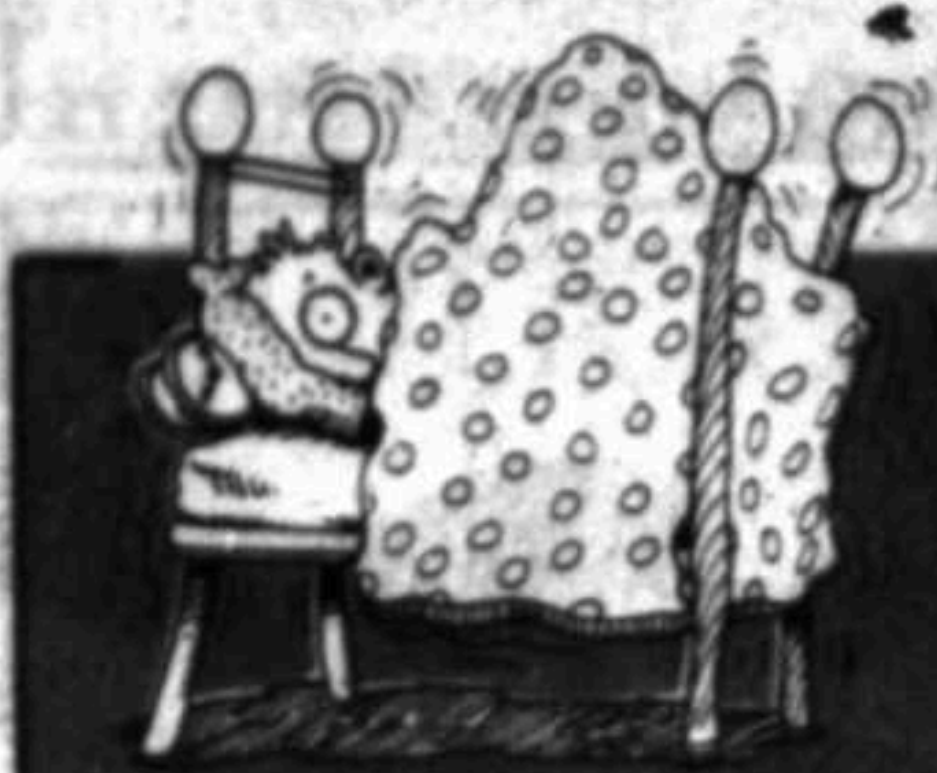




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NEWS WATCH

Ravaging fires

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — Wildfires ignited by arson and accident cracked across Southern California on Thursday after ravaging 500 homes and other buildings in Santa Barbara County and 80 homes elsewhere in the region.

A 3,500-acre arson fire that broke out late Wednesday near Santa Barbara was one of the worst on record there and continued to burn Thursday afternoon.

Please see FIRES/7A

Real Dick Tracy

CHICAGO (AP) — He doesn't wear a yellow raincoat or a two-way wrist radio. But police Capt. Dick Tracy is a real-life crime fighter all the same.

"I never claimed to be the Dick Tracy," he says of the comic strip character now played on screen by Warren Beatty. "I'm only a Dick Tracy."

Chicago Police Department Capt. Richard Joseph Tracy, 56, said, "There was a time when I did undercover work. The word got back to me on the street that people in Stateville (prison) were actually joking or bragging about being arrested by Dick Tracy."

Tracy was named after his father, a boilermaker born years before cartoon artist Chester Gould created the character in 1931.

Royal break

CIRENCESTER, England (AP) — Prince Charles fell from his horse during a polo match Thursday and broke his right arm.

The prince underwent a 45-minute operation under general anesthesia to set two breaks above the elbow, said his spokesman Dickie Arbiter. Charles was spending the night at a local hospital.

The accident happened during a match at Cirencester Park, Gloucestershire, seven miles from Highgrove, the country home of Charles and his wife, Diana. Highgrove is 70 miles west of London. The princess was in London.

"The prince was in the process of making a shot when he lost his balance," said Arbiter.

More about PEOPLE/7B



Prince Charles

Weather watch

By one measure, June became the hottest month ever in Midland history Thursday. With a high of 101, the mercury has met or exceeded the 100-degree mark on 20 days this month, including six consecutively.

The old record of 19 century-topping days was set in August 1964.

A high of 103 under sunny skies is expected today.

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Quota issue divides OPEC

■ In what amounts to an ultimatum, Iraq is putting pressure on its gulf neighbors to curb excess oil production.

N.Y. Times News Service

PARIS — A threat of hostilities erupted within the ranks of OPEC, and a Middle East war could drive oil prices up.

President Saddam Hussein of Iraq has warned Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates that they must curb their excess oil production.

In a clear challenge to Saudi Arabian leadership in setting oil policy, he has asserted that the two small nations are harming Iraq's vital interests, as well as those of the Organization of Petroleum

Exporting Countries, and called for higher oil prices.

Hussein's warning was served Tuesday in a personal message carried by Saadun Hamadi, Iraq's deputy prime minister, to the Emir of Kuwait, Sheik Jaber Ahmed Sabah, Arab oil industry officials said Wednesday.

The content of the letter was not disclosed, but Hamadi left little doubt in comments published in the Persian Gulf press Wednesday about the severity of its tone and the urgency of what amounts to an Iraqi ultimatum.

Arab affairs specialists noted that Iraq, which has emerged triumphant from its war with Iran, is bringing into play its military might, its intimidating proximity to neighboring Kuwait and its proven ability to foment political disturbances there.

The oil minister of the United Arab Emirates responded that his country

would not be intimidated, but there was no immediate response to the Iraqi stance from either Kuwait or Saudi Arabia.

"If there is an outbreak of hostilities within OPEC, it is about on schedule. We seem to have had one every 10 years since the 40s," said Julian Martin, executive vice president of Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners.

Martin said a Middle East war would certainly drive the price of oil up, but that was not how TIPRO would prefer it. "We would much rather Saudi Arabia take the role Texas did for 30 years and balance supply and demand." He added that hostilities would probably create severe shortages and force the U.S. to test its Strategic Petroleum Reserves.

Said Martin: "This threat is a timely warning for Congress. It is more evidence for not relying too heavily on this part of the world for our oil."

In addition, Hamadi, who is also Iraq's chief economic planner, said in Kuwait that oil prices, which now average about \$14 a barrel, should rise to \$25 a barrel.

Such a level, which is well above OPEC's price targets of about \$18 a barrel, would have a significant impact on world economies.

"This is a warning to consumers not to expect oil prices to remain below \$20 a barrel for long and a warning to producers in OPEC, like Kuwait and the UAE, who are exceeding quotas, that they cannot do what they want forever and that Iraq is reverting to its activist role of the 1970s in Gulf affairs to make sure things go that way," said Mehdi Varzi, director for energy research at Kleinwort Benson Securities in London.

The pressure on its two gulf neighbors marks Iraq's first open attempt since

Please see OPEC/2A

FDIC won't be pulling out during 1990

By John Paul Pitts

Business & Oil Editor

There was a time when the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. (FDIC) could not get out of town soon enough to suit most Midlanders, but now with 360 employees and a payroll in the millions there is a legitimate concern in town about the economic loss of FDIC to the community.

Recently that concern turned to fear when it was suspected that the agency might be deserting Midland for San Antonio.

Assistant managing liquidator Don Allen denied FDIC is in the process of pulling out of Midland this year. But, the ultimate fate of the FDIC office in Midland has not been determined.

"We just don't know what the future will bring. We work from year to year on our plans, but we will not be pulling out this year."

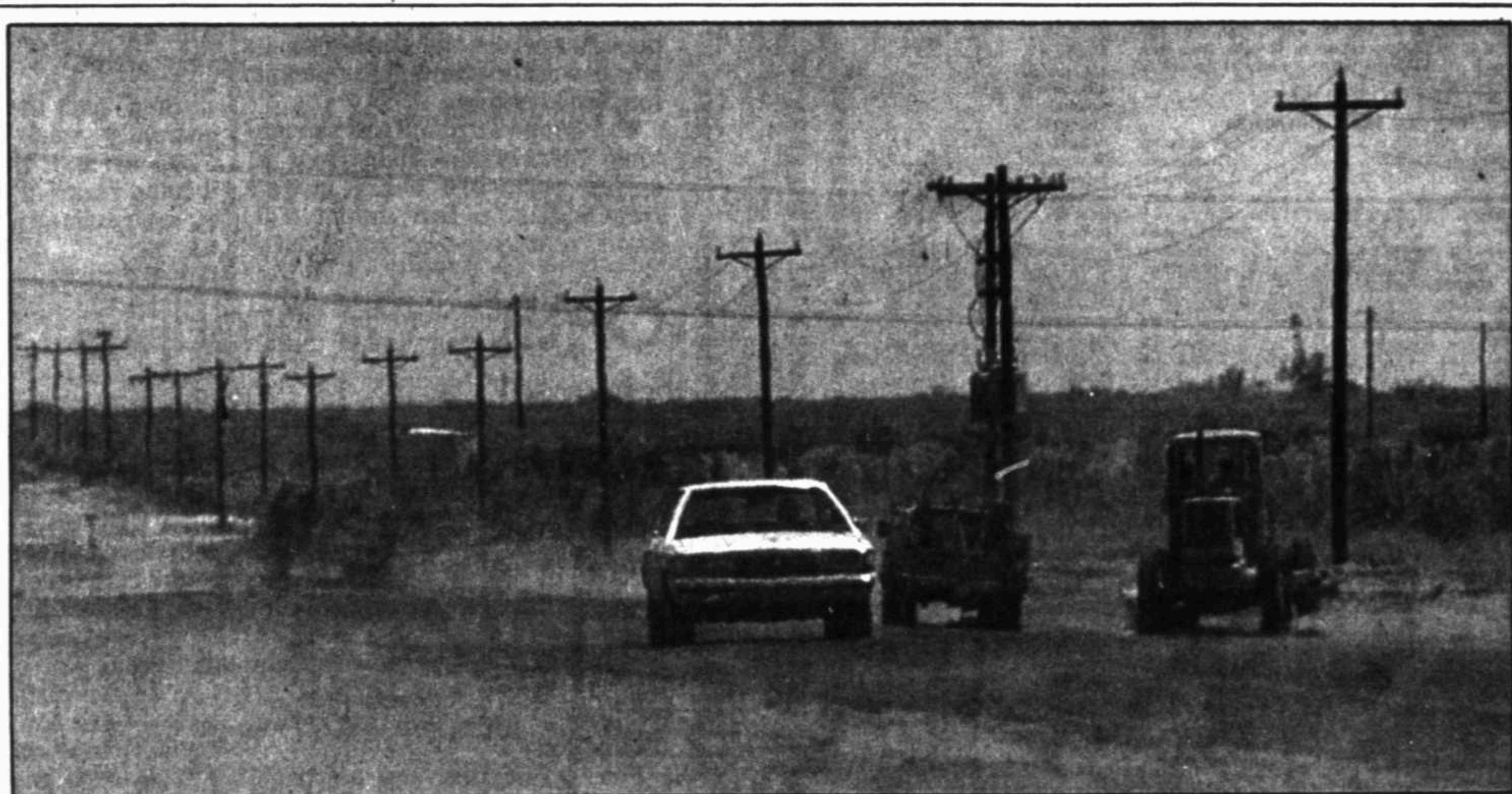
Allen noted that the Midland FDIC office still has \$1 billion in assets to work down, but said the federal agency never had any intention of staying in Midland forever.

Allen said conditions change in liquidation of assets and that FDIC has to remain flexible. "We're not like other firms that can tell you what we are going to be doing five or six years down the road. We respond to need."

He noted that presently the pressing demand was in San Antonio where the closing of National Bancshares Corp. (NBC) several weeks ago with \$1.6 billion in assets has put a heavy demand on the agency.

Rumors have persisted in recent weeks that the FDIC was in the process of closing the Midland office and moving to San Antonio.

Please see FDIC/2A



Beverly Shilling/Reporter-Telegram

Prolonged heat and drought have parched the West Texas topsoil, endangering this year's cotton crop and making conditions ripe for blowing dust,

such as on this roadway shoulder on State Highway 349 south of Midland.

June could be driest in history

By David Morris

Staff Writer

Three more days without rain — which forecasters say are likely — and this month will go down in the record books as the driest June in Midland County history.

However, local cotton farmers would get more satisfaction from a good rain than from knowing they lived through the most arid June on record.

"The cotton's dying," said Marc Traweck, Midland Farmers Cooperative gin superintendent. "No water, there's nothing it can do but die."

"An oil company or a print shop there in town, they don't worry about it raining. Out here on an old dried up cotton farm, it gets pretty critical."

Traweck said the drought could reduce this year's cotton harvest to half of last year's yield — which was half the normal harvest to begin with.

"When you're talking about a quarter of what you normally gin for a county, that's a pretty rough pill to swallow," said Traweck, a retired cotton farmer himself.

The only rainfall this month was a meteorological tease — a .01-inch sprinkle on June 15 — which did little to alleviate the current drought, National Weather Service officials reported.

After fairly normal rainfall amounts this spring, precipitation veered into the lower-than-usual range last month, National Weather Service meteorology intern Wade Earle said.

Please see DRIEST/2A

City, hospital to fight over last half cent of available taxes

■ Voters will have chance to decide if tax revenues will be used for indigent health care or economic development.

By Erin Blair

Staff Writer

A fight is brewing between city and hospital officials over the last half-cent of available sales tax money, and the two forces may clash in the political boxing ring Aug. 11.

Both sides say they want to raise the local sales tax burden from 7½ to 8 cents, the maximum allowed by the state. However, only one side — or possibly neither — can win.

City officials, who hope to use the half cent for industrial development, said Thursday that Midland County Hospital District's decision to put a sales tax proposal on the Aug. 11 ballot took them by surprise.

Hospital directors, who voted on their proposal Wednesday, said they want to use sales tax revenues to stave off yearly debts associated with indigent health care.

City officials, though, appear undaunted by the hospital's plans.

Councilman Jose Cuevas said the city has been discussing using the half-cent tax to fund industrial growth since last fall.

"The information I have is that we are still going to

pursue our half-cent sales tax," Cuevas said. He said a final council decision would come early next month.

Councilman Tom Johnston said he expects the council to vote unanimously to put the city's proposal before voters Aug. 11.

"The general opinion of the city council is let the voters decide if they want to spend a half cent for economic development or indigents," Johnston said.

Councilman Bill Williams said he regrets that the two entities didn't communicate better about their sales tax plans.

"It's the last half cent out there and voters may tell both of us no," he said.

Tom Bruner, hospital district board president, said directors have no intention of backing down on the tax issue, even though state law says the city would win should voters approve both tax issues.

"We have our own responsibilities and we must go forward," Bruner said. "We can't control what they do."

"Both propositions may be on the ballot and the voters can go for one, both or none."

The hospital district will use the \$5.8 million in property taxes collected this year to pay Midland Memorial Hospital for indigent care costs, he said.

However, those costs are expected to reach \$7.5 million this year, leaving a \$1.2 million shortfall after Medicare discounts are deducted.

"If the city makes its decision, we'll sell ours and explain to the voters why ours is the prevalent need."

Please see TAX/2A

Child abuse case ruling called 'step in right direction'

By David Morris

Staff Writer

Sandra Edge, for one, is pleased by this week's U.S. Supreme Court decision allowing child abuse victims to testify on closed-circuit television rather than face their alleged abusers in court.

Ms. Edge, the Midland County Victim Assistance Coordinator, said the court's 5-4 ruling could mean less trauma for abuse victims.

"It would be wonderful if these kids didn't have to get up and talk about what we as adults find hard to talk about in private," she said.

She said she has worked with four young aggravated sexual assault victims in district court trials this year.

"Watching these kids go through it, it's incredible," she said. "It's like having to go through the whole thing again."

Wednesday's Supreme Court decision held that closed-circuit testimony does not violate the Sixth Amendment right of criminal defendants to confront their accusers.

Prosecutors, however, must demonstrate in each case that "the child witness would be traumatized" by having to testify in the defendant's presence.

Please see ABUSE/2A

Lithuanian Parliament debates independence moratorium

VILNIUS, U.S.S.R. (AP) — Lithuania's legislators began debating a freeze of their declaration of independence Thursday, and some questioned whether Mikhail S. Gorbachev has the credibility or staying power to stick to a compromise.

Lithuanian Prime Minister Kazimiera Prunskiene told the Supreme Council parliament that Gorbachev had promised to end an economic blockade and begin negotiations if Lithuania places a moratorium on the March 11 declaration.

She suggested a resolution that would impose a three-month moratorium, to take effect when negotiations with the Kremlin actually begin. Mrs. Prunskiene told parliament Gorbachev will not require a freeze on laws that followed the declaration of independence. One of those laws replaced the Soviet Constitution with a Lithuanian document.

"The moratorium is only on the declaration of independence, not on all the other acts," Mrs. Prunskiene told parliament. "It's a political statement."

"The status of Lithuania doesn't change and the Supreme Council remains the same," she said, pressing parliament to accept a com-



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promise.

Parliament adjourned Thursday without making a decision. But Mrs. Prunskiene's assurances were not enough for many legislators.

"We fear that if we accept this, Moscow would immediately install an alternative government," said legislator Klemas Inta. "We fear that they could deceive us."

Lithuania was an independent country between the world wars but was occupied by Soviet sol-

diers in 1940 and absorbed into the Soviet Union.

"There is a panic in the country that we might be tricked," said newspaper editor Algis Cekuolis.

Inta pointed to the mound of letters the parliament has received from people opposing any suspension of the declaration of independence, despite Gorbachev's blockade.

About 50,000 workers have lost their jobs since the Kremlin cut all

oil, most natural gas and other raw materials and manufactured goods 10 weeks ago. The blockade is barely visible in Vilnius, the Lithuanian capital. Most workers still are earning vacation pay, hot water is flowing, and there is no need for heat.

As a result, there is little sign of the economic sanctions wearing down the republic's determination.

Several hundred people gathered outside parliament during the debate Thursday to protest the

moratorium proposal.

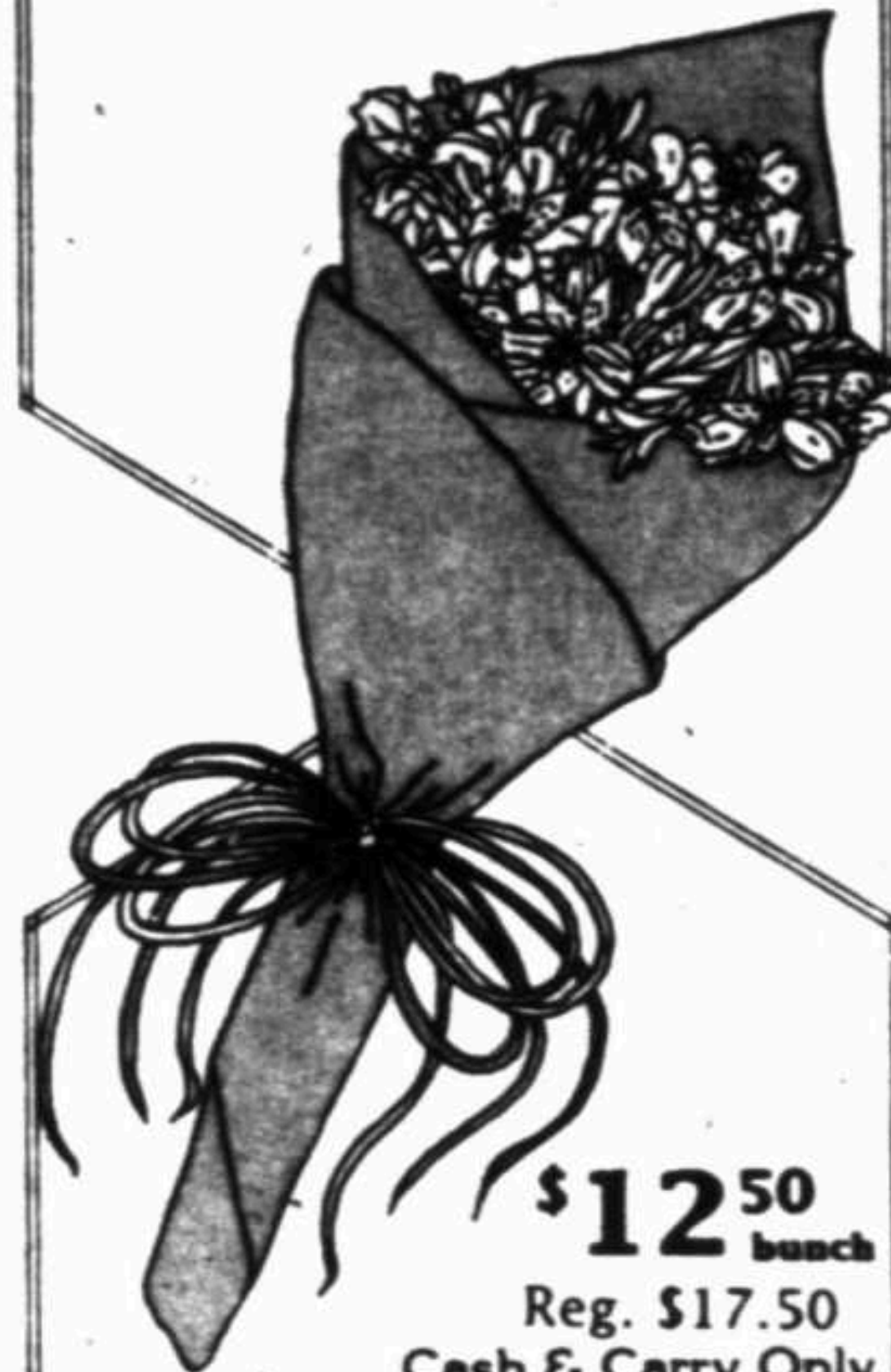
"You cannot give yourself up into captivity," said engineer Richardas Nomica. "A compromise is needed, but this is not it."

Mrs. Prunskiene told parliament it must accept a deal because the West is demanding a compromise,

and the economic blockade could turn Lithuania into a disaster area by winter.

Lithuania's president, Vytautas Landsbergis, told the parliament he would speak in more detail on the proposed deal Friday.

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Colombian car bomb kills 14, wounds 30

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — A car bomb exploded Thursday on a crowded street outside a police station in the cocaine capital of Medellin, setting nearby vehicles on fire, killing 14 people and wounding 30, authorities said.

Four of those killed as well as many of the wounded were children, Medellin Police Chief Col. Jorge Ferrero said in a communique.

No one claimed responsibility for the bombing, but authorities blame the Medellin drug traffickers for waging a terror campaign of bombings and assassinations in Colombia's second largest city.

Wednesday night, security forces deactivated a car bomb loaded with a half-ton of dynamite in a parking lot near a city government office building in Medellin, police said.

In Thursday's attack, witnesses saw a man running away from a compact car parked in front of the police station minutes before the bomb exploded at about 11:30 a.m., according to radio reports.

Police said the small sedan with false license plates was packed with 330 pounds of explosives.

"We heard a tremendous roar," a local businessman said in an interview with the radio network Caracol. "Several people were trapped in their cars and were burned up or blown apart by the explosion."

Another unidentified witness told the radio network RCN: "The only thing I felt was a huge explosion that threw me from my car."

Associated Press photographer Ricardo Mazalan said that after



the explosion people were screaming hysterically, crying and searching for loved ones.

"They've done me in! They've done me in! They killed my son!" a man screamed as he dropped to the ground weeping, Mazalan said.

The blast destroyed at least 10 cars and left a crater five-feet deep and 12-feet wide, Mazalan said. It also damaged a number of nearby stores.

Four people were pronounced dead at the scene and the others died in hospitals, Bernardo Guerra, president of the Medellin government's Emergency Committee, told RCN.

The dead included Miriam Nasa Sampayo, a reporter for the Caracol network, a policeman, and the wife and two children of a federal senator from Medellin representing the governing Liberal Party, Ferrero said.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Imperial wedding captivates Japan

TOKYO (AP) — Kneeling before an altar to the sun goddess and sipping sacred rice wine, Emperor Akihito's youngest son wed his college sweetheart Friday morning in a ceremony replete with symbolism.

The solemn 15-minute ceremony at the shrine dedicated to the sun goddess Amaterasu ended with the symbolic sipping of rice wine from a white ceramic cup, sealing Prince Aya's nuptial bonds with graduate student Kiko Kawashima.

Miss Kawashima, who has no royal background, has generally been welcomed as representing another step in bringing the palace and Japan's people closer together. She is the second commoner to marry into the royal family. Empress Michiko became the first when she and Akihito, then crown prince, wed in 1959.

The wedding was the first for an imperial family member in six years, and the first in three decades for a prince of Aya's rank. Aya, 24, is second in line to the Chrysanthemum Throne after his elder brother, Crown Prince Naruhito, 30, who has yet to marry.

3 Van Goghs stolen

DEN BOSCH, Netherlands (AP) — Thieves smashed a museum window Thursday and made off with three van Gogh paintings after the museum's alarm system, described as fail-safe, did not go off.

The Noordbrabants Museum lost the prize paintings of its col-

lection to thieves who jumped several fences and broke the ground-floor window of the gallery where the paintings were hanging, officials said.

Stolen were "The Sitting Farmer's Wife," "The Digging Farmer's Wife" and "Wheels of the Water Mill in Gennep." The museum's deputy director, Peter Veenland, said their total value was \$2.7 million to \$5.4 million.

He said the paintings were in-

sured but refused to say for how much.

Vincent van Gogh painted them while living in what is now the town of Nuenen, 18 miles from the museum.

Workers strike Chiquita

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (AP) — More than 10,000 workers seeking higher wages Thursday struck the U.S. banana giant Chiquita

Brands International Inc. Tens of thousands of other workers threatened a nationwide strike in sympathy.

"The strike is illegal; it doesn't make sense. We aren't going to pay higher salaries to our workers," Chiquita Vice President Eduardo Aragon said in a telephone interview.

Company officials refused to comment further on the strike.

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Philippines' Aquino bids farewell to 261 Peace Corps volunteers

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Soldiers wearing masks and civilian clothes fired on mourners carrying the coffin of a slain Communist rebel Thursday. President Corason Aquino bade farewell to hundreds of American Peace Corps volunteers.

The soldiers killed two people and arrested 21 others. They later forced cemetery workers to bury the rebel, whose coffin was dropped as pallbearers and other mourners fled the shooting.

The attack illustrated the pattern of violence that prompted the decision to suspend Peace Corps operations and led the U.S. Embassy to warn Americans to take extra safety precautions.

Mrs. Aquino addressed Peace Corps members one day after U.S. officials ordered all 261 volunteers to leave the Philippines because intelligence reports indicated the New People's Army planned to kill

or kidnap them.

"The decision of your government ... caught us by surprise," Mrs. Aquino told a farewell reception at the presidential palace.

U.S. Ambassador Nicholas Platt said the United States planned to return volunteers as soon as possible "to continue their efforts in development, in education programs side-by-side with their Filipino colleagues and friends."

Volunteers said they were summoned to Manila on short notice last weekend. Some said they did not have time to say goodbye to friends or pack their belongings.

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Welk's home gets needed makeover

STRASBURG, N.D. (AP) — The farm where Lawrence Welk learned to play the accordion became center stage Tuesday for a project to create a museum honoring the king of champagne music. About 100 people gathered to hear bands play German polkas, waltzes and marches, and Gov. George Sinner planted a tree during a groundbreaking ceremony at the farm where Welk lived until he was 21.

Sinner said Welk symbolizes the talent of the descendants of the Germans who came to North Dakota 100 years ago.

"They are people who work hard and play hard," Sinner said. "They are people who believe that artistic ability is at its best when it is for the common people."

The bandleader himself, now 87 and living in Los Angeles, did not attend but sent a letter of thanks.

"Little did I dream when I was growing up on the farm so many, many years ago that someday it would be restored and people would come and marvel at how life was lived in the early 1920s," Welk wrote.

The farm has been vacant since 1966. But folks in this town of 600 — about 75 miles south of Bismarck — decided to refurbish the farm to chronicle Welk's achievements and the history of his German-Russian ancestors.

Carpenters have finished rebuilding a granary and a buggy house, a summer kitchen and the outhouse on the farm where Welk's parents came from Russia in 1893. Renovation work is under way on the 25-by-28-foot sod house built by Welk's father at the turn of the century.

And a barn that was not part of the original farm is being turned into a museum of German-Russian immigration.

The cost of the project is estimated at \$750,000, including \$500,000 for a trust to maintain the museum after it opens. Welk Heritage Inc., which is coordinating the restoration, has raised \$150,000, including \$80,000 from Welk's foundation in California. It hopes to collect the rest from grants and donations.

Sharon Eiseaman, a spokeswoman for Welk Heritage, said plenty of visitors are expected.

"During the summer we have 1,000 to 1,100 cars a day going through here, down to South Dakota and back up to Canada," Eiseaman said.

One recent visitor was the Rev. John Nieuwsma of Holland, Mich., who stopped at the farm with his sisters to reminisce about growing up in the area.

"Lawrence never wanted to be a farmer but he made a deal with his father that he'd work on the farm until he was 21, in return for a \$400 accordion."

Welk kept his part of the bargain — and went on to one of the country's most successful band leaders.

In the late 1930s, the band traveled east to the William Penn Hotel in Pittsburgh, where "Champagne Music" was born.

His syndicated television show, now in reruns, is still a favorite among North Dakotans on Saturday nights.

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Fujimori must sell Peru reform plan

When Alberto Fujimori campaigned for the presidency of Peru, he did nothing to downplay his ethnic heritage. In fact, he campaigned as the samurai candidate. The peasants referred to him fondly, if inaccurately, as el Chinito, the little Chinese man. He is, in fact, the son of Japanese immigrants.

No matter that he was running against internationally acclaimed novelist Mario Vargas Llosa. Fujimori's vehicle, nicknamed the "Fujimovil," turned into a juggernaut that carried him from near obscurity to a victory in the recent presidential election.

The Fujimori phenomenon has had political analysts buzzing. Why did this Andean country, where most of the 21 million residents are either indigenous peasants or have a mixed Spanish-Indian background, choose a quiet professor of Japanese descent to lead them?

Speculation is that many Peruvian voters hope that Fujimori can make a special appeal to Japan for investment capital and other assistance. But even Japan can't solve all the problems of violence and economic hardship plaguing the country. There are no easy fixes for a nation strapped with a \$17 billion foreign debt, whose major export crops include the coca used to produce cocaine.

Fujimori also must grapple with a bloody civil conflict with the fanatical leftist guerrillas of Sendero Luminoso, the Shining Path.

The fact is that Fujimori's opponent, Vargas Llosa, plummeted in the polls after he started talking candidly about the need for a government austerity program and other tough measures to revitalize Peru's economy — interviews that sometimes appeared in major U.S. newspapers.

Peruvian voters may have suspected that Vargas Llosa was committed to the agenda of their wealthy countrymen and of the yanquis. They may have feared that he would neglect the interests of the poor in a country where the annual per-capita income is about \$850 a person. But if Fujimori is to lead his South American country to more prosperous and peaceful times, he may have to take strong steps to curb inflation and guerrilla violence — perhaps some of the very steps that Vargas Llosa advocated.

Peru, a land of towering mountains, Amazonian jungles and coastal deserts, has a vast untapped potential. But Fujimori must first discover a way to tame its staggering domestic problems and convince Peruvians that reform isn't going to be painless. But it could bring them benefits in the long run.

CHARLEY REESE

Much of today's culture 'trivial'

Two events side by side will sometimes spark an insight. So it happened when I switched from the evening network news, mostly about Donald Trump's troubles, to an old war movie about the defense of Tobruk.

All of a sudden I understood why I find so much of today's alleged culture repulsively trivial. I came of age during the war.

I was 2 years old when the Nazis invaded Poland. I was 8 years old when Hitler died in his bunker and pushing towards 9 when the bombs fell on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

My world then was one in which patriotism and self-sacrifice were givens. It was a world in which the news was about truly important events involving the destiny of millions and the future of mankind. It was a world of heroes and of villains.

The evil men in that world were no street-corner punks, two points above mental retardation, dumbly searching for a purse to snatch or a lone girl to rape. They were not timid Wall Street shysters chiseling old people out of their savings. They were men whose malice meant death for millions, whose evil genius convulsed and threatened the world. While evil, they were nevertheless brave and willing to take risks.

Who can possibly be interested in a nobody like Donald Trump? Trump has never done anything significant, written anything significant and, to my knowledge, said anything significant.

He's not even a financial buccaneer like old John D. Rockefeller. Rockefeller was a hard man, a genius who risked his own money and fought bloody wars against other ruthless financial pirates.

Trump just took his Daddy's money and credit rating, borrowed more from banks and people gullible enough to buy junk bonds, then bought some old buildings and built some tasteless new ones.

He created an empire of debt, not difficult to do in this age of easy bankers. Third-rate dictators who can't speak English have taken the bankers for even larger amounts than Trump.

Whether he keeps his debt stack upright or it collapses is of no importance. Why is so much attention paid to such a nobody?

He's nothing compared to any one of thousands of men who stormed a mined beach in the face of machine gun fire, who held a foxhole against an attack, who day after day took bombers or fighters into skies rent by steel and fire.

What kind of man is worth knowing something about? A man so empty he bloats his ego by piling up financial liabilities or a man who can step out of helicopter in a hot landing zone and fight his way to his objective? A man who runs around on his wife or a man so faithful to his comrades he risks his own life to save theirs?

If I didn't have to do it for a living, I wouldn't read newspapers or watch television. Sometimes I feel like screaming, "Who gives a (bleep) about Donald Trump's love life, Madonna, or the fate of some new movie release or some moronic demagogue or whether people wear this kind of bathing suit or that kind or none at all."

Sometimes the banality of it all is just too much. It seems to me no accident that the top game of the past decade was Trivial Pursuit. Or that George Bush is president. Or that Richard Nixon has become a respected elder statesman.

We live in an age of mental and moral midgets, and neurotic and dishonest midgets at that.

There's still lots of great people in the country but they aren't famous. But give me some news about a fireman or a cop who puts his life on the line. Leave Trump to the "National Enquirer." They deserve each other.

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JACK ANDERSON

Sale of Wall chunks to aid hospitals

EAST BERLIN — More than 1,000 doctors have left East Germany for West Germany since the opening of the Berlin Wall last November. They were lured by the possibility of earning up to \$5,000 a month.

Now, ironically, pieces of the wall are helping the dedicated doctors who remain behind to keep their struggling hospitals running.

That is why, when we toured a children's hospital in East Berlin recently, the doctors were full of gratitude for rich American souvenir hunters, including Nancy Reagan.

In an unusual venture, a state-run export company has teamed up with a West Berlin

business to sell prime pieces of the wall to the former first lady, among others, and give the money to hospitals. Everybody and his brother has a chip or chunk from the wall, but this new venture is selling the last of the large sections with the coveted graffiti.

Not long after the wall came down, the new government declared that "official" pieces would be sold and the proceeds used for urgently needed modernization of public health services.

While the communists ran East Germany for 40 years, they never pumped enough money into hospitals to keep up with Western standards.

The six-floor "Kinderclinic" we visited was considered the finest in the country, a showcase for the communist system. But it is at least 10 years behind Western hospitals. The only relatively modern equipment we saw was donated by an Ohio hospital or bought with the Berlin Wall proceeds.

The wall pieces are being marketed by a state-owned trade enterprise called Limex and a new private company called LeLe Berlin Wall. Co-owners Judith LaCroix and Christian Herms have already given \$625,000 in wall money to hospitals.

Limex and LeLe could have had all the pieces they wanted. But, they decided to treat the wall like fine art, reckoning that a limited edition print is worth more than a mass produced copy. They chose 300 sections of the wall with the best graffiti, including the work of some well-known graffiti artists. The rest of the wall, which has not yet been picked over and chipped off by do-it-yourself collectors, will become road base.

These are not pieces for casual souvenir hunters. The pieces sell for tens of thousands of dollars.

Word quickly spread among art collectors, and they gathered last week in Monte Carlo for an auction of 81 pieces by Limex and LeLe Berlin Wall.

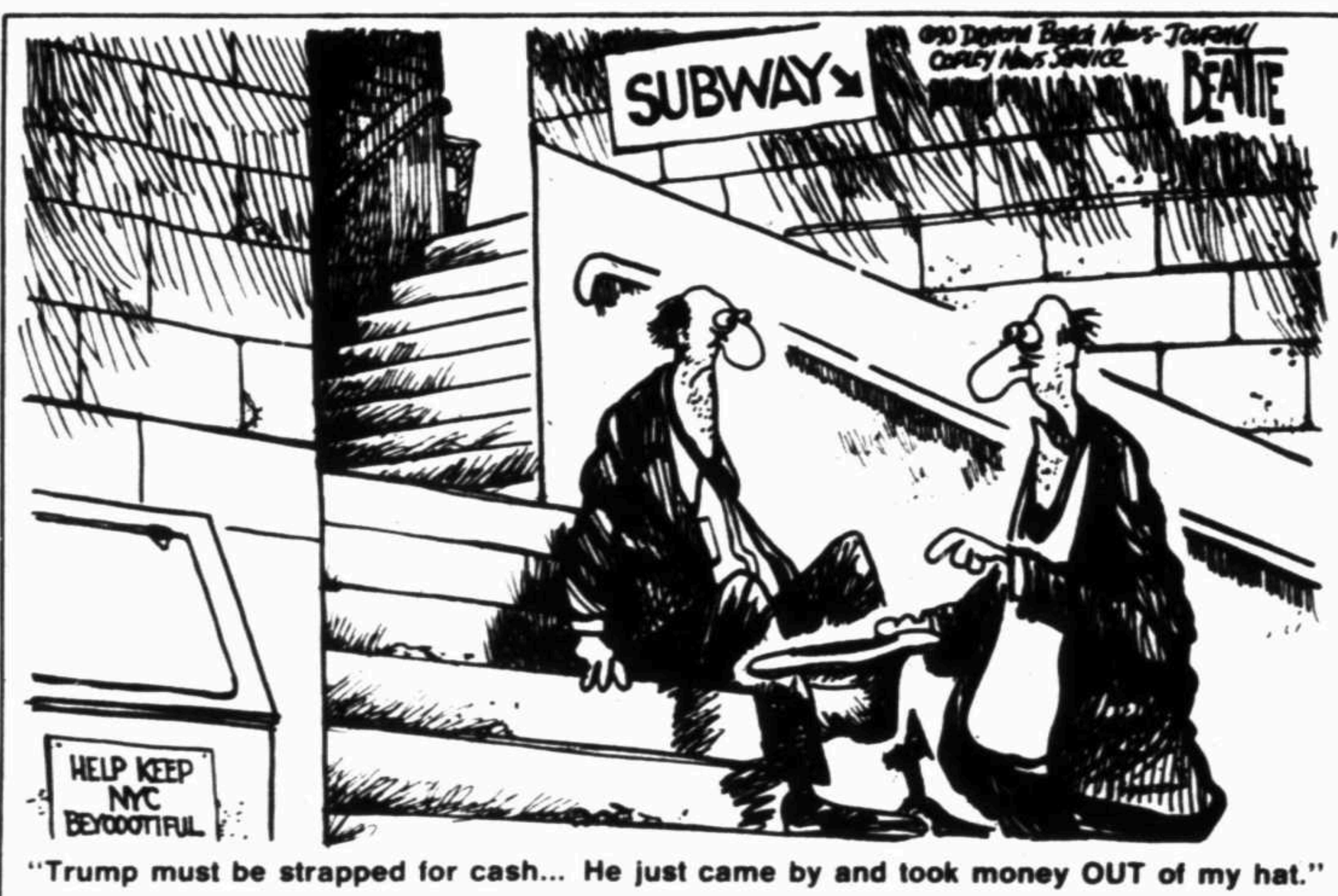
Before the auction, LaCroix confided to us, discriminating buyers had already spoken for some of the best pieces. Actor Gene Hackman spent several days in Berlin making his selection.

First lady Nancy Reagan showed her famous penchant for pickiness. She wanted a section in soft colors, with graffiti (but no obscenities) and preferably with a message about freedom. She ended up with a section spray painted in blues and greens with part of a butterfly winging its way to the top and the German word for freedom sprayed on the piece. It will go in the Reagan presidential library.

The buyers have to sign a contract saying they won't display their chunk in any way that trivializes the tragic message of the wall.

Footnote: Anyone interested in contributing to the East German public health system or buying the certified pieces of the wall can write to "LeLe Berlin Wall," Tempelhofufer 10, 1000 Berlin 61, Federal Republic of Germany. The company's phone number in Berlin is 251.76.26.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Supreme Court refuses role of playing God

The U.S. Supreme Court could be heard muttering the other day that life is, in general, a good thing — too good for judges constantly to be laying down over-arching rules about its preservation. Or its destruction.

In three consequential decisions, on Monday, a majority of justices declined to play God. This must have come as a relief to God, who isn't always so well-served when the nation's highest tribunal deliberates.

The learned judges spurned entreaties to sit in awful radiance, looks of infallibility on their faces. The court refused, 5-4, to overrule Missouri's determination to keep the family of the comatose Nancy Beth Cruzan from removing the feeding tubes that sustain her life. In 6-3 and 5-4 decisions, the justices upheld state laws requiring pregnant teens to consult their parents before an abortion.

The decisions did not say, yea, verily, Things Shall Be Thus and Only Thus. They said that the disputed protections afforded life were within the province of the states; that lawmakers were entitled to trash out these matters.

Justice Antonin Scalia found his colleagues not modest enough. He said they should not

only quit trying to write an "Abortion Code" but should forthrightly refuse pleas to crack hard nuts like the Cruzan case.

"This court need not, and has no authority to, inject itself into every field of human activity where irrationality and oppression may theoretically occur, and if it tries to do so it will destroy itself," Scalia said.

This life business — when does it start when does it end, and who may say so? — is as complex a business as we know, and getting more so, thanks to medical technology. Not many years ago, doctors wouldn't have known how to preserve Nancy Cruzan's life. Now that they know, what do they do with the life in question other than sustain it, day after day? What kind of a life is it indeed?

Not much of one. A once-vibrant young lady lies in what is described as a vegetative state. Maybe it is time for her to go.

What troubles the Supreme Court is that others are trying to decide for Nancy Cruzan, in a way contrary to that prescribed by her home state. Had she expressed unmistakably her desire not to be kept alive by artificial means, that would have satisfied Missouri. But her expressions to family and friends were deemed inconclusive. The court leaves it to Missouri — as to the other 49 states — to say what is "clear and convincing evidence."

The alternative is what? The High Court's sudden discovery of a constitutional Right to Die? If the court discovered any such thing,

off would fly the lid of Pandora's box. All manner of unforeseen horrors would buzz about us. Soon we would be hearing, not just of a right to refuse treatment but of a right to withhold treatment. The right to kill the aged, the infirm, the inconvenient.

Well, I mean, isn't that what we do now — exterminate entry-level life when it burdens or inconveniences the givers of life? The court, in the Cruzan case, declines to do what it did in Roe v. Wade — namely, establish a brand-new right, fresh as this morning's dew, and specify how that right shall be exercised.

The court's decision in 1973 to impose on the 50 states a uniform Abortion Code is the most disastrous judicial experiment in our history. A million-and-a-half babies get duly "terminated" every year, but the contradictions and confusions inflicted on us by Roe keep American law, and American mores, in turmoil. Parental consent laws are one response to that turmoil, and it is good to see the court upholding them.

One blessed day, the court will reverse Roe v. Wade, returning to democratically elected lawmakers the right of resolving this matter.

Meanwhile the euthanasia enthusiasts remain at bay. "Living wills" are up to the states to make available or not. But there's no constitutional right to suicide or worse.

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LEWIS GRIZZARD

Town tells McDonald's to jump in deep fryer

A woman at the Illinois corporate headquarters of McDonald's said the company has now served 75 billion hamburgers.

Some quick arithmetic tells me that is about 300 hamburgers for every man, woman and child in America and 2 million for Oprah Winfrey.

But McDonald is not going to add to that number in Helen, Ga.

Helen is a little town in the north Georgia mountains with the Alpine theme.

Tourists flock to Helen and spend a lot of money there sightseeing and buying trinkets. I've heard Helen described as "quite quaint."

The town gambled on the Alpine theme in 1968. "Before that," said Cliff Hood of the Helen planning board, "Helen was a ghost town."

A ghost town with dusty streets, vacant saloons, and tumbling tumble weeds might have brought in tourists too, if it had a name like Dry Gulch, but whoever heard of a ghost town named after a girl?

McDonald's wanted a crack at some of Helen's tourists, and you know how McDonald's

is. You can have mayonnaise only if they say you can have mayonnaise. Make way for The Golden Arches.

But the Helen planning board said McDonald's would have to live by its building and sign restrictions, which include no internally lit signs and only certain colors.

McDonald's at night looks like an airport. They could have put a few McDonald's in the neighborhood and saved the money they spent on lighting Wrigley Field in Chicago and simply used the glow Big Mac puts out.

According to Cliff Hood, McDonald's did agree to forget the golden arches and a lighted road sign. (There apparently was no discussion concerning whether Ronald McDonald would be out front waving cars in.)

And McDonald's agreed to add some additional wood trim. But McDonald's wouldn't budge on its big fluorescent lighted roof beams, which are also a violation of Helen building codes.

"A lot of people staked their life savings on the Alpine theme," said Cliff Hood, "and they didn't want to compromise it."

The end result was Helen refused McDonald's a building permit and told Ronald to go eat those silly shoes he wears.

Helen has a Wendy's because Wendy's agreed to conform to the Alpine motif.

But McDonald wouldn't and Helen stuck to its guns.

There ought to be more of that sort of thing. Cities and towns should say more often, "You want to put a building here? Fine. But it better not look like a space station."

There's nothing wrong with quaint. We like quaint. It's why we flock to Europe to take pictures of one another standing in front of a quaint little shop in a quaint little village.

You can't find a lot of quaint in this country anymore. We look like we've been designed by The Mad Architect.

There are hotels with revolving roofs, office buildings that look like they're about to take off for Mars and 8 zillion sets of golden arches lighting up the midnight sky where quaint used to be.

I visited Helen once, and the word I used to describe it at the time, wasn't quaint.

It was "tacky."

But I've changed my mind. "Tacky" is compromising yourself to accommodate an intruder.

"Quaint" is a little guy telling a big guy if he won't play by the rules, he can go jump in the deep fryer. Hooray for Helen.

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California blaze 'burning everything in its path'

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — Wildfires ignited by arson and accident cracked across Southern California on Thursday after ravaging 500 homes and other buildings in Santa Barbara County and 80 homes elsewhere in the region.

A U.S. Forest Service firefighting helicopter crashed in San Marcos Pass northwest of Santa Barbara, and the pilot broke his leg. The aviator was taken to a hospital, said Santa Barbara County spokesman Bill Douros.

The National Weather Service said a return of gusts that fanned

flames Wednesday was unlikely. Hot, dry winds had fanned the flames, which scorched 14,000 acres of brush in a four-county area north, east and south of Los Angeles.

Fires also burned in Arizona, Colorado, Montana, Utah and Texas.

A destructive blaze in the Los Angeles suburb of Glendale was contained after destroying or damaging 55 hillside homes Wednesday.

No deaths were immediately reported. One person was severely



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burned in Santa Barbara and three firefighters were seriously injured in Riverside County, authorities said.

Santa Barbara County, where rugged brush-covered hills rise sharply from the coastline, was hit

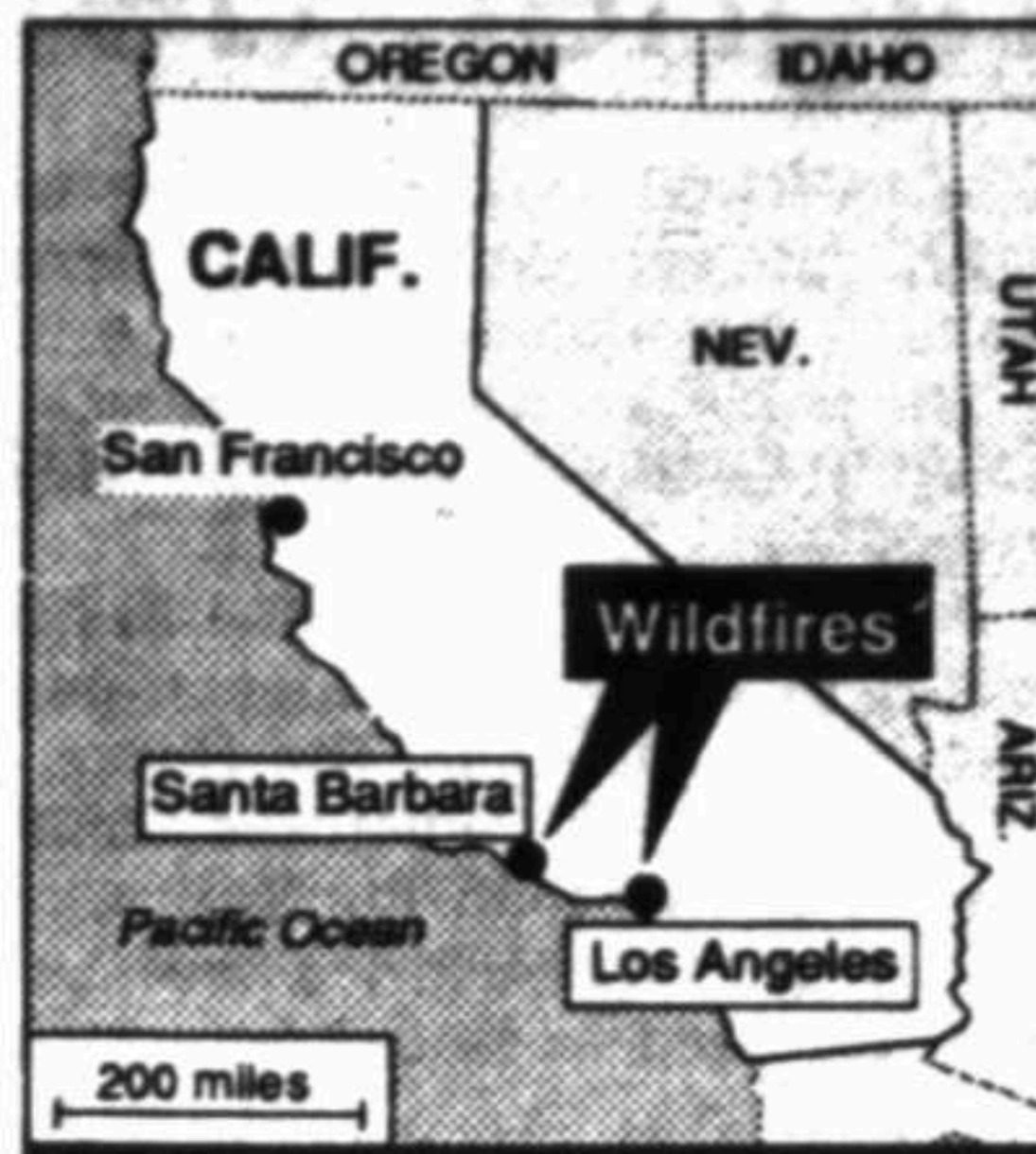
hardest. A 4,000-acre arson fire that broke out late Wednesday near Santa Barbara and the nearby town of Goleta was one of the worst on record there. It continued to burn Thursday afternoon, and firefighters would offer no es-

timate of when it might be contained.

"The fire is incredible. It came down from the mountains. It spread everywhere. It burned everything in its path," said county sheriff's department spokesman Tim Grasey.

The fire destroyed some neighborhoods; in other cases, it leaped over houses and left them standing improbably amid ruins.

Desert winds up to 60 mph pushed the fire through the hills Wednesday night, giving some residents little time to flee.



Barry's hotel videotape rolls at his trial

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jurors in Marion Barry's drug and perjury trial watched a videotape Thursday showing the mayor smoking crack cocaine and then being arrested by FBI agents during a hotel-room sting operation.

The fuzzy tape shows Barry twice inhaling from a pipe, and a few moments later, agents bursting into the room where he had come at the invitation of a long-time friend cooperating with the FBI.

"I didn't do anything," Barry said at first. Then, realizing his situation, he muttered, "I've been set up" and uttered a string of expletives at the friend, ex-model Rasheeda Moore.

As the videotape was played, Barry studied a transcript in the courtroom. His wife Effi stared, expressionless, at a television monitor. Moore, seated on the witness stand, viewed the tape on a small television set nearby.

Asked during a break in the proceedings how he felt about the tape, Barry smiled slightly but did not speak.

Barry attorney R. Kenneth Mundy began cross-examination shortly before the trial adjourned for the day, quickly asserting, "I think she brought up the subject" of drugs.

Mundy contended Moore had cooperated with the government because she needed money.

The tape was the talk of the city where Barry retains substantial popularity. It was played and re-played on local television stations, interrupted only by newscasters' and Washington residents' comments.

The crowd around a bank of television sets at one department



This frame from a videotape shows FBI agents reading the Miranda warning to Washington D.C. Mayor Marion Barry, second figure from the right, in a hotel room last January 18, 1990.

store included Joe Perry, who sighed and said, "He didn't want to go up to that hotel room in the first place but he was so arrogant that he thought he was bulletproof."

Three FBI cameras hidden in a downtown hotel room recorded Barry's visit to Moore's room on Jan. 18 and his purchase of an amount of the drug from an undercover agent posing as a friend of Moore's.

The tape shows Barry initially expressed reluctance to smoke the cocaine unless Moore did so, too. She declined his repeated requests, saying, "It makes me too hyper, I get really hyper."

"You do it," he insisted.

"No, I'm not doing nothing," she replied.

"No, you do it," he repeated. "I thought you bought this 'cause you wanted to take a hit," Moore said.

"Aw, naw, you do it," responded Barry.

But she didn't. At one point Barry said of a drug pipe, "I don't know how this work. ... I never done it before."

But a few moments later he walked over to a dresser, picked up the pipe, lit it and inhaled the drug. He appeared momentarily wobbly. Moore was across the room. Barry then inhaled again, and the federal agents burst into the room moments later.

Barry acknowledged a month ago that he smoked crack that night, and said federal prosecutors were trying to kill him by providing a potentially lethal dose of the drug.

His lawyer contends the mayor was the victim of government entrapment, a reluctant, inexperienced drug user on the night in question.

However, Moore testified Wednesday that she and Barry used illegal drugs together more than 100 times over several years.

Barry, 54, has pleaded innocent to 10 misdemeanor cocaine-possession charges, one misdemeanor cocaine conspiracy charge, and three felony charges of lying to a grand jury about his alleged drug use. One possession charge stems from the night of his arrest.

The videotape was shown after a morning of testimony during which Moore said Barry was reluctant to come to her room.

In one telephone call between the two, tape recorded by federal agents and played for the jury, he complained, "There are too many nosy roses around."

The videotape shows Barry asking Moore if her friend Wanda — the undercover agent — would "mess around."

"Yeah, sometimes," Moore said. "She toots (snorts cocaine) more than she'll do anything else."

Later, Barry said, "Let's go talk to her."

Barry first gave Moore money — she testified it was \$100 — to buy drugs from Wanda after the undercover agent returned to the room. The two went into the bathroom, and Moore emerged with a packet, the tape showed.

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Senate votes for assault weapons curbs

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate beat back an effort Thursday to scrap curbs on nine semi-automatic assault weapons and voted for tougher penalties for firearms violations.

"The drug traffickers have not stopped using assault weapons, they're not going to stop using assault weapons but at least we can stop them from using these assault weapons," declared Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz.

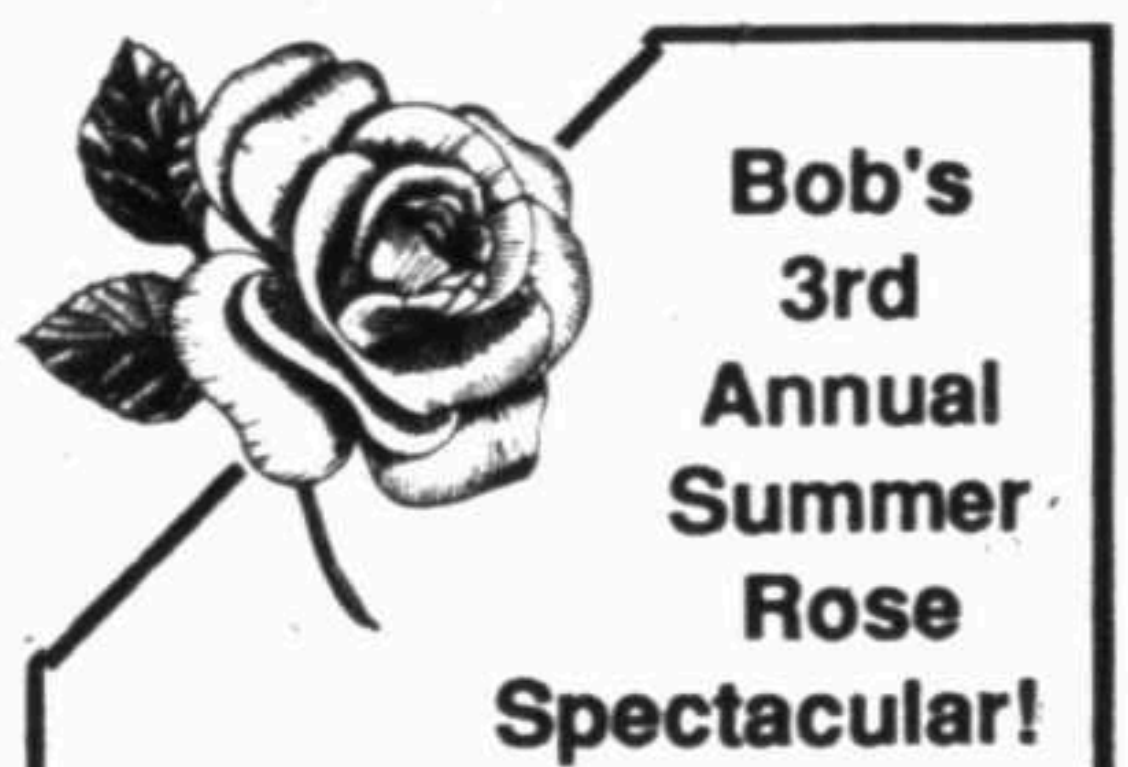
The Senate voted 50-48 in favor of keeping the restrictions as the members resurrected a broad crime bill. After that vote, it went on to add tougher mandatory sentences to the bill by an 87-12 vote. Forty-two Democrats were joined by eight Republicans in upholding the semiautomatic restrictions. Thirty-six Republicans and 12 Democrats voted against.

The bill appeared dead several weeks ago when the curbs on

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Democrats suggest higher defense cuts

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional Democrats upped the ante in the debate over defense cuts Thursday, suggesting during budget negotiations that military spending be cut next year by \$16 billion.

The reduction would leave fiscal 1991 defense spending at \$290 billion, about \$14 billion lower than President Bush proposed in his budget last January.

It would also surpass the \$13 billion in defense cuts approved last month by the Senate Budget Committee and the \$11.5 billion in military reductions passed by the House.

House Budget Committee Chairman Leon Panetta, D-Calif., who advanced the idea during Thursday's budget summit meeting, said the lower figure was justified because of eased tensions with the Soviet bloc and the need to find a way to lower the federal deficit.

"Somewhere, somehow, we've got to find spending savings, and defense is clearly on the table," said Panetta, D-Calif.

The ranking Republican on the Senate Budget Committee, Sen. Pete Domenici of New Mexico, said the suggested cuts were "way too high."

Administration officials at the budget talks offered no reaction to the idea, Panetta said. Discussions were to continue Friday.

Panetta said that to achieve the suggested savings, he would rely more heavily on cuts in weapons systems, Pentagon management and other overhead, and combat readiness than the administration prefers.

As they were discussing defense cuts, budget negotiators from the Bush administration and Congress received added pressure Thursday in the form of a warning from Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady.

In a letter to congressional leaders, Brady warned that the government's authority to borrow money will have to be renewed before lawmakers recess for their August break.

Such legislation, though routine, must be passed because the alternative is a first-time ever government default.

The measure is considered an excellent vehicle to which any budget pact could be attached, thereby making it difficult for members to vote against it. Negotiators would like to finish their work in time to attach it to the debt limit bill.

NATION IN BRIEF

Detroit greets ANC's Mandela

DETROIT (AP) — Wildly cheering auto workers welcomed Nelson Mandela to Detroit on Thursday after Cuban-American mayors in Florida snubbed to African National Congress leader because of his support for Fidel Castro.

Mandela donned a United Auto Workers jacket and cap as he addressed about 1,300 people at a suburban Ford Motor Co. assembly plant.

After Mandela's brief speech, a heavily guarded, 30-vehicle motorcade whisked him away to downtown Detroit, where he was scheduled to attend fund-raisers and speak to a rally at Tiger Stadium.

Before he left Florida, Mandela appealed for help from U.S. labor unions. Outside the Miami Beach Convention center, black supporters faced off with Cuban-Americans who denounced the South African activist's defense of Castro.

Marcos trial to jury

NEW YORK (AP) — A jury Thursday began deliberating whether former Philippines first lady Imelda Marcos looted her country of \$222 million and secretly invested the money with the

help of Saudi financier Adnan Khashoggi.

The panel was given the case after hearing instructions from U.S. District Judge John F. Keenan. They were excused late in the afternoon after deliberating for nearly two hours, and were to resume Friday.

Mrs. Marcos faces up to 50 years in prison and a \$1 million fine if

convicted of racketeering, racketeering conspiracy, mail fraud and obstructing justice.

AT&T cuts phone rates

WASHINGTON (AP) — American Telephone and Telegraph Co. said Thursday it will reduce its evening interstate long-distance rates by about 5 percent and day-

time rates by about a half-percent Sunday as part of a \$300 million overall price cut.

The company also will reduce the prices of operator-assisted calls.

Overall, if the Federal Communications Commission approves, interstate calling rates will fall an average 2.2 percent, AT&T spokesman Herb Linnen said.

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Homeowner incentive program out of funds

■ Thirty-two families purchased their own homes under the program and another 24 applications were being processed before financing for the project was depleted.

By Brian Pearson
Staff Writer

The financial well for a Midland housing program has run dry, but not before 32 families made the move from renting to homeownership.

Four months after the city's Homeownership Incentive Program began taking applications, the goal of putting 30 families into houses by October has already been hurdled.

"We're done," Midland Councilman Jose Cuevas said Thursday. "What a drag."

Cuevas, who helped launch the program here, said running out of the \$75,000 needed to meet HIP goals has been bittersweet.

However, the councilman said he has not given up hope that another funding source may surface, allowing HIP to find houses for the 24 families whose applications were being processed when the money ran out.

"We'll still be looking for other sources of funding until October," Cuevas said. "I would at least like

to find funding to get those 24 into houses by October."

Forward Midland is one agency considering taking part in the program, he said.

Under HIP, families can qualify for up to about \$3,000 in down payments and closing costs on a house. If the family lives in the home at least five years, the interest-free loan is forgiven.

A family must meet special income criteria to qualify. The applicants, who are screened by local real estate or mortgage agents, must find homes of less than \$50,000 value and pay about \$200 to enter an earnest money contract with the seller. The \$200 is later applied to the down payment and closing costs.

"It's been an aggressive program because of the cooperation of the realtors," said Rick Menchaca, the city's economic development coordinator. "They've been very cooperative. They've been the ones making the sales."

HIP is now part of the city's neighborhood reinvestment program, whose goal is to oversee projects geared to upgrade declining areas of Midland.

Cuevas said HIP is expected to be placed under the wing of Midland Neighborhood Housing Services on Oct. 1. The NHS, which is still in the development stage, should have \$1.7 million in loans available for buying houses, he said.

HIP officials hope to put an additional 60 families in homes by the end of 1991, Cuevas said.

Menchaca said HIP will likely be at a standstill for awhile. "HIP is not accepting applications until we secure additional funds," he said.

The city has requested \$100,000 in federal Community Development Block Grant funding for HIP for the 1990-91 fiscal year, Menchaca said. That money should help 43 families become homeowners, he said.

HIP originally had \$50,000 in loans available, but that money ran out earlier this month after 18 families took advantage of the program.

Cuevas said that funding ran out quickly because average down

payments and closing costs have run higher than expected.

HIP officials expected families to buy houses in the mid-\$20,000 range, but a number of the homes have been in the \$40,000 range, he said.

The councilman this month requested an additional \$25,000 in funding from the Midland Housing Finance Corp., which contributed the original \$50,000. Fourteen families soon depleted the extra money.

Overall, average HIP assistance per family has been \$2,290, city figures show. The average family income has been \$21,030, while the average family size has been 3.3 members. The borrower's average age has been 29.1.

Local police officers support drug testing

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Many Midland police officers think a proposed random drug testing program for police department employees is a good idea, but would like to see the program extended to other city employees, they said Thursday.

"I think it's good. I don't think there is a (drug) problem, but if you have a problem (arise) it's good to have a policy in place," Detective Jim Sevey said.

"I think anyone with any connection with the criminal justice system should be tested," he added.

Other police department employees expressed a similar sentiment.

"I don't take drugs so I don't have anything to worry about. (But) if they make one city employee do it they ought to make all city employees," Patrol Officer James Ross said.

But so far, only police department employees are in line for drug testing.

Fire Chief James Roberts said he would like his department to participate in drug testing but at this time the idea is just under consideration.

After a proposal for the testing is drafted, its legality must be examined by the city attorney before being presented to the City Council for approval.

Currently a pre-employment and "for cause" drug testing program is in effect for city employees.

"Before you are employed by the city you have to be tested and if (after employment) there is a reasonable suspicion to believe you're using drugs you can be tested," City Attorney David Reagan said.

Although the current testing constitutes a search, such practices fall under permissible guidelines of the constitution, Reagan said.

But in the case of random drug testing — such as is being proposed for police department employees — the question of permissiveness is not clearly defined.

Reagan said that the issue surrounding where the line should be drawn depends on whether the "public safety concern is so high that it's alright to test randomly."

"How far can you go with these public safety concerns is the question," Reagan said.

Therefore the drug testing proposal will need to be researched to determine whether it will fall into this category, he added.

Police Chief Richard Czech agrees with other department employees about such testing being confined to only specific employees.

"I agree but there is still some gray area in how the courts define it," Czech said.

But both Reagan and Czech said they can see how the nature of police work differs from non-public safety employees.

Other feedback from police officers about the drug testing proposal included whether it would be truly random and would include all employees and not just officers.

"It will be a computerized program. Two or three people will be picked every week, and no one will know who," Czech said, adding that, "everyone will be tested at least once every two years."

Czech said all police department employees, including secretaries and clerks as well as himself will be part of the testing program.

If approved, the program will begin Oct. 1.

Midland schools manage energy

■ Midland schools were recognized during a news report on CNN for having an energy efficient school district.

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

In the heat of Midland's record summer temperatures, Scott Layne is brainstorming ways to keep school classrooms comfortable while keeping costs down in the fall.

Layne, director of School Plant Services and Energy Management for Midland Independent School District (MISD), met with state energy management representatives Thursday to confer on energy conservation measures.

Keeping an eye on utility costs is just one aspect of Layne's job. The energy conservation-minded director — who has been employing his cost-saving tactics for MISD for two years — managed to shave \$100,000 off of the school district's bills last year.

Maintaining utilities for approximately 40 facilities last year, budgeted at \$1 million, cost \$99,000, according to Layne.

"We saved MISD 10 percent of what was budgeted," Layne said. "By saving on utilities, money can be channeled back into education."

Saving money maintaining Midland's schools is no small effort since many of the older buildings were designed to be used without air conditioning in the 1950s. Those type of buildings have classrooms which open out onto an outdoor corridor, and classrooms may also have many windows. On scorching days, teachers opened the doors and all the windows and prayed for a breeze.

"The best way to create an energy-efficient building is to totally enclose the building," Layne said.

He also pointed out that many of the older buildings were designed to utilize steam heat. "Some of those buildings have their original machinery," Layne said, adding that machinery usually has to be replaced every 15-20 years.

"The older buildings were built when gas was cheap," Layne said, "and some of the older buildings have an incredible cost per square foot of energy usage."

By 1976 all school buildings in the district were air-conditioned. Building configuration, equipment efficiency, exterior walls, windows and doorways are all components which contribute to or deplete energy efficiency, according to Layne.

After employing tactics from the Government Energy Management Office last year, Layne said he was eager to learn more and get even better results in the future.

The director, who has met with state representatives three times in the past two years, said, "It's a shame more school districts don't take advantage of services offered and learn ways to reduce costs without causing discomfiture in the classroom."

One easy way to keep costs down, according to Layne, is to keep classroom temperatures in a four-degree range. MISD classrooms are maintained at 72-76 degrees in warm weather and 68-72 degrees in cold weather. "Knowing the proper use of windows, is also important," he said.

Layne said MISD's efforts were nationally recognized around Earth Day. An acquaintance of his in New Mexico called him up and said Midland was mentioned on Cable News Network (CNN) as having an energy efficient school district.

Despite all his planning, Layne said "the best program in the world won't work if people don't cooperate. It starts with the principals, and they have done an outstanding job of convincing their staffs of the importance of saving money by cutting utility costs."

Cutting costs may even be more important this year with looming tax rate hikes, Layne said.

Layne said costs increased \$30,000 in 1989, up from 1987-88 because approximately 225,000 square feet were added to the school district in 1989. He said money spent this year on updating equipment and renovations will "show a payback in one to two years."

The director said he expected MISD's efforts at energy efficiency to serve as an example to other school districts. In the meantime, Layne said he was going to spare no energy in "exhausting every free service available" to cut costs.



Brad Lowry of TU Electric discusses energy conservation measures with Midland Independent School District officials and representatives from the State of Texas Energy Management Center during an on-site energy evaluation.

Ranchers donating lambs to rehabilitation center

Staff Report

ABILENE — West Texas ranchers are donating lambs to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center to raise funds to help crippled children in the center's first auction of Club Lambs for Crippled Children at 1 p.m. on July 14 on the West Texas Fair Grounds in Abilene.

Club lamb breeders are urged to share from their flocks wethers, rams or lambs to be auctioned for benefit of crippled children.

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center was established in 1953 as an out-patient rehabilitation center for disabled people in the Southwest. The center's facilities in Abilene and San Angelo now serve more than 12,000 children and adults annually. And the only cost to the patients or their families is for hearing aids or braces.

Admission to the center is through a physician's referral.

Of the center's \$7.2-million budget, more than half of the funds must be raised through donations.

Allen Turner of Ballinger is general committee chairman of the center's auction of Club Lambs for Crippled Children. Committee members include Norman Kohls of Glasscock County, Brent Drennan of Reagan County, John Kearney and Russell Kott, both of Sterling County, and Texas Sen. Bill Sims of Tom Green County.

Those wanting to make pledges or to get additional information on the Club Lambs for Crippled Children Sale may contact Mike Galaway at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene at 691-7200.

Dinosaur exhibit opens Saturday at former location of Thornton's

Staff Report

DinoSafari, a special exhibition brought by the Petroleum Museum, opens at 10 a.m. Saturday in the former Thornton's location in Dellwood Mall, Midland and Illinois. It will be shown through Nov. 25.

The exhibit features eight robotic dinosaurs as well as educational material and videos for children and adults. Fee is \$4 for adults, \$3.50 for senior citizens, and \$3 for children ages 3-12.

By Erin Blair
Staff Writer

Democratic comptroller candidate John Sharp said he will call for efficiency audits of school districts throughout the state if he is elected to the office.

Sharp, a railroad commissioner, said an audit of the Railroad Commission conducted shortly after he was elected in 1986, helped the agency streamline its operations and made him a believer in auditing.

"The Railroad Commission's budget is 25 percent less than it was in 1986; few agencies can say that," Sharp said.

"For \$10,000 in expenditures for the audit, we realized \$7 million in savings," he said.

He told a group of media representatives at a press conference Thursday that an audit is the only way to restore taxpayers' faith in government.

"There is a crisis in confidence in institutions of government that used to be reserved for federal agencies, but now we're seeing it in state government and school districts as well," Sharp said.

He warned of more tax roll-back votes and failed bond issues unless taxpayers can be convinced that schools spend their tax money sensibly.

Sharp said he was responsible for the inclusion of a provision in the special session's school legislation that gives the comptroller au-

thority to audit school districts.

"Our good school districts' reputations are soiled by the districts that waste money," he explained.

The audits would not be conducted by the comptroller, but bid out by the comptroller to private auditing companies. Nor would the comptroller tell the districts how to spend their money, Sharp said.

"I believe in local control," he said, "and teachers' organizations support this plan because they know more money will go to the classrooms."

"The only ones who will be upset are the districts that aren't performing well," he said, criticizing the 32 percent of school districts he said spend more money on administration than in the school-room.

Sharp is relying on publicity sur-

rounding the audits to rouse public pressure and force fiscal reform in districts. He said an outsider's perspective is necessary because school district officials "can't see the forest for the trees."

As an example he referred to a small East Texas district with a \$2 million budget that saved \$250,000 after an audit, \$130,000 of that in cafeteria expenditures alone.

Sharp said he would not attempt to audit all 1,300 school districts in his first year, but do a representative sampling.

"Taxpayers have a right to know where their money's going," he said.

Besides being a railroad commissioner, Sharp has also been a state senator and a budget examiner.

DEATHS

Bennie Elizabeth Fink

Services for Mrs. Bennie Elizabeth Fink of Midland have been set for 9 a.m. Saturday at St. Ann's Catholic Church with the Rev. Fred Nawarskas officiating. Interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Fink died Wednesday in Wellington.

Born May 18, 1912, in Yoakum, where she was raised. She married Charles H. Fink Sr. in the 1930s. The couple lived in Houston before moving to Midland in 1947. She received her nursing certificate from Incarnate Word School of Nursing in the early 1930s.

In the 1950s she went to work for Drs. Boone, Coleman and White. She was secretary to Coleman for most of the 26 years she worked for them. She was 72 when she retired. Fink died in 1989.

Survivors include: one son, Charles Fink Jr. of Albuquerque, N.M.; one daughter, Sharon Fink Jones of San Antonio; three brothers, John Wheeler and Jim Wheeler, both of Kerrville and Joe Wheeler of Yoakum; one sister, Rissa Casbeer of Victoria; and six grandchildren, one great-grandchild, three nieces and six nephews.

Mozell Tamplin Reed

Mozell Tamplin Reed, 78, of San Angelo died Thursday in a San Angelo hospital.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. James Andrews, associate minister of First Baptist Church, officiating. Graveside services will be at 4:30 p.m. in Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland. Johnson's Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Reed was born Sept. 12, 1911 in Big Spring. She was a member of First Baptist Church in San Angelo and was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, Clell W. Reed of San Angelo; one daughter, Rhelda Reed Ball of Houston; one son, Ronald R. Reed of Midland; two brothers, Arthur L. Tamplin of Big Spring and Elton Tamplin of Monahans; five sisters, Adell Holdren, Ophelia Trevey and Nell Walker, all of Snyder, Evelyn Davis of Midland

and Patty Williams of Lubbock. Pallbearers will be Bill Sykes, Bob Sykes, Mack Slaughter, Richie Oliver, Floyd Gentry and John Bowman.

Joe D. Williams

OZONA — Funeral services for Joe D. Williams, 68, are scheduled for 10 a.m. today at the Ozona United Methodist Church, with Tim Brewer officiating.

Burial will follow at Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Preddy Funeral Home.

He died Wednesday at a Houston hospital.

He was born April 22, 1922, in Ozona. He was a businessman and rancher and a lifetime Ozona resident and a member of the Ozona United Methodist Church.

He married Jeanie Reeves June 25, 1949, in Munday.

Survivors include: his wife, of Ozona; one daughter, Karen Walsh of Odessa; two sons, Joe David Williams Jr. of Roswell, N.M., and Michael Williams of Ozona; one sister, Mary Clayton of Ozona; four brothers, Charles Williams, Jack Williams, Gene Williams and Byron Williams, all of Ozona; and six grandchildren.

Jessye Johnson

Services for Jessye Johnson, 67, are set for 11 a.m. Monday at the Macedonia Baptist Church with the Rev. O.J. Archie officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of the Baker-Jackson Funeral Home.

Johnson died at a local hospital.

Lois Tanksley

Graveside services for Lois Tanksley have been set for 9 a.m. Monday at Resthaven Memorial Park with Frank Denison officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Thursday at a local hospital.

Ocie Wright

Services for Ocie Wright have been set for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Thursday at a local hospital.

Man robs Rainbo Bakery store

Staff Report

About \$530 in cash and checks were taken in a robbery of the Rainbo Bakery store, 2401 N. Big Spring St., Wednesday evening, police reported.

At about 6:20 p.m. a man entered the bakery through an open back door and approached the counter, police said. The suspect pushed the clerk, Olga Carrillo, 22,

and grabbed a money bag from the desk before fleeing, officials said.

During the robbery the suspect told Ms. Carrillo he had a gun. No weapon was displayed.

The suspect is described as a black man, in his mid-30s, about 5 feet 6 inches tall and wearing a white T-shirt and grey jeans.

Police are continuing to investigate.

Protestors say car firm weakens clean air act

AUSTIN (AP) — Demonstrators wearing surgical masks and carrying signs outside a car dealership Thursday accused General Motors of trying to weaken the federal Clean Air Act.

A handful of demonstrators, carrying signs that said "Honk if you like to breathe clean air," and "GM's lobby makes our air smoggy," drew honks from passing motorists, including some driving GM cars.

The Austin demonstration was part of a nationwide protest sponsored Thursday by the U.S. Public Interest Research Group. Demonstrations took place in Washington, D.C., and Baltimore, Md., on Thursday and in Michigan on Wednesday, a GM spokesman said.

"We are calling on General Motors to show a commitment to the environment," said Ross Crow, an Austin representative of the non-profit group.

Crow said General Motors spent more than \$2.8 billion in lobbying and political action committee expenditures in its efforts to weaken the Clean Air Act. Legislation that would reauthorize and strengthen the act is now before a joint con-

gressional committee attempting to work out differences between House and Senate versions of the bill.

GM executives successfully lobbied against legislation that would mandate stringent cuts in auto emissions by the year 2010, Crow said. The giant automaker put out the message that "cleaner cars can't be built because they are prohibitively expensive," he said.

GM may have spent \$2.8 billion in lobbying and PAC expenses, but not to block provisions of the Clean Air Act, said Grey Terry, a GM spokesman. The corporation supports tighter tailpipe emission standards as well as an overall reduction in auto emissions, he said.

But GM does not agree with the Public Interest Research Group on how far those restrictions should go, Terry said.

Automobiles contribute 54 percent of all carbon monoxide emissions in the United States and wealthy automakers can afford to build models that pollute less, Crow said.

GM has a pilot program to build and test cars capable of running on alternative fuels, Terry said.

Damaged paper plans to publish

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Times Herald anticipated being back in business Thursday evening after an explosion and fire knocked out power and forced the evacuation of about 150 employees. Two people were injured.

The newspaper printed its Thursday morning papers at the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, about 30 miles away, but decided against printing its afternoon edition, said systems editor Kevin Edwards.

The Star-Telegram continued printing advance sections Thursday for the Times Herald and was prepared to offer the newspaper use of its facilities for Friday's editions, officials said.

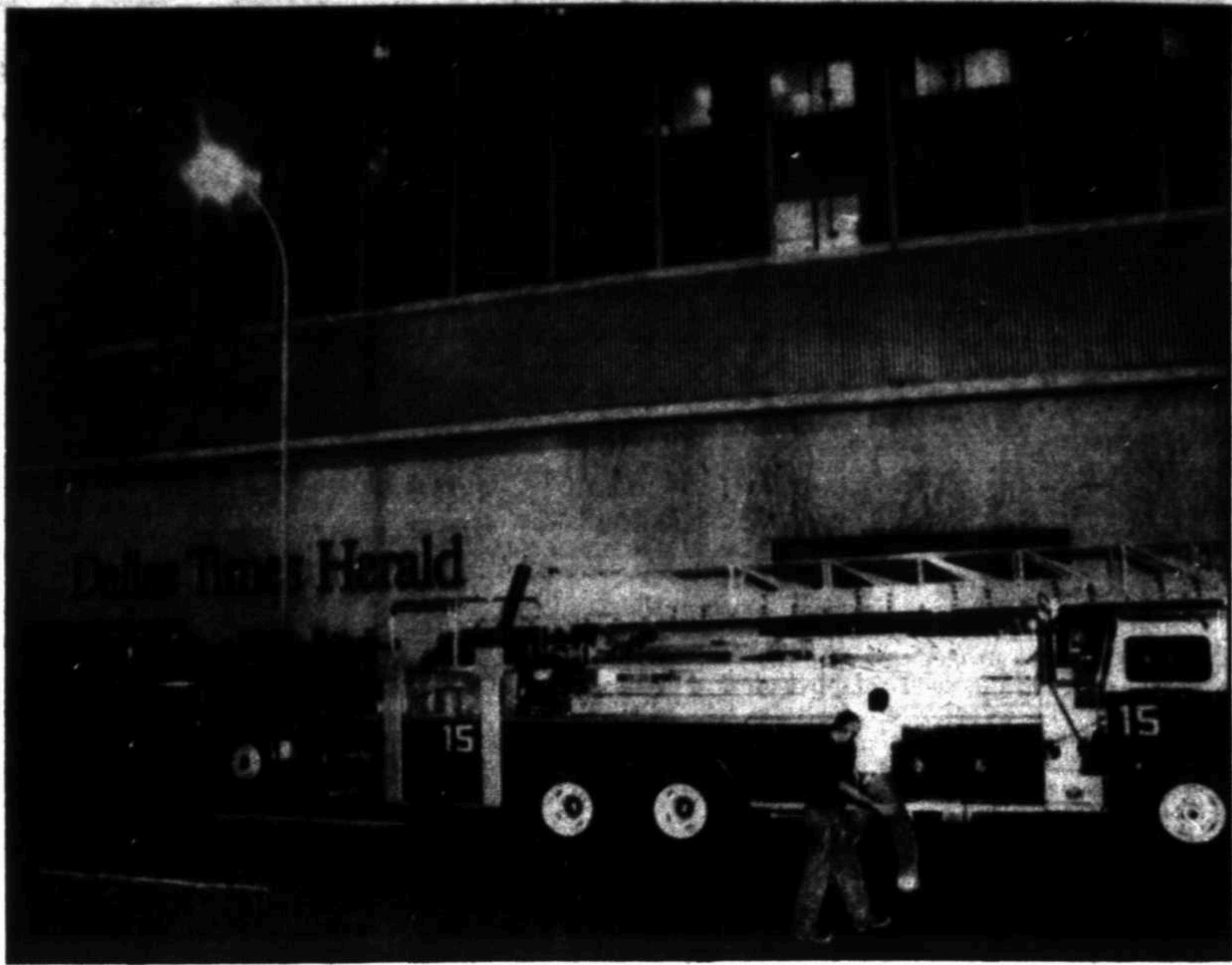
"The Star-Telegram will offer any assistance it can," said Richard L. Connor, president and publisher of the Fort Worth paper.

Deputy fire chief Larry Roberts blamed the fire on an electrical short that blew up "circuit breaker-type panels" near a printing press. One man was injured in the explosion and a woman was treated at the scene for smoke inhalation.

Bobbie Wallace, the Times Herald's community relations manager, said the newspaper was expected to be back in operation by 11 p.m. Thursday, but that only part of Friday's editions would probably be printed there.

"Everyone's attention has just been focused on getting the paper up and running," she said.

Generators were being hooked up early Thursday evening to provide power for air conditioning necessary to keep the computer system from overheating, said Ms. Wallace.



Dallas firefighters respond to an electrical fire at the Dallas Times Herald in Dallas, late Wednesday night. The newspaper's Thursday morning edition was printed on presses at the Fort Worth Star-Telegram,

which continued work during the day on advance sections for their Friday morning edition. The Times Herald was hoping to print at least part of the Friday edition on its own presses.

She said a part was being flown in from Michigan to replace the faulty transformer.

"The latest report is that the part is due to arrive at 7 p.m. and that will push the time back," she said. But, newspaper editions were still planned Fri-

day morning, said Ms. Wallace. The fire was reported at 10:48 p.m. Wednesday and was out less than an hour later.

Several reporters had fanned out to various Times Herald bureaus throughout the metropolitan area to work.

"People who have home computers were sent home to work because they have computers and telephones there," Edwards said. "Other people were given laptop computers and sent home, and we have rented a couple of rooms at a building across the street."

Firefighters pushed back by flames

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the blaze, Payne said.

Firefighters build fire lines by clearing brush and digging to the bare earth so a blaze will not have vegetation to burn and will die.

"Fire is very unpredictable ... you have to think safety," he said.

The blaze surged through an area of the park called The Bowl Tuesday. The Bowl harbors several endangered species including a newly discovered violet that hasn't yet been named.

The Bowl is the home to the largest Douglas fir in Texas, as well as the endangered Sneed's pincushion cactus, the McKittrick pennycuill and the peregrine falcon, which is nesting this time of year, Payne said.

The park is the only known place in the world where the penycuill grows and it's also a prime habitat for the black bear, park officials said.

The fire, dubbed Frijole Fire, started Monday afternoon when lightning struck Frijole Peak.

"This is the third year of drought in this area," Payne said. "It is the worst of the three years. We've only had a tad over 2 inches this year, where normally we would have had 6 inches by now."

Firefighting is hampered by the park's terrain, Payne said. Firefighters must hike steep bluffs of 2,000-plus feet. Of 750 people fighting and managing the fire, about 250 are camping out near the fire lines to avoid daily hikes.

Firefighters also are contending with 100-degree heat.

"Between the tactics and the weather and the rough, steep,

treacherous terrain including heavy vegetation, we expect the fire will increase in acreage," Payne said. "But so far, our tactics are going very well. We were able to put a line around southern end and eastern ends of the fire."

The 76,000-acre park contains 47 endangered species of plants. It is made up of 46,000 acres of wilderness and 45,000 acres of timber. Some of that acreage overlaps.

"It has the most threatened and endangered species and plants in one piece of land this size than any other place in the state of Texas," Payne said.

Crime Stoppers needs help with parking lot robbery

This week Crime Stoppers is seeking information on the robbery of a local Midland man that occurred in the parking lot of Albertson's on Midland Drive and Wadley Avenue.

On May 31, the victim drove into the parking lot and parked his vehicle next to a light colored older model Plymouth that was occupied by two females and one male.

As the victim got out of his vehicle the three suspects also exited their vehicle and approached the victim. The male suspect pointed a sawed off shotgun at the victim and demanded that he give them everything he had. The victim took out his wallet and handed it to one of the women. The suspects got back into their car and left the scene.

The male suspect is described as 5 feet 10 inches tall, average build with long brown hair pulled into a pony tail.

One of the female suspects was heavy set with dark shoul-



der-length hair, wearing white sandals and a knee-length dress.

The other female suspect was described only as being thin and wearing a light colored T-shirt.

All are Hispanics.

Crime Stoppers is offering up to \$1,000 cash reward this week only for any information that leads to the arrest and indictment of the persons responsible for this robbery. Call Crime Stoppers in Midland at 694-TIPS or in Odessa at 694-TIPS. All callers can remain anonymous.

Girl Scouts gather in West Texas

Staff Report

Forty-eight girls, from 21 states, will be arriving in Midland on Saturday to participate in "Home on the Range" sponsored by the Permian Basin Girl Scout Council. The two-week event will be a blend of Old West traditions and life in West Texas.

Andrea Tayrien, a Permian Basin Girl Scout, will be at the airport Saturday to greet her fellow participants as they arrive.

Participants will travel 1,800 miles throughout the Permian Basin as they visit the Pecos Rodeo, Balmorhea State Park, Monahans Sand Hills and the McDonald Observatory. They will also visit three West Texas ranches, the Heritage Ranch Museum in Lubbock and attend the renowned outdoor theater production of the play "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon.

Many communities along the way will host such old-fashioned West Texas entertainment as bar-

beques, covered wagon rides, Mexican Fiestas, Indian dancing and roping demonstrations.

Based in Midland and at Camp Mitre Peak near Alpine, "Home on the Range" is only one of 27 Wider Opportunities open to junior and senior high Girl Scouts throughout the United States this summer.

Peggy Caddell of Odessa, the National Event Director, says "Wider Opportunities are one of the best experiences available for older girls in Girl Scouting. An event of this magnitude provides growth and leadership development for the girls attending as well as the adults who have been planning the event for the past year.



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Rabies — a germ for all seasons

It's summertime, and more folks are heading for the parks, lakes and beaches. As people heed the call of the wild, however, they should also watch out for being bitten by animals, wild or otherwise.

Animal bites may cause rabies.

Human beings and all warm-blooded animals are susceptible to rabies — a viral disease of the central nervous system that, without treatment, is invariably fatal.

Rabies can be controlled if people understand the problem and know what to watch out for. Here's a list of signs:

- Bold, friendly or apparently tame non-domestic or "wild" animals;
- Night animals, such as skunks or foxes, that are seen during the day;
- Pets have difficulty walking, eating or drinking;
- Signs of excitement or viciousness in



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normally quiet animals.

A veteran should be consulted immediately if any of these signs are noted.

If a person is bitten by an animal, treat it as though the animal were rabid, and follow these steps:

—Identify the animal — by kind, size, color and location. In that regard, caution children to seek the assistance of a police officer or other adult.

—Have the animal caught, and immediately report the incident to animal control personnel or police. Keep the animal in sight, if you are able, until it is apprehended. But beware: trying to catch the animal without professional help means added risk.

—Cleanse the wound immediately and thoroughly by washing with soap and water. Rinse well, and disinfect with alcohol, iodine or some other disinfectant. This lessens the chance of contracting the rabies virus.

—See a doctor immediately after disinfecting the wound. The physician will decide on the need of treatment to prevent

the disease.

—If possible, have the biting animal tested for rabies or placed under observation. If it is alive and normal after 10 days of observation, the animal was not infective at the time of the bite. Also, a veterinarian should be consulted concerning all aspects of this confinement-observation period. The 10-day observation is not valid for animals other than dogs and cats, however. Wild, non-domestic animals such as skunks, bats, foxes and raccoons, should be immediately submitted by a veterinarian for laboratory rabies examinations.

The community can take major steps toward control of rabies by:

—Registering and licensing all owned dogs and cats.

—Impounding all stray dogs and cats.

—Testing all biting dogs and cats or quarantining them for observation for a period of 10 days.

Earnest C. Kiker is Midland County Extension Agent for Agriculture.



Washington State farmer Grady Auvil shows off some of his Fuji apple orchard along the Columbia River near Orondo, Wash. Auvil, 84, is one of a few growers pioneering the new variety from Japan.

A Fuji a day keeps the doctor away

By Nicholas K. Geranios

YAKIMA, Wash. (AP) — The Toyotas on American roads and the Sonys in American rec rooms may soon be joined by Fujis in American lunchboxes — a Japanese-bred apple that seems to be the fruit of the future.

Growers say Japanese bud wood grafted onto trees in the central Washington apple belt produces an apple that is crisper, tastier and more durable than Red Delicious, the industry standard since the 1920s.

The Fujis also are bringing much higher wholesale prices — not a minor consideration after three consecutive years of poor prices that have caused many growers to reassess the heart-shaped Red Delicious.

"There will be more change in the apple industry in the state of Washington in the next 10 years than in the last 30," said Brooke Peterson, a Washington State University tree fruit extension agent in Yakima County.

He likened Washington apple growers, who produce 60 percent of the nation's crop, to U.S. automakers who were "so big and so successful for so long" that they failed to respond to the Japanese challenge.

"All of a sudden they are nipping us in the heels," he said. As a result, growers must produce a better and more diversified product, he said. Currently, 70 percent of Washington's apple crop is Red Delicious.

"We're in a revolution in supplying the public with an apple more satisfactory to their needs," said Grady Auvil, a legendary grower from Orondo who pioneered Washington production of the tanga Granny Smith a decade ago.

Auvil, 84 and still out in his Columbia River orchard every day, is planting only Fujis on his 500 acres now.

The Fuji, first bred in Japan 35 years ago, has a longer shelf life, and shrivels on the outside before it softens inside, Auvil said. Too often, consumers complain of biting into a good-looking Red Delicious that is mealy.

Tastes in apples change just as tastes in clothing, music or other products change, some growers say. Where consumers once clamored for bright red colors and the heart shape, now they are demanding better taste.

The Fuji craze is reminiscent of the rush to plant Granny Smiths a decade ago. That tart apple now accounts for 5.5 percent of the state's crop.

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Cooling rains, friendlier temperatures awaited

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP)

— The state's usual hot, dry summer has settled in earlier than expected and almost every region is panting for rain and friendlier temperatures, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reports.

The only areas with fair to adequate soil moisture are North Central, Northeastern and East Texas. Most of the Rolling Plains region is in good shape but is drying fast, said Dr. Zerie L. Carpenter, Extension Service director.

He said the quickest change for the worst has occurred in Southwest Texas, the region west and southwest of San Antonio. Timely rains in April and May pushed dryland crops to peak condition but the outlook now is for failure. Ranges and pastures are brown and forage is almost gone. Some stock water tanks are dry. The same conditions hold true for counties between Laredo and Corpus Christi.

Good rains, after nearly three years of drought, also fell in the Coastal Bend during May but torrid temperatures, big winds and sudden absence of rain are again stressing crops and pastures. Ranchers must feed their livestock to keep them in at least fair condition.

Livestock maintenance feeding also is under way in Far West Texas, where ranges and pastures are deteriorating because of chronically dry weather. Some ranchers are moving cattle to greener areas of the state. Good crops of cantaloupes and onions at stable prices are being harvested.

Presidio County has started cantaloupe harvesting and marketing of Pecos County cantaloupes should start around July 1. Zan Matthies, Pecos County Extension Service agent, said some 2,000 acres of irrigated cantaloupes are being grown there.

"We are expecting good yields and an excellent harvest," he said. "Pecos County melons are noted for their high sugar content and excellent flavor."

Maverick County in Southwest Texas also is in the midst of cantaloupe harvesting, with good yields reported.

Presidio County has started cantaloupe harvesting, and marketing of Pecos County cantaloupes should start around July 1.

Carpetter said that in South Texas, continued dry weather is causing rapid decline in ranges and pastures but cattle are still in good shape overall. Corn is doughing and denting, cotton is setting bolls, sorghum is 25 percent mature and all are in fair to good condition.

He said Panhandle ranges are dry but providing ample grazing for cattle. Dryland wheat harvesting is well along but irrigated wheat won't be ready until the last week of June and the first week of July. Some alfalfa producers are into second cuttings.

All South Plains crops need rain, especially cotton. Ranges are declining. About 50 percent of the wheat crop is harvested. Sorghum planting is proceeding but some growers are waiting for rain. Irrigated corn and cotton are growing well.

Carpenter said stubborn dry weather is causing problems in South Central Texas. Some sorghum has been lost and stock tanks are getting low. Pastures are in fair to good shape but are stressing, and nitrate toxicity in forage is possible. Cattle remain in good to excellent condition. Sorghum is coloring, corn is doughing, oats are being harvested and late peaches are ripening.

The following specific crop, livestock and weather conditions for the past week were reported by district Extension Service agents:

PANHANDLE: Soil moisture is short to very dry. Dryland wheat harvesting is well under way but irrigated wheat is still green with harvest expected in late June and early July. Some alfalfa growers are getting second cuttings. Livestock are in good condition but ranges will need rain soon.

SOUTH PLAINS: Soil moisture is much too short and all crops, ranges and pastures need rain. Dryland cotton is stressing but irrigated corn and cotton are growing normally. Wheat is about half harvested. Sorghum planting is proceeding but some producers are waiting for rain.

ROLLING PLAINS: Soil moisture is generally adequate but the district's sandy areas could use rain. Livestock are in good condition on ranges. The wheat harvest is nearly done, with yields varying from 10 to 60 bushels an acre. Cotton is up to good stands and growing well in most counties. Peanut planting is complete, with good stands reported. Peaches are ripening in Throckmorton County.

NORTH CENTRAL: Soil moisture is short to adequate. Corn is 30 percent silked, cotton is 20 percent squared, wheat is 25 to 90 percent harvested and sorghum is mostly planted. Wheat yields are average to below, with most in the 20 to 30-bushel-per-acre range. Oats are yielding well, peanuts are 30 percent planted and hay production is down. Peach yields are high in quantity and quality, and the pecan nut set is favorable.

NORTHEAST: Soil moisture is adequate. Wheat is 50 percent harvested, corn crops are fair to good and plentiful forage is keeping cattle in good shape for strong markets. Hay yields are lighter than usual. Early peaches are yielding well and pecan prospects are promising.

FAR WEST: Soil moisture is too short. Range and pastures are declining and some cattle raisers are leasing pastures in greener areas of the state. Livestock maintenance feeding continues. Onion harvesting continues. Presidio County has begun cantaloupe harvesting and Pecos County harvest-

ing should start by July 1. The peach crop appears light.

WEST CENTRAL: Soil moisture is generally too short, although Coke County received 1.5 to 4 inches this past week. Ranges and livestock are fair to good but sheep prices remain weak. Wheat is getting 10 to 40 bushels per acre. Cotton is growing well but sorghum is suffering for rain. Peanuts are almost all planted and irrigation is producing good stands. Peaches are nearing maturity, with big yields expected.

CENTRAL: Pastures are still producing adequate forage but rain would help. Grasshoppers are increasing in numbers. Vegetable production is active and markets are busy.

EAST: Weather conditions are dry and hot but most counties still have sufficient soil moisture. Excellent pastures are showing some stress. Cattle are in good condition and markets are steady. Fresh vegetables are plentiful. A good peach crop is being picked but there are brown rot problems. Pecan nut set is good.

SOUTH CENTRAL: Short soil moisture is causing pasture stress and there is danger of nitrate toxicity in sorghum forages. Cattle, however, are in to excellent shape. Some sorghum has been lost to drought. Cotton is squaring, corn is doughing, oats are being harvested and peanut planting is complete. Late peaches are ripening.

UPPER COAST: Soil moisture is short to adequate. Crop cultivation, hay cutting and rice flooding are major activities. Feed grains need rain. Soybeans are 15 to 90 percent planted, peanuts are 50 to 100 percent planted and oats are about 40 percent harvested.

SOUTHWEST: Because of drought and temperatures at 100 degrees or over, most dryland crops are dried up and probably will be lost. Pastures are brown and forage is scarce but cattle remain in good shape. Irrigated crops are growing normally. Onion harvesting is continuing and cucumbers and melons are progressing.

Dish can spot weevils

WASHINGTON (AP) — The French SPOT-1 satellite is helping U.S. and Texas agriculture officials find boll weevil sanctuaries in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, a Weslaco-based researcher said.

The satellite may someday be used to find all the south Texas cotton growers who don't destroy harvested cotton fields, said Jerry Richardson, a U.S. Department of Agriculture physicist.

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Republicans at odds over platform on abortion

■ The president of an anti-abortion group tells delegates to the GOP convention that his organization will soon purchase advertising denouncing Democratic candidate Ann Richards for her stand on abortion.

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Republicans on Wednesday fought between themselves over abortion with each side predicting the other's position would chase voters to the Democratic fold in November. State GOP leaders have endorsed a proposal they said represents a realistic attempt to restrict abortions and score political points against Democrats.

But that plan was under attack from two sides — those who want tighter restrictions and those who believe a woman should be free to decide whether to have an abortion.

Keane McClelland of Dallas told a Platform and Resolutions subcommittee that the party leadership plan is "trading the lives of unborn children for votes."

Sandra Crosnoe of Dallas, a board member of the Texas Republicans for Life, said, "The policy of this party is life."

But some argued for a pro-choice platform.

"This is the party of the individual," said James Ryan of Austin. "It is not the party of big government."



'The pro-life movement goes completely against what the Republican Party stands for.'

— Dixie Davis, Charlotte, Texas, convention delegate

Dixie Davis of Charlotte said those who oppose abortions are usually against funding programs that help children once they're born.

"The pro-life movement goes completely against what the Republican Party stands for," she said.

Ms. Davis said an anti-abortion platform for Republicans would give Democratic gubernatorial nominee Ann Richards more support.

But Bill Price, president of Texans United for Life, said the party

leadership stand against abortion would put Ms. Richards on the defensive.

This plan would combine a constitutional amendment banning abortions except when the life of the mother is endangered with a legislative agenda that would allow most abortions within the first five months of pregnancy.

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, Republican gubernatorial nominee Clayton Williams and state GOP Chairman Fred Meyer support the plan.

Price said the legislative package would also mandate that women under 18-years-old would have to notify their parents before being able to get an abortion.

He said Ms. Richards opposition to such a law is her "achilles heel."

Price said his group, the largest anti-abortion organization in Texas, will soon purchase advertisements denouncing Ms. Richards for her stand.

Glenn Smith, a spokesman for Ms. Richards, said parents should be involved with their children in decisions such as abortion, but added Ms. Richards "has never seen a (parental notification) law that doesn't do more damage to the young woman."

Ms. Richards was the target of another resolution that would give her the title "Honorary Lesbian," because she has accepted contributions from lesbians and homosexual men and has spoken out against a state law that makes sodomy a crime.

Smith said Ms. Richards opposes the law because "she believes in Americans' right to privacy above the hate that fuels such laws."



Mountain fire

A helicopter carries water to a forest fire in the Guadalupe Mountains near the Texas-New Mexico state line. The fire, sparked by lightning on Monday, had burned more than 1,800 acres by Wednesday. About 700 people are battling the fire.

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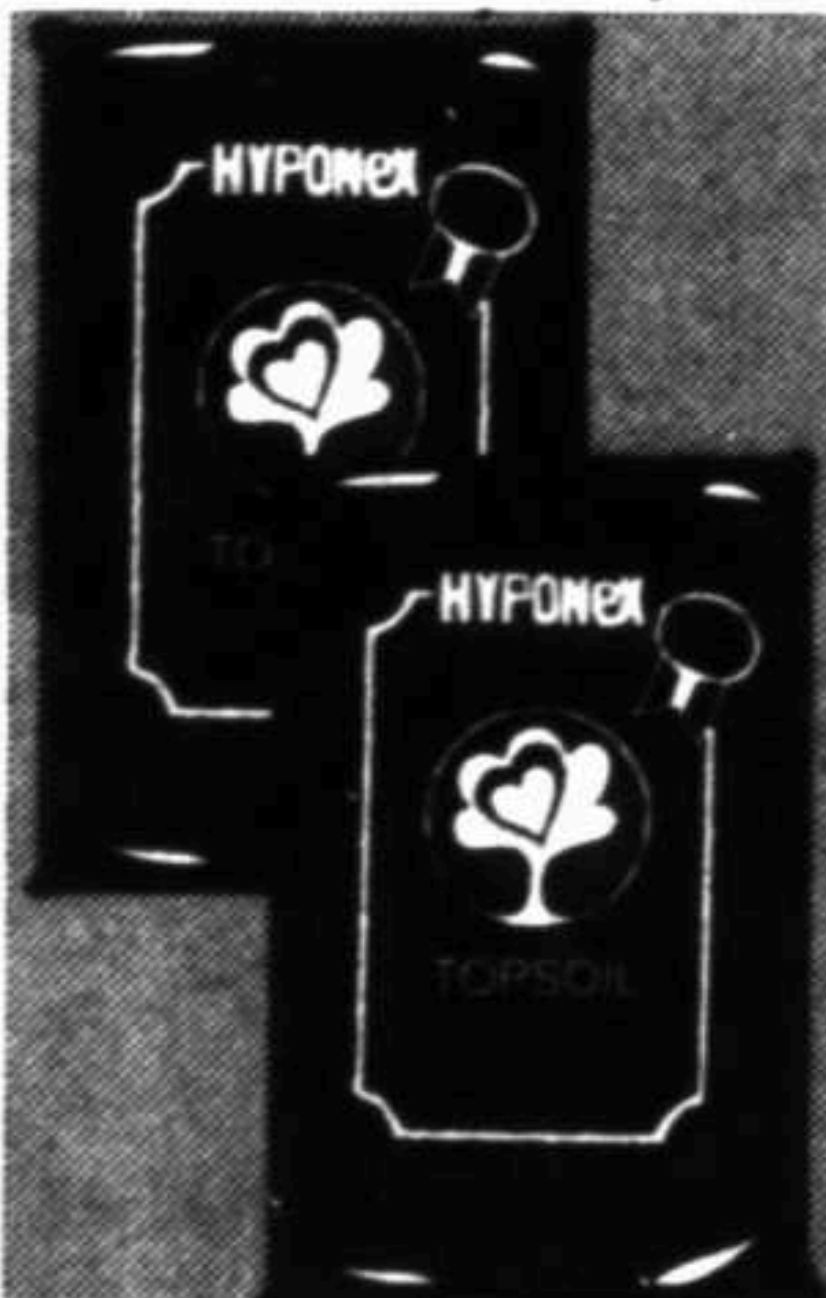
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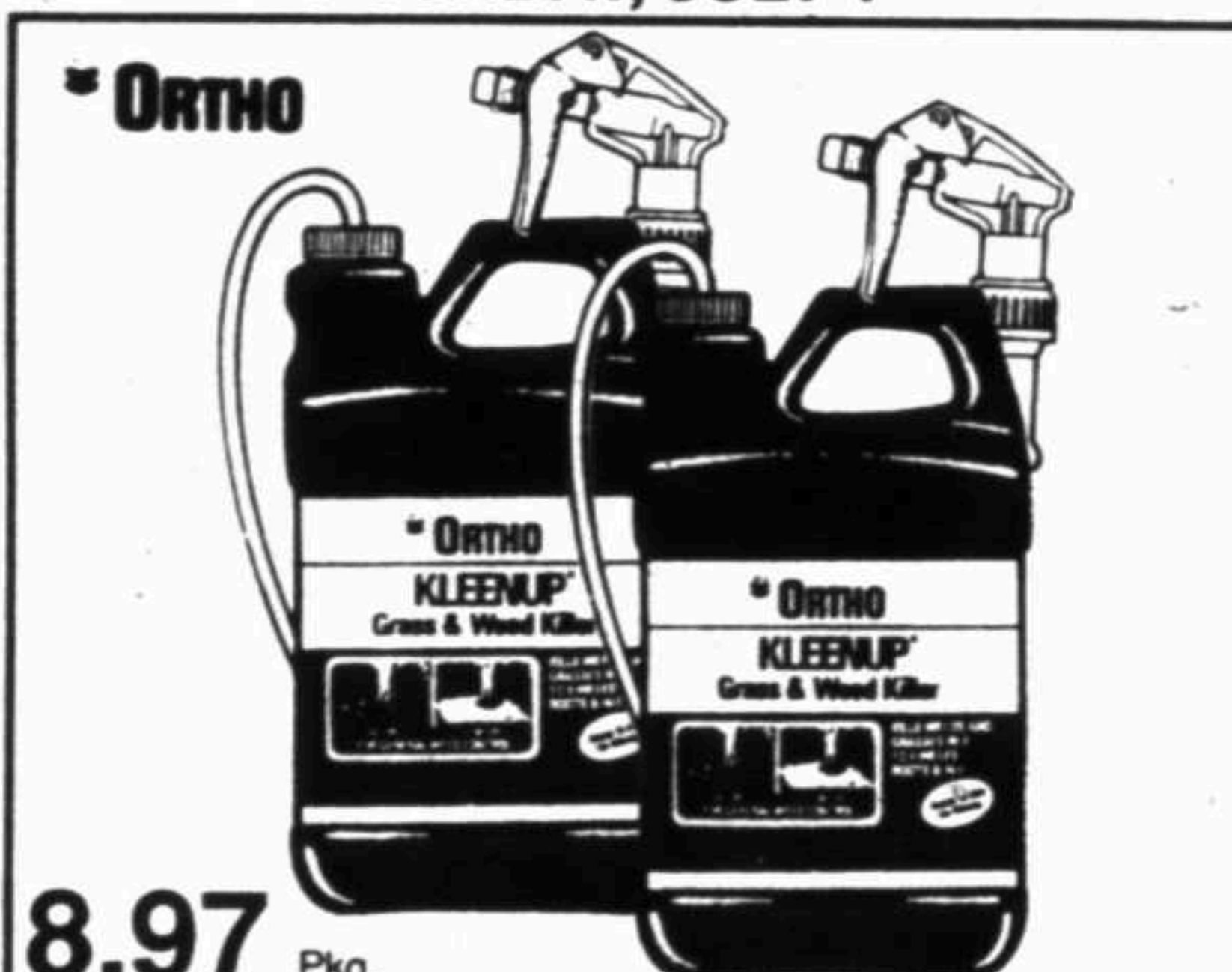
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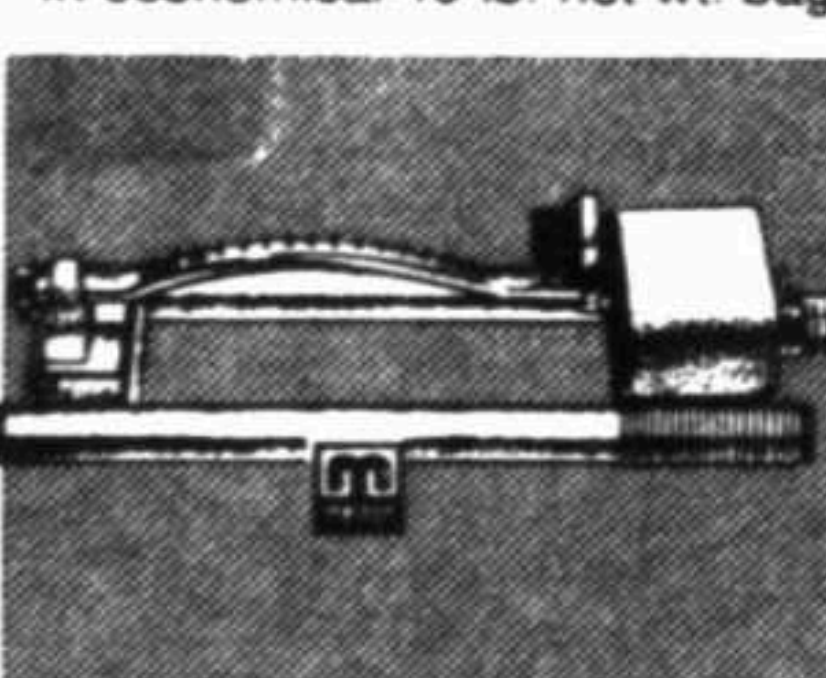
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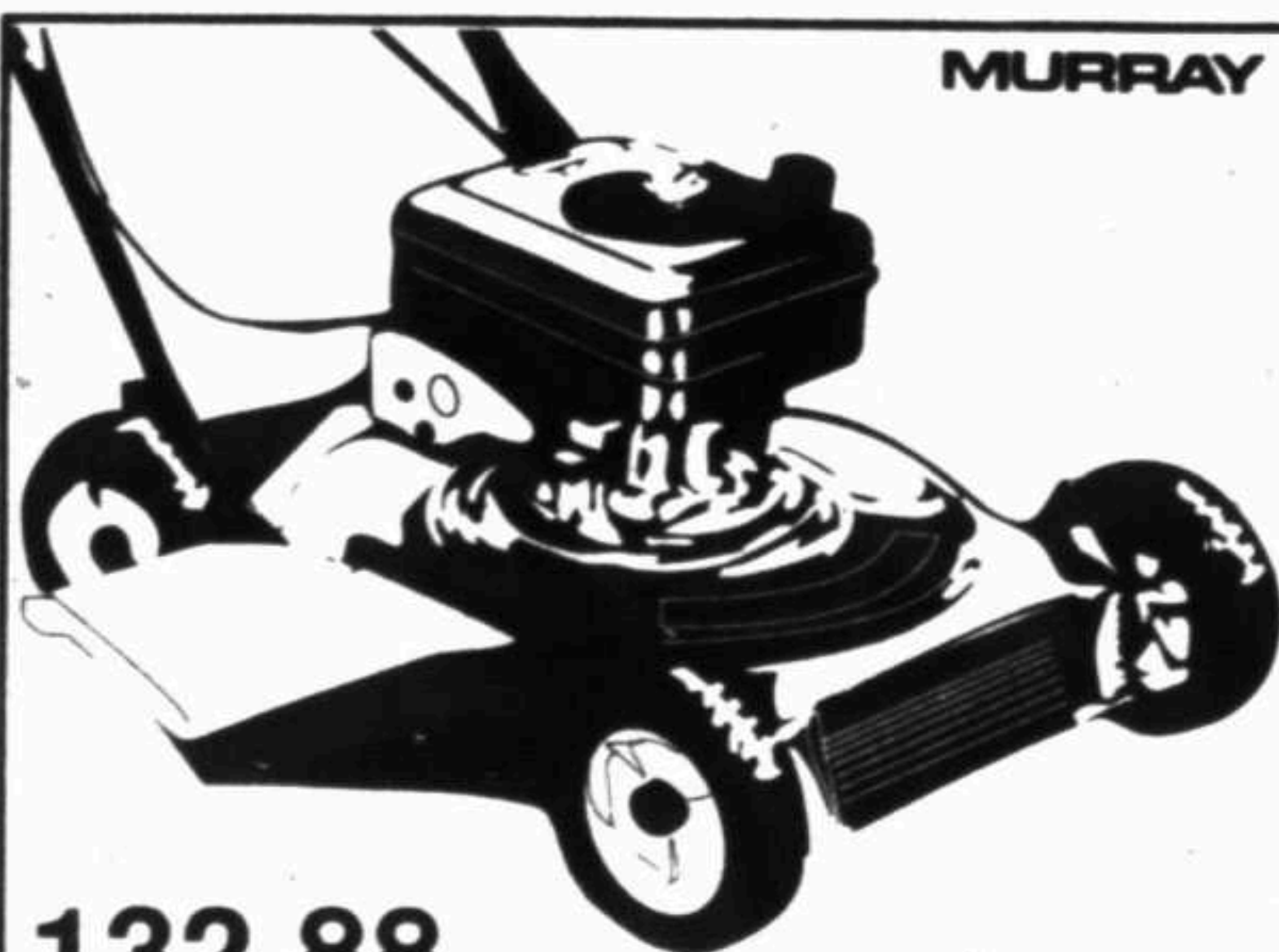
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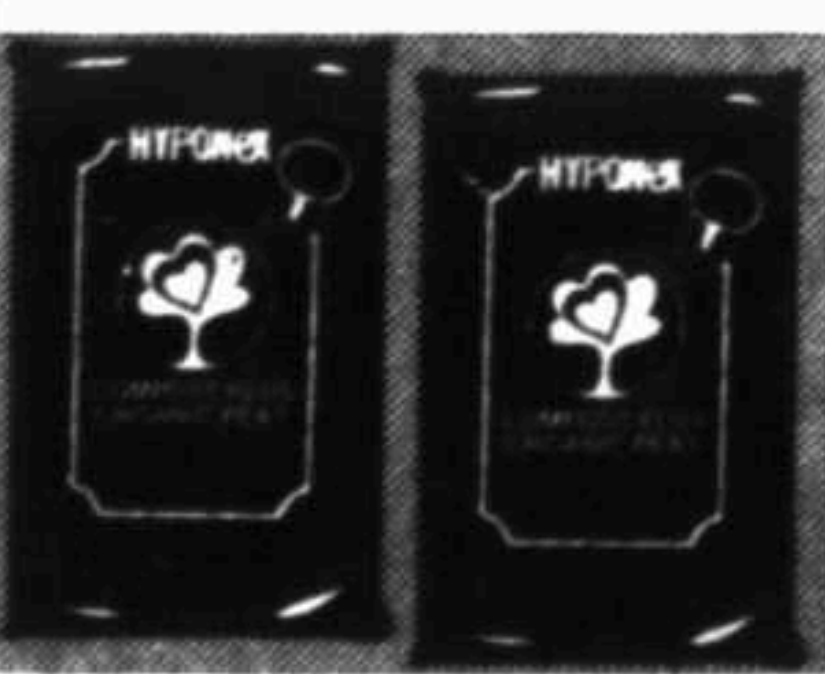
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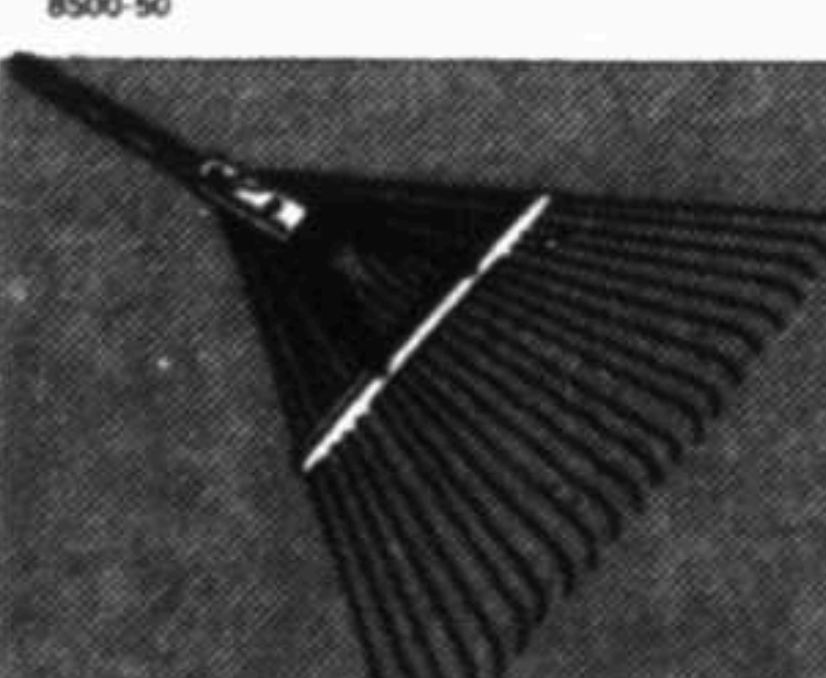
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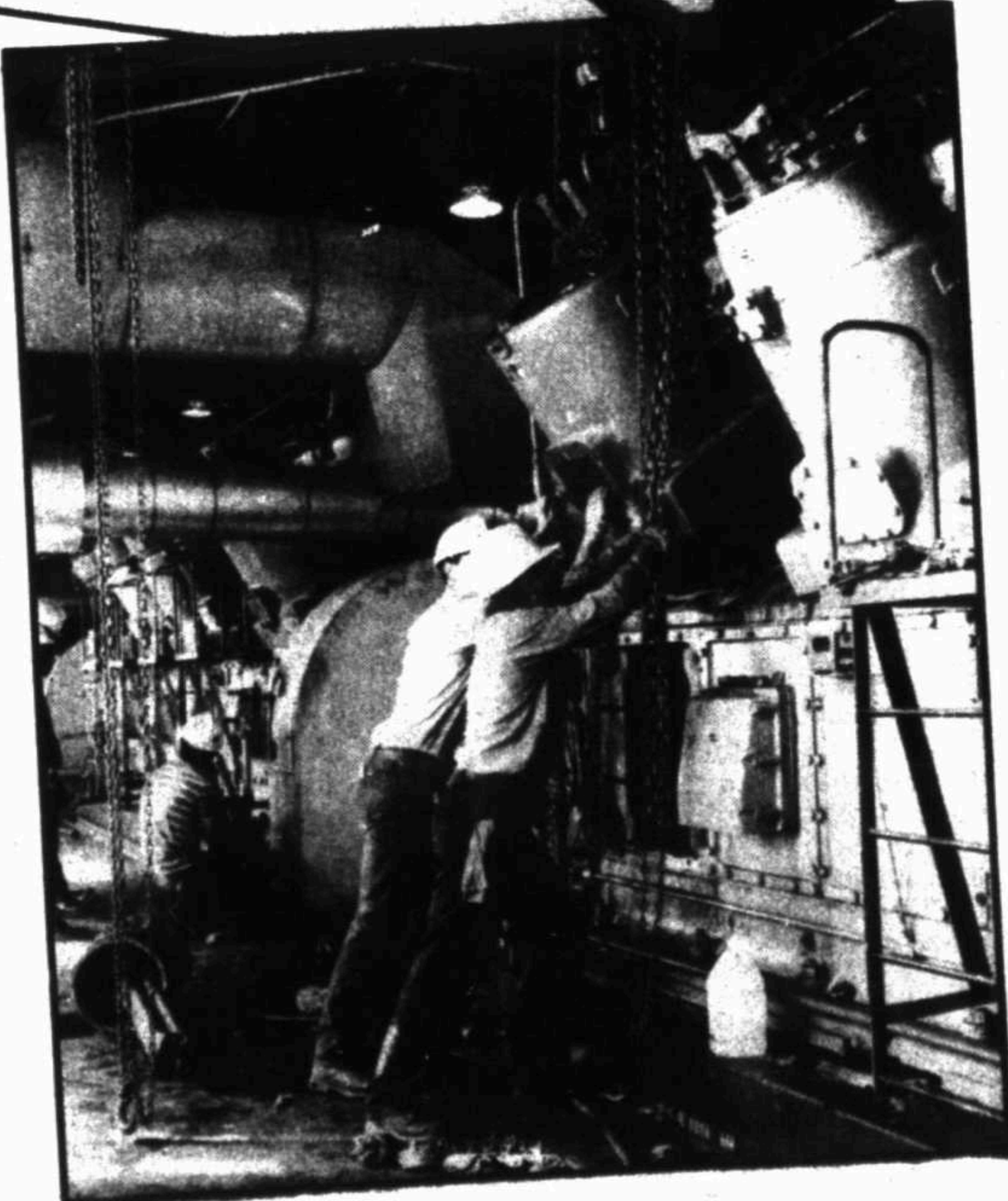
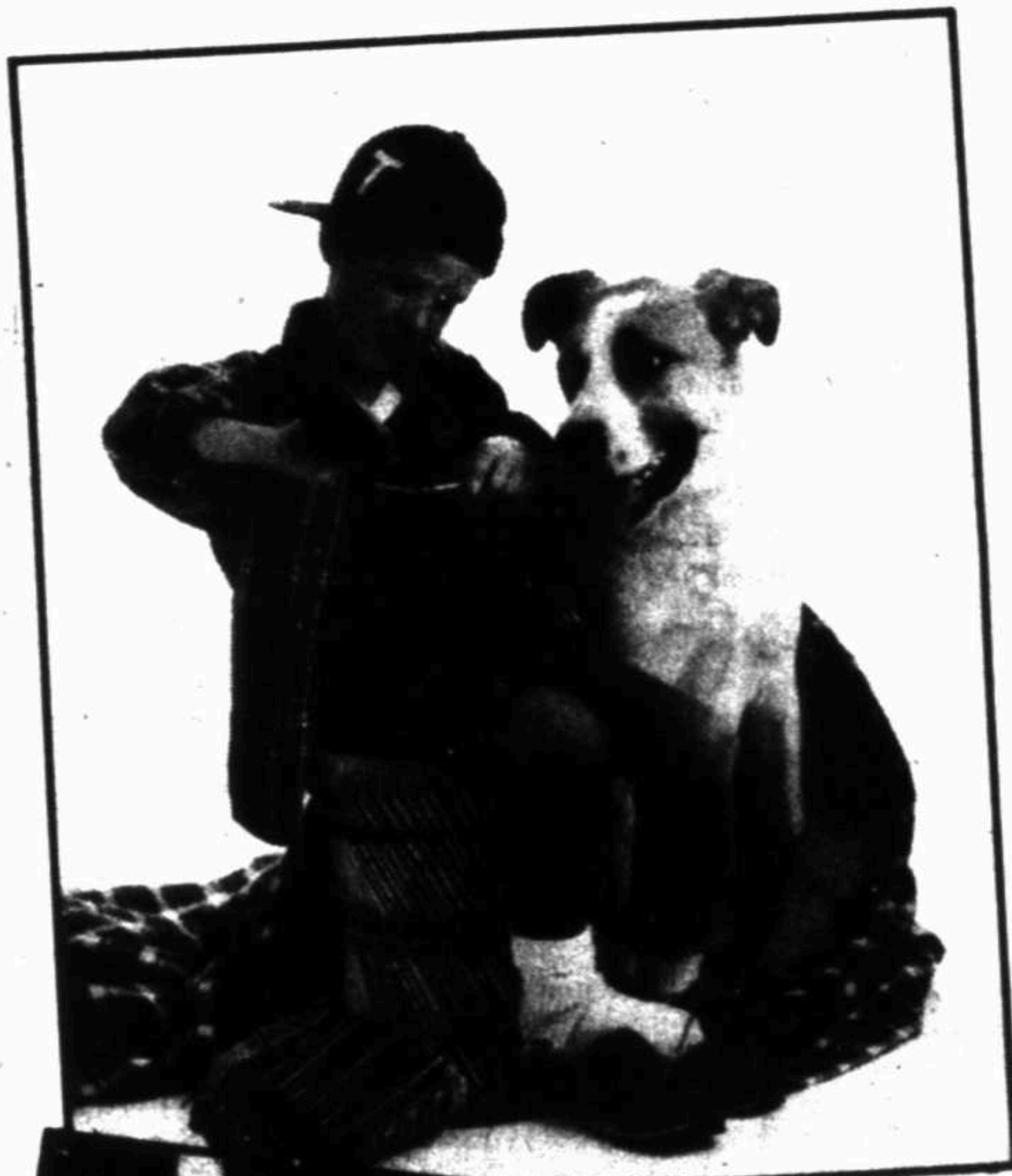
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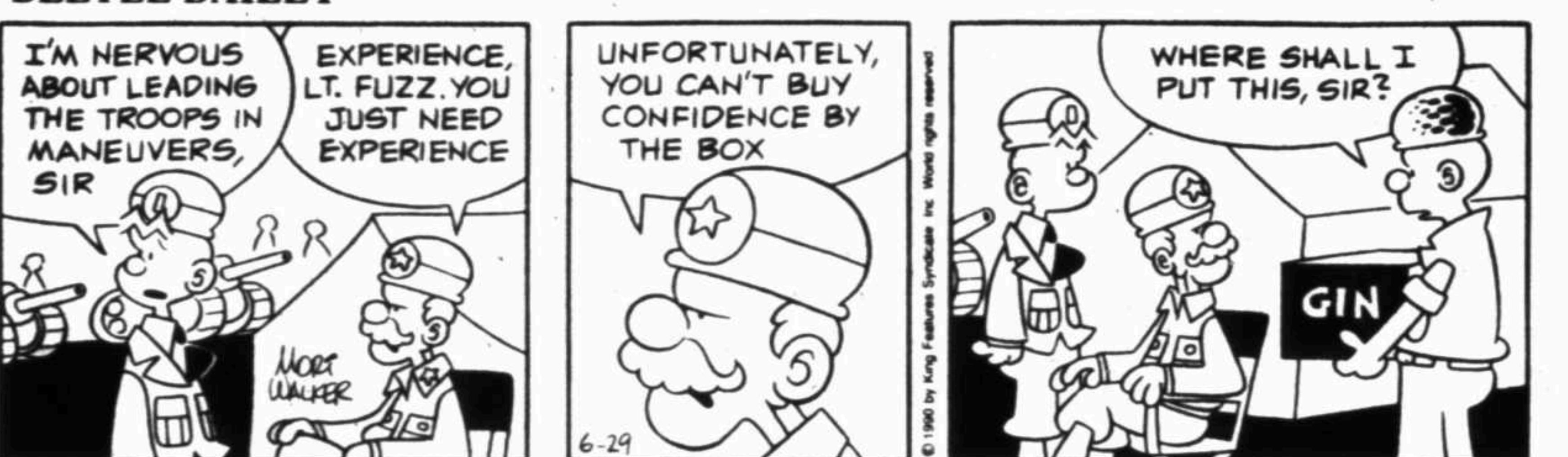
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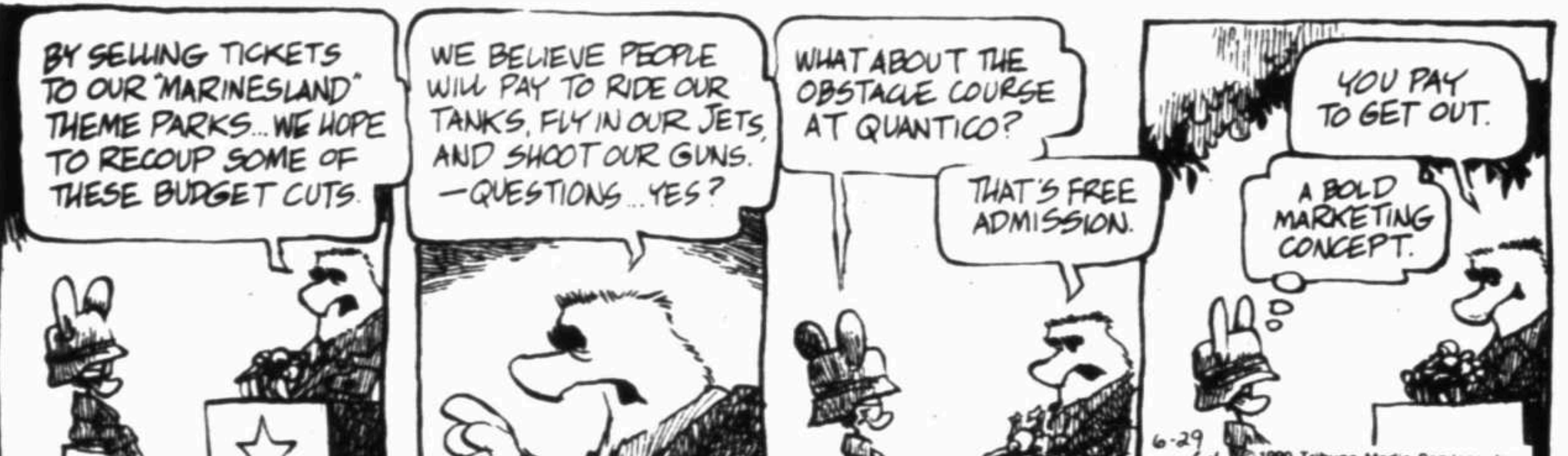
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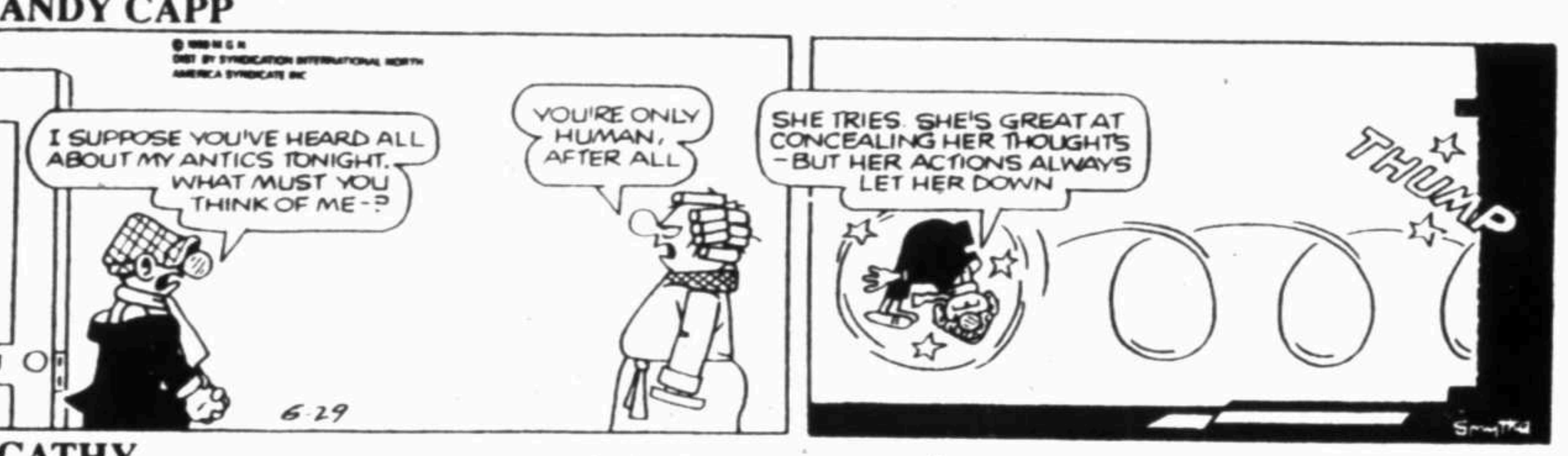
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Your HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1990

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Newcomers will play an important role in your life in the months just ahead. You find a great way to make extra cash! Domestic tensions fade. Your intelligence is your best weapon in business skirmishes. Do not let others downplay your contributions in November. An accelerated social schedule will make December especially happy. Good ideas are pure gold in 1991. Be candid when discussing your long-term goals with those in a position to help. Romantic partner is waiting to see what you do next.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Gary Busey, slugger Harmon Killebrew, movie star Nelson Eddy, sportscaster Dan Dierdorf.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Make big changes once you know the score. Your positive attitude encourages teamwork; higher profits are the direct result. Be there for friends in need. Romance is on your mind. Speak up.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Special awards can be garnered today. Wear the mantle of fame modestly and you win new friends. Go ahead with proposed changes in your domestic setup. Consult romantic partner when making weekend plans.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A conversation with your co-workers proves instructive. Ignore office

gossips. The news from abroad is electrifying. Vacation plans may have to be changed. Be flexible.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Let others take the lead at work. A short business trip will bring top results. Keep in touch with overseas contacts. Romance could take a serious turn. You are surprised but pleased.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Although your conservative stand on financial matters may not win widespread support, you gain new respect. Stick to your guns. A favor could be repaid unexpectedly. Show your delight!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Certain purchases may be beyond your reach. Be patient. A hobby provides a welcome release from boredom or tension. Discuss important family matters but avoid forcing your opinions on others.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Get to the root of the trouble brewing between you and loved one. More is involved than just money. Do what you can to convince others to assist with a special project.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Break new ground with your writing; a top assignment or bonus awaits

you. Promote your leadership skills with renewed confidence. A kind-hearted approach works wonders with your loved ones.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Give criticism and sarcasm the boot. Analyze your work habits, looking for ways to improve efficiency. Release tension through rigorous sports. Music soothes frazzled nerves. Romance is joyful.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Stay focused and you will accomplish more. Review your priorities. Romance is under temporarily cloudy skies. Postpone asking for special favors and work on your own. Join a small group tonight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A friendship provides some happy moments today. Start a savings campaign and enlist your loved ones in the battle against unnecessary spending. If in need of investment advice, turn to the experts!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be more decisive at work. Steer clear of get-rich-quick schemes. You may be making too many demands on your mate. Treat loved one to a wonderful night on the town.

TODAY'S CHILDREN will be friendly but reserved, taking very few people into their confidence. An early interest in the arts should be gently encouraged. Although these youngsters have trouble making choices, they will develop an impressive self-confidence on reaching maturity. These Cancerians' original ideas will win them both admiration and professional prestige. A happy-go-lucky romantic partner will make this low-key Cancerian open up a bit.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

IT TAKES TWO TO TANGO

North-South vulnerable. East deals.

NORTH
 ♠ 8 6 2
 ♥ 6 5 2
 ♦ 7 5
 ♣ A K Q 10 7

WEST
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EAST
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 ♥ A Q 10 9 8 7 3
 ♦ J 10 9 8
 ♣ 4

SOUTH
 ♠ A Q J 7 4 3
 ♥ J 4
 ♦ A K Q
 ♣ 8 3

The bidding:
 East 4♥ South 4♣ West Pass North Pass

Opening lead: King of ♥
 So far this week, the defensive maneuvers we have presented have been, by and large, individual efforts. More often than not, though, winning defense requires partnership cooperation to achieve the desired goal.

East's four-heart preempt accomplished its purpose—forcing the opponents to guess at a very high level. South was taking a considerable chance by bidding four spades at this vulnerability, but passing risked an even bigger loss.

West led the king of hearts and East made the first good play for the defense by overtaking with the ace and cashing the queen. To complete declarer's discomfiture, East continued with another heart, forcing declarer to ruff high.

Had West overruffed, this hand would have been history. No matter how West continued, declarer would have gained the lead, drawn trumps and made the rest of the tricks. In the best traditions of the opposition, West upset declarer's apple cart by discarding a club, al-

lowing declarer to capture the trick with his jack of spades.

Declarer did the best he could by crossing to dummy and trying the trump finesse, but to no avail. West took the king and sat back and waited to score the nine of trumps, which had been promoted to the setting trick.

This situation crops up often on

defense. Before you overruff, consider the spots in the trump suit. You can often pick up an extra trick by refusing to overruff when declarer's trump suit has been weakened.

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THE FAR SIDE



"OK, Jane, this guy you want me to go out with — he lives alone, he doesn't have any friends and he has a slight frothing problem. He's not a rogue, is he?"

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FAMILY



FRIDAY

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"I wish name"

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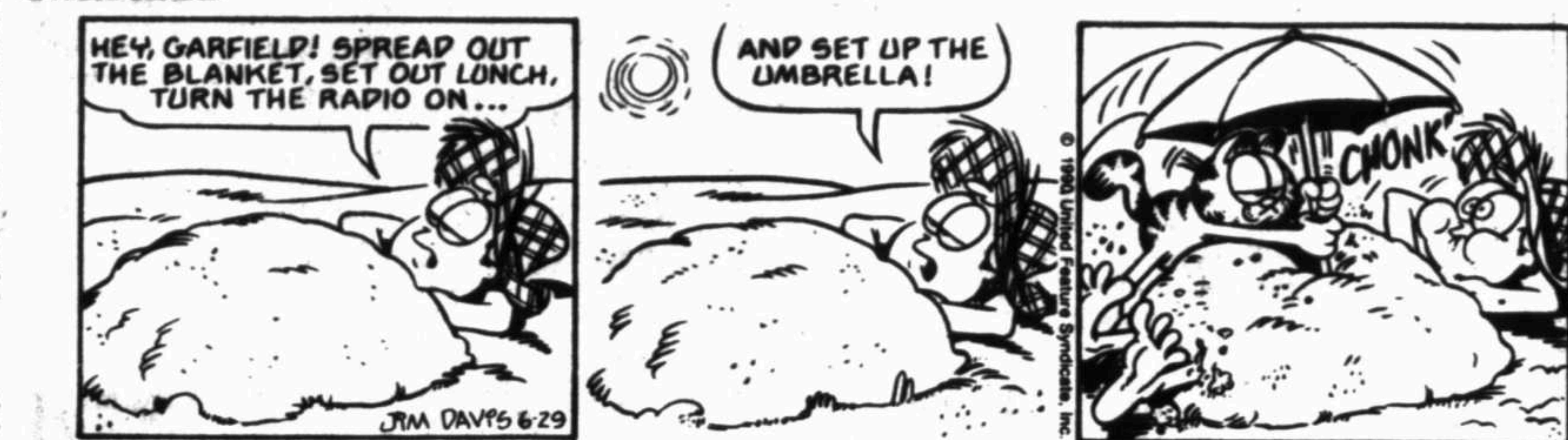
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FAMILY CIRCUS



DENNIS THE MENACE



PEOPLE

Atwater makes surprise visit to RNC headquarters

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican Party chairman Lee Atwater, still recovering from brain tumor surgery, made a surprise visit to his workplace and presided over a 45-minute issues session.

"I was completely shocked," party spokeswoman Leslie Goodman said of Atwater's visit Wednesday. Atwater has stayed mostly at home or in a hospital since undergoing surgery in April.

He was driven to the Republican National Committee headquarters Wednesday afternoon and moved around the building in a wheelchair. Ms. Goodman said. Atwater takes anti-clotting medication intravenously through a device that is about the size of a portable tape player, she said.

His hair, which fell out as a result of treatment for the tumor, has begun to grow back. Ms. Goodman said at one point during a discussion of national issues, Atwater took off his baseball cap and said, "Hey, like my new hairdo?"

While doctors are satisfied Atwater's tumor has stopped growing, they have yet to determine whether he is out of danger.

The 39-year-old Atwater collapsed during a speech in early March and was diagnosed as having a small tumor in the right frontal lobe.

Atwater opted for the most aggressive type of treatment possible, and on April 3 underwent a four-hour procedure in which catheters containing radioactive seeds were implanted directly into the tumor.

NEW YORK (AP) — Mikhail Baryshnikov will dance in the United States for the first time this year during a fall tour of 18 cities from Miami to Minneapolis.

The tour, announced Wednesday, will be called the White Oak Dance Project. Dances, including two new ones, will be by choreographer Mark Morris.

The troupe will perform in Boston; Minneapolis; Madison, Wis.; Toledo, Columbus, Youngstown and Dayton, Ohio; Charleston, S.C.; Savannah, Ga.; Miami; Jacksonville, Daytona Beach, and Tampa, Fla.; Detroit; East Lansing, Mich.; Louisville, Ky., and two cities to be announced.

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — A radio station will no longer play the music of Grammy winner k.d. lang because the Canadian country star appears in a new ad campaign called



Atwater

"Meat Stinks."

KRVN in Lexington will boycott lang until she renounces the group People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals and her "fascist anti-meat philosophy," program director Charlie Brogan said.

KRVN, which broadcasts country music, farm and market reports to Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa, was formed by farm groups in the late 1940s, Brogan said Wednesday.

"This is more than supporting the local economy. It's part of our mission of ag service," Brogan said. "Her music has given her a platform. ... We decided by not playing her music, we're not enhancing that platform."

The singer appears in the ad with a cow and says, "If you knew how meat was made, you'd probably lose your lunch. I know — I'm from cattle country. That's why I became a vegetarian. Meat stinks, and not just for animals but for human health and environment."

Dan Mathews, PETA director of special projects, said the TV ads and a print ad campaign will begin this summer.

"We were thrilled to have k.d. lang with her cattle country background," Mathews said. "Animals have no voice and k.d. has such a beautiful voice."

MIAMI (AP) — A broker has stepped up efforts to sell Monkey Business, the yacht that scuttled Gary Hart's 1988 presidential bid.

The 83-foot charter boat's owner first cast about for buyers last fall, and its captain, Butch Vogelsgang, said the asking price was \$1.5 million. In ads in newspapers around the nation this week, the price was down to \$1.225 million.

For that the buyer will get a three-deck pleasure craft with a Jacuzzi, three rosewood-paneled staterooms — and a bit of history.

Hart, the former senator from Colorado, fell from Democratic presidential front-runner to infamy in less than a week after his charter trip from Florida to Bimini with model Donna Rice came to light in 1987.

Hart and Rice denied any hanky-panky; Rice's friend Lynn Armand told the news media otherwise — and collected a hefty fee.

Yacht broker Bob Offer of Fort Lauderdale is selling the boat for developer Donald Soffer.

"The boat has a character of its own," said Offer. "When you walk on board, you really want to have a good time."

Offer said Soffer, who had the Monkey Business custom-built in 1979, decided to market the boat in earnest because construction on a new 140-foot yacht is almost complete.



Baryshnikov

Today's TV Schedule

FRIDAY JUNE 29, 1990

Programs subject to change without notice

	KMID (2) Mid Cable 3	KOSA (7) Odesa Cable 8	KTPX (3) Odesa Cable 9	KPEJ (26) Mid/Od Cable 14	FAM Family Cable 4	WTBS Atlanta Cable 7	SIN Spanish Cable 10	WGN Chicago Cable 11	ESPN Sports Cable 12	KOCV (3) Odesa Cable 13	HSE Sports Cable 20
7:00	Good Morning America	This Morning	Today	Menace Muppets	Wolverine	Gilligan's Island	Los Ninos	Bozo	Nation's Bus	Body Electric	
8:00				Flinstones	Our House	Eight is Enough	Movie: "Camino de la"	Bugs Bunny	Th'birds	Sesame Street	
9:00	Sally Jessy Raphael	Family Feud	227	Airwolf	700 Club	Movie: "The Moneychanger"	Horca	Success 'n Life	Tennis	Mister Rogers	
10:00	Home	Price Is Right	Golden Girls	Success 'n Life	Heart to Heart	gals	El Extranero	Joan Rivers	Getting Fit	Adam Smith	
11:00	Joan Rivers	Young and the Restless	9 to 5	Weight Loss	Paid Program	CHIPS	La Indomable	Geraldo	In Motion	'90s Crafting	
12:00	All My Children	Everyday	Days of Our Lives	Benson	Paid Program	Movie: "The Big Land"	Agua Viva	News	Golf America	N. Dupree	
1:00	One Life to Live	As the World Turns	Another World	Brady Bunch	Campbell's	Campbell's	Cantare Para Ti	Abbott	Senior PGA	Struggle for Democracy	
2:30	General Hospital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows	Tom & Jerry	TV Mujer	Day at a Time	Open	Creatures	
3:00	Geraldo	Oprah Winfrey	3rd Degree	Chipmunks	Funtown	Dinosaucers	Carrusel	Yogi Bear	Secret City	Mister Rogers	
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	The Judge	Chip 'n Dale	Batman	Good Times	Cristina	Chip 'n Dale	Golf Continues	Reading	
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to Heaven	Zorro	Rin Tin Tin	Los Ninos	Noticiero Uni.	Sports	Body by Janis	
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Scarecrow	Mrs. King	Jefferson	Major League	SportsCenter	MacNeil/Lehrer	
7:00	Full House	Snoops	Baywatch	Movie: "The Million Dollar In"	Movie: "The Brothers"	Baseball: Atlanta Braves	TV Mujer	Movie: "Strike Force"	Baseball: Teams to Be	Wash. Week	
8:00	Strangers	Movie: "The Return of"	Hardball	Field	O'Toole	at Montreal	Expos	Simplemiente	Announced	Evening at	
9:00	20/20	Sam McCrory	Quantum Leap	Hunter	700 Club	NWA Wrestling	P. Rodriguez	Major League	Major League	Routes of	
10:00	News	News	News	Arsenio Hall	Zorro	Bordertown	Noticiero Uni.	Movie: "Cam"	Rhythm	Boxing: National	
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12:00	Hard Copy	Movie: "Road Raiders"	son David Letterman	Movie: "The Brothers"	O'Toole	Movie: "The Big Bus"	Portada	Movie: "The Brothers"	Announced	Ter Univision	

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec Cable 25	TMC Cable 17	DISNEY Cable 18	MAX Cable 21	HBO Cable 22	TNN Cable 23	USA Cable 24	NICK Cable 25	A&E Cable 26	TBN Cable 31	TNT Cable 37
7:00	Better Place	Movie: "Downhill Racer"	Donald Duck	"Grease"	Movie: "Pink Cadillac"	VideoMorning	Cartoon Ex-	Heathcliff	Wonders of	Flying House	Popeye Hour
8:00	Movie: "The Slither"	The Crime Doctor's Diary	Movie: "Lost in London"	"Shockproof"	Movie: "Superman II"	Lost in Space	Land of the Giants	Elephant Penner's	Movie: "Sud-	K. Copeland	Movie: "The Bride Wore"
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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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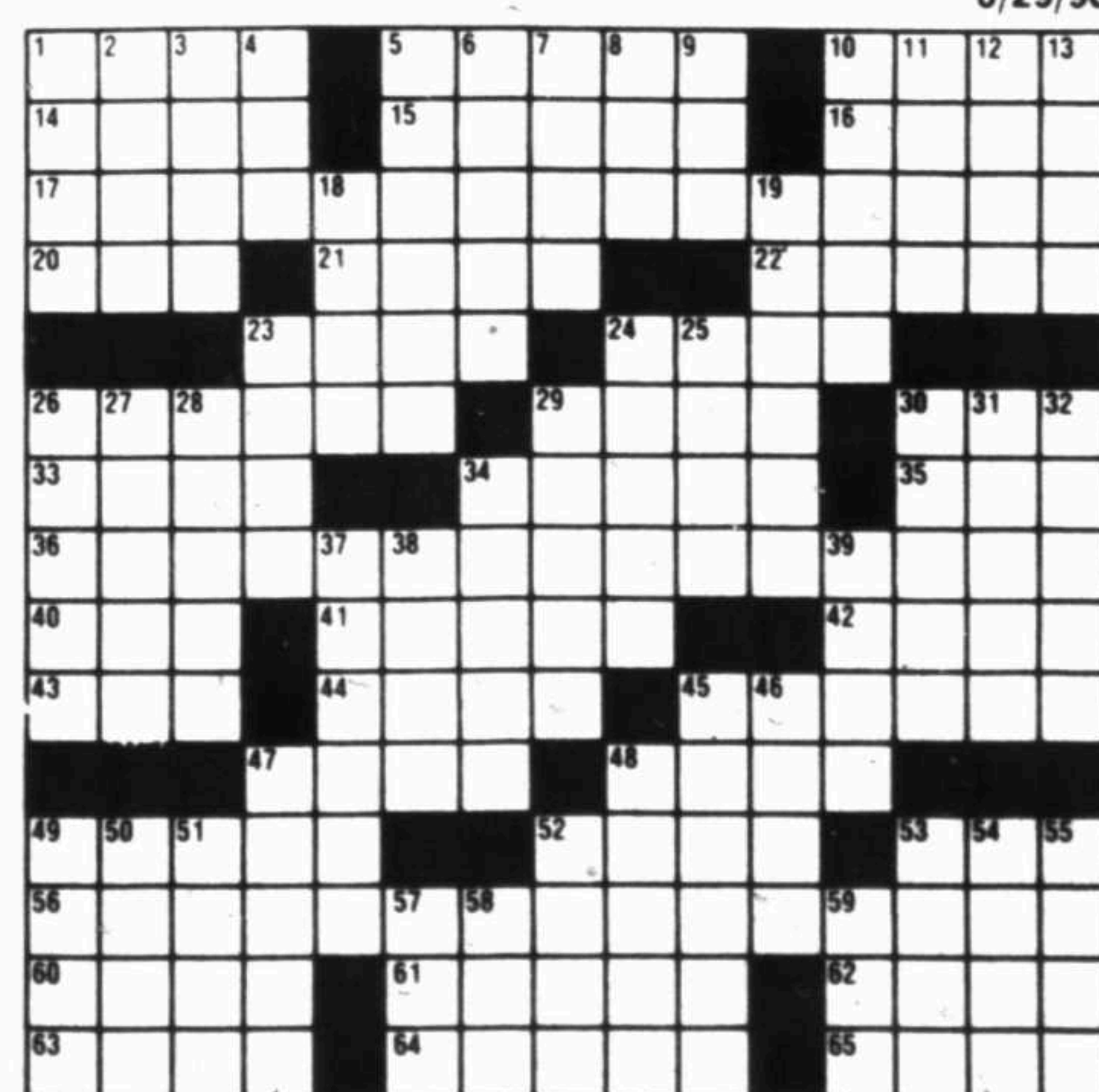
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58 — Tome and Prince
59 Burrows of Broadway

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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CHILDSPRAY TENT
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SETSA OENO
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Tax court rules Nelson must pay \$6.5 million in taxes



Country music star Willie Nelson, shown during his 1987 Fourth of July Picnic, must pay \$6.5 million for personal and business taxes dating back to 1972, plus penalties.

The country music star had been charged with civil tax fraud, but the tax court judge assessed no penalties under the tax fraud statute of the tax code.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Country music star Willie Nelson must pay \$6.5 million in personal and business taxes and penalties stretching back to 1972, a U.S. Tax Court judge has ruled.

Documents made available Thursday show Nelson was penalized under sections of the tax code regarding negligence, failure to file a tax return and failure to pay taxes.

Tax Court Judge Mary Ann Cohen approved a joint settlement in the case June 6.

Nelson's tax trouble began in October 1984 when Internal Revenue Service investigators alleged he owed \$1.6 million in back taxes from 1972 to 1978. In May 1988, the IRS charged he owed another \$9.4 million from 1979 to 1983. The IRS

assessed hundreds of thousands of dollars in penalties both times.

The singer rebutted the charges in lawsuits filed in U.S. Tax Court in 1985 and 1988. The suits were later combined and settlement talks progressed with such speed that no trial was held.

Nelson's attorney, Charles Meadows Jr. of Dallas, said he would not discuss the case. Nelson did not immediately return phone messages from The Associated Press left at his motel in Powell, Wyo., where he will perform Friday night.

Nelson is best known for his songs "On the Road Again," "My Heroes Have Always Been Cowboys" and "You Were Always On My Mind." He also performed in the movies "Honeysuckle Rose" and "Barbarosa."

Nelson, whose outlaw image includes a long braided ponytail, is an outspoken advocate of small farmers. On their behalf, he has appeared before congressional committees and organized the Farm Aid benefit concerts.

The tax documents indicate Nelson must pay \$5.8 million in personal taxes and a penalty of about

\$500,000. His music company must pay about \$139,000 in taxes plus a penalty of about \$29,000.

The IRS initially charged Nelson with civil tax fraud, saying he understated his taxable income through unreported earnings and improper deductions.

But Judge Cohen assessed no penalty under the fraud statute of the tax code.

Nelson's attorneys also successfully argued that his company was not liable for about \$728,000 in personal holding company tax. Such a tax, at a rate of up to 70 percent, is imposed on undistributed earnings from personal services.

Nelson's attorneys argued those earnings were all distributed to Nelson and members of his band. Most of the company's money comes from royalties. Nelson established the company to meet a music publishing house's requirement for royalty distribution.

Nelson, 57, was born in Waco, Texas, and as a youngster played for tips at central Texas beer joints and ice houses. He went to Nashville in the late 1950s, but returned to Texas in 1969 when his

house burned down. He now lives near Austin.

He will be there next Wednesday for his annual Fourth of July picnic, a tradition that grew from a 1971 reunion of Texas musicians and now attracts thousands.

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STATE in brief

Dolphin feeding request denied

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Federal wildlife officials have denied a Port Aransas man's request for a permit to feed wild dolphins, moving the activity one step closer to being banned.

Tour boat operator Jim Atkinson had applied for the permit in February 1989 to enhance his sightseeing tours in the Gulf of Mexico.

"We just filed to see if we could do it," Atkinson told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times. "Now I guess everyone is going to get knocked out of it. At least that's what my letter said."

The permit application became a national test case for dolphin feeding, said Jeff Brown, a National Marine Fisheries Service biologist in St. Petersburg, Fla. Brown said it has become a controversial activity on the Gulf and Atlantic coasts for the past two years.

In Corpus Christi, Erv and Sonja Strong, who run a dolphin feeding tour from Corpus Christi, said they hope the decision won't lead to a ban on their activities. The Strong's have a pending permit application to feed and conduct research on two pods of dolphins they have befriended in Corpus Christi Bay.

Mailboxes explode

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Exploding bottles of acid in north side mailboxes have splashed at least two people, prompting investigators to ask for the public's help in tracking down the culprits.

In at least five cases, large plastic pop bottles filled with acid and a reacting agent caused explosions that either blew up mailboxes or dispersed the chemical, arson investigators said Thursday.

The devices were planted in residential mailboxes between midnight and 6 a.m. and were found by the owners the following morning, said Julio Rodriguez, an arson investigator. Acid was sprayed on at least two people, authorities said.

"People shouldn't touch the bottles for fear of getting burned but we need information about any suspicious cars or anything in the area," said Rodriguez.

He said samples of the acid, thought to be sulphuric, have been recovered and will be laboratory tested. Investigators said metal foil found in some of the bottles may have been the reacting agent.

Hepatitis type mystery

PITTSBURGH (AP) — No "silver bullet" exists to combat the infection attacking Stormie Jones' second transplanted liver, forcing doctors to adjust her medicine to help the girl's natural defenses take over, officials said Thursday.

"She's not in imminent danger of (losing) her life," said Dr. Andreas Tsakis of Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh. "She's well. She's eating. She wants out of here."

"But six months from now, we want to make sure she's well. If we let this continue, it will destroy her liver."

Stormie, 13, of White Settlement, Texas, received the world's first heart-liver transplant in February 1984. She needed a second liver transplant in February.

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- One Year Ago \$19.50

Prices rebound

NEW YORK (AP) — Energy futures prices finished sharply higher Thursday after the oil market snapped out of its recent slump.

A rumor early in the session of Israeli military action against Libya sparked a rally on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

As the buying waned after the rumor was dispelled, fresh news of OPEC efforts to prop up world oil prices renewed the rally.

The contract for August delivery of WTI jumped 47 cents to \$17.15 a 42-gallon barrel, more than making up for Wednesday's 46-cent loss. Contracts for later delivery advanced by similar amounts.

In natural gas trading, the August contract rose to \$1.515 per 1,000 cubic feet from \$1.500 Wednesday. The Wednesday settlement was the lowest for the near-month contract since the New York Merc began trading natural gas in early April. Contracts for later delivery were mixed.

Gold higher

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar finished mostly higher Thursday in relatively quiet trading on world currency markets.

Gold prices firmed. On the New York Commodity Exchange, gold bullion for June delivery closed at \$352.10 a troy ounce, up 70 cents. Later, Republic National Bank in New York quoted a troy ounce of gold at \$351.10, up \$1 an ounce as of 4 p.m. EDT.

Earlier in Tokyo, the dollar gained against the Japanese yen, closing at 154.42 yen, up from 154.35 yen. In New York the dollar settled at 153.15 yen, down from 154.40 yen on Wednesday.

In London, one British pound cost \$1.7400 late Thursday compared with \$1.7445 late Wednesday. In New York one pound cost \$1.7384, less expensive than Wednesday's \$1.7426.

Dollar rates in New York: 1.6730 West German marks; 1.4200 Swiss francs; 5.6155 French francs; 1,226.00 Italian lire and 1.1699 Canadian dollars.

The late price of gold in London was a bid of \$352.25 a troy ounce, up from \$350.05. Silver prices also rose. On New York's Comex, silver bullion for current delivery settled at \$4.813 a troy ounce, up from \$4.794 on Wednesday.

Home sales up

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas residential real estate is making a slow but steady recovery, says the president of the Texas Association of Realtors.

"More homes are being sold, and the inventory of existing housing is shrinking," Doyle Krueger of New Braunfels said Thursday.

Krueger said in April 7,823 homes were sold through Multiple Listing Service in major Texas cities, 1,208 more than in the same month last year.

According to the Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University, Krueger said, the median selling price of a Texas home sold in April was \$67,000, which is \$1,600 higher than a year ago.

Northeast Tarrant County reported the state's highest median for April, \$89,800, followed by Dallas \$89,000, Irving \$87,900, Arlington \$75,700 and Austin \$74,000.

Marathon, TXO merger will impact here

■ The announced merger of two oil companies is likely to result in the reduction of the local workforce, but it is still too early to tell says a spokesman for USX, the parent company.

By John Paul Pitts
Business & Oil Editor

The merger of two large independent oil companies, both with offices in Midland, is expected to impact local employment but the outcome will not be known for some time.

USX Corp. (Formerly U.S. Steel) Wednesday announced that it will merge

its Dallas-based Texas Oil & Gas Corp. (TXO) into Marathon Oil Co. of Houston, also owned by the corporation.

Said Don Herrin, a spokesman for USX: "It is too early to know how it will affect the Permian Basin."

Marathon currently employs 500 in the Midland Regional Office, with 270 of those being field personnel.

TXO, employs 41 at its West Texas District Office in Midland, and has another 30 employees at field offices in Perryton, San Angelo and McCombs. The company, which was formed in 1955, has maintained an office in Midland since 1968. It was purchased by USX in 1986.

While USX says it is too early to determine the impact upon employment, it has been the history of past oil company mergers that there is a reduction of workforce, as duplicated functions are

joined, and management is trimmed. The least reduction normally comes among field personnel. As an oilpatch axiom goes: "The closer you can get to the pumpjack, the safer your job is."

USX announced last October that it would sell six packages of TXO producing properties, including some in the Permian Basin, after coming under pressure from its largest stockholder Carl Icahn to increase shareholder value.

But after an unsuccessful run at selling the properties, USX announced last week that it was withdrawing its offer to sell the properties. It was speculated then that USX may merge the remaining properties into Marathon.

"USX probably went into the sales posture with unrealistic price expectations," said Ron Wise, president of PLS, a Midland-based firm that lists oil and gas

properties for sale.

Energy analysts had estimated that the total asking price for all of the properties was \$1.5 billion.

Said Mike Dixon, spokesman for TXO: "It was never presented as a 'fire sale.' We were hoping to get significant value for the properties, and determined if we did not receive attractive bids we would pull them off the market."

TXO has extensive production in the San Angelo area, in Lea and Eddy counties of New Mexico. The West Texas District produces approximately 40 million cubic feet of natural gas daily and 2,500 barrels of oil daily. Last year it drilled 25 operated wells, with a capital budget of approximately \$12 million.

Before it joined USX in 1986, TXO was the largest producer of natural gas in the nation.

More funds given for S&L fraud

By Dave Skidmore

WASHINGTON (AP) — Legislation that would triple federal spending to pursue savings and loan fraud won unanimous endorsement Thursday from members of a House Banking panel worried about angry taxpayers.

The subcommittee on financial institutions, chaired by Rep. Frank Annunzio, D-Ill., voted 45-0 in favor of the bill, backed by the Bush administration, to make it easier for the government to prosecute S&L fraud and recover swindled money.

The measure authorizes spending of \$152 million a year in 1991 and 1992; \$136 million by the Justice Department and \$16 million by the Internal Revenue Service. That compares with the \$50 million being spent this year.

Bush, in a campaign-style appearance at the Justice Department last week, had sought only \$100 million.

Assistant Attorney General Edward S.G. Dennis Jr., testifying to Annunzio's panel before the vote on the bill, refused to endorse the higher amount, but assured members, "We can spend it responsibly."

The legislation also would create a new federal crime: concealing assets from banking regulators. It would give prosecutors authority to seek court-approved wiretaps to investigate bank fraud. And, it would give regulators the power to undo personal asset transfers.

Japan to help cut trade gap

By David Crosson
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Quickly following President Bush's concession that tax increases will be needed to reduce the U.S. budget deficit, Japan agreed Thursday to a substantial boost in its own government spending aimed at reducing its trade surplus with America.

Japan's pledge to spend at least \$2.8 trillion on public works improvements by the end of the decade was part of a final report signed in Tokyo by Japanese and U.S. negotiators.

The report outlines steps both nations plan to take to cut America's chronic trade deficit with Japan, now estimated at \$49 billion.

President Bush welcomed the accord, saying "the effects will be beneficial for the entire world."

In a written statement, Bush credited "the strong and courageous political leadership" of Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu for the progress achieved.

Linn Williams, U.S. deputy trade representative, said in Tokyo that both leaders, especially Bush in his Tuesday concession on taxes, had taken important steps. "Japan and the United States got together on difficult issues and worked together constructively," he said.

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The Structural Trade Deal

In the final report Thursday, Japanese negotiators agreed to measures that would make selling imported goods in Japan easier and cheaper and that would boost public and private demand. In return, the U.S. side agreed to measures to shrink demand and increase savings and investment. The report fleshed out an outline agreement struck in early April. Here are the highlights of the final report:

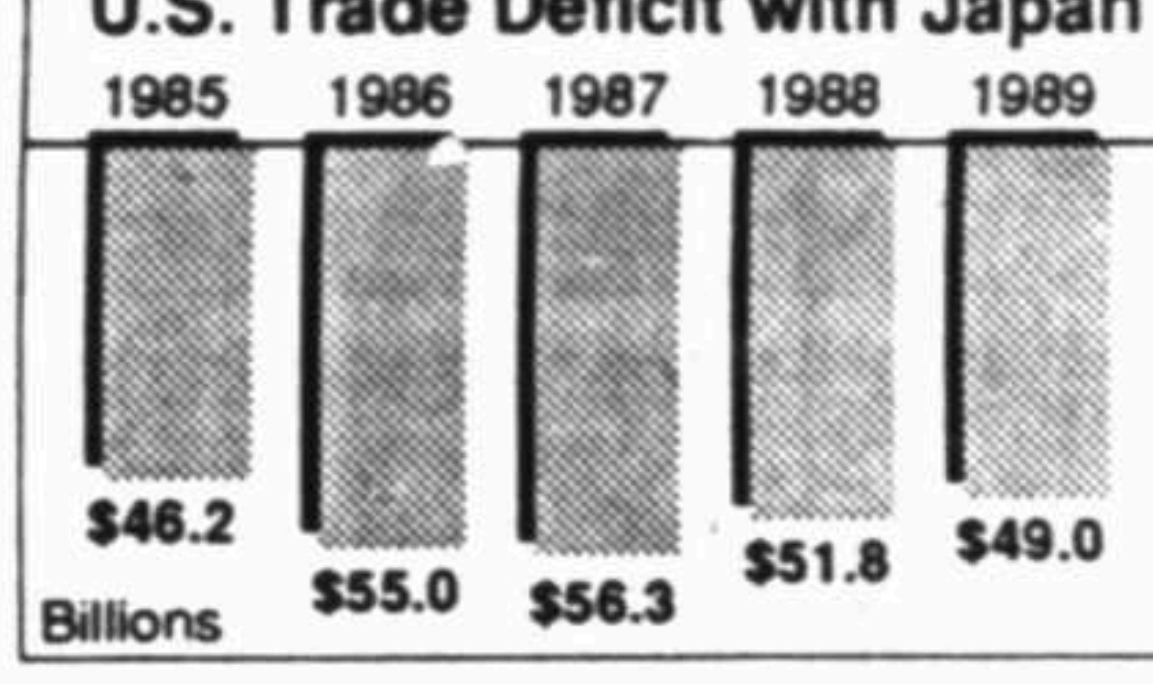
Japan will...

- Stiffen anti-trust penalties, including imposing fines for bid-rigging and collusion, and increase government monitoring of the big *keiretsu* business groups for anti-competitive practices.
- Deregulate distribution, where complexities and red tape effectively limit big competitors. Provide for faster clearance of imported goods and fewer restrictions on large retail chains that sell imports.
- Increase spending on public works to \$2.8 trillion for the decade from 1991 to 2000.
- Speed processing of patent applications that can take more than three years.
- Support land-law reforms that would free up more land for new home building and ease high prices.
- Remove a curb on foreign direct investment.
- Lower high domestic prices and publicize cases in which Japan's prices are higher than those abroad.

The U.S. will...

- Try harder to balance the federal budget.
- Boost federal research and development spending.
- Improve education.
- Promote savings with new tax-free family accounts. Lower costs of raising capital for business.
- Promote exports by relaxing a ban on exporting heavy crude from California and by eliminating most licensing requirements for trade to communist countries.
- Reform product liability and anti-trust rules, which create uncertainty for foreign investors.

U.S. Trade Deficit with Japan



Sources: MITI; U.S. Dept. of Commerce

AP



Arlington Plant manager Arthur Hester, right, and UAW Local 276 Chairman Mike Seiler shake hands in front of the first Caprice to come off the Arlington assembly line.

First Texas-made Caprice rolls off assembly-line

■ The first all-new Chevrolet Caprice produced at GM's Arlington plant has rolled off the line.

N.Y. Times News Service

ARLINGTON, Texas — At a cost of more than \$125 million to General Motors Corp., the first gleaming white 1991 Chevrolet Caprice Classic has rolled off the assembly line at its retooled Arlington plant.

The car burst through a celebratory banner Wednesday to the applause of hundreds of hourly workers and salaried employees who hoped it was the first of hundreds of thousands to come.

Plant Manager Art Hester and Mike Seiler, shop chairman for United Auto Workers Local 276, which represents the plant's 3,430 hourly workers, drove the car off the line, marking the end of the plant's expensive retooling and the beginning of production of the all-new car.

"Today is a day that we've planned for and anticipated for a long time," said Hester just before the event. "I think it's a significant milestone."

JANE BRYANT QUINN

CRD, NASD supplies stockbroker's history

By Jane Bryant Quinn

NEW YORK — How much should you be able to learn about your stockbroker, before signing on as a client? That's something about which the industry's enforcers are quarreling.

Plenty of information is on file in the Central Registration Depository (CRD). Stockbrokers have to report their histories for the past ten years—what firms they worked for, why they left, any military experience, self-employment, unemployment and full-time education.

Also reported are any black marks on the record—gambling convictions, crimes involving money and securities, fraud, bankruptcies, unsatisfied judgments, vi-

olations of the rules of various regulatory bodies and exchanges, pending complaints and arbitration awards of \$5,000 or more (or smaller awards, if the original claim was for \$10,000 or more).

The vast majority of brokers have no disciplinary record, but you sure would want to know if your own broker did. Similar information is recorded about the brokerage firm and its principals (although here, no arbitration awards are reported yet). These files have to be updated anytime there's new information—for example, if a broker is suspended for misconduct, or switches firms.

To dish up all this dirt, you just have to tap the CRD, which is operated by the National Association of Securities Dealers (under the supervision of the Securities and Exchange Commission) and jointly owned with the North American Securities Administrators Association, an organization for officials who support state securities laws. These groups are at odds over what they should tell.

The NASD lets you peek at any final disciplinary actions, arbitration awards and criminal convictions. But it withholds all pending criminal lawsuits and regulatory investigations, on the ground that the broker hasn't been found guilty—and might not be. Nor does it report judgments, bankruptcies or any civil lawsuits won against the broker. Why not? "Judgments and bankruptcies are personal," says NASD spokesperson Enno Hobbing. Not revealing civil lawsuits is "policy."

In NASAA's view, that's not a good enough answer. Potential clients should be able to find out whether a broker has a pattern of complaints against him, says Robert Lewis, deputy director of Virginia's Division of Securities and Retail Franchising. Learning about civil lawsuits, judgments and bankruptcies helps you "make a better decision about whom to deal with, and on what basis," he says.

Formerly, the NASD advised brokerage firms that they didn't have to report

certain charges and pending actions. But last September, NASAA passed a resolution demanding that such information be included in the CRD and now, the NASD says, it is.

But the NASD won't tell you about it. If you write and ask for information about your broker or brokerage firm, you'll get only criminal convictions, final regulatory actions, the broker's current job and his or her last previous job.

So don't ask the NASD. Ask your state. It will reveal the full contents of the CRD files. Most states give the most important information over the phone, and will follow up with a copy of the file—usually free. For the telephone number of your state securities division, call the information operator in your state capital or ask NASAA at 800-942-9022.

Most people ask only for the disciplinary record, but you should also get the broker's employment history. You'll

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COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden, North (Deep)
Amoco Production Co. No. 3 O.B. Holt "J"; 678 fml, 284 fml, sec 1, blk A, PSL, 15 N Odeas; Elev 3100 RBS; TD 5328; Completed 6/4/90; Potentiated 5/18/90 pumping 22 bopd, 2 MCF, 35 bwpd; Casing 5.5 at 5274; Perforations: 4143-5230; Acid: 5000 gals 15 percent NEFE; Formation tops: Grayburg; Top of pay 4143.
Amoco Production Co. No. 2 O.B. Holt "J"; 357 fml, 680 fml, sec 1, blk A, PSL, 15 N Odeas; Elev 3101 RBS; TD 5350; PB 5250; Completed 5/14/90; Potentiated 5/30/90 pumping 19 bopd, 4 MCF, 165 bwpd; Casing 5.5 at 5220; Perforations: 4125-5214; Acid: 5000 gals 15 percent NEFE; Formation top: Grayburg 3880; Top of pay 4152.

LOVING COUNTY

Final Dome (Cherry Canyon)
Richmond Petroleum Inc. No. 10 Johnson "2"; 680 fml, 680 fml, sec 2, blk 53, T&P, 13 NE Mentone; Elev 3061 GR; TD 6795; PB 6790; Completed 5/23/90; Potentiated 6/18/90 pumping 26 bopd, 30 MCF, 580 bwpd, 40 API, 1183; GOR: Casing 5.5 at 6795; Perforations: 6650-6731; Acid: 3300 gals, Frac: 52,000 gals 182,000 lbs. 20/40 sand; Formation tops: Lamar 4961, Ramsey 4994, Odds 5026, Cherry Canyon 5572; Top of pay 6550.
Wildcat
Richmond Petroleum Inc. No. 1 Johnson "40"; 680 fml, 1980 fml, sec 40, blk 78, PSL, 14 NE Mentone; Elev 3063, TD 7169, PB 6969; Completed 6/1/90; Potentiated 6/18/90 pumping 48 bopd, 41 MCF, 238 bwpd, 40 API.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Megutux (Devonian)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 3 U-TX; 1980 fml, 1980 fml, sec 7, blk 8, ULS; 11 E Andrews; TD 12,840.
Shafter Lake (San Andre)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 341 Shafter Lake San Andre Unit; 907 fml, 861 fml, sec 13, blk A-46, PSL, Abst. 2299, 1/2 NW Andrews; TD 4800.

ECTOR COUNTY

Wheeler (Silurian)
Amoco Production Co. No. 1 R.A. Wheeler "F"; 2008 fml, 2011 fml, sec 16, blk 46, T-I-S, T&P, 4 SW Norcross; TD 9200.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Adobe Resources Corp. No. 2 Weyman; 660 fml, 1980 fml, sec 14, blk 36, T-S, T&P, 15 W Garden City; TD 8390.

HOWARD COUNTY

Iatan (East Howard)
Dreadner Petroleum Inc. No. 26 Texas Land & Mortgage Co.; 2310 fml, 2317 fml, sec 4, blk 30, T-I-S, T&P, 5 SE Coahoma; TD 2800.
Dreadner Petroleum Inc. No. 36 Texas Land & Mortgage Co.; 1650 fml, 990 fml, sec 4, blk 30, T-I-S, T&P, 5 SE Coahoma; TD 2800.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Parks (Spraberry)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 3 H.S. Collings; 2639 fml, 2639 fml, sec 7, Matt Daugherty survey, Abst. 1447, 11 SW Midland; TD 9930.
Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Ltd. No. 1 Holzgraf "A"; 660 fml, 1980 fml, sec 33, blk 39, T-S, T&P, 5.5 S Midland; TD 9550.

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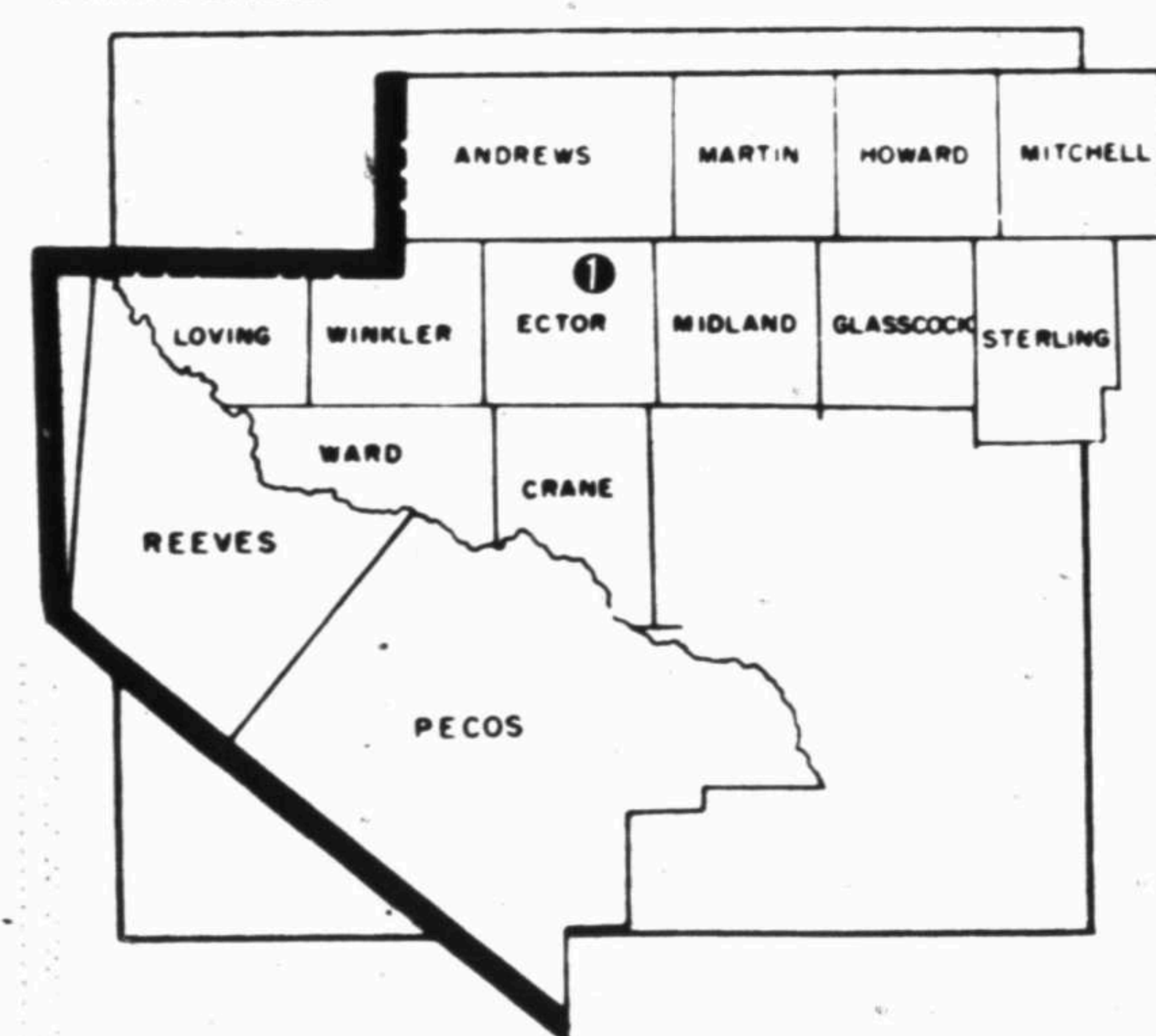
DAWSON COUNTY

Welch
Oxy USA Inc. (Midland) No. 4961 West Welch Unit; 330 fml, 1650 fml, sec 71, blk M, ELARR, 3 SW Welch; TD 5180.
Oxy USA Inc. (Midland) No. 1302 West Welch Unit; 680 fml, 330 fml, sec 16, blk C-39, PSL, 3 SW Welch; TD 5095.
Oxy USA Inc. (Midland) No. 802 West Welch Unit; 680 fml, 50 fml, sec 1, blk C-39, PSL, 3 SW Welch; TD 5095.
Oxy USA Inc. (Midland) No. 4960 West Welch Unit; 1650 fml, 330 fml, sec 71, blk M, ELARR, 3 SW Welch; TD 5180.

TERRY COUNTY

Slaughter (Clearfork)
Slaughter Production Co. (Houston) No. 10-B Christine Devitt; 572 fml, 1179 fml, sec 4, blk D-11, J.G. Gibson, 8 SE Sundown; TD 7700; old 8200.

WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ 1. ECTOR DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION: Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. has applied to drill a 11,800 ft. wildcat 5 miles north of Odessa in Ector County and will test the Headlee North (Strawn) at 10,200 ft. and Ratliff (Penn) at 10,650 ft.
The No. 4 Sallie W. Ratliff is 1980 ft. from the north and 2116 ft. from the west lines of section 36, block 42, T-I-S, T&P survey.

Texas Bank, Odessa opens bank in Austin

Texas Bank, a home-owned, community bank in Odessa announced the acquisition of Southwest National Bank in Austin. On Thursday, June 28 at 3:00 pm, the Federal Depositors Insurance Corp. (FDIC) closed the doors of Southwest National Bank in Austin. Friday morning, it will be business as usual, when the Odessa bank reopens it as Texas Bank, Southwest Austin.
"We are very excited about expanding our operations into the Austin market," said Richard D. Browning, chairman/CEO of Texas Bank. "Austin presents an excellent banking environment for an independent community bank. This expansion represents positive growth and embodies the aggressive spirit that our customers appreciate and encourage in their bank," he said.
Texas Bank directors are Mike Atkins, Richard D. "Buz" Browning, Bobby Cox, Franklin A. Deaderick, Herbert Graham, R.E. Meritt, T.G. Roden and Thelma Stone.

845: 1 GOR; Casing 5.5 at 6905; Perforations: 6762-6786; Acid: 1000 gals 7.5 percent HCL; Formation tops: Lamar 4797, Ramsey 4633, Odds 4600, Cherry Canyon 5382; Top of pay 6762.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

DICKENS COUNTY

Matador-Williams (Tannehill)
Medders Oil Co. (Wichita Falls) No. 6-T Pichfork-Matador; 916 fml, 2838 fml, sec 20, blk A, R.M. Thompson; 13 SW Spur; TD 4333; Pumping 73 bopd, 0 bwpd; Casing 4.5 at 4333; Perforations: 4086-4096.

GARZA COUNTY

Garza
George R. Brown Partnership (Houston) No. 1005-A West City of Post S.A.; 450 fml, 670 fml, sec 1231, J.V. Massey, Within Post; TD 3194; Pumping 40 bopd, 165 bwpd, 36.8 API, 1:1 GOR; Casing 5.5 at 3194; Perforations: 3041-3146.
Tulbrow
Samedan Oil Corp. (Midland) No. 2-A Knox Estate; 1980 fml, 680 fml, sec 22, blk 6, H&GN, 2 NE Justicewick; TD 8030; Flowing 1000 bopd, 0 bwpd, 37.4 API, 500:1 GOR, 16/64 inch choke, 160 FTP; Casing 5.5 at 7999; Perforations: 7844-7869.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ozona (Canyon sand oil)
Kerr-McGee Corp. (Midland) No. 9 Couch

"22"; 925 fml, 2100 fml, sec 22, blk GR, HEWIT survey, Abst. 5067, 6.5 SW Ozona; TD 6740, PB 6696; Pumping 29 bopd, 0 bwpd, 14,862:1 GOR; Casing 4.5 at 6738; Perforations: 6330-6626; Acid: 2000 gals, Frac: 105,000 gals gel, 273,000 lbs. sand.

SUTTON COUNTY

Sawyer (Canyon gas)
American Exploration Co. (Sonora) No. 6 Fields "20"; 660 fml, 2750 fml, sec 20, blk 6, HEWIT survey, 4 SE Sonora; TD 5025, PB 5980; CACF 725,000 cpg; Casing 4.5 at 6025; Perforations: 6720-5798; Frac: 63,000 gals gel, 178,000 lbs. sand.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

GAINES COUNTY

Wildcat
Westland Oil Development Co. No. 1 University "32"; 660 fml, 487 fml, sec 82, blk G, WTRR, 4.5 SE Seagraves; Elev. 3323, TD 5810, PB 5703; Completed 5/29/90; Pumping 69.9 bopd, 32 API, GOR 250:1; Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5800; Perforations 5622 to 5638; Acid: 500 gals; Formation tops: Rustler 2472, Yates 2500, San Andre 5040; Top of pay 5537.

LYNN COUNTY

Wildcat
Nearbrow Producing Co. No. 1 Kendall "2"; 1650 fml, 680 fml, sec 2, blk C-40, PSL, 9 SW Tahoka; Elev. 3107, TD 11,022, PB 10,975; Pumping 72 bopd, 354 bwpd, 38 API, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,022; Perforations 10,906 to 10,930; Acid: 1250 gals; Formation tops: Pennsylvanian 9446, Mississippian 10,520, Fusselman 10,903; Top of pay 10,906.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

PECOS COUNTY

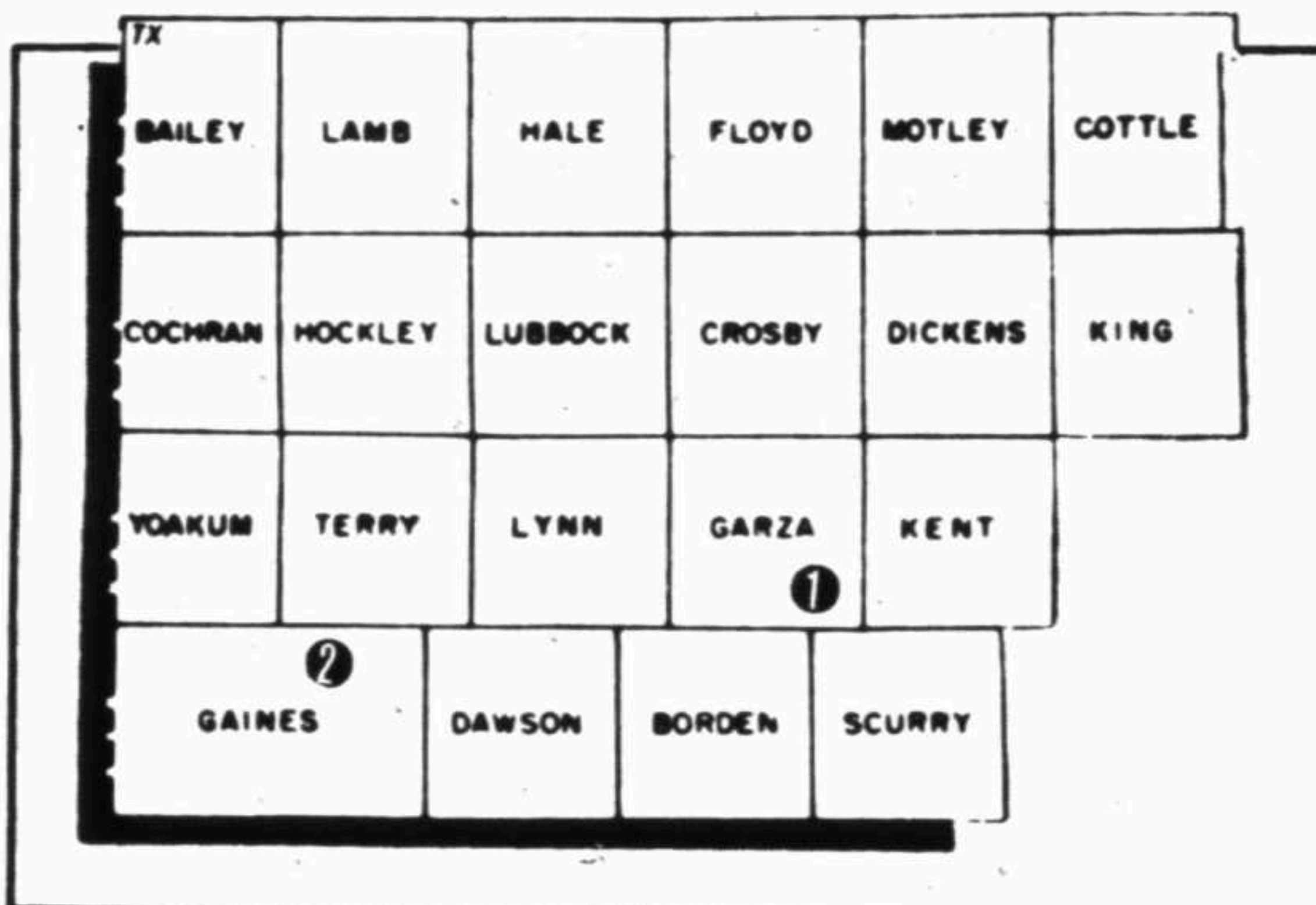
Fort Stockton (Yates Lower)
Exxon Corp. No. 227 Fort Stockton Unit; 9910 fml, 2750 fml, sec 507, Garcia, Montez & Duran, 9 N Fort Stockton; TD 3468; Completed 5/9/85; Plugged 5/15/90; Oil well.
Exxon Corp. No. 217 Fort Stockton Unit; 2620 fml, 1680 fml, sec 506, Garcia, Montez & Duran, 9 N Fort Stockton; TD 3475; Completed 1/4/81; Plugged 5/16/90; Oil well.
Exxon Corp. No. 229 Fort Stockton Unit; 561 fml, 6978 fml, sec 507, Garcia, Montez & Duran, 10 N Fort Stockton; TD 3570; Completed 1/4/88; Plugged 5/23/90; Oil well.

Hokit, North (Wolfcamp)
J. Cleo Thompson No. 1 Mays; 660 fml, 660 fml, sec 16, blk 100, ELARR, 5.5 SW Bakerville; TD 9357; Completed 3/2/88; Plugged 5/30/90; Gas well.

Pecos Grande (Wolfcamp)
BTA Oil Producers No. 2 9004-JV-P Grande; 1320 fml, 1320 fml, sec 10, blk 49, Survey T-10, T&P, 13 W Ft. Stockton; TD 16,480; Completed 1/22/84; Plugged 6/6/90; Gas well.

Walker
William B. Wilson Exploration No. 2 White & Baker "C"; 289 fml, 289 fml, sec 89, blk 194, GCSAF, 2 SW Bakerville; TD 2175; Completed 4/6/90; Plugged 5/18/90; Dry hole.

WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ 1. 3-M EYES EXPLORER WELL IN GARZA: 3-M Energy Corp. (San Angelo) plans to drill an 8000 ft. wildcat for tests in the Ellenburger field of Garza County.
The No. 1 Blakey is 1248 ft. from the north and 1906 ft. from the east lines of section 14, block 6, H&GN survey, 3.5 miles southeast of Justiceburg.

■ 2. WESTLAND PLANS GAINES TEST: Westland Oil Development Corp. (Conroe) has applied to drill a 5800 ft. wildcat 5 miles southeast of Seagraves in Gaines County.

The No. 2 Maxey will be drilled 2150 ft. from the south and 1980 ft. from the west lines of section 60, block G, WTRR survey.

JAPAN: Makes concessions

(From 1C)

In releasing their final report on President Bush's so-called Structural Impediments Initiative after a week of talks in Tokyo, the negotiators said it represented "substantial progress" over an interim report released here in early April.

Details of the report were released simultaneously here and in Tokyo.

The most important concession by Japan was to add \$96.77 billion to its offer on public works spending, boosting the total to \$2.77 trillion over 10 years. The U.S. side had asked for \$3.22 trillion over the decade.

Bush undertook the talks in May 1989 in order to break down widely acknowledged Japanese barriers to imports of American products and services. Japanese

officials agreed to take part in the process only after the Americans agreed to consider shortcomings in U.S. economic policies and business practices that contribute to the trade gap.

In Thursday's final report, the American side conceded that the budget deficit is the top impediment to greater U.S. competitiveness in trade.

U.S. negotiators agreed to make elimination of the budget deficit its top priority and quoted Bush's Tuesday statement as "outlining the key elements of an acceptable deficit reduction agreement."

NEW MEXICO

LEA COUNTY

North Mason
Highland Production Co. No. 1 Conoco "D" Federal; 2310 fml, 1650 fml, sec 18, T26a, R32e, Elev. 3205, TD 4352; Completed 6/8/90; Potentiated 6/12/90; pumping 30 bopd, 55 MCF, 55 bwpd, 39.1 API; GOR 1833:1; Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4302; Perforations (Open Hole) 4302 to 4352; Formation top: Delaware 4350; Top of pay 4302.

West Corbin

Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners L.P. No. 2 Uncle Sam "13" Federal; 1980 fml, 1980 fml, sec 13, T18a, R32e, Elev. 3848.8, TD 5300, PB 5178; Completed 5/14/90; Potentiated 6/8/90; pumping 210 bopd, 141 MCF, 65 bwpd, 38.4 API, GOR 671:1; Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5299; Perforations 4986 to 5023; Acid: 2000 gals, 15 percent NeFeHCL; Frac: 45,300 gals; gel, 128,540 lbs. 16/30 sand; Formation tops: Rustler 1263, Base Salt 2560, Yates 2648, Seven Rivers 3205, Queen 4000, Penrose 4280, Grayburg 4493, Premier 4764, Upper Delaware 4886; Top of pay 4886.

West Lusk

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 19 Lusk Deep Unit "A"; 330 fml, 1656 fml, sec 20, T19a, R32e, Elev. 3586.9, TD 7220, PB 7200; Completed 3/18/90; Potentiated 5/18/90; pumping 42.5 bopd, 307 MCF, 30 bwpd, 44 API, GOR 7224:1; Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7220; Perforations 6468 to 6481; Acid: 1300 gals, 7.5 percent NeFe; Frac: 17,000 gals; gel, 80,000 lbs. 20/40 sand; Formation tops: Rustler 790, Capital Reef 2840, Delaware 4622, Brushy Canyon 5599, Bone Spring 7188; Top of pay 6468.

REEVES COUNTY

Sabre (Delaware)
ARCO Oil & Gas Co. No. 605 Sabre Delaware Unit; 1980 fml, 1980 fml, sec 26, blk 57, T-2, T&P, 1 W Orla; TD 3017; Completed 2/11/59; Plugged 2/9/90; Oil well.

STERLING COUNTY

Wildcat
H.L. Brown, Jr. No. 1 Batjer-Hunter; 1531 fml, 2334 fml, sec 177, blk 29, W&NW, 20 NW Sterling City; TD 9390; Completed 5/28/90; Plugged 5/30/90; Dry hole.
George S. Galbraith No. 1 S.K. Horwood 1-23; 2296 fml, 2052 fml, sec 23, blk 7, H&TC, 16 S Sterling City; TD 7050; Completed 2/26/90; Plugged 5/19/90; Dry hole.

SCURRY COUNTY

Coleman Ranch, North (Clearfork)
G. Production No. 1 Superior-Autry; 330 fml, 330 fml, sec 96, blk 97, H&TC, 8 S Ira; TD 3107; Completed N/A; Plugged 6/7/90; Oil well.

WARD COUNTY

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900)
Exxon Corp. No. 1 Edgar J. Marston, Jr. Trustee; 1980 fml, 1980 fml, sec 108, blk 34, H&TC; TD 6700; Completed 4/29/76; Plugged 5/8/90; Oil well.
Ward, South
Murphree Production No. 12 D. Olcott; 180 fml, 1100 fml, sec 7, blk 34, H&TC, 4 NW Grandfalls; TD 2387; Completed N/A; Plugged 6/13/90; Oil well.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Be careful, 'buy term and invest the rest'

By Bill Doyle

Q. I need advice about investing for my 5-year-old son's college education. I have been approached by agents of an investment firm about buying term life insurance and mutual fund shares. I have enclosed some of their literature. They say if I invest \$100 per month in mutual funds for 12 years, my child will have \$40,000 for college.

I don't know how sound and reliable this company is. Should I invest with them?

A. NO! For the simple reason that, based on your letter, those "agents" lied to you.

No one can tell you how an investment in a mutual fund will turn out. A statement that \$12,000 invested — \$100 a month over 12 years — will become \$40,000 is an out-and-out lie.

Claims such as that are prohibited by the nation's securities laws and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Interestingly, they are not mentioned in the literature you sent along. In head-to-head sales pitches, however, some mutual fund peddlers fracture all the rules.

Fund literature and sales people are permitted to say how well or how badly a mutual fund has performed to date. But that literature must contain the hedge clause, noting, "Past performance is no guarantee of future results."

The theory "buy term and invest the rest" is great because term insurance is the least expensive type. The money saved on insurance premiums can be put to work in investments such as mutual funds.

The problem with the outfit that approached you is twofold: Its term insurance is far from the best and is expensive by term insurance standards. The mutual fund it is shilling for is a contractual plan — absolutely the worst way to invest in funds.

A contractual plan has a horrific "front-end-load," through which up to 50 percent of your first year's payments would go to pay commissions — further diminishing your chances of coming out ahead.

Now that you are acquainted with the "buy term and invest the rest" idea, shop around for less costly term insurance and put

your premium savings into a no-load mutual fund.

Q. For the past seven years, I have had a mutual fund account for my son, under our state's uniform gifts to minors act. When he graduated from high school and had no desire to continue his education, he asked for some of the money to buy a car. Since he had reached 18, the account had to be turned over to him anyway.

Not being satisfied with the mutual fund's performance, I redeemed all the fund's shares, withdrew all the money and gave it to my son. But I convinced my son to open an account at another mutual with the money remaining after his car purchase.

At tax time, how does he account for the money he used to buy the car with accumulated capital gains and reinvested dividends? Also, will he have to report the money withdrawn from the first fund, in spite of opening a new account?

A. Your son had either a capital gain or a capital loss, as the result of you redeeming all the shares of the first mutual fund. That gain or loss, which your son is required to report on Schedule D of the Form 1040 federal income tax return he files for 1990, was the difference between the redemption check received and the "basis" of the shares redeemed. That basis is the amount you invested in the fund plus all the reinvested dividends and capital gains distributions.

The fact that your son opened a new mutual fund account with the money he had left after buying his car doesn't change his tax situation. He could have done anything he liked with that money. Investing it didn't alter his tax liability.

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Texas Scores

BASEBALL — Texas Rangers 8, Minnesota Twins 6.
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Sports Today

TEXAS LEAGUE BASEBALL
— Wichita Wranglers at Midland Angels, 7 p.m., Angels Stadium (KCRS 550 AM).

Lost Rocket

HOUSTON (AP) — Carl Herrera acquired by the Houston Rockets in a trade during the NBA draft already has signed a contract to play professionally in Spain.

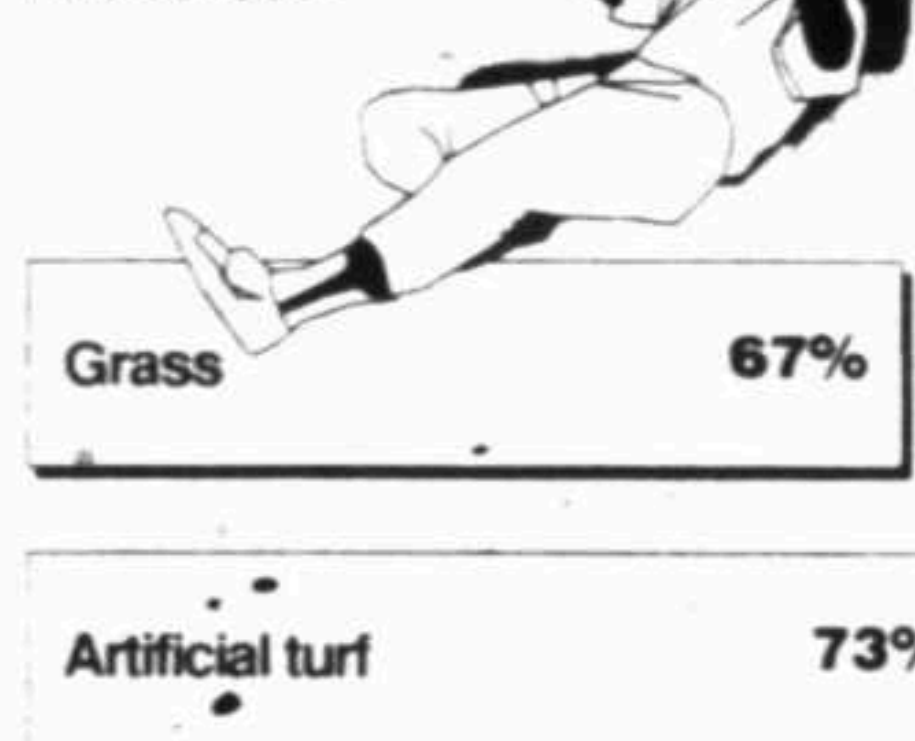
Herrera, a 6-9 forward who played at the University of Houston and Houston Baptist University, told KRIV-TV he already has signed a two-year contract to play for Real Madrid next season. "I'm going to tell you something," Herrera told KRIV in a telephone interview Thursday from his home in Guanara, Venezuela. "I think right now for me it's positive to go to Spain because I think I will have more improvement as a player and I will learn more things because I will play a lot of minutes."

However, Herrera, who made himself available for the draft after his junior year, said he would like to see the Rockets buy out his Spanish contract because he'd like to play in Houston.

Sports facts

Base stealing

Success rates for 1987-89 on two kinds of field surface:



SOURCE: Stats Inc.

Head Games

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Alex Antonitsch of Austria managed to sneak in a plug for one of his nation's sporting goods manufacturers while knocking off 15th-seeded Frenchman Henri Leconte.

When Leconte mis-hit a shot off the top of his racket that blooped in for a winner, Antonitsch stood in shock and then asked, "Is that a Head racket from Austria?"

Leconte then hit the next shot out, prompting Antonitsch to tell the crowd in a stage whisper: "The strings are from France."

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Trivia Teaser

Friday's Question — Who was the first female major league baseball announcer?

Thursday's Answer — University of Illinois football All-American Red Grange was dubbed the Galloping Ghost for his runs through the line.

INSIDE SPORTS

Baseball Roundup.....2D
Scoreboard.....3D
NBA Draft.....4D
Golf.....7D
World Cup.....8D



Martina Navratilova celebrates during her second-round match with Anne Smith of the USA Thursday at Wimbledon. Navratilova went on to win 6-2, 6-3.

Top seeds moving up

■ Ivan Lendl and Martina Navratilova advanced easily through second-round action at Wimbledon.

Associated Press

WIMBLEDON, England — Ivan Lendl's mission to finally win Wimbledon took another powerful step forward today with a victory over a hard-hitting Austrian.

The top-ranked player in the world used pounding serves, sharply angled volleys and a lot of skill to beat Jakob Hlasek of Switzerland 6-1, 6-3, 6-0 to advance to the third round.

"He made me look bad because he played so good," said Hlasek, a quality player ranked 50th in the world. "But not did he play well, he has really improved on grass. The whole game — the volley, the serve, the confidence. Everything."

Another player who has dedicated the season to winning Wimbledon, second-seeded Martina Navratilova, looked overpowering, too. She beat Anne Smith of the United States 6-2, 6-3.

Also advancing, although with a bit more difficulty, was Gabriela Sabatini. The women's fourth seed from Argentina beat Anke Huber of West Germany 6-2, 7-6.

Out of the tournament went Henri Leconte. The 15th seed from France was eliminated by Alex Antonitsch of Austria 2-6, 6-4, 7-6, 2-6, 6-3.

As the fourth day of the Grand Slam tournament played out in cool, breezy weather, a bomb scare para-

lyzed part of the ground outside Centre Court for about a half hour.

Play was suspended on three outside courts after a suspicious item — it turned out to be a camera in a leather case — was found near the main gate. Police bomb-squad officers gave the all-clear after checking the item with a portable X-ray machine.

The victory by Antonitsch was built on a booming serve and passing shots, and Leconte's mistakes. The Frenchman double-faulted and flubbed a volley in the eighth game of the fifth set to give Antonitsch the service break he needed for victory.

Leconte was the eighth seed out of the men's draw with the third round not even finished. He had been seeded to meet Lendl in the fourth round.

Lendl played almost-perfect tennis in racing by Hlasek in 78 minutes. His only lapse came when he tried to be perhaps too fancy in his first service game, after opening with an ace. He double-faulted to 30-40 when he smacked two hard serves instead of trying to get the second serve in, then lost the game on a lob by Hlasek.

After that, however, Lendl toyed with Hlasek, who beat the top seed in the Masters in New York in 1988. Lendl won six straight games never lost serve again.

Lendl polished off the match with a 20-minute third set in which he seemed at times to be playing in slow motion, winding up and gunning shots left and right at the helpless Hlasek. He ended the match with an ace and a pair of service winners.

"I returned well, I lobbed well,"

Please see TENNIS/6D

Perry leads Hartford

■ Midland's John Adams aced the fifth hole Thursday and finished the day with a two-under-par 68.

Associated Press

CROMWELL, Conn. (AP) — Chris Perry had seven birdies Thursday at the Greater Hartford Open, but the key to his opening-round 63 was a par-saving chip and putt.

After missing the green on his second hole — a 194-yard, par-3 — Perry hit a "nearly impossible shot" to within 12 feet of the hole and made the putt.

"Those are the kind of putts you have to make, and I rolled it right in the center," he said.

Perry's 7-under-par round gave him a one-shot lead over Steve Jones at the Tournament Players Club of Connecticut. Five players, including Jay Haas, are tied for third at 65.

Hubert Green and 10 others are another stroke back at 66. Defending champion Paul Azinger shot a 68, as did Midland's John Adams who carded a hole-in-one on the fifth hole.

Perry, son of former major league pitcher Jim

Perry, followed his par putt on the 11th hole with three straight birdies.

"I have a tendency not to be aggressive, but today I said, 'No, I'm going to keep going for it,'" he said.

Perry, winless on the tour, said he's been hitting the ball well lately but his usually consistent putting has failed him.

"I really haven't made enough birdies to do that well," he said. "Today I made a few putts, and that was the difference."

Perry made two 18-foot putts and one from 15 feet, all for birdie.

Perry, whose best finish this season was a tie for 20th at the Tucson Open in January, said it's been a long time since he's led a tournament.

"I've just lingered around the cut score and maybe a little better," he said. "It's nice to be in this spot for once."

Jones, who blew a final-round lead at the Kemper Open earlier this month, said he is trying to change his attitude on the course.

"Everyone who wins doesn't say I played well after one round. They play well and think about playing well the next day. That's what I'm going to do," he said.



Midland's John Adams waves after his ace on the fifth hole of the Hartford Open Thursday.

Angels lose race with speedy hares

■ The Wichita Wranglers steal seven bases in an 11-4 Texas League victory over the Midland Angels.

By Bill Price
Staff Writer

As Midland was trying to pull a rabbit out of its baseball cap Thursday night to push its Texas League record to .500 for the first time in the 1990 season, the Angels were done in by a hare of another sort.

It came in the form of the Wichita Wranglers, who stole seven bases on the Halos en route to an 11-4 win at Angels Stadium. Wichita and Midland are now both 3-5 for the young second half and tied for last place in the Western Division.

Two Wrangler rabbits, Brian Cisarik and Will Taylor, nabbed two bases apiece as Cisarik went 4-for-5 from the plate to score three runs. Also, Taylor moved his season stolen base total to 30.

"We have got good team speed, so when we have the right guys on base we're going to run," said Wichita manager Steve Lubratic. "We score a lot of runs when we're aggressive."

Also becoming more aggressive was Cisarik, whose batting performance came on the heels of an 0-for-5 showing Wednesday. He was obviously relieved to have turned his fortunes around.

"I just came off one of the worst nights in my life," he said. "I got a little mad after that, I guess."



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Midland's Kevin Davis puts the tag on Wichita's Will Taylor during an unsuccessful steal attempt.

He also agreed with tradition baseball reasoning that bases are stolen on pitchers, not necessarily catchers. Halo starter Kyle Abbott, who gave up 11 hits in seven innings, allowed five of the steals while reliever Tim Meeks saw the Wrangler thieves take a pair. Midland catcher Mike Knapp threw out two base runners, but also committed two errors in futile throw-out attempts.

"It's usually the pitcher. Knapp was throwing the ball great. But Kyle has got

kind of an eye-leg kick and if you read it right, you have got a stolen base," Cisarik said.

And despite the Wranglers' 15 hits that accompanied the stolen bases, what may ultimately have been the final blow was five Midland errors, with three coming in the first inning. Angel third baseman Luis Aguayo also committed two of the errors.

"We just didn't play good defense. Shaky defense caught up to us," said An-

gel manager Eddie Rodriguez. "Also, they have a club that can run. We weren't trying to do anything to try to stop their running game."

Wichita wasted no time on taking the lead, as Cisarik reached on a single with one away in the first, then stole second. Mike Humphreys followed by reaching first when Aguayo bobbled a sharp grounder, then overthrew first baseman

Please see ANGELS/2D

Rangers make Twins see double

Associated Press

Jack Daugherty tripled and hit two of Texas' team record-tying seven doubles Thursday, leading the Rangers over the Minnesota Twins 8-4.

Daugherty got four of the Rangers' 15 hits. Texas split the four-game series and beat Minnesota for the seventh time in 10 games.

Bobby Witt (4-8) gave up one run on eight hits in seven innings. He lasted only 3 1/2 innings against Seattle in his last start, his shortest outing of the season.

Texas chased David West (3-6) with five runs on six hits in the second inning. West went only 1 1/2 innings in his previous start against the Rangers, a 7-1 loss.

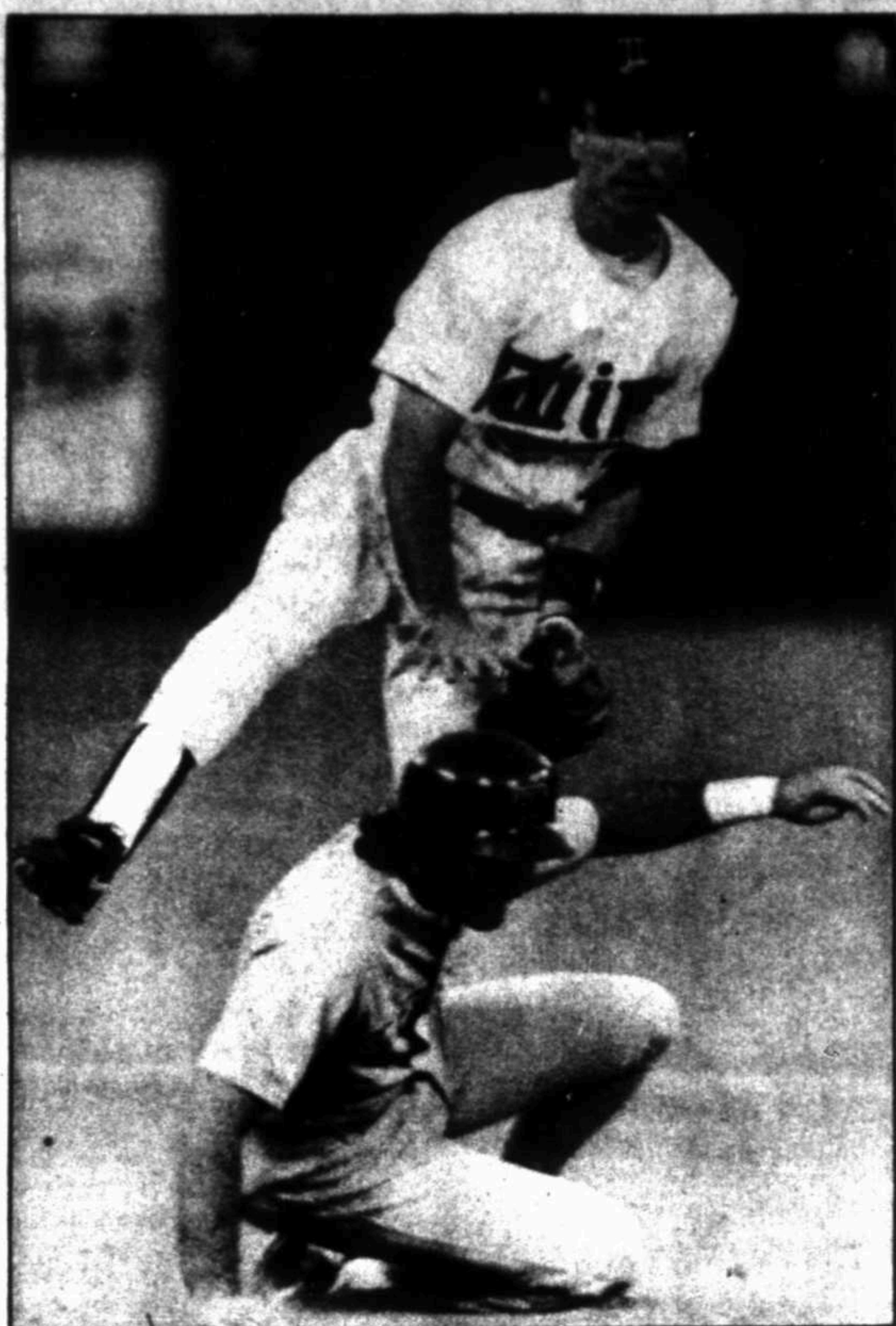
John Russell and Mike Stanley doubled in the second and Cecil Espy singled for his first RBI since last Sept. 25. Daugherty doubled for the second time in two innings and Julio Franco and Ruben Sierra added RBI singles for a 5-0 lead.

Junior Ortiz got four hits and drove in three runs for Minnesota. He and Brian Harper hit RBI singles in the ninth off Kenny Rogers.

Ortiz singled home a run in the second. Texas made it 6-1 in the fourth when Daugherty led off with a single and later scored on Rafael Palmeiro's grounder.

Pete Incaviglia doubled and scored on Palmeiro's single in the eighth for a 7-1 lead. Daugherty triple and scored on Franco's grounder in the ninth.

The Twins got three runs in the eighth off Jamie Moyer to make it 7-4. Ortiz hit an RBI single and John Moses had a two-run single.



AP Laserphoto

Minnesota Twins shortstop Greg Gagne puts out a hand to brace himself as he prepares to land on Texas' Rafael Palmeiro after completing a double play in the fourth inning of the Rangers' 8-6 win.

AL Roundup

Yankees 3, Brewers 2
Bob Geren singled home the winning run with two outs in the ninth inning, and New York beat Milwaukee.

Gary Sheffield's leadoff home run tied it for the Brewers in the top of the ninth before the Yankees won it in their half.

Steve Balboni batted for Matt Nokes to open the inning and reliever Bob Sebra (1-2) replaced Dan Plesac. Balboni singled and pinch runner Deion Sanders advanced on Jesse Barfield's sacrifice.

Sanders moved to third on a groundout and scored when Geren sliced a drive into the right-field corner.

Dave Righetti (1-0) got the victory despite allowing Sheffield's fourth home run.

Tim Leary held Milwaukee to one run on four hits in seven innings and Lee Guetterman pitched a scoreless eighth before Righetti gave up a home run to the first batter he faced.

Leary has lost six straight decisions since May 23. The Yankees have scored two runs or less in nine of Leary's 15 starts this season.

New York scored twice in the

season after undergoing knee surgery. He had not won since Aug. 6, 1988, while with the Cubs.

Randy Milligan homered and Craig Worthington hit an RBI single in the sixth. Mike Devereaux hit a two-run homer in the ninth off Jesse Orosco.

Baerga hit a two-run homer, his third, in the first inning off Jeff Ballard (1-9), who is 0-4 in his last five starts. Ballard, 188 last year, has already given up as many homers (16) as he did all last season.

The Orioles loaded the bases with no outs in the third, but Nipper got out of the jam when Steve Finley grounded into a force play at the plate and Billy Ripken hit into a double play.

Snyder hit an RBI single and Felix Fermin had a two-run double that chased Ballard in the fourth. Jerry Browne singled home a run off Brian Holton.

Snyder hit his 11th home run leading off the sixth. Devereaux hit his second home run.

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NL Roundup

San Diego took a 1-0 lead in the third as pitcher Ed Whitson walked and Bip Roberts and Joe Carter singled.

Houston tied it in the sixth on a controversial double by Rich Gedman. After a single by Glenn Wilson and a walk to Anthony, Gedman doubled over the head of Carter in center field.

The ball bounced against the wall and both runners scored. But umpire crew chief Paul Runge said the ball hit the concrete barrier behind the fence and ruled it a ground-rule double, sending Anthony back to third. Portugal then lined out to end the inning.

Cubs 3, Expos 2
Pinch-hitter Marvell Wynne's bloop single scored the winning run with one out in the ninth inning, lifting Chicago over Montreal.

Luis Salazar, who homered earlier, led off with a single against Bill Sampen (6-1) and pitcher Les Lancaster, sent up to sacrifice, walked on five pitches.

Shawon Dunston hit a long fly to center that moved pinch runner Gary Varsho to third base and Wynne, batting for Domingo Ramos, singled over Montreal's drawn-in infield.

The Expos made it 2-2 with two outs in the eighth when Spike Owen ended an 0-for-17 slump with his fourth home run of the season, off reliever Paul Assenmacher.

Lancaster (6-4) escaped a jam in the ninth, getting Junior Noboa to ground out with two runners on base.

Mets 5, Reds 4
The Mets won their 10th straight game and Darryl Strawberry extended his hitting streak to 17 games with a home run as New York beat Cincinnati in a matchup of torrid teams.

Strawberry hit Jose Rijo's 3-1 pitch over the 396-foot mark in right-center field leading off the sixth inning. It was Strawberry's 16th home run and gave him eight homers and 23 RBIs during his hitting streak. Winner Dwight Gooden also singled home a run in the sixth to give the Mets a 5-2 lead.

Cardinals 5, Pirates 1
Bob Tewksbury held the best hitting team in the majors to four hits in 8 1/2 innings and Willie McGee had three hits and two

RBIs as St. Louis ended a four-game losing streak with a victory over Pittsburgh.

It was only the sixth victory in 20 games for the Cardinals and snapped a four-game winning streak by the Pirates, whose lead in the National League East was shaved to one game over the streaking New York Mets.

Tewksbury (30), who was recalled from the minors on June 12, didn't allow a hit against the team that began the game with a major league-leading .274 average until Jose Lind singled on a soft liner down the right-field line to lead off the sixth.

Tewksbury had a shutout until the ninth when Jay Bell and Andy Van Slyke singled and Bobby Bonilla hit a sacrifice fly.

Mariners 6, Royals 4

Scott Bradley hit a three-run homer in the eighth inning and Seattle overcame two home runs by Bo Jackson to beat Kansas City.

Bradley, who entered the game as a pinch hitter in the seventh, homered off Jeff Montgomery with two outs. Pete O'Brien was hit by a pitch and Edgar Martinez drew a walk from Mark Davis (1-5) before Bradley hit his first home run of the season.

Mike Schooler, the fourth Seattle pitcher, pitched the ninth for his 19th save. Keith Comstock (3-2) got three outs in the eighth.

Jackson hit six home runs in his last 11 games. He had his sixth career two-home run game and first since July 4, 1989. Jackson hit three homers in the three-game series at the Kingdom.

Jackson hit a solo home run in the fourth off Russ Swan, giving Bret Saberhagen and the Royals a 1-0 lead.

In the sixth, Bill Pecota walked and Danny Tartabull hit his third career inside-the-park homer, a drive high off the center-field wall that a leaping Ken Griffey Jr. could not catch. Jackson followed with his 12th homer of the season.

Griffey slammed hard into the wall in attempting to catch Tartabull's ball and then slumped to the turf. The ball appeared to hit him in the head coming off the wall. Griffey was just momentarily stunned and remained in the game, however.

Saberhagen, trying for his first victory since June 2, took a 4-0 lead into the seventh. The Mariners loaded the bases when O'Brien walked and Martinez and Tracy Jones singled, but Saberhagen got Bradley and Greg Briley to foul out to catcher Rey Palacios. Harold Reynolds then hit a sinking liner to get past Jackson in center field and went for a three-run triple.

Red Sox 4, Blue Jays 3
Roger Clemens posted his 12th victory despite a pair of homers by Fred McGriff and Boston completed a four-game sweep of Toronto.

Clemens (12-3) gave up eight hits in eight innings but struck out nine and walked just one as the Red Sox improved their lead over Toronto in the American League East to 3 1/2 games.

Wade Boggs homered in the Boston first and McGriff tied it in the second. The Red Sox broke the tie with three runs in the fifth inning off Todd Stottlemyre (8-7) and equalized their season-high with a seventh consecutive victory.

In the Boston fifth, Ellis Burks doubled and scored the tie-breaking run on Tony Pena's double. Pena went to third on a single by Luis Rivera, who took second on the throw to the plate. Boggs was walked intentionally, filling the bases, and Jody Reed popped out, but Mike Greenwell singled to score Pena and Rivera.

Wichita 10, Kansas City 4
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Sandberg stats have MVP look

Associated Press

CHICAGO — Success on the field is making life difficult off the field for Ryne Sandberg.

A shy, private person, Sandberg seems uncomfortable when he is being interviewed. But as his numbers grow, so do the questions off the field.

Can he win another Most Valuable Player award? Is the triple crown possible?

"It's too early," Sandberg said of the MVP, which he won in 1984 when the Cubs won the National League East.

"I haven't thought about," he said of the triple crown for leading the league in home runs, batting average and RBIs.

A lot of people haven't thought about the triple crown because it has become such an elusive feat, especially in the National League. Joe Medwick of the St. Louis Cardinals was the last NL winner in 1937, while Carl Yastrzemski of the Boston Red Sox was the last one to do it in the American League back in 1967.

Sandberg has never won a home run title or a batting championship, and he has never driven in 100 runs in a season. His top average was .314 in 1984 and his best home run season came last year when he hit 30, 19 of them during the second half of the season.

But Sandberg currently leads the NL with 24 home runs, is second in batting at .344 and is among the league leaders with 52 RBIs. He also is the leading NL vote-getter for the All-Star Game.

"It's nice to be appreciated," said Sandberg, who also has 14 stolen bases.

Earlier this year, the focus was on Sandberg's fielding. He closed 1989 by setting a record of 90 straight errorless games by a second baseman. He extended the streak to 123 games this season before making a throwing error on May 19.

"I take my defense seriously," Sandberg said. "I have been blessed with quick feet, good hands and good eyes."

Cubs manager Don Zimmer said hard work is also an important part of Sandberg's flawless fielding.

"Usually, guys who play every day take a day off from fielding ground balls in practice," Zimmer said. "Not this guy, never. No matter how much he has played."

Sandberg, who turns 31 in September, has won seven Golden Glove awards and should make it eight this year. But the most improved part of his game is his power hitting.

After hitting only 15 homers in his first two seasons, Sandberg had 19 the following season and 26 the year after that. Last year, he hit a career high 30 homers.

"I'm more aggressive," Sandberg said. "Last year, I learned to hit with more power. I feel confident when I go to that plate that I'm going to hit the ball hard."

Sandberg has always played with confidence in the field.

"Overall, he's the best (second baseman) I've seen in my 42 years in baseball," Zimmer said.

ANGELS: Five errors cost Angels against Wichita

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Houston young guns win in 10th

Associated Press

The Houston Astros relied on its young guns to stop San Diego.

"They really came through for us today," Houston manager Art Howe said after rookie Eric Anthony's 10th-inning double drove in second-year player Craig Biggio with the winning run to spark the Astros to a 2-1 win.

Anthony's hit came off reliever Mark Grant with one out and followed a single by Biggio.

Biggio singled off Mark Grant (1-1) and easily beat the throw home by Tony Gwynn when Anthony doubled into the right-field corner.

"He got a good pitch out over the plate and I was able to get it in play. It was a sinker that ran back over the plate," Anthony said. "I'm definitely being more patient now and picking my spots. I'm cutting down on my swing, too."

Biggio finished with two hits in four at-bats to extend his team-high hitting streak to nine games.

"I'm not swinging at as many bad pitches as I did earlier in the year," Biggio said. "I've cut down on my swing and I'm just trying to meet the ball."

Houston is 11-3 at home and 0-12 on the road in June.

"Maybe this will give us some momentum the next time we go on the road," Anthony said.

Larry Andersen (4-1) pitched two innings and gave up one hit. He struck out three.

San Diego manager Jack McKeon was pleased with the performance of starter Ed Whitson who gave up five hits in six innings, striking out five and walking four.

"He pitched a great game. We can't afford to waste that kind of effort," McKeon said. "We had plenty of chances to get one run in."

Astros starter Mark Portugal allowed four hits in 7 1/2 innings. He left the game on the right leg by a line drive from Roberto Alomar. Dave Smith relieved Portugal.

JULY 4 DEADLINES

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Spurs choice humbles Gator

San Antonio not frightened off by attitude of No. 1 selection

■ Houston and Dallas visit trade tables in filling NBA needs.

Associated Press

The San Antonio Spurs shocked the crowd at the HemisFair when they drafted Dwayne Schintzius of Florida with their 24th pick, and Schintzius says the experience is a little humbling.

The enigma of the 1990 draft, Schintzius has the size and skill of a No. 1 pick, but his attitude scared teams away before the Spurs took a chance on him.

"When you go into your senior year thinking you're going to be the first-place pick and you slip to 24th... there's a message being sent," Brown said.

The 7-1 Schintzius played only 11 games as a senior, averaging 19.1 points and 9.6 rebounds, before leaving the Gators because of personal reasons.

Spurs coach Larry Brown coached Schintzius for three weeks during the World Junior Championships in 1986 and said his basketball abilities outweigh his demeanor.

"I've been with the kid. I spent three weeks with him in Italy, and I know everything about him," Brown said. "I know how good he is, and I know how fortunate he is to be on our team."

Schintzius will back up NBA Rookie of the Year David Robinson.

The Dallas Mavericks, who traded away three first-round picks in the NBA draft, sat back and enjoyed the show Wednesday night.

The Mavericks, which had the Nos. 9, 14 and 18 picks one week ago, were left with the 49th pick overall after trading for two starting veterans: All-Star guard Fat Lever from Denver and forward Rodney McCray from Sacramento before the draft.

The Houston Rockets went to the trade table, picking Georgia

NBA Draft

forward Alec Kessler at No. 12. Then they sent him to Miami for guard Dave Jamerson and power forward Carl Herrera, who played his college ball at the University of Houston.

Jamerson averaged 31.2 points and 6.4 rebounds as a senior at Ohio. His scoring average was third best in the country. He also set an NCAA record with 14 3-pointers in one game.

"We started out looking for a shooting guard and we feel like we've gotten him in this deal with the Heat," Houston coach Don Chaney said. "Jamerson is a pure shooter who can help us out on the perimeter."

Herrera, a junior, was a consensus All-Southwest Conference player. He averaged 16.7 points, 9.2 rebounds and two blocked shots while shooting 56 percent from the field for the Cougars.

He shared JUCO National Player of the Year honors with

Las Vegas' Larry Johnson in 1989 after averaging 25.5 points and 13.2 rebounds while playing for Houston Baptist.

With only a second-round pick in the draft, Dallas waited patiently for more than three hours, before selecting 6-4 former Duke standout Phil Henderson with the 49th overall pick.

Mavericks officials liked Henderson's athleticism and work ethic.

"He is a big game player," Rick Sund, vice president of basketball operations, said. "He performs very well in the clutch, and he is a swing player. He can play point guard or off-guard."

The Spurs used the 43rd overall pick to choose forward Tony Massenburg, a 6-9, 230-pounder from Maryland.

Two standouts at the University of Texas were taken in the first round. Guard Travis Mays, the SWC's all-time leading scorer, was taken by Sacramento with the 14th pick, and guard Lance Blanks went to Detroit.

Rozier: Blanket denial

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Oilers running back Mike Rozier is denying claims in two separate paternity lawsuits that he is the father of two children.

The lawsuits were filed against Rozier within the last two weeks. "I talked to Mike about both cases," said Rozier's attorney, Arthur Wilkinson of Washington, D.C. "Our position will be at the outset a blanket denial of paternity in both cases."

"However, if it's later determined that Mike has some kind of legal, moral, ethical or otherwise obligation to one or both of the children, I think at that point he would pursue a custody action on his own behalf," Wilkinson told KRIV-TV on Wednesday.

"He would rather raise his children in the manner that he would see fit as opposed to simply leaving them thousands of miles away from wherever he might be at the time."

Rita Baldwin, 25, filed a lawsuit this week claiming Rozier fathered the baby she is expecting in September while Pamela Go-

bert, 23, who is four months pregnant, filed her lawsuit last week.

Both women are represented by Houston attorney Glenn Lilly.

Rozier has 21 days to respond to Baldwin's lawsuit and until July 16 to respond to Gobert's petition.

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Waitz, 37, seeking record 10th NYC crown

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Grete Waitz, most responsible for the huge growth in women's long distance running, would like to round out her career with a record 10th victory in the New York City Marathon.

It won't be easy. "Age is catching up with me and the competition is catching up with me," Waitz said Thursday, after her entry was announced for the Nov. 4 race. "It's getting harder and harder."

Waitz will be 37 on Oct. 1, and her career, injury-free in the late 1970s and early 1980s, has been riddled with injuries in recent years.

The most recent came last month, shortly before Waitz was to run a half-marathon in Norway against 1984 Olympic marathon gold medalist Joan Benoit Samuelson. The injury — pain in the right side of the lower back — occurred during training and forced Waitz to withdraw.

"I couldn't put weight on my right leg," she said.

A chiropractor helped relieve the pain, and the anxious Waitz resumed training early this month.

"We have tried to do things differently this year," Jack Waitz, her husband and coach, said. "We're trying to do things more slowly. She can't do the same things she did when she was 10 years younger."

"We have to focus more on long-term goals."

The No. 1 goal is winning the New York City Marathon again.

Another victory would make her the all-time winner of a single marathon. At present, she is tied with Demetrio Cabanillas of Mexico, who won the Deseret News Marathon in Salt Lake City nine times (1976-82, 1984, 1987).

John J. Kelley won the Yonkers Marathon eight times (1956-63) and Clarence DeMar won the Boston Marathon seven times (1911, 1922-24, 1927-28, 1930).

With another victory at New York, Waitz would join DeMar as a three-decade winner of a major marathon. Waitz began her remarkable run in New York in 1978, when she ran the 26-mile, 385-yard marathon distance for the first time, and set a world best.

She also won in 1979 and 1980, breaking her world best both times, and won again from 1982-86

and in 1988. She also has won the London Marathon in 1983, breaking the world best again, and in 1986, and won the 1983 world championship.

Before becoming the world's premier women's marathoner, Waitz was an outstanding track and cross country runner. She was the 1977 World Cup champion at 3,000 meters, a 1972 and 1976 Olympian at 1,500 meters, set world records for the 3,000 in 1975 and 1976, and was unbeaten in cross country races for 12 years, winning a record five world titles (1978-81 and 1983).

"The accumulation of running for so many years is taking its toll now," Waitz said.

A year ago, she sustained a stress fracture of the pelvis bone and couldn't even train for four months.

"That was the longest layoff I've ever had," she said.

When she resumed training in November, she was rusty.

"I was like a car with a flat tire," Waitz said.

Even though she felt in good shape, "my legs were in poor condition," because of the long layoff, she said.

After that, she stepped up her training in hopes of running the Los Angeles Marathon in March. "But I was running in pain," Waitz said. "So I decided in February that I was going nowhere. I was pushing too hard."

Again, she had to withdraw and go back into training — at a slower pace.

"We decided not to rush things," she said. "We had to be more disciplined."

"When you feel you can run again, there is the tendency to say, 'I'm back.' And you try to put in too much mileage. I can't do that anymore."

Nevertheless, prior to the scheduled half-marathon in Norway, "I had never had so many good 20-mile training runs," she said. "I was very encouraged."

Now, she plans to use July for training and race in August, leading up to the Marathon.

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Ridgewood grabs third place

Staff Report

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Ridgewood ended tourney play with four wins and two losses and was led by Ruth Culley, who posted a .739 batting average through the six games.

Leslie Wood hit .600 for the Midland entry, and both she and Culley were named all-tournament.

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Hunger grips Lendl

WIMBLEDON, England — Ivan Lendl, a stickler for precision in tennis and language, insists the proper word for his great passion to win Wimbledon is not "obsession," as many have claimed, but rather, "zazrany."

Never heard of zazrany (pronounced, "za-zhra-nee")? According to a Czechoslovakian dictionary, the word is based on the verb "zrat," which means to gulp, devour or eat noisily like an animal. Metaphorically, zazrany means an ingrained yearning or, in Lendl's definition, a stubborn desire.

OK. So Lendl played like an animal Thursday in devouring his second-round opponent, Czechoslovakian-born Jakob Hlasek, and is not obsessed, in a psychologically compulsive sense, with capturing the only Grand Slam title to escape his clutches.

Lendl chewed up Hlasek, 6-1, 6-3, 6-0, in 78 minutes of near-perfect tennis, opening with an ace and closing with another ace and two service winners. In between, Lendl attacked the net as never before at Wimbledon, rapping volley winners forehand and backhand, left and right, against a bedazzled Hlasek.

"He made me look bad because he played so good," Hlasek, a solid player who beat Lendl at the 1988 Masters and took him to five sets with four tie-breakers at the '89 WCT finals, said. "He has really improved on grass. The whole game — the volley, the serve the confidence. Everything."

Lendl, who failed to win Wimbledon in 10 previous attempts, has repeatedly said that capturing the title is his final mission in tennis. But he rebuffed a suggestion that he is the sentimental favorite this year.

"It's nice to be the favorite, but it's for the wrong reason," he said. "I would rather be the villain with five titles under my belt."

So involved was Lendl in his one-sided match that he was oblivious to the commotion away from Centre Court. Officials suspended play on three courts while the police bomb-squad investigated a leather case found near the main gate. It turned out the case contained only a camera, but worried officials weren't taking chances af-



AP Laserphoto

Ivan Lendl serves to Jakob Hlasek of Switzerland during their Wimbledon match Thursday.

ter a bomb exploded in a London club on Wimbledon's opening day.

Martina Navratilova, another former Czechoslovakian, also showed terrific zazrany in beating Anne Smith 6-2, 6-3 in a second-round to pursue her quest for a record ninth Wimbledon title.

Sporting a bandage on her sore left knee but playing aggressively, Navratilova won the first four games before Smith finally held service. In the second set, Smith opened by holding service, but Navratilova breezed through the next five games for a 5-1 lead.

The only nervous moment for Navratilova came when she was serving for the set at 5-2 and stopped short as if she'd hurt her leg as she chased a passing shot by Smith. The point put Navratilova behind 0-30, and she played the next two points tentatively to lose the game at love and cut her lead to 5-3.

Navratilova didn't have to move much in the next game to

end the match, relying instead on errors by Smith to beat her for the 20th time in 21 career meetings over 12 years.

"I was glad to get off the court as quickly as I did,"

On the men's side, No. 3 Stefan Edberg kept pace with Lendl in reaching the third round, along with No. 9 Jim Courier and No. 13 Michael Chang. Alex Antonitsch beat 15th seed Henri Leconte to bring to eight the number of men's seeds out after two rounds. Leconte had been seeded to meet Lendl in the fourth round.

Edberg had little trouble in taming the "Cat," as Mecir is called, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2. Mecir won a tuneup exhibition on grass last week but has been bothered by a chronic back ailment.

"He's not as quick as he can be because obviously he hasn't played as much and had a lot of problems with his back," Edberg said. "He sort of had a little bit of problems reaching for very difficult balls."

TENNIS: Other seeds advance easily

From 1D

Lendl said, "I think I can play a bit better. I can definitely make more first serves."

Lendl hit on only 62 percent of his first serves, the same as Hlasek. It was the only part of the game on which the two were equals.

Navratilova, seeking a record ninth Wimbledon crown, overwhelmed Smith in the early going but appeared to be having some problems with her left leg as the match wound down.

Smith did not get a break point until the eighth game of the second set. She broke at love then, on three Navratilova errors and a passing shot, and stretched her mini-streak to seven points when she went up 15-0 in the ninth game. But Navratilova, who complained of a sore knee last week, broke back for the match.

Other seeds advanced easily as well. Men's ninth seed Jim Courier beat Jason Stoletenberg of Australia 6-2, 7-6, 6-4. Women's No. 7 Katerina Maleeva beat Kimiko Date of Japan 6-1, 6-4, and No. 14 Judith Wiesner of Austria beat Karine Quentrec of France 6-3, 6-3.

A former semifinalist, American Kevin Curren, beat South Africa's Gary Muller in a marathon match, 6-7 (1-7), 6-4, 7-6 (7-4), 6-7 (3-7), 6-4. Muller eliminated seventh-seeded Tim Mayotte in the first round.

On Wednesday, the tournament called on the Upset-Busters for a return to normalcy, after John McEnroe and 10 other seeds had failed to survive the first round.

In they charged, armed with powerful serves and sweeping groundstrokes. And when defending champions Boris Becker and Steffi Graf were finished, order had been restored to the hallowed lawns.

Ending the carnage of the opening round, Becker and Graf led 10 seeds comfortably through sec-

Newton a stayer for MS

Staff Report

James Newton was the winner of Midland's Multiple Sclerosis Longest Day of Golf for playing the most holes. He played 81 holes.

Larry Cook was the top single fundraiser while Paul Davis, Tom Hill and Tom Bridges made up the top fundraising team.

The event was sponsored by Midland's United Bank and raised \$18,000 for the West Texas Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Each of the winners were presented trophies by United Bank's Fred McCann, who served as chairman of the event.

ond-round matches Wednesday. Most barely broke a sweat.

Becker, the men's second seed, stumbled at first but then swept past Wally Masur of Australia 6-7, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2 for his ninth consecutive Wimbledon victory and declared his playing vastly improved since the first round.

Graf was even more impressive. The top-seeded woman crushed

American Meredith McGrath 6-3, 6-0, losing just six points in a second set that lasted only 18 minutes.

Florida teens Monica Seles and Jennifer Capriati stumbled before winning in straight sets.

Also advancing, both in straight sets, were No. 10 Jonas Svensson of Sweden and No. 11 Guy Forget of France.

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Trevino birdies eight for lead

Associated Press

PARAMUS, N.J. — Lee Trevino scored eight birdies, but saved the lead with one of the most welcome bogeys of his life.

"Making that last-hole bogey was more fun than all the birdies put together," Trevino said Thursday after completing a 5-under-par 67 in the first round of the 11th U.S. Senior Open.

He had a one-stroke lead, but only because of the bogey on the final hole of the Ridgewood Country Club course.

Trevino, who has dominated Senior Tour with five victories in his rookie season among golf's over-50 set, was two in front of the field when he went to the 18th tee.

And he very nearly blew it all.

Trevino, who normally plays a fade from the tee, double-crossed himself with a hook into the left trees.

He played back to the fairway, then clipped an overhanging tree limb with his third shot to the par-4 finishing hole.

The ball dropped straight down, some 50 yards short of the green.

He pitched his fourth shot some 15 feet beyond the pin and had that fast, downhill, left-to-right putt to stay in sole possession of the lead.

It curled in and Trevino, from a crouch, saluted it with a closed, pumping fist, then stalked off with that old familiar swagger, a broad grin on his face.

"The one thing I proved today was that Lee Trevino can make some birdies on this golf course," he said. "I made eight. Not many people can stay up with you if you make eight birdies."

But it was the clutch bogey putt on the final hole kept him out of a 6-man tie for the top.

And he knew it. "That was the biggest putt of the day," he said.

It kept him one in front of Charles Coody, Walt Zembriski, Jim Dent, John Paul Cain and Ken Still, tied for second at 68.

Chick Evans and Babe Hickey were at 69.

Nicklaus, winner of two of three previous starts among the seniors and a heavy pre-tournament favorite, was four behind after a 71.

"I really wasn't very good," Nicklaus said. "I just hit too many shots I didn't like. I need to go to the range," said Nicklaus, who set a record of 27 under par at the Mazda Senior TPC three weeks ago.

Trevino, who has yet to beat Nicklaus in senior competition, denied he was keeping an eye on his old rival.

"I'm just playing the golf course," he said. "I'm not worried about Jack Nicklaus. I'm just concerned with Lee Trevino."

"I figure if I can get around in about 70 three more times, that'll do it. If it isn't good enough and Jack beats me, that's fine. I won't worry about it," he said, grinned and added: "I never have before."

He has even less to worry about from some other big names.

Bob Charles, the New Zealander who led the seniors in money-winnings the past two seasons, was one over par at 73.

Arnold Palmer, 60, who won this title nine years ago, shot 74.

Gary Player, the South African who beat Nicklaus and Trevino in the PGA Seniors earlier this season, was well back at 75.



Jack Nicklaus hit his first-ever U.S. Senior Open tee shot on the first hole at Ridgewood Country Club Thursday morning.

Defending champion Orville Moody also was 3 over par. Trevino matched two birdies

against as many bogeys over the first seven holes, then began a string of five birdies.

Johnston ties mark made by Ray Floyd

Associated Press

KITCHENER, Ontario — Cathy Johnston tied Ray Floyd's course record with a 65 and took a two-stroke lead over Patti Rizzo after one round of the du Maurier Classic.

Johnston, 26, and in her fifth year on the LPGA Tour, matched Floyd's mark of 8-under-par set at the 1981 Canadian PGA championship.

Rizzo was at 67, and she broke Floyd's competitive record of 31 for the back nine with a 30. She began her round over the hilly, par-73 Westmount Golf and Country Club on the 10th hole and shot par for the front nine.

Liselotte Neumann of Sweden was alone in third at 5-under 68.

Patty Sheehan, a winner last week at the Rochester tournament, was tied at 69 with Kate Rogerson, Terri Lynn Carter, Pamela Wright, Lauri Merten, Deb Richard, Vicki Fergon.

A total of 36 from the starting field of 144 broke par.

Johnston, who began at the 10th hole, started out with four straight pars before an eagle-2 at the 365-yard 14th. She holed out a 6-iron

from 145 yards.

Johnston got to 3-under at the turn with a birdie on the 18th hole.

Johnston, the PGA junior champion in 1981, caught fire on the next nine with five birdies, including four straight.

The string began at the fourth hole when Johnston rolled in a 25-footer. A 4-iron within one foot of the pin at No. 5 led to another birdie, followed by a 12-foot putt for birdie at No. 6 and a two-putt birdie from 35 feet to go 8-under.

She capped her round with a pair of pars.

Topps sues NFL

NEW YORK (AP) — The Topps Co. sued the NFL on Thursday, claiming that the league is trying to monopolize the market in pro football player cards.

NFL Properties, the league's marketing company, wants Topps to stop making its pro football cards because they are not licensed by the NFL.

But in a suit filed in federal court, Topps claims the NFL is trying to eliminate competition and corner the market for pro football cards.

Luig, Hart nail holes-in-one

Staff Report

Leah Luig made a hole-in-one Wednesday on the par 3, No. 6 West hole at Green Tree Country Club and Paul D. Hart came through with another ace Thursday at Hogan Park.

Luig used a 6-iron to record the 107-yard ace, which was witnessed by Peg DeMarco and Kathy Thompson. It was Luig's first-ever hole-in-one.

Hart's one-shot came on Hogan's 210-yard, No. 26 hole. He used a four-iron. Hart was playing with Jody Hughes.

NL names coaches

NEW YORK (AP) — Don Zimmer of the Chicago Cubs and Jim Leyland of the Pittsburgh Pirates were named National League coaches Thursday for the 1990 All-Star Game.

Zimmer managed the Cubs to the NL East title last season, while Leyland has guided the Pirates to first place in the division this year.

Both will be making their first appearance as coaches in the All-Star Game, which will be played July 10 at Wrigley Field.

Jim Lefebvre of the Seattle Mariners and Frank Robinson of the Baltimore Orioles were named American League coaches for the game. Robinson was AL manager of the year last season.

Tar Heel guard sentenced

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (AP) — North Carolina point guard King Rice was ordered by a judge Thursday to perform 75 hours of community service stemming from an incident where he was charged with resisting arrest.

In addition to the hours of community service, Rice must pay court costs and restitution of about \$30 to the town for damaging a jail wall he reportedly punched after his arrest.

The charge will be dropped if the senior from Binghamton, N.Y., performs his community service and pays the fines, under a ruling by Judge Patricia Hunt.

Two other charges stemming from the May 8 incident involving

Rice and his girlfriend were dismissed by the judge.

Rice, 21, was arrested last month and charged with assault on a female, resisting an officer and damage to property. The 3 a.m. incident with Rice's girlfriend, North Carolina State women's basketball player Natalie Nester, occurred near a downtown Chapel Hill street, police said.

An officer had been driving through a parking lot when he spotted Rice with his hands around Nester's neck, authorities said.

While struggling with Rice, Chapel Hill Police Department Officer Ben Wiseman suffered a dislocated thumb, authorities said.

Memphis booster wants to buy

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — The star booster of professional football in Memphis met with the National Football League's commissioner Thursday while considering an offer to buy into a lesser league.

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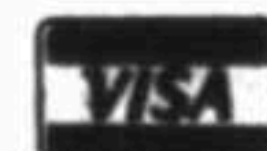
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Shutouts mount for Italy

Associated Press

ROME — Walter Zenga has not had to work very hard in this World Cup. He wouldn't mind a few more easy outings, which just might mean a world soccer championship for Italy.

The Italian goalie has a 360-minute scoreless streak going. It isn't a record — England's Peter Shilton at 500 minutes, from 1982-86, is — but it is impressive.

Except that even Zenga admits he hasn't done much to earn four shutouts.

He barely touched the ball in wins over Austria and Uruguay, and he was called on for only a handful of saves in victories over the United States and Czechoslovakia.

"Maybe it's not important that a goaltender make 20 saves, but the two or three that keep his team in the game," Zenga said. "I'd be happy to keep it intact, but I'd be just as happy if we win by a score of 2-1 or 3-2 than if I record a shutout. The important thing is to win the tournament."

The Italians have been considered a solid choice to do just that. They've yet to show any weaknesses.

"They are a very formidable team with a solid defense," said

World Cup

Ireland coach Jack Charlton, whose squad meets Italy at Olympic Stadium on Saturday night in the quarterfinals. "Technically, the Italians are a better side. They move quickly and have a lot of skillful players, but I think we will be able to give them a game."

"We'll try to pressurize them and not concentrate purely on defense, although we won't overexpose ourselves. That would be suicidal."

Somehow, they must figure a way to beat the defense, anchored by Franco Baresi and Giuseppe Bergomi. Then comes Zenga, the starting goalie for Inter of Milan for eight years who joined the Italian team in 1986 as a third-stringer.

He became the national goalie in Italy's next international and has been entrenched ever since.

Zenga admits, though, that he's not in the class of Italy's greatest keeper, Dino Zoff, who holds the record for scoreless minutes in all international matches — 1,042.

"I think Zoff's record is safe, as I don't think I'll ever play as well as

him," Zenga said. "In the meantime, it's an honor just to be compared to him."

The Irish will be playing the most important game in their history — this is their first World Cup. On Thursday, Irish officials obtained 10,000 additional tickets for the game.

"We have had excellent cooperation from a number of other football associations, particularly England. They have given us their allocation," Sports Minister Frank Fahey said. "Consequently, we were able to obtain 8,500 tickets and another 1,500 have been promised tomorrow."

Some 5,000 Irish fans have received tickets through package deals with travel companies. Thousands more have made the trip to Italy without tickets. Many of them had sleeping bags and were prepared for an all-night vigil to get tickets.

The other quarterfinal games are Argentina vs. Yugoslavia at Florence on Saturday, West Germany-Czechoslovakia at Milan and England-Cameroon at Naples on Sunday.

Lee Howe-taek resigned Thursday as coach of South Korea's national soccer team, taking responsibility for the squad's failure to win a game at the World Cup.

WEST TEXAS SPORTS

Bowling...

Bellwood Lanes Bowling Center will host a "Spuds" doubles tournament June 30-July 4. Entry fee is \$40 per team, and the prize fund carries a \$750 guarantee. For details, call 697-7871 or 689-6327...

Running...

The fourth annual Midland Mile is July 4, starting at Centennial Plaza, beginning at 7:45 a.m. Events for men, women, children, walkers and elite runners. \$5 entry fee for PBRR members and \$7 for non-members. Also \$15 and \$20 family rates. Check in 30 minutes prior to race...

Football...

Texas Tech Football Camps will be held July 22-25 and July 25-28 at Lubbock. July 22-25 session is for ages eight through 12, while the July 25-28 session will be for ages 13 and up. Fee \$175 with \$60 deposit. Camp enrollment limited to 75 per session. For more information, call Gary Butler at 806-742-3355...

Day Camps...

Midland-Lee Youth Centers, Inc., will offer day camp sessions July 9-13 and 16-20 for students in the first-sixth grades. Activities include tennis, arts and crafts, soccer, cheerleading, gymnastics, football and baseball. Fee is \$25. For details, call 689-1175...

Soccer...

Fighting Irish soccer tryouts will be held July 3 at 5:30 p.m. at Cowden Park. The select team is for boys born in 1978 or 79. For information, call 683-7321 or 697-0094 in evenings...

The Texas Soccer Academy will hold its seventh annual summer camp July 16-20. This clinic offers international coaching at a 1-10 ratio for boys and girls aged 4 through 18. For more information, call 697-4035...

The Midland Blast F.C. will hold tryouts for the '90-'91 season from July 7 to July 16 at Dunagan Park, 800 E. Gist. For information on specific dates for each age group, call David Snyder at 687-6069...

Softball...

The Men's and Women's District 26 qualifying tournaments will be held July 6-8. Every team entering the district qualifying tourney will earn a place in one of the five major state tournaments no matter where they finish. Entry fee \$100. Entry deadline 5 p.m. July 3. No late entries accepted. For more information, call Freddie Ezell at 694-5508 or 694-1940...

1990 Star Wars men's Class C & D slowpitch tournament is July 6-8 at Colorado City. Entry fee is \$100. Blue dot balls only. Call David Lelek at 1-728-3281...

Golf...

A four-man scramble will be held July 7 at Hogan Park. Fee \$90 per team. Entry deadline July 5. Teams may sign up at the Hogan Park Golf Shop... Oldsmobile Scramble qualifying will be July 21 at Hogan Park. Tee times begin at noon. Entry forms will be available at Hogan Park Golf Shop later this month...

Andrews Men's Individual golf tournament is June 30-July 1. Tee off times 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Andrews Two-Lady Scramble golf tournament is July 21-22. Call 1-523-2461 for information on these two tournaments...

Big Spring Country Club Couples Golf Tournament will be held August 18-19. Entry fee \$120 per team. Entry deadline Aug. 17. For more information, call Lanny Turrentine at 267-5354...

The Texas Institute of Sports Medicine will hold a tournament July 14 at Hogan Park. Entry fee for two-man, low-ball tourney is \$80 per team. Entry deadline July 9. Tourney will be pre-flighted with a top prize of a \$250 gift certificate. For more information, call 682-2551...

tion, call 689-8476 or the Hogan Park golf shop...

Green Tree Country Club will host a four-man scramble to benefit the Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children July 21. For information, call 682-1612 or 689-2172...

Abilene Country Club will host a two-man partnership July 5-7. Entry fee is \$340 a team, and includes two parties and two meals a day. Entry deadline is noon, July 3. For more information, call Allen Botkin at 692-1855...

Track...

The Stanton Lions Clubs Summer Track Meet will be held June 29. Field events will start at 9 a.m., with running events following. Events open to children aged 6-18. No pre-lims. No entry fee. For more information, call Steve Stallings at 756-2414 or Connie Pardue at 756-3831...

The West Texas AAU Junior Olympics Championships will be held June 30 in Friona.

Tennis...

Big Lake Chamber of Commerce will host an Independence Day tennis tournament July 4. Divisions for men's singles and doubles, women's singles and doubles, boys singles, girls singles, mixed doubles, and junior boys and girls. Cost is \$5 and a can of balls per player and entry deadline is June 29. For details, call 1-884-2980...

YMCA...

Alamo YMCA will offer a two-week session of swimming lessons for all ages beginning July 9. For more information, call the Alamo YMCA at 694-2528...

Central YMCA is offering strength training camp for boys and girls 12-17, July 16-27. Includes weight training with health and nutrition sessions. Call Roger Moon at 682-2551...

Yugoslav: from coma to key role

Associated Press

MONTECATINI TERME, Italy (AP) — Nearly three years ago, Refik Sabanadzovic was in a coma, fighting for his life after an unintentional blow to the head on the soccer field.

On Saturday, the Yugoslav midfielder will try to stop Argentine captain Diego Maradona.

Yugoslavia and Argentina, the defending champion, square off in Florence in a World Cup quarterfinal game. Sabanadzovic expects to be assigned by Yugoslav coach Ivica Osim to guard Maradona, perhaps the most dangerous player in the world.

"Yes, it's very likely that I will be the one to guard Maradona," Sabanadzovic said Thursday. "My job here has been to guard the most dangerous player on the rival team."

"It will probably be the most important game in my career."

That career appeared over on a winter day in his native Sarajevo. It was Nov. 15, 1987, and Sabanadzovic had returned to Sarajevo with Red Star Belgrade to play his old club, Zeljeznicar, in a league match.

He was kicked in the head, unintentionally, by Zoran Sliskovic, a player he had been friends with during his days in Sarajevo.

"It was an accident, it came in the heat of the moment," Sabanadzovic said. "We were very close friends before that game and we have remained close friends."

Sabanadzovic was carried off on a stretcher, unconscious. For three days, he was in a coma, in critical condition.

His conditioned body prevailed, though, and Sabanadzovic woke up. Several weeks later, he left the hospital with doctors giving guarded forecasts about his future.

Months of slow recuperation fol-

lowed, far away from a soccer field. But he was fit again for the 1988 Olympics in Seoul, where he was Yugoslavia's top scorer.

"The doctors examined me several times and told me I could play again," he said. "My friends urged me to stop thinking that it was too dangerous."

"I am a very determined person by nature and I love playing soccer. I quickly forgot the accident and decided that I couldn't live without the game."

He said he has made a complete recovery.

"I don't think about the accident anymore," he said. "I've put it behind me and I've never felt any consequences on the soccer field, even in the toughest matches."

After the Olympics, Sabanadzovic had to suspend his comeback to do the country's obligatory military service. He returned to Red Star during the winter break this season.

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Tuesday, July 3

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• BIT, SPUR, AND WESTERN COLLECTABLE SHOW AND SALE at County Exhibition Building

Wednesday, July 4

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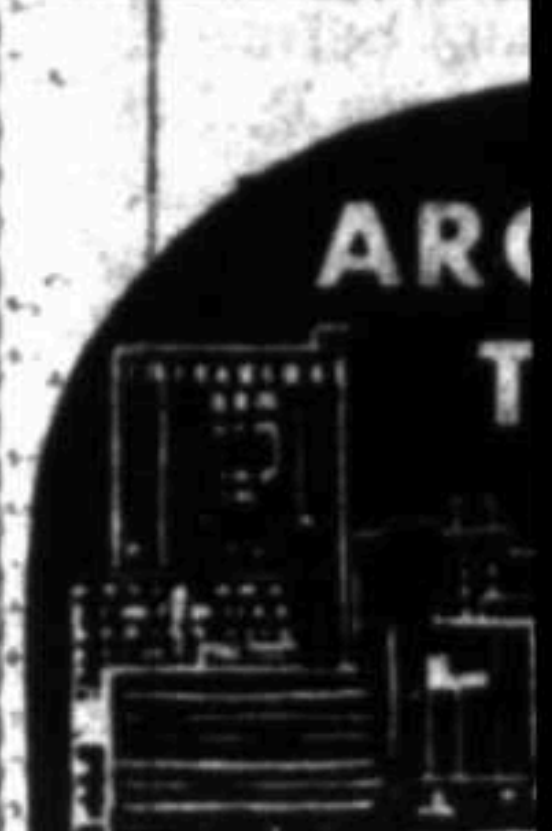
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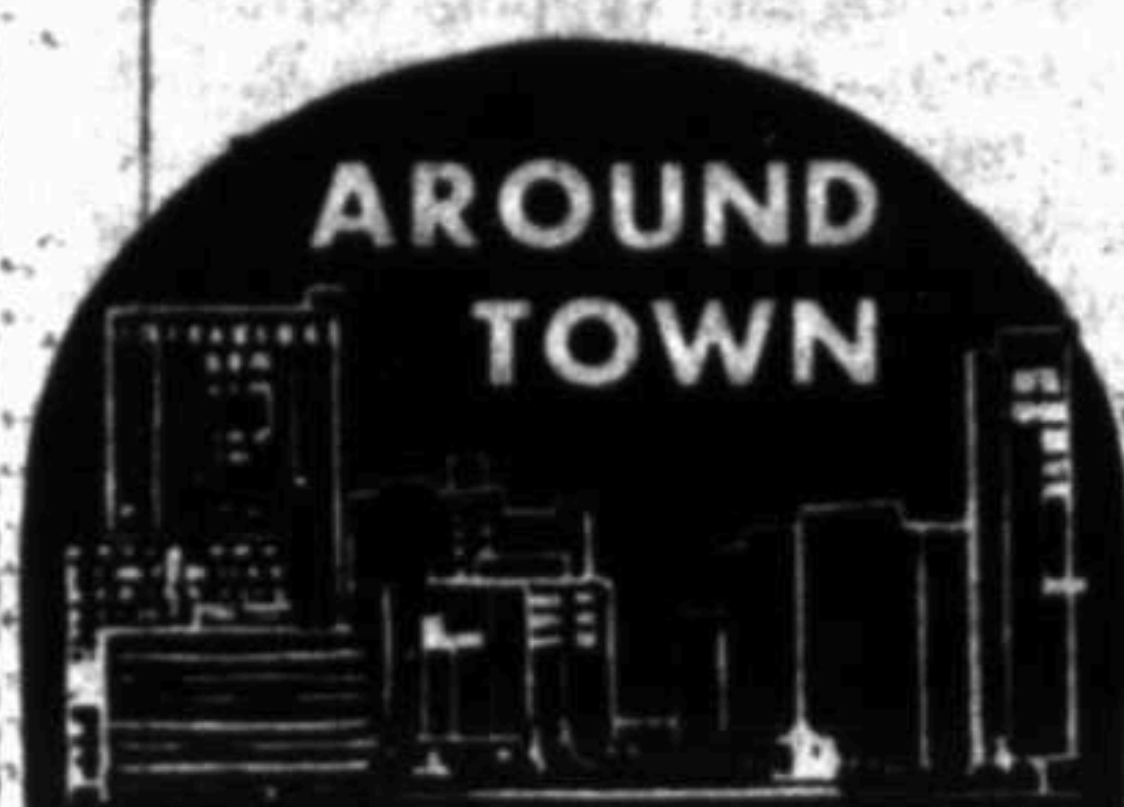
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Midland-Lee Youth Centers Inc. will offer Super Summer Day Camp for students having completed first through sixth grades. One-week sessions will be 9 a.m.-1 p.m. July 9-13 and July 16-20 at the Youth Center, 3500 Neely. Campers are to bring a sack lunch. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Activities will include tennis, arts and crafts, soccer, cheerleading, gymnastics, football, baseball and games. High school students will serve as counselors. Session tuition is \$25. For more information call 689-1175.

...HOW TO HAIRBOW and more ideas will be the topic of a free demonstration 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday at Barker's Gifts, 3211 W. Wadley in Imperial Shopping Center. The demonstrations last about 30 minutes and are open to the public.

...GIRL SCOUTS of Midland will have a sing-a-long around a campfire 9-10:30 p.m. July 5 at the Girl Scout Program Center, 901 W. Dengar. Special guests will be visiting Girl Scouts who are in Midland for the Home, Home on the Range program. All former Girl Scouts and all Girl Scouts accompanied by adults are invited to attend.

...GRADUATES OF the 1940 class of Courtney High School invite all interested friends to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the class at 7 p.m. July 13 at Caprock Electrical Co-op in Stanton. Snacks will be provided. For more information call 694-5469.

...WEST TEXAS Jazz Society will present a "Cabaret Evening" featuring jazz pianist, vocalist, composer and arranger Lillette Jenkins 8 p.m. July 19 at the Midland Petroleum Club. Ticket prices for non-members are \$15 for general admission and \$25 for reserved seats. For members, tickets are \$10 for reserved seats and free general admission. For phone reservations call 682-2988 or 563-1701.

...19TH ANNUAL Ruidoso Arts Festival will be July 27-29 at the Ruidoso Downs Sports Theatre complex at the east end of the race track. The event is sponsored by the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce. The festival will display the arts and crafts of over 130 artists and artisans. The show will include oils, pastels, pottery, bronzes, wood carvings, fabrics and metal work. Food and beverage booths also will be on the site. The show is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children 12 years of age and younger. The show will be open noon-9 p.m. July 27, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. July 28 and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. July 29. For more information call (505) 257-7395 or write to P.O. Box 698, Ruidoso, N.M. 88345.

...WEST TEXAS Gluten Free Awareness Support Group (for people with celiac disease or dermatitis herpetiformis) will meet 3-5 p.m. July 14 in the New Parlor of First Baptist Church in Midland. Program will include tips on preparing gluten-free main meals for the family. For more information call 684-4671 or 563-4847 after 7 p.m., or write Gluten Free Awareness, HC-51-S-46, Midland 79707.

...MIDLAND NEED To Read, an adult literacy organization which provides one-to-one tutoring for adults with low-level reading skills, will have a five-hour training session for volunteer tutors 6:30-9 p.m. July 9 and July 12 at Midland College. For more information call 685-4572.

...MIDLAND CHRISTIAN Women's Club will have a "Backyard Barbecue" luncheon 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. July 10 at Midland Country Club. Demonstration by Prickly Pear Catering and music by Troy Stevenson will be featured. Guest speaker will be Jay Pease of Odessa. Guests are invited to wear casual dress to this luncheon. Cost will be \$11. Free nursery for pre-school children will be at Northwestern Baptist Church. Mothers are asked to bring lunches for their children. Drinks will be provided. Midland Christian Women's Club is non-denominational and has no membership or dues. For luncheon and nursery reservations call 699-7472 or 682-5851.

FAMILY MATTERS

Recovery uncovers past hurts

By Jim May, Ph.D.

DEAR FAMILY: I am a recovering alcoholic. In my recovery I started remembering that my stepfather sexually abused me. I have only started working on that problem, but my sex life has gone from bad to worse. Sex was OK when I was drinking, but it's not when I'm sober. My husband is very disappointed because he thought I would be more affectionate and sexier when I dried out. I'm not.

Is there anything that we can do to change me? My husband has been so good to stand by me through all of this. I feel really bad about not being able to respond to him now. It just doesn't seem right.

FRUSTRATED



May

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Many women in recovery have experiences similar to yours, in the form of sexual dysfunction, fear of sex, flashbacks to abuse, negative reactions to sex, and mind-body dissociation. Unfortunately your husband is a secondary victim of the incest.

I encourage you to continue working on the incest issues, even though it is painful. The book by Bass and Davis, "The Courage to Heal," may be helpful in this process. Couples' therapy can address these issues for both husband and wife.

The process can take months, because sexual attitudes and responses of adult incest survivors are hard to change. Generally, for the process to work, the couple must be committed to each other, have a mutual desire for change, and be comfortable with non-sexual touch.

A four-stage model of recovery can be used in this process. The first stage focuses on identifying the problem; the second on revealing the extent and exact nature of the incest (not all incest is the same). The second stage also includes educating the couple about the sexual impact of incest.

The third stage involves changing existing sexual patterns, and focuses on removing sex as an obligation, placing sex in the control of the survivor, and undoing the harm by creating a new meaning to sex.

The final stage is creating positive sexual experiences through improving the survivor's sexual self-awareness, addressing sexual functioning concerns, pre-sensate and sensate focus exercises (touch and sexual feeling), and the development of new patterns of intimacy and sexual communications.

I encourage you and your husband to not give up on this. The potential rewards for you both are significant. Not only your sex life, but your entire relationship can be more fulfilling.

DEAR FAMILY: My husband makes me beg for every penny that he gives me. He says that I can't be trusted with money or credit cards. When we were first married we both had a problem spending more than we had. It was both of us but how he acts like it was only me. I'm sick and tired of having to beg for money. Do you think that it's right for a wife to have to beg her husband for grocery money and for money for the children? BEGGAR

DEAR BEGGAR: I don't think that it is right or appropriate for either spouse to have to beg the other for anything. You and your husband are not communicating at all on the "money" level. An approach to this problem is to create a family budget that would detail financial requirements of the home, such as groceries, house payment, utilities, gasoline for your car, school lunches, children's allowances, etc.

The home budget is open to negotiation, and should be negotiated openly. Once agreement is reached, the necessary funds are regularly provided and you manage your own budget without any intrusion from your spouse. In this way, you can demonstrate your stewardship rather than just argue about it.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Family Matters, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702. © 1987, The Family Wellness Center

July skies bright with activity

JULY 1
Sunrise 6:46 a.m. Sunset 8:58 p.m. Virgo's brightest star, Spica, is 12 degrees right of waxing gibbous moon.

JULY 3
Brilliant Venus rises in eastern morning twilight with Pleiades (Seven Sisters) star cluster 12 degrees above and Taurus' brightest star, Aldebaran, 5 degrees lower left.

JULY 4
Waxing gibbous moon less than 1 degree below Scorpius' red giant star, Antares, in early evening sky.

JULY 7
Full moon. Moonrise 9:02 p.m. Moonset 6:14 a.m. Sunset 8:58 p.m. Sunrise 6:49 a.m. Golden yellow Saturn rises 6 degrees left of moon.

JULY 8
Saturn rises 6 degrees upper left of moon in eastern evening twilight.

JULY 11
Spectacular Venus, with red giant star Aldebaran 10 degrees upper right, is in eastern morning twilight.

JULY 14
Saturn at opposition rises at sunset and sets at sunrise.

JULY 15
Last quarter moon. Moonrise 12:50 a.m. Moonset 2:29 p.m. Sunrise 6:53 a.m. Sunset 8:55 p.m.

JULY 16
Red Mars is 8 degrees upper left of morning's waning crescent moon.

JULY 19
Waning crescent moon is in pre-dawn sky with bright Venus 8 degrees below and red Aldebaran 16 degrees right.

JULY 20
Thin crescent moon, with brilliant Venus 6 degrees upper right, rises in eastern morning twilight.

JULY 21
New moon.

JULY 23
Thin crescent moon, with Mercury 6 degrees right and Regulus, Leo's brightest star, 6 degrees above, in early evening twilight.

JULY 24
Mercury overtakes and passes very close to Regulus during next five evenings.

JULY 27
Spica, Virgo's brightest star, is 8 degrees upper left of evening's waxing crescent moon.

JULY 29
First quarter moon. Moonrise 2:30 p.m. Moonset 12:28 a.m.

JULY 30
Jupiter rises in eastern morning twilight 14 degrees lower left of Venus.

JULY 31
Red giant Antares is 4 degrees left of evening's waxing gibbous moon. Sunrise 7:03 a.m. Sunset 8:46 p.m.

New 'Spider-Man' comic is best seller

By Keith L. Thomas
N.Y. Times News Service

No one is more amazed about his success than Todd McFarlane, who draws and writes Spider-Man comic books.

The first issue of his bold new series for Marvel Comics — called simply "Spider-Man" — has shipped 2.5 million copies since hitting stores last week, making it the biggest comic book in history.

"I'm probably as surprised as anyone," said McFarlane, 28, by phone from his home in Vancouver, British Columbia. "Even though I love doing it and put a lot

into my work, it's still just a comic book. I mean, it's not like it's an oil painting or something."

He's not the first to spin Spider-Man's webs. The character — the meek Peter Parker, bitten by a radioactive spider — was created in 1962 by Marvel Comics founder Stan Lee and artist Steve Ditko.

"It's nice to know that after 30 years, Spider-Man is still one of the best-selling comic books in the world," Lee, chairman and publisher of Marvel Comics, said from his Los Angeles office Wednesday. "That the book is doing so well is definitely a tribute to Todd and the character."

The new series for Marvel — the nation's largest publisher of comic books and graphic novels — is the fifth Spider-Man title, after "Amazing Spider-Man," "Peter Parker, the Spectacular Spider-Man," "Web of Spider-Man" and "Marvel Tales."

Buyers range from wide-eyed kids to shrewd collectors. Some fans have bought five to 10 copies (at \$1.75 each) to meet store requirements to buy a \$2 limited issue in a plastic bag.

McFarlane credits the book's popularity to the comic book boom, Marvel's marketing tactics and luck.

Support groups help parents cope with 'instant families'

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — When Jonathan and Susan Brennan moved to Corpus Christi with the Navy, they were ready for a lot of changes — including the arrival of twin babies.

One month after the couple arrived, Susan gave birth to twin girls, Ashley and Amanda, now 11 months old. And it wasn't long afterward that she joined a support group for parents, the Coastal Bend Mothers of Multiples Club.

"You have a lot of friends and they know what you're going through," said 21-year-old Susan Brennan. "If you have problems, you can ask them."

The club was founded in 1972 to provide information and moral support to mothers of twins, triplets and other multiple offspring, said club president Tauny Harlien. She said the local club includes 35 families and is affiliated with the Texas Mothers of Multiples and the national Mothers of Twins organizations.

"It's mainly a support group," said Mrs. Harlien, the mother of 3-year-old twin daughters, Jennifer and Jessica. "We need this because we have two the same age — two 2-year-olds are a lot harder than one 2-year-old. What one doesn't think of, the other one will."

Jonathan Brennan, 23, said being the parent of twin babies requires a great deal of patience — and a lot of diapers.

"But the neatest thing is the love they give out, because they always want you," he said, looking at his infant daughters in their double stroller.

Mrs. Brennan said that when the couple moved to Corpus Christi from New Jersey last summer, she knew they would need support because they were expecting twins and had left their extended family behind. Jonathan Brennan had been stationed on the U.S. Battleship New Jersey in Long Beach, N.J. and was transferred to the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station.

After the couple's twin girls were born, they were invited to join the support club.

Mary Roschetzky said she joined the group 10 years after the birth of her twin daughters. Since then, she has made several lasting friendships within the club, she said.

"It's a wonderful support group. It's real encouraging for mothers of young twins to come in and see mothers of older twins — and realize they're going to survive," said Mrs. Roschetzky, who also has a 10-year-old son. "I've made a lot of close friendships that I wouldn't have made if I hadn't been blessed with multiples."

The attitude of the group is that having multiples is a special and unique experience, Mrs. Harlien said. Its motto is: "God chooses the members" (of the club).

"You walk in the door here and you automatically have something in common with everyone," she added.

Zenda Boudreau, the mother of 4-year-old triplets, two boys and a girl, said the camaraderie of other parents in similar situations attracted her to the club.

"I just wanted the support of talking to other mothers of multiples and knowing I'm not alone," she said.

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Independence starts early

■ Young children's ability to perform tasks for themselves is influenced by the parenting methods that guide them.

By Lawrence M. Kutner
N.Y. Times News Service

Dr. Martin Ford was fooled by his 4-year-old son. Every day Ford or his wife would methodically dress their child, guiding his small arms through shirtsleeves, snapping the snaps and buttoning the buttons.

One day he walked into his son's room to discover that the boy had put on all his clothes by himself.

"We'd just assumed that he couldn't do it," said Ford, a developmental psychologist and an associate professor of education at Stanford University. "Looking back on it, he probably could dress himself when he was 3, but we just didn't ask him to."

Knowing how much to help a toddler or preschooler — and when to stop — is a constant challenge for parents. It is especially difficult during the first three or four years of childhood, when children are most dependent upon the adults around them and least aware of their own limitations.

If parents always rush to their children's aid, will they feel supported or helpless? If parents encourage children to struggle on their own, will they feel more confident or more frustrated?

For infants at least, the answer is clear. It is best to give them all the help they need.

BABIES WHOSE demands for food, warmth and attention are consistently and easily met by their parents and others who care for them are less clingy, cry less and are more interested in their environment than are babies who receive less help and attention from adults. Withholding support makes infants more insecure rather than more self-reliant.

Parental styles, from permis-



can backfire by not allowing the child to learn how to recover from mistakes.

Overly permissive parents, on the other hand, focus on the process of making choices to the exclusion of the goal of the behaviors.

They may allow their children to struggle and become frustrated in the belief that not interfering at all will increase their children's self-reliance.

THEY PROVIDE very little feedback about their children's decisions, which makes it difficult for them to learn from their choices.

"Neither approach teaches the children how to make appropriate choices," said Dr. Linda Dunlap, a developmental psychologist and an assistant professor of psychology at Marist College in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., who works with parents on issues related to their children's self-esteem.

It is very important to allow young children to make increasingly complex decisions, Dunlap said, and to see the consequences of those decisions.

Children who feel comfortable making minor decisions at a young age may have an advantage as they grow older.

This includes such decisions as selecting one of three shirts to wear (even if you disagree with the child's fashion sense).

"If you have them make independent choices at an early age, they'll be able to make bigger choices more easily when they're older because they've had more practice," Dunlap said.

Toward the end of toddlerhood, children begin telling their parents how self-reliant they feel and how they have interpreted their parents' help.

"Around the age of 3, children start to talk to themselves and tell themselves out loud how to solve a problem they're facing," said Dr. Rafael M. Diaz, a developmental psychologist and an associate professor of education at Stanford who studies how children become self-reliant. "They'll say the types of things their parents have said to them in similar situations."

Parents help create child's self-reliance

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There are several things that parents of young children can do to help them become more self-reliant and comfortable in making decisions on their own.

■ Pay as much attention to the process of learning as to the result. If a child is trying to determine whether a square peg will fit into a round, square or star-shaped hole in a toy, praise the child for trying to figure out the problem instead of waiting for a solution.

■ Start with small steps. While an adult may think of putting on a pair of socks as a simple, one-step operation, it can be complex for children who are trying it for the first time. Ease your children into success by breaking down even such simple tasks into smaller components. For example, put the socks over your children's toes until you see that they can pull them the rest of the way over their heels by themselves.

"Parents should be a good scaffold for their children's independence," said Dr. Rafael Diaz, a developmental psychologist and an associate professor of education at Stanford University who studies how children become self-reliant. "Provide support when and where it's needed, not everywhere and not all the time."

■ Expect a child to regress and become more dependent in times of stress. Some times are obviously stressful, like the birth of a sibling, moving to a new home or starting school. Children who have new baby sitters or parents with new jobs may ask adults to do things for them that they had mastered.

■ When children are significantly less self-reliant than their peers, initial efforts should focus on their self-image rather than their skills.

Praise efforts at autonomy, no matter how small, so the child can gain the confidence to continue.

"If you have a child who is extremely dependent, that child needs reassurance and support before he can grow in independence," said Dr. Laurie D. Braga, a developmental psychologist and an adjunct associate professor of psychiatry at the University of Miami School of Medicine. "If you deprive that child of support because as a parent, you think it will help the child cope with a tough world, that won't work. It makes the child more desperate."

■ Remember that most of the time you shouldn't be concerned if your child becomes more dependent. Look for a larger pattern rather than focusing on a single incident in which your child insists on help with something that you know she can do by herself.

"If this happens once or twice, it may simply be that the child is tired or stressed out," said Dr. Martin E. Ford, a developmental psychologist and an associate professor of education at Stanford University. "If it happens over and over again, that's a sign that the child is too dependent."

Pay attention to what your child does when you offer help.

■ Children who are too dependent upon adults will often appear anxious and have a low level of self-confidence.

"When you help them they will show a lot of relief and gratitude," Ford said. "Children who are self-reliant won't look anxious. If you offer to help them they're likely to act slightly resentful."

Great family debate on pet ownership starts

By David Grimes

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The talk has come around, as I knew it inevitably would, to the subject of pets.

When you have children, it is just a matter of time before you have to face up to the dreaded "P" word. It is like the prospect of root canal surgery, only with more fleas.

You have probably already concluded that I am an animal-hater, the kind of person who has a bumper sticker on his car that reads, "I love cats. Dead ones." This is not true. My feelings about cats are far too complex to be expressed on a mere bumper sticker, though one cannot help but be impressed by the volumes of meaning compressed into those two short sentences.

No, I am not against pets per se. I have even owned pets, as much as such a thing is possible or desirable. Yes, I have even owned a cat, though the relationship was a brief and tragic one for all concerned, especially the cat.

Dogs have touched my life. And guinea pigs. And birds. I was given

a pet turtle once, one of those dime store creatures that comes with its own plastic bowl with a little yellow plastic umbrella in the middle of it. One look at their accommodations, and the turtles would be belly-up in a matter of days. Not mine. It lived for 10 years.

If you have never owned a turtle, let me tell you that it does not take anywhere near 10 years to exhaust all of your conversational possibilities. I am not proud of this, but there were periods in our relationship (some lasting several years) in which the turtle and I barely acknowledged one another's existence.

Me: Here's your dead fly.
Turtle: (Blink.)

Perhaps that's my main objection to pets. There is too much uncertainty, too great a possibility that the ardur will cool, that the thing that brought you together in the first place will disappear and you will be left with — with what? Five thousand dollars worth of mutilated furniture? A carpet that looks like the aftermath of a frat party? A freezer full of chopped kidneys?

Look at it from the pet's point of view, too. What does a dog or a cat, or even a turtle, for that matter, stand to gain from prolonged contact with humans? Arthritis? High cholesterol? Dental tartar?

Does not the dog lose a little bit of its dogness every time it is fed leftover tuna noodle casserole off a dinner plate? Is not the cat denying some corner of its soul every time it passes up the mouse for a tin of Sheba Tender Meaty Chunks?

And who knows what manner of psychic baggage we fob off on our pets? Our anxieties become their anxieties, our neuroses their neuroses. Is it not possible that the dog is acting out our own hostilities when it eats our shoes? Are we willing to accept that responsibility?

Now that the Great Pet Debate has begun in our household, I am certain that these and even more far-fetched opinions will be voiced by all sides. Stay tuned.

David Grimes' humor column is distributed by The New York Times News Service.

DEAR ABBY

Wedding prank isn't 'harmless'

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Our daughter was recently married in a lovely church wedding with all the trimmings. All went well until the time drew near for the bride and groom to leave the reception for their honeymoon. Their car had been decorated inside and out, when a friend tipped us off that a man was hiding in the backseat of the car — well-covered with balloons and planning to jump up and surprise the newlyweds when they were well on their way!



Van Buren

My husband and I thought this was in bad taste so we decided to ask the man to get out of the car. (He was not a close friend of the newlyweds.) The word spread rapidly among the guests, and my husband and I were criticized for having ruined what some people perceived as a hilarious, harmless prank. Needless to say, it spoiled the rest of the evening for us.

Please tell us if you think we did the right thing. We need an outsider's point of view. — PARENTS OF THE BRIDE

DEAR PARENTS: I think you acted wisely. The so-called hilarious, harmless prank could have had a tragic ending. Had a man jumped up and surprised the couple as they were driving along, the driver could easily have lost control of the car and hit another car or a pedestrian, or missed a turn. Have no regrets. Exposing the prankster rates a thumbs-up from me.

DEAR ABBY: May we bend your ear with a pet peeve? It's grocery stores that use automatic scanners and no longer put prices on their merchandise. They insist that this is for the customers' "convenience."

Prices (not always current) are shown on the front of the grocery store shelves. How is an elderly person, a pregnant woman, someone with arthritis or bifocals, or in a wheelchair — or just overweight — supposed to read the prices under the bottom shelf? If there are no prices on the items in your grocery cart, how can you quickly tally the total before you get to the checkout and the clerk informs you that you owe more than you

can pay? For that matter, how can you be sure that items scan correctly? It's almost impossible to remember all the prices posted on shelves, or advertised "on sale," but not yet entered into the computer. If a question arises, someone must conduct a special price search — delaying everyone standing in line.

Most stores offer to refund scanning errors. This does not make up for the aggravation and time wasted. A shopper's only alternative is to patronize a store that still marks their merchandise the old-fashioned way.

New is not always better — at least for customers — but complaints to the stores fall on deaf ears. — GWEN AND SALLY McBREARITY, WILLOW STREET, PA.

DEAR GWEN AND SALLY: To quote the consumer's friend, Ralph Nader: "When sellers have dreams of riches, beware of schemes that look like glitches!" What is emerging from the complaints of consumers who write to us is that small rip-offs amount to big business because they are applied to large numbers of customers.

"Most consumers do not know they are being taken by these sly frauds, and those few who do are given the, 'Oh sorry, it was a computer error,' or, 'Just a mistake that we'll clear up right away.' There is, however, no 'sorry' extended to the consumers who don't challenge the same bill by the same seller. The result is a mountain of cash pilfered for no services rendered."

So, dear readers: Budget-conscious shoppers should be wary of automation. When they make out their shopping lists, they should list the prices advertised with the items they need, and then total them up. If the total at the cash register is higher, an explanation

— and possibly a refund — is in order.

DEAR ABBY: I retired recently. My wife and I had hoped to enjoy our retirement years by taking some senior citizen tours and traveling to some foreign countries. Now, the problem: Our daughter's marriage went sour, so she got a divorce. She has a child to raise, so she came to live with us, saying it would only be until she got on her feet.

Well, it's been five years, and she and our grandchild are still here. My wife doesn't go anywhere. She says, "Who will take care of our granddaughter?" (Abby, there's excellent day-care available.) My wife and I used to go places and do things, but now we don't go anywhere. Our daughter has it made with this setup and she refuses to move. We have a good job and makes good money, so it's not as if she would be out on the street. I feel that we are being taken advantage of. How do we get out of this trap? — TRAPPED

DEAR TRAPPED: Tell your daughter that she must absolutely find another place to live because you and your wife want to be free to travel and enjoy whatever time you have left. Plan a trip. Sign up for one of those tours you've been wanting to take, then tell your daughter she has to be out of your house by a designated date — and no ifs, ands or buts!

Everything you'll need to know about planning a wedding can be found in Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." To order, send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

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PRIME TIME

Restless sleep is not an inevitable part of aging

EDITOR'S NOTE — T. Franklin Williams, a geriatrics physician, is director of the National Institute on Aging, one of the 13 institutes that comprise the National Institutes of Health.

By Dr. T. Franklin Williams

BETHESDA, Md. (AP) — Although sleep patterns may change over the years, scientists know that restless sleep is not an inevitable part of aging.

In fact, troubled sleep may be a sign of emotional or physical disorders and should be evaluated by a doctor or sleep specialist.

At any age there are some common sleep disorders. Tossing and turning all night is one example of insomnia, but there are others. Taking more than 30 to 45 minutes to fall asleep, waking up many times each night, or waking up early and being unable to get back to sleep can mean you have insomnia.

With rare exceptions, insomnia is a symptom of a problem, not the

problem itself.

Snoring may be the sign of another sleep disorder — sleep apnea. In this situation, the individual stops breathing for brief periods each night. Loud snoring coupled with daytime sleepiness may be symptoms of sleep apnea. A doctor specializing in sleep disorders can make a definite diagnosis and recommend treatment.

Unusual leg movements, called nocturnal myoclonus or periodic movements of sleep, also are common. Although scientists don't know what causes these leg movements, sometimes medication can bring relief.

Scientists researching sleep disorders have made some interesting discoveries. For example, Dr. Charles Czeisler and colleagues at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston and Harvard University, in a project funded by the National Institute on Aging, report that the body's internal biological clock is far more sensitive to light than previously thought.

In fact, Czeisler found that light

may be the single most important factor in resetting this clock. Using this information, Czeisler and his colleagues have begun to treat some of the common sleep-related complaints of their older patients.

Other scientists are investigating the changes occurring in sleep and wakefulness as people age. Research also is exploring various treatments for sleep disorders and examining what the medical profession and the public need to know about good sleep practices.

However, there are some things we already know:

■ Follow a regular schedule. Go to sleep and get up at the same time each day.

■ Try to exercise at regular times each day. Moderate physical activity two to four hours before bedtime may improve sleep. Check with your doctor before beginning any exercise program.

■ To adjust your internal sleep clock, try to get some exposure to the natural light in the afternoon each day.

■ Develop a bedtime routine. Do

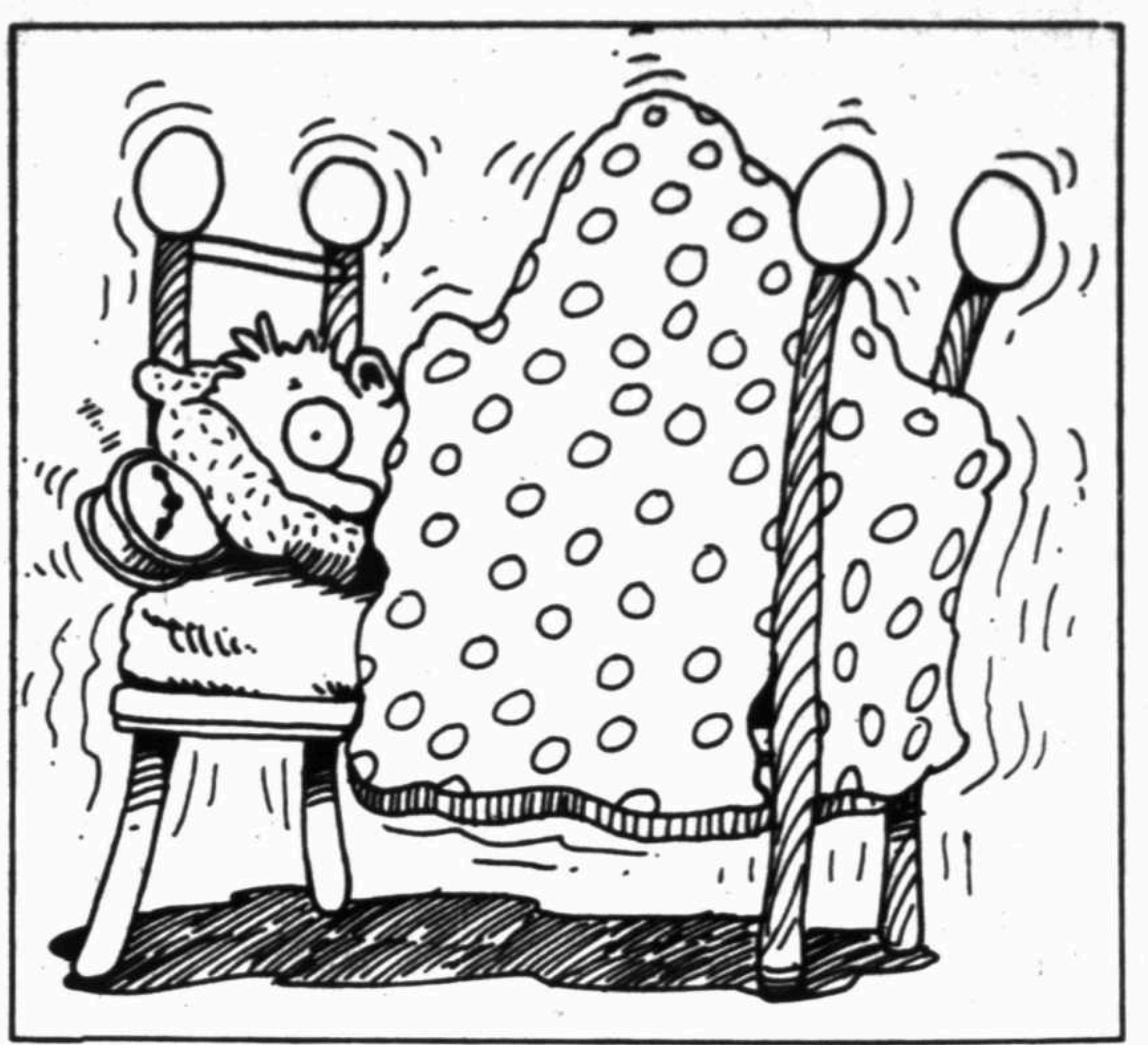
the same things each night to tell your body it's time to wind down. Some people watch the evening news, read a book, or soak in a warm bath.

■ Don't drink alcohol or smoke cigarettes to help you sleep. Drinking even small amounts of alcohol can make it harder to stay asleep. Smoking is not only dangerous (the hazards of falling asleep with a lit cigarette), but nicotine is a stimulant.

■ Be aware of what you eat. Avoid caffeinated beverages late in the day. Caffeine is a stimulant.

■ After turning off the light, give yourself about 15 minutes to fall asleep. If you still are awake, or lose your drowsiness, get up and go into another room until you feel sleepy again.

If you are so tired during the day that you cannot function, and this fatigue lasts more than two to three weeks, see a doctor. For help locating a sleep specialist, contact the Association of Professional Sleep Societies, 604 Second St., SW, Rochester, Minn. 55902.



CNS Graphic

Alice Faye shares her memories in 'Growing Old, Staying Young'

LOS ANGELES (AP) — There was a time when Alice Faye was queen of the 20th Century Fox musicals.

"It was great, it was glamorous, it was wonderful. I don't spend too much time thinking about it, but when I do, it was lovely. I had so many nice friends, people who were good to me. I didn't have too many beefs, many complaints," she said.

"I have great memories — of the working people. Wonderful stars like Don Ameche, John Payne, Tyrone Power, Jack Oakie, Jack Haley, on and on. We had so much fun, we really did. They don't seem to have that kind of fun today."

Now she has produced a book, "Growing Old, Staying Young" (E.P. Dutton, \$18.95), written with Dick Kleiner. Still a striking blonde at 75, she also has been spokeswoman for Pfizer Pharmaceuticals.

"I go out every month, almost," she says. "I travel a day, I rest a day, then I work two days and I come home. It works out real nice. It's kind of fun; it keeps me active, keeps me involved and keeps me off the street."

Her book contains the message Faye imparts to her audiences, whom she calls "young elders."

The Faye method:

"1. Staying active and involved.

"2. Eating a well-balanced diet.

"3. No smoking, which is tough for a lot of people.

"4. Exercising; that's a key: walking, swimming, stretching.

"5. Seeing your doctor and talking to him about your problems.

"I throw in 6. Please God, have a sense of humor, because it helps."

FAYE WAS born Alice Jeanne Leppert, daughter of a New York police officer. A teen-age beauty who danced in the Capitol Theater chorus at 14, she eventually made her way to Hollywood.

For 10 years she starred in a string of popular musicals: "Sing Baby Sing," "Stowaway" (with Shirley Temple) "On the Avenue," "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "Sal-

ly, Irene and Mary," "Rose of Washington Square," "Lillian Russell," "Weekend in Havana" and more.

Faye seldom watches her old movies on television ("I was never a fan of me"). But she saw one recently that she remembered fondly, the wonderfully slapstick "Hollywood Cavalcade" (1939).

"I really enjoyed seeing that one again," she said. "I had forgotten how funny (Buster) Keaton was. He was a genius who never got his due in Hollywood."

She has less pleasant memories of her relations with studio boss Darryl Zanuck.

"I wanted to do something more mature, but Zanuck didn't see it

that way," she said. "They were making lots of money with pictures that Betty Grable and myself were doing, all those musicals. Always it was the same story. We changed costumes and leading men, and off we'd go and make another one."

"The only chance I had (for a dramatic role) was 'Fallen Angel' (1945). That was a good, meaty part. But when I finally saw it on the screen, I was on the cutting room floor."

FAYE WAS a victim of the big studio era, when stars were pigeon-holed. Her musicals were a studio staple, so Zanuck refused to change the formula until "Fallen

Angel," a box-office failure. Because of Zanuck's cuts, no one will ever know whether Faye could have succeeded in drama.

And Faye left. She never went back.

She and her husband starred for a decade on their top-rated radio program, "The Alice Faye-Phil Harris Show." She was a frequent guest on television and returned to Fox for the 1962 musical version of "State Fair," with a score by Rodgers and Hammerstein. In more recent times, she toured in "Good News."

For many years Faye and her husband have lived in Rancho Mirage, Calif. Harris, 85, often travels to golf tournaments.

It's Your Life

'Taking it easy' is an individual choice

By Steve Edwards

The act of "taking it easy" does not just happen, it requires a certain amount of skill, and a certain temperament and attitude. How a person decides to "take it easy" is an individual choice. People who like to putter around all the time believe they are taking it easy, but are in fact very busy. Some people take it easy by doing those things they have always been interested in but didn't have time for before.

Most people agree that the happiest and most fulfilled retirees are those who manage to keep busy. Spending spare time on hobbies, part-time employment or going back to school can be very fulfilling. Activities that make you feel needed and worthwhile, and that stimulate you on a daily basis,

will make retirement fun and exciting.

Much has been written about boredom and feeling useless, but the conclusion of all this research is that when people have nothing to look forward to, they begin to feel useless or bored, which can lead to poor health. Researchers have noticed that the busiest people, those with regular activities, are usually the healthiest. Attitude can create a healthy emotional condition and make life more meaningful and enjoyable.

If you truly believe that you can retire and take it easy by doing nothing, and that's the dream you've been dreaming all these years at work, then give it a try. But remember, if you can't cope with doing nothing, then admit it to yourself and find an activity that will inspire you and keep you active.

Steve Edwards is executive director of Community and Senior Services and the Visiting Nurse Service of Midland.



Edwards

PRIME TIME CALENDAR

CASA DE AMIGOS

Casa de Amigos is located at 1101 E. Garden Lane. For more information about services provided call 682-9701. Activities for the week include:

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards, 9:30 a.m. exercise and announcements, 10 a.m. wood working, 11:15 lunch, 12:15 p.m. Bible.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, 9:45 a.m. mineral and gem class, 10 a.m. sing-a-long, 11:15 a.m. lunch, 12:15 p.m. bingo.

■ Wednesday: Closed for the Fourth of July.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards, 9:30 a.m. literacy, 11:15 lunch, 12:15 Silver Spoons and singing.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards, 9:30 a.m. walking for fitness and announcements, 10 a.m. ceramics, 11:15 lunch, 12:15 bingo.

MIDLAND YMCAs

The Midland YMCAs have many activities scheduled for Prime Time adults.

For more information regarding available activities and classes contact Central YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring, 682-2551; Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, 694-2528; Northeast YMCA, 2301 Butternut, 682-8469; Town West YMCA, 1012 Andrews Hwy., 694-6821.

Scheduled activities at the Central YMCA are:

■ Monday, and Friday: 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Low impact aerobics, 7 a.m. YMCARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, call for appointment before beginning class.

■ Tuesday and Thursday: 9 a.m. Y's Way to a Healthy Back; by appointment, Specialized Strength Training for Seniors.

Scheduled activities for Alamo YMCA are:

■ Monday, and Friday: 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. Arthritis Water Class.

■ Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 10 a.m. Aqua Aerobics; by appointment, Water Rehab Therapy.

Scheduled activities for the Town West YMCA are:

■ Monday, and Friday: 9 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics; 10 a.m. no-impact aerobics.

■ Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics.

■ Monday through Friday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Biking for fitness and Nautilus Weight Training for Prime Time adults is offered.

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

The Southeast Senior Center, 400 S. Marshall, is open 9 a.m.-2 p.m. each Wednesday and Friday. For more information about ser-

vices offered, call Ellen G. Smith, center director, at 682-1574. Activities include:

■ Friday: 9 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. table games, 9:30-11 a.m. arts, crafts and ceramics, 11:30 a.m. lunch, 12:45 p.m. bingo.

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER AT DELLWOOD MALL

The Dellwood Senior Citizens Center is located in Dellwood Mall, 3303 W. Illinois, Space #18. For more information call 699-5023.

Activities planned include:

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise, 9:45 a.m. exercise, 10 a.m. Kitchenettes and table games, 11:30 lunch, 12:30 p.m. art class, 1 p.m. bridge and table games.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise and ceramics, 10 a.m. table games, 11:30 a.m. lunch, 1 p.m. table games, AARP sewing and bridge, 1 p.m. Independence Day celebration.

■ Wednesday: Closed for the Fourth of July.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise, 10 a.m. art for fun, 10:30 a.m. dancing, 11:30 a.m. lunch, noon financial seminar, 12:30 p.m. movie and crafts with Noma, 1 p.m. table games and bridge.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards and ex-

ercise, 9:45 a.m. exercise, 10 a.m. advisory board meeting and table games, 11:30 a.m. lunch, 1 p.m. bridge and table games, 7 p.m. dance with a band.

VOLUNTEER CENTER

The Volunteer Center, 1030 Andrews Hwy., has many opportunities for volunteers. Those interested in volunteering can call 697-8781 for information.

■ A local Agency needs volunteers for its Telephone Reassurance Program. This program provides local elderly citizens with a daily phone call from the volunteer to check on the elderly person and be someone they can talk to.

■ An agency that works with children from dysfunctional families is in need of volunteers to work with its children's program. The volunteer assists staff members of the agency with children's activities. A three hour training session will be provided by the agency. This opportunity requires a two hour per week commitment.

■ A local agency is in need of volunteers to help with the renovation of a trailer home. Plumbers, electricians and carpenters are needed for this project.

Handbook explains Medicare benefits, changes

Staff Report

Medicare is available to millions of Americans 65 years of age or older and to some disabled individuals. Yet many eligible people do not fully understand what benefits are available and how to go about getting them. Prepared by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, "The Medicare Handbook 1990," is a comprehensive guide to benefits under this federal health insurance program. The 1990 update of the Medicare Handbook addresses the repeal of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 and describes associated changes in benefits and charges.

Two parts of Medicare, hospital insurance and medical insurance, are described in detail. This includes descriptions of the Medicare Card, hospital inpatient service, home health care, hospice care, outpatient hospital services, and other covered services and supplies. Other topics such as buying supplemental health insurance, getting second opinions, and the right to appeal insur-

ance decisions are discussed in detail. A major section describes what Medicare does not cover.

"The Medicare Handbook 1990" describes how to submit Medicare insurance claims, when other insurance pays first and claims for a person who dies. A sample Medicare insurance form is included along with instructions. The Handbook lists the address and telephone number of the Medicare carriers in each of the 50 states. An informative glossary of Medicare-related terms is provided.

"The Medicare Handbook 1990" is designed to help people determine what services are covered under Medicare, how payments are made, and how those covered can make sure they understand and receive the benefits to which they are entitled.

To order "The Medicare Handbook 1990," send a check for \$7.95 payable to Federal Reprints to Federal Reprints, P.O. Box 70268, Washington, D.C., 20024.

Heart disease risk can be lowered

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(BY MERVYNS)

AMA raps raunchy rock 'n' roll

CHICAGO (AP) — The American Medical Association Thursday threw its support behind voluntary record labeling by the music industry, and declared its concern about the impact of destructive themes in certain kinds of rock music.

"Just as we got into tobacco and we got into alcohol, we should be in all aspects of preventive medicine," said James S. Todd, executive vice president of the 290,000-member AMA, the nation's largest physicians' group.

At its annual convention, the AMA said vivid depiction of, for example, drug use, demonology and racism could harm young people, and urged the music industry to label its goods — something it already does, voluntarily.

A statement adopted by the AMA's 436-member House of Delegates reads: "The vivid depiction of drug and alcohol use, suicide, violence, demonology, sexual exploitation, racism and bigotry could be harmful to some young

people, especially vulnerable children and adolescents who are socially alienated from traditional value systems and positive support groups."

The music targeted includes heavy metal, punk rock and rap. The chairman of the committee that debated the issue said the AMA was not seeking to censor, but simply to ensure that parents know of possible dangers to their children.

"I wouldn't want us to be seen as moral arbiters," said Neil O. Ward, an otolaryngologist from Phoenix.

"We're not wanting to dictate what's on the marketplace, as much as to make people aware of the destructive themes and make them aware of the dangers to family and adolescent health."

The move was lauded by the Parents' Music Resource Center, the educational group founded by Tipper Gore.

"With the inclusion of the AMA we now have a very strong message to the music industry — that

educators, parents and medical professionals share a very valid concern about the messages marketed to young people," Jennifer Norwood, executive director of the center, said in a telephone interview from her office in Arlington, Va.

The American Academy of Pediatrics, which has 39,000 members, adopted a policy last year asking the music industry to exercise taste and restraint.

But music industry representatives pointed out that record companies already label music voluntarily.

The AMA is "a little late on this," said Tanya Blackwood, spokeswoman for the Recording Industry Association of America, whose members produce about 90 percent of the recordings made and sold in the United States.

In 1986, the recording association reached an agreement with the Parents' Music Resource Center and the national PTA for voluntary labeling.



Trade, not aid

President Bush this week offered to forgive a portion of \$12 billion owed by Latin America and Caribbean countries. Bush also proposed a free trade zone for the entire Western Hemisphere.

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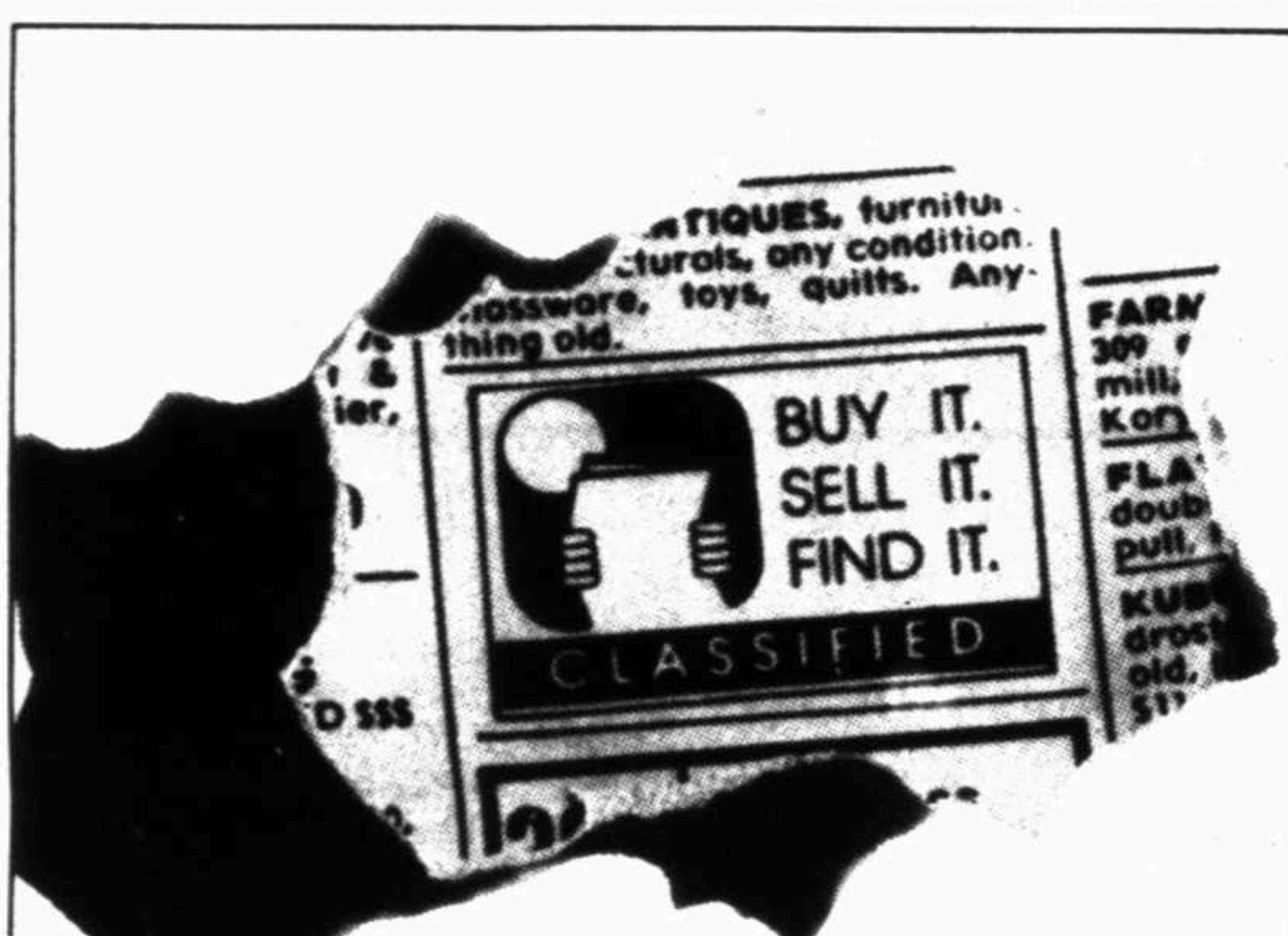
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ORDINANCE NO. 7014

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 6220 which granted a specific use permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages for on premises consumption in a restaurant; changing the zoning use classification of certain properties described in section one hereof, which is zoned "C-1", Central Area District, by permitting said property to be used under a specific use permit for the operation of a lounge; making said permit subject to certain conditions and restrictions contained herein; providing for a maximum penalty or fine of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00); and ordering publication.

City of Midland
B.C. Clanton
City Secretary
June 29, 1990

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Sealed bids will be accepted in the office of the Midland County Auditor, second floor of the Midland County Courthouse, 201 N. 10th Street, Midland, Texas 79702 until 4:30 o'clock P.M., Friday, July 6, 1990 to be opened by the County Auditor at 9:00 o'clock A.M. meet for the following:

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Mr. Floyd T. Jarragin
Midland County Auditor
June 22, 1990

PUBLIC NOTICE
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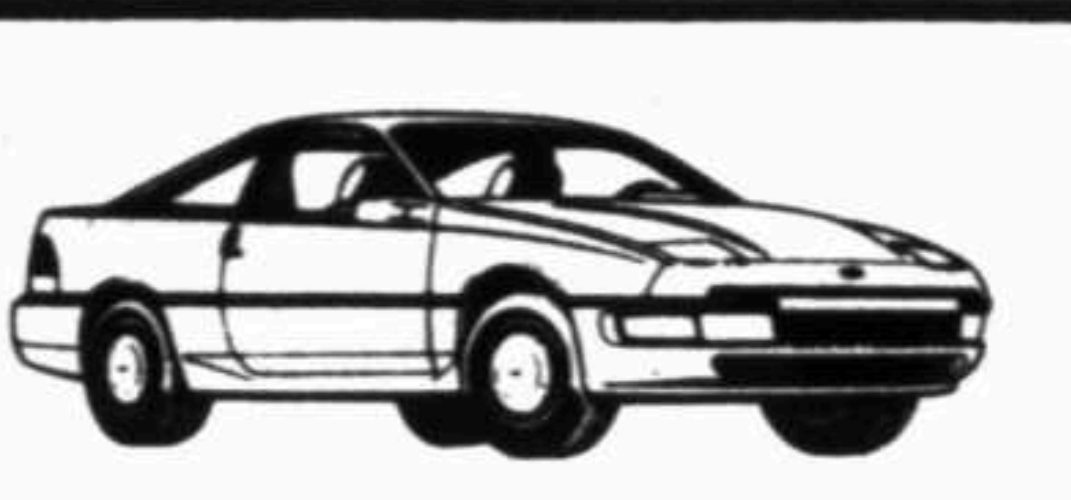
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REBATE

60 months w/approved credit, finance \$12,490, total of payments \$17,097.60, \$500 down plus TT&L, APR 12.90.



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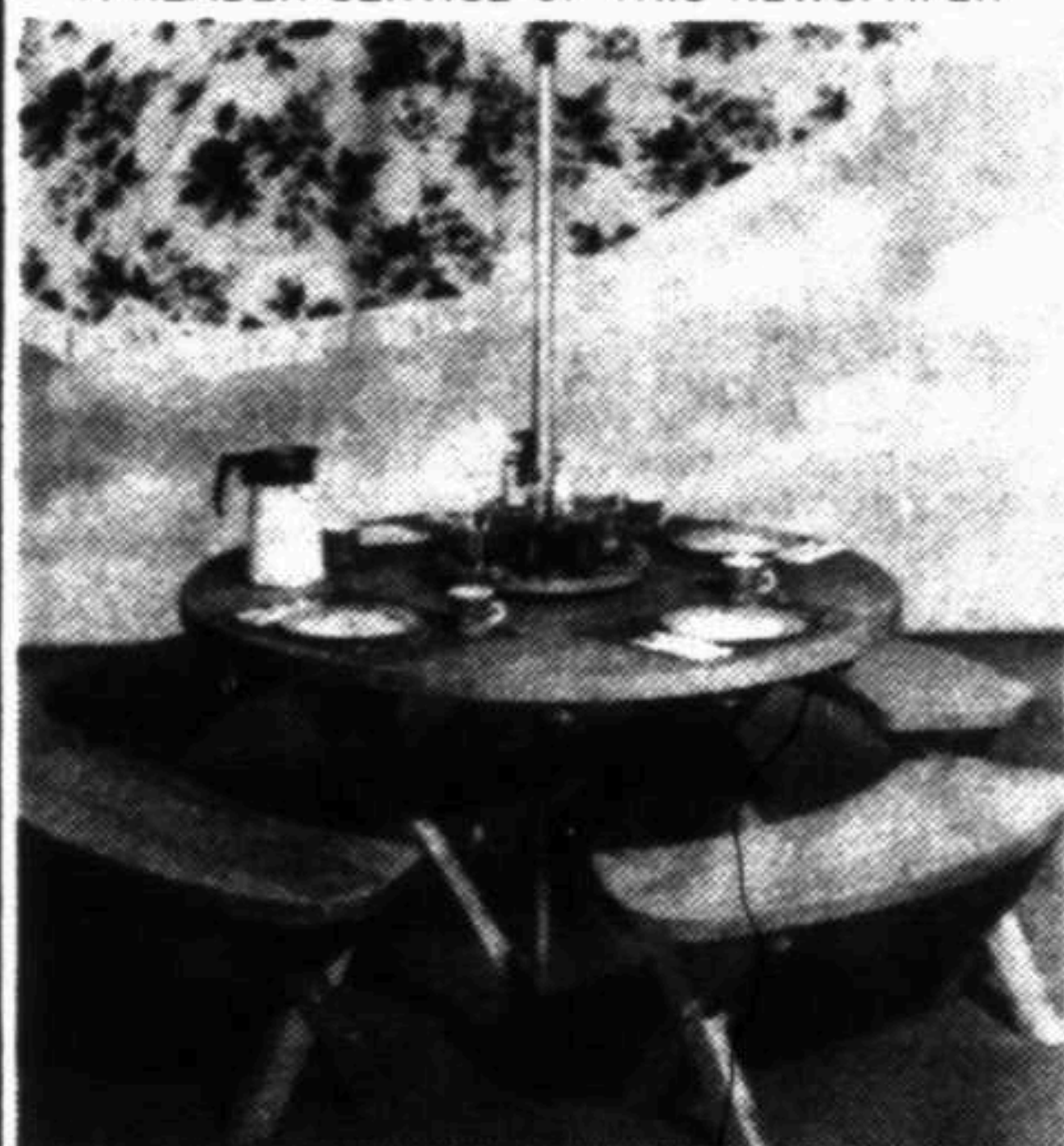
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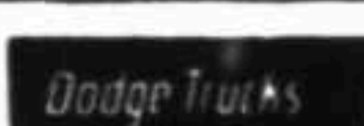
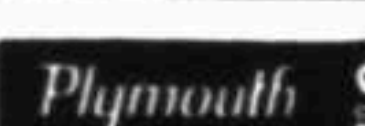
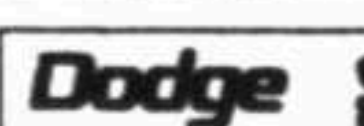
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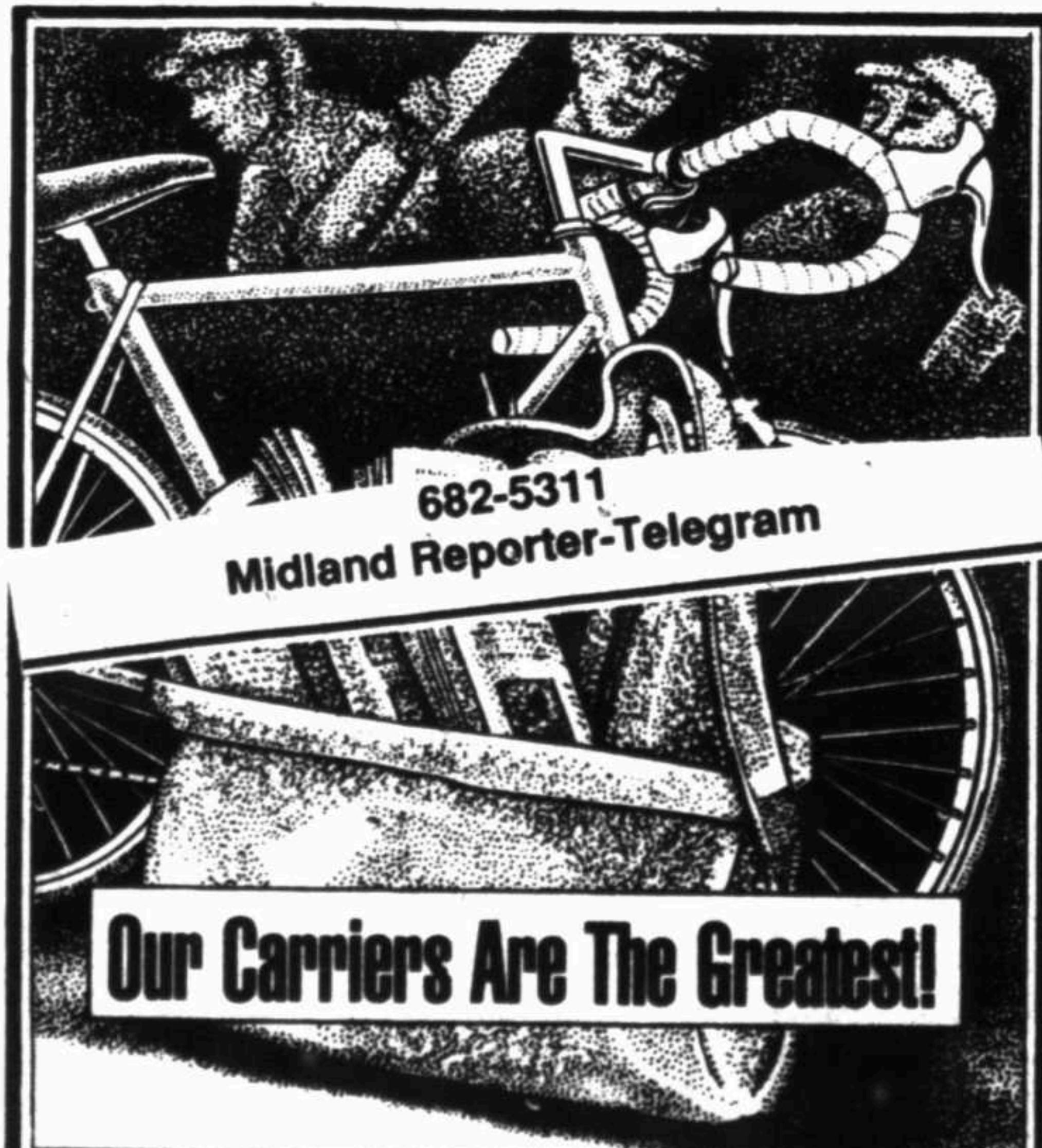
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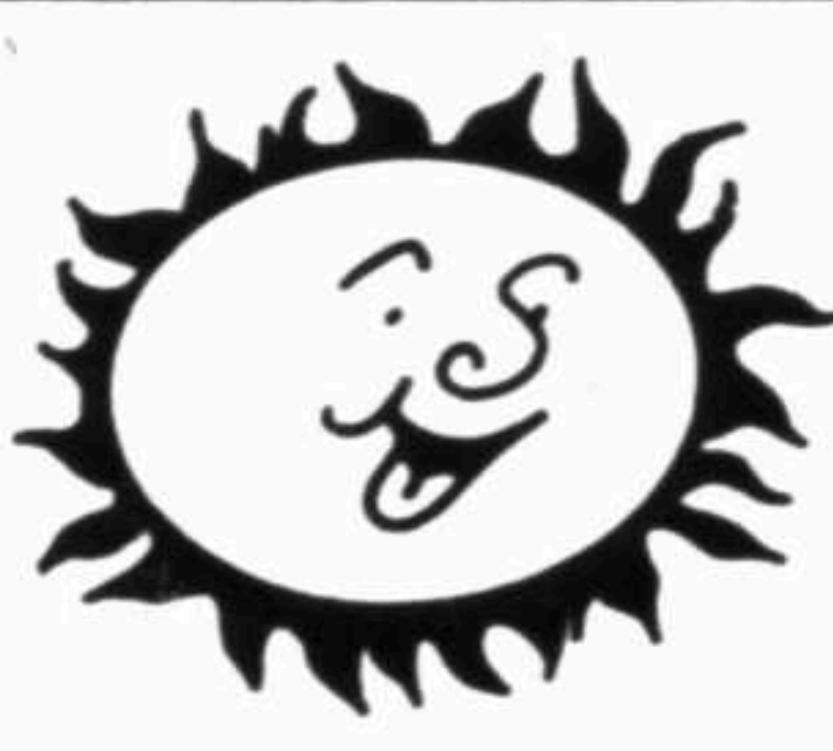
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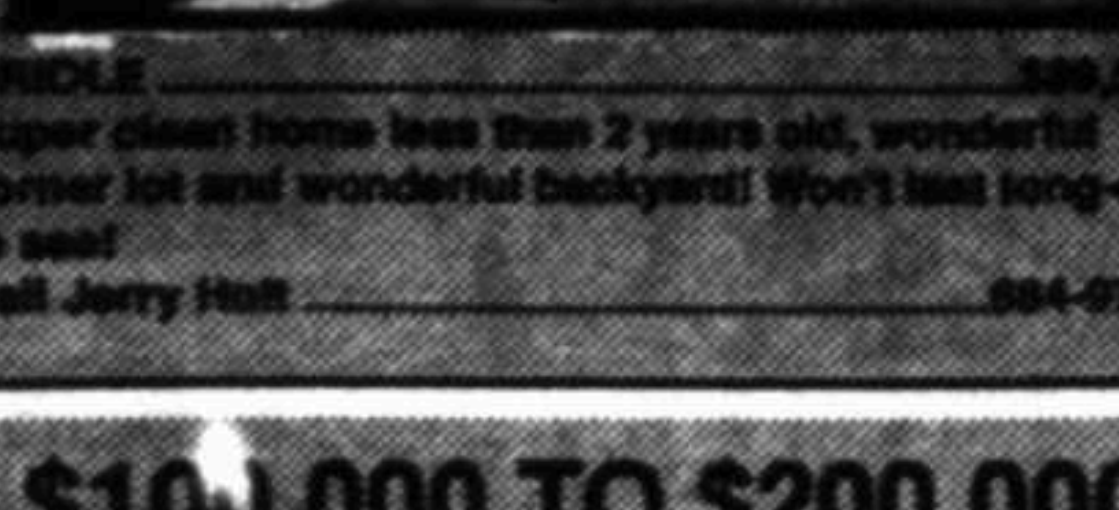
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