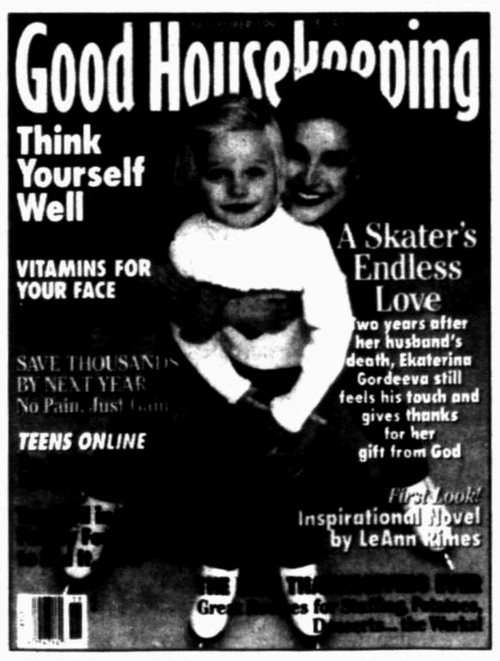

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AROUND TOWN

West Texas Opportunities Inc.-Child Care Management Services will host its seventh annual Breakfast With Santa 9-11 a.m. Dec. 6 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton gymnasium, located behind Ratliff Stadium in Odessa. Admission will be a $1 donation per person.

Children and their parents are invited to attend. Young attendees may have their photographs taken with Santa, and will receive a goody bags. Activity booths will be available.

Entertainment will be provided by St. Elizabeth's Adult and Children's Choir and Permian High School's Satin Strings.

Proceeds will help fund emergency child care needs for families in the Permian Basin. For more information call (915) 366-5788...

...COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS, a support group for parents who have lost children of any age, will meet 7 p.m. Dec. 1 at Hospice of Midland, 911 W. Texas. For more information call 682-2975...

...VAN (Visual Aids Needs and Services) will meet 10:30 a.m. today at VAN house, 2908 W. Ohio, to decorate for an open house. Potluck luncheon will be served. For more information call 694-2648...

...55-PLUS Dance Club and Midland Downtown Lions Club will host a dance 8-11 p.m. Nov. 22 at the Lions Activity Center, 200 Plaza. Tiny Lynn and Band of Lubbock will provide the music. Admission will be $6 per person. Singles and couples are invited to attend this smoke-free, alcohol-free event. Coffee and tea will be available. For more information call 694-3422...

...SPECIAL OLYMPICS and Midland Independent School District will host a discussion 6 p.m. Nov. 20 at the MISD Administration Building, Room 101. Students with mental retardation and their parents are invited to attend. Topics will include athletic opportunities available in Midland to people with mental retardation, benefits from Special Olympics participation, and ways MISD and other school districts are involved.

Mike May, adaptive physical education instructor, and representatives from Special Olympics will conduct the discussion. For more information call 684-5024...

...MIDLAND-LEE Youth Centers will have a video sale 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Dec. 5 and 6. Forty percent of the proceeds will benefit the youth centers. For more information call 689-1675 or 682-1961...

...BLACK IMAGE will host a party for high school students 8 p.m. to midnight Nov. 29 at The White House, 1703 W. Wall. Admission is $2 per person...

...WEST TEXAS Writers will meet 2 p.m. Dec. 6 at the second floor meeting room of Midland County Public Library at 301 W. Missouri Ave. Bill Modisett, historical writer and Editorial Page writer for the *Reporter-Telegram*, will present the program. Modisett is the author of "J. Evetts Haley: A True Texas Legend," as well as five biographical essays in "Cowboys Who Rode Proudly" and other stories published in magazines.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

For more information call 682-5378...

...MIDLAND AREA AIDS Association (MAAS) will host a World AIDS Day remembrance and worship service 7 p.m. Dec. 1 at First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave.

Attendees will be invited to light a candle for someone lost to AIDS or someone living with AIDS.

The service will include music provided by local singers and musicians. Speakers will include the Rev. Richard Braun, First Presbyterian Parish Associate and chairman of the MAAS board; Judy Warren, MAAS executive director; Alan Williams, chaplain at Midland Memorial Hospital and Medical Center; the Rev. Gary Graves, pastor of First Christian Church in Big Spring; and Gary Kincaid, executive director of Clover House in Odessa.

Special guest speakers will include family members speaking about loved ones they have lost to AIDS. The public is invited to attend...

DEAR ABBY

Children, husband plead unsuccessfully with woman to stop smoking

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My wife is the most unselfish person I know. She'll do anything except for one thing. She loves her children and does everything they ask — except for what they want most. My wife adores our grandchildren and will indulge them with anything they ask — except for what they harass her about most often. She refuses to quit smoking.

Van Buren

Her love for her family is exceeded only by her addiction to nicotine. Cigarettes are her first thought in the morning, and they receive her last caress at night. She has emphysema, breathes heavily and coughs constantly. We haven't shared a bed in years because her coughing keeps me awake. She sleeps on the living room couch to elevate her head and facilitate her breathing.

Cough drops and other non-prescription drugs temporarily relieve a variety of ailments, so she ingests them daily along with prescription medications. She has undergone angioplasty to clear a clogged artery and was advised by her surgeon to stop smoking. Unfortunately, her addiction is more powerful than her desire to live.

I also have lung disease from 40 years of smoking cigarettes, pipes and cigars. Five times I quit for more than a year. Twice I quit cold turkey without help. Twice I had acupuncture. I quit the last time three years ago during a "smoke stoppers" class at the hospital. I know smoking is a difficult habit to break. And I suspect it's more difficult for people who are genetically prone to addictions. (My wife is a recovering alcoholic.)

She has tried to quit smoking. She's had acupuncture twice and she also attended the "smoke stoppers" course. She has worn nicotine patches and has chewed nicotine-based gum. But she has never gone more than a day or two without a cigarette. (She confessed that she lit up while driving home from one of the $100 acupuncture treatments.) In deference to her family, she doesn't smoke in the house. In wind, rain and cold temperatures, she goes outside to light up. And this further aggravates her respiratory problems.

I'm angry. I'm angry with my wife. I'm angry with myself for being her co-dependent. I'm angry at cigarette companies for enticing us to take up this insidious habit. And I'm angry with the government for not exercising more control over a drug that kills 500,000 Americans every year.

My wife was born of sturdy Norwegian ancestry on a farm in Minnesota, and for years her body stubbornly resisted the hourly doses of nicotine. But little by little, her body is losing the battle. She needs help. I need help. — THE MAN WHO LOVES HER

DEAR MAN: Your wife may be beyond the help you seek, but perhaps it will comfort you to know that your powerful letter may convince another person to stop smoking. And tomorrow will provide the perfect opportunity:

READERS, tomorrow, Nov. 20, marks the 21st Annual Great American Smokeout. The Smokeout is a one-day campaign to encourage smokers to quit smoking for 24 hours — to prove that they can do it. Last year, more than 11,960,000 quit for the day — a giant step in the right direction.

My readers tell me that while "cold turkey" is the most difficult, it's also the most effective way to kick the habit. For more information about the effects of tobacco may call the local chapter of the American Cancer Society or 1-800-ACS-2345.

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

CONSUMING INTERESTS

Cream cheese-filled toaster pastries fail to impress

By Linda Anderson

Obviously, food product manufacturers have been watching over my shoulder or reading my mail or something, because they've discovered some of my weak spots in the supermarket.

Anderson

And one of my biggest weaknesses is strawberries and cream cheese (think cheesecake!). Needless to say, when I found out that Pillsbury has introduced a Toaster Strudel that is filled with a strawberry-cream cheese filling, I had to buy a box — even though I don't own a toaster.

An 11.5-ounce box of Pillsbury Toaster Strudel with Cream Cheese and Strawberry contains six individual pastries of not quite 2 ounces each, and costs something like $2.07 (give or take a penny or two).

By the way, Toaster Strudel also comes with other fillings, according to information on the box: blueberry, cherry, strawberry, apple, brown sugar cinnamon, cream cheese, cream cheese with blueberry, and raspberry.

Label advertising claims the pastries are made with "Real Cream Cheese Filling." On the back of the box it gets a little more definite: "It's Like Pop-Tarts, But Tastes Better! Warm Flaky Crust, Juicy Filling and Do-It-Yourself Icing!" (That just means you get to squirt the icing from the little individual packets all by yourself.) "Sorry Pop-Tarts," the advertising goes on, "2 out of 3 people agreed, Pillsbury Toaster Strudel Pastries just taste better."

Notice, it doesn't say tastes better than what (although the implication is there), and if it means better that other non-frozen toaster pastries, how much of a recommendation is that?

Nutrition information shows that one of these pastries contains 200 calories, with 90 of them from fat.

That's nearly half of its calories from fat, which is a pretty hefty chunk.

In the taste-test, the young taster (who also likes the strawberry-cream cheese combination) was, shall we say, less than impressed. In fact, after her first bite she said, "Tastes like warm dough with icing on top." After about her third or fourth bite she was more specific: "Don't like it," she said. And that was that.

OK, I have to admit that I agree with her in part. I'm not that crazy about the pastries either — in spite of the flavors in the filling — but I'd probably finish one rather than throw it in the trash.

Will I buy another box? Probably not. Even strawberry and cream cheese has tasted better elsewhere.

Price listed is from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

SPARKLE: Clear gelatin adds champagne shine to desserts

(From 8B)

until top is lightly browned. Serve warm or at room temperature, topped with vanilla ice cream if desired. Makes 12 servings.

Nutrition per serving (without ice cream): 274 calories, 2.14 g protein, 36.7 g carbohydrates, 3.18 g dietary fiber, 14.6 g fat total, 20.7 mg cholesterol, 88.1 mg sodium, 46 percent calories from fat.

PEAR CHOCOLATE SILK PIE

1/3 cup butter
1-1/4 cup chocolate wafer cookie crumbs
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1 can (16 ounces) pear halves
1 package (16 ounces) semi-sweet chocolate chips
2 tablespoons strongly brewed coffee
1 teaspoon orange extract
1 cup heavy cream

TO PREPARE CRUST: Melt butter in small saucepan. Combine chocolate wafer crumbs, sugar and melted butter; mix well. Press crumb mixture gently into 8- or 9-inch pie plate, distributing evenly over bottom of plate and up sides. Bake at 375 degrees for 6 to 8 minutes. Remove from oven and set aside to cool. (NOTE: A ready-made chocolate wafer or graham cracker crust may be used instead.)

TO MAKE FILLING: Drain pears, reserving 6 tablespoons liquid. Slice 1 pear half and reserve for garnish. Dice remaining pear halves and set aside. In top pot of a double-boiler combine chocolate chips with reserved pear liquid, coffee and orange extract. Stir over medium heat until chocolate chips are melted and mixture is smooth. Remove from heat. Cool to room temperature. In separate bowl, whip cream to soft peaks. Gently fold whipped cream into chocolate mixture. Fold in diced pears. Spoon mixture into pie plate. Garnish with reserved pear and refrigerate until set, about 4 hours. Makes 10 servings.

Nutrition per serving: 537 calories, 4.54 g protein, 65 g carbohydrates, 3.58 g dietary fiber, 32.7 g fat total, 49.8 mg cholesterol, 191 mg sodium, 51 percent calories from fat.

TORTA ALLA' AMARETTO

1 cup almonds, slivered
1/2 cup hazelnuts (also 12 for garnish)
2-1/2 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 cup amaretto liqueur
1 tablespoon vanilla extract
2 eggs
1/2 cup butter, softened (plus 1 tablespoon for greasing sauce pan)

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Chop almonds and nuts in processor until fine. Bake on sheet pan for 10 minutes. Let stand. In medium bowl, mix flour, sugar, baking powder and soda. Stir in remaining ingredients until stiff dough forms (dough will be slightly crumbly). Shape into 1-inch balls. Place in greased round 9-inch pan. Fit all dough balls snugly and top each with one hazelnut. Bake 30 minutes or until golden brown. Garnish with powdered sugar if desired. Serves four to six.

BAKED ACORN SQUASH WITH YAMS & MERINGUE

SQUASH AND FILLING:
4 acorn squash
1/2 cup packed brown sugar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
2-1/2 cups drained and mashed canned yams
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
MERINGUE:
4 extra-large egg whites
1/4 cup granulated sugar

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Halve and seed squash. Trim bottom so squash will sit flat. Place *cut side down* in shallow baking pan and bake 30 minutes. Turn *cut side up* and sprinkle each squash half with 1 tablespoon brown sugar. Continue baking 20 to 30 minutes or until almost tender.

In small saucepan, melt butter. Add yams, vanilla and nutmeg. Cook over medium-low heat, stirring frequently, until hot. Spoon evenly into squash

FOR MERINGUE: In large bowl, beat egg whites until soft peaks form. Add sugar, a tablespoon at a time, beating constantly until stiff peaks form. Using pastry bag or spoon, pipe or spoon about 1/3 cup meringue onto center of each squash. Sprinkle with additional nutmeg. Bake 12 to 15 minutes or until meringue is lightly browned.

TIPS: Separate eggs carefully, since even a single speck of yolk can prevent whites from forming stiff peaks. Eggs are easier to separate when cold. Egg whites beat up higher and lighter if allowed to come to room temperature before beating.

KIR ROYALE MOLD

2 cups boiling water
1 package (8-serving size) or 2 packages (4-serving size) sparkling white grape flavor gelatin dessert
1-1/2 cups cold seltzer, club soda *or* champagne
2 tablespoons creme de cassis liqueur (optional)
2 cups raspberries

In large bowl, stir boiling water into gelatin at least 2 minutes until completely dissolved. Stir in cold seltzer and liqueur. Refrigerate about 1-1/2 hours or until thickened (when spoon drawn through leaves definite impression). Stir in raspberries. Spoon into 5-cup mold. Refrigerate 4 hours or until firm. Unmold. Garnish with additional raspberries if desired. Store leftover gelatin mold in refrigerator. Makes 10 servings.

NOTE: To unmold, dip mold in warm water for about 15 seconds, then gently pull gelatin from around edges with moist fingers. Place moistened serving plate on top of mold and invert. Holding mold and plate together, shake gently to loosen. Remove mold and center gelatin on plate.

GRAPE CLUSTERS CHEESECAKE

CHEESECAKE:
2/3 cup boiling water
1 package (4-serving size) sparkling white grape flavor gelatin dessert
2 tablespoon sugar
1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese
1 cup cottage cheese
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel
GLAZE:
1/2 cup each green and red grapes, halved
3/4 cup boiling water
1 package (4-serving size) sparkling white grape flavor gelatin desert
3/4 cup cold seltzer *or* club soda

TO MAKE CHEESECAKE: Stir boiling water into gelatin and sugar in medium bowl at least 2 minutes until completely dissolved. Pour into blender container. Add cream cheese, cottage cheese and lemon peel; cover and blend until smooth. Pour into 8-inch springform pan. Refrigerate 1-1/4 hours or until set.

TO MAKE GLAZE: Arrange green and red grape halves in two clusters on cheesecake. Stir boiling water into gelatin in small bowl at least 2 minutes until completely dissolved. Stir in cold seltzer.

Place over larger bowl of ice and water. Stir 7 minutes or until slightly thickened (consistency of unbeaten egg whites). Carefully pour gelatin over top. Refrigerate 3 hours or until firm.

TO UNMOLD: Dip small knife in hot water and carefully run around edge of cheesecake. Remove side of pan. Garnish with mint leaves.

Makes 8 servings.

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FOOD

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Everyone dreams of cooking the perfect turkey, left. Add a little dazzle with side dishes such as the lightly sweet Baked Acorn Squash with yams and meringue. Canned pears are the secret ingredient in Pear Cranberry Crisp, above, and Pear Chocolate Silk Pie. The pie also has a simple cookie crumb crust for cooks who shy away from elaborate pastry preparation.

Add sparkle to the table

From Staff Reports

Cooking the perfect turkey — with golden-brown crackling skin and moist meat — is still high on the list for many Thanksgiving households. Stuffing is usually a must also. But when it comes to side dishes and desserts, many cooks are inclined to try a little experimentation.

For an elegant Thanksgiving dinner that tastes of tradition, team the turkey with show-stopping, lightly sweet baked acorn squash with yams and meringue. Halved acorns are stuffed with a yam filling, topped with meringue and baked.

Another holiday favorite, pears, can be served in the festive Pear Cranberry Crisp and served with a scoop of vanilla ice cream, or they can star in the more elegant Pear Chocolate Silk Pie. The pie needs to set for at least four hours in the refrigerator.

The new clear sparkling wine, white grape-flavored gelatins can make for some real dazzling desserts. With the clear gelatin, red fruits show through. Garnish with a sprig of mint for holiday flair. Two desserts sure to get a second glance are the Kir Royale Mold, which features raspberries floating in a gelatin flavored with champagne (or club soda) and creme de cassis liqueur; and the Grape Clusters Cheesecake. For added impact, serve the mold on a clear glass plate. The cheesecake is a visual delight thanks to a decoration of red and green grapes that have been cut in half, formed into custers, and covered with a clear, shiny glaze of sparkling wine white grape gelatin.

For a formal holiday setting, the Olive Garden restaurants have offered their recipe for Torta Alla' Amaretto. The dessert is filled with the flavor of amaretto, which when translated means "a little bitter." When baked, one-inch almond bread balls cook together to form a unique shape that is easy to break apart for sharing with guests. To take the dessert to a higher level of flavor, the balls can be dipped into espresso, cappuccino, champagne or a sweet, bubbly Italian wine such as Asti Spumante, Vin Santo or Prosecco.

PEAR CRANBERRY CRISP

4 cans (16 ounces each) pear halves, drained
1 cup fresh or frozen cranberries
3/4 cup brown sugar
3/4 cup all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
cup butter
1 cup chopped pecans
Vanilla ice cream (optional)

In greased 9x13-inch baking dish, arrange pear halves and cranberries. In medium bowl, combine brown sugar, flour, cinnamon and nutmeg. Using pastry blender, two knives or fingers, cut butter into flour mixture until it resembles coarse meal. Stir in pecans. Sprinkle mixture evenly over fruit. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes,

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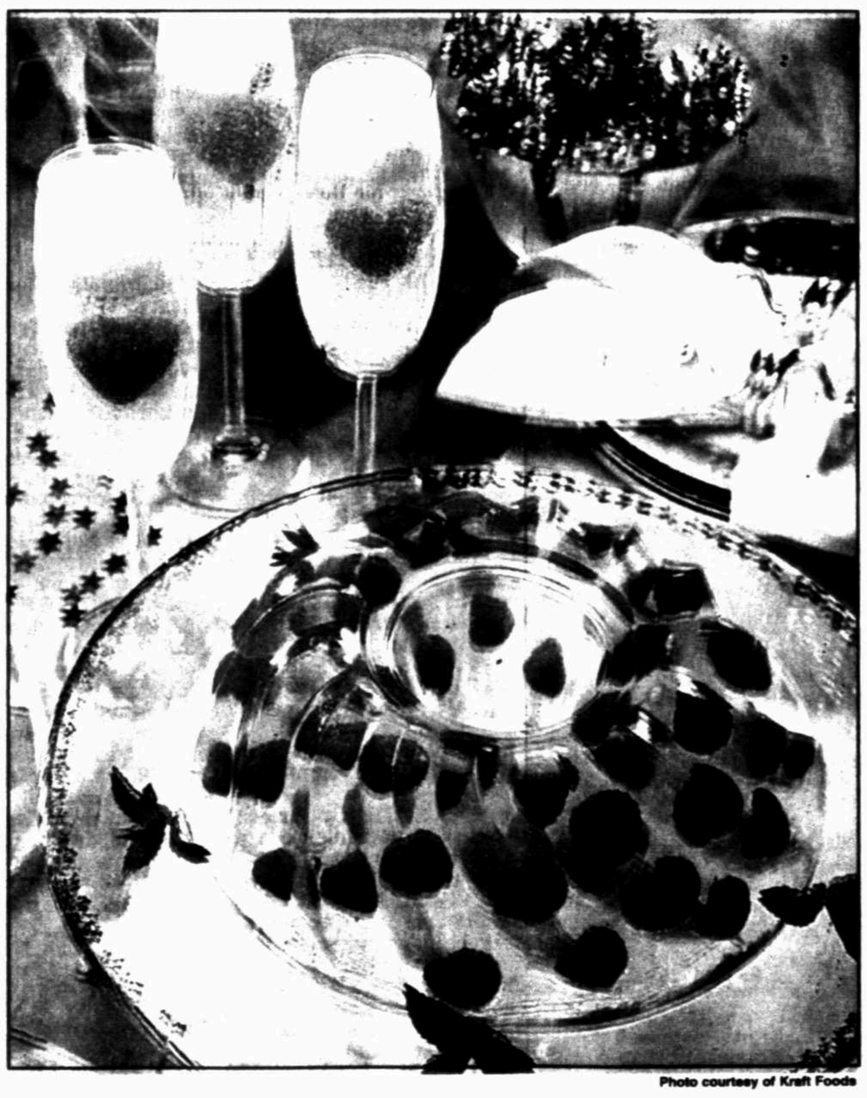

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The Kir Royale Mold is a real attention-getter using the new clear sparkling wine white grape gelatin and filling the mold with raspberries. The same gelatin is used in Grape Clusters Cheesecake, photo inset in story. A layer of gelatin and club soda makes the glistening glaze that covers the grapes.

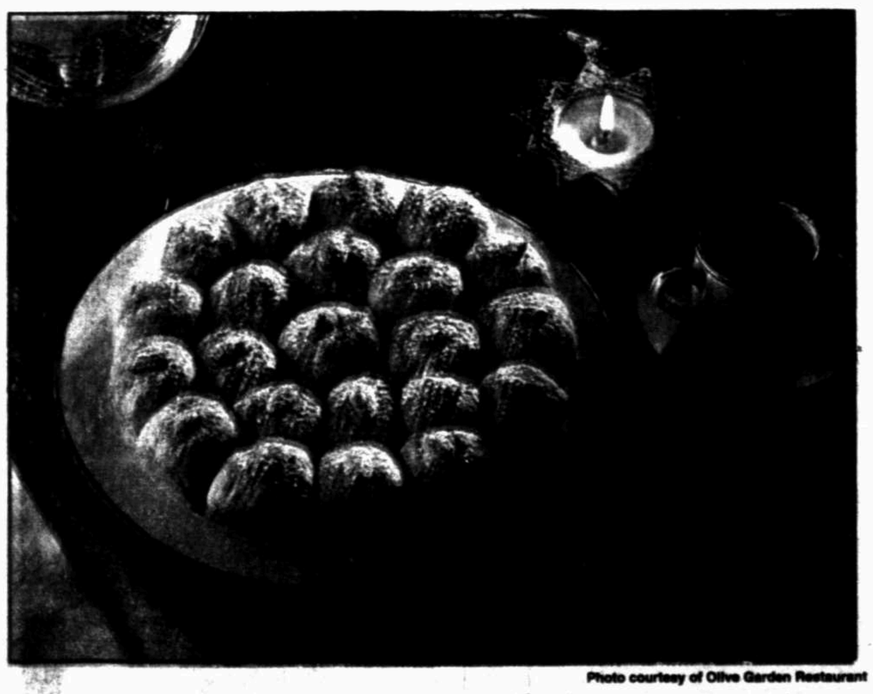

Photo courtesy of Olive Garden Restaurant

Torta Alla' Amaretto is a dessert filled with the flavor of Amaretto, which when translated, means "a little bitter." When baked, the cake balls cook together to form a unique shape that is easy to break apart and dip in champagne or espresso.

Reader request

Turkey hotline, carving questions answered

"Isn't there more than one turkey hotline?"

Yes, there are three turkey hotlines — one that just offers recipes for turkey leftovers. *(See page 6B for story)*

"My husband and father-in-law get into an argument every year about how to carve the turkey. Do you start by cutting off the drumsticks or carving the breast meat?"

The National Turkey Federation recommends cutting off the drumsticks and thighs before cutting the breast meat. *(See graph on Page 6B for instructions).*

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NBA — Orlando Magic at Cleveland Cavaliers, 7 p.m., TBS.
NHL — Edmonton Oilers at Dallas Stars, 7:30 p.m., FSS.

Texas Scores

NBA — Houston Rockets 95, New York Knicks 84.
Dallas Mavericks at Sacramento Kings, late.
WPHL — Odessa Jackalopes 7, New Mexico Scorpions 6, shootout.
COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Men, No. 19 Oklahoma 81, Texas-Arlington 63.
Women, No. 10 Vanderbilt 78, Texas A&M 59.
No. 20 Auburn 55, Texas-Arlington 36
PREP BASKETBALL — Girls, Midland Lee 54, Sonora 34.

Tarpley arrested

DALLAS — Roy Tarpley, whose problems with drugs ended his NBA career, was arrested on charges he burned a woman's stomach with a clothes iron after an argument.

The 32-year-old former forward of the Dallas Mavericks was being held today on $500 bond for the domestic violence charge. He also faced several outstanding warrants, Dallas County Sheriff's Department spokesman Jim Ewell said.

Tarpley was taken into custody after his girlfriend's neighbors called police, reporting they heard screaming at her apartment.

When police arrived, the woman said she had been arguing with Tarpley when he went into another room, heated an iron and burned her across the abdomen, according to a police report.

Senior Cpl. M.A. Sarmiento said she showed police a burn mark and refused treatment.

In other cases, warrants have been issued for Tarpley's arrest for an unpaid $105 speeding ticket.

Tarpley was barred from the NBA for the first time in 1991 for using cocaine. The NBA reinstated him before the start of the 1994-95 season, and he signed a six-year, $26 million contract with the Mavericks.

In October 1995, Tarpley could not complete a team physical because of suspected pancreatitis. He was banned again in December 1995 for using alcohol, violating the terms of his aftercare program.

He forfeited the remaining $22.2 million of his contract with the Mavericks.

Thomas leaving?

TORONTO — Isiah Thomas might be in his last days as general manager-part owner of the Toronto Raptors.

The Toronto Star reported today that Thomas could leave as early as this week for a job with NBC television.

Four sources who weren't identified told the Star that Thomas is weighing a lucrative offer from the network that includes on-air basketball analysis and his own show on CNBC, the network's cable station.

The offer carries a $2 million annual salary, according to one source.

"Essentially, everyone in his life has told him he should leave," a source close to the team told the Star. "I think there's a good chance he will. Everyone in his family and his advisers have told him to leave, especially for economic reasons."

Said a business source: "It's 99 per cent done. It should be done by the end of the week."

David Stern, the NBA commissioner, and Russ Granik, Stern's second-in-command, are aware of the offer, the source said.

"Right now it's merely speculation and unnamed sources," a Raptors spokesman said this morning, adding Thomas would be at tonight's home game against Boston and would address the story then.

Generally considered one of the NBA's most innovative general managers, the 36-year-old Thomas has the highest profile of anyone in the Raptors' organization. Losing him would be seen as a blow to the young team's credibility, not only in Toronto but throughout the NBA.

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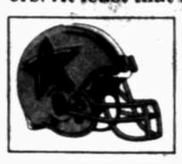
Switzer: 'Boys won't be bullied

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — The Dallas Cowboys haven't regained their swagger, but they aren't intimidated by the Green Bay Packers. At least that's the spin from coach Barry Switzer.



"We're not going to be awed because Green Bay won the Super Bowl last year," he said. "Our guys still think they're Super Bowl champions because they have won three of them in the 1990s."

There are some interesting streaks going into the game. The Cowboys have defeated the Packers in their last eight meetings, including last year when Green Bay was Super Bowl bound. However, seven of those wins were in Texas Stadium and the other one was in Milwaukee in 1991.

The other streak is that the Cowboys have never won in Lambeau Field. They are 0-3 in that facility.

"What happened in the past has nothing to do with this game," Switzer said. "This game is a big game for a lot of people. The people in Green Bay have had this one marked on their calendars for a long time.

"But it has a different flavor than what everybody predicted. This game is significant because both teams need a win. Green Bay is fighting for its division and needs a win. We need a win to go 7-5. Then if we win the rest of our games at home we could be 10-6 which is the record we had last year and it got us into the playoffs."

Switzer said the reason the Cowboys have had success against the Packers is the matchups.

"Troy Aikman, Emmitt Smith, and Michael Irvin have

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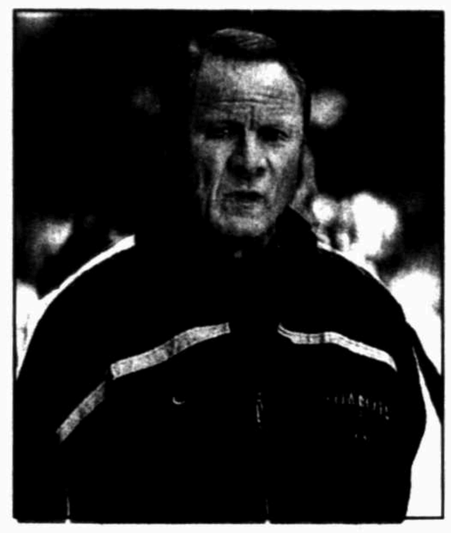

Dallas coach Barry Switzer says that the Cowboys won't be intimidated by the Super Bowl Champion Green Bay Packers, whom they play Sunday.
AP Laserphoto

Trading frenzy follows baseball expansion draft

■ Diamondbacks, Devil Rays load up on young pitchers.

By Ben Walker
AP Baseball Writer

PHOENIX — For seven hours, the expansion draft dragged on and on, just begging for one name player to be picked. And then the moment it ended, all heck broke loose.

Trades came so quickly that general managers literally stacked up to announce them, with NL Cy Young winner Pedro Martinez, Robb Nen and Travis Fryman among the stars changing teams.

The two newcomers, the Tampa Bay Devil Rays and Arizona Diamondbacks, got into the act while the World Series champion Florida Marlins continued their breakup. In all, there were more than a dozen trades and free-agent signings.

"Things were coming together and falling apart all night, and that's what makes it exciting," Arizona general manager Joe Garagiola Jr. said. "This is the kind of activity we used to have at the winter meetings, and fans love."

The deals included these:

— Martinez was sent from Montreal to Boston for young pitcher Carl Pavano and a player to be named.

— The Marlins dealt closer Nen to San Francisco for three young pitchers, then traded outfielder Devon White to Arizona for just-drafted pitcher Jesus Martinez.

— The Devil Rays got first baseman McGriff from Atlanta for a player to be named and signed free agent reliever Roberto Hernandez. Tampa Bay also got shortstop Kevin Stocker from Philadelphia for just-picked outfielder Bob Abreu.

— The Diamondbacks acquired Detroit third baseman Fryman for newly drafted Joe Randa in a four-player deal.

— Montreal traded second baseman Mike Lansing to Colorado for three minor leaguers.

The trades far overshadowed a draft in

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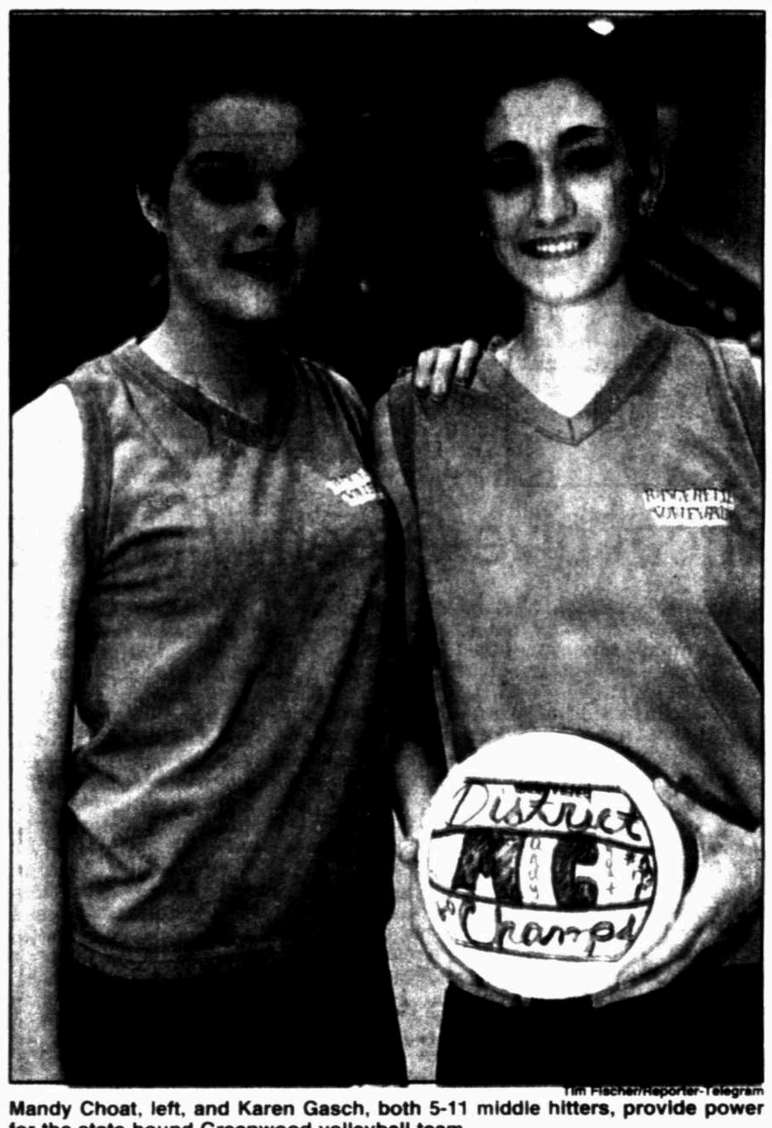

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Mandy Choat, left, and Karen Gasch, both 5-11 middle hitters, provide power for the state-bound Greenwood volleyball team.

Greenwood's Gasch, Choat provide power

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

GREENWOOD — Individually, Greenwood's Karen Gasch and Mandy Choat each possess the ability to do many things.

Both use their blocking ability to make life dreadful for opposing hitters, and both use their 5-foot-11 frames to tower over the competition.

What their coach, Patti Purser, a former college setter at Howard College and Texas Tech, appreciates a great deal is their ability to take a set, drive their right arm through the volleyball and turn it into a bullet. In her words, they "Flatten the ball on the floor."

Individually, they are as intimidating on the court as they are talented. Together, they played a big part in Greenwood claiming its first region title and first state appearance in school history.

"Any coach would want to have them," Purser said of Gasch and Choat. "They are the ones getting the glory, and they deserve it."

They got some of that glory after last weekend's Region I-3A tournament final as both showed how good they can be, leading Greenwood to a 30-6 record. Choat hammered 16 kills while Gasch fired 15. Those 31 blows to Aledo were complemented with a combined total of seven stuff blocks.

"They proved last weekend that they are excellent hitters," Purse said. "This was also the best blocking

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First-year coach leads SMU to first winning season since death penalty

By Jaime Aron
AP Sports Writer

DALLAS — Ever since the hatchet fell on Southern Methodist football a decade ago, the Mustangs have been trying to overcome the stigma of being the only program shut down by the NCAA.

This year — with a winning record secured, a bowl berth likely and a conference title possible — first-year coach Mike Cavan may have finally done it.

"I think we've hit some milestones in that direction," athletic director Jim Copeland said Tuesday.

SMU has won five straight games for the first time since 1984 and clinched its first winning season since '86.

A victory Thursday night over winless Texas Christian coupled with a Tulsa victory over New Mexico on Saturday would give the Mustangs the Western Athletic Conference's Mountain Division title and a spot in the league's championship game.

Regardless of what happens this weekend, SMU (6-4, 5-2) has a good chance of receiving a bowl bid.

"There's a lot of things out there, but nothing means anything unless we win (Thursday)," Cavan said. "Let's win this game, if at all possible, then we can all sit around and have fun speculating about what's next."

The Mustangs have been trying to move forward since Feb. 25, 1987, when the NCAA issued its first and only death penalty, forcing SMU to give up football for a year because of repeated rules violations.

The once-proud program that produced Doak Walker, Don Meredith and Eric Dickerson was banned from 1987 and chose to skip 1988. The Mustangs then won only 18 games from 1989-96.

Tom Rossley, who coached all but the first two years, was fired last November and replaced a month later by Cavan, who had kick-started moribund programs at Division II Valdosta State and, more recently, Division I-AA East Tennessee State.

"What jumped out at me first wasn't the wins and losses — it was the places he'd been and what he'd done with what he had," Copeland said. "He just finds ways to get things done. He doesn't look at obstacles."

Cavan had plenty to choose from: a depth chart loaded with Rossley holdovers recruited to play a different style who were scarred and divided by

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AP Laserphoto
SMU's Luke Johnson (57) and Jason Evans (99) sack Wyoming quarterback Jay Stoner Oct. 25 in Dallas. New head coach Mike Cavan has led SMU to its first winning season since 1986.

AP Laserphoto
Another trip to the injured list for Charles Barkley is just one the the problems the Houston Rockets are having during an early-season slump.

Rockets lost in early-season slump

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — The Houston Rockets have lost to the worst and to the best.

The Philadelphia Phillies earned their first victory against the Rockets last Wednesday and the Los Angeles Lakers extended their winning streak to seven in a row on Friday night.

The Rockets have feuded openly and made up privately. And while trying to search for the right mix, Charles Barkley is on the injury list. Again.

What's wrong here?

"We've forgotten how to win," guard Mario Elie said. "We've been in all the games except Seattle. In my five years here we used to win those close games and this year we're not. It's a matter of execution here and there and we win the games."

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The Rockets have been accused of being an old team with 30-something superstars Hakeem Olajuwon, Clyde Drexler and Barkley. Now they're playing like they're old, but coach Rudy Tomjanovich sees only a lack of execution.

November is usually kinder to the Rockets. They have a 50-8 record for November from 1993 through last season. They started last season 15-1 and had a 14-0 November in 1993.

The Rockets started Tuesday night's game against the New York Knicks 3-5.

"You can't get spoiled," Tomjanovich said. "What we did (in previous Novembers) was the result of hard work not just because it was November. We haven't put the ball in the basket and we haven't stopped it from going in on the other end.

"That's what it's all about, not because it's the 11th month, or I'm a Sagittarius, that makes it work."

Olajuwon, Barkley and Drexler quarreled after a one-point loss to the Portland Trail Blazers Nov. 7 when Olajuwon complained he wasn't a part of the game plan.

Then, with the Rockets rallying in the fourth quarter against the Lakers, Olajuwon didn't want to return to the game because he felt the chemistry was working better with Kevin Willis teaming with Barkley.

But Tomjanovich assures there's no problem with Olajuwon.

"He's had a couple of down games when he hasn't scored but we've also had situations where somebody else had a big game," Tomjanovich said. "But I have tremendous confidence in him. Everybody has periods like that. I don't even talk about that. It's not a problem."

Losing in the fourth quarter has been the theme of the Rockets early season flop. The Rockets had a 45-2 record last year when they led at the

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Olajuwon leads Rockets out of losing streak

Associated Press

■ NBA Roundup

HOUSTON — Hakeem Olajuwon found his shooting touch with 24 points and Matt Maloney finished one shy of his career-high with 23 as the Houston Rockets beat the New York Knicks 95-84 Tuesday night.

Olajuwon, who entered the game averaging only 14.1 points, put Houston ahead for good on two free throws with 4:31 to play.

Houston snapped its four-game losing streak and ended New York's three-game victory streak.

John Starks led the Knicks with 29 points and Charlie Ward had 14.

Kevin Willis started in place of Charles Barkley, who will miss at least the next three games with a left groin strain suffered in Sunday. Willis had 17 points and nine rebounds and Clyde Drexler scored 16 for the Rockets.

After Patrick Ewing tied the scored at 73-73 with 4:49 to play, the Knicks didn't score another basket until Charlie Ward's 3-point basket with 1:08 to play.

Olajuwon broke a 73-73 deadlock with two free throws that started a 22-11 Rockets charge to finish the game.

After Olajuwon's free throws, Ewing lost the ball out of bounds and Drexler made two free throws with 4:00 to play. After an airball by Chris Mills, the Rockets got a jumper from Willis for a 79-73 lead.

Until the Rockets pulled away, the biggest lead of the game was an eight-point Rockets edge, 24-16 late in the first quarter. Houston used a 12-0 run over the last 3:14 of the second quarter for a 48-42 halftime lead.

It was a battle of two guards in the first half with Maloney scoring 14 points in the first quarter and Starks getting 10 of his 16 first-half points in the second quarter.

Lakers 97, Jazz 92

SALT LAKE CITY — Kobe Bryant blocked Bryon Russell's 3-point attempt with five seconds left and went in for an uncontested windmill dunk to seal the undefeated Los Angeles Lakers' victory over the Utah Jazz.

With four seconds left and the Lakers up 95-92, Russell took an inbounds pass and squared up from 25 feet. But the ball was swatted to mid-court by Bryant, who then scooped it up and dunked with six-tenths of a second to play.

The win gave Los Angeles (9-0) the best start in team history and kept the Lakers in the ranks of the undefeated along with the Atlanta Hawks.

Karl Malone led the Jazz with 26 points, while Nick Van Exel added 19 for the Lakers.

Hawks 98, Wizards 89, OT

ATLANTA — Rookie Ed Gray scored seven points in overtime as unbeaten Atlanta rallied in the fourth quarter and then shut out Washington in the extra period.

Christian Laettner and Mookie Blaylock scored 24 points apiece for the Hawks, whose 11-0 start is the best in the NBA. Gray, playing in place of Steve Smith (back spasms), finished with 14.

It was the second overtime victory this season for Atlanta, which has had only one double-digit margin of victory — 11 points — in its streak. The Hawks have won 10 straight overtime games dating to the 1994-95 season.

Timberwolves 108, Suns 90

PHOENIX — Stephon Marbury scored 11 of his 23 points in the final 5:13 as the Timberwolves used a late surge to beat Phoenix.

Kevin Garnett led Minnesota with 26 points and Tom Gugliotta added 20 points, 10 rebounds and eight assists. But it was Marbury who ended Phoenix's final comeback bid by spearheading a 15-0 run that helped turn a tight game into an 18-point margin of victory.

Bucks 87, Pistons 79

MILWAUKEE — In a game that featured the second-lowest scoring first half in NBA history, Ray Allen and Terrell Brandon scored 21 points apiece as Milwaukee beat Detroit.

Milwaukee led just 31-29 at the half, and the combined 60 points was only two more than the NBA record of 58 scored by Syracuse and Fort Wayne on Jan. 25, 1955.

Magic 112, Clippers 94

ORLANDO — Mark Price, snapping out of a major shooting slump, hit 10 of 13 shots and scored 23 points as Orlando defeated Los Angeles.

Price, who entered the game 1-for-17 on 3-pointers this season, hit three straight treys in the third period to spark the Magic to their third straight victory. He also had eight assists and eight rebounds.

Celtics 122, Raptors 109

TORONTO — Dee Brown went 4-of-4 on 3-pointers in the first half as Boston built a 23-point lead and cruised to its fourth straight win.

The four-game winning streak, which includes two victories over the Raptors, is the Celtics' longest since they won five straight from March 31 to April 9, 1995. Toronto has lost seven straight.

Grizzlies 100, Nuggets 87

DENVER — Blue Edwards scored 27 points and Shareef Abdur-Rahim added 18 as Vancouver won its first road game of the season.

It was the fifth victory of the season for the Grizzlies, who didn't win that many last year until Dec. 17.

Cleopard Profiles

Daniel

Chap: Dejuan Daniel, 6-5 freshman forward Hometown: New Orleans, La.
Major: N/A
Quick Stats: Averaging 14.8 points a game and has been the team's leading rebounder averaging a little more than eight boards per contest. Shot 50 percent from the field for the season and grabbed 10 points in his first game against Clarendon.
Outlook: Wants to graduate from Midland College and play at the Division I level.
High School: Two-time all-district selection at Karr High School where he averaged 17.1 points, 10.6 rebounds and 4.2 assists. Daniel was recruited to play for the College of Eastern Utah but changed his mind to come to Midland College with assistant coach Jurelle Cotton.
Coach Pat Rutledge's comments: "He's come out and established himself that he can give us some offensive production. He's shown his ability as a freshman to get in there and score. I would like for him to get better defensively but I'm always one that's hard to satisfy. I look for him to be really good someday and be a little more consistent. Hopefully that consistency comes with maturity and experience."

Mitchell

Lady Chap: Candy Mitchell, 5-7 sophomore guard
Hometown: Oklahoma City, Okla.
Major: special education
Quick Stats: Averaging 5.8 points per game in three games of action. Sat out the first three games of the season because of an ankle injury suffered during fall practice. Had a season-high 11 points in only her second game back — a 69-65 win over Blinn College.
Outlook: Wants to be a teacher and coach. First she wants to complete her education and play in the WNBA.
Last Year: Averaged 6.6 points, 3.4 rebounds, 4.1 assists and 2.6 steals in 31 games as a starter for the Lady Chaps. She had five games in double figures with a career high of 20 against Scottsdale College. Shot 38.6 percent from the floor. Known as a fierce competitor, extremely quick and always around the ball.
High School: Averaged 15 points, 7.1 rebounds, 10 assists and 7.2 steals as senior at Star-Spencer High School. Named All-State and Oklahoma All-Star. Selected MVP of Garden City Kansas Roundball Classic. Two-time state qualifier in track.
Coach Ron Jones' Comments: "Candy is improving all the time as a point guard and can possibly become one of the best point guards in the conference. She just needs to work a little bit more on her decision making. She had a great fall until she suffered her ankle injury. She's still got some tendinitis in that ankle but I fully expect her to have a good sophomore year."

Lady Rebels rock Sonora

Staff Report

SONORA — The Midland Lee girls fired out of the blocks to start the 1997-98 basketball season, beating Sonora 54-34 Tuesday in non-district action.

Lee (1-0 overall) got 21 points from Tamika Thurman. The senior wing scored 16 of those 21 in the first half as Lee jumped out to a 25-7 lead after the first quarter and a 46-18 lead after the first half.

Things slowed down for Lee as it scored just 16 points in the seconds half although Elise Kail's Lady Rebels held Sonora to just eight points.

Lee junior wing Heather Wells scored 11 off the bench. The Lady Rebs will play Abilene Wylie in the first round of the Big Spring Tournament Thursday.

Lee 54, Sonora 34

Lee (1-0): Clarissa Valenzuela 1 0-0 2; Dee Frazier 0 0-0 0; Andrea Long 1 1-2 4; Kiki Strambler 3 2-3 8; Heather Wells 3 4-4 11; Valerie Morgan 3 0-0 6; Julie Jay 0 0-0 0; Katiue McClane 0 0-0 0; Tamika Thurman 7 4-7 21; Allison Newton 0 0-0 2; Christina Brown 1 0-0 2. **Totals: 19 11-18 54.**

Sonora: Stacy Fox 1 0-0 2; Satcey Mielo 3 2-4 8; Camille Marshall 2 5-8 9; Kara Eaton 1 0-0 2; Carrie Purves 2 0-0 4; Cindy Jones 1 0-0 2; Heather Phelps 2 2-4 7. **Totals: 12 9-16 34.**

Score By Quarters

Lee	25	21	3	5	—54
Sonora	7	11	6	10	—34

3-point Field Goals: Lee 5 (Long, Wells, Thurman 3); Sonora 1 (Phelps). **Totals Fouls:** Lee 17, Sonora 17. **Fouled Out:** None

Jacks end long winless streak

Staff Report

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — The Odessa Jackalopes broke a 12-game winless steak with a 7-6 overtime shootout win over the New Mexico Scorpions late Tuesday night.

Dan Lavergne scored the first hat trick in the Jacks' short history and Nick Lamia added a goal and two assists for Odessa.

The Jacks next host Fort Worth on Thursday.

DUO: Gasch, Choat give Greenwood 1-2 punch

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they have had. They took away the other teams first line of attack."

In doing so, both were honored with selections to the region's all-tournament team. But for Gasch, who has earned many honors including the 1996 District 4-3A MVP award, the end result — a trip to state — makes that win worth more than individual kudos.

"This is the best way to cap (her senior year)," said Gasch, a four-year letter winner. "Individually, (my career) has been good, but none of those awards compare to going to state."

There have been other times for Gasch to get through the playoffs. In each of her three seasons, Greenwood has made the playoffs and last season, the team won its first playoff match, winning bi-district before being ousted in the area round.

However, this Greenwood team is better and has more players playing at a higher level to go with Gasch, and everything starts with the team's ability to pass the ball and jump-start the offense.

"We couldn't hit without the passes," Gasch said. "We know they are as important now as they ever were."

"The passers never get much of the glory, but without them there would be no glory," Purser added.

Also, players like sophomore Stephanie Willis and Katy Walker, another four-year letter winner, give the Rangers more offensive options, and Choat's maturity as the team's other middle hitter gives the team an edge. Now when Gasch rotates to the back row, the team's play doesn't skip a beat. An example of this can be seen in the last three playoff games as Choat registered 31 kills while Gasch had 30.

"She has stepped up this season and done well when we needed her — this weekend and in the playoffs," Gasch said.

Purser points to the Clifton match as Choat's coming out match. Choat hit 10 kills in the regional semifinal.

"Mandy's best game was against Clifton," Purser said. "She was awesome. She has become worthy of becoming a varsity dog (team nickname for varsity players)."

Choat, a junior, has risen to a different level than one she played at last season. Then again, to be competitive in practice as well as matches, she had to.

"(Karen) has confidence in herself and is really dominant," Choat said. "She was the first big hitter Greenwood ever had."

Being the "first big hitter" may not be the only reason that she will be the measuring stick for all future Rangerettes. As well as having a strong net game, Gasch serves and passes well enough to make her quite able on the back line.

"Karen Gasch is the best all-around volleyball player I have coached," Purser said.

Gasch may also be the starting point for a tradition of outstanding offensive players to play for Purser. Gasch's productive four years on varsity will probably be unequaled. In that time, she has also probably caught a few eyes.

"When I was freshman and sophomore, I watched her play," Choat said. "She has helped me a lot. I look up to Karen."

Next year, Choat takes over the role as the go-to player and Willis, a sophomore, also appears to be in the Rangerette line of succession. Having such talent can be inspiring. At least, that is what Purser hopes.

"You wonder if kids in junior high say 'I want to be Karen Gasch'," Purser said. "You tell the players that little eyes are watching you."

Even watching her team practice just a few days before the team's first trip to the Class 3A state tournament, there is a feeling that Purser still has one eye on the future.

"Carrie Ellis would like to be as good as Mandy," Purser said, pointing to the 5-11 junior (Ellis). "Next year, she will be ready and Mandy will be Karen."

Talking to Purser, there is a feeling that she probably said that last year. For returning players, there is still something left before they find out how good the team will be next season.

"I'm looking forward to it, but I'm not in a hurry to get this year over with so it can happen," Choat said.

Not wanting to see this season end too early is just another thing both Gasch and Choat have in common.

ROCKETS: Team slumping

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start of the fourth quarter. They're 2-3 in those games this season.

"You get down a little bit, that's human nature, of course," Tomjanovich said. "We've lost more games than we did all last year when we had leads. Now, you want that negative to trigger a positive.

"Yeah, we're going to need to be more focused. It may take more energy on defense, better concentration, but also believing that if you're good enough to get the lead in the fourth quarter you should be good enough to win."

The Rockets have another worry. Barkley is out at least three games with a left groin injury he suffered in Sunday's loss at Phoenix. After three games this week, the Rockets have a five-day break before their next game on Nov. 28.

The Rockets had a 32-8 record last season in games that all three super stars played. They were 25-17 when one or more of the big three missed games.

The Rockets held a "players only" meeting Monday and watched their fourth quarter fizzle against the Suns. But watching film isn't going to cure the Rockets' ills.

"There's not a lot you can do off the court to find the solution," Drexler said. "We just have to play hard and stick to the game plan and see what happens. The last four games, we've had chances to win and we didn't. That's part of the game."

SMU: New coach sparks Ponies' resurgence

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years of losing.

Cavan immediately scrapped the run-and-shoot offense for the I-formation and installed an aggressive 4-3 defense. He also spent a lot of time working on attitudes and stressing the value of teamwork.

"I guess I'm from the old school of being real simple," said Cavan, a coach's son who spent 17 years at Georgia as a player and coach. "I think it was a hard adjustment, but we kept preaching it and talking it."

SMU began the season 1-4, then went to Utah and pulled out a 20-19 victory. The Mustangs haven't lost since.

"During the Utah game, we had a heart-to-heart talk at halftime," Cavan said. "After that, you could feel the kids starting to sense something: if we can do this on the road against a pretty good team, then we can keep doing this."

SMU next beat Wyoming, Rice and Texas-El Paso at home, then went to Tulsa last weekend. The Mustangs led 42-35 with 2:22 left, but the Golden Hurricane scored a touchdown with 18 seconds left to make it 42-41.

An extra-point kick that would've tied the game was botched when the holder fumbled the snap. He then tried a potential game-winning pass, but it fell incomplete. SMU had the victory and clinched a winning record.

"A lot of guys put a lot of time and a lot of blood, sweat and tears into this," sixth-year quarterback Ramon Flanigan said following the game. "To end up with a winning season for the first time in so long means so much to everybody."

Cavan said he expected the team to try harder and play better than it had in recent years, but he didn't know whether that would be reflected in the record. He admitted that "getting over the hump of a winning season does surprise me."

Copeland was also pleasantly surprised.

"I felt that this year, if we just matched last year's wins, we'd have a very good year," he said. "So in that sense, we're at least one year ahead of schedule."

Other things are also moving forward for SMU.

The school recently announced plans to build a $53.8 million, on-campus stadium by the 2000 season. Copeland said about $40 million has been raised and groundbreaking is expected in August.

Cavan, meanwhile, is looking forward to recruiting success.

The guy who recruited Herschel Walker to Georgia had only a few weeks to put together his first class at SMU, but he spent the spring visiting more than 600 high schools and expects a bumper crop in February.

"I have yet to have one student-athlete ask us about the death penalty," Cavan said. "It doesn't mean anything to those kids. They were 7, 8 years old when that happened."

But Cavan also recognizes that it will be a long time before every accomplishment or accolade isn't followed by the words "since the death penalty."

"That's something I don't think we'll ever take out of our vocabulary," he said.

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	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	6	3	.667	—
New Jersey	5	3	.625	1/2
New York	6	4	.600	1/2
Orlando	6	4	.600	1/2
Boston	5	5	.500	1 1/2
Washington	4	6	.400	2 1/2
Philadelphia	2	6	.250	3 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	11	0	1.000	—
Charlotte	5	3	.625	4 1/2
Chicago	6	4	.600	4 1/2
Milwaukee	6	4	.600	4 1/2
Cleveland	4	5	.444	6
Indiana	4	5	.444	6
Detroit	4	7	.364	7
Toronto	1	9	.100	9 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	6	3	.667	—
Minnesota	6	3	.667	—
Utah	5	5	.500	1 1/2
Vancouver	5	6	.455	2
Houston	4	5	.444	2
Dallas	3	6	.333	3
Denver	0	9	.000	6

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Lakers	9	0	1.000	—
Portland	7	2	.778	2
Phoenix	6	2	.750	2 1/2
Seattle	7	3	.700	2 1/2
Sacramento	2	7	.222	7
L.A. Clippers	1	9	.100	8 1/2
Golden State	0	8	.000	8 1/2

Tuesday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Boston 122, Toronto 109
Orlando 112, L.A. Clippers 94
Atlanta 98, Washington 89, OT
Houston 95, New York 84
Milwaukee 87, Detroit 79
Vancouver 100, Denver 87
L.A. Lakers 97, Utah 92
Minnesota 108, Phoenix 90
Dallas at Sacramento (n)

Wednesday's Games

Boston at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Portland at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
Golden State at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Vancouver at Seattle, 9 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

Rockets 95, Knicks 84

NEW YORK (84): Johnson 1-9 5-7 7, Oakley 4-8 2-3 10, Ewing 5-12 2-2 12, Houston 2-9 0-0 4, Ward 5-6 2-2 14, Starks 8-17 11-13 29, Childs 1-7 0-0 2, Dudley 0-3 0-2 0, Mills 2-5 2-2 6. Totals 28-76 24-31 84.

HOUSTON (95): Elie 3-7 3-4 9, Willis 6-15 5-5 17, Olajuwon 10-14 4-4 24, Drexler 3-13 9-10 16, Maloney 4-11 11-13 23, Bullard 0-2 0-0 0, Rhodes 1-4 2-4 4, Price 0-1 0-0 0, Davis 1-2 0-0 2, Harrington 0-3 0-0 0. Totals 28-72 34-40 95.

New York	**25**	**17**	**19**	**23 — 84**
Houston	**26**	**22**	**12**	**35 — 95**

3-Point goals—New York 4-16 (Ward 2-3, Starks 2-7, Mills 0-1, Houston 0-2, Childs 0-3), Houston 5-18 (Maloney 4-7, Drexler 1-6, Elie 0-1, Price 0-1, Davis 0-1, Bullard 0-2). Fouled out—Johnson. Rebounds—New York 54 (Johnson 10), Houston 51 (Willis 9). Assists—New York 12 (Ward 5), Houston 19 (Drexler 6). Total fouls—New York 31, Houston 25. Technicals—Houston coach Tomjonavich. A—16,285 (19,763).

Hawks 98, Wizards 89

WASHINGTON (89): Grant 2-12 1-2 5, Howard 8-19 4-4 20, Davis 1-8 1-2 3, Cheaney 7-15 0-0 14, Strickland 9-15 4-4 24, Murray 4-15 2-2 11, Whitney 1-4 2-2 5, Ham 0-1 0-0 0, Wallace 1-1 1-1 3, Williams 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 35-92 15-17 89.

ATLANTA (98): Corbin 3-12 1-2 8, Laettner 9-22 6-8 24, Mutombo 5-15 4-6 14, Smith 2-9 0-0 5, Blaylock 10-20 3-3 24, Gray 5-12 4-6 14, Brown 1-3 0-0 2, Livingston 1-1 3-4 5, Anderson 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 37-95 21-29 98.

Washington	**18**	**26**	**26**	**19 — 89**
Atlanta	**19**	**20**	**23**	**27 — 98**

3-Point goals—Washington 4-12 (Strickland 2-4, Murray 1-4, Whitney 1-4), Atlanta 3-9 (Corbin 1-1, Smith 1-2, Blaylock 1-4, Laettner 0-1, Gray 0-1). Fouled out—Grant, Davis. Rebounds—Washington 58 (Davis 12), Atlanta 67 (Corbin, Laettner, Mutombo 11). Assists—Washington 13 (Strickland 10), Atlanta 12 (Laettner 3). Total fouls—Washington 29, Atlanta 20. A—12,809 (21,570).

Celtics 122, Raptors 109

BOSTON (122): McCarty 7-11 3-4 18, Walker 5-13 3-5 14, Knight 3-4 2-4 9, Brown 6-10 0-0 16, Billups 5-11 5-5 15, Ellison 2-4 0-0 4, Edney 3-5 4-4 10, Mercer 4-10 3-4 11, Minor 7-13 3-4 17, DeClercq 4-7 0-1 8, Barros 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 46-90 23-31 122.

TORONTO (109): Williams 3-11 2-2 9, Slater 4-6 0-0 8, Tabak 4-10 0-0 8, Christie 6-8 11-11 23, Stoudamire 6-15 9-10 21, Wallace 11-17 8-10 30, P.Jones 3-7 0-0 6, McGrady 0-0 0-0 0, Respert 1-6 2-2 4, Garner 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 38-80 32-35 109.

Boston	**35**	**24**	**32**	**31 — 122**
Toronto	**16**	**22**	**35**	**36 — 109**

3-Point goals—Boston 7-14 (Brown 4-5, McCarty 1-1, Knight 1-1, Walker 1-3, Mercer 0-1, Billups 0-3), Toronto 1-8 (Williams 1-4, Respert 0-1, Stoudamire 0-3). Fouled out—Williams. Rebounds—Boston 45 (Walker 10), Toronto 52 (Wallace 12). Assists—Boston 32 (Billups 8), Toronto 25 (Stoudamire, Respert 6). Total fouls—Boston 30, Toronto 27. A—16,343 (20,125).

Grizzlies 100, Nuggets 97

VANCOUVER (100): Abdur-Rahim 8-15 3-8 19, Thorpe 2-4 5-5 9, Reeves 4-9 1-2 9, Mack 2-7 0-0 4, Daniels 2-9 2-4 6, Mayberry 4-7 0-0 10, Edwards 9-15 6-8 27, Chilcutt 2-2 0-0 5, Lynch 3-8 5-8 11. Totals 36-76 22-33 100.

DENVER (97): Wolf 0-2 0-0 0, Ellis 6-13 2-2 17, Garrett 5-8 3-7 13, Jackson 7-14 3-5 18, Stith 0-6 6-6 6, Newman 6-14 2-2 14, Fortson 2-10 6-6 10, Lauderdale 2-5 1-2 5, Goldwire 1-2 0-0 2, Washington 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 30-75 23-30 87.

Vancouver	**19**	**33**	**19**	**29 — 100**
Denver	**22**	**21**	**21**	**23 — 87**

3-Point goals—Vancouver 6-12 (Edwards 3-6, Mayberry 2-3, Chilcutt 1-1, Mack 0-2). Denver 4-8 (Ellis 3-4, Jackson 1-1, Newman 0-1, Stith 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Vancouver 53 (Thorpe 7), Denver 50 (Garrett 11). Assists—Vancouver 25 (Mayberry 5), Denver 18 (Jackson 7). Total fouls—Vancouver 22, Denver 25. Technicals—Vancouver illegal defense, Denver illegal defense 2. A—9,718 (17,171).

Timberwolves 108, Suns 90

MINNESOTA (108): Garnett 9-14 8-8 26, Gugliotta 9-13 2-2 20, Parks 2-4 3-3 7, Marbury 9-12 3-6 23, Carr 6-11 1-2 13, West 3-5 1-2 7, Porter 2-8 0-0 4, Mitchell 2-5 2-3 6, Jordan 0-1 1-2 1, Wheat 0-0 0-0 0, Roberts 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 42-73 22-30 108.

PHOENIX (90): Chapman 8-17 0-0 19, McDyess 2-6 0-0 4, Robinson 2-5 0-0 4, Kidd 2-8 1-3 5, Johnson 10-18 7-9 27, Manning 7-12 6-8 20, McCloud 1-4 0-0 3, Nash 3-11 0-0 6, Williams 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 36-82 14-20 90.

Minnesota	**28**	**16**	**31**	**33 — 108**
Phoenix	**22**	**28**	**22**	**18 — 90**

3-Point goals—Minnesota 2-8 (Marbury 2-3, Carr 0-2, Porter 0-3), Phoenix 4-20 (Chapman 3-8, McCloud 1-4, Manning 0-1, Kidd 0-2, Johnson 0-2, Nash 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Minnesota 49 (Gugliotta 10), Phoenix 42 (Manning 11). Assists—Minnesota 22 (Garnett, Gugliotta 8), Phoenix 21 (Johnson 8). Total fouls—Minnesota 19, Phoenix 22. A—19,023 (19,023).

Bucks 87, Pistons 79

DETROIT (79): G.Hill 3-12 2-2 8, Ratliff 4-4 7-9 15, B.Williams 11-14 6-9 28, Hunter 3-15 2-4 8, Sealy 6-16 1-2 13, McKie 0-4 0-0 0, Pollard 1-1 0-0 2, O'Bannon 0-1 0-0 0, Mahorn 0-0 1-2 1, J.Williams 0-0 0-0 0, Reid 1-1 0-0 2, Long 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 30-69 19-34 79.

Milwaukee	**17**	**25**	**31**	**14 — 87**
Detroit	**13**	**16**	**21**	**29 — 79**

3-Point goals—Detroit 0-2, (Hunter 0-2), Milwaukee 2-6, (Allen 2-5, Perry 0-1). Fouled out—Johnson. Rebounds—Detroit 50 (B.Williams 50), Milwaukee 60 (T.Hill 17). Assists—Detroit 20 (G.Hill 8), Milwaukee 15 (Robinson 5). Total fouls—Detroit 26, Milwaukee 24. Technicals—Detroit illegal defense. Flagrant foul—Lang. A—13,065 (18,633).

Magic 112, Clippers 94

L.A. CLIPPERS (94): Rogers 5-12 0-0 11, Vaught 3-8 0-0 6, Vrankovic 2-6 2-2 6, Barry 9-17 1-1 21, Martin 2-9 0-0 4, Closs 3-6 2-2 8, Murray 6-12 2-2 15, Wright 3-5 5-6 11, Richardson 1-2 0-0 2, Piatkowski 5-6 0-1 10, Taylor 0-3 0-0 0. Totals 39-86 12-14 94.

ORLANDO (112): Outlaw 5-7 6-9 16, Grant 9-13 1-2 19, Seikaly 9-17 3-5 21, Anderson 1-6 0-0 2, Price 10-13 0-0 23, Wilkins 5-17 5-5 17, Armstrong 0-4 1-2 1, Strong 4-12 5-6 13, Evans 0-0 0-0 0, Kempton 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 43-89 21-29 112.

L.A. Clippers	**36**	**20**	**21**	**17 — 94**
Orlando	**29**	**33**	**29**	**21 — 112**

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 4-9 (Barry 2-5, Rogers 1-1, Murray 1-1, Martin 0-1, Piatkowski 0-1), Orlando 5-9 (Price 3-5, Wilkins 2-3, Anderson 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 39 (Vaught, Wright 6), Orlando 64 (Seikaly 11). Assists—Los Angeles 16 (Martin 5), Orlando 25 (Price 8). Total fouls—Los Angeles 21, Orlando 16. A—16,435 (17,248).

Lakers 97, Jazz 92

L.A. LAKERS (97): Fox 5-9 5-6 17, Campbell 2-4 0-2 4, O'Neal 7-10 3-8 17, Jones 5-13 3-4 15, Van Exel 4-13 10-10 19, Blount 3-4 0-0 6, Bennett 0-1 0-0 0, Bryant 4-10 11-12 19, Fisher 0-3 0-0 0, Rooks 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 30-68 32-42 97.

UTAH (92): Keefe 2-3 1-1 5, Malone 10-22 6-8 26, Foster 6-7 2-4 14, Hornacek 5-10 6-6 18, Eisley 5-11 1-1 12, Vaughn 2-7 2-2 6, Ostertag 2-2 2-3 6, Russell 0-4 0-0 0, Anderson 2-5 0-0 4, Carr 0-4 1-2 1. Totals 34-75 21-27 92.

L.A. Lakers	**29**	**18**	**23**	**27 — 97**
Utah	**31**	**22**	**25**	**14 — 92**

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 5-17 (Jones 2-3, Fox 2-4, Van Exel 1-8, Bryant 0-2), Utah 3-9, (Hornacek 2-3, Eisley 1-4, Russell 0-2). Fouled out—Campbell. Rebounds—Los Angeles 51 (O'Neal 9), Utah 44 (Malone 9). Assists—Los Angeles 19 (Van Exel 5), Utah 26 (Eisley 7). Total fouls—Los Angeles 27, Utah 35. Technicals—Los Angeles illegal defense. A—19,911 (19,911).

Consecutive Games

Through Nov. 18, 1997

Top NBA streaks of consecutive regular-season games played:

A.C. Green (906) — Nov. 19, 1986-present
Randy Smith (906) — Feb. 18, 1972-March 13, 1983
Johnny Kerr (844) — Oct. 31, 1954-Nov. 4, 1965
Dolph Schayes (706) — Feb. 17, 1952-Dec. 26, 1961
Bill Laimbeer (685) — Nov. 15, 1981-Jan. 27, 1989
Harry Gallatin (682) — Nov. 27, 1948-March 12, 1958
Michael Cage (665) — April 23, 1989-present
John Stockton (609) — Feb. 13, 1990-April 20, 1997

Chase Tennis

NEW YORK (AP) — Results Tuesday from the $2 million Chase Championships of the Corel WTA Tour being played on the carpet at Madison Square Garden (seedings in parentheses):

Singles

First Round

Iva Majoli (6), Croatia, def. Anke Huber, Germany, 7-6 (7-5), 7-6 (7-2).
Martina Hingis (1), Switzerland, def. Brenda Schultz-McCarthy, Netherlands, 7-6 (7-3), 5-2, retired.
Jana Novotna (2), Czech Republic, def. Conchita Martinez, Spain, 6-4, 6-4.

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Odds for this weekend's college football and NFL games from Harrah's Reno Sports Casino:

COLLEGE

Thursday

Favorite	Line	Underdog
Southern Meth.	11 1/2	at TCU

Saturday

at Michigan	**-3 1/2**	**Ohio St.**
at Boston College	13	Army
at North Carolina	23	Duke
at Georgia Tech	19 1/2	Maryland
at N. Carolina St.	10	East Carolina
at Penn St.	15 1/2	Wisconsin
Michigan St.	25	at Illinois
Purdue	14	at Indiana
Clemson	OFF	at S.Carolina
at Notre Dame	9	West Virginia
Tennessee	16 1/2	at Kentucky
at Texas Tech	23 1/2	Oklahoma
Southern Miss.	11	at Memphis
Kansas St.	26	at Iowa St.
Oklahoma St.	11	at Baylor
Mississippi St.	4 1/2	at Arkansas
Georgia	3	at Mississippi
at New Mexico	14 1/2	Tulsa
at Iowa	21	Minnesota
at Rice	19	UTEP
Florida St.	4 1/2	at Florida
at BYU	5 1/2	Utah
at Washington	6 1/2	Wash St.
UCLA	9 1/2	at USC
at Stanford	1/2	California
Virginia Tech	11	at Pittsburgh
at Oregon	16	Oregon St.
Wyoming	4 1/2	at Fresno St.
at UNLV	9	San Jose St.
at Auburn	12	Alabama
Tulane	8 1/2	at Houston
Colorado St.	14	at San Diego St.
at Hawaii	5	NE Louisiana
at Navy	27	Kent
at Central Florida	5 1/2	Toledo
at Brown	12 1/2	Columbia
at Dartmouth	6	Princeton
Harvard	20	at Yale
at Penn	3	Cornell
Utah St.	13	at N. Texas
Ala.-Birmingham	11	at Arkansas St.
at Idaho	10	Boise St.

NFL

Sunday

Favorite	Line	Underdog
at Green Bay	6 1/2	Dallas
at New England	4 1/2	Miami
Pittsburgh	3	at Philadelphia
at Tennessee	OFF	Buffalo
at Detroit	8 1/2	Indianapolis
at N.Y. Jets	1 1/2	Minnesota
at Baltimore	4	Arizona
Tampa Bay	5	at Chicago
at Atlanta	4	New Orleans
at San Francisco	14	San Diego
Carolina	3	at St. Louis
at Seattle	3	Kansas City
Jacksonville	5 1/2	at Cincinnati
at Washington	5 1/2	N.Y. Giants

Monday

at Denver	8 1/2	Oakland

PGA Grand Slam

POIPU, Hawaii (AP) — Final scores Tuesday of the $1 million PGA Grand Slam, played on the 6,957-yard, par-72 Poipu Bay Resort course:

Ernie Els	68-65 — 133
Tiger Woods	66-70 — 136
Davis Love III	71-67 — 138
Justin Leonard	77-72 — 149

Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

DETROIT TIGERS—Traded INF Travis Fryman to the Arizona Diamondbacks for 3B Joe Randa, RHP Matt Drews and 3B Gabe Alvarez. Agreed to terms with 1B Tony Clark on a four-year contract.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms with RHP Doug Jones on a one-year contract.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Acquired 3B Scott Brosius from the Oakland Athletics to complete the Kenny Rogers trade.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Agreed to terms with 2B Joey Cora on a one-year contract.

TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Signed RHP Roberto Hernandez. Acquired 1B Fred McGriff from the Atlanta Braves for a player to be named. Named Frank Howard bench coach, Garry Riddoch third base coach, Bill Hatcher first base coach, Rick Williams pitching coach and Steve Henderson hitting coach.

National League

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Acquired CF Devon White from the Florida Marlins for LHP Jesus Martinez. Acquired OF Harvey Pulliam from the Colorado Rockies for LHP Chuck McElroy.

CINCINNATI REDS—Acquired 1B Dmitri Young from the Tampa Bay Devil Rays to complete the Mike Kelly trade. Acquired RHP Scott Winchester from the Arizona Diamondbacks to complete the Felix Rodriguez trade.

COLORADO ROCKIES—Agreed to terms with C Jeff Reed on a two-year contract and INF Jeff Huson on a minor-league contract.

FLORIDA MARLINS—Traded RHP Robb Nen to the San Francisco Giants for RHP Mike Villano, RHP Joe Fontenot and RHP Mike Pageler. Traded RHP Kurt Miller to the Chicago Cubs for a player to be named.

MONTREAL EXPOS—Traded RHP Pedro Martinez to the Boston Red Sox for RHP Carl Pavano and a player to be named. Traded 2B Mike Lansing to the Colorado Rockies for RHP Jake Westbrook, RHP John Nicholson and OF Mark Hamlin.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Traded SS Kevin Stocker to the Tampa Bay Devil Rays for OF Bob Abreu.

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Acquired RHP Brian Boehringer and SS Andy Sheets from the Tampa Bay Devil Rays for C John Flaherty.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

DENVER BRONCOS—Activated WR David Gamble from the practice squad. Released WR Willie Anderson.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Released FB Dewayne Dotson.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Waived DE Carlos Thornton. Waived Brandon Noble and CB Mario Bradley from the practice squad.

TENNESSEE OILERS—Released KR Mel Gray and RB Ronnie Harmon.

Hockey Results

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New Jersey	15	5	0	30	62	35
Philadelphia	13	6	3	29	68	51
Washington	12	7	3	27	66	56
N.Y. Rangers	7	7	7	21	54	51
N.Y. Islanders	8	8	4	20	56	50
Florida	6	10	4	16	43	60
Tampa Bay	2	16	2	6	34	72

Northeast Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	14	5	2	30	71	45
Boston	11	7	3	25	55	49
Ottawa	9	9	4	22	62	57
Pittsburgh	9	9	4	22	59	59
Carolina	8	10	3	19	58	62
Buffalo	5	10	4	14	47	61

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
St. Louis	15	5	2	32	72	47
Detroit	13	5	4	30	73	52
Dallas	12	6	4	28	70	55
Phoenix	10	8	2	22	63	56
Chicago	7	12	2	16	40	55
Toronto	6	10	3	15	38	56

Pacific Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Colorado	10	5	7	27	67	58
Los Angeles	9	8	4	22	72	60
Anaheim	8	8	5	21	54	59
Edmonton	5	11	5	15	49	73
San Jose	6	14	1	13	53	69
Vancouver	5	13	3	13	53	74
Calgary	3	14	5	11	54	73

Tuesday's Games

Late game not included

New Jersey 2, Calgary 1
Colorado 6, Washington 6, tie
N.Y. Rangers 3, Florida 1
Anaheim at San Jose, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Boston at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Montreal at Carolina, 6:30 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Anaheim, 9:30 p.m.

Avalanche 6, Capitals 6

Colorado	**2**	**2**	**2**	**0 — 6**
Washington	**1**	**4**	**1**	**0 — 6**

First Period—1, Washington, Bulis 3 (Krygier, Witt), 11:22. 2, Colorado, Lemieux 5 (Forsberg, Kamensky), 13:38. 3, Colorado, Lemieux 6 (Forsberg), 15:20.

Second Period—4, Washington, Hunter 3 (Berube, Housley), 3:12. 5, Colorado, Lemieux 7 (Kamensky, Forsberg), 4:23 (pp). 6, Washington, Tinordi 4 (Oates), 5:03. 7, Colorado, Yelle 3 (Lacroix, Lemieux), 9:29. 8, Washington, Simon 3 (Bondra, Johansson), 11:17. 9, Washington, Bondra 13 (Oates, Simon), 19:47 (pp).

Third Period—10, Colorado, Kamensky 8 (Lemieux), 9:34. 11, Colorado, Forsberg 5 (Sakic, Kamensky), 13:13 (pp). 12, Washington, Bondra 14 (Konowalchuk, Cote), 14:56.

Overtime—None

Shots on goal—Colorado 13-11-10-3—37. Washington 8-16-8-1—33.

Power-play Opportunities—Colorado 2 of 4, Washington 1 of 4.

Goalies—Colorado, Billington 2-1-1 (12 shots-9 saves), Roy (5:03 second, 12-10), Billington (0:00 third, 9-8). Washington, Ranford 1-4-1 (37-31). A—15,041 (18,130).

Devils 2, Flames 1,

Calgary	**0**	**1**	**0**	**— 1**
New Jersey	**0**	**2**	**0**	**— 2**

First Period—None

Second Period—1, New Jersey, Pederson 3 (Zelepukin, Niedermayer), 8:15. 2, New Jersey, Gilmour 5 (Sykora, Niedermayer), 10:18. 3, Calgary, Cassells 4 (Fleury), 11:25.

Third Period—None

Shots on goal—Calgary 3-2-7—12. New Jersey 13-18-10—41.

Power-play Opportunities—Calgary 0 of 3. New Jersey 0 of 4.

Goalies—Calgary, Tabaracci 1-9-2 (41 shots-39 saves). New Jersey, Brodeur 14-3-0 (12-11).

College Basketball

Men's Scores

SOUTHWEST

Houston 73, Ark.-Pine Bluff 55
Oklahoma 81, Texas-Arlington 63
Texas-San Antonio 85, Midwestern St., Texas 78

EAST

Brown 56, Army 50
Long Island U. 106, Sacred Heart 69
Providence 67, Vermont 63
Robert Morris 69, Md.-Baltimore County 51

SOUTH

Alabama 81, North Texas 61
Appalachian St. 110, Anderson, S.C. 48
Berea 94, E. Kentucky 88
Chattanooga 74, St. Francis, Ill. 44
Florida 100, Cent. Florida 85
George Mason 78, Howard U. 72
Georgia Southern 95, Jacksonville St. 85
Jackson St. 82, McNeese St. 62
Maryland 81, Fairleigh Dickinson 70
Mississippi St. 90, Texas-Pan American 60
NW Louisiana 83, Belhaven 52
SW Louisiana 77, Va. Commonwealth 71, OT
St. Francis, Pa. 70, Norfolk St. 45
Tennessee St. 121, Asbury 54
VMI 85, Elon 69
Vanderbilt 102, Furman 55

MIDWEST

E. Illinois 81, Viterbo 55
Ill.-Chicago 86, Alabama St. 63
Saint Louis 70, East Carolina 58
Wichita St. 78, Chicago St. 52
Wisconsin 80, Illinois St. 66
Wright St. 64, Old Dominion 52
Youngstown St. 85, Slippery Rock 54

FAR WEST

Cal Poly-SLO 82, Cal Baptist 65
Oral Roberts 80, Montana 68
Pepperdine 50, UC Irvine 46

EXHIBITION

Alcorn St. 93, Sakaka, Lithunia 82
Coppin St. 85, Supreme Court 55
Diamonds Basketball Club 91, Northeastern 90, OT
Kentucky 91, North Melbourne 63
Miss. Valley St. 130, VASDA 116
NBC Thunder 69, Boise St. 66
Oklahoma St. 114, Buducnost 52
South Carolina 85, BC Chemosvit 54
St. Francis, NY 120, USDBL All Stars 112, 2OT

Top 25 Boxes

No. 19 Oklahoma 81, Texas-Arlington 63

TEXAS-ARLINGTON (2-0): Washington 3-9 0-3 6, Durham 8-13 2-2 21, Hiple 1-1 0-0 2, Harris 4-17 6-7 15, Cross 2-6 0-1 4, Isaac 1-5 2-2 4, Gwinn 4-9 0-0 9, Jones 1-4 0-0 2, Bolden 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 24-65 10-15 63.

OKLAHOMA (2-0): Humphrey 3-5 1-1 7, Allison 2-8 0-0 6, Wiley 2-3 1-2 5, Johnson 6-9 0-3 14, Brewer 8-17 1-5 18, Heskett 5-11 2-2 15, Martin 3-10 5-6 12, Stone 2-4 0-0 4. Totals 31-67 10-19 81.

Halftime—Oklahoma 48, Texas-Arlington 30. 3-Point goals—Texas-Arlington 5-16 (Durham 3-5, Harris 1-3, Gwinn 1-4, Cross 0-2, Jones 0-2), Oklahoma 9-30 (Heskett 3-9, Johnson 2-5, Allison 2-8, Martin 1-3, Brewer 1-5). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Texas-Arlington 39 (Durham 9), Oklahoma 45 (Martin 9). Assists—Texas-Arlington 11 (Cross 5), Oklahoma 18 (Johnson 6). Total fouls—Texas-Arlington 19, Oklahoma 19. A—8,176.

Wisconsin 80, No. 24 Illinois St. 66

ILLINOIS STATE (1-1): Schaefbauer 5-12 1-2 16, Muller 4-9 3-4 12, Gibbons 0-0 2-2 2, Hansell 1-3 3-4 5, Hill 8-13 2-4 19, Holstrom 0-0 0-0 0, Cartmill 3-6 0-0 7, Crowley 0-0 3-6 3, Hein 0-0 0-0 0, Watkins 1-2 0-0 2, van Velzen 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-45 14-22 66.

WISCONSIN (1-1): Auriantal 7-15 1-2 18, Daugherty 5-6 1-3 11, Coleman 3-3 0-2 6, Mason 6-10 7-8 20, Kelley 3-5 0-0 6, Kowske 3-5 0-1 6, Burkemper 0-0 1-2 1, Linton 0-0 0-0 0, Vraney 0-0 0-0 0, Vershaw 4-4 4-6 12. Totals 31-48 14-24 80.

Halftime—Wisconsin 35, Illinois State 32. 3-Point goals—Illinois State 8-23 (Schaefbauer 5-11, Hill 1-2, Cartmill 1-3, Muller 1-5, Hansell 0-2), Wisconsin 4-10 (Auriantal 3-5, Mason 1-4, Daugherty 0-1). Fouled out—Hansell, Hill, Watkins, Mason. Rebounds—Illinois State 29 (Hill 6), Wisconsin 21 (Auriantal 4). Assists—Illinois State 12 (Schaefbauer 7), Wisconsin 15 (Burkemper 5). Total fouls—Illinois State 26, Wisconsin 23. A—11,500.

Women's Scores

SOUTHWEST

Houston 88, Ark.-Pine Bluff 49
Vanderbilt 78, Texas A&M 59

EAST

East Carolina 59, Hampton U. 58
George Washington 83, Georgetown 62
Lehigh 65, Manhattan 62
Yale 54, Hartford 47

SOUTH

Alabama St. 80, Samford 77
Auburn 55, Texas-Arlington 36
Georgia Tech 73, Georgia St. 59
Southern U. 88, Norfolk St. 74
Tennessee 92, Mississippi 54
Troy St. 72, Mississippi St. 69
Wofford 60, Mercer 52

MIDWEST

Iowa St. 81, Mo.-Kansas City 54
Notre Dame 71, Butler 65
S. Illinois 68, Memphis 65

FAR WEST

No major team scores reported from the FAR WEST.

EXHIBITION

Athletes In Action 86, Kansas 76

Top 25 Boxes

No. 10 Vanderbilt 78, Texas A&M 59

VANDERBILT (1-0): Hillmon 4-10 2-2 10, Ostrom 5-6 0-0 10, Holmes 3-4 0-2 6, Smith 1-4 4-6 6, Respondek 3-6 0-0 6, Redman 0-4 3-4 3, Hammond 0-1 3-6 3, Ostendorf 9-14 8-9 26. Washington 1-2 5-5 7, Story 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 26-52 26-36 78.

TEXAS A&M (0-1): Sharpe 7-10 5-5 20, Jones 4-18 0-0 11, Linder 0-3 0-0 0, Tarkington 1-10 2-4 4, Patterson 3-9 0-0 6, Yates 3-12 2-2 11, Alexander 1-6 1-2 3, Beard 0-0 2-2 2, Burrows 1-2 0-2 2, Cartwright 0-1 0-0 0, Eaton 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 20-71 12-17 59.

Halftime—Vanderbilt 34. Texas A&M 21. 3-Point goals—Vanderbilt 0-7 (Smith 0-1, Respondek 0-1, Washington 0-1, Redman 0-4), Texas A&M 7-27 (Jones 3-10, Yates 3-11, Sharpe 1-3, Tarkington 0-3). Fouled out—Ostrom, Linder, Alexander. Rebounds—Vanderbilt 46 (Hillmon 8), Texas A&M 42 (Sharpe 12). Assists—Vanderbilt 18 (Smith 6), Texas A&M 14 (Tarkington 8). Total fouls—Vanderbilt 22, Texas A&M 28. A—1,163.

No. 1 Tennessee 92, Mississippi 54

MISSISSIPPI (1-1): Adkins 2-10 2-3 6, Bethley 12-18 3-5 29, Gadd 1-2 0-1 2, Murphy 0-3 0-0 0, Myatt 2-6 0-0 4, Vollrath 1-5 2-2 4, Dorsey 3-4 0-0 6, Bantz 1-6 0-0 3, Signaigo 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-54 7-14 54.

TENNESSEE (1-0): Holdsclaw 9-14 4-5 23, Laxton 1-3 2-2 4, Stephens 2-7 4-6 8, Elzy 0-1 0-0 0, Jolly 1-6 4-4 6, Randall 10-12 4-6 24, Geter 4-9 0-2 8, Catchings 5-12 2-2 13, Butts 0-1 4-10 4, Greene 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 33-67 24-38 92.

Halftime—Tennessee 42. Mississippi 21. 3-Point goals—Mississippi 3-11 (Bethley 2-4, Bantz 1-3, Myatt 0-1, Adkins 0-3), Tennessee 2-12 (Holdsclaw 1-3, Catchings 1-3, Greene 0-1, Randall 0-1, Jolly 0-4). Fouled out—Adkins, Gadd, Stephens. Rebounds—Mississippi 34 (Adkins, Myatt 6), Tennessee 46 (Laxton 8). Assists—Mississippi 4 (Myatt, Vollrath, Dorsey Tables 1), Tennessee 15 (Jolly 5). Total fouls—Mississippi 24, Tennessee 19. A—6,602.

No. 23 George Washington 83, Georgetown 62

GEORGE WASHINGTON (1-0): Dubovcova 4-5 1-2 10, Gomez 8-13 1-5 17, Deas 3-6 3-4 9, Myers 2-5 4-8 8, Aguilar 7-14 2-2 19, Turner 1-3 2-5 4, Baskova 0-5 0-0 0, Egleston 2-5 6-7 11, Reid 0-0 0-0 0, Carlson 0-0 0-0 0, Perak

Rays acquire McGriff

Associated Press

ATLANTA — The Atlanta Braves traded first baseman Fred McGriff to the expansion Tampa Bay Devil Rays late Tuesday for a player to be named.

McGriff, one of the big-name players left unprotected in the expansion draft, wasn't picked by either Tampa Bay or the Arizona Diamondbacks. But the trade was announced shortly after the draft ended in Phoenix.

McGriff, born in Tampa and still a resident, is coming off his worst season in a decade, hitting .277 with 27 homers and 97 RBIs while battling a variety of ailments. His contract status — $12 million over the next two years — was a drawback to the expansion teams.

It wasn't immediately known if the Braves agreed to partially compensate the Devil Rays for McGriff's large salary. But since he was traded after the draft, that would indicate Tampa Bay also is receiving some financial compensation.

Jones signs with Brewers

PHOENIX — Doug Jones returned to the Milwaukee Brewers on Tuesday, agreeing to a $3 million, one-year contract.

Jones, who turns 41 next June, was 6-6 with a 2.02 ERA last season, finishing third in the American league with 36 saves.

Jones, who made $600,000, gets a $500,000 signing bonus and a $2 million salary next season. Milwaukee has a $2 million option for 1999 and must pay a $500,000 buyout if it's not exercised.

■ Baseball Briefs

Cora returns to Mariners

PHOENIX — Joey Cora, who became a free agent after the World Series, returned to the Seattle Mariners on Tuesday when he agreed to a $1.65 million, one-year contract. Cora, a 32-year-old second baseman, enjoyed the best offensive season of his 10-year career while playing with the Mariners in 1997.

Tigers sign Clark

DETROIT — Detroit first baseman Tony Clark, who hit 32 home runs and drove in 117 runs last season, on Tuesday agreed to a new contract that will keep him in a Tigers uniform through the 2001 season. Terms of the deal were not released.

Twins inch closer to moving

PHOENIX — The Minnesota Twins moved a step closer to North Carolina when baseball appointed a five-man committee Tuesday to guide the team through the sport's relocation rules.

The Minnesota Legislature last week defeated a proposal to finance a new ballpark, and Pohlad has an agreement with North Carolina businessman Don Beaver to negotiate a sale unless stadium financing is approved by Nov. 30.

DRAFT: Teams go for pitchers

(From 1C)

which the two new teams steered clear of high-priced vets and focused on pitching prospects. The Devil Rays made Florida pitcher Tony Saunders the No. 1 choice and the Arizona Diamondbacks then took Cleveland pitcher Brian Anderson.

In all, 39 of the 70 draft picks were pitchers, with Bob Wolcott and Brian Boehringer among them. Most had little or no big league experience — that may be the best way to build, but it hardly makes for high drama.

"Most expansion drafts go this way," Atlanta general manager John Schuerholz said. "These are not familiar names, not household names to most fans. But I think it's a wise thing to do, to look for young pitching."

At best, the choosing of Colorado outfielder Quinton McCracken, Boston pitcher Jeff Suppan, White Sox catcher Jorge Fabregas and Anaheim knuckleballer Dennis Springer — the only player over 30 to be picked in the opening two rounds — prompted a mild response from the small gallery.

But the mention of Esteban Yan, Hanley Frias, Steve Cox and Chris Clemons led some fans to chant, "Bor-ing! Bor-ing!"

Yet as history has shown, picking fading stars such as Gil Hodges, Ted Kluszewski and Bill Singer in expansion drafts rarely produces success. That might be the reason the Devil Rays and Diamondbacks avoided such players as Eric Davis, Eric Karros, Eric Young, Geronimo Berroa and Todd Zeile.

"When we looked at the board, it made sense for both teams to go the way they did," Tampa Bay manager Larry Rothschild said.

Arizona, which will play in the NL West next season, began the third round by picking Pittsburgh third baseman Joe Randa, who hit .302 this year. Later, Tampa Bay, which will be in the AL East, took Atlanta pitcher Terrell Wade.

For Saunders and Anderson, it's a new start.

When last seen together, Saunders and Anderson were pitching in the snow during Game 4 of the World Series. This time, they were linked again amid palm trees and cactuses as the top two picks.

The Devil Rays took Saunders just three weeks after the 23-year-old pitcher helped the Marlins complete their five-year zoom from expansion losers to World Series winners.

"It's an honor," said Saunders, reunited with Rothschild, the Marlins' pitching coach until this month. "That tells me I must have done something right, that they wanted me before anybody else."

Saunders went 4-6 with a 4.61 ERA in his first season in the majors, though he went 3-0 with a 1.65 ERA against Atlanta. He was in Florida's postseason rotation, and started and lost Game 4 of the Series at Cleveland.

The Diamondbacks followed by choosing the 25-year-old Anderson.

"I enjoyed my time in Cleveland," he said. "I'm looking forward to being on a team that's just starting out."

Anderson was 4-2 with a 4.69 ERA in eight starts for Cleveland, then sparkled in the postseason. He had a 2.45 ERA in three relief appearances in the World Series, earning a save with three scoreless innings in the Indians' 10-3 win over Saunders and the Marlins in Game 4.

The draft was held at the Phoenix Civic Plaza, right across the street from the Diamondbacks' new Bank One Ballpark. The draft hall was decorated to make both teams feel comfortable, with palm trees for the Devil Rays and cactuses for the Diamondbacks.

LOCAL SPORTS

Greenwood girls fall to Lamesa

GREENWOOD — The Greenwood girls basketball team dropped their season opener to Class 4A Lamesa 70-48 Tuesday night.

Greenwood (0-1) got 14 points from Valerie Wootan, but the Rangerettes, which is missing five of its top eight players to injury and volleyball, got behing 21-5 after one quarter and never recovered.

Greenwood plays Monday night at Monahans.

Lamesa 70, Greenwood 48

Lamesa: Macias 4 1-2 10; Smith 2 0-0 4; Lantz 1 0-1 2; Meador 3 1-1 7; Shook 0 1-1 1; Barroz 4 0-0 8; Phipps 5 4-6 14; Barron 3 4-4 10; Meador 5 3-4 13; Kirkland 1 0-0 2. **Totals:** 28 13-21 70

Greenwood (0-1): Sipes 4 1-1 9; Mauldin 1 0-0 2; Stewart 3 2-2 8; Burton 0 3-4 3; Dickerson 2 0-1 4; Graham 2 4-6 8; Wootan 5 4-7 14. Totals 17 14-21 48.

Score By Quarters

Lamesa	21	8	23	18	—70
Greenwood	5	14	13	16	—48

3-Point Field Goals: L 1 (Macias) G 0. **Total Fouls:** L 16, G 19. **Fouled Out:** L: Meador, G: Sipes.

Maxie scores 24 for Lady Bearkats

GARDEN CITY — The Garden City girls basketball team trounced Forsan 55-19 Tuesday in non-district action.

Garden City standout Tiffany Maxie led the Lady Bearkats (1-0) with 24 points, five more than the entire Forsan team, which was outscored 18-5 in the first quarter alone. J'Layne Niehues added 13. The Garden City junior varsity also won 23-20.

Garden City 55, Forsan 19

Forsan: Loera 1 0-0 3; Hughes 3 0-0 6; Evans 2 0-0 6; Tabor 0 2-2 2; Proctor 1 0-0 2. **Totals:** 7 2-2 19.

Garden City: Bryant 3 0-0 6; Kujawski 1 0-0 2; Maxie 10 2-2 24; Braden 1 0-0 2; Goodwin 1 0-0 2; Niehues 4 5-9 13; Butla 1 0-0 2; Eoff 2 0-0 4. **Totals: 23 7-11 55.**

Score By Quarters

Forsan	5	8	5	0	—19
Garden City	18	14	13	10	—55

3-Point Field Goals: F 3 (Loera, Evans 2) GC 2 (Maxie 2). **Fouls:** F 10, GC 11. **Fouled Out:** None.

Lady 'Stangs open with win over Wink

The Midland Christian girls basketball team opened its season with a 46-42 win over Wink Tuesday night at the MC Gym.

Bethany Spradlin scored 17 points for 1-0 MC, which outscored Wink 21-11 in the final quarter. MC will play at Wink on Friday.

The Midland Christian JV defeated Wink 39-11. Sasha Hollar scored 17 and Lyndsay Epley threw in 10.

Midland Christian 46, Wink 42

Wink: Baker 0 2-5 2; Fernandez 10 0-0 20; Harbin 1 2-2 4; Milligan 2 2-3 6; Tinkler 0 2-2 2; Hawkins 3 2-5 8. **Totals:** 15 10-17 42.

Midland Christian (1-0): Jinny Porter 2 3-5 8; Sarah Koss 4 0-1 8; Emily Kelly 1 0-0 2; Kristi Cosner 2 1-2 5; Bethany Spradlin 6 5-10 17; Garen Glasscock 1 0-1 2; Kim Spradlin 2 0-2 4. **Totals:** 18 9-21 46.

Score By Quarters

Wink	7	14	10	11	—42
Midland Christian	9	6	11	21	—46

3-Point field goals: W 0, MC 1 (Porter). **Total Fouls:** W 19, MC 17. **Fouled Out:** None.

Baptist Academy wins opener

The Midland Baptist Academy boys' basketball team defeated the Midland Christian junior varsity 43-28 Tuesday in its season opener. Andrew Murphy led MBA with 14 points while Jeremy Snelson schipped in 12. Daniel Cooper had 16 for MC.

Freshman boys start season

The Lee Freshman White team won its season opener 61-31 over Midland White Monday. Lee's Trent Whaley scored 12 while Cedric Benson and Ronald Ross had 11 each. White received nine from Paul Logan.

Midland Purple defeated Lee Maroon 54-36. Purple had 14 from Thomas Carrington. Chris Hunt had 11 points for Lee Freshman.

Mahan makes Academic team

Former Midland Lee football standout Shawn Mahan of Austin College has been selected to the District VI College Division GTE Academic All-America football team as chosen by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA).

Mahan, an offensive lineman for Austin College (4-6), started every game for the Kangaroos at left guard. Mahan has a 3.61 grade point average as a history major.

Mahan, a sophomore, now moves onto the national ballot from eight districts in the U.S. and Canada that will make up the first and second teams of the Academic All-America squad.

District VI is made up of the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

Frosh girls start season

The Lee Freshman and Midland Freshman girls basketball teams split games Tuesday.

The Lee White girls defeated Midland Gold 30-21 as Mandy Hacker scored 10 points for Lee. Laura Koch scored 24 points as Midland Purple defeated Lee Maroon 66-38. Becky Valdez led Midland with eight rebounds.

Trinity 8th grade falls to McCamey

The Trinity eighth grade boys basketball team lost its first game of the season to McCamey, 48-34. The Chargers' Luke Musselman had 11.

Bombers go undefeated

The Bombers under-10 soccer team of Midland completed their regular season with a 10-0-1 record by defeating the Shooters 2-0 for the city championship. The team, which has won the city title two years in a row, will represent Midland in the North Texas Soccer Association Tournament of Champions in Dallas, Dec. 6-7.

Members of the Bombers: Kirby Castille, Billy Davis, A.J. Ferguson, Paul Christopher Foster, Shawn Gaston, Brian Keim, Nicholas Papasan, Cy Perkins, Spencer Robnett, Reed Stevens, Nathan Sykes and Joshua Verette. Coaches: Steve Robnett and Randy Stevens.

Hermanson aces No. 10 at Hogan

Don Hermanson scored his first ever hole-in-one Monday on the No. 10 hole at Hogan Park Golf Course. Hermanson scored the ace on the 178-yard par 3 with a 5-wood. Witnesses were Clarence Buresh and Miller Goodman.

Lady Mojo beats Andrews

ODESSA — The Odessa Permian Lady Panthers got off to a good start Tuesday with a 59-38 win over Andrews.

Permian (1-0) was led by Amber Zenger's 17 points and 12 points each from Trineka Freeman and Jennifer Brewer. Andrews was led by Kayal Kimberlin's 12 points.

Odessa Permian 59, Andrews 38

Andrews (0-1): Tammi Sutton 1 0-0 2, Erin Graham 0 0 0, Korrie McKinney 0 0-0 0, Brittoni Reynolds 2 0-0 4, Jaci Tharp 0 0-1 0, Holly Fields 2 2-4 7, Heather Gulley 3 2-2 8, Gina Esquivel 2 0-0 5, Kayla Kimberlin 6 0-3 12. **Totals 18 4-10 38.**

Permian (1-0): Trineka Freeman 5 1-1 12, Kari Putnam 1 2-2 4, Lacey Lee 1 2-2 4, Tiffany McCallister 0 0-0 0, Miriam Cisneros 1 0-0 2, Jennifer Brewer 6 0-0 12, Carla Youngblood 0 0-0 0, Katrina Jordan 1 0-0 2, Lacy Patterson 0 0-0 0, Amber Zenger 6 5-6 17, Kay Kay Lona 0 0-0 0, Brandi Cornish 1 4-6 6. **Totals 22 14-15 59.**

Andrews	9	16	5	8	—38
Permian	14	20	13	12	—59

3-point goals: Andrews (Fields 1, Esquivel 1), Permian (Freeman 1). **Total fouls:** Andrews 13, Permian 13. **Fouled out:** None.

Lady Chargers beat McCamey

The Midland Trinity Lady Chargers improved to 2-1 on the season with a 63-50 win over McCamey.

Sarah Gifford led Trinity with 23 points, Javon Clay added 12, and Heather Bartlett chipped in with 11.

In JV action, McCamey beat Trinity 46-42 in overtime. Kristen Stoltz led the Lady Chargers with 10 points.

Trinity's varsity next plays Westbrook at 6:30 p.m. Friday.

Midland Trinity 63, McCamey 50

McCamey: Venegas 1 0-0 2, Munoz 0 0-2 0, Andrews 3 0-0 7, Martinez 1 2-2 4, Cornelius 2 1-2 5, Cobill 2 0-0 5, Diaz 4 0-0 8, Pruett 7 1-2 15, Marquez 2 0-2 4. **Totals 24 4-10 50.**

Trinity (2-1): Sarah Gifford 10 2-4 23, Renee Rougeaux 2 0-0 4, Heather Bartlett 5 1-4 11, Javon Clay 6 0-0 12, Catherine Durbin 4 0-1 8, Robin Beal 2 1-2 5, Valerie Power 0 0-0 0, Valerie Timco 0 0-0 0, Sara Stashey 0 0-0 0. **Totals 29 4-13 63.**

McCamey	8	13	21	8	—50
Trinity	17	12	16	18	—63

3-point goals: M (Cobill 1, Andrews 1), T (Gifford 1). **Total fouls:** M 11, T 13. **Fouled out:** None.

COM's Irons places in Dallas

DALLAS — Erin Irons placed three times in the North vs. South All-Star swim meet held on the campus of Southern Methodist University.

Irons, competing in the girls' 15-16 age division, took fifth in the 200-yard backstroke, sixth in the 200-yard individual medley and second in the 200 medley relay.

Astros' park gets closer to agreement

HOUSTON (AP) — The Harris County-Houston Sports Authority has a verbal agreement with a Houston-based architect firm for design of a downtown retractable-roof stadium.

"We've got a handshake deal," Billy Burge, head of the sports authority's construction committee, told KRIV-TV in Houston. "We've got a deal that everybody feels real comfortable with."

Sports authority leaders had been negotiating with Brown & Root architects and finally have received a $230 million contract proposal for the project, Burge said.

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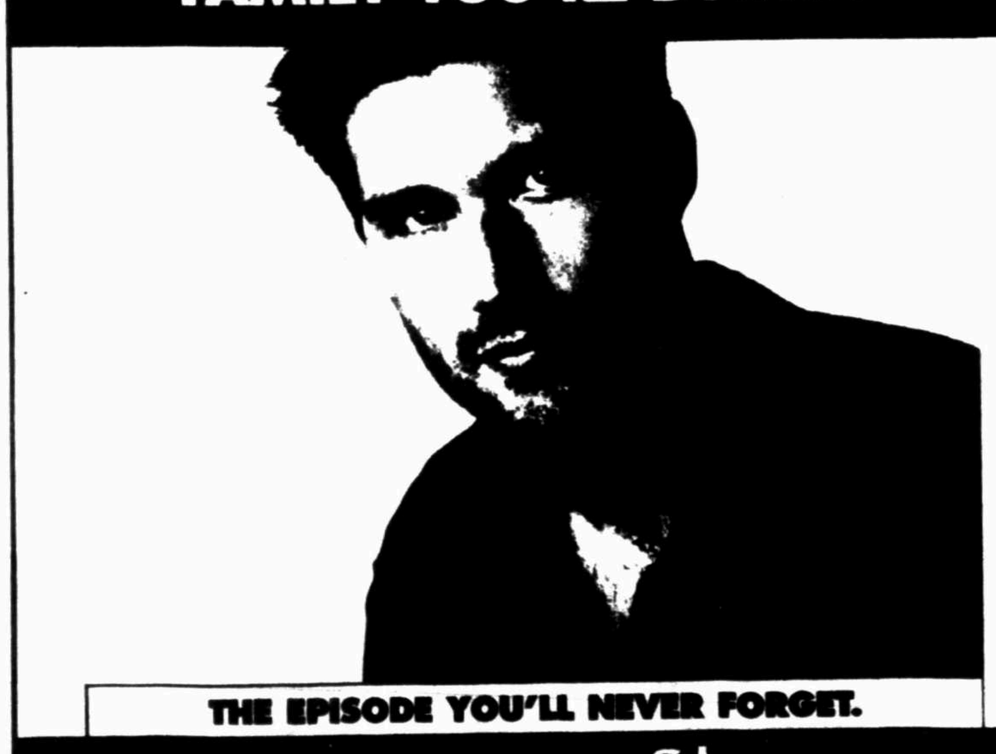

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WEST TEXAS SPORTS

Booster Clubs...

The Midland High Softball Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Dec. 15 in Conference Room A at Midland High School.

The Lee Softball Booster Club will meet on the first Thursday of every month. Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. in the Lee High School cafeteria...

The Midland Lee Football Booster Club meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Lee Youth Center and will continue until the end of the season. The meeting is open to all Lee football fans...

The Midland High Soccer Booster Club is holding its meetings in Conference Room A at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of each month through April...

The Midland Lee Soccer Booster Club is holding its meetings the first Monday of every month at 7 p.m. at the Lee library...

The Midland Lee Baseball Booster Club is meeting Thursday, Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. The public is welcome to attend...

A **Texas Tech football luncheon** is scheduled for the Outback Steakhouse at 11:30 a.m. on Nov. 21 for the home game against Oklahoma...

Aquatics...

Pre-competitive swimming is being offered at the Mabee Aquatic Center. The program will teach elementary age swimmers techniques of competitive swimming while improving their strokes. It is open to swimmers who can swim at least 25 yards of freestyle and backstroke. The cost is $35 per month on a year-round basis. For more information, call 684-7755...

COM Aquatics is holding **water aerobics classes** Monday through Saturday at Mabee Aquatic Center. Classes are at 6:15 a.m., 7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. There will also be a pre-school excercise class offered in conjunction with the 9 a.m. water aerobics class. All classes are open to the public and swimming skills are not necessary. Deep and shallow water classes are offered. For information, call Julie Harvey at 684-7755...

COM Aquatics is offering beginning diving lessons throughout the school year in its indoor heated Olympic Diving Pool. Participants need to be able to swim in deep water. The COM diving progran also offers competitive team practice and competitions for most ability levels all year long. Please contact coach Maxwell for more information at 684-7755...

Volleyball...

Registration for **YMCA youth volleyball** for boys and girls in grades 3-8 is underway. The fee is $25 for YMCA members and $38 for non-members. For more information, call 682-2551...

Basketball...

The Permian Basin Basketball Official's Association is seeking persons interested in officiating basketball games from the junior high to varsity level in the area. For more information call Mike Lowrance at 520-9602, 682-1726 or Jeff Ryan at 699-5001, 688-0700...

The YMCA is taking registration for **youth basketball** for boys and girls in elementary school. The deadline is Dec. 6. The program costs $25 for YMCA members and $38 for non-members. The program is also seeking officials for games. For more information, call 682-2551...

Soccer...

Midland Soccer Association Spring Registration runs from Dec. 1, 1997 through Feb. 1, 1998. Participants must be four years or older before Dec. 31. Fee is $40 for recreational players and $44 for club players. There will be a $10 late fee after Feb. 1. Signups will be from 10 a.m-2 p.m. Monday through Friday at 1909 W. Wall, Suite N. For more information, call 684-5425...

A **referee clinic** is scheduled for Dec. 6-8 in Odessa. There is a $20 deposit for the clinic with a fee of $25 upon the completion of the clinic. Deadline is Nov. 21. For more information, call David Stall at 682-8904 or the MSA at 684-5425...

Registration for **grades 7-8** will be held through Dec. 8. The fee is $25. Signups will be from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday through Friday at 1909 W. Wall, Suite N. For more information, call 684-5425...

Baseball...

Texas Tech is conducting the **Larry Hays Holiday Baseball Camps** in January 1998. Sessions for 6-13-year-olds will be held Jan. 4, 1998 with registration beginning at 1 p.m. at the athletic training center. Instruction runs from 1:30-5:30 p.m. with a fee of $55. Camp for those 14 and older runs Jan. 2-3 with registration at 8:30 a.m. and instruction running from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. each day. The fee is $110. To register, send name, address, t-shirt size and age with a $15 deposit for the 6-13-year-olds and a $25 deposit for 14 and older to Red Raider Baseball Camp, Texas Tech University, Box 43021, Lubbock, Tx. 79409-3021. For more information, call Greg Evans at (806) 748-1146...

Miscellaneous...

The **Flatlanders Ski Club** is planning the following trips: Breckenridge, Colo. Nov. 26-29; Steamboat Colo., Jan. 14-18, 1998; Telluride, Colo., Feb. 18-22, 1998; Lake Louise, Canada, March 22-29, 1998 and New Zealand, July 24-Aug. 1, 1998...

The **Midland Wrestling Club** is a non-profit group of athletes participating in Olympic freestyle and collegiate wrestling. A team is forming in November for the upcoming Texas Interscholastic wrestling season. For more information, call Larry at 685-0531 or Rick at 694-1115...

The **Dust Devil Divers Scuba Club** is planning a trip to Grand Cayman Jan. 4-11. For more information, call 570-8761...

The **Odessa Jackalopes** are offering five skating programs at the Ector County Coliseum. There skating lessons ($50), public skating ($4 per session and $2.50 for skate rental), hockey lessons for ages 7-17 ($75 includes skae rental, Jackalopes Youth Hockey League for ages 7-17 (Registration is $64 and for more info on league contact Bob Flanner at 683-4251, "Stick Time", which ice is open for pick-up hockey games. ($7 per session). For more information on any of these programs call 683-4251...

The Midland chapter of **Ducks Unlimited** is holding its annual banquet Thursday, Nov. 20 at Green Tree Country Club at 6 p.m. The cost is $50 per person and includes a one-year membership. Tickets are available at the door or in advance by calling Scott Gunn at 685-1757 or Mike Crume at 694-8761...

QB problems haunt Bills

By Bucky Gleason
AP Sports Writer

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Last season, a group of fans unhappy with quarterback Jim Kelly hung a sign highlighting the letters "NBC." It read "Nobody But Collins."

Now it seems as if the Bills simply have nobody. Todd Collins is one of three quarterbacks for Buffalo this season, and none has played well enough to secure the position as a full-time starter.

Collins took another turn at mediocrity in Buffalo's 30-13 loss to the Miami Dolphins on Monday. The performance was bad enough that Kelly himself, now a commentator for NBC, went into the Bills' locker room to console his successor after the game.

"You're just a young guy," Kelly told Collins. "Take it for what it's worth. You'll have your day."

Collins' day definitely was not Monday. He completed 19 of 37 passes for 152 yards and one interception, but his performance was actually worse than the statistics show.

He missed receiver Andre Reed wide open in the end zone in the fourth quarter. A touchdown pass would have pulled Buffalo within 16-14 after trailing 13-0. It might have changed the momentum. Instead, neither happened.

"I played well in spots, but I didn't make plays when we needed to," Collins said. "When big plays present themselves, you have to connect."

Buffalo (5-6), which has lost three of its last four games, now is looking at a season spiraling toward the bottom of the AFC East.

With games against the first-place New York Jets (7-4), Jacksonville (8-3) and Green Bay (8-3) among their final five, the Bills need at least four victories to save the season. The fact is, they were fortunate in three of their five wins already.

"We've got five games to go, and we pretty much have to sweep them," safety Henry Jones said.

Buffalo started the season hoping Collins would take over for Kelly and operate a ball-control offense brought in by new coordinator Dan Henning.

But the Bills have not scored a first-quarter touchdown this season, extending the streak to 15 consecutive games. Behind a weak offensive line, Collins has thrown eight touchdown passes and 11 interceptions.

When he was injured Oct. 12 against New England, the Bills inserted Billy Joe Hobert. When Hobert was waived after not doing his homework, they tried Alex Van Pelt. When Van Pelt threw three interceptions in the first half against New England last week, they went back to Collins.

"This is his first year as a starter," running back Thurman Thomas said. "Look how long it took Drew Bledsoe and Trent Dilfer to get to where they are now."

Going into the game, Collins insisted his confidence was not shaken from being benched. He established what was to come in the first quarter by overthrowing receiver Quinn Early. He missed Early again in the fourth quarter after a defensive back had fallen down.

"He's going to struggle sometimes learning a new system," Thomas said. "The more he plays, the more he sees things. Come next year, I guarantee he'll make those plays and hit those receivers."

DALLAS: Offensive lineman Williams returns to practice

(From 1C)

all played well against Green Bay," Switzer said. "They have to step up again on Sunday."

All three were instrumental in the come-from-behind 17-14 win over the Washington Redskins on Sunday. Aikman took Dallas on a 97-yard scoring drive in the last five minutes, capping it with a touchdown pass to Irvin and a 2-point conversion pass to Smith.

"This is the time of year championships are won," Switzer said. "If we can win Sunday it gives us a good chance because three of our last four games are at home. In the 1990s in all our games after Nov. 15, we have a 25-3 record at home."

Switzer said he had never been to Lambeau Field but has seen it numerous times on television.

"I'm sure it will be a very emotional atmosphere," Switzer said. "I'm sure they will give us a big welcome to town."

Dallas got some good news from trainer Jim Maurer on Tuesday. Maurer said offensive tackle Erik Williams, who missed the Washington game with a leg injury, will return to practice.

Rookie Tony Hutson filled in for Williams last week and played well.

"Tony didn't allow any sacks and I thought he would get embarrassed," Switzer said. "He's a good backup but it's good to know Erik will be back."

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Wolverines, OSU players talking trash

By Richard Rosenblatt
AP Football Writer

Even though he grew up in Humble, Texas, Ohio State's David Boston is anything but.

So it was no surprise when the wide receiver kicked off Ohio State-Michigan week with these words: "If our offense and defense are clicking, we should win by two or three touchdowns."

Enter Michigan cornerback Charles Woodson, who will line up more than few times against Boston in Saturday's showdown between the No. 1 Wolverines (10-0) and No. 4 Buckeyes (10-1).

"Well," Woodson said, smiling, "if our offense and defense click, we should win by two touchdowns."

Perfect.

Such words are what rivalries like Ohio State-Michigan are all about. There may be a perfect season, Big Ten title and national championship riding on the outcome of the game at Michigan Stadium, but until that moment arrives, a war of words is just fine.

"We talk a little trash to players," Michigan safety Marcus Ray, from Columbus, Ohio, said, "but it's all done in fun. On Saturday, the most physical team is going to win, not who says the most."

Even Michigan coach Lloyd Carr joined in: "I agree with David Boston. I think Ohio State should be two- or three-touchdown favorites."

Ohio State coach John Cooper, 1-7-1 against Michigan and known for being testy during this week, said Tuesday that words aren't going to get anyone "more fired up than they already are."

"And I don't have anything more to say about that," he added.

Boston and Woodson could spend lots of time talking to each other, as the winner of that matchup will probably be playing for the winning team.

Boston, a 6-foot-3, 205-pound sophomore, has 67 catches for 862 yards and 13 touchdowns — an average of one TD every 5.15 catches.

Woodson, meanwhile, is the nation's premier cornerback and a Heisman Trophy contender. The 6-1, 197-pounder from Fremont, Ohio, leads the Big Ten with six interceptions. He also has two TD receptions and a 33-yard scoring run.

"I think I've faced corners better than him," Boston said. "Guys in practice. Antoine Winfield is as good as him and certainly as fast as him. I've got to watch film on him. He ain't no Shawn Springs.

"I know he's made a lot of plays ever since he's been at Michigan. He's a big-time player. I'm going to see him and he's going to see me. I'm ready for him and he's ready for me, I'm sure. So we'll see."

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Michigan cornerback Charles Woodson (2) intercepts a pass intended for Michigan State receiver Octavis Long in Michigan's win Oct. 25. Woodson will lead the top-ranked Wolverines against No. 4 Ohio State Saturday.

Spurrier starts lobbying for refs to watch Florida State's late hits

By Doug Ferguson
AP Sports Writer

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — A national championship doesn't have to be on the line for Florida coach Steve Spurrier to talk about late hits — especially when it comes to playing Florida State.

Spurrier opened up his news conference Tuesday by saying he hoped Saturday's showdown against the Seminoles would be a "good, clean hard-fought game."

As it turns out, he was just warming up.

"They're going to play like they always play," Spurrier said. "The only thing we can hope is that the referee controls the game. If he doesn't, I don't know what's going to happen out there. We can't ask our players to be spearing dummies, or tackling dummies, or hit-late dummies."

Nearly 11 months ago, Spurrier accused the Seminoles of several late hits against Danny Wuerffel in their 24-21 victory over Florida. He continued his crusade in the weeks leading up to their rematch in the Sugar Bowl, which Florida won 55-20 for its first national championship.

This year's debate took root Monday, when Seminoles linebacker Lamont Green said Florida quarterback Noah Brindise was "going to get hit regardless."

"They might as well tell Brindise that he's going to be bruised up very bad after the game, because he's going to get hit before the throws the ball, he's going to get hit while he throws the ball and, if we're within a step while he's releasing, he's going to get hit again," Green said.

On Tuesday, some of the Gators talked of retaliation.

"If it happens again, it's going to come down to trading blows," said safety Tony George. "If they hit our quarterback like that, maybe we should hit their quarterback like that."

The second-ranked Seminoles (10-0) have one of the best defenses in the country. They are first against the run and rank third in total defense. And along with 64 sacks, they have knocked out the quarterback in seven games this year.

Spurrier wasn't impressed.

"I think it's sort of sad that you brag about hurting people on the other team," he said. "But if that's something that's important to them, let them talk about it."

A physical game would be nothing new to Brindise, the fifth-year senior and former walk-on who will be making his third start Saturday. In his senior year in high school, Brindise says he went up against Florida State defensive end Greg Spires and suffered a concussion.

"I wasn't knocked out of the game, but when I went home I threw up," Brindise said. "I had a nasty night. He probably doesn't remember, but I do."

Brindise is expecting another brutal afternoon Saturday against perhaps the best pass rush in the country. Complicating matters is that the Gators have started a different offensive line in each of the last five games.

"Every quarterback gets hit," Brindise said. "If I get hit, I'll jump up and pat him on the back. They've knocked a lot of quarterbacks out, and they're going to have to really put a good licking on me to get me out of this one."

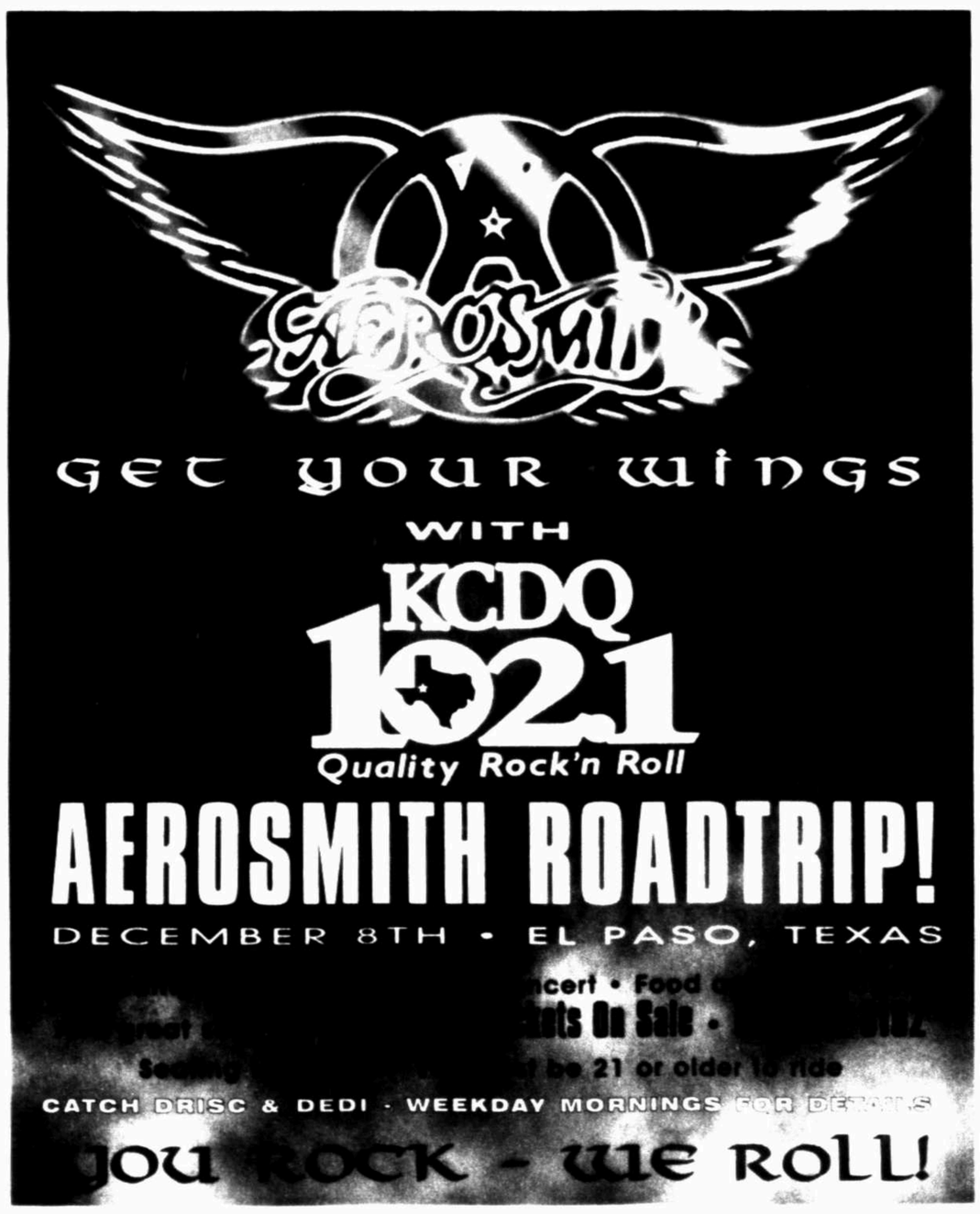
Osborne treated for irregular heartbeat

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Shortly after Nebraska's nailbiter overtime win over Missouri on Nov. 8, coach Tom Osborne started having trouble with an irregular heartbeat.

Osborne, who had bypass surgery in 1985, went to a hospital on Sunday where he received medication to have the problem corrected. Doctors performed more tests on him Monday and found nothing abnormal, the coach said.

"They said usually after 48 hours, it's not going to flip back over," Osborne said Tuesday. "It may happen again, but it may be five years, ten years, maybe six months."

The condition had never bothered him before, said Osborne, who frequently runs and lifts weights.



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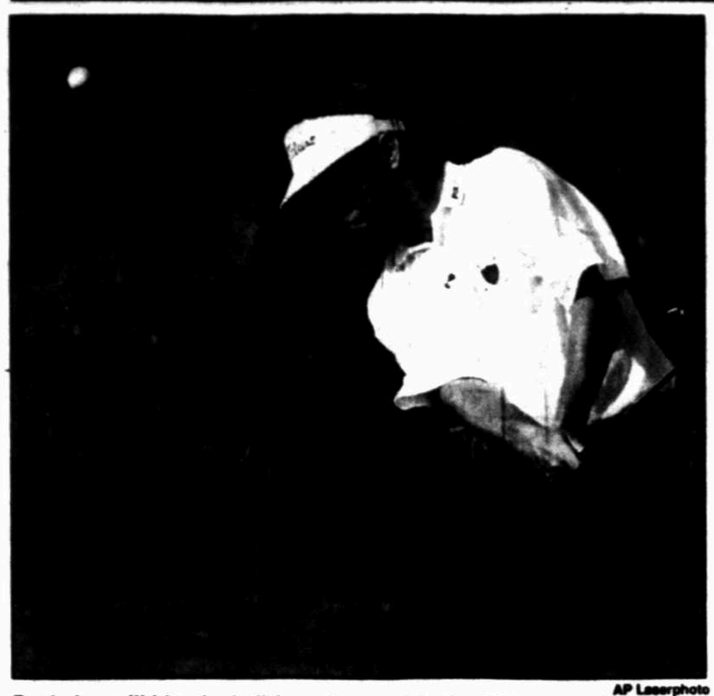

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Davis Love III hits the ball from the sand to the 18th green of the Poipu Bay Resort Golf Course during the PGA Grand Slam of Golf. Love finished third in the four-man event reserved for the winners of golf's four major championships.

Hingis, Majoli win first-round matches

By Bob Greene
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Top-seeded Martina Hingis won by a toenail — her opponent's — in her first-round match Monday night at the season-ending Chase Championships when Brenda Schultz-McCarthy retired with an injury.

Hingis was leading 7-6 (7-3), 5-2 when Schultz-McCarthy called it quits because of a broken right toenail.

Earlier, sixth-seeded Iva Majoli won her first-round match, edging Anke Huber 7-6 (7-5), 7-6 (7-2).

In Tuesday's late match, second-seeded Jana Novotna played Conchita Martinez.

The first round will be completed Wednesday night when No. 3 Lindsay Davenport faces Mary Joe Fernandez and No. 5 Monica Seles, the only former champion in the elite 16-player field, plays Arantxa Sanchez Vicario.

Sunday's title match is the only time during the year that women play a best-of-5 sets format. The singles winner pockets $500,000, while the first-round losers collect $30,000.

The final score wasn't indicative of the battle Schultz-McCarthy gave Hingis on the Madison Square Garden carpet. Until she was injured, the 6-foot-2 Dutch woman with the biggest serve in women's tennis pounded Hingis with her huge strokes, holding her own against a player who has lost only four times this year.

On the next-to-last point in Game 2 of the second set, Schultz-McCarthy raced to the net only to lose the point. But as she went to change direction at the net, she apparently stubbed her toe.

Hingis won the next point to pull even 1-1. Then, instead of serving, Schultz-McCarthy went to umpire Missy Malool and asked for an injury timeout. She had ripped off a portion of the big toenail on her right foot.

After having the toe attended to, Schultz-McCarthy returned to the court and held her service at 15 to take a 2-1 lead. It was the last game she would win.

In the fourth game, the only point Schultz-McCarthy won was when Hingis double-faulted. By then, the world's top-ranked player was in control as her Dutch opponent was apparently bothered by her foot. After she lost her next two service games, Schultz-McCarthy retired from the match.

There were only two breaks of serve in the opening set. Schultz-McCarthy pulled off the first one, in the third game to lead 2-1. But Hingis broke right back.

When the tall Dutch woman buried a smash into the net in the fifth game of the second set, she delighted the Madison Square Garden crowd when she tossed the ball into the air, then tapped it over, as in practicing. But again it found the net and she shrugged her shoulders and threw her hands into the air as if to concede the inevitability of it all.

But it was the fifth game that put Hingis in front for good.

The Swiss right-hander broke Schultz-McCarthy at 15, giving her a lead that led directly to the quarterfinals.

The Majoli-Huber match was a battle of who had the biggest forehand, who could hit the hardest two-fisted backhand, who could grunt the loudest. There were flashes of shotmaking interspersed with all-out power, a few off-speed shots in the midst of fastballs.

A trip to the net for either player, except to briefly shake hands at the end of the match, was considered a journey only for the brave or foolhardy, which fit neither of these combatants.

Els rallies to run away with PGA Grand Slam

By Gordon Sakamoto
Associated Press Writer

POIPU, Hawaii — Tiger Woods, Davis Love III and the elements weren't enough to stop Ernie Els from winning the PGA Grand Slam of Golf with a record-breaking performance.

The reigning U.S. Open champion shot a record 7-under-par 65 on a soggy Tuesday on the island of Kauai to run away with a tournament reserved for winners of golf's four majors. He finished with a two-day total of 133, 11-under par, to eclipse by a shot the year-old tournament record of Tom Lehman.

Not bad for a guy who didn't think the final round would be held.

"I didn't think we were going to play because of the rain," the South African said.

But, he did and it paid off with a $400,000 paycheck.

"Obviously, it was a very satisfying victory," he said. "Davis and Tiger also got good starts, but my putter got red-hot late on the front nine. My only blemish was on the 16th when I three-putted."

Els, the only player in the field who had played previously in this event, started the second round of the 36-hole MasterCard-sponsored tournament two strokes behind Woods, but it didn't take him long to move ahead. He was even by the sixth hole and took the lead for good on the next, a 152-yard par-3 at the 6,957-yard Poipu Bay Resort on Kauai.

After the 10th, Els had a three-stroke advantage and held at least a two-shot edge the rest of the way. He dropped a shot with the bogey at 16, but capped his round with a birdie on the 18th hole after missing an eagle by a few inches.

Woods, the record-setting winner of the Masters, closed with a 70 to finish the two-day, $1 million event at 136.

"It was untidy," was the way Woods described his 18 holes. "Consequently, I couldn't go for the tucked pins. Down the stretch, I gave myself some chances, but it was pretty much over."

PGA Championship winner Love, made an early run with four birdies over the first five holes. But he couldn't make up any more ground when his putter failed him. Love shot a 67 for a 138.

"Ernie had such a good front nine," he said. "If I could have made my putts, I could have gotten closer. But Ernie didn't give us much of a chance."

British Open winner Justin Leonard fell behind early and never recovered. He carded a 72 to finish at 149.

When the round started in the rain, it appeared that Love — five strokes behind overnight — would make a serious challenge with his early flurry of birdies.

But Els pretty much closed out the event with birdies at the sixth, seventh and ninth holes, plus another one at the 10th for good measure. His 5-under 31 on the front nine gave him a two-stroke lead and the one at the 10th gave him an additional cushion from where he was not seriously threatened thereafter.

Despite the difficult playing conditions, it was amazing that there were only five bogeys.

There was some doubt the round would be played. A roaring predawn thunderstorm and downpour left puddles on the fairways and bunkers filled with water, and rain fell for most of the round.

"I didn't think we were going to be playing," Love said. "It was looking pretty bad. The bunkers were full of water and it was raining pretty hard.

"But once we started playing, it wasn't that bad."

Stress fracture threatens Kwan's Olympic status

By Jere Longman
N.Y. Times News Service

U.S. hopes for a gold medal in Olympic figure skating suffered another setback Tuesday when it was announced that Michelle Kwan had sustained a stress fracture and that her left foot would be placed in a cast for up to two weeks.

This reversal follows injuries sustained by Todd Eldredge, the 1996 men's world champion, who partly dislocated his right shoulder at Skate America several weeks ago and hurt his ribs while falling over a chunk of ice.

Last week Eldredge was unable to land a triple axel in the long program at Trophy Lalique in Paris and finished a disappointing fifth.

Kwan, 17, the 1996 women's world champion who trains in Lake Arrowhead, Calif., has withdrawn from the NHK Trophy competition next week in Nagano, Japan, where the Winter Olympics will be held Feb. 7-22.

It is uncertain whether she will compete in the Champion Series Final, a sort of Olympic preview, to be held in Munich, Germany, on Dec. 19 and 20. Kwan stands to lose $80,000 in prize money by not competing in those two events.

While Kwan is expected to compete at the national championships in Philadelphia Jan. 4-11, at this point it is impossible to know how the injury will respond to treatment and to repeated pounding once she begins training again in an expected 10 days to two weeks.

The top three finishers among the women at the nationals will qualify for the Winter Olympics. If Kwan cannot compete, she would be eligible to receive a bye to the Olympics, as was awarded to Eldredge when he had a back injury in 1992, and to Nancy Kerrigan when she was clubbed by associates of Tonya Harding in 1994.

Kwan's stress fracture is located in the second toe on her left foot. The injury is certain to renew debate about whether skaters have become too reliant on jumping in their performances.

"Once they get the cast off and she starts skating again, they'll find out where she is," said Shep Goldberg, Kwan's agent. "What's down the road? It's too early to tell. The doctors feel that with rest, she should be fine. Her goal is to be 100 percent ready for the nationals. In theory, she could keep skating, but the doctor said the risk is that she could break the bone and then be out for three months."

According to the U.S. Figure Skating Association, Kwan sustained the stress fracture in August while training at Lake Arrowhead. With a reduced training load, the pain subsided, Goldberg said.

Kwan appeared in top form at Skate America last month in Detroit, defeating her teen-age rival, Tara Lipinski, the 1997 world champion, and displaying the exuberance that was lacking in her performances during a troubled season a year ago.

But Kwan awakened in pain one morning at Skate Canada two weeks ago to discover that she had aggravated the injury, said Heather Linhart, a spokeswoman for the figure skating association. Kwan won the event but reduced two triple jumps to doubles as she struggled through the long program and fell while performing a spin.

On Tuesday, the federation announced that Kwan's left foot had been placed in a cast to insure total rest. Her left foot is used as the pick foot for launching toe loops, which means the injury could affect her combination jumps.

"It was much more sore than it had been before," Goldberg said. "She went to the doctor, did some tests and they said she had aggravated the injury. They said the best thing to give it was as much rest as possible."

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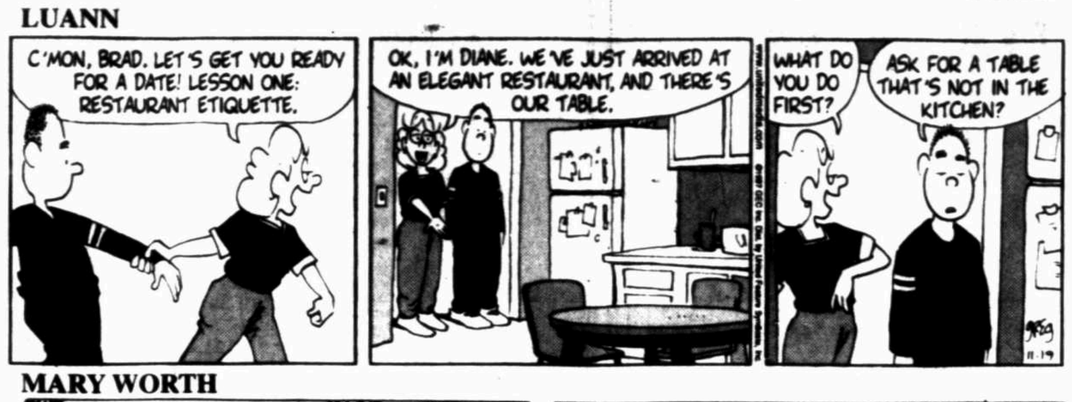

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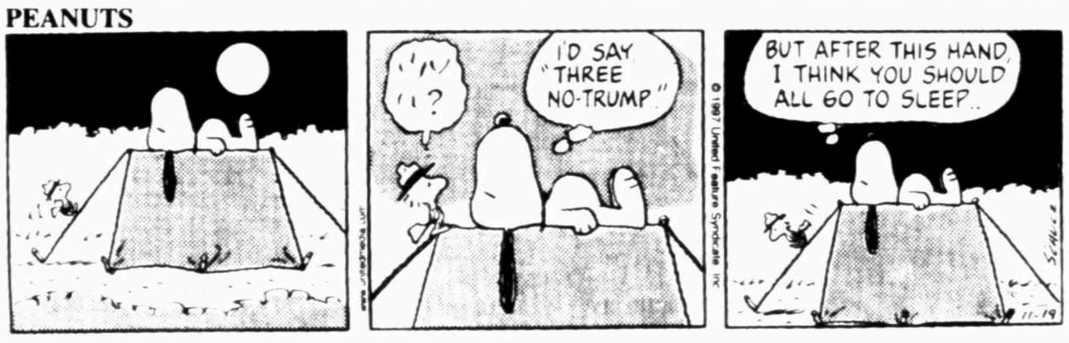

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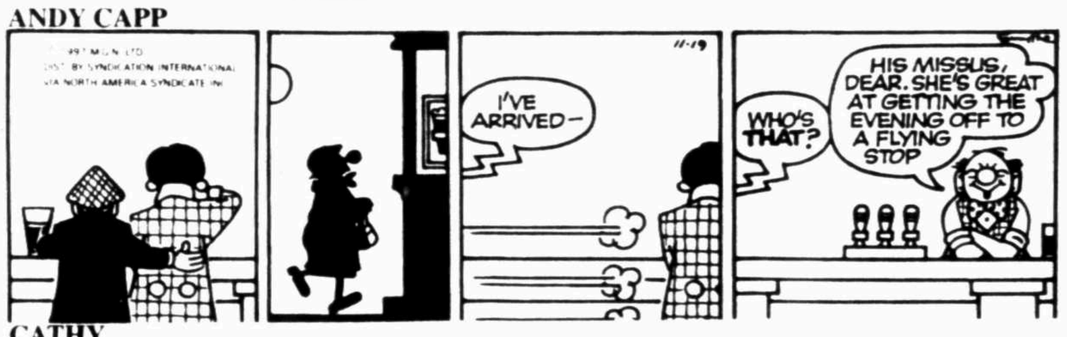

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★★★ Take the lead at the work. Be imaginative and direct. If you want to be in the limelight, now is the time to shine and show your stuff. Financial backing is instrumental. You might need to rework figures here. A family member creates an uproar. Tonight: Put in extra hours.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★★ Use your imagination, to put yourself in another's position. You amaze others with your vision, solutions and empathy. A potential surprise trip or change of plans is on the horizon. Don't fight the inevitable! You get what you want through the back door. Tonight: Jump through hoops!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★★ Saying yes to a partner is easier than fighting. But be realistic about your financial limits. Instincts are right on about another's motivations. Don't do anything halfway! Perhaps you have been rigid; release preconceived points of view. Tonight: Someone thanks you, and you like it!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You find others daring. You have no problem with this at all; you like to see others express themselves. Friends rally behind you and support a sought-after special cause. You can have it your way! A partner might be jolted by your unpredictability. Tonight: Things could get wild!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ Cruise into work, keeping goals in mind. Detach, and gain a more spiritual point of view. Ask questions, and find other sources of information. Open doors for yourself and others. A boss reverses his position in your favor. Let newness in. Tonight: Accept that foot massage!

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

TAKING THE MARKED PLAY

North-South vulnerable. South deals.

	NORTH ♠ A 9 3 ♡ A K J 8 4 2 ◇ K Q ♣ 7 6	
WEST ♠ K J ♡ 10 6 5 ◇ J 7 3 2 ♣ K 5 4 3		EAST ♠ 8 5 2 ♡ Q 7 3 ◇ 10 9 5 4 ♣ Q 10 9
	SOUTH ♠ Q 10 7 6 4 ♡ 9 ◇ A 8 6 ♣ A J 8 2	

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♡	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	4NT	Pass
5 ♡	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Three of ♣

Every card tells a story — if it is honest. Sometimes either declarer or defender can paint a false picture of the hand. Here's an example of a spectacular defensive falsecard from a match between Italy and Spain.

The Spanish North-South reached a contract of six spades. North's four clubs was an asking bid and four spades promised the ace. It seemed that, thanks to a fortunate lie of the cards, the contract was sure to make. But declarer did not take into account the genius of Benito Garozzo, who held the West cards.

Garozzo attacked with a low club, and East's queen was captured by the ace. Declarer cashed the king and queen of diamonds and ace of hearts, then came to hand with a heart ruff to discard dummy's remaining club on the ace of diamonds.

A club was ruffed and the king of hearts was cashed for a club discard, declarer getting a break when the suit split 3-3. Now the jack of hearts was led from dummy. East elected to discard a club and declarer ruffed with the six of spades. If West overruffs with the jack, declarer would ruff the club return with the nine, cash the ace of spades to fell the king and score the last two tricks with the queen-ten of trumps.

West spoiled all this by overruffing the six of trumps with the king. Not surprisingly, when West now returned the king of clubs declarer ruffed with the ace and ran the nine of trumps. West gleefully produced the jack for a one-trick set!

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Mr. Hagy couldn't resist pulling out his remote-control frog at least once a year.

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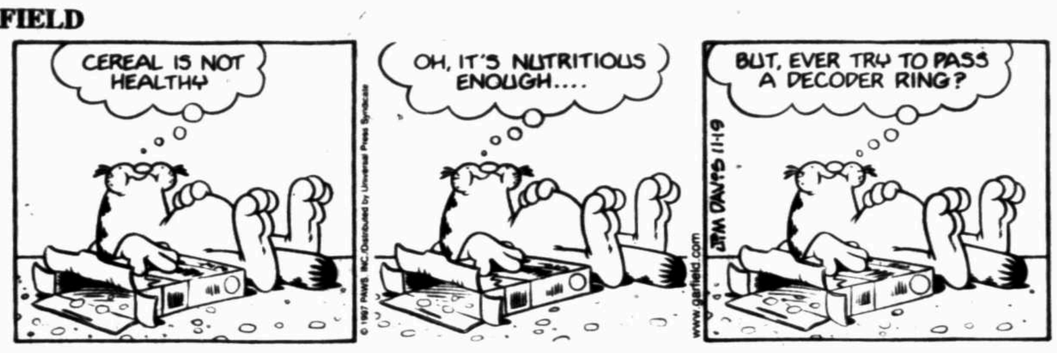

FAMILY CIRCUS

"PJ needs a hug, Mommy! My arms are busy, so could you do it?"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"THESE ARE MY OLD BABY SITTERS. SHE LIVES IN AUSTRALIA NOW, AND THAT ONE IS IN CHINA, AND THIS ONE MOVED TO ALASKA, AND...

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

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(7) KOSA	7	7	News 4432	Grace Under Fire	The Nanny 8971	Murphy Brown	Public Eye With Bryant Gumbel 81256		Chicago Hope: Winging It 94722 (TVPG)		News 3928906	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 4838	Seinfeld 8890	All-Star TV Censored Tickle-Me Bloopers		3rd Rock From Sun	Working 7432	Law & Order: Blood 47838 (TVPG)		News 2440109	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35)		Late Night Conan
(12) KMLM	42	12	The Light of the Southwest 649616			C.A. Dollar	Memories	Van Impe	Praise the Lord 62703				J. Saveile	Duplantis
(15) KOCV	36	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 381161		Scientific American Frontiers 872838 (TVG)		Mark Russell	The Strip Show 960513 (TVG)			Telecourse 125432			
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(10) WGN		10	Family Matters	Coach 703600	Sister, Sister	Smart Guy 709884	The Wayans Bros	Steve Harvey Show	News 231068		Beverly Hills, 90210 234155 (TVPG)		In the Heat of the Night 207616 (TV14)	
(11) WTBS		11	Coach 670432	Coach 586884	NBA Basketball: Orlando Magic at Cleveland Cavaliers 569074					Inside the NBA	Internal Affairs (R, '90) ★★★ (Richard Gere, Andy Garcia) 9847432			
(18) BRAV		18	Nascim'to	Wings	Good Morning, Babylon (PG-13, '87) 214606				Naked Hollywood		Diva (R, '82) ★★★ (Frederic Andrei) 697180			
(20) BET		20	Planet Groove 976109				Hit List 977838		Comicview 957074		BET Tonight		227	Mid. Love
(21) DISN		21	The Parent Trap (G, '61) ★★★ (Hayley Mills, Maureen O'Hara) 7509487				Twins (8:15) (PG, '88) ★★★ (Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito) 88586188				Good Men Don't Wear Plaid (PG, '82) ★★ (Steve Martin) 5000737			Movie (11:40)
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(17) TNT		17	Lois & Clark		El Dorado ('67) ★★★ (John Wayne, Robert Mitchum) 24650283						The Principal (R-13, '87) ★★ 23123268			
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PEOPLE

John F. Kennedy Jr. shoots back at paparazzi staking out his apartment

NEW YORK — **John F. Kennedy Jr.** is shooting back at photographers.

Apparently losing patience after being chased by photographers for years, Kennedy has taken to videotaping paparazzi who stake out his apartment, the Daily News reported Tuesday.

John F. Kennedy Jr. has taken to videotaping photographers.

"Hey, guy with the green jacket!" he was quoted as yelling at a photographer Sunday as Kennedy's camcorder rolled. "You're here every weekend. You're looking for a harassment lawsuit."

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LONDON — **The violin Jack Benny was** famous for not playing during his comedy routines sold at auction Tuesday for $84,300.

An American dealer who did not want to be identified bought the instrument, which was made in Paris in 1845, Sotheby's said.

Jack Benny's violin sells for $84,300 to an American dealer.

Benny, who died in 1974, used the violin as a prop for more than 40 years in vaudeville, television, movies and during his standup routines.

In real life, he was a skilled musician, once accompanying **President Truman** in "The Missouri Waltz" at the White House.

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NEW YORK — **Jane Robelot** was serving as a human dot on a football field at her alma mater when wedding bells rang.

The CBS "This Morning" host was participating in the pre-game tradition of spelling out "Tigers" before the Clemson University game Saturday when an announcer asked everyone to look at the scoreboard.

As she stood there as the dot on the i, "Jane, will you marry me?" appeared on the screen beneath her picture.

"What better way to get engaged to the man you love than in front of 80,000 of your closest friends?" Robelot said in a statement.

Robelot and **Mario De Carvalho**, a CBS cameraman, will be married Jan. 10 in Greenville, S.C.

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SEOUL, South Korea — **Michael Jackson** arrived Tuesday to discuss a possible investment in a financially troubled ski resort, according to the resort.

Lee Kyu-bum, a spokesman for Ssang Bang Wool Group, said Jackson was considering investing in the Muju Ski Resort, 115 miles south of Seoul.

Lee wouldn't disclose details, but the national news agency Yonhap reported that Jackson is considering investing in an amusement park at the resort.

The pop star flew in from Tokyo and went to the resort by helicopter. He had no comment.

Ssang Bang Wool, the country's largest underwear maker, is under court protection after running up $1.5 billion in debts.

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PARIS — **The Spice Girls** denied rumors of a breakup Tuesday.

"No way, we're not breaking up, no way!" **Mel B.** told reporters.

The media swamped the five-woman pop group as they left their hotel during a break on their tour of France.

Mel C., also known as Sporty Spice, said "No way" when asked if they were calling it quits.

Rumors have been circulating after the group fired their manager last week.

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LONDON — **Princess Diana's** charity work will be honored Dec. 1 with a candlelight procession and vigil on World AIDS Day.

Film producer **David Puttnam** will speak during the event, dubbed the "Celebration of Life" by the sponsor, the National AIDS Trust.

Hundreds of people are expected to gather at Green Park in London, then walk along Piccadilly and arrive at St. James's Church, where the vigil will take place.

"'Celebration of Life' will give people a chance to look back and remember Princess Diana's life and work on AIDS and the many lives that have been lost to the disease," trust director **Derek Bodell** said.

Diana, who died in a Paris car wreck on Aug. 31, was a patron of the trust and worked hard to highlight the plight of AIDS sufferers.

Compiled from Associated Press wire reports.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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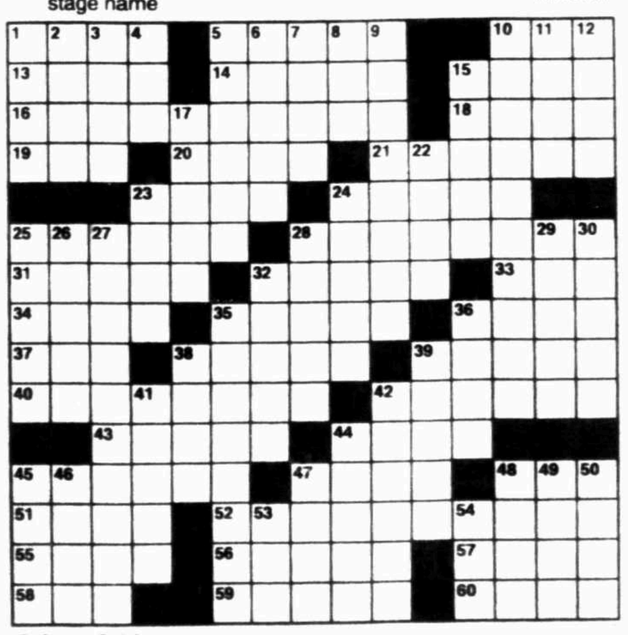

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Tiny flying machines could become proverbial fly on the wall

By Warren E. Leary
N.Y. Times News Service

Development of micro air vehicles (MAVs), also called microflyers or airplanes-on-a-chip, is being spurred by military interest in producing miniature intelligence-gathering planes.

WASHINGTON — Waiting in ambush, the soldiers hardly notice a small, birdlike device flying overhead. Later, however, those taken captive wonder how the approaching enemy knew so precisely where they were hiding.

After an earthquake, survivors trapped under the rubble of a collapsed building hope that rescuers find them in time. Suddenly, what appears to be a large insect crawls out of the debris, takes to the air and attaches itself to a broken support beam. Rescue workers arrive soon afterward.

In a few years, researchers say, all these scenarios could be real, the result of developing a new class of remote-controlled aircraft. In laboratories and workshops around the country, engineers are pushing the state of the art in miniaturization to make tiny flying machines that could ultimately fit into the palm of a person's hand.

Development of the devices, called micro air vehicles (MAVs), microflyers or airplanes-on-a-chip, is being spurred by military interest in producing miniature intelligence-gathering planes. The Pentagon hopes that the devices will give small military units direct access to reconnaissance data that could help them in battling an enemy just over a hill or one engaging them in street-to-street fighting in an urban setting.

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ULTIMATELY, such microflyers could also be adapted to many civilian applications, including guiding fire and rescue operations, monitoring traffic, surveying forests and wildlife, keeping watch on border areas, observing crops and furnishing information to police patrols.

But designing and making the devices are not simple tasks, engineers say. Making aircraft this small requires considerably more work than simply scaling down existing pilotless military drones or making tinier replicas of the radio-controlled model airplanes flown by thousands of hobbyists each weekend.

"Nothing about making micro air vehicles is going to be easy," said Dr. William R. Davis, manager of the MAV program at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Lincoln Laboratory. "With planes this small, all the rules change and everything becomes challenging."

The forces associated with air moving around the tiny devices are more pronounced than with conventional aircraft in flight, causing increased drag, reduced lift under the smaller wings at low speeds and decreased propeller efficiency, engineers say. And such aircraft, weighing only ounces, are more susceptible to wind gusts, updrafts and the pounding of rain.

Other challenges include developing tiny sensors, engines and power sources for such planes, as well as communications, control and navigation systems for the tiny robot craft, which would have to operate with little or no human input.

Dr. Robert C. Michelson, a principal research engineer at the Georgia Tech Research Institute in Atlanta, said microflyers would require entirely new approaches to aircraft design and miniaturization. "We are not trying to scale down conventional technology," said Michelson, who has devised an unusual flapping-wing microflyer candidate that looks like an insect. "We are scaling down new and unconventional technology."

The possibility of miniature flying vehicles was first raised in 1992 by the Rand Corp., a research organization, in a report for the Pentagon that examined using a range of microdevices for defense applications. Engineers at the Lincoln Laboratory looked at the idea in more detail, and enthusiasm for the concept grew. The Pentagon's Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency initiated a pilot program last fall. After financing some limited studies through its Small Business Innovation Research Program, the research agency this year began a three-year, $35 million effort to have industry and academia develop prototypes.

The United States fielded remote-controlled, pilotless aircraft in the Persian Gulf War and later in Bosnia. The smallest operational craft like this available today in the military inventory is an electric-powered, 10-pound craft called Sender. The robot aircraft, with a four-foot wing span and the ability to fly up to 100 miles, can carry a 2.5-pound payload.

The research agency's specifications for microflyers call for craft that measure no more than 6 inches in any dimension, weigh from 2 to 4 ounces and carry up to a half-ounce payload. The microflyer should be able to stay aloft for 20 to 60 minutes, cruise at speeds of 20 to 40 miles per hour and operate up to 5 miles away from its control station, the agency says. The specifications did not project a cost for the device, but Pentagon officials have indicated that it should be inexpensive enough to be readily replaced if lost.

Initial missions for the microflyers would include reconnaissance and surveillance, officials at the research agency say, but they also could encompass targeting artillery and mortars, assessing battle damage, carrying acoustic sensors to listen for the movement of heavy equipment and transporting detectors to sniff out radiation or biological and chemical weapons.

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THE MILITARY is interested in small flyers that are rugged enough and simple enough to be carried and operated by a single soldier. Unlike a radio-controlled model plane, whose flight is guided by an operator who keeps it in sight at all times, a microflyer would have to carry out most of its operations autonomously, experts say. The operating soldier would give the robot general instructions about flying a certain route or pattern before launching it, they say, and let the machine complete the mission. It would have to avoid obstacles, compensate for buffeting breezes and deal with other problems by itself.

"This flying vehicle will be so small, it quickly will fly out of sight of the person controlling it," said Davis, of MIT. "A soldier can't fly it like a model plane and devote total attention to it. This would be hard if he was under fire, for instance."

One of the major challenges of developing microflyers is putting everything that is needed for a useful device, including cameras and other microsensors, into such a small package. Researchers are working on tiny digital cameras, small infrared sensors for night reconnaissance and chip-sized hazardous substance detectors, all of which weigh fractions of an ounce.

To make aircraft of this size work, developers say, each component will have to serve more than one purpose. For instance, fuel tanks or batteries may also have to provide structural support to the craft, body panels may have electrical wiring printed onto them to carry current, and tails or fins may also include communications antennas.

More than a dozen designs for microflyers have been proposed by groups from the military, universities and private companies, and experts say more are likely. The proposals not only differ in outward appearance — some have conventional wings and tails like larger planes while others take the configuration of tail-less flying wings, oval disks, insects or other disparate shapes — but in the types of engines and fuels they would use.

William Harvey, MAV project director for Intelligent Automation Inc., of Rockville, Md., said his company was proposing a conventional-looking craft with a standard wing-and-tail configuration that would be powered by a small piston engine driving a two-inch propeller. That design, largely using available technology, could be available relatively quickly, he said. A major item to be developed for this system would be its alcohol-fueled engine, which would be half the size of the smallest commerical model engine now available.

AERODYNE RESEARCH, INC., of Billerica, Mass., has taken a more radical course, proposing a spheroid craft to be powered by several microturbofan jet engines firing downward from its rounded, circular bottom. David Stickler, the company's executive vice president, said the bulbous ship should have the projected advantage of being able to hover over an area and fly more slowly than other microflyers. "Our design should be more fuel efficient when it hovers than when flying against drag," he said.

The Aerodyne design is riskier than some others because it depends on developing the smallest jet turbine engines ever built. Stickler said the engines, projected to be only a half-inch in diameter and a quarter-inch long, were at least two to three years away. The engines are being developed by a group of MIT scientists headed by Alan H. Epstein, who has pioneered work on making miniature turbines and other micromachinery.

Aerovironment Inc., of Simi Valley, Calif., which, like the other two companies, received pilot MAV financing under the Pentagon research agency's small business program, produced several designs. But a six-inch, disc-shaped aircraft called the Black Widow has emerged as its main candidate, said the project manager, Matt Keennon.

Aerovironment already makes a larger unpiloted aircraft for military and civilian users, and, unlike some of its competitors, it is flying prototypes of its microflyer.

The device, which weighs a little more than an ounce and is powered by a battery-driven electric motor turning a front-mounted propeller, has already flown for 16 minutes and reached a maximum speed of 43 miles per hour, Keennon says. "Some people don't believe you can meet the requirements with a battery-powered MAV, but we think differently," he said.

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Parents face life without children killed in car crash

POTTSBORO (AP)— The house in the field is empty.

If you walk up the crunchy gravel driveway and peep through the door you can see cement floors, a paint brush stuffed into a paint can, some shards of glass, a step ladder, and little else but light and air.

From a distance the house looks complete. It is a strong three story structure with turrets and large windows that face out onto a long green field. The house is freshly painted: bright yellow. It says strength, home, family.

It looks like a good place to spend the winter.

Closer to the road on the same piece of land, the man who built the house lives in a mobile home. His name is Patrick Walsh. He calls himself a home builder. Walsh, 42, designed and built the house with the help of some business associates. It was the place he planned to move his children into. It was the house he wanted them to call home.

"The two prominent features on the front of that house are their bedrooms . . . they were the prominent features of my life," he said.

Now the house stands empty, with two rooms that Walsh says he does not know how he is going to fill.

"I think about the only way I could get it done is kind of finish it as a tribute to them."

About a mile from Walsh's house, at the intersection of Hardenburg Road and Hagerman Lane, ribbons and garlands are pinned to the bushes on the side of the road. It is the spot where Amy and Ryan Walsh were killed on Sunday Nov. 9, 1997. Amy was 17, Ryan was 14. The man who allegedly drove his truck into the children's car and killed them turned himself into Denison Police a day later. He faces charges of aggravated assault with a motor vehicle and one count of felony failure to stop and render aid.

Walsh doesn't want to talk about the man or his responsibility.

"Senseless," is the only word he uses to describe the accident. It is a word he uses again and again in his conversation. He is wearing jeans, a sweatshirt and socks with no shoes. His hands are small and strong looking. He clasps them together and examines his thumbs for brief periods. There is a thin veil of moisture over his eyes, but there are no tears.

"I realize that it's true, but at the same time my head feels kind of numb, and I keep thinking, 'it's not true,' " he says.

He leans forward on the couch, "Can I make a statement?" he asks. He talks clearly.

"There are so many kids out there whose fathers are absent and don't have anything to do with them. You see it all the time. These fathers need to involve themselves with their kids. They're their main responsibility. They need to do their jobs."

His ex-wife, Cynthia Walsh, 39, sits on the couch next to him. "Can I make a comment too?" she asks. "I think the most important part of raising children is hugging them as much as you can, telling them you love them as much you can, over and over and over. Because we loved them. They knew that."

The night her children were killed, she was in Abilene, where she lives. The children had come to visit her hours before.

"About 7:30 or eight or 8:30 I'm not sure what time it was, her (Amy) boyfriend's father called me, real concerned about me and said that he had heard there had been an accident. . . . The first thing I did was try to call Pat and he was not here, and then I tried calling all the emergency rooms in the area and they had not heard anything about it. And then I called Pat's mother and she said she'd find out what happened and call me back. Then I was just sitting there and I didn't know what to do, so I called one of her best friends. . . and she was crying and she said, 'I heard Amy had died,' and she didn't know anything about Ryan."

They say Ryan was a talented musician who could pick up just about any song he heard, and composed tunes himself. And they say Amy was an intelligent girl, with a beautiful voice and a knack for drawing things. "I am wearing as much jewelry of hers as I can, I wish Ryan had something," Cynthia says.

They have a photograph they want to share.

It shows a pretty girl with a bright smile and hair blowing back softly in the summer air. She leans into her brother's back. He is hunched back and smiling, sitting on a bale of hay. The summer sun shines benevolently down on both of them. Their faces seem invincible. They seem so far away from the wreck that would end their lives.

"You never get over it," Patrick Walsh said, "nothing will ever be the same. Everything you put your life, your entire life for that long, into. . . something as significant as your children and then its taken, it's gone. . . both of them gone."

Both Cynthia and Patrick describe the events exactly, their memories of the night exact.

"I had to identify them, which was the hardest thing I've ever had to do," Patrick says. "I felt like I needed to do it."

Both parents believe in heaven. It's their way through this nightmare. A way to bind the wounds in their reality.

"They're somewhere good. . . I know that," Pat said, " I don't see how people who don't have any kind of faith can ever get past something like this."

Cynthia, who has lost both her adoptive parents, said, "I hope they're with my mom and dad, because I know my mom and dad would be thrilled to have them."

They open a notebook. Inside are the soft, round pencil loops of a young girl's writing.

Amy's journal. It's dated Nov. 6, 1996, almost a year before her death:

"I layed down to go to bed. My lights were off, my fan was on, and this thunderstorm was loud. I loved it. . . a perfect feeling of ecstasy swept over me and surrounded me. I felt the need to talk to God, whoever that is. So I did . . . I needed him even though I didn't know who he was. I thanked him truly for everything. . . and then I layed there a little longer and this hand reached out and made itself available to me, to hold . . . and I took it and held it and held it."

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State leadership approves funding for new prisons

AUSTIN (AP) — State leaders have approved funding for two new high-security prisons to be built in Amarillo and the East Texas town of Woodville.

They also agreed Monday to add onto 20 lesser-security dormitories — each with 107 beds — at facilities around the state.

Final approval for the building program, which would total 4,120 new beds at a cost of $107.4 million, must come from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Board. The panel meets in Arlington on Thursday and Friday.

TDCJ Executive Director Wayne Scott had asked for enough funding for three new high-security units.

But staff members from the offices of Gov. George W. Bush, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, House Speaker Pete Laney and the chairmen from House and Senate criminal justice committees met Monday and agreed to money for only two more units.

The money for the two new 990-bed units as well as the add-on beds would be allocated from $2 billion in prison construction bonds approved by voters in 1991 and 1993.

"Just looking at the forecasts, it looks like we will probably need that third unit," said Sen. John Whitmire, chairman of the Senate Criminal Justice Committee. "But we are just trying to allow some flexibility."

Although Texas has almost tripled its prison capacity since 1992, the 145,000-bed system is expected to reach capacity by April.

"We were originally told we would run out of beds by April, but now it looks like January," Whitmire said.

Whitmire said the state is aggressively looking to contract with counties to lease jail space.

"The question has been do we build more prisons or do we contract with counties to lease surplus jail space from them," said Tony Fabelo, executive director of the Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council, which advises state leaders on prison needs. "The answer is we have to do both."

State leaders said the added prison space is needed because parole rates are lower than in years past.

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MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
AT&T	113783	52½	+3⅞
Compaq s	86603	66	–⅝
AmStor s	61405	20	–1⅜
Avon	55028	57½	–5
TelBrasil	54189	99	–1⅜

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
JLG	12 15/16	+1 7/16	+12.5
CedarF s	28 3/16	+3 1/16	+12.5
FresenM	23 1/16	+2 3/16	+11.5
Agnico g	5 7/16	+1/2	+10.1
SPacFdg s	13¼	+1 1/16	+9.3

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
IRI Intl n	17¼	–2 5/16	–13.2
NS Grp	21 5/16	–2¾	–11.3
TW Fin	42	–4¼	–9.2
RetrCre	7½	–¾	–9.1
CPI	18 5/16	–1 11/16	–8.4

DIARY

Advanced	1,188
Declined	1,764
Unchanged	510
Total issues	3,462
New Highs	84
New Lows	37
Volume	610,883,120

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SPDR	34336	94 3/16	–15/32
Hasbro s	27652	28⅜	–2½
PegGld	26794	1	–⅜
EchoBay	26358	2¼	–⅛
RoyalO g	19366	1½	–3/16

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Nstor n	2⅜	+¼	+11.8
ChadThr	12 5/16	+1 3/16	+10.7
HospWwde	11¼	+1	+9.8
PrimeRs n	6	+½	+9.1
Mendl wt	7	+½	+7.7

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
UTI Eng s	34⅜	–5 1/16	–12.8
KFX Inc	3 1/16	–⅜	–10.9
FarmTel	2 1/16	–⅛	–10.5
MalibuEnt	3 3/16	– 5/16	–8.9
WEB Mal	6 1/16	– 9/16	–8.4

DIARY

Advanced	238
Declined	328
Unchanged	160
Total issues	726
New Highs	19
New Lows	16
Volume	42,817,030

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
3Com	121900	33½	–⅝
Intel s	110869	78¾	–1 11/16
DellCpt s	103077	85⅛	+½
WorldCm	92729	31 15/16	+3/16
ApldMat s	92101	34½	–⅝

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Visigenic	7¾	+2½	+47.6
Canisco	2¼	+½	+28.6
MooreMd	3⅜	+⅛	+28.6
Cvntryl n	5 9/16	+1 3/16	+27.1
GranitFn	15⅞	+3⅜	+27.0

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Bestway	7½	–2¾	–26.8
AutdG wt	2	–⅝	–23.8
PartsS	2 5/16	–⅝	–21.3
StratSolu	2½	–⅝	–20.0
NTelpd	2¼	– 9/16	–20.0

DIARY

Advanced	1,707
Declined	2,457
Unchanged	1,576
Total issues	5,740
New Highs	105
New Lows	109
Volume	575,207,700

HOW TO READ THE MARKET IN REVIEW

Here are the 1,675 most active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, 925 most active on the Nasdaq National Market and 406 most active on the American Stock Exchange. Stocks in bold are worth at least $5 and changed 5 percent or more in price. Underlining for 50 most active on NYSE and Nasdaq and 25 most active on Amex. Tables show name, price and net change, and one to two additional fields rotated through the week, as follows:

Name: Stocks appear alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Names consisting of initials appear at the beginning of each letter's list.
Last: Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.
Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ...
PE: Price-earnings ratio. Derived by dividing closing price by company's earnings per share for the most recent four quarters.
PPE: Projected price-earnings ratio. Derived by dividing closing price by company's projected earnings per share for upcoming 12 months. PPE supplied by I/B/E/S, Institutional Brokers' Estimate System. Is a consensus forecast of all analysts following the company. Only companies with three or more analysts following them have a PPE.
How to use: In general, if PPE is lower than PE, analysts believe earnings will be going up. If PPE is higher, they expect earnings to fall. The numbers can be helpful in following stocks but as with all financial data are only one of many factors to judge a company by. Consult your financial advisor before making any investment decision.

Tuesday

Div	Name	Last Chg
.44	ACE Ltd	34⅞ –⅛
1.10	ACKerr	9⅝ –⅛
.80	ACM Op	7⅝ ...
1.10	ACM Sc	9⅝ ...
.4	ACMSp	7⅝ ...

Wednesday

PE	PPE	Name	Last Chg
8	9	ACE Ltd	34⅞ –⅛
17	16	ACKerr	9⅝ –⅛
5		ACM Op	7⅝ ...
12	10	ACM Sc	9⅝ ...
4	6	ACMSp	7⅝ ...

Thursday

Thr	Name	Last Chg
Air	ACE Ltd	34⅞ –⅛
ACI	ACKerr	9⅝ –⅛
ACO	ACM Op	7⅝ ...
ACM	ACM Sc	9⅝ ...
...	ACMSp	7⅝ ...

Friday

YTD	Name	Last Chg
+2.3	ACE Ltd	34⅞ –⅛
+0.2	ACKerr	9⅝ –⅛
–3.0	ACM Op	7⅝ ...
–0.2	ACM Sc	9⅝ ...
*	ACMSp	7⅝ ...

Stock Footnotes: cc – PE exceeds 99. dd – Loss in last 12 months. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S. $. n – New issue in past 52 weeks. q – Closed end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 percent or more in last 52 weeks. Dividend begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.

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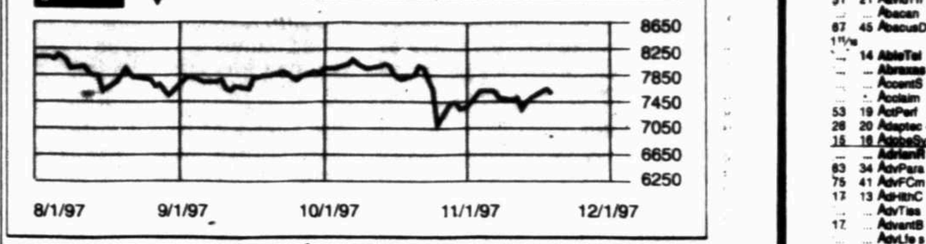
Low	7,607.11		



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52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Net Chg	% Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
8,299.49	6,236.05	Dow Jones Industrials	7,650.82	–47.40	–.62	+18.65	+19.59
3,372.42	2,206.04	Dow Jones Transportation	3,110.80	–38.77	–1.23	+37.91	+37.83
251.00	208.98	Dow Jones Utilities	248.53	–2.00	–.80	+6.88	+5.99
514.22	378.87	NYSE Composite	491.18	–3.70	–.75	+25.21	+25.36
723.03	541.02	Amex Index	671.21	–7.79	–1.15	+17.27	+16.46
1,748.78	1,194.16	Nasdaq Composite	1,600.44	–13.67	–.85	+23.97	+26.76
983.12	716.69	S&P 500	938.23	–7.97	–.84	+26.66	+26.42
466.21	248.65	Russell 2000	432.13	–3.52	–.81	+19.17	+24.55
9,486.69	6,998.62	Wilshire 5000	9,027.09	–68.10	–.75	+25.41	+26.18

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

PE	PPE	Name	Last	Chg
		A-B-C		
12	14	ACE Ltd	34	...
		ACM In	10 7/8	+1/8
		ACM Sc	9 5/8	+1/8
		ACM Sp	7 5/8	+1/8
		ACMMC	13 1/4	+1/4
43	28	ACNielsn	23	+1/4
39	24	AES Cp	36 1/8	+1/8
16	15	AFLAC	46 7/8	...
11	8	AGCO	27 1/4	+1/4
17	13	AGL Res	18 5/8	...
		AK Steel s	19 1/16	...
		AMF In	23 1/8	+1/8
12	10	AMR	116 1/8	...
24				
40	17	ARCOCh	46 1/16	–
		ASA Ltd	23 1/16	+1/8
19	15	AT&T	52	+3/8
		AVX Cp	28	–1/8
12	8	Aames s	13 1/16	+1/16
14	7	AbtLab	64 1/4	+3/8
10	10	AcadIns	12 3/8	+1/8
		Acmeclv	12 7/8	+1/8
32	24	ActnSrv	27 1/8	+1/8
44	28	Acxiom	31 1/4	+1/4
		AdaEx	24 1/4	–1/16
		AdvMd	7	...
22		Aegon	66 1/4	+1/4
24		Aerflex	8 1/2	...
		AerVox	13 1/8	...
		Aerial	10 7/8	...
21	18	AffCmpS	s24 1/16	–
		Agnico g	5 1/16	+1/16
		Agrium g	15 1/4	...
		AirProd	93 1/8	+1/8
		Airtrans	6 1/16	+1/16
		Ajinomto	44 1/2	+1/2
		Alberto	25 1/8	+1/8
		Albtsns	53 1/8	+1/8
		Alcan	33 1/8	+1/8
		Alcoa	70 1/8	+1/8
		AlaP pfB	24⅝	
		AlaP pfC	25¼	
		AlaP adj pf	25	
		AlaPC pfQ	25 1/16	
		AlaskAir	31 1/8	+1/8
		Alcatel	51½	+1/8
		AudioBC	17 7/16	+1/16
		Autodesk	44 1/8	+1/8
		Autoflt	27 1/16	...
		AvnaPat	31 1/16	–1/16
		Avnet	58 1/8	+1/8
		Avon	57½	–5
		Avtar	7	–1/16
		AB&F	Cp54	9⅛ +1/16
		BCE g	s 30 1/4	–1/16
		BEA	nco 8	9/16 –1/16
		BEC Gp	5⅞	...
39	20	BJS	79 1/4	–4 1/4
22	17	BMC	30 7/8	–1/2
		BNY pfC	25 9/16	+1/16
		BRE	28	+1/16
22	19	BakrHu	43 1/4	–2 3/8
20	18	Ball	37 7/8	+1/8
	12	BallGE	28⅛	–1/4
	24	BancOne	s52 7/16	...
		BncoFrn	24⅝	–1/16
		BcoRioP	n11 1/16	–1/16
		BcSantCh	33⅛	+1/4
		BcoWeser	16 1/16	–1/16
	12	Bangor	5⅛	...
		BkTokyo	13⅜	–1/16
	16	BkNY	43	+1/4
	15	BankAm	s 72 1/16	+1/16
	12	BkAtl A	33 1/16	...
	13	BkBost	37 1/16	+1/16
	14	BkFla	27⅜	+1/16
	14	BkHaw	s 26 1/16	+1/16
	14	Bankers	49 1/4	–1/4
	13	BkMont	s 13⅝	+1/4
	14	Bankrop	8⅛	+1/16
		BkMutl	35	...
	13	BkTenn	39⅝	...
	14	Barnett	47⅛	+1/8
	14	Barrett	49 1/4	–1/4
	13	BarrickRs	13⅝	+1/16
	14	Barrows	8⅛	+1/16
		BauschL	38 1/4	...
		BaxaIntl	19⅝	...
	14	Baxter	47⅛	+1/8
	11	Bay Apt	19 1/8	+1/4
		BayNtwk	27⅜	...
		BayStGas	44⅝	+1/8
		BeaconP	15 1/16	...
		Beasley	14 1/16	...
		BeckmanA	44	+1/4
		BectDck	42 1/16	+1/16
		BectDck	28 1/16	+1/16
		BellAtl	71 1/16	+1/16
		BellSouth	44 1/16	+1/16
		BellSth	44 1/16	+1/16
		BellSth	44 1/16	+1/16
		BellS

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PE PPE Name Last Chg

54 30 ABR Inf a 23⅝ +1
48 33 ADC Cp 43⅝ -⅛
55 33 ADE CD 18⅝ +⅞
14 11 ACT Mf 14⅛ -⅛
48 29 ADC Tel 36⅜ -⅜
... ... AMSI 2¹¹/₁₆ ...
24 19 APACT 14⅞ -⅛
16 13 ASA Hold 27⅜ -⅞
... ... ASM Lith s 7⅜ -⅛
... 18 ATC Com 2⅜ +⅛
16 .. ATEC Gp ⅜ -1/32
... ... AVTM 6½ ...
31 21 AavidTh 28½ +1¼
... ... Abacan 2⅜ -⅛
67 45 AbacusDir 42¼ -
1¹¹/₁₆
... 14 AbleTel 7⅜ ...
... ... Abraxas 17¾ -⅜
... ... AccentS 2⅛ -⅛
... ... Acclaim 4⅞ -1/16
53 19 ActPerf 27⅝ +1⅞
28 20 Adaptec 49⅜ -⅛
16 16 AdobeSy 42¼ -⅜
... ... AdrianR d⁴⁴/₁₆ -1/16
63 34 AdvPara 31⅛ -1
75 41 AdvFCm 29⅛ -⅝
17 13 AdvHthC 13⅛ -⅞
... ... AdvTiss 14 +⅛
17 ... AdvantB 26⅜ -⅛
... ... AdvLife s 1⅜ ...
... 33 Agcurn s 41⅜ -⅞
95 30 AgriBio 9⅜ -3/16
24 ... AirTran 5⅜ +1/32
89 18 Akorn 4⅛ ...
... ... Akzo 87⅜ +⅜
20 18 AlamCn 27¾ -⅛
... ... AlaGam 4½ ...
... 23 AlaWstn 19½ -⅛
... ... Alteon 6⅜ +7/16
31 24 Altera 47¾ -⅛
... ... Amati 15⅜ -1 1/16
... ... Amazon n 53 +½
29 30 AmTrdg n26 ⅝ ...
+1 1/16
... ... AmBiogn 2½ -1/16
... ... AmerEco 11⅛ +3/16
15 ... AGreet 36¼ -⅜
... ... AmintPt 4 9/32 +1/32
80 15 AmOilDv 14 ⅛ -3/16
28 20 AOncol 12⅜ -1⅛
28 22 ApexCmv u33 +⅞
... ... AmTele 1⅜ +3/16
... 1 AUtdGlb 2⅛ ...
... ... Amerign 4⅜ -⅛
... ... Amerign wt 1½ -3/16
17 13 Amerin 24½ +⅝
23 18 Amgen 52⅛ -11/16
... 12 Amnex 1⅜ +1/16
... ... Amylin 7⅜ -⅛
30 29 Analgic s 3 7 -1⅛
26 16 AnchGm 84⅜ +2⅛
26 18 Andrew s 25⅛ -⅛
... ... Anesta 15⅜ -1 7/16
... ... Angiosn 2 9/16 +⅛
58 36 Anicom 18½ +2 7/16
... 26 Antec 16½ ...
... 27 ApexPC n 24⅜ -⅛
67 48 ApolloG 42⅞ -⅜
... 75 AppleC 18⅛ -7/16
21 18 AppISou 18⅝ ...
46 35 AppGrph 48⅞ -⅜
33 16 ArkBest s 34½ -⅝
24 19 ApldSig u15½ -⅜
36 19 ApdVoice 28 +½
... 20 Aquagnx 7⅝ +1/16
... ... Arakis 3⅛ -1/16

64 31 ArborSft 33⅛ +1⅛
15 25 ArchPet 34⅛ -1/16
13 11 ArcticCat 16⅝ +⅜
... ... ArisBnt 11⅛ -⅜
60 34 ArtVasc 60½ -⅛
19 20 Ascend 24⅞ -⅞
54 20 Ashwrth 11⅞ -1/16
... ... AsiaElec n 10⅛ +⅛
27 19 AspctTel s 21⅜ -⅜
56 26 AspenTc s37⅞ +⅝
19 16 AstonF 54⅞ ...
... 18 AseytTch s30⅜ -1⅜
... ... AtHome n 20⅛ +⅛
18 14 Atmel 24⅛ -1 3/16
... ... AuraSy 3¹¹/₁₆ -1/16
27 14 Auspex 11⅛ ...
... 20 Autodesk 37⅛ -1/16
... 16 Avanti 24¹¹/₁₆ -1⅛
67 21 AvidTch 30⅝ -⅛
15 13 Avndle 27⅛ +1½
56 18 BDMInt s 21⅛ +⅛
... 61 BEA Sys n 15⅜ +½
16 13 BHA 18 -½
50 28 BMC Soft 83⅞ -2 1/16
... ... Baan 69¾ -⅛
... ... BncGalic 20⅝ -⅝
... 49 BanynSy 3⅞ ...
... ... BbqsGal n 6⅝ -⅛
73 20 Barra s u29⅛ -⅛
... 24 BasExpl 21⅛ -⅜
27 19 BayVw s u35⅜ +½
37 28 BedBath 32⅛ -⅛
12 8 BellMic 9⅛ +⅛
26 23 Bellweth 10⅞ -⅛
... 19 BestSft n 10 +½
... 26 Bill Info 45 +⅛
... ... BioPhar s25 9⅜ -3/16
... ... Biostrl ⅛ -1/16
38 19 Biogen 33 +⅛
24 20 Biomet 23¾ -3/16
23 27 BioTcG 12⅜ -1/16
22 17 BobEvnu 19⅞ +⅞
24 19 BonTon 17⅛ +1
... 45 Boring 10⅜ -1⅛
... 33 BorLePr n 22⅜ +⅜
8 ... BostChk 8⅞ -1/16
... 33 BostnCom 13½ +⅛
... ... Boundless 1⅝ +3/32
29 13 BoxWwde 1⅝ -1/16
... ... BrassieG ⅜ +1/16
... ... BrazilFast 3½
... ... BrghtHr nu18⅜ ...
+1 1/16
42 28 Brightpt s36⅜ -
1⅜
... ... BrdbdTc d5⅛ -3/16
... 32 BrodSft 29½ -1½
... ... BrooksF 53 1/16
+1 1/16
54 38 BrownTom22⅞ -
⅜
... ... BrushCrk 1⅜ +1/32
... ... BuanObj 11⅛ -⅛
16 20 C-CUBE 24½ -⅜
... ... C-Phone 8⅜ -1/32
... ... CH Rbn n 22⅞ -⅜
... ... C3 Inc n 14⅜ +⅛
... ... CAI Wrls 1⅜ -1/32
... ... CDRadio 19¾ -⅛
19 14 CHS El s 22½ -⅛
20 17 CKS Gr nd 11⅜ -⅞
... 83 21 CMC Ind u13¾ ...
+2⅜
... 13 CNS 8+ 1/16
55 35 CSGSys 38⅛ +⅝
... 1 CSL Lgt ⅛ -1/16
27 18 CTC Cm 12⅜ +1/16
... ... CableCo ⅜ -1/16

26 21 CblCat 3¹³/₁₆ +1/32
... ... Cadiz 6¾ -1/16
... 14 Cavere 6⅝ -1/16
... ... Calypso 4 ...
70 45 CambTch 39⅛ -⅛
11 9 CammAsh 15⅜ -⅛
25 ... CandgBrA 46¹⁵/₁₆ -
1 9/16
21 15 Candies 7 -1/16
55 18 CapsPhn 11 -⅛
... ... CaptecNt n 17 -⅛
... ... Cabella n 20¾ ...
... 9 CasinoAm 2½ -1/16
... ... CasMagic 1 7/32 -⅛
... 37 Catalyt 10⅜ ...
... ... CatGens 6⅝ +⅛
... ... CategyPh 8⅜ +⅜
... ... CatlesB 17⅛ ...
22 13 Cellstar s32 7/16 -2 1/16
... 14 CellrTch 3⅜ ...
... 44 Centocor 41¼ +⅜
... ... CEurMda 27⅝ +1/8
26 22 CenGardn 28⅝ -1/8
... 4 CenturaSft 1⅜ +1/16
... ... Cephln 10¹³/₁₆ +⅛
73 39 Cerner 24¹¹/₁₆ -1/32
59 ... Cervecer 26⅜ +1/32
... ... ChancMda 80¾ +⅞
... ... Chantal 7/32 -1/32
... ... Chaprai 2⅞ +⅛
... 20 ChrmSh 4¹¹/₁₆ +3/32
16 14 ChtOneF 58⅛ +⅛
... ... ChartwellL 16²¹/₃₂ +1/32
63 ... ChkPnt n 48⅛ +⅜
... ... Chkfree 27²⁵/₃₂ -1 1/32
43 26 Cheeseck 29⅛ +1½
... 25 ChiRex 24⅞ +⅜
... ... ChiPza wt 7/32 -1/32
28 17 Chicos 7 -⅜
81 34 Chiron 17¾ -15/16
... ... ChromCS 15 +¼
... 44 CienaCp n67¹¹/₁₆ -
1 9/16
... 21 Cirrus 14¼ -⅛
49 29 Cisco 82⅜ -11/16
62 38 CitrixS 76¼ -1⅞
... 1 Cityscape 1⅞ -1/32
11 11 ClayEng 15 -⅜
... ... ClerCd g 1¼ -1/32
... ... Coflexip 51 -3⅜
38 24 Cognex 27⅝ -1⅜
... ... Cognos g 20½ +3/16
19 12 Cohernt 37 -½
31 20 CohoEn 10½ -7/16
20 12 Comair su25⅝ ns
+1 1/16
... ... Comcast 27 7/16 -1 1/16
... ... Comc sp 27 7/16 -1¼
... ... CmcstUK10⅜ ...
... 34 Commnet 3 15/16 -1/16
... ... Commtnet 1 15/16 -1/16
20 13 Cmpcm 10½ -⅛
... ... CptlConc 9⅝ -1/32
48 31 CmptHz s 32⅜ -⅜
28 18 CmpPr 23½ -1⅛
47 33 Compwr su36⅛ +⅜
27 20 Comvers 39⅝ -1⅝
... 32 ConcMngd 34 ⅝ ...
+1 1/16
46 31 CncEFS 27¹⁵/₁₆ -1 1/16
13 ... ConcCm 2⅜ -3/32
... ... Connetics 43 -⅛
9 8 ConPort 10⅜ -⅛
21 21 ContHlth n 2⅜ +⅛
... ... Copytele 1⅛ +1/16
... ... CorTher 22⅞ -⅛
... ... CoreCp g 2⅞ ...
35 23 CoreStaff 27½ -1 9/16
... ... Corrucp d⁹/₃₂ -1/32

56 18 CorpExp s14⅛ -⅜
... ... Cortech ⅛ -1/32
28 21 Costco 40¹¹/₁₆ -⅝
... 19 CostEner 13⅜ -⅛
... ... Cott Cp 9⅝ -⅜
... ... CtrPtnr n 18⅛ -⅜
... ... CtryStr 7/32 +1/32
... 24 Coventry 15⁹/₁₆ -1⅛
23 18 CrbnBrd 32 ⅝ -⅜
11 ... CrwTcLtd 27 1/16 -1 9/16
86 14 CredSys 30¼ -⅜
29 10 CrdAcp 5¾ -⅛
... ... CMathes d⁹/₃₂ ...
... 32 CyberMd 27⅝ -1⅛
... ... Cyberonic 11⅞ -⅜
28 20 Cymer s 20¹¹/₁₆ -
1 1/16
... ... Cypros 5⅝ +⅜
... ... CytoPh 9¼ +⅛
... ... Cytogn 3¹/₃₂ -3/16

DEF

26 17 DSC 22 9/16 -11/16
45 23 DSPCm 17½ -1
44 ... Danka 39 -⅜
... 49 DaouSys n28 3/16 -3½
... 23 DtBdcst 7¼ +9/32
80 16 DtaDimn s21 11/16 -⅜
38 27 Dave&B s 25⅜ -⅛
19 14 Dawson 20¼ +⅛
30 24 DawsnP 21½ -2
11 ... DBeer 21⅞ -⅜
42 27 DellCpt s 85½ +½
17 12 DetSys s 14⅜ +⅛
... 30 DiamM 10½ -⅛
... ... Diedrich 3⅞ +⅛
... 20 Digilnti 18⅝ -1⅛
... 40 DigLght n 19⅝ -⅛
32 24 DigMic 36⅞ -1⅛
... ... DigitSd 1½ ...
... ... Discreet 16⅝ -½
... ... DrSolom n35⅛ -⅜
45 34 DitrTree s 43½ -⅜
... ... DomBridge 1⅞ +1/32
41 21 Dblstree 42½ +2
... ... Draxis g 3⅜ +⅛
... ... DrwlC ⅜ ...
... ... DunnCm nu7⅜ ...
53 34 DuraPh 45⅝ ...
... ... DurbanRo 1²³/₃₂ +1/32
... 18 Dynagn 9²/₃₂ +1/16
61 36 ETrade 24½ -
1 9/16
... 18 ECI Tel 28 -1/4
40 24 EFTC Cp 13⅛ +⅛
... ... ESCMed 37⅝ -⅞
27 18 ESSTech n 11 -⅜
19 16 EgilHrd 18⅝ +⅛
... ... EarthSc 1⅝ +1/32
58 30 EstnEn 23¾ -⅜
... 10 Eastwnd 3⅜ -3/16
... ... Ecogen d2 9/16
... 62 EdifyCp 18½ +⅛
... 10 Egghead 8⅝ +⅛
... 32 8X8 Inc n 11⅝ -⅛
... 12 EinstnN 7⅛ -⅛
... 14 ElbitSys n 12⅝ -⅛
... 15 Elctrgis 19¾ -1
37 23 ElcArt 32⅝ -1 1/16
... ... ElecCom 24¹³/₃₂ +1¹³/₃₂
... 22 EFII s 48½ +⅛
... ... Elctsrc 5⅝ -⅜
... 12 ElronEl 15⅛ -⅜
... ... EmisTch 19 +1
45 8 EmplySl 5⅞ -3/16
... ... Enamelin 18¼ +⅛
26 21 Encad 38⅜ +⅛
... ... EngBiosy d4 -⅛
... ... Entractv 2⅝ ...

... ... EqCompr2 ⅝ -1/16
... ... EriePref 42 1/16 -3⅝
... ... Escalon u1 7/32 +1/32
32 18 EtecSys 49¾ -⅛
... ... ExcelSwit n 23⅛ -1/32
... ... ExcelHnd n 7⅜ +7/32
... ... Excite n 27⅜ -⅝
... 7 ExecTl 2⅜ -⅛
... 21 FPA Md 27 +⅜
17 14 FPIC Ins 28⅞ +⅜
... ... FTP Sft 2¹¹/₁₆ ...
... ... Faroudja n 7½ -⅛
... ... Fibchm ⅛ ...
26 24 FfthThrd s 67⅜ +⅜
29 ... FileNet 27½ +9/32
21 15 FinLine 18½ -1/32
21 16 FrstAlli s 20⅝ -⅛
... 19 FComcoC 65⅜ +⅜
... 17 FSecCp s 32⅞ +2
... 17 FstTenn 57⅛ +1/16
... 9 Frstplus 45⅞ +7/16
31 25 Fiserv 49 -1/4
... 10 FlagstrB n 19½ +⅛
... ... Flextrn 43¾ +2
61 34 FocusEn 41⅛ -⅜
... ... FonixCp 6⅛ -⅜
23 ... FdLioB 7⅝ ...
23 ... FdLioA 8½ +1/32
64 37 ForeSys 17⅞ -⅜
... ... Fractal 2⅞ +⅛
29 22 Freds u25⅝ +⅛
... ... FreSCn 4⅞ +⅛
... 11 FrenchF 10½ -⅛
23 ... Freshstart 8 9/16 -⅛
... 38 FGoldmn s36²⁷/₃₂ -
2²¹/₃₂
... ... Friendly nd16⅛ -1⅛
... ... FrmtNat 1 -1/32
19 15 FrozenFd 9⅝ ...

GHI

21 15 GT Interac 8⅞ -1/16
35 23 Gadzooks 27⅛ ...
... ... GardenBot 4⅛ +1/16
41 28 Gartner 29 +⅛
... ... GateField 2 -⅛
... ... Gemstr 23½ +⅛
12 11 GenBear n15⅜ -2¼
46 ... GnCom 6⅞ ...
32 23 GenNutru33⅜ +⅜
18 13 Genicm u15 -⅜
... ... Gnsys wtB 1⅛ -⅜
37 ... Genzym 25 -⅛
... ... GeoTk d2⅝ -3/32
... ... Geoworks 14 -⅜
... ... GilatSat 34⅜ -⅛
17 ... Glasgal 5⅝ +⅛
12 12 Glenayre 11⅜ -⅞
36 23 GlobInd s 17⅜ -1/16
... ... GlbMd wt ⅜ -1/16
... ... Globastr s48⅜ -⅛
... ... GoldfSty ⅜+ 1/32
... ... GoodGy 7 +⅜
23 18 GdyFam 32⅜ +⅛
... ... GothEn 31½ -1/32
26 18 GranteFn u15⅞ +3⅛
... ... Greenman 1 +1/32
... ... GulfIndPn 20 +⅛
39 26 GulfSou 34⅛ -1/16
64 36 HBO s 42¹³/₁₆ -⅛
... ... HERC d⁹/₃₂ -3/32
10 9 HMTTch 14⅞ -⅛
52 42 HNC Sft 32½ -⅛
... ... HSN Inc 39¼ -1⅝
... 15 Hadco 63 3/16 +3 5/16
... 24 HagerB n 18⅛ -1/32
... 14 HarcorE d3⅝ -2 1/32
13 12 Harleys s 23 -⅜

22 29 HarmLgl 13¼ -15/16
... ... HarmonyGd2¹¹/₁₆ -
⅝ns
... ... HitCrim 11½ +1/32
... 18 HitCmp 53½ ...
63 14 HitE d17⅜ -⅛
... 23 HrstAsT n27⅞ +⅜
... ... HrtWire 2⅜ +1/32
... ... Heartprt 23½ -1 3/16
... ... Heartst 12⅛ -⅜
20 16 HelenTr s 14⅝ -⅜
26 9 HelixTch s 23⅜ ...
... 23 HSchain 33¹³/₁₆ +⅜
13 12 Herbllfe 21¾ -⅞
26 9 HiywdE d10 -⅜
44 26 HlwdPk 19⅞ -⅜
21 16 Hologic 27 -⅛
... ... HmecmC n6¹¹/₁₆ ...
... ... HungBd 7 +1
62 23 HuntJB 16⅛ +1/32
22 17 HuntBnk 33½ -1/16
11 9 HutchT s 24⅜ -1/16
61 30 HyprSf 42⅜ -1⅜
... 64 i2 Tech 43⅛ -⅜
... ... IAT Mlt n 7⅛ +⅜
... 14 IBAH 3¾ +1/16
... 11 ICC Tch 2⅜ +⅛
... ... ICG Com 22½ +⅜
... 20 ICO Inc 6 -⅛
... ... IDM Env 6¼ -1/16
... 44 IDTCorp u24½ +1⅞
... ... IGEN 14⅛ +1
... 8 IMC Mt 14⅜ -⅛
... ... IMP 1 9/32 +1/32
... ... IatrosHlt 1½ +1/16
... 64 ImagynMd3⅜ +⅛
... 41 Imatrn 3²⁹/₃₂ +7/32
44 ... Imax Cp s 26½ +⅜
... ... Imcine 6½ ...
... ... Imunex 62¼ -1 1/16
20 16 InFocu 34 +⅞
... 11 InVision s8⅜ ...
... 55 Incyte s 39¾ -⅜
70 40 InfMgeR 26⅜ -1 1/16
... 23 InfoRes 15⅞ -⅜
... ... Informix 8½ s +⅝32
... ... Infoseek 11⅝32 -1/32
14 ... IngiMkt 12⅜ -⅜
11 9 Innovex s 25½ -1 1/16
... ... Innovo ¾ +1/16
... 18 IntgDv 11½ -⅜
... ... IntPack 1½ ...
... 15 ItgPrc 20½ -⅞
... 25 ISSI 10¼ -1/16
... 6 Intek 1⅞ +1/16
20 19 Intel s 78¾ -
1 1/16
... ... Intel wt s 57⅞ -1⅞
... ... Intelect 8 -1/16
... ... Intelli 4¼ +1/16
... ... IntelEl 5⅛ ...
56 28 IntrTch s 23⅜32 -⅞
... 38 Intgph 10¹¹/₁₆ -1/16
... 16 IntrFbcm 6⅛ ...
... ... IntrNurs ⅝ -1/64
... ... IntrPrecMd 2¹¹/₁₆ -⅛
... ... Interneur10 13/16 +⅞
20 31 Intuit 29½ -2
... 14 Invacare 23 +⅛
... ... IonaTch n16 9/16 +⅛
... ... Irvine 11/32 +1/32
... ... Isolyser 2¾ +1/16
... 27 Itron 18¼ -1

JKL

... 58 JD Edwr n31¹¹/₁₆ -⅜
35 21 Jabil s 47⅞ -⅛
38 35 JackHwt 51½ -2¼
... ... JacorCm 44 +1/16

... ... JavaCtrl ⅞ +1/32
24 10 JohnstnA s 9⅝ -⅞
28 21 JonesM 28½ -⅛
... ... JunsprGrp ⅜ ...
25 17 JstFeet 16½ +⅛
31 16 KLATenc 43⅝ -2¼
... 63 KeiKog 3⅛ ...
38 22 Kelstrm nu26½ +⅜
14 ... KellySA 28⅞ +⅛
17 14 Kemet 24¼ +⅜
... ... KeraVis d5⅜ -⅛
16 11 KittyHk 17 -1 1/32
... 17 Komag 20¾ +⅝
... ... KooKR 3⅜ -⅛
... ... Kos Phr n15⅞ -⅜
17 13 Kulcke 30 +⅛
... 66 LHS Grp n44½ -⅛
... 10 LTX 6¼ -1/32
... ... LaTeko ⅜ -⅛
... 19 LamRsch 34⅝ -⅛
17 15 Lancastr u53¼ -⅛
26 22 Lance u25 -⅛
... ... LndmrkS n 7⅜ ...
... 22 Landrys 28⅞ -⅛
... ... LarDav d5⅛ -⅜
21 ... Laser Ind 26⅜ -⅞
58 22 LasrPwr n 8⅝ +⅜
... ... Lasertech ⅜ -1/16
35 25 Lason 28½ +½
19 19 Lattice 54 9/32 -1 1/32
18 12 Layne 17⅝ ...
55 36 Legato 41 ...
... ... LrnHaus n 50⅞ -1⅛
58 31 LevelOne s37⅞ -1½
... ... Lidak 2 7/32 +1/32
6 ... LifeFitnl n 16⅞ ...
... ... Ligand B 14⅛ ...
34 25 LinearT 61⅝ -3⅜
... ... Liposm 4⅜ -⅛
20 15 Logans 19¾ +1/16
12 11 LneSStk 20 ⅝ -⅜
... 9 LngBchF n11⅛ ...
... ... Lycos 31¼ -2⅜

MNO

43 37 MCI 42⅜ +½
27 21 MRV Cm 25 ⅝ -1⅛
38 23 MTI Tch 14¾ +1⅞
... ... MacroCh 9½ +⅜
... 59 Macrmdia 10 +¼
35 17 Madden 7⅞ +⅜
... ... MadgeNt 5¾ -3/16
48 25 MailBx 28¼ -1⅛
... ... MgtTech 1/32 -1/32
... 6 ManBagel 3½32 -1/32
85 51 Manugist s37½ +2¼
8 15 Mapics 11¼ +¼
28 18 MarDri 26⅜ -1⅛
54 11 Markarl 4⅞ +⅛
21 19 Marshlis 51 11/16 -⅝
... 20 Mathsft 3¼ ...
... ... Matrtch 5 3/16 -1/16
... ... MatrixPh d3 7/16 -1/16
28 17 MavTube s27 11/16 -
2⅛
... ... Novius s 4 15/16 -2⅜
... ... Novosteu21 9/16 +1 9/16
... ... Nu-Tech 1½ +1/32
... ... Nukoinfo 2⅝32 +1/32
... ... NuKote ⅜ -1/32
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OIL PRICES

FUTURES
Tuesday $20.04
Previous Close $20.06
Year Ago N/A

POSTED
Today $17.75
Previous Close $18.00
Year Ago N/A

NATURAL GAS PRICES
Tuesday $2..949

Prices slump

NEW YORK — Crude oil futures retreated on the New York Mercantile Exchange amid perceptions Iraq's standoff with the United Nations would end with a diplomatic solution that could include increased Iraqi oil exports.

The contract for December crude oil settled down 22 cents at $20.04 barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

After the market closed Tuesday, the American Petroleum Institute reported that crude oil supplies rose by 4.0 million barrels in the week ended Nov. 14, to 314 million barrels.

Gasoline stocks rose by 690,000 barrels, while distillate oil reserves fell by 651,000 barrels. Oil refineries were working at 92.1 percent of capacity, down from 92.6 percent the prior week.

The December contract for unleaded gasoline fell 0.79 cent to 58.65 cents a gallon. Home heating oil for delivery in December fell 0.24 to 57.61 cents a gallon.

December natural gas fell 2.1 cents to $2.949 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Dollar rises

NEW YORK — The plunging South Korean won pulled the Japanese yen lower on Tuesday despite suggestions from U.S. and Japanese officials that the countries would act to bolster the yen against the dollar.

The dollar finished slightly weaker against the German mark amid hints that Germany may raise interest rates further, even as other European countries look to lower rates ahead of the introduction of Europe's single currency.

In late New York trading, the dollar was quoted at 126.15 Japanese yen, up from 125.50 late Monday. The dollar also was changing hands at 1.7294 German marks, down from 1.7305.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Monday: 1.4053 Swiss francs, down from 1.4083; 5.7910 French francs, down from 5.7937; 1,693 Italian lire, down from 1,694; and 1.4140 Canadian dollars, down from 1.4168.

The British pound was quoted at $1.6909, down from $1.6961.

Markets retreat

NEW YORK — Stocks retreated modestly Tuesday, halting a three-session rally, as the market once again ran out of gas just as it returned to where it was before last month's sudden downturn.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which had added about 300 points during the three prior sessions, fell 47.40 to 7,650.82 after surrendering an early 27 point gain.

Broader stock indicators also turned lower after a mixed start to the quiet session.

Declining issues outnumbered advancers by a 3-to-2 margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume was brisk at 520.50 million shares, considerably slower than the pace of the previous four sessions.

The Standard & Poor's 500-stock list fell 7.97 to 938.23, the NYSE composite index fell 3.70 to 491.18, and the Nasdaq composite index fell 13.67 to 1,600.44 as bellwether technology shares gave back some of Monday's gains.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller companies fell 3.52 to 432.13, and the small-company dominated American Stock Exchange composite index fell 7.79 to 671.21.

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Consumer prices continue to stay tame

■ Consumer price growth may be smallest in 11 years.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Consumer inflation remained at a modest 0.2 percent in October for a fourth straight month — a pace that could lead to the smallest yearly increase in 11 years.

The Labor Department said Tuesday its Consumer Price Index increased at a 1.8 percent annual rate during the first 10 months of 1997. If the pace continues for the rest of the year, it would be the smallest annual increase since a 1.1 percent advance in 1986.

Consumer prices rose 3.3 percent last year.

In a separate report Tuesday, the Commerce Department said business inventories rose 0.7 percent in September.

Analysts said the growth, particularly a 1.2 percent buildup at the retail level and the 1.1 percent wholesale increase, could result in reduced goods orders and a slowing economy that could further curb inflation.

Still, business sales jumped 1.3 percent and resulted in an inventory-to-sales ratio of 1.36 months supply at the September sales pace. That was the smallest since a 1.35-month supply in February.

The Labor Department reported last week that its Producer Price Index, inched up just 0.1 percent in October. Since the PPI measures inflation before reaching the consumer level, it suggested little price pressure in the pipeline.

"The price of goods is pretty close to zero, pretty close to price stability," observed economist Stuart G. Hoffman of PNC Bank Corp. in Pittsburgh. "We've done a very good job of getting to price stability for goods, and a very good job of bringing service prices down."

While the PPI measures prices for goods only, nearly 60 percent of the CPI reflects the costs of services such as transportation and health care.

While many economists see no end to the low inflation rate, others believe the phenomena is temporary.

"Everyone thinks inflation is dead," said Stephen S. Roach of Morgan Stanley & Co. in New York. "But my view is, enjoy it while you can because it's not going to be around much longer."

Roach contends the low inflation rate is due to temporary factors such as a strong dollar and falling energy prices that "won't be in play in 1998."

For now, however, prices remain contained. Energy costs, for instance, edged up a barely perceptible 0.1 percent, the smallest advance in four months. Food prices were up 0.2 percent after rising a tiny 0.1 percent in September.

Stripped of volatile food and energy costs, the so-called core CPI was up 0.2 percent — or an annualized 2.2 percent for the first 10 months of 1997. If continued, the core rate would be the smallest increase since it inched up 1.2 percent in 1965.

Energy prices fell, except for a 2.4 percent increase for natural gas. That resulted in the smallest increase since a 0.1 percent dip in July.

Gasoline costs, which had jumped 5.4 percent in August and 1.8 percent in September, were down 0.6 percent. Prices for electricity and fuel oil both declined 0.4 percent.

The 0.2 percent increase in food prices was due largely to a 1.5 percent jump in the cost of dairy products, the steepest since a 1.8 percent advance a year ago, and an 0.8 percent advance for fruit.

States sue Toys R Us

■ Texas among 38 states claiming retailer illegally used clout to stifle competition.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Toys R Us said it expected — and got — domino-effect lawsuits from an administrative judge's ruling that it illegally used its clout to get toy makers to stop selling to discounters.

New York state initially filed a federal suit claiming the nation's largest toy retailer pressured its suppliers not to ship Mr. Potato Head, Barbie dolls and other popular toys to such warehouse discounters as Price Club, Sam's and BJ's.

Thirty-seven more states, Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia joined the lawsuit Monday. Their entrance allows states throughout the country to combine resources to demonstrate the broad effect on consumers, New York Attorney General Dennis C. Vacco said.

Rebecca Caruso, a spokeswoman for the Paramus, N.J.-based toy chain, said the company expected "these tag-along lawsuits" since the judge ruled against it in September.

Judge James P. Timony in Washington found that the company had warned toy makers it might stop carrying certain toy lines if the products also were offered to discount stores.

Ms. Caruso said Toys R Us announced at a 1992 toy fair that it reserved the right not to carry the same items offered to discount stores.

She said that the company appealed Timony's ruling and was confident it would be found to have acted properly.

"We've always acted fairly and in the best interests of the consumers," she said.

Vacco said in a statement that toy manufacturers Mattel, Hasbro, Tyco Industries and Little Tikes Co. had reluctantly agreed to the terms set by Toys R Us.

"These low-margin retailers were underselling Toys R Us, which feared a loss of business and damage to its carefully cultivated 'everyday-low-price image,'" Vacco said.

New York, which filed suit last month, is seeking unspecified damages.

AP Photo

Texas strike

Workers at the Mackie Automotive Systems stand with strike signs outside the plant in Arlington, Texas, Tuesday. The plant, which supplies parts for the General Motors truck assembly plant in Arlington, walked off the job because of a contract dispute.

Banks make $16.1 billion merger deal

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — In the biggest banking deal in U.S. history, First Union Corp. announced Tuesday it is buying CoreStates Financial Corp. for $16.1 billion worth of stock to form an East Coast banking powerhouse stretching from Florida to Connecticut.

The merger would create a financial giant with $204 billion in assets and 2,600 branches serving 16 million people in 12 states. The corporation would be the nation's sixth largest banking company and would have the largest share of retail deposits on the East Coast.

Philadelphia would become the new company's banking center and a major center for the bank's customer service operations.

First Union said it expects to bring about 3,000 new jobs to the Philadelphia area, and the city would become headquarters for operations in Connecticut, New York, Delaware, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. The jobs would "significantly offset the impact of merger-related job reductions," the companies said in a statement.

But spokeswomen for both companies would not say Tuesday how many people could lose their jobs.

"We are particularly pleased that First Union is demonstrating an unwavering commitment to the growth and vitality of the region CoreStates serves," said Terrence A. Larsen, CoreStates chairman and chief executive officer.

"Our combined organization will enable us to leverage our expertise, products and customer relationships in a powerful new way. Together, we will be unbeatable," he said.

First Union has agreed to exchange 1.62 shares of its common stock for each share of CoreStates common stock.

The merger would eclipse the nation's previous largest, NationsBank Corp.'s $14.6 billion proposed purchase of Barnett Banks. Some $40.6 billion in commercial bank or bank holding company mergers have been announced in 1997, according to Securities Data Corp. of Newark, N.J.

The deal comes one month after CoreStates, long considered ripe for takeover, rejected an $18 billion offer from Pittsburgh-based Mellon Bank, saying it wanted to remain independent. But Larsen, facing shareholder complaints about sluggish earnings and a lack of direction, never ruled out a different merger.

Hasbro moving 700 El Paso jobs to plant in Mexico

EL PASO (AP) — The city's employment outlook just keeps getting bleaker.

Just two weeks after Levi Strauss announced three plant shutdowns in El Paso, another company, Hasbro Inc., has said it will lay off 700 employees in January as it moves its manufacturing plant to Tijuana, Mexico.

Jerry Ligon, Hasbro's president of manufacturing services, said Monday that the competitive nature of the toy industry was to blame for the company's decision to end production in El Paso.

He said the company's distribution center will continue operating in El Paso with 100 employees.

Alex Rivera, a three-year Hasbro employee, received the news of the layoffs when he completed his shift at 3 p.m. Monday.

BUSINESS SCENE

Cattle Baron opens in former Harrigan's location

By Mella McEwen

CATTLE BARON, the Roswell, N.M.-based restaurant chain, has opened the doors to its new Midland restaurant.

McEwen

The new restaurant is located at 418 Wadley Ave. in the former Harrigan's location, which now sports a completely remodeled interior and exterior designed to resemble a Montana lodge.

It offers a luncheon menu of steak, chicken, seafood and sandwiches. The dinner menu includes appetizers, soups, a salad bar, burgers, chicken, pork and pasta entrees, steaks and seafood and pasta.

Items are available for carry-out.

Hours are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

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Santa Claus will be arriving at Midland Park Mall at 6 p.m. Friday with a parade that will travel from JCPenney Court to Santaland in the Sears Court.

Santa's arrival will coincide with the opening of three stores in the mall.

Opening today is **EDDIE BAUER**, next to Kay-Bee Toys. The store carries sportswear for men and women, including clothing, accessories, footwear, outerwear and travel gear. Now a subsidiary of Chicago-based Spiegel Inc., the chain was founded by Eddie Bauer in Seattle in 1920.

Opening Friday in the former McDuff's Electronics location is **COMPUTER CITY**. The store is located in a 17,000 foot location and carries hardware and software products and communications products.

Opening Tuesday in a new, expanded location within the mall is **FOOTACTION USA**, which is moving into a 6,000-square-foot location next to Radio Shack. The store will carry athletic shoes and apparel, including products available only at Footaction. The store will also feature music and sports videos on 14 television monitors positioned throughout the store.

Also at Midland Park Mall, the American Cancer Society, will have a table at the top of the Food Court displaying material about the Great American Smoke Out on Thursday.

The Permian Basin Blood Institute will conduct a blood drive Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Sears Court area.

On display during the holiday season are playhouses to be given away by the Centers for Children and Families, on display in Center Court and in the JCPenney Court. Child Protective Services has put up its giving tree in Center Court decorated with ornaments carrying disadvantaged children's names and Christmas wishes.

The Westside Lions Club will operate the train Friday, Saturday and Sunday during mall hours.

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Just opened in The Courtyard Shopping Center, 4410 N. Midkiff Road, is **TO WARM YOUR HEART**, located next to Fast Signs.

Owner Marla Miller explained that she carries painted furniture imported from around the world, mostly accent pieces like tables, chairs, sideboards, hutches, armoires and entry tables.

She also carries a line of iron furniture and a variety of gift items.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday with extended evening hours available during the holiday season.

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Opening Saturday is **THE POTTERY**, located in The Colonnade at Polo Park, 4610 N. Garfield St.

Raye Ann Embrey, who owns the store with her daughter, Anne Barden, describes her business as a contemporary ceramics studio specializing in paint-your-own pottery.

She said the concept is a popular trend in California, the Pacific Northwest and Northeast, allowing customers to create their own works of art while socializing in a cafe-style setting.

The Pottery carries a full line of ceramic bisque and underglazes and all the necessary tools for decorating. Staff members offer design assistance and will clear-glaze each piece after decorating.

A private party room is available for groups of up to 12 or groups of up to 44 can reserve the studio during off hours.

There is also a coffee bar carrying a custom-blended gourmet coffee and other beverages.

Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday.

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Sporting a new name is the Plaza Inn, which has been renamed the **CLAYDESTA INN** to emphasize its new focus on serving the business traveler.

Owned by Clayton Williams Jr., the inn, located at 4108 N. Big Spring St., recently underwent major renovations to all its rooms.

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Mella McEwen is a business writer for the Reporter-Telegram. *She can be reached by e-mail at casell@basinlink.com.*

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NO MEETING 12/6/97
Grand Lodge in session. Reg.stated meeting, 1st & 3rd Sat. 8:30 am.
Terry Cowin, W/M
Bob Ellwood, Sec.

130 Personals

MARY KAY COSMETICS. Sybil Wallace, 684-5464. Kay Gilley, 520-3167. Crete Arnold, 689-7002.

150 Lost & Found

FOUND: Golden Retriever. 683-3863.

FOUND: Female Dalmatian. Thomason & Hwy 80 area. Pearl, 520-8448 or 689-6959.

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LOST: Caramel and white female (very old) Husky. From the area of Cimmaron and Whitney. 694-0846.

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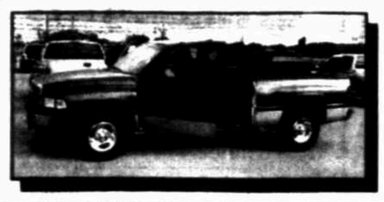

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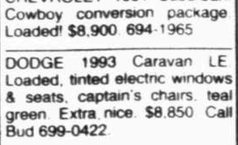
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Full Time Cook

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Apply in person 2700 N. Big Spring Midland

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FULL TIME Garage Attendant. Call Don at 682-3532 between 8 am- 9 am for application and interview. Computer knowledge a plus. Mandatory drug test.

310 General Help Wanted

FULL TIME Head of Maintenance wanted at The Junction Apartments. Must be HVAC Certified, have own tools and vehicle. Apply in person only- no phone calls, 1902 N. Midland Drive.

FULL TIME position. Must be good in customer relations. Must be honest and dependable, lifting involved. Apply in person 1219 N. Midkiff.

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CMA's $7 an hour. Manor Park, Inc. is now accepting applications- 6 am- 2 pm shift, temporary position turning into PRN. Must be Texas certified. Must be dedicated to the elderly and their care. Excellent benefits. Complete application at Manor Park, Inc., 2208 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas 79707. EOE M/F

312 Professional Help Wanted

Architectural Project Manager

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CNA's $5.50/ hour. Manor Park, Inc. is now accepting applications- part- time and full- time, all shifts available. Must be Texas certified. Must be dedicated to the elderly and their care. Excellent benefits. Complete application at Manor Park, Inc., 2208 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas 79707. EOE M/F

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LVN POSITION. Trinity Towers is now accepting applications for a part- time LVN for the Personal Care Department. the right individual must be dedicated to the care of the elderly. Applications can be picked up at 2800 W. Illinois, Midland, Texas and returned to the attention of Jean Box. EOE M/F

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MEDICAL- Terrace West Nursing Center has current openings for LVN/ RN and Certified Nurse Aides for the 10 to 6 shift. If interested, please apply in person at 2800 N. Midland Drive, Midland, TX 79707.

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Ft. Stockton Nursing Center
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Fort Stockton, TX 79735
(915)336-7631

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NURSING HOME Administrator needed in Midland area. Call (806)777-6074.

312 Professional Help Wanted

***ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN**

Associate's degree in electronics technology or equivalent military experience

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TEMPORARY RESOURCES
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LEASING AGENT- Part time position available at Polo Park Apartments. 15 - 20 hours, including weekends. Apply in person at 4700 Polo Parkway. E.O.E.

NURSERY- Alldredge Gardens now accepting applications for full time nursery professional. Duties include sales and customer service. Job also includes physical outside labor, heavy lifting, walking, loading and unloading trucks. Knowledge for plant material and chemicals helpful. Will train right applicant. Apply in person: 3300 Fairgrounds Road. EOE.

318 Management Help Wanted

MANAGEMENT

BURGER KING

Management positions available in Midland/ Odessa area. Food service required. Bring resume to B.K. 710 Andrews Hwy., Midland, TX. Monday through Friday 9 am- 2 pm or FAX to 1-915-682-6399.

PRODUCTION SUPERVISOR. Roofing manufacturer, great benefits, minimum 2 years production and maintenance supervisory experience, national company located in Albuquerque, NM, bilingual a plus. Resume to: 100 Trumbull Ave. S.E., Albuquerque, NM 87102, fax 505-242-3236.

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Occasionally ads found in this section come from distant points and the Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot always know the merits of the offers. We suggest when you are in doubt that you call the Better Business Bureau before signing any contract.

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ESTABLISHED ANTIQUE Mall for sale. Solid business, excellent walk-in traffic and regular customer base. Good one- person operation, good lease. Positive cash-flow. Call 689-6373 days or 683-3324 evenings for more information.

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200 YARDS Good beige carpet for sale. Call 687-1823.

GORGEOUS, ANTIQUE, satin cascading cornice, (2) 34" sections, off white, jabot style, custom. $25. 687-6790.

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AUTOMOTIVE & WOODWORKING Tools, in excellent condition. Call 689-6604.

413 Jewelry & Furs

AZURENE MINK, Stroller length coat. Female skins. Please call 684-6188.

51 POINT Round diamond Solitaire. HI-VS2 SI-1. Can be seen at D'Carroll's Jewelers, San Miguel Square. Appraisal value $2,400, asking $1,200.

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415 Misc. Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

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46 Inch Magnavox TV. $750. 6 foot long executive desk 7 drawers $500. 697-6331.

CENTURY DINING room furniture. Table, 6 chairs and buffet. Perfect condition $1,200. 697-1337.

GLASS square top coffee table, black, gray marble base. $300. 2 Beige end tables $100 each. 697-6331.

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THREE PIECE living room set, tan with floral print. $250. Please call 520-3600.

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WHITE WASH entertainment center, 6 months old. $200. 682-0135.

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590 Legal Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BID

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for **SPECIAL PROCEDURES ROOM RENOVATION** at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center.

Drawings and specifications may be secured through the office of the Architect, Vandergriff Group Architects, 312 N. Big Spring, Suite 100, Midland, Texas, 79701 on Wednesday, November 19, 1997.

A pre-bid conference will be held in the Engineering Department of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center on Tuesday, November 25, 1997 at 10:00 AM. Representatives of all interested bidding firms are requested to attend to present any questions, or obtain additional information about the project.

ALL BIDS MUST BE SEALED AND LABELED "BID #304-111797 ENCLOSED".

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL FAXED BIDS FROM BIDDERS BE ACCEPTED.

ALL BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE OF THE MATERIALS MANAGER BY 12:00 P.M., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1997.

Bid opening will be at 12:30 P.M. in Room E-18 (Auditorium), Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79701, On Wednesday, December 3, 1997.

ALL BIDS MUST BE PRICE PROTECTED UNTIL April 3, 1998.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 3:00 pm, December 3, 1997, to be opened at 3:00 pm, in the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid #015-98 for:
An annual purchase agreement for Paper Products for the Municipal Warehouse and Purchasing Stockroom.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 0.000 km of replacement of guide signs at various locations district wide on interstate covered by IM 10-2(93)228 in Ector County, will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation, 200 E. Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas, until 1:00 P.M., December 4, 1997, and then publicly opened and read. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the sealed proposal arrives at the above location and is in the hands of the letting official, by the specified deadline regardless of the method chosen by the bidder for delivery.

This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Douglas W. Eichorst, Area Engineer, Pecos, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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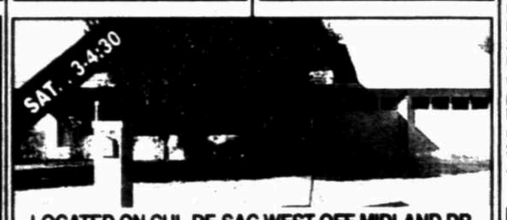

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KEY To Abbreviations

Bdrm	Bedroom
Ba	Bath
Kit	Kitchen
Dbl	Double
A/C	Air conditioning
Mst. Bdrm	Master Bdrm.
Gar	Garage
Bldg.	Building
Cond.	Condition
N-QA	Non-Qualifying Assumable
QA	Qualifying Assumable
Ac.	Acre
3/2/2	Bdrm./Ba./Gar.

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