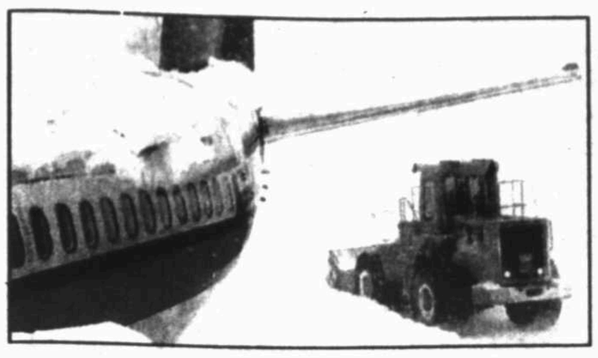

WEATHER

Buried in Buffalo

Dynamo of a storm dumps more than 2 feet of snow on Buffalo, N.Y., shutting it down; cold wave ices Midwest, East./**2A**

SPORTS

Lions 24, Oilers 17

Steve McNair throws first career touchdown pass, but Lions' top-ranked offense roars, wins in Houston./**1C**

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Santa Claus (Bill Wolf) holds John Bartholomee, 2. When Wolf was laid off, he turned his attention to making children happy.

MONDAY MORNING/1B

Lobbying, TV ads

WASHINGTON — The TV commercial showed a husband and wife, deeply worried about nursing home costs for an elderly mother, and lamenting Republicans' proposed changes in Medicare. After it ran in Peoria and Springfield, Ill., last September with Rep. Ray LaHood's office phone number plastered along the bottom, the phone calls came flooding in. In the past few years, Washington lobbyists have increasingly used such ads to target viewers, prodding them to call a lawmaker who seems on the fence on an issue./**7A**

Russian reform

NIZHNY NOVGOROD, Russia — Boris Nemtsov, the handsome young governor of Nizhny Novgorod province, strides through the car factory like a star. The tall, charismatic Nemtsov is one of Russia's most successful politicians, renowned as a visionary leader who turned this graceful, old city on the banks of the Volga River into a showcase for market reform. But reform has become something of a dirty word in Russia./**3A**

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War wears many faces

Muslims hope; despairing Serbs acquiesce

Editor's note: As diplomats prepare to sign the peace accord for Bosnia this week, people on both sides of the tortured republic's front line are preparing for the consequences. In Gorazde, which for 3 1/2 years was a Muslim island surrounded by Serbs, residents survived through resourcefulness and stubbornness. Now comes their reward — the peace accord cuts a land bridge through Serb territory to Sarajevo. Serbs living in its path are giving up their homes rather than submit to the enemy's rule. To the residents of Gorazde, it offers hope that they may emerge from what had become a living hell.

By Mark J. Porubcansky
Associated Press

GORAZDE, Bosnia-Herzegovina — This is a town that came to the gates of hell.

For 3 1/2 years as an island of government-held territory surrounded by Serbs, the mostly Muslim residents of Gorazde held out by sheer stubbornness and a few slender threads.

Winter, spring, summer, fall:

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AP Laserphoto

A young Bosnian refugee is hesitant to come out as a U.N. convoy arrives in Gorazde Saturday.

Gore defends extensive travel spending by Energy's O'Leary

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Al Gore defended Energy Secretary Hazel O'Leary's extensive spending on overseas trips Sunday, praising her for using the journeys to create jobs.

"All that stuff doesn't sound good and she's the first to want to correct any excesses that might be found," Gore said, after the Los Angeles Times reported O'Leary stayed in luxury hotels and flew on a charter jet often rented by rock stars.

"She herself has requested an inspector general investigation and review," Gore said on NBC's "Meet the Press." But he added: "I think it ought to be put in perspective."

On a trip to South Africa using the chartered jet, O'Leary "created thousands of American jobs and billions of dollars in contracts for companies in this country," Gore said.

"There's nobody in the Cabinet who has done a better job of

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Switzer's no-brainer

AP Laserphoto

To Barry Switzer, it was a no-brainer, even if failing on fourth-and-1 will lead people to accuse him of having no brains. At the Dallas 29, the Cowboys coach went for it twice in the final moments Sunday. Both plays failed, although only one counted, and that led to Philadelphia's stunning 20-17 victory. STORY/1C

GOP: Plans on Medicare not far apart

■ Gingrich argues that Clinton overstates parties' differences. White House counters that Republicans are trying to undo political damage they have inflicted on themselves.

By Robert Pear
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Facing a new deadline in budget talks, Republicans now assert that President Clinton has vastly overstated the two parties' differences on Medicare and that negotiators could move closer to compromise by focusing on the level of spending rather than the magnitude of proposed savings.

The dispute over Medicare, the federal health insurance program for the elderly and disabled, is one facet of a larger disagreement between the two parties in the budget talks. Democrats want to discuss the amounts to be saved, or cut, from federal spending in the next seven years. They argue that this is the best way to describe the impact on people of changes in programs like Medicare.

By contrast, Republicans want to emphasize what would actually be spent. To do otherwise, they say, is to play politics with numbers.

In Medicare, as in many other programs, spending would continue to increase from year to year under both the White House and the Republican proposals, but the rate of growth would be reduced.

In sparring on Sunday over the budget, Vice President Al Gore said the Republicans were using the threat of another government shutdown on Friday as a negotiating ploy.

The temporary spending authority for many federal agencies expires on Friday. Unless Congress passes legislation to allow the agencies to spend money, parts of the government will be faced with a shutdown similar to one last month, when 800,000 workers were idled.

Gore, speaking on the NBC program "Meet the Press," said that the Republicans lacked the votes to pass their budget plan in the normal way, and that "they want to use this threat to bring everything to a crashing halt unless the country will swallow this extremist agenda."

But John Kasich, R-Ohio, who is chairman of the House Budget Committee, said that Republicans wanted to avoid another shutdown. He said his party's negotiators would be revising their budget plan to take into account the figures to be issued on Tuesday by the Congressional Budget Office. Those figures are expected to show lower estimates for the federal deficit for the next seven years, which would make the task of balancing the budget slightly easier.

"We're going to have a few extra dollars," Kasich said on the CBS News program "Face the Nation." "And because of that, we'll be able to make some improvements in the plan that we currently have."

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Whither NOW? Reprimand sparks rift

By Deborah Hastings
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — For 30 years, the National Organization for Women has taken great pains to keep internal battles just that.

Working for women's equality is hard enough, its leaders said, without giving ammunition to critics who would take pleasure in depicting them as a bunch of squabbling women.

Then there was Tammy Bruce, the hot-tempered head of NOW's largest chapter, Los Angeles.

Patricia Ireland, the national president, publicly censured Bruce last week and asked her to apologize for making statements about racism and the O.J. Simpson case.

Nothing doing, said Bruce, who claims Ireland is jealous and threatened. Bruce promises that the nation's pre-eminent women's group will be forever changed by the rift.

"We're going to take action," said Bruce, who wouldn't say what kind. "Something is going to happen. It will never be the same again."

Bruce, host of a daily radio talk show in Los Angeles, became a highly quoted spokeswoman this year on the issue of domestic violence and Simpson's history of spousal abuse against ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson.

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The National Organization for Women has publicly censured the hot-tempered president of its largest chapter, Tammy Bruce, shown outside NBC Studios in Burbank, Calif., on Oct. 11.

AP Laserphoto

Memories haunt neighbors 10 years after Rajneesh commune's fall

By Sally Carpenter Hale
Associated Press

BIG MUDDY RANCH, Ore. — Amid the stark beauty of the high desert, the skeleton of a city is all that remains of the Rajneeshees' experiment in consciousness and power.

Gone are the machine guns, the Rolls-Royces, the thousands of red-clad disciples from around the globe who came to central Oregon in the early 1980s to live and meditate with Indian guru Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh.

The city they created, Rajneeshpuram, was disincorporated 10 years ago this month after the commune imploded with revelations of murder plots and poisoned salad bars, arranged marriages and bugged hotel rooms.

Some of the "sannyasins" followed Rajneesh back to Pune, India, where he returned after being convicted of immigration fraud. Others are scattered around the world, with large groups in Germany, Italy, Japan and England, where the sect has relocated its international publishing and media business.

Instead of red clothing and pendants bearing a picture of the guru — who had changed his name to Osho before his death in 1990 — disciples now wear marble lockets made from the bedroom where he died. They believe his energy will inhabit the stone for 2,000 years.

Sannyasins place the blame for any wrongdoing at the Oregon ranch squarely on Ma Anand Sheela, Rajneesh's big-talking personal secretary who exercised dictatorial control over the commune.

Sheela served 2 1/2 years in federal prison for a host of crimes — attacking the guru's doctor with a poison-filled syringe, setting fire to the county planning office, giving glasses of poisoned water to two county officials, creating the largest electronic eavesdropping system in state history, arranging 400 sham marriages so foreign disciples could stay in the United States, and masterminding a food poisoning outbreak that sickened 750 diners at restaurants in The Dalles, 80 miles away.

Another 21 Rajneeshees were convicted of various crimes, most recently in July, when two other former commune leaders were found guilty of plotting to murder former U.S. Attorney Charles

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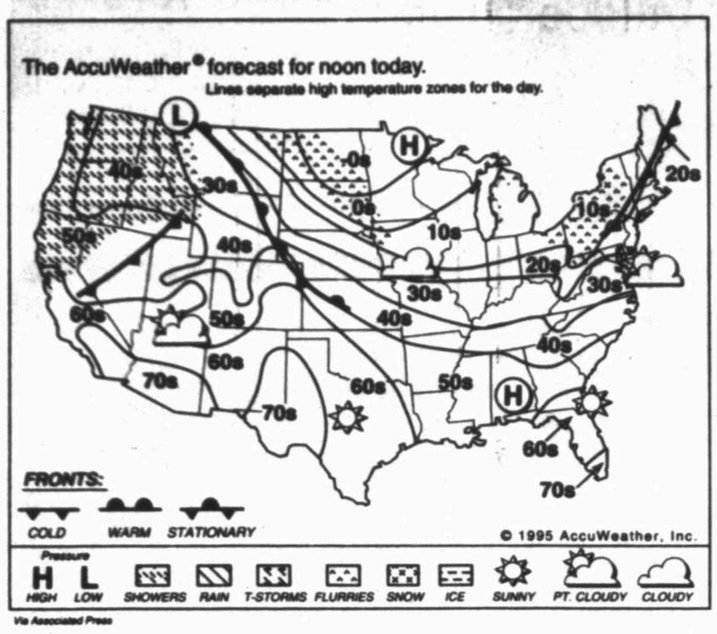
WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Temperatures to rise gradually

Staff Report

The cold snap looks to be over, for now, as temperatures should rise to 65 to 70 by this afternoon, according to a forecaster with the National Weather Service station at Midland International Airport.

Skies should be mostly sunny with winds coming from the south to southwest at10-20 mph. Tonight looks to be mostly clear with a low between 35-40. Tuesday's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies and a high in the upper 70s.

After a low of 17, compared to the record low of 15 set in 1978, temperatures rose to 52. The record high for the date was 82 set in 1933.

NATION

A small, stubborn storm piled 2 feet of snow on Buffalo, N.Y., Sunday, virtually shutting it down, while record low temperatures froze much of the South.

Non-emergency travel was banned in Buffalo and along a 46-mile stretch of highway south of the city.

The snow, about 24 inches at the airport from Saturday afternoon to Sunday afternoon, was produced by a so-called lake-effect storm — cold wind picking up moisture from Lake Erie and dropping it on land.

Areas of upstate New York along the eastern shore of Lake Ontario were also hit. Watertown had 10 inches by noon, with wind pushing the snow into drifts up to 4 feet high.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: mostly sunny, high 65-70, south to southwest winds10-20 mph
Tonight: mostly clear, low 35-40
Tuesday: mostly sunny, upper 70s

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High 52 degrees
Overnight Low 17 degrees
Sunset today . . 5:45 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 7:39 a.m.
Precipitation:
Last 24 hours zero inches
This month to date zero inches
Year to date 10.46 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	32	6 a.m.	18
7 p.m.	30	7 a.m.	17
8 p.m.	28	8 a.m.	18
9 p.m.	26	9 a.m.	24
10 p.m.	27	10 a.m.	32
11 p.m.	24	11 a.m.	37
midnight	23	noon	42
1 a.m.	21	1 p.m.	44
2 a.m.	21	2 p.m.	48
3 a.m.	21	3 p.m.	50
4 a.m.	20	4 p.m.	51
5 a.m.	20	5 p.m.	51
		6 p.m.	48

Area forecast

West Texas: Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Today, mostly sunny. Highs 65-70. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows from the mid-30s to near 40. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 70s. Tuesday night, fair. Lows in the lower 40s. Extended forecast, Wednesday through Friday, fair and dry. Lows 40-45. Highs in the 70s.

Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Today, morning low clouds then partly cloudy in the afternoon. Highs in the 60s. Tonight, fair. Lows in the 40s. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid-70s. Tuesday night, fair. Lows in the mid-40s. Extended forecast, Wednesday through Friday, fair and dry. Lows in the 40s. Highs in the 70s.

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.
Abilene	49	16	
Amarillo	54	16	
Austin	48	26	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	48	28	
Bryan-College Station	49	23	
Corpus Christi	52	33	
Dallas	44	20	
El Paso	60	27	
Fort Worth	42	16	
Galveston	45	34	
Houston	52	28	
Laredo	49	33	
Lubbock	50	18	
Marfa	50	20	
San Angelo	48	18	
San Antonio	50	25	

Weather elsewhere

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 6:32 p.m. CST.

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Atlanta	31	13	clr	
Baltimore	27	17	clr	
Boston	26	23	.33	cdy
Chicago	14	0	cdy	
Cleveland	11	4	sn	
Denver	55	15	cdy	
Detroit	16	3	cdy	
Kansas City	26	-3	cdy	
Las Vegas	64	38	cdy	
Los Angeles	75	50	cdy	
New Orleans	47	30	clr	
New York City	22	16	clr	
Philadelphia	14	14	clr	
Phoenix	77	48	clr	
Pittsburgh	13	6	sn	
St Louis	25	5	cdy	
Salt Lake City	59	35	cdy	
San Diego	66	49	cdy	
San Francisco	58	50	rn	
Seattle	51	38	.91	

DEATHS

John A. Taylor

Services for John A. Taylor will be 1 p.m. today in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Skaggs of Kelview Heights Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Gary Holdridge, Jerry Mason, Mike Mathis, Milton House, Morris Phillips, Dewayne Armstrong, Mark Tittle and Collins Rice.

Paul Deboskie

Services for Paul Deboskie will be 2 p.m. today at the Thomas Chapel with Gordon Hall of Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses presiding. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Lindsay Garnett, Joe Kendrick, Christopher Wright, Gary Guy, Eli Sutton and Jessie B. Houston Jr.

Quincy C. Pratt

Services are pending for Quincy C. Pratt, 56, of Midland with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home. Pratt died Saturday in a Temple hospital after a short illness.

Juana L. Reyes

Services are pending for Juana L. Reyes, 82, of Midland with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home. She died at a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

Doris Miller

Services are pending for Doris Miller, 62, of Midland with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home. She died at a local hospital after a sudden illness.

FACES: Only enclave of Gorazde survives onslaught

(From 1A)

No heat, no water, no electricity except what little could be generated by a fleet of homemade paddlewheels floating in the Drina River. Hungry people trekked 45 miles over Serb-held mountains for food. Several thousand people died.

With the peace accord being signed in Paris this week and NATO troops trickling into Bosnia to enforce it, the 60,000 residents of Gorazde are finally allowing themselves a glimmer of hope.

Not only have they stood firm, it is their Serb foes who are relinquishing their land so that Gorazde can be connected to Sarajevo.

"I hope it will be better when the Dayton plan is signed," said Zajko Sovsic, 40, perusing a market dressed in a tired red sweater and leather jacket. "When NATO comes, I firmly believe that it will be better."

Better wouldn't take much in Gorazde.

"We've been an island," said Sovsic. "You can imagine being one day without electricity and water — we've been living without it for 3 1/2 years."

From the doctor who operated on war casualties without electricity to Sovsic, who was a factory worker back in the prewar days when people actually had jobs, Gorazde residents have high hopes for peace.

The enclave, about 120 square miles of low mountains, was one of six U.N.-protected "safe areas." It was the largest of the three in eastern Bosnia and the only one to survive — Srebrenica and Zepa, to the north, fell to the Serbs in July.

Gorazde itself was subjected to repeated attack. NATO launched its first airstrikes in April 1994 to protect it.

Alija Begovic, 42, a general practitioner who ran the hospital, estimated that between 4,000 and 5,000 people were killed in Gorazde, 80 percent of them civilians.

An unexploded shell still sits with its nose buried in the dirt just a few steps from the main entrance of the sand-bagged, three-story hospital.

There are now hopes that the suffering is gradually ending. The opening of convoy routes has alleviated a food shortage, and officials are negotiating for electricity.

On Saturday morning, an outdoor market was crammed with people buying and selling potatoes, leeks, home-canned goods, tied bundles of flat brown tobacco leaves and all manner of used clothing.

Teen-age girls chatted and walked arm-in-arm past shell- and bullet-pocked buildings. Groups of soldiers stood talking and smoking. A few middle-aged women had taken fur stoles out of storage and draped them around their necks.

Local officials have made preliminary contacts with the Serbs to patch transmission lines in the hopes of getting electricity by Christmas.

Gorazde sits between two Serb-held towns on the Drina, Visegrad and Foca. The head of the district government, Rijad Rascic, a tall, modest man with thinning curly hair and broken teeth, has offered to let Serbs transmit electricity from a dam at Visegrad to Foca — if Gorazde gets a share.

U.N. civil affairs officer Brian Sadler said he sees reason for optimism in such practical problem-solving. "The hope for the future is that everyone is thinking like a community again," he said.

It is due to a mix of problem-solving and stubbornness that Gorazde survived at all.

Serbs move into torched homes

By Jovana Gec
Associated Press

FOCA, Bosnia-Herzegovina — Like 3,000 other Serbs, Ratko Mujovic and his family moved to this half-burned town when leaders reached a peace accord that would hand their village back to the Bosnian government.

Only six miles south of their village of Ustikolina, Foca was taken over by the Serbs and purged of its Muslim population at the start of the war. The Serbs looted and torched the town as the Muslims fled.

Now Mujovic and the others are forced to live amid their own destruction.

Ustikolina was part of what in Dayton, Ohio, became known as the "Whisky Route" — the corridor given to the government to link Sarajevo and Gorazde, the only Muslim enclave left in eastern Bosnia.

As they finalized their accord for peace in Bosnia, negotiators reportedly agreed to broaden the corridor while drinking whisky and viewing the Bosnian landscape using a high-tech, virtual-reality mapping system.

Reality itself is more primitive — and more painful.

Mujovic's new home is a half-torched house on the outskirts of Foca, an ancient town on the Drina river. Black letters announce the new owner: "Ratko Mujovic — occupied."

Mujovic stares blankly at his new home, the ruins of a Muslim-owned house robbed and burned by Serbs just after war erupted in spring 1992. It is like tens of thousands of others across Bosnia — holes where windows used to be, charred walls, no roof.

"I have no idea whose house this was," said Mujovic, who arrived last week. "All I know is I had to leave mine."

DEFENDS: Energy secretary's expenses draw heat

(From 1A)

cutting costs, of eliminating wastes," Gore said. "She's done a fabulous job in reinventing government and eliminating unnecessary spending."

Records obtained under the Freedom of Information Act show O'Leary has spent millions on overseas trips, far more than other Cabinet members, and often travels in grander style, the Times said.

O'Leary, who proposed substantial budget cuts for her agency earlier this year, also hired an old friend as the agency's "conflict resolution ombudsman," a new position with a $93,166 annual salary and $12,700 annual living expenses, the newspaper said.

O'Leary responded to the Times story by announcing — before it was published — that she had asked the department's inspector general to review the "facts on which the article is based" and assess her office's practices.

"The article overlooks the vital national interests that have been advanced on our overseas missions," she said in a statement Saturday, estimating the benefit of business deals concluded during the trips at $2.4 billion.

O'Leary also has been criticized recently by members of Congress for hiring a private firm to rate how news reporters covered her agency.

"She is only interested in self-aggrandizement," said Sen. Harry Reid, D-Nev. "She's compromised the entire department for personal gain and ego."

O'Leary disputed that.

"Anyone who knows me well knows I am without personal ego," she told the Times in an interview. "... I see a leader of an organization representing the substantive work of the organization."

In three years in office, the former Minnesota utilities executive has made 16 trips overseas. Her missions to India, Pakistan, China and South Africa cost $720,000, $500,000, $845,000 and $560,000, the Times said.

She also has traveled five times to Vienna and Paris for meetings of the International Atomic Energy Agency, and visited Russia four times for meetings of a U.S.-Russian commission.

For the trips to South Africa, China and Pakistan, O'Leary's aides chartered a jet once owned by MGM Grand Air that includes staterooms and a stand-up bar.

The price of chartering the plane for the Pakistan trip was $415,000, the Times said.

In her statement, O'Leary also defended the hiring of close friend E. Shirley Thomas.

MEDICARE: GOP emphasizes points of similarity

(From 1A)

House Speaker Newt Gingrich and Haley Barbour, chairman of the Republican National Committee, are making the new argument that Clinton has misrepresented the differences between the two parties on Medicare and that those differences are in fact not that great. But White House officials counter that the Republicans are trying to undo the political damage they have inflicted on themselves with unpopular proposals to redesign Medicare.

In fact, the levels of spending proposed by Clinton and by the Republicans are much closer than the amounts of their proposed savings. The Congressional Budget Office says Medicare spending would total $1.65 trillion in the next seven years under the Republican plan, while the Clinton administration says spending would total $1.68 trillion under its plan. That is a difference of $30 billion, or less than 2 percent.

The two sides use very different projections of what Medicare spending would be in the next seven years if the current law is not changed, and these projections are the benchmark from which proposed savings are measured.

Last week, as in June, Clinton said he wanted to cut projected spending on Medicare by $124 billion, or 6.6 percent, in the next seven years, while the Republicans want to cut $270 billion, or 14.4 percent. The Republicans, Clinton said, would turn Medicare into "a second-class system."

But Barbour, who has immersed himself in the details of domestic policy more deeply than any of his recent predecessors, said in an interview: "In actuality, there is only a $30 billion difference between what we spend and what the Democrats want to spend over the next seven years. Democrats are deliberately trying to exaggerate the differences to deceive people so people think the Republicans are making massive cuts in Medicare spending. Otherwise, how could Clinton claim our proposal would destroy Medicare?"

Gingrich went further, saying the Democrats' concentration on the contrast between $270 billion and $124 billion showed "the systematic mendacity of our opponents."

The White House disagrees. Lawrence J. Haas, a spokesman for the White House Office of Management and Budget, said: "Our focus is on how these proposals affect average Americans. Looking at aggregate numbers masks the very real effects that a $270 billion cut in Medicare over seven years will have. We are interested in the human impact. We think the human impact will be profound and, in many respects, devastating."

For some Democrats in Congress, even the president's proposals go too far. Many Democrats voted for proposals to limit Medicare savings to $90 billion over seven years. Ellen Dadisman, a spokeswoman for Rep. Sam Gibbons of Florida, the ranking Democrat on the Ways and Means Committee, which is responsible for Medicare legislation, said that he would "prefer to stay at $90 billion."

RIFT: Women's group publicly censures a member

(From 1A)

After his acquittal on charges he murdered Ms. Simpson and her friend, Ronald Goldman, Bruce made many impassioned statements about the role race played in the black football legend's trial.

"What we need to teach our children is ... not about racism, but is about violence against women," Bruce said on "Nightline" the day after the verdicts.

Last month, after refusing to appear on a Philadelphia talk show, Bruce was quoted as saying she didn't want to "argue with a bunch of black women" about the Simpson case.

Bruce claims her remarks were taken out of context and were not racist.

Hundreds of citizens, NOW members and several civil rights groups, on whom the organization depends for political support, called NOW headquarters to complain that Bruce's statements were racist, and to demand that something be done.

Ireland said she had no choice but to pursue a reprimand of Bruce. Never before have members been so offended, she said, and never before have political alliances been so damaged. NOW's national board, representing the group's 250,000 members, voted to censure Bruce.

"I deeply regret that Tammy Bruce ... has made public statements that clearly violate NOW's commitment to stopping racism," Ireland said Wednesday in Washington. "It pains me that these unfortunate and unwise comments have tainted NOW's reputation and our relationships with people of color and our social justice allies."

Kenneth Collins, vice president of the Los Angeles Brotherhood Crusade, a black civil rights organization, said his group received hundreds of complaints about Bruce's statements.

"We thought they were irresponsible and inflammatory," Collins said. "And we expressed those concerns to national NOW officials that we have relationships with.

"Some of the stuff she said was so over the top and so overboard, it was straight-out inflammatory."

John Mack, president of the Los Angeles Urban League, said his organization received complaints but didn't take them to NOW because "it would only exacerbate the situation."

He said Bruce's "preoccupation with domestic violence, which is a serious, substantial issue, has resulted in the appearance that she minimizes and dismisses the problem of racism."

Mack added, "I don't think she represents the kind of leadership that most NOW members want to project."

NOW could revoke Bruce's membership, but Ireland doesn't want it to come to that.

"I believe that she will, after getting over the anger, help us to find some way to get out of the corner we're in," Ireland said.

Bruce said she won't back down.

COMMUNE: Skeleton of city is all that remains of experiment

(From 1A)

Turner of Portland, Ore.

Barry Sheldahl, an assistant U.S. attorney in Portland, notes that the outcome could have been much worse at the heavily armed commune.

"All you have to do is look at Waco and Ruby Ridge," Sheldahl said. "We were being told some of these people would lay down their lives for the Bhagwan. And they were being told the government was out to get the Bhagwan. So luckily the collective governments in Oregon decided it wasn't worth anyone's life to try to arrest the guy."

Fortunately for the government, Rajneesh flew out of Oregon one night, ostensibly headed for vacation in Bermuda, and was arrested on the immigration charge in North Carolina. His followers still contend that the federal government poisoned him while he was in custody.

Eleven disciples remain fugitives, including Sheela, who was charged in the Turner plot after her release from prison. She cannot be extradited from Switzerland, where she now cares for elderly people in her home.

"Nobody really knows much about Sheela and nobody really cares," said Ma Chit Tantra, a Salem, Ore., psychologist who worked in the kitchen at Rajneeshpuram. "I think by and large most people have forgiven Sheela. There's no more anger."

The same cannot be said for the Rajneeshees' former neighbors in Oregon, who still are haunted by memories of gun-toting disciples who took over the town of Antelope, filling virtually all the elected positions and changing its name to City of Rajneesh.

Rajneeshee is "still a dirty word to me," growled old-timer Don Lucas as he left the Antelope Store and Cafe on a recent fall morning.

Visitors can stop by the cafe in the town of 45 and get a map to the juniper- and sagebrush-dotted property 20 miles away known once again as the Big Muddy Ranch. The 64,000 acres now are inhabited by four cowboys, 500 head of cattle and a fair number of deer and elk.

The Rajneeshee symbol of a dove, planted on the side of the dam, has been changed to a "happy face." What once was an outdoor cafeteria serving vegetarian fare now is a hay barn for beef cattle.

The ranch was purchased for $3.65 million in 1991 by Montana millionaire Dennis Washington, who hopes to donate it to the state of Oregon for use as a combination state park and boot camp for teen-age criminals. The massive 88,050-square-foot meditation hall would be moved to Madras for use by Central Oregon Community College.

Many local residents prefer that the Big Muddy remain a ranch, just as it was before the Rajneeshees moved in.

"They won't bury it. They won't let it go. The community just wants to see it 'dozed," said Lonnie Maulding, a former Antelope City Council member who now manages the ranch.

Other residents are more concerned about the fact that state ownership would take the ranch off county tax rolls.

"I think it should be used for something," said Margaret Hill, who was mayor when the Rajneeshees came to town. "I think some people are flat out opposed to anything. And maybe that's one of the divisions the Rajneeshees left."

The Rajneeshees paid $6 million for the ranch in 1981 and poured $100 million more into creating a utopian vision complete with airstrip, hotel and shopping mall. More than 1,000 buildings remain on the property.

At its height, about 4,000 disciples lived at the commune nicknamed Rancho Rajneesh, working 84-hour weeks punctuated by daily meditation sessions and the guru's "drive-by" in one of his 93 Rolls-Royces. All work stopped as sannyasins lined the dusty road, chanting, dancing and tossing flowers on the hood.

Rajneesh taught that meditation was the path to enlightenment. But the white-bearded guru blended Eastern mysticism with hedonism and Western materialism, calling himself the "world's greatest lover" and the "rich man's guru." He claimed a half-million followers around the world.

After the fall of Rajneeshpuram, the guru told his disciples to decentralize themselves, creating spiritually affiliated but autonomous groups, said Swami Prem Amrito, head of Osho International in London. Amrito was known as Swami Deveraj at the ranch, where he nearly died after being stabbed with a poison syringe.

A media distribution center is being set up in Scottsdale, Ariz., and the guru already is beamed via satellite to 94 countries and speaks via cable television in 400 U.S. cities.

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Reform politicians face trouble in Russia

NIZHNY NOVGOROD, Russia (AP) — Boris Nemtsov, the handsome young governor of Nizhny Novgorod province, strides through the car factory like a star.

Women blush and giggle when he stops to chat; burly welders grin when he shakes their hands.

The tall, charismatic Nemtsov is one of Russia's most successful politicians, renowned as a visionary leader who turned this graceful, old city on the banks of the Volga River into a showcase for market reform.

But reform has become something of a dirty word in Russia, where the chaotic lurch toward capitalism has impoverished millions. A week before parliamentary elections, free marketeers seem in deep trouble nationwide.

How deep? Take a look at Nemtsov's gubernatorial campaign. One of Russia's most famous reformers isn't even running as one.

"People expect something concrete," Mayor Ivan Sklarov said.

That's just what Nemtsov talks to voters about: Concrete, in the form of the bridges, schools, hospitals, houses and roads that he's built in this sprawling province of 3.7 million people east of Moscow.

The latest polls give Nemtsov an approval rating of 62 percent, something any Moscow reformer would envy. He is expected to win without a runoff.

The secret of his success is simple. He's seen as a tough, pragmatic, energetic leader who delivers old-fashioned good government. Nemtsov, 36, has a can-do image.

The national politicians don't. For many people, Moscow is the heart of darkness, the source of the corruption, confusion and poverty engulfing Russia.

Consider Grigory Yavlinsky, whose reformist Yabloko party was one of the top vote-getters in Nizhny Novgorod in the 1993 parliamentary election.

When he campaigned last week at a local semiconductor plant, it looked like a dream audience for a Moscow egghead — smart, serious, politically savvy professionals. Yavlinsky, a pal of Nemtsov's and a presidential hopeful, was witty. He was pithy. He brimmed with ideas.

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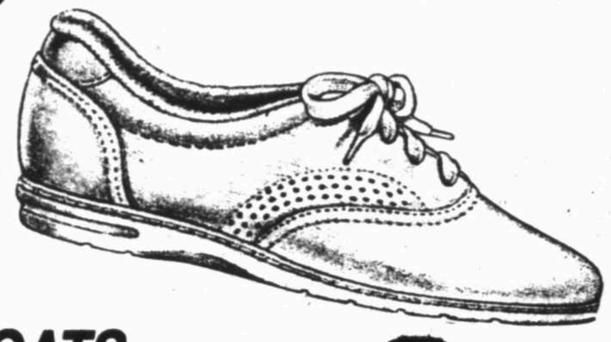

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Little thing in life

Americans are compensating for the pressures of life by rewarding themselves with small pleasures, finds a survey sponsored by Budget Rent a Car. Little things can mean splurging for an expensive dinner, upgrading a small hotel room to a suite or adding a day or two to a weekend trip. The survey, in which more than 1,000 adults were queried, found Americans leaning toward smaller vacations, such as minicruises or weekend getaways, rather than big vacations to Europe.

When Santa's a memory

If it's getting harder to buy gifts for your teen-agers, The BrainWaves Group, a consulting firm that studies marketing trends, has some ideas. BrainWaves says teen-agers want to be connected, so phone cards, portable phones and Internet access appeal to them. They love entertainment, so tickets to concerts or sporting events, TVs, CD players and gift certificates to music stores will be appreciated. If you want to buy your teen clothes, Levi's, Calvin Klein, Timberland and anything in leather will probably be a success.

One more time

The late John Cameron Swayze, famous with several generations of television viewers as a pitchman for Timex watches, is helping to plug the timepieces again. The 1996 Timex calendar, aimed at the watch industry, features Swayze on several pages. The calendar is a chronicle of Timex ad campaigns through the years, including its "takes a licking and keeps on ticking" and "set it and forget it" slogans Swayze popularized. The August ad shows Swayze and an elephant that stepped on a Timex and crushed it, leading to a new punch line: "Time to get a new Timex."

Open wider

First managed care changed employee medical coverage. Now dental coverage is undergoing a similar transformation, finds William M. Mercer Inc., a human resources and benefits consultant. Mercer surveyed 305 companies and found that of the 113 that sponsor dental plans, 39 percent are offering some kind of managed care, including dental HMOs and preferred provider organizations. The companies that have managed dental care say they're starting to see cost savings from the arrangement, Mercer said. But some are voicing some of the same concerns about managed dental care as they do medical care: quality of care and freedom of choice.

Holidays often mean even more work

Christmas season matches workers with more hours and bosses with more cash

Associated Press

FORT SMITH, Ark. — The holiday season means more than mistletoe and candy canes. For many people, the days from Thanksgiving until Jan. 1 are an opportunity to earn a little extra cash working through a temporary service.

Sandy Dixon, a manager at Prostaff, a national temporary staffing service with an office in Fort Smith, said the holiday season usually creates a need for additional workers.

"Some people like to take extra days off around the holidays," Dixon said. "In some areas like retail and delivery services, there is a need for more help because of increased activity during the holiday months."

Linda Pruitt, an office manager at Kelly Temporary Services, said people leaving for extra vacations in clerical and light industrial jobs create even more openings for workers looking to make a little extra money during the holiday season.

'In some areas like retail and delivery service, there is a need for more help because of increased activity during the holiday months.'
— Sandy Dixon, Manager, Prostaff Temporary Service

"Business doesn't necessarily increase during the holiday season across the board," Pruitt said. "There are specific customers who will have holiday needs."

She said some clerical and light industrial customers have peak needs from about the middle of November until the Jan. 1.

Dixon said that, once the new year rolls around, most jobs needed for the "Christmas rush" end.

"After the holidays," Dixon said, "most of the need for extra help will immediately drop off."

Louise Seghers, a spokesperson for the National Association of Temporary and Staffing Services, said temporary services are a practical way for employers to deal with higher holiday workloads.

"This industry is a logical and natural way for employers to meet increased demands during the holiday crunch," Seghers said. "And there are many people — homemakers, students — who want to earn extra money during the holiday season. Temporary services are a perfect solution for both."

She said her association didn't track trends that show specific increases from November until January, but she believed there was a increase in temporary employees during the holiday season.

"Employers are going to look for help in there peak times," she said. "Temporary services meet the demands of businesses."

The book on traveling

Corporate executive writes kids' book on parents who travel

By Rachel Beck
AP Business Writer

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. — Michael Lorelli recalls how he used to take time away from business trips to actually visit the cities where he was staying.

Eighty countries later the corporate executive is more interested in getting home to his wife and two daughters than seeing another tourist spot.

"It's hard to be working and traveling and to leave the family behind," said Lorelli, who currently serves as a division president of tampon maker Tambrands Inc. in White Plains, N.Y. "Now, I try to be productive AND efficient when I'm away. I want to get home."

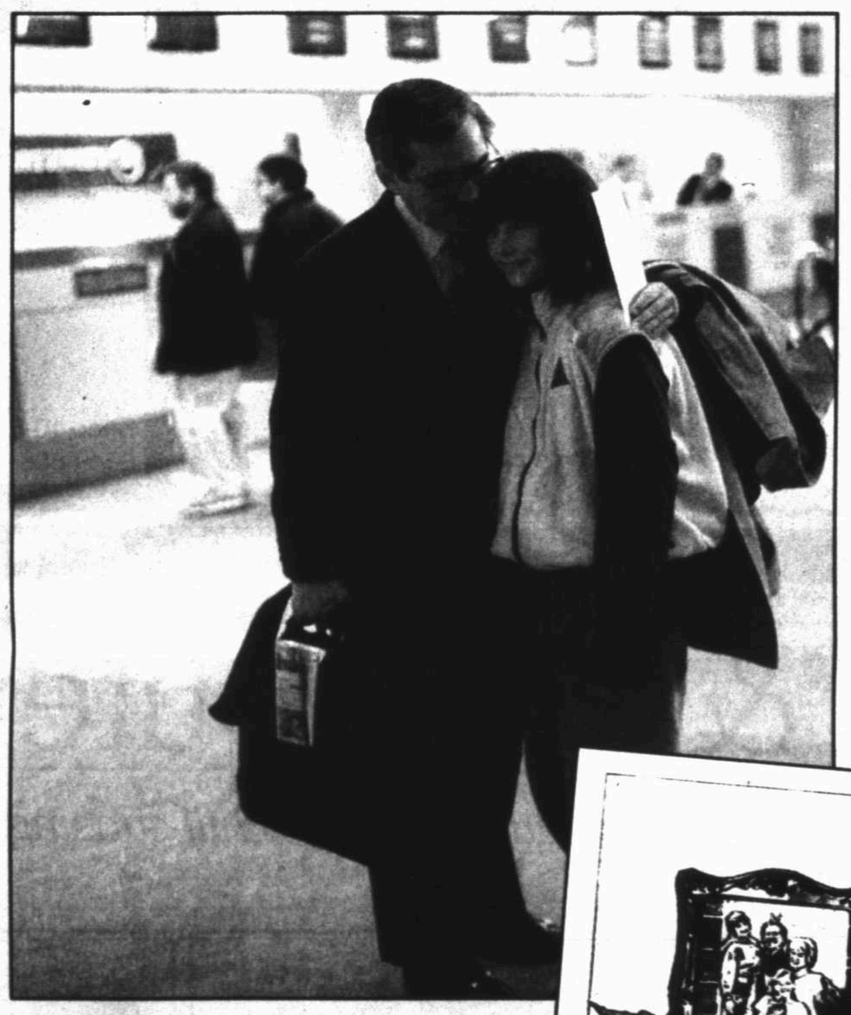
Lorelli, with 20-plus years in the corporate world, and his family have much experience at dealing with the stress and sadness caused by a parent's business trips. So he's written a children's book, "Traveling Again, Dad?", a somewhat autobiographical account of a traveling parent and the family left behind.

Told through the eyes of the pet hamster Awesome, the story tracks Dad's departure, from the final family dinner before the trip to his much-anticipated return.

"We're all a little sad, 'cause Dad needs to go away for a whole week," Awesome says in the story.

"Dad explained that being away from the family now and then was part of his job. Lots of moms and dads have to travel for work."

Illustrations done by Drew Struzan, the creator of E.T. for the Stephen Spielberg film, show Dad daydreaming about home while sitting through his meetings. His kids, meanwhile, anxiously wait for his return.



Michael Lorelli, division president with Tampbrands, has written, "Traveling Again, Dad" a kid's book that makes it easier for young people to deal with the absence of a parent for business reasons.

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And Struzan also included many details from real life, including "I Miss You" faxes and maps plotting his stops that Lorelli's daughters, Karen, now 15, and Elizabeth, now 13, made while he was traveling.

"Sometimes we'd play tic-tac-toe

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Netscape's rise is getting scary

By David Einstein
N.Y. Times News Service

Shares of Netscape Communications continue to rise like an Atlas rocket toward the stratosphere, tacking on 211/2 more points yesterday to close at 171. That's right, $171 per share.

The Mountain View maker of Internet software is becoming the Michael Jordan of the stock market, able to jump higher and score more than anyone else. And it's doing this in its rookie year (it went public in August).

What's really scary is that Netscape seems to be gaining momentum. Its stock price has nearly tripled in two months, rising 62 percent just in the past eight trading days. And yesterday it posted its best single-day gain to date.

"We're frozen, we're immobile, we're in shock," said one small investor who bought Netscape at 115 two weeks ago and already is in position to reap a handsome profit.

The question on everyone's mind is, how can a company with less than $21 million in quarterly sales, that barely makes a profit, command such a price for its stock. The answer: Nobody knows.

It's not just hype, that's for sure. Rabid interest in the Internet no doubt helped Netscape at first. On the first day of trading, its stock shot up as high as 75 before settling at 581/4 — more than double its offering price of 28.

But hype wears off.

Witness the case of Pixar, the special effects company in Richmond that produced the hit film "Toy Story." Pixar's stock surged 77 percent when it went public on November 29, closing its first day at 39. After two days, the hype ebbed, and the stock with it. Yesterday, Pixar dropped 53/4 to 281/2.

The best explanation for Netscape's phenomenal success may be that when people bet on it, they aren't just betting on a company. They're betting on the Internet itself. And many market-savvy observers believe it's difficult to over-hype the potential of the Internet.

"It's possible that the Internet in fact has been under-hyped," says John Doerr, a partner in the venture capital firm of Kleiner Perkins Caufield & Byers — one of the early investors in Netscape. "I think we're witnessing the creation of a brand new medium that will possibly be more important than network television."

There has been talk of Netscape becoming the next Microsoft, but the comparison is not apt. Microsoft dominates the personal computer industry in a way that no company, even Netscape, could do to the virtually untameable Internet.

It's more likely that investors believe the myriad alliances Netscape has struck with other technology companies will enable it to set the tone for developing business, banking and entertainment on the World Wide Web.

Funds open more routes to foreign markets

By Chet Currier
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — Undeterred by some harrowing adventures over the last couple of years, investment fund managers keep launching more and more vehicles to carry Americans' money to exotic foreign stock markets.

As a result, U.S. fund investors who are attracted to the so-called "emerging markets" of the world have an ever-wider choice — not only of where they want to go but of how they want to get there.

In the past few weeks, for example, Fidelity Investments, the giant of the fund business, rolled out six new country and regional funds focusing on areas ranging from northern Europe to Hong Kong and China.

The research firm of Lipper Analytical Services Inc. now tracks more than 90 closed-end foreign funds, most of which specialize in a particular country or region of the world.

For most types of stock and bond investments, American fund buyers have long demonstrated a lopsided preference for open-ended mutual funds over closed-end funds. Open-

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E-mail is useful, but not always private

By L.M. Sixel
Associated Press

HOUSTON — I used to think my colleagues were busy writing news stories when I'd see them huddled over their computer terminals. Since I discovered electronic mail, I'm not so naive.

You can send a message to a friend in Albania complaining about your sloppy husband or you can flash a message to a co-worker across the room suggesting a lunch date.

While it's fun and easy to trade quips on e-mail, the technological shorthand for electronic mail, it can land you in hot water. It's too easy for someone else to inadvertently read the messages.

"It's kind of human, but people sort of think of e-mail as their private diary," said Kay L. Burkhalter, an employment lawyer in Houston. They discuss everything from their love lives to what they really think of their bosses.

There have been cases when a disgruntled employee has found a salacious note on e-mail, dispensed it around the company, and suddenly "everyone knew who was sleeping with whom," Burkhalter said.

It doesn't even have to be titillating for intercepted e-mail to be embarrassing.

My sister got mad at me and told me so in an e-mail note from her office in Chicago. Well, that same day an artist at the Chronicle got a new e-mail address that was identical to mine, so all of a sudden my sister's e-mail notes went to the artist.

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FUNDS: Most investors pick their spots

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end funds' assets, at $2.7 trillion, are more than 20 times the $130 billion in the closed-end fund industry.

Open-ended mutuals can be bought and sold at any time directly through the sponsoring firm, which creates and retires shares as needed to keep up with demand. When you deal in no-load funds, you pay no commissions.

By contrast, closed-end funds have fixed amounts of stock that must normally be bought and sold in the open market through a commission broker.

The price you pay or receive for a no-load mutual fund is always identical to the fund's underlying net asset value, or NAV, per share. With a closed-end fund, the market price may fluctuate above (at a "premium") or below (at a "discount") the NAV.

But whatever mutuals' advantages, closed-end funds bear some extra consideration for investments in emerging overseas markets, says John Rekenthaler, publisher of the Morningstar Mutual Funds service.

Open-end funds can be faced at any time with inflows or outflows of money from the public, which may force them to put large amounts of new money to work or to come up with substantial sums of cash to meet redemptions.

Human nature being what it is, inflows may well peak at bull market highs, pressuring managers to buy securities at high prices. Outflows tend to pick up in weak markets, forcing sales of portfolio holdings at low prices.

"Closed-end funds do not face the cash-flow vagaries that bedevil open-end managers," Rekenthaler writes in a current Morningstar commentary. "That's an enormous benefit in emerging-markets investing, where trading costs are so high.

"Such funds may bide their time and nibble away on stocks that require months of patience. Should the fund be successful, a flood of new money won't shrink the importance of the fund's established holdings, forcing it to alter its tactics by buying blue chips.

"Conversely, a closed-end fund can ride out rough patches more easily, and is that much more likely to be fully invested when a new market rally begins.

"Closed-end funds' advantages shine particularly brightly in regional and country funds," Rekenthaler adds. "For funds with such narrowly defined investment universes, protection from investor impatience is crucial."

Most experienced investors in closed-end funds pick their spots, buying when funds sell at discounts, or at most small premiums, to their NAVs, and selling or staying away when funds sell at hefty premiums.

"There are times when closed-end funds just get too expensive," says Rekenthaler. "Now is not one of those times.

"Because emerging markets have been weak over the past two years, closed-end premiums have shrunk to historically low levels. In fact, the premiums are pretty much gone. Most regional funds now sell at massive discounts to their net asset values."

TRAVEL: Time scarce for many executives

(From 4A)

over the fax," Lorelli added. "And one time it took seven cities to finish the game."

Published by Awesome Books and on sale for $17.95, Lorelli sees the book as a useful tool to teach kids that traveling is hard on the entire family, including the member who's away from home. All the proceeds will go to a charity, which hasn't been selected yet.

"You're away for as many as three weeks at a time," Lorelli said. "Then you come back and you're a zombie because you're so exhausted. That's when traveling affects everybody."

Growing up in Bayside, N.Y., Lorelli learned from his father that two priorities in life are hard work and family time.

Lorelli emotionally recalls how his father, an insurance broker, rose before dawn to get to the day started and and sometimes worked through the evening, determined to build his business.

Yet the elder Lorelli also set aside time for his family, occasionally sneaking out of work at midday to pick up his son from school.

"My dad did something that I don't do," said Lorelli, whose father passed away 10 years ago. "He found a perfect balance between life and the kids, and I really struggle to give them equal time."

Time has been scarce for Lorelli since 1973, when he started working at big corporations after graduating from New York University's business school.

He landed his first job at the hair care products company Clairol, where he advanced to product manager within two years. His biggest achievement at Clairol came when he led a group that persuaded the Food and Drug Administration not to ban certain key ingredients in Clairol's hair dye products, which made up a majority of the company's profits.

His success on that project served as the launch pad of his career, and he eventually moved on to Playtex International and Apple Computer Inc. before heading to Pepsico Inc., where he spent nine years in the executive suite of the No. 2 soft drink maker.

"Pepsi is an interesting place," he reflected. "It's huge. It has a lot of resources and you can't be there for nine years without picking up some really sharp strategic skills and all the other business skills from a real blue-chip Fortune 500 company."

His first job at Pepsi was in the soda division, where he helped foment the soft drink revolution that swept the nation during the 1980s. Aggressive marketing promotions, including celebrity advertisements with stars like Michael Jackson, helped boost cola sales.

Lorelli later moved to Pepsi's Pizza Hut International unit, where he was responsible for its worldwide business. Again, smart, snazzy marketing and promotions helped broaden the pizza chain's global presence.

But his years at Pepsi also sent Lorelli circling the world. In 1993, he logged 300,000 air miles, sometimes spending more time flying than on the ground.

"Sometimes I'd leave on a Sunday night and was in London by morning," he said. "Then, I'd just keep moving east and east and east until I ended up in Australia."

So much of his time was spent on the Pizza Hut plane that Struzan used the aircraft as the cover illustration of the book.

By the end of 1994, Lorelli had weathered enough all-night flights and missed weekends at home and was ready for new challenges. He joined Tambrands with the goal of increasing the brand recognition of its sole Tampax label.

Tambrands had sales of $750 million last year, making it the largest manufacturer of tampons in the world. But some of its market share has slipped in recent years, with competition intensifying within the feminine hygiene market.

E-MAIL: Message systems are often misused

(From 4A)

far into the messages, the artist gives me a wink every time we run into each other and asks how my sister is doing. I made up with my sister, but the poisoned e-mail hangs around.

So, Rule No. 1: Never send messages through e-mail that you wouldn't want your mother to read or a competitor to discover.

"Nobody should ever think it's either private or won't be discovered later on," said Chapman Smith, an employment lawyer at Baker & Botts who represents employers in Houston.

"It's exactly like the note (you passed around) in grade school," Smith said. "If the teacher caught you, it's no longer a private matter. You're doomed."

Lots of folks think of e-mail as a casual conversation and use it to make offhanded comments. But despite the fact that you hit the delete button, many of the messages go into permanent storage.

Smith knows that too well. Some of his cases — which he won't discuss — have dredged up old e-mail messages.

Old e-mail messages have resurfaced as evidence in sexual harassment cases, Burkhalter said. A guy who sends what he thinks is a cute suggestion to a coworker about drinks after work since his wife is out of town could wind up trying to explain his request before a jury.

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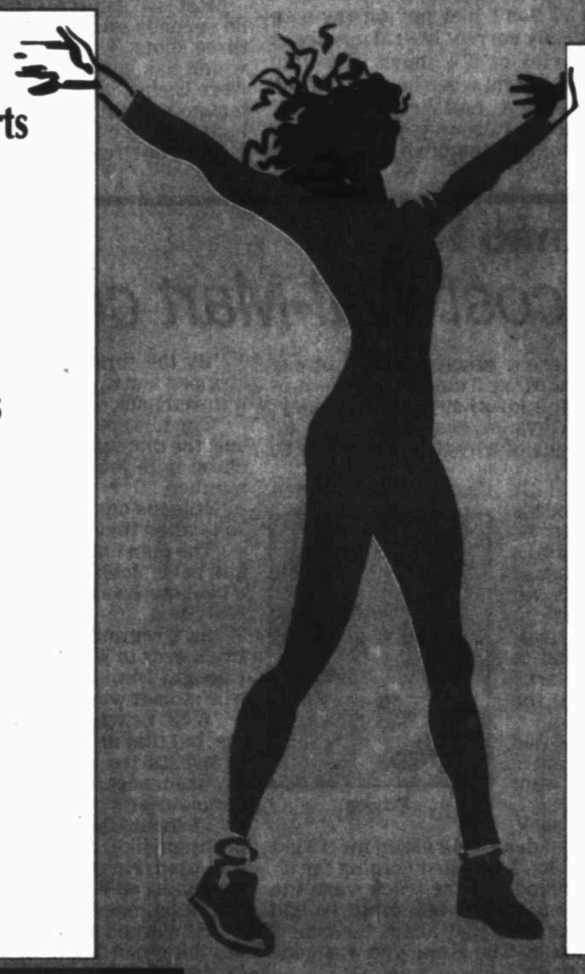
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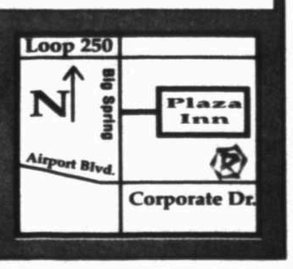

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Target gesture is well worth noting

It didn't take Target long to get into the swing of things, Midland-style.

Target, which is expected to open for business next March, has adopted a practice of building a Habitat for Humanity home in every city in which the corporation opens a store. Target has already started on its Habitat for Humanity home, which is expected to be complete by the time Target opens its doors.

The gesture by Target has already elicited good comments from Lana Hines, executive director of Habitat for Humanity in Midland. Ms. Hines called the four-bedroom home being built by Phillips Construction Co. "a simple, decent house. That's what Habitat builds."

Jack Taylor of Phillips Construction complimented Target saying, "It's a nice thing that Target does. They furnish a lot of money in the form of goods and services, construction materials and our expertise."

Taylor is correct and we share his sentiment about Target's corporate gesture. It is a nice thing that Target is doing — and it meshes well with the philosophy of numerous corporations in Midland. Here, corporations attempt to be good corporate citizens in order to blend with Midland's caring, compassionate populace that responds willingly to those residents who are in need.

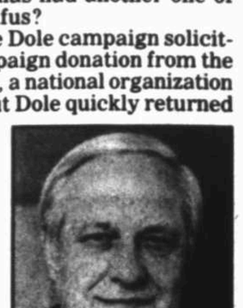
We are pleased to welcome Target into Midland's corporate community. Other companies might want to adopt similar practices.

JACK ANDERSON

Dole accepts plenty from banana interest

WASHINGTON — Could it be that Republican presidential candidate Robert Dole has had another one of those curious staff snafus?

Earlier this year, the Dole campaign solicited and received a campaign donation from the Log Cabin Republicans, a national organization of gay Republicans. But Dole quickly returned the money — though he's taken their checks in the past — claiming he wanted to avoid the "perception that we were buying into some special rights for any group ... with gays or anyone else."



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The gambit soon backfired, however, as Dole was accused of pandering to religious conservatives. He then announced he should have accepted the money and faulted his staffers for not consulting him originally.

Now comes the controversy surrounding multimillionaire financier Carl Linder, whose largess has been showered on Dole without any concern by the candidate about the perceptions of buying into a special interest. Thus the question becomes, who's money is more tainted?

At least the Log Cabin Republicans have never been targets of the Securities and Exchange Commission, fined for covering up worker safety violations or accused of trying to buy clout by giving lavishly to both political parties.

The Dole-Linder relationship is currently in the limelight because of Dole's efforts to aid Chiquita Brands International, which is controlled by Linder's American Financial Corp. Having given more than $1 million to Democrats and Republicans in recent years, Linder has found lawmakers on both sides of the aisle eager to help him open the European market to Chiquita bananas.

From Linder and his network of business associates, Dole received $47,000 for his 1988 presidential campaign, a $100,000 gift to his now closed foundation and $20,000 last year to his leadership PAC, Campaign America. On numerous occasions this year, Dole has flown on Linder's corporate jet — for which he makes a reimbursement.

Linder's style of giving — an art he refined with his former business partner, jailed S&L executive Charles Keating — is to skirt legal limits on individual contributions through a process called bundling. For example, the $47,000 for Dole in 1988 dribbled in from about 60 people, but it all arrived on Dec. 3, 1987.

The Dole campaign is indignant that anyone would make a connection between contributions and Dole's interest in an unfair trade case, even though most bananas are grown outside the United States. "Senator Dole has taken this position because it is right for America, and to suggest any other reason is absurd," read a statement issued by Dole's office recently.

That very suggestion, however, is made by a Linder lieutenant, who doesn't understand the fuss since Linder has very seldom called in his political chits for a favor. "I don't think Carl Linder has ever asked for anything in Washington," this official told us. "He needs help this year and everyone says look at all the money. That's what the Congress and the administration are there for."

Although he's now seeking government help to win the banana war, there was a time when Linder was at war with Washington. The SEC charged Linder in 1976 and 1979 with violating anti-fraud and anti-manipulation regulations. One of his subsidiaries was fined $690,000 for covering up serious worker injuries.

MUCK-RAKING — Tucked away in the 1,900 page budget reconciliation bill is an expenditure that Sen. Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., believes stinks to high heaven: The biggest beef is that producers in the United States would each be entitled to $55,000 for "manure management."

The money would be made available for those who have up to 10,000 beef cows or any big herd. On the other hand, smaller dairy farmers could not convert their cow chips to cash.

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ANOTHER VIEW

Congress should tighten many exploited tax laws

Once we heard a physician gloating about his good luck. He had been skiing at a luxurious, expensive, Rocky Mountain resort, when he noticed a medical seminar being held at the lodge.

"I registered for the seminar, and I got to write the ski trip off my taxes as a business expense," he beamed.

He was delighted — and we've been boiling ever since. This gimmick allowed him to avoid paying a significant amount of tax, which means that other taxpayers had to make up the lack.

Like many abuses, this one is rooted in a worthy idea. "Continuing education" is required for several professions — doctors, lawyers, accountants, stockbrokers, etc. — to keep practitioners trained in new developments.

But instead of attending low-cost classes near home, many professionals choose expensive seminars in faraway resorts, to enjoy taxpayer-subsidized holidays. ...

Often, the "professional instruction" at these seminars is shallow, merely an excuse to justify the tax write-off. Attendees play all day, then listen to a brief lecture while sipping cocktails, and charge it to taxpayers. ...

We hope members of Congress look into this affront, and help tighten the tax laws that are being exploited.

— The Charleston Gazette
Charleston, W.Va.

CHARLEY REESE

Reality is more pleasant than fantasy in films

Judging by the amount of ink and air devoted to entertainment, I suppose I ought to write about the subject now and then. Trouble is, I find little entertainment to my taste lately.

Except for "Last of the Mohicans," "Lonesome Dove," "Brave Heart" and "Rob Roy," film art is in the outhouse.

Reese

Most screenwriters seem to have a hot key on their word processors for the f-word. Most seem to think it is entertaining to watch thoroughly unpleasant and unworthy people contend with even more unpleasant and unworthy people for some banal prize not worth having.

These writers are so perverted that it can now be said that reality is far more pleasant, charming and entertaining than is fantasy.

Furthermore, I don't like paying my own money for politically correct liberal messages disguised as movies or TV shows. The late Louis B. Mayer was right when he said, "If you want to send a message, call Western Union."

Then there are the stereotypes. Blacks are either clowns, thugs or thuggish cops. Southerners are racist buffoons. Arabs are wild-eyed, incoherent terrorists. Indians, which used to be unrealistically depicted as howling savages, are now unrealistically depicted as noble philosophers. All businessmen are crude villains. Women are now martial artists and brilliant. Men are dumb and weak.

Don't forget the violence. The reality is that today the majority of police officers will still go from academy graduation to retirement without ever shooting anybody. Most will never even fire their guns except at the range. Yet in film and on the tube, more shots are fired and more people are killed on the average cop show than at the Battle of the Little Bighorn.

The make-believe gunfights are ridiculous, too. The reality is that criminals in America almost never used automatic weapons; in the movies, they all do. Still, they can't shoot. How many times have you seen characters blazing away at short distances with fully automatic weapons and not hit anybody? Often, when the automatic weapons are empty, the hero will draw his trusty pistol and, despite having missed with a submachine gun, will nail the bad guy with one, unaimed shot.

Most real gunfights start and stop within seven seconds and involve no more than one to three shots. The gunfight at the O.K. Corral, which has spawned more movies than there were Earps, lasted only 60 seconds. Most historians now think the only man who killed anybody was Doc Holliday.

Even our real crime, bad as it is, is exaggerated by the media and politicians. In 1992, 16, 218 people were murdered with firearms, but that same year, 19,500 died in home accidents and 40,000 died in motor vehicle accidents. That same year 22,000 died of AIDS; 720,000 died of heart disease; 521,000 died of cancer. Even pneumonia and flu killed 76,000 people — almost five times more people than were murdered by firearms.

In short, entertainment in America today, which bleeds over into so-called news and information, represents on the whole a gigantic distortion of reality presented in a gross, banal, tasteless hodgepodge of images and words, which will almost surely produce some form of mental illness in anyone who consumes too much of it.

Try this test. For just five days, turn off your radio and TV, stack your newspapers and magazines unread in the corner and go about your life. I guarantee that after being "media clean" for a day or two, you'll be astounded at how nice and normal the world suddenly seems to be.

Entertainment should engage the attention agreeably, amuse us, inform us of something useful or inspire us. To borrow a phrase from Hemingway and give it a twist, "What is entertaining is what you feel good after, and what is not entertaining is what you feel bad after."

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MIKE ROYKO

Tires cost Wal-Mart customer more than planned

One of the great success stories of our time is Wal-Mart. That homespun company really knows how to make money.

And Eric Matthys, a customer, says he recently got an idea of why they have done so well.

Matthys, 28, of St. Charles, Ill., needed some new tires for his pickup truck, so he went to Sam's Club, a Wal-Mart warehouse outlet that sells all sorts of basic stuff.

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"I bought the tires, then drove around to the service area where they put the tires on.

"They said it would be done in 45 minutes to an hour, so I went and did shopping.

"When I came back, the employee I had dealt with asked me if I got my truck. I said, no, I was just coming for it.

"We looked around and the truck wasn't to be seen. Then he said that an employee had been finishing his shift just about the time I brought the truck in. The employee was gone and so was my truck."

It didn't take the Naperville police long to clear up the mystery, since they weren't exactly dealing with Professor Moriarty.

The missing employee was traced and arrested by the next day. A South Side Chicagoan, he had apparently suffered an attack of twitching nerves, brought on by a need for a heroin fix.

So he took off in Matthys' truck to sell what he could sell. By the time they found him, he had sold the mirrors, Matthys' toolbox, the stereo, and just about anything that could be removed, including parts of the truck's innards.

"By the time we got it, it was pretty well stripped and it wasn't running; so I had to have it towed back to Naperville.

"Then I went to the store and talked to someone, the manager I think. He told me he put my claim in to the corporation and I got a claim number.

"It turns out that Wal-Mart is self-insured, so I called that office in Arkansas.

"The man I talked to there said that my truck had been stolen by an individual, so he couldn't believe I was trying to make a claim against Wal-Mart.

"So I reminded him that I had turned my truck over to Wal-Mart to get tires put on that I bought from Wal-Mart. And this individual who stole it was an employee of Wal-Mart.

"Well, he tried to scare me and manipulate me, but that didn't work, so he got real friendly and started giving me advice about calling my insurance company or whoever has my homeowner's policy.

"I told him that this was something other people might like to hear about, and that really got him mad. He told me that some TV show did something on Wal-Mart and Wal-Mart sued and is getting money from them.

"He warned me that I could be held liable for anything bad I said against Wal-Mart. I told him that I didn't see how I could be held liable for the truth.

"Then later I got a call from someone named Becky at that office who told me that the case was closed and that Wal-Mart isn't responsible for the actions of its employees.

"That's something. I left my truck with Sam's, which is part of Wal-Mart, to put on tires I bought from them.

"The next thing I know, my car is gone and it is stripped. Then I pay $220 to get the shell of the thing towed back.

"It was worth $8,000, and that doesn't include the CD player, CDs, tapes, my wife's leather coat, even the garage door opener. They stole mail. It's like someone took a vacuum cleaner to it.

"One of their employees is in jail for stealing my truck while it was in the care of Sam's Club. But they say they aren't responsible.

"I really don't understand this. I don't have the financial resources to take on Wal-Mart. But they don't give me any choice. That was a good truck or he wouldn't have stolen it. I'm a software salesman and I need a vehicle in my work. I have to sue them. But is all this necessary?"

I can see Matthy's point. He has suddenly lost the use of a trusty vehicle that he had kept in fine shape and hoped to use for a few more years.

So he thinks Wal-Mart should — as the lawyers would put it — make him whole. In other words, get him a vehicle as good as the one he left in their care, only to have it stolen by a dope head Wal-Mart employee.

But he should consider the Wal-Mart position. Old Sam Walton, who started the retailing giant, left several relatives who are now billionaires. A billion bucks, in case you are weak in math, is one thousand million.

If you are one of Sam's lucky relatives, you could invest your billion in tax-free bonds at a modest 6 percent.

That would give you a yearly income of about $6 million a year or $116,000 a week. Or $16,000 a day.

So while going to the bathroom at 3 a.m. one of Sam Walton's kin would earn enough to buy Eric a good used truck.

Sure. But then he might ask for the price of his wife's stolen coat. Or even his CD discs or the leather jacket.

People can be so greedy.

God bless Wal-Mart.

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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Dec. 11, the 345th day of 1995. There are 20 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Dec. 11, 1936, Britain's King Edward VIII abdicated the throne in order to marry American divorcee Wallis Warfield Simpson.

On this date:

In 1719, the first recorded sighting of the Aurora Borealis took place in New England.

In 1792, France's King Louis XVI went before the Convention to face charges of treason. (Louis was convicted, and executed the following month.)

In 1816, Indiana became the 19th state.

In 1872, America's first black governor took office as Pinckney Benton Stewart Pinchback became acting governor of Louisiana.

In 1928, police in Buenos Aires thwarted an attempt on the life of President-elect Herbert Hoover.

In 1937, Italy withdrew from the League of Nations.

In 1941, Germany and Italy declared war on the United States; the U-S responded in kind.

In 1946, the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) was established.

In 1961, a U.S. aircraft carrier carrying Army helicopters arrived in Saigon the first direct American military support for South Vietnam's battle against Communist guerrillas.

In 1981, the U.N. Security Council chose Javier Perez de Cuellar of Peru to be the fifth secretary-general of the world body.

Ten years ago: The U.S. House of Representatives joined the Senate in giving final congressional approval to the Gramm-Rudman deficit-reduction law.

Five years ago: Hundreds of foreigners flew out of Iraq and Iraqi-occupied Kuwait, ending four months of captivity following Iraq's invasion of its oil-rich neighbor. Ivana Trump was divorced from real estate mogul Donald Trump after 12 years of marriage.

One year ago: Thousands of Russian troops backed by armored columns and jets rolled into breakaway republic of Chechnya in a bid to restore Moscow's control over the region. Leaders of 34 Western Hemisphere nations signed a free-trade declaration in Miami.

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Lobbyists turn to use of television commercials as prods for lawmakers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The TV commercial showed a husband and wife, deeply worried about nursing home costs for an elderly mother, and lamenting Republicans' proposed changes in Medicare.

It ran in Peoria and Springfield, Ill., last September with Rep. Ray LaHood's office phone number plastered along the bottom. And the phone calls came flooding in.

"It was very effective," said LaHood, a Republican first-termer who supported the Medicare changes and finds himself now fighting for senior citizens' support. "It generated a lot of phone calls. And it made me furious."

In the past few years, Washington lobbyists have increasingly used such ads to target viewers in specific parts of the country, prodding them to call a lawmaker who seems on the fence on an issue, and vulnerable to constituents' calls.

More was spent on such grassroots lobbying for last year's health-care debate than for the 1992 presidential campaign itself, by one estimate. But little of the spending is publicly disclosed. And the new lobbying measures approved by Congress this year would not change that.

"It's like the Brave New World of lobbying Congress," said Josh Goldstein, director of the watchdog group Center for Responsive Politics, which tracks campaign spending. "No one knows for sure how much anyone's spending."

Many lobbyists say efforts to appeal to Americans at the grassroots level to call Congress is how democracy is supposed to work. But often, for the casual TV viewer, just figuring out who's behind such commercials can be tricky.

From offices in downtown Washington, labor unions led by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees paired with senior citizens groups to form a group called the Coalition to Save America's Families.

They spent $2 million for ads that targeted LaHood and about 20 other members of Congress. The public employees' union paid $1 million of that and other unions added most of the rest. The National Council of Senior Citizens chipped in $5,000.

"It's the people with deep pockets who do the paying," said Patrick Burns, spokesman for the senior citizens' group. "We simply don't have the budget."

On the other side, a group called the Seniors Coalition spent $2 million on TV ads supporting the Republican Medicare changes, running them in 19 cities.

The coalition, with ties to conservative fund-raiser Richard Viguerie, also did newspaper ads with a group called the Coalition to Save Medicare. Among its members are some business groups who two decades ago opposed the creation of Medicare.

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DEAR ABBY

Federal Trade Commission to help people fight abusive telemarketers

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: A widow signed "Cautious in Fairfax, Va." complained about a telephone solicitor who pestered her. The caller refused to identify himself and insisted on speaking with her husband, who had been dead for 12 years.

Van Buren

Well, Abby, she's not the only person who's sick and tired of telephone solicitors. Fraudulent and abusive telemarketers harass people, cost consumers nearly $40 billion a year, and give a black eye to an otherwise useful and legitimate industry.

The Federal Trade Commission has a new rule to help people fight back: Our rule prohibits telemarketers from calling before 8 a.m. or after 9 p.m. It also prohibits telemarketers from calling back after you've told them not to and outlaws other deceptive and abusive practices. This rule takes effect Dec. 31, 1995.

Consumers can fight back by letting us know when they encounter a scam. Abby, please encourage your readers to call the National Fraud Information Center at 1-800-876-7060 if they have been victimized. They can also write the Federal Trade Commission, Room 1105, Washington, D.C. 20580 to report a swindle or obtain information about our new telemarketing rule. — JODIE BERNSTEIN, DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF CONSUMER PROTECTION, F.T.C.

DEAR JODIE: Thank you for an informative message. Many readers — the elderly, the infirm and those who work at home — will find this information useful.

The National Fraud Information Center shares the tip it receives with state law enforcement officials as well as the Federal Trade Commission to ensure consumer protection. The hotline number is a giant step in the right direction.

DEAR ABBY: I had to respond to "Divorce-Free in California." I, too, had a long list of requirements for a spouse. I'm a Stanford graduate, so she had to be a college graduate, too; no kids, into outdoor sports, and the same religion (Jewish). But as my grandmother used to say, "Man plans, and God laughs."

Then I met Bonnie — a high school graduate, divorced with two kids, and a Mormon to boot. After our first (and only) camping trip, I asked her how I could make the outdoors more enjoyable for her, and she replied, "Buy a Winnebago."

However, despite all our differences, we fell in love, and we've been together for nine years.

She and "our" daughters are the joy of my life. My belief in God starts on the premise that he let me find this amazingly special woman.

"Divorce-Free in California" needs to lighten up. She's looking for a "custom-fit" in an "off-the-rack" world. — DIVORCE-FREE LAWYER IN MONTANA

DEAR ABBY: When we entertain at home and a guest brings a bottle of wine as a gift, my husband thanks the guest, puts the wine in our wine closet and serves our own wine at dinner.

He believes the selection of the wine is part of the dinner preparation. I feel the courteous thing to do would be to serve the guest's wine with our dinner.

What do you think? — PUZZLED IN ASHEVILLE

DEAR PUZZLED: Your husband is correct. The host is not obligated to serve the wine brought by a guest. It's perfectly proper to put it away to serve at some future occasion.

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Thousands gather to honor Rabin's memory at New York service

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — Nearly 15,000 people crowded into Madison Square Garden Sunday to honor the memory of Yitzhak Rabin, braving a long, bone-chilling wait outside to accord the slain Israeli prime Minister and his quest for peace the kind of unanimous mass tribute from American Jewry he never enjoyed while alive.

So many Jews streamed in from Long Island and New Jersey, from Brooklyn and Manhattan, that several thousand were turned away at the arena's doors and missed sorrowful speeches by Prime Minister Shimon Peres of Israel, Vice President Al Gore and the widowed Leah Rabin.

"We Jews — there are so few of us, we should stick together," Mrs. Rabin, worn and grim, pleaded in the kind of appeal for tolerance that she has repeated since her husband's death.

"The state of Israel is crying, the world is crying. But friends, beyond all the tears I see that in his death, he bequested us peace, he bequested us unity, he bequested us Jewish solidarity."

In an eerie echo of the Tel Aviv peace rally at which Rabin was assassinated by a right-wing Jew on Nov. 4, organizers said the tribute was meant to focus the spotlight on those who support the government of Israel and plans for peace, but whose quiet-voiced views often attract little attention.

It was also meant to help heal a schism within American Jewry that mirrors the split in Israeli society: a tendency for more secular-oriented Jews to support the Labor government's peace process and for their more observant brethren to oppose it.

So volatile is talk of the peace plan that the rally's organizers, seeking to attract more Orthodox Jews, deliberately left any mention of the "peace process" out of their announcements because some saw it as code for the Rabin-Peres plan.

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HUMOR ON THE SIDE

Dave's Top 10

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9. Three years ago, gave bad advice to someone called "Miserable at NBC"
8. Told "Scot-Free in Brentwood" to "play a lot of golf while pretending to look for the real killers"
7. Advised the Menendez Brothers to "confront" their parents
6. Eating huge plate of buffalo wings before bed
5. Advised "Stuck with a snoring husband" to "suffocate the jerk."
4. Referred "Depressed in Detroit" to Dr. Kevorkian
3. Told "Chubby in Washington" to chase those blues away by sending troops to Bosnia
2. Misspelled the word Polack
1. The big Playboy pictorial.

Late Night Lines

"Here's some good news out of Washington, D.C. The post office says it is ready for the big holiday Christmas crush of mail. They have already placed an order for 10 million new signs that will read: 'This Window Closed.'"

"Yesterday, at the press conference, Westinghouse CEO Michael Jordan, referred to me as 'a major asset.' Although, he didn't hit the 'et' part of the word as hard as I would like."

"Yesterday, President Clinton signed legislation to repeal the nation's 55 mph speed limit. I think it's nice that during this hectic year, he would take time out to personally suck up to me."

"Yesterday, the house unanimously passed the lobby reform bill. And it's really tough. From now on, all members of the Congress and all members of the Senate, need to have two separate forms of photo ID to cash a bribe check."

"According to a British genealogist, President Clinton is a distant cousin of the British Royal Family. They think now that he's a direct descendant of King Arthur's favorite knight — Sir Lunchalot."

"The president did say he guaranteed that the troops going to Bosnia would be out in a year. And I'm thinking, what a coincidence. If this doesn't work, so will he."

"Newt Gingrich called a press conference to announce he's not running for president in 1996 — which is a little like me calling a press conference to announce I'm not hosting next year's Academy Awards."

— Letterman

"Over the weekend, Michael Jackson won best male artist in the MTV European Music Awards. Apparently, Europe's definition of male is much more lenient than ours."

"They're coming out with a new version of Hollywood Squares and Roseanne has agreed to sit in the center square. They're calling the show The New Improved Structurally Fortified Hollywood Squares."

Last night in a pub in Ireland, President Clinton had a beer with over a hundred of his distant relatives. Of course, when you're buying drinks in Ireland everyone claims to be your distant relative.

— Conan O'Brien

Country Titles

The Best of the Worst Country-Song Titles, as found by Peter Trigg, of the N.Y. Times News Service:

'I'm Just a Bug on the Windshield of Life'
'I'd Rather Have a Bottle in Front of Me than a Frontal Lobotomy'
'I Keep Forgettin' I Forgot About You'
'I Don't Know Whether to Kill Myself or go Bowling'
'My John Deere Was Breaking Your Field, While Your Dear John was Breakin' My Heart'
'You're the Reason Our Kids Are So Ugly'
'They May Put Me in Prison, but They Can't Keep My Face From Breakin' Out'
'If You Leave Me, Can I Come Too?'
'If the Phone Don't Ring, Baby, You'll Know It's Me'
'Mama Get the Hammer (There's a Fly on Papa's Head)'

MONDAY MORNING EDITOR
JIMMY PATTERSON

Helping Hands

Brian Babb

Babb

Occupation: Engineer, Chevron USA.

Age: 33

Family: Wife: Laura; Children: Andrew, Peter, Leah, Philip, Hannah, Rebekah.

Education: B.S., Peroleum Engineering, Texas A&M.

Volunteer Work: "I helped work in the 1995 United Way campaign giving presentations in various businesses around town. I also enjoy working as a volunteer helping repair houses with Christmas in April. I currently teach a children's Sunday School class and serve on the building committee at Community Bible Church."

The Most Satisfying Aspect of Volunteer Work Is: "I get tremendous satisfaction through helping meet the needs of others. I see this as a natural response to fulfilling the second great commandment: 'You Shall Love Your Neighbor as Yourself.' "

Hobbies, Etc: Slot car racing, camping, reading, sports.

Suggestions for "Helping Hands" subjects can be mailed to "Monday Morning, News Department, The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, 79702, or faxed to 682-3793. Please include what qualifications and attributes your volunteer candidate has, along with that person's daytime and evening phone numbers.

Retired 'Dancing Cop' called back to service during Christmas season

Associated Press

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — He wiggled at one car, prayed before a stalled sports car, and synchronized his white-gloved hand motions with spins, leaps and hops.

Tony Lepore doesn't just direct traffic. He stops it.

Pedestrians chuckled recently as Lepore, the Dancing Cop, whirled and barked instructions at one of the city's busiest corners.

Lepore, 48, who retired several years ago after nearly 20 years on the force, was pressed back into service to help entertain holiday shoppers and brighten the mood of downtown workers. He gets $1,000 for his two-week holiday stint.

Pedestrians greeted him with "Welcome back," and one driver yelled out, "You're looking good!" punctuated his pirouettes with frequent blasts on his whistle and peppered pedestrians with one-liners.

When it was time to let walkers walk, he blew his whistle and yelled "Everybody out of the pool!"

AP Laserphoto

Tony Lepore, the Dancing Cop, un-retires to help entertain Providence, R.I., motorists during the holidays.

To a teen-ager who jumped out of a station wagon in the middle of the intersection, he said, "What's this, valet parking?"

"I think I really want to be a performer. I was one hell of a cop," Lepore said.

Part-time Santa, full-time memories

When Bill Wolf was laid off, he turned his attention to making kids happy

Photo by Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Santa Claus (Bill Wolf), in top photo with 2-year-old John Bartholomee, and at right with 5-year-old Daniel McGraw.

By Jimmy Patterson
Staff writer

Three months ago, Bill Wolf was laid off by a company he had spent the last 20 years helping to build. One day he was gainfully employed; the next, involuntarily retired.

What does a career oil man do when he suddenly loses a job and finds himself face to face with an unwanted early retirement? He pounds the pavement looking for another job. He searches high and low for some other task he can perform with the same total dedication which he gave his former employers.

He becomes a wildly popular mall Santa.

"I called the mall," Wolf said, "and asked them if they had a Santa for this Christmas season. They told me they would be interviewing the next day. So I applied and got a job as a part-time Santa."

Now, instead of spending his entire day talking about rig completions and horizontal drillings and the posted prices, Bill Wolf spends half his day talking about Stand-up Barbies and Power Rangers — the two most asked-for

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CHRISTMAS ANGELS

Woman gives unselfishly all year, friend says

I wanted to let you know that I believe Mrs. Becky Ann Guzman would be a perfect person for your paper for write-up as a special Christmas Angel.

Becky is a 27 year old, wife, mother of two and full-time job holder. She has been married for 10 years, her oldest daughter is 7 1/2, the youngest daughter is 3 1/2. Besides the full-time job she has at Permian Telco Federal Credit Union she does all scheduling, invoices, taxes, payroll for All-Seasons Carpet Cleaning which her husband owns. She is a member of the Anson Jones PTA, a volunteer in the school office and classrooms whenever she is needed. Becky participates in all things to do with her daugh-

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Thank You Note ...

In 1956, my husband, Bill, our two children and I moved to Midland. We joined St. Mark's United Methodist Church on our first Sunday in town. We've always loved the church and the friends we've made there, but the past two years have made me very thankful to be a part of such a caring Christian group. A progressive chronic illness forced my husband to leave his geology practice and made it impossible for him to attend church. Like caregivers all over, my life has been restricted by demands of keeping him at home. I especially missed going to Sunday school and church. Then, seven men in our church came up with a plan to help. Now, they alternate volunteering a Sunday morning each to stay at our house so that I may go to Sunday school and church.

It means so much to me to get to go, and Bill enjoys seeing old friends without having to leave home. I wish to publicly thank Jack Darden, Stanley Rever, David Williams, Bill Pendelton, Dick Rousselot, Charles Byrd and Wendell Smith for this wonderful service. Every caregiver should be so lucky.

— Peggy Thorsen

JIMMY PATTERSON

No ho, ho, ho in preparing tree for home

I'll just say it right up front and get it over with: Putting up a Christmas tree ain't all it's cracked up to be. Sure that's a Scroogey attitude, but permit me to clarify...

Patterson

The ornament, tinsel and garland hanging part is all well and fine, and can give even hardened cynics a warm and fuzzy feeling. Watching the tree's lights dance in the eyes of your children as they hang homemade decorations ... that's the stuff video cameras were made for (if yours happens to be working).

But the parts leading up to the actual decorating of the tree ... that's what makes Christmas tree installation a pain in the pine cone.

Purchasing the tree is easy. But the time sandwiched between purchase and garland hanging is where all the hard, frustrating work comes in.

Getting the tree to stay in the trunk on the ride home is often difficult. Especially if you have a small car.

Another concern is that someone may rear-end you and squash the top of your tree (or here in Midland it's always possible that someone will plow through a red light and lop the top of your tree off as it dangles out your trunk.)

If the tree does happen to make it safely home, it will be time to saw off the bottom so it can more easily replenish its water supply, or so I'm told.

I've never really understood the reasoning behind this. Didn't the Christmas Tree police saw the bottom of the tree off when they cut it down? If so, why exactly must it be done all over again? This takes an enormous amount of physical exertion, which takes away from the actual fun of decorating. Double the physical exertion when, if you're like me, the sharpest tool you have for cutting in the house is a steak knife.

When you finally do finish cutting through the bottom of the tree, it's time for the single most difficult portion of the process: Making the tree actually stand on its own. This has always been a problem at our house. On more than one occasion over the years, I have put our tree in the stand, placed it in the corner, turned around and, while walking off, been blindsided by a falling tree, and those needles *do* hurt when they steamroll into your back. A falling tree has become such a tradition in our house that the kids don't even consider it the Christmas season until the family can sit around the tree and yell "Timber."

This year, with a small child who's into hitting things and a cat that's just plain psycho, we decided to be safe and just prop the darn thing up against the wall. If it falls this year, it can only go down to the right or left, and not in just any random direction.

After the tree was successfully poised and roped to the ceiling for insurance reasons (this is actually written into our homeowner's policy), it's time to string the lights, another fun job (!)

In our house, this is the wife's job. For some odd reason, she enjoys wrapping white lights around the trunk of the tree from top to bottom, which takes about a week. But it's her baby, so more power to her. I stuck my hand up a turkey a couple of weeks ago, which fills my quota for the year for putting my hands where they ought not be.

Jimmy Patterson is a staff writer for the Reporter-Telegram

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DAVE BARRY

Clinton's foreign policy consists of giving big ol' hugs

Well, you young people have gone and done it again.

I'm talking about the recent study showing that high-school students, to quote The Associated Press, "do not know basic facts about American history."

Barry

I hate to be a nag, but this is something like the 46,000th consecutive study showing that you young people are not cutting the academic mustard. Do you know how that makes us older people feel? It makes us feel GREAT. We go around saying to ourselves: "We may be fat and slow and achy and unhip and have hair sprouting from our noses like June asparagus, but at least we know the basic facts about American history."

According to The Associated Press, "more than half of America's high-school seniors do not know the intent of the Monroe Doctrine or the chief goal of United States foreign policy after World War II."

Is that shocking, or what? Of course, to be fair, we have to admit that, for most of the past 50 years, almost NOBODY knew what our foreign policy was. It was a secret. For a while there, in the early 1970s, the only person who knew anything about our foreign policy was Henry Kissinger, who kept it hidden in a secret compartment in his underwear, refusing even to show it to President Nixon, although he did occasionally bring it out to impress actresses he was dating.

In fact, we now know, thanks to recent news reports, that NONE of our postwar presidents really knew what our foreign policy was, because the Central Intelligence Agency (motto: "Proudly Overthrowing Fidel Castro Since 1962") was passing along false information about the Russians. (There is an excellent reason why the CIA did this, but if I told you what it is, I would have to kill you.)

Basically, the CIA led the presidents to believe that the Russians were this well-disciplined, super-advanced military power with all kinds of high-tech atomic laser death rays; whereas in fact the Russians, if they had actually fought us, would have had to rely primarily on the tactic of throwing turnips. So we spent billions of dollars on items such as the Stealth Bomber, which by the way we are still building, in case we ever need to sneak an airplane over there to drop bombs on, say, a Burger King.

But my point is that most of us had no idea what the U.S. foreign policy was until the election of Bill Clinton, who, to his credit, has established a clear and consistent foreign policy, which is as follows: Whenever the president of the United States gets anywhere near any foreign head of state, living or dead, he gives that leader a big old hug. This has proven to be an effective way to get foreign leaders to do what we want: Many heads of state are willing to sign any random document that President Clinton thrusts in front of them, without reading it, just so he will stop embracing them. This is how the prime minister of Sweden, in a recent visit to the White House, wound up purchasing nearly $4,000 worth of Amway products.

But getting back to the issue at hand, which is the intent of the Monroe Doctrine: I am shocked that more than half of today's high-school seniors do not know what it is. This kind of ignorance was NOT tolerated when I was a student at Pleasantville (N.Y.) High School, where I studied history under a teacher named — I am not making this up — Oscar Fossum. No sir, we LEARNED our history back then, and we learned it the hard way: By being subjected to surprise quizzes in which we had to write 200-word essay-style answers to questions on topics we knew virtually nothing about, such as:

THE INTENT OF THE MONROE DOCTRINE

"The Monroe Doctrine is, without a doubt, one of the most important and famous historical doctrines ever to be set forth in doctrine form. And yet, by the same token, we must ask ourselves: Why? What is the quality that sets this particular doctrine — the Monroe Doctrine — apart from all the others when we, as a society and yet by the same token also as a nation, finally reach 200 words."

See what I mean, young people? Thanks to my solid academic training, today I can write hundreds of words on virtually any topic without possessing a shred of information, which is how I got a good job in journalism. So I urge you to work hard in school and learn your history, because — who knows? — one of you could be the next Abraham Lincoln, inventor of the steam engine.

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ANGELS

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ter's Brownie troop, and class room. She donates clothes and miscellaneous items to the Battered Women's Shelter and the Salvation Army. Even with her busy work schedule she has time to pick-up, babysit or help her neighbors with their children whenever asked. She helps with neighborhood yard sales, and to raise money for school or Brownie events. As an example of her unselfishness, she was asked to fill in at the last minute to ride the Brownie float in Saturday's parade to help with the girls and to pass out candy. She did this with no complaints. Becky's family, friends, co-workers and neighbors know that she is always ready and willing to help with anything be it time, chores or just an ear to listen. She also helps to clothe a 3 year old child from a needy family every summer and winter without paying any recognition and has done this for the past 3 years. Becky has a heart of gold and believes that a person should give of her or himself all year long and not just holidays. She has the true heart and spirit of a Christmas Angel. Nearly every weekend is spent with her taking 7-10 children including her own to the movies, pizza parlor, skating, park and still has time to plan one day a week out with her own children individually every week. Becky is loved and held up to others by all who know her. She really is a Christmas Angel. I and other's feel she should be recognized.

— Deborah Pool

I would like for you to feature Pattie Dyson. Pattie is kind and good to everybody, everyday. She's very special to so many people, my husband and I are on a fixed income, so she's always there for us in many ways. She lost her dearly beloved husband to cancer but she never quit being the loving caring person everyone knows her for. If she's not an angel then I don't know one. She has since met a very nice caring man to share her loving, caring goodness.

— Zora Henson

You're never too old to learn

By David Grimes
N.Y. Times News Service

■ Humor

Our son has been assigned to do a report on ancient Egypt, so naturally my wife and I have been working late into the night in order to get a good grade.

My wife thinks that she can get an "A," due to the fact that she is handy with scissors and paste, while I would be content with a "B," unless the teacher is one of those fussy types who insist that assignments be turned in on time, in which case I'd settle for a "C" or even a "D-plus."

We are operating under a bit of a handicap in the sense that neither of us is exactly sure what the project is, how it is to be done or when it is due. All of this information was sent home from school some time ago, but we suspect it disappeared, like so much information before it, into a space-time continuum and is now being puzzled over by parents on the planet Zork who could have sworn that their son was supposed to do a report on why Zorkosaurusus became extinct.

The United States did not have to spend hundreds of millions of dollars on the Hubble Space Telescope in order to learn more about black holes; all we had to do was assign a team of scientists to follow a typical 9-year-old boy home from elementary school and observe what happens to his homework.

Parent: "How come I'm just finding out the night before that I'm supposed to make a 30-gallon drum of paella for the school's Diversity Festival?"

Child: "The note was in my backpack. I swear I don't know what happened to it."

Meanwhile, on the planet Zork, a frazzled mom is hauling a steaming tub of rice, sausage and shellfish to her son's elementary school, only to learn that today is not Diversity Day, but Field Trip day, and she is supposed to be a chaperone.

Clearly, these black holes are all around us, but nobody has found a way to put them to good use. We could, for example, make the next year much more bearable by sending all of the presidential candidates through a black hole, let them sort it out in another dimension (preferably one without sight or sound) and let the two nominees return in time for the general election. Or not, depending on how we feel.

In any event, we eventually divined, mostly through telepathy, that ancient Egypt is the subject of our son's project. This would certainly qualify under Rule 1 of student projects, which states that "no project shall be assigned in which the research can be accomplished by simply standing up and walking to the bookcase."

The only book we own that pertains, in even the remotest way, to ancient Egyptian civilization is "Ancient Evenings" by Norman Mailer, a 688-page literary fruitcake so dense that some critics wondered if even Mailer managed to read it all the way through.

The situation became so desperate that we actually checked the educational TV listings. If there is anything educational TV does well, it is long-winded series about civilizations that no longer exist. For example, there was a thing on Genghis Khan that I swear was on every night for a year. Unfortunately, we checked the listings the day after PBS had finished airing a 24-part, award-winning series on King Tut's tomb. I did, however, pick up some very good tips on how to stain an Adirondack chair.

Eventually, we had no choice but to join the long line of clueless, sunken-eyed parents seeking to unlock the secrets of the Nile through the magic of expired library cards and the beneficence of neighbors who are conversant in the language of CD-ROM.

If I find some nice poster board, I think we can scrape out a "B-plus."

SANTA: Red suit transforms even grouches

(From 1B)

items for kids this Christmas season, according to the authority himself.

"Yesterday," one kid ordered a screwdriver," Wolf recalled. "This kid's daddy turned out to be a mechanic, and he was trying to emulate his daddy.

"Another kid asked for a horse for his dad because it would make daddy happy."

Far and away the most unique request by a Midland child this season was made by a 6-year-old named Josh, who wanted a Nativity set for Christmas. That's all Josh asked for, Wolf said. Santa told Josh he loved him and the two went their separate ways, each making a memorable impact on the other.

"We're not allowed to discuss religion, but if the hids bring it up, you acknowledge what they feel but you don't dwell on it."

Wolf said helping to ensure entire families have a memorable visit with Santa is perhaps the aspect of his job he considers most enjoyable.

"I had a great experience with a family yesterday," Wolf recalled. "I really surprised this dad. I had found out from one of his kids what his name was and I went up to the dad and said, 'Allen, why haven't you come to see me in so many years?' Later, he said to me, 'Santa, I don't know who you are but you really made a difference in our lives. That gives me a feeling of euphoria, to know I had helped a family experience a closeness."

Being a mall Santa is not all fun and games, Wolf said. It can also be mentally draining at times, particularly during visits from children who come from broken homes.

"Some of these kids' folks have split up and some want their dad or mom to come home. You can't dwell on that, or pry into their personal lives. But you have to kind of touch base with them and say that everything's gonna work out fine," Wolf said.

"As Santa, you're the know-all. You're the answer. You have to have the answer to their question and it has to be to the realm of their understanding. And you can't denounce one parent or another if they come from a broken home.

"Sometimes you can feel the vibration in these children. Some of these kids love to be hugged, and I think some of these kids aren't being hugged enough. You have to be very gentle."

Wolf said as Santa, it is essential to remember, "Little girls particularly want to know they're beautiful. They just beam at that. Little boys ... they need to know they're little boys. They like to hear, 'How'd you get to be so strong? You must work hard like your father?' "

Universal Santa Rule No. 1: Never promise anything to children. "You can't always deliver, so you can't promise," Wolf said. "Once in a while you 'll get a litlle nod from the parents; then and only then — when the parents shake their heads yes — can you tell them they'll for sure be getting something," Wolf said.

Donning the red suit, Wolf said, transforms everyone he comes in contact with, including himself.

"It's been a humbling experience for me, because so many people have said, 'You're the real Santa.' Sometimes, it makes me feel like the real Santa Claus. It makes me swell with pride that the people who walk away satisfied are the parents. That just blows my mind."

It's not just kids and parents who are taken with this particular Santa and his charming personality.

"A lot of elderly people walk the mall, and I particularly like to get to know the older people," the 65-year-old Wolf said. "They'll take my hand and say, 'Santa, I haven't seen you in years, but my how you've grown.

"It's amazing who will talk to you with that red suit on. People who wouldn't ordinarily give you the time of day ... grouchy people who just grouch all day; but I've never run into a grouchy grown-up when I'm wearing the red suit and I greet them."

Wolf's parents died when he was a young boy. As a result, he was raised by a sister, Marie Nunley, who still lives in Midland with her husband, Perry. It is his sister that Wolf considers the real Santa Claus.

"My sister always made me equal to all her children," Wolf recalled. "The amazing thing about her family is that we were never allowed to be mad in the house. If we got mad we had to go outside and we couldn't come back in until we were happy again. We didn't get to be mad much, because it would get cold real quick outside."

Wolf has been surrounded by family his entire life, and these numbers alone should qualify him to be a Santa Claus: Wolf, who grew up the only boy with seven sisters, now has 64 nieces and nephews.

He and his wife have raised three children, and they are now enjoying six grandchildren.

The younger kids are bright, the older kids skeptical, but still very much in need of the comfort that Santa can bring them at Christmastime.

"(The older kids) don't want to lose the security and warmth of the myth of Santa Claus," Wolf said. "But the kids that are having doubts, they're at that age when they're now out in the world and other kids are throwing all sorts of negative stuff at them that has happened to them or has happened in their homes. Kids who are at the age that they are having doubts about Santa Claus are the ones who need to be secure within themselves."

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POLICE REPORTS

2-vehicle accident

Two Midlanders remain in the hospital following a two-vehicle accident Saturday night in east Midland County in which the driver of the vehicle fled on foot, according to a Department of Public Safety spokesman.

Diana Ramirez, 25, and Robert Corbin, 32, were both listed in satisfactory condition Sunday, according to a hospital nursing supervisor.

The accident occurred about 7 p.m. Saturday at East Loop 250 and County Road 1150. A pickup driven by an unknown driver failed to stop at a stopsign on the county road and was struck broadside by a van driven by Ms. Ramirez, reports stated.

The driver of the pickup and a passenger fled the scene on foot abandoning their vehicle, the trooper said. The pickup was impounded and charges are pending following the location of the driver, according to reports.

Neither Ms. Ramirez, nor the passenger in her van, Corbin, were wearing seatbelts when the accident occurred, the trooper said.

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Saturday

Vandalism: Christmas lights were damaged at 2504 Bedford Drive, reported Keith Reker at 4:27 p.m.

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Burglary of a vehicle: A radar detector and $500 in cash were stolen from a vehicle at 3207 Mark Lane, reported Maria Jaton at 5:57 p.m.

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Burglary of a vehicle: A shotgun, two pairs of boots, 15 pairs of jeans, 20 western shirts and a rod and reel were stolen from a vehicle at 3600 N. Midland Drive, reported Kent McNeill at 6:42 p.m.

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Sunday

Burglary of a vehicle: Stereo speakers and a bed cover were stolen from a vehicle at 100 W. Wall Ave. Officers responded at 1:49 a.m.

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Assault: Police responded to the emergency room after a man was taken there for a stab wound to the chest. The incident occurred in the 1200 block of Chukar Lane. No other information was available.

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Vandalism: Damage was done to a concrete statue in the front yard of 3703 Crestmont Drive, reported Teddy Butler at 7:37 a.m.

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Theft: Electrical Christmas decorations were taken from 3607 Northfield Drive, reported W.F. Ortloff at 8:40 a.m.

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Burglary of a vehicle: Damage was done to the passenger door and window of a vehicle and a cassette stereo was stolen at 1411 W. Texas Ave., reported Patrick Holeva at 8:36 a.m.

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Vandalism: A vehicle door was kicked in and a magnetic sign stolen at 3526 Humble Ave., reported Tommy Tims at 10:47 a.m.

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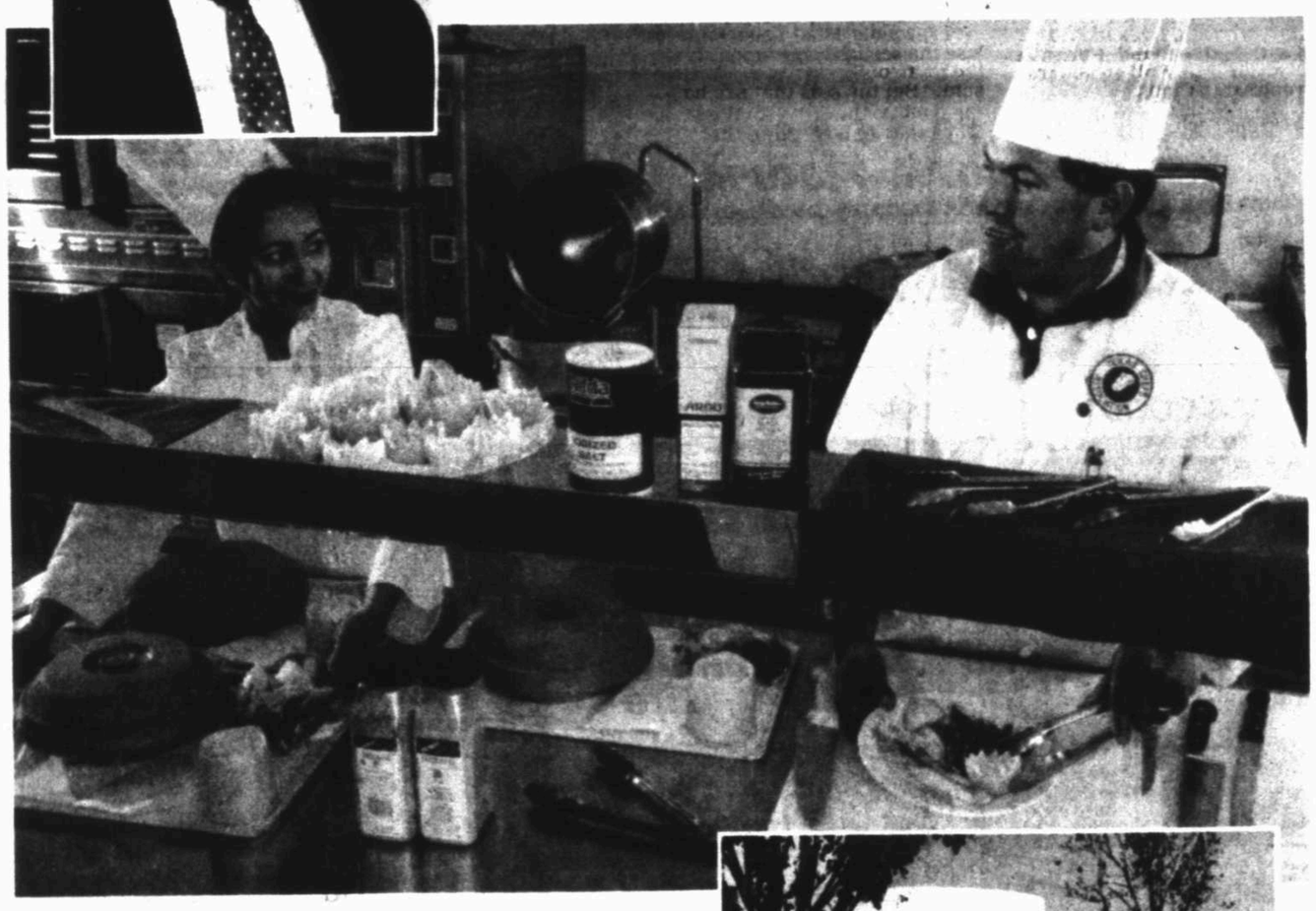

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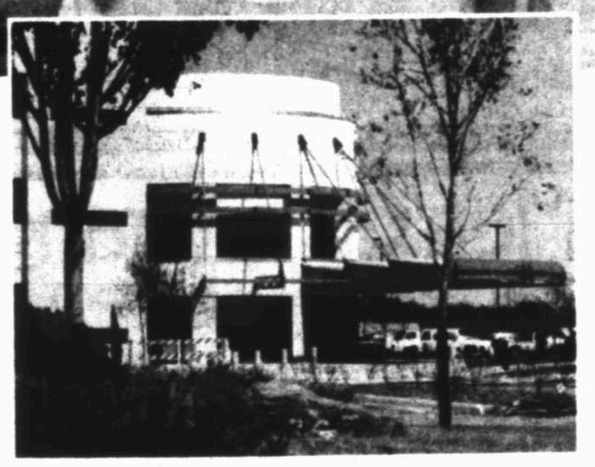

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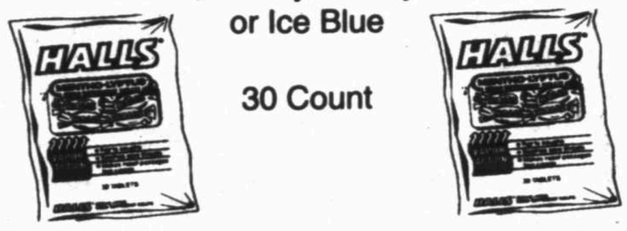

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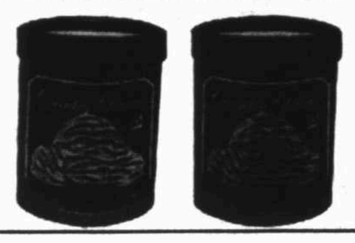

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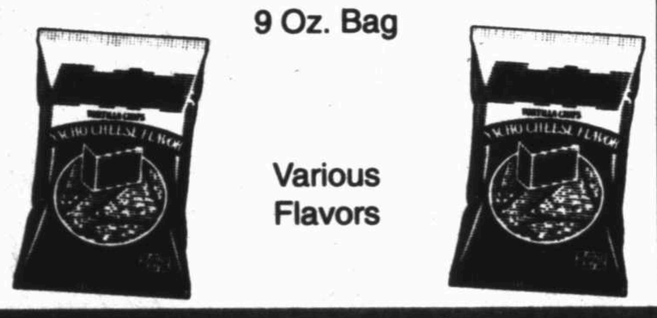

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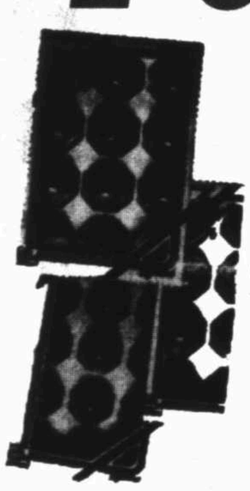

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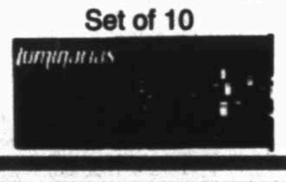

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TV Sports

NFL — Chiefs vs. Dolphins, 8 p.m., ABC.

BOXING — Mark Johnson vs. Paul Rios, flyweights; Sammy Fuentes vs. Marco Lizarraga, WBO junior welterweight championship; Carlos Gonzalez vs. Luis Verdugo, middleweights; Enrique Sanchez vs. Ernesto Medina, bantamweights, 10 p.m., PRIME.

Texas Scores

NFL — Philadelphia Eagles 20; Dallas Cowboys 17.

Detroit Lions 24, Houston Oilers 17.

NBA — New York Knicks 118, San Antonio Spurs 112 (2OT).

Houston Rockets vs. Portland Trailblazers, late.

COLLEGE WOMEN — Tennessee 83, Texas 67.

Ugly decision

STUTTGART, Germany — In a decision that triggered an ugly riot, Frans Botha of South Africa beat Axel Schulz for the vacant IBF heavyweight championship.

When Botha was announced as a split-decision winner, outraged German fans flung coins, beer and champagne bottles into the ring Saturday night. Officials later revised the scorecards from the three judges, giving the unbeaten South African a unanimous decision.

Six people were treated in a hospital for cuts by flying glass in the mayhem around the ring. None were injured seriously, police said.

Police said many people in the crowd were drunk. Some tried to climb onto the ring. Fans sought shelter under tables and others tried to flee in panic.

The bout pitted the top two challengers for the IBF crown that was stripped from George Foreman, whose last fight was a disputed 12-round win against Schulz.

Botha, who now lives in Newport Beach, Calif., entered the fight with a 35-0 record and 21 knockouts, but hadn't faced any big names. And the win over Schulz is unlikely to silence critics of his ability. Botha, who has nicknamed himself "the white buffalo," proved to be an easy target to hit.

He also threw more punches than his 27-year-old German opponent.

"I can understand the disappointment of the public — but their reaction was just an emotional outburst," said Botha's promoter, Don King. "But when you look at the fight objectively, you can see Botha deserved to win."

Wisconsin wins

RICHMOND, Va. — Former walk-on Lars Hansen scored off a rebound in the ninth minute, and Wisconsin rode its fifth straight shutout in the NCAA tournament to its first championship by beating Duke 2-0 Sunday.

The Badgers (20-4-1) completed the season with seven straight shutouts and 17 overall. They allowed only 11 goals all season, and never more than 2.

Duke (16-7-1), which reached the championship by stunning four-time defending champion Virginia 3-2 Friday, played as if it was still trying to recover from the emotional triumph over one of its archrivals.

Hansen, who made Wisconsin as a walk-on in 1992, beat goalkeeper John Morton after a shot by Travis Roy caromed off a crowd in front of the net. The play started on a corner kick from the right side.

The goal was Hansen's third in five NCAA tournament games, and the first two gave the Badgers 1-0 victories. The senior from Drammen, Norway, beat Portland on Friday and William & Mary in overtime in the second round.

Jon Belskis, forced into action when regular goalkeeper Todd Wilson sustained a season-ending elbow injury, made only two saves in his third straight shutout. He did not allow a goal in 321 minutes of the tournament.

The game was played before a crowd of 21,319, the same as Friday's record for college soccer in the United States. Sunday's gathering braved 33-degree temperatures and 15-mph winds.

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Dallas loses on Switzer guess

■ A fourth down gamble at their own 29-yard line fails and the Cowboys lose to Philadelphia.

By Barry Wilner
AP Football Writer

PHILADELPHIA — To Barry Switzer, it was a no-brainer, even if failing on fourth-and-1 will lead people to accuse him of having no brains.

At the Dallas 29, the Cowboys coach went for it twice in the final moments Sunday. Both plays failed, although only one counted, and that led to Philadelphia's stunning 20-17 victory.

The Eagles defense, which held Dallas to 47 yards in the second half, stopped Emmitt Smith's first run, but officials had whistled the play dead just before it began for the two-minute warning. So the Cowboys tried it again, and once again failed.

So why, Barry?

"Because I wanted to make a foot to control the ball," he said. "Because if we kick in the wind, they're going to come back and kick a field goal to win the thing, anyway. So if we keep the ball, maybe there's a chance we can do something with the time left to win the ballgame."

Instead, the Eagles stuffed Smith and Gary Anderson nailed a 42-yard field goal with 1:26 left, giving the Eagles (9-5) the upset. And giving the Cowboys (10-4) a serious case of self-doubt.

"I don't know where this football team is right now," said Troy Aikman, who, like the rest of the offense was nowhere in the second half, going 6-for-22 for 45 yards. "We as a football team have to hang together."

That's just what the Eagles did after Smith and an undermanned Dallas defense built a 17-6 halftime edge. Workhorse Ricky Watters rushed for 82 yards and a touchdown in the final 30 minutes — he has a rushing TD in six straight games — and the defense was impenetrable.

Particularly, of course, on the critical fourth-and-1 play.

"Their attitude is, 'We're going to run our stuff, now it is time for you to stop us,'" Eagles linebacker Bill Romanowski said.

"I can't second-guess them, but I am sure they will be second-guessed," said William Fuller, whose sack of Aikman ended the game. "I don't take it as Dallas insulting our defense. I guess they felt the odds were with them. Maybe after the first one, maybe they should have thought about it."

The second-guessing wasn't coming from the Cowboys, who blew their edge for homefield advantage in the NFC playoffs — as well as a chance to lock up the NFC East title — with their second consecutive defeat. San Francisco's 31-10 victory at Carolina gave the 49ers that edge.

"I wasn't surprised," Aikman said. "With our offensive line and Emmitt, we should make it. I didn't think it was the wrong call."

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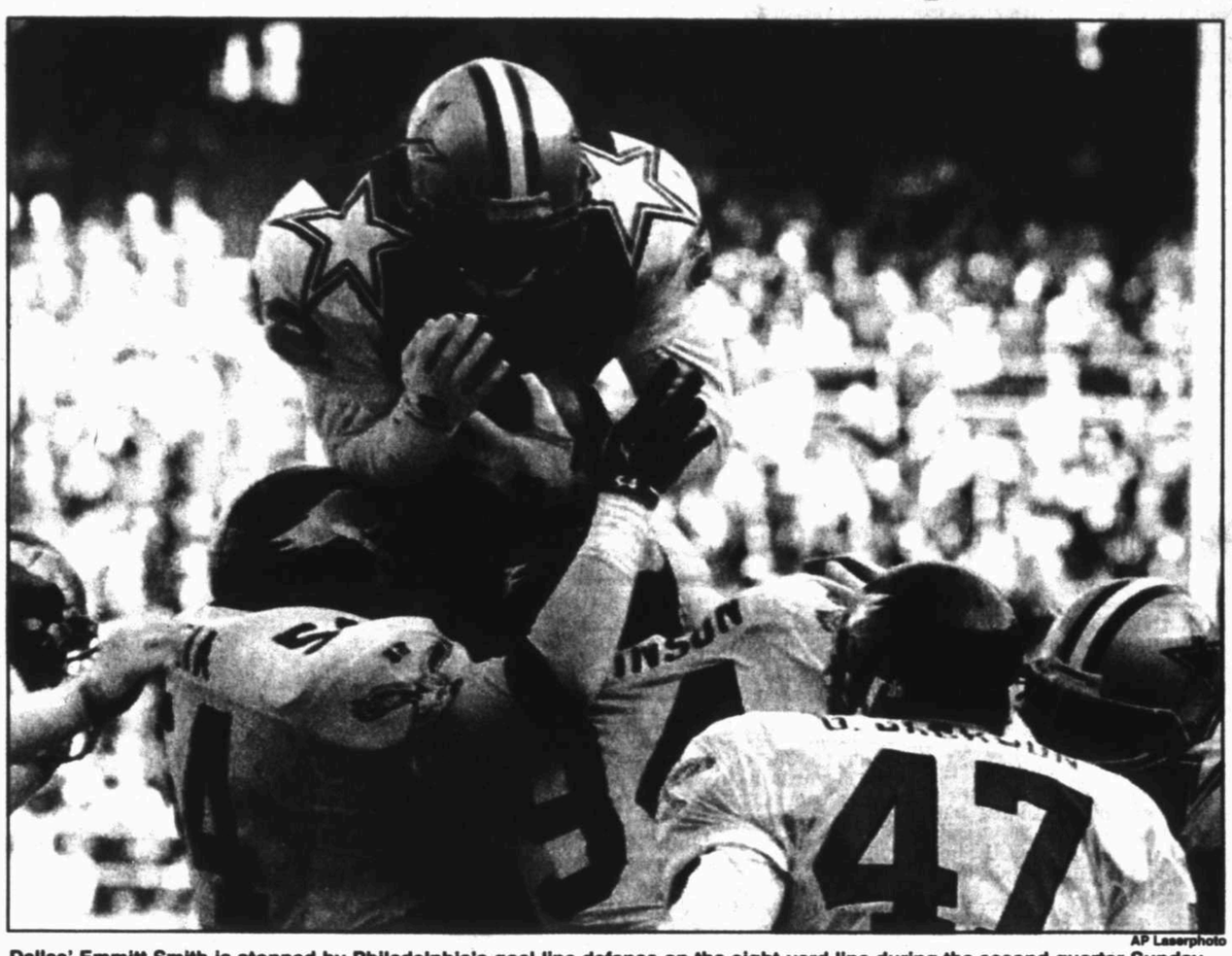

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Dallas' Emmitt Smith is stopped by Philadelphia's goal-line defense on the eight-yard line during the second quarter Sunday.

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Detroit running back Barry Sanders, who has over 10,000 rushing yards in his career, eludes Houston cornerback Chris Dishman for a five-yard gain Sunday.

Oilers' McMillionaire arrives late against surging Detroit

■ Steve McNair finally plays for Houston, but his first NFL touchdown pass isn't enough to beat the Lions.

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — Houston fans finally got to see No. 1 pick Steve McNair and they liked what they saw. However, they didn't like the final score against Detroit.

McNair threw his first career touchdown pass, but the Lions' top-ranked offense got a pair of TD passes from Scott Mitchell to Herman Moore for a 24-17 victory Sunday.

It was Detroit's fifth straight win.

Fans cheered loudly when McNair, called McMillionaire because of his seven-year, $28.7 million contract, replaced Chris Chandler at the start of the second half. And they roared when McNair hit fellow rookie Chris Sanders for a 39-yard touchdown pass with 6:13 to play.

But it was too late to make up for the mistake-prone Oilers' offense, which committed six turnovers, including two near the end of the first half that allowed the Lions (8-6) to establish a 17-7 halftime lead.

McNair, whose only previous action was four plays against Cleveland on Nov. 5, completed 16 of 27 passes for 203 yards in the second half. His last pass to the end zone fell short as the game ended.

The Lions scored 10 points over a 24-second span late in the second quarter, capitalizing on a fumbles by Rodney Thomas and Chandler to break a 7-7 tie.

Henry Thomas recovered Thomas' fumble at the Houston 42 prior to a 36-yard field goal by Jason Hanson with 1:44 left in the half.

Then, on the Oilers' first play from their 28, Antonio London slapped the ball out of Chandler's hands and Ryan McNeil recovered at Houston's 9. Barry Sanders scored on the next play.

Al Del Greco kicked a 47-yard field goal for the Oilers (5-9) with 15 seconds left in the third quarter, but Mitchell answered that with his second touchdown pass to Moore, a 14-yarder, with 13:54 left in the game.

While McNair showed potential, he sometimes played like a rookie. He threw into a crowd for an interception and turned the wrong way on another occasion, but he clearly excited Oilers fans who had been demanding to see him before the team moves to Nashville.

Mitchell was 16-of-36 for 283 yards.

Davis wins NFR bull riding on final ride

Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — Jerome Davis knew what he had to do to win his first bull riding championship Sunday at the $3 million National Finals Rodeo.

He needed not only to stay atop his bull but to finish fourth or better in the round after second-place Terry West of Henryetta, Okla., scored an 89 to take the lead in the final go-round.

Davis, of Archdale, N.C., scored an 84 on The Jam of the Bad Rodeo Co. to finish third in the round to win his first world championship, but it was by the slimmest of margins.

Davis won $72,732 at the NFR for a total $135,280. He beat West by $3,137.

"I knew I had to go out and ride my bull," Davis said. "I tried to stick to the basics and tried to ride like I had all year."

Fortunately for Davis, the first bull riding champion from east of the Mississippi, he didn't ride exactly like he did all year. At a rodeo in Odessa, Texas, Davis was thrown by The Jam.

"I was tickled to death to draw him again," he said. "I had ridden him for 6.7 seconds in Odessa and I knew what he could do."

Prior to the bull-riding go-round, stock contractor Sammy Andrews said he was retiring his top bucking bull, Dodge Bodacious. On Saturday night, Bodacious sent Scott Breding of Edgar, Mont., to the hospital with a concussion, a bone fracture around his left eye socket and lacerations.

"I've got to hand it to Sammy Andrews for turning out a bull like that," Davis said. "Stock contractors strive to get a bull like that and it says something that he'd retire him for the safety of the cowboys."

Sherry Potter-Cervi of Marana, Ariz., knocked over a barrel on her final run, but still held on to win her first barrel racing championship. Potter-Cervi dropped from second to fourth in the NFR average, but that was good for $8,778.

Potter-Cervi entered the NFR leading by $40,837. She finished with $157,172, a record for season earnings. Peterson's $61,028 broke the record she set last year.

"I lucked out," Potter-Cervi said. "Last year I had such a great finals, but this year it just didn't work out the same."

AP Laserphoto

Joe Beaver of Huntsville carries the Texas flag into the ring at the National Finals Rodeo.

Greenwood resident stays with Midland club program

■ Niiki Smetzer competes in Blast Coaches Classic, but the former Midland Lee star won't be on the high school circuit this season.

By Stewart Doreen
Sports Writer

A year ago Nikki Smetzer was readying herself for her first season as a member of the Midland Lee Rebel soccer team. How things have changed.

Smetzer, who played for the Midland Blast '87 girls' soccer team this weekend at the Blast Coaches Classic held at Hogan Park, has moved to Greenwood, and in doing so, lost the chance to take the high school soccer field again.

Smetzer, who ranked 12th in District 4-5A scoring and fourth in assists in 1995, will not get a chance to play because Greenwood does not offer soccer as a varsity sport. Arguably, the change leaves one of the Permian Basin's best players with just club soccer in which to make her mark. Smetzer, who says she will miss playing in the Maroon and Gray, knows she has to make the best of the situation.

"I might hurt a little bit, but a lot of coaches like to come to these tournaments," said Smetzer, whose only activity in high school athletics this year will come as a member of the Greenwood track team.

"These tournaments are important, but I try not to think about the coaches so I can play good. I'm waiting to see if schools would like me."

Playing in college is a goal for the junior. How serious? Well, after the official games were done on Saturday, Smetzer played with the Blast's '78 boys team as they took on an out-of-town team looking for another match. She joked around that maybe a guy's coach will notice her, but there aren't many people joking about her talent.

"You can see there is something there," said Manu Sanon, coach of the Blast soccer Club. "She's skillful, but she'll have to work on control. She's still learning and has a year to go. Talent will not be enough without commitment."

Smetzer's Blast team went 2-0-2 for the tournament including a 1-0 win over the Dallas Texans Under-19. Sunday, Smetzer got the assist on a goal by Tara Marshall, who sent a rocket by the keeper and into the lower left corner of the goal. It was quite a showing for the team and the Tall City.

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Newspaper: Tech regent's law firm provided free aid to athletes

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas Tech athletes in trouble with the law have received special treatment arranged by coaches and boosters, including free legal help from the law firm of university regent John C. Sims, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

Interviews and documents examined by the newspaper show that the practice of providing athletes with free legal assistance and other help is a frequent occurrance at the Lubbock school.

Sims, a 1965 Texas Tech graduate, has denounced the allegations as "lies."

National Collegiate Athletic Association rules prohibit school employees or representatives from providing athletes with benefits not generally available to the student population as a whole.

They also state that an attorney can provide pro bono legal services to student-athletes only if such services are available to all needy students and only if the student-athlete seeks out the attorney.

The Chronicle report also said that the case of a former Tech basketball player who received help with a criminal matter has drawn the scrutiny of NCAA officials already probing the school's basketball program.

Former player Nate Jackson, who was interviewed by an NCAA enforcement representative last month, said the investigator sought to learn how Jackson dealt with his arrest on an outstanding traffic warrant in November 1992.

Specifically, the investigator wanted to know how Jackson bonded out of the Lubbock County Jail and obtained legal representation after his arrest.

Jackson said he told NCAA investigator Les Pico that no payment was required for the bail bond. He said he also told the investigator he did not seek legal help to deal with the matter.

However, Lubbock Municipal Court records show Jackson's bond was put up by Freedom Bail Bond, which is owned by a Tech booster. Court records also indicate Jackson received legal representation from Lubbock attorney Marta Rosas.

At the time, Ms. Rosas was employed by the Lubbock firm Sims, Kidd, Hubbert and Wilson. One of the firm's name partners is Sims, 53-year-old vice chairman of the Tech Board of Regents.

Jackson, who said he never hired Rosas and has no idea who she is, said he didn't give his arrest a second thought because of a feeling among Texas Tech athletes that legal problems would be "taken care of" in some fashion.

"There were a lot of guys — on the football team, whatever — who got in trouble in bars, stuff like that," he said. "They would say, 'I ain't worrying about it, because they'll take care of it.'"

Sims refused to be interviewed and hung up when The Associated Press contacted him by telephone Sunday at his home in Lubbock.

But on Saturday, Sims told the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal that the allegations were "lies."

"I've never represented any athlete for free," he said.

Asked about his fee policy, Sims said, "If a guy walks through the door, I set him a fee, and if he doesn't like it, he goes somewhere else. That's all there is to it."

Said Robert Sweazy, Tech faculty representative to the NCAA: "I don't know if any of these allegations are true or not. We're not supposed to provide free legal help or bail bonds, and we've alerted people to that over the years. I'd be surprised if it is accurate."

The telephone was not answered Sunday at the Lubbock home of Tech athletic director Bob Bockrath.

Court records and published reports indicate more than a dozen current and former Tech athletes have been represented by Sims or Rosas in criminal matters ranging from assaults to speeding tickets.

One of those athletes, former receiver Tony Miller, said he was instructed to contact Sims by members of the Tech football coaching staff.

"I guess every university has a so-called 'hookup' for all kinds of situations, and they had a 'hookup' for me," said Miller, who received six months' probation after pleading guilty to a charge of attempted forgery in 1990. "That lawyer — I'm pretty sure if athletes did get in trouble, they (Tech coaches) may suggest him."

Asked about Sims' fees, Miller said, "I never saw a bill."

The Chronicle also reported that Sims contacted a Lubbock judge this fall and asked him to delay proceedings on a speeding ticket received by Tech quarterback Zebbie Lethridge until after football season.

The appeal was made after Peace Justice Bob Blackburn refused to grant a request by Sims to keep the matter off the docket during the season. The judge said he doesn't believe in favoring certain individuals.

"He (Sims) told me Zebbie was going to school on scholarship and didn't have much money," Blackburn said. "I said, 'Well, he's not the only one in that situation.'

"There are a lot of kids out there working their way through college. They don't have much money to spend. Most of them work out payment plans and then keep up with them.'"

How coaches and administrators deal with the criminal behavior became a widely discussed topic after the arrest of a Nebraska football player for assaulting a woman.

Tech was forced to deal last week with the news that Lethridge faces a seven-month-old shoplifting charge and that seven other Raiders football players were arrested at a party.

In a statement, Tech coach Spike Dykes said he dealt with the charge against Lethridge last summer and the matter was closed.

Dykes has not said whether the others would appear in the Copper Bowl game against Air Force on Dec. 27.

Life with Raiders not easy without Hostetler

Associated Press

OAKLAND, Calif. — By shutting down the Raiders' running game, the Pittsburgh Steelers put all the pressure on an Oakland quarterback making his first start. Billy Joe Hobert wasn't up to the challenge Sunday.

The Steelers, who have the NFL's stingiest defense, made four interceptions in winning their seventh straight game, 29-10. Oakland has lost four in a row, the last three without regular quarterback Jeff Hostetler.

Neil O'Donnell threw scoring passes of 37 and 14 yards to Ernie Mills in the first half and Norm Johnson kicked five field goals for the Steelers.

O'Donnell was 15 of 31 for 230 yards, while Mills caught five passes for 93 yards. Erric Pegram had 26 carries for 122 yards.

The Raiders, who moved back to Oakland this season after 13 years in Los Angeles, have lost three straight games at the Oakland Coliseum for the first time in club history.

Pittsburgh allowed just three rushing yards in the first half, putting the offensive burden on Hobert — who finished 20 of 37 for 162 yards.

The Raiders got their only touchdown on a 1-yard interception return by Aundray Bruce in the second quarter. Jeff Jaeger added a 39-yard field goal.

In the last three weeks, with Hostetler sidelined by a bruised non-throwing shoulder, no Oakland starting quarterback has led the Raiders to a touchdown. Vince Evans started the previous two games.

■ NFL Roundup

49ers 31, Panthers 10

San Francisco got even for Carolina's surprise victory last month, punishing the Panthers and pulling even with Dallas at 10-4. Steve Young, who sat out the first game between the teams, threw for two touchdowns and ran for a third. Young completed 31 of 45 passes for 336 yards in his best performance since shoulder surgery Nov. 13.

Falcons 19, Saints 14

Morten Andersen kicked four field goals including an NFL record of three of more than 50 yards to push Atlanta past his former New Orleans teammates. His field goals of 25, 51, 55 and 55 yards helped the Falcons (8-6) snap a two-game losing streak to remain in the wild-card chase. The Saints (6-8) had won five of their previous six.

Bills 45, Rams 27

Jim Kelly threw four touchdown passes despite a sore throwing shoulder and Thurman Thomas returned from a hamstring injury that's hampered him most of the season with 129 yards rushing in Buffalo's victory. Kelly, who threw five interceptions the last two weeks, completed 19 of 25 passes for 237 yards and had none picked off.

Colts 41, Jaguars 31

Aaron Bailey returned the opening kickoff 95 yards for a touchdown and the Colts scored twice after Jacksonville turnovers to beat the Jaguars. Indianapolis (8-6) remained on track for a wild-card spot in the AFC, while Jacksonville (3-11) lost its sixth in a row.

Bengals 16, Bears 10

Doug Pelfrey kicked three field goals and Jeff Blake threw a 38-yard TD pass to Darnay Scott to lead Cincinnati. Pelfrey connected from 39, 28 and 37 yards as the Bears' December road problems continued. Chicago has not won on the road in December since 1987.

Patriots 31, Jets 28

Troy Brown scooped up Dave Meggett's fumbled kickoff return and raced 75 yards for the go-ahead touchdown with 5:39 left as New England blundered its way past the bumbling Jets.

Giants 20, Redskins 13

Where Barry Switzer and the Cowboys failed, Dan Reeves and the Giants succeeded. Rodney Hampton made the needed yard on an fourth-and-1, keeping a late drive going and Dave Brown followed with a 40-yard TD pass to Chris Calloway to beat Washington.

Seahawks 31, Broncos 27

Backup John Friesz threw two touchdown passes in the final 4:10, and the Seattle Seahawks rallied from a 20-0 deficit to damage the Denver Broncos' playoff hopes.

Buccaneers 13, Packers 10, OT

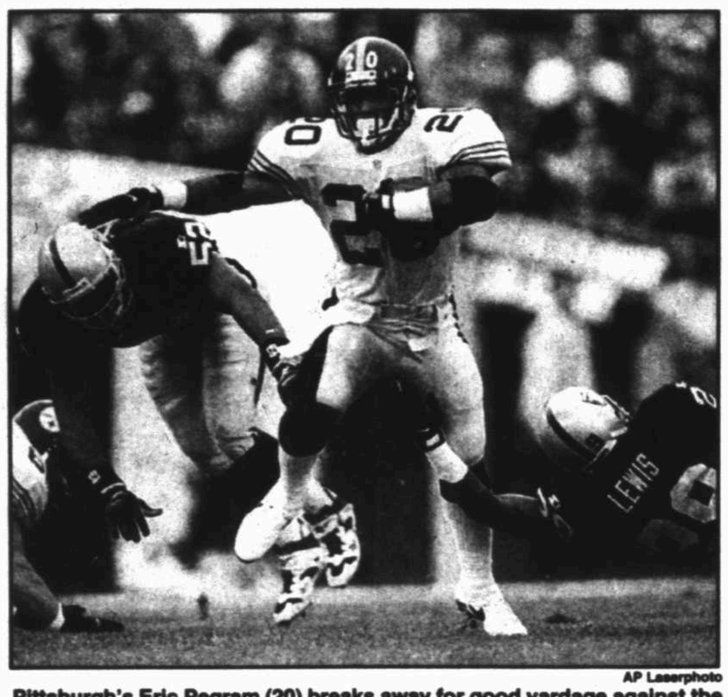
Michael Husted kicked a winning 47-yard field goal into a stiff wind, and Tampa Bay is alive for a playoff spot.

Husted delivered his third winning kick of the year, converting with 11:14 remaining in overtime.

His kick curled just inside the right upright, assuring the end of Tampa Bay's streak of 12 consecutive seasons with double-digit losses.

Trent Dilfer moved the Bucs (7-7) into scoring position with completions of 23 yards to Horace Copeland and 7 yards to Jerry Ellison. Husted kicked a 38-yarder to tie the game with 4:48 remaining in regulation.

The Bucs hadn't won more than six games in a season since 1981.



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Pittsburgh's Eric Pegram (20) breaks away for good yardage against the Oakland defense during NFL action Sunday.

Knicks survive Spurs with double overtime

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Playing most of a second overtime without three of their starters, the New York Knicks beat the San Antonio Spurs 118-112 on John Starks' driving layup with 24.6 seconds remaining Sunday night.

Starks scored eight of his 25 points in the second overtime.

San Antonio got a season-high 45 points and 16 rebounds from David Robinson but turned the ball over five times in the extra period, including twice in the final minute.

With Patrick Ewing, Anthony Mason and Charles Oakley on the bench, the Knicks took a 112-107 lead with 2:40 left on Gary Grant's three-point play. Robinson scored four straight points, but turnovers by Avery Johnson and Sean Elliott cost the Spurs a chance to win.

Robinson still got the best of his matchup with Patrick Ewing, making 15-of-26 shots. Ewing struggled with his shot all game, going 9-for-27, scoring 19 points and fouling out early in the first overtime.

■ NBA Roundup

Raptors 93, Grizzlies 81

VANCOUVER, British Columbia — Vancouver set an NBA record for futility by an expansion team with their 18th straight loss, and they couldn't have picked a worse opponent.

Toronto, that other expansion team from the eastern side of Canada, beat Vancouver 93-81 behind rookie Damon Stoudamire's 24 points, 8 assists and 7 rebounds.

Miami had held the record by going 0-17 to start the 1988-89 season. The record for most consecutive losses in one season by any team is 20, shared by the 1972-73 Philadelphia 76ers and the 1992-93 Dallas Mavericks. The record for most consecutive losses by any team is 24, set by Philadelphia, which lost the final 19 games of the 1972-73 season and the first five of the 1973-74 campaign.

Pacers 111, Clippers 104

INDIANAPOLIS — Rik Smits needed just 11 minutes of playing time to top his season-high of 16 points and finished with a career-high 44 to lead Indiana over the Los Angeles Clippers.

Smits tied the team record for field goals with a career-high of 20 in 29 attempts. He scored 13 points in each of the first two quarter; the 7-foot-4 center capitalized on his height advantage to dominate Brian Williams and Keith Tower inside.

Hawks 108, Celtics 103

BOSTON — Ken Norman had 26 points with nine rebounds and Grant Long scored 15 with 16 boards as Atlanta stopped a five-game losing streak with a victory over Boston.

Norman's basket with 2:38 left tied the game at 98, and Long made two free throws with 1:42 left to give the Hawks the lead for good. Norman then made a fallaway as the shot clock expired for a four-point lead.

Dino Radja scored 28 with nine rebounds to lead the Celtics, who fell to 8-10 and wasted a chance to reach .500 for the first time since Dec. 2, 1994. The Hawks won for the first time since beating Philadelphia on Nov. 29.

Kings 110, Heat 90

SACRAMENTO — Sacramento capitalized on the absence of three injured Miami starters and rolled to victory.

Playing without Alonzo Mourning, Kevin Willis and Billy Owens, the Heat suited up nine players. Their reserves were outscored 55-19 by the Kings' bench.

Guard Mitch Richmond, playing only 22 minutes, paced a balanced attack with 15 points as Sacramento won for the sixth time in seven games.

Lakers 87, Pistons 82

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — Sedale Threatt made consecutive 3-pointers 20 seconds apart as Los Angeles broke away from a 78-78 tie and the Lakers went on to beat Detroit.

Threatt, who had 12 points off the bench, made his critical shots from almost the same spot, to the left of the key. He made the first with 1:55 to play, then came back with the second 3-pointer to make it 84-78.

Waldorf, Lehman capture hefty paycheck

LA QUINTA, CA. (AP) — Duffy Waldorf sank a 4-foot birdie putt on the 18th hole Sunday, giving him and Tom Lehman a 1-up victory over Kenny Perry and John Huston in the finals of the $2.1 million Diners' Club Matches.

The winners split the $250,000 first prize. Lehman and Waldorf fell behind by two holes on the front nine before Lehman birdied Nos. 12 and 13 to even the match.

"We really needed a lift," Waldorf said. "They had a chance to put us away early but Tom made a big birdie at 12 and came back with another at 13 to get us even."

Lehman saved par with a 6-foot putt at the par-3, 17th hole after hitting his tee shot into the sand.

"I miss added the yardage at 17," Lehman said. "I added 127 yards and 16 yards to come out with 133 yards. Just a basic error in math. That left me in the bunker."

■ Diners' Club Golf

Bob Murphy's 15-foot birdie putt at the 17th hole gave Murphy and partner Jim Colbert a 1-up victory over Dave Stockton and Hale Irwin in the seniors division.

"After I missed that 4-footer for birdie at sixteen I was very happy with the birdie at 17," Murphy said. "I didn't want to let my partner down and I know he dosen't want to let me down. It's a little bit of extra pressure that match play creates."

Colbert and Murphy never trailed in the match but never led by more than one hole.

"We had a lot of putts lip out," Colbert said. "I'm a little surprised that our match had only 11 birdies for the four of us. But the pins were in some tough positions."

Kelly Robbins, who had five birdies and captured four holes, and Tammie Green defeated Laura Davies and Mardi Lunn 1-up to win their second Diners' Club title and the $250,000 first prize.

Robbins and Green won the inaugural event last year, coming back from a two-hole deficit.

They birdied five of the first six holes Sunday to go 4-up. Davies and Lunn came back with birdies at 8, 10 and 12 to trail by a single hole.

Robbins birdied the 13th hole but Lunn's 8-foot birdie at the 17th sent the match to the final hole. Robbins was conceded her par. Lunn and Davies were unable to better par.

"It was exciting to the very end," Green said. "I wish we could say that we were just toying with them but we weren't."

Each tour has its own event with a purse of $890,000 for the four-day PGA Tour and $610,000 for the three-day Senior PGA and the LPGA. Each member of the losing teams Sunday earned $50,000.

Lady Vols trip Texas by 16

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — No. 2 Tennessee, led by Chamique Holdsclaw's 19 points, beat Texas 83-67 Sunday and tied a national record with its 68th consecutive home-court victory.

The Lady Vols (8-0) also got 15 points from Abby Conklin and 12 each from Michelle Marciniak and Pashen Thompson.

Texas (2-2) was led by reserve Kim Lummus with 20 points, including six 3-pointers. Vanessa Wallace, another reserve, added 18 points and Erica Routt had 11.

The Lady Vols matched the NCAA record set by Auburn (1986-91). Tennessee has not lost at home since Jan. 28, 1991, to Georgia. Twenty-six of the 68 victims were nationally ranked at the time. Texas has lost three games during the streak.

Tennessee had a double-digit lead the entire second half, but every time the Lady Vols tried to run away Lummus hit a 3-pointer or Wallace scored a basket and the Longhorns stayed within striking distance.

Tennessee capitalized on its foul shooting, hitting 26 of 32 for the game, including 19 of 23 in the second half. In one stretch bridging both halves, the Lady Vols made 17 in a row.

Three long 3-pointers in less than a minute by Lummus rallied Texas from a first-half deficit to a 25-23 lead, but the Longhorns couldn't hold it. Tennessee closed the half with a 17-2 run for a 42-29.

Relaxed Ivanisevic wins Grand Slam Cup over Martin

MUNICH, Germany (AP) — A relaxed Goran Ivanisevic overpowered an injury-plagued Todd Martin, then accepted a check for $1.625 million — the richest prize in tennis — for winning the Grand Slam Cup.

Ivanisevic fired 28 aces in a match that lasted only 1 hour, 43 minutes Sunday. He won 7-6 (7-4), 6-3, 6-4, then cited his mental outlook as crucial to his success.

"I played without pressure this week and I played very good tennis," the Croatian said.

Ivanisevic's victory in the $6 million tournament made up for a frustrating year without a title on the ATP tour. Even so, Ivanisevic earned $3.7 million in 1995.

"I can hardly believe it," he said. "After a not-so-good year. ... No one counted on me here and that makes me even happier."

Martin, hampered by physical woes, wasn't able to mount much of a challenge.

The 25-year-old American beat hometown favorite Boris Becker in Saturday's semifinals, but looked lackluster against Ivanisevic. Martin, who had been receiving treatment for stomach muscle problems and needed treatment for hand blisters early in the third set, would not alibi.

"I don't blame these problems," he said. "Goran simply played better today."

Martin's consolation prize was $812,500, more than double his previous 1995 earnings.

Ivanisevic never lost his serve during the match.

In the first-set tiebreak, he hit a tremendous return and then pounded two straight aces to win the set.

The second set went with serve until the eighth game, when a backhand error by Martin allowed Ivanisevic to break for 5-3.

SOCCER: Garcia nails impressive goal

(From 1C)

"I'm pleased with the girls," said Sanon. "We played smart and enforced my impression of the kids in this town."

In other tournament action, the Midland's Black Magic '78 boys team defeated the Austin Longhorns 2-0. Leading the way for the Magic, who went 3-1 for the tournament, were Odessa Permian's David Cervantes and Lee's Adrian Castresana.

Running down the left side of the field, Cervantes took a beautiful lead pass from Midland High's all-state performer J.D. Garcia and nailed it into the upper right corner of the goal. The incredible angle of the shot made the game's opening score even that more exceptional.

Castresana, a second team all-district player in 1995 and a member of the Under-17 National team, then hammered a 35-yard shot into the goal in the game's remaining moments.

The Midland Blast '78 boys defeated Lubbock's Shooting Stars 2-0 to go to 1-2-1 for the tourney. Midland's Black Magic '79 team also finished 1-2-1 after a 4-0 loss to the Wolfpack Soccer Club. The Odessa Flames went 2-2.

Late Saturday and Sunday scores from the 8th Annual Blast Coaches Classic held this weekend at Hogan Park.

Under-19 Boys

A Bracket: Hobbs Flames 3, Midland Black Magic '78 2; Midland Black Magic '78 1, Texas Lightning Red 0; Longhorns 2, Texas Lightning Red 0; Midland Black Magic '78 2, Austin Longhorns 0; Fury '78 1; Hobbs Flames 1.

B Bracket: Midland Blast '78 2, Texas Lightning Blue 1; F.C. Lynx 0, Alliance Select 0; Midland Blast '78 2, Vipors 0; F.C. Lynx 1, Texas Lightning Blue 0; Texas Lightning Blue 1, Alliance Select 0.

C Bracket: High Plains Drifters 4, The Saints 0; High Plains Drifters 1, Kicks '78 0; High Plains Drifters 3, Xpress '78 0; Phoenix '77 2, The Saints 0; Kicks '78 1, Xpress '78 0.

Under-17 Boys

D Bracket: Broken Arrow Express 1, Midland Black Magic '79 1; Wolfpack Soccer Club 4, Midland Black Magic '79 0; F.C. Lynx 1; Broken Arrow Express 0; Wolf Pack Soccer Club 1, Dallas Kicks 1.

Under-19 Girls

G Bracket: Dallas Texans U19 0, Midland Blast '78 0; San Angelo United 1, Dallas Texans U19 0; Midland Blast '78 1, Challenge '78 0; Shooting Stars 0, San Angelo United 0.

H Bracket: Dallas Elite 3, Texas American Eagles 0; Dallas Texans U18 2, Sacapuntas 0; '78 Flames 5, Sacapuntas 1; Texas American Eagles 1, Dallas Texans U18 0; Dallas Elite 2, Sacapuntas 0.

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct
Orlando	16	4	.800
New York	15	5	.750
Miami	12	6	.667
New Jersey	9	9	.500
Boston	8	10	.444
Washington	8	10	.444
Philadelphia	3	15	.167
Central Division			
Chicago	16	2	.889
Atlanta	10	10	.500
Indiana	8	9	.471
Charlotte	9	11	.450
Cleveland	8	11	.421
Detroit	8	11	.421
Milwaukee	6	11	.353
Toronto	7	14	.333

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct
Houston	15	4	.789
Utah	13	6	.684
San Antonio	11	6	.647
Denver	8	9	.471
Dallas	6	12	.333
Minnesota	5	12	.294
Vancouver	2	18	.100
Pacific Division			
Sacramento	13	5	.722
Seattle	13	6	.684
L.A. Lakers	11	9	.550
Portland	9	9	.500
Phoenix	8	10	.444
L.A. Clippers	7	13	.350
Golden State	6	13	.316

Sunday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Indiana 111, L.A. Clippers

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Atlanta 108, Boston 103

Toronto 93, Vancouver 81

Sacramento 110, Miami 90

L.A. Lakers 87, Detroit 82

Houston at Portland, Late

Monday's Games

Denver at Philadelphia, 6:3

Charlotte at Utah, 8 p.m.

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NHL

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	T	Pts
Florida	20	7	2	42
N.Y. Rangers	18	8	5	41
Philadelphia	18	8	4	40
New Jersey	13	13	3	29
Tampa Bay	11	12	5	27
Washington	12	13	3	27
N.Y. Islanders	7	18	3	17
Northeast Division				
Pittsburgh	19	5	3	41
Montreal	13	12	2	28
Buffalo	11	13	3	25
Boston	10	13	4	24
Hartford	10	15	2	22
Ottawa	7	19	1	15

WESTERN CONFEREN

Central Division	W	L	T	Pts
Detroit	18	7	2	38
Toronto	14	9	5	33
Chicago	12	10	7	31
St. Louis	13	12	4	30
Winnipeg	13	13	3	29
Dallas	9	10	6	24
Pacific Division				
Colorado	17	8	4	38
Los Angeles	12	11	6	30
Anaheim	11	17	3	25
Vancouver	9	12	7	25
Edmonton	10	15	5	25
Calgary	5	17	6	16
San Jose	5	20	4	14

Sunday's Games

Tampa Bay at Buffalo, pp

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Washington 6, Winnipeg

Chicago 4, Hartford 1

Edmonton 3, Anaheim 1

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$4,751. 5, Butch Myers,

Texas, 5.3, $1,070. 6, Fra

Sonora, Texas, 5.4, $695.

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man, Nampa, Idaho, and Bri

Claremore, Okla., 4.4 secon

each. 2, Rube Woolsey, De

and Bobby Harris, Gillette,

$5,940. 3, Jake Barnes, Ca

Ariz., and Clay O'Brien

Gilbert, Ariz., 4.7, $3,960.

Woolman, Llano, Texas

Skelton, Llano, Texas, and

Corsicana, Texas, and Cod

Le Grand, Calif., 4.9, $1,32

ton Payne, Queen Creek,

Kory Koontz, Sudan, Te

$431.

Barrel racing—1, Angi

Wetumpka, Okla., 13.98

$8,360. 2, Kristie Peters

Colo., 14.03, $6,270. 3

Hayes, Opelika, Ala., 14.16,

Charmayne Rodman, Ga

14.26, $2,090.

NFR STANDIN

Saddle bronc riding—

Etbauer, Goodwell, Okla.,

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NBA Standings, Results

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Orlando	16	4	.800	—
New York	15	5	.750	1
Miami	12	6	.667	3
New Jersey	9	9	.500	6
Boston	8	10	.444	7
Washington	8	10	.444	7
Philadelphia	3	15	.167	12
Central Division				
Chicago	16	2	.889	—
Atlanta	10	10	.500	7
Indiana	8	9	.471	7 1/2
Charlotte	9	11	.450	8
Cleveland	8	11	.421	8 1/2
Detroit	8	11	.421	8 1/2
Milwaukee	6	11	.353	9 1/2
Toronto	7	14	.333	10 1/2
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	15	4	.789	—
Utah	13	6	.684	2
San Antonio	11	6	.647	3
Denver	8	9	.471	6
Dallas	6	12	.333	8 1/2
Minnesota	5	12	.294	9
Vancouver	2	18	.100	13 1/2
Pacific Division				
Sacramento	13	5	.722	—
Seattle	13	6	.684	1/2
L.A. Lakers	11	9	.550	3
Portland	9	9	.500	4
Phoenix	8	10	.444	5
L.A. Clippers	7	13	.350	7
Golden State	6	13	.316	7 1/2

Sunday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Indiana 111, L.A. Clippers 104
New York 118, San Antonio 112, 2OT
Atlanta 108, Boston 103
Toronto 93, Vancouver 81
Sacramento 110, Miami 90
L.A. Lakers 87, Detroit 82
Houston at Portland, Late
Monday's Games
Denver at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Utah, 8 p.m.

Pacers 111, Clippers 104

L.A. CLIPPERS (104): Murray 6-11 1-2 14, Vaught 6-11 2-2 14, Williams 4-6 1-2 9, Sealy 5-13 7-7 17, Richardson 5-14 1-2 12, Tower 3-6 2-2 8, Outlaw 2-3 2-6 6, Dehere 6-11 3-3 18, Barry 2-4 0-0 6, Piatkowski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-79 19-26 104.

INDIANA (111): McKey 1-3 0-0 2, D.Davis 8-10 1-3 17, Smits 20-29 4-6 44, Miller 5-11 5-6 17, Jackson 1-4 3-5 5, Johnson 3-6 0-0 6, Schintzius 2-2 0-0 4, A.Davis 0-1 2-2 2, Workman 1-3 2-3 4, Best 3-5 0-1 6, Ferrell 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 46-76 17-26 111.

L.A. Clippers 31 21 25 27 — 104
Indiana 31 35 24 21 — 111

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 7-19 (Dehere 3-6, Barry 2-4, Murray 1-3, Richardson 1-4, Sealy 0-1, Tower 0-1), Indiana 2-6 (Miller 2-4, McKey 0-1, Workman 0-1). Fouled out—Williams. Rebounds—Los Angeles 43 (Vaught 10), Indiana 43 (Smits 10). Assists—Los Angeles 29 (Sealy, Richardson 8), Indiana 32 (Jackson 11).

Knicks 118, Spurs 112

SAN ANTONIO (112): Elliott 8-18 5-9 23, Anderson 0-0 0-0 0, Robinson 15-26 15-19 45, Del Negro 8-17 0-0 17, A.Johnson 6-16 1-2 13, Reid 1-3 0-0 2, Perdue 3-3 0-1 6, Rivers 1-6 1-1 3, Person 1-3 0-0 3, Demps 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 43-92 22-32 112.

NEW YORK (118): Mason 4-11 7-10 15, Oakley 4-11 11-12 19, Ewing 9-27 1-4 19, Starks 7-17 8-8 25, Harper 6-12 0-2 13, Davis 4-7 1-1 11, H.Williams 0-2 0-0 0, Grant 4-7 7-7 16. Totals 38-94 35-44 118.

San Antonio 28 21 29 25 2 7—112
New York 27 28 20 28 2 13—118

3-Point goals—San Antonio 4-13 (Elliott 2-7, Del Negro 1-3, Person 1-1, Rivers 0-2). New York 7-16 (Starks 3-8, Davis 2-3, Grant 1-1, Harper 1-4). Fouled out—Mason, Oakley, Ewing. Rebounds—San Antonio 56 (Robinson 16), New York 68 (Oakley 19). Assists—San Antonio 22 (A.Johnson 8), New York 16 (Harper 5). Total fouls—San Antonio 33, New York 32.

Hawks 108, Celtics 103

ATLANTA (108): Norman 12-20 0-0 26, Long 4-7 6-6 15, Lang 4-13 4-4 12, Smith 3-7 3-3 11, Blaylock 1-7 4-4 6, Webb 5-9 3-4 15, Augmon 1-4 0-0 2, Henderson 3-7 3-5 9, Ehlo 5-9 0-0 12, Bullard 0-1 0-0 0. Total 38-84 23-26 108.

BOSTON (103): Radja 12-20 4-6 28, Fox 3-11 0-0 7, Montross 2-4 2-4 6, Brown 2-10 1-2 5, Barros 4-12 2-2 12, Minor 4-8 0-0 8, Williams 3-9 2-4 8, Day 5-12 5-6 16, Wesley 4-5 0-0 11, Ellison 0-0 0-0 0, Burrough 0-1 0-0 0, Lister 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 40-93 16-24 103.

Atlanta 16 32 31 29 — 108
Boston 23 36 23 21 — 103

3-Point goals—Atlanta 9-20 (Smith 2-3, Webb 2-4, Ehlo 2-4, Norman 2-5, Long 1-1, Blaylock 0-3), Boston 7-24 (Wesley 3-4, Barros 2-7, Fox 1-4, Day 1-6, Brown 0-1, Minor 0-1, Williams 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Atlanta 52 (Long 16), Boston 58 (Radja 9). Assists—Atlanta 20 (Webb 6), Boston 24 (Barros 7).

Raptors 93, Grizzlies 81

TORONTO (93): Anderson 8-14 2-2 18, Pinckney 3-7 6-8 12, Miller 2-6 3-4 7, Robertson 8-13 0-2 17, Stoudamire 9-13 5-5 24, Tabak 0-1 0-0 0, Murray 4-10 0-0 9, Earl 2-4 0-0 4, J.King 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 37-69 16-21 93.

VANCOUVER (81): C.King 2-7 0-0 4, Avent 1-6 1-2 3, Reeves 7-14 4-5 18, Edwards 9-17 2-2 23, Anthony 2-8 0-1 4, Mobley 2-5 0-0 4, Scott 4-16 1-1 10, Martin 4-9 3-5 11, Amaya 0-1 0-0 0, Murdock 2-6 0-0 4. Totals 33-89 11-20 81.

Toronto 29 22 25 17 — 93
Vancouver 23 16 16 24 — 81

3-Point goals—Toronto 3-9 (Stoudamire 1-2, Robertson 1-3, Murray 1-3, Miller 0-1), Vancouver 4-14 (Edwards 3-5, Scott 1-5, C.King 0-1, Anthony 0-1, Murdock 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Toronto 50 (Pinckney 16), Vancouver 52 (Mobley 11). Assists—Toronto 22 (Stoudamire 8), Vancouver 21 (Anthony, Martin 5).

Kings 110, Heat 90

MIAMI (90): Askins 4-11 0-0 11, Thomas 11-21 7-9 29, Grandison 1-7 0-0 2, Danilovic 5-13 5-6 16, Coles 5-9 2-2 13, Ellis 1-9 0-0 2, Gamble 3-7 4-4 11, Myers 0-2 1-2 1, Rencher 1-2 2-3 5. Totals 31-81 21-26 90.

SACRAMENTO (110): Williams 4-9 4-6 14, Grant 2-4 2-4 6, Polynice 4-6 2-2 10, Richmond 5-8 2-2 15, Edney 3-6 4-4 10, Corbin 3-9 2-2 8, Smith 4-6 2-4 10, Marciulionis 2-6 5-5 11, Causwell 2-3 0-0 4, Simmons 2-6 0-2 4, Williamson 6-8 2-2 14, Hurley 0-2 4-4 4. Totals 37-73 29-37 110.

Miami 24 18 21 27 — 90
Sacramento 30 27 31 22 — 110

3-Point goals—Miami 7-19 (Askins 3-5, Gamble 1-1, Rencher 1-1, Coles 1-2, Danilovic 1-5, Thomas 0-1, Grandison 0-2), Sacramento 7-15 (Richmond 3-5, Williams 2-3, Marciulionis 2-5, Corbin 0-1, Hurley 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Miami 44 (Thomas 15), Sacramento 55 (Simmons 9). Assists—Miami 15 (Rencher 4), Sacramento 28 (Corbin, Williams 5).

Lakers 87, Pistons 82

DETROIT (82): Thorpe 4-12 0-2 8, Hill 6-16 4-5 16, Lackner 0-2 0-0 0, Houston 2-11 2-2 7, Hunter 7-10 2-2 21, Mills 4-8 1-2 9, Roe 1-2 0-0 2, Dumars 3-8 2-2 10, Reid 0-0 0-0 0, Ratliff 2-4 5-5 9. Totals 29-73 16-20 82.

L.A. LAKERS (87): Campbell 5-8 0-0 10, Ceballos 7-19 5-8 22, Divac 7-12 7-12 21, Jones 3-14 4-6 10, Van Exel 1-7 3-5 5, Blount 2-3 1-2 5, Threatt 5-13 0-0 12, Lynch 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 31-80 20-32 87.

Detroit 17 28 21 16 — 82
L.A. Lakers 22 18 24 23 — 87

3-Point goals—Detroit 8-13 (Hunter 5-6, Dumars 2-3, Houston 1-3, Mills 0-1), Los Angeles 5-22 (Ceballos 3-5, Threatt 2-7, Jones 0-5, Van Exel 0-5). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Detroit 54 (Thorpe 10), Los Angeles 55 (Divac 13). Assists—Detroit 17 (Hill 4), Los Angeles 19 (Divac, Van Exel 6).

Grand Slam Cup

MUNICH, Germany (AP) — Results Sunday from the $ 1.6 million Grand Slam Cup men's tournament:

Championship

Goran Ivanisevic, Croatia, def. Todd Martin, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. 7-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Diners' Club

LA QUINTA, Calif. (AP) — Final results Sunday of the $2.1 million Diners Club Matches played on PGA West's par-72 Jack Nicklaus Resort Course:

PGA Tour

Tom Lehman and Duffy Waldorf def. Kenny Perry and John Huston, 1-up.

Senior PGA Tour

Jim Colbert and Bob Murphy def. Dave Stockton and Hale Irwin, 1-up.

LPGA

Tammie Green and Kelly Robbins def. Laura Davies and Mardi Lunn, 1-up.

Women's Hoops

No. 2 TENNESSEE 83, TEXAS 67

TEXAS (2-2): A. Smith 1-5 0-0 2, Viglione 3-7 0-0 8, Bailey 0-3 2-2 2, Ogletree 1-2 0-0 2, Routt 4-14 3-4 11, D. Smith 1-4 0-2 2, Brown 1-2 0-0 2, Wallace 7-17 3-3 18, Lummus 7-12 0-0 20, Andrus 0-0 0-0 0, Hasenmyer 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 25-67 8-11 67.

TENNESSEE (8-0): Holdsclaw 7-13 5-6 19, Conklin 6-10 2-2 15, Thompson 3-4 6-6 12, Marciniak 4-11 4-4 12, Davis 3-9 3-5 9, Johnson 1-5 2-3 4, Laxton 2-5 2-2 6, Milligan 0-0 0-0 0, Jolly 1-1 2-2 4, Smallwood 1-2 0-2 2. Totals 28-60 26-32 83.

Halftime—Tennessee 42, Texas 29. 3-point goals—Texas 9-18 (Viglione 2-4, Routt 0-1, Wallace 1-4, Lummus 6-9), Tennessee 1-5 (Holdsclaw 0-2, Conklin 1-2, Marciniak 0-1). Fouled out—Bailey, Brown. Rebounds—Texas 33 (Routt 7), Tennessee 46 (Holdsclaw 9). Assists—Texas 10 (Routt 3), Tennessee 17 (Marciniak 8). Total fouls—Texas 26, Tennessee 13. A—4,987.

National Football League

Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE
East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	9	5	0	.643	310	287
Indianapolis	8	6	0	.571	297	282
Miami	7	6	0	.538	324	281
New England	6	8	0	.429	260	326
N.Y. Jets	3	11	0	.214	227	349
Central						
x-Pittsburgh	10	4	0	.714	347	276
Cincinnati	6	8	0	.429	312	324
Houston	5	9	0	.357	297	301
Cleveland	4	10	0	.286	242	322
Jacksonville	3	11	0	.214	251	339
West						
x-Kansas City	11	2	0	.846	306	208
Oakland	8	6	0	.571	310	257
Denver	7	7	0	.500	340	297
San Diego	7	7	0	.500	267	282
Seattle	7	7	0	.500	316	330

NATIONAL CONFERENCE
East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Dallas	10	4	0	.714	377	258
Philadelphia	9	5	0	.643	283	298
N.Y. Giants	5	9	0	.357	253	292
Arizona	4	10	0	.286	242	364
Washington	4	10	0	.286	275	319
Central						
Green Bay	9	5	0	.643	346	272
Detroit	8	6	0	.571	355	326
Minnesota	8	6	0	.571	358	321
Chicago	7	7	0	.500	347	330
Tampa Bay	7	7	0	.500	218	267
West						
San Francisco	10	4	0	.714	393	200
Atlanta	8	6	0	.571	317	301
St. Louis	7	7	0	.500	264	342
Carolina	6	8	0	.429	251	288
New Orleans	6	8	0	.429	284	314

x-clinched division title.

Week 15

Saturday's Games
Minnesota 27, Cleveland 11
San Diego 28, Arizona 25
Sunday's Games
Buffalo 45, St. Louis 27
New England 31, New York Jets 28
Indianapolis 41, Jacksonville 31
Atlanta 19, New Orleans 14
San Francisco 31, Carolina 10
Philadelphia 20, Dallas 17
Cincinnati 16, Chicago 10
Detroit 24, Houston 17
Seattle 31, Denver 27
Pittsburgh 29, Oakland 10
NY Giants 20, Washington 13
Tampa Bay 13, Green Bay 10, OT
Monday's Game
Kansas City at Miami, 8 p.m.

Eagles 20, Cowboys 17

Dallas	**7**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**— 17**
Philadelphia	**3**	**3**	**8**	**6**	**— 20**

First Quarter
Phi—FG Anderson 42, 6:10.
Dal—Smith 10 run (Boniol kick), 11:56.
Second Quarter
Dal—FG Boniol 21 5:53.
Dal—L.Brown 65 interception return (Boniol kick), 14:02.
Phi—FG Anderson 27, 14:57.
Third Quarter
Phi—Watters 1 run (Barnett pass from Peete), 14:16.
Fourth Quarter
Phi—FG Anderson 38, 12:00.
Phi—FG Anderson 42, 13:34.

	Dal	Phi
First downs	15	19
Rushes-yards	28-114	40-149
Passing	82	162
Comp-Att-Int	11-28-0	20-29-1
Punts	6-39	4-37
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-55	8-47
Time of Possession	27:36	32:24

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Dallas, E.Smith 27-108, Aikman 1-6. Philadelphia, Watters 33-112, Peete 5-35, Garner 2-2.

PASSING—Dallas, Aikman 11-28-0-110. Philadelphia, Peete 20-29-1-187.

RECEIVING—Dallas, Irvin 3-40, E.Smith 3-8, Fleming 2-25, Sanders 1-19, Novacek 1-15, Johnston 1-3. Philadelphia, C.Williams 6-47, Watters 6-36, Carpenter 3-48, Monk 2-23, Barnett 1-19, Jones 1-9, R.Johnson 1-5.

Falcons 19, Saints 14

New Orleans	**0**	**0**	**0**	**14**	**— 14**
Atlanta	**6**	**3**	**7**	**3**	**— 19**

First Quarter
Atl—FG Andersen 25, 3:46.
Atl—FG Andersen 51, 13:44.
Second Quarter
Atl—FG Andersen 55, 14:55.
Third Quarter
Atl—Heyward 5 pass from George (Andersen kick), 7:17.
Fourth Quarter
NO—Smith 1 pass from Everett (Brien kick), :42.
NO—Smith 5 pass from Everett (Brien kick), 8:55.
Atl—FG Andersen 55, 10:43.

	NO	Atl
First downs	21	18
Rushes-yards	18-55	22-91
Passing	287	242
Comp-Att-Int	31-47-1	20-39-0
Punts	6-44	4-37
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-21	6-34
Time of Possession	31:15	28:45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—New Orleans, Bates 14-45, Everett 2-8, Brown 1-2, Zellers 1-0. Atlanta, Heyward 19-93, George 3-(minus 2).

PASSING—New Orleans, Everett 31-47-1-287. Atlanta, George 20-39-0-251.

RECEIVING—New Orleans, Smith 7-45, Haynes 6-77, Early 6-66, Walls 4-37, Brown 3-23, Bates 3-11, Small 2-28. Atlanta, Emanuel 6-65, Mathis 5-74, Haeyward 3-42, Metcalf 3-40, Brown 3-30.

Lions 24, Oilers 17

Detroit	**7**	**10**	**0**	**7**	**— 24**
Houston	**0**	**7**	**3**	**7**	**— 17**

First Quarter
Det—Moore 13 pass from Mitchell (Hanson kick), 8:49.
Second Quarter
Hou—Jeffires 9 pass from Chandler (Del Greco kick), :05.
Det—FG Hanson 36, 13:16.
Det—Sanders 9 run (Hanson kick), 13:40.
Third Quarter
Hou—FG Del Greco 47, 14:45.
Fourth Quarter
Det—Moore 14 pass from Mitchell (Hanson kick), 1:06.
Hou—Sanders 39 pass from S.McNair (Del Greco kick), 6:13.

	Det	Hou
First downs	15	26
Rushes-yards	23-59	26-93
Passing	263	312
Comp-Att-Int	16-36-2	31-49-3
Punts	5-39	4-39
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	5-3
Penalties-Yards	8-52	3-33
Time of Possession	22:53	37:07

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Detroit, Sanders 19-54, Morton 1-8, Mitchell 2-4, Royals 1-(minus 7). Houston, Thomas 21-74, S.McNair 3-10, Butts 2-9.

PASSING—Detroit, Mitchell 16-36-2-283. Houston, Chandler 15-21-2-143. S.McNair 16-27-1-203, Camarillo 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING—Detroit, Moore 7-105, Perriman 6-128, B.Sanders 2-33, Morton 1-17. Houston, Jeffires 8-72, T.McNair 6-40, Wycheck 5-71, Russell 4-75, C.Sanders 4-61, Thomas 3-21, Lewis 1-6.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Detroit, Hanson 49.

Colts 41, Jaguars 31

Indianapolis	**14**	**10**	**3**	**14**	**— 41**
Jacksonville	**0**	**7**	**3**	**21**	**— 31**

First Quarter
Ind—Bailey 95 kickoff return (Blanchard kick), :15.
Ind—Bailey 14 run (Blanchard kick), 11:22.
Second Quarter
Jac—Stewart 6 run (Hollis kick), 2:06.
Ind—Faulk 1 run (Blanchard kick), 9:16.
Ind—FG Blanchard 22, 12:09.
Third Quarter
Jac—FG Hollis 37, 6:31.
Ind—FG Blanchard 44, 11:37.
Fourth Quarter
Jac—Jackson 15 pass from Brunell (Hollis kick), 2:43.
Ind—Erickson 16 pass to Dilger (Blanchard kick), 6:56.
Jac—Smith 4 pass from Brunell (Hollis kick), 8:36.
Ind—Warren 2 run (Blanchard kick), 12:11.
Jac—Jackson 7 pass from Brunell (Hollis kick), 13:55.

	Ind	Jac
First downs	15	27
Rushes-yards	35-91	25-126
Passing	128	298
Comp-Att-Int	9-16-0	26-39-1
Punts	2-43	2-42 1/2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	2-10	4-26
Time of Possession	38:40	21:20

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Indianapolis, Faulk 22-54, Erickson 4-13, Warren 6-12, Potts 3-12. Jacksonville, Stewart 19-92, Brunell 2-19, Maston 4-15.

PASSING—Indianapolis, Erickson 9-16-0-129. Jacksonville, Brunell 26-39-1-312.

RECEIVING—Indianapolis, Dilger 2-42, Turner 2-22, Warren 2-20, Dawkins 1-27, Bailey 1-14, Faulk 1-4. Jacksonville, Smith 7-79, Jackson 6-113, Griffith 4-54, Mitchell 4-25, Tillman 2-18, Stewart 2-9, Maston 1-14.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Jacksonville, Hollis 27.

Bengals 16, Bears 10

Chicago	**0**	**3**	**0**	**7**	**— 10**
Cincinnati	**3**	**3**	**10**	**0**	**— 16**

First Quarter
Cin—FG Pelfrey 28, 8:08.
Second Quarter
Cin—FG Pelfrey 37, 3:19.
Chi—FG Butler 27, 14:21.
Third Quarter
Cin—FG Pelfrey 39, 10:13.
Cin—Scott 38 pass from Blake (Pelfrey kick), 11:26.
Fourth Quarter
Chi—Salaam 5 run (Butler kick), 5:12.

	Chi	Cin
First downs	17	19
Rushes-yards	26-119	26-91
Passing	183	246
Comp-Att-Int	18-36-0	30-41-0
Punts	6-31	4-28
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-47	6-43
Time of Possession	26:14	33:46

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Chicago, Salaam 22-105, Carter 2-10, Kramer 2-4. Cincinnati, Green 9-42, Bieniemy 6-26, Joseph 7-15, Blake 3-4, Scott 1-4.

PASSING—Chicago, Kramer 18-36-0-196. Cincinnati, Blake 30-41-0-253.

RECEIVING—Chicago, Carter 7-42, Conway 5-54, Graham 3-63, Timpson 2-24, Gedney 1-13. Cincinnati, Pickens 11-99, Green 6-13, Scott 5-75, Bieniemy 3-25, Joseph 2-17, McGee 2-13, Dunn 1-11.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Cincinnati, Pelfrey 42.

49ers 31, Panthers 10

San Francisco	**7**	**14**	**7**	**3**	**— 31**
Carolina	**0**	**3**	**7**	**0**	**— 10**

First Quarter
SF—Loville 4 pass from Young (Wilkins kick), 4:13.
Second Quarter
SF—Loville 1 run (Wilkins kick), 9:50.
Car—FG Kasay 43, 12:38.
SF—Stokes 20 pass from Young (Wilkins kick), 14:30.
Third Quarter
Car—Moore 2 run (Kasay kick), 3:14.
SF—Young 1 run (Wilkins kick), 11:53.
Fourth Quarter
SF—FG Wilkins 20, 4:13.

	SF	Car
First downs	26	12
Rushes-yards	29-79	23-76
Passing	322	119
Comp-Att-Int	31-47-1	12-19-1
Punts	3-40	5-37
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-46	4-35
Time of Possession	35:28	24:32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Francisco, Loville 16-34, Young 5-21, Carter 6-19, Walker 1-6, Grbac 1-(minus 1). Carolina, Moore 9-28, Johnson 7-22, Christian 4-16, Thomas 1-8, Collins 2-2.

PASSING—San Francisco, Young 31-45-1-336, Grbac 0-2-0-0. Carolina, Collins 12-19-1-127.

RECEIVING—San Francisco, Jones 7-51, Loville 7-42, Rice 6-121, Taylor 5-52, Stokes 3-52, Thomas 1-10, Carter 1-4, Walker 1-4. Carolina, Johnson 5-39, Green 3-46, Guliford 2-30, Christian 2-12.

Bills 45, Rams 27

Buffalo	**7**	**14**	**14**	**10**	**— 45**
St. Louis	**10**	**3**	**3**	**11**	**— 27**

First Quarter
Buf—Brooks 23 pass from Kelly (Christie kick), 6:06.
StL—Kinchen 6 pass from Rypien (Biasucci kick), 9:31.
StL—FG Biasucci 28, 11:45.
Second Quarter
Buf—Thomas 1 pass from Kelly (Christie kick), 7:08.
Buf—Holmes 1 run (Christie kick), 9:31.
StL—FG Biasucci 37, 15:00.
Third Quarter
Buf—Tasker 6 pass from Kelly (Christie kick), 8:31.
StL—FG Biasucci 51, 10:26.
Buf—Tasker 28 pass from Kelly (Christie kick), 13:52.
Fourth Quarter
StL—FG Biasucci 25, 8:08.
Buf—Holmes 38 run, 8:20.
StL—Hester 5 pass from Rypien (Rypien to Bailey pass), 11:06.
Buf—FG Christie 45, 13:50. Drive: 33 yards, 12 plays.

	Buf	StL
First downs	29	27
Rushes-yards	38-222	22-73
Passing	232	377
Comp-Att-Int	19-25-1	34-61-0
Punts	3-50	5-47
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-30	13-97
Time of Possession	29:12	30:48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Buffalo, Thomas 24-129, Holmes 12-90, Tindale 2-3. St. Louis, Robinson 15-52, Bailey 4-15, Barr 1-5, Bettis 1-3, Russell 1-(minus 2).

PASSING—Buffalo, Kelly 19-25-1-237. St. Louis, Rypien 31-55-0-372, Barr 3-6-0-29.

RECEIVING—Buffalo, Brooks 6-73, Tasker 4-54, Thomas 3-16, Copeland 2-33, Cline 2-32, Johnson 2-29. St. Louis, Bailey 10-69, Bruce 9-136, Wright 4-96, Kinchen 3-32, Hester 3-31, Cook 2-23, Drayton 2-8, Robinson 1-6.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Buffalo, Christie 50.

Patriots 31, Jets 28

N.Y. Jets	**0**	**7**	**7**	**14**	**— 28**
New England	**0**	**7**	**7**	**17**	**— 31**

Second Quarter
NY—Yarborough 31 pass from Esiason (Lowery kick), 1:49.
NE—Graham 37 pass from Bledsoe (Bahr kick), 2:55.
Third Quarter
NY—Mitchell 3 pass from Esiason (Lowery kick), 10:17.
NE—Martin 9 run (Bahr kick), 11:17.
Fourth Quarter
NE—FG Bahr 31, 5:18.
NY—Murrell 3 pass from Esiason (Lowery kick), 9:02.
NE—T.Brown 75 fumble return (Bahr kick), 9:21.
NE—Martin 1 run (Bahr kick), 12:27.
NY—Yarborough 3 pass from Esiason (Lowery kick), 14:55.

	NY	NE
First downs	23	18
Rushes-yards	28-92	35-160
Passing	254	167
Comp-Att-Int	27-42-1	11-36-1
Punts	9-39	7-41
Fumbles-Lost	6-3	4-2
Penalties-Yards	8-86	6-47
Time of Possession	33:39	26:21

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—New York, Murrell 17-55, B.Baxter 8-38, Esiason 3-(minus 1). New England, Martin 31-148, Meggett 2-13, Bledsoe 2-(minus 1).

PASSING—New York, Esiason 27-42-1-296. New England, Bledsoe 11-36-1-178.

RECEIVING—New York, Mitchell 9-108, Yarborough 6-105, Murrell 5-22, Chrebet 4-45, B.Baxter 2-12, R.Moore 1-4. New England, Graham 3-66, Brisby 3-60, Coates 3-42, Martin 1-6, Gash 1-4.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—New York, Lowery 34. New England, Bahr 31, 35, 30.

Giants 20, Redskins 13

Washington	**0**	**3**	**0**	**10**	**— 13**
N.Y. Giants	**3**	**10**	**0**	**7**	**— 20**

First Quarter
NY—FG Daluiso 36, 13:15.
Second Quarter
Was—FG Murray 34, 2:42.
NY—Lewis 90 kickoff return (Daluiso kick), 3:01.
NY—FG Daluiso 42, 13:49.
Fourth Quarter
Was—FG Murray 30, 1:11.
Was—Allen 1 run (Murray kick), 11:25.
NY—Calloway 40 pass from Brown (Daluiso kick), 13:48.

	Was	NY
First downs	21	9
Rushes-yards	40-161	24-88
Passing	145	72
Comp-Att-Int	17-32-1	10-12-0
Punts	3-48	4-43
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	2-10	4-26
Time of Possession	38:40	21:20

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Washington, Allen 30-120, Shuler 5-23, Mitchell 4-16, Logan 1-2. New York, Hampton 18-78, Way 1-6, Brown 5-4.

PASSING—Washington, Shuler 17-32-1-175. New York, Brown 10-12-0-91.

RECEIVING—Washington, Asher 4-50, Westbrook 4-39, Mitchell 3-14, Ellard 2-34, Allen 2-20, Galbreath 1-15, Shepherd 1-3. New York, Pierce 3-14, Calloway 2-56, Hampton 2-3, Cross 1-9, Sherrard 1-8, Way 1-1.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Murray 36, 47.

Steelers 29, Raiders 10

Pittsburgh	**7**	**13**	**3**	**6**	**— 29**
Oakland	**0**	**7**	**3**	**0**	**— 10**

First Quarter
Pit—Mills 37 pass from O'Donnell (N.Johnson kick), 8:31.
Second Quarter
Pit—FG N.Johnson 41, 2:52.
Oak—Bruce 1 interception return (Jaeger kick), 8:08.
Pit—FG Johnson 35, 11:35.
Pit—Mills 14 pass from O'Donnell (N.Johnson kick), 14:49.
Third Quarter
Oak—FG Jaeger 39, 3:11.
Pit—FG N.Johnson 32, 9:35.
Fourth Quarter
Pit—FG N.Johnson 20, 7:03.
Pit—FG N.Johnson 22, 11:05.

	Pit	Oak
First downs	21	9
Rushes-yards	44-144	15-28
Passing	211	162
Comp-Att-Int	15-31-1	20-37-4
Punts	3-43	6-43
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-10	9-57
Time of Possession	37:28	22:32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Pittsburgh, Pegram 26-122, Morris 3-16, McAfee 6-7, Stewart 2-5, J.L. Williams 2-4, O'Donnell 1-1, Tomczak 3-1, Mills 1-(minus 12). Oakland, H.Williams 12-28, Fenner 1-1, Hobert 2-(minus 1).

PASSING—Pittsburgh, O'Donnell 15-31-1-230. Oakland, Hobert 20-37-4-162.

RECEIVING—Pittsburgh, Mills 5-93, Thigpen 4-61, Hasting 4-50, Stewart 1-23. J.L. Williams 1-3. Oakland, H.Williams 6-18, T.Brown 5-56, Fenner 3-20, Hobbs 2-35, Ismail 1-19, Jett 1-7, Cash 1-5, Glover 1-2.

Seahawks 31, Broncos 27

Seattle	**0**	**3**	**7**	**21**	**— 31**
Denver	**10**	**10**	**0**	**7**	**— 27**

First Quarter
Den—Craver 2 run (Elam kick), 3:52.
Den—FG Elam 29, 11:41.
Second Quarter
Den—Miller 15 pass from Elway (Elam kick), 2:14.
Den—FG Elam 46, 10:00.
Sea—FG Peterson 36, 13:45.
Third Quarter
Sea—Edwards 83 fumble return (Peterson kick), 5:51.
Fourth Quarter
Sea—Warren 24 run (Peterson kick), 3:54.
Den—Elway 1 run (Elam kick), 7:44.
Sea—Galloway 5 pass from Friesz (Peterson kick), 10:50.
Sea—Warren 20 pass from Friesz (Peterson kick), 14:11.

	Sea	Den
First downs	19	25
Rushes-yards	27-134	37-240
Passing	192	148
Comp-Att-Int	16-34-2	16-29-3
Punts	6-46	2-38
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	9-103	9-78
Time of Possession	25:37	34:23

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By Jeane Dixon

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1995

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Rapidly changing events and innovative people help shape your fortunes. A unique career opportunity arises early in 1996. Your income will probably not increase until you have paid your dues; be patient. Choose your professional and personal allies more carefully.

A business expansion next May will be everything you want. Travel abroad proves profitable in midsummer. Give romance top priority when fall rolls around. Improved health habits keep you in top shape mentally and physically.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: actress Rita Moreno, author Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, singer Brenda Lee, producer Carlo Ponti.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Routine assignments hold fresh appeal. Lose yourself in your work; progress is assured. What you personally do and say will attract more attention than a lot of paid-for advertising.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Romance sparkles. Spend your money wisely. An inexpensive but imaginative gift can mean more than a high-cost item. Enjoy any time you can spend alone. The rest of the month will be very busy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Tend to routine tasks early in the day, streamlining office procedures to save time and money. Greater teamwork is advised. Avoid sounding critical of a young person who does not share your views.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be on the lookout for the unexpected. Errors can result if directions are misunderstood. Ask questions if you are not certain about your instructions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Resist an urge to disregard certain rules or make unpleasant remarks. Nothing should be allowed to stand in the way of teamwork. Build a relationship on solid ground, not quicksand.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): When faced with various tasks, decide which ones need immediate attention. Delegate routine chores to qualified co-workers. A family emergency may put a dent in your wallet.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A career change sounds too good to be true. Play for time while you seek more information. Someone influential asks your opinion of a co-worker.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Check your bank balance before going shopping. A change of scenery helps you think clearly about a personal situation. Events at a distance could mean new financial gains.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your independent ways could lead to a quarrel with loved ones. Try to reach a new understanding. A friend's letter raises questions in your mind. Read between the lines.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Stay centered and you will accomplish more. Family members are unusually supportive. A partner may be confused about your intentions. Lighten up and talk things out. You need to sound positive about your goals.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Someone who has great trust in you could feel disappointed. Own up to your mistakes, vowing to try harder in the future. Spiritual gains prove more fulfilling than material rewards. Look within for answers.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Domestic squabbles should be avoided. Self-control and patience will help you resolve petty differences before they become serious. Trying to keep up with the Joneses can be ruinous to your budget. Do not overspend.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠A 5 ♡A 9 8 ◇7 6 3 2 ♣10 8 5 4

The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♠	Pass	1NT	Pass
3♡	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

A - Partner's jump shift was forcing, so we know you were not thinking of passing. Or, for that matter, bidding three no trump without a stopper in either minor. If partner has five hearts, raising to four hearts would be right, but North might have only four. The way to find out is with a false preference to three spades, and wait to hear what partner does next.

Q. 2 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠3 ♡A J ◇A K 6 2 ♣A K Q J 4 3

The bidding has proceeded:

EAST	SOUTH	WEST	NORTH
1♠	Dbl	2♠	Pass
4♠	?		

What action do you take?

A - If you elect to double, don't be surprised if the opponents wrap up their contract. Your side has the balance of power, so East must have a highly distributional hand to leap to the spade game. Bid five clubs. You don't need much from partner to make it, and if you are defeated it won't be expensive.

Q. 3 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠J 10 8 ♡7 5 ◇Q 9 5 4 2 ♣6 5 4

The bidding has proceeded:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
1◇	Dbl	Pass	?

What do you bid now?

A - Partner's double asks for your best suit, and there is no reason why you should not obey. (If you thought of bidding either one no trump or converting to penalties by passing, get a bidding primer now!) Bid one spade.

Q. 4 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠K 10 9 ♡A K Q J 9 7 5 ◇K 8 ♣8

The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♠	Pass	2♡	Pass
3♠	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

A - We are prepared to play slam in hearts if partner has sufficient aces. The way to find out is to inquire by jumping to four no trump. Bid six hearts if partner shows two aces, and we would take our chances with a grand slam should partner show all three missing aces. If necessary, you might be able to develop the club suit for the fulfilling trick.

Q. 5 - Both vulnerable as South you hold:

♠5 ♡K 8 3 ◇A Q 10 9 7 6 4 ♣A 4

The bidding has proceeded:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
1♡	Pass	1♠	?

What action do you take?

A - You have a hand rich in playing tricks but the high-card count is not enough for you to double first and then bid your suit. Overcall two diamonds. To enter a live auction, vulnerable, at the two-level when both opponents are bidding and partner has passed takes a good hand. Unless partner can act over two diamonds, you are going nowhere.

Q. 6 Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠A 5 ♡7 6 3 ◇A K Q J 9 5 ♣A 8

The bidding has proceeded:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
1♡	Pass	1♠	?

What action do you take?

A - You have eight tricks in your hand. Our suggestion is that you jump to three no trump. On a good day partner will have a black-suit king or something which will produce a ninth trick.

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"I'm sorry, sir, but there's a five-day waiting period on all in-line skate purchases so we can verify that you're not a spaz."

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(7) KOSA	7	7
(9) KWES	9	9
(10) KMLM	42	12
(13) KOCV	36	13
Cable	O	C
(4) CNBC		8
(18) WGN		10
(11) WTBS		11
(16) BRAV		16
(20) BET		20
(23) DISN		21
(25) FAM		23
(28) CNN		35
(29) ESPN		36
(37) USA		37
(38) FX		38
(39) A&E		39
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This week little Billy fills in for Daddy, who is on a book promotion tour.

DENNIS THE MENACE

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY EVENING December 11, 1995 For complete information check movie listings.

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 188	Wheel of Fortune	The Marshal: Those Foolish Things 5140		NFL Football: Kansas City Chiefs at Miami Dolphins 408868						News 2483	Cheers 33430
(4) KPEJ	24	6	The Simpsons	Home Improvement	Melrose Place: Oyl To the World 94481		Partners 78343	Ned and Stacey	One West Waikiki (Part 2 of 2) 84445		Home Improvement	In the Heat of the Night 702648	Stephanie Miller	
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 3932	Entertainment Ton.	The Nanny 2985	Almost Perfect	Murphy Brown	High Society 9940	Chicago Hope: Christmas Truce 79121		News 4142189	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)	Married ... Children	
(2) KWES	9	9	News 4880	Seinfeld 8430	Fresh Prince	In the House 4614					News 3504256	The Tonight Show (10:35) 7177701	Late Night Conan	
(6) KMLM	42	12	The Light of the Southwest 662617		Sekulow		Benny Hinn 58807		Praise the Lord 15984				Sch'bach	Peneanti
(9) KOCV	36	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 805508		Lamb Chop's Special Chanukah 553508		The American Experience 562256		Keith Jarrett Trio: Standards Vol. II 542492		Adventure, Journey	To Be Announced 138140		
Cable	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(31) CNBC		8	Money Club	Steele and Deele	Tim Russert	Equal Time	Rivers Live 3631614		Charles Grodin 3511850		Real Personal	Equal Time	Rivers Live 8057169	
(18) WGN		10	Family Matters	Newhart 203527					Night Court	News 907986	Sweps 279695	Simon & Simon 857617		Honeymooners
(11) WTBS		11	Fun Videos	Fun Videos										
(16) BRAV		16	Twin Peaks 906695						South Bank Show					
(53) BET		20	All Night	Benson	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul				Benson	Jazz Central		
(21) DISN		21	The Tortoisons	Ocean Girl 218459	Avonlea: Home Is Where the Heart Is 7827343							Scenic Wonders of America: New Mexico		
(29) FAM		23	The Waltons 847548		Highway to Heaven 271527		Rescue 911 280275		The 700 Club 260411		Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Bonanza: Top Hand 997189	
(30) CNN		35	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Showbiz
(33) ESPN		36	SportsCenter (5:30)		NFL Prime Monday 898343		Skiing: World Cup Nordic Combined 577186		Reno Air Show 587324		Extreme Bloopers	SportsCenter 882985		Motorcycle Racing
(37) USA		37	Wings 398256	Wings 379508	Murder, She Wrote 737508		WWF Monday Night RAW 748258		Forever Knight: Blackwing 728492		Wings 378804	Wings 354324	Quantum Leap 351382	
(38) FX		38	Fall Guy 7471617		Hart to Hart 3677850		Trapper John, M.D.		In Color	In Color	Vega$ 3676121		Rawhide 6169695	
(39) A&E		39	Ville's Home Again	Ville's Home Again	Biography: Carl Reiner: Still Laughing 119186		Poirot 185508		Miss Marple (Part 1 of 3) 108072		Law & Order: Working Stiff 116459		Biography: Carl Reiner: Still Laughing 706898	
(41) NICK		41	Nickoloon Mix (2) 988237		The Munsters	I Dream of Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched 137459	Mary Tyler Moore	Yes! 459343	Welcome Kotter	Dick Van Dyke	Bob Newhart	The Lucy Show
(45) LIFE		43	The Commish 610492		Unsolved Mysteries						Unsolved Mysteries		Mysteries	Late Date
(48) UNI		49	Lazos de Amor 41527		Acapulco, Cuerpo y Alma 93343		El Premio Mayor 58881		Cristina -- Edicion Especial 99527		Noticiero Univision	Impacto Extra	McDanilas	McDanilas/ Mexico
(59) HSE		50	High School Extra	Women's College Volleyball: NCAA Tournament, Regional Championship 214527					Bicycle Racing 653627	Press Box 11324	Boxing: Fight Night at the Forum 48343			
(51) COM		51	Politically Incorrect	Garry Shandling	Fabulous	Tracey Ullman	Whose Line Is It?	Drop Dead Donkey	Saturday Night Live: Sally Kellerman 1508861		Politically Incorrect	Kids in the Hall	Mystery Science Theater 3000 7189459	
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(19) DISC		14	Beyond 2000	Next Step 859169	Wild Discovery: Great White Encounter 184492		On Jupiter 193140		Pangal 113904		Next Step 709850	Beyond 2000	Wild Discovery: Great White Encounter 704430	
(50) AMC		15												
(54) TNN		16	Dance	C'try News	Sam's Place Christmas		Music City Tonight 249614			C'try News	Club Dance 433584		Sam's Place Christmas	
(72) TNT		17	In the Heat of the Night		Thunder in Paradise		WCW Monday Nitro						WCW Monday Nitro	
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Martha Stewart Living Christmas Theme Week

Join home entertainment expert Martha Stewart as she offers practical advice for the holidays. Wreath making, tree decorating, gift wrapping techniques, candlemaking and cooking for the season are this week's topics.

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PEOPLE

Spike Lee takes on small screen with big hopes, pens pilot for CBS

RADNOR, Pa. — **Spike Lee** is taking on the small screen with big hopes.

Lee says there are too many cartoonish sitcoms about blacks.

The filmmaker said there are too many cartoonish sitcoms about black life and not enough black dramas on TV, so he's writing his own pilot for CBS.

"I'm working on a pilot called 'Slim's Table' that looks at older black men who gather every day at a Greek restaurant and talk about life," he told TV Guide.

"This is a drama, but that doesn't mean it has to be devoid of humor," he said. "I look at all these comedies — and I won't name names — but they're not about us."

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RADNOR, Pa. — Behind the broad smile and perky presence, **Kathie Lee Gifford** isn't a happy camper.

Kathie Lee Gifford is threatening to leave Regis' TV show.

The co-star of "Live With **Regis** & Kathie Lee" is threatening to leave when her contract expires in August unless she's given more say over who appears on the talk show.

"If things don't change on the show, I won't return," Gifford said in the Dec. 16 issue of TV Guide. "I'm concerned that TV has become a wasteland, and I don't want to be a part of it. I'm not always proud of our show anymore."

One example, she said, is a nixed interview with **Cathy Keating**, the first lady of Oklahoma. Gifford had wanted Keating to talk about her book on the Oklahoma City bombing and how she is donating the proceeds to victims and their families.

"She was bumped off the show by **Boy George**!" Gifford said. "He has his place, but let's keep it balanced."

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MINNEAPOLIS — **Ice-T,** the rapper who wrote "Cop Killer," has a new message for teens: stay away from drugs, violence and the fast buck.

"I can tell you how to get rich in nine months," he said. "But the nine-month plan ends in a funeral."

Ice-T was in town Friday for a concert and spoke to students at three schools.

At North High School, he asked students to raise their hands if they knew someone who sold or used drugs and ran with a gang. Almost all 900 in the audience raised their hands. When he asked if they knew anyone older than 25 with that lifestyle who had not gone to jail or been shot, all but a few hands came down.

"There is no retirement, and you can't win. Why get into a profession where you can't win?" he said.

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LOS ANGELES — The category is real estate.

Alex Trebek, the host of "Jeopardy," has listed his Los Angeles home for about $1 million, the Los Angeles Times reported Sunday.

"It's a great bachelor or couple's house, or for families with kids over 10 or 12, but it's not a great house for toddlers," Trebek said. "That's why we moved."

He and wife **Jean** have two children under 5. The family has since relocated to Studio City and began renting the Mulholland Drive house about 18 months ago.

Trebek designed and built the four-bedroom, 5,500-square-foot house for himself in 1984, when he was single. He and Jean have been married since 1990.

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LEXINGTON, Ky. — Arts, writer **Marsha Norman** said, is how a culture prepares for the future.

The Pulitzer Prize- and Tony Award-winning novelist and playwright told a Kentucky Arts Council gathering that the National Endowment for the Arts must be preserved.

"Art is how a culture records its life, how it poses questions for the next generation and how it will be remembered," she said Friday.

"That national leaders doubt the value of supporting the National Endowment is preposterous. I can only conclude that they are suffering severe delusions. They simply do not get it, and they will not prevail."

Norman, a Louisville native, won the Pulitzer for "'night, Mother" in 1983 and the Tony for the musical "The Secret Garden" in 1991.

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Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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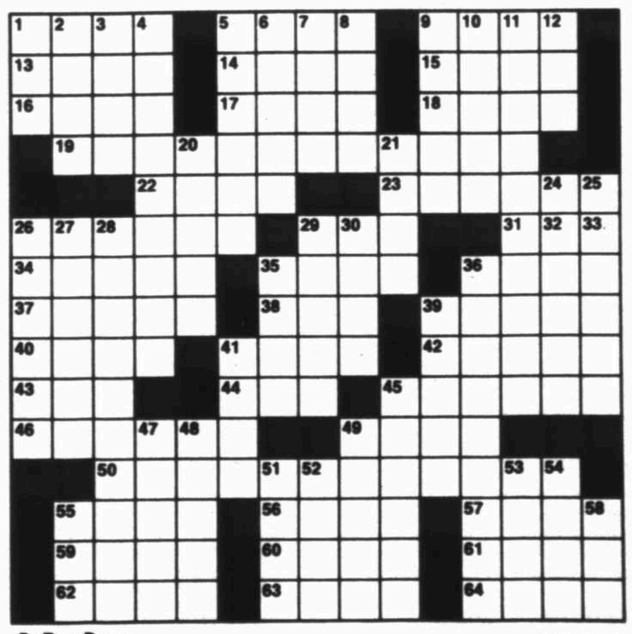

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GET RESULTS BY: Using unique selling points • Using complete words • Creating mind images with words • Always include a price • Use brand names when appropriate • Always include your phone number • Always include best times to call you • Give your ad a chance to work by advertising for a reasonable amount of time.

When Your Ad Is Due

Edition	Word Ad Deadlines Deadline		Display Ad Deadlines Deadline	
Monday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	4:00 p.m.
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When To Call

Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
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Our Phone numbers are:

Classified	682-6222
Fax	682-6999
Toll Free	1-800-881-8164

Mailing Address Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland Tx 79701, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx. 79702

Curiosity Corner
3 Lines 4 Days $6
Items must be of a general household nature. Ads will publish on Mon. through Thur. and price must not exceed $150. One ad per family per week. Private individuals only.

Super Seller
3 lines 7 days $10
Items must be of a general household nature. Only one item per ad and price must not exceed $350.

"HAPPY ADS" for any occasion Only $36
(without picture, $42 with picture)
Anniversaries • Welcome Home
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Dick Hardin, Classified Adv. Manager 682-5311
Ember Hasenkamp, Class. Telephone Supervisor 687-8813

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The price of your ad will be based on the number of days published according to our rate structure. Call (915) 682-6222 - ask for your cancellation number. This is your record of cancellation and it is important that you have it in the event of any misunderstanding or adjustment. "Super Seller" and "Real Wheel Deal" ads may be cancelled, but are non-adjustable and non-refundable.

Errors and Adjustments

Please check your ad the first day that it appears to be sure that all of the information is correct. This will ensure that your ad is exactly what you want readers to see. Call us the first day if you find an error at 915-682-6222. To report an error in Saturday's edition call Saturday morning between 8a.m. and 10a.m. Errors in Sunday's edition should be reported on Monday morning after 8:00 a.m. We must limit our financial responsiblity, if any, to the charge for the word or space, and cannot be held responsible for incorrect ads after the first day of publication.

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram assumes no financial responsiblity in an ad beyond the cost of the ad itself, and no responsiblity for the omission of an ad.

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FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
If your are a private individual selling one item for $50 or less you can place a 3 line classified advertisement for 4 days absolutely FREE in the Midland Reporter-Telegram.
Other restrictions apply.

"Sell It In 10" or We'll Run It Again"
3 LINES 10 DAYS $15
EACH ADDITIONAL LINE $5.00
If you have a car, truck, van, RV, motorcycle, boat or airplane we'll advertise it for 10 consecutive days. In the unlikely event you don't sell it we'll run it another 10 days at no charge. At the end of 20 days if it still hasn't sold we'll run it another 10 days at no charge, if you'll reduce the price by 10%. Price must be in ad. Only one vehicle per ad. For private individuals only (non-commercial).

Real Wheel Deals
ONLY $25
(Includes Picture)
If you have a car, truck, van, motor-home, motorcycle, airplane, bicycle or anything with wheels, your ad will be scheduled for 7 DAYS. When you get the desired results simply call us and we will cancel it immediately for only $25. For private individuals only.
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CONSTABLE'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

WHEREAS by virtue of Writ of Execution issued out of the County Court at Law; Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 8th day of February, 1995, in Cause No. 8112, where Cargill Incorporated DBA ACCO FEEDS was/were Plaintiff and Mike Blissard & Lauri A. Wilson Ind & DBA Wilson Farm & Ranch Supply was/were Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of $3455.58 DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 18% per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 3rd day of November, 1995, at 8:35 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Mike Blissard to-wit:

1 acre tract in Sec. 34, Blk 38, T-1-S, T & P R.R. Survey, Midland County, Texas.

At about 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 2nd day of January, 1996, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Mike Blissard in and to said above described property.

Witness my hand this the 8th day of December, 1995.

RON RICE, Constable
Midland County, Texas
by Ken Colston, Deputy

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for Contract NO. 066XXM2001 for Cleaning and sweeping Highways on IF 20 Etc., in Ector counties of the Odessa District Office of the Texas Department of Transportation until 1:30 P.M., January 9, 1996, then opened and publicly read.

Bidding proposals, plans, and specifications will be available at the Odessa District Office at:

3901 East Highway 80
Odessa, Texas 79761
Telephone (915) 333-9140

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The annual report of the Marian Blakemore Foundation, Inc. is available, at the address noted below, for inspection during regular business hours, by any citizen who so requests within 180 days of its availability.

MARIAN BLAKEMORE FOUNDATION, INC.
200 N. Loraine, Suite 1245
Midland, Texas 79701
(915) 684-5732
The Principal Manager is William B. Blakemore, II

ADVERTISEMENT AND INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Wickett (hereinafter called the OWNER) will receive Bids for SEWER FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS, TCDP Contract no. 703959, until 6:00 PM, Tuesday, December 19, 1995, in person at the City Council Meeting at City Hall (101 W. Third) City of Wickett or by mail to Ellen Bond, City Secretary, City of Wickett, P.O. Box 185, Wickett, TX 79788-0185. All bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 6:00 PM, Tuesday, December 19,1995.

Consideration for award of the Bid will be made at 6:00 PM, Tuesday, December 19, 1995, at the City Council meeting, City Hall, City of Wickett.

Bids are invited upon the several items and quantities of work as follows:

Base Bid:
Furnish materials and perform installation of sanitary sewer facility improvements including approximately 1,500 L.F. of 4-inch SDR 35 PVC service line, 4,230 L.F. of 6-inch SDR 35 PVC sewer line, 1,900 L.F. of 8-inch SDR 35 PVC sewer line, 880 L.F. of 3/4-inch Sch 40 PVC force main, 1,600 L.F. of 3-inch SDR 26 PVC force main, 20 manholes, 4 cleanouts, 14 service connections, 460 L.F. of highway boring, 10 S.Y. of pavement patch, 1 duplex grinder lift station, 1 simplex grinder pump lift station and other appurtenances as required.

Alternate Bid No. 1:
Furnish materials and perform installation of sanitary sewer facility improvements including approximately 350 L.F. of 6-inch SDR 35 PVC sewer line, 1 manhole, 1 cleanout and other appurtenances as required.

Alternate Bid No. 2:
Furnish materials and perform installation of sanitary sewer facility improvements including approximately 15 L.F. of 6-inch SDR 35 PVC sewer line,740 L.F. of PVC force main, 1 duplex grinder pump lift station and other appurtenances as required.

Alternate Bid No. 3:
Furnish materials and perform installation of sanitary sewer facility improvements including approximately 10 L.F. of 8-inch SDR 35 PVC sewer line, 1,050 L.F. of PVC force main, 1 duplex grinder pump lift station and other appurtenances as required.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications, are on file at the office of Gutierrez, Smouse, Wilmut & Associates, Inc., 1030 Andrews Highway, Suite 211, Midland, Texas 79701.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be purchased of $50.00 from Gutierrez, Smouse, Wilmut & Associates for each set of documents obtained. No refunds will be made.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the OWNER, negotiable U.S. government bond (at par value) or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable Surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, and as set forth in the Contract Documents, must be paid on the project, and the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin on the entire project.

Attention is also called to General Condition 148 "Restrictions on Public Buildings and Public Works Projects." The Bidder certifies by the submission of its bid that the Contractor, Subcontractor, and materials used on this project are not of a foreign country included on the USTR list.

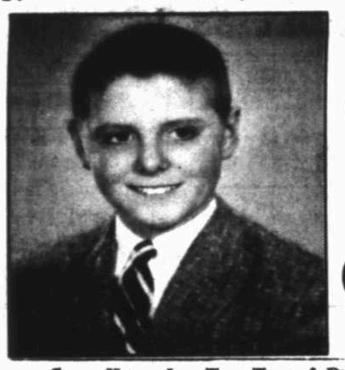
The Prime Contractor will review the equal employment opportunity section under the general Contract Conditions - Part 1 and will take affirmative action to meet minority and female participation goals in each task. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or to waive any informalities in the Bidding.

If the Bid is not awarded at the previously mentioned meeting of the Wickett City Council on December 19, 1995 then the Bids may be held by the OWNER for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the opening for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investing the Qualifications of Bidders.

Date December 1, 1995
By: Harold Ferguson
Mayor, City of Wickett

105 Happy Ads / 106 Happy Ads

If you see me from near or far,
maybe in a local bar, wish me a
Happy Fiftieth Birthday 12-11-95.



Karma, Stacy, Kristy, Jim, Tom, Travis & Bill

110 Lodge Notices

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509. Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dine 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm. Larry Ross, Pres. Bob Ellwood, Secy.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland
E.A. Degree
Dec. 16, 1995
8:50 a.m. and breakfast 7:30 am.
Larry Ross, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secty.

Acacia Masonic
1000 Upland
@ Cuthbert
Stated meeting
2nd & 4th Tue.
7:30 pm
694-0704
Rodney Wilson, W.M.
Al Talbot, Sec.

Midland Masonic Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall
Reg. stated meetings 2nd & 4th Thurs. 7:30 pm.
682-3292
Bill Dormady, W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

130 Personals

EXPERIENCED Driver will drive you and or your vehicle anywhere in the U.S. Daily rates, call 8- 10:30 am daily, weekends 8- 5, 520–2838.

SANTA CLAUS is coming to town! Make Christmas special with a visit from Santa! Call 682–0048.

QUIT SMOKING 1st Day. Doctor recommended. 100% Money Back Guarantee. Distributors needed. Top Income. 563–2083.

THANK YOU ST Jude and Sacred Heart for answering my prayers. T.R.C.

150 Lost & Found

IF your pet is lost, please check with MIDLAND ANIMAL CONTROL (on Fairground Road) every three days.

★ LARGE $Cash$ Reward!
For information leading to the return of acoustic Gibson guitar taken from Trestles Apartments of Odessa. 363–9137 or 332-8161. No questions asked.

FOUND male Boston Terrier, 10- 12 lbs. Wadley & Midkiff area. 699–1841.

LOST: "Thunder", a solid gray female cat with medium- long hair and pale, greenish- gold eyes. Lost in the vicinity of Meadow Park at N. Loop 250 and Ave. A. If found, please call Jacque at 682–3913.

FOUND little loving, gold, tabby cat. Near Cuthbert & Big Spring. 685–6851.

LOST: Red Heeler male dog. Answers to "Hoot". No collar. Lost 12/2/95 vicinity of W. Cuthbert & Midland Drive. Reward. 694-7852, 682-3060.

LOST from Anetta- Siamese male cat, white with orange markings, blue eyes. Yellow collar. REWARD. 520–4503.

ALL we want for Christmas is our dog back! Black and white Border Collie, male. REWARD. 687–5665.

LOST: Cocker Spaniel, white and tan male, vicinity of A Street/ Neely/ Big Spring. 685-1000.

LOST: Ladies dinner ring, still in the box near 3407 Meadowridge. Reward. 520-5333.

150 Lost & Found

FOUND: domestic medium hair female cat, white with gray spots, 3 months old. Domestic short hair female cat, cream color, adult. Contact Midland Animal Control, 685–7420.

FOUND: Chihuahua male dog, vicinity Polo Park. Call to identify, 682–5210.

162 Mortgages Wanted

LOCALLY Owned & Operated. Texas' largest volume note buyers! Free Quote- No Obligation. 520–4150 or 1-800-900-NOTE, South Plains Mortgage Company.

ABSOLUTE top dollar for notes, structured settlements, annuties, lotto winnings. Free note selling kit. 1-800-666-1496.

163 Money To Loan

A -Difference Cash loans, $500- $5,000, No Collateral, Bad Credit okay. call 1-800-965-1880.

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Attention Readers
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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165 Investment Opportunities

GROWING Midland based computer firm looking for working equity partner. Must have interest in the computer field and be willing to work for common goals. Please send confidential inquires to: D-49, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

130 Personals

PEOPLE MEETING PEOPLE
The Fun, Safe, & Convenient way to meet Midland Singles!
Look for it everyday in The Midland Reporter- Telegram Classified.
Call 1-800-618-0738 to place your personal ad,
Or 1-900-230-0042 to respond or browse.
Questions?
Call Cityline at 560-2400, enter category 6338 & you'll get all the details on how to use People Meeting People.
$2.19 Per minute.
Average call is 3 minutes. Must be at least 18 to use this service.

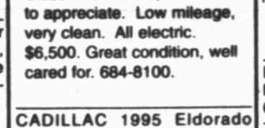
170 Schools/ Instruction

$99 CONCEALED hand gun license classes. RAM Enterprises, 520-2995.

LEARN Spanish, French, German, Italian, Russian. Tutoring, Math all levels. Homework help. Call David, 689–2302.

200 Automobiles Domestic

"We pay Cash for clean, used cars. Paid for or not!"
697-3115 ● 563-1348



1989 CHEVROLET CAPRICE Classic. Good car, must see to appreciate. Low mileage, very clean. All electric. $6,500. Great condition, well cared for. 684-8100.

CADILLAC 1995 Eldorado Touring Coupe. Loaded, extra nice. 5K miles. $36,000. 683-6186.

INSIDE SECURED STORAGE for motorhomes, RVs and other vehicles. Call for rates and availability (915) 570-5157.

BUICK 1988 Park Ave. Beautiful, immaculate, low mileage. Loaded. $6,950. 699–7720.

FORD 1990 Taurus GL. Loaded, blue, 110K miles. $4,900. 557-0098.

CHEVROLET 1976 Impala, 2 door, 77,000 miles, $1,500. Call 684–8323.

BUICK 1985 LeSabre. 4 door, V8, 105K, loaded. Excellent condition. $2,900. 694–2770.

FORD 1977 Granada. New engine, real good condition. Asking $995. Call 563–0627.

LINCOLN 1991 Continental 4 door, gray with burgundy leather, ABS, some warranty, 43K miles. Asking $13,000. Call Roy Proctor, 697-7788 or 694-8098.

CHEVROLET 1993 Baretta. White/ blue trim, excellent condition. $7,830, (915) 267–9993.

FORD 1985 Tempo. Red. Good condition. Asking $995 as is. 563–0627.

FORD 1988 Mustang McClaren Convertible. Rare, 42,000 miles. $9,900 o.b.o. 697–8051.

CHEVROLET 1984 Monte Carlo. Sharp! 686–0057.

200 Automobiles Domestic

MUST SACRIFICE! 1979 Trivator. $3,000. Call 682-4266 anytime. Ready to go- stickered and tagged!

CHRYSLER 1993 LEBARON 53K miles. Power windows and locks, automatic. One owner. Extra clean. Must sell! $8,700 Phone 683-8951.

BMW 1985 735i, $5,400. Can be seen at 400 E. 89th. 550-6214.

BUICK 1985 LeSabre Special Edition. Needs work. $800 or best offer. 687–6383.

BUICK 1989 Regal Limited. One owner. Extra nice. $4,500. 687–6322.

BUICK 1990 Riviera, white with grey leather interior, fully loaded, 1 car owner, $8,000. Before 5 pm 332-0141 ext. 206, after 5 pm 362-9876.

BUICK 1990 Riviera. Prettiest around. Loaded. $12,400 or best offer. Call 550-2517.

BUICK 1993 Century. 4 Door, V6, 26K miles. $7,995. $100 below wholesale book. 1992 Dodge Dynasty, 4 Door LE, V6. 42K miles. $7,995, $500 below wholesale book. Discount Rent-A-Car. 570–7368.

BUICK 1993 ROADMASTER Limited. Excellent condition. One owner. Low miles. 570–5104.

CADILLAC 1988 Fleetwood Brougham. Good car. $4,995. 687-2820, 683–2574.

CHEVROLET 1973 Monte Carlo. Runs good, good work or school car, $900. 694–6501.

CHEVROLET 1979 Impala. Runs great! Good condition. Air conditioner. $800. 687–0707.

CHEVROLET 1983 Cavalier. White, 2 door, runs good, $900 or best offer. After 5 pm, 689–3327.

170 Schools/ Instruction

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You owe it to yourself to CHECK IT OUT!
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273 CR 287
Merkel, Texas 79536

200 Automobiles Domestic

CHEVROLET 1984 Chevette, $750 cash. Tagged & Stickered. 1977 Mercury Marquis, $650 cash. 10 am- 6 pm. 684–5699.

CHEVROLET 1985 IMPALA. Runs great, very dependable. $1,200. 683–5300.

CHEVROLET 1987 Camaro LT, 1 owner, V8, all power, T- tops, new Michelin tires, low mileage. Call Sandy at 332-9191 work, or 335-0505.

LUMINA 1993 Euro 3.4. 4 door, white, 30K, loaded, extremely clean, $12,500 O. B. O. 697–6203 nights, 686-6021 days.

CHRYSLER 1989 LeBaron, $6,995. FIAT 1977 Spider, $4,500 or best offer. Convertibles for Christmas! Both low mileage. Call Vicky at 697–9405 or 699-7532.

CHRYSLER 1989 New Yorker. Take over payments of $269.13 (one year left). 682-2179.

CHRYSLER 1992 LeBaron Convertible, power everything, CD, leather interior, white. One owner. $12,500. 697–1424.

CIRCLE TRACK Race Car Bodies. $125 each. 10 am- 6 pm, 684–5699.

DODGE 1986 Charger 2.2. Looks and runs good. $1,200. 694–6759.

DODGE 1988 Aries LE. Excellent condition, power and air, AM/ FM, good mileage. $2,450. 520–6464.

EAGLE 1989 Premier LE. V6, 4 dr, automatic. Great condition, lt. blue. $3,995. 684–7994.

EAGLE 1989 Premier. 58K, power windows, locks, tilt, cruise, CD player, new paint, runs great! $3,700. 699–5275.

FORD 1965 MUSTANG 289 Hardtop. Black/ white vinyl top, low miles. Excellent condition. All original. $7,500. 820 E 7th, 366-2548.

FORD 1978 Thunderbird, 351 Windsor V8, all ok when stored. (806) 872-5333 or 2749. $350.

FORD 1987 Tempo LX. Power steering, windows and brakes, air, new brakes, tires, stuts. Runs good. $2,100. 520–4857.

FORD 1994 Mustang GT Convertible. White -white, 460 Sound- CD, leather, 5 speed, 12,000 miles. $19,000. 684–4618, 684-6278, after 5.

GEO 1989 Spectrum- need to sell! Excellent condition, asking $2,300 or best offer. 367-9032.

GEO 1994 Metro. A/ C, AM/ FM cassette. Must sell $6,995. Call Carla 563–2919.

Jack Sherman Chevrolet
Geo, Buick, Mazda Sales & Serv. 4100 W. Wall, 694-9601

200 Automobiles Domestic

OLDSMOBILE 1985 Delta 88 Royale. V8, 82K, hail damage, excellent otherwise, new tires, $2,300. 686-3639 , 699–7505.

MERCURY 1986 Sable GS. A/ C, power windows, tilt, V6, cruise, cassette. Looks and runs good. $2,650. 694–6759.

MERCURY 1992 Cougar. Super sharp with power windows and locks. Hurry! Only $9,995. Call Royce 563–2919.

OLDSMOBILE 1987 Firenza. Automatic, A/ C. Runs great. Call Chalee 563–2919.

OLDSMOBILE 1983 Firenza Stationwagon. Needs work. $500. Call 362-1923.

OLDSMOBILE 1985 Custom Cruiser. 307 V8, all electric, 112,000 miles. New fuel pump, tires and battery. Runs excellent, asking $2,100. Call 686-0731.

OLDSMOBILE 1986 Cutlass. 4 door, extra nice! Power everything. $1,000 down. 570–0166 National Auto Sales, 2605 W. Elizabeth.

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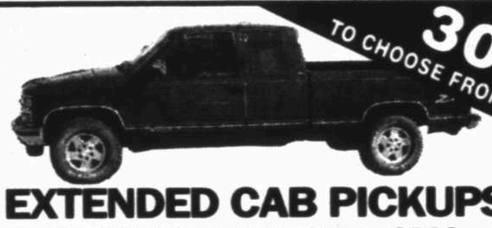

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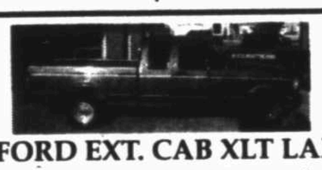

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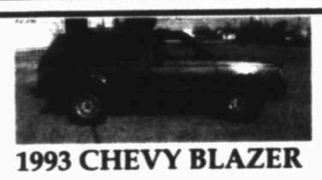

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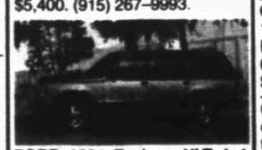

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This is an ideal opportunity for **Homemakers, High School Grads., College Students, Retirees,** and **others** to earn good money for only 15 hours per week. Hourly **Guarantee** ($4.25- $6.25) plus **Excellent Bonuses Paid Weekly.** The increased hourly rate is based on obtainable production. Daily, Weekly, and Special bonuses are paid over and above the hourly rate. Applications will be taken daily at the circulation department prior to 5 pm. Applications will be considered first. If you need more information, please call the phone number listed below.

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John H Greeley
Circulation Department
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702
915-688-2700

(If no answer, please leave your name & phone number & your call will be returned.)
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240 Motorcycles

THUMPERS+ MOTORCYCLE and ATV repairs- parts and accessories. Most brands. Full service shop. Certified professional mechanic. Customizing. Reasonable rates. 687–5003.

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Open 6 Days A Week
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250 Recreation Vehicles

NEWLY Remodeled 26' travel trailer. New refrigerator and air conditioner. Call 689–9720 or 689-2230.

BLAKELY RV COMPLEX
1 Mile West of Warfield
On I-20 - 561-9551
TERRY & MALLARD 5TH WHEELS & TRAILERS
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SKEETER 1987 Bass Boat. 18', 150 HP /OB. Black & teal in color. 915-235–5871.

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REMANUFACTURED - ENGINES. Tune- ups, brakes, air conditioning, diagnostics. Ron's Engines, 685-1076 or 1-800-974-1076.

305 Job Services

POSTAL/ Government & Social Worker Jobs. $21/ hour+ benefits. On- the- Job Training. 915-720-2837, 1-800-594-7647.

310 General Help Wanted

PROFESSIONAL RESUME & Typing Service. Reasonable rates. 699–2488.

INSURANCE. Established insurance agency accepting resumes for Customer Service Representative, part time to possibly full time. Capable of dealing with public and must be fluent in both Spanish and English. Experience helpful but willing to train the right candidate. Send resumes to: P.O. Box 390, 79702.

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Make your dreams come true.

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Meet New People & Make New Friends By Calling People Meeting People at 1-800-618-0738. You'll speak to a real person and it's completely confidential. What are you waiting for?

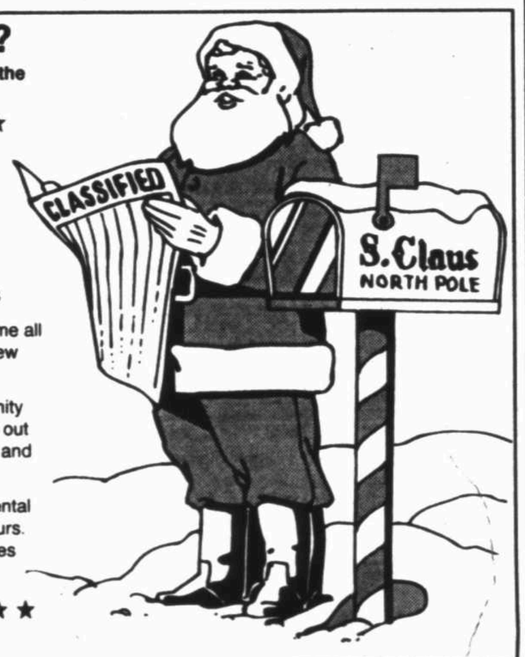
310 General Help Wanted

Need Christmas Cash?

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has routes in the following areas:

★ ★ ★ ★ **Available Now!** ★ ★ ★ ★

Odessa
Lamesa
Stanton/Lenorah/Tarzan
Crane/McCamey/Rankin
Midland/Loop 250/Fairground
East & West Side of Ridge Heights



This is a great opportunity to supplement your income all year long. Make a new car or truck payment, buy new furniture, enjoy the extra money you'll be earning.

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. Additional monthly mileage reimbursement. All routes require a small deposit.

★ ★ ★ ★ **Call Ronnie Griffith** ★ ★ ★ ★
at 687-8805

Midland Reporter-Telegram

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

Turn your early morning hours into extra income.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has routes in the following areas:

Available Now!

****Lee Freshman Area** ****DeZavala Area**
Garfield & Loop 250 ****Windscape & Windtree Apts.**
****Midland Dr. & Neely**

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Newspaper distributorships provide great supplemental income for anyone willing to work early morning hours. These routes require a small deposit.

Apply in person or contact the
Circulation Department:
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois
Midland

Or call 687-8810, 687-8807

(**this larger route receives a $25 check each Friday in addition to the regular monthly profits.)

EMPLOYERS

★ Don't wonder why your company can't get qualified employees!"

SMALL BUSINESS JOB FAIR

The Midland Reporter Telegram, KMRK, KNFM/KMND, KWES TV9 and The UTPB Small Business Development Center have joined together to sponsor the Small Business Job Fair for Permian Basin businesses. We want businesses that are looking to fill positions with **qualified** people. Whether your business needs one employee or twenty employees, this Job Fair will bring potential employees to you.

Businesses ranging from sales and service to restaurant management and broadcast/ print media have already indicated an interest in the Small Business Job Fair, but booths are only available for the first 100 businesses to register.

Don't waste time and money searching for those special people your company needs, the Job Fair is looking to attract OVER 1200 potential employees throughout the Permian Basin.

WHEN:
February 8, 1996 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

WHERE:
Small Business Development Center
Center for Energy & Economic Diversification
Hwy 191 & FM 1788 Midland, Texas

TO REGISTER or FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: (915) 552-2455

THE TOWN & COUNTRY DIFFERENCE

TOWN & COUNTRY FOOD STORES

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COME EXPERIENCE THE TOWN & COUNTRY DIFFERENCE

If you are looking for better job and career opportunities, you should be talking to us. We are hiring energetic, ambitious, career oriented personnel to join the Town and Country Team. Great opportunity for Sales Associate & Store Manager Trainee. We offer an excellent variety of benefits including health insurance, paid sick leave, paid vacation, retirement plan, and stock purchase plan. 95% or more of all shifts have two people or more on duty. Apply at any of the following locations.

#93 2622 Rankin Hwy.
#107 3115 Garden City Hwy.
#207 4508 N. Big Spring
#122 2109 S. Midkiff
#188 4001 S. FM 1788
7100 W. Hwy. 80 - Midland

An Equal Opportunity Employer Pre-employment drug testing required.

THE TOWN & COUNTRY DIFFERENCE

TELEPHONE VERIFICATION & SALES POSITION

The Midland Reporter- Telegram is now hiring for a part- time evening telephone verification and sales position (3:30- 8:30 pm). Hourly pay is $5.25 per hour. Interviews will begin on Thursday, December 7th. Interested individuals may apply starting immediately. See Gilbert Silva at the Circulation Department, 687-8810 or 688-2700.

Be a part of the Nissan Team!

EXPERIENCED TECHNICIAN

Must have own hand tools. Paid vacation & bonus plan. Good working conditions. Apply in person to:

Gary Luse
Dotson Nissan, Inc.
3917 W. Wall

310 General Help Wanted

Night Auditor
11 pm- 7am
Must be responsible & own reliable transporation. Experience preferred, but will train.

Applications now being taken:

Holiday Inn
4300 W. Wall
Midland, Texas

310 General Help Wanted

BUILDING ATTENDANTS

Responsible persons needed for live- in building attendant position at retirement complex. Must enjoy working with people. Duties will consist of answering after hours and weekend calls, and building security. Free rent & utilities. References required. Apply in person, Hillcrest Manor, 700 W. Scharbauer on December 18- 21, between the hours of 8:30 am & 5 pm.

MRS. IRENE'S Day Care needs a full time employee. Experienced, need only to apply. 689–6309 or apply at 1007 Austin.

310 General Help Wanted

SALES- outgoing, customer service oriented individual needed to sell merchandise in an old fashioned drug store. If you love to sell and can produce while supporting a team styled organization, then apply in person at 319 Dodson Street, Midland.

CUSTOMER SERVICE oriented individual needed to work in our old fashioned fountain area. Must work well with others and be dedicated to store's goals. Apply in person at 319 Dodson Street, Midland.

DRIVER- WANTED experienced winch truck operator. Knowledge of moving oversize loads. Top pay for a top hand. Good benefits. CDL Class A license a must. Call 530–2391.

DRIVERS- Staying busy! Line haul, flatbed. Benefits available, guaranteed earnings. (800) -749-1191, 563-0464.

DRY CLEANERS- Fashion Cleaners has an immediate opening for a full time Counter Person. Apply in person at 801 W. Wall.

FOR RESUMES that get results. Call 699-1919. Fast service. Reasonable rates. Professional quality.

INVENTORY

MAKE YOURSELF COUNT!

RGIS, the Nation's largest inventory service has opening for part-time employees. Work schedules include am and pm hours, with some weekend work. Must be 18 years of age or older with good math aptitude. 10 key helpful. Transportation and telephone a must. $6.50 an hour to start. Call 694–3399 for an interview. E.O. E.

310 General Help Wanted

NUCLEAR POWER TRAINING

We offer the only training package of its kind in the country! Selected applicants will receive medical/ dental care and 30 days earned vacation annually. Candidates must be High School diploma grad with C or better average in Algebra, be 17- 34 years old.

Call 1-800-292-5547, Local interviews available.

GENERAL- PART- TIME $9/ hour. Answer Telephones. Flexible Hours/ Local areas. No experience necessary. 1-809-474-4291 Ext 217, Int'l LD Toll.

GENERAL- Now hiring dependable people to wash trucks Apply in person The Plainsman Truck Wash, FM 1788 and I-20, Warfield Truck Terminal. 563–2468.

GENERAL- TOP RADIO station has immediate opening for traffic director. Applicant must have computer knowledge and enthusiastic attitude, minorities urged to apply. E. O. E. Please send resume to: N. F. C. , P.O. Box 12070, Odessa TX 79768, Attention: Susan.

OPTICAL- Great opportunity for Optical Lab Technician with cutting and edging skills. Bring resume by: 4311 W. Wadley, Monday- Friday, 9- 5.

HOUSE PERSON needed- involves heavy lifting and some maintenance. Bilingual a plus. Position requires a "can- do" attitude. Apply in person only, 1003 S. Midkiff, Lexington Hotel Suites.

MANAGER TRAINEE- Must be hardworking, motivated, get along well with others. No experience necessary. Will train the right people. Starting pay is $7 an hour. Apply in person Peerless Tyre Co., 2804 W. Wall.

MARKETING

URGENT!

A few key people needed to open offices in the Basin for rapid expansion. Management and sales reps. 570–1649.

MIDLAND Y.M.C.A. needs gym supervisors and officials for its Your Basketball Program. Must be able to work nights and must be able to work with kids and parents. Call Central Y.M.C.A., 682–2551.

NIGHTS and Weekends Part-time Security. Oil field related. $5 hourly. Call 580–5800 Terrell Employment Service.

DOMINO'S Pizza is now hiring drivers for day and evening shifts. Advancement opportunity available in a fun, exciting environment. Must be at least 18 years old. Please inquire at 2215 N. Midland Drive or 712 W. Scharbauer.

310 General Help Wanted

PART- TIME Evening work (now available) 6:00- 9:00 pm, Monday- Friday, optional Saturday, 10:00- 1:00 pm. Attention: Moonlighters, Retirees, Students, Housewives, & Others. If you are looking for the best paying part- time job in Midland, and are willing to work smarter and harder to earn in excess of $10.00 per hour we would like to talk with you. We will show you how to make more money than you think is possible for part- time work. You must show us reliability, a willingness to work and be able to follow simple instructions. We pay you weekly. You will sign up new customers of the MIDLAND REPORTER- TELEGRAM (Permian Basin's Finest Newspaper). You will only work in areas where the need and ability to sell is very obtainable. You are guaranteed an hourly rate, and if you are good at talking to people and following directions, you will make more than this in bonuses. We are starting real soon. Applications and / or phone calls will be considered on a first- come, first-served basis!! This job is the answer to how you are going to get that $$$$$. Please apply in person: Chance J. Greeley, JG Newspaper Promotions, Midland Reporter- Telegram, Circulation Department, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702 or call 688-2700 and leave your name & telephone number.

PHONE REPS

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY:

Good telephone voices for local fund raising. Day and evening hours available. No experience necessary, $5 an hour. Call 687–1630 for interview.

PHONE REPS- Need X-tra Christmas Money? Good telephone voices needed for fund raising. Day & evening hours- $5/ hour. 687–1630.

RESTAURANT

PINOCCHIOS PIZZA

Now hiring Cashiers, Game room attentdant and drivers. Drivers must have current Texas drivers license, insurance, 18 years or older. Flexible hours, food allowance, uniforms furnished. Please apply in person 3303 N. Midkiff- San Miguel Shopping Center.

SALES & CATERING MANAGER

Now hiring hotel sales and catering manager for the Midland Holiday Inn. Must be detail and customer service oriented, dependable, hardworking and professional. Company benefits. Send application or resume to P.O. Box 4891, Odessa, TX 79761.

DESK CLERK position. Apply in person, Royal Inn, 3601 W. Wall.

310 General Help Wanted

Starving for Success?

PIZZA HUT DELIVERS.

Full & Part-time Positions Available

If you're looking for a position with a solid company that is experiencing rapid growth...
Pizza Hut Delivers!
Pizza Hut Delivery is looking for customer service operators, drivers and cooks.

- Flexible hours to meet your needs.
- Complete training program
- Company-provided uniform
- Meal benefit
- A clean, friendly work environment
- Regular performance/salary reviews
- Incentive programs
- Advancement opportunities
- Stock purchase program
- Paid vacation benifits

Apply now at these Midland locations

2200 W. Wadley
4320 Andrews Hwy
427 Andrews Hwy

Pizza Hut DELIVERY
EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Looking for 5 highly motivated individuals to help run expanding marketing company. Great attitude and people skills a must. Training provided.

570–5816

RAY'S BIG & Tall is seeking a stable, well- groomed individual with a good attitude who has a good work ethic. Experience a plus, apply in person, Monday- Saturday, 10 am - 1 pm, at 35 North Village Court.

REPRESENTATIVES Needed- sell Avon part time- full time. Great earnings. Call Verla 520–0119, Independent Rep.

RESTAURANT Now taking applications for Waitstaff, bus persons, host/ hostess. Apply in person, Golden China, 4400 N. Midland Drive.

RESTAURANT- Accepting applications for all positions Monday- Thursday, 9 am- 3 pm. Apply in person: Gary D's, 805 N. Big Spring.

RESTAURANT- Dino's Pizzeria and Restaurant is now hiring. Apply in person 4322 B Andrews Hwy.

RESTAURANT- Gill's Restaurant now hiring waitstaff & drive through help. Apply in person 4411 W. Illinois. No calls please.

RESTAURANT. TCBY now hiring for day time help. Pick up applications at 3001 W. Cuthbert.

310 General Help Wanted

RESTAURANT

PINOCCHIOS PIZZA

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS!
Now hiring for experienced Phone Operators. All shifts available. Please apply in person 3303 N. Midkiff- San Miguel Shopping Center.

ROOM ATTENDANTS needed- Bilingual a plus. Position requires can- do attitude. Apply in person only at 1003 S. Midkiff, Lexington Hotel Suites.

SEISMIC COMPANY- ALL POSITIONS available for experienced people, with seismic company. Extensive travel. Call 683–1822.

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Shipping/ Receiving

Local manufacturing company needs warehouse/ parts sales person. Full time with benefits. Send resume or work history to: Box E- 5, C/ O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

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STATION Attendant. Good references, Texas drivers license. Pay depends upon experience. No phone calls. Apply Midland Drive 66, 4321 W. Illinois.

STYLISTS Needed. Teresa's Hair & Nail Salon has stations for lease, great location, close to downtown. Ask for Teresa, 688–0033.

TEXAS EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION

ATTENTION VETERANS:

- Are you 55 or older and looking for part-time work?
- Is your annual income less than $9,340 or ($ person family $12,640)?
- If so, the Senior Texans Employment Program can help!
- For more information ...call

SCOTT STAFFORD
VETERANS REPRESENTATIVE
501 N. Loraine
(915) 682-9421, Ext. 201

TRUCK DRIVER wanted. Flatbed experience only, must have at least 5 years. 685–4101.

311 Medical Help Wanted

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES

Terrace Gardens Nursing Center has current openings for Certified Nurse Aides. If you are looking for a career and not just another job we want to talk with you. We offer a competitive salary and a great place to work. If interested please apply to:

Director of Nursing
Terrace Gardens Nursing Center
2901 West Ohio
Midland, TX 79701
(915) 694-8831 OR FAX (915) 694-5928

310 General Help Wanted

WAITPERSON needed part time for Friday, Saturday & Sunday or full time. Apply at Green's Restaurant, 20B Village Circle (next to Folgers).

WAITSTAFF now being hired. Established restaurant needs skilled waitstaff willing to work hard for the best tips in town! Apply in person at The Bar, 606 W. Missouri between 8 am & 10 am or 2 pm & 4 pm. NO Phone Calls!

311 Medical Help Wanted

CARE ATTENDANTS

needed for Midland & Stanton areas. Flexible hours, minimum wage.

* Light Housekeeping
* Meal Preparation
* Grooming
* Personal Care

Interim Health Care Services
Primary Home Care
Contact 550-7593
8 am - 4:30 pm

DENTAL OFFICE seeking experienced dental assistant and receptionist. Must be an aggressive individual and a team player. Excellent benefits. Send resumes to Box F-29, c/o The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

MEDICAL- InHome care now accepting applications for RNs, LVNs with home health experience preferred. Please call 520–1544.

SPEECH, Occupational & Physicial Therapists needed Contract to full time. Call 915-520-1512. Caprock Home Health Services.

NEEDED: Paramedic Manger: Also needed EMTI's and EMT's. Call Texas West Ambulance, 570–4892.

311 Medical Help Wanted

MEDICAL

Ward Memorial Hospital

Physical Therapy is looking for a
Licensed Physical Therapist
or
Licensed Physical Therapist Assistant
-Highly Competitive Salaries
-Excellent Benefits
-Wide Variety of Care in an Excellent Working Environment
For more information Please Contact Julie Shelby, P.T. at 915-943-6723
406 S. Gary
Monahans, TX 79756

PARAMEDICS, EMTs wanted. Full and part time positions. Apply at WestStarr Ambulance, 504 N. Sam Houston, Odessa.

REGISTERED NURSE

Option Care, one of the largest home care companies in the nation is seeking a Patient Care Coordinator for the Permian Basin area. Experience in IV Therapy, nutritional support preferred. Home care experience, CCRN, CRNI, OCN, CNSN, PICC certification a plus. Must have excellent communication skills and a willingness to work closely with our patients, physicians, nurses, and pharmacists. We offer a competitive salary package. Fax cover letter and resume to (915) 337-0620.

312 Professional Help Wanted

TELEPHONE Technician. Position open for telephone service person with minimum of 2 years experience. Call 563–4646 for appointment.

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312 Professional Help Wanted

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MOHRE

The Board of Directors of the Midland/ Odessa Health and Retirement Endeavor (MOHRE) seeks an Executive Director to administer all its programs. MOHRE is a not-for-profit corporation that seeks to attract retirees to the two West Texas communities of Midland and Odessa. Job requirements: familiarity with Midland/ Odessa essential; fund-raising skills and experience essential; grant-writing helpful; computer skills on basic office software important; must be familiar or experienced with not-for-profits. A verbal person with excellent communications skills is sought, one who is able to work with diverse groups and governmental entities. The successful applicant will be one who is a self-starter, able to manage a one-person office. Letters of application, with resume and 3 references (names & phone numbers), should be sent to H. Warren Gardner, 4901 E. University, Odessa, TX 79762. Applications accepted until December 31, 1995. Women & minorities encouraged to apply.

MOLECULAR BIOLOGIST

The Midland Certified Reagent Company, a leading manufacturer of synthetic DNA, seeks an experienced molecular biologist for its expanding molecular biology department. The prospective candidate must be able to work independently and efficiently in all aspects of synthetic gene construction including bacteriology, molecular cloning, and DNA sequencing. The position entails flexible evening/ night shift work with weekend overtime available. Candidates for this position will offer a B.S. or M.S. degree in molecular biology, microbiology, or biochemistry and laboratory and/ or research experience in molecular biology techniques.

The Midland Certified Reagent Co. offers competitive wages, a medical benefits program, and assistance with relocation to qualified candidates. For consideration please submit curriculum vitae, academic transcript, and publication reprints to: The Midland Certified Reagent Co., 3112-A West Cuthbert Avenue, Midland, TX 79701, c/o: Molecular Biology Department.

JOINT INTEREST ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR

Growing Midland based Oil & Gas independent seeks degreed Accountant with minimum of ten years related accounting experience to supervise staff of six. Responsibilities will include:

- Joint Interest Accounting And Audits
- Accounts Receivable
- Accounts Payable
- Property Accounting

Excellent benefit package- Salary DOE-
Interview by appointment.
Equal Opportunity Employer

F-36
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland Texas 79702

SEISMIC

GECO-PRAKLA a division of Schlumberger Technology corporation seeks an individual experienced in the process of seismic modeling, for a full time, local position. Applicant should be computer literate and be acquainted with industry software.

Reply by resume or written correspondence to:

Geco-Prakla
A Division of Schlupmberger Technology Corporation
Dept. 1242
P.O. Box 0167, Midland, Texas 79702-0167
Or by fax at (915) 561-8495.

Please reply by December 20,1995. EOE

DATABASE ANALYST/ WINDOWS DEVELOPERS

Leading petroleum software development firm seeking individuals for software development team. Available positions include Database Administrators, Systems, Analysts and Windows Programmers. Development environment is Microsoft SQL/ Server, MS- Access and Visual Basic. MS- Windows development experience required, Oil & Gas Industry knowledge highly desirable. Salary DOE. Send resume and salary requirements to:

Enertech Information Systems, Inc.
Development Department
310 W. Wall Suite 200
Midland, Texas 79701

312 Professional Help Wanted

ACCOUNTING Supervisor- Independent Oil & Gas Operator. Must have following accounting experience: JIBs, revenue distribution, general ledger & financial statements. Must have computer expertise and good communication skills. Degree and minimum 15 years experience required. Non- smoking environment. Send resume and salary requirements in confidence to "Accounting Supervisor", P.O. Box 2237, Midland, Texas 79702-2237.

AUTO CAD DRAFTER with 5 years piping and P & ID experience. Facility documentation a plus. Salary dependent on experience. Send resume to F-37, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

AUTOCAD- full or part time position. Must have basic understanding of AutoCad, some experience with Windows, word processing and spreadsheets beneficial. Midland Inspection and Engineering, 563–4465.

COMPUTER PROGRAMER with minimum 6 years hardware experience. PLC experience helpful. Established company with benefits. Send resume to: Resume, P.O. Box 5505, Midland, TX 79704.

CPA- must be familiar with Tax Review, have minimum 2 years experience. Relocation required. Good salary and benefits working for CPA firm. Send resume to: Box E- 3, C/O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

Engineering Assistant
Independent oil company seeks part time Engineering Assistant for help in preparation of AFE's for workovers, etc. Send resume and salary requirements to: Box F-33, c/o The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

PRODUCER- The KOSA- TV News Department has an immediate opening for a producer for our 6 pm and 10 pm weeknight newscasts. Candidates should be total team players, with the drive and dedication to be number one. Must have a degree in broadcast news, or equivalent experience in TV news. Must be able to write, edit, arrange and produce a newscast, including coordination of live news reports, and special live- remote newscasts. If you've got what it takes to keep a great show looking great, rush resumes and tapes with producing examples to: Pat Monacelli, News Director, KOSA- TV, Odessa, TX 79763. Absolutely no phone calls. Brissette Broadcasting is an equal opportunity employer.

312 Professional Help Wanted

PRODUCTION/ DRILLING Secretary- Midland Independent seeks dependable, enthusiastic secretary to assist the operations department. Duties include daily drilling report, filing, telephones, AFE's and invoice handling, with some State production reporting and other internal reports. Candidate must have computer skills utilizing WordPerfect, Lotus 123, and Excel. Previous experience in production/ drilling will be a plus. Benefits package applies. Send resume, references, and salary expectation in strict confidence to: Box E- 2, C/ O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

VICE PRESIDENT for Development , Successful candidate will have a bachelor level degree and /or a minimum of 2 years experience in the field of financial and volunteer resource development. Must possess strong communication, fund raising, grant writing and marketing skills. Send resume to: CEO, CENTERS for Children and Families, 1031 Andrews Highway, Suite 200, Midland, TX 79701. EOE.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

ON LINE Dispatching. Heavy phones, busy office, type 40 WPM. Copy Service & Supplies, Inc., 5500 S. FM 1788, Midland, 563–1418.

HO-HO-HOLIDAY "Dough" with office jobs from Temporary Resources, 684-0527.

JOIN THE TEMP TIME TEAM. Temporay positions with "The Best In Town" 687–1545.

V.I.P. EMPLOYMENT. Call us today for information regarding temporary and permanent jobs. (915) 686–9722.

OLSTEN! The best temporary positions with the best companies. 683–5677 for interview.

RECEPTIONIST needed. 30 hours per week (4- 5 evenings per week including every other weekend) for busy medical clinic. Bilingual is a plus. Send resume to First Care, 2310 W. Ohio, Midland, TX 79701.

316 Sales Help Wanted

SALES PROFESSIONAL needed. Start date January 8th. Send resume to P. O. Box 80551, Midland Texas 79708.

316 Sales Help Wanted

USED AUTOMOBILE SALES

Business is great at Rogers Ford. We need to hire an additional **experienced car salesperson.** In addition to the best commission structure in the area we offer paid insurance & vacation, demo program and NADART Savings Plan. Apply in person to **Randy Taylor, Rogers Ford North, 3307 Andrews Hwy.**

320 Skilled Trades

SKILLED TRADES

GENE SLEDGE DRILLING CORPORATION

NOW Hiring **Experienced**

★Drillers ★Motor Men
★Floor Hands ★Derrick Men

Benefits Include: Mileage for Drillers, Cash Awards, Group Ins., Vacation and Service Awards.

Call King at 570-4732
Between 8 am - 12 noon
"We Keep 'Em Turning To The Right"
The Premier Drilling Contractor

316 Sales Help Wanted

SALES- $$ AGGRESSIVE $$ Seeking 1 professional individual willing to do what I did last year, make a 6 figure income that will double this year. Serious inquiries only. 1-206-486-0647.

SALES- McKay's Fine Home Furnishings is seeking experienced sales/ design personnel. Design experience very helpful. Please send resumes to: 36 Village Circle, Midland, TX 79701.

SALESPEOPLE. Hourly plus commission. If you play golf- a plus! Apply in person at The Golf Cart or Tees & More in Midland Park Mall.

318 Management Help Wanted

APARTMENT- Ideal for retired couple or others. Apartment Management team position open in Slaton, Texas. Full range of maintenance experience required, apartment management experience preferred. Light bookkeeping and apartment leasing. Apartment plus salary. Send resume to: 2541 74th, Lubbock, Tx 79423.

320 Skilled Trades

Commercial Plumbing Co. now hiring heavy Commercial & Residential Licensed Plumber. Compensation commensurate with experience. Sick leave, vacation (up to 3 weeks), retirement plan and paid holidays. Call: 685–0003 for an appointment.

CRUDE OIL DRIVERS NEEDED
In the Ozona Iraan Area. Current CDL for combination and Hazardous materials. 25 years or older, good driving record with crude oil experience required. Must be able to perform job requirements and pass drug test. Qualified applicants mail resume to P.O. Box 578, Corpus Christi, TX 78403

ELECTRICIANS

Experienced Journeyman and Apprentices for Lowes of Midland project. Apply at job site Monday through Thursday, 8 am- 6 pm, 3315 N. Loop 250 W.
Hiring Immediately!

FIELD INSPECTORS- to work on erosion/ corrosion thickness survey crew. Isometric drawing experience necessary. UT- MT- PT experience helpful. Willing to travel. Midland Inspection and Engineering Inc, 563–4465.

MACHINIST wanted. Engine Lathe operator. Must have minimum 5 years experience, have own tools. Must pass drug test. Call 686–0405.

MECHANIC wanted. Midland's only Honda Kawasaki Suzuki Polaris dealership is seeking an experienced technician with both motorcycle and watercraft experience. 5 day work week, salary based upon experience. Contact Rodger at 520-2080.

METER Repair Field Service Technician needed. Must have experience with LACT unit operation. A good driving record and a pre- employment/ DOT drug screen is required. Send resume to P.O. Box 5505, Midland, TX 79704.

MUD ENGINEER

Needed Mud Engineer for New Mexico Send resume to: Box F-25, c/o The Midland Reporter Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79701.

ROOFING help with experience needed. Please call between 8 -5. 685–0607.

Survey Party Chief
Immediate opening for qualified person at a west Texas civil engineering firm. Experience in boundary survey, construction staking, and municipal projects. Salary commensurate with experience & qualifications Send resume with references to:

Box E- 4
% Midland Reporter-Telegram-
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

WELDERS Wanted. Must have 3 years experience in blue prints, MIG, flux core. Welding test, drug screen, physical required. Apply at 8220 W. Hwy 80, 1/2 mile east of air terminal.

320 Skilled Trades

TECHNICIANS. ARC PRESSURE DATA- The New Generation Slickline Company is looking for wireline technicians with 5 or more years experience in electronic downhole pressure recording, downhole mechanical services and/or production logging experience. Locations of work include Odessa, Ozona, Houston, Dallas and offshore Gulf of Mexico. Send Resumes with salary requirements to P.O. Box 13268, Odessa, TX 79768. No phone calls please. E.O.E.

330 Employment Wanted

DEGREED ACCOUNTANT, 25 years experience seeks position in General Ledger Accounting, A/ P, A/ R, & Payroll. Coffee drinker & smokes. Hard working and diligent capable of working non supervised. Please call 915-694–0530 and leave message, will gladly return your call.

336 Adult Care Providers

NEED CARING PERSON? I will care for your elderly, disabled loved ones. Prefer nights. References. 570–4155.

CARE for the elderly or handicapped in the home, or hospital. Cooking, cleaning, etc. 682–0614.

IN-HOME Care will provide sitters, nurses aides and nurses for the elderly and disabled at reasonable rates. Call 520–4425.

MARY'S Loving Care Home has an opening for the elderly or handicapped. Experience in Altzheimer's patient care. Proving room and board and personal care in a loving home environment. Care is provided by experience nursing staff. 683–3535, 686-1962.

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341 Child Care Providers

DO YOU need a sitter while you do Santa's shopping? Day or night. Call Cindy, 570–8882.

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CHRISTIAN CHILDCARE in my home. Ages 0- 5. Meals and snacks provided. Reasonable rates. Call 697–8824.

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WARM, CHRISTIAN Lady will give your child tender, loving care, provide snacks and lunch and lots of love!! Reasonable rates. Please call 687–3369.

350 Business Opportunities

GET REAL Estate license quickly. Short state courses. Day, Weekend or evening Southwest College, 697–7277.

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ATHLETIC TYPES
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VENDING ROUTE- nets $3,000 per month. Price has been reduced. Will pay out in 1 year. Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers 550–4610.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BINOCULARS, 7 X 50, 1943 Naval issue, case. $300 (806) 872-5333 or 872-2749.

PARTY! Get through the holiday season without gaining weight! All natural, proven product! 694–6306.

USED MOVING Boxes for sale, 50¢ each. 520-7391.

SAY "Merry Christmas" All Year with a one- year subcription to D & L Flag Service, Inc. American and/ or Texas Flags are installed 5 times a year by our company. For information, call 570-6506; weekends and evenings, 694-8247.

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COLLECTIBLE Dolls from your childhood. From the 1930's to the 1990's most 1/2 price. 550–2626.

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BOTTLED Willpower! Lose up to 30 pounds, 30 day money back guarantee, natural, doctor recommended. (915) 756–4500. Free Samples.

HUNTER Green leather jacket, ladies medium/ petite. $80 Call April 694–3948, 697-3806.

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets for sale. 684–9617, call after 3:30.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

TELEPHONE, necklace, watches, wallet, cameras, knife sharpener, clock radio, hair dryer, Christmas tree, ski jacket, Dustbuster. 694–4706.

TURNTABLE SONY Stereo. Excellent quality and condition. $50. 697–4831 or 550-3406.

E-FORCE exercise machine, brand new, excellent condition, $200. Call 694–5731.

SPACE HEATERS, stoves, barstools, China cabinets/ dinettes, furniture, appliances, mowers, golf clubs, coolers, Volkswagen. 570–4851.

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TREADMILL- SEARS Cross Walk Dual Motion Cross Trainer. $299. Cosco middle toddler bed, $25. 683–2812.

SOFA & Loveseat, new Modern Maid double oven (never used from Folgers Superstore), cedar lined wardrobe, Power 4 program stair stepper, decorative pictures, Tundra video telephoto lenses (0.65, 1.5, 2.55, 3.55). 1607 W. Michigan.

HOLIDAY DRESS for Holiday Parties. Blue Sequins. Worn once. Practically new. $30. 697–8090.

AIR HOCKEY table, full size, good condition $100. Beginner & youth golf clubs, cart. 697–9978.

LAPIDARY Equipment: saw, grinder, trim saw, also Fac Ette. Call 699–4201.

WIEDER Work- out station, 200 pounds, stair stepper. $150. (806) 872-5333 or 872-2749.

413 Jewelry & Furs

LADIES 14 karat nugget bracelet. Appraised at $900, sell for $400. 694–2415.

EXCELLENT Christmas gift! Full length black fox mink coat, worn twice. Must sell! Call 520-8254.

1.3 TOTAL Carat Weight womens wedding ring with matching mans band. Appraised at $2,000 +. Make offer. 694–2150.

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415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687–5039.

420 Good Things To Eat

HOLIDAY BAKING- For any of your holiday baking needs call 570–4367.

BUYING PECANS! Gardendale Pecan Processing. Shelling and Pecan Sales. Honey butter, homemade candy, fudge, pies and holiday breads. Thrashing poles, pecan pickers, burlap bags, and crackers. Monday- Saturday, 9- 6. FM 554, Gardendale. 366-9793.

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430 Household Goods

FOR SALE: 2 refrigerators, good shape. Call 520–6427.

LINK TAYLOR wall unit, bachelor chest with hutch and desk with hutch, $300. Call 694–4516.

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★ FREE REMOVAL of your unwanted appliances. Fast pickup. 567-5221.

CHERRYWOOD DINING Room Table and Hutch with 4 chairs, and 2 arm chairs, $795. Maple desk and chair, $195. Call 362-8840.

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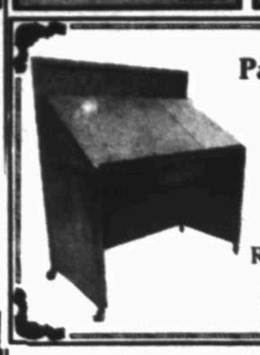
UPRIGHT FREEZER. Gibson 19 1/2 cu ft. Like new. Warranty good until Year 2003. Paid $1,200, Asking $325. 684–7645.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS- sectionals, sofas, chairs, recliners, dinettes, coffee & end tables, much, much more! Better Homes & Bargains, 3326 N. Midkiff, 699–5524.

410 Miscellaneous Sales



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BED- Full size set, $30. 699-1574 after 4 pm.

ALAMO School Jacket- size 40, excellent condition. Great Christmas Gift, $35. 699-5441.

430 Household Goods

MATTRESS sets, dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards and Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699–1224.

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NEW LIVING ROOM Furniture, used as Demo. Can be seen at Emerald Terrace Apartments, 4405 N. Garfield. 682–1659.

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GIBSON 19 cu. ft. refrigerator $300, Hot Point washer, gas dryer $275. Good condition. 520–7231.

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440 Firewood

SEASONED OAK. Split, delivered and stacked. Please leave message, 563–1823.

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450 Sporting Goods

GOLF CLUBS, 10 sets, new & used. Cobra, Head, Wilson, Diawa, & customs. Priced to sell! 682–1918, 700 Andrews Hwy.

JIM'S CLUBS. Repairs; Custom Clubs; Taylor Burner Metalwood- Bubble Shaft (clone) $90; Big Bertha Irons (clone) $228 set; Regrip $3. 3115 Haynes, 694–1334.

450 Sporting Goods

NORINCO 1911 A1 45 Caliber Semi- Auto pistol. $300. Ruger mini 14 stainless 181 Series with 1 30 round Magazine, $450. 561-8274.

SPAS- Clearance on 1995 models to make room for 1996 models. 563-3108. After 2 pm 550-5225.

$99 CONCEALED hand gun license classes. RAM Enterprises, 520-2995.

CONCEALED HAND GUN Evening Classes. Christmas gift certificates available. Good for 6 months. 2608 W. Front. 682-1863.

SHOT- REMINGTON target quality shot, various sizes, $15 per bag. Quantity discount available. 682–2393.

RUGER Stainless steel Mini 14. Extra clip and ammo. Like new, $500. After 5, 694–0923.

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CALLAWAY Warbird #3 wood (new), Bobby Jones #5 wood. Assorted metalwoods and wedges. 686–7626.

460 Antiques & Art

ANTIQUE FURNITURE FOR LE$$ Unit #3, Advantage Storage , 5000 N. Lamesa and Soloman Lane. Open Fridays-Saturdays, 10- 5.

THE Cats Meow Antique Mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. (915) 687–2004.

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A GIFT OF Time for Christmas! Now reduced selection antique wall clocks in time for the holidays! Antiques, Etc, 2101 W. Wadley, Suite 9, Monday- Saturday, 10:30am- 6:00 pm, Sunday, 1:00- 5:00 pm.

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FENDER Strat, $250. Call 368-1863.

485 Electronics

SUPER Nintendo, 2 controls, mouse and 4 games $215. TYCO remote control green car $30. Panasonic tape/ radio boom box $45. All prices negotiable. Call Nick at 520–8452.

480 Computers & Accessories

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500 Pets & Supplies

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AKC REGISTERED German Shephard female. Pick of the litter. German heritage papers available. Call 683–9408.

AKC Golden Retriever puppies. Excellent pets. 6 Weeks Dec. 13. Parents on premises. $150. 915-728–5425.

REGISTERED ROTTWEILER Puppies for sale. Perfect Christmas gift! 12 weeks old. Vet checked & shots. See to appreciate! 2 females left. $300 each. 915-336–8349.

AKC CHIHUAHUAS, 6 weeks old 12/4. $200- $500. Visa/ Mastercard. 694-6933.

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505 Livestock & Poultry

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510 Office Supplies

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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
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