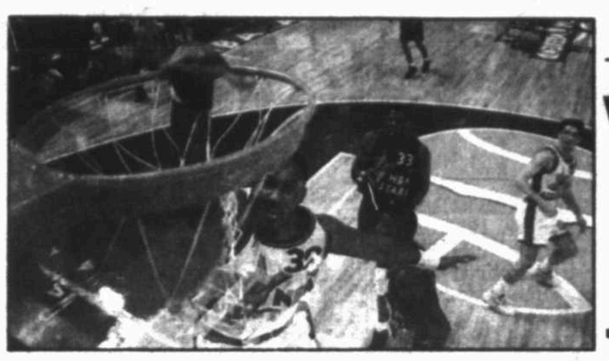


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Lyle Lovett is coming back home.

A back-home Lyle

COLLEGE STATION — Lyle Lovett is coming back home to the people and places he immortalized on his latest album, "I Love Everybody." A 1980 graduate of Texas A&M University, Lovett will perform here on Wednesday, one stop on his weeklong concert swing through the Lone Star State.

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Three tickets win

Three tickets bought in scattered sections of Texas correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, the lottery said. The jackpot is worth an estimated $28 million. The Lotto Texas numbers drawn from a field of 50 were: 6, 8, 10, 17, 19 and 22.

Dresden bombing

Ten young leftists disrupted a Sunday prayer service marking the 50th anniversary of Dresden's destruction by British and U.S. bombers, rushing the altar and shouting "Germans were the criminals, not the victims." **Page 2A**

One in a million

BUFFALO, N.Y. — Who needs stamps when coins will do? Three pennies taped to an envelope with a 29-cent stamp worked for one person. The letter arrived with pennies intact at the Liberty Loan Co. "It was canceled by the post office so it must have gone through their machines," manager Arlene Goldstein said Friday. She wouldn't say who sent it. Victor Laudisio, a spokesman for the U.S. Postal Service, called it a "one in a million kind of thing."

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Washed away: Edge of sea, last wish lure siblings despite warning

By JULIA PRODIS
Associated Press

MENDOCINO, Calif. — It was a perfect day along California's northern coast, the first day in weeks the sky was blue. Sunlight sparkled on the endless Pacific. Waves put on a show of their own, crashing playfully onto the rugged rocks, spewing seafoam like oil from gushers.

This was the place their mother loved best. Here, she would finally rest. The minister at the white chapel by the sea warned Doug Painter and his sister, Debbie Menta, to be careful. The rocks were sharp, the surf fierce.

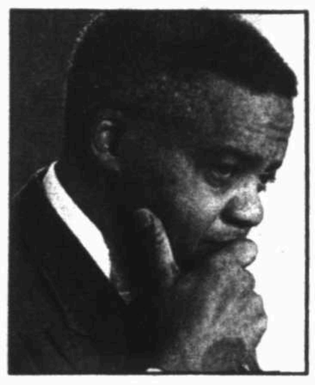
But Doug, 23, and Debbie, 32, went on their solemn way, carrying a small box filled with the ashes of their mother.

Diane Painter had killed herself; in her will, she asked that her ashes be scattered in running water. So her children walked out across the sandy bluff and climbed gingerly down through the heaping black rocks, jagged to the touch.

They went to the very edge.

The journey to this spot began

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GOP pushes its case against Dr. Henry Foster, who performed abortions, conducted hysterectomies on everely retarded women in the 1960s and 1970s.

Administration repels growing opposition to nominee Foster

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House repelled growing opposition to its surgeon general nominee Sunday, accusing Republicans of pandering to anti-abortionists and scolding slow-to-help Democratic lawmakers.

"We will fight for this nomination," chief of staff Leon Panetta said.

But the GOP pushed its case against Dr. Henry Foster, who performed abortions as an obstetrician-gynecologist and conducted hysterectomies on severely retarded women in the 1960s and 1970s.

Republican lawmakers insisted that Foster's having performed abortions wasn't the only issue; they blasted the White House for misleading Congress about his record on abortions and sterilizations.

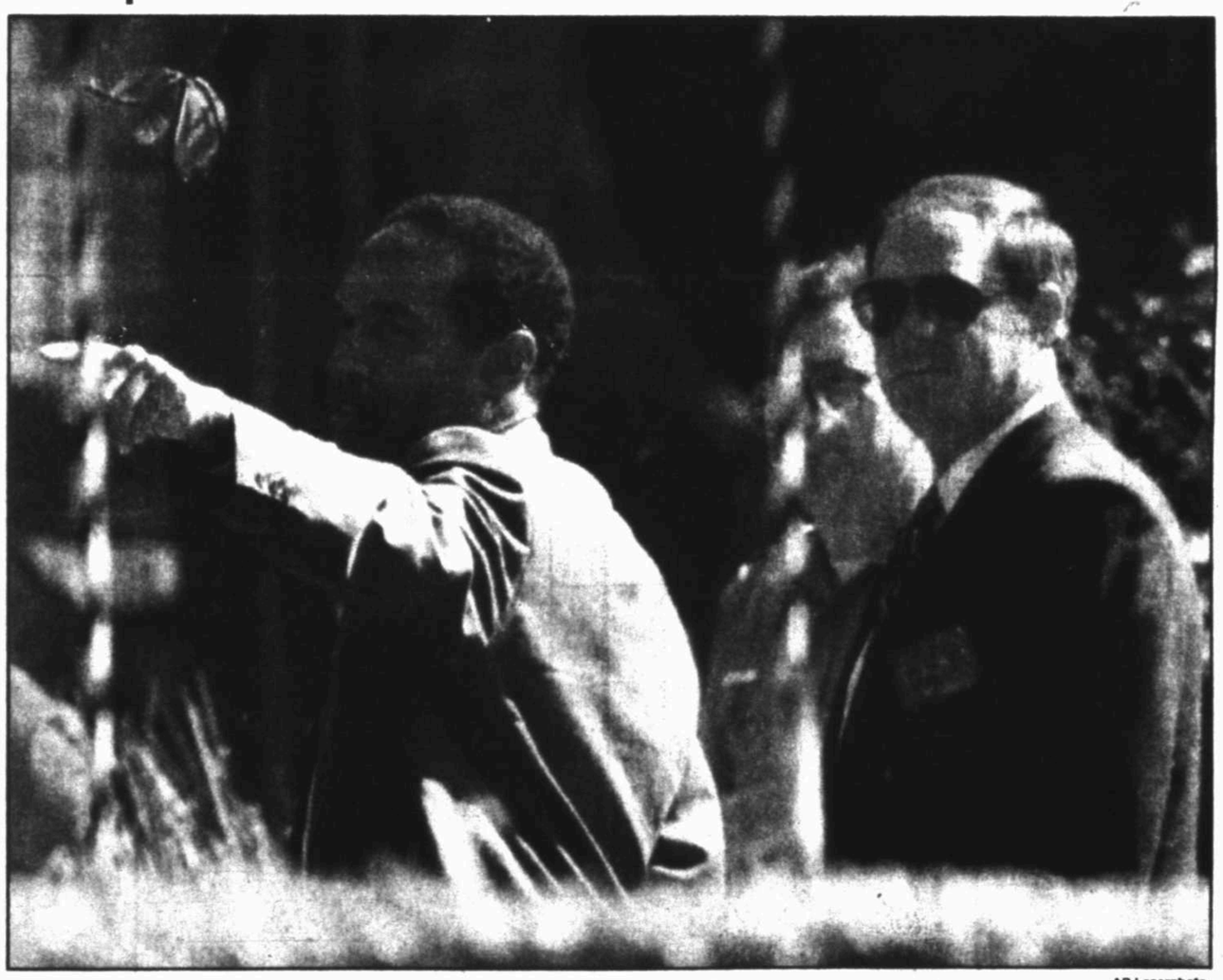
"I don't think he will be confirmed," said Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas. Referring to the folksy television doctor, Gramm added: "I think people are ready for a Dr. Welby, M.D."

"The White House did not do its homework. This was handled

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O.J. jury tours crime scene

Simpson later visits his estate for 1st time since arrest



AP Laserphoto

O.J. Simpson and a plainclothes police officer stand on his estate in Los Angeles Sunday as the jury tours the grounds.

■ 14-vehicle entourage spends two hours inspecting the condominium where Mrs. Simpson, Ronald L. Goldman were murdered.

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — As O.J. Simpson sat in a police car a block away, jurors toured the murder scene Sunday and took copious notes at the spot where the slashed, crumpled bodies of his ex-wife and her friend were found in pools of blood.

Simpson later visited his estate for the first time since his June 17 arrest. With a few plain-clothes deputies nearby, he stood in the front yard of his Brentwood mansion chatting with lawyers for about two hours as jurors toured his property.

Superior Court Judge Lance Ito convened an unusual session for the tour eight months to the day after the murders of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman.

Traveling in a motorcade of presidential proportions, jurors stopped at the murder scene at Ms. Simpson's Brentwood condominium. They stepped out of their bus with smoked-glass windows and were escorted in groups of four in and around the house.

Jurors took notes of their observations where the bloodied bodies of Ms. Simpson and Goldman were found on the walkway leading up to the house. Their reactions inside weren't known because reporters were barred from the house.

Prosecutors said the trip allowed jurors to see that the walkway is small and confined.

"It would (show) the reason why one person could accomplish this, and how

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Mexican army pushes into rebel zone

SAN CRISTOBAL DE LAS CASAS, Mexico (AP) — Government soldiers pursued guerrilla leaders into the jungles of southern Mexico on Sunday, sending dozens of peasants fleeing. No new violence was reported.

The government says it is trying to avoid confrontations, and Guatemala promised to assist the Mexican army by preventing rebels from crossing the border.

"In no way is this being treated like a war," the Mexican Interior Ministry said in a statement.

The government has portrayed its troop movements as a police effort to enforce an arrest warrant, but military roadblocks prevented the entrance of medical supplies and food to impoverished Indian villages.

Human rights groups expressed concern that the army was planning a major offensive against the rebel Zapatista National Liberation Army.

"We think that the army is preparing an offensive, that the soldiers are circling the Zapatistas with the intent of eliminating them," said Roger Maldenado of the human rights group Conpaz.

Transport trucks and light armored vehicles begin rumbling into rebel territory in

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Mexican army soldiers take up positions around a machine gun nest in San Quintin, a jungle village deep in what had bee Zapatista-held territory Sunday.

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New biography looks at famous love story of two Victorian poets

By RICHARD LORANT
Associated Press

BOSTON — He was a budding poet when he first wrote to her in 1845. Her verse had made her famous, but it couldn't free her from the pain that confined her to a darkened room in London.

Their secret courtship, nurtured by hundreds of letters, is the stuff of legend. "How do I love thee? Let me count the ways," she wrote in "Sonnets from the Portuguese," a volume about their growing love.

Now a biography published just before Valentine's Day takes a fresh look at the love and marriage of Victorian poets Elizabeth Barrett and Robert Browning.

And it offers a new theory: that Barrett's father prohibited his children from marrying because they were descended, in part, from black slaves.

Barrett and Browning's defiance of the marriage ban — her choice of love over death, as the author puts it — is what made their romance so compelling.

The 382-page book, "Dared and

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"It is perfectly legal to promote free speech," the Texas Republican said on ABC's "This Week with David Brinkley." Gramm chaired the NRSC.

Gramm defends '94 campaign donation to anti-abortion group

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Phil Gramm defended a National Republican Senatorial Committee donation of $175,000 to an anti-abortion group in the closing days of last fall's political campaign, saying Sunday it was "perfectly legal."

Gramm, who chaired the NRSC, said that he knew the money given to the National Right to Life Committee would help promote the views generally held by Republicans running for Senate seats.

"It is perfectly legal to promote free speech," the Texas Republican said on ABC's "This Week with David Brinkley."

The Washington Post reported Sunday that the Senate committee made the donation in the week before the Nov. 8 election, at a time when it knew it was about to reach the maximum it was allowed to spend on behalf of Republican candidates.

The National Right to Life Committee, which is not registered as a political group, can use

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Snow, cold take its toll on science station

By Peter James Spielman
Associated Press Writer

AMUNDSEN-SCOTT SOUTH POLE STATION, Antarctica — In the tunnels branching out from the dome of this U.S. science station, workers sometimes hear a CRACK!! like a .22-caliber rifle being fired.

Another of the bolts that hold the dome and storage tunnels together has sheared off under the accumulated weight of tons of snow and ice and shot out like a bullet.

The geodesic dome, a 20-year-old symbol of America's presence at the South Pole, and the five storage tunnels connected to it are warping and breaking down under snow and brutal cold that dips below minus-100 Fahrenheit in winter.

One tunnel holds the base's fuel supplies in nine 25,000-gallon rubber bladders that slosh gently like huge waterbeds. At one end of the tunnel, the bulkhead has buckled under the weight of the snowpack and has been braced with timbers.

Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station was founded in 1956, and rebuilt in 1975 with the tunnels and unheated dome that shelters the living quarters, science and communications buildings, cafeteria, post office and library.

The U.S. National Science Foundation says the site is outmoded and needs replacement. Otherwise, the astronomy, clean air sampling and other science projects may be hampered or even shut down, it warns.

"Right now, with the station as it is, we're max'ed out. I don't know that we can take on any more science," said Jane Dionne, the foundation's representative at the pole.

The foundation wants to spend about $200 million over eight years to take down the dome and replace it and the other buildings with aerodynamically designed structures on stilts. That would let them be jacked up as snow eventually piled up to their foundations.

For the first time, each resident would have a private room and a window. That would help ease the crowded, space station-like conditions that promote cabin fever among the staff. For years, the South Pole's population was limited to about 18 over the long dark winter and about 40 in summer. This summer season, 140 scientists, support staff and visitors have crammed in.

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— Jane Dioone,
of U.S. NationalScience Foundation

The geodesic dome, 165 feet across and 52 feet high, would be dismantled and flown out in pieces for disposal, a sad end for one of the few esthetically pleasing structures the U.S. Antarctic Program has ever built.

"I'd like to see it stay," Ms. Dionne said, but she said the cost and effort of clearing away the perpetual snowdrift makes that impractical. All summer long, Caterpillar snowplows excavate the perimeter of the dome and dump the snow a mile away.

The collapsing bulkheads and bursting bolts are only the most obvious shortcomings at the South Pole station, which originally was established to support scientific research during the 1957-58 International Geophysical Year.

Other problems:

■ Generators strain to supply enough electricity for high-powered astronomy research, and there have been several brownouts this summer.

■ Space is short for storing supplies and equipment, which are stacked just about everywhere you look.

■ The garage's doors are too small to bring the biggest Caterpillar tractors in, unless their protective roll cages are removed first. Mechanics almost have to turn sideways to walk around vehicles in the cramped garage.

■ Fuel storage bladders need to be replaced with hard metal tanks that are less vulnerable to leaks, or fire.

■ The sewage system has, for 40 years, simply pumped waste water deep below the station into an ice cavern, rather than treating it. In the new design by the architectural firm of Ferraro-Choi and Associates, "gray water" from showers and sinks would be recycled to flush toilets; the sewage would be treated and used to fertilize indoor gardens.

■ Solar heating panels would reduce the South Pole station's fuel needs. A new dormitory building that combines super-insulation with solar panels has drastically cut heating fuel usage.

The U.S. base and Russia's Vostok Station, some 800 miles away near the magnetic pole, once served as symbolic Cold War outposts for Washington and Moscow on the Frozen Continent.

But geopolitical reasons are no longer pressing. For the first time, Russia closed Vostok Station for the winter last year and cut its budget. National Science Foundation officials fear Amundsen-Scott may face the same fate.

The foundation already devotes about $155 million of its $2 billion annual allocation to Antarctic programs, and it will be hard pressed to convince Congress to approve $200 million more to rebuild the outpost.

'If improvements are not made, maintenance cost will keep increasing and at some point, 10 to 20 years, we may need to close the station because of operating cost and safety problems," said Frank Brier, the foundation's facilities manager.

Leftists disrupt service marking Dresden bombing anniversary

By Terrence Petty
Associated Press Writer

DRESDEN, Germany — Ten young leftists disrupted a Sunday prayer service marking the 50th anniversary of Dresden's destruction by British and U.S. bombers, rushing the altar and shouting "Germans were the criminals, not the victims."

Chancellor Helmut Kohl and other dignitaries seated in the cathedral watched in disbelief as the protesters tried to unfurl a banner and tossed leaflets saying that commemorating the Dresden firebombing insults Jews murdered at Auschwitz. Church ushers ejected them after a scuffle.

The disturbance aptly illustrated the moral complexities of paying homage to an estimated 35,000 Germans who died in the air raids that leveled this city on Feb. 13-14, 1945.

Church and government observances portray Dresdeners not as victims of the World War II Allies but of a war begun by their own country.

The anniversary is being observed in lavish style. The German government, snubbed at some Allied commemorations, has never marked a World War II event on such a grand scale.

Britain's Duke of Kent, a cousin of Queen Elizabeth II, arrives today for a wreath-laying ceremony at Dresden's main cemetery, where firebombing victims lie.

American and British diplomats and military brass will also be on hand. Orchestras will play classical requiems. Historians, poets and novelists plan readings and lectures.

But not everyone is happy.

Outside the Dresden Cathedral, a group of Catholics protested that too much attention was being paid to German civilians killed a half century ago — and too little to people dying in Chechnya today.

Unlike the leftists who caused the stir inside the cathedral, these were mainly middle-aged Catholics quietly carrying posters demanding that Kohl tell his friend, Russian President Boris Yeltsin, to leave Chechnya alone.

The demonstrators received icy stares from about 100 Dresdeners waiting to greet Kohl, which was not surprising. Many don't like it when they think someone is trivializing the firebombing.

When a man spotted an elderly woman carrying an anti-Kohl poster. he shouted, "Trample the old cow to death!" Another hollered, "Go to Russia where you belong!" The woman yelled for police as someone grabbed her poster and threw it to the ground.

Dresden was leveled by two formations of British Lancasters during the night of Feb. 13 and by American B-17 bombers in a Feb. 14 daylight raid. The attack has been likened to Hiroshima because of the carnage and civilian casualties.

The British raids unleashed a firestorm that swallowed most of Dresden's famed architectural splendors.

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Tribes see profit in nuclear waste disposal site

By Jeffrey Ulbrich
Associated Press Writer

FLYING DUST INDIAN RESERVE, Saskatchewan — The world's usual response to dealing with nuclear waste is, "Not in my back yard!" Now, some Cree and Dene Indians in northern Saskatchewan are saying, "Why not in our back yard?"

The Meadow Lake Tribal Council, which represents nine Indian communities in the sparsely populated north of this prairie province, is looking at the possibility of profiting from the disposal of nuclear waste.

A 15-year study by Atomic Energy Canada, a federal agency, says waste can be safely stored indefinitely underground in the Canadian Shield, a vast horseshoe of granite embracing Hudson Bay. Most of the Meadow Lake territory lies over the Canadian Shield.

Anti-nuclear activists and many of the Indians' neighbors oppose the idea, and years of hearings, studies and planning would precede any attempt to build a disposal site.

Indian leaders say they could bring in badly needed cash by charging power companies to store nuclear waste and also create jobs for their people. The waste would be sealed in tunnels bored deep into the granite.

"I think we should be commended for doing this," said Oneill Gladue, vice chief of the Tribal Council. "Usually it's government or the nuclear industry that spearhead this kind of thing."

The rationale is that uranium has been mined on Indian land in Saskatchewan for years and they have gotten little out of it. If there is a benefit to putting radioactive material back in the ground, why shouldn't the Cree and the Dene profit from it?

Gladue is quick to stress that nuclear waste disposal is only one part of the council's 20-year economic development plan and may never happen at all if the 7,000 Indians on the nine reserves vote the project down in a referendum.

Members of the Mescalero Apache tribe in New Mexico voted down on Jan. 31 a proposal for temporary storage of nuclear waste on their lands.

Gladue said no vote has been scheduled by the Meadow Lake bands but will be held after further study by the council and discussion among the Indians on the nine reserves.

"I don't think people are quite ready at this point," said Richard Fiddler, chief of the Waterhen Lake Cree band, about 55 miles north of the Flying Dust reserve.

"People, I'd say, are about half and half. They ask, 'Is this safe?' Secondly, they ask what kind of employment will we get out of it."

Jobs is a key issue for the Indians. Unemployment in their communities can be as high as 90 percent in the winter. That drops to 30 percent to 40 percent in the summer, but most of the work is pick-and-shovel. What the Tribal Council wants is quality jobs and saleable skills for the Indians, many of whom live in wretched conditions.

The council estimates 2,000 workers would be needed over a 10-year period to drill out the waste site, with about 600 full-time jobs needed after that. There also would be spinoff opportunities in retail, trucking, restaurants and recreation.

Gladue said there are no detailed estimates yet on how much money the Indians could earn in storage fees. Leaders of the Mescalero Apaches had estimated their tribe would take in $250 million over 40 years for temporarily storing spent nuclear fuel.

The Meadow Lake council's 20-year plan also envisions development in forestry, mining and tourism on the 8.1 million acres that the Indians co-manage with the provincial government.

But what has caught public attention is the prospect of spent nuclear fuel being hauled across Canada, perhaps even from abroad, to northern Saskatchewan.

There is no shortage of opposition to that idea, starting with the provincial government.

"Saskatchewan is not interested in a nuclear waste disposal site," said the province's environment minister, Bernhard Wiens. "We have no nuclear waste here to dispose of. There is no need to be transporting waste across Canada to a disposal site. It adds an environmental risk that is unnecessary."

Nonetheless, 15 percent of Canada's electricity is produced by nuclear reactors, mostly in the east in Ontario and New Brunswick, and the spent fuel will need a home sooner or later.

Town appeals for defense against Russian troops

SERNOVODSK, Russia (AP) — The chief doctor at the hospital in this western Chechen town is desperate to spread the word: Sernovodsk is not harboring any Chechen fighters.

"Tell the world that we are under a great threat today. At any time they could begin bombing," Ali Satulayev said, waving a typewritten appeal to local and Russian officials to spare the town's 12,000 residents and 9,000 refugees.

The appeal was signed by 17 town leaders, from the police chief to a veterans' leader to factory, farm and school directors.

"We have no armed groups at all, nor any kinds of lawbreakers," it said. "The residents of Sernovodsk turn to you ... to defend us from possible arbitrary use of force and outrages by Russian troops ..."

Sernovodsk is rare in western Chechnya in that it has not seen fighting between Russian forces and the Chechen separatists they have been battling for two months.

The town, which is on the rutted main road across Chechnya, has drawn refugees from more volatile corners of the republic, especially the capital, Grozny.

But a report on Russia's state-controlled Vesti news program that Chechen fighters were gathering in Sernovodsk meant an attack was imminent, Satulayev said Saturday.

"It's a provocation," he said. "If they need to, the authorities can send a mission to check — there are no fighters here. Do you see anyone with a gun? If there is one, we'll take care of him ourselves."

Sernovodsk has reason to worry. It is just five miles from Samashky, where clashes between residents and Russian forces have destroyed houses and killed an unknown number of civilians.

Thousands of people have been killed in the war over the breakaway republic, and battles have now shifted from Grozny to Chechen villages. Russian servicemen say the villages harbor fighters.

Russian armored personnel carriers patrol the roads around Sernovodsk, and helicopter gunships buzz it ominously day and night.

"War is war, and today's peaceful population could include fighters tomorrow," said Lt. Col. Vladimir Pugachev, who is stationed at the Russian staging base of Beslan, where the helicopters are based.

Most of the people in Satulayev's full, 40-bed hospital are elderly men and women wounded by shrapnel in the bombing of Grozny.

In one room were five young men recovering from shrapnel wounds who claimed to be Chechen fighters wounded in the capital. Like many villagers across Chechnya, they vowed to resist Russian rule to the death.

"They're all just wounded people," a nurse standing in the doorway said.

Madonna, Michael Jackson should be tried, group says

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Madonna and Michael Jackson are terrorists just as much as people who set off bombs, and should be brought to Pakistan for trial, a small but influential Pakistani religious party demanded Sunday.

The demand appeared to be a reaction to the extradition of Ramzi Yousef, a suspect in the World Trade Center bombing.

"Michael Jackson and Madonna are the torch bearers of American society, their cultural and social values ... that are destroying humanity," said Nematullah Khan, a divisional chief of the anti-American Party of Islam group.

"They are ruining the lives of thousands of Muslims and leading them to destruction, away from their religion, ethics and morality," he said.

"Terrorists are not just those who set off bombs; they are also those who hurt others feelings," he said.

Yousef, described as the mastermind of the World Trade Center bombing, was arrested last week at an Islamabad hotel and brought to New York on a U.S. government plane.

Khan also called on Britain and Sweden to extradite authors Salman Rushdie and Taslima Nasrin, both sentenced to death by fundamentalist Muslims for insulting Islam.

Jamaat-e-Islami typically wins only three or four Parliamentary seats in Pakistan's elections. But political leaders are wary of the group's ability to mobilize public opinion.

It controls thousands of Muslim clerics who wield influence over Pakistan's poor and illiterate, most of whom are devout Muslims.

Many believe Yousef's arrest last week was done quietly because Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto feared a backlash from fundamentalist Muslims.

Khan warned Ms. Bhutto against extraditing Mir Aimal Kansi, suspected of shooting two CIA employees outside the agency's Virginia headquarters in January 1993. Pakistani and American intelligence agents have been searching for Kansi since he entered Pakistan after the shootings.

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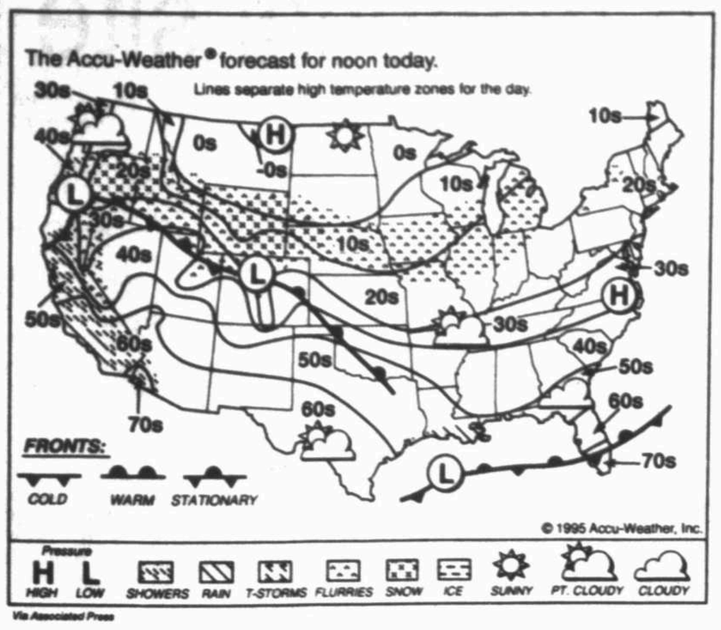
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WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

We'll bounce back to near 70

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high near 70 and southwest winds at 10-15 mph. Tonight should be fair, with increasing cloudiness after midnight, and a low between 45-50, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tuesday should be mostly cloudy with a high in the lower 70s.

After an overnight low of 29, Sunday's high reached 44, compared to the record high for that date of 86 set in 1962. The record low was 14 set in 1963.

STATE

Texans shivered Sunday under mostly cloudy skies. No precipitation was reported as afternoon highs reached only into the 30s or 40s across North and Northwest Texas although Dalhart reported 27 degrees. South and Far West Texas were warmer with 66 degrees reported in Brownsville and El Paso.

Winds were generally from the east to southeast at 5 to 15 miles an hour. However, Guadalupe Pass had gusts to 52 mph and South Texas had winds from the northeast at 5 to 10 mph.

Forecasters said West Texas would clear today with highs around 40 in the Panhandle to near 80 in the Big Bend valleys. Lows Monday night from the low 30s in the Panhandle to the lower 50s in Big Bend. Highs Tuesday from the mid 50s in the Panhandle to near 80 along the Rio Grande.

NATION

A powerful winter storm descended Sunday on the Pacific Northwest with snow and frigid temperatures. Rain continued to fall across the Southeast.

Winter storm warnings were in effect for parts of Washington, Oregon and Idaho as a deepening low pressure system brought harsh conditions.

Snow started falling early in Washington state. By late morning, 6 inches had fallen at Poulsbo, with 4 inches at Bangor.

Nine-inch snow drifts were reported in Port Orchard, Wash., and visibility in Tacoma was restricted to a half mile. In western Washington, Enumclaw reported wind gusts to 80 mph and North Bend had gusts to 55 mph.

The wind chill in Portland fell to minus one and 1 inch of snow was on the ground, with wind gusting to 37 mph. Heavy rain was reported in Tillamook, Ore. and elsewhere along the coast.

Up to 10 inches of snow was forecast in the mountains of Washington and Oregon.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST
Today: partly cloudy, high near 70, southwest winds at 10-15 mph.
Tonight: fair, increasing cloudiness after midnight, low between 45-50.
Tuesday: mostly cloudy, high in the lower 70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	44 degrees
Overnight Low	29 degrees
Sunset today	6:33 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:32 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	.00.11 inches
Year to date	.00.83 inches
LOCAL TEMPERATURES:	
6 p.m.	426 a.m.
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7 p.m.	397 a.m.
35	
8 p.m.	37
8 a.m.	30
9 p.m.	34
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midnight	32noon
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1 a.m.	321 p.m.
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2 a.m.	312 p.m.
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4 a.m.	314 p.m.
41	
5 a.m.	30
5 p.m.	42
6 p.m.	43

Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 6 p.m. CST

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	42	31	
Alpine	66	29	
Amarillo	29	16	
Austin	42	35	.01
Beaumont-Port Arthur	44	34	
Bryan-College Station	46	35	
Corpus Christi	53	43	
Dallas	46	30	
El Paso	67	46	
Fort Worth	44	29	
Galveston	45	38	
Houston	44	38	
Laredo	48	38	
Lubbock	34	22	
Marfa	64	28	
San Angelo	46	32	
San Antonio	42	37	
Victoria	53	41	
Waco	43	32	
Wink	51	31	

Weather elsewhere

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 7 p.m. CST

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	60	36	cdy	
Atlanta	42	26	.08	cdy
Atlantic City	22	16	sn	
Baltimore	24	16	cdy	
Boston	23	11	cdy	
Chicago	16	-02	cdy	
Cincinnati	16	-05	cdy	
Cleveland	14	-01	sn	
Denver	15	07	.15	cdy
Detroit	16	-01	cdy	
Flagstaff	41	31	rn	
Honolulu	77	56	rn	
Indianapolis	18	-01	cdy	
Kansas City	27	06	.02	cdy
Las Vegas	65	45	rn	
Los Angeles	65	54	cdy	
Memphis	32	17	cdy	
Miami Beach	83	70	cdy	
New Orleans	47	35	rn	
New York City	29	10	cdy	
Oklahoma City	27	20	cdy	
Orlando	69	55	.11	cdy
Philadelphia	21	11	sn	
Phoenix	69	49	rn	
Pittsburgh	12	-04	sn	
Reno	52	36	cdy	
Sacramento	58	49	cdy	
St Louis	24	07	cdy	
Salt Lake City	38	30	.29	sn
San Diego	63	53	cdy	
Seattle	37	29	.04	clr
Spokane	20	15	cdy	

Area forecast

Permian Basin-Upper Trans Pecos Today, partly cloudy and warmer. Highs around 70. Tonight, fair early, increasing clouds after midnight. Lows in the 40s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and breezy. High in the lower 70s. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy. Lows in the upper 40s. Wednesday, mostly cloudy. Highs in upper 60s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 30s. Highs in mid- to upper 40s. Friday, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 20s. Highs in the upper 40s. **Concho Valley-Edwards Plateau** — Today, mostly cloudy in the morning, becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon. Highs around 70. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows near 50. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and breezy. Highs in the lower 70s. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy. Lows around 50. Wednesday, mostly cloudy. Highs in the lower 70s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s. Highs near 50. Friday, partly cloudy. Lows around 30. Highs in the lower 50s.

TOURS: Simpson trial jurors visit murder scene

(From 1A)

the victims were cornered," Deputy District Attorney Marcia Clark said.

Later, on the last stop of the day-long tour, Simpson appeared relaxed and happy at his house. As he stood amid the greenery and flowers, he appeared to be showing points of interest to the deputies guarding him.

But after he had gone inside the house for about 10 minutes and strolled around the property with his lawyers, his brow was furrowed and he appeared drained.

Jurors were escorted through Simpson's bedroom, bathroom, closet, kitchen, garage, laundry room and trophy room. They also poked into the room used by former Simpson guest Brian "Kato" Kaelin, a witness in the trial.

Simpson wasn't handcuffed. Authorities wouldn't confirm widespread media reports that he wore a belt that would deliver a disabling jolt of electricity if he tried to escape.

At the end of the day, Ito convened a brief on-the-record court session under a tree on Simpson's estate, and jurors had to turn over their notebooks. Court is in recess until Tuesday, when more testimony is expected from police officers who were at the murder scene.

After leaving the courthouse earlier Sunday, the motorcade of one bus and 13 other vehicles had rolled through downtown Los Angeles and across freeways en route to the upscale Brentwood neighborhood.

Crowds gathered along the way, mostly people out walking their dogs or riding bikes on the sunny morning.

As the jury bus passed, people were calm and didn't shout. Many people snapped photographs or videotaped their brush with the trial of the century. There were a few waves — and a few signs.

A man who was giving out orange juice was told to remove his sign that read: "Free O.J."

"This is incredible," said police Officer Art Holmes. "People are pretty much dumbfounded by what's happening here today. I don't think anyone's ever seen anything like this as a result of a court case."

Security was tight: 250 police officers were working in Brentwood, many on overtime, police said. Streets were barricaded, airspace was restricted to keep news helicopters at a distance and some residents were escorted by police to their homes.

The tour came during the prosecution's presentation of evidence against Simpson. It was intended to give jurors a firsthand look at locations that have or will come up in trial.

The first stop was Goldman's apartment, where the bus stopped for about two minutes. Jurors didn't get out.

The caravan then traveled past Mezzaluna, the restaurant where Goldman worked and Ms. Simpson ate dinner hours before her death.

Then it was on to Ms. Simpson's condominium. Police have reported finding Simpson's blood there, as well as a bloody glove and a knit hat.

Prosecutors allege Simpson returned home after committing the murders, dripping blood along the driveway and dropping behind a guest house the mate to the glove found at the murder scene.

During a brief morning court session, lawyers made last-minute arguments about the trip's details.

Jurors were not allowed to ask questions or to touch anything. Signs posted at certain points would explain the relevance of what they saw.

Deputy District Attorney Cheri Lewis wanted to make sure jurors would not be allowed to linger in Simpson's trophy room, which prosecutors contend is "highly prejudicial."

GRAMM: Senator defends anti-abortion group donation

(From 1A)

money in general voter-education and voter turnout efforts, but not to promote individual candidates.

The Post quoted Right to Life Committee officials as saying there was no relationship between the donation and more than $100,000 spent by the group's political action committee, or PAC, on behalf of Republican Senate candidates in the final days of the campaign.

Asked whether the donation might have been used to skirt campaign funding laws, Gramm said: "It's a technicality but both parties engage in it."

"Clearly, we made a judgment that where we had a lot of close races and where we had pro-life candidates, that activism on behalf of the pro-life cause would help our candidates. The Democrats made exactly the opposite judgment in terms of the investment of their money," he said.

"The law says very clearly that we can contribute to promote activism among groups but we can't pair that activism with our candidates," he said.

"We must have done a pretty good job," he concluded, noting that all 11 new senators this year are Republicans.

Gramm, who is seeking the 1996 Republican presidential nomination, said he expected an anti-abortion plank to remain part of the Republican platform, although there's no unity within the party on the issue.

"We're going to have to define our vision broadly so people on both sides of the issue can consider themselves Republican," he said.

Gramm said his running mate would have to share his conservative philosophy, but that he would not set out parameters on what items might exclude someone as a candidate.

His statement was in response a declaration by Ralph Reed of the Christian Coalition that evangelical Christians and anti-abortion Catholics would reject a Republican ticket where either candidate favored abortion rights.

POETS: Reactions range from skepticism to curoisity

(From 1A)

Done: The Marriage of Elizabeth Barrett and Robert Browning," (Alfred A. Knopf, $30), was published Friday. It was written by Julia Markus, head of the creative writing program at Hofstra University in Hempstead, N.Y.

It begins the same way as the couple's courtship.

"I love your verses with all my heart, dear Miss Barrett," began Browning's first ardent missive, dated Jan. 10, 1845. He was 32. She was 38.

Five months later he made his first furtive visit to her sick room. A teen-age spinal injury and the trauma of her brother's death had left Barrett an invalid.

Fifteen months later, the couple secretly married and fled to Italy, where they had a son and lived for 15 years until Barrett died.

"There was something very romantic and daring about what they did," said Vincent Petronella, president of the Browning Society of Boston and a professor of English at the University of Massachusetts at Boston.

Markus argues that African ancestry could help explain why Barrett's father, whose family owned plantations in Jamaica, forbade his 11 children from marrying: he wanted to end his own bloodline.

"In England they started to blame the colonial families for the horrors of slavery ... I think he became very embittered," Markus said in an interview. "He also had a Christian consciousness in his own way. And he had a great deal of shame."

If Barrett believed her father's father was the son of a British planter and one of his slaves, it sheds light on her strong stances against slavery, political tyranny and sexism, Markus said.

It certainly would change readings of her abolitionist poem, "The Runaway Slave," in which a slave woman impregnated by her master kills her son because he looks white.

Markus bases her theory on Barrett's own references to her appearance, and well-documented cases of mixed-race offspring in her extended family and colonial Jamaica.

"I am 'little & black' like Sappho," Barrett wrote to painter Benjamin Robert Haydon, before describing her dark complexion, dark hair and full lips.

In one letter to Browning, Barrett talks about having "the blood of the slave! — Cursed are we from generation to generation."

Early reactions from Browning experts ranged from skepticism to curiosity.

REPEL: Foster's selection dominates TV news shows

(From 4A)

poorly and it shows incompetence," said former Vice President Dan Quayle.

While his selection dominated TV news shows in Washington, Foster attended church at home in Nashville, Tenn., and asked the congregation to pray for him. The Rev. Sherman Tribble's sermon at First Baptist Church deplored "the high-tech lynching" of public servants.

Foster, who built a reputation battling teen-age pregnancy, at first said he had performed fewer than a dozen abortions. After reviewing his records from Tennessee, he corrected the statement to say he had performed 39 abortions and supervised a drug trial in which 55 more women ended pregnancies. Foster has not said whether he performed abortions before moving from Alabama to Tennessee in the 1970s.

The White House complicated the matter by telling a key senator that Foster had performed just one abortion. Panetta blamed the mix-up partly on allowing the Department of Health and Human Services — not the White House — conduct the early background check on Foster. "That shouldn't happen," he said.

A week after Foster's selection, reporters learned that he had performed the hysterectomies on retarded women. With support from independent doctors, the White House argued that the procedure was accepted medical practice at the time.

But the steady drip of revelations gave Republicans the opportunity to oppose the nomination without seeming to wade into the divisive abortion debate.

"This is a litmus test not on abortion. This is a litmus test on the truth," Sen. Dan Coats, R-Ind., said Sunday.

Although he objected to the abortions, Quayle emphasized the White House's failure to get Foster's record clear. "They've just basically hung Dr. Foster out to dry," he said.

The White House and its supporters said Republicans are pawns of abortion opponents who want to make abortions a disqualifier for government appointments.

SIBLINGS: Suicide's children went to edge

(From 1A)

three weeks before, on Jan. 15, when the San Diego Chargers upset the Pittsburgh Steelers to go to the Super Bowl. Doug and Debbie's father, Dwain Painter, coached the Chargers' quarterbacks.

Diane and Dwain had divorced three years earlier after a 30-year marriage that took them across the country and back following coaching jobs.

She never really got over it. And after the Chargers' victory, she called her mother to lament that she deserved to be with Dwain at his greatest moment, instead of his girlfriend. After all, she had dedicated much of her life to his career. It just wasn't fair.

Then Diane, a 52-year-old gym teacher, went to the garage of her Bellevue, Pa., home, started the engine of her car and died of carbon monoxide poisoning. After watching his father's team win, Doug returned to find his mother's body.

"I love you all, please forgive me. Diane," was all the suicide note on the kitchen table said.

Dwain had left Diane when he lost his job with the Steelers and signed on with the Indianapolis Colts, said Diane's brother, Bill Pugsley.

The kids "were more sympathetic toward her," he said. "They were a little closer to their mother, but they were on good terms with their dad."

In fact, Doug had flown out to San Diego in early January to be with his father when the Chargers beat Miami in the playoffs.

Doug had just graduated from Penn State the month before; he had had a part-time job videotaping Nittany Lions football practices and games, and often spoke proudly about his father to his friends.

Debbie was especially close to her mother, and sought counseling after the suicide. They had talked for hours on the telephone ever since Debbie moved to California and started a resume writing business out of her home.

Diane had often flown out to visit Debbie and her husband, Mark, and dote on their 18-month-old baby boy, Taylor.

Each time, they'd take a four-hour drive up the coast to Mendocino, a charming Victorian village perched on the edge of the Pacific. They had just been there over Christmas vacation, two weeks before Diane's death.

Father, son and daughter were reunited for Diane's memorial service. Dwain went on to Miami for the Super Bowl (his team was crushed by the San Francisco 49ers); neither Doug nor Debbie wanted to go.

Instead, Debbie flew to California, and Doug promised to follow. They would console each other, and maybe Doug could find a job. He left his pet python, Shakespeare, with his aunt and uncle and set off with his mother's ashes.

On the edge of the wet rocks, Doug and Debbie strained to sprinkle the ashes into the frothing water 20 feet below. They gripped a 10-foot-high rock wall to the left, just a few feet from a 25-foot-deep, 3-foot-wide crevasse to the right. The surfaces were as sharp and craggy as broken glass.

Nearby, a rock formation towered offshore, like a crude castle surrounded on one side by a moat, the other by the open sea.

Waves from the ocean would break at the rock, split and join on the other side. Swirling and heaving, the water level rose h'gher and higher, closer and closer to Doug and Debbie.

Then came the killer wave.

Up and over the rocks it came, knocking Doug down, dragging him out. He told rescuers later that he thought Debbie had jumped in to try to save him, but she might have been carried off by the same wave.

The water was a bone-chilling 50 degrees. It bashed brother and sister into the rocks and dragged them out again, bashed them in, dragged them out.

Finally, after about 20 minutes, Doug was washed up onto the rocks and crawled away. He heard Debbie's cries from the deep crevasse below. With shredded hands, he reached for her, but she was too far away. Stripping off his soaked blue pants, he lowered them as a rope. But they were too short.

He climbed in after her and tried to lift her out. But another series of waves battered them into the rocks.

"By that time, he was too tired to hold on to his sister anymore. By the time he got back to her, she was pretty well beat up. He was still trying to pull her out the best he could," said Pugsley, who talked to Doug by telephone in the hospital.

"He said he could couldn't hold on anymore."

They were both swept out of the crevasse again, but Doug managed to get back to the rocks. And his sister was nowhere in sight.

As Doug stood there, bleeding from head to toe, the sun began to set and the puffy white clouds turned pink. He staggered alone back to the bluff; the raging water had stripped him naked.

A passer-by, Joy Verner, feared him at first, but quickly realized his distress. She covered him with her jacket and sat down with him on a log. She kept her arm around him to try to warm him until emergency crews arrived.

"She's dead. She's dead. I know she's dead," Doug told Mendocino volunteer firefighter Danny Hervilla.

He was dazed and confused when asked where he had last seen his sister, but finally pointed to the rocks.

"I'm gonna die," he said over and over. "I'm gonna die."

Doug told rescuers he had been battling the surf for more than an hour, but maybe it only seemed that long. He was taken to the hospital and treated for hypothermia; he stayed for three days while his shredded limbs and the gash on his forehead were treated.

Debbie's body was found by the U.S. Coast Guard helicopter the next morning, floating about a half-mile off shore.

PUSHES: Mexico troops patrol brush

(From 1A)

the southern state of Chiapas after President Ernesto Zedillo announced Thursday that he had ordered the arrest of top rebel leaders, including the ski-masked Zapatista spokesman, Subcomandante Marcos.

Zedillo said authorities had discovered that the Zapatistas "were preparing new acts of violence and terrorism in the state and other parts of the republic."

One military officer was killed by an unidentified gunman after the army began its advance on Thursday.

On Sunday, in the isolated village of Nueva Providencia, helicopters landed and soldiers patrolled the brush that has been Zapatista territory for most of the past year.

Some peasants in the village, about 90 miles east of San Cristobal, said they decided to stay.

"If the army is going to kill us, better that they kill us in our own homes," said Hernando Vazquez Hernandez.

The Zapatistas began fighting on Jan. 1, 1994, demanding rights and services for the region's impoverished Indians. More than 145 people were killed before a cease-fire was declared 12 days later.

The guns have been silent since then, but peace talks have faltered and Zedillo has come under increasing pressure by the military and investors to resolve the conflict, which has been blamed in part for the nation's financial crisis.

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Israel, PLO pledge to proceed with Palestinian self-rule on West Bank

WASHINGTON (AP) — As President Clinton intervened to bolster Mideast peace talks, Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization pledged on Sunday to overcome their stalemate and proceed with expanded Palestinian self-rule on the West Bank.

The pledge was taken by Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and Nabil Shaath, an adviser to PLO chairman Yasser Arafat, at an unannounced meeting with Secretary of State Warren Christopher, who then disclosed the results at the White House.

"Both made clear that there would be no turning back from the search for peace,,' said Christopher. "Both expressed their determination to work together to overcome the challenges that the Israelis and the Palestinians currently face."

He tempered his remarks, however, to say no one was under any "illusion" that there would not be difficulty concluding this phase of the Israel-PLO self-rule agreement.

"We are at a critical moment in the peace process," Clinton said as he presided at a meeting of the Israeli, Jordanian and Egyptian foreign ministers and Shaath of the PLO at Blair House.

"What we have to do now is to have specific achievements, lasting achievements," Clinton said.

The three-hour meeting produced an agreement to establish new industrial free-trade zones in the region, and the president said he would clear the way for exports from those zones to enter the United States duty-free.

A joint communique issued at the end of the meeting said "there can be no real peace in the region without security and stability."

Negotiations between Israel and the PLO have ground to a standstill over in a wave of attacks by Muslim fundamentalists and Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin's decision to seal off Gaza, the origin of much of the violence.

Christopher acknowledged that the one-day meeting did not provide a solution. "There was no understanding or conclusion reached on that subject," he said at a news conference.

However, Christopher reported a productive three-way meeting with Peres and Shaath before the Blair House talks.

He said the Palestinians had promised "to preempt terror" and Israel to promptly negotiate redeployment of its troops and to hold elections among the Palestinians.

Christopher called it "a very significant step" that sets the stage for productive talks later in the week between Rabin and Arafat.

On another touchy subject, Christopher said Israel had promised not to build any new settlements on the West Bank, confiscate land or use public funds to assist Jewish settlers in the territory.

Christopher, summing up the day, said that "beyond the continued violence ... there still lies the opportunity to secure what President Clinton once called a quiet miracle of a normal life,"

Quoting Arafat, Clinton told the assembled ministers and other officials: "We cannot allow (rising terrorism) to kill the Palestinian dream."

Clinton sat at the head of a long, polished table in the Garden Room of Blair House, the presidential guest quarters across Pennsylvania Avenue from the White House.

Attending the one-day conference were Peres, Amre Moussa of Egypt, Karim al-Kabariti of Jordan and Shaath.

Christopher presided, with Russian Deputy Foreign Minister Viktor Posuvalyuk representing his government. To help give the meeting a high profile, Vice President Al Gore and national security adviser Anthony Lake joined in the opening.

Implicitly urging Rabin to reverse the order, Clinton said "even though we must have enhanced security," boycotts and closures impair efforts to improve economic relations.

In Jerusalem, meanwhile, Israeli Industry Minister Micha Harish and Palestinian Economics Minister Ahmed Oureia announced plans to build a half-dozen industrial parks along the West Bank and Gaza borders. This will help provide some replacement jobs for Palestinians.

But, Clinton said, "We are not going to let the peace process collapse. Today it is for us to begin to take the specific steps necessary to have the message of peace and renewed commitment carried out."

He urged all sides to take advantage of the accords Israel has signed with Egypt, Jordan and the PLO, suggesting they set up industrial free trade zones in the West Bank and Gaza. He pledged to support them by asking Congress to remove duties on imports from the zones.

"I want to do our part," Clinton said. "We need to move as quickly as we can to prove there are economic benefits to peace."

Clinton began the day by attending services at Foundry United Methodist Church about a half-mile from the White House with his wife, Hillary, and daughter, Chelsea.

Police use care in triple murder case

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A bitter divorce involving a professional football star. Allegations of assault. The taint of drug-trafficking charges against a third person. And then a bloody multiple murder.

No arrests have been made, and police are being meticulous, partly because of the example of the O.J. Simpson trial.

The case involves the family of Bennie Thompson, a former New Orleans Saints player now with the Cleveland Browns. He has offered a $5,000 reward for information leading to the killer.

The bullet-riddled body of Thompson's ex-wife, Tangie Thompson, 28, was found Feb. 5 in her upscale home. Also killed were her fiance, Andrew White, 30, and the Thompsons' 3-year-old son Devyn.

Thompson's lawyers issued a statement Friday saying he "is deeply distraught by any suggestion that he is in any way responsible for these brutal killings."

They said they have telephone records and other evidence that will verify where he was at the time the murders are thought to have happened.

Relatives found the victims in Tangie Thompson's two-story brick home in east New Orleans, a newer section that grew in recent decades as the upwardly mobile fled the city's troubles.

They found blood on the back door and the bodies in the den. Each victim had multiple gunshot wounds, even the little boy; police won't say how many times they were shot.

The victims were not bound. There was no sign of struggle or forced entry.

On Saturday, about 300 mourners filed past Devyn Thompson's tiny casket, flanked by a wreath of flowers shaped like a football helmet. Thompson placed a signed football in his son's coffin.

Thompson was flanked by a protective guard of uniformed police officers; he has received telephone threats and someone destroyed his mail box.

In a deposition 10 months ago, Thompson said he would be willing to go to jail for killing his wife if it took that to keep his son away from bad company. The divorce became final in July, before the deposition was filed in court.

Thompson did not say who he meant, but a statement issued later by his lawyers said he was worried about his son being around his ex-wife's fiance, who had a record of drug arrests.

The lawyers released a 1990 police report of White's arrest for allegedly selling crack in the neighborhood where the bodies were found. The charges were dismissed.

White also was arrested outside Lake Charles in 1992 with $1.2 million worth of cocaine in his car. He claimed he was unaware of the stash in a spare tire compartment, and a jury acquitted him.

The Thompsons applied for temporary restraining orders against each other, with both saying they feared for their safety.

Despite the acrimony, a settlement was worked out, including payments of $7,000 a month in alimony and $5,343 a month in child support.

A hearing had been set for later this month on Thompson's request to lower the amount.

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Together in space holds true promise

Their voices told the entire story last week as two spaceships - one manned by Americans, the other by Russians - linked up for the first U.S. -Russian rendezvous in 20 years.

"Unbelievable," enthused Discovery commander James Wetherbee.

The Russian Mir station commander, Alexander Viktorenko, exclaimed, "Almost like a fairy tale."

It was an exciting moment that, in the words of Wetherbee, brought the spaceships - and the nations that rocketed them into space - closer together. But it wasn't the first time that Russian and American space explorers had expressed excitement about a joint mission or maneuver. It simply had been awhile - 20 years.

The docking brought back good, vivid memories of the 1960's and 1970's NASA moon missions and spacewalks that titillated television viewers around the world and gave mankind the vision of a world that truly could be better and where people of different nations could put their human differences aside and live peacefully with one another.

The world of 1995 is not like the world of the 1960's or 1970's. Today we still have challenges - and differences - but no longer the Cold War tensions. Today there seems to be a real likelihood that Russians and Americans can work side by side in an atmosphere of peace and harmony not only in the heavens above Earth, but right here on terra firma.

Yes, last week's rendezvous in space was an exciting event and it seems to point toward a tomorrow in which we can truly work together for the benefit of all mankind.

That truly would be a bright tomorrow!

Today in History

Today is Monday, Feb. 13, the 44th day of 1995. There are 321 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

Sixty years ago, on Feb. 13, 1935, a jury in Flemington, N.J., found Bruno Richard Hauptmann guilty of first-degree murder in the kidnap-death of the infant son of Charles and Anne Lindbergh. Hauptmann was later executed.

On this date:

In 1542, the fifth wife of England's King Henry VIII, Catherine Howard, was executed for adultery.

In 1633, Italian astronomer Galileo Galilei arrived in Rome for trial before the Inquisition.

In 1635, the oldest public school in the United States, the Boston Public Latin School, was founded.

In 1795, 200 years ago, the University of North Carolina became the first U.S. state university to open its doors to students.

In 1914, the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, known as ASCAP, was founded in New York.

In 1920, the League of Nations recognized the perpetual neutrality of Switzerland.

In 1945, 50 years ago, during World War II, the Soviets captured Budapest, Hungary, from the Germans.

In 1945, Allied planes began bombing the German city of Dresden.

In 1960, France exploded its first atomic bomb, in the Sahara Desert.

In 1980, opening ceremonies were held in Lake Placid, N.Y., for the 13th Winter Olympics.

In 1984, Konstantin Chernenko was chosen to be general secretary of the Soviet Communist Party's Central Committee, succeeding the late Yuri Andropov.

In 1988, the 15th winter Olympics opened in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

Ten years ago: President Reagan and King Fahd of Saudi Arabia concluded two days of meetings by issuing a communique saying a stable Middle East peace had to provide security "for all states in the area" and recognize the rights of the Palestinian people.

Five years ago: The United States and its European allies forged agreement with the Soviet Union and East Germany during an "open skies" conference in Ottawa on a two-stage formula to reunite Germany.

One year ago: At the Winter Olympic Games in Lillehammer, Norway, American Tommy Moe won the men's downhill, defeating local hero Kjetil Andre Aamodt by four one-hundredths of a second.

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JACK ANDERSON

Pressler battles PBS for Barney, Big Bird

WASHINGTON — Sen. Larry Pressler, R-S.D., finds himself bruised and battered in his battle with Big Bird and Barney.



Anderson

As the new chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, Pressler holds legislative sway over some of the most powerful corporate executives in America. But he can't seem to get his arms around the cuddly children's characters who have come to symbolize the opposition to his plan to cut taxpayer support for public broadcasting.

"My message isn't getting through very well," a clearly frustrated Pressler told us. "All they say is I want to cut or kill Barney. That's not true at all."

Pressler apparently underestimated the willingness of the Public Broadcasting Service — and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting — to engage in trench warfare in defense of the $285 million it receives from the taxpayers each year. Although the subsidy represents a mere 14 percent of public broadcasting's revenue — and .02 percent of the federal budget — the battle of Barney v. Pressler has become an unwelcome imbroglio for GOP budget cutters.

PBS fans, officials and employees at some of the 1,000 TV and radio stations that depend on the subsidy are not taking Pressler's assault lying down. The Swan Lake set are not intending Pressler's attack to be any swan song for them.

"Pressler is trying to treat a case of a little dandruff here and there with decapitation," one PBS official told our associate Dale Van Atta.

Responding to his critics, Pressler says he's simply been misunderstood. His plan would not kill public broadcasting, he says, simply remove the taxpayer subsidy in favor of new revenue sources.

"They (PBS) have a treasure trove of profits that the taxpayers could get relief by getting a percentage of," Pressler says. Among other things, Pressler wants public broadcasting to recoup some of the profits generated by the marketing and merchandising of PBS characters such as Barney, the popular purple dinosaur. "The point I'm making is there's some creative ways of having it be self supporting."

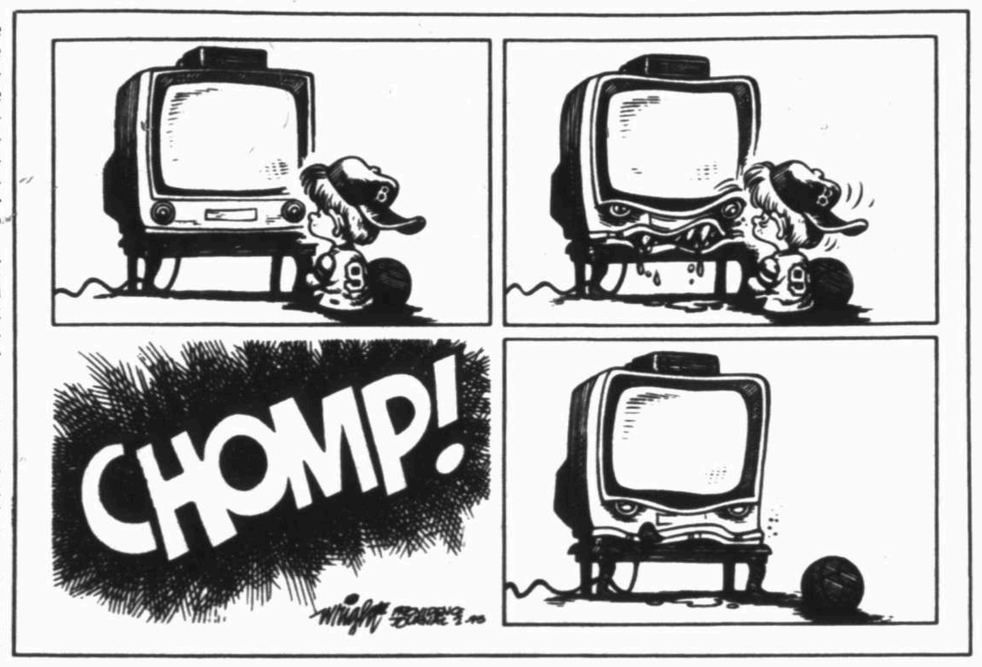
With polls showing PBS enjoying 70 percent public support, Pressler has his work cut out for him. Some of his critics believe he is playing fast and loose with the truth as he tries to make his case.

PBS officials predict that Pressler will find some of the stiffest criticism coming from his own backyard — his constituents in South Dakota. Support for public broadcasting is strong there, and federal funding is a vital lifeline for the tiny radio and television stations there. As one PBS official put it: "The scorpion's own tail is going to come around and sting him." Not so, says Pressler, who believes South Dakota stations will get more funding under his plan.

While Pressler gripes about the lavish programming budgets of some of the big-market public stations, public broadcasting officials say such complaints are shortsighted. Ninety percent of PBS funds go directly to the 1,000 TV and radio stations, most of which are rural. Big city stations may get less than 4 percent of their budget from the feds, while rural ones may get up to 40 percent of their revenue from the government. If Pressler succeeds, the first to black out may be the small stations with no other options.

"We've got four of the poorest counties in the nation here, and one of the highest percentages of working mothers in the nation," a television executive in South Dakota told a top PBS official. "They depend on 'Sesame Street' to train day care workers and give those kids in day care a chance to learn to read, give them a little bit of a head start."

Jack Anderson's and Michael Binstein's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



MIKE ROYKO

Baseball players should listen to president

And here we are for "Sports Yak-Yak," your favorite round-the-clock sports radio call-in show. This is your host, Billy Babble, and our first call is from Joe in Cicero.

"Hey, how you guys doin', yo?"

Hey, We're doin' great Joe, and how you doin'?



Royko

"I'm doin' great, and how you guys doin'?"

We already answered that, Joe.

"Oh, yeah, I forgot."

So, what's on your mind, Joe, yo?

"Yeah, what's the deal with the president, hey?"

Hey, great question, Joe. So what is the deal?

"Yeah, well he said he was gonna do sump'n about the baseball strike, right?"

Hey, you got it Joe, that's what he said, yo.

"Yeah, well, so I'm waitin' for it to end and for spring training to start, but now, nothin'. You know what I mean, nothin', right?"

Hey, you got that right, Joe. Nothin' sums it up as well as I've heard anyone put it. You put your finger right on the problem.

"Yeah, so the president says he wants them to play ball, so how come they ain't playin' ball? I mean, hey, don't nobody listen to the president no more?"

That's what it looks like, Joe. Makes you wonder what this country is coming to.

"Yeah, hey, I mean there were no baseball strikes when Abe Lincoln was president, right?"

No way, Joe, no way. They knew they couldn't mess around with Abe. He was an all-time great, you know. If old Abe could have a war to free the slaves, imagine what he would have done if baseball went on strike, yo.

"Yeah, hey, and if he hadn't freed the slaves, we wouldn't have no NBA now and we wouldn't have had no three-peat with Michael. What a great guy."

You mean Abe Lincoln?

"No, I mean Michael. So how come they ain't listening to President Clinton, yo? When we had that World War II and we needed an army, Teddy Roosevelt told guys to come down and sign up for a draft and they listened, hey."

Right, but I think that was Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

"Yeah, well I knew it was one of those brothers. So if guys give up their day jobs and miss their bowling leagues to go into the Army because the president says so, how come they don't listen when he tells them to play baseball? I mean, baseball pays better than the Army, right?"

You got that right, Joe. It makes you wonder what happened to patriotism "So what about the FBI, hey?"

That's a great question, Joe, and I've been wondering myself. What about the FBI?

"Yeah, well the president is in charge of the FBI, ain't he?"

That's what I always thought, Joe, so I think you're right. You sure keep up with current events.

"Then how come the president can't send the FBI to find the baseball players and make them play ball? I mean, if the FBI can catch bank robbers, they ought to be able to round up the ballplayers, know what I mean?"

Sounds good to me, Joe.

"Yeah. And the president is the commander in chief of the Army, too, ain't he, yo? So why can't he have the Army help the FBI round these guys up? If we can send an army to Haiti, which don't even have a farm team, why can't we send an army to spring training, yo?"

Yo, I got you Joe, and I don't know why. But everybody seems to be ignoring the president.

"Hey, and I think I know why. These players all make big bucks, right?"

You got it, Joe. Very big bucks. I hate to say it, but sometimes I suspect baseball is mostly a business.

"And the owners got big bucks, too. So the way I figure it, people who got big bucks are usually Republicans, right?"

Well, I hate to stereotype people, Joe, but you never know.

"Right, so if they're all Republicans, then they probably don't listen to Clinton because I think he's a Democrat, yo."

Joe, I think you're on to something. Now that you mention it, I think Clinton is a Democrat, although I should probably check on that with our news department.

"Then the way he could solve this problem is pretty simple. If he wants a baseball season, he should change parties and turn into a Republican, hey."

Yo, Joe, I think you've put your other finger right on the solution.

"And it would help if the owners would stop yapping about vegetable salads. I don't know what vegetable salads got to do with baseball."

What vegetable salad is that, Joe?

"This stuff about celery crap. That's all they talk about, celery crap, celery crap. I happen to like celery with salt on it. Maybe they don't have good teeth."

No, Joe, I think it's a salary cap.

"Yeah, that's what I said. Anyway, you're doin' a great job, yo."

You, too, Joe, yo.

"Yeah, by the way, what happened to Lincoln? Is he retired or what?"

I'm afraid he's dead, Joe.

"No kiddin'? That just goes to show a politician's never around when you need him."

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Letters

People, companies willing to help in crisis

A family's home was destroyed by fire a couple of weeks ago, and I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to the many people who helped the family get a new start. I was shocked to see just how many people and companies are still willing to come to the aid of a complete stranger in times of true need.

I would like to express my thanks to several people in particular. Of course, there can never be enough thanks given to the men on the city fire department who risk their lives every time they battle a fire. Then there are the extraordinary citizens of this community such as Mr. and Mrs. Welton Moore who were more than generous to open their home to the family until they could move to another place. A special thanks to David Donnell and Southwest Realtors who so generously donated a place for them to move into, as well as giving many household items. Thanks also to Walmart of Midland for donating the paint to help make the place a little more livable. It is good to see that there are still companies out there that realize that money is not the most important thing in life!

A special word of thanks to the Red Cross for such quick action and comforting words, and to the Salvation Army for the food and household articles they supplied the family. It's so important to know that there are support groups that we can all count on in times of crisis! To the parents and students of Parker Elementary who put a box in the school for clothing and household items, I want to say that your response to this tragedy was overwhelming and more than generous.

Again, to all of you, thank you for being there! You make the world a better place!

Juanita Schramko
Crisis Intervention Unit
Volunteer
Midland County Sheriff's Department

Gays shouldn't serve in military due to AIDS

There has been a lot of comment about gays being in the military. In the past couple of years, gays have been beaten or killed because of what they are. Gays should not be in the military because they are a threat to our environment. Because of diseases like AIDS.

Some people would say that gays should be in the military because this is a free country. I don't believe that. I've read five or six magazine articles and many people agree on this point. Therefore, it is my opinion, that homosexuals should not be in the military.

One of many examples for gays not being in the military is gay bashing. A homosexual sailor named Schindler was beaten to death on a Navy boat. The man who killed Schindler was 6'9" and 220 pounds. The story said that Schindler came up to the sailor in the restroom, grabbed himself, then touched the sailor. The sailor then punched him, kicked him and then stepped on his throat. My point is that not many people like gays and therefore things are going to happen like that.

Michael Marquez
Midland

Mass killings of elite must not be forgotten

Concerning Auschwitz: The mass killings in Germany during World War II must not be forgotten.

These killings were unique in that they occurred in a highly educated, sophisticated society. It was not barbaric in that it was not disorderly and random.

These killings involved the medical, political and social elite of society and involved organized, advanced techniques for killing people and processing their body parts for commercial products.

Professor Robert Lifton made this profound statement in his book "The Nazi Doctors, Medical Killing and the Psychology of Genocide:"

"At the heart of the Nazi enterprise, then, is the destruction of the boundary between healing and killing."

We must not forget...it could happen again.

Mark T. Mosely
Midland

White House trys to increase distinction between itself, Republicans on key issues

WASHINGTON (AP) — Forty working days into Washington's new political divide, the White House finally is setting out to draw sharper distinctions between itself and Republicans in Congress on key issues such as welfare and crime.

But President Clinton's chosen themes sound a lot like those that Republicans turned into a midterm election sweep, which could still leave the dividing lines a little blurry.

Both sides are telling voters: Count us tough on crime, bullish on work, strong on families, steady for democracy.

White House aides say Clinton is ready to strike a more confrontational tone in trying to differentiate his positions as Republicans begin to fashion specific legislation to carry out their campaign "Contract With America."

On Saturday, for example, Clinton flung out his first veto threat to the new Congress, pledging to fight any effort to repeal key parts of the last year's crime bill.

Clinton is angling for a stronger voice in the national debate as the GOP congressional majority marches its legislative agenda forward with nary a glance back.

Democrats welcome Clinton's effort to become more assertive and say he has a good opportunity to expose GOP fault lines and win back the allegiance of Americans.

On crime, for example, "That issue's up for grabs and the Republicans have chosen the wrong fork in the road," said Democratic pollster Mark Mellman. "We have a chance to claim that issue as our own."

Republicans counter that Democrats long ago missed their moment to champion crimefighting and welfare and warn that Clinton risks alienating liberals if he pushes too hard.

"Democrats have had their chance to demonstrate they're tough on work, tough on crime and tough on welfare, and basically took a pass," said Republican pollster Neil Newhouse. "Voters want to give Republicans a shot now. And this me-too-ism by Democrats, I don't think voters buy into that argument."

Some analysts disagree, saying Clinton is wise to try to play on the Republicans' turf.

"Clinton made a judgment that he'd rather have a seat at the table and get some credit for the downsizing of government that's going to go on," said GOP political consultant Jeff Bell.

Expect the partisan divisions between the White House and the GOP Congress to sharpen this week, particularly in these four areas:

■ CRIME: Last year's hard-fought battle over the crime bill is now in re-runs as Republicans move to shift millions of dollars from crime prevention to prison construction for states that toughen penalties on violent offenders. Clinton is trying to make the debate a referendum on his goal of adding 100,000 police to the streets, saying the Republicans would take money away from crime fighters and give local politicians too much leeway to misuse it.

■ WELFARE: Each side is trying to paint itself as tougher on work and more sensitive to children, with Democrats starting to escalate their attacks. Clinton has tried to make himself a player, but the momentum is clearly with the Republicans, who plan votes this week in a Ways and Means subcommittee. The main GOP plan would bar cash aid to teen-age mothers, end the guarantee of benefits for all eligible Americans, and drop most legal immigrants from the welfare rolls. Clinton would deny benefits only to families in which parents refused to work or get training. White House press secretary Mike McCurry said Democrats think the GOP proposals are "a little too soft on work." Republicans argue the opposite.

■ EDUCATION: In the rivalry between competing tax-cut plans, Clinton argues that his tax package is the fairest to working families because it offers deductions for college tuition and training expenses. In addition, Clinton would allow IRA deductions for higher education costs. Republicans counter that even without tuition deductions, their plans would be fairer to families because they offer more expansive deductions for children. Clinton plans to highlight the differences in a speech Tuesday in San Francisco.

Affirmative action issue likely to appear on California ballot next year, some say

By Ann Bancroft
Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Firefighter Ray Batz calls himself a liberal Democrat and says he's voted Democratic since John F. Kennedy ran for president. But when it comes to affirmative action he veers more toward Rush Limbaugh than Jesse Jackson.

It's unfair, he says.

"I've watched my department become demoralized, downgraded, debased, demeaned," Batz said recently of the San Francisco Fire Department. "Everybody falls into one or even more than one protected class. That is, everybody except white males."

"We're hiring tiny women. Size is no longer a criterion" for firefighters, Batz said. Diversity "doesn't carry grandma down the stairs in the middle of the night."

The issue likely will appear on the California ballot next year in the form of a plan to end race or sex preferences in hiring government workers. It could be as divisive as last year's Proposition 187, which stripped illegal immigrants of many government benefits.

The GOP-backed Proposition 187 became a major issue in California's 1994 campaigns, and was overwhelmingly passed by voters during a general rout of Democrats.

The initiative to end preferences in state hiring and college admissions has not yet qualified for the ballot. First it must pass a legal test from the attorney general's office, and then gather more than 600,000 signatures.

But both sides are already acting as if it will appear on the November 1996 ballot.

"This is one of the most significant attacks on our rights that has come through our state in recent history," said Elizabeth Toledo, California president of the National Organization for Women.

Public opinion polls say Californians oppose race- or gender-based preferential treatment in schools and the workplace. And most voters are white and conservative.

But Democrats have long championed affirmative action, and risk alienating minorities and women if they drop their support.

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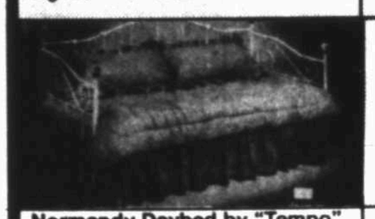
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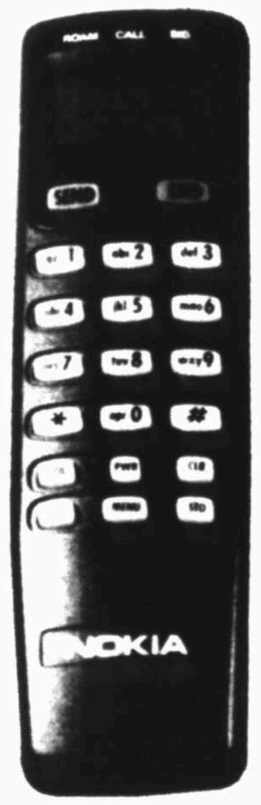
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Republican front-runners for presidency square off early in Congress

By Jill Lawrence
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON — Sens. Bob Dole and Phil Gramm have White House ambitions and an intense longstanding rivalry that propels presidential politics squarely into the legislative arena.

Perhaps a half-dozen people may run for the 1996 Republican nomination. But only between Dole and Gramm are the tensions already palpable.

In his role as Senate majority leader, Dole is trying to maintain a difficult balance between the national interest and the interests of conservative Republican primary voters.

The risk for the veteran Kansas senator is that they'll view him as "the guy negotiating with the arch-enemy (President Clinton) to water down the Republican revolution," as one GOP strategist put it.

A runaway front-runner in national polls at this early stage, Dole is trying to turn his position into a plus. He portrays himself as a voice of reason who works with Clinton "when we have common interests," regardless of what "a small fringe" of partisans or cynics might think.

Gramm, the 52-year-old Texas conservative, is presenting himself as a homespun yet resolute voice of conscience — the man who vowed to bury Clinton's health-care reform plan though his party's four largest pollsters warned that such an approach was "political suicide."

"I believe in this race if you look at my record, from offering the Reagan program in the House to Gramm-Rudman where I tried to stop the deficit when no one else would deal with it to standing up to Clinton's health care bill when it looked like it might pass ... I am the conservative in this race," he said Sunday.

With Gramm in the vanguard, Republicans killed off health reform, lobby reform and a number of other major bills last fall before the election. The pressure was such that even Dole, once a health-reform champion, ended up on the scorched-earth bandwagon.

The push-and-pull continues this year, intensified by the approach of the campaign and Dole's rise from minority to majority leader.

In an early contrast of their roles, Dole signed on to Clinton's unpopular Mexican-peso rescue plan "in the national interest" while Gramm nitpicked and accused Clinton of weak leadership.

When Clinton's budget arrived on Capitol Hill a week ago, Dole said mildly that it was "too bad" the president had abandoned major deficit-reduction. Gramm's typically pugnacious response: "This is a do-nothing budget ... The presidency is a terrible thing to waste."

House GOP proposals to deny welfare benefits to legal immigrants and end cash payments to unwed teen-age mothers also point up differences between the two men. Gramm says he's comfortable with the first and, though he doesn't support the second, warns that "you can't change this mammoth system without hurting some people." Dole opposes both House ideas.

Still, in what some Gramm partisans interpret as a preoccupation with their man, Dole has hardly been ignoring his conservative flank.

He recently introduced a bill to slash federal regulations and opened a GOP offensive against affirmative action. And he was among the first to cast serious doubts on the future of Clinton's surgeon general nominee, who has performed abortions.

Both Dole and Gramm attacked liberals and Clinton at a conservative conference last week. But Gramm, with his acidic assault on gun control, welfare and big government, won the group's straw poll.

Dole is widely believed to have blocked Gramm's attempt to get on the powerful Senate Finance Committee. And just before Gramm aced a straw poll of Arizona activists, Dole released a poll showing he was the overwhelming favorite among Arizona Republicans statewide.

Dole, 71, also is cultivating relations with the huge contingent of GOP governors who could be pivotal in important primary contests. The party has 30 governors, including in nine of the 10 biggest states.

He carries a wallet text of the 10th Amendment — the one that says all powers not specifically given to the federal government are reserved for the states and the people. His top legislative priority was a bill making it harder to impose requirements on states without the money to pay for them. It passed 86-10.

To some extent, Dole's fortunes ride on what he's able to push through the notoriously uncontrollable Senate.

The upcoming welfare debate is another test of gubernatorial clout. Governors basically want as much money as possible with as few strings as possible. There's plenty of reason, political as well as philosophical, to try to accommodate them.

It was not lost on anyone — particularly Dole, the chief victim — that George Bush won the 1988 New Hampshire, South Carolina and Florida primaries largely on the strength of governors and their political organizations. "That set the model for the importance of governors in presidential primaries," said Chris Henick, former executive director of the Republican Governors Association.

To some extent, Dole's fortunes ride on what he's able to push through the notoriously uncontrollable Senate. It's unclear whether he will be able to hold the two-thirds majority needed to approve a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution — a prime GOP goal.

"If things fall apart, being the Senate majority leader won't turn out to have been an advantage," said Republican strategist Bill Kristol. "If he gets things passed, even if he makes some compromises, he can survive conservative criticism."

This year would not be the first in which senators legislated with one eye on a presidential campaign. Senate historian Don Ritchie cited Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson's actions in the wake of Georgia Sen. Richard Russell's failed 1952 bid for the Democratic nomination.

"The general feeling was that if Russell had not been a segregationist, he would have been a much more attractive candidate," Ritchie said. "LBJ in 1957 pushed very hard for the enactment of a civil rights bill, in part to demonstrate that he was not a Southerner — he was a Westerner. He made himself a national figure ... and part of that was to set the stage for an eventual presidential campaign."

House Speaker Newt Gingrich, himself considered a longshot entrant into the presidential race, captured the current state of play in a recent joke. When he heard himself introduced to an audience as second in line to the presidency, Gingrich said later, "I thought that both Phil Gramm and Bob Dole were going to break through the door, screaming no, I wasn't."

Manufacturers look to movies for year's toys

NEW YORK (AP) — Parents scrambling to guess the hot toy of 1995 may not need to look beyond Hollywood.

The toys getting the most attention at this year's Toy Fair, the glitzy trade show opening today, are based on TV shows or coming big-budget movies.

Toy makers are taking more cues from the entertainment industry since the huge success of Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles and Power Rangers, which were based on TV programs.

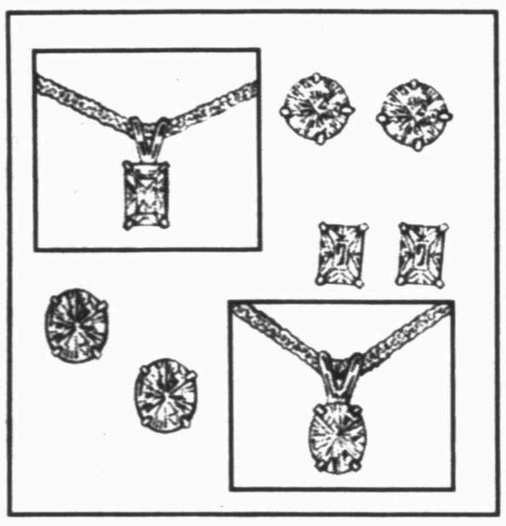
Bandai, the company that makes the hottest Power Rangers toys — the small plastic action figures — has added to the 1995 line of figures based on the upcoming Power Rangers movie.

Other companies have products including games and cuddly versions of the Rangers.

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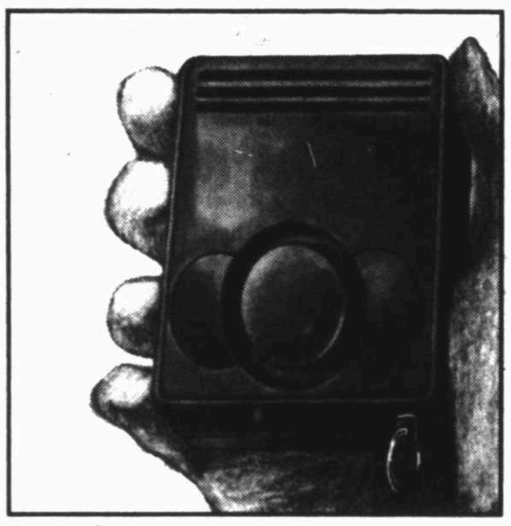
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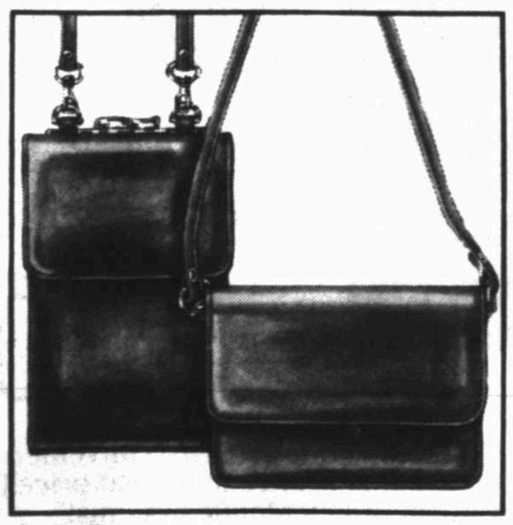
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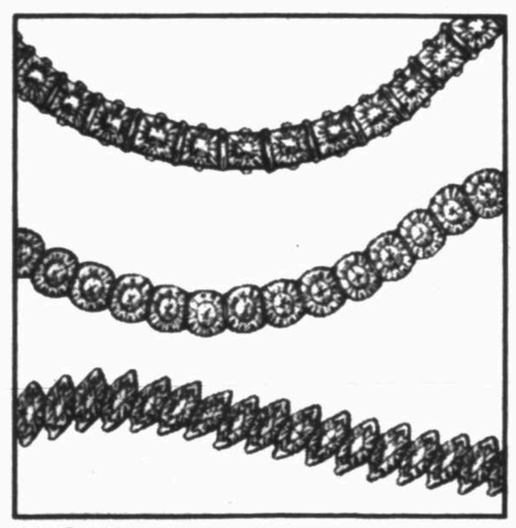
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In new fund packages, contents still count

By Chet Currier
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — As it gets easier to do business with mutual funds, customers have to be careful not to let the where and how of investing distract them too much from the what and the why.

Without any question, funds owe a lot of their present popularity to the convenience and cost savings they can offer.

There's a great appeal in the one-stop, low-cost shopping offered by large families of funds, and by discount brokers' marketplaces where hundreds of funds can be bought and sold without paying a fee.

As funds' shareholder service departments have grown and improved, they have made many transactions — for instance, moving money from one fund to another or getting money transferred to your local bank — possible through a simple phone call rather than the juggling of paperwork and other rigmarole that used to be required.

But no matter how advanced they get, convenience and cost saving can never be more than ancillary attractions.

And they can turn into detriments rather than benefits if they sidetrack you from the main business at hand — earning a good return on your money, relative to whatever risks are taken, so that you can meet your financial obligations and goals.

'In a really tough market such as this one, it's important not to confuse easier withsmarter.' — Jay Schabaker, finanacial adviser

"In a really tough market such as this one, it's important not to confuse easier with smarter," says Jay Schabacker, a financial adviser who publishes the newsletter Mutual Fund Investing in Potomac, Md.

"Investing with a single family is a convenient, simple, smart way to make investing in mutual funds more manageable. I try to do it wherever possible.

"But refusing to look outside a single fund family can be dangerous in a market as tough as this one. Today's stock market is not handing us anything on a silver platter.

"We've got to find the goodies ourselves, and many of them are not going to be traditional growth funds. I'd hate for you to miss out just because your favorite fund family doesn't offer a suitable substitute.

"When you don't have as many options to get it right, traveling that extra mile is well worth it. Don't ignore potential returns just because it's a little less convenient to get at them."

A similar problem can arise, Schabacker says, for people who patronize discount brokers' mutual fund services, which typically offer a selection of funds without any transaction fees, and some others with commission charges.

Once you start doing business this way, it's easy to confine yourself only to the no-fee funds — and at the same time ignore altogether the thousands of funds that don't participate in these networks.

A good many fund organizations have stayed away because they don't want to give up control of their own distribution, and close working and marketing relationships with their customers.

"The discount brokers are practically falling over themselves to get your business," Schabacker says. "This is a superservice for us no-fee misers.

"But it's especially easy to be, as the English say, penny-wise and pound-foolish with these discount broker no-transaction-fee funds.

Love at First Byte

■ With the continued inroads made by the Information Superhighway, even Valentine's Day has gone high-tech.

By Joyce M. Rosenberg
AP Business Writer

Chocolates and roses still are the stuff of Valentine's Day, but crooning computer chips, intimate e-mails and other technological embellishments are becoming a big part of this most romantic holiday.

If you want to send a bouquet to your honey, you can do it online. If teddy bears are more your taste, you can get one that tells your sweetie "I love you" in your own voice.

Even with such innovations, Valentine's Day still is a day of traditions, including the frantic rush by mostly male shoppers who descend on card and candy stores at the last minute.

Really high-tech Valentine shopping is done via PC and modem. Services including America Online, Prodigy and Compuserve offer customers a chance to order merchandise through their computers.

Spiegel, J.C. Penney, Lands' End, The Sharper Image, The Vermont Teddy Bear Co., The Nature Co., 1-800-Flowers and PC Flowers are among the retailers with products available through on-line services.

The on-line companies peddle Valentine services of their own. America Online is offering advice on choosing wine, romantic movies and intimate getaways, spokeswoman Margaret Ryan said. Prodigy sells love poems, including Shakespearean sonnets and verse by Robert Browning, and ways to meet your lover on-line, said spokeswoman Carol Wallace.

The companies offer Valentine's Day

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Forget the supermarket aisles, the most popular place to meet potential mates these days are on on-line services such as America Online and Prodigy.

Roses are red – and green

Americans, mostly men, are expected to give 84 million roses to their sweethearts this Valentine's Day.

James Krone, executive vice president of Roses Inc., a trade group of commercial rose growers, says about 55 percent of the roses sold in the United States are imported. The rest come from the 213 domestic growers.

That means U.S. growers will be selling an average 177,465 roses each for the holiday.

The roses we buy for lovers are quite different from the beauties we grow in gardens, Krone said.

Roses sold by florists are all grown in environmentally controlled greenhouses. Commercial rose bushes generally produce flowers year-round, while garden varieties produce for only short periods, usually in the summer.

"They're growing roses 365 days of the year — and 366 in some years," Krone said of commercial rose bushes.

Valentine rose production starts around Christmas, when growers plan their crops and pinch their bushes to have the most blossoms ready for mid-February.

After pinching, it takes 45 days for the plant to produce the roses, which are harvested twice a day, 6 to 7 days before they are expected to be sold to the public.

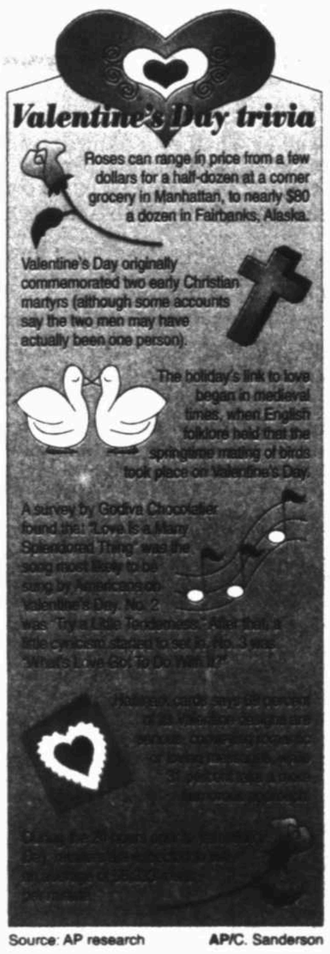
The most popular commercial red roses have names like Royalty, Cara Mia, Samantha and Kardinal, Krone said.

When asked why the American Beauty rose isn't on that list, Krone said the national flower isn't a good enough producer, and tends to wilt earlier than the newer hybrids.

"It's really no longer available," he said.

In other words, it's been supplanted by technology.

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Investment luncheon

Van Pearcy, a Midland representative of Edward D. Jones & Co., will host a Ladies Only luncheon Thursday at the Midland Country Club beginning at noon.

The seminar, "Enhancing Your Investment Knowledge" will focus on financial problems facing women today. A question and answer period will be included in the session.

Reservations can be made by callling 683-1516.

Fat and happy

While many Americans are buying reduced-fat snacks, many more are still buying munchies loaded with fat and sodium. In a late 1994 survey of snack food manufacturers, the trade publication Thomas Industry Food Register found that 62 percent reported their best-selling product lines were the regular recipes. Half of the respondents said potato chips were the top-selling snack. However, 95 percent did say that sales of reduced-fat products were growing.

Temporarily unavailable

The improving employment picture and companies' growing use of temporary help is making temps harder to come by, reports the employment firm Snelling Personnel Services. The company says 65 percent of its 250 offices are finding a drop in the number of temporary workers available for long-term work. Eighty-six percent say it's harder now than it was a year ago to find temps for assignments of any length. Snelling CEO Timony J. Loncharich says another factor in the temp shortfall is that companies are hiring them for longer periods, taking more of the workers out of the pool of available help.

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The troubles with money

By Mary Rowland
N.Y. Times News Service

Thayer Willis grew up wealthy in one of the most beautiful neighborhoods in Portland, Ore. She was heiress to a fortune built by her father and uncle, the Cheatham brothers, who founded Georgia-Pacific, the giant lumber company.

As idyllic as her childhood might sound, Ms. Willis is quick to point out that great wealth created great problems for her. Although few people sympathize with the rich, coming to terms with wealth is not necessarily easier than coming to terms with want, she said.

Having spent years resolving her own conflicts with money, she now works as a therapist to the superrich, helping them overcome isolation, guilt and a lack of self-esteem, among other obstacles.

Whether they have too little or too much, money creates conflicts for most Americans, she says. It is the rare person who uses money simply as a means of exchange. "There is a tremendous emphasis on material wealth in this country," Ms. Willis said. "When you travel a bit, you see that money obsession is fairly unique to Western civilization."

Ms. Willis, 46, says she would not have been able to build a good marriage, find work she likes or start a family without sorting out her feelings about money. "Coming to peace with the role of money in your life is one of the most important things most people have to do," she said.

The problems can manifest themselves in many forms. When she was in her 20s, Ms. Willis developed bulimia and anorexia, eating disorders little understood at the time. She eventually found someone to treat her and then spent two years as an apprentice so she could help others who were afflicted.

In the ensuing years, Ms. Willis often reflected on what became of her peers — other rich children.

"Even when I was a child, there were a lot of suicides among the people I grew up with," she said. "One kid shot himself, and a girl died of anorexia. Some were described as accidents, although we knew they really weren't."

A decade ago, the news of yet another suicide among that group propelled Ms. Willis to shift her therapeutic practice from treating eating disorders to helping people burdened by their wealth.

She went back to school and got a master's degree in clinical social work at Portland State University. "I felt I could offer something to inheritors because I'm open about the fact that I'm an inheritor and they can identify with me," Ms. Willis said.

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Thousands complain of delayed returns

By Pamela Yip
N.Y. Times News Service

HOUSTON — If anyone needed a quick tax refund, it was Jacinto Hernandez.

The Houston electrician lost his $180,000 home in October's Texas floods and got in a serious automobile accident that knocked him out of work for about a year and put him in a deep debt hole.

Which is why Hernandez and his wife wanted to get their $2,840 tax refund as fast as possible. So they went to H&R Block and were told they'd have to pay $136 to file their taxes and apply for a quick loan through the company's "Rapid Refund" program.

Hernandez said a tax preparer assured him that he would get his money in four days.

The dispute began when he learned he didn't qualify for a quick payment and would have to wait at least six to eight weeks.

Hernandez isn't alone in his anger.

Hundreds of thousands of taxpayers who hurried to file their tax returns electronically in hopes of getting a big, quick refund are finding that the fees they've paid don't hurry things along at all.

Taxpayers blame the preparers for charging big fees and not delivering. Preparers blame the bankers who were supposed to lend money to consumers until the refunds came through. The bankers blame the Internal Revenue Service, saying bureaucrats won't give them the information they need to be sure the refunds will come through to repay the loans.

And the IRS said it has to slow down a lot of returns because speedy returns left the IRS open to some losses last year.

Taxpayers say the preparers should have warned them that the danger of rejection had gone way up.

"I applied for the loan believing that I was guaranteed the money," Hernandez said. He said he was desperate, and his tax preparers deceived him.

Preparers say their contracts make no such promise.

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Starting children with a solid foundation

N.Y. Times News Service

What is the ideal way to pass wealth on to children? Warren E. Buffett, the billionaire investor, says he will not leave all his money to his children because he wants them to find their own way.

"I see the wisdom in that way of thinking," said Thayer Willis, who inherited a family fortune and spent many years finding her own way. But she sees another choice for her 3-year-old daughter and the baby she is expecting in April.

She plans to begin an allowance for them at age 5 or 6, teach them about investing when they are 11 or 12 and make certain they know how to find meaningful work.

That solid foundation, and the time it takes to build it, can make a great deal of difference when children finally receive their inheritance, said Myra Salzer, a financial planner in Boulder, Colo., who advises heirs.

"If they inherit $25 million at age 18, their entire purpose in life becomes not to blow it," she said. "Whereas someone who inherits at 35 or 40 has a chance to make some mistakes and develop a career."

The other big decision is whether to give money outright or to tie it up in a trust. Walter W. Kingsbery, an estate lawyer in Boulder, argues for handing it over to children with no strings at age 30. "Why leave them in limbo?" he asks. "Once they're grown up, then let them sink or swim."

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BYTES: Day is a time for tradition

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programs, including on-line conversations with authors who have written about finding the perfect mate. They also provide special "bulletin boards," where the computer literate can leave messages for their sweethearts.

For the less technologically oriented, there's ordering over the phone from catalogs and other mail-order merchants. Valentine's Day is prime time for gift services like 1-800-Flowers and 1-800-Giftline, which assemble special packages for the holiday.

More traditional retailers — the kind where you actually have to go into a store and physically buy something — expect strong business of jewelry, lingerie and other Valentine standards.

Tiffany's big sellers are engagement rings and heart-shaped jewelry. For Godiva, the upscale chocolatier, Valentine's Day is the busiest of the year.

Many retailers are selling Valentine's variants of regular merchandise: heart-motif napkins and dishes from Williams-Sonoma, Cupid bears adorned with wings and bows from the Vermont Teddy Bear Co.

Sears, Roebuck and Co., offering women a way to give Valentine candy sans all the lace and ribbons, is selling chocolates shaped like Craftsmen tools by mail order.

Then there are companies using the high-tech to put a new twist on old ideas. Telechip Inc. of Bally, Pa., sells teddy bears that speak, thanks to recordable computer chips activated when the bears are squeezed. A Valentine shopper calls the company and records a message that is then encoded on the chip and sewn inside the bear, which arrives by mail in a few days.

Some entrepreneurs try to promote the least romantic-sounding businesses as Valentine-friendly.

MYO Systems, which makes the MET-Rx dietary supplement, offered to exchange high-protein food bars to the first 500 people who sent the company their boxes of Valentine chocolates. It publicized the swap by saying the holiday "should be romantic, loving, giving, but most of all, healthy."

But even among the fitness-inclined, Valentine's Day is a time for tradition. So florists prepared to be inundated with requests for roses, and to a lesser extent, other flowers.

A spokeswoman for 1-800-Flowers, Marjorie Cader, said the company expects to deliver between 2 million and 3 million roses for Valentine's Day, the industry's second-biggest holiday after Mother's Day.

Ms. Cader said 1-800-Flowers does 10 percent to 12 percent of its Valentine business on-line, a figure expected to increase as on-line services expand.

Even greeting cards are getting a little high-tech. Among Hallmark Cards' 1,700 Valentine designs are some with chips that play music or allow the giver to record a message, and several with phone cards that allow recipients to make free phone calls.

Gibson Greetings spokesman Don French said his company's musical cards do especially well because of the traditional link between Valentine's Day and love songs.

There are also computer terminals in larger card stores that allow people to personalize cards with their own messages, or the recipient's name. Many shoppers like the machines, but "they're intimidating to a lot of people," said Don Anderson, owner of four Cardtique stores in York and Lancaster, Pa.

Valentine's Day is the second-biggest holiday for giving cards, after Christmas, says the Greeting Card Association, which tallied $1 billion in Valentine sales in 1993. But French said it's the No. 1 holiday for Gibson's sales at supermarkets, largely because food stores also sell flowers and candy.

Valentine's Day is a tough time for any retailers who'd like to bring in sales early. Many shoppers — particularly men — don't hit the stores until Feb. 14 itself.

"You can tell it's going to happen," Anderson said. By Valentine's Day, his card store shelves are "empty except for the wife-sweetheart section."

On the big day, "men are usually about four or five deep in the card aisles," he said. For these desperate souls, "anything will do."

Simulated, synthetic stones fill demand for affordable jewelry

By Vlivian Marino
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — The ancient Egyptians created them. King Tut's tomb was adorned with them. Even the Duchess of Windsor secretly kept them.

Simulated stones have a long and colorful history in the jewelry world, imitating the rare and beautiful gems that took nature years to produce.

Most people prefer the real thing, but affordable look-alikes, including lab-grown synthetics, have found a comfortable niche in the gem industry. That's all right with purveyors of fine jewels so long as they're not passed off as the genuine article.

"Fakes and phonies are as ancient as gems themselves," said Antoinette Matlins, a gem expert and author of "Jewelry and Gems: The Buying Guide."

Matlins says counterfeiting was going on 2,000 years ago, although technological advances have made it tougher to detect today.

While simulated stones have been around for centuries — Egyptians created imitation turquoise and adorned old Tut's tomb with blue glass "gems" — commercial production of synthetic precious gemstones didn't come about until the turn of this century.

Scientists have made great strides in creating stones that so closely resemble the real thing that some dealers have been fooled at one time or another. They've also figured out ways to greatly enhance the look of real gems, like fracture filling, a relatively new process in which a liquid glass is used to fill in surface cracks in diamonds and colored gemstones.

"What normally happens, when you have a brand-new technique or treatment (in jewelry production), there's a lag time between the introduction of the product and awareness," by the overall industry, Matlins said.

She said it's often during that time that unscrupulous individuals will try to take advantage of reputable dealers, claiming for instance, that a well-made synthetic ruby is a rare and expensive natural ruby. When cubic zirconias were introduced, a few dealers mistook them for real diamonds, she added.

"The vast majority (of jewelry dealers) are honest. But the vast majority are not gemologists so they can buy into a deception unknowingly," Matlins said.

It's important, therefore, for consumers to make all major purchases contingent upon verification by gem-testing labs like the Gemological Institute of America. Some jewelers may have had the tests conducted already.

The labs can tell, for example, natural gems from synthetics, which have similar physical and chemical properties to genuine stones. They also will note carat weight or flaw grades and can distinguish a similarly colored semiprecious stone from a precious gem, like a green tsavorite from an emerald, or a red spinel from a ruby.

The Federal Trade Commission requires jewelry merchants to disclose if a stone is simulated or synthetic, as well as whether a natural stone has been treated to make it look more expensive. If the process is reversible, that too must be disclosed.

Joel Windman, general counsel of the Jewelers Vigilance Committee in New York, an industry watchdog group, says there have been few complaints about synthetic or simulated stones being misrepresented as the real thing.

But gem experts say that's because it sometimes takes years to uncover. This is especially true in estate and antique jewelry.

Matlins notes some age-old techniques used to imitate or enhance the real thing, such as: dyeing, waxing or smoking poor quality stones to make them look richer; setting colored foil behind a colorless stone; or creating composite stones by fusing two or three stones together, called "doublets" and "triplets."

REFUNDS: Money back cannot be guaranteed by preparers

(From 1B)

"We as tax preparers cannot guarantee anybody any kind of money," said Harry Buckley, president of Kansas City, Mo.-based H&R Block, the nation's largest tax preparation firm. "The bank makes that determination."

"That would be insane," said John Hewitt, president and chief executive officer of Jackson Hewitt Tax Service in Virginia Beach, Va., the nation's second-largest tax preparer.

Preparers and lenders say this fast-growing business has been thrown into chaos because the IRS stopped providing a simple message code to preparers and lenders assuring them that a refund was likely.

Until this year, when a return was filed electronically and a refund-anticipation loan was requested, the IRS would transmit an electronic code letting the tax preparer and lender know if the taxpayer was free of debts that could swallow a refund, such as for back taxes, unpaid child support or student loans.

However, the IRS stopped sending that code this year because it claims the system was used in some tax frauds. The lenders said this forced them to tighten their lending criteria because they were no longer so sure the refunds they were anticipating would come through.

"We've tightened criteria many fold," said Robert Wade, spokesman for Beneficial National Bank in Wilmington, Del., the largest maker of refund anticipation loans.

As a result, Wade said Beneficial, which used to charge a flat $29 fee, now charges fees ranging from $29 — for a refund anticipation loan of up to $500 — to $89 — for a $3,300 loan. In addition the borrowers pay a loan application fee.

The rejections have caused an overwhelming surge in complaints at Beneficial, to 800,000 complaint calls so far this year, compared to 90,000 during the same period last year.

Jackson Hewitt officials said if customers aren't satisfied with the service, the company will refund the tax preparation fees. But that promise doesn't include the fees lenders charge for refund anticipation loans, said Martha O'Gorman, Jackson Hewitt spokeswoman.

IRS officials said they realize their efforts have caused problems, but that they need to crack down on fraud.

Last year, out of $75 billion in refunds paid by the IRS, there were $150 million in "questionable refunds," said Henry Holmes, IRS spokesman in Houston.

Of that $150 million, "$39 million got out there before we could stop that refund issuance because historically our emphasis was getting taxpayers the money they were entitled to on a timely basis," he said.

Over the past year the IRS has put in stringent checks on returns, said Holmes. The computer will delay any return for further review if it matches with a list characteristics that have been found on questionable returns in the past.

Tax preparers said they tell consumers up front that their payment may not be so rapid.

But Hernandez said the H&R Block tax preparer assured him that he would get a loan, despite his bad credit history.

"She said, 'No problem, you will get this loan. The reason you will get the loan is because the money is guaranteed by the IRS,'" Hernandez said.

Among the hardest hit are taxpayers who claim the Earned Income Tax Credit, which was created to help low-income workers with children.

The IRS has withheld about 40 percent to 50 percent of EITC refund payments from taxpayers, said Jackson Hewitt Tax Service.

"Our customers are very upset," Hewitt said. "For most of these people, it's the biggest check they get all year long."

IRS officials said they're taking an especially hard look at returns claiming the EITC because of past scams.

Consumer critics say the rapid refund programs are a bad deal for taxpayers.

"It's unconscionable to offer fast refund programs that clearly gouge consumers," said Tip Phabmixay Ark, an attorney with Consumers Union in San Francisco. "They are merely high-interest loans."

MONEY: Seminars for financial heirs offered

(From 1B)

A couple of years ago she began offering seminars with Myra Salzer, a financial planner in Boulder, Colo. Ms. Salzer's company, Money Strategies Inc., provides a full range of financial services to heirs. The seminars include advice from Ms. Salzer's partner, Noel Bennett, a money manager, and Walter M. Kingsbery, an estate planning lawyer in Boulder.

To attend the seminar — or be a client of Money Strategies — a person must have inherited so much money that they never have to work or have a spouse in that position. Self-made millionaires need not apply because they have a different financial archetype.

Ms. Salzer, who worked as a chemical engineer before earning the designation of a certified financial planner a dozen years ago, said the most pervasive problem among heirs is low self-esteem. "In a society where we are defined by work, their biggest fear is going to a party and having someone ask: 'What do you do?' " Ms. Salzer said.

Ms. Willis, who has chosen to work, describes why: "One of the fantasies of people who don't have wealth is that they will inherit money and never have to work again. Then they would spend the day sailing or playing tennis or doing whatever they like. Most inheritors know that that makes you feel terrible. You just feel useless."

Paid work can make a major contribution to a feeling of self-worth. "I like the financial rewards of being paid, and the money means a lot to me because I know that people are willing to pay me for the work I do," Ms. Willis said.

Another problem for heirs is insulation and isolation. Like others who inherit a great deal of money, Ms. Willis was told not to discuss it. "My father taught me that people will take your money if you're not careful," she said.

People who inherit money rarely handle the chores of everyday life and often miss out on many opportunities to build character as well. "No one walks happily and willingly into the experiences that give us maturity," Ms. Willis said. "Inheritors can avoid most of them altogether."

Ms. Salzer says relationships may suffer when heirs do not learn how to resolve conflicts. "If there's a problem with the boss, they can quit," she said. "If they don't like the landlord, they can buy the place."

Although she once longed to trade places with her clients, Ms. Salzer said, "I never do anymore. Now I know I have something that they don't have."

NAMEDROPPING

Cellular One/Western Wireless has recognized four Permian Basin employees during its quarterly Peak achievement awards program, which recognizes employees for outstanding job performance. The four are:

MARTY SPENCE, district manager of Cellular One's West Texas district; **SANDY WILLIAMS**, account representative; **NANCY FULLER**, sennior account representative; and **MELISSA WILKINS**, also a senior account representative.

Norwest Mortgage Inc. has appointed **TENA WAGGONER** branch sales manager of its new Midland location in ClayDesta Center.

She brings 15 years mortgage lending experience to Norwest, most recently with Principal Mortgage Corp.

ANNA BUILTA has been named area manager o f Bealls Department Store in Midland Park Malla. Prior to joining Bealls, she managed a retail store in Lubbock.

Midlander **ROBERT HETZEL** has been named one of six Employess of the Year by the Texas Workers Compensation Commission. He serves in the Midland field office as health and safety program manager for the northern region west.

Dale Carnegie Training has named **MARY ANN SMITH** area manager of an expanded West Texas area that now includes Abilene and San Angelo as well as the Permian Basin.

PAUL GUERRERO of Midland has received the "Honor Ring" award from Allstate Insurance Co. for delivering customer satisfaction, customer retention and profitability in addition to being a community leader and top premium producer in auto, property, business and life insurance.

TERRY SCOTT has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the Better Business Bureau of the permian Basin for 1995. owned and operated Quality Body Works in Odessa and Midland since 1972.

Other officers include **KAREN VILLASENOR**, past chairman; **ERIC WETPHAL**, chairman-elect; **DON BULLOCK**, **KEITH IMKEN** and **RUSSELL ROBKEN**; and **PHILLIP C. DAVIS**, secretary-treasurer.

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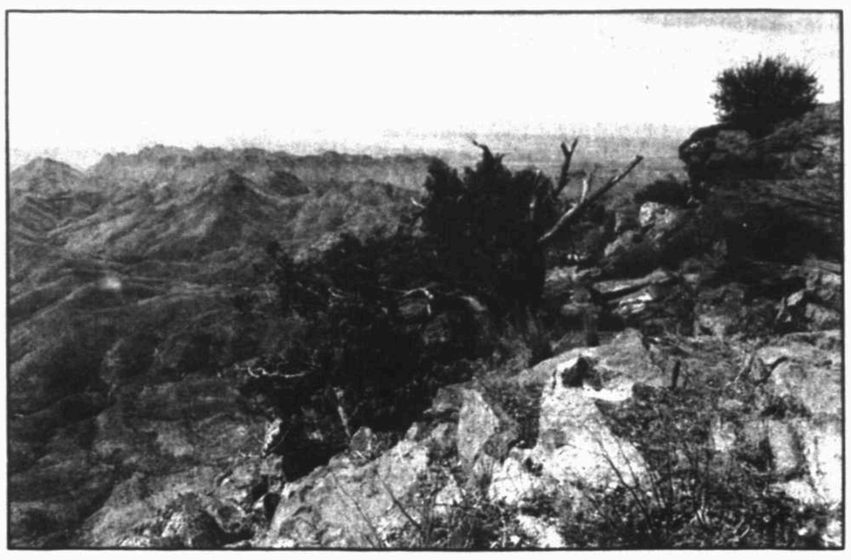
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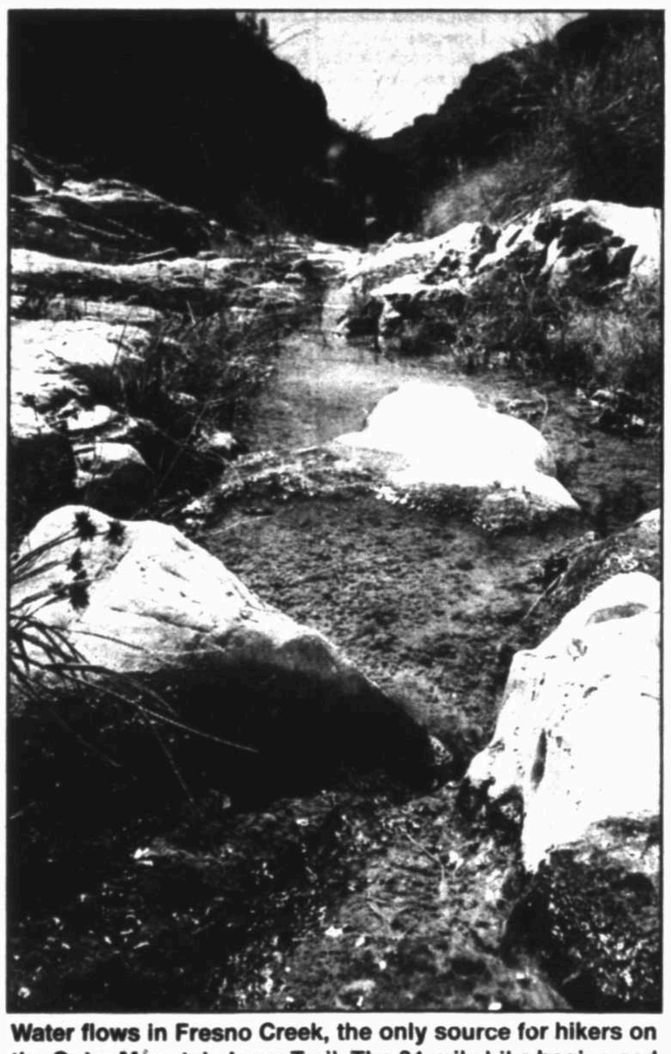
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The view from the South Rim of the Chisos Mountains in Big Bend National Park extends into Mexico in the distance.

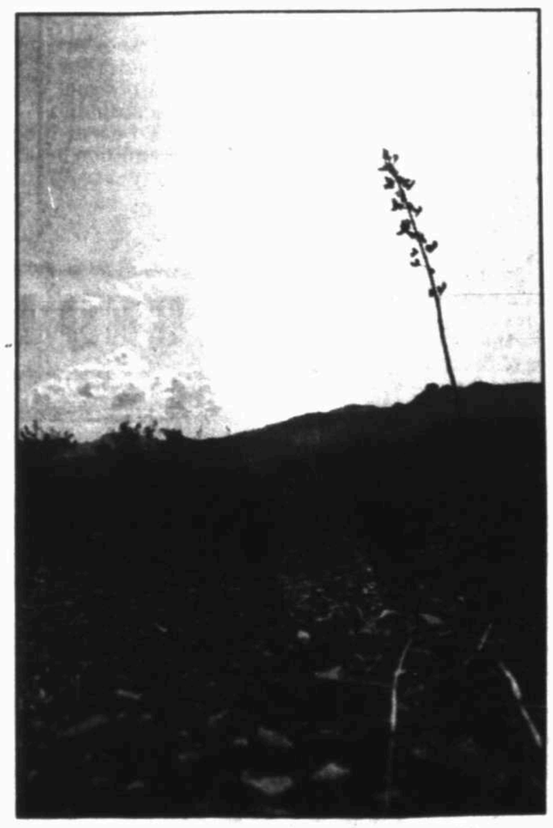


Sunrise lights up the South Rim as seen from the Dodson Trail, one of the many primitive trails in the park.



RUGGED *Beauty*





Water flows in Fresno Creek, the only source for hikers on the Outer Mountain Loop Trail. The 31-mile hike begins and ends in the Chisos and includes the Dodson Trail, an 11-mile trip across the desert.

A tree clings to life above a switchback in the Chisos Mountains at left above. At right, wildflowers dot the desert landscape with color along the entrance to the park south of Marathon.

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DEATHS

Virginia Sanders

Funeral services for Virginia Sanders are set for 10 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Sanders died Saturday in a local hospital.

She was born June 28, 1940, in Goldsmith and grew up in Skelly. She graduated from high school in Dumas and attended West Texas State University. She married Bobby L. Sanders in 1961 and she remained in Dumas until 1963, then moved to Austin. She had lived in Midland since 1968. She was a member of First Baptist Church, a past Chairman of the Board of Hearthstone, a past president of the American Heart Association, and a past president of Lawyer's Wives of Midland.

Survivors include her husband, Bobby Sanders of Midland; two sons, Leslie Sent Sanders of Chicago, Ill., and Brian Lee Sanders of Midland; a brother, Joe Beal Johnson of Perryton; two sisters, Pat Bales of Dallas and Collie Miller of Yukon, Okla.; and 10 nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Hearthstone, American Cancer society or to the charity of one's choice.

Jesse Robinson

ANDREWS - Services for Jessie Mae Robinson, 73, of Andrews will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. John F. Campbell officiating, assisted by the Revs. Juluis Brooks and Walter Hunter. Burial will be in Andrews Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

Mrs. Robinson died Saturday at her residence.

She was born Feb. 5, 1920, in Rustin, La. She married Howard Robinson on Oct. 19, 1954, in Carthage. She moved to Andrews 40 years ago. She was a homemaker and a member of Mount Olive Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Howard Robinson of Andrews; two sons, Calvin Brooks of Los Angeles, Calif., and Juluis Brooks of Midland; two stepsons, Willie Howard Robinson of Carthage and Fred Robinson of Florence, Ariz.; four daughters, Clara Brooks and LaGloria Johnson, both of Los Angeles, Virginia Harris of Andrews and Lindell Burrell of Hesperia, Calif.; a stepdaughter, Dorothy Shannon of Lancaster, Calif.; four brothers, H.L. Lewis of Odessa, Hamon Lewis and George Lewis, both of Carthage, and Amos Lewis of Watts, Calif.; six sisters, Ethel Beck of Carthage, Mildred Beck of Houston, Lettie Volcy and Christell Roach, both of Houston, Ruby Lee Jernigan and Ruby S. Lewis, both of Carthage; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Trial of U.S. Border Patrol agents to focus on alleged victim as well

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — The trial of two U.S. Border Patrol agents accused of beating up a disabled illegal immigrant from Mexico is likely to focus on the alleged victim as much as the agents.

David Bergman, 23, claims the two agents smacked his head against their patrol vehicle, drove him to the Rio Grande, tossed his crutches away and told him to swim back to Mexico.

Instead, Bergman returned to the U.S. side with his clothes stained with mud and blood to report the incident, prosecutors contend.

But lawyers for agents David R. Gonzalez and Manny Figueroa will attack Bergman's credibility during a trial scheduled to begin Monday.

Defense attorney Ernesto Gamez Jr. portrays Bergman as a "border bandit" who preys on illegal immigrants along the banks of the Rio Grande between Brownsville and Matamoros, Mexico.

Gamez has suggested that Bergman is lying to make money off the case or retaliate for a June 1993 accident in which his foot was severed by a train as he fled U.S. immigration officials.

Paralegal Clare Crawford of Proyecto Libertad, an immigration rights group, said the statements she took from Bergman were very detailed and consistent.

"I have no reason whatsoever to doubt him," she said, noting that Bergman had scars on his head and handcuff marks on his wrists. "This isn't a civil case. He's not going to make any money off this. He was very upset when it happened."

The agents are each charged with injuring an invalid, a third-degree felony punishable by two to 10 years in prison.

The indictment alleges that Gonzalez, a six-year patrol veteran, struck Bergman and that Figueroa, a seven-year veteran, struck Bergman and failed to stop Gonzalez from striking him on March 16, 1994.

The agents have been suspended without pay since soon after a Cameron County grand jury indicted them in November. Although Border Patrol officials say they stand behind the two agents, the agency has not paid their legal bills.

Ms. Crawford said Bergman, who lives in Matamoros, is married with one child. He has had trouble finding work as a carpenter since he lost his foot, she said.

But Gamez said he'll present testimony from a man who claims Bergman robbed him and threatened him with a gun along the banks of the Rio Grande. Police in Matamoros arrested Bergman late last year on charges of robbery. Bergman says he's innocent.

After a pretrial hearing Friday, Gamez accused the prosecution of withholding two witnesses who question Bergman's story: an emergency medical services technician who said he believed Bergman's wounds occurred before the encounter with the patrol agents and a nurse who claimed she heard Bergman say he planned to "make millions of dollars off the case."

Former treasurer lost about $4 million in high-risk investments, officials say

SAN ANGELO (AP) — Before she retired, Tom Green County's former treasurer told commissioners that the county was not investing its funds in a way similar to a California county that had recently declared bankruptcy.

Since then, the commissioners have learned otherwise.

Last week, they announced the county had lost an estimated $4 million investing in high-risk mortgage derivatives, the same investments that broke the budget in Orange County, California.

County Judge Mike Brown estimated overall losses in the county's investment portfolio at $4 million, and possible losses of $3 million from funds raised to build a new county jail.

Because the county needs a majority of the money by the end of the year to construct a new jail — and because the investments currently show a loss — the county faces losing $3 million of the construction funds, Brown said.

The derivatives enjoyed success as long as interest rates remained low, but when the Federal Reserve Board began raising rates in March 1994 the values of the derivatives plunged.

Larry Skiles, the county's financial adviser, said the original investments were a legitimate use of public funds, but the length of time it took to plan the jail and rapidly rising interest rates hurt the funds.

County commissioners seemed satisfied last December when they received an answer to the Orange County question from Billie McDaniel, who is a certified investment officer with a bachelor's degree in banking and finance from George Washington University.

Ms. McDaniel, who retired at the end of last year after serving as county treasurer since 1979, expressed shock when officials announced the county's losses.

In Sunday's editions of the San Angelo Standard-Times, Ms. McDaniel is quoted as saying, "I just think the whole story has not been told." But she declined to elaborate.

The current financial woes are not the first to sting the county during the tenure of Ms. McDaniel, who boasted in her 1990 campaign that her investments had earned the county more than $3 million in interest during her 11 years in office.

DEAR ABBY

Father seeks son's forgiveness for divorce

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a 56-year-old father. My son, who is 33, can't seem to get over his hurt feelings due to the divorce between his mother and me, which took place 20 years ago.


Van Buren

My letters and gifts go unacknowledged. When I call, he is friendly on the telephone, but we never get past the trivia.

He has a wonderful family and does very well professionally. All I want is for him to ask me for some advice once in a while, or just say, "Dad, I love you."

He refuses to seek professional help to work through his anger.

Perhaps your readers could suggest some way to reach him. God knows I've tried — without success. — MARTIN G., NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

DEAR MARTIN: If I interpret your letter correctly, you and your former wife divorced when your son was 13, which left him so wounded and angry he cannot find it in his heart to forgive you.

Don't be hurt because your son doesn't seek your advice; be grateful that he's doing well without it.

International Forgiveness Week begins today. The following poem has helped many readers mend broken relationships.

Clip it and give it to your son this week. I hope he takes it to heart, and eases the pain in yours.

DECIDE TO FORGIVE
Decide to forgive
For resentment is negative
Resentment is poisonous
Resentment diminishes and devours the self.
Be the first to forgive,
To smile and to take the first step,
And you will see happiness bloom
On the face of your human brother or sister.
Be always the first
Do not wait for others to forgive
For by forgiving
You become the master of fate
The fashioner of life
The doer of miracles.
To forgive is the highest,
Most beautiful form of love.
In return you will receive
Untold peace and happiness.

Here is the program for achieving a truly forgiving heart:

Sunday: Forgive yourself.

Monday: Forgive your family.

Tuesday: Forgive your friends and associates.

Wednesday: Forgive across economic lines within your own nation.

Thursday: Forgive across cultural lines within your own nation.

Friday: Forgive across political lines within your own nation.

Saturday: Forgive other nations.

Only the brave know how to forgive. A coward never forgives.

It is not in his nature. — by Robert Muller

Now, Dear Readers, if you will forgive me for repeating a portion of the lovely poem titled "Forgiveness," by George Roemisch, here it is:

"Forgiveness is the fragrance of the violet that clings fast to the heel that crushed it."

So, if perchance you are the "heel" that crushed a violet, this is the week to seek forgiveness. — LOVE, ABBY

Good advice for everyone — teens to seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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Casino gambling referendum to come, newspaper says

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — In the coming weeks, new or revised measures to set up a statewide referendum on local-option casino gambling will emerge in Austin, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times reported Sunday.

State leaders have not given much hope for the success of legislative proposals to bring casino gambling to Texas. However, both sides agree that lawmakers may have a hard time voting against a proposal that would let voters make the final decision.

"It's very difficult to vote against letting the people decide," said Nick Kralj, who represents the Jack Binion casino operations, Station Casinos and Corpus Christi Greyhound Racing Associates.

Supporters and opponents of the controversial gaming issue said that existing casino bills will be scrapped within two to three weeks in favor of the statewide referendum, the newspaper reported.

The proposal would remove all enabling legislation, which dictates such specifics as where and how many casinos could be operated, until voters decide on a constitutional amendment giving local voters the final say.

Robert Floyd, president of the Texas Casino Development Association, said there is a plan to make changes in the casino proposals.

"(I'm not sure) if it will be a new bill or a committee substitute for the constitutional amendment," Floyd said. "A lot of people feel that (local option) needs to be on the constitutional amendment."

Meanwhile, anti-gambling forces are stepping up their efforts to fight the proposal.

"We're aware of the fact it's not over until it's over," said Dan Martin, executive director of Texans Against Gambling. "And we also know that all the other gambling initiatives (such as parimutuel horse racing and bingo) took several sessions to get legalized. The lottery came up in two regular sessions before being passed in a special session."

Casino promoters generally have supported a bill by Sen. Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, to allow as many as 30 casinos in Texas.

POLICE REPORTS

Sunday

Burglary of a Vehicle: Rudy Lopez reported $8,000 in various items taken from a vehicle at 409 E. Scharbauer Drive at 1:47 a.m.

Burglary of a Building: Rex TV and Appliance, 4717 N. Midkiff Road, reported a 25-inch television taken from a front display area. Entry was gained by breaking the front windows.

Burglary of a Residence: A microwave oven, telephone and answering machine reported taken from 3101 Roosevelt Drive at 8:40 a.m. Entry was gained through the back door.

Burglary of a Vehicle: An in-dash compact disc player, a handmade knife with bond handle and a folding buck knife were reported taken from a vehicle at 2301 Haynes Drive at 11:27 a.m.

Burglary of a Residence: A championship pendant for the Toronto Bluejays and Mike Timlin rookie baseball card were reported taken from 2906 Delano Ave. at 12:29 p.m.

Vandalism: Five tires on two vehicles at 2501 W. Kentucky Ave. were reported slashed at 1:16 p.m.

Anyone with information concerning these incidents should contact the Police Department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

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DOG SHOW — Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show, 8 p.m., USA.
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Sports Today

PREP BASKETBALL — Midland High girls vs. Ozona, practice game, 7 p.m., Chaparral Center.
JUCO BASKETBALL — Midland College women vs. South Plains College, 5:50 p.m., Levelland, KCRS (550 AM) radio.
Midland College men vs. South Plains College, 8 p.m., Levelland, KCRS (550 AM) radio.

MHS vs. Ozona

Since the Midland High Lady Dawgs have a first round bye in the Class 5A state playoffs, they will host Class 2A Ozona in a practice game at 7 p.m. today at Chaparral Center.

Ozona is the No. 4 ranked girls Class 2A team in the state and doesn't start the playoffs until this weekend. Midland High is still waiting on who its opponent will be in the area playoffs.

Tonight's game has no bearing on the state playoffs and is considered just a warmup. However, Ozona should be a worthy opponent for MHS since the Lady Lions do own a victory over playoff bound Midland Lee this year. Lee also owns the only district victory gained this year against the District 4-5A champion Lady Dawgs. MHS has won the district title in 4-5A three consecutive years.

SWC Standings

Southwest Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Texas	7	2	.778	15	5	.750
Texas Tech	7	2	.778	13	7	.650
TCU	6	3	.667	14	7	.667
Rice	5	4	.556	10	10	.500
Texas A&M	4	5	.444	11	13	.458
Houston	4	5	.444	7	14	.333
SMU	2	7	.222	5	15	.250
Baylor	1	8	.111	7	15	.318

World record

GHENT, Belgium — Moses Kiptanui of Kenya broke his world indoor record in the 3,000 meters by more than two seconds Sunday, clocking 7 minutes, 35.15 seconds, at the Coke Indoor meet.

Kiptanui had to run most of the race on his own and was even hindered by a lapped runner some 200 meters from the finish. Yet his momentum pushed him to the record. He had set the previous mark of 7:37.31 at Seville, Spain, on Feb. 20, 1992.

"The track here is especially good," he said.

Kiptanui also holds the world outdoor record in the 3,000-meter steeplechase.

Nelson suffers

PHOENIX — Golden State coach Don Nelson, beset by sickness and stress throughout a disappointing season, met with Warriors owner Chris Cohan this weekend to discuss his future.

The meetings came amid a report Nelson will step down Monday as coach and general manager, and assistant coach Bob Lanier will be appointed interim coach.

The San Jose Mercury News reported Nelson would be given a $1 million settlement. The newspaper also said Donn Nelson, the coach's son and a Warriors assistant coach, would step down with his father.

Warriors spokeswoman Julie Marvel said Sunday that Cohan and the elder Nelson met in Phoenix during the NBA All-Star weekend.

"Nothing has been decided. They're continuing to talk," Marvel said. "(Nelson) is still continuing to meet with Cohan on his future."

Lanier was an All-American center at St. Bonaventure before a distinguished NBA career.

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NBA West stars whip East

■ Centers Shaquille O'Neal and Hakeem Olajuwon save All-Star show by going downtown from three-point land.

By WENDY E. LANE
AP Sports Writer

PHOENIX — The outcome was decided and the crowd was bored.

Then the NBA's two best centers decided to step out of character, helping to save an otherwise uninspiring All-Star Game.

Before the West completed its 139-112 rout of the East on Sunday, things got downright silly. Like Shaquille O'Neal trying a 3-pointer. Like Hakeem Olajuwon making one.

The West was already comfortably ahead, 115-92, when O'Neal fired from long range. Predictably, the 7-foot-1 Orlando center hit nothing but ... air.

"It slipped," he said.

Olajuwon, a 7-footer, attempted a 3-pointer his next trip down the floor. He made his, though.

It was that kind of night for the Western All-Stars, who showed why their conference holds the balance of power in the NBA.

"I got that idea from Shaq, when he shot that three," Olajuwon said. "I said, 'Oh, that's a good idea! so I went for a three also."

Mitch Richmond, the Sacramento guard who was the game's most valuable player, was the perfect example of why the West is best. His 23 points led all scorers, and he shot 10-for-13, including all three of his 3-pointers, in his third All-Star Game.

"Mitch is great shooter who knows how to come off picks and when to shoot," said Seattle's Gary Payton, who had 15 assists.

Even O'Neal's first good performance as an All-Star — 22 points in 26 minutes — couldn't match the West's firepower.

Utah's Karl Malone and Phoenix's Charles Barkley had 15 points apiece. Houston's Hakeem Olajuwon had 13 points and 11 rebounds.

After two years of frustration, O'Neal finally had a good All-Star Game. With teammate Anfernee Hardaway to get him the ball, O'Neal looked comfortable and made 9 of 16 shots, banishing memories of his 2-for-12 performance last year.

Despite his efforts, though, the East was never really in this one, falling behind by 16 at halftime.

A 3-pointer by Joe Dumars made it 79-69 with 6:18 left in the third quarter. Then O'Neal grabbed a rebound, dribbled the length of the floor and drove to the basket, drawing the foul and cutting the lead to eight.

That was as close as the East got. The West proceeded to outscore the East 25-10. Richmond led the way with 10 points, including two 3-pointers, and the West capped the spurt with 3-pointers Richmond and Detlef Schrempf.

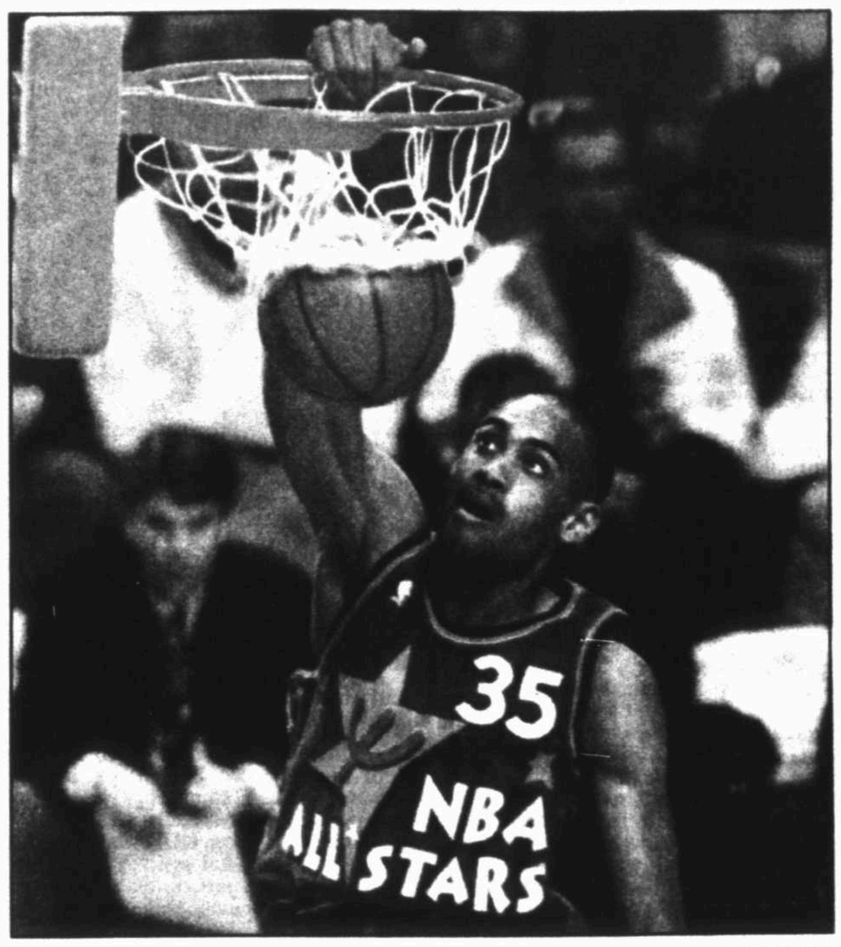
By the end of the period, the West was up 104-81, and that was that.

"When it got to be 20 points it was ridiculous," San Antonio's David Robinson said. "Some players started goofing around, and I think the crowd was a bit disappointed. But it got back on track."

In the fourth quarter, things started to get ragged, and the crowd lost interest before some hijinks by Barkley woke them up.

During a timeout with 5:50 left, the Suns' gorilla mascot was dunking off a springboard, and Barkley wanted to join the fun. But as he took the ball in his hands, team-

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AP Laserphoto
Detroit's Grant Hill slams one home for the East All-Stars. Hill was the leading vote getter for the NBA All-Star game which was played Sunday in Phoenix.

1995 CLASS 5A GIRLS BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS

Woodard finally playoff bound

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

Krissy Woodard will be the first to admit the first two years of her life on the Midland Lee girls varsity basketball team weren't what she had in mind when coach Elise Kail called upon her as a sophomore to possibly lead the Lady Rebels to the playoffs.

The pressure that accompanies a 6-foot-2 sophomore who some hoped would continue the Lady Rebels long playoff tradition was enormous. She had a lot to live up to even in that first year.

"They (observers) were saying when I was a sophomore, 'Krissy Woodard's a great player,'" said Woodard, who as a senior will lead the Lady Rebels into the playoffs for the first time since 1992 when they take on Lubbock Coronado at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday in Seminole. It will also be Woodard's first venture into postseason play.

"But I didn't think I really was. It doesn't come in one year," Woodard said of those high expectations. "I've worked really hard to get to where I am now and I definitely wasn't there when I first got here."

Still, Woodard played good enough as a starter for her entire sophomore year (1993) to earn second team All-District 4-5A.

But the Lady Rebels missed the playoffs, mostly because team unity fell apart, Woodard said.

"When I was a sophomore, I got yelled at all the time," Woodard said. "One time after a game (in which) we played really badly, we were in the locker room and I said we could have won that game if we had played more like a team and gone for the loose balls and hustled a lot. They (upperclassmen) told me 'You don't know anything, sophomore.' Then Coach Kail came in and told them the same thing that I did."

One year's experience did not fare much better. As a junior, Woodard led the team in scoring and in rebounding and moved up to the first team all-district. But the playoff berth still eluded the Lady Rebels. Again, Woodard said, team unity played an integral part in Lee's playoff failures. And, as an underclassmen, she still did not feel like she had any business taking over the team leadership.

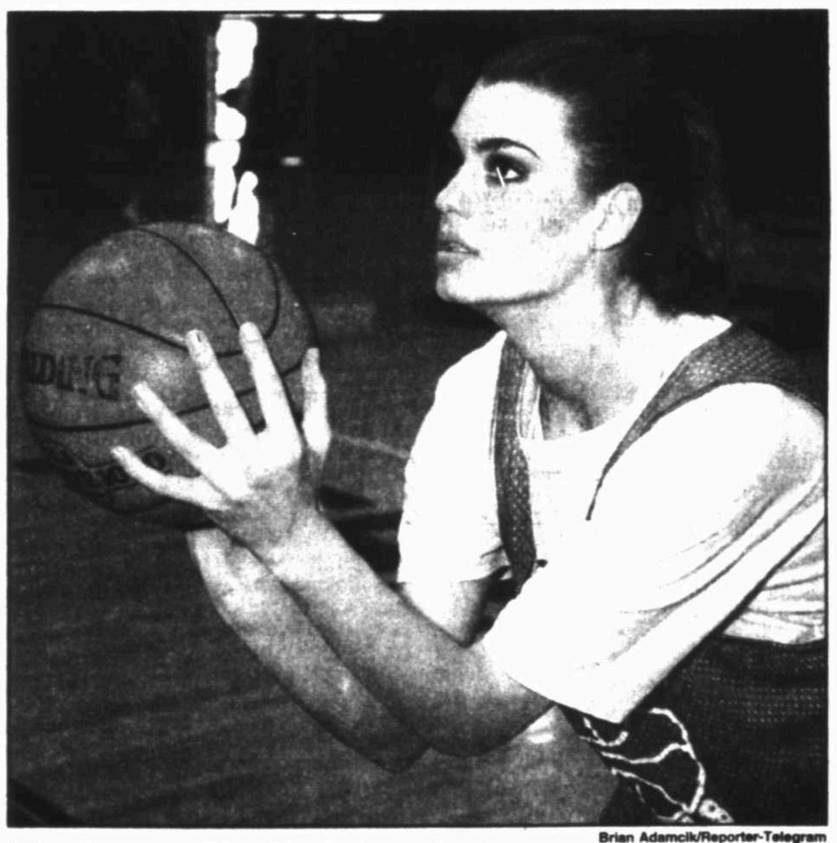
Kail even pondered the fact that she might lose her star pupil to the frustration.

"I think last year she was bordering on whether or not she wanted to play," Kail said.

Actually, the doubts were more pronounced during that first year on the varsity, Woodard said.

"Seeing that basketball takes up most of your time and we weren't having very much success, I wasn't having very much fun," Woodard said. "I felt at times that there was no point in pursuing what is making your life miserable. High school is supposed to be fun. My sophomore year I thought about quitting because it wasn't fun. You think

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram
Midland Lee senior Krissy Woodard has waited three years, but now she has a shot at playing in the Class 5A girls basketball state playoffs for the first time.

Chap teams need wins

By Bill Petitt and Stewart Doreen
Staff Writers

The stakes are high for Midland College today when they travel to Levelland to face South Plains College at the Texan Dome.

A win by the Chaps would keep Midland in at least a tie for first place with New Mexico Junior College. It would assure Midland of no worse than a second place finish in the conference and would give Midland a ticket to the Region V Tournament in Waco March 3-6.

With the chips on the table, MC coach Pat Rafferty will have to gamble on his lineup to stop the small, but quick, Texan starting five.

South Plains presents a matchup problem for the Chaps. The starting lineup average 6-foot-1 with 6-6 Sonny Givens the only player above 6-3.

"They do give us a matchup problem on the defensive end," said Rafferty, who has split two games with SPC this season, losing in the conference tournament back in December and defeating the Texans 95-91 at the Chap Center Jan. 19.

"With Ben (Radford) and Shedrich (Franklin) in the game for us, one of those guys has a difficult matchup because they have to defend a quicker, perimeter, more skilled player. I expect them to zone us, so we won't get to take advantage of any size advantage on the other end of the floor. We have a difficult matchup when our true starters are in the game."

Radford, a 6-6, sophomore center, had 10 points in the last meeting, but the key could be the play of reserve Rob Foster. Foster, a 6-4 freshman from Los Angeles who played point guard in high school and during his tenure at Indiana University before transferring to Midland, will be stationed at a forward position. His ball handling skills and quickness could offset the Texans' smaller lineup.

"They have Corey Wright back and he has been pushing the ball up well so we

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Earnhardt flies to big start

By MIKE HARRIS
AP Motorsports Writer

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Not that it's a big surprise, but the battle lines have now been drawn for next Sunday's Daytona 500.

Dale Earnhardt, the master of the trophy dash, won another Busch Clash on Sunday at Daytona International Speedway. But, more important, he and several other Chevrolet drivers proved beyond much doubt that the new Monte Carlos will be a serious threat in the 500-mile race.

Coming into Daytona's Speed Weeks, it was a given that Dale Jarrett, now the driver of the powerful No. 28 Ford Thunderbird, would be at least one of the men to beat.

He backed that up Saturday by winning the pole position for the 500. But Earnhardt's Monte Carlo was right there, missing the pole by just .011-seconds. And Jarrett, who never before had won a pole, was not in the 16-car lineup for Sunday's 20-lap, 50-mile Clash, a made-for-TV race for the previous year's pole-winners.

Those two, the only drivers who already have clinched starting positions in the 42-car field for next Sunday, will each start from the pole in one of Thursday's Twin 125-mile qualifing races, and they will not go head-to-head until the big show.

"It looks like we've got our work cut out for us," Jarrett said after watching Earnhardt lead all but two laps on Daytona's 2 1/2-mile oval in winning his sixth Clash in nine tries.

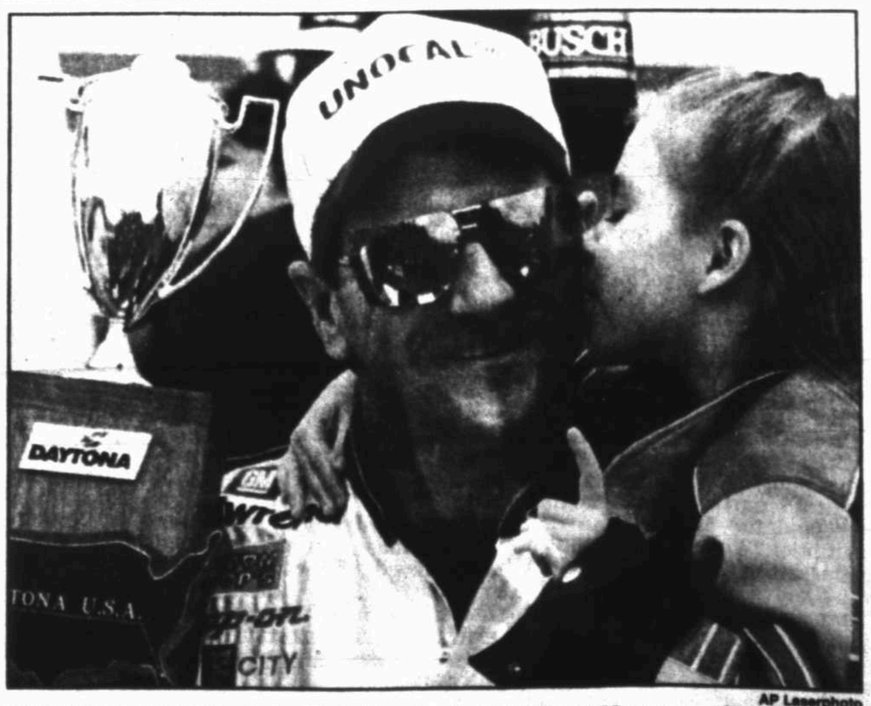
The Clash is separated into two 10-lap segments, with the field inverted for the start of the second half. No problem for Earnhardt.

In 1991, the first year of this format, Earnhardt won both halves, coming from 14th to win take the checkered flag at the end of the 50-mile run.

In 1993, he was second after 10 laps, again started the second half 14th and raced off to the win.

This time, Earnhardt started from the outside of the front row, took the lead at the green flag and kept his new Monte Carlo comfortably out front for nine laps.

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AP Laserphoto
1994 Winston Cup Champion Dale Earnhardt starts the 1995 season off right with a kiss from 6-year-old daughter Taylor after winning the Busch Clash Sunday.

NBA: Pippen thinks East squad was just a bit too unselfish

(From 1C)

mate Dan Majerle pulled him back, and West coach Paul Westphal came running on the court to stop him, too.

For the East, Orlando's Anfernee Hardaway and Chicago's Scottie Pippen had 17 apiece, and Hardaway added 11 assists. Dumars scored 10, and his Pistons teammate, rookie Grant Hill, had 10.

After the East took a 127-118 decision last year at Minneapolis, the West won for the third time in four years.

"It wasn't that great of a game, but as far as our side of it, I think we were just too unselfish," said Pippen, the MVP of last year's game, a 127-118. "We tried to get everyone involved and it just backfired."

The first half was a dunkathon, with 16 jams. And neither team was hitting from outside, going a combined 3-for-20 from 3-point range.

The West used a big second quarter to take control, hitting hitting 18 of 29 shots for 62 percent. None was a 3-pointer, though, and the West finished the half 0-for-11 from long range.

The West used a 34-15 run in the second half to grab a 63-43 lead. A basket by Malone, who had 13 points on 5-for-5 shooting in the last 6:09 before halftime gave the West the 20-point margin. The East cut it to 72-56 by intermission.

Barkley, Malone and Shawn Kemp — the West's power forwards — were powerful, going a combined 14-for-17.

"We got a little run going," Malone said. "We took it real serious in key stretches."

First-time All-Star Tyrone Hill of Cleveland, who was doubtful for the game because of a sprained finger, logged six minutes and scoring two points.

The East was without one of its assistant coaches. Orlando assistant coach Richie Adubato watched the game from a local hospital after feeling short of breath earlier in the day.

UConn nails Orangemen

By The Associated Press

SYRACUSE, N.Y. — Third-ranked Connecticut set itself up for college basketball history with a 77-70 victory over No. 10 Syracuse on Sunday.

The Huskies (19-1, 12-0 Big East) extended their own conference record with 17 consecutive regular-season victories, but they also set themselves for a possible move to No. 1 with losses last week by top-ranked North Carolina and No. 2 Kansas.

If Connecticut, which has never been ranked No. 1, does move to the top of the rankings Monday, it would be the first time teams from the same school have occupied the No. 1 spot in both polls. The Connecticut women's team (21-0) has been No. 1 since beating Tennessee in mid-January.

Connecticut's latest victory gave its a two-game lead over Syracuse (17-4, 10-2), which it beat 86-75 earlier in the season. That game featured a 22-point turnaround in the final 11 minutes.

Sunday's game wasn't decided until the final 2:22, when the Huskies took the lead for good at 69-68 on a free throw by Travis Knight. Connecticut, which struggled from the outside throughout, scored the next eight points — six from the free throw line — as the Orangemen missed all four shots they took. Their final points came on a layup by Lawrence Moten with 9.8 seconds to play.



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Connecticut coach Jim Calhoun, left, mirrors his player Ray Allen (34) as he defends Syracuse's Otis Hill during college action Sunday.

No. 1 N. Carolina 85, No. 18 Georgia Tech 81

ATLANTA — Rasheed Wallace had 27 points, including seven dunks, as top-ranked North Carolina snapped No. 18 Georgia Tech's 15-game home winning streak.

Wallace scored 10 of his points in the final 5:37 as the Tar Heels (19-2, 9-2 Atlantic Coast Conference) held off the Yellow Jackets (15-8, 6-5) who twice cut the Carolina lead to 1 point.

Travis Best led Tech with 20 points.

Carolina ended Tech's run of four consecutive victories over No. 1-ranked teams, three of those coming over the Tar Heels and the other over Duke in a streak that began in 1993. It was Tech's first loss at home since Duke won 66-63 on Feb. 8 last year.

Jerry Stackhouse added 16 points and Dante Calabria and Donald Williams 13 each for Carolina.

Tech got 17 points from Michael Maddox and 16 each from Matt Harpring and Drew Barry, who left with a twisted ankle with 3:09 left just after reserve Pearce Landry hit a 3-pointer out of hte left corner to give the Heels a 77-73 lead.

Carolina led through most of the first half before two freshman scored all the points in a 10-0 Tech run — eight by Maddox and the other two by Harpring — to build a 40-31 lead 2:48 before halftime.

No. 5 Kentucky 97, Notre Dame 58

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — Walter McCarty scored 20 points — 12 in the first five minutes of the game — as No. 5 Kentucky defeated Notre Dame.

It was the worst loss at home for the Irish (14-9) since 1898, when they lost 64-8 to First Regiment. It also was the fifth win in a row over the Irish for the Wildcats (17-3). Notre Dame (14-9) has not beaten Kentucky since the 1989-90 season.

McCarty's early scoring burst gave Kentucky a 16-3 lead with 15:14 to go in the first half, and Notre Dame couldn't recover. The Irish cut the lead to 7 with 13:57 left, but it was the closest they would come for the rest of the game.

Tony Delk, Kentucky's leading scorer at 16.5, had 13 points. But the Wildcats got solid efforts, as six players finished in double figures. In addition to McCarty and Delk, Antoine Walker and Jared Prickett finished with 13, Anthony Epps 11 and Jeff Sheppard 10.

The Wildcats stifled Notre Dame defensively the entire game. Pat Garrity, leading scorer for the Irish, had only 1 point in the first half, and finished with 7.

California 74, No. 9 Arizona 72

TUCSON, Ariz. — The only points of the game by K.C. Roberts — with 1.6 seconds remaining — gave California an upset over ninth-ranked Arizona, the Golden Bears' second takedown of a Pac-10 leader in the last 16 days.

The Golden Bears (12-8, 4-7 Pac-10) built a 17-point lead early in the second half, but Arizona staged a furious rally and tied the game twice. The last deadlock — 72-72 when Joseph Blair got a tipin with 14 seconds remaining — set the stage for Roberts.

He drove into the lane and hit a 10-foot jumper.

Arizona's long in-bounds pass was intercepted, but Monty Buckley traveled. Given another chance, Arizona in-bounded from half-court with 1 second remaining. But Blair couldn't get off a shot before the buzzer.

Arizona (18-5, 8-3) fell into second place behind UCLA — which lost its lead when it was beaten at home by Cal on Jan. 28.

No. 17 Virginia 75, UNLV 65

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Freshman Curtis Staples led an outside shooting assault by No. 17 Virginia, hitting a school-record nine 3-pointers in the Cavaliers' victory over UNLV.

Staples hit 9 of 12 from long range and finished with 27 points — eight better than his previous career high — as the Cavaliers (16-6) won their fourth consecutive game. He broke the Virginia record of eight 3-pointers by Richard Morgan, set in 1989 against North Carolina.

Virginia guard Harold Deane hit 5 of 11 3-pointers and matched his career high with 28 points.

UNLV (9-10) double- and triple-teamed Virginia's No. 1 scorer, forward Junior Burrough. Burrough, who came in averaging 17.1 points, was frustrated down low and held to eight points, but Virginia found plenty of openings from the outside, hitting 14 of 28 3-point tries.

The loss marked the end of a five-game road trip for UNLV, which has played 15 away games this season. The Runnin' Rebels play five of their last seven at home.

Indiana 82, No. 25 Purdue 73

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Alan Henderson scored 26 points and freshman Charlie Miller had a season-high 21 Sunday as Indiana snapped Purdue's six-game winning streak and beat the No. 25-ranked Boilermakers 82-73.

The 6-foot-7 Miller, whose best previous game was 16 points against Northwestern, had 12 points in the final 10 minutes after Purdue cut a 16-point Indiana lead to three.

Indiana (14-9, 6-5 Big Ten) never trailed, but lost its big lead early in the second half when Purdue (16-6, 7-3) started hitting 3-point shots.

Cuonzo Martin, held to one point in the first half, had five 3-pointers in the second half and finished with 20 points for the Boilermakers. A 3-pointer by Chad Austin pulled Purdue within 51-46, then two minutes later a fast-break slam by Justin Jennings brought Purdue within 55-52.

That's when Miller took over. He hit a 3-pointer to put the Hoosiers up 58-52, then after a free throw by Purdue's Roy Hairston, Indiana scored again on a basket by Brian Evans and a layup by Miller.

The Hoosiers continued widening the lead, and Purdue never came closer than seven after that.

Miller hit 9-of-11 from the field and Henderson was 8-of-10 and had a game-high 11 rebounds. Jennings had 15 points and Brandon Brantley 13 for the Boilermakers.

LOCAL SPORTS

Lee golfers place 2nd at tourney

SAN ANTONIO _ Charlie Prince fired a final round 79 and won a playoff for medalist honors to lead the Midland Lee boys golf team to a second place finish at the San Antonio Invitational Golf Tournament here Saturday.

San Antonio Churchill won the event with a 636 team score, 14 stroke better than Lee.

Midland High finished fourth in the event with a 640 team total.

Prince won his playoff with a Del Rio golfer on the second hole.

Both teams will be competing in the Abilene Invitational Tournament next week.

Here are the Midland and Lee results of the San Antonio Invitational Saturday.

Lee Individuals: K.J. Sanchez 81-87-168; Charlie Prince 76-79-155, Ryan Lovell, 80-83-163, Thomas Munoz, 81-86-167; Rob Irelan, 78-83-161.

Midland High: Josh Jacobs, 79-78-157; Kerry Gentry, 78-82-160; J.J. Castillo, 87-86-173; Trey Thompson, 84-80-164; Grondahl, 85-87-172

Woody wins Sunday race

Ken Woody blazed past the rest of the field, winning the "I Love to Run three-miler" by one minute and 22 seconds with a time of 17-minutes and 15 seconds.

Angela Welsh won the women's race with a time of 19:32.

The event, sponsored by the Permian Basin Road Runners Club, was held at Midland College.

Here are the results of the I Love to Run 3-miler fun run held Sunday at Midland College.

Men's Division

1. Ken Woody, 17 minutes and 15 seconds; 2. John Eberly, 18:37; 3. Steven Vest, 19:49; 4. Mark O'Brien 20:16; 5. Gary Covington, 20:27; 6. Garry Ryon 20:32; 6. Herb Vogel, 20:37; 7. Trey Davis 20:51; 8. Eddie Lopez 21:53; 9. Juaquin Valdez Jr., 22:06; 10. Bruce Hardison 22:41.

Women's Division

1. Angela Welsh, 19:32; 2. Peg McKallip 21:14; 3. Katie Simpson 24:44; 4. Carla Warden 25:29; 5. Arlyne Ragan, 30:20

Couples Division

1. Cindy and Berry Simpson, 26:33; 2. Keith and Kelly Courts, 30:26.

Area teams end in third place tie

BIG SPRING - Host Big Spring fired a second day 344 team score to secure a four-way tie for third place with Lamesa, Monahans and Abilene High at the Big Spring Invitational Saturday.

Midland Lee finished in seventh place with a team score of 666 and Midland High finished in ninth with a 671 team score.

Andrews finished in eighth with a 668 total.

Lee medalist Rob Freeman tied for fourth with Big Spring's Jake McCullough with a 157 total after an 80 on Saturday.

Here are the final results of the Big Spring Invitational Golf Tournament played Friday and Saturday.

Team Results: 1. Odessa Permian 318-324—642, 2. Abilene Cooper 1 323-325—648, 3. (tie) Abilene High 334-330—664, Big Spring 320-344—664, Lamesa 331-333—664, Monahans 342-322—664; **7. Midland Lee 321-345—666;** 8. Andrews 333-335—668; **9. Midland High 318-353—671;** 10. San Angelo Central 339-342—681; 11. Amarillo Caprock 336-347—683; 12. San Angelo Lakeview 345-348—693; 13. Fort Stockton 361-338—699; 14. Abilene Cooper 2 333-367—700; 15. Big Spring 2 347-364—711; 16. Dumas 404-443—847; 17. Amarillo Palo Duro 422-499—921.

Medalist Results: 1. J.W. Lowh, San Angelo Central 73-78-151; 2. Paul Helms, Abilene Cooper 1 74-79—153; 3. Chris Webster, San Angelo Lakeview 80-76—156; 4. (tie) Rob Freeman, Lee 77-80—157 and Jake McCullough, Big Spring 76-81—157.

Midland High (318-353—671): Chris Owen 79-85—164, Austin Cropper 93-88—181, Michael Turner 79-89—169, Casey Green 82-91—173, Mykale Van Stavern 78-93—171.

Midland Lee (321-345—666): Kelly McClatchey 84-86—170, Rob Freeman 77-80—157, Gary Bryant 81-91—172, Alan Stutes 82-91—173, Sean Clements 91-88—169.

Lamesa (331-333—664): Bryan Hawkins 79-81—160, Kevin Taylor 86-76—162, Clint Franklin 86-85—171, Ross Tyler 82-93—175, Andy Hawkins 84-91—175.

Big Spring 1 (320-344—644): Jake McCullough 76-81—157, Pat Carter 74-85—159, Ryan William 80-90—170, Mike Balderach 90-90—180, Charlie Marmolejo 92-88—180.

Big Spring 2 (347-364—711): Justin Cole 82-77—159, Weldon Gibbs 90-98—188, Matt Flaherty 82-88—170, Nick Demetres 93-101—194.

Goddard blanks Nimitz in soccer

Hilory Davis scored two goals to lead Goddard's seventh grade girls soccer team to a 4-0 win over Odessa Nimitz Saturday afternoon.

Meredith Meyers and Jill Knottek scored one goal each for Goddard, now 1-0 on the year.

Goalies Lindsey Leaverton and Kristy Heard combined for the shutout.

Jacobsen wins; puts golf aside to retain love affair with his wife

By The Associated Press

■ Golf Roundup

SAN DIEGO — After consecutive tournament victories, nearly $500,000 in earnings and a combined 36 strokes under par in eight rounds, Peter Jacobsen will put golf aside. Love is the reason.

He promised his wife, Jan, a 40th birthday party at home in Oregon on Thursday, which will conflict with the start of the Bob Hope Chrysler Classic.

"The party's going to be very sweet now, after these two weeks," Jacobsen said on Sunday after a 4-under-par 68 gave him a four-stroke victory in the Buick Invitational.

Jacobsen birdied the 18th hole on the Torrey Pines South Course to finish with a 72-hole total of 19-under 269 and consecutive victories for the first time in his 19-year pro career.

One week earlier, he won the AT&T National Pro-Am at Pebble Beach with a tournament-record 17-under 271.

Jacobsen, who will resurface for the Nissan Open at Riviera on Feb. 23-26, isn't concerned about a one-week layoff.

"If you're playing well, you're playing well," he said. "Let's don't forget that your body knows what to do because your mind tells it what to do. And I feel like I've got some good thoughts going, some good swing fundamentals, some swing keys that I've been working on for a good part of a year now."

Jacobsen, 41, became the sixth player to win two straight tournaments in the 1990s, which was last done by Nick Price and then David Frost in 1993.

"It's a nice accomplishment," said Jacobsen, who won for just the sixth time on the PGA Tour. "It's not like winning a major; it's probably not that great, but it's hard to do."

Until Pebble Beach, Jacobsen hadn't won since the Bob Hope early in 1990.

After sinking a 2-foot birdie putt on 18, Jacobsen picked up his wife and acted like he was going to throw her into the pond that fronts the green, but backed off.

Tying for second place at 15-under 273 were Kirk Triplett, who saved par on 18 after hitting into the water; Mike Hulbert, who putted one-handed the entire tournament; Hal Sutton; and Mark Calcavecchia. Calcavecchia and Hulbert shot 68 while Triplett and Sutton had 69s. Dan Pohl (70) and Dillard Pruitt (68) tied for sixth at 13-under 275.

Defending champion Craig Stadler shot a 3-under 69 to finish in a four-way tie for 12th at 13-under 277.

Jacobsen started the round with a three-shot lead at 15-under. But Hulbert, playing in the group ahead of Jacobsen, opened with three straight birdies to go 14-under.

"There is a tendency when you get a lead to be a little complacent," said Jacobsen, who bogeyed No. 2 but immediately recovered for a birdie. "I think that helped me so much to the point where I said, OK well that three-shot lead is history, and now you've got to play again.' And I really relaxed and calmed down."

Jacobsen set up his final birdie with a 334-yard drive on the par-5, 498-yard 18th.

"When that adrenalin gets pumping, you can do anything," said Jacobsen, who then had a safe 7-iron approach shot over the water, 30 feet above and to the right of the hole.

Jacobsen won $216,000 from the $1.2 million Buick purse and expanded his lead on the money list to $470,961, more than he had won in any year since 1990, when he earned a career-best $547,279.

The AT&T was worth $252,000, giving him $468,000 in two weeks.

Jacobsen said he's looking for more than just leading the money list.

"There have been many guys who come out early and win golf tournaments and have major years, and that's what I hope to do," he said. "I'd love to win a major championship. If I play like I did the last two weeks, I think I would have a chance."

Seniors Challenge

NAPLES, Fla. — Bob Murphy is becoming the king of the abbreviated tournament championship.

"Where is that lucky ol' dog?" Senior PGA player Larry Gilbert said, shortly after Murphy was declared champion of the IntelliNet Challenge without hitting a third-round shot.

It was Murphy's fifth career Senior Tour win, and the second in an event shortened to 36 holes.

"Irishmen are lucky," said Murphy, who finished at 7-under-par 137. "That's all there is to it."

After play was twice suspended by lightning, and then rain began to fall on The Vineyard's Country Club course, Senior Tour officials ruled there was insufficient daylight remaining to start the eight threesomes that had yet to start and called play.

That gave Murphy a 1-stroke victory over Ray Floyd, who was runner-up for the second straight week.

Mike Hill and Rocky Thompson were next at 140.

Canary Islands Open

SAN BARTOLOME DE TIRAJANA, Canary Islands— Jarmo Sandelin of Sweden shot a final round 2-under-par 70 and won the $375,000 Canary Islands Open by one shot over Spain's Seve Ballesteros and England's Paul Eales.

Ballesteros held a 2-stroke lead going into the final round but slipped to his second straight round of 1-over 73 for a total of 283. Sandelin finished at 6-under 282.

Eales shot a final-round 1-under 71.

Sweden's Anders Forsbrand finished two strokes back at 284 after a closing 71.

"It's more difficult for me to win the Canary Islands Open than the U.S. Masters," said Ballesteros, who has won the U.S. event twice. "It was difficult to putt on the greens.

"Sandelin started so-so (in the tournament), then he holed a few putts and got confidence. He did not make one mistake."

Sandelin opened with a 74, then carded a 72 and followed with a sizzling 66 over the 6,868-yard Maspalomas Golf Club course to pull within two strokes of Ballesteros and the lead.

Strike talks move away from table

NEW YORK (AP) — All the action in the baseball strike this week figures to be away from the bargaining table — not that there's been much progress in that area over the past half-year.

Union head Donald Fehr has scheduled regional meetings with players and agents on Thursday in Orlando, Fla., and on Saturday in Phoenix. On Wednesday, Fehr and acting commissioner Bud Selig are scheduled to testify in Washington before a Senate subcommittee.

"Hopefully, we'll get back to the table as soon as possible," Selig said Sunday as the strike began its seventh month. "That's all I can say. It's in everybody's interest for everybody to get back to the table."

On Tuesday, Sens. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, and Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., will introduce the first bipartisan bill to partially repeal the owners' antitrust exemption. While the Republican leadership of Congress has said it won't move ahead on President Clinton's bill for binding arbitration, House Speaker Newt Gingrich refused to rule out antitrust action.

"I'm perfectly willing to look at the antitrust exemption, except that's not what the president has asked us to do," Gingrich said Saturday in Waleska, Ga. "I think it is conceivable that it should be repealed, but only for the majors, not the minors."

Selig and Fehr are to testify before the Judiciary Committee's subcommittee on antitrust, business rights and competition, chaired by Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C. Hatch, the Judiciary Committee chairman, hopes to vote the measure out of committee in about a month.

Other senators have made clear they don't want to deal with any aspect of the sport.

"Forget about baseball and get on with other issues," Sen. Joseph Biden, D-Del., said Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press."

White House Chief of Staff Leon Panetta said on the same program that Clinton didn't regret his personal intervention, even though it failed.

"It certainly is an important issue to those communities that are involved," Panetta said. "It's an important issue to those people that have jobs that are related to baseball. It's an important issue to Americans generally to try to deal with this issue. ... I think this was the right thing to do."

Baltimore Orioles owner Peter Angelos, the most frequent critic of management's bargaining position, predicted Sunday the suggestions made by mediator W.J. Usery will lead to a settlement in about two weeks.

"I'm optimistic. I think it can be reached," Angelos said during an interview with Baltimore television station WMAR. "You take Usery's framework and you get the two sides together and we'll get together and you work off that proposal. As the two sides work on that framework, they will arrive at a common ground."

Usery proposed a 50-percent tax on the portion of payroll above $40 million, a figure about $700,000 under the 1994 average according to management's calculations.

Last Thursday, Philadelphia Phillies outfielder Lenny Dykstra openly said players should consider accepting the framework — challenging the stance of the union's negotiating committee.

"I'm not a big-name guy and I don't have a lot of clout. But I'm interested in what Lenny has to say and in seeing how many other guys feel that way," Expos catcher Darrin Fletcher was quoted as saying in Sunday's editions of the Montreal Gazette.

"From what I read, there's a framework in there," Fletcher was quoted as saying.

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EAST (112)

G.Hill 5-8 0-4 10, Pippen 5-15 0-0 12, O'Neal 9-16 4-7 22, Hardaway 4-9 4-6 12, Miller 3-9 0-0 9, Dumars 5-8 0-0 11, Ewing 4-7 2-2 10, Barros 2-5 0-0 5, Johnson 2-3 2-2 7, Mourning 4-9 2-3 10, Baker 0-2 2-4 2, T.Hill 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 44-92 16-28 112.

WEST (139)

Barkley 7-12 0-0 15, Kemp 4-6 5-6 13, Olajuwon 6-13 0-2 13, Majerle 4-12 0-0 10, Sprewell 4-9 1-1 9, Payton 3-10 0-0 6, Richmond 10-13 0-0 23, Robinson 3-5 4-6 10, Schrempf 4-11 0-0 9, Mutombo 6-8 0-0 12, Malone 6-6 3-4 15, Stockton 2-6 0-0 4. Totals 59-111 13-19 139.

East	**28**	**28**	**25**	**31**	**— 112**
West	**31**	**41**	**32**	**35**	**— 139**

3-Point goals—East 8-22 (Miller 3-6, Pippen 2-6, Johnson 1-1, Dumars 1-2, Barros 1-3, Mourning 0-1, O'Neal 0-1, Hardaway 0-2), West 8-27 (Richmond 3-3, Majerle 2-7, Olajuwon 1-1, Barkley 1-4, Schrempf 1-4, Sprewell 0-2, Payton 0-3, Stockton 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—East 49 (Mourning 8), West 69 (Olajuwon 11). Assists—East 33 (Hardaway 11), West 44 (Payton 15). Total fouls—East 17, West 17. A—18,755 (19,023).

All-Star MVPs

By Associated Press

1995 — Mitch Richmond, Sacramento
1994 — Scottie Pippen, Chicago
1993 — Karl Malone and John Stockton, Utah
1992 — Magic Johnson, LA Lakers
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1989 — Karl Malone, Utah
1988 — Michael Jordan, Chicago
1987 — Tom Chambers, Seattle
1986 — Isiah Thomas, Detroit
1985 — Ralph Sampson, Houston
1984 — Isiah Thomas, Detroit
1983 — Julius Erving, Philadelphia
1982 — Larry Bird, Boston
1981 — Tiny Archibald, Boston
1980 — Geo Gervin, San Antonio
1979 — David Thompson, Denver
1978 — Randy Smith, Buffalo
1977 — Julius Erving, Philadelphia
1976 — Dave Bing, Detroit
1975 — Walt Frazier, New York
1974 — Bob Lanier, Detroit
1973 — Dave Cowens, Boston
1972 — Jerry West, Los Angeles
1971 — Lenny Wilkens, Seattle
1970 — Willis Reed, New York
1969 — Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati
1968 — Hal Greer, Philadelphia
1967 — Rick Barry, San Francisco
1966 — Adrian Smith, Cincinnati
1965 — Jerry Lucas, Cincinnati
1964 — Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati
1963 — Bill Russell, Boston

NHL Summaries

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
N.Y. Islanders	5	5	1	11	30	36
N.Y. Rangers	5	6	1	11	32	31
Tampa Bay	5	6	1	11	36	37
Florida	5	7	1	11	32	38
New Jersey	4	5	2	10	23	26
Philadelphia	4	7	1	9	25	35
Washington	2	6	2	6	17	25
Northeast Division						
Pittsburgh	**10**	**0**	**1**	**21**	**51**	**30**
Quebec	10	1	0	20	43	20
Boston	7	3	1	15	33	24
Buffalo	6	5	1	13	24	25
Montreal	4	4	2	10	26	27
Hartford	2	7	2	6	25	29
Ottawa	1	8	2	4	25	39

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Chicago	8	3	0	16	48	23
Detroit	7	4	1	15	45	27
St. Louis	6	4	1	13	46	36
Toronto	5	5	3	13	38	39
Winnipeg	3	6	3	9	34	43
Dallas	3	5	2	8	29	29
Pacific Division						
Calgary	**8**	**4**	**1**	**13**	**39**	**27**
San Jose	5	4	2	12	24	33
Edmonton	5	5	2	12	34	41
Los Angeles	3	5	3	9	36	39
Anaheim	4	8	0	8	24	48
Vancouver	2	4	4	8	28	40

Sunday's Games
Edmonton 2, Anaheim 0
New Jersey 4, Florida 2
Boston 2, Buffalo 1
Los Angeles 4, Detroit 4, tie
Monday's Games
Hartford at Montreal, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
Calgary at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m.
Winnipeg at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.

Kings 4, Red Wings 4

Los Angeles	**0**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**— 4**
Detroit	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**— 4**

First Period—1, Detroit, Fedorov 6 (Brown, Ramsey), 4:10. 2, Detroit, Fedorov 7 (Kozlov, Konstantinov), 7:41.
Second Period—3, Detroit, Fedorov 8 (Lidstrom, Coffey), 3:12 (pp). 4, Los Angeles, Zhitnik 2 (Kurri, Tocchet), 18:16 (pp). 5, Detroit, Fedorov 9, 19:30 (sh).
Third Period—6, Los Angeles, Lang 2, 3:59. 7, Los Angeles, Burridge 1 (Gretzky, Kurri), 9:16. 8, Los Angeles, Quinn 1 (Zhitnik, Tocchet), 14:10.
Overtime—None.
Shots on goal—Los Angeles 6-11-12-2—31. Detroit 24-10-10-5—49.
Missed penalty shot—Fedorov, Detroit, 3:52, overtime.
Power-play Opportunities—Los Angeles 1 of 5; Detroit 1 of 4.
Goalies—Los Angeles, Hrudey 2-2-2 (49 shots-45 saves). Detroit, Vernon 4-3-1 (31-27).
A—19,875 (19,275).

Devils 4, Panthers 2

New Jersey	**1**	**1**	**2**	**—**	**4**
Florida	**1**	**1**	**0**	**—**	**2**

First Period—1, Florida, Hough 2 (Laus, Hull), 11:25. 2, New Jersey, McKay 1 (S.Niedermayer), 19:30.
Second Period—3, New Jersey, Holik 2 (Peluso), 4:05. 4, Florida, Lowry 4 (Fitzgerald, Barnes), 13:30.
Third Period—5, New Jersey, Peluso 1 (Holik, McKay), 12:50. 6, New Jersey, Richer 5, 19:38 (en).
Shots on goal—New Jersey 6-15-7—28. Florida 9-9-3—21.
Power-play Opportunities—New Jersey 0 of 1; Florida 0 of 3.
Goalies—New Jersey, Brodeur 4-2-2 (21 shots-19 saves). Florida, Vanbiesbrouck 3-5-1 (27-24).
A—14,375 (14,503).

Oilers 2, Ducks 0

Anaheim	**0**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**0**
Edmonton	**1**	**0**	**1**	**—**	**2**

First Period—1, Edmonton, Buchberger 2 (Marchant, Thornton), 12:35.
Second Period—None.
Third Period—2, Edmonton, Thornton 2, 19:12 (en).
Shots on goal—Anaheim 4-5-20—29. Edmonton 20-15-10—45.
Power-play Opportunities—Anaheim 0 of 4; Edmonton 0 of 5.
Goalies—Anaheim, Hebert 1-5-1 (44 shots-43 saves). Edmonton, Ranford 4-4-2 (29-29).
A—12,487 (17,503).

Bruins 2, Sabres 1

Boston	**1**	**0**	**1**	**—**	**2**
Buffalo	**0**	**1**	**0**	**—**	**1**

First Period—1, Boston, Smolinski 3 (Reid, Leach), 18:49.
Second Period—2, Buffalo, Audette 4, 11:13.
Third Period—3, Boston, Bourque 3 (Oates, Kasatonov), 18:14 (pp).
Shots on goal—Boston 12-6-13—31. Buffalo 7-8-8—21.
Power-play Opportunities—Boston 1 of 3; Buffalo 0 of 4.
Goalies—Boston, Riendeau 1-2-1 (21 shots-20 saves). Buffalo, Hasek 5-3-1 (31-29).
A—16,230 (16,284).

College Basketball

Men's Scores

By Associated Press

EAST
Coast Guard 86, W. New England 67
Connecticut 77, Syracuse 70
Hendrix 92, Sewanee 72
Moravian 85, Juniata 75
Plymouth St. 107, Rhode Island Coll. 100
St. Joseph's 81, Rhode Island 64
Westbrook 97, Green Mountain 89
SOUTH
Alice Lloyd 96, Montreat-Anderson 74
Newport News 73, Averett 56
North Carolina 85, Georgia Tech 81
Randolph-Macon 76, Emory & Henry 67
Rhodes 72, Centre 65
South Alabama 89, Jacksonville 69
Temple 53, Louisville 48
Virginia 75, UNLV 65
MIDWEST
Bowling Green 79, Ohio U. 68
Cincinnati 116, Dayton 63
Indiana 82, Purdue 73
Kentucky 97, Notre Dame 58
Shawnee St. 82, Tiffin 64
Washington, Mo. 81, Emory 63
FAR WEST
California 74, Arizona 72
Santa Clara 74, San Diego 62

Women's Scores

EAST
Connecticut 84, Seton Hall 62
Hendrix 85, Sewanee 46
Pitt-Johnston 94, Queens Coll. 49
Vassar 52, Skidmore 45
York, Pa. 71, Catholic U. 54
SOUTH
Centre 81, Rhodes 72
James Madison 67, E.Carolina 41
Louisville 79, N.C.-Charlotte 49
N. Carolina St. 70, Florida St. 55
Old Dominion 70, American U. 60
Richmond 57, N.C.-Wilmington 43
So. Miss. 64, Va. Comm. 57
Tennessee 75, Vanderbilt 55
Virginia 67, Duke 61
Virginia Tech 77, Tulane 65
MIDWEST
Central St., Ohio 77, Rosary 56
Dayton 74, Ala.-Birmingham 56
Illinois 85, Indiana 79, OT
Kansas St. 80, Kansas 73
Michigan St. 78, Wisconsin 62
Ohio U. 60, Bowling Green 48
Oklahoma 85, Nebraska 83
Oklahoma St. 56, Iowa St. 53
Penn St. 86, Northwestern 62
Purdue 62, Iowa 55
Washington, Mo. 59, Emory 55
FAR WEST
Colorado 79, Missouri 57
Washington 75, Southern Cal 72
TOURNAMENT
Marymount Invitational Championship
Marymount 81, Keuka 64

No.1 North Carolina 85, Ga. Tech 81

North Carolina (19-2)
Calabria 5-11 0-0 13, Stackhouse 5-9 6-7 16, Wallace 12-14 3-3 27, McInnis 4-7 2-2 11, D.Williams 5-13 0-1 13, Zwikker 1-4 0-0 2, Landry 1-2 0-0 3, S.Williams 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 33-60 11-13 85.

Georgia Tech (15-8)
Elsma 3-8 0-0 6, Maddox 6-13 1-2 17, Best 8-21 2-2 20, Barry 6-9 0-0 16, Harpring 6-9 2-2 16, C.Williams 2-6 0-0 4, Hodge 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 32-67 5-6 81.

Halftime—Georgia Tech 44, North Carolina 38. 3-Point goals—North Carolina 8-18 (Calabria 3-7, D.Williams 3-7, McInnis 1-2, Landry 1-2), Georgia Tech 12-18 (Maddox 4-5, Barry 4-6, Harpring 2-4, Best 2-11, C.Williams 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—North Carolina 33 (Stackhouse, Wallace 8), Georgia Tech 31 (Harpring 8). Assists—North Carolina 20 (Stackhouse 7), Georgia Tech 21 (Best, Barry 7). Total fouls—North Carolina 11, Georgia Tech 12. A—10,026.

No. 3 U. Conn. 77, No. 10 Syracuse 70

CONNECTICUT (19-1)
Allen 7-23 4-6 18, Marshall 4-10 7-7 15, Knight 7-10 1-3 15, Ollie 1-6 5-6 7, Sheffer 4-10 2-2 11, Hayward 1-1 0-0 2, Fair 3-6 0-0 7, King 0-0 10-0 0, Johnson 1-1 0-0 2, Thomas 0-0 0-0 0, Yeomans 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 28-68 19-24 77.

SYRACUSE (17-4)
Wallace 4-16 2-2 10, Jackson 6-10 0-1 12, Realsnyder 4-10 0-1 8, Moten 7-18 1-1 17, Lloyd 4-10 0-0 9, Hill 2-5 1-2 5, Burgan 2-2 2-2 7, Sims 1-2 0-0 2, Lazor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 30-73 6-9 70.

Halftime—Connecticut 40, Syracuse 38. 3-Point goals—Connecticut 2-11 (Sheffer 1-2, Fair 1-3, Marshall 0-1, King 0-1, Allen 0-4), Syracuse 4-18 (Moten 2-9, Burgan 1-1, Lloyd 1-3, Sims 0-1, Wallace 0-2, Jackson 0-2). Fouled out—Jackson. Rebounds—Connecticut 46 (Allen 12), Syracuse 43 (Realsnyder 8). Assists—Connecticut 19 (Allen 6), Syracuse 15 (Lloyd 6). Total fouls—Connecticut 11, Syracuse 19. A—31,211.

No. 5 Kentucky 97, Notre Dame 58

KENTUCKY (17-3)
Rhodes 1-7 1-2 3, McCarty 7-12 2-2 20, Riddick 1-3 1-1 3, Delk 5-8 0-2 13, Sheppard 3-5 4-4 10, Harrison 2-4 0-0 6, Mills 0-1 0-0 0, Edwards 1-1 0-0 3, Walker 3-5 7-8 13, Epps 2-3 5-6 11, Prickett 6-8 1-1 13, Padgett 0-1 2-2 2, Pope 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-58 23-28 97.

NOTRE DAME (14-9)
Williams 2-3 0-1 4, Garrity 1-8 5-8 7, Young 3-3 0-0 6, Hoover 3-5 5-6 12, Justice 1-4 1-2 3, Manner 2-7 7-8 12, White 1-2 3-4 6, Kurowski 0-1 1-2 1, Miller 0-1 2-2 2, Taylor 0-1 2-3 2, Gotsch 1-2 0-0 2, Watkins 0-5 1-4 1. Totals 14-42 27-40 58.

Halftime—Kentucky 45, Notre Dame 29. 3-point goals—Kentucky 12-26 (McCarty 4-6, Delk 3-6, Epps 2-2, Harrison 2-4, Edwards 1-1, Sheppard 0-1, Mills 0-1, Padgett 0-1, Rhodes 0-2, Walker 0-2), Notre Dame 3-7 (Manner 1-1, White 1-1, Hoover 1-3, Williams 0-1, Garrity 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Kentucky 39 (Walker 9), Notre Dame 24 (Justice, Gotsch 4). Assists—Kentucky 23 (Rhodes, Sheppard 5), Notre Dame 9 (Justice 6). Total fouls—Kentucky 27, Notre Dame 23. Technicals—Riddick, Walker, Williams. A—11,418.

California 74, No. 9 Arizona 72

CALIFORNIA (12-8)
Buckley 3-9 4-6 12, Fowlkes 6-11 0-0 13, Stewart 0-3 2-2 2, Gardner 3-7 1-3 8, McQueen 5-9 0-0 11, Marks 2-3 0-0 4, Gonzales 0-2 0-0 0, Roberts 1-5 0-1 2, Jamison 4-4 0-1 8, Duck 4-10 3-3 14. Totals 28-63 10-16 74.

ARIZONA (18-5)
Owes 8-15 3-5 20, Williams 1-2 2-2 4, Blair 5-7 1-4 11, Stoudamire 4-19 3-4 15, Geary 0-3 2-2 2, McLean 2-6 0-0 5, Davis 4-7 1-1 9, Dickerson 0-0 0-0 0, Simon 1-5 4-4 6. Totals 25-64 16-22 72.

Halftime—California 41, Arizona 32. 3-Point goals—California 8-19 (Duck 3-5, Buckley 2-5, Gardner 1-2, McQueen 1-2, Fowlkes 1-2, Roberts 0-3), Arizona 6-25 (Stoudamire 4-15, Owes 1-2, McLean 1-3, Williams 0-1, Geary 0-2, Simon 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—California 37 (Fowlkes, Jamison 8), Arizona 42 (Owes 11). Assists—California 19 (Gardner 5), Arizona 16 (Stoudamire 7). Total fouls—California 2, Arizona 14. Technicals—Arizona bench, Blair (taunting). A—14,257.

No. 17 Virginia 75, UNLV 65

UNLV (9-10)
Johnson 6-10 2-3 19, Savoy 8-15 0-1 20, Lee 1-3 0-0 2, J.Smith 6-10 2-2 15, D.Smith 3-14 0-0 7, Curtis 1-2 0-0 2, Reed 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 25-54 4-6 65.

VIRGINIA (16-6)
Burrough 3-10 2-6 8, Williford 2-4 0-2 4, Alexander 0-1 0-0 0, Robinson 2-9 0-0 4, Deane 7-15 9-12 28, Staples 9-14 0-0 27, Barnes 0-2 2-2 2, Nolan 1-2 0-0 2, Ellsworth 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 24-57 13-22 75.

Halftime—Virginia 38, UNLV 32. 3-Point goals—UNLV 11-20 (Johnson 5-6, Savoy 4-6, J.Smith 1-1, D.Smith 1-7), Virginia 14-28 (Staples 9-12, Deane 5-11, Williford 0-1, Robinson 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—UNLV 28 (Lee 10), Virginia 41 (Williford 8). Assists—UNLV 19 (J.Smith 9), Virginia 20 (Deane 7). Total fouls—UNLV 18, Virginia 10. Technicals—Savoy. A—7,048.

Indiana 82, No. 25 Purdue 73

PURDUE (16-6)
Martin 6-13 3-5 20, Jennings 7-8 1-3 15, B.Miller 0-1 0-0 0, Waddell 1-6 3-5 5, Roberts 0-3 1-2 1, Brantley 6-7 1-2 13, Foster 1-2 0-0 3, Hairston 1-4 3-4 5, Dove 2-2 0-2 4, Austin 3-5 0-2 7. Totals 27-51 12-25 73.

INDIANA (14-9)
C.Miller 9-11 1-2 21, Evans 5-7 1-2 11, Henderson 8-10 10-13 26, Hart 2-4 2-4 6, Hermon 4-16 0-0 9, Reed 0-0 5-6 5, Patterson 0-2 0-0 0, Lindeman 1-3 2-5 4, Knight 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-53 21-32 82.

Halftime—Indiana 40, Purdue 27. 3-Point goals—Purdue 7-16 (Martin 5-10, Foster 1-2, Austin 1-2, Waddell 0-2), Indiana 3-7 (C.Miller 2-2, Hermon 1-3, Evans 0-1, Henderson 0-1). Fouled out—Jennings, Hart. Rebounds—Purdue 27 (Brantley 7), Indiana 33 (Henderson 11). Assists—Purdue 20 (Martin 6), Indiana 14 (Hermon 6). Total fouls—Purdue 23, Indiana 21. A—17,383.

Prep Playoffs

By Associated Press

Girls High School Playoff Pairings

Bi-district
Region I
Class 5A
El Paso Bowie (18-8) vs. El Paso Bel Air (18-6), 8 p.m. Tuesday, El Paso Bowie
Midland High (24-3), bye
Lubbock Coronado (21-9) vs. Midland Lee (18-9), 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Seminole
El Paso Hanks (23-6), bye
Keller (23-6) vs. Richland (24-8), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Saginaw Boswell
Arlington Sam Houston (24-6), bye
Fort Worth Wyatt (23-6) vs. Arlington Lamar (14-15), 8 p.m. Monday, Wilkerson-Greines Field House, Fort Worth
Burleson (27-2), bye
El Paso Austin (12-13) vs. El Paso Del Valle (20-4), 8 p.m. Monday, El Paso Del Valle
Amarillo Tascosa (18-9), bye
Lubbock Monterey (23-7) vs. Abilene High (21-7), 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Scurry County Coliseum, Snyder
El Paso Irvin (24-4), bye
Lewisville (17-13) vs. Euless Trinity (26-6), 7:30 p.m. Monday, Coppell
Fort Worth Southwest (16-14) bye
Fort Worth Trimble Tech (11-13) vs. Mansfield (21-7), 6:30 p.m. Monday, Wilkerson-Greines Field House, Fort Worth
Allen (25-4), bye
Class 4A
Canyon (26-1), bye
El Paso Parkland (10-14) vs. San Angelo Lakeview (17-8)/Andrews (17-11) winner (late Saturday), TBA
(Note: Lakeview win/El Paso Parkland at 6 p.m. Tuesday in Monahans. Andrews win/Parkland at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Sul Ross State in Alpine).
Levelland (29-2) vs. Granbury (25-6), 8 p.m. Monday, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene
Burkburnett (22-5) vs. Fort Worth Arlington Heights (19-6), 8 p.m. Monday, Graham
Canyon Randall (24-5), bye
El Paso Jefferson (13-15) vs. Big Spring (18-5), 6 p.m. Tuesday, Pecos
Wolfforth Frenship (24-8) vs. Cleburne (30-2), 6:30 p.m. Monday, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene
Wichita Falls (19-13) vs. Fort Worth Eastern Hills (18-7), 6 p.m. Monday, Graham
Class 3A
Childress (17-7) vs. Dimmitt (20-12)/Shallowater (17-11) winner (7:30 p.m. Tuesday), TBA
Bowie (29-1) vs. Decatur (21-7), 7 p.m. Friday, Keller
Slaton (26-5) vs. Ballinger (26-6), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Snyder
Clint (22-4) vs. Reagan County (13-14), 8 p.m. Friday, Alpine
Graham (17-11) vs. Aledo (23-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Weatherford
Brownfield (23-9) vs. Abilene Wylie (24-4), Friday, site, time TBA
Alpine (10-15) vs. Greenwood (19-12), TBA
Class 2A
Gruver (23-6) vs. Wellington (16-11), 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Borger
Hart (21-8) vs. Idalou (17-11)/Sundown (21-8), loser (Tuesday), TBA
Ozona (28-1) vs. Jim Ned (21-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Odessa College
Hawley (24-5) vs. DeLeon (22-7), time TBA Friday, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene
Stratford (23-7) vs. Panhandle (28-1), 8 p.m., Thursday, Borger
Abernathy (23-9)/Springlake Earth (19-9) winner (Tuesday) vs. Idalou (17-11)/Sundown (20-8) winner (Tuesday), TBA
El Dorado (22-6) vs. Winters (23-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Big Spring
Hamlin (15-12)/Haskell (15-14) winner (Monday, 6 p.m. Jayton) vs. Albany (26-3), TBA
Class A
Hartley (20-5)/Texline (16-10) winner (late Saturday) vs. Vega (20-9), Friday, Amarillo Highland Park (day, site are tentative)
Groom (27-1) vs. Fort Elliott (21-7), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Pampa
Miami (11-16)/McClain (14-11) winner (Monday) vs. Silverton (23-7)/Hedley (20-6) loser (Tuesday), TBA
(Note: teams will decide after Silverton/Hedley playoff on Tuesday. Will likely be a doubleheader Friday night in Clarendon)
Sudan (32-0) vs. Lazbuddie (8-21)/Cotton Center (12-17), winner (Monday), TBA
Spur (21-6) vs. New Home (17-11)/Wilson (14-10) loser (late Saturday), TBA
Meadow (21-7)/Whitharral (25-1) winner (Monday) vs. Anton (19-8)/Whiteface (21-6) loser (Saturday), TBA
Loop (20-3) vs. Grady (16-10), TBA
Buena Vista (15-10) vs. Tornillo (17-13), TBA
Hartley (20-5)/Texline (16-10) loser (late Saturday) vs. Claude (20-7), TBA Friday, Amarillo Highland Park (day and site tentative)
Booker (11-16) vs. Follett (19-8), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Canadian
Miami (11-16)/McClain (14-11) loser (Monday) vs. Silverton (23-7)/Hedley (20-6) winner (Tuesday), TBA
(Note: teams will decide after Silverton/Hedley playoff on Tuesday. Will likely be a doubleheader Friday night in Clarendon)
Nazareth (21-10) vs. Amherst (17-7), 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Abernathy
Petersburg (12-13) vs. New Home (17-11)/Wilson (14-10) winner (late Saturday), TBA
Meadow (20-7)/Whitharral (25-1) loser (Monday) vs. Anton (19-8)/Whiteface (21-6) winner (late Saturday), TBA
Welch Dawson (14-14) vs. Ackerly Sands (21-5), 8 p.m. Friday, Seagraves
Dell City (9-5) vs. Fort Davis (17-13), TBA

Transactions

By Associated Press

AUTO RACING

NASCAR—Fined Junior Johnson, car owner, $45,000 after discovering an illegal engine piece in qualifying and barred Brett Bodine, driver, from qualifying. Fined Jeff Hammond, crew chief, $5,000 after discovering 18 pounds of loose weight in the Pontiac driven by Greg Sacks in the Busch Clash.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

BOSTON BRUINS—Recalled John Blue, goaltender, from Providence of the American Hockey League.

BUFFALO SABRES—Recalled Matthew Barnaby, left wing, from Rochester of the American Hockey League.

Canary Islands Open Scores

SAN BARTOLOME DE TIRAJANA, Canary Islands (AP) — Final scores of the leaders Sunday in the $375,000 Canary Islands Open, played on the 6,868-yard, par-72 Maspalomas Golf Club course:

Jarmo Sandelin, Sweden	70 — 282
Seve Ballesteros, Spain	73 — 283
Paul Eales, England	71 — 283
Anders Forsbrand, Sweden	71 — 284
Sven Struver, Germany	70 — 285
Darren Clarke, N. Ireland	73 — 285
Gary Emerson, England	73 — 285
Paolo Quirici, Switzerland	68 — 287
John McHenry, Ireland	68 — 288
Paul Curry, England	73 — 288
Gordon Brand Jr., Scotland	71 — 288
Pedro Linhart, Spain	71 — 288
Gary Orr, Scotland	74 — 288
Derrick Cooper, England	70 — 288
Phillip Price, Wales	74 — 289

Dubai Open Results

DUBAI, United Arab Emirates (AP) — Results Sunday in the $1 million Dubai Open tennis tournament (seedings in parentheses):
Singles
Championship
Wayne Ferreira (4), South Africa, def. Andrea Gaudenzi, Italy, 6-3, 6-3.

Ameritech Cup Results

CHICAGO (AP) — Results Sunday in the Ameritech Cup at the UIC Pavilion (seedings in parentheses):
Singles
Championship
Magdalena Maleeva (3), Bulgaria, def., Lisa Raymond, Wayne, Pa., 7-5, 7-6 (7-2).

San Jose Results

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Results Sunday of the $328,000 San Jose Open tennis tournament (seedings in parentheses):
Singles
Championship
Andre Agassi (1), Las Vegas, def. Michael Chang (2), Henderson, Nev., 6-2, 1-6, 6-3.

College Baseball Scores

By Associated Press

SOUTHWEST
Lamar 6, Rice 5
Okla St. 12, Texas-San Antonio 3
TX A&M-Kngsvle 2, Cncrd Luthn 0
FAR WEST
Arizona St. 8, Florida St. 2
CS Fullerton 6, Arizona 1
New Mexico 6, Grand Canyon 2
Pepperdine 8, California 6
San Diego 6, CS Northridge 4
San Jose St. 9, Cal Poly SLO 4
Southern Cal 9, Long Beach St. 7
UNLV 13, Kansas 7
SOUTH
Centenry 7-3, Ark.-Little Rock 6-1
Coastal Caro. 14, Old Dominion 10
Columbus Coll. 3, North Florida 2
Florida Tech 4, St. Thomas 1
Kennesaw 8, Eckerd 2
Miami 5, Central Florida 4
Nova Southeastern 5, Rollins 2
So. Miss 5-10, Alabama St 4-0
Stetson 7, N.C.-Wilmington 2
Tampa 2-2, Lynn 0-3
Tulane 14-5, Georgia St. 3-3
Valdsta St. 3-10, Brewtn-Prkr 0-1
W. Florida 4, Spring Hill 2
West Carolina 11, South Florida 6
MIDWEST
North Carolina St. 12, Minnesota 9

TABC Polls

WACO, Texas (AP) — The final weekly high school basketball poll as compiled by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches. Records are through Feb. 11.

Boys

Class 5A
1. San Antonio East Central, 28-0
2. Beaumont West Brook, 28-2
3. Duncanville, 29-2
4. Converse Judson, 25-3
5. Plano, 25-4
6. Galena Park North Shore, 28-3
7. Arlington Martin, 26-4
8. San Antonio MacArthur, 24-6
9. Killeen, 23-7
10. Garland South Garland, 22-5

Class 4A
1. Port Arthur Lincoln, 28-3
2. Austin Anderson, 29-1
3. Dallas Lincoln, 28-2
4. McKinney, 24-5
5. Levelland, 27-4
6. Bay City, 30-2
7. Austin Reagan, 27-6
8. Dallas A. Maceo Smith, 23-4
9. Justin Northwest, 27-3
10. Pampa, 24-6

Class 3A
1. Graham, 29-0
2. Clarksville, 26-2
3. Daingerfield, 25-3
4. Seminole, 28-3
5. Hardin-Jefferson, 24-5
6. Corpus Christi West Oso, 26-5
7. Madisonville, 28-2
8. Manor, 26-4
9. Atlanta, 16-3
10. Marlin, 24-5

Class 2A
1. Wolfe City, 26-4
2. Winnie East Chambers, 26-4
3. Troup, 30-1
4. Comfort, 27-1
5. Edgewood, 26-4
6. Springlake-Earth, 23-4
7. Whitewright, 22-5
8. Archer City, 22-3
9. La Rue La Poyner, 23-4
10. Maypearl, 26-3

Class A
1. Sudan, 24-1
2. Weatherford Brock, 27-3
3. Slidell, 24-4
4. Avinger, 26-5
5. Laneville, 25-4
6. Oakwood, 26-4
7. Lipan, 27-4
8. Calvert, 24-4
9. Plains, 25-2
10. Port Aransas, 27-3

Girls

Class 5A
1. Houston Madison, 29-1
2. Duncanville, 32-0
3. Alief Elsik, 30-2
4. League City Clear Creek, 29-2
5. Georgetown, 30-1
6. Austin Westlake, 30-4
7. Conroe, 25-3
8. Longview, 30-3
9. Houston Yates, 24-4
10. North Mesquite, 28-3

Class 4A
1. Canyon, 26-1
2. Cleburne, 30-2
3. Levelland, 29-2
4. Dallas Lincoln, 27-2
5. Silsbee, 30-1
6. Burkburnett, 22-4
7. Carthage, 25-4
8. Cedar Hill, 27-3
9. Canyon Randall, 24-5
10. Fredericksburg, 27-3

Class 3A
1. Farmersville, 27-0
2. Bowie, 29-2
3. Lindale, 27-3
4. Mont Belvieu Barbers Hill, 29-6
5. New Boston, 28-1
6. Buna, 27-2
7. Llano, 25-2
8. Groesbeck, 29-3
9. Abilene Wylie, 24-5
10. Daingerfield, 23-3

Class 2A
1. Panhandle, 28-1
2. Cooper, 25-3
3. Gunter, 28-2
4. Ozona, 28-1
5. El Maton Tidehaven, 27-4
6. Winters, 24-5
7. Hart, 22-8
8. Bloomington, 25-9
9. Woden, 25-4
10. Quanah, 28-3

Class A
1. Sudan, 32-0
2. Lipan, 28-3
3. Alvord, 27-3
4. Port Aransas, 27-4
5. Celeste, 28-2
6. Laneville, 25-4
7. Meadow, 21-7
8. Whitharral, 26-1
9. Livingston Big Sandy, 24-5
10. Ponder, 30-2

Buick Open

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Final round scores and prize money Sunday in the $1.2 million Buick Invitational, played on the 7,000-yard, par-72 Torrey Pines South Course (the first two rounds were played on the 6,592-yard North Course; a-amateur):

Peter Jacobsen, $216,000	68	— 269
Mark Calcavecchia, $79,200	68	— 273
Mike Hulbert, $79,200	68	— 273
Kirk Triplett, $79,200	69	— 273
Hal Sutton, $79,200	69	— 273
Dillard Pruitt, $41,700	68	— 275
Dan Pohl, $41,700	70	— 275
David Ogrin, $33,600	67	— 276
Nolan Henke, $33,600	69	— 276
John Huston, $33,600	69	— 276
Brandel Chamblee, $33,600	70	— 276
Brian Kamm, $24,300	67	— 277
Davis Love III, $24,300	65	— 277
Craig Stadler, $24,300	69	— 277
Brad Bryant, $24,300	69	— 277
Jay Don Blake, $15,240	68	— 278
Chip Beck, $15,240	67	— 278
J.P. Hayes, $15,240	68	— 278
Phil Mickelson, $15,240	69	— 278
John Wilson, $15,240	65	— 278
Ed Humenik, $15,240	69	— 278
Bob Estes, $15,240	69	— 278
Bob Lohr, $15,240	70	— 278
Danny Briggs, $15,240	70	— 278
Payne Stewart, $15,240	72	— 278
Fred Funk, $8,700	68	— 279
Blaine McCallister, $8,700	**69**	**— 279**
Loren Roberts, $8,700	66	— 279
Scott Gump, $8,700	71	— 279
Dennis Paulson, $8,700	72	— 279
Steve Lowery, $8,700	72	— 279
Scott Verplank, $6,227	69	— 280
Joey Sindelar, $6,227	71	— 280
Mike Smith, $6,227	68	— 280
Jerry Haas, $6,227	71	— 280
Brad Faxon, $6,227	71	— 280
John Adams, $6,227	**72**	**— 280**
Kelly Gibson, $6,227	72	— 280
Chris Perry, $6,227	72	— 280
Ronnie Black, $6,227	73	— 280
Jim Carter, $4,200	71	— 281
Jesper Parnevik, $4,200	71	— 281
Keith Fergus, $4,200	69	— 281
Howard Twitty, $4,200	72	— 281
Steve Stricker, $4,200	73	— 281
Tom Kite, $4,200	73	— 281
Ben Crenshaw, $4,200	75	— 281
Billy Mayfair, $3,204	71	— 282
Tommy Armour III, $

Hillenburg wins 200

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Andy Hillenburg took the lead with seven laps remaining and was able to cruise to the checkered flag after a spectacular two-car accident brought out the final caution flag of Sunday's wild Daytona ARCA 200 with three laps remaining.

Bobby Bowsher, the two-time and defending ARCA Bondo-Mar-Hyde Supercar Series champion, was leading the 80-lap race going into the final 10 laps at Daytona International Speedway as he tried for his first career victory on a track longer than one mile.

But, on lap 74, with nine leaders bunched at the front of the field, Hillenburg dove low on the high-banked 2 1/2-mile oval and started to drive his Chevrolet Lumina past Bowsher's Ford Thunderbird. Within seconds, Bowsher had cars driving by on both sides, falling all the way to the back of the lead pack as Hillenburg took control.

"Gary Bradberry gave me a little nudge and it was just enough to get me by the (No.) 21 car (Bowsher) and into the lead," Hillenburg said.

Three laps later, in virtually the same part of the second turn where he lost the lead, Bowsher banged into Andy Belmont's Ford. Belmont's car turned sideways in front of Bowsher and, as the two cars continued at nearly 190 mph, slid onto its side, and somehow worked its way onto the top of Bowsher's car, upside down.

"All I could think was, 'Get me off of here, get me off of here,'" Belmont said.

After several moments in this piggy-back mode, Belmont's car did come down, sliding off onto the infield grass and beginning a frightening series of five barrel-rolls, finally coming to a stop in a mangled, steaming heap.



AP Laserphoto

Andy Belmont flips his Ford during the ARCA 200 Sunday at the Daytona International Speedway.

Within moments, while the shaken Bowsher drove slowly on to the pits, Belmont scrambled from his car, jumped onto the roof and waved his arms high in the air to let everybody know he was not injured.

"My radio wasn't working, so I got up on the roof so my spotter could see me and tell the guys in the pits I was OK," Belmont explained.

"I got a little loose going into (turn) two and got into the (No.) 5 car (Belmont)," Bowsher explained. "Didn't mean to do it, but stuff happens. That was scary."

Not so fortunate as Belmont was Bobby Gerhart, who was knocked unconscious for a brief period after being involved in a six-car crash between turn four and the front straightaway on lap 32.

Gerhart was taken to nearby Halifax Medical Center for X-rays of a possible shoulder injury and observation. He was expected to be admitted for an overnight stay.

There were nine lead changes among eight drivers during the competitive race, with Hillenburg, earning his first ARCA stock car victory and his first superspeedway win, leading only the final seven laps. In his two previous starts in this event, Hillenburg had finished 10th and ninth.

Hillenburg was emotional about the win, saying, "My grandmother passed away Thursday and my mother asked me to win this race for her. My mom has never asked me to do anything for her, except don't wreck. Today, she asked me to win. So, Mom, this win is for you and Grandma."

The 31-year-old from Indianapolis was driving the same car, owned by Winston Cup driver Ken Schrader, in which Mike Wallace won the race last year.

Bradberry was second, followed by Wallace, and Joe Ruttman.

BUSCH: Earnhardt off running, winning

(From 1C)

With the $25,000 prize for the halfway leader beckoning, Earnhardt was unable to hold on to the top spot as 1994 Clash winner Jeff Gordon got some help from fellow Chevy driver Sterling Marlin and pushed past Earnhardt near the end of the back straightaway.

That's the way the first half finished, with Gordon in front, followed by Marlin, Earnhardt, the Fords of Bill Elliott, Ted Musgrave and Todd Bodine.

Earnhardt said that coming out of turn two o the final lap, "I got sideways. I said, 'Whoa.' It was good I was able to back off, but they got by me on the backstretch. ... I was just happy to get back to the starting line alive."

The beginning of the race was marred by a first-lap crash in which Mark Martin slipped down to the apron in the third turn, touched a fender on Loy Allen' car and slid up into Greg Sacks, whose Pontiac slammed hard into the outside wall. Martin also slid up into the wall.

Sacks escaped injury but was knocked out of the race, as was Martin, who drove his banged up car back to the garage. Allen's car sustained enough damage that he lost two laps while making repairs.

Earnhardt started 10th in the second half, but powered through traffic to move up to fourth, trailing leader Ricky Rudd after one 0lap. He regained the lead the next time around and, this time, held it the rest of the way, winning another $45,000.

"This is a race where you need to be up front," Earnhardt said. "We were right where we wanted to be.

"I was worried they were going to get me loose in the last lap and take me out," he added. "It was easier to get up front than to stay up front. I was concerned about Marlin and I was worried about what Elliott was going to do."

Earnhardt, who now has 25 race wins at Daytona without ever winning the big one — the Daytona 500, held off Marlin, the 1994 500 winner, to win by 0.08-seconds — about two car-lengths.

"The Monte Carlo did great," Earnhardt said. "We've worked hard all winter and came down here and won the first race."

Elliott, in his first race back with his own team, was third, followed by Gordon, wild car entry Bodine — picked from among last year's second-round qualifying leaaders, Rudd, Musgrave, Rusty Wallace, Jimmy Spencer, Rick Mast, Ward Burton, Geoff Bodine and Busch Grand National pole champion David Green, in his first start in a Winston Cup car.

"The Chevrolets were awful good," said Jarrett, who watched the Clash from the top of his team's semi-trailer truck.

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Rouse, Kennedy set world marks

SHEFFIELD, England (AP) — American Jeff Rouse and Australia's Angela Kennedy set short course world swimming records Sunday in the heats of a World Cup meet.

Rouse clocked 24.37 seconds for the 50-meter backstroke, swum over two, 25-meter lengths. That shaved .23 seconds off the mark of 24.60 set by Frenchman Franck Schott at Paris last March.

Kennedy's record came in the women's 50-meter butterfly. Her time of 26.56 bettered the 26.73 set by American Amy Van Dyken.

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Basketball...

Several members of the Houston Oilers will take on members of the Midland County Sheriff's Department in an **exhibition basketball game** on March 10, with time and location still pending. Money from ticket sales will benefit the Sheriff's Department youth programs and help purchase bullet proof vests for each deputy in 1995. Call 580-0190 for tickets and cost...

A Five-on-Five basketball tournament, sponsored by the Midland College political science department students, will take place Feb. 18 with competition at the MC Physical Education building and at Chaparral Center. Entry fee is $100 per team with a 10-player limit per team. Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams and a tournament MVP will be selected. Call Lee Alamaguer at 685-4739 before 5 p.m. or 684-3742 after 9 p.m. for more information...

Cardinal Booster Club **3-on-3 Basketball Tournament** is March 11 at 8 a.m. in Eunice, N.M. Entry fee is $60 per team and entry deadline is March 8. For information call 505-394-2579...

Booster Clubs...

The Midland High Girls Basketball Booster Club will meet at 6 p.m. Feb. 14 at the MHS gym. Call Rick Swinney at 686-7562 for more information...

The **Midland Lee basketball booster club** will meet on Monday, Feb. 13 at 7 p.m. in the Lee library...

The Midland High **football booster club banquet** will be held on Thursday, Feb. 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the Midland Center. Guest speaker will be Blake Feldt, former Midland High football player and current assistant coach at SMU. Cost is $10 per person. For more ino call 682-7696 or 697-5994...

The Lee Baseball Booster Club's upcoming events: Feb. 16 meet the 1994-95 teams at "Baseball, Hot Dogs and Apple Pie the Rebel Way", 7 p.m., LHS cafeteria, hot dog and apple pie supper available for $3, door prizes; March 9, general membership meeting, 7:30 p.m., LHS cafeteria....

The Midland Lee Softball Booster Club meets every first and third Thursday each monthly at 7 p.m. in the LHS Teacher's Lounge in the yellow hall...

Softball...

The Midland Softball Association's annual organization meeting is Feb. 16 at 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn in Midland. Sponsor fees for the spring session are $225 per team if paid by Feb. 16. Fees paid from Feb. 16 to April 1 are 4250. All sponsor fees and minimum of 11 players fees must be paid by April 1. Call 683-8741 for more information...

The E.D. Walton Construction round robin softball tournament is March 31 through April 2. Entry fee for the ASA sanctioned tournament is $150 per team by March 24 with a maximum of 24 teams. There will be a three home run limit and teams will play a minimum of seven games if there is a full field. Call Danny at 684-7905 for more information...

A fast pitch umpire's training clinic is March 4-5 for those wishing to officiate during the 1995 MUGS season. All applicants must be at least 18. March 4 meet at the office of Farmers Insurance Group, 19018-C Andrews Highway from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. March 5 meet at the Ulmer Park MUGS Complex from 1-4 p.m. Attendance is mandatory for certification. There is a $25 fee for registration and insurance. Call Chuck Morganti at 571-1468 or 682-4509...

The sixth annual **ASA Pitching Clinic** March 24-26 and April 21-23 with Terri McClure of Tulsa, Okla., serving as clinican. Saturdays from 3-5 p.m. will be beginner classes. For more information call Freddie Ezell at 694-5508 or 520-6502...

Golf...

The Hearthstone Children at Heart benefit golf marathon is seeking 39 golfers underwritten with pledges to participate on May 15 at Green Tree Country Club. Golfers will play 100 holes of golf in one day to meet their goal of raising $50,000 in support of the agency, which supports children and families in crisis. Call Mike Ford at 683-2534 or Don Forrester at 570-1631 to play...

The Knights of Columbus Deaf Charity Fund Golf Tournament will be played April 22 at Hogan Park. Entry fee is $45 per person with an April 12 deadline. Fee includes green fee, cart rental, meal and drink tickets. Format is a four-person scramble. For more information contact Greg Germani at 687-7530 or John Coignet at 520-6129...

Hogan Park will hold a **2-Person Scramble** on March 4 with tee times beginning at 11:30 a.m. Players put together own teams within six strokes. Entry deadline Mazrch 1 by 6 p.m. Cost is $30 per person, plus green fee and cart...

Tennis...

The Permian Basin Tennis Umpire Association will have its annual **certification school** on Feb. 17-18. Call Patricia Hines at 520-4935 for more information...

The Tennis Association of Midland (TAM) is holding its annual membership drive and spring league sign-up until Feb. 20. Forms are available at the Midlander, Midland College and other area tennis clubs. For more information, call 682-2255...

USTA League will give a ratings cilinc for women (3.0 through 4.5) on Feb. 26 at 1:30 p.m. and men at 2:30 p.m. at Midland College. Cost is $5 per person...

Adult League for men and women will hold qualifying tournaments as follows: Senior 4.0 Women on April 7-9; Senior 4.0 Men on April 21-23; Senior 3.5 women on April 28-30. Call Juanell Fort at 686-0277 for information...

Benefits...

The Mark Valadez Memorial Bowl will be held on Feb. 18 at 6 p.m. at Bird Stadium in Big Lake. Proceeds of the full contact football game between the Misfits of San Angelo and the Big Lakes X's will go toward the Mark Valadez Family and Scholarship Fund. For more information, call 1-884-3626...

Bowling...

The IOF Foresters Bowling for Miracles Bowl-A-Thon will take place from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Feb. 26 at Sherwood loanes in Odessa. Proceeds benefit Medical Center Hospital and bowlers can earn awards from t-shoirts to television sets with a trip for four to Disneyland as the grand prize. Grand prize winners will attend the 1995 Children's Miravle Network Telethon in June. Call 520-3215 for a pledge sheet and for more information...

Baseball...

The Mdiland Junior Baseball Association 1995 regular season signups will be held Feb. 18 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Crestview Baptist Student Center located in the Kingswood Mall (formerly Dellwood Mall) at 3300 Illinois Street...

The Midland Junior Baseball Association will conduct an Umpire Clinic at the Midland Lee Youth Center on March 10, beginning at 6 p.m. Fee is $10. Anyone interested in umpiring at any level is asked to attend. For more information call 684-5117...

The Great Bend, Kansas American Legion Baseball Association is sponsoring two summer tournaments for June 15-18 and July 13-16. All Texas 17-18 year-old teams are invited to enter. Coaches call Ted Gardner at 316-793-7616 after 6 p.m...

Former hockey star is dying of AIDS

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Bill Goldsworthy, one of the original Minnesota North Stars, is dying of AIDS, a published report said Sunday.

"As athletes, we tend to think of ourselves as invincible," Goldsworthy, 50, told the Saint Paul Pioneer Press. "We fight through the tough times and we begin to think we can handle anything that comes our way.

"This is different. This isn't a broken arm."

The Pioneer Press said Goldsworthy received the news in November while in a hospital in Memphis, Tenn., where blood clots that moved from his leg to his lungs set him on a month-long fight with pneumonia.

"I was taken to the hospital on Friday, and when the doctor came into my room on Monday I expected him to talk to me about blood clots and how we were going to take care of that problem," Goldsworthy told the Pioneer Press from his apartment in Edina last week. "I felt awful, but I found out I could feel worse. Instead of talking about blood clots, he told me I had the HIV virus, that I had AIDS.

"I said, 'Whoa! You've got the wrong guy. You've gotta be kidding. There must be a mistake.'

"There was no mistake."

Goldsworthy was the coach of the San Antonio Iguanas of the Central Hockey League when he was hospitalized Nov. 11, but he said he had been feeling ill since September. Barely into his hospital stay, the newspaper said, the Texas team fired Goldsworthy.

"He was absolutely shocked when I told him what we'd found. He was blown away," Dr. Emmel Golden said.


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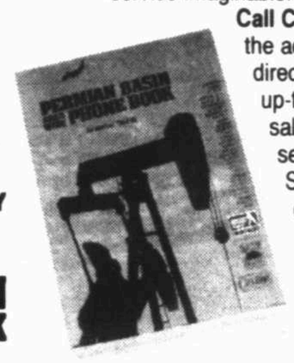
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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: pilot Chuck Yeager, actress Kim Novak, painter Grant Wood, opera singer Eileen Farrell.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Social affairs are highlighted this week, enabling you to mix business with pleasure. Handling financial transactions with extra care will prevent headaches later on.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Clear communication is vital in business and romance. Say what you mean. Cupid's arrow will hit the bull's eye! Rethink a recent business decision. Listen attentively to the feedback you get from your co-workers.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Business associates may be difficult. Show a willingness to compromise. Romantic partner may offer some suggestions. Be more nurturing when dealing with people who are young and inexperienced. Actions will speak louder than words.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): New employment opportunities open up this week. Consider your options carefully. A relationship's future depends on how diplomatically you handle a sensitive matter. An imaginative approach will make your leisure hours much more fulfilling.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): An older person could have a stabilizing influence on your household. Pursue a healthier, more relaxing lifestyle. New allies help you land valuable accounts; share the applause. Others see you in a different light.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A message provides a clue to an old puzzle. Charges of favoritism must be met head-on. Stand up for your rights! A trip leads to profitable new business connections.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A breakthrough occurs in contract negotiations. A conservative approach will set well with an influential, older individual. A chance meeting could lead to a long-term romantic alliance. Avoid revealing too much too soon.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Feckless spending could land you in the soup. Sit down with an expert and work out a realistic budget. Think about ending a dreary relationship; you can do better. A platonic friendship deepens.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Use gentle humor to get along with your work associates. Your job performance is being judged. Be certain you have done your homework before making a presentation. Make kids the focus of the evening.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Take care of paperwork. Performing routine chores will give you time to think. Consider what is best for others. Family pressures can be lightened, thanks to a special support group.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Trust your intuition. A business deal that seems iffy merits further investigation. Be prepared to burn the midnight oil. A request from loved one could convince you to reschedule a trip. Avoid making rash statements.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Smarten up! Realize something that once meant everything to you no longer matters. Move on to more relevant goals. If you think that a pricy item is a necessity, juggle your budget.

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

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

♠9 8 6 5 4 ♡Q 6 ◇A 10 8 7 ♣A J

As dealer, what action do you take?

A - If you reckon that, including distribution, your hand is worth 13 points, brush up on the basic count. Inadequately supported honors are worth either the point value or distributional count, not both. So without a single honor in your long suit, your hand is way short of an opening bid. Pass.

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

♠7 4 ♡A Q 7 6 3 ◇A Q 10 7 2 ♣K

The bidding has proceeded:

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

What action do you take?

A - Partner could have passed two diamonds, so the raise to three diamonds is constructive. You have a fair hand, and should make one move. The only sensible one we can think of is a re-raise to four diamonds.

Q. 3 - Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K Q 10 7 ♡8 ◇A J 10 5 2 ♣K 6 3

Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with one spade. What action do you take?

A - You probably have the best hand at the table, but there is nothing you can do about it now. The opponents have picked off one of your suits, and the suit quality and length of the diamonds are not enough to introduce the suit at the two-level. Pass to see how the bidding develops.

Q. 4 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠A K Q J 8 ♡A K 8 ◇A Q 7 3 ♣7

The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
2♠	Pass	2NT	3♠
?			

What action do you take?

A - You can't make game unless you get some help from partner. If partner has nothing but some club length, your most rewarding spot could be three clubs doubled. Since your first bid was forcing to game or until the opponents get doubled, pass now to force partner to act. Should he double, abide by his decision.

Q. 5 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠J ♡Q 9 5 4 ◇A K 7 ♣A 10 9 6 5

The bidding has proceeded:

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

What do you bid now?

A - No heart raise can do this hand justice. Your hand is worth at least 16 points in support of hearts, and it is all prime. Start of by bidding three diamonds, then jump raise hearts at your next turn.

Q. 6 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

♠J 7 6 5 3 ♡K Q 6 5 4 ◇7 ♣Q 10

The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	1♡	Pass	Pass
2♣	Pass	?	

What action do you take?

A - If partner had a good hand with tolerance for spades, the correct reopening bid would have been a double. With a strong two-suiter, partner would have jumped. Since you know partner has a limited, distributional hand, pass.

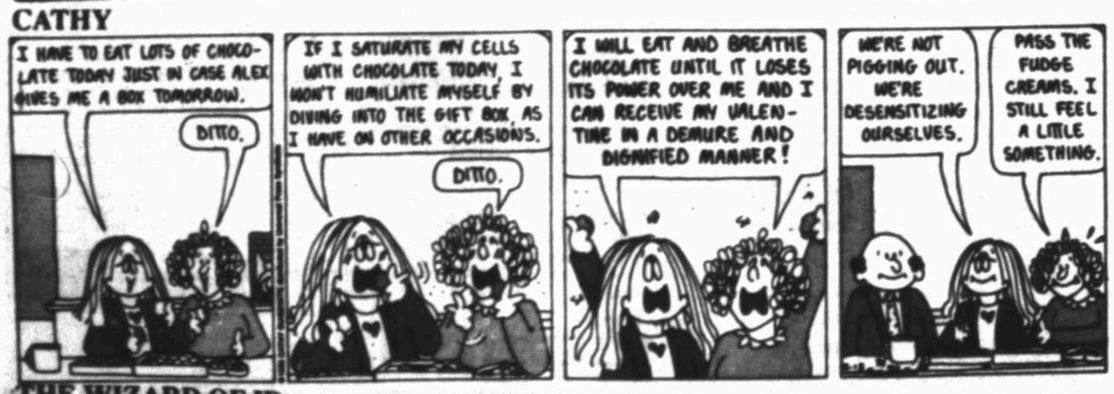
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PEOPLE

Is it 'Live from New York,'a Saturday night flight? Trouble brews on show

RADNOR, Pa. — Live from New York, it's Saturday flight?

Trouble is brewing behind the scenes of NBC's "Saturday Night Live," because, as cast member **Adam Sandler** so delicately puts it, "The writing sucks this season."

The result, according to Sandler, is going to be a mass exodus by SNL's disgruntled troupe.

"If the show comes back next year it better be a lot funnier, or you'll see the entire cast go to Hollywood," Sandler says in the Feb. 18 issue of TV Guide magazine. Sandler recently did just that, starring in the film "Billy Madison," which opened No. 1 at the box office over the weekend, according to preliminary estimates.

Sandler likens the comedy to "Meatballs," a film that helped get SNL alumnus Bill Murray's movie career started.

"It's no fun being recognized on the streets of New York, and the first thing people say is, 'Do movies 'cause your show ain't happening,'" Sandler says.

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RADNOR, Pa. — **Although Sally Field** is one of Hollywood's perkiest leading ladies, she says she's constantly battling crippling shyness.



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"I've spent most of my life running away," the two-time Academy Award-winning actress says in the Feb. 18 issue of TV Guide. "There is a side of me that still says, 'Run, lock the door, turn out the lights.'"

Field, who stars in the NBC miniseries "A Woman of Independent Means" later this month, says her torturing timidity once caused her to turn down a lunch invitation from **Jane Fonda**.

Field, who now calls Fonda her friend, wrote her a letter, "saying I was just too intimidated to have lunch with her."

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KANSAS CITY, Mo. — **Pat Oliphant** isn't about to become politically correct — or worse, pack up his pen and paper.

His syndicated editorial cartoons have been controversial, but violent reaction to his work just reminds Oliphant he's doing his job.

"I believe you've got to say it as you see it and not compromise for any reason," the Pulitzer Prize-winning cartoonist said Saturday during Universal Press Syndicate's 25th anniversary celebration.

He recalled a cartoon featuring **Michael Jackson** after he was accused of child molestation. Two priests are seated on the steps of a church with Jackson looking up at them. One said, "Mr. Jackson, it seems, would like to join the priesthood." In the corner of the cartoon, Oliphant's trademark penguin, Punk, said, "He probably heard such nice things about you."

After a Catholic priest urged his 4,000 parishioners to cancel their subscriptions to one newspaper that carried it, the paper ran an editorial apologizing for the cartoon.

"I was appalled — absolutely appalled," the 59-year-old Oliphant said. "What has appalled me for the last few years has been a tendency ... to run a cartoon and get an awful protest ... and then (the newspaper) will apologize for me in print."

COLLEGE STATION — **Lyle Lovett** is coming back home to the people and places he immortalized on his latest album, "I Love Everybody."



Lovett to come home to people, places he immortalized.

A 1980 graduate of Texas A&M University, Lovett will perform here on Wednesday, one stop on his week-long concert swing through the Lone Star State.

"Some of the songs are not too well-disguised, as far as being about people I knew at A&M," said Lovett, who owns a house in the central Texas countryside.

"One of the songs is about the old Budget Record Store that used to be at Northgate (shopping center). The folks in there were always friendly and helpful."

As for playing his alma mater, he said: "As far as I'm concerned, it's like coming home. It's a great feeling to walk on campus and hear somebody say, 'Howdy.'"

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Representatives of **Princess Diana** have accepted an out-of-court settlement of $780,000 to put an end to her suit against a London gym owner who took secret photos of her working out and the tabloids that bought and published the pictures.

If the agreement had not been reached and Diana had testified, as scheduled, she would have become the first royal to appear in court in the 20th century.

The Guardian said last week that there were "strong hints" that the money had come from the royal family or someone closely connected to the royals, to preven at the plaintiff from making that court appearance.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY PRIME TIME — February 13, 1995 — *For complete information check movie listings.*

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 400	Wheel of Fortune	Coach 4787	New Ball-game	Texas Justice (Part 2) (99) (Peter Strauss, Heather Locklear) 9890				News 29400	Cheers 18348	Roseanne 1435	Nightline 77684
(5) KPEJ	24	5	Full House 86428	The Simp-sons	Melrose Place 35145		Models Inc.: Adam's Family Values 48665		Star Trek: The Next Gen-eration 31329		Fresh Prince	In the Heat of the Night 459400		Northern Exposure
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 8874	M*A*S*H 6226	The Nanny 4139	Dave's World 5110	Murphy Brown	Cybill 2394	Chicago Hope 20665		News 1336348	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 3394	Coach 3954	Fresh Prince	Blossom 6058	Sister Act (PG, 3216) (Whoopi Goldberg, Maggie Smith) 81803				News 6179481	The Tonight Show (10:35) 2476348		Late Night Conan
(12) KMLM	42	12	Prime Time Praise 392481			Sekulow	Benny Hinn 31313		Praise the Lord 34400				Sch'bach	Matthew
(13) KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer New-sHour 569752		Future Quest	Future Quest	American Cinema: The Western/The Combat Film (Part 3 of 5) 302874				To Be Announced 599868			
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(6) CNBC		8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	Tim Russert	Equal Time	Rivera Live 9196684		Charles Grodin 9289348		Real Per-sonal	O.J. Simp-son: Trial	Rivera Live 6418955	
(10) WGN		10	Love Con-nection	The Jeffer-sons	Back to the Future (PG, '85) +++ (Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd) 508119					News 767348	Night Court	Simon & Simon 684961		
(11) WTBS		11	Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	Matlock: The Judge 400400		Matlock: The Thief (Part 1 of 2) 599348		Matlock: The Thief (Part 2 of 2) 406684					
(18) BRAV		18	To Be or Not ... (6:00)		Don Juan, My Love (90) ++ 823597				Brooklyn	Rik Mayall Presents		Don Juan, My Love (90) ++ 331817		
(20) BET		20	Happen.	Out All ...	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul				Roc	Jazz Central		
(23) FAM		23	The Waltons: The First Casualty 483348		Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Rescue 911 575459		The 700 Club 924665		Father Dowling Mysteries 927752		Bonanza 644042	
(35) CNN		35	Simpson Trial (3:30)		PrimeNews	Crossfire	Larry King Live		W'ld News	Showbiz	Sports	Simpson	Newsnight	Moneyline
(38) ESPN		38	College Basketball: Providence at Seton Hall 305961				1995 ESPY Awards 190868					SportsCen-ter	College Basketball: N.M. St./ Utah St. 722400	
(37) USA		37	Dog Day USA 756226		Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show: Opening Night 673416						Wings 456810	Wings 105058	Quantum Leap 248288	
(58) FX		38	Hart to Hart 2702752		Scrutiny	Home ...	Dynasty 2310477		In Color	In Color	Sound fX 8514810		Batman	Back Chat
(39) A&E		39	Rockford Files (Part 2 of 2) 294416		Biography 866042		Sherlock Holmes: The Naval Treaty 948690		Lovejoy: The Colour of Mary 862226		Law & Order: Heaven 865313		Biography 455110	
(41) NICK		41	Rocko's Life	Rocko's Life	Brady Bunch	Brady Bunch	The Brady Girls Get Married ('81) + (Robert Reed, Florence Henderson) 859752				Bob Newhart	Dick Van Dyke	Dragnet 121481	Superman 815058
(45) LIFE		43	Designing	Designing	Unsolved Mysteries		Mistrust: Search for the Night Stalker 933579				Unsolved Mysteries		Mysteries	thirtysome.
(49) UNI		49	Volver a Empezar 98435		Agujetas de Color de Rosa 35139		Marimar 17787		Cristina ... Edicion Especial 24023		Noticiero Univision	Carne de Horca (Jorge Rivero, Yolanda Ciani) 360042		
(50) HSE		50	Get Fit 62684	Press Box 53936	Alamo High School		NHL Hockey: Winnipeg Jets at Dallas Stars 327049					Press Box 32329	Sport Magazine Swim-suit Issue 26232	
(51) COM		51	Soap 7815674	Exit 57 7733226	Monty Python	Fabulous	Whose Line Is It?	London Under.	Politically Incorrect	Whose Line Is It?	Kids in the Hall	Best Sat. Night	Monty Python	Kids in the Hall
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(14) DISC		14	Beyond 2000	Next Step 506023	Safari: Elephant -- Lord of the Jungle 944874		Black Easter		The Promised Land 940058		Safari: Elephant -- Lord of the Jungle 943145		Black Easter	
(15) AMC		15	Iron Man (51) ++ 2667474						Toy Tiger (56) ++ 844888		The Spoilers (55) ++ 824603		Fandiz (66) +++ 1228454	
(16) TNN		16	Skyline	C'try News	Hot Country Nights		Music City Tonight 540918			Club Dance 103232	C'try News	Hot Country Nights		
(17) TNT		17	In the Heat of the Night		The White Buffalo (PG, '77) ++ (Charles Bronson,				Picnic ('55) +++ (William Holden, Kim Novak) 798436				The Fan	
(21) TMC		21	Praying With Anger (6:15) (PG, '93) ++ (M. Night Shyamalan, Mike Medavoy) 4104974				Philadelphia (PG-13, '93) +++ (Tom Hanks, Denzel Washington) 3746767				Glengarry Glen Ross (10:10) (R, '92) +++ (Al Pacino, Jack Lemmon) 1850277			
(22) MAX		22	Protocol (6:15) (PG, '84) ++ 9536918		Mrs. Doubtfire (PG-13, '93) +++ (Robin Williams, Sally Field) 736000				National Lampoon's Last Resort (PG-13, '94) + 7752029		Save Me (10:40) (R, '91) + (Harry Hamlin, Lysette Anthony) 8559481			
(29) VC1		29	Blown Away (5)		With Honors (PG-13, '94) ++ 5306346				Blown Away (R, '94) +++ (Jeff Bridges) 7820813				With Honors 3779874	
(30) HC		30	I Love Trouble (PG, '94) ++ 7884498				The Story of Ol' Peasley's Steve (R) 7829854				Barbi Benton Presents		Inside Out 5393874	
(31) CHTS1		31	Blown Away (R, '94) +++ (Jeff Bridges) 4714708				Blown Away (R, '94) +++ (Jeff Bridges) 4613023				Blown Away (R, '94) +++ (Jeff Bridges) 4837225			
(32) DISN		32	The Sinbad Show	Ocean Girl 523801	Avonlea: Thursday's Child 1915619		Cleopatra (G, '63) ++ (Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton) 230090							Wonders of World
(33) SHOW		33	Avalon (4:15)	Black Film-makers	Nemesis (R, '93) + (Olivier Gruner, Tim Thomerson) 4557042			Inside Showtime	Red Shoe Diaries	Love Street	The Lover (10:05) (R, '92) ++ (Jane March, Tony Leung) 84061226			
(34) HBO		34	Arthur Ashe: Citizen of the World 576042		Malcolm X (PG-13, '92) +++ (Denzel Washington, Angela Bassett) 870956							National Lampoon's Vacation (R, '83) +++ (Chevy Chase) 3757143		
(48) CHTS2		40	With Honors (6)		With Honors (PG-13, '94) ++ (Joe Pesci)				With Honors (PG-13, '94) ++ (Joe Pesci)				With Honors (PG-13)	



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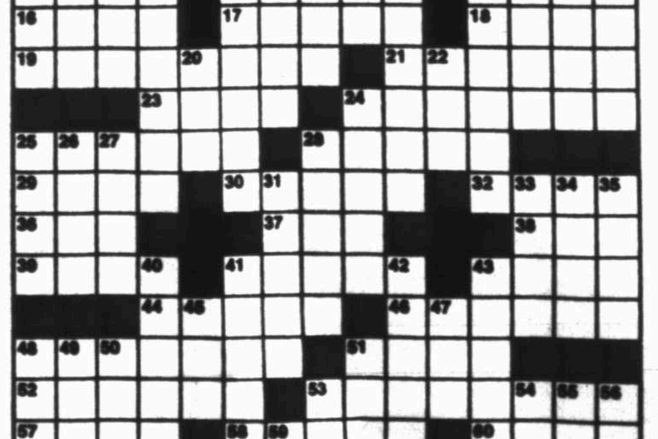
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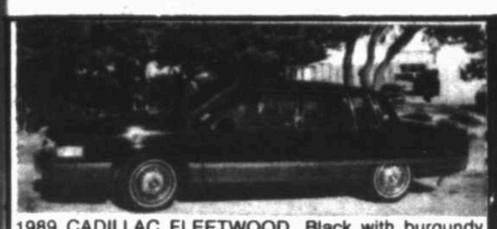
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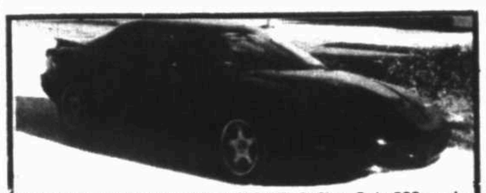
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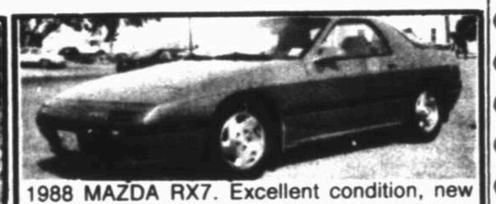
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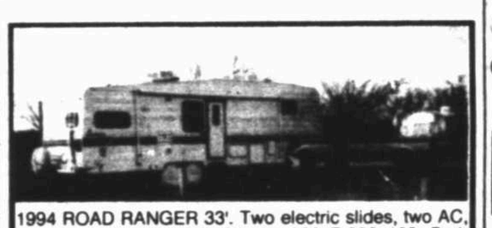
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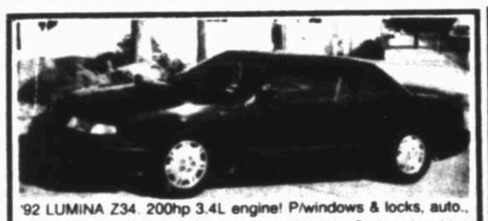
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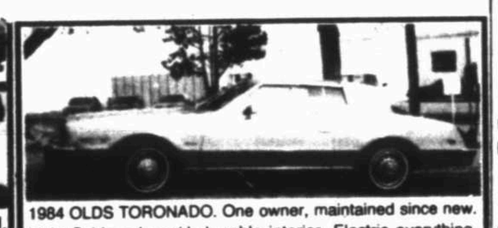
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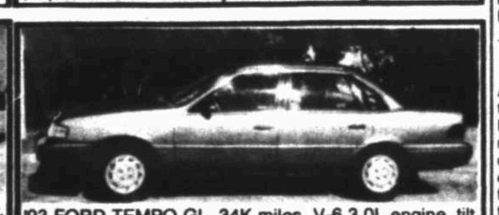
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MEDICAL- MIDLAND Dialysis Center is accepting applications for full- time Patient Care Technician. Experience preferred but will train. Good salary. Excellent benefits. If interested contact Barbara Vaughn, 687-1201 or apply at 731 W. Wadley, Building N.

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312 Professional Help Wanted

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Crane Memorial Hospital, a 28 bed facility, has an immediate opening for a CFO. Good analytical and independent decision making skills a must. Will be responsible for set-up and implementation of hospital accounting system. Computer expertise a must. Budget experience preferred. Accounting or Finance degree required. We are prepared to offer a competitive compensation package to the qualified candidate. Please submit resume and salary history, in confidence, to: Crane Memorial Hospital, ATTN: Jerry Varnado, Administrator, 1310 S. Alford, Crane, Texas 79731. EOE

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LEASE/ Division Order Analyst or Clerk. Part time. Hours very flexible. Organize, maintain records. Correspond with purchasers. Requires basic typing, computer, mathematical skills. Reply with short summary experience, required hourly pay, P.O, Box 10589, Midland 79702.

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314 Clerical Help Wanted

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320 Skilled Trades

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NEED dependable experienced Christian sitter to care for infant in my home. 9- 3:30, Tuesday-Friday. Must have verifiable references. 699–4933, 520-5303 ask for Debi.

NEED SOMEONE to watch infant 2- 3 hours daily. Non-smoking environment. Valid drivers license and some light cleaning required. References will be checked. Call 570–8902, ask for Jennifer.

BABYSITTER needed in my home. One child age 2, Wednesday and Friday during the day. Thursday and Saturday evenings. If interested and qualified please send an informative letter with references to P.O. BOX 51108, Midland, Texas 79710.

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LADIES 14K gold watch, 46 diamonds. $3,000, appraised $4,500. Womans 14 Ct. gold ring, 6.2 cts. diamonds $2500, appraised $4,800. 14 ct. gold ring, box style with pave diamonds $2,500, appraised $4,200. 558–7503, Crane.

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420 Good Things To Eat

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LICENSED Plumber needed for repair plumbing. Apply in person 2816 W. Wall. No Phone Calls Please.

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318 Sales Help Wanted

MANUFACTURERS Rep needs inside sales/ administrative person with technical background in transmitters, pressure switches, and RTU's - mail resume to blind Box W-13 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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WANTED: We buy Used Furniture and Miscellaneous. Call (915) 570–0747.

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DINING room suite, lighted china cabinet, table and 4 chairs, 59" X 38" with leaf, oak finish. $1,000. 682-1709.

DESIGNER rust- orange, U shaped sectional pit sofa. 92"x 114x92" (actually 3 couches). $500 or best offer. Will go fast. Call 683–7416 or 682-8996.

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