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Cityline Community Pulse

What's your view?

With President Clinton's offer to reveal 1970s tax returns to answer persistent questions surrounding the Whitewater controversy, the issue continues to dog his presidency.

Has the Whitewater land deal been blown out of proportion or not?

We'd like to know your views. Call **Cityline's Community Pulse Poll** at **560-2400** and enter category **7655.**

If you feel the story has been overplayed and is not as serious as it is made to sound, press 1. If you feel it has not been blown out of proportion, press 2.

You also will be invited to voice your comments. We prefer you leave your name, but that is your option.

The unscientific poll will remain open until noon today. Results will be published in Wednesday's edition.



AP Laserphoto

Steve Hugley poses In his Coming, N.Y., shop with a clay sculpture of his nephew Derrick Robie.

A boy's death

SAVONA, N.Y. — One overcast morning last August, 4-year-old Derrick Robbie was lured into a stand of pine trees a short distance from home and battered to death. His accused murdered is expected to go on trial in late April. But the life of Derrick — ebullient, precocious, doted on by all who knew him, a ripper of a kid in short sleeves and suspenders with a mop of blond hair and a mischievous grin — preoccupies those who loved him./5A

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Mall to snuff smoking on April 22

By Jimmy Patterson
Special Projects Editor

Smokers take note: Effective April 22, it no longer will be permissible to light one up in Midland Park Mall.

The decision, according to mall manager Patti McDonough, was supported by virtually all merchants in the facility after being handed down by the mall's corporate office in Indianapolis.

"We've been thinking about it, and working toward it for quite awhile," Ms. McDonough said. "We've received numerous complaints from customers about the smoking in an enclosed environment like the mall is.

"Our corporate offices own a little more than 70 malls across the country, and all of them are going through the process of going smoke-free. Nationally, it's a trend. Quite a few have done it."

There will be no designated smoking areas within the mall, but ash trays will be positioned at all the main entrances to the facility.

Ms. McDonough said research conducted

Please see **MALL**/2A



Effective April 22, it no longer will be permissible to smoke in Midland Park Mall. The decision, according to the mall manager, is supported by virtually all merchants in the facility.

Curt Wilcott
Reporter-Telegram



AP Laserphoto

Ona Graig is comforted by her fiance Charles Abernathy Monday as she looks over tornado damage to her parents' home near Jasper, Ga.

Pastor struggles with dual roles of grieving mom, spiritual leader

PIEDMONT, Ala. (AP) — After losing her 4-year-old daughter and much of her growing young congregation in the Palm Sunday tornado that devastated her church, the Rev. Kelly Clem isn't yet ready to answer the question: "Why?"

"I was just walking around ministering and praying with people after it happened, and people were lying on the ground and asking: 'Why Kelly, tell me why?'

"We do not know why," she said she told them. "I don't think 'why' is the question right now. We just have to help each other through it."

On Monday, the 34-year-old pastor was struggling between her dual roles as grieving mother and the spiritual leader of a congregation shocked by death during the week that celebrates the resurrection of Jesus.



The Rev. Kelly Clem

Her daughter Hannah was with other children waiting to sing in a musical drama telling the crucifixion story when the tornado struck, one of a series that pounded the Southeast on Sunday.

One minute, the song "Jehovah Jireh" — Hebrew for "the Lord will provide" — filled the air of the church, a witness said. The next minute, debris was flying.

The tornado collapsed the Goshen United Methodist Church roof and the walls of the one-story red-brick church crumpled, burying dozens in the con-

Please see **ROLES**/2A

Idling OPEC spurs crude price plunge

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

After watching oil prices skid $1 a barrel Monday, local oil and gas operators say they will be making adjustments to the possible low and long-term prices by shutting in marginal wells, watching costs and shifting their focus from oil to natural gas.

Oil prices skidded Monday in response to Saturday's decision by OPEC to freeze production levels for the remainder of the year and not make cuts that would have sent prices higher. On the New York Mercantile Exchange, May contracts for delivery of West Texas Intermediate fell $1.05 a barrel to $14.08 a barrel and area buyers lowered their posted price $1 to $12.50 a barrel.

Although most producers weren't surprised by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' decision, they still find themselves in the dubious position once again of having to tighten belts.

Tom Kelly, a partner in Baytech Inc., commented: "What it does for domestic producers is amplify the fact that domestic production is at risk of further declines and we need to be prepared to weather the storm. We will drill prospects that are economic at today's prices and hope OPEC gets its shop in order faster than they have been."

He called shutting in marginal production a defensive strategy. "We feel the opposite is more prevalent; for every decrease in the value of a barrel, you've got to be able to replace volumes."

Kelly noted that Baytech has been heavily involved in 3-D exploration in the Permian Basin Texas Panhandle and southeastern New Mexico, calling these areas "bread-and-butter areas" that Baytech will continue to explore.

'We have to batten down the hatches like everyone else, keep the production on what makes money at these low prices and shut in the other stuff.'

— Charlie Davidson, controller, Great Western Drilling Co.

Still, he said, "Whatever the Saudis want the price to be, that's what it will be and we have to live in that environment."

Dyad Petroleum General Partner Tom Dyches said his company will tighten its belt and hope OPEC can make some cuts at its June meeting. In the meantime, he said, Dyad will concentrate on gas prospects and probably shut-in some stripper production. Too, he said, if a well needs to be reworked or serviced, that will be delayed until prices improve.

Great Western Drilling Co. Controller Charlie Davidson called the dollar slide in prices an emotional market reaction to OPEC's decision, and feels prices may recover to previous levels of recent month once the emotional reaction is past.

Meanwhile, he said the company will take a harder look at its marginal production and field operations.

He ventured a prediction that OPEC will not make any production cuts until

Please see **PLUNGE**/2A

Laredo tragedy puts scrutiny on area officers' high-speed-pursuit policies

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

A recent three-vehicle accident east of Laredo that killed eight people has raised questions about the necessity and justification of police pursuits, particularly high-speed chases.

The accident, which occurred on March 20, was preceded by Border Patrol and Webb County Sheriff's officials chasing a suspect who, driving with only a pickup's parking lights on, made a U-turn in front of the U.S. Border Patrol checkpoint about 40 miles east of Laredo. Although all officials eventually gave up chasing the vehicle, it continued speeding and slammed into two other pickups, claiming eight lives.

So, the question arises: should police pursue a suspicious vehicle or known criminal, especially at high speeds, or do the risks outweigh the benefits?

Unfortunately, questions about police-pursuit policy do not stop at the Midland city limits. Midland law-enforcement agencies have been involved in several high-profile pursuits, including one that resulted in a lawsuit.

Please see **SCRUTINY**/2A

Commissioners vote to fund inmate labor

■ Assignments to include working on cemeteries, filling in county-road potholes, picking up roadway trash.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

More and more, Midland County Jail "working inmates" will be making a limited public work force at apparent benefit to taxpayers.

"If you give them the proper opportunity, they will do you the proper job," said Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter on Monday after the Commissioners' Court voted 4-0-1 to set aside $20,000 to supervise non-violent working inmates.

Their assignments would include working on Fairview Cemetery's lawn, filling in county-road potholes, picking up trash along public roadways and other tasks.

Of the five members on the court, Commissioner Guy McCrary abstained from voting because, he said, the commissioners sometimes are prone "to gloss over the details when we make a decision" and thereby make "mistakes."

"I am philosophically in accord that use of prisoner labor would be in the public's interest," McCrary said. "But I think we have to be assured that it is in the public's economic interest as well. And there has been no homework on the part of other members of the court."

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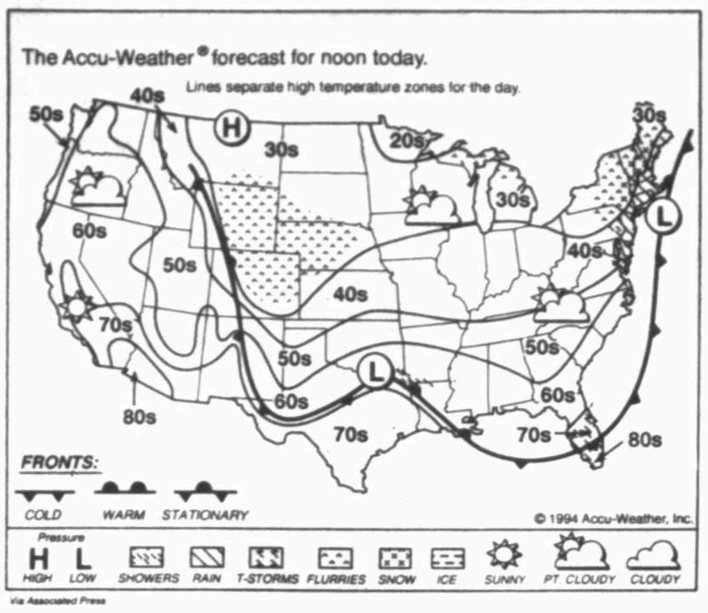


March turns into battle, dozens die

Black factional fighting spread to the heart of Johannesburg, South Africa, for the first time Monday when a march by Zulu nationalists set off gunbattles, stabbings and beatings that killed at least 31 people. Story/4A

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WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Expect a return to mid-70s

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high in the mid-70s and west winds at 10-20 mph, becoming north in the afternoon. Tonight should be mostly cloudy with a low in the upper 30s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Wednesday should be mostly cloudy in the morning with decreasing cloudiness in the afternoon and a high in the upper 50s.

After an overnight low of 29, Monday's high reached 59, compared to the record high for that date of 92 set in 1963. The record low was 18 set in 1944.

STATE

There was great weather over Texas on Monday, with clear skies, gentle breezes and moderate temperatures the rule across the state. Conditions should remain the same and maybe even get warmer Tuesday.

The day began with pretty low temperatures in some parts, especially West Texas, where early risers awoke to the teens and 20s.

By mid-morning, skies were sunny in the region and temperatures later rose into the 50s and 60s under clear skies.

Clear skies should return today, although clouds could hit some parts of the Panhandle and South Plains.

Overnight lows again are expected to be below freezing, with highs bouncing back today to as much as 80 degrees along the Rio Grande.

North Texas had perfectly clear skies Monday afternoon with temperatures in the mid to upper 50s and the wind blowing from the west and southwest at about 15 mph.

Some clouds could creep into the area overnight, making for mostly cloudy skies and higher temperatures today. The northeast part of the region can expect a slight chance of rain.

South Texas also enjoyed fair and pleasant conditions Monday as cool and dry air swept into the region behind a gentle northerly breeze that also kept temperatures mainly in the 60s. Sunny skies prevailed.

Clear skies should remain today, although it could freeze overnight in the Hill Country. Highs should reach the 70s this afternoon.

NATION

Heavy rain that drenched the East Coast on Monday caused flooding in Tennessee. Snow and strong winds hit the north-central United States.

A strong cold front brought showers and thunderstorms to the East Coast and central Gulf Coast, causing floods in eastern Tennessee and prompting flash flood warnings in North Carolina and Georgia.

The Tennessee Valley Authority was spilling water from all of its main river dams in an effort to stop the flooding that was blamed for at least two deaths on Sunday. A hiker in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park drowned while crossing a creek, and a woman was swept away from her stalled car on a flooded country road in Blount County.

Rainfall averaged 4.5 inches across the Tennessee Valley during a 36-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Monday, with some areas getting as much as 10 inches, the TVA said. Spivey Gap had received 5.75 inches of rain since Sunday.

In Sevier County, the water was 18 inches deep in the county courthouse. And in Townsend, authorities dodged floating propane tanks that had floated away from mobile homes.

In Maryland, Waldorf and White Plains got 3.76 and 3.30 inches of rain, respectively. Stafford County, Va., got 3.50 inches of rain, and Culpeper and Spotsylvania counties each got 3 inches.

A storm system in the north-central states brought snow and blustery winds to parts of Montana, Wyoming, North Dakota and South Dakota. Snow showers also were scattered over parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Dry weather prevailed across the rest of the nation. Skies were generally sunny from the Pacific Northwest through the Plains and into the lower Mississippi Valley.

Strong northwesterly winds ushered cold air into the south-central states, where temperatures were generally in the 50s and 60s. A freeze warning was posted overnight for parts of south-central Texas.

Temperatures were in the high 80s and low 90s in the Florida panhandle. It was 88 degrees in Key West, Fla., breaking the record for the date of 87 set in 1935. Jacksonville, Fla., tied its 1920 record for the date at 88.

Temperatures were below freezing early Monday from the Rockies to the upper Great Lakes. Morning lows in the teens were reported in the Plains and as far south as the Texas panhandle. Albuquerque tied its record low of 25 degrees, set in 1970.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: mostly sunny, high in the mid-70s, west winds at 10-20 mph, becoming north.

Tonight: mostly cloudy, low in the upper 30s.

Wednesday: mostly cloudy in morning, decreasing cloudiness in afternoon, high in the upper 50s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	59 degrees
Overnight Low	29 degrees
Sunset today	7:08 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:40 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	trace inches
Year to date	01.10 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	41	6 a.m.	30
7 p.m.	43	7 a.m.	29
8 p.m.	43	8 a.m.	34
9 p.m.	43	9 a.m.	41
10 p.m.	41	10 a.m.	45
11 p.m.	40	11 a.m.	48
midnight	38	noon	51
1 a.m.	39	1 p.m.	53
2 a.m.	37	2 p.m.	55
3 a.m.	37	3 p.m.	56
4 a.m.	37	4 p.m.	58
5 a.m.	33	5 p.m.	58
		6 p.m.	57

Area forecast

West Texas: Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Today, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid-70s. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s. Wednesday, mostly cloudy in the morning, decreasing clouds in the afternoon. Highs in the upper 50s. Wednesday night, fair skies. Lows in the mid- to upper 30s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid-60s. Friday, partly to mostly cloudy. Lows in the mid-40s. Highs in the upper 60s to near 70. Saturday, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid-40s. Highs in the lower 70s. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Today, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs in the upper 70s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 50s. Wednesday night, fair skies. Lows near 40. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid-60s. Friday, partly to mostly cloudy. Lows 45-50. Highs in the lower 70s. Saturday, partly cloudy. Lows 45-50. Highs in the lower 70s.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	55	17	
Austin	64	44	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	66	51	
Bryan-College Station	60	43	
Corpus Christi	67	53	
Dallas	57	42	
El Paso	60	29	
Fort Worth	58	41	
Galveston	64	54	
Houston	63	49	
Laredo	67	51	
Lubbock	57	22	
Marfa	53	23	
San Angelo	61	40	
San Antonio	66	43	
Victoria	65	49	
Waco	59	41	
Wink	60	28	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	54	25	.08	cdy
Atlanta	61	57	.58	cdy
Atlantic City	54	49	1.78	rn
Baltimore	54	47	1.12	dr
Boston	50	39	.43	clr
Chicago	46	30		cdy
Cleveland	48	36		cdy
Denver	53	20		cdy
Detroit	53	35	.06	rn
Flagstaff	58	16		cdy
Indianapolis	53	35	.01	cdy
Kansas City	44	27		cdy
Las Vegas	76	46		clr
Los Angeles	78	55		cdy
Louisville	57	41	.32	cdy
Memphis	55	45	.27	cdy
Milwaukee	47	29		cdy
Nashville	54	44	.48	cdy
New Orleans	61	54	.73	clr
New York City	51	46	.50	cdy
Oklahoma City	53	31		cdy
Orlando	92	73		cdy
Philadelphia	54	47	.78	rn
Phoenix	74	51		cdy
Reno	73	32		cdy
Sacramento	71	46		clr
St Louis	47	36		cdy
San Francisco	67	52		clr
Seattle	72	42		cdy
Shreveport	59	43		cdy
Spokane	64	32		clr
Topeka	45	27		clr
Tulsa	51	31		cdy
Wichita	50	27		clr

SCRUTINY: Tragedy raises questions on pursuits

(From 1A)

Michelle Demarray, her children and the children's father Douglas Demarray, filed lawsuits against the city and two police officers in 1990 and 1991 in connection with an accident that occurred on Oct. 28, 1989, when police were chasing Robert Dubley, who was driving a vehicle that was reportedly stolen.

Dubley's pickup crashed into a pickup carrying Ms. Demarray and her three children, causing Ms. Demarray's vehicle to explode. Police rescued the children and their mother, who suffered brain damage, severe burns, a broken pelvic bone and was in a coma for two months.

The lawsuit, which also named Dubley and the owner of the truck, was settled in February of this year. The City Council gave its approval to pay the plaintiffs $200,000 and costs not to exceed $8,000.

"That was horrible," said Midland Police Chief Richard Czech. "What happened there was terrible. What happened in Laredo was terrible. And, it didn't have to happen."

Czech said his philosophy on pursuits is that they aren't a necessity for catching criminals.

"In this day and age, pursuits are not necessary," he said. "With the potential for liability and injury, we just can't afford to take that chance. Plus, we have enough technology that we can find out about the person who ran and eventually catch up to him, in a safer manner."

Liability was the main reason Czech drew stricter guidelines for pursuits when he arrived seven years ago.

"Up until, I would say, 10 years ago, there were chases all the time," he said. "There were no rules. You would have 10 officers in one chase — it was like the Keystone Kops. But,.courts have ruled that the city and police can be liable for accidents that occur during pursuits."

Midland Police Department guidelines say an officer may pursue a misdemeanor or felony offender at the officer's discretion. The officer must take into consideration how busy the streets are, the time of day, the location and the amount of danger presented to civilians.

A maximum of three units can be involved in the pursuit — the officer who initiated the chase, a backup unit and a shift sergeant, who is responsible for monitoring the pursuit at all times. The pursuit must be called off if, at any time, the sergeant decides it poses a threat to the officers or the community.

The guidelines are similar to ones followed by the Odessa Police Department. However, Commander Bill Rushing said Odessa officers are allowed only to pursue persons involved in felony crimes.

"Our guidelines are very restrictive," Rushing said. "The officer has to know it was a felony. It's not what you think you know, it's what you know at the time of the pursuit. If you don't know for sure it was felony, you don't chase them."

Both departments require extensive reports on pursuits to prove they were justified.

According to Czech and Rushing, neither city has had a pursuit end in a fatality.

"We can't accomplish our mission in law enforcement if we hurt or kill an officer or civilian during a chase," Rushing said.

In addition to stricter guidelines, the Midland Police Department began hands-on training in pursuits with its cadets and recently began a 40-hour driving school, which is required of all officers.

"I'm not going to say we aren't going to have pursuits, because we are," Czech said. "They are going to happen. But, we are only going to pursue if it is absolutely necessary and we are going to take all the precautions necessary. We do everything we can to protect our citizens and our officers. Deaths due to pursuits should not happen."

PLUNGE: Producers again must tighten belts

(From 1A)

Iraq is allowed back into the market.

"Until then, we have to batten down the hatches like everyone else, keep the production on what makes money at these low prices in and shut in the other stuff."

Jim Sandell, president of Laguna Petroleum, said OPEC's decision, while disappointing, was expected and Laguna had planned for it. To cope with the dollar drop in prices, he said the company probably will shut in marginal production and curtail any workover plans.

He said he doesn't expect prices in the $18-19 range for a year or two.

Ed Hall, vice president of public affairs for Santa Fe Energy, quoted analysts as saying the rollover in OPEC production limits already had been included in the current price of oil, and in some circles prices were expected to dip a little, firm and rise toward yearend.

"We're certainly hoping that is the case," he said.

In the meantime, Hall said, the company's priorities, as they have been all year, are focused on higher-return projects in its inventory, many of which are in the Permian Basin.

Southwest Royalties Inc. has had a long string of successful wells in recent years, and President Tripp Womack said Monday's results won't change the company's plans.

"Our previous plans had been to finish what we were doing at yearend 1993 and the first quarter of this year, then focus on gas drilling and recompletions for the next two quarters. This hasn't affected what we would do at all, only because we had already changed strategies."

Had prices gone up after the OPEC meeting, he said, the company has a number of oil prospects in line to drill. The company continues to actively take oil drilling prospects, which he expects to drill toward the end of the year, "even if prices don't improve."

He said, "I really think the fundamentals of supply and demand are good and the market will reflect that regardless of what OPEC does."

MALL: No-smoking rule kicks in on April 22

(From 1A)

by the mall's corporate office shows that the prohibition of smoking within enclosed shopping environments "did not create negative traffic. The average shopping time frame is about 70 minutes, and realizing that, it's not an intolerable amount of time if you're a smoker."

Additionally, Ms. McDonough said, "most properties have not had a problem" with the fact that the designated smoking areas are located outside.

"What we've found," Ms. McDonough said, "is that people who are smokers are usually very sensitive to whatever the policies are."

There has been an open line of communication between the mall office and merchants in the building, most of which already have no-smoking policies within their stores.

"We surveyed them (the merchants) as to what their current policies were. It was in the high 90 percentile that the merchants already have smoke-free environments. The majority of the merchants have responded favorably, and many have received complaints from their customers."

Peggy Hagan, who manages Jamie's Hallmark, is one merchant in favor of the decision.

"We get complaints, mostly from parents with small children," she said.

"Smoke must get in to the stores that sell clothing, and it certainly isn't pleasant to be around when you're eating."

Hallmark, Ms. Hagan noted, is a completely smoke-free company.

"What are we going to do if somebody does smoke?" Ms. Hagan said. "I think that's a situation you have to take care of when it happens. But I don't think we're going to have a problem."

Ms. McDonough said that should a violation occur anywhere within the mall, the smoker will be "reminded" of the new smoke-free status at the mall.

LABOR: County votes to fund working inmates

(From 1A)

McCrary "wasn't convinced of the bottom-dollar savings" of inmate labor, said Commissioner Henry Goulet, who did seem to be sure.

"There is definitely going to be a net savings," Goulet said. "None of the commissioners knows what that net-savings figure will be. We know there is going to be a net savings."

The savings, he said, would take into account the expense of buying and maintaining lawn equipment and supplies for cemetery upkeep, which had been contracted out for $50,000 a year.

"The net savings would be a fair amount of money," Goulet said, especially when figured in with inmates' doing road work for the county's Road and Bridge Department.

Painter said that of the 500 inmates lodged in the county's two jails, 58 can be classified as working inmates.

"They used to be called 'trustees,'" Painter said. "We found out that 'trustee' was a misnomer. No inmate can be trusted. . . ."

The working inmates now do jail janitorial and lawn work and sometimes carry out assignments in the Midland County Public Library, Midland County Exhibit Building and Road and Bridge Department shop.

"And now we will be able to utilize more inmates on the work crews for the Road and Bridge Department, patching (pot holes), perhaps picking up trash later on, and at the cemetery doing the necessary yard maintenance to assist the cemetery crews," Painter said.

By Texas law, working inmates "must be volunteers, and they must have a non-violent background with a non-violent crime," Painter said.

Johnny Williams, Road and Bridge superintendent, said he is "real excited" about using inmate labor in road work. "The work that we have been trying to get done will proceed at a much better rate."

Copper Daugherty, cemetery sexton, said the proposal for inmate labor on cemetery upkeep "looks like it will work real well."

The working inmates will be wearing "distinctive clothing" bearing "distinctive marking," Painter said.

Richard Sexton, captain of the Detentions Division, said the sheriff has been wanting to expand inmate labor "for a long time, but budget constraints" have prohibited that. "And now with the budget being opened up," there appears to be "additional money to hire the person (supervisor) without costing the taxpayers additional money. It certainly will cost them but not any additional money. Then it is worth looking at and going after. I think it is a great project."

Even so, Sexton acknowledges there could be "liability situations" among the inmates "if you pick the wrong guy" for outside work assignments. "Any of them can break and run."

Other than the supervising corporal traveling from work site to work site, the inmates would be overseen by trained county employees at the work sites.

In other business, the commissioners voted 5-0 to fund the position of "appellate prosecuting attorney" for District Attorney Al Schorre's office.

While the position pays $54,623.52 annually, the commissioners funded $23,311.76 for the six months remaining in the current fiscal year.

McCrary backed the position.

"I have done my homework on that," he said, "and was clear that was the appropriate decision to make economically."

ROLES: Pastor tries to rally congregation

(From 1A)

gregation of 140. At least 20 people died at the church, including six children, and some 90 worshipers were injured.

The Clems' other child, 2-year-old Sarah, was in the church nursery that escaped the brunt of the tornado. She had minor injuries.

Mrs. Clem, who suffered head and shoulder injuries and a badly swollen left eye, walked with her husband around the wrecked church and parsonage.

"I'm picking up on this pain and suffering and death," she said, gripping a pink stuffed cat Hannah got for Christmas. "But all I'm feeling right now is my baby."

Mrs. Clem and her 34-year-old husband, the Rev. Dale Clem, are well-known among Methodist clergy in Alabama, and ministers came from around the state to help them and the tornado victims.

A dozen ministers were at the airport Sunday night to meet Clem, who rushed back from a youth ministry in Oklahoma after receiving the grim news.

"She's a very strong person and she's a person of great faith," Clem said. "We just hugged each other and cried together and said we loved each other."

Members of her congregation mourned their losses and talked of keeping their faith.

Doug and Rhonda Scott were both badly injured, but thankful their 2-year-old son, Jake, was unharmed.

Scott said they were watching the Easter presentation when they noticed the wind had picked up.

When he heard glass breaking, Scott jumped into the aisle and began crawling to the nursery to find his son. A cement beam crashed down, dislocating his hips. His wife suffered pelvic fractures when debris fell on her. The couple shared a hospital room Monday, unable to get out of bed.

"I was in terrible pain and I was hollering for my son," he said. "Somebody brought him to me. He was crying, but he was OK."

Mrs. Clem reflected on the brief time she had with Hannah and searched for some comfort.

"Some people told me that you must almost wish you never had a child," Mrs. Clem said. "It hurts, but I'll never regret these four wonderful years with that child. We had some wonderful last days. I had her picture made and we made a video of her Easter parade.

"She had talked about death. She said she thinks heaven is like Disney World and I told her that was right. That child understood a lot. That gives me a lot of peace right now."

Clem said his daughter taught him a lot about love and life, and her death was a lesson, too.

Asked what he will learn, he replied slowly: "You'll have to ask me that again in a month."

Funeral services will be Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Anniston, where Mrs. Clem had been associate pastor until taking the Goshen ministry four years ago.

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are the Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery:

6-1-5

Correction

The name of Jamie Hughes, an eighth-grade student at Alamo Junior High, was inadvertently left off the list of honor roll students in Sunday's edition.

The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

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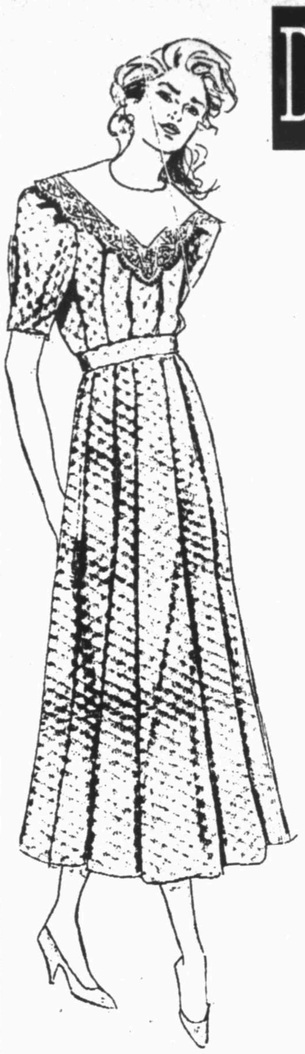
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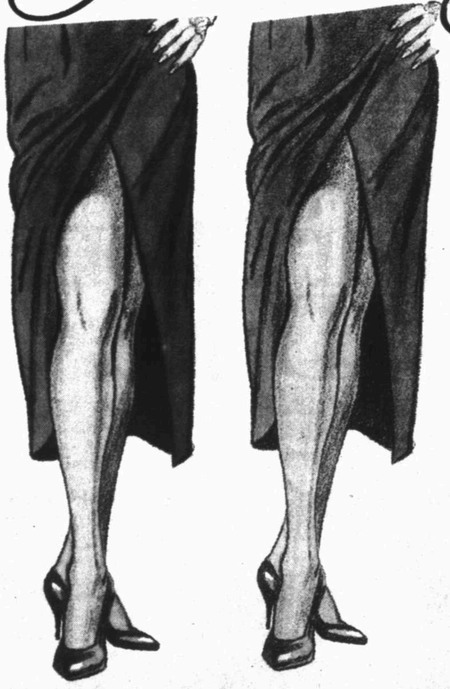
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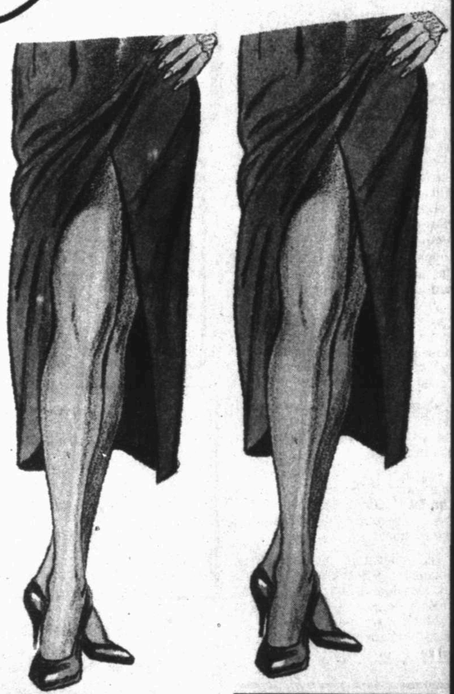
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The World

■ Israeli soldiers kill six in Gaza Strip

JERUSALEM — Six Palestinians were shot to death by Israeli soldiers in the Gaza Strip on Monday in the most severe violence in the occupied territories since the killings in Hebron a month ago.

The slain Palestinians wore uniforms identifying them as belonging to an armed wing of Al Fatah, the mainstream faction of the Palestine Liberation Organization led by Yasser Arafat.

Although it is too early to gauge its effect, the latest bloodshed could unsettle attempts by Israel and the PLO to get their troubled peace talks on track again, efforts that are to resume in Cairo on Tuesday.

■ Man bursts into school, kills girl, 12

MIDDLESBROUGH, England — A gun-toting man burst into a schoolroom Monday, ordered the children to line up, then stabbed a 12-year-old girl to death and wounded two classmates before teachers overpowered him.



Conroy

Police arrested a 29-year-old man and said there was no known motive for the attack.

"He came running in wearing a balaclava and green combat gear," said Souhil Malik, one of 25 students in the math class at Hall Garth School in the northern town of Middlesbrough.

"He shouted, 'They have killed me and now they have killed all of you!' I thought he was just going to stand there and shoot me in the head," Souhil was quoted as telling The Evening Standard newspaper.

The dead girl was identified as Nikki Conroy, 12.

■ Playwright Ionesco dies in Paris at 81

PARIS — Playwright Eugene Ionesco, whose absurdist masterpieces overcame initial ridicule to gain worldwide popularity, died Monday at his home in Paris. He was 81.



Ionesco

Ionesco's family said he had not been hospitalized, but declined to give details about the cause of death.

"Rhinoceros," "The Bald Soprano" and "The Lesson" turned theatrical conventions on their head, using farce to bolster Ionesco's observations about alienation in everyday life and the debasements of totalitarianism.

At least one of his plays has been in production in Paris every night since 1950. One theater has offered only a double bill of "The Lesson" and "The Bald Soprano" since 1957 — Monday night's show was the 11,944th.

"He was a revolutionary of the theater who turned 20th century drama upside down," said Jack Lang, France's former culture minister.

■ Touvier's lawyer challenges testimony

VERSAILLES, France — Shouts and groans punctuated Paul Touvier's trial Monday when his lawyer dismissed as "opinion" a historian's testimony that Touvier's wartime militia unit relished rounding up and deporting Jews.

Professor Robert Paxton of Columbia University called the Vichy regime's militia the worst enemy of French Jews from its creation in January 1943 to the Allied liberation of France in mid-1944.

"The goal of the militia was to do more, to do it better and to become accepted on equal footing with their Nazis colleagues," Paxton said.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Zulus march; dozens die in street battles

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Black factional fighting spread to the heart of South Africa's main city for the first time Monday when a march by Zulu nationalists set off gunbattles, stabbings and beatings that killed at least 31 people.

Gunfire echoed off skyscrapers and shattered windows around a park near city hall where thousands of Zulus carrying spears rallied to protest the all-race election next month. Several blocks away, guards from the rival African National Congress fired on more Zulus outside the ANC offices.

Leaders of the ANC and the Zulu-dominated Inkatha Freedom Party accused each other of starting the violence.

People sprawled in the dirt and under cars, cowered behind pillars and trampled each other trying to escape the shooting. Blood stained streets and sidewalks in at least three areas. Hospitals reported more than 200 wounded.

Law and Order Minister Hernus Kriel declared central Johannesburg and 10 surrounding districts "unrest areas," giving police wide powers to control political gatherings and quell unrest.

Late Monday, leaders of the main political parties were trying to arrange a summit between President F.W. de Klerk, ANC leader Nelson Mandela, Zulu King Goodwill Zwelithini and Inkatha leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi. They were expected to meet later this week to confront the worsening crisis over Zulu demands for autonomy after the April 26-28 election.



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A South African policeman takes aim while a second motions for Zulus, at left, to clear the area after gunmen opened fire on Zulu Inkatha Freedom Party supporters in Johannesburg on Monday.

The ANC is expected to win the vote easily, an outcome that Zulus say will lead to the demise of the Zulu culture. The ANC rejects Zulu demands for a separate homeland, saying the country's racial and ethnic groups must learn to live together after generations of segregation under apartheid.

Political violence has soared, particularly in Natal Province, which includes the Zulu homeland of KwaZulu.

President Clinton condemned the violence Monday and called on all sides "to reject violence and intimidation and to work towards a peaceful transition to a nonracial democracy." He also called for an investigation.

ANC leaders are demanding that troops of the white-minority government take over KwaZulu to ensure the election can proceed. Soldiers recently seized control in two other black homelands.

Monday's march was intended as a show of force by Zulu nationalists, whose ethnic group is the largest in South Africa, and many stores did not open for fear of violence.

Reports of clashes linked to the march and to a Zulu strike call began filtering in at dawn from nearby black townships where factional fighting has gone unchecked for years.

Italian voters turn to media magnate, projections show

ROME (AP) — With the parties that have led Italy since World War II felled by scandal, voters turned to a media magnate and his conservative alliance to fill the void, projections showed Monday night.

Win by right-wing coalition stuns the left, promised to usher in a new era in Italian politics.

The expected win by Silvio Berlusconi's right-wing coalition stunned the left and promised to usher in a new era in Italian politics.

His alliance took a majority in at least one house of parliament, according to projections. But minutes after the polls closed, signs of division emerged from the three parties in the coalition, raising questions about whether they could cooperate enough to form a government.

Berlusconi, whose populist themes and volunteer-based campaign organization raised comparisons with Texas billionaire Ross Perot, entered the political arena two months ago to keep the former Communists out of power.

"We have reached our goal," he said, claiming victory 2½ hours after the polls closed Monday.

The projected outcome showed how much his message of privatization, tax cuts, job creation and the virtues of the free market touched a chord. He also stressed conservative themes such as stricter immigration laws and vaguely defined "traditional values."

As leader of the top vote-getting party, Berlusconi would be a likely choice to be named premier. Italy's president generally picks a member of the largest party in Parliament as premier, who then forms a government that must be approved by both houses.

In his concession speech, Achille Occhetto, leader of the leftist coalition dominated by former Communists, warned the right would "not be capable of giving a government to the country."

Berlusconi acknowledged differences within his coalition at a post-election news conference, but said he was confident he would be able to pull them together. "Victory brings unity," he said.

His alliance was projected to win 47 percent in the Chamber of Deputies to 34 percent for the leftist coalition dominated by former Communists, the Abacus research group said, according to RAI state television. The CIRM group projected it would capture 334 seats, a majority of the 630-seat Chamber.

There were conflicting projections on whether the conservatives would control the Senate.

Abacus said the conservatives led the leftists 41 percent to 35 percent in the Senate, but fell just short of a majority. But the Doxa polling agency, working for the Berlusconi-owned network Canale 5, projected the conservatives would capture 174 of the 315 Senate seats, a majority.

Final results from the two-day election were not expected until Tuesday; voting in Italy is done with paper and pencil.

Italy's political future hung in the balance with the elections.

The moment was comparable to the choice Italians faced after the defeat of the Fascists in World War II. In 1948, voters rebuffed a Communist bid to run the country and instead chose the Christian Democrats, the start of more than four decades of dominance by the centrist, pro-Catholic party.

Muslims, Croats seek foundation for a federation

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — With the guns around Sarajevo silenced, Muslim and Croat leaders met Monday to begin building a federation viewed as a key step toward ending Bosnia's 2-year-old war.

Despite some initial confusion, both sides appeared confident a joint assembly would approve a draft constitution and agree on an interim government to rule until elections within six months.

"Now is not the time for euphoria, nor for pessimism, but for serious, determined and intensive work on the implementation of the agreement," Haris Silajdzic, prime minister of Bosnia's Muslim-led government, said in opening remarks. The accord was signed March 18 in Washington.

No formal action was expected before today because some delegates were delayed by transportation problems.

Among those at the opening session was U.S. special envoy Charles Redman, who mediated in the recent Muslim-Croat negotiations.

The federation plan has been shunned by Bosnian Serbs, who are considered by most of the world to be the main aggressors in Bosnia's war, but the accord already has done much to bring peace.

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The Nation

■ Man calls police, claims to be killer

FALMOUTH, Ky. — Lawmen searching Kincaid Lake State Park for the body of a northern Kentucky teen received a surprise telephone call this past weekend from the man who claims he is the killer.

When Kentucky State Police Detective Frank Merritt picked up the ringing pay phone outside the park Saturday, Donald Leroy Evans was on the other end, calling from his Florida jail cell.

Police were searching the park because Evans told them he shot and killed Randy Lee Sellers, 17, of Visalia, in 1980 and left his body there. Evans, convicted of rape and murder in Mississippi, is in a Fort Lauderdale, Fla., jail, awaiting trial for a killing in that state.

"I always hope he'll call and give us some more to go on, but this was a shock," said Merritt, who is leading the search for Sellers' remains.

But Evans did not call to offer tips where searchers should look. Instead, he complained that Florida authorities will not let him smoke in jail. He asked Merritt to convince Kentucky Gov. Brereton Jones to call Florida Gov. Lawton Chiles and make Chiles tell jailers to treat him better.

■ Smokeless tobacco increases heart risk

WASHINGTON — A 12-year study of 135,000 men found that users of smokeless tobacco are 1.4 times as likely to die of heart disease as those who don't use tobacco in any form.

Smokeless tobacco has been linked to heart disease, just as cigarettes have, but scientists didn't know just why. They suspect nicotine is the culprit.

So, in the longest-term study of the issue, researchers at Sweden's Karolinska Institute followed users of smokeless tobacco, which delivers higher doses of nicotine than cigarettes without the interference of smoke.

Their study, published in today's edition of the American Journal of Public Health, followed 135,000 construction workers from 1974 through 1985.

Of that number, 6,297 used smokeless tobacco, 14,983 smoked fewer than 15 cigarettes a day, 13,518 smoked more than 15 cigarettes a day and 32,546 had never used tobacco. The remainder had used tobacco in the past.

The researchers adjusted for weight, blood pressure and history of heart symptoms.

■ Store manager catches teen couple

BOSSIER CITY, La. — A teen-age couple chose a department store's bedding display for a display of midday sex on Monday, police said.

Kenneth Bryant, 19, of Shreveport, and Sabrina Perkins, 17, were arrested at the Dillard's Department Store and booked on one count each of obscenity, a misdemeanor, police said.

Police spokesman Mike Halpin said a customer complained to the manager that two people were having sex on a daybed in the store. The manager went to the bedding department, saw the pair and called police.

"They were on one of the daybeds — beds that they use for display," Sgt. Ron Botica said. "They just said they just wanted to do it."

Perkins and Bryant apologized to the manager before they were taken to jail, police said. They were released without bond.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Memories of son sustain family that still grieves

By Ben Dobbin
Associated Press

SAVONA, N.Y. — In the first chink of sunlight after a rainstorm, 4-year-old Derrick Robie would dig for worms. And once he got them lined up on the back porch — Mommy, Daddy, brother, baby — he'd give each one a kiss.

Everything he could dream up, he was into — swatting tee balls, mixing meat loaf, helping unscrew lug nuts off the car wheel, hoarding hickory nuts in his coat pocket. "As much of a boy he was," said his father, "he was very gentle with things."

Eric Smith lived on the other side of town, a 13-year-old with glasses and a mask of freckles who played drums in the school band, rode his bike everywhere and had an infectious cackle of a laugh.

Then, one overcast morning last August, in this pastoral village in western New York shadowed by steep-sided hills, Derrick was lured into a stand of pine trees a short distance from home and battered to death.

Eric Smith, authorities say, confessed to the killing; he is expected to go on trial in late April on second-degree murder charges, and the death of Derrick will be examined again, in excruciating detail.

But the life of Derrick Robie — ebullient, precocious, doted on by all who knew him, a ripper of a kid in short sleeves and suspenders with a mop of blond hair and a mischievous grin — preoccupies those who loved him.

Dale and Doreen Robie moved nearly a mile out of town just before Christmas, to start afresh. But the walls of their dining room are filled with photographs of their ever-smiling son and mementoes — a letter of condolence from the president, a poem written by neighbor Mary Davidson.

It begins, "Remember me in early spring, When tee-ball fields with laughter ring ..."

The village came together before winter set in and cleared the base of the hill, jagged with pines, where Derrick died. On a knoll overlooking two new baseball fields, a crab apple tree, a flagpole and a 42-inch statue of him swinging a bat will be erected this summer.

"As horrid and as negative as this has been, you just look for something to try to turn positive," said Mrs. Robie, 28.

"I hope people can look at the statue and just remember what childhood was supposed to be about, because we've lost it somewhere ... with all these teen-agers that have gone totally haywire. I feel kind of naive because I thought I tried to keep him from everything."

The couple are sustained by an endless flow of memories. "I think Dory and I talk about him like he was in the next room most of the time," said Dale Robie, 34, a printer. "I think if we didn't, we'd feel pretty negative."

Recently, Mrs. Robie unpacked a little gold box she always kept on the coffee table and found a hickory nut inside, placed there by small hands. "I just left it there, put the top back on and put it back on the shelf."

No one admired Derrick more than his little brother, Dalton. They played together a lot, and Derrick read him "Green Eggs and Ham" every bedtime.

"My angel on Earth," said Mrs. Robie, touching her 2-year-old's head of blond curls. "I've got one each place now."

On Derrick's fifth birthday, on Oct. 2, she took a bag of big gingerbread cookies down to the kindergarten class he would have attended.

"They had a big party for him and sang happy birthday. That's probably been the hardest thing I've had to do since he died, next to burying him."

Over and over, she wonders how it could have happened. Three mornings a week, Derrick went to a summer recreation program run by the village in a field at the bottom of their dead-end street.

It was threatening to rain on Aug. 2, Dalton was fussing and Derrick was stamping his foot, pleading for permission to go down by himself. There was always a flow of neighborhood youngsters walking along the street, so his mother relented.

She didn't follow him down the driveway as usual. Her strong-willed boy hopped down the back step and was gone.

"We've had our share of people writing to us and calling us and telling me what a rotten mother I was," Mrs. Robie said. "But people don't know the circumstances and they don't know the kind of parents we were."

There were no eyewitnesses; police say Eric somehow persuaded Derrick to take a shortcut through an empty, overgrown lot.

To Eric Smith's family, nothing had jumped out as a strong sign of mental illness — though there were some disturbing tendencies.

In 1989, he strangled a neighbor's cat with a garden hose. Two years later, when a schoolmate died in a car crash, he called the teenager's family on a few occasions, asking to speak with him.

Dr. Stephen Herman, a child psychiatrist hired by the defense, said in a preliminary report that the boy suffers from depression, nicotine addiction from smoking and a mental disorder that causes periodic explosive outbursts.

Two men admit to espionage

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Two men pleaded guilty Monday to giving classified Army and NATO military information to Hungarian intelligence agents while in the Army nine years ago.

Jeffery Eugene Gregory, 32 and Jefferey Stephen Rondeau, 30, could be sentenced to as much as life in prison and fined $250,000. They were ordered held pending sentencing June 24 by U.S. District Judge Ralph Nimmons.

Prosecutors said the confidential information they handed over included plans for the defense of Central Europe and the United States.

Investigators said Gregory and Rondeau were serving in the Army in Germany in 1985 when they were recruited by co-conspirator Roderick J. Ramsay.

Ramsay pleaded guilty to espionage and was sentenced to 36 years in prison in August 1992.

Kevorkian may aid in suicide, attorney says

SOUTHFIELD, Mich. (AP) — Dr. Jack Kevorkian will break his promise not to assist in more suicides unless a doctor agrees to treat a woman's debilitating arthritis pain, Kevorkian's lawyer said Monday.

Before a judge would release him from jail last December, Kevorkian had to promise not to help anyone kill themselves until the Michigan Court of Appeals rules on the constitutionality of the state law banning assisted suicide. Kevorkian had been jailed on an assisted suicide charge.

Now his lawyer, Geoffrey Fieger, says a woman Kevorkian has been counseling for two years is in so much pain that Kevorkian would consider himself "unbridled" from that promise.

"She wants somebody who will give her stronger medication to make the rest of her life more comfortable," Fieger said. "In the absence of that, Doctor Kevorkian will no longer feel constrained under the promise that he previously made."

At a news conference in his suburban Detroit office, Fieger played a videotape that showed the woman from the neck down, sitting in a wheelchair and being interviewed from off-camera by Kevorkian and his associate Neal Nicol. The recording was made Saturday, Fieger said.

The woman said she has suffered from rheumatoid arthritis for 26 years. She described losing an eye, having her left leg amputated four years ago and losing her right leg to surgery two weeks before the taping.

Prompted by her interviewers, the woman showed her grotesquely deformed hands and the limits of their movement. "I'm really full of despair because the pain can't be controlled," she said.

Asked if she was considering suicide, she replied: "I think that would be the best thing for me."

She said she was taking the pain medication Percodan, but that it wasn't strong enough.

The woman's name, age and hometown weren't revealed. Her face was not visible on the tape.

Fieger said a doctor would have to make a house call to the woman, who he says is in her 70s, and administer drugs to her before Kevorkian would back off.

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Teaching morals is a social 'must'

While Midlanders may disagree vehemently over "whose morality" should be taught in public-school classrooms, there is one point on which most find agreement: the teaching of good character traits is important today.

Good character traits such as truthfulness, honesty, integrity, and compassion all combine to make a human being a well-rounded person. Few would argue with the assertion that an individual attempting to use "book learning" in an atmosphere devoid of morality would be less than a full person.

But as the debate detailed in the recent series "The Fourth 'R' " indicated, the fear that many Midlanders harbor about the expanded teaching of ethics and morality in the public schools centers around whether that teaching will lap over into the area of religious doctrine.

While such teaching would understandably have to toe a fine line, the need for education in moral behavior is virtually without question. Headlines in newspapers and evening television news programs repeatedly report vicious, mindless crimes often carried out by young people — young people who should be enjoying their youth but are instead lost in a world of moral questioning. Although some would contend that it is the duty of parents and churches to teach morality, others have also pointed out that the great literature of the Western world — and not only the Holy Bible — has taught morality and ethics for centuries. In that regard, it's understandable that the classroom would be a perfect setting for the discussion of basic morality.

Does the public-school system have a role to play in teaching ethical behavior and morality?

It does if it hopes to engender in society the traits that keep a society civilized. Schools have that responsibility. Parents have that responsibility. And first and foremost, churches have that responsibility.

OTHER VIEWS

Clinton must act fast to gain Rosty's benefit

As bedevilled as President Clinton may be by the Whitewater fuss, he must be breathing easier with the primary win by House Ways and Means Chairman Dan Rostenkowski in Illinois.

Rostenkowski's committee is the health-care plan's first major battleground, and he has been a Clinton ally. So much so, that despite Rostenkowski's political and legal troubles, Clinton personally campaigned for him.

That point was not lost on Rostenkowski, who said after the party primary win: "There was a point, a pivotal moment in the campaign, when a very, very gutsy and honorable man named Bill Clinton came to town. . . ."

For nearly two years, a federal grand jury has been probing Rostenkowski's finances, arising from the House Post Office scandal that severely damaged him politically.

The next hurdle for Clinton is getting the health care package before Rostenkowski's committee, before any more pitfalls (including possible indictment, perhaps?) occur. Otherwise, Clinton's help would be for nought.

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Despite Harding's struggles there's reason to admire her

With a slight smile, Tonya Harding posed for a mug shot . . . at the Multnomah County Sheriff's Department (in Oregon). She was quite, demure and on probation.

The world-class figure skater's plea bargain signaled the close of a saga that began Jan. 6 with the clubbing of rival Nancy Kerrigan enroute to the U.S. Figure Skating Championships. And it signaled the beginning of Harding's life as a convicted felon.

In a deal with prosecutors, the 23-year-old pleaded guilty to conspiracy to hinder prosecution in the attack on Kerrigan. Harding won't go behind bars; rather, she was placed on three years' probation and was ordered to find a full-time job or approved schooling. She also must perform 500 hours of community service and undergo psychiatric evaluation.

And then there is the matter of money: Harding was fined $100,000, has agreed to donate $50,000 to the Special Olympics and is to pay $10,000 in prosecution costs.

So where does a figure skater fallen at the peak of her career get her hands on such cash? Kerrigan got Disney and Reebok and Campbell's Soup. Harding got an offer to endorse Japanese sumo wrestling and skate in a movie about this sordid affair. And there's always the Ice Capades . . . if they'll have her.

In a way, we feel sorry for Tonya Harding — not for the blind ambition that gold medals and the endorsements they bring spawned, but because she is so much the tragic figure. Even those who disliked her attitude had to admire how Harding made the best out of a troubled upbringing and feistily fought her way to the top. It's just too bad she got off course along the way.

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

China stands strong on dissidents

CHICAGO — "We put Wei Jingsheng behind bars, didn't we?" sneered Deng Xiaoping in 1979, when an aide suggested a crackdown on dissidents might not be in China's interests. "Did that damage China's reputation?"


Safire

The paramount leader was mistaken. The jailing of Wei, the young editor of an unauthorized magazine who led the abortive "Democracy Wall" movement, severely damaged China's reputation — and the incarceration did not stop the protest in Tiananmen Square a decade later.

Last year, in a significant gesture, Deng approved the release of China's leading prisoner of conscience a year before the end of his sentence.

Like Nelson Mandela, Wei emerged from his cell unbroken; like Andrei Sakharov, he became an embodiment of the value of freedom, and one day will be a Nobel laureate.

Last month John Shattuck, assistant secretary of state for human rights, held a low-key meeting with Wei in Beijing. This was not provocative; on the contrary, future generations will see it as the most significant Chinese-American contact since Zhou Enlai and Richard Nixon shook hands in 1972.

The Chinese leaders wanted to register their displeasure at this diplomatic deference to a dissident. They also wanted to display their machismo (do the Chinese have a word for machismo?) in the face of a U.S. promise to end most-favored-nation trade status unless substantial progress was shown on human rights.

They harassed Wei and rounded up other dissidents. On the eve of a visit from Secretary of State Warren Christopher, this could only be taken as a calculated insult to the U.S.

What was the reaction? Incredible.

American business executives in China took the side of the Chinese government against the U.S., berating our secretary for jeopardizing their profits with this silly business about democracy.

American editorialists hooted at Christopher for not aborting the trip at the first sign of Beijing's displeasure — as if cutting and running would have impressed the Chinese with U.S. resolve.

Back in Washington, the Cabinet members Lloyd Bentsen and Ron Brown undermined the U.S. position by talking MFN compromise; the national security adviser backgrounded a split-the-difference proposal; and White House aides downmouthed Christopher while the president waffled.

Even State Department bureaucrats, trying to "protect" their boss from appearing tough-minded, sawed the limb off behind him. "What Christopher's critics didn't know," Time magazine was led to report, "is that the advance foray . . . that so irritated the Chinese was carried out without Christopher's knowledge."

That's a baloney-leak. The secretary did know in advance about Shattuck's meeting with Wei, approved it, and hats off to him for it. Having zapped Christopher for Bosnia weakness long before it became popular, I can hardly fault him now for gutsily asserting U.S. policy to the Chinese.

China is not such a tender bamboo shoot that it cannot be dealt with pragmatically. Linkage of trade preferences to progress on prison labor, emigration, VOA jamming, Red Cross visits to jails and other criteria is a fact — an Executive Order backed by Congress.

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CHARLEY REESE

Clinton plan isn't solution to health care

The more people understand Clinton's health care proposal, the less they like it — and with good reason.


Reese

Clinton's plan would establish an all-powerful federal bureaucracy to oversee compulsory medical collectives. It is entirely too expensive, too compulsory, and too intrusive. People would inevitably pay more and get less. If anybody still harbors any notion that Bill Clinton is a centrist Democrat, this should be a cold shower for their brain.

The problems we face are essentially two. One, the cost of medical services, especially hospital care, has become tremendously expensive in most urban areas. Two, some people cannot afford health insurance.

The number bandied around is 38 million, but I doubt its accuracy. Probably, nobody knows.

We do know the majority of working Americans have health insurance provided jointly by themselves and their employers. The problem in those instances is just getting the costs down. Without any help from Clinton, employers and insurance companies working together with the medical providers can certainly accomplish that. And the process has already begun.

The elderly population is covered by Medicare, and the very poor, by Medicaid. So that leaves a minority of Americans floating in limbo. The loss of a job often means the loss of insurance until you can hook up with another job. People with pre-existing conditions — such as a man who's being treated for cancer but who loses his job — often cannot get or afford insurance.

So obviously, though apparently not to the Clintons, we should seek a solution for that minority who need help and not upend the entire system. Clinton is like a fool who plows up 40 acres just because there are a few weeds in a window box.

If we assume, as I think most Americans do, that we want all citizens to have access to basic health care even if they can't personally afford it, then one solution is just to expand Medicaid to cover the unemployed and those whose existing conditions preclude them from purchasing private insurance.

For those not in poverty, the government could even charge a modest fee. In other words, if you are out of a job and can't afford private health insurance, then you could purchase Medicaid for a modest fee. When you get a new job and can afford private insurance, then you turn in your Medicaid card.

That's going to cost money, but not, I think, as much as Clinton's grand bureaucratic scheme. Besides, anybody who tells you he's going to provide health care for people who previously didn't have any, and that it won't cost any money, is a baldfaced, coldhearted liar or a well-intentioned blockhead. There is no such thing as a free lunch or a free visit to the doctor or the hospital. You can't even die for free in this society.

Clinton claims his national board of medical czars will cap the rates insurance companies in the compulsory medical collectives can charge. That's a useless statement in two respects. You can cap rates at a million dollars a month. In other words, to say the board will cap rates doesn't tell you one cotton-picking thing about how high those rates will be. For all we know, Clinton may be in cahoots with a couple of giant insurance companies and planning to ream our wallets.

But secondly, government price controls on insurance premium rates is a nonsensical notion. The root problem with high cost is in the provider sector, not the insurance sector. So far as I know, and I plowed through the whole bill, Clinton's plan doesn't even address that question explicitly.

As long as we are committed to providing health care to people who can't afford it, then we have to face the fact that we must do it with taxes and not pretend that private insurance can do it. It can't. Clinton's plan will damage, not improve, the health care system in America.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Nation's anti-smoking crusade intensifies

A lifelong non-smoker surges to his feet so as to say: Hold on just a blessed minute there. The anti-smoking crusade is overrunning all reasonable bounds. That's to say, it's achieving true crusade status.


Murchison

Anti-smokers, as opposed to simple non-smokers, are waging a religious war on cigarettes. Smite the infidels! is the cry — those whose personal habits differ from the received truths embraced by the tobacco inquisitors. Consider:

The proposed federal Smoke-Free Environment Act would ban smoking in nearly every American building, excepting (oh, thank you, thank you, kind sirs) private homes.

Congress is moving more swiftly and surely to ban smoking in public schools.

A House subcommittee is backing a boost in the federal cigarette tax to $1.25 a pack.

The Texas attorney general, Dan Morales, has sued various franchise restaurants, trying to make them ban smoking altogether or install costly ventilation systems for smoking and non-smoking areas.

Jack in the Box and McDonald's have banned smoking by employees and customers.

The state of Washington has banned smoking — even in private offices.

This is America? It looks and sounds infinitely more like Russia.

Some of these actions take away the breath they claim to be saving us through the planned abolition of smoking. For instance, would someone please identify the constitutional provision giving Congress power to prescribe the personal habits that are appropriate in a private building?

The Founding Fathers, reading of the Smoke-Free Environment Act, would have suffered massive heart attacks. It wasn't to clear the way for a National Smoke Police that Paul Revere pounded his way from Boston to Lexington.

So why should a non-smoker care? Because of the principle involved. Government has inarguably the right to protect public health, but nobody thinks Americans are going to keel over en masse if public buildings offer smokers and non-smokers each their own space. What's wrong with private people working things out for themselves? Isn't that — or wasn't it — the American way?

If the Golden Cockroach Restaurant chooses to roll up the welcome mat for smokers, that's a matter between the restaurant and its customers, who can go along with the new regime or take their custom elsewhere.

By contrast, when government decides what kind of environment a business or public place can offer, it makes one rule for everybody. Sort of like a Soviet shoe store: any size you like, so long as it's 10 AAA.

Equally disagreeable is the federal government's hypocrisy where smoking is concerned. So, we're going to persecute users of a product the taxpayers subsidize. Let's hope the tobacco inquisitors take lots of names: those congressmen who vote both for smoking bans and cash payments to tobacco growers.

Maybe the oddest feature of the anti-smoking crusade is its intensity at a time when so much else is wrong with America: family breakdown, soaring crime, child abuse. Smoking hurts the smoker; intense doses of smoke may — may — hurt those exposed to it, though the medical evidence on this isn't clear. But is smoking, at that, our worst problem? Hardly. It's just the one we seem most united on at the moment, come hell, high water or legislative trespass.

It shows you something about our national priorities, and what it shows isn't complimentary.

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■ Grand jury indicts uncle in girl's death

DALLAS — A Dallas County grand jury on Monday indicted the uncle of a 4-year-old girl in connection with the child's March 5 death.

The indictment accuses John Hoyt, 24, of capital murder of a child in the death of Bethany Hoyt, who died of blunt force injuries to the head and strangulation.

During a pre-trial hearing last week, Richardson police Sgt. Kevin Hughes testified that Hoyt gave a statement admitting that he killed his niece in a rage after she interfered with his plans to inject drugs.

The girl died in her parents' home. At the time, Hoyt told police that she was killed by two men who broke into his sister's home and threatened him with a knife. He said they sliced open his chest by tossing a power saw at him.

Hughes said Hoyt later recanted that story and admitted that the saw wound was self-inflicted.

■ Officials to discuss punitive action in fire

FORT WORTH — In the wake of a weekend house fire that left four dead and two others critically injured, city and fire officials plan to discuss possible punitive action over illegal burglar bars that trapped some victims.

City and fire officials said they plan to meet today or Tuesday to talk about whether to take action against a landlord for having illegal burglar bars on his rental property that became a deadly inferno early Saturday.

Deputy Fire Chief Jim Tidwell said Sunday that he is unsure what might happen.

"Historically, we haven't pursued these things, but we're going to discuss the options," he said. "I doubt there will be any serious criminal charges come out of it."

Among the available options are a misdemeanor citation for the burglar bars, which are supposed to have escape latches, or criminal negligence.

"The main thing is educating people that you don't have to trap yourself to protect yourself," Tidwell said.

The fire claimed the lives of four children, who could not escape through barred windows and a smoke obscured front door.

■ University lab blaze injures firefighters

AUSTIN — Three firemen were injured fighting a fire on the fourth floor of a University of Texas chemistry building that gutted a laboratory and threatened experiments under way at the facility.

The flames erupted shortly after 12:30 p.m. Sunday in Welch Hall. Firefighters battled the blaze for an hour before it was extinguished.

Three firefighters were slightly injured as they fought the flames with water and chemical sprays.

The cause of the blaze was unknown late Sunday, but it was believed to have been accidental and not related to the investigation of a UT employee suspected of using chemicals from the chemistry department to produce methamphetamine.

"All the evidence so far points to an unfortunate accident in a research lab," said Alan Campion, chemistry department chairman.

■ Hundreds mourn slain woman, toddler

CORSICANA — Hundreds gathered Sunday to say their last goodbyes to a slain grandmother and her toddler grandson.

More than 700 relatives and friends remembered Robbie Jean Biggar, 53, and 23-month-old Kasey Wyatt Roberts during a half-hour, standing-room-only service. The two then were buried side-by-side at Rose Hill Cemetery in Blooming Grove.

"It's hard losing my mom and son at the same time," said Cheryl Roberts. "What's keeping me going is knowing they're together."

Ms. Biggar and Casey were reported missing by family members March 19 after they failed to meet her boyfriend, Larry Samples.

Kasey was found dead from heat and lack of air inside Ms. Biggar's car in an apartment complex parking lot the next day.

Ms. Biggar's body was found Wednesday near the super collider construction site outside Waxahachie. An autopsy showed she was bludgeoned to death, but no arrests have been made in the slaying.

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Forth Worth takes steps to fight youth gangs

By Stefani G. Kopenec
Associated Press

FORT WORTH — Marcus Davenport used to run with a neighborhood gang where he sold guns and crack, had shootouts with rival factions and sometimes robbed people.

Now that he's out, Davenport's advice to gang members is to examine the lures that may have attracted them, like the opportunity for quick cash.

"The fast money, it's a circle," he said. "You make fast money and it goes fast, because we were involved in the drug trade, too, and we made a lot of money, but right to this day, I don't have anything to show for it."

Davenport said he was literally scared from the gang by the fear of God.

"I don't want to be fighting against the almighty creator," he said.

Police say the fear of death or injury has many others looking to sever their ties to gangs, which are becoming increasingly violent.

Yet, getting out is tougher than it seems. The threat of retaliation from hard-core gang members is a significant deterrent to those hoping to escape.

"More and more of them are becoming scared, for lack of a better word, now that they're in a gang and seeing that, not only is it their friends and stuff, but family members that are being killed and shot as result of their being in a gang," said Lt. Ed Daniels, commander of Fort Worth's gang unit. "On the other hand, they're also afraid to get out of it."

Fort Worth is a prime example of how deadly gang violence is becoming in Texas. The death toll here from gang-related violence is already at 10 this year, compared with 17 in 1993.

The problem has swept across the state and nation from the major cities to rural areas.

■ In San Antonio, police said a teen-ager who avoided gangs was slain Friday in a shootout between rival groups who targeted the wrong house. The boy's cousin was critically wounded in the hail of gunfire.

■ At Irving Mall, a man who was eating pizza with his wife and two daughters was fatally shot in the head in a gang-related shooting two days after Christmas.

■ In the South Texas town of Alice, which has fewer than 20,000 residents, five drive-by shootings were reported in a single month last summer.

Dallas Mayor Steve Bartlett recently announced plans for a youth crime summit. During next month's two-day conference, several of the nation's big-city mayors and police chiefs will focus on developing a plan to combat gang violence.

In Fort Worth, leaders of six warring factions have called a truce as community leaders pledged to help gang members find alternatives to street violence.

Three days after the truce was declared on Feb. 24, a shooting involving gang members claimed the lives of three men and wounded another.

In a drive-by shooting last week, two girls, ages 4 and 17, were injured outside a Fort Worth home. The week before, a 10-year-old boy was accidentally shot in a gang attack.

Last month, a mother with gang-member sons was killed as 18 bullets from a drive-by shooting ripped through the side of her Fort Worth house, which had become a frequent target of rival gangs.

Lt. Daniels categorizes the current gang problem "as bad as it has ever been, particularly in the area of violent crimes committed by young offenders."

Economic problems, education, narcotics and broken homes are partially responsible, Daniels said. But, he added, images in the media, including those on the big screen and in some rap music, also are contributors.

"To be real honest with you, it's popular to be a gang member for the young kids," he said.

Patsy Thomas, executive director of the Citizens Crime Commission of Tarrant County, agreed.

"The in-thing to be right now is a gangster," she said. "Kids have always wanted to kind of do the wild thing and take risks and that kind of thing, but they've never been armed and dangerous before."

Fort Worth officials are going beyond the standard police crackdown to battle the menace, offering late-night recreation and providing links to social services.

Daniels said programs such as zero tolerance, where police saturate an area and basically prohibit all criminal activity, are not currently considered feasible.

State also wins as lottery sales top $4 billion

AUSTIN (AP) — While dozens of Texans have become millionaires thanks to the Texas Lottery, the state also appears to be winning.

Sales from the games of chance have topped $4 billion in less than two years, making it the fastest growing lottery in the country, according to lottery spokesman Steve Levine.

"Both Florida and California hit $4 billion after their second year," Levine said Monday.

About $1.25 billion has been contributed to the state's General Revenue Fund, which helps pay for state programs such as health and human services, parks, public safety, public schools and prisons, Levine said.

"We have maintained a steady rate of growth for two years now as we continue to provide fun entertainment for our players and raise money for the Texas Treasury," said Nora Linares, executive director of the Texas Lottery Commission.

Gov. Ann Richards, who pushed for the sweepstakes game in Texas, is excited about the money it has generated since its startup on May 28, 1992.

"We are real happy that the lottery has topped the $4 billion mark," said Richards campaign spokeswoman Cindy Rugeley. "She advocated the lottery because the people asked her to. It's provided money to state services we wouldn't have had otherwise."

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, who put aside his own lackluster feelings for the lottery and went along with the will of the voters when the game was brought to Texas, said Monday he was somewhat bewildered by its success.

"I've got to admit I am a little surprised, I don't know how much longer the lottery will maintain this momentum," Bullock said.

"It looks like Oklahoma is about to start one and I think one is on the table in New Mexico, and a lot of our sales, as I understand it, have come from these border areas. At some point, and I don't know when, I think lottery will stabilize and perhaps drop."

Both Richards and Bullock said they didn't believe the success of the lottery would affect an expected vote when the Legislature convenes next January on legalized gambling in Texas.

"It hasn't influenced me," said Bullock, who criticizes state money raised from the lottery and any form of gambling as "undependable."

"I don't think that the success of the lottery means that casino gambling is the next big gambling industry in Texas," said Richards spokeswoman Leticia Vasquez.

Fisher turns tables on Mattox

AUSTIN (AP) — Richard Fisher turned the tables Monday, accusing Democratic U.S. Senate candidate Jim Mattox of trying to conceal close ties to Republicans.

Fisher accused Mattox of working with former Gov. Bill Clements, a Republican, to grant hundreds of good-time days to convicts while serving as Texas attorney general and of accepting contributions from former GOP gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams.

"When Mattox deals with his Republican cronies, it is behind closed doors," Fisher's campaign said in a release Monday. "No witnesses. No paper trails. Just closed, locked doors to smoke-filled and skunk-filled rooms."

Fisher's attack comes just days after Mattox produced a copy of a canceled check of Fisher's for a contribution of $1,000 to the Bush-Quayle campaign in 1991. Fisher said he asked for a refund of the check because his wife, not he, wanted to contribute to Bush's presidential bid.

"This is the silliest thing I've ever heard of," said Mattox spokeswoman Elna Christopher. "Apparently the check to Bush-Quayle is having an impact, since Democrats now know Richard Fisher is a Republican.

"Once again he is blaming someone else for his own actions. He refuses to be accountable for writing the check, and everyone is fast learning that Richard Fisher's record is Republicanism."

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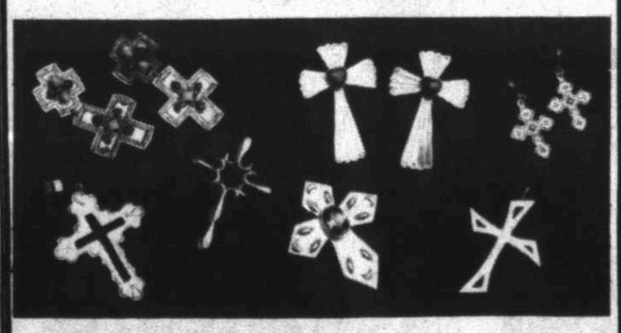
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Taking action

Quake turns hospital workers, volunteers into heroes

By Rocky Jaramillo Rushing
N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — When the Northridge Earthquake plunged a neonatal intensive care unit near the epicenter into darkness, nurses raced into action.

As glass shattered and equipment crashed around them, the Northridge Hospital Medical Center nurses stuffed their pockets with formula, supplies and medicine and carried the babies safely down five unlit flights of stairs.

All 21 babies survived, including Madison Rae Scammell, the smallest and sickest infant in the unit.

"It's a miracle she's alive at all. I just can't believe how they did that. They are heroes," said Laura Scammell, the girl's mother.

Like Northridge, hospitals across the quake-shaken San Fernando Valley area of Los Angeles suffered non-structural damage and mechanical failures that severely hampered or crippled their ability to treat patients.

But shortcomings in preparedness exposed by the Jan. 17 earthquake also made heroes out of scores of hospital workers and volunteers.

"It's not their fault that they had structural damage, that they had electrical problems and flooding. They did a very good job, given the problems that they had," said Alan Cowan, commander of the Los Angeles Fire Department's Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.

At Northridge Hospital, Annette Bradley, night-shift assistant supervising nurse of the neonatal unit, said she's still amazed that no one was killed or injured.

"I was sure that kids would have been killed. It was so violent ... We simply got lucky," she said.

The babies' safety was the top priority, Bradley said.

The hospital fell into total darkness when the power failed seconds after the 4:21 a.m. quake hit. Bradley said she could hear screams, equipment crashing and glass shattering as the building moaned from the stress of the quake. Water from broken pipes dripped from the ceiling.

Registered nurse Donna Gill said the shaking was tremendous, "but the noise I think is what sticks in my mind."

During the quake, Gill said she grabbed Johnny Rodriquez, one of two babies in her care. Like the other babies on the unit, Johnny didn't cry.

"Thank God they didn't know what was going on. That's one good thing about taking care of babies. They don't get hysterical," Gill said.

Seconds after the shaking stopped, the back-up generator kicked on, illuminating the three-room unit with only a single emergency light, Bradley said.

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—Laura Scammell
infant's mother

"The place was thick with dust. It was still very dark," she said.

It became clear that the unit had to be evacuated after Bradley discovered nurse Eloisa Azaula on the floor cradling a baby whose incubator had toppled over.

Bradley said she and the nine other nurses on duty scrambled over the debris to disconnect the babies from their intravenous tubing and other medical equipment.

"I know I just felt like I wanted to take my babies and get out of there," Gill said.

They swaddled the babies in blankets and began the evacuation. A security guard guided the nurses to their escape route, a stairwell along the side of the building.

"As we made our way down the hallway, we could see places where the floor had split open and the floors below were exposed," Bradley said.

Madison Rae Scammell was one of the last babies out of the unit. At 2 pounds, 7 ounces she was the smallest and most fragile baby on the unit.

Laura Scammell had gone into labor three months before her due date. Madison, who weighed just 1 pound, 13 ounces, had to be resuscitated at birth.

Four weeks old when the quake hit, Madison Rae still required a ventilator to breath. But the machine was too large to carry out of the hospital after the quake, Bradley said.

A ventilator mask was placed over her mouth and she was rushed down the stairs by a respiratory therapist who pumped air into the infant by squeezing a rubber bag.

The evacuation to a make-shift trauma unit on the ground floor was completed in 20 minutes.

Laura and Carl Scammell said they raced from their Northridge apartment to the hospital, only to find it completely dark.

"It was just real creepy. It was the scariest feeling," Laura Scammell said.

The Scammells ran up the stairs to the neonatal unit and found it empty.

"There was no sound, no sound at all. Only the water dripping from the ceiling. I remember thinking if they are up here they are not alive," Laura Scammell said.

They later found Madison Rae in the trauma unit. She was on a bed with six other infants.

Madison Rae now weighs 5 pounds, 5 ounces and may be able to go home this week.

"She'll be fine. She's made it this far there's nothing going to stop her now," Carl Scammell said.

Acts of courage were not limited to Northridge Hospital Medical Center.

At Granada Hills Community Hospital, a security guard, a hospital maintenance man and an engineer braved a stream of escaping natural gas to prevent a possible explosion at the neighboring Kaiser Permanente office building.

"I know it wasn't our responsibility, but that building was leaking gas like a sieve," said Pat Walsh, a painter with the hospital's maintenance department.

Walsh said that he was directing traffic into the hospital when he heard the gas rushing from a broken main toward the rear of the crumpled Kaiser office building.

"It sounded like a toilet, like water running," Walsh said.

Earlier that morning, an underground gas leak in Granada Hills on Balboa Avenue exploded, sending flames hundreds of feet into the air and lighting up the predawn sky.

Walsh didn't want that scene repeated. He told Eugene Silva, head of security, and hospital engineer Sean Thomas about the leak.

Thomas said he and Silva had been going around the hospital, shutting of gas values when Walsh found them.

The gas leak was about 50 yards from the emergency trauma center set up in the parking lot where some evacuated hospital patients and earthquake casualties were receiving care.

Silva said that he could smell the gas, and some of the patients were smoking.

The three men sprinted across the parking lot, and Thomas scampered over a chain-link fence to get to the broken main. With a twist of his wrench, the hissing ceased.

Had the electricity to the building been restored before he shut off the valve, Thomas said a spark from the mangled wiring could have ignited the gas.

Walsh said he never thought of the danger. "It's like a race. You just got to shut the valve off before anything happens. And that's it."

Urban schools battle back against violence

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's urban school districts are fighting back against violence.

They are using metal detectors and locker searches, classes on "Bullies Need Help" and conflict resolution programs aimed at turning gang leaders into leaders of a different sort.

The goal is simple, said Michael Casserly, executive director of the Council of the Great City Schools: "simply to ensure that every child in every urban school in this country is safe and that the community and parents are sure of that."

Casserly said a poll of the 47 large-city school districts represented by the council showed that crime and violence were the No. 1 concern of school officials. The council released a booklet describing the anti-violence measures used by some of those districts.

School officials in Baltimore and Buffalo, N.Y., for example, have set up hot lines for students to call if they see a weapon on school property. Indianapolis schools have conducted random searches — with metal detectors for weapons and narcotic-sniffing dogs for drugs.

Jefferson County, Mo., conducts continuing education workshops for school staff, parents and the community on such topics as "Educating the Angry Child," "Bullies Need Help" and "Controlling Anger." And school districts have implemented conflict resolution courses and peer mediation programs to settle disputes.

Susan Sclafani, associate superintendent of the Houston public schools, said peer mediation can teach new skills to a disruptive student. "You can take those characteristics that may make someone a gang leader and turn them into a positive force," she said.

She said it was important to know what other school districts were trying, and what was working, "so we can refine our own efforts."

Casserly said no statistics exist on which of the violence-control measures work best. "We do have a sense that violence is a learned behavior and one of the most successful things we do in addressing it is to teach non-violence," he said. He said efforts to teach students "alternative behaviors to violence are likely to be the most promising."

Casserly said the council was "very aggressively" lobbying for federal money, including $300 million earmarked for school safety in crime legislation, to help schools implement violence-prevention programs.

District of Columbia officials are assigning 70 additional police officers to selected city schools — in addition to the 38 already there — in response to the shooting of a student last Wednesday in a hallway at Eastern High School. It was the sixth shooting incident at or near a city school this year.

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DAY WATCH

Road closing

Main Street, between Golf Course Road and Hamby Avenue, will be closed 24 hours a day until Thursday so workers can replace a broken water valve, according to officials with the Water & Wastewater Division of the City of Midland.

Survey deadline

Midland Independent School District officials urge Midlanders to return the surveys on "controlled choice" by the March 31 deadline. About 8,000 of the surveys were mailed out and are needed to help school board members make decisions on the controlled choice issue.

TODAY'S AGENDA

The 710 Club of Alcoholics Anonymous meets Monday-Friday at noon, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 710 W. Ohio. For more information, call 682-8162.

The 710 Club of Al-Anon meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m., 710 W. Ohio. For more information, call 682-8162.

Sack Lunch/Parent Education Mtg. for answers and information, Alamo library, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Overcomers Christian Recovery Support Group, Christ-centered 12-step support group, 7 p.m., 4405 Princeton, 697-3101.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital.

Personal Success Planning Workshop, 4305 N. Garfield St., Entry B, 7 to 8 p.m., 570-4533.

Divorce Support Group, 7:00 p.m., 2103 W. Louisiana Ave., Timothy Center. First Baptist Church, Information 682-1646.

Batterers Anonymous Support Group, 6:30-8 p.m., 689-8428.

PDAP, parents and relatives of young people with problems, 7:30 p.m., First Baptist, 685-0686, ages 14-17 room 260, ages 10-13 room 251.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Hilton Hotel.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8928.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m., Allison Bridge Center.

Tx TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrows Restaurant, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Ramada Hotel, 699-3408.

55-Plus Dance Club, 8 p.m., Eagles Club, 697-3131.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

Midland Chapter No. 253, OES, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, 8 p.m., at the Aerie Home, behind Rogers Ford, 697-3131.

Licensed Vocational Nurses Assoc 7:30 a.m., Trinity Towers.

Ranchland Hills Ladies Association, 7 p.m., Couples Bridge, RHCC.

Toastmistress Club 7:30 p.m., Memorial Christian Church.

National Association of Retired Federeal Employees 2 p.m., Midland Senior Center.

Golden Park Independent Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas Ave.699-0914 Senior Citizens Brunch, 10:30 a.m.

Novice duplicate bridge. Allison Bridge Center, 7 p.m. 682-4461

Midland County Young Democrats, 5:30-6:30 p.m., 3802 Avondale Dr. 684-5548 or 694-4152.

Midland County Child Welfare Board meeting, 4:30 p.m., Department of Human Services, 2301 N. Big Spring St. 683-5411.

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 South G. St. Information 570-8612.

ACOA, non-smoking, 7:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Parish Hall.

Alpha/Omega Group, 8 a.m., 4400 N. Big Spring St., Suite C-41.

Serenity AlAnon Family Group, step study, 10:30 a.m.; study & traditions 7:30 p.m., 3100 N. A St., Bldg. C

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Midland students make strong showing in science fair

Staff Report

Midland students took several top honors in this weekend's Permian Basin Science Fair held in Odessa.

Blake Johnson of Midland High School was named "alternate entry" for the International Science and Engineering Fair to be held in May in Birmingham, Ala.

Other Midland winners included:

Grade 3: Joshua Stuart, Trinity School, first place in chemistry. Kathleen Nanney, Trinity School, second place in Earth/Science; David Maiorino, Greathouse Elementary, second place in Life Science; Maggie Brock, Fannin Elementary, first place in Math/Physics.

Grade 4: Laura Pagano, St. Ann's School, first place in Behavioral/Social. Kelly Philbeck, St. Ann's School, second place in Chemistry. Derek Coulter, St. Ann's School, second place in Earth/Space. Brian Stover, St. Ann's School, first place in Environmental. Scott Young, Burnet Elementary, first place in Life Science. Megan Bears, St. Ann's School, second place in Life Science. Sean Adams, Henderson Elementary, third place in Life Science. Jamie Morris, St. Ann's School, third place in Math/Physics.

Grade 5: Jenniler Jordan, Scharbauer Elementary, first place in Earth/Space. Blake Sirgo, Trinity School, second place in Earth/Space. Dallas Alvey, Santa Rita Elementary, third place in Earth/Space. Sarah Little, St. Ann's School, second place in Environmental. Shez Islam, Trinity School, first place in Life Science. Reed Lang, Greathouse Elementary, second place in Life Science. Curtis MacDonald, Trinity School, first place in Math/Physics. Melissa Singh, Trinity School, second place in Math/Physics.

Grade 6: Tara Michaelson, St. Ann's School, third place in Behavorial/Social. Gregg Strauss, South Elementary, first place in Chemistry. Kate Huchton, Milam Elementary, first place in Earth/Space. Matthew Hinkley, Trinity School, third place in Environmental. Michelle Foster, Milam Elementary, second place in Life Science.

Grade 7: Meagan Gravelle, San Jacinto Junior High, first place in Behavioral/Social. Christy Brown and Jobeth Cozart, Greenwood Junior High School, second place in Behavioral/Social. Kristen Faudree and Emily Wright-Timko, Trinity School, third place in Behavioral/Social. Katherine Case and Jenniter Power, Trinity School, first place in Chemistry. Stacy Watkins, Trinity School, second place in Chemistry. Travis Vadergriff, San Jacinto Junior High, third place in Chemistry. Jessica Harvey, San Jacinto Junior High, first place in Earth/Space. Clark Moreland, San Jacinto Junior High, second place in Earth/Space. Steven Cummings, San Jacinto Junior High, first place in Life Science. Susannah Prucka, Abeli Junior High, second place in Life Science. Clarissa Leonard, San Jacinto Junior High, third place in Life Science. Quillan Harris, Trinity School, first place in Math/Physics.

Grade 8: Michelle Blake, Alamo Junior High, first place in Behavioral/Social. Amy Ransbottom and Diane Salisbury, San Jacinto Junior High, second place in Behavioral/Social. Micah Prude, Alamo Junior High, third place in Behavioral/Social. Scott Strauss, Alamo Junior High, first place in Chemistry. Hallie Brink, Alamo Junior High, second place in Chemistry. Chris Welsh, Goddard Junior High, third place in Chemistry. Greg Rhodes, Goddard Junior High, first place in Earth/Space. Will Krueger, San Jacinto Junior High, second place in Earth/Space. Patrick Wallace, San Jacinto Junior High, third place in Earth/Space. Kyle Hoelscher, Goddard Junior High, first place in

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Officials solicit grant requests

■ City begins to accept applications for federal grant funds to benefit low-to-moderate income areas.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

City officials are beginning to solicit applications for distribution of federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds that are used predominantly to benefit low-to-moderate income areas.

Congress allocated Midland about 8 percent more CDBG dollars this year than last.

"The amount of money is $1.381 million, a little bit more than last year's $1.269 million," said Sylvester Cantu, community development coordinator.

The money will be allocated for the 1994-95 fiscal year.

"We've sent out letters to all the city departments and a lot of different groups and agencies throughout the city," Cantu said.

Interested applicants must attend a training program on federal requirements and how to submit the grant request.

After the application deadline — May 20 — the requests will be reviewed by city officials, then presented to the City Council at a June 14 public hearing.

The hearing is "just to set the stage for what type of projects are out there and to get input from the public," Cantu said.

In July, the City Council will make a preliminary selection of allocations.

"That selection is subject to further public scrutiny" at a second hearing scheduled for July 26, Cantu said.

After some further discussion, the City Council will ultimately decide how the dollars will be spent.

Details of allocation programs must be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development by the end of August. HUD essentially audits those allocations and programs.

CDBG dollars "are to be used in a couple of ways. Projects that benefit low and moderate income people . . . and the other is slum

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Selected Republicans to head to party conference in Fort Worth

Dems to participate in state convention

Staff Report

A total of 23 Midland County Democrats will be in Fort Worth on June 3-4 to participate in their party's state convention.

Midlanders selected as delegates to that convention last Saturday were Ed Dailing, Charles Johnson, Marvin C. Langley, Jr., David Mandell, George Patterson, Lydia Torres, Armond Baldinelli, D.L. Willis, Ruby Morris, Annie Brackens and David Rosen.

Also selected were Curt Stanley, Eva Dennis, Joy Swift, John G. Eberly, Harris Kerr, Elizabeth Runge, Janet Massey, Aquilla Watson, Allen J. Kuykendall, Mike May, Virginia Davis and Chris McCormack.

Sixteen alternates were also selected. They are Brian Chandler, Marvin C. Langley, Jr., Manuel Lujan, Gilbert Garcia, Nelda Cox, Barbara Bishop, Mary Adams, Morris Conner, Virginia Davis, Andree Rosen, Robin McCormack, Angela Bacon, Victor Torres, Rosanne Smith, Barbara Conner and Rick Gutierrez.

Staff Report

A total of 77 Midland County Republicans have been selected to attend the state convention on June 10-11 in Fort Worth.

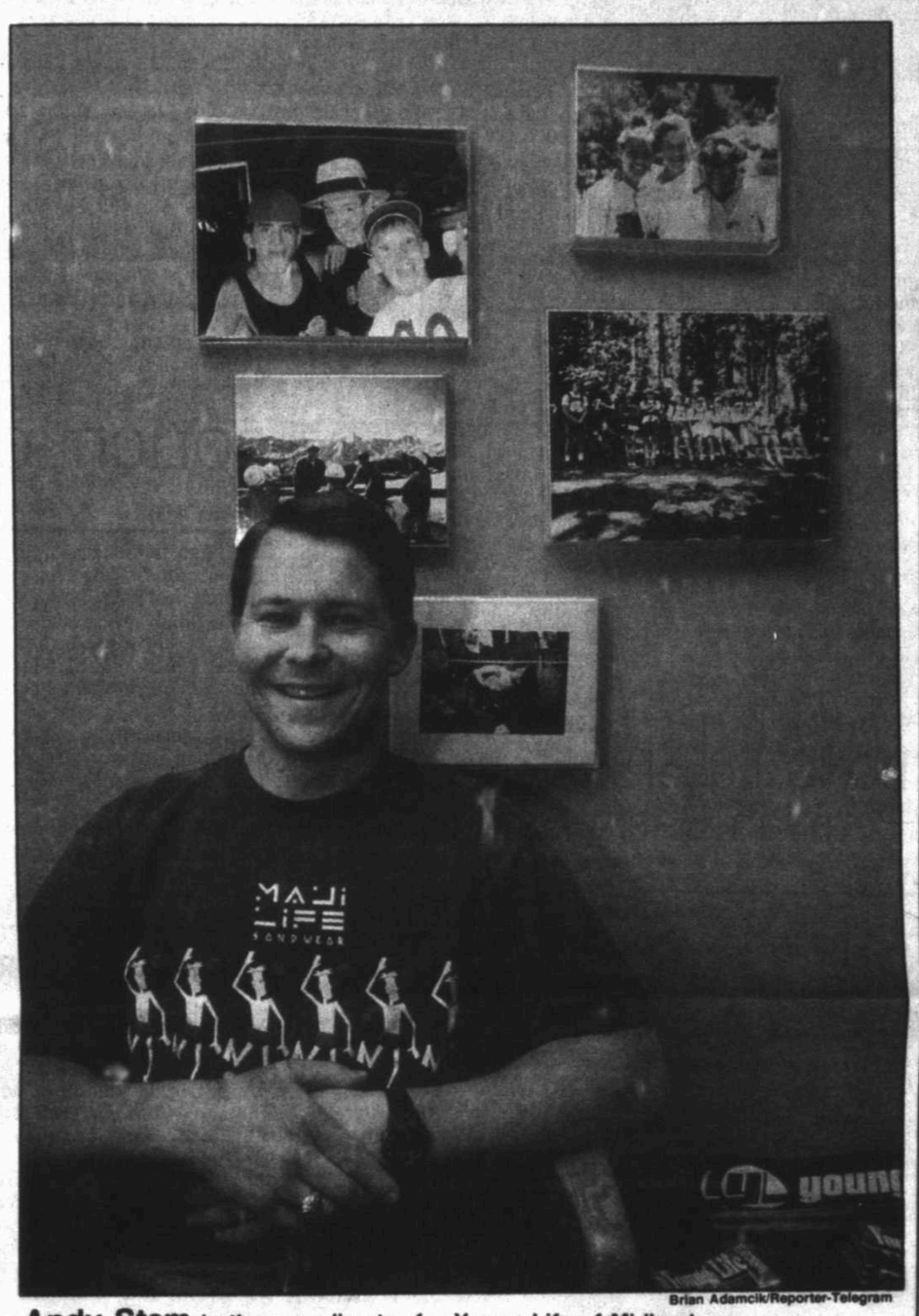
Those selected include Joe Alcala, Marilyn Allen, Ernest Angelo, Betty Lou Angelo, Kathy Armstrong, Ella Barnett, Pat Blackwell, Jack Blake, Paula Bledsoe, Dale Brown, Win Brown, Lou Brown, Denise Burns, Robert Burns, Frank Cahoon, Andrea Catania and O.C. Collins.

Others include Nadine Craddick, Tom Craddick, Frank Cusimano, Barbara Culver-Clack, Rick Davis, Gwendolyn DeKoning, Beverly Dillow, Tim Dunn, Dean Eiland, Iris Englet, Don Evans, J.D. Faircloth, Glen Fradenburg, Reed Gilmore, Ray Gruben, Evetts Haley, Jr., Fran Henderson and Lowry Hershey.

Also selected are Sanford Hillman, Bobby Holt, Elsie Hugly, Harry Hugly, Don Judson, Juandelle Lacy, Ned Luscombe, Emory Mansour, Hallie McCarter, Guy McCrary, Jasper McKee,

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INTRODUCING . . .



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Andy Stem is the new director for Young Life of Midland, a Christian-based group that works with young people on "their own turf."

Young Life program features fellowship in effort to spread gospel to area youth

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Young Life volunteers emphasize fun and fellowship as they meet with area youth on their own turf to spread the gospel in a non-denominational manner, says Andy Stem, new area director for Young Life in Midland.

Stem, who took over the Midland office on March 1, is a 30-year-old 1985 graduate of Texas A&M and 1988 graduate of the Dallas Theological Seminary. Born and raised in Dallas, Stem moved to Midland from Lufkin where he spent six years directing the Young Life program there.

Previous director Ronnie Smith vacated Stem's position to direct Young Life activities in Oklahoma City.

Stem and his wife, Lisa, have a 23-month-old girl, Jessica, and are expecting the imminent birth of their second. "It might happen by the time this article comes out," Stem joked Monday.

Young Life was first established in 1940 by a Dallas man named Jim Rayburn and has since grown into a national organization. Midland's program was established in the early 1970s, Stem explained.

The aim of Young Life is to send its volunteers out to where teenagers spend their time, building relationships with these young people, Stem said. From these relationships volunteers can impart the teachings of Christ.

"Basically, our philosophy is, 'Where

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GARY OTT

Huge egos often attach themselves to successful people

More rambling thoughts . . .

— "Schindler's List" should be must viewing for everyone, especially those of us who were not around to witness the horrors first hand.



Ott

— Little girls in pigtails and overalls still have a certain charm.

— Sitting all alone in a dark room for hours at a time can be good for the soul or it can drive you to the brink of madness.

— I have a sudden urge for an orange soda pop.

— "Truckin' ", by the Grateful Dead is a great traveling song, especially if you roll down the windows and remember where you were 20 years ago.

— Once a Dead Head always a Dead Head.

— Life can be boring if nothing unusual ever happens to you.

— Of course, it can be overdone.

— There are two kinds of people in this world: those who can roll with the flow and those who fall apart at the first sign of trouble.

— Like most people, my first thought when seeing someone travelling too close behind me is to slam on the brakes. But when you think about it, that would be a really dumb thing to do.

— Putting lotion on my skin always makes me feel a little bit like a sissy.

— Remember how youthful Bobby Kennedy always looked? If he were alive today he would be 68.

— Makes you feel kind of old, doesn't it?

— People who spend most of their time worrying about how everyone else is conspiring to take away their personal freedoms seem terribly unhappy to me.

— Bigotry will never die.

— Overheard: "Everybody is entitled to one friend they don't have to explain."

— There are few things better than a greasy cheeseburger.

— I can't believe I've been to Beijing, China, but never to New York City. It seems almost un-American.

— There is really no excuse for rudeness.

— I wonder if Charlie Manson will ever be released on parole.

— Whenever I think of him, which isn't often, I get a mental picture of Steve Railsback, the actor who played him in the TV movie, "Helter Skelter."

— It must be terribly embarrassing to have your name linked to a prostitution investigation.

— I can't remember the last time I went bowling.

— People who laugh a lot aren't necessarily happy.

— Gut feeling: Jimmy Johnson will coach the Dallas Cowboys for one more season and then move on to other challenges.

— It's too bad that one of the most common characteristics of almost all successful people is a massive ego.

— When someone says, "He is a lover of beautiful women," it is generally meant as a compliment. But when someone says, "She loves men," it has a tainted connotation, as if it is OK for men to love many women, but women aren't allowed the same feelings toward men.

— Maybe there still isn't equality among the sexes.

— And, today's final quote comes from none other than Willie Nelson, who once said, "There are worse things than being alone."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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DEATHS

Gertrudes Lopez

PECOS — Rosary for Gertrudes (Tula) Lopez of Pecos was held Monday. Mass will be at 10 a.m. today at Santa Rosa Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Lopez died Saturday in a Pecos hospital following a brief illness.

She was born Nov. 15, 1928, in Barstow. She was a housewife and a lifetime resident of Pecos. She was a Catholic.

Survivors include her husband, Salcador Lopez of Pecos; three sons, Lupe Torres of Kansas, and Manuel Sotelo and Excaniel Sotelo, both of Pecos; five daughters, Ermilia Bersosa of Odessa, Hortencia Lopez, Olga Lopez, Elodia L. Parras and Marie Ann L. Madrid, all of Pecos; three brothers, Valentin Soto, Ramon Soto and Andres Garcia, all of Ojinaga; 21 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Beth Buster

Beth Newcomb Buster of Midland died Friday.



Buster

There will be no funeral services, but those who knew her are invited to attend a memorial gathering at her home, 2509 Seaboard, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday.

Born in California on Dec. 21, 1926, Mrs. Buster graduated from Mills College in 1948, married in 1949, and had been a Midland resident since 1966. She was a homemaker and an artist, working with prints, ceramics and weavings. She was a member of the PEO Sisterhood and was active in several cultural organizations.

Survivors include her husband, John Buster of Midland; her father, W. Fred Newcomb of Ventura, Calif.; one daughter, Merilee Buster Ugurlubaylar of California; one son, Tom Buster of Austin; two brothers, James Newcomb and William Newcomb, both of Ventura; and three grandchildren.

Mirdell Barber

Services for Mirdell Driver Barber of Midland will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Alfred Johnson, of Main Street Church of Christ, and Hollis Talley, of Westworth Church of Christ in Fort Worth, officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.



Barber

Mrs. Barber died Sunday at her residence.

She was born July 23, 1920, in Van Zandt County. She was raised and educated in Stanton, where she graduated from high school. She married S.L. "Pete" Driver in 1938. He died in 1970. She later married Ulys P. Barber on Jan. 15, 1983. She lived in California and Clyde prior to moving to Midland in 1991. She was a member of Main Street Church of Christ in Midland.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Shirley Thompson, and a sister, Wanda Price.

Survivors include two sons, Les B. Driver of San Dimas, Calif., and C. Jake Driver of Cool, Calif.; four daughters, Sandra K. Driver of Upland, Calif., Dian Wilkerson of Austin, Priscilla "Prissy" Pense of Cedar Park and Beverly Cowan of Round Rock; 16 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

PROGRAM: Organization's volunteers emphasizes fun

(From 1B)

ever kids are, that's where you'll find Young Life,' " Stem said.

In building these relationships, teenagers "have got to know that we care about them unconditionally," Stem said. Young Life requires nothing of the high school students involved and shuns no one. Rather, it uses the relationship between volunteer and student to insinuate people into the lives of area teens, providing a mechanism of Christian love and support, Stem explained.

Using funds donated from individuals, foundations, churches and service clubs, Young Life has established camps, used primarily in summer but operated year round, across the U.S., Stem said.

Funds raised locally are spent locally, with only a small fraction going to maintain the technical and administrative support of the national organization, he said.

The Exxon company recently provided $2,000 to the local Young Life organization, and part of this funding will be used to relocate the Young Life office and meeting room as they are losing their office space at 3200 Cuthbert. Young Life committee members are looking at alternatives for their 3,000 to 4,000 square-foot space needs, Stem said.

The Midland Young Life Adult Committee is composed of 17 couples who help raise funds and plan outings for youth involved in Young Life. Stem's office is dotted with photographs of young people engaged in fun activities from rappelling to flour-bomb and oatmeal wars.

An outing is planned to Young Life's Frontier Ranch in Colorado, and a trip for area eighth graders is planned for the Oak Bridge complex in San Diego. Two wilderness backpacking excursions also are being planned for this summer, he said.

In addition to these summer events, Young Life has weekly meetings during the school year. These are on Mondays, with fun events scheduled for every week, Stem said. Events such as a go-cart outing, road rally, cow chip Olympics, elevator tag and an end of the year swimming party are just a few of the events Stem has listed. "We ran out of weeks to do all this stuff . . . we'll save it for the fall," he said.

Stem became involved in Young Life as a senior in Dallas. He continued his association as a volunteer during college. As a senior in college, Stem decided he would become a Young Life director. "I really began to realize what Christ wanted for my life," he said.

Stem wanted to reach young people with God's message. "I felt Young Life was the best way to do that, and I still feel that way.

"Until that changes, I'll be around here with Young Life," he said.

Nationally, Young Life sends 3,000 to 4,000 youth to camp each week from the 1,400 Young Life clubs.

In Midland, about 150 area students attend Young Life meetings. Total attendance this year is expected to be more than 800.

Midland's Young Life leadership is composed of the adult committee, about 15 volunteers who interact directly with youth, a full-time director and a part-time office staff. Stem hopes to hire a director trainee this summer.

For more information, contact Young Life at 688-6653.

GOP: Midland Republicans to attend state convention

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Larry McMillion, John Nichols, Cossy Pachares, George Patton, Phyllis Peek, David Porter, Margaret Rhea and Terry Rhodes.

Others include Billie Ross, Dean Rucker, Marvel Sayers, Sonya Scholl, "Bro" Seltzer, Joy Seltzer, Bill Shaner, Willene Smyres, Nan Sommer, Sharon Spear-Smith, Phyllis Stine and Robert Stine.

Also among those selected are Deane Stoltz, Rick Strange, James Stickler, Nicholas Taylor, Trinka Taylor, Jess Ann Thomason, Kurt Thompson, Ric Warnick, Lavern Foster Watson, Chad Weaver and Clayton Williams.

Another 77 local Republicans were selected as alternate delegates.

These are: Jeff Norwood, Steve Person, Ken Davis, Doug Bacon, Clark Vickers, Vic Munding, Jim Cahill, John Hyde, Jim Ross, Jody Gilles, Carol Baker, Keith Jobe, Michelle Brock, Joanie Holt, Manny Ribera and Bruce Blake.

Others include Carol Jo Blake, Kevin Laughlin, Christi Craddick, Genny Rhoads, Paul Cristiani, Tod Brown, Kyle Stallings, Sue Hillman, Lee Ann Brown, Rita Brown, Diana Person, Teresa Clingman, Marvin Moore, Julia Vaughan, Carroll Thomas, Modesta Williams and Linda Stephens.

Also selected as alternates are Mark Dettman, Michael Harris, Don Gatlin, Susan Seltzer, Neal Allen, Gary DeKoning, Gene Smith, Sharon Hyde, Elnora McKee, Joann Carr, Lee Hise, Verne Hull, John Ochsner, Lena Ochsner and Marc Skeen.

Others include John Rhea, Lawrence Connolly, J. Don Wallace, Susie Sheffield, James Lacy, Sebrina Haley, Frances Haley, Dale McCarter, Patti Mitchell, Jan Moore, Jess Moore, Bonnie Hubbard, Orman Hubbard, Ann Bradford, Mike Bradford, Douthea Shaner, Coy Watson and Fred Westmoreland.

Also among the alternates are Larry Bledsoe, Arnold Sommer, Gordon Tate, Mike Peek, Susan Evans, Darla Fisher, David Rogers, Robert Rendall, Robert Pine, Charles Vetter and Debbie Atwell.

SOLICIT: Officials begin to accept grant applications

(From 1B)

and blight, which doesn't necessarily encompass low and moderate income people," Cantu said.

The funds are generally to be used in low-to-moderate income areas, which in Midland is largely the south and east sides of town, he said.

It's "generally to aid in the revitalization in those areas," Cantu said.

The CDBG funds can be used for public improvements such as street paving and parks; housing; public services such as child care, recreational activities, education, crime prevention and social-type services; economic development; and slum and blight prevention such as tearing down dilapidated buildings.

"Fifty percent, historically, has gone into public improvements," Cantu said. "Housing has been the second most supported activity" with about 20 percent of the funds, he added.

Allocations for public services are limited to 15 percent, or about $207,150 of this year's funds.

And not more than 20 percent can be spent on administration and planning activities for distribution of CDBG funds. The city usually spends less than 10 percent for that, Cantu said.

Last year's allocations included $350,000 for street paving; $275,000 for a housing rehabilitation program; $164,000 for administration/indirect cost plan; $125,000 for park improvements; $90,000 for a swimming pool study; and the bulk of the remainder for demolition of condemned buildings, clearing unsightly lots, housing emergency repairs, a homeownership-incentive program, and senior and youth programs.

Midland's amount of the federal funds increased last year — about 33 percent from the year before. That's because of an increase in Midland's poverty level according to 1990 census, which HUD used to determine their allocations.

"The negative figures were favorable," Cantu said.

As for the overall effect the funds have had on Midland, Cantu said some of the benefits, because of their nature, can't be readily measured.

"There's been some big improvements but there's a lot that needs to be done," he said.

"It's a small pot of money that helps," he added.

STRONG: Local students do well in Permian Basin Science Fair

(From 1B)

Environmental: Mary Elizabeth Prentice, San Jacinto Junior High, second place in Environmental; Jared Cooper, Abell Junior High, third place in Environmental; Linh Luu, Alamo Junior High, second place in Life Science; Brian Jennings, Alamo Junior High, third place in Life Science; Russell Johnson, Alamo Junior High, first place in Math/Physics; Kevin Williams, Alamo Junior High School, second place in Math/Physics; Brandon Benson, Goddard Junior High, third place in Math/Physics.

Senior Division:

Grades 9-12: Joana Garcia and Rita Shroff, Midland High School, tie for third place in Behavioral/Social; Blaine Boman, Trinity School, first place in Biochemistry; Misty Lavine, Midland Christian School, third place in Biochemistry; Brian Cummings, Midland Freshman School, third place in Botany; Robert Prentice, Midland High School, first place in Earth Space; Kimberly MacFerran, Midland High School, third place in Medicine and Health; Blake Johnson, Midland High School, first place in Physics; Kama Bruce and Justin Tervooren, Midland High School, second place in Physics; Jeannie Burnett and Jenne Robinson, Midland High School, third place in Physics; Courtnay Lewis and Lacy Owens, Midland High School, first place in Zoology.

Special Awards:

American Meteorological Society: Jody Rogers, Midland High School.

Association for Women Geoscientists: Katherine Prentice, Midland High School.

Eastman Kodak Co.: Bruce Kama, Midland High School.

NASA, Senior Division: Brian Cummings, Midland Freshman School. Junior Division: Brenna Byerlotzer, Goddard Junior High.

National Association of School Nurses, Senior Division: Kimberly MacFerran, Midland High School.

United States Army — Physics: Blake Johnson, Midland High School. Engineering: Bryan Johnson, Midland High School. Overall: Blake Johnson, Midland High School.

United States Department of Health and Human Resources: Scott Young, Burnett Elementary.

U.S. Metric Association: Blake Johnson, Midland High School.

Yale Science and Engineering Association: Wendy Decker, Midland High School.

Judge frees Davidian Schroeder

WACO (AP) — Kathryn Schroeder, who testified for the government in a trial against 11 other Branch Davidians, was released from jail on Monday.

Ms. Schroeder was headed to Florida to be with her youngest son, Bryan, who's in the custody of her late husband's mother. But she said her time with him probably will be brief because she expects to be sentenced to prison.

"I want to spend Easter with Bryan and as much time as I can until I have to go back to be sentenced," Schroeder told the Waco Tribune-Herald.

"That is my only real thought right now. I have been in jail a year, and I need a vacation. I want to push Bryan on the brand new swing he just got for his birthday," she said. Bryan turned four on March 7.

Ms. Schroeder was a witness for federal prosecutors against 11 other sect members' on charges they conspired to murder four federal agents in the Feb. 28, 1993, attack at the Davidians' Mount Carmel home.

Six sect members, including her husband Michael Schroeder, also died in the firefight that began a 51-day standoff with authorities.

Ms. Schroeder pleaded guilty last fall to forcibly resisting federal officers during the siege in exchange for her testimony and hope for a more lenient sentence. The 11 other Davidians were acquitted of the more serious charges, although eight were convicted of lesser weapons charges.

Ms. Schroeder and the other sect members could be sentenced within the month and she expects to go to federal prison with the others.

POLICE REPORTS

Reinstatement

ODESSA — An Odessa officer will be reinstated to duty today after being placed on administrative leave when criminal charges were brought against him last year.

Corporal Joe W. Ramirez was found not guilty on March 22 of exposing himself to Maria Rosario Olvera, who filed the complaint against the officer on May 13, 1993, according to a police report. Ms. Olvera claimed the officer committed the crime in the 700 block of McKinney Street on May 3, 1993.

In addition to the not-guilty verdict, an internal investigation was conducted by the Odessa Police Department's Inspectional Services Unit, which found the claim to be "not sustained," the report stated.

Ramirez was placed on administrative leave with pay in accordance with the City of Odessa Employee Policies and Procedures Manuel.

The criminal investigation into the claim was conducted by the Odessa Police Department's Criminal Investigation Bureau in conjunction with the Texas Rangers. Upon completion of the investigation, the case was turned over to the Ector County Attorney's office and was brought to trial on March 22.

Sunday

Burglary of a Building: Manuel Castrellon reported various items, valued at $1,275, taken from a storage unit some time last week. The incident was reported at 3:05 p.m.

Burglary of a Building: Francisca Villasenor reported an auto transmission and roofing material taken from storage at 4 p.m.

Burglary of a Residence: Diane Young reported a girl's Schwinn bicycle taken from a garage at 3102 Seaboard St. at 6:21 p.m.

Monday — Vandalism: Eggs were thrown at a police unit at 2825 Cimmaron St. The incident was reported at 12:26 a.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Ernest Trevino reported a vehicle burglary at 4301 Raleigh Court at 8:22 a.m.

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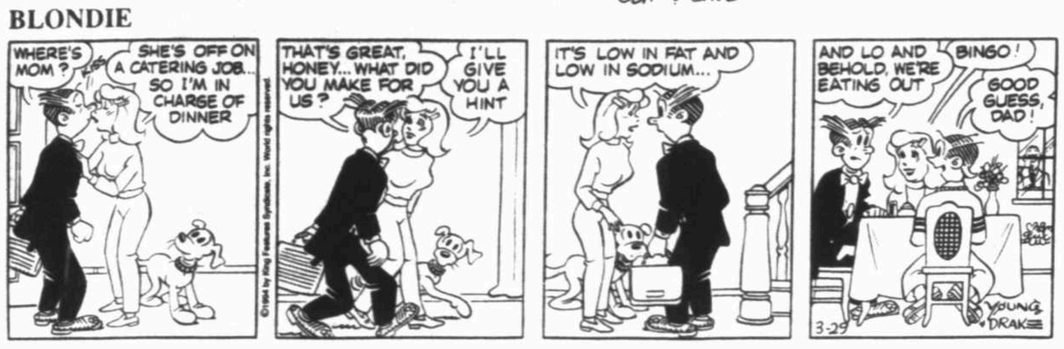
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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Pearl Bailey, gymnast Kurt Thomas, tennis whiz Jennifer Capriatri, actor Eric Idle.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Act on your instincts when handling money. Someone who works behind the scenes will bring you glad tidings. A kind deed will win you a new admirer. Romance is lively and happy.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Someone may try to pick a fight. Be mature enough to avoid compounding the error. Ignore anyone who has a jealous streak. Meeting a deadline on time will preserve your reputation for reliability.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Adopt a practical approach if you decide to discharge some obligations. Financial backing is available for a business expansion, but there will be strings attached. Say "yes" to loved one's offer of help.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Consider taking someone new into a business partnership. A romantic relationship of long duration reaches a turning point. You could have feelings of guilt. Accept the fact that your priorities are changing.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your expectations are shifting regarding your professional and personal affairs. A wonderful career offer may require a move to another state, forcing you to sever some ties.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Beware of spreading yourself too thin. Conflicting commitments could be catching up with you. Sort out your priorities and seek help if you need it. Respect your friends' views even if you disagree.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): After a heated discussion with someone at work, you may feel like crawling into your shell. Stop trying so hard to make everything happen at once. You must lay the groundwork first.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): An abrupt change at work could cause some uncomfortable moments. Do not despair! The end result will be excellent. If you can, buy real estate for investment purposes. Its value will soar.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Contractual agreements may be in the spotlight. Trust your own judgment! Be gracious and diplomatic when dealing with an acknowledged expert.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Someone's negative comments may be a bid for attention. Stay calm. Meditation will help you find meaningful answers. Postpone starting new projects, signing legal papers.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The financial picture brightens. Something that once looked hopeless turns out to have been a sound investment. Join a fraternal or professional organization.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Tread lightly today or you could set off some fireworks. Maintain a sense of humor when dealing with higher-ups. Keep accounts up to date. Your social life begins to accelerate. Repay someone's hospitality.

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	♠ A K J	
	♡ Q 10 7 3	
	◇ 8 6 3 2	
	♣ Q 3	
WEST		EAST
♠ 10 8		♠ 9 7 6 5 4
♡ 9 8 6 5 2		♡ Void
◇ K 9		◇ A Q J 5
♣ J 10 9 7		♣ 8 5 4 2
	SOUTH	
	♠ Q 3 2	
	♡ A K J 4	
	◇ 10 7 4	
	♣ A K 6	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
2 ♡	Pass	4 ♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Jack of ♠

Bad trump breaks tend to unnerve most declarers, with predictable results. If you keep your cool, you often can find an alternative line to land your contract.

When either the closed hand or dummy has a ruffing value, a major-suit game on a 4-4 fit is usually preferable to three no trump. But when the doubleton in one or both hands is well guarded, that is not always the case. Here, North-South reached four hearts after locating a 4-4 fit when ten tricks were there, unless the opponents started diamonds and could cash four or five fast tricks in the suit.

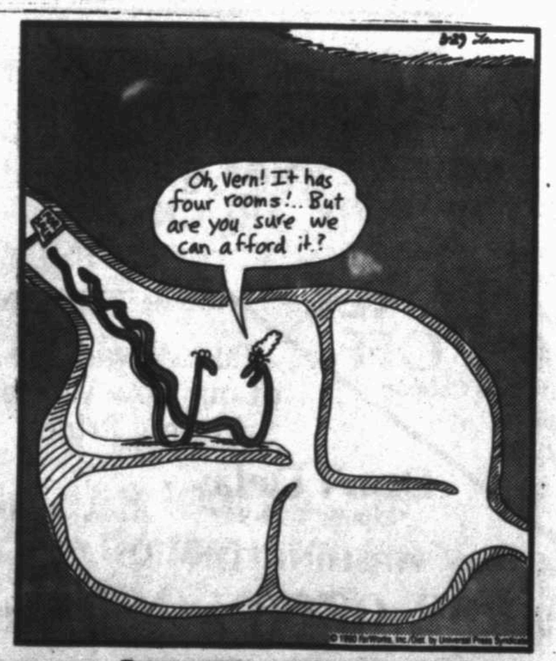
Declarer won the club lead in dummy and learned the bad news when a trump to the ace fetched a spade discard from East. With three sure losers in diamonds, declarer could not afford to have a winner ruffed and South thought it made no difference in what order the top cards were cashed. Declarer started by going after spades. Unfortunately, West ruffed the third spade—down one.

Declarer started off well enough, but should have cashed no more than two rounds of spades. Next come the remaining high clubs. If West ruffs the third club, declarer overruffs, draws trumps and claims 10 tricks—five trumps, three spades and two clubs. If West follows to three rounds of clubs, declarer discards the jack of spades from the table and then ruffs a spade on the board. This way declarer amasses five trump tricks, two spades and three clubs. West's fifth trump and East's third diamond take the same trick.

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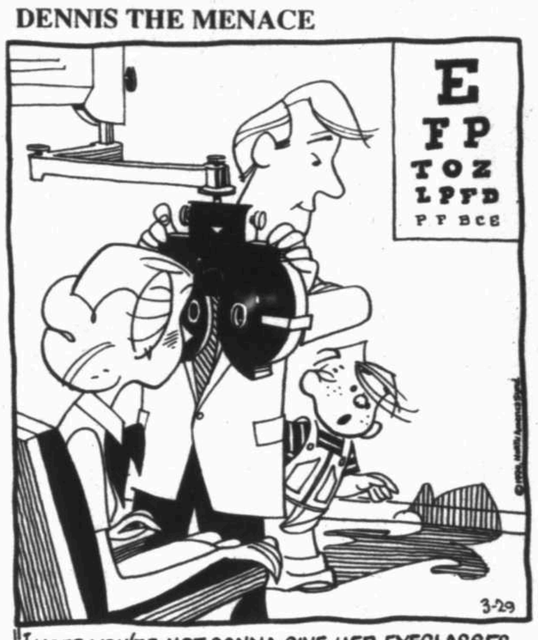


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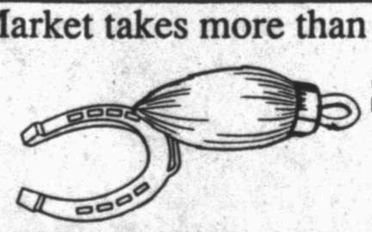
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PEOPLE

Henry Mancini, battling cancer, works on new Broadway score

LOS ANGELES — Composer **Henry Mancini** has been undergoing cancer treatments for several months and was recently hospitalized for blood clots.

But the composer of such hits as "Moon River," "Days of Wine and Roses" and "Peter Gunn" was in a recording studio Monday working on the Broadway version of "Victor-Victoria," said **Linda Dozoretz**, Mancini's publicist.

Mancini won an Academy Award for the score of the movie.

Mancini, whose 70th birthday is April 16, was recently diagnosed with cancer and recently was treated at two Los Angeles hospitals for the clots, Dozoretz said Monday. She wouldn't divulge specific information about the disease or prognosis.

Meantime, Hollywood was preparing for "A Tribute to Henry Mancini — A 70th Birthday Celebration" at UCLA's Pauley Pavilion on April 19. The event is a fundraiser for the UCLA Center for the Performing Arts and the Los Angeles County High School for the Arts.

Tenor **Luciano Pavarotti** is to be the featured performer, and appearances are scheduled for **Julie Andrews, Quincy Jones, Dudley Moore, Andy Williams** and **John Williams.**

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LOUISVILLE, Ky. — When it comes to learning black history, **Richard Roundtree** doesn't want college students to get shafted.



Roundtree doesn't want college students to get shafted.

Roundtree and former Washington Redskins quarterback **Doug Williams** teamed up this weekend to help Kentucky State University raise money for a Center of Excellence for the Study of Kentucky African Americans.

"My experience growing up, I wasn't cognizant of our contributions on any level past the church," Roundtree said. "I grew up watching cowboy movies, but I didn't know we participated in the taming of the West."

Roundtree, who starred in the title role of the movie "Shaft," said he wants things to be different for future generations.

"Unlike me, our children will have a place they can go and see, hands-on, the contributions we have made. We need more of these places around the country."

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Everybody's picking on the Clintons:

According to U.S. News and World Report, the scandal has resulted in Clintons that "yell more, enjoy their work less."

Hillary Clinton has taken to wearing baseball cap and sunglasses that enable her to escape the White House for trips around Washington incognito. "You can see the weight on her shoulders," a White House aide told the magazine. "It's a physical thing. She's under tremendous strain."

Bill Clinton recently talked with visitors about his memories of being able to goof off occasionally in Little Rock. "That's when I used to have a life," he said.

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BLOOMINGTON, Minn. — It was the kind of crowd you'd expect for **Van Halen**, not **Van Cliburn.**

Nearly 2,000 people lined up outside a Mall of America music store Saturday, clamoring for autographs and a chance to get their pictures taken with the classical pianist.

The 59-year-old Cliburn, who was in town to promote his newest recording, seemed surprised at the fervor.

"I personally am very grateful that you still remember me," he said.

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GALVESTON — **Olympia Dukakis** thanks her husband, actor **Louis Zorich,** for making her an environmentalist before environmentalism was cool.

"Really, Louis is the sort of guy who would stop the car when he'd see bottles and cans on the side of the road, and he'd get out and pick them up," Dukakis said.

"He didn't make a big deal, he didn't proselytize, he didn't become a cause celebre. He just did it himself. Because he really believed it made a difference. He felt if everybody did this one little thing, it would make a difference. So, eventually, he got me going."

Dukakis, who won an Oscar in 1988 for the movie "Moonstruck," was in Galveston Friday to accept the Environmental Leadership Award during the second annual Moody Gardens Environmental Leadership Award Dinner.

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PHOENIX — Leave it to **Charles Barkley** to cut to the heart of the matter.

When asked why nearly 5,000 people showed up for the opening of the newest Planet Hollywood nightclub, Barkley said: "We need something to do here."

Other stars orbiting the Planet on Sunday included **Whoopi Goldberg, Jean Claude Van Damme, Dennis Quaid** and **Kirstie Alley.**

Co-owners **Sylvester Stallone** and **Arnold Schwarzenegger** also were there.

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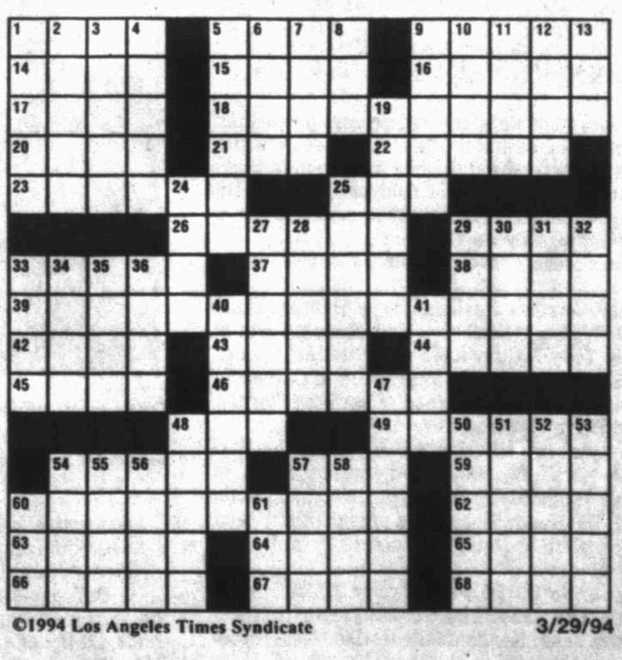
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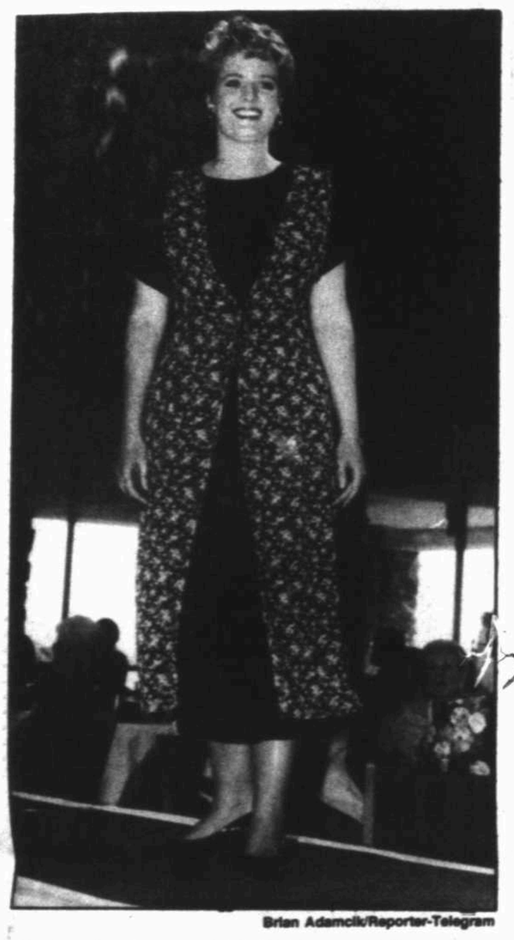


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The Midland Community Theatre Singers preformed songs from "Beauty and the Beast" and Gerswin's Medley for the Altrusa Celebrity Style Show Saturday. Memebers of MCT Singers are (front row) Suzanne Hinterlong, Johanna Mills, Kaye Horchler, Paula Shipp, (back row) Frances Heltzel, Andy Salcedo, Tammy Carhart and Lynn Hall.



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Heather Sullivan of KMID-TV models a dress from Connie's Fashions that is perfect Easter during Altrusa's benefit style show.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Denise Lane of Health on the Horizon models a hand-painted jacket from Jo Du Fo during the Spring Celebrity Style Show.

Spring celebrity style show raises funds for Altrusa

By Elizabeth Edwin
Lifestyle Editor

With the threat of hard winds blowing, 158 guests made their way to Green Tree Country Club to see Altrusa's annual Spring Celebrity Style Show and Luncheon Saturday. But the harsh winds waited until afternoon to arrive, and early in the day the sun shown brightly creating the perfect atmosphere for thinking about spring.

The benefit raised approximately $1,100, according to style show chairman Cheryl Howard. "We were really pleased," Ms. Howard said.

The luncheon is sponsored each year to raise funds for Altrusa's community service projects, which include the Literacy Award, a foreign exchange student banquet, upkeep at Woodland Hills Walking Park and scholarships. The organization plans to participate in a mentoring program in conjunction with the Girl Scouts and the Battered Women's Center, which also will be funded through the style show's proceeds, Ms. Howard said.

The luncheon began at 11 a.m. After allowing guests time to get acquainted, the Midland Community Theatre Singers took the stage around 11:30 a.m. performing songs from "Beauty and the Beast" and Gerswin's Medley.

The style show followed with styles from Connie's Fashions at Kingsway Mall, Luskey's Western Wear and Jo Du Fo.

Fashions from Connie's featured dresses perfect for Easter, short suits, casual shorts and pant suits, while Luskey's fashions featured the latest for men in western wear in bright colors and bold patterns. Jo Du Fo's fashions featured hand-painted jackets, vests and even paintings by Jo Du Fo.

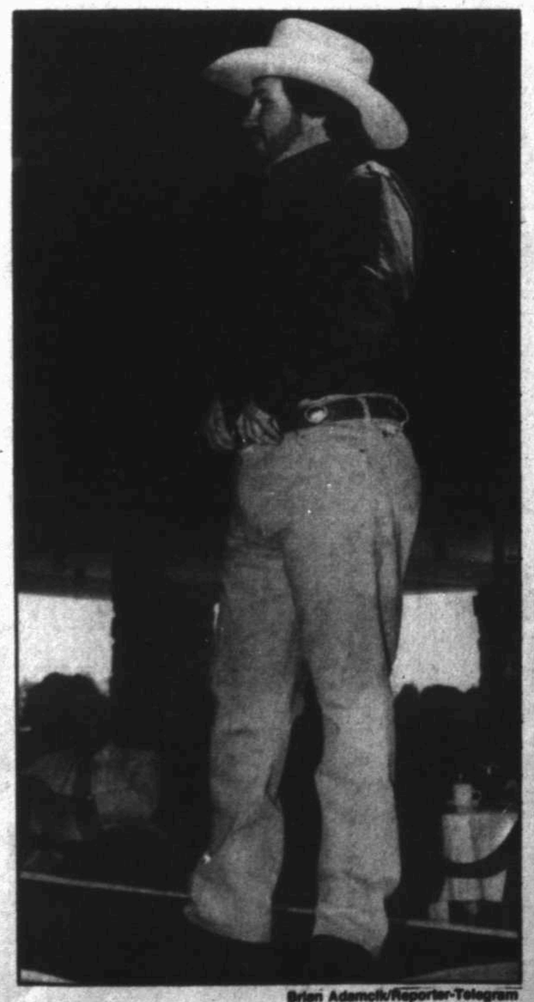
Door prizes were drawn for throughout the style show.

Models for Connie's Fashions were Heather Sullivan, KMID-TV; Susie Hitchcock Hall, Susie's South 40 Confections; Tony Whitley and Patty Rumler, Enron; Elizabeth Edwin, Reporter-Telegram; and Catherine McPherson, Cherenae Strickland, Charlotte Wornell and Jackie Brem, students.

Western styles from Luskey's were shown by Horace Brown, KMID-TV; Foy Boyd, Susie's South 40 Confections; Hugh Blair, dance partner with Susie Hitchcock Hall; Randy Kahn, vice president of Green Tree Country Club and golf pro; and Gary Hall, Cox Video & MCT actor.

Modeling for Jo Du Fo were Rainey Walker, Wagner & Brown CPA; Joe James, hairstylist with Backstage; Denise Lane, Health on the Horizon; and Christine Lambert, student.

Altrusa of Midland president is Joan Brem. Ms. Howard was chairman of the style show committee. Committee members were Mary Gillam, Wyndee Kalisek and Beverly Dyer.



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Gary Hall, of Cox Video and an actor for Midland Community Theatre, models western wear from Luskey's.

Door prizes were given by Sloan Bagwell, Howard Lumber Company, Enron Oil & Gas, Bruce Partain, Colleen Meinkee, The Shop, Silver's Framery & Gallery, Balloons & More, Fashion Cleaners, It's A Party!, Expressions, Backstage, Susie's South 40 Confections, La Bodega Restaurant, Mildred's Flowers, Tall City Office Supply, Alice Anderson with Pamper Me Please, Gili's Restaurant Y Cantina, M magazine, Altrusa members, Dorothy Ramsey, Luskey's Western Wear, The London House & Old English Bakery and Jo Du Fo.

DEAR ABBY

Musical rivals' friendship is now playing out of tune

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Please help my friend and me settle an argument. We have agreed to abide by your decision.



Van Buren

"Matt" and I both play cello for a small community orchestra. Although it is not a full-time vocation for either of us, it is a hobby at which we both excel. For two years, we have enjoyed a friendly rivalry as we compete for various solos and other honors.

The competition took an unfriendly turn several weeks ago when Matt "inadvertently" ran over my cello with his station wagon when I was loading our instruments into the back. My cello was destroyed, and it was right before a concert in which I had a solo. Because I had no instrument, Matt got the solo that night.

My cello is certainly replaceable, and Matt has offered to purchase a new one for me. Our concern is this: Because Matt had demolished my cello, I felt that he should have offered me the use of his cello for that evening's concert. Matt, however, feels that he had no obligation to surrender his cello. What do you think, Abby? — KATHI

DEAR KATHI: Since Matt deliberately ran over your cello — which you implied by placing "inadvertently" in quotes — why would you have expected him to offer you his cello for the evening concert? His objective was to play the cello solo that night — and he succeeded.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 25-year-old divorcee. Two years ago, while going through my divorce, I met "Sidney" and his 4-year-old daughter, "Tiffany."

Sidney offered his friendship, and we became friends first — then we became lovers. I was in heaven until his mother entered the picture. (I'll call her "Alice.") Alice's husband had left her 20 years ago. She's now an alcoholic and has no friends, and no life other than Sidney and Tiffany.

She's at Sidney's home daily "to clean Tiffany's room." She has her own key and runs Sidney's life, and he lets her. She does their laundry and frequently brings dinner to his house — for Sidney and Tiffany only. The woman hates me. (I've heard some of the vicious things she's said about me.)

I told Sidney how hurt I was, and he said he couldn't tell his mother to back off because she'd probably si home and drink herself to death, and he couldn't bear to watch this happen. He said if he had to choose between me and his mother, he'd have to choose his mother.

I left the relationship three days ago, and I feel lost. I love him with all my heart, but I can't let Alice walk all over me. Please give me your thoughts. — OVERWROUGHT IN UTAH

DEAR OVERWROUGHT: In Alcoholics Anonymous, there is this saying: "Alcoholics do not have relationships — they take hostages." It appears that Sidney is being held hostage.

I think you did the right thing in ending the relationship. His mother is in control, and she has made Sidney co-dependent. He has already told you that Mama comes first. You are only 25 years old and you have made one marital mistake. I'd hate to see you make another.

Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

AT WIT'S END

Temporary insanity could be a permanent state of mind

By Erma Bombeck

It's a miracle.

Lorena Bobbitt's temporary insanity is cured after just five weeks! The woman who was sentenced to a mental hospital for cutting off her husband's vital organ is free. She wasn't incarcerated long enough to line up a literary agent.



Bombeck

Five weeks! I've had headaches that have lasted longer.

Frankly, I have never understood what the courts consider to be temporary insanity. Some people have figured it out and some haven't. Mike Tyson obviously hasn't. Neither has Jim Bakker nor Charles Keating. They're still serving time.

For a lowly civilian like me, temporary insanity is buying a nonreturnable size 8 dress on sale using a check for which there are no funds in the bank.

It's deciding to have a baby when you are still making payments on a two-seater sports car and your health insurance just lapsed because you forgot to send in the premium last month.

That kind of temporary insanity takes years to cure. But the Bobbitt cure is like a soap opera pregnancy. Five weeks and boom ... there's a baby in the crib.

The temporary insanity plea may just be the answer to the lack of prisons to house all the cooks. Maybe Leona Helmsley could have cut her sentence by spending five weeks in a Motel Six with wall-to-wall Laura Ashley. Zsa Zsa Gabor could have served her five weeks in a room with no mirrors. Imelda Marcos might have satisfied her adversaries by being sentenced to five weeks in Birkenstocks.

Cruel and unusual, you say? Just think about it.

Frankly, I foresee an increase in crimes of passion attributed to temporary insanity. If women can do what Lorena Bobbitt did to her husband and get only five weeks for it, there's a growing group of disgruntled women who believe it's cheap at the price.

The other day I had a thousand errands to do when my husband announced he needed a car — my car — to drive to a meeting. I said I'd drop him off and pick him up. He said he might have to drive everyone to lunch and didn't know when he'd be home. As it turned out, I sat home all day and the car languished in the parking lot.

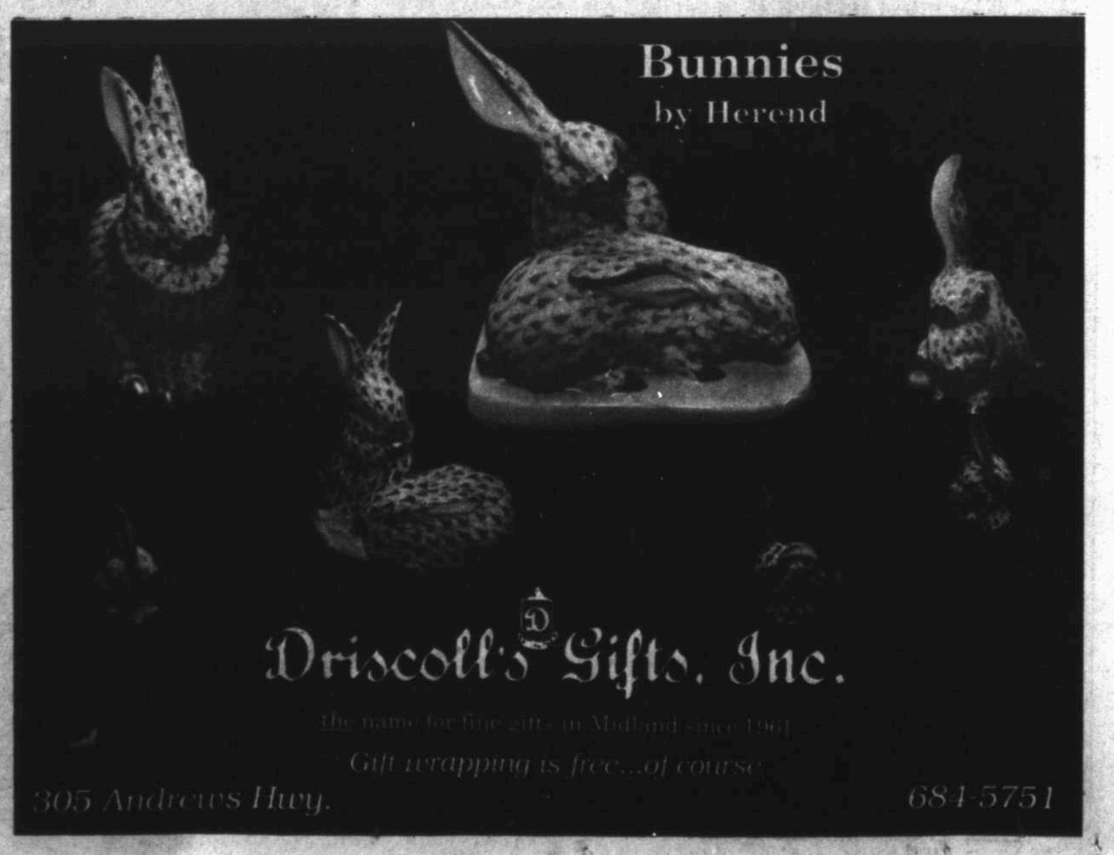
I have blocked off five weeks in August when things are dull to pay for the temporary insanity I am about to enjoy.

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Sports Today

SOCCER PLAYOFFS — El Paso Austin vs. Midland High, region quarterfinal, 4 p.m. at Midland High soccer field.

4-5A BASEBALL — Midland High at San Angelo, 4 p.m.
Midland Lee at Lubbock Coronado (2), 4 p.m. (non-conference).

GIRLS SOFTBALL — Abilene High vs. Midland High, 5 p.m., MUGS Complex in Ulmer Park.

Phillips is out

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Rookie J.R. Phillips, a former Midland Angel, lost his bid to take over Will Clark's first base job, becoming one of five players cut by the San Francisco Giants on Monday.

The Giants reduced their roster to 26 players, optioning Phillips and pitcher Tony Menendez to Class AAA Phoenix. Infielder Erik Johnson, catcher Tom Lampkin and pitcher Pat Gomez were reassigned to minor league camp while pitcher Bud Black was placed on the 15-day disabled list.

In the competition for the vacant first base position, Phillips lost out to veteran Todd Benzinger despite hitting .327 this spring and driving in a team-high 17 runs. Phillips also had seven extra-base hits, including three homers, in 49 at-bats and was voted the top newcomer in camp.

Olajuwon sits

NEW YORK — Hakeem Olajuwon of the Houston Rockets, the league's third-leading scorer and rebounder, was suspended by the NBA for one game Monday for hitting referee Bill Spooner in the stomach during Sunday night's game in Phoenix.

Olajuwon will miss Houston's game Tuesday night in Sacramento.

Jordan gets one

SARASOTA, Fla. — Michael Jordan went 1-for-4 Monday for the Chicago White Sox's AA Birmingham team in an intrasquad game against the AAA Nashville club.

Jordan grounded out to the pitcher in his first at-bat; reached on an error by second baseman Norberto Martin, who muffed a pop-up; singled to right; and grounded out to the second baseman.

He batted leadoff, a change from his normal No. 3 spot.

Osuna traded

VERO BEACH, Fla. — Left-hander Al Osuna was acquired by the Los Angeles Dodgers from the Houston Astros for minor-league right-hander James Daspit.

Osuna appeared in nine spring games for the Astros and was 1-1 with a 4.50 ERA. Last season, the 28-year-old left-hander was 1-1 with a 3.20 ERA and two saves in 44 relief outings.

"He had proven that he is an effective left-handed pitcher and we will give him some opportunities in the remaining spring games," Dodgers general manager Fred Claire said.

Daspit, 24, compiled a 3-8 record for the Dodgers' Class AA San Antonio farm club last season and had a 4.43 ERA in 15 starts.

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1994 STATE SOCCER PLAYOFFS

MHS seeks deep run

By Mike Butts
Staff Writer

Same town, same playoff round, same cities represented. When Midland High takes the soccer pitch against El Paso Austin today at 4 p.m. at Midland High, several things will look like this time last season.

The Bulldogs just hope the final tally doesn't remind anybody of March 30,1993.

Midland High dropped out of postseason play last March in a 4-1 loss to El Paso Hanks at Midland's Dunagan Park. Since then they have aspired to reach the same region quarterfinal round and go further. They get their chance today against Austin.

A win sends the Bulldogs (18-1), or the Panthers, to the Dallas-Ft. Worth area for the Region I Tournament Friday, which neither team has ever made. A loss by the Bulldogs would wipe the 18 wins out of the minds of the Midland players in a hurry.

"Since an El Paso team beat us out last year, we're just determined to win," Midland midfielder Tyler Berry said. "We have something to prove to El Paso."

Last season Hanks went on to the state final before

Please see **MHS**/4C

Bulldogs increase golf lead

By Bill Petitt
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Last summer members of the Nike Tournament talked about how the Club at Mission Dorado was an easy course when the wind was not blowing, but when it was...

It was murder.

Golfers from District 4-5A got a little taste of Mission showing its teeth Monday as gusty winds kept scores high and shots low in the second round of the District 4-5A boys golf tour.

Midland High went into the round with an eight stroke lead over second place Odessa Permian, and after 18 holes, widened the lead over the Pan-

■ District 4-5A Golf

thers to 14 shots as the teams head to San Angelo for the third round on April 8.

"The young players don't have the experience of playing in the strong winds. It takes a while to learn to play in the wind," said Midland High golf coach Aubrey Culley. "Most high school players play in the summer when the wind is down.

"The wind made some of these holes almost unreachable. I told our players to treat No. 14 (par-4, 445-yards) as a five-par. Take a bogey, be thankful, and run to the next hole."

Permian, which fired a second round 330, solidified its second place spot while the rest of the pack fell far off the pace. Midland Lee is third 25 shots behind the Bulldogs. San Angelo is fourth at 659, 34 strokes. Odessa Permian II is fifth at 663, 38 strokes back.

The Mission layout, which is in excess of 7,200 yards in length, yielded just three scores under 80. Medalist leader Jeremiah Luttrell of Midland fired an 82, but still managed to hang on to a four shot lead over Matt Clements of Midland Lee and Jason Ball of San Angelo.

"The wind," said Luttrell, shaking his head in amazement that he survived the round.

Clements picked up two shots on Luttrell with a second round 80.

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Cowboys owner Jerry Jones and Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson greet each other in much happier days. A rift seems to be developing.

Jerry vs. Jimmy show headed for showdown

■ Cowboys owner Jerry Jones fails to confirm that Jimmy Johnson is still the head coach.

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — Both Jimmy Johnson and owner Jerry Jones emerged Monday afternoon from an intense 2½-hour meeting and both refused to answer when asked separately if Johnson is still the head coach of the Dallas Cowboys.

"Nothing has been resolved. We'll be back again tomorrow to discuss where we go from here. We basically talked about the last five years and were candid about our feelings," Johnson said.

But when asked specifically if he is still the Cowboys' coach, Johnson refused, saying "Jerry will talk to you later."

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Minutes later, Jones also refused to answer the question.

The meeting began about 2 p.m. at the Cowboys' headquarters at Valley Ranch and Johnson emerged about 4:30 p.m. Johnson, and then Jones, talked briefly with reporters.

"Jimmy and I had an extensive visit. It was a real opportunity to discuss the last 5½ years. He was very thorough, but nothing was resolved at all," Jones said.

"We discussed the positive and the negatives of the past and how we had worked together. we will talk about the future tomorrow, and that's all I've got to say."

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Williams named AD for Chaps

Staff Report

Joe Williams has been appointed Athletic Director of Midland College, effective immediately. He replaces Delnor Poss, who had asked to have his work load reduced. Williams had served as the highly-successful tennis coach at Midland College for ten years from 1983-92. When the MC tennis programs were discontinued, Williams chose to remain as a full-time physical education instructor.



Williams



Poss

Poss will stay at Midland College as its golf coach and physical education instructor.

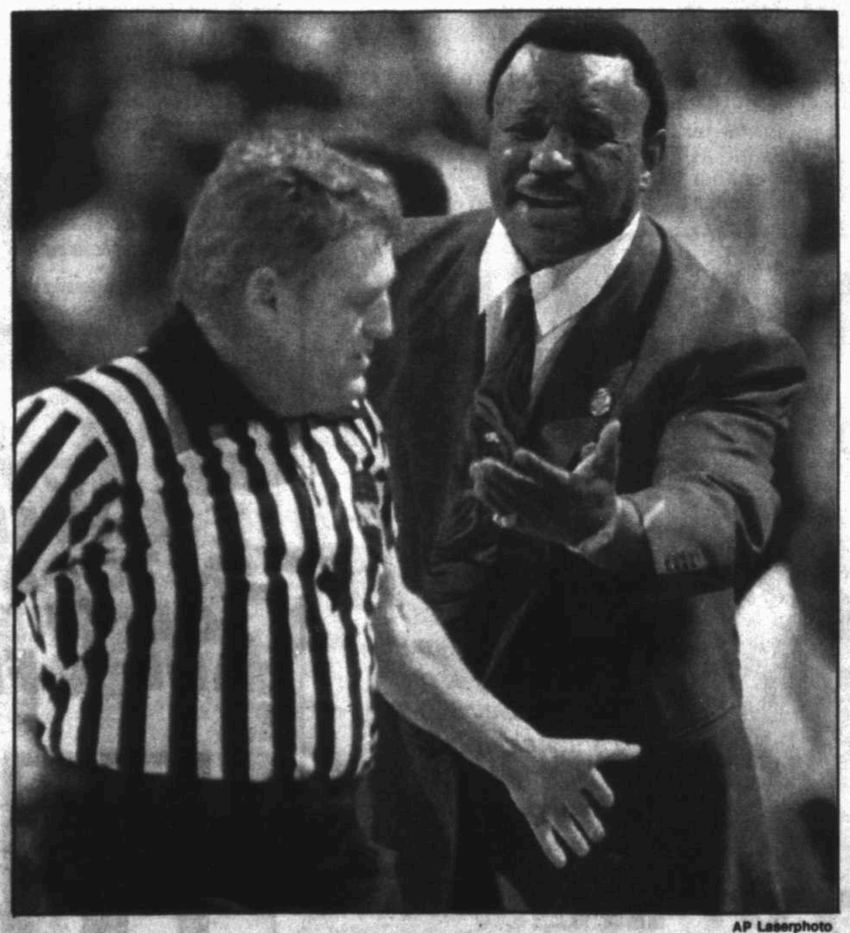
"It was my desire to begin a lighter schedule and to concentrate more on the golf program and my classroom duties," Poss said.

Poss came to Midland College in January, 1977, to serve as basketball coach. He and Dr. Raymond Yell, who was serving at that time as interim athletic director, helped lead the Chaparral basketball team to the Region V finals in Abilene that spring. Later that spring Poss was named athletic director and golf coach. He also has some classroom teaching assignments each semester.

"We have had national championships or national runners-up in every sport in which Midland College has

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Hogs wanted Arizona all along



AP Laserphoto

Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson pleads with an official on a call during the NCAA tournament. Richardson has his Hogs in the Final Four.

Associated Press

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. — Arkansas vs. Arizona could have occurred months ago, but Arizona coach Lute Olson said no thanks.

Saturday, they'll meet in the semifinals of the NCAA tournament in Charlotte, N.C.

The Razorbacks and Arizona completed a home-and-home last year and Arkansas was interested in another series. Olson declined.

Last year, Arkansas made it two straight by beating the Wildcats 86-80 in Arizona. The Wildcats were ranked ninth at the time and had won 32 straight at home.

Arkansas came up with 15 steals and Arizona had 23 turnovers.

Scotty Thurman, a freshman at the time, made 6-of-10 3-pointers and scored 28 points. Sound familiar?

Sunday, in the Midwest Regional final, Thurman made half of his eight 3-point attempts and scored 20 as Arkansas beat Michigan 76-68.

"He's been hitting big shots for us," Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson said. "He's not afraid to take those shots, and fortunately they went in."

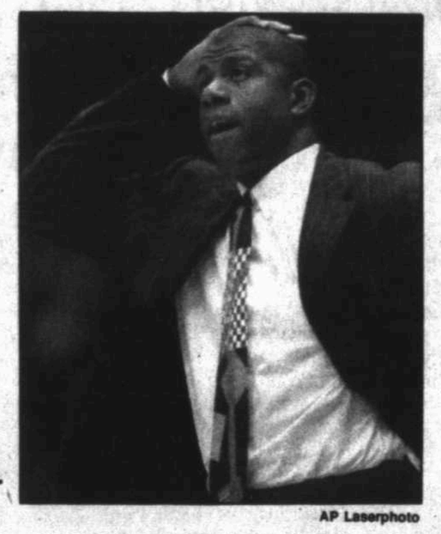
The Razorbacks made 10-of-21 from 3-point range against Michigan. The Wolverines made 3-of-17 from long range.

Last year, Olson was pleased that his team was able to force Arkansas to shoot from the perimeter.

"That's the good news," he said. "The bad news is that they made them."

Another bit of bad news for the Wild-

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AP Laserphoto

Lakers' Magic Johnson ...a quick winner

Lakers find Magic touch

By Steve Wilstein
AP Sports Writer

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — First, Magic Johnson drilled the Los Angeles Lakers in his version of basketball boot camp, then he ran them in a game until their lungs burned and their legs buckled.

If the Lakers don't collapse from the pace he's pushing them, they might be a decent team — though not likely a playoff team this year.

For the moment, Johnson's victorious NBA coaching debut, 110-101 Sunday against the Milwaukee Bucks, gives him the highest winning percentage among active coaches. A few losses and he'll have the worst. He gave himself until early Monday morning to celebrate.

"Winning as a player, you get to enjoy it. Winning as a coach, you got to go watch films," he said. "I'll get up early, 5:30, and watch them. I will enjoy this night."

He liked the way the Lakers ambushed the Bucks from the start in one

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FUED: Fox ready to offer Johnson broadcasting job if rift not mended

(From 1C)

Jones was then asked the same question Johnson was asked earlier, whether Johnson is still the coach. He refused to answer.

Jones said he and Johnson would meet probably early in Tuesday morning.

It was their first face-to-face meeting since their high-profile battle erupted early last week during an NFL meeting in Orlando, Fla.

But those close to the men declined to predict Johnson's future with the Super Bowl champion team.

Quarterback Troy Aikman, who met with Jones and Johnson earlier in the day, said: "I have no sense of the way it's going to go. All I know is that by tomorrow at this time we should have some answers."

Aikman said he was called into Jones' office after he, on his own initiative, visited Johnson.

"I don't think they know for sure yet what's going to take place. These are two intelligent adults and they can solve their own problems," said Aikman. "But both of them are very volatile. I try not to be shocked by anything that happens around here."

Aikman, who guided the team to its consecutive Super Bowl wins, said Saturday that he might not have signed his eight year, $50 million contract last December if he had known Johnson's future with the team was uncertain.

The latest battle in the rocky relationship between the former college roommates erupted last week at the NFL's annual spring meetings when Jones discussed firing Johnson during a late-evening conversation over drinks.

Johnson said he was infuriated that Jones went so far as to mention former University of Oklahoma coach Barry Switzer as a possible successor.

Jones has told the Star-Telegram he has a "mental list" of possible replacements although he hasn't put it on paper.

League sources told the newspaper the list includes Switzer, Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz and Cowboys assistant coach Butch Davis.

Though the feud has dominated the headlines since, Aikman said there was much more to it than Orlando.

"It would be easy to say what happened in Orlando was an isolated situation. But you have to realize that is not the case. It goes way beyond Coach Johnson's coaching ability."

Among the options reportedly being mulled were Johnson signing an agreement to stay through this season and Jones buying out Johnson's contract.

Johnson, who makes $1 million annually, has five years left on his 10-year contract.

Johnson, who was in Florida vacationing until Sunday, arrived at Valley Ranch about 6:30 a.m.

"It's Monday. I'm back at work," was all he said to waiting reporters.

Jones arrived about an hour and a half later.

A grim Johnson left before noon to get lunch and deliver his dry cleaning. Then returned to his office. He had no comment when asked if he was still the coach.

Nearly 100 reporters, some left over from the NCAA Midwest Regional tournament that was played at Reunion Arena last weekend, hawked the team office hallways Monday awaiting word from the two main players in the Cowboys back-to-back Super Bowl Championships.

Also watching were the players and coaching staff.

"We don't know what's happening," said assistant coach Butch Davis. "Jimmy Johnson said he will tell us something as soon as he knows something."

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported Monday that the Fox network was ready to offer Johnson a job broadcasting NFL games.

Pacers clip Clippers

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Rik Smits scored 27 points and Reggie Miller added 22 on 5-of-6 3-point shooting, leading the Indiana Pacers out of an offensive slump with a 126-93 victory Monday night over the Los Angeles Clippers.

■ NBA Roundup

The Pacers, who broke a two-game losing streak, were averaging 87.9 points in their last 12 games.

They broke loose for 66 points in the first half against the Clippers, five more than they scored in a 93-61 loss at Cleveland last Tuesday.

Miller scored 20 points in the first half, hitting five 3-point attempts and 7-of-11 from the field overall. He was shooting 37.5 percent over the previous four games.

Smits had 13 points by halftime for a 66-45 lead.

The 7-foot-4 center added 14 in the second half to finish one shy of his season high.

The Pacers led 34-20 after one quarter and outscored the Clippers 16-6 early in the second period. Smits had seven points in the run.

SuperSonics 111, Nuggets 97

SEATTLE — Gary Payton scored 23 points and Seattle forced 23 turnovers in beating Denver.

The Sonics shot under 40 percent for the third time this season but their defense carried them to their fifth straight victory and 14th in their last 17 games.

LaPhonso Ellis led the Nuggets with 20 points on 10-for-16 shooting. Dikembe Mutombo had 21 rebounds and nine points for the Nuggets, who had their four-game winning streak snapped. Seattle converted 34 of 43 free throws to the Nuggets' 20 of 31.

If the season ended now, the two teams would meet in the opening round of the playoffs.

Red Raiders spill Baylor

WACO (AP) — Texas Tech got only four hits and two walks off Baylor pitcher Steve Waites, but the Red Raiders took advantage of sloppy fielding in a 4-1 Southwest Conference victory Monday.

The Bears committed six errors behind Waites, as three of the four Tech runs were unearned against Waites, who struck out six while going the distance.

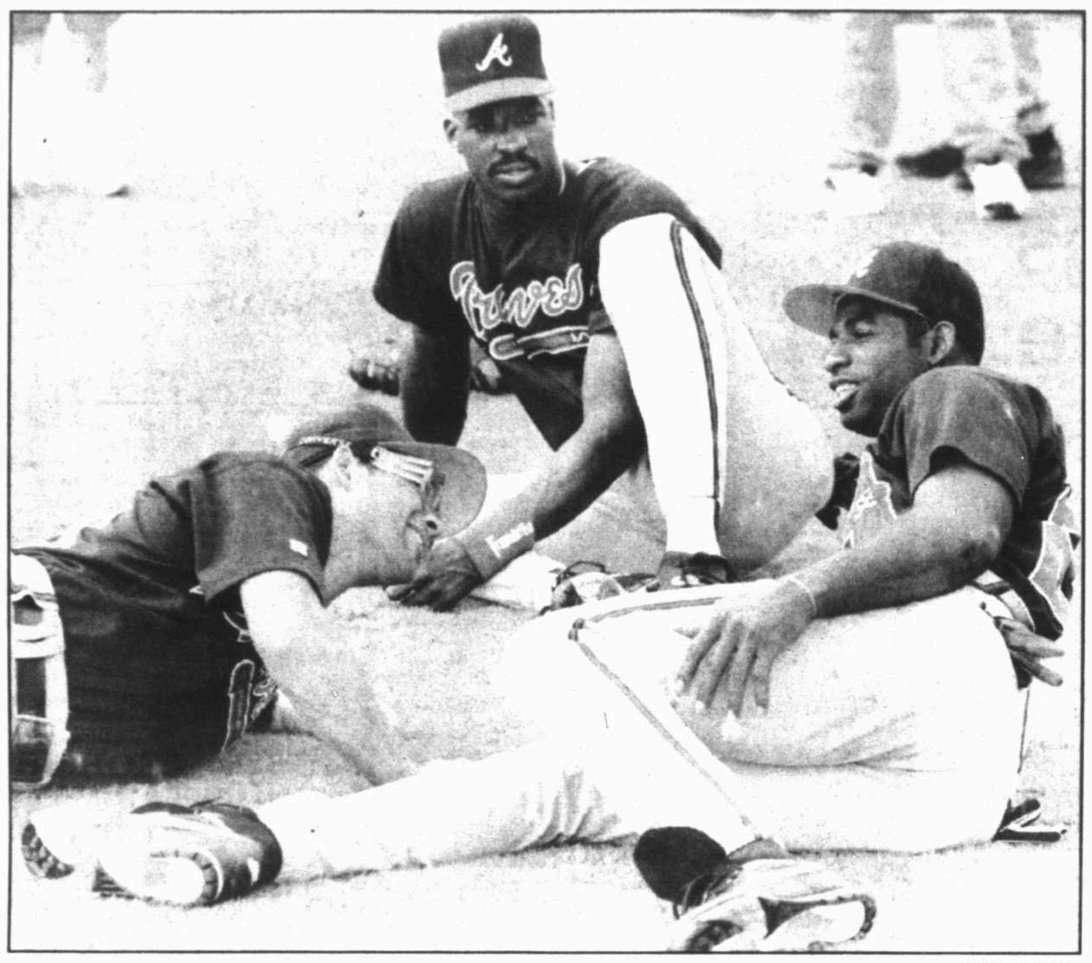
Travis Smith got the win, despite giving up 10 hits, striking out three and walking three in 8.2 innings.

Robin Harriss got two of the four Tech hits. He singled in the first inning, went to second on an error by second baseman Mike Bohny, advanced to third on an error by shortstop Brent Shepherd and scored on another error by Shepherd.

Tech added another run in the fourth on Harriss' double after Clint Bryant had singled and moved up on a ground out.

Baylor threatened in the sixth, beginning with singles by Marty Crawford and Matt Trozzo. After Bohny hit into a fielder's choice, the Bears pulled off a double steal. But Trozzo was then caught trying to steal home. Mark Martin's RBI single then scored Baylor's only run of the game.

The Red Raiders added two runs in the eighth after Martin's two-out, two-base error on Saul Bustos' fly to right with nobody on.



AP Laserphoto

Atlanta's Deion Sanders jokes with teammates Mark Lemke, left, and Fred McGriff, top, prior to exhibition game with Montreal Monday

Sanders feels little pressure

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Spring training has been a personal workshop for Deion Sanders, who is the Atlanta Braves' full-time center fielder now that Otis Nixon is gone.

"There's no pressure. I know the job is mine so I can just go out there and relax," said Sanders.

Sanders hit .276 last season in 95 games, sharing time with Nixon until an upper respiratory infection cut his playing time in mid-August. Nixon, who stole 47 bases last season, signed a free agent contract with the Boston Red Sox over the winter.

Sanders came to spring training still mentally drained from the football season, when he was an All-Pro cornerback for the NFL's Atlanta Falcons.

But that's over now, and he's ready for baseball. He has worked hard on every aspect of his game this spring. "It's the little things that make a big difference during the year," he said.

On the base paths, he concentrated on getting better leads. In the outfield, he worked on getting a better jump on fly balls. And he spent extra time in the batting cage, bunting and hitting to left field.

"It's not about getting hits every day," he explained. "I was trying a lot of new things, like working the count and going to left field."

Sanders, who will be the Braves' leadoff hitter, drew only 16 bases on balls in 288 at-bats last season. A left-handed hitter, he rarely hit the ball to left field.

He also worked on improving his batting stroke against left-handed pitchers, after hitting only .143 (5-for-35) against them last season.

"I worked harder on making pitchers throw me strikes to swing at and making sure that I swung only at pitches in my zone," said Sanders.

He said he has personal goals for the season, but he won't divulge them.

"I've got goals, but If I don't accomplish them, it would be all over the newspapers and you guys would have a field day," he said with a grin.

"So you can just say that they are team-oriented and that I just want to go out and do my job."

Bowers' Baylor reign finally ends

WACO (AP) — Pam Bowers' controversial reign as women's basketball coach at Baylor University is over.

"For reasons communicated to her today, the university does not plan to offer a new contract," according to a release late Monday afternoon from the Baylor sports information office.

Bowers' complaints about the men's program at Baylor contributed to an investigation that resulted in four players being suspended for the entire 1993-94 season.

The Southwest Conference and Baylor are to announce on Thursday the status of the investigations into the eligibility of the four players, all of whom transferred from junior colleges.

Bowers' contract expires May 31. She just completed her 15th season at Baylor and compiled a record of 168 victories and 257 losses, including a 50-128 mark in SWC play.

The Bears were 13-14 last season and 4-10 in the SWC.

Her only winning seasons were 16-11 in 1981-82, 16-14 in 1982-83 and 15-12 in 1983-84.

Baylor athletic director Dick Ellis said the school will initiate a nationwide search for a replacement.

Baylor president Herbert Reynolds said earlier in the month that SWC officials would be in Waco for two weeks to talk about the four players, who sat out this past season while the investigations continued.

The players are Jason Ervin, Tyrone Davis, Shannon Brantley and Marcus Thompson. Ervin, Davis and Brantley attended State Fair Community College in Sedalia, Mo. Thompson is from Westark Junior College in Fort Smith, Ark.

Ellis said Baylor will look for a coach who can lead the Bears to greater achievements and successes. He said that with the talent

Bowers' attorney said in November that Bowers feared losing her job because she reported possible NCAA rules violations within the men's basketball program.

Bowers' Aug. 30 memo to former athletic director Grant Teaff, Ellis and compliance officer Clyde Hart contained information on 10 possible NCAA violations.

Neither Bowers nor men's basketball coach Darrell Johnson had spoken in recent months about the allegations of improprieties, saying school officials forbade them to speak with the media.

Neagle joins Bucs' rotation

Associated Press

Pittsburgh's pitching picture got a little clearer Monday when manager Jim Leyland made left-hander Denny Neagle part of the starting rotation.

Neagle will join lefties Zane Smith and Steve Cooke and right-hander Paul Wagner in the rotation. The fifth spot will be filled by left-hander Randy Tomlin or right-hander Scott Scudder.

Neagle, 25, has made only 16 starts in 112 lifetime appearances with Minnesota and Pittsburgh. Neagle is 3-7 with a 5.80 earned run average as a starter and 4-5 with a 4.18 ERA as a reliever.

"He had a lot of success in the minor leagues as a starter in the Twins' organization," Leyland said. "He says he feels more comfortable as a starter. It's time to see."

Smith will start the April 4 season-opener in San Francisco. Cooke will pitch the following day, and Neagle will pitch the finale of the three-game series on April 6.

After an off day, the Pirates open at home April 8, and Wagner will start that game against Colorado.

Tomlin, 30-28 for the Pirates over the past four seasons, figured to be the favorite for the fifth starting spot. However, Leyland feels Tomlin has not fully recovered from elbow surgery last Aug. 31.

"I'm not sure about his strength needed, I'm going to wait and see," Leyland said.

Giants

Rookie J.R. Phillips lost his bid to take over the first base job, becoming one of five players cut by San Francisco.

The Giants reduced their roster to 26 players, optioning Phillips and pitcher Tony Menendez to Class AAA Phoenix. Infielder Erik Johnson, catcher Tom Lampkin and pitcher Pat Gomez were reassigned to the minor league camp, while pitcher Bud Black was placed on the 15-day disabled list.

In the competition for the vacant first base position, Phillips lost out to veteran Todd Benzinger despite hitting .327 this spring and driving in a team-high 17 runs. Phillips also had seven extra-base hits, including three homers, in 49 at-bats and was voted the top newcomer in camp.

The vacancy was created when Will Clark signed with Texas.

Astros

Houston optioned pitcher Domingo Jean and infielder Orlando Miller to its Class AAA affiliate at Tucson, Ariz. The moves left 29 players on the Astros' roster, four above the opening-day limit.

Angels

Free-agent infielder Rex Hudler signed a major league contract with California. The Angels also assigned right-handed pitcher Russ Springer to their minor league camp.

■ Spring Training

Hudler, 33, signed as a free agent with the San Francisco Giants last December and was invited to spring training as a non-roster player. The Giants released Hudler last week after he went 5-for-21 (.238) with three RBIs in 10 spring training games.

Hudler played for the Yakult Swallows of the Japanese Central League last season, hitting .300 with 14 homers and 64 RBIs. Preivously, he played for the New York Yankees, Baltimore Orioles, Montreal Expos and St. Louis Cardinals.

Springer, 25, had an 0-2 record and a 14.34 ERA in four exhibition games this month.

Indians

Cleveland reliever Jerry DiPoto, sidelined following cancer surgery, was placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 25.

DiPoto had his cancerous thyroid gland removed March 22 and is expected to make a full recovery. He has told general manager John Hart he wants to be pitching for the Indians by the end of April.

The Indians also demoted five players.

Optioned to Class AAA Charlotte were first baseman Herbert Perry, right-handed pitcher Julian Tavarez and outfielder Omar Ramirez. Reassigned to the Indians' minor league camp were catcher Joel Skinner and right-handed pitcher Chad Ogea.

Pirates

Pittsburgh was only one player over the opening-roster limit after reassigning outfielder Midre Cummings and shortstop Tony Womack, two of their top prospects, to the minor league camp.

Cummings and Womack both had big springs. Cummings batted .379 with two home runs and eight RBIs in 14 games. Womack batted .341 with one homer and one RBI in 23 games.

Leyland said dropping Cummings was particularly tough.

"He was very impressive and he is the best talent to come into our organization since Barry Bonds," he said.

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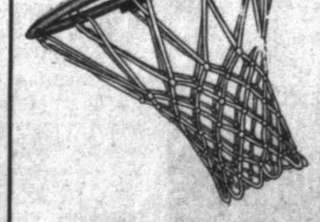
Baltimore purchased Lonnie Smith's minor league contract Monday, giving him a one-year deal for $750,000 and adding him to their 40-man roster.

Smith was obtained in a trade with Pittsburgh last September to help out in Baltimore's pennant drive. He hit just .208 in nine games and was tempted over the winter to end his 20-year career in professional baseball.

But his numbers this spring — a .292 average with three homers and seven walks — make him a virtual shoo-in to head north.

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Utah	44	26
Denver	35	33
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Dallas	8	60
Pacific Division		
x-Seattle	51	17
x-Phoenix	45	23
Portland	41	28
Golden State	39	28
L.A. Lakers	29	38
L.A. Clippers	25	43
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x-N. Jersey	44	21	11	99
Washington	34	32	9	77
Florida	32	31	13	77
Philadelphia	33	36	7	73
N.Y. Isles	31	35	9	71
Tampa Bay	25	40	11	61
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x-Montreal	39	24	13	91
x-Pittsburgh	39	25	13	91
x-Boston	39	25	12	90
Buffalo	39	28	9	87
Quebec	30	38	7	67
Hartford	24	44	8	56
Ottawa	12	56	8	32
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x-Detroit	43	26	6	92
x-Toronto	40	24	12	92
x-Dallas	39	26	11	89
x-St. Louis	36	30	9	81
Chicago	35	32	9	79
Winnipeg	23	45	8	54
Pacific Division				
x-Calgary	37	27	12	86
Vancouver	37	35	3	77
San Jose	28	33	15	71
Anaheim	29	42	5	63
Los Angeles	25	39	11	61
Edmonton	21	43	12	54

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Miami	37	3	.544	12
New Jersey	36	31	.537	12½
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Philadelphia	21	48	.304	28½
Washington	19	49	.279	30
Central Division				
x-Atlanta	48	20	.706	—
Chicago	45	24	.652	3½
Cleveland	39	30	.565	9½
Indiana	36	32	.529	12
Charlotte	31	36	.463	16½
Detroit	19	49	.279	29
Milwaukee	18	50	.265	30
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
x-Houston	48	19	.716	—
x-San Antonio	49	20	.710	—
Utah	44	26	.629	5½
Denver	35	33	.515	13½
Minnesota	19	49	.279	29½
Dallas	8	60	.118	40½
Pacific Division				
x-Seattle	51	17	.750	—
x-Phoenix	45	23	.662	6
Portland	41	28	.594	10½
Golden State	39	28	.582	11½
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Boston at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
San Antonio at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Utah, 8 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.
Houston at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.
Seattle at Portland, 9:30 p.m.

Pacers 126, Clippers 93

L.A. CLIPPERS (93)
Outlaw 1-3 3-4 5, Wilkins 5-12 10-10 20, Spencer 5-7 4-6 14, Harper 1-11 2-2 4, Jackson 5-10 6-7 16, J.Williams 4-9 0-0 8, Ellis 2-5 0-0 4, Vaught 3-3 0-0 6, Martin 1-2 0-2 2, Dehere 4-9 0-2 8, Grant 3-4 0-0 6, Woods 0-4 0-0 0. Totals 34-79 25-33 93.
INDIANA (126)
D.Davis 5-12 0-2 10, McKey 3-9 1-2 7, Smits 12-17 3-3 27, Miller 7-11 3-3 22, Workman 8-11 0-0 16, A.Davis 4-8 3-4 11, Richardson 0-5 0-0 0, K.Williams 6-8 1-2 13, Mitchell 1-2 0-0 2, Scott 4-9 2-3 10, Fleming 0-1 2-2 2, Sealy 3-4 0-0 6.Totals 53-97 15-21 126.
L.A. Clippers 20 25 32 16— 93
Indiana 34 32 25 35—126
3-Point goals—Los Angeles 0-5 (Jackson 0-1, J.Williams 0-1, Dehere 0-1, Woods 0-2), Indiana 5-8 (Miller 5-6, Richardson 0-1, Scott 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 44 (Vaught 7), Indiana 59 (D.Davis 10). Assists—Los Angeles 18 (Harper, Jackson 6), Indiana 35 (Richardson 10). Total fouls—Los Angeles 17, Indiana 24. Technicals—Ellis, Dehere, A.Davis. A—12,516.

Sonics 111, Nuggets 97

DENVER (97)
Ellis 10-16 0-4 20, R.Williams 4-11 3-3 12, Mutombo 2-6 5-8 9, Abdul-Rauf 4-13 4-4 12, Stith 1-4 1-1 3, Rogers 6-9 4-8 18, Pack 5-12 1-1 11, Hammonds 4-6 0-0 8, Randall 1-1 2-2 4. Totals 37-78 20-31 97.
SEATTLE (111)
Kemp 6-17 8-10 20, Schrempf 5-10 6-6 16, Cage 2-6 2-2 6, Gill 5-15 8-9 18, Payton 10-22 3-5 23, Perkins 2-9 3-4 8, Askew 2-8 4-6 8, McMillan 4-8 0-1 10, Scheffler 0-1 0-0 0, Ford 0-0 0-0 0, R.King 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 37-97 34-43 111.
Denver 29 22 22 24— 97
Seattle 33 22 26 30—111
3-Point goals—Denver 3-8 (Rogers 2-3, R.Williams 1-4, Abdul-Rauf 0-1), Seattle 3-11 (McMilan 2-3, Perkins 1-5, Askew 0-1, Gill 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Denver 58 (Mutombo 21), Seattle 63 (Kemp 13). Assists—Denver 24 (Pack 6), Seattle 25 (Gill, Payton, McMillan 6). Total fouls—Denver 30, Seattle 25. Technicals—Denver illegal defense 3, Payton. A—14,551.

NHL Results

NHL Standings
By The Associated Press
All Times CST
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Rangers	46	23	7	99	271	212
x-N. Jersey	44	21	11	99	282	200
Washington	34	32	9	77	241	232
Florida	32	31	13	77	214	211
Philadelphia	33	36	7	73	270	288
N.Y. Isles	31	35	9	71	252	242
Tampa Bay	25	40	11	61	201	233
Northeast Division						
x-Montreal	39	24	13	91	263	220
x-Pittsburgh	39	25	13	91	278	264
x-Boston	39	25	12	90	266	226
Buffalo	39	28	9	87	256	200
Quebec	30	38	7	67	245	258
Hartford	24	44	8	56	202	257
Ottawa	12	56	8	32	178	357
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
x-Detroit	43	26	6	92	317	248
x-Toronto	40	24	12	92	249	215
x-Dallas	39	26	11	89	258	236
x-St. Louis	36	30	9	81	239	254
Chicago	35	32	9	79	230	214
Winnipeg	23	45	8	54	227	307
Pacific Division						
x-Calgary	37	27	12	86	274	238
Vancouver	37	35	3	77	256	246
San Jose	28	33	15	71	220	242
Anaheim	29	42	5	63	210	234
Los Angeles	25	39	11	61	268	291
Edmonton	21	43	12	54	239	281

x-clinched playoff berth

Monday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Montreal 3, Ottawa 2
Dallas 5, Florida 4
Toronto at Vancouver, (n)
Tuesday's Games
Montreal at New Jersey, 6:35 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Philadelphia, 6:35 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Washington, 6:35 p.m.
Hartford at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at San Jose, 9:35 p.m.

Stars 5, Panthers 4

Dallas	**1**	**4**	**0**	**—5**
Florida	**1**	**1**	**2**	**—4**

First Period—1, Florida, Fitzgerald 16 (Hough, Skrudland), 3:33. 2, Dallas, Cavallini 10 (Gagner), 15:17.
Second Period—3, Florida, Fitzgerald 17 (Hough), 2:57. 4, Dallas, Gagner 24, 3:09. 5, Dallas, Zmolek 1 (Courtnall, Ledyard), 7:28. 6, Dallas, Gagner 25 (Courtnall, Cavallini), 10:59. 7, Dallas, Courtnall 20 (McPhee, Evason), 14:05.
Third Period—8, Florida, Lowry 15 (Mellanby), 9:26. 9 Florida, Skrudland 15 (Hough, Benning), 17:16.
Shots on goal—Dallas 8-11-2—21. Florida 9-5-17—31. Power-play Opportunities—Dallas 0 of 2; Florida 0 of 4. Goalies—Dallas, Moog, 23-17-6 (31 shots-27 saves). Florida, Vanbiesbrouck, 20-22-10 (21-16). A—14,593.

Canadiens 3, Senators 2

Ottawa	**1**	**1**	**0—2**
Montreal	**1**	**0**	**2—3**

First Period—1, Ottawa, Murray 1 (McLlwain), 17:07 (sh). 2, Montreal, Bellows 31 (Brisebois, Damphousse), 18:16 (pp).
Second Period—3, Ottawa, Davydov 7 (Mallette, Murray), 6:58.
Third Period—4, Montreal, DiPietro 10 (Dionne, Keane), 10:27. 5, Montreal, Dionne 18, 19:36.
Shots on goal—Ottawa 5-12-4—21. Montreal 9-10-4—33. Power-play Opportunities—Ottawa 0 of 3; Montreal 1 of 4. Goalies—Ottawa, Billington, 9-37-3 (33 shots-30 saves). Montreal, Tugnutt, 12-17-2 (21-19). A—16,643.

Transactions

Monday's Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Purchased the contract of Lonnie Smith, outfielder, from Rochester of the International League and assigned him to the 40-man roster. Optioned Mike Cook, pitcher, to Rochester.
CALIFORNIA ANGELS—Sent Russ Springer, pitcher, to their minor-league camp for reassignment. Signed Rex Hudler, infielder, to a one-year contract.
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Placed Jerry Dipoto, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to March 25. Optioned Herbert Perry, first baseman; Julian Tavarez, pitcher; and Omar Ramirez, outfielder, to Charlotte of the International League. Reassigned Joel Skinner, catcher, and Chad Ogea, pitcher, to their minor-league camp for reassignment.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Purchased the contract of Bobby Thigpen, pitcher, from Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Optioned Huck Flener, pitcher, and Rob Butler and Robert Perez, outfielders, to Syracuse of the International League.
National League
CHICAGO CUBS—Placed Frank Castillo, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 20, and Jessie Hollins, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Optioned Turk Wendell, pitcher, and Darron Cox, catcher, to Iowa of the American Association. Sent Mike Anderson and Chuck Crim, pitchers, to their minor-league camp for reassignment.
COLORADO ROCKIES—Optioned Chris Jones, outfielder, and Jim Tatum, infielder, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Optioned Domingo Jean, pitcher, and Orlando Miller, infielder, to Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Traded James Daspit, pitcher, to the Houston Astros for Al Osuna, pitcher.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Sent Tyler Green, pitcher, to their minor-league camp for reassignment.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Optioned Phil Stephenson and Scott Coolbaugh, infielders; Steve Dixon and Rich Batchelor, pitchers; and John Mabry, outfielder, to Louisville of the American Association.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Placed Bud Black, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list, effective April 3. Sent J.R. Phillips, first baseman, and Tony Menedez, pitcher, to Phoenix of the Pacific Coast League. Sent Eric Johnson, infielder; Tom Lampkin, catcher; and Pat Gomez, pitcher, to their minor-league camp for reassignment.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NBA—Suspended Hakeem Olajuwon, Houston center, for one game and fined him $2,500 for making intentional physical contact with referee Bill Spooner during Sunday night's game.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Darrick Britz, offensive lineman, to a two-year contract.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Released Chip Banks, linebacker.
COLLEGE
ARKANSAS STATE—Named Tom Jordan tight ends coach and assistant recruiting coordinator.
DAYTON—Announced the resignation of Sue Ramsey, women's basketball coach.
FLORIDA STATE—Suspended Derrik Carroll, forward, indefinitely for failing to follow prescribed academic guidelines.
LA SALLE—Extended contract of John Miller, women's basketball coach, through 1996-97.
NEVADA—Announced the resignation of Roger Bowen, men's and women's track and field and cross country coach, effective June 30.
TENNESSEE—Named Kevin O'Neill, men's basketball coach.
WEST TEXAS A&M—Announced the resignation of Ron Steele, football coach. Named Morris Stone interim football coach.
WESTERN KENTUCKY—Announced the resignation of Ralph Willard, men's basketball coach.
WESTFIELD STATE—Announced the resignation of Bob Lawless, men's basketball coach.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
HARTFORD WHALERS—Recalled John Stevens, defenseman, from Springfield of the American Hockey League.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Sent Terry Hollinger, defenseman; Tony Hrkac, center; and Vitali Karamnov, left wing, to Peoria of the International Hockey League.
HORSE RACING
New York Racing Association
NYRA—Suspended jockey Frank Alvarado from March 31 through April 6 for careless riding at Aqueduct.
SOCCER
U.S. NATIONAL TEAM—Cut Mark Sentel, defender-midfielder, from the player pool.

Baseball Poll

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — The top 25 college baseball teams as determined by the staff of Baseball America magazine with records through March 27, and previous rankings:

	Record	Pvs
1. Cal St.-Fullerton	24- 5	4
2. Florida State	28- 7	3
3. Southern Cal	22- 8	1
4. Georgia Tech	19- 4	2
5. LSU	18- 6	8
6. Miami	23- 5	7
7. Texas	25- 9	5
8. Oklahoma State	19- 7	9
9. Wichita State	13- 7	6
10. Arizona State	24-10	11
11. Tennessee	20- 6	12
12. Stanford	18-12	10
13. N. Carolina St.	23- 4	15
14. Ohio State	14- 3	16
15. Clemson	26- 6	13
16. Long Beach State	19- 7	14
17. Kansas	19- 6	17
18. Washington State	20- 4	18
19. Rice	22-11	—
20. Auburn	16- 4	21
21. Nevada	18- 5	—
22. Washington	19- 6	22
23. Lamar	17- 9	25
24. South Floria	21- 8	19
25. Oklahoma	18- 8	24

NASCAR Leaders

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The top 20 drivers and money winners for the NASCAR circuit through the March 27 TranSouth Financial 400:

Winston Cup Points
1, Ernie Irvan, 860. 2, Dale Earnhardt, 779. 3, Mark Martin, 779. 4, Ken Schrader, 668. 5, Ricky Rudd, 657. 6, Lake Speed, 647. 7, Morgan Shepherd, 640. 8, Sterling Martin, 615. 9, Jeff Gordon, 614. 10, Terry Labonte, 609.
11, Kyle Petty, 602. 12, Ted Musgrave, 566. 13, Rusty Wallace, 560. 14, Jeff Burton, 559. 15, Bill Elliott, 548. 16, Darrell Waltrip, 543. 17, Rick Mast, 535. 18, Dale Jarrett, 534. 19, Greg Sacks, 532. 20, Jimmy Spencer, 492.

NIT

National Invitation Tournament
By The Associated Press
All Times CST
Semifinals
At New York
Monday, March 28
Vanderbilt 82, Kansas St. 76
Villanova 66, Siena 58
Championship
Wednesday, March 30
Championship
Vanderbilt (20-11) vs Villanova (19-12), 8 p.m.
Third Place
Kansas St. (20-13) vs. Siena (24-8), 5:45 p.m.

Vandy 82, Kansas St. 76

VANDERBILT (20-11)
Hall 0-1 1-2 1, McMahan 9-16 6-6 27, Lawson 5-8 7-11 17, McCaffrey 8-14 10-10 28, Seckar 2-3 1-3 5, Milburn 0-1 0-0 0, Evans 0-0 0-0 0, Woods 0-0 0-0 0, Sheron 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 26-46 25-32 82.
KANSAS ST. (20-13)
Davis 2-11 5-7 10, Noland 3-7 3-4 10, Cunningham 5-7 1-4 12, Beane 5-14 4-4 19, Jones 4-11 8-8 17, Lucas 1-3 3-4 5, Gavin 0-1 0-0 0, Hamilton 1-2 0-0 2, Hill 0-0 1-2 1, Warta 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 21-56 25-33 76.
Halftime—Vanderbilt 32, Kansas St. 29. 3-Point goals—Vanderbilt 5-11 (McMahan 3-7, McCaffrey 2-3, Seckar 0-1), Kansas St. 9-21 (Beane 5-9, Cunningham 1-1, Davis 1-2, Nolan 1-2, Jones 1-6, Gavin 0-1). Fouled out—Cunningham, Gavin. Rebounds—Vanderbilt 29 (Lawson 5), Kansas St. 35 (Davis 8). Assists—Vanderbilt 13 (McCaffrey 5), Kansas St. 9 (Jones 3). Total fouls—Vanderbilt 23, Kansas St. 26. Technical—Vanderbilt bench. A—NA.

Villanova 66, Siena 58

VILLANOVA (19-12)
Eberz 1-5 2-2 4, Wilson 1-4 2-2 4, Lawson 2-7 5-9 9, Haynes 2-8 3-4 8, Kittles 8-18 5-6 21, Williams 6-7 5-7 17, Harris 1-3 0-0 3. Totals 21-52 22-30 66.
SIENA (24-8)
Bidlingmyer 0-2 0-3 0, Walker 1-4 0-2 2, Gras 6-21 4-5 17, Bennerman 9-18 4-4 23, Downing 1-5 0-0 2, Thies 3-6 0-0 7, Muszynski 0-1 0-0 0, McGhee 1-4 1-2 3, Shorkey 0-0 0-0 0, Balser 2-6 0-0 4, Attewell 0-0 0-0 0, Gadot 0-0 0-0 0, Hayden 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-67 9-16 58.
Halftime—Villanova 32, Siena 27. 3-Point goals—Villanova 2-17 (Harris 1-2, Haynes 1-5, Williams 0-1, Eberz 0-2, Kittles 0-7), Siena 3-17 (Gras 1-3, Thies 1-4, Bennerman 1-6, Balser 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Villanova 48 (Williams 13), Siena 37 (Gras 9). Assists—Villanova 13 (Lawson, Kittles 4), Siena 9 (Walker, Bidlingmyer 3). Total fouls—Villanova 20, Siena 24. A—16,978.

SWC Linescore

Texas Tech 4, Baylor 1

Tech	**001**	**100**	**020—**	**4 04 0**
Baylor	**000**	**001**	**000—**	**1 10 6**

Smith, Newman (9) and Harriss; Waites and Crawford. 2B—Tech, Harriss. HRs—None. W—Smith. L—Waites.

LPGA Money

LPGA Money Leaders
By The Associated Press
The money leaders on the 1994 LPGA tour through the Dinah Shore, which ended March 27:

	Trn	Money
1. Laura Davies	6	$218,220
2. Donna Andrews	6	$202,100
3. Dottie Mochrie	6	$166,254
4. Lauri Merten	6	$131,475
5. Brandie Burton	6	$89,528
6. Nancy Lopez	3	$87,522
7. M. Figueras-Dotti	6	$82,619
8. Beth Daniel	5	$82,194
9. Dawn Coe-Jones	6	$79,852
10. Michelle McGann	5	$74,633
11. Jane Geddes	6	$72,144
12. Elaine Crosby	5	$69,726
13. Meg Mallon	6	$66,874
14. Jan Stephenson	5	$66,341
15. Kelly Robbins	6	$65,519
16. Dana Dormann	6	$56,565
17. Tammie Green	4	$56,325
18. Val Skinner	5	$54,679
19. Kristi Albers	6	$52,155
20. Hiromi Kobayashi	6	$50,715
21. Sherri Steinhauer	6	$49,294
22. Judy Dickinson	5	$46,403
23. Lisa Walters	6	$46,010
24. Missie Berteotti	6	$43,443
25. Dale Eggeling	5	$40,080
26. Tracy Kerdyk	5	$37,760
27. Vicki Fergon	5	$37,118
28. Betsy King	6	$34,958
29. D. Ammaccapane	6	$33,060
30. Alice Ritzman	4	$32,895
31. Pat Bradley	5	$31,280
32. Gail Graham	5	$29,209
33. Kris Monaghan	6	$27,388
34. Hollis Stacy	5	$26,050
35. Helen Alfredsson	6	$23,322
36. M. Spencer-Devlin	5	$22,515
37. Terry-Jo Myers	4	$22,500
38. Patty Sheehan	5	$21,382
39. Liselotte Neumann	5	$21,301
40. Cindy Schreyer	6	$21,001
41. Missie McGeorge	5	$20,126
42. Nancy Scranton	6	$19,524
43. Caroline Keggi	5	$18,010
44. Kathryn Marshall	4	$17,966
45. Jenny Lidback	4	$17,479
46. Kris Tschetter	6	$17,283
47. Cindy Figg-Currier	5	$17,241
48. Joan Pitcock	5	$16,931
49. Trish Johnson	4	$16,841
50. Julie Larsen	5	$16,593

WTA Money

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The Women's Tennis Association money leaders through March 27:

1. Steffi Graf	$774,065
2. Natalia Zvereva	288,077
3. A. Sanchez Vicario	284,100
4. Martina Navratilova	189,000
5. Kimiko Date	168,333
6. Lindsay Davenport	160,534
7. Gigi Fernandez	143,246
8. Jana Novotna	140,985
9. Gabriela Sabatini	126,908
10. Sabine Hack	115,604
11. Meredith McGrath	109,961
12. M. Maleeva-Fragniere	109,459
13. Patty Fendick	97,012
14. Chanda Rubin	89,636
15. Pam Shriver	81,777
16. Mary Joe Fernandez	80,471
17. Helena Sukova	79,578
18. Larisa Neiland	75,978
19. Amanda Coetzer	74,264
20. Mary Pierce	73,854
21. Conchita Martinez	73,209
22. Manon Bollegraf	73,108
23. Sabine Appelmans	66,093
24. Brenda Schultz	66,643
25. Lori McNeil	64,600
26. Julie Halard	63,195
27. Zina Garrison Jackson	61,659
28. Ginger Helgeson	61,368
29. Elizabeth Smylie	60,386
30. Kristie Boogert	60,245
31. Leila Meskhi	54,324
32. Magdalena Maleeva	50,954

ATP Money

ATP Tour Money Leaders
By The Associated Press
The leading money winners on the ATP Tour through March 27:

1. Pete Sampras	$881,038
2. Stefan Edberg	$648,499
3. Goran Ivanisevic	$380,465
4. Todd Martin	$344,679
5. Petr Korda	$336,575
6. Paul Haarhuis	$334,110
7. Magnus Gustafsson	$306,233
8. Boris Becker	$261,480
9. Sergi Bruguera	$250,230
10. Wayne Ferreira	$231,024
11. Jim Courier	$215,919
12. Michael Stich	$211,582
13. Michael Chang	$210,450
14. Jacco Eltingh	$209,688
15. Alexander Volkov	$200,232
16. Jonathan Stark	$192,571
17. Andre Agassi	$180,950
18. Byron Black	$169,081
19. Yevgeny Kafelnikov	$163,847
20. Thomas Muster	$156,938
21. Karel Novacek	$155,855
22. Andrei Olhovskiy	$155,160
23. Patrick Rafter	$153,329
24. Jonas Bjorkman	$142,643
25. Marc Rosset	$142,464
26. Arnaud Boetsch	$140,445
27. Mark Woodforde	$135,271
28. Patrick McEnroe	$126,985
29. Tomas Carbonell	$126,062
30. Henri Leconte	$124,380

4-5A Baseball Standings

OVERALL

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
Midland Lee	**12**	**3**	**.800**
Odessa Permian	8	8	.500
Abilene Cooper	7	9	.438
Midland High	**5**	**11**	**.313**
Abilene High	4	10	.285
San Angelo	4	11	.267
Odessa High	2	13	.133

Note: Both Abilene High and Abilene Cooper have one tie in overall record.

Saturday's Results
Midland Lee 8, Odessa Permian 7; Midland High 11, Odessa High 2; San Angelo 16, Abilene High 2; Abilene Cooper idle.

DISTRICT 4-5A

TEAM	W	L	Pct.	GB
Midland Lee	**5**	**0**	**1.000**	**—**
Abilene Cooper	**4**	**0**	**1.000**	**—½**
Odessa Permian	3	1	.750	1
San Angelo	2	2	.500	2
Midland High	**1**	**3**	**.333**	**3**
Abilene High	0	4	.000	4
Odessa High	0	5	.000	4½

Tuesday's Schedule
Midland High at San Angelo, 4 p.m.; Midland Lee at Lubbock Coronado (2), 4 p.m.; Odessa Permian at Abilene Cooper, 4 p.m.; Abilene High at Odessa High, 4 p.m.

Lee-MHS Overall Statistics

Midland Lee
(12-3, 5-0)
HITTING

Player	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	bi	avg.
David Galvan	50	20	21	1	1	4	10	.420
E. Benavidez	52	22	24	4	0	1	7	.462
Kevin Jordan	51	25	25	6	1	2	13	.490
Chris Connally	44	20	21	2	2	1	18	.477
B. Henderson	47	18	16	3	0	1	13	.340
Ray Martinez	39	15	17	7	1	1	11	.436
D. Carrasco	31	4	11	1	1	0	12	.355
Britt Harper	38	9	18	5	0	0	13	.474
Mike Phillips	29	4	5	0	0	0	1	.172
David Romero	24	5	8	2	0	0	5	.333
Alex Hale	6	4	3	0	0	0	3	.500
Lance Watters	6	1	2	0	1	0	2	.333
Mark Holly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Sean Low	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Dedrick Adams	7	0	2	0	0	0	2	.286
Mike Carrasco	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	.250
Jose Jimenez	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Gilbert Zarate	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	.000
Char. Roberts	3	1	1	1	0	0	2	.333
Jeff Gauntt	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
T. Stephens	12	3	2	2	0	0	3	.167
Jose Vitela	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	1.000
A. Rodriguez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	450	154	178	36	7	10	119	.396

Stolen Bases (24): Galvan 8, Benavidez 10, Jordan 3, Connally 2, Henderson 1.
Sacrifices (7): Benavidez 1, Martinez 3, Harper 1, Zarate 1.
Errors (29): Galvan 1, Benavidez 5, Jordan 5, Connally 3, Henderson 5, Martinez 4, D. Carrasco 1, Harper 1, Phillips 1, Holly 1, Zarate 1, Watters 1.

PITCHING

Player	ip	h	er	bb	k	w	l	era
Britt Harper	27.0	34	22	18	18	4	0	5.70
Alex Hale	5.0	4	0	0	4	1	0	0.00
L. Watters	25.2	25	11	13	24	4	0	3.00
Mark Holly	12.0	10	4	6	14	2	0	2.33
Sean Low	7.2	10	6	3	7	1	0	5.48
D. Adams	1.1	5	4	2	2	0	1	20.99
G. Zarate	1.2	2	2	3	0	0	0	8.39
C. Roberts	12.0	10	8	10	6	0	1	4.67
T. Stephens	.1	5	6	3	0	0	1	25.75
Totals	92.2	105	63	58	75	12	3	4.75

Midland High
(5-11, 1-3)
HITTING

Player	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	bi	avg.
Abel Sanchez	47	12	11	0	1	0	10	.234
T. Stewart	35	9	7	0	0	0	1	.200
Rick Lawson	18	5	3	0	0	0	0	.167
Scott Riley	31	10	10	0	0	0	5	.322
Albert Flores	23	1	4	0	0	0	1	.173
Jeff Perez	9	1	2	0	0	0	1	.222
Clay Johnston	58	11	17	1	3	1	10	.293
Shane Denson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
S. Alvarado	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Chris Ward	25	5	7	1	0	0	1	.280
M. Valenzuela	23	2	7	2	0	0	1	.304
Chad Benson	40	10	13	4	0	0	10	.325
J. Chancellor	9	8	2	0	0	0	0	.222
Travis Bird	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	.333
Keith Lant	33	4	8	2	0	0	4	.242
K. Carrasco	42	2	11	0	0	0	7	.261
Gabe Lawson	46	12	11	0	0	0	11	.239
Jason Rogers	20	5	5	1	0	0	5	.250
Totals	462	98	119	11	4	1	64	.257

Stolen Bases: Johnston 5, RLawson 4, Sanchez 3, GLawson 2, Stewart 1, Riley 1, Flores 1, Ward 1, Benson 1, Rogers 1. **Total:** 20.
Sacrifices: Carrasco 2, M. Valenzuela 2, Sanchez 1, Stewart 1, Flores 1, GLawson 1, Chancellor 1, Benson 1. **Total:** 10.
Errors: Sanchez 11, Stewart 4, Riley 7, Flores 4, GLawson 4, Rogers 4, Valenzuela 3, Benson 3, Ward 2, Lant 3, Johnston 2, Carrasco 1, Denson 1, Alvarado 1. **Total:** 50.

PITCHING
(Only district statistics available)

Player	ip	h	er	bb	k	w	l	era
Benson	12.0	15	6	3	5	1	1	3.50
Lant	8.1	15	9	6	3	0	2	5.25
Alvarado	4.2	10	4	0	0	0	0	6.00
Rogers	.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Totals	25.0	40	19	9	8	1	3	5.32

Exhibition Baseball Linescores

Monday's Exhibition Linescores
By The Associated Press
At Plant City, Fla.
Houston 001 000 110—3 9 1
Cincinnati 050 100 02x—8 10 0
Kile, Edens (7), Jones (8) and Taubensee; Pugh, Brantley (7) and Dorsett, Oliver (7). W—Pugh, 2-2. L—Kile, 3-1. Sv—Brantley (4). HRs—Houston, Stankiewicz (1), Gonzalez (1). Cincinnati, Dorsett (1).
Tim Pugh allowed one run and struck out four for the victory, and Brian Dorsett had a homer and three RBIs. Houston's Darryl Kile gave up six runs on eight hits. Andy Stankiewicz had three hits, including a homer, for the Astros.

At St. Petersburg, Fla.
Texas 011 001 020—5 9 3
St. Louis 000 101 001—3 10 1
Rogers, Dreyer (7), Honeycutt (7), Whiteside (8), Oliver (9), Reed (9) and Rodriguez; Sutcliffe, Urbani (7), Perez (9) and Pappas, McGriff (8). W—Rogers, 1-3. L—Sutcliffe, 1-1. Sv—Reed (3). HRs—Texas, Redus (2

MC: Poss cuts back after 17 years

(From 1C)

competed during the past 17 years and that's an accomplishment which Delnor Poss helped achieve," said David Daniel, Midland College president. "We are grateful for his leadership but understand his wish for a lighter work load for the next few years.

"Joe Williams has demonstrated his ability both as a coach and as an outstanding instructor," Daniel continued. "His educational background, his service on national boards, and his organizational abilities are well known. We are confident of his abilities and are grateful for his willingness to accept this new assignment."

During his 17 years as athletic director, Poss has been responsible for Midland College athletic programs which have included men's and women's swimming, men's and women's golf, men's and women's tennis, and men's basketball.

Women's basketball is being added his fall. The coach of the new women's basketball program is Ron Jones, who played basketball for Poss at MC in 1977.

The swimming, tennis and women's golf programs were dropped due to lack of available competition at the conference and regional levels. Both swimming programs won national runner-up honors and produced numerous All-Americans. The women's golf team won a national championship in 1982, the same year the men's basketball program captured its only title. And the tennis teams produced national championships year after year.

The men's golf team has won a national championship, a second place, and several other top ten finishes. The current golf squad lost only one tournament this fall and is expected to be a strong contender for a national title in June.

The men's basketball teams have won more than 75 percent of their games, have been to the regional tournament 13 times in 19 years, winning six regional titles and finishing first, second, fourth, and sixth at national championship basketball tournaments.

Williams, who came to Midland College in 1983, directed the Chaparral tennis programs for 10 years until they were dropped in 1993. His players consistently won national and team titles, then won NCAA titles later.

Poss earned his B.B.A. degree from Hardin-Simmons University and his M.Ed. from Sul Ross University. Williams received his B.S. degree from Texas Tech University and his M.A. degree from the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

"The past 17 years of my employment at Midland College have been extremely rewarding and enjoyable. At the time of my employment, (then president) Al Langford advised me that Midland wanted an athletic program that would be competitive on a national level," Poss said. "I am extremely proud of our record in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference, Region V, and NJCAA national tournaments.

"Due to the support of the college administration, Board of Trustees, faculty and staff, Chaparral Booster Club, and the wonderful people of the Midland community, we have won 11 national championships in five different sports during these years. Midland College is one of the premiere community colleges in the United States and I feel honored to have been a part of the growth of this institution.

"I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all the exceptional people that have been a part of the development of our successful athletic programs."

MHS: 'Dogs seek first region trip

(From 1C)

losing. In contrast, as a third-place team, Austin may not have been expected to get this far.

The Panthers are something of a mystery to Bulldog coach Tom Esikhati. He wasn't able to acquire any video tape of the team and has little luck finding coaches who played the Panthers.

Austin finished third in District 1-5A behind El Paso Andress and El Paso Coronado. It split its regular season games with league champion Andress, winning a shootout and losing 3-1, before beating their 1-5A rival 3-0 in a sectional round playoff Friday in El Paso. The Panthers downed Hanks 3-2 in their earlier playoff win.

"Any team that can come to this round must be doing something good," Esikhati said.

Second-year Panther head coach Manny Rodriquez brought his team to Midland Monday to practice at Midland High's field. He said his team features a balanced attack that has peaked in the last games.

"We're jelling together (and) playing our best soccer right now," Rodriquez said.

Austin went 14-4 in district. This is the furtherst they've advanced in the playoffs, having won an area championship three years ago for its best season.

But the Bulldogs are more concerned with how they play than what Austin will bring to the game.

"We play great out of town, no matter where we go," defender Kiley Miller said, "but we haven't had any great games here yet and we need to come out and just make it one of our greatest games."

The home field gives the Bulldogs the crowd support advantage and the convenience of not having to travel to El Paso. Miller said the pressure of a late playoff game won't be new to Midland.

"You always feel pressure no matter what the playoff game, either from your town or your school or yourself," Miller said.

Rodriquez said he has never seen the Bulldogs play before, putting him and Esikhati in the same boat.

No matter. By 5:30 p.m. today, Midland High and El Paso Austin will know plenty about each other.

The other Region I quarterfinals pit Abilene High (16-5) against El Paso Del Valle (15-3) in El Paso, Arlington Martin (18-2) at Burleson (14-6) and Ft. Worth Arlington Heights (18-6-1) versus Richland (20-2) in Bedford.

Grand jury refuses to indict Russell

MISSOURI CITY, Texas (AP) — A Fort Bend County grand jury Monday refused to indict a man who shot a top high school basketball player he found in bed with his 14-year-old daughter.

Jason Williams was shot by Earl Russell, who told authorities the two got into a struggle after he discovered the youth in his daughter's bed around 4 a.m. on March 6.

Grand jurors declined to indict Russell on attempt murder charges, and the panel also refused to indict Williams on sexual assault charges. Williams, at age 17, is an adult in Texas, while the girl is a juvenile.

Prosecutors said both families had asked that no charges be filed against Russell and Williams.

LOCAL SPORTS

Chap golfers claim WTC event

SNYDER — Midland College, ranked No. 1 in the National Junior College Athletic Association golf poll, captured the Western Texas Invitational by five strokes Sunday.

The Chaps defeated host Western Texas College 925-930. the Midland College Gold team finished fifth in the two-day event, 27 strokes off the pace.

Western Texas' Cory Stone won the medalists tile with a 225. Midland College's Graham Davidson finished second at 229, Shawn Savage was third at 230 and Jason Garduno was fifth at 232.

Midland College returns to action April 5-7 at the Scottsdale, Ariz., Invitational. The event will be held on the course of the national tournament in June and will be the strongest tuneup for the Chaps prior to the national tournament.

Team Standings: 1. **Midland College Green 287-331-307—925**; 2. Western Texas College Green 301-321-308—930; 3. Odessa College Blue 293-332-307—932; 4. New Mexico Junior College Red 307-337-306—950; 5. **Midland College Gold 205-338-309—952;** 6. Odessa College White 203-339-315—956; 7. Western Texas College White 298-355-320—963; 8. New Mexico Military Institute 313-337-322—972; 9. New Mexico Junior College Gold 317-347-314—978.

Medalists: Cory Stone, WTC Green 72-77-76—225; **2. Graham Davidson, Midland College Green 70-86-73—229; 3. Shawn Savage, Midland College Green 68-84-78—230;** 4. Tommy Rosales, Odessa College Blue 76-78-77—231; **5. Jason Garduno, Midland College Green 73-79-80—232.**

Midland College Green (925): Jason Garduno 73-79-80—232; Jason Brooks 76-82-78—236; Chad Campbell 76-86-78—240.

Midland College Gold (952): Luke Mongrain 74-85-73—232; Lance McCullough 75-81-77—233; Ronnie Murray 78-84-80—242; Judd Burkett 78-88-79—245; Brian McKinley 78-99-89—266.

Lee's Low named to All-Star team

Midland Lee senior Sean Low, who helped lead the Rebels to the region quarterfinals, has been picked to play in the Texas High School Association's North-South All-Star basketball game in Houston on July 25 at the University of Houston.

Low, 6-2, averaged 21 points per game this season and averaged 32 points per game in the state playoffs. He was first team all-district and was named third team all-state by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches.

Low was named all-tournament twice, at the San Antonio Northside tournament and at the Tall City Invitational.

Local hoopsters win on BCI team

EL PASO — Four girls basketball players from the Permian Basin played on a West Texas team that won three of five games here this weekend at the Basketball Congress International National Senior Prep Classic.

Midland High's Julie Chancellor, Midland Lee's Dee Kendricks, Odessa High's Marissa Sandoval and Andrews' Stacy Bookout joined other graduating seniors from around West Texas to win their first three games of the tournament.

The team defeated teams from Tucson (61-45) and El Paso (62-33) and the defending national champion from Montana, 57-55, in overtime. The team then lost its next two games to drop out of the tournament.

Chancellor, an TABC Class 5A all-region selection, won the national three-point shooting contest.

Trinity netters split with Lee

The Trinity boys tennis team defeated Midland Lee 7-2 at the Lee courts Monday afternoon.

In girls play, Lee overwhelmed Trinity 9-0.

Trinity 7, Midland Lee 2

Boys Singles: David Stark, Lee d. Nathan Lawrence, 62-61; Chris Late, Trinity d. Eric Chandler 6-3, 6-4; Doug Scharbauer, Trinity d. Jonathan Howell 8-4; Joey Kubicki, Trinity d. Glen Abrams 6-4, 6-4; Matthew Gray, Trinity d. Josh Gahr 6-4, 7-6 (7-4); Steve Howard, Trinity d. Chris Peterson 6-2, 6-1.

Boys Doubles: Lawrence-Scharbauer, Trinity d. Chandler-Abrams 8-4; Gahr-Kerwin Tortillina, Lee d. Kubicki-Late 8-4; Howard-Gray, Trinity d. John Kieckna-Anu Agrawal 7-2.

Midland Lee 9, Trinity 0

Girls Singles: Rae McNeil, Lee d. Stephanie Hofer 8-4; Rebecca Ruda, Lee d. Sarah Gifford 8-1; Ginny Vernon, Lee d. Bessie Liedke 8-1; Emily Godbold, Lee d. Sarah Staffney 8-4; Theresa Burgess, Lee d. Heather Barlett 9-8 (7-4).

Girls Doubles: Vernon-Brandi Crawford, Lee d. Gifford-Staffney 8-1; Godblow-Burgess, Lee d. Hofer-Liedke 8-0; def.

Midland AAU defeats Lamesa

Chris Appel's 20 points led five players in double figures as the Midland 13-and-under AAU team defeated Lamesa's 14-and-under team 98-53 at Abell Junior High Sunday.

Matt Winston scored 15 points, Justin Wilson added 14 and J. Christian and Greg Fisher each scored 10 points for Midland.

The 13-and-under team will play Lamesa at Midland Christian High School today.

Former Stanton coach resigns

CANYON — Ron Steele, former offensive coordinator at Stanton High School, resigned as head football coach at West Texas A&M University Monday.

Steele coached WTAMU for two seasons, winning four games during his tenure.

West Texas A&M is a member of the Lone Star Conference along with Angelo State and Abilene Christian University.

A timetable for a replacement has not been set.

Rangers fourth at San Angelo

SAN ANGELO — The Greenwood Rangers scored 56 points and placed fourth in Division III of the San Angelo Relays over the weekend, winning three events.

Cody Hall was a double winner in the 100 and 200 while Greenwood won the sprint relay.

Greenwood Results: Sprint Relay: 1. Greenwood (Michael Shane Smith, Indavon Phonosa, T.J. Pfannenstiel, Cody Hall), 43.77. 100: 1. Cody Hall, 10.72. 200: 1. Cody Hall, 21.90. 400: 4. Indavon Phonosa, 52.01. 800: 5. Tony Centeno, 2:06. Shot Put: 2. Rusty Purser, 49-0. Discus: 5. Rusty Purser, 147-5.

Greenwood girls place second

SNYDER — The Greenwood seventh grade girls track team placed second behind Big Spring with 118 points in the Snyder track meet over the weekend.

Greenwood won four first places, including the 800 relay, Kristi Brown in the shot put, Kaci Nix in the discus and Courtnee Dickerson in the 100 hurdles.

Greenwood Results: 800 Relay: 1. (Courtnee Dickerson, Kaci Nix, Cara Watzl, Kahra Bruton). 3. 400 Relay (Dickerson, Nix, Angelica Guebara, Bruton). 1600 Relay: 2. (Nix, Watzl, Tanya Marcell, Bruton). Shot Put: 1. Kristi Brown. Discus: 1. Nix. Long Jump: 2. Bruton, 6. Amanda Carnett. High Jump: 2. Bruton, 6. Dickerson. Triple Jump: 3. Dickerson, 4. Guebara. 1600: 2. Amanda Glosson. 800: 6. Glosson. 100 Hurdles: 1. Dickerson. 100: 5. Watzl. 400: 6. Marcell.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.



TUESDAY

BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Monday $14.08
- Previous Close $15.13
- One Year Ago $20.41

POSTED PRICE
- Today $12.50
- Previous Week $13.75
- One Year Ago $19.00

T-bills fall

WASHINGTON — Interest rates on short-term Treasury securities fell in Monday's auction but a separate index used in determining mortgage rates rose.

The Treasury Department sold $12.7 billion in three-month bills at an average discount rate of 3.50 percent, down from 3.61 percent last week. Another $12.6 billion was sold in six-month bills at an average discount rate of 3.85 percent, down from 3.90 percent.

The three-month bill rate was the lowest since they sold for 3.40 percent on Feb. 28. The six-month bill rate was the lowest since they averaged 3.75 percent on March 7.

The new discount rates understate the actual return to investors — 3.58 percent for three-month bills with a $10,000 bill selling for $9,911.50 and 3.98 percent for a six-month bill selling for $9,805.40.

In a separate report, the Federal Reserve said Monday that the average yield for one-year Treasury bills, the most popular index for making changes in adjustable rate mortgages, rose to 4.36 percent last week from 4.31 percent the previous week.

Dollar mixed

NEW YORK — The dollar rose against most European currencies on Monday but fell to its lowest level in over four months against the lira, which gained after a conservative party emerged as the likely victor in Italian national elections.

The dollar also fell against the Japanese yen.

Gold prices fell domestically after finishing mixed overseas. On the New York Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery closed at $388.00 a troy ounce, off $3.00 from Friday.

In New York, the dollar finished at 104.10 yen, down from 104.85 yen Friday.

Other dollar rates in New York, compared with late Friday: 1.6720 German marks, up from 1.6665; 1.4215 Swiss francs, up from 1.4170; 5.7140 French francs, up from 5.7073; 1,627 Italian lire, down from 1,649; and 1.3743 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3758.

In New York, the pound ended at $1.4965, cheaper than $1.4975 Friday.

On the New York Comex, silver for current delivery closed at $5.679 a troy ounce, off 10.2 cents from Friday.

Stocks tumble

NEW YORK — Oil and technology shares led stocks lower on Monday as investors worried about the world political scene.

The Dow Jones industrial average hit its lows for the year before recovering late in the session to close down 12.38 points at 3,762.35.

Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 12 to 5 on the New York Stock Exchange.

THE TALK OF THE TOWN
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For business and financial updates, enter category 1500; for updates on West Texas Intermediate, choose category 1211 Monday-Friday.

Defense contractor opens bidding

Grumman tries to cut short any chance of long fight, sets deadline for best offers

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Grumman Corp. tried to cut short any chance of a long bidding fight Monday, telling its suitors, Northrop Corp. and Martin Marietta Corp., to make their best takeover offers by Thursday evening.

Grumman chairman Renso Caporali said in a letter to both companies that he wants to end uncertainty that has sprung up since Northrop offered $60 per share, besting the $55-per-share deal Grumman signed with Martin Marietta.

The Grumman board "has determined that it is in the best interests of the shareholders of the company to have a free and open competitive bidding for the company," Caporali wrote.

But Northrop complained that the rules favor Martin Marietta. In a letter Monday to Caporali, Northrop chairman Kent Kresa complained that if Northrop wins, Grumman would owe Martin Marietta a $50 million fee. Northrop has previously called the fee illegal and Kresa said it puts Northrop at a disadvantage.

Northrop also said that by seeking another round of offers, the auction puts Northrop in a position of bidding against itself. Northrop also said it should have the opportunity to top any further Martin Marietta bid.

Grumman left open the possibility of more bidding beyond the deadline by saying it could change the rules. However, many doubt that either competitor wants a frenzied auction that could draw more scrutiny from the Pentagon and Congress.

The stock market has been expecting higher bids for Grumman and so far has been disappointed. Martin Marietta, which had said it would respond "appropriately" to Northrop's offer, said on Monday it was considering all options.

Martin Marietta had sought to avoid a bidding contest when it reached its agreement with Grumman, which valued the company at $1.93 billion. The $50 million fee referred to in Kresa's letter was intended to discourage rival offers. The agreement also requires Grumman to pay Martin Marietta up to $8.8 million in expenses if another company buys Grumman.

Martin Marietta has lined up $2.4 billion in loans to pay for the buyout, while Northrop, which has put a $2.04 billion value on the company, has commitments for $2.8 billion in bank loans.

Northrop's stock fell sharply Monday, apparently a sign that investors expect Northrop to win the bidding. The stock price for a company making an acquisition typically goes down as investors consider the extra debt payments the company will have to make.

Many on Wall Street believe Northrop wants and needs Grumman more than Martin Marietta. Bethesda, Md.-based Martin Marietta has already consolidated its position as the maker of some of the country's biggest rockets.

Northrop, meanwhile, hasn't been able to put together a big purchase that would give it preeminence in a particular area as Pentagon budgets shrink. Northrop, based in Los Angeles, is best known as the maker of the B-2 stealth bomber, a project that is to end by the turn of the century. Northrop covets Grumman's defense electronics business.

Grumman's main product since losing primary contracting jobs on Navy jets has been the JSTARS aircraft-borne radar system.

Grumman's stock has been trading at just less than $65 per share since Northrop made its hostile bid more than two weeks ago.



AP Laserphoto

Video banking machine

The new video banking machine from Huntinton National Bank in Columbus, Ohio, allows customers interact with a personal banker through live video. It is the first machine in North America that has real-time, two-way, full-motion video conferencing capabilities.

MC schedules back-to-back forums for oil, gas extraction

Staff Report

Back-to-back seminars on Environmental Compliance and Waste Management are scheduled at Midland College.

The Environmental Seminar will be April 6 and 7, with the Waste Management program on April 8.

For payments made or postmarked not later than March 31, the cost is $200 for the Environmental program and $100 for Waste Management. After that date, the cost is $250 and $125 respectively.

The two-day Environmental Compliance Seminar is scheduled to meet from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days, while the Waste Management Seminar begins at 7:30 a.m. and ends at 4:30 p.m.

Registrations should be made through the Midland College Continuing Education Office, Administration Building, or by calling 685-4518.

Registrations made by transferred, but not canceled after March 31.

Both seminars are designed especially for the oil and gas extraction industry, targeting needs of the gas plant supervisors and superintendents, and their support staffs with special attention to environmental coordinators and consultants.

Topics for the Environmental Seminar include: management philosophy and the conflict between compliance and operating costs; discharge, wetlands and stormwater permitting and spill prevention control and countermeasure plans; surface and groundwater protection and remediation; underground injection control requirements; Texas Railroad Commission Rule 8 — completion and plugging issues; reporting oil, brine, and chemical releases and submitting chemical inventories; air permits and exemptions; hazardous and non-hazardous oil field waste management; housekeeping; developing and internal environmental review system; and weathering a regulatory audit.

Fortune 500 lineup shows strong profits for U.S. companies

NEW YORK (AP) — After losing money in 1992, America's biggest industrial companies earned $62.6 billion in 1993 while slashing thousands of workers, Fortune magazine reports.

The profit figure in the magazine's annual ranking of the top 500 corporations would be enough to wipe out the 1993 U.S. trade deficit with Japan.

The magazine called the results a business-comeback version of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's World War II return to the Philippines, Richard Nixon's 1968 resurrection and "the reheating of aging rock star Meat Loaf in time to win a 1994 Grammy Award."

Extolling what it called the ingenuity of U.S. business, Fortune attributed the improvement largely to "American industry's steady, relentless drive to raise productivity, improve quality and boost competitiveness."

Also helping were a decline in long-term interest rates that lowered the cost of borrowing, a broad pickup in the U.S. economy and the expensive Japanese yen, which made U.S.-built products ranging from cars to computers more affordable than comparable Japanese goods.

The improvement didn't benefit the U.S. job picture, however. Total employment among the 500 fell for the ninth straight year, from 11.8 million to 11.5 million. The trend confirms a pattern of dwindling employment opportunities as businesses get more efficient with fewer workers.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

As rule, survivor inherits jointly owned asset

By Bill Doyle

Q: I am involved in probating a will in which a church is named as sole beneficiary of the estate's assets. But among those assets are certificates of deposit naming a person who is still living as joint owner or co-owner.



Doyle

Specifically, some of the CDs are in joint ownership, registered in the names of John Doe — the dead person — "and" Mary Smith. Other CDs are in co-ownership, registered in the names of John Doe "or" Mary Smith. There is no mention of "right of survivorship" or "P.O.D.," meaning payable on death.

Under these conditions, should the CDs be distributed to the church or to Mary Smith?

A: Mary is almost certainly entitled to them.

In virtually all cases where an asset is in joint ownership form or co-ownership form and one of the two owners dies, the survivor automatically becomes the sole owner.

The only exceptions are when the joint ownership or co-ownership registration includes the words "without right of survivorship."

CDs and other assets in joint ownership and co-ownership, go to the survivor outside the will and are not subject to the often expensive and time-consuming probate process.

Keep in mind that probate is the procedure through which a court accepts or rejects a will as being valid. It stands to reason that assets passing outside a will avoid probate.

But don't get the idea that avoiding probate eliminates "death" taxes, if any are due. The federal government levies an estate tax. All 50 states now have estate or inheritance taxes, and some have both.

Q: First of all, I know nothing about investing and don't even know if I have enough money to invest. I would like to retire in December, at age 62.

I have three bank individual retirement accounts, valued at $4,752, $2,362 and $2,053. I will get another $2,000 IRA soon. My regular savings account is over $3,600. I have had a 401(k) retirement plan at work for almost six years, but I don't know what it is worth at this time. I also own stock in a department store company.

I am looking for a way to invest in a bank and receive monthly interest payments — without a charge. What do you advise?

A: First off, you do have enough to invest and are already doing so in a very conservative manner, with your IRAs and 401(k).

Considering your lack of knowledge about things financial, the natural advice to you is to "stay the course" by sticking with safe investments. Don't put money where it would be at risk. Based on your letter, you can't afford to lose anything.

Bank CDs with Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. coverage are a natural for you. You probably have some already in your IRAs. Renew those IRA CDs as they mature. But make sure the CDs pay interest monthly or more frequently, to provide the steady income you seek.

Also, be certain the banks do not charge an early-withdrawal penalty for taking CD interest monthly. Most bank waive that penalty for IRA participants past age 59½. But some don't.

Your big problem is whether you will have enough income to retire. You probably won't make it on Social Security benefits and the assets you mention, unless your 401(k) is mighty large and you have an additional source of income.

Q: I have just reached age 70½ and have IRAs at two banks. How do I get the total from each bank, so that I can start making the required withdrawals?

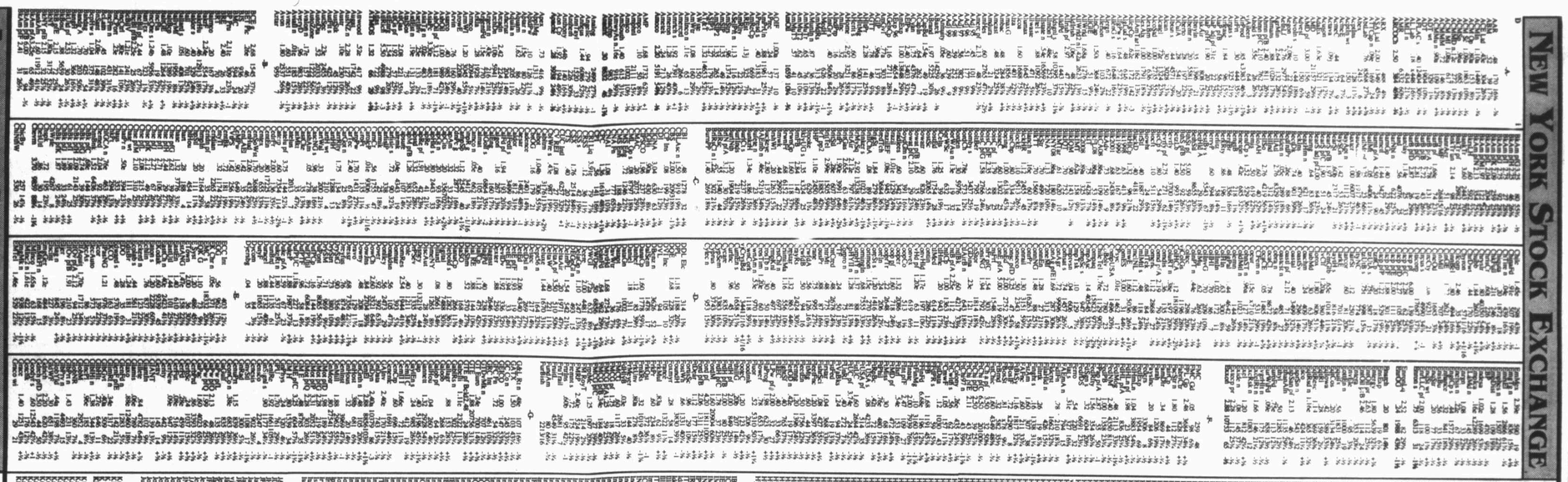
A: The balance in each IRA has got to be printed in the periodic statements you receive. Surely, both banks sent year-end statements to you. On the off chance they didn't, visit or phone the banks and request that information.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

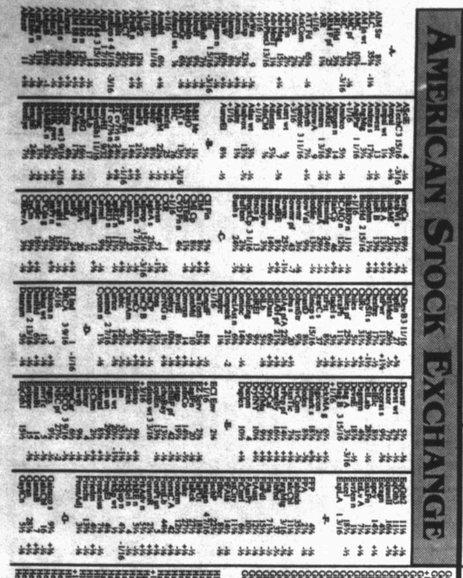
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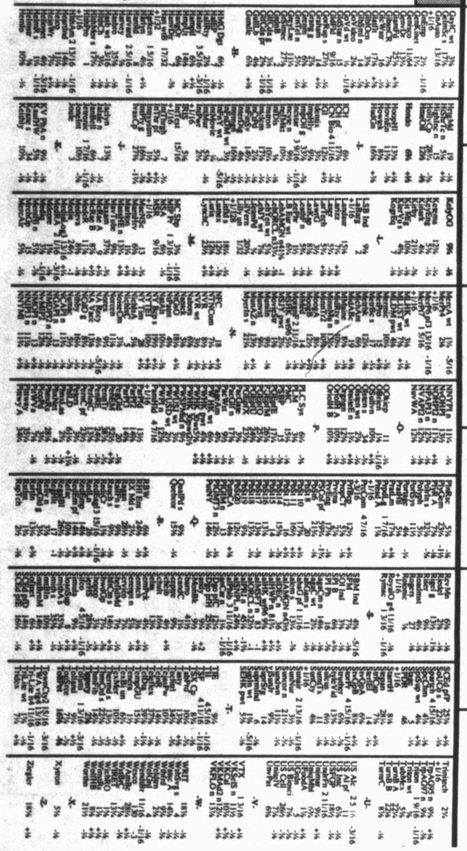
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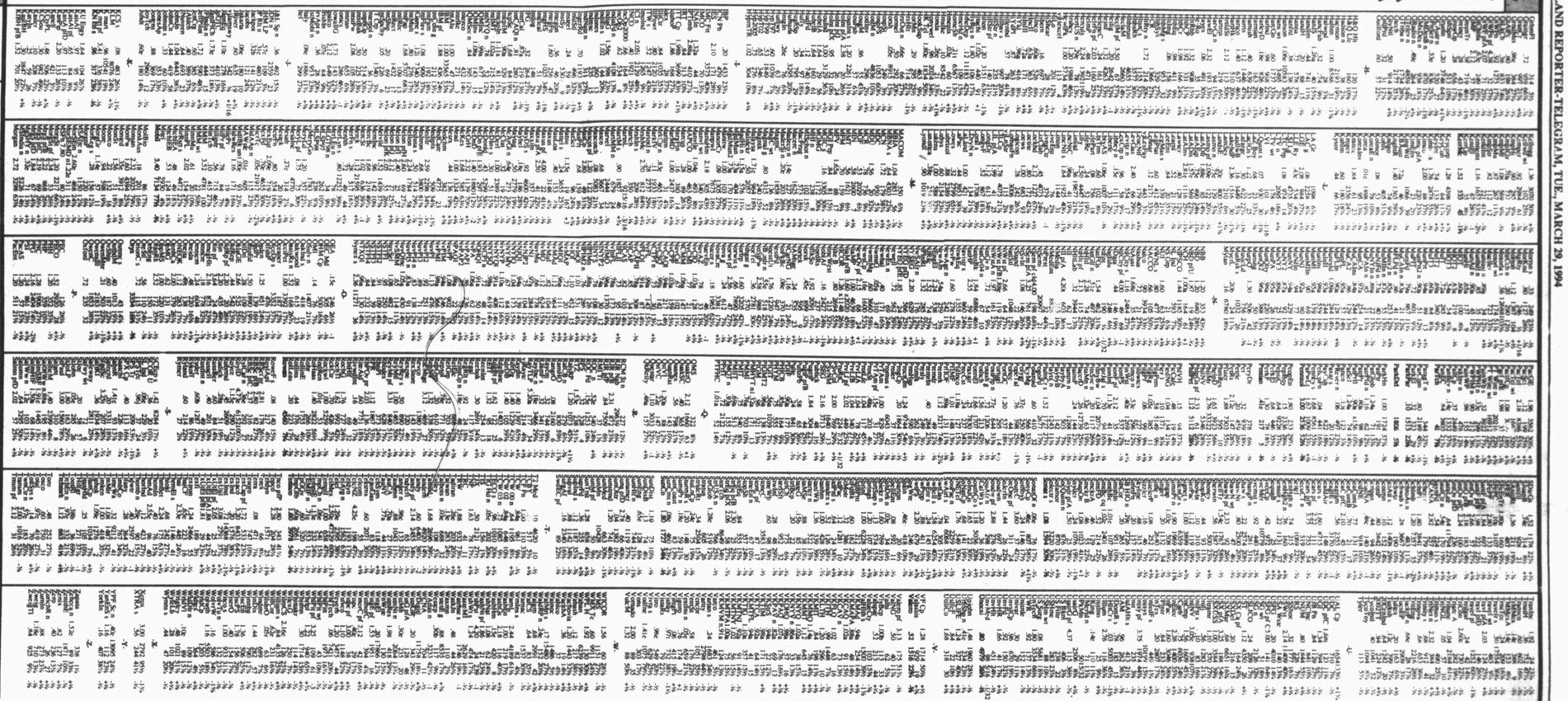
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	Buy	Sell	Chg.
NAAL Mutual:			
Bond p	9.91	10.40	—.01
CaGr p	14.69	15.42	+.03
MuBd p	10.80	11.34	—.03
ShtDur	10.02	N.L.	—
SmCoSt	10.81	11.35	—.18
AARP Invst:			
CaGr	32.72	N.L.	—.37
GlniM	15.26	N.L.	—.03
GblInc	33.00	N.L.	—.19
HQ Bd	15.88	N.L.	—
TxFBd	17.57	N.L.	—.06
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	15.03	15.78	—.26
FL Hi	10.28	10.79	—.03
FL TF	10.97	11.52	—.02
Gblnc p	10.58	11.11	—.13
Utilln p	11.84	12.43	+.05
AHA Funds:			
Balan	12.15	N.L.	—.01
Full	9.82	N.L.	—
Lim	10.23	N.L.	—
AIM Funds:			
AdjGv p	9.75	9.85	
Agrsv p	25.78	27.26	—.46
Chart p	8.94	9.46	—.04
Const p	17.92	18.96	—.30
GoSc p	9.65	10.13	
Grth p	11.43	12.10	—.16
HYdA p	10.01	10.51	—.02
Inco p	7.92	8.31	—.01
IntlE p	12.64	13.38	—.01
LimM p	10.02	10.12	
MuB p	8.26	8.67	—.01
Sumit	9.77	—	—.10
TeCT p	10.84	11.38	—.02
TF Int	10.72	10.83	—.01
Util p	13.22	13.99	+.07
ValuB t	21.71	21.71	—.25
Valu p	21.74	23.01	—.26
Wcing p	17.43	18.44	—.12
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg	9.93	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.67	N.L.	
IntlLiq	10.68	N.L.	—.01
MtgSc	10.71	N.L.	—.01
AMK Funds:			
CapGr	10.66	N.L.	—.08
GrInc	10.43	N.L.	—.07
Income	9.82	N.L.	
AcomIn	16.03	16.03	—.03
AcomF	13.57	13.57	—.12
AdsnCa p	21.75	22.42	—.21
AdvCBal p	10.36	N.L.	—.04
AdvCRet p	10.13	N.L.	+.01
Advest Advsrs:			
Govt p	9.45	9.45	+.01
Gwth p	16.97	16.97	—.16
HY Bd p	9.42	9.42	—.02
Inco p	12.80	12.80	—.03
Aetna Funds:			
Aetna	10.73	N.L.	—.02
Bond	10.09	N.L.	—.01
GrwInco	10.99	N.L.	—
IntlGr	11.13	N.L.	+.09
Alger Funds:			
Grwth t	20.77	20.77	—.17
SmCap t	22.26	22.26	—.40
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.84	7.14	—.07
Balan p	13.62	14.22	—.05
BalB t	14.69	14.69	—.10
BondA p	13.64	14.25	—.12
CpBB p	13.63	13.63	—.12
CpBC p	13.63	13.63	—.12
Count p	17.29	18.06	—.09
GlbSA p	11.69	12.21	—.15
GlovtA p	8.16	8.52	
GlovtB p	8.16	8.16	
GovtC p	8.15	8.15	—.01
GrInc p	2.35	2.45	—.01
GthP p	24.65	25.74	—.26
GwthB t	20.93	20.93	—.23
GrIncB p	2.34	2.34	—.01
InMA p	9.80	10.23	—.05
InsMB	9.80	9.80	—.05
IntlA p	17.94	18.74	+.12
MrtgA p	8.84	9.23	—.03
MrtgB p	8.84	8.84	—.03
MrtgC p	8.84	8.84	—.03
MtgTA p	9.83	10.27	
MtgTB p	9.83	9.83	
MtgTC p	9.83	9.83	
MtlG	9.92	10.02	—.08
MMSA p	8.47	8.85	+.02
MMSB t	8.47	8.47	+.02
MCAA p	10.18	10.63	—.04
MCAB p	10.18	10.18	—.04
MCAC p	10.18	10.18	—.04
MFLC p	9.41	9.41	—.05
MIICAA p	12.91	13.48	—.06
MINB p	10.16	10.16	—.04
MNY A p	9.51	9.93	—.04
MNYB p	9.51	9.51	—.04
MNYC p	9.51	9.51	—.04
NMuA p	10.16	10.61	—.03
NMuC p	10.16	10.16	—.03
NEur p	12.35	12.90	+.10
NAGVA	9.40	9.82	—.06
NAGB p	9.40	9.40	—.06
NAGvC	9.40	9.40	—.05
PGthA p	11.99	12.52	—.07
PGthB p	11.91	11.91	—.07
QuszA p	23.89	24.95	—.39
ST Mla p	8.96	9.36	+.02
ST Mlb t	8.96	8.96	+.02
Tech p	27.67	28.90	—.61
WldIn p			
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	11.83	12.39	—.03
Bond	10.82	11.15	
Equity	14.77	15.47	—.06
LtdMat	10.41	10.73	
RegEq	17.01	17.81	—.08
Ambassador Fld:			
Bond	9.70	N.L.	
CoreGr	16.76	N.L.	—.19
Grwth	13.70	N.L.	—.20
IdxStk	11.91	N.L.	—.01
IntBond	9.72	N.L.	
IntlStk	12.97	N.L.	—.06
SCoGr	14.18	N.L.	—.22
Ambassador Inv:			
CoreGr	16.75	N.L.	—.19
Grwth	13.69	N.L.	—.20
IntBond	9.72	N.L.	
TFIndBd	10.28	N.L.	—.01
Amncore Vintage:			
Equity	10.36	10.82	—.03
FxInco	9.97	10.36	
Amer AAdvant:			
Balan	12.15	N.L.	—.01
Equity	13.71	N.L.	—.03
IntlEq	12.21	N.L.	+.01
LtdTr	9.92	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	16.04	17.02	—.08
CpBdA p	6.95	7.30	+.02
EGA p	25.61	27.17	—.45
EGB p	25.15	25.15	—.45
EmtA p	12.25	13.00	—.17
EmtB p	12.18	12.18	—.17
EqIncA p	5.42	5.75	—.03
EqIncB t	5.42	5.42	—.02
Exch	110.73	—	—
1.21			
FMgA p	12.23	12.51	
GlGvA p	8.58	9.01	+.03
GlGvB p	8.61	N.L.	+.02
GvScA p	10.32	10.83	
GvScB p	10.33	10.33	
GvScC p	10.31	10.31	
GvTIA p	8.61	9.04	—.01
GvTIB p	8.61	8.61	
GvTIC p	8.61	8.61	
GrInc p	12.64	13.41	—.09
HarbA p	14.63	15.52	—.12
HarbB p	14.58	14.58	—.12
HiYldA p	6.60	6.93	—.02
HiYldB p	6.61	6.61	—.02
MuBA p	10.17	10.68	
PaceA p	11.61	12.32	—.08
TEHA p	10.94	11.49	—.01
TEHB p	10.94	10.94	—.01
TxEIA p	11.26	11.82	—.01
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.16	12.90	
Amcp p	12.80	13.58	—.07
AMutl p	21.57	22.89	+.04
Bond p	13.84	14.53	—.02
CapIB p	32.83	34.83	+.07
CapWP p	15.68	16.46	+.03
CapWG	17.75	18.83	+.01
Eupac p	22.23	23.59	+.03
FdInv p	18.02	19.12	—.05
Govt p	13.72	14.40	
Gwth p	26.86	28.50	—.26
HI Tr p	14.81	15.55	—.05
Inco p	13.86	14.71	—.03
IntBd p	13.77	14.46	—.01
ICA p	18.34	19.46	—.07
LtTEB	14.19	14.90	—.03
NEco p	30.15	31.99	—.24
N Per p	15.01	15.93	—.03
SmCp p	23.56	25.00	—.24
TxEx p	11.80	12.39	—.03
TECA p	15.52	16.29	—.05
TEMd p	15.20	15.96	—.03
TEVA p	15.69	16.47	—.03
Wsh p	17.25	18.30	+.02
A GblFd	9.54	10.12	—.06
A Herig	1.31	N.L.	—.03
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.20	4.46	—.02
Inco	21.34	22.64	—.08
API Gr fp	12.83	N.L.	—.05
Am Perform:			
Equity	11.52	12.00	—.02
IntBd	10.47	10.79	—.01
AmUtlFd	21.58	N.L.	+.10
Amway f	7.69	7.93	—.05
Analyt	11.96	N.L.	—.01
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.41	10.84	—.03
CO TF	10.28	10.71	—.03
HI TF	11.34	11.81	—.03
KY TF	10.49	10.93	—.03
OR TF	10.49	10.93	—.03
Atlas Funds:			
CaMuni	10.98	11.32	—.04
GvtSc	10.18	10.49	—.03
GroInc	14.28	14.72	—.15
NaMuni	11.04	11.38	—.04
BB&T Funds:			
GrolncT	11.31	N.L.	—.01
IntGovT	9.78	N.L.	—.01
BBA Funds:			
EMkE	22.18	22.18	—.23
IntlEq	19.35	19.35	+.04
StgFx p	16.59	16.59	—.17
BFMShDu	9.63	N.L.	—.01
BJBGIA p	11.77	12.26	+.02
BNY Hamilton:			
Eqlnc	11.18	N.L.	—.09
IntGovt	9.71	N.L.	—.01
NY TE	10.05	N.L.	—.02
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.57	N.L.	
Bond S	10.00	N.L.	—.01
Enetrp	16.87	N.L.	—.15
Gwth	13.06	N.L.	
Intl	16.36	N.L.	
Shadw	12.62	N.L.	—.11
UMB B	11.07	N.L.	—.01
UMB St		N.L.	
Value	25.68	N.L.	—.18
BarBonDirRelMidCalcor:			
Diversa	12.65	N.L.	—.04
IntlEq	6.15	N.L.	—
IntlFI	9.33	N.L.	—.02
Baird Funds:			
Adjinc	9.93	10.26	
BlChip p	18.52	19.65	+.01
CapDv p	23.71	25.16	—.18
Bankers Trust:			
IntslEq	10.60	N.L.	—.02
IntvUtl	10.34	N.L.	+.02
Basnsl	21.61	N.L.	—.31
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	15.33	N.L.	—.03
Fixedl	10.06	N.L.	—
VI Inst	12.66	N.L.	—.03
BayFunds Invest:			
STYield	9.82	N.L.	—.01
Bond	9.87	N.L.	—.01
Equity x	10.82	N.L.	—.14
BSEmD	9.18	9.61	—.32
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA	19.72	N.L.	+.01
DivGrA	10.53	N.L.	—.09
EqIdxA	10.76	N.L.	—.01
ShtDur	10.02	N.L.	—
SIBdA	19.98	N.L.	—
SmCalA	11.59	N.L.	—.17
USTIdxA	19.91	N.L.	+.02
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.76	N.L.	—
CaTFI	10.95	N.L.	—.02
CatFln	9.79	N.L.	—.03
CaTFS	10.17	N.L.	—
CatFH	9.17	N.L.	—.04
CatFL	11.02	N.L.	—.05
EqGro	11.93	N.L.	—.02
EurBd	10.68	N.L.	—
GNMA	10.42	N.L.	—.03
GoldIn	13.53	N.L.	—.17
IncGro	14.79	N.L.	—.01
NITFI	10.70	N.L.	—.02
NITFL	11.43	N.L.	—.04
Tg1995	94.14	N.L.	—
Tg2000	68.58	N.L.	—.11
Tg2005	47.58	N.L.	—.11
Tg2010	34.59	N.L.	+.07
Tg2015	25.93	N.L.	+.15
Tg2020	18.02	N.L.	+.13
TNote	10.22	N.L.	—
UtilIn	9.55	N.L.	+.06
Berger Group:			
100 p	16.48	N.L.	—.25
101 p	11.53	N.L.	—.09
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.56	N.L.	+.01
ShtDur	12.52	N.L.	—.01
IntDur	13.10	N.L.	+.01
Ca Mu	13.36	N.L.	—.02
DivMu	13.30	N.L.	—.02
NYMu	13.29	N.L.	—.02
IntlVal	16.66	N.L.	+.14
BcrwynFd	18.86	N.L.	—.26
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	10.23	10.71	—.03
Equity	10.37	10.86	—.04
EqIndx	10.38	10.87	
FixedIn	9.55	10.00	
STFixIn	9.77	10.23	
SCMuni	10.79	11.30	—.02
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	4.96	N.L.	+.01
GlGr p	10.29	N.L.	—.05
PrcM p	9.44	N.L.	—.11
ST Gl	1.81	N.L.	
BdEndw	17.39	N.L.	—.01
Boston Co Inst:			
CaApB p	28.18	N.L.	—.14
Boston Co Retail:			
CapAA p	28.18	N.L.	—.14
MgdIA p	11.05	N.L.	—.03
SpGrA p	17.06	N.L.	—.23
Boulevard Funds:			
Mangin	9.66	9.96	
Brinson Funds:			
Global f	10.62	N.L.	—.01
NUSEqt	9.76	N.L.	+.04
Brndyw	25.85	N.L.	—.45
BrundgSI	10.50	N.L.	—.01
Bull & Bear Gp:			
GlbInc px	8.95	N.L.	—.11
Gold p	17.47	N.L.	—.24
SpEq p	21.50	N.L.	—.50
Bumtm p	20.52	21.15	—.04
C&SUtly	34.52	N.L.	—.22
CDM Funds:			
CapDv	27.99	N.L.	—.48
Mutl	28.29	N.L.	—.16
California Trust:			
CalInc	12.40	N.L.	—.04
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	29.66	31.14	—.34
ArielA	22.70	23.83	—.22
GlobEq	17.94	18.83	—.01
Inco	16.84	17.50	—.01
MunInt	10.14	10.43	—.02
Social p	29.80	31.29	—.08
SocBd	16.32	16.96	—.01
SocEq	21.93	23.02	—.17
TxF Lt	10.69	10.91	
TxF Lg	16.48	17.12	—.04
TxF VT	16.14	16.77	—.03
Cambridge Fds:			
GvInA	13.30	13.96	—.02
CapGB t	14.79	14.79	—.14
GvInB t	13.31	13.31	—.03
GwthB t	15.65	15.65	—.17
MuInB t	14.96	14.96	—.06
CapitolEq		N.L.	
Capstone Group:			
US Trnd	13.50	14.17	—.05
Cardinal Family:			
Fund	12.86	13.68	—.04
GvtOblg	8.31	8.70	—.01
CnKBlA	15.45	15.45	+.05
CnKBlB	15.42	16.15	+.05
Cnt Sts	23.17	N.L.	—.02
ChesGrth	14.19	14.63	—.34
Chestnut	148.49	N.L.	+.06
Clipper	49.16	N.L.	—.45
Colonial Funds:			
CalTE A	7.21	7.57	—.02
ConTE A	7.42	7.79	—.03
FedSA	10.67	11.20	—.02
FundA	8.23	8.73	—.05
GrthA p	14.14	15.00	—.14
HiYldA	6.93	7.28	—.01
IncoA p	6.45	6.77	—.01
MATxA	7.70	8.08	—.03
MITE A	6.89	7.23	—.03
MN TE A	7.11	7.46	—.03
NY TE A	7.05	7.40	—.02
OhTE A	7.20	7.56	—.03
StrtInA	7.14	7.50	—.01
TxEA p	13.40	14.07	—.04
TxInsA p	8.11	8.51	—.03
USGrA	11.99	12.72	—.02
USGvA	6.58	6.91	—.01
UtilA p	12.76	13.40	+.10
CATEB t	7.21	7.21	—.02
CATxFB t	7.42	7.42	—.03
FedSB t	10.67	10.67	—.02
FundB t	8.23	8.23	—.05
GlEqB	12.38	12.38	—.03
GwthB t	14.08	14.08	—.14
HYMB t	9.99	9.99	—.03
HYSecB t	6.93	6.93	—.01
MATxB t	7.70	7.70	—.03
NYTxB t	7.05	7.05	—.02
OHTxB t	7.20	7.20	—.03
StrInB t	7.14	7.14	—.01
TxExB t	13.40	13.40	—.04
TEInsB t	8.11	8.11	—.03
USGrB t	11.90	11.90	—.02
USGvB t	6.58	6.58	—.01
UtilB t	12.76	12.76	+.10
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	17.85	N.L.	—.04
ComStk	15.43	N.L.	—.05
Fixed	12.93	N.L.	—.02
Govt	8.23	N.L.	—
Grwth	26.53	N.L.	—.22
IndStk	13.21	N.L.	+.09
Muni	12.10	N.L.	—.02
Speci	20.26	N.L.	—.26
Common Sense:			
Govt	10.66	11.43	—.01
GrInc	15.81	17.28	—.08
Grwth	15.32	16.74	—.15
MunB	13.52	14.19	—.01
Compass Capital:			
Eqlnc	12.60	13.09	—.05
FixdIn	10.49	10.90	
Grwth	11.02	11.45	—.09
IntlFI	10.67	11.09	+.02
NJ Mun	11.05	11.48	—.03
ShInt	10.41	10.82	
Composite Group:			
BdStk p	11.74	12.29	—.02
Gwth p	12.37	12.95	—.05
IntFd p	8.93	9.30	—.02
NW50 p	14.85	15.55	—.14
TxEx p	7.59	7.91	—.03
USGv p	10.33	10.76	—.02
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	14.86	15.16	—.08
Conn Mutual:			
Govt x	10.45	10.89	—.06
Grwth	15.22	16.02	—.13
Income x	9.62	9.82	—.07
TotRet	14.43	15.19	—.07
Copley	20.34	N.L.	+.08
CoreFunds:			
BalanA	10.52	N.L.	—.03
EqIdx	21.31	N.L.	—.02
GtEqA	10.07	N.L.	—.16
IntBdA	9.83	N.L.	—.01
IntlGrA	13.24	N.L.	+.02
Cowen	10.97	11.53	+.01
Crabbe Huson:			
AstAll p	13.15	N.L.	—.06
Equity p	16.28	N.L.	—.12
CrestFunds Trust:			
Bond	9.73	N.L.	—.02
SI Bd	9.87	N.L.	—.01
Value	11.14	N.L.	—.04
VAMu	9.87	N.L.	—.03
CuFd Adj	10.00	N.L.	
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.68	10.90	—.01
GvtInc	9.71	9.91	+.01
LTGvt	9.79	9.99	
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	22.96	22.96	—.34
CalTF t	12.67	12.67	—.04
CapGr t	21.44	22.14	—.08
Convrt t	11.07	11.07	—.08
DevGr t	18.63	18.63	—.49
DivGr t	30.16	30.16	+.06
DivIn t	9.90	9.90	
EqtInc t	8.49	8.49	
Euro t	12.43	12.43	+.02
Glbl t	8.88	8.88	+.01
GlbDiv t	10.98	10.98	
FedSec t	9.35	9.35	+.01
HthSc t	11.00	11.00	—.26
HiYld f	7.84	8.30	—.01
MuAZ t	10.28	10.71	—.04
Immd t	9.74	9.74	
LtdMun	9.80	9.80	—.03
MuCA t	10.37	10.80	—.04
MUFL t	10.48	10.92	—.04
MUNJ t	10.40	10.83	—.05
MltPA t	10.43	10.86	—.04
NYTF t	11.81	11.81	—.04
NtlRs t	11.77	11.77	—.19
PacGr t			
PecM t	12.13	12.13	—.15
Premr p	8.92	9.20	
SelMu p	12.17	12.17	—.04
Mngd t	10.89	10.89	
ST US p	10.05	10.05	
Strat t	14.77	14.77	—.05
TaxEx	11.77	12.26	—.04
USGvt t	8.94	8.94	
Util f	13.48	13.48	+.06
ValAd t	20.07	20.07	—.10
WWIn	8.71	8.71	+.02
WldW t			
TC Bal p	9.75	9.75	—.03
TCCor t	12.60	12.60	—.14
TC Inc	10.63	10.63	—.05
TCLat t	13.60	13.60	—.27
TCNor fp	9.69	9.69	
TCSCp t	10.12	10.12	—.27
Del Grp Instl:			
DlchI	6.97	6.97	—.01
TsyRsI	9.58	9.58	—.01
Delaware Group:			
Trend p	13.75	14.60	—.20
Value p	20.86	22.13	—.16
Delcp p	26.36	27.97	—.42
DectrI	16.44	17.97	—.10
DectIl p	12.77	13.55	—.07
Delaw p	18.42	19.54	—.08
IndEq p	12.20	12.94	—.03
Delch p	6.97	7.32	—.01
USGvt p	8.39	8.81	
Treas p	9.58	9.88	—.01
TxUS p	12.24	12.85	—.01
TxIns p	11.16	11.72	
TxFFa p	8.45	8.87	—.02
Dimensional Fds:			
US Lg	13.77	N.L.	—.02
US Sm	8.74	N.L.	—.11
US 6-10	11.89	N.L.	—.14
Japan	26.03	N.L.	+.18
UKing	24.29	N.L.	—.01
Cont	14.98	N.L.	+.05
Fixd	101.72	N.L.	+.03
GlBd	101.17	N.L.	—.04
Govt	103.23	N.L.	—.03
IntGv	109.94	N.L.	—.07
IntlHBM	11.38	N.L.	+.05
LCapInt	12.23	N.L.	+.05
PacRim	16.41	N.L.	—.11
USLgVal	10.52	N.L.	+.02
USSmVal	11.85	N.L.	—.11
Dodge&Cox:			
Balan	46.20	N.L.	—.02
Inco	11.44	N.L.	+.02
Stock	53.73	N.L.	—.08
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	14.53	N.L.	—.01
Aprec p	14.51	N.L.	+.01
AssetAll	12.59	N.L.	+.01
Balncd	13.35	N.L.	—.05
CalTx	14.81	N.L.	—.04
CalInt	13.31	N.L.	—.04
CT Int	13.17	N.L.	—.03
Dreyf	13.00	N.L.	—.02
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Vandy defeats K-State by six

Associated Press

■ **NIT Roundup**

NEW YORK — Billy McCaffrey scored 28 points and Ronnie McMahan 27 and Vanderbilt held Askia Jones to 17 points in an 82-76 victory over Kansas State on Monday night in the NIT semifinals.

The Commodores (20-11) used a matchup zone most of the time to frustrate Jones, who scored 62 points last Thursday against Fresno State in the quarterfinals. This time, he was 4-for-11 from the field, including 1-for-6 from 3-point range.

Vanderbilt advanced to Wednesday night's championship game to play the winner of the other semifinal between Villanova and Siena.

McCaffrey and McMahan were too strong offensively for Kansas State (20-13), which was led by point guard Anthony Beane with 19 points.

McCaffrey and McMahan freed themselves for jumpers or went around the defense to score on drives through the lane. When they weren't scoring, 6-foot-10 center Chris Lawson was. He finished with 14 points and combined with McCaffrey and McMahan to score 46 of Vanderbilt's 50 points after halftime.

The Commodores outshot Kansas State 57 percent to 38 from the field. There were 49 fouls, but neither team had an unfair advantage.

Jones gave Kansas State a 49-47 lead with his most impressive play of the night, a baseline drive and dunk with 14:08 left. Kansas State twice got the lead up to five, but Vanderbilt came back with an 8-0 run to lead 65-62 with seven minutes left. The Wildcats stayed close with foul shots, but didn't get the deficit below two in the final 6½ minutes.

McCaffrey hit two foul shots with 54 seconds left to put Vanderbilt ahead 80-73, but Deryl Cunningham made a 3-pointer with 26 seconds left to cut the deficit to four.

Vanderbilt, however, used a long inbounds pass to set up Frank Seckar for an uncontested layup that wrapped up the victory.

The loss ended Kansas State's 16-game winning streak against non-Big Eight teams, a streak dating to a season-opening loss to Southern Mississippi.

Cunningham finished with 12 points and Demond Davis and Belvis Noland had 10 each for Kansas State, which will play in a consolation game Wednesday.

McCaffrey was the leading scorer in the first half with 13 points. Neither team shot well, and neither led by more than five points. The Commodores closed the half with a 17-9 run to lead 32-29 at intermission.

Villanova 66, Siena 58

Kerry Kittles scored 21 points and Villanova held on after taking a big early lead in a semifinal victory over Siena.

The Wildcats (19-12) jumped out to a 13-point lead in the first eight minutes, taking advantage of Siena's jitters before a crowd of 16,978 made up mostly made up of its supporters. It was the largest NIT crowd at Madison Square Garden since the 1981 championship game between Tulsa and Syracuse.

The Saints (24-8) never let the Wildcats turn it into a blowout, but they also couldn't catch Villanova, which will play Vanderbilt in the championship game on Wednesday night.

Alvin Williams scored 15 for Villanova.

Women's dunk ready for TV

Associated Press

The NCAA Women's Final Four has showcased outstanding teams and players: Cheryl Miller and Southern Cal in the mid-1980s, Bridgette Gordon and Tennessee in the late '80s, Stanford in the 1990s.

And who can forget Sheryl Swoopes' 47 points in last year's championship game, the most in the Division I finals by a man or woman.

But one thrilling basketball play is still missing from the premier event in the women's game — the dunk.

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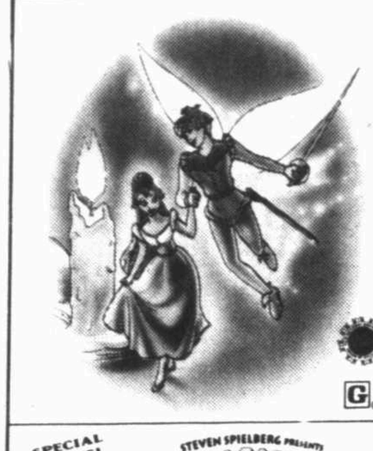
The national semifinals in Richmond, Va., on Saturday will have North Carolina playing Louisiana Tech and Purdue meeting Alabama. North Carolina has two players who can dunk — 6-foot-5 Sylvia Crawley and 6-foot leaper Charlotte Smith — and they'll for sure do it in warmups.

"We dunk in every warmup," coach Sylvia Hatchell said Monday. "I've told them that if the opening is there (in a game), they have the green light. Just make sure we have a good enough lead so it didn't matter if they missed."

While interest in the women's game has grown dramatically in recent years, it could always use another boost. Hatchell said a dunk could provide it.

If nothing else, the play certainly would make all the highlight films. Fans have seen countless clips of Shaquille O'Neal dunking. Seeing a 6-foot woman do it would be something special.

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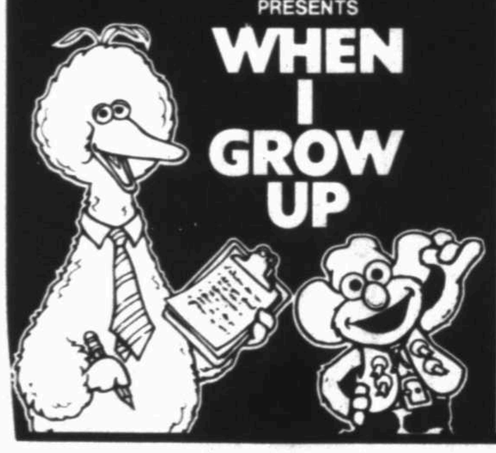
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By Gwen Ifill

N.Y. Times News

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Coalition of Democratic women rallies to defend Mrs. Clinton

By Gwen Ifill
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — A group of Democratic women, tied by politics to the White House but purposefully steering clear of direct administration influence, has begun a campaign to defend Hillary Rodham Clinton against attacks arising from her role in the Whitewater affair.

The women, some of whom have expressed frustration among themselves about Mrs. Clinton's choice not to speak out vigorously on her own behalf, have been meeting for a month in Washington to plot ways to strike back at what they consider unfair press coverage and partisan assault.

At meetings among Democrats around the country, they have been distributing lapel stickers that read, "Don't pillory Hillary."

In the weeks ahead, they plan to begin writing letters to newspaper editorial pages, telephoning radio talk programs and appearing on television to assert that Mrs. Clinton has come under attack because she is an untraditional first lady who wields unusual power.

As its first step into the arena of national opinion, the informal group has bought a full-page advertisement in the Tuesday issue of The New York Times that likens Mrs. Clinton to Eleanor Roosevelt and disputes several accusations central to the Whitewater inquiry. The advertisement was paid for with $50,000 in donations from individuals around the country.

The defense of Mrs. Clinton has been coordinated by Lynn Cutler and Ann F. Lewis, two consultants in Washington with long ties to the Democratic Party.

The group has grown to include Clinton supporters like Susan Thomases, a New York lawyer and Clinton campaign expert on damage control; Joanne Woodward, the actress; Letty Cottin Pogrebin, the writer; and a few men, including Tony Randall, the actor, and Michael D. Barnes and Tony Coelho, both former members of Congress.

Specifically not included on the list are current elected officials and members of the Clinton administration. Organizers have taken pains to keep the defense effort officially independent of the White House image-making operation.

Organizers concede that there have been "after hours" conversations about the matter with White House officials. "Running a full-page ad is not exactly a secret strategy," Ms. Lewis said.

But Ms. Lewis, Ms. Cutler and Clinton advisers who said they knew nothing of the campaign played down such influence, saying their participation would only taint an otherwise spontaneous effort. One aide said Mrs. Clinton was unaware of the campaign being conducted in her behalf

Ms. Cutler said that Mrs. Clinton's defenders had been almost entirely absent in responding to what she and others term "Hillary bashing," particularly in the lively world of television and radio call-in programs.

"These people have right-wing scripts in their hands when they call," she said of those criticizing Mrs. Clinton. "They're all over this thing like hot butter on toast."

The effort to rescue Mrs. Clinton from the Whitewater whirlpool began as many Washington efforts do — at a political cocktail party. It continued around a conference table at the Kamber Group, a downtown consulting firm, and flourished in the chatter of daily conversation at various political meetings.

Sacha Milstone, a stockbroker who does not know Mrs. Clinton personally, said she felt it was past time that Mrs. Clinton's admirers spoke up in her behalf.

"More criticism has been heaped on them than is deserved," Ms. Milstone said. "Some criticism is deserved, but not at the noise level that has been reached."

"It upsets me to no end that a relatively insignificant thing that happened in 1978 that was poorly handled in 1992 and 1993 has come to dominate the discussion every weekend," Ms. Milstone said, referring to weekend talk programs.

But some supporters also worry that Mrs. Clinton has done too little to promote her own cause. She has offered terse, almost offhand, responses to reporters' questions while she has traveled the country on behalf of the administration's proposals to overhaul the health care system.

The White House said Monday night that it was considering releasing more information about a commodities investment that netted Mrs. Clinton approximately $100,000 in 1978-79.

The deal was made with the help and advice of a Clinton confidant, James B. Blair, who was the top lawyer for Tysons Foods Inc., one of the most powerful and heavily regulated companies in Arkansas.

Dee Dee Myers, the spokeswoman, did not say what information the White House had in mind. Mrs. Clinton has avoided offering any lengthy formal responses to accounts of that arrangement or the Whitewater land deal.

That has been left to her husband, who has praised her integrity, defended her investments and, at last week's news conference, asserted that reporters could get answers to their questions by simply calling Mrs. Clinton and asking her.

That proved less than so the very next day, when NBC News reported that Mrs. Clinton cut off questioning from an NBC Newschannel reporter when she was asked about Whitewater instead of health care.

White House officials say Mrs. Clinton did not answer the Whitewater question because of a technical problem with the satellite transmission and had responded to other questions about it earlier that day.

But the women who are trying to patch up the damage done to Mrs. Clinton's reputation, as recorded in sliding opinion polls, are also waiting for the White House to act more aggressively in defending Mrs. Clinton.

They have debated among themselves whether Mrs. Clinton should hold a full dress news conference or appear in an appropriate television forum to tell her side of the story.

Ultimately, however, they have decided that is a decision for Mrs. Clinton and her advisers to make. An aide said Mrs. Clinton had no immediate plans to change her approach.

Ms. Cutler said it was Mrs. Clinton's supporters, not her detractors, who most needed to hear her offer a vigorous rebuttal to her critics. "They don't believe she did anything wrong for a minute," she said.

In the advertisement in The Times, these supporters dismiss the most serious questions raised about Mrs. Clinton's role. They say she did not represent Madison Guaranty, an Arkansas savings and loan association at the center of the inquiry, before state regulators while her husband was governor. (Mrs. Clinton's name was signed to a letter from her law firm regarding the Madison case that was sent to regulators.

And they assert that the Clintons' investment in the Whitewater real estate venture was never financed by a savings and loan. (Robert B. Fiske Jr., the special counsel, is investigating whether James B. McDougal, an owner of Madison, used funds from the failing institution to support the Whitewater venture.)

But organizers of the defense effort say they worry most that the Whitewater-related attacks have more to do with Mrs. Clinton's stature as an independent career woman with power than with her actions regarding Whitewater.

Police investigate carjacking murder

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Police asked for the public's help Monday in finding the killers of two students who were shot to death for their car, while in Japan, anguish over the deaths of Takuma Ito and Go Matsuura continued.

The Japanese-born Ito and Matsuura, a U.S. citizen who grew up in Japan, died Sunday, two days after they were shot in a supermarket parking lot.

The two 19-year-olds were film students at Marymount College, a private liberal arts school in Rancho Palos Verdes. They had stopped at the market in nearby San Pedro on their way to a spring-break vacation.

The shootings were front-page news in Japan, where U.S. Ambassador Walter Mondale publicly apologized on behalf of President Clinton.

"Gun Society ... Another Tragedy, in Los Angeles," said a headline in the Japanese newspaper Sankei Sports.

"For a Car?," the newspaper asked.

On Monday, Clinton expressed his condolences to Prime Minister Morihiro Hosokawa during a phone conversation about Japan's new economic plan.

"It was informal language," said White house spokesman Jeff Eller. "He said, 'I express my condolences and my sadness over the shooting.'"

Ito's 1994 Honda Civic was recovered a short distance from the supermarket, and police said they dusted it for fingerprints. But they offered no new details on their investigation.

They did appeal for the public's help in cracking the case, and the FBI offered its assistance, said agency spokesman John Hoos.

The shopping center where the carjacking occurred is "a relatively safe area," Marymount President Thomas McFadden told a news conference.

"I shop there often," he said.

He called the killings "a horrendous, terrible, random act of violence" and said counselors would be available for students when they return from spring break next Sunday.

Marymount's 750 students, a quarter of them foreigners, are warned about crime in Los Angeles, but none of those who met with staff Monday expressed a desire to leave, McFadden said.

Only two weeks ago, Ito's parents had expressed concern about his staying in Southern California, said faculty adviser Pat Kelly. But Ito was adamant about remaining in the world's film capital, she said.

Kelly said she would remember Ito and Matsuura for their sense of humor, passion for film and love of America.

"Go was the deadpan humor of the two," she said. "Takuma was very funny, outgoing."

Meanwhile, Los Angeles tourism officials watched warily for developments in the aftermath of the shootings. More foreign tourists come to Los Angeles from Japan than any other country, said Michael Collins, senior vice president of the Los Angeles Convention and Visitors Bureau.

A half-million Japanese visited Los Angeles last year and spent about $480 million, he said.

Japanese authorities urged nationals visiting the United States to take precautions after the slayings of a 25-year-old Japanese exchange student last year in Concord and a 16-year-old high school student in Baton Rouge, La., in 1992.

Road crew member dies before daughter is born

HAYWARD, Calif. (AP) — William Deane didn't feel safe working along busy Interstate 880. So the father-to-be was glad to learn that he would be putting in his last day of court-ordered cleanup work on that highway.

The transfer came too late. As Deane and his workmates gathered Sunday, a tanker truck careened into the group. Deane, his 9-year-old niece and three others were killed, and 14 people were injured.

Two hours later, Deane's girlfriend gave birth to the couple's first child. It took her eight hours to find out that Deane, 20, had died.

"I waited and waited," said 19-year-old Teresa Coelho. "I didn't want to go to sleep because I knew if I was asleep, he wouldn't want to wake me. That's how he was, let a sleeping mother lie."

On Monday, state Department of Transportation chief James W. van Loben Sels ordered all Adopt-A-Highway and prisoner roadside cleanup programs suspended until safety reviews are conducted.

The 80,000-pound milk tanker was heading north in the right lane of I-880 near San Leandro, opposite the bay from San Francisco, when it suddenly veered onto the right shoulder.

The truck crushed a pickup parked there and smashed into a state Department of Transportation van, which plowed into a Caltrans bus.

Deane's niece, Talena Allonby, was sitting in the pickup with her father, Guy Allonby, when the tanker hit. They were waiting to take Deane to the hospital to witness the birth of his child.

Talena was killed; Allonby was seriously injured and was in unstable condition Monday at Highland Hospital.

The truck driver, George Schaapman, was treated at a hospital for minor injuries and booked for investigation of driving under the influence of marijuana and five counts of vehicular manslaughter, said California Highway Patrol spokesman Officer Mitch Mueller.

A judge had ordered Deane to do 20 days of community service for fighting. Two others who were killed also were doing court-ordered community service: Eric B. Springman, 32, and Jose Santos Morales, 38, both of San Leandro.

The fifth victim, Charles D. Warner, 61, of Pittsburg, was a Caltrans supervisor.

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The residence of the Executor is in San Diego, California, and the post office address is:

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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 25th day of March, 1994.

MICHAEL L. TAYLOR
Independent Executor of the Estate
of ALYNE N. TAYLOR, Deceased
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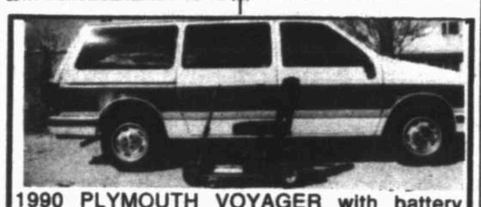
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Active SWM, 23, 6'1", brownish hair, brown eyes, enjoys dancing, going out, having fun. Seeking open-minded, adventurous S/DF. VMB 2265

Sincere SWM, 47
Like kids, sports, music, adventure. Looking to meet attractive S/DF, with spontaneity and a flair for life. VMB 1780

SBF, 24
Enjoys movies, music, shopping and meeting new people. Seeking an outgoing, fun-lovng S/DM, 23-38, with a good personality. VMB 0739

Widowed WF, early 60s
Tall, honest, sincere, enjoys all sports, fishing, golfing, dancing, cooking. Seeking similar, real WM, 65-70, for companionship. VMB 0263

Full-figured sweetheart
Amusing, inquisitive, classic SWF, 30, 5'2", enjoys long walks, stormy weather. Seeking honest, professional, spontaneous S/DW/HM, for friendship first. VMB 7481

SBF, 20
5'4", 125lbs., attractive, fun, affectionate, enjoys music, phone conversations, dining out. Seeking honest, affectionate, good-looking SBM, 21-25, possible relationship. VMB 0799

DWM, 41
Enjoys dining, movies, music, car races. Seeking S/DHF, 34-42, with similar interests, kids okay, possible relationship. VMB 2744

Tall, romantic SWM
Seeks SW/HF, 28-38, for sweet, loving compatibility. A match that brings out the best in each other. VMB 4005

Seeking Mr. Right
SWF, 18, enjoys country music, dancing, horseback riding, smoker, social drinker. Seeking SWM, 18-24, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1062

DWCM, outgoing
Outdoorsy, fun, handsome, serious. Seeking very attractive, slender, serious, intelligent, honest lady, 24-32, for hopeful serious, no games relationship. VMB 1686

SCF, 20
5'3", hazel eyes, light brown complexion, cute shape, enjoys dining out, having nice conversations, traveling. Seeking SBM, 22-29. VMB 2416

Professional SWM, 50
Formal to fun, likes touch of class, dancing Saturdays and church Sundays. Seeks S/DWF, 40-52, for meaningful friendship. VMB 9867

SBF, 33
Attractive, honest, intelligent, enjoys quiet evenings, travel, movies, sports. Seeking tall, intelligent, sincere, attractive SBM, 33-45, for relationship. VMB 3243

DWF, late 40's
Tall, slender, degreed professional, with various interests. Seeking gentleman, 45-55, who's romantic, honest, sincere, for possible long-term relationship. VMB 5825

SWF, early 40's
Friendly, likeable, likes the outdoors, music, bicycling, traveling anywhere. Seeking mature, sincere S/DWM, 35-50, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 8968

Considerate
Smoker, social drinker, humorous, loving SWM, 21, enjoys camping, fishing. Seeking energetic, fun-loving WF, 18-25, kids welcomed, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 0168

Attractive SBF, 25
5'7", 132lbs., drug-free, nonsmoker, enjoys music, quiet evenings, arts, outdoors, travel. Seeking energetic, fun-loving, honest, intelligent gentleman, 21+. VMB 2356

Tall
SBF, 18, seeking cute SWM, 18-22, who enjoys music, dancing, talking on the phone, being themselves, has sense of humor. VMB 1626

Outgoing WF, 45
Widowed businesswoman, enjoys dancing. Seeking sincere WM, 30-50, nondrinker, drug-free, for companionship. VMB 0971

Outgoing DHM, 50
Enjoys dancing, exercising, concerts, walking in the park. Seeking S/DF, 45-55, enjoys dancing, good conversation, walks in park. VMB 1809

Country girl
Attractive, 5'2", blonde, blue-eyed DWF, 21, loves country dancing, quiet evenings. Seeking S/DWM, true cowboy, for possible relationship. VMB 3218

SWF, mid 50's
Outgoing, caring, sincere. Wanting that special WM, 50-60, varied interests, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1605

DCM, 30
Tall, professional male, doesn't drink or smoke, enjoys friends, family, animals. Seeking CF, same values, for friendship. VMB 0301

SWF, 18
Enjoys car races, motorcycles and alternative music. Seeking SM, 18-30, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 0528

DW country male
26, enjoys country music, romantic evenings, long walks with someone special. Seeking S/DWF, 21-26, for friendship/possible relationship. VMB 2959

Enchanted adventure
Tall, handsome, wandering Squire SWM, 31. Seeks slim, fair, professional Damsel, for lifetime of movie magic of the heart. VMB 1560

DWF, 53
Slender, blue-eyed brunette. Seeking SW gentleman, 5'9"-6'4", smoker, social drinker okay. Must be honest, with sense of humor. VMB 1468

Look
Enjoy dancing, movies, outdoors, travel, friends, romance, quiet, theatre, walks, laughing, shopping, money? Attractive DWF, 41, 5'7", seeks WM. VMB 2938

Easygoing SWM, 20
6'1", 185lbs., green-eyed, enjoys movies, football, music. Seeking humorous, honest S/DWF, 18-23, to treat like a lady. VMB 4476

SWM, 37
Seeking commitment-minded SF, 35-40, 5'5"+, full-figured. I enjoy quiet evenings, movies, cooking, some dancing, pool, miniature golf. VMB 3027

SWM, 22
With sense-of-humor, enjoys dancing, movies, sports. Seeking honest, fun-loving S/DH/BF, 18-25, for friendship, possible relationship. Children welcome. VMB 2570

SHM, 30
6ft., enjoys bow hunting, outdoors, horses, country dancing, cooking. Seeking SF, 25-35, country girl, with similar interests. VMB 3347

Nice guy, SWM, 22
Attractive, 6'2", 180lbs., brown hair, eyes, enjoys movies, sports, long walks. Seeking SWF, 18-27, for relationship. VMB 1220

DHCF, 51
Likes outdoors, dining, movies. Seeks S/DW/HM, for honest, sincere relationship. VMB 0383

A real cowboy
DWM, financially secure, dark hair, eyes. Seeking S/DWF, 28-40, who enjoys western dancing, sports, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 4184

SWM, 31
I'm 6ft., 210lbs. Looking for lady, 25-40, who enjoys quiet times, movies, football, dining, for friendship, possibly more. VMB 0745

SWM, 27
6'2", 195lbs., brown hair, blue eyes. Seeking SWF, 20-29, who's into alternative music, clubs, movies, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 8987

SHF, 23
Outgoing, enjoys quiet evenings, dancing, sports. Seeking financially stable SBM, 23-30, with similar interests, for honest, sincere relationship. VMB 4309

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SWM, 25
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Handsome DWM
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DWM, 46
6'1", 210lbs. Enjoys country western dancing, fishing, camping. Seeking tall, redhead or blonde S/DWF, 38-48, Who loves two step. VMB 3240

DWM
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SHF, 33
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DBF, 44
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Widowed WF, 50's
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SWM, 34
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Professional SWCM, 42
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Green-eyed, shapely SWF
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SWM, 59
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MIDLAND Business needs part time help. Flex hours a must, some Saturdays. Retail experience helpful. Replies to BOX M-11 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ASSISTANT BUILDING ENGINEER
Experience a plus. Benefit package.
Send resumes to:
BOX M-03
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland Texas 79702

PHOTO COMPOSITION
The Midland Reporter-Telegram is currently accepting applications for a part time position in the department of Photo Composition. General duties include paste-up and ad composition. Night shift, days of the week will vary. Send resume or apply at:
Midland Reporter-Telegram/Photo
201 E. Illinois
Midland, TX 79702

310 General Help Wanted

Distributorships Now Available



PART-TIME INCOME OPPORTUNITY

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has early morning routes which need to be filled with dependable individuals with reliable transportation. Often asked questions:

➥ **Is it worthwhile for adults also?**
YES! 95% of our Distributors ARE adults! Morning Routes are attractive for:
★ ADULTS who have fulltime jobs, yet want to supplement their income with a steady part-time job!
★ MOTHERS who can't justify a small job AND daycare, because as a Distributor, you don not need daycare!
★ COLLEGE STUDENTS needing a part-time job which will work with classes!
★ SENIOR CITIZENS wanting regular exercise, added retirement income, or just want to work with people, neighbors, and friends!

➥ **How much money can I make as a Distributor?**
Depending on the size of the route(s), from $350 to $800 monthly, in some cases...even more!

➥ **OK...but how long does it take?**
The actual delivery takes 1-2 hours Monday-Saturday, and 2-3 hours on Sunday, depending on the size of the route(s). Also some time is needed each month to collect from subscribers. Many Distributors choose to handle some of this by putting envelopes in the subscribers' papers and having payments mailed to them. Some collecting in person will be necessary though, particularly on some routes more than others.

➥ **When do the papers have to be delivered by?**
Papers must be on the yards by 6 am Monday-Friday, and 7 am on weekend mornings.

➥ **Do I ever get a day off?**
The job requires a 7-day a week commitment. However, most Distributors do take days off by finding a friend, family member, or another Distributor to substitute for them!

➥ **What else?**
An initial $100 refundable deposit is required.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT
MIDLAND REPORTER -TELEGRAM
688-2700 OR 682-5311

STUDENTS/YOUNG PEOPLE
AND OTHERS
AGES 14 AND UP
NEED CASH?



Begin earning cash immediately!You can earn **$25-$100 commission per week** getting new subscribers for the **Midland Reporter-Telegram**. We have exciting programs for Jr. High and High School students as well as others interest in earning good money and cash bonuses. Transportation, from your home and return, is available. No newspaper delivering involved. Call **Gerry or the Circulation Dept. at 687-8899.**

Part Time Income Over $500 Monthly

Deliver the Midland Reporter-Telegram to homes and stores in the early morning hours and earn over $500.00 per month, take home after expenses. 2 hours and you're done. Apply immediately for the Greenwood Area. $100 refundable deposit required. Call Marvin at 687-8805 anytime, leave message.

Part Time Income Up To $650 Monthly

Deliver the Midland Reporter-Telegram to homes and stores in the early morning hours and earn up to $650.00 per month, take home after expenses. 3 hours and you're done. Need by April 1, 1994 for Air Terminal $100 refundable deposit required. Call Pat Robinson at 688-2700 anytime, leave message.

HAIRSTYLIST wanted with clientele. Apply in person ELAN, 2706 Cuthbert, Suite 205 or call 694-0061.

WINDOW TINTER/ TRIMMER
wanted. Experience required. Room for high, motivated and skilled person for growth. Send resume to 2403 McDonald, Midland Texas 79707 and call 520-2945.

SALES
PAULA'S Full Figured Fashions is seeking individual with knowledge of clothing sales. Individual must have strong personality, sales experience and an ability to work with people. Apply in person Monday thru Saturday, between 10 am - 12 pm at Paula's, 35 N. Village Court.

CASHIERS with experience needed for all shifts. Apply direct to E-Z Mart 2210 N. Big Spring.

SMALL Southern Baptist Church currently seeking part-time Bi-Vocational Youth Director. If interested send resume to Russell Hayes 1108 West County Road 130, Midland, Texas 79706.

PHONE REPS
HIRING now for special telephone campaign for Midland Angels Baseball. Full or part time, no experience necessary. Apply in person only to our Midland Airport office at 2807 Earhart.

310 General Help Wanted

SALES CREWS MANAGER

The **Midland Reporter-Telegram** has immediate openings for **Sales-Management** oriented persons to contract for evening work. We offer an exciting sales program including recruitment, training and promotion for your teenage sales force. Excellent commission income potential. No newspaper delivery involved. An insured, large vehicle required. Interested individuals may call immediately to **Gerry Irvin, or the Circulation Dept.**
687-8899

RESTAURANT
Central Park USA
Quick Service Employees
The originator of the fast food double drive through concept is expanding nationwide and needs experienced fast food workers in Midland. Performance based promotions, great opportunity to grow.
Apply in person at:
CENTRAL PARK
908 Andrews Hwy.
9 am-5pm Monday- Friday

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CIRCULATION
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The Midland Reporter-Telegram is taking applications for a part-time single copy assistant. You work approximately 20-25 hours per week, Sunday through Friday. This individual will work directly with store managers and news stands. Must have good driving record and reliable vehicle. Company will reimburse mileage.
Apply at:
Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois
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GENERAL
APARMENT complex now hiring for maintenance and roofer positions. Must have experience. Apply at 5009 Rio Grande.

HAIR STYLISTS. Full time and part time, guaranteed salary, paid vacation. Pick up applications at Hairline, 2101 N. Midland Drive, 697-7010 or 14 Meta Drive, 684-8451.

TEACHERS
MIDLAND CHILD CARE CENTER is now accepting applications for experienced Teachers. Apply in person, 3701 Andrews Highway.

DELIVERY Help needed at Carter's Furniture. Applicant should have good driving record, must pass drug screen, and be reliable. Heavy lifting required. Apply in person at 501 East Illinois between 3 - 6.

DISTRIBUTION
TIMES have changed. Gone are the days of children delivering newspaper routes on bicycles. TODAY Midland Reporter-Telegram distributorships are larger, and handled by adults with automobiles. People earning $400-$700 monthly to supplement their income. WE NOW HAVE ROUTES AVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE ASSIGNMENT. A $100 refundable deposit is required. Call 688-2700 to apply.

RESTAURANT
DINO'S Pizzeria & Restaurant is now hiring. Apply in person Midland Dr. and Andrews Hwy.

BARTENDER
NOW taking applications for part time Bartender. Apply in person only. Cattleman's Steak House 3300 N. Big Spring St.

LIFEGUARDS needed, must have Red Cross Senior Lifesaving and CPR. Also a Pool Manager needed, must have Senior Lifesaving, W.S.I. Apply at Ranchland Hills Country Club Tennis Shop or call 682-3729.

DELI
NOW taking applications for experienced kitchen staff. Please apply between 2-5 pm at Murray's Deli, 3211 W. Wadley. No phone calls please.

LEASING AGENT. Permanent part time - 25 hours per week. Willing to train. Apply 2300 North A Street.

RESTAURANT
NOW taking applications for service areas only. Apply in person only between 2 - 4, Monday - Friday, FURR'S Cafeteria, 1116 N. Mikdiff.

RESTAURANT
BENNIGANS now hiring wait-staff Apply in person Monday thru Friday, 2 - 4 pm. 4517 N. Midkiff.

LANDSCAPE Maintenance. Now hiring experienced hands. Experience a must. Inquire at 3323 Midland Dr., Suite 110, between 12 am-3 pm, Monday thru Friday.

SELL AVON: New Year - New Career. Verla 520-0119 Local Ind. Contractor.

PROFESSIONAL Resumes, newsletters, mailing lists, brochures, free lance writing. Express service, reasonable rates! 699-1919.

SUB-CONTRACTORS
NEW/ INCREASED LABOR SCALE
Framing Crews and Foundation Sub contractors
Jim Walter Homes has plenty of work available for the right framing and foundation sub contractors to begin immediately. Sub contractor must have tools and transportation necessary to perform framing and foundation work.
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915-651-8228 or
1-800-766-1167
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310 General Help Wanted

RESTAURANT
BIG DADDY'S Catfish now hiring part-time Waitstaff. Must be 18 years old. Apply in person, no phone calls please. 3323 West Wadley.

RESTAURANT
PINOCCHIOS PIZZA
now hiring cooks and drivers. Drivers must be 18 or older, must have current Texas drivers license and insurance. Can earn up to $6-$8 an hour. Apply in person 3303 N. Midkiff in San Miguel Square.

RESTAURANT
SONIC DRIVE-IN on Midkiff Rd. is looking for car hops, part or full time. Evening or day shifts available. Wages plus good tips. Must be at least 16 years old. If you think your the right person, please apply in person 1109 N. Midkiff.

FIELD OPERATIONS Manager responsible for direct supervision of 10 -15 employees for oilfield company. Bilingual a plus. Includes preparation of detailed reports, DOT knowledge helpful. Must have good driving record with no more than two violations in past two years. Successful applicant will be required to pass physical and drug test. Competitive salary, medical benefits and 401K program. Send resume with salary requirements and references to BOX L-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

HOUSEKEEPER/ Babysitter wanted. Approx. 15 hours per week. Please call 686-2070.

CUSTODIAN needed full time for Midland church, floor experience required. Send resume and references to BOX L-12 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

GENERAL SHOP HAND wanted. Must be a hard worker and able to keep up in a fast paced environment. $5.50 per hour. Send resume to P.O. Box 8309, Midland, Texas 79708.

RESTAURANT
PLAZA CLUB is presently accepting applications for all positions and food and beverage service and preparation. Apply between the hours of 3 pm - 5 pm, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

ENTRY LEVEL
Management
Trainee/Sales
We're a national transportation company with over 1700 offices and 30 years of success. Due to our continual growth, we're looking for college graduates with a willingness to learn all aspects of how to manage a business: sales, marketing and administration. It is essential that you have an outgoing personality and friendly disposition. Perspective candidates must be highly motivated, enjoy working in a fast-paced, extremely competitive industry and be able to successfully interact with the public. All promotions to our management team are based on performance and merit. Benefits include: profit sharing, paid medical, life insurance, as well as paid vacation days.
Applications being accepted Tuesday thru Thursday at:
Enterprise Rent-A-Car
3900 W. Wall
Midland, TX 79703

HAIR STYLIST
Immediate Openings at PRO SNIPS
for hair stylist. Apply in person at 1000 N. Midkiff.

MAINTENANCE. Must have knowleged in A/ C, heating, plumbing, some electrical and make readys. $7 - $9 per hour. Experienced only need apply at 2300 North A Street.

SALES
ACCEPTING applications for experienced part-time sales for mens accessories store. Apply at Fit To Be Tied, Midland Park Mall, see Manager.

312 Professional Help Wanted

TEXAS NATIONAL BANK
OF MIDLAND
is accepting applications for
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN
Primary job description includes downloading production data, running oil and gas economics, preparing title documentation, and related special projects. Strong personal computer skills and/or lease analyst experience is an advantage. Qualified individuals should apply in writing to:
Texas National Bank of Midland
Attn: Human Resources
P.O. Box 3090
Midland Texas 79702-3090

Child Protective Service Specialist I Foster Home/Adoptive Recruiter
The Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services is now taking applications for one (1) Child Protective Service Specialist I Foster Home/Adoption Recruiter position in Midland Texas. Experience in Marketing Advertising, working with the media or fundraising desired. Minimum qualifications: a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university. For more information contact The Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services Personnel Office, 901 West Wall, Midland Texas or call 915-686-2304 between 8-12 and 1-5, Monday-Friday. To be considered for the position, all applications must be received by 5:00 PM, 3-31-94. Applications received after 3-31-94 will not be considered.

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310 General Help Wanted

LOUNGE
NOW accepting applications for experienced Bartenders, waitpersons, door person and host/ hostess. Apply in person Kenny's Lounge, 4400 N. Big Spring between 2-4 pm.

COOK
KINDER Care Learning Center has immediate opening for experienced cook. Must have High School diploma and be able to work any hours needed. Apply Monday thru Friday, 9 am-11 am at 4303 W. Illinois.

SERVICE PERSON for construction equipment rental company. Must have equipment knowledge. Apply in person 2700 Rankin Hwy.

MECHANIC. Small engines, lawn and garden. Must have experience. Apply in person 2700 S. Rankin Hwy.

TEACHER
KINDER Care Learning Center is accepting applications for experienced Teacher of 2 year olds. Apply Monday through Friday between 9 am-11 am at 4303 W. Illinois.

PROPERTY Manager needed with experience. Apply within 4400 N. Holiday Hill Road. No phone calls please.

GENERAL Help Wanted: Needed immediately - light industrial and general labor - short-term and long-term available. Come to apply at EnergiPersonnel 4400 N. Big Spring, Suite 202, in the RE/MAX building, 8:30 a.m. Sharp. Tuesday - Friday.

STADIUM
POSITIONS Available. Club House Manager and Stadium Maintenance Crew. Full time April through August. Apply Angel Stadium, 9 am-5 pm.

311 Medical Help Wanted

DENTAL Receptionist, experienced. Send resume to 3300 Haynes, Midland Texas 79707.

DENTAL HYGIENIST
Progressive multiple dental practice is looking for highly motivated dental hygienist. Excellent benefits. Equal Opportunity Employer. Send resumes to 4519 N. Garfield, Suite 16, Midland Texas 79705.

NURSE
NURSES UNLIMITED INC. Needs dynamic highly organized Registered Nurse to make home visits. Medicare experience preferred but not required. Must have 1 year experience in Med-Surg or ICU/CCU in acute care facility. For appointment contact Jo Zinz, RN, between 9 am-4 pm, Monday thru Friday. 520-0281 applications will be taken thru 3/25/94.

MEDICAL
ROCK HOUSE of Midland is now seeking RN or LVN to work with developmentally disabled adults. If interested, send resume to Vicki, Rock House of Midland, P.O. Box 953, Stephenville Texas 76401; or call 817-968-4004 Ext. 11, between 9-4. Rock house of Midland Inc. is an E.E.O. Employer.

OPHTHALMIC TECH
with experience needed for growing eye practice. Salary based on tested knowledge of procedures. Please send resume to:
P.O. Box 8630
Midland Texas 79708

DENTAL ASSISTING
Local dentist accepting applications for evening dental assisting classes. 10 week program, limited enrollment. Call today
915-694-5741.

NURSE needed for doctor's office. Full time, 40 hour week, salary D.O.E. Send resume to BOX M-05 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

LAB TECH. Part-time position. MLT preferred or nearing completion of studies. Write to or call First Care, 2310 W. Ohio, Midland, TX 79701, 686-9708.

LVN/ RN VACANCIES
3 LVN Vacancies on Medical Services Unit. 2 On 3-11 shift, 1 on 11-7 shift. Base pay $1,612.00 plus night differential of $154.00.
1 RN vacancy on Medical Services Unit on 11-7 shift. Salary range $2,226.00 - $3,212.00 plus night differential of $154.00. Texas licensure required. Contact:
Big Spring State Hospital
Human Resources Services
P.O. BOX 231
Big Spring Texas 79721
915-264-4256 1-800-749-5142
EOE
LVN needed part time, 32/ week- 3 to 11 shift for 30 bed nursing home. Competitive wages, mileage offered. Must be able to be in charge of floor. Please call M. Smith, RN, DON Crane County Care Center, Crane, Texas 915-558-3400.

312 Professional Help Wanted

ACCOUNTANT/ Bookkeeper needed part time. Need oil and gas experience and computer knowledge. Send resume to BOX K-01 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ANCHOR/REPORTER
THE KOSA-TV News Department is searching for a weekend Anchor/ weekday Reporter. The ideal candidate should have at least one year commercial experience as an anchor/ producer and a dedication to news. Send tapes and resumes to: Kurt A. Kiser. KOSA-TV, 1211 N. Whitaker, Odessa, Texas 79763. No phone calls please.

HAVE immediate opening for a Loan Processor/Loan Officer for a mortgage company in Midland. Please send replies to: BOX M-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MANAGER Software Development Division needed by national company with headquarters in Odessa. Must have hands on, verifiable experience in UNIX or ZENIX operating systems and D-Base IV, relational data base systems. Salary to $45,000 based on verifiable experience. Odessa - Midland area applicants apply in person, out of area send resume to: Personnel Director, BIDCO Corp., 312 E. 2nd, Odessa, TX 79761.

CUSTOMER Service Representative. CMC Business Systems currently seeks an above average individual for our customer service representative. Requirements demand excellent written and oral communications skills, personality and attitude. Complete benefit package, generous base salary, and commissions. Send resume to: CMC Business Systems, P.O Box 60428, Midland, 79711.

ASSISTANT CONTROLLER - Public corporation seeking a CPA for Assistant Controller position. Minimum 5 years oil and gas revenue, development in production, accounting experience required. Send resume and salary history to BOX M-06 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

LICENSED Attorney will work as Paralegal. Varied trial/ office experience. Hourly rate very negotiable. 682-6565.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

JOIN Temporary Resources "Elite" team. Job opportunities and training for experienced office personnel. 684-0527.

SECRETARY - Small, independent oil and gas company seeking non-smoking individual. Must pass aptitude test. Starting salary between $1,000 - $1,200 DOE. Send replies to BOX L-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT MARKETING DEPT.
Melvin Simon & Associates, Inc., a leading developer and manager of shopping centers in the nation is seeking a Marketing Secretary for Midland Park Mall.
The professional we seek will be an organized, accurate typist of at least 55 wpm who can efficiently handle various administrative, bookkeeping and financial responsibilities. Computer experience in Lotus and WordPerfect preferred. Additionally, the ideal individual will be able to deal well with the public, both on the phone and in person and be flexible to work on special events, including some evenings and Saturdays during promotional periods.
Our excellent benefits and competitive salary structure are only part of our outstanding compensation package!
Please submit your resume to Mall Management Office, 4511 N. Midkiff, Midland, Texas 79705.
SIMON

316 Sales Help Wanted

$1800 GUARANTEE!

Leading Import Dealer Looking For Salespeople

*8 Deliveries Guaranteed $1800/mo.
*Must Be Well Groomed
*Strong Desire To Succeed
*Previous Sales Experience not required
*Health Insurance Plan

APPLY IN PERSON
MON.-FRI.
4040 W. WALL
MIDLAND, TX.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

LEGAL SECRETARY. Experience preferred. Professional appearance, 70 wpm, self-started. Available immediately. Knowledge of word helpful. Call between 8-11 am at 685-1005 or 512-520-1402.

RECEPTIONIST/ Sales Assistant. Duties include heavy phones and heavy typing. Experience a must. Salary requirements required. Send resume to: P.O. Box 61147, Midland, Tx 79711, Attention Beth Randall.

BOOKKEEPER for equipment rental firm with general ledger background and computer experience. Submit resume in person 2700 S. Rankin Hwy.

STAFF Member needed in Doctor's office. Computer, transcription, scheduling appointments and working with Doctor and patients. Experience preferred. Bring resume to: 1300 W. Wall.

V.I.P. TEMPORARIES. Call for Temp. or permanent jobs available now! No Fees. 686-9722.

Word Processing
Temporary Assignments
TEMP TIME 687-1545

ACCOUNTING CLERK. Strong verifiable systems preferred. Apply BIDCO Corporation, 312 E. 2nd Odessa.

CLERICAL position available for small company. Temporary, possible working into permanent position. Bookkeeping knowledge and typing skills a plus, high school graduate with at least 5 years experience. Salary approximately $1,300 per month depending upon experience. Parking furnished and health benefits. Non-smoker only. Send resumes to BOX M-07 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

SECRETARY, experienced, needed for real estate agent. Real estate experience preferred. Full time position. Bring resume to Re/Max of Midland, 4400 N. Big Spring, Suite 101.

316 Sales Help Wanted

SALES REP

Experienced in sub surface rod pumps and supplies.

*Good Pay!
*Good Benefits!

Send resume to:
BOX H-11 c/o
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

SALES position opened at Great Wallpapers. Must work Saturdays, be bubbly and work well with public. Accepting applications at 3211 W. Wadley. No phone calls please.

SALES and service oriented person to work into ownership of established oil field equipment manufacturing company. Salary, car, expenses and insurance program. Knowledge of oil field helpful. Send resume to BOX K-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702. All inquires confidential.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE for oilfield service company to make city and field sales calls. Should be self motivated, aggressive and well organized. Successful applicant will be required to pass physical and drug test. Must have good driving record with no more than two violation in past two years. We offer competitive salary, medical benefits and 401K plan. Please send resume and references and salary requirements to BOX L-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SALES

NATIONAL CAR RENTAL is looking for an Automobile Sales Representative. Must have proven track record in automobile sales. Must have some F&I background. Only the best need apply. Contact Don Vandivort 563-0378 to make an appointment.

OUTSIDE SALES person for fast paced company. Salary + commission, paid medical for employee & dependents. Industrial supply or construction equipment background helpful. Send resume to BOX L-01 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

TELLER

MIDLAND AMERICAN BANK

Has the following position available:

Teller

MUST HAVE:

- 6 Months Previous Experience
- Good Organizational Skills
- 10 Key By Touch

APPLY IN PERSON:

401 W. Texas

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Are you

assertive, hardworking, good with people? Are you interested in potential earnings of $50,000 a year? We're looking for a few good women and men who will take care of our customers. We offer health insurance, bonuses, and more. If you're looking for a career change and have a desire to succeed, come see us.

Paid Vacation/ Flexible hours
Training Program

No experience necessary. Apply in person with Bill or Jerry at 3915 W. Wall.

SALES

LARGE Electrical Distributor in Abilene seeking sales representative. Electrical products and data communication products a necessity. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 1290, Abilene, TX 79604. EOE.

SALES

LOCAL company is seeking sales people to add to our team. We offer paid training, liberal commissions and an opportunity for advancement. Send replies to: BOX L-04 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

SALES

OPPORTUNITY knocks, professional sales people needed to sell AT&T Security Systems. Excellent commissions. 60K plus potential. Apply at Crime Alert Inc. 4500 W. Illinois, Suite 203. 520-9669.

COMMISSION Sales. Must be knowledgeable in motorcycles and have verifiable retail sales experience. Applications may be filled out from 9 am to 12 pm Monday to Friday at Golden Suzuki-Honda-Kawasaki-Yamaha, 306 E. 2nd, Odessa.

SALES

PART TIME help needed. Work out of your home, $300 to $1,000 per month. Call 915-694-2113.

OUTSIDE sales person needed for local moving company. Experience helpful but not necessary, we will train the right person. This is a commission sales position. Send resume to Personnel Manager. P.O. Box 11, Midland Texas 79702.

SALES

REX TV & APPLIANCE

One of the nations largest and fastest growing chains.

Now hiring for commission sales with advancement to management possible. Earning potential up to $35K. Apply in person Monday thru Saturday, 9 am-6 pm, 4717 N. Midkiff Rd., Midland Texas.

320 Skilled Trades

TELEMARKETING

Telemarketing positions now available. Excellent opportunities to earn high commission in new subscription television industry. Training provided. Flexible hours.

Midessa Wireless Cable
520-0163

DRILLERS

Permanent employment. Large water well contractor in south Florida with jobs within 150 miles. Send resume to: Youngquist Brothers Inc., 15465 Pine Ridge Rd., Ft. Myers Florida, 33908.

405 Garage / Yard Sales

79701

BARGAINS on vacuums, new/ rebuilt. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff (across from Jumburrito). 520-6464. 01

CLOSE OUT! on all Singer Sewing machines at cost or below. Midland Sewing Center. 20 A Village Circle. (Village Shopping Center) Now open Sundays, 10 - 3. 01

79707

GARAGE MOVING SALE! at 3603 Springmont. Saturday, April 2nd. 7 AM. Near Wadley and Whittle Way. 07

320 Skilled Trades

SERVICE Technician, experienced. Must have clean driving record. Bring resume to Penguinn Refrigeration, 948 Advance Ave., Midland Texas.

SIDING Applicators: must have own tools, truck and verifiable references. Apply at 3415 W. Wall, Midland.

INSTALLATION
EXPERIENCED Seamless gutter installer. Apply in person at 3415 W. Wall, Midland.

PLUMBERS
EXPANDING Midland based plumbing company looking for licensed Journeymen and Master Plumbers. ONLY respond if you have a license or 3 years documented experience in plumbing. Professionalism in Experience & Good Attitude a necessity. For interview call 915-687-4198.

INSTALLER. AT&T Security System dealer needs an Installer. Experienced in installing wireless and hardwired security systems. Apply at Crime Alert Inc, 4500 W. Illinois, Suite 203. 520-9669.

336 Adult Care Providers

MORNING Glory Adult Home Care. Day, week or 24 hour care. References, nursing care, 24 hour staff. Come by and see anytime, 2705 W. Illinois or call 697-8749.

MISSION Adult Day Care Center Of Midland. Open 7:30 am to 5:30 pm Monday through Friday. Transportation arranged. Contact Tom Killingsworth or Freddie Utsman at 520-2242.

IN-HOME CARE. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. 520-4425.

ADULT Home Care. 24 hour care. All needs are provided in my home. Call 697-3390.

WILL SIT with elderly, hourly or daily. Experience with Alzheimers patients. References. Call 520-3930.

340 Child Care Needed

CHILD Care needed in my home to take care of newborn. Would consider live in. References. 697-6962 after 4.

NEEDED - a weekend babysitter, some weekdays. Must have references. 694-9455.

NEEDED: Christian person to care for children in our home. Mon. - Fri., 7:45 to 5:30. Please call after 6 PM, 697-3392.

SITTER, experienced, to watch my three sons at my home. Must have reliable transportation. Monday - Friday. Call 520-3128.

EXPERIENCED sitter needed in my home for 15 month old child for occasional work outside the home. 7:30 am-5 pm. 683-2044, leave message.

341 Child Care Providers

GRANNY'S Playhouse, licensed, 18 months to 3 years. Monday thru Friday, 6:30-5:30. 4406 Thomason, 694-0104.

RAINBOW CHRISTIAN DAY CARE 1009 W. Missouri. Age 2 weeks thru 12 years. 6:30 am to 7:30 pm. 683-5161.

REGISTERED Home Day Care has opening for 2 children, all ages. Call and feel free to see my home and ask questions. 682-1580.

THE Launching Pad. Registering children 18 months-12 years. $25-$50 per week. After school pickup available. CCMS welcome. 1605 N. Big Spring. 686-8262.

350 Business Opportunities

WELL located operating Day Care for sale. Includes real estate and all equipment. Excellent opportunity. Send replies to BOX K-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

FOR Sale. 3 bay - full service station fully stocked and equipped. Excellent location. 683-9582.

WE have $CASH$ Buyers for your business! Any size, any type! Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers. 550-4610.

NEED INVESTOR(S) for quick purchase of Resort Ranch with Golf Course and many other amenities in Bandera area. To be sold by Absolute Auction on April 5, 1994. Approx. $1.5 million range. Call (915) 683-0990, fax (915) 683-0992, or write, Box 1781, Midland, TX 79702-1781.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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POOLS, above ground. Very limited supply left over from last year! Must Sell! Terms, installation available. 563-1807.

DOG houses new $35 & $45; bookcases $35; porch swings $35; glider swings, $65. 563-0452.

MOWERS, air conditioners, gas/ electric stoves, washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, machine, furniture, piano, Volkswagen. 570-4851.

2 CEMETERY plots at Resthaven. $900 each. For details call 915-728-3850 or 405-737-2213.

BEAUTIFUL childrens clothes, all sizes. Daisy's Children & Maternity Resale (gently worn). San Miguel Square, Midkiff & Wadley.

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WHEEL BARROW, $15. Electric edger/ trimmer, $30. Electric lawn mower, $120. Tape deck, $30. Keyboard, $50. Car ramps, $25. Motorcycle helmets, $30 each. 689-7148.

WORK OUT Equipment includes: free weights, Marci one workout system, dumbells; wooden bar. 570-7343.

2 CRAFTSMAN table saws. 10" contractor model $375. Nearly new. Older 7" $150. 687-6272.

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WEDDING Dress size 3, Cathedral length, long sleeve, petticoat, veil. $375 or best offer. Call 694-0439, ask for Lisa.

UNIDEN radio car phone. $595. 520-4509.

WHITE 30 inch range combination, microwave and self cleaning oven. Natural gas water heater. Sanyo computer. Old churn. Sale or trade. Call 570-4011 or 684-4805.

KIDS Power Wheel red Corvette, new battery and charger. $100. 520-2230.

415 Jewelry

OVER 100 styles to choose from! Diamond rings, wedding sets, rent to own. Call 682-2586.

14 KARAT yellow gold, solitaire ring containing one pear shaped 1/2 carat diamond. $1,399. 689-4342.

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415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

WANTED: Little Tikes Country Cottage to buy. Call 699-0335.

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420 Good Things To Eat

NOW Buying Quality Pecans. Also cracking and shelling, thrashing poles, pecan sales, honey butter, jellies and more. Gardendale Pecan Processing. FM 554, Gardendale. Monday - Saturday. 9 - 12. 366-9793.

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430 Household Goods

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I BUY working TV's, stereos, VCR's, dinettes, livingroom sets, dressers, bedding, air conditioners, gas stoves, etc. 570-4408 Gary.

DINING Room set; hutch, six chairs and table with 2 leaves. Brand-Tell City, maple. $700. 689-8108.

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NEW 2 and 3 piece living room sets, 5 and 7 piece dinette sets (glass or wood), bedroom sets, 4 drawer chests, all sizes bedding (full sets start at $129 per set), used freezer, electric stoves, gas heaters, buffets.
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SIDE by side refrigerator, freezer, both almond color. Call 694-3031, after 4 pm.

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BEAUTIFUL, custom rug, 13' x 15', apricot/ 2 blue borders. Moving must sell. Paid $1,200, asking $600. 688-5866 or 687-4947.

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Midland Apartments At A Glance!	EFFICIENCY	1 BEDROOM	2 BEDROOM	3 BEDROOM	TOWNHOUSE	FURNISHED	CLUBHOUSE	EXTRA STORAGE	PATIO/BALCONY	COVERED PARKING	SWIMMING	TENNIS	SAUNA	SPA/WHIRLPOOL	FITNESS FACILITY	PLAYGROUND	CABLE TV READY	FREE BASIC CABLE	LAUNDRY	W/D/FURNISHED	W/D/CONNECTIONS	MINI BLINDS/VERTICALS	CEILING FANS	FIREPLACE	PETS	R.O. WATER	WATER VOLLEYBALL
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POODLES, AKC Standard pups $495 up. Mini's $195 up. Health guaranteed. Top quality. Can deliver. 915-636-4493.

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WHO says you can't buy love? Playful, fun, toy boys- 3 male Yorkies. $275. 6 weeks old Easter. 694-6885.

505 Livestock / Poultry

8 BRANGUS cows 2 - 4 years. 1 Large Brangus bull, 4 years. all $7,500. 685-3012.

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DUPLEX. 2 bedroom, loft, carport, new paint, near college, $475. 687-7333.

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The seminars are conducted in the VA Regional Office main training room and last approximately 2 hours. Since seating is limited, reservations should be made by calling 817/757-6869 or by writing VA Regional Office, P.O. Box 7635, Waco, TX 76714.

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VA OFFER ACCEPTANCES STATUS HOTLINE 1-800-827-1000
Information is updated by 2:30 p.m. each Thursday
PMH NUMBER IS REQUIRED

OFFERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 6, 1994.

Effective July 1, 1993 Purchase offers requesting VA vendee financing (Term Sales) must have VA form 26-6705b, Credit Statement of Prospective Purchaser. The underwriting of offers requesting VA vendee financing will be completed by VA staff at no cost to the purchaser. To complete the underwriting process, brokers are to submit a complete package to VA with the Offer to Purchase. This includes a) recent copies of pay stubs, a completed, signed copy of last year's federal tax return and a copy of the latest IRS Form W-2, Wage and Tax Statement (or) a Verification of Employment, VA Form 26-8497, completed by the employer b) signed SR statement (s) required by the sales listing c) verification of self-employment to include completed, signed copies of the last two year's federal income tax returns, including all schedules, and a year-to-date profit and loss statement which has been prepared and signed by an accountant d) current schedule of all real estate owned, to include all current rental/lease agreements e) past three months of bank statements, and f) any other information pertinent to the underwriting of the offer.

PURCHASE OFFERS NOT ACCOMPANIED BY THIS REQUIRED INFORMATION WILL BE REJECTED FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY.

OWNER OCCUPANTS: NO DOWN PAYMENT — INVESTORS 10% CASH DOWN PAYMENT

PMH # NUMBER	STREET	CITY	ZIP	PRICE	BED/BATH /GARAGE	STATEMENTS REQUIRED
413738	4701 CUTHBERT	MIDLAND	79703	$40,000	3/1.5/2	SR 2 LBP
472813	2507 NEELY AVE.	MIDLAND	79705	$90,000	4/2.0/2	SR 2 3 LBP
544950	5105 LEISURE	MIDLAND	79703	$55,000	3/2.0/2	SR 2 LBP
519117	2002 WICKLOW AVE.	ODESSA	79763	$24,000	3/1.5/1	SR 2 4 LBP IS (CASH ONLY)
636755	3127 CENTER AVE.	ODESSA	79762	$20,000	2/1.0/1	SR 2 LBP IS (CASH ONLY) B

SR-2 No Repairs by VA. Strictly "AS IS"
SR-3 VA will make no repaires to swimming pool/hot tub or related equipment.
SR-4 Foundation settlement - now warranty from VA on foundation.
B A $500 bonus will be paid to the broker at closing.
LBP Property was built prior to 1978 and may contain leed-based paint.
IS INVESTOR SPECIAL-defective paint conditions will not be treated by VA.

ACCEPTABLE OFFERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED ON THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES

PMH #	STREET	CITY	ZIP	PRICE	OFFEROR/BROKER		
405747	1315 N.W. 11TH	ANDREWS	79714	$68,000	HUDSON/TAYLOR	SP $68,500 DP $500	$67,140

The offer which best serves the interest of VA will be processed for acceptance. VA also will pay reasonable loan discount points and buyers' closing costs on cash offers when requested on the Cash Sale Addendum to Offer to Purchase. Interest rate of available vendee financing is 7.25 percent, (7.5% APR).

Offers to purchase VA - acquired properties requesting VA - vendee financing received from investors and speculators will be limited to not more than five properties over a period of 6 months. No additional sales will be approved until the purchaser has demonstrated his/her ability to maintain all previous loan accounts over a period of 6 months or more commencing with the due date of the first payment of the last loan account. The intent is not to limit the cumulative/aggregate number of properties which can be sold to speculators, but rather to ensure that the purchasers' financial position is such that he/she can satisfactorily support the additional obligations. However, additional VA-vendee financed sales to an investor-purchased who already own five properties purchased from VA within the preceding 6 months will be considered if the investor - purchaser is willing to make a 20 percent cash down payment on each such additional property.

FORFEITURE OF EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

Prior to signing the offer, the broker must deposit in the broker's trust account the $500 earnest money deposit. The $500 earnest money deposit, will be remitted to the closing agent upon acceptance of the offer. Once a purchase offer has been accepted for processing by VA and subsequently cancelled at the request of the purchasers, the earnest money WILL NOT be refunded and the purchaser will be required to forfeit the earnest money to VA as liquidation expenses. There will be no exception to this policy. Therefore, the VA suggests that all broker's interview their buyers to assure that they want the property to submission of an Offer to Purchase, Prospective purchasers will have the option to select the title company or attorney of their choice to close the sale of VA-acquired properties. The address, telephone number, FAX number, tax ID number and name of person to contact should be included with all offers to Purchase. The closing agent will be responsible for document preparation and sales closing. The purchaser or sales broker will be responsible for the payment of all costs charged by the closer. Offers are subject to the provisions of VA Form 26-6705. Offer to Purchase and Contract of Sale, on which all offers must be submitted. VA pays 6 percent sales commission. VA Form 26-6705 must be submitted in duplicate to:

VA Property Management Section
P.O. Box 7635
Waco, Texas 76714

UNLESS OTHERWISE SOLD, PROPERTIES ARE AVAILABLE ON A "FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS" UNTIL CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE TUESDAY FOLLOWING THE CLOSING DATE SHOWN ABOVE.

To obtain a copy of the "Consumers Guide To Buying A VA Property," contact the VA Property Management Section at the above address.

VA HOMELESS PROGRAM

Although most of the properties on the VA sales listing will be eligible for purchase under the VA homeless program, the sales listing will not indicate the amount or the percentage of the VA homeless program discount for particular properties. If you are interested in purchasing a particular property on the VA sales listing at a discounted price under the VA homeless program, you should contact VA to ascertain the amount of the current homeless program discount for the property, provided that it remains available for sale after the period for holding competing purchase offers. If you have any questions regarding the VA homeless program or the documentation which should be furnished by homeless providers prior to submitting purchase offers, please contact Dennis Pusstejovsky or Paul Farmer at (817) 757-6869 in the Loan Guaranty Division.

All information herein is believed to be correct. However, it is subject to variations and VA assumes no liability for errors or omissions. This listing is subject to confirmation, change in price and terms, prior sale and withdrawal at any time prior to notice.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT COMPUTER BULLETIN BOARD - 817/757-6308 - (ONLY XMODEM)

BEFORE YOU DIAL OUR NUMBER: Please consult your terminal program's operations manual (the software that operates your modem) for instructions on how to download. Your terminal program should be sent to no party, 8 data bits (XMODEM) and 1 stop bit. The system answers the phone at 2400 baud.

625 Houses Unfurnished

DUPLEX: new paint, tile and carpet. Great location, very large. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double carport, washer/ dryer connections, storage, refrigerated A/ C, ceiling fans, fireplace. Near Goddard and Emerson. Available April 1st; $700 monthly; 2605-A Haynes. References required. Call 915-682-8453.

3702 W. MICHIGAN. 3 bedrooms, 1 living area, sprinkler system, $750 monthly/ $400 deposit, 1 year lease. 689-8404.

VERY NICE large 4 bedroom, 3 bath, good neighborhood, close to schools. Underwood Real Estate, 682-9378.

LUXURY TOWNHOME, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, double car garage, fireplace, $700 plus deposit. S.C.I. 683-5169/ Valerie Drew 550-4221.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, office, 2 living. 3216 Dengar. $665 monthly. 570-9247.

DUPLEX. 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, fenced yard. $550 per month, $300 deposit. Phone 683-9778.

CLEAN, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, single garage, no appliances, no pets. $230 monthly/ $150 deposit. See at 2718 Franklin. Call 697-3827.

3 BEDROOM, 2 full baths, New paint, new carpet, new vinyl, front courtyard, storage building. $600 a month, deposit required, 5114 Storey. 697-8940.

LEASE-$700 with option to buy. 3903 Buchanan. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, double garage. Nice. Call 685-0693 after 5 pm or 1-953-3309.

DUPLEX, 2 bedroom. 217B Circle, newly decorated, appliances, refrigerated air/ heat, references. $275, deposit. 694-0870.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, carpeted, country kitchen, fenced. No pets. 694-0124 after 10 am.

3205 PRINCETON. 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 living areas, ceilings fans and mini blinds, great location, very large fenced yard. $700 per month, $500 deposit. 520-9655 or 694-9873.

NICE 3 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced in front and back. Carport. 1712 S. Marshall. $275 rent plus deposit. 563-2219.

OLD Midland. 3 bedroom brick. $550 month, $250 deposit. Call 686-7411 or come by 1411 Tennessee.

"OLD MIDLAND", 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living. Large storage/ workshop. 2102 Western Dr. $750. 699-7448.

4703 FIELDER. 2 bedroom, study, 2 bath, double garage. $600/ $300 deposit. Lease. 683-5371.

1913 NORTHRUP. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage. $600/ $300 deposit. 694-0840.

630 Houses Furn & Unfurnished

607 S. 'M'. Small private efficiency house, carpeted, appliances, fenced. No pets. 694-0124 after 10 am.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

NOW LEASING - AUTUMNCHASE CONDOS - 1 and 2 bedrooms. Microwaves, washer/ dryer connections, fireplaces, covered parking, basic cable, no pets. 3814 Holiday Hill Rd. 520-0722

SAGEWOOD Condiminum. 1 bedroom loft, 1 1/2 bath, all amenities. No pets. $375/ month. Agent, 694-3040.

YOU ARE NUMBER #1 WITH US. 1, 2, and 3 bedroom to accommodate any budget or lifestyle. 24 hour info line, 560-5225.

FAIRGATE TOWNHOMES-4411 Fairgate Drive. 2 and 3 bedrooms, 1,620 sq. ft. livable, appliances furnished, ceiling fans, fireplaces, washer/ dryer connections, garages, heat, gas, cooled electricly. Northwest side. 697-9566.

SIGNATURE Brighton Court and The Enclave. 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms with double car garages, 900 sq. ft to 1650 sq. ft., $545 to $850. 697-9768.

ELEGANT, pool and spa, Lafayette Place, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2 story, 2 living areas, 2 car garage and storage. The finest townhouses in West Texas, $1,350 a month, 1 year lease. Also available, similar townhome without pool and spa. 684-0996.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, Greenwood School District, furnished real nice, fenced yard. $350 monthly, $200 deposit. 682-1629 or 694-8414.

665 Business / Prop. Office Space Rental

COUNTRY 1 bedroom mobile home. Appliances, water, garbage removal furnished. Quite, private, close in. 683-0867.

CLEAN 2 bedroom with stove and refrigerator. Cable Vision available. $225 with $100 deposit. References. 563-3510, 550-7505.

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METRO PLEX MOBILE HOME PARK. Mobile home living at its best. 682-5798 or 683-9408.

LARGE LOT with large trees, paved roads. $39 monthly. Cable available. Free water. 563-3510, 550-7505.

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AIRLINE
MOBILE HOME PARK
Between Midland & Int'l Airport
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MOBILE HOME space for rent off South Midkiff Rd. 4 Acres, good water well. $75 monthly. 682-8090.

TWIN OAKS - Midland's finest. All spaces have 5 foot chain link fences, trees, paved streets, cable TV, natural gas, playground, state approved water, basketball court, 24 hour management, free garbage pickup. Cleanest park in Midland. Move-in special. Call 687-6324 or 683-4169.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

TWO ROOM OFFICE, Midland Executive Center, $120. Contact Beverly Vaughan, 686-2008.

ONE ROOM Office, $70. Midland Executive Center. Call Beverly Vaughan. 686-2008.

DOWNTOWN OFFICE Space. Individual room or suites from $65/ month. No extra charges. 682-6000.

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RETAIL/ OFFICE. Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive, B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

COMMERCIAL business for lease. 12,000 sq., ft., please inquire 682-1708.

FOR LEASE

2400-4500 square feet. Great retail or office space. Lots of glass frontage. High traffic area. Suitable for office or restaurant. Zoned with Alcohol/ Liquor usage. 2205 & 2215 N. Big Spring.

Call 682-5204, days
699-1265, evenings

SPACE For Lease - 450 sq. ft., 1,200 sq. ft., 3,000 sq. ft., and 6,000 sq. ft. Reasonable rates and terms. Call 915-235-8290.

DOCTORS office or other, bills paid, front door parking, 2109 W. Texas. 682-0602.

8701 I20 East. 2 Large buildings on 3 acres, fenced with offices. Call Jim Golden. 332-1288.

OFFICE Space all or part furnished or unfurnished, 119 E. 52nd St., Odessa. Call Jim Golden 332 1288.

FOR LEASE: 6,000 Sq. Ft. 601 W. Missouri, $1,000 monthly. Call 683-6639.

FOR LEASE: Industrial Shop property with yard. Cotton Flat and Industrial. Clal 683-6639 after 5.

670 Warehouse & Storage Rental

WAREHOUSE with office, restroom. 600 to 2,000 sq. ft. Midkiff Business Center, Midkiff and Industrial. 683-8681.

MIDLAND INDUSTRIAL WAREHOUSE, 2601 W. Industrial. 1800 sq. ft. and 4500 sq. ft. units available. Dock height and ground access. Security gate - secure units. Contact Terry Hancock, The Bonner Group, Inc. 686-3622.

WAREHOUSE 2,400 sq. ft., 2 overhead doors, paved and fenced. Ideal storage facility. Scott, 699-0846, 9 am-4 pm.

OFFICE and warehouse combination. 1200 - 3000 - 7000 - square feet, also other sizes. Some with fenced yards. 683-6927.

675 Recreational & Resort Rental

RUIDOSO Cabins, Houses, Condos - nightly, weekly. Some with hot tubs. Don Harmon, Four Seasons Real Estate 800-822-7654.

HORSESHOE Bay. 2 bedroom, sleeping loft, 3 bath condo. Fully equipped. Three night minimum. 684-6209.

LITE And Bright! 3/ 3 Condo. Has everything! Discount prices April/ May. Alto area 505-336-4185.

LAKE TRAVIS Waterfront Bungalow, sleeps 6, boat dock. $125 a night. $665 a week. 512-264-2155.

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SEASON DEER LEASE, excellent lease Southwest of Ozona, Crockett/ Val Verde County. Deer, Turkey, Javelina, Quail. 210-896-0160.

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NON PRODUCING Minerals, perpetual, Taylor County Florida. 8,400 net mineral acres. $10 per acre. Minimum, 1,200 acres. Phone 800-382-5224.

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Assume Loan. 1985 nice doublewide mobile home. $3,150 equity.
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CASH in 5 minutes for your mobile home! Call Brad in Odessa, 362-2560 or 366-5783.

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1994 FOUR bedroom mobile home for only $235.37 per month. Five year warranty, air conditioning, and delivery. 10% down, 10% APR, 240 mos. Homes of America - Odessa (800) 725-0881 or (915) 363-0881.

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1981 3 BEDROOM, 2 full baths, furnished, central air/ heat, washer/ dryer, storm windows, $11,000. $5,000 down payment. $300 monthly. 563-5497.

701 Real Estate

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Your home for a new custom home from KEY HOMES, INC. 520-9848

720 Homes for Sale

EXECUTIVE home, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, in Saddle Club area, extra large rooms and closets, wetbar, fireplace, terrarium, 2 car garage, carport, no yard, owner financing available. Call 520-5563 after 5.

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NON-QUALIFYING. payments $383 per month. 1750 square feet, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, house is not very old. 3509 Travis. 688-5144 or 689-0841.

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SPECIAL OWNER FINANCING

Three bedroom, two bath houses at various locations.
$30,000 to $70,000
By Owner
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OWNER moving must sell. Northgate. 5104 Canadian. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living, RO unit, 1 dining area, Mexican tile, fireplace, sprinkler system, 2 car garage. $55,000. 520-6521.

CHARLIE GOSS - BUILDER
New construction
Nassau Townhomes. 694-8662

BY OWNER 314 Thornridge. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, fireplace. Sprinkler system water well, covered patio. $47,900. 685-3012.

BARGAINS on vacuums, new/ rebuilt. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff (across from Jumburrito). 520-6464.

4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, rear entry, fenced yard, zoned a/ c, marble jacuzzi type tub, raised ceilings, stunning central kitchen with skylite, tile floors, tile countertops, sprinklers, blinds and much more! Key Homes, Inc., 3504 Pinemont. Call Harry, 520-9848.

RE/MAX of Midland
at Mission Square
Call 682-8820

THE House That Jack Built. New homes starting at $59,000. J.C. Builders, 520-5096 or 563-5096.

GRASSLAND Estates. New 4 bedroom homes starting at $114,500. The House That Jack Built. J.C. Builders, 520-5096 or 563-5096.

FAIRMONT PARK. 4 bedroom, 2 bath with extras. Approx. 1,950 sq. ft. Assumable 7% loan with $6,500 equity, payment $885. 520-9552 for appointment only.

REDUCED! 3 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large living/ dining combination, kitchen breakfast area. Near Parker Elementary. $86,500. 699-2405 after 4 PM.

3505 CLAREMONT. Contemporary 3 Bedroom, 2nd living could be 4th bedroom. Formal dining, island fireplace, oversized lot, water well, storage buildings. $97,750. Owner/ Agent, 694-5782, pager 567-6894.

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Why run all over town? We have pictures and Information on all of them. FREE LIST!

AZTEC REALTY
699-5949
Daniel R. Dirlam (Broker)

14' x 32' Shop/ Storage/ Garage. Heavy duty floor, double door. Terms and delivery. Must Sell! 563-1807.

1 BEDROOM house for sale, as is, small yard. Call 684-7364.

GREENTREE custom built 4 bedroom, 3 bath house at end of cul-de-sac. Many amenities including 1,000 square foot deck overlooking lake and beautiful golf hole. Shown by appointment, 699-6979.

2501 COUNTRY Club, Midland. For sale by owner. Large older home, corner lot, 2 car side entry garage, new carpet, paint, window coverings, appliances and more! Call 686-7172 for an appointment.

WONDERFUL house in Old Midland. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, huge yard with trees, ceramic tile throughout, redone bathrooms. 2203 Gulf. 687-3128.

OWNER FINANCE. Lots of space, 4 bedroom, large den and dining, 2 car garage. Tierra Realtors, 682-8818.

108 E. PINE, 2 bedroom, 2 living area, central heat, fence. $27,000. Small down, owner consider financing. 683-1407.

4 BEDROOMS
$43,900

4712 Laura- Newly remodeled, 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. Carpet, paint and a new refrigerated air/ heat unit. Call Roy Proctor, Realtors at 697-7788 or 694-8098.

720 Homes for Sale

1718 S. MARSHALL. $29,950 on a new loan or cash. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, carport, waterwell. 520-4400.

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4515 Fairbanks 3/2 $70,400
3706 W. Kansas 3/2 $51,300
4501 Roosevelt 3/1 1/2 $35,000
4405 Gulf 3/1 $33,000
4805 Shadylane 3/2 $33,000
1806 N. Main 4/4 $30,900
3603 Anetta 2/1 1/2 $23,500
503 Cuthbert 2/2 $17,000

ODESSA HOMES
1710 W. 25th 3/2 $54,500
1210 Pueblo 3/1 1/2 $25,100

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FHA ASSUMABLE, $6,000 equity, 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, brick home. Fireplace, central air/ heat, in Vista West edition. Call 697-6440.

REMODELED 3 Bedroom, 1 bath. Owner financing available. 1719 S. Marshall. 685-3314.

REDUCED! 1304 Delmar. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fenced yard. $34,900. Call Matt, 561-5629, 684-5014.

3219 WHITTLE WAY. Non qualifying loan. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, living/ dining area, breakfast nook, 2 car garage. $3,500 equity. $740 payment, approximately 1568 sq. ft. livable. 694-8552.

CHAPARRAL REALTORS
911 N. Midkiff
Call 686-7000

REDUCED. $189,000 to $169,000. Beautiful 2 story brick, 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, pool and hot tub. 686-7048 for appointment.

4528 GLENEAGLES. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 living area, formal dining. Fairmont Park. $84,000. 689-3423.

NICE Starter home. $3,000 Down and take up payments, assumable loan. 2 Bedrooms, 1 bath, 2 living areas. 694-1338.

LOVELY Old Midland home. 2,400 square feet, 3 fireplaces. Owner/ Agent. 570-4011 or 684-4805.

3 BEDROOMS, 1 bath house with 3-1 bedroom apartment in back. $30,000. Owner will consider financing. Call Bill Jackson 683-9548 or 682-2135.

725 Condos/Townhouses For Sale

TOWNPLAZA CONDO, 2 bedroom, fireplace, washer/ dryer, stove, refrigerator, terra cotta floor, berber, new paint, $19,750. Owner finance, $5,000 down. 682-9582.

ASSORTED TOWNHOMES; $35,900 - $94,900; Gulf Shore Village to Skyline. Privacy, security. UP Group, 684-7788.

730 Suburban Property

GREENWOOD, Co. Rd. 1114. Nice 3 Bedroom, 2 bath brick home, in excellent condition, on 3 acres, in Greenwood School area. $85,000. Call 683-2213, leave message or call after 6.

FOR Sale or Lease: 4 Bedrooms, 2 full baths, dining room, big living room. On two acres, shelter for horses. $800 monthly - Del Norte Estates. Call 664-6199 for Sabrina.

GREENWOOD, 10902 E. County Road 108. 3 Bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, special brick home with extras. Great neighborhood and walking distance to Greenwood School. Call 682-1514 for appointment.

735 Real Estate Wanted

REALTORS OR Property owners: Have out of state buyer for approximately 100 acres, well improved, maximum $200,000. Col. Jimmy Davis, Owner. ERA/American Real Estate, 2108 N. Grandview, Odessa, TX 79761, 368-4744.

740 Out of Town Property

15 ACRES in Stephenville. Beautiful 2 story house, 5 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 2 car garage, plus brick cottage. Pool, 2 barns, ideal setup for horses, too many amenities to list. $239,000. Owner will finance with 25% down. 817-965-7153.

Classified Can! 682-6222

750 Lots and Acreage

100 ACRES. Prime hill country hunting. Edwards County, end of road, borders large ranch, Oak & Cedar trees. Deer, turkey, hogs. $395/ AC. Owner terms. 210-792-4953.

2 ACRES Greenwood. County Road 1040 South. Water well drilled. $4,000 cash or will trade for Bass boat. 682-4118.

HUNTERS: 100 acres south of Midland near Big Bend area. Deer, Turkey, Quail, Dove. $495 down. $161 per month. Owner financed. No credit check. 210-921-6476.

760 Farms and Ranches

SPRAYBERRY AREA - 2,177 acres, 250 in cultivation. Call 682-8818, Tierra Realtors.

TEXAS HIDEAWAY RANCH - 10 or 22 acres nature sanctuary. All useable land. Large, super energy luxury home overlooking live creek, native pecans, and Slaughter Mountain. Close to Marble Falls and Lake LBJ. Quick Sale! $189,300. Call Landmasters, 1-800-328-9790.

770 Resort Property

RUIDOSO rooms nightly, cabins, condos, some hot tubs. C-21 Aspen Realty, 800-657-8980.

6 ACRES On Pecos river at Pandale with or without 26' travel trailer. Call James at 682-7257 or 697-8051.

★ TOTALLY REMODELED 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den with fireplace, livingroom, kitchen with bar, dininroom, large utility room, new carpet throughout, central air and heat. New roof, tile fence, storm cellar, storage house, trees. A wonderful place to build some good family memories, best of all, its only a short distance to Colorado City Lake and Lake Champion. $42,000. 520-8202.

SOUTHERN Colorado's finest mountain Property! 336 acres with spectacular views, county road access, Ponderosa pines, meadows, storage ponds. $229,000, serious inquiries only. Higbee Realty. Elsie, 719-846-6834 or Ron, 719-846-2777.

ESTATE SALE, 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick, fireplace, screened in porch, lots of outside storage, adjoins Las Moras creek with access to San Saba river, (approximately 50 yards). Call 915-396-2100, Menard TX.

770 Resort Property

FOR SALE by owner. Lake Spence. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, total electric, central air & heat, fully carpeted & furnished, fireplace, city water. Shown by appointment only, 682-8913.

CEDAR Cove Developement at Lake Spence. 1/2 acre lots priced $4,000-$13,000. Financing available. For brochure call 368-8425.

NICE 2 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home on deeded lot. Fenced. All utilities, in private sub-division. Lake Spence. 915-267-8702 (Big Spring).

780 Business Property

★ MCKENZIE - OWEN ★
Commercial & Investment
★ 915-684-6278 ★

SUN Oil Company Crude Oil Trucking facility for sale/ rent/ lease. Approximately 3,000 sq. ft. of office, 3500 sq. ft. of shop & fenced parking yard. 2415 E. Hwy 80. Call 520-4663.

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