Singers meet in harmony

Members of the Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus meet in harmony

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Chrysler to select GM exec

Chrysler's board settles on Robert J. Eaton to succeed Lee A. Iacocca, insiders say

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NCAA names tourney field

Duke, Ohio State, Kansas and UCLA take top seeds in the 64-team tournament field

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NEWS WATCH

Cityline Community Pulse

Favorite tune poll

While much of the nation is just getting around to discovering country music, West Texans have long been fans of "the Nashville sound."

Country superstar George Strait has set a stop on his national tour for March 28 in the Ector County Coliseum, while Wynonna Judd has selected Midland's Chaparral Center as the site for her solo debut concert on April 2.

Both artists have been responsible for dozens of hits, but which are your favorites?

Would you rather make "Amarillo by Morning"? Or, is "The Chair" more your speed?

Was Wynonna on target when she sang "Momma, He's Crazy"? Or is your sentiment "Love Can Build a Bridge"?

The Cityline **COMMUNITY PULSE** wants to know. Call **560-2400** and select category **1890** to express your opinion on your favorite song by each artist.

One free call to the COMMUNITY PULSE will allow you to vote twice — once for each singer, as well as leave a brief comment about either artist.

This special survey will remain open until March 26, and results of your calls will be tallied and reported in the March 27 edition of the *Reporter-Telegram*.

Shootings kill one

GALVESTON — Police doubled patrols in this Gulf Coast city after weekend gunfire on beaches full of Spring Break revelers. One man was killed after pointing his gun at an officer. Dozens of gunshots were fired Saturday night at East Beach, wounding two men and leading to the fatal police shooting. /3B

Alarm in Moscow

MOSCOW — Plans by a motley coalition of disgruntled right- and left-wing forces to regroup the defunct Congress of People's Deputies and to hold a mass rally on Tuesday have generated unusual alarm in Moscow. The demonstrations will hardly be the first against President Boris N. Yeltsin and his reforms. But the militancy of the opposition has raised fears of deliberately provoked clashes. /3A

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Charges fly at debate

Brown, Clinton engage in bitter verbal brawl

■ Candidates thrust fingers at one another in some of the fiercest, most personal exchanges of '92 campaign.

N.Y. Times News Service

CHICAGO — A debate among the Democratic presidential contenders degenerated into a bitter verbal brawl Sunday night as former California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. accused Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton of funneling his state's business to his wife's law firm and Clinton shot back that it was "a lying accusation."

The accusations flew near the end of an hour-long televised debate in Chicago after a questioner asked Brown if Clinton would have an "electability problem" in November if Clinton were the Democratic nominee.

"I think he's got a big electability problem," Brown said. He then cited a front-page article in Sunday's Washington Post that said the Arkansas law firm in which Clinton's wife, Hillary, is a member does business with the state.

Saying that the situation amounted to "corruption" and a "conflict of interest," Brown declared, "He is funneling money to his wife's law firm for state business. That's No. 1.

"No. 2, his wife's law firm is representing clients before the State of Arkansas."

Visibly shaken, Clinton replied, "I feel sorry for Jerry Brown. I served with him as governor in the late '70s. He asked me to support him for president once."

Asked if he did, Clinton snapped, "Of course not."

Clinton went on to say that Brown "reinvents himself every year."

"In 1990," he said, "he was pleading with the courts in California not to impose any limit on contributions. His law firm took $178,000 of taxpayers' money to beat a contribution-limits initiative in 1990. So I don't think you can take much of what he says seriously."

Both men thrust their fingers at one another in what were some of the fiercest, most personal exchanges of the 1992 primary season.

The fighting dwarfed the last televised debate before Tuesday's primaries in Illinois and Michigan, where

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Congressmen bounce blame back on bank

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Matthew F. McHugh, who headed the investigation of overdrafts at the House bank, learned in a personal way about the facility's sloppy records.

McHugh, D-N.Y., only agreed to lead the inquiry after the bank told him he had no bad checks. It turned out the bank was wrong; McHugh now believes he had one.

As many lawmakers learn things they never knew about the place where they deposited their paychecks, they increasingly blame the sloppily run bank for their burgeoning rubber check scandal.

Rep. Ed Towns, D-N.Y., who was identified by congressional sources as having written 408 rubber checks, said the bank "really didn't have any rules. ... It was just common knowledge that people could overdraft."

Ethics committee members, who investigated the bad checks say it will come as no surprise to them if some members work their way off the panel's worst

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Alaska oil-flow addiction fuels $1 billion deficit

By Brian S. Akre
Associated Press writer

JUNEAU, Alaska — Alaska has lived comfortably off the riches of its oil for more than a decade. But prices and production are declining, and the state faces a potential $1 billion budget deficit next year.

Lawmakers are discussing what they considered unmentionable only a few months ago: reinstituting the state income tax and phasing out Alaska's annual oil-money giveaway.

Nobody expects the Legislature will take those politically unpopular steps this election year. But economists say they must be done by the mid-1990s as Alaska begins a painful withdrawal from its oil addiction.

The changes will be immense for a state that has no state income or sales

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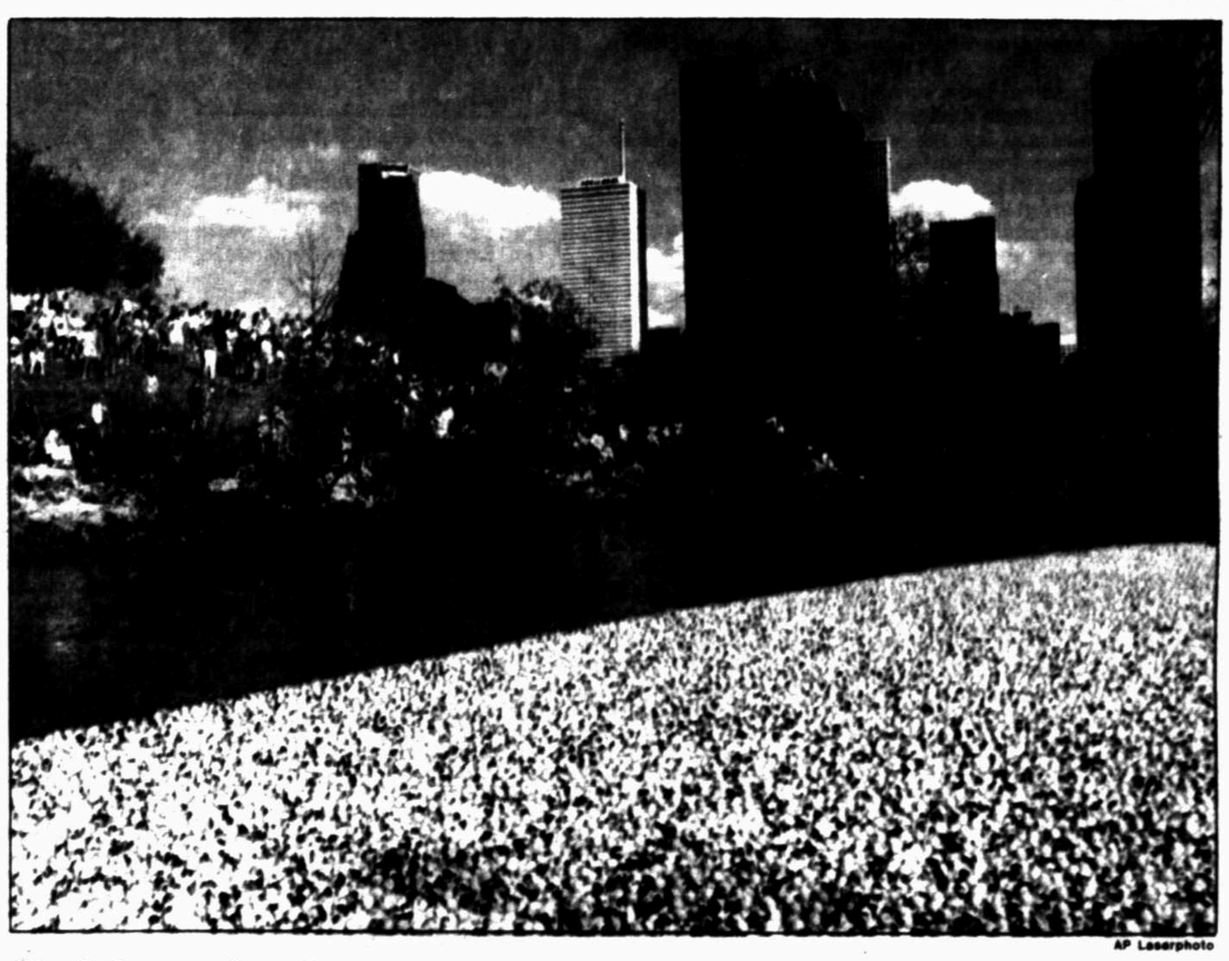

AP Laserphoto

Rubber duck racers

Thousands of rubber ducks make their way down Buffalo Bayou at the start of the Great Duck Race Sunday in Houston. Proceeds from the event go to help the blind and visually impaired.

Heavy rains trigger early bluebonnet blooms

HOUSTON (AP) — All the heavy rain this winter in Texas may be taking its toll on the state's famed spring wild bluebonnet crop.

It seems Texas' official state flower doesn't like a whole lot of rain. But that's just what's happened in parts of South and East Texas, where record rainfall has left the ground saturated and then some.

"Bluebonnets typically like dry feet," says John Thomas, who runs Wildseed Farms Inc. of Eagle Lake, one of the nation's largest wildflower seed operations. "You'll never see them grow at the bottom of a ditch or where water stands. When they do get saturated, you have problems with bluebonnets damping off or dying.

If the state flower's crop is off a bit this year, 'other wildflowers will more than compensate.'

"It's going to be an interesting year. It's probably the mildest and wettest winter we've had in some time and a lot of different things are going to happen. But for wildflowers in general, we're going to be in good shape."

The mild winter and abundant rain already has triggered flower shows along roads and highways.

"We were seeing individual blooms in domestic plots as early as Feb. 21," said Calvin Finch, Bexar County horticulturalist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in San Antonio. "By around March 1, lots of plants were blooming."

That marked the earliest blooms Finch has seen in several years. Usually, Texas' state flower premiers each year about March 15, with blooms lasting through the third week in April. But the rains changed all that.

"We got as much rain in San Antonio from November through February as we

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Discovery unravels Earhart mystery, investigators say

By John H. Cushman Jr.
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The most tantalizing and enduring mystery in aviation history, the fate of the pioneering pilot Amelia Earhart, has yielded one of its central secrets, according to investigators who say they found fragments of her plane on a deserted Pacific island.

Amid the coconut palms of Nikumaroro, an island about halfway between New Guinea and Hawaii, a search party from the International Group for Historic Aircraft Recovery found a sheet of metal that they say is from the plane's fuselage.

In that general region on July 2, 1937, a Coast Guard cutter lost radio contact with Earhart and her navigator, Fred Noonan, who were heading east in a highly publicized attempt to circumnavigate the globe near the Equator.

Federal metallurgists from the National Transportation Safety Board have examined the piece of metal and found nothing to disprove the group's hypothesis. The board's findings will be made public today.

"The best that the safety board can say from its examination is that certainly there is nothing to conclude that these pieces of metal could not have come from her airplane," one official said. "We can't rule it in, but we certainly could have ruled it out. We think

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ERZINCAN

- **Population: 150,000** (One-quarter of the city was flattened during Friday's minute-long earthquake)
- Second quake (3/15) measured 6 on the Richter scale.
- Erzincan was rebuilt after a 1939 earthquake killed 32,000 people.

AP

2nd big earthquake hits Eastern Turkey

ERZINCAN, Turkey (AP) — Another strong earthquake struck eastern Turkey on Sunday, just two days after one that killed as many as 800 people and left 180,000 homeless. Panicked residents ran into the streets and power was knocked out.

The new shock came as tents and food aid poured into this city, a quarter of which was reduced to rubble by Friday's earthquake. A government official said many of the collapsed buildings were poorly constructed or higher than the city's three-story limit.

There were no immediate reports of casualties from Sunday's quake, which was centered in Tunceli province and felt from the former Soviet border to Diyarbakir in southeastern Turkey, the semiofficial Anatolia news agency reported.

The first quake left up to 800 people dead, according to Turkish figures cited Sunday by the Office of

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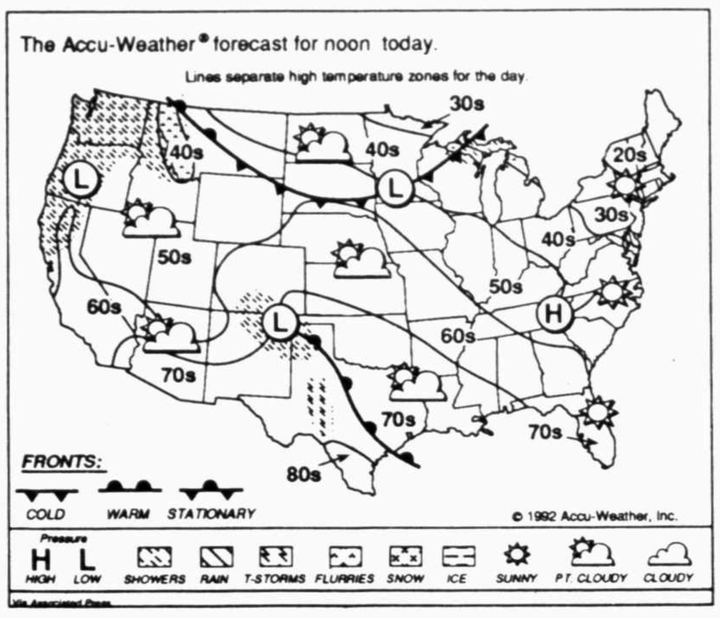

Expect low 80s, some clouds

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for a high in the lower 80s, partly cloudy skies with a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms and south to southwest wind at 15 to 25 mph and gusty. Tonight should be mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms and a low near 50, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tuesday should be partly cloudy with a high in the upper 70s.

After an overnight low of 45, Sunday's high reached 82, slightly lower than the record high for that date of 86 set in 1966. The record low for that date is 23 set in 1947.

STATE

A weak cold front stretching west from North Central Texas left sunny skies and mild temperatures Sunday.

A frontal boundary remained almost stationary from south of Longview, to north of Waco, to south of Abilene.

Temperatures south of the front had climbed into the lower 80s by the afternoon, while readings north were in the upper 60s and lower 70s.

Extremes at 3 p.m. were Amarillo with 68 and Beeville with 86.

In South Texas, a warm southerly flow continued across the region. Skies were clear except for low clouds along the lower coast.

NATION

Blustery winds powered snow squalls over the Great Lakes region Sunday while another storm dumped snow in the Appalachians. Rain fell in the Northwest and low temperatures prevailed in the East.

Lake snow advisories were posted for parts of western New York state near Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. In the Appalachians, up to 6 inches blanketed Garrett County in western Maryland.

Rainshower were scattered from northern California to Washington and northern Idaho at midday.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy, 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms, high in the lower 80s, south to southwest wind at 15-25 mph and gusty.

Tonight: Mostly cloudy, 20 percent chance of thunderstorms, low near 50.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, high in the upper 70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	82 degrees
Overnight Low	45 degrees
Sunset today	6:57 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:56 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.17 inches
Year to date	3.92 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 p.m.	77	6 a.m.	47
7 p.m.	70	7 a.m.	46
8 p.m.	64	8 a.m.	47
9 p.m.	58	9 a.m.	60
10 p.m.	56	10 a.m.	68
11 p.m.	54	11 a.m.	74
midnight	55	noon	77
1 a.m.	50	1 p.m.	80
2 a.m.	52	2 p.m.	81
3 a.m.	48	3 p.m.	81
4 a.m.	47	4 p.m.	81
5 a.m.	48	5 p.m.	82
		6 p.m.	80

Area forecast

West Texas: Increasing cloudiness today and tonight with isolated to scattered thunderstorms over all but the Far West and Big Bend. Thunderstorms most numerous tonight over the rolling plains, Concho Valley, and Edwards Plateau. Partly cloudy Tuesday, except mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers Far West. Lows tonight in the 40s to lower 50s. Highs today and Tuesday mostly in the 70s to lower 80s.

Extended forecast

West Texas: Texas Panhandle, cooler with a slight chance of showers Wednesday and Thursday. Fair and warmer Friday. Highs mid-50s Wednesday, mid-40s Thursday and upper 50s Friday. Lows near 40 Wednesday, and lower 30s Thursday and Friday. South Plains-Low rolling plains, cooler with a slight chance of showers Wednesday and Thursday. Fair and warmer Friday. Highs upper 50s Wednesday, lower 50s Thursday and near 60 Friday. Lows lower 40s Wednesday, and mid-30s Thursday and Friday. Permian Basin, partly cloudy and cooler Wednesday and Thursday. Fair Friday. Highs mid-60s Wednesday, and near 60 Thursday and Friday. Lows upper 40s Wednesday, and upper 30s Thursday and Friday. Concho Valley-Edwards Plateau, partly cloudy Wednesday. Cooler with a slight chance of showers Thursday. Fair Friday. Highs mid-70s Wednesday, and mid-60s Thursday and Friday. Lows mid-50s Wednesday, mid-40s Thursday and near 40 Friday. Far West Texas, partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday. Fair Friday. Cooler Wednesday. A little warmer Friday. Highs upper 50s Wednesday and Thursday, and mid- to upper 60s Friday. Lows mid-40s Wednesday, and near 40 Thursday and Friday. Big Bend area, partly cloudy Wednesday. Cooler with a slight chance of showers Thursday. Fair Friday. Highs in the 70s mountains to the mid-80s lowlands Wednesday, and in the 60s mountains to the mid-70s lowlands Thursday and Friday. Lows around 40 mountains to the mid-50s lowlands Wednesday, and mid-30s mountains to the mid-40s lowlands Thursday and Friday.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	69	34		cdy
Atlanta	62	37		cdy
Atlantic City	38	23		cdy
Baltimore	38	24		clr
Boston	32	20		cdy
Chicago	36	22		cdy
Cleveland	27	20	01	cdy
Denver	67	32		cdy
Detroit	30	14		cdy
Flagstaff	58	26		sn
Indianapolis	37	23		cdy
Kansas City	49	26		cdy
Las Vegas	73	51		clr
Los Angeles	68	52		cdy
Louisville	43	29	01	rn
Memphis	56	43		cdy
Milwaukee	36	20		cdy
Nashville	48	33		cdy
New Orleans	77	53		cdy
New York City	35	24		cdy
Oklahoma City	68	43		cdy
Orlando	79	52		clr
Philadelphia	36	26		cdy
Phoenix	83	58		cdy
Reno	56	33		rn
Sacramento	62	48	04	rn
St Louis	43	30		rn
San Francisco	62	53	16	rn
Seattle	52	45	56	cdy
Shreveport	81	47		cdy
Spokane	53	38	02	cdy
Topeka	52	28		rn
Tulsa	64	44		cdy
Wichita	61	38		rn

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	77	38	
Amarillo	69	32	
Austin	81	54	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	80	53	
Brownsville	80	58	
Bryan-College Station	80	54	
Corpus Christi	83	52	
Dallas	83	50	
El Paso	82	37	
Fort Worth	78	49	
Galveston	70	62	
Houston	80	56	
Laredo	89	57	
Longview	80	49	
Lubbock	81	40	
Marfa	76	29	
Presidio	87	43	
San Angelo	82	47	
San Antonio	81	49	
Victoria	82	57	
Waco	83	53	
Wink	85	33	

DEBATE: Brown, Clinton exchange accusations

(From 1A)

Clinton is heavily favored in the polls and Brown is battling former Sen. Paul E. Tsongas of Massachusetts for second place.

Asked the same electability question about Clinton, Tsongas sidestepped and said he would support whoever was the Democratic nominee. But after Brown's attack, Tsongas piled on as well, accusing Clinton of misrepresenting his positions in campaign literature.

The exchanges between Brown and Clinton escalated to the point where they were shouting over one another.

Clinton accused Brown of reinventing himself and, referring to his political consultant, Patrick Caddell, called Brown "somebody else's mouthpiece."

Scolding Brown, Clinton said, "You ought to be ashamed of yourself for jumping on my wife. You're not worth being on the same platform as my wife.

"I never funneled any money to my wife's law firm. Never."

Clinton said he was being attacked because he is an agent of change who threatens his rivals.

"The people who run against me attack me personally," he said. "I have not attacked Jerry Brown personally. I have not attacked Paul Tsongas personally. I have not said anything about their character or their history." Tsongas' attack seemed almost tepid after the battle between his two opponents. Asking "can I can get a word in edgewise here?" the former senator said Clinton had distributed literature that "misrepresenting my positions."

Clinton then conceded that his campaign in Florida had given out "inaccurate" information on Tsongas' support for Israel. It was done "by our local people," he said.

But Clinton then went after Tsongas, saying, "There has been only one stomp-down false, absolutely dishonest television ad run in this campaign — only one that had no factual basis whatever. Paul Tsongas ran that against Sen. Bob Kerrey and me accusing us of raising the deficit."

The candidates went on to deplore the nasty campaign tactics that have marked the primaries.

Earlier in the debate, they sought to stay on higher ground, making the cases for why they were the best candidates for working people and for the industrial Midwest.

The live debate, which was broadcast in Illinois and in Michigan and on the C-Span national cable network, was sponsored by the Illinois Democratic Party, WLS-TV in Chicago and the Chicago Sun Times.

ALASKA: State faces potential $1 billion deficit

(From 1A)

taxes, yet spends more per resident than any other state.

"We've gotten used to getting a lot from government and not having to pay for it," said Scott Goldsmith, an economics professor at the University of Alaska. "To change that is not going to happen overnight."

The income tax was repealed as a result of the oil boom in the late 1970s and early '80s, which flooded the treasury with tax and royalty money.

"We had so much oil revenue that it seemed silly to tax people," said state Sen. Pat Pourchot, a Democrat and co-chairman of the Senate Finance Committee. "Why drain people's pockets needlessly?"

Oil taxes and royalties now fund about 85 percent of the state budget, and each Alaskan, regardless of need, receives an annual share of earnings from the Permanent Fund, a $13.4 billion oil-wealth trust.

Last year's "dividend" was $931 for every man, woman and child. Residents 65 and older get an additional $250 monthly.

Smaller booms have come and gone with fluctuating oil prices. Sixteen months ago, Alaska was anticipating a possible billion-dollar windfall from a Persian Gulf War-driven surge in prices.

But prices dropped unexpectedly once fighting began, and Alaska's surplus amounted to only $500 million. It was enough to avoid budget cuts for one more year, but this year appears different.

In December, Gov. Walter J. Hickel proposed a $2.48 billion state budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1. It was based on $18.90-a-barrel oil, but North Slope crude has since fallen to the $15 to $16 range.

If Hickel's budget were adopted and oil prices remained flat, the state would find itself up to $1 billion in the red by July 1993.

To close that gap, lawmakers are likely to dip into reserves, raise fees for state services, raise the gasoline tax, and make major budget cuts.

"It's not going to be some mythical line-item called 'fat in the budget,'" Pourchot said. "It's going to be real stuff."

But even if prices climb back to $20 or higher, Alaska faces an even greater fiscal crisis in the next few years.

Production from Prudhoe Bay, North America's largest oil field, has declined steadily since 1987's peak of 572.3 million barrels. Last year's production was 465.4 million barrels.

The state estimates production will fall 5 percent to 7 percent a year, to 250.7 million barrels by the end of this decade.

University of Alaska economists say the Legislature should develop a long-range plan that would reinstitute the income tax, phase out the Permanent Fund dividend, cap spending, and establish a "transition fund" to cover short-term deficits caused by oil-price slumps.

One source of money to do that could be the Permanent Fund, which has received 20 percent of the state's oil revenues since 1977. But the state Constitution forbids spending the fund principal.

MYSTERY: Metal might be from Earhart's plane

(From 1A)

in general that they have got a pretty strong case."

The non-profit group, headed by Richard Gillespie, executive director, has pursued the theory, based on Earhart's last radio message, that the plane went down at Nikumaroro, not at her intended destination of Howland Island, 350 miles to the north. The metal piece, while not the first corroboration of the theory, is the strongest one to date.

Gillespie said the puzzle of where the plane disappeared was solved based on evidence — including other fragments and a shoe heel and sole of a size and style similar to Earhart's — built up over four years, his conviction growing as steadily as the coral reef where he believes Earhart ran out of fuel and set her plane down.

Still unanswered are such crucial questions as why the plane went astray, and whether, as Gillespie believes possible, Earhart and her navigator survived their landing.

The ragged and bent aluminum sheet, roughly the size and shape of a standard pillowcase, is perforated by rows of rivet holes and is made of an alloy used for planes like Earhart's two-engine Lockheed 10-E Electra. It was found in October on the shore not far from the reef where Gillespie believes the plane landed. He speculates that the bulk of the plane eventually was washed into deep water by the tides or by a storm

After federal metallurgists examined the evidence this winter, Gillespie detailed his conclusions in an article published in the April issue of Life magazine, which has just arrived on newsstands.

Today, he will display much of his evidence at a press conference in Washington.

According to the theory's proponents, the sheet of metal appears to have come from the belly of the plane, at a spot on the fuselage where Earhart had repairs made when her landing gear collapsed early in the trip as she took off from Hawaii. A wire antenna was attached to the plane's belly at that point, and a similar wire was found with the piece of metal retrieved by Gillespie.

But despite the latest evidence, nothing has been found that can be traced irrefutably to the plane or its crew: nothing bearing a serial number, for example, such as the plane's engines or propellers, nor any numbered equipment known to belong to the aviators.

Nor has the search so far found the aviators' remains, although there are some indications that they may have survived the crash and lived for a time on the island. These indications, none of them definitive, include the shoe, some other artifacts, and reports from decades ago that cited unexplained signs of human life on the island, which was only sporadically inhabited over the years.

Until something more definitive is found, contended Thomas Crouch, chairman of the aeronautics department at the National Air and Space Museum of the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, it is best to remain skeptical and to endorse only the view that the plane was "lost at sea, heaven knows where."

BLAME: One lawmaker wrote 996 bad checks

(From 1A)

abuser list because the bank's bookkeeping was so bad.

The committee plans to designate publicly 19 current and five former House members as abusers after giving them a few days to review their records. Congressional sources on Saturday gave The Associated Press the names of 21 Democrats and one Republican on the House ethics committee list.

Rep. Mickey Edwards, R-Okla, said Sunday his name is on the list of 24. Edwards, who did not reveal any details of the transactions, said he was "stunned and humiliated" to learn that he was named and accepts "with humility" the report of the committee.

"By all the measurements at our disposal until Friday afternoon, including cash at hand, it appeared my account was nowhere near the criteria used in determining the 24 accounts described as having abused the system," Edwards said in the statement. "However, in the methods used by the committee, which did not consider automatic withdrawals as debits made after the salary deposits, my account is within their guidelines."

The name of the other Republican on the list could not immediately be learned.

The sources identified the top bad check writer as former Rep. Tommy Robinson of Arkansas, a Democrat turned Republican. The sources said Robinson wrote 996 bad checks while Rep. Bob Mrazek, D-N.Y., had 972, and Rep. Robert Davis, R-Mich., wrote 878.

Robinson and Mrazek have said they believe the ethics committee information is wrong. Many others on the list expressed bafflement at their inclusion, saying they were never informed of any major problems.

"What really bothers me is that if I'm guilty, I don't mind 'fessing up to it," Robinson said. He said he had received no notification of any problems during his six years in the House.

Mrazek aide Thomas Barry acknowledged that some of his boss' checks had been held, but said he had never been told of any problems and "there is no way the number 972 is true."

QUAKE: Death toll could climb into thousands

(From 1A)

the U.N. Disaster Relief Coordinator in Geneva. Some relief officials said the toll could climb into the thousands, as more bodies were recovered in remote areas.

Turkey also tripled its estimate of people left homeless to 180,000, the U.N. office said.

Search efforts in Erzincan concentrated on big buildings, most of which included restaurants full of people breaking the daylong fast observed during the Muslim holy month of Ramadan.

Cranes lifted tons of concrete at the collapsed City Club, a five-story building where up to 200 people were thought to be in the restaurants and tea houses.

"Since we don't have enough heavy equipment we have to set priorities based on the number of people," said a policeman, Rifat Aksoy.

A score of doctors were still treating the injured in the open air Sunday, on cots set up in the mud outside the city's damaged hospital.

Two survivors were dug out of the rubble Sunday and rescuers said at least one and possibly two young women were still alive in a collapsed dormitory at a nursing school.

"Some have been found alive; there is still hope," said Kurt Keller, a rescue specialist with Swiss Disaster Relief, which sent specially trained dogs to help the search.

But with temperatures below freezing, hope of finding many more people alive faded. Some families kept vigil outside a makeshift morgue, sagging against the building with sobs when they learned a loved one had died.

In the city's cemetery, a stream of victims brought in by their families threatened to overwhelm gravediggers working frantically with shovels and backhoes.

"We cannot consider the grief of those around us," said one mourner, Cafer Tosun.

BLUEBONNETS: Heavy rains might take toll on state crop

(From 1A)

usually get in one years' time — 30 inches in four months," he said. "In some cases, the soil was saturated for six to eight weeks. Everywhere in Texas, we had periods where it rained nearly a week straight."

Already, south of San Antonio toward the Rio Grande Valley, "there are some pretty spectacular fields of flowers," according to Finch.

He expects March 23-24 as the best time for viewing there. That compares with usual peak viewing times in the first week of April in years with normal rainfall.

"It is not unusual to see a scattering of blooms early, but this is more massive," he said. "We are way ahead of schedule."

The bluebonnet has been official since 1901, when the Texas Legislature designated Lupinus subcarnosus specifically as the state flower. Seventy years later, then-Gov. Preston Smith extended the designation to any other variety of bluebonnet.

Finch said smaller plants could be expected this year because of the unusual weather, since weeds that compete with the bluebonnets are better able to deal with excessive moisture.

Thomas, though, says it's not necessarily true that the bluebonnets are shorter and smaller. They just may look that way to the casual viewer because the mild winter also has jump-started the growth of grass by three to five weeks, meaning grass is taller than normal now.

But if the bluebonnets are off a bit this year, other wildflowers will more than compensate, he said.

"The primrose, a lot of people refer to as buttercup, will be excellent," he said. "These are perennials. They've been growing through the winter and will tolerate more wet soils than do the blues."

Another will be the phlox, a red flower that grows in sandy soil.

"Each year, something is going to dominate," Thomas said.

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■ Israel steps up attacks in weapons debate

JERUSALEM — Israeli officials have stepped up their attacks on the United States over allegations that Israel had illegally resold American weapons technology to China, South Africa, and other countries.

At the same time, military experts here said the arms-sale charges suggest that the longstanding strategic relationship between the United States and Israel might be at an important turning point.

If so, the Middle East peace conference could be undermined, some of them warned, arguing that an Israel that doubts Washington's steadfastness would be much less likely to offer the Arabs concessions that might involve security risks.

Relations between the United States and Israel have been slipping for months, and there were no signs after the Israeli Cabinet's weekly meeting on Sunday that matters would soon improve.

Although the Cabinet chose not to discuss the technology dispute, several officials normally charged with conveying the government's public messages emerged from the meeting to denounce what one of them called a "deliberate campaign of slander against Israel."

■ Arabs to confer on continuing peace talks

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Foreign ministers of Arab countries involved in the Middle East peace talks and representatives of the Palestine Liberation Organization plan to meet here next week to decide whether negotiations with Israel should resume before Israel's June 23 elections, the Lebanese foreign minister said.

The minister, Faris Bouez, did not mention a date for the conference, but reports on Sunday in the Beirut press said it would be held on March 21 or 23.

The foreign ministers of Jordan and Syria have said they will attend, along with PLO representatives. Although the PLO is not directly involved in the peace talks, it is the guiding force behind the Palestinian delegation.

Bouez said the conference would review progress so far in the bilateral talks with Israel and "the advisability of resuming them at an early date." Lebanon and Syria have already said they want the negotiations put off until after the elections in Israel. The United States and Russia have proposed that the talks resume in the middle of April.

■ Beirut official predicts Germans' release

BEIRUT, Lebanon — A senior government official said that two Germans held hostage in Lebanon since 1989 would be freed soon.

Interior Minister Sami Khatib said Sunday during a visit to the south of the country that although last-minute problems had delayed the release of the two aid workers, Thomas Kemptner and Heinrich Struebig, "a solution is near." He did not give details.

The kidnapping of the Germans is believed to have been based on family ties rather than ideology. Their kidnappers have demanded that Germany free two Lebanese brothers, Mohammed Ali Hamadi and Abbas Hamadi, who are imprisoned on terrorism and kidnapping convictions.

Khatib is a member of a four-man committee set up by the government to try to secure freedom for the two Germans, the last of the Westerners still in captivity here. The committee was formed after Germany and other members of the European Community decided to withhold millions of dollars in aid to Lebanon until the two hostages are released. Lebanon says it is in dire need of foreign aid in the wake of its 16-year civil war.

■ De Klerk takes risk as referendum looms

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — South Africa's white minority will vote on Tuesday in a referendum that could decide whether President F.W. de Klerk's plan to end apartheid continues or grinds to a halt.

It is an extraordinary risk for de Klerk and a milestone for South Africa, a referendum asking whites whether the president should continue down the path of abolishing the system that has for decades reserved the best of South Africa for them.

The nation's whites, who constitute barely 15 percent of the population, will vote on whether they want de Klerk to keep negotiating on a new constitution that would extend equal rights to the black majority. Blacks do not have the right to vote.

■ Senior U.N. diplomat arrives in Cambodia

BANGKOK, Thailand — A senior U.N. diplomat arrived in Cambodia to start the largest and most expensive peacekeeping operation ever attempted by the United Nations, even as reports from the Cambodian countryside suggested that the battered nation's long civil war might be far from over.

Yasushi Akashi of Japan said Sunday on arrival in Phnom Penh, the Cambodian capital, that he and 22,000 troops and civilians would seek "to end two decades of war and suffering."

Even as Akashi was being greeted at the airport by diplomats and representatives of the four warring Cambodian groups, the largest rebel faction, the Khmer Rouge, was reportedly beginning a wave of guerrilla attacks with the objective of securing as much territory as possible before the U.N. force arrives.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Protest plans generate alarm in Moscow

By Serge Schmemann
N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — Plans by a motley coalition of disgruntled right- and left-wing forces to regroup the defunct Congress of People's Deputies and to hold a mass rally on Tuesday have generated unusual alarm in Moscow.

The demonstrations will hardly be the first against President Boris N. Yeltsin and his reforms, and neither officials nor Yeltsin's many supporters expect that a congress, even if it is convened in defiance of an official ban, has any chance of reviving the old Soviet Union.

But the militancy of the opposition, already demonstrated in scuffles with the police during a demonstration on Feb. 23, has raised fears of deliberately provoked clashes.

Even more, the highly publicized convocation of disenchanted former Communists and Russian nationalists, all demanding the revival of a potent state, comes at an especially brittle moment for the tenuous order that has followed the dissolution of the Soviet Union in December.

Leaders of the Commonwealth of Independent States are to meet on Friday in Kiev with little prospect of reconciling growing differences, especially those between Ukraine and Russia. Then on Saturday, the Tatar region of central Russia is planning a referendum on independence, a move that threatens the fragile unity of the Russian state and a further fanning of nationalist passions.

The nerves of people across the former union have been strained by steep price increases since the first of the year and by the political disarray. This has been compounded by disputes among Russian leaders, and the various ethnic conflagrations in the Caucasus and Moldova.

So many commentators and officials have expressed fear that the rally planned for Tuesday afternoon outside the Kremlin and efforts to convene the congress might lead to clashes with the police and exacerbate the political and economic crisis.

The call for a congress was raised by hardline Communists to coincide with the first anniversary of a referendum last March 17, in which a majority of voters called for maintaining a unified state. The vote carried little weight at the time, not least because the proposition was confusingly phrased and six republics did not participate.

But the hardliners have seized on the anniversary to try to convene the former Congress of People's Deputies, an all-Soviet assembly whose election in 1989 represented a major triumph of Soviet political reforms initiated by President Mikhail S. Gorbachev. The congress suspended its activities after the failed coup last August and was declared dissolved Jan. 2.

Last week, the Russian Parliament banned a congress meeting, and prime ministers of the Commonwealth of Independent States, which was formed by 11 former Soviet republics, denounced it as "interference in the internal affairs of sovereign states."

Jamaican prime minister plans to step down, cites health

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) — Prime Minister Michael Manley, citing health problems, on Sunday announced his resignation, ending a political career that spanned four decades and made him one of the Caribbean's senior statesmen.

Manley's leadership of the Caribbean's third-most-populous country has been marked by controversy and policies that swung from left to right.

In his first stint in office, 1972-1980, Manley had upset U.S. policymakers and foreign investors by espousing socialism and embracing Communist Cuba. In his current term, which began in 1989, Manley undertook market-oriented reforms and austerity measures that have been increasingly unpopular.

But the 67-year-old Manley told a news conference there was no pressure to step down and that his decision to leave office March 28 was motivated by his declining health.

Manley has had five operations in recent years, including one for prostate cancer in 1990. After that operation, he spent weeks hospitalized because of pneumonia.

It had been widely acknowledged that Manley's health would keep him from leading his party into the next general election, due in early 1994.

His successor is to be picked on the day of his resignation by an assembly of his People's National Party.

In a landslide victory in 1989, Manley took over the government from longtime rival Edward Seaga, a conservative who heads the Jamaica Labor Party. But Manley's government has been losing popularity because of cutbacks in state spending and a series of scandals involving party officials.

In January, party chairman P.J. Patterson was replaced as Deputy Prime Minister amid allegations he approved a waiver of $1.47 million of duties on unleaded gasoline for Shell Oil. The head of Shell in Jamaica, Howard Hamilton, is a member of the party's governing board.

North Sea helicopter crash claims eleven lives

ABERDEEN, Scotland (AP) — A helicopter crashed in the North Sea during a 600-foot flight from an oil platform to a barge, killing 11 of the 17 men aboard, police and Shell oil officials said Sunday.

Six men were rescued from the sea after the crash Saturday night, Aberdeen police said. Six bodies were found in the water and five others were located in the wreckage of the helicopter.

An unidentified spokesman for Shell U.K. Ltd said work would go on through the night to bring the wreckage to the surface.

The Bristow Super Puma was carrying two crew members and 15 men from a Shell oil platform to a nearby barge when it crashed about 60 miles northeast of the Shetland Islands, off the north coast of Scotland.

John Parkin, the surgeon treating four survivors who were taken to Gilbert Bain hospital in Shetland, said one of the survivors was rescued from the water unconscious but has improved.

"The others are not in any danger but they are very shaken and very cold," he said.

Flight Lt. Andrew Nelson, of the Royal Air Force base at Dunfermline near Edinburgh, said there had been a strong wind of around 50 miles an hour at the time of the crash.

"But it was a steady wind, and that isn't usually a problem for helicopters," he said.

In November 1986, a Boeing Vertol 234 plunged into the sea as it came in to land at Sumburgh in the Shetland Islands, killing 45 men. It was Britain's worst helicopter disaster.

Kazakhstan can't account for nuclear weapons

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Concern has been raised about unconfirmed reports that two or three tactical nuclear weapons are unaccounted for in the former Soviet republic of Kazakhstan, American officials said on Sunday. But whether they are missing or are figments created by a bookkeeping error cannot be determined.

If the weapons are actually missing, a senior administration official said on Sunday, it is feared that they could turn up in neighboring Iran, where they might be used to make a crude bomb.

It is unclear, administration officials said, whether either the Iranians or the Kazakhs have the know-how or the equipment to detonate the weapons. The weapons are likely to be nuclear artillery shells or small missiles, and their loss poses the danger that the nuclear material inside them could be extracted and used to make a crude nuclear bomb that could be transported by truck.

The senior administration official said that in the last several months, two intelligence reports indicated that weapons thought to be in Kazakhstan or shipped to Russia for destruction were unaccounted for.

A senior American intelligence officer said that as of late Friday there was still no convincing confirmation that the weapons were actually missing or that any weapons had turned up in Iran.

Three weeks ago, Rep. Bill McCollum, of Florida, vice chairman of the House Republican Conference, issued a report mentioning the possibility of several missing tactical weapons, and that they might have reached Tehran.

A brief report in the current issue of U.S. News and World Report has stirred concern again. It said "a high-ranking Russian officer in Moscow had confirmed an American intelligence report that three tactical nuclear weapons had vanished from a former Red Army arsenal in Kazakhstan."

It is unclear whether that confirmation was new or whether it was being reported again, the American intelligence officer said.

Four republics of the former Soviet Union have said they would eliminate most of their strategic and tactical nuclear weapons over the next seven years and would concentrate those remaining on the territory of Russia.

Last month, Reginald Bartholomew, undersecretary of state for international security affairs, told a congressional hearing that all tactical nuclear weapons of the former Soviet Union had been concentrated in Russia, Ukraine, and Belarus and that "there are none remaining elsewhere in the former Soviet Union or abroad." But the accounting of the weapons in Kazakhstan apparently came up a few short.

Then on Thursday, President Leonid M. Kravchuk, of Ukraine, declared that he was suspending the transfer of tactical nuclear weapons to Russia because he had no guarantee that they were being destroyed.

"We ask the West to understand our government," Kravchuk said. "As long as there is no guarantee of full destruction, Ukraine will bear no responsibility."

He said there was a danger that the weapons "may fall into the wrong hands." He also noted that Ukraine's policy was that weapons transferred from its territory "will never be used, will never make anybody stronger or more powerful than at present."

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Taxpayers win check-kiting fray

The nation's taxpayers, who for months have demanded to know the identities of 355 current and former lawmakers who wrote bad checks on Congress' private bank, won a victory late last week when Democratic leaders caved in to demands from Republicans who were charging a coverup and voted to release the names.

The issue strikes at the very heart of open government which asserts that taxpayers have a right to know how their money is being spent. It's entirely understandable that voters in a congressional district may view with contempt any congressman who wrote bad checks on his House account. When that same congressman is entrusted with managing the nation's finances, bad checking takes on a more serious nature. Information from Associated Press indicates some congressmen have written checks amounting to more than $100,000 on the members' account.

When a problem such as "check kiting" exists, it's bad enough within itself, but when the people who elect those in the Congress are not even permitted to learn the names of those involved in such a scandal it smacks of an imperial attitude on the part of the elected representatives. That is not acceptable.

There are still matters involving the scandal to be resolved. Rep. Charles Hatcher, D-Ga., who has acknowledged that he overdrew his account as many as 780 times over a 39-month period, has said that as he understood the rule on overdrawn checks he was permitted to overdraw his account by the amount of his next paycheck.

Such a practice still would not be acceptable to many, but if it was in place as a matter of courtesy to congressmen it would be more understandable to the general public. Simply writing bad checks on the members' bank with no concern for how the loss was covered or who paid the bill is another matter altogether. That would show a lack of concern for the grave responsibility delegated to the congressman by his constituents.

It's important to remember that we aren't talking about people whose income is so low that they should barely be managing "to get by' although the size of the overdraws certainly would indicate that to be true.

Members of the House receive about $129,500 annually plus staff and office budgets, reduced-price meals, parking, mail privileges, health insurance and retirement programs, and more benefits than we probably have space to include here.

This is an important issue that could not simply be swept under the rug. The members of Congress must be accountable to the people who elect them.

Rep. Gerry Silorski, D-Minn., who says he wrote checks at the House bank amounting to $120,000, noted that he "should not have been so casual and careless." He's correct.

There are 354 others who were casual and careless and now should answer to their constituents for their actions.

OTHER VIEWS

French proposal leaves 'em singing

There's no end to the bizarre movements that operate and flourish around the world, but the recent activities of a group in France are particularly noteworthy. A number of prominent citizens, including President Mitterrand's wife, wants to rewrite history and give France a more politically correct image.

The organization has rewritten the "Marseillaise," the wonderfully rousing French national anthem. The stirring, if somewhat bloodthirsty lyrics, are viewed 200 years after they were written as perhaps too harsh. Even the French would like to be seen as a kinder, gentler nation.

If the group is successful, future generations of French men and women whose fathers were admonished to "march on, march on," will be encouraged to "sing on, sing on." And instead of encouraging citizens to take up arms and close ranks, the French will be urged to "march hand in hand."

— **Austin American-Statesman**

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, March 16, the 76th day of 1992. There are 290 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

Two hundred years ago, on March 16, 1792, Sweden's King Gustav III was shot and mortally wounded during a masquerade party; he died 13 days later. (The assassination inspired the Giuseppe Verdi opera "Un ballo in maschera," or, "The Masked Ball.")

On this date:

In 1521, Portuguese navigator Ferdinand Magellan reached the Philippines, where he was killed by natives the following month.

In 1751, James Madison, the fourth president of the United States, was born in Port Conway, Va.

In 1802, Congress authorized the establishment of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

In 1827, the first newspaper edited for and by blacks, "Freedom's Journal," was published in New York.

In 1836, the Republic of Texas approved a constitution.

In 1850, Nathaniel Hawthorne's "The Scarlet Letter" was published.

In 1915, the Federal Trade Commission was organized.

In 1935, Adolf Hitler scrapped the Treaty of Versailles.

JACK ANDERSON

Exporting limits could stop incoming drugs

WASHINGTON — The Second Amendment is preserving the right of Colombian drug lords to keep and bear arms. When it comes to buying weapons for their deadly business, drug lords rely on errand boys in the United States who simply walk into gun shops and buy retail.

Anderson

At the recent San Antonio drug summit, the aim of the U.S. delegates was to cut the pipeline of drugs into the country. But the Colombian government is equally concerned about the pipeline of weapons flowing the other way. In their minds, the problem is clear: If the United States really wanted Colombia to beat the drug lords, it would stop arming them.

Jack Killorin, chief spokesman for the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, says the bureau believes "the predominant source of weapons for the narcotics organizations in South America is the U.S. retail market."

Last year, more than 8,000 U.S.-made weapons were seized abroad — 7,453 of them in drug-producing countries. The U.S. Customs Service also seized 1,571 weapons headed for Latin America last year. The majority of the guns that end up in the hands of drug lords are assault weapons bought from U.S. stores.

Colombia has frequently raised the issue in response to U.S. demands that Colombia be tougher on its own drug cartels. In 1989, during the heat of the bloody war between Colombian law enforcement and the Medellin drug cartel, then-Colombian President Virgilio Barco pleaded with the United States to halt the flow of deadly weapons to his country.

Senate Democrats, led by Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., responded with a bill to ban 14 kinds of assault weapons with little or no sporting value. The senators cited the mayhem on U.S. streets, plus the arming of foreign drug cartels. A Gallup Poll showed that 72 percent of Americans were behind the ban. But the National Rifle Association wasn't, and neither was the Bush administration. The bill failed to pass the House last year.

Drug violence is down in Colombia, but the weapons traffic remains "constant," according to Killorin. Customs and BATF officials say the guns are bought in small lots from gun shops across the country by well-established middlemen for the drug lords. They are often exported through the same channels that bring drugs into the United States.

The BATF has established a new office in Colombia, which has increased the case load for both countries. But, Colombia is still not satisfied the United States is doing all it can, according to Gabriel Silva, international affairs adviser to Colombian President Cesar Gaviria Trujillo. Silva told our associate Dean Boyd, "The United States has to do a better (job) at controlling these weapons because, though they are produced for domestic purposes, many are ending up in our country." Silva also said some U.S. weapons are being routed to Colombia through third countries.

Colombia made its point at the San Antonio summit and won a pledge from the United States to tighten export controls. But that's the same pledge the Bush administration made in 1989 while ruling out a ban on assault weapons. And nothing has changed. Silva diplomatically told us he had "no opinion" on whether a ban on assault weapons in the United States would help to solve his country's problems. "This is a domestic issue for the United States to decide."

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HARASSMENT PRIMER — After the Clarence Thomas fiasco, it has come to this — federal agencies publishing primers for their employees on what constitutes sexual harassment. Apparently common sense doesn't cut it any more, nor does the Supreme Court standard of "I'll know it when I see it."

Employees of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. recently received a communique from their Equal Employment Office. It reminds them that "actual or attempted rape or sexual assault" is a no-no along with cat-calls, wolf whistles, pinching, stalking and "elevator eyes."

The FDIC advice is to not refer to an adult co-worker as "girl, hunk, doll, babe, or even honey." Don't give a neck massage or stare at someone in an "amorous" manner on the job.

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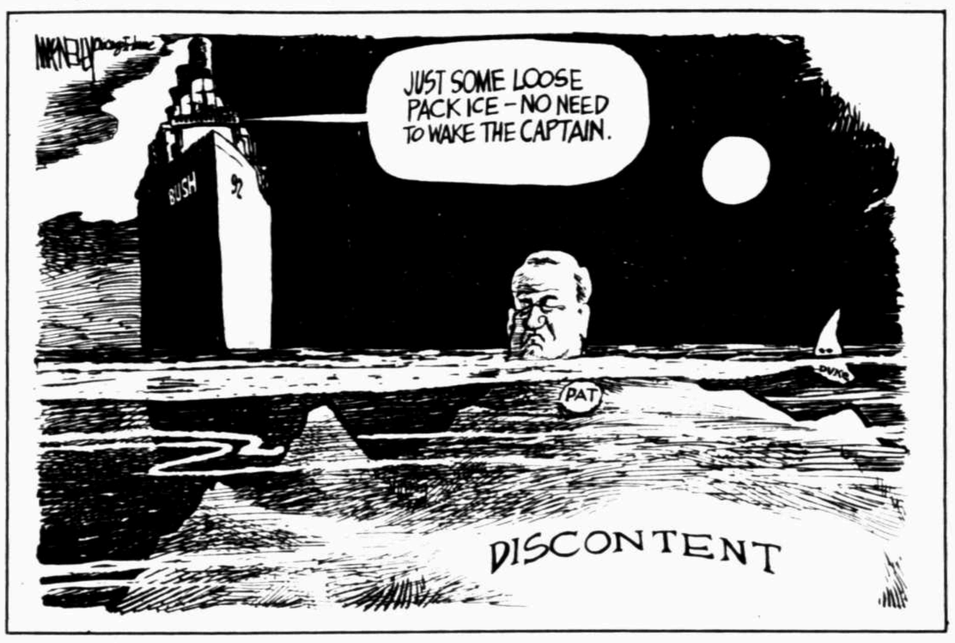

CHARLEY REESE

Justification for foreign aid doesn't exist

I am against the proposed $10 billion loan guarantee to Israel under any circumstances. I am against the regular $3 billion to $4 billion a year aid to Israel. I am against the rest of the $11 billion to $12 billion in foreign aid Congress so routinely passes.

Reese

My opposition has nothing to do with Israelis or with any other foreigners. It has to do with Americans.

Tens of thousands of Americans are losing their jobs. They are not losing their jobs temporarily. These jobs are gone permanently. Thousands of Americans are losing their homes or facing foreclosure. Thousands are losing their cars and losing all hope of sending their children to college.

To our undying shame, children go to schools every day where classrooms are overcrowded, where there are not enough textbooks for them to use, where teachers have to buy supplies out of their own pockets or beg parents to help out. In some states, there's no gas for school buses and rural children are staying at home.

Some 37 million Americans have no health insurance and live in mortal fear of getting sick. Older Americans with modest homes and modest savings are told, when they get sick, they have to impoverish themselves to qualify for Medicaid or there is no help available.

In many of America's cities, bridges are unsafe, streets are full of potholes, water and sewer systems are cracking with age, whole sections of cities are beginning to look like movie sets for post-nuclear war films. Dangerous toxic waste dumps remain dangerous because there is no money to clean them up.

In state after state, officials are facing budget shortfalls — are telling people there isn't enough money to fund fully the basic services.

In the face of all this, how can any American politician with an ounce of brains, one-half gram of integrity, tell the American people that we have enough tax dollars to send an average of $280 million per week — that's per week — overseas to foreign governments for projects and purposes that have absolutely nothing to do with the welfare of the American people?

You tell me how an average of $15 billion a year in foreign aid can be justified in the face of American suffering and hardship. You tell me how it can be justified with a $400 billion deficit, with an economy lying on its keister, with over $200 billion a year being drained out of the private economy in the form of taxes just to pay the interest on the nearly $4 trillion of accumulated deficits.

It is a sin and insult in these hard times to take $280 million a week out of the pockets of Americans in need and had it to foreign governments. You think there is a housing problem in Israel? Have you looked around America lately? You think Israel has an immigration problem? Have you seen the Mexicans shivering in caves and cardboard boxes in California?

Foreign aid gets passed just like all the other giveaways get passed — lobbyists pay for it with campaign contributions. But this is not 1947. Europe has been rebuilt and collectively has a larger gross nation product and a higher standard of living than we do. Japan has been rebuilt and is one of the world's most powerful economic engines. Our Cold War enemy, the Soviet Union, is non-existent.

In short, there does not exist any justification whatsoever for any foreign aid at any level to any country for any reason. Too many Americans are hurting.

Twenty-five million Americans are on food stamps and the global corporations like General Motors haven't even begun the permanent lay-offs they've already announced. Enough's enough. Tell your representative and senator: either foreign aid goes or you go. Better yet, dump both.

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LEWIS GRIZZARD

Don't dare call me lazy, Mr. Prime Minister

I've been working a lot harder since the Japanese prime minster said Americans were lazy.

Here I am laboring now, for instance. I'd rather be on the golf course or in front of my television watching a movie and feeding my face with Little Debbie snack cakes.

Grizzard

Actually I'd rather be out with Little Debbie, who's probably grown by now and has even better snack cakes.

But it's time we showed the Japanese a thing or two about just how hard Americans will work once they are challenged.

Yesterday, I made up my bed before it really needed making up. Usually, I don't make up my bed until it no longer resembles a bed but is stacked with dirty clothes, magazines I've been reading in the bed, Little Debbie snack cake wrappers and an occasional shoe.

At that point it looks more like a sidewalk in New York City than a bed, and I know it's time to make it up.

But I went ahead and picked up all the garbage on my bed and swept off the sheets and pillows before I really needed to.

I didn't spot one single thing that was alive, as a matter of fact.

Often, there are organisms in there somewhere, including things I had to catch and mount for my 10th-grade biology bug collection.

"Take that, Mr. Prime Minister," I said, as I swept the last graham cracker crumb off the bed. I'd run out of Little Debbie snack cakes one recent evening and had to go to graham crackers.

After that, I looked around for something else to do to show Mr. Prime Minister he couldn't call me lazy and get away with it.

I put my dishes, the ones that were still in the sink following my Annual Ground Hog Day party, in the dishwasher.

I'm probably the only person who has an Annual Ground Hog Day party.

I invite guests and we eat and drink and then go outside to see if we can see our shadows. If we do, it means I don't clean up the dishes from the party for six weeks. If we don't, it means I don't clean up the dishes from the party for six more weeks.

But here I was doing my duty as an American, putting the dishes in the dishwasher a good two weeks before I really had to.

Talk about living things. I think there was a cat in there among those dishes because once I put them in the dishwasher, put it on, and there emanated a loud noise that sounded a lot like a cat having just been scalded by hot, soapy water.

When I empty the dishwasher sometime around Flag Day in June, I suppose I'll find out exactly what was making that noise.

Then, I decided to clean out my bedroom closet.

I removed a large pile of items that included clothes I no longer wear, like my polyester leisure suits I had thrown in there during the '70s, an empty jar of mayonnaise, some auto parts, assorted empty beer cans, an autographed picture of Jimmy Swaggart and my dog, Catfish, the black Lab.

"So this is where you've been," I said to Catfish, who had been missing for a couple of weeks. I suppose he had gone into the closet, looking for a cat, got trapped under all that stuff and subsisted on mayonnaise until I finally freed him.

After all that work, I was ready for a nap. I dreamt the Japanese prime minister got arrested for loitering.

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Nation in brief

■ Two gas lines in Tennessee explode

WHITE BLUFF, Tenn. — Two natural gas lines exploded in flames Sunday, shooting fire 200 feet into the air that destroyed three houses and blackened more than 400 acres of rolling farmland, officials said.

At least five people were injured, two requiring hospitalization, and more than 100 residents within a 4-square-mile evacuated after the mid-morning blast.

Two of four natural Tenneco Inc. gas lines in the area exploded, said Glynn Barton, a safety director with the state Public Service Commission. The cause was unknown.

"It could have been a fracture," Tenneco spokesman David Lane said. "But the ignition had to come from another source. These lines fracture all the time because of stress."

The blaze burned out of control for about four hours until workers were able to close valves, reducing flames to about 10 feet in height. Emergency crews waited for lingering gas to burn out and for hot spots to cool late Sunday before approaching the site to begin an investigation.

White Bluff is about 35 miles west of Nashville.

■ 'Silence of the Lambs' director wins award

NEW YORK — Jonathan Demme, who directed the thriller "The Silence of the Lambs," won the Directors Guild of America's top honor Saturday.

"If ever there was a group of people you can't (fool), this is it," Demme said accepting the award at the group's 44th annual awards dinner at the United Nations. Demme was the only nominee at the New York ceremony.

"This will show them out in La-La land," Demme said, referring to Los Angeles. A separate ceremony was held at the Beverly Hilton in Beverly Hills, Calif., where the winner was to be announced three hours later.

The other nominees had been Ridley Scott, for "Thelma and Louise," Barry Levinson for "Bugsy," Barbra Streisand for "The Prince of Tides," and Oliver Stone for "JFK."

Demme pointed out that he was "the 44th white male to receive this award, which I have confused feelings about."

Streisand, who was snubbed by the Academy Awards, was the third woman ever nominated for the guild award.

"I'm thrilled for him. I think it's great," Mark Johnson, producer of "Bugsy," said when word of Demme's win was leaked to him at the Beverly Hills ceremony.

■ Average retail gas price falls, analyst says

LOS ANGELES — Retail gasoline prices fell about a half-cent per gallon in the past three weeks, an industry analyst said Sunday.

The average price for all grades at full- and self-service pumps was just over $1.17 cents as of March 13, down 0.44 cents from Feb. 21, said Trilby Lundberg.

In a survey of 13,600 gasoline stations nationwide, per-gallon prices at self-service pumps were $1.03 for regular unleaded; $1.21 for premium unleaded and 1.03 for regular leaded.

At full-service stations, per-gallon prices were $1.32 for regular unleaded, $1.49 for premium unleaded and $1.36 for regular leaded.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Republicans push for more aid to Ex-Soviets

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Worried that economic desperation could transform the former Soviet republics into hostile dictatorships, many Republicans in Congress have joined Democrats and former President Richard M. Nixon in urging the Bush administration to take the lead in backing billions of dollars more in aid to the republics.

After Nixon deserbed the American aid granted so far as "pathetically inadequate" last week, several prominent Republican legislators began to echo remarks by some Democrats that strong presidential leadership is needed on the issue. Bush's backing is necessary both to assure support in Congress and to reduce the political heat that lawmakers face in an election year over backing more foreign aid, those legislators say.

To help preserve Russia's experiment in democracy and the free market, many legislators want Washington to back a new $12 billion contribution to the International Monetary Fund as well as several billion dollars for other programs, including a fund to support the ruble.

"They're at a point in history where either the stabilization occurs or you really go into a deep pit in which there appears to be no bottom whatsoever," said Ser Richard G. Lugar, an Indiana Republican and influential member of the Foreign Relations Committee who recently returned from a trip to Russia and other republics. "This is why we're hopeful that our government will move."

Demonstrating the desire among many Republicans for leadership on the issue of aid, the United States ambassador to Russia, Robert Strauss, told a Senate committee last week that two leading conservatives, Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., and Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., had urged him to take the lead on assistance to the Commonwealth of Independent States because no one else has done so.

"I think you're going to see bipartisan support for a number of things increased," Strauss said.

Helms is the ranking Republican member of the Foreign Relations Committee and Thurmond is the ranking Republican on the Armed Services Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrent.

Many members of Congress say that Bush is apprehensive about pushing for more aid to the former Soviet republics because of criticism that he has paid too much attention to foreign policy and because of campaign pressures from his Republican opponent in the presidential primaries, Patrick Buchanan.

"This is going to require very aggressive leadership on the part of the president," said Rep. David R. Obey, D-Wis., who heads the House Subcommittee on Foreign Operations.

Some Republican and Democratic leaders in Congress say the collapse of the East bloc, and Bush's foreign policy successes, could be largely nullified if economic woes bring an anti-Western government to power in the former Soviet Union.

Baptist leader's support of Tyson stirs dissent

By E.R. Shipp
N.Y. Times News Service

For decades, the National Baptist Convention U.S.A. Inc. has been a sleeping giant: With about eight million blacks, it is the nation's third-largest Protestant denomination, yet its voice in the national discourse on social policy and morality has often been muted.

And when its 73-year-old president, the Rev. Dr. Theodore J. Jemison, recently tried to bestir the giant by siding with Mike Tyson in the former heavyweight champion boxer's rape trial, he unleashed a torrent of criticism both from within the church and from theologians outside.

The FBI is looking into whether church leaders, or anyone else, tried to put pressure on Tyson's accuser, Desiree Washington, to drop the rape charges.

Miss Washington, a former contestant in the Miss Black America beauty pageant, has asserted that she was offered $1 million before the Tyson trial began, but she has not said who approached her.

Church officials have denied offering Miss Washington or her family any money.

The Tyson case has put the spotlight on a church leadership that has rarely been publicly forced to account for its actions.

Now the leaders are facing questions about the church's new $10 million headquarters in Nashville, and whether Tyson's pledge of $5 million to the church two years ago is the reason Jemison has become one of the boxer's prime advocates.

Jemison has denied that the church's need for money is the reason he is supporting Tyson.

The leaders are also facing questions about whether their concern for Tyson, and not Miss Washington, minimizes the importance of black women to the church.

Jemison has said that the church's support for Tyson is consistent with its longtime effort to help black men escape the traps of poverty, prison and premature death.

After taking an uncharacteristic public role on behalf of Tyson, Jemison, a Baton Rouge, La., minister who for 50 years has been a behind-the-scenes peacemaker in conflicts involving blacks, has retreated into silence.

He has refused to respond to numerous messages left at his office.

The church president has his defenders, and they say he can speak out on any issue he chooses.

But increasingly, critics such as Dr. Karen Baker-Fletcher, a professor of theology and culture at the Christian Theological Seminary in Indianapolis, are speaking out about the Tyson case on television and radio and in newspapers and magazines with predominantly black audiences.

"How does the church know that Desiree Washington was not raped?" Dr. Baker-Fletcher said in an interview. "That's the bottom line. I think that in rallying for Tyson it suggests disbelief of her story, and it's a disbelief that's not founded on knowledge."

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Gays march in Boston's St. Patrick's Day parade

BOSTON (AP) — Some spectators lobbed smoke bombs and beer cans at two dozen Irish-American gay activists Sunday as they marched, draped in green and armed with a court order, in a St. Patrick's Day parade.

"You can't keep an Irishman down," said Brian Thomas Callahan, who held one end of a gay pride group's shamrock-adorned banner. "Tell him no and he's not going to listen."

Some spectators jeered and others threw things at gay marchers, who wore pink triangles and green carnations. They responded by shouting "Happy St. Patrick's Day."

"It's a great amount of hate," said Dave O'Connor, part of the gay contingent. "I'm Irish, I'm from Ireland, I should bloody well be allowed to march."

A judge last week ordered organizers to admit gays to the parade through the heavily Irish-American neighborhood of South Boston.

The Irish-American Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Pride Committee agreed to limit marchers to 25, use only one banner and refrain from distributing fliers.

Mounted police acted as a buffer between marchers and the crowd of about 600,000. Motorcycle police cruised alongside and a police van filled with officers followed behind.

Police said at least six people were arrested, including one spectator arrested after a fistfight in the crowd as the gay contingent passed. No injuries were reported.

Some spectators tossed tiny firecrackers known as "party snappers" at the marchers, but they were not powerful enough to harm anyone.

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DEAR ABBY

Grandmother treasures goldfish like one of the family

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I felt so sorry for 11-year-old Jeremy Schwartz who had a pair of goldfish named Ike and Mike, and Mike died. I also had two goldfish as pets, so I know how he felt when Mike died. My goldfish were rescued from an outdoor pond at the synagogue where I worked, or they probably would have frozen over the winter. I brought them home and named them Mahzel and Brocha.

Van Buren

Unfortunately, one of them didn't even last the first night. I wasn't even sure if it was Mahzel or Brocha who died, so I named the survivor Goldie (not knowing if it was male or female, it's a most appropriate name) because of his/her beautiful color. That was in 1990.

Goldie is still alive and doing well, and he/she now has a place of honor in my apartment. If Jeremy ever comes to Southfield, Mich., he is welcome to visit us.

I'm a "Bubbie" (grandmother), so in addition to the pictures of my children and grandchildren, I keep a picture of Goldie in my wallet, too. — ROSALIE SPARR

DEAR ROSALIE: Thanks for a lovely fish story. Goldfish make wonderful pets. They're easy to feed, require no license and you always know where they are.

DEAR ABBY: What is the correct thing to do when you have visitors and the phone rings?

Is it OK to say, "May I call you back? I have visitors now"? My sister-in-law had that happen to her, and the party who called her just blessed her out something terrible, saying, "That's the rudest thing I have ever heard of anyone doing!" Then she slammed down the telephone receiver and hasn't spoken to her since.

Abby, I have done the same thing several times, thinking it wasn't fair to leave the visitor just sitting there while I talked on the telephone. (To my way of thinking that would be even more rude.) The person who called and blessed my sister-in-law out professes to be a great Christian.

Thank you for your answer. Sign this ... — WONDERING IN CONYERS, GA.

DEAR WONDERING: It would be unspeakably rude to leave a guest sitting alone while the host or hostess carried on a long-winded conversation on the telephone. No reasonable person would take offense to being told, "I have company now; may I call you back?"

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Students are losing school with 1 room

ANGLE INLET, Minn. (AP) — The four children who attend school in this remote Minnesota region spend lunch hour fishing and gym class riding snowmobiles.

But the Warroad School District spends more than $10,000 a year on each of them and plans to close their one-room school in May.

The closing has upset residents of Angle Inlet, in the state's Northwest Angle that juts 30 miles into Canada.

"How can we expect other people to come up here?" asked Robert Carlson, a fishing guide in the remote area that just got telephone service last year.

"You have to have a future, and a school is a big part of that," he said.

School officials said they can't justify the cost of keeping the Angle Inlet School open since the town of 70 year-round residents is expected to have only two students of elementary school age next fall.

The school's four elementary schoolchildren will travel by bus — 60 miles each way — to school in Warroad, which has a population of nearly 1,700.

The district said it spends more than $10,000 on each pupil, compared with about $4,000 per child attending Warroad's elementary school.

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Above, Dixie Dewees, the group's musical director, uses a pitch pipe to get the group on key. Right, Brenda Smith, who sings lead, poses with her music.

Barbershop Gals

Ms. Dewees directs the Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus during rehearsal. They practice both old and new songs with each one having a particular part.

Above, Liz Ivie is one of the group's baritones. Right, three of the group's basses are Peggy McCrary, Doris Roy and Carrie Fedro.

Story By Mary Dearen

Photos By Pam Hults

Sing In Harmony

Basses are branches, sustaining the sound,
Baritones, like garlands, weave in and around.
Leads are the lights that everyone sees.
Tenors the star at the top of the tree.

— Peggy McCrary, member of Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus

The women stand in a semi-circle awaiting their cue from the musical director's pitch pipe. Then they launch into a lively version of "Yes Sir, That's My Baby."

They are members of Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus, a relatively new group that gets together once a week to perfect its craft.

"We're doing some community work at churches, nursing homes, for not-for-profit groups ... to get people to learn about us," said Midlander Doris Dewees, the group's musical director.

"We're a struggling group, but we're going to grow. We feel it (barbershop chorus) has a place in the community," she said at a recent rehearsal.

Ms. Dewees, a customer service representative for Dimension Cable, said barbershop is always sung as four-part harmony without instrumental accompaniment.

"Young people find it hard to believe you can sing without accompaniment," said Odessan Peggy McCrary, a homemaker who also writes poetry and songs.

Ms. Dewees said the four parts of barbershop music are lead, tenor, baritone and bass. The lead sings the melody, while tenor sings the high notes above the melody. Baritone, is the part that "gives it the barbershop sound," she said. Bass sings the low notes — "they carry the beat to match the melody," said Midlander Carrie Fedro, a secretary for The Western Co.

The local group sometimes performs as a chorus and sometimes as quartets, as they

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DEATHS

Abdon Pena

Services for Abdon S. Pena of Midland are to be 4 p.m. today at Ellis Chapel with Deacon Jesse Guajardo of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church officiating. Burial is to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the arrangement of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pena died Saturday at a local hospital.

He was born April 29, 1930, in Ozona, where he was reared and attended school. He moved to Midland in 1985 and was employed with Teledyne Oil Exploration as chief mechanic. He retired in Midland the same year.

Pena had lived here for seven years.

Survivors include his wife Anna L. Pena; one son, Roland Pena of Presidio; two step-sons, Mal Hayes, Jr., and Richard Hayes, both of Lakeland, Fla.; two daughters, Lenore Constancio and Lydia Pena, both of San Angelo; three step-daughters, Marsha Whalen of Cleveland, Ohio, Jeanie Lomas of Del Rio, and Patty Hayes of Midland; two sisters, Patsy Nasar and Ramada Ramirez, both of Ozona; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers are to be Van D. Laughlin, Mark Christy, Raff LaForge, Ramiro Luna, Stanley Najar II, Rodney Najar and Doug Lusk.

George McNary

Services for George G. McNary are set for 1 p.m. today at First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Ray Riddle, hospice chaplain, officiating. Burial is to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

McNary died Friday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers are to be Michael James, Jack Jordan, Wm. "Bill" Larson, Jim Caffery, Bud Oren and Walter Holton.

Honorary pallbearers are to be the Old Boys Class of First Presbyterian Church.

Roy Miller

Services for Roy A. Miller are set for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Alan Williams, hospital chaplain, and Jeff Hassell of Fort Worth, officiating. Burial is to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Saturday at a local hospital after a sudden illness.

Miller was born Sept. 29, 1912, in Blue Earth, Minn., where he was reared. He moved to Texas at age 16 and finished high school in San Benito.

He worked for the Boundry Commission for seven years; then for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers from 1941-1944.

He married Lonene Hassell March 4, 1944, in Childress. They lived in Gainesville for two years before moving to Midland in 1946.

He worked for Murray Motor Co. from 1946 until 1962, when he joined Texas Flange Inc. of Odessa as office manager. He retired in 1986.

He was a member of Memorial Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife of Midland; a son, Nick L. Miller of Midland; a daughter, Victoria L. Miller of Midland; and a sister, Edna L. Miller of San Benito.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

Basil McAnear

Services for Basil McAnear of Midland are set for 11 a.m. today at Ellis North Chapel with the Rev. Robert Frazier, pastor of Valley View Baptist Church, officiating. Burial is to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Thursday at his home.

Pallbearers are to be Donald Wayne Robinson, Larry Robinson, Dewey McAnear, L.A. Franklin, Frank Bostic and Jim Cates.

Counselors host marriage, family life seminar today

Staff Report

A marriage and family life seminar will be presented by marriage counselors Perry and Polly Cowin 7 p.m. today through Wednesday at Harvest Time Church, 2703 S. County Road 1207.

Cowin said the seminar is designed to offer down-to-earth solutions to problems faced by married couples. He said they have developed ideals and principles based on the Bible and they explain how to make a marriage work.

The Cowins are founders of Life Enrichment Ministries Inc., a ministry committed to the whole family.

The topics to be covered in the seminar include "What is a Christian Marriage?" and "Communication." The Cowins will analyze the problems and make Bible-based proposals to help couples avoid and deal with anger, worry, faulty communication and stress.

For more information call 697-5085.

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LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

Hospital releases train wreck victims

Staff Report

ODESSA — Two people were treated and released from Medical Center Hospital after their car was struck by a train at the crossing in the 100 block of South Hancock Street Saturday night, Odessa police said.

Rosa Escobedo, 35, was cited for failure to yield the right-of-way when she didn't stop her 1986 Plymouth Reliant at the intersection, police said.

Ms. Escobedo and 6-year-old Julie Escobedo complained of minor pain following the 8:55 p.m. accident. Another passenger, 2-year-old Rebecca Escobedo was not injured, police said.

The vehicle was totally damaged, officials said.

Woman dies in accident

An unidentified female died in a one-vehicle traffic accident in Glasscock County late Sunday night, according to Department of Public Safety officials.

The woman's car apparently lost control and rolled over on a county road, officials said.

Officers were still investigating the accident late Sunday night and no other information was available.

SING: Local chorus harmonizes with barbershop sound

(From 1B)

did recently when they delivered singing Valentines.

When barbershop is performed by a quartet, there is one person singing each part. But when barbershop is performed as a chorus, Ms. Dewees said "the basses and leads are balanced; if anything, there are more basses; baritones, about the same number as the lead, or less; and tenors (number) one or two."

Ms. Dewees said barbershop music, "an art form native to our country" started in Tulsa, Okla., in the late 1800s. "The difference between barbershop and other choral groups is that (in barbershop music) songs are sung they way you'd speak. You take liberties with timing ... so people may speed up or slow down for effect."

"Barbershop is a different style," said Mrs. Fedro, a bass. "Pronouncing vowels is more important than consonants."

"You have to be able to carry a tune, but you don't have to read music because you learn from tapes," said Mrs. McCrary, a bass.

The local chorus, comprised of 20 Midland and Odessa women, was started about 1½ years ago by Midlander Susan O'Mahoney. The registered nurse had belonged to a chorus in Oklahoma City. When she moved to Midland and discovered there was no group, she drove to Lubbock every week to sing with the Prairie Winds chapter of Sweet Adelines.

Mrs. O'Mahoney, a bass and the local group's president, said in a telephone interview they are not yet affiliated with Sweet Adelines Inc., although she hopes to be able to apply to the national organization soon.

She said in order to belong to Sweet Adelines, a chorus must have 20 members who sing every week. Of the Midland/Odessa women, only 13 or 14 rehearse weekly, she said.

At this rehearsal, only six singers were present because some were sick and others were out of town.

But it was a treat to hear these six women go through their paces. In addition to Ms. Dewees, Mrs. McCrary and Mrs. Fedro, present at the rehearsal were Midlanders Doris Roy, a secretary/bookkeeper for Sayers Operating Co., bass; Liz Ivie, a regulatory and compliance coordinator with Arco Oil & Gas, baritone; and Brenda Smith, who works for Mims and Stephens Insurance Co., lead.

They warmed up by executing a counting exercise "to get people used to singing together," said Ms. Dewees, who sings lead. The women said the hardest part is not finding the right note, but remembering the number sequence.

That night they were scheduled to learn a new number, but before they began their lesson, they offered a sample of the songs most identifed with barbershop music: "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," "Baby Face" and "Yes Sir, That's My Baby."

The newest song in their repertoire is "Barbershop Tag." In learning a new song, Mrs. McCrary first plays the notes on a keyboard and Ms. Dewees goes through each part with the singers. "We do the lead first and then put the bass with it," Ms. Dewees said. "Then we put the third part and then the fourth. We learn only three or four lines at a time."

The Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus meets 7 p.m. Thursdays at Cutter Beechcraft, 9098 W. Highway 80 (off the Highway 80 service road.)

Prospective members would be asked to perform for Ms. Dewees, who would then decide which part they sing.

The group's next public performance is at May's Celebration of the Arts. Their most recent performance was on Valentine's Day. One quartet each in Midland and Odessa delivered singing Valentines as a fund-raising project to buy music.

One of the Midland quartet's stops was at Luigi's. They delivered a Valentine to the owner from his wife. "You could hear a pin drop" during the lunch-time rendition of "Baby Face," Ms. Roy said.

Another Valentine was performed at a local machine shop. "Someone kept tooting a (truck) horn," Mrs. McCrary said. "That really throws you off tune."

For more information about the Midessa Women's Barbershop Chorus, call 694-5989.

Officials to study whale death

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Necropsy results are expected to take four to six weeks for a 6,000-pound killer whale that died this weekend while attempting to give birth at Sea World of Texas, officials say.

Samoa, estimated to be about 14 years old, was expected to end a 17-month gestation period in June, but she began to show signs of labor last Wednesday.

The whale began to have contractions on Friday and died early Saturday while delivering her calf, which also died.

Although marine zoologists already have said Samoa was killed by complications during the delivery, Sea World and independent pathologists will conduct a necropsy.

Samoa arrived in Texas from Sea World of Ohio in 1990.

Native Americans call for construction halt at cemetery site in Galveston

GALVESTON (AP) — About 50 people, many members of the Intertribal Council of Houston, protested Sunday at a construction site where the remains of six Indians have been found, asking that a memorial established.

The 191-acre site on the west side of Galveston Island, contains 348 lots for the Pirates' Cove resort subdivision. Evidence of a camp area and the remains of six Indians were found there in January.

Archaeologists are probing the development site for further evidence of Indian cemeteries that could be nearly 700 years old.

"Basically, the goal of the protest is to request that Woodlands Corp. stop construction over sacred burial grounds of indigenous Native American tribes who lived in the area for several thousand years," said Richard Yahola, board member of the Intertribal Council.

"Our goal is to emphasize to the community at whole that it is an issue of humanity that unmarked graves should have as much respect as those that are marked," he said.

The recently unearthed skeletons, believed to be those of Karankawa or Akokisa Indians who inhabited the Galveston Bay area for hundreds of years, have been removed for study by Corpus Christi archaeologist Robert Ricklis.

The Woodlands Corp. hired Ricklis to catalog all remains and artifacts. Testing to determine the age of remains will take months, officials said.

The skeletons, believed to have been buried about the year 1300, had their knees folded toward their chests and their heads pointed westward, said U.S. Army Corps of Engineers archaeologist Gayle Celmer.

Woodlands Corp. officials have said they're willing to rebury the remains in a park area at the development site.

"Obviously, such a decision will have to be made in concert with the appropriate local, state and federal agencies, together with organizations with a bona fide special interest in where the remains might be reinterred," said Woodlands Corp. president Roger L. Galatas.

AP Laserphoto

Thrill seekers aboard one of the world's fastest wooden rollercoasters, The Rattler, enjoy the day during the opening of Fiesta Texas in San Antonio Saturday.

Lines greet amusement park crowds on opening

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Pleasant weather and long lines greeted thousands of people who attended opening weekend at the $100 million amusement park Fiesta Texas.

Despite the difficulties, officials said the opening was a success, and patrons seemed to agree.

"The entertainment has been incredible," said San Antonio resident Ann Carr of 400 singers, dancers and musicians who work on eight productions and 60 daily performances at the 200-acre park. "These are some real professional performances."

At least 5,000 people stampeded into the part at the morning opening and by mid-afternoon, about 11,000 visitors had walked through the park's gates.

There were some glitches in the opening, though. One of the most apparent was a four-hour wait to ride the huge $10 million roller coaster dubbed the Rattler and billed as the world's fastest and tallest ride of its kind.

Robert Torres said he waited two hours to ride the coaster before giving up.

"We weren't even halfway there," he said "We rode the train, and they made us get off that. We're not too pleased with our first day."

Park officials said the long wait at the Rattler was because only one coaster train was running. They said a second would soon be added.

"This turned out so incredibly popular that we could never imagine the lines," said spokeswoman Winter Prosapio. "If anybody is really disappointed, they should go to guest relations and explain the problem to them. We want all of our guests to be happy."

Fiesta Texas, carved into an abandoned quarry on San Antonio's west side, is affiliated with Opryland USA in Nashville.

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Vacation shootings double police force

GALVESTON (AP) — Galveston police doubled their patrols Sunday in the wake of shootings that authorities said marked the most violent start to spring break in memory.

One man was killed and two others wounded Saturday in shootings on crowded island beaches where revelers had gathered to celebrate spring break. About 50 shots were fired by people at R.A. Apffel Park, or East Beach, and at Stewart Beach, police said.

Sgt. Kim Onove said Sgt. Michael Putnal killed 21-year-old Wendell Baker Jr. of Waller with multiple gunshots.

Putnal and another officer had heard the shots and saw throngs of people scattering. Putnal, a 10-year veteran of the force, approached a car in which Baker sat, and fired when Baker pointed a loaded automatic pistol at the officer.

A police spokeswoman said Sunday that Putnal has been placed on administrative leave with pay, pending an internal investigation.

Two other men who suffered leg wounds in the incident were in good condition at John Sealy Hospital on Sunday, hospital spokeswoman Rochelle Dearman said.

Galveston police were working 12-hour shifts Sunday and had received reinforcements from the Department of Public Safety and the Galveston County sheriff's department.

"We've doubled our manpower," Sgt. Onove said. "We're going to keep a monitor on the situation on the beach today, and if it looks like it's going to be a repeat of the situation yesterday, we're going to close the beaches down."

While police were clearing the crowds out of Apffel Park Saturday, more shots rang out on Stewart Beach, but no one was injured in that incident. No arrests were made in the shootings, Sgt. Onove said.

Extra officers will remain on duty during the next two weekends of spring break, Police Chief Freddie Poor said.

Arlington seeks Smithsonian physics branch

ARLINGTON (AP) — About 50 residents, assisted by Mayor Richard Greene, plan to ask the Smithsonian Institution to approve the building of a $10 million physics branch facility in the north Texas city.

The facility, which would focus on developments in high-energy physics at the super collider now under construction in nearby Ellis County, would cover about 10 acres, proponents say.

Both Greene and other supporters initially pitched the idea to Smithsonian Secretary Robert McCormick Adams in December. They told Adams the city was ideal for the branch because of Arlington's proximity to the collider and because of the 6 million tourists who visit the city annually.

Adams told the Arlington group he was interested and asked for more information. The residents, led by Jenny Ruff, plan to submit a detailed proposal to Adams next month.

Ruff said the group has promised to raise an estimated $10 million for construction and thousands more dollars for annual upkeep. The Smithsonian would have to authorize use of its name and pledge technical support before construction begins.

"None of us feels like any of these things are going to be a real problem," Ruff said.

If the project is approved, it would be built on a 20-acre site near Arlington's entertainment district. The area along Interstate 30 includes Arlington Stadium, home of the Texas Rangers, and two amusement parks — Wet'N Wild and Six Flags Over Texas.

Adams will be asked to decide whether to present the proposal to the Smithsonian board of regents, who must approve such a project.

The Smithsonian operates 14 museums and galleries in the Washington, D.C., area, two museums in New York and six research facilities in Washington. It has never opened a facility outside the eastern United States.

TABC officials investigate former agent's claim of misuse

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission officials say they are investigating a former agent's claim his Houston supervisors sold seized liquor to favored wholesalers during the 1980s instead of auctioning it off as required.

Marty Rocha, who worked as a Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission agent for eight years and now is a Harris County deputy sheriff, said that Houston TABC officials often disposed of seized liquor in the agency's storeroom by calling distributors or package store operators to pick it up.

"It was supposed to be auctioned off, but they sold it to their buddies," said Rocha.

In one Houston incident in 1985, agents who seized three van loads of beer and wine from a convenience store were ordered to deliver it immediately to a wholesaler who wanted it, he said. He did not say who gave the order.

Joe Darnall, TABC general counsel, said the agency would investigate Rocha's claim because "direct transfer from a seizure to a permittee would be the exception" to TABC rules.

Rocha does not claim that proceeds of the sales were misappropriated.

Rocha filed a federal lawsuit against TABC last year, contending that the agency fired him in 1990 without just cause because he is Hispanic.

Rocha's accusations come on the heels of a major TABC internal investigation of the agency's Rio Grande Valley office where the enforcement director has been on sick leave since December.

Leonard J. Lozano, of McAllen, who heads the TABC office and Ports of Entry division there, is accused by several employees of of taking seized liquor to his ranch.

Corpus Christi to sell crosses to avoid lawsuit

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — The city is selling six-foot crosses traditionally erected in a public park on Easter to avoid a legal battle over whether they violate the separation of church and state.

The three white crosses have been erected for the past 40 Easters in Corpus Christi, whose name is Latin for Body of Christ. City Attorney Jimmy Bray said the display probably would have been ruled unconstitutional in court.

"We don't want to get into that whole First Amendment arena because the issues can be quite subtle," said City Manager Juan Garza. "It's never been our intent to promote a religion, but it could be argued that indeed we are."

A resident, Ron Hudson, who complained about the symbols last year said selling them was "the proper thing to do."

"My main concern has been using public funds for the promotion of a religion," he said. "Obviously, the legal staff agreed with my position."

At least two councilors say they're willing to buy the crosses and pay to have them erected every year.

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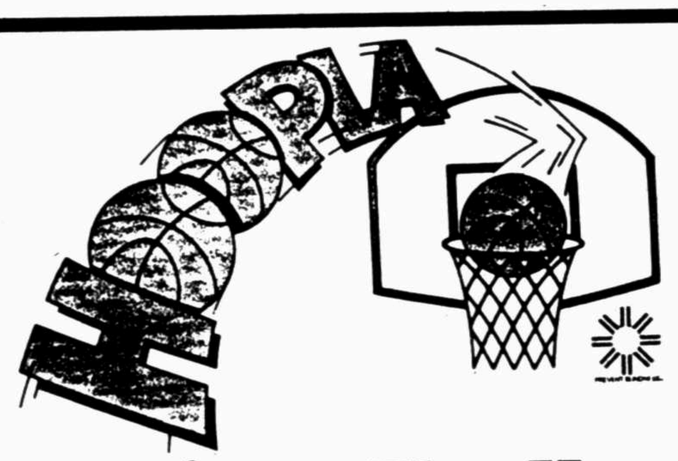

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Prices climb

NEW YORK — Energy futures prices settled higher Friday in active trading.

The near-month delivery contract for West Texas Intermediate, which rose 33 cents on Thursday, gained another 35 cents to settle at $19.18 per barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange. The near-month-delivery price for lower-grade sour crude settled at $16.47 a barrel, up 40 cents.

Local crude purchasers such as Scurlock Permian, Marathon, Navajo Refining and Texaco Trading and Transportation raised their posted price 25 cents to $17.75. Phillips Petroleum raised its posted price 35 cents to $18.45.

Analysts attributed the boost in crude to technical factors. But heating oil was driven by supply factors. An unexpected cold snap increased demand after refiners had switched over to produce gasoline.

Natural gas prices pushed ahead, with contracts for delivery in April settling at $1.212 per 1,000 cubic feet, up 1.5 cents.

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Accountants meet

The Institute of Management Accountants, Permian Basin chapter, will meet Thursday at the Holiday Inn Country Villa beginning at 11:30 a.m.

The CPE session will be presented by Dr. Elizabeth Robinett, a counselor at Midland College, who will speak on "Relaxation Training."

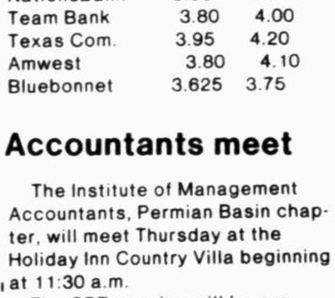
Cost is $10 for members, $15 for non-members. Reservations can be made by calling 697-0133.

Market rallies

NEW YORK — An upbeat report on inflationary trends lifted stock prices Friday in an active but cautious session.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials wavered throughout the session but closed the day up 27.28 to 3,235.91. For the week, the index gained 14.31 points in volatile trading.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by about 3 to 2 on the New York Stock Exchange.



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Report: GM exec to succeed Iacocca

■ Chrysler's board chooses Robert J. Eaton, head of GM's European operations.

By Doron P. Levin
N.Y. Times News Service

DETROIT — Yielding to the wishes of Lee A. Iacocca, the directors of Chrysler Corp. have agreed to name a General Motors executive to succeed Iacocca as chief executive, several people with knowledge of the board's deliberations said Sunday night.

After two days of meetings in New York, the board's 10 outside directors settled on Iacocca's candidate, Robert J. Eaton, who currently heads GM's highly profitable European operations.

Chrysler spokesmen and executives declined to comment Sunday on what was decided, and the company scheduled a news conference for this morning at its headquarters in Highland Park, Mich.

Chrysler, for many years one of the country's 10 largest companies, has slipped to the next tier in the last two years. It is now the most troubled company in a desperately troubled American industry.

And it remains at the center of many debates about the American economy, including how to ensure fair trade rules in other nations, the cost to companies of retirees' benefits, when a corporate debt burden becomes too heavy, and whether extremely well-paid executives exercise adequate judgment in adapting to changing economic conditions.

Iacocca, who joined Chrysler in 1978 as president and chief operating officer after he was forced out of Ford Motor Co. by Henry Ford II, is scheduled to retire as chief executive at the end of this year. He will retain his position as chairman, and it is not clear exactly how much power he will retain.

During his tenure at Chrysler, Iacocca, 67, became America's most visible business leader, a prominent spokesman in the company's advertisements and for the American auto industry in its struggle with Japan.

He wrote the best-selling business autobiography of all time, "Iacocca," and led fund-raising to refurbish the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island.

Chrysler's succession plan should remove some uncertainty that has hung over the automaker after the resignation or retirement of nine corporate officers in the last two and a half years. But Monday's announcement could signal the beginning of a new struggle for power at Chrysler among several top executives and Iacocca himself.

Eaton, president of General Motors Europe, is an experienced engineering executive who previously supervised GM's technical staffs and was head of GM's ill-fated X-Car program in the 1970s, which later gained notoriety because of unsubstantiated allegations that its braking system was unsafe.

In turning to GM, Iacocca seems to have slammed the door on the advancement of his No. 2, Robert A. Lutz.

U.S. investors seek fortunes below border

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexican companies have become an increasing popular place for Americans to invest their money.

Of the $9.9 billion in direct foreign investment that poured into Mexico last year, nearly one-third of it came through American Depositary Receipts.

Some of the more popular issues have included Telefonos de Mexico, the national telecommunications company that's also known as Telmex, and Vitro SA, a huge consortium of glassware, bottle, metal furniture and luggage manufacturers.

The issues have been popular with investors, often selling out within a few days. The media giant Televisa virtually liquidated its debt by selling 69 million series "L" shares in December, including 18.4 million ADRs in the United States.

"It's an investor-driven market," said Seija Hurskainen of J.P. Morgan & Co..

An ADR represents a foreign stock, but is denominated in dollars.

"It's traded like any other security. You're simply transferring it into something that's familiar" to American buyers, said Kenneth Lopian, a vice president at Bank of New York.

Shoppers turn into buyers but pay with cash

By Melanie Chase
Associated Press writer

DES MOINES, Iowa — If shoppers in one American city are any indication, consumers are beginning to listen to economists who say the economic recovery is on firm footing.

But they are not about to go on a buying frenzy. And they are digging out cash instead of credit cards to pay for their purchases.

"I think the economy in general is looking a lot brighter than it was," said Linda Owen of Ottumwa, shopping Friday at a Venture discount store in south Des Moines. "I'm spending more money now than in the recent past because I wasn't spending any money at all, but I'm still hesitant."

AP Laserphoto

Times are changing

Symbol Technologies vice president of marketing Rich Bravman shows off an LRT 3800, an intergrated bar-code scanning terminal at the Dallas Convention Center recently. Scanning technology and automatic identification is growing into a multi-billion-dollar industry.

DFW officials shy away from expansion tax

FORT WORTH (AP) — After lobbying Congress for a departure tax that could add as much as $12 to a round-trip ticket, officials at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport say they have no plans to charge it.

So far, 116 of the more than 550 commercial airports nationwide have expressed interest in imposing the Passenger Facility Charge, or PFC. The money raised — possibly $15 billion during the next 35 years — must be used to enhance the airport's capacity, improve safety or reduce noise.

"The dollar amounts look attractive, but we believe we can better serve the needs of the Metroplex without the PFCs," said DFW Executive Director Vernell Sturns.

The tax could raise an estimated $70 million a year for expansion projects at DFW.

But DFW officials said they fear higher ticket prices would cost them passengers.

Also, since the tax requires federal approval to spend, officials worry they would lose the flexibility to give lucrative contracts to local firms.

"It has been a goal of our airport board to provide as much work as possible to locally owned firms and those that are owned by minorities," Sturns said.

"It appears that goal is more easily reached by avoiding the extra federal requirements that would come with a PFC program."

Under the tax, a passenger flying from DFW to Washington, D.C., would pay $6 more on the round-trip ticket — $3 for leaving DFW and $3 for leaving Washington. A passenger flying from Austin to Washington, D.C., with a connection at DFW would pay $12 more on the round-trip ticket.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Transfer agent changes name on stocks

By Bill Doyle

Q: My brother-in-law is having difficulty changing the name on stock and bonds purchased by his wife in her name. She died a year ago. They had no children. He is named in her will as the sole heir. The stock and bonds are both in the same company, for which she worked.

Doyle

He tried to have her name taken off these investments and his name put on. No response. What must he do next?

A: He should be dealing with the transfer agent for the stock and the trustee for the bonds. The names, addresses and telephone numbers of both are listed in the company's annual report to stockholders. The report is mailed out before the annual stockholders' meeting. If he doesn't have the company's address or phone number, he can look it up in financial manuals he will find in the reference section of many public libraries.

It stands to reason he shouldn't expect the registered ownership of those securities to be changed just on his say-so. He needs to prove he is entitled.

He will be required to produce documents, which can vary a bit from state to state but generally include the following:

- An assignment form – either on the back of each stock and bond certificate or a separate "power" – signed by the executor of the estate. That's probably him.
- A certified copy of the court order naming the executor.
- A notarized affidavit of domicile, listing his deceased wife's place of residence.
- An inheritance or estate tax waiver or both.

He would be wise to phone the stock transfer agent and bond trustee to make sure exactly what is needed and what procedure to follow. When he sends the stock and bond certificates, they should go by registered mail, return receipt requested.

Q: I had a large amount of stocks, which were taken. I have the numbers of all the certificates. To whom do I report this?

A: First off, let's hope you reported the burglary, holdup or whatever it was to your local police. There's always hope the crooks will be caught and your stock certificates returned.

Past that, you should arrange to obtain replacement certificates. To do that, you must provide a lost security affidavit and a surety bond to each stock's transfer agent.

The affidavit attests that the certificates are gone. A surety bond costs about 3 or 4 percent of the stock's current market value and protects the company just in case the stock shows up in the hands of a legitimate owner.

Q: I purchased 500 shares of stock about a year ago in a bank that later failed. In December, a brokerage firm formerly affiliated with the bank and through which I had bought the stock told me the stock had become worthless. I asked for a letter stating that and was told, "You'll not get that from us."

My husband made the same request of the bank that has taken over the failed bank. He was told that although the stock is worthless, we should send the stock certificate to the bank people and they would send us one dollar.

I would rather frame the certificate and keep it as a conversation piece.

Can we take this as a tax loss, even if I don't sell?

A: Yes – if that stock has truly lost all its value in the marketplace. In that case, on Schedule D of your Form 1040 federal income tax return, you report a zero sales price as of Dec. 31, 1991, the year in which it became worthless. You'll have a capital loss equal to the total price you paid for the stock.

A letter from a brokerage stating that the stock lost all its value in the year for which you report the capital loss and saying that there is no bid for the stock in any recognized market is a handy thing to have, if the Internal Revenue Service questions your return. But it is not absolutely necessary.

In your case, I would keep a log of the dates on which the broker and the banker said the stock is worthless. Also, hang onto newspaper clippings detailing the bank failure. And never do business with that brokerage again.

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Texas quartet in women's field

DALLAS (AP) — Southwest Conference champion Texas Tech was joined Sunday by Texas, Houston and Stephen F. Austin in the 48-team NCAA women's tournament.

The nation's No. 1-ranked team, Virginia (29-1) got the top seed in the East regional, while No. 2-ranked Tennessee (27-2) got the top seed in the Mideast regional.

Texas Tech, Texas and SFA get first-round byes, playing at home next weekend against winners of first-round games on Wednesday. Houston begins play Wednesday night at UC Santa Barbara.

Texas (21-9), making its 10th appearance in the NCAA tournament in 11 years, was placed in the Midwest Regional, where No. 7-ranked Iowa (25-3) has the top seed.

Texas Tech (26-4), Houston (22-7) and Stephen F. Austin (27-2) ended up in the West regional, where No. 3-ranked Stanford (25-3) is the top seed.

"I wouldn't want to trade places with them," said Texas coach Jody Conradt, whose team lost in the SWC finals to Tech, 76-74, on Saturday.

"We have as good a spot as anybody. We didn't want to be in the regional with Virginia or Tennessee because those are pretty difficult obstacles. We probably won't face anyone on their own floor, and we can get to the regional with one win," Conradt said.

Texas Tech's Lady Raiders, the No. 4 seed in the West behind Stanford, Stephen F. Austin and Southern Cal, begin tournament action at 2 p.m. Saturday in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum against the winner of a game Wednesday night between Santa Clara (20-9) and California (20-8).

Connors wins

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. (AP) — Jimmy Connors and Boris Becker rallied for victories Sunday at the International Players Championships, and John McEnroe won his first singles match in South Florida since 1981.

Connors, 39, outlasted Tomas Carbonell of Spain 6-7 (6-8), 6-2, 7-6 (7-0). Becker beat Arnaud Boetsch of France 3-6, 7-5, 6-3. McEnroe had an easier time in his second-round match, sweeping Sandon Stolle of Australia 6-3, 6-4.

Second-ranked Stefan Edberg advanced when leg cramps forced qualifier Grant Stafford to retire leading 7-5, 1-6, 1-0.

In women's play, top-ranked Monica Seles won the first five games and beat Camille Benjamin 6-1, 6-3. Fifth-seeded Jennifer Capriati eliminated Kristin Godridge 6-3, 7-5.

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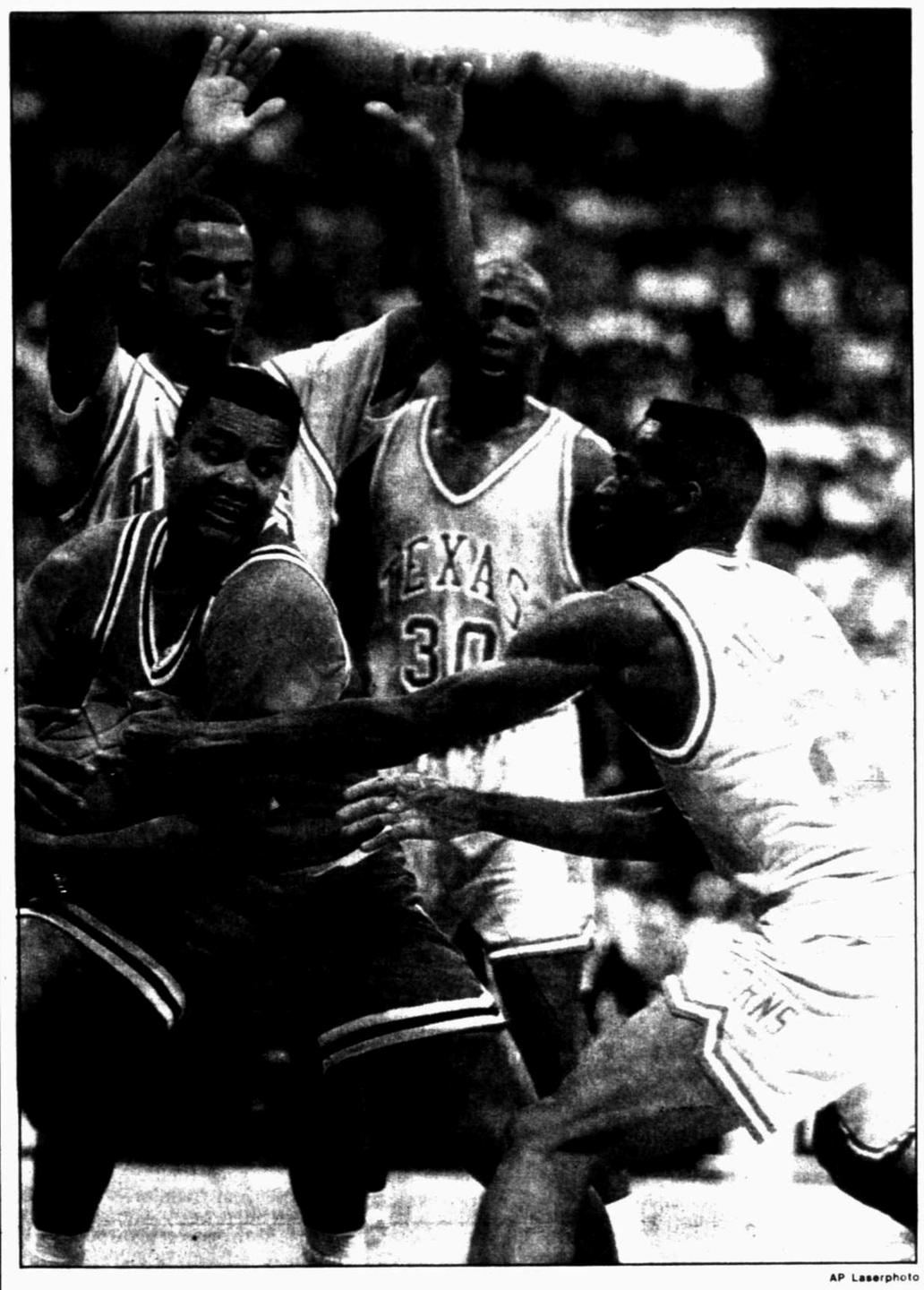
Cougars avenged, 91-72



AP Laserphoto

Houston forward David Diaz holds onto the ball after grabbing a rebound against Texas' Terrence Rencher (left), Dexter Cambridge (30) and Michael Richardson (23).

■ Houston gets 17 points from Derrick Smith to win the SWC postseason tournament over Texas and make up for two big regular season losses to the Longhorns.

By Arnie Stepleton
AP Sports Writer

DALLAS — Star-studded Houston got a big game from little-known Derrick Smith to finally beat Texas when it counted most.

Smith, who had zero and eight points in two regular-season double-digit losses to Texas, scored 17 points in the Cougars' 91-72 victory over the Longhorns in the Southwest Conference tournament final Sunday.

Smith scored 15 in the second half, when he hit all six of his shots, including three 3-pointers, as Houston (25-5) earned the SWC's automatic NCAA bid.

"Not to take anything away from our stars," Houston coach Pat Foster said, "but you need somebody to come in with a hot hand. Derrick was the guy tonight. He was the difference in the ballgame."

Houston and Texas were regular-season conference co-champions, but Texas earned the top seed by sweeping the Cougars 86-75 in Austin on Jan. 9 and 87-72 in Houston on Feb. 9.

The Cougars overcame an 11-point first-half deficit and a 29-point, 12-rebound performance from Dexter Cambridge, the tournament's Most Valuable Player, to win their first SWC tournament since 1984 and fifth overall. Texas (23-11) fell to 0-6 in title games, including 0-3 to Houston.

Sam Mack led Houston with 28 points, but it was Smith who sparked the Cougars on their game-winning rally with nine minutes left.

With Houston leading 61-60, Smith scored nine points during a 12-0 run that put the Cougars ahead 73-60 with five minutes remaining, and the Longhorns couldn't recover.

Smith, who averages seven points, said the Cougars "just needed somebody to step it up a notch. I had the shots and I was on. Our big guys are always going to have big games, and it's nice to have one now and then."

Houston opened the second half with a 16-6 run, sparked by Craig Upchurch's eight points, to go up 49-43 with 15:47 remaining.

Texas coach Tom Penders then was handed a technical for arguing a charging call, helping the Cougars take a 58-45 lead. The Longhorns battled back, getting nine points from Cambridge, to pull to 61-60 before Smith started his tear.

"They did a good job against every defense we threw out today," said Penders. "They didn't turn the ball over and make the mistakes that they made against us earlier in the year.

Penders said both Houston and Texas are primed for NCAA success.

"I don't think anybody wants to play Houston and nobody wants to play Texas," he said. "And I think we can prove again like we have in the last three years that we've got a damn good basketball league."

Upchurch finished with 20 points for Houston.

Terrence Rencher added 15 points for Texas, and B.J. Tyler had 13.

Texas used a 22-10 spurt, led by Cambridge's eight points, to grab their biggest lead at 35-24 less than four minutes before halftime.

Pavin's putter yields night vision birdie

Associated Press

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. — Corey Pavin's minor miracle of a 72nd hole eagle wasn't enough to win the Honda Classic, so he had to resort to magic — black magic — to beat Fred Couples.

Pavin

Pavin, putting from a position above the hole that had been impossible all day, could barely see the cup on the second hole of a playoff.

It was dark — black dark — when he rolled in a 15-foot birdie putt for the victory and avoided having to return to the Weston Hills Country Club course Monday morning.

When Pavin's downhill putt — essentially the same putt that had been missed by dozens of players earlier in the day — slapped against the back of the hole, three things happened:

— A decision about continuing the playoff became unnecessary.

— Couples became a runner-up for the second week in a row.

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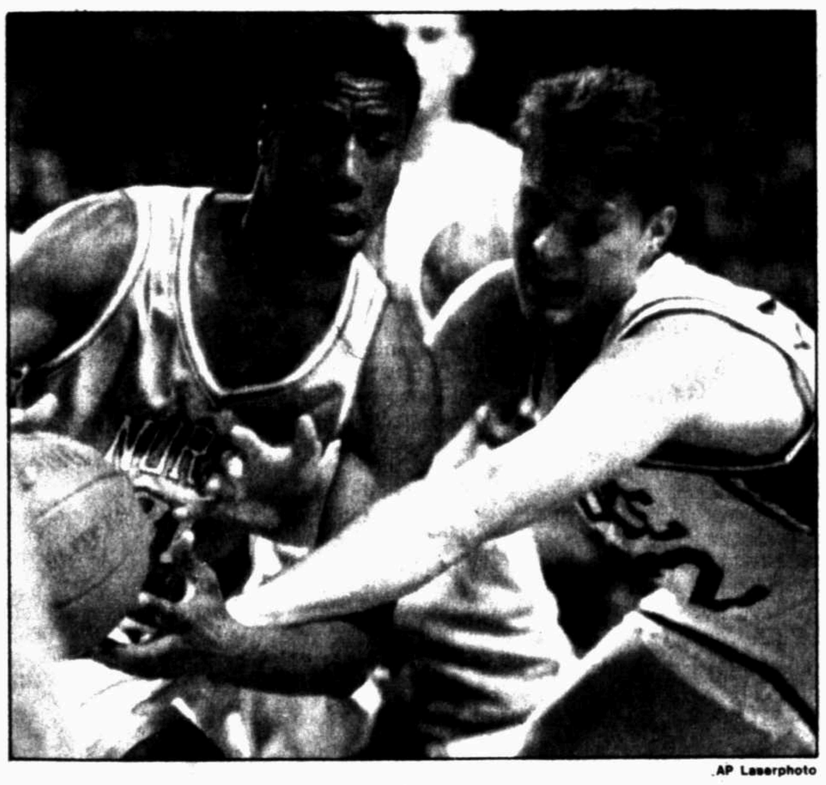
Six Big 8 teams in NCAA field



AP Laserphoto

Duke's Christian Laettner (right) tries to slap the ball away from North Carolina's Brian Reese in the ACC title game Sunday. Duke won 94-74.

■ Duke, Ohio State, Kansas and UCLA take the top seeds as the NCAA announces its 64 men's basketball tournament teams.

Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Defending champion Duke drew a newcomer and a friendly site for its opener in the NCAA basketball tournament, while Ohio State got a mixed reward for winning the Big Ten title.

Duke, Ohio State, Kansas and UCLA were made the top seeds in the 64-team field on Sunday.

In Duke's case, that means an opening-round game against Big South champion Campbell (19-11) Thursday in the East Regional at Greensboro, N.C. It appears to be a good matchup for the top-ranked Blue Devils (28-2) because they will be playing close to their Durham campus and facing a team making its first appearance in the tournament.

"We have to be ready to go," Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said. "Campbell's had a great year and I know

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NCAA does no favors for Lone Star trio

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

The Houston Cougars had one more comeback Sunday and they used it to win the Southwest Conference tournament and lead three Texas teams — including Texas and Texas-El Paso — into the NCAA Championship tournament.

The NCAA selection committee did the Texas trio no favors however.

The Cougars (25-5) advanced to the Midwest Regional against Georgia Tech and a victory there would put them against the winner of second-seeded Southern California (23-5) and Northeast Louisiana (19-9).

Texas-El Paso (25-6) plays Evansville (24-5) in the Midwest Regional and would play the winner of top seeded Kansas (24-6) and Howard (17-13).

Texas Teams

Texas (23-11) plays Iowa (18-11) in a first-round game of the East Regional and a victory there would pit the Longhorns against either the nation's top-ranked team Duke (28-2) or Campbell (19-11).

The Cougars, regular season co-champions with the Longhorns, beat Texas 91-72 in the SWC title game at Dallas on Sunday, exploding from a first-half deficit to win their first title since 1984.

The victory came less than 24 hours after Houston had battled back from deficits of 18 and 13 points to beat Texas Christian 87-84 in double overtime in a semifinal game.

Texas-El Paso, the only Texas team to achieve a top-25 billing in The Associated Press poll this season, got in despite a last-second shot by Kevin Nixon from beyond halfcourt that gave the WAC tournament crown to Brigham Young in a 73-71 upset.

"I've said all season that this club could catch fire and now we've won nine in a row so I guess that's catching fire," Houston coach Pat Foster said. "Now we're in the tournament and one loss and you're out so we'll see what happens."

Texas-El Paso had a dramatic victory in its first-round game against Colorado State and a heartbreaking loss in the WAC finals before accepting coach Don Haskins' 14th NCAA invitation.

Prince Stewart's basket with 45 seconds to play was the difference in a 66-65 victory over Colorado State and after beating New Mexico 83-72 in the semifinals, the Miners came up against WAC co-champ Brigham Young..

Marlon Maxey's basket with 2.4 seconds showing, gave UTEP a 71-70 lead in the title game but Nixon fielded an inbounds pass, dribbled several steps and launched the game-winner from well behind the half-court line.

The Cougars were happy to get into the field of 64 but unhappy with their tournament seeding of No. 10 in the Midwest.

"We should have been seeded higher," said Charles Outlaw, who played at South Plains College last year.. "I figure Texas was eight, we could have at least been seven. But we've just got to accept what the selection committee gave us and get ready to play Georgia Tech."

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Celtics hold off Blazers in double OT, 152-148

Associated Press

NBA

BOSTON — Larry Bird, a doubtful starter until hours before tipoff, scored 49 points Sunday as the Boston Celtics beat Portland 152-148 Sunday and ended the Trail Blazers' seven-game winning streak.

Bird, who has a painful right Achilles tendon, scored 16 points in the fourth quarter, including a 3-pointer at the buzzer. He scored four points in the first overtime and two in the second.

It was the most points for Bird since Feb. 15, 1988, when he scored 49 at Phoenix. His career high of 60 came against Atlanta on March 12, 1985.

Bird, 35, was playing his eighth game since a two-month layoff caused by an inflamed nerve in his lower back. Bird rested only for three minutes in the first half and for another minute at the end of the third quarter.

He wound up shooting 19-for-35 from the field and 9-for-10 from the free- throw line, with 14 rebounds and 12 assists.

Portland led 134-132 with 4.2 seconds left in the first overtime, but Kevin Gamble made a 19-footer at the buzzer. John Bagley put Boston ahead 136-134, but Clyde Drexler made two free throws. Ed Pickney's basket put the Celtics ahead for good, and Bagley and Bird followed with baskets before Pickney converted a rebound for a 144-136 lead.

Portland closed within two points in the final seconds, but Gamble made two free throws and Pinckney one to keep the Celtics ahead.

Rockets 106, Jazz 97

HOUSTON — The Houston Rockets withstood a second-half Utah rally to beat the Jazz behind the 28 points and 9 assists of Kenny Smith.

Utah's Karl Malone scored 30 of his 36 points in the second half, including 18 in the third period, as the Jazz tried to come back from a 25-point deficit.

Vernon Maxwell complemented Smith with 21 points, 6 rebounds and 4 assists. Otis Thorpe added 12 points and 12 rebounds.

Malone had 16 rebounds. John Stockton backed him with 25 points and 16 assists.

Stockton's steal and layup reduced Houston's lead to 93-88 with 2:59 left, but 20 seconds later, Maxwell's three-pointer made it 96-88.

Malone's final basket brought Utah within 98-94 with 1:30 remaining, but Houston scored the next eight points. The Rockets' Buck Johnson got 4 points and 2 rebounds in the stretch.

A 16-3 Rocket run in the first quarter put Houston ahead 25-11. Hakeem Olajuwon blocked two of Malone's shots during that stretch, as well as scoring 6 points and grabbing 4 rebounds. Olajuwon finished with 17 points, 8 rebounds and 4 blocked shots.

Suns 118, Timberwolves 113

MINNEAPOLIS — Jeff Hornacek scored 11 of his 26 points in the third quarter as the Phoenix Suns won their third straight road game.

Hornacek, who scored a career-high 35 in a victory at Philadelphia on Friday, made 11 of 17 field goals as the Suns finished a five-game road trip with a 3-2 record. Prior to the winning streak, the Suns had lost eight road games in a row.

The loss leaves Minnesota 0-11 against Phoenix, one of only two NBA teams Minnesota has not beaten.

Scott Brooks scored a career-high 21 points for the Timberwolves, who lost for the eighth straight time.

Dan Majerle added 22 points and Kevin Johnson 20 for the Suns.

Cavaliers 100, Nuggets 91

RICHFIELD, Ohio — Lenny Wilkens became the fifth coach to reach 800 career NBA victories as the Cleveland Cavaliers beat the Denver Nuggets behind Mark Price's 29 points.

Wilkens, who recorded 159 of his wins as a player-coach with Seattle and Portland, joins Red Auerbach, Jack Ramsay, Dick Motta and Bill Fitch as the only coaches to win 800 games. Wilkens is in his 19th season of coaching, the last six with the Cavaliers.

Clippers 131, Kings 105

LOS ANGELES — Ron Harper scored 18 of his 20 points in the first half as the Clippers coasted to a victory over the Sacramento Kings and established a club record for home victories in Los Angeles with their 24th of the season.

Harper made nine of his first 11 shots to help the Clippers built a 51-31 cushion with 6 1-2 minutes left in the second quarter. They led 63-44 at halftime, and Sacramento got closer than 17 points during the final 16 minutes.

Two more wins in their six remaining home games would give the Clippers their largest total since 1978-79, the season after the franchise was shifted from Buffalo to San Diego. They arrived in Los Angeles in 1984 and won 23 games last season at the Sports Arena.

SuperSonics 109, Mavericks 100

SEATTLE — Ricky Pierce scored 10 of his 23 points the last five minutes, lifting the Seattle SuperSonics to a victory over the Dallas Mavericks.

Shawn Kemp came off the bench and added 20 points and 15 rebounds for the Sonics.

The Mavericks lost a franchise-record 20th straight road game and ninth straight overall.

Rolando Blackman led the Mavericks with 25 points.

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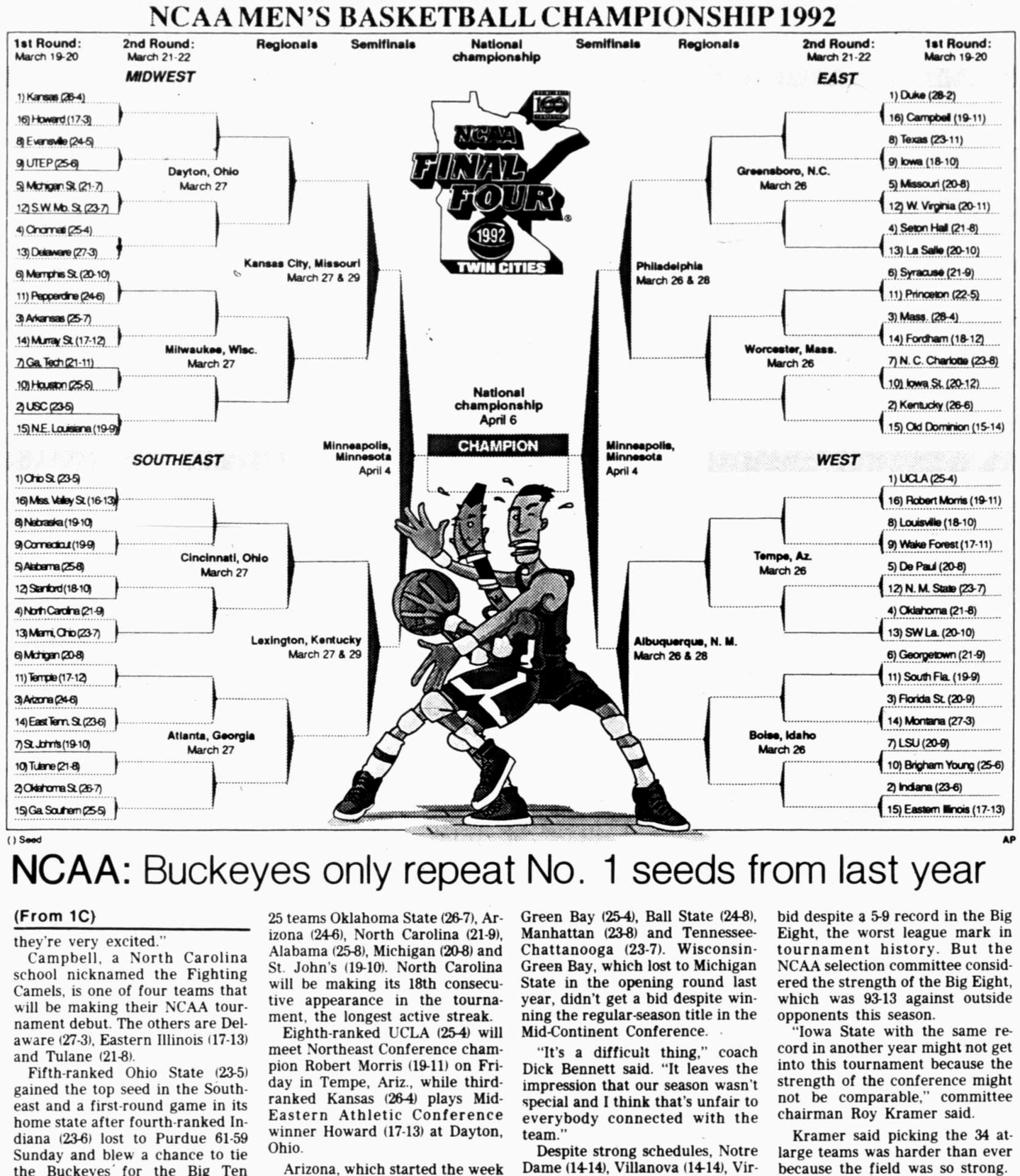

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NCAA: Buckeyes only repeat No. 1 seeds from last year

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they're very excited."

Campbell, a North Carolina school nicknamed the Fighting Camels, is one of four teams that will be making their NCAA tournament debut. The others are Delaware (27-3), Eastern Illinois (17-13) and Tulane (21-8).

Fifth-ranked Ohio State (23-5) gained the top seed in the Southeast and a first-round game in its home state after fourth-ranked Indiana (23-6) lost to Purdue 61-59 Sunday and blew a chance to tie the Buckeyes for the Big Ten championship. However, Ohio State ended up in the toughest regional, one that features seven teams in the Top 25.

"I don't think you can worry about who you play," Ohio State coach Randy Ayers said. "You just have to go out and play well. I think at this point they're all good teams."

The Buckeyes, the only repeat No. 1 seed from last year, face Southwestern Athletic Conference champion Mississippi Valley State (16-13) on Thursday at Cincinnati. Indiana is seeded second in the West, and will play Eastern Illinois on Thursday in the first round at Boise, Idaho.

Along with Ohio State, the Southeast Regional features Top 25 teams Oklahoma State (26-7), Arizona (24-6), North Carolina (21-9), Alabama (25-8), Michigan (20-8) and St. John's (19-10). North Carolina will be making its 18th consecutive appearance in the tournament, the longest active streak.

Eighth-ranked UCLA (25-4) will meet Northeast Conference champion Robert Morris (19-11) on Friday in Tempe, Ariz., while third-ranked Kansas (26-4) plays Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference winner Howard (17-13) at Dayton, Ohio.

Arizona, which started the week ranked second in the nation, ended up seeded third in the Southeast after losing its last two games to Southern Cal and UCLA. The Wildcats will play Southern Conference champion East Tennessee State in Atlanta on Friday.

Some surprise seedings include No. 2 Southern Cal (23-5) in the Midwest, No. 2 Oklahoma State in the Southeast, No. 3 Massachusetts (28-4) in the East and No. 4 Oklahoma (21-8) in the West. All were expected to be seeded lower.

"We haven't got any respect all year, but when it counted we did," said Jim McCoy, Massachusetts' leading scorer.

A number of teams with 20 or more wins were left out of the 64-team field, including Wisconsin-Green Bay (25-4), Ball State (24-8), Manhattan (23-8) and Tennessee-Chattanooga (23-7). Wisconsin-Green Bay, which lost to Michigan State in the opening round last year, didn't get a bid despite winning the regular-season title in the Mid-Continent Conference.

"It's a difficult thing," coach Dick Bennett said. "It leaves the impression that our season wasn't special and I think that's unfair to everybody connected with the team."

Despite strong schedules, Notre Dame (14-14), Villanova (14-14), Virginia (15-13), Arizona State (18-13) and Tennessee (18-14) were also left out.

"There's always going to be some folks who are disappointed," Virginia coach Jeff Jones said. "Unfortunately, this year we're in that number."

The Big Eight placed six teams, the most of any conference, while the Atlantic Coast Conference, Big East and Big Ten had five each. The Southeastern Conference, the Pacific-10 and the Metro had four teams selected.

The Great Midwest Conference, which just finished its first year, has three teams in the tournament — Cincinnati (25-4), Memphis State (20-10) and DePaul (20-8).

Iowa State (20-12) got an at-large bid despite a 5-9 record in the Big Eight, the worst league mark in tournament history. But the NCAA selection committee considered the strength of the Big Eight, which was 93-13 against outside opponents this season.

"Iowa State with the same record in another year might not get into this tournament because the strength of the conference might not be comparable," committee chairman Roy Kramer said.

Kramer said picking the 34 at-large teams was harder than ever because the field was so strong.

"Unquestionably, there is more parity in college basketball this year than in the history of this game," he said. "We had 76 teams with 20 wins or more as we went through the process."

One of the most interesting first-round matchups pits Syracuse (21-9), which won the Big East tournament, against Ivy League champion Princeton (22-5), a team that has almost pulled off three consecutive opening-round upsets.

A potential second-round matchup could feature UCLA, the last team to repeat as national champions in 1973, against Louisville, coached by former UCLA assistant Denny Crum. Crum has won two national titles with the Cardinals.

Horned Frogs invited to NIT

NEW YORK (AP) — Texas Christian became the third Southwest Conference men's basketball team to partake of the postseason with its bid to the National Invitation Tournament Sunday.

Texas and Houston were named to the NCAA tournament's field of 64 teams earlier Sunday. The Horned Frogs (22-10) will host Long Beach State (18-11) Thursday.

Also going to the 32-team NIT will be Wisconsin-Green Bay, left out of the NCAA tournament despite 25 victories. Wisconsin-Green Bay (25-4) will play at Manhattan (23-8) in the opening round on Thursday.

Notre Dame and Villanova, both with 14-14 records, also got NIT bids. Notre Dame will play host to Western Michigan (21-8) on Wednesday, while Virginia (15-13) will visit Villanova.

In other first-round games Wednesday, it will be Alabama-Birmingham (20-8) at Tennessee (18-14); Western Kentucky (21-10) at Kansas State (15-13); Pittsburgh (17-15) at Penn State (21-7); and Minnesota (16-15) at Washington State (21-10).

On Thursday, it will be Butler (21-9) at Purdue (16-14); Richmond (22-7) at Florida (16-12); Rhode Island (20-9) at Vanderbilt (15-14); Southern Illinois (22-7) at Boston College (16-13); Louisiana Tech (23-7) at New Mexico (18-12); Ball State (24-8) at Utah (20-10); Arizona State (18-13) at UC Santa Barbara (20-8); and Long Beach at TCU.

James Madison (20-10) will visit Rutgers (15-14) on Friday in the other opening-round game.

Second-round games will be played on March 23-24, with the quarterfinals on March 25-26, also at campus sites.

The semifinals on March 30 and championship game on April 1 will be held at New York's Madison Square Garden.

Elliott wins third straight NASCAR race

Associated Press

HAMPTON, Ga. (AP) — Bill Elliott took advantage of an enormous break just 46 laps from the end Sunday to drive away with the Motorcraft 500 for his third straight NASCAR Winston Cup victory.

A timely caution flag gave the former series champion nearly a full-lap lead and he turned it into an easy, if unexpected, victory.

Tim Brewer, Elliott's crew chief said, "We didn't beat anybody; we just got lucky."

Elliott, whose Ford Thunderbird was unable to challenge the leaders from the beginning of the 328-lap event at Atlanta Motor Speedway, was ninth when a series of green-flag pit stops began late in the race.

When Davey Allison, who had led since lap 180, made his scheduled stop on lap 283, Elliott was the only contender who had not pitted and the only competitor on the lead lap.

That's when rookie Mike Wallace spun and hit the wall coming off Turn 2, bringing out the seventh and final caution flag of the day. Elliott was able to beat Harry Gant and Allison back to the flagstand by less than a car-length, leaving him alone able to make his final pit stop under the yellow.

When the race restarted on lap 289, Elliott was ninth in line but actually leading the eight cars ahead of him, all scored at the rear of the lead lap.

He drove on to his 37th career victory, staying comfortably in the middle of the pack while the other frontrunners battled each other and hoped vainly for another caution flag to allow them to challenge Elliott.

The Dawsonville, Ga., driver wound up beating runner-up Gant by 22.6 seconds, nearly three-quarters of a lap on the 1.522-mile oval.

"The fastest car don't win 'em all," said Junior Johnson, the owner of Elliott's car. "Several of those cars had us beat all day. But (fuel mileage) is what we went after all day."

It was Ford' eighth straight victory, dating to October 1991, and four wins in a row at the start of a season for the first time ever.

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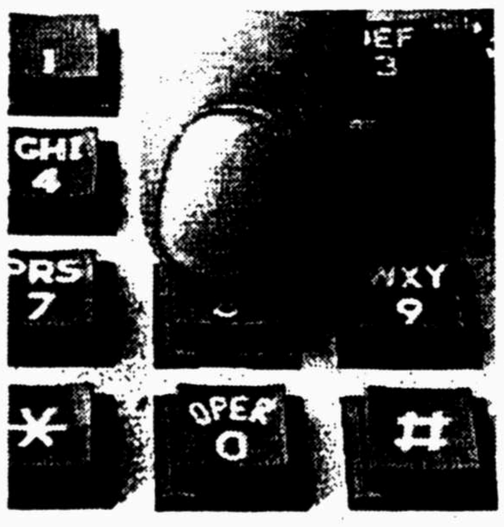
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x-clinched playoff berth

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Seattle 109, Dallas 100

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LA Lakers at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

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Utah	17	20	31	29
Houston	31	26	23	26

3-Point goals—Utah 3-16 (Hansen 3-6, Edwards 0-1, Eaton 0-1, Malone 0-2), Houston 7-17 (Maxwell 3-8, K.Smith 2-5, Bullard 1-1). Fouled out—Williams. Rebounds—Utah 57 (K.Malone 12), Houston 50 (Thorpe 12). Assists—Utah 21 (Stockton 16), Houston 21 (K.Smith 9). Total fouls—Utah 28, Houston 26. Technicals—Houston 26. Technicals—Utah Coach Sloan, K.Malone A—

Celtics 15
Blazers 14

PORTLAND (148)
Williams 5-8 5-10 15, Porter 8-19 3-7 23, Duckworth 2-3 0-0 4, Drexler 10-26 6-6 29, Drexler 17 41, Ainge 6-11 5-6 19, Pinckney 0-0 6, Abdelnaby 0-3 2-2 2, Paxson 2-6 1-2 5, Pack 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 51-110 37-52 148.

BOSTON (152)
Bird 19-35 9-10 49, Gamble 2 14, Parish 6-9 10-11 22, Bagley 0-0 4, Lewis 9-21 5-5 23, Pinckney 12 10-10 22, Pinckney 2-3 1-3 1-4 3, Bagley 4-5 1 55-100 40-48 152.

Port	31	31	28	32
Bos	34	24	34	30

3-Point goals—Portland 4-9, Porter 3-8, Drexler 2-9 (Bird 2-8, Boston 2-9 (Bird 2-8, Fouled out—Williams, Drexler, Parish, Lewis, Rebounds—Portland 70 (Porter 14), Boston 57 (Bird 14). Assists—Portland 33 (Drexler 11), Boston 34 (Bird 12). Total fouls—Portland 28, Boston 34. Technicals—Drexler. Ejections—Robertson 14,890.

Suns 118, Wol

PHOENIX (118)
Rambis 1-3 0-0 2, Pe

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FORT LAUDERDALE, Final scores and pr Sunday in the $1.4 mi Classic, played on the par-72 Weston Hills Co course:
Corey Pavin, $198,000
Fred Couples, $118,80
Billy Ray Brown, $49,6
Keith Clearwater, $49,6
Ray Floyd, $49,610
Blaine McCllstr, $49,61
Mark Brooks, $49,610
Bruce Lietzke, $34,100
Curtis Strange, $30,80
Andrew Magee, $30,80
Nick Price, $23,320
Russ Cochran, $23,320
Jim Hallet, $23,320
Dan Forsman, $23,320
Greg Hickman, $23,320
Brndl Chamblee, $18,7
Gene Sauers, $13,444
Brian Tennyson, $13,44
Wayne Grady, $13,444
Ed Fiori, $13,444
Lon Hinkle, $13,444
Bruce Fleisher, $13,44
Richard Zokol, $13,44
Nick Faldo, $13,444
Mark Ciccchia, $13,4
Lance Ten Broeck, $8,
Mark McCumber, $8,4
Doug Tewell, $8,470
Howard Twitty, $6,151
P.H. Horgan III, $6,151
Greg Kraft, $6,151
Dave Rummells, $6,15
Thomas Lehman, $6,1
Kenny Perry, $6,151

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SAN ANTONIO (A Scores and prize mo in the $400,000 Van tournament, played o yard, par-72 Domin Club course:
Lee Trevino, $60,000
Chi Chi Rodriguez, $3
Mike Hill, $28,000
George Archer, $19,6
Miller Barber, $19,66
Jimmy Powell, $19,66
Rocky Thompson, $14
Kermit Zarley, $12,47
Simon Hobday, $9,93
Tommy Aaron, $9,933
Bert Yancey, $9,933
Bob Brue, $9,933
Don January, $7,747
Joe Jimenez, $7,747
Larry Laoretti, $6,75
Walter Morgan, $6,75
Butch Baird, $6,753
Walter Zembriski, $5
Dick Hendrickson, $5
Jim Dent, $5,563
Ken Still, $5,563
Gary Player, $4,610
Bill McDonough, $4,2
Bruce Crampton, $4,
Bobby Nichols, $4,2
Frank Beard, $4,211
Dick Rhyan, $4,211
Bill Kennedy, $3,416
Don Massengale, $3
Ben Smith, $3,416
Dale Douglass, $3,4
Tommy Aycock, $2,7
Gary Cowan, $2,780
Jim Albus, $2,780
Phil Rodgers, $2,78
Terry Dill, $2,266
Robert Gaona, $2,26
Bob Rawlins, $2,266
Larry Mowry, $2,266
Jim Ferree, $1,788
Bob Verwey, $1,788

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NBA Results

All Times CST
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	39	25	.609	—
Boston	36	29	.554	3½
Miami	30	35	.462	9½
Philadelphia	30	35	.462	9½
New Jersey	29	35	.453	10
Washington	22	43	.338	17½
Orlando	15	50	.231	24½
Central Division				
x-Chicago	53	12	.815	—
Cleveland	42	20	.677	9½
Detroit	40	25	.615	13
Atlanta	30	34	.469	22½
Indiana	30	36	.455	23½
Milwaukee	28	35	.444	24
Charlotte	24	38	.387	27½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	43	23	.652	—
San Antonio	40	24	.625	2
Houston	36	30	.545	7
Denver	21	43	.328	21
Dallas	17	48	.262	25½
Minnesota	11	52	.175	30½
Pacific Division				
Portland	46	19	.708	—
Golden State	42	20	.677	2½
Phoenix	42	24	.636	4½
Seattle	36	29	.554	10
LA Lakers	34	30	.531	11½
LA Clippers	34	31	.523	12
Sacramento	20	45	.308	26

x-clinched playoff berth.

Sunday's Games
Boston 152, Portland 148, 2OT
Cleveland 100, Denver 91
Phoenix 118, Minnesota 113
Houston 106, Utah 97
LA Clippers 131, Sacramento 105
Seattle 109, Dallas 100

Monday's Games
Cleveland at Washington, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
LA Lakers at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

Rockets 106, Jazz 97

UTAH (97)
Edwards 5-11 1-1 11, K.Malone 14-29 8-13 36, Eaton 0-3 1-4 1, J.Malone 4-12 2-2 10, Stockton 9-15 4-5 25, Murdock 2-4 0-0 4, Corbin 0-3 0-0 0, Brown 3-5 4-6 10, Benoit 0-3 0-0 0, Rudd 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-85 20-31 97.
HOUSTON (106)
B.Johnson 5-10 3-3 13, Thorpe 5-9 2-6 12, Olajuwon 6-13 5-7 17, Maxwell 6-14 5-6 21, K.Smith 8-16 10-11 28, L.Smith 0-0 0-0 0, Bullard 3-6 0-0 7, A.Johnson 1-3 2-2 4, Floyd 1-4 2-2 4, Rollins 0-0 0-0 0.Totals 35-75 29-37 106.

Utah	**17**	**20**	**30**	**30— 97**
Houston	**31**	**26**	**24**	**25—106**

3-Point goals—Utah 3-10 (Stockton 3-6, Edwards 0-1, Long 0-1, Benoit 0-2), Houston 7-17 (Maxwell 4-8, K.Smith 2-5, Bullard 1-3, Floyd 0-1). Fouled out—L.Smith. Rebounds—Utah 57 (K.Malone 16), Houston 50 (Thorpe 12). Assists—Utah 21 (Stockton 16), Houston 24 (K.Smith 9). Total fouls—Utah 28, Houston 26. Technicals—Utah coach Sloan, K.Malone. A—15,003.

Celtics 152, Blazers 148

PORTLAND (148)
Williams 5-8 5-10 15, Kersey 10-19 3-7 23, Duckworth 2-3 2-2 6, Porter 10-26 6-6 29, Drexler 12-27 13-17 41, Ainge 8-11 5-6 19, Bryant 3-6 0-0 6, Abdelnaby 0-3 2-2 2, Robinson 2-6 1-2 5, Pack 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 51-110 37-52 148.
BOSTON (152)
Bird 19-35 9-10 49, Gamble 6-7 2-2 14, Parish 6-9 10-11 22, Brown 2-5 0-0 4, Lewis 9-21 5-5 23, McHale 6-12 10-10 22, Pinckney 2-3 2-4 6, Fox 1-3 1-4 3, Bagley 4-5 1-2 9.Totals 55-100 40-48 152.

Port	**31**	**31**	**28**	**32 12 14—148**
Bos	**34**	**24**	**34**	**30 12 18—152**

3-Point goals—Portland 9-21 (Drexler 4-9, Porter 3-8, Ainge 2-4), Boston 2-9 (Bird 2-8, Fox 0-1). Fouled out—Williams, Duckworth, Drexler, Parish, Lewis, McHale. Rebounds—Portland 70 (Kersey 14), Boston 57 (Bird 14). Assists—Portland 33 (Drexler 11), Boston 38 (Bird 12). Total fouls—Portland 34, Boston 34. Technicals—Robinson 2, Drexler. Ejections—Robinson. A—14,890.

Suns 118, Wolves 113

PHOENIX (118)
Rambis 1-3 0-0 2, Perry 8-13 4-4 20, Lang 1-2 0-0 2, Johnson 7-19 6-8 20, Hornacek 11-17 2-2 26, Burtt 3-5 3-3 9, M.West 3-6 0-0 6, Majerle 7-15 8-9 22, Nealy 2-3 0-1 5, Ceballos 3-6 0-0 6. Totals 46-89 23-27 118.
MINNESOTA (113)
Glass 6-12 2-4 14, Mitchell 5-9 1-1 11, Spencer 4-5 2-2 10, D.West 5-11 5-6 16, Richardson 7-15 0-0 14, Bailey 5-10 4-6 14, Brooks 8-11 4-4 21, Longley 0-4 0-0 0, Campbell 3-7 0-0 6, Randall 0-2 0-0 0, Murphy 0-1 0-0 0, Breuer 3-3 1-3 7. Totals 46-90 19-26 113.

Phoenix	**24**	**32**	**32**	**30—118**
Minnesota	**28**	**30**	**24**	**31—113**

3-Point goals—Phoenix 3-5 (Hornacek 2-3, Nealy 1-1, Majerle 0-1), Minnesota 2-8 (D.West 1-2, Brooks 1-3, Glass 0-1, Mitchell 0-1, Richardson 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Phoenix 54 (Perry 12), Minnesota 44 (Bailey 6). Assists—Phoenix 31 (Johnson 9), Minnesota 31 (Richardson 8). Total fouls—Phoenix 27, Minnesota 23. A—19,008.

Cavs 100, Nuggets 91

DENVER (91)
Anderson 2-8 1-2 5, R.Williams 9-22 0-1 19, Mutombo 1-4 1-4 3, Macon 2-9 0-0 4, Garland 12-15 2-2 26, Liberty 6-13 2-4 14, Wolf 3-6 1-2 7, Jackson 3-9 0-0 7, Lichti 3-6 0-0 6, Hastings 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-92 7-15 91.
CLEVELAND (100)
Nance 3-10 2-3 8, James 4-12 2-2 11, Daugherty 4-14 9-10 17, Kerr 1-5 5-6 7, Price 10-18 8-8 29, Brandon 0-4 4-4 4, Battie 6-9 0-0 13, J.Williams 3-6 1-2 7, Ferry 0-1 0-0 0, Sanders 2-4 0-0 4. Totals 33-83 31-35 100.

Denver	**23**	**20**	**18**	**30— 91**
Cleveland	**21**	**23**	**25**	**31—100**

3-Point goals—Denver 2-7 (Jackson 1-2, R.Williams 1-3, Liberty 0-1, Wolf 0-1), Cleveland 3-8 (Battie 1-1, James 1-2, Price 1-4, Kerr 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Denver 60 (Anderson 14), Cleveland 53 (Daugherty 17). Assists—Denver 23 (Garland 9), Cleveland 25 (Price 10). Total fouls—Denver 28, Cleveland 17. Technicals—Mutombo, Nance. Ejections—Mutombo, Nance. A—16,549.

Clips 131, Kings 105

SACRAMENTO (105)
Tisdale 7-17 3-3 17, Bonner 5-9 3-4 13, Chilcutt 0-1 0-0 0, Richmond 12-25 1-3 26, Webb 7-13 4-6 22, Jepsen 0-2 0-0 0, Hopson 5-13 4-6 15, Brown 2-6 2-2 6, Les 1-5 1-2 4, Thompson 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 40-92 18-26 105.
LA CLIPPERS (131)
Norman 6-14 4-4 16, Manning 9-12 2-2 20, Polynice 4-8 0-1 8, Harper 10-12 0-1 20, Grant 5-8 0-1 10, Rivers 4-5 1-1 9, Smith 6-8 2-4 14, Vaught 8-8 1-1 17, Young 2-6 4-4 8, Kimble 2-6 1-1 5, Ellis 1-2 2-2 4.Totals 57-89 17-22 131.

Sacramento	**19**	**25**	**31**	**30—105**
LA Clippers	**29**	**34**	**31**	**37—131**

3-Point goals—Sacramento 7-17 (Webb 4-7, Hopson 1-1, Richmond 1-4, Les 1-4, Brown 0-1), Los Angeles 0-0. Fouled out—Rivers. Rebounds—Sacramento 52 (Tisdale, Bonner, Hopson 8), Los Angeles 45 (Manning 10). Assists—Sacramento 17 (Webb 8), Los Angeles 44 (Grant 12). Total fouls—Sacramento 24, Los Angeles 22. A—11,786.

Sonics 109, Mavs 100

DALLAS (100)
T.Davis 3-7 4-6 10, Smith 4-8 4-5 12, Hodge 2-6 6-6 10, Blackman 9-16 4-4 25, Iuzzolino 4-12 0-3 9, Williams 6-16 2-2 14, Quinnett 2-4 2-2 7, White 2-6 1-2 5, Moore 2-7 4-5 8, McCray 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 34-83 27-35 100.
SEATTLE (109)
Cage 2-5 3-4 7, McMillan 2-6 0-0 4, Benjamin 3-7 3-6 9, Payton 1-9 4-6 6, Pierce 7-16 9-12 23, Kemp 6-13 8-10 20, Johnson 5-11 2-3 12, McKey 4-7 4-4 13, Barros 5-8 3-4 15.Totals 35-82 36-49 109.

Dallas	**25**	**20**	**25**	**30—100**
Seattle	**24**	**31**	**22**	**32—109**

3-Point goals—Dallas 5-16 (Blackman 3-6, Quinnett 1-2, Iuzzolino 1-4, White 0-1, McCray 0-1, Moore 0-2), Seattle 3-7 (Barros 2-4, McKey 1-2, McMillan 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Dallas 55 (T.Davis 10), Seattle 62 (Kemp 15). Assists—Dallas 16 (Iuzzolino 11), Seattle 26 (Payton 8). Total fouls—Dallas 34, Seattle 25. Technicals—Payton, White. A—12,163.

SWC Final

Houston 91, Texas 72

HOUSTON (25-5)
Upchurch 8-13 4-6 20, Mack 9-17 8-11 26, Outlaw 1-2 3-4 5, Daniels 2-9 1-2 5, Smith 7-8 0-1 17, Fernandes 1-3 2-2 5, Diaz 1-4 2-2 4, Carraso 0-0 1-2 1, Evans 1-2 0-0 3, Drain 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 31-59 21-30 91.
TEXAS (23-11)
Williams 1-3 3-4 5, Cambridge 12-22 5-8 29, Burditt 2-5 0-0 4, Tyler 4-9 4-4 13, Rencher 4-12 6-9 15, Lockridge 0-1 0-0 0, Richardson 3-7 0-0 6, Watson 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 26-61 18-25 72.

Halftime—Texas 37, Houston 33. Three-point goals—Houston 8-22 (Mack 2-6, Daniels 0-5, Smith 3-3, Fernandes 1-2, Diaz 0-3, Evans 1-2, Drain 1-1), Texas 2-10 (Tyler 1-2, Rencher 1-6, Richardson 0-1, Watson 0-1). Rebounds—Houston 32 (Outlaw 6), Texas 40 (Cambridge 12). Assists—Houston 17 (Outlaw 5, Daniels 5), Texas 13 (Tyler 5). Fouls—Houston 17, Texas 23. Fouled out—none. A—11,156.

NIT Field

National Invitation Tournament
At A Glance
By The Associated Press
All Times EST
First Round
Wednesday, March 18
Alabama-Birmingham (20-8) at Tennessee (18-14), 7:30 p.m.
Western Michigan (21-8) at Notre Dame (14-14), 7:30 p.m.
Virginia (15-13) at Villanova (14-14), 7:30 p.m.
Western Kentucky (21-10) at Kansas State (15-13), 8 p.m.
Pittsburgh (17-15) at Penn State (21-7), 9:30 p.m.
Minnesota (18-15) at Washington State (21-10), 12 mid.
Thursday March 19
Wisconsin-Green Bay (25-4) at Manhattan (23-8), 7:30 p.m.
Butler (21-9) at Purdue (16-14), 7:30 p.m.
Richmond (22-7) at Florida (16-12), 7:30 p.m.
Rhode Island (20-9) at Vanderbilt (15-14), 8 p.m.
Southern Illinois (22-7) at Boston College (16-13), 8 p.m.
Long Beach State (18-11) at Texas Christian (22-10), 8:30 p.m.
Louisiana Tech (23-7) at New Mexico (18-12), 9:30 p.m.
Ball State (24-8) at Utah (20-10), 9:35 p.m.
Arizona State (18-13) at UC Santa Barbara (20-8), 10:30 p.m.
Friday March 20
James Madison (21-10) at Rutgers (15-14), 7:30 p.m.

Second Round
Monday, March 23
TBA, at campus sites
Tuesday, March 24
TBA, at campus sites

Third Round
Wednesday, March 25
TBA, at campus sites
Thursday, March 26
TBA, at campus sites

Semifinals
Monday, March 30

Championship
Wednesday, April 1

NHL Results

All Times CST
WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-NY Rngrs	44	23	4	92	288	226
x-Wshngtn	40	24	7	87	293	239
New Jersey	34	26	10	78	256	222
Pittsburgh	33	29	8	74	301	270
NY Islanders	30	33	8	68	259	277
Philadelphia	27	32	11	65	212	233
Adams Division						
x-Montreal	41	23	8	90	247	177
x-Boston	32	29	10	74	237	242
x-Buffalo	27	32	11	65	252	267
Hartford	22	36	11	55	211	245
Quebec	16	43	11	43	218	282
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE						
Norris Division						
x-Detroit	37	23	11	85	285	230
Chicago	31	26	14	76	228	212
St. Louis	32	30	9	73	246	241
Minnesota	30	35	5	65	219	240
Toronto	26	38	7	59	212	260
Smythe Division						
x-Vncvr	39	21	10	88	259	210
Ls Angles	32	27	13	77	259	263
Edmonton	32	30	8	72	258	255
Winnipeg	27	31	13	67	211	217
Calgary	26	34	10	62	257	273
San Jose	16	49	5	37	181	308

x-clinched playoff berth.

Sunday's Games
Washington 5, N.Y. Islanders 2
Detroit 1, Winnipeg 1, tie
Boston 5, Los Angeles 1
Buffalo 6, Quebec 4
Pittsburgh 4, Chicago 3

Monday's Games
Montreal at N.Y. Rangers, 6:35 p.m.
Hartford at Calgary, 8:35 p.m.

LPGA Ping

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Final scores and earnings Sunday in the $400,000 Ping-Welch's Championship, played on the 6,243-yard, par-72 Randolph Park North Course:

Brandie Burton, $60,000	68—277	
Dale Eggeling, $32,205	69—278	
Beth Daniel, $32,205	73—278	
Jill Briles-Hinton, $21,134	67—280	
Kate Golden, $14,457	68—281	
Anne Marie Palli, $14,357	70—281	
Pat Bradley, $14,357	72—281	
Alice Ritzman, $10,466	72—283	
Ayako Okamoto, $8,520	71—284	
Michelle McGann, $8,520	71—284	
Colleen Walker, $8,520	73—284	
Deborah McHaffie, $6,641	70—285	
Betsy King, $6,641	71—285	
Lynn Adams, $6,641	72—285	
Meg Mallon, $4,956	69—286	
Deb Richard, $4,956	71—286	
Caroline Gowan, $4,956	71—286	
Chris Johnson, $4,956	71—286	
Juli Inkster, $4,956	72—286	
Dottie Mochrie, $4,956	72—286	
Kris Tschetter, $4,956	74—286	
Hollis Stacy, $4,956	75—286	
Karen Davies, $3,726	68—287	
Vicki Fergon, $3,726	69—287	
Caroline Pierce, $3,726	70—287	
Mrta Fgras-Dtti, $3,726	70—287	
Jayne Thobois, $3,726	71—287	
Trish Johnson, $3,726	71—287	
Judy Dickinson, $2,661	68—288	
Nancy Ramsbottom, $2,661	69—288	
Nancy White, $2,661	69—288	
Sherri Turner, $2,661	69—288	
Caroline Keggi, $2,661	70—288	
Mitzi Edge, $2,661	71—288	
Nancy Harvey, $2,661	72—288	
JoAnne Carner, $2,661	72—288	
Cindy Rarick, $2,661	73—288	
Allison Finney, $2,661	74—288	
Gail Graham, $2,661	75—288	
Kate Hughes, $2,661	75—288	
Michelle Mackall, $1,811	67—289	
Alice Miller, $1,811	69—289	
Martha Faulconer, $1,811	69—289	
Jenny Lidback, $1,811	71—289	
Alison Munt, $1,811	75—289	
Joan Pitcock, $1,312	71—290	
Julie Larsen, $1,312	71—290	
Maggie Will, $1,312	72—290	
Pamela Wright, $1,312	72—290	
Shelley Hamlin, $1,312	73—290	
Laurel Kean, $1,312	74—290	
Sue Thomas, $1,312	74—290	
Cindy Mackey, $1,312	75—290	
Nina Foust, $829	70—291	
Kelly Robbins, $829	71—291	
Jane Crafter, $829	71—291	
Martha Nause, $829	73—291	
Tara Fleming, $829	74—291	
Kathy Postlewait, $829	74—291	
Val Skinner, $829	75—291	
Hiromi Kobayashi, $829	75—291	
Lori West, $603	73—292	
Laurie Brower, $603	74—292	
Jody Anschutz, $603	75—292	
Mffn Spncr-Dvin, $563	72—294	
Dnlle Ammccpne, $523	71—295	
Melissa McNamara, $523	72—295	
Donna White, $523	74—295	
Jan Stephenson, $462	72—296	
Shirley Furlong, $462	74—296	
Cathy Reynolds, $462	75—296	
Angie Ridgeway, $432	74—297	
Lauri Merten, $422	77—298	
Tracy Kerdyk, $412	77—299	
Joan Delk, $403	73—300	

Conference Tournaments

Conference Tournament Glances
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All tournament champions receive automatic bids except for the East Coast Conference, Metro Conference and Great Midwest Conference

Atlantic Coast Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
Duke 94, North Carolina 74

Atlantic 10 Conference
Saturday, March 7
Championship
Thursday, March 12
Massachusetts 97, West Virginia 91

Big East Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
Syracuse 56, Georgetown 54

Big Eight Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
Kansas 66, Oklahoma State 57

Big Sky Conference Championship
Saturday, March 14
Montana 73, Nevada 68

Big South Conference Championship
Saturday, March 7
Campbell 67, Charleston Southern 53

Big West Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
New Mexico St. 74, Pacific 73

Colonial Athletic Association Championship
Monday, March 9
Old Dominion 78, James Madison 73

East Coast Conference Championship
Monday, March 9
Towson State 69, Hofstra 61

Great Midwest Conference Championship
Saturday, March 14
Cincinnati 75, Memphis State 63

Metro Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
N.C. Charlotte 64, Tulane 63

Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Championship
Monday, March 9
La Salle 77, Manhattan 76

Mid-American Conference Championship
Saturday, March 14
Miami, Ohio 58, Ball State 57

Mid-Continent Conference Championship
Tuesday, March 10
Eastern Illinois 83, Illinois-Chicago 68

Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference Championship
Saturday, March 7
Howard U. 67, Florida A&M 65

Midwestern Collegiate Conference Championship
Saturday, March 14
Evansville 95, Butler 76

Missouri Valley Conference Championship
Monday, March 9
Southwest Missouri State 71, Tulsa 68

North Atlantic Conference Championship
Wednesday, March 11
Delaware 92, Drexel 68

Northeast Conference Championship
Wednesday, March 11
Robert Morris 86, Marist 81

Ohio Valley Conference Championship
Sunday, March 8
Murray State 81, Eastern Kentucky 60

Patriot League Championship
Tuesday, March 10
Fordham 70, Bucknell 65

Southeastern Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
Kentucky 80, Alabama 54

Southern Conference Championship
Sunday, March 8
East Tennessee State 74, Tennessee-Chattanooga 62

Southland Conference Championship
Sunday, March 8
Northeast Louisiana 81, Texas-San Antonio 77

Southwest Conference Championship
Sunday, March 15
Houston 91, Texas 72

Southwestern Athletic Conference Championship
Saturday, Feb. 29
Mississippi Valley State 85, Southern U. 77

Sun Belt Conference Championship
Sunday, March 8
Southwestern Louisiana 75, Louisiana Tech 71

Trans America Athletic Conference Championship
Wednesday, March 11
Georgia Southern 95, Georgia St. 82

West Coast Conference Championship
Monday, March 9
Pepperdine 73, Gonzaga 70

Western Athletic Conference Championship
Saturday, March 14
Brigham Young 73, Texas-El Paso 71

NCAA Women's Tourney

NCAA Women's Basketball Tournament
At A Glance
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EAST REGIONAL
First Round
Wednesday, March 18
Vermont (29-0) at George Washington (24-6), 7:30 p.m.
Tennessee-Chattanooga (18-11) at Clemson (20-9), 7 p.m.
St. Peter's (24-6) at Connecticut (22-10), 7:30 p.m.
Old Dominion (20-10) at North Carolina (21-8), 7 p.m.
Second Round
Times TBA
Saturday, March 21
UConn-St. Peter's winner at Vanderbilt (20-8)
UNC-ODU winner at Miami (29-1)
Sunday, March 22
Vermont-GWU winner at Virginia (29-1)
Clemson-UTC winner at West Virginia (25-3)
Regional Semifinals
At Charlottesville, Va.
Thursday, March 26
Virginia—GWU-Vermont winner vs. West Virginia—Clemson-UTC winner
Vanderbilt—UConn-St. Peter's winner vs. Miami—ODU-UNC winner
Regional Championship
At Charlottesville, Va.
Saturday, March 28
Semifinal winners

MIDEAST REGIONAL
First Round
Wednesday, March 18
Southern Mississippi (21-9) at Rutgers (20-10), 7:30 p.m.
Tennessee Tech (21-8) at Alabama (22-6), 8 p.m.
Louisiana Tech (20-9) at Northern Illinois (17-13), 8 p.m.
Toledo (26-5) at Providence (21-8), 7 p.m.
Second Round
Times TBA
Saturday, March 21
Rutgers-Southern Miss winner at Tennessee (27-2)
Alabama-Tenn. Tech winner at Western Kentucky (23-7)
Sunday, March 22
La. Tech-N. Illinois winner at Purdue (2 -6)
Providence-Toledo winner at Maryland (23-5)
Regional Semifinals
At West Lafayette, Ind.
Thursday, March 26
Rutgers-Southern Miss.—Tennessee winner vs. Alabama-Tenn-Tech—W.Ky winner
La. Tech-N.Illinois—Purdue winner vs. Providence-Toledo—Maryland winner
Regional Championship
At West Lafayette, Ind.
Saturday, March 28
Semifinal winners

MIDWEST REGIONAL
First Round
Wednesday, March 18
Kansas (25-5) at Southwest Missouri State (27-2), 8 p.m.
Notre Dame (14-16) at UCLA (19-9), 10 p.m.
Arizona State (20-8) at DePaul (20-9), 8 p.m.
Southern Illinois (22-7) at Colorado (22-8), 9 p.m.
Second Round
Times TBA
Saturday, March 21
Colorado-S. Illinois winner at Mississippi (27-2)
Arizona St.-DePaul winner at Penn State (20-9)
Sunday, March 22
SW Missouri St.-Kansas winner at Iowa (25-3)
UCLA-Notre Dame winner at Texas (21-9)
Regional Semifinals
At Boulder, Colo.
Thursday, March 26
Colorado-S.Ill.—Mississippi winner vs. Arizona St.-DePaul—Penn St. winner
SW Missouri-Kansas—Iowa winner vs. UCLA-Notre Dame—Texas winner
Regional Championship
At Boulder, Colo.
Saturday, March 28
Semifinal winners

WEST REGIONAL
First Round
Wednesday, March 18
Houston (22-7) at UC Santa Barbara (26-4), 10:30 p.m.
Santa Clara (20-9) at California (20-8), 10:30 p.m.
Montana (22-6) at Wisconsin (20-8), 8 p.m.
Long Beach State (21-9) at Creighton (27-3), 8:30 p.m.
Second Round
Times TBA
Saturday, March 21
Houston-UCSB winner at Stanford (25-3)
Cal-Santa Clara winner at Texas Tech (26-4)
Sunday, March 22
Wisconsin-Montana winner at Southern Cal (21-7)
Creighton-Long Beach St. winner at Stephen F. Austin (27-2)
Regional Semifinals
At Seattle
Thursday, March 26
Houston-UCSB—Stanford winner vs. Cal-Santa Clara—Texas Tech winner
Wisconsin-Montana—Southern Cal winner vs. Creighton-LB St.—S.F. Austin winner
Regional Championship
At Seattle
Saturday, March 28
Semifinal winners

THE FINAL FOUR
At Los Angeles
Semifinals
Saturday, April 4
East champion vs. West champion
Mideast champion vs. Midwest champion
Championship
Sunday, April 5
Semifinal winners

Exhibition Baseball

All Times CST
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Baltimore	6	3	.667
Cleveland	6	3	.667
California	6	4	.600
Minnesota	6	4	.600
Seattle	6	4	.600
Milwaukee	6	5	.545
New York	6	5	.545
Chicago	6	6	.500
Boston	5	5	.500
Kansas City	5	5	.500
Texas	5	5	.500
Detroit	4	6	.400
Toronto	4	6	.400
Oakland	3	5	.333
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	7	2	.778
Cincinnati	7	3	.700
St. Louis	6	3	.667
Montreal	6	5	.545
Atlanta	5	6	.455
Houston	5	6	.455
Los Angeles	5	6	.455
Pittsburgh	5	6	.455
Chicago	4	6	.400
Philadelphia	4	7	.364
New York	3	7	.300
San Diego	2	8	.200

NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings, ties do not

Sunday's Games
Cincinnati 6, Houston 5
Kansas City 3, Boston 2
Chicago White Sox 7, N.Y. Yankees 5
Baltimore 3, Philadelphia 1
Detroit 4, Pittsburgh 2
Montreal 8, Atlanta 7
St. Louis 11, Minnesota 1
Los Angeles 4, N.Y. Mets 1
Toronto 8, Texas 6
San Francisco 4, Oakland 2
Cleveland 6, Milwaukee (ss) 5
San Diego 7, Chicago Cubs (ss) 2
Milwaukee (ss) 9, Chicago Cubs (ss) 4
Seattle 4, California 0

Monday's Games
Pittsburgh vs. Cincinnati (ss) at Plant City, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (ss) vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Detroit vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Los Angeles vs. Boston (ss) at Winter Haven, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (ss) vs. Kansas City (ss) at Haines City, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Montreal vs. Houston at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Kansas City (ss) vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 12:10 p.m.
Minnesota vs. Texas at Port Charlotte, Fla., 12:35 p.m.
Philadelphia vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 12:35 p.m.
Boston (ss) vs. Chicago White Sox (ss) at Sarasota, Fla., 12:35 p.m.
Cleveland vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
California vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
San Diego vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.
Baltimore vs. N.Y. Yankees at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 6:35 p.m.

Jacob Brumfield and Mark Howie each went 3-for-4 for the Reds. Brian Williams took his second loss of the spring for Houston, allowing five runs on four hits over the final two innings.

Royals 3, Bosox 2

Boston	100	000	001	—2	7	1
KC	110	010	00x	—3	9	1

Morton, Harris (4), Irvine (7) and Flaherty, Hatteberg (7), Davis, Aquino (5), Clark (7), Maldonado (8) and Spehr, Pappas (6). W—Davis, 1-0. L—Morton, 0-1. Sv—Maldonado (1).

Chisox 7, Yankees 5

Chi (A)	600	001	000	—7	12	1
NY (A)	020	030	000	—5	9	0

Hibbard, Radinsky (5), Howard (8), Wapnick (9) and, Merullo, Santovenia (7), Taylor, Draper (1), Martel (5), Guetterman (8), Howe (9) and, Leyritz, Nokes (5), Ausmus (9). W—Hibbard, 1-1. L—WTaylor, 1-2. S—Wapnick, (1).

Orioles 3, Phillies 1

Balt	111	000	000	—3	8	1
Phila	000	100	000	—1	7	0

McDonald, Rhodes (5), Mills (8), Olson (9) and Hoiles, Tackett (6), Green, Brantley (5), Jones (8), M.Williams (9) and Daulton, Lindsey (7). W—McDonald, 2-0. L—Green, 0-2. Sv—Olson (2). HR—Baltimore, Orsulak (1).

Tigers 4, Pirates 2

Detroit	021	000	100	—4	9	0
Pitt	000	002	000	—2	10	3

Aldred, Gohr (4), Cummings (7), Groom (8), Kaiser (9) and Tettleton, Kreuter (8), Smiley, Palacios (5), Patterson (7), Dixon (9) and Slaught, LaValliere (5), Prince (8). W—Aldred, 1-1. L—Smiley, 0-2. Sv—Kaiser (1). HR—Pittsburgh, Wehner (1).

Expos 8, Braves 7

Atlanta	100	001	221	—7	12	3
Montreal	100	030	04x	—8	10	1

Avery, Bielecki (5), Wohlers (8), St.Claire (8) and Olson, Willard (6); Haney, Risley (4), Karchner (6), Frey (7), Leach (8), Burcham (9) and Cerone, Laker (8). W—Leach, 1-0. L—Wohlers, 0-1. Sv—Burcham (1).

Cardinals 11, Twins 1

Minn	100	000	000	—1	8	1
StL	003	110	33x	—11	13	0

Neagle, Edens (4), Cross (6), Tasmis (8) and Harper, Durant (6); B.Smith, Ericks (5), McClure (6), Worrell (7), L.Smith (9) and Pagnozzi, Gedman (7), Prybylinksi (9). W—B.Smith, 2-0. L—Neagle, 1-1.

Dodgers 4, Mets 1

NY (N)	000	000	100	—1	2	0
LA	102	000	10x	—4	8	1

Schourek, Innis (5), Gibson (6), Valera (8) and O'Brien, Sasser (8); Hershiser, Astacio (6), Crews (8), Candelaria (9) and Scioscia, Hernandez (8). W—Hershiser, 1-1. L—Schourek, 0-2. Sv—Candelaria (1). HR—Los Angeles, Strawberry (2).

Blue Jays 8, Rangers 6

Texas	005	000	001	—6	7	1
Toronto	610	100	000	—8	12	4

Jo.Guzman, Bannister (3), Burns (5), Carman (7) and Petralli, Davis (7). Ju.Guzman, Trlicek (4), Weathers (8) and Borders, Knorr (8). W—Ju.Guzman, 2-1. L—Jo.Guzman, 0-1. Sv—Weathers (1). HRs—Toronto, Carter (1). Texas, Gonzalez (2).

Derek Bell and Candy Maldonado each had three hits for the Blue Jays and Joe Carter went 2-for-3 and drove in two runs. Juan Gonzalez had four RBIs for the Rangers.

Giants 4, A's 2

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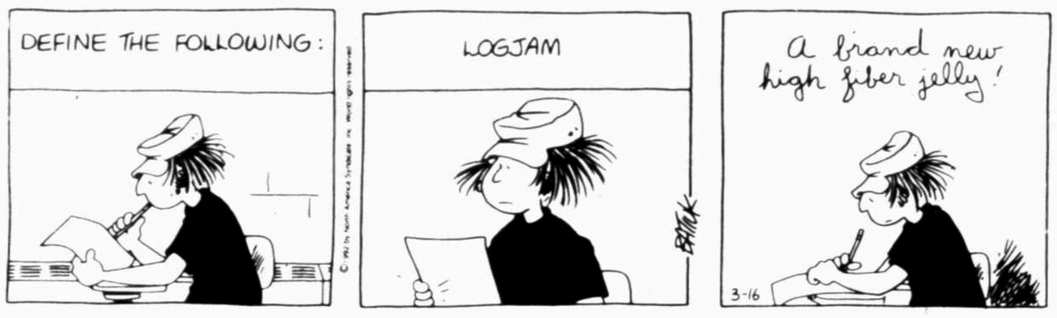

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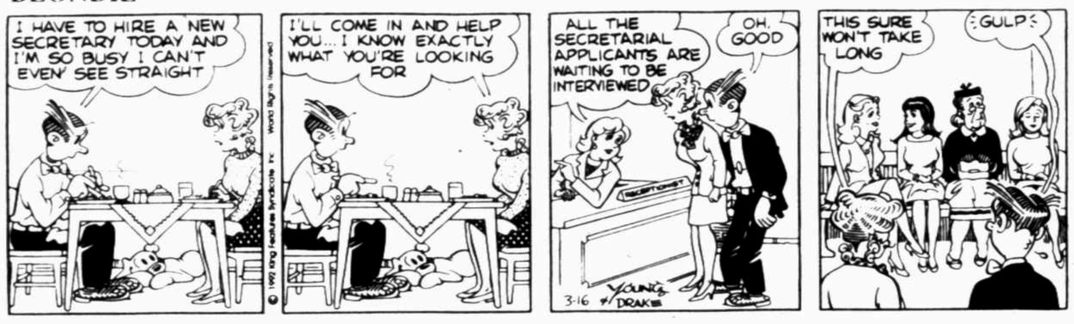

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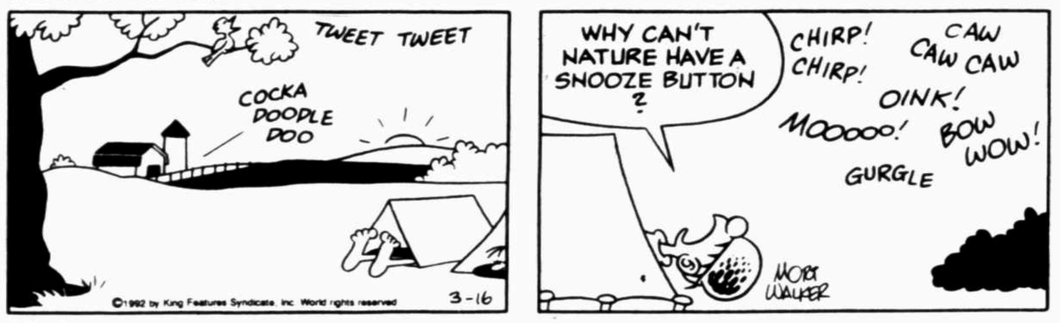

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By Jeane Dixon

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1992

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Play your cards close to the vest. Choosing the right moment to act is essential. A spiritual search you undertake in August will help you find greater meaning in life. Lay the groundwork for new success in October. A desire to "get away from it all" grows stronger next December.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: former first lady Pat Nixon, TV host Chuck Woolery, director Bernardo Bertolucci, comedian Jerry Lewis.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Use deeds instead of words to convey your thoughts and principles. Keep a low profile at work. Investigate housing or building offers to see what suits you best.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): This is your day to chalk up a big and glorious success. Enjoy all the rewards and privileges it brings. An unsuccessful shopping trip could leave you irritable.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Ambition may be lying just below the surface. It is time to make up for any shortcomings in your education or training. Take a friend to lunch if you can afford it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Wise heads know the value of real friendship. A confidential financial matter deserves further thought and discussion. Find out exactly where you are headed.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Secretive types attract attention when they least want it. Someone may think you are hiding something. Being part of a large group sounds good tonight.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Domestic and career affairs are in a state of flux. Doing favors for people will promote harmony. A new financial backer or partner will help you reach your goals. Keep cool in romance.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Listening and learning is the key to reducing strife at work. People at a distance are your best source of guidance. Review your career options if you need to make more money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Use your artistic and creative abilities in new ways. Listening to a woman's views could help you boost profits. Look before you leap into romance. Are you ready to make a commitment?

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Careful; you could easily lose your temper and spoil all the good things in store. People nearby are ready to deliver the goods now or in the near future.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Continue calling the shots as you see them. By emphasizing joint business or financial interests, you can walk away with a bonus or a feather in your cap.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Plans you thought were afloat could suddenly take on water. You are flooded with phone calls or important errands. Test public opinion before you plunge into action.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Travel and communications mix-ups are possible. Take your time when coming to a major decision. VIPs some distance away can provide timely advice. Be a good listener.

TODAY'S CHILDREN are friendly, considerate and eager to be accepted by their peers. Concerned parents should make certain these youngsters do not fall in with the wrong crowd. Offering them fun outlets for their creative talents will keep them both busy and happy. These Pisces' diverse interests sometimes make it difficult for them to find their career niche. Luckily, their tenacity guarantees them success in almost any field!

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠85 ♡Q3 ◇Q976 ♣KQJ62
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♡	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—Partner's reverse shows a strong hand and, because of your two-over-one response, is game-forcing. Despite the fact that your queen of hearts is a golden card, you don't want to encourage partner too much. Bid two no trump.

Q.2—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠83 ♡AKQ ◇KQJ103 ♣AQ4
What is your opening bid?
A.—We have sympathy for all who selected one diamond (the hand isn't nearly strong enough for a demand bid), but we don't know how to describe a balanced 21 points with a good five-card suit thereafter. We would simply lie about our spade holding and open two no trump, fully aware that it could lead to a catastrophe.

Q.3—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K85 ♡AK6 ◇QJ4 ♣AQ43
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ◇	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 NT	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—With a square hand, no sure source of tricks and no fillers to give the hand body, we don't think we can commit this hand to slam unilaterally. Our choice would be a quantitative raise to four no trump to invite partner to go on if he has better than a dead-minimum opener.

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠A105 ♡976 ◇AK83 ♣Q52
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	3 ◇	?	

What action do you take?
A.—At rubber bridge, we would double and take whatever penalty is available, since we would still be 3-to-1 favorites to win the rubber. At duplicate, we aren't sure whether the penalty would compensate for a possibly missed game, so a response of three no trump would be a reasonable shot.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠532 ♡AK63 ◇A ♣QJ1053
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—We do not mind raising partner's major-suit response with three-card support or rebidding one no trump with slightly off-shape hands, but only if no better action presents itself. Here, we can comfortably rebid two clubs with our decent five-card suit, and that seems to be the most prudent call.

Q.6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KQ76 ♡AJ105 ◇82 ♣763
Partner opens the bidding with one heart. What do you respond?
A.—If you are playing limit raises, this hand is perfect for a jump to three hearts. If not, you must bid one spade for the moment, intending to raise hearts at your next turn, although you will still be faced with the same predicament of whether or not to force to game.

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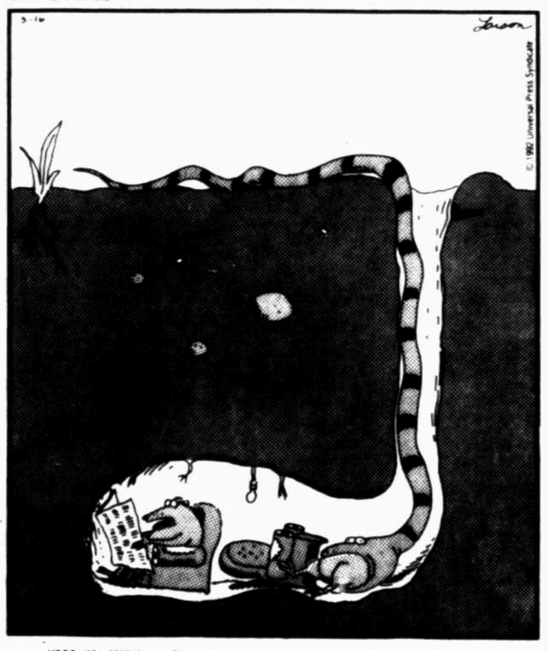

"Well, I'll be darned. Says here 70 percent of all accidents happen in the hole."

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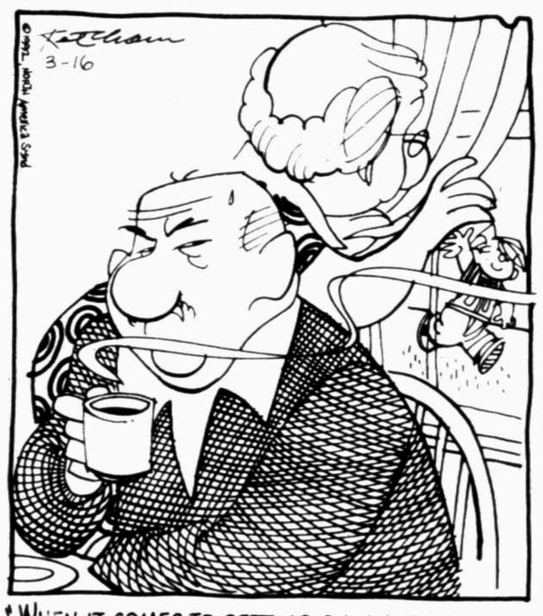
"I wouldn't wanna play hide-and-go-seek with him."

DENNIS THE MENACE



"WHEN IT COMES TO GETTING ON MY NERVES, THE MITCHELL KID KNOWS A SHORTCUT."

PEOPLE

ABC's Peter Jennings is nation's favorite anchorman, poll says

NEW YORK — **Peter Jennings** of ABC News was the most popular anchorman in a poll released Sunday. **Dan Rather** of CBS and **Tom Brokaw** of NBC were virtually tied for second place.

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The poll of 1,254 adults by Louis Harris and Associates found Jennings was preferred by 35 percent to 24 percent for Brokaw, 23 percent for Rather and 13 percent for Cable News Network's Bernard Shaw.

The remaining 5 percent were not sure or preferred none of the four choices. The margin of sampling error was plus or minus 3 percentage points.

Jennings and Brokaw were more popular among women, and Jennings was especially popular in the East and the South and among Republicans and independents, the pollster said. Rather's strength was among Democrats and Midwesterners.

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ALBANY, N.Y. — **Michael Dugan**, the U.S. Air Force general who resigned after disclosing military plans in the buildup to the Persian Gulf War, has joined forces with the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Dugan came aboard the New York City-based, non-profit society on Feb. 1 and will become its president in June. His brother-in-law was diagnosed with the disease 15 years ago.

"We witnessed a successful war in the Gulf a year ago, and I am looking for a successful war on multiple sclerosis for the future," Dugan said Friday.

Dugan resigned as Air Force chief of staff in September 1990, after The Washington Post quoted him as saying during Operation Desert Shield that allied forces would target **Saddam Hussein**, his family and palace guards if an air war broke out in the Persian Gulf.

He has since worked as a military consultant to CBS News and taught strategic studies at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore.

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SANTA ANA, Calif. — Mexico's first lady, **Cecilia Salinas**, visited a California high school and said she hoped to create schools like it in her country someday.

"I wanted to see the opportunities that Mexican-Americans have in education," Mrs. Salinas said Friday while touring Century High School, a model high-technology campus in Santa Ana, outside Los Angeles.

"We don't have the economy to have this kind of school in Mexico, but I'd like to work for that," the wife of President **Carlos Salinas de Gortari** said in Spanish.

At Century High, where 85 percent of the students are Hispanic, Mrs. Salinas was treated like royalty.

"It's really exciting," said sophomore Julia Ornelas, 15. "I'm from Mexico. I'm very proud."

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BOZEMAN, Mont. — The sidewalk benches at **Glenn Close**'s coffee house are coming inside to help quell complaints that crowds of young artists, musicians and students often block the way.

The actress, her sister **Jessie** and writer **Barbara Moss** bought the Leaf & Bean last year. Since then, Jessie Close said, she has received about five anonymous complaints, and two were made to police.

The complaints upset her, she said. "It's just a peaceful group of people who like to sit in the sun and talk to each other."

Steve Schnee, president of the Downtown Bozeman Association, said Close needs to encourage the young people to be more sensitive to other pedestrians and not spend the whole afternoon there.

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RACINE, Wis. — **Kevin Cronin**, vocalist for the rock group **REO Speedwagon**, is marrying a woman who was a high school freshman when he was producing hits like "Ridin' the Storm Out" in the 1970s.

Cronin, 40, will marry **Lisa Marie Wells**, 29, next month in her hometown of Racine, the couple said.

Cronin said some of his close friends would perform at his wedding. He wouldn't reveal their names, but Wells said singers **Richard Marx, Eddie Money** and **Dave Crosby** are on the guest list.

Wells, director of music publishing at Geffen Records in Los Angeles, said Cronin asked her advice on how to propose while she was cooking dinner. The couple met three years ago at a St. Patrick's Day party.

Cronin asked if a man proposing to a woman would have to have the ring already, and if the date had to be set right away, Wells said. She said she answered both questions, "Not necessarily."

"Then he went down on his knees and proposed right in the kitchen," Wells said.

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PARIS — **Jean Poiret**, one of France's most prolific actors and writers who starred in and wrote the original play "La Cage Aux Folles," died early Saturday of a heart attack, film industry officials said. He was 65.

Among his film credits are **Francois Truffaut's** "The Last Metro" in 1980, "Chicken in Vinegar" and "Inspecteur Lavardin" in 1986, both directed by **Claude Chabrol**, and "The Miracle Cure" by **Jean-Pierre Mocky** in 1986.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY PRIMETIME March 16, 1992 *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
KMID	2	3	News 413	Wheel of Fortune	FBI: The Stories	American Detective	Those Secrets ('92) (Blair Brown, Arliss Howard) 6871				News 11993	Cheers 24413	Entertainment 3603	Nightline 84968
KOSA	7	8	News 7719	Married ... 8871	Evening Shade	Major Dad 4055	Murphy Brown	Designing Women	Northern Exposure 33697		News 66413	M*A*S*H 48061	Sweating Bullets 34429	
KTPX	9	9	News 6055	A Current Affair	Fresh Prince 9413	Blossom 9719	In the Line of Duty: A Cop for the Killing ('90) ** (James Farentino) 68351				News 4696177	The Tonight Show (10:35) 2167332		Late Night (11:35)
KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 605448		Of Moose & Men: Rocky & Bullwinkle Story 251697		Frank Sinatra 447351		Learning in America		MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 344210		To Be Announced 770871	
KPEJ	24	14	Who's the Boss?	Full House 36245	Doing Time on Maple Drive ('92) (James B. Sikking, Bibi Besch) 37239				Star Trek: The Next Generation 13413		Mama's Family	Arsenio Hall 540351		Love Connection
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**
VC1		1	Movie (5)	Kickboxing	World Martial Arts Challenge 3979429						World Martial Arts Challenge 6772448			
FAM		4	The Waltons 418974		Valiant 185005	Black Stallion	Father Dowling Mysteries 966581		The 700 Club 567345		Bordertown	Calamity Jane and Sam Bass ('49) * 960968		
CNN		6	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Politics '92
WTBS		7	Addams Family		NBA Basketball: Atlanta Hawks at Detroit Pistons 721041				Gray Lady Down (PG, '78) ** (Charlton Heston, David Carradine) 9300448				National Geographic Explorer (11:15)	
UNI		10	Muchachitas 26264		Atrapada 95055		Al Filo de la Muerte 77603		Portada 91239		Noticiero Nocturna	La Movida 452622		
WGN		11	The Jeffersons	Now It Can Be Told	America at Risk: Seeds of Hope 285429		Voices of the Future 294177		News 101413		Night Court	Kojak 110061		West of the Divide
ESPN		12	SportsCenter	Basketball/Special	Skiing: Subaru Aspen Winternat'l 350871		Drag Racing 449719		Auto Racing 356055		Basketball/Special	SportsCenter	Running & Racing	Auto Racing
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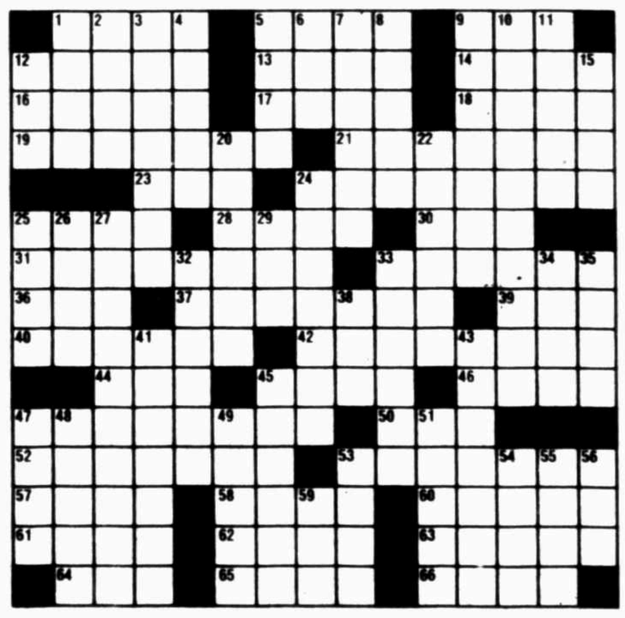

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Chinese officials keep secret files on almost everyone

By Nicholas D. Kristof
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BEIJING — Behind a locked door on the second floor of the Beijing Engineering Design Institute is a small room stacked with files from floor to ceiling.

There is a file here on each of the institute's 600 employees, and although they are never allowed to peek inside, they live all their lives with their file looming over them.

As part of China's complex system of social control and surveillance, the authorities keep a dangan, or file, on virtually everyone except peasants.

Indeed, most Chinese have two dangan: one at their workplace and another in their local police station.

"Here's one, a man called Ji," Zhang Yuhong, 34, a Communist Party member and dangan clerk at the design institute, said as she skimmed through the loose-leaf binder that served as Ji's dangan, pronounced dahng-ahn.

"School records and grade transcripts," she began, offering a foreigner a rare look into the dangan system. "Entry into the Communist Youth League and the Communist Party. Family members and photo. Promotions and level of work. Performance evaluations. That kind of thing. About 10 items."

A file is opened on each urban citizen when he or she enters elementary school, and it shadows the person throughout life, moving on to high school, college and employer.

Particularly for officials, students, professors and Communist Party members, the dangan contain political evaluations that affect career prospects and permission to leave the country.

The file system in China is fundamentally different from any in the West, not only because the Chinese system encompasses all urban citizens, but because the file is kept by one's employer.

The dangan is difficult to escape from because any prospective employer is supposed to examine an applicant's dangan before making a hiring decision. And there is no Freedom of Information Act to allow access to material in one's file.

The dangan is part of a web of social controls that insure order in China.

Other elements of the web include the personal identity card that each citizen must carry, the residence permit that determines in what city a person can live, and the "work unit" that provides lifetime employment, housing, political study and permission to have a child.

It is a remarkable achievement for a poor developing country that it can maintain hundreds of millions of secret files on its urban population.

From an American perspective, the extensive dangan system is one way in which China distinguishes itself as an aspiring totalitarian regime rather than a mere dictatorship.

Yet from a Chinese perspective, the absence of a comprehensive system of national files is one of the most perplexing lapses of American society, like the inability of New York to curb graffiti or narcotics.

In China, which has a 3,000-year history of bureaucratic controls and no tradition of privacy — not even a good way of expressing the idea in the Chinese language — virtually nobody seems upset about the presence of the dangan system.

In part, this is because most of the files are now innocuous. Those who have seen files of ordinary workers say that they contain mostly mundane school and job records.

But the dangan are much more important for intellectuals and officials, and the Communist Party Organization Department reviews the dangan of any candidate for promotion to department director.

In any case, the dangan system is losing its effectiveness as a method of social surveillance.

"I don't think a dangan is very important any more," said an academic whose heavy involvement in the Tiananmen Square democracy movement in 1989 has somehow been overlooked and who continues to be entrusted with delicate government assignments. "It doesn't always matter very much what's inside."

With the same ingenuity that they use to get around other government regulations, young Chinese have devised a catalogue of ways to render their files harmless, even if they took part in the 1989 protests.

Many of those with politically questionable backgrounds, for example, resigned from their work units and arranged to transfer their file into an employment company for young intellectuals.

With the files out of harm's way, they could complete the paperwork necessary to go abroad.

Another option, for those with plenty of money, is to pay a huge "fee" of thousands of dollars to a company with close links to family members of China's leaders. The company then arranges for the applicant to be sent abroad on an "official" trip.

Yet another alternative is to go into business — an increasingly attractive idea to many intellectuals, considering the huge profits that can be earned.

Companies in bustling southern China often do not even ask to see a job applicant's file, which remains with the previous employer or with the "street committee" that controls the area where the worker lives.

"Companies just care about making money," said a woman who has some political problems and is leaving her job in the government. "They'll never even see my dangan."

The riskiest approach of all is to get hold of one's file and either destroy it or take out any nasty bits.

This is possible because when people transfer from one job to another they are sometimes given their dangan — suitably sealed — to deliver personally to their new employer.

A fine cut along the side allows access to the contents and can easily be pasted shut again, the cognoscenti say.

To prevent tampering, the files of a work unit's leaders are not kept in the regular file room of that unit but in the organization that supervises it.

There are also clear rules about who can add an item to a file or remove it; in theory, adjustments to the dangan can be made only by a personnel committee.

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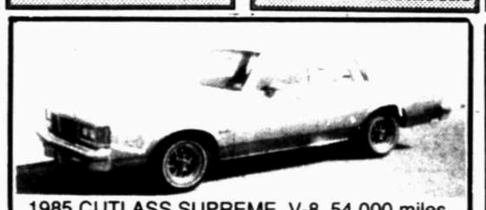

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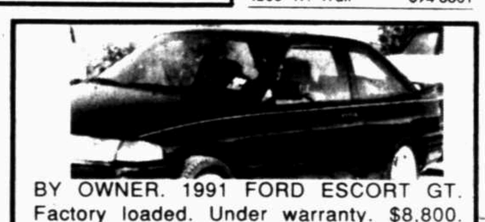

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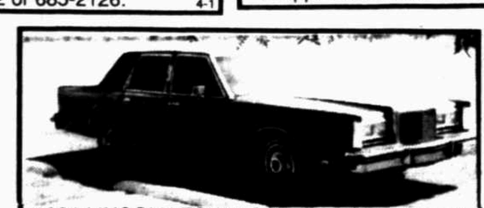

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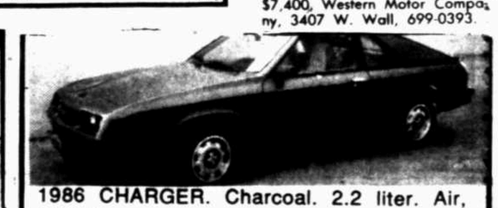

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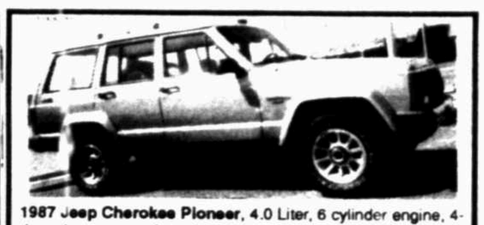

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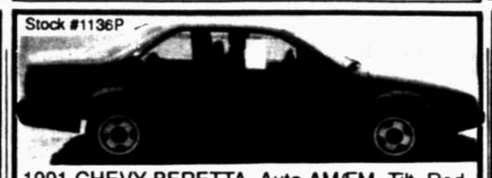

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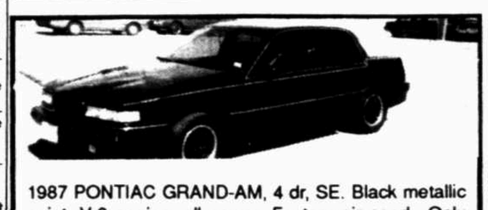

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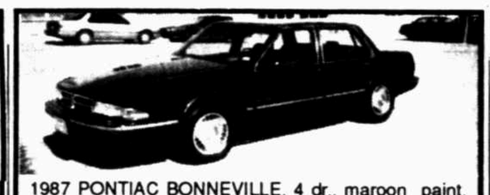

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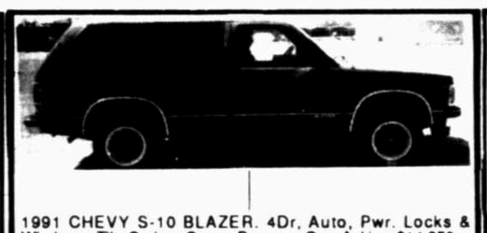

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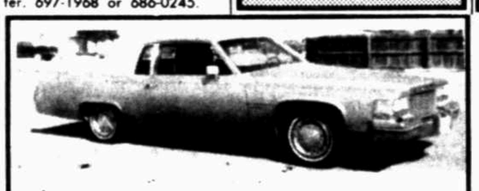

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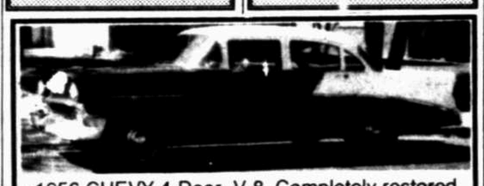

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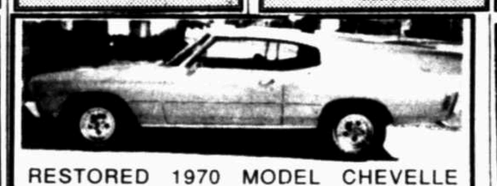

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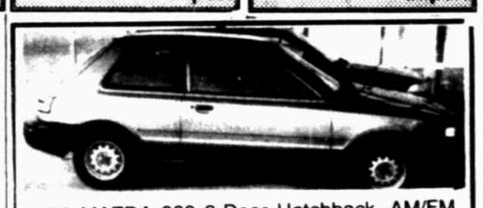

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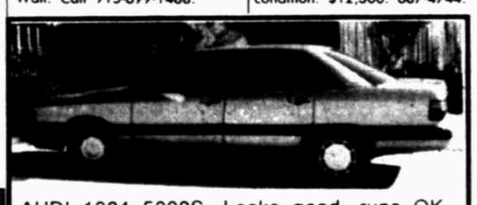

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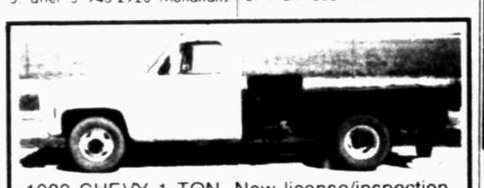

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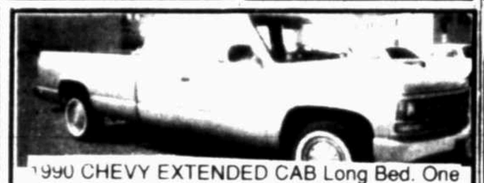

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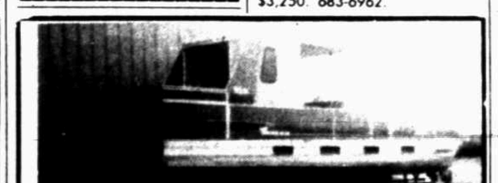

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1982 SKEETER Starfire 150 with 150 Evinrude. Boat is loaded and ready to fish. Call 682-5334, 9-5.

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310 General Help Wanted

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310 General Help Wanted

TAXI CAB Drivers and mechanic Needed. Full-time positions available. Valid Texas drivers license a must. 685-7070.

ROOM AND BOARD plus small salary for live in with elderly lady. Serious inquiries only please. 694-2817, 683-4564.

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INFORMATION RESOURCES

Has the following position open in our Midland Studio Facility:
Part time- studio operator, day and evening shifts available. Computer and/ our electronic experience helpful. Call 694-6405 9 am to 11 am only.

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HAIRDRESSER- position available for experienced person. French Chateau Hair Works Salon 694-2579 or 699-4937.

310 General Help Wanted

NOW HIRING bartenders and wait person. Apply in person, Fast Freddy's, 4358 W. Illinois. EOE.

PROFESSIONAL TELEPHONE SALES PEOPLE NEEDED
- Salary plus commissions
- Full benefits
- Fun environment
- Make money talking cars

Call 685-3345, ask for Leta
Previous applicants
Need not apply

AVALON VOC-TECH INSTITUTE Seeking testing proctor. Part time, flexible schedule. Ideal for retired educator, counselor. Apply in person at 4241 Tanglewood - Odessa, Tx 79762. For further information, call 367-2622 or 563-9000.

310 General Help Wanted

TOWN & COUNTRY FOOD STORES, INC.

Is seeking individuals for full time or part time positions in the Permian Basin. Town & Country is a progressive company with over 135 stores which currently provide the following benefits to our employees.

Company paid life and health insurance
Excellent advancement opportunities
2 weeks paid vacation
Paid sick leave
Credit Union
Stock Option
Retirement Plan
College Tuition Program

We are interested in hiring person who possess the following qualifications: Personal integrity and dependability, willingness to work and contribute to a progressive organization and ability to work in a fast pace work environment, outgoing personality with eagemess to serve the public, and personal schedule flexibility. If you feel you meet this criteria, please apply at

#93...2622 S. Rankin Hwy.
#96...7100 W. Hwy. 80
#107...Garden City Hwy.
#122...2109 S. Midkiff

HIRING IMMEDIATELY. Several staff as Community Living Instructors and Home Leaders to work with individuals with mental retardation in small, pleasant group home atmosphere. Work involves teaching of basic living, work, social skills, and transporting clients. Flexible hours, up to and including 40 plus weekly. Salary begins at $5.00 hourly. Required training is provided and paid while training. Requirements are: Drivers license with good driving record, high school or GED, auto liability insurance, reliable transportation, phone, good writing, verbal and communication skills.

Applications available at Permian Basin Community Centers for MHMR, 3701 N. Big Spring in Midland and 3128 Kermit Hwy. in Odessa. EOE.

ATTENTION TRAINEES
Due to major company expansion in east side area, we are now training hard workers in all phases in our business. Those qualified will start immediately at $1,575 per month, per company program, with rapid advancement, for those who learn quickly. Call to reserve interview time, Monday only, 8-5, 563-1503.

COOKS- 5 years minimum experience required. Starting at $7 a hour and above pending experience. Apply at Texas Grill 4132 W. Wall at 4 pm.

GREENTREE Country Club is now hiring full time waitstaff. Experience preferred. Apply in person Monday - Friday, 4900 Greentree Blvd. Pre-employment drug screen required.

LOCAL convenience store is accepting applications for managers and clerks. Experienced only. Apply at 2500 W. Front Street.

ASSISTANT Maintenance needed for apartment complex. Must have experience in painting, plumbing and electrical. Pre-employment screening required. No phone calls. 4700 Boulder Drive.

MAJOR, new technology company in oil field services is seeking a competent person for the position of field treater. Applicants should have 3 years experience in lease operations and a good knowledge of downhoe as well as surface equipment. Starting pay, $10/ hour. Minimum 50 hours per week. Send replies to BOX F-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SMALL Offset printer needed. Well established printing company needs an experienced Hamada or Multilith pressman. Contact Dobbs Printing, 521 N. Lee, Odessa, 580-0159 days, 366-5443 nights.

WITH AVON you can sell the newest national advertised, skin-care breakthru "Anew." Call to start now Verla, 520-0119.

FULL time employment available. Short order counter help in food service. Apply in person only, Michael's Charcoal Grill, 4317 W. Illinois.

SHOGUN'S now accepting application for bartender. Apply in person 4610 - N. Garfield weekdays.

LOCAL Radio station seeking experienced traffic director. Send resume to BOX F-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702, BY 3/20/92.

BLESS YOUR HEART needing part time cashier- healthy opportunity, please phone before 10 or after 2. 570-5483.

SONIC DRIVE-IN, Midkiff road now has openings for car hops, cashiers, all shifts. Excellent after school part time work for students or working parents needing extra cash. Please apply in person 1109 N. Midkiff.

INDIVIDUAL with 2 years experience in oil changes AND an ASE certified technician needed. 688-5161.

COMMERCIAL Vinyl Hanger needed. Minimum 3 years experience. Call 694-8932.

PART TIME salesperson for mens clothing and ladies clothing stores. 2 to 3 days a week, possibly some full weeks. Apply at Paula's 35 N. Village Court.

CASA OLE' Restaurant & Cantina. Now hiring full time waiters/ waitresses. Apply in person, Monday - Friday, 2 pm - 5 pm. 4410 N. Midkiff.

NOW HIRING for full and part time cashier positions. Some experience required. Apply in person Fuddruckers, Midland Park Mall.

WANTED Maintenance make ready persons, at least 2 years experience with apartments. Call Ken 368-7066.

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REPLYING TO A BLIND BOX NUMBER?

Address your reply to the Blind Box Number: (The Specific number in the ad you are replying to - for example A-3)
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The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of an advertiser using one of our box numbers to anyone for any reason. This information is confidential. However,readers who are interested in positions offered, but who desire to avoid sending a resume to certain companies can do so. Address your reply to the specific box number in the ad and place it in another envelope along with a note listing the companies you do not want your reply to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will destroy your reply.

Be sure to use the specific Box number listed at the end of the ad. Without this number, it is impossible to forward replies. Call 682-6222 if you have questions about the procedure.

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310 General Help Wanted

NEED extra income? Office workers needed. Heavy phone work. Flexible hours. No experience necessary. Call 687-2537 between 10 - 3.

AN EXPERIENCED air conditioning repair person needed. Must be willing to learn low temp. 687-2234, on weekends 570-5612.

WAITERS/ WAITRESSES- experienced only for busy AM and PM shifts, excellent tips. Apply in person at Texas Grill 4132 W. Wall at 3 pm.

DISHWASHER- BUSPERSONS- must be fast for AM and PM shifts. Apply in person at Texas Grill 4132 W. Wall at 4 pm.

PART-TIME DATA ENTRY

Position available for 15 - 30 hours weekly. Computer/ keyboard experience helpful, data entry knowledge preferred.

Call 699-0846, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. Weekdays only.

FRIENDS CONVENIENCE STORE

is now hiring for graveyard shifts 10:30 to 6:30. Interviews will be March 16th, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. 610 Andrews Hwy. Former applicants need not apply.

NEED EXTRA CASH to pay off bills? Try Avon- easy to start. Call Jasmine today at 699-5628.

CONSTRUCTION WORKERS
Several entry-level jobs open. Good pay and benefits. Must be 18-25, high school diploma graduate and willing to relocate to job site. Lay your foundation for your future today by calling 1-800-354-9627, Monday-Friday, 9 AM - 4 PM.

MECHANIC: Experienced on diesel & gas, light & heavy trucks. Also detroit experience helpful. Must have own tools. Must have current Texas drivers license. Permanent position. Salary DOE. Apply in person at 4309 NCR 1130.

POSITION AVAILABLE for front desk clerk. Apply in person at West Wind Motel 3808 W. Wall.

WAREHOUSE STARTING POSITION for garage door carrier. Welding, painting, sheet metal and warehouse experience a plus. Heavy lifting required, high school diploma benefits, salary DOE. Apply at 707 S. Colorado.

THE HAMPTON Inn is accepting applications for full time and part time desk clerk and full time breakfast hostess. Must be dependable. No experience necessary but good work references required. Apply in person only, 3904 W. Wall.

DELIVERY drivers needed for local area. Own vehicle needed. Flexible hours. Call between 10 - 3. 684-6627.

NEED extra money. Try telemarketing. No experience needed. Will train. Flexible hours. Top wages. Call between 10 - 3. 684-6627.

TELEMARKETERS NEEDED. Experienced preferred. Will train. Full/ Part - time positions available. Cash paid daily. 570-7002.

DEPENDABLE and honest person to help in cleaning residential homes. Call 520-6401.

MIDLAND Child Care Center, now taking applications for teachers. Experience preferred. Apply at 3701 Andrews Highway.

311 Medical Help Wanted

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST needed for a physicians office who has experience in all phases of operation of a doctors office, including insurance, filing and collections. Send replies to BOX D-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SECRETARY RECEPTIONIST full time needed for Physicians office, prior experience beneficial. Send replies to BOX F-03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

STATE approved Home Health Aid and Nursing Home Aid course starting April 6. For more information call Companion Care 550-4101, 366-2525.

NEEDED Texas certified nurses aids. Institutional cook with some experience preferred. Come by 2800 N. Midland Dr.

HYGIENIST NEEDED.
Are you an energetic people person? If you are, you just might be the person we are looking for to become part of our dedicated dental team. We are a fast paced, two doctor practice which prides itself on team work and a warm caring approach toward our patients. Send resume to Midland Dental Clinic, 3001 W. Illinois, Suite 1A, Midland Texas 79701.

DOCTOR'S OFFICE needs part time insurance clerk. Send replies to BOX G-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

311 Medical Help Wanted

INSURANCE/ ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE CLERK
Opening for experienced Insurance/ Accounts Receivable clerk with 2 years experience must be a self starter. Dedicated, to following thru with the collection process. Send resume to BOX F-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

312 Professional Help Wanted

WANTED: Experienced electronic technician familiar with analog, digital, circuitry. Send resume to 808 W. Indiana, Midland, Texas, 79703.

NEED qualified centrifugal/ reciprocating pump mechanic. Must be proficient with seal replacement impeller and coupling alignment. Requires some out of town work. Send resume to P.O. Box 248 Gardendale Tx 79758.

PETROLEUM ENGINEER
Midland Independent Oil & Gas Producer needs a Petroleum Engineer with 8 plus years experience in planning & conducting drilling & production operations, reserve estimates, workover analysis and general oilfield troubleshooting. Permanent position requires versatile adaptable individual with good work record, good attitude & excellent communication skills, some supervisory experience and PC application helpful. Send resume in strict confidence to

PERSONNEL MANAGER
BOX F-13
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

EXPERIENCED Purchasing agent, materials selector, coordinator and logistics specialist needed for small, lean, aggressive Midland firm, active in oil & gas operations and other enterprises. Applicant should have expertise in equipment sizing and selection, familiarity with local vendors and services, ability to work on multiple projects at the same time, and a positive Can-Do Attitude. Strong technical background or engineering degree would be helpful and ability to use personal computer is required. Full - time job requires service as engineering technician, inventory agent, maintenance supervisor and numerous other task part of the time. In short, we need a Jack-Of-All-Trades who is willing & able to learn new ones. If interested send resume to

BOX F-12
Midland Reporter-Telegram
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STAFF Psychologist position open; supervised practicum experience and/ or training in Psychometrics; Masters degree in psychology; EEO. Contact Jo at TX REHAB COMM, 419 W. 4th #701, Odessa or 333-3201. 8 to 5. Position closes 3/ 25/ 92 at 5 PM.

REPORTER
Daily Southeastern New Mexico newspaper seeks experienced Police Court Reporter, to compliment a talented hardworking news team.
Must have strong organizational skills, and a devotion to accuracy and fairness, bilingual a plus. Send cover letter, resume and clips by March 25,
P.O. Box 860
Hobbs, NM 88241-4556

316 Clerical Help Wanted

TEMPORARY RESOURCES
Needs experienced
office workers NOW!!!
Call 684-0527.

WORD PROCESSING OPERATORS. Manpower Temporary Services currently has long and short term assignments available. 697-3773.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

V.I.P. TEMPORARIES. Call for Temp. or permanent jobs available now! No Fees. 686-9722.

Word Processing
Temporary Assignments
TEMP TIME 687-1545

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INDEPENDENT OIL company needs aggressive, hard working person experienced with word processing, typing and filing. Must be dependable. Send resume with salary requirements to BOX F-05 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

CLERICAL position for a small company. Temporary possibly working into permanent position. Bookkeeping knowledge and typing skills a plus. High school graduate. Salary $900 to $1,000 per month. DOE. Parking furnished, non smoker only. Send resume to BOX F-07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SECRETARY/ ADMINISTRATIVE Assistant position open at Petroleum Museum. Must have knowledge of WordPerfect 5.0, and Lotus 1-2-3. Need someone to maintain membership services, reports and general office work. Fill out application at 1500 I-20 West, between 9 to 5, Monday thru Friday.

320 Sales Help Wanted

TURN YOUR TIME INTO MONEY!
America's leader in home warranty sales seeks individual with strong ties to real estate community to act as an independent contractor. Must have own transportation.
Contact Suzan Bush
9 - 5 at 1-800-441-1196.

LABORATORY SALESMAN
Experienced, self motivated core analysis/analytical laboratory salesman needed for well established local petroleum company.
Send resume to:
General Manager
P.O. Box 2988
Midland, Texas 79702

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AUTOMOTIVE SALES CAREER
If you're aggressive, trainable and present a professional appearance apply in person at Village Lincoln Mercury Dodge, 3915 W. Wall Midland Tx. We offer: Bonuses, great commissions, vacations, training, promotion opportunities.

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PART time sales position. Need honest aggressive person with knowledge of local businesses. Base salary plus commission. Must provide own vehicle. Send replies to BOX G 01 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

TELEVISION ACCOUNT executive, minimum 2 years experience. Must have a good track record in sales. Verifiable references. Contact Sales Manager 337-8301. EOE.

320 Situations Wanted

SUPPORT PERSON experienced on AP, AR, & Oil & Gas, JIB's accounting seeking employment Monday - Friday. 686-3396.

EXPERIENCED Private sitter for elderly. Your home, hospital or nursing home. Certified Aide. 689-0545.

INDIVIDUAL with 26 years experience in production, land, oil & gas regulatory, seeking contract employment by hour or assignment. Please call 686-3396 Monday - Friday.

335 Adult Care

QUALITY HOME CARE provided at reasonable rates. 24 Hour service and hourly rates available. 520-4425.

LOVING care home for elderly. Room, board, laundry, and maid service provided on daily basis or permanent basis. Call 687-2533.

NICE PRIVATE HOME for elderly, 24 hour care. Personal/ doctor's referrals. Reasonable rates. Transportation. 697-1810.

340 Child Care Needed

WANTED BABYSITTER in Midland, in my home. Five days a week, carefree young child. References. Own transportation. 366-8269.

DEPENDABLE ADULT needed for full time child care of small infant in my home. References required. 687-5752.

341 Child Care Providers

RAINBOW CHRISTIAN DAY CARE 1009 W. Missouri. Age 2 weeks thru 12 years. 6:30 AM to 7:30 PM. 683-5161.

BABYSITTING in my home, any hours/ ages. References. S. Co. Rd. 1206 (Off Midkiff). 697-3015.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

Christian mother would like to babysit in my home. Snacks, meals furnished. References provided. 520-7527.

QUALITY CHILD CARE- flexible hours, reasonable rates, drop ins welcome. Meals and snacks provided. 699-6429.

MAYNARD CHILD CARE has openings 0- 5 years. Preschool curriculum. Financial aid available. 687-1509.

REGISTERED Home has opening for infant - 6 years. Snacks, meals furnished. References upon request. Reasonable rates. Drop by 2304 W. College.

CHILD CARE in Christian home, lunch and snacks provided, planned activities. Call 699-4534.

LOVING, patient, non- smoker, wants to care for children in her home. Located off Loop 250, Saddle Club Apartments. Infants $1 per hour, 8 months and up $1.50, can set rates weekly. Call Sherri 686-8446.

350 Business Opportunities

WESTERN Schools is offering classes to obtain/ update your real estate license; locally owned, 682-4045.

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FOR YOUR PROTECTION:
Before investing in any Business Opportunity we recommend that you check with an attorney and the Better Business Bureau of the Permian Basin.

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CHILDREN'S clothing store in Odessa for sale. Excellent condition, excellent location. For inquires call 550-4351 Ext. 777.

REAL ESTATE OPPORTUNITY. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings, Southwest College, 683-4555.

EXCELLENT Small Business Opportunity. For Sale: Established Childrens Resale Shop in Midland. Call 694-0991.

SNACK Bar for sale: Fully equipped, fully stocked. Bar-be-que pit with smoker, on 14' trailer, fully equipped for catering. 683-3924, 697-4496.

GET cash today on your income tax refund check. No waiting. Bring 1040, W-2's, ID & SS card. 912 S. Garfield, Midland.

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30-60 K POTENTIAL

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Call (405) 495-2200.

SAVE & MAKE $$$$. Dr. Pat Robertson leads Christian company with benefits and services. Information call 689-7766.

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400 Auctions
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420 Good Things To Eat
430 Household Goods
440 Firewood
450 Sporting Goods
460 Antiques & Art
470 Musical Instruments
475 Crafts & Supplies
480 Cameras & Supplies
485 Radios, Stereo & TV
490 Computers & Access.
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510 Office Supplies
520 Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
530 Air Cond. & Heating
540 Building Materials
550 Portable Buildings
560 Machinery & Tools
570 Oilfield Supplies
580 Farm Equipment

400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG Auctioneering. Business liquidations, restaurant/ farm equipment, (915)561-5133.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

QUEEN waterbed, living, dining, bedroom furniture. Guaranteed appliances. Chevy pickups, 1962 classic, $4,900, 1959 antique, $3,700, 1967 Pontiac car, $500, lawnmowers, tractor. 570-4851.

WANTED: Your good quality spring and summer, nearly new men's clothing, accessories for consignment at Gentlemen's Agreement. Also accept golf clubs, other sporting goods, furniture, antiques. 3303 N. Midkiff, San Miguel Square, 689-9340.

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

AIR TANK for truck bed, hand welded, holds Approximately 100# air, excellent condition, $75. 688-7190.

SOLOFLEX with attachments, $850. Excersize bicycle $75. Stairstepper $50. New sewing machine $150. 520-5026.

TWO Niches, side by side, (for Cremated remains), Resthaven Mausoleum: choice eye level location. 682-7258.

9' FRENCH Atrium door, never installed, still in crate. Sell at discounted price. Call 524-6925.

BIRD HOUSES $10 to $40, Purple Martins and Bluebirds arriving now. Call 697-9431.

FOR SALE: ladies gold nugget wedding ring set, $250. Call 694-4129, after 5.

GREENTREE Country club full membership, includes all activities, $500. 689-3406.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

PORCELAIN and Tin Advertising signs for sale. Call 694-3760, after 5:30.

DO IT YOURSELF: Complete LUME Nailcare system, $150 or best offer. 687-2676.

BOOKCASES, new $30. Porch swings, new $30. Doghouses, new $30- $40. Call 563-0452.

TWO TANNING BEDS Wolff, one German, one American. $2,500 a piece, will negotiate. Call 684-4212 or 694-4065.

HOT SPRINGS Spa, 4 persons, $3,600 or best offer. Call 685-3306, after 6 pm.

STAINLESS steel 8' prep table, microwave, safe, showcase, cash register, TV monitors, lighting, 689-0650/ 694-9491.

14 K GOLD hoops, diamond cut, 1¼ inch diameter. New. $110 value, only $55. Call 683-4531.

5 SPANISH STYLING STATIONS for sale, 1 floor mat. Call after 5:30. 687-2827.

410 Miscellaneous

REPO SPAS 2 to choos... Morgan 563-1807.

PIN BALL machine Sk... $350. Lucky Ducky Egg ... machine, $300. Both in ... condition. Call after 6, 69...

GEORGE STRAIT tickets ... floor and lower balcony ... cards accepted. 1-800-92...

BARGAINS ON rebuilt ... cleaners. Rankin Highw... Market every Saturday ... day. 550-7000.

NEW IN BOX Sears Best ... door opener will swap fo... nearly new lawn mow... grass catcher. 697-1549.

TWO CEMETERY Lots ... Resthaven Memorial Par... tain Garden Lot 697, Spa... Next to walkway $1,0... 0886, Midland.

SEARS Craftman lawnm... Hp, 22" cut, self propell... bagger with bag. $125... 687-1849.

415 Miscellaneous W...

GUITARS WANTED: O... usual, any condition, lo... tor. 682-3929, leave m...

WANTED: Your spring ... mer good quality, ne... men's clothing, access... consignment at Ge... Agreement. Also acc... clubs, other sporting goo... ture, antiques. 3303 N... San Miguel Square, 6...

WOULD like to purcha... fabricated home. Appr... 1600 sq. ft. 915-754-5...

SOUTHWEST AIRLINES ... NY CLUB AWARDS tic... pay top dollar. Call ... 687-5039.

420 Good T...

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GARDENDALE PECAN ... ing. Custom shelling a... sales. FM 554 Gardena... 366-9793.

430 House G...

NEED good used furnit... sell & trade used furni... appliances. Rowe's New... 1211 S. Big Spring. 6...

BUY AND sell good, u... ture, appliances, etc. ... mesa Road Furniture, 14... mesa Rd. - 570-0223.

WANTED Good Used ...

CONSIGNMENT EMP... Now open at 3504 W... (Former Aladdin House... Thurs.-Sat. 10 to 6, Sun... 520-0122.

50 Years combined ex... to serve you.

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New Shipments Have ... Shop while selections ... 15 new living room suit... and glass items and ... Used items available: el... gas ranges, refrigerat... units, wheel chair, stro...

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600 E. Florida

USED WASHERS & D... Sell, Buy, Trade 30 Day ... tee. 694-5350.

INSTANT cash for your ... or non-working washer... ers. Call 1-337-3830.

GE STOVE and refrig... drawer metal desk, be... eight 14" tires. 520-50...

FOR sale: Central refrig... unit, complete. 2 ev... coolers, downdraft. 1 ... er. 561-0105 leave me...

LIVING room furniture ... lamps and wall units. 6...

BLUE SOFA, loveseat, ... sleeper sofa (ripped), ... $250. Round dinette tab... stools $75. 2 Twin be... with box springs $75 ... dresser, night stand $2... 699-7035.

SOFA & LOVESEAT, li... and sea foam green, n... tion, extra nice $900. ... 683-7834.

REFRIGERATOR - Whirl... cubic feet. White, textu... $350. Love seat and s... pretty, rose colored $5... 1182.

SLEEPER SOFA: Queen ... hill, camelback, we... blue, like new, $475. ...

WE need good used ... We pay extra. Call D... and Used for estimate. ... Illinois. 697-4847.

STAINLESS Steel, dou... sink with delta faucet ... sprayer and all connect... 688-7196.

MAPLE FINISH, Early ... coffee table. Solid wo... 688-6734.

BERKLINE Rocker Reclin... velvet upholstery. $75. ... 697-8090.

SEARS best trash c... crushes aluminum cans ... you live in the count... 697-4020.

DINETTE table with fo... new upholstery on ch... Call 694-0585.

NAVY BLUE leather ... italian leather, excelle... tion. Call 1-523-6... Andrews.

CATALINA CLOTHES ... $50, white, for sale. Go... ing condition. Please c... 694-8220.

8' x 11' LOVELY Aubus... soft pastels, $950. 12 ... ting Holly Ribbon christ... with completer set, $3... 682-0686.

LIKE NEW, electric wa... dryer, $100 each. ... Holloway. 682-4140.

3 INDIAN VASES WITH ... tea cart, couch and ... large mirror with bevel... (unusual shape), Co... lamp, 2 matching lbmp... table (never been use... 684-3953.

QUEEN WATERBED, ... with side rails and she... Call PJ 686-9309 or ... 686-2227.

QUEEN size bedroom ... can, $350. Tradition... sleeper sofa. $200. ... desk with hutch $75.

GREEN, HEAVY DUTY ... desk, excellent conditio... matching chair $250. ... 520-6109.

2 COMPLETE W... Queen size, $125 ea... Console television, ne... make offer. 686-7976.

O'KEEFE & Merritt ... Clock, salt & pepper, ... down top, grill, broi... 694-0258.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

REPO SPAS 2 to choose from. Morgan 563-1807.

PIN BALL machine Skate Ball $350. Lucky Ducky Egg vending machine, $300. Both in excellent condition. Call after 6, 697-1387.

GEORGE STRAIT tickets for sale, floor and lower balcony. Credit cards accepted. 1-800-926-2025.

BARGAINS ON rebuilt vacuum cleaners. Rankin Highway Flea Market every Saturday and Sunday. 550-7000.

NEW IN BOX Sears Best garage door opener will swap for new or nearly new lawn mower with grass catcher. 697-1549.

TWO CEMETERY Lots for Sale: Resthaven Memorial Park. Fountain Garden Lot 697, Spaces 1-2. Next to walkway. $1,000. 685-0886, Midland.

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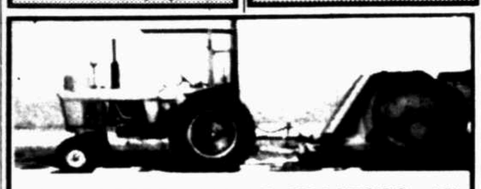

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1712 English Drive. $250 monthly, $100 deposit. 2 bedroom, call Jose 687-0924 or Kathy 682-1463.

NORTHWEST Midland. Excellent condition. Three bedroom, two full baths, spa. 4717 Preston Drive. $750 monthly, $400 deposit. 699-6738.

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To see these properties make appointment with Clemmie Sorge at RE/MAX, 682-8820.

2 BEDROOM, 1½ bath duplex for rent. Near Midland College. Call 682-5037.

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507 S. 'H' nice 1 bedroom, appliances and water furnished, $225 monthly. $100 deposit. 683-8260.

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645 Condos and Townhouses Furn. & Unfurn.

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TWO ROOM, Midland Executive Center, $120. Contact Beverly Vaughan, 686-2008.

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