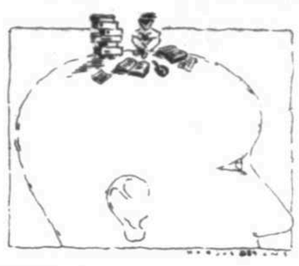
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107 believed dead in crash near Bogota

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — A Colombian passenger jet with 107 people aboard crashed in flames today outside Bogota, and everyone on board was killed, aviation officials said. Witnesses said the jet blew apart in the air.

The chief of the Civil Aviation Authority, Col. Jorge Gonzalez, said the crew of a Colombian air force jet flying in the area saw two explosions on the Avianca Airlines Boeing 727. He spoke to the Colombian radio networks RCN and Caracol.

Witnesses also reported seeing the plane explode before it plummeted to the ground at about 7:15 a.m.

First accounts from radio and witnesses said it went down in Soacha, a city about 18 miles west of the center of the capital, Bogota. Gonzalez said it crashed into hills south of Bogota.

No one on the ground appeared to have been hurt, he said.

RCN quoted officials at the control tower at El Dorado Airport in Bogota as saying the jet crashed three minutes after taking off for the western city of Cali.

It quoted the flight controller as saying the pilot reported everything normal seconds before communication with the plane was lost.

"The plane exploded in the air and then fell to the ground and caused a huge explosion," said Jairo Alba, who witnessed the crash.

Alba, interviewed by the RCN radio network, said the jet was destroyed.

RCN quoted other witnesses as saying they saw smoke pouring from one of the three engines and then seeing the plane exploded.

Radio Caracol said Flight 203 just cleared the southern edge of this city of 6 million people. Fragments from the jet were spread across a six-mile area, and body parts littered the crash site, witnesses said.

Avianca said there were 101 passengers and six crew members on the plane, Gonzalez said. Their nationalities were not immediately known.

Avianca's telephone lines were busy all morning.

"The plane was flying along when suddenly it exploded, broke in two and fell in flames and smoke," witness Alfonso Moreno told Caracol.

"I heard explosions and I thought there was some problem with transformers in the electrical station, but I looked up and saw a plane explode in the air, and bodies and pieces of luggage were falling," another witness Mario Vasquez, told the radio.

The last major passenger jet crash in Colombia occurred March 17, 1988, when an Avianca Boeing 727-100 crashed into a mountain near the northern city of Zulia, killing 138 people.

On July 27, 1985, an air force transport plane crashed in the Amazon jungle, killing all 74 people aboard. The military plane was carrying passengers because of a airline strike.



AP Laserphoto

Czech mates

Opposition leader Vaclev Havel, left, shakes hands with Czechoslovakian Premier Ladislav Adamec at the start of their talks Sunday in Prague. The city today faced a general strike and continued protest marches.

Prague crippled by strike, march

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — Sirens howled and church bells rang today as millions of people observed a symbolic general strike and filled streets and city squares in the largest demonstration so far against Communist rule.

Wenceslas Square in central Prague was jammed with hundreds of thousands of flag-waving workers marching beneath the banners of their factories, firms and offices.

"We don't want you anymore!" the crowd roared in a chant that echoed off the high 19th-century buildings surrounding the square, a half-mile long boulevard.

Trying to head off the two-hour strike, seen as a referendum on demands for their ouster, the country's Communist leaders early today dumped three more hard-liners from the ruling Politburo.

They also endorsed a "dialogue" with the opposition and agreed to a parliamentary inquiry of the brutal police crackdown on a peaceful student rally Nov. 17 that touched off the East bloc's latest popular revolt.

The concessions followed unprecedented talks Sunday between opposition leaders and Communist premier Ladislav Adamec, who later joined reformer Alexander Dubcek at the head of a rally and told about 300,000 demonstrators authorities were ready to listen to their demands.

Demands for free elections and an end to one-party rule were plastered over the windows of shops, hotels and restaurants that shut down for the strike, which began at noon (6 a.m. EST).

State-run television, which has played a key role in the dizzyingly rapid popular revolt here, broadcast footage from industrial centers around the country, showing crowds of hundreds of thousands attending strike rallies.

At the largest enterprise in the Slovak capital, Bratislava, the company's radio even issued instructions on how to go about the strike, television said.

Huge crowds of strikers were seen in Bratislava, the east Slovak industrial center of Kosice, the mining center of Ostrava on the Polish border, and in Usti nad Labem, the heart of industrial north Bohemia.

There was no estimate of how many workers went on strike, but the television footage and the crowds in Prague suggested the strike was a major success for the opposition.

State radio said all enterprises were affected, although most had skeleton crews on duty so that production would not be completely disrupted.

"It has to go to the very end," said Jana Cervenkova, one of those protesting on Wenceslas Square. "As long as the Communists rule, it is going to be as messed up as it was for the last 40 years."

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Surgeons try living donor liver transplant

CHICAGO (AP) — Surgeons today undertook the nation's first liver transplant from a living donor — a mother who's giving a third of her liver to her 21-month-old daughter.

If successful, the operation at the University of Chicago would provide a solution to a severe shortage of organs for children who need transplants, doctors said.

More than 700 babies a year in the United States need liver transplants, and as many as half die for lack of a donor.

Teri Smith, 29, was rolled into surgery at 7:35 a.m. to begin the operation in which the left lobe of her liver was to be transplanted in her daughter, Alyssa, said a spokeswoman at Wyler Children's Hospital at the University of Chicago.

"She was as eager to get started as she was a month ago when we first proposed this to her," hospital spokeswoman Mary Fetsch said today. "She has not displayed any signs of doubt or hesitation."

Dr. Christoph Broelsch led the surgical team in a two-phase operation that began with removal of a portion of Mrs. Smith's liver, said Ms. Fetsch. About 3½ hours into the mother's operation, doctors planned to prepare her daughter for the transplant. The entire procedure was expected to last eight to nine hours.

"In a way I kind of fear for her, but I'm confident everything will turn out OK," said Alyssa's father, John L. Smith, 27, of the San Antonio suburb of Shertz, Texas.

Alyssa suffers from an often-fatal liver disorder called biliary atresia. The disease blocks liver bile ducts, backing up bile in the bloodstream and the liver, and is the leading cause for liver transplants involving children.

Until now, the only regularly performed living donor transplants have involved kidneys and some pancreas segments.

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Midland firm among 400 on new Forbes list

From Staff and Wire Reports

DALLAS — Companies headquartered in Texas account for more than one-tenth of Forbes magazine's list of the 400 largest private companies in America, ranked by sales. Only New York has more.

The largest firm on the national list with Texas headquarters is Southland Corp., the parent company of the 7-Eleven convenience food store chain, with $7.99 billion in annual revenues and 39,057 employees nationwide.

Dallas-based Southland dropped from sixth on the 1988 list to eighth, the magazine's Dec. 11 issue reports.

Midland-based Insilco, a metal fabricating, electronics, communications and paint company, was ranked 215th on the list with annual revenues of $752 million. It employs 9,000 people and its chief executive officer is Joel L. Reed.

Cargill Inc., the Minneapolis agricultural commodity trading and food processing company with $43 billion in 1988 sales, ranked at the top of the 400 private firms. It also was first last year.

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Indian voters abandon Gandhi's party

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi's party today failed to win a majority in elections for only the second time in 42 years as voters deserted it for a new centrist alliance and a fundamentalist Hindu party.

Incomplete results from the election for a new Parliament showed the Congress Party with more seats than any single opposition group but far short of a mandate to form the next government alone.

That leaves Gandhi in the difficult position of trying to form a coalition government — the first in the history of the world's most populous democracy.

The fundamentalist Bharatiya Janata Party, capitalizing on a rise in Hindu nationalism, appeared destined to be the pivotal player. Its leader said today he would "see to it that they (Congress) fall from power."

The election was a major blow to Gandhi, who had been tainted by allegations of government corruption and ineptitude. His family dynasty has governed India for all but five years since it won independence from Britain in 1947.

Gandhi's leadership also had been called into question by the widespread vote fraud and violence in the election that claimed 137 lives, making it the bloodiest balloting in modern India's 42-year history.

The election for seats in Parliament's policy-making lower house started Wednesday and was scheduled to end Sunday, but re-voting was ordered in some districts because of alleged fraud. Balloting ended today, and by sundown winners were declared in 336 of the 525 races.

State television, compiling results from the Election Commission, said the Congress Party had 143 seats. Its party allies had 17.

A majority in the new Parliament — and with it the mandate to form a new government — requires 263 seats.

The centrist National Front, a five-party alliance led by former defense and finance minister Vishwanath Pratap Singh, had 74 seats. Singh, an ex-Congress Party member, was once Gandhi's ally but is now the prime minister's most outspoken foe.

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Strong winds force day's delay in landing of shuttle Discovery

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Blustery winds that sent small "dust devils" whipping across the space shuttle's desert landing site forced NASA to keep the Discovery astronauts in space another day.

Plans to end the secret military mission with a rare night landing Sunday at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., were scrapped because of the persistent winds, which gusted to nearly 30 mph.

The five astronauts, who reportedly deployed a spy satellite during their classified mission, were scheduled to return to Earth today with a 2:52 p.m. PST touchdown at Edwards.

Sunday's postponement marked the sixth time in 32 shuttle flights that a landing has been delayed by weather.

NASA initially rescheduled the landing for 4:32 p.m. PST today, but Mission Control decided to bring the shuttle back at 2:52 p.m. PST to reduce sun glare. About an hour before landing, the crew was to ignite the shuttle's re-entry rockets for the fiery dive through the atmosphere.

"The change to the earlier landing opportunity takes advantage of higher sun angle, thereby reducing sun glare on Discovery's windows during landing," Mission Control commentator Billie Deason said Sunday night, about 1¼ hours after NASA announced the landing delay.

Skies were expected to be clear and winds were predicted to be within landing limits this afternoon. Mission rules dictate that a shuttle not land during the day if crosswinds are more than about 17 mph; 12 mph for night landings.

The delay does not pose a threat to the astronauts because Discovery carries enough fuel and other supplies to remain in orbit at least through Tuesday.

Discovery's commander is Air Force Col. Frederick D. Gregory. His crew members are Air Force Col. John Blaha, the pilot, and mission specialists Navy Capt. Manley Carter Jr., F. Story Musgrave and Kathryn C. Thornton.

In announcing the delay, Mission Control also said the astronauts "continued to be in excellent condition." But a military-imposed news blackout that has shrouded most of the mission kept space agency officials from discussing the crew's reaction to the delay.

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PEOPLE: Backers of Jim and Tammy Ministries say they are moving their church to a hotel, but won't name the facility. Worshipers, they claim, are tired of wading through press representatives to attend services. — 5A

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Weather

Clear tonight, low in the upper 20s, northerly winds 10-20 mph and gusty. Details on Page 2A.



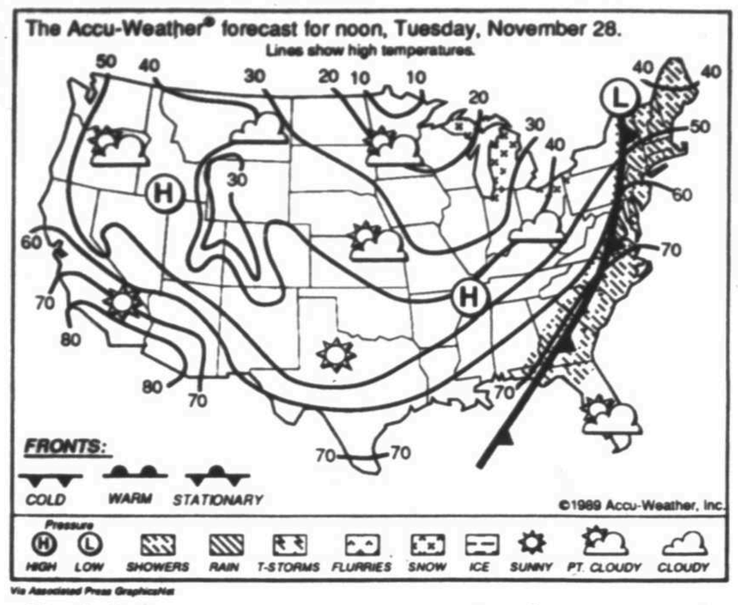
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

Colder temperatures in forecast

From Staff and Wire Reports

Clear skies and colder temperatures are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport, with the low dipping into the upper 20s. Winds will be gusting from the north at 10-20 mph.

Tuesday is expected to be sunny but cool with the high reaching only into the lower 50s and winds from the northeast at 10-20 mph.

Sunday's high of 79 was four degrees cooler than the record high of 83 set for that date in 1961. The overnight low of 53 was 37 degrees warmer than the record low of 16 set in 1938.

STATE

Fair skies were expected throughout Texas today after clouds and fog again covered much of the eastern half of Texas this morning.

Visibility was reduced to as low as one-fourth of a mile in parts of Central and Southeast Texas due to the fog.

Drizzle was also reported along the middle coast and in some areas of the Hill Country.

A deep low pressure system in the Central Plains was dragging a cold front toward the Texas Panhandle. A trough of low pressure stretched into the state from east of Wichita Falls to south of Del Rio. The trough separated moist air to the east from drier air to the west.

NATION

High winds and heavy snow swept into the Dakotas today from a storm that left up to 4 feet of snow in the Western mountains, and forecasters said the front would move east toward the Great Lakes by tonight.

"Near blizzard conditions, that's what it's like in the western Dakotas," Karl Swanberg, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Minneapolis, said early today. "It's gusting 50 mph, producing near zero visibility" around Rapid City, S.D.

Winter storm warnings were posted for today for parts of Colorado, North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Gale warnings were posted for Lake Ontario.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clear, low in the upper 20s, northerly winds 10-20 mph and gusty. Tuesday: Sunny, high in the lower 50s, northeasterly winds 10-20 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	79 degrees
Overnight Low	53 degrees
Sunset today	5:45 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:29 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	trace inches
Year to date	7.98 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	36	6 p.m.	72
7 a.m.	34	7 p.m.	67
8 a.m.	37	8 p.m.	64
9 a.m.	48	9 p.m.	62
10 a.m.	55	10 p.m.	62
11 a.m.	63	11 p.m.	59
noon	70	midnight	53
1 p.m.	75	1 a.m.	56
2 p.m.	76	2 a.m.	55
3 p.m.	78	3 a.m.	56
4 p.m.	78	4 a.m.	62
5 p.m.	77	5 a.m.	58
		6 a.m.	59

Extended forecasts

Wednesday through Friday

West Texas: Mostly fair with below normal temperatures through the period. Warming to near normal Panhandle and South Plains Friday. Panhandle highs near 50 to the mid 50s. Lows near 20 to the mid 20s. South Plains highs mid 50s to near 60. Lows mid 20s to near 30. Permian Basin and Concho Valley highs mid 50s to near 60. Lows upper 20s to the mid 30s. Far West highs mid 50s to near 60. Lows from mid 20s to near 30. Big Bend area highs mid 50s mountains to the mid 60s along the Rio Grande. Lows lower 20s mountains to near 40 along the river.

North Texas: Fair skies and cool. Overnight lows in the upper 20s to lower 30s Wednesday with 30s Thursday and Friday. Highs in the lower 50s to around 60.

South Texas: Partly cloudy to mostly cloudy. Cool nights and mild afternoons. Hill Country and South Central Texas lows in the 30s Hill Country to the 40s elsewhere. Highs Wednesday in the 50s and 60s. Highs Thursday and Friday generally in the 60s. Texas Coastal Bend lows in the 40s. Highs Wednesday in the 50s. Highs Thursday and Friday in the 60s. Lower Texas Rio Grande Valley and Plains. Lows Wednesday in the 40s and 50s. Highs in the 60s. Lows Thursday and Friday in the 50s. Highs in the 60s to near 70. Southeast Texas and the upper Texas Coast. Lows Wednesday in the 30s and 40s. Highs in the 50s. Lows Thursday and Friday in the 40s. Highs in the 60s.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	76	58	
Alice	78	65	
Amarillo	69	43	
Austin	83	63	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	82	64	0.05
Beeville	78	66	
Brownsville	86	69	
Bryan-College Station	82	64	
Childress	73	55	
Corpus Christi	82	66	
Cotulla	79	63	
Dalhart	70	43	
Dallas Love Field	74	62	
Del Rio	79	55	
El Paso	70	55	
Fort Worth	72	54	
Galveston	78	68	0.10
Hondo	80	53	
Houston Hobby Airport	81	66	
Junction	83	51	
Kingsville	86	67	
Laredo	86	66	
Longview	82	65	
Lubbock	75	50	
Lufkin	83	66	
Marfa	73	34	
McAllen	88	73	
Midland-Odessa	79	53	
Mineral Wells	74	48	
Palacios	74	64	
San Angelo	83	55	
San Antonio	81	55	
Stephenville	75	53	
Texarkana, Ark.	79	63	
Victoria	76	64	
Waco	78	62	
Wichita Falls	67	49	
Wink	78	54	

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Partly cloudy north and clear south tonight. Partly cloudy north and sunny south Tuesday. Colder tonight and Tuesday. Lows tonight in the 20s except mid 30s Concho Valley and Big Bend Valleys. Highs Tuesday 42 Panhandle to 57 Concho Valley and far west with near 70 Big Bend Valleys.

North Texas: Mostly clear and colder tonight and Tuesday. Lows tonight in the 30s west to mid 40s east. Highs Tuesday in the upper 40s northwest to mid 50s southeast.

South Texas: Partly cloudy tonight, turning windy and colder tonight and Tuesday. Widely scattered thunderstorms east tonight and south Tuesday. Colder north tonight and cold most sections Tuesday. Lows tonight 40s north to the 50s central and southeast and in the 60s south and Coastal Plains. Highs Tuesday in the 50s north to the 70s extreme south.

Storm dumps about four feet of snow

Associated Press

Near-blizzard conditions blew into the Dakotas today from a storm that dumped up to 4 feet of snow from the Sierras to the Rockies. So much snow fell in Utah that a World Cup ski race was postponed.

The snow delighted early-season recreational skiers but sent cars skidding off roads and into each other, prompted some avalanche warnings and caused power outages.

Icy roads were blamed for car crashes that killed three people in Montana on Sunday. Some schools were closed in Minnesota today.

Interstate highways and smaller roads were closed at times during the weekend, causing major traffic jams as Thanksgiving holiday travelers tried to return home.

I-80 over Donner Summit at Truckee, Calif., was closed for nearly 10 hours into early Sunday, and the California Highway Patrol reported traffic delays of three to four hours through the pass later in the day.

The National Weather Service said the storm dumped 13 inches of snow on Donner Summit on Friday and another 38 inches Saturday and early Sunday.

In Utah, World Cup officials determined that conditions were too dangerous for men's slalom races Sunday at Park City, which got nearly two feet of snow by nightfall.

But the snow meant other ski areas were able to open.

"There's an awful lot of (snow) out there. It's a welcome sight," said Angela Gaines, an Alta Ski Lift employee. Alta had 26 inches of snow by Sunday night.

However, the Utah Avalanche Forecast Center issued an avalanche warning for the mountains around Salt Lake City, Provo and Park City.

In addition to snow, the storm also yielded two funnel clouds and 50-60 mph winds in southern Davis County in Utah, but authorities reported no damage or injuries. High winds also were blamed for power interruptions in Utah's Santa Clara County.

In Montana on Sunday, three people died in crashes on icy roads, while passengers in about 1,000 cars and trucks on I-90 between Bozeman and Livingston were stuck in a traffic jam 10 miles long, the state highway patrol said. The patrol temporarily closed the highway's westbound lanes.

The storm moved east today, piling up heavy snow in Colorado's northern and central mountains and in the western Dakotas.

"Near blizzard conditions, that's what it's like in the western Dakotas," Karl Swanberg, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Minneapolis, said early today.

"It's gusting 50 mph, producing near zero visibility" around Rapid City, S.D., Swanberg said.

No snowfall estimates were available early today. "It's hard to measure when it's blowing around like that," he said.

Temperatures were expected to drop into the low teens and as many as 8 inches of snow were forecast for northwestern Minnesota and eastern North Dakota.

All Moorhead, Minn., schools canceled classes today after the area got four inches of snow during the night. Two- to 3-foot snowdrifts were common, said meteorologist Bob Nordlund of the National Weather Service in Fargo, N.D.

In the Pacific Northwest, the storm dumped snow in most of Oregon's mountains. Two of the state's largest ski resorts — Timberline Lodge on Mount Hood and Mount Bachelor ski area in central Oregon — opened Sunday.

"If you open before Thanksgiving, that means a great year. Now we're going to have to settle for a good year," said Gary Hohnstein, assistant general manager of Timberline Lodge, where two of five chairlifts opened Sunday. But that was three days too late for a resort that relies on sales up to $50,000 a day during the holiday weekend.

CZECH

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"Look Gustav, how thick the crowd is!" the masses chanted, referring to President Gustav Husak, who headed the crackdown on democratic reforms that Dubcek tried to institute in 1968.

"Dubcek to the Castle!" they yelled. Husak replaced Dubcek in 1969.

Sirens wailed and church bells pealed across the land at noon to signal the start of the strike.

People jangled keys and rang little bells of their own in a symbolic signal to the Communists that their time in power is up.

"The last bell is ringing, the fairy tale is over!" they chanted.

A radio announcer called the strike "the highest form of ... struggle" for democracy and said it had been made necessary because "of the mistakes of the regime."

Later, a representative of the Student Strike Committee that initiated the protest proclaimed on the radio that protests, which began 11 days ago, would continue until a clause enshrining the Communists' leading role is struck from the constitution.

Czechoslovakia is the latest East bloc country to be caught up in the reforms avocated by Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev. The mass protests began nearly two weeks ago and have resulted in the ouster of a number of leaders, including Communist Party chief Milos Jakes.

He was the third hard-line East bloc leader to be ousted in the last two months. Also gone are Erich Honecker of East Germany and Todor Zhivkov of Bulgaria, both replaced by leaders seen as willing to accept some reforms.

Poland has installed the East bloc's first government not led by Communists, and Hungary is moving toward a multiparty democracy.

Czechsolovakia's state television announced it reduced its workforce for today's strike, and the foreign language service of the CTK news agency reported it would stop transmission for 15 minutes in a symbolic gesture of solidarity.

Radio carried interviews from numerous factories, hospitals and enterprises with official also expressing their solidarity.

Removed early today from the Czechoslovak Politburo were Miroslav Stepan, who resigned as Prague party boss Saturday, trade union boss Miroslav Zavadil, and Josef Lenart, the longest-serving Politburo member.

Their ouster and the addition of seven, largely unknown Politburo members left an untried 13-man ruling party body whose longest serving member, Slovak party chief Ignac Janak, joined in April 1988.

But opposition activists have expressed skepticism the new Politburo is willing to bow to demands that the Communists relinquish power.

Earthquake center established in 1986

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — The National Center for Earthquake Engineering Research here was established in 1986 at the State University of New York at Buffalo.

It's the first such national center sponsored by the National Science Foundation and involves more than 80 researchers at institutions throughout the U.S. and the world.

Funded by a five-year, $25-million grant, the center is part of the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program established by Congress in 1977.



AP Laserphoto

Opposition supporters gather outside a New Delhi, India, vote-counting center to celebrate their party's strong showing.

SHUTTLE

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If bad weather persisted at Edwards, other available landing sites included White Sands, N.M., or Cape Canaveral, Fla. The National Aeronautics and Space Administration prefers Edwards because of the long, wide-open runways.

Discovery's flight began Wednesday with a dazzling nighttime liftoff at Cape Canaveral. It was the third shuttle launch after dark, and Sunday's landing was to have been only the third at night.

The after-dark blastoff was dictated by the shuttle's cargo and its mission.

Sources close to the project have said that the astronauts achieved their main goal Thursday when they released the 2½-ton, $300 million satellite to eavesdrop on communications in the Soviet Union, Europe, Africa and the Middle East.

The astronauts also reportedly conducted experiments connected with the "Star Wars" missile defense system. It was believed the astronauts also conducted research into how people can serve as military observers in space.

As Discovery headed home, the space shuttle Columbia was being prepared for a 10-day Christmas mission to deploy a Navy communications satellite and retrieve a scientific payload that has been orbiting the Earth for nearly six years. Columbia is scheduled to be moved to the launch pad at Cape Canaveral on Tuesday.

INDIA

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The Bharatiya Janata, which won just two seats in the last elections in 1984, had 67. The rest of the seats went to smaller parties and independents.

Many undeclared seats are in states where the National Front was expected to do well.

The Congress Party's poor showing could hurt it in the search for coalition partners or trigger a revolt against the prime minister by colleagues in his own party.

"If Congress wants to win anything, the prime minister must go," said independent analyst Bhabani Sen Gupta. "With Rajiv Gandhi, very few things are possible. Without Rajiv Gandhi, many things are possible."

The Congress Party dismissed the possibility of a coalition with the Bharatiya Janata Party.

"We will contemptuously reject any overtures from the BJP. There's no question (of aligning with them)," Congress spokesman Anand Sharma said. "Congress is not in a tearing hurry" to seek a coalition with anyone.

Gandhi, 45, the grandson of India's first prime minister, Jawaharlal Nehru, was plunged into the leadership when his mother, Prime Minister Indira Gandhi, was assassinated in 1984.

His party then took an unprecedented 415 of the seats in the lower house.

FORBES

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Cargill's revenues more than double that of the second largest company on the list, Koch Industries, the Wichita, Kan.-based oil company with sales of $16 billion.

Texas' 41 firms ranked second to New York state's 62. California ranked third with 35.

New York City led all cities with 45 of the largest privately owned U.S. businesses, Forbes reports.

Chicago was second on the cities list with 24 companies, and Dallas was third with 22. Los Angeles ranked fourth with nine firms, and Houston was fifth with eight.

H.E.B. Grocery Co. of San Antonio, a supermarket chain with an estimated $2.5 billion in annual revenues, ranks second on the list among Texas firms. H.E.B. stores are located primarily in Central, South and Southwest Texas.

H.E.B.'s national ranking of 45th remained unchanged from 1988 to 1989, Forbes said.

McLane Co. of Temple, another food distributor, with almost $2.16 billion in revenues, placed third among Texas companies, according to Forbes.

McLane rose from 60th in 1988 to 56th on this year's national list.

Dallas-based Lincoln Property Co., a real estate development and management company, is the fourth-ranked Texas firm. Lincoln posted revenues of $1.617 billion and moved from 118th on the national list to 81st.

Lubbock-based Furr's grocery store chain is ranked 90th nationally, with estimated revenue of $1.5 billion and 10,439 employees nationwide.

Houston's largest private company is Gulf States Toyota, the automobile importing arm of Toyota of Japan, which posted $1.086 billion in revenues and lands at No. 131.

Trammel Crow Co., another Dallas-based real estate development and management firm with $1.5 billion in revenues, retained its 90th place nationally from 1988 to 1989.

Placid Oil Co. of Dallas, the beleaguered oil and gas exploration firm involved in the Nelson Bunker Hunt and William Herbert Hunt bankruptcy proceedings, ranked 319th on the national scale, falling from the 230th slot.

Placid's annual revenues were reported at $541.4 million.

Other Texas firms making the list are, Dallas-based S&A Restaurant Corp., parent company of Steak & Ale restaurants, at No. 242; Coppell-based Minyard Food Stores at No. 283; Houston-based MediaNews Group, owner of The Houston Post newspaper, at No. 302; and Dallas-based Dr Pepper-Seven-Up Cos. at No. 335.

LIVER

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Liver transplants from living donors have been performed only three times — in Brazil, Australia and Japan. One child has died.

In those cases, the operation were emergencies performed on critically ill children, said Dr. Peter Whitington, head of the University of Chicago's pediatric liver transplant program. The Chicago hospital has spent more than a year planning the program, and last August authorized 20 such operations to determine if the procedure is viable.

Dr. William D. Paine, who directs the liver transplant program at the University of Minnesota Health Sciences Center, said transplant specialists around the country were closely monitoring today's operation.

Because cadaver livers are usually from adults, they are too large, to be transplanted into children's small abdominal cavities.

"Small children are at risk of dying while waiting for a suitable cadaver donor," said Whitington.

Alyssa had been waiting for a cadaver liver transplant for more than a year when the Smiths heard about the University of Chicago's plans for the experimental program in August.

"It's a waiting game when you are waiting for a liver," said Mrs. Smith, a fourth-grade teacher. "You don't know if she's going to have a bout with some illness that causes her to go into a liver failure and a liver not be available at that time."

The Chicago hospital has been a pioneer in liver transplants. Broelsch became the first surgeon in the United States to transplant part of a liver from a cadaver into a child in 1986. Last year, he performed a "two-for-one" operation, in which two children received transplants from one cadaver liver.

Whitington said the living donor transplant "is just the next step in assuring a steady supply of liver grafts."

He said the procedure holds the promise of a lower rejection rate since the grafts would come from a close relative, match better genetically and could be transplanted immediately. Also, the operation could be performed electively before a child becomes critically ill.

Before authorizing the program, the university studied ethical considerations and decided that the risk to the donor was low, Whitington said.

The liver regenerates itself — an adult liver will grow back to normal after the operation, and the segment transplanted into an infant will grow with the child.

Whitington said the hospital's guidelines stress that no pressure be applied on family members to be donors.

"The only thing I wish is that they could say, 'Yes, this will work,'" said Mrs. Smith. "There is a possibility it will not be a 100 percent success. But we realize her chances should be better."

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Report says many cholesterol screenings inaccurate, pose risks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cholesterol screenings in shopping malls and other public settings often can be inaccurate, pose hygiene risks and frequently fail to provide counseling or physician referral, a government report said today.

The report by the Department of Health and Human Services' inspector general recommends federal regulation of all cholesterol screenings that are not conducted by health care professionals.

An investigation by the inspector general found that basic rules of hygiene were often ignored, qualifications and training of testers varied widely and public screenings often lacked the optimal conditions needed to produce accurate results with portable analyzers.

"The public in general is not aware of these shortcomings, and does not know what to look for in safe, high-quality public screening programs," said the report.

"In addition, screening staff may be placing themselves as well as screenees at risk due to marginal observation of the basic rules of hygiene and infection control procedures," the report said.

The report was being discussed at a hearing today by a House Small Business subcommittee on regulation and business opportunities, chaired by Rep. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., who requested the study.

Cholesterol screenings are conducted at shopping malls, pharmacies, health clubs, village halls and a variety of other public settings. The report said it found no reliable national statistics on prevalence of screenings but said that because of greater awareness of the link between high cholesterol and heart disease, "demand for screening is increasing significantly."

"At a time when over 60 million adult Americans may currently have high blood cholesterol, placing them at risk of heart disease, it defies common sense to allow unregulated public screening to continue," Wyden said.

His subcommittee has been studying medical testing, and its finding that a quarter of all such testing was being done in unregulated settings led to a 1988 law that brings all clinical laboratories under federal regulation. The Health Care Financing Administration is drafting regulations to implement the law.

The law provides that some medical testing may be exempt from its provisions, but the inspector general recommended public screenings be included in the regulations because "federal regulation ... is clearly called for in order to safeguard the public."

Sixteen states regulate public cholesterol screening, but regulations in four of them have not yet been implemented, the report said.

The report was based on a review of state and federal laws and regulations, research studies and reports as well as interviews with 250 experts and public officials. It also included a special field survey in which investigators participated in 71 public cholesterol screenings that were randomly selected in 10 states and the District of Columbia.

The investigators' test results were not analyzed for accuracy, but participants observed the conditions under which the tests were conducted and rated them against the guidelines issued by the National Cholesterol Education Program, a consortium of organizations coordinated by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute.

Investigators said that contrary to the guidelines, the atmosphere at many screenings was frenzied, with little or no privacy for those being tested, and that many times testers had no professional experience and minimal training.

Nearly 60 percent of the investigators whose blood was drawn with a finger prick had their fingers squeezed or "milked," which can dilute the sample with material from between the cells and give a lower than true result.

NATION

Cafeteria fight turns into riot at Virginia prison

POWHATAN, Va. (AP) — An argument in a prison cafeteria led to a riot that spread through two cellbocks and left eight guards hospitalized, authorities said.

Sunday evening's disturbance at the maximum security Powhatan Correctional Center, about 25 miles west of Richmond, was declared under control within three hours.

The injured included one officer who was stabbed in the back and one with a broken nose, said Wickliffe S. Lyne, administrator of Johnston-Willis Hospital, where several injured guards were taken.

An assistant warden who tried to talk to inmates during the fight was beaten up but did not require treatment, said prison spokesman Wayne J. Farrar.

Three prisoners who allegedly took part in the riot were placed in solitary confinement.

No inmates were injured, officials said.

Officials said about 100 prisoners were in the cafeteria where the disturbance started and spread to two nearby cellblocks that house from 200 to 300 inmates. There are about 600 inmates at the prison.

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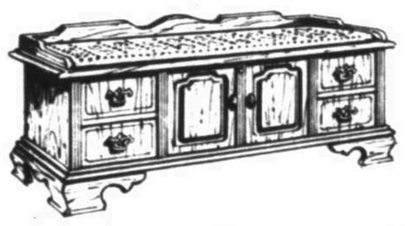
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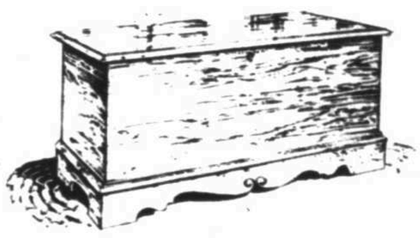
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: A secret desire could be fulfilled. Financial pressures ease in January through investments or moonlighting. Look for ways to make your work more interesting. People who care for you will bring about important changes in March. A love relationship should be on an even keel by June. Business prospects improve when you expand your base of operations or start your own enterprise. Recent retirees should travel to foreign shores in October. Adventure and romance go hand-in-hand.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: poet William Blake, dancer Alexander Godunov, actress Hope Lange, singer Randy Newman, conductor Jose Iturbi.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A sound insurance policy will help you achieve your financial ends. Be sure you are covered for every contingency. A home improvement project should increase the value of your property.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): New financial progress reduces the tensions that have caused problems at home. A salary increase or promotion is likely. Invest wisely. Let a romantic relationship develop at its own pace.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Trust your hunches. Travel brings fresh perspectives and important business contacts. Keep receipts so your expense account will not be questioned. Give romance a second chance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Athletic activities keep your body toned. Brisk walks also clear the cobwebs from your brain. Showcase your untapped leadership skills. A need for love leads you to reach out to others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Refuse to make or accept an unreasonable pledge. To stay healthy, avoid all forms of excess. You find a special serenity just being around loved ones. Keep all dental and medical appointments.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A neighbor or business asociate may disrupt your family plans. Someone you thought you knew well now appears in a different light. Spending some quiet time alone restores your equilibrium.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): When it comes to your home and possessions, you have a new incentive to make improvements. Do not shortchange those closest to your heart. Window-shopping proves both fun and inexpensive.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Reserve some time to answer the correspondence you have received recently. Write exactly what you mean. Handle an older person with kid gloves; your patience will be rewarded.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Go over your personal finances. You need to know exactly where you stand. Do not let others tell you how to live your life. Be honest if your romantic partner asks you ticklish questions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Someone wants a special favor involving money. A new beginning could prove profitable. Financial pressures will be relieved when someone pays a debt. Self-improvement projects boost your ego.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Catch up on your correspondence and get your financial affairs in better order. A close alliance is a source of great satisfaction. Seek advice from an older friend or admirer.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Somebody's honesty could take your breath away. You are both surprised and pleased! Make a list before going shopping to save valuable time. Think twice before OKing travel plans.

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠A9842 ♡6 ◇Q3 ♣Q10642
The bidding has proceeded:

West	North	East	South
1 ♡	1 ♠	2 ♡	?

What do you bid now?
A.—You can't be sure whose hand it is. However, for his vulnerable overcall partner should have close to an opening bid, and had partner opened one spade, you would certainly have jumped to four. Make the same bid now. Any lesser action would be pusillanimous.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠5 ♡AJ863 ◇A1053 ♣AKQ
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	1 ♠	2 ♡	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	2 NT	Pass
3 ◇	Pass	3 NT	Dbl
?			

What action do you take?
A.—Partner has heard you bid a strong, obviously distributional, hand and, despite his initial support for hearts, he has twice chosen no trump as the preferred contract. You can expect partner to turn up with a double stopper in spades and only three-card heart support. Pass. If partner does not like the contract, he can retreat to hearts.

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠A10 ♡QJ ◇KQ1086 ♣AQ54
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♡	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—An awkward hand—two clubs is an underbid and three clubs a distinct stretch. The solution is to jump to two no trump; your honors in partner's suit should be upgraded and your fifth diamond and intermediates also strengthen the hand. Had one of your low clubs been a low spade instead, you would not have thought twice about this bid.

Q.4—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKJ1064 ♡AQ10 ◇AK63 ♣Void
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 ◇	Pass	3 ♡	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—You have no idea yet where this hand is headed, so you should try to make the most descriptive bid available. The choice lies between three spades and three no trump, and we strongly prefer the former to stress the quality of our spades and the unbalanced nature of our hand.

Q.5—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K85 ♡84 ◇J3 ♣AQ9854
The bidding has proceeded:

West	North	East	South
1 ◇	Dbl	3 ◇	?

What do you bid now?
A.—First, East's jump to three diamonds over the double is preemptive. Secondly, if you now simply bid four clubs, partner might think that you are competing under pressure. Jump to five clubs to show that you have a reasonable hand.

Q.6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠A54 ♡KJ ◇AJ9843 ♣A10
What is your opening bid?
A.—The problem with a one diamond opening bid is you will then face a rebid problem. You can get the hand off your chest in one bid if you choose to open one no trump. That is acceptable with a six-card minor if your doubleton suits are solidly stopped, as is the case here.

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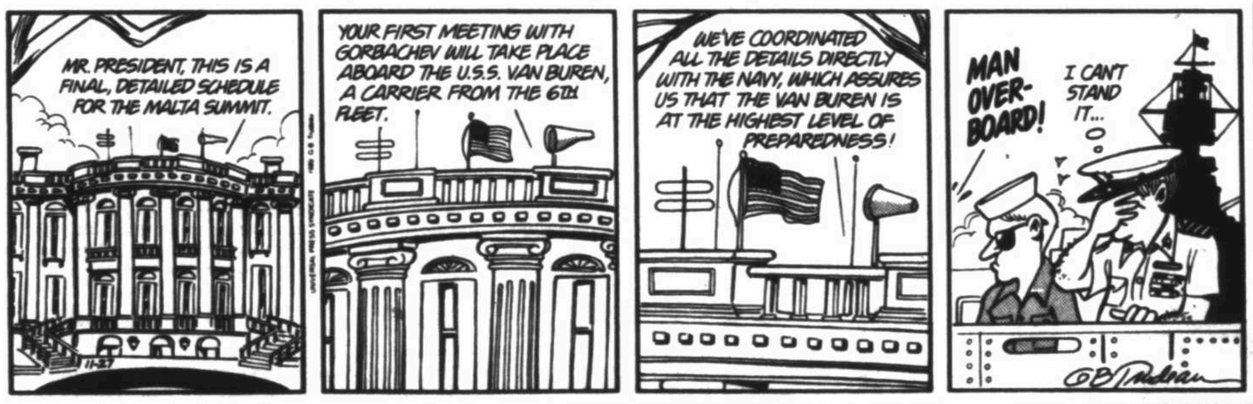


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PEOPLE

Bakker ministry will take up residence in unnamed hotel

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Jim and Tammy Ministries held its last church service at a shopping center and supporters said they plan to meet in the future at an unnamed hotel.

A ministry spokesman said Sunday that supporters wanted to keep the location secret because they are tired of walking through reporters and television cameras to get to church.

Earlier this month, the ministry reached an agreement with its landlord to move out of the Shoppers World plaza by Thursday. Stewart Gilman, owner of the plaza, said Sunday he did not know where the ministry would go.


Bakker

Tammy Faye Bakker, who led several services this month at the shopping center, was visiting her husband at a Rochester, Minn., federal prison Sunday.

Jim Bakker is serving a 45-year sentence after being convicted of fraud and conspiracy charges connected with the now-defunct PTL ministry.

Reporters were kept out of Sunday's services but listened through the door as about 40 people worshiped inside.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Actor **Richard Gere** has been devoting a lot of time in recent years to his Buddhist beliefs. But that didn't stop him from portraying a couple of old-fashioned bad guys in upcoming films.


Gere

The 40-year-old actor, who has done little acting since his acclaimed performance in 1982's "An Officer and a Gentleman," says in the current issue of Fame magazine that he has been supporting the cause of Tibetans, who have been under Chinese occupation since 1950.

"They are a gentle, spiritual people who have been systemically murdered by the Chinese," said Gere, who, along with composer **Philip Glass**, founded the Tibet House for Himalayan exiles in New York two years ago.

Gere, best known for his sex-symbol roles in films such as "Looking for Mr. Goodbar" and "American Gigolo," is a student of the exiled **Dalai Lama**, this year's Nobel Peace Prize winner.

"His Holiness has been through so much," he says. "His strength is ... He's just unbelievable."

Gere himself, however, will soon be seen playing characters with a less-than-holy nature.

In the soon-to-be-released "Internal Affairs," Gere stars as an amoral career cop opposite **Andy Garcia's** good guy investigator. And March is the scheduled release for "3,000," in which Gere stars as a ruthless Wall Street speculator.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — **Thomas J. Freeman**, who worked for more than 40 years with the photo department of The Associated Press in Washington, died Thursday at age 63. His family said the cause of death was not known.

Freeman began his career as a mail clerk-messenger in 1948. He became a photo printer and worked since 1972 as the Washington sales representative for Wide World Photos, which handles commercial sales of AP photographs.

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HARRISON, N.Y. (AP) — Former first lady **Betty Ford** greeted more than 100 alcoholism specialists from the Soviet Union as part of a two-week exchange program on treatment of the disease.


Ford

The Soviets, including physicians, treatment center directors, recovering alcoholics and celebrities, were met Sunday by Mrs. Ford at Westchester County Airport.

"Alcoholism is the most treatable of our primary diseases," Mrs. Ford told her guests. "I hope that this conference will lead to more joint communication with the Soviet Union and that our discussions will become even broader in scope."

A spokeswoman for the Soviet-American Conference on Alcoholism, Kristen Jensen, said the conference will include tours of treatment centers throughout the United States, including the Betty Ford Treatment Center in Rancho Mirage, Calif.

Last April, an American delegation attended a conference on alcoholism in the Soviet Union.

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PARIS (AP) — Frenchman **Philippe Noiret** won the best actor prize at the 1989 European Film Awards, better known as the Felixes, for his roles in the French film "Life and Nothing Else" and the Franco-Italian "Paradise Cinema"

Britain's **Ruth Sheen** claimed the best actress award for Mike Leigh's "High Hopes," a satirical look at Thatcherite England.

The jury headed by Norwegian actress **Liv Ullmann** chose "Landscape in the Mist," a movie about two boys searching for their father, as best film.

The director, **Theo Angelopoulos** of Greece, received the prize late Saturday at a theater on the Champs Elysees. The presentation was the highlight of the second annual awards competition among film makers from 27 countries.

The film was chosen ahead of the Soviet Union's "Little Vera," Hungary's "Eldorado," Iceland's "Magnus," Portugal's "Memories of the Yellow House," and Britain's "High Hopes."

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NEW YORK (AP) — A judge has given permission to the guardians of **Sir Rudolf Bing** to sell his possessions to pay for the care of the aged and ailing former head of the Metropolitan Opera.

State Judge Eve Preminger gave the order Friday after Bing's court appointed guardian, Harvey Korn, told her that Bing will have no more than $11,000 in cash by the end of the year.

Korn said Bing's monthly expenses are about $14,500, for upkeep and pocket money, and his income from social security, his pension from the Met, and other sources total about $8,500 a month.

Bing, 87, has Alzheimer's disease and lives in the Hebrew Home for the Aged.

Three years ago, Bing's net worth was estimated at $900,000, but much of that was depleted by legal and security expenses required for his protection from former psychiatric patient **Carroll Douglass**, 49, whom he married in 1987.

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DAKAR, Senegal (AP) — **Birago Diop**, a celebrated African poet and novelist, died Saturday at age 83.

His most notable works were "Leuk the Hare," written with former Senegalese President Leopold Sedar Senghor; "Tales of Amadou Koumba" and "New Tales of Amadou Koumba."

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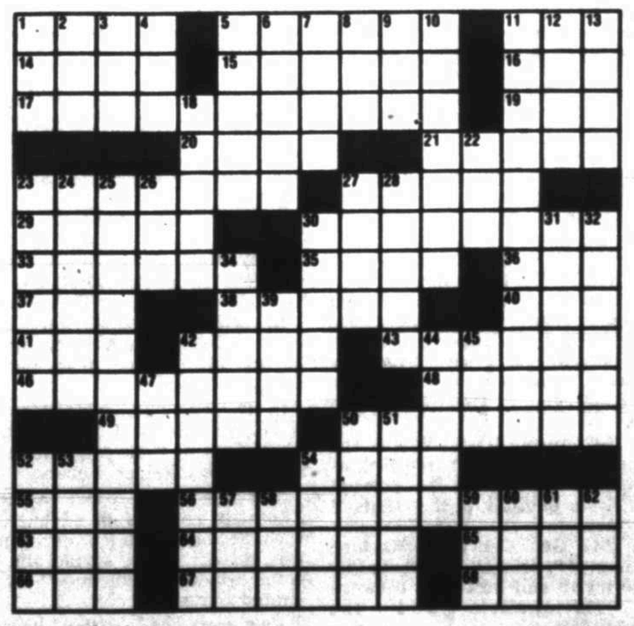
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Atmosphere right for defense savings

Defense Secretary Richard Cheney's recommendation that Congress reduce Pentagon spending by $180 billion over the next five years comes at a particularly opportune time. With the democratic reforms now underway in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union leadership more attuned to addressing domestic concerns than funding further growth of its arsenal, there is every reason to consider defense cuts at this point.

Opportunities like the one now presenting itself to President George Bush and the Congress rarely occur. Yet they demand attention to the fundamentals of survival; a knee-jerk reaction to this aura of peacetime would not be the appropriate response, although some cutting of defense spending, as Secretary Cheney has proposed, appears to be in line.

Through strategic arms reductions and even conventional force cuts, savings in the billions of dollars can be realized. Certainly as long as the current atmosphere prevails, the deployment of many new weapons systems — such as the B-2 bomber, the MX missile, and even the Strategic Defense Initiative — can be postponed. Those systems were brought into the United States' plan in the early years of the Reagan administration when relations with the Soviet Union were significantly less hospitable.

It's important for the United States to do everything in its power to promote the continuation of the reforms now underway in Eastern Europe. One way is to show the Soviet Union that its conciliatory posture brings peaceful moves on our part as well.

On the domestic front, a period of Pentagon retrenchment could spark economic hardship. A sum in the amount of $180 billion pulled out of the economy could create significant problems in some sectors. Of course, lawmakers don't care to think in these terms, but if they countered the reduced military spending with comparable reductions in taxation, they could provide the economic boost to the private sector necessary to overcome the effects of the cut. The incorrect move would be to trim Pentagon spending and redirect that tax money into other domestic programs. Why? Because what the government does with tax money, the private sector can do better and with less waste.

Defense spending can and should be cut. But Washington lawmakers must understand that such a move requires that they proceed cautiously and carefully. While cutting spending is a blessing through the tax savings it brings and through its promotion of the continuation of democratic reforms overseas, it must not be allowed to put the nation at risk.

Another View:

On the edge of time

Astronomers at the Palomar Observatory have detected light coming from a source surprisingly close to the edge of the universe, about 14 billion light years away. It's a disturbing discovery because it upsets theories about how the universe began and evolved.

An equally disturbing discovery has been made by astronomers at Mt. Hopkins observatory in Arizona. They have found a curving "Great Wall" of galaxies that stretches for at least 500 million light years. The wall is 200 million light years wide and 15 million light years thick. The presence of such a cohesive "structure" questions theories that matter is spread out fairly randomly throughout the universe as a product of the primordial Big Bang.

The human brilliance and technological achievement behind these discoveries inspire awe. Yet it is readily obvious that mankind's quest for knowledge of the universe generates far more questions than answers.

Astronomers at Palomar used a special electronic camera to locate the light emitted near the beginning of time by quasar P.C.1158635, which lies just below the bowl of the Big Dipper. A special prism broke the light into component wavelengths ready to be analyzed by a computer.

But, even with the most sophisticated modern equipment, astronomers are unable to answer definitively the simplest of questions: Where did the universe come from and where is it going? Is it possible to make something from nothing? If not, how could the universe begin?

The sheer size of the cosmos, with its billions of distant galaxies, defies human comprehension. Is there other life out there? By the law of averages there certainly ought to be, but modern astronomers have no better way of knowing than Copernicus had 450 years ago.

It is entirely possible that human intelligence is not suffi ciently advanced to solve the mysteries of the universe.

The latest discoveries at the Palomar and Mt. Hopkins observatories are humbling, not just because they shake the foundations of accepted theory but because they imply that we don't even know enough to ask the right questions.

The only solution to that is time. Eons of it.

— The San Diego Union

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Nov. 27, the 331st day of 1989. There are 34 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

Nov. 27, 1839, 150 years ago, the American Statistical Association was founded in Boston.

On this date:

In 1901, Army War College was established in Washington, D.C.

In 1910, New York's Pennsylvania Station opened. At the time, it was the world's largest railway terminal.

In 1939, the play "Key Largo," by Maxwell Anderson, opened at the Ethel Barrymore Theater in New York.

In 1942, during World War II, the French navy at Toulon scuttled its ships and submarines to prevent them from falling into the hands of the Nazis.

In 1945, Gen. George C. Marshall was named special U.S. envoy to China to try to end hostilities between the Nationalists and the Communists.

In 1953, playwright Eugene O'Neill died in Boston at age 65.

In 1970, Pope Paul VI was wounded in the chest during a visit to the Philippines by a dagger-wielding Bolivian painter disguised as a priest.

In 1973, the U.S. Senate voted 92-3 to confirm Gerald R. Ford as vice president, succeeding Spiro T. Agnew.

In 1978, San Francisco Mayor George Moscone and City Supervisor Harvey Milk, a gay-rights activist, were shot to death inside City Hall by former supervisor Dan White.

In 1978, 183 people were killed when a Colombian Avianca Airlines Boeing 747 crashed near Madrid's Barajas airport.

In 1987, French hostages Jean-Louis Normandin and Roger Auque were freed by their pro-Iranian captors in West Beirut, Lebanon.

Ten years ago: Iran's Ayatollah Khomeini rejected in advance any U.N. Security Council decision on the hostage crisis, saying the outcome would be "dictated" by the United States.

Five years ago: Artificial heart recipient William J. Schroeder, speaking for the first time since the implant, asked for a can of beer. His wish was granted two days later.

JACK ANDERSON

Hispanic FBI decision still meaningless

WASHINGTON — When the FBI's army of lawyers lost a discrimination suit last year to a couple of underpaid Hispanic attorneys, it was not only a huge embarrassment to the FBI, it was a landmark decision for Hispanics.



Jack Anderson

In September 1988, a Texas judge ruled that the FBI had discriminated against its Hispanic agents and that the bureau's equal employment opportunity program was "bankrupt."

More than a year later, the victory is all but meaningless. Hispanic agents who testified that they had been exiled to the "Taco Circuit" are still there. They work in cramped offices translating Spanish telephone conversations. If they ask for a promotion, they are reminded that they still don't have the right stuff for management.

The FBI apparently thinks they do have the right stuff for dangerous undercover work, posing as seedy drug buyers and dealers. But when the Hispanics have proved themselves in the trenches, they find the doors to the front office are closed.

After the trial, the FBI solicited applicants for a supervisory post in Mexico City. Seven qualified Hispanic agents applied, each hoping for a career move that would let them use their language and cultural training on more than just translations and drug deals. The job went to a non-Hispanic who was taking a crash course in Spanish.

Hispanic agents told our associate Jim Lynch that they are used to setbacks. They live outside of the FBI's good ol' boy network — a subjective system of promotion that dates back to the despotic days of J. Edgar Hoover.

It took Rudy Valadez about 30 requests before he snared a managerial position in the FBI's Los Angeles office last year. He was promoted in the heat of the nine-day discrimination trial in August 1988. But since that trial, only a handful of the 310 Hispanic agents who filed the discrimination suit have been promoted to management.

Some agents whose careers were humming along before they testified now find themselves isolated and ignored. Others began catching heat for violating obscure bureau rules such as being overweight.

One agent in a southern regional bureau had a full caseload before he testified. Now he says his cases have been given to rookie agents and local police. Testifying "devastated my career," he told us. "You can't win against them. They control the paperwork."

Paul Magallanes retired from the FBI last summer after 21 years. He says Hispanic agents are not viewed as management material. "In this day and age, you're not going to find any hardcore, overt bigot in the FBI. But some of these people are about as subtle as a sledgehammer," he says.

FBI Director William Sessions insists that the bureau is implementing the judge's directives. To Sessions' credit, he didn't appeal the decision, even though special agents in charge of the FBI's 59 regional offices met in a conference last spring and voted overwhelmingly in favor of an appeal.

An FBI spokesman told us that the bureau will hire a consultant to troubleshoot the personnel process. A Hispanic is now overseeing the FBI's equal employment opportunity program, and the bureau claims to be actively recruiting "minorities and women who have the potential to be future leaders in the FBI."

That kind of window dressing doesn't impress the Hispanic agents, especially since the FBI has never taken any action to punish the officials who perpetuated the previous discrimination. "It would be very easy for the FBI to determine who is guilty of this discrimination," one agent told us. "But there are no demotions, no censures, just business as usual."

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PAKISTAN FAULTED — The rebel leaders of the Afghan Mujaheddin blame Pakistan for the failure to topple the Najibullah regime in Kabul. Specifically, the rebels say the Pakistani Inter-Services Intelligence Directorate, or ISI, botched the rebellion after the Soviets withdrew from Afghanistan in February. ISI was Pakistan's liaison to the rebels in Afghanistan and controlled the flow of U.S. arms. The Mujaheddin blames ISI for favoring the Islamic fundamentalist guerrilla factions in the rebellion at the expense of the others.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — How many times does the United States need to be slapped by the government of El Salvador before it wakes up? The six priests murdered there earlier this month were not the first. Nor is it the first time that the United States has been asked to believe that the oppressive right wing government has nothing to do with atrocities. Washington has become the worst kind of dupe — the kind who is used and abused and pays for the privilege.

Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.



WHOM TO WRITE

Following is a list of the names and addresses of various state and federal officials Midlanders may wish to contact from time-to-time:

PRESIDENT: George Bush (R), The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and Phil Gramm (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510.

REPRESENTATIVE: Lamar Smith (R), District 21, 422 Cannon House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515; or 201 W. Wall, Suite 104, Midland, Texas 79701.

GOVERNOR: Bill Clements (R), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

CHARLEY REESE

I have little sympathy for Palestinian cause

I get complaints from Arab-Americans, usually along the line that I attack the Palestinian people, that I am Zionist and so forth. Let me clear up anyone's confusion.

First, I am paid to express my opinion. Obviously on any issue, there are two sides and, unavoidably, unless you ride the fence, you will disagree with one side or the other. In America, we do not equate disagreement on issues with hatred of the people we disagree with. I have sharp disagreements on issues with close friends and colleagues. I don't hate Palestinians or Arabs.



Charley Reese

Of course if anyone wishes to hate me because I disagree with them, feel free.

Now it's true that I have little sympathy for the Palestinian cause. I will list the reasons why.

First, I believe that Israel is a legitimate state with a right to exist right where it is. Israel is a liberal democracy. I support liberal democracy wherever I find it.

Secondly, the Palestinians, as a whole, are relatively well off. They are intelligent and energetic and wherever they have had the opportunity, they have done well economically.

In 1922, Great Britain, which administered Palestine, created Transjordan out of all of Palestine east of the Jordan River and barred Jewish immigration. Thus all Jordanians, by the PLO's own definition, are Palestinians and they have a country. They have the good fortune to live in probably the best governed of the Arab countries.

There are about 600,000 Palestinians who are Israeli citizens. These are the people who did not leave in the 1948 war and their descendants. They have the same legal rights as Israeli Jews.

Palestinians on the West Bank and in Gaza, excluding a minority in refugee camps, also are living right where they have always lived. West Bank Palestinians have been governed by the Ottoman Turks, the British, the Jordanians, and now the Israelis but they remain in their homes. Nor has Israeli occupation been brutal. Unless confronted, the Israelis have ruled with a light hand. I've been there.

Now there are some Palestinians still in refugee camps in Gaza, West Bank, Jordan, Syria, and Lebanon. These are the least well off, but compared to other refugees such as the Tibetans in India, Afghans in Pakistan, Nicaraguans in Honduras, Guatemalans in Mexico, Cambodians and Vietnamese, even these Palestinians are infinitely better off. Many of the camp residents work in foreign countries and make good money. Since 1948, the United Nations has spent millions providing them with housing, food, medical care and education. Israel has contributed millions to their support as have American taxpayers.

The third reason I have little sympathy for the Palestinian cause is that they, or at least their leaders, created their own problems. It was not the Jews in 1948 who rejected an independent Palestinian state — in addition to the already existing Jordan — it was the Palestinians and other Arab governments.

I suppose they figured why share the pie when you can kill the other people at the table and eat it all. At any rate, when the U.N. voted to create a Palestinian and a Jewish state, there was not one Palestinian refugee, and nothing in the U.N. plan would have displaced a single Palestinian. It was the leadership's rejection and the launching of a war which created the refugees.

The fourth reason is I don't like the PLO. It is a terrorist and mostly Marxist organization. It has murdered many of my fellow American citizens, as well as Israelis. It supports leftist terrorist organizations and dictators all over the world. I don't equate Palestinians with PLO terrorists, but frankly I've never seen a Palestinian forthrightly and publicly condemn PLO terrorism.

These are my honest beliefs and the facts as I can determine them. Some don't agree. Fine. I don't dictate what other people think but I don't let anyone dictate what I think either.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

LEWIS GRIZZARD

Capitalism best represented by commercials

If I were asked to explain capitalism to a visitor from a country that had been stuck behind a wall in the economic mud of communism, I think I would start with American television commercials.

Let's say that uninformed individual was an East German named Hans. I would sit him down in front of the TV and attempt to explain what was happening each time there was a commercial.



Lewis Grizzard

"I assume you have commodes in East Germany."

"We're not that backwards."

"OK, then. What do you see in this commercial?"

"Singing commodes?"

"Exactly. This is a commercial for a toilet bowl cleaner. The creative department of the advertising agency with the toilet bowl cleaner account came up with the idea to feature singing commodes to indicate how effective their toilet bowl cleaner is. People watch this commercial and then go out and buy this particular brand."

"How much do people who think of singing commodes get paid?"

"Hundreds of thousands of dollars."

"This is very strange way to make a living."

"But profitable. Now, what do you see here?"

"It is a man screaming."

"Yes, this man is an automobile dealer. In American advertising, many automobiles dealers make their own commercials."

"But why is he screaming?"

"He is screaming to get your attention. He is promising you the lowest prices and the best service."

"This is nice of him."

"He really doesn't mean it."

"You mean he's lying?"

"Of course he is. He just wants you to come down to his dealership so he can sell you a car. After you buy the car, he will forget about you."

"This seems very dishonest."

"It is. Now, you're getting the hang of capitalism."

"And what do you see in this commercial?"

"A cat."

"Yes. This is a catfood commercial."

"In East German we feed cats fish entrails."

"So do we. Only we grind them up and put them in a can and charge an outrageous price for them. And here?"

"I'm not sure."

"This is an ad for a feminine hygiene product."

"Such things are discussed openly?"

"You haven't seen anything yet. What about this?"

"It's very beautiful young girl."

"A very beautiful young girl wearing a pair of very tight jeans."

"This is decadent Western pornography?"

"No. This is a jeans commercial."

"How do you find such girl."

"Hang out in the feminine hygiene product aisle in grocery stores. And what is happening here?"

"A man in an expensive suit is talking."

"This man represents a financial planning firm. He wants you to give him all your money so he can invest it and make you more money."

"What a kind man."

"Wait'll you get his bill. We've got time for one more."

"This is a commercial for washing powder?"

"Close. A 'new and improved' washing powder."

"What is the difference?"

"When something is 'new and improved,' it's the same old product, except now it costs more."

"You capitalists really know how to stick it to one another."

"Wunderbar, Hans. I think you've got it."

Lewis Grizzard is a columnist for Cowles Syndicate.

General says his ouster from Panama political

WASHINGTON (AP) — The former head of the U.S. Southern Command says the Bush administration ousted him from his post in Panama for political reasons because he opposed U.S. policies in that country.

"I believe the policy was flawed," Gen. Fred Woerner said in an interview in which he described the administration's goals as simplistic and short-sighted.

"The specific language was, the president decided it was time for a change," Woerner said in describing how Defense Secretary Richard Cheney told him in July that he was being removed. "And then when I said I was entitled to more of an explanation ... I was told it had nothing to do with performance but (was for) political reasons."

Woerner's contention contradicts the Pentagon's denial in July when it announced he was being replaced.

Woerner, a longtime Latin American hand who retired from the Army earlier this month, left his post as head of the command just days before the failed Oct. 3 coup attempt to oust Panamanian Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega.

During the attempted overthrow, U.S. troops blocked two roads in Panama, spoke with the rebel leaders and watched the firefights from their hillside vantage point. Several congressional leaders contended later that the United States should have stepped in to oust Noriega.

Woerner, who generally opposes U.S. troop intervention, added, "The president, I think, in his handling of the last major event, the failed coup, demonstrated his lack of willingness to commit troops."

The American government started pushing for Noriega's ouster after a series of demonstrations in 1987. The move heightened when the Panamanian general was indicted on drug-trafficking charges in the United States in 1988.

President Bush has repeatedly said he is not giving up on efforts to get Noriega out of office. The president also has said he considers Noriega to be the problem — not the Panama Defense Forces that Noriega heads — and that if Noriega is forced out and free elections are held, the country will have "instant improved relations" with the United States.

Woerner said that in the Bush administration's policy, "There was a lot of heat generated but not necessarily sound policy or strategy to support U.S. interests." He said the goals of the Bush administration were short-term: get Noriega out and restore democracy.

"You link those two together and you have what the administration believed was an easy objective," Woerner said.

NATION IN BRIEF

Pasadena has wacky parade

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — It had few rules, no queen and a Zsa Zsa look-alike drill team, but about 50,000 people turned out Sunday for the "14th Occasional Pasadena Doo Dah Parade," a tweak on the nose to the traditional Rose Parade.

"Buy your free programs here," yelled vendors as marchers tried to outdo each other in tackiness and tastelessness. Among the items of choice used by drill teams were briefcases, lawn furniture and snow shovels.

There was no formal judging.

The parade highlight was the Great Zsa Zsa Drill Team, in which several women and one burly man, all dressed as Zsa Zsa Gabor, recreated the actress' infamous policeman-slapping incident with men dressed as Beverly Hills motorcycle officers.

Other crowd favorites were The Texas Chainsaw Massacre Drool Team of the Living Dead Dishonor Guard, featuring marchers who scared the crowd by toting running gas chain saws (no chains), and several Exxon Valdez floats.

Poll says movement helps

NEW YORK (AP) — Most American women think the women's movement has made their lives better, yet only one in three consider themselves feminists, according to a poll.

The poll of 1,000 American women, published in the Dec. 4 issue of Time magazine, found that 94 percent believe the women's movement has helped them become more independent, 86 percent credit it with giving them more control over their lives, and 82 percent think it is still improving their lives.

Yet 76 percent said they pay "not very much" or "no" attention to the women's movement.

Crime rate targeted

ATLANTA (AP) — City governments are willing to be soldiers in the battle against drugs but need more than just fighting words from the Bush administration, mayors attending an annual conference said.

Mayor Terry Goddard of Phoenix, president of the National League of Cities, said Sunday the federal government must do more to fight illegal drugs, viewed by Americans as the gravest problem facing the country.

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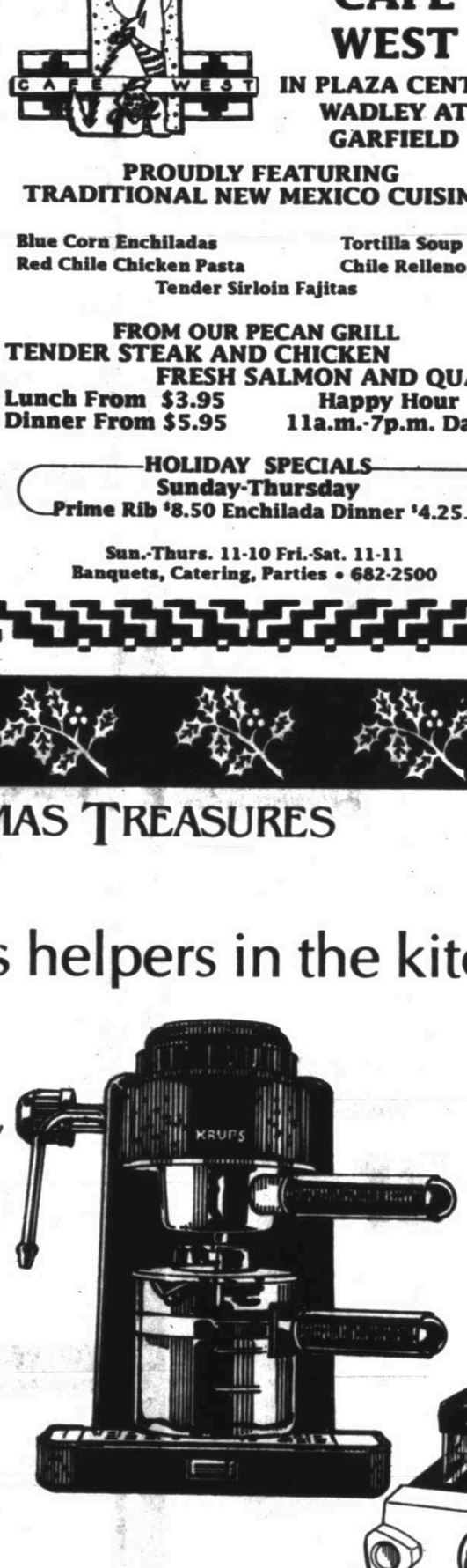
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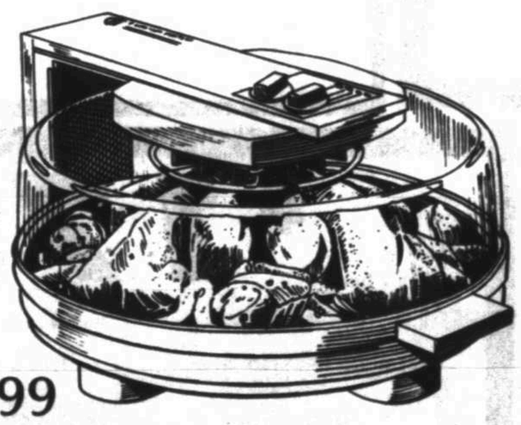
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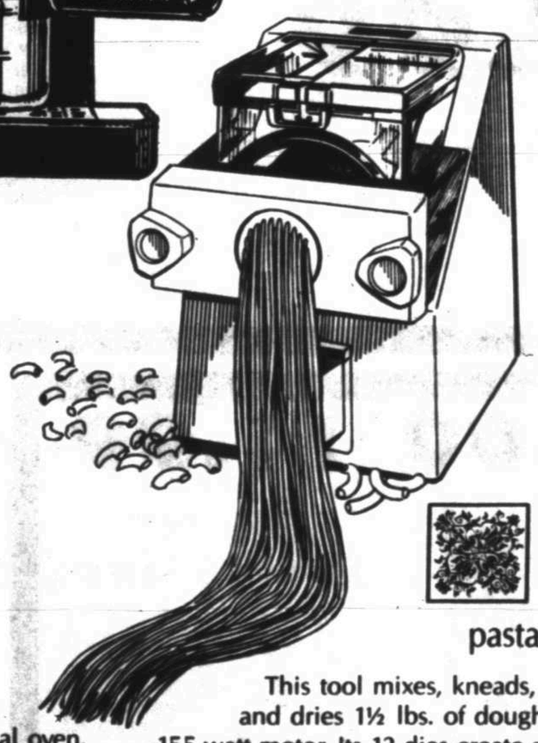




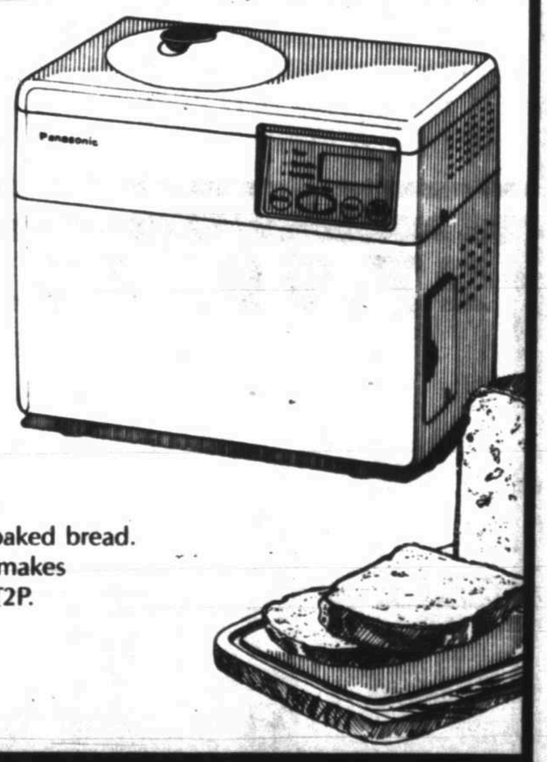
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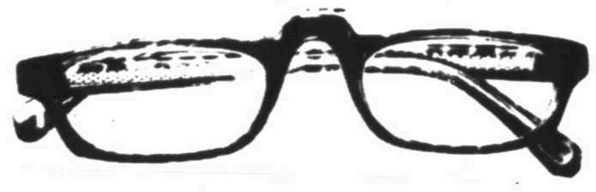
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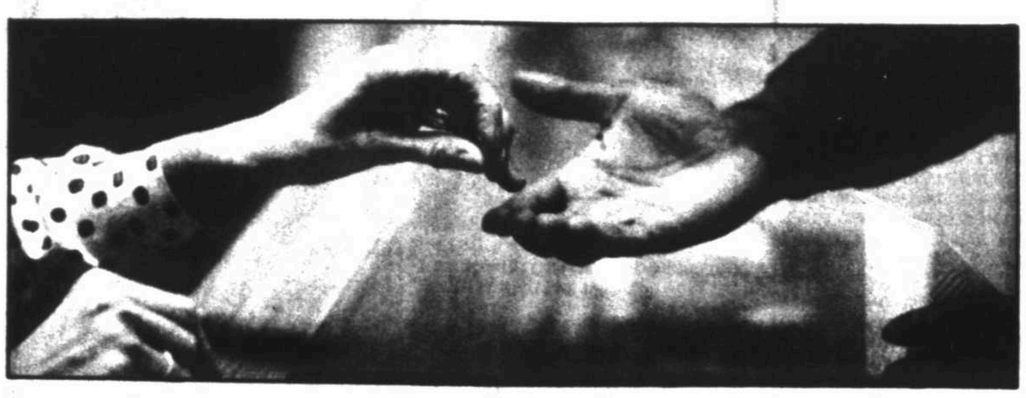


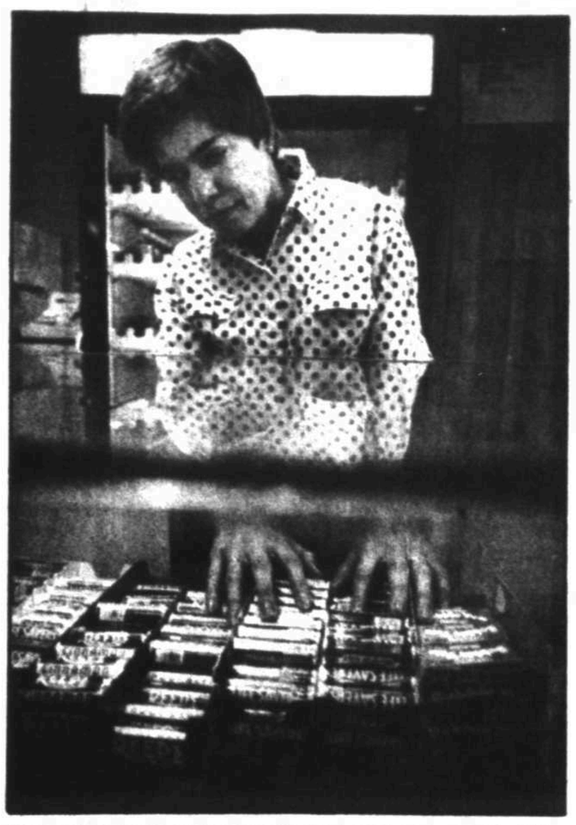
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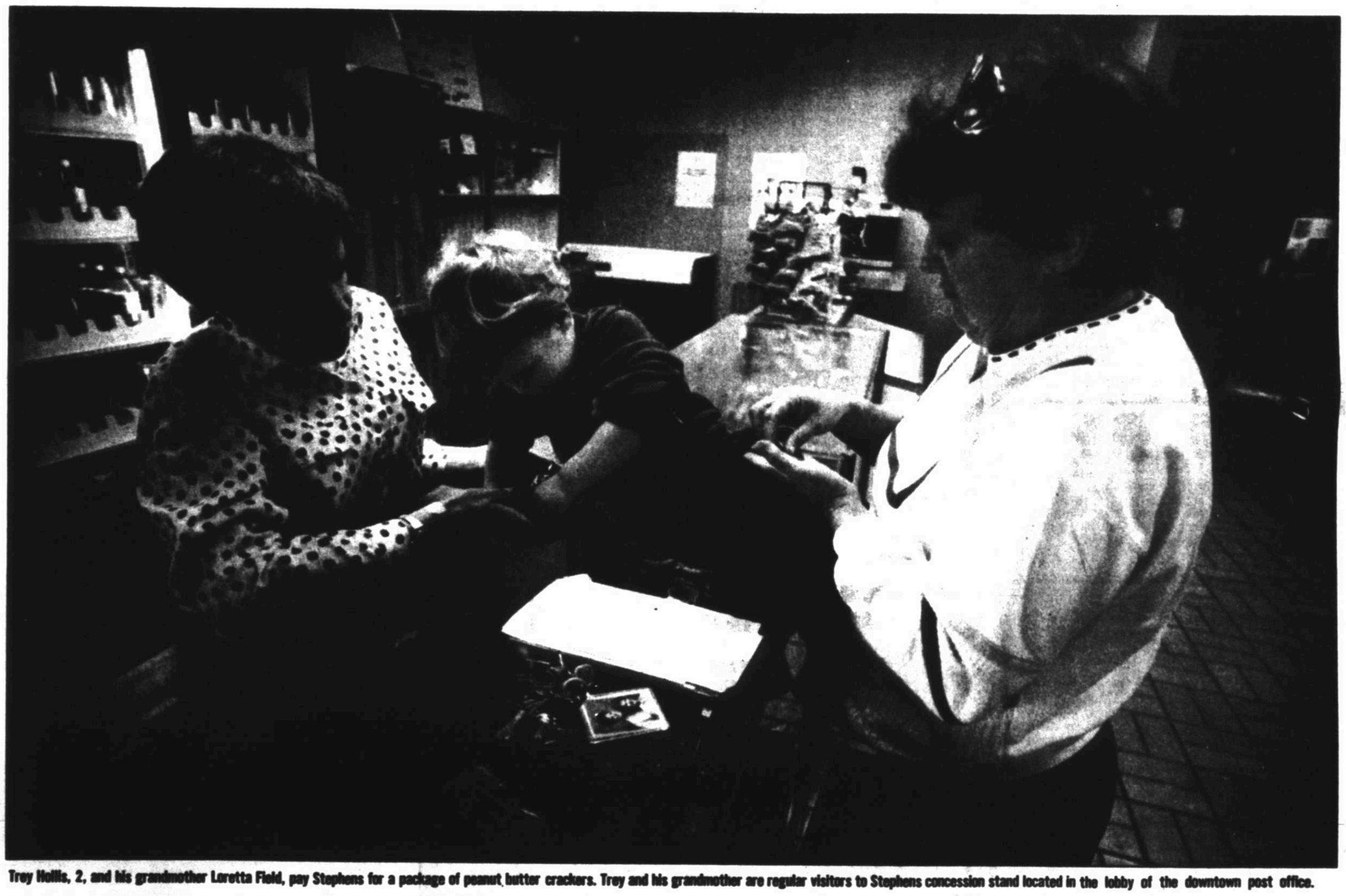
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Taking Care of BUSINESS





Concessionaire Kay Stephens keeps inventory by touch. "It isn't that hard," claims Stephens.



Trey Hollis, 2, and his grandmother Loretta Field, pay Stephens for a package of peanut butter crackers. Trey and his grandmother are regular visitors to Stephens concession stand located in the lobby of the downtown post office.



Stephens discusses an order for additional supplies with Chuck Witt, distributor with Basin Candy & Tobacco Company. Stephens said she orders supplies once a week.

Concessionaire overcomes blindness with hard work

Kay Stephens abounds with the light of life.

And the undeniable fact that she is blind, but certainly not without the insight that gives her sight beyond eyes, does not deny her life joy and reward.

Her life bespeaks the viewpoint of John Milton, the English poet who dealt well with blindness in putting his talents to work.

"It is not miserable to be blind; it is miserable to be incapable of enduring blindness."

— John Milton

Ms. Stephens, who fell blind due to an illness at age 5, doesn't allow herself to fall victim to pity or to the notion that handicaps as perceived by the seeing are drawbacks to her lifestyle.



"All it takes is practice," said Stephens.

There's no pity here.

"That's the way she was raised," said her younger brother, Audie Stephens, 35. "She was disciplined like the rest of us" in their childhood years. "If she messed up, she was held responsible. Usually she had some help in getting into trouble."

Though Ms. Stephens has been blind for more than three decades, she, in her sensitivity and kindness toward others, views the world in all of its hues, moods and colors. And despite those conditions that taint the world, she seeks out the "good" over the "bad."

And she adores roses and working the soil from which flowers grow.

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Story By Ed Todd/Photos By Curt Wilcott

DEATHS

Jean, Michael Insley

Funeral services for Jean and Michael Insley of Midland were to be at 2 p.m. today at Trinity Presbyterian Church with Dr. Al Moreau officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



J. Insley



M. Insley

They died Thursday night in an airplane crash at Arlington Airport.

Mrs. Insley was born Sept. 21, 1941, in Lawton, Okla. She graduated from Artesia (N.M.) High School and from New Mexico Beauty College. She had been a self-employed hairdresser in Midland for many years. She had been president of the High Sky Square Dance Association.

Mr. Insley was born Nov. 29, 1944, in Hopkinsville, Ky. He graduated from high school in California and later graduated from Tri-Tech in Bartlesville, Okla., with a degree in accounting. He was an accountant for Phillips Petroleum Co., of Odessa. He was a member of the Mormon church and had been president of the High Sky Square Dance Association.

Survivors include one son, Dennis Craig Hughes of Midland; three daughters, Christian Michael Insley of Owasso, Okla., and Shelly Denise Martin and Cinnamon Rae Hawkins, both of Midland; Mrs. Insley's parents, Melba Mae McGee of Midland and Ernest Gowan of Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. Insley's brother, Lenel Floyd Freemyer of Odessa; Mr. Insley's parents, Eileen Hall of Oklahoma and Michael Insley of California; Mr. Insley's brothers, Harold Kenneth Insley Jr., pf Enterprise, Ala., and Thomas Dwayne Insley of Hartford, Conn.; Mr. Insley's sister, Chido Wilde of Fort Worth; two grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Pallbearers were to be George Smith, Herman Hooper, Gary Poe, Ed Simmons, Jack McFarland, David Davis, L.B. Holmes and Willie Stamps.

William H. Owens

Funeral services for William Hunter Owens of Midland have been set for 4 p.m. Tuesday at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church with Rev. Allen Whitman officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

He died Sunday at a Lubbock hospital.

He was born Sept. 16, 1971, in Lubbock. He was a senior at Midland High School, where he was a member of the National Honor Society. He played the guitar and was a member of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

Survivors include his parents, Gregg and Mary Elizabeth Owens of Midland and one sister, Lacy Emily Owens of Midland.

The family requests memorials be directed to High Sky Children's Ranch.

Brenda, Dennis Hughes

Funeral services for Brenda and Dennis Hughes of Midland were to be at 2 p.m. today at Trinity Presbyterian Church with Dr. Al Moreau officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



B. Hughes



D. Hughes

They died Thursday night in an airplane crash at Arlington Airport.

Mrs. Hughes was born June 10, 1950, in Lubbock. She graduated from Crane High School in 1968 and had been employed as a secretary with Haliburton in Midland at the time of her death. She was a former member of the First United Methodist Church in Crane and was a member of the church choir. She was preceded in death by her father, Aubrey Westbrook.

Mr. Hughes was born Oct. 29, 1940, in Sandhorn, Ind. He graduated from Artesia (N.M.) High School and attended New Mexico State University. He had been employed at Haliburton for 21 years and had been self-employed for several years. He had been a pilot for more than 20 years. He was a member of the United Methodist Church of Artesia.

Survivors include two sons, Dennis Craig Hughes and Brian Evan Henderson, both of Midland; two daughters, Shelly Denise Martin of Midland and Cinnamon Rae Hawkins, both of Midland; Mrs. Hughes' mother, Earlene Westbrook of San Angelo; Mrs. Hughes' sisters, Carla Jean Smith and Letha Ann Delz, both of San Angelo; Mr. Hughes' parents, Bennie and Maxine Hughes of Artesia, N.M.; Mr. Hughes' grandmother, Lucretia Hagemeier of Artesia, N.M.; Mr. Hughes' sister, Vicki Burch of Toledo, Ohio; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Pallbearers were to be Mathew Riggs, Gregg Austin, Chris Lester, Kevin Boles, Mike Martinez, Randy Brown, John Wayne Burkes and Tom Younger.

Anton Edburg

SAN ANGELO — Funeral services for Anton Edburg, 64, of San Angelo will be at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Johnson's Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Martus Miley officiating. Burial will follow in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

Edburg, father of a Midland woman, died Sunday at a local hospital.

He was born March 28, 1924, in Austin, was a captain in the 20th Air Force during World War II and received the Distinguished Flying Cross for his service.

A 1949 graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, Edburg was employed in 1950 with Shell Oil Co. as an analyst and was later named general accounting supervisor for the Midland area offices.

He was a member of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church and was a deacon of the Westlake Hills Presbyterian Church in Austin. He also was a member of the American Legion, the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks and the Grand Jury Association. He was state president of the Texas Public Employees Association and past president of the Austin Society of Public Administrators.

In 1962, Edburg became a member of the state comptroller's management staff serving as head of the system's division and was later promoted to chief of accounting, revenue and statistics. He retired as a senior analyst with the Legislative Budget Board in 1983 and moved to San Angelo.

He was married to Rosaline Cox on Feb. 14, 1959, in Stanton.

Survivors include his wife, Rosaline Edburg of San Angelo; a son, Andrew Edburg of Austin; a daughter, Penny Johnson of Midland; a brother, Jack Edburg of Austin; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers are Kenneth Houston, Gregg Johnson, Don Hutcheson, Gene Stieler, John E. Sutton and Dale Cronk.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be given to the Concho Valley Alzheimer's Family Support Group or to a favorite charity.

Alvin Roberts Sr.

Graveside services for Alvin L. Roberts Sr. of Midland were to be at 4 p.m. today at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Rev. Bob Porterfield of West Kentucky Baptist Church will officiate.

Roberts died Saturday at a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born Oct. 1, 1922, in Terrell, Okla., and was raised in several towns in Oklahoma and Texas. He entered the service during World War II, serving in Germany and France from 1942 until 1945. He married Stella McClung on June 9, 1944, in Waurika, Okla. After his discharge from the service, the couple resided in several different states. He was a truck driver throughout West Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

They settled in Midland in Midland in 1959 and he worked for Permian Oil and H and D Gas Company.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Leon Roberts Jr. of Midland; two daughters, Kaye Rambo of Anson and Sharon Faye Collins of Midland; one brother, Raul Roberts of Temple, Okla.; two sisters, Mary Pilgreen of Dallas and Irene Fish of Santee, Calif.; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Cancer Society, 2304 W. Wadley, Midland, Texas.

Baby Shamu celebrates first birthday at Sea World

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Baby Shamu has celebrated her first birthday and the killer whale is already shaking free from her mother's skirt tails.

But the 1,100-pound baby's mother, Namu, doesn't seem to object to her child's newfound independence, said Thad Lacinak, director of animal training at Sea World of Texas.

"This particular whale has allowed the baby to be a little more independent, which has allowed us to do more with the baby," he said. "So just like people it depends on the personality of the parent."

The four-day party for Baby Shamu ended Sunday with the killer whale celebrating her official date of birth by extinguishing a candle on her own birthday cake with a playful squirt.

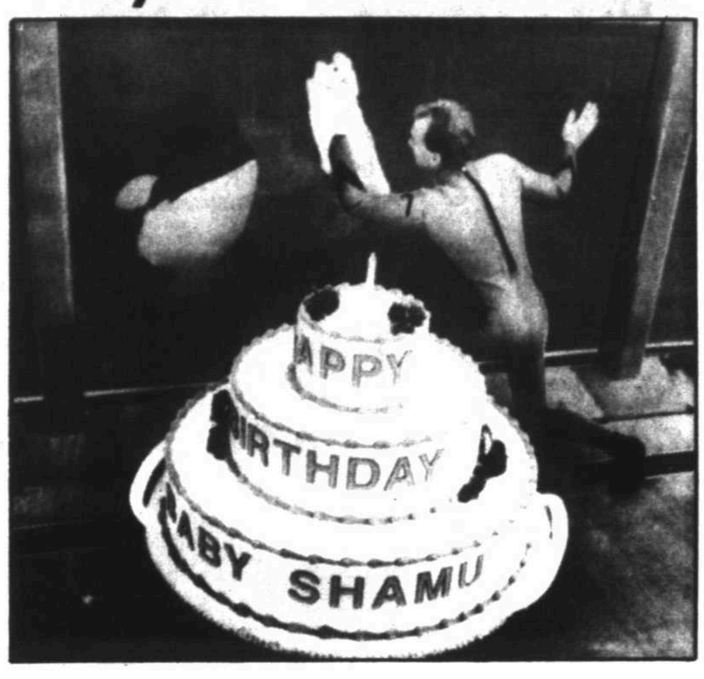
"We've had a pretty exciting weekend here with her," Lacinak said. "She's been doing her own show every day the last four days.

"As it's turned out, she's quite a ham. We have a segment in the show where we give her a birthday cake and let her squirt out the candle, and it seems like she waits for that part."

Sea World trainers in San Antonio will spend the next two years helping the whale improve her coordination, Lacinak said.

Lacinak said Baby Shamu has already learned some of the adult behaviors displayed by the three adult whales at 250-acre marine life park. She does head stands, fast swims, flipper waves and bow jumps out of the water.

The baby whale is Texas' first infant and the fifth killer whale born at Sea Worlds in California and Florida. The black and white whale weighed 350 pounds at birth.



AP Laserphoto

Sea World trainer Robert Loupe wipes down the glass panel on the killer whale tank in preparation for a birthday photograph of Baby Shamu at Sea World in San Antonio.

Teen constructs two mini colliders

DALLAS (AP) — While the federal government struggles to begin construction on the super collider in Ellis County, a Duncanville teen-ager has built two mini colliders already.

John Langridge, 16, built the particle accelerators in the garage of his suburban home.

"To be able to put one together from scratch shows that the kid is obviously clever," said Dr. Wendell Chen, director of the center for accelerator services and technology at the University of Texas at Arlington. "I've heard of kids putting something together from a kit — but this is something that requires a lot of motivation."

But, curiously, others were less impressed; he finished third in two science fairs with the projects.

Sometimes called atom smashers, the accelerators propel atoms together at great speeds and the tiny pieces of matter scattered by their collisions are studied by scientists trying to unlock secrets about nature's basic building blocks.

While the planned 53-mile-long super collider to be complete near Waxahachie by 1998 will use huge magnets to drive atoms around its oval path, electrostatic charges do the job on Langridge's 4-foot model.

Langridge, who plans a career as a nuclear physicist, obtained much of his mini-collider parts from small scientific companies, but had to improvise on occasion.

"It was tough to find a belt to drive my electrostatic generator, so I just used rubber bands," he said.

The teen-ager estimates he has spent $1,000 to build both of his mini-colliders. That's about $5 billion less than it should cost to build the federal government's underground complex near Waxahachie.

Langridge's parents were concerned when they discovered he would be using radioactive materials in some of his experiments in the family garage. Some of the chemicals he works with, such as Cesium 137, emit radiation and must be handled with protective equipment.

"At first, my parents were scared that I might expose myself to radiation, but after they realized it was contained and that I knew how to handle it, they were OK," he said.

Every time he walks into the garage to work with the accelerator, the youth wears a radiation-level monitoring device called a dosimeter to avoid prolonged exposure.

MHS senior dies Sunday after car wreck

From Staff Reports

A Midland High School senior died early Sunday from injuries he sustained in a one-car rollover Saturday, a Lubbock hospital spokeswoman said.

William Hunter Owens, 18, 2000 N. L St., sustained severe head and chest injuries after he lost control of the 1975 Toyota Landcruiser he was driving about 5:30 p.m. Saturday, officers said.

He was pronounced dead at 7:10 a.m. Sunday at Lubbock General Hospital.

Owens was driving east in the inside lane of North Loop 250 about three-tenths of a mile east of A Street when his vehicle traveled into the median.

When Owens tried to steer the vehicle back onto the road, it rolled over several times, according to authorities.

Owens and a passenger were thrown from the vehicle.

The passenger, 18-year-old Eric Hammons, 5002 Los Alamitos Drive, sustained minor injuries and was treated and released from Midland Memorial Hospital.

BLIND

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"That was her favorite pastime, coloring, before she became ill," said her mother, Billie Stephens.

Kay Stephens appreciates the blue sky, is thrilled by those rare West Texas rainbows, and takes notice of gray-to-dark dust storms.

And she greets people each day in this vein: "Good to *see* you."

And she is.

And, as a businesswoman, she abides by the laws of courtesy. "May I help you?"

And she does.

Today, Ms. Stephens is shy of much "pastime" and been for the 15 years she has owned and operated Kay's Concessions in the Federal Building in downtown Midland. She feeds and treats home-towners and visitors passing through the Courthouse and Post Office with drinks and food, mostly snacks, both hot and cold.

The best part of her job is "meeting everybody."

An attitude of welcomeness radiates from her just about as quickly as does her ire on those rare occasions when someone is tempted to abuse her good nature by, for instance, "ripping off" her store, trying to pass off trash for money, or being outright rude.

As tactful as she is, Ms. Stephens can be quite plain-spoken.

In considering the concern which non-blind people seem to have for the blind condition, Ms. Stephens may interpret that concern as the "fear" of blindness in their own lives and how they would, if they could, cope with day-and-night darkness.

Trained observers of the blind hold that other senses, such as those of sound and touch, become more acute, keen and pronounced when one sense, such as sight, is taken away. Some call it "compensation."

"That's really a fear you all have, because you have got all of your senses," Ms. Stephens surmised. "What would I *do* if I lost the rest of them (the senses)? I have already got one that's gone."

Audie Stephens is accustomed to his sister's incisiveness.

"She tells you what she thinks," Stephens said. "She's not prejudice in the least. She gives us all a hard time."

Ever so often, said Stephens, who is a plant mechanic for the Federal Building, "a few local yokels" will saunter into the Federal Building and give his sister a "hard time."

She reciprocates.

"They ask for it," he said.

Ms. Stephens knows who is who, aside from strangers, by their footsteps, even by slight utterances and, especially, by voice tones and intonations whether they are masked or not.

"Just by the voice she knows who is who," said her brother. "That's what amazes me. When you lose one of your senses," Stephens said, "the others pick up where that one left off."

Stephens learned of his sister's perceptions early on in their childhood and through games, including the perennial hide-and-seek.

"She wasn't raised up any differently than any other kid," Stephens said. As in the past, her family is close: her parents, W.B. and Billie Stephens, and her brothers, Ray and Audie Stephens. Like her brothers, she attended Midland public schools. Ms. Stephens sang in the school choir and was graduated from Midland's Robert E. Lee High School in 1970.

Ms. Stephens, who is lauded for her self-reliance, is skilled in Braille, does her own housekeeping and gardening, bicycles, keeps her livelihood going in good stead, attends cultural-fine arts events, sings in the church choir and is active in activities at her church, and enjoys religious music, including spiritual songs recorded by the late rock-'n'-roll star Elvis Presley.

"I'm supposed to sing soprano," Ms. Stephens said of singing, "and every now and then, my voice cracks."

Ann Barton, one of Ms. Stephens' friends at work, can appreciate that sudden tonal change.

"It's just one of those free notes," Ms. Barton quipped. "Just goes where it wants to."

Lately, work and church activities have taken up much of Ms. Stephens' time.

The Rev. Earl E. Ball, minister of St. Mark's United Methodist Church, said that Ms. Stephens is "very much" into church-music activities, Sunday school, worship, and is a member-at-large on the church's administrative board.

Ms. Stephens is "very self-reliant and takes the initiative in doing things for herself," Ball said.

And, as befits anyone, she is "fortunate enough to have family and friends close by when she needs them."

Rather than a dreadful drawback, Ms. Stephens' blindness is just one more challenge, although a major one, in life's journey.

"That (blindness) is something she seems just to accept as normal for her," Ball said. "If the rest of us would deal with our problems similarly, we and the world would be better off."

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MISD board to meet Tuesday

The Midland Independent School District board of trustees will hold its second regular meeting of the month Tuesday at the MISD administration building, 702 N. N St. The meeting begins at 4 p.m.

Agenda items include final consideration of policy dealing with on-campus student meetings and consideration of changes in the district's Discipline Management Plan based on recent changes in state law.

The board also will consider authorizing the sale of some 29 out-of-service vehicles and will issue a proclamation honoring Dr. Thurston Dean for his volunteer efforts on behalf of MISD athletics.

In executive session, the board will review the performance of MISD athletic coaches.

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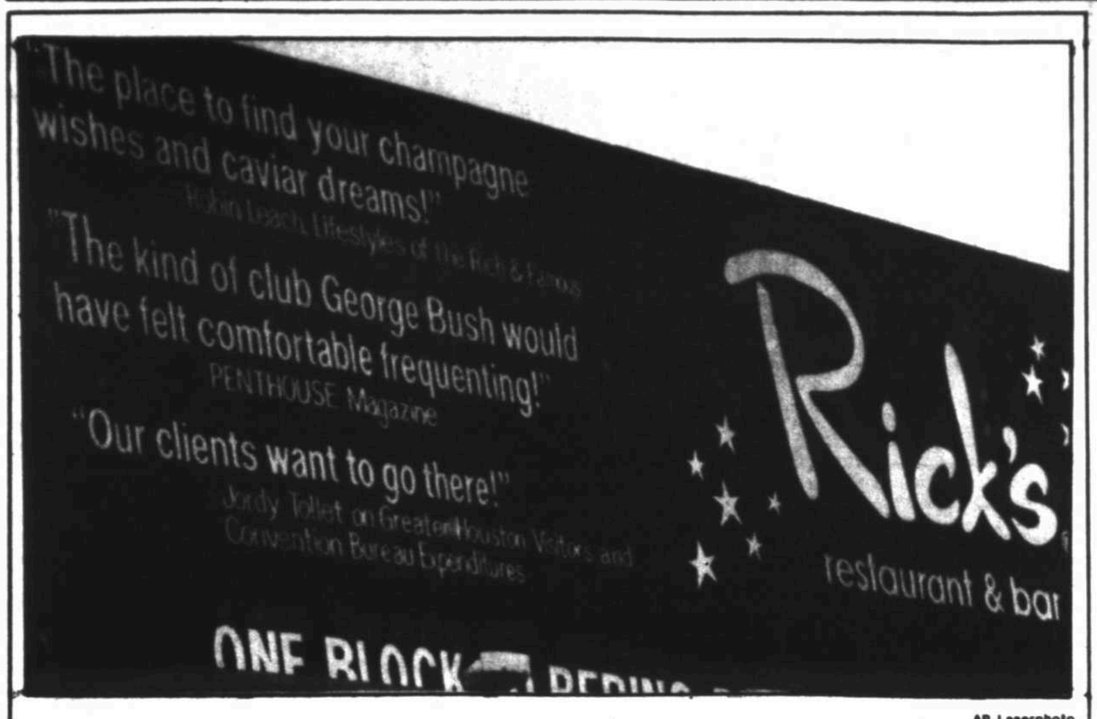
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Rick's Restaurant and Club in Houston is sporting a new billboard with some famous endorsements as well as local endorsements from a city official.

Explanation becomes bar endorsement

HOUSTON (AP) — A convention recruiter who had hoped public fervor was quelled when he promised city officials he would no longer take clients to a posh topless nightclub has found out signs of the controversy still exist.

Jordy Tollett, director of the Houston Civic Center, today finds his explanation has become a giant endorsement for the nightclub.

Printed in large yellow letters at the bottom of a 40-foot-by-20-foot billboard for Rick's restaurant and bar are Tollett's words: "Our clients want to go there!"

In September, The Houston Post reported Tollett had spent more than $2,000 entertaining male clients at the club with bureau funds — 75 percent of which come from tax revenues. The Civic Center department, with a $26 million budget, oversees the George R. Brown Convention Center, among other facilities.

In his defense, the mayoral appointee said he was wooing convention business from out-of-town officials.

"Unfortunately, Rick's just happens to be something that's very well-known," Tollett said at the time. "They (clients) just wanted to go there. I couldn't say, 'You can't go there.' "

Tollett was admonished privately by Mayor Kathy Whitmire and subsequently promised never to take clients there again.

Since then, Rick's owners have spent $6,000 a month for three billboards in two locations.

The billboard also features endorsements from Robin Leach of "Lifestyles of the Rich & Famous" — "The place to find your champagne wishes and caviar dreams!" — and "Penthouse Magazine" — "The kind of club George Bush would have felt comfortable frequenting!"

But it's the appearance of Tollett's words that has embarrassed the convention recruiter and angered Mark Henry, the new president of the Greater Houston Visitor and Convention Bureau.

Henry has complained repeatedly and Tollett has left two phone messages, one owner of Rick's said.

"I have limited sympathy for their discomfort because I'm very proud of my business and the city of Houston's better off for it," said Robert Watters, an owner of Rick's.

But there were sore feelings over the matter at Rick's, which boasts an expensive and sophisticated atmosphere and takes umbrage at being compared with sleazier operations.

Soviet children, surgeons visit Dallas for scientific exchange

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DALLAS (AP) — Soviet surgeons will get their first look at advanced craniofacial surgery next month when they observe operations here on 11 Soviet children with severely deformed heads and faces.

The children and doctors arrived in Dallas over the weekend for the unprecedented program to introduce the advanced surgical techniques to the Soviet Union, said Deb Keck, nursing supervisor at Humana Hospital in Dallas.

The children, between 2 and 18 years old, will undergo surgery by craniofacial and pediatric neurosurgical teams of the Humana Advanced Surgical Institutes at Humana beginning the week of Dec. 4.

Dr. Kenneth E. Salyer, recognized internationally for his advanced craniofacial surgical techniques, arranged for the children to come to the United States through a year of correspondence with Soviet officials.

Salyer, Dr. Ian Munro and Dr. Edward Joganic will perform the craniofacial surgery, hospital officials said.

"This type of surgery simply isn't available (in the Soviet Union)," Salyer said. "Most of the children we will see have normal mental capacities but have no chance at a normal life without this surgical intervention.

"Some of the deformities, however, may cause retardation or even death without correction," he said. "So, we're very happy that in the spirit of glasnost such an exchange can take place between America and Russia."

Professors A.N. Konovalov, director of the Soviet Union's Burdenko Institute of Neurosurgery, and V.P. Ippolitov, head of emergency care at the All-union Research Stomatological Institute, and other representatives of the Moscow Institutes will participate in the training.

"It's interesting that during the time we are sharing medical information with Russian surgeons, President Bush and General Secretary Gorbachev will be meeting at sea sharing diplomacy," said Ira B. Korman, chief executive of Humana Hospital.

The children suffer from such deformities as hypertelorism, where there is increased distance between the eyes; orbital encephalocele, where brain tissue pushes through a hole in the skull, creating large lumps on the face.

Surgery returns the brain to the proper position and the hole in the skull is repaired by bone grafting.

Some of the children suffer from trigonocephaly, a wedge-shaped head caused by premature fusion of the cranial sutures or skull joints, or crouzon syndrome, a failure of the bones of the skull to develop at a normal rate, causing increased intracranial pressure, bulging eyes, receding midface and dental underbite.

Farm Bureau begins 56th convention

FORT WORTH (AP) — Texas Farm Bureau representatives know the debate over the next federal farm bill will be intense, but they still don't expect any major changes in federal subsidy levels, an official said.

"Farmers would rather receive their compensation from the marketplace rather than subsidies," said F.M. True, the agency's president. "But in order for us to compete today in the working environment we are going to need some type of (subsidy)."

True is in Fort Worth this week for the bureau's 56th annual meeting. On Sunday, he spoke of the agency's position on farm subsidies and the need to go on the offensive against charges that farmers and ranchers are polluting the environment with pesticides and fertilizers.

He said the agency will target urban communities next year to refute those critics who accuse farmers are poisoning the food supply and abusing farm animals.

"We're taking this message to the urban people: That this country has the most abundant and safest food supply in the world," he said.

"That farmers and ranchers, as stewards of that thin layer of topsoil upon which our nation depends, are caretakers of the environment — not destroyers."

Environmental issues will be but one of the primary topics discussed during the convention, which runs through Wednesday at the Tarrant County Convention Center.

But the 1,300 voting delegates are bracing themselves for a probable letdown when Texas Rangers pitcher Nolan Ryan announces that he won't run for the state's top agricultural position, True said.

"I would love for Nolan to run for commissioner of agriculture because he's qualified for the job," True said. "If Nolan says no, then we in the Texas Farm Bureau will wait until after the Republican primary to decide who we support for commissioner of TDA."

Reports published last week said Ryan, who has never held or sought public office, would not seek the office now held by Jim Hightower.

White says state's education needs luring him into governor's race

HOUSTON (AP) — Former Gov. Mark White says education needs such as overhauling the state's school funding system are luring him into the race for governor.

He is expected to announce his candidacy this week.

"I'm not running just to hold the office," White said. "I'm running to make changes over the next four years."

White, who drew criticism in his 1986 re-election bid because of the Education Reform Act, said he is proud of his accomplishments for education and feels there is more to be done.

"He felt like he wasn't through — that there were things he wanted to get accomplished," said Betty Fortinberry, White's sister. "We all feel hesitant to get back into it. Let's face it, it's not fun not to win. But he thinks it's worth putting it on the line."

White, a lawyer who served as governor 1983-87, is expected to announce Wednesday that he will face State Treasurer Ann Richards and Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in the March primary.

White lost his re-election bid by 300,000 votes to Gov. Bill Clements, who he unseated in the previous election in 1982.

White concedes the defeat, at least in part, came in response to his support of sweeping educational reforms that included a no-pass-no-play provision for students and teacher literacy testing.

But he said the prospect of more educational changes from an overhaul of the state's school financing plan has attracted him to the position for a second time.

"The bottom line is kids are doing better in schools," White said.

"We changed the lives of a lot of people. We upset people," he said. "But now we don't have to look over our shoulders and say we don't have teachers who can't pass a test. We will never have to do that again."

White said he is proud of his accomplishments as governor. Besides championing the Education Reform Act of 1984, he was hailed for attracting business and industry to Texas and guaranteeing increased funding for highway repair and construction.

White also was criticized for the passage of $4.8 billion in new taxes and major increases in state fees to help fund the school reforms and highway improvements. In addition, it was during his administration that the price of oil plunged the state into a deep recession.

"People recognize now that even though it was a discomfort to them at the time, it was in everyone's best interest," White said. "I think the evidence is clear now that we did the right thing."

While Clements focused on White's tax record, the Republican governor was forced in 1987 to approve the largest tax increase in state history in 1987: $5.7 billion.

White, a graduate of Baylor law school, served as secretary of state under Gov. Dolph Briscoe, and was elected Texas attorney general in 1978.

House considering workers' comp plan

AUSTIN (AP) — After a stalemate of nearly 11 months over how to reform the system of compensating workers for on-the-job injuries, the debate returns today to the House where a committee is scheduled to consider the Senate's reform plan.

The Senate measure has little chance of passing in the more conservative House, but at least one House member believes there is movement among his colleagues to the Senate side.

Last week, Sens. Kent Caperton and Carl Parker engineered passage of amendments that essentially gutted a business-backed proposal by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby.

Following the action, House Speaker Gib Lewis, who supported the Hobby plan, said, "We are probably back at square one. We'll certainly have a different version, hopefully, coming out of the House back to the Senate."

But Rep. Jim Parker, a Democrat from Comanche, said some House members are beginning to hear positive notes from their constituents for the Senate plan.

The Senate plan differs sharply from Hobby's measure and those proposed earlier by House members on the question of how to calculate benefits and how to resolve disputed workers' comp claims.

Hobby's bill would have restricted jury trials in comp cases and would have established a specific schedule of monetary damages for permanent injuries.

Businesses claim that high jury awards and injury benefits are to blame for the increases in employer-paid premiums, which have jumped 148 percent since 1985 and are scheduled to go up another 22 percent by Jan. 1.

The Senate voted to restrict the admission in a trial of any issues not raised at the administrative hearing, but refused to go along with Hobby to require all potential evidence on every dispute to be presented at the administration level. The Senate also added the option of arbitration to avoid legal fights.

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> — House Speaker Gib Lewis

The Senate amended the so-called impairment schedule for permanent injuries, by adding more flexibility into the plan in order to link benefits with an individual's ability to hold a job in his or her occupational field.

"My people want the system streamlined," said Parker, a six-year legislative veteran. He said the Senate's arbitration provision will reduce litigation.

Parker said a provision in the Senate bill to impose penalties against those filing frivolous lawsuits has also gained the appreciation of some businessmen in his district.

He said impairment schedule for permanent injuries "was not fair. It does not recognize differences in the occupations that people pursue."

But there is little chance the House will adopt the Senate proposals, which have been cast a pro-labor and pro-trial lawyer light, Parker said.



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Caravan destined for Guatemala

DALLAS (AP) — A caravan of 14 emergency vehicles and 42 volunteers is traveling from Indiana to Guatemala to deliver medical supplies, clothes and eyeglasses to people who can't afford to buy them.

The 3,200-mile pilgrimage, which began on Thanksgiving Day, is the creation of Indiana cattle farmer Jim Cameron.

When Cameron visited the Central American country in 1984 to distribute eyeglasses to needy people, he noticed that they needed much more.

"I realized they could use anything we could bring them, especially emergency vehicles," said Cameron, a member of Lions Club International.

So for the past five years, Cameron has guided the group on its charitable mission. The caravan is scheduled to arrive in Guatemala on Saturday.

The volunteers will spend four days in Guatemala before flying back to the United States, Cameron said.

Another ambulance is being shipped from Sweden and will be added to the caravan when two Swedish Lions Club members join the group in McAllen today. The group refueled in Dallas.

The used ambulances cost between $800 and $1,200 each. They were donated by members of local chapters of Lions Club International, Cameron said.

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Doctors baffled at AIDS patient's miraculous recovery

Patient cites positive mental attitude as only effective medicine

By JAMES MARTINEZ
Associated Press Writer

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Ron Webeck could barely walk, couldn't talk and was nearly blind when he was flown to his family's home to die of a devastating AIDS-related brain disease. That was more than four years ago.

Today, Webeck, 42, is thriving and researchers are trying to find out why.

"I realize that I'm probably not supposed to be here," he said. "I've been given an incredible gift — I'm cured."

Tests have failed to turn up the AIDS virus in Webeck's blood. Even rarer is that scientists can no longer find a trace of the virus that caused his brain infection — progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy, or PML — a disease that preys on AIDS victims and usually kills within six months.

"Sure he's healthy — he looks good, he feels good and he can do anything he wants to do," said Dr. Joseph Berger, a University of Miami neurologist and AIDS researcher who wrote about the case in the medical journal Neurology.

"But I'd have to say with 99 percent certainty that he's sitting on a time bomb," Berger said, "That what caused his illness in the first place is somehow being suppressed and will come back."

AIDS researcher Sidney Houff, who examined Webeck at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md., calls his recovery "remarkable," but he's not ready to call it permanent. "What exactly caused him to survive and recover is a mystery. We had never seen anyone survive from it before. Up until that point, everyone with PML had died a miserable death.

"There's no telling what may happen in the future. I'm hopeful for him, but if his immune system is sufficiently challenged, there's always the chance the virus that causes PML will reappear."

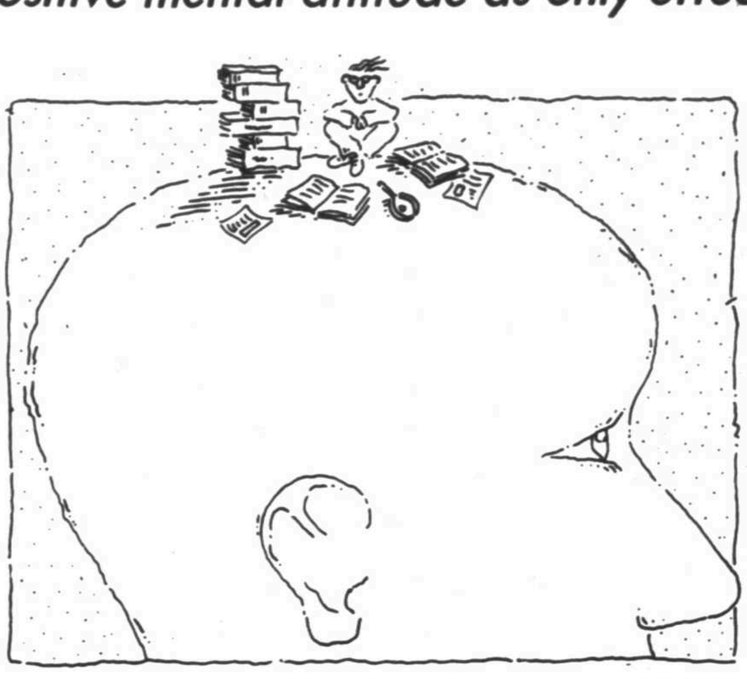
WEBECK THINKS doctors are being overly cautious.

"I'm going on five years now. How long do I have to be healthy before they finally give up and agree I'm well?"

For Webeck, who says he lived in the fast lane of San Francisco's gay community in his 20s, the first signs something was wrong came in the spring of 1985. While working as a waiter in Provincetown, Mass., he felt an aggravating twinge in his neck. He soon began falling down and had to quit because he could no longer add customers' bills.

A culture of spinal fluid taken at Massachusetts General Hospital eight weeks later showed the presence of the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), the virus that causes AIDS. A scan revealed lesions on his brain and a biopsy showed that PML had infected his brain tissue.

After weeks of violent illness and with his weight at just above 120, doctors suggested Webeck make plans to be with his family. They thought he only had days to live.



CNS Graphic

"They didn't have to say the word — it was written all over their faces. They rushed me home with no medicine, nothing.

"They figured, 'What's the use?'"

DR. LEONARD MUEKE, who treated Webeck at Massachusetts General, said he had to tell the patient and his family the dismal prognosis.

"Based on what we knew about other patients similarly diagnosed, I don't think we had any option but to conclude that he didn't have a very good outlook," said Mueke, now at the Scripps Clinic in La Jolla, Calif.

"He was sent home with two medications to treat certain symptoms of his illness that he opted not to take, but it's true we had nothing to give him for his primary diagnosis of AIDS and PML."

Under his parents' care in St. Petersburg, Webeck suffered through seizures and a bout with depression that ended in his attempt to take an overdose of sedatives. After 10 days in the hospital, he survived.

"That was a big turning point for me. I met death and was spared. I started to realize I got some work to do before I go."

That's when, amazingly, Webeck started getting better.

Without medical treatment, only an attitude shaped by books on positive thinking and an insatiable will to live, Webeck began forcing himself to eat and teaching himself to walk again. By July 1986, he set out to find a cause for his return to health. He wrote to every major medical center and AIDS researcher in the country.

After scores of encouraging but noncommittal responses, Berger at Miami and then Houff at NIH agreed to make extensive examinations. Some procedures were painful, such as tapping bone marrow and spinal fluid, but Webeck hoped for clues that could help others.

Huff, who completed more than three weeks of examinations of Webeck in June, found that all components of his immune system were basically normal.

ONE ODD THING was that Webeck had the usual number of B lymphocytes, white blood cells that produce antibodies against disease. All other PML patients Houff had seen had produced vast numbers of tainted blood cells that made their way into the brain tissue and caused the infection.

"His immune system was able to shut down the production of B lymphocytes and slow the progress of the disease," Houff said. "Now, how he was able to do that is something we don't know."

HOUFF, who has moved to the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Washington, D.C., and the faculty of Georgetown University, currently has five other patients involved in his study. Four have lived after bouts with PML, but for much shorter periods than Webeck, and all but one are suffering other AIDS-related infections.

Meantime, the tanned, mustachioed Webeck is stronger than ever, recently put in the peculiar circumstance of being a one-time AIDS patient forced to go on a diet when his weight topped 180 pounds.

Webeck receives a disability check from Social Security, so he has time to speak to churches and civic groups, and to care for a friend with AIDS. He hopes to travel full-time to promote AIDS research and to show that the virus does not always mean a death sentence.

"I can't even count the number of people I've seen die from AIDS," he said. "Many of them were so devastated when they heard they had it they sort of gave up. If people see me, maybe they will think twice that miracles do happen."

DEAR ABBY

Operation Dear Abby spreads holiday cheer

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR READERS: Can you believe it's time for Operation Dear Abby V? Again, we will join forces with the America Remembers campaign whose national chairman is still Donald P. Grimes.

Last year, Operation Dear Abby sent more than 6 million pieces of mail to our servicemen and women stationed in Japan, Korea, Iceland and Europe, as well as to those serving in the Mediterranean and Indian Ocean. Tons of letters and packages were dropped from helicopters to aircraft carriers to cheer those who had been deployed for months.

Schoolteachers in the United States and Canada made classroom projects of writing to our servicemen and women who would be far from home during the holidays. Men, women and children who enjoyed baking sent cookies, brownies and fruitcakes. (The elderly residents of the Jewish Center for the Aged in St. Louis baked kosher cookies!)

I received hundreds of heartwarming pictures of men and women in uniform, gathered around tables on which were piled literally thousands of letters and cards. Many wrote to describe how everyone frantically searched for envelopes bearing the postmark of their hometowns — or states.

Veterans of World War II, the Korean War and Vietnam wrote to give our young servicemen and women a lift because they remember how sad it was to be half a world away from home over the holidays.

Last year, at least a hundred long-distance romances blossomed through the exchange of pictures and letters. (They honored me with invitations to their weddings!)

This year, more than 200,000 troops will participate in the program. Please join me in this campaign to let our servicemen and women know that you remember and appreciate them. Send as many Hanukkah and Christmas cards as you can. In previous years, hundreds of readers wrote to say that they were overwhelmed at the responses they received from grateful servicemen and women.

Write to as many as you can. I can't guarantee that every letter will be answered. Last year, one ship with only 500 men aboard received 60,000 pieces of mail! Obviously they couldn't read all that mail, so some of it was airlifted and distributed to other carriers.

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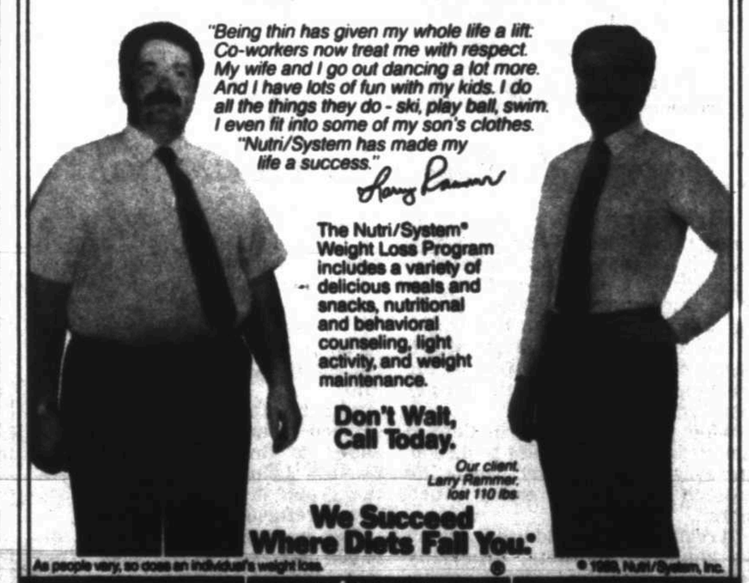
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Gene decoding offers hope to defend against disease

By ANN GIBBONS
Copley News Service

With 800 scientists watching in anticipation, Francis Collins flashed a slide on an overhead projector showing how three letters can spell death for 30,000 Americans every year.

The slide showed a series of seemingly nonsensical letters: GAA AAT ATC ATC TTT GGT. That was part of the genetic code for a healthy human.

Below it were the following letters: GAA AAT ATC AT- -T GGT. Only three letters were missing from a series of 250,000. The absence of those three letters spells out cystic fibrosis. One in 2,000 Americans is born with this deadly genetic disorder.

"The net effect of this defect is cystic fibrosis in 70 percent of the people who suffer from the disease," Collins told a gathering of geneticists at the Human Genome I meeting held early October in San Diego by Science magazine.

Slightly different defects in the arrangement of the letters, which are the code for the molecules that make up the human hereditary material, cause the remaining 30 percent of cystic fibrosis cases.

Collins' presentation was one of the high points of the three-day meeting, where leading geneticists from around the world gathered to plan strategy for unraveling the human genetic code — the complete set of instructions for making a human being.

In September, Collins and his colleagues at the University of Michigan and the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto announced that they finally had cracked the code for the gene that causes cystic fibrosis, the most common lethal genetic disease in North America.

It was one of the most compelling success stories in recent years for human genetics research, and one that scientists at the meeting say should be just a preview of the dazzling science to come.

The scientists were in San Diego to work out the outline for the Human Genome Project — a 15-year, $3 billion project that is the biological equivalent of sending a man to the moon or splitting the atom.

The goal of the scientists is to learn everything they can about the 6-foot-long fibers of deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) inside almost every human cell. Biologists believe that this genetic information will help them detect, prevent and cure disease — and repeat the same kind of work that led to the cystic fibrosis breakthrough in September.

"We're interested in it because it's our genome," said Norton Zinder of Rockefeller University, head of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) genome advisory committee. "It's like we have hearts, lungs and kidneys. We also have a genome.

"Once it's done, it will give us a scaffolding to stand for all time. Medical people will have it to look at like the Bible."

Despite its great promise, the proposal to sequence the human genome has been controversial.

Many biologists were skeptical at first because of its great cost.

Others are worried about ethical issues. They asked who would own the valuable information contained within each person's genome, the sequence that predicts a person's susceptibility to diseases, ranging from cancer to Alzheimer's.

"We have to be aware of the terrible past of eugenics and how the knowledge was used in a terrible way both here and in Germany," said James Watson, the Nobel prize-winning scientist who worked out the shape of DNA with Francis Crick. Watson directs the genome project for the NIH.

"We have to reassure people that the message in their own DNA is private."

BUT MANY of the scientists said that while those concerns must be addressed, the biological community is now enthusiastic.

"We've developed a clear feeling that the Genome Project is finally under way," said Renato Dulbecco, the Nobel prize-winning scientist who is president of the Salk Institute in La Jolla, Calif. He was one of the first scientists to propose the human genome initiative, in an article published in the journal Science in early 1986.

"The time has come — the project is actually going."

An estimated 100,000 scientists are seriously studying the human genome in the United States, and the NIH has set aside $63 million this fiscal year for the project. It plans to name 20 new genome research centers in early 1990.

The U.S. Department of Energy also is spending $27 million on sequencing the genome, and a new, non-profit organization called the Human Genome Organization (HUGO) is raising funds for the project internationally. It has 220 members in 23 nations.

Even though the project is just gearing up, scientists such as Collins already are reporting on a battery of new techniques they are using to track down and identify the estimated 100,000 genes contained in the human genome. Those genes are arranged along 46 threadlike strands of DNA, tucked within the nucleus of the cell.

EACH GENE contains the instructions for making proteins, the molecules that are essential for life.

A defect in that coding can give rise to thousands of hereditary diseases, such as the one in the cystic fibrosis gene.

Eventually, scientists hope to identify the gene for every key disease. They also are intent on unraveling the genetic code for other organisms, ranging from yeast to fruit flies and worms to primates.

But they acknowledged that these goals are daunting, especially if they want to sequence the entire genome in 15 years.

Although many genes have been found, far fewer have been "sequenced." Sequencing determines the order of the letters in the genetic alphabet — A,G, T and C — that are the shorthand for the DNA subunits called adenine, thymine, guanine and cytosine (also known as base pairs). A gene is considered a set of instructions for making one protein, and often consists of a string of these four letters — often stretching 100,000 to 200,000 letters long.

Not only do scientists want to crack the code for each gene, but they also must put it on a genetic map — where each gene is located on one of the 46 chromosomes.

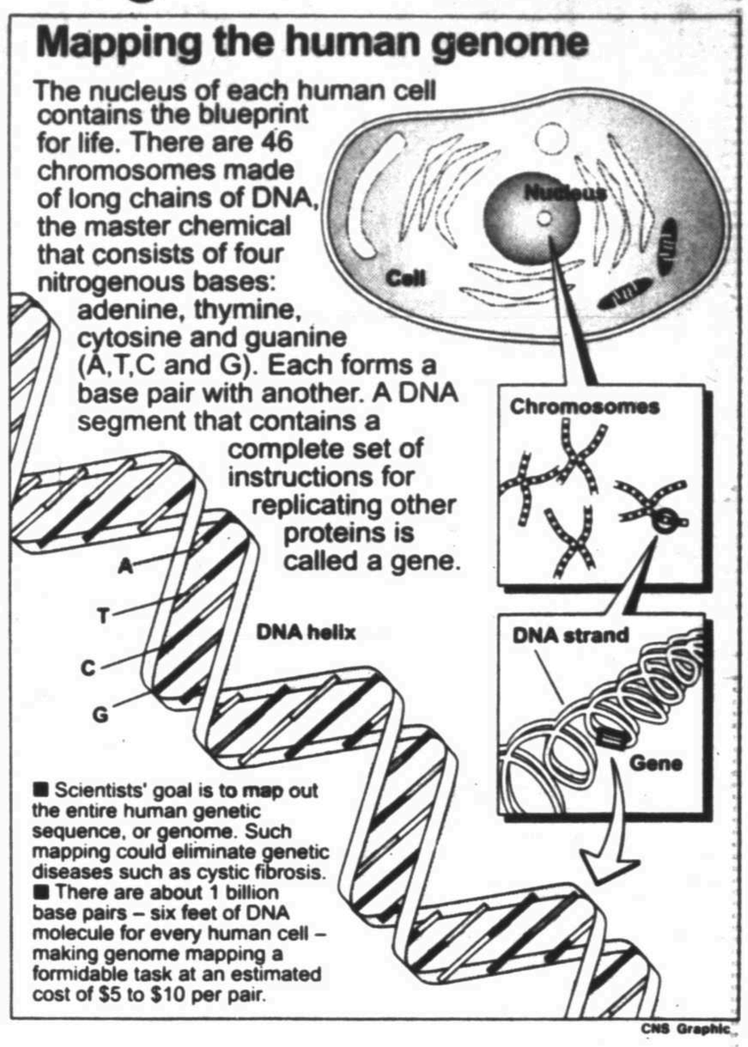
Different teams of researchers already are staking out separate chromosomes, trying to divide the work of mapping where specific genes fit on them. Several laboratories already have zeroed in on the X chromosome, which is more tightly packed with disease-causing genes than any other chromosome.

ALL OF THIS is painstaking, time-consuming work, with a price tag that today runs at about $5 to $10 per DNA base, and there are 1 billion bases in the genetic code made of these four different types — A,G, T and C.

The arithmetic isn't hard to figure. A new, more cost-effective technology must be developed for scientists to meet their goals of sequencing the genome for $3 billion in 15 years.

There already are glimmerings of technological breakthroughs that are the stuff of science fiction, such as a new generation of scanning tunneling microscopes that actually can show direct images of the DNA.

Young scientists will have to be trained at universities and laboratories to process and interpret the huge amount of information generated from the new gene maps. Teams of researchers will have to collaborate in the sequencing and interpretation of the data — including logging their results into national data banks, which will push the frontiers of computer science.



Hospice care accomodates AIDS patients

By FAITH KEENAN
Hearst News Service

BOSTON — "This is the last stop for me," said Bruce J. as his emaciated fingers fumbled to light a cigarette. "The doctor told me, 'I wouldn't be starting a new career now, I'd be gathering ye rosebuds while ye may.'"

It was Bruce's way of saying he was dying — and quickly — while taking in the last days of an Indian summer from the daisy-strewn porch of the Hospice at Mission Hill in Boston. It's one of the nation's first residential hospices specifically for AIDS patients to open.

Bruce, who asked that his real name not be used, will die there in the midst of warmth, dignity and even style. Professional designers have decorated the three-story, 18-bedroom home in every mode from country pine to modern chrome.

"This place is less formal and aseptic than the hospital," said the 49-year-old. "There, I was treated like a pariah by a lot of people. They would come into your room in space suits, fully covered from head to toe.

"And there's a contrast between the treatment you get in the hospital, which is overstaffed, underpaid and where tempers are short, and this place, where they can't do enough for you," he continued.

Hospice staff members at Mission Hill are young, some are gay, all are committed, and all have lived alongside AIDS since it became endemic in Boston in 1982. And they hope the hospice will become a model for similar residences nationwide as AIDS continues its purge.

While the Shanti Project in San Francisco was the pioneer in residences for AIDS patients, most are geared for independent living. A few in the Bay Area, as well as Seattle, Los Angeles, and New York, offer hospice care. But most of the more than 5,000 AIDS patients who received such care in 1987 — the last year for which statistics are available — did so in their own homes, according to the National Hospice Organization.

The hospice philosophy is to offer palliative, not curative care, and to provide psychological, spiritual and bereavement counseling for patients and their families.

People working with AIDS organizations nationwide say that many factors account for the slow growth of free-standing hospice facilities to treat AIDS patients in their final months. They include lack of funds, city zoning regulations, continuing public fear of AIDS, strict Medicare guidelines that usually apply to cancer but not AIDS patients, and the unwillingness of many AIDS patients to give in to death.

The hospice movement is struggling to accommodate the AIDS epidemic, according to the Rev. William Wallace, executive director of Hospice West, Inc. of Waltham, Mass., which developed the Hospice at Mission Hill. "It has developed a criteria around patients dying of cancer. AIDS is a very different disease."

Hospice in the modern sense means a place to die, and many young AIDS patients refuse to sign a legal form saying they will most likely submit to death within six months, as is required for Medicare-certified hospice care.

"People in their 20s and 30s have a difficult time signing a paper saying they have less than six months to live," said Ted Duncan, executive director of the Wellness House in Detroit, and chairman of the new National AIDS Coalition on Housing. "It means they're giving up."

"The AIDS patient is not the sagacious octogenarian looking for someone to walk with them to death," said Wallace. "These are young people kicking and screaming in the midst of their dying."

A physician must also certify that a patient has less than six months to live for them to be eligible for hospice care. This is easier to do with cancer cases, where disease progression is more predictable than AIDS, say hospice administrators.

There is also a finer line between curative and palliative treatment for AIDS patients, said Wallace. The goal of a hospice is comfort, not cure, so aggressive medical treatments stop once a patient assents to hospice care.

Bruce, however, still takes AZT — the only drug approved for treating AIDS — which prolongs life by fighting viral reproduction. In his case, however, AZT is not considered a curative treatment but a way of preventing new infections. And like many hospice patients, he also takes morphine to dull pain. What drugs Medicare or a third party insurer will cover under hospice guidelines, however, is still a question.

As a result, "hospice as a movement is in flux," said Wallace. "It's in transition as to how to adjust the way of caring and how to change the administrative criteria to account for persons with AIDS."

As for logistical problems like finding and paying for a building that could serve as a hospice, Hospice West basically lucked out. While most public funding for AIDS has gone toward treatment, prevention and education, Hospice West got state and federal grants plus funding from private foundations to purchase a building large enough to house 20 patients. With Medicare certification, the hospice receives $298 a day for each patient covered by Medicare or a third-party insurer.

The group also encountered little neighborhood opposition to their plans, said Wallace. Part of that may be due to location. While the building's interior is worthy of its prestigious Beacon Hill neighborhood, its Mission Hill site ranks near the top of Boston's crime sheet.

Elsewhere, however, neighborhoods often use zoning laws that restrict the number of unrelated individuals living in a house as a tool to bar group homes from an area, said Duncan.

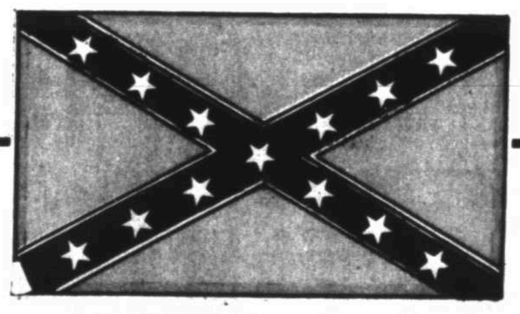
Still, he expects more free-standing AIDS hospices to develop as the virus continues its death march and a cure continues to elude scientists.

For Bruce, time has just about run out. The solace for him is that it won't happen in a hospital.

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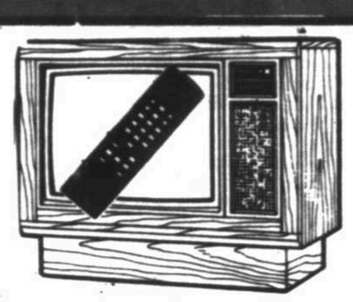


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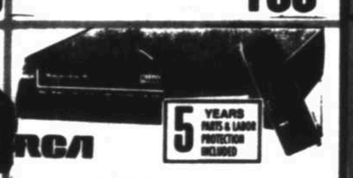
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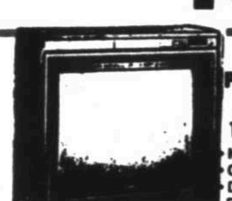
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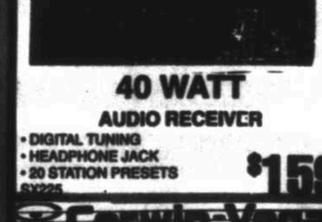
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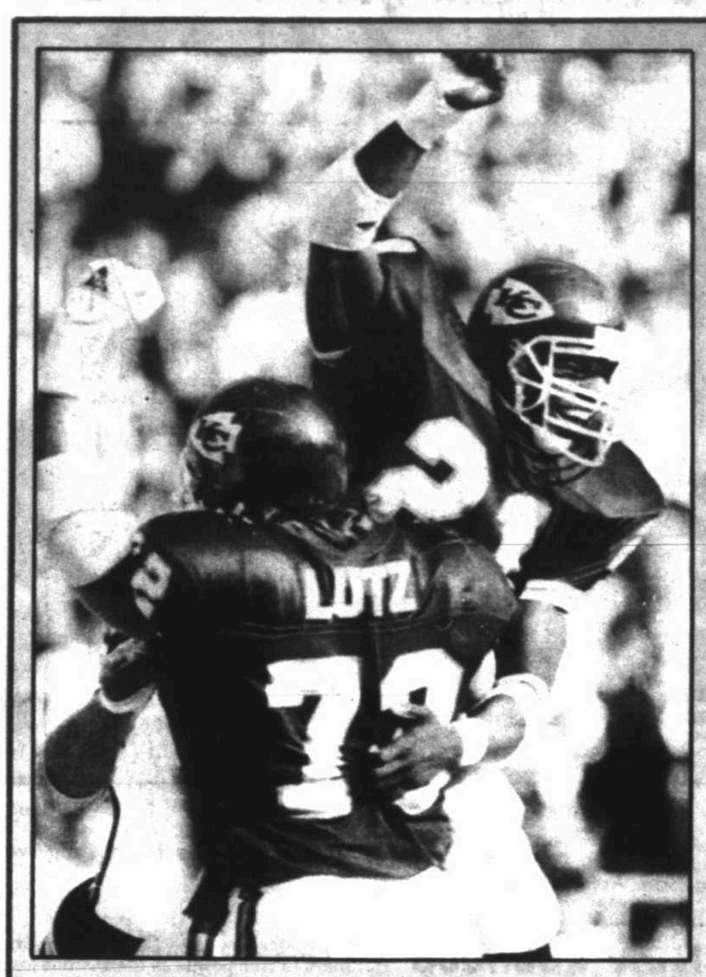
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Kansas City running back James Saxon is hoisted by teammate David Lutz after his touchdown sent the Chiefs on the way to an upset over the Houston Oilers Sunday.

Oilers' playoff road hits Chief problem

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — People everywhere in Kansas City's 34-0 drubbing of Houston seemed to be having their bests, worsts or firsts.

Steve DeBerg enjoyed his finest day as a Chiefs' quarterback while Houston's Warren Moon had his worst game of the year.

As a team, the Chiefs played their best game since Marty Schottenheimer became coach. The Oilers set a franchise penalty record.

The 34-point margin of victory was the biggest for the Chiefs since Lyndon Johnson was president. The shutout was the first in almost three years for the Oiler offense and the first for the Chiefs' defense in almost nine.

Furthermore, swears Jerry Glanville, it's the first time he was ever penalized.

"I've been coaching for 26 years and I've never been penalized," Glanville said. "But you cause your own problems."

Glanville's penalty came right after Moon's 15-yarder for unsportsmanlike conduct and triggered a very obvious first-period turning point.

"What a momentum shift that was," said Kansas City guard Mark Adickes. "One play they have the ball. The next play we have the ball on the 4-yard line."

After Walker Lee Ashley intercepted Moon's pass on the Oiler 21, rookie linebacker Derrick Thomas began pushing Moon out of bounds. As Walker went down, Thomas gave the Houston quarterback one more shove. Moon then grabbed Thomas' face mask and the two wrestled all the way into the Chiefs' bench area.

Moon, to the disgust of Glanville, drew a 15-yard penalty. Then another flag flew when Glanville wouldn't quit arguing.

The 24 penalty yards put the ball on the 8, and a facemask infraction put it on the 4. Then James Saxon dived across for a 10-0 Kansas City lead.

"I definitely think that play had an impact on the game," said Thomas. "I think it raised our intensity level."

"That put all the momentum on our side of the field," said Chiefs' linebacker Dino Hackett. "And that's where it stayed."

"The bottom line," said Glanville, "is we self-destructed."

The Oilers, who hadn't been shut out since Dec. 7, 1986, wound up with a team-record 16 penalties for 115 yards, including 50 in the first quarter. It was also the first shutout for the Chiefs' defense since 1981 and their most lopsided victory since a 40-3 rout of San Diego in 1968.

Moon and Thomas both said later they had no hard feelings. But for a few minutes, they looked like they wanted to rip each other's head off.

"Derrick kept pushing me and pushing me out of bounds," said Moon. "I didn't care for it and I'm not one to lose my cool. I came back and apologized and told him that I was not that kind of guy. He also apologized."

"Our man had the ball," said Thomas with a grin. "I had to block him."

Houston	0	0	0	0	— 0
Kansas City	10	10	7	7	—34

First Quarter

KC—FG Lowery 31, 3:08.

KC—Saxon 4 run (Lowery kick), 13:54.

Second Quarter

KC—FG Lowery 34, 8:51.

KC—Pearson 1 blocked punt return (Lowery kick), 10:44.

Third Quarter

KC—Hayes 7 pass from DeBerg (Lowery), 8:17.

Fourth Quarter

KC—Okoye 17 run (Lowery kick), :53.

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First downs	12	20
Rushes-yards	27-103	31-87
Passing	112	226
Return Yards	44	28
Comp-Att-Int	13-31-1	16-27-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	5-38	1-3
Punts	7-34	3-47
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	16-115	2-15
Time of Possession	28:51	31:09

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Houston, Moon 4-35, Highsmith 8-24, Pinckett 3-17, White 6-16, Rozier 6-12, Carlson 1-0. Kansas City, Okoye 21-87, McNair 6-16, Saxon 1-4, Agee 1-3, Heard 2-(minus 3).

PASSING—Houston, Moon 8-20-1-99, Carlson 5-11-0-51. Kansas City, DeBerg 16-25-0-224, Elkins 1-2-1-5.

RECEIVING—Houston, Harris 4-49, Jeffires 3-26, K.Jackson 2-19, Highsmith 1-26, Duncan 1-10, Rozier 1-8, White 1-8. Kansas City, Paige 7-114, Mandley 3-70, McNair 2-26, Hayes 2-15, Saxon 1-10, Roberts 1-(minus 6).

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Houston, Zendejas 39.

Curtis Strange 'skins' $265,000

LA QUINTA, Calif. (AP) — Curtis Strange will be back as defending champion, but there are questions about the return of Lee Trevino in golf's Skins Game.

Both Trevino and Don Ohlmeyer, president of Ohlmeyer Communications and the creator of this made-for-television event, dropped hints that Trevino could be among the missing in the four-man lineup next year.

"Lee has indicated he's going to concentrate his schedule on the Seniors' Tour," Ohlmeyer said Sunday.

"You have to go with the ratings. After working seven years for NBC, I know that," said Trevino, who has played in the last four Skins Games. He will turn 50 next month and will join the Seniors Tour.

"THE SKINS Game started off so big in the ratings, but it's been going down just a little ever year since," Trevino said. "You have to go with what people want, make some changes.

"You can't keep on going with the same guys every year," he said.

The same four players —Trevino, Strange, Jack Nicklaus and Ray Floyd — have competed in the last two of the two-day, 18-hole Skins Games.

But the results were markedly different.

In 1988, Strange was shut out.

Last weekend he emerged as the big money-winner with $265,000, including $205,000 on Sunday when he chipped in for a birdie worth $135,000 and closed out the exhibition with a 25-foot birdie putt worth $70,000 on the final hole at the Stadium course at PGA West.

Nicklaus, who has played in all seven Skins Games, was next with $90,000; Floyd won $60,000 and Trevino $35,000.

Despite the slip in television ratings, Nicklaus said "the Skins Game is alive and well."

Nicklaus, like Trevino, will join the Seniors Tour next year and will play with Trevino, Gary Player and Arnold Palmer in the Seniors' Skins Game in Hawaii in January. Nicklaus also remains eligible for the eighth edition of the regular Skins Game in 1991.

"I enjoy it. I'll play if I'm invited," he said. "But I agree with Lee. Time goes on. Things change. You have to keep pace with the changes. In time, some new faces will be needed."

And those changes are under discussion.

"We've had some talks with (PGA Tour Commissioner) Deane Beman about maybe getting the year's leading money-winner in the Skins," Ohlmeyer said.

"Greg Norman has wanted to play in it for the last couple of years, but he's had a conflict with a tournament in Australia.

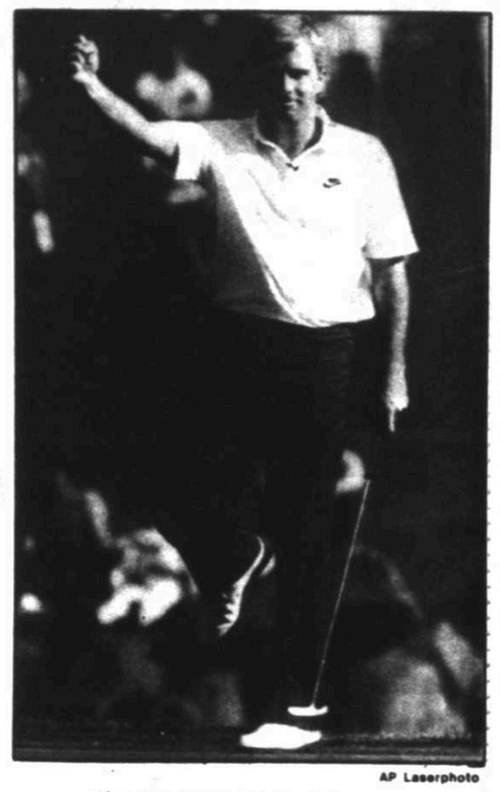
"That conflict will not exist next year. I expect to have Norman playing here," Ohlmeyer said.

STRANGE'S CHIP-IN on the 13th hole Sunday came after he'd backed away from the shot on hearing some chatter from commentator Vin Scully in a television tower.

"I hope he's saying it's an easy shot," Strange remarked to the gallery, then made it look easy with a 35-foot chip with a nine iron that found the hole.

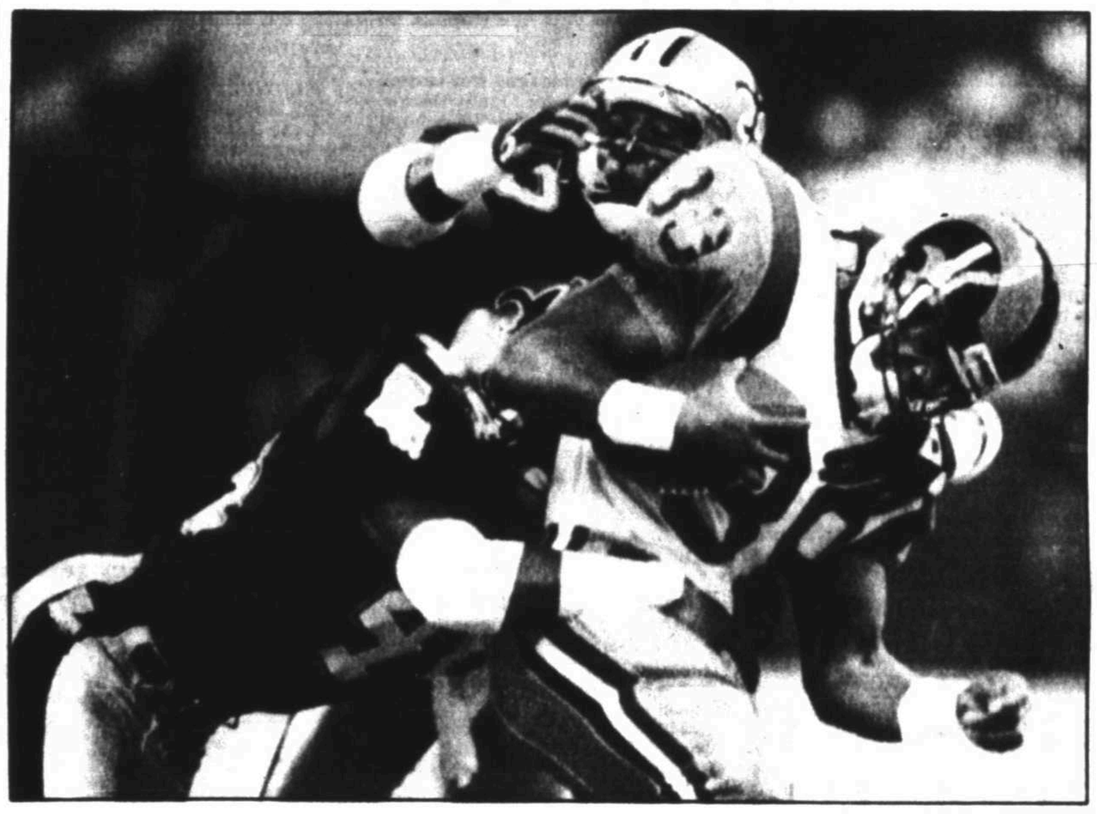
Trevino's wedge shot from 95 yards set up a three-foot birdie putt for his only Skin on the next hole.

Floyd won the next with a four-iron shot to six feet for a birdie, and Nicklaus needed only a two-putt par-five to win the 16th after Strange, Trevino and Floyd all found themselves in the 20-foot deep trough of a bunker that skirts the back and left of the green.



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Skins winner Curtis Strange ...happiness is a $135,000 putt



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Los Angeles Rams' running back Robert Delphino fights for yardage in a come-from-behind 20-17 overtime NFL victory over the New Orleans Saints Sunday night.

Rams 'flip' Saints in OT, 20-17

Associated Press

Willie "Flipper" Anderson had quite a season Sunday night.

The Los Angeles Rams' second-year receiver, who caught 11 passes for 319 yards all last season, set an NFL single-game reception record of 336 yards in a 20-17 overtime victory over the New Orleans Saints.

"It really just sort of got unconscious out there for a while and everything was clicking and things were happening," said Anderson, who caught 15 passes.

The Rams trailed 17-3 when Anderson:

— Caught a 46-yard pass to set up a five-yard touchdown run by Buford McGee with 2:46 left in regulation.

— Caught three passes from Jim Everett on Los Angeles' next possession — one for 26 yards on second-and-22 at the Los Angeles 38, one for 14 yards to the Saints' 15 and the final one on the next play for the tying touchdown with 1:02 remaining.

— Caught two passes for 40 yards in overtime and also drew a 35-yard interference penalty as the Rams marched 71 yards to set up Mike Lansford's 31-yard field goal, his second of the game, at 6:38.

"Flipper's just amazing," said Everett, who overcame six sacks and two interceptions and completed 29 of 51 passes for a career-high 454 yards. "He had one of those highlight days. He was hot, and he knew he was hot. He wanted the ball, and every one that went up he knew it was his."

Anderson's best previous game was against San Francisco earlier this year when he caught four passes for 112 yards.

New Orleans built its 17-3 lead as Dalton Hilliard rushed 24 times for 112 yards and threw a 35-yard halfback pass to Eric Martin for a third-quarter touchdown. Martin also scored the Saints' other touchdown on a 19-yard pass from Bobby Hebert in the first period, and Morten Andersen kicked a 36-yard field goal in the second quarter.

Anderson was Everett's prime target because Henry Ellard, the Rams' other starting wideout, was out with a strained calf muscle.

"He's just an outstanding player, and he got his opportunity," Coach John Robinson said. "I suppose one of the things that happens is that when you get a chance, you take advantage of it and it will change your life. It certainly changed his."

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NFL Roundup

Ware waits for Heisman vote count

HOUSTON (AP) — Andre Ware's final bid for the Heisman Trophy was picture perfect — even if it wasn't on television.

Just days before the voters of the Heisman Trophy seal the envelopes on their ballots, the Houston quarterback pumped another four touchdown passes into his stats Saturday in a 40-24 victory over Texas Tech.

"It was just an average day for me," Ware said. "I felt no pressure. I wasn't playing for the Heisman Trophy. I played the best game I could have played against Tech."

"If Andre does not win, they should stop giving the award," Houston coach Jack Pardee said. "He is a player who has put up statistics each week and has not had a bad day this year."

Heisman voters have not seen much of Ware because Houston is on NCAA probation and is prohibited from having televised games or receiving a bowl bid. But it would be hard to overlook Ware's achievements.

Ware increased his season passing totals to 44 touchdowns and 4,299 yards. The performance certainly couldn't hurt his chances against chief rivals for the Heisman, which will be awarded Saturday at New York's Downtown Athletic Club.

Indiana running back Anthony Thompson gained only 97 yards on 28 carries in a 15-14 loss to Purdue. Notre Dame quarterback Tony Rice rushed for 50 yards and passed for 106 in Miami's 27-10 defeat of the No. 1-ranked Fighting Irish.

Neither Thompson nor Rice scored.

West Virginia quarterback Major Harris, on the other hand, no doubt helped his chances with a Thanksgiving Day performance which resulted in a 24-17 victory over Syracuse. Harris, a junior, became the first player in college football history to pass for 5,000 yards and rush for 2,000 in a career. Against Syracuse, he rushed for 95 yards and a touchdown on 18 carries and completed 12 of 23 passes for 182 yards.

Air Force quarterback Dee Dowis, rated a longshot, scrambled for two touchdowns in Saturday's 42-38 victory over Utah, having rushed for 103 yards on 17 carries and completing 6 of 8 passes for 137 yards.

Two other likely Heisman contenders — Colorado quarterback Darian Hagan and Florida running back Emmitt Smith — were idle this week.

Rebs hope to handle turning 'Sweet 16'

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Sports Editor

Turning "Sweet 16" in the state Class 5A football playoffs is about like turning 16 in real life.

There is that giddy feeling of coming of age. It's recognition that sets you apart from the rest. But it also means trouble. Acne is only a step away.

And that is true for Midland Lee's Rebels, who will host Arlington Lamar at 2 p.m. Saturday in Memorial Stadium. You are now part of the big guys and the big guys play rough.

Lamar has skated through the 1989 season with 12 victories and no defeats and the Vikings are feeling great as they explore the depths of the playoffs.

And the region round of 16 has been a problem area for the Rebels. You have to go back to 1984 to find the last time Lee managed a region victory. That year the Rebels blasted Richland's Rebels, 45-14, at Ratliff Stadium.

But since then, region has spelled trouble. The Rebels dropped a 24-21 decision to Irving MacArthur in 1985 and were rocked 27-7 by Arlington High in 1987. And that was the year many felt Lee had its very best team in history, including the 1983 team that went to the state finals.

But this group of Rebels seems to be ready for the challenge presented by the Vikings.

"This is a good challenge for us," said Lee offensive guard Brandon Rayburn. "Each team will be better and better from here on out, but we will accept that challenge."

Quarterback Vince Henderson agreed, "We know it's going to be tough, but we will be up for the game."

Star running back Farris Strambler, who now has 2,578 yards rushing in only 11 games, says the Rebels must now be on the top of their game.

"It's going to be rough from here on out," said Strambler. "We can't make turnovers like we did against Andress. It's going to take a perfect game every time out from here on in."

Even though it would appear that the Vikings should have the edge in this one with its gaudy 12-0 record compared to Lee's 9-2 mark, the Rebels are using recent memory to their advantage.

"There are only 16 teams left in the state," notes offensive guard Matt Wilson. "I feel good about this game because we played a great game against Permian. We need that same kind of effort becasue one of our goals is to play Permian again and we can't do that unless we win this next one."

Defensive back Scott Luckie added, "It's tough when only 16 teams are left. But we played No. 2 (Permian) and could have won."

Playoff Notes: Tickets for the region game went on sale for season ticket holders at the Memorial Stadium ticket office at 8 a.m. today. Season ticket holders have until 5 p.m. Tuesday to renew seating options. All remaining tickets will go on sale at 8 a.m. Wednesday. Tickets will be sold daily through 5 p.m. Thursday and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday. Pre-game tickets will cost $6 for adults and $3 for students. All tickets at the gate Saturday will be $8.

Lee now stands at 15-8 overall in the playoffs. Coach Earl Miller now owns a winning playoff record after the Andress win with a 4-3 mark.

Lee Playoff History

1974—Wichita Falls Rider 35, Midland Lee 8 (Bi-District). 0-1

1976—Midland Lee 17, Euless Trinity 0 (Bi-District); Arlington Sam Houston 38, Midland Lee 13 (Region). 1-1

1983—Midland Lee 30, Amarillo High 3 (Bi-District); Midland Lee 48, El Paso Irvin 14 (Area); Midland Lee 23, Fort Worth Trimble Tech 6 (Region); Midland Lee 20, Odessa Permian 0 (Quarterfinals); Midland Lee 35, Plano 14 (Semifinals); Converse Judson 28, Midland Lee 21 (Finals). 5-1

1984—Midland Lee 42, Plainview 7 (Bi-District); Midland Lee 41, El Paso Andress 6 (Area); Midland Lee 45, Fort Worth Richland 14 (Region); Odessa Permian 15, Midland Lee 14 (Quarterfinals). 3-1

1985—Midland Lee 13, Amarillo High 7 (Bi-District); Midland Lee 45, El Paso Andress 7 (Area); Irving MacArthur 24, Midland Lee 21 (Region). 2-1

1986—Amarillo High 14, Midland Lee 0 (Bi-District). 0-1

1987—Midland Lee 35, Amarillo High 7 (Bi-District); Midland Lee 49, El Paso Eastwood 14 (Area); Arlington 27, Midland Lee 7 (Region). 2-1

1988—Amarillo Palo Duro 29, Midland Lee 8 (Bi-District). 0-1

1989—Midland Lee 27, Amarillo Palo Duro 9 (Bi-District); Midland Lee 48, El Paso Andress 16. 2-0

Overall playoff record: 15-8.

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TV Sports...

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FOOTBALL — Giants vs. 49ers, 8 p.m., ABC.

BASKETBALL — Great Alaska Shootout, 8 p.m., ESPN.

Trivia Teaser...

Monday's Question: Who holds the Southwest Conference for most 200-yard rushing performances?

Sunday's Answer: District 32-A in Central Texas is the smallest basketball loop in the state, with only three schools.

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Quotebook...

"I figured we'd be switching apartments, you know? He can have my apartment over there, and I'll take his over here," — Dallas kicker Luis Zendejas on Philadelphia kicker Roger Ruzek. Zendejas started the season with Philadelphia and Ruzek began the season with Dallas.

Sports Today...

BASKETBALL — Midland Lee girls at Carlsbad, N.M., 8 p.m.

Football Today...

STAGGERED

Houston quarterback Warren Moon was pulled in the fourth quarter after completing just eight of 20 passes for 99 yards in his worst game of the year, the Oilers' 34-0 loss to Kansas City.



AP Laserphoto

Bo Jackson (34) makes yardage for the Los Angeles Raiders before New England linebacker Ed Reynolds and strong safety Roland James make the stop Sunday.

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"I never thought I'd have a day like this," Anderson said. "It just happened. I was exhausted until I caught the touchdown pass to tie it. Then I was rejuvenated."

Packers 20, Vikings 19

Green Bay scored its second big upset in two weeks and moved into first place this late in a season for the first time since 1978. Don Majkowski threw touchdown passes of 34 and nine yards to Sterling Sharpe, giving the Packers a share of the NFC Central lead with the Vikings.

Green Bay's victory came a week after the Packers beat San Francisco 21-17.

"We knew we had to win to have a chance to play in January," said Sharpe, who caught 10 passes for 157 yards. "We're not quite where we want to be yet, but we're moving in the right direction."

Sharpe's second TD catch gave Green Bay a 20-16 lead with 11 minutes left and Dave Brown had two interceptions in the final four minutes. Majkowski completed his first 14 passes and finished 26 for 35 for 276 yards.

Brown's interceptions were the 58th and 59th of his career, making him sixth on the all-time list.

Minnesota had to settle for field goals by Rich Karlis four times after penetrating the Packers' 20-yard line.

Broncos 41, Seahawks 14

John Elway threw four touchdown passes in the first half, and the Denver Broncos clinched their fourth AFC West title of the decade. Denver (10-2) joined the 1988 Buffalo Bills as the only AFC teams to clinch division titles after just 12 games of a 16-game season.

The Broncos led 38-0 at halftime in a first half that saw them outgain the Seahawks 313-90. Elway did not play in the second half after throwing TD passes of four and 10 yards to Vance Johnson, 32 to Steve Sewell and nine to Michael Young. It was first four-touchdown game since the 1987 opener, also against Seattle.

Steelers 34, Dolphins 14

Pittsburgh took advantage of an injury to Miami quarterback Dan Marino and two inches of rain that turned the field into a quagmire, erasing a 14-0 deficit and knocking the Dolphins out of first place in the AFC East.

Merrill Hoge scored three touchdowns on short runs and Pittsburgh used three fumble recoveries and an interception — all inside the Dolphins 40 — to make a rout of what looked like a Miami blowout in the first quarter.

Marino injured his right shoulder in the second quarter and left the game late in the third period. Miami dropped one game behind Buffalo.

Bills 24, Bengals 7

Jim Kelly threw three touchdown passes as the Bills beat the team that knocked them out of a Super Bowl trip last season. Kelly had scoring passes of 19 yards to Andre Reed, 42 yards to Ronnie Harmon and one yard to Butch Rolle, while Thurman Thomas went over the 1,000-yard mark for the season with 100 yards in 26 carries.

Jets 27, Falcons 7

The Jets won at home for the first time this season, getting two short touchdown runs from Johnny Hector. The Jets lost their first five home games but dominated the Falcons, who have lost all seven road games.

Colts 10, Chargers 6

Jack Trudeau threw a 25-yard touchdown pass to Bill Brooks with 1:54 left for the winning score. Brooks had eight catches for 101 yards. San Diego held Eric Dickerson to a season-low 30 yards on 17 rushes, but 18 came on one carry in the winning drive.

Raiders 24, Patriots 21

Jeff Jaeger kicked a 32-yard field goal with 5:57 to play, overcoming three touchdown passes by New England's Steve Grogan. The Raiders used 8:31 in moving 53 yards on 13 plays to get in position for Jaeger's game-winning kick, which just barely passed inside the left upright.

Redskins 38, Bears 14

Mark Rypien threw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns, two to Art Monk, and Washington spoiled Chicago's chance for a share of the NFC Central lead. Rypien completed a career-best 30 passes in 47 attempts as the Redskins used a 24-0 second half to keep its slim playoff hopes alive.

Buccaneers 14, Cardinals 13

Vinny Testaverde's five-yard pass to Mark Carrier with 43 seconds left gave Tampa Bay the victory and ruined the debut of interim Phoenix coach Hank Kuhlmann. The Buccaneers won consecutive games for the first time since 1984.

Phoenix's Al Del Greco missed a 47-yard field goal attempt with one second left. The crowd of 33,297 was the smallest since the Cardinals moved to Phoenix from St. Louis in 1988.

Lakers spank Spurs by 20

Associated Press

Magic Johnson has trouble remembering what position he's playing, which is understandable.

As the Los Angeles Lakers get started on their post-Kareem era, Johnson is playing his usual point guard spot. And he's playing the off guard. And small forward. And power forward, and sometimes he posts up as the center.

The Lakers' new approach, with Johnson shuttling all over the court, is working — their 132-112 victory over the San Antonio Spurs Sunday night turned around their only loss of the season and ran their winning streak to nine.

So the Lakers seem quickly to have overcome the absence of their retired center, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar.

"Kareem is a guy you can't replace, but you have to do other things," Johnson said after he scored 24 points and had 10 assists as the Lakers ran their record to 10-1 with the runaway victory over the Spurs.

"We're not thinking about Kareem. What we've got to do is win with the guys in this locker room. We're just trying to get ourselves together, get better and better," Johnson said.

"With Kareem, we knew we could sit back on rely on him and then win it at the end. Now we have to play every minute, scrapping and scraping."

Los Angeles coach Pat Riley actually has been slowly moving Johnson into a more versatile role over the past couple of years, as Abdul-Jabbar, in his 40s, became a less dominating player.

Johnson admitted he sometimes forgets where he's supposed to be on the court, since he's being used in every position at one time or another.

"I know the plays, but I don't know where to go from each position right now," he said. "I think in another 10 or 15 games, I'll be ready to play all five of them."

San Antonio coach Larry Brow said the Lakers simply dominated his young team.

"We don't know how it is to win yet, or how to compete every night," he said. "This was a perfect example of a team that wanted to prove something and the other team wishing and hoping."

Riley, calling the easy victory over the Spurs his team's "best game by far" of the young season, said that the Lakers still miss Abdul-Jabbar.

"I will always believe that we will miss a great, great center, but we have to make up for it by doing other things," the coach said, adding that he didn't expect the Lakers to get off to such a fast start this season.



AP Laserphoto

James Worthy of the Los Angeles Lakers prepares to make a move on San Antonio rookie Sean Elliot.

NBA Roundup

"I'm a little surprised; we've got new players and a different philosophy," he said.

He also said that the win over the Spurs, who beat the Lakers 106-98 in the second game of the season at San Antonio on Nov. 4, was the first time that the new players and philosophy really came together.

"We were playing the open court," he said, "contesting every shot, going after the ball ..."

The Lakers had extremely well-balanced scoring, with Byron Scott matching Johnson's 24 points, James Worthy adding 22 and A.C. Green 20.

"They played a very good game," said Spurs rookie David Robinson. "I expected it to be real physical, and it was."

Trail Blazers 102, Pistons 82

Clyde Drexler had 27 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists as Portland beat Detroit for its fifth straight victory.

Drexler also held Detroit's Joe Dumars to five points as the Pistons lost in Portland for the 20th straight time. Detroit hasn't won in the Trail Blazers' Memorial Coliseum since Oct. 19, 1974.

Clippers 120, Bulls 96

Ron Harper equalled a season-high with 36 points and Gary Grant added 17 assists as the Clippers whipped road-weary Chicago.

Charles Smith added 23 points for the Clippers, who enjoyed their biggest victory margin of the season. Michael Jordan scored 26 points for the Bulls, who were playing their seventh straight road game, four of them losses.

After Tom Garrick's three-point play with 9:49 left in the game increased the Clippers' lead to 94-74, Jordan hit an 18-footer and then passed to Scottie Pippen for a slam dunk that made it 94-78 with 8:50 remaining.

But the Bulls never got closer as Harper keyed a 14-4 burst with eight points.

Arkansas spills Oregon

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Impatience, Arkansas Coach Nolan Richardson said, is his Razorbacks biggest problem.

A 102-75 victory over Oregon was a half-hour old and Richardson was sitting near the court, answering the questions of a few stragglers.

Lack of patience on defense, he said, will make a player lunge at a pass when he really doesn't need to do so.

"You get three or four steels and you want six or seven," he said. "You had better be patient."

Oregon came out trying to run with the ninth-ranked Razorbacks and fell behind 27-10 in the first six minutes. The Ducks learned a lesson and eventually took the momentum away from Arkansas.

The Razorbacks led by 12 at the half, but Bob Fife's 15-footer cut it 60-53 with 13:44 remaining. Oliver Miller's short jumper started a nine-minute, 37-9 run. The Razorbacks led 76-60 with 8:35 remaining and 97-62 with 4:05 left.

"That's something you can sell and talk about it," Richardson said. "With eight minutes to go it was a game and four minutes later, it was over."

Oregon committed 29 turnovers, same as Samford did Friday night in a 97-67 loss to the Razorbacks at Pine Bluff.

Forcing an up-tempo game is important, Richardson said, even if the opponent gets some easy shots. "We have to control tempo in the style we play," he said.

Lee Mayberry scored 20 points, including four of five from 3-point range against Oregon, but he and Richardson said Arlyn Bowers was the catalyst. Bowers only played 10 minutes and missed all three of his shots.

"Arlyn Bowers picked up our defensive intensity," Richardson said. "They took our intensity away by spreading the floor and trying to lull us to sleep but Arlyn took care of that."

"Right before the half, Oregon got a couple of steals and some easy baskets and went in at halftime with the momentum," Mayberry said. "Coach Richardson told us in the locker room to come out and get after it because they would have the momentum and we needed to get on them fast and take it away.

SWC Basketball

Dravecky looks to future after cancer

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Dave Dravecky is not bitter that cancer cut short his baseball career. He has used the opportunity to spend more time with his family.

"When I announced my retirement, my daughter asked if that meant she could go to the same school all the time," Dravecky told The Columbus Dispatch in an story published Sunday. "My son just wanted to know if we could play baseball together in the back yard."

The family moved last year to the Youngstown suburb of Boardman, Dravecky's hometown.

"This is a real good place to bring up a family," Dravecky said from Boardman in a telephone interview.

Dravecky, 33, who played for San Deigo Padres and the San Francisco Giants, also is looking forward to a cold, white Christmas.

"We'll have Christmas at home," Dravecky said. "I hope it's cold, and I hope there's a ton of snow. I'll build a nice fire, we'll sit around and sing Christmas carols."

Dravecky has undergone a cancer operation and treatment for two broken arms, all in the last 14 months. But he said his faith has helped him accept adversity.

"My wife and I believe that God is in complete control," Dravecky said. "There is a refining process taking place in our lives. God is using this trial, this adversity, to refine us and to shape us into the people he wants us to be," he said.

"There is no bitterness."

Dravecky was scheduled to fly to New York today to have a lump on his left arm examined by Dr. Murray Beamon of the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research.

A malignant tumor was surgically removed from the same arm on Oct. 7, 1988, in the Cleveland Clinic.

"The lump is located in the same general area as the last one, on the outside of the arm about halfway between the shoulder and elbow," Dravecky said.

Ten months after the operation for the first lump, Dravecky won a comeback start against the Cincinnati Reds.

Five days later in Montreal, his left arm broke while he was pitching against the Expos.

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Sports Scoreboard

NHL

National Hockey League
WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts
NY Rangers	13	8	4	30
New Jersey	10	10	3	23
Philadelphia	10	10	3	23
Pittsburgh	9	12	2	20
Washington	8	11	4	20
NY Islanders	5	17	3	13
Adams Division				
Buffalo	15	5	4	34
Montreal	15	10	2	32
Boston	13	7	2	28
Hartford	11	13	1	23
Quebec	6	17	2	14
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE				
Norris Division				
	W	L	T	Pts
Minnesota	16	8	1	33
Chicago	14	10	2	30
St. Louis	11	7	4	26
Toronto	11	14	0	22
Detroit	6	14	3	15
Smythe Division				
Calgary	10	9	8	28
Los Angeles	12	10	2	26
Edmonton	10	10	5	25
Winnipeg	11	12	1	23
Vancouver	9	11	4	22

Sunday's Games
Buffalo 4, Hartford 2
New York Rangers 3, Quebec 1
Minnesota 5, Chicago 3
Los Angeles 3, Vancouver 3, tie
Monday's Game
Edmonton at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.

Sunday's NHL Sums
At Buffalo, N.Y.

Hartford	1	1	0—2
Buffalo	1	3	0—4

First Period—1, Hartford, Ferraro 8 (MacDermid, Hull), 8:52. 2, Buffalo, Maguire 5 (Hartman, Ledyard), 13:31.
Second Period—3, Buffalo, Housley 6 (Bodger), 3:14. 4, Buffalo, Andreychuk 14 (Ruuttu, Mogilny), 5:56 (pp). 5, Buffalo, Krupp 1 (Turgeon), 8:24 (sh). 6, Hartford, Young 10 (Tippett, Evason), 18:26.
Third Period—None.
Shots on goal—Hartford 9-11-6—26. Buffalo 12-12-8—32. Goalies—Hartford, Sidorkiewicz. Buffalo, Puppa. A—14,469.
At New York

Quebec	0	0	1—1
N.Y. Rangers	0	2	1—3

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, New York, Ogrodnick 15 (Patrick, Leetch), :15 (pp). 2, New York, Ruff 2 (penalty shot), 11:20.
Third Period—3, Quebec, Goulet 6, 1:09. 4, New York, Ogrodnick 16 (Sandstrom), 11:39.
Shots on goal—Quebec 10-4-9—23. New York 5-13-10—28. Goalies—Quebec, Brunetta. New York, Vanbiesbrouck. A—15,805.
At Bloomington, Minn.

Chicago	0	2	1—3
Minnesota	2	3	0—5

First Period—1, Minnesota, Gagner 12 (Murphy, Broten), 5:47 (pp). 2, Minnesota, Modano 14 (Bellows, Murphy), 9:35 (pp).
Second Period—3, Chicago, Savard 8 (Larmer, Manson), :25 (pp). 4, Chicago, Graham 7 (Wilson), :40. 5, Minnesota, Gagner 13 (McRae, Gartner), 2:42 (pp). 6, Minnesota, Gartner 16 (Bellows, Broten), 6:06 (pp). 7, Minnesota, Gartner 17 (Gagner, Murphy), 9:17.
Third Period—8, Chicago, Brown 4 (Savard, Sutter), 15:06.
Shots on goal—Chicago 14-20-20—54. Minnesota 7-8-7—22. Goalies—Chicago, Chevrier. Minnesota, Casey. A—14,111.
At Vancouver, British Columbia

Los Angeles	0	2	1 0—3
Vancouver	2	1	0 0—3

First Period—1, Vancouver, J.Benning 2 (Larionov, Krutov), 2:43. 2, Vancouver, Adams 14 (Bradley), 9:17.
Second Period—3, Los Angeles, Krushelnyski 2 (Gretzky, Allison), 1:55. 4, Vancouver, Linden 5 (Skriko), 8:45 (sh). 5, Los Angeles, Nicholls 16 (Gretzky, Krushelnyski), 18:04 (pp).
Third Period—6, Los Angeles, Duchesne 6 (Nicholls, Gretzky), 13:52 (pp).
Overtime—None.
Shots on goal—Los Angeles 10-8-7-2—27. Vancouver 11-14-12-2—39. Goalies—Los Angeles, Hrudey. Vancouver, McLean. A—16,123.

Women's 25

Women's Top Twenty-Five
By The Associated Press

The Top Twenty Five women's basketball teams, with first-place votes of 67 women's coaches in parentheses, total points based on 25-24-23-22-21-20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, season records through Nov. 26, points and last season's final ranking as compiled by Mel Greenberg of The Philadelphia Inquirer:

	Record	Pts
1 Tennessee (41)	1- 0	1,527
2 La. Tech (21)	2- 0	1,503
3 Stanford (1)	2- 0	1,420
4 Georgia	2- 0	1,368
5 N. Carolina St.	2- 0	1,243
6 Auburn	2- 0	1,223
7 Long Beach St.	2- 0	1,118
8 Purdue	0- 0	1,067
9 Nev.-Las Vegas	2- 0	1,002
10 Iowa	2- 0	934
11 Texas	0- 1	902
12 Stephen F. Austin	0- 0	865
13 Washington	2- 0	859
14 Louisiana St.	2- 0	809
15 Virginia	2- 1	684
16 Old Dominion	3- 0	587
17 South Carolina	0- 0	452
18 Maryland	1- 1	421
19 Mississippi	1- 1	371
20 Tennessee Tech	0- 0	322
21 St. Joseph's	0- 0	296
22 Western Kentucky	2- 0	260
23 Vanderbilt	2- 1	193
24 Oregon	1- 1	115
25 Hawaii	3- 0	111

Others receiving votes: DePaul 99, Rutgers 95, S. Mississippi 94, Ohio St. 32, N. Illinois 25, UCLA 21, Colorado 17, James Madison 14, Kansas 14, Holy Cross 13, Clemson 8, Kansas St. 8, Connecticut 7, West Virginia 7, Bowling Green 6, Southern Cal 6, California 5, Illinois 5, Kentucky 4, NE Louisiana 4, Toledo 3, Utah 3, Montana 2, St. Mary's-Cal 2, Florida St. 1, Michigan St. 1, Penn St. 1, San Diego 1.

Transactions

Weekend Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
SACRAMENTO KINGS—Placed Ralph Sampson, center, on the injured list. Signed Greg Kite, center.
Continental Basketball Assn.
COLUMBUS HORIZON—Signed Jay Burson, guard.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Activated Mike Elkins, quarterback, from injured reserve.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Signed Phil McConkey, wide receiver. Placed Rod Bernstine, tight end, on injured reserve.
TRACK & FIELD
THE ATHLETICS CONGRESS—Named Mel Rosen of Auburn men's coach and Barbara Jacket of Prairie View A&M women's coach of the 1992 U.S. Olympic track and field team; Tom Tellez of Houston men's coach and Dave Rodda of the Nike Coast Track Club in Long Beach, Calif., women's coach of the 1991 U.S. World Championship track and field team; and Joe Vigil of Adams State (Colo.) men's coach and Dorothy Doolittle of Tennessee women's coach of the 1991 U.S. Pan American Games track and field team.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
HARTFORD WHALERS—Recalled Mike Moller, right wing, from Binghamton of the American Hockey League and assigned him to Fort Wayne of the International Hockey League.
LOS ANGELES KINGS—Announced the retirement of Jim Fox, right wing.
NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Recalled Derek King, left wing, and Gilles Thibaudeau, center, from Springfield of the American Hockey League. Sent Dale Henry and Dale Kushner, left wings, to Springfield.
PHILADELPHIA FLYERS—Recalled Claude Boivin, left wing, from Drummondville of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League.

State Pairings

By The Associated Press
Here are Texas high school playoff pairings for next weekend.

CLASS 5A
Region I
Midland Lee (9-2) vs. Arlington Lamar (12-0), 2 p.m. Saturday at Midland.
Odessa Permian (12-0) vs. FW Trimble Tech (9-3), 2 p.m. Saturday at Odessa.
Region II
Grand Prairie (11-1) vs. Marshall (9-2-1), noon Saturday at Texas Stadium.
Lake Highlands (11-1) vs. Huntsville (10-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Floyd Casey Stadium, Waco
Region III
Houston Lamar (11-0-1) vs. Aldine (11-1), TBA.
Willowridge (10-1) vs. Angleton (8-4), TBA.
Region IV
Converse Judson (12-0) vs. San Antonio Clark (9-4), 7:30 p.m. Saturday at San Antonio.
Harlingen (10-1) vs. Austin LBJ (9-3), TBA

CLASS 4A
Region I
Monahans (9-2) vs. Wichita Falls Hirschi (9-3), 7:30 p.m. at Shotwell Stadium, Abilene.
Big Spring (9-2) vs. Fort Worth Brewer (11-1), 2 p.m. Saturday at Shotwell Stadium, Abilene.
Region II
Denison (8-4) vs. Chapel Hill (8-4), 8 p.m. Saturday at Texas Stadium, Irving.
Mount Pleasant (11-1) vs. Henderson (12-0), 7:30 p.m. at Lobo Stadium, Longview.
Region III
Port Neches-Groves (11-1) vs. Lamar Consolidated (8-2-1), Friday at Astrodome, Houston, time TBA.
A&M Consolidated (11-0) vs. Houston C.E. King (8-3-1), Friday at Astrodome, Houston, time TBA.
Region IV
Schertz Clemens (8-3) vs. Gregory-Portland (7-4-1), 7:30 p.m. at Bobcat Stadium, San Marcos.
Bastrop (7-3-1) vs. Edcouch-Elsa, time TBA at Corpus Christi.

CLASS 3A
Region I
Childress (11-1) vs. Vernon (9-2-1), TBA.
Post (10-1-1) vs. Springtown (9-3), TBA.
Region II
Southlake Carroll (12-0) vs. Daingerfield (11-1), TBA.
Gainesville (10-2) vs. Gladewater (11-1), 8 p.m. Friday at H. Johnson Stadium, Garland.
Region III
La Vega (10-2) vs. Montgomery (12-0), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Temple.
Mexia (9-2-1) vs. Newton (10-2), 8 p.m. Saturday at Cypress-Fairbanks.
Region IV
Needville (11-1) vs. Bishop (11-1), 8 p.m. Saturday at San Antonio East Central.
Sweeny (11-1) vs. Odem (10-1-1), 8 p.m. Friday at Victoria High.

CLASS 2A
Region I
West Texas High (12-0) vs. Albany (10-1-1), 8 p.m. Friday at Lowrey Field, Lubbock.
Panhandle (9-3) vs. De Leon (6-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Snyder.
Region II
Howe (9-3) vs. McGregor (10-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Mesquite Memorial.
Pilot Point (11-1) vs. Lorena (12-0), 8 p.m. Friday at Duncanville.
Region III
Cooper (12-0) vs. Groveton (12-0), 8 p.m. Friday at Rose Stadium, Tyler.
Tatum (10-1) vs. Corrigan-Camden (11-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Abe Martin Stadium, Lufkin.
Region IV
Schulenburg (11-1) vs. Three Rivers (9-1-2), 8 p.m. Friday at Seguin.
Manor (12-0) vs. Refugio (12-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Nelson Field, Austin.

CLASS A
Region I
Sudan (12-0) vs. Garden City (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Seminole.
Wheeler (9-3) vs. Rankin (10-1), 8 p.m. Friday at Levelland.
Region II
Munday (10-0) vs. Rotan (11-0-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Stamford.
Spur (8-2) vs. Baird (10-2), TBA.
Region III
Bells vs. Coolidge (11-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Terrell.
Collinsville (7-3-1) vs. Frost (11-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Highlander Stadium, Highland Park.
Region IV
Bartlett (10-1) vs. Center Point, 8 p.m. at Hays Consolidated.
Thorndale (11-0) vs. Runge (9-2-1), 8 p.m. Friday at Lockhart.

SIX MAN
Region I
Lazbuddie (10-1-1) vs. Fort Hancock (11-0), TBA.
McLean (12-0) vs. Christoval (11-0), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Hamlin.
Region II
Guthrie (11-0) vs. Zephyr (11-1), TBA.
Jayton (9-1-1) vs. Cherokee (11-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday at Winters.
TAPPS 3A Championship
Dallas Christian (11-0) vs. Dallas Bishop Dunne (8-2-1), 4 p.m., Saturday, Floyd Casey Stadium, Waco
TAPPS 2A Championship
Temple Christian (9-4) vs. Waco Christian (13-0), 8 p.m., Saturday, Floyd Casey Stadium, Waco
TAPPS Class A Championship
Dallas Temple Christian (8-3-1) vs. Carrollton Lexington Academy (11-0), TBA

Bowl Lineups

College Bowl Games
By The Associated Press
Saturday, Dec. 9
California Bowl
At Fresno, Calif.
Fresno St. vs. Ball St., 3 p.m. (SportsChannel America)
Saturday, Dec. 16
Independence Bowl
At Shreveport, La.
Tulsa vs. Oregon, 7 p.m. (Mizlou)
Monday, Dec. 25
Blue-Gray Classic
At Montgomery, Ala.
11 a.m. (ABC)
Aloha Bowl
At Honolulu
Michigan St. vs. Hawaii, 2:30 p.m. (ABC)
Thursday, Dec. 28
All American Bowl
At Birmingham, Ala.
Duke vs. Texas Tech, 7 p.m. (ESPN)
Liberty Bowl
At Memphis, Tenn.
TBA vs. Mississippi, 7 p.m. (Raycom)
Friday, Dec. 29
Holiday Bowl
At San Diego
Penn St. vs. BYU, 7 p.m. (ESPN)
Saturday, Dec. 30
John Hancock Bowl
At El Paso, Texas
Pittsburgh vs. Texas A&M, 11:30 a.m. (CBS)
Freedom Bowl
At Anaheim, Calif.
Washington vs. Florida, 1 p.m. (NBC)
Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
Georgia vs. Syracuse, 1:30 p.m. (ABC)
Gator Bowl
At Jacksonville, Fla.
West Virginia vs. Clemson, 7 p.m. (ESPN)
Sunday, Dec. 31
Copper Bowl
At Tucson, Ariz.
North Carolina St. vs. Arizona, 7 p.m. (TBS)
Monday, Jan. 1
Hall of Fame Bowl
At Tampa, Fla.
TBA vs. Ohio St., noon. (NBC)
Citrus Bowl
At Orlando, Fla.
Virginia vs. Illinois, 12:30 p.m. (ABC)
Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
Arkansas vs. TBA, 12:30 p.m. (CBS)
Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
Nebraska vs. Florida St., 3:30 p.m. (NBC)
Rose Bowl
At Pasadena, Calif.
Michigan vs. Southern Cal, 4 p.m. (ABC)
Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
SEC Champion vs. Miami, Fla., 6:30 p.m. (ABC)
Orange Bowl
At Miami
Notre Dame vs. Colorado, 7 p.m. (NBC)
Saturday, Jan. 13
Hula Bowl
At Honolulu
4 p.m. (NBC)
Saturday, Jan. 20
Senior Bowl
At Mobile, Ala.
1:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Sunday, Jan. 21
East-West Shrine Game
At Stanford, Calif.
1:30 p.m. (ABC)

Top 25 Cage Boxes

Sunday's Top 25 Boxes
By The Associated Press
At Little Rock, Ark.

OREGON (75)
Reynolds 6-10 0-0 12, Lucas 5-7 0-3 10, Dunn 5-7 2-2 12, Brandon 1-6 0-0 2, Mixon 6-10 0-0 15, Helms 0-4 3-6 3, Blair 0-3 2-2 2, Ranniger 3-3 1-1 9, A.Johnson 0-2 2-2 2, Foston 1-1 0-0 2, Fife 2-3 2-2 6, B.Johnson 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 29-57 12-18 75.

ARKANSAS (102)
Huery 4-6 3-4 11, Howell 4-6 8-10 16, Miller 5-7 2-3 12, Day 6-14 5-8 19, Mayberry 7-10 2-2 20, Hawkins 0-2 0-0 0, Marks 0-0 0-0 0, Bowers 0-3 0-0 0, Murry 4-8 4-4 15, Linn 1-4 1-2 3, Hogue 0-0 0-1 0, Fletcher 2-4 2-2 6. Totals 33-64 27-36 102.
Halftime—Arkansas 51, Oregon 39. 3-point goals—Oregon 5-9 (Mixon 3-6, Ranniger 2-2, Reynolds 0-1), Arkansas 9-20 (Mayberry 4-5, Murry 3-6, Day 2-6, Huery 0-2, Bowers 0-1). Fouled out—Lucas, Brandon. Rebounds—Oregon 37 (Reynolds, 6, Lukas, 5, Mixon, 5), Arkansas 23 (Miller 6, Day 4). Assists—Oregon 14 (Brandon 4, Helms 3), Arkansas 22 (Huery 7, Mayberry 5, Day 4, Murry 5). Total fouls—Oregon 23, Ark.-Little Rock 18. Technicals—Oregon coach Monson 2, Lucas. A—7,790.

At Lahaina, Hawaii
VILLANOVA (69)
Dowdell 4-6 0-2 8, Taylor 2-2 0-0 4, Greis 4-5 2-3 10, Walker 2-11 0-0 5, Woodard 1-7 2-3 4, Mumford 0-0 0-0 0, Masotti 0-0 0-0 0, L.Miller 1-5 2-4 4, Tribuani 0-1 0-0 0, Byrd 4-5 0-0 9, T.Miller 0-1 0-0 0, Vrind 2-2 0-1 4, Bryson 2-3 2-2 6, Bain 5-13 5-6 15. Totals 27-81 13-21 69.
LOUISVILLE (83)
Rubbio 6-8 0-2 12, Holden 2-4 8-9 12, Spencer 5-8 1-3 11, Williams 1-7 3-4 5, L.Smith 6-12 2-2 16, Case 0-0 0-0 0, Hawley 0-1 0-0 0, Webb 0-0 0-0 0, T.Smith 1-4 0-0 2, Harmon 9-13 3-4 21, Sullivan 0-6 4-4 4. Totals 30-63 21-28 83.
Halftime—Louisville 39, Villanova 23. 3-point goals—Villanova 2-14 (Byrd 1-1, Walker 1-5, L.Miller 0-1, Tribuani 0-1, T.Miller 0-1, Woodard 0-2, Bain 0-3), Louisville 2-9 (L.Smith 2-4, Hawley 0-1, Harmon 0-1, Sullivan 0-1, Williams 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Villanova 40 (Greis 7), Louisville 34 (Spencer 9). Assists—Villanova 10 (Walker 3), Louisville 12 (Williams, L.Smith 4). Total fouls—Villanova 22, Louisville 17. A—NA.

At Lahaina, Hawaii
MISSOURI (80)
Buntin 6-10 4-5 16, Peeler 6-12 2-2 14, Smith 9-20 2-3 20, Coward 2-7 0-0 4, McIntyre 4-5 0-2 12, Ford 1-3 2-2 5, Horton 0-0 0-0 0, Coleman 1-1 0-0 2, Burns 0-0 0-0 0, Sutton 0-0 0-0 0, Heller 0-0 0-0 0, Warren 3-5 1-2 7. Totals 32-63 11-16 80.
NORTH CAROLINA (73)
Madden 6-10 2-2 15, Chilcutt 4-8 2-2 10, Williams 5-9 3-8 13, Fox 6-10 1-1 14, Rice 0-3 4-4 4, Denny 1-2 0-0 2, Rodl 0-1 1-3 1, Lynch 4-7 4-6 12, Davis 1-9 0-0 2, Wenstrom 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 27-60 17-26 73.
Halftime—Missouri 44, North Carolina 37. 3-point goals—Missouri 5-7 (McIntyre 4-5, Ford 1-2), North Carolina 2-18 (Madden 1-3, Fox 1-3, Denny 0-1, Rodl 0-1, Chilcutt 0-1, Rice 0-3, Davis 0-6). Fouled out—Lynch, Fox. Rebounds—Missouri 27 (Peeler 5), North Carolina 41 (Madden 10). Assists—Missouri 14 (Peeler 4), North Carolina 11 (Rice 3). Total fouls—Missouri 18, North Carolina 20. Technical—Missouri bench. A—NA.

College Basketball

Sunday's College Scores
By The Associated Press
EAST
Adelphi 88, Mercy, N.Y. 62
Connecticut Coll. 71, Manhattanville 67
Franklin Pierce 81, Assumption 75
Hartwick 71, Montclair St. 66
Middlebury 81, Norwich 66
New Hampshire Coll. 115, Bentley 93
Oneonta St. 86, Elmira 64
Sacred Heart 100, Stonehill 85
St. Joseph's, Maine 129, Maine-Fort Kent 89
Stockton St. 79, Millersville 72
SOUTH
Averett 98, Sewanee 73
Queens Coll. 73, Cent. Florida 68
MIDWEST
Rockford 83, Knox 70
S. Illinois 73, Chicago St. 60
SOUTHWEST
Arkansas 102, Oregon 75
FAR WEST
N.Mex.Highlands 79, Western St.,Colo. 75
TOURNAMENTS
Capital District Tournament
First Round
RPI 75, Union, N.Y. 67
Skidmore 71, Albany, N.Y. 65
Great Alaska Shootout
Fifth Place
Connecticut 83, Florida St. 60
Seventh Place
Alaska-Anchorage 109, Auburn 94
Green Mountain Classic
Championship
Vermont 78, St. Michael's 66
Maui Classic
Championship
Missouri 80, North Carolina 73
Third Place
Louisville 83, Villanova 69
Fifth Place
James Madison 70, Evansville 60
Seventh Place
San Diego St. 83, Chaminade 49
San Juan Shootout
Championship
Alabama 67, Clemson 48
Third Place
E. Michigan 88, Stetson 83
Fifth Place
Wisconsin 83, Bradley 57
Seventh Place
W. Kentucky 110, American Coll., P.R. 76
USMMA Invitational
Championship
Wm. Paterson 88, Mount St. Mary, N.Y. 67
Third Place
Kings Point 80, Lehman 46

NFL

National Football League
AMERICAN CONFERENCE
East

	W	L	T	Pct.
Buffalo	8	4	0	.667
Miami	7	5	0	.583
Indianapolis	6	6	0	.500
New England	4	8	0	.333
N.Y. Jets	3	9	0	.250
Central				
Cleveland	7	4	1	.625
Houston	7	5	0	.583
Cincinnati	6	6	0	.500
Pittsburgh	6	6	0	.500
West				
x-Denver	10	2	0	.833
L.A. Raiders	6	6	0	.500
Kansas City	5	6	1	.458
San Diego	4	8	0	.333
Seattle	4	8	0	.333

NATIONAL CONFERENCE
East

N.Y. Giants	9	2	0	.818
Philadelphia	8	4	0	.667
Washington	6	6	0	.500
Phoenix	5	7	0	.417
Dallas	1	11	0	.083
Central				
Green Bay	7	5	0	.583
Minnesota	7	5	0	.583
Chicago	6	6	0	.500
Tampa Bay	5	7	0	.417
Detroit	3	9	0	.250
West				
San Francisco	9	2	0	.818
L.A. Rams	8	4	0	.667
New Orleans	6	6	0	.500
Atlanta	3	9	0	.250

x-clinched division title

Thursday's Games
Detroit 13, Cleveland 10
Philadelphia 27, Dallas 0
Sunday's Games
New York Jets 27, Atlanta 7
Buffalo 24, Cincinnati 7
Indianapolis 10, San Diego 6
Green Bay 20, Minnesota 19
Kansas City 34, Houston 0
Pittsburgh 34, Miami 14
Denver 41, Seattle 14
Los Angeles Raiders 24, New England 21
Tampa Bay 14, Phoenix 13
Washington 38, Chicago 14
Los Angeles Rams 20, New Orleans 17, OT
Monday's Game
New York Giants at San Francisco, 8 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 3
Cincinnati at Cleveland, noon.
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, noon.
Houston at Pittsburgh, noon.
Indianapolis at New England, noon.
Los Angeles Rams at Dallas, noon.
Miami at Kansas City, noon.
New Orleans at Detroit, noon.
Philadelphia at New York Giants, noon.
San Francisco at Atlanta, noon.
Washington at Phoenix, 3 p.m.
New York Jets at San Diego, 3 p.m.
Denver at Los Angeles Raiders, 3 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 4
Buffalo at Seattle, 8 p.m.

NBA

National Basketball Association
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	7	4	.636	—
Philadelphia	7	4	.636	—
Boston	7	7	.500	1½
Washington	7	7	.500	1½
Miami	4	10	.286	4½
New Jersey	3	9	.250	4½
Central Division				
Indiana	6	4	.600	—
Detroit	7	5	.583	—
Atlanta	6	5	.545	½
Milwaukee	6	5	.545	½
Chicago	7	6	.538	½
Cleveland	5	6	.455	1½
Orlando	5	7	.417	2

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	7	3	.700	—
Denver	8	4	.667	—
San Antonio	6	5	.545	1½
Houston	7	6	.538	1½
Dallas	5	6	.455	2½
Charlotte	3	8	.273	4½
Minnesota	2	11	.154	6½
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	10	1	.909	—
Portland	10	3	.769	1
Seattle	7	6	.538	4
Phoenix	5	5	.500	4½
L.A. Clippers	4	6	.400	5½
Sacramento	4	7	.364	6
Golden State	3	8	.273	7

Sunday's Games
Portland 102, Detroit 82
Los Angeles Lakers 132, San Antonio 112
Los Angeles Clippers 120, Chicago 96
Monday's Games
Charlotte at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Indiana at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Utah, 8:30 p.m.

Sunday's NBA Boxes
At Inglewood, Calif.
SAN ANTONIO (112)
Cummings 4-10 3-3 11, Elliott 8-14 2-2 18, Robinson 9-11 7-9 25, Anderson 3-9 1-1 7, Cheeks 5-7 0-0 10, Brickowski 2-7 3-5 7, Maxwell 4-7 2-6 10, Wingate 0-2 4-4 4, Moore 4-5 1-3 10, Paspalj 2-5 2-2 6, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Welp 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 43-80 26-35 112.
LA LAKERS (132)
Green 8-12 3-4 20, Worthy 9-15 4-4 22, Thompson 3-8 2-2 8, Johnson 4-10 15-15 24, Scott 10-15 2-3 24, Cooper 2-4 3-4 7, Drew 3-5 6-6 12, Divac 3-4 2-4 8, McNamara 1-2 3-5 5, Bucknall 1-2 0-0 2, Higgins 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 44-77 40-47 132.

San Antonio	16	30	33	33—112
LA Lakers	29	35	38	30—132

3-Point goals—San Antonio 1-1 (Moore 1-1), Los Angeles 4-8 (Scott 2-3, Green 1-2, Johnson 1-2, Cooper 0-1). Fouled out— Robinson. Rebounds—San Antonio 42 (Cummings, Robinson 6), Los Angeles 45 (Green 8). Assists—San Antonio 31 (Cheeks 5), Los Angeles 32 (Johnson 10). Total fouls—San Antonio 42, Los Angeles 28. Technical—San Antonio coach Brown. A—17,505.

At Portland, Ore.
DETROIT (82)
Salley 1-4 1-2 3, Aguirre 9-16 1-2 22, Laimbeer 3-8 0-0 6, Dumars 2-9 1-1 5, Thomas 6-15 0-0 13, Edwards 3-6 2-4 8, V.Johnson 1-12 0-0 2, Rodman 3-6 2-2 8, Bedford 4-10 0-0 9, Kimbrough 1-4 2-2 4, Hastings 1-1 0-0 2, Greenwood 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 34-93 9-13 82.
PORTLAND (102)
Kersey 5-14 4-6 14, Williams 7-14 1-2 15, Duckworth 7-12 0-0 14, Drexler 9-21 9-12 27, Porter 5-10 7-8 18, Cooper 0-3 0-0 0, Young 2-4 0-0 4, Robinson 1-8 2-2 4, Reid 0-0 0-0 0, Petrovic 0-1 0-0 0, Irvin 2-3 0-0 4, Bryant 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 39-92 23-30 102.

Detroit	15	15	28	24— 82
Portland	22	19	33	28—102

3-Point goals—Detroit 5-9 (Thomas 1-1, Bedford 1-1, Aguirre 3-4, Laimbeer 0-1, Johnson 0-2), Portland 1-3 (Porter 1-2, Drexler 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Detroit 58 (Laimbeer 9), Portland 65 (Williams 16). Assists—Detroit 20 (Thomas 11), Portland 22 (Drexler 9). Total fouls—Detroit 26, Portland 20. A— 12,884.

At Los Angeles
CHICAGO (96)
H.Grant 5-12 4-6 14, Pippen 7-12 0-0 14, Perdue 3-8 0-2 6, Paxson 3-8 2-2 8, Jordan 9-18 7-10 26, Hodges 4-11 0-0 11, King 0-4 2-4 2, Nealy 1-1 0-0 2, Haley 0-1 0-0 0, Armstrong 2-4 5-5 9, Davis 2-4 0-0 4. Totals 36-83 20-27 96.
LA CLIPPERS (120)
Smith 11-12 1-2 23, Norman 1-6 1-2 3, Wolf 7-10 4-5 18, Harper 16-25 4-5 36, G.Grant 4-6 4-4 12, Benjamin 2-5 1-1 5, Garrick 4-8 1-1 9, Martin 3-5 1-2 7, Bannister 0-0 0-0 0, Rivers 1-1 0-0 2, Young 2-2 0-0 5. Totals 51-80 17-22 120.

Chicago	28	25	16	27— 96
LA Clippers	34	30	24	32—120

3-Point goals—Chicago 4-10 (Hodges 3-8, Jordan 1-2), Los Angeles 1-1 (Young 1-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Chicago 40 (Jordan 7), Los Angeles 48 (Wolf 9). Assists—Chicago 17 (Jordan 4), Los Angeles 36 (G.Grant 17). Total fouls—Chicago 22, Los Angeles 29. A—15,350.

NFL Summaries

Jets 27, Falcons 7

At East Rutherford, N.J.

Atlanta	0	0	7	0— 7
N.Y. Jets	3	14	10	0—27

NYJ—FG Leahy 28.
NYJ—Hector 1 run (Leahy kick).
NYJ—Toon 12 pass from O'Brien (Leahy kick).
NYJ—FG Leahy 46.
Atl—Wilkins 16 pass from Miller (Davis kick).
NYJ—Hector 1 run (Leahy kick).
A—40,429.

	Atl	NYJ
First downs	12	24
Rushes-yards	18-66	43-180
Passing	147	138
Return Yards	14	46
Comp-Att-Int	13-41-1	20-34-0
Punts	8-39	6-45
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	4-51	8-76

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Atlanta, Settle 13-46, Jones 2-15, Lang 1-5, Fulhage 1-0, Dixon 1-0. N.Y. Jets, Hector 18-71, Vick 16-54, Brown 8-41, Epps 1-14.
PASSING—Atlanta, Miller 13-41-1-158. N.Y. Jets, O'Brien 17-29-0-117, Ryan 3-5-0-24.
RECEIVING—Atlanta, Collins 5-69, Wilkins 2-34, Lang 2-29, Settle 2-19, Dixon 1-6, Jones 1-1. N.Y. Jets, Toon 8-86, Vick 3-9, Hector 3-9, Townsell 2-15, Neubert 2-13, Walker 1-8, Brown 1-1.

Bills 24, Bengals 7

At Orchard Park, N.Y.

Cincinnati	0	0	7	0— 7
Buffalo	3	7	7	7—24

Buf—FG Norwood 24.
Buf—Reed 19 pass from Kelly (Norwood kick).
Buf—Harmon 42 pass from Kelly (Norwood kick).
Cin—Jennings 5 run (Breech kick).
Buf—Rolle 1 pass from Kelly (Norwood kick).
A—80,074.

	Cin	Buf
First downs	16	18
Rushes-yards	30-165	47-228
Passing	133	117
Return Yards	0	12
Comp-Att-Int	11-26-1	10-15-0
Punts	4-36	4-35
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	3-15	5-35

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Cincinnati, Brooks 20-105, Taylor 2-22, Esiason 4-18, Jennings 3-9, McGee 1-11. Buffalo, Thomas 26-100, Kinnebrew 15-66, Reed 1-23, Kelly 1-15, Harmon 2-12, K.Davis 2-12.
PASSING—Cincinnati, Esiason 11-26-1-136. Buffalo, Kelly 10-15-0-123.
RECEIVING—Cincinnati, McGee 5-69, Riggs 2-16, Jennings 1-14, Holman 1-11, Hillary 1-6, Brown 1-0. Buffalo, Thomas 3-30, Johnson 2-8, Harmon 1-42, Reed 1-19, K.Davis 1-13, Beebe 1-10, Rolle 1-1.

Packers 20, Vikings 19

At Milwaukee

Minnesota	3	3	10	3—19
Green Bay	3	7	3	7—20

GB—FG Jacke 36.
Min—FG Karlis 19.
GB—Sharpe 34 pass from Majkowski (Jacke kick).
Min—FG Karlis 34.
Min—FG Karlis 27.
Min—Walker 6 run (Karlis kick).
GB—FG

No. 11 Tigers upset 'Heels

LAHAINA, Hawaii (AP) — Missouri's frontline of Doug Smith and Nathan Buntin scored 20 and 16 points, respectively, and the 11th-ranked Tigers beat No. 7 North Carolina 80-73 Sunday night to win the Maui Classic.

The Tigers, who play a three-guard offense, forced North Carolina into numerous turnovers as they packed into a tight zone for most of the game and dared the Tar Heels to shoot from the outside. That move proved successful as North Carolina managed just two 3-pointers, the last with 59 seconds to play in the game.

The Tar Heels (2-1) committed 13 turnovers in the first half alone and the Tigers (3-0) exploited those to a 44-37 halftime lead.

The Tigers started the second half with an 11-6 run to match their largest lead of the game.

Missouri appeared to be in trouble when Anthony Peeler, who finished with 14 points, picked up his fourth foul and Smith, the tournament Most Valuable Player, went to the bench for a rest less than a minute later.

But the bench did its job as Jamal Coleman scored his only basket of the game on a rebound to give the Tigers a 61-51 lead with 10:04 left. Rick Fox scored on a follow shot for North Carolina, but substitute forward Jeff Warren scored on a tip-in to offset that and the Tigers managed to get the lead back to 69-51 when Smith returned with 6:21 to play.

A free throw by Warren gave the Tigers a 76-66 lead with 1:11 left before the Tar Heels made things interesting.

Kevin Madden, who led the Tar Heels with 15 points, nailed the 3-pointer with 59 seconds left and he added a dunk on a follow shot 21 seconds later to make it 76-71.

But freshman Travis Ford made two free throws with 33 seconds to play and Smith made two more 18 seconds later to offset a late basket by Jeff Denny.

Rick Fox added 14 points for North Carolina and Scott Williams had 13 and freshman George Lynch 12.

Washington women roll

Associated Press

Before this weekend, fifth-ranked Texas lost a season opener only once before in the 1980s while Montana owned a 60-game win streak at home in regular-season games.

Neither achievement fazed No. 16 Washington, however, which upset the Longhorns 75-65 at Seattle Friday and then traveled to Missoula Sunday to defeat Montana 67-58.

The second win was especially sweet for Washington's Karen Deden, a native of Missoula, who scored 21 points to ruin the Grizzlies' season-opener. The Huskies also avenged a 21-point loss at Montana two years ago.

"My goodness, I guess we did have a pretty good weekend," Washington Coach Chris Gobrecht said of the ended streaks. "We were in control all the way against Texas. We were a little flat against Montana, but that was to be expected."

Meanwhile unranked Hawaii (3-0) won its own Wahine tournament at Honolulu by upsetting No. 15 Virginia 88-78 in the title game. The winners defeated Washington State and Kansas in the first two rounds. Virginia (2-1) defeated Southern Illinois 81-60 in the first round and beat No. 22 Vanderbilt 76-74 at the buzzer in the semifinals.

The Lady Commodores (2-1) came back to take third place over Kansas, 70-64, Sunday.

In other games, Tennessee and Louisiana Tech, which were tied for first in The Associated Press preseason women's poll, were easy victors in their respective contests. The Vols (1-0) opened at home Sunday with a devastating 112-39 win over Stetson as Tonya Edwards, who was sidelined most of the last season with a leg injury, led eight players in double figures with 20 points.

Louisiana Tech, for its part, got started with two victories in a tournament at Stillwater, Okla., by defeating Prairie View 87-69 in the first round, and then defeated host Oklahoma State 74-59 Sunday.

Third-ranked Stanford beat Michigan State 73-63 in the first round of the Communiplex tournament Friday and then stormed to the championship with a 113-65 win over Ohio U.

Fourth-ranked Georgia also got started with two wins in Nebraska's Wimmer tournament. The Bulldogs defeated Ohio State 88-78 in the first round, and then beat the Cornhuskers 75-59.

No. 6 North Carolina State (2-0) took the Lady Sunshine tournament at Orlando, Fla., with an 85-61 win over Indiana State in the first round Friday and a 105-66 win over Dayton Saturday in the title game.

Seventh-ranked Auburn (2-0) won its own tournament with a 95-54 win over Eastern Kentucky Saturday and then defeated No. 24 Oregon 89-78 Sunday as Carolyn Jones scored a career-high 32 points in the title game. The Ducks (1-1) defeated Grambling 84-61 in the first round.

Ninth-ranked Long Beach State (2-0) won Kansas State's McCall Pattern Classic with an 84-69 win over No. 17 Maryland in the title game. The 49ers routed Eastern Washington in the first round, 94-61, while the Terrapins defeated the host Wildcats 84-69 in the first round.

No. 10 Nevada-Las Vegas won its own tournament with a 73-49 first-round triumph over Florida and a 109-74 victory over Creighton in the title game Saturday.

No. 11 Iowa also made a 2-0 start by taking its tournament with a 90-57 first-round win over Howard and an 81-49 win over Connecticut in the title game.

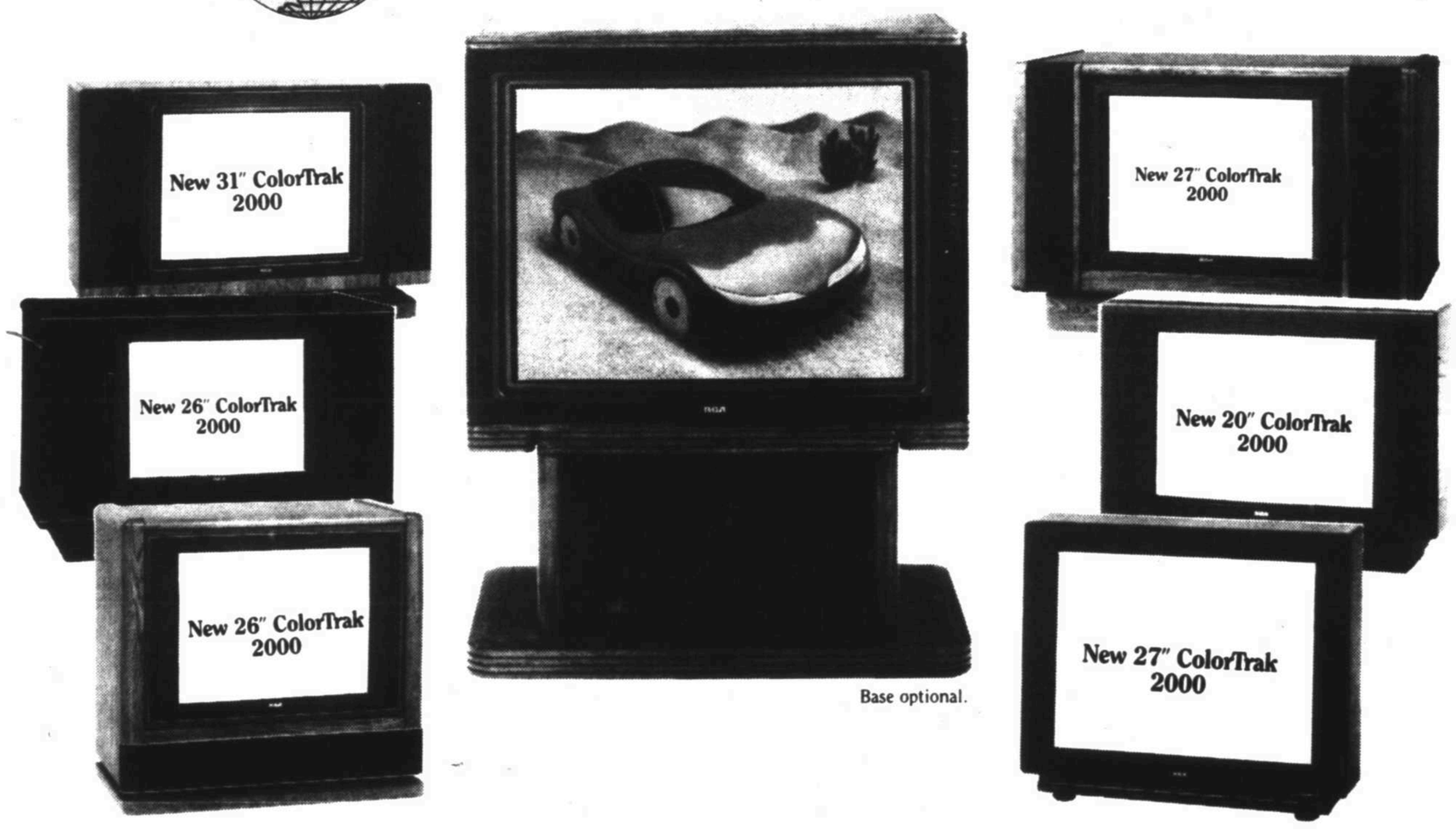
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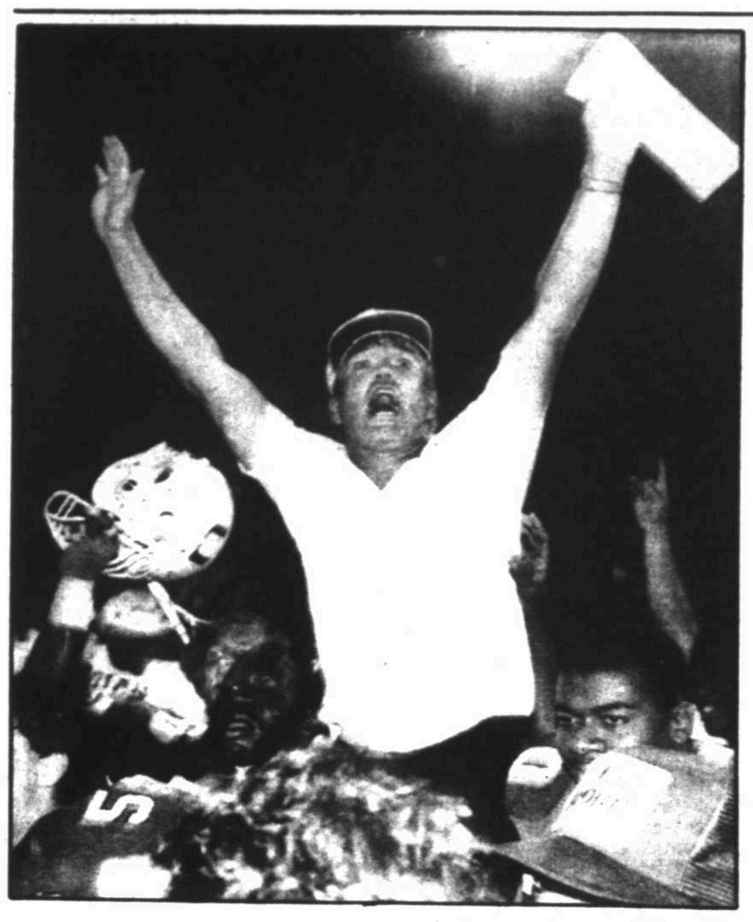
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Miami head coach Dennis Erickson is carried from the field after his Hurricanes defeated No. 1 Notre Dame, 27-10, Saturday.

Baylor puts end to SWC suspense

Associated Press

The only suspense left in the Southwest Conference football race is whether Andre Ware will get the Heisman Trophy.

After a wild weekend, the host team for the 1990 Cotton Bowl game has been decided. For the second consecutive year, the Arkansas Razorbacks have earned the honor.

The Hogs successfully defended their title by nipping Texas A&M 23-22 on Friday at College Station in the SWC game of the year that also was enjoyed by a national television audience.

Arkansas left Kyle Field thinking it would have to defeat Southern Methodist in Little Rock on Saturday to win the title.

BUT FATE and the Baylor Bears moved the celebration up a week.

Baylor, which hadn't won in Austin since 1951, gave Texas its worst whipping in the series between the two schools. The Longhorns fell 50-7 to the Bears who finished their season 5-6.

Texas will play Texas A&M in the season finale at 3 p.m. at Kyle Field on Saturday before a national television audience (ESPN). Only pride will be at stake.

Arkansas will play the Southeastern Conference runner-up or co-champion. It will likely be the Tennessee Volunteers coming to Dallas for the first time since 1969.

Ware, the junior passing wizard for the University of Houston who has 44 touchdown tosses this year, should learn shortly after the Cougars play the Rice Owls whether he has won college football's top prize.

The Downtown Athletic Club in New York City will make the announcement. Ware helped his cause tremendously in a 40-24 victory over Texas Tech on Saturday with four touchdown passes and almost 500 aerial yards. He also ran for a touchdown.

"I'll let my stats speak for me," said Ware, who has not appeared on television this year because of Houston's NCAA probation. "People were saying I had to have a good game today. I felt like I did."

Baylor's victory over Texas climaxed 19 years of frustration in which the Bears had gone 0-18-1 in Austin.

"That win will soothe a lot of tortured souls," said Baylor coach Grant Teaff. "It was a long time coming. We didn't go to a bowl but this team can always be remembered as the one who broke the Austin jinx. It's something I wanted to get accomplished at Baylor."

Teaff was a senior in Snyder High School the last time Baylor beat Texas in Austin.

Robert Blackmon returned two interceptions for touchdowns in the rout.

Texas A&M and Texas Tech will go to bowls.

The Aggies accepted a bid to play Pittsburgh on Dec. 30 in the Sun Bowl, now known as the John Hancock, in El Paso.

Houston wasn't eligible for a bowl because of its probation.

Duke and Texas Tech, two programs described as "on the way up," will meet in the All American Bowl on Dec. 28.

No. 18 Texas Tech of the Southwest Conference accepted an invitation Saturday despite a 40-24 loss to Houston which concluded an 8-3 season. The Red Raiders will be making their first bowl appearance since the 1986 Independence Bowl.

Duke, also 8-3 and ranked 23rd, was co-champion of the Atlantic Coast Conference with Virginia. The Blue Devils have not been to a postseason game since the 1962 Cotton Bowl.

"We've got two programs that are both on the way up," said All American Bowl chairman Steve Bradley. "Duke is the co-champion of the ACC and Tech will probably be the runner-up in the SWC, so I think this bowl has a lot of appeal."

The game will be played at Legion Field, with kickoff set for 7 p.m. CST. ESPN will televise the game nationally.

Speculation focused on the Tech-Duke matchup after Georgia indicated it would be going to the Peach Bowl. But Bradley said the bowl committee has had its eye on its two schools for quite awhile.

"We started looking at Duke when they got to 3-3," he said. "We also knew Texas Tech was having a fine year in a tough conference."

LAST YEAR'S contest between Florida and Illinois drew 44,000, and Bradley expects the crowd to be much larger this year because of marquee players on both sides of the ball as well as success-hungry fans.

"We feel like we have a good matchup with Duke quarterback Billy Ray, who used to be at Alabama, and Tech running back James Gray, who is third on the all-time Southwest Conference rushing list behind Eric Dickerson and Earl Campbell," Bradley said.

In addition, Duke has wide receiver Clarkston Hines, who holds the NCAA record for most career touchdown receptions with 38.

"There's also a lot of interest in (Blue Devils coach) Steve Spurrier and whether or not this will be his last game at Duke," Bradley said. Spurrier reportedly is a coaching candidate at his alma mater, Florida, and several NFL teams.

"We've got a lot of excitement in both schools," Bradley said. "Tech, as well as Duke, has already bought large blocks of tickets, which is a very promising signal. The rankings of the two schools and the star aspect should bring a lot of the local folks to the game, too."

Razorbacks land in high cotton

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — University of Arkansas football fans can make their reservations for Dallas on Jan. 1 — the Razorbacks are going back to the Mobil Cotton Bowl.

Even in the unlikely event of a loss to Southern Methodist University this week, Arkansas will represent the Southwest Conference in Dallas. Baylor's 50-7 victory over Texas on Saturday, coupled with the Razorbacks' 23-22 victory over Texas A&M, clinched it.

Arkansas leads the league at 6-1. Mathematically, it is only possible for Arkansas to tie with A&M or Texas Tech. The Razorbacks would go since they beat both the Aggies and the Raiders.

"We're ecstatic to have the opportunity to go back to the Cotton Bowl," Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield said Saturday. "One of our 1989 goals was to win the 1990 Cotton Bowl. We knew we couldn't win if we didn't get there."

UCLA beat Arkansas, 17-3, in the 1989 Cotton Bowl. That was the Razorbacks' first trip to the Cotton Bowl since the 1975 season.

"We appreciate the opportunity and we know our fans do," Hatfield said. "It's especially satisfying to represent the Southwest Conference in a year that was the finest our league has had nationally in six years.

"Every one in our conference has had at least two or three good things happen this year," he said. "Rice beat Baylor and tied Wake Forest on the road. Baylor beat Texas. Texas beat us and Oklahoma. Texas Tech beat Arizona, A&M and Texas. A&M beat LSU when LSU was ranked in the top 10. Houston has created national attention with its passing game and SMU has won a couple of games. And TCU beat Air Force when Air Force was ranked."

Miami's friend now Notre Dame

MIAMI (AP) — First-year coach Dennis Erickson is starting to feel like a successful successor to Jimmy Johnson.

Erickson coached Miami to a 10-1 regular-season record, and Saturday's win was by far the biggest — 27-10 over top-ranked Notre Dame. The victory silenced critics who had pointed to Miami's weak schedule and a loss at Florida State.

"Do I feel relieved? Yeah — like there's about 3,000 pounds off my back," Erickson said.

"My concern was to keep this program at the level Jimmy Johnson left it. It's always tough to make a transition between coaches. I think the transition is now complete."

THE HURRICANES finished second, first and second in the nation in their final three seasons under Johnson, who left in February to coach the NFL's Dallas Cowboys. Erickson, who came to Miami from Washington State, has the Hurricanes again in contention for the national championship going into the bowl season.

Miami snapped the Fighting Irish's 23-game winning streak and avenged last year's 31-30 loss at Notre Dame. For those reasons, Saturday's game was the Hurricanes' most important of the season, Erickson said.

"My concern isn't really with the national championship," he said. "We're going to the Sugar Bowl, and what happens happens."

Erickson's attitude probably will become less casual as the glow from the Notre Dame win fades and the Jan. 1 bowl game in New Orleans draws closer. Miami's likely opponent will be Alabama, 10-0 going into Saturday's game at Auburn.

To win their third national title of the 1980s, the Hurricanes will need help — ironically from Notre Dame. The Fighting Irish (11-1) play in the Orange Bowl against the Colorado Buffaloes (11-0), who are likely to replace Notre Dame at the top of this week's ratings.

If Notre Dame beats Colorado and Miami beats Alabama, the Hurricanes will have a strong case for the title.

"Miami's back in the national championship picture," Hurricanes middle linebacker Bernard Clark said. "I'm kind of a Notre Dame fan now."

Notre Dame's chances of winning a second consecutive national championship are slim. The best scenario for the Fighting Irish would be for Alabama to lose to Auburn and then beat Miami, while Notre Dame beats Colorado.

The Irish, No. 1 since the first week of the season, are likely to drop at least to fifth in this week's poll.

"I don't know about the ratings," Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz said. "All I'm thinking about is getting this team to bounce back. We've got to learn how to handle this and go forward. It's hard, but it's life."

Miami has now won 32 consecutive games in the Orange Bowl. Notre Dame has lost five in a row there by a combined score of 166-32.

"This one's going to haunt us for the rest of our life," Notre Dame linebacker Ned Bolcar said. "And we have to come back here for the Orange Bowl game. I hate this damn place. We just haven't been able to win here."

MIAMI BUILT its victory Saturday on big plays. They included:

— a 55-yard touchdown pass from Craig Erickson to Dale Dawkins.

— a 44-yard pass from Erickson to Randal Hill on third-and-44, sparking a 22-play touchdown drive.

— a 50-yard interception return by Clark in the final minute of the first half to set up Miami's second touchdown.

"Every time we would get it going, they would come up with a big play," Notre Dame tailback Ricky Watters said. "This was a different team than we saw on film."

Miami limited he Irish to 142 yards rushing, less than half their average. Quarterback Tony Rice managed only 50 yards in 20 carries and threw two interceptions. Rocket Ismail caught just one pass and was held to 31 yards on four kickoff returns.

"We really hate to lose," Holtz said. "It's been a while since we lost. If we had to lose, I'm glad it was to an outstanding team."

Miami's stars included Clark, who had 13 tackles to go with his interception; freshman Stephen McGuire, who ran for 83 yards and a touchdown; and Dawkins, who caught seven passes for 123 yards and two scores.

And then there was Coach Erickson, who was carried onto the field by his players as the clock ran out.

"This win definitely was for him," Clark said. "I told him before the game we would win it for him."

Manley admits drug problem for first time

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dexter Manley, admitting in public for the first time that he has a drug problem, said Saturday he will not dispute the indefinite suspension he received from the NFL and will attempt to rejoin the Washington Redskins within a year.

Roughriders nip Tiger-Cats, 43-40

CFL's Grey Cup

TORONTO (AP) — David Ridgway drilled a 35-yard field goal with two seconds left to give the determined Saskatchewan Roughriders a 43-40 victory over the Hamilton Tiger-Cats in a wild Grey Cup shootout Sunday night at the SkyDome.

The Roughriders won their first CFL title in 23 years after trailing by 12 points three times in the first half.

The near-sellout crowd of 54,088 — many dressed in Roughrider green — roared its approval as Saskatchewan showed true grit behind the accurate passing of former University of Mississippi quarterback Kent Austin.

Austin fired three touchdown passes and threw for more than 450 yards to lead the courageous comeback.

The winning field goal, Ridgway's fourth of the game, came after the Roughriders drove from their own 36-yard line to the Hamilton 26 in the last minute of the game.

Austin threw 20 yards to Ray Elgaard of Utah before finding Mark Guy, a rookie from Tennessee Martin, for gains of 18 and 10 yards, setting the stage for Ridgway's winning kick.

Running back Tim McCray of Tulane scored the other Saskatchewan touchdown on a 1-yard plunge. Ridgway accounted for 16 points, punter Terry Baker added a single and the Roughriders also had a safety.

Hamilton had tied the score with 44 seconds left when quarterback Mike Kerrigan of Northwestern threw a 9-yard touchdown pass to wide receiver Tony Champion.

The 83 total points set a Grey Cup record. The previous high was 77 in 1956 when the Edmonton Eskimos beat the Montreal Alouettes 50-27.

Austin threw scoring passes of five yards to Elgaard, 76 yards to slotback Jeff Fairholm and five yards to wide receiver Don Narcisse.

Kerrigan also had a brilliant final. He threw touchdown passes of 13 and 9 yards to Champion and 30 yards to Derrick McAdoo, a running back from Baylor. McAdoo also scored on a one-yard run.

Paul Osbaldiston kicked four field goals and finished with 16 points for Hamilton. But it was Ridgway, the ex-Toledo University star, who had the final kick with the championship on the line.

Defense missing in Italian All-Star game

ROME (AP) — The way they ran, shot and packed the house, they could have been back in the NBA. About the only thing missing was defense.

Eighteen former NBA players, ranging from 38-year-old veteran Bob McAdoo to 23-year-old newcomer Brian Shaw, got together for the Italian basketball league's All-Star Game Saturday night.

One All-Star record was set by the time the game began: the capacity crowd of 14,771 fans at the Palaeur arena.

And by the time the shootout was over, Micheal Ray Richardson had an All-Star scoring record with 50 points for the North, and the two teams combined for a record total of 344 points as the South squad beat the North 178-166.

"It was a wild game," said Danny Ferry, the former Duke All-America who scored 22 points for the winners. "Just look at the score. There sure wasn't much passing."

"It was like no defense," added Richardson, who fired up 33 shots, including 14 from three-point range, en route to eclipsing his record 37-point performance in last year's All-Star game.

Richardson's main competition for scoring honors was backcourt teammate Wes Matthews, who scored 35 points and won the game's Most Valuable Player Award. But the former Los Angeles Laker was benched after a fourth-quarter scuffle with Brazil's Oscar Schmidt.

"It was a backcourt duel between me and Wes," said the 34-year-old Richardson, the former New York Knicks and New Jersey Nets All-Star guard who was suspended from the NBA for drug use and now plays for Knorr Bologna. "I told him, 'Look I had the record last year and I'm going to get it again this year.' "

Former NBA guards Darwin Cook and Shaw paced the winning South team with 32 and 31 points, respectively.

Aside from the familiar names, the game had a distinctly NBA flavor.

The teams played four 12-minute quarters and a 24-second shot clock was employed. The crowd did "The Wave" and displayed banners such as "Sugarmania" in honor of "Sugar Ray" Richardson.

"When I was with the Lakers we always had sellouts at the Forum," Matthews said. "But to see the Italian fans come out like this is really special."

The starting lineups evoked memories of the NBA: Richardson and Matthews in the backcourt for the North, with Mike Mitchell and McAdoo at forwards and Clemon Johnson at center.

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OPEC scrambles for quota agreement

N.Y. Times News Service

VIENNA, Austria — After four days of talks here, the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries continues to scramble for an agreement on new production quotas.

But the dispute among its 13 members is not expected to have a significant effect on world oil prices.

Oil experts and some OPEC oil ministers said Sunday that if OPEC failed to reach an agreement, strong worldwide demand for oil would keep prices about where they are, at least until spring.

"The world is not all that excited over what is going on in OPEC right now," said John Lichtblau, president of the Petroleum Industry Research Foundation.

And in a judgment widely echoed by experts on OPEC here, he added, "in the immediate future, whatever they do in Vienna will not have a big impact on oil prices in either direction."

A number of Arab oil ministers are leaning toward a view that quotas are no longer necessary for OPEC, since only a few of its members have the physical capability or oil reserves to respond to rising world demand.

For example, they say, countries like Gabon, Qatar, Indonesia, Algeria, Libya and Iran are currently incapable of raising their production by much. Some of these countries simply do not have enough reserves of oil in the ground to support higher production.

Others, like Iran and Libya, have large reserves but lack production capability. These members have either neglected their oilfields badly or lack the money to improve their pumping operations.

"This dispute about quotas is becoming largely irrelevant because some countries are asking for the right to produce oil they cannot pump or do not even have," said a senior Arab oil minister, who asked not to be identified.

A number of OPEC ministers said in separate interviews Saturday and Sunday that there was little urgency at the talks, because demand seems to be so large as to absorb OPEC's estimated production of more than 23 million barrels a day.

OPEC Secretary General Sobruto is credited with developing the current oil production agreement, which has a ceiling of 20.5 million barrels a day. But that limit has been widely ignored by many members, particularly Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates. Both countries are producing nearly two million barrels a day, twice their quotas under an agreement reached last year.

One senior Arab official said that if all members immediately pushed their production to the limit, OPEC would not be able to pump more than 24.5 million barrels a day, not much more than the group's current output.

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MARKETS

Oil prices steady in early trade

Oil futures prices opened down a penny today after ending mixed Friday in relatively sparse trading, with most of the activity concentrated in heating oil contracts.

The December contract for No. 2 heating oil rose 0.32 cent to 61.41 cents a gallon on the New York Mercantile Exchange. The January contract gained 0.35 cent to 60.87 cents a gallon, while contracts through next June ended mixed.

Wholesale unleaded gasoline for December delivery lost 0.10 cent to finish at 51.63 cents a gallon, while the January contract lost 0.3 cent to 52.44 cents and the February through June contracts gained between 0.77 cent and 0.30 cent a gallon.

Trading in crude oil futures was light, with prices unchanged to slightly higher.

The January contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark grade of U.S. crude oil, remained at $19.82 a 42-gallon barrel, the same as Wednesday. The market was closed Thursday for the Thanksgiving holiday. Contracts for delivery between February and June gained between 2 cents and 6 cents.

Analysts said cold weather across much of the country helped lift heating oil futures.

Although market participants have turned their attention to the weekend OPEC meeting, there was little advance news to move crude prices in either direction, traders said.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning $19.81
- Friday Close $19.80
- Previous Close $19.80
- One Year Ago $13.85

W.T. SOUR

- Friday Close $18.31
- Previous Close $18.31
- One Year Ago $12.25

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week $19.00
- Previous Week $18.75
- One Year Ago $14.75

Dollar falls against most currencies

LONDON (AP) — The dollar fell against most major foreign currencies except the British pound in early European trading today. Gold prices were higher.

Currency dealers predicted the dollar could have firmer moments on technical rebounds, but said it's on a weak trend through the end of the year.

Exchange Rates

- 1.7907 West German marks
- 1.6030 Swiss francs
- 6.1163 French francs
- 2.0215 Dutch guilders
- 1,322.50 Italian lire
- 1.1665 Canadian dollars

"The dollar no longer has very much support," said one analyst in Milan, Italy.

Jens-Uwe Fischer, senior trader at Manufacturers Hanover in Frankfurt, said the primary factor behind the dollar's recent weakness was the drop in U.S. Federal Funds rates to 8.25 percent from 8.50 percent.

In Tokyo, where trading ends before Europe's business day begins, the dollar fell 0.45 yen to a closing 143.35 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at 143.39 yen.

Other dollar rates at midmorning compared with late Friday:

In London, the dollar rose against the British pound. It cost $1.5567 to buy one pound, compared with $1.5635 late Friday.

Chancellor of the Exchequer John Major reiterated on Sunday he was prepared to raise the cost of borrowing if necessary to bring down inflation.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $417.90 a troy ounce, up from $416.25 bid late Friday. At midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $417.15.

In Zurich, the bid price was $417.00, up from $416.10 bid late Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell $1.12 to close at a bid $418.02.

Silver rose in London to a bid price of $5.85 a troy ounce, down from Friday's $5.86.

Stock market moves ahead Friday

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market pushed ahead in light trading Friday, resuming the rally it began before the Thanksgiving holiday.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials climbed 18.77 to 2,675.55, bringing its gain for the week to 22.89 points.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by more than 2 to 1 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 931 up, 447 down and 522 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 86.29 million shares, down from 145.73 million Wednesday and the lightest total since 68.87 million were traded on July 3 — another session squeezed in between a weekend and a holiday.

Deal puts U.S. dependent on Japan for chips

N.Y. Times News Service

TOKYO — In a deal that would leave the United States almost wholly dependent on Japan for the chief tools used to produce future generations of computer chips, Japanese companies are negotiating to acquire one of the last American makers of the highly sophisticated equipment used to etch circuits on chips.

The Nikon Corp. is viewed as the leading bidder for the Perkin-Elmer Corp.'s semiconductor equipment.

Any sale of the company's operations to a foreign purchaser would require President Bush's approval.

But officials on both sides of the Pacific say Washington may have little choice because so far efforts by Perkin-Elmer to find an American buyer have failed.

Perkin-Elmer's biggest customer, the International Business Machines Corp., which is also the world's largest chip maker, has become enmeshed in the debate.

IBM has been aiding Perkin-Elmer in its attempts to keep the company's operations, and its technology, in American hands.

"IBM and, I'm sure, others in the U.S. semiconductor industry are hoping that there is a scenario that keeps Perkin-Elmer viable as a source of semiconductor equipment in the U.S.," Jack D. Kuehler, IBM's vice chairman, said in a telephone interview from the company's headquarters in Armonk, N.Y., last week.

But IBM says it does not have the expertise or the desire to enter the tool-making business itself and would not buy the operations, even though it has helped finance many of Perkin-Elmer's most advanced technologies.

The story of how the United States has gradually withdrawn from the semiconductor equipment business over the last five years is a familiar one for America's high-technology industry, with echoes of past retreats in television equipment, facsimile machines, steel and some automotive technologies.

As before, the technology was pioneered in the United States, yet the American advantage was eroded and eventually eliminated. The explanation is partly Japanese excellence in engineering and manufacturing.

But the Japanese corporations have also been aided considerably by a financial system that supplies low-cost capital and applies little pressure on companies to generate near-term profits, making it far easier for them to invest in research and development.

Some experts warn that the possible loss of the semiconductor machinery business could be the biggest loss of all, because the tools to make semiconductors are the first step in a "food chain" that leads to the production of more than $50 billion worth of chips around the world and $700 billion in electronic goods.

The technology to mass-produce chips — a process known as photolithography, in which the image of millions of circuits is projected on a silicon wafer much the way an enlarger casts an image on photographic paper in a darkroom — was developed largely in the United States.

But as circuits have shrunk to submicron widths, hundreds of times thinner than a human hair, the complexity and cost of developing the principal equipment, known as steppers and aligners, have overwhelmed American manufacturers.

Financial Snapshot

Friday, November 24, 1989

% INTEREST RATES	Week's close	Week ago	Year ago
Average rate paid on bank money-market accounts (Bank Rate Monitor)	6.37%	6.38%	6.12%
91-day Treasury bill yield	7.61%	7.68%	8.29%
30-year Treasury Bond	7.87%	7.93%	9.10%
$ PRICES			
Commodities Research Bureau Index	231.65	231.22	241.98
Associated Press Commodities Index	620.34	621.52	592.34
STOCKS			
Dow Jones 30	2,675.55	2,652.66	2,092.28
S&P 500	343.97	341.61	267.23
Wilshire 5000 (mkt. value of 5000 stocks)	$3,352.510 billion	$3,336.571 billion	$2,648.208 billion

AP

Market analysts expect prime rate to decline

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — The prime lending rate, which most commercial banks have held at 10.5 percent since late July, is likely to be lowered by half a percentage point this week, some credit market analysts and economists said.

The way for a cut in the prime was paved last week when the Federal Reserve Board signaled that it had eased the rate for overnight bank loans in the federal funds market by about a quarter of a percentage point, to 8.25 percent. A drop in the prime would lower costs for a wide range of borrowers,

"I think the Fed would like the prime to come down, and it may happen Monday," said Paul L. Kasriel, a vice president and money market economist at the Northern Trust Co. in Chicago. "A move in the funds rate from 9 percent to 8.5 percent earlier this year didn't generate a cut in the prime rate, and I think that is one of the reasons they eased policy again last week. I think they are concerned that households are going to go on a buying strike."

Norman Robertson, chief economist at the Mellon National Bank in Pittsburgh, observed that "banks may want further confirmation that the Fed has indeed lowered the funds rate to 8.25 percent."

"There is a lot of pressure on bank earnings, which intensifies the pressure to linger at 10.50 percent," he said. "But the Fed wants interest rates, including the prime, to move lower."

Banks have been reluctant to lower the prime rate because other important financing costs, like three-month Eurodollar deposit rates, have lagged the declines in the funds rate. Generally, banks like to maintain a difference, or "spread," of 1.50 to 2 percentage points between their own cost of funds and the prime.

After the dip in the funds rate, late last week three-month Eurodollar deposits were offered at a rate of 8 5/16 percent.

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Williamson Petroleum to move to Houston

From Staff Reports

Williamson Petroleum Consultants, Inc. will move its headquarters from Midland to Houston by year's end, according to Roy Williamson, Jr., president.

Among those making the move are: Florence S. Hughes, chief operation officer; John Jay Keesey, executive vice president and John D. Savage, vice president. Hughes and Savage will move from Midland while Keesey will move from the firm's Denver office.

Roy Williamson will continue to reside in Midland, and Gerard G. Vavrek will become engineering manager of the Midland division. Kenneth L. Ortmann will become engineering manager of the Denver office. Andrew R. Fair, manager of the Houston office, has resigned to join a Williamson client.

Williamson said the move was made to strengthen Houston and Gulf Coast operations and because of the potential of the area. While the headquarters has been made to Houston, Williamson said the same services would be available at the firms Midland and Denver offices.

Auto industry cutbacks drag down tool orders

N.Y. Times News Service

Orders for American machine tools dropped 32.3 percent in October from the September level, largely because the auto industry cut back its orders, the Association for Manufacturing Technology said in a monthly report released Monday.

The trade group said machine-tool orders totaled $205 million in October, compared with $302.6 million in September. The October total was 21.8 percent lower than that of October 1988, which was $262.3 million.

L. Michael Braig, an analyst with Prescott Ball & Turben, said, "The reason for the general trending down is that the metal-cutting segment relating specially to the automotive industry had a very good 1988 when it doubled orders, and it is no longer doubling."

The year-over-year decline in orders follows a longstanding industry trend, Braig said. But the sharp month-over-month decline reflects the unusually high orders for metal-cutting equipment in September. He said he expected orders to continue tapering off.

"The economic slowdown is affecting the industry," said Mitchell I. Quain, an analyst with Wertheim Schroder & Co.

"On the industrial side of the economy we're seeing softness, and so companies are tightening their belts a little. If you're related to defense and automotive and even housing, it shows that companies are tightening their purchases."

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Judge says Braniff must pay for planes

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — A U.S. bankruptcy judge has decided that Braniff Inc.'s agreements to lease and buy new jets are valid, enabling the troubled airline to keep its most valuable asset.

But the judge also ruled Saturday that Braniff must pay $3 million to GPA Group Ltd., an aircraft leasing company, by midnight Monday to keep five Airbus A-320s the airline has ordered, and must pay for future planes within 60 days after delivery.

By continuing to take delivery of 50 Airbus A-320s, Braniff will have a better chance to reorganize and operate under Chapter 11 of the Federal Bankruptcy Act, the airline's lawyers said. Otherwise, the Orlando-based carrier might be forced to cease operating entirely and sell its remaining assets.

Eastern has no jobs for pilots, attendants

MIAMI (AP) — Eastern Airlines said there are no jobs for the pilots and flight attendants who have ended their 8½-month-old strikes, setting the stage for another legal battle for the struggling carrier.

With the holdout Machinists pledging Friday to continue their strike, the main impact of the other unions' return to work appeared to be more legal disputes between the company and unions.

Meanwhile, a Machinists union leader said officials were working out details of plans to step up their strike campaign to capitalize on Eastern's precarious financial situation and what the union says is a maintenance shortage.

Budget plan sends agencies scambling

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House Budget Director Richard Darman has hatched a novel two-track approach for President Bush's new budget that will force federal agencies to compete to fund their high-priority programs, officials said.

Darman's strategy left agency budget officers scrambling Friday to meet the new requirements in time for submission of the administration's 1991 budget to Congress on Jan. 8.

West must increase food aid to Poland

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The West must increase food aid to Poland to help Poles make it through winter shortages, the European Community Commission said.

Officials from two dozen Western nations met Friday to discuss economic and food aid they have given to Poland and Hungary. More than $370 million in food aid has been pledged to Poland, and more than one-third of that has been delivered.

The remainder will be sent by year's end. More is needed, the EC Commission said in a statement.

Most China ventures reporting profits

BEIJING (AP) — Most foreign-invested joint ventures are reporting profits despite skepticism and a cloudy business climate after the bloody crackdown on political dissent in June, a government news report said.

COMPUTER NOTES

Software leads to powerful computers

By PAUL PAUSE'



Pause'

It *is* a small world. Some 120,000 people attended the COMDEX computer trade show two weeks ago in Las Vegas. After bumping around the main hall for only about 10 minutes, I ran into two other Midlanders!

In an earlier column, I expressed the opinion that anyone considering a new computer should look at 286-based machines as the "entry level" system. Rallying around their trusty 8088, XT-type computers, several friends have taken me to task for that advice. I stick by it.

Actually, this is the conservative view

According to some of the "big guns" in the PC industry, even the 286 is obsolete. Microsoft founder and chairman, Bill Gates, who makes the DOS that runs all our machines, has said the 286 is a dead end. He told a meeting of computer professionals that people who buy a 286 are "cutting themselves off from future applications." Even Intel Corp. — these are the guys who MAKE the chips — is saying that the entry-level chip is the 386SX, and that their 286 is out.

This may be true for real "power users" — people who need very math-intensive or sophisticated graphics programs, like computer-aided drafting (CAD) or desktop publishing. But for most of us, our word processors, spreadsheets, accounting programs, and golf games will do very nicely on 286 systems. Current developments that I'm aware of — including OS/2 — are being designed to run on 286 machines, and I think it will be quite a while before 386-only software makes its presence felt.

It's true there is a lot of life left in 8088 systems, and their prices continue to drop. It's also true that a lot of people think they'll never "need" the speed and/or power of 286 or 386 machines. However, 286 systems remain a better choice for first time buyers for a number of reasons.

Why can't we just stick with our XTs forever? Because the software we use changes too. Bigger, more sophisticated programs are appearing every day. They're pushing our 8088 chips to the limit. Have you done a spell check on a long document, or recalculated a large spreadsheet lately? Slow, slow, slow. Sometimes just loading a big word processor, dictionary, and thesaurus, and opening a file to edit is tedious.

There's a more important point than just speed to consider, too. New versions of existing software packages are introduced on average every 16 months. If you've invested several hundreds of dollars in software, you're almost certainly going to take advantage of relatively inexpensive upgrade offers. But part of making the upgrades "better" includes making them bigger (so they require more memory), and faster,

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AP Laserphoto

Puzzling world

An employee with Rand McNally poses with some globe puzzles at the Lexington, Ky., facility which packages the goods for shipment to Rand McNally Map & Travel Stores in New York, Chicago and San Francisco.

BAROMETERS

BUILDING PERMITS
Midland, Nov. 13-17

Coats Construction; 1101 E. Cherry Lane; commercial-new; $85,000
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Morgan Buildings; 509 W. Storey; residential-alteration; $1,200
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S.R. Gutierrez; 500 N. Tyler; residential-alteration; $5,000
Fred Martinez; 1610 W. Louisiana; residential-alteration; $15,000
Larry Hawkins; 3411 W. Storey; residential-alteration; $3,500
Eddie Lewis; 4901 Leisure Dr.; residential-alteration; $200
Ollie Morrison; 501 S. Lee; residential-alteration; $200
Harold Goodson; No. 11 Suffolk; residential-alteration; $1,000
Kerry Moorhead; 3100 N. A; commercial-alteration; $1,000
Kahler Construction; 707 Austin; residential-alteration; $20,000
Quality Pump; 615 W. Missouri; commercial-alteration; $15,000
Midland 66 Oil; 2007 N. Big Spring; commercial-alteration; $15,000
Maria Reyes; 1306 S. Colorado; residential-alteration; $6,000
J.W. Cooper; 2101 Tarleton; commercial-alteration; $234,595
Hoffman Construction; 1509 Princeton; residential-alteration; $142,000
McCall Design; 1403 W. Illinois; commercial-alteration; $18,000
Whitley Construction; 6837 Island Circle; residential-new; $155,000

Source: City of Midland

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		Nov. 24
MIDLAND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
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Community National Bank	7.90	7.90
First City Texas	7.75	7.55
Midland American Bank	7.90	7.90
NCNB Texas National Bank	7.80	7.75
Team Bank	7.85	7.75
Texas Commerce Bank	7.85	7.75
United Bank	8.40	8.40
Southwest Savings of Dallas	8.25	8.25
Olney Savings and Loan	8.12	8.25
Bluebonnet Savings	8.37	8.50
First Bankers	7.90	7.85
ODESSA FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
Bank of the West	7.75	7.75
First State Bank	7.65	7.65
NCNB Texas National Bank	7.80	7.75
Bank One Texas	7.70	7.70
Bank of Odessa	8.00	8.20
Texas Commerce Bank	7.55	7.60
Texas Bank	N/A	N/A
Western National Bank	N/A	N/A
Andrews Savings & Loan	8.25	8.25
First Bankers	7.90	7.85
Olney Savings and Loan	8.12	8.25
Southwest Savings of Dallas	8.25	8.25

OPPORTUNITIES

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The Permian Basin Bid Center, supported by the City of Midland, the Odessa Industrial Development Corp., and the Permian Basin Private Industry Council, can help small businesses get into government contracting or subcontracting.
If one of the following listings interests you, call 563-1711.

■ Sour and Sweet Crude Oil — The Defense Fuel Supply Center anticipates purchasing approximately 3 million barrels sour and 10 million barrels sweet crude oil.
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Export Assistance

Through the resources of the International Trade Division of the Texas Department of Commerce and its Export Assistance Centers, a complete follow-up in pursuing exporting is now available in Midland and Odessa.
For information contact Jerry Jones at an EAC in Midland, 686-4657.

■ Lawn Mowers — Finland firm is an importer, distributor, retailer of garden tractors, snow blowers, lawn mowers and power saws. Refer to P0161.
■ Aircraft Aerospace Fasteners — West German firm is a manufacturer of pressed, drawn and precision stamped iron and non-ferrous metal parts, vehicle construction, ammunition boxes, aeronautical equipment and other defense industry equipment. Refer to P0004.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

Savings bond, Series E given extended maturity

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I have more than 20 Series E, U.S. Savings Bonds, that have matured. This will pose a tax problem if I cash them now. As an alternative, I considered switching my E bonds for Series HH bonds. But I understand that E bonds more than one year past their maturities are ineligible for such a tax-free transfer. Can you confirm this?



Doyle

A. Your understanding is correct. However, unless your E bonds are at least 41 years old, you can do what you have in mind. That's because E bonds have been granted extended maturities. So have EE bonds and U.S. Savings Notes. The latter are also called "Freedom Shares."

Es issued before December 1965 reach final maturity — and stop accruing interest 40 years after their issue dates. So, many Es are still accumulating interest. Es issued after November 1965 will reach final maturity 30 years after their issue dates, as will all EEs, savings notes and the Series H bonds still outstanding. Series HH bonds reach final maturity in 20 years.

Es, EEs and savings notes can be exchanged for HHs before the Es, EEs and savings notes mature and for an additional year after that. As a result, the early Es can be exchanged for HH for 41 years.

By making the exchange, you postpone paying federal income tax on your E bonds' accumulated interest. You put off that tax bite until you redeem the HHs received in the exchange.

Unlike Es, EEs and savings notes on which interest accumulates, HHs and their predecessor Hs are "current interest" bonds. Interest is paid by check twice a year and is subject to federal income tax, but not state or local income tax. The annual interest rate on the HHs now being issued is 6 percent.

If your Es are more than 41 years old, cash them and collect their redemption value.

In that case, you do have a tax problem. Unless Es, EEs and savings notes are exchanged for HHs, you are required to report the accrued interest and pay federal income tax on the return for the year in which the Es, EEs and savings notes reach final maturity — even if you don't redeem them.

So, if you have held E bonds for more than 41 years, you're supposed to file amended returns, Form 1040X, and report the interest for each year in which an E bond reached final maturity.

Q. What amount of E, EE and/or savings notes must I have in order to turn them in and receive HH bonds in exchange?

A. At least $500 of "redemption value" — purchase price plus accrued interest.

Q. My daughter will go to college in the fall of 1990. I was planning to use my Series E bonds to fulfill that obligation. I once read that it may be possible to cash those bonds tax free, when the money is used for college education purposes. May I have your comments on this?

A. You can't do it. Unless you have been paying federal income tax on the E bond interest as it built up each year, you will have to pay tax on the accrued interest when you redeem the bonds — no matter how you use the money.

Only interest on EE bonds purchased after Dec. 31, 1989, and later cashed to pay higher education expenses of the bond owner, spouse or child will be free from federal income tax — under certain circumstances.

Bond buyers must be at least age 24 and have household modified adjusted gross income no higher than $60,000, or $40,000 for single income tax return filers. The exclusion from tax phases out between $60,000 and $90,000 for joint filers and between $40,000 and $55,000 for single filers.

Money from the bond redemption must be used for tuition and fees required for enrollment or attendance at post-secondary institutions, including vocational schools, that meet the standards for participating in federal aid programs.

Room and board are not included as eligible expenses. Expenses related to sports, games or hobbies are eligible only if required as part of a degree or certificate granting program.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

Home sales stable

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sales of existing homes remained steady in October at their highest level since last January as mortgage interest rates continued to fall, a real estate trade group said today.

The National Association of Realtors said existing single-family homes sold at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 3.52 million, the same as September's revised rate and the highest since the 3.55 million rate at the beginning of the year. The September rate was 1.2 percent above August's 3.48 million sales.

OPEC

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OPEC failed in June and again in September to cap its runaway production. Yet so strong is demand that the average price of OPEC oil is about $17.16 a barrel, some $6 above where it stood a year ago.

"They are becoming complacent because they've had two failures and prices have kept climbing, so they think they can keep on failing without much fear of a price collapse," observed Bahman Karbassioun, an Iranian oil expert and onetime OPEC economist who is now an independent oil consultant.

The other reason why the dispute about OPEC quotas is becoming a non-issue, as one expert put it, is that some Arab oil producers believe all they have to do is wait for de- of boosting their output far beyond where it stands today.

These countries are quietly arguing that other OPEC members should recognize the reality of their enormous reserves and allow them to pump more oil, rather than fight a losing battle over market shares. mand to rise. Then they can move in and meet the demand without any need for cumbersome OPEC limits.

In this camp are Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates and Kuwait, which are believed capable

PRIME

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Aside from small and medium-sized businesses, an array of consumers have loans whose charges are tied to changes in the prime.

With Christmas scarcely a month away, a cut in the prime could provide an additional lift to consumer psychology, which remains high even though spending activity has been sluggish lately.

COMPUTER

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so they're designed to take advantage of the newest, fastest CPUs, i.e., the 286, 386, and i486 chips. It's not just running slow, they won't run, period, on 8088, XT-type computers.

So even currently-content XT owners will find themselves faced with buying new systems if they want to continue to take advantage of new versions of the software they're already using.

It's already starting to happen. The most popular spreadsheet in the world is Lotus 1-2-3. They recently announced TWO new upgrades. Version 2.2 can run on any of our machines, XT-types included. Version 3, however, — the very latest — is designed to run only on 286 and higher computers. Its graphical interface requires the more powerful chips and it uses more memory (1mb minimum) than the 8088 can handle efficiently. Sooner or later, I'm sure version 3 will be the only one you can buy (until, of course, versions 4, 5, etc., come along). This means that first-time computer buyers, if they want to run Lotus, will need at least a 286 machine. It also means that people currently running Lotus on their XTs eventually won't be able to run the upgrades without investing in a new computer.

The important lesson here is this: We'll see the same thing happen with all the software we use. And because stores don't stock old versions of software — it's replaced on the shelf with the new versions very quickly — we'll be faced with having racks of great software that we can't run on our 8088 machines.

Finally, there's the cost consideration. Yes, you can buy an XT compatible for about $1,000 dollars. But 286 systems can be found for only a few hundred dollars more. That's cheap "life insurance" for your computer.

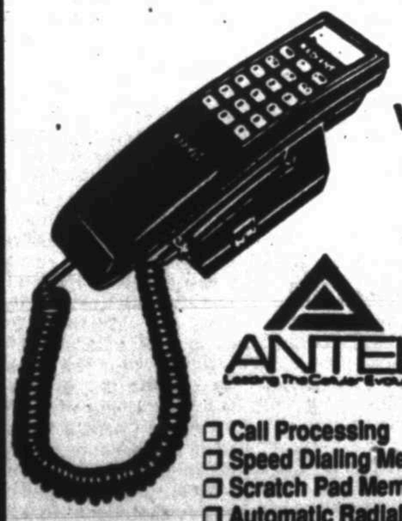
At COMDEX we saw the first 80486 based computers. These machines rival mini-computers for the number of calculations they can perform each second. They also cost a lot. They have, however, resulted in big drops in the price of 386 and 286 computers. In fact, the reason some people are touting the 386 as the new "entry level" is that machines with the 386SX chip can be found for less than a thousand dollars more than a 286 system. I'm just not convinced that the price/performance ratio makes the 386SX system the better buy.

Yet.

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Ups & Downs

UPS AND DOWNS

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the New York Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change for Monday.
No securities trading below $2 or 1000 shares are included.
Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous closing price and today's noon price.

UPS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1Caraico wt	3	+ ⅜	Up 14.3
2 CrossIdSav	3⅛	+ ⅜	Up 10.7
3 AmShipB	3¼	+ ¼	Up 8.3
4 TollBros	3⅜	+ ¼	Up 8.0
5 GEO Intl	3⅜	+ ¼	Up 7.1
6 CineplxOd	9⅛	+ ⅝	Up 6.9
7 Elcor	11⅜	+ ¾	Up 6.8
8 PatheComun	4⅛	+ ⅛	Up 6.5
9 Nerco	21⅜	+ 1¼	Up 6.1
10 AtalantSos	4½	+ ⅛	Up 5.9
11 GermanyFd	13⅜	+ ⅜	Up 5.9
12 Solitron	2¼	+ ⅛	Up 5.9
13 TitanCp	2¼	+ ⅛	Up 5.9
14 Elscint	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up 5.6
15 AllenGrp	9¾	+ ⅜	Up 5.4
16 Goldome	2½	+ ⅛	Up 5.3
17 LSI Logic	7½	+ ⅜	Up 5.3
18 NtMineSv	5⅛	+ ⅛	Up 5.1
19 MitelCp	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up 5.0
20 Tidewatr	13⅛	+ ⅝	Up 5.0
21 PerryDrug	8¼	+ ⅜	Up 4.8
22 CrayRsch	34¼	+ 1½	Up 4.6
23 Pan Am	2⅞	+ ⅛	Up 4.5
24 PerkElmer	23¼	+ 1	Up 4.5
25 LifetimeCp s	17⅜	+ ⅝	Up 4.4

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Datapnt pf	12	— 2	Off 14.3
2 FstPhilip n	16½	— 1½	Off 8.3
3 CareerCom	5	— ⅛	Off 7.0
4 RAC Mtg	2⅜	— ⅛	Off 5.0
5 ElcoGroup	2½	— ⅛	Off 4.8
6 SvcResour	7⅜	— ⅛	Off 4.8
7 Zapata Cp	2½	— ⅛	Off 4.8
8 KeyslntS	18	— ⅜	Off 4.6
9 BlockEnt s	18½	— ⅜	Off 4.5
10 Portec	5¼	— ¼	Off 4.5
11 GenDevl	10⅝	— ½	Off 4.4
12 Dresher	2¾	— ⅛	Off 4.3
13 PinacleWst	5½	— ¼	Off 4.3
14 SpainFd	27⅜	— 1¼	Off 4.3
15 CalREIT	2⅜	— ⅛	Off 4.2
16 Intelogic	2⅜	— ⅛	Off 4.2
17 Showboat	11⅜	— ½	Off 4.2
18 MesaLP pf	8¾	— ⅜	Off 4.1
19 Ecolab	28⅝	— 1⅛	Off 3.8
20 BenguetB s	3¼	— ⅛	Off 3.7
21 ChockFON	6½	— ¼	Off 3.7
22 CompreCre	3¼	— ⅛	Off 3.7
23 GaloobLew	12⅛	— ½	Off 3.7
24 FrMcGld	13½	— ½	Off 3.6
25 Maxus	10½	— ⅜	Off 3.6

UPS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1EAC Ind	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up 15.0
2 VermntRsh	2⅛	+ ¼	Up 13.3
3 Iroquois Bd	5⅜	+ ½	Up 10.3
4 Tortel	3⅛	+ ¼	Up 8.7
5 PetersJM	9½	+ ¾	Up 8.6
6 Halsey wt	4 9-16	+ 5-16	Up 7.4
7 Daxor	4	+ ¼	Up 6.7
8 Landmark	16¼	+ 1	Up 6.6
9 ConquestEx	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up 6.3
10 EntrMkt	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up 6.3
11 AcmeUnit	4½	+ ¼	Up 5.9
12 ComFed	2¼	+ ⅛	Up 5.9
13 AmTr-chv sc	13⅜	+ ⅜	Up 5.8
14 Biomagnt n	7	+ ⅜	Up 5.7
15 AmSwMtg	4¾	+ ¼	Up 5.6
16 Enviropact	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up 5.6
17 ColumLab n	17⅜	+ ⅝	Up 5.3
18 ChampEn	2¼	+ ⅛	Up 4.8
19 CrystalOil	2¼	+ ⅛	Up 4.8
20 Diasonics	4⅛	+ 3-16	Up 4.8
21 SupTeltk n	2¾	+ ⅛	Up 4.8
22 AmTr-ge sc	11⅜	+ ⅛	Up 4.7
23 HrtgeMed	3	+ ⅛	Up 4.3
24 MisionRsc	15	+ ⅝	Up 4.3
25 FruitLoom	12½	+ ½	Up 4.2

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Firstcorp	3	— ⅛	Off 11.1
2 Ford wty91	2⅜	— ¼	Off 9.5
3 ABM Gold	3⅛	— ¼	Off 7.4
4 ECI Env n	8	— ⅝	Off 7.2
5 ForumRetr	3¼	— ¼	Off 7.1
6 LaserInd	3¼	— ¼	Off 7.1
7 DicknMnA g	5½	— ⅝	Off 6.4
8 Medicore	2	— ⅛	Off 5.9
9 Skolnk	2⅛	— ⅛	Off 5.6
10 Greenman	6½	— ⅛	Off 5.5
11 NatlRlty s	4⅜	— ¼	Off 5.4
12 UnFoodsA	2¼	— ⅛	Off 5.3
13 BayouStl	4⅜	— ¼	Off 5.0
14 GelmanSci	16⅞	— ⅝	Off 4.9
15 WstDigitel	7½	— ⅜	Off 4.8
16 MalantcH gn	8	— ⅜	Off 4.5
17 Audivox	2¾	— ⅛	Off 4.3
18 RaganBrad	22	— 1	Off 4.3
19 HovnanEnt	8¾	— ⅜	Off 4.1
20 ActionInd	3	— ⅛	Off 4.0
21 Escagen	3¼	— ⅛	Off 3.7
22 GtrWashInv	3⅛	— ⅛	Off 3.3
23 Ford wtY93	3⅜	— ⅛	Off 3.2
24 VHTHotl	3⅜	— ⅛	Off 3.2
25 BiscaynHld	3⅞	— ⅛	Off 3.1
26 BushInd	7⅜	— ¼	Off 3.1

American Exchange

NEWYORK(AP)—Middaynationalpricesfor American Stock Exchange issues

	PE	Sales	Last	Chg.
Acton		3	3	14⅛
Alza		83	1097	u43 + 1⅛
Amdhl	.10	8	915	12⅜ — ⅛
APetl	3.20	7	x3	69½ + ½
ASciE			23	7⅜
AmSwM	.72e		69	4¾ + ⅛
Ampal	.07e	15	5	1⅜
ArcAlsk		11	10	10⅜
Armtrn		9	1	2⅜ — ⅛
Astrotc			19	1⅛
Atari			109	9⅜
AtlsCM		1	28	2⅜
Audvox			12	2⅜ — ⅛
B HO	3.20e	6	18	16
BAT	In.36e	11	1886	12 3-16 — 1-16
Banstr	g		5	11⅛
BergB	s.32	13	221	25 + ⅛
BolrPh	.04	10	370	17⅜ + ⅜
BowVal	.24		150	12⅛
Brscn	g1.04		2	23⅜
CalEng	s	53	115	11⅜
CarnCr	.40	11	3118	17⅜ — ⅛
CFCda	g.01e		419	5⅜ — ⅛
ChpEn			64	2⅜ + ⅛
ComFd	.06j		15	2⅛ + ⅛
Conqst			1390	2⅛ + ⅛
Coron	.05e		1090	9 — ⅛
Cross	1.24	15	42	32⅛ — ½
DWG			249	13⅜ — ⅛
DataPd	.16		69	8⅛
Delmed			41	⅜ — 1-16
Duplex	.72	13	102	21⅛ + ⅛
EchoBy	.07	40	2236	18⅛ — ⅜
Endvco			30	4⅜
ENSCO		20	890	3⅜ — ⅛
EntrMkt			108	2⅛ + ⅛
FAusPr	1.08		356	8⅜
Fluke	.32	10	22	26⅜
Forstl		34	171	44 — ⅛
FdHly	s.10	16	4	13⅜ + ⅛
FruitL		9	1236	12⅜ + ⅛
FurVlt			47	2⅛
GntYl	g		39	11¼ — ⅛
Glatfltr	1	11	4	43 — ⅛
GldFld		5	116	⅜ — 1-16
GCda	g.40		90	13⅜
Hasbro	.16	14	260	21⅛ — ⅛
Heico	.10	16	5	11⅛ — ⅛
HollyCp	.40a	7	11	28 — ⅛
HomeSh			1608	6⅛ + ⅛
HrnHar			254	6⅜ — ⅛
HouOT	.01e	25	150	1⅜
ImpOil	g1.80		x32	52⅛ + ⅛
InstSy		11	126	1⅜ + ⅛
IntBkrt		13	231	5⅛ — ⅛
Jacobs		15	46	28
JanBell		35	645	25⅛ — ⅛
Kirby	.10e	35	21	7⅜ + ⅛
LdmkSv	.30	7	18	8⅜ — ⅛
Lionel		27	200	6
MSR			30	1⅜
MagmC		3	382	5⅛ + ⅛
Maxam		6	77	43⅞ + ⅛
Media	.44		284	32 — ⅛
NtPaint	.02j	16	70	7⅛
NtRlty	s.80		41	4⅜ — ⅛
NY	Tim.52	14	335	27 + ⅛
NCdO	g.20		1	17⅜ — ⅛
OMI		11	28	10 — ⅛
OOkiep	1.14e	3	12	10⅛ + ⅛
PallCp	.48	22	206	33⅞ + ⅛
PegGld	.10e	33	842	14⅜ — ⅜
PeopBc	.56	9	4	16⅛
PhlLD	.15e	12	26	22 — ⅛
Pittway	1.80	14	1	101 + ⅛
PlyGem	.12	11	206	11⅛ — ⅛
SterlSh		11	13	8 + ⅛
TIE			23	1⅜
Telesph			473	3¼
TexAir			1642	13⅛ + ⅛
Thrins		24	21	16⅞ — ⅛
TollPat	.80	10	5	26⅜ + ⅛
Unicorp	.22j		14	2¼ + ⅛
UFoodA		23	20	2⅛ — ⅛
US Cell			53	29 + ⅛
UnvPat			3	7⅛
WangB	.12j		857	5¼ + ⅛
WshPst	1.84	20	60	285 — 1⅛
Whtfrd			396	3⅜ — ⅛
WDigtl		12	402	7⅛ — ⅛
WIRET	1.40	17	10	18⅛ — ⅛

Gold

Selected world gold prices Monday:
Hong Kong late: $418.15 up $4.10.
London morning fixing: $417.15, up $1.35.
London afternoon fixing: $413.75, off $2.05.
London late: $414.50, off $1.75.
Paris afternoon fixing: $416.40, up $1.39.
Frankfurt fixing: $417.33, up $0.88.
Zurich late afternoon: $414.00, off $2.10.
$414.50 asked.
NY Handy & Harman: $413.75, up $3.85.
NY Engelhard: $415.10, up $3.85.
NY Engelhard fabricated: $435.86, up $4.05.
NY Comex gold spot month close Fri. $418.90, up $7.90.
NY Republic Natiopal Bank 4 p.m. Fri. $412.90, up $2.90.

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were mostly lower in midday dealings today.
The average price for strict low middling 1 & 1-16 inch spot cotton declined 10 points to 67.44 cents a pound Friday for the seven markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.
Midday prices were $1.25 a bale higher to $1.80 lower than the previous close. Dec 69.80, Mar 72.72, May 73.65, Jul 73.62, Oct 68.60, Dec 65.77 and Mar b66.00.
n.a.-not available; n.q.-not quoted; asked; b-bid.

Livestock

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Here are Texas & Oklahoma feedlot daily weighted slaughter cattle averages for Friday. Confirmed: 3,000. Week ago: 4,900. Last year: 1,200
Weighted averages
Slaughter steers:
2,709 se/ch 65-80% 1125-1150 lbs. $76.50-$77.00, 1149 lbs. $76.99
Slaughter heifers:
144 se/ch 65-80% 1000 lbs. $77.00, 1000 lbs. $77.00
140 se/ch 35-65% 985 lbs. $76.00, 985 lbs. $76.00
Friday's daily weighted averages:
Steer - 1149 lbs. - $76.99 - 2,709 hd.
Heifer- 993 lbs. - $76.51 - 284 hd.
Total other: 7 hd. Total weighted: 2,993 hd.
Week ago weighted averages:
Steer - 1136 lbs. - $75.57
Heifer- 1023 lbs. - $75.62
Sales f.o.b. feedlots. Estimated net weights after 4% shrink.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Cattle and calves: 800.
Compared to last Wednesday: feeder cattle opened fully steady to firm. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter bulls not well compared however a higher undertone was noted. Demand good for the light receipts according to the U.S.D.A. livestock market news service.
Feeder steers & bulls:
Medium & large frame No. 1: 200-300 lbs. 107.00-122.00, 300-400 lbs. 102.00-110.00, 400-500 lbs. 86.00-94.00, 500-600 lbs. 80.00-89.50.
Medium & large frame No. 2: 300-400 lbs. 80.00-87.50.
Feeder heifers:
Medium & large frame No. 1: 300-400 lbs. 87.50-91.50, 400-500 lbs. 81.00- 87.50.
Slaughter cows: boning utility 1-3 47.50-54.25, cutter 44.75-46.75.
Slaughter bulls: yield grade 1-2 1100-1700 lbs. 60.00-65.25.
Hogs: 300.
Compared to last Monday: barrows and gilts 2.00-2.50 higher.
Barrows and gilts: U.S. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 45.50, around 60 head 46.00-46.25
Boars: 1.00 higher. All weights 28.00-29.00

Market Index

NEW YORK (AP) — New York Stock Exchange Noon Index:

Market	+8 cents
Index	180.70+ 0.41
Industrial	227.42+ 0.49
Transport	174.38+ 0.15
Utility	95.83+ 0.21
Finance	181.80+ 0.31

NEW YORK (AP) — American Stock Exchange Noon Index:
373.52 +0.38

Silver

NEW YORK (AP) — Handy & Harman silver Monday was $5.735, off 0.105.
The bullion price for silver earlier in London was $5.838, off $0.049.

Stock Market Loses

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market pushed ahead today, extending last week's rally amid hopes for lower interest rates.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, up 22.89 points last week, rose 8.54 to 2,684.09 by noontime on Wall Street.

Gainers outnumbered losers by about 3 to 2 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues, with 792 up, 530 down and 497 unchanged.

The market began to rise last week on signs that the Federal Reserve was takeing steps for the second time this month to relax its credit policy.

That development prompted Fed-watchers to conclude that the central bank had decided to become more aggressive in its efforts to cushion the impact of a slowing economy.

The new trading week began amid talk of impending reductions in major banks' prime lending rates.

There was also conjecture that the Fed might make its intentions even clearer before long by cutting the discount rate, the charge it imposes on loans to private financial institutions.

That optimism faded a bit in today's activity, however, when Fed dealings in the credit markets suggested that it wasn't as eager to push rates lower as had been presumed over the weekend.

Among actively traded blue chips, Chevron rose 2⅛ to 67⅛; General Electric gained ⅝ to 60¾; International Business Machines dropped 1⅛ to 99¼, and American Telephone & Telegraph was down ¼ at 43½.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks added .41 to 190.70. At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up .38 at 373.52.

Volume on the Big Board came to 73.62 million shares at noontime, against 47.14 million at the same point Friday, when many traders were talking a long holiday weekend.

Additional Listings

The following lists of New York and American stock exchange listings are not reported in the Reporter-Telegram's regular daily postings for the exchanges.
(This list is compiled by Rauscher Pierce Securities Corp.)

New York

	LS	PC
Adobe Resrce- ADB	12⅝	12⅝
ADBA	---	18⅝
ADBB	---	20⅝
Burlington Resrce BR	46⅞	47
Cameron Iron Works	23⅜	23⅜
Coastal States	45	44⅜
Datapoint Corp	4⅛	4⅜
Elcor	11⅛	11
First Mississippi	16⅜	16⅜
Fluor Corp	31⅜	31⅛
Helmrich & Payne	28⅛	28⅛
Baker Hughes Tool	24⅛	23⅜
Luby's	28⅜	28⅜
Mesa Royalty Trust	---	42⅛
Murphy Oil Corp	39⅛	39⅛
Noble Affiliates	14⅛	14⅜
First City	38⅜	38⅛
Parker Drilling	7⅛	7⅛
Pennzoil	79⅛	78⅝
PepsiCo	64⅜	64⅜
Pogo Producing	9⅜	9⅜
Plains	34⅛	33⅜
NCNB	47⅛	46⅝
Rowan Co	9⅛	9
Sabine Royalty	---	13⅛
Schlumberger, Ltd	45	44⅛
Smith International	12⅜	12⅜
ORYX	42⅛	42⅜
Tandy Corp	43⅜	43⅛
Texaco	54⅛	53⅜
Tidewater	13⅛	12⅛
Tosco	23⅜	23⅛
Western Co	8⅜	8⅜
Zapata Corp	2⅜	2⅜

American

	LS	PC
Adobe Coal	---	2⅜
Houston Oil&Mineral	1⅜	1⅜
Permian Corp.	3⅛	3⅛
Ohio Edison	22⅜	22⅜
Battle Mt. Gold	17⅛	17⅛
Regal International	.19	.19
Parker & Parsley Dev	14⅜	14⅜
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LS-Last Sale
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HEALTH INDUSTRY

Diet market booming as motivation changes

By JENNIFER STOFFEL
N.Y. Times News Service

Dieting is no longer an obsession of women in search of a thinner profile. There is a growing national consensus that being overweight is unhealthy — as well as unattractive. The burgeoning weight-control business is bound to grow fatter.

Even the nomenclature has changed. For the first time in recent decades, the number of Americans who said they were on a diet fell to 48 million people last year, or one in four adults, a 26 percent drop from 1986, according to a survey by the Calorie Control Council, a trade group of low-calorie food manufacturers.

The survey, however, revealed that 98 million Americans regularly consume low-calorie foods and beverages, up 19 percent from 1986 and double the number at the beginning of the decade.

"The change in the number of dieters indicates a change in attitude and perception," said John P. Foreyt, director of the Nutrition Research Clinic at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and a consultant to the council. "It is not because people are less concerned with their weight, not at all. People are more concerned, but rather than being on a diet, they are consuming low-calorie foods as a part of their lifestyle."

Indeed, the growing evidence linking fatty and salty foods with health problems like heart disease and a shorter lifespan has made weight control a more pressing issue for more people. As they approach their mid-30s and mid-40s, the baby boomers, who gave rise to the dieting craze a decade ago, have changed their eating habits in the name of longevity and good nutrition.

And men and elderly people, who were never known for being overly weight conscious, are paying closer heed to what they eat. For instance, the number of men who consume low-calorie foods and beverages jumped 33 percent since 1986, to 40 million last year.

Many employers are encouraging the trend by paying for their employees to enroll in weight-control programs. After all, heavy people tend to have high medical bills and slimming down often improves an employee's self esteem and productivity.

The wider appeal is expected to push up retail sales for weight-loss-related products from artificial sweeteners to weight-loss clinics to $51 billion in 1995, from $29 billion in 1988, according to Marketdata Enterprises, a market research firm in Valley Stream, N.Y. And a host of companies are trying to catch the wave. Weight-loss centers are mushrooming and hospitals have entered the business. Food makers are introducing low-calorie edibles by the cartloads.

New breed of dieter hits workplace

Men are more likely to join weight-control programs held at their workplace than those that meet in their community. That is what the Diet Workshop branch in Dayton, Ohio, which is considered the fattest state, has discovered. Males account for 33 percent of the 400 people enrolled in its workplace programs, but make up only 9 percent of the 3,200 dieters in its standard program.

"If it becomes hot on a particular floor or within a department, there is camaraderie," said Joyce Kasprzak, the director of the Dayton branch. "All it takes is the first man."

Unheard of a decade ago, work place weight-loss programs are fast becoming one of the hottest grounds for competition among marketers of diet programs. Since entering the corporate market in 1984, Weight Watchers has seen its client list increase to 2,400.

Based in Brookline, Mass., Diet Workshop, one of the first chains to court corporate business, now runs weekly weight-loss programs for 225 corporations nationwide, up from 40 in 1984.

While some companies cover the cost up front, others offer a rebate to employees once they finish the program. The program, which costs about $50 per person, is held on-site during lunch or before or after work and in 6- to 10-week cycles.

For the chains, future success may hinge on this new breed of dieter. Nearly all of them are searching to broaden their reach beyond their hard-core dieters — women aged 18 to 49 who find it difficult to lose weight on their own and average from three to five regimens a year.

Centers have expanded faster than demand, setting off a dog fight for dieters. Revenues of weight-loss centers continue to grow, more than doubling over the last decade to $1.5 billion in 1988. But far more centers are competing for those sales. The top three chains — Nutri/System Inc., Jenny Craig and Diet Center — have increased their outlets by 40 percent since 1986, to 3,995 last year. They now control 31 percent of the 13,000 outlets nationwide.

But the enrollments of even these leaders have flattened. To perk up participation, several of them have resorted to discounting their fees.

In fact, newcomers have taken up discount strategies to wedge into the market.

To compete with the better-known giants, Formu-3 International Inc., which is based in Canton, Ohio, advertises that its program costs 50 to 70 percent less than those of Weight Watchers or the Diet Center. Its plan costs less than $6 a week, compared with the $13 a week Diet Center typically charges. Since entering the market in 1982, Formu-3 has grown to more than 300 centers in eight states, with an additional 200 due to open by the end of 1990.

Even Weight Watchers International Inc., which dominates the segment with about 13 percent of the market but has no storefronts, has had to change. Last year, the company, a wholly owned subsidiary of H.J. Heinz Co. introduced a new program called Quick Success to "recognize changing life styles," namely, the needs of busier, working women, according to Judy Marshel, the company's senior nutritionist. The program features recipes that are easier and can be prepared more quickly and a more flexible meal plan with guidelines for working lunches and parties.

The strategy, though a delayed response to the rise in career women, seems to be working. This year, its enrollment grew 15 percent, up from the 11 percent growth charted last year. That still pales next to the 20 percent rate earlier in the decade.

And more radical changes are in store. Next year, Weight Watchers plans to make the group meeting, which is similar to a group-therapy session and is the core of its program, optional.

Together, the new approaches should propel revenues of these centers to $3.4 billion by 1995, according to Marketdata.

Light mayonnaise, dogfood, ice cream

Food manufacturers and diet marketers are seeing to it that the demand for low-calorie foods does not go unsated. The selection of "light" foods is limitless: mayonnaise, canned fruit, popcorn and dog food. Even Ben & Jerry's Homemade Inc., usually a super-rich ice cream, recently announced a new light version.

No fewer than 839 low-calorie products have been introduced so far this year, up from 475 for 1988. And new fat substitutes are expected to expand the category's potential.

Procter & Gamble Co.'s Olestra, a synthetic fat that it claims has the taste and texture of natural fats without the calories and cholesterol, now awaits the approval of the Food and Drug Administration. The company believes Olestra will someday replace 75 percent of the fats in fried snack foods and 75 percent of the fats used in restaurants for deep frying.

Food marketers' success in distancing low-calorie products from the images of self-denial and deprivation they conjured when they were labeled as "diet" has helped sales. Retail sales of these "light" foods have doubled since 1979, to $2.5 billion last year. And the market is expected to reach $4 billion by 1992, according to Marketdata.

Companies like Weight Watchers have brought their expertise to bear in the supermarkets. To mine the lucrative light market, flash its brand name before the buying public and give its dieters an added service, Weight Watchers, for one, has expanded its food line. At Heinz, it is now the fastest-growing line of foods and accounts for 60 percent of the Weight Watchers division's $500 million in sales. The company's new entrees tend to the gourmet image, with such desserts as raspberry mousse.

"They're not selling diet food; they're selling feel-good eating," John McMillin, a food industry analyst at Prudential-Bache, said. Taking a cue from its rival, the Diet Center has test marketed a line of entrees that will be released early in 1990.

Still, their competition as fierce as ever, Stouffer Foods Corp., a subsidiary of Nestle Enterprises Inc., leads the light pack with its under-300-calorie Lean Cuisine brand of frozen foods. The line grew to 33 entrees in 1988, up from 10 when it was introduced in 1981. In September, the company unveiled a new line of 11 entrees under the banner Right Course.

While Lean Cuisine is aimed at young women in their 20s, the new meals, which are low in sodium, saturated fat and cholesterol, and contain up to 330 calories, target older eaters.

"It's a baby boomer thing," said Michael Audette, marketing manager of new ventures at Stouffer. "While weight loss is important to these people, now they are more concerned about long-term health."

Liquid protein: The diet of the stars

Baby boomers may prefer the concept of weight control to the diet, but they still love a good fad. Among the fastest-growing crazes to fight fat is the liquid protein diet, or very-low-calorie diet, as it is also known.

Sales of these liquid proteins have grown to $5 billion a year since the late 1970s. The most explosive growth, the industry says, has occurred in the last year, and has attracted several new contenders to the field.

These diets easily impress status-conscious boomers looking for a magic solution. Since a patient's only food may be the powdered formula dissolved in water, these diets must be prescribed by doctors and are usually supervised on an outpatient basis by hospital. The plans, lasting for up to 20 weeks, cost an average of $2,500 to $3,000. They are a relatively painless way to shed up to 60 pounds in a matter of weeks.

Better still, they are the diets of the stars. Oprah Winfrey dropped more than 60 pounds last year living off of Optifast. Sold by Sandoz Nutrition Corp., a Swiss drug company, the formula has become among the nation's most popular in large part because of her success.

"It's a very yuppie diet," said Sandy Lutz, a writer at Modern Healthcare, a trade publication. "All the baby boomers are hitting an age where they gain a lot of weight and with these diets you can lose it quickly."

The liquid proteins marketed today appear to be safer than those sold in the 1970s. In 1976, the Food and Drug Administration pulled these products from the market because they were linked with as many as 60 deaths. The old formulas lacked essential complex proteins and amino acids.

Drug companies have come up with better formulas — Optifast, Medifast and HMR are among the most popular — to market mainly through hospitals. Hospitals, looking for revenues to offset lower occupancy rates, have promoted the diets heavily.

In the last year, a handful of hospitals have even developed their own proprietary formulas. After three years of successfully marketing another product under its own name, Baylor University Medical Center in mid-1988 began to formulate its own brand, BaylorFast.

"We felt we could come up with something better," said Patty Reupke, vice president of sales and marketing at BaylorFast. It has added fiber to its formula to ease a common complaint of constipation.

Baylor already has eight centers in the Dallas-Fort Worth area and this year it joined with Memorial Care Systems in Houston to open three more centers in that city. Two more joint clinics are in the works.

"This is definitely a profit center for the hospital," Ms. Reupke said. "It comes at a time when bed days and Medicare dollars are declining."

Originally for people with at least 50 pounds to lose, these plans are being modified to reach more dieters. Baylor is one of many hospitals to offer a modified regimen for those with only a few pounds to lose.

Still, these diets must be monitored with care. Significant weight loss is always accompanied by dramatic changes in the body.

"The Oprah Winfrey solution is not a permanent one, unfortunately," said Dr. Johanna Dwyer, director of the Nutrition Clinic at the New England Medical Center Hospital.

General Motors reduces stake in Isuzu

DETROIT (AP) — General Motors Corp. is reducing its share in Isuzu Motors Ltd. of Japan by 2 percent to 38.2 percent in a stock sale expected to net the U.S. automaker $82 million.

GM said Friday it sold about 20 million shares of Isuzu to Japanese financial institutions that already owned stock in Isuzu.

GM spokesman John Pekarek said the decision to sell the shares came because the company wanted "to take advantage of our initial investment."

WORLD

El Salvador suspends ties to Nicaragua

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — Accusing Nicaragua of sending surface-to-air missiles to leftist rebels, the rightist government has suspended diplomatic and commercial ties with its Central American neighbor.

President Alfredo Cristiani made the announcement in a televised address Sunday, a day after military authorities said they discovered two light planes in El Salvador that were delivering shoulder-fired missiles to the rebels.

Nicaragua denied involvement and suggested such an accusation could endanger regional peace.

The Nicaraguan president, Daniel Ortega, said it gave his people "honor and pride" that a government "of assassins of priests and religious workers" broke relations.

He urged other countries to break ties with El Salvador's U.S.-backed government until it has "punished the assassins."

Ortega's was an apparent reference to the Nov. 16 massacre in El Salvador of six Jesuit priests, their housekeeper and her daughter at a university. Other Jesuits at the school say witnesses saw army troops enter the residence before the killings.

Cristiani has ordered an investigation into allegations the military was involved. The murders occurred in the heat of a rebel offensive that turned the capital into a combat zone and was the largest of the decade-old civil war.

The government has accused church leaders of sympathizing with — and even aiding — the rebels. On Sunday, authorities arrested an American church worker and accused her of storing weapons.

One of the planes that allegedly carried weapons from Nicaragua crashed Saturday in eastern El Salvador and troops recovered mostly Soviet weapons, including 25 shoulder-fired surface-to-air missiles.

Three crewmen died, and the fourth committed suicide, authorities said.

The other plane apparently had its cargo unloaded after landing in the southern part of the country and was torched by the crew, who fled. Photographers for U.S. news organizations who saw it Sunday said trenches dug near the plane were filled with burned debris.

The three photographers were detained briefly Sunday for entering the area without government permission.

Cristiani told a news conference that relations with Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government would remain suspended until Ortega "stops intervening in El Salvador" or loses in national elections Feb. 25.

In a statement issued in Managua, the Nicaraguan government denied any connection with the two planes.

It quoted Foreign Minister Miguel D'Escoto as saying: "The Salvadoran government should think about the seriousness of the declarations and actions that the news media are attributing to them, and about the serious implications in the regional peace process."

Ortega, Cristiani and three other Central American presidents in August signed agreements in Tela, Honduras, to demobilize the Nicaraguan Contra rebels by Dec. 5 and pledged to ban all aid to insurgents.



Poll watchers examine 380 ballots, all in favor of the ruling party, found in a ballot box before polls opened in Sunday's state and municipal elections. More than 1,000 disputed ballots were impounded in Matamoros.

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Hundreds of ballots seized in suspected Mexican fraud

MATAMOROS, Mexico (AP) — The opposition claimed fraud in the northern state of Tamaulipas after election officials impounded more than 1,000 apparently pre-marked ballots.

The ballots were in polling boxes stuffed with votes cast for the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party, known by its Spanish initials PRI, before the polls opened Sunday.

At Matamoros precinct No. 35A, where only 18 people had signed in to vote by mid-morning, election officials counted 562 ballots cast in the race for state representative, and 429 in the separate box for the mayoral election.

Almost all of the extra ballots were marked for candidates of the PRI.

"The people of Matamoros will not accept this, and neither will the people of Tamaulipas," said Jorge Cardenas, candiate for mayor of Matamoros for the opposition Authentic Party of the Mexican Revolution.

Matamoros, a city of about 180,000 people, lies just across the Texas border from Brownsville.

Reymundo Padilla, president of precinct No. 35A, said he did not know how the ballots ended up in the boxes before polls opened.

Family, friends deny woman was hiding guns

THOMASTON, Conn. (AP) — The mother and friends of an American church activist arrested in El Salvador denied the accusations of Salvadoran police that she had hidden explosives and ammunition for leftist guerrillas.



J. Casalo

"Jennifer is working for the church," said Audrey Casolo, the mother of 28-year-old Jennifer J. Casolo. "She is working to help the poor people."

Salvadoran police on Sunday arrested Ms. Casolo and seized a cache of ammunition they said was buried under her house in San Salvador. Police briefly exhibited Ms. Casolo for reporters Sunday, but she was not provided an opportunity to comment.

Ms. Casolo, of Thomaston, is a representative of the Christian Educational Seminar, an ecumenical group based in San Antonio, Texas, that provides tours of El Salvador to visiting Americans.

Sen. Christopher J. Dodd, D-Conn., said he was assured by the Salvadoran ambassador in Washington, D.C., that Ms. Casolo would not be harmed.

Maj. Mauricio Chavez Caceres, an Salvadoran armed forces spokesman, said 40,000 rounds of ammunition for U.S.-made M-16 rifles, 40,000 rounds of ammunition for Soviet-designed AK-47 rifles, 203 blocks of TNT and 403 detonator caps were found in Ms. Casolo's house and at other locations.

Chavez said the cache "proves church involvement" with the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front, the guerrillas of El Salvador. Salvadoran authorities said they were tipped off to the arms cache by a rebel deserter.

President of Comoro Republic assassinated during rebel attack

MAYOTTE, Comoro Islands (AP) — Rebel troops attacked the presidential palace in the Comoro Republic and killed the longtime ruler of the Indian Ocean island nation, state-run Radio Comoro reported today.



Abderrahmane

Officials at the Comoro Republic Embassy in Paris confirmed the Sunday night attack without giving further details.

The attack came three weeks after President Ahmed Abdallah Abderrahmane, who had survived at least three coup attempts since taking power in 1972, won a disputed referendum that would have allowed him to stay in office until the mid-1990s.

Radio Comoro did not give a reason for the coup, nor did it report on the composition of new government. Various media and diplomatic sources reported that the chief of the Supreme Court will head an interim government in accordance with the republic's 1978 constitution.

The rebel forces launched their attack in the capital of Moroni, on the main island of Grand Camore, at about midnight Sunday, the French news agency Agence France-Presse reported.

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East German youth auxiliary criticized

Split with Communist Party could threaten group's future

EAST BERLIN (AP) — East Germany's official press today criticized the Communist Party's 2.3 million-member youth organization for breaking away, and said the leadership in Prague was paying "a bitter price" for resisting reform.

The official party newspaper Neues Deutschland said the decision by the Freie Deutsche Jugend to abandon the party could threaten the youth group's future.

The group, the traditional stepping stone to success for the Communist leadership, including party chief Egon Krenz, announced Friday it no longer wanted to be the "helper and fighting reserve" of the party.

In a commentary, Neues Deutschland spoke of a "loss of confidence" in the youth group, which it said is "struggling for a new profile and perhaps for its existence."

Another Communist-run daily, the Berliner Zeitung, offered East Germany's harshest criticism to date of Czechoslovakia's rulers, saying they were paying "the bitter price for the grave errors of the past."

The commentary traced the troubles of the party leadership in Prague to refusing political reforms and to "the illusory, risky business of trying to choke the call for democracy with police clubs 10 days ago."

It was referring to the police crackdown on demonstrators in Prague Nov. 17. The severity of the crackdown offended many Czechoslovaks and sparked an unprecendented series of protest that has forced the ouster of hard-line Communists including party chief Milos Jakes.

In another sign of the East German party's own problems, Communist sources said Sunday that huge amounts of money earned from Communist Party-owned businesses in East Germany are unaccounted for.

Party reformers have urged an inquiry to determine if the revenues were diverted, the sources said.

The charges of revenue diversion concern money earned at businesses, including trading firms and hard-currency shops, set up to earn West German marks and other foreign currency, the party sources said Sunday on condition of anonymity.

Earnings of the roughly 100 companies total from $3.8 billion to $6.5 billion per year, much of which is unaccounted for, the sources said.

"These companies have misappropriated money that belongs to the people," said one source.

The party sources said several high-ranking reform-minded Communists, whose names were not disclosed, have called for an investigation to determine where the money went.

The enterprises included electronics and transport companies and an art trading company, among many others, the party sources said.

They said the enterprises include the East Berlin company Intrac, specializing in trade in chemicals and metals, and a company identified only as one "for internal and foreign trade in radioactive and stable isotopes."

Such an investigation would be only the latest show of discontent with the party.

The party has lost about 200,000 people — or 10 percent of its membership — in the past two months, Neues Deutschland quoted Central Committee member Heinz Mirtschin as saying in its weekend edition.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Planes collide in Philippines

ZAMBOANGA, Philippines (AP) — Two Philippine air force planes collided Monday and crashed into a rice paddy near this southern city, killing all four crewmen, a military spokesman said.

The T-28 single-engine planes were approaching the runway here when they collided at an altitude of about 3,300 feet, said Maj. Dave Reyes, spokesman for the air force 3rd division.

He said a third T-28 in the formation landed safely.

The three planes were flying to Zamboanga from Cotabato City, 150 miles east of Zamboanga, according to Reyes. He said the cause of the accident has not been determined.

Callegas claims victory

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (AP) — Opposition presidential candidate Rafael Leonardo Callejas, a U.S.-trained economist, claimed victory today in Honduras' third free election this decade. Official returns were incomplete.

"I invite my opponents to join me in reconstructing Honduras," Callejas, of the National Party, told a cheering crowd at election headquarters early this morning.

In unofficial returns representing about 45 percent of precincts, Callejas had 443,287 votes, or about 50.2 percent, to 392,309, or about 44.5 percent, for Carlos Flores of the governing Liberal Party.

Official returns, much slower in coming out, showed a narrower lead. After announcing Callejas had 44,538 votes to Flores' 43,383, the electoral tribunal announced that its computer had crashed. The office then closed for the night.

Minor parties took the rest of the vote; only a plurality was needed to win.

Hungary picks method

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP) — In their first free vote in four decades, Hungarians decided when to choose the president of the new Hungarian republic, but returns today were inconclusive.

Premier Miklos Nemeth called Sunday's referendum a test for "all laws and regulations to bring about democracy."

Opposition groups favor postponing the vote until after parliamentary elections to be held by June. They say they otherwise cannot sufficiently organize a serious challenge to the ruling party candidate.

With 91.3 percent of the ballots tallied, 50.2 percent favored a direct election before the parliamentary elections and 49.8 percent were for postponement until afterward, said Pal Kara, secretary of the referendum committee in parliament told journalists.

Kara said the uncounted votes could still swing the vote either way.

Final results were not to be made public before Tuesday, he said.

Nyerere to lead talks

NAIROBI, Kenya (NYT) — The Ethiopian government and Eritrean rebels have resolved the knottiest issue confronting preliminary peace talks and invited former Tanzanian President Julius K. Nyerere to be co-chairman of future talks, former President Jimmy Carter said Sunday.

Carter, who has been mediating Ethiopian-Eritrean talks, said the decision to invite Nyerere to join him as co-chairman of the main talks was the last of 12 items on the agenda for preliminary talks.

During a whirlwind trip through the Horn of Africa, Carter said that although the preliminary talks in Nairobi almost broke down twice, "both sides got what they wanted by Saturday."

After agreeing on nine issues two months ago in Atlanta, delegations from the government and the rebel Eritrean People's Liberation Front (EPLF) resumed negotiations in Nairobi. Carter said they now have agreed on all three remaining issues, including a co-chairman, a secretariat and observers.

The delegations have asked Sudan and six other nations to observe main talks on ending 28 years of war, Carter said. All the observers will be named by Tuesday, when the preliminary talks are expected to conclude.

Uruguay picks Lacalle

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay (AP) — Uruguayans chose Luis Lacalle as president in hopes his opposition National Party would reverse three decades of economic decline in this once-rich South American nation.

In Montevideo, a Marxist doctor easily defeated all rivals to become mayor of the country's capital and largest city.

Eight hours after polls closed Sunday, the Interior Ministry had issued tallies from more than half of the 8,493 voting districts that gave Sen. Lacalle a comfortable lead.

Lacalle, who will take office March 1, has pledged to work with people of all political stripes in reforming Uruguay's state-dominated economy and easing its foreign debt burden. He pledged to build a governing coalition.

On the basis of party and independent tallies, Jorge Batlle of the governing Colorado Party — the son and grand-nephew of presidents — acknowledged his bid had failed.

Swiss reject changes

GENEVA (AP) — Swiss voters rejected an attempt to abolish the country's army by the year 2000, but the measure won much more support than expected in what one pacifist called "a slap in the face of the establishment."

The government tried to put on a brave face after 1,052,218 voters, or 35.6 percent of those who cast ballots, voted in favor of the proposed constitutional amendment that stated simply "Switzerland has no army." Opposed were 64.4 percent, 1,903,797.

Voter turnout Sunday was 69 percent, the highest for a referendum since the 1971 measure that gave women the right to vote. The anti-army vote was well above the 30 percent predicted by polls.

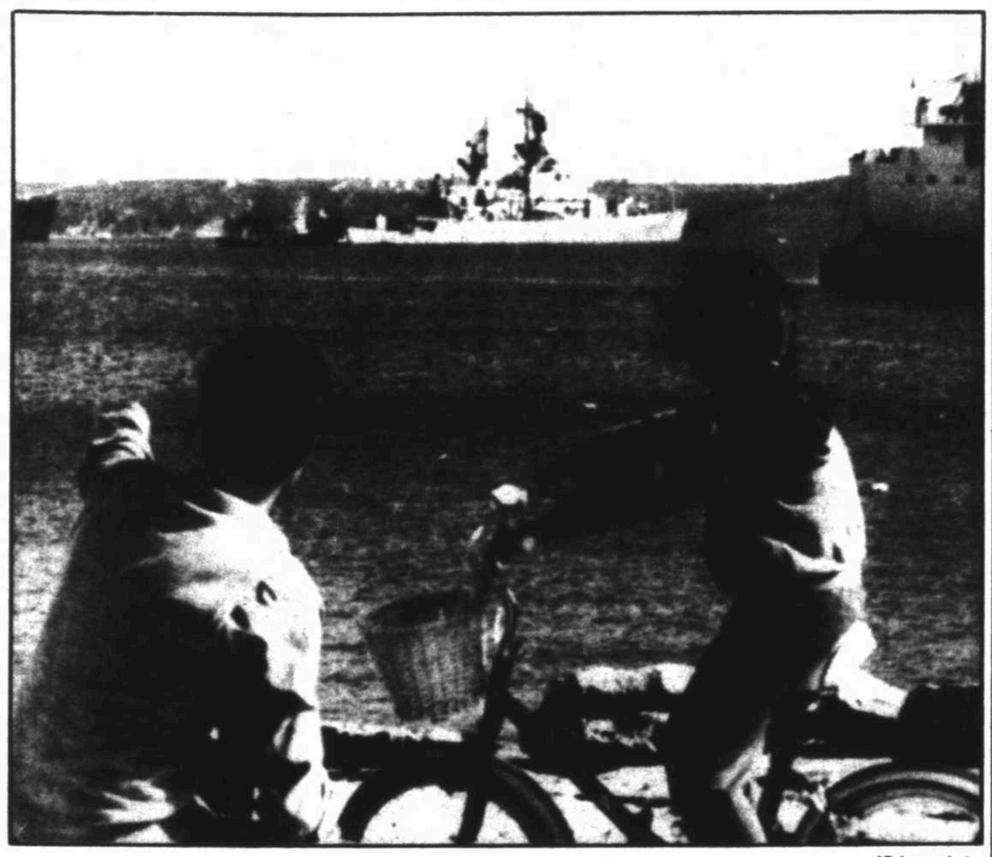
The government had urged voters to reject the proposal, saying a credible defense policy is vital to guarantee the country's independence and neutrality.

Payments agreed on

LONDON (AP) — Britain will pay Vietnam $620 for each Vietnamese refugee it forcibly repatriates on the first flight from Hong Kong, the Financial Times reported Monday.

The business daily, quoting officials in the Vietnamese capital of Hanoi, said Britain and Vietnam signed a confidential agreement about the payments Wednesday.

"The sum for further flights would have to be negotiated separately, officials in Hanoi said," the newspaper said.



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A Maltese man and his daughter look out at the USS Belknap, moored in Malta's Marsaxlokk Bay Sunday, shortly after the ship was maneuvered into place for next week-end's summit between U.S. President George Bush and Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev. The Belknap is the first U.S. warship to anchor off Malta since 1972.

Gorbachev counts on summit to boost his image at home

N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — In a sense Mikhail S. Gorbachev may be seeking the impossible in his Mediterranean rendezvous with President Bush, trying to project the image of a confident leader as the Communist monolith melts in Eastern Europe.

Some analysts here say it will not be enough for him to display more of the showmanship of the great Oz. "He must be more than reactive and show himself indispensable to this process," a diplomat said.

He observed that however fresh a spirit Gorbachev sought to inspire in Communism, he hardly intended to program so great a political trauma in a single season.

"He needs this one right now," said another Westerner, speaking of the shipboard appointment. "And he needs it far more than he first imagined for domestic consumption."

The diplomat was looking beyond the meeting's basic goal of building a better personal relationship between the presidents and reassuring each other that there will be no cold war exploitation of the momentous turmoil.

As important to Gorbachev, he said, is how the meeting plays to the Soviet public as another episode in the drama of Eastern Europe.

Almost lost in the graphic history of Communist subjects demonstrating by the hundreds of thousands for democracy elsewhere has been a complaint here, no bigger than a nettle at first, but increasingly defined: the issue of rescinding the Communist Party's monopoly over the nation's political, social and economic power.

There are no throngs in the streets, but the issue is appearing more regularly on dissident agendas and has sparked some passionate defenses of the party from Gorbachev.

Using the Malta meeting somehow to define the Soviet party as clearly essential and different from the now disheveled satellite parties would be an important goal for him.

Western diplomats also sense that Gorbachev, while still admitting that the scope of Soviet economic problems is too large and internally rooted to be open to easy American aid, urgently needs a definitive signal of trust in this area from Bush.

A more positive encouragement from the president to American businesses to pursue trading with the Soviet Union would serve as a special sign that goes beyond the expected restoration of most-favored-nation trade status.

Gorbachev has made a habit of unveiling surprise initiatives as he approaches these meetings. But this time Western analysts are betting he senses that there have been enough shocks for both sides lately and that the substantive, personal trust he needs now is better courted by being unsurprising.

But the question is whether the events of Eastern Europe can be that humbling to such a kinetic, optimistic politician.

"He's been very adaptable to date," said one diplomat, wisely hedging all predictions about Gorbachev and the change that swirls around him.

Army leader rejects ultimatum issued by Lebanese president

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Christian army commander Michel Aoun today rejected a 48-hour ultimatum by the new president to resign and said he would "die fighting for Lebanon's honor."

Military sources denied reports that Gen. Aoun's force and President Elias Hrawi's backers were massing troops.

"There is absolutely no move on the ground to suggest that a collision is imminent. The fronts are as they have been since the (Sept. 22) cease-fire," one ranking officer said on condition of anonymity.

Aoun, in an interview on French television, said, "I shall defend myself and the free (Christian) areas to the last man. I shall be in the forward lines of my troops and shall die fighting for Lebanon's honor."

"I do not recognize Mr. Hrawi. His election under Syrian occupation is unconstitutional," Aoun said. The interview are also broadcast by Christian radio stations.

Hrawi, elected by Parliament Friday to replace assassinated leader Rene Mouawad, told reporters Sunday he would not permit the existence of two rival governments in Lebanon and said he would replace Aoun as army commander within 48 hours.

"If he stays ... I must say with much regret that he will have to bear the consequences," Hrawi said at his temporary headquarters in east Lebanon's Syrian-controlled Bekaa valley town of Chtoura.

Hrawi, 64, sacked Aoun as head of an interim military Cabinet on Saturday. But the measure was a mere formality because Aoun still controls the military and has ignored the order.

"He still is general of the army, perhaps for no more than 48 hours, after which, if he stays, he will become an officer of this army," Hrawi said.

Hrawi pledged to rule from the traditional seat of Lebanon's Maronite heads of state in suburban Baabda east of Beirut, where Aoun has set up his command in the bunker of the shell-battered presidential palace. Hrawi and Aoun are both Maronites.

"Whatever is left of Baabda, even if it is one room, when his situation is over, it will be my residence," Hrawi said.

That touched off reports that an attack was imminent and that the Syrian army was moving in reinforcements to evict Aoun from the hilltop Baabda palace, five miles east of Beirut.

Christian and Moslem military sources reported no troop movement.

A cease-fire called by the Arab League Sept. 22 halted six months of savage artillery battles across Beirut between Aoun's 20,000 troops and the Syrian army, killing at least 930 people by police count.

Hrawi's aides say he is counting on the appointment of a new army commander to shake the troops' loyalty to Aoun.

Aoun has rejected an Arab League-brokered peace plan approved by Lebanon's parliament in Taif, Saudi Arabia last month because it fails to provide for a total Syrian withdrawal from Lebanon.

Syria maintains 40,000 troops controlling 70 percent of Lebanon under a 1976 Arab League peacekeeping mandate. Aoun contends the Syrians have become an occupying force because they sided with the Moslems in Lebanon's 14-year-old civil war.

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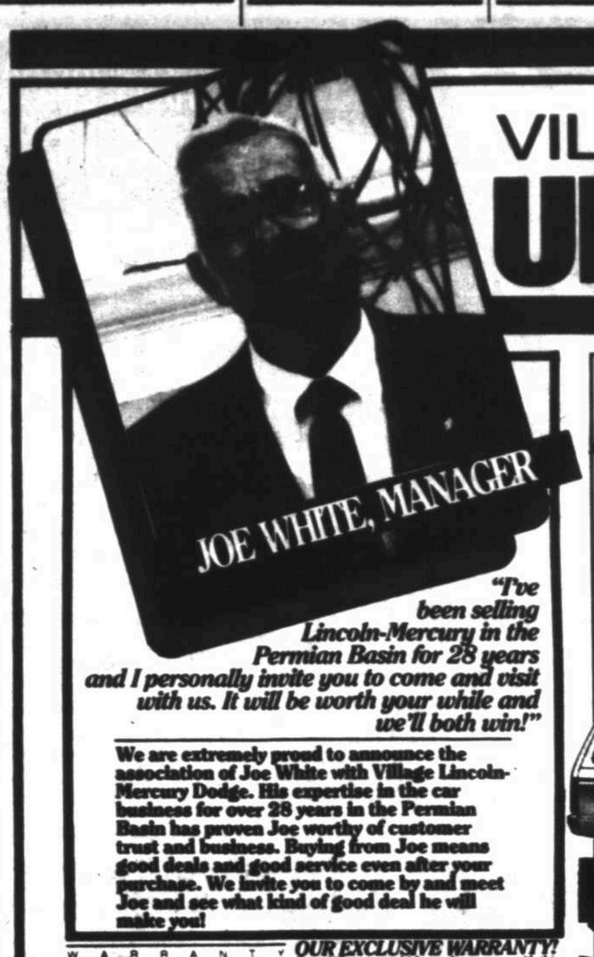
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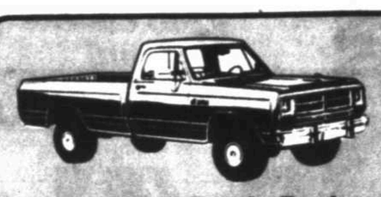


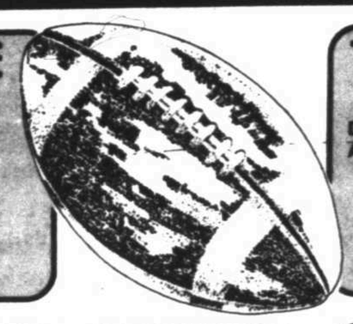
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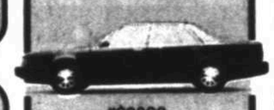


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216 Clerical

NEEDED Immediately Data Entry/ Customer Service Clerk. 1 - 2 Years experience preferred. Must have strong communication skills. Send resume to: Administrator, P.O. Box 3514. Midland Texas 79702.

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220 Sales Help Wanted

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$100,000 + RANGE
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310 Automobiles-Import

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1985 SUBURBAN Silverado package, electric windows and door locks. Tinted windows, running board, black with silver. $7950 694-1375/ 684-8574.

1984 CHEVROLET Short/ wide Silverado, 305, Gold and tan. Beige interior. 62,000 miles. $6750. 694-1902.

330 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

1984 BRONCO II XLT. Stereo, tape, air, good condition. $5950. Call 684-0824.

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340 Motorcycles

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SUBURBAN and Pick-Up seats, new. 1978 Fairmont Body; Plus 1970 Comet good engine transmission $850. 684-6354

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405 Garage/Yard Sales

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750 Lots and Acreage

14 ACRES Between Midland and Stanton. $9,500 Total, $1500 Down, $150 Monthly. Call 915-458-3394.

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FREE BROCHURE on Hill Country property & benefits information. Property close to Canyon Lake & Guadalupe River available. Call toll free 1-800-446-3509 anytime.

ESTATE SALE
The Executors of the H. G. Cross Estate will offer for sale by sealed bid the following tracts of land in Glasscock County:
Tract 1 - Section 5 and N/2 Section 12, R. R. Wade Survey. According to the Glasscock ASC office this tract contains 577 acres grass, 383 acres cultivation.
Tract 2 - Sections 4, 16 & 17, R. R. Wade Survey. According to the Glasscock County ASC office this tract contains 1701 acres grass, 219 acres cultivation.
Bids will be accepted for surface only, minerals only or surface and minerals combined.
All tracts located 20 miles Southwest of Big Spring in Glasscock County. uBids will be accepted until 2:00 P.M. December 14 at The First National Bank in Big Spring.
For information and bid forms contact:
Jimmy Taylor, First National Bank
915/267-5513
Gene Perry 915/ 398-5575
R. H. Weaver 915/ 267-8203
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