Hospital shoots for early '94
Expansion, renovation to be ready for inspection in December, board members say
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City's jobless rate drops
Midland's employment picture shows some modest improvement during the month of October
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NEWS WATCH

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President Clinton and South Korean President Kim Young Sam walk outside the White House on Tuesday.

U.S. on Koreas

The United States is ready for a broad new relationship with North Korea if the communist nation reopens talks with the South and allows outside inspections of its suspect nuclear program, President Clinton said Tuesday./8A

Weather watch

Today's high is to be near 70, but conditions are to turn cold for Thanksgiving Day. Tonight's low is to dip to the mid-20s. The National Weather Service forecasts the high on turkey day to be in the lower 30s.

More weather/4A

Aide on baby swap

TAMPA, Fla. — A doctor gave the order to switch Kimberly Mays with another baby at a hospital nearly 15 years ago, a former nurse's aide claimed Tuesday. Her account couldn't be independently verified. Patsy Webb, 60, said she worked at Hardee Memorial Hospital in Wauchula in December 1978 when Regina Twigg and Barbara Mays gave birth to baby girls within days of each other. "She was asked by one of the treating physicians to switch the Twiggs and Mays babies but she refused," Ms. Webb said in a statement issued by her attorneys in Bartow. "Upon arrival at work the next day she immediately saw the infants had been switched. She was informed that if she said anything about the babies being switched, she would be immediately terminated from her employment at the hospital."

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American Airlines flight attendant Cindy Bennett gives a thumbs-up as she and colleague Debra Schnegg report for their flight to Dallas at Los Angeles International Airport on Tuesday.

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American flights return to sky

United slowdown threatens possible new snarls

Associated Press

American Airlines' flight attendants returned to work and the airline tried to resume normal service Tuesday, a day before the busiest travel day of the year.

Passengers still faced possible snarls and missed connections due to disgruntled workers at another major airline, United. Its machinists were orchestrating strict safety checks that amounted to a slowdown.

United reported no appreciable flight delays from the action Tuesday.

American Airlines expected to return to full operations on Thanksgiving Day.

The strike by the Association of Professional Flight Attendants ended in its fourth day Monday after President Clinton pushed the two

Please see **FLIGHTS**/4A

Rulings strip FCC's TV ban on indecency

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Government regulations banning indecent programming on broadcast and cable TV channels were declared unconstitutional Tuesday in separate federal appeals court rulings.

The court set aside an Federal Communications Commission regulation that bans indecent TV and radio broadcasts between 6 a.m. and midnight, holding that the rule was an unconstitutionally broad encroachment on free speech.

In another ruling, the same three-judge panel struck down FCC regulations that allowed cable operators to ban what they deemed indecent programming from leased-access channels. Such a regulation amounted to letting the cable operator stand in place of the government as a censor, the court held.

The FCC defines broadcast indecency as language or material that "depicts or describes in terms patently offensive as measured by contemporary community standards for the broadcast medium, sexual or excretory activities or organs."

The panel also struck down a related regulation barring material that is obscene, sexually explicit or promotes unlawful conduct on cable channels set aside for public, educational or government use.

Decision is latest in series aimed at defining how government may balance desire of many people to quarantine offensive material while preserving constitutional free speech.

The cable and broadcast regulations were issued by the FCC under separate pieces of legislation passed last year by Congress.

There was no immediate comment from the FCC.

The decision on the broadcast programs is the third time since 1988 that the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit has struck down attempts by Congress and the FCC to ban indecent programming on TV and radio.

The various bans were imposed by the FCC at the behest of Congress to prevent children from viewing indecent programs.

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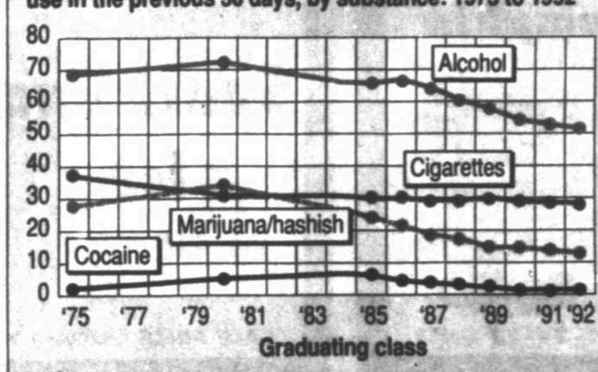
The state of America's youth

Trends in the well-being of American youth, according to an Education Department statistical survey:



* Data in first ten years of chart at 5-year intervals.
Source: University of Michigan, Institute for Social Research.

Source: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Educational Statistics

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AP/Brian Sipple

Ill will mars productive year; session closes on sour note

By Adam Clymer
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The 103rd Congress more or less ended a productive first session Tuesday, but on a note of ill will that made it clear that the legislative paralysis of recent years had been diminished but not vanquished.

Many bills that President George Bush had vetoed became law with the signature and back-

■ Assessment

ing of President Clinton. But party divisions were raw and obvious during the budget battle in the summer and clear again Tuesday as minor differences held up a popular gun control measure. Democrats sought to trap the Republicans into block-

Please see **MARS**/4A

Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole of Kansas discusses the recent Congressional session.

Insurance snafu cancels 13th Shrine Club Christmas parade

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Scrooge would be happy about the turnout of the 13th scheduled Midland Shrine Club's Christmas parade. There won't be one.

The parade, which had been set to stream down Andrews Highway on Dec. 4, was canceled because of lack of liability insurance, said Don Kennedy, president of the Midland Shrine Club.

After applying for a parade permit on Thursday, the Shrine Club was advised by the city that $1 million in liability coverage was needed, Kennedy said.

"They've never asked for our certificate of insurance. They've always waived it before," Kennedy said. "They never had any problem with that in the past."

First assistant City Attorney Kevin Laughlin said the Shrine

Please see **SNAFU**/4A

Michael Durant takes a walk with his wife Lorrie and their son, Joey, 1, outside their Clarksville, Tenn., home.

AP Laserphoto

Giving thanks: Some grateful for things almost lost

Associated Press

In a nation that usually celebrates its bounty, some Americans are grateful this Thanksgiving for the things they almost lost.

Michael Durant and Robert P. Casey almost lost their lives. Keith Meinhold almost lost his career; Antoine Miller and John Demjanjuk almost their freedom. Linda Leigh gave up many of the Earth's delights, and then regained them.

Together, they may represent the Thanksgiving of tough times, a throwback to the holiday's origins. These are not the well-fed Americans of plenty; these people share a closer kinship with the Pilgrims, who gave their most fervent thanks on that first Thanksgiving for having survived at all.

But long before the Mayflower, the Roman philosopher Seneca knew the mark of hardship: "The good things which belong to prosperity are to be wished," he said, "but the

Please see **THANKS**/4A

Jurors' verdict clears officer, city in widow's wrongful-death lawsuit

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

The city of Midland and police officer Phil Partin were wholly exonerated on charges of violating the constitutional rights of Midlander Francisco Madrid in an Oct. 21, 1992, shooting incident.

As Judge Lucius Bunton presided in the U.S. District Court, the three-man, three-woman, all-white jury deliberated less than two hours Tuesday before returning the verdict.

Partin's usually stoic countenance broke into a smile as he was congratulated by family, friends and fellow police officers.

Mrs. Madrid and her children sat quietly as Bunton further explained the jury's verdict.

The jury found Partin did not use excessive force when he shot the pocketknife-wielding Madrid three times at a range of 10 to 15 feet.

The jury also found that the city of Midland was not at fault, had not failed to train officers properly and their policy did not condone the use of excessive force.

In their verdict, the jury found neither defendant owed any part of the $1.8 million lawsuit to Madrid's widow, Gloria, and their six children. No punitive damages were assessed against Partin.

In Tuesday's testimony, attorney for the plaintiff Curtis B. Stuckey of Nacogdoches attempted to prove the city's training of its officers led to the use of unnecessary force and that Partin violated Madrid's Fourth and 14th Amendment rights under the Constitution.

Midland Police Chief Richard Czech defended Partin, saying the officer "acted within department guidelines" in the shooting. Partin shot the advancing Madrid with three closely spaced shots, according to testimony.

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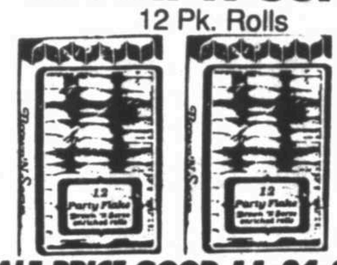

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German AIDS controversy takes turn

BONN, Germany (AP) — The German health minister, battling accusations that he sowed panic without cause over the risk from AIDS-tainted blood, won a promise from doctors Tuesday to stop accusing him of running an "HIV spectacle."

German medical associations say less than a one-in-a-million chance exists of infection through a blood transfusion from the virus causing AIDS despite revelations that some German companies sold inadequately tested blood products.

Health Minister Horst Seehofer has said Germans who had major surgery over the past decade should get tests for HIV. Doctors say the measure is not needed and likely to lead some Germans who need blood transfusions to forgo them.

Karsten Vilmar, president of the Chamber of Doctors, accused Seehofer on Sunday of sowing panic about AIDS to burnish his political profile.

Seehofer met with Vilmar and other medical leaders in Munich Tuesday. They released a joint statement saying a need exists for further action to secure Germany's blood supplies, and "the term HIV spectacle won't be used anymore."

Seehofer suggested as an alternative Monday night that patients take AIDS tests whenever they get other blood tests at hospitals or doctors' offices. Germany already routinely tests pregnant women for AIDS.

Germany's tainted blood scandal broke last month when Seehofer announced that health officials had covered up 373 causes of HIV infection through blood transfusions over the past decade.

The scandal spread with the report that a blood plasma firm, UB-Plasma, failed to submit its products to adequate HIV testing.

An examination of 25,018 blood donations taken by UB-Plasma turned up two cases of HIV-positive blood, said Koblenz prosecutor Norbert Weise, who is pursuing charges against four company officials.

Other prosecutors meanwhile reported Tuesday that federal health officials are under suspicion of taking bribes from a Japanese pharmaceutical company that wanted permission to sell a medicine with reported harmful side effects.

Investigators raided the Federal Health Office headquarters in Berlin and the Japanese firm's office in Frankfurt, according to Hildegard Becker-Toussaint, spokeswoman for the Frankfurt prosecutor.

Bild newspaper said the officials allegedly took bribes in exchange for allowing sale of the stomach medicine. Details, such as the names of the firm and drug, weren't immediately available.

Health office spokesman Klaus Henning denied bribes were involved .

OPEC members voice support for price cut

VIENNA (NYT) — A handful of OPEC members voiced support Tuesday for a campaign to cut production in an effort to boost depressed oil prices.

But Kuwait's oil minister continued to express doubts about such a plan, while Saudi Arabia — OPEC's largest producer — remained a silent giant.

As the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' winter meeting got under way in earnest Tuesday, several ministers, outgoing OPEC President Jean Ping and even the OPEC Secretariat itself fell behind the notion of taking some action to bolster prices.

"I'm ready to do whatever (we) should do to protect the price," said Qatari Minister and new OPEC President Abdullah bin Hamad Al-Attiyah. Libya's Abdalla Salem El-Badri said his country would do anything to bring up sagging prices, while United Arab Emirates Minister Yousef Omeir Bin Yousef said his country would be willing to cut.

Ping, oil minister of Gabon and until Tuesday president of the organization, told the countries Tuesday: "We must be prepared to take whatever action is necessary. There must be something we can do in the short term to steady the market. ... We have done well. We could do better."

And OPEC's own analysts told the group it cannot hope to prop up prices without some kind of reduction in their 24.52 million barrels per day production cap.

Because most of the members are believed to have cheated slightly on their quotas, actual OPEC supply is widely believed to be about 24.7 million barrels.

Last week, the Iranian news agency reported OPEC would consider cutting production by 3 percent to 5 percent. That would lower actual production by at least 750,000 barrels per day or cutting 500,000 barrels off the legal ceiling.

But Kuwaiti Oil Minister Ali A Al-Baghli reiterated his argument that fundamental market forces should be able to correct the price dilemma.

Indonesia Oil Minister Ida Bagus Sudjana, when asked whether his country would be willing to accept cuts, answered "maybe." But he then said his country would not be willing to accept cuts of 3 percent to 5 percent.

Venezuela's Alirio Parra, who had helped broker the current quota structure and raised questions Monday about changing that arrangement, remained mum about his thinking Tuesday.

And the Saudis, who arrived Tuesday afternoon, are keeping very quiet.

Vahan Zanoyan of the Washington-based Petroleum Finance Co. argued that economic difficulties in Saudi Arabia and Iran may encourage them to push for production cuts.

But countries like Kuwait and Venezuela aren't suffering so much and may not be willing to go along.

Leonidas P. Drollas, chief economist for the London-based Centre for Global Energy Studies, calculates that Saudi Arabian revenues from oil exports will be about $10.31 billion during the fourth quarter, down a painful $2.88 billion or 22 percent from a year ago.

Venezuelan revenues will be off about 18 percent, while the Kuwaitis will see a 24 percent jump in oil export sales.

Drollas supports the Kuwaiti argument. The winter heating season has just begun, and snow falling on traders in London as well as ministers in Vienna could portend a harsh winter.

Drollas also argues that a cut of 3 percent or more would merely encourage the OPEC members to cheat on their quotas, wrecking the credibility of any agreement.

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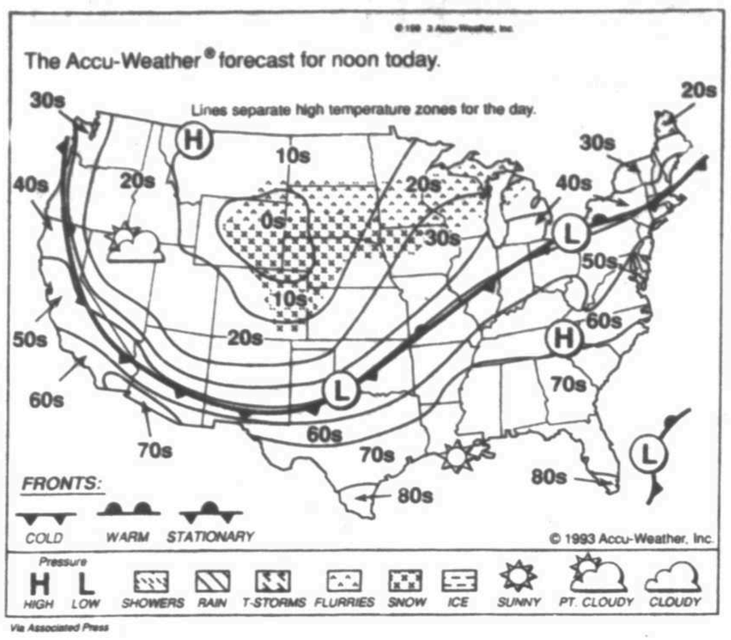

Via Associated Press

Enjoy day; big chill's on way

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly cloudy skies with a high near 70, dropping to the upper 50s by afternoon. Winds will be in southwest at 10-15, becoming north at 10-20 later in the day. Tonight will be mostly cloudy with a low in the mid-20s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Thanksgiving Day will be cold with mostly cloudy skies and high in the upper-30s.

After an overnight low of 45, Tuesday's high reached 79, compared to the record high for that date of 84 set in 1965. The record low was 10 set in 1938.

STATE

The sun will come out, but not tomorrow, as cold air and clouds from an arctic front move across North Texas bringing chances of freezing rain or sleet through Thanksgiving.

Although temperatures were deceptively high Tuesday afternoon, temperatures are expected to drop into the 30s and 40s today. Winds gusted to 30 miles per hour this afternoon in the Dallas-Fort Worth area. Light rain is expected in the west turning to freezing rain later today.

In the south, winds pumped moisture from the Gulf of Mexico into the state. Temperatures across the region climbed into the 70s.

Clouds are expected to increase today in Southern regions ahead of a cold front that will enter the Hill Country later in the evening. Low temperatures will be in the 50s and 60s.

Low temperatures with a chance of snow and freezing rain are expected in the Panhandles and South Plains. Today's highs are expected to be in the 20s in the Panhandle and 30s in the South Plains with 60s and 70s elsewhere.

NATION

Snow was scattered from the Pacific Northwest to the Great Lakes on Tuesday, and temperatures stayed below zero in the northern Rockies.

Winter storm warnings are in effect into early today for parts of the Dakotas and winter storm watches are posted through today over southeastern North Dakota and west-central Minnesota, the National Weather Service said.

At midday, snow fell across higher elevations of the Pacific Northwest, the northern through central Rockies, the upper Missouri Valley, and the northern half of the Plains.

Snow and ice coated highways and airport runways in northern Colorado. The Colorado State Patrol estimated there were 100 traffic accidents on highways in the Denver area during a two-hour period around noon. Air traffic was slowed at Denver's Stapleton International Airport.

The Utah Highway Patrol said 38 cars and three tractor-trailer rigs piled up because of snow and speeding on northbound Interstate 15 near Bountiful.

High wind in the Pacific Northwest forced reductions in ferry service around Washington's Puget Sound.

Snowfall during the six hours up to noon CST included 2 inches at Billings, Mont.; Boise, Idaho; Hibbing, Minn.; Pierre, S.D.; and Rapid City, S.D.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: mostly cloudy, high near 70, dropping to the upper 50s by afternoon, southwest winds at 10-15 mph, becoming north at 10-20 mph by afternoon.

Tonight: mostly cloudy, low in the mid-20s.

Thanksgiving Day: mostly cloudy, high in the lower 30s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	79 degrees
Overnight Low	45 degrees
Sunset today	5:46 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:26 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.08 inches
Year to date	16.03 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	59	6 a.m.	47
7 p.m.	55	7 a.m.	46
8 p.m.	54	8 a.m.	46
9 p.m.	53	9 a.m.	50
10 p.m.	53	10 a.m.	62
11 p.m.	50	11 a.m.	69
midnight	50	noon	74
1 a.m.	49	1 p.m.	75
2 a.m.	47	2 p.m.	76
3 a.m.	47	3 p.m.	76
4 a.m.	46	4 p.m.	78
5 a.m.	48	5 p.m.	77
		6 p.m.	70

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	80	48	
Amarillo	73	49	
Austin	77	47	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	74	44	
Bryan-College Station	75	47	
Corpus Christi	79	56	
Dallas	71	49	
El Paso	74	43	
Fort Worth	71	51	
Galveston	72	61	
Houston	77	43	
Laredo	78	55	
Lubbock	70	47	
Marfa	77	35	
Presidio	83	42	
San Angelo	77	56	
San Antonio	78	49	
Victoria	78	51	
Waco	73	48	
Wink	81	41	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	63	44	.02	cdy
Atlanta	69	44		cdy
Atlantic City	59	27		clr
Baltimore	61	31		cdy
Boston	50	41		cdy
Chicago	55	39		rn
Cleveland	53	34		cdy
Denver	28	17	.02	cdy
Detroit	50	39		cdy
Flagstaff	46	37	.37	clr
Indianapolis	54	36		cdy
Kansas City	60	46		cdy
Las Vegas	69	52		clr
Los Angeles	72	57		clr
Louisville	65	36		cdy
Memphis	67	42		rn
Milwaukee	55	41		rn
Nashville	66	32		rn
New Orleans	73	40		cdy
New York City	59	44		clr

Area forecast

West Texas: Permian Basin-Upper Trans Pecos — Today, mostly cloudy. Turning colder in the afternoon. Highs around 70 falling into the upper 50s by late afternoon. Tonight, mostly cloudy and colder. Lows in the mid-20s. Thanksgiving day, mostly cloudy and much colder. Highs in the upper 30s. Thursday night, mostly cloudy. Lows in the lower to mid-20s. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 30s. Saturday through Sunday, mostly clear. Lows in the upper teens to lower 20s. Highs in the 40s Saturday and 50s Sunday.

VERDICT: Jury rules for police officer, city

(From 1A)

According to Monday's testimony, police received a call about 5 a.m. to the Madrid home. Madrid, who had a history of mental disturbances, had been throwing family possessions into the front lawn, according to testimony.

The incident escalated to the point where Madrid raced to Partin's police cruiser, witnesses said. After officers Bob Lester and Kenneth Boone shot at the vehicle's front tires, Madrid exited the car and moved quickly toward Partin, waving the pocket knife, according to testimony. Then Partin fired three quick shots at Madrid, according to the previous testimony.

In his cross examination of Czech, Stuckey placed himself in the bent-and-turned position Madrid was thought to be in when he was shot the third time.

"Can you tell me whether a person in this position, armed with a little duckie and a pocket knife, poses any significant danger to the officer?," he said.

Czech said he would not second-guess the officer, but said his officers are trained to fire until there is no longer a threat. "That's what shooting is for, to eliminate the threat," Czech said.

Following the incident, a police "shooting team" was established to investigate the incident, according to testimony.

The leader of this team of officers was John Urby of the Midland Police Department. Urby took the stand shortly before noon.

Urby's testimony indicated that Madrid moved less than two feet between the time Partin's first bullet struck and the time the third and final bullet struck.

Under cross-examination, Stuckey maintained that Urby changed some of his answers since his Aug. 25 deposition. "Is there any information, or pieces of information, you have learned since August 25th?," Stuckey asked of Urby.

Attorney for the defendant, Charles Tye, objected to Stuckey's exaggerated movements. Bunton sustained this objection.

Stuckey also asked Urby if he had heard of the "code of silence." When Urby answered negatively, Stuckey asked if he had heard that police officers and their colleagues "are supposed to stick together."

Urby replied that he had heard that said before, but not at the Midland Police Department.

Stuckey also questioned the manner in which the shooting team performed their investigation. "Most of the citizens' interviews were taped and, of course, none of the police officers' interviews were taped," Stuckey said.

Further testimoney was taken from Boone, one of the three officers on the scene at the time of the shooting.

Boone's testimony was similar to that of Lester, who testified Monday. When asked if he thought Madrid was a threat to Partin at the time of the shooting, Boone said, "I would have had to do the same thing (as Partin)."

Also called to testify Tuesday was Sylvia Ochoa, a neighbor of the Madrids at the time of the shooting. Ms. Ochoa testified that the first shot of Partin's three-shot volley "stopped Madrid in his tracks."

Ms. Ochoa, who said she watched the incident from her bedroom window across the street, said Partin was visibly upset following the shooting. "He threw his gun down and one of the other officers came up to him and said 'That's OK, you did what you had to do,' " she testified.

FLIGHTS: American Airlines returns to sky

(From 1A)

sides to submit their dispute to binding arbitration.

"Directly after we met last evening, everyone went to work to try to put the airline back in the sky as promptly as possible," said Bob Baker, American's executive vice president for operations.

American was flying passengers on more than 60 percent of its full normal schedule of about 2,500 daily flights, Baker said. He said the carrier expected to be operating more than 70 percent by the end of the day.

Today, Baker said, American expected to be running all the 80 percent of its flights that it had not canceled during the strike. The airline had canceled 20 percent of its flights outright and flew about 40 percent without passengers during the strike because they lacked minimum flight attendant crews.

By Thursday, the carrier hoped to reach its original schedule and maintain it through the hectic post-Thanksgiving weekend.

Baker said the strike does not appear to have hurt the airline's Christmas bookings.

"It seems like the traveling public had more confidence this would get settled quicker than some of us on both sides," said Don Carty, American's executive vice president for planning and finance.

American's rival carriers say they will continue to take American tickets, if seats are available, through Nov. 30 without requiring passengers to get American's approval.

Several other airlines said they had little concern about empty seats during the holiday rush because they had added flights to accommodate travelers displaced by the strike only on a day-by-day basis.

"I think we're all relieved that we'll have the quiet bedlam of Thanksgiving holidays versus what we were all anticipating," said Jon Austin, spokesman for Northwest Airlines.

After watching mostly empty American Airlines planes take off for five days, passengers at many airports around the country expressed relief that the walkout was over. But bitterness lingered.

STRIPS: Court voids FCC curbs on adult TV

(From 1A)

As it has in the past, the court held that "the government has not tailored its 6 a.m.-to-midnight ban on constitutionally protected speech narrowly so as to advance the asserted interests without unnecessary abridgement of First Amendment rights."

The appeals panel accepted the FCC's stated rationale that the regulation was necessary to protect minors and to help parents prevent their children from viewing indecent programs.

But it said there was no logic to allowing indecent programming between midnight and 6 a.m.

The FCC "appears to assume that, regardless of the the time of day or night, parents cannot effectively supervise their children's television or radio habits."

"The inevitable logic of the government's line of argument is that indecent material can never be broadcast, or at most, can be broadcast during times when children are surely asleep," the panel said.

The judges also rejected as too vague the FCC's third justification: Protecting viewers from indecent programming in the privacy of their homes.

"The government has not demonstrated to this court the compelling nature of any interest in suppressing constitutionally protected material in order to protect an abstract privacy of the home at the expense of First Amendment rights of its inhabitants," the panel said.

Viewers can use TV guides to select programs they wish to view, the court said.

"Occasional exposure to offensive material in scheduled programming is of roughly the same order that confronts the reader browsing in a bookstore," said the opinion written by Circuit Judge Patricia Wald.

Wald was joined in the ruling by Chief Judge Abner Mikva and Judge Harry Edwards. All three were appointed by President Carter.

Washington attorney Timothy B. Dyk, who represented a coalition of television networks and industry groups, called the broadcast ruling important because the FCC was ordered "to consider regulation in this area very carefully."

MARS: Congress ends productive session

(From 1A)

ing it, or giving up ignominiously.

But despite those divisions, Congress passed a half-trillion-dollar, five-year deficit cut, about half of it in tax increases, and approved a measure to end trade barriers with Canada and Mexico.

It passed one significant domestic initiative of President Clinton's vision of new Democratic policy, the national service bill, and started on others, like one to prepare youths for the work force.

Finally, it began to grapple seriously with the gravest domestic problem it has tried to solve since civil rights: the high cost and diminishing availability of medical care.

Early on, the new president relied exclusively on Democrats — and sometimes they fought him over issues like his efforts to allow open homosexuals to serve in the military.

Solid Republican opposition killed his package of spending measures meant to stimulate the economy, and his budget just passed without a single Republican vote. But his liaison with Capitol Hill improved as he went along, and in the fall he worked increasingly with Republicans, relying on their votes to clear the North American Free Trade Agreement over Democratic opposition and courting them to help on health care.

Still, most of senators and representatives headed home Tuesday aware that the public gives neither them nor President Clinton the credit they feel they deserve, and Tuesday's snappish denouement of a Senate session, due to conclude next Tuesday, suggests why.

In between interminable quorum calls and recesses, Sen. Bob Dole of Kansas, the Republican leader, tied the Senate up short of final action on the gun control measure, which would impose a five-day waiting period for gun purchases.

The deadlock was striking because the substantive differences between Republicans and Democrats were slim. Instead, the dispute seemed to revolve largely around differences in party and pride.

Dole complained that Sen. Joseph R. Biden of Delaware, the Judiciary Committee chairman, "tried to rub our nose in it" by gleefully scrapping concessions that allowed Republicans to back the bill Saturday night.

And the phrase "Republican filibuster" tripped readily from Democrats' lips as they sought to portray the minority as the friend of irresponsible gun owners.

Still, some lawmakers feel pretty good about the year's work. An upbeat appraisal came from Sen. Patty Murray of Washington, a freshman Democrat, who said that when they realized the Senate had acted on crime, the deficit, family leave and national service, "people at home will say, 'This affects me.' "

THANKS: Some grateful for things almost lost

(From 1A)

good things that belong to adversity are to be admired."

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn. — Michael Durant sat stiffly in an easy chair beside his fireplace, holding his year-old son and contemplating things he took for granted before his Army helicopter was shot down in Somalia.

For 11 days last month, Durant, 32, was held in a small, dirty room in Mogadishu and endured the blinding pain of a leg bone and back vertebra shattered when his Black Hawk helicopter crashed on Oct. 3. A mob beat him and paraded him before jubilant anti-American crowds.

"I was sure I would die," Durant said. "When that mob started coming, I was pretty sure that that was going to be it."

In captivity, he said, it became clear what meant the most to him: his wife, Lorrie, 27, and their toddler, Joey.

"I thought of three things I wanted to experience just one more time in my life. One of them was the smell of Lorrie's hair," he said.

There were others. A kiss from his son. The smell of newly mown grass.

"Later on, I thought about how nice it would be to have Christmas at home again with the family," he said.

All of these things were returned to him. So many relatives and friends are coming to visit on Thanksgiving Day that the Clarksville church the Durants attend will lend them its fellowship hall.

And he will get his wish to be home for Christmas, too. His hometown, Berlin, N.H., will mark his return with a parade.

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Bob Casey lost his heart and liver in June. Six months later, he can look back at all that he has gained — an outpouring of good wishes from thousands of strangers.

The Pennsylvania governor suffers from amyloidosis, a rare genetic disorder. His liver produced an abnormal protein that built up in his organs, weakening them; his heart, doctors said, was as hard as a telephone and could have stopped at any moment.

The transplant operation took 13 hours. He survived, and soon found that he had friends he never knew.

Casey and his wife, Ellen, received more than 3,000 get-well greetings — cards, letters, prayers, children's drawings. Suddenly, they felt like they were part of one, large, extended family.

"The prayers and expressions of support and encouragement ... sustained us in our most difficult days," Casey said.

Now, the 61-year-old Casey hopes to return to work in the new year. And he celebrates a Thanksgiving he would never have seen, but for an organ donor and the efforts of a team of surgeons.

"We're thankful that we have each other, and a wonderful, supportive family," Casey said. "And we're especially thankful for the caring and compassionate spirit of the American people."

ORACLE, Ariz. — No one took Linda Leigh's friends or food away, or depleted her oxygen. She accepted these things voluntarily.

The 42-year-old botanist celebrated the past two Thanksgivings in the sealed ecological laboratory of Biosphere 2. Her two-year stay ended Sept. 26, and now she's out — and grateful.

"The things I'm thankful for are very basic," Leigh said.

"I'm glad to be out ... to have completed this, thankful to have had so much support from so many people," she said. "I'm thankful for the opportunity of having done it."

Inside Biosphere 2, oxygen levels dropped continually, sapping some crew members' strength, and two cloudy winters hampered food production to the point that a full stomach wasn't always a given.

For friendship beyond the crew, Leigh and her seven colleagues had to reach out by phone or computer network. She'll spend this holiday in Los Angeles meeting friends she made electronically.

She says it all made her realize how much she, and everyone else, takes for granted on Biosphere 1 — the Earth.

"That experience of coming face-to-face with what makes us live is something I feel very thankful for," Leigh said.

"These are very basic things that let us live."

SNAFU: Parade's canceled

(From 1A)

Club did not submit a waiver request, which must be decided by the City Council. The council met Tuesday and won't meet again until mid-December.

Kennedy said he notified schools and other participants of the cancellation on Monday.

In past years, the city apparently granted the permit, evident by the parade taking place. Whether the insurance requirement was waived or simply not enforced could not be readily answered by city officials Tuesday.

Kennedy said because the parade isn't a Shrine Club function per se, the club's insurance would not cover the event.

"Actually, we've never had the parade. We've organized it for the city," he said.

Kennedy said he doesn't blame the city for the cancellation.

"I can understand the city wanting to be careful," he said. "The way Kevin (Laughlin) talked to us, there's been an increase in litigation against the city and they are trying to crack down on it."

Nevertheless, Kennedy said he was "very disappointed."

"It was a good thing for the city of Midland. ... It's a shame," he said.

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Judge advises jurors in toddler murder trial

PRESTON, England (AP) — The judge in the case of two schoolmates accused of murdering a toddler told jurors Tuesday it doesn't matter who inflicted the fatal blow if both boys intended to kill or badly hurt the 2-year-old.

"To put it simply, are you sure they were in it together?" Judge Michael Morland said, a day before the jury was to begin deliberations.

The two 11-year-olds, who can be identified in news reports only as Child A and Child B, are charged with abducting and murdering James Bulger and trying to abduct another 2-year-old.

Blurred pictures from security videotapes show the older boys walking with James out of a Liverpool shopping mall Feb. 12. James' mutilated body was found 2½ miles away two days later. The boys have pleaded innocent.

The trial, which began Nov. 1, apparently has taken a toll on the defendants. A social worker asked if they could be dismissed as the day wore on. The judge decided instead to continue his summation Wednesday.

The boys sat quietly as Morland told jurors not to "allow your emotions to warp your judgment."

Emotions still run strong in Liverpool. Nine months after his death, James' grave in the port city's northern suburbs was covered with frost-covered flowers and stuffed animals.

Because the defendants were 10 when James was killed, the jury must be convinced they understood that what they were doing was wrong to be convicted.

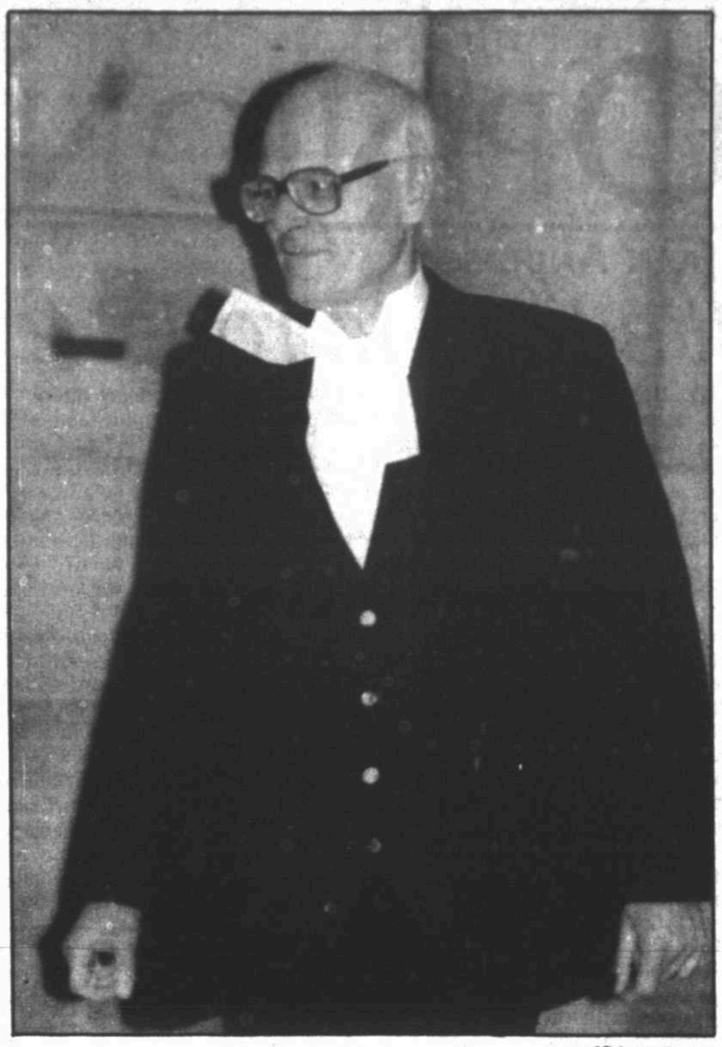
A murder conviction also requires a finding that they intended to kill or seriously injure James. If jurors are in doubt, they could return a verdict of manslaughter. Only the attorney for Child A argued for a verdict of innocent.

Both boys admit to being on the railroad track when James was killed. Child B has confessed to killing him, while Child A maintained his innocence through 6½ hours of police questioning.

Morland told jurors they could convict for murder without knowing which boy delivered the fatal blow "if you were sure that both had decided to kill or inflict really serious injury to James Bulger."

The prosecution alleges that the boys set out to take a child and at least seriously hurt him. Motive is not at issue in the trial.

The judge told jurors to take into account the number of blows to the body: 30 in all .



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Presiding Judge Justice Michael Morland leaves Preston Crown Court, northwest England, Monday after the first day of the trial of two 11- year-old Liverpool boys who are charged with the abduction and murder of a toddler.

PLO fighters get ready for move into Gaza, Jericho

TUNIS, Tunisia (AP) — Hundreds of former PLO fighters have been told to prepare to move into the Gaza Strip and West Bank town of Jericho on Dec. 13 to set up a Palestinian administration, officials said Tuesday.

It will be the largest contingent from the Palestine Liberation Organization headquarters here to return home since the Sept. 13 agreement with Israel on limited self-rule in the occupied territories.

They will join thousands of PLO fighters from five Arab countries, including Iraq and Libya, who will return as the areas' security force.

The PLO and Israel have reportedly reached broad agreement at secret negotiations in Cairo on beginning the transition to autonomy on Dec. 13.

At Cairo, PLO and Israeli negotiators opened a third week of talks Tuesday to work out remaining problems before Israel withdraws.

In a joint statement released later in Israel, the negotiators "agreed that further meetings would be needed ... to overcome differences ... Negotiations will continue ... today on security matters and transfer of civilian authority."

Issues include how much area Israel will vacate around Jericho, release of Palestinian prisoners, and control of crossing points to Egypt and Jordan.

Israeli and PLO representatives also began a second round of talks in Paris Tuesday on how to run the economy in Gaza and Jericho after Israel leaves.

The officials in Tunis, speaking on condition of anonymity, said PLO chairman Yasser Arafat ordered nearly 500 former fighters who had moved to office jobs at PLO headquarters to prepare for a transfer early next month.

Although their responsibilities have not been specified, the sources said most are from Arafat's mainstream Fatah faction and will form the backbone of his administration.

The Tunisian newspaper El-Rai El-Am reported Tuesday that Arafat had named Amin al-Hindi as head of a Palestinian intelligence agency. Hindi is believed to be one of the guerrillas who escaped after a terrorist attack that killed 11 Israeli athletes at the 1972 Munich Olympics.

It was not known whether Hindi's agency would be based in the territories. Israel balked at Hindi's participation in peace talks this month, and the PLO removed him from its delegation.

In Jerusalem, a former intelligence official confirmed for the first time that Israel methodically hunted and assassinated PLO leaders responsible for the killing the 11 Israeli athletes. Aharon Yariv spoke in an interview broadcast Monday night on Israel's evening news.

Researchers claim bodies are used for tests

BERLIN (AP) — A prestigious university has used more than 200 human corpses — including the bodies of eight children — in automobile crash tests, the head of the research team confirmed Tuesday.

News of the tests, reported Tuesday in the national newspaper Bild and by TV networks, drew condemnation and outrage.

"In an age when experiments on animals are being put into question, such tests must be carried out on dummies and not on children's cadavers," said a statement issued by the Germany's largest automobile club, ADAC.

ARD, one of Germany's two main TV networks, reported Tuesday night that the state government of Baden-Wuerttemberg, where Heidelberg University is located, had demanded a written explanation of the experiments.

Dr. Rainer Mattern, head of Heidelberg University's forensic pathology department, said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press that the tests with children's bodies ended in 1989, but said the university is continuing to adult cadavers.

He said that all the corpses were used with the permission of family members and that the parents of the dead children "'were clearly aware of what tests were being carried out with the corpses.

"The tests have saved lives of other children," Mattern said.

In the tests, the bodies are strapped into cars that are smashed into other cars, walls and various barriers to measure the impact on humans, with the help of cameras and electronic sensors.

Mattern said the corpses undergo autopsies before being used in the tests, and that the bodies are then given back to their families for burial.

"In every case we obtained the understanding of the parents. And they knew what type of tests we were undertaking," Bild quoted researcher Demitrios Kallieris as saying.

Clarence Ditlow, head of the Center for Auto Saftey, a Washington-based public advocacy group, said crash tests using human bodies had been conducted by at least two research team in the United States in the 1980s.

The tests were done at Detroit's Wayne State University and at the Calspan research company's facility in Buffalo, N.Y.

"The best that one can say about this testing is that it's controversial," he said.

He said his organization believes that three criteria for such testing are necessary: prior consent by the deceased person, informed consent of his family and assurance that the tests are seeking data that cannot be reliably obtained from crash dummies.

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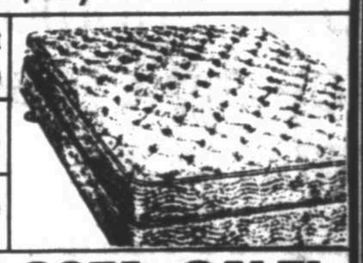

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Punishment option is available again

Today's impersonal, bureaucratic state government often appears out of touch with the real needs facing Texas communities, but every once in a great while a glimmer of hope breaks through the entangling mass of red tape. The most recent occurrence affecting Midland came Saturday when the Texas Board of Criminal Justice unanimously voted to re-fund the Midland Community Restitution Center which had been closed since February following a negative audit of the facility.

What the decision will mean for Midland, according to District Judges Dean Rucker, John Hyde and George "Jody" Gilles, is that the restitution center will once again be available as a sentencing option for the local judges in meting out punishment to individuals charged with crimes.

By utilizing the restitution center, judges are better able to tailor the punishment of particular individuals convicted of crimes in order to avoid the necessity of committing them to the Texas prison system, a decision that many criminal justice analysts agree rarely results in rehabilitation. In many instances, such a decision also eliminates any hope that the victims of a crime will be repaid for their loss.

The decision to use the restitution center is not always possible, of course. It's not open to violent offenders, but for those who are young and who have committed nonviolent crimes, it offers the only real hope of rehabilitation within the criminal justice system. For years, it has been known that sending a first-time offender to prison in Texas meant only that a hardened criminal would emerge after the sentence had ended.

In that regard, Midland is fortunate to have the restitution center and now that its funding has been reaffirmed, the local judges have the opportunity of showing that it can be of benefit to a criminal justice system already overburdened by too many inmates and too little hope of lives free of crime.

Thanks are due the judges and all the others who worked diligently to gain the favorable action by the Texas Board of Criminal Justice.

JACK ANDERSON

It's time to roast top political turkeys

WASHINGTON — For 61 years, this column has been exposing the turkeys who rule the roost in Washington.

Today we are roasting the top turkeys of the year — politicians whose fibs and follies are worth feasting on this Thanksgiving:

Anderson

— Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss. He should never play poker with Budget Director Leon Panetta. Earlier this year, Lott provoked Panetta by claiming during a congressional hearing that he had "in my pocket a list of $216 billion in painless budget cuts that just about everybody would agree with, including you." Panetta called Lott's bluff: "Let me have that list. I want to see those painless cuts." Lott folded the paper and put it back in his jacket pocket.

We obtained a copy of Lott's list. Those "painless cuts" turned out to be wholesale raids on entitlement programs that serve the poorest of the poor.

— Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine. By night, he's one of the shrewdest panhandlers around.

Mitchell issued a plea to campaign contributors last spring: He needed $2 million before Election Day 1994 to retain his seat from Republican mobs that seemed poised to overrun him.

Who's the Republican hit-man waiting to ambush the majority leader? His name is Rick Bennett, 30, a struggling modular-home salesman who told us he had a negative net worth.

— Sen. Robert Smith, R-N.H. He talks tough on crime — vowing, among other things, to remove the color TVs and law libraries prisoners now enjoy. But Smith, one of the biggest recipients of campaign contributions from the National Rifle Association, took time to give the gun lobby its money's worth this year. He single-handedly scuttled the District of Columbia's assault weapon liability law, which sought to hold gunmakers liable for the damage their products inflict.

Smith got a taste of the fear that thousands feel when he found himself helplessly sitting in his car as an assault-rifle wielding assassin opened fire on a line of traffic outside the Central Intelligence Agency last spring, leaving two dead and three injured. Smith, who called it a "pretty horrifying experience to witness," once called these weapons mere "mechanical devices."

— Reps. John Kasich, R-Ohio, and Newt Gingrich, R-Ga. Even though Kasich and Gingrich are die-hard opponents of tax increases, they've embraced Ross Perot — whose campaign platform last year called for stiff tax hikes.

— Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., who has given partisanship a bad name. Last summer, Dole was planning to set sail down the Potomac River for a fund- raiser aboard a luxury cruise liner. We called Dole to tell him that his cruise was on the verge of violating two federal laws, and within 24 hours Dole drydocked the adventure. The man who had been trying to torpedo the Clinton administration for months had to abandon ship himself.

The cruise was scheduled as Republicans were trying to block campaign finance reform, and were courting what Dole called the "forgotten middle class." The middle class, however, probably couldn't afford the $5,000 "special overnight package" Dole was asking of his potential contributors.

— Sens. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., and Donald Riegle, D-Mich. They were the ring leaders of the Keating Five, in which senators intervened with thrift regulators on behalf of then-campaign contributor Charles Keating. Keating was ultimately sentenced to 12 years in prison for looting his savings and loan.

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

Which Clinton will emerge next year?

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Last week, we saw three Bill Clintons in action: the thin-skinned politician, the maturing president, and the simplistic pitchman.

It began with an outburst of self-pity. At the end of an interview with William Greider and Jann Wenner of Rolling Stone magazine, a Clinton nettled by questions about his ideological firmness blew up:

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"I have fought more damn battles here for more things than any president has in 20 years," he blustered, "with the possible exception of Reagan's first budget, and not gotten one damn bit of credit from the knee-jerk liberal press, and I am sick and tired of it, and you can put that in the damn article."

Warming to his whining, he boasted of his early leftward lurch: "Look what I did. I said the wealthy would have to pay their fair share, and look what we did to the tax system. . . . Did I get any credit for it, from you or anybody else?" He then switched from Johnson Treatment to Nixon self-delusion: "Do I care if I get credit? No."

Oh, but he cares so much: "And you get no credit around here for fighting and bleeding. And that's why the know-nothings and the do-nothings and the negative people and the right-wingers always win. Because of the way people like you put questions to people like me."

So shut up, you radic-libs; your mean questions are making your only president blubber all over his new Oval Office carpet.

After this puerile display of petulance, a quite different Clinton made his appearance. As a Roosevelt Room full of media biggies gathered for a NAFTA-eve briefing, the president seemed to just wander in before the administration briefers.

His easy command presence made you feel that a pro was in charge of the country.

Clinton then sat down for 10 minutes of serious questioning on Chinese trade and human rights, explicating policy with sophistication. He knew he had NAFTA's passage in his pocket, the result of wheeling and dealing in the grand tradition. He would use this victory to impress the Asian leaders in Seattle and — as part of a "triple play" — use the North American and Asian groupings to leverage a lowering of European tariffs.

That was impressive. The second Clinton had a foreign economic strategy, the support of Republicans, and was prepared to risk the wrath of Labor in leaning on Democrats to stick in his linchpin.

But then, in Seattle, yet another Clinton emerged.

To deal at the highest level with China after Tiananmen Square, three great facts must be understood. First, China and the U.S. share an interest in stopping nuclear spread, especially to the rogue regime in North Korea. Second, China's economic boom depends on continued U.S. purchases. Third, the next generation throughout Asia looks to us to induce Beijing to let its new economic freedom spill over into political rights.

However, asked about resuming summit relations without some progress on human rights in return, Clinton's sloppily prepared answer was: "I don't think that you ever lose anything by talking to someone, as long as you're honest."

What simplistic nonsense. In diplomacy, "talking to someone" — especially after a crushing of democracy — has a great value to the ostracized perpetrator. When the Soviets sought a summit with Nixon in the '70s, Henry Kissinger made them pay a price in prepared concessions before a meeting. Jimmy Carter could not condone the invasion of Afghanistan by "talking to someone." Not even Sinophile George Bush could instantly resume regular relations after Tiananmen.

If Clinton was determined to make a preemptive concession, he could have said: The time was ripe to express my conviction — face to face with Chinese leaders — that free markets go hand in hand with human rights.

At least that would have dealt honestly with reality and offered hope to dissidents. But in his eagerness to avoid offending the sensibilities of the Chinese president, the third Clinton — naive or deceptive — insulted the intelligence of every American.

Whining, inspiring, oversimplifying — which Clinton will emerge next year?

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

ANOTHER VIEW

U.S. should trade stick for diplomacy in Cuba

Washington's Cuba policy is domestic politics by proxy. So fierce are the anti-Castro passions of well-heeled, conservative Cuban exiles that reason flies out the window when candidates vie for their votes, and PAC contributions. That helps explain why Congress last year added new teeth to an existing trade embargo by barring U.S. subsidiaries in other countries from doing business with Cuba.

The Bush administration at first questioned the prudence and legality of this step, but flipped around when Bill Clinton, while barnstorming in Florida, accused the administration of missing "a big opportunity to put the hammer down on Fidel Castro and Cuba."

Some hammer. The Cuban Democracy Act, passed with a bipartisan whoop and meant to isolate the Castro regime, has embarrassingly isolated the United States. Earlier this month, for the second time, the United Nations overwhelmingly sided with Cuba in condemning the embargo. The General Assembly vote was 88 to 4 (Albania, Israel, Paraguay and the U.S.), with 57 abstentions. It is hard to recall a comparable humiliation for American diplomacy.

The American case was not helped by the muddled defense put forward by Victor Marrero, the alternate U.S. delegate: "We maintain our comprehensive economic embargo against Cuba to maintain the pressure on the regime to restore freedom and democracy. If we were to alter our policy now, what then?" But that wonderfully misses the point, which is whether Washington has a right to coerce nationals of other countries to enforce that embargo.

On that matter, America stands nearly alone. Canada has issued an order to block compliance with the extraterritorial claims of the Cuban Democracy Act, and has protested a provision barring any vessel that enters Cuba from unloading freight in U.S. ports for 180 days after departing Cuba. Along with other countries, Britain has made it an offense for any person to comply with extraterritorial provisions of the law. This was foreseen by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, which opposed the widened embargo as "unworkable."

Going deeper, the chamber advised Congress last year that the Cuban Democracy Act "relies on the demonstrably flawed premise that unilateral U.S. sanctions will throw a foreign economy into turmoil and hasten a return to democracy." Indeed, with the Castro regime on the ropes and the Cold War over, Cuba no longer poses a strategic threat. Punishing an entire people unilaterally with a big stick recalls the demeaning years when the island was viewed as U.S. protectorate.

A plausible, different approach is set forth in "Cuba in Transition," a Twentieth Century Fund study by Gillian Gunn, director of the Georgetown University Cuba Project. She argues for a relaxation of travel bans and the trade embargo as first steps, to be followed by direct negotiations on compensating U.S. companies whose assets were seized after the revolution, releasing prisoners and holding local and national elections.

It's obvious that the clock is ticking against Castro and his ossified brand of communism. Diplomacy is a better instrument than a hammer to help Cubans prepare for the inevitable.

— The New York Times

LEWIS GRIZZARD

Fiction masquerades as reality in America

For weeks, I've been seeing a television commercial for this certain chain of restaurants. The commercial claimed it served home-cooking, "The kind Mom used to do."

Grizzard

I'm not going to name the restaurant chain. I've already got one libel suit pending.

But I will say I've spent the nearly three decades since I left the cooking Mama used to do, looking for something, anything, that came close to it.

I grew up at a fried chicken, pork chops, pot roast and fresh vegetable table, with corn bread or Mama's home-made biscuits on the side.

I must have this sort of food at least once a week or be struck by the dreaded bland-food poisoning.

That's because I have to eat a lot of airline food, as well as hotel food. The airlines and hotels get together each year and plan their menus. Steak au Gristle and Chicken a la Belch.

So I gave this chain a try. I walked into one of its restaurants and looked over the menu. There was no fried chicken or pork chops.

But there was country fried steak and pot roast. I decided to go for the pot roast.

"Can I get mashed potatoes and gravy with the pot roast?" I asked the waitress.

"Sure," she answered.

The rot roast was so-so. The gravy was suspect. One bite of the mashed potatoes, and I knew. I called the waitress back over.

"I would take it as a personal favor if you would be perfectly honest with me," I said. "These mashed potatoes came out of a box, didn't they?"

The waitress dropped her eyes for a brief second. Then, she looked up and said, apologetically, "Yes, they did."

I hate mashed potatoes that come out of a box. When God created the mashed potato, I am certain the Bible points out somewhere, he had no intention of anybody goofing around and coming up with mashed potatoes from a box.

He meant for real potatoes to be used. You peel them, you cut them into little pieces and put them in a pot of boiling water. You put in some salt and pepper, and then you add some butter and maybe even a little sour cream and then you beat them and stir them and you've got biblically correct mashed potatoes.

I realized the waitress didn't have anything to do with the fact the restaurant served mashed potatoes from a box in a place that advertised Mama's cooking. What an affront to mothers everywhere! That was upper management's doing.

So when I paid my bill, reluctantly, because there should have been a warning on the menu that the mashed potatoes weren't really mashed potatoes, I did have a word with the assistant manager who took my money anyway.

"May the Lord forgive you for ye know not what you do, you potato ruiner."

I think he thought I was some sort of religious nut. He was still waiting for me to hand him a pamphlet and ask him for money as I walked out the door.

Mashed potatoes from a box! That's what's wrong with this country. That, and non-alcoholic beer, instant grits, canned biscuits, soybean anything, frozen french fries, fake flowers, staged photo opportunities for politicians running for re-election, tanning salons, and yogurt masquerading as vanilla ice cream.

What's real anymore? Computerized voices talk to me at the airport. I phone a friend and I talk to a machine. Musical stars are lip-synching it.

Did somebody mention silicone implants? As soon as I make the world safe from boxed mashed potatoes, I'll get around to that.

It's a matter of priorities, you know.

Lewis Grizzard's column is distributed by Cowles Syndicate.

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Superior Court Judge David M. Rothman sets a March trial for a civil lawsuit that claims pop start Michael Jackson molested a boy. Jackson lawyer Bertram Fields tells court that a grand jury investigation has begun.

Court subpoenas Jackson case witnesses

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Witnesses have been subpoenaed to testify before a grand jury investigating child molestation charges against Michael Jackson, the singer's lawyer said Tuesday.

And the judge presiding over a civil lawsuit filed by the boy who alleges he was molested by Jackson set a March 21 trial date.

Superior Court Judge David M. Rothman ruled the 13-year-old's right to a speedy trial outweighed Jackson's problem of possibly having to withhold testimony in the civil trial to avoid incriminating himself.

"A young person of this age is prejudiced by a substantial delay and the stress placed on the child," the judge said.

Jackson also was ordered to submit to a deposition before Jan. 31, when he is expected to have completed what his doctor has called a rehabilitation for addiction to painkillers.

The judge made it clear that the civil trial could be delayed if criminal charges are filed against Jackson.

"The court must preserve the ability to reevaluate the case in coming weeks and perhaps months," Rothman said.

The disclosure that witnesses had been subpoened in the criminal case came after Jackson's lawyer Bert Fields made a motion to delay the civil trial.

Pentagon report cites chemical weapons

WASHINGTON (AP) — Chemical weapons remains dating back to World War I may exist at 215 sites in 33 states, the U.S. Virgin Islands and Washington D.C., the Pentagon said Tuesday.

Mustard gas, lewisite, nerve agents, choking agents and hydrogen cyanide may be among the chemicals buried in sites located on 48 military bases and 34 formerly used defense sites, said a Pentagon report to Congress.

An interim report on non-stockpile chemical materiel issued last April had estimated 190 contaminated sites in 31 states.

Many of the sites are expected to have little or no materiel, and the Army is not aware of any sites constituting an immediate threat to human health or safety, the report said.

But it said it will take 40 years to locate and destroy chemicals, at an estimated cost of $17.7 billion.

Most of the chemical wastes and agents were buried before 1970, when the practice was an accepted method of disposal. Much of it dates back to World War II and the stockpiling of chemical munitions in the 1950s, although some cases of the suspected weapons sites go back to World War I.

The Pentagon divides the sites into five classes, with Classification One being those places where chemical weapon materiel has been confirmed, to Classification Five, where the assessment is that no remedial work needs to be done.

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Trade talks between U.S., EEC move along

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States and the 12-nation European Economic Community reported progress but no final breakthrough Tuesday as they struggled to resolve sharp differences blocking a global free trade agreement.

U.S. Trade Representative Mickey Kantor and Sir Leon Brittan, his European counterpart, said that sufficient progress had been made that Kantor will fly to Brussels next week to resume the negotiations. In the meantime, the officials said talks would continue among lower level negotiators.

Kantor said the two had spent their 13 hours of talks over the last two days "discussing viable alternatives" in a range of disputes that separate the two sides as they try to meet a Dec. 15 deadline for concluding the Uruguay Round of free trade talks.

Neither side indicated any give on a key sticking point, the insistence by France that a deal on farm subsidies reached a year ago at the Blair House, the presidential guest quarters in Washington, be modified.

Brittan said "we are continuing the discussions" on ways to meet the French objections. But Kantor said firmly that any decisions made on outstanding agricultural issues cannot modify the subsidy cuts already negotiated in the Blair House deal.

"There will be no renegotiating or reopening of the Blair House accord," Kantor told a news conference.

Brittan also met with President Clinton briefly at the White House. He said beforehand that he intended to brief the president on the status of the Uruguay Round talks.

Those discussions, held under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, involve 115 nations. They have dragged on for seven years, but negotiators now face what all sides insist will be a final deadline of Dec. 15.

With 22 days to go, the United States and the EC were searching for ways to resolve differences over ticklish issues like farm subsidies so that the overall agreement could be wrapped up in Geneva with all participating countries.

Economists say the GATT talks, by knocking down trade barriers around the world, holds the promise of boosting the global economy by $270 billion over the next decade. But all countries have found the necessary compromises extremely difficult.

Rich countries were supposed to open their markets to textiles and agricultural products from the Third World. In return, poor countries were supposed to provide greater copyright protections while dismantling barriers to high-tech manufactured goods and services such as banking offered by rich nations.

However, the global economic recession made every country more hesitant to lower trade barriers and risk throwing more people out of work.

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Clinton offers broader ties if N. Korea ends nuclear ambition

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States is ready for a broad new relationship with North Korea if the communist nation reopens talks with the South and allows outside inspections of its suspect nuclear program, President Clinton said Tuesday.

"The door will be open," the president said.

Clinton also said he was not eager to ask the United Nations for economic sanctions against North Korea in the event it continues stalling on nuclear inspections. The administration has said sanctions are a viable option.

Speaking after a White House meeting with South Korean President Kim Young Sam, Clinton denied that he was shifting the administration's approach to the Korean nuclear problem.

North Korea insists that its nuclear program is designed to produce electric power not weapons, but it has balked at permitting outside inspections.

Clinton said he and Kim agreed to "re-examine our security approach" to North Korea, but only if the North met two demands: resume a dialogue with the South and permit nuclear inspections by the International Atomic Energy Agency.

"I don't consider that weakening our position or changing it or rewarding aggression," Clinton said in response to a reporter's question about his statement on Monday that he planned to announce a new approach to the nuclear problem.

Both Clinton and Kim used the same phrase to describe their approach to settling the North Korea nuclear issue: "thorough and broad" — an apparent reference to a willingness to offer incentives and rewards for North Korean behavior.

One possible reward could be U.S. diplomatic recognition of Pyongyang. But Clinton was vague about what North Korea could expect if it met the U.S. conditions.

"In fact, what we want to do is to diminish the military tensions in the area, but that has to begin by the willingness on the part of North Korea to allow the inspections and to resume the dialogue," Clinton said.

A senior administration official had said shortly before Clinton's meeting with Kim that the United States was willing to drop the 1994 joint U.S.-South Korean military exercise called Team Spirit if the North met Clinton's demands. The official, who spoke on condition he not be identified, had said Washington would reserve the right to revive Team Spirit later if talks faltered.

The official said the offer would be made directly to North Korean officials Wednesday in New York. Clinton made no mention of such a session.

Asked about dropping Team Spirit, Clinton denied there had been any decision.

"That is something that would have to be decided by both of us at a later date, depending on what would be done or not done by North Korea. We've made no decision on that and no commitment on that, and we couldn't now," Clinton said.

North Korea considers Team Spirit a provocative dress rehearsal for a U.S. military invasion.

An administration official who briefed reporters on condition he not be identified said the administration feels a sense of urgency in settling the nuclear issue.

Study: U.S. teens hold their own in school

By Carole Feldman
AP education writer

WASHINGTON — American teen-agers are holding their own in school, even improving their math skills, but they face dramatic challenges outside the classroom that threaten to drag them down, according to a statistical portrait of today's youth.

"We cannot be satisfied with just holding our own. It's not good enough in this new global economy," Education Secretary Richard Riley said Tuesday after sitting in on a seventh-grade math and science class and watching eighth-graders learn how to solve problems through mediation.

Riley went to Hine Junior High School, just a few blocks from the U.S. Capitol, to release the Education Department's "Youth Indicators 1993: Trends in the Well-Being of American Youth."

The 153-page study, filled with charts and tables, found that a much higher percentage of students are completing high school than in the 1950s and that college enrollment is at a record high. In 1991, 86 percent of high school seniors said they recognized the value of a good education.

But the study also shows that children today have a lot more to worry about than doing well in school.

"As children grow up, they must deal with the reality of violence, AIDS, drugs, the sheer drag of poverty," Riley told students, teachers and parents at the junior high.

Hine Principal Princess Whitfield said students are looking to the school as a haven from outside pressures. "It's a place where people care for them," she said. "A place where children can feel like children again."

Among the study's findings:

■ Twenty-four percent of children lived in single-parent families. In 1970, only 11 percent did. Among black children, 57 percent live with only one parent. Riley said schools must find innovative ways to involve single parents in their children's education.

■ Young people today are three times as likely to be murdered and twice as likely to commit suicide as teen-agers were in 1950, and the proportion of teens getting arrested has soared 30-fold over the same period. In 1990, 57 percent of Americans arrested for serious crimes were under 25, the report said.

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■ Eighty-eight percent of high school seniors said they have consumed alcoholic beverages sometime in their lives, with 51 percent having done so in the previous 30 days. But use of illegal drugs at least once has declined, from 65 percent in 1980 to 41 percent in 1992. Sixty-two percent of the 1992 seniors said they smoked cigarettes at least once, 28 percent in the previous 30 days.

The report said science scores for 9- and 13-year-olds were about the same in 1990 as they were in 1970, but fell for 17-year-olds. Proficiency in math was "significantly higher" in 1990 than it had been in 1978.

The study found no overall improvement in youths' reading skills from 1971 to 1990, but "increases in the scores of black and Hispanic 17-year-olds suggest improvements were made in the education of our less-advantaged students."

"American youth are getting the message that you aren't born smart, you get smart by studying and stretching your mind," Riley said. "They are increasingly aware that being a high school dropout is the dead-end road to failure."

Michael Calhoun, a ninth-grader at Hine, said the biggest challenge he faced was violence. "Too many kids are getting involved with drugs," he said, "and it's just a mad house," but school is safe.

Colicchio Proctor, president of the Hine Parent-Teacher Association and mother of a ninth-grader, said she makes a concerted effort to keep her son busy. "If you stay involved, if you keep him involved, it keeps him from being on the streets," she said.

Riley said the median income of young men has been "in a nose dive" since 1970. "Unless we educate these young men, unless we give them some economic hope, we have little chance of stemming the violence," he said.

Minister puts demonic tag on PBS' 'Barney'

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Forget Willie Horton. Religious conservatives have found a new political demon for the 1990s: Barney the purple dinosaur.

The popular PBS kids' show character is "straight out of the New Age and the world of demons and devils," says the Rev. Joseph R. Chambers, who runs a four-state radio ministry based in North Carolina.

Barney, adored by millions of toddlers and pre-schoolers, is yet another sign that "America is under siege from the powers of darkness," adds the politically active Chambers.

And for a donation to his 25-year-old Paw Creek Ministries in Charlotte, Chambers will send you a booklet explaining it all: "Barney the New Age Demon," recently retitled "Barney the Purple Messiah."

"It's a less provocative title," Chambers said in a telephone interview Tuesday as the booklet was being mailed to the 4,000 contributors who provide regular financial support to his radio ministry.

The new title reflects the political and religious atmosphere of the program, according to Chambers, whose broadcasts reach listeners in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Alabama.

"Barney is very much politically correct and liberal in its agenda," Chambers said. "He leads kids into a world of miracles and fantasy. It's a New Age philosophy which is the antithesis to the Scripture."

"That's pretty heavy talk for a purple dinosaur," responded Beth Ryan, a spokesperson for the Lyons Group, the Texas-based company that produces Barney and controls the multimillion-dollar merchandising industry the program has spawned.

Chambers has "a rather unique view" of Barney, Ryan said. "I would certainly hope he doesn't plan to use it in any kind of political campaign, because Barney doesn't believe in politics."

She added: "There is no subliminal or subversive message or intent behind the character. Barney is warm and friendly and loving and teaches children to accept other people and their differences."

That is what Chambers finds objectionable.

"Barney is teaching kids that we must accept everyone as they are — whether they're homosexuals or lesbians," said Chambers. "He teaches alternative families. And the program makes a purple dinosaur the hero of these kids instead of real-life heroes they should be imitating."

But Ryan countered: "Barney is a reassuring presence that is important in children's lives, particularly in this day and age."

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Hospital shoots for early '94

■ Expansion, renovation for support services, clinical needs, Emergency Department is to be ready for inspection in December, according to board.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

The north-side expansion of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center is to be ready for inspection in late December and for occupancy by early 1994, according to members of the hospital board.

"I am really excited about the new addition, because it does give all of the support services of the hospital the space they need to operate more efficiently," said Jean Pittman, president of the Midland County Hospital District board of directors.

The $22 million expansion and renovation are for support services and clinical needs, including an expanded Emergency Department.

Following the move into the expanded north side, architects, engineers and contractors will begin the renovation phase of select areas of the hospital.

The hospital directors on Tuesday also authorized the spending of $612,100 in hospital operating funds for renovating the 39-bed Medical Unit, known as Two West, on the west side of the hospital's original second floor.

"It's the oldest part of the hospital and the only part that has not been redone," Ms. Pittman said.

The renovation contract was awarded to Cooper Construction Co. of Odessa. Fifty percent of the cost is for mechanical and electrical work.

"We feel we can generate the revenue to pay for it,"

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WEDNESDAY DAY WATCH

Fall concert

VocalPoint, Midland College's performance vocal ensemble, is presenting its fall concert at 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 9, in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium. The public is invited to attend the free concert. Rob Hunt, instructor in commercial music, is director and piano accompanist for the group, which will present a variety of music styles and compositions, ranging from Broadway and jazz to country and rock. A selection of Christmas music also is on this program. Members of the group, chosen by audition, include: Shanna Brigman, Maria Kindade, Michelle Vann, Shanna Tomlinson, Brynna Scheumack, Stacy Tollison, Patricia Wade, Renea Osborn, Stephen Alexander, Daniel Salcedo, Alex Padilla, Eric Keathly, Brian Singletary, Anthony Niblett, and Deuce Niblett.

Thanksgiving meals

ODESSA — The Odessa Adult Probation Office and the Odessa Police Department Police Explorer Post #55 will be providing a meal to needy families during the Thanksgiving holidays. Approximately 30 families will be provided meals this year. The food itmes were contributed by felony probationers as part of their Community Service requirement. Members of the Explorers Post will begin distribution of the meals today.

Restoration seminar

Leroy Crouch is hosting a "Restoration Seminar" at Ramada Inn on Dec. 4, Dec. 5 and Dec. 11 at 2 p.m. and Dec. 6-Dec. 10 at 7 p.m. For more information call 686-8036 or 683-6555.

Flight restrictions

WASHINGTON — Kansas is renewing its challenge to flight restrictions at Dallas' Love Field, with its attorneys arguing Tuesday before a federal appeals court that the restraints are depriving consumers of their right to unrestricted travel. At issue is an amendment adopted by Congress in 1979 that prohibits airlines from offering non-stop service between Love Field and destinations outside of Texas and its four surrounding states — Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Survivors of Incest Anonymous, 7 p.m., 2514 W. Ohio Street, 570-0746.

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marienfeld, 3rd Floor Conference Room.

Gamblers Anonymous, 4601 Neely Avenue Room 6, 24-hour hotline 563-8836.

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

Singles Group, 1st United Methodist Church, 6:30-8 p.m., parlor.

Uptown Chapter of the Business & Professional Women luncheon meeting, The Petroleum Club 682-7356.

Midland Rape Crisis support for incest survivors, 11:30 a.m., call 682-7273 for confidential location.

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

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 South G Street, Info 570-8612

Permian Basin Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m., Allison Center.

Midland Downtown Lions Club noon, Midland Center.

MCC Womens Golf Association 9 a.m.

Westside Optimist, noon, Granada Club.

Midland County Advisory Committee on Aging, 10 a.m., County Commissioners' Courtroom.

UTPB Alumni Writers' Forum, 7:30 p.m., 8719 Pica Street, Odessa.

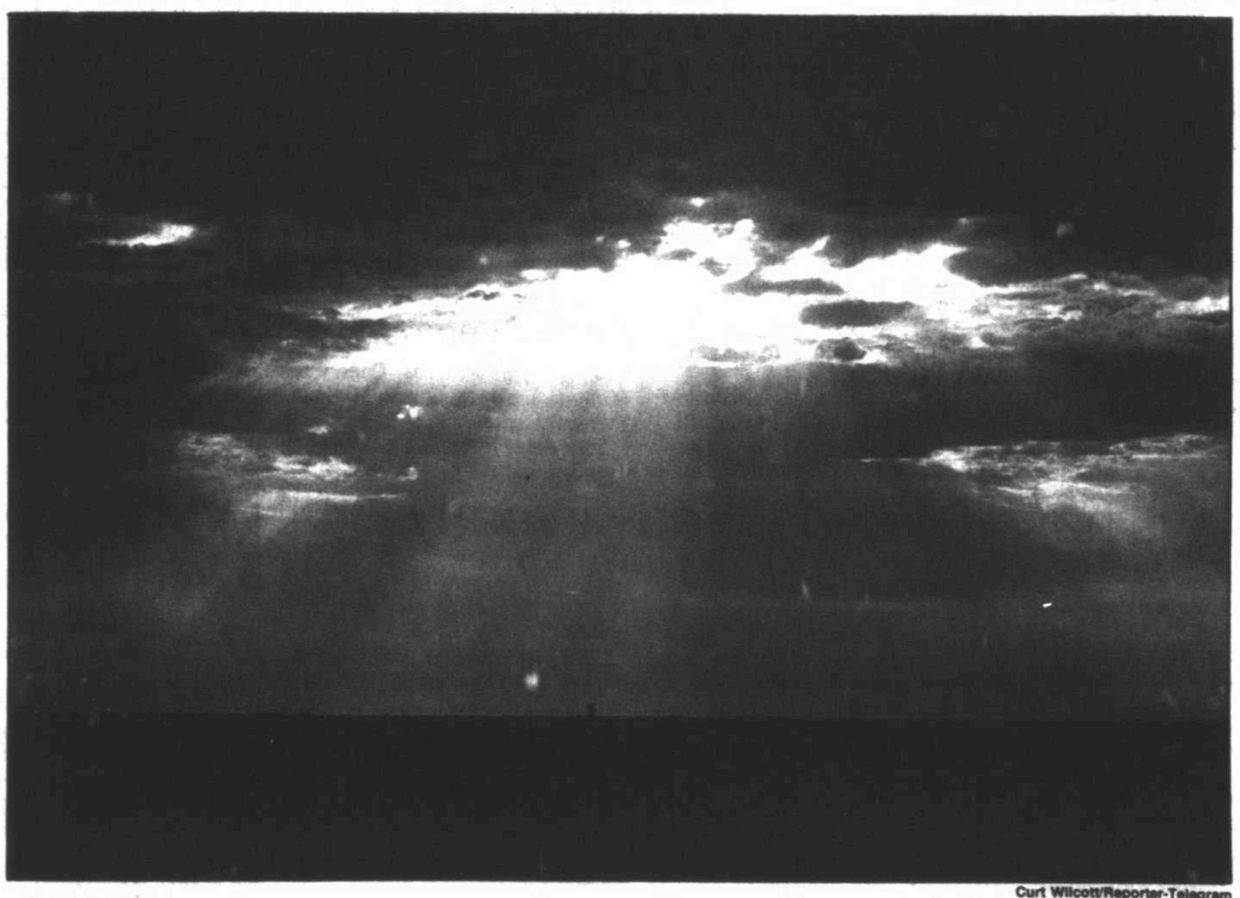
NARFE, Permian Basin Chapter 1281, 2 p.m., 3303 Illinois Avenue, 699-5023.

American Business Club, noon, Holiday Inn West.

Fraternal Order of Eagles Permain Aerie #2982 meets every Wednesday, 8 p.m. Aerie Home, behind Rogers Ford, W.Hwy.80 service road on Brinson Lane.

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers available 1-4 p.m. afternoons, Midland Public Library, to help beginning genealogists.

Midland Daybreak Rotary Club, 7 a.m., Ranchland Hills CC, 683-3000



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Setting sun

The setting sun provides a dramatic sky over Midland International Airport.

School counselor proposes students race against drugs

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Midland public school counselor and running enthusiast Alex Rose is drumming up support to set up a foot race against drugs.

She spoke about the "24-Hour Relay Challenge" — a community project and drug-free youth activity — at the Optimist Club at noon on Tuesday.

"It's a fund-raiser as well as a challenge. It's a community making the statement: 'We're going to do something.'" she said.

"As an MISD counselor my focus is on providing drug-free activities," Ms. Rose said.

She said the incidence of drug and alcohol abuse by Midland youth "is a huge monster and no one thing can solve this problem. But we can't give up. We must continue to progress inch by inch."

Ms. Rose said she has also presented the idea of the relay to the Project Awaken community task force on crime, alcohol and drug abuse.

The premise of the relay is for teams of 10 participants to walk or run one mile before passing a baton to a teammate. Each member of the team traverses the mile and then the team rotation starts over. The challenge: to repeat the rotation over and over for 24 hours.

"It could begin at 4 p.m. on a Friday and end at 4 p.m. Saturday," Ms. Rose said, noting the ideal scheduling for a local relay would be in spring or early fall.

About 30 teams of 10 participants are needed for a successful relay. Youth team fees could be about $300, translating to each student being responsible for raising about $30 each.

Proceeds from the event would benefit drug-free youth programs such as DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education), D-FY-IT (Drug Free Youth in Texas), Project Graduation and PAL (Peer Assistance Leadership).

Most communities conducting the relays have raised between $15,000 and $25,000. Food and health services for the event usually are donated, she said.

Ms. Rose showed a videotape of northern California high school students undertaking the relay. The video

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Poet to be part of contest awards ceremony at MC

Staff Report

Noted poet Paul Ruffin will be at Midland College on Dec. 3-4 as part of the Hilda Simmons Levitt Poetry Contest awards ceremony.

Ruffin, professor of English at Sam Houston State University, will present a free poetry reading at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 3, in the Roadrunner Room, Student Center.

Ruffin also will read during the 10:15 a.m. awards ceremony in the Roadrunner Room on Friday when winners of the poetry contest will be announced.

Ruffin earned his bachelor's and master's degrees from Mississippi State University and his Ph.D. from the Center for Writers at the University of Southern Mississippi. He also has done post-graduate studies at the University of Southampton, in Southampton, England.

He directs the English Writing Option at Sam Houston State, where he also is editor and poetry editor of The Texas Review, editor and director of Texas Review Press, and faculty advisor for the Sam Houston State Review.

Ruffian has published more than 500 poems, four books of poetry, more than 40 fiction stories, along with some long fiction and novels.

The Hilda Simmons Levitt Poetry Award is $500 and a Grand Award Plaque for first place, $300 and plaque for second, and $200 and plaque for third.

The award was established by Midlander Stanley Levitt in 1988 in memory of his late wife, who had graduated with honors in journalism from Louisiana State University, where she had studied under poet Robert Penn Warren. She was active in Midland and took creative writing courses at Midland College before to her death in 1986.

Billy Feeler, instructor in English, is serving as coordinator for the sixth annual poetry contest. Entrants must be current MC students in English classes or former students in MC English classes within the past year.

Other committee members include: Larry Griffin, chair of Fine Arts and Communications Division: and faculty members Glenda Lindsey-Hicks, Pamela R. Howell, Russell Goodyear, and Rebecca T. Watson.

Midland Hilton to provide free rooms for third year of 'Home for Holidays'

Staff Report

The Midland Hilton has announced that its "Home for the Holidays" program will for the third year provide complimentary accommodations at the hotel for families and friends visiting Midland-Odessa area families during the Christmas holiday.

The Midland Hilton will provide 25 guest rooms to residents of the Midland-Odessa area for their out-of-town guests during the holiday period.

Area residents may apply for the program by completing an application in one of five categories:

■ **Interesting Holiday Story.** Five rooms will be allotted for people with the most interesting story about the last time they visited their family or friends.

■ **Number of Relatives.** Another five rooms will be allotted for local families who will visit with the greatest number of relatives during the holidays.

■ **Greatest Distance.** Five more rooms will be allotted to area residents whose relatives or friends are traveling the greatest distance to the Midland-Odessa area for the holidays.

■ **Longest Separation.** An additional five rooms will be set aside for Midland/Odessa-area residents who have been separated for the longest time from their relatives or friends visiting for the holidays.

■ **Grandparents with Greatest Number of Grandchildren.** The final five rooms will be allotted to families who will be bringing together grandparents with the greatest number of grandchildren.

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Sliding down

Dusty Nobles, 7, tries to stand while sliding down an embankment behind the depot apartments last week in Waco. Nobles and several other children were challenging themselves on the hill.

AP Laserphoto

City Council denies zone change request in subdivision

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Briarwood residents convinced enough City Council members Tuesday to deny a zone change request that would have permitted a storage rental center between the subdivision and the proposed Wal-Mart super center.

The proposed zone change, requested by Clear Creek Cattle Co. Inc., was shot down 3-3 on second reading.

Bob Foster, director of the Briarwood Homeowners Association, said residents would prefer a business — such as a dentist or optometry office — permitted under current zoning.

A storage unit would not provide an adequate buffer between the neighborhood and the planned Wal-Mart, Foster said. The property is located at the southwest corner of Briarwood Avenue and Northcrest Drive.

Foster said businesses such as the storage center "tend to be high crime, high risk areas."

"We consider this not to be the type of use that belongs in this area," he said.

Two weeks ago at the first hearing on the proposed zone change, several residents expressed opposition to the proposal. In addition, builder Jim Leonard spoke out against the proposed zone change, which would affect his development of the neighborhood.

Cliff Rowe, who sought the zone change, did not appear at Tuesday's hearing. At the first hearing, he tried to assure residents that a storage center would be well-kept and low-traffic. In addition, a sightly fence would separate the business from the neighborhood, and the area would be lighted at night.

In other action Tuesday, the City Council amended the city code regarding group-care homes in residential areas as a liability precaution.

The measure, which will require a second reading, was unanimously approved.

The amendment essentially lays down criteria to accommodate group-care homes and insure consistency and fairness, requires a special use permit by group homes to access residential neighborhoods, and conforms to federal laws that prohibit discrimination of such homes in residential areas, according to Assistant City Manager Glen Hackler.

The amendment was prompted about a year and a half ago by concerns of the homeowners in Plantation Hills involving possible group home care in the neighborhood. At the time the city did not have any applicable zoning standards for group home care, officials said.

DEATHS

Brent VanderVelden

Memorial services for Brent VanderVelden, 29, are to be at 1 p.m. today at Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield, of West Kentucky Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home.

VanderVelden died Sunday.

He was born April 7, 1964.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Richard Whipple.

Survivors include his mother, Nelora Ann Keller of Midland; his father, Albert F. VanderVelden of California; his stepfather, B.A. Keller of Midland; two brothers, Toby Whipple and Jerry Whipple, both of California; a stepbrother, Kevin Keller of Midland; two sisters, Janaille Golledge of California and Lisa Bullock of Oklahoma; a stepsister, Suzie Seabourne of Odessa; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Townsend of Midland; and several aunts and uncles.

W.B. Roberts

SAN ANGELO — Services for W.B. Roberts, 92, of San Angelo are to be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Robert Massie Funeral Chapel. Burial will follow at Belvedere Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Robert Massie Funeral Chapel of San Angelo.

Roberts died Tuesday.

He was born Dec. 13, 1900, in Guadalupe County. He attended school in Kingsbury and Prairie Lea. He married Viola Johnson in 1925. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War I aboard the battleship New York. He was a stockman, investor and developer in the San Angelo area for 70 years. He began work as a tooldresser for Carl Cromwell and Texon Oil and Land Co. at Texon in 1923. He began stockfarming in 1929 near Littlefield. He moved back to San Angelo in 1934.

Survivors include two sons, W.B. Roberts Jr. of San Antonio and W.V. Red Roberts of Midland; a daughter, Helen Roberts Crews of Brownwood; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are to be Harold Gibbs, Dan Thompson, Spencer Kissell, Bill McManus, Joe L. McManus and Bob Nichols.

Dorothy Scobey

Memorial services for Dorothy June Wilson Scobey of Midland are to be at 3 p.m. today at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Marshall Mason officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Scobey died Sunday at her residence.

Dorothy Tharp

Memorial services for Dorothy Tharp of Midland are to be at 1 p.m. Friday at First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Steve Schorr officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Tharp died Tuesday at a local hospital.

Maxine Carson

Graveside services for Maxine Carson of Austin are to be at 2 p.m. Friday at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Bill Heggemeier, of Aldersgate United Methodist Church of Odessa, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carson died Monday at an Austin hospital.

Kevin Leierer

CONROE — Services for Kevin Clay Leierer, 36, of Panorama Village are to be at 2 p.m. Friday at Cashner Colonial Chapel in Conroe. Burial will follow at Garden Park Cemetery under the direction of Cashner Funeral Home.

Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Leierer died Monday in Houston.

He was born May 31, 1957, in Chickasha, Okla. He was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of Memorial Christian Church in Midland, Professional Bowlers Association, Montgomery County Bowlers Association and the Harris County Bowlers Association.

Survivors include his parents, Marilyn and Mel Leierer of Panorama Village; a sister, Marla McCullough of Houston; his grandmother, Oleta Reeves of Panorama Village; and two nephews.

Pallbearers are to be Gene Ligon, David Gerber, Wayne Diver, Jerry Diver, Sam Nichols and Larry Patterson.

Honorary pallbearers are to be Mike Prado, Camillo Prado, Ricardo Prado, Edgard Prado, Germain Prado and Fernando Prado.

Lois Johnson

SAN ANGELO — Services for Lois E. Johnson, 60, of Zephyr, mother of Gaye Biehl of Midlabd, are to be at 10 a.m. Friday at Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Todd Nelson, of Our Savior's Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Fairmount Cemetery under the direction of Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo.

Ms. Johnson died Tuesday at her residence.

She was born Sept. 27, 1933, in Junction. She was co-owner of Elder Well Service and a member of Our Saviors Church.

Other survivors include a son, Johnny Johnson of Breckenridge; another daughter, Nona Magrauer of Zephyr; her mother, Ither Fletcher of San Angelo; three sisters, Beth Jensen and Louise Newberry, both of San Angelo, and Chris Sanders of Junction; two brothers, Joe Baggett of Houston and Jimmy Baggett of Brownwood; eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Charles Wallace

Services for Charles N. Wallace of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Wallace died Tuesday at a local hospital.

Pearl Cherry

Services for Pearl E. Cherry of Midland are pending with Midland Funeral Home.

She died Tuesday at a local hospital.

POLICE REPORTS

Monday

Burglary of a Residence: David Holguin reported a residential burglary at 416 E. Dormard Ave. at 7:10 p.m. No other information was available.

Burglary of a vehicle: Simon Saldana reported five cases of beer taken from Al's Grocery Store, 1203 N. Lamesa Road, at 5:54 p.m.

Tuesday

Burglary of a residence: Kirby Allen reported at 9:42 a.m. that he came out of his bathroom at 601 George Avenue #109, and saw a black male in a leather jacket and gray pants in the residence. The subject escaped down an alley. The subject, identified as 22-year-old Melvin Reed, was later arrested in the 1400 block of Marienfield Street.

Burglary of a vehicle: Elizabeth Wade, of 4601 Erie Drive, reported the incident at 9:07 a.m. No other information was available.

Theft: Vernon McNew, of 4414 Versailles Drive, reported incident at 11:09 a.m. No other information was available.

HOME: Hilton to provide 25 rooms

(From 1B)

Area residents interested in applying for the program must complete an application form available at the front desk of the Hilton, 117 W. Wall, or mail a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: "Home for the Holidays," Midland Hilton, 117 W. Wall, Midland, 79701.

For additional information, call 683-6131.

RELAY: Counselor suggests challenge

(From 1B)

featured national relay challenge consultant Rick Phillips. Students arrived for the event with sleeping bags, tents and supplies. Sports activities and games were conducted between laps.

Phillips noted that some students get tired or have sore feet. "There will be some discomfort, but that is what makes the students stretch and do more than they thought they could. They take this feeling beyond the relay ... They experience a natural risk, adventure or challenge."

Ms. Rose said if the event garners community support, it could be organized by a steering committee of 10 students and 20 adults. Several members of the Optimist Club professed support for the relay Tuesday.

Claudia Eagan, Midland City Council member and chairwoman of the Project Awaken drug task force, was not available for comment Tuesday.

BOARD: Members says hospital to be ready in early '94

(From 1B)

said hospital spokeswoman Laurie Johnson.

None of the $22 million bond funds for the expansion-renovation project will be used in the Two West renovation, she said.

The hospital, which was opened in 1950 as a community hospital, has expanded into a 279-bed regional hospital and medical center.

Renovation of the west-side Medical Unit calls for enlarging the private room, reducing the bed count by a half dozen beds, upgrading the nurses station, creating more privacy for the patients and ready-access of hospital equipment — such as diagnostic equipment — to the rooms.

"It is for patients' safety and for infection control," Ms. Johnson said. "It's to best meet the patient-care needs and to best serve the patient."

Occupancy rate for the unit has been 84 percent, she said.

"It is a major second-floor medical unit," said Harold Rubin, hospital president.

"We are going to lose about six beds in modernizing and upgrading that whole area," which is part of the oldest area of the hospital. In that unit, internists and general practitioners will be treating patients who, for example, suffer from pneumonia, diabetes and chronic illnesses.

The north-side expansion project, which got under way in May 1992, includes expanded space for the Clinical Laboratory and materials-and-supply departments, which are key support areas, Rubin said.

The expansion includes the new 18-room Emergency Department, a Testing and Diagnostic Center for same-day surgery outpatients, holding beds and quick, improved access to the hospital.

"Everything is designed for improved patient flow for outpatients and an improved waiting area," Rubin said.

"We are trying to adapt to changes in technology.""

He said that, unlike a generation ago when hospitals were designed for inpatient use, more than 50 percent of all surgery in the hospital is on an outpatient or ambulatory basis.

"We are trying to adapt our facilities to accommodate those changes," he said.

The renovation-expansion project is also for improved areas for radiology and the pharmacy.

Rubin said hospital administration, staff and officials are excited about the expansion-renovation project.

"We feel like the hospital is going to be a really user-friendly facility," Rubin said. "In retrospect, we feel the decisions we made were positive ones in positioning the hospital for the future."

MC EMS to conduct extrication exercise, invites people to watch

Staff Report

Hollywood movies, television shows such as "Rescue 911," and local television news occasionally depict the rescue of injured persons from inside wrecked vehicles.

But the brief segments don't show the intensive training required by professionals to learn the proper techniques.

You are invited to watch training for such emergency situations at Midland College on Saturday, Dec. 4, when the MC Emergency Medical Services Program conducts an extrication exercise. The exercise is being held from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on the parking lot near the Health Sciences Building.

Included will be demonstrations by the Midland Fire Department, as well as confined space rescue supervised and taught to the current Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) students as they go through the rescue operations.

The EMT students will also practice rescuing and stabilizing patients who have been made-up to simulate injuries that might be received in major crashes such as one-car rollovers and two-car accidents.

"Extrication day is an exercise mandated by the Texas Department of Health as part of the EMT training process," said Gary Roberts, Midland College EMS instructor. "Since crowds always seem to gather at accidents, spectators who attend can also help to train the students in crowd control as they learn pre-hospital emergency care."

The wrecked autos will be furnished by B&B Wrecker and Recovery of Midland.

A confined space simulation trailer will be provided by the AMOCO Hazardous Emergency Action Heat Team. The Midland Fire Department will do rescue car "busting" as if it were a real-case scenario.

Tigua Indians open high-stakes bingo hall

By Eduardo Montes
Associated Press Writer

EL PASO — The Tigua Indians threw open the doors to a high-stakes bingo hall with eager anticipation Tuesday night, hoping their first gambling venture will be the forerunner of a full-fledged casino.

Hundreds of enthusiastic people lined up outside the 900-seat Speaking Rock Bingo and Entertainment Center on the tribe's El Paso County reservation hours before the hall even opened.

The early arrivals were entertained by tribal singers belting out ritual songs to the accompaniment of reverberating, drums while a young man clad in white eagle headdress and wings circled in front of the center's doors in a traditional dance.

Then tribal leaders came forward to praise the tribe's newest — and they believe most promising — commercial endeavor.

"Our people have traveled a road of poverty," said tribal Gov. Julian Granillo. "Today is a new beginning for our people."

The high-stakes "superbingo" offers sessions six days a week with prizes ranging from $400 to progressive jackpots of up to $10,000 and $50,000.

That was enough to quicken the pulses of gambling enthusiasts like Carl Marks, who said he has played high-stakes bingo in Las Vegas, although he doesn't see as much need to travel now.

"If they had this type of gambling here, there's really no reason why I have to leave town," said Marks, who said he will return to Speaking Rock if he enjoys his first session.

That's the kind of thing tribal leaders want to hear, although the opening of the gaming center has them seeing more than just dollar signs. They also see the beginning of a new age of self-sufficiency for the Tiguas.

Projections say Speaking Rock could generate up to $6 million for the tribe each year. Seven Circle Resorts, the management company hired to run it, has guaranteed the tribe will receive at least $50,000 each month.

The tribe is hoping the facility will eventually give way to a more lucrative casino, but the state has refused to negotiate on a necessary gambling treaty and forced the Tiguas to file suit in federal court.

The Tiguas won the first round of the legal battle when U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton recently ordered Texas to negotiate the compact which will allow them to build the proposed $70 million gaming complex.

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Early discovery of hearing impairment gives babies head start

By Bob Mahlburg
Associated Press Writer

FORT WORTH — Many 2-month-old babies can babble and recognize their parents' voices. But Zachary Flores of Fort Worth at 2 months was being fitted for infant-size hearing aids.

A high-tech test detected a severe hearing problem minutes after his birth. Zachary was lucky. Harris Methodist Southwest, the hospital where he was born, began using the test only the day before. Had Zachary been born hours earlier, or somewhere else, his problem might have gone undetected for months or years.

Generally, birth defects involving hearing aren't found until kids are 2½ years old — after the most crucial months for language development.

The hospital with Tarrant County's most births, taxpayer-owned John Peter Smith Hospital, has just begun using the hearing test.

As the result of lobbying by the Hearing Health Institute, a nonprofit Fort Worth group, JPS has begun testing premature babies and other "at-risk" newborns. An "auditory brainstem response" machine will silently screen a sleeping baby's hearing using electrodes stuck to the head.

"From the beginning we felt John Peter Smith is important because that's where the most at-risk births occur," says Halden Conner, chairman of the 4-year-old Hearing Institute.

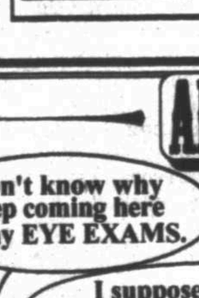
Not finding the problem early can cause serious problems with speech, damage social and emotional skills, and hurt later school performance and careers, according to the National Institutes of Health. Children whose parents are poor or have language problems of their own are often more impaired, the institute said.

The Hearing Institute already has helped start testing of newborns at Harris Methodist and is pushing to start screening at All Saints and Huguley, institute director Lou Allen said. Newborns at most area hospitals aren't tested unless parents ask, and pediatricians' offices aren't equipped to do such tests, she said.

One in 1,000 babies is born deaf. The National Institutes of Health, a federal agency, recommends that all newborns be tested in the first three months and that all intensive-care babies be checked before leaving the hospital.

Zachary's mother, Cheryl, is an infant critical care nurse at JPS. But she and her husband, Joseph, a Fort Worth police officer, first heard of the test from their doctor at Harris Southwest, and they didn't pay much attention at first.

"The test was mentioned to us only briefly," Cheryl Flores recalled. "We were shocked to learn he didn't pass."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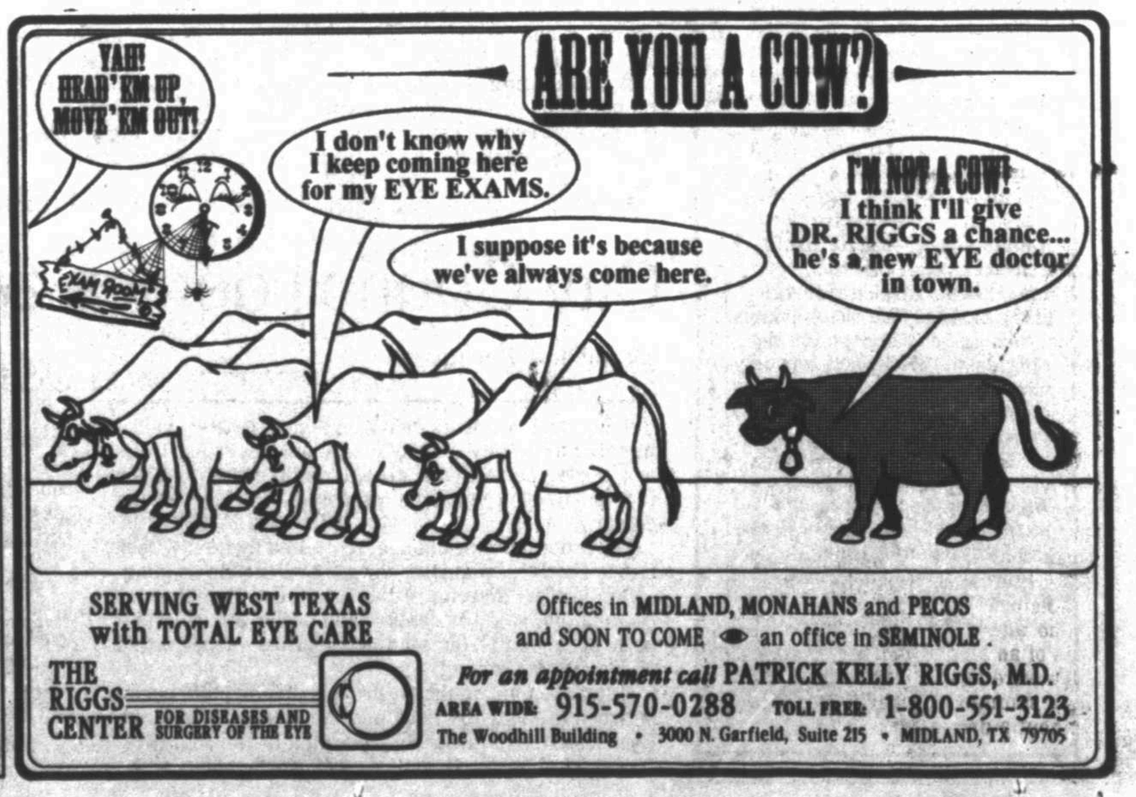
Midland Wal-mart to make donation

Staff Report

The Midland Wal-Mart store will make a special holiday contribution to High Sky Children's Ranch. The amount of the contribution will be based on a percentage of store sales from 7-10 a.m. Friday. Last year, more than $2.6 million was donated to local charities in Wal-Mart communities across the country.

"We are pleased to provide this additional support for High Sky Children's Ranch," said Tom Van Vranken, local store manager. "We have a continuing emphasis to support our community, and a commitment to caring and sharing throughout the year."



The State in brief

■ Man dies trying to save children from blaze

LUBBOCK — A 25-year-old man who tried to save two children from their burning home has died of injuries from the blaze.

Bryan Miller, 8, and Brittany Miller, 5, remain in critical condition at University Medical Center.

Firefighters pulled the siblings from the flames after Robert Hurt was burned trying to reach them early Monday.

Their mother, 29-year-old Dana Miller, suffered serious injuries in the fire believed sparked by a portable heater.

Two older siblings escaped through a bedroom window and are listed in satisfactory condition.

Hurt, who lived at the house but was not related to the family, died Monday night at UMC. Firefighters say the six occupants apparently were asleep when the fire started at about 2:30 a.m.

■ Autopsy finds cocaine, alcohol in pilot

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — An autopsy found evidence of cocaine, alcohol and a sedative in the body of the pilot of a plane that crashed near Santa Fe, killing seven Houston residents, the Office of the Medical Investigator said.

The autopsy report on pilot Eldon Sumrall, 45, released Monday said he died of multiple blunt force injuries.

The autopsy by medical investigator Kurt B. Nolte said there was evidence of cocaine, ethanol and the sedative-hypnotic medication meprobamate in Sumrall's body. The toxicology report listing exact amounts of the substances was listed as pending Tuesday and had not been released by the OMI.

Sumrall was the pilot of a private Learjet that slammed into Rowe Mesa about 30 miles southeast of Santa Fe on a Labor Day weekend pleasure flight. The plane was en route to Santa Fe from Houston.

All seven occupants of the 13-year-old, 10-seat airplane were killed on impact, authorities said.

■ Appeals court upholds Dallas' teen curfew

DALLAS — A federal appeals court has upheld Dallas' teen curfew, overturning a lower court ruling that prompted Fort Worth to drop its curfew and caused other cities to delay implementation of similar ordinances.

City officials said Monday that the curfew for youths 16 and under, which had been ruled unconstitutional by a federal judge in Dallas, will probably take effect in about a month.

"I view this as a slam-dunk for the city of Dallas," City Attorney Sam A. Lindsay said Monday of the ruling from the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. "It is a landmark decision with national implications."

Lindsay told The Dallas Morning News that the ruling Friday in New Orleans was the first federal appeals court ruling on a teen curfew. He said several cities were watching the case before drafting their own curfew ordinances.

The Dallas City Council passed the ordinance in 1991 but decided not to enforce it after the American Civil Liberties Union filed a class-action lawsuit saying it violated the rights of juveniles.

The city of Fort Worth passed a similar ordinance in 1992, but took it off the books after Dallas federal Judge Jerry Buchmeyer's ruled against Dallas last summer.

Although Dallas officials said they expected to begin enforcing the curfew in about a month, Fort Worth city spokesman Pat Svacina predicted that city would be more cautious in changing policy again.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Defendants discuss deal in murder-for-hire case

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Two people charged with arranging a contract killing of a high school honor student may be open to plea bargains, their attorneys suggested Tuesday.

Cameron County District Attorney Luis Saenz confirmed that his office was discussing possible deals with Maria Mercedes Martinez, a 72-year-old reputed folk healer and fortune teller, and Daniel Garza, reputed to be one of Mrs. Martinez's clients.

Mrs. Martinez and Garza, 43, are accused of passing money from Dora Garcia Cisneros to the alleged killers of Joey Fischer, 18. Mrs. Cisneros is the wife of prominent Brownsville surgeon David Cisneros.

Fischer reportedly broke up a relationship with the Cisneros' youngest daughter about nine months before he was gunned down on March 3.

The indictment alleges that two Mexican nationals, identified as Israel Olivares and Heriberto Puentes Pizana, carried out the hit in front of Fischer's home in the fashionable suburban community of Rancho Viejo.

Olivares and Puentes are still fugitives. All five defendants are charged with capital murder and would face the death penalty or life in prison if convicted.

Garza's attorney, Fred Galindo, said a possible plea agreement was in the prosecutor's hands.

"Whether there is one is up to the district attorney's office, whether they want to be reasonable," Galindo said.

During a pretrial hearing Tuesday, District Judge Rogelio Valdez rejected a motion to keep Garza's statements to investigators from entering into evidence at trial.

Mrs. Martinez's attorney, Edmund Cyganiewicz, said that he will renew plea bargain negotiations if Judge Valdez also rejects a similar motion to suppress Mrs. Martinez's alleged confession to investigators.

Valdez was scheduled to hear Mrs. Martinez's motion to suppress on Wednesday morning.

Cyganiewicz said he was close to reaching a deal for his client. "It's just a matter of finalizing the details," he said.

During the hearing on his motion to suppress statements, Garza told the court that he worked with drywall and other manual jobs. He said he could barely write his name.

Garza, a Mexican national who resides legally in San Antonio, testified in Spanish that he wasn't told his constitutional rights to remain silent or to have an attorney present before he began cooperating with investigators.

But sheriff's detective Abel Perez Jr., the lead investigator in the case, testified that Garza volunteered that he was "up to his neck" in the case. Garza made the statement within minutes after detectives first contacted him in San Antonio on March 31, Perez said.

Perez testified that he read Garza his rights and that Garza cooperated willingly until his arrest in early June.

As part of that cooperation, Garza wore a recording device in two meetings with Mrs. Martinez, Perez and Garza testified.

Attorneys said Mrs. Martinez also helped prosecutors by wearing a recording device in a meeting with Mrs. Cisneros just before the surgeon's wife was arrested in April.

The taped conversations have not been made public.

Cyganiewicz said the district attorney's office initially told him that only one of the defendants would get a plea bargain.

"But if they want to make another one, that's up to them," he said, referring to Garza's case.

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Commission hears about alcohol bans

AUSTIN (AP) — Several lawmakers and a member of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission said Tuesday they don't think cities and counties have the authority to ban alcoholic beverage consumption in parks.

But representatives of local governments defended their power to impose such prohibitions, calling them important to residents' health and safety.

"We regulate where and how fast people may drive. We regulate where they may smoke. We regulate where the people of Texas may swim in the Gulf . . . We even regulate where people may raise chickens and horses," said Galveston Mayor Barbara Crews. "Please allow us to continue to regulate where people may consume alcohol."

She said Galveston officials planned to continue enforcing their ban.

Any move the commission could make to help clarify the matter — such as asking for a state attorney general's opinion — likely has been pre-empted by a Harris County resident's lawsuit challenging the ban there, said TABC member Neal Manne of Houston.

Manne said he doesn't think local governments have the power to impose park bans on alcohol, but he thinks cities should be given that authority. He said he asked for Tuesday's discussion on the matter because questions have been raised on the bans, imposed by "many, many, many" local governments.

A bill in this year's legislative session to specifically give local governments the power to ban alcohol in parks didn't pass.

Some lawmakers said they would try again in the 1995 regular legislative session and asked the commission to do what it can to help local governments in the meantime.

"If there is a way that you can help us through this interim, then we will make it airtight when we come back in 1995," said Rep. Patricia Gray, D-Galveston. "I don't think that there is a city in this state that is not facing this as a problem."

She added that with the extension of an alcohol ban in her area, "We were able to get through our first summer in nearly 35 years without a drowning."

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Kansas seeks to undo flight restrictions at Dallas airport

WASHINGTON (AP) — Kansas is renewing its challenge to flight restrictions at Dallas' Love Field, with its attorneys arguing Tuesday before a federal appeals court that the restraints are depriving consumers of their right to unrestricted travel.

At issue is an amendment adopted by Congress in 1979 that prohibits airlines from offering non-stop service between Love Field and destinations outside of Texas and its four surrounding states — Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico.

Passengers outside the restricted zone can use Love Field, but only if they change planes first and recheck their luggage within the five-state area and then fly into Dallas — which requires double-ticketing.

Named after its author, former House Speaker Jim Wright of Fort Worth, the measure was crafted to protect the then-fledgling Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport from competition at the older Love Field.

Opponents contend that the Wright Amendment deprives travelers from outside the five-state area of the cheaper air fares offered at Love Field by Southwest Airlines. They also contend reduced airline competition has caused higher fares for flights into Dallas from Kansas and other nearby states.

Only Southwest now operates out of Love Field, which is about five miles from downtown Dallas.

The Kansas congressional delegation, led by Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole and Rep. Dan Glickman, has sought unsuccessfully for years to repeal the measure. If the restrictions are lifted, Glickman has said he hopes Southwest, a no-frills, low-fare airline, will provide direct service to Wichita.

In light of the difficulty of repeal, Kansas officials turned to the courts. A federal judge in Washington earlier this year rejected arguments by the state of Kansas, the Wichita Airport Authority and others that the Wright Amendment is unfair.

In oral arguments Tuesday before a three-judge panel of the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals here, Kansas Deputy Attorney General John W. Campbell said the amendment discriminates against passengers beyond the five-state area.

"What worries us most about the Wright Amendment is we have a situation where we believe Congress gave preferential treatment to other states," Campbell said.

But, countered Judge Laurence H. Silberman: "It seems to me what Congress did was favor one port in Texas over another port in Texas."

The attorney representing D-FW Airport, Thomas Lenhart,

agreed, saying if there's any discrimination it's between the two airports — not with other states.

The Kansas attorneys also argued that the Wright Amendment infringes on the free speech rights of airlines and travel agents, who aren't allowed to volunteer information about price-savings with double-ticketing through Love Field.

"As of today, the government persists in suppressing speech," said David J. Gallo, who represents the Wichita Airport Authority and is a special assistant attorney general.

But, said Lenhart: "We would submit here this is an extraordinarily focused, narrow limitation."

A ruling in the case could come within the next few months.

Counsel: Many Texans in dark about coverage

AUSTIN (AP) — The state's advocate for insurance consumers said Tuesday that she's worried by findings of a new poll indicating many Texans don't understand their insurance policies.

"Let's face it, insurance policies will never top any best-seller list. But the fact that so many Texans are in the dark about their own insurance coverage should be a cause for concern," said Amy Johnson, the state's public insurance counsel.

According to a new Texas Poll, only half the respondents had read their automobile or homeowners insurance policies. Sixty percent of college graduates who had read the policies said they were difficult to understand, Ms. Johnson said.

"Almost all of those who didn't read their policy — 85 percent — said they relied on their agents to ensure that their coverage was adequate," she said.

But Ms. Johnson warned that consumers who don't read or understand their policies could learn too late that their coverage isn't adequate. For example, homeowners coverage purchased 20 years ago may not cover the current market value of a house.

She said the poll also indicates that many drivers are unsure whether their insurance company rates are regulated by the state.

While Ms. Johnson estimated that about 15 percent of drivers are insured through county mutual companies, which aren't regulated and often charge much higher rates while serving higher risk drivers, only 3 percent of those polled said they were in county mutuals.

"Finally, the poll indicates that a lot of people still don't shop around for the best insurance rates and coverage," she said. "More than a third of Texans polled said they had talked to only one agent before buying their current policies."

Jerry Johns, an insurance industry spokesman, said the low number of people who read their policies is something insurers have tried to reverse by making the documents easier to read.

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Miodrag Dordevic, 57, gets a last handshake from a friend before being evacuated on a stretcher from Sarajevo by United Nations soldiers Tuesday. In Geneva, international mediators were hopeful that the political and military leaders of Bosnia's Muslim, Serb and Croat factions would agree to resume peace talks next week along with the presidents of Serbia and Croatia.

Relief convoys race food to starving Bosnians

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — The first relief convoys in four weeks headed to central Bosnia on Tuesday to ease the plight of hundreds of thousands in dire need of food.

U.N. officials were confident the two convoys would reach their destination on Wednesday and that more would follow.

Still, there was no guarantee that local military commanders would let the convoys pass, despite an agreement late last week by leaders of Bosnia's warring factions to stop blocking the trucks.

The convoys were headed from Croatia to Zenica in central Bosnia, the starting point for aid to about 800,000 people. Food stocks in a U.N. warehouse there are nearly exhausted.

"By tomorrow, we really should be pumping aid into Zenica," Peter Kessler, a spokesman for the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees in Sarajevo, said Tuesday, adding that he hoped that as many as 10 convoys a day could move into central Bosnia within a week.

In Geneva, international mediators were hopeful that peace talks would resume Monday between the political and military leaders of Bosnia's Muslim, Serb and Croat factions along with the presidents of Serbia and Croatia.

Blockage of U.N. aid has been used as a weapon by all sides in the 19-month-old war, which started when Serbs rebelled against a vote by Bosnia's Muslims and Croats to secede from Yugoslavia. More than 200,000 people have been killed and more than 2 million are homeless.

An estimated 2.7 million Bosnians are at risk from cold and starvation. And the need has been more urgent by the arrival of frigid, snowy weather much earlier than usual in Bosnia's second winter of war.

U.N. convoys to central Bosnia were suspended Oct. 26, the day after a Danish driver of an aid truck was shot to death.

The latest aid was being taken by peacekeepers in U.N. military vehicles .

Russia considers return to old Czarist emblem

MOSCOW (AP) — The Communist hammer-and-sickle may be replaced with a new national emblem reaching even further back into Russian history: a double-headed eagle that for centuries proclaimed the military might of the czars.

A commission to name a new national emblem rejected proposals such as bears and birch trees in favor of the golden, double-headed eagle on red background.

"The idea was to restore Russia's historical heraldry, even if its elements were unrelated to the current political situation," Georgy Vilinbakhov, head of the national heraldic service, said Tuesday.

The design must now be approved by President Boris Yeltsin and parliament.

The government has wanted a new crest to replace the hammer-and-sickle, symbol of the peasants and workers, since the Soviet collapse more than two years ago.

After the abortive hard-line coup in 1991, elated citizens pulled down statues of Lenin and other Communist luminaries. There have also been proposals to remove Lenin's embalmed body from its Red Square mausoleum.

Yeltsin also replaced the red Soviet flag with a white, red and blue banner that also dates back to pre-revolutionary Russia.

In the spirit of the new, capitalist times, the government hopes to make money by selling the right to use the new crest in trademarks and commercial logos, said commission chairman Rudolf Pikhoya.

The eagle holds a scepter in its right talon and an orb in its left, he said. In the center of the crest is an image of Russia's historic guardian, St. George, slaying the dragon.

The double-headed eagle has already made an unofficial comeback, adorning many business logos and even appearing — without its crowns — on some Russian coins.

Pikhoya said the historic bird would replace the hammer-and-sickle that still adorns the badges and buttons of millions of Russian servicemen and police officers. It will also be emblazoned on flags flown at Russian embassies abroad and on the president's official flag.

The current design of the Russian flag used for other occasions will remain unchanged.

Pikhoya said one proposal was to adopt the emblem of the provisional government that took over when Czar Nicholas II's regime collapsed in 1917: a double-headed eagle stripped of its crowns, scepter and the orb.

The idea was rejected, he said, because it had "bad associations" — the provisional government was overthrown by the Bolsheviks after only nine months.

Introducing a new coat of arms proved to be a bit tricky since the emblem requires parliamentary approval. Russia's parliament was a bastion of hard-line opposition to Yeltsin's reforms and it rejected the double-headed eagle last year.

Yeltsin disbanded parliament in September, wrote a new constitution and called elections for December. His supporters are expected to comprise a solid majority in the new parliament — and expected to endorse Yeltsin's choice of a new national emblem.

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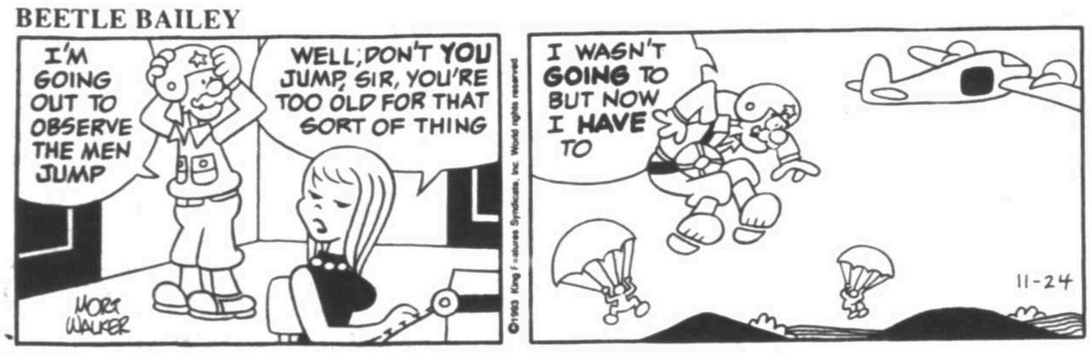

YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1993

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Use your special gift for gab and the sky is the limit where success is concerned. Early in 1994, set specific personal goals and stick to them. A strong display of independence or temper could cause some romantic friction next spring. Curb a tendency to be too blunt when dealing with friends and family members. Diplomacy and compromise will help you win their whole-hearted support!

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: columnist William F. Buckley Jr., composer Scott Joplin, pitcher Ben McDonald, artist Henri Toulouse-Lautrec.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Take advantage of the slower pace at work to tend to personal affairs. Travel is best postponed. A neighborhood function may hold special appeal. Promote family harmony.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Keep your ear to the ground for job leads or financial tips. You are ready to move ahead into unexplored areas. Good news arrives in the form of a fax or phone call.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Be determined but not stubborn. This is a critical distinction when dealing with employers or clients. Dine with old friends this evening. You may not know someone as well as you think!

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A great day for those in the arts. Take care of old business before becoming involved in a new project. Bargains abound for those who comparison shop. Process all checks and paperwork promptly.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): An offer that promises long-term benefits is worth close consideration today. It may be your chance to become part of a winning duo. Take a rain check on romance this evening.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You may have a tough time getting started today. Bruised feelings or additional chores could make you feel resentful. Avoid exchanging sharp words. Preparing for tomorrow's festivities can be great therapy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Fresh beginnings and new alliances await you. Take advantage of the love and luck they offer. Newcomers bring welcome information. Allow yourself plenty of time if taking a long journey by car.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Discuss your aspirations with a person who understands your ambitions; the two of you will think as one today! A cautious approach is advised when shopping. Leave your credit cards at home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A stroke of genius wins you a new ally today. Your activity level soars when you team up with people who are on the same wavelength. Throw a pre-Thanksgiving party this evening.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): The financial forecast is brighter than ever; keep the big picture in sight. Cheerful cooperation should come easily now with results that you will like. Show your gentler side.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Although partnerships thrive today, there could be a few sour notes in romance. Focus on what you and your pals can do to help one another. Stick to the tried-and-true.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A visitor may share an idea that helps you overcome a roadblock to a creative project. Welcome this person's financial backing as well. Love can blossom when least expected.

TODAY'S CHILDREN will be both bright and disorganized. Quick to launch new projects, these Sagittarians frequently fail to complete them. Wise parents will urge these youngsters to persevere and have more patience. Hospitable and popular with the opposite sex, these Sagittarians are usually the leader of their social set.

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♠ A J 8 4
♡ 7 5 3 2
◇ A J
♣ 7 6 4

WEST
♠ 9 6
♡ A K Q 10
◇ 10 8 4 3
♣ K J 9

EAST
♠ 7 5
♡ J 9 4
◇ Q 7 6 5
♣ 10 5 3 2

SOUTH
♠ K Q 10 3 2
♡ 8 6
◇ K 9 2
♣ A Q 8

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Dbl	Rdbl	Pass
Pass	2 ♡	2 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: King of ♡

Study the hands in the diagram. Would you rather play or defend four spades after West cashes the ace and king of hearts and continues with the queen?

Note that contrary to what many believe a redouble does not deny a fit for opener's suit, although that could easily be the case. Without sophisticated methods, it is the only way to show a hand of 10 points or better with support and North's two bids in this sequence confirmed a minimum with at least three spades. South needed no further encouragement.

Obviously, the problem is to avoid losing two club tricks. The simple way is to draw trumps and try the club finesse. Not good enough. Slightly more convoluted is to attempt the diamond hook. No better.

Far superior is to cash the ace and king of diamonds, then ruff a diamond and ruff a heart high. Draw trumps ending in dummy and lead a club. If East plays low, insert the eight. West can win cheaply, but then must either lead a club into your ace-queen tenace or else concede a ruff-sluff.

Unfortunately, East can ruin this elegant plan by inserting the ten of clubs when the suit is led. West will be able to win and exit safely with a club. Down one.

The best plan after drawing trumps and eliminating diamonds is to lead the table's last heart. If East produces the remaining heart (impossible on the auction), you will have to fall back on the club finesse. But when East shows out, discard a club from hand and West is truly endplayed. A club is into your tenace and a diamond gives you a ruff-sluff. Making four-odd.

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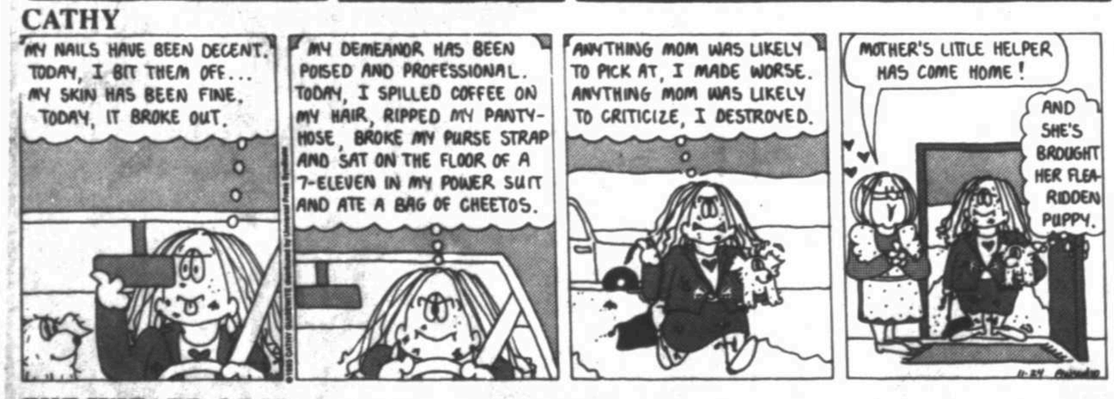

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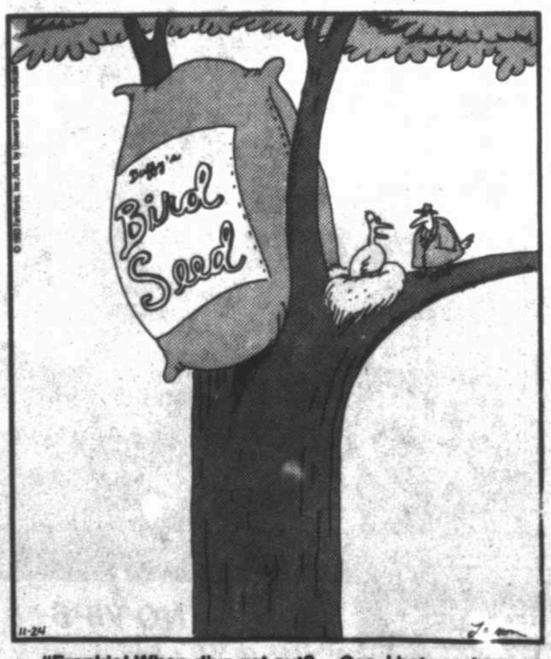

"Frankie! When d'ya get out?... Gee, I bet you been sittin' in da cage wonderin' where me and da loot wuz! ...Oh, Frankie, Frankie ... heh heh heh ... Want some coffee?"

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"MAYBE IT WOULD HELP TO TALK TO THEM LIKE MOM DOES TO HER PLANTS."

PEOPLE

Can Timothy Dalton make stretch from superspy to Southern hulk?

ATLANTA — Can British actor **Timothy Dalton** make the stretch from superspy to Southern hunk?

Producer **Robert Halmi** evidently thinks so.

He says he's wrapping up contract talks with the 49-year-old Dalton to portray **Rhett Butler** in the CBS miniseries "Scarlett," The Atlanta Journal-Constitution reported Tuesday.

Producer wraps up contract talks with Timothy Dalton.

Halmi also cast **Sir John Gielgud** as **Scarlett O'Hara's** Irish grandfather, and **Esther Rolle**, of television's "Good Times," in the TV version of **Alexandra Ripley's** sequel to **Margaret Mitchell's** "Gone With the Wind," the newspaper reported.

Besides Dalton, who played **James Bond** in "The Living Daylights" and "Licence to Kill," Halmi said **Ann-Margret** may portray Atlanta madam **Belle Watling.**

Already signed for Scarlett is British actress **Joanne Whalley-Kilmer.**

The $40 million, eight-hour miniseries is to be broadcast late next year, or in early 1995.

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NEW YORK — Forget the shirt off her back, **Joan Rivers** gave the shoes off her feet. Luckily, she was at Barney's the upscale, uptown clothing store.

At the end of an auction Monday that raised $25,000 for AIDS research, the comic sold her size 7 Manolo Blahnik's for $1,000.

Others who kicked in were artists **Robert Rauschenberg, Kenny Scharf, Francesco Clemente** and **Ross Bleckner,** who created clothing to raise money for the American Foundation for AIDS Research.

Their sketches for the garments were auctioned as well.

Rauschenberg created 480 men's ties priced at $125 each. Bleckner did 100 vests going for $395 apiece. "It took about 15 minutes" to create the design, said Rauschenberg, who signed about three dozen ties.

Clemente's design is on 21 boots tagged at $1,200 a pair, and Scharf created 100 table linens going for $100 apiece. Photographer **Cindy Sherman** designed a $1,250 watch, of which 150 are available.

Barney's will sell them all, and give everything but the sales tax to AMFAR.

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DENVER — The last time **Michael Blake** wanted to express himself, he wrote a book and screenplay. Now, the author of "Dances With Wolves" is following the dictum "less is more" and putting up billboards. His message is mustangs.

Blake, who lives in Arizona, has billboards in Denver, Los Angeles, Reno, Nev., and Tucson, Ariz., urging people to call Interior Secretary **Bruce Babbitt** and oppose the capture of wild horses.

"I wish I could keep the billboards up in every state in the union," Blake told the Rocky Mountain News. "The horses are the spirit of the country. The billboards will make people aware of what is happening."

Babbitt's office said it received about 200 calls since April, when the first billboard went up in Los Angeles.

Blake and the Animal Rights Law Center at Rutgers University are suing to bar wild-horse captures and require public hearings before the horses are removed.

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NEW YORK — An advanced degree from the college of hard political knocks counts with the ivory tower crowd as Mayor **David Dinkins** happily learned.

When **Rudolph Giuliani** takes over City Hall in January, his predecessor and rival moves to Columbia University as a professor in the School of International and Public Affairs.

University President **George Rupp** announced Dinkins' appointment Tuesday.

"From this day forward, I will be happy to answer to the name of Professor Dinkins. It has a nice ring to it," said the 66-year-old Democrat.

Dinkins has a five-year agreement with Columbia for an undisclosed salary. Like his last job, this one won't be tenured either.

Dinkins, the city's first black mayor, also will be a senior research scholar at Columbia's new Institute for Research in African-American Studies.

Dinkins has a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Howard University and a law degree from Brooklyn Law School.

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TORONTO — Book royalties might be nice, but a writer can never get too much official recognition, judging from accolades heaped on Nobel Prize-winning novelist **Saul Bellow.**

On Monday, the 78-year-old writer, whose specialty is middle-aged Jewish male angst, received an honorary Doctor of Letters from the University of Toronto.

"Bellow stands in a memorable line of succession from **Hawthorne, Melville** and **Henry James** to **Dreiser, Sinclair Lewis** and **Faulkner** and, from this vantage point, I can see no worthy continuation of the line beyond Bellow," novelist **Josef Skvorecky** said at the ceremony.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

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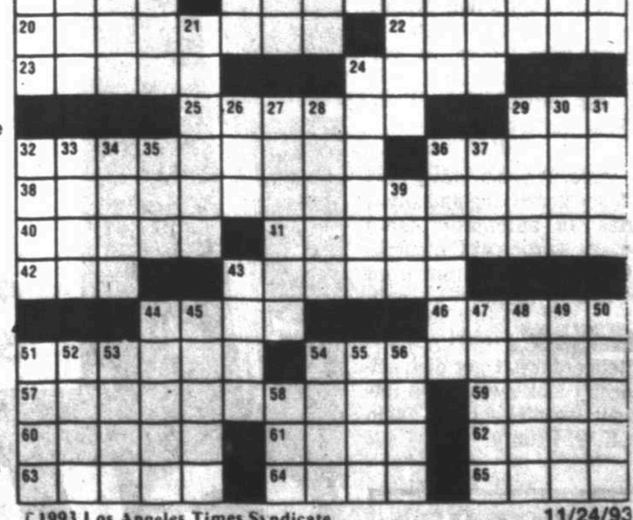

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White House hosts dinner for S. Korean chief

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House rolled out the Reagan red china, an all-American menu and soprano Jessye Norman to fete South Korean President Kim Young Sam on Tuesday at the Clinton administration's fanciest dinner yet.

Some 135 guests had the most-sought-after tickets in town, making up a diverse group that included actor-dancer Gregory Hines, opera singer Beverly Sills, members of Congress and businessman William Bowen from President Clinton's home town of Little Rock, Ark.

Clinton, in his dinner toast, recalled the "warm hospitality" that the Korean president had proffered when he visited Kim at the Blue House in Seoul last summer. He added that when he jogged with Kim in Seoul, "I gained a fresh appreciation for the warmth, the vigor and the endurance of South Korea's leader."

Kim drew applause when he pledged in his toast, "We will jog again tomorrow morning."

The glitzy, black-tie dinner was technically one step short of the more vaunted "state dinner" — a protocol distinction necessary because Kim and his wife were not here on an official state visit.

Yet Clinton himself called it state dinner in his toast.

"In his mind and in the first lady's mind, it is a state dinner," explained Lisa Caputo, a spokeswoman for Hillary Rodham Clinton.

The menu was distinctly American, in keeping with the Clintons' efforts to emphasize the nation's own cuisine. Atlantic shellfish roll with peekytoe crabmeat from Maine preceded marinated pan-seared beef tenderloin.

The latter was a special request from Kim, whose favorite meal is beef tenderloin, said Neel Lattimore, another spokesman for Mrs. Clinton.

Mrs. Clinton was heavily involved in planning the dinner from start to finish, even talking with members of the dinner staff one-on-one before the meal.

"I saw Mrs. Clinton in the kitchen; I saw Mrs. Clinton looking at the tables; I saw Mrs. Clinton checking the flowers," Lattimore said. "She was very involved from the very beginning to the final guest list to checking tonight to make sure everything was set."

Communications Director Mark Gearan tweaked reporters in pursuit of the guest list by declaring at midday: "Let me be clear, none of you are invited. . . . And let me be clear, none of you will be eating this evening."

As it turned out, he was right.

Again in keeping with their emphasis on American culture, the Clintons selected Norman to perform songs from American artists including Leonard Bernstein, Ira Gershwin, Richard Rogers and Lorenz Hart.

The china was Reagan red — the Lenox placesettings that caused such a stir when Nancy Reagan ordered placesettings for 220 at a cost of $209,000.

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McDonald's tries free delivery on East Coast

CHICAGO (AP) — Couch potatoes craving burgers and fries need reach only as far as the phone in parts of the East Coast. It's McDelivery.

In its quest to go where the buyers are, McDonald's has been delivering food from about 80 restaurants in the Tidewater area of Virginia, which includes Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Chesapeake and Suffolk.

Ed Rensi, president of the company's domestic division, said Tuesday it was too early to tell how successful the experiment has been. It began a few months ago.

"We get up to 2,000 calls a day," said Chandra McCartney, an assistant manager for the delivery service in Virginia Beach. "I definitely think it's here to stay."

Delivery costs are as much as $2.50 or as little as nothing, depending on the price of the meal ordered. The food is kept in insulated bags and there is no guaranteed delivery time.

The Oak Brook, Ill.-based company is planning to expand the test to two undisclosed markets in early 1994, Rensi said in a teleconference call that included other top McDonald's management.

Home delivery is just one of several initiatives McDonald's has begun recently to reach customers in non-traditional markets. The company has opened outlets at five gas stations and has moved into hospitals, Wal-Mart stores, airports and aboard airplanes.

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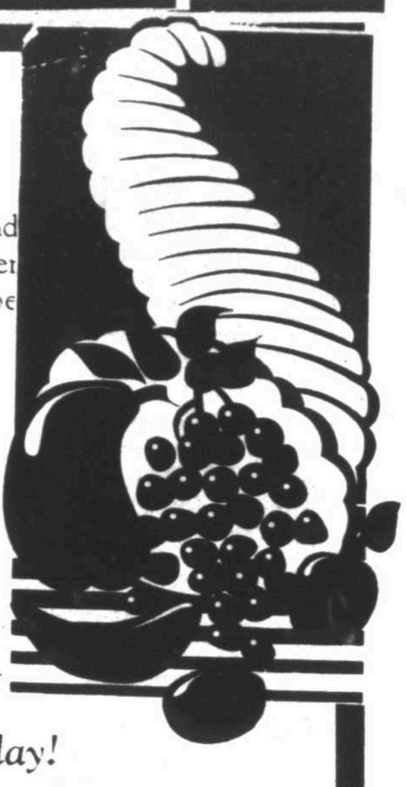

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EDITION	DEADLINE
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Monday, November 29	Friday, Nov. 26, noon

The circulation department will be open Thanksgiving Day from 7am until 11am and can be reached at 688-2700

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California prisons to get deadly fences

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (NYT) — The California Department of Corrections has embarked on a massive construction project to install electric fences — capable of causing instant death for any inmate trying to escape — at all major prisons in the state.

The Legislature approved use of the electric fences last year, and the first one has just been installed at the 2-year-old maximum security prison at Calipatria, about 35 miles north of the Mexican border near the Salton Sea. About 3,900 inmates are housed in the facility.

"All of our prisons will have them," said Department of Corrections spokesman Bill Gengler. "They pay for themselves."

By installing the fences, the department is able to reassign guard tower personnel to other jobs. The cost of building fences at 21 of the state's prisons is expected to be $28.4 million, while their use is expected to save the state $34 million a year, according to the department.

The first phase of construction calls for 11 prisons — in Humboldt, Kern, Riverside, Madera, Fresno, Imperial and Los Angeles counties — to get the fences by January 1995. San Quentin is scheduled for the fourth and final phase of construction, with completion not expected before 1997.

The Calipatria fence, constructed at a cost of $1.5 million, stands 13 feet high and lies between two 12-foot razor-wire fences. It was electrified Nov. 8, and carries 650 milliamperes. About 70 milliamperes is enough to kill.

While some prisoner advocates call the fence horrifying and say it constitutes an automatic death sentence, the warden at Calipatria argues that it is no different from a shoot-to-stop policy — only better.

"The fence doesn't get distracted, it doesn't look away for a moment and it doesn't get tired," said Warden K.W. Prunty.

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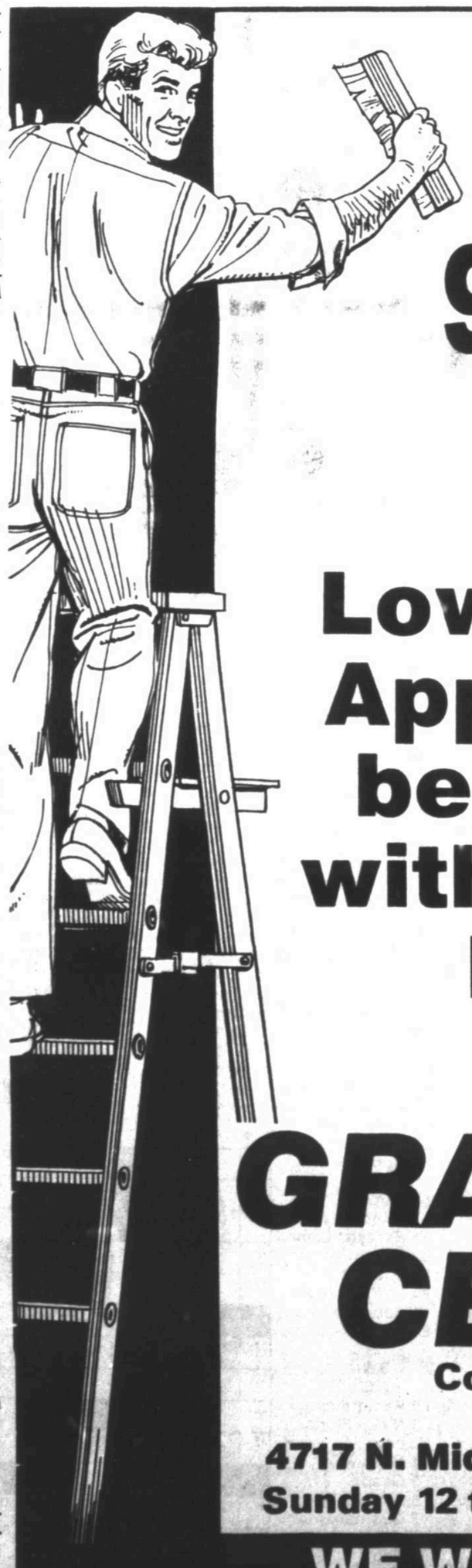

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SPORTS WATCH

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Preseason NIT semifinals, Minnesota Golden Gophers vs. Kansas Jayhawks, 6 p.m., ESPN.

Preseason NIT semifinals, North Carolina Tarheels vs. Massachusetts Minutemen, 8 p.m., ESPN.

HOCKEY — New York Islanders at Dallas Stars, 7:30 p.m., HSE. **(Subject to Change)**

Radio Sports

JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Lamar (Colo.) at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., KCRS (AM 550).

Texas Scores

NBA — L.A. Clippers 105, Dallas Mavericks 98.

Houston Rockets 100, Chicago Bulls 93.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL — Girls- Midland Christian 46, Plains 38.

Midland High 84, Fort Stockton 28.

See SCOREBOARD/3C

Texas Scores

JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Lamar (Colo.) Community College at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., Chap Center.

Rocket moves

HOUSTON — John Thomas, manager at radio station KFAN in Minneapolis, is the new vice president for sales and marketing of the Houston Rockets, the NBA team said Tuesday.

Thomas, 39, has five years experience in franchise sports sales and marketing, working as senior vice president of the NHL Minnesota North Stars, vice president of the Seattle Mariners baseball team and director of corporate sales and broadcasting for the NBA Minnesota Timberwolves. He has been with KFAN, flagship station of the Timberwolves, since September 1992.

"John Thomas is widely recognized as a top sports marketing professional," Tod Leiweke, Rockets president, said. "This is another positive step we're taking to make the Rockets one of the premier franchises in professional sports."

Reds coaches

CINCINNATI — The Cincinnati Reds completed their coaching staff Tuesday by naming Bob Boone their bench coach, Joel Youngblood first base coach and Grant Jackson the bullpen coach.

Boone will be united with his son, Bret, a second baseman who was obtained from Seattle in a trade this month. The elder Boone was a major-league catcher for 19 years and managed Oakland's Class AAA Tacoma farm club the past two years.

Youngblood was an outfielder and infielder in the major leagues for 14 years, including two with the Reds.

Maverick moves

DALLAS — Center Sean Rooks was activated from the injured list, the Dallas Mavericks announced Tuesday.

To make room on the active roster, the team said it waived forward Chucky Brown.

Rooks had been out since Oct. 10, when he suffered a broken toe on his left foot. Rooks averaged 13.5 points in 72 games as a rookie last season. He shot .493 with an average of 7.4 rebounds.

Brown scored 3 points in 10 minutes in the only game he played, Nov. 16 against New York. He had been signed Nov. 12 by Dallas.

Evert child

BOCA RATON, Fla. — Tennis star Chris Evert and her husband, Andy Mill, announced Tuesday they are expecting their second child in early June.

The couple's first child, Alex, is 2 years old, said spokeswoman Tami Olsen.

Evert, 38, won at least one Grand Slam title a year for 13 years (1974-86). She now works as a tennis commentator for NBC. She and her family live in Boca Raton and Aspen, Colo.

MHS is three-mendous

■ Reserve guard LaKendria Kendrick sets a school record for three-point goals as the Lady Bulldogs remain undefeated with a 84-28 win over Fort Stockton.

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

Midland High's Amy Alcala got a season-high and game-leading 23 points and teammate LaKendria Kendrick hit a school-record 7-of-12 3-point shots as the Lady Bulldogs mauled the Fort Stockton Prowlers 84-28 in girls basketball action Tuesday night at the Chaparral Center.

Midland, which came up one point shy of the all-time single game scoring record of 85 set in 1985, remains unbeaten in seven tries while the Class 4A Prowlers fall to 1-3 for the season.

Starting junior forward Alcala exploded on the fast break while reserve point guard Kendrick was virtually untouched at the top of the freethrow circle as she went on to smash Ashley Chase's record of four set in 1992. Of the seven, four came in the third period when Kendrick hit three in a row and one more at the buzzer to give Midland a 65-21 lead going into the final quarter.

"LaKendria came out and shot the ball well and they (Fort Stockton) continued to let her shoot out there," Midland coach Jim Raughton said. "We all shot the ball well tonight."

From the field, the Lady Bulldogs hit 36-of-88 for 41 percent.

The Prowlers came out strong, especially against the highly-touted MHS fullcourt pressure. Lydia McKenzie scored the first points of the night on the break and Fort Stockton's first six points came after slipping by the Lady Bulldog press via the sideline route.

But Alcala put a stop to any Prowler momentum with 10 first quarter points, mostly off the press. The first came when Alcala cleanly picked the pocket of Fort Stockton point guard Catrina Duarte and finished with a layup on the break.

Fort Stockton coach Jerry Watt said constant changes in Midland High's defense kept the Prowlers from taking advantage of any early breaks against the Lady Bulldog press.

"They did a real good job of changing their defenses and we just have to learn to adjust," Watt said. "They've got the best team that we'll play all year. But we try to schedule some strong teams like this so we can be ready for district play."

Alcala got most of her points on the fastbreak out in front of the defense after Midland High recovered the rebound off a Fort Stockton miss. Alcala is usually in that position because of playing at the top of the Lady Bulldog defense. Alcala scored 12 points off the break, including three times off Midland High steals — one of her own and one each by forward Julie Chancellor and post Michel Ann Thompson.

In all, Midland swiped the ball from the Prowlers 13 times and Fort Stockton racked up 17 more turnovers. Chancellor led the Lady Bulldogs with five steals. The

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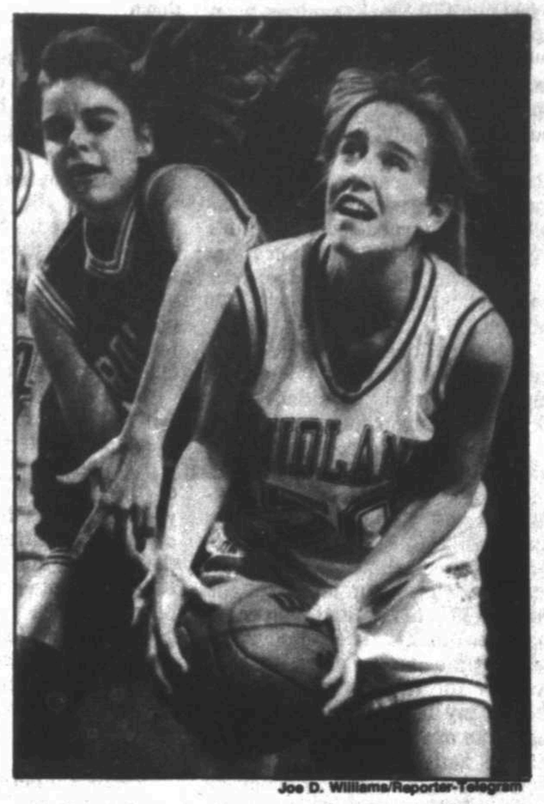

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Midland High center Elaine Rogers (50) goes up for a shot against Fort Stockton defender Mary Katherine Groth in MHS' 84-28 win Tuesday night.

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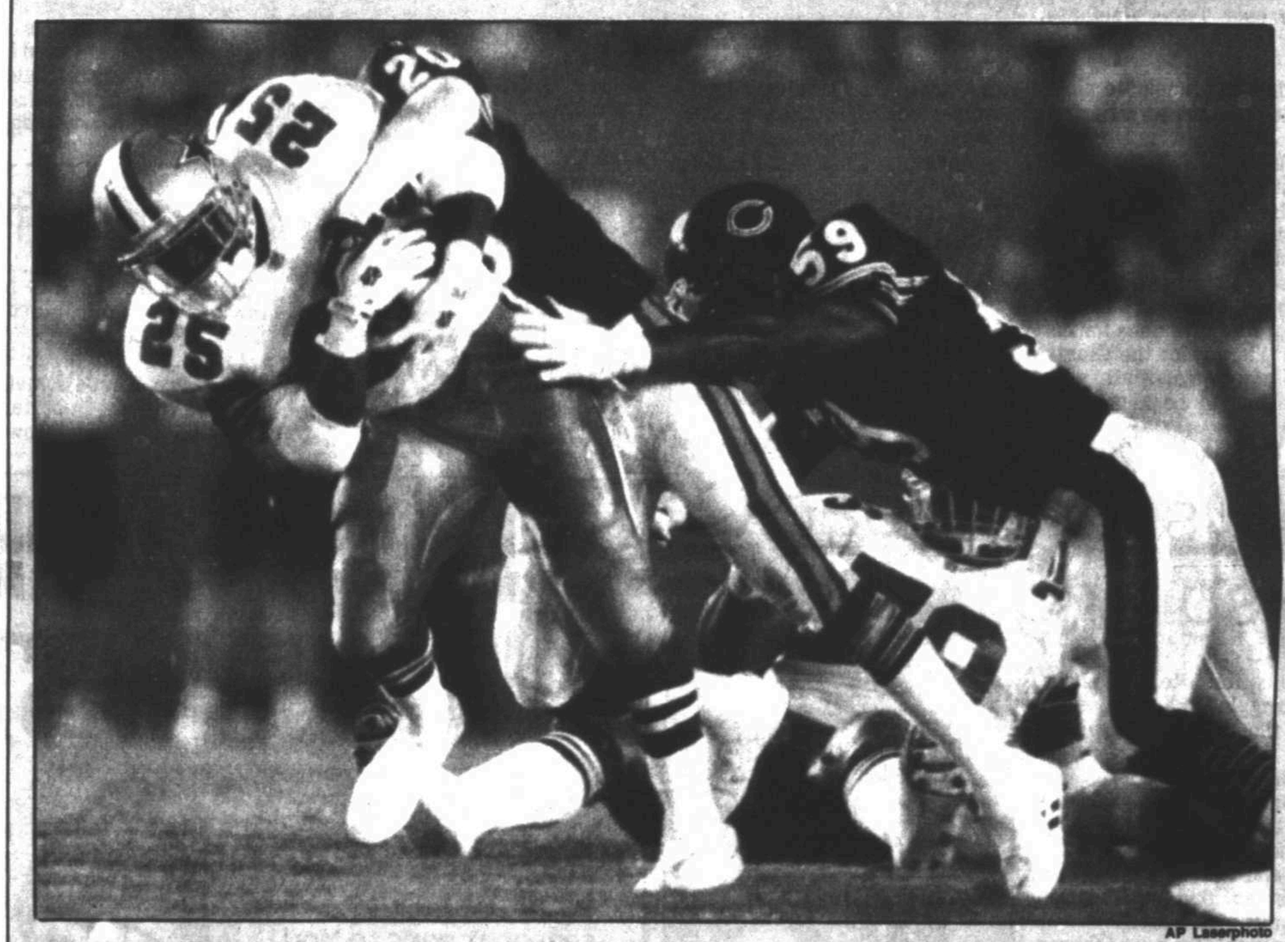

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Dallas Cowboys running back Derrick Lassic is shown here in a preseason game against Chicago. Lassic will get the starting nod in Thursday's game against the Miami Dolphins while Emmitt Smith nurses a deep thigh bruise he suffered in Sunday's loss to Atlanta.

Lassic prepares for running feast

■ While most people will be feasting on turkey Thursday, Derrick Lassic hopes to feed on the Dolphin's defense.

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — For seven weeks Derrick Lassic has sat near Emmitt Smith's locker virtually unnoticed in the media buzz of the world champion Dallas Cowboys dressing room.

Now, the Cowboys need the rookie from Alabama again, just like they did in the season opener. And the media crunch is with Lassic.

"Don't look so sad guys," Lassic said. "Emmitt will be back next week."

Lassic played well in losses to Washington and Buffalo without Smith and scored two touchdowns in the game Smith returned against Phoenix.

"I was sort of the forgotten man," Lassic said. "Fans and friends from Alabama and New Jersey kept calling and sending me letters wondering if I was still on the team."

Lassic was a nervous and confused young man back in September when he started while Smith had a contract duel with owner Jerry Jones. Smith eventually won after a near revolt on the team which

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MC to give Lamar a road test

■ Midland College battles travel-weary Lamar Community College tonight.

By Bill Petitt
Staff Writer

Most coaches schedule road trips early in the basketball season as a test for the team. The road trip is geared towards team unity — being able to play under adverse condition and in hostile environments, so that when conference play begins later in the year, the team will have played under similiar conditions.

But Lamar Community College coach Ronnie Dean is taking this a bit too far.

Dean and his Runnin' Lopes from Lamar College of Colorado have not seen a home cooked pre-game meal this season. Tonight will mark the tenth game for Lamar and the tenth on the road. In fact, Lamar will play its first 14 games on the road before its first home game Dec. 9.

"I know I am beat, physically tired," said Dean, "and I haven't played a game. I can't imagine how our team feels."

Lamar enters tonight's game with a 3-6 record.

"We've played three classics in a row," said Dean. "We've been in most of our games, actually ahead in the last minutes of several games, but we can't seem to close a game."

"It's really amazing that we've even been close. We are shooting 38 percent from the field and 46 percent from the free throw line so don't ask me how we've won three games."

Dean, an assistant at Howard College last season, will feature 6-2 guard Joe Weaver. Weaver, who signed early with Nevada-Las Vegas, is averaging 14 points and six rebounds per game for the Runnin' Lopes. Also in the backcourt is Howard College transfer Jovon

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

Lee's Sims waiting for his spotlight

The Midland Lee wishbone is cranking out playoff numbers that make opponents and scoreboards cringe It would be surprising if any Class 5A team has ever put up 142 points in consecutive playoff games.

Williamson

Sixty-three points against Amarillo High and then 79 against El Paso Bowie gives Lee 497 points for the year, making the 1993 Rebels the highest scoring team in the history of the school.

Lee's 11-1 team in 1987 put up 476 points in the same number of games, losing in the region round to Arlington High, falling one game short of meeting Odessa Permian in the quarterfinals that year.

Lee passed the 1987 team in scoring with its 59th point against Bowie. Lee was just about warming up to its playoff task by then.

In Lee's 63-26 bi-district win over Amarillo High, quarterback Courtney Turner and Jeremy Warren got the star status. Turner had the double-100 effort with rushing and passing and Warren added the triple-100 with over 100 yards rushing.

Lee again got the quadruple-100 against Bowie in the 79-14 area victory as Turner threw for over 100. Marlon Henry produced the double-100 with 213 yards rushing. And reserve Melvin Dunson had over 100 yards rushing.

Henry was the big man on campus this week with his first career 200-yard game and tying the school's single game scoring record of six touchdowns. He became the ninth Lee back in school history to bust the 1,000-yard barrier.

It seems like each game produces new stars, but there is one obvious omission to the star list above. Halfback Phillip Sims, who was Lee's leading rusher much of the season, has almost been a stable powder keg in the two playoff games.

Sims hasn't had a 100-yard game since his sterling 154-yard performance against then No. 1 ranked Odessa Permian. He has probably been a marked man since then. But he's still smiling since he knows the nature of the Lee wishbone.

"Hey, Phillip. Isn't it about your turn?" one wag called out to Sims Monday. He just smiled.

Henry had answered the question after his 213-yard, six TD performance against Bowie.

"We have the kind of offense where you don't know who will have the big game. It was just my turn today," Henry said. "It might be somebody else next week. You just take what the defense gives you."

Sims needs 169 yards to join Henry in Lee's 1,000-yard single season rushing list, which now stands at nine. Sims is an explosion waiting to happen.

With Lewisville coaches on hand to watch Henry go wild, Sims could be the overlooked one this week. Who knows? Lee can come at you from all directions. It's a proven fact this year that it's hard to stop all of Lee's weapons.

It's also a known fact that Lee points and yardage will be much harder to come by from here on out. The cake walk is over. The real playoffs have arrived. Lee's next rushing or passing star will have to earn it and will probably have the bruises to prove it.

It's a great time of year. And just in case you wondered, Sims is waiting in the wings — waiting on some defense which can't handle a No. 30.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Palmeiro vents anger at Rangers, Clark

ARLINGTON (AP) — Rafael Palmeiro fired a barrage of criticism at the Texas Rangers after learning that the team had signed former San Francisco Giants first baseman Will Clark to a long-term contract.

Not even Clark, who was a teammate at Mississippi State, was spared from Palmeiro's verbal outburst Monday.

Palmeiro became a free agent at the end of the season, but had indicated he wanted to stay at Texas although he turned down the club's initial five-year $26.5 million offer.

Clark was signed to a five-year contract said to be worth $30 million.

Palmeiro described the Rangers' organization as "low class" and called club president Tom Schieffer "a backstabbing liar."

"They never gave me the option of getting back with them," Palmeiro said. "It was unprofessional. But that's the way Schieffer operates.

"We agreed that I would go out and see what's out there (in the free-agent market) and then come back to them. They knew the whole time it was going to take less for me to stay here because this is my home. But they never gave me another chance."

"If I had the kind of year Will had the last two years, I could understand this. Fourteen home runs and 73 RBI? That's nothing, and they gave him $30 million for that," Palmeiro said. "I hit 37 homers, drove in 105 runs, scored 124 runs. What do they give me? They offer me ($3.5) million less. What is that telling me?"

Schieffer said the contract Clark agreed to was essentially the same one Palmeiro turned down on three occasions. Palmeiro was offered $26.5 million over five years after the season. The $3.5 million difference was in deferred money, an option that would have been available to Palmeiro, Schieffer said.

The club president also said Palmeiro's demands rose to six years and close to $40 million during a conversation Friday with Palmeiro's agent, Jim Bronner.

"They told me the price of playing poker had gone up," Schieffer said.

Asked if he would have signed for the same deal Clark received, Palmeiro told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, "I think so, maybe. It would have been a fair deal. It would have been hard to turn down.

"I don't know what's going to happen next. Baseball goes on. I'll be fine. I'll make my money," Palmeiro said. "I'll be playing somewhere next year, hopefully in the playoffs."

"My first option was here," Palmeiro said. "But there was no loyalty involved. Not from these guys. They just care about making money.

Palmeiro said Schieffer telephoned yesterday morning and informed him and wife Lynne of the club's decision to sign Clark.

"He told my wife that he told Will he would do it this way," Palmeiro said. "He said he owed it to Will. I guess Will's been a big part of the team the last couple of years. I guess he didn't feel he owed it to me after all I've done for the team on and off the field.

"All I wanted was respect as a player and as a person. I feel like I got no respect. I think the man has something against me."

The first baseman said he believes his victories in arbitration led to bad blood between him and Schieffer.

"He took it personally," he said.

Palmeiro said Clark undercut him.

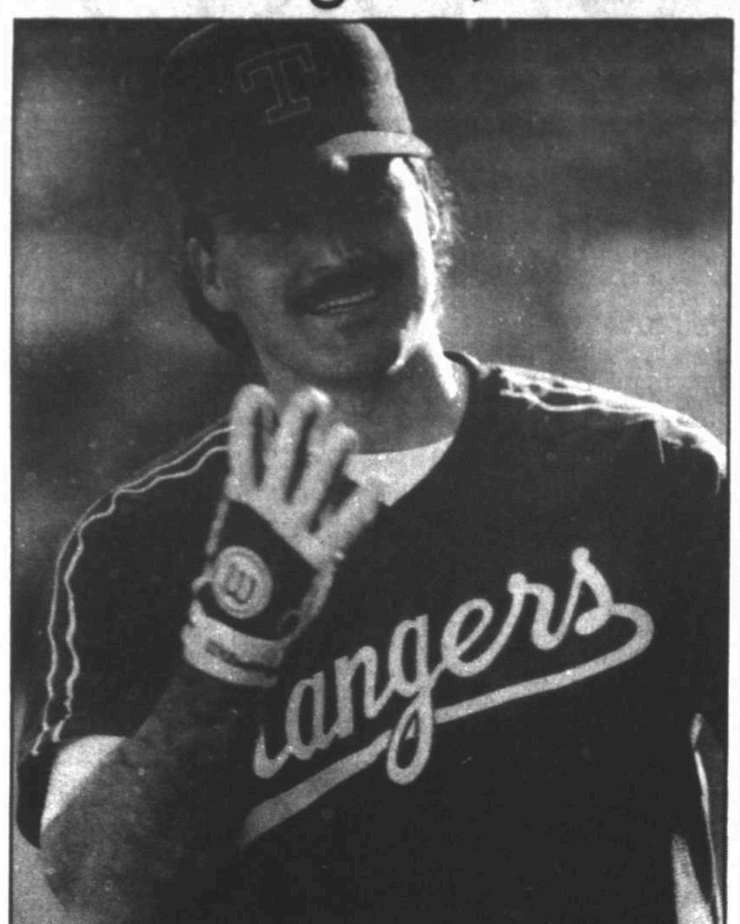
"That's Will," Palmeiro said. "That's the way he is. He's got no class. Friendship didn't matter to him.

"He was looking out for himself. I don't think much of Will. He's a low-life."

Palmeiro said Texas paid $30 million to sign a "mediocre" player.

"I shouldn't say mediocre player; I should say mediocre performer," he told The Dallas Morning News. "I think he's a good ballplayer, but he's been an underachiever. He's been underachieving the last two years."

"The only difference between Will and me is his team didn't want him back," Palmeiro added. "For a player to have done for his team what Will did for the Giants and them not to negotiate with him, there has to be something wrong."



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Texas Rangers first baseman Raphael Palmeiro hit 37 home runs and drove in 105 RBIs during the 1993 season. The Rangers signed Palmeiro's college teammate Will Clark, a first baseman from San Francisco, to a five-year $30 million contract Monday.

Palmeiro also predicted friction between Clark and new teammate Jose Canseco. Those two had a war of words while both were playing in the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Area, but since have downplayed the controversy.

"The way those two egos are, I think it will be a big problem," Palmeiro said. "(Rangers manager) Kevin Kennedy is going to have his hands full."

Texas Tech duo take conference honors

LUBBOCK (AP) — Will Byron "Bam" Morris go pro after his junior year at Texas Tech?

"I'll be back next year," Morris promised earlier this month, after winning his second top weekly Southwest Conference offensive honor. "If I was a senior, it'd be another story."

Listen to him now.

"After the season I'll sit down with Mom and Coach (Spike) Dykes and talk about it," he said Monday, after winning his third SWC weekly honor. "We will do what's best for me."

Morris rushed for 223 yards Saturday on a career-high 40 carriers and broke the SWC single-season rushing record Earl Campbell set when he won the Heisman Trophy in 1977.

Tech teammate Cat Adams, a junior who picked off two passes in the Red Raiders' 58-7 victory over Houston, was named the conference's defensive player of the week by The Associated Press.

Morris' three touchdowns against the Cougars boosted his average points-per-game to 12.8, the nation's best. He holds the second-leading spot in rushing with a total eight yards better than Campbell's old mark of 1,744 yards.

"He's darn sure got a lot of great qualities that Earl has," Dykes said. "I think the best is yet to come for Bam Morris."

"I think I improve as the game progresses," said Morris, whom the Cougars held to 67 yards in the first half. "I feel like I could do anything in the third and fourth quarters."

Morris provided the punch fueling Tech to a five-game winning streak and a bowl berth. His strength, stamina and 235-pound frame menaced tacklers who could not take him down alone.

"He said the record is secondary. Winning the game and going to a bowl is way more important than the record," Dykes said. "That's pretty classy to say that even if you don't mean it. ... He meant it and he's serious."

Adams made two tackles and broke up two passes against Houston.

Adams, a 5-10, 170-pound cornerback from Tyler Junior College, has four interceptions and 25 solo tackles this season.

He said he anticipated the pass the first time he picked off Jimmy Klingler Saturday.

"The play before, the receiver (Ron Peters) tapped Klingler on the shoulder and said something like, 'I can beat this guy,' and they both looked up at me," Adams said. "So I was expecting it."

Both of Adams' interceptions set up Tech touchdowns.

Dykes called him aggressive and tenacious since earning a starting role mid-season.

"I don't think I have ever seen anybody come as far as fast as he has," Dykes said. "Cat was playing like he was walking on a pond of real thin ice for a long time because he was afraid of making a mistake. About three or four weeks ago, he just reared back."

Faulk ponders NFL while preparing for season finale

SAN DIEGO (AP) — San Diego State running back Marshall Faulk could be playing in his last college football game Saturday night when the Aztecs play host to Wyoming.

If the Aztecs lose, they wouldn't qualify for a bowl game. And Faulk, the two-time national rushing champion, is debating whether to forgo his senior season in favor of the NFL.

"I'd like to play on the next level," Faulk said Tuesday.

But he stressed that he hasn't made up his mind, and doesn't know when he will.

"It's just hard to say what the factors are. That's something you sit down with the important people in my life and they throw a bunch of things at me and I try to answer them the best that I can in regards to staying and in regards to leaving."

Faulk said the outcome of Saturday's game "won't make a difference" in his decision.

LASSIC: Cowboys rookie back expects Thanksgiving Day start

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produced thrown helmets and defensive end Charles Haley's angry announcement: "We can't win with a rookie running back."

This time he's cool and confident, a veteran of over half a season in the Cowboys complex offensive system. He got extended duty last week after Smith suffered a bruised thigh in a 27-14 loss to the Atlanta Falcons. Lassic has 269 yards rushing on 75 carries. He's also caught nine passes for 37 yards.

"I'm better equipped this time around," Lassic said. "I won't be worried about blowing a play. I always seem to have good games against Miami teams."

Lassic ran for 135 yards and two touchdowns when Alabama earned the national collegiate title in January by whipping the Miami Hurricanes.

Lassic said he hopes the fans are with him this time. He heard boos when he struggled in a 13-10 loss to Buffalo in the second game of the season.

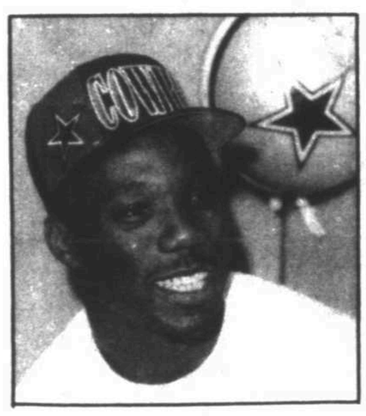
"The fans kind of got on me when things were not going the way they expected," Lassic said. "I hope they keep the boos to the minimum and I have a good game. I'll be just as glad as they are when Emmitt gets back."

Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson said he will decide sometime before the 3 p.m. Thanksgiving Day kickoff against Miami whether Smith will play.

Smith's bruised thigh muscle was improved on Tuesday and he said, "I'm feeling better."

Still, the Cowboys listed him as doubtful and Lassic and Lincoln Coleman were getting all the snaps in practice.

"It's going to be kind of strange playing on Thanksgiving Day for the Cowboys," Lassic said. "I used to watch those games from



Lassic

Texas Stadium when I was a kid growing up. Everybody in the nation will be watching. It makes you want to do your very best.

"The fans paid their money to see the big horse, Emmitt, run. Now, they've got a little 195-pound horse who is going to run until he drops."

CHAPS: Seven Chaps in double figures

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In the frontcourt is 6-7 forward John Stevens. Stevens, averaging 14 points and 13 rebounds, scored 27 points and grabbed 22 rebounds versus Brown Mackie (Kan.) in a game earlier this week. Six-seven forward Mike London is averaging eight points per game "but is just now learning the game" according to Dean.

London will join former Chaps Terrence Rone and Kelon Haynie next season after signing with Texas-Pan American early.

"I'm friends with (Midland College coach) Steve (Green)," said Dean. "I helped him get Andre Owens there."

Owens, a 5-10 sophomore from South Bend, Ind., leads a defense that is allowing 80 points per game, but is also causing turnovers that lead to easy buckets for a team that is scoring 111 points per outing.

Owens has 38 steals (4.8 per game) and has dished out 39 assists (4.9 per game).

The Chaps have seven players scoring in double figures with sophomore Kirk Ford leading the team with 15.3 points per game. Forward/center John Brown is scoring 15.0, reserve guard Tellas Lampley is averaging 14.8. Sophomore forward Steve Walston, who signed on to play for Arizona State next season, is averaging 14.6 points per game while Kevin Sims (11.9), Owens (10.9) and Kevin Rice (10.2) round out the double figure scorers.

Midland College will face the Runnin' Lopes twice in a three day span. After tonight's game the Chaps will face Lamar in the first round of the Odessa College Classic on Friday.

CHAP NOTES: Local radio station KCRS is sponsoring "Pack the Chap Night" benefitting the Permian Basin Food Bank. The cost of admission is two cans of food with the proceeds going to the food bank.

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NHL Results

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Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Rangers	15	5	2	32	83	59
New Jersey	14	5	1	29	74	49
Philadelphia	13	9	1	27	99	96
Florida	8	11	3	19	61	67
Washington	9	11	0	18	57	65
NY Islanders	7	12	1	15	70	72
Tampa Bay	5	14	2	12	49	67

Northeast Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	11	7	4	26	78	78
Boston	10	4	6	26	68	51
Montreal	10	8	3	23	62	54
Buffalo	8	11	1	17	77	77
Quebec	7	11	3	17	75	74
Ottawa	5	12	2	12	69	92
Hartford	5	14	2	12	56	83

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Toronto	16	3	4	36	91	59
St. Louis	12	4	4	28	66	58
Dallas	11	8	4	26	83	74
Chicago	10	8	2	22	68	59
Winnipeg	8	11	3	19	73	83
Detroit	8	9	2	18	75	70

Pacific Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Calgary	14	6	3	31	85	70
Vancouver	12	8	0	24	68	62
Los Angeles	9	10	2	20	80	84
San Jose	7	13	4	18	56	74
Anaheim	7	13	2	16	61	77
Edmonton	3	17	3	9	61	90

Tuesday's Games

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N.Y. Rangers 5, Montreal 4
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Wednesday's Games

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Devils 1, Nordiques 1

Devils-Nordiques, Sums				
New Jersey	0	0	1	0—1
Quebec	0	1	0	0—1

First Period—None.
Third Period—2, New Jersey, Driver 2 (Holik), 12:38.
Overtime—None. Penalties—None.
Shots on goal—New Jersey 12-12-9-1—34. Quebec 5-11-9-1—26.
Power-play Opportunities—New Jersey 0 of 5; Quebec 0 of 4.
Goalies—New Jersey, Brodeur, 6-3-1 (26 shots-25 saves). Quebec, Thibault, 2-5-1 (34-33).
A—14,120.

Rangers 5, Canadiens 4

Montreal	1	1	2	4
N.Y. Rangers	1	3	1	5

First Period—1, New York, Graves 16 (Zubov, Leetch), 11:00 (pp). 2, Montreal, Desjardins 3 (Keane, DiPietro), 18:32 (pp).
Second Period—3, Montreal, Schneider 3 (Odelein), 1:17. 4, New York, Messier 8 (Leetch), 2:28. 5, New York, Zubov 2 (Hudson, Lowe), 8:48. 6, New York, Gartner 12 (Nemchinov, Wells), 15:34.
Third Period—7, New York, Olczyk 1 (Nemchinov, Gartner), 6:23. 8, Montreal Schneider 4 (Dionne, Keane), 12:15. 9, Montreal, DiPietro 4 (Daigneault, Keane), 15:30.
Shots on goal—Montreal 7-10-14—31. New York 13-17-11—41.
Power-play Opportunities—Montreal 1 of 5; New York 1 of 6.
Goalies—Montreal, Roy, 9-6-3 (41 shots-36 saves). New York, Richter, 10-4-2 (31-27).
A—18,200.

Bowl Schedule

At A Glance
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All Times CST

Friday, Dec. 17
Las Vegas Bowl
At Las Vegas
Ball State vs. Utah State, 7 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Dec. 24
John Hancock Bowl
At El Paso
Coalition vs. Coalition, 1:30 p.m. (CBS)

Saturday, Dec. 25
Blue-Gray Classic
At Montgomery, Ala.
Blue vs. Gray, 11 a.m. (ABC)
Aloha Bowl
At Honolulu
WAC second team vs. Big Eight third team, 2:30 p.m. (ABC)

Tuesday, Dec. 28
Liberty Bowl
At Memphis, Tenn.
Open vs. Louisville, 7 p.m. (ESPN)

Wednesday, Dec. 29
Copper Bowl
At Tucson, Ariz.
WAC third team vs. Big Eight fourth team, 7 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday, Dec. 30
Holiday Bowl
At San Diego
WAC Champion vs. Big Ten third team, 7 p.m. (ESPN)
Freedom Bowl
At Anaheim, Calif.
PAC 10 third team vs. Open, 8 p.m. (Raycom)

Friday, Dec. 31
Independence Bowl
At Shreveport, La.
Virginia Tech vs. Open, 11:30 a.m. (ESPN)
Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
ACC third team vs. SEC fourth team, 5 p.m. (ESPN)
Gator Bowl
At Jacksonville, Fla.
SEC third team vs. Coalition, 6 p.m. (TBS)
Alamo Bowl
At San Antonio
SWC third team vs. Pac 10 fourth team, 8:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Jan. 1
Hall of Fame Bowl
At Tampa, Fla.
Big Ten fourth team vs. ACC fourth team, 10 a.m. (ESPN)
Citrus Bowl
At Orlando, Fla.
SEC second team vs. Big Ten second team, noon (ABC)
Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
SWC Champion vs. Coalition, noon (NBC)
Carquest Bowl
At Miami
Big East third team vs. SEC fifth team, 1:30 p.m. (CBS)
Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
Coalition vs. Coalition, 3:30 p.m. (NBC)
Rose Bowl
At Pasadena, Calif.
UCLA vs. Wisconsin or Ohio State, 3:30 p.m. (ABC)
Heritage Bowl
At Atlanta
Southern University vs. South Carolina State, 3:30 p.m.
Orange Bowl
At Miami
Nebraska vs. Coalition, 7 p.m. (NBC)
Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
Alabama or Florida vs. Coalition, 7:30 p.m. (ABC)

NBA Results

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	8	2	.800	—
Boston	6	4	.600	2
Orlando	6	4	.600	2
Washington	5	4	.556	2½
New Jersey	4	6	.400	4
Miami	3	5	.375	4
Philadelphia	3	7	.300	5

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	6	4	.600	—
Charlotte	6	4	.600	—
Detroit	5	4	.556	½
Chicago	4	6	.400	2
Cleveland	3	6	.333	2½
Indiana	3	6	.333	2½
Milwaukee	1	8	.111	4½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	10	0	1.000	—
Utah	7	3	.700	3
San Antonio	6	5	.545	4½
Denver	4	4	.500	5
Minnesota	2	6	.250	7
Dallas	1	9	.100	9

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	8	0	1.000	—
Phoenix	6	2	.750	2
Portland	5	4	.556	3½
LA Clippers	5	5	.500	4
Sacramento	4	5	.444	4½
Golden State	3	6	.333	5½
LA Lakers	3	8	.273	6½

Tuesday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Washington 118, Charlotte 98
Atlanta 103, LA Lakers 94
Orlando 120, Golden State 107
LA Clippers 105, Dallas 98
Houston 100, Chicago 93
Denver at Portland, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Golden State at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
LA Lakers at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Chicago at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Utah, 8 p.m.
Denver at Phoenix, 8 p.m.
Seattle at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games

No games scheduled

Clippers 105, Mavericks 98

LA CLIPPERS (105)				
Tolbert 1-5 2-2 4, Vaught 10-14 4-4 24, Roberts 2-6 0-2 4, R.Harper 13-18 5-8 32, M.Jackson 6-11 4-4 17, Aguirre 6-12 3-3 16, Grant 4-6 0-0 8, Martin 0-0 0-0 0, Dehere 0-2 0-0 0, James 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-74 18-23 105.				
DALLAS (98)				
Mashburn 9-23 1-1 20, Jones 1-2 0-0 2, Morningstar 1-3 5-6 7, D.Harper 5-13 0-0 14, J.Jackson 9-24 1-1 19, Hodge 2-3 0-0 4, Lever 2-5 0-0 4, Harris 0-2 0-2 0, Dreiling 3-3 2-2 8, Smith 6-11 6-7 18, Legler 0-0 0-0 0, Rooks 0-0 2-2 2.Totals 38-89 17-23 98.				
LA Clippers	24	22	24	35—105
Dallas	19	31	20	28— 98

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 3-9 (R.Harper 1-2, Aguirre 1-3, M.Jackson 1-4), Dallas 5-15 (D.Harper 4-9, Mashburn 1-4, Lever 0-1, J.Jackson 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 42 (Vaught 11), Dallas 52 (Mashburn, Jones, Smith 8). Assists—Los Angeles 22 (M.Jackson 11), Dallas 19 (J.Jackson 5). Total fouls—Los Angeles 21, Dallas 20. Technical—Los Angeles illegal defense. A—12,290.

Rockets 100, Bulls 93

CHICAGO (93)				
Grant 7-14 4-4 18, Kukoc 2-14 2-2 6, Perdue 2-9 2-2 6, Armstrong 7-18 4-4 19, Myers 2-4 0-0 4, English 3-7 0-0 6, Johnson 2-5 0-0 4, King 1-5 0-0 2, Kerr 3-6 0-0 7, Wennington 9-15 1-2 19, Blount 1-5 0-0 2. Totals 39-102 13-14 93.				
HOUSTON (100)				
Horry 6-10 0-0 12, Thorpe 9-13 5-6 23, Olajuwon 13-22 2-3 28, Cassell 1-7 0-0 3, Maxwell 4-12 0-0 10, Brooks 3-6 0-0 7, Herrera 6-9 0-0 12, Elie 2-6 0-0 5, Bullard 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 44-87 7-9 100.				
Chicago	16	24	32	21— 93
Houston	31	20	32	17—100

3-Point goals—Chicago 2-6 (Kerr 1-2, Armstrong 1-3, Kukoc 0-1), Houston 5-18 (Maxwell 2-8, Elie 1-2, Brooks 1-2, Cassell 1 3, Horry 0-1, Bullard 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Chicago 57 (Grant 13), Houston 52 (Olajuwon 11). Assists—Chicago 24 (Kukoc 6), Houston 31 (Maxwell 10). Total fouls—Chicago 14, Houston 14. A—16,611.

Magic 120, Warriors 107

GOLDEN STATE (107)				
Owens 8-20 2-5 18, Grayer 4-8 2-2 10, Webber 6-11 1-2 13, Johnson 7-10 2-2 16, Sprewell 7-19 2-2 18, Gatling 6-11 2-4 14, Jennings 1-8 4-4 7, Buechler 3-5 0-0 7, Alexander 0-0 0-0 0, Grant 1-2 0-0 2, Demps 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 44-97 15-21 107.				
ORLANDO (120)				
Anderson 10-17 2-3 24, Turner 2-5 0-0 4, O'Neal 12-19 4-6 28, A.Hardaway 10-17 2-4 23, Skiles 3-11 10-10 16, Kite 0-0 0-1 0, Scott 2-5 0-0 5, Bowie 4-5 0-0 8, Royal 2-5 8-9 12.Totals 45-84 26-33 120.				
Golden State	32	23	25	27—107
Orlando	24	30	30	36—120

3-Point goals—Golden State 4-19 (Sprewell 2-5, Buechler 1-3, Jennings 1-6, Webber 0-1, Johnson 0-1, Grant 0-1, Owens 0-2), Orlando 4-12 (Anderson 2-5, A.Hardaway 1-1, Scott 1-4, Skiles 0-2). Fouled out—Gatling. Rebounds—Golden State 50 (Owens 13), Orlando 55 (Anderson 9). Assists—Golden State 23 (Owens 8), Orlando 24 (Skiles 10). Total fouls—Golden State 28, Orlando 24. Technicals—Golden State illegal defense 2. A—15,291.

Bullets 118, Hornets 98

CHARLOTTE (98)				
L.Johnson 8-14 0-0 16, Newman 9-14 5-6 24, Mourning 7-13 7-14 21, Bogues 2-4 2-2 6, Hawkins 2-8 1-1 5, Curry 2-8 0-0 4, Gattison 1-4 2-2 4, Bennett 1-2 0-0 3, E.Johnson 2-4 0-0 4, Burrell 3-4 1-2 8, Ellis 1-1 1-2 3, Gminski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 38-76 19-29 98.				
WASHINGTON (118)				
Gugliotta 8-16 3-3 19, MacLean 8-18 8-9 24, Duckworth 5-8 4-6 14, Adams 2-8 1-1 5, Chapman 6-11 1-2 14, Walker 2-5 0-0 4, Cheaney 4-8 0-0 8, Butler 7-14 2-2 16, Price 3-7 2-2 8, Overton 0-0 0-0 0, Muresan 0-3 2-2 2, Smith 1-1 2-2 4.Totals 46-99 25-29 118.				
Charlotte	26	26	26	20— 98
Washington	35	23	32	28—118

3-Point goals—Charlotte 3-14 (Burrell 1-1, Bennett 1-1, Newman 1-3, L.Johnson 0-1, E.Johnson 0-2, Curry 0-3, Hawkins 0-3), Washington 1-10 (Chapman 1-3, Gugliotta 0-1, MacLean 0-1, Price 0-2, Adams 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 54 (Mourning 12), Washington 51 (Duckworth 10). Assists—Charlotte 26 (Bogues 8), Washington 33 (Adams 10). Total fouls—Charlotte 25, Washington 23. Technical—Charlotte coach Bristow. A—18,756.

Hawks 103, Lakers 94

LA LAKERS (94)				
Christie 4-14 0-0 8, Campbell 3-9 4-6 10, Divac 4-12 2-4 10, Van Exel 10-20 0-2 22, Peeler 6-11 0-1 14, Worthy 3-6 0-0 6, Bowie 3-7 2-2 8, Smith 3-8 0-0 6, Lynch 4-6 0-0 8, Harvey 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 41-95 8-15 94.				
ATLANTA (103)				
Wilkins 9-23 8-8 28, Willis 2-5 0-1 4, Koncak 2-4 2-4 6, Augmon 9-16 1-1 19, Blaylock 4-13 0-0 8, Keefe 6-12 2-2 14, Ehlo 2-6 0-0 4, Lang 6-9 1-2 13, Whatley 2-2 0-0 4, Ferrell 1-4 1-2 3.Totals 43-94 15-20 103.				
LA Lakers	30	21	24	19— 94
Atlanta	33	25	25	20—103

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 4-15 (Peeler 2-5, Van Exel 2-7, Christie 0-3), Atlanta 2-9 (Wilkins 2-5, Blaylock 0-2, Ehlo 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 55 (Campbell, Divac 11), Atlanta 62 (Wilkins 12). Assists—Los Angeles 20 (Van Exel 5), Atlanta 25 (Blaylock 11). Total fouls—Los Angeles 17, Atlanta 15. A—10,920.

NBA Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) — NBA individual scoring, field goal percentage, rebounding and assist leaders through Nov. 22:

Scoring

	G	FG	FT	Pts	Avg
O'Neal, Orl.	9	112	44	268	29.8
Barkley, Phoe.	8	84	46	223	27.9
Robinson, S.A.	11	106	89	301	27.4
K. Malone, Utah	10	94	79	270	27.0
Olajuwon, Hou.	9	92	43	227	25.2
Wilkins, Atl.	8	64	68	201	25.1
K. Johnson, Phoe.	8	74	42	191	23.9
Abdul-Rauf, Den.	8	79	30	189	23.6
Richmond, Sac.	9	76	46	208	23.1
Coleman, N.J.	10	79	64	228	22.8
Miller, Ind.	7	54	41	159	22.7
Drexler, Port.	9	69	54	198	22.0
C. Robinson, Port.	9	79	39	198	22.0
Mourning, Char.	9	55	77	187	20.8
Starks, N.Y.	10	71	42	207	20.7
Tisdale, Sac.	9	78	29	185	20.6
Selkaly, Mia.	8	62	39	163	20.4
Mashburn, Dall.	9	70	31	180	20.0
Kemp, Sea.	8	57	45	159	19.9
Hornacek, Phil.	10	70	43	197	19.7

Field Goal Percentage

	FG	FGA	Pct
Williams, Port.	38	55	.691
Miller, Phoe.	34	53	.642
O'Neal, Orl.	112	179	.626
Thorpe, Hou.	51	84	.607
Laimbeer, Det.	41	69	.594
Hawkins, Char.	54	91	.593
Polynice, Det.	52	91	.571
Williams, Clev.	52	91	.571
Payton, Sea.	53	93	.570
Elliott, Det.	62	109	.569

Rebounding

	G	Off	Def	Tot	Avg
Rodman, S.A.	11	77	138	215	19.5
Barkley, Phoe.	8	26	87	113	14.1
Olajuwon, Hou.	9	35	86	121	13.4
Oakley, N.Y.	10	46	87	133	13.3
Mutombo, Den.	8	32	72	104	13.0
Coleman, N.J.	10	43	83	126	12.6
K. Malone, Utah	10	41	84	125	12.5
Grant, Chi.	9	47	62	109	12.1
Divac, LAL	10	46	74	120	12.0
Polynice, Det.	9	34	72	106	11.8

Assists

	G	No	Avg
Stockton, Utah	10	122	12.2
Skiles, Orl.	9	94	10.4
Thomas, Det.	6	62	10.3
Bogues, Char.	9	91	10.1
K. Johnson, Phoe.	8	79	9.9
Blaylock, Atl.	9	88	9.8
Jackson, LAC	9	87	9.7
K. Anderson, N.J.	10	96	9.6
Douglas, Bos.	10	93	9.3
Price, Clev.	9	82	9.1

Free Agents

NEW YORK (AP) — The 88 unsigned free agents:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BALTIMORE (7) — Harold Baines, of; Tim Hulett, 2b; Mike Pagliarulo, 3b; Harold Reynolds, 2b; Lonnie Smith, of; Rick Sutcliffe, rhp; Fernando Valenzuela, lhp.

BOSTON (6) — Rob Deer, of; John Dopson, rhp; Steve Lyons, inf; Tony Pena, c; Ernest Riles, 3b; Luis Rivera, ss.

CALIFORNIA (3) — Rene Gonzales, 3b; Stan Javier, of; Luis Polonia, of.

CHICAGO (6) — Tim Belcher, rhp; Ellis Burks, of; Ivan Calderon, of; Jose DeLeon, rhp; Bo Jackson, of; Tim Raines, of.

CLEVELAND (3) — Bob Ojeda, lhp; Junior Ortiz, c; Jeff Treadway, 2b.

DETROIT (3) — Dan Gladden, Kirk Gibson of; David Wells, lhp.

KANSAS CITY (5) — Hubie Brooks, of; Greg Cadaret, lhp; Gary Gaetti, 3b; Mark Gubicza, rhp; Dennis Rasmussen, lhp.

MILWAUKEE (3) — Kevin Seitzer, 3b; Dickie Thon, ss; Robin Yount, of.

MINNESOTA (1) — Brian Harper, c.

NEW YORK (5) — Steve Farr, rhp; Dion James, of; Lee Smith, rhp; Frank Tanana, lhp; Mike Witt, rhp.

OAKLAND (5) — Jerry Browne, 2b; Rich Gossage, rhp; Dave Henderson, of; Rick Honeycutt, lhp; Edwin Nunez, rhp.

SEATTLE (2) — Tim Leary, rhp; Dave Valle, c.

TEXAS (5) — Julio Franco, 2b; Craig Lefferts, lhp; Charlie Leibrandt, lhp; Rafael Palmeiro, 1b; Geno Petralli, c.

TORONTO (4) — Mark Eichhorn, rhp; Tony Fernandez, ss; Alfredo Griffin, ss; Rickey Henderson, of.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

ATLANTA (3) — Sid Bream, 1b; Jay Howell, rhp; Otis Nixon, of.

CHICAGO — None.

CINCINNATI (4) — Jeff Reardon, rhp; Bip Roberts, 2b; Chris Sabo, 3b; Juan Samuel, 2b.

COLORADO (3) — Daryl Boston, of; Andres Galarraga, 1b; Bruce Hurst, lhp.

FLORIDA (3) — Henry Cotto, of; Charlie Hough, rhp; Walt Weiss, ss.

HOUSTON (2) — Kevin Bass, of; Jose Uribe, ss.

LOS ANGELES (1) — Jody Reed, 2b.

MONTREAL (2) — Dennis Martinez, rhp; Randy Ready, 2b.

NEW YORK (2) — Eddie Murray, 1b; Charlie O'Brien, c.

PHILADELPHIA (3) — Larry Andersen, rhp; Jim Eisenreich, of; Bobby Thigpen, rhp.

PITTSBURGH (1) — Bob Walk, rhp.

ST. LOUIS (3) — Lee Guetterman, lhp; Les Lancaster, rhp; Gerald Perry, 1b.

SAN DIEGO (1) — Tim Teufel, 2b.

SAN FRANCISCO (2) — Jim Deshaies, lhp; Scott Sanderson, rhp.

College Basketball

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EAST

Babson 83, MIT 71
Bloomsburg 93, N.Y. Tech 83
California, Pa. 91, Charleston, W.Va. 51
Clarkson 76, Utica 69
Curry 79, Rivier 64
East Stroudsburg 110, LeMoyne 74
Edinboro 77, Fairmont St. 56
Gettysburg 91, Drew 80
Mansfield 80, Keuka 70
Quinnipiac 89, Sacred Heart 77
Springfield 84, S. Connecticut 72
St. Michael's 84, Middlebury 64
Staten Island 72, Manhattanville 68
Tufts 94, Anna Maria 70
Worcester St. 94, E. Nazarene 82
Worcester Tech 76, Fitchburg St. 40

SOUTH

Alice Lloyd 93, Kentucky Christian 82
E. Mennonite 82, Messiah 61
Maryville, Tenn. 65, Covenant 60
Pikeville 80, Union, Ky. 70
Tusculum 81, Clinch Valley 57

MIDWEST

Cedarville 88, Mich.-Dearborn 67
Defiance 97, Heidelberg 92
Malone 117, Mount Vernon Nazarene 113, OT
Manchester 96, Huntington 90
Walsh 86, Ashland 83

SOUTHWEST

Abilene Christian 101, Concordia Lutheran 69
Angelo St. 148, Dallas Christian 46
Ark.-Monticello 99, William Carey 87
Arkansas Tech 80, Henderson St. 79
Texas A&M-Kingsville 103, Texas Lutheran 95

EXHIBITION

Adidas Attitude 69, Fordham 68
Autralian National 94, Kentucky 85
Campbell 101, Sports Crusaders 76
Canisius 89, Adidas Attitude 78
Crossfire 90, Appalachian St. 85
Italian Jr. National 59, N.C.-Asheville 56
Marathon Oil 83, Miami 82
Miami, Ohio 118, USA Verich Reps 86
Oneonta St. 108, Practical Bible 70
South Carolina 95, Spirit Express 91

Women's Basketball Scores

EAST

Albany St. 65, Binghamton St. 53
Allegheny 83, Wash. & Jeff. 71
American Intl. 63, Franklin Pierce 62
Carnegie Mellon 61, Case Western 46
Colby-Sawyer 89, Rivier 79
Dickinson 63, Muhlenberg 58
Franklin Marshall 80, Haverford 45
Gannon 76, Lock Haven 60
Hunter 72, St. Elizabeth 66
Indiana, Pa. 67, St. Vincent 45
Johns Hopkins 74, Ursinus 53
Maine-Farmington 80, Westbrook 75
Millersville 98, Wilmington 83
Montclair St. 62, Ramapo 59
Pace 75, East Stroudsburg 52
Pitt-Johnstown 77, Slippery Rock 67
Rowan 84, Jersey City St. 63
St. John Fisher 84, Houghton 56
St. Michael's 56, Middlebury 47
Sacred Heart 87, Quinnipiac 61
S. Maine 85, Thomas 34
Stony Brooke 78, Westbury 22
W. Maryland 74, Swarthmore 29
Waynesburg 93, Frostburg St. 62
West Chester 111, Molloy 62
Wilkes 63, Baptist Bible 56

SOUTH

Belmont 85, Berry 79
Belmont Abbey 78, Limestone 72
Brescia 53, SE Indiana 41
E. Mennonite 51, Shenandoah 46
Ga. Southwestern 73, Morris Brown 71, OT
Lees-McRae 83, Francis Marion 74
Lenoir Rhyne 76, High Point 70
Longwood 88, Elon 59
Presbyterian 90, Converse 40
Roanoke 76, Lynchburg 52
St. Augustine's 77, Virginia St. 75
Wofford 100, Gardner-Webb 82

MIDWEST

Augustana, S.D. 109, Sioux Falls 67
Bethel, Kan. 73, Baker 49
Culver-Stockton 84, Avila 50
Denison 90, Malone 78
Findlay 79, Cedarville 57
Indiana Wesleyan 85, Madonna 67
Manchester 98, Albion 90
Mount Union 101, Oberlin 18
NE Missouri St. 79, William Jewel 72
Olivet 44, Bluffton 34
St. Joseph's, Ind. 72, Wis.-Parkside 69
Siena Heights 65, Tiffin 63

SOUTHWEST

Delta St. 98, Ark.-Monticello 94
NE Oklahoma St. 80, John Brown 58

College Playoffs

NAIA Division II Football
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First Round
Saturday, Nov. 20

Westminster, Pa. 20, Georgetown, Ky. 13
Hardin-Simmons, Texas 49, Evangel, Mo. 21
Doane, Neb. 17, Bethany, Kan. 10
Baker, Kan. 39, Hastings, Neb. 19
Mary, N.D. 31, Minot State, N.D. 20
Central Washington 28, Linfield, Ore. 26
Findlay, Ohio 28, Tiffin, Ohio 14
Pacific Lutheran, Wash. 61, Cumberland, Tenn. 7

Quarterfinals
Saturday, Dec. 4

Westminster, Pa. (8-2) at Findlay, Ohio (8-2), noon.
Hardin-Simmons, (9-2) at Mary, N.D. (8-2), 1 p.m.
Doane, Neb. (10-0) at Baker, Kan. (9-2), 1 p.m.
Central Washington (9-1) at Pacific Lutheran, Wash. (9-0-1), 3 p.m.

1-AA Playoffs

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Quarterfinals
Saturday, Dec. 4
Sites TBA

E. Kentucky-Ga. Southern winner vs. Cent. Florida-Youngstown St. winner
N. Iowa-Boston U. winner vs. Idaho-NE Louisiana winner
Delaware-Montana winner vs. Howard-Marshall winner
William & Mary-McNeese St. winner vs. Stephen F. Austin-Troy St. winner

Semifinals
Saturday, Dec. 11
Pairings and Sites TBA

E. Kent-Ga. Southern—Cent. Florida-Youngstown St. vs. N. Iowa-Boston U.—Idaho-NE Louisiana winner
Delaware-Montana—Howard-Marshall vs. William & Mary-McNeese St.—Stephen F. Austin-Troy St. winner

NFL Injuries

NEW YORK (AP) — The updated National Football League injury report for Thursday's games, as provided by the league:

CHICAGO AT DETROIT — Bears: CB Anthony Blaylock (finger), RB Bob Christian (virus) are out. Lions: S Bennie Blades (ankle), WR-KR Mel Gray (ankle) are out. WR Willie Green (hip), G-T Dave Lutz (hamstring) are questionable. RB Derrick Moore (hamstring), S William White (back) are probable.

MIAMI AT DALLAS — Dolphins: QB Scott Mitchell (shoulder), DE David Griggs (knee), LB John Grimsley (shoulder), DE Jeff Hunter (knee) are out. WR Tony Martin (knee), G Keith Sims (hand) are probable. Cowboys: CB-S Joe Fishback (knee) is out. RB Emmitt Smith (quadricep) is doubtful. G Nate Newton (knee) is questionable. QB Troy Aikman (hamstring), S Kenneth Gant (shoulder) are probable.

NFL Leaders

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TOTAL YARDAGE

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Miami	3581	1048	2533
Houston	3565	1146	2419
Denver	3550	1021	2529
New York Jets	3532	1173	2359
Pittsburgh	3434	1404	2030
Buffalo	3285	1340	1945
Indianapolis	3170	927	2243
LA. Raiders	3118	983	2135
New England	3083	1009	2074
Kansas City	2960	1116	1844
San Diego	2822	1019	1803
Cleveland	2723	1107	1616
Seattle	2700	1045	1655
Cincinnati	2419	758	1661

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	2397	696	1701
L.A. Raiders	2623	1150	1473
Kansas City	2838	917	1921
Miami	3011	906	2105
Houston	3011	884	2127
New York Jets	3031	885	2146
Seattle	3079	1098	1981
Cleveland	3108	1030	2078
New England	3258	1368	1890
Buffalo	3296	1348	1948
Cincinnati	3309	1477	1832
San Diego	3320	826	2494
Denver	3433	876	2557
Indianapolis	3570	1390	2180

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
San Francisco	3903	1486	2417
Dallas	3536	1233	2303
NY Giants	3247	1508	1739
New Orleans	3231	1266	1965
Atlanta	3130	940	2190
Phoenix	3037	1117	1920
Detroit	2977	1367	1610
Minnesota	2975	915	2060
Philadelphia	2944	1169	1775
Washington	2908	1140	1768
Green Bay	2876	1014	1862
L.A. Rams	2846	993	1853
Tampa Bay	2596	713	1883
Chicago	2468	1132	1336

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
NY Giants	2671	977	1694
Minnesota	2772	910	1862
Chicago	2807	1175	1632
Detroit	2905	990	1915
Green Bay	2943	1049	1894
Dallas	3002	1050	1952
New Orleans	3009	1236	1773
San Francisco	3016	1132	1884
Philadelphia	3092	1455	1637
Phoenix	3222	1187	2035
L.A. Rams	3257	1191	2066
Tampa Bay	3499	1374	2125
Atlanta	3551	1261	2290
Washington	3586	1251	2335

AVERAGE PER GAME

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass

Lady 'Horns like sleeper role heading into season

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Tech got so much attention on its way to the women's basketball national championship last year that few recall Texas tied the Lady Raiders for the regular season Southwest Conference title.

The SWC office in Dallas even sent out a memo earlier this year stating that Texas finished second during the 1992 season to Tech. League officials have since apologized.

But that, and the fact that the Lady Longhorns begin the season unranked for the first time in more than a decade, was all the motivation Texas coach Jody Conradt needed.

"I can look at things realistically, but it still motivates me when people don't give us credit for being co-champions and you're not in this poll or that poll," said Conradt, who is beginning her 18th season at Texas.

"Those things don't really mean anything at this point, but for people who are competitive, it is a motivation."

Conradt is the winningest women's basketball coach with 620 victories, a mark that places her fourth among all active coaches, behind North Carolina's Dean Smith (774), UTEP's Don Haskins and James Madison's Lefty Driesell (621).

She insists she is still challenged and excited about coaching. And she will have to utilize all of her tricks this year to replace a talented and tall front line that graduated after a 22-8 season, including a second-round loss to Louisiana Tech (82-78) in the NCAA tournament.

Gone are 6-4 Cinietra Henderson and 6-1 Vicki Hall, who combined to score nearly 4,000 points over the past four years. Also departed are forwards Joanne Benton, Fey Meeks and guard Jennifer Clark.

Conradt says their departure means the plodding, half-court game the Lady Longhorns relied on for four years is also out the door

Instead, Conradt will rely on five freshmen, whom she has dubbed the "Fab Five," to reinstate the running and pressing style that helped Texas win a national championship in 1986.

"This is the style I am more comfortable with and this is the style that we used to build the program with," Conradt said.

Freshmen Angela Brown, Amber Hasenmyer, Angie Jo Ogletree, Amie Smith and Danielle Viglione are expected to get plenty of playing time this year, Conradt said.

"The freshmen came to campus and were asking me, 'Is there a gym where we can play and when can we go there?' " Conradt said. "If it had been just the returning players, I am not sure they would have changed a lot in terms of how committed they were or conditioning wise.

"That doesn't mean that they weren't committed, but it was the kind of thing where I don't think they were as focused as they could have been."

Conradt said three of the freshmen have outperformed the returning players in tests that measure conditioning and desire.

She projects that this year's team may end up being one of the best shooting teams she has had.

In the first half of the annual Orange-White intrasquad scrimmage, 25 3-point shots were attempted.

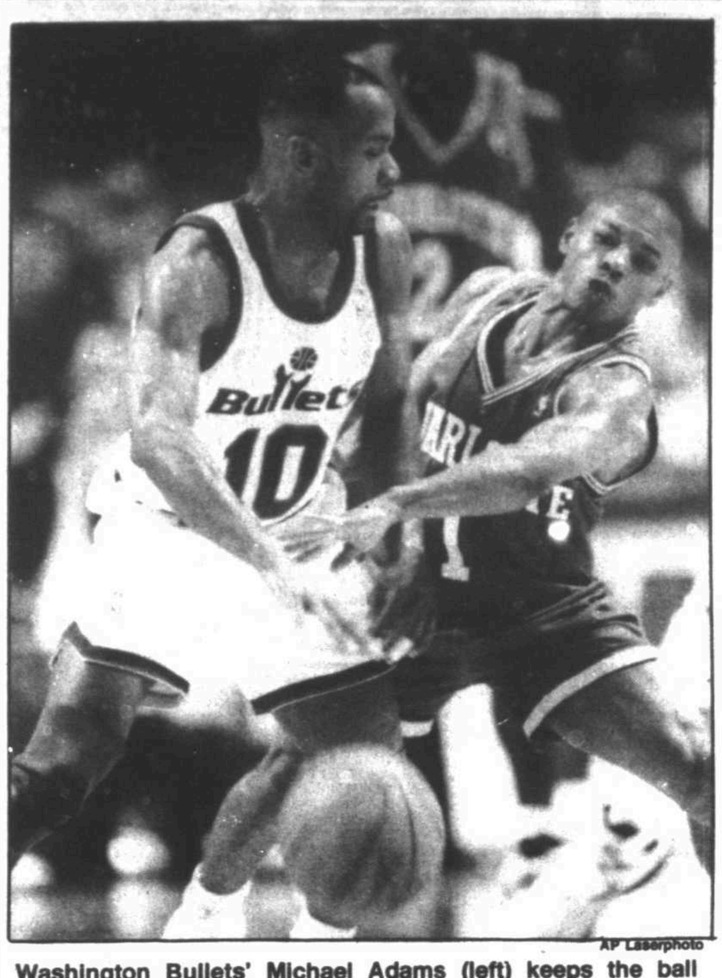
"I don't think I will have to ask this team to shoot," Conradt quipped. "They have gotten the running and the shooting part down."

Guard Nekeisha Henderson, a speedy junior with lightning-quick hands, 6-3 center Kristi Inman and 6-0 forward Cobi Kennedy will lead the rebuilding of the Lady Longhorns.

No returning starter averaged more than 10 points a game last year, prompting Conradt to say, "There are no stars on this team."

Conradt said she believes every team in the SWC has a legitimate chance to win the conference title this year.

"It's really going to be fun. There are just no returning dominant players," Conradt said. "It's wide open from an individual standpoint and from a team concept. I don't think you can count anybody out."



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Washington Bullets' Michael Adams (left) keeps the ball away from Charlotte Hornets guard Muggsy Bogues during the first half of the Bullets' 118-98 win in Landover, Md., Tuesday.

Rockets run record to 10-0 with victory

HOUSTON (AP) — Hakeem Olajuwon scored 28 points, and Houston held off injury-weakened Chicago's second-half charge, improving the Rockets' record to 10-0.

Houston became the seventh team in NBA history to start the season 10-0. Washington holds the NBA record with a 15-0 start in 1948-49.

It was easy until the third quarter for the Rockets, who led 73-53 with 5:17 left in the period before the Bulls closed to 93-89 with 2:30 left.

The Bulls were playing without All-Star Scottie Pippen because of an ankle injury and starting center Bill Cartwright because of tendinitis in both knees. Guard John Paxson and center Scott Williams, part of the Bulls' eight-man rotation, also are out with injuries.

Houston starting guard Kenny Smith sat out the game with tendinitis in his left knee.

Clippers 105, Mavericks 98

DALLAS (AP) — Ron Harper scored 32 points and Loy Vaught 24 as Los Angeles beat Dallas for the ninth consecutive time.

Jamal Mashburn scored 20 points and Doug Smith 18 for Dallas, now 0-5 at home. The Clippers played without injured starter Danny Manning for the fifth consecutive game.

Bullets 118, Hornets 98

LANDOVER, Md. — The resurgent Washington Bullets — behind Don MacLean's 24 points — ended a six-game losing streak to Charlotte with a victory over the Hornets.

Johnny Newman scored 24 points and Alonzo Mourning had 21 points and 12 rebounds for the Hornets, losers of two straight after a club-record five-game winning streak. Charlotte beat the Bullets by 16 last Friday, its sixth straight win over Washington since March 1992.

Magic 120, Warriors 107

ORLANDO, Fla. — Shaquille O'Neal dominated Chris Webber in the first meeting of the top picks in the last two NBA drafts, leading Orlando to a victory over Golden State.

O'Neal, exploiting a four-inch height advantage and Webber's foul trouble, scored 28 points. Nick Anderson and Anfernee Hardaway added 24 and 23, respectively, for the Magic, who used a 15-0 run to take control in the fourth quarter.

'Horns can beat Aggies, but they won't

By Kirk Bohls
N.Y. Times News Service

AUSTIN — It says here that the Texas Longhorns can beat Texas A&M on Thursday.

They can, but they won't.

The talent gap is just too wide. Texas strong safety Van Malone will take rather large exception to that premise. Malone said, "This should be our I- told-you-so time, but I'm not going to get into it till Fridav."

■ Analysis

If they win, he's more than entitled. If they don't, well, Van, I guess I told YOU so.

Of course, Malone hasn't exactly guaranteed a victory.

Even so, Texas is playing better than it has all season. Its defense has steadily improved. Its special teams are the equal of — or superior to — Texas A&M's. Its confidence level is so high, to its credit, it doesn't care about the Aggies' talent level.

Texas' weapons, however, are at wide receiver, and it's much harder to get the ball to a wideout than it is to a running back, barring about 12 end- arounds. Shea Morenz is much more critical to Texas' chances than Corey Pullig is to Texas A&M's. Morenz must have the game of his life for the Longhorns to have a chance to win while Pullig doesn't even have to be noticed for the Aggies to win.

Here's how Texas could win:

■ The Aggies make five turnovers, at least one of which must be returned for a Texas touchdown.

■ The Longhorns squib, pooch or deflate the ball so Leeland McElroy cannot get his hands on it via a kickoff return. (Of A&M's 20 scores from 20 yards or beyond, the redshirt freshman has eight. Wow.) Handcuffs are optional. They should also shadow McElroy's every move.

■ Morenz cannot throw more than one interception.

■ Texas should onside kick every time. Why not?

■ The Longhorns should run every trick play they have. In fact, they should go to the trick-play offense as their base offense and then surprise the Aggies with a stunning, off-tackle gadget play. What defense possibly could prepare for that gameplan? Besides,

On paper and in the papers, the Aggies are prohibitive favorites to mop up Kyle Field with the Longhorns. They have more speed, more depth, more big-game experience, more fans with the home-field advantage, more noise, more everything.

As Texas Coach John Mackovic says, "It doesn't sound like we have any advantage. That may be our best advantage."

He's dead right. The Aggies are poised for the kill. You can't possibly convince me that a single Aggie player believes Texas has a chance in Thursday's game.

Few outside the Boston College campus figured the Eagles could make Touchdown Jesus hide his eyes. Emotion can and always will be the great equalizer. Tenacity can outdo talent.

I seriously — well, kind of — considered offering to shave my head if the Longhorns win Thursday, but my wife reminded me how bad I look *with* hair.

■ More Sports/8C

Too risky. That's about as big a testament as I can make to thinking Texas at least has a shot. I don't think the Longhorns will win, but I won't even risk my hair, which rivals Letterman's on bad-hair days.

The oddsmakers list A&M as a 20-point favorite. To quote Texas linebacker Winfred Tubbs, "Vegas might go broke after Thursday."

Twenty points, huh?

"It might even go higher than that," conceded Texas defensive tackle Thomas Baskin.

He's right. It's now 21 points, and kickoff is still more than 24 hours away.

It's all there for the Longhorns, who have the biggest opportunity in the land to go from 1-3-1 chumps to SWC champs. It's not likely, it's not realistic, but it is possible. Van told me so.

Blair mends from skating injury

ROCKY RIVER, Ohio (AP) — Bonnie Blair, the United States' best woman speed skater, is receiving treatment this week for a calf muscle injury she sustained last Friday in Germany, the U.S. speed skating federation said Tuesday.

Blair tore the fascia, the sheath that covers the calf muscle, in her right leg during an outdoor practice session in Inzetl, Germany.

"It was a fluke," said Nick Thometz, Blair's coach. "Bonnie was warmed up and well stretched and it happened at the end of the workout. We've been training indoors, and maybe it's taken longer to adjust to the cold."

Thometz said Blair has been receiving treatment this week and was able to skate on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Big East Conference ponders expansion

EAST BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — The presidents and athletic directors of the Big East Conference's eight football schools ended two days of meetings Tuesday, discussing among other things a survey about possible expansion.

The survey, conducted by a independent group, extolled the advantages of Rutgers, West Virginia, Virginia Tech and Temple joining the league for all sports. The four schools currently play only football in the league.

Rutgers, Temple and West Virginia are members of the Atlantic 10 Conference aside from football. Virginia Tech plays in the Metro.

Big East spokesman John Paquette said the four did not apply for admission to the conference in all sports at the meeting, nor was admission offered.

He also said the conference has no immediate plans to discuss it. The league's next general meeting is scheduled for January in Florida.

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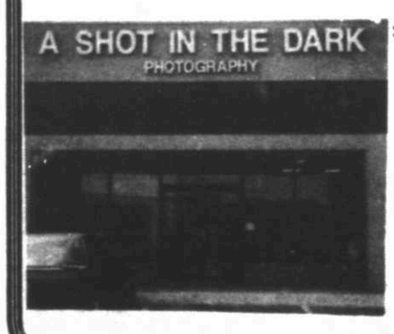

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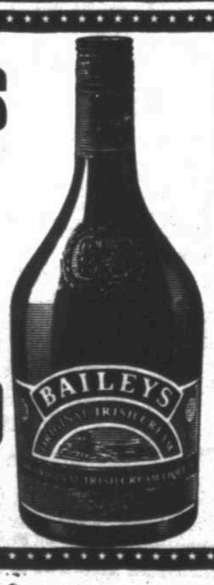

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Prices tumble

NEW YORK — Crude oil prices tumbled Tuesday in what analysts said was the market's displeasure with the OPEC ministers' handling of oil production ceilings.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in January, which rose 4 cents on Monday, fell a sharp 47 cents to settle at $16.63 per barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Local crude purchasers lowered their posted price 50 cents to $15 a barrel.

Also influencing prices were statements by Tariq Aziz, Iraq's deputy prime minister, who vowed to remain in New York for as long as necessary to force the United Nations to permit Iraq to resume oil exports.

Analysts agreed the market attempted to send a message to OPEC, but one analyst thought the point was overstated.

"I think the selloff is excessive and we may be nearing a point where the weather patterns may take over (as a factor) in the demand on crude," said George J. Gaspar, an oil analyst at Robert W. Baird & Co. Inc. in Milwaukee.

Gaspar said he expects crude oil stocks to be drawn down as cold weather begins to take its grip across the nation. The weekly American Petroleum Institute, released after the close of Tuesday's session, offered support of that view.

Crude oil stocks declined by 5.7 million barrels to 329.69 million for the week ended Friday, the API said.

The industry group also said refinery operations increased 0.1 percent to 91.9 percent of capacity. Unleaded gasoline stocks rose 2.95 million barrels to 215.38 million. Distillate stocks, which include heating oil, rose by 73,400 barrels to 138.79 million.

The decrease in crude oil supplies pushed prices slightly higher in early computerized after-hours trading session Tuesday night.

Natural gas contracts for January delivery fell 4.4 cents to settle at $2.352 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Dollar falls

NEW YORK — The dollar finished mostly lower on Tuesday after seesawing against the yen in anticipation of a U.S. Treasury Department report that some traders mistakenly thought would indicate a shift in U.S. policy toward the Japanese currency.

Stocks gain

NEW YORK — The stock market snapped a four-day losing streak and followed bonds higher Tuesday.

The Dow Jones industrial average gained 3.92 points to 3,674.17.

Advancing issues outnumbered decliners by about 9 to 7 on the New York Stock Exchange, with 1,165 up, 901 down and 620 unchanged.

Big Board volume totaled 259.24 million shares, against 277.09 million in the previous session.

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OPEC opens strategy session

■ Cartel calls for urgent measures to drive up oil prices from lowest levels in over 3 years.

Associated Press

VIENNA, Austria — OPEC opened a key strategy session Tuesday with a warning that oil prices are "dangerously" low and the producers must take whatever action is necessary to raise them.

Gabonese Oil Minister Jean Ping, outgoing president of the 12-nation cartel, called for urgent measures to drive prices up from their lowest levels in more than three years.

Other ministers echoed his concerns about prices.

"It is not acceptable," said Iranian Oil Minister Gholamreza Aqazadeh at the start of a winter conference at cartel headquarters in the Austrian capital.

No one, though, suggested specific steps for slashing oil production in an attempt to limit supply to customers during the winter and push prices higher. Demand for oil normally rises during the winter heating season in the United States and Europe.

Saudi Arabia's influential oil minister, Hisham Nazer, made no comments at the start of the meeting during which reporters were allowed to question the officials. The kingdom is the world's largest oil producer.

In an opening speech, Ping told the others the average price of an OPEC marker skidded on Monday to $14.70 a 42-gallon barrel. The benchmark is at its lowest level in more than three years and far off the group's target of $21 a barrel.

The price is "dangerously below what most of us would recognize as the minimum level of economic rent" for oil, said Ping.

Vahan Zanoyan, senior director of Petroleum Finance Co. in Washington, predicted prices would tumble another dollar or two if the producers failed to restrain pumping in the coming months. "It's either fix it now or fix it when (prices) get much worse," he said.

Last September, the producers carefully fashioned an agreement that was designed to limit pumping at 24.5 million barrels a day in the October-March period and tighten supplies to consumers.

But, even though the nations' have generally complied with the output limits, the accord has failed to give the desired boost to prices.

"It is particularly galling that after weeks of painstaking negotiation and sacrifice the price of oil still languishes in the doldrums," he said.

He told the producers that "there is no simple answer to our dilemma."

Even so, he said, "We must be prepared to take whatever action is necessary. There must be something we can do in the short term."

Prime Option

Phillip J. Purcell, left, chairman and chief executive officer of Dean Witter, Discover & Company, joins Patrick Phillips, center, president of Nations Bank Financial Products and Peter Hart, president of Mastercard, following a news conference in New York Monday. The three were on hand to announce the forming of a new credit card to be called Prime Option, sponsored by the three companies.

City's jobless rate drops off to 6.3 percent

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Midland's employment picture showed some modest improvement during the month of October, according to figures released by the Texas Employment Commission on Tuesday.

The city's unemployment rate inched down to 6.3 percent from 6.4 percent in September, TEC figures show, and is well below the 7.4 percent seen a year earlier.

Odessa, however, showed an increase, with its unemployment rate rising to 8.6 percent from 8.2 percent, but remains below the 9.5 percent seen last year.

There was some good news in other TEC figures as well.

The TEC found that 200 Midlanders joined the civilian labor force, sending it to 49,000 from 48,800 in September, which was the same as October 1992.

There were apparently 200 jobs created during the month, because there were 200 more Midlanders employed in October, bringing the total to 45,900 from 45,700 a year earlier. This is also higher than a year ago, when total employment was 45,200.

Total unemployment remained at 3,100 for a second month and is below the 3,600 posted last year.

Jacquen Moseley, office manager of the Midland TEC office, said Midland's employment situation "is pretty much holding steady right now. First-time unemployment claims are holding steady, though we've seen some from Arco.

"We haven't felt the impact of layoffs; there have been some, but since they happened the first of November, they won't be felt until this time next month," she said.

Midland's employment statistics for November will most likely be affected by holiday hiring, which should be starting now, Ms. Moseley said.

Among the TEC's 28 metropolitan statistical areas, Midland ranked 10th, tied with San Angelo, Sherman-Denison and Wichita Falls, while Odessa was 21st among the MSAs.

Bryan-College Station continued to have the lowest unemployment rate in the state, 3.4 percent, followed by Austin with 4.5 percent, Amarillo with 4.8 percent, Lubbock with 5.1 percent and Waco with 5.2 percent. The highest rate in the state was in McAllen-Ediburg-Mission, which had 15.6 percent unemployment.

Clinton calls for banking regulation overhaul

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration proposed a major overhaul Tuesday of banking regulation it said harms the economy. Supervisory duties of four agencies would be folded into a single Federal Banking Commission.

The proposal was widely praised, except by the Federal Reserve Board and its supporters.

The current system "was designed for another time," Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen told reporters. "It just makes no sense to have four separate agencies, overlapping, often in conflict, in charge of our financial institutions.

"It is a drag on the economy, a headache for our financial services industry and source of friction within our government."

The plan would weave into an independent five-member commission the bank regulatory duties of the Federal Reserve Board, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency and the Office of Thrift Supervision.

The heads of the two Treasury agencies that would be abolished — the OCC, now responsible for national banks, and the OTS, which regulates the savings and loan industry — applauded the move.

But the proposed change received a decidedly negative response from the Federal Reserve, which has fiercely defended its independence and fought off attempts to diminish its power over monetary policy or the nation's banking system.

Bentsen insisted the plan would leave untouched the Fed's power over the economy through its ability to set interest rates. He said the Fed's current responsibility for supervising the nation's largest banks could be better done by a centralized agency.

However, a terse Fed statement said, "It is the long-held conviction of the board that a hands-on role in banking supervision is essential to the carrying out of the Federal Reserve's responsibilities for the stability of the financial system and is vital for the effective conduct of monetary policy."

The Independent Bankers Association of America, which represents many Fed-regulated banks, agreed.

"We do not support any proposal that strips the Fed of its essential regulatory and supervisory functions," said executive director Kenneth Guenther. "There was a single regulatory agency over the savings and loan industry, and we saw what happened."

The American Bankers Association, which represents large and small banks, deferred reaction.

BUSINESS SCENE

Rex TV to open Midland store's doors Friday

By Mella McEwen

Opening its doors Friday is REX TV, located at 4717 N. Midkiff.

McEwen

The new store carries all electronics, including televisions, camcorders, videocassette recorders, home and car stereo systems, and "white goods" — gas and electric washers and dryers and ranges, refrigerators and freezers.

Store manager is Jay Wentworth.

The 67-year-old company's southern regional vice president, Dennis Fugua, in town to help prepare for Friday's opening, said the company's goal is to offer the customer the best price for his purchase. In fact, the store has a policy that if a customer finds the same item anywhere else for a lower price within 30 days after buying it at Rex TV, the store will refund the difference plus an additional 25 percent of the difference.

The Midland store — which follows the opening of stores in Odessa, San Angelo, Longview and College Station, makes the eighth store in Texas for the company and brings to 140 the number of stores in the chain as it nears the end of a year that saw the opening of 24 new stores this year. The company's goal is to double that in three years, and has already picked out sites for 12 new stores in Texas.

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FOREVER GREEN, located in the Colonnade on Loop 250 and Garfield, next door to Tuesday Morning, has added a gift line and begun offering gift baskets.

Gift items include a line of soaps called "Forever Soap" because they have designs that won't wear off. Also carried are cookbooks, coffee mugs and decorative teapots, ceramic pieces such as bowls and vases, copper pieces, decorative boxes, jewelry, decorative "dickies", keychains, musical gifts and spicy food items that are destined for men's gift baskets.

The store continues to carry a large selection of silk trees and plants, candles and potpourri. Christmas decorations — trees and ornaments — are also on sale.

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Midlanders Billy and Vickie Hodge have opened HODGE TACK AND SADDLE SHOP at 3105 Garden City Highway.

Mrs. Hodge said the shop carries saddles, tack, "any form of riding equipment." And she said prices run "just a little above wholesale."

Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays.

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Meat wholesaler WINFORD'S MEAT AND FOODS has relocated to 6006 S. Highway 349 and opened a small retail area, selling different cuts and freezer packs in addition to wholesaling to area restaurants.

Owners Holly and Robert Winford also offer deer meat processing and do smoked meats and jerky.

There is also a feed and tack store.

Hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays.

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New Chamber of Commerce member Ivan Meissner has opened a computer consulting service, working mainly with IBM and IBM-compatible personal computers. He can be reached at 683-5908.

He explained that he offers training, makes purchase recommendations for computer systems, recommends software to fulfill the client's needs, private tutoring and some troubleshooting. Cost is $30 an hour.

"I do not sell anything except my services, so I'm not tied to a specific hardware of software vendor," he noted.

In addition to his consulting service, he teaches computer courses for Midland College's continuing education program.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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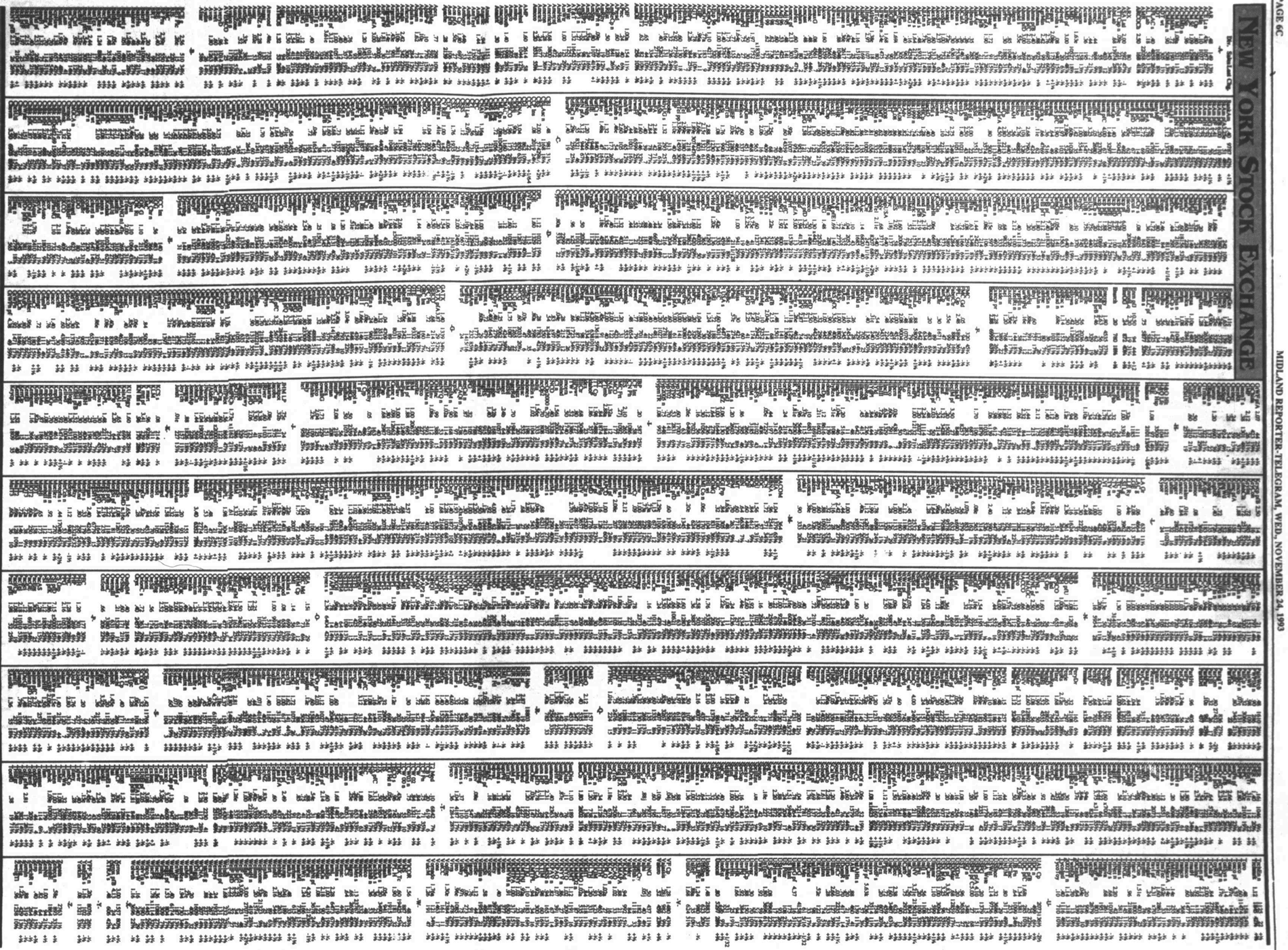

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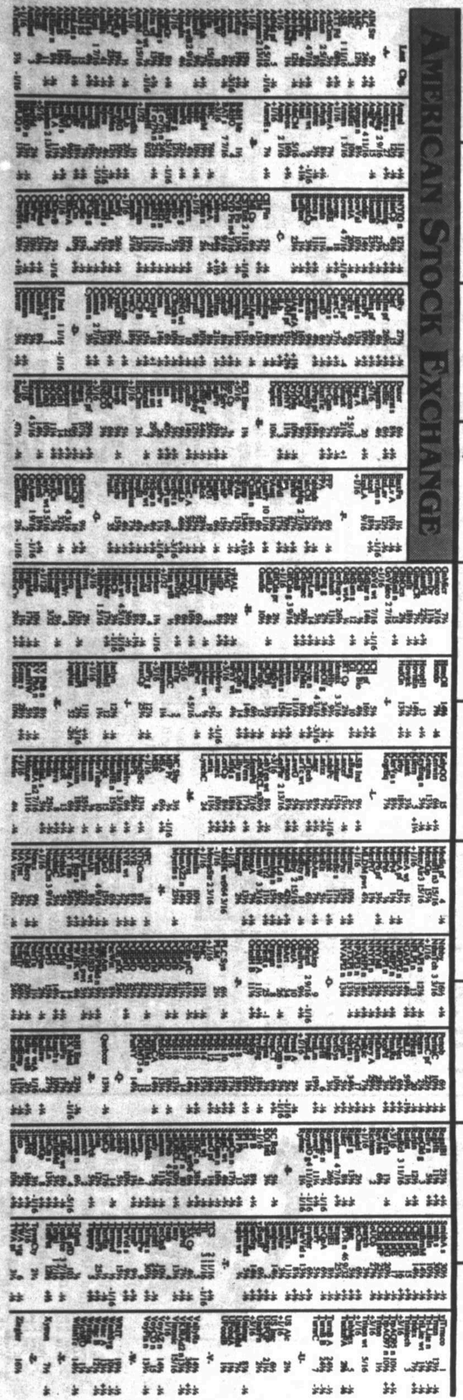

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HYdA p	10.01	10.51	
Inco p	8.55	8.98	+.01
IndE p	11.85	12.54	—.06
LimM p	10.15	10.25	+.01
MuB p	8.60	9.03	+.01
Summit	10.01		+.01
TeCT p	11.16	11.72	+.01
TF Int	10.91	11.02	—.01
Util p	14.10	14.92	+.11
Valu p	20.52	21.71	+.16
Weing p	17.05	18.04	+.19
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg	10.00	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.91	N.L.	+.02
IntLiq	10.85	N.L.	+.01
MtgSc	11.17	N.L.	+.02
AccMortg	12.34	N.L.	+.02
AccShtInt	12.40	N.L.	+.02
AcornIn	14.67	14.67	—.05
AcornF	69.26	69.26	+.51
AdusCa p	21.78	22.45	+.13
AdvCBal p	10.52	N.L.	+.04
AdvCRet p	10.58	N.L.	+.10
Advest Advant:			
Govt p	10.29	10.29	+.10
Gwth p	17.20	17.20	+.06
HY Bd p	9.93	9.93	—.01
Inco p	13.21	13.21	+.04
Aetna Funds:			
Actna	10.72	N.L.	+.02
Bond	10.38	N.L.	+.02
GrwInco	10.85	N.L.	+.05
IntlGr	10.62	N.L.	—.05
Alger Funds:			
Grwth t	21.50	21.50	+.24
SmCap t	24.41	24.41	+.21
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	7.40	7.73	+.07
Balan p	14.29	14.92	+.08
BalB t	15.70	15.70	+.05
BondA p	14.81	15.47	+.05
CpBB p	14.80	14.80	+.04
Count p	20.15	21.04	+.15
GlbSA p	10.99	11.48	+.09
GovtA p	8.54	8.92	+.03
GovtB p	8.54	8.54	+.03
GovtC p	8.54	8.54	+.04
Grinc p	2.54	2.65	+.02
GwthB t	21.12	21.12	+.11
GrincB p	2.53	2.53	+.02
ICATA p	13.98	14.60	
InMA p	10.57	11.04	
InsMB	10.57	10.57	
IntlA p	17.06	17.82	—.05
MrtgA p	9.27	9.68	+.05
MrtgB p	9.27	9.27	+.05
MrtgC p	9.27	9.27	+.05
MtgTA p	9.95	10.39	+.02
MtgTB p			
MtgTC p			
MultG	10.27	10.37	+.03
MMSA p	8.87	9.26	—.02
MMSB t	8.87	8.87	—.02
MCAA p	10.67	11.14	
MCAB p	10.67	10.67	
MCAC p	10.67	10.67	
MFLC p	9.97	9.97	+.01
MINB p	10.87	10.87	+.01
MNYA p	10.00	10.44	
MNYB p	10.00	10.00	
MNYC p	10.00	10.00	
NMuA p	10.87	11.35	+.01
NMuC p	10.87	10.87	+.01
NEur p	11.32	11.82	+.01
NAGvA	10.34	10.80	+.02
NAGB p	10.34	10.34	+.02
NAGvC	10.35	10.33	+.01
PGthA p	11.67	12.19	+.16
PGthB p	11.61	11.61	+.16
QuzrA p	23.36	24.40	+.34
ST Mla p	9.20	9.61	—.01
ST Mlb t	9.20	9.20	—.01
Tech p	32.38	33.82	+1.12
WldIn p	1.90	1.90	
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	12.03	12.60	+.05
Bond	11.24	11.59	+.03
LtdMat	14.73	15.42	+.07
MdMat	10.79	11.12	+.03
RegEq	17.13	17.94	+.08
Ambassador Fds:			
BondF	10.12	10.12	+.03
CrGrF	16.20	N.L.	+.15
CoreGF	16.20	16.20	+.15
GrwthF	13.27	13.27	+.25
GrwthI	13.27	13.27	+.25
IdxStF	11.92	11.92	+.06
IntStkF	12.69	12.69	—.03
IntBdF	10.45	10.45	+.03
IntBdI	10.45	N.L.	+.03
SmCGF	13.46	13.46	+.21
TxFBdI	10.60	N.L.	
Amcore Vintage:			
Equity	10.23	10.68	+.03
PxInco	10.31	10.71	+.02
Amer AAdvant:			
Balan	13.05	N.L.	+.04
Equity	14.42	N.L.	+.06
IntlEq	11.66	N.L.	—.07
LtdTr	10.14	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	17.87	18.96	+.10
CpBdA p	7.19	7.55	+.02
EQA p	25.72	27.29	+.50
EQB p	25.35	26.89	+.49
EmtA p	12.69	13.46	+.11
EmtB p	12.61	12.61	+.10
EqIncA p	5.60	5.94	+.02
EqIncB t	5.59	5.59	+.02
Exch	109.17		+.47
FMgA p	12.42	12.71	+.01
FMgB p	12.43	12.43	+.01
GlGvA p	9.25	9.71	—.01
GlGvB p	9.29	N.L.	—.01
GvScA p	10.81	11.35	+.03
GvScB p	10.82	10.82	+.04
GvScC p	10.80	10.80	+.03
GvTIA p	9.10	9.55	+.02
GvTIB p	9.10	9.10	+.02
GvTIC p	9.10	9.10	+.02
GrInc p	13.99	14.84	+.07
HarbA p	15.86	16.83	+.08
HarbB p	15.78	15.78	+.07
HiYldA p	6.66	6.99	+.02
HiYldB p	6.67	6.67	+.02
MuBA p	10.41	10.93	+.01
PaccA p	13.07	13.87	+.12
TEHA p	11.17	11.73	
TEHB p	11.17	11.17	+.01
TxEIA p	11.57	12.15	+.01
TxEIB p	11.57	11.57	+.01
American Funds:			
A Bal p	13.02	13.81	+.03
Amcp p	12.39	13.15	+.08
AMutl p	22.72	24.11	+.09
Bond p	14.75	15.49	+.02
CapIB p	33.54	35.59	+.16
CapW p	16.35	17.17	—.03
CapWG	16.92	17.95	—.04
Espac p	20.75	22.02	—.04
Fdlav p	17.67	18.75	+.09
Govt p	14.39	15.11	+.05
Gwth p	26.92	28.56	+.29
HI Tr p	15.41	16.18	
Inco p	14.67	15.56	+.03
IntBd p	14.36	15.08	+.02
ICA p	19.06	20.22	+.08
NEco p	32.53	34.51	+.20
N Per p	14.51	15.40	
SmCp p	23.26	24.68	+.01
TxEx p	12.27	12.88	+.01
TECA p	16.08	16.88	+.03
TEMd p	15.60	16.38	+.02
TEVA p	16.15	16.96	+.02
Wsh p	17.99	19.09	+.06
A GMNRI	9.96	10.57	—.02
A Hertg	9.96	N.L.	
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.72	5.01	+.01
Inco	23.30	24.72	+.04
API Gr p	12.56	N.L.	—.20
Am Perform:			
Equity	12.64	13.17	+.05
IntBd	10.91	11.25	+.02
AmUtlFd	23.31	N.L.	+.26
Amway f	8.04	8.29	+.12
Analyt	12.41	N.L.	+.03
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.83	11.28	
CO TF	10.75	11.20	+.01
HI TF	11.70	12.19	+.01
KY TF	10.80	11.25	
OR TF	10.78	11.23	+.01
Arch Funds:			
MoTF	11.65	12.20	+.01
Atlas Funds:			
CaMuni	11.35	11.70	+.03
GvtSc	10.58	10.91	+.02
GroInc	14.19	14.63	+.14
NaMuni	11.41	11.76	+.02
BB&T Funds:			
GrolncT	11.30	N.L.	+.05
IntGovT	10.22	N.L.	+.03
SIGovT	10.18	N.L.	+.01
BEA Funds:			
IntlEq f	18.85	18.85	—.08
StgPA fp	17.70	17.70	+.04
BJBGlA p	12.22	12.73	—.02
BHY Banshare:			
Eqlnc	11.12	N.L.	+.05
IntlEq	10.15	N.L.	+.02
NY TE	10.23	N.L.	—.01
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.67	N.L.	
Bond S	10.46	N.L.	+.02
Enterp	17.03	N.L.	+.07
Gwth	12.92	N.L.	—.02
Intl	15.34	N.L.	—.04
Shdw	12.53	N.L.	+.03
TaxFrS	10.98	N.L.	
TaxFrL	9.48	N.L.	+.01
UMB B	11.48	N.L.	+.01
UMB St	16.34	N.L.	+.01
Value	25.03	N.L.	+.16
Ballard&Shield&Kelsey:			
Diversa	12.57	N.L.	+.08
IntlEq	5.82	N.L.	—.04
IntlFI	10.61	N.L.	—.02
Baird Funds:			
Adjinc	9.93	10.26	
BICbip p	18.37	19.49	+.08
CapDv p	22.65	24.03	+.17
Bankers Trust:			
IntdEq	10.65	N.L.	+.05
InvUtil	10.75	N.L.	+.07
BaronA	20.96	N.L.	+.04
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	14.82	N.L.	
FlexBd	10.41	N.L.	+.01
VI Intl	11.19	N.L.	—.14
BayFunds :			
Bond	10.23	N.L.	+.02
Equity	10.69	N.L.	+.09
ST Yld	9.91	N.L.	
BSEmD	10.73	11.24	+.04
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA x	20.61	N.L.	—.09
DivGrA x	10.56	N.L.	+.11
EqIdxA x	10.76	N.L.	—.02
FocGrA	10.23	10.23	+.13
SIBdA x	20.32	N.L.	—.06
SmCplA x	11.19	N.L.	+.03
USGvA x	20.06	20.06	—.04
USTIdxA x	21.02	N.L.	—.01
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.87	N.L.	
CalTFI	11.28	N.L.	
CalTin	10.48	N.L.	+.02
CaTFS	10.29	N.L.	—.01
CatH	9.59	N.L.	+.02
CatL	11.85	N.L.	+.02
EqGro	12.61	N.L.	+.08
EurBd	10.96	N.L.	—.03
GNMA	10.73	N.L.	+.01
GoldIn	13.12	N.L.	—.07
IncGro	15.09	N.L.	+.10
NITFI	11.05	N.L.	—.01
NITFL	12.12	N.L.	+.03
Tg1995	94.20	N.L.	+.17
Tg2000	71.13	N.L.	+.45
Tg2005	50.19	N.L.	+.46
Tg2010	36.95	N.L.	+.43
Tg2015	28.02	N.L.	+.37
Tg2020	19.75	N.L.	+.39
TNote	10.78	N.L.	+.02
UtilIn	10.26	N.L.	+.07
Berger Group:			
100 p	15.92	N.L.	+.31
101 p	11.28	N.L.	+.02
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.81	N.L.	+.01
ShtDur	12.81	N.L.	+.01
IntDur	13.70	N.L.	+.05
Ca Mu	13.63	N.L.	
DivMu	13.60	N.L.	
NYMu	13.61	N.L.	+.01
IndVal	14.91	N.L.	—.02
BerwynFd	17.83	N.L.	+.12
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	10.32	10.81	+.04
Eqlndx	10.44	10.93	+.04
FixedIn	9.98	10.45	+.02
STFixIn	9.90	10.37	
SCMuni	11.10	11.62	+.02
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	5.19	N.L.	—.01
GlGr p	11.08	N.L.	—.03
PrcM p	9.30	N.L.	—.02
ST Gl	1.86	N.L.	
ST Bd	3.01	N.L.	
BdEndw	19.62	N.L.	+.05
Boston Co Inst:			
CaApB p	28.85	N.L.	+.09
MgdIB p	12.29	N.L.	+.06
Boston Co Retail:			
CapAA p	28.85	N.L.	+.09
MgdIA p	12.29	N.L.	+.06
SpGrA p	19.71	N.L.	+.07
Boulevard Funds:			
BtChip	9.38	9.77	+.04
MangIn	9.82	10.12	
StrtBal	9.91	10.32	+.01
BrinsnGl f	11.01	N.L.	+.02
Brndyw	23.93	N.L.	+.33
BrundzSl	10.76	N.L.	
Bull & Bear Gp:			
Glbinc p	9.70	N.L.	+.02
Gold p	17.64	N.L.	—.29
SpEq p	28.12	N.L.	+.46
Burnhm p	21.41	22.07	+.04
CASRIty	33.50	N.L.	+.18
CFB MarketWatch:			
Equity	10.13	10.61	+.04
IntPxIn	10.19	10.67	+.03
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	31.69	N.L.	+.21
FxdInc	11.38	N.L.	+.04
Mutl	30.04	N.L.	+.10
California Trust:			
CalInc	13.16	N.L.	+.01
CalUS	11.36	N.L.	+.08
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	28.49	29.91	—.01
ArielA	21.47	22.54	+.08
GlobEq	16.26	17.07	
Inco	17.66	18.54	+.03
MBCAI	10.48	10.78	+.01
MuniIn	10.29	10.58	
Social p	30.03	31.53	+.03
SocBd	16.95	17.80	+.01
SocEq	21.02	22.07	+.05
TxFLt	10.70	10.92	
TxFLg	10.90	17.74	+.02
TxFVT	16.43	17.07	+.01
Cambridge Fds:			
CapGA	14.99	15.86	+.09
GvInA	13.80	14.49	+.03
MuIncA	15.76	16.55	+.03
CapGB t	14.95	14.95	+.09
GvInB t	13.82	13.82	+.03
GwthB t	15.47	15.47	+.22
MuInB t	15.77	15.77	+.03
CapitolEq	10.42	N.L.	+.04
Capstone Group:			
GvInc	4.89	4.89	+.01
Trend	13.10	13.75	+.09
Cardinal Funds:			
Fund	12.80	13.62	+.04
GvtObtg	8.55	8.95	+.01
CarlICa	12.85	13.53	—.02
CnKBIA	14.17	N.L.	—.06
CnKBIB	14.16	14.83	—.06
Cnt Shs	25.20	N.L.	+.21
ChesGrth	12.16	12.53	+.12
Chestnt	140.27	N.L.	+.74
Clipper	55.99	N.L.	+.25
Colonial Funds:			
US Id p	22.56	23.94	+.09
CalTE A	7.50	7.87	
ConTE A	7.73	8.12	—.01
FedSA p	11.22	11.78	+.03
FundA p	24.76	26.27	+.08
GrthA p	14.75	15.65	+.10
HiYldA p	6.91	7.25	
IncoA p	6.72	7.06	+.01
MATxA p	7.59	8.34	
MI TE A	7.15	7.51	+.01
MN TE A	7.34	7.71	
NatRsA	12.10	12.84	—.05
NY TE A	7.32	7.69	
ObTE A	7.48	7.85	
StrtInA	7.32	7.69	+.01
TxEA p	13.89	14.58	+.01
TxInsA p	8.40	8.82	
USGtA	12.11	12.85	+.08
USGvA p	6.75	7.09	+.01
UtilA p	13.59	14.27	+.14
CA TE B	7.50	7.50	
CT TE B	7.73	7.73	—.01
FedSB	11.22	11.22	+.03
FundB	24.73	24.73	+.08
GlBdg B	11.46	11.46	—.02
GwthB	14.69	14.69	+.10
HYMB	10.31	10.31	
HYSec B	6.91	6.91	
MATxB	7.94	7.94	
NY TxB	7.32	7.32	
OH TxB	7.48	7.48	
StrtInB	7.32	7.32	+.01
TxExB	13.89	13.89	+.01
TEInsB	8.40	8.40	
USGrB	12.02	12.02	+.08
USGvB	6.75	6.75	+.01
UtilB	13.59	13.59	+.14
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	18.33	N.L.	+.06
ComStk	15.75	N.L.	+.06
Fixed	13.81	N.L.	+.04
Govt	8.52	N.L.	+.01
Grth	28.48	N.L.	+.33
IndStk	11.89	N.L.	—.05
Muni	12.67	N.L.	
Spcl	21.50	N.L.	+.21
Common Sense:			
Govt	11.65	12.49	+.03
Grinc	16.71	18.26	+.10
Grwth	15.72	17.18	+.12
MunB	13.87	14.56	+.01
Compass Capital:			
EqInc			
FxdIn			
Grwth			
IntlFI	11.50	11.95	—.01
MunBd			
NJ Mun			
StInt			
Composite Group:			
BdStk p	12.04	12.61	+.03
Gwth p	12.70	13.30	+.02
IntFd p	9.32	9.71	+.02
NW500 p	14.59	15.28	+.07
TxEx p	7.96	8.29	+.01
USGv p	10.78	11.23	+.02
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	15.06	15.69	+.11
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	11.53	12.01	+.04
Grwth	16.07	16.92	+.12
Income	9.91	10.11	
TotRet	15.20	16.00	+.08
Coplcy	20.96	N.L.	+.14
ConeFunds :			
BalanA	10.57	N.L.	+.05
Eqldx	21.39	N.L.	+.09
GlEq	10.02	N.L.	+.07
IntBd	10.14	N.L.	+.02
IntlGr	12.86	N.L.	—.09
Cowen	13.17	13.84	+.08
Crabbe Huson:			
AstAll p	13.50	N.L.	+.05
Equity p	16.11	N.L.	+.06
QR Mun	12.65	N.L.	
CrestFunds Trust:			
Bond	10.21	N.L.	+.02
SI Bd	10.16	N.L.	
SpEq	12.82	N.L.	+.04
Value	11.39	N.L.	+.06
VAMu	10.31	N.L.	+.02
CuFd Adj	10.02	N.L.	
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.76	10.98	+.02
GvtInc	10.15	10.36	+.02
LTGvt	9.99	10.19	+.01
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	23.34	23.34	+.42
CalTF t	13.21	13.21	+.02
CapGr t	13.22	13.22	+.04
Convt t	10.67	10.67	+.02
DevGr t	18.35	18.35	+.44
DivGr t	30.61	30.61	+.10
DivIn t	10.12	10.12	+.01
EqInc t	8.53	8.53	+.03
Euro t	11.47	11.47	—.03
Glbl t	9.16	9.16	
GlbDiv t	10.21	10.21	
FedSec t	9.80	9.80	+.02
HiInSc t	10.02	10.02	+.09
HiYld f	7.73	8.18	
MuAL t	10.69	11.14	+.01
Intmd t	10.10	10.10	+.01
LtdMun	10.09	10.09	+.01
MuCA t	10.98	11.44	+.02
MUFL t	10.90	11.35	+.02
MUNJ t	10.91	11.36	+.01
MltPA t	10.99	11.45	+.02
NYTF t	12.46	12.46	+.01
NtlRs t	12.18	12.18	+.01
PacGr t	19.68	19.68	—.28
PrcM t	11.02	11.02	—.10
Premr p	9.10	9.38	+.01
SelMu p	12.66	12.66	+.01
Mngd t	11.08	11.08	+.03
ST US p	10.29	10.29	+.01
Strat t	14.88	14.88	+.09
TaxEx	12.25	12.76	+.01
USGvt t	9.31	9.31	+.02
Util f	14.37	14.37	+.10
ValAd t	19.71	19.71	+.07
WWIn	9.26	9.26	+.01
WldW t			
TCCor t	12.07	12.07	+.08
TC Inc	10.69	10.69	+.02
TCLat t	12.23	12.23	—.16
TCNor fp	10.06	10.06	+.01
TCSCp f	9.79	9.79	+.13
Dal Cap Instl:			
DlchF	7.04	7.04	
TaxRsl	9.87	9.87	+.01
Delaware Group:			
Trend p	14.33	15.20	+.08
Value p	19.89	21.10	+.07
Delcp p	25.46	27.01	+.36
Dectrl	18.11	19.79	+.05
Dectll p	14.31	15.18	+.02
Delaw p	19.10	20.27	+.06
IntlEq p	11.31	12.00	—.01
Delch p	7.04	7.39	
USOvl p	8.87	9.31	+.01
Treas p	9.87	10.18	+.01
TxUS p	12.59	13.22	+.01
TxIns p	11.55	12.13	+.01
TxFPa p	8.69	9.12	+.01
Dimensional Fds:			
US Lrg	13.88	N.L.	+.07
US Sml	8.61	N.L.	+.02
US 6-10	11.34	N.L.	+.04
Japan		N.L.	
UKing	21.18	N.L.	+.06
Cont	12.59	N.L.	—.06
Fixd	102.72	N.L.	+.05
GlBd	105.20	N.L.	+.04
Govt	105.47	N.L.	+.22
IntGv	115.82	N.L.	+.34
IntlHBM	10.07	N.L.	—.03
LCapIn	11.56	N.L.	—.01
PacRim	16.30	N.L.	—.28
USLgVal	10.54	N.L.	+.09
USSmVal	10.94	N.L.	+.03
Dodge&Cox:			
Balan	47.09	N.L.	+.19
Inco	12.18	N.L.	+.05
Stock	54.65	N.L.	+.30
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	15.81	N.L.	+.03
Aprec p	14.89	N.L.	+.07
Balncd	13.49	N.L.	+.07
CalTx	15.49	N.L.	+.02
CalInt	13.70	N.L.	
CT Int	13.54	N.L.	
Dreyf	13.39	N.L.	+.03
EdElInd	13.87	N.L.	+.16
FL Int	13.56	N.L.	
GNM p	15.18	N.L.	+.01
GnCA	14.03	N.L.	+.02
GMBd p	15.77	N.L.	+.02
GNY p	21.13	N.L.	+.03
Grinc	16.49	N.L.	+.05
GthOp	11.29	N.L.	+.23
InsMu p	19.44	N.L.	+.01
Interm	14.57	N.L.	+.01
InvGN	15.38	N.L.	+.01
MA Int	13.47	N.L.	—.01
Mas Tx	17.32	N.L.	+.03
MunBd	13.48	N.L.	+.02
NJ Int	13.71	N.L.	+.01
NJ Mun	13.86	N.L.	+.02
NwLd r	36.02	N.L.	+.19
NYIn p	12.05	N.L.	+.02
NY Tax	16.28	N.L.	+.02
NYTE p	18.44	N.L.	+.01
Peoplin t	16.68	N.L.	+.08
PeoMid r	17.15	N.L.	+.19
ShInGv	11.46	N.L.	+.02
ST Inc p	12.42	N.L.	+.01
ShInT p	13.25	N.L.	
Thrd C	8.55	N.L.	+.06
UST Int	13.65	N.L.	+.03
UST Lng	15.70	N.L.	+.06
USTSh	15.80	N.L.	+.01
Dreyfus Comstock:			
CapVlA	11.87	12.43	—.07
CapVB t	11.75	11.75	—.07
PStgA p	9.69	10.15	—.07
PStgO t	9.96	10.15	+.20
Dreyfus Premier:			
CAMA	13.41	14.04	+.02
CTMA	12.53	13.12	+.01
CapOth	18.94	19.53	—.01
FLMA	15.22	15.94	+.02
GlbInA	15.37	N.L.	—.06
GlbInB t	15.27	15.27	—.06
GtmaA	15.10	15.81	+.01
MAMA	12.30	12.88	+.01
MDMA	13.20	13.82	+.02
MIMuA	16.10	16.86	
MNMA	15.59	16.32	+.01
MuBB t	14.82	14.82	+.02
MutStA	14.82	15.52	+.02
NCMA	13.69	14.34	+.04
NCMB t	13.68	13.68	+.04
NYMA	14.95	15.65	+.02
NYMB t	14.96	14.96	+.02
OHMA	13.36	13.99	+.02
PAMA	16.96	17.76	+.02
PAMB t	16.96	16.96	+.03
TXMA	21.74	22.76	+.03
VAMA	17.21	18.02	+.03
Dreyfus Strategic:			
Grwth p	37.05	38.02	+.06
Inco p	15.01	15.47	+.02
Inv A	22.77	23.84	+.25
WdInv p	32.41	33.41	—.17
Dupree Mutual:			
KYTF	7.64	N.L.	
KYSM	5.28	N.L.	
EBI Funds:			
Equity p	67.48	N.L.	+.25
Flex p	54.59	N.L.	+.10
Income p	49.06	N.L.	+.04
Eaton Vance:			
EVStk	13.47	14.14	+.04
GvtOb p	11.47	12.04	+.02
Grwth p	7.86	8.25	+.07
InBos p	8.54	8.97	+.01
Invst fp	7.47	7.84	+.02
InsMu p	10.41	10.93	
STGbl t	9.29	9.29	
SpEgt p	8.82	9.26	+.10
TotRt p	9.78	10.27	+.08
Eaton V Munifunds:			
CalMn t	10.30	10.30	+.01
Eqlnc t	11.38	11.38	+.08
Hilnc t	7.61	7.61	+.01
NtMun t	10.39	10.39	+.01
EclipEq	14.71	N.L.	+.15
Emerald Funds:			
EmEqt	11.70	12.25	+.11
EmUS	10.78	11.29	+.02
FL TE	11.30	11.83	+.02
EmpBld	18.51	19.33	—.01
Endow	18.39	N.L.	+.06
Enterprise Group:			
CapAp	30.02	31.56	+.44
GvSec p	12.66	13.29	
Gwth p	8.40	8.82	+.12
GrInc p	18.47	19.39	+.08
HYBd p	11.67	12.25	+.01
TEInc p	14.10	14.80	
EqStrat	35.12	N.L.	—.91
Evergreen Funds:			
Evgrn	14.28	N.L.	+.07
Found	13.10	N.L.	+.03
GloRe	13.43	N.L.	—.06
LtdMk	22.60	N.L.	+.11
MunCA	10.29	N.L.	
MuniF	10.50	N.L.	—.01
Municins	10.75	N.L.	+.02
Retire	11.78	N.L.	+.05
TotRm	20.37	N.L.	+.12
ValTm	15.74	N.L.	
FAM Val	19.73	N.L.	+.06
FBL Series:			
Grwth t	15.57	15.57	
FFB Lexicon:			
CapApp	11.50	N.L.	+.04
PxInc	10.83	N.L.	+.04
IntGv	10.52	N.L.	+.02
FFBNJ	11.05	11.57	
FPTW Funds:			
USShrt	10.00	10.00	
WWHdg	10.02	10.02	—.02
WWFxd	10.13	10.13	—.02
FMB Funds:			
DivBI	11.34	N.L.	+.04
IntGI	10.46	N.L.	+.01
FPA Funds:			
Capit	19.36	20.71	+.14
Nwinc	11.18	11.71	+.01
Parnu	14.33	15.33	+.02
Peren	23.34	24.96	—.01
Founders Group:			
Bal p	9.62	N.L.	+.04
BlueC p	7

LOCAL SPORTS

Five Buffs named all district

Running backs Ricky Lucas and Jerele Lee are among a group of five Stanton Buffaloes to make the 6-2A all-district football team.

Lucas, a senior, rushed for 1,037 yards. Lee, a junior, had 1,136. They both made the first team along with Wall back Cod Braden.

The other Stanton player to make first team offense is junior lineman Steven Aguirre. Buffaloes on first-team defense are junior linebacker J.J. Ortiz and senior lineman Brad Barnhill. Lee and Aguirre are unanimous selections.

Senior Ryan Webb made the second team offense as a lineman. Junior Luis Castro (lineman) and senior Johnny Titsworth (secondary) made second team on defense.

Hull leads Midland Christian to win

Tammy Hull poured a game-high 24 points to lead Midland Christian a 46-38 win over Plains in the season opener for the Lady Mustangs.

"Tammy Hull had a good game, and my other senior Holli Hutton played very well," said Midland Christian girls coach Gordon Awtry. "She had only four points but played tough defense.

"Amanda Miller was very important in breaking their press. She had an outstanding game."

Midland Christian returns to action Tuesday against Midland Greenwood at the Midland Christian gumnasium.

Midland Christian 46 Plains 38

Midland Christian (46): Kristi Cox 2 0-0 4, Holli Hutton 2 0-0 4, April Fuller 0 0-0 0, Amber Branum 1 0-0 2, Hendi Hutton 1 0-0 2, Chelsea Austin 1 0-0 2, Amanda Miller 3 0-0 8, Tammy Hull 10 4-11 24. **TOTALS: 20 4-11 46.**

Plains (38): Cowart 2 1-4 7, Beardon 3 2-6 9, Bowlin 1 1-4 4, Willott 0 2-6 2, Bryan 1 0-0 2, Crutcher 7 0-1 14, Jones 0 0-1 0. **TOTALS: 15 6-26 38.**

Halftime: MC 26, Plains 26. Three-point Field Goals: Midland Christian 2 (Miller 2); Plains 4 (Cowart 2, Beardon 1, Bowlin 1). Total Fouls: MC 21, Plains 10. Fouled Out: MC: H. Hutton. Technicals: MC bench (2).

Score by Quarters				
Plains	12	14	3	9-38
Midland Christian	14	12	11	9-46

Stanton improves to 3-0 with win

COLORADO CITY — The Stanton Lady Buffs used 18 points from Kindra Woodfin to remain undefeated by defeating Colorado City 66-23 here Tuesday.

Laura Herm added 12 points for the Lady Buff offense, now 3-0 on the year.

Colorado City drops to 0-3 on the year.

Last Friday, Stanton defeated Ballinger 56-46. Herm had 15 points to lead all Lady Buffs. Sandee Bundas scored 15 points and Woodfin added 10 points.

Score by Quarters				
Stanton	17	16	11	22-66
Colorado City	6	5	6	6-23

Lobos outlast Rangers, 55-48

MONAHANS — Monahans raced out to a 20-14 halftime lead and then withstood a late Greenwood rally to defeat the Rangers 55-48 in a non-district affair here Tuesday.

Greenwood drops to 2-1 on the year while Monahans picked up its first win of the year, 1-1.

Greenwood cut the Lobo lead to three points, 47-44, with three minutes to play, but could come no closer.

Michael Paul Smith led the Rangers with 16 points.

Greenwoods returns home next Tuesday versus Pecos.

Monahans 55, Greenwood 48

Greenwood (48): T. J. Pfannenstiel 2 0-0 5, Sean Stoner 1 1-2 4, Ed Kennepohl 0 1-2 1, James Setties 4 0-0 9, Michael Paul Smith 6 4-7 16, Carlos Lopez 3 0-0 7, Vincent Serbantez 2 1-2 5, Jamie Gilliam 1 0-0 2. TOTALS: 19 7-13 49.

Monahans (55): Ryan Ratliff 0 1-2 1, Kenya Boysaw 2 2-2 6, Will Johnson 2 0-0 4, Shannon Shorter 2 3-3 7, Tari Jesse 7 0-1 14, Joe Flores 9 5-9 24. TOTALS: 22 11-19 55.

Halftime: Monahans 210-14. Three-point Fields Goals: Greenwood 4 (Pfannenstiel 1, Stoner 1, Stelles 1, Lopez 1); Monahans 1 (Flores). Totals Fouls: Greenwood 17, Monahans 14. Fouled Out: Greenwood-Smith. Techincal Fouls: none.

Score by Quarters				
Greenwood	6	8	15	20-48
Monahans	10	10	18	17-55

Abell Maroon wins in final seconds

Guard Blake Morgan stole the ball with :11 second left to play to score the winning basketball to lead Abell Maroon to a 38-37 win over San Jacinto White Tuesday.

Blake and Ismael Lopez led Maroon with 10 points each and Joel Lilley added six points for Maroon, 1-0.

Abell Blue won its first game of the season, defeating San Jacinto Green 49-28. Greg Fisher led Abell with 29 points. Mike Lomas and Ryan Klatt scored eight points for Blue, 1-0.

Edwards Johnson poured in points to lead Abell White over Goddard Black 50-35.

Abell Blue rallies for win

Abell Blue rallied from an 18-point deficit in the third quarter to defeat San Jacinto 63-59 in eighth grade boys basketball action Tuesday .

Jeremy Deramus led Abell with 15 points. Chris Easter added 10 points and Warren Strickland had eight asists in the game.

Jensen tops COM C Meet swimmers

The City of Midland Swim team held an all-COM "C" meet over the weekend as Jared Jensen led all swimmers with five victories on the day in the 11-under division.

Ellen Bell and Nicole Tronstad each won four events and Tim Russell two in the same age group.

Michael Maddox led the 8-under division with four wins while Adrienne Barber had three. In the 10-under division, Nancy Godsey won three events while Sasha Hollar, Ben Reed, Lee Steven and Pete Martinez each won twice.

Helen Byrd and Garth Binam each had two victories in the 6-under division.

Single event winners were Lysa Bulough (6-under), Erin Spradinger, Kelli Taylor, Tanna Soloman, Derek Butvin, Randy Wright and David Bles (8-under); Kristen Bles, Melanie Seanard, Julie Holzer, Geoffrey Hambrick and Jess Gilmore (10-under); and Monica Martinez and Andrew Dammann (11-under).

Hot Shots third

ABILENE — The Midland Hot Shots under-12 girls soccer team placed third in the Big Country Soccer Classic over the weekend, winning four out of five games.

The only loss came in the semifinals to the Lubbock Twisters, 2-1. The Hot Shots won their final game for third place, beating the Abilene Spirit, 3-1. They also defeated the Lubbock Panthers, 6-0; the Abilene Footloose, 4-1; and the Abilene Twisters, 2-0.

The Hot Shots also placed third in Midland's Turkey Shootout two weeks ago, also winning four of five games and losing only to the Lubbock Twisters.

Hot Shots: Whitney Bowlin, Elysse Burrow, Erica Carrillo, Caramie Cason, Rebecca Chimahusky, Sarah Cuevas, Hilory Davis, Kirstin Keesee, Kristin Knight, D'Lynn Knous, Emily Leeton, Meredith Meyers, Shannon Miller, Robin Nelson, Jamie Thomas and Catherine Wade.

Devine aces

James Devine used a wedge to sink a 124-yard hole-in-one Tuesday at Green Tree Country Club's No. 6 hole. Devine was playing with Greg Weeks.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.

Court: 'Tark law' unconstitutional

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A Nevada law was passed to protect then-UNLV basketball coach Jerry Tarkanian and others accused of wrongdoing by the NCAA was ruled unconstitutional Tuesday by a federal appellate court.

Upholding a lower-court ruling of last year, the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said the law, which strengthens the rights of the accused, interferes with interstate commerce by requiring the NCAA to change its rules for investigations in a single state.

If enforced, the law would effectively force the NCAA to follow the Nevada procedures nationwide because of its need for uniform enforcement, the court said.

"We appreciate Nevada's interest in assuring that its citizens and institutions will be treated fairly," Judge Ferdinand Fernandez said in the unanimous ruling from the three-court panel. "However, the authority it seeks here goes to the heart of the NCAA and threatens to tear that heart out. ...

"Procedural changes at the border of every state would as surely disrupt the NCAA as changes in train length at each state's border would disrupt a railroad."

His longstanding confrontation with the NCAA appeared to recede when the NCAA resolved its case against the UNLV basketball program on Nov. 8, an agreement that restricts television appearances and takes away two scholarships.

The university admitted 26 unspecified violations dating to 1987, involving inducements and benefits to recruits and athletes. Two allegations against Tarkanian remain unresolved but may not be pursued unless he seeks to return to college coaching.

The ruling means "the NCAA will be able to continue to act as police department, prosecution, judge, jury, the Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court without providing due process to those that they're prosecuting," she said.

MHS: Kendrick, Alcala lead Lady 'Dogs to win

From 1C

MHS transition game, which can be prone to turnovers because of the constant fastbreaking, gave up only seven turnovers.

"I put her (Alcala) at the top of the zone because she just has such a natural reaction to the ball," Raughton said. "That puts Amy in a good position at the front of the break. Besides, our best offense is our defense. Amy and Julie have got to score on the transition so they other team can't double up on them (defensively)."

The Midland High junior varsity had a blowout of its own, knocking back Fort Stockton 70-31 with a game-high 18 points by sophomore forward Laura Childress. The Lady Bulldogs improved to 2-1 for the season.

In the sophomore game, Fort Stockton took a 37-22 win over the Lady Bulldogs, who were led by Katherine Vadala with six points.

Midland High 84, Fort Stockton 28

Fort Stockton (28): Crystal Aaren 3 0-0 6; Lydia McKenzie 2 1-2 5; Amanda Acosta 2 0-1 4; Diana Villalba 0 4-8 4; Catrina Duarte 1 1-2 3; Misty Lannon 1 0-0 2; Jennifer Velasquez 1 0-0 2; Marisa Bilano 1 0-4 2; Mary Katherine Groth 0 0-0 0; totals 11 6-17 28.

Midland High (84): Amy Alcala 11 1-1 23; LaKendria Kendrick 7 0-0 21; Julie Chancellor 4 0-0 9; Elaine Rogers 3 1-2 7; Kristi Pearson 2 2-2 6; Casi Madison 2 0-0 4; Jamie Rand 2 0-0 4; Veronica Poage 2 0-0 4; Sheridan Gilkerson 2 0-2 4; Lisa Yanez 1 0-0 2; Karie Cornelius 0 0-0 0; Michel Ann Thompson 0 0-0 0; totals 36 4-7 84.

Score by quarters:				
Fort Stockton	8	9	4	7—28
Midland High	21	24	20	19—84

Three-point goals: Midland High 8 (Kendrick 7, Chancellor). **Total Fouls:** Fort Stockton 10, Midland High 22. **Fouled out:** Rand. **Technical Fouls:** none.

Runners take wrong path in college race

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP) — Only five of the 128 runners in the men's division of the NCAA Division II cross country championships ran the correct course at the Victoria Country Club.

Those five took five of the last six places in Monday's 10,000-meter race.

A detour taken by 123 runners shaved approximately 1,000 meters off the course — the steepest 1,000 meters.

In theory, the fastest runner, Mike Delcavo of Western State College of Colorado, could have staked a claim for the national championship since the other runners were technically disqualified for leaving the course.

But to the relief of meet officials, no one challenged the results. Delcavo and the Western State coaches declined to protest out of respect for in-state opponent Adams State College, which placed five runners in the top 11 to win its second straight NCAA title.

The other four runners — Marlon Williams of Abilene Christian, Wade Becker of Bloomsburg (Pa.), and Jason Hendry and Ed O'Malley of Emporia State (Kan.) — were running in a pack behind all the other competitors and likewise did not offer official objections.

The results stood, but ill feelings linger.

"I'm upset," Delcavo told the Riverside Press-Enterprise. "If I had stayed on the wrong course, I would have finished respectably. But when you read the official results, I'm 123 out of 128 runners."

Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo coach Terry Crawford said: "I'm sure it added to confusion. There were guys on the course trying to make decisions on which way to go. Do they follow the pack or go where they know is right?"

The misdirection started when the lead pack of runners neared the fairway of the golf course's eighth hole. The cross country course's route calls for the runners to veer left up an embankment leading to a steep hill. Flags marked the way, and a course official was stationed about 100 yards earlier.

But there was no monitor at the turn. Thus, when the runners approached and lost their bearing, there was no one to ask.

"It was just a misperception of direction," said Adams State's Phillip Castillo, who finished second to teammate Shane Healy. "We were just totally confused. Total chaos. Everybody was arguing which way to go and somebody said, 'This way, this way.' Some guys totally stopped and changed direction. It was a mess."

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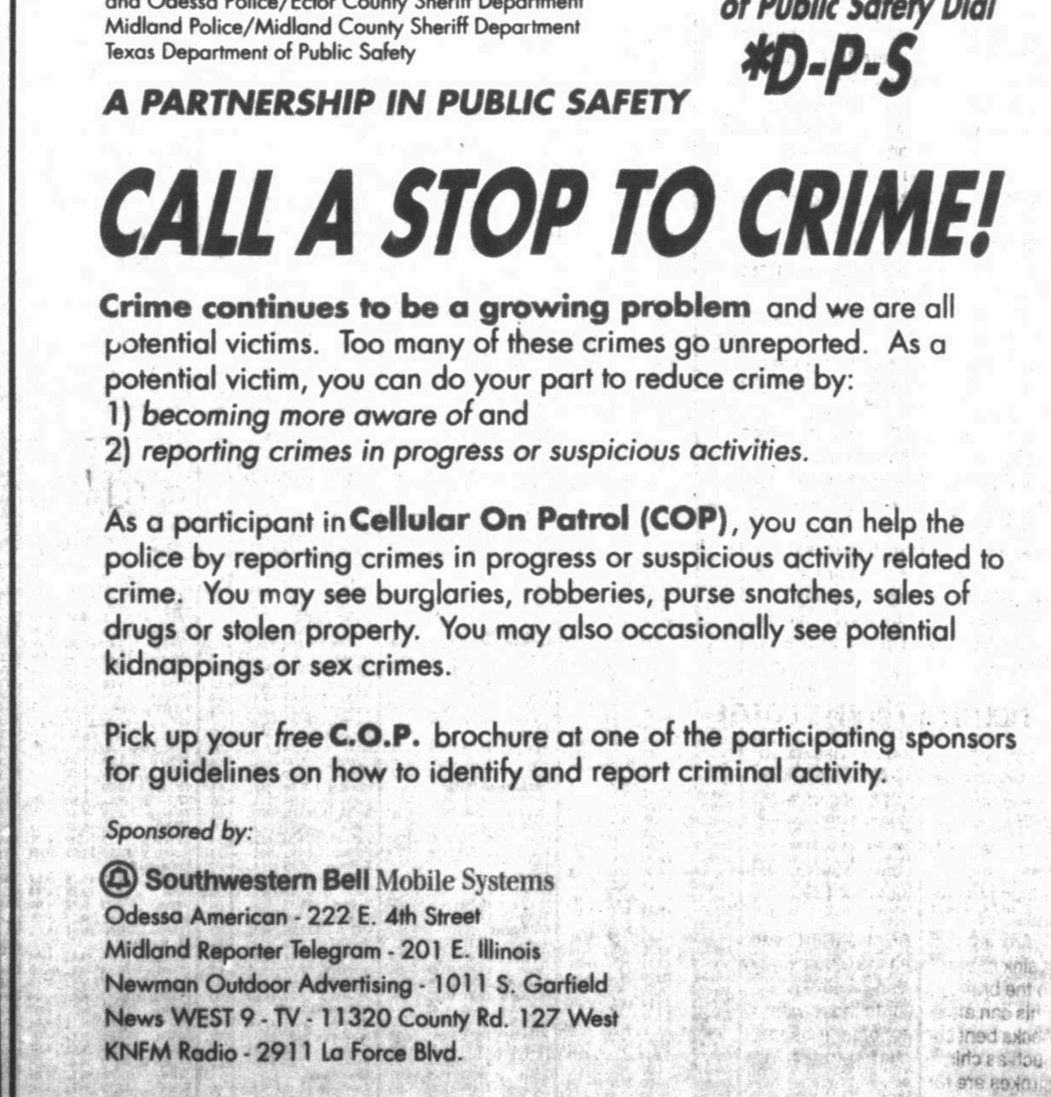

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LIFE WATCH

Asthma's fatal diet?

Could more people be dying of asthma partly because of the wrong diet? Possibly, suggests a group of scientists at the University of California at Davis.

A potential villain, they note, are the so-called omega-6 fatty acids. These are concentrated in polyunsaturated vegetable oils commonly put in processed foods such as cookies, chips, salad dressings, ready-to-eat frozen foods and fast foods.

Indeed, the amount of linoleic acid, a major omega-6 fat, has doubled in human tissue in the last 30 years, studies show.

Omega-6 fats promote inflammation and may amplify the severity of an asthma attack in other ways, says Stephen D. Phinney, M.D., a clinical nutritionist at the university. The point, he stresses, is not that these oils cause asthma, but that they may make asthma worse, especially once an attack occurs.

A deficiency of magnesium might also aggravate asthma, he says. Magnesium helps dilate bronchial passages and a lack might increase the severity of an acute attack.

The bottom line: Asthma sufferers may want to cut back on omega-6-laden corn, sunflower, safflower and soybean oils and foods that contain them. Canola and olive oils are safer.

Vitamin K worry

You may never have heard of vitamin K. But now U.S. Department of Agriculture researchers say you could be deficient in the vitamin and not know it.

Vitamin K is important in blood clotting, and may have other unknown roles. For example, there is some evidence vitamin K helps prevent bone-crippling osteoporosis by helping the body utilize calcium. One study found that those with the most severe bone factures had the lowest levels of vitamin K.

But few experts worried because it was believed that even if you did not get enough vitamin K in your diet, intestinal bacteria synthesized it for you. Apparently, that is not true.

Researchers at the USDA's Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University had healthy volunteers eat low-vitamin K diets. Their blood levels of vitamin K dropped as much as 18 percent, creating a deficiency without noticeable symptoms. It's one more reason to eat your greens. Richest in vitamin K are green-leafy vegetables, notably kale, turnip greens, spinach, broccoli, lettuce and cabbage. Green Asian-type tea is also a super source. Other sources: egg yolks, liver and legumes.

Therapeutic holiday tips

Be sure to put sweet potatoes, also called yams, on your holiday menu. They give the greatest wallop of beta carotene of any vegetable, according to recent Department of Agriculture research. Next highest in beta carotene are carrots, collard greens, kale and pumpkin.

Beta carotene is an antioxidant, thought to help lower your risk of heart disease, strokes and some cancers, notably lung cancer.

Other good therapeutic holiday fare:

- Onions. They are packed with chemicals that discourage unwanted blood clots leading to heart attacks. They may even blunt some ill-effects of high fat.
- Spices such as cinnamon and ginger. Cinnamon helps you process sugary foods more efficiently. Ginger has anti-inflammatory, anticoagulant and anti-nausea activity.
- Oysters. They are highest of all foods in zinc that helps boost immunity and memory.
- Herbs, such as thyme, sage, rosemary and garlic. All are strong antioxidants that seem to help reduce the risk of various chronic diseases, including cancer and heart disease.

Shampoo Syndrome

Holding the head at a backward tilt during a beauty-salon shampoo precipitated strokes in two elderly women according to a 1992 report. Now, five more cases, in women aged 54-84 have been described, according to the December 1993 Reader's Digest.

Arching the neck backward over a sink can diminish the blood supply to the brain, triggering a stroke. This can also occur to those with necks bent back for other reasons, such as chiropractic treatment. The strokes are rare.

USDA Hotline is like a 911 call for turkeys

By Kimberly A.C. Wilson

WASHINGTON (AP) — An emergency call comes in to determine whether a live turkey that has fallen into a vat of tar can be consumed for Thanksgiving dinner. One call later, and a referral to a local veterinarian confirms that the bird is safe to eat.

Think of it as a turkey S.O.S.

Throughout November, the Agriculture Department's meat and poultry hotline will be talking turkey, answering questions on poultry preparation and other food safety concerns.

The 8-year-old hotline's home economists and registered dieticians take questions ranging from proper placement in the oven to fowl-plucking procedures to offering favorite stuffing recipes.

"Our goal this year is to guide consumers through the labyrinth of confusing and often conflicting turkey tips," said Susan Conley, manager of the hotline.

As for the best turkey for the dollar, Conley recommends looking for USDA-or state-inspected birds. Grade A turkeys, whether fresh or frozen, prebasted or unbasted, have consistent quality not always reflected by price.

The most important hints the hotline dispenses are for the prevention of bacteria that can grow during room-temperature thawing, low-temperature cooking and stuffing the turkey the night before it is cooked.

Early in November, the most common questions concern length of storage. For optimum taste, Conley suggests uncooked poultry be kept frozen for no longer than one year. Later on, cooking questions take priority.

In that regard, Conley strongly recommends using a meat thermometer.

"Dry turkeys are often a sign of overcooking or cooking at too high a temperature," she said. "When meat is no longer pink, juices are running clear and joint movements are easy, the turkey properly is done."

The hotline also receives queries on other holiday fowl. The same rules apply for turkey as for duck and goose, with the exception that the latter are better left unstuffed because of the higher fat content.

Both raw and cooked poultry should be kept out of the oven for no more than two hours. "Bacteria types differ but all types thrive at room temperature," said Conley.

Stuffing safety is another concern. Conley suggests stuffing immediately before cooking or preparing it stove-top style to lessen bird cooking time.

Conley recommends keeping leftovers in the refrigerator only three to four days. The meat can be frozen for up to three months and reheated according to the instructions below. Longer freezing diminishes quality but is not harmful.

An increasing number of Americans are celebrating Thanksgiving with ready-prepared meals, either hot from the oven or cooked and refrigerated. USDA has released a brochure, "Safe Handling of Ready Prepared Holiday Turkey Dinners," to offer guidelines on take-out turkey. The brochure is available at grocery stores and participating restaurants as well as through the hotline.

The toll-free hotline is open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Hours on Thanksgiving Day are 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. The number is 1-800-535-4555.

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Recommended preparation times and temperatures:

Refrigerator defrosting — 24 hours for a five-pound bird, four days for a 20-pound turkey. Once thawed, you have a day or two before it must be cooked.

Cooking time for refrigerator-defrosted turkey — 15-18 minutes per pound, unstuffed; 18-24 minutes per pound, stuffed. Set the oven at no lower than 325 degrees. The meat is ready when thigh and interior meat temperature reaches 180 degrees.

Cooking time for cooked-frozen turkeys — 1.5 times cooking time for a regular unfrozen turkey

Heating packaged, ready-cooked turkeys — cut bird apart, remove breast meat or slice to heat quickly

Reheating cooked turkey — 10-15 minutes per pound.

Cancer center reaches rural towns

By Laura Randall
Associated Press

KILMARNOCK, Va. — Some days, nurse Connie Deagle's job means chatting with Tamara Tuttle's daughter Susie about her favorite movies while her mother visits the doctor.

Other times it means helping to administer a complex form of chemotherapy through a patient's spine.

At night Deagle's job as coordinator of Rappahannock General Hospital's oncology clinic means taking calls at home from patients with questions about their cancer treatments.

The clinic at the 76-bed hospital is one of four cancer outreach partnerships that the Medical College of Virginia's Massey Cancer Center in Richmond has established at small hospitals in the state.

Deagle, 39, who has lived in nearby Middlesex all her life, and her counterparts at the other clinics provide the human link that doctors at Massey say makes the project function effectively.

"They know more about the individual patients than I do," says Dr. Christopher Desch, director of the program and one of two team oncologists. "When I say I don't know if this guy can get back and forth to Richmond, they say, 'Well, Uncle Barney can call Fred, and his next-door-neighbor's kid will take him.'"

Recognizing that a major obstacle to cancer treatment in rural areas is lack of access to specialized care, doctors at Massey created the program in 1989. Oncologists from the center visit the rural hospitals every two weeks to treat patients and train local doctors and nurses how to administer chemotherapy.

Patients in these areas must travel to Richmond only for such high-tech procedures as radiation and bone-marrow transplants.

The specialists estimate that the program has saved about a million miles of patient travel. They say it has tapped into a new group of cancer patients who would refuse treatment if it meant driving to a big city.

"We've had a lot of people say, 'I'd rather die than come to Richmond,'" says Dr. Thomas Smith, the medical college's director of cancer education and the other team oncologist.

Virginia's cancer mortality rate is the eighth-highest in the country, attributed in part to high levels of poverty, unemployment, illiteracy and elderly residents.

Cancer rates in other rural regions are rising, according to the National Cancer Institute. In his Sept. 22 speech on health-care reform, President Clinton called for more "strategic alliances between rural hospitals and urban health centers."

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Dr. Thomas Smith visits a patient at Rappahannock General Hospital in Kilmarnock, Va. Smith is one of two oncologists who bring specialized treatment to patients at four small, rural hospitals.

One in four Americans lives in the country, often far from hospitals with the latest technology. "They represent a substantial part of the nation, but they're a quieter, more stoic portion," Desch tells National Geographic.

The Massey center's rural healthcare venture began in South Hill, Va., a tobacco-growing community near the North Carolina border. That program's success led doctors to set up shop in Kilmarnock, a retirement and fishing community on the Chesapeake Bay, and in Farmville, a town in central Virginia. A similar program for nurses only was started recently in Grundy, near the Kentucky border.

The program's success hasn't meant profits either for the Virginia college or for the financially precarious hospitals.

Financing comes from an annual $250,000 state grant and $100,000 in hospital money and private donations. Most of the patients are on Medicare or Medicaid or are underinsured.

Rappahannock General hopes to open a new building soon for its overcrowded oncology clinic. Much of the $700,000 needed for the project will have to come from community donations, says hospital administrator Fred Baensch.

With an eye toward creating a national model for rural outreach, the college, the country's fourth-largest academic medical center, is evaluating the overall financial impact of its program.

"We can show that you can provide superb care at the rural hospitals and the rural hospitals can at least break even," Smith says. "What we can't show yet is that all rural hospitals can do that."

In fact, some researchers say that one standard program for rural outreach won't work because of regional diversity.

"The Massey program is only one approach to improving cancer care in rural areas," says Dr. Susan G. Nayfield, program director of cancer prevention and control at the National Cancer Institute. "There are other approaches that can be more suitable to the needs of other rural areas."

Researchers at the University of Alabama, for example, are studying attitudes toward cancer in the state's rural "Black Belt," where beliefs about the disease differ from community to community, Nayfield says.

The home-grown nature of the Virginia program accounts for its compara-

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Tamara Tuttle hears Dr. Thomas Smith interpret her X-ray at Rappahannock General Hospital in Kimarnock, Va. Tuttle, a widow from Irvington, Va., has suffered from breast cancer. If the hospital didn't have an oncology clinic, she would have to travel to Richmond, Va.

Night terrors not nightmares

By Eileen di Frisco
Associated Press

Night terrors are a common sleep disturbance among children between the ages of 3 to 5 years. But contrary to its name, the disorder has little to do with nightmares.

The disorder is believed to be due to a developmental immaturity that causes the body to have difficulty shifting from nonREM, the nondreaming sleep stage, to REM sleep, the dream state characterized by rapid eye movement.

During night terrors, children often thrash around in bed. They may cry, scream or sit up and open their eyes as if awake.

But children are not awake or responsive — even to their parents. And they generally will rebuff any attempts to comfort them at that time.

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Cord blood, placenta can be frozen

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Parents can now have the rich blood in their newborn's placenta and umbilical cord frozen as a kind of insurance policy against future diseases.

The new service, which costs an initial $1,500 plus $75 a year, was announced Thursday by Magee-Womens Hospital and the Central Blood Bank.

Stem cells, a type of blood cell that produces new blood cells, are plentiful in the cord and placenta and are valuable in fighting diseases of the immune system.

"You're 99 percent sure you'll never use it," said Dr. Richard Sweet, chairman of obstetrics at Magee-Womens Hospital. "But it's nice to know it's there."

Cord blood from his brother prolonged the life of 4-year-old Pike Fary of Williamsburg, Va., who was diagnosed in 1991 with acute myeloid leukemia, a persistent form of leukemia.

The Farys were expecting a second child when they reached Dr. Hal E. Broxmeyer, who told them about the cord-blood therapy he helped pioneer.

Pike received an intravenous infusion in 1992 of cells from his newborn brother's cord and placental blood. His cancer remains in remission, said Dr. John Wagner of Magee-Womens, who performed the transplant.

Bone-marrow transplants, a widely used therapy against leukemia, are more costly, time-consuming and painful than the cord-blood technique.

Medical researchers believe that one day they may know how to use cord blood to treat prostate cancer, "bubble boy" disease and even AIDS.

Gingivitis widespread among young

By Dr. Michael Bral
Associated Press

What is the most common disease in the world among kids? Polio? Cancer? Malnutrition?

No, it's gingivitis, which is inflammation of the gums. An estimated 98 percent of all young people have some degree of gum inflammation.

Although gingivitis in children rarely causes a serious problem such as premature tooth loss, it has a tendency to peak in severity at the time of puberty. Existing gingivitis is intensified during the period of hormonal changes, although it is gradually reduced throughout the remainder of the teen years.

Fortunately, gingivitis has a simple

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The 1994 Miss Permian Basin Scholarship Pageant will be Jan. 29, 1994, in Andrews. The pageant is an official preliminary to the Miss America Pageant.

Winner will have scholarships valued at more than $2,000 available to her, and will compete in the Miss Texas Pageant in Fort Worth in July.

Contestants must be young women between the ages of 17-24 who are U.S. citizens, high school graduates and who have never been married.

Young women who are interested in entering the pageant may call (915) 524-2183.

Persons who are interested in volunteering for the pageant — entries, publicity, awards, hostess and production committees — or contributing to the pageant may also call (915) 524-2183...

...LOVED ONES of Prisoners (LOOPS) will meet 7 p.m. Dec. 2 in the Old Parlor Room of First Baptist Church, Garfield and Louisiana Streets in Midland...

...AMERICAN LUNG Association's Better Breathing Club will meet 6:30 p.m. Dec. 7 at Physicians and Surgeons Hospital dining room. Parking will be at the back near the door. For more information call 683-2273...

...LT. WILLIAM Brewer chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Dec. 7 at Midland Woman's Club in Hogan Park. Lunch will be served at noon, and a program of Christmas music will follow. For more information or reservations call 697-4235...

...AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of Retired Persons will meet for pot luck supper 6:30 p.m. Dec. 6 at Dellwood Senior Center. Persons aged 50 and older are invited to attend. National AARP members are invited to join the local chapter. For more information call 684-8419 or 682-0315...

...HOME CHILD care providers who need information on the Child Care Nutrition program funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and sponsored by Children's Enterprises Inc., can call (800) 456-4862 or (806) 796-0734...

...WORLD AIDS Day Worship Service will be noon-12:30 p.m. Dec. 1 at First United Methodist Church Chapel, Main at Ohio Streets in Midland. Lunch — 11:30 a.m.-noon and 12:30-1 p.m. — will be provided at the church for a nominal fee. For more information call 682-3701...

...MIDLAND SOCIETY of University Women will meet 10 a.m. Dec. 10 at Manor Park Chapel, 2208 Loop 250. Manor Park residents will be guests. The program will be on Christmas music. Members are asked to bring gifts for the children and mothers at the Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children...

...PALETTE CLUB will have its 2nd Annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Sale 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Dec. 2-4 at 907 W. Wadley. The club will have items from sale made by members such as paintings, clothing, country and Southwestern crafts, wreaths, holiday decorations for the tree and the rest of the home and much more. The Palette Club is a local arts organization and welcomes new members.

There is no admission fee for the show. Food and drinks will be available. For more information, call 694-0835...

...MIDLAND JAYCEES, Midland Center, City of Midland, Keep Midland Beautiful and the *Midland Reporter-Telegram* invite Midlanders to participate in the 40th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony 5:30-7:30 p.m. Dec. 3 at Centennial Plaza.

There will be live entertainment, Christmas carol sing-a-longs, hayrides, hot chocolate, wassail, Christmas tree giveaways and visits from Santa Claus and his elves. For more information, call 688-4190...

...FOSTER HOME Progam is presenting a Christmas project — The Giving Tree — for abused and neglected children of West Texas through Dec. 17.

Ornaments with a child's name and their desired gift decorate eight Christmas trees in towns around the Permian Basin. Midland's tree is located in Midland Park Mall.

Those interested in participating are asked to pluck an ornament and buy the desired gift, which will be given to each child by the Children's Protective Services.

For more information about The Giving Tree or foster parenting, call Dianne Reed at 686-CARE...

CONSUMING INTERESTS

Snacks get dolled up for the holidays

By Linda Anderson

Here we go again: The holiday season is upon us once again (already?!). Thanksgiving is tomorrow and the next day is the long-awaited and just as long-dreaded First Official Shopping Day of the Christmas Season. Of course, stores and malls have been all decked out in their holiday finery since Halloween (and maybe even before), but the season *officially* starts Friday.

Anderson

Shopping malls aren't the only businesses draped in red and green. Supermarkets are getting into the seasonal act, and not just on the gift-wrapping aisles. Some snack foods are turning up in holiday colors.

■ White Fudge Covered Oreos are baaaaack! You didn't really think you could escape them, did you? Traditional Oreo sandwich cookies covered in thick white fudge are becoming almost necessary at Christmas. The kids love them, and admit it, so do you. A 14-ounce package has a suggested retail price of $3.29.

■ Regular Oreos are available in holiday packaging too. Commemorative Oreo Holiday Tins — two different varieties — have pictures of that famous holiday duo, Santa Claus and Oreos. (And you thought it was Santa and Coke!) A tin containing 16 ounces of Oreos has a suggested price of $3.99

■ Mini-Oreos with Holiday Red Creme (but still vanilla flavored) can be found during the holiday season. (This may be a trend — one of my young taste-testers said a friend of hers brought some orange-filled Oreos to school in her lunch box during Halloween season. Not a bad idea — Nabisco could color-coordinate Oreos for any season. Think of red, white and blue-filled Oreos for the Fourth of July; pastel blue, green, yellow and pink-filled Oreos for Easter...) A 7-ounce box of these little cookies (which is supposed to contain about 70 cookies) has a suggested retail price of $1.99.

■ Chips Ahoy!, said by the Nabisco company to be "America's leading chocolate chip cookie," (after mom's, of course) is covered in white, red and green sprinkles for holiday munching. These cookies are a little cheaper than the Oreos — suggested retail price is $2.29 for a 14.5-ounce package.

■ Even little Teddy Grahams get into the Christmas spirit this year, with Teddy Grahams Holiday Bears. These little chocolate and vanilla bears have six seasonal shapes, including Santa Bear, Little Drummer Bear, Bear-in-a-Stocking and Sleigh Bear. A 10-ounce box costs about $2.29.

■ M&Ms come in red and green candy coatings during the holiday season. Of course they taste the same, but they certainly look festive. You can probably find them with almonds too.

■ Hershey's Kisses (both plain and with almonds) get all dolled up in red, green, silver (for plain) and gold (for almond) foil during Christmas time. I'm not sure about Hershey's new Hugs, but they will probably be dressed for the season too.

■ All this talk about cookies and candies is making my teeth hurt. For a change of pace: Ritz Stuffing Mix, made with a combination of Ritz crackers and bread crumbs, is available just in time for big, fattening, family dinners the season is so famous for. Suggested retail price is $1.59.

I'm already feeling full, and the season is just getting started...

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

CURE: Good dental hygiene is remedy

(From 1D)

solution: good dental hygiene. Daily brushing and flossing not only prevent gingivitis, but, more importantly, also control tooth decay and more long-term dental problems.

Gingivitis results from the buildup of bacterial plaque on the tooth. The plaque serves as a breeding ground for multiplication of bacteria and their destructive byproducts, which eventually, through some complex changes, cause gums to bleed.

When gums bleed on brushing, it is a clear sign the gums are inflamed and that gingivitis is present.

If your child's gums bleed, don't be alarmed; regular correct brushing should eventually remove the plaque, stop the bleeding and cure gingivitis.

Dental visits for checkups and tooth cleaning should take place at least every six months, regardless of the presence or absence of bleeding and gingivitis.

For children who have physical or mental handicaps that make regular brushing difficult, assistance at home as well as power-operated toothbrushes and antibacterial mouth rinses can be used to prevent or treat gingivitis.

Use of dental floss at least two or three times a week should be introduced when the child is old enough to use it. Like toothbrushing, flossing is essential for good dental health, and should become a matter of habit.

It is also very important for the child to know to brush every tooth — not just the ones in front.

As signs in some dentists' offices says: "You do not have to brush every tooth — only the ones you want to keep."

Dr. Michael Bral is professor and chairman of periodontics at New York University College of Dentistry.

NIGHT: Night terrors are different than nightmares

(From 1D)

The condition usually occurs between one to three hours after children have fallen asleep and may last between 10 to 30 minutes.

Children in the midst of a bout of night terrors are generally not fully awake; instead, they are suspended between nonREM and REM sleep states. Afterward, children tend to fall back asleep immediately and have no memory of the event the following morning.

Nightmares and Night Terrors

Nightmares are different from night terrors.

Nightmares may be based on an event that children have viewed during the day. They generally occur during the second half of the night when dreaming is much more intense.

After a nightmare, children often can remember the dream and seek parents' comfort and reassurance. They may be afraid to go back to sleep and can usually remember the incident the next day.

Can Parents Help?

There is little parents can do to help children during a bout of night terrors. If possible, parents should stay with children during the incident and intervene only to make sure they don't injure themselves.

There are a few steps parents can take that may help minimize attacks of the disorder when it occurs. For example, implementing a regular bedtime schedule and seeing that children get sufficient rest can sometimes reduce the occurrence of night terror incidents.

Parents and children can also take comfort in knowing that the condition generally resolves itself within a few weeks or months.

However, professional help should be sought if daytime activities are affected, or if children become afraid at the approach of bedtime.

Eileen Di Frisco is a senior nurse at the Education Center of Cooperative Care at New York University Medical Center.

National lab scientists study pesticide effectson farmers

LIVERMORE, Calif. (AP) — Scientists at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory have received a $1 million grant from the National Cancer Institute to research genetic changes in farmers exposed to pesticide.

The study will focus on wheat farmers who use the fumigant phosphine in Minnesota grain silos, according to the laboratory.

Principal investigator Jim Tucker of the lab's biology and biotechnology program will be working with Vincent Garry of the University of Minnesota's medical center in Minneapolis.

The chemical has been suspected of causing an increased incidence of cancer, particularly lymphoma. Tucker plans to test for three genetic changes that might precede the development of cancer.

The three-year project will use lab-developed research tools to test blood samples drawn from two sets of 24 volunteers.

RURAL: Help 'hits the road' for patients

(From 1D)

tive success, Smith says. Some hospitals' idea of cancer outreach, he says, "is to get in a car with the chemotherapy, drive to a center, give it, bill it, then leave."

At Massey, clinical nurse specialist Cynthia Simonson is reachable 24 hours a day to answer phone calls from the rural hospital nurses she has helped train in oncology. In turn, the rural nurses handle patient phone calls that Simonson, Smith and Desch don't have time to take.

On "clinic day" at Rappahannock General, the one-floor hospital is bustling. Smith and Simonson arrive early for a day of back-to-back appointments with a dozen patients.

Connie Deagle is at the hub, arranging for examining rooms and briefing the Massey staff on the patients she has treated in the past two weeks.

Today she must perform one of her saddest duties.

Tamara Tuttle, a 62-year-old widow from nearby Irvington, has suffered from breast cancer for the past year. Only one of her three adult daughters, Susie, who is mentally disabled, lives at home.

Susie is with her mother when Smith informs Tuttle that her breast cancer has spread so much that she probably will die within a year.

When Deagle enters the room at the end of the physician's consultation, Tuttle begins to sob. As Deagle embraces her, she is more than a nurse. She is a neighbor and a friend.

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WORLDSCOPE

(10 points for each question answered correctly)

1) Al Gore and Ross Perot went on "Larry King Live" a few days ago to argue about NAFTA. Along with Ross Perot, a sizable group of Democrats and many ..?.. have been the main leaders of the opposition to NAFTA.
a-labor leaders b-Hispanics c-farmers

2) President Clinton recently gave Tommy Thompson, Governor of ..?.., permission to go ahead with his "workfare" program, which requires welfare recipients to work.

3) A new EPA report says the quality of air in many large cities is improving. However, ..?.. remains the nation's smoggiest city.

4) The Supreme Court recently ruled in favor of Theresa Harris, thereby making it easier for women to win (CHOOSE ONE: sexual harassment, sex discrimination) suits.

5) Surgeon General Joycelyn Elders recently said she thinks (CHOOSE ONE: guns and violence, condoms and teen sex) are the biggest health problems facing young people today.

MATCHWORDS

(2 points for each correct match)

1-recipient	a-claim
2-harassment	b-intimidation
3-litigation	c-beneficiary
4-allege	d-suit
5-persistence	e-fortitude

PEOPLE/SPORTS

(5 points for each correct answer)

1) The world-famous ..?.. museum in Paris, home of one of the world's greatest art collections, opens a new 640,000-square foot Richelieu wing on Saturday.

2) Autopsy results show that a combination of cocaine and heroin caused the death of actor River Phoenix. The same lethal combination caused the death of comedian ..?.. in 1982.

3) In his first game as a Dallas Cowboy, former Cleveland Browns quarterback ..?.. led the world champs to their seventh straight victory.

4) Despite losing to Notre Dame, ..?.. kept its national title hopes alive when it came in at number two in the college football poll. The two teams may play again in the Fiesta Bowl.

5) NASCAR driver (CHOOSE ONE: Rusty Wallace, Dale Earnhardt) captured his sixth Winston Cup title last weekend.

NEWSNAME

(15 points for correct answer or answers)

I recently observed my 85th birthday. I'm the third-oldest Supreme Court Justice ever. Who am I?

YOUR SCORE:
91 to 100 points — TOP SCORE!
81 to 91 points — Excellent
71 to 81 points — Good
61 to 70 points — Fair
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ANSWERS TO THE QUIZ

Week of 11-22-93

WORLDSCOPE: 1-a; 2-Wisconsin; 3-Los Angeles; 4-sexual harassment; 5-guns and violence
NEWSNAME: Harry Blackmun
MATCHWORDS: 1-c;2-b; 3-d; 4-a; 5-e
PEOPLE & SPORTS: 1-Louvre; 2-John Belushi; 3-Bernie Kosar; 4-Florida State; 5-Dale Earnhardt

DEAR ABBY

Thanksgiving is time to share blessings

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR READERS: Tomorrow is Thanksgiving, so let's take a moment and reflect upon all of those blessings for which we can be thankful.

Van Buren

How's your health? Only a few minor complaints? Well, thank God they're not major. If you are reading this — you're still here. You can probably think of at least one person who isn't around this year. (I know I can.)

If you awakened this morning and were able to hear the birds sing, or read the newspaper with two good eyes (or even one) — praise the Lord! A lot of people could not. (Say a prayer for those who were injured, or who have perished, in fire, flood, earthquake or war.)

How's your pocketbook? Thin? You're not alone. But many people in the world are a lot poorer, and are making do with far less than we Americans.

Are you lonely? Well, the way to have a friend is to be one. If nobody calls you, don't stand on ceremony, pick up the phone and call someone. Go out of your way to do something nice for someone. It's a sure cure for the holiday blues.

Are you concerned about your country's future? Hooray! Our system has been saved by such concern — concern for fair treatment under the law. In America we can cast a secret ballot or criticize our government without fearing a knock on the head or a knock on our door in the middle of the night.

Freedom rings! You can worship in the church of your choice (or not worship at all — if that's your choice).

As a final thought, I'll repeat my Thanksgiving Prayer. Perhaps you will want to use it at your table tomorrow. Let one of the children read it:

"Oh, Heavenly Father, we thank thee for food, and remember the hungry.

"We thank thee for health, and remember the sick.

"We thank thee for friends, and remember the friendless.

"We thank thee for freedom, and remember the enslaved.

"May these remembrances stir us to service,

"That thy gifts to us may be used for others. Amen."

May the spirit of Thanksgiving be shared by one and all! Have a wonderful holiday, and may God bless you and yours.

P.S. Why not invite a friend who lives alone to share a Thanksgiving meal — or, better yet, call and say, "I'm coming to get you, and I'll see that you get home." Try it, and let me know how your day was.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: "The measure of a man's real character is what he would do if he knew he never would be found out." — Thomas Babington Macaulay (1800-1859)

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The Foster Home Program is presenting a Christmas project for the abused and neglected children of West Texas from November 15th through December 15th.
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Please pluck an ornament and buy the desired gift which will be given to the children by Children's Protective Services.
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For more information about the Giving Tree or foster parenting call: Dianne Reed at 686-CARE
Look for the LIVE Remotes on Nov. 26th & 27th at Midland Park Mall and Sam's in Odessa!
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50 Legal Notices

NOTICE TO PUBLIC BY MIDLAND NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES, INC. OF INTENT TO REQUEST THE RELEASE OF FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH THE HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

November 9, 1993
Midland Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc.
401 East Illinois, Suite 106
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(915) 686-0066

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS: On or about November 9, 1993 the Midland Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc. (NHS) will request the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) to release funds under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 for the following project:

HOME Program Contract Number: 532022
Description: Rehabilitation of Ten Owner Occupied Homes
Location: TO BE IDENTIFIED IN EAST & SOUTH MIDLAND
Total Estimated Cost: $150,000.00

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within projects has been made by NHS which documents the Environmental Review Record is on file at 401 E. Illinois, Suite 106 and is available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours 9 AM to 4 PM Monday through Friday. Commer will be received 7 days following the publication of this notice.

NHS will undertake the projects described above with the HOME Investment Partnership program funds from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. NHS is certifying to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs that NHS and Raul Ceniceros, Executive Director of NHS, in his official capacity as Executive Director, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts is an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessments, decision-making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon it approval, NHS may use HOME Program funds, and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and 24 CFR Part 58.

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following basis:

(a.) that the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other certifying officer of the Grantee approved by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs; or

(b.) that the Grantee's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review required procedures (24 CFR Part 58), and may be addressed to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, P.O. Box 13941, Capitol Station, Austin 78711-3941.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. No objection received after (date of last day in the TDHCA 15 day objection period) will be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

MIDLAND NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES, INC.
401 E. Illinois, Suite 106
Midland, TX 79701
(915) 686-0066.

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BID

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for a NEURO SURGERY MICROSCOPE.

Specifications may be secured at the Purchasing Office of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center.

ALL BIDS MUST BE SEALED AND LABELED "BID #130-112293 ENCLOSED".

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL FAXED BIDS FROM BIDDERS BE ACCEPTED.

All bids must be received in the office of the Purchasing agent by 8:00 A.M. on Wednesday, December 8, 1993 at which time bids will be closed.

Bid opening will be at 10:30 A.M. in the Allison Cancer Center Conference Room, Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79701, on Wednesday, December 8, 1993

ALL BIDS MUST BE PRICE PROTECTED UNTIL JUNE 8, 1994.

All bids will remain confidential until after the Board of Directors has met and voted an award. Vendors will then be allowed to review the bids in the Purchasing Office according to Policy/Procedure of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center. Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

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NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 1:30 P.M., Tuesday, December 14, 1993, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, on a request by Cimarron Land Services, Inc. for a Specific Use Permit for a Broadcast Communications Tower, on Lot 1-A, Block 5, Sheeler Addition, Section 3, City and County of Midland, Texas. Generally located on the south side of Francis Avenue, approximately 170 feet west of Goode Street. The meeting facility is accessible to disabled persons. A wheelchair entry ramp is located at the southeast entrance to City Hall. A parking space designated for use by disabled person is available near the southeast entrance doors. Any disabled person needing special accommodations or hearing impaired person wishing to have an interpreter should request services through the Administrative Services Department at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting by contacting Victor Pena, Compliance Coordinator for the City of Midland, at (915)685-7248. If communication via TDD is required, please call 1-800-735-2989.

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 1:33 P.M., Tuesday, December 14, 1993, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, on a request by Midland Loop 250 Partnership for a Zone Change from MF-1, Multiple-Family Dwelling District, to PD, Planned District for a Shopping Center on a 1,378-acre tract abutting Faulkner Drive, (Tract A); and a proposed site plan for the development of the area proposed for rezoning and an adjacent 2.871-acre tract, Tract B) which is currently zoned PD, Planned District for a Shopping Center, City and County of Midland, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

TRACT A
METES AND BOUNDS

BEING a 1.378 acre tract of land in the southeast quarter of Section 4, Block "X", H.P. Hilliard Survey, Midland County, Texas, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the south right-of-way line of Faulkner Drive (60' right-of-way) for the northwest corner of this tract from which the southeast corner of said Section 4 bears South 15 degrees 21 minutes 02 seconds East, 687.15 feet and North 74 degrees 52 minutes 58 seconds East, 1071.79 feet;

THENCE North 74 degrees 49 minutes 12 seconds East, along said south right-of-way line, a distance of 464.81 feet to the point of curvature for a circular curve to the right with a radius of 343.20 feet and a chord of North 77 degrees 45 minutes 45 seconds East, a distance of 35.24 feet;

Thence Easterly, continuing along said right-of-way and along said curve through a central angle of 05 degrees 53 minutes 07 seconds, an arc distance of 35.25 feet to a point for the northeast corner of this tract;

THENCE South 15 degrees 12 minutes 11 seconds East, departing said right-of-way, a distance of 118.55 feet to a point for the southeast corner of this tract;

THENCE South 74 degrees 52 minutes 58 seconds West, a distance of 500.00 feet to a point for the southwest corner of this tract;

Thence North 15 degrees 12 minutes 11 seconds West, a distance of 119.81 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 60,021 square feet or 1.378 acres.

TRACT B

BEING a 2.871 acre tract of land in the southeast quarter of Section 4, Block "X", H.P. Hilliard Survey, Midland County, Texas, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the north line of Loop 250 Highway, for the southeast corner of this tract, from which the southeast corner of said Section 4 bears North 74 degrees 52' 58" E. a distance of 572.75 feet and S 15 degrees 21' 02" E a distance of 312.96 feet;

THENCE S 74 degrees 52' 58" W, along said north line of Loop 250, a distance of 500.00 feet, to a point for the southwest corner of this tract

THENCE N 15 degrees 06' 03" W, departing said north line, a distance of 250.11 feet to a point for the northwest corner of this tract

THENCE N 74 degrees 52' 58" E, a distance of 500.00 feet to a point for the northeast corner of this tract

THENCE N 15 degrees 06' 03" E, a distance of 250.11 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 2.871 acres of land, more or less.

Generally located on the south side of Faulkner Drive, west of Garfield Street approximately 500 feet. The meeting facility is accessible to disabled persons. A wheelchair entry ramp is located at the southeast entrance to City Hall. A parking space designated for use by disabled person is available near the southeast entrance doors. Any disabled person needing special accommodations or hearing impaired person wishing to have an interpreter should request services through the Administrative Services Department at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting by contacting Victor Pena, Compliance Coordinator for the City of Midland, at (915)685-7248. If communication via TDD is required, please call 1-800-735-2989.

CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY

STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Hector Zubiate Nunez, Respondent,
GREETINGS:

"You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, default judgment may be taken against you. The petition of Maria Guadalupe Corona de Zubiate, Petitioner, was filed in the 318th Judicial District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 12th day of November, 1993, against Hector Zubiate Nunez, Respondent, numbered 27, 652 and entitled 'In the Matter of the Marriage of Maria Guadalupe Corona de Zubiate and Hector Zubiate Nunez and In the Interest of Yara Lizabeth Zubiate, Hector Ramon Zubiate, and Juana Guadalupe Zubiate, Minor Children.' The suit requests dissolution of the marriage, division of property, appointment of a managing and possessory conservator for the children, and orders for payment child support.

"The Court has authority in this to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property, and to enter any judgment or decree in the children's interest, including the appointment of a managing conservator and a possessory conservator for the children, and ordering the payment of child support, which will be binding on you.

"Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Midland, Texas, this the 18th day of November, 1993.

"Vivian Wood
Clerk of the District Court of
Midland County, Texas
By: Donna Shipman, Deputy

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF BETTY EARLDEAN SMITH, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Betty Earldean Smith, deceased, were issued to Ernest Franklin Smith, Independent Executor, on November 22, 1993, in the proceeding styled "Estate of Betty Earldean Smith, Deceased," No. 10,634 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, which is still pending and that said person now holds such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate, which is being administered in Midland County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to said Independent Executor, at 114 Bridgewater, Midland, Texas 79707 before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such Estate is closed, and within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Ernest Franklin Smith,
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110 Lodge Notices

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509. Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm. All nobles & their ladies invited. Don Kennedy, Pres., Joe Agan Secty.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland at Cuthbert.
No meeting Dec. 4, 1993. Next meeting 12/18/93.
Gary Painter, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

Acacia Masonic Lodge 1414
1000 Upland at Cuthbert.
Stated Communications 2nd & 4th Tue. 7:30 pm.
M.M. Degree Mon. 11/22 7:00 pm.
Leonard Wood, W.M. (P.T.)
Al Talbot, Secretary

Midland Masonic Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall.
Reg. stated meeting 2nd & 4th Thur. 7:30 pm.
682-3292.
W. Dean Porter, W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING 682-6222

130 Personals

FOR truly personal service on your Toyota - Permian Toyota 3110 W. Wall, 694-3691

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

OVERWEIGHT???
If your FAT is unbecoming to you...You should call us!!! 685-1423 or 689-3025. VISA/ Mastercard.

REFLEXOLOGY and Shaklee Vitamins. Therapeutic massage and colonics. 697-3700.

LOSE WEIGHT NOW! Two 100% natural, guaranteed herbal diets. Nutrition products also available. Beverly 520-8222.

$250 · REWARD! Information leading to the arrest and conviction of owner/ driver of a bright red car with front end damage. We believe it is a Mazda Protege, should be missing 2 hubcaps. Call 689-8519.

ADOPTION - Affectionate Christian couple dreams of sharing with your precious baby our New England white farmhouse and gardens. Devoted grandparents, playful cousins, and special evenings with stories and crayons by the fireplace await your child. Love and understanding promised! Please call Ceci and Jim at 1-800-787-1697. It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal or medical expenses.

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Midland Southwest Software ("MSS") is pleased to announce the acquisition of the Techtronic Data Systems Oil and Gas Accounting Software ("OGAS") for the PC. MSS is now the sole provider of OGAS for all computer platforms. MSS will continue to offer the most up to date Oil & Gas accounting system for Independent producers utilizing state of the art hardware ranging from a single user PC product to systems supporting hundreds of concurrent users. MSS will offer OGAS on a time share basis, through batch services or install OGAS on your computer system. MSS has a full support staff which includes programmers, hardware specialists, and customer support personnel with over 50 years of combined experience in the implementation and support of batch, time-share, and remote systems.

Contact Greg Brown or Wanda Brown at:
(915) 688-0170
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130 Personals

SANTA, Mrs. Santa, Frosty Snowman, Christmas Elves, Christmas Tree, costume rental. Costumes by Dorothy, 694-7687.

ZODY'S Parlor still has space for high quality arts and craft dealers. No rental fees or up-front charges. Consignment sales thru the holidays. Call Jeff at 699-5402, or go by 4706 N. Midkiff (across from Wal-Mart).

DATELINE Personals. 1-900-950-7456 Ext. 707. $2 per minute, 18 years +.

150 Lost & Found

IF your pet is lost, please check with MIDLAND ANIMAL CONTROL (on Fairground Road) every three days.

LOST!! in the vicinity of Blue Bird Lane, a black and grey tabby, with blue collar. Call 682-7799.

LOST: Male Blue Healer. Vicinity of South C.R. 1192, Sunday 11/14. Reward. Call 687-6917.

LOST!! Female, yellow-colored, Golden Retriever, Northwest Midland. Reward!! Call 699-7007 daytime, 697-5153 evenings.

LOST dog. Black Lab and English Bull dog mix. Name Wrinkles, vicinity of 'G' and Kansas. Reward. 684-8258.

LOST: RADIO Shack Scheduled Planner EC332 from DENNY'S on November 11th. Looks like a calculator. REWARD!!! Call collect after 5 pm, 602-697-8334.

SHELBY...Black/ white Border Collie young spayed female. PRINCESS... Small brindled Chihuahua mix, spayed female. LUKE...Large Rotweiller mix, black/ tan, neutered male. PRISSY...Solid white long haired cat, spayed female.

There are many more animals up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. $45.00 dogs and puppies, $35.00 cats and kittens, includes spaying and neutering, vaccinating, worming, leukemia tests and rabies shots. 267-7832.

FOUND! Black and white medium sized, shaggy, male dog. Neutered. Very friendly. 694-8619 or 682-2843.

LOST! White female Spitz from 2200 block of Harvard, Monday am. Answers to Daisy. Call 682-3856 leave message.

LOST: Last seen Loop 250 and A street at 7-11, golden cocker, female. 683-7431.

FOUND! Young female Cocker Spaniel, buff color, no collar, house broken. Call 684-7526.

FOUND Cairn Terrier cross by Cotton Flat and Francis Street. Older overweight, black female. Call SPCA 684-7582.

FOUND! 2 White terriers, 1 black Cocker Spaniel. Call 682-2229.

REWARD! Ladies wedding rings lost in womens bathroom at Midland Airport. Sentimental value. No questions asked. Call collect 817-424-3165 after 5.

162 Mortgages Wanted

COLONIAL FINANCIAL SERVICES pays cash for owner carried real estate notes. 550-2025 (Odessa).

FOR BID list of 40 plus real estate notes in Big Springs and San Antonio call 1-210-433-1842 after 10 am. Estate sale of notes from 9 1/4 - 18% interest. Bid closing date 11-29-93.

170 Schools / Instruction

SPANISH - CERTIFIED TEACHER. Instruction or tutoring. Have fun while you learn! 520-5526.

TUTORING SERVICES: specializing in Math (all levels), Spanish, French, German. Also translating. David, 689-2302 or 683-1501.

200 Automobiles Domestic

NATIONAL CAR RENTAL & SALES. Midland International Airport, 563-4412

Friendly Pontiac Chrysler Plymouth Sales & Service 3705 W. Wall 684-7101 or 563-1543

ADD value to your new or used car by detailing, window tinting, striping, etc. Allstar Repair & Collision/ Estimating & Detail Center. 520-LOOP.

FORD 1992 Taurus. 39K miles, teal, clean, well maintained. Must see! $9,800, 689-0089.

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Jack Sherman Chevrolet Geo, Buick, Mazda Sales & Serv. 4100 W. Wall, 694-9601

Village Lincoln-Mercury-Dodge 3915 W. Wall, Midland TX 697-3115 or 563-1348

OLDSMOBILE 1982 Cutlass. Good condition, been wrecked. $700 or best offer. 567-9034 (beeper), after 6:30 pm.

LINCOLN 1985 LSC. All power. New tires. White. Excellent condition. 689-2427 after 6.

ROGERS FORD
Sales & Service
4200 W. Wall 694-8801

AUTO LOANS
Bad credit or no credit
NO PROBLEM!
Even if you've been turned down elsewhere! Call Tami at:
THE LOAN ARRANGER
3307 Andrews Hwy
520-0261

CHEVROLET 1981 and 1984 Corvettes. Excellent shape. Call 366-9522 or 392-2697.

CHRYSLER 1984 5th Avenue. 56K miles, all power, all leather. $3,500 or best offer. 689-0292.

PONTIAC 1990 Grand AM LE. 2 door sports coupe, Quad 4, fully loaded, low mileage. Excellent condition! $7,400 699-6429.

DODGE 1985 pickup. Camper shell, in mint condition; $6,500. CHEVROLET 1981 pickup, makes good work truck. 697-1873.

CADILLAC 1977 Fleetwood Brougham. 54,000 miles, new tires, brakes, battery. White leather interior. Excellent condition! $2,800. 694-1886.

MERCURY 1978 Colony Park Station Wagon. Automatic, loaded. New disc breaks, roters, etc. $775. 520-3000.

MERCURY 1991 Topaz, loaded, charcoal gray. $5,750, 699-0168 after 5:30 pm.

1981 SUBURBAN. 1 owner, excellent condition. Call 367-4572.

LINCOLN 1984 Mark VII. Excellent condition, high mileage, midnight blue. $3,500. Contact Larry at 683-2238.

CHEVROLET 1988 Caprice. 4 door, V8, good condition, 66K miles. $3,150, call 524-5935 after 5 pm.

JAGUAR 1979 XJ6. $4,500. Also 12 guage pump shot gun, Winchester $175. 684-6010.

CHEVROLET 1990 Cavalier. 47,000 miles, great gas mileage, good condition. $5,000. Days 685-7287, evenings 520-7717.

DODGE 1988 Shadow. 63,000 miles, excellent shape, A/ C, power steering, automatic, 4 door. 520-2729.

CADILLAC 1985 Sedan DeVille. Extremely nice. Must see to appreciate. $3650. 1425 Spur. 362-4030.

CHEVROLET 1981 Impala. Good condition, best offer. Call 332-8359

CHEVROLET 1993 Silverado. White with gray interior, custom wheels. 20,000 miles left on 36,000 mile warranty. Call after 6 694-1358, days 563-4172 ask for George.

FORD 1988 Tempo LX. 4 Door, one owner, automatic, loaded. Great Condition. $4,200. 686-0028 or 683-2752 ask for Tandee.

FORD 1987 Mustang GT. 5.0, very nice! Low miles, CD and cassette deck. $6,200, 694-0717.

MERCURY 1984 Cougar. 2 door, very good condition. $2,250. Call 697-1010.

OLDSMOBILE 1986 Cutlass Supreme. High mileage, good condition. $2,000. 699-6892.

FORD 1991 Explorer. Loaded, maroon and silver, $15,000. Call 367-4912 after 5.

CHRYLSER 1989 Landau. Bill Blass Edition. In very good condition, low mileage. $8,500. 683-6329.

FORD 1990 Tempo LX. 4 door, automatic, air, power locks, AM/ FM cassette, 22K miles. Exellent Condition! $5,700, 570-5237.

OLDSMOBILE 1982 Delta 88 Royal. Good condition, 69,000 miles $2,100. Call 685-3435.

OLDSMOBILE 1982 98 Regency. 4 door, air, full power. Mechanically good. Body in reasonable condition. $1,550. O.B.O. 683-6688.

FORD 1984 Tempo. 4 Door, automatic, first $1,000 gets it. 2705 W. Wall. 697-2678.

BUICK 1983 LeSabre. 4 Door, great work car. $850. 2705 W. Wall. 697-2678.

CADILLAC 1980 Sedan DeVille. Good condition. First $750 Gets it. 2705 W. Wall. 697-2678.

MUSTANG 1991 Convertible GT, cherry red with black leather interior, 14,500 miles, asking $16,500. Call 580-5421 or 367-9241 after 5 p.m.

CHEVY 1987 Nova (Toyota), hatchback, gas saver. Call 332-4516.

OLDSMOBILE 1988 Delta 88. 75,000 miles, one owner, fully loaded, leather interior, asking $5,500. Call 580-5421 or 367-9241 after 5 p.m.

FORD 1988 Mustang LX. 5.0 ltr. Excellent condition. 76,000 miles. 686-8293.

CHEVROLET 1981 Malibu. Good transportation, looks and runs good, $650. 570-0309.

BUYING/ Hauling wrecked or unwanted cars and trucks. Before 9 am, after 5 pm, 683-0812.

CADILLAC 1984 DeVille. 2 Door, needs paint and minor mechanical, sacrifice $900. 699-4461 - Ron.

FORD 1986 Taurus. 86K miles, excellent driver, 1990 V6 motor. $3,300. 520-0011.

CADILLAC 1979 Sedan DeVille. 82K original miles, must see to appreciate. 520-8814.

OLDSMOBILE 1982 Cutlass. Good condition, been wrecked. $700 or best offer. 567-9034 (digital beeper), after 6:30 pm.

CHEVROLET 1972 350 Nova, 2 door coupe, restored, 1 year on rebuilt engine and transmission with new paint, carpets, dash pad; door, trunk, and window seals; bucket seats, chrome Grant steering wheel. Good brakes and tires with 5 star Crager Rims. $4,500 or best offer. 689-9425.

200 Automobiles Domestic

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CAR OF THE WEEK
1992 Dodge Shadow
3 to Choose From
Factory Warranty Remaining
$7888.00
Call Kris Crow or Tommy "Flattop" Johnson
AVIS CAR SALES
9914 Sloan Field Rd.
563-0814

BUICK 1986 Skyhawk. Brown, automatic, 2 door, air, cassette, good school car, $1000. Call 570-5103.

CHEVROLET 1990 Corvette. Dark red, CD, 2 tops, leather. 38K. Excellent condition. $18,000. 683-8928.

CADILLAC 1987 Coupe DeVille, 3/4 panel, motor, transmission, drive-line, all together, runs good. $595. Call 684-6529.

MERCURY 1991 Capri. Convertible, immaculate, one owner, easy up top, extended warranty, 27,500 miles, loaded, $9,995, 686-8981.

TOYOTA 1980 Corolla Wagon. 5 speed. FORD 1973 LTD. Both in good condition. $800 each. 694-0644.

PONTIAC 1991 Grand Prix. 4 door, air conditioned, low miles, $600 down, will finance, 381-2717.

MERCURY 1992 Cougar. V6, 28K miles, all power. Red. Excellent condition. 699-4251, leave message.

CHEVROLET 1987 Caprice. 91K miles, good condition, $2,500. Call between 5-10 pm. 697-2951.

BUICK 1978 Park Avenue. Mileage under 100k. Excellent condition. $995 Firm. 682-8801.

205 Classic Cars

FORD 1958 Mustang, good shape, clean, off white, vinyl top. Must Sell. 682-1316.

FORD 1976 Mustang Cobra. Mechanics dream, as is, best offer. 560-7514.

VW 1962 Bug Classic. Dark gray with sunroof, runs good, $1,200. Call 689-8908 after 6 pm.

WANT to buy. 63-67 Corvette Coupe. 915-367-7452.

JAVELIN 1972 SST. Runs good. Asking $1,250 or will trade. Call 520-6707.

210 Automobiles Import

MITSUBISHI SALES & SERVICE
BERG MOTOR COMPANY
3205 W. WALL 694-7741

LITTLEFIELD AUTOMOTIVE-'Best Complete Service for Imported Autos.' 1810 W. Front, Midland. 683-8611.

BRONCO BMW
Sales AND Service
2346 E. 8th, ODESSA
335-5911

DATSUN 1982 B210. Runs and drives excellent! Nearly new paint and tires, good gas mileage and dependable! $1,150. Call 682-5629.

BMW 1986 735I. 52K miles, leather interior, sunroof, excellent condition. Maintenance records. $12,000. 699-2460.

TOYOTA 1989 Corolla. 4 door, automatic, air. 333-7100 or 366-6366.

BMW 1989 5351. 4 door, low mileage, silver with grey leather interior, CD tape player, air bag, 1 owner, $23,400. Call 362-8614.

HONDA 1993 Accord LX. Protection package, power steering, locks, tinted windows. 10,000 miles. NADA $17,150 asking $16,500. Also FORD 1972 pickup. New tires, rebuilt motor, good body. $1,350. Call after 4:30, 263-0728, Big Spring.

HYUNDAI 1987 Excel GL. White 4 door. Air, Cassette. runs good. $700. 520-5248.

ISUZU 1985 Impulse. $850 or best offer. Can see at 2900 Roosevelt Apt. B.

MAZDA 1982 RX7. Good school/ work car. 332-3869.

MAZDA 1990 Miata MX5. Limited Edition version with all the options. Leather, air, cruise, AM/ FM cassette, CD player, alarm, 21,000 miles, like new. $15,500. 381-1371 before 5 pm, after 5 pm 368-7824.

220 Trucks & Vans

CHEVROLET 1985 Zimmer custom van. 70,000 miles, $3,995. Can be seen at 2603 Hodges, 570-4033.

GMC 1977 Suburban. Runs great! $1,550 or best offer. 694-4985.

GMC 1991 SLE pickup. Crimson, 350, 45,000 miles, one owner, extended warranty. 694-1355.

INTERNATIONAL 1980 Diesel Electric Line. Call B.J. 817-545-7556.

FORD 1989 XLT Extended Cab, short bed, 4 x 4, brush guard, 8" rear chrome bumper, 351 engine, towing package. Very clean! $9,700, 682-2625.

DODGE 1983 150 SE. Black, new tires, custom wheels, tool box, power steering and brakes, automatic transmission, V8. Runs good! $3,000, 687-4307.

CHEVROLET 1990 Silverado C1500, 4 wheel drive, tinted windows, loaded. Great condition! $12,500 O.B.O. 699-6407 or 686-3213.

FORD 1989 F-150 XLT. 4-speed, 6-cylinder, AM/ FM. $5,500. 694-8243.

DODGE 1990 Dakota, white with matching fiber glass camper shell, AM-FM stereo and tape, some hail damage, 4 cylinder, standard 4 speed plus overdrive, 14,000 miles. $6,750. Owner call 333-9965.

Credit Problems?

If you think previous credit problems will keep you from buying a car or truck, you haven't talked to us. Bad Credit, Slow Credit, No Credit, Even Bankruptcy is No Problem!
Call 563-1348
Ask for **Mr. Queen**
Don't let your past keep you from getting that car or truck you've always wanted!
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220 Trucks & Vans

CHEVROLET 1988 Pickup. Automatic. $5,500 or best offer. Runs good. 520-0407.

CHEVROLET 1979 pickup. Standard transmission, 350 motor, good work truck. $950. 686-9505 or 689-0954.

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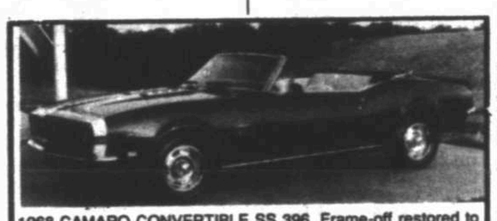

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Circulation 688-2700

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DJ, Host/ Hostess Cashier and Door person needed. Apply between 2-4 at 4400 N. Big Spring.

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KITCHEN
NEEDED IMMEDIATELY! Dishwasher/ Cleanup person for gourmet store/ catering kitchen. Work afternoons Monday - Saturday, sometimes more. Apply in person #14 Imperial Shopping Center between 10 am-6 pm Monday - Saturday.

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310 General Help Wanted

Distributorships Now Available

PART-TIME INCOME OPPORTUNITY

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has early morning routes which need to be filled with dependable individuals with reliable transportation. Often asked questions:

➥ **Is it worthwhile for adults also?**
YES! 95% of our Distributors ARE adults! Morning Routes are attractive for:
★ ADULTS who have fulltime jobs, yet want to supplement their income with a steady part-time job!
★ MOTHERS who can't justify a small job AND daycare, because as a Distributor, you don not need daycare!
★ COLLEGE STUDENTS needing a part-time job which will work with classes!
★ SENIOR CITIZENS wanting regular exercise, added retirement income, or just want to work with people, neighbors, and friends!

➥ **How much money can I make as a Distributor?**
Depending on the size of the route(s), from $350 to $800 monthly, in some cases...even more!

➥ **OK...but how long does it take?**
The actual delivery takes 1-2 hours Monday-Saturday, and 2-3 hours on Sunday, depending on the size of the route(s). Also some time is needed each month to collect from subscribers. Many Distributors choose to handle some of this by putting envelopes in the subscribers' papers and having payments mailed to them. Some collecting in person will be necessary though, particularly on some routes more than others.

➥ **When do the papers have to be delivered by?**
Papers must be on the yards by 6 am Monday-Friday, and 7 am on weekend mornings.

➥ **Do I ever get a day off?**
The job requires a 7-day a week commitment. However, most Distributors do take days off by finding a friend, family member, or another Distributor to substitute for them!

➥ **What else?**
An initial $100 refundable deposit is required.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT
MIDLAND REPORTER -TELEGRAM
688-2700 OR 682-5311

Your beauty sleep could be worth $900

Cash in a few hours of your beauty sleep and you could **earn over $900 per month.** Just call **Tonya at 687-8807**, or the **Circulation Dept. at 688-2700,** ask about **delivering the Midland Reporter-Telegram** around Highway 80 and Loop 250 and Fairgrounds. you pick up your papers by 1:00 a.m. for early morning delivery. Three hours and you're done. With good looks and extra cash, there's no telling how far you can go. $100 deposit required. **Call Now!**

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram is now accepting applications for Inserters. This is a part time position and the shifts are varied. Work hours include evenings and weekends.

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RECEPTIONIST

Leading insurance brokerage firm has career opportunity available in local Midland office. The qualified individual's responsibilities will be to operate switchboard handling incoming and conference calls, greet visitors, and accurate typing as assigned.

Qualifications include 1-3 years general business experience, WordPerfect - 40 WPM, and ability to operate office equipment. Some knowledge of commercial insurance desired.

A & A offers a competitive salary and full benefits package. Interested candidates should fax or forward resumes to:

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310 General Help Wanted

Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified Department is seeking a highly motivated, people oriented, individual for the position of **Contract Salesperson** for Midland, Odessa and the surrounding areas. Applicants must be **goal oriented,** possess **professional appearance** and **attitude** as well as **excellent communication** and **listening skills.** Sales **experience** is **preferred,** product knowledge and training is provided. Own **transportation necessary.** Position is straight commission.

To apply, please send your resume to:

Classified Assistant Mgr.
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O.Box 1650
Midland TX 79702

FLEXIBLE HOURS

Part-time positions available for persons to work in a small, pleasant group home atmosphere. We are looking for persons who have the ability to teach basic living, work and social skills to individuals with mental retardation. We will pay you while you are in training. Starting wage of $5.00 per hour and advancement opportunities are available. You must have a current Texas Driver's License and no more than 3 moving violations, including at-fault accidents within the last 3 years. No DWI or DUI record. You must have proof of having a valid automobile liability insurance, have reliable transportation, be a High School Graduate or possess a GED and have good written and verbal communication skills. Deadline for applications is 5:00 pm, Wednesday, December 1, 1993.

Applications available at PERMIAN BASIN COMMUNITY CENTERS, 401 E. Illinois, Suite 301 or 3701 N. Big Spring in Midland and 3126 Kermit Hwy. in Odessa.

RESTAURANT
SUBWAY Sandwiches 610 N. Big Spring St. needs clean, honest, hardworking person for an Assistant Manager and Manager Trainee. Apply between 2-5 only.

SHAKEY'S-Evening bartenders and kitchen help full or part time. Apply in person 3305 Andrews Hwy.

ROUSTABOUTS
NOW interviewing: Need experience roustabouts. Must have CDL, pass drug test and DOT physical. Must be willing to relocate, job offers good pay and benefits. Send resume to P.O. Box 905, Sterling City, TX 76951.

RETAIL
E.E. Hinsley & Sons Inc. has immediate opening for convenience store clerks. Pre-employment drug screen required. Contact Barbara: 561-6002.

LPG Drivers needed. Tanker experience, CDL required. Call 682-0302.

MAINTENANCE Supervisor needed. 101 units, must have 2 years experienc, HVAC certified preferred. 694-8182.

RESTAURANT
DOMINOS PIZZA now hiring Delivery Drivers. Must be over 18 with drivers license and insurance. Starting wage $4.25 per hour. Tips and mileage paid daily. Call 687-4701 or 699-7778.

DISHWASHER and Kitchen help wanted. Please apply at Sakura Restaurant 1501 N. Big Spring.

RESTAURANT
CICI'S PIZZA - New Opening!
Looking for people who want to learn it all. Cici's Pizza is a fun and exciting place to work with flexible hours and excellent working conditions. If you have any experience in the food service business and are dependable, enthusiastic, and take pride in your work then come to CiCi's Pizza at 4400 N. Midland Dr., Suite 500. Mon.- Sat.9-11 or 1-5.

CUSTOM SIGN COMPANY seeking personnel for following positions:
1. Channel Letter Fabrication.
2. Sheet Metal Layout and Fabrication
Excellent benefits, Pay commensurate with experience. 214-902-2000.

RECEIVING CLERK

needed for rapidly growing manufacturer of high performance automotive race products. Minimum 4 years experience in receiving and inventory control. Jacobs Electronics, 500 N. Baird St., Midland, Texas 79701. No phone calls please.

310 General Help Wanted

SERVICE Station Attendant with experience needed for night shift. Apply at 2301 W. Wadley.

NEED Master ceramic tile mechanic. Minimum 5 years experience. Call collect between 8 am-5:30 pm Monday through Friday. 1-915-944-3442. Kilgore Tile and Floor Covering, San Angelo, Tx.

WOOD'S BOOTS now hiring for Christmas help. Part time and full time, great benefits and good wages. Pickup applications at Wood's Boots.

RETAIL
TAKING full time part time applications for Customer Service Representative. Must have some typing skills, good with public. Please apply at 4400 N. Midkiff between 2 - 5 Monday - Friday.

311 Medical Help Wanted

LVN needed for 10 pm-6 am shift. Good pay and benefits. Call B.J. Norton at 689-0707.

LVN needed for relief help for a 30 bed nursing home. Competitive wage will pay mileage. Please call Michelle Smith RN/ DON, Crane County Care Center. 915-558-3400.

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CERTIFIED NURSES AIDE. Must be dedicated to quality care. Apply in person: Courtyard Care Center, 3203 Sage Street. E.O.E. Under New Management.

PART time LVN opening, all shifts. Apply at Terrace West 2800 N. Midland Drive.

CERTIFIED Nurse Aides. All shifts available. Apply at Terrace West, 2800 N. Midland Drive.

RN & LVN
RN Weekend Relief and LVN, all shifts. Comparable wages and benefits. Apply at Terrace West Nursing Center, 2800 N. Midland Drive.

DENTAL
BUSY Pediatric Dental Office seeks highly motivated, energetic, chairside assistant. Radiography and front office experience desireable. Hours Monday thru Thursday, 10 am-7 pm., Friday 8 am-5 pm., some Saturdays. Send resume and cover letter to the kid's place, 4519 N. Garfield, Suite 16B, Midland Texas 79705.

RADIOLOGY Staff Technologist. Experienced in General Radiographic procedures, surgery and portable work. Must be willing to cross train in CT and ultrasound. Need A.A.R.T. and M.R.T. Apply at or send resume to Scenic Mountain Medical Center, 1601 W. 11th Place, Big Spring Texas 79720. Fax: 915-263-6454.

312 Professional Help Wanted

WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL
is now accepting applications/resumes for the following positions:
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311 Medical Help Wanted

BUSINESS OFFICE MANAGER

Seminole Hospital District Of Gaines County is seeking a Business Office Manager. The ideal candidate will have a combination of management and financial experience, and will have a demonstrated record of leadership and communication skills. Preferred qualifications include a Bachelor's Degree in Business, Health Administration, or a related field and prior experience as a business office manager of a healthcare organization. We provide an attractive salary and benefits package. Resume and salary history should be received by December 3, 1993 to:

Memorial Hospital
Kirk Cristy
209 NW 8th St.
Seminole, Texas 79360

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312 Professional Help Wanted

OPERATIONS ENGINEER
Active independent operator needs an Operations Engineer for Midland Office. Minimum 8-10 years experience in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico. Generate workovers, AFE's and procedures. Drill 2-3 wells per year. Some field supervision. Monitor production and cost on 150 wells. Medical, Dental and Vision Insurance and 401K Plan. Send resume and salary requirements to BOX C-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

BEAUTIFUL New Nursing home in a small west Texas town is accepting applications for Food Service Supervisor. Excellent salary and health insurance paid. Please join our team, come to Comanche Trail Nursing Center, 3200 Parkway, Big Spring, Texas 79720. Telephone number 915-263-4041, Fax 915-263-4067.

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A Well Servicing Co. seeks an individual to supervise safety adn DOT complaince in teh west Texas region. Must have prior safety and DOT experience. Resume required. (903) 983-2086 ask for Ronnie Harpe. Fax: (903) 984-4536.

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sought for growing oil and gas operating company. Must possess working knowledge of DPC&A OGRE program and Lotus along with prior experience in gathering and assembling engineering data. Knowledge of other computer applications a plus. Candidate must possess exceptional organizational skills and be a self-starter. Excellent benefits. Salary D.O.E. Send replies to BOX C-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

CHILDRENS' LIBRARIAN: Strong public service orientation, programming ability, ALA accredited MLS, some evenings and weekends. Midland County Public Library, 301 W. Missouri, Midland, TX 79701. 915-688-9991.

HEATING, Air Conditioning, Refrigeration Technician. Must have 5 years exeperince. Paid vacations, health insurance. Great place to work! Call 561-9440 ask for Tim or David.

320 Sales Help Wanted

SALES AND CUSTOMER SERVICE

If you like to talk about cars and racing, this is the ideal job for you! We are adding permanent positions to our Automotive Products Divisions. The right candidate will be aggressive and enthusiastic. We will fully train qualified individuals. Call 800-627-8800; ask for Tressa. Starting $6.00 - $10.00/Hr, guaranteed DOE, but our experienced men and women earn $400 - $750 per week!

Come be a part of our high earning sales team of experts!
JACOBS' ELECTRONICS

314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

WELDER Metal Fabrication. All welding is MIG. Must be able to read and work from blueprints. Must pass physical and drug screen. Apply at office: Fuel Harvesters Equipment 2501 Commerce Drive, Midland.

EXPERIENCED Structural Iron and Sheet Metal Workers for erection purposes. Must be able to travel. Start pay $6 per hour. 915-686-9019.

NATURAL GAS COMPRESSOR MECHANIC
With at least 5 years experience, willing to relocate. Apply in person 3201 A E. Loop 250 N., Midland. Hanover Compressor Co.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

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WE have jobs for dedicated Word Processors and receptionists. Never a fee! Call "The Power in Personnel" Temporary Resources 684-0527.

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PERMANENT PART TIME, 10-15 hours. Data entry, bookkeeping helpful, Great Plains software, non-smoker. P.O. Box 7009, Midland Texas 79708.

SECRETARY
LOOKING for part time only, Professional secretary/ clerical with 5 years or more PC computer experience including Microsoft Word and Microsoft Windows (if you are seeking full time employment, please do not apply). Non-smoker. Job requires working Monday, Thursday and Friday mornings plus other times as necessary. Approximately 16 hours a week. Call 682-1213.

OFFICE
IMMEDIATE opening for entry level File Clerk for local independent oil and gas company. Responsibilities include filing for all departments, some computer input, running errands, relief receptionist, as well as general and other miscellaneous office duties. Hours are 9 am-6 pm. Salary: $1,000. Paid parking. 401K Plan, non-smoker. Send resume INCLUDING REFERENCES by 11/29/93 to Attention: Personnel Manager, P.O. Box 10369, Midland 79702. Interviews will be conducted on 11/30/93.

*** CLERK ***
Immediate opening for a full time clerical support person in a totally non-smoking environment. Must be comfortable with computers, numbers and filing as well as with people! 8-5 Mon-Fri. Bring resume as soon as possible! No fee.
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
1601 W. TEXAS

320 Sales Help Wanted

COMMISSIONED Sales Person needed at Carter's Furniture. Retail sales experience preferred. Come and join one of Midland's most established businesses. Apply at 501 E. Illinois. 682-2843.

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with a good attitude and a good driving record who wants to earn a good living. At least $840 a week, new company vehicle. Call Bill 684-0069.
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ROUTE Sales. Salary plus commission. Some travel. Send resume to: 1639 Falcon, Desoto, Texas 75115 or fax resume to 1-214-224-6825.

SALES
WANTED, full time salesperson, must have basket experience. Call 561-5627 or 520-2263.

320 Sales Help Wanted

RETAIL
RAY'S Big & Tall seeking full time experienced sales person. Apply in person Monday thru Friday between 10 am and 3 pm.

405 Garage / Yard Sales

79706
RANKIN HWY FLEA MARKET, 2840 Rankin Hwy., Midland. Saturday & Sunday. 684-5060 New and Used Merchandise.

79701
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320 Sales Help Wanted

ATTENTION!
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Mail resume or come by: Midessa Wireless, Inc., 19 Barry Road, Midland, Tx 79702. (915)520-0163.
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OUTSIDE sales person for fast paced company. Salary plus commission. Paid medical for employee and dependents. Industrial supply or construction equipment background helpful. Send resume to BOX B-07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

330 Situations Wanted

YOUNG Man seeks permanent job as Maintenance person doing air conditioning, heating, plumbing and some small carpentry work. Able to do whatever needs to be done! 684-8179.

OILFIELD DRILLER would like opportunity to find secure job in any field other than drilling or roughnecking. Hard worker, good work habits, fast learner, willing to start at the bottom but would like opportunity to advance if possible. Have experience as a welder, front end loader/ operator, basic mechanic, plumber/ electrician. Can also drive trucks but do not have CDL. Please call 520-3133.

RELIABLE, honest, ethical professional with over 15 years of management, computer, oil/ gas, environmental skills seeks full-time employment in the $22,000 yearly range. 520-4357.

335 Adult Care

IN-HOME CARE. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned and operated. 520-4425.

336 Adult Daycare Providers

NON-SMOKING Christian Lady would like to be care giver for elderly person, couple, or semi-disabled person. Prefer daytime. Several years experience with excellent references. Please call 683-8472 and if no answer please leave message.

M & J SITTER SERVICE. Providing all of your daily living activity needs. Assistance in personnel care, light cleaning, cooking...and more. To find out more about services call 580-6523.

340 Child Care Needed

WANTED Babysitter with 10 years experience. Non-smoker with current drivers license to care for 3 year old and 18 month old girls in my home 30 hours per week. Some light housekeeping included. References required. May call and leave message or call after 6 pm. 689-8430 - Peggy.

CHILDCARE Needed for children ages 1 and 3, CPR certified, full time hours. Call 689-3401.

350 Business Opportunities

FAMILY Home, babies only. Will love/ care for your babies as you do. References. 694-9671.

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WILL babysit. Meals. $1.50 per child, per hour. 563-1203 Ask for Tammy.

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NEED Nanny for 2 children aged 1 and 4. Need references and experience. Call 570-7218.

350 Business Opportunities

REGISTERED childcare! Negotiate hours, days or evenings. Snacks, lunches provided, also activities. Call 697-4479.

LOVING Childcare in my home. Infant & up. Very affordable. CPR certified, snacks-meals provided. 520-9453.

MAYNARD Christian Child Care and Pre-school has openings. Limited enrollment with many extra benefits. 687-1509.

CHILDCARE in my home Monday-Friday, registered, CPR certified. 18 month-4 years. Lori, 697-0841.

350 Business Opportunities

REAL Estate Opportunity. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings. Southwest College, 683-4555.

FOR SALE
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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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LYNX Fur Coat, full length, size 6, never been worn. Originally $20,000, make offer. Call 943-2041, 943-8931 for information.

LOSE Weight & Gain Energy. Call Ann for products and opportunity. Independent Herbalife Distributor. 550-5612.

COMKEY 416, 5 line, hold button, intercom, 10 station, wood grain, 6 phones, extra equipment for installation. $50 each. Call 550-0036.

BOY'S and Girl's Club Christmas Trees. 5' x 7', Douglas Firs, $21.99 Delivered. 683-5297.

SPA Sale! Large 7-8 person spa, new, warranty, delivery, terms. $4,995 - was $6,017. 563-1807.

25 GAL. Octigon aquarium with under gravel filter, light cover and heater $100. 1979 Coleman popup travel trailer in very good condition $1,300 or make offer. 682-8210.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

CABOVER camper for small pickup, gas/ electric stoves, washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezer, TV's, piano, china cabinet/ dining, living, bedroom furniture, machine/ cabinet, microwave. 570-4851.

SELF-propelled Kirby Generation III with attachments. Almost new. $500. 694-4646.

1-HORSE trailer; antique claw foot bath tub. 561-5526.

SINGLE brass bed $35; queen bookcase waterbed $70; Bell & Howell slide projector $20. 684-7621.

MAULINEX Food Processor with attachments, $15. 694-1260.

TRU-BUILT 25 inch Reel Lawnmower, $750. Weedeater, $40. Wheelbarrow, $25. Call 688-5490 days/ 697-6149 nights/ weekend.

FOR sale complete wood furniture manufacturing shop all or part, nice equipment, table saws, 10 foot table stroke sander, CR Onsrud inverted router, 14 inch chop saw with in feed and out feed tables, New ton 2 spindal boring machine, 5 horsepower 80 gallon air compressor, plus several more wood inventory office furniture. Contact Ron McCormick 915-523-3440 or 523-6444.

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HOT TUB, Hot Springs Spa Classic Model. Excellent condition. $2,500. 687-5343.

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FULL Green Tree Country Club Membership for sale. Negotiable. 694-7852.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

ATTENTION MOTHERS! Precious Moments Children's Resale Boutique, now taking consignments. Located behind Creative Schoolhouse.

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430 Household Goods

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BROYHILL, 11 piece Almond lacquer Bedroom suit. Used 1 month. Retails for $3000/ asking $1,500. Call 687-5096 after 6 pm.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

Midland Apartments At A Glance!

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430 Household Goods

BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123, 580-5514.

KING SIZE Oak waterbed, mirrored-curio headboard, 6 drawer, mattress and heater $200. Round glass top table with Rattan base, 4 chairs $175. Beige couch, great condition $225. 684-4559 call between 5 - 8 pm.

Red Devil upright with attachements- $50. Kirby Heritage II with attachements, shampooer and upholstry cleaner, $300. 520-8407.

QUEEN size waterbed with 6 drawer under dresser, 1 buffet, 1 king size book case headboard. 332-6361 after 6 pm.

WASHER Dryer, works good $250. 699-0257.

GOOD condition, G.E. portable dishwasher. $100. 687-4663.

MOVING must sell Magic Chef electric stove, paid $463. Also Frigidaire washer and gas dryer, paid $907 for set. All purchased from Good House Keeping Shop 9/10/93. New white on white style, excellent condition, make offer. Call 360-5156.

440 Firewood

DENNIS WOOD YARD. 2708 S. Co. Rd. 1220. Oak, Mesquite & Pecan. 699-4719.

TEXAS FIREWOOD. Seasoned oak, pinion, mesquite. Call 689-2231 or come by 3004 Front St.

JARNAGINS Home & Garden, 701 N. Fairground Road. Oak, pecan, mesquite, cedar. Free delivery & stacked. 686-8107 or 683-2522.

MIXED FIREWOOD for sale. Large Stacks $55 and $15 to deliver. 689-7676.

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DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oak: Live, Post & White. Pecan, Black Walnut, Cedar, Mesquite. Apartment size bagged wood. We deliver. 1-453-2151.

450 Sporting Goods

Ping Eye 2 golf clubs, 3 - W. 2 years old. $400. 686-8466.

460 Antiques & Art

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BALDWIN UPRIGHT Piano, Style No. 334, $750. 694-2052.

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475 Crafts & Supplies

GOOD Morning Sugar Britches greenware for sale, $20. 684-6037.

480 Cameras & Supplies

SHARP VHS camcorder, complete, $400. Call 337-1999 or 367-5050.

485 Radios, Stereos and TV's

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490 Computers & Accessories

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520 Store, Shop & Cafe' Equipment

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USED commercial air conditioners, combination heating/ air condition. 3 phase roof top unites, 5 ton and larger. 686-0511.

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