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Two men burned in tank explosion

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Two 21-year-old Big Spring men who were sealing leaks inside a 750-fiberglass separating tank were critically burned Saturday afternoon when the empty tank exploded south of Midland.

Injured were Don Waltenbaugh and Jesse Flores.

Both were airlifted to Lubbock General Hospital moments after being rushed to Midland Memorial Hospital by Midland Fire Department ambulance and by private car.

Waltenbaugh and Flores suffered second- and third-degree burns over 70 percent of their bodies. They were listed in critical condition late Saturday night in the hospital's Burn Intensive Care Unit, according to a hospital spokesman in Lubbock.

The explosion and fire occurred at a seven-tank brine disposal battery operated by Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. in the Spraberry Field 4½ miles south of Interstate Highway 20 and just off Cotton Flat Road.

Waltenbaugh and Flores — employees of Round-up Tank Inc. which manufactures fiberglass oil-field tanks in Big Spring — were using rosin and volatile chemicals in repairing leaks in the tank when gases exploded.

The tank was torn away at its base and thrown southeastward onto a one-ton Round-up Tank truck parked alongside the battery of tanks.

Parker & Parsley, which develops oil fields and produces and operates oil wells, had contracted with Round-Up Tank to make repairs in the 750-barrel tank.

Parker & Parsley had purchased the battery of tanks from Round-Up Tank.

The gun-barrel tank recently was installed along with the battery of brine tanks, according to Danny Kellum, Parker & Parsley's district operations manager and a petroleum engineer.

Brine, pumped from producing wells in the area, is pumped to the tank battery, where any residual oil is salvaged from the brine water, which then is pumped into a non-producing well at the site.

"The fireball didn't last too long," said Kellum. "It was more of an explosion."

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Angelo: Robertson has chance to sweep Texas Super Tuesday

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Texas Republicans are whistling Dixie as they try to figure out whether Pat Robertson can duplicate his Iowa surprise next month in the Lone Star State primary.

One thing the GOP can be sure of is that the former television evangelist — who recorded a surprisingly strong second-place finish behind Kansas Sen. Robert Dole and ahead of Vice President George Bush in last week's Iowa precinct caucus — is a force to be reckoned with.

Former Midland Mayor and Republican National Committeeman Ernest Angelo believes Robertson has an excellent chance of sweeping Texas and Midland County, where he has spent considerable more time campaigning than any other GOP candidate.

"He's got a lot of people working for him who are dedicated and committed...So, I would not underestimate his ability to bring out the vote," Angelo said. "Whether it will be enough to be a majority, I think it's way too early to say."

Robertson gained nearly a quarter of the Republican vote in Iowa, outpolling Bush by fewer than 7,000 votes. Dole has said that showed Robertson can pull people out to the caucuses, but that he will be less formidable in the presidential primaries.

"People are concerned whether Pat will be a player in the Republican Party in Texas," said Everett Bender, the candidate's regional field director in Big Spring. "He recognizes one man can't change the world, so he's building a grass-roots organization nationwide to keep the heat on our elected officials even after the election is over."

Angelo said Republicans ought to welcome Robertson newcomers aboard the GOP bandwagon in anticipation of August, when they hope to emerge from the New Orleans convention united behind a nominee.

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Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Newlyweds Jimmy Stovall, 80, and his wife, Neta, 77, say they have found "real" love in their autumnal marriage. Stovall is pastor at South Memorial Baptist Church.

Elderly couple find 'real' love second time around

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

Real love, says 80-year-old newlywed Jimmy Stovall, is the most powerful thing in the world.

Puppy love, he continued is "hasty...spasmodic" and not a good foundation for marriage.

But it only took Stovall three months to fall in "real" love with wife Neta, 77 — somewhere between their first date at Green's Restaurant in October and their Jan. 30 trip down the aisle.

The best definition of Stovall's brand of love, he said, is found in the classic biblical passage, I Corinthians 13:4-7.

"Love is patient...," he began. "...and kind; love is not jealous or boastful; it is not arrogant or rude. Love does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Prior to falling in love with Neta, Stovall said he had been losing a battle with depression.

The 1987 holiday season was growing near and it was the first anniversary of his first wife's death. He recalled he was grim and desolate.

"I was grabbing at a straw I guess...looking for companionship," he said of why he first asked Neta out. "I guess we were lonesome. We understood each other."

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Dukakis attacks Gephardt's acceptance of PAC donations

GOFFSTOWN, N.H. (AP) — Democratic presidential front-runners Michael Dukakis and Richard Gephardt swapped charges and drew fire from their campaign rivals Saturday in a high-voltage debate reflecting the importance of Tuesday's lead-off New Hampshire primary.

Gephardt, the narrow winner in Monday night's Iowa caucuses, apologized to Sen. Albert Gore Jr. for profane remarks made by his campaign manager.

But when Gephardt complained that commercials being run by Paul Simon's campaign were "over the line," he was brought up short by Gore.

"What Paul Simon has done is simply to spell out the record. And you ought to respond to the substance... rather than taking it personally," said the Tennessee senator.

Dukakis, the runaway front-runner in the polls for next week's primary, came out swinging with an attack on Gephardt's acceptance of contributions from political action committees and his call for an oil import fee. But then he was forced to field criticism from Gary Hart and former Arizona Gov. Bruce Babbitt, both men struggling for survival in the presidential race.

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The Rev. Jesse Jackson sought to play peacemaker, urging his rivals to address the issues rather than engaging in a game of "how bruised I am."

It was Babbitt who spoke most frankly about the importance of New Hampshire where he said voters have the "power of life and death over my candidacy."

In a bid to attract voters from the audience watching the debate on Cable News Network, the Gore campaign aired a 30-second commercial within a half hour of the conclusion of the event.

The candidates exchanged barbs from the very beginning in a reflection of the struggle for survival that the New Hampshire primary has become. They spent only a few moments at mid-debate criticizing the Reagan administration.

Hart and Babbitt continually chided the top-three in Iowa for failing to provide specific proposals, Hart complaining that Dukakis didn't have an energy policy or a budget plan either. "Where's the beef?" he asked, in a reprise of the line that Walter F. Mondale used effectively against him in the 1984 race.

"You don't know anything about" putting together a budget, replied Dukakis, who has served as governor of Massachusetts for 10 years and has said that now is not the time to deliver a detailed federal spending plan.

"And what is your energy policy?" Hart said. "I haven't heard a Dukakis policy yet."

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After looking around country, couple settles on Midland



George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Jim and Jane George enjoy the open spaces and security of Midland by walking for exercise.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a three-part series of profiles on older Midlanders who have chosen the Tall City as their retirement home. They are typical of the kinds of people being reached by the Midland/Odessa Health & Retirement Endeavor.

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Assistant Business/Oil Editor

Two of Midland's newest residents are also two of its biggest boosters. Jim and Jane George moved to Midland during a hectic week the middle of last October.

Although the events in the back yard of a house on Tanner Drive in the southwest part of town would focus the world's attention on Midland, the Georges had already decided, after much research, that the Tall City was for them.

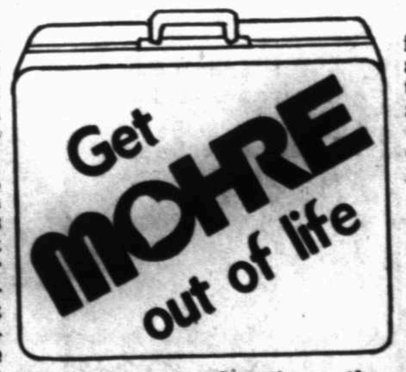
"In a little more than two years, we visited 40 states and looked everywhere from Kalispell, Mont., to Orlando, Fla., and from San Diego to Portland, Maine," recalls Jim.

Using Rand-McNally's Retirement Places Rated book as a guide, the couple — both retired from the real estate business — devised their own criteria and set out to find a community that was just right for them.

When they initially left Ruidoso, N.M., in Sept. 1985, they thought Sun City West, Ariz., was the answer. As antique car buffs, the Georges first visited the Arizona community for an auto auction at the Sun City auditorium, which is billed as the largest single level auditorium in the county. "That, along with the climate, are the two biggest drawing cards for Sun City West," Jane said.

The Georges found that the retirement community "was not what we wanted," Jim said. "The activities and social life were too structured, and the people were all very much alike."

"We feel too young for that," said Jane. The Georges prefer the variety of a heterogeneous community with children, young adults and people their own age. "Out there, the churches didn't even have a nursery," she added. "I like going to the store and seeing a variety of people."



Among the new locations the couple considered when they were looking to leave Arizona was Asheville, N.C. They even looked at real estate there, but decided that being nearer the middle of the country was better for inveterate travelers like themselves.

Their years in Ruidoso had familiarized Jim and Jane with West Texas and southeastern New Mexico, so they began considering cities in this area.

For several reasons, "Midland and Odessa stood out from the crowd," Jim said.

"The availability of inexpensive housing is an important consideration for many retirees who are on fixed incomes," Jane added.

"We saw better buys here than in Hobbs or San Angelo," said Jim.

Midland has other advantages over those cities in addition to economics, they said. Compared to San Angelo and Abilene, Midland is less crowded and is better connected to the world.

"Midland's airport and access to interstate highways are both superior," Jim said. Also, the Georges say that towns with air bases seem to have more traffic and appear more crowded.

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Candidates plunge into last-minute campaigning

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CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — Presidential candidates plunged Saturday into the final weekend of campaigning before New Hampshire's do-or-die primary, with Democrats staging a spirited debate and Republican Sen. Bob Dole encountering hecklers from opposition camps.

Dole, locked in a tight race in New Hampshire with Vice President George Bush, was campaigning at a shopping mall in Bedford when he found himself surrounded by chanting supporters of Bush and Rep. Jack Kemp.

The scene quickly became a shouting contest with sign-waving supporters from the three campaigns vying for attention. The shouting continued in the parking lot after Dole's motorcade departed.

Meanwhile, an ABC News-Washington Post poll showed Bush and Dole locked in a tie for the lead in New Hampshire's Republican primary, each with 29 percent. Kemp, Pat Robertson and former Delaware Gov. Pete du Pont were tied for third with 12 percent. The poll put Dukakis at 40 percent with Gephardt and Simon each with 16 percent on the Democratic side.

The poll was based on interviews with 375 likely Democratic primary voters and 373 likely Republican primary voters over three days ending Friday. The poll had a margin of error of plus or minus five percentage points for the Democrats and six percentage points for the Republican sample.

At his first campaign stop of the day, Gephardt, the winner in Iowa last Monday, warned his rivals — particularly Simon — that negative campaigning now could hurt the party's chance to win the presidency.

"We're not going to win this if we're brawling in the mud," said Gephardt, who has been the target of Simon commercials focusing on the Missouri congressman's votes in favor of the B-1 bomber and nuclear power.

Kemp of New York, whose candidacy hinges on the support of New Hampshire Republican voters on Tuesday, unveiled a new television commercial attacking Dole for not being effective enough in the fight to get congressional approval of aid to the Nicaraguan Contras.

Kemp spokesman John Buckley described Dole as "relatively passive on the issue" of Contra aid.

When the congressman was asked if his candidacy could survive a finish behind Robertson on Tuesday, he replied: "He's not going to beat me in New Hampshire."

Dog sled races in Laconia drew Kemp, Bush and Dukakis, while du Pont went rummaging for votes at the Bedford town dump.

Noticing campaign workers for Dole and Bush passing out literature at the dump, which attracts 400 to 500 people on a Saturday, du Pont said, "Here's a real candidate."

Dukakis, at an appearance in Dover, shrugged off criticism in a Gephardt television commercial that called him "one of the biggest tax raisers in Massachusetts history."

"I've cut taxes five times in the last four years," Dukakis said, adding that he did not want to see the Democrats letting themselves "disintegrate into the kind of backyard squabbling that Bush and Dole have been involved in."

Robertson toured shopping malls on the seacoast, shaking hands and telling people, "I need some help on Tuesday."

The former evangelist told reporters, "It's a horserace all the way, and I think we might see some surprises come Tuesday night. But the momentum is on my side right now and that's the good way to be at this stage."

Bush appeared at a high school in Wolfeboro with Gov. John H. Sununu and Hall of Fame baseball player Ted Williams and was on the offensive against Dole.

In addition to his campaigning, Robertson was the candidate featured this weekend in the televised interviews by David Frost, part of the series called, "The Next President."

Asked about Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi, the former television evangelist said, "I wouldn't have hesitated to kill him. He's a madman and he was a terrorist."

Newspaper says Robertson failed to back up stories

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — Republican presidential candidate Pat Robertson has canceled interviews and ducked questions when asked to back up anecdotes he's told, including one about a woman who caught AIDS by kissing her impotent husband, a newspaper reported Saturday.

The Concord Monitor said the former television evangelist also has failed to document assertions he knows a little girl in Pittsburgh whose reading level soared from second to seventh grade in 20 days under a money-saving program to improve reading skills.

The newspaper said it has asked Robertson and his staff for documentation, but details have not been produced and interviews have been canceled.

The newspaper said it asked for details after an AIDS expert, concerned with Robertson's remarks, said acquired immune deficiency syndrome is spread through sex, blood or needles and mother to infant.

Robertson said Saturday the story about the woman catching AIDS "was a news story gathered by our news department."

"It was strictly off the wire reports but was gathered when we did a series on my television program dealing with this subject," Robertson said.

Robertson's staff has not identified the girl whom the candidate has cited as an example of an inexpensive method of improving children's reading skills, the Monitor said.

All of the stories are "verifiable," Robertson said. "We gave them the names of who to check. Every one of them is true."

"Three weeks ago, the Monitor asked for documentation of the AIDS case, the account of the little girl and two other anecdotes Robertson has used in interviews," the newspaper said.

"Aides offered names of people they believed could substantiate two of the anecdotes; at best, their comments offered partial support. In the other two instances, the staff provided no documentation, and people contacted by the Monitor said the stories were unlikely.

"Initially, staff members said they would respond to the Monitor's request for documentation. Last week, they recommended asking Robertson himself. Campaign aides arranged two interviews this week; both were canceled.

"Stopped in an elevator in the Statehouse on Thursday, Robertson said, 'I haven't got time for that, really. That's background.'

"Robertson missed a third interview, by telephone, arranged by his staff for later Thursday night," the newspaper said.

The newspaper said that Friday, Marc Nuttle, Robertson's campaign manager, said the examples were taken from segments of the 700 Club, a program on Robertson's Christian Broadcasting Network, but he did not know how producers who worked on the stories could be reached.

Regarding AIDS by a kiss, the Monitor quoted Robertson from a December news conference: "I know one man who was impotent who gave AIDS to his wife and the only thing they did was kiss."

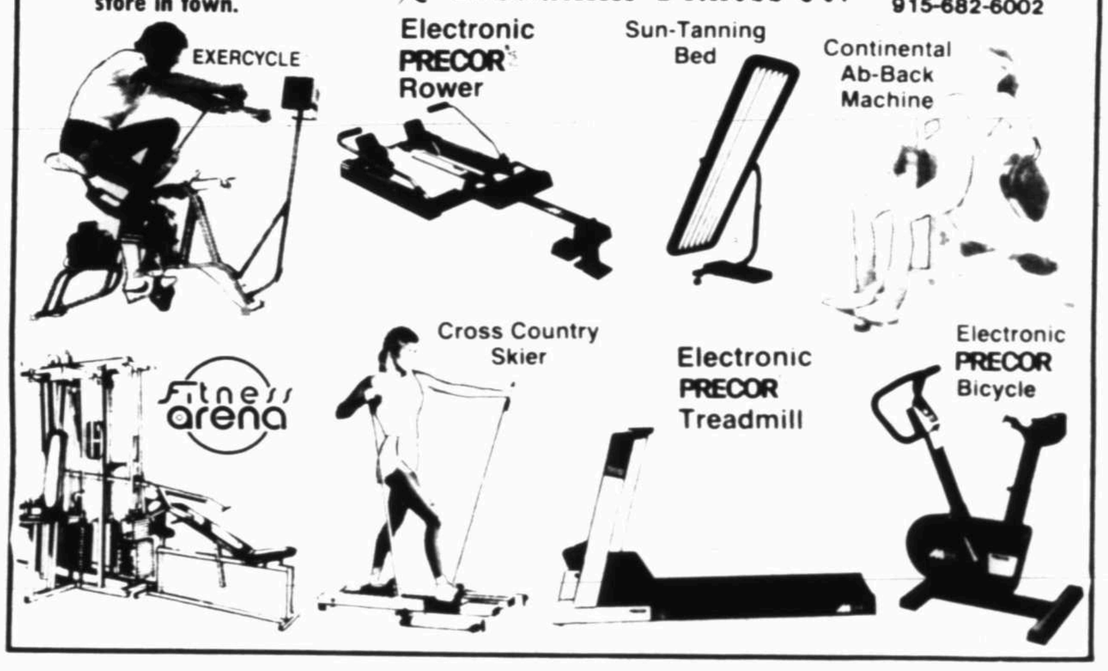
"In an earlier interview with the Monitor, Robertson said that if a person is 'in a room with 25 people with AIDS and they're breathing various things into the atmosphere, the chance of somebody catching it has become quite strong,' " the newspaper said.

The Monitor said Scott Hatch, a spokesman for Robertson, said that information was taken from a British medical report, "which he said he sent to the Monitor by overnight mail about a week ago. It did not arrive."


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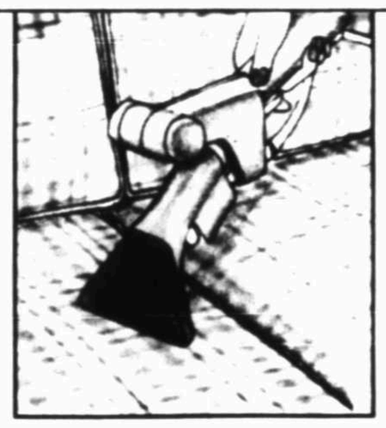
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Oil import fee debate adds fuel to candidates' fires

By DAVID TIRRELL-WYSOCKI

HANOVER, N.H. (AP) — Picture Republican presidential hopeful George Bush wearing a parka, a snow-covered mountain behind him, saying he does not want to raise your oil prices, but that those other candidates do.

Picture an elderly New Hampshire resident opening an envelope that says it contains important Social Security information and finding a letter from Jack Kemp's campaign criticizing GOP rivals Bob Dole and Bush.

Social Security and oil import fees have been hot topics in this New Hampshire presidential primary campaign, especially as the snow piled up and thermometers plunged.

Bush's New Hampshire chairman, Gov. John Sununu, has called the oil tax the single most important issue of the primary campaign. It may or may not have captured that title, but it has caused the fur to fly.

While Dole says "we can't close our eyes" to an oil import fee as part of an overall policy to balance the federal budget, one-time oilman Bush rejects the idea, calling it "a tax increase under another name."

But the vice president has taken a pounding from opponents, particularly Kemp and Dole, who point to an increase in oil prices after Bush went to the Middle East in 1986 to meet with Saudi King Fahd.

"George Bush told the Arabs to keep oil prices up," a voice on a Kemp television ad says. "And Bob Dole supports a tax increase on imported oil."

On the Democratic side, Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt and former Colorado Sen. Gary Hart are the strongest supporters of the oil tariff.

Gephardt likens it to a spoonful of cod liver oil that would be good for the nation while Hart says he would rather sacrifice money for higher oil prices than American lives in the Persian Gulf.

Supporters argue that a oil import tariff would encourage conservation, discourage American dependence on foreign imports and raise revenue. Opponents say the winner would be oil companies, not the federal treasury, and that the fee would hurt farmers and residents of northern states such as New Hampshire.

Domestic oil production has plummeted and many American wells were capped after oil prices collapsed in 1986. A House committee has estimated that a $5-per-barrel fee could raise $8 billion to $12 billion in revenues.

In New Hampshire, the state's Better Home Heat Council has been running a newspaper ad panning the oil fee, saying it would raise heating bills and cost jobs.

"An oil import fee would discriminate against New England consumers; it would raise very little net revenue for the government; it will do little or nothing for budget deficit reduction; and it will severely handicap U.S. industries in international competition," the group said in a release.

"Any candidate who supports oil import fees should respond to these inescapable conclusions."

When the candidates haven't been pointing fingers at one another on the issue of oil import fees, the subject often has been Social Security.

Kemp says Bush and Dole have voted to freeze Social Security benefits, while he "never has and never will." Dole and former Delaware Gov. Pete du Pont have attacked three House votes that they say show the New York congressman has indeed voted against Social Security.

The Dole and Bush vote that Kemp refers to came in 1985, when Dole voted in favor of a budget plan to curtail cost-of-living increases for recipients. Bush cast the tie-breaking vote for the plan.

And Kemp says du Pont and opponent Pat Robertson, who want to ease Social Security out of the government's hands, would destroy the system.

Kemp's opponents accuse him of using underhanded tactics, particularly the Social Security mailing that told voters Bush and Dole would "push to reduce future Social Security benefits."

"It's on the borderline of fair campaigning," Dole said. "It's deceptive. You're dealing with the fears of people."

Du Pont said voters should be wary of a candidate, like Kemp, "who tries to conceal his record."

Kemp defends his votes, saying they were not to cut existing benefits.

Religion issue echoes Kennedy campaign of '60

By ROBERT BARR

The returns were in, the candidate was on television and the anchorman wanted to talk about religion. Harsh words followed.

It was April 5, 1960, the night of the Wisconsin primary, and Walter Cronkite was asking John F. Kennedy about the impact of Roman Catholic voters. Kennedy answered coldly; his brother, the campaign manager, erupted afterwards.

"We had an agreement that no question be asked about Catholicism and the Catholic vote," Robert Kennedy shouted at Cronkite. "I'm going to see that you never get another interview!"

That incident, recalled by Arthur M. Schlesinger Jr. in his memoir of Robert Kennedy, reflected the tension generated by the religious issue in the 1960 campaign.

There were echoes of that moment earlier last week when Republican candidate Pat Robertson bristled at NBC anchorman Tom Brokaw's description of him as a "television evangelist."

Robertson, who has compared himself to Kennedy in some advertisements, contends that religious bias has dogged his campaign. "I shouldn't be disqualified because I'm a devout evangelical Christian," says Robertson, a religious broadcaster who resigned as a Southern Baptist minister before entering the race.

If Kennedy's campaign is a guide, Robertson cannot expect the issue to go away.

Kennedy's religion was a major concern before he entered the race, a big issue in the Wisconsin and West Virginia primaries, and arguably the most troublesome issue in the campaign against Republican Richard Nixon.

TO SOME Democratic leaders, even to Catholic Democratic leaders, Al Smith's defeat by Herbert Hoover in 1928 showed that a Roman Catholic could not be elected president.

At a time when bosses could still control a convention, however, Kennedy had to prove his electability in the primaries.

In Wisconsin, where 30 percent of the electorate was Catholic, Kennedy tried to soft-pedal the religious issue. He made no appeals for tolerance and no direct appeals for Catholic support. Priests invited to one campaign event were warned by a Kennedy advance man: "Fellows, please wear your sport shirts."

In his book, "Kennedy," Theodore Sorenson contended that the press played up the religious issue. The candidate was photographed meeting nuns but less attention was paid to other events, Sorenson complained, and people who attended Kennedy rallies were invariably asked about their religion.

Kennedy beat Sen. Hubert Humphrey in Wisconsin with 56 percent of the vote, but lost in all four predominantly Protestant districts. West Virginia, where only 5 percent of the residents were Catholic, became a critical test of his appeal to Protestants.

Kennedy entered the non-binding West Virginia primary largely on the strength of a Harris Poll in late 1959 which showed him with 70 percent of the vote.

By April, Humphrey led 60-40. The difference was that voters had learned that Kennedy was a Catholic.

Schlesinger recalled that Robert Kennedy decided that the issue had to be met head on.

"Once that is done and in Jack's speeches he gives answers to rational questions, then he must go on to show that there is something more important to those people than anything to do with religion," Schlesinger quoted Robert Kennedy as saying. "...It is simply food, family and flag in southern West Virginia."

AND FAITH. The religion issue "cropped up in every poll and press interview," wrote Sorenson, a Unitarian who was Kennedy's speech writer. "It gave rise to anti-Kennedy sermons in all kinds of pulpits. Even the Humphrey campaign song was sung to the tune of 'Give Me That Old-Time Religion'."

The Episcopal bishop of West Virginia said he could not accept a Catholic president. A Baptist minister circulated a bogus oath of the Knights of Columbus which spoke of Catholics warring against Protestants, Sorenson said.

Kennedy decided to highlight the issue in an address to the American Society of Newspaper Editors in Washington.

The only legitimate question about his religion, the candidate said, was whether he would defer in any way to ecclesiastical pressures or obligations that might conflict with the national interest.

"My answer was — and is — no," he said.

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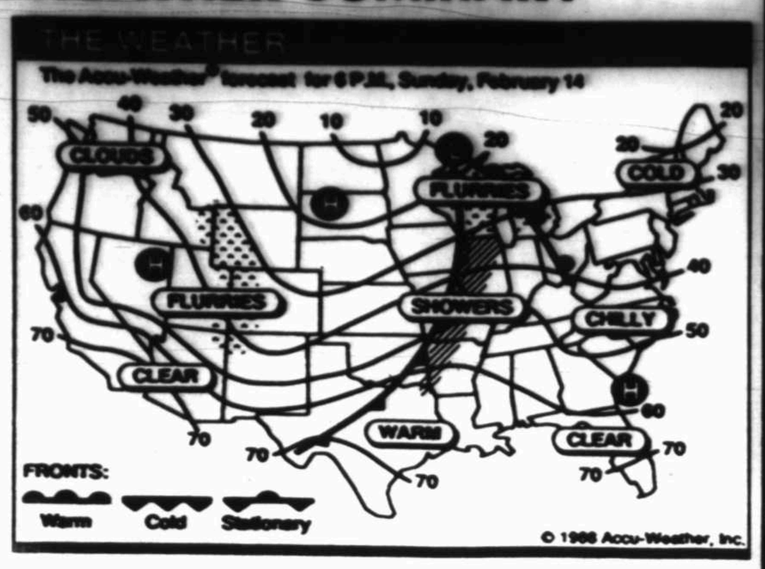
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Valentine's Day weather should be windy, warm

From Staff and Wire Reports

Today's sunny weather is to be visited by gusty winds.

The weatherman at the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport is calling for a high temperature today in the upper 70s and 10-to-20 mph westerly and northwesterly winds that are to become gusty by this afternoon.

For tonight, the weatherman is forecasting a low in the upper 20s. Monday's high is to be in the upper 50s.

Saturday's high temperature was 78 degrees, and the record high for a Feb. 13 is 80 degrees in 1957. The overnight low was 29 degrees, and the record low for a Feb. 14 is 13 degrees in 1982.

STATE

A low-pressure system over West Texas brought southerly winds to most of the state Saturday as Texans continued thawing out from last week's winter storm under sunny skies and warm temperatures.

Temperatures were mostly in the 60s and 70s under blue skies, although high clouds dotted southern and northern parts of the state, and a few low clouds produced by moisture from the Gulf of Mexico appeared along the Coastal Plains.

It should be partly cloudy Sunday with cooler temperatures returning to the Panhandle, but continued sunny and mild throughout most of the state. Highs should range from the 40s over the Panhandle to the 70s over South Texas.

Lows are expected in the 30s and 40s over West Texas and the 40s and 50s over North and South Texas.

NATION

A storm that had crossed much of the nation moved out of New England on Saturday after dumping up to 2 feet of snow, and elsewhere snow was scattered around the Great Lakes and over the mountains of the West.

Record lows Saturday included 12 at Greer, S.C., and 7 below zero at Rockford, Ill.

The storm that spread snow from Texas to Michigan in the middle of last week trailed out of Maine during the day with wind gusting to 30 to 40 mph and temperatures in the teens and 20s.

Snowfall totals included 22 inches at Brattleboro, Vt.; 25 inches in the western mountains of Maine; 17 at Lewiston, Maine; 15 inches at Albany, N.Y.; 13 inches in the Catskills at East Jewett, N.J.; and more than 2 feet in parts of southern Vermont, the National Weather Service said.

"Not a record-setter, but a pretty bad one," said meteorologist Art Lester in Maine.

The storm was blamed for 23 traffic deaths: five in Arkansas; four in Texas; three in Tennessee and Indiana; two each in New York and Pennsylvania; and one each in Kentucky, Michigan, Vermont and Maryland.

Wind gusted to 35 to 40 mph across western and northern New York state, and about an inch of snow had fallen at Rochester and Buffalo. Six inches to a foot was possible in localized squalls, forecasters said.

Wind-whipped snow in Utah contributed to a collision involving about 30 cars, a tractor-trailer rig and a horse trailer Saturday that closed southbound Interstate 15 at Point of the Mountain for two hours, police said.

Wind gusts to 51 mph were recorded on the southern end of the Great Salt Lake. In Wyoming, wind blew at 30 to 45 mph at Casper, and a gust of 62 mph was reported near Casper Mountain.

Snow and blowing snow advisories were posted for the northern and central mountains of Coloradom with up to 6 inches of snow expected.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Sunny today with a high in the lower 70s. Winds westerly and northwesterly at 10-20 mph and becoming gusty in the afternoon. Fair and colder tonight and Monday, with a low tonight in the upper 20s and a high Monday in the upper 50s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	78 degrees
Overnight Low	29 degrees
Sunset today	6:34 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:31 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.06 inches
Year to date	00.07 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 p.m.	70	6 a.m.	33
7 p.m.	60	7 a.m.	37
8 p.m.	52	8 a.m.	37
9 p.m.	44	9 a.m.	42
10 p.m.	47	10 a.m.	51
11 p.m.	42	11 a.m.	61
midnight	41	noon	66
1 a.m.	38	1 p.m.	71
2 a.m.	38	2 p.m.	74
3 a.m.	35	3 p.m.	77
4 a.m.	32	4 p.m.	77
5 a.m.	34	5 p.m.	77
		6 p.m.	75

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	75	31	
Alpine	73	32	
Amarillo	73	26	
Austin	70	36	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	66	32	
Beeville	73	36	
Brownsville	73	42	
Bryan-College Station	71	34	
Childress	80	27	
Corpus Christi	72	36	
Corpus Christi NAS	69	48	
Cotulla	77	37	
Dalhart	mm	mm	
Dallas	69	37	
Dallas NAS	72	40	
Del Rio	74	31	
El Paso	72	23	
Fort Worth	70	34	
Fort Worth Meacham	71	36	
Galveston	64	39	
Hondo	72	26	
Houston Hobby	68	34	
Houston Intcntl	71	33	
Junction	76	24	
Kingsville	76	34	
Lajitas	77	28	
Laredo	75	42	
Longview	68	32	
Lubbock	75	31	
Lufkin	69	27	
Marfa	73	15	
McAllen	76	42	
Midland-Odessa	78	29	
Mineral Wells	76	36	
Palacios	68	35	
Presidio	mm	mm	
San Angelo	79	33	
San Antonio	71	30	
Shreveport, La.	68	30	
Stephenville	74	36	
Texarkana	67	29	
Victoria	71	32	
Waco	71	32	
Wichita Falls	77	30	
Wink	80	26	

Counties forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Howard, Martin, Andrews, Glasscock, Gaines, Reagan, Borden and Dawson: Today, sunny, high in lower 70s with wind west to northwest 10 to 20 mph morning hours, increasing to 15 to 25 mph and gusty by mid afternoon. Lake wind advisories will be required. Tonight and Monday, mostly fair, colder, low in upper 20s and high mid 60s.

Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Coke: Today, sunny, high mid 70s with wind southwest 10 to 20 mph in the morning, increasing to 15 to 25 mph and gusty afternoon. Lake wind advisories will be required. Tonight and Monday, mostly fair, colder, low in lower 30s and high mid 60s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y	24	18	23	cdy
Albuquerque	66	27		clr
Asheville	32	13		cdy
Atlanta	46	23		cdy
Atlantic City	25	20	03	cdy
Baltimore	28	19		cdy
Billings	43	36		cdy
Bismarck	32	14		cdy
Boise	45	36		cdy
Boston	27	24	15	cdy
Buffalo	20	15	14	rn
Charleston,S.C	47	29		cdy
Charleston,W.Va	23	11	01	cdy
Chicago	19	-06		sn
Cleveland	20	07		rn
Columbia,S.C	45	22		cdy
Columbus,Ohio	18	03		rn
Dayton	15	-03		rn
Denver	64	34		clr
Detroit	23	11		sn
Duluth	11	-13		clr
Evansville	27	12		rn
Flagstaff	53	13		clr
Grand Rapids	22	09		sn
Great Falls	44	36		cdy
Hartford	32	21	26	cdy
Helena	40	27	02	cdy
Indianapolis	21	-04		rn
Jackson,Miss	66	25		rn
Kansas City	49	11		cdy
Las Vegas	75	38		clr
Los Angeles	75	52		clr
Louisville	24	11		rn
Memphis	46	12		rn
Milwaukee	18	01		sn
Nashville	34	17		rn
New Orleans	65	32		rn
New York City	26	19	07	cdy
Oklahoma City	71	31		clr
Orlando	80	40		cdy
Philadelphia	27	19	01	rn
Phoenix	78	50		clr
Portland,Ore	51	36	01	rn
Providence	27	24	06	cdy
Raleigh	36	20		cdy
Reno	56	36		clr
Richmond	33	20		cdy
Sacramento	67	42		clr
St Louis	33	15		cdy
San Antonio	71	30		cdy
San Francisco	69	47		clr
Shreveport	68	30		cdy
Sioux Falls	27	16		cdy
Syracuse	20	16	.07	rn
Tampa-St Ptrsbg	59	38		clr
Tucson	78	47		clr
Washington,D.C.	29	20		cdy
Wilkes-Barre	20	14	.01	rn

Texas area forecasts

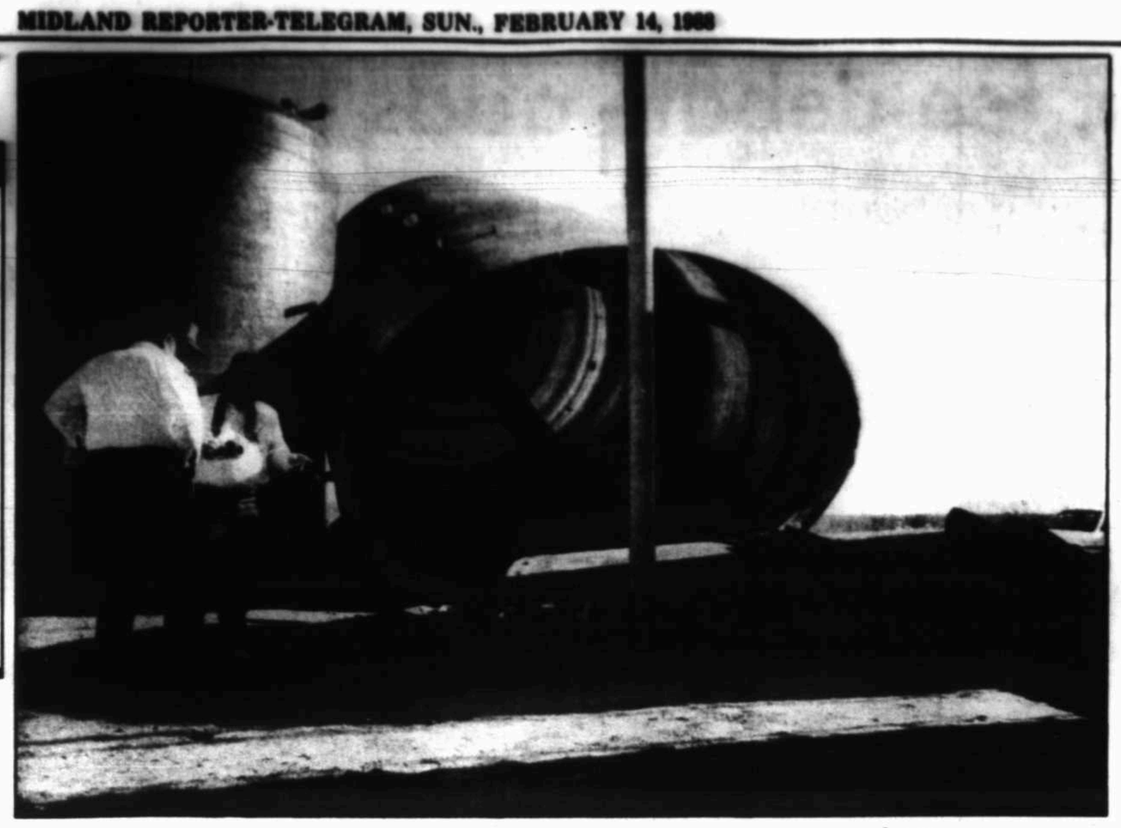
West Texas: Mostly fair nights, sunny days through Monday. Turning colder north Sunday and most areas Monday. Highs Sunday upper 40s panhandle to upper 70s big bend. Lows Sunday night lower 20s Panhandle and in the mountains to mid 30s Big Bend and far west. Highs Monday mostly in the 50s, except, mid 60s in Big Bend valleys.

North Texas: Mostly cloudy east and partly cloudy west Sunday, with a chance of thunderstorms east and a slight chance of thunderstorms central. Highs in the lower 60s northwest to the lower 70s southeast. Turning colder Sunday night and Monday. A slight chance of thunderstorms southeast Sunday evening. Lows Sunday night in the mid 20s northwest to the upper 30s southeast. Highs Monday in the mid 40s west to the lower 50s southeast.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy Sunday with a slight chance of showers north. Mostly cloudy and turning colder Sunday night and Monday, a chance of showers east through south. Highs Sunday mostly 70s. Lows Sunday night in the 30s west, 40s east and near 60 south. Highs Monday in the 60s.

Extended forecast

West Texas: Partly cloudy with little temperature change. A slight chance of snow north and showers south Wednesday. Permian Basin: Lows in upper 20s and highs in lower 50s. Concho Valley and Far West: Lows around 30 and highs in lower 60s. Big Bend area: Lows in lower 20s mountains to mid 30s plateaus. Highs in the 60s mountains to 60s Big Bend valleys.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Fire Investigator Tim Culver points toward a cigarette lighter that may have contributed to a tank explosion about 3:15 p.m. Saturday near Cottonflat Road and County Road 140. Midland Fire Batalion Chief Bob White looks on.

TANK

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The two-man Round-up Tank crew was inside the fiberglass tank when gases were ignited.

Just outside the split tank, Midland Fire Department investigators found an open Zippo-like cigarette lighter and evidence of cigarettes.

"They were repairing the inside of the tank, making leak repairs," said Kellum. "There was some sort of spark to set off the explosion."

He estimated damage to the battery at $10,000.

The battery of green and olive-drab tanks consisted of the one 750-barrel gun-barrel settling tank in which oil floats to the top and salt water is removed from the bottom; four 500-barrel storage tanks, and, two 210-barrel storage tanks. Part of one 500-barrel tank was blackened by the fireball.

Fire Department Battalion Chief Bob White, who said the explosion occurred about 2:45 p.m. Saturday, noted the coincidence of the open cigarette lighter and evidence of volatile chemicals for repairing the fiberglass tank.

White said that the type of explosion was "very rare" and that the chemicals, including acetone, were "extremely" flammable.

ROBERTSON

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"If the Republican Party welcomes, embraces and absorbs the Robertson people and Pat Robertson himself, then it will not be troublesome and divisive," he said. "If the party is not able to adjust to this influx and satisfy the party and the wishes of the new people, then I think we'll have some problems."

In 1976, the number of voters in the Texas Republican Party primary grew from a previous record of less than 100,000 to a figure in the neighborhood of 400,000.

Angelo observed that most of those individuals who became a part of the party at that time stayed with the camp to elect Texas' first Republican governor two years later.

The committeeman noted that perhaps the most significant contribution made by those individuals to the Republican alliance is that they changed the direction of the party from a narrowly focused, small group of people to a broadly based, year-round activist organization geared toward electing people to office.

"A lot of people thought the party died in 1982. We lost the governorship, which was a tragedy, but we added 200 or 300 office-holders across the state," Angelo said. "That's the way you build a political party."

The Democrats learned in more than one splintered presidential campaign that zealous, single-issued activists can be hazardous to the party's general election health. But Angelo is not concerned that the Republican Party will subjected to the same unpleasant lesson.

"I think that's always possible, but you have to go back and look at who the single-activist-issue-oriented people were on the Democratic side. The Democratic Party practically sold itself out to the gays in San Francisco in their platform and in their convention," he said.

"There's no way to compare that with the conservative movement to get the party to take a stand on issues like school prayer or abortion," the committeeman added.

David Mandell, president of Midland County Young Democrats, said he could care less what the Republicans think about the Democratic Party.

"When we start tailoring the party to what the opposition thinks, we've lost," he said.

The Democratic platform specifically opposes discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion and personal lifestyle, said Mandell.

"We're not condoning the gay lifestyle, but we realize they also have rights as citizens of the United States. We believe in the Constitution and we're not for forming another leper colony as the Republicans would have us do," he added.

While one might accuse Robertson followers to some extent of being single-issue or social-issue oriented, most of those issues have become a part of the Republican Party and its platform.

Angelo said he would be surprised to find very many people in the Robertson movement today who find major fault with the Republican Party platform that was adopted in Dallas in 1984.

"That being the case, I think if people on both sides can look for common ground, they're going to find plenty to join together on and to work for in the Republican platform and in the Republican nominee," he said.

Essential to the Robertson people, to Angelo and to the Republican Party is the importance of the family as a foundation for the country. The committeeman claims the Democratic platform has in effect been detrimental to that foundation, with its pro-abortion, gay rights and aid to dependent children planks.

"First of all, we're not pro-abortion and I resent being labeled that," Mandell, countering Angelo's claims, said. "The platform states that the party is pro-choice, which means giving the individual the right to decide what is best for her.

"By continuing to support aid to families with dependent children, the Democratic Party is strengthening the family unit by enabling it to remain intact. I'm glad there's no poor Republicans because the insensitivity of the Republican Party to their (the poor's) needs defies every aspect of common decency," he added.

So far, the Republican presidential candidates competing with Robertson have been careful and, in debate, courteous toward the former television evangelist. However, Angelo anticipates that will change in light of his strong finish in Iowa.

"I'd be surprised if the rhetoric doesn't get a little stronger," said Angelo. "The more viable you become, the more people are going to challenge you about your positions and your ideas.

"As long as it's kept as an issue-type discussion, I don't see that it would be a problem," he added.

However, Bender predicts that Robertson will be spared the sharp questions from his rivals because "they realize that Pat is building such a power base. They want him on their team should he not get the nomination."

The nominee is not likely to be Robertson, said Angelo, observing that it would be extremely difficult for the candidate or anybody else with no actual political involvement to achieve the presidential nomination.

"The mechanics of doing that are almost stacked against him by virtue of the way the process works," the committeeman said.

Even so, Angelo vividly recalls when most people thought Ronald Reagan's campaign in 1976 was an impossibility; yet he came within 55 delegate votes of winning the nomination at the Kansas City convention.

"The party in Texas thought we were nuts, and we wound up getting 75 percent of the vote and 100 percent of the delegates. And we did it largely through the same tactics that the Robertson people are using, which is organization down to the precincts and turning out the vote," he said.

In campaign advertisements and in his statements, Robertson has been comparing his situation to one that confronted John Kennedy in 1960, when he became the first Roman Catholic elected president. He said the same religious issue used against Kennedy is now being used against him.

"There is some similarity, but I don't think it's a close similarity," said Angelo. "When Kennedy ran and the issue was raised, I think he used it to his benefit. Whether Robertson can do the same, I don't know."

Robertson, quite openly has made religion a major part of his campaign, but has stated a preference to be called a former religious broadcaster and cable television executive instead of a "television evangelist."

"People are more concerned with Pat Robertson imposing his beliefs on them, but the very essence of his faith prohibits him from imposing his beliefs on anyone. They have to receive it themselves," said Bender.

"When people hear him, he makes more sense on the issues than anyone running, and they find they finally have a champion who will stand up for what they believe in," he added.

LOVE

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Neta — a self-described "independent woman and tomboy" who likes freshwater fishing and bowling — said she'd resolved not to marry again after her first husband's death 10 years ago.

She said she really can't put her finger on what made her want to renege on that vow to herself.

"But one night we had gone to eat and he told me that he loved me so much and asked if I would go to lunch with him again.

"He had both hands on the steering wheel when he said that and after, he dropped one hand down on the seat by his leg. I reached down and touched his hand, you know, sort of just put mine on his," Mrs. Stovall remembered.

"I knew right then I was in love with him."

Their autumnal courtship consisted of a lot of dinners — at Furr's Cafeteria and at church banquets.

Daughter-in-law Winn Stovall said she noticed the two love birds never wanted to be apart while they dated.

"They spent all their time together. They wanted to be together, just like teen-agers," the daughter-in-law said. Neta, she said, couldn't wait for Stovall to call or to come over.

The new wife admitted she had watched the telephone more than once waiting for Stovall to call.

"You turn off everything else when you fall in love," Stovall said.

Neta and her first husband and Jimmy and his first wife had known each other for 27 years through their common Baptist church. Neta, in fact, was a close friend of the first Mrs. Stovall.

Stovall and his first wife, to whom he was married for almost 63 years, had discussed if they would remarry should one of them die.

The first Mrs. Stovall told him she wouldn't, but gave him the go-ahead as long as the new Mrs. Stovall was a good Christian, he said.

"I knew Neta as a faithful Christian. The Bible says there are no perfect people, but if there are any, she is the one," he claimed.

"This thing (Neta) came along and just lifted me up," he said giving her a loving hug.

"I want to tell you...she's a good one! And boy can she cook!"

He proposed to her while taking a leisurely drive on the way home from a Sunday lunch at the Western Sizzler Steakhouse.

"I remember we were riding down Loop 250," he said. "I raked up enough courage and asked her if she would consider marrying me. She was reluctant to answer me, but when we got home, she said 'I'll marry you, but I won't say when.'"

Her unwillingness to set a specific date worried Stovall. "I didn't know if she meant 1990 or what!"

At first it was to be in March, then two other occasions this month were to be their wedding date, she said.

Trying to accommodate the schedules of their combined family trees — 11 children, 31 grandchildren and 46 great grandchildren — was difficult, they found.

So the two were married 16 days ago at South Memorial Baptist Church, the institution where Stovall has served as pastor for 35 years and where the two had met 27 years ago.

The love they share in the second time around on the marriage-go-round is "deeper" than what they felt for their first spouses, they said.

"This experience is new. I thought I'd experienced everything you could in a marriage. But you know in two weeks — now I don't know about next week — but we have not had a cross word between us," Stovall exclaimed.

"That's because he does everything I tell him to do," Neta chimed in.

"I know that I loved my husband before, but this is a deeper love. It is a more mature feeling," Neta explained.

Stovall said the keys to having a good marriage include "learning to take as well as give and counting to 10 before you say something."

"I don't count to 10!" said Neta, obviously the feistier of the two. "A good marriage takes lots of love and companionship," she added.

"Know your companion for a reasonable time before you marry," the pastor said.

All marriages originate in heaven, Jimmy said. "God has someone picked" for whomever it is He wants to be married. "After all, He performed the first wedding ever."

Stovall said there are no tangible ways to realize if the love one feels is of the "real" or "puppy" genre.

"You are just the only one who really knows...inside yourself," he said.

DEBATE

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"That's because you haven't been campaigning," shot back Dukakis. "Gary, wait a second, if you'd been around in the long hot summer and fall months you'd have heard about my energy policy," he said in a reference to Hart's withdrawal from the race after questions were raised about his relationship with Miami model Donna Rice.

Babbitt, supporter of a national sales tax to reduce the deficit, taunted Dukakis, saying, "Where's your budget plan?"

Simon, locked in a battle for second place with Gephardt according to the polls, was the first candidate to speak during the debate sponsored by the League of Women Voters.

He began with an attack on the Missouri congressman, complaining that Gephardt's support of President Reagan's ax bills had led to the huge budget and trade deficits.

GEORGES

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The size of the town is an advantage and "it's easy getting around in any area," said Jane. "Having dealt with Phoenix-area traffic, it's a relief to be able to go shopping and get there in five or 10 minutes."

Now that they're here, the Georges' next major task is spreading the word about what they have found in Midland. Both are members of the advisory council for the Midland/Odessa Health & Retirement Endeavor and Jim is the 50-member panel's chairman.

"We've been salesmen all our lives and we're selling something we believe in," says Jim.

Above all its tangible appeals, Midland's most outstanding attribute is its "fine people," Jim said. "The people in this area are not only willing but anxious to serve on committees for MOHRE."

Midland also acquits itself well in the single most important area to "empty nesters" looking to move to a different part of the county. According to a survey by the American Council of Life Insurance, 45 percent cite a warmer climate as the biggest reason for moving.

"The problem with Ruidoso is six months of winter; in Phoenix, it's the six months of summer that are unbearable," Jim said. Midland's temperate climate and change of seasons is preferable for the Georges. "The chilly weather only lasts two or three days."

Jim even has a response for what many people consider the worst thing about West Texas weather. "The alternative to wind is bad — stagnant, smoggy, stale air."

The Georges are planning a 6,000-mile trip throughout the West for the spring, and plan to take "Most liveable city" bumper stickers and MOHRE brochures with them.

Said Jim: "The beauty of being retired is doing just what you want, when you want to."

MONDAY: Moving for family reasons

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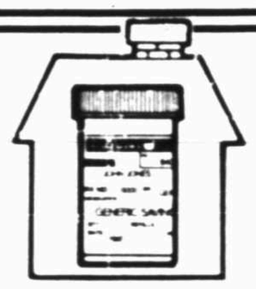




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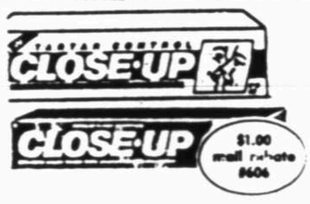
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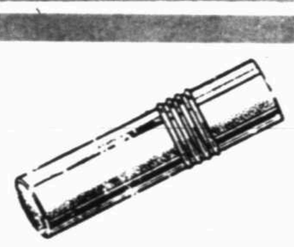




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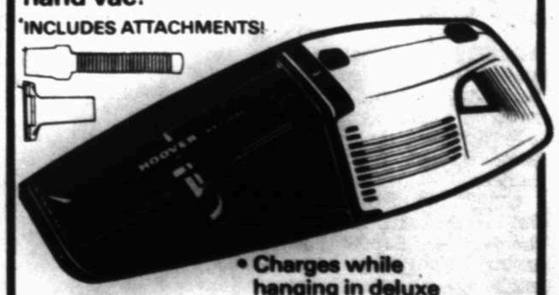


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Closed meetings stir up controversy around Mecham trial

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Gov. Evan Mecham's impeachment trial is embroiled in controversy even before it begins, with disputes over closed state Senate meetings and whether the trial should be delayed.

The Senate is scheduled to begin hearing testimony Feb. 22, but Mecham's lawyer says he wants the trial put off until after the governor stands trial on separate criminal charges.

Senate leaders are being criticized by the news media for having decided to hold closed meetings periodically during the impeachment trial. The first closed meeting was held Thursday, minutes after the senators were sworn in as trial judges.

Part of the confusion, according to state Sen. Greg Lunn, is that Arizona senators aren't used to acting as judges and jurors instead of lawmakers.

"We don't do this very often," said Lunn, who was one of the Republican governor's earliest critics in the party. "Certainly impeaching a governor is an unprecedented situation in this state. Everyone feels the burden."

Mecham was impeached Feb. 5 by the House on 23 separate articles alleging that he concealed a $350,000 campaign loan, misused $80,000 from the governor's protocol fund by loaning it to his auto dealership and tried to thwart an investigation of an alleged death threat by a state official.

Two-thirds of the 30 Senate votes are required to convict him. A conviction would automatically remove him from office, and the Senate could bar him from holding any political office in the future.

Mecham also faces a March 9 criminal trial on six felony charges involving the $350,000 loan. And he faces a May 17 recall election, in which he plans to run, probably against a number of opponents.

Mecham's lawyer, Murray Miller, said he will file a motion this week asking that the Senate trial be delayed until after the criminal case, on grounds the impeachment trial could endanger Mecham's constitutional right to a fair trial in criminal court.

"You know, in some countries they'd call it a coup," Mecham told cheering supporters Saturday in Glendale. "But in this state, it's not going to work."

About 2,000 Mecham supporters attended the fund-raising picnic, many paying $1 to take whacks with a sledgehammer at a battered car labeled with the words "Media Bias," "Special Interest Groups," "Hidden Government" and "Selective Prosecution."

If the Senate rejects the motion to delay the impeachment trial, Miller said, he may take the matter to court, adding that he believes courts have jurisdiction in such cases.

But Senate President Carl Kunasek, a Republican, disagreed.

"I would be interested in finding the judge that would do that," Kunasek said. "It's called the separation of powers, I do believe."

Miller said he will probably also bring a motion challenging the "sufficiency" of the impeachment articles, an effort to get a Senate vote on whether the allegations in the articles of impeachment warrant a trial.

Miller also doesn't like the Senate's decision to hold closed meetings.

Majority Leader Bob Usdane, a Republican, said the meetings are intended to permit lawmakers to consult with their lawyers, discuss which witnesses should be called and go over questions.

Usdane said the senators also could conduct final deliberations behind closed doors before voting on whether to convict Mecham.

In Thursday's meeting, senators hashed out final details on procedural rules for the trial. The rules then were adopted on the floor with no debate.

Kunasek promised that the trial itself will be held in the open. And Senate Minority Leader Alan Stephens, a Democrat, contended the issue was being blown out of proportion by the media, since the final vote will be public.

"Each and every member will be on the verge of tears or whatever-...because we're going to have the same traumatic decision that was made in the House," Stephens said.

Lunn said he thinks closed meetings fuel unnecessary controversy.

"The only issue should be whether Evan Mecham should be impeached in light of the facts and the law," Lunn said. By having closed meetings the Senate will play into Miller's hands by giving him something to criticize, he said.

Rep. Mark Killian, a Republican who cried during the House impeachment vote when he bitterly criticized the governor but voted against impeaching him, said he thought the Senate should have closed meetings only when consulting with attorneys.

Otherwise, Killian said, "If he's convicted everyone will say, 'Well, they were scheming to convict the governor,' or if he's acquitted they'll say, 'They were scheming to acquit him.'"

The trial is becoming expensive. House special counsel William French already has been paid $200,000 to $250,000 for conducting the investigation that led to the impeachment.

Additional fees for French and the other House counsel, Paul Eckstein, and for their assistants could go over $100,000, House leaders say. The Senate has hired a lawyer, John Lundin, at $175 an hour.

Mecham is the 16th governor impeached in U.S. history. If he is convicted, he will be the seventh to be removed from office by an impeachment conviction.

He would be succeeded by Secretary of State Rose Mofford, a Democrat who is acting governor pending the impeachment trial's outcome.



Bartender tells restaurant to hold new job offer

CHICAGO (AP) — An airport bartender who was fired for giving a $4.95 sandwich away to Mayor Eugene Sawyer was offered his job back Saturday, but he said he didn't want it.

"I'm hoping to hear from the mayor's office in reference to a job instead," Michael Bueschel said. "But I don't want to be pushy. I will sit back until they call me."

Bueschel was fired Friday from his $5-an-hour job at a Midway Airport restaurant for giving away food without permission, manager Guy Accettura said.

The dismissal was rescinded Saturday.

RELIGION

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"I am not the Catholic candidate for President. I do not speak for the Catholic church on issues of public policy, and no one in that church speaks for me."

Kennedy's victory in West Virginia, with 61 percent of the vote, was crucial to his nomination.

In the campaign against Nixon, Kennedy had hoped to put off the religious issue until October. It wouldn't wait.

The Rev. Norman Vincent Peale, a friend of Nixon, was among the organizers of the National Conference of Citizens for Religious Freedom early in September. The Kennedy camp regarded the group as less than neutral; Sorenson said one member equated Kennedy with Nikita Khrushchev, calling each "a captive of a system."

KENNEDY ACCEPTED an invitation to address the Greater Houston Ministerial Association on Sept. 12, a speech which he recognized as a crucial, perhaps decisive, moment.

As he worked on the speech, Sorenson tried to pin down how many Roman Catholics died at the Alamo. He couldn't, but found some Irish and Hispanic names among the dead and crafted this line: "For side by side with Bowie and Crockett died Fuentes and McCafferty and Bailey and Bedillo and Carey, but no one knows whether they were Catholics or not. For there was no religious test there."

Kennedy said he believed "in an America where the separation of church and state is absolute," where no minister would support or oppose any candidate, where no church or school would receive public aid, and where religion would not be an election issue.

"If the time should ever come — and I do not concede any conflict to be remotely possible — when my office would require me to either violate my conscience, or violate the national interest, then I would resign the office," Kennedy said.

The speech was a great success. "As they say in my part of Texas, he ate 'em blood raw," said Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn.

It did not lay the issue to rest, though Nixon made no overtly religious appeals.

"The Republicans were, in fact, handling the religious issue very shrewdly," Sorenson wrote. "To be sure, they continually mentioned the issue by deploring it. Nixon repeatedly declared that both candidates should refrain from discussing the subject."

Others did. Sorenson quoted Dr. Ramsey Pollard, then the head of the Southern Baptist Convention, as saying: "No matter what Kennedy might say, he cannot separate himself from his church if he is a true Catholic...All we ask is that Roman Catholicism lift its bloody hand from the throats of those that want to worship in the church of their choice."

Sorenson concluded that Kennedy's religion proved to be a liability. Though he won a solid majority of the Catholic vote, he lost Protestant voters, particularly in the South. Kennedy did only a little better in Boston and other heavily Catholic areas than Harry Truman had done in 1948, Sorenson said.

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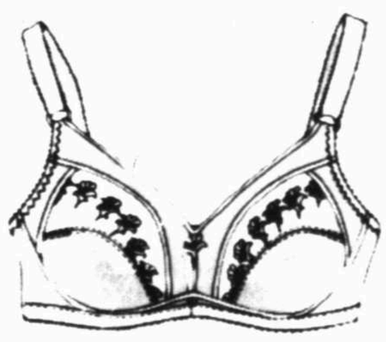




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Students say they'll stay until demands met

AMHERST, Mass. (AP) — Black students occupying a building at the University of Massachusetts to protest alleged racial harassment stockpiled food and sleeping bags Saturday and said they would stay until their demands are met.

Protesters refused to meet with Chancellor Joseph D. Duffey when he went to New Africa House Friday afternoon. On Saturday morning, Duffey again went to the house, but was stopped on the landing by two students who said no meeting would be held until he met all their demands.

Duffey said the school would take no reprisals against the protesters. "They're not disrupting anything, yet," he said.

But he declined to outline what action might be taken if the building is still occupied when school reopens Tuesday after the Washington's Birthday holiday.

"We consider the Third World control of the New Africa House to be a permanent one," said Rudy Krigger, a protester. He said Saturday afternoon there were about 125 minority protesters still in the building.

The students took over the building Friday after talks with Duffey on a list of demands, which include prosecution of five white students accused of attacking two blacks after a dormitory party last weekend.

Gov. Michael S. Dukakis, taking time from his Democratic presidential campaign swing through New Hampshire, called the racial incident "intolerable behavior" and said he discussed the situation with Duffey and Franklyn Jenifer, chancellor of the statewide higher education system.

"They know I want this kind of (racial) problem dealt with firmly and promptly, not only at Amherst but throughout the system," Dukakis said. "They've assured me that's exactly what is happening."

The students also asked Duffey to suspend a campus police officer who they say arranged a police lineup of black men after white and minority students complained of harassment, and called for New Africa House to be returned to use as a cultural center for the black community.

But Arthur Hilson, head of the campus police, denied Saturday that any such lineup occurred, adding that it was a rumor that was blown out of proportion.

The New Africa House building now contains the Afro-American Studies department in addition to other academic offices and classrooms. About 7 percent of the school's 18,000 undergraduates are black.

"This place being turned into an academic building is robbing them of their cultural base on campus," said Dwayne Warren, a senior acting as liaison between protesters and administrators.

"My first responsibility is education and this building is committed to education in a range of ways," said Duffey. "I'm not about to put black, Afro-American professors out of this building."

The protesters, who have so far declined to talk publicly, are not affiliated with any group and numbered 150 at the height of the takeover Friday night.

The protesters were allowed free access to and from the building and no banners or other indications of the takeover were visible to spectators.

Within hours of receiving the demands Friday, Duffey issued a statement condemning racism and asked campus police to no longer use lineups.

Two of the five white students accused in the beating were ordered to move out of campus residence halls Friday after a disciplinary hearing. A Feb. 24 court hearing is scheduled to determine whether there is sufficient evidence to charge the five students with criminal violations.

The head of campus police met Saturday with students and black community leaders "to line up creature comforts" in case of arrests.

"I want to be prepared to do something in a sensitive, caring and humane way" said Hilson, a black Baptist minister who came to the police department from the career planning office amid criticism of police handling of a 1986 racial clash.

"I think there is a way to do it other than the ways I've seen in the past," said Hilson. "We're talking about students making a statement, not criminals. These are students who have a belief in what they're doing."

Food, money and sleeping bags had been donated to the students.

Mark Codling-Dave, a sophomore and spokesman for the protesters, said earlier the group had received an "inadequate response" to its demands.



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University of Massachusetts Chancellor Joseph Duffey, left, listens while student Mark Codling-Davy reads a list of demands in Amherst, Mass.

FBI suspected CISPES of bombing Capitol, files reveal

WASHINGTON (AP) — When the FBI infiltrated a group of opponents of President Reagan's Central America policies, it suspected they were behind the still-unsolved November 1983 bombing of the U.S. Capitol.

Secret FBI files made available under the Freedom of Information Act show that for up to five years the bureau looked for links between the Committee in Solidarity with the People of El Salvador and a number of terrorist acts. It found none.

CISPES contends the investigation was really based on its opposition to administration policies in El Salvador and elsewhere in Central America. The FBI denies it.

FBI files also reveal the bureau was investigating whether CIPSES was considering any violent activities at the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles or the 1984 political conventions, or whether it had any connection with the May 1983 bombing at the Army National War College in Washington.

One document said some of those interviewed in the investigation were told the FBI was checking into bombings of federal buildings and facilities of defense contractors.

The documents were among some 2,000 pages of FBI records on investigation of the El Salvador group released under the Freedom of Information Act. Large portions of the requested documents were either blacked out by government censors or withheld entirely.

References to the bombings were the only indications of what the FBI was seeking in its investigations.

The suit was filed on behalf of CISPES by the New York City-based Center for Constitutional Rights.

Beth Perry, CISPES spokeswoman, called the allegations that the group had a connection to the U.S. Capitol bombing or the bombing at the War College "absolutely ridiculous."

She said some literature on the Capitol bombing was passed out at a CISPES-sponsored demonstration on Nov. 12, five days after the bombing, but that the group had nothing to do with distributing that material.

Asked about any plans for violence at the 1984 conventions or Olympics, she said the FBI called the national office of CISPES to ask what the group planned.

CISPES referred the FBI agent to its lawyer, who told the agent that local groups might be planning peaceful demonstrations but no national effort was planned.

One of the FBI documents said the Dallas field office received copies of literature produced by CISPES at a demonstration on Nov. 12, 1983, five days after the bombing.

"Among this literature was the Armed Resistance Unit's communique claiming responsibility for the 11/7/83 bombing of the Capitol building," the document said.

Another document said, "although not CISPES literature, the communique claiming responsibility for the 11/7/83 bombing of the U.S. Capitol building was passed out along with the CISPES literature."

A document on the Fort McNair bombing said an unidentified individual contacted a local radio station in Washington, D.C., a few days after the bombing and said, "We are in Solidarity with the People of El Salvador and Guatemala, and have taken action because people are trained at the NWC (National War College)."

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NEW YORK (AP) — A smoldering shell was all that remained Saturday of the former High School for the Performing Arts, which helped launch the careers of future stars and inspired the movie and TV series "Fame."

The landmark structure was destroyed by an overnight fire that apparently started near a stage in a second-floor auditorium. "But we don't know why," said Pat Foley, a battalion fire chief.

Al Pacino, Liza Minnelli, Eartha Kitt, Suzanne Pleshette and Anna Maria Horsford, who plays the minister's daughter on the TV series "Amen," are among the successes who studied there.

"So excited because I'm going to go to the High School of Performing Arts!" exclaims the character Diana Morales in the long-running Broadway musical, "A Chorus Line."

Detailing the rigors of the school, the character, a native of sunny Puerto Rico, sings about riding a make-believe bobsled in class.

"And Mr. Karp turns to me and he says, OK Morales, what did you feel? And I said, 'Nothing. I'm feeling nothing.' And he says, 'Nothing could get a girl transferred.'"

The performing arts school, part of the public system, was combined with the High School of Music and Art about three years ago and moved to a new home. The old building became known as Liberty High School.

It was the original school that was used as a model for "Fame." Although the Board of Education did not permit film crews to shoot scenes inside, the facade was featured in the 1980 film and subsequent television series.

"The school had a very positive and very motivating reputation," said dancer Paula Brown, who appeared in the series for two years. "It made a lot of kids successful."

Working on Fame "was like being in school. I was 22 years old and I felt like I was 15, starting all over again," said Ms. Brown, who currently is appearing in the new Spike Lee movie, "School Daze."

The school, just north of the Times Square area in Manhattan, caught fire about 12:30 a.m. and burned out of control for 5½ hours. The third, fourth and fifth floors and the rear portion of the roof collapsed.

Thirty firefighters — struggling against a wind chill of minus 7 and wind gusts of 28 miles an hour — suffered minor injuries.



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Firefighters battle a five-alarm fire at a midtown Manhattan public high school Saturday morning.

Scientists illuminate Milky Way's mysteries

BOSTON (AP) — The disk-shaped Milky Way galaxy is not flat, but resembles instead a warped phonograph record and is adorned with a delicate, scalloped edge, new observations show.

"The scalloping is something we don't understand," Leo Blitz, an astronomer at the University of Maryland, said Saturday.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Blitz said, "Our picture of the galaxy has changed significantly in the last five to 10 years."

The Milky Way, once considered merely a typical example of a spiral galaxy, is now thought to be a much more exciting and interesting aggregation. Among the recent findings reported Saturday were:

— Ninety percent of the galaxy is invisible, and nobody knows what this huge "dark halo" is made of.

— The galaxy is powered by two compact objects at its center that might be the remnants of starburst formation or that could be associated with a black hole.

— The galaxy's dark halo could be full of remnants of the big bang called weakly interactive massive particles — or WIMPs.

The galaxy consists of a slim star-studded disk about 100,000 light-years across, Blitz said. (A light year is about 6 trillion miles.)

Surrounding that visible disk is a cloud of hydrogen gas extending another 25,000 light-years.

It is at the edge of that gaseous disk that radio astronomers have found warping and scalloping, Blitz said.

Beyond that lies 90 percent of the mass of the galaxy. It is invisible, and astronomers don't know what it is, said Martin Rees of Cambridge University.

It could be made of a trillion very small, faint stars, each one-tenth the size of the sun. Another possibility is that it is composed of black holes, the remnants of massive stars.

Or it could be made of WIMPs, an explanation that Rees said is more radical than the others.

"What we want to do is narrow down the possibilities," Rees said. "What we see is a trace of sediment in a universe where galaxies in a cosmic sea are dominated by this missing matter."

Mardi Gras parade's grand marshal a real dog

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Thousands of people grabbed for cheap beads and aluminum doubloons tossed from parade floats Saturday, the opening day of an unusual four-day Mardi Gras weekend, and thousands more queued up to board a giant aircraft carrier.

The glitziest, the Krewe of Endymion, boasted party pooch Spuds McKenzie — accompanied by his corps of non-canine cuties, the Spudettes — as its grand marshal. Spuds is the first animal to serve as grand marshal of Endymion, which always invites a celebrity of some sort to lead off its fancy floats.

The beer company spokesdog rode low in a tall director's chair, snout between paws, nose pointing down and sporting a hangdog look.

Spuds' float followed those of country-western charmer Dolly Parton, who tossed doubloons; "Dynasty" star Heather Locklear, whose black sequined gown drew shouts from the crowd; and soulful crooner Smokey Robinson.

In all, nine parades were scheduled Saturday in New Orleans and its suburbs, starting at noon and ending well after dark. There will be parades every day through Fat Tuesday itself.

A line five deep and about four blocks long snaked from the USS Forrestal, which docked at New Orleans to give its crew of 5,000 a great weekend and to give civilians a look at the largest warship ever to come to the city.

Announcements over speakers from the ship and military police on shore patrol advised people in line that it would take those at the end three to four hours to get aboard.

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Biden alert after surgery to correct artery aneurysm

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Joseph R. Biden Jr. of Delaware was alert and talking with members of his family Saturday after surgeons corrected an aneurysm in an artery supplying blood to his brain.

Biden, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee and former Democratic presidential contender, was "awake, alert and progressing satisfactorily," said Pete Esker, a spokesman for Walter Reed Army Medical Center. "He's as comfortable as possible."

On Friday afternoon, surgeons used a procedure known as "clipping" on the aneurysm, which is a sac formed at a weak spot on an artery wall. The danger is that, untreated, the sac could burst, shutting off the flow of blood.

Esker said Biden's aneurysm was within his cranium, but underneath the brain. The surgery did not involve removal of any brain tissue, he said.

Pete Smith, an aide to Biden, said the 45-year-old senator was listed in "seriously ill" condition but was expected to suffer no significant after-effects from the surgery.

Baby M meeting planned

HACKENSACK, N.J. (AP) — A couple locked in a legal tug-of-war over Baby M will meet with Mary Beth Whitehead-Gould in an attempt to reach a settlement on visitation for the surrogate mother, a newspaper reported Saturday.

William and Elizabeth Stern agreed to a private meeting "after much soul-searching," said their attorney, Gary N. Skoloff, The Star-Ledger of Newark reported.

When the state Supreme Court ruled on the case earlier this month, it directed a Superior Court judge to set visitation guidelines for Mrs. Whitehead-Gould and the nearly 2-year-old child.

The state's highest court overturned a lower court decision that upheld a $10,000 contract under which Mrs. Whitehead-Gould was artificially inseminated with Stern's sperm and bore the child for him and his wife.

In addition to stripping her of her parental rights, the lower court last March 31 awarded custody of the baby to the Sterns.

Winner didn't buy ticket

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) — A man who doesn't believe in lotteries and wouldn't spend $1 on a ticket became Florida's first $1 million lottery winner Saturday thanks to a ticket he found on the ground.

"You cannot beat dumb luck," said Tom Sawyer, 45, after beating six other finalists in a random drawing for the top cash prize.

"If I had $5 that I was going to spend, I'd rather go to a two-hour movie than spend a minute and a half scratching off five tickets," he said.

Sawyer found the ticket on the ground outside his paint store and scratched off the covering to find the word "ENTRY" three times. Tickets with that combination were to be mailed in for a drawing, and in spite of Sawyer's feelings he didn't hesitate to send it in.

His was one of 460,000 tickets mailed in. Gov. Bob Martinez last week picked seven out of a barrel to be on Saturday's award show.

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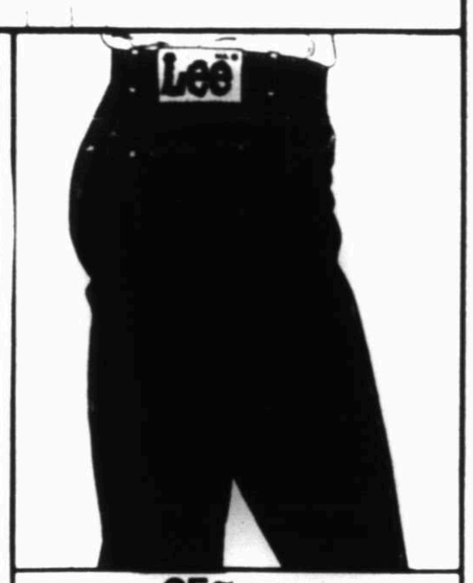
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U.S. President Ronald Reagan, right, and Mexican President Miguel de la Madrid exchange a toast as they finish their meeting in Mazatlan, Mexico, Saturday.

Reagan, de la Madrid admit sharp differences

MAZATLAN, Mexico (AP) — President Reagan and Mexican President Miguel de la Madrid met in this sun-drenched resort Saturday, stressing positive relations but acknowledging sharp differences over Central America policy and illegal drug trafficking.

De la Madrid, at a luncheon with Reagan, complained that Mexico's efforts to curb drug production and trafficking "are still not appreciated to their full extent" and are the target of "disinformation."

He said it was unlikely that any country devoted as much resources to the fight as Mexico.

In a pointed reference to the United States, de la Madrid said the battle against drugs cannot be won unless drug consumption is attacked with the same vigor as the fight against production and trafficking.

Although about 25 percent of the Mexican army is engaged in the anti-drug campaign, the United States says the effort is not enough, is hampered by official corruption and that the flow of drugs is increasing.

Reagan, in his luncheon remarks, said, "The people in the United States are now turning away from drugs" and that development "should curb the demand that fuels the trafficking."

The two leaders held private talks in a seaside hotel in Mazatlan, which is in the state of Sinaloa, the main center for Mexico's illegal drug trade. Following the four-hour meeting, Reagan was flying to California for a four-night stay at his Santa Barbara ranch.

The leaders conferred privately for 45 minutes with only notetakers present. Reagan told de la Madrid that Mexico has been very cooperative in fighting drugs but urged him to work harder.

"This is the year we have to show results," Reagan told the Mexican leader, according to a White House statement.

Reagan pronounced himself "extremely pleased with our discussions and the remarkable record of achievements" of their talks.

As they posed for pictures, Reagan was asked if he agreed with de la Madrid that drug use was the root of the whole problem. "It always has been," Reagan replied."

Elliott Abrams, assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs, told reporters on Air Force One there was "a serious possibility" the United States would find that Mexico should remain eligible for aid from international financial institutions even though its drug program falls somewhat short.

A firm opponent Reagan's campaign to fund the Contra rebels in Nicaragua, de la Madrid called for negotiated settlements in Central America "that take into account the legitimate and essential interests of the parties in conflict, with a sense of fairness and even-handedness."

He said peace would be possible only if all the governments of Central America "comply with the commitments that they have made at the highest level."

For his part, Reagan said "our commitment to democracy in our hemisphere must be unshakeable."

He said totalitarian systems in the Soviet Union, Cuba and Nicaragua "have demonstrated for all to see that tyranny doesn't work. Mexico and the United States have a common interest in stable, free and democratic governments in this hemisphere."

He expressed hopes for a common U.S.-Mexican stand "against the expansion of totalitarianism."

The White House statement said Reagan, in his private talks, underscored his support for the Contras and "repeated his commitment to the peace process." It quoted de la Madrid as saying Mexico is supportive of the four-nation peace accord signed in Guatemala.

In his luncheon remarks, de la Madrid said Mexico's huge foreign debt — $105 billion — "continues to be one of the major obstacles to development in my country."

Swaggart takes religious crusade to Nicaraguans

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — U.S. television evangelist Jimmy Swaggart thanked President Daniel Ortega for letting him take his religious crusade to thousands of Nicaraguan enthusiasts in Managua's Plaza of the Revolution.

"We have not come to involve ourselves in the politics of the nation, but to exalt Jesus Christ," he declared Friday night in an apparent reference to the 6-year-old civil war between the leftist Sandinista goverment and U.S.-supported Contra rebels.

The service was the first by a U.S. minister in the central plaza since the Sandinistas came to power in July 1979, and Swaggart thanked Ortega "for the facilities lent by his government."

Swaggart also brought power generators to prevent his service from being interrupted by Managua's frequent blackouts. Government officials have blamed the country's energy shortage on the rebels' sabotage of power installations.

Swaggart, who preached in English and was translated into Spanish, sang his first song in Spanish.

The state-run radio station La Primerisima cautioned listeners that Swaggart "generally assists the foreign policy of the United States administration," but did not specify how.

Government radio, television and newspapers had advertised Swaggart's arrival, as did the opposition paper La Prensa.

In a letter published by La Prensa, a Roman Catholic reader complained of the advertisement on Sandinista television, "which has been denied to Catholic bishops, especially his eminence Cardinal Miguel Obando y Bravo."

Obando y Bravo, the archishop of Managua, has been a frequent critic of the government. The country is predominantly Roman Catholic.

Sandinista official threatens draft-evaders with jail

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — A high-ranking Sandinista party official threatened potential draft evaders with jail Saturday and charged that recent anti-draft demonstrations were deliberately organized by rightist elements.

Also Saturday, the Defense Ministry reported that troops loyal to the leftist Sandinista government battled Contra forces in southeastern Nicaragua, killing 12 rebels in two firefights.

A communique from the ministry said government troops killed 10 rebels near El Jobo, a village 174 miles southeast of the capital, and two other rebels in Cano Dos Bocs, about 150 miles southeast of Managua. The communique said both battles took place Friday but did not list government casualties.

Commander Bayardo Arce Castano, deputy coordinator of the ruling Sandinista National Liberation Front's political commission, said evaders of the government's compulsory military service, "will be sent to jail, to make the boots and the uniforms of the Sandinista soldiers."

Arce Castano made his comments before 1,000 young people at a military induction ceremony in Masaya, 20 miles southeast of Managua and the site of two days of protests against the draft.

The ceremony was held in the Monimbo district, where anti-draft demonstrators clashed with Sandinista Youth supporters and police on Monday and Tuesday.

Two persons were injured and police arrested 13, including several opposition political leaders, during the protests.

Arce Castano accused 14 conservative and "pseudo-leftist" opposition parties of attempting to weaken compliance with the compulsory service law, which he called "the basis of defense against the North American aggression."

Noting the protests surfaced after the U.S. Congress rejected additional military aid for the Contra rebels on Feb. 3, Arce Castano charged opposition parties were seeking "to give the Reagan administration time to obtain illegal resources and other means to continue its criminal war against our people."

The government estimates about 43,000 people have been killed in the war.

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Two Arab boys, one who appears to be quite young, are under arrest and surrounded by Jerusalem police outside the Al Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem Friday after noon prayers.

American destroyer warns off Iraqi bomber in Gulf

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — An American destroyer wary of another Stark-type attack fired flares at an Iraqi bomber racing toward a convoy of U.S.-flagged Kuwaiti tankers in the Persian Gulf, U.S. military officials said Saturday.

The plane, a Soviet-built Tu-16 Badger, veered sharply away from the convoy just before it launched two missiles Friday night. The missiles exploded in a flash on the horizon a minute or so later, according to journalists aboard the destroyer Chandler.

On May 17, two Exocet missiles fired by an Iraqi F-1 Mirage hit the missile frigate USS Stark, killing 37 U.S. sailors. Iraq said the attack was a mistake.

Friday's incident was the second time in five days that an Iraqi aircraft on a raid against Iranian targets had come within eight miles of a U.S. warship in the central gulf as it prepared to fire its missiles.

U.S. military sources said officers aboard the battle cruiser Richmond K. Turner had a "tense moment" last Sunday night when they thought an Iraqi missile had been fired at their ship. That missile, also launched from a Badger bomber, was visible when fired and when it exploded, said the sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

There was no word on what the Friday's projectiles actually hit, but Iraq announced it had carried out an air strike against "two large maritime targets" near Iran-held Sirri island at 9:08 p.m., the same time as the Chandler's sighting.

Sirri is a little-used oil terminal about 60 miles northwest of Dubai and 40 miles from the Iran coast. There was no other verification of the claimed attack.

Police beat Palestinians in scattered clashes

JERUSALEM (AP) — Police wounded two Palestinians and beat several others Saturday in scattered clashes throughout the occupied territories, Arab news reports said. Thousands of Israelis demonstrated to demand negotiations with Palestinians.

The army said two Arabs were wounded in Gaza City when the homemade bomb they were preparing went off.

Thousands of Israelis from the left-wing Peace Now movement held a rally near Jerusalem's residence of Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir to demand negotiations with Palestinians.

In the northern port city of Haifa, about 4,000 Jews and Israeli Arabs marched in the streets holding signs and shouting slogans that demanded Israeli withdrawal from the West Bank and Gaza Strip, Israel television reported.

The Arab-run Palestine Press Service said two Palestinians were wounded by army gunfire and ten others were injured by beatings or rubber bullets in Saturday's clashes with the army.

The military command said it knew nothing about injuries and described the situation as "quiet."

A 9-day-old curfew was lifted in the West Bank town of Tulkarem, 37 miles northeast of Jerusalem. About 10,000 Palestinians live there.

But more than 20,000 people remained under curfew in the nearby Tulkarem refugee camp, in the village of Anabta, and in the Deir El Balah refugee camp in Gaza.

A military official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said two Arabs apparently preparing a homemade bomb were wounded when the bomb went off unexpectedly. He said soldiers were not involved in the explosion and that the army was checking the incident.

An Arab reporter in Gaza City said Mohammed Ahmed Ibrahim, 23, and Mahmoud Nimer Mohammed El Halaby, 24, were brought to the city's Ahle Arab hospital. He said Ibrahim was wounded in his hands while El Halaby suffered head and chest wounds.

The reporter, who requested anonymity, said soldiers came to the hospital to detain El Halaby.

The Palestine Press Service said an Arab in Gaza City was shot by soldiers and four others were beaten.

It said another Arab was shot and wounded in the Balata refugee camp near Nablus, in the West Bank, and that six others were injured by rubber bullets.

In Jerusalem's southeastern Jabel Mukaber neighborhood, about 100 youths raised the Palestinian flag and threw stones, advancing towards the nearby hilltop Jewish neighborhood of East Talpiyot.

Dozens of Jewish residents gathered to watch as about 40 policemen and 15 paramilitary border policemen fired tear gas at the Arabs and then ran into Jabel Mukaber, chasing the youths with clubs.

"If they are going to smash some heads I want to join in," said one Jewish resident, a youth dressed in an army uniform.

Since unrest broke out in the territories Dec. 8, at least 54 Arabs have been killed, most by Israeli army gunfire. Israel captured the West Bank from Jordan and the Gaza Strip from Egypt during the 1967 Middle East war.

Israel radio said two Arabs were arrested in Jabel Mukaber. Four others were arrested in the southeastern neighborhood of Anata, where police fired tear gas to disperse stone-throwers.

In the northern Israeli port city of Haifa, about 4,000 Jews and Israeli Arabs marched in pouring rain, shouting slogans and holding signs that read "Down with occupation," and "Two states for two peoples."

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Kidnappers say hostages must prove 'innocence'

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A note purportedly from the kidnappers of two U.N. relief workers said Saturday the hostages would be freed within a week if their interrogation proved their "innocence."

Also Saturday, Palestinian refugees set fires and blocked roads to protest the kidnappings, which the U.N. relief agency blamed on Palestinian individuals acting without a political motive.

In other developments, a Beirut newspaper printed a valentine from the heartsick family of an American hostage and received hundreds of other cards supporting other foreigners held hostage in Lebanon. Also, a Christian militia freed eight men and a 15-year-old boy taken seven weeks ago from a Danish ship it claimed carried arms for a Druse militia.

The handwritten note in Arabic, left at a Western news agency office in Beirut, was the first claim of responsibility since Jan Stening, 44, and William Jorgensen, 58, were abducted by gunmen on the outskirts of Lebanon's southern port city of Sidon Feb. 5.

"The abduction...was not a stupid or silly action," the note said. "It was carried out for security purposes. They will be interrogated in light of the information in our possession."

"If their innocence is established they will be set free within a maximum period of one week," it added.

It was not clear what the reference to "innocence" meant, since the note did not make any specific accusations against the two men.

The note did not identify the kidnappers. But it carried the alleged signatures and thumbprints of the two captives.

An official at the Lebanon headquarters of the U.N. Relief and Works Agency in Beirut, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the signatures appeared to be authentic.

Earlier Saturday, Palestinians in five south Lebanon refugee compounds burned tires and closed roads to their camps to show anger over the abductions.

A general strike called by Palestinians upset with the abductions closed schools and shops in refugee camps in Sidon and Tyre.

The U.N. relief organization removed four other foreign staffers from Lebanon after the abductions.



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Waldheim claims 'silent' majority's support

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — President Kurt Waldheim was quoted Sunday as saying he will not resign because a "great" and "silent" majority supports him despite the furor over his World War II conduct.

"I feel the group who makes the demand that I should resign is relatively small compared to those who want me to stay in office," the president said in an interview published in the tabloid Kurier.

On Saturday, Chancellor Franz Vranitzky launched his harshest criticism yet of Waldheim when he said that mere non-involvement in war crimes did not qualify one to be president of Austria.

A top government official disclosed meanwhile that a majority in the Socialist Party, which is governing Austria with Waldheim's conservative backers, wants the president to resign.

Vranitzky, a Socialist and head of government, spoke in a radio interview about Waldheim, whose duties as head of state are mostly ceremonial. He criticized the president's conduct throughout the international debate about his wartime past.

Without mentioning names, Vranitzky berated Waldheim and his conservative backers for accepting word from six military historians who said they found no evidence Waldheim was involved in war crimes, but dismissing the rest of their report.

The 202-page document, presented on Monday, established Waldheim's "close proximity" to wartime atrocities in the Balkans and seriously questioned his moral integrity as a German army officer during World War II.

Last year, the U.S. Justice Department barred Waldheim from the country as an undesirable alien and said his unit sent thousands of Jews to Nazi death camps.

Vranitzky told Austrian radio: "After all, nobody has ever conducted an election campaign by saying: 'Please vote for me because I am not a war criminal.'

"The federal president will certainly continue to be confronted with a series of questions and will have to face up to them."

In the Kurier interview, Waldheim said: "I do not at all share the opinion of the historians' commission" that he had kept silent about or belittled his wartime activities.

"I was also...of the opinion that it did not belong in the framework of this task (of the commission) to make such assumptions and interpretations.

"After all the surveys I am rather convinced that the great majority, which is very often the silent one, wants me to stay on," he was quoted as saying.

Waldheim was in Innsbruck Saturday with Jordanian King Hussein and Queen Noor in his first public appearance since the commission's report was released.

The president was greeted by about 50 whistling protesters who called for his resignation and threw eggs at waiting limousines.

Waldheim was scheduled to address the nation in a five-minute television appearance Monday night.

Seven protest in Moscow square

MOSCOW (AP) — Seven members of unofficial social and political groups demonstrated Saturday in a Moscow square against the government's attempts to restrict their activities, one protester said.

The protesters held posters in Pushkin Square and spoke peacefully with about 150 passersby, said Yevgenia Debryansky, a member of the unofficial Group for Establishing Trust Between East and West.

In a telephone interview, she said the demonstration continued unimpeded by militiamen for 15 minutes, but that a KGB agent then ripped away one of the posters and the crowd dispersed.

"The passersby were very interested in what we had to say and asked many questions," Ms. Debryansky said.

She said she and the other demonstrators were demanding that Soviet authorities let them in on discussions of any new laws that would restrict the activities of the unofficial groups that have sprung up under Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev's policy of glasnost, or openness on some social issues. Rumors have been circulating that such laws are under consideration, but their exact nature is unknown, she said.

There have been other signs that authorities are cracking down on unofficial, unsanctioned groups. On Sept. 1, the Moscow City Council announced it would not allow protests near the Kremlin, Red Square or on other squares in the city's center.

WORLD in brief

Palestinians say boat finally ready

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — Organizers of a much-delayed voyage to Israel by Palestinian deportees said they chartered a new vessel Saturday and would leave Monday, but some European politicians dropped plans to go along.

"Really, we are going on Monday," said Hanna Nasser, a member of a committee for the voyage by 130 Palestinians deported by Israel and hundreds of journalists and observers who have gathered in Athens.

The "journey of return" is designed to focus attention on Israel's use of deportations to punish Palestinians in the territories it captured in the 1967 Middle East war.

It was initially set to start Tuesday, was rescheduled for Wednesday and then for Saturday.

PLO officials said Israeli pressure led ship owners to back out of charter deals. Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir of Israel has referred to the trip as "an act of war."

PLO officials refused to give details about the ship, citing security concerns.

The trip is modeled after the voyage of the Exodus, which tried to take Jewish refugees to Palestine in 1947 but was turned back by British authorities. Miriam Algazi, who took part in the Exodus voyage, also planned to journey on the Palestinian ship.

'Dangerous' moves cited

MOSCOW (AP) — Two U.S. warships collided with Soviet ships in the Black Sea when they violated Soviet territorial waters, ignored warnings from patrol craft and made "dangerous maneuvers," a Soviet admiral charged Saturday.

The spokesman for the Foreign Ministry, Gennady I. Gerasimov, called the Friday incident off the Crimean peninsula an American "military provocation" and likened it to the 1960 downing of a U-2 spy plane that forced cancellation of a superpower summit.

"We hope that this will not hinder the process of improvement in Soviet-American relations" Gerasimov said of the warship collisions.

Gerasimov and Rear Adm. Nikolai P. Markov appeared at a noon news briefing to give the first detailed Kremlin version of the grazing of the cruiser USS Yorktown and the destroyer USS Caron by two Soviet navy vessels.

The Soviet Defense Ministry on Friday night accused the American vessels of violating Soviet waters, but did not mention any physical contact between them and Soviet ships.

Gerbil bests 5 candidates

NORWICH, England (AP) — A gerbil named Ken, campaigning on a platform of free beer and soft toilet paper, beat five other candidates to become president of the Student Union at the University of East Anglia.

Ken's owner, chemistry student Julian Campbell, 21, said he entered his pet as a joke and was amazed that the mouselike rodent won the job, which pays $94.50 a week. The university is in Norwich in northeast England.

Ken polled well over a third of the 1,500 votes, beating his nearest competitor by 194 votes. He celebrated his victory Friday night with sunflower seeds and a sip of vodka from a water bottle.

"I think he'll make a great president. And he definitely won't be making any boring speeches," Campbell was quoted as telling The Star.

But outgoing Student Union president Rob Davies, 23, was not amused.

"The students have not taken the vote seriously," Davies was quoted as telling the Daily Mirror. "I don't think many know how much hard work goes into the job."

Paper says Nazi files taken

BERLIN (AP) — A newspaper reported Saturday that more than 30,000 files have been stolen from a Nazi documentation center in Berlin.

The Berliner Morgenpost tabloid claimed many of the missing files from the Berlin Document Center were sold to collectors around the world, and some were used to blackmail former Nazis.

The report, which was to be published in today's edition, quoted unnamed West German investigators and could not immediately be confirmed.

The newspaper telexed a copy of its report to other news media in advance.

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Dr. John McAfee, principal of Pease Elementary, stands in front of the elementary school. McAfee graduated from Dallas' Bishop College in 1963.

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Black colleges 'preserve culture,' principal says

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of a four-part Sunday series in observance of Black History Month.

By ANNTOINETTE MOORE
Staff Writer



Rhiny Williams

BLACKS IN MIDLAND
Celebrating Black History Month

When Doris Richardson was ready to go to college, she only considered black schools.

It was 1939 and the doors of Texas' public colleges were closed to her because of her race.

Although she could have attended a state-supported school in the northern part of the country, Mrs. Richardson "didn't think" of going to an integrated school far away.

"I wanted to go to a small school," she said. She was attending high school in Fort Worth and thought Tyler's Texas College, affiliated with the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, would fit her requirements.

Although her mother had just a ninth-grade education, it was assumed that Mrs. Richardson would go to college.

"You went somewhere (to school), almost everybody did."

She tried out for the college's a cappella choir and was accepted. Singing in the choir paid $14 of the $24-a-month tuition, her parents paid the other $10.

The choir traveled around the state, visiting Methodist churches to let their congregations know what Texas College had to offer.

Despite the out-of-town trips, choirmembers had to keep up their grades or lose their place in the choir and the money which went along with it.

"I knew I'd better not fail," said Mrs. Richardson, who obtained a bachelor's of arts in sociology in 1943. "I had too many reasons to keep up."

Religion was an important part of campus life. The students had mandatory chapel, a mid-week prayer service and Sunday afternoon and evening services.

At chapel, "the seats had numbers on them, just like in class," she continued. "Monitors walked up and down the aisles and marked you absent" if your seat was empty. Only three absences a semester were allowed.

Students were strictly supervised.

"You had to have a chaperone to go off campus," Mrs. Richardson said. There were no stores on campus, so students had to get permission to go off campus to buy personal items.

Girls were housed on one side of the campus, boys on the other, she continued. After 6 p.m., students had to have a permit to go to the library.

Although segregation is no more, black colleges still are important, said Mrs. Richardson, who came to Midland in 1943 to teach at Carver Junior-Senior High School.

At universities where blacks are in the minority, "you don't have an opportunity to develop all the way around," she claimed, while at black colleges "you get to be the main star and take leadership roles.

"There's nothing like that first-hand experience," she continued. "It makes them (black students) take a different look at themselves.

"There's a lot that they're missing by not being part of that black world."

Dr. John McAfee, principal of Pease Elementary, grew up knowing he would attend Bishop College, an independent Baptist-affiliated school in Dallas.

"I was born in Marshall (then the site of Bishop College)," said McAfee, who graduated in 1963 and moved to Midland in 1983. "The college was actually three blocks from my house. I realized that I was probably going to be there one day; it was a goal of mine."

"From infancy on I was destined to be a doctor — M.D. — in her (my mother's) mind. But she settled for the Ed.D. (a doctorate in education)."

Although McAfee wanted to major in chemistry, he changed his mind after meeting Dr. Melvin J. Banks, a Bishop history professor.

He was "a very persuasive person. He talked me into majoring in history."

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Cynthia "Cindi" Preas embraces a portrait of her daughter, Heather, who is gravely ill with aplastic anemia, a blood defect in which the bone marrow can no longer produce blood cells.

Teen determined to beat rare blood-bone marrow disease

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Heather Preas is wondering why she fell ill — gravely ill. And all the while, she and others are praying that she recovers from a blood-bone marrow disorder that has robbed the teen-ager of strength and robust health.

She is grasping dearly for life.

In mid-January, Heather, a Midland High School sophomore, was diagnosed as having aplastic anemia after her mother had taken her to a pediatrician in Andrews and then consulted an oncologist in Midland.

Symptoms of the blood defect are similar to those of acute leukemia. In the two previous months, Heather had experienced unusual fatigue, shortness of breath, and pangs. More recently, she had bruised easily and displayed minute hemorrhages — pinpoints of blood on the eyelids, on the legs, feet, and hands. She was subject to uncontrolled bleeding.

Heather was promptly hospitalized and now is undergoing treatment in Baylor Medical Center in Dallas.

"Why did I have to be the one to get this disease?" Heather, 15, wrote in a type-written letter to her classmates. "It seems as though we sophomores have had a huge dose of reality placed upon us in the past few weeks."

She referred to the suicide of a teen-age boy in Midland.

"I can no longer honestly say that I can understand his reasons for wanting to die," Heather wrote. "Before they diagnosed my aplastic anemia, I felt that I understood part of what he was going through. But after finding out that disease could kill me, I no longer believed that any of it was understandable. I never realized how much I had going for me or how many people really cared. It gives me a lot of incentive to keep going when I get really depressed or when I feel like I don't want to do it anymore."

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West Texas drug task force will become operational this week

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

A unit of lawmen designed to stem the flow of narcotics in a 17-county West Texas area will become operational this week, the chairman of the board which organized the task force said.

"If they don't start buying the dope Monday, it will be a day or so after that," Big Spring Police Chief Joe Cook said late Friday of plans to begin undercover work.

Cook, who chairs the five-member board of the Permian Basin Regional Narcotics Task Force, said the unit commander, former Beaumont police detective Art Van Dorn, has assembled personnel and equipment.

"He has been busy filling the positions, obtaining equipment, rental space, cars, radios, and the like," Cook said.

The task force, which will be funded in 1988 with a $525,000 federal grant administered through the office of Gov. Bill Clements, will be headquartered in the Midland area, Cook said.

"We're trying to keep that under wraps as much as we can — we don't want someone to get in there and bug it before we can even get started."

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Ector County Coliseum committee delays first meeting

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Members of an advisory committee named by Ector County commissioners to consider specific improvements for the county coliseum have tentatively set Feb. 23 as the date for the group's first meeting.

Betsy Triplett-Hurt, one of four committee members named Feb. 8 by Commissioners Court members, said the group delayed meeting for the first time to give Precinct 3 Commissioner Gerrid Bowen a chance to name his representative during the Feb. 22 meeting of commissioners.

Other members of the committee are: Woody Gregory, appointed by Judge Jan Fisher; Kenneth Lott, named by Precinct 1 Commissioner Bill Tolbert; and Herbert Quintela, selected by Precinct 4 Commissioner Joe Hernandez. Ms. Triplett-Hurt was named to the coliseum advisory group by Precinct 2 Commissioner Bryan Henderson.

Gregory and Ms. Triplett-Hurt were members of the "Save the Coliseum" committee that unsuccessfully backed an $18.5 million bond proposal which called for complete renovation and expansion of the county coliseum complex. Ector County voters rejected the proposal by an overwhelming majority Dec. 1.

Ector County Engineer Don Bonifay, who will work with the advisory group to determine coliseum improvement options and estimated costs, said he does not think the group will find public support for any proposal resembling the ambitious one rejected by voters.

The "Save the Coliseum" proposal called for complete renovation of the 33-year-old coliseum building, construction of a theater on the east end of the coliseum building, as well as new exhibit buildings and landscaping.

Contacted Friday, Ms. Triplett-Hurt said she expects the advisory group will hold a series of public meetings at various selected sites to explore the ideas of citizens to determine the type of coliseum improvements the greatest number of Ector County citizens feel are necessary and would support.

Saying, "We've got to do something to preserve the coliseum," Ms. Triplett-Hurt perceives the primary role of the committee to be development of a consensus of the greatest possible number of Ector County citizens. The committee will submit a report to commissioners on the type of coliseum improvements a majority of citizens would support.

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GARY OTT

Since when does cross-country skiing qualify as sport?



Ott

Here are rambling thoughts from a semi-tangled brain in desperate need of more coffee and a three-week vacation in a foreign country where I would be surrounded by beautiful women who are delightfully amused by a West Texas accent:

— The Winter Oympics have officially begun in Calgary, but I am having a difficult time getting excited about it. For some reason, when I think of the Olympics my mind automatically flashes back to Jim Thorpe and Jesse Owens. Since when did cross-country skiing qualify as a sport, anyway? Or bobsledding, for that matter? I just thought that was how people in northern Minnesota went to the grocery store on a typical Saturday afternoon.

— Does anyone care that Alexander Haig has dropped out of the presidential sweepstakes?

— Does a person with the name, Pierre, really believe that Americans will vote for him for president? I think not. Mr. duPont should drop out, too. No one is buying his "Just call me Pete" routine.

— One of the cable stations on TV has started airing reruns of "Laugh In" every night. It is not nearly as funny as I had remembered it. Times do change, after all. What was considered socially relevant then seems incredibly silly now.

— That same station also has reruns of "Mr. Ed," the talking horse. Strangely enough, it seems funnier than before. I watch it and often laugh out loud. This worries me. I'm 35 years old and I'm enjoying a TV program most school children would find intellectually insulting.

— A person I know has already begun shopping for Christmas. That person should be flogged. "But, I got the item for half-price," he said recently in his own defense. It matters not. He still should be flogged.

— A pet peeve: People who blow their nose in a restaurant.

— Another pet peeve: Women who breast feed their children in public. I know the kid is hungry, but, for crying out loud, you're embarrassing *me*.

— A final pet peeve: A stranger who gets a little tipsy and then decides to unload his life's story on me. Believe me, pal, I sympathize with your plight, but hey, it's not my fault. I just came here to have a drink and watch the ballgame.

— Good friends, however, can unload all they want.

— I hate it when people try to cheer me up by saying, "Hey, nobody said life was fair." So what? I didn't say they did, but I'm still teed off at my misfortune. Besides, life *should* be fair.

— Sometimes I long for the old days when the sports pages never mentioned social issues and, instead, just gave us the scores and highlights from last night's games.

— For the most part I do not like people who are constantly feeling sorry for themselves. I want to slap them around and say, "Snap out of it." Still, there are times when self-pity can be fun, especially if you are miserably ill with a head cold and there is no one around to dote on you. In such cases, hiding under the covers and whining can be good for the soul.

— Here is some free advice for the Democratic Party. You need to nominate a conservative-to-moderate candidate who can carry at least some southern states. Otherwise, you will get shellacked again and the Republicans will laugh all the way to the White House. Take that for what it is worth.

— All things considered, I'd rather be playing golf. Of course, with my luck, I'd get stuck behind a foursome of women who would take seven hours to play 18 holes.

Hey, nobody said life was fair.

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

HEATHER

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STRUGGLING to stay alive "is a lot of work," Heather wrote. Physicians and nurses "give me lots of different medicines for all different kinds of things, so my body is doing all kinds of weird things, and that makes me really tired."

Heather, who is an honors student who played basketball and participated in track to help prepare herself for an envisioned career in journalism and sports commentary, told her classmates she isn't sure when she will return to Midland.

"It's all I can think about. My return date will depend on my progress, and so far, there has been none or very little. It's very frustrating, but with God's help, I'll be able to beat this thing and come home soon. I miss all my friends."

In the hospital, Heather noted that her "days around here are less than exciting" and that discounts her sleeping and watching television soap operas.

"I'll probably talk like a commercial when I get back."

While she is awaiting the rare matching bone marrow needed for a successful transplant to preserve her life, Heather is undergoing intravenous treatment of anti-thymocyte globulin (ATG), which could cause the bone-marrow to regenerate and resume producing blood cells.

THE BONE MARROW produces red cells that carry oxygen from the lungs to all areas of the body, white cells that fight infection by attacking and destroying germs, and platelet cells that control bleeding by forming blood clots in injured areas.

The "jump-start" medicine, as Heather's mother, Cindi Preas, calls ATG, has worked successfully in some other aplastic anemia cases.

Since her immune system has deteriorated, Heather is taking other medications to combat viral and bacterial infections. Swelling has resulted, which Heather is "not liking at all," her mother said.

Initially, Heather and her family had hoped that the bone marrow of her 13-year-old blond sister, Holly, would match hers. It did not. Neither did the marrow of her parents and other relatives.

Heather was not surprised that Holly's and her bone-marrow tissues did not type similarly, she told her parents, Cecil and Cindi Preas.

" 'I could have told them that our bone marrows wouldn't match, because we're so different, anyway.' " Mrs. Preas quoted Heather.

Heather, the red-haired daughter, is the studious, no-nonsense, analytical type who prefers the company of boys, her mother said.

"She has never liked frills or lace," Mrs. Preas said. "She's very logical like a man; and she gets along well with men and boys — gets along well in that climate. She has always tended to listen to other kids' problems — kind of a moderator."

Holly, however, is "real out-going and could care less about studies," Mrs. Preas said. "She's more into the social aspects of life."

UNTIL APLASTIC ANEMIA made her listless and sleepy, the steely blue-eyed Heather, at 5-foot-3 and 110 pounds, was a "workaholic" who "didn't miss a beat," her mother said. "She didn't miss school."

Were there a bone-marrow match between Heather and her sister, a bone-marrow transplant could be effected. History of similar sibling transplants, which are administered through the blood, indicates a 60-percent success rate.

In a transplant, about 3 to 5 percent of a donor's bone marrow is sucked out through a needle inserted into the hip bone. The donor's marrow regenerates.

The matching marrow then is administered into the patient's blood stream.

"They say it's just a miracle," Mrs. Preas said. "They (blood cells) somehow, like little homing cells, go home (to the bone marrow). They don't know how or why. The cells find their way to the marrow. It's phenomenal."

Without an unrelated donor, the odds for successful transplants drop precipitously. Risks increase. The body's immune system, already weakened, tends to reject anything foreign introduced into the blood steam. And chances of finding a suitable donor range from one in 10,000 to one in 100,000. In Heather's case, the chances are one in 10,000, Mrs. Preas said.

A National Bone Marrow Donor Registry, underwritten by the United States Navy, and regional registries have been established. Healthy adult donors who wish to be placed on a registry may be tested at donor centers across the nation. In Texas, a donor center is at the Wadley Blood Center in Dallas. The Aplastic Anemia Society is in New York.

A trust to help offset Heather's medical expenses not covered by insurance is set up at the First City National Bank in Midland.

BECAUSE THE DISORDER is so rare, it is called "an orphan disease," Heather's mother noted. Five cases of aplastic anemia occur in every one million people. The defect may be caused by cancer of the bone marrow or by contact with poisonous chemicals or by excessive radiation, antibiotics or other drugs, according to medical sources, but the cause apparently is a mystery.

" 'It's real funny,' " Heather's mother recalled her daughter saying. "We're always trying to win the Reader's Digest Sweepstakes, and I guess I won the wrong sweepstakes.' "

Mrs. Preas said Heather told her, " 'Mom, I haven't done anything (to bring about the illness). I have to trust God in knowing that this will all work out to benefit...whatever, but I can't imagine why this happened to me.' "

Heather is determined to survive the disorder.

"We just leveled with her and have been real honest with her," said Mrs. Preas, who gets "teary-eyed once in awhile; that comes with the territory."

Mr. and Mrs. Preas alternate in staying with Heather.

"As long as we're up, and she's positive, she's going to stay positive," Mrs. Preas said. "That's her reinforcement. That's all she's got right now." And the mail, the cards and letters from Heather's friends, are "super important."

Last week, before infection set in, Heather remarked, " 'I don't feel like I'm dying,' " Mrs. Preas recalled. "She has the attitude that 'I'm going to do the best I can — whatever they tell me to do, I'll do the best I can and take care of myself.' "

"She talks about that (dying) real openly."

An inspiration to Heather is 17-year-old Kristen Urrate, Heather's childhood friend who was diagnosed with brain cancer seven years ago.

Kristen is a survivor.

The cancer is in remission and has been for years. Heather's friend is one of M.D. Anderson Hospital's "Sunshine Kids."

Kristen, who lives in Austin, counseled Heather: "People are going to say, 'You're terminal; you're dying.' And just tell them, 'We all are. I'm alive today. I'm fine today,' " Mrs. Preas said. "And that's what she (Heather) says. 'I'm alive today. I'm fine today.' "

COLLEGES

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Banks stressed that "all of us can't be doctors and lawyers," McAfee said. "Some of us need to go back and teach others. Do some work and help others like others are helping you now."

"Dean Banks," as he was known in Marshall, was an "orator from his heart," McAfee continued. "He emphasized pride in black life. He lived those things."

"He could make history appear there at your fingertips and make you want to reach out and touch it."

McAfee recalled Banks saying " 'Bishop men and women go out and become leaders. A Bishop man is a man that stands tall.' "

In 1960, McAfee himself became part of history when he and other students participated in several sit-ins in Marshall.

"We sat in at the Woolworth counters," he said. Later, during a march on the Harrison County Courthouse, "we had the firehoses and dogs turned on us."

Although the civil rights movement has opened up society, "black schools still have a place in meeting the needs of the community," McAfee said.

They "preserve culture, a black experience," he said. "Children now, they don't know what it's like to be in a black majority, to see blacks in leadership roles.

"I would not trade the experience (of attending Bishop College)," he continued. "It has helped me as a person. Some of those things instilled in me I've tried to carry out in my professional life. You owe something back to the community. When you're more fortunate, you owe something."

Rhiny Williams entered Bishop College with a football scholarship in 1972 and graduated with a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1976.

"I had never even heard of Bishop" until shortly before high school graduation, Williams said.

Raymond Johnson, an assistant coach at Lewis W. Fox Vocational and Educational High School in San Antonio — which Williams attended — "was basically responsible for me attending Bishop," he continued.

Williams had planned to attend Colorado State University, until his mother decided it was too far away from San Antonio.

Although Bishop was traditionally known for producing "preachers and teachers," it also was competitive in football, basketball and baseball, said Williams, who works for Arco.

Bishop had about 1500 students during Williams' years there. His senior class had just over 100 students.

"We didn't have large classes, just about 30 students, give or take a few" compared with about 150 students per class at many colleges.

"The teachers through a semester knew who you were," Williams said. "They knew when you weren't in school and they probably knew where to find you."

This gave you "that little touch of importance — you weren't just a number," he claimed. "It makes you have a different attitude, too. You want to make that class."

Students at Bishop came from Africa, Iran, Turkey, Chicago, Indiana, Detroit, California and all over Texas.

Closing black colleges is "the worst thing that could ever happen," Williams said. "It's because of the black institutions that (integration) is true. You can go to Harvard or Princeton" because of these black institutions.

"Don't shut the door in the face of the mother institution that allowed all of this to happen."

Unfortunately, many blacks no longer think about going to black schools, he asserted.

"I don't see the interest in black institutions. They (black youths) don't know about them, they don't realize that avenue is there."

"Because that degree doesn't say University of Texas doesn't mean that student is less" educated, Williams said.

"If you're a dummy, you're going to be a dummy anywhere. That institution won't make you learn," he continued. "You still have to make the grades."

"Doctors and lawyers have come out of Bishop and Wiley (College in Marshall)."

Former Midlander Ethel Barnes agreed that black colleges continue to be vital to the community.

"Bishop College students get opportunities that they can't get at other schools," said Ms. Barnes, currently Bishop's director of public relations.

"Most of the students that go to black schools are of low to moderate income. They all have something in common and they don't feel intimidated in the classroom," she said in a telephone interview from Dallas.

Ms. Barnes cited a recent study showing that blacks in predominantly black schools do just as well academically as whites in predominantly white schools.

The majority of black college graduates come from black schools, she claimed.

"About 80 percent of blacks go to white schools...but just a third end up graduating" from these schools.

"Bishop graduates a great many black Dallas professionals," she continued, and many stay in the area. "Our teachers and our students spend money in the local economy."

Although Bishop — like many predominantly black colleges — is threatened by financial difficulties, its students haven't given up.

"The students at Bishop are unique because they've been under a lot of stress, not knowing if their school would be open tomorrow," Ms. Barnes said.

"I've heard students say, 'I'm not going to leave until the doors close.' "

NEXT SUNDAY: Black politicians

Japan's economic strength greater threat than Soviets, expert says

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Russia might be a threat to the United States with its military strength, but an even greater threat is Japan with its economic strength, a Kremlin-watcher says.

"It's nonsense to say that the Soviet Union is an equal to us. It's obvious that it is not. The other superpower in the world is Japan and the other great powers are countries such as Germany, England and France. Brazil, Korea and Russia are about on the same level," Jerry Hough said Friday.

Hough spoke at the 33rd Annual Student Conference on National Affairs, which focused on "U.S.S.R.: The Kremlin in Transition," at Texas A&M University.

Hough, the James B. Duke Professor of Political Science at Duke University, said that the arms race with Russia has weakened the United States in competing with Japan.

"Essentially we've been pretending that a World War II was possible in Europe again while Japan has been winning World War III," he said.

U.S. relations with Russia need attention, he said, and both nations must take steps to prevent nuclear war, "but other than that, we shouldn't be very much concerned with them any more," he said. "We need to focus on our competition with Japan and not let them take over altogether."

Igor Khripunov, first secretary to the Soviet Embassy in Washington, speaking on the same panel as Hough, agreed that relations between the United States and Russia must be improved to prevent nuclear war.

"The nuclear stockpile in the United States and Russia in terms of its destructive force corresponds to at least 1 million Hiroshima-size bombs, or it provides the equivalent of 3.2 tons of TNT for everyone in the world," he said. "This only shows the need for our two countries to move forward in the direction of nuclear disarmament."

Robert German, director of the U.S. State Department's Office of Analysis for the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe, a third panelist, pointed out that any change in U.S.-Soviet relations will be slow

DRUG

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The grant was less than the $870,000 requested by the task force board — but is enough to fund hiring of Van Dorn and five investigators and establish office and computer support.

Three investigators have been hired so far, including at least one officer from West Texas, Cook said.

The task force is the largest regional unit in the country, officials have said, and covers an area from Loving, Reeves and Pecos counties, west through the Midland-Odessa area to Howard County, and north as far as Dawson and Gaines counties.

The unit will operate on an as-needed basis in the 17-county area, and may venture outside the area if necessary, Cook said.

"The unit is going to take a reactive posture, and use the intelligence information that will be gathered," he said.

An interlocal agreement has been signed which will allow the investigators to work freely within the area without a worry about jurisdictional concerns, he added.

The U.S. Customs Service, U.S. Border Patrol, Texas Department of Public Safety and federal Drug Enforcement Administration have been notified of the task force, Cook said.

The effort to organize the task force began July 9, 1987, when 30 officers representing 14 different law enforcement agencies met in Midland. Prior to that meeting, Midland County District Attorney Al Schorre — a member of the governor's criminal justice task force — attended hearings in El Paso, Corpus Christi, and Arlington.

From the hearings, Schorre found that multi-county task forces would have the best chance for a share of the $9.5 million allocated to Texas by the federal government.

The initial proposal, drafted by Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter, requested $900,000 to hire eight investigators. The final proposal was $30,000 less than that, when board members settled on $870,000 for five officers.

COLISEUM

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Ms. Triplett-Hurt expects the group will try to hold meetings, in each precinct rather than a single town hall-type meeting. She believes smaller, precinct-level public meetings will be much more effective and productive.

Bonifay expects the first meeting of the advisory group, tentatively set for 11 a.m. Feb. 23 at the courthouse, will see members try "to define our goals."

"It's my understanding the objective of the group is to feel the pulse of the community and find out what it is that they want done and how do we go about doing it and then report back to commissioners," he said.

Ms. Triplett-Hurt "does not perceive our function to be a fund-raising committee to push one way or the other, but just to get the facts," she said.

As to educational efforts or economic impact studies that might be carried out in connection with the advisory group's overall study, Ms. Triplett-Hurt doesn't believe there is any budget to fund such efforts.

Referring to the failed bond proposal, Ms. Triplett-Hurt said, "Even those who voted against it agreed something needed to be done. So we'll try to find out what needs to be done," she stated.

Official may have taken $200,000

HOUSTON (AP) — A water authority administrator who disappeared two weeks ago and is suspected of taking as much as $200,000 gave no indication anything was unusual, co-workers and his wife say.

"He went to work one day and didn't come home," said Lucy Richert, wife of Tim Richert. "I don't have any idea what happened."

Richert, assistant executive director of the Coastal Water Authority, went to work as usual Jan. 29 and later left for a doctor's appointment and lunch. He never returned.

That afternoon an unsuccessful attempt was made to transfer up to $12.98 million in authority accounts to private accounts, said Sam Dixon, Richert's boss.

City officials say they were told as much as $200,000 in interest may be missing from authority funds. The FBI is investigating, and the city controller's office has begun an audit.

DEATHS

Evelyn Johnson

Services for Evelyn C. Johnson of Midland are scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday in the Stevens Funeral Home Chapel in Coleman with the Rev. Gary Boyd, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow at the Coleman Cemetary.

She died Saturday morning in a Midland hospital.

She was born Feb. 21, 1924, in Trinidad, Colo., and was reared in Coleman and Paris. She attended Amarillo Junior College, and after graduation, she worked as a program coordinator for a Phoenix, Ariz., radio station for two years. Afterward, she lived in various places, including Puerto Rico, Akron, Ohio, and Saudi Arabia before returning to Coleman. She later moved to Brownwood. She moved to Midland in 1974 and worked for Pearson-Sibert Oil Co. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

She is survived by her mother, Carmel Claiborne of Midland, one daughter, Patricia Lorene Johnson of Midland; one son, Lee Claiborne "Nick" Johnson of Midland; and three brothers, Curtis Claiborne of Amarillo, J.E. "Jim" Claiborne of Clovis, N.M., and Harold Claiborne of Midland.

The family requests memorials be directed to the Allison Cancer Center.

Jewell Burrus

Services for Jewel Hall Burrus, 83, of Colorado City will be at 3:30 p.m. today at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Frank Swindle.

Burial will follow in the Colorado City Cemetery.

She was born Sept. 10, 1904, in Whitehouse. She and her husband operated the Burrus Supermarket in Colorado City for 45 years. Mrs. Burrus was a member of the First Baptist Church in Colorado City and a resident of Mitchell County since 1917. She married Thomas Burrus in 1921 in Snyder. He preceded her in death April 20, 1959.

Survivors include one son, Don Burrus of Colorado City; one sister, Ruby McClain of Snyder; one brother, Cecil Hall of Hermleigh; and five nephews and seven nieces, including Bessie Baker and Mamie Smith both of Midland.

Anna Eastup

Graveside services for Anna Eastup, 94, are scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday at the Nocona Cemetary in Nocona. The Rev. Orville Rogers, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Nocona will officiate. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Midland.

She died Saturday in Midland.

Born July 20, 1893, in Junction City, Ark., she was one of nine children born to G.W. and Cicily Cabiness Telford. While growing up, she lived in Arkansas, New Mexico and Oklahoma. She married A.F. Eastup in 1913 in Ardmore, Okla. He preceded her in death in 1955. She lived the majority of her life in Nocona. She moved to Midland in December 1978.

She was preceded in death by four sons, Frank Eastup in 1971, Burl E. Eastup in 1972, Billy Dean Eastup in 1920, and Raymond Eastup; and one daughter, Anna Fern in 1944.

She is survived by one son, J.W. "Pete" Eastup of Midland.

Louis Hill

Louis Hill, 78, of Midland died Saturday in his home following an illness.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Thomas Funeral Home.

Woman says man forced way into car

WEIMAR (AP) — A woman told police an armed man forced his way into her car in Beaumont and ordered her to drive more 170 miles before demanding to be let out of her car near this Colorado County town.

Fayette and Colorado County authorities said the man gave no reason for the kidnapping and Ms. Lovelady, 32, did not know him.

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P&S Hospital will host party for open heart surgery, angioplasty patients

From Staff Reports

A "homecoming" party that will bring together the open heart surgery and angioplasty patients who had their procedures performed at Physicians & Surgeons Hospital is planned for 7 p.m. Thursday.

The party is being hosted by Physicians & Surgeons Hospital, 321 Sage St., will be held in the dining room.

Along with celebrating the hospital's cardiac program, the party also is being held in honor of National Heart Month. Refreshments will feature heart-healthy foods.

The cornerstone of the heart program at Physicians & Surgeons Hospital was laid with the establishment of the city's first cardiac catheterization lab in December 1985.

The first open heart surgery was performed nine months later, in September 1986. With these additional services, the hospital also implemented a balloon angioplasty program and a procedure in which Streptokinase is infused into a blood vessel of the heart to reverse a heart attack that is in progress.

Since the program began at Physicians & Surgeons Hospital, 56 persons have had open heart surgery and 12 have had angioplasty. Of the 68 total, 43 are from Midland, 12 from Big Spring, two from Odessa, one from San Angelo and the remaining are from Stanton, McCamey, May, Sunrise Beach and Dongola, Ill.

The heart program is one of the hospital's specialized services and part of its overall plan to help make Midland a regional medical center.

For additional information or for reservations, contact Lana Cunningham, 683-2273, Extension 25.

Baskin, Taylor to address association

From Staff Reports

The next meeting of the Leadership Midland Alumni Association will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 23, and will feature guest speakers — Pat Baskin and Nick Taylor — Republican candidates for District Judge of the 142nd Judicial District.

The luncheon is scheduled for 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Leadership Midland Alumni members are invited to bring guests and the public is also welcomed. The cost for the lunch is $6 and reservations are required. Call 682-1616 no later than Friday, Feb. 19, for reservations.

The candidates will make brief presentations and answer questions from the audience.

Baskin, the incumbent, has served as district judge for the past eight years.

Taylor, the challenger, is a shareholder and director in the Midland law firm of Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin and Browner and has been associated with the firm for the past 13 years.

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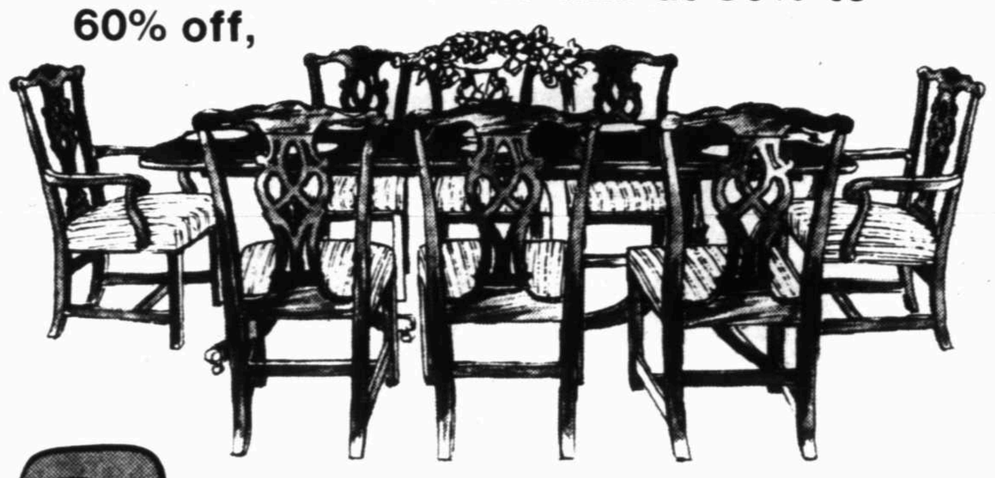
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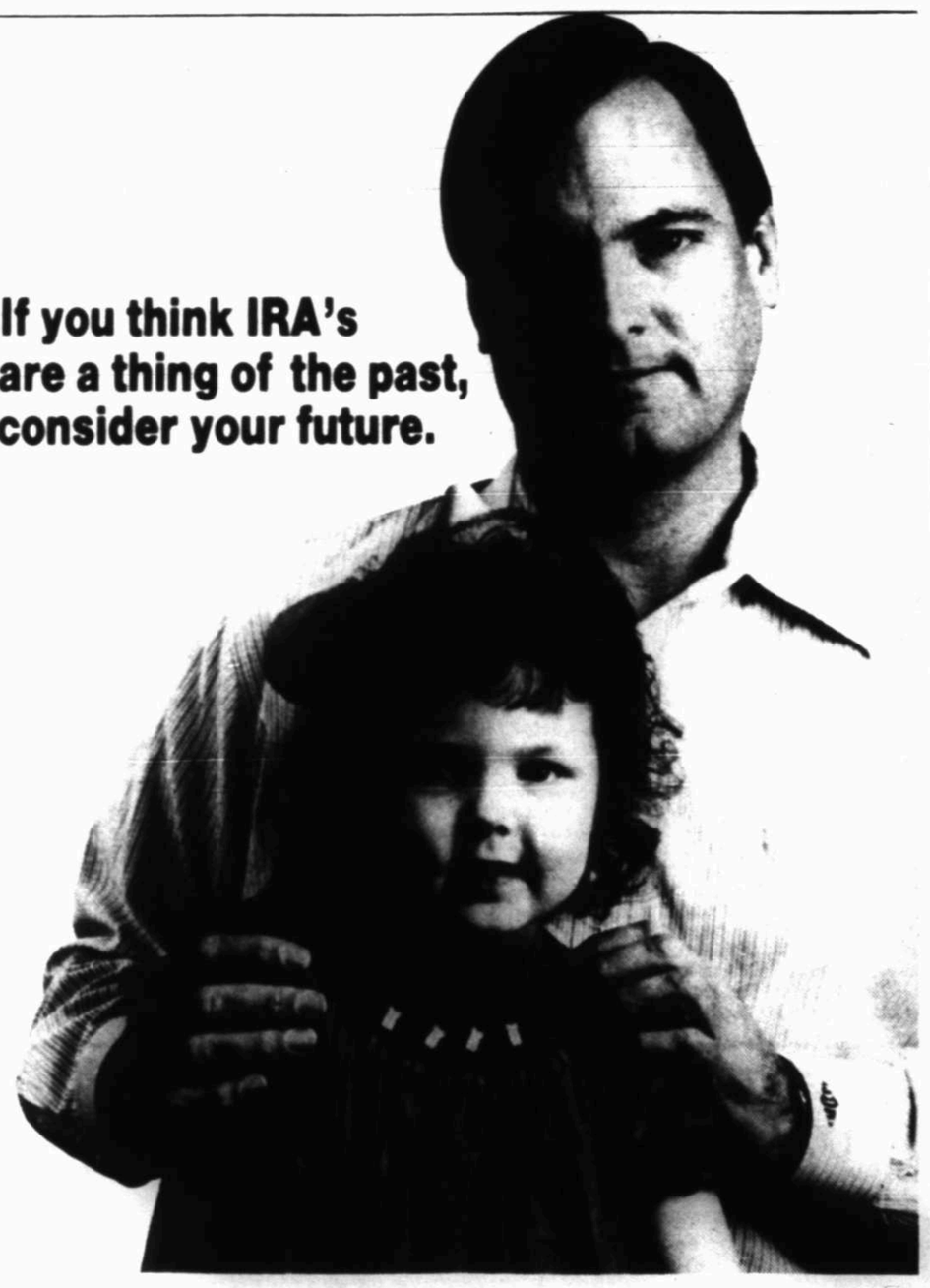
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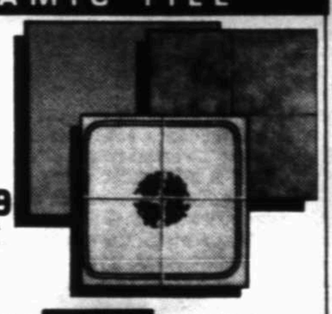
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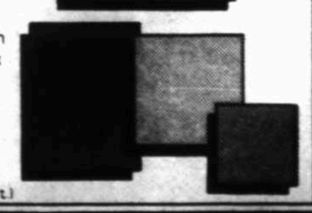
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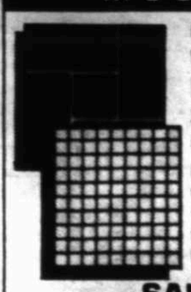


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Mexico's dealing with corruption

For years Mexico's public officials have been tainted by a reputation of unscrupulous dealings and bribery. A number of that country's presidents in past years have loudly proclaimed campaigns to clean up the government, but all too commonly those high-sounding proclamations were forgotten soon after the new president took office and graft and corruption continued to eat away at Mexico's reputation.

Current President Miguel de la Madrid also launched a clean-up campaign, but unlike those before it has not fallen by the wayside. In fact, it's beginning to show successes that promise to reverse the tradition of corruption in Mexico's public life.

With his "moral renovation" campaign now four years old, de la Madrid's comptroller general, Ignacio Pichardo Pagaza, has filed more than 7,000 complaints and allegations of wrongdoing and, officials say, thousands more have been directed to regional offices. In addition, 2,200 indictments and 400 penalties have been assessed so far.

A story that appeared in the New York Times recently noted that 1,650 charges of irregularities in the awarding of government contracts have resulted in the cancellation of millions of dollars in these transactions.

What's more, the tradition of using high public office as a means to obtain what the common man could only dream about — villas, overseas bank accounts, lifetime retirement funds, and the like — is officially taboo now. Gifts worth more than $30 are now adjudged public property and information on the finances of public officials is required. So far, in fact, 105 officials have been dismissed for refusing to discuss their finances and the income tax returns of officials are being closely scrutinized.

All these are not signs that the moral climate of the public service sector is that much improved south of the U.S. border; after all, there is a long tradition of malfeasance and graft. Rather these actions are very real indications that Mexico finally has an administration that appears to be serious about attacking the old-term problem of graft and corruption that has undermined confidence in the Mexican government and endangered that nation's public well-being.

JACK ANDERSON

Junketing officials give taxpayers tab

WASHINGTON — When Congress takes a break between sessions, some members continue working. They work on their tans. They work on their wardrobes. They work on their snorkeling skills. Anything to serve the American taxpayer. For the American taxpayer, after all, picks up the tab when members of Congress go abroad on "official business."


Jack Anderson

Funny how much official business crops up in the tropics every winter. During the recent congressional recess, dozens of lawmakers clambered aboard military jets with their spouses and staffs. Most of them headed unerringly for warmer climes.

We tracked the records of 74 members of Congress who traveled through 34 countries on "official business" in January. One would think we were negotiating world peace with Australia or New Zealand. Twenty of the members managed to include those two countries on their list of official visits in January. A staffer at the New Zealand embassy in Washington explained the attraction: "Our January is like your summer vacation."

Other popular destinations included New Guinea, Thailand, Taiwan and Tahiti.

While many of the January junkets examined by our associate Jim Lynch had the appearance of thinly disguised vacations, congressional travel abroad receives little, if any, scrutiny. Nobody will challenge, for example, the merits of a recent three-day, expense-paid visit by a House committee to Ecuador's tropical Galapagos Islands.

No oversight committee decides whether the junkets are legitimate government expenses or simple pleasure trips. Junkets are usually authorized and policed at the committee level by the same junket junkies who arrange and take them. The operative motto is: "Join Congress and see the world."

As Rep. Duncan Hunter, R-Calif., recently put it, some authorized congressional trips ought to be featured on "Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous."

We questioned spokespersons for both the House and Senate ethics committees, and they could not recall any investigations into alleged abuses of the foreign travel privileges. Bonnie Parker, staff administrator of the Senate Ethics Committee, bristled at the hint of impropriety. "You never see such reports of that on the Senate side," she said. Parker explained that senators avoid the nouveau tackiness of junkets because "they are older and more experienced" than politicians in the House.

It must have been serious business, then, that took five senators and their wives through Australia, New Zealand, Korea and the Philippines in January. The delegation, headed by Sen. James Exon, D-Neb., spent $209,000 just on the cost of flying on an Army C-135 jet.

A glance inside January's junket records revealed that officials in the foreign countries visited by our legislators often were not available for meetings. Maybe someone forgot to call ahead for an appointment. Entire days for the U.S. delegations were devoted to shopping, swimming and snorkeling.

One delegation, led by Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., spent a three-day stretch in Peru during which the only official activities noted on the agenda sent to the State Department were "acclimatization to the altitude" and tours of the ruins.

Tanned, rested and ready for work, the members of Congress came back to Washington to resume arguments on the best way to cope with those nasty budget deficits. Their own travel expenses have gone unmentioned in the debate.

The Congressional Budget Office has no estimate of how much the government spends flying members of Congress around the world. Neither do the appropriations offices of both houses of Congress. Domestic travel comes out of each committee's spending pot, but foreign travel expenses spew from a "permanent indefinite appropriation fund," explained one appropriations official.

If the past rate of spending is any indication, junketeers look permanently, indefinitely out of control. Between January 1984 and September 1985, Congress spent $9.2 million on junkets, according to Congress Watch, a nonprofit group affiliated with consumer advocate Ralph Nader.

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STEVE LEVINE

Those who do WTEil haven't lost — yet!

AUSTIN — As I write this, it is now about 16 hours since the polls closed in Iowa Monday night, certainly enough time to predict who'll be the next president of the United States.


Levine

Well, not quite. In fact, not at all. But as 3,000 of my compatriots prepare to surrender Iowa back to the wheat fields and begin to invade the New Hampshire snows for next week's event, it's certainly time to consider what it all means.

In and of itself, Iowa is virtually meaningless. About 240,000 Iowans — less than 10 percent of the population of one of the country's less populous states — took part in caucus night. Their decisions will select 58 delegates to the Democratic National Convention and 37 to the GOP Convention, less than 1.5 percent of each.

So what's all the hullaballo about? The name of the game in Iowa isn't how each candidate fares, but rather how he fares compared to how he was *supposed* to fare. Those who do Better Than Expected in Iowa (BTEil) get a big boost in media coverage and campaign contributions as they move on to New Hampshire and Super Tuesday.

That momentum — "The big mo," as George Bush called it after his 1980 Iowa caucus win — propels a who's-that candidate into a frontrunner. Thus Pat Robertson's Invisible Army gets reinforcements for New Hampshire and continues to scare the bejeezus out of the GOP establishment. But does it really play that big a role in determining who gets the nomination?

Not recently, it hasn't. In 1984, Gary Hart came out of nowhere to finish second with 16 percent of the delegates in the Iowa caucus. True BTEil. He went on to steamroll through the Northeast before losing the nomination to Walter Mondale.

In 1980, Bush took his "big mo" with him to New Hampshire, where Ronald Reagan promptly trounced him en route to the nomination and the presidency. In fact, not since Jimmy Carter's 27 percent BTEil in 1976, have the Iowa caucuses played a real role in selecting the winner.

OK. So Iowa doesn't decide who wins. But it does decide who loses. Those candidates who don't live up to their expectations, who do Worse Than Expected in Iowa (WTEil), find themselves in big trouble. A partial list: WTEil killed John Glenn, Ruben Askew and George McGovern in 1984, sent Teddy Kennedy down the tubes in 1980 and wiped out George Muskie in 1972. WTEil probably knocked out Democrat Bruce Babbitt and Republican Jack Kemp this year as well.

Thus we see George Bush fretting for good reason over his third place showing Monday night. No question about it, Bush did WTEil in 1988. Whether it's fatal WTEil, though, is another question because of the vice president's strong campaign organization throughout the country. Maybe he can bounce back like Reagan in 1980 and win it all.

Reagan's 1980 performance in Iowa raises interesting parallels with one of this year's Democratic contenders. Reagan didn't do WTEil that year. In fact, he did exactly as expected. He hardly campaigned. He refused to debate. He lost. That sounds a lot like 1988's Al Gore.

The Tennessee senator not only ignored Iowa, he's been campaigning strong against it. Playing off other states voters' pique at the heavy attention given Iowa, Gore tells his backers to forget it. "Don't let Iowa pick the next president," he tells audiences in Super Tuesday states like Texas and Florida.

From this perspective, it seems Gore has made a good calculated gamble. Having grown up in a political family, Gore knows the history of Iowa. He surrendered any chance of doing BTEil at the same time he ensured he wouldn't do WTEil. Along the way, he probably saved himself about $1 million to spend in the 22 Super Tuesday states before March 8.

Assuming Richard Gephardt doesn't parlay his WILAE (Winner in Iowa, As Expected) showing into overwhelming wins in New Hampshire, Minnesota, Maine and Wyoming — and that's a pretty safe assumption — Gore will be ready to fight hard when the campaign returns south for a week's worth of primaries that'll produce more than half the delegates needed to win the nomination.

'Course if Gore flops here, that could be curtains for him. We all know what happens when you do WTEiST. Right?

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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Sunday, Feb. 14, the 45th day of 1988. There are 321 days left in the year. This is Valentine's Day.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 14, 1912, Arizona became the 48th state of the Union with the signing of a proclamation by President William Howard Taft.

On this date:

In 1778, the American ship Ranger carried the recently adopted "Stars and Stripes" to a foreign port for the first time as it arrived in France.

In 1848, President James K. Polk became the first chief executive to be photographed while in office as he posed for Matthew Brady in New York.

In 1859, Oregon was admitted to the Union as the 33rd state.

In 1876, inventors Alexander Graham Bell and Elisha Gray applied separately for patents related to the telephone. The U.S. Supreme Court eventually ruled Bell the rightful inventor.

GEORGE F. WILL

'Party of access' still has hopes of standing

WASHINGTON — Two thumping facts about New Hampshire's primary prove its capacity for seriousness and silliness. The first fact is that since 1952, everyone elected President has won it. The second is that it also has been won by Estes Kefauver (1952) and by the U.S. ambassador to Saigon, Henry Cabot Lodge, who in 1964 did not set foot in the state while a few young people rustled up 33,000 write-in votes to defeat two heavy hitters, Nelson Rockefeller and Barry Goldwater.


George F. Will

Serious or silly, New Hampshire gets attention. The 1984 Democratic nomination contest continued all the way to California in June. But Professor William C. Adams notes that the Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, North Carolina and California primaries, in which 8,403,000 Democrats voted, together received less media attention (in NBC, ABC, CBS and New York Times campaign stories from Jan. 1 to June 10) than New Hampshire's primary, in which 101,000 Democrats voted.

Yet in spite of the attention lavished on New Hampshire primaries, there is much misunderstanding of what has happened in them. In 1972, in spite of the crying episode, Edmund Muskie actually beat George McGovern 46 percent to 37 percent. In 1968, in spite of the Tet offensive, Lyndon Johnson, whose name was not even on the ballot, won because 27,520 people took the trouble to write him in while Eugene McCarthy, whose name was on the ballot, was getting 23,269 votes.

Furthermore, although New Hampshire Republicans are conservative, three "Mr. Conservatives" have lost the primary: Robert Taft to Eisenhower in 1952, Goldwater, and Ronald Reagan by 1,587 votes to Gerald Ford in 1976. Those may have been the most consequential 1,587 votes in New Hampshire history. Had Reagan beaten Ford there, he almost certainly would have then won in Florida and been nominated.

This year, New Hampshire's grisly role as guillotine may highlight an interesting geographic fact. By 11 p.m. Tuesday, the Democratic Party's two Westerners, Bruce Babbitt and Gary Hart, probably will be gone. If George Bush loses (and if he really is a Texan rather than, as he says this week, a New Englander), the Republican Westerner may be on his last legs. So, too, may be three Republican Easterners: Jack Kemp, Pete DuPont and Alexander Haig.

Now, take a map of America and put a pin in central Missouri. Around it draw a circle with a radius covering 300 miles. Within the circle you will find St. Louis, Chicago, Makanda, Ill., Carthage, Tenn., and Russell, Kansas. These are the home towns of Dick Gephardt, Jesse Jackson (to the extent that a human sirocco has a hometown), Paul Simon, Albert Gore and Bob Dole, respectively.

Although one of these candidates, Jackson, is outside the political mainstream, the circle suggests a tendency: A certain middlingness is asserting itself. Less than four years ago, some despairing Democrats thought that was not desirable.

Shortly after the 1984 loss, the fourth in five presidential elections, some Democrats argued that rather than compromise its principles, the party should reconcile itself to a politically reduced but morally shimmering role. As Tom Wicker reported the argument, it was that the party should stop hoping to win majorities.

Instead, it should concede to the Republican Party the role of the "party of government" and should settle for the role of "party of access" for minorities and various ethnic social and cultural interests. The Democratic Party would be the place where "the voiceless find a voice" and their pressure "can be transmitted outward to the other party and to government."

In response, professor Sam Huntington noted that the concept of a "party of access" at least implicitly acknowledges that a party of the American left cannot be a majority party. Furthermore, the "party of access" concept, although expressing a democratic pessimism, also involves moral self-congratulations. The American majority is implicitly condemned as morally inferior.

But Democrats need not despair. An ABC poll shows that after seven Reagan years, Democrats still retain a 35 to 28 percent edge over Republicans in party identification. Furthermore, in a "generic" race, polling an unnamed Democrat against an unnamed Republican for President, the word "Democratic" won 46 to 43. And the candidates who are spared New Hampshire's guillotine will benefit from "de-dwarfization," the acquisition of stature by survival.

If in spite of its rules and its activists' instincts the Democratic Party can come up with a nominee whose views are broadly congruent with those of the voters who live in the circled region, the party will be back standing, if not necessarily tall, at least upright.

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RUSSELL BAKER

Love's okay, Valentine, but not in the road!

One of my favorite love songs is "Tea for Two," probably because it is one of the few love songs I can sing. There is a better love song in "Don Giovanni," a serenade the Don sings under a balcony to woo one of his ladies, but it requires a mandolin accompaniment and the voice of Cesare Siepi, neither of which I can manage.


Russell Baker

Sad to say, I failed string instrument (banjo division) at the age of 9. As for voice, people sensitive to that instrument noted as early as 1942 that I have a tin ear. That year, my high-school graduating class of 500 practiced for weeks to sing "Without a Song" to parents, kin and the mayor of Baltimore, and I was the only graduate forbidden by the music teacher to sing.

"Open your mouth but no singing," she said. "Just fake it."

It's dispiriting to have a tin ear when you'd love to play the mandolin and sound like Cesare Siepi doing a Mozart serenade, but, as Kierkegaard observed, "That's life: you win some, you lose some." I also have a black thumb.

A tin ear, a black thumb — Valentine Days aren't easy with a physique like that. For years, my pasteboard pleas ("Won't you be my Valentine?") were invariably met by a firm "Absolutely not." And why? I was 33 years old before a Valentine recipient gave it to me straight from the shoulder.

"Tin ear and black thumb I could put up with if you weren't also green with envy for people who can carry a tune and make a nasturtium bloom," she said.

Well, as Jimmy the Greek has observed, "Nobody loses all the time except the Columbia football team and people with eugenically inadequate thighs." And so, I finally got an affirmative answer to "Won't you be my Valentine?" from a woman who said, "I don't care about your tin ear and your black thumb and your envy-green complexion because you've also got a nose for news that's a definite economic asset, considering the fortunes they're squandering on TV news anchors these days."

Which brings us back to "Tea for Two":

As Will Rogers observed, "All Americans know about love is the songs they hear on the radio." This insight has proved true from generation to generation, with each succeeding age group taking its love lessons from the sons of the contemporary masters.

It was inevitable, for instance, that once Paul McCartney had advised lovers to "do it in the road," his fans would feel obliged to try, despite the discomfort, inconvenience, danger posed by drunken drivers, and cries of disgust from an older generation whose songs had taught them to do it down by the old mill stream, on a slow boat to China or underneath the bamboo tree.

Fortunately, my Valentine and I had studied love under earlier masters than Lennon and McCartney, so did not have to test the strength of our passion against the pot-holed brutality of Route 17. Hardy contemporary youth, however, should not be too quick to envy us, for the influence of "Tea for Two" was brutal.

Thus, the nuptials concluded, we naturally isolated ourselves beyond the reach of relatives and friends who might otherwise have been tempted to spend their weekend vacations barging in on a recently married couple.

We even refused, at my Valentine's insistence, to let anyone know we had a telephone. This had created tension between us, for my nose for news had just led me into journalism. It was the era when criminal desperados wanted by the police telephoned Walter Winchell offering to surrender if he would accompany them to headquarters.

I pleaded with her the night before our wedding: "Couldn't we let just the criminal-desperado community know we have a telephone, so I can get the big scoops and maybe bring home a $5 raise now and then?"

She would not relent. "We must never betray our song," she said.

So there was the wedding, and next morning at daybreak — daybreak, mind you — I heard a terrible racket in the kitchen.

"What am I doing in the kitchen at daybreak?" she repeated. "Baking a cake. Did you expect roasting a turkey?"

In a terrible moment of *deja chante*, I knew what kind of cake she was baking, but also knew I would have to hear it from her own lips.

"What kind of cake are you baking, sweet Valentine?"

"A sugar cake," said she.

"Swell," I cried. "We'll eat the whole thing for breakfast."

"No we won't," she said. "This sugar cake goes with you to the office so all the boys can see it; and don't try to weasel out of it."

That was love in the old days. I imagine doing it in the road is even worse, though.

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BILL MODISETT

If you don't take part in the process, you can't complain


Modisett

Human nature is a curious thing. Take, for example, the matter of voting. Almost no election goes by without someone — usually several someones — complaining that the majority of the people in a particular area are being ruled by a minority who happened to exercise their right to vote.

Usually one can assume that much of the griping is "sour grapes" because the complainer was in the camp of the losers. In that regard, the person complaining has failed to fully grasp the significance of our system of government. In our government, the majority rules either through a direct vote of the people or through election of representatives who are charged with exercising the will of those they represent.

In some cases, though, the one complaining didn't even vote in the election. Those individuals don't have a legitimate gripe.

Regardless, in such a system of government, there is no way everyone will be happy with the results all the time. Such is the nature of democratic government. It serves the will of the majority, not the minority. But, the flip side of the coin is the fact it has served this nation admirably for more than 200 years.

One of the strange tendencies occurring commonly nowadays is for individuals on the losing side of a political cause to complain about blocs of voters who become actively involved in elections and actually accomplish their goal through the number of votes they bring to the ballot box. That certainly isn't wrong. A democratic form of government gives ever voter of whatever persuasion equal opportunity to sway the political process within the bounds of legality. That's entirely appropriate because, in the end, the majority still rules and if those supporting Candidate X or Cause X can get more voters to the polls than can those supporting Candidate Y or Cause Y, the interests of the people as a whole have been served.

We are a diverse people with a multitude of axes to grind. But for the losing minority or those who fail to vote to complain about election results is a little like saying our democratic system should be something different. Like what? An autocracy? Totalitarianism? Maybe a benevolent dictatorship?

Those are not forms of government for free people; they are systems of government for slaves subservient to a ruler.

A democratic form of government demands that individuals be involved either singly or collectively in the selection of the leaders who will guide their government. It's called self-rule and it's not going to always please those who can't understand or accept that in majority rule a person is still only one part of the whole structure. Sometimes you win; sometimes you lose. But overall, the good of the entire population is served.

And in such a government, all the complaining is just sour-grapes.

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Meanwhile in the Kremlin, the debate rages on.



SPEAKING OUT

American journalists ignore Palestine's tortured history

By ALICE BROWN

Alice Brown has been a Midlander for six years. She is a Christian and attends Word of Life Church.

American journalists have ignored a few important facts about the West Bank and Gaza Strip situation that I would like to point out.

At no time historically was there Palestinian Arab rule of those areas. The Turks ruled the land for 400 years until 1917 when British forces under General Allenby captured Jerusalem. The Palestinians never once tried to establish their own government.

Jewish immigrants of all backgrounds poured into Israel in the early 1900s, improving the living conditions and the land. The Arabs in the Palestine area resented the arrival of the Jews even though the Jews paid them over $1,000 an acre for worthless land at a time when prime farm land in the U.S. sold for $110 an acre. The Arabs began to organize anti-Jewish riots. King Emir Faisal's brother, Abdullah, moved into Eastern Palestine with a band of guerrillas and began terrorist activities.

In 1922, Winston Churchill gave the Palestinians a homeland by recognizing Abdullah as Emir, partitioning Palestine and giving *four-fifths* of the total area of Palestine to the Palestinians, the boundaries confirmed by the U.N. The area was then called Transjordan and was created in an effort to placate Arab terrorism which continued.

While no Jewish immigration was permitted to Transjordan, the Arabs were permitted to enter Palestine freely. The Arabs flocked to the Jewish side of the partition to take advantage of the higher wages and living standards. Arab numbers increased dramatically in the areas of intensive Jewish development. The Arab influx was negligible where the Jews had not improved the land.

When Israel was granted self-determination in 1948, the U.N. also offered self-determination to the Arabs. They unanimously rejected the offer. Partition boundaries were erased in the subsequent Arab invasion of Israel as the Arabs sought to grab all the territory for themselves.

The PLO was first organized in 1964 when a group of Arab leaders drew up a document called the Palestine National Covenant. Article 7 of that covenant states: "...It is a national *duty* to bring up individual Palestinians in an Arab *revolutionary* manner." Article 15 states: "...The liberation of Palestine, from an Arab viewpoint...aims at the *elimination* of Zionism in Palestine." In other words, the purpose of the PLO is the revolutionary eradication of the nation of Israel.

By 1970, Arafat and his Al Fatah were in control of the PLO and were headquartered in Jordan (formerly Transjordan), warmly received by King Hussein. However, he was repaid with intrigue and treachery. The PLO invited the Bedouins to join them in harassing their *fellow Palestinians*. They created roadblocks to terrorize the Palestinians, collecting fees and threatening them if they did not support them. The PLO attempted to establish a rival capital in Karamah, exchanged fire with Israel, roamed Amman until it became a city of anarchy, killed the U.S. military attache in Jordan, occupied two hotels, took the guests as hostages, threatened to blow up the hotels with their occupants if their demands were not met, hijacked two jumbo jets, making them land at Jordan's Dawson Field, and held another 445 people hostage.

Finally, King Hussein unleashed his Bedouin Arab Legion on the PLO, killed 3,000 of them, and expelled the remainder of them from Jordan. The PLO then moved to the peaceful Lebanon and began terrorizing it. Perhaps the Israelis remember what American journalists forget too quickly — the anarchy potential of the PLO even among their own people. The majority of the Palestinians still live in Jordan and Kuwait. The PLO does not speak for the majority of Palestinians.

Today there are 26 Arab nations which cover 5 million square miles, yet not one of those nations will receive Palestinian refugees. They have the money and the soil to rehabilitate their Arab brothers, yet they are not concerned with the welfare or the human rights of the people. They are willing to use these people to proclaim their denial of Israel's right to exist and to continue their agitation. Gaza's wretched conditions are due in no small part to the refusal of Arab governments and the PLO to accept Israeli proposals to move people out of refugee districts and into new housing.

I challenge American journalists to write about Jewish treatment in Arab nations from 1950 to the present. It is horrendous. The yardstick used to measure the human rights of one people needs to be applied equally to the other. Who writes that story?

A recent article stated that overeducation and frustration due to the lack of jobs was a cause for Palestinian rioting. Yet no one asks who educated those Palestinians. How many nations would pay for the education and social services of a people who are taught to chant on those schoolgrounds the words of Haj Amin al Husseini, Mufti of Jerusalem in 1948, "Murder the Jews, murder them all"?

The Palestinian Arab question could be quickly solved if the Arab states and the Palestinian Arabs recognized Israel's right to exist in peace.

"Speaking Out" columnists are invited to submit articles on subjects of their choice. They should be limited to 850 words or less.

LETTERS

City's caring people too hard to leave

One year ago last January, I could have left Midland for a different opportunity. I believed that Midland was getting too large and impersonal in which to raise a family. But now, after a year of trials, struggles and pain, I find that it would be hard to leave a city with as many kind, caring, loving people in it.

Our daughter of seven months was diagnosed on Jan. 22, 1987, with acute lymphocytic leukemia. My wife and I found that, unlike Baby Jessica, our little Jennifer could not be dug out of her well. We knew this as we watched this other sweet baby lifted from her suffering. We prayed and thanked God for Jessica's rescue, yet it made us think about other children.

Unknown by most people, 8,000 children a year in the State of Texas will be stricken with some form of leukemia or other cancer-related disease. Most of them will suffer greatly, and over half or more will die. The sad part is that they do not get the spectacular media coverage of an isolated popular event or incident might. People don't know that our children are dying.

Wake up, America! Our children need your help. Let us not hype a single incident with millions. Let us be made aware of the multitude of suffering going on around us. Then let us help to find a cure for it. We need to support research to fight these killers. We need to support the organizations that help the families make it through these things. Let us support the ones who comfort those who are broken by these sorrows. They all need it more than you could know. And they appreciate it greatly.

The Lord took our daughter after one short year of suffering. Without the capital, love, care, and concern so freely given by our church, friends, family, and various organizations, we would have never made it.

We were lucky. Thousands aren't. Our little Jennifer is out of her well now, but there are thousands more out there that are still fighting. Let's dig them out. Please help them.

I know that we will. And we will always remember the ones who restored our faith in the people of Midland. You helped us survive. Now let us help all of our children. They are the most precious gifts. Thank you, Midland! Wild horses couldn't drag us away now.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick W. Calhoun
Midland

Levine deserves support for condemning Israel

It should be appreciated by all of your readers that Steve Levine, an American of Jewish ancestry, called the present Israeli Likud policy of Palestinian mistreatment a physical and moral abomination.

He likened the midnight raids on Palestinian homes, beatings and breaking of bones by a U.S.-supplied Israeli military force killing and maiming the Palestinian population to that imposed on European Jews during the World War II Holocaust.

No doubt Levine will be subject to considerable static from those who feel that Israel can do no wrong. Not only does Levine deserve the support of your readers in this regard, but the same thrust must be clearly stated to our congressmen when it comes time again to vote on the issue of free, unrestricted U.S. military hardware for the Israeli government.

N.R. Rousselot
Midland

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Readers views on: Baskin-Taylor race

Taylor uniquely suited to be our district judge

For the past 20 years, I have observed the personal and professional life of Nick Taylor. For four years beginning in 1968, we served together as officer and director of an independent oil and gas exploration company with operations primarily in West Texas. During and since that time I have witnessed him deal with people, pressure situations and complex issues. I believe that Taylor is uniquely qualified and prepared to serve as our district judge.

After a distinguished military career, Taylor spent many years studying law at Harvard, Georgetown University and SMU. Critics that might try to pin the "liberal" tail on Taylor because of the universities that he attended absolutely know nothing about him, his attitudes or his beliefs. With Taylor, what you see and hear from him is what you get. His attitudes, beliefs, affiliations and positions are the same as those he had 20 years ago. He hasn't changed.

Both candidates running in the Republican Primary are and have been good citizens of Midland; serving the community, leading in important civic organizations and being good neighbors. I just happen to believe that Taylor will better serve our community as district judge. I don't like drug dealers ruining the lives of our young people. I don't like people that starve, burn, neglect and assault children. I like what Taylor will do to those people when convicted in his court. Taylor has a commanding knowledge of the laws of our state and nation, extensive courtroom experience, and the judgment to preside fairly, firmly and effectively.

I have confidence in Taylor's abilities. I trust his judgment and respect his integrity. I like him as an individual. He gets my vote for district judge.

Harold S. Eldridge
Midland

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Slurs about Baskin both unfair, untrue

I find the slurs and innuendos contained in recent letters from Ernest Angelo against Judge Pat Baskin to be unfair and untrue. I have known the Baskins, both professionally and personally, since they moved to Midland 34 years ago. To call Pat a "liberal" in a town where that word is anathema to most people is appalling. I am a moderate, conservative Republican and Pat is by far more conservative than I.

From what I know and have read, Pat's record as judge in the 142nd District Court is exemplary and we are fortunate to have a man of his integrity, intelligence, talent and fairness sitting on our court. We should be praising him, not vilifying him.

I know Midland voters will not accept these ridiculous accusations, but will search out the truth and "the truth shall set us free".

Vote for Judge Pat Baskin on Super Tuesday, March 8th!

Ruth Cole
Midland

Who knew Pat Baskin was switching parties?

As a registered voter, I have two questions for Judge Pat Baskin. Question 1: Is it a fact that when you switched from the Democratic to Republican Party that neither party was aware of your switch until you announced your intentions for re-election?

Question 2: Is sneaky necessarily better?

Elizabeth A. Hendon
Midland

New Hampshire primary could determine GOP nominee

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Hearst

NEW YORK — The exciting political contest that takes place in New Hampshire Tuesday could determine whether Vice President Bush or Senator Robert Dole will win the Republican presidential nomination in August, and quite possibly the White House in November.

It now appears highly probable that one of these two men will be nominated to battle the Democratic presidential candidate.

In my opinion, either one would make a good president. Vice President Bush has had more experience in foreign affairs. Senator Dole has had more experience in handling domestic problems, and, as president, he would probably have closer and more influential relations with Congress. Also, I think he is a better vote-getter.

There is a good deal of uncertainty at present how capable a president any of the current Democratic front runners would be. As the primary struggle spreads across the nation, we will get a better impression of the Democratic contenders' leadership qualifications.

Vice President Bush's stunning setback in Iowa means he must win in New Hampshire or face serious danger of losing the nomination. If Senator Dole should win, support for him in the primaries could snowball.

Bush will undoubtedly do better in New Hampshire than he did in Iowa, where 81 percent of the Republican caucus delegates did not vote for him. It was an ironic switch because it was the Iowa caucuses that propelled Bush, a former CIA director and Texas congressman, to national prominence in 1980 when he won over Ronald Reagan. He lost to Reagan in New Hampshire, but he has been front runner in that state's polls during the current campaign because its Republicans are strong supporters of the Reagan administration.

However, his lead was eroding there because Jack Kemp had been making some headway against him, but the New York congressman now seems to be slipping, following his poor showing in Iowa. The wild card in New Hampshire now appears to be Pat Robertson, the evangelist who scored a major victory over Bush by finishing in second place in Iowa.

As for the Democrats, neighboring Massachusetts Governor Michael Dukakis appears virtually certain of winning in New Hampshire. The race for second place will be between Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt and Illinois Sen. Paul Simon, the top two finishers in Iowa.

However, I'll be surprised if Gephardt does as well in New Hampshire as he did in Iowa. His "protectionist" trade policy and support for an oil import tax are not popular in the New England state, where the jobless rate is low and the state is heavily dependent on home heating oil. The Missouri congressman, who has been trying to project a John Kennedy image, has a reputation for opportunistic flip-flopping on issues. As the representative of a socially conservative St. Louis district, he sponsored some time ago a constitutional amendment to ban abortion. Since he started running for the Democratic presidential nomination, he has ceased to push for the amendment and has created the impression he favors free choice but without federal funding. In 1979, he opposed government regulation of hospital costs, but he is now co-sponsor of a bill that provides for heavy government regulation.

Sen. Paul Simon, who considers himself an "old-fashioned Democrat," finished only 4 points behind Gephardt in Iowa. He doesn't look very presidential, but neither did Harry Truman, who turned out to be a great president.

COURT RECORDS

COUNTY RECORDS
CRIMINAL CASES
TEXAS STATE DISTRICT COURTS
142nd District Judge Pat Boshin
238th District Judge Vann Culp
318th District Judge Barbara Culver
District Attorney Al Schorre

CRIMINAL FILINGS

Indictments
No indictments available this week.

CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

Sentences
Stephen Patino Hajera, pleaded guilty to possession of cocaine, sentenced to five years in state prison.
Roland Coco Poole, pleaded guilty to burglary of a habitation, sentenced to 20 years in state prison.

Probations
Jonathan Paul Tunnell, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamines, sentenced to six years probation.
Evelyn Denise Oudoma, pleaded guilty to robbery, sentenced to four years probation.
Wayne Clyde McNeil, pleaded guilty to aggravated possession of marijuana, sentenced to seven years probation.

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DWI Misdemeanor Convictions
Jerry Don Stapp, sentenced to three days in jail, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $100.
Mark VanFleet Miller, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
David Villareal, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
Lavon Juan Ballard, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $400.
Paul Stanton Davis, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
Jesse Holmer Mabry, Jr., reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
John Rendon Diaz, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
Dick Bench, sentenced to two years probation, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $600.
Charles W. Julian, sentenced to three days in jail, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $350.
Kevin Tad Tarver, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
Dorothy Brown Amie, sentenced to a year probation and fined $500.
Larry Joe Creech, sentenced to a year probation and fined $500.
Ricardo Sergio Herrera, sentenced to six months probation and fined $100.
Manuel Hinojos, Jr., sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $500.
Rose Ann Engelson, sentenced to a year probation, 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $500.
Miguel Onate, sentenced to a year probation and fined $500.
John Murphy Massingill, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
Jimmy Dale Sparks, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
Douglas Lynn Woolis, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
William Bryan Smith, sentenced to a year probation and fined $500.
Geraldine Tilley Davis, sentenced to a year probation and fined $700.
Juan Felipe Zarate, sentenced to a year probation and fined $600.
Donald Lee Yoder, sentenced to a year probation and fined $700.
Clifton Ray Price, sentenced to 18 months probation and fined $800.
Perrie Keith Moss, sentenced to a year probation and fined $350.
Jaime Madrid, sentenced to a year probation and fined $400.
Bobby Ray Daley, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
Jana Deann Carnes, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
Yolanda Y. Ramirez, sentenced to 18 months probation and fined $800.
William Anthony Coady, sentenced to a year probation and fined $600.
Joseph Villa, sentenced to a year probation and fined $700.
Thomas Paul Terrell, aka Thomas Paul Tyrrell, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
John Losoya Vela, sentenced to a year probation and fined $600.
Monje Mora Baltazar, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
Charles D. Marchant, sentenced to 18 months probation, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $600.
Michelle Kay King, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
Michael Glenn Rayos, sentenced to six months probation and fined $450.
Willie Joe Tyron, aka Willie James Toran, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
Lineal Lewis Sizemore, sentenced to two years probation and fined $1,000.
Rene Villoboe Ybarra, sentenced to a year probation, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $500.
Jerry Layne Upton, sentenced to a year probation and fined $600.
Raymond Donald Richardson, sentenced to three days in jail, a 90-day drivers license suspension and fined $100.
Susann Price Gilliam, sentenced to a year probation and fined $300.
John Franklin Kinsey, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
Kenneth Lee Cummins, sentenced to a year probation and fined $100.
Somchai Junong, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.

Pact signed to halt spread of weapons

The United States, Britain, the Soviet Union and 58 other nations signed the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty in 1968. It was designed to halt the spread of nuclear weapons.

SPELLING BEE 1988

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1988 Regional Spelling Bee March 26 at Midland College.

School spelling champions from Midland, Martin, Glasscock and Upton counties will compete for the top prize of an all-expenses-paid trip to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through March 25. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

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quotient — (noun) If you've ever done a division problem, you know that a "quotient" is the number resulting from the division of one number by another. For example, in the equation 8 divided by 4, 2 is the "quotient." It is derived from the Latin word "quotiens" which means "how many times;" in other words, how many times one number goes into (divides) another number. Other mathematical words in our language which can be traced to Latin include "add," "subtract," "multiply," "divide," "plus" and "minus."

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LETTER FROM COLLEGE

Sculptor Irland to give lecture prior to show

By H.A. TUCK



Tuck

Basia Irland, a renowned sculptor, will present two lectures at Midland College Monday while she is here preparing to open a show of work by her and ceramicist Phil Miller next week.

Ms. Irland will speak at 1 p.m. on the image of shelter in contemporary sculpture and at 7 p.m. her topic will be about her own works and how they evolve. Both lectures are free and open to the public.

They'll be given in Room 180 of the Allison Fine Arts Building.

Ms. Irland is associate professor and head of sculpture program, Department of Art and Art History, at the University of New Mexico. She received her BFA degree from the University of Illinois and her MFA from the University of Massachusetts.

The Irland-Miller show opens Feb. 22 and remains on display through March 25. It's one you'll want to see for sure.

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Midland College celebrates its Homecoming Monday when the Chaparrals are at home against the Howard College Hawks. Game time is 7:30 p.m. in the Chaparral Center.

Various clubs and organizations nominated their candidates and balloting was held last week for the Homecoming Queen, who'll be announced at halftime and honored at the Homecoming dance in the Student Center that night following the game.

The Midland-Howard game is the next-to-last regular season home appearance for the Chaps.

On Thursday, Midland visits Snyder for a game with Western Texas College at 8 p.m.

Last week of the season will have Midland at home Monday, Feb. 22, against South Plains College and on the road Thursday, Feb. 25, to play Frank Phillips College at Borger.

Midland is hosting four tournaments immediately after that: the Class 5A regional girls high school tourney Feb. 26-27, the Region V NJCAA women's tournament March 1-3, the Region V NJCAA men's tournament March 3-5, and the Class 5A boys regional tournament March 4-5. That's 20 games in nine days, which makes for lots of action...all of it at Chap Center.

All the Chaparral games are being broadcast on KCRS Radio, 550AM.

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This week's film in the economics series by Dr. Milton Freedman is "Who Protects the Worker?"

You can see the film free by going to Room 115 of the Occupational-Technical Building Tuesday at either 12:30 p.m. or at 6 p.m.

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Midland College's Board of Trustees is scheduled to meet in regular session at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the Board Room. The agenda seems to be filled only with routine items.

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First of three workshops in the college-sponsored Small Business Clinic starts Monday evening. This workshop concentrates on "Developing a Business Plan to Expand or Start Your Own Business" and will meet from 7-9 p.m. the next three Mondays, Feb. 15, 22, and 29. Participants will learn the importance of a business plan, marketing strategy, operations, personnel management, and finances. A computer lab on campus will assist participants in writing their own business plans.

Cost of this workshop is $10. To register, call 685-4657.

Two other workshops will follow, one on "Financial Management" and one on "Marketing: Potential for the Future."

Co-sponsoring the clinics are the Midland Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs, Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Service Corps of Retired Executives/Active Corps of Executives, Small Business Administration, JTPA, Midland Chamber of Commerce, and Students in Free Enterprise.

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As promised, here are some other facts about public community colleges as we celebrate Texas Community College Month:

Graduates of four-year institutions are about equal in where they began their college studies: 35 percent started in community colleges and 36 percent began as freshmen at a four-year institution.

Texas community colleges offer occupational training in more than 1,900 technical and vocational programs.

The U. S. Census Bureau reports those who graduate from a community college with an associate degree can expect a starting salary $3,612 higher than the average beginning salary for a high school graduate...and almost double the starting salary of high school dropouts.

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There's a great line-up of courses starting this week through the Continuing Education Department. You could choose from "Private Pilots Ground School," "Self-Hypnosis I," "Automotive Service Techniques I," "Home Landscape Design I or II," "Wonderful World of Travel," "Figure Drawing," or "Travel in Hong Kong."

These classes last from two weeks to more than two months. The Private Pilots Ground School costs $75, but all the other classes are $33 or less.

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Midland College is co-hosting a two-day meeting of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and Joint Training Partnership Act on campus Wednesday and Thursday.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director for Midland College.

EDUCATION

Lodges will meet

From Staff Reports

The Midland, Acacia and Centennial Masonic Lodges along with York Rite, Scottish Rite, Eastern Star, Beauceants, Shrine, Rainbow and DeMolay bodies on Monday will have an open meeting in honor of George Washington's birthday.

The meeting will be held at the Masonic Temple, 1600 W. Wall.

It will be a meeting for all members, families and friends with a dinner beginning at 6:30 p.m. and a program later with the Most Worshipful Grand Master Graham Childers as the main speaker.



Sally Hollmann

Chesapeake Manor is pleased to introduce Sally Hollmann as our newest Interior Designer. She and her husband, Bob, have recently returned to Midland. Sally is a longtime Midlander herself, so she knows West Texans well. They have a fifth grade son, Rob. Rob attends Emerson Elementary. They also have two lovely grown daughters, Kelly and Carrie Isaacs.

Sally has her Bachelor of Science degree from West Texas State University. She also has a Masters Degree in Counseling. With her background in design and art, she has taught art classes in her home. She also spent several years as a counselor at Midland College. We welcome her back into the field of Interior Design.

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MAKING THE GRADE

Carol A. Jessup, of H.C. 34, Box 200, No. 36, is a candidate for a doctor of musical arts degree at the University of Michigan.

Joseph C. Price, of 516 Holmsley, was selected to the dean's list at Sam Houston State University for the Fall 1987 semester.

Students at SHSU must be fulltime and have a grade point average of 3.5 or above.

Amy Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black, 28 Suffolk Lane, was named to the fall 1987 semester's honors list at Claremont McKenna College in Claremont, Calif.

Steven Conn, son of William Conn of Midland, was named to the dean's list at the University of South Carolina for the fall 1987 semester.

Students at USC who are fulltime and have at least a 3.5 grade point average are eligible for the honor.



Berry

Byron Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Berry of Midland, has been named the Negro Professional and Business Womens' Club's student of the month.

He is a Lee High School senior and plays varsity basketball. Berry sings in the youth choir at Macedonia Baptist Church and is a member of Who's Who Among High School Students.

He plans to attend college then law school before becoming a private investigator.



Jenkins

Durian Jenkins has been named the Fellowship of Christian Athletes Outstanding Student by the Village Kiwanis Club.

A Lee High School senior, Jenkins is an active member of the FCA and played wide receiver on LHS's championship football team.

He plans to attend college on either a baseball or football scholarship.

Thomas Leland McCracken and Christopher Busby, both of Midland High School, have won $1,000 scholarships, the Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers announced.



McCracken

McCracken has a 5.13 grade point average and is president of the Junior Engineering and Technical Society (JETS) at his school.

He plays on the Soccer Club, was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and was awarded the Colorado School of Mines Medal of Achievement in math and science.

He plans to attend either Texas Christian University or Rice University and major in aerospace engineering.



Busby

Busby has a 4.76 grade point average and is in the Bio-Med Club and JETS and plays the tuba in the band. He is a member of the National Honor Society and is an Eagle Scout. He plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in civil engineering.

Dayna M. Hawes, of Midland, has been names to The College of Santa Fe's president's honor roll for the fall 1987 semester.

To be named to the honor, a student must be fulltime and have at least a 3.8 grade point average.

Susan Stafford, of Midland, has been chosed one of 20 scholars to serve on the Academic Honor Society Mortar Board at Baylor University.

She is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, a leadership honor society, and Vice President of Pi Sigma Alpha, a political honor society. Miss Stafford is also a member of Alpha Mu Gamma, athe Russian Language Honor Society, the Foreign Service Association and Pi Beta Phi social sorority.

George Yarger, son of Mrs. Betty Yarger of Midland, was the sole recipient of Hardin-Simmons University W.F. Fry Memorial Endowed Scholarship during the fall semester.

Recipients of the award must be deserving of assistance, sound of faith and have a 2.5 grade point average.



Womack

Michael James Womack, has won the Dean's Honor Award at Texas A&M University from the College of Engineering for outstanding academic achievement during the fall 1987.

He scored a 4.0 for the fall semester and was initiated into Tau Beta Pi, a national engineering honor society that semester as well.

Anne Harkrider and Steve Lilley were named students of the week by the Midland Downtown Rotarians this past week.



Harkrider

Miss Harkrider, daughter of Carolyn and James Harkrider, is her senior class treasurer. She is a member of the National Honor Society, the Student Council Presidents Cabinet, Young Life and the Campaigners.

She plans to attend the University of Texas and major in business.

Lilley

Lilley is the son of Ed and Janie Lilley. He was a student council representative during his freshman and senior years.

Lilley is a member of the National Honor Society, the football and soccer teams.

He plans to attend Texas A&M University and get a degree in electrical engineering before obtaining a master's degree in business.

Lee Ann Holder, Lola Josha Powers, Byron David Myers and Stacie Lynne Wetsel, all of Midland, have been listed on the dean's honor roll for the fall 1987 semester at Abilene Christian University.

To be listed on the honor roll, a student must be enrolled fulltime and earn at least a 3.45 grade point average.

SBOE refuses to ban paddling

AUSTIN (AP) — The State Board of Education on Saturday denied a petition to ban the paddling of students in public schools.

There was no discussion before the voice vote was taken except for the comment that the petition also had been rejected Friday, 4-0, by the Committee for Students.

On Friday, State Education Commissioner W.N. Kirby told the committee he did not believe the board had the authority to outlaw corporal punishment.

Schools now set their own policies on paddling of students.

The petition was presented by Jimmy Dunne of Houston, a former math teacher who is the founder and executive director of People Opposed to Paddling of Students, Inc., or POPS.

Dunne said a bill had been introduced in the 1987 Legislature to prohibit paddling but failed to clear a Senate committee.

In other action Saturday, the Board of Education:

— Tentatively approved a rule that would authorize the board to impose penalties on textbook publishers in cases of official complaints, violations of statutes or rules, or procedural irregularities.

— Tentatively adopted a rule requiring school districts to establish local policies for compensatory, or remedial, education programs.

Three schools' PTAs to meet

Santa Rita PTA Board will meet Feb. 26 at 9:30 a.m. in the school library.

Bonham PTA will hold a meeting Feb. 16, Tuesday, at 7 p.m. The second grade will present the program "The Fifty Nifty States" in the cafeteria.

The 7th grade Health Unit Curriculum and Procedures will be discussed for Alamo parents at 7 p.m. Tuesday during the regular meeting of the Alamo PTA.

A similar parent orientation will be held for each Junior High prior to beginning of the Health Unit at that school.

SCHOOL MENUS

FEB. 15 — 19
MIDLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday — PUPIL HOLIDAY

Tuesday — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, buttered toast, grape juice, milk. **Lunch:** Toasted cheese sandwich, tator tots, ketchup, vegetable soup, milk, peanut butter bar.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Hot cereal, buttered toast, orange juice, milk. **Lunch:** Barbeque chicken, corn, blackeye peas, fruited gelatin, wheat roll, butter, milk.

Thursday — Breakfast: Pig in a blanket, applesauce, milk. **Lunch:** Nacho grande, refried beans, lettuce, tomato salad, milk, cinnamon roll.

Friday — Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, fruit cup, milk. **Lunch:** Hot dog on a bun, french fries, ketchup, cole slaw, milk, chocolate cake.

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Monday — PUPIL HOLIDAY

Tuesday — Lunch: Macaroni with cheese, ham, green beans, pears, cookie, milk.

Wednesday — Lunch: Chicken sandwich, lettuce, pickles, potato rounds, pebble pudding, milk.

Thursday — Lunch: Chili, grated cheese, crackers, tossed salad, apple pie, milk.

Friday — Lunch: Hamburger, hamburger salad, potato chips, sliced peaches, cake, milk.

GREENWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday — Lunch: Fish nuggets, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, peanut and raisin cups, hot rolls, milk.

Tuesday — Lunch: Barbeque on a bun with relish, tator tots, baked beans, chocolate cake, milk.

Wednesday — Lunch: Fiesta salad, pinto beans, lettuce tomato salad, cheese, taco sauce, gelatin with fruit, milk.

Thursdays — Lunch: Beef dip stew, cheese sticks, carrot sticks, corn bread, cherry cobbler, milk.

Friday — Lunch: Hot dogs with relish, french fries, relish, cheese cups, applesauce, fruit bars, milk.

GISD honored for partnership with Texas Tech

From Staff Reports

Because of its partnership with Texas Tech University in attempting to more effectively teach students thinking skills, Greenwood Independent School District has been recognized by the Southwest Educational Development Lab as a school of "Promising Practices."

In cooperation with SEDL's Rural, Small Schools Initiative, GISD agreed to work with Tech to develop a model, which can be replicated by other small, rural schools, for infusing thinking skills into class curricula.

Jean Schwisow, curriculum director at GISD, Dr. Billy Askins, associate dean from Texas Tech University; and Sue Ashwood, Region 18 Education Service Center consultant, conduct inservice training sessions for five administrators and 49 teachers at Greenwood.

In the sessions, teachers examine tactics for teaching thinking. The teachers are then expected to implement the tactics in their classrooms.

Such efforts by Greenwood, Tech and SEDL represent nationwide concerns about the effective teaching of thinking skills. Because of the program's apparent success, Schwisow, Askins and James Brooks, president of GISD's Board of Education, have been invited to present the model at the National Association of Teacher Educators in San Diego next week.

The growing concern about the education of the nation's youth has caused the encouragement of collaborations and partnerships to meet educational and financial challenges.

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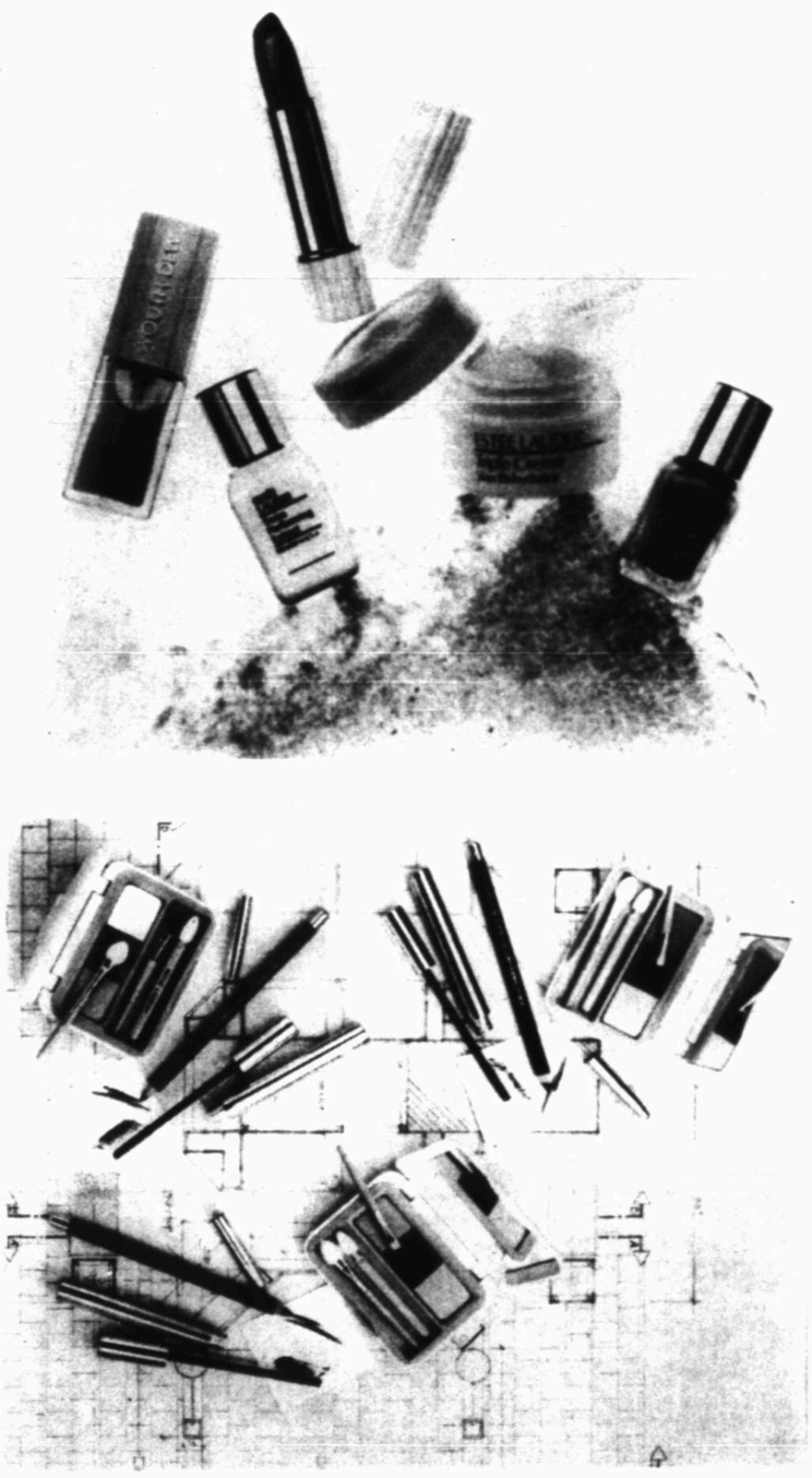
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STATE IN BRIEF

Women can be scoutmasters

IRVING (AP) — Boy Scouts of America officials have voted to allow women in leadership positions, including scoutmaster, ending a policy often challenged in court of providing only male leadership, a spokesman said Saturday.

The Boy Scouts had successfully defended legal challenges over its policy for the past 12 years, but decided to drop the restrictions because the court challenges had become too costly, BSA spokesman David Corti said.

Corti, a spokesman at the BSA's Irving, Texas, headquarters, cited the "great cost to the organization, both in terms of money and in the perception of what we are. We have, however, won our court cases and probably would continue to do so."

The Boy Scouts' National Executive Board voted for the change Thursday during a meeting in Washington, D.C., said Barclay Bollas, national news editor for the Boy Scouts.

HL&P won't protest fine

BAY CITY (AP) — Houston Lighting & Power Co. officials say they will not protest a $75,000 fine imposed against them by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for violations at the South Texas Nuclear Project.

HL&P, managers of the estimated $5 billion plant, has 30 days to pay the civil penalty or to protest it, said NRC spokesman Frank Ingram.

Company spokesman Glen Walker said Friday the company would not challenge the fine.

"We found (the problem), we reported it, we fixed it," Walker said. The fine, he said, would not affect customers' rates.

"It's not unusual for them to levy a fine," Walker said of the NRC. "We knew there was a possibility they would."

The violations, initially found and reported by HL&P and later confirmed by NRC inspectors, occurred last October and November while the plant's Unit I was doing pre-start-up testing, but before it had begun power operations, Ingram said.

'Old marrieds' celebrate

HOUSTON (AP) — Sweet 16 couples who have been married for 50 years or more celebrated Valentine's Day early and both say love is the key to staying married.

The "newlyweds" at a Friday afternoon party were Mary and Jack Beauchamp, who celebrated their 50th anniversary last month.

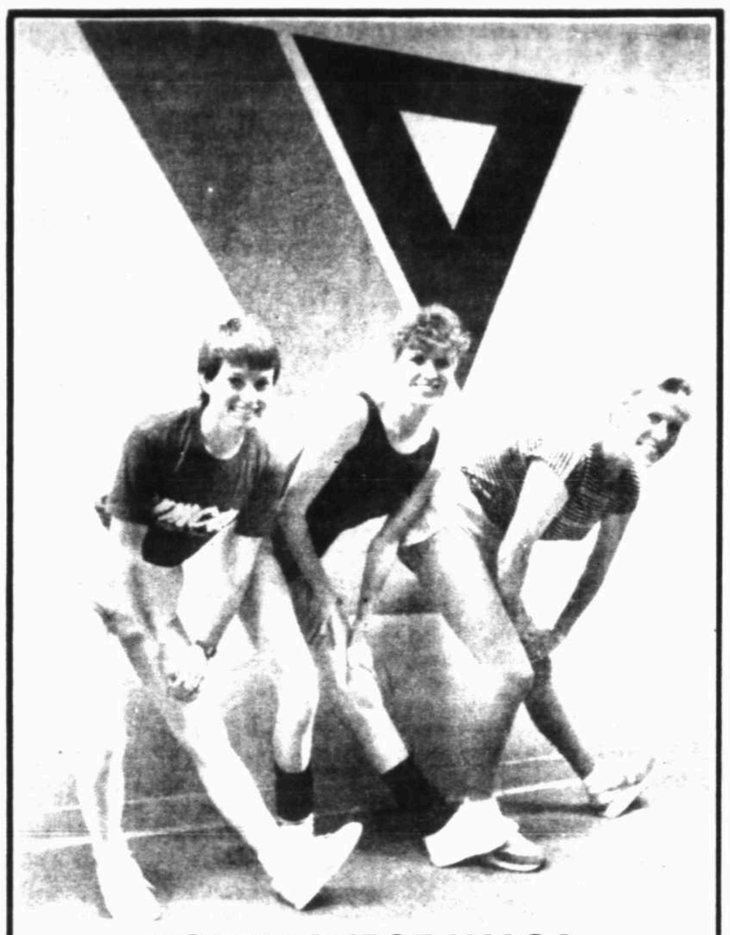
The "old marrieds" were George and Edith Thackeray, who said, "I do" on Sept. 19, 1923. She had just graduated from high school in Port Huron, Mich., and he was recently discharged from the Army.

Sixty-four years later, they're still hugging and kissing.

"There's no secret," says Mrs. Thackeray. "We just love each other."

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CSS is currently preparing the noon weekday meals for Casa de Amigos and the Senior Activity Center as well as the Share-A-Meal weekend home delivered program. All meals are prepared and delivered from the Fuhrman Center kitchen.

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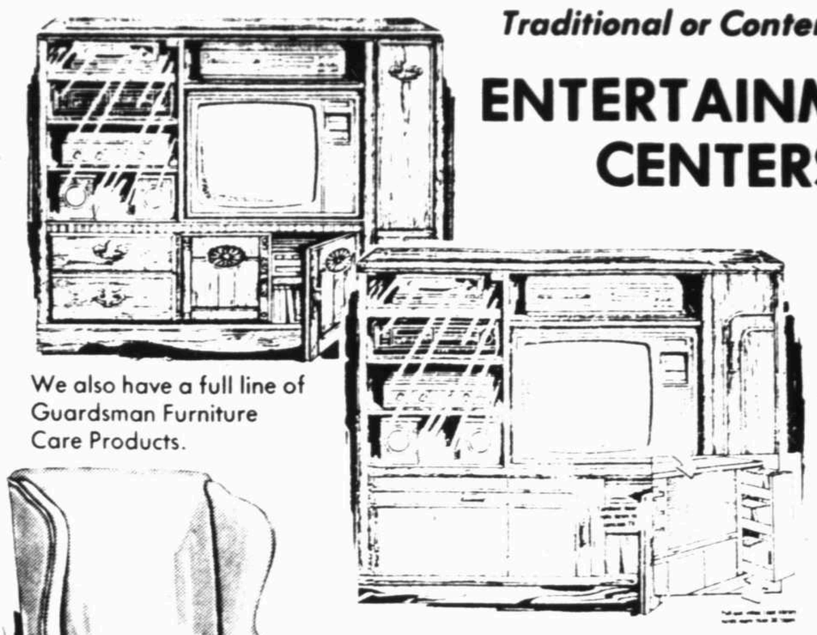
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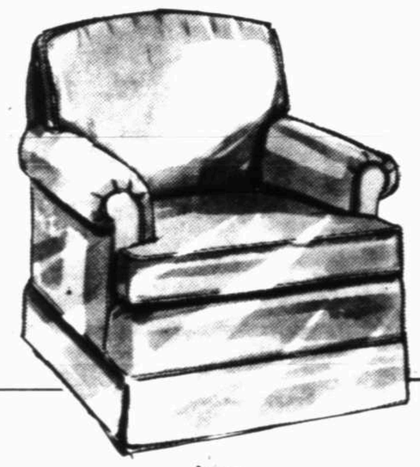


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Frost charges money would be used to demolish housing

DALLAS (AP) — Federal and local housing authorities entered into a deal to take more than $2 million from sale of one public housing complex and use the proceeds to destroy another unit, U.S. Rep. Martin Frost charged.

The proposal, involving efforts to raze most of the low-income housing in Dallas, prompted the promise of a congressional hearing and an outcry from public housing advocates.

Frost, D-Dallas, made the statements Friday as a Feb. 1 letter from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to the Dallas Housing Authority was released.

The letter outlined DHA's plan to set aside $2.6 million from its sale of the Washington Place housing complex to destroy 2,600 housing units in West Dallas.

"Congress passes a law prohibiting federal funds from being used for a specific purpose and the Reagan administration slinks in the shadows, diverting other funds to accomplish the outlawed objective," said Frost in a written statement.

Frost had pushed into law in December an amendment prohibiting use of federal funds to raze low-income housing in West Dallas.

"HUD wants to renege on its commitment to renovate and instead use the funds to tear down more public housing in Dallas," said Frost. "This is an outrage."

In 1984, the 347-unit Washington Place complex was sold to Baylor University's Medical Center for $9.5 million. DHA officials then pledged to earmark most of the funds to renovate other public housing projects.

The chairman of a congressional subcommittee on housing said he would convene a hearing into DHA operation. U.S. Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez, D-San Antonio, chairs the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development.

John Fullinwider, an organizer with the Concerned Citizens to Save West Dallas, said local housing officials were "obsessed" with demolishing West Dallas units and were "betraying" their constituents.

A severe shortage of low-income housing exists in Dallas and housing authorities are trying to reduce the number of available units, Fullinwider and Frost claimed.

Blocking the demolition would benefit powerful city leaders who wanted to keep the poor and minorities out of predominantly white neighborhoods, said Michael Daniel, attorney for tenants in a desegregation lawsuit against DHA.

DHA Executive Director Jack Herrington said he could not discuss the Washington Place proposal because of pending litigation on the segregation suit.

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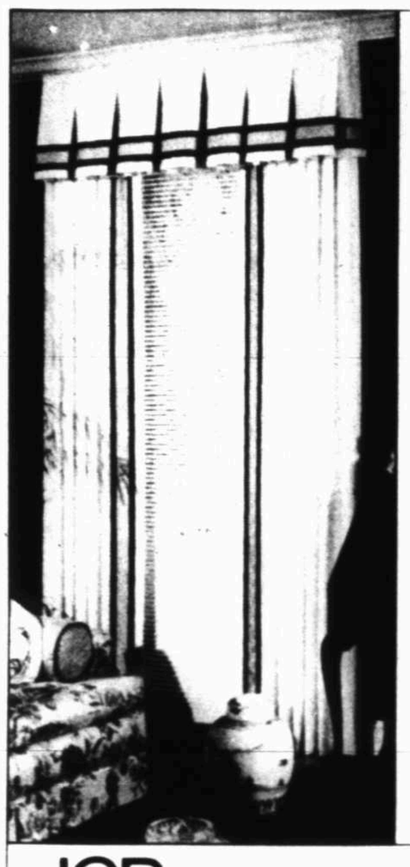
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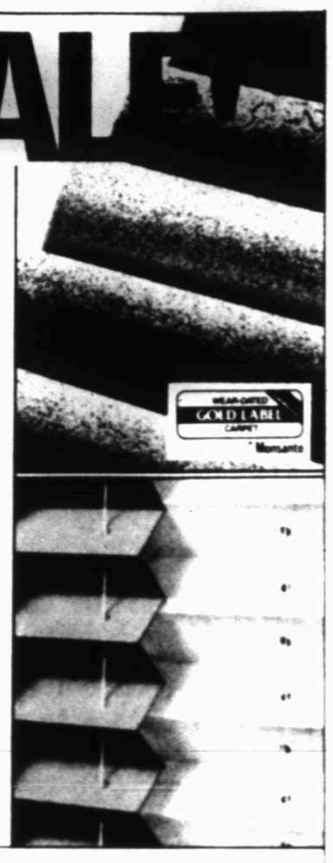
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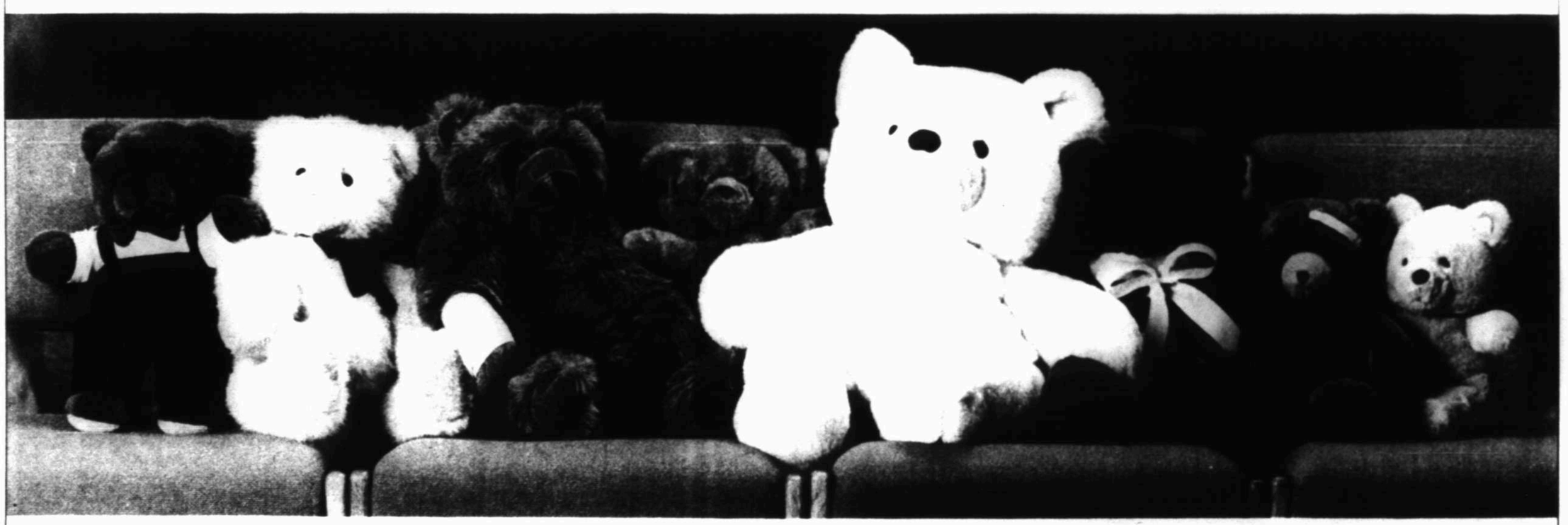


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It's all part of the Teddy Bear Clinic, for kids accompanied by their parents — and teddy bears accompanied by their owners. And it's all free, this Valentine's Day, from 1 to 6 p.m., with tours and teddy bear admissions starting every 20 minutes. The Teddy Bear Clinic is a community project from the volunteers of the Midland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

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Railey maintains he's 'not guilty of anything,' and regrets lawsuit

DALLAS (AP) — Former Methodist minister Walker Railey, accused in a civil lawsuit filed by his in-laws of choking his wife nearly to death, maintained his innocence in an interview with the Dallas Morning News.

"My response to the allegations in the suit are the same they have been all along: I'm not guilty of anything and don't have anything to fear on that point, but it's just another process we've all got to go through and I'll go through it appropriately and responsibly and totally," Railey told the newspaper in copyright stories Saturday and Sunday.

"I regret the lawsuit because it puts all the family — the Nicolai family and me — under an even added amount of pressure," Railey said in his first interview since he moved to San Francisco last year.

Since the lawsuit was filed last week by Billie Jo Nicolai, Railey has resorted to living in hotels and with friends instead of in his own leased apartment in San Francisco, where he moved from Dallas last fall.

Railey, former senior minister of the First United Methodist Church in downtown Dallas, said he has stayed away from the apartment because news reporters and photographers have staked it out.

"I'm keeping a low profile because people are sitting out in front of my flat and I resent that," Railey said. "I know the press is doing its job and I'm just trying to live my life. At this point, there seems to be difficulty in making both of those things work."

He said the constant attention and news reports have also made him weary and resentful. "I'm in a situation where my silence makes people wonder and, when I talk, the way it's used (in the media) also makes people wonder," Railey said, describing the dilemma as being "between the devil and the deep blue sea."

Railey has said he found his wife, Margaret "Peggy" Railey, strangled nearly to death the night of April 21 in the garage of their home. Mrs. Railey has been comatose since the attack and is in a Tyler nursing home.

The lawsuit filed on Feb. 2 by Mrs. Nicolai, Peggy Railey's mother, accuses Railey of maliciously and knowingly trying to choke his wife to death. The petition seeks unspecified damages to cover Mrs. Railey's past and future pain, suffering and anguish from the attack.

Railey moved to San Francisco in November after giving guardianship of his wife to her parents and custody of his two children to friends.

Mrs. Railey's brother, Ted Nicolai, recently said that his family wants Railey held accountable for the attack. He said the Nicolai family is bitter at Railey for turning his back on his wife and children.

But Railey denied that had happened.

"I didn't run away from my children. I didn't run away from anything. That's been terribly distorted in the press," he said. "I won't respond to what the family has said. But in the last 10 months of my life, I have done the best I could do on every level of my life."

Railey said he moved to the Bay area in search of a new life, free from inquisitive reporters, jeering neighbors and what he described as a climate of guilt in Dallas.

"I get the impression that most people's minds have been made up a fairly long time," he said. "I give the press credit for that. I was tried and convicted by the public media very early."

Court officers have been unable to locate Railey to serve him formal notification of the civil suit, but Railey denied "trying to dodge the papers."

He declined to review a copy of the lawsuit offered by the Morning News, saying he wanted to first discuss the matter with his Dallas attorney, Doug Mulder.

As for his wife, Railey said, he felt he could say no more than that he is keeping tabs on her "Given the nature of everything, I've been cautious in my remarks about Peggy."

Railey wouldn't give an account of the night his wife was attacked, and he also declined to talk about his relationship with Dallas psychologist Lucy Papillon, who told a grand jury last July that she had been having an affair with Railey and who late last year signed a one-year lease with Railey on his San Francisco flat.

King's Kids show that dream lives on

Mrs. Polk tells King's Kids about pushing beyond the boundaries of race, gender and economic class.

FORT WORTH (AP) — During a delay in a Martin Luther King Jr. birthday event, Sylvester Jones was asked to recite a speech to entertain a restless crowd.

Amid the talking and laughing, Jones confidently approached the stage.

With two high tops planted firmly on the hardwood floor and the top of his 10-year-old head barely visible above the lectern, he began to speak.

By the time he was done, he had the undivided attention of more than 100 adults.

When he had completed his dramatic rendition of King's "Desired Eulogy" speech, a few in the crowd had reached near tent-revival emotions. As he exited, some adults dabbed their eyes and others stood in applause.

Some were amazed that a fifth-grader could learn so many big words, commit them to memory and present them in a style more common to politicians and ministers four times his age.

The amazing thing is Jones isn't the only one.

He is one of the Original King's Kids, a group of Fort Worth fifth- and sixth-graders led by teacher Chary Polk. Through sacrifices of money, time and a few automobiles, this physical education instructor is teaching children about equal rights, non-violent social change and the life of Martin Luther King Jr.

Jones is one of about 32 group members, all but two of whom are from Dunbar Middle School Sixth-Grade Center. They memorize the speeches of King and present them in a polished, evangelical style, seldom missing even a pause.

They learn about King's life and family. They practice speeches and songs year-round twice a week for 1½ hours. That's not counting their performances at church services, banquets and other gatherings.

And the effort is strictly voluntary.

Because February is Black History Month, these talents are in high demand.

After sponsoring several Black History Month programs herself, Mrs. Polk started King's Kids in 1985 by asking five kids from among her fifth- and sixth-grade physical education classes if they would like to learn more about the slain civil rights leader.

Not affiliated with any school, they had no place to meet. Before being allowed the use the Dunbar High School choir room this year, they practiced in a number of churches. For their initial meetings, they piled into Mrs. Polk's car on the school parking lot, shivering in winter, sweltering in late spring, practicing King's speeches and singing every song a cappella until they reached the piano at the performance site.



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Eric Walker of Fort Worth recites from memory a speech originally delivered by Dr. Martin Luther King.

She tells King's Kids about pushing beyond the boundaries of race, gender and economic class.

And the King's Kids are listening.

On a recent practice day in Dunbar's choir room, Mrs. Polk bounces around on her beige tennis shoes, reminding the 29 attentive faces of the four types of songs King's Kids learn — "spirituals, anthems, hymns and contemporary."

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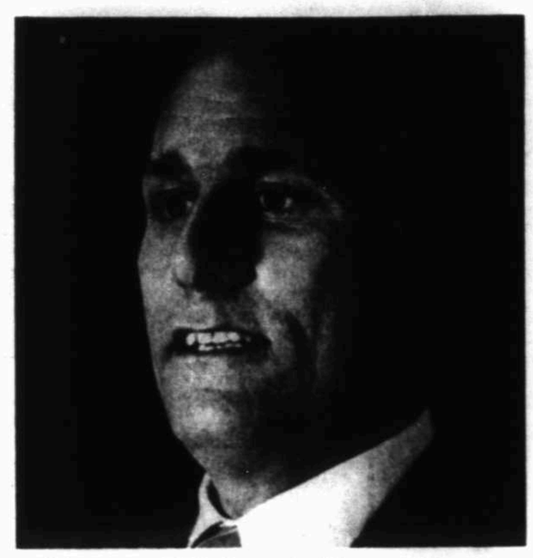
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SMU beats Arkansas to move into tie for first in SWC

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Six straight points by Southern Methodist's Kato Armstrong broke a 53-53 tie and propelled the Mustangs to a 73-63 victory over Arkansas on Saturday to move into a tie for the Southwest Conference basketball lead.

Both teams are now 8-3 in the SWC. Arkansas is 17-5 for the season, while SMU is 19-5.

Arkansas had erased an eight-point deficit in the second half with an 11-3 run and tied the game at 49 on a follow-up shot by Ron Huery. After an exchange of baskets the Razorbacks grabbed their only lead of the second half when Lang followed a Huery miss with a two-footer off the glass with 6:27 to go.

After Eric Longino's 19-footer evened the game at 53, SMU's Glenn Puddy intentionally fouled Arkansas' Keith Wilson, fouling out in the process. But, Wilson missed both free throws and Mario Credit then missed a five-footer on the possession. Carlton McKinney rebounded Credit's miss and fired it down to Armstong, who laid it in for the lead despite a foul by Cannon Whitby. Armstrong made the free throw and 18 seconds later got another three points on a layup and a free throw after Allie Freeman fouled, putting SMU up 59-53 with 4:30 remaining.

Layups by Mario Credit twice brought Arkansas within four, the last time at 61-57. SMU then got a free throw from Armstrong and a slam from McKinney to go up 64-57 at 1:34.

Houston 62, Texas 51

HOUSTON — Houston's Richard Hollis scored 17 points and the Cougars scored the final 11 points to break open a close game and defeat the Texas Longhorns 62-51 in Southwest Conference basketball Saturday night.

The Longhorns, who beat Houston 66-63 in an earlier game this season, tied the score for the last time at 51-51 with 2:55 to play on a basket by Jose Nassar.

A 3-point basket by Horace Chaney with 2:38 to play put the Cougars ahead to stay in a game that was tied 16 times.

Travis Mays led Texas with 15 points and Alvin Heggs added 14.

Mays sank a pair of free throws with two seconds left in the first half for a 24-22 lead at intermission.

There were seven ties in the first half with Houston's Richard Hollis tying the score at 22-22 with 1:11 to go on a free throw.

The score was tied six more times in the second half before Houston scored six straight points for a 44-38 lead, the largest of the game to that point, with 6:55 left in the game, setting up the final charge.

Both teams suffered through a cold-shooting first half with Texas hitting 32 per cent from the field and Houston hitting 36 per cent of its shots.

Texas Christian 73, Rice 58

FORT WORTH, Texas — Texas Christian rode the outside bombing of Rod Jacques, John Lewis and Danny Hughes. Jacques, with his 25 points, and Hughes with his 16, both equaled their career scoring highs, while Lewis poured in 19.

The victory lifted TCU even with the Owls and a half-game behind idle Texas Tech in the scramble to avoid the SWC cellar and qualify for the post-season SWC tournament in Dallas on March 11-13.

The Frogs, now 9-13 overall, and Rice, 6-16 in all games, are both 3-8 in SWC play. Texas Tech stands 3-7.

Sports Briefs



AP Laserphoto

Loren Roberts grimaces after blowing a putt in Hawaiian Open.

Zokol's 11 one putts good for Hawaii lead

From Wire Reports

HONOLULU, Hawaii — Canadian Richard Zokol one-putted 11 times in a 7-under-par 65—202 that gave him a two-shot lead Saturday in the third round of the $600,000 Hawaiian Open Golf Tournament.

Zokol, two shots back at the start of the day's play, opened with an eagle and pulled away with some critical putting down the stretch. He saved par with a 20-foot putt on the 15th, birdied the 16th from 10 feet, birdied the 17th from 25 feet and one-putted for par on the final hole.

Mark Brooks and Loren Roberts, two other non-winners, shared second going into today's final round. Tom Watson and Lanny Wadkins each had an eagle and each shot 66 in the warm, windy weather. They were only three back of the leader at 205.

PGA Seniors

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. — Al Geiberger, recovering from a slow start, birdied three of his last six holes to pull into a tie with defending champion Chi Chi Rodriguez after three rounds of the 49th PGA Seniors Championship.

Geiberger finished with a 1-over-par 73 on the windy Champion course at PGA National, while Rodriguez made his only birdie on the 17th hole and shot 71 for a 54-hole total of 3-under-par 213.

Allison Goody's winner

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Bobby Allison knew he needed some help to get past Darrell Waltrip with two laps remaining Saturday in the Goody's 300 stock car race. He found the drafting partner, his son Davey, moved past Waltrip and then held off Geoff Bodine to win the crash-filled race.

Allison, one of the main contenders in today's Daytona 500, collected $30,550 from a purse of $379,095. He averaged 132.825 mph for the 300-mile event that was slowed six times by caution flags.

LPGA Sarasota

SARASOTA, Fla. — Beth Daniel matched par Saturday in the third round of the Sarasota Classic to take a two-stroke lead into final 18 holes of the $225,000 LPGA tournament. Daniel, who has 14 victories and $1.3 million in earnings during a nine-year pro career, is at three-under 213. Patty Sheehan, Jody Rosenthal and Shelley Hamlin share second place at 215.

Rosenthal, who has two wins in the last two years, shot two-over 74 to tie for second. Hamlin, 38, had the low round Saturday, a 68. She has one victory in a 15-year career, capturing the Patty Berg Classic in 1978.

Daniel's last victory came at the end of the 1986 season when she ended a two-year drought.

At last, Winter Olympics begin

By LISA LEVITT RYCKMAN

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — Crowds bundled in down and warmed by the Olympic spirit braved frigid cold and blustery winds Saturday for the opening ceremonies of the XV Winter Games.

To the beat of Indian drums, torch bearers Ken Read and Cathy Priestner circled McMahon Stadium with the Olympic flame as the 88 runners who carried the torch across Canada looked on.

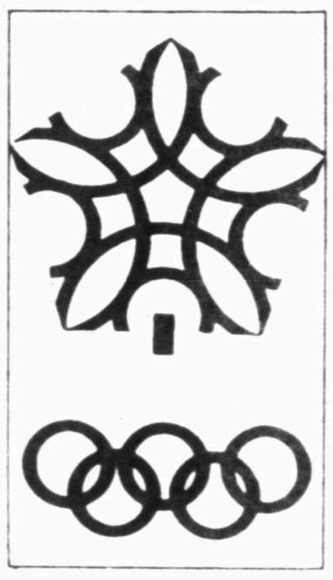
Music filled the icy air as 12-year-old Robyn Perry lit the flame inside the huge bronze cauldron, signalling the start of the games.

The Snowbirds from the Royal Canadian Air Force circled over the stadium where 60,000 spectators donned multicolored ponchos for a human picture. The maple leaf of the Canadian flag took shape on one side; the interlocking Olympic rings on another. The number 88, white against a blue background, appeared in two corners.

Indians on horseback, rodeo trick riders and Royal Canadian mounties paraded before the crowd, which roared its appreciation. More than once, a human wave rippled around the stadium, including the stands where the athletes sat.

Hundreds of balloons in the Olympic colors of blue, red, green, black and yellow soared into the sky, but one balloon didn't make it. A massive creation of purple, blue and green hues — a mountain range in the center of the stadium — sprang a leak along the north peaks and quickly deflated, despite the best efforts of 75 jumpsuit-clad volunteers.

Before the ceremonies began, clusters of ticket holders not ready to face the cold milled around under cover, sipping hot drinks to fortify themselves.



Vendors in bright yellow Ghostbusters-style outfits walked through the stands, dispensing hot chocolate from black boxes on their backs.

The temperature was 27 degrees when the pageant began; 21 when it ended two hours later.

"It's not so cold; it'll be worth it if I get to see the hockey team," said John Fife, 11, of Calgary, who was swathed from head to toe in fur and goose-down. "I've been looking forward to this for weeks."

White sand, a sort of substitute snow, covered the floor of the arena for the parade of 57 countries, including more than 160 in the U.S. contingent led by flagbearer Lyle Nelson, a biathlete.

Most of the countries chose sensible down parkas and ski caps for the march, with notable exceptions. The Americans wore long overcoats — cream for the women, navy for the men — and white Sam Spade-style fedoras with navy bands.

The Canadians, who marched in to a standing ovation, dressed in bright red overcoats with white shoulder fringe and white cowboy hats; the Soviets wore fur and red scarves; and the New Zealand team sported short leather jackets and motoring caps.

Rock and country music blasted through the stadium, which held a dazzling array of 6,000 dancers, singers and other performers, all dressed in brilliantly colored costumes designed to withstand sub-zero cold.

Outside the stadium, crowds holding bunches of balloons lined the route of the Olympic torch bearers, who ended a cross-country relay with the lighting of the Olympic flame.

Ten Canadians, all former Olympians, carried in the Olympic flag, first presented in 1914 by Baron Pierre de Coubertin, founder of the modern Olympic Games. As the flag reached the top of the mast, 1,000 pigeons were set free, representing messengers capable of reaching all the world's countries with news that the Games have begun.

The birds circled above the stadium and headed east toward Brooks, Alberta, where the owners of the first three to return will receive gold, silver and bronze medals.

Spectators who made it through the entire two-hour ceremony probably deserve medals as well. Forecasters warned that frostbite was a possiblity for people without proper clothing.

'The trick is to keep moving,' said Anneka Davidson, who left 90-degree temperatures in Palos Verdes, Calif., on Thursday. "I roasted on the plane, but I knew I had to come dressed. It would be worth seeing something like this even if it were 15 below."



AP Laserphoto

Bonnie Hoff carries Olympic torch into Calgary as part of the opening ceremonies for the Winter Games.

Lee, Cooper girls vie at Colorado City Monday

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

Midland Lee's Lady Rebels have put together a five-game winning streak just in the nick of time and now need victory No. 6 to vault into the state playoffs.

The Rebels will travel to Colorado City Monday night to face Abilene Cooper in a 7:30 p.m. contest that will send the winner to the bi-district playoffs against either Amarillo Tascosa or Lubbock Monterey.

Both Cooper and Lee finished district play with identical 9-3 records to tie for second place. That is why the one-game playoff is being held to see which of the two teams earns the district's runner-up playoff berth.

Tickets for the game will be sold at the door in Colorado City at $2 for adults and $1 for students.

Cooper and Lee have split games this year. Cooper walloped Lee by a 69-42, 27-point margin the first time the two teams met in Abilene. Lee came back with a 46-40 win at home in the second half of the District 4-5A race and both teams lost to 12-0 league champion San Angelo, who has already earned a bi-district playoff berth.

The key to the Lee season was its 33-point turnaround against Cooper from the first meeting to the second and Lee coach Shirley Stephenson doesn't have a pat answer of just how her Rebs were able to turn the trick.

"It hasn't been easy," said Stephenson. "All I know is sports is kind of crazy anyway. You can go out and lose by 20 and come back and win by 20. We had the same kind of thing happen to us a couple of years ago against San Angelo when we lost badly down there and came back and won at home. You just never know in this game."

It would appear, however, that Lee might own a slight edge heading into Monday's game with Cooper. Lee is probably playing its best basketball of the season while Cooper appears to be slipping a bit, losing two games in the second half and playing really close in some others.

"I'm proud of the way our girls are playing right now," said Stephenson. "They've worked really hard and have been playing at a fever pitch the last couple of weeks."

Regardless of who wins, the victor will have its hands full in the bi-district round against either Tascosa or Monterey. District 3-5A has lost only one bi-district round game to 4-5A since 1983 when the UIL adopted the two-team per district playoff format.

Lee has never beaten a 3-5A team in the bi-district round and Cooper has never been to the state playoffs.

"It's been close sometimes and we've been blown out sometimes,' said Stephenson. "We were very close to Monterey a couple of years ago when we played them in Lamesa. But we really can't worry about that right now. We have to beat Cooper first and that's chore enough. You can't win or lose in bi-district unless you get there first."

Tascosa and Monterey tied for first place in 3-5A, forcing a one-game playoff to decide which team enters the playoff as the district champion and which one will go as the district runnerup. That game is also set for Monday in Plainview.

Senior post Monica Ramirez paces the Rebel scoring attack, averaging 11.5 points per outing. Ramirez has scored in double figures in 11 straight games, upping her average from 8.9 to the current level. She is averaging 15.5 points per game during that run.

Ramirez is the only Rebel averaging in double figures, but Lee has good scoring potential from Leah Burnett (7.8), Kristi Grady (7.6) and Khristie Davis (7.0). Collette Dooley rounds out the starting lineup with a 5.8 average and Stephenson has a solid bench to turn to with Mary Ann Isom and Gina Navarette the keys.

U.S. defeats Austria, 10-6

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — The U.S. hockey team made a quick start Saturday night in its bid to regain Olympic respectability, beating Austria 10-6 behind two goals and two assists of 1984 veteran Corey Millen.

The game was close for just over one period then Craig Janney and Allen Bourbeau scored 84 seconds apart in the second period to give United States a 4-1 lead.

MC takes forfeit victory

Clarendon College fails to show

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

Clarendon College was a no-show for the scheduled 2 p.m. Western Junior College Athletic Conference game with the Midland College Chaparrals Saturday, giving MC a 2-0 forfeit victory without one swish of the net.

No one is quite sure why Coach Joe Mondragon's squad didn't make the 2 p.m. date, but apparently Mondragon thought it was a night game.

"I called his (Mondragon's) wife and she told me that they didn't leave until noon. It takes over four hours to get here from Clarendon," said MC coach Reggie Franklin. "Obviously, he thought it was a night game."

This was the second time this year that MC and Clarendon have failed to make connections. Saturday's game was a make-up game from Jan. 28 when Mondragon's son came down with a bad case of pneumonia. Mondragon has no assistant coach, so Franklin had agreed for a make-up game Saturday at Chaparral Center.

"The day Clarendon said they couldn't come we agreed for a 2 p.m. Saturday game," said Franklin. "Coach (Delnor) Poss told them it would have to be an afternoon game because I definitely could not be there for a night game."

Franklin was scheduled to take part in the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce style show Saturday night.

Poss, Midland College's athletic director, was out of town Saturday in Abilene while being inducted into the Hardin-Simmons University Hall of Fame.

It is not known if Mondragon and his team ever reached Midland, but it is known that he left Clarendon.

"It has to go down as a forfeit," said Franklin. "We were here and ready to play."

H.A. Tuck, Midland College's information director who is ever on the lookout for another record to scribble down in his fact sheets, managed to make the most of the Clarendon no-show.

"It's another record for Midland College," said Tuck. "Two forfeits in one season. Another 2-0 score."

Midland College also won a forfeit from Texas State Technical Institute of Waco on Nov. 26 when TSTI coach Carl Love angrily pulled his team off the floor against MC in the first round of the Odessa College Classic after three quick technicals against Love gave him an automatic ejection from the game.

However, those two teams played almost eight minutes of the first half before becoming a forfeit. MC led TSTI by a 38-23 margin when Love took his team from the game and walked out.

The forfeit victory solidifies MC's quest to finish at least fourth in the WJCAC. The Chaps now stand at 8-4, still in fourth but two games ahead of the 6-6 Hawks of Howard College. The top four teams from the WJCAC earn the right to compete in the Region V tournament, which will be held this year in Midland.

The Hawks come to Chaparral Center Monday for a 7:30 p.m. game with MC, desperately needing a victory to stay in the stretch hunt.

"It's a big game for us and them," said Franklin. "You always hope that your team really begins to gel at this time of the year."

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TV Sports....

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OLYMPIC GAMES- 11 a.m.-5 p.m., 6-10 p.m., 10:30-11 p.m., ABC.

AUTO RACING- Daytona 500, noon, CBS.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL- UCLA-Notre Dame, noon, NBC. North Carolina-Virginia, 3 p.m., ESPN.

NBA BASKETBALL- Celtics-Lakers, 2:30 p.m., CBS.

GOLF- Hawaiian Open, 3:30 p.m., NBC.

Trivia Teaser...

Sunday's Question- The Montreal Expos player who set a record for being hit by a pitch 50 times in a season?

Saturday's Answer- NBA Rookie of the Year and MVP in the same season: Wes Unseld (1968-69) and Wilt Chamberlain (1959-60).

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Figure Skating
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Pairs Short Program, 7:45 p.m.
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At Canada Olympic Park
70 meters, 2:30 p.m.
Luge
At Canada Olympic Park
Men's first and second runs, 11 a.m.
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Speed Skating
At Olympic Oval
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At Max Bell Arena
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Baseball is back...Spring training begins this week

Old faces wind up with new ball clubs

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

The Olympics are starting, Michael Jordan is dominating and Doug Williams is America's latest hero.

Who cares? Pitchers and catchers report Thursday.

Baseball is back. Spring training begins this week when the World Series champion Minnesota Twins and 17 other teams open camp.

Billy Martin is also back — again. So is Bob Horner. Along with the possibility of another strike in the near future.

Steve Garvey is gone. So is player Pete Rose, although he resists the word "retire." Reggie Jackson also may have taken his last big swings.

Jack Clark, Kirk Gibson, Dave Parker, Lee Smith, Bob Welch, Phil Bradley, Brett Butler, Danny Jackson, Floyd Bannister and Richard Dotson have new homes in the major leagues.

Bill Gullickson, Bill Madlock and Doug DeCinces have new addresses in Japan.

THE NEW YORK Mets, Kansas City Royals and Cincinnati Reds have new training sites in Florida.

But the Chicago Cubs, now with manager Don Zimmer leading the hope for their first pennant since 1945, still spend the spring at cozy Ho Ho Kam Park in Mesa, Ariz.

Some things stay the same in the best game of all.

Like the questions that make spring training so delightful. Who will be this season's top rookies, the hot prospects that seem destined for Cooperstown?

Maybe shortstop Kevin Elster of the Mets. Or slugger Joey Meyer with Milwaukee. Might be Jack McDowell of the Chicago White Sox. Perhaps Glenallen "Thrill" Hill of Toronto.

WHO WILL be the surprise teams this year?

Maybe Oakland, now with Parker, Welch, Matt Young and Don Baylor. Could be those Los Angeles bleubloods, having added Gibson, Jay Howell, Jesse Orosco, Alfredo Griffin and Mike Davis.

"I'm prepared to open a new chapter in my career and a new era for the Los Angeles Dodgers. I believe they are committed to restoring the winning tradition," Gibson said. "I just enrolled at the University of Lasorda."

Gibson left Detroit and signed a three-year, $4.5 million contract with the Dodgers after being given a second chance at free agency by arbitrator Tom Roberts, who ruled owners conspired to restrict the market in 1985.

Two more collusion grievances filed by the players' union are still pending. There is a chance Tim Raines, Andre Dawson, Jack Morris and Lance Parrish could get the same opportunity as Gibson later this year.

Owners and players are also griping about other issues, fueling speculation there will be a strike in 1990 when the Basic Agreement ends. Both sides are posturing and waiting.

CLARK did not wait. He left St. Louis and signed a two-year contract with the New York Yankees, who charged back into the multimillion-dollar free agent sweepstakes.

"I'm coming over here to do some hittin'," Clark said.

Clark will join Martin, in his fifth term in manager, along with Rafael Santana — the only major leaguer ever traded between the New York teams — Dotson, John Candelaria, Don Slaught and Lee Guetterman at Yankee Stadium, where the fence in left-center field has been moved in from 411 feet to 399.

This weekend, snow is covering the field in the Bronx. There is plenty of time before the regular season opens April 4 with St. Louis at Cincinnati and Milwaukee at Baltimore.

For now, the games that matter — even though they don't count — is March 3. That's when Kansas City plays Florida State University in the Grapefruit League opener and the Cubs faces Mesa Community College in the first Cactus League game.

The Royals shifted their spring camp from Fort Myers to Baseball City, a new complex near Orlando. The Reds moved a few miles from Tampa to Plant City.

The Mets left St. Petersburg on the Gulf Coast to the Port St. Lucie on the Atlantic Ocean side. The Mets' first exhibition game March 5 against Los Angeles has been sold out for awhile.

Minnesota still works out near Disney World, perfect for a team that completed a dream season in 1987 by destroying inside its DecibelDome. The Twins made no major changes in the off-season — a dangerous pattern in the past — except in their payroll, which zoomed as Frank Viola, Kirby Puckett, Gary Gaetti and others signed rich new contracts.

"It's important for this club to keep key players from our championship team for a couple of years," Twins general manager Andy MacPhail said.



Billy Martin
...back with Yankees



Pete Rose
...to retire or not to retire

Permian off to fast start with golf win

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — Odessa Permian is off to a fast start as far as the high school spring golf season is concerned after posting a two-day score of 630 Saturday to win the ECISD Invitational tournament.

El Paso Hanks was second with a 634 and was followed by Abilene High, 647; Borger, 652; Permian No. 2, 653; Midland Lee, 657; Amarillo, 664; El Paso Coronado, 675; and Midland No. 2, 683.

Midland High's No. 1 team didn't enter the meet and will make its debut in the Abilene Invitational next week. Lee is also entered in the Abilene meet.

Permian's Ben Bangert took medalist honors with a 75-76-151.

Despite the strong start by Permian, Midland High golf coach John Ford expects an exciting District 4-5A race this year.

"It's going to be a good district race because I don't really think there is any one dominate team," said Ford. "It's as even as its been since I've been here and that's eight years."

Lee fell from fourth place on Friday to sixth place on Saturday.

"I was a little disappointed that we dropped a couple of places in the standings," said Lee coach Ronnie Stephens. "Considering the lack of experience, we still feel like we will be competitive. Our kids know they can play better than they did in this tournament."

Lee was paced by Randy Milby's 76-84-160 and was followed by Bo Brown, 85-84-169; Kelly Daviss, 85-84-169; J.J. King, 84-83-167; and Jamie Wallace, 79-82-161.

MHS's No. 2 team was composed of Jay Roseberry, 79-84-163; Ty Kretzinger, 84-86-170; Danny Secker, 86-88-174; Carle Ware, 89-87-176; and David Wilson, 93-91-184. MHS's No. 1 team of Donny Doan, Ted Newman, Chris Doan, Mike Johnson and Mark Smith will make their spring debut next week in Abilene.

Vanderbilt sinks Ole Miss

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Will Perdue scored 17 points and Barry Goheen 15 Saturday night No. 17 Vanderbilt beat Mississippi 93-68 in the Southeastern Conference, the Commodores' 14th victory in 15 home games.

Vanderbilt, 15-5 and 9-4, made 9 of 13 3-pointers. The Commodores led 46-33 at halftime.

Tim Jumper scored 18 points to lead Mississippi, 9-12 and 3-9. Roderick Barnes added 17 and Charles Prater 10.

Baseball Capsules

While sixlome and saichows will be common sights in cold Calgary this week, major league baseball heats up in Florida and Arizona with sliders and sluggers. Here's a look at where and when:

National League

Atlanta Braves Municipal Stadium, West Palm Beach, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23.

New Faces
Center fielder Terry Blocker, shortstop Buddy Biancalana.

Game plan
Pitching unsettled. Youngsters Marty Clary, Tommy Greene and John Smoltz will be given a good look. Center field job could go to Blocker.

Chicago Cubs Ho Ho Kam Park, Mesa, Ariz.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 25

New Faces
Manager Don Zimmer, reliever Calvin Schiraldi, starting pitcher Al Nipper, infielder Vance Law.

Game plan
The Cubs hope Schiraldi can fill Lee Smith's stopper role. First baseman Leon Durham and third baseman Keith Moreland may yet be traded.

Cincinnati Reds at Plant City Stadium, Plant City, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 20; Full Squad, Feb. 24

New Faces
Infielder Angel Salazar, starting pitcher Danny Jackson, middle reliever Jose Rijo, second baseman Jeff Treadway.

Game plan
Cincinnati is looking for a backup catcher for Bo Diaz. Terry McGriff and Mark Berry are candidates.

Houston Astros Osceola County Stadium, Kissimmee, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23

New Faces
Shortstop Rafael Ramirez, starting pitcher Joaquin Andujar, catcher Marc Sullivan.

Game plan
Houston needs a left-hander in the bullpen.

Los Angeles Dodgers Holman Stadium, Vero Beach, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23

New Faces
Outfielder Kirk Gibson, shortstop Alfredo Griffin, outfielder Mike Davis, relievers Jay Howell and Jesse Orosco, starting pitcher Don Sutton.

Game plan
Who's on first, second and third? Manager Tommy Lasorda has to figure out where to play everybody. Gibson is slated for the outfield along with Davis. But where does that leave Pedro Guerrero and Mike Marshall? Steve Sax is moving from second to third and shortstop Mario Duncan is moving to second.

Montreal Expos Municipal Stadium, West Palm Beach, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 22; Full Squad, Feb. 25

New Faces
Shortstop Luis Rivera.

Game plan
Rivera, .312 hitter at Indianapolis, may take over at shortstop with Hubie Brooks moving to the outfield.

New York Mets St. Lucie Sports Complex, Port St. Lucie, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 26

New Faces
Reliever Jack Savage, catcher Phil Lombardi, outfielder Darren Reed. None figure to leave Florida with the Mets.

Game plan
Keep the pitching healthy and the troops happy. Manager Davey Johnson is a lame duck manager and that could cause problems. Rookie Kevin Elster is taking over at shortstop.

Philadelphia Phillies Jack Russell Stadium, Clearwater, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 19; Full Squad, Feb. 24

New Faces
Left fielder Phil Bradley, center fielder Bob Dernier, starting pitcher David Palmer.

Game plan
The Phillies will give shortstop Ken Jackson the job if he has a good spring. Phils as usual need pitching help.

Pittsburgh Pirates McKechnie Field, Bradenton, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 19; Full Squad, Feb. 23

New Faces
Pittsburgh will be looking at several catching prospects this spring including Tom Prince, Mickey Sasser and Ruben Rodriguez.

Game plan
Keep momentum going. The Pirates closed strong last season, giving the Mets and Cardinals fits. They lack a big RBI man.

St. Louis Cardinals Al Lang Field, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 26

New Faces
Starting pitcher Jose DeLeon, first baseman Bob Horner.

Game plan
Keep Horner healthy and hope Coleman can steal 160 bases.

San Diego Padres Desert Sun Stadium, Yuma, Ariz.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23

New Faces
There's a good chance Tony Gwynn will be joined in the outfield this season by Shawn Abner and Randy Byers.

Game plan
First, the Padres would like to avoid a 14-42 start. The team is still rebuilding and manager Larry Bowa has lots of young talent to look at this spring including reliever Todd Simmons and first baseman Brad Pounders.

San Francisco Scottsdale Stadium, Scottsdale, Ariz.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 26

New Faces
Center fielder Brett Butler, infielder Phil Garner.

Game plan
Matt Williams may move in at third, moving Kevin Mitchell to outfield or utility role.

American League

Baltimore Orioles at Miami Stadium, Miami.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 24

New Faces
Outfielder Joe Orsulak, starting pitcher Mike Morgan, reliever Doug Sisk.

Game plan
Improve on last season's 5.01 team ERA. Infielder Pete Stanicek impressed the Orioles last September.

Boston Red Sox at Chain O'Lakes Park, Winter Haven, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 24

New Faces
Relievers Lee Smith and Dennis Lamp.

Game plan
A healthy Oil Can Boyd means a solid starting rotation to go with Smith. Sox have the likes of Sam Horn, Mike Greenwell and Todd Benzinger for a full season.

California Angels at Train Mesa, Ariz. Gamoes Palm Springs.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23

New Faces
Outfielder Chili Davis, starting pitcher Don Petry, outfielder Chico Walker.

Game plan
The Angels plan to move veteran second baseman Johnny Ray to left field and put Mark McLemore back at second.

Chicago White Sox at Payne Park, Sarasota

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 26

New Faces
Outfielder Lance Johnson, relievers Ricky Horton and John Davis, outfielder Dan Pasqua, catcher Mark Salas.

Game plan
Johnson, a Vince Coleman clone, will play center field. With pitchers Rich Dotson, Floyd Bannister and Jose DeLeon all traded, rookie Jack McDowell could end up ace of the staff. He was 3-0 with a 1.83 ERA last September.

Cleveland Indians at Hi Corbett Field, Tucson

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 21; Full Squad, Feb. 24

New Faces
Reliever Greg Harris.

Game plan
Lots of rumors involving trade of Mel Hall or Brook Jacoby for a starting pitcher.

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Scratchpad

RICHMOND DISCOURAGED— Tim Richmond says even if NASCAR clears him to drive in today's Daytona 500, he isn't likely to run in the race. "I could find a ride, I think without a doubt, but to be honest, I don't feel comfortable or safe on a NASCAR-sanctioned track at this time. If I were to spin or crash, it would just give them more ammunition."

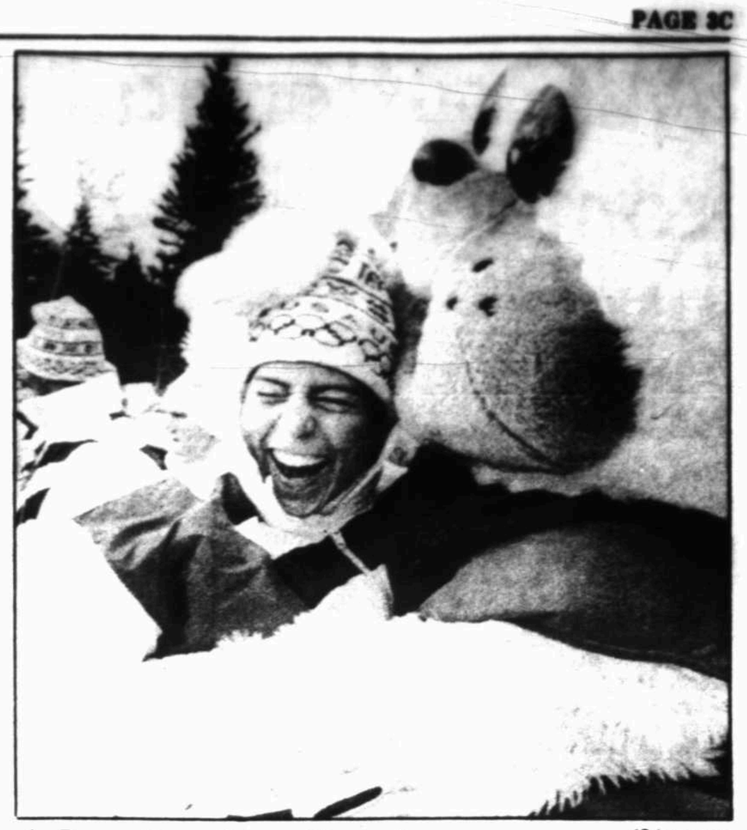
MILTON WINS PBA— Tom Milton, capitalized on his opponent's only bad shot to capture the title in the Professional Bowlers Association Miller Lite Classic defeating rookie Rick Steelsmith, 233-221...

EDBERG WINS— Top seed Stefan Edberg gained the final Rotterdam Grand Prix tennis tournament by defeating Michiel Schapers 6-3, 6-3. Miloslav Mecir advanced, defeating Jonas Svensson 6-2, 6-3.

LEAVES PACKERS — Green Bay assistant Jerry Wampfler has accepted an offer to become offensive line coach of San Diego Chargers.

ANOTHER DERBY HOPEFUL— Jack Van Berg, who trained Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner Alysheba will have 14 Triple Crown nominees, incluging Quavo and The M.V.P., owned by Midland's Dorothy Scharbauer, co-owner of Alysehba....

ASU's BROCK WINS 800th— Jim Brock recorded his 800th win as Arizona State coach Saturday when his Sun Devils used 16 hits to pound the Texas Longhorns 15-2 in college baseball play. Brock, who is in his 17th season at Arizona State, ranks eighth among active coaches. The loss was the worst ever for Texas' Cliff Gustafson since he became the Longhorn coach in 1968. The Sun Devils, 12-1 on the year, scored all 15 of their runs in a three-inning span in the fourth, fifth and seventh. Of their 16 hits, nine went for extra bases, including seven doubles.



AP Laserphoto

A Bear Hug from Howdy

Elizabeth Youngman gets a hug from Olympic mascot, Howdy, upon arriving at Calgary.

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Saturday's Scores

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Memphis St. 67, South Carolina 61
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Montevallo 86, Talladega 66
Morehouse 83, Lane 70
N. Carolina A&T 74, S. Carolina St. 64
N. Carolina St. 101, Louisville 89
N.C. Charlotte 82, Old Dominion 81
N.C. Wesleyan 72, Averett 62
N.C.-Asheville 72, Baptist Coll. 65
N.C.-Greensboro 77, Va. Wesleyan 66
Navy 90, East Carolina 88, OT
Newberry 67, S.C.-Spartanburg 66
North Georgia 87, Kennesaw 75
Nova 68, Barry 74
Randolph-Macon 71, Pitt.-Johnstown 48
Richmond 62, George Mason 60
Roanoke 86, Washington & Lee 76
Rollins 110, Eckerd 75
Shaw 91, Fayetteville St. 86
South Alabama 89, South Florida 79
Southern Tech 68, Georgia Coll. 52
St. Thomas, Fla. 56, St. Leo 53, OT
Tenn. Temple 83, Covenant 77
Tenn.-Martin 59, Mississippi Col. 50
Thomas More 93, Alice Lloyd 83
Transylvania 84, Union, Ky. 79
Trevecca Nazarene 100, Christian Brothers 93, OT
Troy St. 124, Tuskegee 83
Vanderbilt 93, Mississippi 66
William Carey 69, Tougaloo 67
Wingate 83, Catawba 81, OT
Wofford 84, Voorhees 61

MIDWEST

Albion 67, Olivet 56
Anderson, Ind. 75, Indiana-Southeast 72
Augustana,S.D. 81, S. Dakota St. 77
Bowling Green 80, Toledo 70
Bradley 96, Creighton 66
Butler 86, Detroit 81, OT
Calvin 90, Alma 84
Cedarville 99, Wilmington, Ohio 87
Cent. Michigan 80, Kent St. 46
DePauw 84, Washington, Mo. 63
Defiance 76, Mount Vernon Nazarene 70
Dordt 87, Briar Cliff 74
Dubuque 84, Central 46
E. Illinois 76, Cleveland St. 71
Evansville 86, DePaul 83
Ferris St. 95, Grand Valley St. 86
Findlay 94, Ohio Dominican 70
Hanover 77, Manchester 66
Hillsdale 92, Michigan Tech 75
Illinois 83, Michigan St. 66
Illinois Col. 98, Cornell, Iowa 97
Illinois St. 82, Drake 74
Illinois Weslyn 94, Elmhurst 66
Indiana St. 93, Tulsa 86, 2OT
Indiana Tech 114, Oakland City 107
Kalamazoo 80, Adrian 73
Kansas 82, Iowa St. 72
Kearney St. 89, Mo. Western 83
Malone 94, Bluffton 80
Marian, Ind. 70, Grace 66
Marion 92, Goshen 78
Marycrest 97, Iowa Weslyn 86
Michigan 92, Indiana 72
Midland Lutheran 96, Dana 84
Minnesota 82, Northwestern 67
Mount Union 72, Heidelberg 66
Muskingum 71, Capital 64, OT
N. Colorado 63, North Dakota St. 61
N. Dakota St. 77, Morningside 66
N. Illinois 94, Cent. Connecticut St. 80
N. Iowa 81, Valparaiso 77
Nebraska Weslyn 84, Doane 66
Nebraska-Omaha 77, Mankato St. 73
Northwestern, Iowa 110, Westmar 80
Ohio Northern 83, Marietta 80
Ohio St. 76, Wisconsin 53
Ohio U. 83, Ball St. 63
Ohio Weslyn 108, Oberlin 80
Peru St. 66, Mount Marty 54
Purdue-Calumet 90, NE Illinois 85
Roosevelt 84, Olivet Nazarene 82
Rose-Hulman 89, Fisk 52
Saginaw Val. St. 91, Oakland, Mich. 86
St. Cloud St. 88, South Dakota St. 81
St. Joseph's, Ind. 91, Ind.-Pur.-Ft. Wayne 81
Taylor 86, Franklin 56
Viterbo 91, St. Scholastica 50
W. Michigan 74, Miami, Ohio 61
Wabash 86, Ind.-Kokomo 64
Wayne, Mich. 87, Northwd. Mich. 84
Waynesburg 116, Urbana 92
Wichita St. 83, S. Illinois 81
William Penn 80, Loras 47
Wis.-Platteville 83, Wis. Superior 69
Wis. Whitewater 92, Wis.-Riv. Falls 66
Wittenberg 87, Baldwin-Wallace 77

SOUTHWEST

Austin Col. 100, Tarleton St. 63
Hardin-Simmons 76, Houston Baptist 57
N. Texas St. 74, Stephen F. Austin 67
NE Louisiana 86, SW Texas St. 72
Oklahoma 112, Kansas St. 96
S. Arkansas 74, Hendrix 63
Sam Houston St. 66, NW Louisiana 59
Southern Meth. 73, Arkansas 63
St. Mary's, Texas 87, Mary Hardin-Baylor 72
Texas Christian 73, Rice 56
U. of the Ozarks 81, Henderson St. 63

FAR WEST

Brigham Young 86, Colorado St. 80
California 82, Washington St. 76
Colorado 73, Oklahoma St. 71
Colorado Mines 83, W. New Mexico 66
Missouri 81, Nev.-Las Vegas 79
Montana St. 95, Nevada-Reno 82
Oregon 87, Arizona St. 82, OT

NBA Sums

CLEVELAND (103)

Hubbard 9-9 2-4 20, Williams 0-2 2-2 2, Daugherty 3-11 6-6 12, Harper 11-17 2-3 24, Price 8-16 6-6 22, Corbin 3-6 3-4 9, Johnson 3-7 1-2 7, Benson 1-1 0-0 2, West 1-1 1-2 3, Ehlo 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 40-71 23-29 103.

NEW YORK (130)

Green 4-11 2-2 10, Walker 7-12 1-2 15, Ewing 8-9 2-3 18, Jackson 5-12 4-6 15, Wilkins 9-18 2-4 22, Cartwright 8-9 4-4 20, Cummings 1-4 0-0 2, Newman 3-6 6-8 12, Tucker 2-3 0-0 4, Donovan 1-2 0-0 2.Totals 48-86 21-26 130.

Cleveland	30	22	31	20—103
New York	22	31	36	31—130

3-Point goals—Wilkins 2, Jackson. Fouled out—Harper. Rebounds—Cleveland 40 (Daugherty 13), New York 39 (Green 7). Assists—Cleveland 29 (Price 9), New York 32 (Jackson 12). Total fouls—Cleveland 21, New York 26. Technicals—Harper, Cummings. A—13,057.

CHICAGO (73)

Sellers 2-6 4-4 8, Oakley 2-8 0-1 4, Brown 2-3 0-0 4, Jordan 9-22 9-10 27, Sparrow 0-2 0-0 0, Corzine 5-11 1-2 11, Pippen 4-11 1-6 9, Threatt 1-3 4-4 6, Grant 1-3 0-0 2, Paxson 1-2 0-0 2, Walters 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 27-71 19-26 73.

DETROIT (92)

Rodman 8-13 3-4 19, Mahorn 5-11 1-2 11, Laimbeer 3-7 1-1 7, Dumars 6-13 2-3 14, Thomas 2-14 4-4 8, Johnson 4-11 1-2 9, Salley 7-12 0-1 14, Lewis 2-7 0-0 4.Totals 39-88 12-17 92.

Chicago	19	19	18	17—73
Detroit	22	21	23	26—92

Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Chicago 47 (Oakley 10), Detroit 62 (Rodman 19). Assists—Chicago 17 (Oakley, Sparrow, Threatt, Paxson 3), Detroit 29 (Thomas 7). Total fouls—Chicago 14, Detroit 22. Technicals—Chicago Coach Collins, Rodman. A—40,389.

NHL

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	28	22	6	62	192	194
NY Islanders	26	23	6	58	212	196
Washington	26	26	6	58	191	177
Pittsburgh	24	24	9	57	218	224
New Jersey	26	28	5	56	199	222
NY Rangers	22	27	7	51	214	206

Adams Division

Boston	34	20	5	73	229	187
Montreal	30	19	10	70	217	190
Buffalo	26	23	9	59	196	218
Hartford	24	26	7	55	174	181
Quebec	22	28	4	48	191	206

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	26	20	8	64	224	190
St. Louis	26	26	5	57	193	190
Chicago	23	29	5	51	201	231
Minnesota	16	32	9	41	174	235
Toronto	17	32	9	43	211	246

Smythe Division

Calgary	34	17	8	74	275	212
Edmonton	31	19	7	69	256	199
Winnipeg	24	22	9	57	211	207
Los Angeles	21	33	5	47	221	260
Vancouver	19	32	7	45	200	225

Saturday's Games

Vancouver 6, Boston 5
Hartford 4, Montreal 1
Toronto 7, Philadelphia 4
St. Louis 5, Detroit 3
Quebec at Minnesota, (n)
Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, (n)

Sunday's Games

Islanders at Rangers, 12:36 p.m.
Calgary at Washington, 12:35 p.m.
Buffalo at Chicago, 1:35 p.m.
New Jersey at Toronto, 6:05 p.m.
Quebec at Winnipeg, 7:05 p.m.
Vancouver at Edmonton, 7:05 p.m.

St. Louis 1 2 3—6
Vancouver 1 3 3—7

First Period—1, St. Louis, McKegney 27 (Hrkac), 7:22.
Second Period—2, St. Louis, Gilmour 24 (Federko, Hunter), 1:47. 3, St. Louis, McKegney 26, 2:30. 4, Detroit, Zombo 1 (Oates), 8:14.
Third Period—5, Detroit, Yzerman 44 (Klima), 1:5. 6, Detroit, Halward 3 (Klima, O'Connell), 2:26 (pp). 7, St. Louis, Meagher 14 (Ramage), 4:37. 8, St. Louis, Dark 3 (Hrkac, McKegney), 18:22.
Shots on goal—Detroit 17-7-8—32. St. Louis 4-19-9—32.
Power-play Opportunities—Detroit 1 of 4, St. Louis 1 of 8.
Goalies—Detroit, Hanlon (32 shots-27 saves). St. Louis, Millen (32-29).
A—17,662.

Boston	2	3	0	—5
Vancouver	1	3	2	—6

First Period—1, Boston, Simoneti 2 (Bourque, Sweeney), 5:08. 2, Boston, Lehmann 1 (O'Dwyer), 6:53. 3, Vancouver, Skrtko 21 (Benning, Pederson), 16:46.
Second Period—4, Vancouver, LeBlanc 11 (Adams), 20. 5, Boston, Linseman 21 (Crowder, Miller), 1:14. 6, Boston, Thelven 4 (Courtnall, Borque), 9:52 (pp). 7, Vancouver, Skrtko 22 (Sandlak, Butcher), 11:26. 8, Boston, Courtnall 28 (Crowder), 12:09. 9, Vancouver, Butcher 5 (Tanti, Stanley), 17:49.
Third Period—10, Vancouver, Benning 4 (Skrtko, Pederson), 10:13 (sh). 11, Vancouver, Wickenheiser 5 (Saunders, Boyd), 16:06.
Shots on goal—Boston 12-10-4—26. Vancouver 8-14-9—30.
Power-play Opportunities—Boston 1 of 4, Vancouver 0 of 2.
Goalies—Boston, Keans (30 shots-24 saves). Vancouver, Ceprice (26-21).
A—13,831.

SWC Boxes

SMU (73)

Thomas 2-3 2-5 6, McKinney 7-15 0-1 16, Puddy 0-0 2-2 2, Armstrong 7-18 13-16 28, Longino 6-12 2-2 15, Perdue 0-0 0-1 0, Alexander 1-4 4-4 7, Winborn 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-52 23-31 73.

ARKANSAS (63)

Huery 3-11 5-6 12, Moore 0-0 3-4 3, Lang 4-8 0-0 8, Freeman 1-2 2-2 4, Scott 2-7 0-0 4, Credit 7-9 3-6 17, Marks 0-0 0-0 0, Wilson 3-5 5-8 11, Whitby 1-6 1-2 4, Brunt 0-0 0-0 0, Baker 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 21-47 19-26 63.

Halftime—SMU 37, Arkansas 32. 3-point goals—SMU 4-12 (McKinney 1-5, Alexander 1-3, Armstrong 1-2, Longino 1-2) Arkansas 2-12 (Huery 1-4, Whitby 1-5, Scott 0-3. Fouled out—Puddy, Lang. Rebounds—SMU 36 (Thomas, McKinney 6), Arkansas 30 (Huery, Lang, 7). Assists—SMU 9 (Armstrong 3), Arkansas 11 (Huery 5). Total fouls—SMU 22, Arkansas 24. A— 9,302.

TEXAS (81)

Jeans 2-4 0-0 4, Broadway 1-3 0-2 2, Mays 6-16 2-2 16, Gipson 0-0 0-0 0, Nasser 5-20 2-4 12, Green 0-1 0-0 0, Heggs 5-14 4-6 14, Muller 2-4 0-2 4. Totals 21-61 8-16 51.

HOUSTON (82)

Brown 2-6 3-6 7, Chaney 4-14 2-3 11, Ferreira 8-8 4-4 14, Hollis 6-12 4-6 17, Upchurch 3-6 1-2 7, Grant 2-8 0-0 4, New 0-0 0-0 0, Russell 0-0 2-2 2, Drewnick 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-60 16-26 62.

Halftime—Texas 24, Houston 22. 3-point goals—Texas 1-7 (Mays 1-4, Jeans 0-1, Broadway 0-2), Houston 2-14 (Chaney 1-6, Hollis 1-3, Grant 0-3) Fouled out—Mays. Rebounds—Texas 44 (Heggs 13), Houston 36 (Ferreira 10). Assists—Texas 13 (Broadway 4), Houston 13 (Hollis 7). Total fouls—Texas 22, Houston 16. A—4,443.

RICE (86)

Willie 4-13 1-2 13, Holmes 3-5 0-0 6, Gilchrist 8-12 1-2 13, Tanner 1-7 0-0 2, Robertson 8-13 8-7 16, Irving 0-0 0-0 0, Scott 0-0 0-0 0, Daniels 0-1 0-0 0, Girardi 3-6 0-0 8, Ruffcorn 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-57 8-11 86.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN (73)

Jacques 9-18 7-7 25, Boutelle 2-6 0-1 4, Willis 1-4 0-0 2, Hughes 5-8 2-2 16, Lewis 8-15 3-5 19, Promayon 1-1 1-2 3, Chase 1-3 0-0 2, Rieschoover 0-0 2-2 2, Jefferson 0-0 0-0 0, President 0-0 0-1 0, Wharton 0-0 0-1 0. Totals 27-56 15-21 73.

Halftime—Texas Christian 36, Rice 34. 3-point goals—Rice 6-20 (Willie 4-10, Tanner 0-6, Robertson 0-2, Girardi 2-3), Texas Christian 4-14 (Jacques 0-4, Hughes 4-8, Lewis 0-1, Chase 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Rice 33 (Robertson 10), Texas Christian 36 (Boutelle 10). Assists—Rice 16 (Willie, Tanner 4), Texas Christian 21 (Jacques 6). Total fouls—Rice 20, Texas Christian 13. A—8,374.

Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with Gary Thurman, outfielder, and Jerry Don Gleaton, pitcher, on one-year contracts.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms with Rob Deer, outfielder, on a one-year contract.

TEXAS RANGERS—Signed Oddibe McDowell, outfielder; Jeff Kunkel, infielder, and Billy Taylor, pitcher, to one-year contracts.

Top 20 Boxes

KANSAS STATE (66)

Richmond 14-21 10-10 41, Bledsoe 6-9 2-4 14, McCoy 4-8 0-1 8, Hanson 0-2 6-8 6, Scott 5-11 0-1 13, Nelson 0-1 0-0 0, Glover 1-1 0-0 3, Dobbins 0-0 1-2 1, Meyer 1-4 5-6 7. Totals 31-67 26-32 96.

OKLAHOMA (112)

Grant 8-17 2-4 18, Sieger 6-11 0-0 16, King 5-11 9-9 19, Blaylock 10-14 0-2 21, Grace 6-11 3-4 20, Bell 0-0 0-0 0, Mullins 3-3 4-4 11, Wiley 0-1 0-0 0, Martin 2-4 1-2 5. Totals 40-72 19-26 112.

Halftime—Oklahoma 56, Kansas St. 38. 3-point goals—Kansas St. 7-16 (Richmond 3-5, Hanson 0-2, Scott 3-7, Nelson 0-1, Glover 1-1), Oklahoma 13-24 (Sieger 6-10, Blaylock 1-4, Grace 5-9, Mullins 1-1). Fouled out—Hanson, Martin. Rebounds— Kansas St. 36 (Richmond 8), Oklahoma 29 (King 8). Assists— Kansas St. 11 (Hanson 7), Oklahoma 20 (Blaylock 7).

SYRACUSE (69)

Thompson 8-11 4-7 20, Coleman 3-8 7-11 13, Selkaly 4-8 4-7 12, Roe 4-10 0-0 12, Douglas 4-9 2-2 12, Brower 0-1 0-0 0, Duncan 0-1 0-1 0, Harried 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-48 17-30 69.

GEORGETOWN (71)

McDonald 3-5 0-1 6, Highsmith 0-3 1-4 1, Gillery 2-2 1-4 5, Smith 5-16 5-8 17, Tillmon 6-16 3-5 19, Winston 0-0 0-0 0, Edwards 2-2 3-7 7, Bryant 3-8 0-0 6, Jackson 2-7 2-2 7, Allen 1-1 0-0 2, Tucker 0-1 0-0 0, Jefferson 0-2 1-2 1. Totals 24-68 16-31 71.

Halftime—Georgetown 36, Syracuse 34. 3-point goals—Syracuse 6-14 (Roe 4-10, Douglas 2-4), Georgetown 7-17 (Tillmon 4-8, Smith 2-5, Jackson 1-3, Bryant 0-1).

ALABAMA (68)

Cheatum 6-8 3-5 15, Ansley 4-12 10-11 18, Askins 1-6 0-0 2, Waites 0-1 0-0 0, Dudley 7-18 2-2 16, Devaughn 0-0 0-0 0, Lee 5-10 2-2 13, Rich 0-0 0-0 0, Lancaster 1-3 2-2 4. Totals 24-68 19-22 68.

KENTUCKY (82)

Bennett 9-14 7-8 25, Ellis 3-4 2-3 8, Lock 1-3 2-6 4, Chapman 5-11 5-6 17, Devender 1-2 2-3 4, Manuel 5-11 2-2 12, Madison 1-3 0-2 2, Jenkins 1-2 0-0 2, Sutton 0-0 1-3 1, Scott 0-0 0-0 0, Miller 1-3 0-0 2, Hanson 1-2 3-4 5. Totals 28-66 24-36 82.

Halftime—Kentucky 42, Alabama 28. 3-point goals—Alabama 1-5 (Haskins 0-1, Waites 0-1, Lee 1-3), Kentucky 2-6 (Chapman 2-4, Miller 0-2).

LOUISVILLE (69)

Payne 4-6 0-0 10, Crook 7-16 0-0 14, Ellison 5-9 10-12 20, Williams 2-6 0-0 4, Smith 7-13 3-4 18, Abram 0-6 0-0 2 12, Spencer 5-7 1-1 11. Totals 36-67 14-19 69.

N. CAROLINA ST. (101)

Howard 3-5 5-5 11, Brown 9-11 5-7 23, Shackleford 9-13 2-4 20, Corchiani 2-4 2-2 7, Del Negro 8-11 12-14 28, Lester 0-3 0-1 0, Jackson 0-0 0-0 0, Monroe 4-5 2-2 11, D'Amico 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-62 26-35 101.

Halftime—N. Carolina St. 56, Louisville 42. 3-point goals—Louisville 3-9 (Payne 2-2, Williams 0-1, Smith 1-4, Abram 0-2), N. Carolina St. 3-5 (Corchiani 1-2, Del Negro 1-2, Monroe 1-1).

GEORGIA (67)

Mack 3-10 1-2 7, Cole 1-3 0-0 2, Kessler 4-9 0-2 8, Hamilton 2-9 0-0 5, Anderson 6-15 0-0 11, Blakley 1-2 0-0 3, Patton 7-12 2-2 19, Austin 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 24-62 3-6 67.

AUBURN (84)

Caylor 1-3 0-0 3, Morris 6-15 3-3 15, Geiger 3-6 3-4 9, Howard 5-9 1-2 14, Dennison 1-3 0-0 2, Lynn 3-6 7-8 14, Carpenter 0-1 0-0 0, Moore 3-8 3-4 9. Totals 21-49 17-21 84.

Halftime—Auburn 26, Georgia 24. Three-point goals—Georgia 6-18 (Patton 3-6, Blakley 1-1, Anderson 1-3, Hamilton 1-6, Mack 0-3). Auburn 5-11 (Caylor 1-2, Howard 3-4, Dennison 0-1, Lynn 1-2, Carpenter 0-1, Moore 0-1).

INDIANA (72)

Edwards 10-21 3-3 29, Eyl 1-2 0-0 2, Garrett 9-21 1-4 19, Smart 4-9 2-2 10, Hillman 2-4 2-2 6, Calloway 1-2 0-0 2, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Jadlow 1-3 0-0 2, Pelkowski 0-0 0-0 0, Sloan 1-2 0-0 2, Oliphant 0-1 0-0 0, Smith 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-66 8-11 72.

MICHIGAN (92)

Rice 9-13 4-4 22, Mills 2-4 2-4 6, Hughes 5-8 0-0 10, Robinson 5-9 2-4 12, Grant 11-20 2-3 24, Vaught 7-8 1-1 15, Griffi 1-1 1-1 3, Oosterbaan 0-0 0-0 0, Stoyko 0-0 0-0 0, Taylor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-63 12-17 92.

Halftime—Michigan 40, Indiana 38. 3-point goals—Indiana 6-10 (Edwards 6-9, Smart 0-1), Michigan 0-4 (Rice 0-2, Grant 0-2).

MISSOURI (81)

Chievous 11-16 4-6 26, Coward 3-8 3-4 9, Irvin 5-11 6-8 17, Buntin 5-13 1-2 11, Sandbothe 2-2 0-0 4, Smith 4-10 0-0 8, Leonard 2-2 2-2 6. Totals 32-62 16-22 81.

NEV.-LAS VEGAS (79)

Paddio 6-21 3-4 17, Basnight 6-10 2-6 14, Todd 5-7 2-4 12, Ka. James 2-14 9-10 13, Augmon 5-7 2-2 12, Robinson 1-4 0-1 2, Roseum 1-5 0-0 3, Ka. James 2-8 0-0 6. Totals 28-76 18-26 79.

Halftime—Missouri 44, UNLV 32. 3-point goals—Missouri 1-6 (Coward 0-2, Irvin 1-4), UNLV 5-23 (Paddio 2-10, Ka. James 0-4, Roseum 1-4, Ka. James 2-5).

College Baseball

Saturday's Scores

SOUTH

Georgia Southern 3, Georgia Tech 2
Louisiana Tech 5, NW Louisiana 2, 1st game
Louisiana Tech 8, NW Louisiana 3, 2nd game
New Orleans 22, Jackson St. 1
Southern U. 10, McNeese St. 5

SOUTHWEST

Arizona St. 16, Texas 2
Auburn 7, Western Carolina 3
Rice 13, Schreiner 2
Tarleton St. 13, SW Texas 7, 1st game
SW Texas 10, Tarleton St. 4, 2nd game
Texas Christian 3, Lamar 2

FAR WEST

Arizona 13, Fullerton St. 6

MCC Golf

Low net individual tournament at Midland Country Club: Division 1— Russ Ramsland 69. 2. Jim Lacy 71. 3. Tom Welch 71. 4. Mark Phillipy 72. 5. Bob Duke, 73. Division 2: 1. Craig Johnson 66. 2. Jack Nobles 68. 3. Wilbur Roochie 69. 4. B.J. Mahoney 69. 5. John Bullard 69.

Games Today

Sunday, Feb. 14
Ice Hockey
At Olympic Saddledome
Sweden vs. France, 11:30 p.m.
Poland vs. Canada, 2:30 p.m.
Switzerland vs. Finland, 7:30 p.m.
Figure Skating
At Stampede Corral
Pairs Short Program, 7:45 p.m.
Ski Jumping
At Canada Olympic Park
70 meters, 2:30 p.m.

LPGA Golf

LPGA Sarasota Classic, Scores

Beth Daniel	68-73-72—213	Dawn Coe	74-75-73—222
Shelley Hamlin	72-75-68—215	Rosie Jones	69-77-76—222
Jody Rosenthal	71-70-74—215	Amy Benz	70-74-78—222
Patty Sheehan	71-72-72—215	Jane Crafter	70-78-74—222
Beth Solomon	72-74-70—216	Martha Nause	73-75-74—222
Colleen Walker	72-73-71—216	Kathy Postlewait	69-78-75—222
Sherri Turner	69-74-73—216	Vicki Fergon	74-73-75—222
Laurel Kean	69-75-73—217	Missie Berteotti	70-79-73—222
JoAnne Carner	70-74-73—217	Deborah McHaffie	73-73-76—222
Muffin Devlin	70-73-74—217	Janet Coles	72-76-74—222
Cathy Johnston	70-72-75—217	Ok-Hee Ku	72-74-76—222
Liselotte Neumann	64-77-76—217	Sherrin Smyers	71-78-74—223
Marci Bozarth	71-76-71—218	Myra Blackwelder	76-74-73—223
Donna White	71-73-74—218	Susan Sanders	78-72-73—223
Penny Hammel	70-78-70—218	Sandra Palmer	73-75-75—223
Nancy Brown	72-76-71—219	Joan Delk	73-74-76—223
Jan Stephenson	68-78-73—219	Chris Johnson	73-76-74—223
Amy Alcott	74-69-76—219	M.B. Zimmerman	72-77-74—223
Kim Shipman	73-74-72—219	Julie Cole	75-74-75—224
Janet Anderson	76-73-70—219	Lauri Peterson	73-74-77—224
Becky Pearson	71-75-73—219	Missie McGeorge	72-77-75—224
Juli Inkster	72-75-72—219	Betsy King	71-72-81—224
Cathy Morse	73-74-72—219	Kim Bauer	75-74-75—224
Lori Garbacz	76-70-73—219	Cathy Marino	75-75-74—224
Jane Geddes	74-72-73—219	Sherri Steinhauer	71-76-77—224
Nancy Lopez	73-74-73—220	Nancy Taylor	73-76-75—224
Dot Germain	71-72-77—220	Shirley Furlong	76-74-75—225
Deedee Lasker	73-73-74—220	Mitzi Edge	74-76-75—225
Adele Lukken	72-74-74—220	Terry-Jo Myers	70-76-79—225
Dottie Mochrie	71-72-77—220	Alice Miller	76-74-75—225
Donna Caponi	71-77-72—220	Laurie Rinker	73-75-77—225
Robin Walton	74-75-71—220	Robin Hood	77-72-77—226
Sally Quinlan	79-69-73—221	Mei-Chi Cheng	77-72-77—226
Heather Farr	74-72-75—221	Anne-Marie Palli	74-76-77—227
Dan' Ammaccapane	75-72-74—221	Alice Ritzman	71-79-77—227
Patti Rizzo	77-72-72—221	Betsy Barrett	73-77-78—228
Marta Figueras-Dotti	73-74-74—221	Cindy Mackey	73-76-80—229
Lisa Young	74-72-75—221	Amy Read	77-73-81—231

PGA Seniors

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SWC suffering from talent gap

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Watching teams from the Big Ten, Big East and Atlantic Coast conferences play on television, it's obvious the Southwest Conference is suffering a basketball talent gap.

That's not exactly window-rattling news.

SWC teams aren't as deep as their cousins in basketball country like Indiana, Ohio, New York, North Carolina and Kentucky. There are some good players, but few great ones, in the SWC. The great ones always seem to defect to another state.

When was the last time the state of Texas kept its No. 1 schoolboy player within home boundaries? You probably have to go back to the University of Houston's glory days.

The rule seems to be that if a kid want to really learn the game, he packs up his jumpin' shoes and goes somewhere else.

The flight of basketball talent from Texas — and, yes, in some instances even Arkansas — won't be put under the microscope here. It happens and almost seems to be an irreversible trend.

The questions before the house are, "Could better coaching lift mediocre talent to a higher level? Just what kind of coaching is there in the SWC?"

Here's an analysis of the SWC coaches:

ARKANSAS — One of the most talented teams in the nation, a credit to Nolan Richardson's recruiting ability. But why can't this team develop the tenacity to shed its road wimp image? The Hogs play at times like they are in an Australian walkabout. Richardson acts like he would rather try to intimidate the officials than demand concentration from his players. He can leave the impression the officials took the game away rather than his players gave it away.

BAYLOR — Fiesty Gene Iba starts barking at the officials and his players the moment the game starts. Does he woof too often? What does he want to hide by not allowing his players to talk to the media after a loss? Iba is a good coach, but is he improving in the job?

HOUSTON — Pat Foster has yet to produce the magic he did at Lamar. He has had a frustrating time instilling discipline into his offensive and defensive teams. Give him time to shake off the Guy V. Lewis Slama-Jama dust.

TEXAS — Bob Weltlich has offended some Longhorn alumni with his abrasive style, which has led one Texas newsletter to label him "Kaiser Bob." His teams rarely show the ability to play above their skill level. Isn't it up to a coach to make them improve?

TEXAS A&M — Shelby Metcalf is the master of surprise. He can get poor players to play over their handicaps. But why doesn't he get more good players so he doesn't have to work so hard?

TEXAS CHRISTIAN — Moe Iba can motivate and shows great bench coaching attributes. But can he recruit? It's too early for a judgment in his first year.

TEXAS TECH — There is none better than Gerald Myers at getting the best out of his players. Yet even Myers has found it difficult to unlock the mystery of this year's Red Raider team. Is the mediocre SWC dragging him down?

RICE — Scott Thompson's players love him. Getting them to play hard is half the battle. But can he recruit? It's too early for a judgment in his first year.

SOUTHERN METHODIST — Dave Bliss has a good eye for sizing up talent. At times, he's one of the best bench coaches in the conference.

Baseball Capsules

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Detroit Tigers at Joker Marchant Stadium, Lakeland, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23
New Faces
Center fielder Gary Pettis.
Game plan
The Tigers got lucky last year when catcher Matt Nokes stepped in for Lance Parrish. There is no apparent replacement for Kirk Gibson. Best bat may be Billy Bean.

Kansas City Royals Baseball City Stadium, Baseball City, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23
New Faces
Shortstop Kurt Stillwell, starting pitcher Floyd Bannister, reliever Ted Power.
Game plan
The Royals will have a tough decision to make on Bo Jackson. They lack right-handed designated hitter.

Milwaukee Brewers at Compadre Stadium, Chandler, Ariz.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 20; Full Squad, Feb. 24
New Faces
Reliever Dave Stapleton, infielder-dh Joey Meyer.
Game plan
Stapleton may be the young Brewers' top left-hander reliever. The designated hitter could be Meyer. He hit 29 homers and drove in 92 runs for Denver last season.

Minnesota Twins at Tinker Field, Orlando.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 24
New Faces
Starting pitcher Allan Anderson.
Game plan
The World Series champion Twins have some openings on the pitching staff. Anderson, a left-hander, is given a shot at the starting staff.

New York Yankees Fort Lauderdale Stadium, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 18; Full Squad, Feb. 23
New Faces
Manager Billy Martin, designated hitter-infielder Jack Clark, shortstop Rafael Santana, catcher Don Slaught, starting pitchers Rich Dotson and John Candelaria, relievers Lee Guetterman, Steve Shields and Scott Nielson.
Game plan
The Yankees are still a starting pitcher away from being favorites. Roberto Kelly's age and speed give him advantage over Claudell Washington in center field.

Oakland Athletics Phoenix Municipal Stadium, Phoenix

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 20; Full Squad, Feb. 24
New Faces
Designated hitter-outfielder Dave Parker, dh Don Baylor, second baseman Glenn Hubbard, starting pitcher Bob Welch, reliever Matt Young, dh-catcher Ron Hassey.
Game plan
The A's have made the most improvement of any team in the AL West. Biggest question is whether rookie Walt Weiss can take over for Alfredo Griffin at shortstop.

Seattle Mariners at Tempe Diablo Stadium, Tempe

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 19; Full Squad, Feb. 26
New Faces
Right fielder Glenn Wilson, center fielder Henry Cotto, starting pitchers Steve Trout, Ken Dixon and Mike Jackson.
Game plan
The Mariners will try and come up with some starting pitching behind Mark Langston and Mike Moore. Candidates include Trout, Dixon, Jackson, and Terry Taylor.

Texas Rangers at Charlotte County Stadium, Port Charlotte, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 20; Full Squad, Feb. 23
New Faces
Starting pitcher Brad Arnsberg. The Rangers may give Cecil Espy (.302 at Oklahoma City) a shot at an outfield spot.
Game plan
The Rangers need consistent seasons from starters Bobby Witt, Jose Guzman and Edwin Correa.

Toronto Blue Jays at Grant Field, Dunedin, Fla.

Reporting Dates
Pitchers-Catchers, Feb. 23; Full Squad, Feb. 26
New Faces
Infielder-designated hitter Glenallen Hill, relievers Duane Ward and Colin McLaughlin.
Game plan
Toronto will give Hill a good shot at the designated hitter role. With Syracuse last year, he hit 16 homers and drove in 77 runs. Ward and McLaughlin, both hard throwers, are looking for a spot in the bullpen. The Jays need backup for catcher Ernie Whitt.

UT mermen whip Arkansas

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — In their final home dual meet appearance, Texas seniors Chris Jacobs and Kent Dickson led the Longhorns past Arkansas 65-39 in a dual swimming meet Saturday afternoon in the Texas Swimming Center.

Jacobs won the 200-yard freestyle in 1:39.69 while Dickson took first in the 200-yard backstroke in 1:51.69 for two of Texas' nine wins out of the meet's 12 events.

The Longhorns finished 1-2 in five events — the 200-yard freestyle, 50-yard freestyle, 200-yard individual medley, 1-meter diving and 3-meter diving.

Arkansas won both relays and got its lone individual win from Tom Lewandowski, who captured the 200-yard breaststroke in 2:08.43.

The victory was Texas' second dual meet win in less than 18 hours. The Horns defeated Texas A&M 75-47 Friday night in College Station.

Split golf tour looms in future

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer

Jack Nicklaus warns of the possibility of a rival pro golf tour, a Super Circuit, coming into being.

Greg Norman calls for the creation of a World Tour.

And the PGA Tour is conducting a study that could drastically alter the structure of American professional golf.

"Right now, we have only questions, no answers," Commissioner Deane Beman said of the wide-ranging study into what Beman calls "the risks and rewards" of revising the make-up of the PGA Tour.

"HOW WILL it work? How will it be financed? How will it affect the players? How will it affect the sponsors? How will it affect television?

"What will the players get? What will they have to give up to get it? What will be their responsibilities? If it happens, if there is a split tour, will they support it, play in tournaments they may not want to play in?

Reactions vary.

"It's a necessity," said Arnold Palmer.

"We must do it," said Nicklaus. "If we don't someone else will."

"It's a good idea, but it won't work," was Lee Trevino's pragmatic evaluation.

"It's not for Tom Watson," said Tom Watson.

The split-tour concept is not new. It has been the subject of lengthy studies and discussions in earlier years. It was proposed—and rejected by the players—in both 1979 and 1982.

Beman, however, pointed out that "conditions have changed drastically since '79 and '82."

"I was in the forefront of the earlier fight to establish a split tour and I walked away with my nose bloodied by people like Jack," Beman said.

This time, however, the study was prompted by players' responses to a questionaire circulated by the Tour.

The earlier proposals included a split of the tour into three sections. One of these sections would be made up of 8-10 special events; the Masters, U.S. Open, PGA, Tournament of Champions, Players Championship, World Series of Golf, perhaps others.

The other two sections each would contain half the remaining tournaments.

The tour players would be split into two groups, half playing one section and half the other. All eligible players from each section would come together in the special events.

IT IS this type of split that brings the objection from Watson.

"I don't want to be in the position where I can be told where I'm going to play and where I'm not going to play," he said. "I don't think that's good. I don't want it. It's not for me."

Trevino agreed.

"The sponsors won't go for it. The tournaments that don't get all the good players will be for it. The ones that get the good players will be against it," Trevino predicted. "You'll never get 'em to agree to it.

"And what would TV do?"

"The networks would be competing against each other," said Frank Chirkinian, producer of CBS' golf coverage.

"Personally, I don't like it. It can only water down the product. I'd be afraid of over-exposure," he said.

But there is no indication that a split along the lines of the earlier proposals will be the recommendation of the study this time.

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House-3br, 2 bath on 3 acres	South on F.R. 715 to C.R. 145E; West .6 mi.	$3,214.28	FRED MANCHA Revenue Officer

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Ex-Chap Blaylock leads Sooners over Kansas State

From Wire Reports

NORMAN, Okla. — Former Midland College star Mookie Blaylock scored 21 points and had five steals as fourth-ranked Oklahoma defeated No. 14 Kansas State, 112-95, in a Big Eight game Saturday.

All five starters reached double figures as Oklahoma, 22-2 overall and 8-1 in the Big Eight, scored a record number of points against the Wildcats. The previous high scored against them was 102 by three teams.

The Wildcats, who had beaten Oklahoma earlier this season, fell to 14-6 and 6-2 despite a career-high 41 points by Mitch Richmond.

Ricky Grace, another former Chaparral, had 20 points, Stacey King 19, and Harvey Grant and Dave Sieger 18 apiece for the Sooners.

Blaylock's steals, gave him 102 for the season, two more than the old NCAA mark for a junior of 100.

College Basketball

Kentucky 82, Alabama 68

LEXINGTON, Ky. — Winston Bennett scored 25 points and Ed Davender handed out a career-high 10 assists as No.10 Kentucky rolled to its fifth straight in a SEC game Saturday. Kentucky raised its record to 18-3 overall and a league-leading 10-3 while Alabama fell to 11-13 and 3-9.

Rex Chapman added 17 points and Eric Manuel finished with 12 for Kentucky.

Ansley topped Alabama with 18 points, followed by Craig Dudley with 16, Melvin Cheatum with 15 and Lee with 13.

Florida 69, Mississippi St. 52

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Vernon Maxwell scored 22 points and Dwayne Schintzius added 18 to lead Florida to a SEC victory over Mississipi State, giving Coach Norm Sloan his 600th career win.

The victory also lifts Florida to 17-7, 8-4 in the SEC, while Mississippi St. drops to 11-11, 3-9 in the conference.

Georgetown 71, Syracuse 69

LANDOVER, Md. — Mark Tillmon scored 19 points and Charles Smith added 17 as Georgetown twice rallied from behind to notch a 71-69 Big East victory over No. 11 Syracuse.

The victory, Georgetown's second over Syracuse this season, enabled the Hoyas to improve to 16-6 overall and 6-5 in the Big East. Syracuse, which is winless in eight tries at the Capital Centre, had a five-game winning streak stopped and fell to 18-6, 7-4 in the Big East.

Syracuse made only 9 of 19 free throws in the second half, with many of the misses coming on the front end of one-and-one situations.

N. Carolina St. 101, Louisville 89

RALEIGH, N.C. — Vinny Del Negro scored 29 to lead five players in double figures as 16th-ranked North Carolina State started with a 12-0 burst and ran away with Louisville, improving their record 16-5.

Chucky Brown scored 23 points and Charles Shackleford had 20 for N.C. State. Rodney Monroe and Brian Howard had 11 each.

Six Louisville players were in double figures, led by 20 from Pervis Ellison. LaBradford Smith scored 18, Herbert Crook 14 and Mike Abram 12, Felton Spencer had 11 and Kenny Payne 10.

Bradley 98, Creighton 68

PEORIA, Ill. — Hersey Hawkins scored 25 points as 15th-ranked Bradley downed Creighton in Missouri Valley Conference action as the Braves to 16-4 overall and 6-2 in the MVC.

Missouri 81, Nevada-Las Vegas 79

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — Derrick Chievous scored 26 points and Byron Irvin added 17 as Missouri held off a second-half comeback to upset 7th-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas 81-79. The loss was only the fourth at home for the Runnin' Rebels in the last five years and dropped UNLV to 21-3. Missouri upped its record to 16-5.

Karl James missed a three-pointer with 12 seconds left and Missouri was able to run the clock out and escape with the win.

St. John's 88, Providence, 67

NEW YORK — Shelton Jones scored a career-high 31 points and grabbed 11 rebounds as St. John's snapped a three-game in a Big East.

Michael Porter followed with 23 points for the Redman, 15 in the second half. Greg Harvey added 13 and Jayson Williams 10.

Steve Wright had 19 points for the Friars (10-12 4-7), who lost for the third time in four games.

Kansas 82, Iowa St. 72

LAWRENCE, Kan. — Danny Manning scored a season-high 39 points, including 19 in the first half, to lead Kansas over Iowa State in a Big Eight game. Kansas, 4-4 in the conference and 15-8 overall, led 44-34 at halftime and delivered a crushing blow to the Cyclones midway through the second half by scoring 10 straight points.

Iowa State, 2-7 and 16-9 suffered its seventh straight loss.

BYU 86, Colorado State 80

PROVO, Utah — Michael Smith scored 20 points and Jeff Chatman added 18 as eighth-ranked Brigham Young survived a scare from to beat Colorado State in a Western Athletic Conference game.

The Cougars regained possession after Pat Durham was tied up under his basket with 1:46 left and they let the shot clock tick down to eight seconds before Brian Taylor scored with less than a minute to go to put away the game for the Cougars, who are 20-1, 9-0 in the conference.

Durham finished with 24, Turcott had 18 and Trent Shippen had 16 or the Rams, who fell to 12-9 and 3-6.

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LSU 92, Tennessee 73

BATON ROUGE, La. — Jose Vargas scored 28 points Saturday to lead LSU. LSU's fourth straight victory moved the Tigers to 13-8 overall and 8-4 in the SEC. Tennessee, losing its third straight, is 12-9 overall and 6-6 in the conference.

Pittsburgh 87, Villanova 75

PITTSBURGH— No. 5 Pittsburgh beat Villanova to stay in first place in the Big East. Villanova, 16-8 and 8-4, trailed 19-11 but closed to 34-30 with 2:33 left in the first half. Pittsburgh, 17-3 and 7-2, then scored the final four points before halftime.



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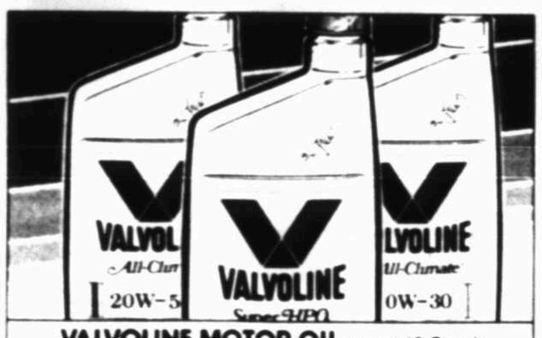
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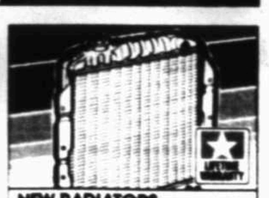
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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

WHEREAS by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 142nd District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 9th day of November, 1987, in Cause No. A-36,188, where Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation was Plaintiff, and Clyde C. White was Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of $2,731,877.24 DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 5th day of January, 1988, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Clyde C. White

to-wit"

I. of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof of record in Volume 106, Page 140, Deed Records in the office of the County Clerk in and for Midland County, Texas.

II. BEING ALL OF LOTS FOUR (4) and FIVE (5), BLOCK FIFTY (50), WEST END ADDITION, an Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof of record in Volume 92, Page 23, Deed Records in the office of the County Clerk in and for Midland County, Texas.

III. BEING THE SURFACE ESTATE ONLY of a 9.1 acre tract of land out of Section 19, Block 39, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

TRACT ONE: BEING a 6.70 acre tract of land out of Section 19, Block 39, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, and being described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the east right-of-way line of Loop Number 250 in the west part of Section 19, Block 39, T-1-S, T&P Ry Company Survey, Midland County, Texas, for the northwest corner of this tract, from which point the northwest corner of Section 19, bears N. 15° 15' W., 213.00 feet, and S. 74° 45' W., 72.68 feet;

THENCE N. 74° 45' E., 653.17 feet to a point for the northwest corner this tract;

THENCE S. 15° 26' E., 446.00 feet to a point in the north easement line of Neely Road for the southeast corner this tract;

THENCE S. 74° 45' W., along said north easement line of Neely Road, 654.60 feet to a point in the east right-of-way line of Loop Number 250, for the southwest corner this tract;

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THENCE N. 74° 45' E. 695.85 feet to a 1/2" reinf. bar set for the NE corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 15° 15' East and 150 feet to an iron post set for the proposed SE corner of said tract;

THENCE S. 74° 45' W. 695 feet to a point for the SW corner of this tract in the East ROW line of Holiday Hill Road;

THENCE N. 15° 15' W. continuing for a total distance of 150 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING, containing 2.4 acres of land, more or less.

SAVE AND EXCEPT: 0.158 of one acre of land, more or less, out of a part of that certain 2.4 acre tract of land lying and being in the NW/4 of Section 19, Block 39, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, said 2.4 acre tract being the same land described in a deed from Britton Management Corporation to Berna B. Blus, dated May 13, 1974, recorded in Volume 631, Page 800, Deed Records of Midland County, Texas; said 0.158 of one acre of land, more or less, being more fully described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a point of intersection of the proposed East ROW line of Loop 250 with the North line of said 2.4 acre tract, said point being S. 75° 40' W. a distance of 649.97 feet from the NE corner of said 2.4 acre tract;

THENCE S. 14° 24' E. along said proposed East ROW line, a distance of 150.00 feet to a point in the South line of said 2.4 acre tract;

THENCE S. 75° 40' W. along the South boundary line of said 2.4 acre tract, a distance of 45.79 feet to a point in the existing East ROW line of a county road, said point also being the SW corner of said 2.4 acre tract;

THENCE N. 14° 26' W. along said existing East ROW line, a distance of 150.00 feet to the NW corner of said 2.4 acre tract;

THENCE N. 75° 40' East, along the North boundary line of said 2.4 acre tract, a distance of 45.88 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING, and containing 0.158 of one acre of land, more or less.

SAVE AND EXCEPT: All oil, gas and other minerals heretofore reserved in Deed of record in Volume 572, Page 161, Deed Records in the office of the County Clerk in and for Midland County, Texas.

and on the 2nd day of February, 1988, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Clyde C. White in and to said above described property. SALE WILL BEGIN AT 10:00 A.M.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of January, 1988.

GARY PAINTER Sheriff,
MIDLAND County, Texas
By Sgt. C.W. Cupp

*The description of the property shall give the number of acres, original survey, locality in the county, and the name by which the land is most generally known, but it shall not be necessary for it to contain field notes.

February 7, 14, 21, 28, 1988

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Midland

WHEREAS by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 238th Judicial District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 26th day of January, 1987, in Cause No. 35,755, where Home Savings Association was Plaintiff, and Gene Foulk and Kathleen Foulk was Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of $9,340.99 DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on 3rd day of February, 1988, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Gene Foulk and Kathleen Foulk to-wit:

BEING THE SURFACE ESTATE ONLY of a tract or parcel of land being known as LOT TWENTY-THREE (23), BLOCK ONE (1), EASTWOOD SUBDIVISION, also being out to the approximate SW/4 of Section 38, Block 38, T-1-S, T&P RR CO. SURVEY, Midland County, Texas, said tract or parcel of land being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron rod set for the SW corner of this tract, from which said point the SW corner of Section 38, (being a large nail W/shiner in the centerline of County Road 1130-S), bears S. 75 degrees 39' 00"W., a distance of 2344.68 feet and S. 14 degrees 21' 00" E., a distance of 2253.24 feet;

THENCE N. 14 degrees 31' 47" W., at 151.00 feet pass an iron rod set in the South line of a 60 foot roadway, a total distance of 181.50 feet to a point in the centerline of said 60' roadway for the NW corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 75 degrees 39' 00" E. along the centerline of said 60' roadway, a distance of 150.00 feet to a point at the centerline intersection of said 60' roadway and North/South Roadway for the NE corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 14 degrees 31' 47" E. along the centerline of said North/South 60' roadway, at 30.00 feet pass 30' left of an iron rod, a total distance of 181.50 feet to a point in the centerline of said North/South 60' roadway for the SE corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 75 degrees 39' 00" W., at 30.00 feet pass an iron rod set in the West line of said North/South 60' roadway, a total distance of 150.00 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING. Said tract or parcel of land contains 0.625 acres, more or less, of which 0.208 consists of roadway right-of-way, leaving 0.417 net acre; and on the 1st day of March, 1988, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interst of Gene Foulk and Kathleen Foulk in and to said above described property. SALE WILL BEGIN AT 10:00 A.M.

Witness my hand this the 3rd day of February, 1988.
Gary Painter, Sheriff.
Midland County, Texas
By Sgt. C.W. Cupp Deputy
February 7, 14, 21, 28, 1988

BID NOTICE

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Trustees, Medical Arts Hospital, 1600 North Bryan Avenue, Lamesa, Texas, 79331, attention Mr. Ron Rives, Administrator, will be received at the Hospital until:

5:00 P.M. CST, Monday, March 7, 1988

Thirty minutes following the closing time for receipt of proposals, the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Board Room at Medical Arts Hospital, Lamesa, Texas. Any proposal received after the 5:00 p.m. closing time will be returned unopened.

Proposals will be received on the combined General, Mechanical and Electrical Construction. the project is a phased renovation of the existing Medical Arts Hospital, Lamesa, Texas, including pharmacy, nurse station, laboratory, physical therapy, nursery, intensive & cardiac care unit, and general offices.

Copies of the plans and specifications may be secured from A.C. Associates, Architects and Engineers, 4010 Avenue R, Lubbock, Texas 79412, upon a deposit of SEVENTY DOLLARS ($70.00) per set. Prime bidders will be limited to 2 sets each and subcontractors will be limited to one set each.

February 7, 14, 1988

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Midland

WHEREAS by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 238th District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 8th day of February, 1988, in Cause No. B-36,595, where Eugene G. Vaughn, Independent Executor of the Estate of Ruth E. Vaughn, Deceased was Plaintiff, and Patrick J. Spillane and wife Patricia A. Spillane were Defendants, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendants and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of $23,265.79 DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 9th day of February, 1988, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Patrick J. Spillane and wife Patricia A. Spillane to-wit:

The house and lot located at 1702 Garden City Highway, Midland, Texas, 79701, which said real property is more fully described as follows:

Lot Twenty two (22), Block Sixteen (16), Carolcrest Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to an unrecorded plat of said addition; same being a subdivision of land out of the SW part of Section 1, Block 39, T-2-S, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, said lot comprising a tract of land more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron pipe for corner which iron pipe is S. 15 degrees, 12' East 55.16 feet S. 71 degrees 45' East 2701.97 feet and S. 18 degrees 15' West 220 feet from the NW corner Sec. 1, Block 39, T-2-S.

THENCE N. 71 degrees 45' W 64 feet to an iron pipe for corner;

THENCE S. 18 degrees 15'; W 140 feet to an iron pipe for a corner;

THENCE S. 71 degrees 45' E. 44 feet to an iron pipe;

THENCE NORTH 18 degrees 15' East 120 feet to THE PLACE OF BEGINNING

and on the 1st day of March, 1988, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right title and interest of Patrick J. Spillane and wife Patricia A. Spillane in and to said above described property. SALE WILL BEGIN AT 10:00 A.M.

Witness my hand this the 9th day of February, 1988.
Gary Painter Sheriff,
Midland County, Texas
By Pat Deines Deputy
February 10, 14, 21, 28, 1988

THE PARKS GOOD SAMARITAN VILLAGE NONDISCRIMINATION POLICY

In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and its implementing regulation, The Parks Good Samaritan Village will, directly or through contractural or other arrangements, admit and treat all persons without regard to race, color or national origin in its provision of services and benefits, including assignments or transfers within the facility. Staff privileges are granted without regard to race, color or national origin (where appropriate).

In accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and its implementing regulation, The Parks Good Samaritan Village will not, directly or through contractual or other arrangements, discriminate on the basis of handicap in admissions, access, treatment or employment. Becky Ortiz has been designated as the coordinator for implementation of this policy.

In accordance with the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and its implementing regulation, The Parks Good Samaritan Village will not, directly or through contractural or other arrangements, discriminate on the basis of age in the provision of services, unless age is a factor necessary to the normal operation or the achievement of any statutory objective.

DATE: 11-25-87 James G. Matz
Administrator

February 14, 1988

THE PARKS GOOD SAMARITAN VILLAGE POLIZA ANTIDESCRIMINATORIA

De acuerdo con el articulo VI del codigo de derechos civiles de 1964, poniendo esta ley en efecto, The Parks Good Samaritan Village, admitira y dara servicios a todas las personas sin excepcion de raza, color o de origin nacional, al proveer los servicios, beneficios y recomendaciones enrelacion con este local.

De acuerdo con la seccion 504 de la ley rehabilitacion de 1973, The Parks Good Samaritan Village, de ninguna manera discriminara a ninguna persona por tener impedimento o restriccion fisicas de la admision o access, tratamiento o empleo. Becky Ortiz ha sido asignado como coordinador para poner en efecto esta ley.

De acuerdo con la ley de descriminacion por edad, de 1975 y la regulacion poniendo dicha ley en efecto, The Parks Good Samaritan Village, de ninguna manera discriminara por la edad, a ninguna persona a menos que la edad sea un factor necesario para la operacion normal o para lograr un objeservico de la determinada.

FECHA: 11-25-87 James G. Matz
Administrator

February 14, 1988

99 LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
RFP 88-7

Midland County Hospital District is accepting proposals for PLANT OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT SERVICES. All proposals will be sealed and marked with the proposal number and name. Proposals will be received until 2:30 p.m. on the 23rd day of February, 1988, at the office of the Purchasing Agent, 501 N. Colorado, Midland, Texas 79701. Any proposals received after the above time will be returned unopened.

Bids will be opened until 2:30 p.m. on the 23rd day of February, 1988, at the office of the Purchasing Agent, 501 N. Colorado, Midland, Texas 79701. Any proposals received after the above time will be returned unopened.

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ALL BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, BY 5:00 P.M. ON THE CLOSING DATE.

Bid opening will be at 1:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of Midland Memorial Hospital, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas on March 2, 1988.

ALL BIDS MUST BE PRICE PROTECTED UNTIL June 1, 1988.

Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities.

DEPARTMENT OF HOSPITAL MATERIAL SERVICES
OFFICE OF PURCHASING AGENT
MIDLAND COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701
February 14, 21, 1988

105 HAPPY ADS



DUTCH, I love you! May this be the first of many happy years together! Bull



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DR. YI
From:
Your Biggest Fan!
Love, PAY



Stevie
Patrick
Jack Robert
Have A Happy Valentine's Day
Your Dad
Loves You

105 HAPPY ADS



Judy,
Wishing you a Happy Valentine's Day.
Love, Steve



TO Barbara, love Richmond and Mark.



Larry,
Happy first Valentine's Day together
Love these big hands
1-4-3 Anna

105 HAPPY ADS



TEX, I love you, yesterday, today, and tomorrow. Susanne



SUZANNE, Happy Valentines Day! I Love You! TEX



I Love You, Ticki.
You're My Hero!
HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!
Love, Babs.

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IRONING done, starch provided $8.00 per dozen. Quality service. 683-8154 or 694-4843.

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105 HAPPY ADS

JOHNNIE I ask you, please don't leave me alone but stay. Zeke

HAPPY Valentine's Day, My Valentine, thanks for being so fun and wonderful. Love, Ally. Valentine's means a lot when you're around. Love, Mom



Ferraris are Red
Panteras are Blue
For ever and ever
I Love You Happy
Valentine's Day
Karla A.

STEVE Quain- You're the best Daddy in the whole world!
I love you, Patrick.

PHIL: You're my very very special Daddy and I love you very much.
Jessica Lawhon.

HAPPY SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY, NANNY
We love you lots!
Zachary, Logan, Kim, and James.
PS: Me too mother!
Abbey.



MJS
I Love you.
HAPPY VALENTINES DAY!
LKB



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY from Sawyer and Sam and Brian



Happy Valentine's Day to Tracy. With love from Mom and Dad

105 HAPPY ADS



Happy Valentine's Day to Kay from Rick and Tracy with love.



...TO...
MY "SWEET" DARLING
...LOVING...
"HUSBAND"
"HAPPY VALENTINES DAY"
RALPHARD HENDERSON
&
ALICE HENDERSON



JOHNNIE
I LOVE YOU FOR WHO YOU ARE
YOUR WIFE
KATHY.



B.Y. I love you forever!!! C.Y.

110 LODGE NOTICES

Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. will participate at the Masonic 1pm pls 11:1600 W Wall with all the other Masonic bodies in honor of George Washington's birthday. Dinner to be served at 6:30pm

Monday, February 15 Acacia Lodge #1414 will participate at the Masonic 1pm pls 11:1600 W Wall with all the other Masonic bodies in honor of George Washington's birthday Dinner to be served at 6:30pm Charles Merchant W.M. J.H. Beaty Secretary P.T.

105 HAPPY ADS





110 LODGE NOTICES

Midland Lodge #53 AF & AM. 1200 West Wall. Stated meeting 7:30 p.m. 1st Thursday. 13th - Degree. Master's Degree Conferred. Visitors welcome. Jerry Hall, W.M. Hollis Wilson, Secretary.

MIDLAND Commandery #1048 - 1000 Lindsey. Stated Assembly 7:30 p.m. Open Lodge 8:30pm. Visitors welcome. George Patterson, E.C. Feb. 15th, 6:30pm at 1600 W. Wall. Grand Master Featured Speaker. Families Welcome. Harry Goss, Recorder. H.S. Elliot, Secretary.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting, Feb. 18, 1988. Electrical officers. Hospitality, 6:30 pm. Covered dish dinner 7pm. Business meeting 8pm. All nobles and their ladies invited. Ron Yeager, President. Ron Perkins, Secretary.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOOS! Wigs! Wigs! New banana clip hair pieces! The Hair Shack. 2900 W. Front. 687-1214.

FREE!! SECTION 125 (CAFETERIA PLAN) AVAILABLE FOR EMPLOYERS. CALL 682-1112 AND ASK CHRIS FOR DETAILS.

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SHAILA MOHAMED HAS RELOCATED!
She has moved to Salon Unique where she is offering professional electrolysis services. She invites all her old customers to come see her at her new location: 4400 Medford Drive and Loop 250 697-8711 or 684-3830

120 PUBLIC NOTICES

If your name is Tammy and your mother's name is Marcella and your father's name is Billy Bob and you were married to Daniel Tolton in 1979 in Las Vegas, please call 1907)472-2316, collect

130 PERSONALS

ADOPTION: Our happily married wife will be complete when we adopt a newborn. We have a beautiful home and happiness to share. Confidential and legal. Expenses paid. Call anytime after 5:00PM and weekends. Let's talk. Give yourself, baby and us a happier future. Call collect.
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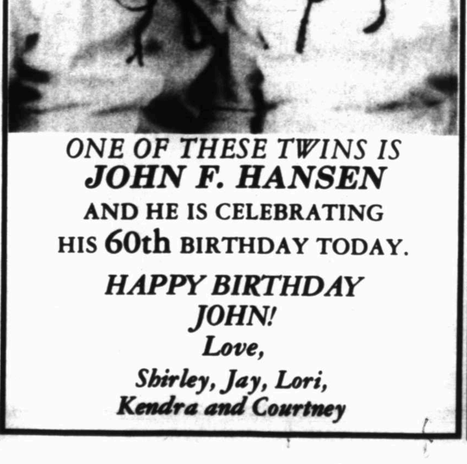
Two cemetery lots, 17 space 5-6. Garden of Prayers, Southview. Memorial Park. Reasonable. Owner transferred. Phone (505) 396-3491 John Carder

ADOPTION: We are a happily married professional couple in both doctors, who want to share our love with a newborn. We want a baby to fill the lifetime of love, warmth and security. We can help make this difficult time easier for you. Please give us a call and share your baby's happiness future. All expenses paid legal. Please call Ellen and Greg collect anytime. (201) 599-1530

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105 HAPPY ADS



ONE OF THESE TWINS IS
JOHN F. HANSEN
AND HE IS CELEBRATING
HIS 60th BIRTHDAY TODAY.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHN!
Love,
Shirley, Jay, Lori,
Kendra and Courtney

130 PERSONALS

SELLYOURSTUFF & YOURSELF. Is your house cluttered? Is your garage full? Is your attic overflowing? Let us help! Call 694-4721 for a free consultation. Professional Consult an Auction. 694-4721. 24 hour service.

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Debbie Williams 694-6048

MORTUARY list for sale. Southern Memorial Park, 1,333-A Garden of Prayer, $600 each. Contact George Caddell, (817) 468-9300.

I ♥ PLAY CAPTURE THE FLAG! ♥ I
Groups of 15 to play. Call 563-0707, leave message.

If you are having trouble making your house payments, or if you are already facing foreclosure, call me. I may be able to help you find a solution. A loan modification or a work-out may be possible. For full details, you should speak to CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING Don Harvey Hudson 683-3333 (res. 694-8467).

135 MEETING PEOPLE

WHITE male, Christian. Age 34. Good looks, humor, well-rounded person, gifts, enjoys dinner, movies, concerts, all types of recreational/ sporting events. Wishes to meet female with similar interests for friendship, share times together and possible lasting relationship. All inquiries answered. Reply to P.O. Box 50252, Midland, Texas 79710.

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140 CARD OF THANKS

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven" these are words given us by God. This fact that we don't and can't understand, only under lines or deprecations the our comforter and savior at times like these.

Words can't express our heartfelt thank you's for the support of our family and friends at this time. For their many gifts of flowers, food and arms to hold us with love in these our crisis. But we do know God will bless each and all.

Our Jamakes has found her peace in the storms and is safe with Jesus.

Our heartfelt thanks.

The family of Jamakes Dawn Frazier

150 LOST & FOUND

LOST: Male Golden Retriever vicinity of Driftwood Mall. Please call 699-5410, 682-1022 after 6PM. Reward offered.

LOST: Man's blue down jacket, one set car keys. Vicinity Wall Street Grill. 688-5267, 563-5418

LOST: Diamond bracelet Friday February 5th at Gardner's Jewelry. Will pay $ Reward! 682-1443 after 6:00PM

LOST Chow, 55 pounds, cinnamon colored, vicinity of Hart and Marienfield. Call 682-3095

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LOST: lady's brown wallet containing credit cards, etc. Please call 694-2968

FOUND: young grey and white male dog by Lee High. Owner do not claim, can't keep please call 694-9781

LOST: Wednesday, January 6th with Navajo turquoise bracelet. Has sentimental value. Reward! 682-8609

FOUND: adult male grey and white cat. Vicinity Post and 430th block Lockhead 683-2941

160 MONEY LOANS WANTED

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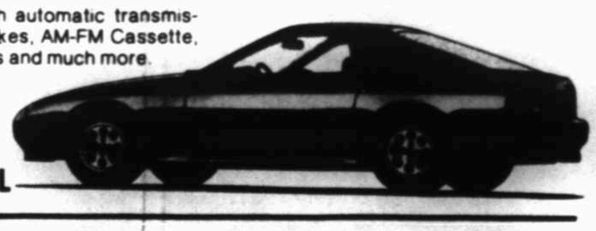
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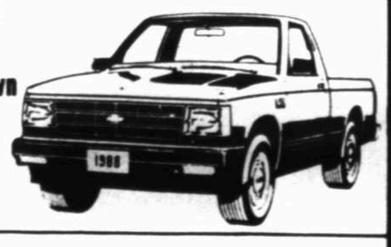
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Valentine Haven

A cozy haven for any Valentine couple describes this week's featured home. Many couples will love this two-story home that has three bedrooms and two and a half baths. The five year old home would be a perfect first "love nest" for a young couple.

The lovely master bedroom in the home has a sitting area with access to a private courtyard. The sequestered room is highlighted by a wall of windows and allows a couple a sunny retreat on a winter day. This room is beautifully decorated in wedgwood blue, peach and white.

Please see VALENTINE page 2D

Text by Jill Hancock

Photo by Curt Wilcott

The master bedroom of the home is an ideal place to serve your Valentine breakfast in bed any day of the year. This lovely room features a sitting area and a private court yard.



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VALENTINE

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A spacious master bath includes a built-in shower and tub. A large walk-in closet is conveniently located to the vanity area and makes this space ideal as a dressing area. The master bath focuses on a floral blue and peach wallpaper.

The main living area features a corner brick fireplace and is situated off the left of the entrance of the home. This room features neutral carpeting and is also highlighted by large windows that allows for lots of sunshine.

A dining area that can be used for all occasions, overlooks the sunken living area and is the perfect place for a romantic dinner.

A gorgeous atrium with a fountain enhances the dining room. The atrium is very low maintenance and has been enclosed during the winter months. A section of the roof can be removed in the summer. A sliding glass door helps enhance the romantic atmosphere as a couple enjoys a special dinner while they listen to water trickle through the fountain.

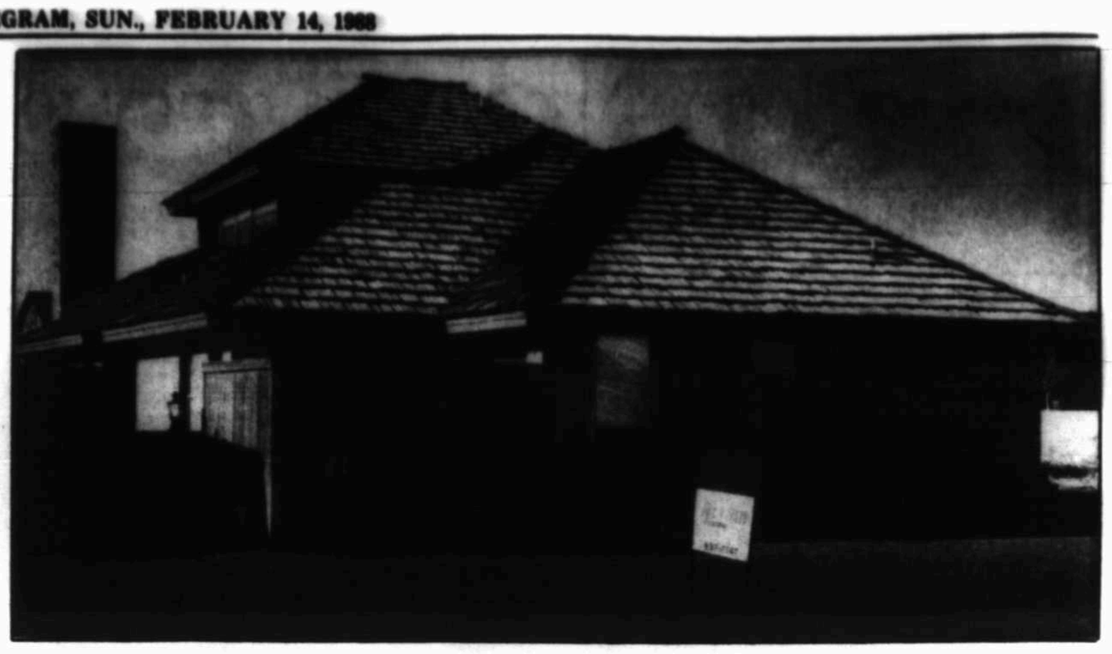
The functional kitchen features Hotpoint appliances that include a range with a self-cleaning oven and dishwasher. A window over the kitchen sink looks out onto the atrium. The other amenities of the kitchen include a big pantry and lots of storage space.

A lovely landscaped, low-maintenance yard is another pleasing factor of the home. A small patio area is situated off the living area and would be great for summer cookouts.

Upstairs, the home has two bedrooms that share a hall bath. One room could be a nursery and the other room could be used as a guest room.

The other amenities of this first couple's home include a utility room with storage space that is located off a two car garage. The home also has a large storage closet with shelves that could store anything from golf clubs to Christmas decorations.

Many Valentine couples will love the price of this affordable home that has approximately 1,800 square feet and is being offered by Action Realty for $75,000.



This week's home features a low-maintenance yard that is beautifully landscaped. This two story home includes a private courtyard off the master bedroom and a small backyard with a patio area.



The sunken living area focuses on a corner brick fireplace. This sunny room is adjacent to the kitchen and dining room and makes this home a welcome place for entertaining friends.



The dining room looks out onto a exquisite atrium with fountain. This room is a wonderful place to have a romantic dinner on Valentines Day.

An associate of Don Harvey , Realtors advises relocating tips to transferees

Most major companies and an ever growing number of smaller companies provide some assistance to employees they've asked to relocate, said Karen Foster in a recent interview. The average cost of relocating an employee has risen sharply over the last few years. However, most companies are still willing to incur that expense. If a given employee has experience and expertise that's important to a company, they feel they've invested their money wisely if they've made it acceptable and possible for that employee to move to a new location where they are most needed, and more-over, they want to be sure they keep them with the company, according to Ms. Foster.



Karen Foster

Ms. Foster said that the major areas of assistance include: home sales programs, home finding assistance, transportation of household goods and mortgage finance assistance.

Most of the home sale programs, according to Ms. Foster, have several features in common. Most of them require one to three conventional appraisals from local independent fee-paid appraisers. Once received, the appraisal's are usually averaged and a guaranteed offer is made to the employee based on their homes on the market as soon as they know of the transfer. Ms. Foster said, "This so-called marketing period, the time the employee has available to accept the company offer or sell the house themselves, is critically important for the employee.

Many companies offer incentives to their employees of they find a buyer on their own before having to sell to their company or the relocation company. Since these marketing periods are usually brief, typically 40 to 60 days, the transferee really needs to have their realtor help them put together an aggressive marketing plan just as soon as they know of their transfer. To maximize their chance of a sale their marketing program needs to be not only aggressive, it needs to be very realistic. "If they grossly overprice their home," Ms. Foster said "they're just eliminating whatever positive chances they might otherwise have had with their marketing."

"One key area of the relocation process that usually is not given enough serious attention," Ms. Foster said, "is the home finding trip." These trips are very expensive for the companies and can be quite traumatic for the employee. The employees have a relatively brief time to usually learn a whole new city and make some very major decisions that could impact their family for a long time. They need to be certain that they are going to get the very best assistance and guidance that's available. And the best way to ensure that is to go through a local broker that you know and have confidence in. That broker can then refer you to a corresponding broker in the new city that they have had proven success and satisfaction through in past transactions.

The key to a successful transfer begins with making sure you've got the best available people to assist you. Then, with their assistance, developing a well conceived and executed plan that maximizes your chances for success within what limited time you may have.

"A very large percentage of our business at Don Harvey, Realtors comes from corporate relocation activities," said Ms. Foster. This is mainly because of the vast amount of relocation experience we have at Don Harvey, Realtors. We have many associates with 8-15 years of experience in working with transferees and management personnel with as much as 12 years experience actually working for relocation companies.

Don Harvey himself, was one of the first key brokers to really become involved with employee relocation conventions and meeting across the country each year.

Title search is critical in home purchase

Buying a house–anyhouse–is a big step.

Once a decision is made to do it, the buyer sets in motion a string of events that eventually leads to closing on the sale and taking possession of the property.

A title search is one of the most critical steps that occurs between the time a buyer decided to purchase and when he or she moves in. It is made to determine that the person who is selling the property really has the right to sell it, and that the buyer is getting all the rights to the property (title) that he or she is paying for.

The most accurate description of title is a bundle of rights in real property. A title search is the process of discovering from public records just what these rights are and who owns them, says Frank J. Riha, vice president and Gulf Central Region manager for Chicago Title Insurance Co., the nation's leading insurer of property titles.

Title insurance pays for any losses to the insured if it is later discovered that the property was subjected to claims of other parties not previously disclosed to the owner. The title insurer pays the legal expenses of defending the title against adverse claims, even if a claim proves to be groundless and eventually is defeated in court.

Riha defined some common terms associated with the title search process:

Chain of Title: This is simply a history of the ownership of a particular piece of property, telling who bought it and sold it, and when. The information may be derived from public records – usually a County Clerk's or Recorder's office – or obtained from title plants privately owned and maintained by title companies. There are great varieties of the plants – index cards, punch cards, tract books, even sophisticated computerized plants. However, they all contain essentially the same information from which the history of the title may be secured.

Tax Search: This is a search to determine the present status of general real estate taxes against the property. The tax search will indicate the existence of any special assessments against the land and, if so, whether or not these assessments are current or past due.

A due and unpaid tax or special assessment is a prior lien or claim on the property that supersedes all others. If a buyer purchases property with unpaid and past due taxes or assessments, he or she is likely to find a government body – the village, county or state – placing the property up for sale to pay these taxes or assesments.

Judgment and Name Search: One of the most important parts of the title search determines if there are any unsatisfied judgments against the seller or previous owners that were in existence while they owned the property. A judgment is a general lien against the debtor's real estate and constitutes security for any money owed under the judgement.

Rights established by judgment decrees, unpaid federal income taxes, and mechanics' liens all may be prior claims against the property that come ahead of the buyer's or lender's rights. If a judgment is discovered that constitutes a defect in the title, the seller must eliminate it before the title of the new buyer can be insured free and clear of that judgment.

A name search is required to determine whether or not a judgment against a person named Smith affects the title to property owned by a seller of the same name. It can be complicated by the fact that the name Smith might be spelled many ways, such as Schmid, Schmidt, Schmidtt, Schmidz, Schmiedt, Smid, Smythe and so on.

The task is to determine which of these spellings applies to the owner in question. First names must be checked, too, because of the many possibilities that exist. For example, there are 25 foreign derivatives of the name John, including Johann, Hans, Shaun, Gudi and Efom.

Commitment to Insure: When the title search has been successfully completed, the title company will issue a commitment to insure that states the conditions under which it will insure the title. The buyer, seller and mortgage lender can proceed with the closing after clearing up any defects in the title that may have been uncovered.

Typically, two title policies are needed. A lender's policy assures the financial institution making the mortgage loan that it has a valid first (or other acceptable priority) mortgage lien on the property. A homeowner's policy protected the buyer's interests.

Real estate sales must be reported to IRS

Sales of homes and certain other real estate after 1986 must be reported to the Internal Revenue Service by the real estate broker, the IRS said.

The settlement agent or other person responsible for closing the transaction generally is treated as the real estate broker for this purpose.

The broker reports the sale to IRS on Form 1099-B, Statement for Recipients of Proceeds From Real Estate, Broker, and Barter Exchange Transactions. Form 1099-B shows the name and address of the seller, the gross proceeds from the sale and certain other information.

A copy of Form 1099-B is provided to the seller and this helps the seller file an accurate tax return. The IRS uses computers to match information received from brokers on Form 1099-B with information reported by taxpayers on their tax returns.

Reporting on Form 1099-B is required for 1987 for the sale or exchange of any structured designed for one to four families.

For more information, taxpayers and brokers can get Form 1099-B and the 1987 Instructions for Reporting Real Estate Transactions on Forms 1099-B. Publications and forms are available by using the order blank in the tax return package or by calling 1-800-424-3676.

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The Carriage Company is ready to assist with your real estate needs

By JILL HANCOCK
Advertising Feature Writer

The real estate associates at The Carriage Company have been serving Midland with their residential and commercial needs since 1971. These associates have an enthusiasm for Midland and are ready to assist you in buying or selling a home.

June Bell has had her Texas real estate license since 1979, but didn't become an active agent until four years ago. Prior to moving to Texas, she had been selling real estate in Pennsylvania for three years. June grew up in New Orleans and attended the University of New Orleans.

"I really enjoy being with people and the real estate profession gives me that opportunity," said June. "I re-entered the real estate field after my four daughters went off to college."



June Bell

June feels that her strength as a realtor lies in helping people work through the entire moving transition. "I like the excitement of helping a client find their dream home," she explained.

"One of my favorite aspects of this profession is spending time with the buyer and seller and making the transaction as smooth and hassle-free as I can," June added.

June has served on various committees for the Midland Board of Realtors (MBR), is a member of the Texas Association of Realtors (TAR) and the National Association of Realtors (NAR). She also volunteers her time with the Texas A&M Mother's Club, Meals on Wheels, Christmas in April, Midland Community Theatre and serves on the vestry at St. Nicholas Episcopal Church.



Beverly Bullen

Beverly Bullen began her real estate career nine years ago after her children were at the age where she wasn't needed as much at home. She recently became associated with The Carriage Company.

A native of Palm Beach, Florida, Beverly moved to Midland from Abilene. "I can empathize with people who have been transferred to Midland since I encountered the same situation in 1971," Beverly explained.

"I really enjoy helping transferees become acquainted with our community," she added. "I feel that Midland is a perfect place to raise a family due to it's size and what it offers the people who live here. Midland Community Theatre is one of the first things I point out to newcomers."

Beverly is very challenged in assisting first-time homebuyers. She like exploring how a person can afford a home and the best way to finance that home. "I like the excitement a couple feels when they obtain their first home. Seeing it through their eyes is very gratifying for me," Beverly said.

The real estate profession is exciting to Beverly because she has never had two transactions that were alike. "It is challenging to stay abreast of all the new financing and contracts. I have never been bored due to the variety of things that real estate offers me," she concluded.

Beverly is a member of the MBR, TAR and NAR.

Wanda Hines has lived in Midland since 1948 and is familiar with the Midland economy and knows that it is similar to a roller coaster.

"Being in the real estate business, one has to know the ups and downs of this profession as well as the community," Wanda explained. "Its amazing how we are able to still sell houses regardless of the oil business or high interest rates."

Wanda was encouraged by her husband to obtain her real estate li-



Wanda Hines

cense. After years of volunteer work that included being named a life member of the PTA, Wanda was ready for a flexible career because if her three children.

"I started in real estate 11 years ago and was associated with Jack Mogle. He was an excellent real estate teacher and I have benefited from what I learned while I was with his real estate company," Wanda said.

Wanda has served on many committes for the MBR and is a member of TAR and NAR. She is also a member of the Golf Course Road Church of Christ and is a Christmas in April volunteer.

Langston Realtors talk about real estate ...

'Third Party' properties explained



Muldrow

Q. What does it mean when my Realtor refers to a house as a 'third party' listing?

A. Let us first establish what a third party is. Employee Relocation companies, commonly referred to as a third party, are firms which are retained by corporations to assist in the transferring of employees from one location to another. Some of the larger Employee Relocation firms are Travelers, Merrill Lynch, Homequity and Empire Relocation.

A 'third party' property is the home of a transferred employee which is purchased by the relocation company in order to free up the employee's equity and responsibility for that property enabling him to purchase a home in his new location. This is essential to a corporation; the process enables a transferee to be on the job, when and where needed, with the family unit intact, resulting in a more effective employee.

Once the acquisition of the home has taken place, the relocation firm acts as a third party between the transferee and a purchaser on behalf of the employee's corporation and places the property or 'third party' listing on the market for resale.

Total costs to a company for transferring an employee are in the range of $35,000 to $40,000, so it is not a process initiated without definite need and purpose, and must be accomplished as smoothly and timely as possible.

Q. Are there advantages to buying one of these properties?

A. There are advantages to purchasing a third party listing. First, these properties should be conditioned for a quick sales because the longer they are in the inventory of the relocation company, the greater the cost to the corporation. All major systems including heat, air and kitchen appliances should be in working order, the property should be clean, the yard maintained, and often painting and recarpeting done.

More importantly, the property should be comparatively priced because the figure paid the transferee for his home has been determined by one, generally two appraisals and a Broker's Price Opinion from a local broker. The home is nearly always marketed at this price or within very close range.

There are also disadvantages to purchasing a third party property. First, in a transaction of this type there is no personal contact with the seller so the buyer has little opportunity to learn of special features or amenities a home may have. Second, the purchaser will be negotiating with a company having no emotional involvement in the property, but rather operating within set formulas regarding resale price and based on acquisition costs.

Q. How do third party listings differ from 'corporate' and 'REO' properties?

A. First, let us understand that third party listings and corporate listings are the same. These terms are used synonymously. The primary distinction between third party listings and REO properties, meaning real estate owned, is who has title to the property.

Whereby third party listings are owned by employee relocation firms, REO properties are generally owned by mortgage companies, banks, and mortgage insurance companies such as Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and the FDIC.

These firms obtain title to properties through foreclosure, and at time are reluctant to spend additional money to recondition and prepare these properties for resale. Consequently, many of these properties are being sold on an as-is basis

Q. How does Langston Realtors obtain 'third party' listings?

A. Langston Realtors is a member of the prestigious Travelers Realty Network, a sister company to the Travelers Relocation Company, both owned by the Travelers companies of Hartford, Connecticut. Therefore, Langston assists Travelers Relocation with Broker Price Opinions and the marketing of Midland properties in their inventory. Travelers Relocation Company serves over 400 corporations with many being among the Fortune 500.

To be a member of the Travelers Realty Network, Langston has to meet and maintain stringent requirements of performance on sending and servicing referrals, on professionalism in relocation services, and on dedication to the real estate industry. It also had to attain a major share of the MLS market.

To secure the Travelers Relocation Company listings, Langstons had to meet equally stringent standards for maintenance and marketing the properties. Because the firm has demonstrated a high degree of success in marketing and selling corporate properties, Langstons has also been selected by numerous other relocation companies to list their properties in Midland

Muldrow is the Corporate Services Director for Langston Realtors. His duties include the management and marketing of 'third party' and REO listings.

Experts give advice on home remodeling

At last, it's finally happened. You've dreamed about owning your own home for years, and your real estate agent has found one that fits right into your price range. It's spacious, in the perfect location and ready for immediate occupancy.

But a visit to the house reveals many flaws - a collapsed porch, sagging ceilings and broken windows, to mention a few.

Nevertheless, you see this old beauty for what it is - a charming structure with lots of character and grace. (And the price is right.)

The money you've saved on your new bargain house can be re-invested into restoring it back to its original style.

Some elements to consider when determining which features to restore include:

* Siding: Vinyl siding gives an instant "facelift" to a house and will protect it for decades.
* Doors: Detail is important here - the proper custom door should match the style of the house.
* Windows: Vinyl windows, available in standard and custom styles and sizes, help insulate a home with fashion.

The satisfaction you receive as a result of your imagination and attention to detail in restoring an older home to its original grace will last for years to come.

Homeowner can get tax break on profit of sale

WASHINGTON (AP) — There is no longer a special tax rate for capital gains but you still may get a tax break on profits from the sale of your home.

The 1986 tax overhaul wiped out a provision that had excluded 60 percent of long-term capital gains from taxation. Such gains are profits from the sale of assets, such as real estate and stocks, owned more than six months.

There are two ways to avoid or delay tax on some or all the profit when you sell your principal home:

* If you or your spouse are at least 55 years old, once in a lifetime you may exclude from taxation up to $125,000 of profits from the sale. This must have been your principal home for at least three of the last five years ending on the date of sale.
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If you sold your home in 1987, you must report it to the IRS on Form 1040, Schedule D, even though you have not yet bought a replacement home. If any part of your 1987 gain is taxable, the maximum tax rate is 28 percent.

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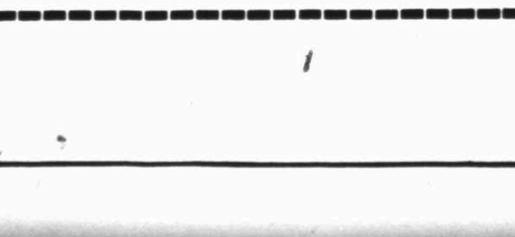


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3. Avoid abbreviations. Don't make a potential customer work too hard! Although you may be tempted to cut down on the cost of your ad by using abbreviations, surveys indicate that many people don't understand such abbreviations as EIK (eat-in kitchen) or WSW (white side wall) tires and won't take the time to figure them out. A confused reader is a disinterested reader. Get the most for your money and use complete words.



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21	6.00	9.45	10.92	13.02	15.75
22	6.25	9.90	11.44	13.64	16.50
23	6.50	10.35	11.96	14.26	17.25
24	6.75	10.80	12.48	14.88	18.00
25	7.00	11.25	13.00	15.50	18.75
26	7.25	11.70	13.52	16.12	19.50
27	7.50	12.15	14.04	16.74	20.25
28	7.75	12.60	14.56	17.36	21.00
29	8.00	13.05	15.08	17.98	21.75
30	8.25	13.50	15.60	18.60	22.50
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Tips about filing your tax return

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some last-minute tips about your tax return:

• The filing deadline is midnight April 15. If you can't complete your return by then, estimate how much you owe (if anything) and send in your check with a Form 4868, which automatically gives you a 120-day filing extension.

• Find a mistake after mailing your return? File an amended return on Form 1040X.

• If you file the long Form 1040, you may subtract (on Page 1) from income subject to taxation any penalties you paid for early withdrawal of savings deposits.

• If you want to protest what's going on in Washington, write your congressman — don't make your case by altering your tax return. At best, it could delay any refund. If you alter the oath above your signature or refuse to sign, for example, it could cost you an additional $500 penalty for filing a frivolous return.

• There's a new benefit for the self-employed — a deduction for 25 percent of medical-insurance premiums paid for themselves and their families. The deduction may not exceed self-employment net earnings; there are other limitations.

• Those tax-exempt bonds you own are still exempt, but now you must list the interest on Line 7b of 1040A or Line 9 of 1040.

• You may round off to the nearest whole dollar figures you enter on your return, so long as you are consistent. But this year the IRS has added a new twist: you have to use exact amounts when making preliminary calculations. For example, be exact when adding up your state and local taxes but you may round off the total.

• Keep a copy of your return and records to back it up, at least for three years. Other records should be kept forever, including paper relating to your home. Because of new restrictions, records relating to your Individual Retirement Account are essential.

• Want to do your share for the federal deficit? Save a stamp and mail your check, made out to "Bureau of the Public Debt," with your tax return. But write a separate check to the IRS if you owe any tax.

• If you are the surviving spouse or personal representative of someone who died in 1987 and who would have been required to file a return, you must file on behalf of that person. See Page 30 of the Form 1040A instructions or Page 21 of 1040 instructions.

• There's a whole new set of rules affecting investors in tax shelters that generate losses. In general terms, a loss from a passive activity (a trade or business in which you do not materially participate) may not be used to avoid taxes on non-passive income, such as wages. You will have to file Form 8582 if you are affected. See IRS Publication 925.

• If you take a deduction for alimony you paid, your return must list the Social Security number of the recipient. The recipient's return must show the payer's number. There's a $50 penalty for failure in either case.

• Those little numbers under "1987" in the upper right corner of your tax forms have a purpose. They tell you in what sequence the supplemental forms and schedules should be attached to your 1040 or 1040A.

• The IRS urges you to use the preprinted mailing label on your return, after correcting any errors. If you are filing a joint return, make sure the names and Social Security numbers are listed in the same order on the label and the return. (The IRS rejects as an old wives' tale the oft-repeated rumor that the label makes it easier to audit your return.)

• Sign your return. Don't forget to stamp the envelope, even a letter to the IRS won't get by the Postal Service's no-stamp, no-delivery regulations.

Mortgage rates reported down

By Dave Skidmore
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Home mortgage rates edged down slightly in December, continuing a trend set after the Federal Reserve Board loosened the reins on the money supply in response to the October stock market crash.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board said fixed-rate mortgages averaged 11.07 percent in early December, down from 11.19 percent in early November. Rates had hit a low of 9.47 percent in March and then climbed to high for 1987 of 11.42 percent in early October, before the stock plummet.

The most popular type of adjustable rate mortgages, one with a cap on how high rates can go, dropped to 8.94 percent from 8.98 percent.

"There's not much change here and that is in itself good news," said Lyle Gramley, chief economist of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America. "The housing and mortgage markets could use a bit of stability right now to give buyers, sellers and builders a chance to settle down."

"My guess would be that stability is the watchword for the next few months," he said.

Adjustable mortgages are cheaper initially than fixed-rate mortgages because the lender keeps the right to increase the rate over the course of the mortgage.

The bank board, which regulates savings institutions, said the proportion of mortgages with an adjustable rate climbed in December for the eighth consecutive month to 68 percent, up from 63 percent in November.

"The development further helps to insulate mortgage lenders against an unexpected increase in interest rates," said James Barth, chief economist of the bank board.

The spread, or difference, between fixed- and adjustable-rate loans narrowed slightly from 2.21 percent in November to 2.13 percent in December, but it remained close to the record gap of 2.42 percent in October.

A survey by the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. showed that 30-year, fixed-rate mortgages averaged 10.61 percent last week, compared with a high of 11.58 percent before the crash. This survey does not reflect add-on fees, known as points, which are included in the bank board's averages.

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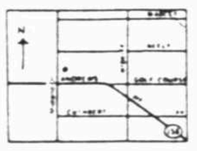


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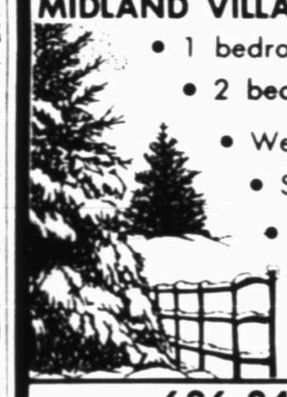
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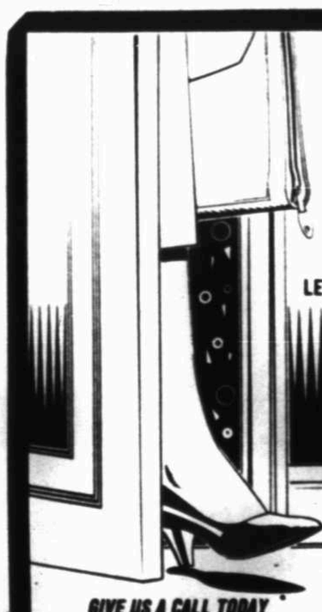
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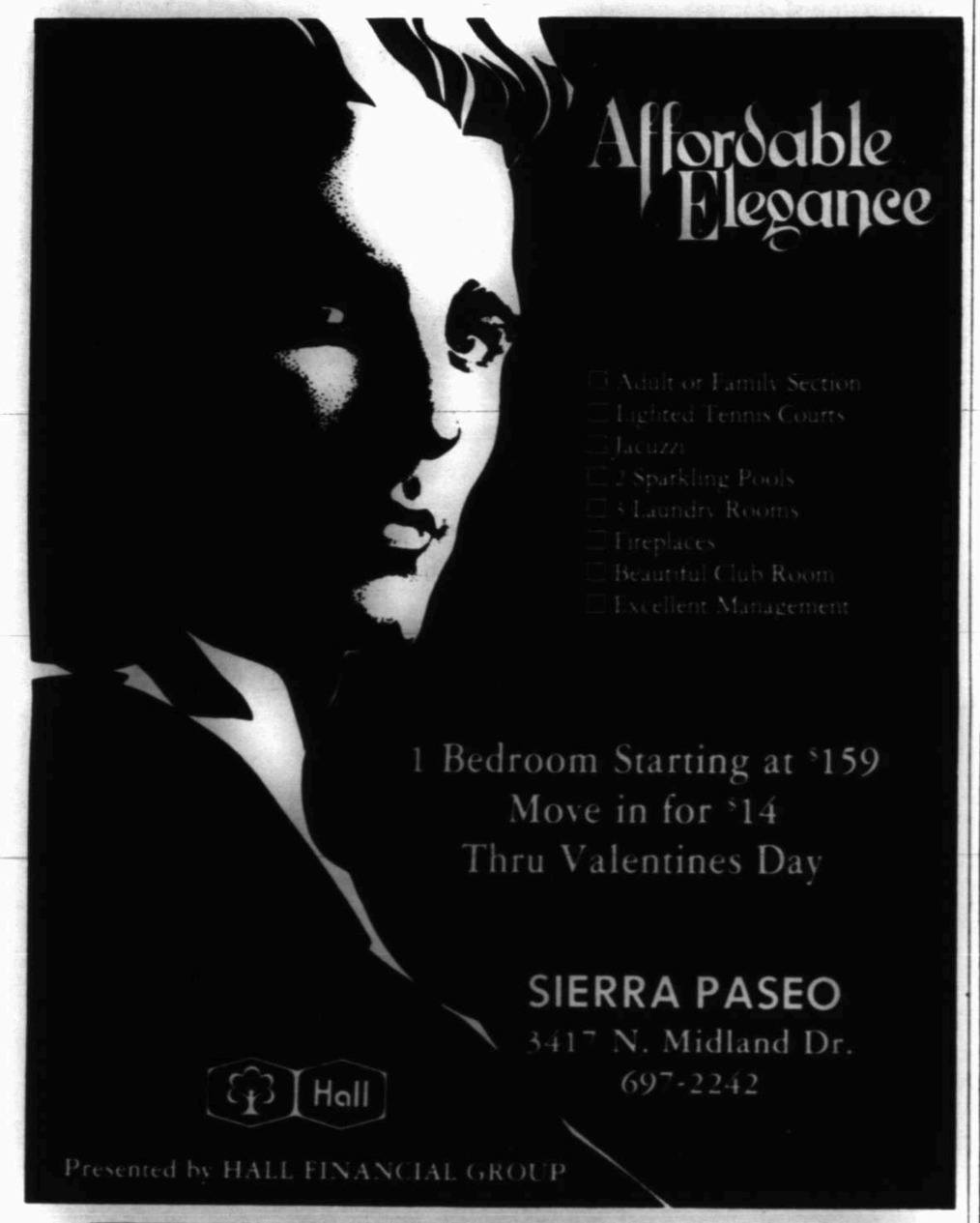
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Open

BY OWNER
2 - 4 pm
3618 W. LOUISIANA
3 bdrm, 2 ba, 2 liv. area
Fireplace, double garage, new carpet

Open

2 - 4 pm
3105 WHITTLE WAY
Three large bedrooms, two living areas, courtyard entry and many more amenities.
Shown by Jerry Holt
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Wkends and eves. 684-9712

Open

OPEN 2 - 5
4603 PLEASANT
Stunning completely remodeled 3 bedroom home. A must to see. Priced in the $50's.
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2 - 4 pm
1308 BRIGHTON PLACE
Shown by
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Open

OPEN HOUSE
4104 GLEN EAGLES
2pm-5pm
3 bedroom, 2½ bath, 3 living areas, formal dining. Many extras.
689-7684.

Open House
2pm to 4pm
3523 Hyde Park
Three bedroom, two full bath, one living, sun room, sewing room, basket ball or RV pad in back yard. Owners moved. $83,000.
Starnes Real Estate. Babette Starnes.
687-2558

Open

4800 SHADY LANE
$59,500
3 to 5
Beautifully maintained 3br home in Wilshire Park with cathedral ceilings and earthtone decor.
Shown by
Virginina James 684-4535

2613 TERRACE
3 to 5
Shown by
Betty Ford 684-4177

108 W. SHANDON
$41,850
2 - 4
Shown by
Francis Martin 694-5483

2824 EMERSON
This home has it all! 4br, 3ba, lovely patio, pool and Jacuzzi.
$125,000
3 to 5
Shown by
Opal Diemer 682-8805

2521 STANOLIND
$174,500
2:30 to 5:00
Executive location for this executive home. Spacious 5br, with all the amenities.
Shown by
Marge Corbett
& Debbie Whiles
CARRIAGE COMPANY REALTORS
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Open

OPEN HOUSE
2800 Lockheed.
1-3
Fantastic, unique, elegant. Indoor pool, 4 bedrooms, 6 baths. Priced reduced. Shown By Gloria Lott, Langston Realtors.

Open

1-5pm
5011 MELVILLE
(Plantation Hills)
Super Price! Super House!
Just right for
that special Valentine
4 bedrooms, 3 baths
$116,000
Shown by Pat Paxton
LANGSTON REALTORS

Open

4400 PLEASANT
"Sweetheart of A House"
SUNDAY 3 - 5
Stop by for your Valentine from Marilyn Jo Smith and First Realty of Midland Better Homes & Gardens.
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FANNIE MAE
FORECLOSURE
OPEN 2 - 4

1507 W. COLLEGE $39,900
3BR, 2BA., hardwood floors. We have totally redone this home including redoing hardwood floors. Though this home is currently under contract, it may not work out. Wonderful buy. You'll still be in time to pick the color of your new carpet and vinyl.

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FOR AN APPOINTMENT
TO SEE
THE FOLLOWING
STOP BY
1507 W. COLLEGE OR
CALL: 682-9495

4904 CONCHO $49,900
2 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, 2 car garage. Huge master bedroom. This is a full size single family home, not a duplex or townhome.

4104 ANETTA $34,900
3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living area, carport. We've painted inside and out and added new carpet and vinyl.

121 N. GLENWOOD $54,900
UNITS A B C & D
Investors Dream. QUADRAPLEX!!! All 4 units are 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. 2 units are currently rented grossing $550 monthly. We've just spent over $3,600 painting and adding carpet to units B & C.

2504 KENTUCKY $32,500
2 bedroom, 1 bath home. We're going to repaint the interior, do all repairs, install new vinyl and add a range. Property bonus!! 1 bedroom, 1 bath rental unit in rear. Don't miss this one!!

1308 W. WASHINGTON $24,900
2 bedroom, 1 bath. Ben Franklin Stove. Fenced yard. Excellent buy.

SHOWN BY:
MICHAEL WRAY
Langston Monarch Associates
682-9495
Evenings 685-1315

700 Manufactured Homes

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OPEN TODAY 2 - 5 pm
2816 MOSS
Lovely three bedroom townhouse. Atrium, wet bar, fireplace, landscaped, very little yardwork, large living area. Priced right. Call Elizabeth Ottinger, home realty. 697-6795 or 699-2570.

Open

OPEN 2 - 5
3410 MEADOWRIDGE
(Trinity Meadow Estates)
3300 WOODHAVEN
(Trinity Meadow Estates)
CHARLIE GOSS BUILDER
694-8662

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OPEN HOUSE
4709 Pleasant.
From 2 pm - 5 pm

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WARWICK. 2007 Shell. $210,000 by owner. $216,400 with realtor. 683-3682 for MWF appointment.

BY owner. 2614 Delano. Two bedroom, one bath. Much new. $17,500. Call 683-0834.

REDONE: 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath home. Central heat and refrigerated air. $37,000. To preview call, 682-8818, Tierra REALTORS.

TRADE, rent, investments. $500 down. 801 W. Michigan and others. 1 to 6 bedrooms. 682-3542.

HOUSE for sale. Quannah Parker/Goddard School District. Four bedrooms, approximately 2000 sq. ft. $87,000. 4300 Arroyo. 697-5418.

5100 ASHDOWN
Saddle Club South
Three bedroom, two bath, two living areas, three car garage, new carepet, low maintenance yard, vacanat and ready for occupancy. $85,000. Would go FHA or VA.
683-1618

710 Open Houses

OPEN HOUSE 1-5 PM



Shown by Kim Roan 686-0261
5480 Cypress Ct.
1501 College
3200 Michigan
2601 Country Club
4708 Graceland
(assumption)
home realty
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TRINITY ESTATES $80's Low maintenance patio home in prestigious Trinity Estates. Nothing but the best. Call Tish Duncan 689-7700 or 689-6958.

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SPLIT LEVEL 4 bedroom, 3 bath home on 2 acres has 2 large living areas and a deck with a spectacular view of the Midland Skyline. Much square footage for only $65,000. Call Marilyn Jo Smith 689-7700 or 682-0560.

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EXCEPTIONAL GREENWOOD HOMES Extra nice 3 bedroom home with sequestered master, lots of ceramic tile, large yard with sprinkler system...ALSO ANOTHER ...darling 3 bedroom home with step down into cathedraled living room, larger than normal bedrooms, conveniently located to school. Call Donna Gunn to see 689-7700 or 699-6448.

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FREE APARTMENT Roomy three bedroom home in Old Midland has a totally separate one bedroom apartment in back with its own kitchen, bedroom and living room. Beautiful landscaping and a water well. Price at only $80,000. Call Brian Cooper 689-7700 or 689-6400.

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NEW LISTING This 3 bedroom home is in a location that speaks for itself, "Old Midland". Priced at only $36,750, don't miss your chance to buy. Call Roy Proctor 689-7700 or 694-8098.

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SO LITTLE MAINTENANCE you'll hardly even notice it! This wonderful open floor plan will make your entertaining a breeze. Lovely courtyard entry, high ceilings with skylights and huge kitchen and breakfast room are just a few of the amenities this 3 bedroom townhome has to offer. Over 2200 s.f. for under $80,000. Call Nancy Kilgore 689-7700 or 697-4073.

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SIMPLY GORGEOUS describes our newest listing in Wydewood. This large 3 bedroom home in tones of grey features a formal dining, skylights, a tropical sunroom with hot tub, and exceptional landscaping including sprinklers and exterior lighting. For your preview, Call Roy Proctor.

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Non-Qualifying assumption on this 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage home...West Midland...Family room with wood burning fireplace...Nice fenced backyard...$1,300 down...Monthly payments of $722 including taxes & insurance...CALL NOW!!
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HOUSES
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TRADE, rent, investments. $500 down. 801 W. Michigan and others. 1 to 6 bedrooms. 682-3542.

$3,500 EQUITY: FHA assumable non-qualifying three bedroom, two bath, custom. Approximately $968/ monthly. 4502 Cloudcroft Court. 694-9911

$286 MONTH
Total payment on this 3 bedroom home...Completely redone inside and out...Fresh paint...New carpet & vinyl-...Large fenced backyard...$500 total move-in...CALL NOW TO SEE!

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ALL THE EXTRAS!
Three bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 car garage, 3 living areas, formal dining, fireplace, skylights, double gas grill, sprinklered, large patio, storage building. One block from Parker Elementary. $112,500. By owner.
Call to see NOW!
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NON-QUALIFYING FHA assumption; approximately $605 per month total payment. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, brick home. Low equity, seller pays closing. West side. Must sell - leaving town. 699-1486, work 688-4203.

$20,000 or best offer. Two story, 3 bedroom house to be moved. County Rd. 130 and Rankin Highway in Warren road development. 685-1704.

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BY Owner: Three bedroom, two bath, one living, earth tones, two car, sprinkler, fireplace. 697-7670

South Loraine. Nice rooms, two baths, attached garage. Call 682-3095.

VA ASSUMABLE: No down, take over payments. Three bedroom, one bath, large fenced yard. 697-4612, 105 Canyon.

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Your Plans; Mine or Combination
Now building in "Trinity Meadows"
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SPECIAL TOUCHES ADDED
To this nice home on Harvard. 3 bedroom, 2 bath on corner lot. Good neighborhood and area. Priced in $40's. Call Billie Calhoun 694-6428 or CENTURY 21 MIDTEX 689-0021

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NEW HOMES: 3 & 4BR's-2BA. Fenced yrds. Several locations. S&W Homes Inc., of Midland. 689-9871.

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BY Owner: Three bedroom, two bath, two garage, estrael Half acre, priced to sell. 561-8820 evenings

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Luxurious Spanish styled 4BR. in Saddle Club South with many custom features. Sparkling pool with closed patio - $225,000.
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OLD NEIGHBORHOOD HOME
WEST OF WADLEY BARRON PARK
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OWNER/AGENT

BEAUTIFUL country home. Good water, three plus acres, pecan trees, sprinkler system, restricted area in Ridge Heights Annex, 107 Natalia, 687-2567 after 6pm

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FORECLOSURES
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PRIVATE PILOT'S DREAM
Almost new 2st, 4br, 2½ ba, fd. ft. den w/ fp, custom kitchen, acreage, access to runway! Priced to sell.
★★★ ★★★ ★★★ ★★★
PRESTIGIOUS OLD MIDLAND
Only minutes to downtown, schools & parks. Large sq ft, 3br, 2ba, Formal living/ dining combo. Has room to spare. Den w/ fp, spacious kitchen w/ enough cabinets for everything. Utl. could double as sewing, hobby, or small office. Backyard just right for summer bar-b-ques.
★★★ ★★★ ★★★ ★★★
If you love light and open with lots of plants, this home is for you. This is an easy-living 3 br, seq. master, 2 ba, 2 lg. living areas. Courtyard looks like a jungle in summer! Lee High. 689-0021

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BANK Repo. Nice three bedroom, two bath on 5503 Princeton. Call Permian Real Estate, Odessa 333-1483, evenings 561-9256

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697-8232 699-1440

BY owner: three bedroom, two bath, two living areas (one large den), enclosed patio, gas grill, new paint inside and out, new dishwasher, large garage-sized workshop, water well, child's backyard "fort". Excellent location. Will pay closing costs. Appraised at $59,500. 684-7370

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9½% FHA assumption. 3203 Shandon. Three bedroom, 1¾ bath, screened porch. For appointment call 697-5302

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Area of majestic estates and designed by leading expert 4BR 3BA that will be a tremendous bargain for some lucky family. Yard is large enough for pool - Offered at $175,000
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FOR sale by owner 6622 Leisure Drive. Approximately 1542 square feet. Three bedrooms, two bath, two living areas, refrigerated air, five ceiling fans, dishwasher and stove. 697-8740

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2 bath, 2 car garage brick home in Arbor Park Addition. New construction. You choose your own color decor throughout home. Come by our office to see the versatility of this plan. $3,200 DOWN AND FIXED RATE PAYMENTS OF ONLY $721 PER MONTH. CALL NOW FOR LOCATION & MORE DETAILS.
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Privacy and close-in location on Hyde. Tennis courts, pretty pool and low yard maintenance for large yard. $85,000.
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NON-QUALIFYING
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2205 GULF
For sale by owner
Old Midland
Three bedroom, two baths, two car garage. As is condition
Call for appointment
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Concept with minimum yard and circle drive. Excellent neighborhood in Skyline for family living. 3 large bedrooms. Immediate possession and possible lease purchase. Bargain priced at $92,500.
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CUTHBERT-(20) Updated estate in beautiful condition. Home on 3 lots + pool. Everything you want.
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BEECHWOOD-(05) Luxury contemp. home in Greentree ..... U/C
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BRAZOS-(08A) Owner custom built, 3 bd. nice condition/Northgate. UC
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CUTHBERT-(19A) PMI workout in Ridgelea. Sunrm w/skylites 45,000
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DENGAR-(24) 3 bedroom, 2 liv areas w/lots of floor space. Carport and circle drive 25,000
DEVONIAN-(24A) a steal at this price! 3BD close to shop & schools 42,500
DURANT-(26) Large family home in Kimberlea; 4 Bed, 3½ Baths, solar hot water system, new roof 103,500
EMERSON-(29) Owner says "Sell"! Lovely northwest location. Lg bedrooms, cath. ceil. 69,500
GOLF COURSE-(34) Immaculate condition. Incl. hothouse w/ shop bldg, satte dish 79,500
GOLF COURSE-(34A)-Beautifully maintained home w/ perfect yard & pool 106,000
HAYNES-(37) Patio Home with gorgeous atrium and lovely patio area. Large rooms & great storage 99,800
KNIFFEN-(42A) Excellent price on this lovely 3 bedroom home 1.25 acres. All for 72,500
LANHAM-(43A) Updated & lovely! New roof & paint. Great landscaping & neighborhood 82,500
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MARIANA-(49) Large family home! 2nd liv could be 4th bedroom. Lots of house for the money 52,000
MARIANA-(50) 3 bed 2 ba walk to shopping ..... UC
MERCEDES-(53) FHA Assum. + new carpet, paint, dishwasher, disposal in this 3 bed home ..... UC
OHIO-(60) Lovely 3 Bed. townhome close to shopping & schools. New carpet & dishwasher 60,000
PRESTON-(70) Unique Style 2 story townhome in Wyderwood. PMI workout 62,000
ROOSEVELT-(73) 2 bed, 2 ba home in Permian Estates w/perimeter heat & new ac 49,500
SENTINEL-(75) Lovley older home in great location! Spacious, light & bright 79,500
SHADYLANE-(77) Bond money! Beautifully maintained 3 bed w/earth-tone decor 59,500
SHANDON-(76A) Versatile floorplan in this 4bd home w/hardwood floors 41,850
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Two bedroom,two bath, patio home in Plantation Hills. Beautiful patio, large living area, two dining areas, ceiling fans, quarry tile, garage door opener, automatic sprinkler system and nice built-ins. Neutral colors. Excellent condition
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Nice home featuring 3 bedrooms, fireplace and dog run. Good storehouse could make super workshop. Low equity, FHA loan can be assumed. $55,000. TALK TO PATSY BRICE, Associate DON HARVEY REALTORS, 683-5333 evenings 683-1596

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3 bedrooms, 1¾ bath, 2 car garage, one owner home in North Midland. Sprinkler system, well landscaped yard. Home in excellent condition. CALL FRAN HENDERSON, Associate DON HARVEY REALTORS, 683-5333 evenings 682-5864

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ROOSEVELT-3-1, 3/4, 2 living	38,000
SENTINEL-2-1-1	22,500
LANHAM-4-2-2 living	73,500
MOCKINGBIRD LN.-4.42 ac. land only	72,000
HODGES-4-3½, 3 living, 2 fp	119,000

CORPORATE HOMES

AUBURN-4-2½-3 living areas REDUCED	99,900
SENTINEL-5 bd, basement REDUCED	132,500
MINEOLA-3-1-1 cp	18,500
WHITTLE WAY-3-2 large living areas REDUCED	77,900
RITA'S ROAD-2-2 cute country home	29,900
DAVENTRY 4-3-2	139,900
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HARVARD-2-2-2	24,900
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NEW LISTINGS

COUNTRY CLUB-4+ 3, custom contemporary, much glass & Mexican tile throughout entire home extending to patio & outside entertaining area. Artists studio or greenhouse, redwood hot tub & decking, mature trees...$155,550.

ROOSEVELT-3/1½, FHA, non-qualifying assumption with much new in recent years. Refrigerated air & central gas heat. Wonderful back yard with covered patio for outdoor gatherings...$41,000. Ask for Peggy Strong.

PINE-Vacant lot, nice neighborhood, all utilities in place, good investment for builder. Owner needs quick sale...$4,200.00. Ask for E.J. Pryor.

CIMMARON-3, 2, low FHA assumption. Close to schools and shopping. Hot tub. Motivated seller...$64,900. Ask for Mary Jo Drury.

ST. ANDREWS-5/5, Owner's loss - Buyer's gain! Unique custom built, 2-story, Spanish contemporary. Deluxe family home with 5 bedrooms & baths. View the gorgeous heated pool from master bedroom balcony! Call for other amenities...$199,900. Ask for Peggy Strong.

CALDERA-3/2, Builder's delight!! Vista West Addition. Very best with luxury throughout, including hot tub, central vacuum, extra insulation, too much to list. Desperate seller, make offers...$105,000. Ask for Peggy Strong.

HUNTINGTON-4/2½,3 living areas, prestigious Old Midland, completely renovated & updated, spacious home with large gameroom, hot tub, satellite & more...$249,500.

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LOCKHEED-Gorgeous custom built! Indoor pool w/cabana & waterfall, wet bar, greenhouse, sprinkler & deck	175,000
CASTLEFORD-Unique plan w/super elevated living area, game room, intercom, sprinklers, wet bar & more!	168,000
LOCKHEED-Super location w/pool, cabana, & new kitchen!	125,000
PARKHURST-Lovely 4BR on corner lot in Skyline Terrace!	112,500
ANGELINA-Great plan w/cul-de-sac location! A must see!	104,500
METZ-Great family home close to schools & shopping!	97,500
HUMBLE-Extra nice w/newer kitch. and outdoor storage!	51,000
CARRIZO-Super duplex w/hardwood floors & new interior!	49,000
BOYD-Immaculate condition w/beautifully landscpd yard!	48,500
GOLF COURSE-Spacious, low maintenance home w/lrg BR's	46,000
CO. RD. 123W-Super country home w/covr'd patio & fans	45,000
CO. RD. 58-Exceptional acreage w/barn & tack room!	37,900
CO. RD. 116W-2 mobile homes and owner may lease!	25,000
GARFIELD-Close to Alamo Jr. High, great investment!	24,900
ESTES-Fantastic brick veneer home for 1st time buyer!	16,000
ESTES-Very neat, needs little to qualify for FHA!	16,000

CORPORATE AND REACQUIRED

STANOLIND-Many improvements. Pick your colors now!	65,000
McDONALD-New paint, seq mstr. bedroom, foreclosure	63,900
SHADY LN-Painting outside & minor repairs inside	59,900
DOUGLAS-2 lg LAs, big country kitchen, 3 bedrooms	57,000
HARVARD-Great duplex for investors. Priced right!	50,000
W. SPRUCE-Foreclosure. Repairs being made	49,000
BONHAM-Recent foreclosure, new paint, good condition!	41,500
RIC-Corner lot across from park, great starter home	38,500
ANNETA-Nice 3BR/2BA, eligible for special financing	34,900
DELANO-100% FINANCING! Being painted!	34,500
HARVARD-100% financing. Near 2BR, 1/2 duplex	34,500
ANETTA-FORECLOSURE! New paint & carpet - fireplace!	34,000
KESSLER-Great opportunity for 1st time buyers!	32,000
ROOSEVELT-100% financing. No move in costs, AS IS!	26,500
WASHINGTON-FNMA Special Financing! Excellent buy!	24,900

SALES PENDING

NORTHFIELD-New construction, 2 LAs, 3 car garage!	139,500
THAMES CT-Super new construction in Polo Park! 4BR/2LA	135,000
HEATHER-Unique plan w/sep. mstr, sunroom & nice yard!	124,500
EDGEMONT-Super location w. seq. mstr & covered patio!	98,500
GARFIELD-Spacious & light w. pool! Huge closets!	81,500
McDONALD-Wonderful 4BR w/lots of redecorating & new!	72,900
CONROE-Beautiful Raznick built w/home warranty!	71,900
NEELY-Lovely neighborhood & in great condition!	69,950
WADLEY-Darling TH near Lee High! Neutral shades!	69,500
NEELY-Fabulous location w/lots of new & lrg dining area	67,900
SHADY OAK-"As Is" in Greentree w/special financing	65,000
RIC-100% financing! Lots of space w/new decor!	62,700
NORWOOD-Spacious & fresh w/courtyard & patio	58,000
HWY 137-Lovely home on 5 acres plus storage bldg!	55,000
SPRUCE-Custom home w/lrg kitch, FP & beamed ceiling!	44,500
BARKLEY-close to school, new paint & carpet, nice yard!	41,500
COLLEGE-FNMA Special Financing, lovely old architecture	39,900
TANNER-FNMA Special Financing & an excellent buy!	32,500
LIDDON-100% financing, lovely townhome in nice area!	22,500
PARKER-Close to town & "as is". Great investment!	22,000



MEET LAURA MANULIK...Active as a broker in the Midland market for the last 20 years, Laura is a past president of the Midlan Board of Realtors and has been consistently in the top 5% of Midland Realtors in production of sales and listings. Realtor of the year in 1983. Laura is currently a candidate for being a Certified Commercial Investment Member.

OTHER EXCEPTIONAL HOMES

AINSLEE-Lovely contemporary in quiet neighborhood!	99,500
SHELL-Super condition, lots of new w/circle drive!	98,500
ASHDOWN-Custom townhome. Very open & spacious	98,000
COMPTON-Very unique floor plan in desirable area	96,500
EDGEMONT-Extra nice 4BR in wonderful condition!	93,500
WYDEWOOD-4BR plan gives lots of privacy! Great area!	89,900
DENTCREST-Superbly maintained. Great VA ASSUMP!	89,000
BOYD-Assumable bond loan, great new kitchen!	88,500
SUPER TOWNHOME-3 large BRs, lots of storage	87,000
PRINCETON-Large living, updated kitchen/brkfst. area	85,000
WHITTLE WAY-Sunken living, lrg. bedrooms, crtyrd. entry	82,900
MOSS-Lovely light townhome w/many extras! Lush atrium!	82,900
BOYD-Assumable bond loan, great new kitchen!	88,500
CASTLEFORD-Nicely decorated, lots of extras & storage	82,000
WESTMONT-FHA qualifying, low equity, cul-de-sac	81,500
NORWOOD-Non qualifying FHA! Pretty w/high ceilings!	81,000
HARVARD-Lovely space, beautiful area, 4 car garage, apt	80,000
HUMBLE-Gorgeous pool & spa, low maintenance yard!	79,000
PRINCETON-Fabulous price! FHA ASSUMABLE!	72,500
DOUGLAS-2 lg LA, big country kitchen, nice price!	69,950
MICHIGAN-Superb price! Lots of light, hardwood floors!	69,900
DENGAR-Contemporary charm, lovely high ceilings	69,900
LOUISIANA-Country decor, 3BR, 2LAs, nice neighbors!	69,000
APPERSON-Cul-de-sac, 1 or 2 LA w/lg formal din	69,000
EMERSON-FORECLOSURE. Being repaired, formal dining!	67,000
LANHAM-Cute, light & bright. Complete privacy	66,800
MARY CR-ASSUMPTION-nothing down! 9% int!	65,637
LANHAM-Super nice townhome w/loft & large rooms	62,500
LANHAM-Super nice townhome w/spiral staircase	62,500
LANHAM-TH, lg rooms, skylights, upstairs loft!	62,500
LANHAM-TH, super nice w/upstairs loft & lrg rooms!	62,500
TANNER-NON-QUALIFYING ASSMP., good buy at	59,900
SHELL-100% Financing! Low interest rate!	59,700
SPACE GALORE-Lots of redecorating in Old Midland!	59,500
RIDGLEA-Cutest in the area! Lots of redecorating!	59,000
DOUGLAS-Spacious starter home, established neighborhood	58,500
ROOSEVELT-Very nice 4BR w/lots of new & covr'd patio!	58,000
SPARTAN-Make offer! 2 living areas, Fannin area	57,000
PLEASANT-Owner wants to live in country, will trade	55,500
SENTINEL-Contemp. plan, sprinkler and patio! At only	55,450
SHADY LN-Charming home with work area in garage!	55,000
VIRGINIA CIR-Unique 4BR plan, cathedral ceilings!	54,900
PARKDALE-Non-qualifying Assumption, $3,000 + move in	54,900
ERIE-Very neat w/outside storage, fans & covr'd patio!	53,500
MOGFORD-Newer roof & carpet. Large rooms, only	51,500
GLENWOOD-Low assumption. Clean and bright!	51,000
CONCHO-FNMA Special Financing! Huge bedrooms!	49,900
IRWIN-Large living area, seq. master bedroom	49,900
SINCLAIR-Charming home w/hardwood floors and 2 LAs	47,500
LEISURE-Neat & clean! Great bond assumption!	45,000
DELMAR-New roof, large den/living with fireplace!	44,900
MICHIGAN-Lovely hardwood floors, seller will pay pts!	41,000
LIDDON #67-Freeman decorated TH! Built ins galore!	39,950
BURCHILL-Lots of room, 2 living areas and only	39,900
LORAINE-Beautifully kept, near downtown, shop & strg!	39,500
S. BENTWOOD-4 BRs, Central air, 2 living areas	37,950
MARY CR-Greenwood! Lowest price in Windmill Estates!	37,900
VERSAILLES-Super price, extra large kitchen! Come See!	37,500
MARIANA-Lg. Master BR, outside strge, lrg cov'd patio	35,650
ANETTA-"As Is", Seller will help with points!	34,000
KENTUCKY-Nice 1 BR apt in rear, FNMA financing!	32,500
N. CARRIZO-TH, lrg. rooms & closets. Nice kitchen!	32,500
STOREY-Possible lease/purchase, lots of new, 2LAs	29,950
TANNER-New paint inside & out! Close to grade school	29,000
CEDAR SPRINGS-Seller ready for quick sale!	26,900
ANETTA-Lots of remodeling, lovely area, must see!	25,900
MAIN-Cute contemporary, seller will pay disc. pts!	25,000
WAVERLY-Seller will help with closing costs!	23,500
TANNER-Good condition, lots of new! Come and see!	20,000
DAKOTA-Lovely 2 bdrm., great starter home	20,000
BURCHILL-Foreclosure! Fresh paint & new carpet!	19,900
S. FORT WORTH-Owner will finance 2 homes, each at only	15,000
DALLAS-"As Is", Brick, Rear apt w/potential	11,900



MEET MARILYN WIER...A multi-million dollar producer for the past several years, Marilyn has been in real estate, as well as lending for 14 years. She is a current member of the West Texas Producers Forum and a past president of the Tall City Republican Women's Council.

AMONG OUR FINER HOMES

FM 1788-Super country estate! 2 houses, 2 barns, high ceilings, covered patio, circle drive & sprinkler!	595,000
ASHLIN-Fabulous location, with spanish tile, lush grounds, covr'd patio & inviting pool! A must to see!	495,000
SHELL-2 story dream home! Solid wood paneling, brick flooring, gorgeous pool and much, much more!	475,000
CITATION-Saddle Club Spectacular! 3 living areas, seq master, wet bar, ceiling fans, patio & pool!	450,000
INWOOD-So many extras! Bookcases, hot tub, skylights, ionized water! Please call for the grand tour!	398,000
MABERRY-Gorgeous 2 story in fabulous location! 3 FP, den plus study, many extras and extra parking!	395,000
SINCLAIR-Heart of Warwick! Pool, gourmet kitchen, skylights, and all the extras for the family home!	390,000
DOUGLAS-Wonderfully spacious 5BR, upstairs children's wing, luxury seq. mstr w/FP. Highly desired area!	385,000
SADDLE CLUB-High ceilings, leaded glass, parquet floors, beautiful master w/sitting area, sauna & hot tub!	349,000
RACQUET CLUB-Highly desired area! This immaculate home has a beautiful yard, lrg kitchen, & lots of windows!	338,000
WINFIELD-Warwick location beautiful grounds, pool & spa! Private office and lots of new! Tour is a must!	325,000
SADDLE CLUB-Extra lrg family home with covered patio, pool, wet bar & circle drive! A must to see!	295,000
TEAKWOOD-Fabulous Greentree estate! Course & lake view, 2 seq. masters, lovely decor, study and much more!	285,000
MOCKINGBIRD-Magnificent country estate! 5 ceiling fans workshop, veg. garden, many trees plus 1 horse stall!	280,000
WEDGEWOOD-Spacious custom has beautiful sunroom, seq. den & master BR, superior gourmet kitchen!	259,700
COUNTRY CLUB-Fantastic location with 5BRs, pool & 3 sep. wings! Lots of new & willing to trade!	259,000
LOCKHEED-Wonderfully spacious family & entertainment home with pool, cabana, sunroom and lots of charm!	235,000
MISSOURI-Magnificent home in excellent condition! Garden room, hardwood floors, covered patio & hot tub!	235,000
SEQUOIA-Custom home in Greentree! Gorgeous views, stunning decor, beautiful yard & patio!	224,600
LAFAYETTE-Unique townhouse, completely refurbished, 3rd bedroom-guest room or servant's quarters.	210,000
LOCKHEED-Older Midland custom home with indoor pool, cabana, seq. master, bookcases, & beautiful landscaping!	199,000
SOLOMAN LN-Wonderful country location, 5 acres, enclosed pool, skylights, workshop and horse stalls!	198,500
WALLACE TH-Nice location with extra large bedrooms, sprinkler system, seq. master & ceiling fans!	195,000
TEAKWOOD-Prestigious Greentree! Beautifully spacious patio home w/elegant decor and lovely courtyard!	169,000
HACKBERRY-Lovely custom on course at Greentree! Ceiling fans, sprinkler system and much, much more!	157,500
MEADOWRIDGE-Fabulous new construction! 5BRs, 3 car garage, skylights & 2 living areas! Buyer pick colors!	152,750
LOVELY TOWNHOME-Lovely, contemporary townhome w/seq. master, bookcases, wet bar, and spacious bedrooms!	149,999
CRESTRIDGE-Designer's home, dream kitch., brick floors	145,000
COMMUNITY-Tons of new w/neat guest house. Must see!	144,900
GOLF COURSE-Beautiful w/lots of new! Super condition!	134,500
HIGH SKY-2 extra lrg LAs form/din., gourmet kitch!	126,000
SPARKS-Gorgeous TH, high ceilings, wet bar, sprinkler	124,950
CULPEPER-Beautiful sitting area in huge master bdrm	122,500
ASHDOWN-Saddle Club! Huge LA, frm. din., super mstr!	119,900
BOYD-Nice yard, cook's kitch, lrg BRs, lovely MBR	119,900
SEABOARD-Unique tri-level in Mamar. Redwood hot tub!	119,900
COUNTRY CLUB-Property completely refurbished in 1984	117,500
MELVILLE-New construction by Reynolds in Plantation!	116,000
CALDERA-Builder's own home! Fabulous upgrading!	109,000
OAKLAWN-So much charm! Expensive decorating, lrg Brs	104,750
WESTERN-Redone inside/out! Pool, great VA ASSUMABLE!	100,000

PRICE REDUCTIONS

BEDFORD-Stunning, executive estate. Absolutely perfect condition. Pool, guest quarters & 5 bedrooms, 10 BAs	550,000
MABERRY-Stately Georgian 2 story, 3 FPs, seq. mstr., den plus study, central location w/beautiful lndscp.!	325,000
WEDGEWOOD-Gorgeous custom with gourmet kitchen, sunny garden room, huge den, lovely spacious formals!	255,900
PINE MEADOW-OWNER CARRY! Custom, designer built!	139,900
ORIOLE-Greentree custom! Two liv. areas plus hot tub!	129,500
LEHIGH-Lovely family home! Intercom, wet bar & more!	105,500
AUBURN-Near Goddard, superb lndscp, appealing in & out	89,900
CIMMARON-Good location! Much potential, offers please	49,000
STOREY-Repaired price, close to school, foreclosure	43,000
VERSAILLES-New paint, lots of room, good location	39,500
MARIANA-Contemporary, being renovated in & out	39,900



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RESIDENTIAL LOTS-In prime areas. Saddle Club Lakes, Greentree Crestgate, Quail Point, etc. Some owner finance. Let us help with whatever you need.	300-65,000
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DENTCREST-Lovely duplex w/lrg living areas & atriums!	120,000
CO. RD. 54W-Wonderful country living, gorgeous decor	99,000
CO. RD. 1140N-22 AC, Nice home, 30X60 metal bldg	98,500
E. OHIO-Downtown commercial lot, owner finance!	95,900
STOREY A&B-Close to Alamo Jr. High; new carpet!	95,000
N. BIG SPRING-Commercial bldg at a great location	79,900
SIESTA-Beautiful 2BR/2BA duplex, spacious & affordable	78,900
ILLINOIS-Possible rezoning to office. High visibility	70,000
CO. RD. 1218S-Well built 3BR, 2BA home on 9.62 acres	69,900
CO. RD. 116W-Non qualifying VA! Beautiful 4BR, 4BA!	69,000
GARDENDALE-Work in Midland/Odessa! 3/1 3/4 1.25 ac	68,000
N. GLENWOOD-Wonderful duplex, smart for investors	54,900
CO. RD. 143W-Pretty country home w/nice yard & trees	49,900
E. MORAN-Smart investment, 2 houses, both rented	40,000
CO. RD. 112-Owner will finance, 4 acres near I-20	34,900
N. E. LOOP 250-Mobile home, 2 strg. bldg., fruit trees	31,500
N. LAMESA-High visibility! Great retail possibilities!	30,000
CO. RD. 56W-1 lot, 2.5 acres, restricted residental	17,500
CO. RD. 1063-5.76 acs. Owner finance at 10%, 10% down	17,000

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MUST Sell! Three bedroom, two bath, brick home. Two car garage, brick well house and front round paved driveway. Greenwood area, three acres. $58,000. 687-4714 or 683-6036

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3510 TRINITY MEADOWS

Approx 3200 sq ft

4 bdrm, 3½ bath, 2 living areas

$169,000

3706 NORTHFIELD

Approx 3900 sq ft, 5 bdrm, 4½ baths

$199,000

4001 BLAKEMORE CT.

Approx 4100 sq ft, 4 bdrm, 3½ baths

$240,000

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Quiet neighborhood, large living area, separated master bedroom, nicely landscaped. TALK TO KAY SUTTON, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings 697-8640

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SPACIOUS TRI-LEVEL

2004 NORTH C

4 bedrooms, 4 baths, updated. Call

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INVESTMENT PROPERTY

1307 WEST HOLLOWAY: House with rental. Financing. $45,500.

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501 WEST CUTHBERT: House with 2 rental units. $32,000.

Call Pat Bernard, Associate, Browning Real Estate 683-1923

720 Homes For Sale

FOR sale or rent: cute two bedroom, one bath, one living, washer and dryer connection, with side house, one bedroom, one bath, two story lot. 1303 & 1305 W. Michigan 699-0365

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DRIVE BY

807 Lawson to see this well landscaped, huge 3/1/2 brick home w/2 living areas plus study, fireplace, sprinklers & more for only $37,500. Reduced below appraisal of $65,000. Call Harvey NOW to see inside!

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LOVELY By Owner: Three bedroom, one bath, 24x24 building in back. Mirrorvore, newly remodeled kitchen, good neighborhood. 694-4145, owner is a realtor. $44,500

720 Homes For Sale

$2,500 DOWN and assume FHA non-qualifying loan. $211 per month. Three bedroom, one bath, 604 Howard. Total price $19,074. Minor repairs needed. 682-7047 owner/agent

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W. KENTUCKY-2 bdrm, 1 ba main house, 2 rentals	$37,500
N. JACKSON-2 bdrm, 1 ba	$12,250
CORNER-2600 N. FAIRGROUNDS-8.27 acres, MF1 & Comm	$46,500
CO. RD. 1130 & E. 55-10 acres	CALL
N. CARVER & ELM-zoned MF2	CALL
I-20 S. SERVICE RD. 5.34 acres, make offer	$40,000
1100 BLK. N. LAMESA-corner lot	$20,000
SHELL ST.-2 lots zoned duplex	$19,000
CO. RD. 300 E. 10 acres, fenced	$10,000
RANKIN HWY.-6 bdrm, 6 ba, large house, barn, corrals, a smaller house, 1 sec. of land. Qualifies for CRP program with $24,000 annual income	CALL
CO. RD. 130 EAST-3 homes on 11.24 acres. 3 bdrm, 1½ ba, BV main house-2 bdrm, 1 ba, plus a 3 bdrm, 1 ba, 3 water wells, septic, barn, corral, storage, wkshp, Greenwood area	CALL

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4631 Andrews Highway

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Ready to move this 3BR, 1¾BA..."Dream Kitchen"	$65,000
2LA, 3BR, 2BA..New carpet installed. Anxious	$54,000
Efficiency condo, Innsbrook Ruidosa - Will Trade	$45,000
Remodeled 3BR, 1¾BA. Central heat/air	$37,500
2 Duplexes. Good Investment	$50,000

COUNTRY

HORSEY-90 acres on 2 major highway. Ideal for show horses. Priced to sell.

OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE

Mobile home lots	Call
Restricted Homesites off NW 1788	Call
Commercial Lot	$60,000

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3408 TRINITY MEADOW

4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 fireplaces, 2 living areas, 3 car garage, wet bar, tile floors, over 3700 sq.ft.

$185,000

3607 MEADOWWRIDGE

4 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage, wet bar, over 3100 sq.ft.

$165,000

697-4306 694-8422

4610 N. GARFIELD
Suite B-20
The Colonnade at Polo Park

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NEW LISTINGS

501 SCHARBAUER No. 7 - Large 2BR, 1BA, condo, painting & new carpet in progress ... $19,500

3406 TANNER - 3BR, 1BA, completely refurbished, new paint, darling starter home ... $26,900

CO RD 116W - 14x76 mobile home on 4 acres, 2BR, 2BA, garden tub, lsl. kitchen, city gas ... $27,750

604 CUTHBERT - 2BR, 1BA, 2 living areas, nice yard, close to town, RV parking area in back ... $37,900

2615 W COUNTY ROAD 112 - 3BR, 1BA, living area w/fireplace, 3 water wells, corral, fenced, on 2 acres ... $43,000

No. 3 BUCKWHEAT - 3.04 AC, corner lot-workshop, hot tub, waterfall, basement for guest/teen ... $44,000

415 EASTWOOD - 4BR, 2BA, sprinklers on front lawn, non-qualifying assum. w/low equity ... $48,500

5203 STORY - Will lease, lease purchase 3BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace, dbl. insulation ... $63,000

3005 PHILLIP PL - 3BR, 2BA, vaulted, paneled living area, bookcases, Wydewood Cul-de-sac ... $74,900

1207 KANSAS - 5BR, 4BA, 3LA, non-qualifying VA assum, country kitchen, pool, sun room, all redone inside ... $85,000

4803 ELMA - 3BR, 2BA, loft ceilings in entry, auto sprinkler, rear entry car garage, loan is assumable ... $89,000

2121 MARCIE - 3BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace, 2 car garage, earthtones throughout ... $65,250

5210 LAVACA - 3BR, 2BA, formal living area plus den w/rock fireplace, exceptional quality ... $76,500

124 CODY LANE - 3BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace plus large gameroom, custom cabinets, Ridge Heights addition ... $107,000

5426 BASSWOOD - Greentree builders home, 3BR plus study, den, Mexican tile, sunroom, pool, hot tub, many amenities ... $295,000

OPEN TODAY

2-5 PM, **5210 LAVACA**, 3BR, 2BA, lots of special features, $76,500. Shown by: Jean Farris.

1-5 PM, **3209 LOCKHEED**, 4BR, 2BA, new heating/ac, Hot water heater. Shown by: Joann Gaddy.

1-5 PM, **4708 ILLINOIS**, 3BR, 2BA, completely remodeled, $39,000. Shown by: Joann Gaddy.

3-5 PM, **1409 BEDFORD**, priced reduced offers wanted, 5BR, 4BA. Shown by: Mary Youngs.

3-5 PM, **2818 MAXWELL**, for the large family, 3BR, 2BA, 2LA, good school district, separate apartment. Shown by: Alice Howard.

SPECIAL FINANCING

4720 CUTHBERT - 3BR, 2BA, great condition	$39,900
1208 SCHARBAUER - 2BR, 3BA, townhome w/atrium	$44,000
4611 MERCEDES - 3BR, 2BA, den w/fireplace	$44,900
3622 ANDREWS HWY - 3BR, 2BA, completely remodeled	$47,500
4703 SHADYLANE-QUADRA-PLEX - Price reduced to	$49,900
4325 BEDFORD - 3BR, 2BA, 2LA - back on the market	$51,900
2211 BOYD - 3BR, 2BA, 2LA new paint inside & out	$62,900

SPOTLIGHT HOME

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3650' livable, 4BR, 4BA, huge formals, family room, gourmet kitchen, wine cellar/pantry, tall ceilings, solar shades, divided yards, atrium w/circulating pond and more. Call me now.



FEATURED HOMES

BEAUTIFUL OLD MIDLAND 3BR, 2BA, 2 living areas, tile carpet and parquet floors, five lg. pecan trees surround this red brick home located at 2511 Humble.

FOR THE LARGE FAMILY if you need space, 4BR, 3BA, 2 living areas, separate apartment for a teen or mother in law you must see this one.

SELLERS LOSS YOUR GAIN don't miss this beautiful 3BR, 2BA, w/sparkling pool & maintenance free yard, lender will work with us.

PRICE REDUCED have a 2BR, 1BA, spacious-immaculate home on North Terrell for $19,900.

2301 BELLECHASE roomy, open, executive home on Cul De-Sac in prestigious neighborhood, hot tub off master 3BR, 3BA, owners have moved and are anxious for offers.

MAGNETIC ATTRACTION experience it when you step inside this townhome w/loft, 2BR, 2BA, you might feel like sticking around for a long time. FHA assumption $59,950.

POLO PARK build your dream home in Polo Park. Converted location at 1602 Castleford $18,500.

SACRIFICE SALE this 3BR, 3BA, custom beauty is loaded, built-in hutch, bookcases, mini-blinds, micro-wave and more!

SHAPE UP FOR SUMMER with heated pool plus large country kitchen in this 2 story 3BR, 2½BA, owner will work with offers $139,900.

DOLL HOUSE price reduced on this 2BR, 2BA on Cuthbert, lots of new added to this one. Carpet, washer/dryer, master bath plus walkin closets $30,000.

SOMETHING OLD/SOMETHING NEW comletely remodeled home, simply stunning, 3BR, 2BA, w/mirrorered living area, lg. den, country kitchen, workshop priced in the 50's.

CHARMING COTTAGE ON COLLEGE this home has had T.L.C., newly painted outside, 2BR, plus garage apt., priced in the 20's.

FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART 3BR, 2BA, newer contemporary on Amelia has built-ins and is immaculate - priced reduced to 27,000.

ONE OF A KIND huge gourmet kitchen w/custom pantry and atrium, step down living area w/wet bar, 3BR, 2BA, plus reading room, cedar closets and more.

CREAM PUFF is this updated 3BR, 2BA, 2LA, brick home on Ward w/beamed ceilings in den, ceiling fans throughout, priced in the 50's.

FALL IN LOVE with this charming "Old Midland" home on Ainslee, 3BR, 2BA, in quiet established neighborhood near San Jacinto, exceptionally clean home. Priced in the $50's.

PRICE REDUCTION 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car rear entry garage, fireplace, covered patio. Now priced in the low $60's.

THE AMERICAN DREAM owning your home - this one owner 3BR, has had T.L.C., sprinklered yard, rear entry garage with wrap around drive -doubles as lg. patio, all amenities recently updated.

INVESTORS 4708 ILLINOIS/3209 LOCKHEED or 2612 SPARTAN, any one of these homes will sell for approx. $30' or less. Good investment for resale, rent or personal home.

GET OUT OF THAT CARPOOL this 3BR, 2BA, remodeled home on seaboard is within walking distance to Lee High & Rusk Elementary - $81,000.

OWNER WILL CARRY with down on this 3BR, 1BA, home on Kentucky, repairs are being done, this is great for the first time buyers. Priced at $33,500.

DON'T OVERLOOK THIS across street from Trinity Towers, 3BR, 2BA, cozy den w/fireplace, greenhouse, screened patio $47,000.

LOS COLINAS darling well decorated condo. Has 1BR, plus study-upstairs, high ceilings, perfect for the single at heart.

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sandy harris
697-8232 699-1440

RE/MAX

FALL HEAD OVER HEELS

...in love with this different and delightful floorplan, 3BR. home near Fannin. Home offered at less than sellers paid. $64,500. Call.

joyce brickey
682-3191 697-8232

730 Suburban Property

CO. RD. 130. 8 ACRES WITH RENTALS
Two mobile homes, 1 mobile home lot, a 3 bedroom 2 bath house, 4 wells, outbuildings. $150,000. Make offer. Impson Properties (512) 282-2665

HOUSE, (2) water wells, 10 space mobile park, 30 acres of land. $230,000. Call 682-3954

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EASY LIVIN'
On the wide front porch or shaded back patio of this large 3 bedroom ranchette. 2 acres and updating. John Weiler. STEPHENSON. REALTORS 697-1091 or 699-7248

HOME, LAND AND EQUIPMENT
3-2-2 Home. Lovely landscaping. Fruit trees on drip irrigation, good well, small tractor and equipment goes. To see call Dennis Black at STEPHENSON REALTORS 697-1091 or 697-8435 evenings.

REDUCED $27,000
Co. Rd. 1065 South: the price on this lovely 4 bedroom home has been reduced by $27,000 for a quick sale. It has a large kitchen, fireplace with Mexican marble, hardwood floors, truly a country dream with 9.91 acres. To see this property contact Clemmie Sorge at STEPHENSON REALTORS 697-1091, evenings 697-1848

COUNTRY BEAUTY
Beautiful 3 bedroom 2½ bath 3 car garage brick home. Over 3,000 sq. ft. liveable. 2 living areas, 2 fireplaces. Restricted area on 3 acres w/120 pecan trees on drip system plus 1 acre in pasture grasses. Large fenced landscaped yard w/sprinkler system. Too much to mention!! $125,000 or any reasonable offer. Between Midland-Odessa off 1788 & 30-W. Call for appointment.

563-3580

730 Suburban Property

THREE bedroom, two bath on fenced acre. Dog kennels, wooden deck and more. $5000 equity, assume payments of approximately $550. 685-1487.

740 Out of Town Property

IN Ballinger, near Stacy Dam. Professionally renovated, landmark home. Southwest architecture. Two story, three bedroom, two bath. $69,500. 915-754-5128 - 694-4890.

HEART OF TEXAS
220 acres in the heart of Texas country. Good hunting, large four bedroom, two bath, two story house in good condition, furnishings available. Price $795 per acre. Excellent for family or corporate retreat.
STEPHENS REAL ESTATE
Brady, Texas
915-597-0748
915-597-2431

HILL Country trade/ lease or sell. Owner finance. 6.3 acres with water well and 12x60 mobile home. 694-8687 after 5pm.

HOUSTON: 2 bedroom, 1½ bath, townhouse. Spring Branch area. Security. Cute and cozy! $30,000. 915-683-9100.

TRADE! Houston 2 bedroom, 1½ bath studio townhouse. All appliances, central heat /air. Call 697-2637

THREE bedroom house in Plano for sale or trade for local property. 699-6168

750 Lots and Acreage

ONE acre for sale. County Road 1243N. Contact Blaine Hodges, (915) 833-8842

Dene Kelly Inc. Realtors

APPROXIMATELY 5 ACRES AND MORE....
the more being a combination garage & storage masonry bldg of approx 1220 sq ft w/electricity & plumbed for bath, in a restricted area. CALL FAY please and let's get busy on your home plans.

Fay Gwyn
687-0595 eves. 682-1242

ALL OR PART
Over 96,000 sq.ft. corner of Midland Drive and Gulf. Contact Charles Luccous 682-0204 or home 694-8128. Come by COMMERCIAL & INVESTORS REALTY at 1105 W. Wall, Midland, Texas.

GREENWOOD AREA
City Road 120 East 7.5 acre Texas Vet $20,000
City Road 1083-S on FM 307 8.17 acres $45,000
Farm Land in Greenwood. Offers.
DEVELOP LAND
Retirement Site-25.76 acres on Loop 250 and Northgate. Owner will carry or joint venture.
20 ac lot on 1788 and 140-West $65,000
10 acre Texas Vet Tracts on Cottonflat and 140-West $20,000
10 acre Tract near Coors Road (water tanks) $70,000
11 acre tract on FM 715 $70,000
Single Family home on City Rd 130 West $15,000
COMMERCIAL & INVESTORS REALTY
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LARRY BURGIN

750 Lots and Acreage

1.8 and 2.1 ACRE lots for house constructing or trailers. Water and septic included. Owner financing, 10% down. One mile east of Rankin Highway on Co. Rd. 135. 694-9745

1 to 10 ACRE tracts. Owner financing, no down payment required. Discount for cash and VA sales. 684-6851, 682-3289.

VETERANS!! Pre-Appraised tracts available. Close-in. Call 694-5559.

OFFICE Suite available 3001 N. Big Spring, Secretarial Service T. Hancock MURPHY & ROCHESTER 683-1666

MUST sell (2) commercial lots, Zoned C-3 at 1202 and 1204 S. Mariensfeld to pay taxes. Take $11,000 or best offer for both lots. Owner 694-6591

FOR rent or option to buy, one acre, 6ft. security fence. Ideal for storage of pipe, machinery, etc. Opposite V.F.W. on Taylor, $275 monthly, 563-2486

10.626 acres. Two water wells, 800ft. fronting 158 Hwy. For quick sale, $55,000 firm price. 563-2486

OVER six acres- Garden City Hwy. and CR1213, utilities, well, owner will carry. (806) 799-0934

(1) ACRE tracts for sale. County Road 1244 North. Contact C. Goss, 694-8662.

LAND for sale by owner, good soil and water. Mobile home lots for rent or sale. Phone 684-8831.

(9) ACRES for sale. Owner will finance. Small monthly payments. For more information: Days 682-7304; Evenings/ weekends 684-4595.

MAKE Offer: Large fenced lot, six foot cyclone, two septic systems, two water wells. North of OIME, County Road 123W. 362-4549, 332-7834.

MUST sell eight residential lots in Trinity Estates, Section 5, located Wedgewood at Wadley. Contact Blaine Hodges, (915) 833-8842

PRIME LOCATION
4 plus acres in desirable northwest Midland. Mockingbird Lane between Midkiff and Midland Drive. $72,000. Owner anxious and ready for OFFERS! Possible lease purchase. Call Lyn Travis for details, 697-8641, STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091

10 Lots In
Trinity Meadows
Section 2
To Build Custom
Homes Only
Gilbert Bates
697-4306
694-8422

760 Farms and Ranches

GREAT INVESTMENT
1,970 Acres in Edwards County. Ranch house, hunters' cabin, barns and pens. Owner owns all minerals and will convey 100%. Gas production at present. Offered at $350 per acre.

5800 Acres. Ranch in Crockett County with approximately four miles of excellent frontage on the Pecos River. Outstanding fishing and hunting plus good ranching improvements. Offered at $187.50 per acre.

512-257-2100 Aaberg & Associates

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KENNETH NOLES REALTY
THROCKMORTIN, TX (817) 849-9131

770 Resort Property

$$ REPO $$
Southern Colorado Mountains
40 Acre ranch, trees, views, three back payments, assume.
Jim. (303)846-9824 or (303)846-4841
SOUTHERN COLORADO REALTY

770 Resort Property

TWO Beautiful locations to choose from in Rui Doso. Rentals nightly or weekly. Call Midessa telephones 563-0266.

RUIDOSO condo, two bedroom, two bath, excellent condition, single level unit, excellent view of Sierra Blanca, good rental history, for sale or trade. Low equity on 8.5% assumable ARM. 687-1820 or 694-3366

320 ACRES. 12 mi. north of Lamesa, 60 acre year-around lake, good skiing in summer, dove/ duck hunting in fall and winter. 14x70' trailer- good condition. Well, electricity, phone. $48,000. (806)637-3410.

RUIDOSO: cash for full membership lot. Alto, location unimportant. (817) 549-2059.

RE/MAX

DREAM HOME ON THE LAKE

This family home was built for entertaining, 4BR. 3½BA., 65' covered patio, screened-in party house, maid qtrs, BBQ smoker. Overlooks Flat Rock Lake on the Guadalupe River. $235,000. Photos are available in the office. Call "BILLIE PERRY" for details, 694-1886 or 697-8232.

DO you have a nice lake house or property in the Austin area that you would trade for a nice big home with a pool in Midland? If so, call 682-7440 or 512-345-2919

770 Resort Property

LUXURIOUS Condominium (Ruidoso, New Mexico). Furnished, all utilities, phone and cable, daily, weekly and monthly rates. Available now. Two bedroom special. $59.95 per night. Call for reservations, Winston Ranch. Days (409)634-6321 Evenings (409)634-6187

BEAUTIFUL home with fantastic water front- almost ½ acre deeded land, sun deck and boat dock. Call (915) 728-8978 anytime

780 Business Property

RENT 1601 - 05 South Main: three stores, for $250 total. Fenced, paved parking. Thanks, 684-8222

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WHAT WILL THEY SAY TOMORROW
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Jill Perkins
687-0595 eves. 694-8804

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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY SALE OR LEASE
Will lease all or part of three story building - approx 14,439 sq ft. Can be retail or office use.
$757,300
Downtown Midland - Historical land site - 5000 sq ft office. $1,200 monthly - with six months free.
$145,900
West Wall - approx 2,000 sq ft building with gas pumps - ice machine, walk-in refrig., zoned C-3.
$187,500
Becky St. John 687-4956
home realty 697-6795

THE CRYSTAL PALACE
Is for rent. 26 Village Shopping. Unique in the whole world. Fully furnished restaurant. Sequestered liquor store area. Cocktails in mezzanine possible. Seats 150. Favorable terms, negotiable.
684-8222

770 Resort Property

DEL RIO
LAKE AMISTAD
By Owner - Attractive, comfortable, waterfront brick home on high bluff overlooking Lake Amistad near Del Rio. About 2500 sq ft living space, plus big garage, work shop and storage room. Abundant wildlife, beautifully landscaped, fish pond with waterfall, terraced flower beds, flagstone patios, walkways, fenced veg. garden, shade and fruit trees. 3 BR, 2 BA, LR with fireplace and vaulted ceiling, dining room with planters and fountain, family room with large wet bar. Large well-designed and fully equipped kitchen, two pantries, laundry room. Texas style screen porch.
OUTSTANDING!!
Asking $165,000
MAKE AN OFFER!!
Owner/Broker
512-774-6036

780 Business Property

DRASTICALLY REDUCED
44,000+ sq. ft. office and manufacturing facility on Commerce Street. Excellent condition and location. Call Jerry Don Daniels. STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091.

1809 W. Wall...2,900 sf...Owner Carry.
605 W. Ohio...5,100 sf...$225,000.
215 W. Wall...2,900 sf...Financing Avail.
OFFICE SITE
302 S. Pecos...10,500 sf...$23,000.
306 S. Pecos...10,500 sf...$23,000.
RETAIL LAND
Loope 250-West of Midland Drive .67 acres...$2 ft.
Northgate & Loop 250...5.496 acres...$2 ft.
Lot on E. Illinois...$40,000.
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780 Business Property

1010 WAKEFIELD
4802 CASBEER
4,000 sq. ft. with great offices, fenced yard, easy access. For sale or lease.
ALISE EVANS 563-2637

ONE MAN SHOP
1,250 sq. ft. between Midland/ Odessa. Lease now for $265 per month.
ALISE EVANS 563-2637

FOR sale, trade or lease: building on Midkiff near Andrews Highway. Call 683-4680

790 Investment Property

SACRIFICE $30,000
Owner/Agent must sell.
3218 Baumann, corner Midkiff and Baumann. One large lot with two houses - a large two bedroom, one bath brick with sun room. Plus an efficiency house in back. Both presently leased for $400 monthly.
687-0035

2148 WAREHOUSE RD.- Warehouse/ office, one overhead door, fenced yard, 3,000 sq. ft., lease for $450 month, sell for $55,000.
1711 CAROL DRIVE- Warehouse/ office, 2 overhead doors, 1 private office, 3250 sq. ft., lease for $550 month, sell for $65,000.
To see these properties contact: Clemmie Sorge at STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091, evenings 697-1848

780 Business Property

REAL ESTATE FORECLOSURE

Property owned by: WEE SHARE DAY CARE. INC.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Being the East 40' of Lot Ten (10) and all of Lot Eleven (11), Block J. GARRETT PLACE ADDITION, an addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof of record in Volume 104, Page 207, Deed Records in the office of the County Clerk of Midland County, Texas.

PLACE: Midland County Courthouse, Midland, Texas, Foyer, South Entrance
DATE: Tuesday March 1, 1988
TIME: 10:30 A.M.

TERMS: The real estate will be sold for cash to highest bidder. Sold subject to all taxes due thereon. Title will be conveyed by Substitute Trustee's Deed. For information contact NELL LUCK, Small Business Administration, 1611 Tenth Street, Suite 200, Lubbock, Texas 79401 Phone (806) 743-7462 or Ray Hanway, Hanway, Inc. (915) 337-7066.

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- *Fabricating Shop* (38,442 SF)
- *Office Building* (14,917 SF)
- *Warehouse* (7,258 SF)
- *Rig-up Slab* (3,360 SF)

For Information Call:
Wendell Campbell
TROWER REALTORS
1412 East 8th
Odessa, Texas 79761
915-333-3211

REAL ESTATE FORECLOSURE SALE

Property owned by Linda K. Gifford d/b/a Holland's Day Care Center

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Being all of LOT ONE (1) in BLOCK FIFTEEN (15) of LILLY HEIGHTS ADDITION, an addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 105, page 478 of the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas.
SAVE AND EXCEPT: An outstanding undivided 1/32nd interest in all minerals in and under said land and the rights of the owners incident thereto, as conveyed by a Mineral Deed dated April 10, 1941, from Mrs. T. O. Midkiff to H. G. Bedford and recorded in Volume 69, Page 331 of the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas.

PLACE: Midland County Courthouse, Foyer, South Entrance, Midland, Texas
DATE: March 1, 1988 Tuesday
TIME: 10:05 A.M.

TERMS: The real estate will be sold for cash to highest bidder. Sold subject to all taxes due thereon. Title will be conveyed by Substitute Trustee's Deed. For information contact NELL LUCK, Small Business Administration, 1611 Tenth Street, Suite 200, Lubbock, Texas 79401 Phone (806) 743-7462 or Ray Hanway, Hanway, Inc. 915-337-7066.

720 Homes For Sale

HUD...YOUR CONNECTION TO AFFORDABLE HOME OWNERSHIP

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Purchasers must obtain their own financing for all sales.
- Please contact a real estate broker of your choice to see or bid on any of the properties listed.
- These properties may contain code violations.
- HUD reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in any bids.
- HUD will not pay for a title policy.
- An earnest money deposit of $500.00 is required with each offer to purchase.
- An additional 10% down will be required on the amount bid above the listing price on Eligible for FHA Insurance.
- The listing price is HUD's estimate of Fair Market Value. HUD reserves the right in its' sole discretion, to accept offers less than the listing price; but only the highest acceptable offer will be considered.

Each Broker with an acceptable bid will be notified the first work day following bid opening. No phone calls will be accepted regarding the bid opening until the first work day following bid opening.

Properties which have not sold as a result of the competitive bid offering shall remain available for sale until such time as they are subsequently relisted under different terms. Offers submitted under this procedure shall be in an appropriately marked sealed envelope and shall be complete.

If bids are not received on the listings below, they will automatically go to Extended Listing status after the bid opening. All Extended Listing offers will be opened each work day after 2:30 p.m.

EXTENDED LISTING

MIDLAND

ELIGIBLE FHA MORTGAGE INSURANCE AS IS, NO WARRANTY

ADDRESS	FHA CASE NUMBER	LIST PRICE
3605 AMELIA DR LEGAL: L21 B79 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-134764-703	$35,550
4707 ANETTA LEGAL: L4 B4 WESTERN HILLS	494-123683-703	$61,100
706 AINSLEE LEGAL: L12 B3 WESTOVER PLACE	494-127541-203	$35,650
3509 APACHE LEGAL: L5 B11 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-113587-565	$24,900
4007 AVONDALE LEGAL: L4 B48 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-115628-503	$17,750
604 BECKLEY LEGAL: L3 B46 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-110535-265	$37,650
4721 BEDFORD LEGAL: L21 LESS W35'W15' L22 B2 WESTCLIFF	494-125246-245	$36,000
4709 BOWIE LEGAL: L26 B4 BELAIR	494-118948-503	$27,300
4711 BOWIE LEGAL: L25 B4 BELAIR	494-092070-203	$21,100
4909 BROWNWOOD DR LEGAL: L10 B5 SEC. 1 BROWNWOOD PARK	494-112904-270	$52,400
1106 CANYON DR LEGAL: L15 B69 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-111442-203	$22,350
4001 CEDAR SPRINGS LEGAL: L6 B44 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-114999-203	$17,550
4305 COUNTRY CLUB DR. LEGAL L2 B2 BECKLAND TERRACE	494-117389-503	$40,050
1313 E. COWDEN LEGAL: L17 B1 E GLENDALE SEC 2	494-121429-203	$13,250
4726 CROCKETT LEGAL: L14 B4 REPLAT OF BEL-AIR	494-115033-296	$21,500
2705 DELANO LEGAL: L18 B14 PARKLEA PLACE	494-113722-203	$15,200
2706 DELANO LEGAL: W15' L4 E45' L5 B20 PARKLEA PLACE	494-122516-703	$25,900
4317 DENGAR A & B LEGAL: PART OF L10 B26 WEDGEWOOD PARK 4TH SEC	494-125171-203	$40,400
416 EASTWOOD LEGAL: L17 B149 WILSHIRE PARK	494-119655-203	$29,800
606 W. ESTES LEGAL: L4 B3 CRESTLAWN	494-117641-203	$24,900 *LBP
3503 FAIRMONT LEGAL: L16 B79 PERMIAN ACRES	494-118533-203	$18,050 *LBP
3001 GOLF COURSE ROAD LEGAL: L1 E/2 L2 B2 SKYLINE HEIGHTS	494-122542-203	$33,000
4420 HARLOWE LEGAL: E3.6' L25 L26 LESS E10.5' B135 WILSHIRE PARK	494-100286-203	$24,400
2210 HOLLOWAY AVE. LEGAL: L7 W16' L8 B13 COLLEGE HEIGHTS	494-114256-503	$31,550 *LBP
204 HOLLY LEGAL: L9 B19 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-126237-203	$16,350 *LBP
4616 KIOWA LEGAL: L2 B6 CASA LOMA	494-115479-503	$37,550
3206 W. LOUISIANA LEGAL: L4 B2 BAUMANN HEIGHTS	494-125151-203	$32,500 *LBP
712 MOGFORD LEGAL: S49' L15 N4' L14 B2 WESTOVER PLACE	494-103505-203	$40,500
3817 MONTY DR. LEGAL: L18 B25 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-118984-203	$16,900
3805 PLESANT DR LEGAL: L8 B77 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-130588-796	$37,350
3906 PLEASANT DR. LEGAL: L26 B75 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-118824-203	$19,250
4817 RIC DR. LEGAL: L15 B154 WILSHIRE PARK	494-127542-503	$45,400
4312 SENTINEL AVE. LEGAL: L17 B9 BECKLAND TERRAC	494-130848-203	$37,900
1102 SPRABERRY LEGAL: L15 B87 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-127369-703	$21,750
2317 W. STOREY AVE. LEGAL: L9 BA-2 TR A E/2 TR B JOHNSON-MORAN	494-125220-203	$43,000
5203 SUNNYSIDE LEGAL: L4 B155 WILSHIRE PARK	494-122949-203	$55,100
3207 SYCAMORE LEGAL: E45' L23 W12.5' L24 B12 CRESTVIEW HGTS	494-117139-203	$27,000
3107 THOMAS LEGAL: E46' L20 W27.5' L23 B20 CRESTVIEW	494-122297-703	$24,600
3508 THOMAS LEGAL: L5 B1-B REPLAT 1-B N/2 B22 W PORTION B1-A & A B2 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-116453-203	$36,250
4402 A THOMASON DR. LEGAL: E/2 E46' L3 W30' L2 B132 WILSHIRE PARK	494-113903-503	$33,600
4402 B THOMASON DR. LEGAL: W/2 E46' L3 W30' L2 B132 WILSHIRE PARK	494-113902-503	$32,500
4406 A THOMASON DR. LEGAL: E37.' OF W60' L5 B132 WILSHIRE PARK	494-111882-203	$30,550
4408 A THOMASON DR. LEGAL: E/2 E31.2' L7 W44.8' L6 B132 WILSHIRE	494-109641-203	$31,350
4408 B THOMASON DR. LEGAL: W/2 E31.2' L7 W44.8' L6 B132 WILSHIRE	494-108694-203	$25,900
3214 TRAVIS LEGAL: L3 B11 CRESTVIEW	494-101336-203	$16,000
201 WAVERLY LEGAL: L11 B17 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-130317-703	$23,050
303 WAVERLY LEGAL: L21 B16 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-128704-203	$27,600
905 WAVERLY LEGAL: L34 B78 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-113858-503	$31,650
324 WILLOWOOD LEGAL: L29 B103 WILSHIRE PARK	494-117159-203	$39,000
1323 E. COWDEN LEGAL: L12 B1 EAST GLENDALE	494-119540-203	$9,200
3402 CUNNINGHAM LEGAL: L17 B8 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-100857-203	$11,200
1614 ENGLISH LEGAL: L15 B4 REPLAT TRUELAND	494-118236-203	$7,250
1920 ENGLISH **LEGAL: L11 B7 TRUELAND	494-123139-203	$10,850
4624 ERIE LEGAL: L13 B14 WILSHIRE HEIGHTS	494-102947-203	$22,700
1300 E. ESTES LEGAL: L35 B3 E GLENDALE 2ND EDITION	494-120567-203	$11,400
3206 FRANKLIN LEGAL: L4 B8 CRESTVIEW	494-113395-203	$10,750 *LBP
702 & 702½ W. KANSAS LEGAL: L25 B2 COUNTRY CLUB HGTS	494-125131-203	$18,950 *LBP
1907 W. KENTUCKY LEGAL: L4 E/2L5 B119 WEST END	494-119881-203	$26,700 *LBP
1101 N. LAMESA RD. LEGAL: L6 B4 HOLLOWAY	494-115765-203	$10,500 *LBP
1509 S. LORRAINE LEGAL: L8 B17 BELMONT	494-108776-203	$8,250
411 MAPLE AVE. LEGAL: L8 B13 LOMA LINDA	494-113730-221	$7,850
402 W. PARKER LEGAL: L11 B26 COWDEN	494-113329-203	$9,850
3104 ROOSEVELT LEGAL: W8.3' L2 E50.1' L3 B16 CRESTVIEW	494-113317-203	$14,450
408 SPRAYBERRY LEGAL: L14 B44 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-120565-521	$13,850
618 W STOREY AVE LEGAL: L11, W38' L112 B3 ELMWOOD S/D	494-125219-203	$30,250 *LBP
3214 THOMAS LEGAL: L8 B22 CRESTVIEW	494-104913-203	$16,450
4324 THOMASON DR. LEGAL: L31 B63 PERMIAN HEIGHTS	494-096339-221	$9,350
3504 TRAVIS LEGAL: L27 B13 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-114946-203	$13,250 *LBP
614 WAVERLY LEGAL: L12 B36 PERMIAN ESTATES	494-119620-203	$15,400
1802 WEBSTER LEGAL: L2 B9 TRUELAND	494-118656-203	$15,050

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4807 A & B BEDFORD LEGAL: L4 B4 WESTGATE ACRES SEC.2	494-113985-203	$41,800
2100 N. BENTON **LEGAL: L1 B11 TRUELOVE	494-102179-203	$11,250
715 CLAY ST. LEGAL: L9 B39 GREENWOOD	494-127152-221	$7,400
2409 COLLEGE LEGAL: L5 B22 COLLEGE HEIGHTS	494-131097-703	$19,900 *LBP
1300 E. COWDEN LEGAL: L13 B2 EAST GLENDALE	494-121430-203	$11,200

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4601 Aspen

RESIDENTIAL

CO. RD.-6br, 7ba, indr grll, refrig, skylghts, pool in grnd **$700,000**
CO. RD.-4br, 3ba, cmpctr, dshwshr, bltin range **$391,000**
SADDLE CLUB-4br, 4ba **$299,999**
TEAKWOOD-3br, 4ba, refrig, wndw cvrngs, sprnklr, strg **$298,500**
BLUEBIRD-Custom hm, country kitchen, 4br, 3ba, 2LA **$280,000**
TEAKWOOD-(golf course) Custom 5br, 4ba, 2 story **$279,900**
RT. 1 BOX 158-3br, 3ba, opn pat, hgh clngs, skylghts **$255,000**
TRINITY-Custom in Gracious Estate, 4br, 2ba, 2 lrg LA **$230,000**
EMERSON-4br, 2ba, 2LA, 18.25ecs, metal bldg/bus. **$222,000**
EDINBURGH-2 story custom, 2.5 ac, 4br, 3ba, 3LA **$219,500**
CO RD 1244-Country hm, lrg playroom, 4br, 4ba, 2LA **$195,000**
SEQUOIA-3br, 3ba **$189,900**
CO RD 1244-Beautiful custom home, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$189,500**
KNIFFEN-1.5 ac, 5 car garage, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl **$175,000**
SEABOARD-48' pool, 3 car garage, 4br, 4ba, 2LA, frpl **$175,000**
TERRA COURT-Like new condtn, 4br, 4½ba, 2LA **$169,900**
QUAIL POINT-Open patio, many extras, 3br, 3ba, 1LA **$169,000**
GOLF COURSE-2br, 2ba, free stndng range, dshwshr **$165,000**
HUMBLE-Lots of strge, seq. gameroom, 3br, 3ba, 2LA **$163,500**
DRIFTWOOD-New carpet, vinyl & paint, 3br, 4ba, 2LA **$157,500**
MEADOWPARK-4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl, frml din, pool **$154,900**
CO. RD. 1788-Barn, 50 x 80 metal warehouse, 3br, 2ba **$154,900**
AUBURN-Rooms lrge, tile wrkshp, 3br, 4½ba, 1LA, frpl **$150,000**
BRIGHTON PLACE-Bill Brown Constr, 4br, 3ba, 1LA **$149,900**
BLUEBIRD-Well and city water, spa rm, 4br, 3ba, 1 acre **$149,500**
SEQUOIA-Fresh paint inside & out, wet bar, 3br, 3ba **$139,900**
HACKBERRY-Hot tub, on tee box, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, extras **$139,900**
CO RD 1243-3.86 ac, 4br, 3ba, sauna, barn, crossfenced **$139,900**
CASADY-Custom, prof designed, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl **$139,500**
LOS ALAMITOS-Tennis/swmmng membrshp, 4br, 3ba **$138,900**
LANCASHIRE-4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, energy efficient **$137,500**
DRIFTWOOD-2 story stone hm on course, 3br,2ba **$135,000**
CO RD 1150-3br, 3ba **$135,000**
CROCKET-Triplex **$135,000**
MEADOWPARK-Lg yd, 3cr gr, pool, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl **$134,900**
SEABOARD-5br, 3ba, 3LA, frpl, super family home **$130,000**
NORTHTOWN-Lrg LA w/frml din, frpl, 4br, 2ba **$129,500**
VENTURA-Light, open, patio hm, lg 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl **$128,000**
CUTHBERT-2br, 2ba, free stndng range, wndw cvrngs **$127,500**
NORWOOD-Lrge bckyrd, garden area, 4br, 2ba, 1LA **$125,000**
CARDINAL-Vintage charm, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl **$125,000**
SENTINAL-3br, 3ba **$125,000**
CLOVERDALE-4br, 3ba **$124,500**
CASTLEFORD-4br, 3ba, hgh clngs, wt br, intrcm, dspsl **$123,900**
RIDGMAR-4br, 3ba, bltin range, mcrwv ovn, dshwshr **$121,500**
VALLEY-3br, 2½ba, lvly cstm, specious pool & jacuzzi **$120,000**
NORTHFIELD-Frpl, Trinity Estates, 4br, 3½ba, 1LA **$119,500**
QUAIL POINT-Wallace garden home, 3br, 3ba, 1LA **$119,500**
AUBURN-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, updated decor **$117,500**
SIESTA-Duplex **$113,500**
BELLECHASE-Light, bright & open, 3br, 3ba, 2LA **$112,500**
BERMUDA-Nice, lrg & opn, private patio, 4br, 3ba, 1LA **$112,500**
GOLF-Gameroom cld be 4thbr, 3br, 2ba, 3LA, frpl **$110,000**
FREDNA-4br, 3ba **$109,000**
DALTON-Open spacious, cathedral ceiling, 4br, 3ba **$108,000**
AUBURN-Pecan/peach trees, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, seq. mstr **$105,000**
AUBURN-4br, 3ba, dck, cvrd pat, wtr sftnr, dspsl **$100,000**
QUAIL POINT-2br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, crtyrd, btfl twn hse **$100,000**
ST. ANDREWS-3br, 2ba, frml din, frpl in mstr, loft, wt br **$99,900**
GREEN TREE-Located on golf course, 2br, 2ba, 1LA **$99,900**
GOLF COURSE-4br, 3ba **$99,900**
ST. ANDREWS-Lrg rms, except kitch, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$99,800**
ANGELINA-3br, 3ba **$99,000**
MAXWELL-4br, 2ba, grg dr opnr, clng fan, frpl scrn, dspsl **$95,900**
PRINCETON-Updated hm, lrg util, 2 hot wrthrts, 3br, 2ba **$95,000**
STUTZ-4br, 3ba **$94,900**
MAXWELL-4br, 4ba, 2LA, frpl, ceiling fan, lots of new **$92,500**
GODDARD-4br, 2ba **$89,900**
WYDEWOOD-3br, 2ba, sprnklr, scrty systm, wt br, dspsl **$89,900**
GREENTREE-3br, 2ba,wt br, frpl scrn, crcl, drv, opn pat **$89,900**
COMPTOM-3br, 2ba, strg, sqstrd mstr br, bltin ovn, dspsl **$89,500**
HUGHES-3br, 3ba **$89,500**
REGAL-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, built-in vacuum, pool size yrd **$88,500**
WESTMONT-Beautiful woodwork, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$88,000**
NEELY-4br, 2ba **$87,500**
FANNIN-New floors, great Assump., 4br, 3ba, 2LA **$87,500**
PECAN-2LA, extra insulation, 4br, 2ba, frpl, grg dr opener **$86,500**
IMPERIAL-3br, 2ba, btfl lndscpg, cln & bttr thn new **$85,900**
HYDE PARK-Specious, lots of strge, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl **$85,900**
ASHDOWN-3br, 2ba, bltin range, dshwshr, dspsl, bkcs **$85,000**
REGAL-pool, tile fence, wet bar, tile floors, skylights **$85,000**
HAYNES-3br, 2ba, wt br, skylghts, cvrd pat grg dr opnr **$85,000**
N D-Lg 3br w/walkin clsts, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, many wndws **$85,000**
BEDFORD-6 hole putting green, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$85,000**
CINDY PLACE-Special FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$84,900**
DORA PLACE-Loft, light decor, cul-de-sac, 3br, 2ba **$84,500**
MERRILL-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, seq 4th br **$83,500**
CO. RD. 1125-3br, 2ba **$82,900**
CRESTWOOD-3br, 3ba **$81,500**
RIO GRANDE-3br, 2ba **$81,000**
MAXWELL-3br, 2ba **$80,000**
CO. RD. 143W-3br, 2ba **$79,900**
KANSAS-4br, 4ba, free stndng range, wndw cvrngs **$79,900**
HYDE PARK-3br, 3ba, skylights, strg, frpl scrn, dshwshr **$79,900**
SENTINEL-3br, 2ba, frpl scrn, pool in grnd, dshwshr **$79,900**
MANOR-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, 6ft tile fnce, clng fan **$79,900**
KANSAS-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, 5 ceiling fans **$79,900**
BELTON-Lrg custom blt hm, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, fans stay **$79,900**
HYDE PARK-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, good family home **$79,500**
N-Lot of house for the money, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl **$79,000**
NORTHRIP-Int repainted 8/87, light/bright, 2br, 2ba **$79,000**
CALDERA-Sunken den, super buy, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$79,000**
HUGHES-4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, room for pool table **$78,500**
CHON COVE-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, lrg LA, great storage **$78,500**
McDonald-3br, 3ba **$77,900**
DENGAR-Good location, frml din, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl **$77,500**
BELLEGROVE-2br, 2ba, skylghts, sprnklr, sqstrd mstr br **$77,500**
TAMMY COVE-Clyde Brown hm, heated pool/spa, 3br **$76,500**
RT #6-3br, 3ba **$76,500**
WYDEWOOD-Pretty, light/bright, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$76,000**
CALDERA-3br, 2ba **$75,900**
PRESTON-3br, 2ba **$75,500**
BIG SPRING-Zoned commercial, 2br, 1ba, 1LA **$75,000**
McDONALD-Assump. only, sink in utility room, 3br, 2ba **$75,000**
WYDEWOOD-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, lrg seq master **$75,000**
MAXWELL-4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, nice, specious **$75,000**
CIMMARON-Fruit & nut trees, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, nice crpt **$74,900**
BROKEN HILLS-Appointment only, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$74,500**
BOYD-3br, 2ba, 3LA, frpl, new crpt, new paint, inside/out **$74,000**
WYDEWOOD-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, large utility, quick sale **$73,500**
FRONTIER-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, lrg opn LA, bonus room **$73,500**
ANSTAD-FHA assump., 3br, 2ba, 2LA, sprinkler **$73,500**
BEDFORD-Country kitchen, lots of updating, 3br, 2ba **$73,500**
SEABOARD-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, new exterior paint **$73,000**
PINE-Btfl cstm woodworking done recently, 3br, 2ba **$72,500**

NEW OFFERINGS

LOVELY IN OLD MIDLAND and a great family home with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths and 2 living areas. New on the market and priced to sell under $85,000. CALL BEVERLY DWYER, Associate, evenings, 682-5903.

JUST LOOK and then decide you can't do without this handyman special. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, fireplace and great starter home. $25,000. CALL SINDY PARSONS, Associate, evenings, 699-0100.

BIG FAMILY/LITTLE CASH! Don't miss this neat and clean 4 bedroom, 2 living area home near ClayDesta. Just listed and priced in the $40s. CALL ENID ELLIS, Associate, evenings, 682-0914.

LOCATION PLUS bright and clean open floor plan with large rooms and lots of storage. Large sprinklered yard. Lee High School and Rusk Elementary. Super home priced in the $80s. CALL MARLENE GROCE, Associate, evenings, 697-0927.

ACREAGE for future development divided or all for you, this 5.02 acre tract on CR 1241 N is in northwest Midland and only $37,650. TALK TO J. FRANK NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915.

PAMPERED & PRETTY 3 bedroom, 2 bath in Wydewood with loft that makes great study or den. Nice light colors, storage building, dog run and pretty landscaped yard. Located on quiet cul-de-sac. CALL NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 699-7126.

CUSTOM HOME in MaMar with room for all the family. Large living room with flagstone floor, study with wall of built-in desk. Gameroom large enough for hobbies and pool table. Easy maintenance yard with mature landscaping. CALL KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

THIS IS the 4 bedroom, 1 living area newer home you've been looking for. Large formal dining room, 2½ baths and priced to sell. $112,500. CALL KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

SUPER LOCATION near Lee High with 3 bedrooms, versatile floor plan could be 1 living area and formal dining or 2 living areas. Nice pool and priced at only $60,000. TALK TO PATSY BRICE, Associate, evenings, 683-1596.

WALK TO SCHOOL from this precious 3 bedroom home located close to elementary and jr. high schools. Corner lot and lots of extras. CALL KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

WORRY FREE on this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located close to schools with siding on trim and a solar hot water heater. Why pay rent this one's priced under $40,000. CALL KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

HOUSE AND RENTAL for $35,000. Nice 2 bedroom main house with 1 bedroom rental. Good investment property in older neighborhood near park. CALL ENID ELLIS, Associate, evenings, 682-0914.

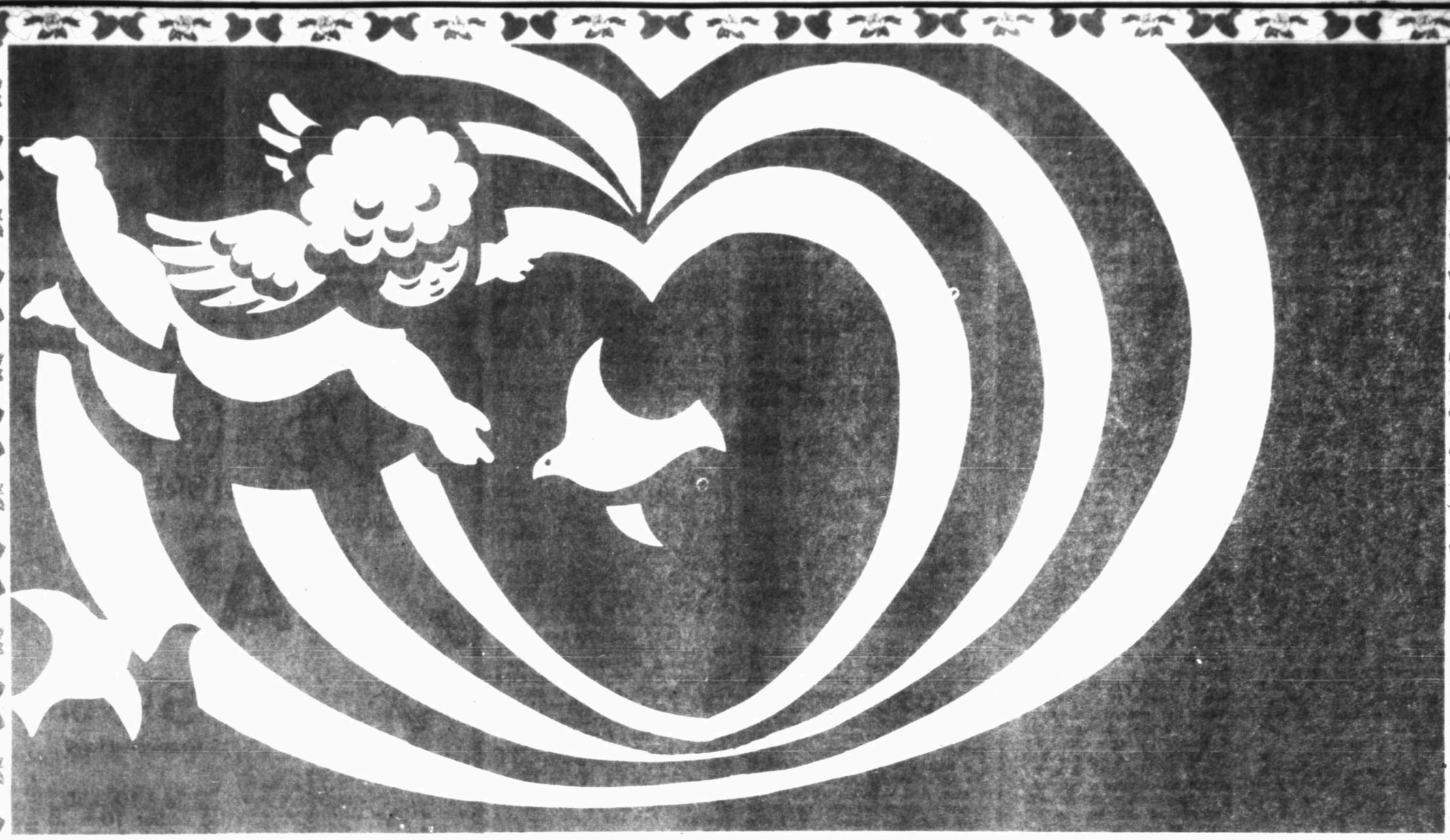
McDONALD-3br, 2ba, bltin range, frpl scrn, cvrd pat **$72,000**
SARAH LANE-Clng fan, dshwshr, 3br, 2½ba, 1LA, frpl **$72,000**
SHANDON-4br, 2ba **$72,000**
RIDGLEA-4br, 3ba, strg, frpl scrn, dshwshr, prkng pad **$71,900**
LOUISIANA-LeHigh schl dist, lg fenced bkyd, 3br, 2ba **$69,900**
WYDEWOOD-Priced to sell, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2 cr grg **$69,900**
CANEMONT-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2 car garage, fenced **$69,900**
WHITNEY-3br, 2ba **$69,900**
AINSLEE-Pretty yard, lovely area, 3br, 2ba **$69,800**
SHADY LANE-Duplex **$69,800**
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MARCIE CT-Quiet cul-de-sac, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din **$69,500**
CRENSHAW-Foreclosure, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, 100% fincng **$69,500**
CO. RD. 162W-Light/bright, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, sprinkler **$69,500**
BEDFORD-Equity offers, extras parking, duplex **$69,500**
WADLEY #26-Low maint&security, 3br, 2ba **$69,500**
FANNIN-3br, 2ba **$68,500**
PRINCETON-Huge mstr bedroom, VA loan, 3br, 2ba **$68,400**
SUNSHINE PKWY-Joe Long hm, gd condition, 3br, 2ba **$67,500**
GULF-3br, 2ba, bltin range, wndw cvrngs, clng fans, strg **$66,500**
SINCLAIR-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, clng fan, lrg rooms **$66,500**
CRENSHAW-Quiet neighborhood, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$66,500**
CLOUDCROFT-Seller needs quick sale, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$66,000**
HUMBLE-3br, 2ba, tile stg bldg, frpl, tile fence **$65,900**
LEISURE-3br, 2ba, free stndng range, clng fans, sprnklr **$65,000**
CO RD 150-11 horse stalls/tack rm, 3br, 1 ba, 1LA, frpl **$65,000**
WHITNEY-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, clng fn, 2 cr grg **$64,900**
ASPEN DR-Foreclosure, 3br, 2ba, sqstrd mstr br, opn pat **$64,900**
CO RD 1140S-3br, 2ba, 1LA, 1.5acs **$64,900**
STOREY-3br, 2ba, bltin range, ice mkr cnnctn, opn pat **$64,500**
LOUISIANA-2br, 1ba, hrdwd flrs, brick patio, deck **$63,500**
GOLF COURSE-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, strm wndws, wtr well **$63,500**
AMISTAD-Yard on water well, 2LA w/2 frpls, 3br, 2ba, strg **$63,500**
IDLEWILDE-Special FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$62,900**
BOYD-Wonderful older home w/pool, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$62,500**
SPRABERRY-3br, 2ba, free stndng range, dshwshr, dspsl **$61,900**
LOCKHEED-3br, 2ba **$61,900**
RIDGLEA-2br, 1ba, custom brick, circle drive **$61,500**
NEELY-3br, 2ba **$61,500**
McDONALD-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr **$59,950**
MIDLAND DR-2 ac, barn, remodeled, 3br, 2ba, city util. **$59,900**
DOUGLAS-Wtr well, good flr plan, brng offrs, 3br, 2ba **$59,900**
AMISTAD-Bring offers, sprnklr systm, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl **$59,900**
CIMMARON-Frml LA or dining, sunken den, 3br, 2ba **$59,900**
RUIDOSO-3br, 2ba **$59,900**
MICHIGAN-FHA Assump., sprinklered front, 3br, 2ba **$59,500**
PRINCETON-Cute & clean, ref. air, 4br, 2ba, 2LA **$59,400**
CO RD 1140-4br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 1.16acrs, big mstr bdrm **$58,000**
CO RD-Lrg country hm on .84 acres, 4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl **$58,000**
NORTHRIP-Big LA, good location, 3br, 2ba, frpl **$58,000**
BENTWOOD-Recent repainted, strm wndws, 3br, 2ba, frpl **$58,000**
EMERSON-Cul-de-sac, near schls, shpng, 3br, 2ba, frpl **$58,000**
SAN ANTONIO-Beautiful 1 owner home, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$56,500**
DENGAR-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dog run **$56,500**
STANOLIND-3br, 2ba **$55,500**
THOMASON-Consider owner financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$55,000**
BENTWOOD-Owner will off lyr HOW, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$55,000**
SUNNYSIDE-Bring offers, good assump, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$55,000**
HUMBLE-Pleasant 3 br hm, 2ba, 2LA, fenced grdn area **$55,000**
OHIO-3br, 2ba, 2LA, 8ft. msnry prvcy fnce, cvrd pat **$54,900**
BENTWOOD-3br, 2ba, free stndng range, kit vnt fan **$54,900**
STOREY-Real dollhouse, restored, 3br, 2ba, hrdwd flrs **$54,900**
CR 140-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan, wndw cvrngs, hgh clngs, strg **$54,500**
MICHIGAN-3br, 2ba, free stndng range, dshwshr, opn pat **$54,500**
SPENCE-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, clng fan, spcl FNMA fncng **$54,500**
ANETTA-Huge den, cvrd patio, strg, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, 2 frpls **$54,500**
PARKWOOD-4br, 2ba, wndw cvrngs, kit vnt fan, dshwshr **$53,900**
STOREY-2br, 1ba, grg dr opnr, clng fan, sprklnr system **$53,900**
CANADIAN-3br, 2ba, dshwshr, dspsl, opn pat, hgh clngs **$53,500**
SHELL-3br, 2ba, 2LA, nice beginner home, strg **$52,500**
BENTWOOD-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, clng fan, lvng/den **$52,500**
CO RD 60E-2br, 2ba **$52,500**
BROOKDALE-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan, dshwshr, clng fan **$52,000**
RT 9, BOX 9541-2br, 1ba, 2LA, 2.61acrs, 2 car garage **$50,000**
GULF-3br, 2ba **$49,900**
BAUMANN-3br, 2ba **$49,900**
SUNNYSIDE-3br, 2ba **$49,900**
PECOS-3br, 3ba **$49,900**
THOMASON-Cute for young couple, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$49,900**
PERRY-Well maintained, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, workshop **$49,900**
KANSAS-Great older hm, apt in back, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl **$49,500**
WHITTLE-2br, 3ba **$49,500**
WILSHIRE-3br, 2ba, 2LA, clng fan, FHA assumption **$48,800**
RIDGE-2br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl, 1 acre **$48,000**
WILLOWOOD-Spotless, light/bright 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$46,900**
PARKDALE-Country kitchen, 4br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, strg **$46,000**
PARKDALE-3br, 2ba, bltin range, ice mkr cnnctn **$45,000**
GLENWOOD-Charming strter, fresh paint, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$45,000**
KENTUCKY-Recent remodel, spac den, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$45,000**
DA-3br, 2ba **$45,000**
TRAVIS-4br, 2ba, 2LA, frpls, frml din, bond assump **$44,900**
CUTHBERT-Lrg, light, roomy older hme, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$44,900**
ESTES-Close downtown, tile fence, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, frpl **$44,900**
LOUISIANA-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan, dshwshr, dspsl, strg **$44,900**
KIOWA-3br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl, clean, lrg brs **$44,800**
ILLINOIS-3br, 2ba, 1LA **$44,500**
AMIGO-3br, 3ba, 2LA, lots of space & storage **$44,500**
CO. RD-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr, strg **$44,250**
CUTHBERT-Motivated seller, 2br, 2ba, 1LA, 1 car garage **$44,100**
ILLINOIS-ref. air, 3br, 2ba, lg. lot **$43,900**
SIESTA-2br, 2ba, free stndng range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr **$43,500**
GREENVIEW-FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl **$43,500**
HOLLOWAY-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2 car garage, storage **$43,500**
DEWBERRY-3br, 2ba **$42,500**
MAPLE-5br, 3ba **$41,900**

STOREY-Special finarftcing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, begnrs hme **$41,500**
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba, dshwshr, dspsl, wndw cvrngs, opn pat **$40,000**
PARKDALE-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr **$39,900**
MONTY-2br, 1ba **$39,900**
AMIGO-3br, 2ba, 1LA, trees, lrg wrkshop, water well **$39,900**
GLENWOOD-Landscpd, updtd kitch, bright, 3br, 2ba **$39,900**
HARLOWE-1 ownr hm, gd flr plan, 3br, 1ba, 1LA, strg **$39,900**
TANNER-3br, 2ba **$39,900**
MARIANA-3br, 2ba **$39,900**
PRINCETON-2br, 2ba **$39,900**
VERSAILLES-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan **$39,500**
RANKIN-2br, 1ba **$39,500**
LOUISIANA-Beginners hm, good local, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$39,500**
VERSAILLES-Lrg kitch, refair, hrdwd flrs, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$39,500**
N D-3br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl, hrdwd flrs, under carpet **$39,000**
RIC-2br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, dollhouse, bond mnty assumption **$38,500**
WEATHERFORD-3br, 2ba, clng fan, smk alrm, strg **$38,000**
SHAWNEE-3br, 2ba **$38,000**
NAVAJO-3br, 2ba **$38,000**
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GARDENDALE-3br, 1ba, wndw cvrngs, clng fan **$37,900**
ST. PETER-3br, 1ba, clse to dwntn, gd begnrs hm **$37,900**
KENTUCKY-Lrg den, grg apt, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$37,500**
CLOUD-Good Assump, ownr may carry, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$37,500**
ERIE-Buyer to buy new ins., 3br, 2ba, 2LA, fence, clng fan **$37,500**
SHAWNEE-3br, 2ba **$37,500**
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba **$37,500**
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PUEBLO-3br, 2ba **$37,500**
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PUEBLO-3br, 2ba **$37,500**
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba **$37,500**
CO. RD. 145E-Don't hesitate on any equity offer **$37,000**
GREENVIEW-3br, 2ba **$36,900**
MARIANA-Double carport, wrkrm, 3br, 2ba, 2LA **$36,000**
KESSLER-3br, 2ba, 1LA, attractive, nonqualifying loan **$35,500**
LIDDON-1br, 1ba, bltin range, refrig, pool in grnd **$35,000**
WASHINGTON-4br, 1ba, 1LA, 4br or 3br w/2LA **$35,000**
MAPLE-4br, 2ba, 2LA, "as is" sale **$35,000**
CO RD 123W-3br, 2ba, 2LA, clng fan, 20x30 shop **$35,000**
EISENHOWER-3br, 2ba, 1LA, brick/veneer, cute **$35,000**
E. O-3br, 1ba **$35,000**
HOLLOWAY-Good starter hme, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, 2 car grg **$35,000**
CLOVERDALE-2br, 2ba **$35,000**
GLENWOOD-Spcl FNMA fnc, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, 1 cr grg **$34,900**
CUTHBERT-Very attractive proptry, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$34,900**
KENTUCKY-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan, opn pat, clng fan, strg **$34,500**
BARKLEY-3br, 2ba **$34,500**
TERRELL-Good starter home, paneling, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$33,500**
ERIE-Starter home, encisd grge cld be grm rm, 3br, 2ba **$33,000**
FRANKLIN-2br, 2ba **$32,900**
ILLINOIS-3br, 2ba **$32,000**
LIDDON-2br, 2ba **$32,000**
WASHINGTON-2br, 1ba, free stndng range, dshwshr **$30,900**
WAUKOMIS-3br, 2ba, mbl hm, kitchen w/br trm, sprklr **$30,000**
ROOSEVELT-2br, 2ba, 1LA, any offer **$30,000**
PRINCETON-3br, 2ba, 2LA, double frpl, water well **$29,975**
ILLINOIS-3br, 2ba, 1LA, dishwasher, vent fan **$29,950**
PLEASANT-Frpl, 2LAs, nc snckbr, lrg wrkshp, 3br, 1ba **$29,900**
DELMAR-3br, 2ba, 1LA, buyer to buy new ins **$29,900**
BRUNSON-FNMA financing, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, fenced **$29,900**
FRANKLIN-VA assump., super house, like new, fenced **$29,900**
GOLF COURSE-Xtra insultn, custom kitchn, 3br, 2ba **$29,900**
RT. #1-3br, 2ba **$29,900**
HILL-3br, assump., offers, paneling **$29,500**
BROOKS-Assump. only, lrg kitchen, 2LA, 2br, 1ba **$29,500**
KENTUCKY-Rental unit in back, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, fenced **$29,500**
STOREY-New paint in & out, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, updated baths **$29,500**
KENTUCKY-2br, 1ba **$29,500**
STOREY-3br, 2ba **$29,500**
CO RD 1135-2br, 1ba **$29,500**
CARRIZO-3br, 1ba, leased thru HUD for $349/month **$29,000**
SPRABERRY-New siding, awnings, 2ba, 1ba, lndscpng **$28,500**
SPRABERRY-2br, 1ba, free stndng range, paneling **$28,000**
CANYON-3br, 1ba, ice mkr cnnctn, prkng pad, paneling **$27,500**
ANETTA-3br, 1ba **$26,500**
MARIANA-Strg, pantry, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, fenced **$26,400**
MAPLE-VA assump, beginners home, 2br, 2ba, 1LA **$26,000**
MONTY-3br, 2ba, wndw cvrngs, cvrd pat, strg, clng fan **$25,900**
RITA ROAD-Off Elkins Ranch Rd, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, fence **$25,500**
ROOSEVELT-2br, 1ba **$25,000**
ROOSEVELT-2br, 2ba, 1LA **$25,000**
ROOSEVELT-2br, 2ba, 1LA **$25,000**
LOUISIANA-3br, 1ba, 1LA, frml din, owner financing **$25,000**
E. O-2br, 1ba **$25,000**
KENTUCKY-Mock fireplace, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, storage **$25,000**
KENTUCKY-Buyer may neg for repairs, 2br, 1ba, 1LA **$25,000**
KEN-2br, 1ba **$25,000**
HARVARD-2br, 2ba **$24,900**
THOMASON-2br, 1ba, free stndng range, dshwshr **$24,500**
WASHINGTON-2br, 1ba **$24,500**
GREENWOOD-Greenwood schools, out of town, 3br, 2ba **$22,500**
CEDAR SPRING-2br, 1ba, 1LA, ceiling fan **$21,900**
PECAN-2br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, garage **$21,500**
WASHINGTON-2br, 1ba, 1LA, good starter home **$19,900**
DORMAD-2br, 1ba **$19,900**
ANETTA-Owner will finance, 3br, 1ba, 1LA, fenced **$19,500**
ANETTA-2br, 1ba, opn pat, clng fan **$18,900**
ILLINOIS-Special FNMA financing, 2br, 1ba, 1LA **$16,900**
ILLINOIS-2br, 1ba **$16,900**
HOWARD-3br, 1ba, 1LA, 1 car garage, fence **$16,500**
STOKES-"As Is" condition, 3br, 2ba, 1LA **$15,000**

TERRELL-Cute as can be, 2br, 1ba, 1LA **$13,500**
COLLEGE-2br, 1ba, 1LA, kitchen redone, will carpet **$13,000**
FRANKLIN-1br, 1ba, 1LA, ceiling fan, free stndg range **$12,200**
ESTES-2br, 1ba **$9,900**
MINEOLA-Special financing, quick sale, 3br, 1ba, 1LA **$8,000**

SALES PENDING

TEAKWOOD-4br, 3ba **Corporate**
WADLEY-3br, 3ba **Helen Mason**
CO. RD. 1083-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall/Curly Hatfield**
CORD-3br, 2ba **Ruth Young**
CO. RD. 1243-3br, 2ba **Vicky McWilliams**
CRUMP **Cliff McCluney**
KENTUCKY-2br, 1ba **Kay Pederson**
BEDFORD-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
BUCHANAN-3br, 2ba **Connie Powell**
CO. RD. 544 **Corporate**
CHESTNUT-5br, 4ba **E. Ellis**
NASWORTHY-3br, 2ba **Ruth Young**
NEELY-3br, 2ba **Karen Foster**
CONCHO-4br, 2ba **Enid Ellis**
MONTGOMERY-2br, 1ba **Charlie Mosley**
STONELEIGH **Karen Foster**
PRINCETON **Kay Sutton**
MAXWELL-4br, 3ba **Corporate**
CRESTWOOD-3br, 3½ba **J. Frank Nall**
ALCOVE-3br, 3ba **J. Frank Nall**
KANSAS-4br, 2ba **Jeannie Printz**
ALAMO-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
DEWBERRY-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
DORMAD-2br, 1ba **Corporate**
DALE WADE-3br **Corporate**
CINDY PLACE-4br, 3ba **J. Frank Nall**
BEDFORD-3br, 2ba **Anita Noles**
SEMINOLE **J. Frank Nall**
WYDEWOOD **Corporate**
CAMARIE **Corporate**
THAMES CT **Karen Foster**
DURANT-4br, 3ba **J. Frank Nall**
ST. ANDREWS-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
MANOR COURT-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
BRAZOS-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
BUCHANAN-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
COUNTRY CLUB-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
GREENVIEW-3br, 2ba **Corporate**
TANNER-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
TENNESSEE-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
SHERWOOD-3br, 2ba **Ruth Young**
SUFFOLK-4br, 5ba **Corporate**
STUTZ-4br, 3ba **Kay Sutton**
SHELL-3br, 2ba **Karen Foster**
COUNTRY CLUB-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
JAX-3br, 2ba **Beverly Dwyer**
MULBERRY LANE-3br, 2ba **J. Frank Nall**
THAMES **Kay Sutton**
PARKWOOD **Kay



How To

Keep Love Alive

By ELIZABETH EDWIN
Lifestyle Editor

Love is the air and cupid is flying around doing what he does best — spreading love. After all, it's Valentine's Day. It's the one day a year set aside to pamper our sweetheart. And all this pampering doesn't come cheap.

Millions of Americans have invested their hard-earned money in today. They have invested in parades of roses, tons of chocolates, gallons of perfume, jungles of jewelry and a menagerie of other memorabilia in hopes of proclaiming their love to that certain someone.

Just a few facts:

■ Americans are expected to have spent about $600 million on Valentine candy. An average five-pound heart-shaped velvet box costs around $50. If that's a little too extravagant for the old pocketbook, there is a two-pound heart-shaped box at around $20-$25.

■ Roses Inc., "America's Rose Growers," estimates that 70 million roses will be sent, ranging in prices from $20 to as high as $75 a dozen, depending on the arrangement, delivery and rose quality.

■ Around 800 million greeting cards are expected to have been purchased with verses ranging from romantic to humorous.

■ For restaurants, Valentine's Day is the third peak night of the entire year.

■ Valentine's Day is the second biggest day for holiday expenditure — Chirstmas is first.

These facts bring to mind one question: Why all the hoopla for one day of the year? Shouldn't our loved ones know how much they are loved every day of the year, not just one day? (Bet that thought makes the old wallet hurt!)

Actually, for one day out of the year, it is nice to give — and receive — those extra tokens that say "I love you" in a very special way. But there are other ways to tell someone they are special every day of the year, and some of them don't cost a nickel. They just take a little thought and pre-planning.

You see, it's not so much the money that is spent (although everyone does like to have a goodie here and there), but rather the thought behind the gift that makes it special. So for those of you who think it takes a lot of money to let someone know they are loved — read on!

THINGS TO KEEP LOVE ALIVE

■ Special little secrets between just the two of you is always something special. These secrets are never devulged to anyone else, no matter how trivial they may be. They are kept sacred, just for the two of you to make eyes over or giggle in private about.

Special secrets can be as small as a word or symbol that makes you both laugh or as extravagant as a secret getaway.

The secret getaway can be particularly fun. Go somewhere, just the two of you. Whether it is for dinner or for a vacation — go away and don't tell anyone where you are going. Then, upon your return, and friends ask where you have been, just smile and wink at each other and feel mischievous. That way you are the only ones who know and you have created a secret you can both cherish.

If you have a hectic schedule, just try meeting for lunch at a secret out-of-the-way place and don't tell anyone.

If you want to plan a family vacation, a secret getaway can be just as much fun. Plan a family trip and don't tell the children where you are going. This way you and your spouse have a secret to share and plan for. Secretly pack the children's bags, then after getting in the car or arriving at the airport, tell the children the plans. Upon arriving at your final destination, wait for a few days before sending any post cards, just to keep up the suspence.

■ Plan a picnic for the two of you on an average, ordinary day. Tell your loved one you will pick him up for lunch, but don't tell your loved one what the plan is. Make it a surprise.

■ Instead of leaping out of bed every morning to the sound of an alarm clock, set the alarm to go off 10 minutes earlier than you really need to get up. Then when the alarm goes off, hit the snooze button. That is your signal to snooze and snuggle. Wrap your arms around each other and get a warm hug before going out to face the cold world for the day.

A nice variation would be to try a 10 minute snuggle before going to sleep at night. It would be a nice warm ending to a hard day.

For the more adventursome, try both times of day. What could be better that beginning and ending the day with a hug from your loved one.

■ For those who don't get to spend the evening with a loved one, make a quick phone call to your sweetheart just before going to bed or first thing in the morning.

■ If a phone call might interupt others, try writing little notes to your sweetie. Although the phone has almost made this practice almost obsolete, it is a much more personal thought than picking up a piece of electrical equipment.

The notes can be sent through the mail, left on their car, stuck on their front door or left in a drawer. For a little extra mystery, don't sign your name, or use a pet name that will be familiar to your honey.

■ Remember the basics. Don't forget that little things — like telling your sweetheart you love him, making his favorite dessert or cleaning the ice off her car — are really more important than spending the big bucks one day of the year and forgetting to share your love the rest of the year.

However, this is Valentine's Day — a day set aside especially for lovers — so it is recommended to have at least a little something, or you could get in trouble you would never work yourself out of.





Have you heard...?

By MARILYN McKNIGHT HARRISON

To mark **Edna Pryor's** 30th anniversary as a travel counselor in Midland, a lovely reception was held the afternoon of Jan. 30 at the Petroleum Club.

The party took place in the club's atrium, with serving in the Wildcatter Room. A beautiful centerpiece on the serving table featured tulips, glads, heather, mums and carnations in shades ranging from deep purple to lavenders and pinks.

Some 200 guests attended, including clients, friends and family members. Among those sharing the happy occasion were Mrs. Pryor's daughters and sons-in-law, **Patricia and Martin Allday** of Midland and **Phyllis "Fifi" and Rebel Blackwell** of Dallas, and their families.

Mrs. Pryor joined Lones Travel Service of Midland in January of 1958, six years after Marie Lones founded the area's first travel agency, and she has remained there since. The agency's present owners, **Marjorie and G.W. Edwards**, hosted the reception in her honor.

Mrs. Pryor has been an active part of the relocations and growth of the agency and the development of the travel industry in Midland. Although she no longer escorts groups, she is well known throughout the national and international travel industry, and her personal, worldwide travel makes her infinitely well qualified as a consultant.

As Mrs. Pryor enters her 31st year, she continues to serve the travel needs of many of her original clients, as well as those of their children and grandchildren.

KAPPA ALPHA THETA, among the first Greek letter fraternities for women, was founded 118 years ago this past January. To mark the occasion, the local alumnae group had a ceremony and luncheon at the home of **Chan Driscoll**.

As the highlight of the event, **Jane (Mrs. Ray) Riddle** was presented her 50-year pansy pin. She had the special privilege of being initiated into the sorority at the University of Kansas by her Theta mother in 1938.

CRAIG JOHNSON will assume the presidency of the Midland Country Club board of directors at the stockholders meeting Monday evening. He succeeds **H.F. "Bud" Boles**, who was honored with his wife, **Norma Jean**, at the club's annual President's Ball in mid-January.

As always, the black-tie ball was a gala affair. Festivities began with the cocktail hour at seven o'clock. Dancing to the music of The Robert Messinger Orchestra of Lubbock followed. Other highlights included an entertaining floor show by the Messingers and a champagne buffet breakfast.

The other 1988 officvers of the club are **G.F. Whitlow**, vice president, and **Perry Bolger**, secretary-treasurer. New to the board are directors **Paul L. Davis Jr., Dean Strack, Roy C. Williamson Jr.** and **John A."Woody" Woodman.**

MRS. MYRTLE "BOYTE" Barnett MacDonald Shepherd was honored at a gala celebration recently, the occasion being her 90th birthday. Hosting the festitivies were her son, **Lloyd MacDonald** and his wife, **Juanice, and another son, John MacDonald** of **Santa Maria**, Calif.

Highlighting the weekend gathering was a Saturday evening dinner at Green Tree Country Club, which was attended by 33 family members. Among those sending greetings but unable to attend was **Mrs. Shepherd's** brother, former Midlander **F.W. "Frosty" Barnett** of **Santa Fe, N.M.**, who was longtime manager of the Scharbauer Hotel here.

The Lloyd MacDonald residence, where Mrs. Shepherd makes her home, was the scene of much activity throughout the weekend. A lasagna buffet dinner kicked of the celebration on Friday evening. On Saturday, guests were invited to come and go during the day, visiting, reminiscing and enjoying the delicious and abundant food provided by Juanice. Sunday lunch was planned around the relatives' departure schedules.

The honoree, who was born on Jan. 28, 1898, has resided here for the past 17 years. She previously lived in Marfa and San Antonio.

AND LAST BUT CERTAINLY NOT LEAST: I want to take this opportunity to express my deepest appreciation for the many kindnesses and expressions of concern during my recent surgery and recuperation period. It is a definite understatement to say that I am truly grateful!

Marilyn McKnight Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

'Cyrano de Bergerac' writes love letters by computer

Hearst News Service

When's the last time you sat down with a spiral notebook and composed a sonnet for your sweetie?

Elliot Essman, the Cyrano de Bergerac of the computer age, guesses that the closest you've gotten to writing a love letter is signing your name to a greeting card. He'd like nothing better than to deliver such sappiness — er, happiness — to your sweetheart's door each month — for a fee.

Essman has sold his Incurable Romantix canned cupid service to about 360 subscribers — a disproportionate number of whom happen to live in Texas and Ohio. It works this way: You fill out a questionnaire that asks for your beloved's nickname, favorite color, song and a few other personal notes. Then for 12 months, the loved one receives "personalized" love letters signed in your name.

Never do the letters get more risque than this steamy line that greeted readers this past November: "No one excites my imagination, bringing rich fantasy, magic thoughts and wonderful dreams, the way you do, Lucille."

Essman says he's filling a void in a world that gave up on the art of letter writing long ago.

"I think people want to be more romantic, less violent, more gentle — especially men.

While most recipients know their letters are computer generated, some don't. One woman arranged for letters to be sent from her father to her mother, saving their marriage in the meantime, Essman says.

Essman says many of his subscribers are men, and most are sending the letters to their spouses. That was a surprise to Essman, who initially thought most of his subscribers would be women wanting fantasy letters "from people like Mel Gibson or Harry Hamlin," he says.

The letter-writing service is just one in a series of offbeat ideas Essman has tried to make money off of.

Incurable Romantix can be reached at P.O. Box 6919, New York, N.Y. 10128.

Tips on love letters given

By ELIZABETH EDWIN
Lifestyle Editor

While the immediacy of the telephone has largely displaced letter-writing, a phone call can't come close to the special intimacy of a love letter. Writing gives us the pleasure of choosing just the right words to recall shared experiences and private jokes.

Writing your feeling also is an excellant alternative to use for things you've been too embarrassed to tell your partner before. Some things — such as how you love the feel of his hand in yours or how you love the way she says your name — are often easier to say in writing.

A letter also is the perfect forum for reminiscencing (first dates, first winter, first Valentine's day).

And if you've been waiting for the right time and place to say "I love you," this is it.

A love letter is the perfect way to let your special someone know you are thing of him. If you find that you lose track of your loved one during a week, write a note. It may just recap the news of the day from your vantage, it may tell your love how much he or she means to you, but more than anything, it reminds your love that you thought of her — inspite of the daily hassles.

To make a love letter a little more personal, create a special doodle or a nickname to sign each note with instead of your name, or simply leave it from a secret admirer.

Leave a note on your loved one's car, in the refrigerator — any where you know it will eventually be seen. Be creative. Write your note on a Big Chief tablet in crayon, or make a note on a computor print out, or use stationery with an emblem of one of your loved one's favorite hobby.

If love letters or love notes become a habit, then just as one of you is feeling forgotten, a note will appear where you least expect it and brighten your day, and your love for one another.

Many of the letters will be saved and can be read again later to rekindle your love.

... Anyway, when was the last time someone kept a shoe box full of sentimental phone bills.

Ballet Midland to perform for club

From Staff Reports

Green Tree Ladies Association will meet for a luncheon 11:30 a.m. Feb. 23 at Green Treen Country Club.

Ballet Midland's Adult Company will perform. Featured dancers will be Diane Gaddy, Octavio Nieto, Valentine Boring, Margaret Edmond and Kathy Pugmire.

Social time will begin at 11:30 a.m. with lunch served at noon. The program will begin at 12:45 p.m.

Cost will be $10 and guests are welcome. Reservations may be made by calling 694-8413 and reservations must by made by Friday.



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There are some definite don'ts for Valentine's Day

By ELIZABETH EDWIN
Lifestyle Editor

Sometimes a gift purchased for Valentine's Day can create more trouble than you ever dreamed of. Usually, this happens because the gift was bought at the last minute or without much thought.

A thoughtless gift or a gift bought in haste doesn't tell someone you were thinking of them. It only screams that you forgot today was Vanlentine's Day and raced to the store to pick up that pound of chocolate or four-foot card.

Here are a few simple don'ts for Valentine's Day that could spell disaster.

■ Before you shell out $50 for that big heart-shaped box of candy to say I Love You — think.

After your loved one has spent every day since New Years dieting and exercising, chocolate will not exactly be a welcome sight. You see, those tiny little squares and rounds of chocolate look so inviting, and so unassuming, that it is easy to devour the entire box without a second thought.

But if you take heed of the calorie disaster this "heart-y" box can be, you will know better than to bring within 500 yards of the house. The calorie count in these lavish tokens of love add up in quite a hurry.

The average 2-pound box of chocolates contains about 56 candies. According to Glamour magazine, one chocolate truffle is 80 calories; one vanilla covered caramel is 79 calories; one vanilla butter cream weighs in at 66 calories, and just one chocolate-covered cherry is 90 calories. If you add it all up, that's an average of 4,370 calories per box.

Try to swallow that and not gag on it.

And if you think a rose by any other name is still a rose, think again. If the rose is chocolate, it's a thorny 350 calories. A dozen long-stemmed chocolate roses equals 4,200 calories. So if roses are what your sweetheart likes, you'd better opt for the real thing or your relationship could become pretty thorny!

■ Unless your loved one is the type that *loves* suprises, this is not the day to act like you have forgotten the holiday and then spring on a late Valentine's Day dinner. It is more likely that your loved one will think you have forgotten, assume someone reminded you during the course of the day and your well-planned dinner was a last minute thought.

It's better to start the day with a cheerful "Happy Valentine's Day, honey!" Then leave her in suspense for the remainder of the day until it is time for your surprise.

■ Don't include a horde of people in your Valentine's Day plans. This is the day of love that is set aside for that special someone, and should be shared by two.

BRIDGE WINNERS

The following Allison Bridge Center winners are for Feb. 2-7.

TUESDAY
1. Midge Taylor, B.J. Filley
2. Ruby Castle, Louina Smith
3. Ginna Potts, Betty Jane Norwood
4. Helen Wilson, Bonnie Roye
5. Sarah White, Verna Chambers
6. Helen Owen, Shirley Barragan

Tuesday Novice:
1. Jim Johnson, Mary Pipkin
2. Wayne Rector, Eva Kemp
3. Ann Smith, Faye Carey
4. Leo Hagler, Craig Thompson

5 and 6 tie: Belvin Redus, Debbie Wilson, Juanita Seales, Debbie Heathman

WEDNESDAY
1. Sue Gardiner, Jean Pistole
2. Bill Fahrig, Gene Gammill
3. Marie Morris, Leonora Slusher
4. Linda Rector, Wayne Rector

5 and 6 tie: Craig Thompson, Charlie Grimes, Mutt Ellis, Sara Curry

THURSDAY
1. Kay Jones, Florence Aldredge
2. Jean Cook, Corene Recer
3. Beverly Holmberg, Dixie Gifford
4. Thelma Black, Lydia Wilkerson
5. Snookie Howard, Charlene DeLaune

FRIDAY
1. Marsha Swanson, Nancy Liberty
2. Mary Hammond, Ginna Potts
3. Flo Curry, Marie Morris

SATURDAY
1. Betty Crooker, Jerry Crooker
2. B.J. Filley, Tip Branch
3. Dixie Gifford, Midge Taylor
4. Guida Dunn, Laura Williams
5. Wayne Rector, Linda Rector

SUNDAY
1. Marge Tripiett, Guida Dunn
2. Jean Cook, Mary Hammond
3. Jerry Crooker, Betty Crooker
4. J.J. Branch, Tip Branch
5. Leonora Slusher, Marie Morris
6. Phyllis Berkowitz, Eldred Gray
7. Thelma Black, Jerry Chapman
8. Al Gifford, Joe Salman

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Terri Ramsey

Local Beta Sigma Phi chapters name 1988 Sweethearts

From Staff Reports

The annual Valentine Charity Ball of Beta Sigma Phi was presented Saturday at American Legion Hall. DJ Steve Myers provided the music. Funds raised will benefit scholarships to Midland College.

Chapter sweethearts for 1988 presented at the ball are:

■ Birdie Lamkin, Epsilon Delta chapter, joined Beta Sigma Phi in 1961. She has served in all offices and on all committees, and this year is chapter president and advisor to Beta Delta. Mother of four and grandmother of two, Joshua and Heather, Ms. Lamkin teaches sixth grade at South Elementary School.

■ Celina B. Baxter, Xi Epsilon Epsilon chapter, has been a member of Beta Sigma Phi for 10 years. Serving in all committees and all offices except president, she was voted Most Congenial in 1978-79 and has nine years perfect attendance. She is a licensed vocational nurse with E.M.S.I., is married to Ron, and has two children.

■ Lanita Cruz, Mu Psi chapter, pledged her chapter in 1986 and was voted Pledge of the Year. She is currently recording secretary, co-chairman of the social committee and serves on other committees. She is employed by J. Hiram Moore as assistant to the controller, and married to Barney.

■ B.K. Dean, Xi Phi Zeta chapter, a member of Beta Sigma Phi for six years, is past president and current ways and means chairman. She and husband, Ronald, have two children. Ms. Dean is elementary counselor for Ector County School District, state coordinator for Texas Association for Gifted and Talented and is coordinating a state camp for the gifted and talented, Minds Eye in Tyler.

■ Judy Henson, Alpha Phi Mu chapter, joined the chapter in 1986. She has been chapter vice president and is currently president. A first-grade teacher at Parker Elementary School, she is mother of two children and bookkeeper for her husband Joe's lawn business.

■ Dixie Jordan, Preceptor Eta Upsilon chapter, is a charter member of her chapter and has served in every office and many committees. She is employed as accounting supervisor for KMID-TV, and is a member of Kelview Baptist Church. Ms. Jordan has attended area, state and international conventions, is involved with Make-A-Wish Foundation of the Permian Basin and is a member of Midessa Optimist Club.

■ Susan Meyer, Xi Pi Kappa chapter, is chapter's city council representative and social chairman, and serves on memberhips and yearbook committees. Wife of Larry and mother of two daughters, Ms. Meyer also is involved with Girl Scouts.

■ Gayle Miller, Psi Phi chapter, has been a member of Beta Sigma Phi for three years and is currently chapter vice president, city council representative and serves on membership and social committees. Ms. Miller, wife of Tom, is a senior accounting major at University of Texas of the Permian Basin, where she has received the Peat Marwick Main Scholarship, TSCPA scholarship and Permian Honor Scholarship. She is a Summer Mummers volunteer.

■ Mary Ann Legg, Beta Delta chapter, has served her chapter as president, vice president, treasurer, on all committees and as 1985-86 Girl of the Year. The wife of Al and mother of Royal, Ms. Legg is employed with FDIC as liquidation technician.

■ Beverly Acker, Xi Alpha Mu chapter, has had perfect attendance during her 15 years with Beta Sigma Phi. She has served on all committees and in most offices, including two terms as city council president. She is currently chapter treasurer and publicity chairman. Ms. Acker, mother of Dawn and Lisa and grandmother of Amy, is a member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church and is employed with Texas Department of Human Services.

■ Lois Heath, Preceptor Alpha Omega chapter, has been a Beta Sigma Phi member since 1974, serving her chapter in all offices. She is currently ways and means chairman and has been director of the auxiliary at Trinity Towers for 1½ years and co-director for three years. She and her husband, Ed, have two children, Rick and Jana, and four grandchildren.

■ Terri Ramsey, Xi Chi Xi chapter, joined Beta Sigma Phi in 1982. She has served as vice president, recording secretary and is currently chapter president. She also has chaired scrapbook, social, service, ways and means, program, publicity and telephone committees, and in 1984 was Girl of the Year. Wife of Art and mother of Christy and John, Ms. Ramsey is a full-time student at Midland College.



'Botanicas' from Puerto Rico unusual gifts

Special fragrances claimed to have special influences

By FRED FERRETTI
Copley News Service

As I voyage about, I am ever on the watch for gifts for my wife, my children, relatives and friends. Often I pick up objects of considerable value, such as antiques and jewelry; other times I snap up souvenirs, the values of which are memories. I am on the lookout, however, for special things, particularly those I can present to my wife on Valentine's Day. Long ago I stopped giving flowers or chocolates, for I found them trite and boring. What I search for is the unusual.

Which explains why, during a visit to Puerto Rico, to the wonderful central market in San Juan, I became excited when I came across the Botanicas. These are scents and oils, sprays and perfumes, which many people in Puerto Rico believe can help one with virtually all of life's problems and emotions, especially love. Now there was something that was perfect for Valentine's Day, I thought.

And after consulting with the man behind the counter of the tiny Botanicas shop, I carefully selected some aerosols, bottles and cruets, which I believed circumscribed totally the relationship between my wife and me.

WHAT YOU do with Botanicas is apply them to your skin in daubs, then allow their special properties to influence you and those around you. Or you apply them to the skin of another and watch what happens.

At any rate, I brought them back, but before gift wrapping them for Valentine's Day, I consulted with a Botanicas expert in New York, Senorita Meredita. Following are the scents I bought, together with her judgments and recommendations about their aromas, the properties they possess and how they work.

This is intended only as a guide for whatever actions you may contemplate in the future.

First there was a large cylindrical aerosol labeled "Aerosol de Amor," the "Aerosol of Love," which smelled like lilacs. It contained, the label read, "genuine patchouli oil," which is an ingredient in most fine perfumes, and the label went on to say how to use it. "Press button down to spray. Aim upward and spray all areas of your surroundings. Let us pray. Make the sign of the cross. Does not have supernatural powers." I reserved that one.

There was another aerosol, "Santa Marta La Dominadora," which when sprayed would, the label suggested, help me in the continual struggle between good and evil. It depicted Santa Marta (good) who rescued innocent children from the snakes (evil) that were trying to encircle Santa Marta's arms and legs. The sentiments were good, if a bit strong, but because the spray smelled like aftershave, I set it aside.

ANOTHER AEROSOL, this with the fragrance of gardenias, titled "Desenvolvimiento," which translates as "Financially Solvent," depicted a top-hatted fellow in evening clothes sitting atop sacks of money tossing coins about. I liked that one and thought I might spray myself with it a bit before calling upon my broker.

A similar Botanica, "Exito en el Negocio," showed a man at his desk, exulting because he has come into money and can now "Leave the Store" as the label on the yellow liquid promised.

Then came more bottles — round bottles, square bottles, molded bottles and tiny perfume bottles — these filled with meaningful messages of love, its preservation, its enhancement and guarantees of its permanence.

There were "Las Tres Gracias," Faith, Hope and Charity, whose clove-smelling liquid promised the person who touched himself or herself with it near sainthood; "Contra Venganza," which vowed to protect one from the vengeance of an unrequited lover, according to Senorita Meredita; "Amansaguapo," vaguely reminiscent of a rose sachet, which promised to tame one's lover; and "Siempre Viva," a piney green liquid that suggested its use might have something to do with "Life Everlasting."

They became more meaningful, heavier, according to Senorita Meredita. There was "Juan Conquistador," which was florally sweet and when applied would make a man think he was a conqueror; another called "Tiburon," or "Shark," which the Senorita said seemed self-explanatory to her; another that smelled like cherry soda, called "Haras Mi Voluntad," which means "Do As I Say"; and another, "Traelo Aqui," or "Bring It Here," a bottle illustrated with a beckoning forefinger.

Bring what where?

THERE WAS a bottle of golden yellow scent called "Seductor" and another of paler yellow called "Olvidame," which means to "Forget a Person." This, according to Senorita Meredita, when applied, would make a person forget everyone who has gone before.

Now that was the one I wrapped first for my wife's Valentine's Day gift, that and Seductor and Bring It Here. And Aerosol de Amor. They should just about do it.

Fred Ferretti's musings on travel and food have appeared in The New York Times and Gourmet magazine.

Greeting cards humor sophisticated

Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Humor is one of the fastest growing categories in the greeting card industry, reports Steve Finken, an editor at Hallmark Cards here.

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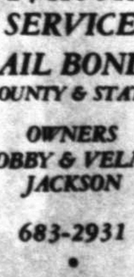
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Engagements

KNUTSON-CONN

Lucy Lynne Knutson of Ladson, S.C., and Steven Wayne Conn of Summerville, S.C., are planning a 7:30 p.m. May 21 wedding in Summerville Presbyterian Church. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knutson of Ladson. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Conn of Midland.

Miss Knutson will graduate in May from the University of South Carolina in Columbia. Her fiance is a graduate of University of South Carolina and is a nuclear engineer with Charleston Naval Shipyard.



Lucy Lynne Knutson and Steven Wayne Conn

YOUNG-CARTER

Sharon Elizabeth Young and Alvin Carter Jr., both of Midland, are planning to be married 7:30 p.m. March 11 at Green Tree Country Club. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Forrest E. Young of El Paso. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carter Sr. of Midland and the late Ida Massingill Carter.

Miss Young graduated from Eastwood High School in El Paso and attended Winston-Salem State University in North Carolina. She is employed with Federal Express. Her fiance is a graduate of Midland High School and attended Midland College. He is employed with FWA Drilling.



Sharon Elizabeth Young and Alvin Carter Jr.

KUYKENDALL-SHANKS

Sheila Ann Kuykendall of Big Spring will become the bride of Russell Rex Shanks of Stanton 2 p.m. April 2 at Hillcrest Baptist Church in Big Spring. The bride-elect is the daughter of Connie L. Kuykendall and Charles D. Kuykendall, both of Big Spring. Parents of the future bridegroom are Terry and Linda Shanks of Stanton.



Sheila Ann Kuykendall and Russell Rex Shanks

SHIPMAN-MORTON

Lynn Diane Shipman and Brett Randall Morton, both of Midland, are planning a 7:30 p.m. June 11 wedding at Grace Presbyterian Church. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Shipman of Charlotte, N.C. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Randall Morton of Midland.

Miss Shipman is a 1979 graduate of Big Spring High School and a 1984 graduate of Malone-Hogan School of Radiologic Technology. She is employed with The Imaging Center. Her fiance graduated from BSHS in 1978. He is employed with BYOB Water Stores.



Lynn Diane Shipman and Brett Randall Morton

HUDDELSTON-EATON

Former Midlanders Mr. and Mrs. Dub Huddelston of Columbus, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter Debbie of Lubbock to William Eaton of Lubbock. Parents of the future bridegroom are Dot Eaton of Blacksburg, Va., and Don Eaton of Pembrook, Va. The wedding is scheduled for 2 p.m. May 21 at Oakwood Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Miss Huddelston is a 1985 graduate of Texas A&M University. She is an elementary school teacher in Lubbock. Her fiance will graduate from Texas Tech University in May, and will be commissioned into the U.S. Air Force upon graduation.



Debbie Huddelston and William Eaton

BARD-OPHEIM

Gina Renee Bard and Landon E. Opheim, both of Midland, are planning to be married 7 p.m. March 12 at First Assembly of God in Midland. Parents of bride-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morgan of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of Dan Opheim of Lubbock.

Ms. Bard is a 1980 graduate of Lee High School. She attended Texas Tech University and is employed with Henry Petroleum Corporation. Her fiance graduated from Texas Tech in 1980 and is a member of Christian Oilmen's Association. He is employed with Pride Pipeline Company.



Gina Renee Bard and Landon E. Opheim

NAVARRO-AGUIRRE

Nancy Flores Navarro of Midland will become the bride of Ronald Aguirre of Houston 3 p.m. March 19 at Emmanuel Baptist Church. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rumaldo R. Navarro Sr. of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Roberto G. Aguirre Sr. of Houston.

Miss Navarro is a 1978 graudate of Midland High School. She is employed with The Shop. Her fiance graduated from Stephen F. Austin in Houston in 1979. He is an electronic engineer.

SINGLETON-COON

Lisa Kay Singleton and Robert Lee Coon Jr., both of Abilene, are planning to be married March 5 at Beltway Park Baptist Church in Abilene. The bride-elect is the daughter of Ray H. Singleton and Gloria A. Singleton of Rankin. The future bridegroom is the son of Billie Adam of Manhattan, Kan.

Miss Singleton is a graduate of Rankin High School and a student at Hardin Simmons University. She is employed with West Texas Wholesale. Her fiance, a graduate of St. George High School in Kansas, is serving in the U.S. Air Force at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene.

SPENCE-COURTNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Spence of Pawhuska, Okla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue Anne of Midland, to Ron W. Courtney of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Courtney of El Paso. The wedding is planned for 2 p.m. April 9 at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity in Midland.

Miss Spence earned a bachelor of science degree from Oklahoma State University and a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Oklahoma. She is a member of Chi Omega, P.E.O. and Act IX theater auxiliary. She is administrative assistant for Clayton W. Williams Jr. Inc. Her fiance received a bachelor of science degree from Stephen F. Austin University and a master's degree from Texas Tech University. He is a range specialist with Dow Chemical Company.



Sue Anne Spence

GRIMES-NELSON

Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson Grimes of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter Sarah Ann to Thomas Edward Nelson III of Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edward Nelson Jr. of Austin. The wedding is planned for 8 p.m. April 16 at First Presbyterian Church in Midland.

Miss Grimes is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Charles Link, and Mrs. Floyd Joseph Grimes Sr. of Paola, Kan., and the late Dr. Grimes. She graduated from Midland High School and earned a bachelor of arts degree in history and English from the University of Texas at Austin. She was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta. Her fiance, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley of Austin and the late Frances Barton Corley, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edward Nelson Sr., is a graduate of Culver Military Academy in Indiana. He received a bachelor of business administration degree in real estate and finance from UT-Austin, where he was a member of Phi Gamma Delta. He is a member of Bachelor's Club, and is employed with Brushy Slope Investment Corporation in Austin.



Sarah Ann Grimes

Study shows declined divorce rates, delayed marriages

By JOAN SMITH
Hearst News Service

A new study suggests that the nation's declining divorce rate does not signal a return to conservative values or the restoration of the nuclear family, as has been widely assumed.

According to a Census Bureau study, the downward movement of the divorce rate is related to precisely the opposite trend. More people are putting off marriage or not getting married at all, a record number of unmarried couples are living together and a growing number of people who have never been married are choosing to raise children alone.

"It's generally true that most divorces take place in the first five to seven years of marriage," said Arlie Hochschild, a University of California-Berkeley sociologist. "If people are delaying marriage and living together instead of being married, they're eliminating that vulnerable period. And in fact couples may live together and break up, but it doesn't count as a divorce."

The traditional nuclear family is continuing its steady decline, according to the census study. There were five times as many unmarried couples in 1986 as there were in 1960 and 40 percent more than in 1980. One in four children now lives with a single parent, up from 9 percent in 1960. And the proportion of single parents who have never married has jumped from 4 percent in 1960 to 27 percent in 1986.

"We've been seeing this increase for some time, at least since the 1970s," said Arlene Saluter, author of the Census Bureau study.

The new delay in marriage is actually a return to earlier trends, according to San Francisco State sociologist Rachel Kahn-Hut.

"Marrying at what is now being considered a later age has been more typical historically," she said. "Americans have also generally married at earlier ages than Europeans, for example."

In fact, the median marriage age has simply reverted to what it was at the turn of the century after a sharp drop in the 1950s, when the average newlywed was two or three years younger, according to the Census Bureau report.

Later marriages are probably more egalitarian marriages, according to Kahn-Hut.

"Women entering marriage who have experienced living on their own will not be satisfied with the traditional division of labor," she said. "It's hard for an older woman to start acting passive and allowing someone else to make the major decisions when she's spent years on her own and wants recognition for both her education and her experience."

"But it's a painful time because inadequate child care and the fact that men still generally make more money than women lock families into this traditional situation that is increasingly uncomfortable," Kahn-Hut said. "Men are forced to continue to support their families while women continue to be primarily responsible for child care, even though their attitudes toward marriage have changed."

At the same time, women are probably putting off marriage in the first place because they want to develop their careers and because they are planning fewer children, Hochschild said. And, she added, they are afraid of divorce.

"Many young couples are treading cautiously because they come from divorced homes and want to be absolutely sure they're right for each other," she said. "I think it's probably a good sign."

Single-parent children are more likely to be economically disadvantaged, the report said. Only 11 percent live with a single father; 89 percent are being raised by a single mother, and women generally make less than men.

Research shows that children who have active fathers are better-adjusted emotionally and do better in school. They even do better in college than their fatherless peers, she said.

"I think it's a myth that it doesn't matter," Hochschild said. "Some children in single-parent homes do have important male figures in their lives. The man — a father, an uncle, a teacher, or a grandfather — just happens not to be married to the mother. So it depends on the child's situation."

"But I think many of these children are disadvantaged, and if Ronald Reagan were serious about a pro-family policy, he would institute centers (like the nonprofit Center for the Family in Transition in Corte Madera, Calif., which helps families adjust to death and divorce) all around the country."

Charity Ball themed Egyptian

From Staff Reports

Junior League of Midland Inc. will present its annual Charity Ball 8 p.m. Feb. 27 at the Petroleum Club of Midland. Themed Egyptian Life, the decorations will feature a lotus pool, Egyptian tapestries and gold pyramids. Music will be by Eclipse and Masterpiece. Petroleum Club will cater the food.

Midland Service League presented the first Charity Ball in 1951 and netted $2,732.83. Since that the time the organization became Junior League of Midland Inc. and the ball has become an annual fund-raising event.

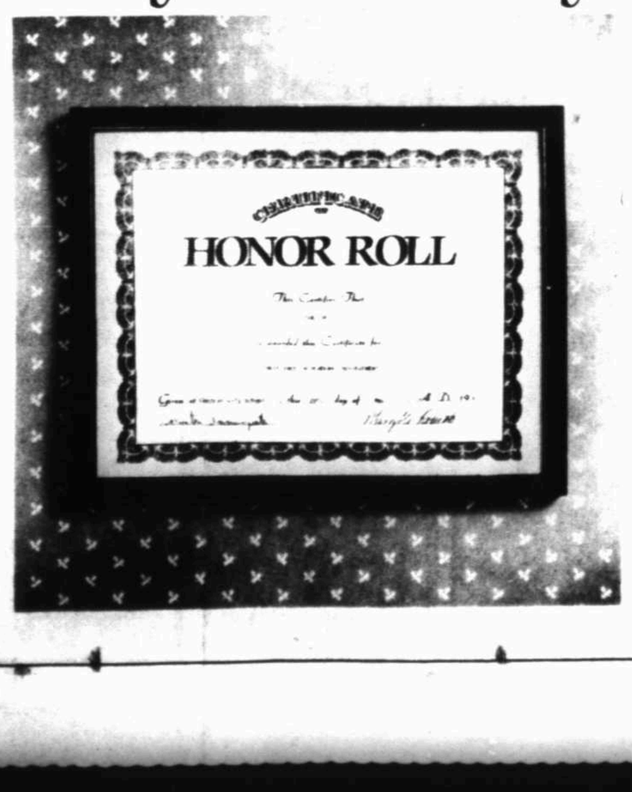
Junior League community projects which are benefited by the ball are audio-visual screening, Bedside Buddies, Children's Dental Clinic, Directory of Community Services, Exploratory Experiences, Haley Library docents, Hearthstone, Junior League Singers, Kids On The Block, perinatal clinic, STAND TALL and Teen Court.

Mrs. Kelley Bell is president of Junior League Charity Ball committee members are Mrs. Joseph I. O'Neil III, chairman, Mrs. Trey Grafa, Mrs. Russell L. Freeman and Mrs. Charles N. Wallace Jr.

Special sponsors of the ball are Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Earle M. Craig Jr., Lynn D. Durham, First RepublicBank Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pevehouse, and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Tally.

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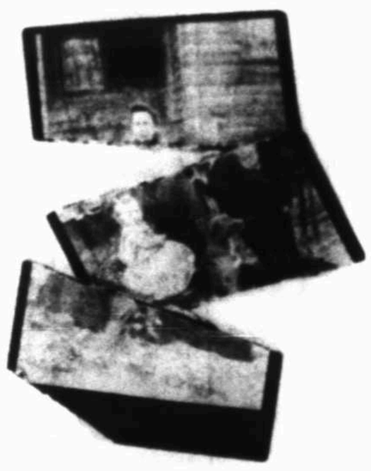
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Weddings

JONES-PENDLETON

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — Tesa Mohler Jones and Steve Gene Pendleton, both of Midland, Texas, were married 7 p.m. Friday in Las Vegas.

The bride is an advertising executive with Dominey & Etheridge Inc. Advertising and Public Relations. Her husband is a sales executive with Petroplex Acidizing.

The couple will live in Midland.



Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gene Pendleton

STONE-BAIRD

CEDAR HALL — Shannon Delores Stone and Robert Alan Baird were married Feb. 13 at Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd. The Rev. Dr. Michael Daves of First Methodist Church in Cedar Hill officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Stone of Cedar Hill, formerly of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Baird of Corpus Christi.

Honor attendants were Mickey Cowan of South Pasadena, Calif., sister of the bride, and Bryan Baird of Tustin, Calif., brother of the bridegroom.

The bride is a graduate of Midland High School and Texas Tech University. Her husband graduated from King High School and attended Del Mar College in Corpus Christi.

Following a trip to Orlando, Fla., the couple will live in Waco.



Mrs. Robert Alan Baird

BROWN-YOUNG

St. Ann's Catholic Church was the setting for the 11 a.m. Saturday wedding of Melanie Elaine Brown and Alan Scott Young, both of Dallas. The Rev. Warren Brown, O.M.I., brother of the bride, officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Warren Austin Brown Jr. of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Young of Dallas.

Carolyn Hobby of Midland was matron of honor for her sister. Leslie Reins of McKinney was bridesmaid. Bridesmatron was Jill Fant of Midland. Sarah Hobby, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Lewis Bernard of Dallas served as best man. Groomsmen were David Hutchinson of Irving and Paul Brown of Midland, brother of the bride. David Hobby of Midland was usher. Andrew Hobby of Midland, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

After a cruise in the Caribbean, the couple will live in Dallas.



Mrs. Alan Scott Young

COPPINGER-KEY

MILES — Dee Ann Coppinger of Midland and Roy Lynn Key of San Angelo were married 6 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church in Miles. The Rev. Kenneth Barr officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Mac Coppinger of Miles, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Key of Tarzan.

Jeanna Gordon of Clyde served as matron of honor. Maid of honor was Paula Hohensee of Abilene. Bridesmaids were Claire Pfluger and Becky Johnson, both of San Angelo, and Mary Cay Hohensee of Miles. Jennifer Murray of Miles was junior bridesmaid. Flower girls were Brittany Key of San Angelo and Summer Ferguson of Borger.

Greg Barr was best man. Groomsmen were Paul Coppinger of Houston, brother of the bride, Leland Key and Larry Key, both of San Angelo and brothers of the bridegroom, and Troy Lennon of Comstock. Ushers were Chet Leineweber of Sequin, and Tim Perkins and Doug Howey, both of San Angelo. Brooks Ferguson of Borger was ring bearer.

After a wedding trip to Lake Tahoe, the couple will live in Midland.



Mrs. Roy Lynn Key

BUTTS-TURPIN

AUSTIN — Former Midlanders Tracy Lynn Butts and Allen Baynard Turpin, both of Austin, were married 1 p.m. Feb. 6 in Zilker Park in Austin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Petersen of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Turpin Jr. of Iraan.

D.E. McCarrick of New Braunfels was matron of honor. Ward Whitfield of Odessa served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Fort Stockton High School and American Commercial College. She is entry order clerk with Townsend Broadcasting Systems Inc. Her husband graduated from Lee High School and attended Texas Tech University, where he studied industrial engineering. He is branch supervisor with the Austin American-Statesman. Both are former employees of the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

After honeymooning in San Antonio, the couple lives in Austin.

ALDRIDGE-HECK

First Presbyterian Church was the setting for the 7:30 p.m. Saturday wedding of Claire Elizabeth Aldridge and Douglas Guy Heck, both of Midland. The Rev. Dr. F. Ray Riddle and the Rev. Dr. Stuart C. Henry officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charles D. Fraser of Midland and the late Charles C. Aldridge. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. William A. Heck of Midland.

Alyson Aldridge of Midland, sister of the bride, and Milby Hartwell of Alexandria, Va., were maids of honor. Bridesmaids were Claire Cowden of Lubbock, Suzanne Blaylock of Dallas and Margy Ruether of Washington, D.C. Bridesmatrons were Mrs. James A. Heck of Metairie, La., and Mrs. Duncan Butler of Austin. Ellen Elizabeth Heck of Metairie, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Other attendants were Jennifer Staley and Mark Staley of Midland.

James A. Heck of Metairie served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were John Laine of Friendswood, Steve and Roger Kendrick of Denison, Jeff Coburn of Longview, Kevin Doran of Alice and Doug Ferguson of Midland. Ushers were Craig Aldridge of Midland, brother of the bride, Dr. Charles D. Fraser Jr. of Baltimore, Md., Duncan Fraser of Austin and Tim Rosborough of Midland.

After a honeymoon, the couple will live in Midland.



Mrs. Douglas Guy Heck

Researchers have found fragrance eases anxiety

Associated Press

Fragrance can ease anxiety, jog your emotional memory and enhance your love life.

Researchers have found that certain scents can ease such common problems as anxiety, depression, fatigue and insomnia, according to an article in the current issue of Harper's Bazaar, and that there is a link between scent and emotional memory.

"Scent and emotion are closely connected physiologically," said Susan Schiffman, professor of medical psychology at Duke University Medical Center, Durham, N.C.

"The part of the brain that registers smells overlaps with that which is responsible for memory and emotion."

Scent can be an important part of the "chemistry" between a man and woman, Schiffman said.

Psychologists are still grappling with the puzzle of why only scents associated with pleasant memories evoke the past, while scents associated with unpleasant memories are not likely to evoke those experiences. We may simply repress them, Schiffman said.

Schiffman performs one therapy in which she asks the subject to sniff an apricot fragrance, which registers neutral in most memory banks, while performing relaxation exercises. Eventually, the subject can purposely smell apricot to automatically relax.

Gary Schwartz, a professor of psychology at Yale University, has found that spiced apple helps lower blood pressure.

Research also indicates the smell of cypress often relieves anxiety, while basil, lavender and rose may ease depression. Peppermint, pine, sage, rosemary and thyme may be used to fight fatigue and chamomile for insomnia.

One day your local hospital may be filled with anxiety reducing aromas piped into its ventilation system.

When applying scent for pleasure, keep in mind the peak enjoyment of perfume happens during the first few minutes after application. After that, the nose tunes out the scent, blocking it completely after half an hour — but others can savor the fragrance for hours.

Perfume and body lotion last up to eight hours, eau de toilette for six and cologne for four. Oriental essences are noticeable longest.

For those who forget to renew scent during the day, there's a new way to apply it. It is a small removable patch, called the Awear Fragrance Sampler, that adheres to the pulse points on the wrist or behind the ear and periodically releases scent over a 24-hour period.

Working women advised to cut hours

Copley News Service

If you working women want to stay married, cut down your hours — the more hours a married woman works, the greater her probability of divorce.

According to a study of women aged 30 to 45, women in their first marriage who work long hours are under a lot of pressure. And the more hours they put in, the worse the strain becomes. In her study of 2,742 women, Dr. Julia Heath also finds that it's not always the long hours that lead to divorce. She says impending breakups may lead to long hours.

Poll: Sex more important than money

NEW YORK (AP) — Sex surpasses money as the crucial factor for a successful marriage, a poll of American women shows.

The poll, in which 991 women aged 18 to 64 were randomly selected and questioned by telephone, found that 42 percent rated sex as more important to a marriage than money. Money was more important to 35 percent.

Younger women are more likely than older women to choose sex over money, the poll found. More than half the women 18 to 24 chose sex. Twenty-two percent of those 55 to 64 agreed. The poll has a margin of error of plus or minus 3.1 percent, according to Cabletime Network.

Club news

BETA DELTA CHAPTER, BSP

Beta Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Gail Jones for pledge training. Pledges attending were Toni Settles, Shelle Stautzenberger and Rosanna Quinlan.

The chapter met for a pre-super bowl party at the home of Mark and Carlene Roberson. Guests were Robert and Toni Settles, Mary Ann and Al Legg, Cathy Sherman, Shelle and Gerald Stautzenberger.

TWENTIETH CENTURY STUDY CLUB

Twentieth Century Study Club met at the Midland Woman's Club with Sally Kelly presiding. Officers were elected. H.A. Tuck of Midland College gave a slide presentation and program on photography.

MIDLAND JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Midland Junior Woman's Club met at the Woman's Club for a luncheon with Pam Walsh presiding. Guests were Sherry Johnson, Lill Love and Susan Grimes. Mrs. Frank Hawk gave the program on "Sterling Flatware: Now and Then."

CHAPTER BS, PEO SISTERHOOD

Chapter BS of the PEO Sisterhood met for a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Charles Daughterty, who gave the program on New Orleans. Mrs. David Christiani presided with 25 members attending.

YUCCA GARDEN CLUB

Yucca Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Alan Hewitt with 22 members and two guests attending. Mrs. R.O. Burkett presided. Hostesses were Mrs. Frances Shriver, Mrs. Harold Jones and Mrs. W.D. McAlpine. Mrs. Charles Jones and Mrs. Billie Gilbert introduced Mrs. Jim Eyer and Mrs. Patrick Apperson.

Mrs. Raymond Barnett gave a report on the Midland Council of Garden Clubs. Mrs. W.R. Cain gave a report on the Midland Woman's Club. Mrs. Harold Jones read a letter recommending Mrs. Apperson, sponsored by Mrs. Dill and Mrs. Gilbert, for membership. Mrs. William McIntire gave flower seeds to member. Mrs. W.S. Dill announced that the club made a donation to the Midland Woman's Club. Mrs. Charles Jones gave the program on making "Garnishes and Floral Arrangements from Vegetables."

SANTA RITA CLUB

Santa Rita Club met for a Valentine's Tea in the Petroleum Museum's Hall of Fame Room. Mrs. Jack Sayers, Mrs. John Rhea, Mrs. Jack Hauke and Mrs. John Borders presided. Mrs. Leonard Attwell was in charge of the arrangements. She was assisted by Mrs. Richard Powers and Mrs. Dud Harrison.

MIDLAND PORCELAIN ARTS CLUB

Midland Porcelain Arts Club met at the Midland Woman's Club with 19 members attending. Paula White gave a painting demonstration.

MIDLAND GARDEN CLUB

Midland Garden Club met in the Midland Woman's Club with Mrs. H.W. Diggs presiding. Hostesses were Mrs. John Fitzgerald and Mrs. Charles J. Matthews. Midland Woman's Club sent a letter thanking the club for its donation. Laura Self gave a horticulture report. Mrs. Paul Smyres will feed birds at the Lutheran Nursing home.

Mrs. Jack Griffen introduced Mrs. M.R. Hurt of Odessa, National State Garden Club's master judge and landscape critic. Mrs. Hurt gave a slide presentation on "Cottage Gardens: Gardens in Early America."

New officers elected are: Mrs. John Fitzgerald, president; Mrs. Jack Griffin, first vice president; Mrs. James Windham, second vice president; Mrs. Walter Putnam, recording secretary; Mrs. Steve Currie, corresponding secretary; Laura Self, treasurer; Mrs. C.E. Bissell, reporter; Jane Harmon, historian; and Mrs. L.H. Humphrey, parliamentarian.

PYRACANTHA GARDEN CLUB

Pyracantha Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Robert Pervinsek with 15 members attending. Mrs. G.L. Allison and Mrs. J.E. McLean were co-hostesses. Mrs. Charles Bradley gave the collect. Mrs. T.L. Bond reported on the Midland Council of Garden Clubs and gave horticulture tips. Ira Watkens presented a slide presentation on West Texas sunsets.

TALL CITY ROAD RIDERS

Tall City Road Riders met at the Rodeway Inn with Ray Lindsey presiding. The 11th Annual Heart of Texas Rally and annual trip to Big Bend was discussed.

TEJAS GARDEN CLUB

Tejas Garden Club met in the home of Virginia Elliot. Co-hostesses were Vaneta Boles, Jean Sledge and Winn Stovall. Faye Beery and Patt Simpson were new members. The Houston National Garden Club Convention and Arbor Day were discussed. Robert Patton of the Texas Highway Department gave the program on "Messing With Texas."

ALPHA MU CHAPTER, BSP

Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi at Greenwood met in the home of Linda Gardner. Judy Henson presided. Attending were Debra Hostas, Sara Summerall, Amy Grant, Kathy Nickels, Patty Purser, Angela Goff, Kay Martin, Terri Morris, Donna Smith, Pam Vannoy and Twyla Cutter. The chapter discussed Valentine socials. Ms. Vannoy gave the progam on "Learning More About Each Other." Ms. Morris won the hostess gift. The executive board met.

PRECEPTOR EPSILON DELTA CHAPTER, BETA SIGMA ALPHA

Preceptor Epsilon Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Martha McNair. Attending were Birdie Lamkin, Johnnie Moritz, Marline Byrd, Marlyn Butler and Charlene Shepherd. The chapter discussed the Valentine Ball. The chapter will entertain Xi Chi Xi Chapter.

XI ALPHA MU CHAPTER, BSP

Xi Alpha Mu Chapter met in a home of Patti DeFrance. Sue Adams introduced new member Judy Simmons. Jan Acker discussed the citywide Sweetheart Tea and the Sweetheart Ball. Beverly Acker is the chapter Sweetheart. Margo Hill presented convention flyers and gave the program on "Your Wardrobe" with fashions from Sunbelt. Members exchanged Valentine gifts with secret sisters. Attending were Barbara Adams, Jill Arthur, Janice Hastings, Judy Jehring, Bev Rothwell, Jane Vaughan and Nancy White.

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S CLUB

Midland Christian Women's Club met for its annual guest night and dinner at Green Tree Country Club. Ty and Linda Morris provided the music. Bill and Terri Kent gave a Tae Kwon Do demonstration. Bill Yung of El Paso was guest speaker.

Lifestyle policies

Policies for publication of announcements in the Lifestyle sections of The Midland Reporter-Telegram are:

Information for Sunday pages must be in our office by 5 p.m. the preceding Tuesday. For publication in a weekday paper, we must receive the information by noon two days before the information is to be published. For example, an item for Wednesday's paper must be received by noon Monday.

Engagement announcements must appear at least two weeks before the wedding date. Wedding announcements must appear within one month of the event. Anniversary announcements — 25th or higher — must be published within one month of the anniversary date.

All articles must be submitted in writing. Forms for weddings, engagements and anniversaries, only published Sundays, are available in the Lifestyle office. All materials must include the signature and telephone number of the person submitting them.

We cannot mail forms to persons in Midland. Pictures must be picked up in the Lifestyle office within one month after publication. To have a photo returned by mail, include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Unclaimed photos are discarded after a month.

Photographs may be submitted with wedding and engagement announcements, and anniversary announcements of 50 years or more, but are not required. A portrait of the bride-elect or of the future bride and bridegroom together may be submitted with engagement announcements. Portraits of the bride only or of the wedding couple may be submitted with wedding announcements. A different photo must be submitted for the engagement and wedding announcements.

Photos should be vertical, black and white, glossy finish, studio portraits. Studio color pictures may be submitted, but quality reproduction cannot be assured. Snapshots generally are not acceptable and Polaroid shots are not accepted. The MRT reserves the right to deny publication of any photo due to quality or content.

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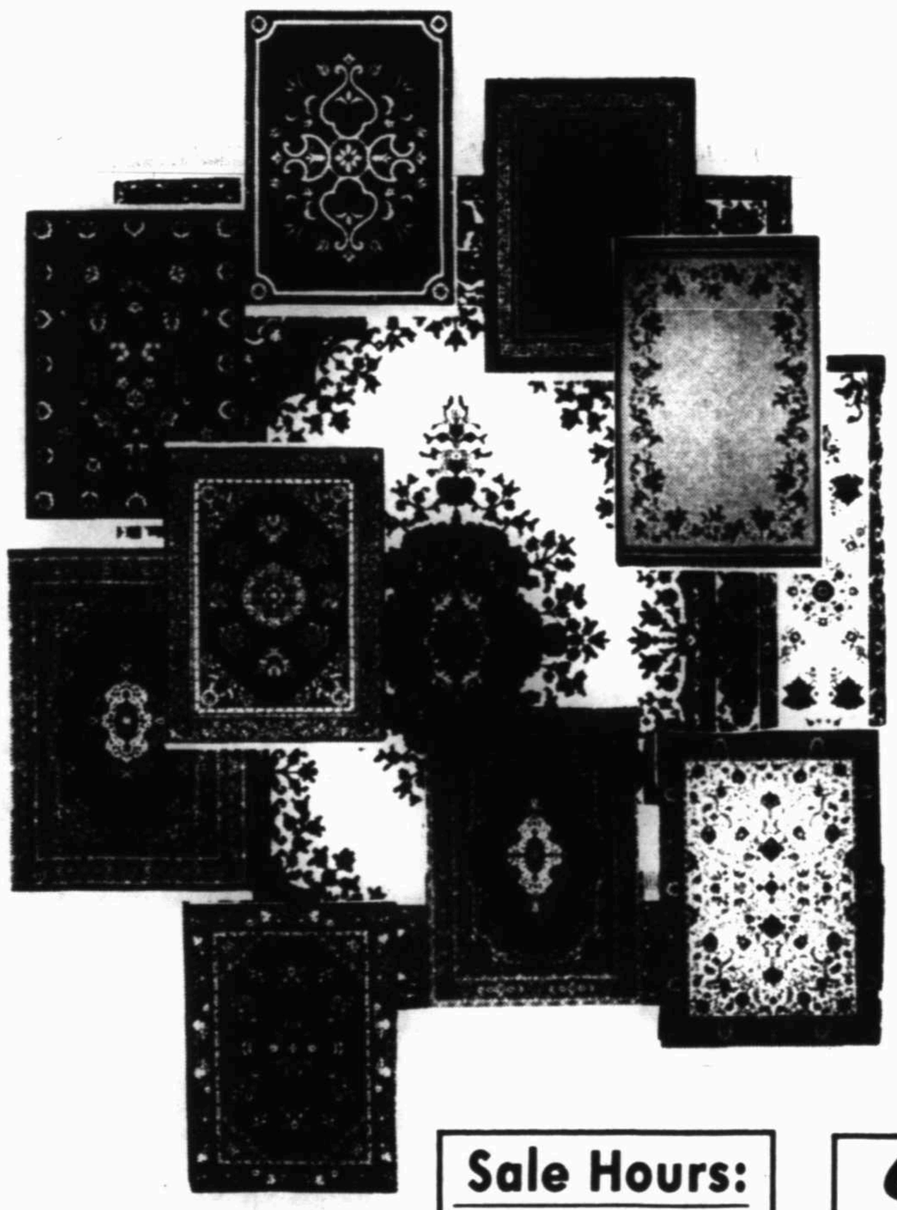
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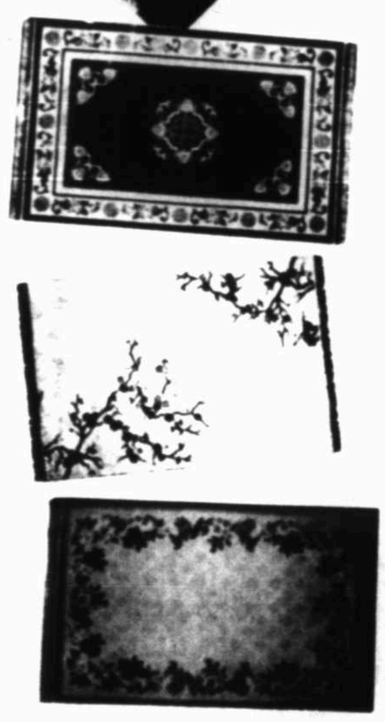
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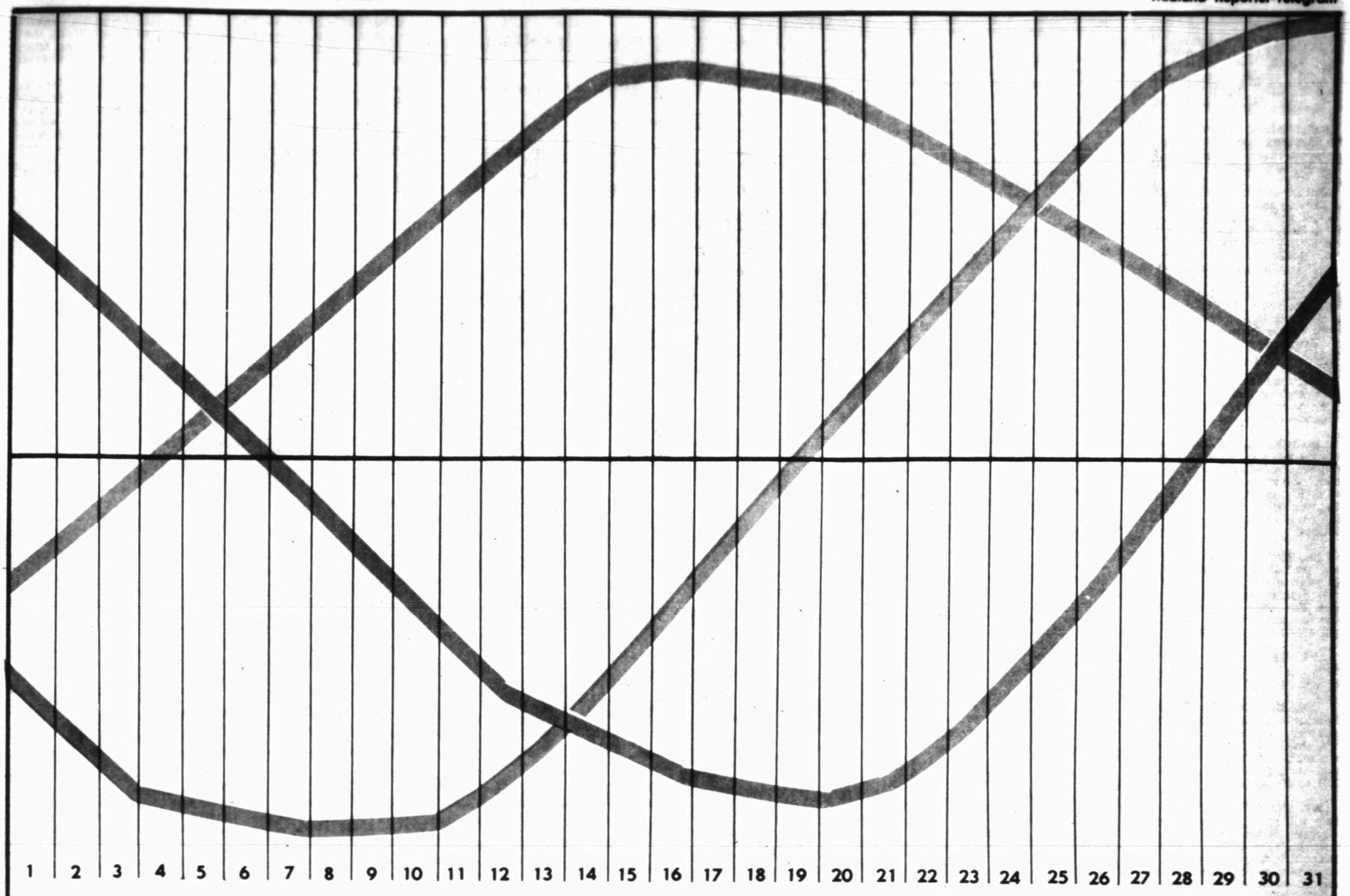


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Text by
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ANDERSON

If you think February is a dull month, think again. According to the 1988 edition of Chase's Annual Events, February is, among other things, American Heart Month, American History Month, Black History Month, Canned Food Month, International Friendship Month, Lazzaroni Legend of Love Month (look it up), National Cherry Month, National Children's Dental Health Month and National Meat Month.

February also is listed as Biorhythm Health Month. While we all know what hearts, history and canned foods are, many people don't know much about biorhythms.

According to Chase's, the purpose of Biorhythm Health Month is to provide: "An observance for realizing everyday health benefits from knowledge of biological rhythms. Celebrates the 91st anniversary of biorhythm and introduces the intuitive (fourth) rhythm."

Bernard Gittelson, in his 1986-87-88 edition of "Bio-Rhythm: A Personal Science," wrote, "In its simplest form, the theory (of biorhythm) states that from birth to death each of us is influenced by three internal cycles — the physical, the emotional, and the intellectual." Note that this year the fourth, or intuitive, cycle has been added.

JOE ANN MURPHY of Midland has a more understandable definition: "It's a biological clock that makes you tick. Since I was born at noon, mine are pretty accurate."

Each of the cycles is supposed to be completed in a specific number of days, Gittelson wrote. "The physical cycles takes 23 days to complete, and it affects a broad range of physical factors. ... The emotional cycle governs creativity, sensitivity, mental health mood, perceptions of the world and of ourselves, and to some degree, the sex of children conceived during different phases of the cycle. It takes 28 days to come full circle. ...the intellectual cycle, which takes place over a 33-day period, regulates memory, alertness, receptivity to knowledge, and the logical or analytical functions of the mind."

Ms. Murphy said she began studying her biorhythms in 1964, she has found them to be very accurate, "especially the emotional one. I've used it periodically over the years."

Biorhythms have been studied for almost a century, and since they have not been, for the most part, scientifically proven, they also are considered very controversial. But, Gittelson added, "so are vitamins, jogging, and chemotherapy, with many studies showing conflicting and contradictory results."

SOME SCIENTIFIC types seem interested in the theory. Dr. Bertram Brown, director of National Institutes of Mental Health, is quoted in Gittelson's book as saying, "These biorhythms seem to have a lot of validity. They help to explain, in part, everything from having a bad week to exciting scientific things like the varied effects medications have when administered at different times."

Others, however, are not so open minded. Gittelson quoted several other scientists who had serious doubts about biorhythms:

- Dr. John Hastings, Harvard: "This is not a serious subject being studied by serious scientists."
- Colin Pittendrigh, professor of biological sciences at Stanford University: "I consider this stuff an utter, total, unadulterated fraud. I consider anyone who offers to explain my life in terms of 23-day rhythms a numerological nut, just like somebody who wants to explore the rhythms of pig-iron prices to 14 decimal places."
- A paper from National Institutes of Mental Health paper describes biorhythm as a mythology.
- Even the Canadians have gotten into the act. Gittelson wrote: "In one of the most extensive biorhythm studies made, the Workmen's Compensation Board of British Columbia analyzed 13,285 lost-time accidents that had happened during the first four months of 1971. Their conclusion: 'The results indicate that accidents are no more likely to occur during critical periods than at any other time.' "

DOUGLAS KELLEY, a statistician with National Safety Council, takes a more historical stance. "When chemistry was at the state where biorhythm is today, it was called alchemy. But alchemy became chemistry, and within 50 years research may do the same for biorhythm," he was quoted as having said.

Other scientists have stated that while biorhythm is not scientific fact, it might be of use to some individuals. Gittelson quoted Drs. Winstead, Schwartz and Bertrand, writing in article called "Biorhythms — Fact or Superstition" published in the September 1981 issue of the American Journal of Psychiatry: "In today's rapidly changing technocratic society, many individuals are unable to exercise control over or institute real change in their environment. Biorhythm theory at its present stage might be a means for some individuals to fulfill unsatisfied needs, to have a sense of predictability and control over their everyday living, and to ameliorate anxiety resulting from the unknown. When viewed in this manner, biorhythms, be they fact or superstition, may have a positive function in certain situations."

GITTELSON LISTED other researchers, some in other countries, who have conducted studies on the biorhythm theory. "The work done by Dr. Hans Schwing of the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich was repeated by Jacob Sanhein of the Naval Weapons Support Center in Krane, Indiana, measuring 1,308 accidents reported before the National Safety Council in Chicago. His conclusion, 'Biorhythms are not intended to predict when an accident will occur; they only indicate a period when a person is four to seven times more prone to cause an accident.' "

Scientists in foreign countries seem to be more eager to test the biorhythm theory, Gittelson wrote; in fact, "many countries, particularly Switzerland and Japan, have applied biorhythm with great effectiveness to reduce the risk of death in operations, in automobile accidents, and from industrial hazards. In the United States, members of organizations such as the National Safety Council, the Flight Safety Foundation, the U.S. Air Force, and N.A.S.A. have begun to consider the theory, and some of them have conducted research and issued reports that apparently confirm it."

Foundations and agencies are not the only institutions reported to be experimenting with biorhythms, he wrote. "Swissair ... reportedly has been studying the critical days of its pilots for almost a decade. When either a pilot or co-pilot is experiencing a critical day, he is not allowed to fly with another experiencing the same kind of instability. According to informed sources, the result has been that Swissair has had *no* accidents on the flights to which biorhythm has been applied."

BUT THE most extensive applications of biorhythm have taken place across the world from Switzerland, he went on. Japan has "surely been the first nation to apply biorhythm on a large scale." Japanese companies he listed as using biorhythms include Fuji Heavy Industries, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Hitachi, Bridgestone Tire and Asahi Glass and Porcelain.

According to Gittelson, each cycle spends half its alloted days on the upswing, or positive, position, and the other half in the negative position. "Since the three cycles last for different numbers of days, they very rarely coincide and cross the baseline at exactly the same time," he wrote. "Therefore, we are usually influenced by mixed rhythms... The result is that our behavior ... is a composite of these differing rhythms...

"Our weakest and most vulnerable moments are not those of the negative phases ... Rather, they occur when each cycle crosses the base line, switching from positive to negative or *vice versa*, and it is at these times that we can expect ourselves to be in the most danger. ... These days of cross-over from one phase to another are called *critical days*. Students of biorhythm often compare them to the moments at which we switch a lightbulb on or off, since it is then that the bulb is most likely to burn out, not when the switch is in one of its two positions or phases."

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around town

Ballet Midland will present its winter production 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 2 p.m. Sunday in Midland College's Allison Fine Arts Auditorium.

Works will include contemporary, traditional and neo-classical dances. Tickets will be sold at the Kiosk in Plaza Center beginning Monday. For reservations or ticket information call 683-2027. For information on Ballet Midland or the academy call 686-0731...

...PERMIAN AIMEES, Ladies auxiliary to the American Institute of Petroleum Engineers of the Permian Basin, will meet for a luncheon 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Woman's Club.

Entertainment will be provided by the Symphony Singers. Wives of the Society of Petroleum Engineers members are invited...

...ROBERT E. LEE Band and Orchestra will have its second annual rummage sale in cojunction with a crafts sale and a bake sale Feb. 20-21 at the Lee Youth Center, 3500 Neely. The sale will be open 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and from 1 p.m.-5 p.m. Sunday...

...MIDLAND WOMAN'S CLUB will meet for a shopper's luncheon and style show 11:30 a.m.- 1 p.m. Friday. Dunlaps will present the fashions. The public is invited to attend and the cost is $6. For information call 684-6811 or 694-8609...

...PLAYREADER'S CLUB will meet 1 p.m. Wednesday at 1203 W. Pecan...

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...ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC Altar Society will have its annual spaghetti luncheon 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tuesday in St. Ann's School Cafeteria, 2000 W. Texas. Tickets are $4 per lunch. Frozen casseroles and baked goods will also be available. For information call 685-3369...

...STORY HOUR for Feb. 23 will feature "Fun With Music." Story Hour, sponsored by Midland Junior Woman's Club, is presented 10-11 a.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month through April at Midland County Public Library. Children ages 3-5 are invited to attend.

Free tickets may be picked up at the county library or Centennial Branch Library at Midland Park Mall beginning the first and third Tuesdays of each month for the following week's Story Hour...

...PERMIAN PLAYHOUSE will present "The Glass Menagerie," Tennessee William's award-winning drama, 8 p.m. each Friday and Saturday March 4-12. For information call 362-2329...

...GLOBE THEATRE in Odessa will present Meredith Wilson's musical "The Music Man" 8 p.m. Feb. 25-27 and March 4-5, and 2:30 p.m. March 6. Co-produced by Odessa College, the musical depicts the foibles of a traveling salesman in his quest to form a boys band in a small town.

Tickets are $8 for adults and $5.50 for children. OC students and faculty with identifcation will be admitted free. For information call 332-1586...

...SPECIAL CHILDREN'S League will have its membership meeting 9:30 a.m. Thursday at 2200 Stanolind. All interested persons are invited. For information 686-0669...

...MIDLAND WOMEN'S Club will meet 11:30 a.m. Thursday at its clubhouse in Hogan Park for a luncheon. The Fine Arts Club will co-host. Mrs. John Hampton of Syl Originals will present the program "Which is Your Birthstone?" or "Birthstone Mystique." Mrs. Hampton, who has art degrees, is a jewelry designer and former Lee High School teacher...

...PERMIAN BASIN Bicycle Association will meet 7 p.m. Thursday in the Coors Hospitality Room on Highway 80 between Midland and Odessa.

The program will include the presentation of a France Bike Tour for '88 and a video from the "Hotter'n Hell Hundred Century ride in Wichita Falls. The program is open to the public. For information call 563-1510...

...CHANCEL CHOIR of the First United Methodist Church will have its 27th Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper 5-8 p.m. Tuesday in the Fellowship Hall of the Church. Tickets are $2.50 each and can be purchased at the door. There will be no charge for preschoolers...

...MIDLAND ALUMNAE Association will meet 7-9 p.m. Saturday for a couples' party at 3500 Northfield. For information call 699-1106 or 697-6739...

...TEXAS PRESS WOMEN will host "The Changing Face of Television," a panel discussion 2 p.m. Saturday at Midland Community Theatre.

Panel members are Bob Cyphers, KOSA-TV news director; Mark Robertson-Baker, KMID-TV news director; and Rick Wells, KTPX-TV weather anchor and feature reporter.

The discussion is open to the public and will be followed by a question and answer session. For information call 682-3544 or 362-8322...

Support group aids victims of chronic migraine headaches

Associated Press

LANCASTER, Pa. — There is a closet ailment so common that one in six adults suffers from some form of it.

Often misunderstood, it is frequently labeled psychosomatic. The afflicted may traipse from doctor to doctor, trying one prescription after another. For those with the chronic condition, the pain can make everyday tasks impossible to perform. This nightmarish illness, suffered by millions, is the migraine headache.

According to Carol Forinash, president of the Pennsylvania Migraine Foundation, these headaches are not to be confused with tension headaches: The migraine is one-sided and the head throbs severely.

Forinash speaks from experience. A chronic migraine sufferer herself, she tried 22 different medications and traveled extensively before finding a physician who could provide relief.

She said she's 95 percent cured of her headaches. A special diet and daily medication are integral to keeping her migraines from recurring. The anti-depressant drug which Forinash takes five times a day works as an antagonist to serotonin — a chemical which may be important in the causes of headaches. Side effects vary depending on the drug and its dosage.

Forinash says she is grateful for her good health and wants to lend support to fellow migraine sufferers. As a volunteer, she often puts in a 70-hour week at the foundation. She serves as fundraiser, events coordinator, secretary and support group leader. It's here, during support group meetings, that she witnesses migraine sufferers seeking help.

"All of a sudden," Forinash said of the group discussions, "someone will say, 'If I don't get help I'm going to kill myself.' These are extremely sick, desperate people and they are quite sincere.

"The suicide rate to my knowledge isn't that high, but it's there; the pain is indescribable," added Forinash, who said she has stopped five suicide attempts.

"People tell me their doctors say it's emotional and there's nothing they can do — they'll just have to live with it," Forinash said. "That's just not true."

Lancaster neurologist Roderick Hines explained that migraines are a vascular problem. In the first phase, blood vessels in the scalp dilate, bringing on the throbbing pain.

He noted that people who suffer from migraines are often thought of as anxious people who can't handle stress. He refuted this, saying that they are usually suffering from change in levels of the natural levels in the blood stream.

The National Migraine Foundation, under the direction of Dr. Seymour Diamond, states that many physicians believe migraine sufferers are highly energetic, ambitious, orderly people who strive for perfection.

Migraine headaches appear to run in families.

Ghosts may appear to those 'stressed'

Copley News Service

There's a ghost of a chance that your spiritual "twin" will visit you if you're under a ton of stress.

It sounds like something out of the Dark Ages, but the experience is much more common than doctors used to think.

According to Beverly Hills psychiatrist James Grotstein, psychiatrists such as Sigmund Freud used to think that seeing your own ghost was a signal of death — sort of the grim reaper effect. But he says the thinking these days is that seeing a phantom of yourself is a positive sign. And the "transparent, jellylike or solid" image is the personality's way of helping itself.

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Adult children should learn parents' needs

By STEVE EDWARDS



Edwards

Although adult children often are willing to help care for their elderly parents, they don't understand feelings, problems and behaviors of older people, and do not know how to give assistance.

Some of these common misunderstandings include the question of who is in control of the home. Older individuals who have spent their lives independently may find it difficult to assume a secondary role when they are assisted by their children. By loosing their independence and powere of decision making, the parent may feel useless, and may try to regain a feeling of authority by interfering or constantly finding fault. In this case, adult children should clearly define and establish their roles, without offending parents.

The adult who pays the rent or owns the house should be the head of the household, while the older parents or grandparents should regard themselves as family members. The lines of authority should be defined at the beginning of any shared living arrangement.

However, most older people do not suddenly become incapable of thinking or making decisions, and should be included in discussions. Each family member needs to feel a sense of belonging.

Parents should manage their own affairs as long as possible. They should be encouraged to do what they do best. Affirming the positive about one's life is very critical. If a parent can cook or do certain hobbies, he should be encouraged to do so. To help a parent keep in contact with friends, adult children should urge them to attend social functions and to invite friends home.

Another common problem is irritability. Everyone has a bad day now and then, but older people may have special reasons for being upset. Pain or discomfort due to physical ailments, or a new pattern of living may be causing frustration.

It is vital to have open communication between family members, and to listen to the older person's feelings and sources of concern. Older person's also should be allowed to express anger. Anger can be a sign that the person is dealing with depression, which is tied to grief. Reaction to changes is expressed in grief.

Families also should make sure that all necaessary medical care is provided.

In many situations, these problems are solved through understanding the source of grief, unveiling new options, and replacing old attitudes, activities and learning with new ones. In some instances, professional counseling may be required.

Grief, and thus irritability, are common among the elderly, but new options are available. Children should stay in touch with their parents' concerns.

Steve Edwards is executive director of Community and Senior Services and the Visiting Nurse Service of Midland.

Four doctors famous

Copley News Service

Among the first famous American physicians were Thomas Cadwalader, the first to teach anatomy in Philadelphia; John Morgan, founder of the School of Medicine (the first in America) of the College of Philadelphia, William Shippen, the first to teach obstetrics in America; and Benjamin Rush, who, in 1786 in Philadelphia, established the first free dispensary in the United States and also made notable contributions to psychiatry.

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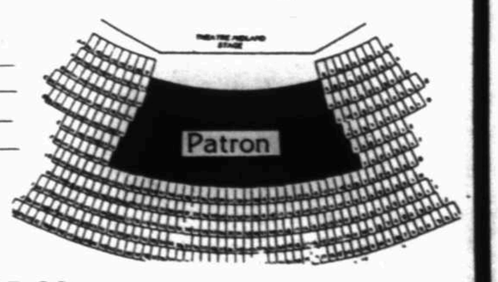
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Ghosts help security staff guard British crown jewels

Copley News Service

Kenneth Mears is often awakened at night by friendly ghosts traipsing about his den.

He gets up to investigate anyway.

It might be thieves trying to pilfer the British crown jewels.

"Of course, the jewels are as secure as if they were in the Bank of England or Fort Knox," said Mears, deputy governor of security at the Tower of London, where the priceless collection is displayed.

He and his staff are in charge of watching over the haunted 18-acre borough of tower hamlets, which was built by William the Conqueror in 1078 as a way of protecting and controlling the city.

But their greatest duty is keeping secure the magnificent royal regalia that has rested within the tower since the 17th century.

"It is quite a responsibility I carry, but we use such sophisticated security devices that I rarely worry," said Mears, 64. He resides with his wife, Elizabeth, in St. Thomas's Tower, a hamlet close by the crown jewels' repository, in the upper and lower chambers of Jewel House.

The accumulation of treasure includes the Sovereign's Crown, made for the coronation of Charles II; the Imperial State Crown, a diamond- and pearl-studded headpiece once worn by Henry V that includes a 317-carat Star of Africa diamond; Queen Elizabeth's (the Queen Mother's) crown, topped by the famed Indian diamond, the Kohinoor; and the Royal Sceptre, featuring a 530-carat diamond.

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The last time thieves made off with some of the crown jewels was in 1303, when a criminal named Richard Podlicote and his accomplices stole a set of solid silver pieces gilded with gold. Podlicote and most of his men were captured, although the stolen treasure was never found. Podlicote was hung, then skinned. The skin, stretched over an oak wooden casket, was publicly displayed as a "deterrent" to other criminals, Mears said.

Today, Mears isn't concerned that thieves might attempt to burglarize the tower.

"They couldn't pull it off," he said, declining to discuss the security measures in effect at the tower.

The extensive security staff is bolstered by a phalanx of ghosts.

For centuries, guards making their nightly rounds at the tower have reported sighting numerous ghostly apparitions, from the figure of Sir Walter Raleigh to Henry VIII.

In fact, Mears has his own ghost roaming about the residence at St. Thomas's Tower.

"It's an old abbot who wears a brown habit. He makes a slithering motion when he walks," said Mears.

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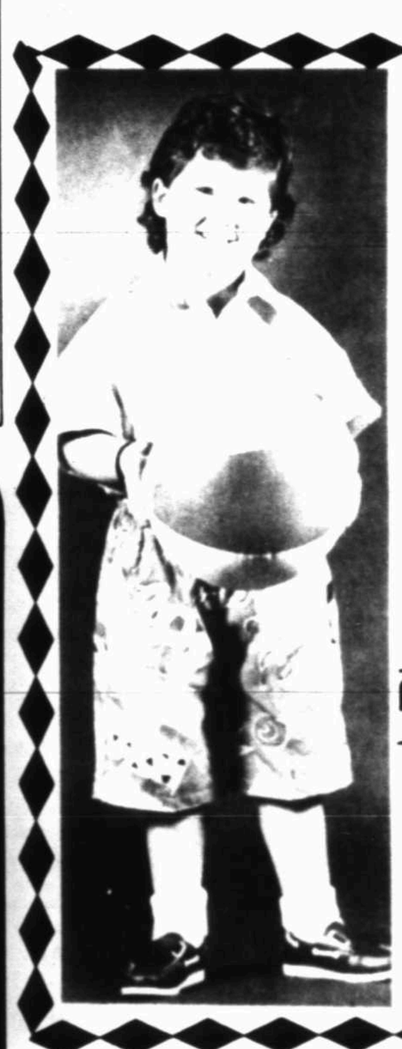
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AT WIT'S END

Fashion hottest-breaking news story

By ERMA BOMBECK



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This country has such a news glut, I knew it was only a matter of time before the media ran out of questions and the subjects ran out of interesting answers.

It's no longer a matter of "What do you think?" and "What are you feeling?" They've done that. Today, everything comes down to, "So, what are you wearing?"

When Imelda and Ferdinand Marcos fled the Philippines to live in exile while the Aquino government took over, what was the first question that was raised? "How many shoes do you have, Imelda?"

And how did the world discover that Ferdinand planned a take-over of his country? Someone leaked to the press that he was in the Banana Republic buying a take-over wardrobe.

Even the important business of the Peace Summit between President Reagan and Soviet leader Gorbachev lost its headlines to Raisa and Nancy's fashion face-off. I read a McStory on the paper's front page that detailed what the American public needed to know were the real differences between Russia and America: Raisa Gorbachev uses Henna Hair Dye (Kraska in Russian) and prefers fashions by Vlyacheslav Zaitsev, Tamara Mokeyeva and Yves Saint Laurent. Nancy Reagan, on the other hand, uses Clairol Chestnut and Moonlight Blond highlights and prefers designers Adolfo, Galanos, Blass and Valentino.

Mikhail Gorbachev tried to compete with the story by announcing he refused to wear a tuxedo at the state dinner, but no one cared.

The American public has no idea why Prince Charles and Princess Di, Fergie or Prince Andrew come to this country ... only that Princess Di is bringing three tiaras and eight new dresses with her and Fergie bought a new coat but will have to wear some things twice because her clothing budget is inadequate.

In recent years, even the winners of the Academy Awards pale over who can dress in the most outrageous, revealing outfit. Quick now, who won the best actor and actress award the year Cybill Shepherd wore Reeboks with her formal gown?

With America staging the longest presidential campaign in the history of politics, how long can the media deal with issues? We're finally getting around to the important question, "Who launders your shirts?"

We now know that Bruce Babbitt, Democrat from Arizona, never does his shirts on the road, but saves them until he gets home. Albert Gore, a Democrat from Tennessee, sends his out, but requests a lot of starch. Sen. Robert Dole, Senate Majority Leader, "doesn't change all that much" because he doesn't spill, and has someone on his staff take them to the cleaners. Are we talking destiny here?

I noted with some alarm when the Pope visited the United States last year, all the preliminary stories were about his stand on abortion, celibacy, birth control and women's role in the church. Thank goodness, some reporter got around to asking him his shoe size. That's what inquiring minds REALLY want to know.

Erma Bombeck is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY

Hearing-ear dogs guides to deaf

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Will you do a favor for those of us who have Hearing Ear guide dogs? The public is well aware of Seeing Eye dogs, but not many have heard about dogs for the deaf.

Hearing Ear dogs can be recognized by their bright orange collars and leashes. They are not any specific size or breed — they are just ordinary looking "mutts." However, they are trained to assist deaf persons with sound awareness.

Thus far, 46 states have granted Hearing Ear dogs the same legal rights as those accorded to Seeing Eye dogs. They are permitted to go into hotels, restaurants, shopping centers, places of entertainment and wherever the general public is invited. They are also welcome to travel on trains, planes and buses.

Abby, please tell your readers that if they see a dog with a bright orange collar and leash to please refrain from irritating looks and remarks. These dogs are trained guide dogs for the deaf. — MRS. R.B. HANEY, OROVILLE, CALIF.

DEAR MRS. HANEY: Thank you for giving me this opportunity to acquaint my deaf readers with this valuable service. For more information about Hearing Ear dogs, one can write to: The American Humane Association, 9725 E. Hampden Ave., Denver, Colo. 80231. And please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope, as this is strictly a non-profit organization. I understand that these beautifully trained dogs are given to those who have no funds.

DEAR ABBY: No complaints. My husband still sends me flowers on Valentine's Day, and our wedding anniversary. This year will be our 40th and I'm only 80. Ha! He still opens the car door for me, and pulls out my chair to seat me at the table.

I am enclosing a nice little message about the value of hugging. It tickled me so much, I sent it out with our Christmas cards. Someone gave it to me and I don't know who originated it, but I think it's worth sharing, don't you? — MRS. ALLEN ELLIOTT, JOPLIN, MO.

DEAR MRS. ELLIOTT: You bet I do.

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DEAR ABBY: Recently there appeared in your column an item pertaining to a Virginia farm girl who was supposedly impregnated during the Civil War when a stray bullet passed through the scrotum of a soldier, then lodged in her ovary.

In response, a friend of ours asked, "Would that make the child a 'son of a gun'?"

I thought, if only that had happened earlier, she might have been a daughter of the American Revolution. — HISTORY BUFF, JAMESTOWN, N.Y.

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Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

'Pay gap' in women's wages shrinking, expert says

Associated Press

The pay gap between men and women — the difference between the earnings of the average female worker and those of her male counterpart — has hovered around the 40 percent mark for decades. But now there seems to be progress. By the end of last year, the gap had narrowed to just under 30 percent.

Getting work experience similar to men's is critical to closing the earnings gap, says James P. Smith of Rand Corp., a research firm. Smith predicts women will continue to gain on men in both job skills and levels of education and that will give their wages another boost. He doesn't think most of the pay gap is due to discrimination.

Singing nuns share music through album

SUGARLOAF, Pa. (AP) — They sing like professionals, operate a thriving bakery business and pray six hours each and every day for others. They also laugh a lot.

Although the primary work of their contemplative order is intercessory prayer, Mother Maria, prioress of the Byzantine Carmelite Nuns of Holy Annunciation Monastery, said that not long ago, the sisters pooled their musical talents to compose and arrange five original songs.

Because their monastery had incurred a large debt when a new wing was added in 1984, the nuns decided to supplement their bakery earnings by making a music album and offering it for sale to the public.

"Here in Sugarloaf, people know us as the sisters who bake," Mother Maria said. "But the album gave us an opportunity to share with listeners other moments of our life ... as well as raise some needed funds."

On one side of the album, also available on cassette tape, are recorded selections from the Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, which the sisters sing a cappella at their daily mass.

On the other side are the five original songs, which feature the voices of seven nuns, ranging in age from 25 to 78. The nuns also play piano, guitar, recorder, harmonica, bells and bendura — a Ukrainian instrument with strings similar to a piano, but which is played like a harp.

The publicity has helped the monastery become better known, and the nuns said they plan to enlarge their bakery business.

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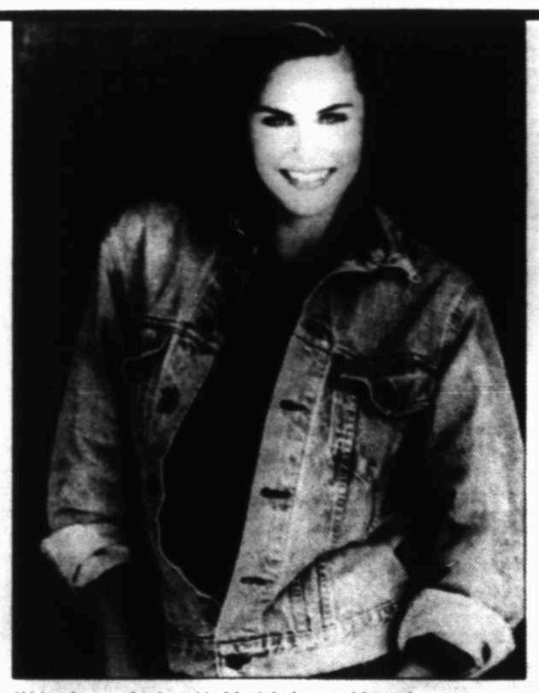
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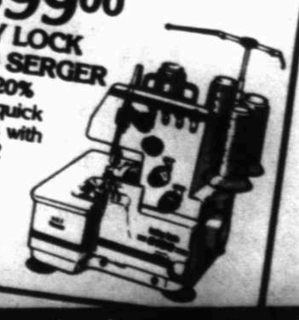
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BIORHYTHM

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But an individual's biorhythms can't take all the credit for his accident-proneness or high productivity, Gittelson pointed out. "Just because you are experiencing a critical day, or have two or three rhythms at a peak or in a trough, does not mean that what happens in your life will necessarily be good or bad. A lot depends on your immediate environment. ...In this way, biorhythm theory is very like psychoanalytic theory. It gives us insight into our predispositions; into the ways in which we are likely to perform — all other factors being equal. But how we in fact behave and what actually happens to us depends on the setting, or on particular environmental features and events — on all other factors *not* being equal. ... both biorhythm and psychoanalytic theory describe internal states of thought, body, and perception which should be apparent to the individual, but which do not have practical consequences until they interact with external factors."

Biorhythms inspire doubt in many people, but Ms. Murphy said that Christians shouldn't have any problem because of their faith. "It has nothing to do with predicting the future — all it is is a biological clock. What it is is our batteries recharging themselves. God made us this way, so how can Christians deny it?"

Gittelson advised interested, but skeptical, individuals to test the theory for themselves. "Since the predictions are so open to interpretation, particularly in mixed days, is biorhythm any different from astrology or numerology, where interpretation can be bent to make the predictions fit the case? ... there is a test that everybody can apply. Start keeping a diary of your own internal states — physical, emotional, and intellectual — over a month or more. *Don't* look at your biorhythm chart or table before you start, so that the diary will be blind to any predictions which might influence it. Then compare the results with the patterns the theory would have predicted. ... the general accuracy — or error — of biorhythm is immediately apparent."

But, Ms. Murphy warned, don't expect to use biorhythms to win sweepstakes. "You can't use it for gambling purposes — it doesn't work that way, I don't care what they say in the Enquirer."

Wives' group helps out on both sides of border

Associated Press

EL PASO — A new climate, a new lifestyle, a new culture — it all takes a bit of getting used to. But some very small children are helping grownups make the transition.

"We've all come from somewhere else but we love El Paso and Juarez, said Cheryl Toth, a member of the Twin Plant Wives Organization, "and we've lost our hearts to the children in an orphanage in Juarez."

The former resident of Indianapolis is in charge of what she calls "the Juarez project" — the club's efforts to help care for abused and abandoned children at Albergue Sor del Juana Ynes de la Cruz, a hospital for orphans in Juarez's Colonia Santa Rosa.

"Love conveys so much. Even though we don't speak Spanish, the children at the orphanage are teaching us, correcting us when we say things wrong. And we are teaching them English. We laugh a lot."

The "maquiladora" or twin plant industry, in which U.S. companies have plants across the border and hire mostly Mexican workers, accounts for between 15,000 and 20,000 jobs in the El Paso area, directly or indirectly. The wives of the U.S. personnel have formed an organization they hope will help their new communities and themselves.

"We have 286 members in the organization and we could handle more; we would love to have more," says its president, Renee Michel.

"Some of the wives have only their husbands' company to build their social life around. We formed this club so they would not have to just sit at home or just go to luncheons.

"It is a social group, that's true. But we also work very hard to improve relations between El Paso and Juarez and also to provide a good communications network for our members.

"We want to be of El Paso and Juarez, not just in those cities. When you get involved, you get to know a place. So we try to introduce our members into ongoing organizations in the city," Mrs. Michel says.

"There's a Spanish language group and some of us are teaching English to Spanish speakers. Our members are active in the Woman's Department of the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, some do volunteer work at the El Paso Rehabilitation Center and with Hospice. And we have bridge groups and some that focus on such things as alcohol and drug treatment," Mrs. Michel said.

The club had a garage sale and raised $475 to buy furniture for the Juarez orphanage, a child abuse and placement center in the Desarrollo Integral de la Familia.

They got donations of carpeting, medical supplies, books, games, toys and clothing.

"Now, when the children leave to be adopted or to go home or to foster homes, they have things to take with them — their own clothing and toys," Mrs. Toth said.

"We give them a lot of tender, loving care, too. Some of our members are nurses, so they help out by giving what medical care they can. Some are beauticians and they give haircuts and perms. We got a rocker for the nursery and sometimes we just rock the little ones until they stop crying."

Effective the first of the year, the twin plant wives adopted the House of Cornelius, an orphanage in Fabens, and they support the family planning center of the Federacion Mexicana de Associanciones Privadas de Planificacon Familiar in Juarez.

"We had a fiesta at the Federico de la Vega home in Juarez and we made over $4,000, enough to buy a neonatal respirator for the center," Mrs. Michel said.

Club members' families have crisscrossed the country and some say they need two hands to tell how many schools their children have attended.

Typical are these women who were at a recent luncheon meeting of the organization: Renee Reid, who said her roots are in Canada; Charlotte Lipka, a registered nurse who works on the Juarez project and who in the past year has moved from border (Canadian) to border (Mexican); and Jan Nelson, from New York state.

They talked about the transient lives they lead.

"The best part is meeting people," Mrs. Willars said.

"It is sad though, that our children don't have any real, permanent hometowns," Mrs. Massouh said. "But we try to help each other get adjusted. We don't say, 'My children's school is the best, my side of town is best, my pediatrician is best,' we just say, 'I'm happy with my ... whatever it is; maybe you would be, too.' "

Study suggests vitamin C can reduce cold symptoms

NEW YORK (AP) — College students who mingled with cold sufferers ended up with milder colds if they were taking vitamin C, scientists say in a study supporting a popular but disputed notion.

The research involving 16 students was funded by Hoffman-La Roche Inc., of Nutley, N.J., which sells vitamin C to companies that make supplements and other products.

While further work is needed to prove the vitamin's effect, Dr. Elliot Dick said his work shows that "in a well-controlled trial, vitamin C certainly ameliorates significantly the symptoms of the people we worked with."

The idea that vitamin C might help against colds was promoted years ago by Nobel laureate Linus Pauling, but studies on the question have come up with mixed results.

Dick said that unlike his study, most previous work has been in large field trials "where there was always a difficulty in compliance of the people in taking vitamins, and there are a bunch of viruses going around."

For his study, blood tests showed the 16 students had not recently been infected by the cold virus rhinovirus 16.

Starting about a month before their exposure to cold sufferers, eight volunteers were administered four 500-milligram vitamin C supplements a day by experimenters. The other eight took placebos.

By one week after the exposure to the cold sufferers, the virus had spread to all but two men who took vitamins and one who took a placebo.

But volunteers who took vitamin C showed only one-third as many coughs as those who had taken the placebo, and also had substantially fewer nose blowings and sneezes.

Dr. Philip Garry, director of the clinical nutrition laboratory at the University of New Mexico School of Medicine, cautioned that one study does not prove an effect.

The findings must be published in a journal after review by other experts and they must be duplicated in other experiment before "you start making too much" of them, he said.

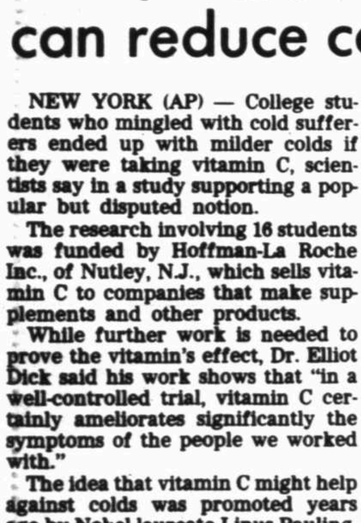
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Submitted by: Judi Crawford, Chairperson - Volunteer Recognition Banquet.

Announcement

The Volunteer Center of Midland announces its plans for a Volunteer Recognition Banquet scheduled for April 22, 1988. The Banquet will be held in conjunction with National Volunteer Week which is April 17-23, 1988. Recognizing the outstanding contributions of volunteers is the principal purpose of the Banquet.

Committee Chairpersons and members are hard at work planning the many details of the event. Members are designing invitations and nominations forms, arranging menus, discussing options for volunteer recognition, planning a kick-off rally and providing for publicity. Nomination forms are scheduled to be mailed to Member Agencies this month. Member Agencies are those agencies who have agreed to the Volunteer Center's requirements concerning use and treatment of Volunteers.

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Areas of assistance offered by the Volunteer Center to Member Agencies include:

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- Opportunity for social interaction.
- Opportunity to get out of the house.
- Opportunity to be part of an important organization in the community.
- Opportunity to fulfill an obligation to the community.
- Opportunity to test career possibilities.

The Volunteer Center is in continuous need of volunteer recruits due to the growing volunteer needs of its Member Agencies. Anyone seeking to volunteer need only register their skills and interests in exchange for the following services from the Volunteer Center:

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- Help develop self-confidence...
- Give additional responsibility...
- Afford participation in team planning...
- Enlist to train other volunteers...
- Commend to supervisory staff...
- DELIVER A VALENTINE TODAY!
- Persuade "personnel" to equate volunteer experience with work experience...
- NOMINATE FOR VOLUNTEER AWARDS
- Send letter of appreciation to employer...

For more information on where to volunteer or on how your agency or group can join the Volunteer Center, please call 684-0808.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Florists like Bob Bradshaw of Bob's Designs say Valentine's Day is very hectic, but that selling lots of red roses translates into extra green money for their businesses.

Florists love Valentine's Day

Red roses grow into green dollars

By MELLA McEWEN
Business/Oil Writer

Red, symbolic of Valentine's Day, makes some see stars. But it makes Midland florists see green.

That's because Valentine's Day is possibly the busiest, and biggest flower-selling event of the year, accounting for more revenue in a shorter period of time than any other occassion.

"It's certainly the busiest time of the year for my shop," said Willie Watson, owner of A-1 Floral. "Christmas is the biggest, but it lasts a month. Valentine's Day lasts a few days."

Most Midland florists say they will do about 20 to 25 percent of their annual sales during the Valentine season, with Christmas and Mother's Day also accounting for big hunk of revenues.

Florists surveyed say it was too early to tell if sales are up or down for this Valentine's Day because of last-minute buying.

Some like Bob Bradshaw, owner of Bob's Designs thinks sales will be up: "From all indications, sales appear up," he said.

Others, like Charlene Greenwood, owner of North Park Florists, said she felt that sales would be down slightly this year. "With Valentine's Day falling on Sunday, people have more time to shop for different items rather than calling the florist," she explained.

Norma Risinger, manager of Flowerland, said she's pleased by the fact that a number of people ordered flowers early this year.

Phillip Marquez, owner of Midland Flower Shop, attributed his slow sales to the still-shaky economy.

To make sure sales don't waver florists say they have to continue to be innovative, offering extended hours, unique arrangements and convenience. Mildred's Flowers sells flow-

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TEXAS BUSINESS

Blending business, research

Dallas firm commercializes biomedicine

By ANDREA WATSON
Dallas Times Herald

DALLAS (AP) — When Devon Giacalone took the reins of Dallas Biomedical Corp. in 1986, she was charged with implementing a concept that was dreamed up by then-Mayor A. Starke Taylor's biotechnology Task Force: Bring about commercial application of biomedical research conducted at area medical schools, including what was then U.T. Health Science Center at Dallas.

Now, with eight research projects funded at the medical school (now Southwestern Medical School), four more projects in the works and its first company formally opening this month, Dallas Biomedical is making visible progress to that goal.

"It was designed as a five-year experiment, and it's working," Ms. Giacalone said in judging the progress. Taylor agrees.

"This is definitely what we had in mind," Taylor said. "They are doing what we had hoped they would do."

Dallas had not been a center for the emerging biotechnology industry. The task force saw the untapped potential, however, with the millions of dollars in Dallas regularly spent each year for ongoing medical research.

In fact, the East and West Coasts have become the focal points of this new technology industry.

The centerpiece of Dallas Biomedical's strategy is to use venture capital funds to finance research in a scientific community more accustomed to backing from the National Institutes of Health or large pharmaceutical companies.

Dallas Biomedical, as the venture capital company, will provide an ongoing source of funding for research. Revenues from the successful marketing of the fruits of this research, so the theory goes, will be turned back into the corporation to back further research.

"We are designed to help fund biotechnology projects with the goal in mind of creating jobs for people, as well as bringing medical technology to the marketplace that otherwise

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AP Laserphoto

Research assistant Tracy Weeks does lab work for Gene Screen at Southwestern Medical School in Dallas.

BUSINESS TRAVEL



Hotels now offer on-the-road offices

By CHRIS BARNETT
Copley News Service

Kathryne Langford works in a hotel but says she's running an emergency room. In truth she manages the Executive Business Center at the Vista Hotel in New York's financial district and is a secretary to the world.

Langford, a friendly former actress, handles crash clerical projects for business travelers who left their secretaries at home but need documents typed, word processed, printed and collated instantly. Her center also is an office-away-from-the-office for salespeople, engineers or anyone who has a diskette and needs a computer.

And if you are staying at the Vista, doing business on Wall Street and need to fax a contract to Hong Kong, Hamburg or Houston, Langford's at your service — for a fee.

What started in Asia a decade ago is now the newest customer convenience for traveling businesspeople in the United States. Business centers in Hong Kong hotels like the Mandarin, the Regent and the Furama comfort the harried salesperson or senior execs with business libraries, personal message centers, banks of computers and stenographers.

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A STORE

FOR ALL SEASONS

By MELLA McEWEN
Business/Oil Writer

"When we were growing up, we talked about having our own business," noted Becky Thompson, who owns Miss Cayce's Christmas Store and More with her sister Kathy Harrison.

"We talked about doing something like this," she continued, indicating the store. "We always entered crafts fairs together; Kathy paints and we both sew." Their father enjoyed woodworking, and taught them how to use the jigsaw, Thompson remembered. "In fact, he gave us one for Christmas a couple of years ago."

Thompson had worked for Pettit's Christmas Store, and was offered the chance to buy the store when the Pettits decided to sell. She and her sister bought it and renamed it Miss Cayce's Christmas Store, after their grandmother. Cayce was her maiden name. "It's also named after her mother, too, because she raised five girls during the depression," explained Harrison.

Running the store is also a family affair, with Harrison's husband doing the bookkeeping, and their mother taking on babysitting chores.

The store has done well, the two said. "Pettit's had a good following, and once people realized Miss Cayce's was the same basic business, we did pretty well," Harrison said. Agreed Becky: "I think we finally made a name for ourselves."

After three years of being open only during the Christmas season, the two decided to open the store year-round and expand to include the major seasons — Christmas, Valentine's Day, Spring, Easter, and Fall. Thompson explained the decision, saying "We felt we could meet a need. And with a permanent location in a high traffic and high visibility area, we felt we could make it work." The store is in La Villita Shopping Center at Wadley and Midkiff.

The current theme is, of course, Valentine's Day. "You wouldn't believe the number of people who come in who want a wreath for Valentine's Day," Thompson said. The two design a number of the wreaths, centerpieces and other arrangements they sell, along with some other items. As soon as Valentine's Day is over, the store will be redecorated for Easter and spring. "We want this to be a place that's always changing, where there's always something different," Harrison commented.

Customer response over the store being open year-round has been very positive, they said. "We're seeing people in here one or two times a week. I'm amazed at how often they come in for little things," Thompson said.

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Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Owners Becky Thompson, left, and her sister Kathy Harrison have decided to turn Miss Cayce's from a Christmas store into a year-round party and gift store.

JOHN PAUL PITTS

What's the difference between them and us?



Pitts

For years I have tried to understand what it is that makes *them* different from *us*.

Is it the way they comb their hair, bite their lip or wear their pants? Not really. On the street they look just like *us*.

I knew it wasn't looks or brains, because some of *them* that have it are not nearly so pretty or smart.

Luck? Certainly some got it that way — by being born into it, marrying it, or just falling into it — but they are not really *them*.

You know *them*. They are the ones that have it — lots of it. They have the ability to get it themselves and make getting it look easy. Then there's the rest of *us*, the have-nots who for one reason or another never seem to learn what it takes to get it.

What is the difference? Why are there so few of *them* and so many of *us*?

About 10 years ago I climbed to the top floor of a downtown Midland office building, seeking the answer to that burning question.

Pencil in hand, I pleaded: "Tell me great master, what is the difference between you and me? What is the secret to making money? Why do you make $18 million a year and I only make $1,800 a month?"

He grinned at the frankness of my question, pushed a sweaty Resistol to the back of his head and leaned across the big desk: "Son, its persistence! You jes' gotta keep on keepin' on and don't never give up. Any more questions?"

I beamed: "Of course! That's it. I have seen it." I remembered how that many times I had observed *them* hanging on long after all the smart people had dropped out.

I questioned: "But I always thought that was dumb, Master?"

"No son, that's persistence."

So overjoyed was I to have this great secret straight from the guru's mouth, I ran straight home to learn how to be persistent.

I could get a book on persistence, I thought. Maybe Midland College or the Graduate Center had a course on it. I would even pay $500 for a seminar if some would-be TV evangelist could teach me to be persistent.

But alas, there were no seminars and no courses and after two unsuccessful weeks of looking for a book on persistence, I got disgusted and gave up. If only I could have found that book, perhaps I could have made something of myself — become one of *them*.

Never mind, though, I am ready to try again. I went to see the guru again last week, and I have a new word from him — "procrastination."

Peering from beneath the same sweaty Resistol, the older, wiser and richer guru warned me: "Son, don't never procrastinate. Hunker up and make 'em hard decisions quickly. Procrastination is a thief that will rob ye blind and keep ye in financial confusion. You'll never be one of *us* until you quit procrastinating."

"Of course! I should have known that, Mr. Guru. It's obvious. While the smart investors do their homework, weigh the pros and cons and act decisively, most of us find it almost impossible to make hard decisions when it comes to money. I have seen it in my own life."

I told him about the 401(k) savings plan at the Reporter-Telegram and how I had agonized for two weeks over whether to split it 60 percent stocks, 20 money market and 20 mutual funds...or 60 money market, 20 stocks, 20 mutual funds...or 60 mutual....Or I could put 50 percent into stocks...30 into money market.

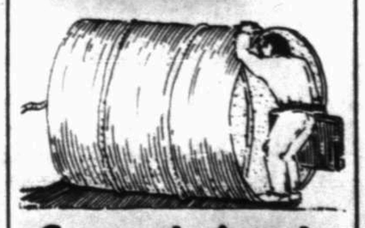
I told him that a financial planner visiting in my office finally made the decision for me. "Split it three ways among your options and never touch it again," she told me without hesitating.

Such decisiveness. How wonderful! Is this is what I must have to be one of *them*?

"That's the ticket son. Act quickly. don't don't drag ye feet," the guru encouraged me.

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INSIDE



Crossed signals

Why do good people leave companies, and what can employers do to prevent this unnecessary turnover?

Many experts believe the trouble lies in poor communications skills, and can start before hiring with the job interview. Unrealistic pictures of job expectations painted by inexperienced managers can combine with inattentive listening by a job applicant to get the employment relationship off on the wrong foot.

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Many managers lack skill in relating

By SHARON BENOIT
Copley News Service

BENOIT ON BUSINESS

Communication always gets a bum rap. True or not, here's another: "Most managers are lousy internal communicators." This was the unanimous response echoed by several employment experts recently when asked to answer a two-pronged question: "Why do good people leave companies, and what can employers do to prevent this unnecessary turnover?"

According to the experts, this inability to communicate begins when an inexperienced manager interviews a potential job candidate. At this juncture, two things usually occur: First, the inexperienced manager doesn't paint a realistic picture of the proposed job, and second, the candidate — for a number of valid reasons — does not listen attentively to the insufficient job description provided by the inexperienced manager.

Once hired, it doesn't take the new employee too long to realize the job he wanted is not the job he got, and from that point on the employee becomes disenchanted with the company, the management and any hopes for the future.

This scenario, according to Jennifer Potter-Brotman, vice president of the management division of Forum Corp., is repeated daily whenever "inexperienced managers are allowed to interview and hire employees."

Potter-Brotman, whose company is in the business of sales and management training, believes there also is a lack of loyalty on the part of the organization and the people who work for them today as opposed to the people who worked in past decades.

"This lack of loyalty stems from mergers and acquisitions, as well as the formation of impersonal multinational conglomerates where the upper management tends to be totally out of communication with the lower ranks," adds Leigh Branham, senior consultant with the Ellermeyer Co., a management consultant firm.

Branham feels there are three reasons why good people leave companies: 1. higher salaries, 2. more challenge or better utilization of skills and 3. no perceived long-range opportunity within the organization. The boss doesn't make it clear to the employees what the opportunities are because the boss either isn't savvy enough to do so or just isn't informed.

"These days employees are treated like a saw. Employers use them until they're worn out. They never take time to sharpen the saw. When the saw is dull, they just get a new one," he states.

On the other hand, a lot of turnover can be prevented, agree Potter-Brotman and Branham. There are studies showing that employees tend to lack realism. "They fail to look at the job as it truly is rather than what it's going to yield them in terms of monetary increases," states Potter-Brotman.

In fact, some of those studies reveal that the average person will have 10 different jobs in a lifetime. "Years ago, they would only move once or twice in a lifetime," remarks Branham.

This is one reason it is so important for companies to invest in management training programs. Managers need to develop a lot of skills in order to be good communicators. Skills such as listening, sensitivity, patience, the ability to link organizational environments, to understand the organization will undergo changes, to communicate there will be changes and to know what it means and how to cope with the changes to their employees.

"People on the lower scale of the work force need to feel they have a stake in the organization," explains Potter-Brotman. "It doesn't matter whether it's on a long-term or short-term basis."

She also doesn't believe good people want to leave companies for more money. "Employees want to feel like they are contributing to the company...to their organization," she states.

"If a person doesn't feel that the job is important anymore, he or she begins to question the value of it,' adds Branham. "There's a fundamental human need to be needed and to be challenged."

What a manager does or doesn't do is the biggest contributor to how long an employee stays on board, contends Potter-Brotman. "Clearly with a merger and acquisition, it's pretty hard to put the blame for people leaving on the immediate manager. But, that's about the only case I can think of where the manager isn't responsible for a good person walking out," she says.

Dr. Mitchell Lee Marks, a California School of Professional Psychology organization development consultant, says most mergers and acquisitions in this country have been failures in the people game.

"Mergers and acquisitions are particularly threatening to employees who have been loyal to a company, have lived by the rules and, in return, have expected to be repaid with job security and career advancement," states Marks.

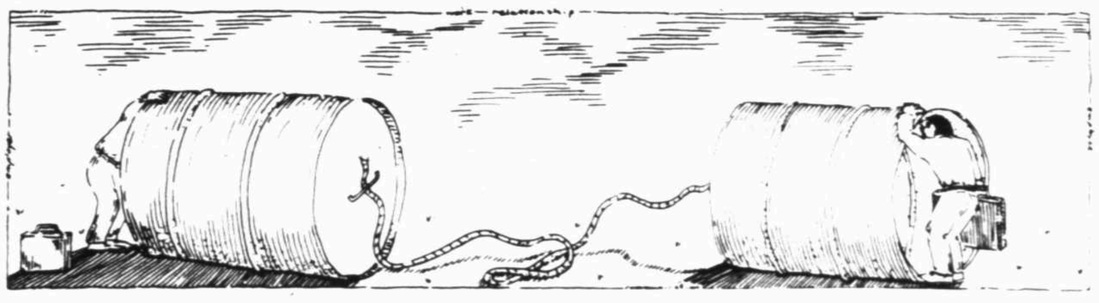
"With a merger, those rules suddenly change, and people who may have felt secure working for the former employer feel like betrayed losers. It's not uncommon for these people to begin fighting with their spouses and kids, have trouble sleeping and experience increased alcohol and drug use."

At an acquired multibillion-dollar manufacturing firm where he was a consultant, Marks witnessed incidence of high blood pressure among the work force rose from 11 percent the year before the merger announcement to 22 percent the following year.

"Being offered a position in the merged organization does not ease the symptoms of merger syndrome," he states. "Acquired personnel worry that their past track records don't count with the new company, that they have to prove themselves to their new bosses and that they won't fit into the new corporate culture. Many live in fear of another round of layoffs, watching for when the 'next shoe may drop.' It's a major problem."

Marks also points out that the mergers can threaten the acquiring company's work force. A case in point was Burroughs' acquisition of Sperry, creating the giant computer company now known as Unisys Corp. The plan of Burroughs chairman W. Michael Blumenthal was to develop a "meritocracy" in which the best people, regardless of former affiliation, would advance

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Veteran oil communicator gets point across crisply

"How often we've been told to write, at college age and less,
In terms as plain as Mr. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.
Avoiding phrases erudite where simple ones are clearer.
The better to express the thought, not just impress the hearer!
— Franklin L. Turner, 1955

By ERIC BEST
Hearst News Service

Franklin L. Turner, now 92, worked 40 years with Shell Oil Co. as an auditor and editor before retiring. He still recalls the day in 1955 when he just couldn't take it any more, and frustration overpowered him.

"It was terrible," he says of the business writing that seeped out of the corporation and collected beneath his editing pen. "I became so fed up my feelings burst out with that poem. And actually, it helped my career along in the company. I impressed a lot of people, and executives began coming to me for help, giving me all kinds of stuff to make leaner and give more punch."

His poem — the full text is below — even earned Turner a bit of fame. The Wall Street Journal published it and people phoned him from all over the country. The verse became part of a text on written communication in business.

However prosaic, the problems persist that drove Turner to poetic distraction, the San Francisco Examiner found when it asked readers for examples of "bad business writing." Poor writing costs business an estimated $1 billion a year in lost time, missed messages and extra effort, and examples poured in:

■ A Bank of America employee, facing what she considered a layoff, received a memo that began: "You have been identified as a redeployment assignee."

■ The chief executive of a medical center wrote his staff that a new kidney stone disintegrator had been added to the hospital's equipment and said the administration now estimated that "each urologist will generate two kidney stones per month."

Readers found themselves incensed by IRS obfuscation, overwrought by wordiness, perplexed by impenetrability. Their offerings confirmed what writing experts already know.

"The worst sin is writing for oneself rather than the reader," says Ellen Roddick, a communications consultant and author of "Writing That Means Business." "Too many business writers tend to think what they want and then expect the reader to be interested. One way to get better fast is to think what the reader needs."

She encourages business writers to think carefully before they begin, diagram their ideas to organize their thoughts and keep their prose simple.

As the late Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige told his department: Make sentences lean and short, use no unnecessary adjectives or adverbs and rely on nouns and verbs to give strength to a letter.

"In short," Baldrige said, "halfway between Ernest Hemingway and Zane Grey, with no bureaucratese."

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BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits in the City of Midland for the week Feb. 1-5.

New residential
Mark Payne Homes, 4903 Thames Ct., $88,500; Robert Graham, 3603 Northfield, $99,500; Kelly Young Construction, 5000 Thames Ct., $135,000; JAR Investments, 4500 St. Andrews, $65,000; JAR Investments, 4502 St. Andrews, $65,000; Allen Construction, 3408 Meadowridge, $125,000; Deter Construction, 2413 Arbor Circle, $59,700.
Total 7 permits, $637,700.

Residential alteration/repair
Ham Construction, 4608 Aspen Drive, $6,495; Homeowner, 3602 W. Louisiana, $500; DeWayne Freshour, 729 W. Dormard, $2,000; Homeowner, 1304 S. Atlanta, $3,000; Homeowner, 1701 N. Bryant, $14,000; Don Forrest, 1500 Neely, $5,000.
Total: 6 permits, $30,995.

Mobile homes
Homeowner, 1208 S. Moran, $12,000.
Total: 1 permit, $12,000.

Commercial alteration/repair/accessory
Architectural Contractors, 101 W. Wall, $125,000; Campbell & Coats, 10 Desta Drive, $32,000; Kelly Young, 3001 W. Loop 250, $5,100.
Total: 3 permits, $162,100.

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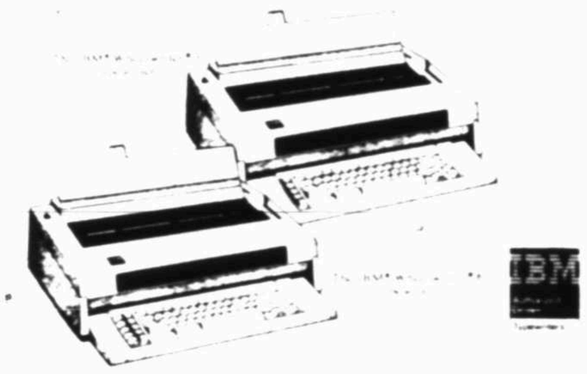
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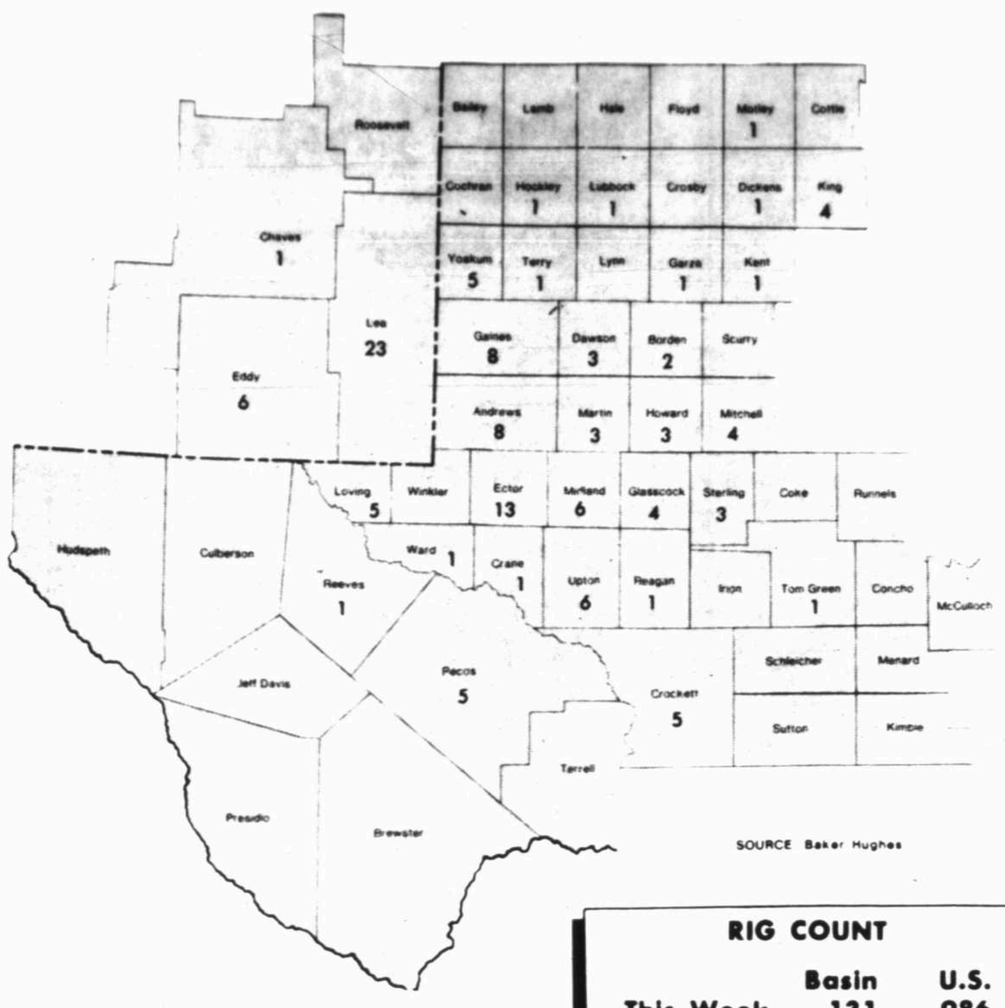
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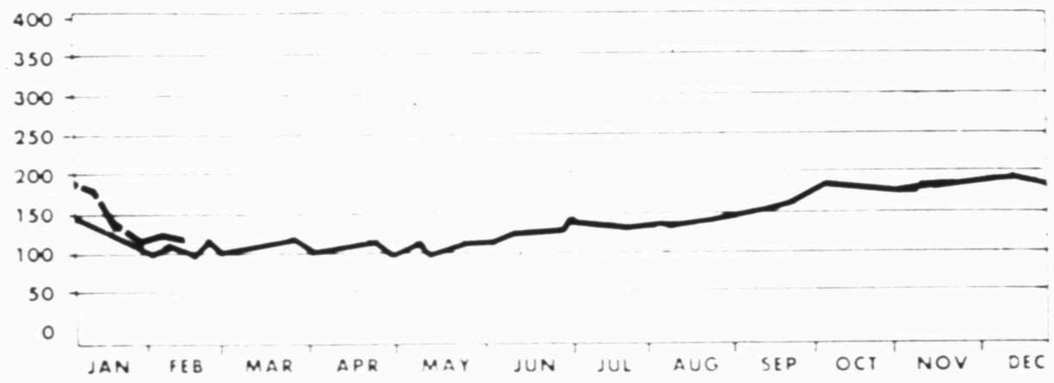
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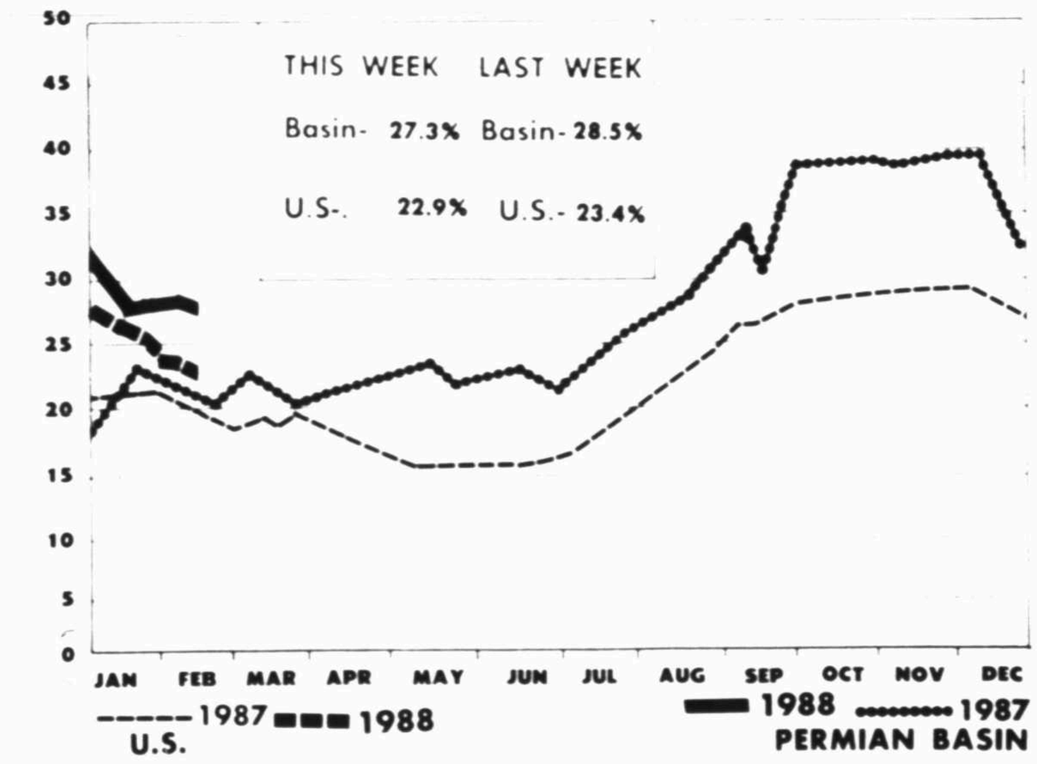
RIG COUNT

	Basin	U.S.
This Week	131	986
Last Week	137	964
Year Ago	109	802

Tracking the Basin Rig Count



Rig Utilization



U.S. count rises, Basin count falls

From Staff Reports

In a reverse of last week's trend, the U.S. rig count gained while the Permian Basin rig count slipped.

After dropping 62 to total 964, the U.S. rig count rose 22 rigs, to 986, according to Baker Hughes of Houston.

Meanwhile, the Permian Basin rig count — which had risen 10 to total 137, slipped six, to 131, the company said. Lea County continues to lead the Basin count, with 23 rigs. Next is Ector County with 13. Midland County had six rigs.

Rig utilization — the percentage of available rigs being used — slipped for both the U.S. and the Permian Basin. The U.S. utilization slipped to 22.9 percent, while Permian Basin utilization dropped to 27.3 percent.

The rig counts in Oklahoma and Texas were big gainers this week, increasing by 13 and 10 respectively.

Texas' increase comes on the heels of a decline of 14 recorded the previous week. Since the first of the year, drilling activity in Texas had declined by 57 before this week's increase.

Among other major oil producing states, Michigan's rig count increased by three, while New Mexico and Pennsylvania each had an increase of two. Kansas and North Dakota each added one more rig.

Louisiana had the largest decrease, losing eight rigs. California, Colorado and Ohio each lost one rig.

Permian Basin completions

TRC Districts	7C	8	8A	N.M.	Total
This week	21	40	21	25	107
Last week	31	90	52	24	197

Source: Petroleum Information

OIL PRICES THIS WEEK

West Texas Intermediate SPOT MARKET

Average This Week	$17.32	Monday	$17.30
		Tuesday	$17.65
		Wednesday	$17.40
Average Last Week	$16.96	Thursday	$17.15
		Friday	$17.11

Posted Price

Amoco	16.50*	Mobil	16.50*
Arco	16.50	Navajo	16.50*
Chevron	16.50	Permian	16.50*
Citgo	16.50	Phillips	16.50*
Conoco	16.50	Pride	16.50*
Crown	16.50*	Scurlock	16.50
D. Shamrock	16.50*	Shell	16.50*
Enron	16.50	Sun	16.50*
Exxon	16.50	Tesoro	16.50*
Fina	16.50*	Texaco	16.50
Koch	16.50	UPR	16.50
Marathon	16.50*	Unocal	16.50*

Median This Week $16.50 Median Last Week $16.50

EDITOR'S NOTE Prices effective Friday preceding publication. Listed prices may be subject to pipeline and trucking charges, which vary by firm and lease location. Contact crude oil buyers for charges.

* Denotes net price — no transportation charges.

U.S. oil bill will double, geologist says

LAFAYETTE, La. (AP) — The United States' bill for imported oil is likely to double to $90 billion within the next decade, says the president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

OPEC is likely to regain control of oil prices in the 1990s, and the United States is likely to be importing about half its oil by the early part of the decade, said Lawrence W. Funkhouser.

During the energy crises of the 1970s, when the United States imported about 42 percent of its oil, U.S. drillers felt the Outer Continental Shelf was their ace in the hole, he said.

But Funkhauser, a retired Chevron executive, said exploration since then indicates little chance of finding major oilfields there.

"We've now explored almost all of the Outer Continental Shelf — except the Gulf of Mexico and California — and we've only found one field (Prudhoe Bay)," he said in an interview Wednesday.

If no major plays are discovered and produced, the United States will be importing about 50 percent of its oil by the early 1990s, he said.

"I'm really concerned about getting exploration started," Funkhouser said. "Production was down by 8 percent last year. That's about 1 million barrels per day."

He believes areas such as the Beaufort Sea, Bering Sea, Northern California and deepwater Gulf of Mexico, which contain a large amount of proven reserves, could be drilled if prices increase and stabilize.

Oil futures, however, remain about $17 to $18 a barrrel — still too low to encourage drilling.

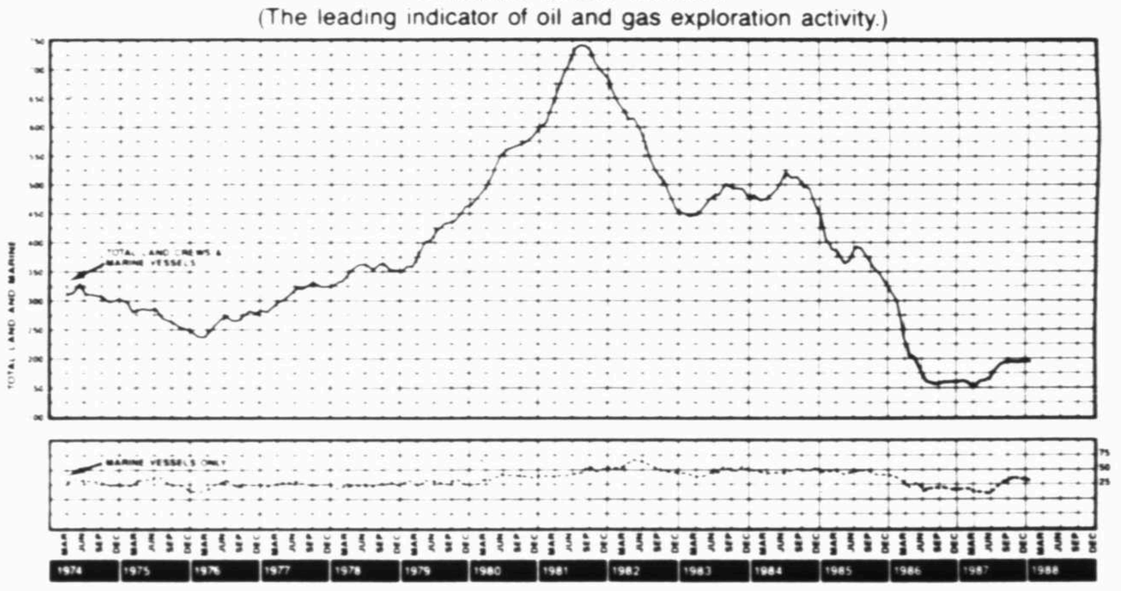
"To really get exploration back to work, we'd have to look at $25 to $30 oil and a strong indication it would not go down again," Funkhouser said. "It doesn't matter how high over $25 — as long as it's stable."

He said U.S. crude reserves dropped 6 tto 8 percent in 1987 — the largest yearly decrease since World War II.

"Because there is 8 to 10 years of lead time between drilling and production, the longer we wait to get exploration up again, the further down the production level we'll be," Funkhouser said.

SEISMIC CREW COUNT

(The leading indicator of oil and gas exploration activity.)



Seismic count falls

For the first time in 10 months, the seismic crew count showed a slight decline, according to the Society of Exploration Geophysicists. The society reported that the land crew total fell by five and the marine crew rose by three, for a net decrease of two, to 197.

Chevron plans Baytown plant expansion

BAYTOWN, Texas (AP) — Chevron Chemical Co. plans to build a $100 million polyethylene unit that will create 70 permanent and 750 temporary construction jobs.

The plant, to be built at Chevron's Cedar Bayou plant in Baytown, also will create a few more jobs in Orange and a few in the company's Kingwood chemical laboratory, Chevron spokesman Cul Ingram said.

Chevron decided to build the unit in Baytown rather than at its plant in Orange because of the Harris County tax abatement policy, which will save Chevron about $1.5 million annually for five years.

Chevron received a $10 million tax abatement for the project in December.

The plant will produce about 440 million pounds of low-density poloyethylene a year using a new technology licensed a year using a technology licensed by British Petroleum Co. Ltd.

Polyethylene is a basic building block used to make many other plastic products, such as plastic wrap and containers. Construction on the plant will begin later this year and it should be ready for operation by 1991.

Mexico boosts price of crude sold to U.S.

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico boosted the price of its light Isthmus crude by 22 cents a barrel to U.S. customers last month, the government-run oil monopoly announced late Thursday.

Pemex said in a statement that the price of the light oil jumped in January to an average of $15.03 for a 42-gallon barrel.

The cost of its heavy Maya crude to American clients soared even higher, rising 58 cents to an average of $12.01 a barrel.

For its European clients, the average price of light crude registered $14.83 a barrel in the first half of January and $11.25 for the Maya brand. Pemex said those prices were lower than in December but did not say by how much.

Far Eastern clients, it said, paid an average of $15.95 a barrel for the Isthmus brand of oil, up 5 cents from December's cost. Maya crude was priced at an average of $13.35 a barrel, an increase of 10 cents.

COMING MONDAY



Honeymoon's over

New York's corporate love affair with its Connecticut suburbs is over as clogged highways and astronomical home prices are driving businesses and residents away from the Nutmeg State's one-time "Golden Coast." Read about the exodus from Fairfield County in Monday's BUSINESS section.

TURNER

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Examiner readers had no trouble finding examples that seemed to violate those guidelines:

■ From a Crown Zellerbach leadership program came the following statement of purpose attributed to business consultant Charles G. Kroner: "To gain capacity in thinking by including more in our thinking, expand what is covered. The more you include, the more capacity grows, enlarging the whole that we think about to expand capacity, not only in units, but also the larger whole to develop self mental ableness."

Some readers had fun disclosing peculiar perplexities written by their own top executives, such as this from a CEO trying to stimulate his managers for the coming year: ■ "In addition, we have put in place a true team, committed to aggressively and proactively together to win, and in 1987 to outperform our competition, as you did in 1986."

According to Sandy MacKie, manager of internal communications for Chevron Corp. and editor of its employee magazine, shortcomings among business writers tend to reflect their disciplines.

Business writers lean too heavily on the passive voice, rather than on active verbs, MacKie says, because they want to duck responsibility for what a memo reports or suggests. Computer wizards lose readers in jargon they can't understand. Engineers, obsessed with detail and accuracy, fail to generalize for the sake of brevity. Lawyers try too hard to avoid misinterpretation.

"They tend to lard their memos," MacKie says of lawyers. "Their chief goal seems to be to avoid litigation rather than to communicate."

He says he can't estimate the precise cost of Chevron's efforts over the years to improve writing. But he says much of the company's internal communication is shorter and more to the point than it was a decade ago.

Jim Vincler, a consultant in business communication, was asked to revise Chevron's operating manuals. He helped 10 Chevron writers reform both their language and presentation. He found that an attack on the passive voice helped reduce the size of the manuals by 60 percent.

"Instead of saying the truck should be pulled to the left side of the pump and the green hose should be used," his revision read: "Pull the truck to the left side of the pump and use the green hose."

All this will warm Turner's heart. He boiled down his many years as a newsletter editor for Shell with an outgoing bit of doggerel entitled "Valedictory from Frank Polonius Turner":

Be ever neat,
not gaudy, with a curb
Upon the passive
and the smothered verb.
Eschew the flowery phrase
that says not much
And mark thou dost
preserve the common touch.
Neither a long wind
nor ear bender be
The soul of wit, 'tis said, is brevity.
To simplify a point or win a friend
He writeth best who knoweth when to end.

SKILL

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While stressing the importance of Sperry people, products and customs in the success of Unisys, Blumenthal's concept of a partnership triggered a backlash among many Burroughs personnel. They contended that only through their hard work and sacrifice was Burroughs able to acquire Sperry.

Some managers were eager to apply Burroughs' programs in their newly acquired domain. Others expected little disruption to their accustomed work situations.

On balance, most mergers provide a mixed bag of costs and benefits for employees. Experience shows, however, that people focus on the negatives. This is not from a lack of willingness to hear the good news about a merger. People want to believe that the merger makes sense; they just want to see signals that a merger is being well-managed, and they want to hear that the merger will benefit both the company and its people.

Branham also discussed the career orientation inventory developed by Edgar Schein of MIT/Sloan. Schein believes there are eight career values (he calls them "anchors") that are important to different people. Everyone fits into one of the following categories:

1. Technical/functional competence (skill utilization)
2. Managerial competence
3. Autonomy/independence
4. Security/stability (Geographically where they are located and financial stability are important.)
5. Service and dedication (the need to provide helping service or contribution to a specific cause or project)
6. Pure challenge (This person needs to solve the unsolvable.)
7. Lifestyle integration (This person desires balance of family, job, life — values.)
8. Entrepreneurial abilities (Creating something new and personal authorship are important.)

Schein has studied people for years. He has found that no matter what the primary anchor appeared to be, it kept repeating itself over and over again wherever the employee went.

"If the employee is feeling a void inside, chances are the employee hasn't fulfilled his/her primary anchor, and that fulfillment can be accomplished without having to move to a new company if the manager is trained to seek out this kind of information from the employees.

Sounds pretty fair to me. So how do managers prevent their good people from leaving? According to these three experts, there are several things a manager and a company can do to stall a move:

Provide more career enrichment. This point is extremely important, according to Hackman & Suttle, researchers at the University of Illinois.

It's important for employees to have career enrichment. Here are five ways to enrich a career: Employees need to have a variety of skills to carry out their work. They must complete their tasks as a whole piece for satisfaction. The task needs to have a recognizable impact on the overall organization or other people inside or outside the firm. There needs to be autonomy for workers, some discretion in carrying out the work. They also need feedback from co-workers, supervisors and the job itself as to how well they are doing.

Managers need to be better trained in how to manage and select new employees.

There needs to be a training program for mentoring bosses — managers who can counsel, serve as a mentor and develop their people.

Managers have to be more honest about the position they are trying to fill. They should paint a clearer picture of what is expected of the candidate. They should say: "We can't tell you what you are going to be doing here in 10 years. We can only tell you what we expect from you now."

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More people look for love at office ROSES

WASHINGTON (AP) — More and more people who work in offices are bringing home a mate as well as a paycheck, according to a new study that also finds some managerial headaches associated with 9-to-5 romances, a new study says.

"It is now more likely that future spouses will meet at work than at school, social or neighborhood settings," says one of the research reports quoted in the study by the Bureau of National Affairs, a private publisher based in Washington.

The study, "Corporate Affairs: Nepotism, Office Romance and Sexual Harassment," said romance in the work place emerged as an issue after women began to enter the work force in large numbers in the 1970s. The percentage of females who work increased from 34.8 percent in 1960 to 54.7 percent in 1986, Commerce Department figures show.

Office romances also have become more common as the average age of first marriage increases and the number of divorces and remarriages rises, the study says.

And what better place to get to know someone?

"If you work with someone, you can see what kind of person he is," said Sarah Crim, principal researcher for the study. "Does he have a messy desk? Does he easily become angry at meetings? Does he come to work on time and work late? You find out a lot more about a person at work than if you go to a party, where you'll just get a superficial impression."

In compiling the report, Ms. Crim said, she consulted a panel of nine people who have dealt with the issue. The nine agreed that not every office romance is disruptive and some even felt that a romance between co-workers can be positive because people in love are happy to go to work and are not rushing out the door to get ready for a date.

However, nearly all the experts felt office romances can be bad for the work place if one of the people involved in the affair ranks higher than the other.

Most corporations do not have formal policies discouraging romances between employees, although some do have policies against married couples working together.

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ers from a cart at Midland Park Mall for the occasion.

Some local florists create their own special arrangements to spur sales. Buddy's Flowers has *Sweet Melody Bouquet* and Bob's Designs has come up with *Valentine Bouquet*. "One designs selling hotter than a pistol is our *Hugs 'n' Kisses Basket*, containing a stuffed bear, candy kisses and flowers or a plant," said Mildred Riddle Farris, owner of Mildred's Flowers.

There are also special arrangements created by the wire services, such as FTD, Teleflorist and Florafax, including the "Dream Bear" bouquet. Leena Paredes, owner of Fancy Flowers and Gifts said she sold out of the arrangement early.

Red roses to the lady were once the standard Valentine fare, but things are changing. Roses, either fresh or silk, continue to be the best seller, but spring flowers, plants, balloons and stuffed animals are also finding their way into floral arrangement, say florists, who are also delighted that an increasing percentage of Valentine business appears to be women sending flowers to men.

"I've been here 11 years, and I've seen this trend growing for the last couple of years," noted Judy Deeds, manager of Buddy's Flowers. "Now, I'd say 20 percent of our business is women buying flowers for men. They like being remembered just like we do."

Greenwood, of North Park, estimated that the number of women sending men flowers has risen 4 to 5 percent over the last couple of years. "I'd say it's a pretty good race," said Miriam Gaddy of Michael's Flowers and Gifts.

However women are more conservative when it comes to buying for men, usually sending a single rose in a bud vase or a plant. One florist explained that it was usually something simple and never anything large. Ron Huse, co-owner and manager of Ron's Floral Designs, and Patricia Jones of Patricia's Flowers, says women also like to send tropical or exotic flowers such as Bird of Paradise or Antherium.

ClayDesta Communications opens Corpus Christi office

From Staff Reports

ClayDesta Communications announced that it is opening its 14th office in Corpus Christi.

Clayton W. Williams Jr.,owner of ClayDesta, said that the Corpus Christi office will add some 10 new jobs to the South Texas city's economy. "We see the Corpus Christi economy on an upswing and ready for long distance competition," he stated.

ClayDesta began establishing a totally digital network throughout Texas in 1984, to link all the major cities and many smaller communities.

The company's other statewide offices are located in Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Bryan, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Lubbock, Midland, San Angelo, San Antonio and Waco. The company employes over 330 people statewide and expects annual revenue to exceed $60 million.

SEASONS

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To make sure the store can make it year round, plans for the future include developing a line of party goods, and carrying unique greeting cards of smaller publishers.

How well the store does remains to be seen, but the two are optimistic. As Harrison put it, "This is all new territory to us. But I think with our track record as far as Christmas goes, we should do well."

OFFICE

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Now some of the more progressive American hotels are putting their toes in the water to see if there is a strong enough demand to justify the manpower and state-of-the-art equipment to make it a profit center that will turn a profit.

"Everything we get in here is rush," says Langford. She says a convention of doctors met until 3 a.m. hammering out some bylaw changes, and the next morning the agreement had to be punched into a computer, printed and 10 sets collated by 8:30 a.m. She did it. The word processing cost $30 an hour, the going rate at any secretarial service.

The Vista's center can scan a printed copy and put it on a computer disk at $6 to $8 per page, convert an IBM disk to a Wang disk for $50 to $75, hire a steno and transcribe a dictaphone tape on the spot.

The Executive Assistance Center at the new Nikko Hotel in San Francisco is a mini corporate headquarters for business travelers. It has every piece of computer and office equipment you could possibly need, including a shredder.

Sayuri Yamazaki, the secretary who runs the center, can handle translation assignments, type contracts — in English or Japanese — and do any clerical chore needed. "I was once asked to type up a resume for a man who was on a business trip and didn't want his co-workers to know he was looking for a job," she says.

PITTS

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I am encouraged. I may yet become one of *them*, because, just the other day, I saw a book on procrastination at the mall. I have been meaning to go out there and buy it. Perhaps, I will next week — or sometime. Then look out world.

John Paul Pitts is business/oil editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

BIOMEDICAL

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may not get there," Ms. Giacalone said.

Among the eight research projects it has financed at Southwestern is work by Drs. Jennifer Cuthbert and Peter Lipsky to develop a test to identify people who are genetically predisposed to high cholesterol and heart disease, Ms. Giacalone said.

In addition, the company will open a lab facility for its first company, Gene Screen, this month, and is evaluating the potential to start up two more companies with year in the fields of diagnostics and therapeutics, Ms. Giacalone said, although she would not be more specific.

The bottom line is that the city stands to reap economic benefits in terms of creating jobs and a more diverse economic base, and Southwestern Medical School will gain the funds necessary to continue research, Ms. Giacalone said.

"There is good research going on at Southwestern Medical School, and some of it has good commercial potential," Ms. Giacalone said of the school. "We are matching technology with market opportunities."

Walter Channing, founder of C.W. Ventures, a biotechnology venture capital firm in New York, said Dallas Biomedical appears to be on the right track.

"I think they've show that they've got what it's going to take," Channing siad. Other universities, including Baylor, have tried unsuccessfully to start similar programs, but they did not have the technical and financial expertise of Dallas Biomedical's officers. Ms. Giacalone was director of commercial development at Biogen N.V., a start-up company known for its early developments in genetic engineering.

Channing expressed concern, though, over whether Southwestern could sustain a corporation, even with its advanced technical research. Projects must be advanced enough in their development to be sellable, must have potential to affect many lives and must be virtually competition-free and patentable, he said. Those projects are few and far between.

Dallas Biomedical is backed by 40 investors,including individuals and corporations in Dallas and venture capitalists from the United States and Europe. The corporation, which has $12.5 million in capital, is financing the research solely with the interest from its conservative investments in Treasury and high-quality corporate bonds — about $600,000 to $700,000 a year.

In addition to private investors, Dallas Biomedical receives funds from the Hartford Foundation, which pledged $3 million to Southwestern Medical School over a five-year period, Ms. Giacalone said. Half of the proceeds from research go to Dallas Biomedical, one-fourth to the medical school and one-fourth to Hartford, she said.

When the corporation finances research projects, it expects to market discoveries either by licensing the technology to an existing company or by creating a new company, such as Gene Screen, to sell the product.

Dallas Biomedical also will seek patents for technology as it is developed through Gene Screen and the medical school, Ms. Giacalone said.

Gene Screen, which has five employees, expects to name a president in the next two months. The company will move into a 3,000-square-foot laboratory at Stemmons Plaza near the medical school this month. There it will perform diagnostic tests to screen for genetic diseases such as cystic fibrosis and Duchenne's muscular dystrophy, said scientific director Robert Giles.

Although Dallas Biomedical has not yet experienced any significant return on its investment, it expects to see product revenues based on Gene Screen operations within the next year or two, Ms. Giacalone said.

"Our goal right now is to get the genetic screening company up and running," Ms. Giacalone said.

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Ford, Chrysler hold line on '88 prices

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A pledge by General Motors Corp. to freeze prices on its cars and trucks is all but meaningless, say domestic competitors, who contend they didn't plan to raise prices this year anyway.

GM Chairman Roger Smith, in a weekend address to members of the National Auto Dealers Association meeting here, said the No. 1 U.S. automaker would hold the line on prices for the rest of the 1988 model year, which ends Sept. 30.

Traditionally, automakers have raised prices when new models are introduced in October and again in the spring, usually around April.

Ford Motor Co. and Chrysler Corp. spokesmen said GM's pledge is no big deal because price increases weren't an issue for the Big Three.

"We raised prices 3 percent in the last four years and they've (GM) raised them 15 percent," said Bennett Bidwell, Chrysler Motors president for product and marketing.

Like GM, Chrysler effectively cut prices on many 1988 models from the 1987 model year. While GM's sticker prices rose an average of 1.9 percent on 1988 models, in many cases equipment once considered optional is now listed as standard.

Ford spokesman Jerry Sloan said the No. 2 car maker planned no price increases on its 1988 models.

Bidwell and Sloan were asked about auto prices after Smith's remarks.

"We're not getting into any price war," Bidwell said.

Foreign car companies, affected by the declining dollar, have raised prices recently.

American Honda Motor Co. raised prices on its 1988 models between 2.2 percent and 2.8 percent in January. Toyota Motor Corp. has raised 1988 model prices twice since October, and Korea's Hyundai Motor Co. also raised 1988 model prices in January.

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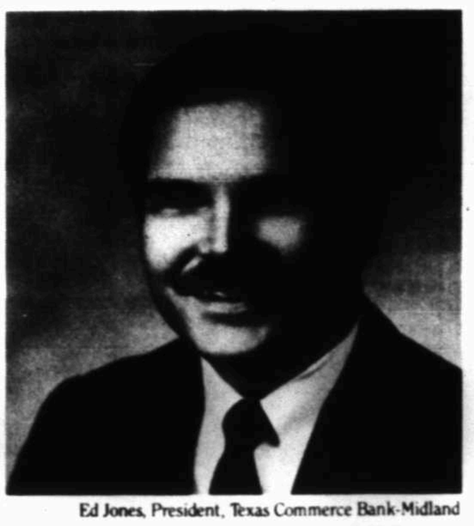
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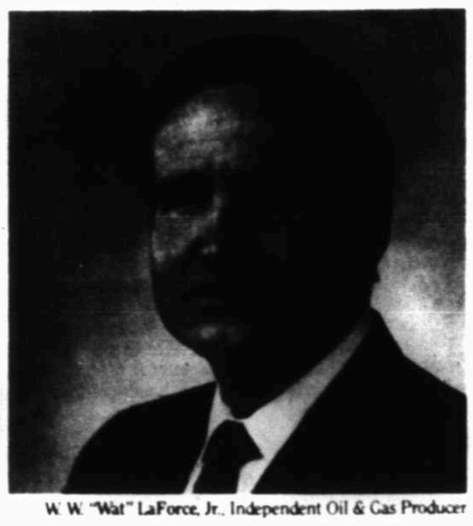
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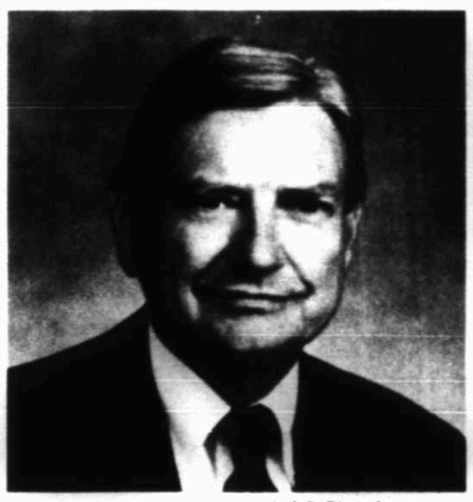

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Searching for the crash's echo

BUSINESS MIRROR

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK — Ever since the stock market crash, analysts have been looking in vain for signs of the impact. Most crashes produce echoes, but most of this one seems to have been lost in space.

As a result, nobody seems able to come up with a study that measures the total impact. They have been unable to catch the echo, so to speak, which they feel almost certain is out there somewhere.

Slivers have been found. Immediately after the crash economic forecasts were lowered, for example. Financial community layoffs became common. A slowdown in purchases of some items, such as expensive homes, reflected lost assets.

Overall, however, the impact of stock market collapse seems either to have been contained within itself or delayed for reasons not yet clear. Forecasts of a huge decline in consumer spending have not been verified by events.

One study, made in 1983 for the Federal Reserve Board and other public agencies, does suggest why there has been no sudden reaction from consumer markets: most consumers have no direct ownership of any stock at all.

The study, conducted by the Survey Research Center at the University of Michigan, shows that no more than 20 percent of households own shares directly, and many of these own very little relative to other assets and income.

F. Thomas Juster, a research scientist at the center, observes that in 1983 only 1.7 percent of U.S. households had more than $100,000 worth of direct common stock holdings, and so were vulnerable to big declines in assets.

While the dollar amount of direct common stock holdings might have risen in the bull market, the pattern isn't likely to have been changed. That is, to this day relatively few families own substantial amounts of stocks.

Muting the impact even more are some other findings:

- About 80 percent of all direct holdings of common stock are in the portfolios of households with more than a half-million dollars of net worth.
- Almost half the common stock owned directly by U.S. households is held by those with 1983 incomes of more than $192,000 a year.

Concludes Juster: "If one is going to find an important direct effect of wealth declines on spending, it will have to be in the spending of a small number of relatively wealthy households."

While these statistics suggest why the impact hasn't turned up immediately in mass consumer markets, they don't erase fears that a stronger impact might yet be felt. Indirect effects could be major.

Juster observes, for example, that consumers still might perceive the stock market collapse as a signal of major economic trouble, especially in regard to job security, overtime hours and pay increments.

'86 Camaro: Most-stolen car

DETROIT (AP) — The 1986 Chevrolet Camaro and the 1982 Toyota Corolla have topped a new, but undesirable, list.

A Chicago database company says they were last year's most-stolen domestic and imported cars.

Of the top 32 cars most often reported to insurance companies as stolen in 1987, all were General Motors Corp. models, starting with the 1986 Camaro. The top 10 also included the 1984, 1985 and 1982 Camaro.

Pricey imports that seemed likely to head the list, exotic Porsche, Jaguar, BMW or Mercedes models, didn't appear among the 100 cars that account for the largest numbers of thefts.

Rounding out the top 10 were the 1981 and 1980 Oldsmobile Cutlass, 1986 Pontiac Firebird, 1984 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme, 1986 Chevrolet Monte Carlo and 1981 Buick Regal.

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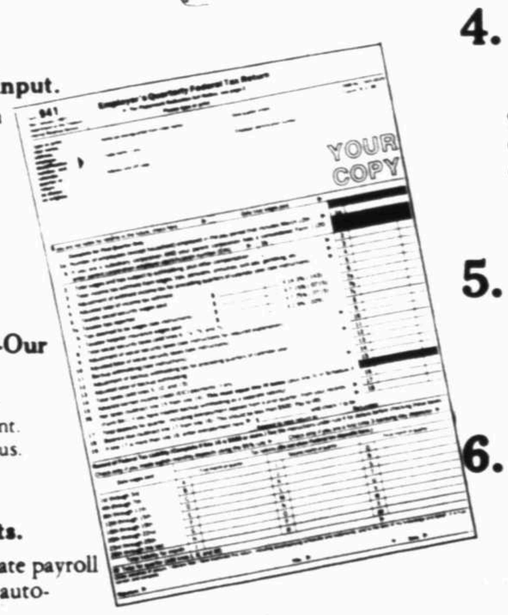
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MEETINGS

Petroleum engineers to hear Arco advisor

The Permian Basin section of the Society of Petroleum Engineers will meet Wednesday at the Holiday Inn Country Villa, beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Guest speaker for the luncheon will be Edgar C. Capen, who will present "Putting 20/20 Hindsight to Work in the Oil Patch."

According to Capen, pitfalls in introducing new technologies or designing and building new facilities come from "the way we organize our memories, which in turn affects our decision-making." He will demonstrate some ways to shock the memory out of its lethargy and approach problem-solving in a fresh way.

Capen, an SPE distinguished lecturer for 1987-88, is a senior technical advisor for Arco Oil & Gas Co. in Dallas.



Capen

Basin paleontologists host Exxon researcher

David Leary of Houston, will be the guest speaker at the Tuesday meeting of the Permian Basin section of the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists. The luncheon gets underway at 11:30 a.m. at the Midland Center.

Leary, of Exxon Production Research Co., will discuss "Seismic Expression of a Carbonate Lowstand Fan, Eastern Midland Basin."

Accountants to hear about retirement plans

The Petroleum Accountants Society has scheduled both a technical session and general meeting for Wednesday at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

The technical session, beginning at 5:30 p.m., will cover "Cafeteria Plans and 401(K) Retirement Programs." The session will be presented by Robert E. Hollman.

Following will be the dinner, which will feature John L. Buster, founder of John L. Buster Training Associates. Buster's topic will be "Getting Your Ideas Across."

Measurement society sets Tuesday meeting

The Permian Basin Measurement Society will meet Tuesday at the Ramada Hotel, 3100 W. Wall. Social hour will get underway at 6 p.m., followed by the dinner meeting at 7 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Robert McKee of Southwest Research Institute, who will speak on "Pulsation Effects on Orifice Measurement." The topic will cover how to recognize pulsation errors caused by pulsation and how to correct them.

Individual rights topic at personnel meeting

Individual rights will be the topic of the Permian Basin Personnel Association meeting Tuesday at the Holiday Inn Centre in Odessa. The evening begins with a social hour at 6 p.m. and dinner and program at 7 p.m.

Guest speaker Shelton Padgett, a San Antonio attorney, will discuss "Individual Rights Cases and Union Avoidance."

Reservations can be made with the MBank personnel department.

Rotary to see multimedia show on Australia

The 1986 Rotary International Scholars will discover Australia Thursday night with a multi-media presentation at Ranchland Hills Country Club. Social hour begins at 6:30 p.m. and a buffet dinner at 7:30 p.m.

The program will be presented by Bruce Partain, who was selected as a Rotary International Scholar in 1986 and is currently with Citigas, and his wife Linda Bond, currently director of development for the Midland Community Theater.

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Basin engineers to celebrate Engineers Week

From Staff Reports



Moncrief

The Permian Basin chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers will end its celebration of Engineers Week with a banquet Friday at Ranchland Hills Country Club. The banquet gets underway at 6:30 p.m.

At the banquet, Charles R. Moncrief, will be honored as the chapter's engineer of the year, and $1,000 scholarships will be presented to three area high school seniors.

Guest speaker for the banquet will be Kent Hance, a Texas Railroad Commissioner, who will speak on "Engineers — Turning Ideas into Reality."

Moncrief, a senior consulting engineer for Ortloff Engineers, Ltd., is a graduate of Midland High School and received his bachelor's degree from the University of Texas in 1955. He joined Ortloff Corp. in 1966, eventually serving as division vice president before joining Ortloff Engineers in 1986. He is currently chairman of the Midland College Drafting Technology Advisory Committee.

Hance was appointed to the Railroad Commission in 1987 by Gov. Bill Clements and is the first Republican to serve on the Commission.

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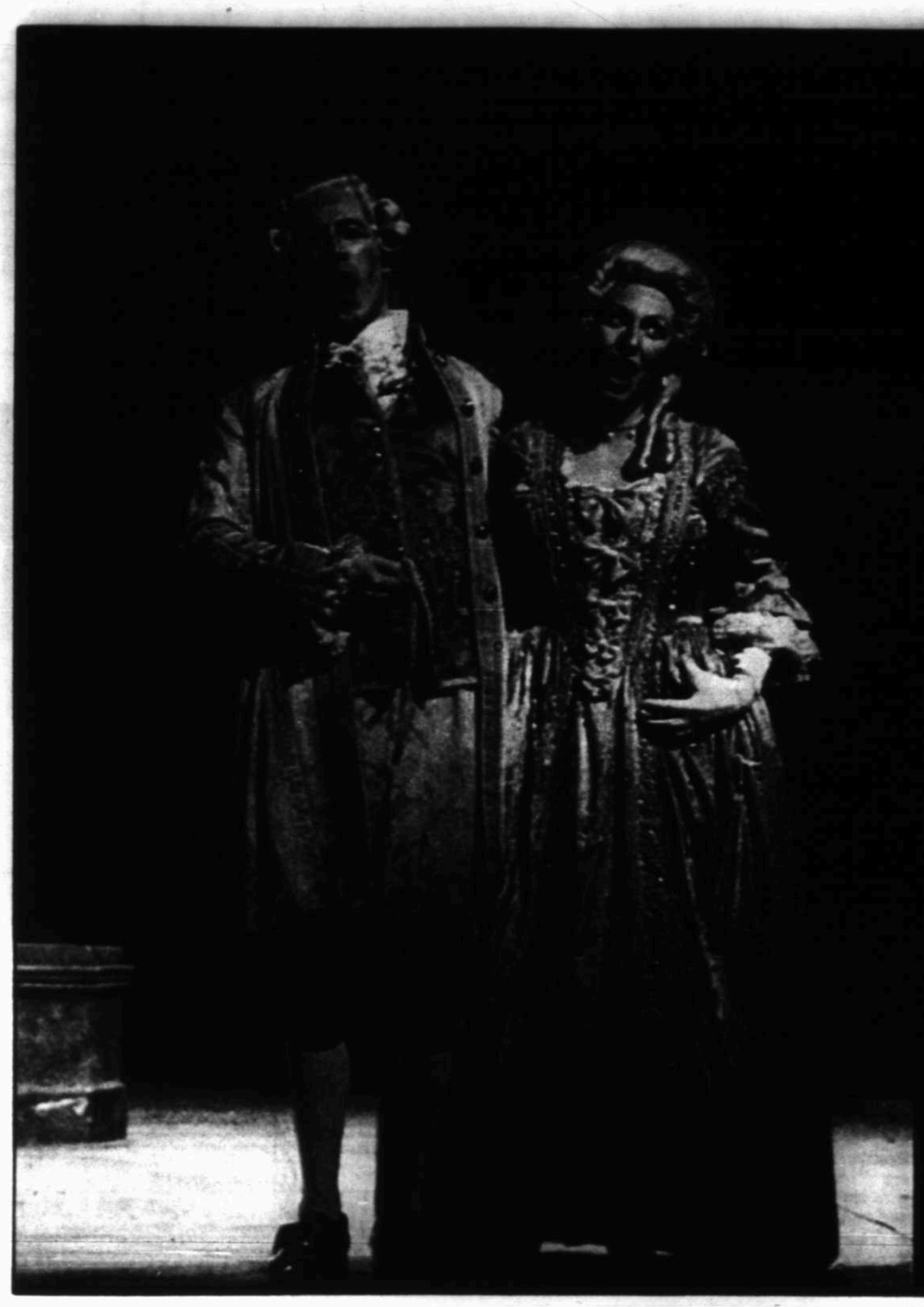
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AMADEUS CONDUCTS MOZART

By GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE
Entertainment Writer

Humor and pathos walk the stage during Texas Opera Theater's production of "Amadeus Conducts Mozart," playing Midland High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

"It's a highly unusual piece," says Anne Tomfohrde, manager of TOT and director of Houston Opera Center. "It's a different kind of construct than one would usually see on the operatic stage, but it's an operatic experience, and it is an opportunity to hear the beauty and the incredible majesty of this music."

The production is a lively musical exploration of the life of one of the world's greatest composers, considered to be, along with Joseph Haydn, the leading composer of the classical period.

"This is a piece which was commissioned by Texas Opera Theater, and it was conceived as a semi-staged concert production — which means that we use minimal physical properties to give you a suggestion of the particular setting, the period, the style," Ms. Tomfohrde says during a recent telephone interview.

"The orchestra is on stage as well, and we're inviting you into a Mozartian parlor."

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Ballet choreographer

By GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE
Entertainment Writer

Pirates. Princesses. Slavery. Family. Relationships. Games. Collectively, they add up to Ballet Midland's "Winter Production," being staged Friday and Saturday at the Allison Fine Arts Auditorium.

Of the seven works being presented, four new works will premiere choreographed by Valentine Boving, Octavio Nieto and Brian Taylor. The range of works created for this production include dances that are contemporary, traditional and neoclassical.

Tickets go on sale Monday at the Kiosk in the Plaza, Plaza Shopping Center. For reservations and ticket information call 683-2027.

Miss Boving, the ballet's assistant academy director, a former dancer with Houston Ballet, New Haven Ballet and the Swedish Ballet, has choreographed her first work for Ballet Midland. The work, titled "Games," a satire on games people play, is set to the music of Franz Liszt.

Nieto, the newest Ballet Midland faculty member, comes to Midland from the National Dance Company of Mexico City, where he was a soloist. He has studied ballet in Mexico and New York. His work, "Songs of Harmony," a neoclassical work set to the music of Rachmaninoff, is the story of four sisters and the separation of one of them from the family.

Diane Gaddy, artistic director of Ballet Midland and former prima ballerina with the National Dance Company of Mexico City, will dance the pas de deux from "Le Corsaire" with Nieto. "Le Corsaire," a traditional ballet first produced in 1856, tells the story of a pirate's love for a young princess who has been sold into slavery.

Taylor, a former dancer with Ballet Midland who is now studying and working in Denton, recently returned to Midland to choreograph two new ballets, one for students at Ballet Midland Academy and the other for adult dancers. The first, "Clearing the Air," is set to gallic music, and the other, "Triplicity," is set to the music of Erik Satie's "Trois Gnosiennes."

"It's funny because as far as the piece that I set for the girls, the younger people, I have no idea where any of that material came from," Taylor says. "It's almost as if I couldn't really take credit for it because it poured out so quickly."

The other dance originated with a selection set by Taylor last summer for Ballet Midland. The piece was originally designed for three women and two men. Since Ballet Midland does not now have two male dancers, Taylor reworked the number using three female dancers and the same music.

"It's kind of an exploration of feminine archetype, which is in Western civilization a triplicity, and that's the title of the piece, 'Triplicity.' "

A native Midlander, Taylor, who has an undergraduate degree from Juilliard School in New York City, is working on his master of fine arts at Texas Women's University. The degree, an intermediate one between a master's and a doctorate, is a dance degree with an emphasis in choreography. At the same time, Taylor is working as a teaching assistant.

"The school's very strong academically, and it's very challenging for me in that way. They've given me some of the major dance classes to teach which is sort of a feather in my cap."

The degree will take Taylor another two years to complete. His return to school was inspired by a realization he reached one day.

"I woke up and decided that all these years of being a starving artist — what was the point of putting in all that time studying and training if I couldn't have a career? And, it just seemed like a way to have a steady income and be able to teach and choreograph, which are the two things in dance that I enjoy the most."

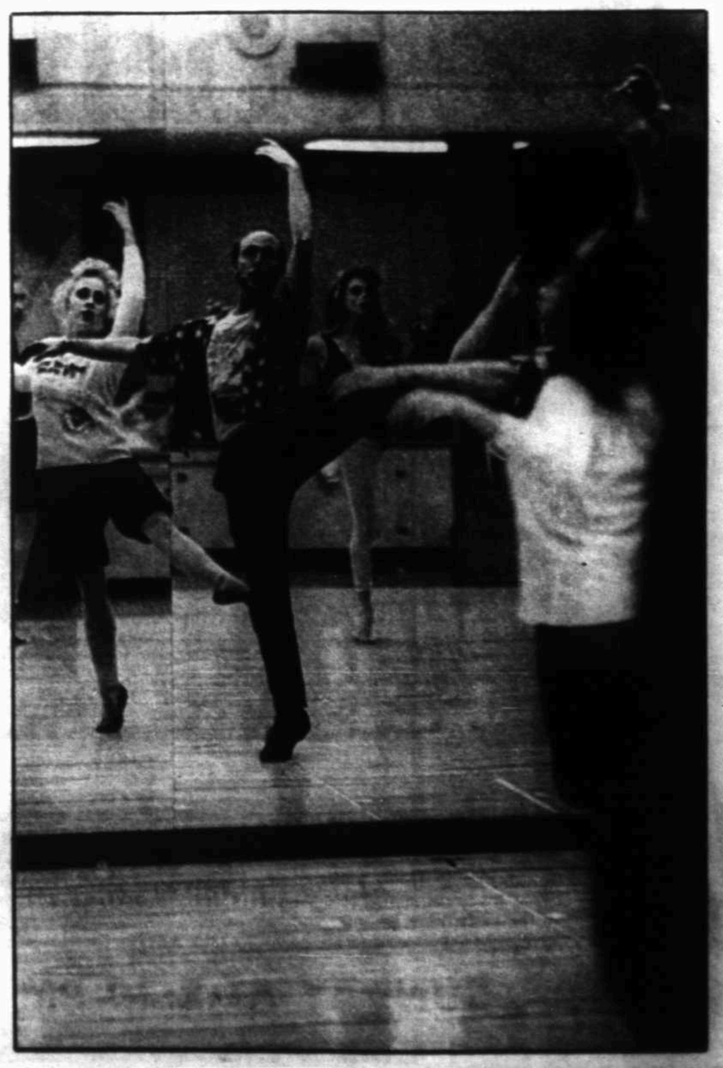
Taylor, who danced with Ballet Midland for three years after dancing with various companies in New York City, says his interest has waned in dancing for other people.

"I've done a lot of that, and it became more and more frustrating. I have a strong feeling about how things ought to be, and it became more and more difficult for me to be a follower instead of a leader."

Today, his interest lies in teaching dance and working as a choreographer.

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Brian Taylor takes ballet students through their steps, above, in a new work he's choreographed for Ballet Midland. During rehearsal, Taylor keeps time for Louisa McIntosh while Ballet Midland Academy students, from left, Angie Seltzer, Robyn Rap and Christy Leonard watch.

Jerry Mennenga/
Reporter-Telegram

GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE

Dramatic presentation highlights Mozart's life



Temple

"Do you know why angels can fly?"

A friend asked me that question on the phone Wednesday. I didn't have the answer, but she did.

"Because they take themselves so lightly."

In a time and a place stuffed full of its own self-importance — the late 1980s — her answer was like a breath of fresh air.

And it made me think of the movie "Amadeus." A picture of Salieri and Mozart flashed through my mind. As portrayed in the movie, Salieri took himself so seriously; he was the center of his universe, and preoccupied with self and self's desires.

Mozart, on the other hand, took himself very lightly with one exception — his music. He took his talent, his great gift, seriously.

Hearing Keith Miller speak at the Samaritan Counseling Center's annual dinner and again at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, also made me think of "Amadeus."

Miller, in his lectures based on his new book "Sin: Overcoming Deadly Addiction," identifies sin as occurring "when we put ourselves in the center so we can get control of ourselves, which makes me and mine and my ideas more important than you and yours." We try in a thousand different ways to control our destiny and figure subtle ways to control others, he says.

"This disease is progressive and it is terminal, yet it never shows up on a death certificate," Miller says. He points out that often the cause of death does not identify the underlying problem or disease, which he finds to be a preoccupation with self and self's desires — "my work, my children, my life, my, my, my..."

Mozart's great talent, which has survived in his music, and his eventful life are the subjects of Texas Opera Theater's production "Amadeus Conducts Mozart," which will be staged at 8 p.m. Tuesday at Midland High School Auditorium. The Houston-based touring company is brought to town by Midland Opera Theater. The production is not TOT's usual fare. "Amadeus Conducts Mozart" presents excerpts from Mozart's greatest works set amid vignettes of his life.

Salieri's name was not mentioned in the news release or the interview I did with the organization's general manager. Besides, who can even remember anything he wrote? Who cares?

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Despite snow, the week of Feb. 7 included performances by the Thouvenel String Quartet and the Bellamy Brothers. I made both.

The classical string quartet played three works — Haydn's Quartet in A Major, opus 20, No. 6, Beethoven's String Quartet in F minor, Opus 95, "Serioso," and Ravel's Quartet in F major. The entire program was a delight; however, Ravel's work, for me, had the most energy. I could feel it bouncing off the walls.

It propelled me to the Bellamy Brothers concert at the New West, where I found a capacity house. The Bellamys gave their audience what they came to hear — their old songs as well as their newest numbers. The date was sponsored by KNFM-Radio.

Remember the old adage about the show must go on? Midland Community Theatre had a shock this week past. Marilyn Anders, who was playing the role of Bloody Mary, fell and broke her leg in four places following opening weekend. Fortunately a replacement was almost literally waiting in the wings. Iris Brito, assistant stage manager and co-chairman of dressers, stepped into the role.

Regrets to Ms. Anders, who has spent numerous hours in rehearsal to play Bloody Mary.

The story doesn't stop there. A replacement had to be found for Ms. Brito, who was supposed to be in two places Friday night — onstage at Theatre Midland in "South Pacific" and onstage in Big Spring with the Winning Season Singers. Patty Loftis, last seen by MCT audiences in "Noises Off," stepped in for Ms. Brito in Big Spring.

As Shakespeare said, "All's well that ends well." Speaking of Shakespeare, don't forget The Odessa Shakespeare Festival, which opens Thursday with a performance of "Julius Caesar" by the National Shakespeare Company. Tis true. Caesar and Brutus's paths are less than fortuitous.

Georgia Todd Temple is entertainment writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

OPERA

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"The story is all the reminiscences available written about Mozart and to Mozart and between the colleagues of Mozart as well.

"Through a series of vignettes, which are drawn on material selected from the letters, we hope to provide the audience with the sense of not only Mozart's music but his life, the period of time in which he lived and how the various historical and family influences affected his work. All the music is by Mozart, and we've selected music to tie in directly with these vignettes."

TOT is being brought to Midland by Midland Opera Theater. Tickets, priced at $12 for adults and $10 for students and senior citizens over 65, may be purchased through MOT. For more information call 684-4101.

"Amadeus Conducts Mozart" introduces the audience to two Mozarts at the same time. Stephen Sulich, TOT's music director, dons wig and period wardrobe to bring Mozart's music to life and conducts TOT's 10 singers and 24-piece orchestra in arias, duets and ensemble selections from the composer's great operas, including "The Magic Flute," "The Marriage of Figaro" and "Cosi Fan Tutte."

Simultaneously, a second "Mozart" is on stage bringing to life selected events and anecdotes which influenced Mozart and adding a 20th century perspective to the famous composer's colorful life.

"The production was conceived as an opportunity to envision Mozart conducting his own work," Ms. Tomfohrde says. "Stephen Sulich is in costume before the orchestra.

"We take that a step farther and allow you to take a glimpse at Mozart's life by not only watching him conduct, but by also getting a sneak glance at the man and the events that impacted his life and his life's work. Thus, we have two characters playing Mozart — the conductor and the actor that plays him."

Although the musical spotlight of "Amadeus Conducts Mozart" will be on Mozart's operatic works, the production will also offer selections from his "Requiem" and some orchestral compositions. Much of the music will be familiar, but a few outstanding lesser-known selections will also be included.

Born Jan. 27, 1756, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart produced a remarkable body of musical work before his death on Dec. 5, 1791, at the age of 35. Symphonies, operas, concerti, chamber compositions, sonatas — he mastered them all.

His dramatic and often tragic personal life was marked by a strong influence from his father, Leopold Mozart and personal disappointments in his deep indebtedness at the end of his life and the less-than-enthusiastic critical reception of his works in most musical circles. Great joy existed too as evidenced by his enormous love of dance, games and women.

In his London and Broadway triumph, the theatrical hit and then Academy Award winning movie "Amadeus," Peter Schaffer portrays the musical genius as a socially and politically inmature young man in spite of the complexity of his works.

"Amadeus Conducts Mozart" seeks to explore the major emotional elements of Mozart's life, framed by his brilliant music. The program also captures his outrageous sense of humor as well as the lives and music of other figures he influenced.

"I have always known about Mozart and women, that he was not well remunerated for his work during his own time, that he was not always recognized for his own genius during his own time, but I hadn't read many of the specific letters from which this material is drawn that spells out more clearly the relationship between Mozart and Constanze, his wife, Mozart and his father, his relationship with the librettist Lorenzo Da Ponte," Ms. Tomfohrde says. "I didn't know specifically of Mozart's close relationship to Haydn, the composer.

"The dialogue that occurs before a musical selection gives you a different perspective of what the arias, ensembles and duets are really about. Mostly, it's just added dimension to things that we already had an impression about Mozart's life."

This TOT production is the result of a collaboration between Sulich, stage director, Ken Cazan, and librettist Kate Pogue. Cazan is directing TOT's 1988 production of "Lucia di Lammermoor," scheduled to be performed in Midland March 15. Ms. Pogue has worked on a number of TOT projects including creating the libretto for TOT's world premiere in 1981 of the children's one-act opera "Starbird."

Formed in 1974 to bring the excitement of live opera and musical entertainment to new audiences throughout the country, TOT has performed for over one million people in Texas and 40 other states.

"Texas Opera Theater is premiere American touring opera company," Ms. Tomfohrde says.

" We are involved in taking full productions to 40 communities throughout the U.S., and this year we are going to Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Florida, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Missouri. 'Amadeus Conducts Mozart' is on an eight-week tour with another opera — 'Lucia di Lammermoor.' "

TOT also helps young American singers launch their careers, with many alumni now singing in the major opera houses of the world.

"Besides regional touring, Texas Opera Theater also nurtures young singers and is dedicated to educational outreach," Ms. Tomfohrde says. "This year we'll bring opera to over 70,000 people."

For example, TOT, under the sponsorship of MOT, is staging a student matinee Tuesday for sixth graders in the Midland Independent School District. This year's student matinee is underwritten by the Chevron Fund. Through MOT, Midland has been a regular stop for TOT since March of 1982.

"Midland is an important stop for us, and we always look forward to coming back."

BALLET

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His desire to return to school and obtain the kind of credentials he needed for teaching was partially fueled by his concern over a situation he sees in modern society.

The function of mythology in society is to help people understand their world and their relation to their world, and because there's no contemporary religious force with much punch to its mythology, it's fallen to the artist to carry the function that mythology used to perform, Taylor says.

"The artist has a responsibility, and we can either have our children and our society learning its values from images like Madonna and Rambo, or we can have a more conscious approach to more positives in the world."

He recalls what a former teacher of his, Hanya Holm, "the mother of German modern dance in America," said, "You can make a negative statement in a positive way or a positive statement in a negative way."

Taylor finds "so much of the art that we see now is a negative statement; it does not uplift the audience. It doesn't give audiences anything that they can use in a constructive way in their life...

"Theater and dance came from a sacred background originally. Slowly, over the centuries, it's been debased to mere entertainment. I'm interested in edifying in some way, in making art that's a contribution rather than just entertainment to make a buck. Hopefully, it's entertaining also."

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REVIEWS

This tale will leave you 'Moonstruck'

By MYRA LEE SALCEDO



Salcedo

From the opening strains of Dean Martin's voice singing "Amore," to the final toasting of *La Famiglia* (the family), "Moonstruck" hits your eye like a big pizza pie with moonbeams which seem to be swirling with dust motes of schmaltz. But before you can bat a hand at the ethereal rays of light, you realize that they are awash with a certain elan, an effusive essence which captivates for the sheer reason that it is more than it appears to be.

If all of this sounds like some far-fetched fantasy, take heart, for "Moonstruck" is a fairy tale for adults. It stars Cher as the downtrodden damsel in distress, Loretta Castorini, or rather, an Italian widow who meets her prince, Ronny Cammareri (Nicolas Cage), a Brooklyn baker and pauper in disguise. The problem is that Loretta doesn't meet Ronny until after she has already agreed to marry his dull brother.

The smitten Loretta, who lives with her parents and grandfather, makes the sensible decision to marry Johnny Cammereri. But while he's away in Sicily attending his dying mother, love and the moon become the catalysts of romance, heartache and comic confusion for Loretta and the other members of the Castorini family.

Loretta undergoes a transformation, thanks to a beauty salon called, unobtrusively, "Cinderella." The blossoming widow is not preparing to attend the "ball," but rather, the opera *La Boheme* at the Met, where she catches her own father stepping out, so to speak.

While Cher does a commendable job and makes her bid for Oscar, Olympia Dukakis's unflappable deadpan and warmth as Cher's earthy mother makes her a viable presence as well. John Mahoney, as a roving New York University professor, has some fun moments, being on the receiving end of tossed drinks, and a dignified rebuke from Ms. Dukakis.

Director Norman Jewison exhibits a subtleness not often seen in some of his previous films like "In the Heat of the Night" and "A Soldier's Story." Teamed with screenwriter John Patrick Shanley, who has an ear that confounds cliche, Jewison and Shanley have succeeded in creating a wryly self-mocking and unabashedly romantic film. It celebrates the unconditional love of the family and the talents of its actors.

In "The Dallas Morning News," Cher admitted that she fine-tuned her accent with the aid of her Italian boyfriend, Bob Camilletti of Queens. But Cher brings more than just the appropriate accent to her role. She is never more lovely than when kicking a can in the Brooklyn streets at dawn with an expression that shows Loretta is obviously "moonstruck" with delight, just like the audience.

"Moonstruck," rated PG, is playing at Northpark Cinemas.

'Serpent's' voodoo images easily upstaged

Tom-toms will beat but your pulse won't race as Wes Craven ("Nightmare on Elm Street," "The Hills Have Eyes") pulls out all the stops in Haiti in an attempt to bring zombies to life in "The Serpent and the Rainbow." It appears voodoo is the horror genre's latest darling. The subtext of voodoo added an atmospheric quality to the slick "Angel Heart" and an intensity to "The Believers," but in "Serpent," the dark art is upstaged by Craven's special effects.

Based on a Harvard ethnobiologist's thoughtful account of his search for exotic Haitian medicinal potions, the film is never fully convincing, and winds up with as much believablity as the face-melting finale in "Raiders of the Lost Ark."

The movie starts out intriguingly enough by explaining that the rainbow is the symbol of heaven, the serpent a symbol of earth, and man must move between both. But this bit of information is about as deep as the film gets.

"Serpent" opens in 1985, Duvalier hasn't yet fled, and Bill Pullman (Dennis Alan, best known for "Ruthless People") is sent into Amazon territory to bring back a miraculous anesthetic. Strange things are happening, thanks to a powder-based drug which turns people into zombies by making them appear dead when they are alive, a process known as (don't laugh) "zombification."

Unintended humor aside, some scenes dredge up the immortal fear of being buried alive. However, the scene of Pullman croaking "Don't bury me...I'm not dead!" during a drug-induced hallucination carries much more impact in the preview than it does when entrenched in the miasma of the film's special effects.

Nonetheless, the acting is good. Zakes Mokae is especially memorable as Alan's chief antagonist, the head of the dreaded Tonton Macoute security force, who rolls his eyes a bit too much but still exudes a certain diabolical nastiness. His sarcastic statement to Pullman about 'happy, happy, happy island people" is like viewing the darkside of a Jamaican travel commercial. Mokae evens gets the best line: "In Haiti, there are secrets we keep even from ourselves."

But alas, the actors as well as the plot are all upstaged by Craven's craving for special effects which, granted, are impressive, but pretty much obliterate any subliminal chills evoked by the idea of the living dead wandering around Haiti.

Even "Mona Lisa's" Cathy Tyson, as Pullman's love interest is wasted, in the wake of exploding skulls and torture scenes, which evoke painful memories of "Marathon Man."

"Serpent" crawls like a python, too slow-moving and obvious to get you in its grip. But a group of teenagers, (those old enough to get into the R-rated film, anyway,) thought "Serpent" had some "truly awesome" moments and recommend it for as a "rad" adventure film.

"The Serpent and the Rainbow," rated R for grisly torture, and one sex scene, is playing at North Park Cinemas.

Myra Lee Salcedo is movie critic for the Reporter-Telegram.

Lithographs displayed at Presidential Museum

ODESSA — An exhibit of 50 of John Mix Stanley's original lithographs is touring the region under the auspics of the Mid-America Arts Alliance. "In Search of a Route" is on display at the Presidential Museum through March 10.

The discovery of gold in California and the admittance of California as a state triggered a need for a transcontinental railroad. But before that railroad could be built, surveys had to be done across the country's vast prairies and mountian ranges to determine the best route.

Among the surveys ordered by Congress in 1850 was the Northern Pacific Railroad survey which stretched from St. Paul, Minn., to Puget Sound. the result of this expedition, led by Issac I. Stevens, was a detailed narrative accompanied by 70 lithographs by Stanley.

Although they were made in the name of science, Stanley's lithographs serve as pictoral documentation of the Stevens' expedition.

"While detailing the terrain of the territory, these works have a romantic sweep which appeals to all," says Anne Sherburn, director of the Museum.

For example, on Jan. 9, 1859, the Congressional Globe quotes Sen. James Harlan of Iowa as saying, "Every unusual swell of the land, every unexpected gorge in the mountains has bee displayed...in the highest style of art and in the most brilliant colors."

"In Search of a Route" was organized from the collection of Kenneth M. Shuck of Springtown, Mo.

In conjunction with "In Search of a Route," the Museum will exhibit a variety of authentic railroad memorabilia ranging from lanterns to step stools and from locks, cans and indicators to fine china used in the first class section of the Santa Fe Railroad. The collection of rare objects will also include original menus, timetables, passes and a smoking stand, all from an era when travel by train was an excursion of luxury.

The Museum is hosting a series of special events including a children's film festival which concludes with the March 5 showing of "My Side of the Mountain." Showtine is 1:30 p.m.

In addition, the Museum will host a pre-school storytime, "A Trainful of Fun," at 10:30 a.m. Feb. 25. Then, at 1:30 p.m. Feb. 27, miniature trains will be set up throughout the Museum and visitors will have a chance to make their own special trains.

All events are free and open to the public.

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

'South Pacific' staged

Midland Community Theatre's production of "South Pacific" runs through March 19 in the Davis Theatre I at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Set on two South Sea islands, this Pulitzer Prize winning musical has a double romantic theme. "South Pacific" tells the story of Nellie Forbush (Patsy Allen), a Navy nurse from Arkansas, who falls in love with Emile deBecque (Donny Wright), a French planter. the sub-plot is the romantic tale of a Marine lieutenant (Ken Golden) and the beautiful native girl, Liat (Stephanie Downward).

The rowdy, mercenary native woman, Bloody Mary, was being played by Marilyn Anders, who broke her leg in four places Tuesday. Her role is now being performed by Iris Brito. Skeet Doss is Luther Bilks Brackett.

For reservations to this Rogers and Hammerstein musical, call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111.

On exhibit during the first half of the run of "South Pacific" are recent watercolors by Charlotte Seay.

Ms. Seay has exhibited locally at the Museum of the Southwest, McCormick Gallery at Midland College, Gallery 1114 and Gallery of Midland Arts in Midland Park Mall. Her painting, "Time Stands Still," received the Best in Show in the 1987 Midland Celebration of the Arts. She has also shown in regional and national shows.

She is a member of Midland Arts Assembly and Texas Fine Arts Association and an associate of the Georgia Watercolor Society and the American Watercolor Society.

Pops series continues

"The Big Band Sound," third concert in the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale's pops series, will be presented Feb. 28 at Midland's Holiday Inn Convention Center and Feb. 27 at Odessa's Holiday Inn Centre.

The concert will feature singer Terry Hawkins. A native of Odessa, Ms. Hawkins studied at Odessa college before attending North Texas State University, where he received her undergraduate degree in 1976. While in Odessa, she studied under Mrs. Louis Kluck, Mrs. LaMarr Chapman, Jack Hendrix and Ronald Bennett.

She made her professional debut with Dallas Opera in 1976 and has performed at numerous night clubs and cabarets. Her most recent Odessa appearance was as a soloist during Odessa College's "40th Anniversary Concert."

Complimentary fruit and cheese will be available prior to each concert beginning at 7 p.m. Concertgoers may also order "box suppers," which will be prepared by the Holiday Inn, for pick-up at the door. Box suppers may be prdered by calling 563-0921.

Tickets, priced at $15 for reserved seating and $12 for general admission, are available at Texas American Bank, Midland, and MBank, Odessa. Tickets may also be ordered by calling the symphony concert line, 563-5269.

The Midland concert is sponsored by Lantern Petroleum.

Comic opera will air

Donizetti's comic opera, 'L'Elisir d'Amore," will be the 12th live broadcast from the Met this season over the Texaco-Metropolitan Opera Radio Network. It will be broadcast live from the stage of the Metropolitan at 2 p.m. Saturday Eastern Time and heard locally over radio station KWMJ, 103.3 FM.

Kathleen Battle will be heard as Adina, and in their Met broadcast debuts, Vinson Cole as Nemorino and Alberto Rinaldi as Sgt. Belcore. Giuseppe Taddei will be heard as Dr. Dulcamara.

Also making his Met broadcast debut will be conductor Ralf Weikert. The announcer for the broadcast will be Peter Allen.

"Texaco's Opera Quiz" will be the feature for the single intermission, and the panelists will be Johanna Fiedler, the Metropolitan's general press representative; author and critic Davic Hamilton; and Ilan Scott, a Canadian lecturer on opera.

Quizmaster is Edward Downes.

Spring show scheduled

The Midland Arts Association Spring Show will be held at the Museum of the Southwest March 15 through April 24. A limit of three entries may be submitted from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 5 at the Stables Gallery, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

Judge for the show is Paul Milosevich.

A reception and awards presentation will be held at the museum at 6:30 p.m. March 18.

A Brown Bag lecture will be held at the museum April 6 and 13 from noon to 1 p.m. The lectures will consist of artists' inspirations and will be given by the winners of the show.

The reception and awards presentation and the Brown Bag lectures are open to the public.

Artists interested in participating in MAA's show may pick up a prospectus at the museum. For more information call Mavis Murphy, 682-7270.

Organ concert offered

The West Texas Chapter, American Guild of Organists will present a recital at 8 p.m. Feb. 26 in the sanctuary of Midland's First United Methodist Church.

Dale Peters, associate professor or organ and harpsichord at North Texas State University, will be the guest recitalist.

Peters, a native of Fort Worth, is a graduate of North Texas State University and Columbia University. He holds the highest certificate awarded by the Guild, the Fellowship, and is the regional chairman of the organization.

The recital is free and open to the public.

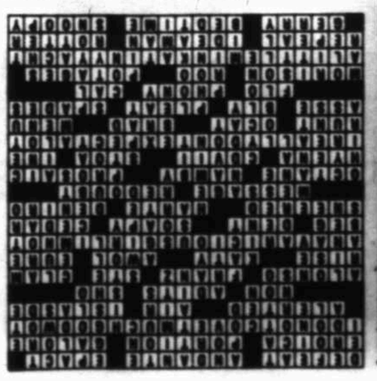
Erotic photos shown

ODESSA — Big Red's Art Groupies, in celebration of Valentine's Day, presents "Photos/eros," an exhibit of erotic photographs through Feb. 22 at 122 E. 52nd St.

Photographers whose works are in the 26-piece show include Paul Brou, Bill DePalma, Rita Dibert, Robin Germany, Steve Goff, Margaret Hicks, John LaCaze, Leighton McWilliams, Ann Noggle, Sarah Puckitt, Ken Ross, John Scruggs and Susan Touchstone.

For more information call E. Barry Phillips or Goff at 1-335-6497.

PUZZLE ANSWER



'Julius Caesar' to open area Shakespeare Festival

ODESSA — The National Shakespeare Company's production of "Julius Caesar" will open the Odessa Shakespeare Festival at the Globe Theatre Thursday. The NSC, a professional troupe from New York, is currently celebrating its 25th anniversary of touring.

"Julius Caesar" was originally presented by Shakespeare's company, with the actors in Elizabethan dress, performing on the multi-purpose performance space of the courts, inns and theaters of the day. NSC director Anthony Naylor and designers Wade Battley and Don Mangone have devised a set and costumes that are reminiscent of this performance mode. No specific time or place is denoted and this serves to emphasize the play's universal themes.

The play explores the often conflicting drives of personal honor, loyalty and public good — themes that are as pertinent today as they were in the court of Elizabeth the First. At the heart of the tragedy, Brutus, "the noblest Roman of them all," makes the bold sacrifice of his sense of personal homor and loyalty to do what he believes is best for the "common good."

In assuming a leadership role in the assassination of Caesar, who has, he believes, grown too lod, proud and ambitious to be a good leader, he loses all that he holds most dear and, ultimately, his life. Brutus' tragedy is that, while assuming full responsibility for the act against the man whom he so loved and whose trust he so valued, he can never, except with his suicide, put to rest his guilt at having broken that trust — "Caesar, now be still; I killed not thee with half so good a will."

Explaining his directorial concept, Naylor, who is English, and who worked as an actor with the Royal Shakespeare Company for four years before coming to the United States, says, "The enduring strength of 'Julius Caesar' is its clarity, directness and simplicity. The action is forceful and uncluttered, and this the production will approach physically in its 'athletic' approach to settings, costuming and staging."

The company will present six performances of "Julius Caesar" at the Globe Thursday through Feb. 20. Admission is $9 for adults and $6.50 for students and senior citizens.

In addition to "Julius Caesar," the 1988 Odessa Shakespeare Festival will feature productions of Meridith Willson's "The Music Man," co-produced by the Globe and Odessa College Theatre Feb. 25-27 and March 4-6, and Shakespeare's "The Two Gentlemen of Verona," performed by the Texas Christian University Theatre March 10-12.

Tickets for "The Music Man" and "The Two Gentlemen of Verona" are $8 for adults and $6.75 for students and senior citizens. Special group rates are available for all productions. For reservations and additional information, call the Globe, 1-332-1586.

San Angelo group staging mystery play

SAN ANGELO — Angelo Civic Theatre is staging Milam Stitt's "The Runner Stumbles" at 8 p.m. Thursday through Sunday.

The play revolves around an actual turn of the century murder case in Michigan. Father Rivard (Gordon Brenner) is accused of the murder of Sister Rita (Teri Hatch), and the audience will go back and forth in time with him as he lives the trial and relives the events leading up to the nun's tragic death. A surprise ending proves again that truth is stranger than fiction.

Box office hours are noon to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more informaiton call 1-949-4400.

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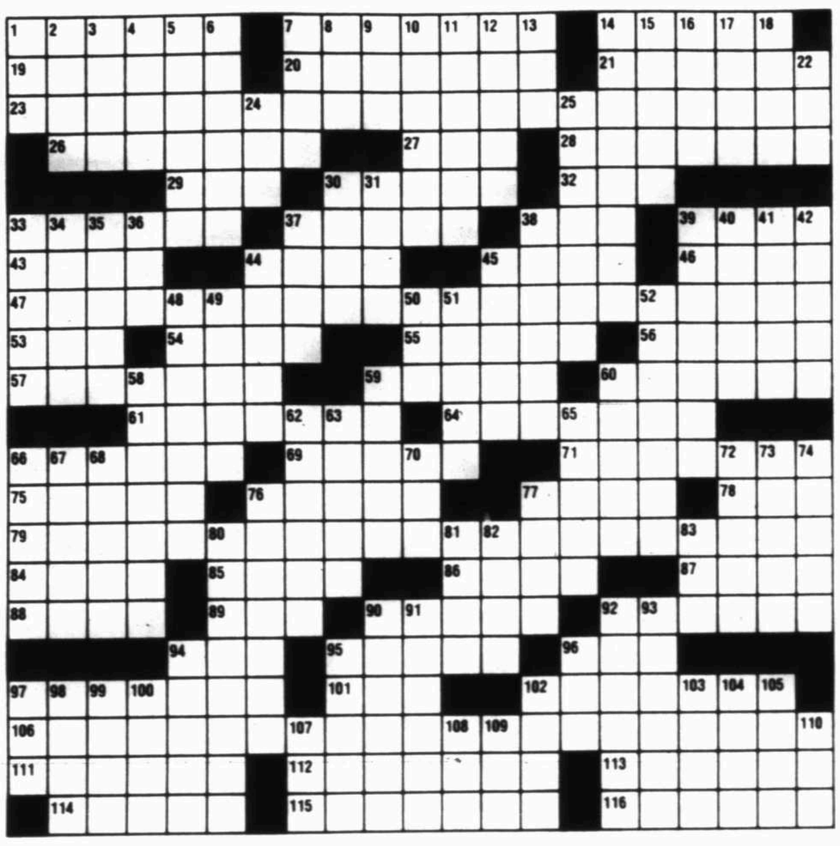
By Frances Hanson

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YOUR HOROSCOPE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Look to your own ideas instead of relying on your associates and success will come more quickly. Good luck and hard work will help you move up. Travel will have a positive influence on business and romance. Good health depends on your willingness to practice moderation.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): This can be a banner day, but only if you stay on your toes. Do not sit idly by as a competitor sprints ahead. Concentrate on your own priorities! Reserve evening for fun.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Authority figure recognizes your potential. Move swiftly to consolidate financial gains. A relationship emerges from problem-filled period stronger than ever. Don't rock the boat.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Buying things on impulse is a big mistake. Go slow. What seems like a reasonable offer to someone else may not be at all reasonable for you. Winter sports capture your attention.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your spirit wins you new support and respect. Someone special comes back into your life. Second thoughts about a relationship could lead to positive changes for both of you. Know your own heart.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Keeping a low profile will work to your benefit today. Handle money with even more care than usual. Travel can wait. Clear up personal and professional loose ends first. Follow up a call.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Something you thought lost resurfaces. Partner or mate is unusually intuitive. Trust this person's hunch about a relationship. Dealings with authorities bring splendid results. You cut though red tape.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): An elusive individual captures your interest. Concentrate on straightening out a work or domestic tangle. Someone you have taken for granted helps out in a family emergency. Show your appreciation.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Good luck comes your way where career or finances are concerned. A younger person brings high-tech skills to the company, helping you improve the bottom line. Seek out someone who shares your interests.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your work associates may be more emotional than usual now. Go slow. A friend could be a source of inspiration. Say so! Do not force your company on others at social events.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Your keen sense of humor helps you get through a difficult situation. A younger person tries your patience and loyalty. Avoid getting entangled in a friend's dilemma lest your own reputation be damaged.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your anxieties will grow if you do not admit them. Talk with an authority figure who has answers. Try not to feel defensive if loved one seems to shut you out. Be patient.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A dream could prove prophetic. Sign contracts after consulting lawyers about the fine print. A letter or telephone call brings news of a financial windfall. Save for a rainy day.

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BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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♡ A K 3
◇ 7 4
♣ 6 5 3 2

WEST
♠ 7 5 2
♡ J 10 9 4
◇ K J 9 6
♣ 10 8

EAST
♠ A J 6 4 3
♡ 8 7 5
◇ 2
♣ J 9 7 4

SOUTH
♠ Q
♡ Q 6 2
◇ A Q 10 8 5 3
♣ A K Q

The bidding:

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3 ◇	Pass	3 ♡	Pass
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Opening lead: Jack of ♡

You are doing well in a duplicate pair competition. How would you play this hand, reported by Mike Oechsler of Cincinnati, at three no trump after a heart opening lead?

The bidding has been uneventful. For his rebid North chose to show his strong fragment, and your final contract should be reached at almost every table. The lead looks perfectly nomal, so how do you proceed?

You have seven fast tricks, and your chances of setting up at least three more in diamonds are excellent. You will always establish the suit if it splits 3-2, a 68 percent shot. Even if the suit breaks 4-1 offside, you will succeed if East's singleton is the king, jack or nine or if East holds the diamond length, a further 23 percent. You are a heavy favorite to collect a minimum of one overtrick.

Therefore, it is right to win the first heart in dummy and take the diamond finesse. When this loses, you take the second heart on the table, intending to repeat the diamond finesse. As the cards lie, you can't recover and will go down one. An unfortunate result, but one that you can expect will be duplicated across the field.

Naturally, your rubber bridge friends laugh at you. They will be quick to point out that you went down in a contract that was frigid. They would win the first trick in hand, lead the queen of spades and overtake with the king. Regardless of what the defenders do, there are enough entries in dummy to drive out the spade stoppers and score two tricks in the suit. You are guaranteed nine tricks via two spades, three hearts, one diamond and three clubs.

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Midlanders attend Texas Arts Council conference

Jean Posey, director of Midland Arts Assembly, and Michael T. Owens, assembly board member, Texas arts council board member and chairman of regions, were in Austin recently to attend a two-day Advisory Conference held by the Texas Arts Council.

Some 35 arts council directors and regional chairpersons from across the state were in attendance.

Among topics discussed were plans for the Texas Arts Council's 1989 annual conference, revisions to the state arts plan and plans and topics for the summer regional meeting series.

In conjunction with the conference, Jon Guthrie of the Guthrie Institute, conducted a grants writing workshop, and the Texas Commission on the Arts held its public hearings for local arts agencies.

The TAC is a nonprofit, tax exempt service organization for community arts agencies throughout the state, whose purpose is to educatem promote, develop and support community arts programs in the state. Membership includes arts councils in over 100 Texas communities, as well as interested individuals and businesses.

Needlepoint works shown

A needlepoint exhibit, "Hmong Artistry: Preserving a Culture on Cloth," is on display at the Museum of the Southwest, 705 W. Missouri Ave., through Feb. 21.

Two thousand years ago, the highlands of southern China was home for the Hmong. To escape Chinese oppression and famine, many Hmong migrated toward southeast Asia at the end of the 18th century, establishing communities in the mountains of Thailand, Laos and Burma.

In the 1960s, the Laotian Hmong became involved with the CIA special army in Laos and fought against the Pathet Lao. When the communist took over in 1975, Laotian Hmong fled to Thailand. Today, settlements of Hmong live in the United States, Canada, France and other countries in the Western world.

The women tell the story of their culture through their pangdau (also spelled pa'ndau) or needlework.

"The work in this exhibition comes from the Kansas City Hmong Project Refugee Center," says Enid Davis, administrative assistant at the museum.

"Hmong Artistry: Preserving a Culture on Cloth" is made possible through the Mid-America Arts Alliance, the Texas Commission on the Arts and the National Endowment for the Arts.

"The refugees' work reflects not only the spirit but the determination for survival of an uprooted people."

Museum hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information call 683-2882.

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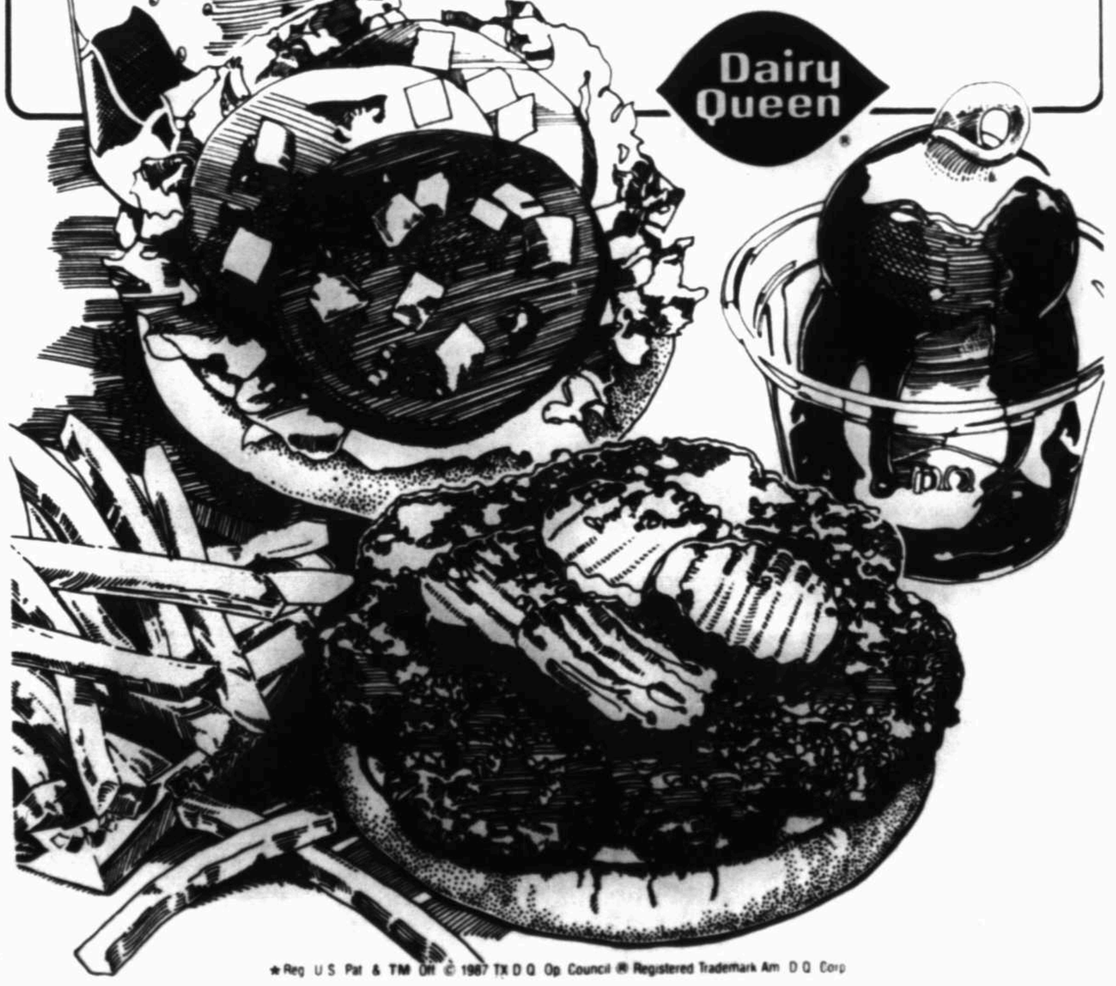
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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: "Tim High: Prints, Drawings and Sculpture," through Feb. 15, And: "Contemporary Texas Artists: Modern to Red-Neck Realism," through Feb. 14, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa, FREE.

Museum of the Southwest: EXHIBITIONS: "Hmong Artistry: Preserving a Culture on Cloth," hand-sewn work of a refugee Asian people, through Feb. 22, And: "Bodies & Faces," photographs of dancers by Gilles Larrain, through Feb. 28, And: "Romanesque Murals," photographic studies, through March 13, open Tuesday - Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., and Sunday 2-5 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

UT Permian Basin Third Floor Gallery: EXHIBITION: "An Exhibition from the Kron/Reck Contemporary Fine Art Gallery," continuing through Feb. 25, Third Floor, main building, Odessa, FREE.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15

McCormick Gallery/Midland College: EXHIBITION: "University of Texas at San Antonio Faculty and Graduate Student Show," through Feb. 19, Allison Fine Arts Building, FREE, And: EDUCATION: Lecture by University of New Mexico professor Basia Irland, 1 and 7 p.m., on her own sculpture, Allison Fine Arts Building, FREE.

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: EXHIBITION: "Paintings from the Permanent Collection," through Feb. 29, open Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m., for information call 682-5785, FREE.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Midland Opera Theater: OPERA: "Amadeus Conducts Mozart," presented by Texas Opera Theater, 8 p.m., Midland High School Auditorium, call 684-4101, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Midland Palette Club: EDUCATION: Watercolor Demonstration, 9:30 a.m., 907 W. Wadley Ave., FREE.

Museum of the Southwest: EDUCATION: Video "The West of the Imagination IV — The Wild Riders," short discussion following, noon, 2 and 4 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

Plastic Modelers Unlimited of Midland: EDUCATION: Meeting, 7 p.m., Daily News and Tobacco, 1028-D Andrews Highway, FREE.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: "Odessa Art Association Third Annual Juried Art Exhibit," through March 20, 4909 E. University, Odessa, call 1-368-7222, FREE.

Midland Palette Club: EDUCATION: Watercolor Workshop by Jim Powell of Richardson," through Feb. 19, hours are Feb. 14-18, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Feb. 19, 9 a.m.-noon, call Lula Belle Klingler, 684-8898, TUITION.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Faceters Guild: EDUCATION: Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Blakemore Planetarium, call 694-6352, FREE.

Midland Arts Association: EDUCATION: Program titled "Toward a Greater Understanding of Photography," 7 p.m., McCormick Gallery, Midland College, call 688-5495, FREE.

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "South Pacific," through March 19, 8 p.m., Theatre Midland, for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Ballet Midland: DANCE: "Winter Season Performance," 8 p.m., Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College, call 686-0731, ADMISSION CHARGED.

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Information on Midland cultural groups listed in this column is provided by Midland Arts Assembly.

To be included in the Midland Marquee, call Midland Arts Assembly, 687-1149. For further information about local events call the Midland Marquee Information Line, 682-ARTS.

See directory below for addresses and contacts for events listed in the Midland Marquee.

DIRECTORY LISTINGS

American Guild of Organists: contact Edith Hardy, 697-6745.
Ballet Mujeres: contact Sylvia Quinones, 682-7042.
Ballet Midland: performances held at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College Campus, and Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave.; call Ballet Midland, 686-0731.
Calligraphy Guild: Palette Club, contact Mrs. Neil Richmond, 683-5003.
The Discovery Chamber Music Players: contact Robert or Barbara Adamcik, 699-0242.
Doll Club of the Permian Basin: contact Pat Howlett, 694-1849.
Faceter's Guild: contact Clifford Chapman, 694-6352.
High Sky Squares, Square Dance Club: contact Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fulton, 694-0751.
In Focus, A Photographic Society: Advanced, Amateur and Professional photographers, contact Michael Banschbach, 686-7960.
Marian Blakemore Planetarium: Haley Park, corner of Indiana Avenue and K Street, contact John Hicks, 683-6441.
McCormick Gallery/Allison Fine Arts Building: Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield St. Information on art exhibits contact art department or John Harmon, 685-4652, or the Art Department, 685-4640.
Midland Archaeological Society: Marian Blakemore Planetarium, contact Teddy Lou Stickney, 682-9384.
Midland Arts Association: contact contact Dan Haller, 683-2295.
Midland Camera Club: Marian Blakemore Planetarium, contact Steve Ross, 687-8248 or 687-4570.
Midland College Chaparral Center: located on MC campus, call Mike Stevens, 685-4584, for details of scheduled events.
Midland Community Concerts Association: concerts held at Midland High School auditorium, 906 W. Illinois Ave., contact Donald Eckerty, 687-3551.
Midland Community Theatre: Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., box office, 682-4111.
Midland County Historical Society and Museum: 213 N. Weatherford St., Brown-Dorsey House seen by appointment, contact Nancy McKinley, 682-2931, Museum located in the basement of Midland County Library.
Midland County Library and Historical Museum: 301 W. Missouri Ave., 683-2708.
Midland Fiber Guild: contact Cheryl Sullivan, 694-3959.
Midland Gem and Mineral Society: Marian Blakemore Planetarium, contact Harold Ervin, 697-2369.
Midland Independent School District: call 682-8611 for information.
Midland Jazz Association: contact Bobby Crues, 694-2136.
Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale, Inc.: performances held at Lee High School auditorium unless otherwise stated in Marquee, 3500 Neely St., for season tickets, single admission tickets or information call the symphony office, Terminal, 563-5269.
Midland Opera Theater: contact Nancy Anguish, 684-4101.
Midland Palette Club Art Center, Inc.: 907 W. Wadley Ave., 694-1261, or contact Lula Belle Klingler, 684-8898.
Midland Quilters Guild: meets at 3500 Golf Course Road, contact Barbara Kissling, 689-7585.
Midland Woman's Club: Hogan Park, P.O. Box 4974, Midland, 79701, contact Madge Wallis, 682-3907.
Midland Writers Club: contact Mary J. Goodwin, 682-3184.
Museum of the Southwest: 1705 W. Missouri Ave., 683-2882.
Musicians Club: contact Mrs. Harold Heckathorne, 682-8953.
Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: 1805 Indiana Ave., contact Robin McWilliams, 682-5785.
Paint Daubers Arts & Crafts Guild: contact Trudy Bateman, 694-2106.
Permian Basin Chapter SPEBSQSA, Inc.: barber shop singing group, contact David Frye, 687-4283.
Permian Basin Petroleum Museum and Library Hall of Fame: 1500 I-20 West, 683-4403.
Permian Basin Square & Round Dance Association: contact Gary Nokes, 687-0991.
Plastic Modelers, Unlimited of Midland: Timber Floyd, coordinator, P.O. Box 1852, Midland, 79702.
Texas Nightwriters: P.O. Box 4035, Midland, 79704, contact Shirley Ails, 685-7094.
Tumbleweed Chapter of Smocking Arts Guild of America: contact Liani Mraz, 682-5193.
UTPB Third Floor Gallery: 4901 E. University Blvd., Odessa, contact UTPB Art Department, Pam Price, 563-2400, ext. 2133.
West Texas Astronomers Club: Marian Blakemore Planetarium.
West Texas Youth Orchestra: contact Karen Walker, 683-4756 or 683-9815.
Yucca Theatre: 208 N. Colorado Ave., contact Midland Community Theatre, 682-4111.

Arts series designed for children

The Children's Performing Arts Series brings magic, poetry and puppets to Midland this spring.

A benefit for Casa de Amigos, the CPAS includes Danny Orleans performing "Magic Over the Rainbow" on March 27, Naomi Nye with "Folklore, Poetry and Songs" April 17 and Pix Smith and the Dallas Puppet Theater with "The Patchwork Girl of Oz" May 8. All performances will be held at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

The CPAS was initiated in San Antonio by the Judson Montessori School in 1982. Now, in its fifth season, over 1,200 children attended the San Antonio performances last year. Dallas and Denton joined last year and Midland is the latest addition to the series.

According to Lael Cordes-Pitts, executive director of Casa de Amigos, participation in the CPAS is the continuation of her organization's program goals.

"At Casa de Amigos we have been actively working in the areas of cultural enrichment for disadvantaged youth. We feel this is an opportunity to continue our goals and raise funds to support Casa programs while giving something back to the community," Ms. Cordes-Pitts says.

"We have been working with low income and minority youth on role modeling, careers, exposure to different environments. The performing series will be a learning experience for the young people involved in Casa's programs and exciting entertainment for all Midland's children."

The CPAS is off to a good start with a $5,000 grant from ARCO presented to board member Lynn Whitt.

"Magic Over the Rainbow" is a full-stage illusion show starring Orleans. The musical and magical presentation includes comedy, on-stage audience participation and a story line about the importance of friendship.

Poet and folk singer Naomi Nye will perform original songs and poems. She has been the most requested return performer since her first performance for the CPAS in 1983 in San Antonio. Ms. Nye is the author of "Different Ways to Pray" and "Hugging the Jukebox," which won the National Poetry Series Competition in 1982.

The Dallas Puppet Theatre will perform "The Patchwork Girl of Oz," the story of a lively patchwork girl named Scraps and a little Munchkin boy traveling through a magic land. Smith, founder of the Dallas Theater, based this show on one of L. Frank Baum's most famous Oz stories.

Patron tickets are priced at $25 for the series and $10 for a single show. General admission tickets are $18 for the series or $7.50 for a single show. A 20 percent discount is being offered for groups of 25 or more. Two performances will be held on show dates. Each show will be followed by an autograph party and refreshments.

For more information call Casa, 682-9701.

Texas artists' show to close

ODESSA — The exhibit titled "Contemporary Texas Artists: Modern to Red-Neck Realism," which features the works of Texas artists Luis Jimenez, Melissa Miller, Terry Allen, Sara Waters Watkin, Ed Blackburn and Jack Mims, closes today at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin, 4909 E. University, Odessa.

Also closing today is an exhibition of prints, drawing and sculptures by artist Tim High closes Monday.

Under his unique way of looking at things, High creates works of special interest to children by stimulating their imagination.

Viewing hours today are 2 to 5 p.m. No admission is charged to view the exhibits.

For more information call Letha Hooper, 1-368-7222.

Palette club hosts demonstration

The Midland Palette Club Art Center Inc. will have a demonstration in watercolor by Jim Powell of Richardson at 9:30 p.m. Tuesday at 907 Wadley Ave.

He will teach a three-day workshop in watercolor beginning at 1 p.m. Tuesday. For more information call 684-8898.

Glenn Miller Orchestra to present concert

The Glenn Miller Orchestra performs at the Holiday Inn Convention Center at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

After launching his second band in March of 1938, Glenn Miller became one of the most successful of the dance bandleaders in the Swing era of the 1930s and '40s.

Miller disbanded his musical organization in 1942, volunteered for the U.S. Army and then organized and led the Glenn Miller Army Air Force Band. This band went to Europe to entertain servicemen.

On Dec. 15, 1944, Major Miller took off in single-engine plane from England to precede his band to France, never to be seen again. The Army declared him officially dead a year later.

Because of popular demand, the Miller Estate authorized the formation of the present Glenn Miller Orchestra in 1956 under the direction of drummer Ray McKinley, who had become the unofficial leader of the Army Air Force Band after Miller's disappearance. Since then, other leaders have followed McKinley, including clarinetists Buddy DeFranco and Peanuts Hucko, trombonists Buddy Morrow, Jimmy Henderson and Larry O'Brien and tenor saxophonist Dick Gerhart.

The 19-member band continues to play many of the original Miller arrangements.

Advance tickets, priced at $12.50, may be purchased at the Midland and Odessa locations of Harold's Electronics. Tickets at the door cost $15. For more information call KNFM-Radio.

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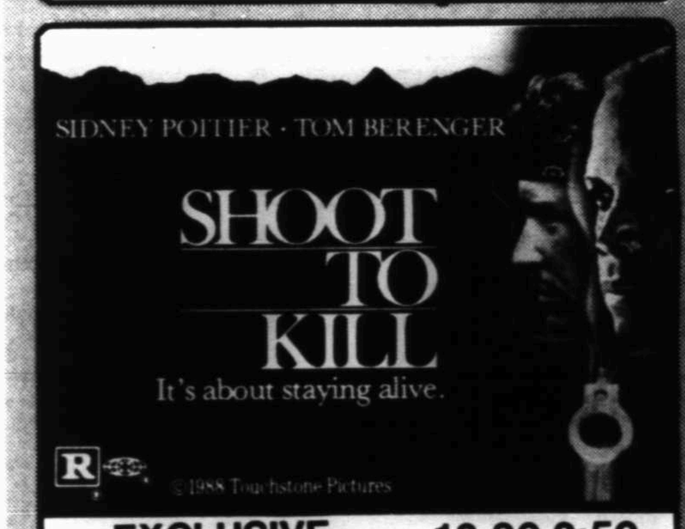
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Cruise ship has something for everyone

By GINA LUBRANO
Copley News Service

We should take Mama on a cruise. That was my sister's idea.

"Wait a minute," I said. "I thought you and I were going to Hong Kong. And besides, Mama won't want to go on a cruise."

Was I ever wrong.

Not only did Mama go on a cruise with us, but she had the time of her life. And she never once left the ship during the 10-day trip to the Caribbean.

Mama is 77 and walks with a cane. An old back injury makes walking and rapid movement difficult, but a cruise proved to be just her speed. Not only was she pampered by the crew, we all were.

There were nearly 1,100 passengers on Sitmar's Fairwind when the ship sailed out of Fort Everglades, Fla., this August. The passenger list included more than 200 children. Their parents saw them rarely except at mealtime, and the kids lived it up in style.

In all, passengers on our cruise were a mix of young and old, mostly families, but with a smattering of honeymooners and singles. Summer cruising is more of a family affair than in other seasons.

Among the elderly were a blind man and several others who walked with a cane. As we were preparing to embark, we noticed that Mama was not the only passenger using a wheelchair to go up the gangway.

We often ran into those people when we took Mama on the elevators, situated bow and aft, to reach different decks. From their comments, it appeared they were having a good time, too.

As our days at sea passed, it became obvious that cruising, once you get the hang of it, really does have something for everyone.

Sitmar has a Youth Activities Center, staffed by eight counselors during school vacations and four during the remainder of the year. There's a bright playroom for younger children that is stocked with coloring books, storybooks and games. There are arts and crafts, scavenger hunts, story times, games, races and videos.

For teens, there's a teen center with a jukebox and a dance floor with space for ice cream sundae parties. Teen activities include games, sports and tours, pingpong and shuffleboard tournaments, as well as exercise classes.

Adult passengers can be as active or as sedentary as they wish. Sitmar — like many cruise lines — has first-run movies, a casino for gambling, shops for bargains at duty-free prices, stage shows, swimming and sunbathing, exercise classes, a gym, progressive bingo, bridge, a library, a disco, a beauty shop and even a masseuse. You never have to slow up unless you want to.

Reveling in cruise luxury, Mama forgot her aches and pains. Her most challenging task was pulling the handle on the slot machines. That, plus exciting bingo games, chatting and people-watching, kept her time fully occupied.

When we were in port — and we stopped at Nassau, Saint Thomas, Saint Croix, Jamaica, Grand Cayman and Cozumel — Mama watched people who, like her, shunned land for the good life in the air-conditioned cocoon that was our ship. She preferred to talk in her native Italian with waiters and crew members, and in English with fellow passengers who passed through the lounge that she made her people-watching headquarters.

Carefree in the knowledge that Mama was happy and amused, we snorkled, swam in the blue, blue Caribbean waters, shopped at duty-free shops, climbed over ruins and admired the natural beauty of the islands. Some passengers rented vehicles and made their own adventures, while others went on guided tours.

My sister, Angie, a friend, Pat, and I took turns staying with Mama. One afternoon, when Angie and Pat were exploring Saint Croix, I couldn't talk Mama into going to a movie. She didn't want to negotiate the companionway steps down to the theater — the elevator stopped one deck above.

I bought a deck of cards, and Michele, our waiter in the Caribbean Lounge, gave us a bowl of pretzels to use as chips. We played a unique version of fish that Mama had learned from my 7-year-old niece. I lost.

(The same Mama who wouldn't risk the stairs to the theater for a movie did not hesitate when it was time to go to mass. What could I say? She has her mind on bigger rewards.)

A highlight for all passengers, as well as Mama, was the food — from the luxury of a cabin breakfast served on trays with white linens to five-course gourmet meals that every night included two kinds of pasta.

Oh, mama mia.

In the morning, it was a delight to have Salvatore, our steward, tap lightly on our door and sweep in with a tray of coffee, fruit and croissants. We could sleep as late as 9:30 and still be fed in total comfort.

We booked two cabins for our party. Theoretically, we four all could have been in one, with two of us sleeping in the top bunks. But we opted for comfort — two bathrooms and twice the closet space.

We still saved money, however, hundreds of dollars each, by doing without a porthole. I had a porthole on my first cruise, and this time did not even notice the difference.

In addition to going to the dining room for breakfast, passengers could breakfast poolside in the open air, beginning at 6:30 with hot coffee.

After breakfast, there was a lull until 11 a.m. when bouillon and miniature sandwiches were served on deck. At noon, the pizza parlor, a Sitmar special, opened. Mario, one of the waiters, often was waiting to take Mama's arm and walk with her as we made our way from our morning bloody Marys in the bar.

If we didn't feel like pizza — the authentic thin-crust original pizza a la Margharita, with tomato and cheese that originated in Naples — there always was the fine buffet on deck or lunch in the dining room.

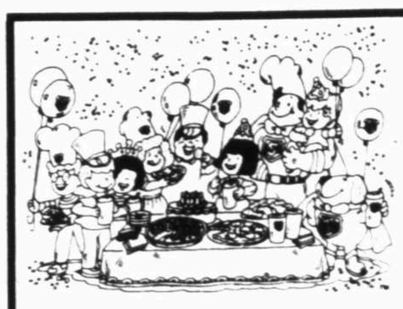
If we had timed it right, and had the stamina, we could have eaten three breakfasts, a snack, pizza, two lunches, afternoon tea at 4, dinner, more pizza, a midnight buffet and a snack for night owls on deck at 1:30 a.m. And if hunger persisted, you could always have a bowl of fresh fruit delivered to your cabin. You could have done all that, but we didn't enter the eating marathon.

We took all our meals on board. They were paid for, we figured, and besides, when we were in port there was little time to track down restaurants that may or not have been as good as the ship's food.

There were two seatings for dinner. We chose the late seating so we could eat in leisure. Francisco Baeta, our Portuguese waiter, and Vicenzo Monacco, his Italian assistant, took good care of Mama. Each night, the pillow was waiting in her chair so she could sit more comfortably.

Francisco and Vicenzo were just as attentive to the other tables of eight they served. At the next table was a toddler who stole the show night after night.

We would finish dinner in time to catch a late show, but we found we preferred walking on the deck instead. We skipped a tour of the galley — all having done that on previous cruises — but went to midnight buffets. We attended with our cameras, not our appetites.



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