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Conservatives may gain ground in Ector County GOP

By RICK BROWN
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ODESSA — Emerging from Ector County Republican precinct caucuses after the March 8 primary may be a balance of power tip toward forces that deem themselves more conservative than politicos currently running the county's GOP machinery.

In 18 of Ector County's 31 precincts, candidates aligned with former television evangelist Pat Robertson and New York Rep. Jack Kemp are running for chairmanships against candidates who predominantly support Vice President George Bush.

The three presidential candidates — along with former Gen. Alexander Haig, Senate Minority Leader Robert Dole and former Delaware Gov. Pierre DuPont — also are facing off March 8 for the lion's share of delegates to the party's national convention this summer.

"Always before, we just had to beat the bushes to find people to run for precinct chairman," said Jane Tindall, Ector County Republican Party secretary and herself a candidate in the Precinct 202 chairman's race.

That so many precinct chairmanships are up for grabs "is unique," she said. "It's absolutely the first time."

Evidence of a party split also can be seen in the race for Ector County party chairman, which pits Odessa attorney Larry McMillion against Amy Stroder, a Permian High School teacher and president of the Greater Odessa Republican Women's Club.

A feeling that Ector County Republican leadership in the past centered on what he called "the liberal wing of the party" led McMillion, a Kemp supporter, to file for the race, he said.

"The Kemp and Robertson people get along, and we'd like to see that kind of conservatism be predominant in our (Ector County) party, as it is across the state," he said.

"The Bush people are generally perceived as being too liberal," he added. "In fact, there is a feeling among conservatives that it (the presidential candidate) should be anybody but Bush," he said.

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AP Laserphoto

Vice President George Bush and Jennifer Kaes of Marengo, Iowa, pause for a portrait.

Iowa victory sought

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
AP Political Writer

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DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — The 1988 presidential contenders, hoping for an Iowa victory that would propel them from the pack — campaigned through the state today in advance of precinct caucuses that are the first significant step toward the Republican and Democratic nominations.

Gary Hart was up early, thanking campaign workers and telling them, "This campaign will only get stronger the longer it goes." But anticipating a poor showing tonight, the former Democratic front-runner noted he had spent far less time and money in the state than most rivals.

Sen. Albert Gore Jr., who bypassed the caucuses to concentrate on his native South, told reporters at a news conference today in Washington that the Iowa system was "sort of like a roulette game — it's not democracy in action." He trumpeted his endorsement by Kentucky Gov. Wallace Wilkinson, then set out on a day-long Southern campaign swing.

In Iowa, late polling indicated Richard Gephardt, Paul Simon and Michael Dukakis had the best chances among the Democrats tonight.

Bob Dole, the Republican front-runner in Iowa, and Democratic long shot Jesse Jackson both planned to work late — greeting people as they arrived at two of tonight's 2,487 caucus meetings. Vice President George Bush, in the unaccustomed role of underdog to Dole, was planning to leave Iowa for New Hampshire, site of next week's first presidential primary.

After a long year of being wooed by candidates, Iowans were meeting tonight in schools, firehouses and living rooms.

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Making their way

Some would consider James and Carla Owings handicapped because he is blind and she has only limited vision. But they disagree and both live active lives — such as riding bikes — to prove it. Please see related photos and story, Page 1B.



AP Laserphoto

UFW president Cesar Chavez addresses the Texas group's biennial convention.

Chavez sees no shortage of farm workers

McALLEN (AP) — There's no shortage of people looking for work on the nation's farms, said Cesar Chavez, founder and president of the United Farm Workers of America.

Chavez, at a convention of the Texas UFW on Sunday, said the organization will continue to fight a provision of the new immigration law under which agricultural employers may bring in foreign workers if they can certify a labor shortage.

"There's never been a shortage of farm labor," Chavez said. "There's more workers than jobs, always has been. That's the way agribusiness wants it, to keep more workers than jobs so that they can keep competing with one another so they can keep the wages and the conditions down."

Five hundred delegates with the Texas organization passed a resolution Sunday calling for the UFW to start filing lawsuits against the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Labor, Texas Employment Commission and agriculture companies to ensure that employers do not import workers without providing proof of a labor shortage.

The Texas UFW, affiliated with the AFL-CIO, also voted to boycott the San Antonio-based H.E. Butt Grocery Co. chain, which operates as HEB, in an effort to persuade the chain to stop selling California grapes.

The UFW, which has boycotted the grapes since 1986, alleges California grape growers use chemicals unsafe for field workers and consumers.

The Texas UFW on Friday filed suit against Hidalgo County District Attorney Rene Guerra and county Health Director Charles Wilson for alleged failure to enforce health and sanitation regulations for farm workers.

Sanitation requirements include toilets for men and women, drinking water and soap and water for washing hands.

Quake shakes Mexico City

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A strong earthquake shook Mexico City today, causing downtown buildings to sway and creak. There were no immediate reports of injuries or damage.

The 7:52 a.m. temblor lasted for at least 30 seconds, with an intensity of 6.0 on the Richter scale, the National University of Mexico's Tacubaya Seismological Institute reported.

The institute said the quake's epicenter was located about 100 miles off the coast of southern Guerrero state, in the Pacific Ocean.

Red Cross and police said they had no immediate reports of casualties or property damage.

Many Mexico City residents, who were riding buses or the subway, or driving to work in the morning rush hour, did not feel the quake.

It was felt strongly in The Associated Press' offices on the eighth floor of a skyscraper in downtown Mexico City.

Survivors of attack in Mexico treated in Odessa

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Two members of a family ambushed late last Tuesday night near the southwestern Mexican coastal town of Lazaro Cardenas are back in Odessa at AMI-Womens & Childrens Hospital being treated for injuries suffered in the attack that killed two family members.

Frances Gunkle-Boyles, hospital public relations director, said this morning the condition of Maria Concepcion Melendez and her 17-year-old daughter-in-law, Blanca Melendez, is "medically stable."

She said AMI-Womens & Childrens doctors plan to operate on Maria Melendez's left knee "the latter part of the week" to repair damage done by a bullet. Dr. O.T. Garza, an orthopedic surgeon at the hospital, will perform the surgery at no charge, Ms. Gunkle-Boyles said.

Blanca Melendez, she said, was apparently "beaten about the head with a rock" and is being treated for injuries she suffered.

Reyes Melendez, 28, she said was examined Sunday evening and released.

Josie Melendez, 29, Reyes' wife, said her husband fought with one of the attackers, trying to wrest a rifle from hime, after his father, Catarino, 61, and brother, Hector, 20, had been shot and "it looked like they were going to kill all the men first," she said.

The children were examined at the hospital by Dr. Charles Lambeth, a pediatrician. "The kiddoes are doing fine," she stated.

Josie Melendez said she and her husband are "90 percent sure" the attackers were actually members of a local Mexican police force. She stated the attackers "took her husband's and her clothes" and left a cap, a pair of pants and two guns, a rifle and a handgun, at the scene of the attack.

Doctors at General Hospital in Lazaro Cardenas, she said, told her this is "something that happens everyday."

Ms. Melendez said the weapons left at the scene of the Tuesday night attack against her and other family members belonged to a Mexican man who had been killed earlier when he tried to aid his employer, who was being attacked.

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Investigator says Waldheim knew about Nazi war crimes

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — A member of the panel probing Kurt Waldheim's past was quoted today as saying the Austrian president knew about Nazi war crimes while serving in the German army and could have done more to prevent atrocities.

But Manfred Messerschmidt reportedly told the Bonn newspaper Die Welt that the commission found no proof that Waldheim committed any crimes.

"There were other officers those days who found ways to prevent the worst from happening," the newspaper quoted Messerschmidt as saying.

In London, Independent Television reported that the commission concluded Waldheim was "morally guilty" for the deportation of Greek Jews and Yugoslav partisans while he was in the Balkans in Hitler's army.

The station said it obtained a copy of the commission's report and said it found that "Waldheim lied persistently to cover up his wartime past."

Messerschmidt, however, said Waldheim was not guilty of any crimes, "but he knew about what was taking place."

"The accusation of participation in war crimes must therefore be taken as refuted," the West German historian said.

Swiss historian Hans Rudolf Kurz, who heads the six-member, government-appointed commission, emphasized the report was "critical" and "severe."

The international panel was to present their report to the government and Waldheim late today. There were signs the report was straining Austria's uneasy coalition government of conservatives and Socialists.

According to Die Welt, Messerschmidt said Waldheim as a young officer routinely got reports that clearly indicated what was happening in the regions in which he served in the Balkans. Die Welt said it would print the interview in Tuesday's editions; it was telexed in advance to other news media.

The Nazis killed or deported thousands of partisans, Jews and other civilians in Yugoslavia and Greece from 1942 to 1945.

Yugoslavia placed Waldheim on a list of suspected war criminals and asked for his extradition from Austria in 1947, but it never pursued the extradition request and never publicly explained why.

Waldheim, 69, has consistently denied allegations that surfaced in 1986 that he was involved in Nazi atrocities while serving as an officer in the Balkans during World War II.

Waldheim has said he will not consider the commission's conclusions binding and the panel, which began its work in September, is not expected to deliver a final judgment on whether the president should stay in office. The presidency is largely a ceremonial post.

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Four Arabs injured when Gaza funeral becomes protest

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli soldiers beat to death a 15-year-old Palestinian in the Gaza Strip and his burial today turned into a violent protest in which troops shot and wounded four Arabs, U.N. and Arab reports said.

The army confirmed that an Arab teen-ager had died but said it was investigating the circumstances. Army radio said the military spoke with army units in Gaza and found no evidence the Arab had been beaten by soldiers.

The Palestine Press Service said a second Palestinian died after he was shot in the head today in the Arab village of Kafr Qaddum near the West Bank city of Nablus. The Arab-run agency said the circumstances of the shooting were not clear. The army said it was investigating.

On Sunday, three Palestinians were killed in one of the bloodiest days in two months of violence that have occurred in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip. Fighting broke out in the West Bank after rumors spread that Jewish settlers were planning attacks on Palestinians there.

The three Arabs killed Sunday and the two who died Sunday from injuries suffered earlier increased to 48 the number of Palestinians who have been killed by Israelis since violence broke out in the occupied lands Dec. 8, according to U.N. count. The two deaths today were not counted in that total.

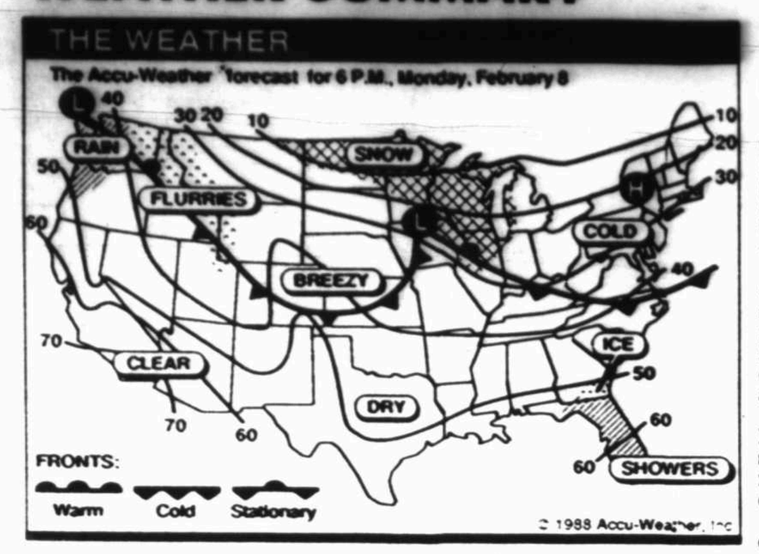
In Gaza today, the body of 15-year-old Iyad Mohammed Aqi was found with a beaten head near his home in the Bureij refugee camp, said a senior United Nations official in Gaza City, an Arab reporter there and the Arab news agency.

Aqi's cousin, 18-year-old Abdulla Ali Aqi, also was beaten and suffered two broken arms, said the U.N. official, who spoke on condition of anonymity. He said U.N. field workers received their reports from family members.

Aqi was buried today and the ceremony turned into a demonstration that spread to the neighboring Nuseirat refugee camp, the reporter said.

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Warmer temperatures due in Permian Basin tonight

From Staff and Wire Reports

Fair skies and warmer temperatures are in store for Midland tonight and Tuesday, said forecasters at the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport.

This evening a low is expected near 30 and skies should be fair. Winds should be variable at 5-10 mph.

Tuesday, skies again should be fair and the high should be near 60. Winds will be variable at 5-10 mph.

The record high temperature for Sunday was set in 1932 when it hit 83. The record low for today was set one year later in 1933 when the temperature dropped to 11 below zero.

STATE

Widely scattered showers are expected tonight and Tuesday across extreme East Texas and in South Texas.

The western two-thirds of the state will have clear skies and slightly warmer temperatures through Tuesday. It will be partly to mostly cloudy over the rest of the state.

Warmer temperatures are forecast statewide through Tuesday.

Lows tonight will be in the 20s and 30s over West Texas, the 30s in North Texas and in the 40s and 50s over most of South Texas except in the Hill Country where readings will dip into the 30s.

Highs Tuesday will be mostly in the 50s in West Texas, ranging from the mid 40s in the Panhandle to the upper 60s in the Big Bend area, in the 40s and 50s in North Texas and in the 60s and 70s in South Texas.

Some light rain and drizzle was reported before dawn in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and in Southeast Texas between Houston and Port Arthur.

Some patchy dense fog was reported in North Texas, Central Texas and South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 20s and 30s, ranging from the teens in the mountains of Southwest Texas to the 40s in South Texas. Extremes ranged from 19 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains of Southwest Texas to 47 at Corpus Christi.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 28 at Amarillo, 26 at Wichita Falls, 38 at Fort Worth, 39 at Waco, 29 at Houston, 24 at San Angelo, 29 at Lubbock, 20 at Midland and 31 at El Paso.

NATION

An arctic front brought snow and below-zero temperatures to parts of the northern Plains and to Minnesota and Wisconsin today, while snow squalls swirled around lakes Erie and Ontario.

Temperatures were generally in the single numbers or below zero across North Dakota, eastern South Dakota, the upper Mississippi Valley and northern Michigan. Readings were 10 to 20 degrees below zero in northern Minnesota and northeastern North Dakota.

An advisory for snow was in effect for southern and central Minnesota, and in the western part of the state, strong northwest winds were expected to cut visibilities in snow and blowing snow late today, with blizzard conditions possible.

The snow was expected to moved into northern and central Wisconsin, where 2-to 4-inch accumulations are possible by Tuesday morning.

Strong winds ahead of a cold front in the Great Lakes region produced snow squalls near lakes Erie and Ontario. Buffalo, N.Y., received 3 inches of snow Sunday night, and another 2 to 4 inches was possible in parts of New York state east of the two lakes.

Widely scattered snow showers extended from the upper Ohio Valley into western New England.

Rain showers soaked southern Georgia and northern and central Florida this morning, and also dampened the northern Pacific Coast.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Fair with a low near 30. Winds variable at 5-10 mph. Tuesday: Fair with a high near 60. Winds variable at 5-10 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS	
Yesterday's High	54 degrees
Overnight Low	19 degrees
Sunset today	6:29 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:37 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.05 inches
Year to date	0.08 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES			
6 a.m.	27	6 p.m.	50
7 a.m.	27	7 p.m.	42
8 a.m.	27	8 p.m.	34
9 a.m.	29	9 p.m.	31
10 a.m.	31	10 p.m.	28
11 a.m.	36	11 p.m.	27
noon	44	midnight	28
1 p.m.	47	1 a.m.	26
2 p.m.	50	2 a.m.	27
3 p.m.	51	3 a.m.	24
4 p.m.	53	4 a.m.	22
5 p.m.	53	5 a.m.	20
		6 a.m.	19

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	44	28	
Alice	43	40	
Amarillo	51	25	
Austin	46	38	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	39	38	.02
Beeville	42	42	
Brownsville	45	43	
Bryan-College Station	42	34	.02
Corpus Christi	43	39	
Cotulla	46	42	.02
Dalhart	50	07	
Dallas	43	37	
Del Rio	54	33	
El Paso	52	28	
Fort Worth	44	38	.01
Galveston	42	40	.08
Hondo	53	39	
Houston Hobby	40	38	
Junction	53	26	
Kingsville	43	38	.02
Laredo	47	41	
Longview	40	34	.04
Lubbock	52	28	
Lufkin	38	36	
Marfa	57	13	
McAllen	44	37	.03
Midland-Odessa	54	19	
Mineral Wells	46	38	
Palacios	44	40	.01
San Angelo	57	24	
San Antonio	49	40	
Stephenville	43	30	
Texarkana	37	33	
Victoria	42	40	.04
Waco	45	37	
Wichita Falls	44	24	
Wink	56	23	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	20	18		sn
Albuquerque	48	27		cdy
Anchorage	32	19		cdy
Atlanta	42	30		cdy
Atlantic City	27	21		cdy
Baltimore	29	22		cdy
Boise	36	29	.07	rn
Boston	24	18		cdy
Buffalo	24	14	.31	sn
Casper	40	22		sn
Charleston,S.C.	41	38		clr
Chicago	27	06		cdy
Cincinnati	29	22		sn
Dayton	26	10	.02	sn
Denver	46	28		cdy
Detroit	23	07	.06	cdy
Flagstaff	49	15		clr
Grand Rapids	24	02	.07	cdy
Great Falls	44	26		sn
Honolulu	83	72		clr
Indianapolis	27	11	.02	cdy
Jackson,Miss.	35	29		cdy
Kansas City	30	18		cdy
Las Vegas	63	38		clr
Little Rock	33	30		cdy
Los Angeles	77	51		cdy
Louisville	35	31		cdy
Memphis	41	29		cdy
Milwaukee	25	02		cdy
Mpls-St Paul	21	-07		cdy
Nashville	44	33		cdy
New Orleans	38	36		cdy
New York City	25	23		cdy
Oklahoma City	46	26		cdy
Omaha	25	13		cdy
Philadelphia	26	21		cdy
Phoenix	71	48		clr
Pittsburgh	26	22	.06	sn
Reno	62	29		clr
Richmond	32	23		cdy
St Louis	35	19		cdy
Salt Lake City	38	19		cdy
San Diego	71	48		cdy
San Francisco	69	48		clr
Sioux Falls	22	03	.01	cdy
Spokane	41	32	.06	rn
Syracuse	24	21		sn
Topeka	33	18		cdy
Tucson	70	42		clr
Tulsa	42	25		cdy
Washington,D.C.	29	26		cdy
Wichita	44	24		cdy

Border forecasts

New Mexico: Fair and not as cold tonight. Partly cloudy Tuesday with temperatures turning cooler over the northeast. Lows tonight from zero to the low 20s over the mountains with the upper 20s and low 30s elsewhere. Highs Tuesday from the 40s and low 50s over the mountains and north to the upper 50s and low 60s south.

Oklahoma: Tonight clearing southeast and fair elsewhere. Low low 20s Panhandle to mid 30s southeast. Tuesday partly cloudy. Highs mainly 40s.

Louisiana: Mostly fair tonight but with dense fog likely mainly south. Partly cloudy Tuesday with a chance of showers. A slow warming trend through Tuesday. Lows tonight in the mid 30s over the extreme north to the lower 40s along the coast. Highs Tuesday in the mid to upper 50s.

Arkansas: Partly cloudy tonight. Partly sunny Tuesday with warmer temperatures in most sections but turning cooler in the north during the afternoon. Lows tonight from the mid 20s to the mid 30s. Highs Tuesday from the mid 40s to the mid 50s.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, fair and cold. Low near 30. Wind variable 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday, fair with a high near 60. Wind variable 5 to 10 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, fair early, becoming mostly cloudy by morning. Low in the mid 30s. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday, cloudy early morning, becoming partly cloudy late morning. High in the upper 50s. Wind east and southeast 5 to 15 mph.

Texas area forecast

West Texas: Late night and early morning cloudiness Concho Valley, otherwise fair tonight and Tuesday. Cooler Panhandle Tuesday. Lows tonight mid 20s Panhandle to mid 30s Concho Valley and Big Bend plateaus. Highs Tuesday mid 40s Panhandle to upper 60s Big Bend.

Extended forecast

Wednesday Through Friday

West Texas: A chance of rain south on Sunday and areawide Tuesday otherwise mostly cloudy with temperatures below normal. Permian Basin and Concho Valley, lows in the 20s, highs in the 40s. Panhandle, lows in the teens, highs in the 30s. South Plains, lows mid teens to lower 20s, highs mid 30s to low 40s. Far west, lows in the 20s, highs upper 40s to middle 50s. Big Bend area, lows 20s mountains to near 40 lowlands. Highs from the upper 40s to middle 60s mountains and in the 60s lowlands.

Group helps people handle emotions

By LAURA WILKINSON

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Before she joined Emotions Anonymous, Linda Funkhouser weighed 350 pounds, cried for no apparent reason and moped around her house muttering about people she felt had slighted her.

Since joining the group 15 months ago, Mrs. Funkhouser has a ready smile for newcomers at the weekly meeting she helps run. Her weight has dropped to 175 pounds and she credits the meetings with giving her a new lease on life.

"I'm 37, but I feel like a kid," said Mrs. Funkhouser, who recalls being so depressed about her weight and relatives' hurtful comments that she contemplated suicide.

"I couldn't cope with living day to day," she said.

With the group helping her get a handle on runaway emotions, she says she is able to enjoy simple pleasures she missed as an overweight teen-ager.

"I've got a (Minnesota) Twins T-shirt I wear to my workout. Never in my life had I worn a T-shirt," Mrs. Funkhouser said. "And you know what, sometimes I flip on MTV."

Discussion in meetings focuses on a 12-step guide to improving members' outlooks and lives. The program of recovery, patterned after Alcoholics Anonymous, emphasizes spiritual growth and shared experience of members.

Since EA was founded in St. Paul in 1971 to help people confront their depression, anxiety and anger, the organization has grown to 1,400 chapters in 21 countries.

"It has been a very positive force in the self-help movement," said John M. Blamphin, a spokesman for the American Psychiatric Association.

The St. Paul woman who founded EA after suffering from agoraphobia and panic attacks for 40 years was invited to tell her story at the APA's annual convention last year.

"I felt as if I was on a train going down the tracks with no brakes, and I didn't know how to stop," 76-year-old "Marion F." recalls.

She says her initial inspiration for forming a support group came when she attended a meeting of Al-Anon, a group for relatives and loved ones of alcoholics.

The Rev. Robert Mader is a Protestant chaplain at the Minnesota Correctional Facility at St. Cloud, where EA meetings are held for inmates.

"EA is only beginning to become accepted as part of the treatment setting. We're only just breaking ground," he said.

Mrs. Funkhouser said her life began to turn around when she saw how other members had improved. "I could see there was hope," she said.

Not everyone reaches that point.

"We have had people who want to moan," Mrs. Funkhouser said, but members try to tactfully help the complainers shift attention away from their problems and toward solutions.

Unlike many counselors or psychologists, EA members don't give advice about personal or family problems during meetings, although they do provide an informal support system, she said.

Group members believe the key to handling emotional difficulties lies in learning to cope with their source, such as an overly critical parent, Mrs. Funkhouser said.

There are no fees for membership. Groups are self-supported through members' donations collected at meetings. Publications about EA are sold to hospitals and other social service agencies.

Prospective members are urged to check with physicians first to make sure there is no physical cause for their problems, said Diane Hanson, the organization's coordinator.

Mental patients often are advised to attend EA meetings when they're released from institutions, she said. "It's comforting to the person to know when they leave the hospital that they have a group to go to."

One psychiatrist who refers patients to EA says the organization can help many people who suffer from neuroses, phobias and depression.

"I have seen some really dramatic results with my patients who have gone there and have followed up," said James T. Garvey, medical director of crisis services at North Memorial Medical Center in suburban Robbinsdale.

"It's not for people who are mentally ill, but who are emotionally sick," he said.

21 persons killed as West German commuter plane downed in storm

MUELHEIM, West Germany (AP) — A commuter airliner with 21 people aboard crashed during a storm today, and witnesses told police it was on fire before it smashed into the ground. There were no reports of survivors.

"There was a fireball in the air," a police official said, describing eyewitness reports of the crash 10 miles north of Duesseldorf.

It was West Germany's worst plane crash in 17 years, according to the federal Aviation Administration in Braunschweig. In September 1971, 21 people died when an airliner went down near Hamburg.

A police spokesman said wreckage was scattered over a wide area.

Federal flight authorities in Frankfurt said the plane was on a flight from Hanover to Duesseldorf airport when it crashed about seven miles short of its destination.

Snow and rain squalls with gusty winds were moving through the region at the time of the crash, officials said.

A spokesman for federal flight control authorities in Frankfurt, Hans-Ulrich Ohl, said the plane crashed at 7:57 a.m. local time.

He said the plane, a twin-engine turboprop FA-4 Metroliner, belonged to the Nuremberg Flight Service. The spokesman said 19 passengers and a crew of two were on board at the time of the crash.

"The aircraft just disappeared from our radar screens without warning," the spokesman said.

He said the plane did not crash in a residential area. "As far as I know, there were no injuries on the ground," the spokesman said.

A Nuremberg Flight Service official said the flight crew had not reported any difficulties before the crash.

"This leads us to believe that what occurred was a completely unforeseen circumstances," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

ECTOR

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Ms. Stroder, McMillion's opponent, demures from entering the fray based on candidate preference because of her women's club presidency, she said. By-laws of the club prevent her from announcing support for any candidate before the primary, she said.

In addition, Ms. Stroder considers herself a practitioner of the so-called 11 Commandment: "Thou shalt not speak ill of a fellow Republican."

She considers the precinct chairman races as "healthy" indications of the state of the Republican Party in Ector County. "The only thing I would be critical of is those people who do not work within the rules of the party," she said.

McMillion said contesting the precinct chairmanships is the brainchild of Leon Kelley, a state Republican Party committeeman for the 28th Senatorial District. Kelley, a Lubbock resident, also serves as president of the Texas Republican Assembly, a conservative political action group.

The Lubbockite noted that when party machinery falls into the hands of moderate forces "it tends to be controlled by fewer people." Moderate precinct chairmen tend to be less involved with the job, he said.

"What we want to see is people running as precinct chairmen who want to be involved in the party," he said.

One Ector County precinct candidate, Cliff Rowe, a construction company president, also is the Ector County coordinator for the Robertson presidential campaign.

"I don't think this is any planned strategy," said Rowe of the high number of contested races. "I think it's a lot of people who want to get involved in politics."

Rowe himself said he "woke up a few years ago and realized I was a conservative." His race — like that of many of the Kemp and Robertson supporters — is his first venture into precinct level politics, he said.

"I believe the party in Odessa is in a state of shambles," he said, mentioning a lack of a headquarters as one example of failure by on-going party leadership.

Rowe further believes that the Ector County Republican Party leadership should fall more in line with the party's platform, which includes anti-abortion "right to life" planks and calls for a strong national defense.

Said Kelley: "Our feeling is that George Bush does not represent the conservative movement in the party. George Bush has no platform. He's running as the vice president."

Nonetheless, Ector County's Bush for President coordinator, Carolyn Powers, is certain "George Bush is going to carry the (county's) popular vote with no problem."

But whether the vice president's coattails will carry into the precinct caucuses held the night after primary voting is finished is a open question, she acknowledged.

Robertson and Kemp forces "will work real hard to get their people there," she said.

"The Bush campaign is working with their precinct chairmen to see that they get elected," she said. "We're going to have to get Bush supporters out to carry the precincts."

IOWA

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Candidates in both parties were putting a lid on their rhetoric as campaign themes took a back seat to car pools and other efforts to get supporters to the caucus locations on a frigid night.

Snow was expected over much of the state by caucus time. A severe storm was generally seen as helping former television evangelist Pat Robertson, whose supporters were expected to brave any conditions to cast votes for him in the GOP race.

The caucuses in 2,487 precincts were the first step toward choosing 52 Democratic and 37 Republican national convention delegates.

But delegates weren't the big prize in Iowa. What the candidates were seeking was what Bush in 1980 called "the big mo," momentum going into New Hampshire, although voters in that state's primary have a history of rejecting Iowa choices.

The final week of the Republican campaign was dominated by squabbling between Dole, of Kansas, and Bush. And Rep. Jack Kemp of New York accused Robertson supporters of distorting his record on pornography and abortion.

The debate was calmer among the Democrats where two Midwesterners and an Easterner — Sen. Simon of Illinois, Rep. Gephardt of Missouri and Gov. Dukakis of Massachusetts — looked like the candidates most likely to succeed.

Bush planned to await the Iowa results in New Hampshire, whose primary on Feb. 16 is the next big test. It also is a state where the vice president has stronger support, according to public opinion surveys.

Dole held a 14-point lead over Bush in Iowa, according to a Des Moines Sunday Register poll. He planned to fly to New Hampshire on Tuesday.

Also awaiting the caucus results in Iowa were Robertson, Kemp and former Gov. Pete du Pont of Delaware. The sixth GOP contender, former Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr., stopped campaigning in Iowa months ago and is concentrating on New Hampshire.

The survey released Sunday gave Dole the backing of 37 percent of likely Republican caucus-goers; Bush had 23 percent, Robertson 13 percent, Kemp 11, du Pont 7 and Haig 1.

On the Democratic side, Gephardt had the support of 25 percent of people who said they planned to attend the Democratic caucuses.

ISRAEL

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Four Arabs were wounded by gunfire, including a 10-year-old boy shot in the right thigh and a 17-year-old shot in the chest, according to officials at Ahli Arab Hospital in Gaza City. A fifth Palestinian was shot in both legs in a separate protest in Gaza City, said officials at Shifa Hospital there.

Israeli soldiers raided a neighborhood in Gaza's Jabaliya refugee camp at midnight and beat Palestinian youths, the U.N. official said. Twenty were taken in U.N. ambulances to Gaza hospitals, he said.

One of them was 10-year-old Basel Ahmed Abu Raqbe, according to his mother Amne Gaddalah Abu Raqbe, 32, who spoke to The Associated Press. She said her son suffered a broken left hand and was beaten in the head when soldiers chased him into their home.

In Jerusalem, police spokesman Rafi Levy said two Israeli school children were slightly injured today when Arab protesters hurled stones at them while they were touring the Old City walls. In a separate incident, police fired tear gas to disperse stone-throwing Arabs outside the walled Old City, Levy said.

WALDHEIM

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Waldheim met for two hours this morning with Chancellor Franz ranitzky and Deputy Chancellor Alois Mock to discuss the report, according to Waldheim's spokesman Gerold Christian.

Mock, a staunch Waldheim defender, told reporters "there was no proof" the president was involved in war crimes while serving as a lieutenant in the German army.

After Waldheim's war-time role was disclosed in March 1986, during his campaign for the presidency, there were allegations that he was involved in the deportation of Jews from Greece and atrocities against partisans in Yugoslavia.

The allegations have effectively led to his exclusion from the United States, and prompted bitter criticism from Jewish groups and others at home and abroad.

On Feb. 8, West Germany's Der Spiegel news magazine printed a document that purported to be a Waldheim order for the deportation of more than 4,000 civilians to two camps outside Belgrade in 1942.

The original of the document has not been found, and the Yugoslav historian who says he discovered it failed to produce the paper during a program Sunday on Belgrade television.

ATTACK

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Ms. Melendez, saying neither she nor any family members ever planned to visit Mexico again, was most critical of Mexican and U.S. government agencies. She accused Mexican police officials of "trying to cover up" the incident and U.S. consulate officials in Guadalajara of doing little or nothing to aid them in their time of need.

The bodies of her father and brother-in-law were buried in Ojitaga Sunday, she said, because they could not afford to bring them to Odessa, she said.

Ms. Gunkle-Boyles said all treatment for Melendez family members is being provided without charge "as part of AMI-Womens & Childrens recognition of its community responsibility."

Texas child fighting rare skin disorder

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Chastity McNiel's mother doesn't mind when the three-year-old wants peanut butter and jelly — all mashed up — for breakfast. Because of a rare skin disorder, it's one of the few things she can swallow.

Webs of scar tissue cover Chastity's knees with purplish splotches. Her fingers lack fingernails, and her hands have the raw red look of recovering burn wounds.

"You have to handle her very delicately," her mother, Carol McNiel, 28, said recently in their area home.

The slightest tap can trigger rapidly spreading blisters and cause skin to just fall off because of a rare skin disorder.

Chastity is among five children in South Texas with the rare skin disorder, epidermolysis bulosa, which afflicts 50,000 Americans.

Until recent years, it caused death by infection or malnutrition by age 5 or 6. Now, the children live until early adulthood, and families hope for further increases in expected life span.

The disease is triggered by an inherited defect that causes the body to skimp on making anchoring fibrils for the skin. Fibrils are like tough stitches that hold the skin together. Without them, skin falls apart.

"When she was born and they were cleaning her feet, the skin came off," Mrs. McNiel told the San Antonio Light. "In a matter of hours, she was a total sore."

"I think the hardest thing to take is when she's in pain, when she falls," explained Chastity's father, a guitarist in the Air Force Band of the West.

The Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa Research Association of America, based at Kings County Medical Center in Brooklyn, N.Y., has nudged the federal government into increasing National Institutes of Health grants for research from less than $150,000 in 1981 to more than $20 million today.

The McNiels and four other South Texas families with children afflicted by the skin disorder have helped raise funds for the organization.

Related research on burns conducted at the Army Burn Center of the Institute of Surgical Research at Brooke Army Medical Center led to development of a slick-faced but absorbent pad. Sold under the trade name Frastec, they help raw, blistering skin heal with less likelihood of reinjury or infection.

Nutrition also is a major problem because the inner lining of her esophagus, the tube that allows food to go from the mouth to the stomach, also peels away and becomes clogged with scar tissue.

Chastity cannot eat meat or toast. Her food has to be soft to fit through the narrow opening left in her esophagus.

"My favorite is peanut butter and jelly all mixed up," she said.

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Aliens have to decide whether to seek legal status through registry

DALLAS (AP) — As the May 4 deadline for amnesty applications approaches, some resident aliens are trying to decide whether to abandon their attempt to seek legal status through the alternate channel of registry.

Most immigrants eligible for registry ostensibly would qualify for amnesty, which requires proof of residence since Jan. 1, 1982. Amnesty takes several years to complete, can cost hundreds of dollars and requires a proficiency in American government and English.

Registry is a little-known avenue that provides permanent residency for aliens who have lived legally in the United States since Jan. 1, 1972. The process is attractive to some because it is cheaper and has fewer obstacles than the amnesty process under the 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act.

But lengthy processing delays by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service could cost hundreds of Dallas immigrants their hope of gaining legal status. As these immigrants await word on their registry applications, the deadline is nearing for applying for amnesty.

Jonathan Bernstein, a caseworker with Catholic Charities in Dallas, told the Dallas Morning News most of his clients applied for registry "with the idea that they could get amnesty later in the year if they were denied.

"Well, it's later in the year, and no one has heard," he said.

"It's a significant problem because there are a lot of people who have open-and-shut amnesty cases but touch-and-go registry cases. They need to know," Bernstein said.

INS officials said registry applications take six months or longer to process and produce a mountain of paperwork.

Like amnesty applicants, each registry applicant is fingerprinted and checked for criminal records or deportation orders.

"It's a time-consuming process," said Kim Ogden, INS chief examination officer. "We're trying to get the decisions out soon, so they can file for amnesty. The clock is ticking."

Of the 19 registry applicants being aided by Callejo and Callejo, a Dallas law firm, only one has received a response from the INS — a request for further documentation.

Because so few registry applications have been decided, caseworkers lack precedents on what evidence can be used to establish residency since 1972.

Bernstein said the most ironclad evidence appears to be federal income tax records.

"But how many people still have their 1972 1040 form? I know I don't," he said.

Mexican immigrants less rural, researcher finds

HOUSTON (AP) — The profile of Mexican immigrants to the United States is becoming more urban and less rural, says a Mexican researcher.

Jorge Bustamante, director of the College of the Northern Border in Tijuana, told the Houston Chronicle he believes the change is due to the higher costs of getting across the border and long-term shifts in the labor market of the U.S. southwest into services and away from agriculture.

Bustamante also said he believes U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service statistics on illegal immigration arrests are nearly worthless for gauging the flow of illegals across the border.

Bustamante said that many immigrants are often arrested many times in one day, inflating arrest figures. INS figures are also subject to manipulation for political purposes.

Illegal migration to the United States from Mexico did drop in 1987 from 1986, but the fall was attributed more to the worsening economy in Mexico and to the increasing costs of getting across the border, the newspaper said.

"The (INS) legislation has has absolutely no impact on reducing migrant flows, and in fact beginning in January we are seeing the reverse," said Bustamante.

INS spokesman Duke Austin in Washington disputed Bustamante's contention.

"Aprehensions went down 500,000 for 1987 compared with 1986," Austin said. "Every month since the bill was passed, apprehensions have been down."

Bustamante's data has been based upon a monitoring project begun by the college in August 1986, 10 months after the new immigration law went into effect. In addition to interviewing immigrants on the Mexican side intending to cross the border, the researchers also took three photos a day of an esplanade in San Ysidro, Calif., where many illegal migrants gather before continuing north.

Boy shot by gun he, brother thought empty

LAREDO (AP) — A 7-year-old boy was fatally shot by his 11-year-old brother whose parents had given him a pistol to protect himself, police said.

The boys woke up early to watch cartoons and were apparently playing with the .25 caliber weapon thinking that it was not loaded, said Police Captain Jose Luis Martinez.

Reynaldo Elias Cerda died Saturday of a single gunshot wound to the left side of the chest, investigators said.

Martinez said the children's parents were out of town when the shooting occurred. The father was scheduled for surgery in Houston and the children had been left under the care of their 13-year-old sister. The sister, he said, had left for a local hospital to care for a six-month old brother who was born ill.

"It seems that everything was happening to them," said Martinez. "It's very hard for someone to take so much. It's such a tragedy."

Police said that apparently the parents had left town the night before and had left the gun for the children to protect themselves. The older boy had been instructed on the safety of using the gun, Martinez said.

Constable charged with shooting at wife

EL PASO (AP) — A constable seeking election to a second term has been arrested on a charge of shooting at his wife during an argument, police said.

Luis Macias, 50, was charged with attempted murder, authorities said Sunday. He was being held in El Paso County Jail under $100,000 bond.

Police Lt. J.R. Grijalva said Macias' wife, Alicia, told police she and her husband were driving home from a party Saturday night when they began to argue.

Grijalva said Mrs. Macias told him that when her husband pulled into the driveway of their home, "He went to the trunk of the car and pulled out a large caliber revolver. He then, according to her, fired several shots at her while she was sitting in the car."

Macias, who was elected constable in Precinct 5 in 1984, is running for re-election in the March 8 primary.

Woman knows world by first name

By CAROL RUST

BEAUMONT (AP) — Florida Cooper knows the world on a first-name basis. When she drives into a gas station, she'll recognize the stitching on the oval-shaped name tags that says "Joe" or "Don" or "Bill," the names of attendants checking her oil or putting air in her tires.

Driving toward Houston and seeing a company sign along the way, she'll think, "So that's where that company is located."

It's a company whose logo she's embroidered several dozen times at least, reading from a wrinkled pink order sheet from Shepherd's Uniform and Supply Service.

And sitting behind the cumbersome embroidery machine in her home on Port Street, just blocks away from where her husband worked before he took sick, she's thankful she still knows the world — or at least Southeast Texas — on a first-name basis.

It could have been a lot different, she'll tell you.

Mrs. Cooper started working for Shepherd's 25 years ago, and she didn't have any plans to change that situation until this past year, when a debilitating disease caused her husband to require constant care at home.

Already her daughter, Hysen Jones, a sophomore on full scholarship at Tuskegee Institute in Alabama, had sat out a semester to care for her stepfather while her mother continued working.

But two months ago, as the spring semester neared, Florida had to make "the hardest decision of my life" — shooing her daughter back off to college and telling her boss she'd have to quit.

By then, she was working on a part-time basis anyway, in between taking her husband to the doctor and keeping him comfortable at home. But when she suggested quitting, her bosses wouldn't hear of it.

"You just don't train people to do this anymore," says John David Heilman, manager of the 98-year-old business. "It takes you a year to learn this sort of thing and that's when you try hard.

"She couldn't come to us, so we took her job to her," he said, adding that most embroidering like what Florida does is done by computer these days.



AP Laserphoto

Florida Cooper, a seamstress for Shepard's Uniform and Supply Service, sews name tags at her home in Beaumont. Mrs. Cooper, who has worked for the company for 25 years, makes up to 200 name tags each day, now works out of her home so she can care for her husband.

Shepherd's employees moved the embroidery machine that had sat for years in the same corner of a room on the second floor of the building downtown, and found a corner in Florida's dining room that could accommodate it.

Every Monday, a Shepherd's employee takes bundles of blank name tags, the order sheet wrapped around them and secured with a rubber band, to Florida's house. Every Thursday, someone picks up the finished name tags and takes them back to the laundry where they are sewn to new uniforms.

While Florida doesn't miss a stitch these days — and on busy days, she does up to 200 tags — she saved a few "mess-ups" from the early days, the week after her boss pulled her out of the tailoring department and sat her behind the intimidating embroidery machine so long ago.

Over the years, she developed her own style of embroidery handwriting, and turns the name tags expertly to accommodate the curves in the letters, with her fingers a mere fraction of an inch from the rapidly moving sewing needle on the machine.

"I could never afford such a machine — I wouldn't even try to rent one," she says over the rumble of the motor. "But getting this machine to do things for you the way you want it to — that's the interesting part of this work."

She speaks of her employer fondly, crediting Shepherd's with allowing her to save enough money to put her niece, Bertha Marie Fregia, through college. And she remembers a time when her mother was comatose after a stroke and kept Florida up at nights caring for her. "I kept nodding off at work and they could have fired me, but they never said a word."

So while the prospect of embroidering name tags at home hadn't occurred to her, it doesn't surprise her when she thinks about it.

She's ceased being surprised at her employer's kindness, she says, looking up from her sewing with a smile, just like she's stopped being surprised when she recognizes the stitching on name tags worn by the Joes and Dons and Bills of the world.

Doctor treating AIDS patients with typhoid vaccine

GRAND PRAIRIE (AP) — A physician in this Dallas suburb who is using typhoid fever vaccine to treat AIDS patients says the treatment appears to be helping.

But Dr. Terry Pulse said the experimtal treatment is not a cure.

"I consider it research," Pulse said. "It's still new but I'm willing to trailblaze."

The idea originated 30 years ago as a treatment to halt the growth of some cancer tumors. A patent for the use of the vaccine in AIDS treatment is held by Salvatore Catapano, a New York research technologist.

Pulse, a family practitioner who said he treats about 500 patients with AIDS-related illnesses, said he obtained a license for the drug from Catapano, whose patent allows him to receive a royalty every time the drug is used for treatment of AIDS.

Pulse is treating five AIDS victims with the vaccine.

"I studied a week with Catapano before I decided to do it," Pulse said. "The patent says it is for the 'remission of AIDS.' But the jury is still out on a cure. Patients also need their doctor's approval before I will give them the typhoid vaccine."

Catapano's use of the vaccine as a treatment for AIDS recently was the subject of an Atlantic Monthly magazine story. It said the 73-year-old researcher is one of several champions of a new and controversial theory that AIDS really is an extreme form of syphillis.

Stephen, the psuedonym of a gay Austin resident who asked to remain anonymous, has had AIDS for 13 months. He began the typhoid vaccine treatments with Pulse in early January.

Stephen, 31, and two Austin friends who also have AIDS fly twice weekly to Dallas for four $30 vaccinations. They believe the drug is helping to reduce the number and size of their Kaposi's sarcoma lesions.

Kaposi's tumors, rare except in those with damaged immune systems, form on blood capillaries inside and outside the body. They are a principal killer of those with AIDS.

"All three of us have seen a change," Stephen said. "I'm not saying we're cured, but it's very encouraging. I have about 300 lesions. Now, some...(are) shrinking."

Stephen said he also believes the vaccine is stimulating his immune system because he has been having allergic reactions to cedar fever. Without a reasonably healthy immune system, the body doesn't react to cedar pollen.

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After a decade, widows still fighting for pensions

By D.W. PAGE

PORTSMOUTH, Va. (AP) — They call themselves the "forgotten widows," the wives of reserve military men who died from 1972 to 1978 before turning 60, and they believe the government their husbands fought to defend owes them something.

Iva Ciccotti's husband was a gunnery sergeant in the Marine Corps. He saw combat in World War II. As a member of the active reserves, he was recalled to duty and fought in the Korean War. He retired from the reserves in 1972 after more than 22 years of service.

Evelyn Miller's husband won the Bronze Star for heroism in World War II. He spent 34½ years in uniform before retiring from the Virginia National Guard in 1975 as a lieutenant colonel.

Eunice Moore's husband saw combat in World War II; so did the husbands of Sue Collins and Shirley Glazer. Francis Weekley's husband spent a year as a prisoner of war.

Because of an oversight by Congress, the women, now all in their 60s, are denied the percentage of their husbands' pensions that every other widow of a reservist gets.

And after a decade of petitioning Congress, writing letters and trying to publicize what they believe to be an injustice, they are no closer to winning those pensions than they were when they first discovered the government had excluded them.

"Maybe the problem is that there are not enough of us. Maybe the problem is we don't have enough money to hire a lawyer. Maybe we just have not talked to the right people...whatever. But we're not quitting," Mrs. Ciccotti said.

In 1972, Congress created the Survivors Benefit Plan as a complement to Social Security for retired military personnel. Those retiring on or after Sept. 21, 1972, were automatically qualified. Under the plan, widows would receive up to 55 percent of the retirement pay. The plan was funded by monthly premiums withheld from the retiree's check.

To qualify, a person has to have 20 years in the service and be 60. If he dies before reaching 60 — before starting to receive benefit checks — the widow receives nothing.

To correct that, Congress passed legislation to provide survivor benefits if the husband died before his 60th birthday. That law went into effect Sept. 30, 1978 — but was not retroactive.

Retired Gunnery Sgt. Ascanio Ciccotti died Sept. 2, 1978, just 28 days short of qualifying his widow for pension benefits.

Since the day she found she was not entitled to those benefits, Mrs. Ciccotti has been fighting Washington, D.C.

"My husband — all our husbands — earned those pensions. They believed we would be taken care of. We are not giving up. It is something that our government owes our husbands," she said.

The government disagrees.

The Department of Defense was required to study the problem as part of its 1986 funding bill. In that study, the department concluded:

"The issue of cost cannot be avoided. There is no possible way to establish retroactive coverage...and still meet the previous congressional intent that...coverage be met at no cost to the Government. By providing such a Government-funded benefit ...in the case of the pre-1978 Reserve Widows, the original intent would be reversed and the Federal deficit would be increased."

The Defense Department estimated 5,421 women would qualify for the benefits.

The study, however, did not use that figure to compute the estimated cost of the benefit. According to the department, the cost of full entitlement would be nearly $27 million if additional benefits were paid to more than 12,000 women, a figure which includes the exempted widows as well as those widowed before 1978 who do qualify for pensions.

The women wonder how their group could overburden the federal budget.

"There was enough money in the budget last year for lawmakers to give themselves $12,000 pay raises," said Mrs. Ciccotti.

Mrs. Glazer noted that U.S. taxpayers contribute to the defense of such countries as Japan and West Germany — "but Congress says there is not enough money to pay the benefits our husbands earned in combat...."

"They (members of Congress) want to wait until we're all dead. They pat us on the head, then they send us home and forget about us," she added.

BEE SMART

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1988 Regional Spelling Bee March 26 at Midland College.

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This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through March 25. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

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A security guard pauses near one of 22 cars at Mecham Pontiac in Glendale, Ariz., vandalized Sunday. The son of the dealership's service manager has been arrested in the incident.

Mofford seeks smooth transition; Mecham troubled by vandalism

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Acting Gov. Rose Mofford moved to smooth her succession of Gov. Evan Mecham by consulting former Arizona governors, and two acts of vandalism against the impeached chief executive added to his woes.

Investigators believe the son of an employee of Mecham's auto dealership fired a shotgun at the Republican governor's suburban Glendale home early Sunday and, hours later, went on a destructive rampage through Mecham Pontiac.

Vernon B. Jordan, 21, was arrested soon after. Police said he likely acted alone during the alleged attacks and "was not politically motivated in any way," said Glendale police Lt. Mike Christy.

"We don't know if he was drinking or has been on drugs, but we can say only that he is not always lucid," Christy said.

Mecham, 63, reached by telephone, said he and his wife, Florence, heard the shotgun blast just after midnight. He said Mrs. Mecham went outside to check but saw nothing.

Mecham said he couldn't imagine a motive for the vandalism. "This world has turned so crazy, I don't know why anyone does anything," he said.

In the destruction at Mecham Pontiac, 22 cars and three buildings were damaged, said Glendale police spokesman Marshall Downen. Most of the damage was broken glass, he said.

The House today was to consider as many as 20 specific charges against Mecham, who was impeached Friday on a 46-14 House vote. The Senate plans to organize itself as an impeachment court Thursday, said Majority Leader Bob Usdane.

Mrs. Mofford, the Democratic secretary of state who assumed the acting governorship upon Mecham's impeachment, spoke with Mecham by telephone on Sunday and planned to meet today with four former Arizona governors: Paul Fannin, Raul Castro, Jack Williams and Sam Goddard.

Once she receives official notification of Mecham's impeachment, she plans to meet with the governor to discuss the transition, Ms. Mofford said.

Mrs. Mofford said she talked with Mecham only briefly, and that he had not received official notification either.

"He was most cordial," she said. "I just said that I think we should meet (after they receive official notice) and he agreed."

Mrs. Mofford was expected to confer soon with leading lawmakers and might address the Legislature on Tuesday, said spokeswoman Athia Hardt.

Mecham's Senate trial on the impeachment articles is expected to begin Feb. 22. Mecham also faces a recall election May 17 and a criminal trial in early April on charges of illegally concealing a $350,000 campaign loan, one of three accusations that led to his impeachment.

The impeachment articles break down the three main allegations against Mecham: that he concealed the $350,000 loan, misused $80,000 from the governor's protocol fund by loaning it to his auto dealership and tried to thwart an investigation of an alleged death threat by a state official.

Racial controversy surrounds teen's tale

NATION

By DIANNE HENK

WAPPINGERS FALLS, N.Y. (AP) — Tawana Brawley has been mostly silent since she was found last November with racial slurs scrawled on her body and told of being abducted and sexually abused by six white men.

But around the black teen-ager swirls the latest in a series of racial controversies plaguing the New York City region, embroiling black leaders and politicians, among them Gov. Mario Cuomo.

Hundreds of demonstrators have marched in New York's lower Hudson Valley and New York City, claiming that the crime against 16-year-old Tawana is one more example of pervasive racism in the state.

The latest protest occurred Sunday when about 50 people, including three dozen college students, marched through Wappingers Falls, a town of 5,100 residents about 50 miles north of New York where Tawana and her family live. "There is an undercurrent of racism of course in much of the country," said Rev. Saul Williams, pastor of the Baptist Temple in nearby Newburgh. "But one has to realize that in the mid-Hudson region there is a very insidious means of racism here."

The rallies and demonstrations also have been fueled by New York City's Howard Beach trial, in which three young white men were convicted of chasing a black man to his death, and by other cases.

An investigation into the Brawley case has stalled with the resignations of two prosecutors amid allegations of racism. A special prosecutor appointed by Cuomo was told recently he'll get no cooperation from the victim or her family.

"We haven't even heard yet Tawana Brawley's testimony because to this point she has refused to cooperate with law enforcement officials," Cuomo said before he appointed state Attorney General Robert Abrams to handle the case.

"That obviously makes it difficult, if not impossible, to prosecute."

The family's attorney, Alton Maddox Jr., and other black activists say they mistrust local authorities and wanted Cuomo to appoint Charles Hynes, the successful prosecutor in the Howard Beach case, to handle the Brawley matter.

When Abrams named aide John Ryan as prosecutor, Maddox said Ryan was not acceptable because he "does not have a track record in civil or human rights and in addition to that, he has never hired any blacks on his staff."

On Nov. 28, Tawana was found lying dazed in a road behind the apartment complex her family had recently moved from. She was wrapped in a plastic garbage bag, her hair was shorn into uneven tufts, and her body was smeared with animal feces. On her chest and stomach were written "KKK" and "nigger" in a charcoal-like substance.

Tawana was hospitalized for trauma and low-body temperature and released, then taken to a second hospital for several days. Her family said the teen-ager could neither walk nor talk.

Tawana's mother, Glenda Brawley, said her daughter was asked who had hurt her and she scrawled "white cop" on a piece of paper.

Mrs. Brawley said that according to her daughter, Tawana took a bus from Newburgh on Nov. 24 and was stopped in Wappingers Falls by a white man, who hit her on the head and threw her into his car. When she awoke, Tawana was forced to perform oral sex with at least four other white men in a wooded area, the mother said.

The Brawleys said they received no cooperation from police when they tried to report their daughter missing and they looked for her on their own.

After Tawana was found, the Brawleys said investigators were more interested in details of the assault than catching the perpetrators and the family refused to cooperate with the investigation, even defying a subpoena to appear before a grand jury.

Initially, the Brawleys let reporters and photographers into their apartment to observe Tawana on a living room sofa, covered by a blanket. Tawana said little or nothing, while her family gathered around her, sometimes stroking her head.

Orangeburg feels things have changed since 'massacre'

ORANGEBURG, S.C. (AP) — People who witnessed the three ugly days of racial unrest that culminated in what came to be known as the Orangeburg Massacre 20 years ago today say the three deaths were not in vain.

"They died so that life might be better for people," said Jim Salley, a high school friend of one of the victims, Delano Middleton. Salley is now director of institutional relations at South Carolina State College.

The shootings took place when an angry crowd of black students faced police near South Carolina State. Debris was thrown, and in moments three protesters were shot dead, with 27 others wounded.

Former South Carolina State President M. Maceo Nance says the anguish that followed the shootings helped develop a meaningful dialogue between Orangeburg blacks and whites.

"The mayor appointed a race-relations committee," he said in a recent interview. "There had been little dialogue prior to this."

Today a simple granite monument stands at the center of the campus, and the college athletic center bears the names of the three dead students.

In 1968, tensions in this town of about 15,500 began building when black students from South Carolina State were refused access to Harry Floyd's All Star Bowling Lanes.

On Feb. 8, South Carolina State students took wood from a construction site, piled it in the street near the entrance to the campus and set it afire. Vandals began throwing objects at nearby homes and tearing up a vacant house.

By the time law enforcement officers arrived, about 200 students were in the area, singing civil rights anthems and jeering at police.

About 10:30 p.m., Highway Patrolman David Shealy was struck on the nose by a flying bannister post. Several other patrolmen said they thought Shealy had been shot, and fired into the crowd.

"As soon as I heard shots, I hit the ground," said Dean Livingston, now publisher of The Times and Democrat of Orangeburg, who was taking pictures that night. "I was very, very frightened."

The volley of gunfire killed South Carolina State students Henry E. Smith, 18, and Samuel Hammond Jr., 18; and Middleton, a 17-year-old Wilkinson High School student from Orangeburg.

Nine highway patrolmen were charged by the U.S. Justice Department with "willfully discharging and shooting firearms." They were acquitted of the misdemeanor charges by a federal jury in March 1969.

The jury concluded the patrolmen had fired in self-defense, fearing that Shealy had been shot and that their lives were in jeopardy.

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★Post Graduate Legal Study Oil and Gas Law and Taxation, Southern Methodist University (1964-1965)
★Law Degree, Georgetown University, 1963
★Bachelor of Arts, Harvard College, 1959
★Licensed to practice before the U.S. Supreme Court, Supreme Court of Texas, Federal Courts, and State Trial and Appellate Courts
★Chancellor, Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity
★Captain U.S. Army Reserve, Special Forces, Paratrooper, Infantry Tactics Instructor
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'Simpler' tax form won't be last word

Just 75 years ago this month, Wyoming became the 36th and final state to ratify the 16th Amendment to the Constitution, which empowered Congress to levy an income tax. Although this is the kind of anniversary that only tax accountants might celebrate, even some of them call this year's tax preparation a tremendous mess and warn taxpayers to expect April 15 to be a darker day than usual.

This should have been obvious when Congress was forced to publish a 1,400-page clarification to the new 2,600-page tax code implementing the Tax Reform Act of 1986. Congress has portrayed the new tax law as one that would be fairer, simpler and more equitable because it eliminates numerous deductions while lowering tax rates — from a maximum rate of 50 percent to 28 percent for upper-income wage earners to a bottom rate of 15 percent for 85 percent of taxpayers.

For the majority of the estimated 107 million Americans who will file returns, the new tax law actually may not be much simpler, because they already use the short form. Low-income workers and retirees with no real-estate investments may realize lower taxes because an interim structure of five rates was in place during 1987 that taxed individuals from 11 to 38.5 percent. Even so, the Internal Revenue Service predicts the average return will only be $11 higher than in 1987.

Many of the more than 40 million taxpayers who itemize and expect refunds this year, on the other hand, may find themselves having to pay more taxes because deductions were eliminated in 1987 but rates didn't come down fully. The IRS deserves as much blame as taxpayers who under withheld because it failed miserably to adjust for this whipsaw effect with its virtually incomprehensible W-4 forms.

Taxpayers who continue to itemize also could find their returns more complicated than ever. For those trying to qualify for mortgage-interest deductions, for example, the new form 8598 is two pages long and is accompanied by four pages of detailed information. And taxpayers who still qualify for deductions because of money put into an individual retirement account must fill out a two-page form instead of one line on their returns.

One can rationalize that such problems are to be expected in the first year of major tax reform and that the full benefits will be realized in coming years. But how can we expect future tax simplification when the past is so discouraging? Congress enacted six major tax-code revisions between 1980 and 1986.

Mind you, Congress likes to add new loopholes to new tax laws whenever possible. And that's what we can expect when it considers legislation this year to correct a number of deficiencies in the tax-reform law. The long-term success of the Tax Reform Act may hinge on whether the next president and Congress raise taxes to reduce the federal deficit, as several candidates and congressional leaders advocate.

We'd bet the farm that the Tax Reform Act of 1986 won't be the last word on tax reform.

Another View:

Smear Meese tactic

It is clear that Attorney General Edwin Meese III will be hounded by his detractors until the last day of the Reagan administration — or until he resigns in disgust. The alternate scenario — that he will be found guilty of some wrongdoing — seems no more plausible today than when the smear campaign against him began seven years ago.

We wouldn't blame Meese if he chucked his job and left Washington, where liberals have made him a surrogate target for President Reagan. The attorney general, whose ties with the president go back to the latter's first term as California governor, has always been hesitant to lash back at his critics. Reporters who have attempted to get Meese's side of the story have often been frustrated by his unwillingness to join the battle, but that may be changing.

On Feb. 1, Meese said that he has been the victim of a "cascade of misinformation, false headlines, half-truths, innuendo and misunderstanding of the law." Currently, Meese is under attack on the contention that he might have violated the law by not taking action against what may or may not have been a proposal to bribe Israeli officials that he may or may not have known about.

All this may sound pretty vague, but liberals need little reason to demand the resignation of the president's most loyal lieutenant who has played a key role in the appointment of conservatives to the federal courts.

At issue is a report that Meese read a 1985 memo from lobbyist E. Robert Wallach that suggested bribing Israel not to bomb a proposed Iraqi oil pipeline.

The attorney general took no action on the plan, the pipeline was never built and Israel denies that it was offered a bribe. Further, Meese said he doesn't recall reading the words that some have construed as a bribery proposal and noted that the memo "contains no references to bribes or payoffs."

Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, said that Meese's repeated appearances before grand juries and the several investigations targeting the attorney general are "a source of embarrassment to all Americans."

We agree. The embarrassment, however, is that the attorney general is constantly hauled into the headlines for what appear to be purely political reasons.

James C. McKay, the special prosecutor investigating Meese, has strayed far from his original charge of probing the attorney general's dealings with Wedtech.

The federal appeals court in Washington, D.C., which recently ruled that such special prosecutors, or "independent counsels," are unconstitutional was not speaking without knowledge. One-issue special prosecutors do not hold to the normal standards of evidence. No hard evidence that the attorney general has committed a crime has been brought forth. Evidence abounds, however, that an anti-administration witch hunt is going on in Washington.

— The Sacramento Union

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Feb. 8, the 39th day of 1988. There are 327 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Feb. 8, 1567, Mary, Queen of Scots was beheaded at Fotheringhay Castle in England after she was implicated in a plot to murder her cousin, Queen Elizabeth I.

On this date:

In 1693, a charter was granted for the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

In 1837, for the only time in history, the U.S. Senate chose the vice president of the United States. Richard Mentor Johnson was selected after no candidate received a majority of electoral votes.

In 1904, the Russo-Japanese War began as Japan besieged Port Arthur in Manchuria.

In 1910, the Boy Scouts of America was incorporated.

In 1915, D.W. Griffith's film, "The Birth of a Nation," premiered at Clune's Auditorium in Los Angeles.

In 1922, President Warren G. Harding had a radio installed in the White House.

JACK ANDERSON

There's nothing like a free private jet!

WASHINGTON — The private jet is a time-honored freebie that our federal officials are loath to surrender to budget cuts. Why mingle with the masses in the airport when there is a government plane to take up for a spin?



Jack Anderson

Despite recent crackdowns on unnecessary flights at taxpayers' expense, an ongoing congressional investigation has indicated that bureaucrats aren't taking the advice to heart and are ignoring rules that require them to use government planes only if they are cheaper than a commercial ticket.

The Coast Guard, for example, owns a 20-year-old Gulfstream G-2 parked just a cab ride away from the capitol at National Airport in Washington, D.C. The plane is used for flying members of Congress, their spouses and their staffs, and government agency VIPs around the country on official business. It costs the taxpayers $3,173 for every hour it is in flight.

The 12-seater flew for 527 hours last year at a total cost of about $1.7 million. A Coast Guard spokesman said that the use of the aircraft was prudent and that many requests for it were denied because the requested route was served by a commercial airline for less money.

But weighing the cost of the flight appears to be the exception more than the rule for bureaucrats. A preliminary report prepared for the Government Operations Subcommittee, chaired by Rep. Glenn English, D-Okla., shows that most agencies use the government planes whenever there is an excuse to fly.

Before they take off, officials are supposed to meet two criteria established by the Office of Management and Budget. They have to prove that the same flight is not offered at a cheaper price by commercial aircraft and they must show how the trip can be justified economically. For example, a single airline ticket might be cheaper, but a private jet for several staffers going to the same destination could be justified as more economical than buying commercial tickets for all of them.

Investigators studied eight agencies and 28 aircraft and found that the first requirement was rarely met and the second was ignored altogether.

The report, obtained by our associate Jim Lynch, also noted that Department of Energy officials continue to fly thousands of hours each year, despite a recommendation from the department's inspector general in 1986 to stop using the DOE planes as air taxis for staffers. The DOE policy is that private planes should be limited to the vital "missions" of the DOE instead of "administrative" uses, but no one in DOE has ever defined what the difference is. The interpretation has been left up to the field offices or ignored. DOE spends $34 million a year on airplanes.

The DOE's Bonneville Power Administration stores two Beechcraft King Air 200s in Portland, Ore. The two planes were flown 831 hours between July 1986 and July 1987 at a cost of more than $800,000. More than 90 percent of the trips were made to ferry officials to meetings, and about 75 percent of them were to areas served by one or more commercial airlines.

The Western Area Power Administration classified most of its passenger flights as "missions," the investigators found. The agency made cost comparisons between flying commercially and using the government planes, but the comparisons "were frequently disregarded when they showed that commercially available flights were less costly," a December 1987 inspector general's report said.

The report also noted that the Nevada operations office of the DOE leased a helicopter for six months before deciding to buy it. The lease-to-buy option was written in such a way that the department was soaked for about $140,000 in lease payments that were not credited toward the purchase.

The Federal Aviation Administration has four jets that were flown almost 3,000 hours without officials ever justifying the trips under the economic criteria. Those flights cost more than $2 million.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration uses its own Beechcraft King Air 200 to fly its officials to what is considered a remote location — Wallops Island, Va. But there is a commercial airport within a one-hour drive of Wallops Island. NASA has another jet in Burbank, Calif., that also flies officials to remote sites. It cost about $600,000 to fly the jet 717 hours during the period the investigators examined. NASA did not meet either of the required criteria for flight aproval.

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HEROIN SUPPLY SHIFTS — Amsterdam is the main distribution center for the heroin that eventually ends up in the United States, and now the bulk of that heroin is coming from Turkey. The Turks have surpassed the Chinese as middlemen, according to a confidential report from the Drug Enforcement Administration.

The Chinese have a long-established immigrant population in the Netherlands, and they introduced heroin there. But rivalry among Chinese groups and successful police raids have succeeded in hampering heroin production in the Golden Triangle of Southeast Asia. When the Chinese supply slowed down, the Turks moved in to fill the gap.

Thousands of Turks work in the Netherlands. In the early 1980s, Dutch drug dealers began turning to the Turks for their supplies, and at the same time the Turks began buying up businesses in Amsterdam's Chinatown.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — The attention of the world focuses on superpowers, but the mini-powers can pose their own threats to peace. Such a threat has existed for decades in the Mediterranean area, between Turkey and Greece. Without much fanfare, the Greeks and Turks took the first step toward peace recently by simply talking. Turkish Prime Minister Turgut Ozal and Greek Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou met in Switzerland and agreed to future summits, joint committees and a hot line between them.

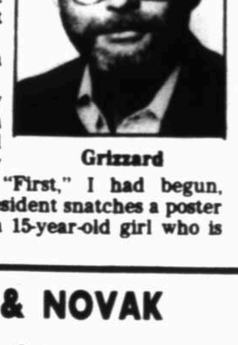
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LEWIS GRIZZARD

This 'Mad Dog' Bush better be president!

Sensing we may be about to see a dramatic change in the campaign style of Vice President George Bush, I phoned an insider with the Bush brain trust to see if my legendary, finely tuned political antennae were on target as usual.



Grizzard

"We just can't put anything over on you," laughed my source when I confronted him with my deductions. "First," I had begun, "the vice president snatches a poster away from a 15-year-old girl who is protesting against him in Iowa and tosses it to the ground in a manly fashion.

"Then, he appears on CBS with Dan Rather and when Rather gets pushy about where Bush stood on Iran-Contra, the vice president hits him with a high, hard one, and brings up the time Rather walked off the set and left 7 minutes of dead air time during one of his pouting sessions."

"Go on," said my Bush source.

"It just seems obvious to me you are taking on the Bush wimp-factor and trying to turn him into a political Hulk Hogan."

"Guilty," said my source, who agreed to give me even more insight if I promised to call my own CBS affiliate and say I scored Bush the winner in his bout with Rather.

"We had to do something," said my source. "The vice president was coming off as a pantywaist in comparison with the acid-tongued Bob Dole, Jack Kemp, the former jock, Al Haig, the general, and Pat Robertson, the Christian soldier."

"Please continue," I said.

"Snatching the girl's poster was a godsend," my source explained. "We have photographs of the girl's face, which clearly shows her immense fear of the big bad vice president. We will be releasing them to the wire services.

"The Rather thing was another windfall. I just wish the interview had been face-to-face."

"Why is that?" I asked.

"So the vice president could have let Rather have one right upside his head."

Rather, of course, was involved in a mugging a couple of years ago, but my source insisted:

"George had absolutely nothing to do with that. He was at a debutante party that night and beat up a waiter for spilling tomato aspic on his lap while serving dinner."

"What else," I asked, "might we see in the future in your effort to build a tougher image for the vice president?"

"He's going to arm wrestle the entire League of Women Voters, wear open-neck shirts that show all three of his chest hairs, be photographed drinking beer straight from the bottle, and pull a knife on Bob Dole the next time they meet in public.

"But that's not the best part," my source went on. "We've got a new campaign slogan, too."

"I'm listening," I said.

"'Elect Mad Dog Bush — or Else!'"

Lewis Grizzard is a columnist for Cowles Syndicate.

EVANS & NOVAK

Staff turned down options on Contra plea

WASHINGTON — After the three major networks turned down the president's request for time to plead the Contra aid case, the White House staff rejected a series of alternatives offered by Reagan administration conservatives — including suggestions that Ronald Reagan personally protest over the telephone to the network presidents and then make it public.

The staff also rejected a proposal that the president make his pitch in a Tuesday night news conference, for which the networks could not reject time. The reason: fear by the staffers that Reagan would be bogged down by questions about the future of Attorney General Edwin Meese.

A third suggested option was for Republican National Chairman Frank Fahrenkopf to buy time for a presidential address, perhaps even offering a response for the Democrats. But neither the White House nor Fahrenkopf showed any interest in that.

BUD MCFARLANE'S RETURN

Former national security adviser Robert McFarlane stunned the White House when he told a Paris



Rowland Evans and Robert Novak

seminar Jan. 21 that the U.S. should seek Soviet help to appease Iran by getting rid of Iraqi President Saddam Hussein.

The administration is passing word to foreign capitals that he was not speaking for President Reagan. McFarlane told the private seminar that the U.S. should support the Ayatollah Khomeini's revolution in Iran and employ "artful diplomacy" to undermine Saddam Hussein. That, he said, might end the Iran-Iraq war and give the Soviets "an entree into Middle East politics."

Iraq, not Iran, is the clear U.S. favorite in the endless war. McFarlane's outburst in Paris, made with no advance notice to the White House, infuriated Reagan administration officials from the State Department to the Pentagon.

BUSH TRIED

Although eight of the 12 defecting Republican House members who doomed President Reagan's Contra aid are supporters of George Bush for president, Bush's last-minute phone calls did help shore up pro-Contra votes by two fence-sitters: Reps. Ray McGrath of New York, a Bush backer, and Marge Roukema of New Jersey, who is supporting Sen. Bob Dole for president.

But pro-Bush Rep. Frank Horton of New York told the vice president he always had opposed the Contras and was not going to change now. Another saying "no" to Bush was Rep. Amory Houghton of upstate New York, a Dole backer who was also lobbied by Henry Kissinger and fellow upstate-New Yorker Rep. Jack Kemp.

Two of Bush's Iowa co-chairmen, Reps. Jim Leach and Tom Tauke, voted against the president — and Bush. All 23 House backers of Kemp for president stuck with Reagan — and the Contras.

TARGETING MEESE

Republican candidates for offices from the White House on down to Congress, worried that Attorney General Meese is becoming an election campaign albatross, are quietly beseeching the White House to ease him out — without success so far.

Nobody in the White House is willing to tell President Reagan out of fear that he would resent the suggestion. Republican candidates remember how Richard Nixon made rich political capital out of Attorney General Ramsey Clark in the campaign year of 1968. Clark became a key issue in the campaign when Johnson refused to fire him.

But as Reagan's last old-time buddy still in the administration, Meese stands far too high with the president to be eased out unless top White House aides explain that Meese may damage the GOP ticket from top to bottom. No Reagan aide is willing to do that.

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak are columnists for North America Syndicate.

NATION in brief

Europe sees need to modernize arms

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defense Secretary Frank C. Carlucci, just back from a high-level NATO conference in Europe, today said Europeans understand the need to modernize nuclear arsenals even as a new U.S.-Soviet treaty calls for the elimination of intermediate-range weapons.

"Some of the modernization of nuclear artillery is already going ahead," Carlucci said, "...the modernization program in no way circumvents the treaty."

Speaking on NBC-TV's "Today" show, Carlucci said the Europeans "understand that we all have to do more."

"They, like we, have budget problems, but NATO is not an area where we can shortchange our military establishment even if it means taking down programs elsewhere."

Carlucci and top U.S. lawmakers at the NATO conference in Munich had chided West German officials who oppose or have reservations about upgrading short-range nuclear arsenals.

Catholic gays arrested

NEW YORK (AP) — A protest Mass celebrated outside St. Patrick's Cathedral led to the arrest of 23 homosexuals demonstrating against what they consider to be their exclusion from the church.

The demonstration Sunday was the latest in a series by Dignity, an organization of homosexual Roman Catholics that has been banned from using facilities of the New York archdiocese.

A state Supreme Court judge issued an injunction last week barring Dignity members' silent demonstrations inside the cathedral, as they have done regularly during Sunday church services. Based on the ruling, Dignity members and their supporters took their protest outside, where temperatures hovered around 15 degrees.

As about 50 shivering demonstrators celebrated their own version of Mass on a sidewalk across the street from the cathedral, Cardinal John J. O'Connor told hundreds of worshippers inside that the church cannot alter its teachings.

Dentist's patient dies

BELLFLOWER, Calif. (AP) — A man having his wisdom teeth pulled died after he was given general anesthesia at a dental clinic operated by a dentist who recently tried to block a network television story on his business.

Jose Cabral, 19, died at Doctors Hospital in Lakewood after collapsing at the Howard Stein Dental Group, Los Angeles County sheriff's Deputy Eric Smith said Saturday.

Paramedics summoned by clinic personnel arrived Friday afternoon and found Cabral slumped in the dentist's chair, said Sgt. Michael Kinsey. His heart and breathing had stopped. Cabral, of Los Angeles, died two hours later.

Homicide investigators were awaiting the results of a county coroner's autopsy, sheriff's spokesman Richard Dinsmoore said. Authorities declined to speculate on the cause of death.

Cabral had been in good health before the operation, family members said Sunday.

Dr. Jim Drake, the dentist attending Cabral, aided paramedics in trying to revive his patient, and then, apparently distressed by Cabral's collapse, suffered a heart attack, said Amin Romo, a clinic spokeswoman.

Drake was in satisfactory condition Sunday at Doctors' Hospital, a nursing supervisor said.

He was reached by telephone at his hospital bed Saturday but declined to comment, the Los Angeles Times reported Sunday.

Sign to be reconsidered

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — A judge who ordered a convicted child molester to post a warning sign on his door says she may reconsider the sentence because of his month-long disappearance.

"I believed in it when I did it and I ...believed it would work," Multnomah County District Judge Dorothy M. Baker said Sunday. "I don't know whether or not he's a person it will work with. It's something we'll have to look at."

Richard J. Bateman, 47, disappeared last month and was arrested Saturday at an apartment construction site in nearby Beaverton by officers following an anonymous tip.

Bateman, a drywall installer, was working under an assumed name and had changed his appearance by growing a goatee, moustache and longer hair.

He was held without bail in the Justice Center jail.

Drug shootout detailed

LOS ANGELES (AP) — An undercover drug buy that ended in a shootout that killed two federal drug agents and two heroin dealers was a robbery set-up by the Thai dealers, authorities said.

"This is the underworld at its worst," agent Roger Guevara of the Drug Enforcement Agency said Sunday.

The gunfight broke out when agents tried to buy two pounds of heroin. But the alleged drug traffickers apparently wanted only to steal the $90,000 being used for the set-up, Guevara said.

Also Sunday, DEA agent Jose Martinez, 25, was released from Huntington Memorial Hospital in Pasadena, where he was treated for a leg wound suffered in the gun battle Friday.

Caucus day 'plain hard work' for candidates

By MIKE GLOVER

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Car pools took precedence over campaign themes today as the presidential candidates got down to the "plain hard work" of turning out backers for tonight's Iowa caucuses.

The goal is simple — persuading Iowans to bundle up on a frigid evening and troop to their neighborhood schools or fire stations to support a candidate for president.

The task could be complicated by a forecast calling for a chance of snow.

Thousands of political activists were lined up to conduct last-minute canvassing on the streets, to staff "boiler rooms" full of telephones, and to stand by with cars to make sure that any Iowan with the inclination to attend a caucus could get there.

David Nagle, a congressman and former Iowa Democratic chairman, has an answer for those who ask the three most important things for a candidate to do in Iowa: "Organize, organize, organize."

"We're doing a combination of several things I think everybody is doing," said George Wittgraf, who works for Vice President George Bush's campaign. "It's just a question of how we execute."

"It's just plain hard work," said Katie Boyle, a spokeswoman for Senate GOP Leader Bob Dole. Dole arranged to bring in hundreds of volunteers from outside of Iowa to stand by with their cars.

"That's the guts of what happens in this state in terms of this caucus process," said Pat Mitchell, who runs the Iowa campaign of Illinois Democratic Sen. Paul Simon. "We're no longer trying to find new people, we're trying to make sure our people get there."

Politicos put such a premium on organization because of the Iowa process itself. Rather than simply stopping for a minute and pulling a lever in a voting booth, voters must make a commitment to attend a meeting in one of the state's 2,487 precincts, a meeting which could last until the wee hours of the morning.

"It's not a five-minute, or a 10-minute process," said Wittgraf.

Because of that, candidates must do more than win general support. They must inspire loyalty and commitment — and then deliver the goods.

"We're making a precinct-by-precinct local effort," said Wittgraf. "We get down to the old thing of identifying your supporters and that's what we're all trying to do."

Both Bush and Dole are credited with having top-flight political organizations in Iowa, while Simon, Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis, Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt and former Arizona Gov. Bruce Babbitt have built respected operations.

In addition, various peace groups, elderly activists and others are busy running get-out-the-vote efforts.

State's method of choosing delegates explained

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here, at a glance, are the methods for picking delegates from Iowa to attend the 1988 Democratic and Republican national conventions this summer.

DEMOCRATS

Method: Caucus
Pledged delegates: 52
Super delegates: 6
TOTAL: 58
Delegates allocated: Monday, February 8
Selection of delegates: Saturday, May 14 and Saturday, June 25

Iowa kicks off the Democratic Party's primary and caucus season with tonight's precinct caucuses, the first event in the state's four-step process of picking national convention delegates.

Results of the precinct caucuses govern allocation of delegates to the March 26 county conventions among presidential preferences. The county convention delegates will pick delegates to the congressional district conventions and to the state convention.

The congressional district conventions on May 14 will choose 34 national convention delegates.

The state convention on June 25 will pick the rest of Iowa's 18 pledged national convention delegates in proportion to results of presidential preferences expressed by state convention delegates as they register.

REPUBLICANS

Method: Caucus
Delegates: 37
Delegates allocated: Saturday, June 25 and Friday, June 24
Selection of delegates: Saturday, June 25 and Friday, June 24

Iowa Republicans use a four-step system of caucuses and conventions to pick their national convention delegates, beginning with the precinct caucuses on Feb. 8.

The first order of business at the precinct caucuses is to conduct a presidential preference straw poll, which has no binding effect on later levels of the delegate-selection process.

The precinct caucuses elect delegates to the county conventions, which elect delegates to the congressional district caucuses and the GOP state convention.

The congressional district caucuses on June 24 will choose 18 national convention delegates, three from each of the state's six congressional districts. The state convention will choose the remaining 19 national convention delegates on June 25.

Gadhafi hopes for changes with Reagan retiring

WASHINGTON (AP) — Libyan leader Col. Moammar Gadhafi says he hopes for a new live-and-let-live relationship with the United States once President Reagan leaves office, according to a published report today.

In an interview with The Washington Post and Newsweek magazine, Gadhafi said he expects U.S.-Libyan relations to improve after the November election, but that Americans should still leave the Arab world "for their own security."

Gadhafi said Americans "definitely must have learned some lessons from the Reagan presidency" and that tensions between Tripoli and Washington have lessened in recent months, according to a report of the interview in today's Post.

Correspondents from the newspaper and magazine, along with Washington Post Co. Chairwoman Katharine Graham, interviewed Gadhafi in Algeria, the newspaper said.

Gadhafi attributed his nation's problems with the United States to the failure of "all the American attempts to attack us, which were mad."

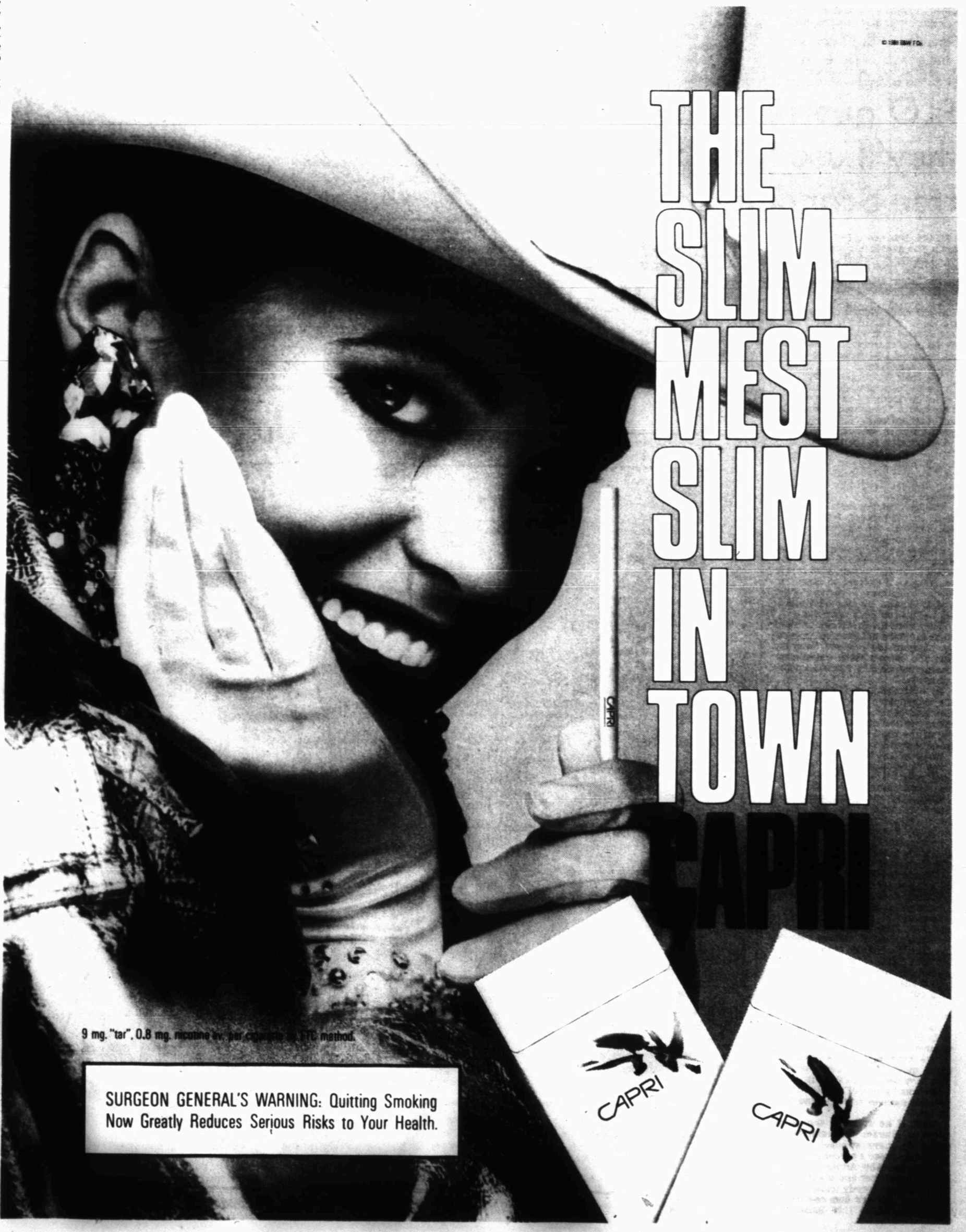
Asked if he could intervene to free foreign hostages held in Lebanon, he condemned hostage-taking but also said that Americans should understand that hostages "will be the price" paid for U.S. policy in the Middle East.

"Americans for their own security should get out of the Arab world," he said. "None of us can control the reactions of individuals against Americans because of their policies, because of their bombing."

Asked about Libyan involvement in supplying weapons to others to carry out terrorist actions, Gadhafi criticized U.S. intervention around the world.

He said if Reagan "interferes in Palestine, then I will interfere in Ireland. If he comes to Angola, I go to Panama.... If he doesn't stop, we may go to Panama."

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WORLD IN BRIEF

Delayed elections held

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — More than 1,000 troops and 10 warships stood guard today as voters in a Moslem province chose officials in delayed elections.

Maj. Gen. Cesar Tapia deployed the force, including seven helicopter gunships, to protect voting in Tawi-Tawi Province about 650 miles south of Manila.

Voters in 62 of the 73 provinces selected regional officials Jan. 18 but voting was delayed elsewhere for fears of violence. Elections already have been held in nine of the 11 provinces. Voters in Sulu province will cast ballots Feb. 15 in the final delayed election.

Tapia, the military's southern commander, ordered troops not only to provide security but to ensure a fair election in Tawi-Tawi, which traditionally has low turnouts and rampant irregularities.

Voters were selecting 110 mfficials including a provincial governor, vice governor, mayors, vice mayors and regional council members.

First air-raid drill held

SINGAPORE (AP) — More than 3,000 volunteers trooped into a bombproof subway station Sunday and listened to tips on how to react to an attack during Singapore's first air-raid drill.

The 40-minute civil defense exercise was at the Tiong Bahru station, one of nine subway stations fortified to withstand missile, rocket and artillery attacks and to provide some protection against nuclear attacks.

The volunteers were herded into the station's specially designated sections, including one marked "VIPs and Visitors Only." They watched audiovisual presentations on how to act during an air raid.

Officials announced the sweeping plan to create a massive bomb shelter system in 1986 without designating a specific enemy. The system, using new shelters in subways and housing projects, would accommodate more than half a million people.

Fans riot at short concert

BULAWAYO, Zimbabwe (AP) — Police fired tear gas shells and rubber bullets to disperse thousands of reggae fans who began rioting after reggae star Gregory Isaacs cut short a concert, newspapers said Sunday.

It was the second time in a week that police in Zimbabwe were called to quell unrest related to an Isaacs performance. Last Sunday in Harare, the Jamaican singer didn't show up for a concert, and police were called in to keep order among the 40,000 angry fans.

In Bulawayo, Isaacs sped away from the football stadium in a chauffeur-driven car after performing less than an hour Saturday. Concert organizers said he was tired, the Sunday News reported.

Police fired tear gas shells and rubber bullets and set police dogs on the crowd when rioting erupted among the more than 9,000 fans.

Fans said they expected Isaacs to be on stage for several hours.

U.S. presence protested

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — About 1,500 protesters converged on a U.S. air base near Athens Airport on Sunday to protest the American military presence in Greece.

"Out with the Americans — people don't want you here," the crowd shouted during the peaceful demonstration.

Demonstrators blocked traffic and painted anti-American slogans on the tarmac. They demanded that the United States pull its four military bases out of Greece when the installations' current operating agreement expires at the end of the year.

Premier Andreas Papandreou's Socialist government has begun talks with U.S. officials about a new agreement.

Elephants kill two people

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) — Wild elephants went on a rampage in southern Nepal, killing two people, trampling homes and destroying food supplies, it was reported Sunday.

Three elephants emerged from the jungle in the evening hours during the past three days, according to RSS, Nepal's national news agency.

Two villagers were attacked and killed by the beasts, which also destroyed grain stores in the area, the agency reported.

Korean opposition leader resigns

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — In a surprise announcement, Kim Young-sam said today he was resigning as president of the main opposition party to help reunite the opposition and atone for his defeat in the presidential election.

Kim, head of the Reunification Democratic Party, told reporters he hoped his resignation would restore peoples' faith in the opposition.

He said the opposition must reunite if it wants to avoid a shattering defeat in upcoming legislative elections.

"For a speedy reunification of the opposition bloc, I declare my resignation as the president of the RPD," he told a news conference.

"I hope my decision today will serve to inspire new hope and courage in the people who are in despair," he added.

The 60-year-old Kim Young-sam has been a major figure in Korean politics since the 1960s. He helped lead opposition against the authoritarian rule of the late President Park Chung-hee and President Chun Doo-hwan.

There had been no earlier indication that Kim would resign and the decision came as a surprise to his party. Shocked senior party officials pleaded with Kim to reverse his decision at the press conference and later at his home.

Kim told the news conference he had to step down as head of the opposition party because internal divisions threatened to destroy the opposition.

"I urge all politicians to achieve reunification of the opposition bloc at an early date by ending partisan interests and selfishness," he said.

He said the opposition had to reunite if it was to have any hope of regaining public confidence and ushering in full democracy.

The Reunification Democratic Party said senior Vice President Kim Myung-yoon was appointed acting president. But there was no indication of who might succeed Kim Young-sam since the party has no other prominent leaders.

Kim Young-sam apologized to party leaders for not telling them in advance about his decision. He said he would remain in the party as a member.

Kim and rival opposition leader Kim Dae-jung were defeated by governing party candidate Roh Tae-woo in the Dec. 16 presidential election after the two Kims split the opposition vote. Roh won with 36.6 percent of the vote, while Kim Young-sam had 28 percent and Kim Dae-jung 27 percent.

Both Kims were strongly criticized by supporters for splitting the opposition and ensuring a government victory.

Opposition charges that the government used massive fraud to win were rejected by most Koreans, who instead blamed the two Kims.

Kim Dae-jung and his supporters broke away from the Reunification Democratic Party to form the Party for Peace and Democracy and Kim Dae-jung ran for president after he and Kim Young-sam failed to agree on a single candidacy.

Both leaders have been fighting to retain their positions since the election defeat. Kim Young-sam's resignation was a surprise because his party reaffirmed his leadership last month and he vowed to continue in politics.

Kim Dae-jung was seen as being in more trouble because he was more widely blamed for splitting the opposition. The Party for Peace and Democracy said last week it was adopting a collective leadership to try and reduce criticism, although it was clear Kim Dae-jung would retain overall control.

The Party for Peace and Democracy promptly cast doubt on Kim Young-sam's decision today, saying it welcomed moves to unite the opposition but suspected he had ulterior motives. "We welcome Kim Young-sam's decision but we are trying to find out what is his real intention," it said in a statement.

Political observers were reluctant to accept that Kim Young-sam was bowing out of Korean politics. Some suggested he was stepping down because he feared a major loss in the legislative elections and would attempt a comeback later.

Kim Young-sam said the opposition had to make every effort to do well in the National Assembly elections that must be held by April. He warned that the opposition could not hope to win public confidence without reuniting and faced complete collapse if it did not.

No date has been set for the elections because of disagreements over the size of electoral districts and other issue.

Roh, a former general who helped put President Chun into power with military backing in 1980, is scheduled to take office Feb. 25. It would be the first peaceful transfer of power in South Korea's history.

PLO guerrillas say they'll use force to free Scandinavians

SIDON, Lebanon (AP) — The PLO said it was negotiating today to free two kidnapped Scandinavian officials of the U.N. Relief and Works Agency after PLO guerrillas surrounded a house where they were held.

Anwar Madi, Sidon Palestine Liberation Organization commander, said Sunday that PLO chief Yasser Arafat had ordered the release of the abducted U.N. Relief and Works Agency employees.

"We shall try to gain their freedom with peaceful means. But if this proves ineffective, we shall resort to other means," Madi told reporters in this southern port. "We expect they will be free in 48 hours."

Sources close to Madi said the captives — Jan Stening, 44, of Sweden, and William Jorgensen, 58, of Norway — were being held in a house near the Ein el-Hilweh Palestinian refugee camp.

"We have clear orders from Arafat to storm the hideout if the captors fail to free the two captives peacefully," said one source.

Stening and Jorgensen were traveling in a U.N. Relief and Works Agency car from their base in the southern port of Tyre to Beirut on Friday when they were intercepted and kidnapped by masked gunmen on Sidon's southern outskirts.

They were the first Scandinavians to be abducted in Lebanon. An agency communique released Saturday said the captors were Palestinians "acting individually without a political motive."

An Arab agency staff member said the kidnappings were related to the dismissal of six Palestinian employees in connection with the uncovering of the theft of agency fuel and medical supplies in Sidon and Tyre.

However, the relief agency, which helps Palestinian refugees in Lebanon, released a statement calling that explanation "inaccurate."

Madi said the kidnappers were "suspicious, unruly elements who do not belong to any organized Palestinian group. They are in a location that is geographically under our control."

Arafat's mainstream Fatah guerrilla faction of the PLO and the relief agency's security apparatus set up a "joint operations room" at Ein el-Hilweh to oversee the release operation, Madi said.

Members of the joint team later met for three hours Sunday with representatives of various Palestinian guerrilla factions at the home of Mustafa Saad, a leftist Lebanese whose predominantly Sunni Moslem militia has controlled Sidon since the 1975 outbreak of the civil war.

Sweden's non-resident ambassador to Lebanon, Ingmar Stjernberg, arrived in Sidon from East Berlin to help in efforts to release the two captives.

"We hope that the solution will come quickly," he told reporters. "We have been given the impression that a small group of people with no political motives were behind such an act."

Asked if he approves the use of force to liberate the captives, he said: "We have stressed that we would like to see a peaceful solution. I know that Abu Ammar is taking care of the matter and is very determined to see a speedy solution." Abu Ammar is Arafat's nom-de-guerre.

Officials at the U.N. Relief and Works Agency in Beirut said they did not believe the Scandinavians' kidnapping was linked to the abduction of 22 other foreigners missing since March 1985.

"Most of the others are held by pro-Iranian Shiite Moslem zealots who imagine they have a political and religious motive for doing what they're doing. The case of our people is different," said one relief agency official.

Giorgio Giacomelli, commissioner general of the relief agency, threatened to close the agency's operations in Sidon as a result of the abduction.

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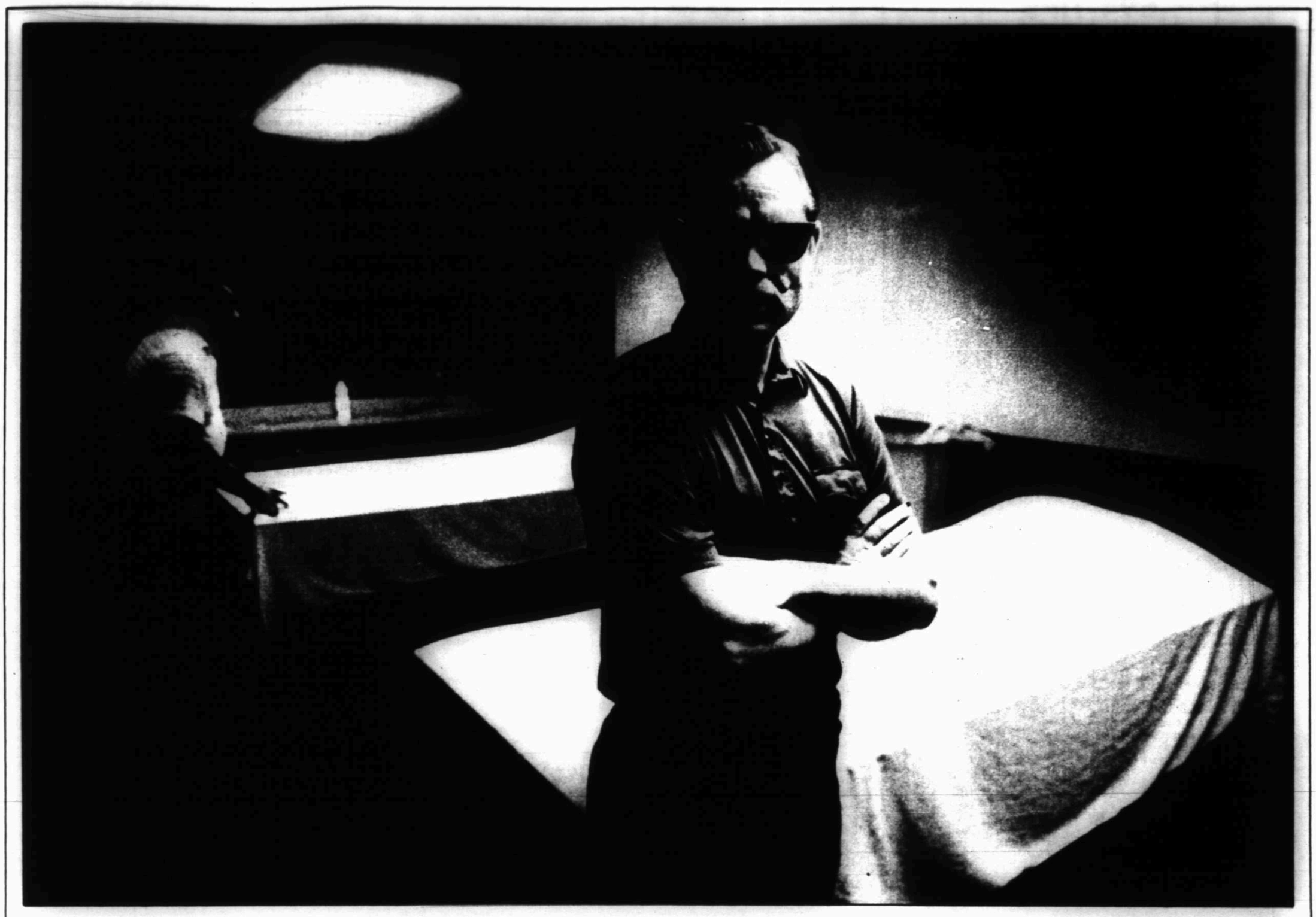
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Personal vision

ODESSA — There are those who would consider Carla and James Owings handicapped. James has no sight and Carla, who was born totally without sight, now has some vision, but not enough to let her get a driver's license. Both work every day — Carla as a switchboard operator at the Odessa Police Department and James as a masseur at the Odessa YMCA.

As to lacking sight or being visually impaired, Carla says, "It doesn't have to be a handicap if you don't let it. People make it a handicap more than we do."

An example of how sighted people view those without sight happened a few years ago at the old Inn of the Golden West restaurant in Odessa. Carla said she, James and a friend went in to eat lunch. The waitress came, took her order and that of her friend then, motioning to James, asked, "What does he want?" Carla told her, "He's blind, not deaf, why don't you ask him?" Somewhat taken aback, the waitress said, "Oh," and took James' order.

"James and I are fortunate," says Carla, "because our families didn't treat us any different. We both had chores to do," she said. Today, they take care of their own housework and do all of their own cooking without any outside help.

Although they don't have a car — neither is able to see to drive — they have become a familiar sight in warm weather as they ride their two 20-inch bicycles, locked side-by-side, around their westside neighborhood near downtown Odessa for pleasure and exercise.

Carla recalls a woman pulling up alongside them a while back and yelling at them, wanting to know how much they'd sell the bicycles for.

"You couldn't afford the price," Carla yelled back at her.

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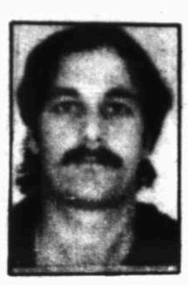
James Owings, 45, a blind masseur at the Odessa YMCA, stands beside his rub-down table in top photo. At far left, he provides relief to the fingers as part of a rub down of Odessan Billy Kennedy, 35. Above, Owings' wife, Carla, 45, also classified as legally blind, answers the phone at the Odessa Police Department as part of her job as dispatcher. At left, Mrs. Owings plays piano for her husband at their 916 N. Lauderdale home in Odessa.

Text by Frank Trombley
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WANTED



Lennis Jay Parker, 29, is wanted for violation of probation on a charge of injury to a child. Parker, a white man, is 6 feet tall, weighs about 190 pounds with brown hair and eyes.

Shane Lindsey, 21, is wanted for a probation violation on a charge of burglary of a building. Lindsey, a white man, is 5 feet 11 inches tall, weighs about 180 pounds with brown hair and hazel eyes.





Vernon Warner, 43, is wanted for theft. Warner, a white man, is 5 feet 7 inches tall, weighs about 125 pounds with brown hair and blue eyes.

James Earl Edwards, aka James Earl Freeman, is wanted for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Edwards, a black man, is 6 feet tall, weighs about 145 pounds with black hair and brown eyes.



DEATHS

Daniel Strong



Strong

ORMOND BEACH, Fla. — Daniel deGraffenried Strong, 63, formerly of Midland, died Friday at a local hospital.

Funeral services will be Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the St. James Episcopal Chapel in Ormond Beach, Fla., with the Rev. Steven Hines, of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd of Cashiers, N.C., officiating.

Strong was born in Brunswick, Ga., and lived in Midland from 1952 until 1983, at which time he moved to Ormond Beach, Fla.

Following his service in the Submarine Branch of the U.S. Navy in World War II, he became a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and graduated from the Georgia Institute of Technology in 1946.

He was a member of the Midland Country Club, the Sapphire Valley Country Club and the Horseshoe Bay Yacht Club.

He was also a member of various radio-controlled model airplane clubs and was named Modeler of the Year in 1984.

Survivors include his wife, Beverly June Strong, and his daughter, Dorothy June Strong, both of Ormond Beach, Fla., a son, Daniel deGraffenried Strong Jr., of Midland; two brothers, Hope Strong Jr., of Winter Park, Fla., and Lee Strong, of Ormond Beach, Fla.; two grandchildren and one uncle.

Edith Wyatt



Wyatt

Funeral services for Edith Wyatt of Midland will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Trinity Presbyterian Church with Dr. Al Moreau officiating. Assisting him will be the Rev. Dick Braun, associate pastor of First Presbyterian Church. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wyatt died Sunday at a local nursing home.

She was born on May 26, 1896 in Kansas and had resided in San Angelo, prior to moving to Midland in 1942. She was a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church and a life member of the American Legion. She was preceded in death by her husband, C.D. "Buster" Wyatt in 1964, and a daughter, Ruth Ann Little, in 1986.

Survivors include a son, Thomas D. Johnson of Sun City, Ariz.; two daughters, Nita Stevick of Lubbock, and Rosemary Brown of Midland; two sisters, Jewel Partridge of Carlsbad, Calif., and Nell Nelson of Vista, Calif.; 12 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Troy McCarty

Services for Troy A. McCarty, 77, of Midland were to be today at 3 p.m. in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. F. Ray Riddle, chaplain of Hospice of Midland, officiating.

Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

McCarty died at his home Saturday.

He was born Nov. 16, 1910, in Winn Parish, La., where he was reared and attended Louisiana Tech University in petroleum engineering.

McCarty was married May 1, 1930, to Alice Phillips in Haskell. They lived in the West Texas area and have lived in Midland since 1950. He worked for Humble Oil Co. for two years. In the 1930s, he went to work for Sharp Drilling Co. He became president in 1967 and was the owner since 1972. He retired in 1975.

He was a member of the Permian Basin Petroleum Pioneers and served on the Board of Equalization and was past president. He was also a member of the Oil Well Drilling Contractors Association.

Survivors include his wife, Alice McCarty of Midland; one daughter, Mrs. Jerrice Pratt of Midland; one sister; one grandson; four nieces and one nephew.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland.

Pallbearers were to be John Rasure, Don Rasure and T.G. Sexton, all of Midland; Devin Pratt of Lubbock; Shawn Pratt of Oklahoma and Eddie Smith of Brownwood.

William Saylor

Graveside services for William "Bill" Saylor of Irving, formerly of Midland, were to be at 1 p.m. today in Resthaven Memorial Park, with the Rev. James Bell, associate pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Services were to be under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Saturday at an Irving nursing home.

He was born Nov. 30, 1918 in Jamestown, Pa., and was reared in Olean, N.Y. He attended Oklahoma University and graduated with a bachelor of science degree in petroleum engineering in May 1942. He entered the U.S. Air Force and served in the South Pacific during World War II. Upon his discharge from the service, he moved to Lewisvill, Ark., to work for Sunray Oil Co. (which later became Sun Oil Co.) as a petroleum engineer. He retired in January 1973. He had been a Midland resident since 1974 until he moved to Dallas in 1984. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Survivors include a son, Jerry D. Saylor of Dallas; a daughter, Patricia Sonnamaker of Dallas; and four sisters, Kay Barton and Janet Hopkins, both of Olean, N.Y., Carl Stoever of Lake Cuba, N.Y., and Eleanor Wyckoff of Toledo, Ohio.

Scott Smith

ODESSA — Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Temple Baptist Church for a 25-year-old Odessa police officer, Scott Smith, who died Saturday following a six-month battle with injuries suffered when his motorcycle was involved in a collision as he apparently pursued a traffic violator Aug. 3, 1987.

Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Smith was hospitalized at Medical Center Hospital for treatment of massive multiple injuries, including a fractured spine, until he was transferred Oct. 19 to Baylor Medical Center in Dallas, where he remained in a coma until he died about 3 p.m. Saturday.

Police spokesman Cpl. John McAhon said patrol units will be traveling with their headlights on and the badges of officers will be shrouded in honor of Smith.

Smith joined the Odessa Police Department as a cadet in May 1984, received his certification and became an officer in August 1985. He became a motorcycle officer in the Traffic-Patrol Division in January 1987.

Ordera Brown

Graveside services for Ordera Brown of Midland will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Lefors Cemetery in Lefors, with the Rev. A.G. Roberts officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Brown died Sunday in a local nursing home.

She was born Sept. 22, 1907 in Ladonia. She married Edger E. Brown on Nov. 22, 1925 in Shamrock. They moved to Gray County in 1929 and spent most of their married life in Lefors. She retired from Highland General Hospital after many years of nursing service. Her husband preceded her in death on July 21, 1984. Mrs. Brown moved to Midland in 1984. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Lefors.

Survivors include a son, Ed Brown of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. A.G. Roberts and Mrs. O.L. Presley, both of Lefors; a brother, H.R. Cates of Lefors; and a grandson.

Jackie Ellis

SAN ANTONIO — Funeral services for Jackie Ellis, 85, of San Antonio, will be at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Christ Episcopal Church, with the Rev. Ted Schroder, officiating. Burial will be in the Sunset Memorial Park under the direction of Porter Loring Mortuary.

She was born March 8, 1902 in Eufaula, Okla.

Survivors include two sisters, Norean Scott of Austin, and Arcie Wright Alcorn of Grand Prairie; four grandchildren; a great-grandson; and 10 nieces and nephews.

The family the requests that memorials be directed to Southwest Foundation for Bio-Medical Research in San Antonio.

Leslie Haislet

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Leslie A. Haislet, 78, father of Glover Haislet of Midland, died Friday at his residence.

Services will be Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. at the O.R. Woodyard Co. Chapel in Columbus, Ohio, with James McKeggan officiating.

Burial will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio.

Survivors include his wife, Mae Haislet, of Columbus, Ohio; four other sons, Leslie N. Haislet, Charles Haislet and Dave Haislet, all of Columbus, Ohio; and Daniel Haislet, of North Carolina; one daughter, Lillie Eldridge, of Kentucky; 25 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Jonathan Tipton

Services for Jonathan Wesley Tipton, infant son of Cecil and Endia Tipton of Midland, will be Tuesday at 3 p.m. at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Bob Porterfield, pastor of Kentucky Street Baptist Church, officiating.

Ellis Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

He died at a Midland hospital Sunday.

Survivors include his parents, Cecil and Endia Tipton, of Midland; one brother, Justin Adam Tipton of Midland; one sister, Jackie L. Wimberly of Brazoria; two sets of grandparents; two sets of great-grandparents and one great-great-grandmother.

James E. Roy

Services for James E. "Red" Roy were to be at 11 a.m. today in the Ellis Chapel with the Rev. J.B. Stewart officiating.

Pallbearers were to be Raymond Sessom, Ron Muray, Johnny Barnes, Wayne Lyles, Jim Jennings, Ray Martin and Cotton Beasley.

E.P. Ervin

Funeral services for E.P. "Jack" Ervin of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Saturday at a local hospital.

David Starling

David Starling, 46, died this morning at a Midland hospital.

Arrangements are pending with Sizemore Funeral Home in Midland.

Ada Cheek

Ada Velma Cheek, 79, of Midland died Sunday evening in a Temple hospital.

Arrangements are pending with Sizemore Funeral Home.

Parents go to court over who's to be valedictorian

HOUSTON (AP) — The selection of this year's Lamar Consolidated High School senior class valedictorian is being clouded by a court case.

The parents of a 16-year-old Jay Yates, who is graduating after three years, want their son considered for the honor, for which 17-year-old Scott Humphries has been considered the likely prospect.

On Friday, visiting State District Judge Daniel Sklar in Fort Bend County issued a temporary injunction preventing the school from excluding Yates from consideration. Sklar set a March 7 date for trial over the controversy.

Despite the court action, the two teens say they still remain good friends, have no hard feelings over the dispute.

School officials have claimed Yates' mother agreed to waive all honors for her son if he were allowed to complete his schooling early.

While Humphries appeared to be the most likely candidate for valedictorian, Yates' parents went to court in a bid to have their son included for consideration.

Grandmother arrested fourth time

HOUSTON (AP) — A 76-year-old grandmother on probation from three previous drug convictions is taking her latest arrest calmly, her attorney says.

"She's a very patient lady," said attorney Jim Tatum. "She has seen a lot of things in her lifetime. I would say she is not hysterical."

Sally Hubbard was arrested Thursday at her Houston Heights home after police said an undercover officer bought a sedative pill from her, authorities said.

A state judge refused to set bail for her during an appearance Saturday. A two-count indictment charged her with delivery of a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance.

In her first brush with the law in 1985, she was arrested and accused of selling pills and alcohol at her home. She was arrested again that year, when officers seized pills, guns and cash at the home. In March 1986, she was placed on probation for 10 years after pleading guilty to three drug charges, records show.

State District Judge William Hatten on Saturday decided to defer the bail matter to State District Judge George Walker, who handled the grandmother's previous case.

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James had the initial idea for the side-by-side bikes and a friend, Dub Ellis, did the mechanical work of linking the bikes with angle iron that locks the rear wheels together and ties the front wheels so that Carla, with her limited sight, can steer and tell James what they need to do while riding.

"We stay off of busy streets, like West County Road and Grant Avenue," says James. "There's people out there who will run right over you."

Carla was blind at birth due to the measles her mother contracted. Several operations by Odessa ophthalmologist Dr. John Sheets have given her visual acuity of about 2200-20.

What she sees as the result of operations and with the aid of her glasses, she says, is "kind of like seeing something in a heavy fog." With her glasses and other optical devices, she is able to watch the large screen television set she and James have in their apartment.

Standing in front of the set, she said, with feigned amazement, "Did you know they really use baseballs and footballs when they play those games?" Before they got the large screen set, James says, Carla couldn't see a baseball or football.

James lost his sight when he was 13. He and a young friend found some sticks of dynamite and caps while playing in Waco. They threw the explosives into a fire and ran away, thinking they would explode immediately. When they didn't they returned to the fire to see what was wrong, just as the dynamite and caps exploded.

James lost sight in both eyes. His friend was not as lucky, says James, he not only lost sight in both eyes but both hands as well.

Carla and James, both 45, have been married 23½ years, and the warmth and respect they feel for each other is palpable.

She's worked 9½ years as a switchboard operator, mostly for the Odessa Police Department, handling the hundreds of calls that come in daily for the police department, Municipal Courts building, the fire department and the city Housing Authority office.

Carla has memorized the hundreds of extension numbers to the various departments and deftly routes calls to the proper department or person without hesitation.

Carla recalls she was working in the City Hall basement snack shop in 1978 when she decided she could operate a switchboard. She began hanging around the old police headquarters building.

Sgt. Milton Tharp helped her learn the system, and she put in a lot of her own time, but, because she wasn't a member of the department, a uniformed officer had to do the talking in answering phone calls.

Everything went along fine until one day the officer had to go to the restroom and there was no one to take his place. He left and "wouldn't you know it," she said. "The first call I got where I had to talk was from Assistant Chief Tommy Callendar."

Carla said she quickly transferred the call to the front desk, where Callendar asked who was answering the phone. "Oh, it's that MHMR person," the officer on the desk told the assistant chief, she says. The assistant chief didn't want to hire her, she recalls, "He wanted a professional switchboard operator, but I knew I could do it."

Carla recalls the time a major storm hit Odessa, blowing the roof off the old Strike It Rich building and knocking out an electrical transformer, which interrupted power to much of the downtown area, including the police department.

Without electricity, she says, she was able to continue to answer police department phones because she didn't need light to do her job, which made her seeming handicap a real asset.

If there were a miracle laying around somewhere that would give James and Carla normal vision, they'd probably welcome the opportunity to see as others do.

But they are content as they are. As Carla says, being blind "doesn't have to be a handicap if you don't let it."

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Midlanders treated for gas poisoning

From Staff Reports

Five southeast Midland residents were being treated today for carbon monoxide poisoning which may have been caused by a malfunctioning gas furnace, officials said.

Paramedics were called to 1711 S. Marshall St., at 7:30 a.m., and found the five persons affected by the fumes, Fire Marshal Jerry Petree said. The front cover of a furnace was missing, which often causes the production of carbon monoxide, he said.

Fire inspectors tested the air and found a high level of the gas in the residence, Petree said. Energas officials were notified, he added.

The five persons, whose ages were unavailable, were in stable condition this morning at Midland Memorial Hospital, MMH spokeswoman Sue Ristom said. They were being treated for toxic poisoning, she said.

Teen hurt in accident

From Staff Reports

A 13-year-old Odessa youth was critically injured early today when he lost control of the car he was driving and crashed into a pasture, the Department of Public Safety reported.

Arturo Montoya suffered head and internal injuries, and was listed in critical condition early today at Odessa Medical Center, according to DPS reports. A passenger, 17-year-old Hector Olivas of Odessa, was treated and released at OMC for chest injuries, reports said.

The accident occurred just after midnight today, when the car Montoya was driving was traveling westbound on San Benito street. When Montoya attempted to turn south on Atwood street, he lost control of the vehicle, slid into a pasture and flipped over twice, reports said.

Rusk PTA will meet

From Staff Reports

Rusk Elementary will hold a general PTA meeting Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

James Huggins, a psychologist, will speak on "Coping with Your Child's Emotions."

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AHA's Heart Beat '88 takes fundraiser 'Back to the Beach'

By LINDA ANDERSON
Lifestyle Writer

It didn't matter that it was "a dark and stormy night" outside, inside it was all sunshine and surfboards as the American Heart Association's Heart Beat '88 kicked off 7 p.m. Saturday at Midland Center.

This year's event, themed "Back to the Beach," benefits AHA programs and research, according to Tammy Smith, co-chairman, and Burgess Wade, president of the board for the local AHA chapter.

Tennis shoes, Hawaiian shirts and shorts — worn with blue knees, since the February night was cold — were the fashion of the evening for the approximate 420 party-goers who attended the event. The buffet, catered by El Chico, included such '60s favorites as hamburgers with all the trimmings, french fries, onion rings and boneless chicken breasts, followed by strawberry and chocolate sundaes.

Dean Scott provided music from the '50s and '60s, and decorations included surfboards, sails and heart-shaped balloons.

The $75-a-couple annual event was expected to net about $60,000, according to Wade, although estimates early this morning were closer to $55,000. "It all goes to the Heart Association to do research, and (distribute) education material and grants for research," he said.

"They have programs for kids from kindergarten through seniors high school," said Ms. Smith. "'Save a Sweetheart' is where high school kids pledge not to smoke for a certain amount of time," with the encouragement of their friends.

"'Heart at Work' program is for employers and employees," Wade added.

According to Rita Nell Diffie, regional director of AHA, "35 cents of every dollar (raised) goes to research; 30 cents goes to education programs; 15 cents goes to fundraising; 8 cents goes to community services like blood pressure checks and CPR classes; 7 cents is for management and administration, and 5 cents goes for professional education for health professionals.

"The biggest bulk of the funds goes to research and education programs."

Heart Beat takes about six months to put together, Ms. Smith said, and each year the theme is different. "Last year it was 'Beach Party,' and this year it's 'Back to the Beach.' We'll have Heart Beat every year ... we may go back to the '50s or we may go back to the '20s — whatever hits us next September."

Also included in the fundraiser were chances to win a bronze statue, a Norwegian fox coat and a trip to San Diego; and a photo booth run by Don Higgins.

Heart Beat '88 was underwritten by The Beal Foundation, Mr. and Mrs. Earle M. Craig Jr. and The Fasken Foundation. Contributers were Action Realty, Dr. and Mrs. O.A. Abdou, First RepublicBank Midland, Havencraft, Midland Memorial Hosptial, Dr. and Mrs. Brian D. Mohr, Drs. P.V. and Meena Patel, Drs. Ravi and Vidya Patel, Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder, Texas Commerce Bank, Turpin, Smith, Dyer, Saxe & MacDonald, Dr. and Mrs. Shelton Viney and Wagner & Brown. Contributing merchants were Builders & Homeowners Supply; Theresa Martin, sculptor of "Nesting Eagle;" Southwest Airlines and Swartz.



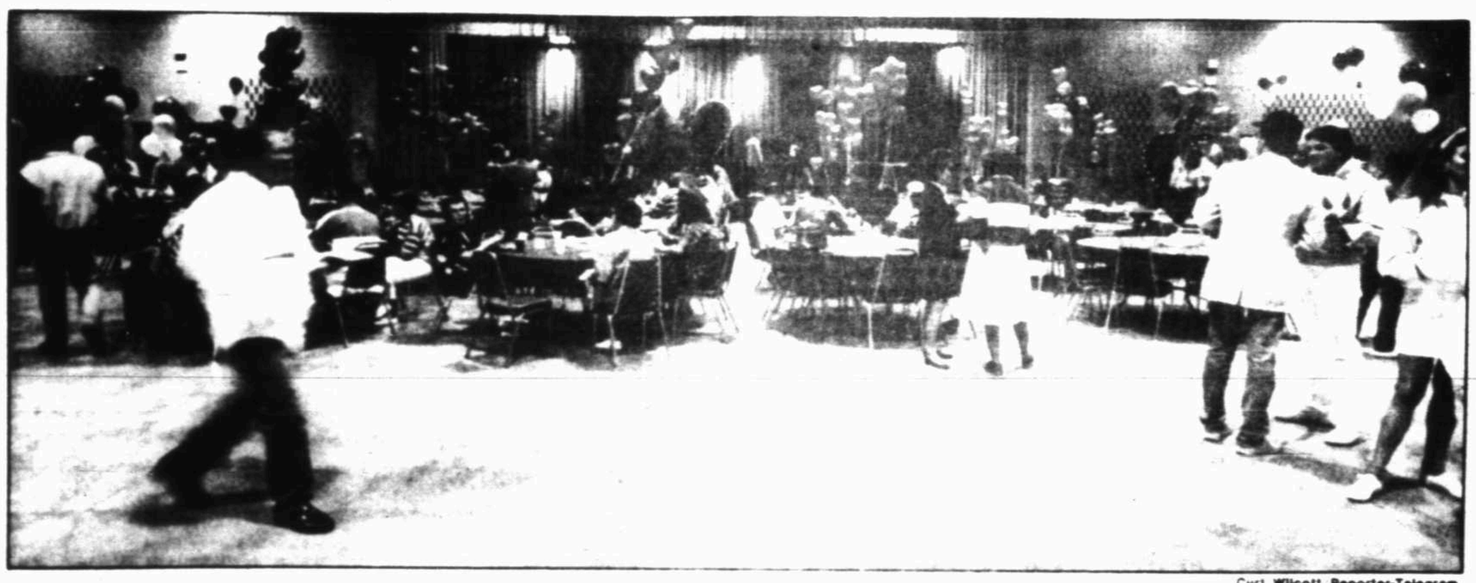
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Steve Cook, Midland beach bum, waits for his date at the photo booth run by Don Higgins.



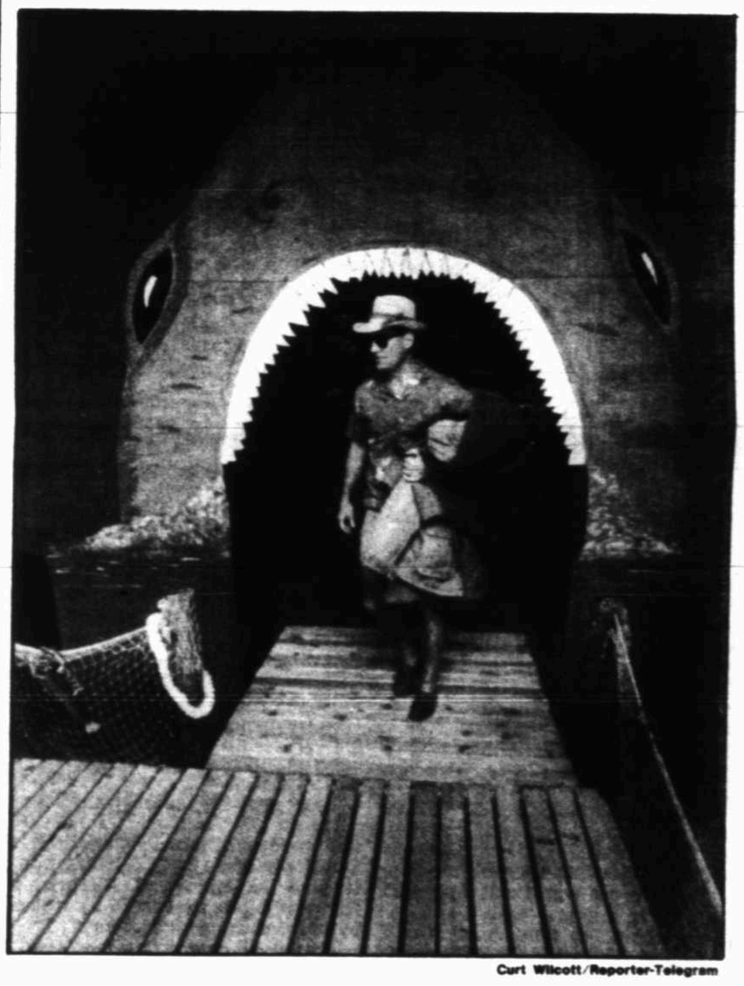
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Beach bums and beach bunnies, top photo, enjoy the food and festivities of Heart Beat '88. The entryway to the event, bottom photo, featured that aquatic favorite, Jaws.



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The crowd begins to arrive at Heart Beat '88, an annual fundraiser sponsored by the local chapter of American Heart Association.



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DEAR ABBY

Solution to hairy dilemma upsets readers

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am outraged at your answer to "Bearded in Boston," the 27-year-old man who paid for his own education and is doing well on his own. He had been living away from his family (out of state) for the last five years, and when he returned with a beard, his father told him that if he wanted to come home again, he'd have to shave off his beard.

"Bearded" said he liked the beard and all his friends thought it looked great; then he asked you: "If I shave it off, what will I tell my friends?" Your reply: "Tell your friends your father refused to let you come home unless you shaved your beard."

Abby, why didn't you tell him to keep his beard, come home and stay somewhere else? — OUTRAGED IN BALTIMORE

DEAR OUTRAGED: From the mail I received, I didn't make myself clear. I did not advise "Bearded" to shave off his beard. I told him that if he shaved his beard, he should tell his friends that his father wouldn't let him come home unless he got rid of the beard.

Had "Bearded" asked, "Should I shave it off?" I would have replied: "As a 27-year-old self-supporting adult, you should tell your father that you didn't need his permission to wear a beard — and if you're not welcome to stay with the family, you will arrange to stay somewhere else."

As a communicator, I flunked on this one. Pass the hemlock.

DEAR ABBY: I was appalled by "Burned Up in Newcastle," who raged against your commonsensical plea to let divorced parents stand together at their child's wedding, even though the parents have since remarried.

I should not have been appalled, for it is all too common for second wives to selfishly begrudge their husbands contact with their ex-wives and children, and to bitterly resent any show of generosity (gifts or money) to them.

When I married a divorced man whom I deeply loved, I encouraged him to visit his ex-wife and children and to be generous with them. And when his son married, I chose not to attend the wedding. I thought it was his child's special moment, and he would want his parents there together — which was all right with me. I knew who I was. I was his father's wife, and I also knew that the bonds established in every family do not simply go away because a divorce took place. I understood the feelings of children toward their divorced father, for I had previously had a husband who essentially abandoned our children because of the jealousy and selfishness of his second wife.

So many of us are walking around as emotional cripples because of horrendous experiences. Death we can't do much about — or unhappy childhoods — and for children, their parents' divorces. But we can do something about our private pettiness and jealousies. Let us pray for strength to control ourselves and not inflict unnecessary pain on others — especially children. Divorce is so common these days that anything we can do to soothe the wounds will invariably make us happier, and our society healthier. — BEEN THERE IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR BEEN THERE: You appear to be an extraordinarily kind and understanding woman. But your ex-husband who "essentially abandoned" his children because of the jealousy and selfishness of his second wife was no better than the second wife. No man (or woman) can be forced into any behavior that is incompatible with his (or her) character.

DEAR ABBY: Please advise "Chicago Attorney," who thinks all obituaries should state cause of death as a "warning" to others, that one cannot correctly assume that every person who dies of lung cancer was a heavy smoker.

Fourteen months ago, I was diagnosed as having "adenocarcinoma" (cancer) of my left lung. (It had already spread to the lymph nodes.) Although my prognosis was exceedingly grim this time last year, by the grace and mercy of God, my treatment was successful and today I am just fine. And by the way, Abby, I have never smoked a cigarette in my entire life! — LUCKY IN PULLMAN, WASH.

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Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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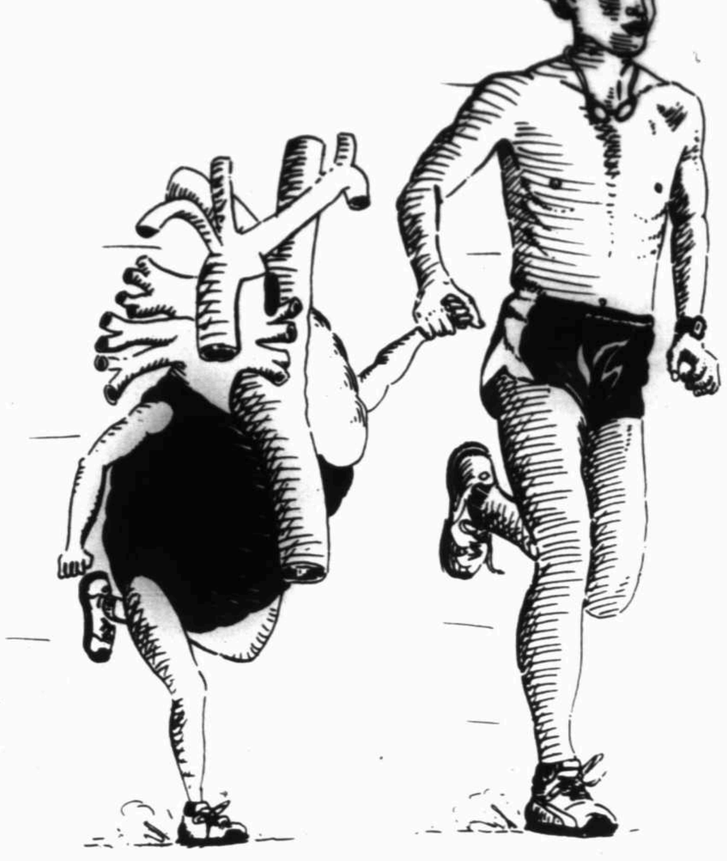
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Outlook changed by two heart surgeries

EDITOR'S NOTE — On matters of the heart, Arthur H. Rotstein is an expert. As the AP's correspondent in Tucson, Ariz., he has covered numerous developments in cardiac surgery. Then, at age 40, he underwent heart surgery himself. Twice. This is his first-person account.

By ARTHUR H. ROTSTEIN
Associated Press Writer



TUCSON, Ariz. — People most associate valve jobs with cars, a way to keep the old crate running a few more miles. I've had two valve jobs. Not on my car, on my heart. Two. In four months.

I had little choice. My engine was starting to fizzle, and the solution was a valve replacement if I wanted a shot at old age.

So I went from writing about cardiac patients as a reporter to being one. A somewhat special one at that.

Among heart patients, bypass surgery has become almost commonplace in America, about 180,000 such operations a year. Valve jobs are considerably rarer. An estimated 39,500 people had them in 1986, the year of my first operation. I will also be included in the 1987 statistics when they are compiled.

Nobody keeps track of how many Americans make the valve-repair list two years in a row. Not many, of course, but I would gladly have declined the honor.

My first operation, on Oct. 7, 1986, should have been the start and end of the story: surgery, recuperation, rehabilitation, get on with life. Indeed, there were no immediate complications.

YET, WHAT started as a relatively uncomplicated trip along a straight road detoured into a tortuous journey down a twisting trail full of potholes. I seemed to hit nearly every one.

Along the way, over the next 4½ months I:

■ Sprung a leak around my replaced valve, tissue tear causing premature destruction of my red blood cells;

■ Underwent a second surgery to fix the tear, and to repair a second faulty valve;

■ Potentially faced yet another operation because of a possible infection for which I received antibiotic treatment.

■ Suffered an allergic reaction to the antibiotic and had to be rushed back to the hospital, and I developed phlebitis.

As if that weren't enough, 14 days before my second open-heart surgery, I had to put my dog Montrose to sleep. My constant friend of 11½ years, part Airedale and the rest only God knows what, suddenly took ill of a previously undiagnosed cancer. I remember tearfully saying to him, as he lay at the vet's office, "We hit all the odds, buddy."

We sure did.

For half a year, I was strapped into an emotional and physical roller coaster, riding the downs and ups of surgery, rehabilitation, surgery, rehabilitation. During that time, I gained a fairly extensive insight into the life of an invalid.

I also picked up a firsthand understanding about coping with life's uncertainties. The irony for me, a reporter, was that I was my own subject. Those peaks and valleys were mine.

IN THE first weeks after my initial surgery there were many days when I felt worse, not better; when I was short-tempered, had no strength, no appetite, became angry if people told me how well I looked and sounded — because I certainly didn't feel that way. My chest, which had been cut and cracked open, ached. Sleep was difficult. I seemed to become a crusty ogre.

Yet, there also were times when I definitely felt better, more frequently after I started in a rehabilitation program about a month after surgery.

That involved wearing a heart monitor, walking on a treadmill, riding a stationary bike, doing arm and stretching exercises and, after a time, lifting light weights. The regimen was satisfying and motivating.

The program also included nutritional counseling and heart-related lectures, equally valuable. Stress management training also proved most beneficial.

Even so, my recovery took longer than I had anticipated. I had interpreted the doctors' optimism about the surgery to mean that within a month or so I would be running around as before. When four, then five weeks passed and I still didn't feel that way, I became anxious and irritated.

One reason it took longer than expected was because of what the doctors would not discover until January.

The tissue anchoring my new mechanical aortic valve proved to be about as strong as Kleenex. Two sutures had torn in separate portions of it. My mitral valve also was leaking.

LIKE ANY other pump, the heart has an inflow valve and an outflow valve. They control the flow of blood into and out of the left ventrical, the chamber where the blood is purified and sent back into the body. The mitral is the inflow valve, the aortic the outflow. They work in unison; when one closes the other opens.

The leakage around the aortic valve wasn't as severe as what had necessitated my surgery, but the potential consequences were dramatic. I had just returned to work and was resuming a somewhat normal existence as a husband, father and provider, only to learn that I would be back on the table again on Feb. 16, 1987, four months and a week after my first operation.

The surgeon learned, on going back in, that my mitral leak was significant. Its severity either had been masked previously by the massive aortic leak or had developed only after the first operation.

How had all this come about?

In the summer of 1986, I was a slightly overweight 40-year-old reporter who studiously avoided anything more strenuous than pushing away from the dinner table or running for a telephone on a breaking news story.

As the Associated Press correspondent in Tucson for six years, I had covered numerous developments in heart surgery.

They included heart transplants performed by Dr. Jack G. Copeland and his cardiothoracic team at the University of Arizona Medical Center and Dr. Edward B. Diethrich's first live public telecast of a cardiac bypass operation in Phoenix.

They also included Copeland's controversial 1985 implantation of an experimental artificial heart and his use later that year of a Jarvik-7 plastic-and-metal pump as the first successful bridge to heart transplantation.

Finally, I had covered much of the saga of Bernadette Chayrez, the first person to receive two artificial hearts, also at UMC.

SO IT was a curious turnaround to find myself a patient of Copeland's.

I had known for 18 years that someday I would need my aortic valve replaced. On July 30, 1986, after my latest echocardiogram, my cardiologist told me that that someday had arrived.

We scheduled my surgery for Oct. 7.

Why did I wait 18 years for surgery? Both artificial and animal tissue valve replacements have their problems. Mechanical valves run the risk of blood clot formation that must be countered with a blood thinner. Tissue valves can wear out in seven to 15 years.

So my doctors felt that so long as I functioned fairly normally without dramatic change in heart size, it was preferable to postpone surgery. An artificial heart valve does carry limitations: no mountain climbing, no weight lifting, no tackle football.

I noticed more attentively as the Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays came and went; I tried to spend more, and better, time with my wife Debby and daughter Becky.

I looked a bit more closely at the mountains and the desert's beauty.

What had brought me to that cold and impersonal table were subtle, silent changes that had occurred inside my chest over nearly two decades. My progressively enlarging leak, called an aortic insufficiency, had left me with a heart twice the normal size, comparable to a squishy sponge, like a Nerf football kids play with.

A CARDIOLOGIST in suburban Chicago had diagnosed my condition in 1968 after detecting a heart murmur.

I tired more easily with physical exertion, but otherwise felt fine.

A significant increase in the size of my ventricle that had moved me into a danger zone forced the decision to operate.

As my operation neared, my doctor said I would weather the surgery well because I was about 25 years younger than the typical cardiac patient, generally in good health and didn't smoke.

They were right. The operation went like clockwork. Within a little more than two hours, Copeland and his team had opened my chest, replaced the defective valve with a large pyrolitic carbon St. Jude mechanical valve, and closed me up again.

When I awoke I found myself with a 9½-inch scar in the middle of my suddenly hairless chest, a lot of aches, no stamina, and 23 pounds lighter.

I learned later that when my heart rate increased from about 80 to 160, the doctor gave me a paralyzing agent to calm me down.

It worked. I remembered nothing from Monday night until early Wednesday morning, the day after my operation. My first conscious sensations were of something in my throat that prevented my speaking, of hearing voices saying the breathing tube would be removed in about six hours, and of wondering why I had one in my throat before the operation.

That's when I realized I must have made it.

I HAVE no recollection of talking with Debby before the operation on Tuesday, or of Copeland telling me late that afternoon that I had come through fine, and my blinking and squeezing his hand in acknowledgment. The body and mind, it seems, play tricks on surgery patients.

I was in the cardiac intensive care unit for two days and went home a week after the operation. Copeland had visited me practically daily, except when, four days after my operation, Ms. Chayrez died while receiving a second human donor heart.

My daughter, then 10, told me that with my new valve, which makes an audible click, I sounded like the crocodile in "Peter Pan." When it's quiet, I frequently hear myself ticking. In time, the noise has become a comforting assurance.

Slowly,the realities of recovering from cardiac surgery sank in. I had made it. If I didn't exactly dance in the rain I took to singing in the shower — once I could get in it, as my incision (which reminded me of a stuffed Thanksgiving turkey) began to heal.

I had no overt symptoms on Jan. 5 when Copeland, stethoscope glued to my chest, listened intently during a checkup, trying to decipher a murmur-type sound that had been troubling him and my cardiologist.

Saying that he was "a hands man," Copeland had the university's chief of cardiology listen to me. He explained that his colleague, Dr. Gordon Ewy, had "the best ears around here." Ewy confirmed Copeland's fears. The diagnosis: aortic insufficiency, a leaky valve. For the second time.

CLEARLY UPSET, Copeland looked at me and said, slowly, "I'm sorry...I think we're going to have to go back in again."

In the car, I fell to swearing. I asked the inevitable, unanswerable, "Why me?"

Copeland at first thought it would be best to follow the situation closely and re-evaluate it in nine months or so. But then blood tests showed that the leak around the edge of the artificial valve was chewing up my red blood cells and he changed his mind.

On the morning of my surgery, Copeland came in to tell me the operation would have to be postponed because a heart transplant was to be performed. I accepted the personal news with disappointment and had Debby call the Associated Press in Phoenix about the national news, the transplant.

Later in the morning the transplant had washed out and I was rescheduled for 1 p.m.

My surgery was prolonged somewhat because Copeland had to work his way through growth of scar tissue before he closed the leaks around my prosthetic valve. Then he repaired the mitral valve.

At first, I showed a dramatic postoperative improvement. I ate some solid food that night. The next morning, I walked, by myself, from intensive care to the cardiac monitoring unit.

But I wasn't worrying. A culture the doctors had taken suggested a contaminant on my valve. I was put on a powerful antibiotic. An infection would have meant yet another valve replacement. "I'll be eternally grateful if it's not," Copeland said. It proved not to be.

On the ninth day after my operation, I had a temperature of 100.6, but it was gone the next morning.

Copeland listened to my heart and told Debby, "I think he's good for another 100,000 miles" and sent us home. Three hours later, I had a temperature of 102.

Back to the emergency room.

They found that an allergic reaction to my intravenous antibiotic had caused the fever and switched to an oral medication which I stayed on for three more weeks.

This time, my frustration level seemed lower. I bided my time. In late March, I went back to my rehab program, and a month after that, to work.

Cholesteral's link to heart disease strong, experts say

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Evidence blaming high blood cholesterol for heart disease is now as strong as the link between cigarettes and lung cancer, but many doctors have been slow to face facts, cholesterol experts say.

"The best surveys show maybe 35 percent of practicing physicians still aren't sure cholesterol really counts," said Dr. Rodman Starke, chairman of an American Heart Association committee that is campaigning to get doctors to recognize the risk.

"The problem goes back to our medical schools," said former association president Dr. Antonio Gotto of Baylor College of Medicine and Methodist Hospital in Houston.

"We do a miserable job teaching medical students about prevention and education. In the long run, many more lives can be saved by these approaches than by intervening at the time of illness."

The experts, speaking during a news conference at the heart association's annual meeting, said all Americans over the age of 20 should get their blood cholesterol tested and reduce their level if necessary by exercising and eating less cholesterol and saturated fats.

Only 15 percent to 20 percent of American adults know their cholesterol levels, said association president Dr. Howard Morgan of the Geisinger Medical Center in Danville, Pa.

Gotto listed numerous studies that together erased doubts that high blood cholesterol increases the risk of hardening of the arteries and resulting heart attacks and strokes, and that lowering cholestrol can prevent heart disease.

"Cholesterol now has to take its place alongside the other major (heart disease) risk factors: high blood pressure and smoking," said Dr. Scott Grundy, human nutrition director at University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas.

Grundy said cholesterol levels may be more important in heart disease than cigarettes or high blood pressure. The Japanese have high rates of smoking and high blood pressure, yet relatively low heart-disease rates, probably because they tend toward low cholesterol levels, he said.

"Scientific evidence linking cholesterol to the risk of heart disease ... is virtually as strong as the evidence linking cigarette smoking to lung cancer," said Dr. DeWitt Goodman, of Columbia University in New York.

The experts said cholesterol levels under 200 milligrams per deciliter of blood don't pose a risk, while levels above 240 do. People with levels between 201 and 239 probably face an increased heart disease risk if they also smoke or have high blood pressure.

Despite some physicians' indecisiveness, the public is responding to cholesterol's threat by changing diet patterns, Grundy said.

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AFC defenses NFC

HONOLULU (AP) — Joe Montana had an explanation for the fact that the defenses dominated the Pro Bowl, as they often do.

"When you have so little time together, trying to do things on offense is much more unnatural than on defense," he said.

Montana, the San Francisco 49ers' quarterback and the NFC starter Sunday, provided an example of how difficult it is to get offensive timing down in just five days of practice.

He was victimized for two interceptions and a safety as the AFC beat the NFC 15-6 in a mistake-marred Pro Bowl game.

There were a total of 10 turnovers, five by each team. The game's only touchdown came on a 1-yard rollout by Buffalo quarterback Jim Kelly in the second quarter.

"I think the defense in this situation will tend to look better because the offense isn't as complicated as usual, but I'm not sure," said Kelly, making his first NFL All-Star appearance.

"Hopefully this will be yearly event for me, so I can find out."

"The game was not a real shootout for the offenses," said Marty Schottenheimer of the Cleveland Browns, coach of the winning AFC squad for the second straight year.

"The defenses played well, put a lot of pressure on the passers. The hardest thing to control in the short practice time we have is the pass protection."

"It's difficult to put together an offense in just a few days," said Jerry Burns of the Minnesota Vikings, the NFC coach. "Our pass protection was poor and the timing of our passing and running game was poor.

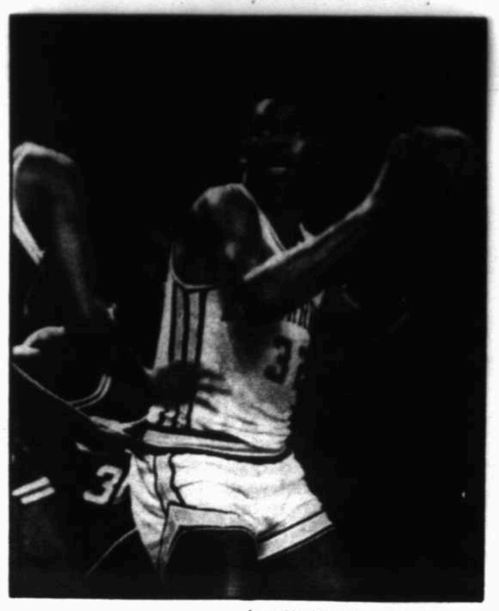
"Neither team was able to provide any offensive firepower."

NFC offensive guard Dennis Harrah of the Los Angeles Rams, who has announced his retirement, said the turnovers may have been due to the fact that the game was rougher than the five previous Pro Bowl games he had played in.

"It was the hardest-hitting Pro Bowl I've been in," said Harrah, who got in a fight early in the game with AFC nose tackle Bill Maas of Kansas City. "I think that made a difference in the turnovers."

Dean Biasucci of the Indianapolis Colts kicked a pair of field goals for the AFC, and Morten Andersen of the New Orleans Saints provided all the NFC scoring with two field goals.

The other AFC points came when Montana stepped out of his own end zone under a heavy pass rush in the fourth quarter.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Billy Ray Smith has the kind of talent that invariably draws double-coverage from opponents.

Chaps host NMJC

From Staff Reports

Midland College needs to win tonight's (7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center) game against New Mexico Junior College, if no for other reason than to keep the Hawks away from the door.

That, however, is a subplot. MC can stay on the heels of South Plains College with a victory while stop the Thunderbirds' three-straight domination of the series.

NMJC, at the same time, can't afford to lose, if it is to remain in the chase of first place Odessa College.

NMJC is 9-1 to OC's 11-0 in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference race, but the Thunderbirds get the Wranglers at Hobbs in the second half.

The Chaparrals' situation is South Plains, 6-3, a half game ahead and Howard College, 5-5, a game behind.

MC is coming off a 64-59 loss to OC while NMJC was edging Howard, 80-76.

Both SPC and HC figure to win tonight. The Hawks are host to Western Texas (3-6) and the Texans travels to Frank Phillips (2-8).

NMJC is 21-4 for the season while the Chaps are 17-6, but that doesn't hint at the travail the team has experienced this season, travail that Coach Reggie Franklin hopes is past history.

In the first meeting at Hobbs in December, NMJC won 88-87. Last year the margins were 75-73 and 103-102. One suspects this could be a nail-biter.

For NMJC, Rodney Jones' is the third leading scorer in the WJCAC with a 25.1 average per game and Jones has scoring company from Willie Hartsfield, 12.5, Marshall Taylor, 12.0, and Henry Jackson, 11.7.

Six-seven Herman Henry leads the Chaps with a 14.8 average while Billy Ray Smith is averaging 13.2 points a game, despite a steady diet of defensive double teams, and Charles McCovery has an 11.8 average.

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Sport Briefs



Nancy Lopez
Mazda winner

Nancy Lopez wins Mazda

From Wire Reports

BOCA RATON, Fla. — After bogeying three of the first seven holes, Nancy Lopez held on for a two-stroke victory in the LPGA's Mazda Classic, the season opener on the women's pro tour. Lopez shot a 3-over-par 75—283 for her 37th victory of her career but her first in an LPGA season-opener. She earned $30,000.

Marta Figueras-Dotti sank a 70-foot birdie putt from the fringe on No. 17 and birdied the final hole, finishing second at 73—285. Jan Stephenson found a bunker on No. 18 and took a double bogey for a closing 74—286,tied for third at 285.

Also at 285 were Heather Farr, Amy Benz, Patty Sheehan, Juli Inkster and Martha Foyer, whose previous best finish was a tie for 24th.

Earnhardt wins

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Dale Earnhardt, picking up where he left off last season, charged to victory Sunday in the Busch Clash, taking of the 20-lap, 50-mile sprint on lap seven. He led the rest of the way on the 2.5-mile, high-banked Daytona Speedway oval.

Steve Jones' hot putter produces playoff win

By BOB GREEN

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) — The putter was the winner for Steve Jones. It also was the eraser.

"A hot putter can erase a lot of bad swings," Jones said after he'd twice blown the lead and still held on to score a sudden-death playoff victory Sunday in the Pebble Beach National Pro-Am.

Bob Tway was the victim of Jones' winning 18-foot birdie putt on the second playoff hole, the par-3 17th at Pebble Beach.

"It was great putt," Tway said. "I don't feel like I lost it. I just feel like Steve won it."

But it was a near thing, this first individual career victory for the rangy, 29-year-old Jones.

He had a 3-shot lead when play started. By the fifth hole, he was behind. He regained the lead, one-putting six consecutive holes, then backed off into a tie for the lead.

"It's very difficult to go out and play with the lead," Tway said. "Sometimes it's much easier to come from behind."

Tway did just that.

Seeking his first victory since beating Greg Norman in the 1986 PGA, Tway came from six strokes back with a 68 and was standing by the 18th green when Jones came to the final hole of regulation play with an 8-foot birdie putt to win it.

He missed that one, finishing the last round with a 2-over-par 74, and the playoff was on, beginning on the 16th. After that was halved in pars, Jones dropped the winner on the 17th, a putt worth $126,000 from the total purse of $700,000.

It also helped ease the memory of a pushed tee shot that cost him the title on the final hole of the 1987 Heritage Classic.

"This will mean a lot for me," Jones said. "This gives me the confidence that comes with winning; it gives me the winners' edge when I get in this situation again."

Norman, trying to overcome a 9-shot last-round deficit, came within one with a 66 that left him one shot out of the playoff at 281.

Former Masters champions Bernhard Langer of West Germany and Craig Stadler, along with Tom Sieckmann and Jim Carter were another stroke back at 282.

Langer moved into the lead on the fifth hole, but bogeyed five of seven beginning on the ninth. He finished with a 73. So did Stadler, who once mocked a bite at his balky putter. Sieckmann had a closing 70, Carter 71.

New stadium for Redskins?

HERNDON, Va. (AP) — A group of northern Virginia developers has put together the first specific proposal for building a new domed stadium for the Washington Redskins, to be located about 30 miles west of the nation's capital.

Jack Kent Cooke, who owns the team that just won the Super Bowl, last fall said he didn't plan to renew his lease with Robert F. Kennedy Stadium in the District of Columbia when it expires in 1990. RFK, the third smallest stadium in the NFL, seats 55,750.

Cooke has expressed a desire to have a new domed stadium built for him with more seating and luxury boxes.

The proposal by the private development group in Loudoun County, Va., calls for building a 75,000-seat all-weather stadium across from Washington Dulles International Airport, according to a report in today's edition of the Washington Times.

The project, estimated to cost $770 million, also would include a luxury hotel, a shopping mall and 500 condominiums. It would be financed by Ultra-Dome Consortium and headed by local developer Robert DeLuca.



AP Laserphoto

Michael Jordan, NBA East, snags loose ball in All-Star game Sunday. Jordan was named the game's MVP.

Olajuwon early NBA All-Star MVP pick

By BILL BARNARD

CHICAGO (AP) — Don't be surprised if the Most Valuable Player in next year's NBA All-Star game in Houston is Akeem Olajuwon.

The Rockets' 7-foot center has every reason to look forward to 1989 because a trend seems to be developing at All-Star weekend:

Pass the ball to the hometown hero and let him carry you to victory.

Michael Jordan of the Chicago Bulls certainly took advantage Sunday of the support of a sellout Chicago Stadium crowd and obliging teammates.

He scored 40 points, second-highest in All-Star history, and hit 17 of 23 shots, leading the East to a 138-133 victory over the West. The MVP performance capped a perfect weekend for Jordan, who also won Saturday's slam-dunk contest in front of another sellout crowd.

"The players were paying me a homecourt tribute," Jordan said. "It was a display of great gratitude from my peers."

"I think most of the guys just tried to get him the ball as much as possible," Philadelphia's Charles Barkley said. "Michael played really well."

"The East guys should be commended for getting the ball to him and trying to get him in the flow early," West guard Magic Johnson said. "He should be commended for putting on a show for his hometown fans."

Actually, the East was just following the example set by Johnson in Seattle, when he continually fed the ball to the SuperSonics' Tom Chambers, who won MVP honors with 34 points.

Olajuwon already appears to be looking ahead to next year.

"It's always fun playing with great players like Magic," Olajuwon said. "You've always got to watch Magic because you never know when he'll pass the ball to you. This game is a lot of fun."

It was a lot of fun for the 18,403 fans in attendance Sunday as Jordan put on an even better show than he did in the slam-dunk contest the day before.

Jordan was especially formidable in the fourth quarter, when he scored 16 points in the final 5:50 to keep the East comfortably ahead. Of

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TED BATTLES

All-Star slate is too crowded



Battles

Three major all-star games within a period of three days should be illegal and if it isn't, TV should make it so.

They do control these things, don't they?

Baseball, on the other hand, has its jewelry display showcased in the middle of summer, all by its lonesome.

It's a game the fans can anticipate, savor, relish and declare, after it's over, a sadistic ritual that should be abandoned for lack of competition.

Then, too, selection to the baseball All-Star game frequently does not inspire cart-wheels from those so blessed, unless he happens to be an Oil Can Boyd. Many of the super stars exude the "I'd just as soon have the three days off" aura.

IT MAY be big in the north, but except for the hockey buffs in town, the three of us, the NHL glitter game Tuesday night is ignored in this part of the country.

The Pro Bowl is in Hawaii, but even that doesn't help matters. The reaction of both fans and players is "What? Another football game."

Actually, it's unfortunate. It's usually...always...a better game than the one that precedes it.

With the Pro Bowl, it's not so much how-you-play-the-game, but whether or not you get picked. It's something special, because it's not only a status symbol displaying respect and praise from peers, but selection usually brings worthwhile recognition from that clause in the contract.

Still, the Pro Bowl generates a hohum attitude, "When's the draft?" reaction.

BESIDES, the NHL and NFL star gatherings are overwhelmed by the NBA hoopla, where players seem genuinely elated, honored and appreciative of the privilege of playing in this dream game.

In fact, with the dilution of the regular season races to the point of exhibition status, the NBA All-Star game not only is a high point for fans, but the gifted athletes as well.

Until the playoffs get down to the cut-throat stage, there's no window its equal.

This is the opportunity to kick over the traces of disciplined team structure and let the hair down. They play as though everybody is having fun.

IN BASEBALL'S all-star game, everyone is acutely aware of the National League's oppressive domination.

In the NBA, the players' talent is so much the show, does any one really keep track of the team rivalry?

Sunday, the West seemed to have more Show-Time style players. What it didn't have was Michael Jordan.

With the addition of Shootouts and Slam Dunks and the Legends game, the mid-winter break has assumed extravaganza proportions.

The Shootout is something that is decided by putting the ball through the hole. There's really not much room for debate.

The Slam-Dunk is something else. Even the Mrs. thought that Dominque Wilkins was the winner this year. Michael Jordan missed a shot and still beat out the Hawk, who had registered two straight 50s.

Of course, Wilkins won. Jordan's victory was strictly a case of Chicago Stadium intimidation.

You'd think that they could have rounded up some impartial judges, impeccable in their integrity and fearless in their judgement. But, no, the judges were no better than the officials who work the regular season games.

Like the officials, rather than call them like they are, the judges were more concerned with walking out of Chicago Stadium to judge another day.

Not only that, I think I detected Michael walking.

(Ted Battles is sports editor of the MRT)

SportsScan

TV Sports....

BASKETBALL- Connecticut-Providence, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.
Wisconsin-Minnesota, 8:30 p.m., ESPN.
Tuesday
HOCKEY- NHL All-Star game, 7 p.m., ESPN.
BASKETBALL- Jazz-Mavericks, 7:05 p.m., TBS.

Sports Today...

BASKETBALL— NMJC-Midland College, 7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center.

Did You Know?

Four men have played on back-to-back NCAA and NBA championship teams. Their names: Bill Russell, Magic Johnson, Henry Bibby and Billy Thompson.

Trivia Teaser...

Monday's Question- If you're pro basketball roots are deep, you'll remember Bob Davies and Bobby Wanzer formed one of the best guard combinations of all time, but what team did they play for?

Sunday's Answer- Rice Stadium is home digings for Rice University and also the University of Utah.

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Quotebook....

Pepper Rodgers' insistence request, "Rodgers was a terrific recruiter, but everyone is a good coaching."

Coach says 17-1 BYU's 1st defeat a blessing

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — Coach Ladell Andersen talked to his third-ranked Brigham Young basketball team about the prospect of jumping to No. 1 before the Cougars lost their first game of the season to unranked Alabama-Birmingham.

Afterward Andersen surmised the defeat probably was a blessing for the Cougars, now 17-1.

"We talked about the No. 1 possibility before the game," Andersen said of the discussion with his squad Saturday before the 102-83 loss to the Blazers, 13-10. "But it would have taken a great effort by any team in the country to beat UAB on its home court tonight. We didn't play well.

"We have to look at the positive. We were the only team in the country with a chance to go undefeated going into tonight's game. We got that off our backs. We're the same club we were two hours ago. I still feel great about this team."

And Andersen said the Cougars are "probably the best team in the country."

"Hey, we could still be No. 1," Andersen said of his Western Athletic Conference team.

Andersen got no argument on that point from UAB Coach Gene Bartow.

"I think they are a great team," Bartow said. "I think they are headed for the Final Four."

Michael Charles and Reginald Turner both scored 24 points and Barry Bearden added 23 as the Blazers of the Sun Belt Conference posted their fourth straight victory.

Brigham Young, the last remaining unbeaten team among the major colleges, probably missed a chance to claim the No. 1 position in this week's poll. The top two teams, Arizona and Nevada-Las Vegas, both suffered losses last week.

UAB, which led 39-37 at halftime, came out strong in the second half and built a 19-point advantage before Brigham Young cut the gap to 82-75 with 4:03 to play.

But Charles scored nine points in the final four minutes as UAB outscored Brigham Young 20-8 the rest of the way for the victory.

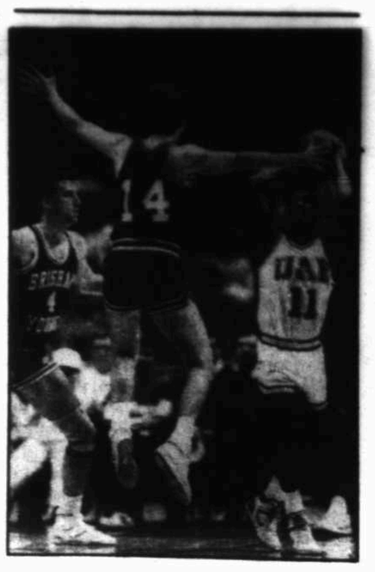
In the second half, Bearden had 18 points, Charles 17 and Dylan Howard 10 for the Blazers. Howard and Larry Rembert both had 12 points in the game, and Rembert grabbed nine rebounds to give UAB a 41-36 advantage on the boards.

BYU, which was ahead only twice in the game, was led by Mike Smith with 21 points and Brian Taylor with 19.

"This is the best basketball game UAB has ever played," Bartow said. "Even though they scored a lot of points on us, our defense held together."

The Cougars only made 28-of-66 shots from the field, 42 percent, after missing two layups in the opening moments.

"Missing two layups was an omen of things to come," Andersen said. "I thought the ball might have been slick because we didn't even draw iron on them. It certainly wasn't a good shooting effort from a good shooting team."



AP Laserphoto

Danny James is cornered by two BYU defenders as UAB knocked off the nation's No. 3 team Saturday.



AP Laserphoto

Boston Bruin Geoff Courtnall goes head first to ice, but flips puck past New Jersey goalie Alain Chevrier in NHL Sunday.

Whalers win one for new coach Larry Pleau

Associated Press

Larry Pleau has come full circle with the Hartford Whalers.

"Larry took the brunt of the criticism a few years ago here when we didn't win too many games and it's nice to see him get another chance," captain Ron Francis said after scoring two goals Sunday night as the Whalers beat the Toronto Maple Leafs 4-2 in Pleau's return as Hartford's coach.

Pleau, who coached the Whalers for 118 games in the early 1980s, took over the team Sunday when Jack Evans was fired. Pleau had coached Hartford's American Hockey League affiliate in Binghamton, N.Y., since 1984-85.

Last season, Evans guided the Whalers to the Adams Division championship. They are currently in fourth place at 23-25-7.

Carey Wilson also scored twice for host Hartford, which ended a four-game losing streak.

In other games, the New York Rangers beat Pittsburgh 6-3, Boston defeated New Jersey 6-3, Chicago and Quebec tied 5-5 and Calgary downed Los Angeles 5-2.

Earlier Sunday, the Maple Leafs fired general manager Gerry McNamara and did not name a replacement. Toronto's loss made it 1-15-6 since Dec. 23.

Rangers 6, Penguins 3

Marcel Dionne scored his 717th career goal, tying for second place on the NHL's all-time list, as New York beat Pittsburgh for the first time in six games this season.

New York is 5-1-1 in its last seven games. The loss ended the visiting Penguins' four-game winning streak.

Blackhawks 5, Nordiques 5

Bob Murray scored with 2:12 left in the third period, lifting Chicago into a tie at Quebec.

Bruins 6, Devils 3

Reed Larson's 85-foot slapshot highlighted a four-goal first period that led Boston over New Jersey.

The Bruins won their fourth straight game and became the first team to reach the All-Star break with 33 victories.

Flames 5, Kings 2

Joey Mullen scored twice and rookie Joe Nieuwendyk set a club scoring record with his 40th goal as the Smythe Division-leading Flames broke a three-game losing streak.

Jordan torches Chi while Barkley burns

CHICAGO (AP) — While Chicago's Michael Jordan was scoring 40 points and winning the Most Valuable Player Award in Sunday's NBA All-Star Game, Charles Barkley was sitting — and he wasn't happy about it.

The Philadelphia 76ers forward said he would prefer to sit out future All-Star games unless he's voted to the starting team.

"It's no fun playing when you're not a starter," he said. "I'm not meant to be a reserve. I don't think I want to play again if I'm not a starter."

Barkley had four points and three rebounds in his 15 minutes of action.

"The weekend was great but the game was a waste of time," Barkley said. "It was a waste of a Sunday."

For one five-minute stretch, the East frontcourt was Barkley, Moses Malone of the Washington Bullets and Cleveland's Brad Daugherty.

After speaking to reporters, Barkley was eager to talke with Gene Siskel, Chicago Tribune and nationally syndicated newspaper and television movie critic.

"I love movies," said Barkley. "I love to talk about movies."

"Well," said Siskel, "next time you're in town, maybe we can get together and see a movie."

Barkley had Siskel write his phone number down and zipped that in his gym bag.

JIM MURRAY

Kim LaHaie— all spunk of Doris Day



Murray

There used to be this scene in MGM movies. The camera would pan in on the legs protruding from underneath a car. It would show blue jeans, maybe white socks, workman's shoes. Then, the figure would wheel out from under the car and it would be someone in a baseball cap, medium height — and something familiar about that smile.

And, then, the hat would fall off, long hair would come tumbling and you would stare — son-of-a-gun! It's Loretta Young!

Or, you would be going up in this gilt elevator in the offices of this rich and powerful tycoon. Everybody tiptoed around carefully and talked in whispers and looked scared for their jobs so you knew that this boss was tee-oh-you-gee-aitch. And then you went in the boss' inner sanctum — and there behind the desk stood the boss, Rosalind Russell!

IT WAS surefire romantic comedy. Jennifer Jones as a plumber. Doris Day as a telephone lineman. Betty Hutton whipping a mule train.

If you saw any of these early-day emancipated women flicks, you would be ready to walk into the pits at the Winternationals drag races at Pomona and think you had stumbled on a remake. There, looking for all the world like Doris Day with a dab of grease on her nose and a lug wrench in her hand would be Kim LaHaie.

Now, Kim LaHaie doesn't look like any grease monkey you've ever seen. Kim LaHaie looks as if she got lost on her way to modeling school. Not even if you found her underneath a car would you mistake her for anything but a woman. Kim LaHaie could make Farrah Fawcett want to get her boyfriend home early.

So, what's she doing with a wrench in her hand? Why isn't she out lying on a yacht instead of across an engine?

Is it a gimmick? Well, look at it this way: She's a drag strip crew chief, and her driver won the national drag racing championship last year. He won five national events, he set the national record (5.17 seconds), he set elapsed time records at five national events and speed records at two, and he set a world (FIA) record for elapsed time and speed. A.J. Foyt should have that kind of year.

HER DRIVER is also her father. But, when you get these kinds of performances out of a drag racer in today's fiercely competitive conditions, you expect the chief mechanic to be some cigar-chewing, wire-bearded lug with a wrench who looks as if he were born under a car or with pliers for hands, and, if a woman such as Kim were in his pit, she would be on a calendar.

Kim looks as if she should be sitting helplessly in the front seat of a $50,000 Cad saying: "Tell me again what the big pedal is for?" Instead, if you saw her standing beside the engine of an 18-wheel semi with the cabin lifted and you stopped to help, Kim would tell you to shove off, "It's only a fuel pump."

The LaHaie family is drag racing's royalty this year. It would not only make a great plot for a Doris Day remake, but it should please Gloria Steinem.

A fuel dragster is probably as complicated a piece of machinery as there is on a track today.

First of all, the engine is encased in this spindly chassis which makes it look like an automotive praying mantis or something you just took the roller skate wheels off. It gulps fuel like a rocket, 35 gallons a minute, at $35 a gallon, and, if you're not careful, everything melts, including, sometimes, the driver.

It's Kim's job to keep this thing from trying to hedge-hop or get airborne as it tools down the runway at speeds in excess of 280 m.p.h. It has to be stopped by parachute, otherwise it would be past two state lines before the brakes could work.

It's dangerous. Kim's dad, driver Dick LaHaie, had his hand torn off at the wrist in Gainesville, Ga., in 1975, and it had to be reattached.

Nonetheless, Kim wants to be more than just Miss Goodwrench in the drag racing scene. She wants to be a driver, too. Like Shirley Muldowney, her heart is a wheel, too.

KIM LAHAIE was only 14 years old when she was entering cross-country motorbike races.

Other girls were spinning records, she was spinning spokes, other girls in Michigan were going to dances with the boys, she was going to motocrosses and not with the boys, against them.

She came to California after high school but not to get into movies, to get into a water truck. She drove an old beat-up 1952 model on construction sites, and it broke down so often, she spent more time in the engine than in the cab.

She decided if she was going to keep engines running, it might as well be on her father's dragsters as on water wagons.

"I called her one time in California and she says, 'Have you ever fixed a universal joint on a truck?' " Dick LaHaie recalls. "Another time she called me, she wanted to rebuild the carburetor on her Camaro. I told her by phone, and she did it in 20 minutes."

When Kim first came back to the family racing team, many people thought it would be to sell T-shirts and pack the lunches.

But Kim, like her father, could never be around an internal combustion engine very long without yearning to improve it. "Kim would want to modify the family vacuum cleaner," admits her proud father, and it wasn't long before she was in grease up to the elbow, trying to bring a little creative engineering to the family business.

It's a script they can always sell to the movies. Kim would be the biggest breath of fresh air there since "A Touch of Mink."

(Jim Murray is a syndicated columnist of the LA Times)

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American South Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Lamar	4	1	.800	14	6	.700
New Orleans	4	1	.800	15	7	.682
Louisiana Tch	2	3	.400	12	7	.632
Pan American	2	3	.400	12	8	.600
Arkansas St.	2	4	.333	14	10	.583
SW Louisiana	2	4	.333	11	10	.524

Association of Mid-Continent Universities

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Cleveland St.	6	1	.857	15	4	.789
SW Missor St.	6	1	.857	16	5	.762
Wis.-Green By	5	2	.714	14	6	.700
W. Illinois	3	4	.429	11	7	.611
N. Iowa	3	5	.375	9	11	.450
Ill.-Chicago	3	5	.375	6	15	.286
Valparaiso	2	5	.286	10	10	.500
E. Illinois	1	6	.143	10	10	.500

Atlantic Coast Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
North Carolina	5	2	.714	16	3	.842
Duke	5	2	.714	15	3	.833
N.C. State	5	2	.714	14	4	.778
Virginia	4	3	.571	12	10	.545
Maryland	3	3	.500	12	6	.667
Georgia Tech	2	4	.333	15	6	.714
Wake Forest	2	5	.286	8	11	.421
Clemson	1	6	.143	11	9	.550

Atlantic 10 Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Temple	12	0	1.000	18	1	.947
West Virginia	10	0	1.000	15	5	.750
Rhode Island	8	2	.800	18	3	.857
St. Joseph's	7	6	.538	11	10	.524
Penn St.	5	5	.500	9	9	.500
St. Bonaventur	5	6	.455	11	9	.550
Massachusetts	4	9	.308	9	11	.450
Geo. Washngtn	3	8	.273	9	11	.450
Duquesne	1	8	.111	5	16	.238
Rutgers	0	11	.000	3	16	.158

Big East Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Pittsburgh	6	1	.857	16	2	.889
Villanova	8	3	.727	16	6	.727
Syracuse	6	3	.667	17	5	.773
St. John's	5	4	.556	14	5	.737
Georgetown	4	5	.444	14	6	.700
Seton Hall	4	6	.400	15	9	.625
Providence	3	6	.333	9	11	.450
Connecticut	3	7	.300	11	8	.579
Boston College	3	7	.300	12	9	.571

Big Eight Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Kansas St	6	0	1.000	14	4	.778
Oklahoma	6	1	.857	20	2	.909
Missouri	3	3	.500	13	5	.722
Oklahoma St	3	3	.500	12	8	.600
Nebraska	3	3	.500	12	10	.545
Kansas	2	4	.333	13	8	.619
Iowa St	2	5	.286	16	7	.696
Colorado	0	6	.000	4	15	.211

Big Sky Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Idaho	7	1	.875	15	6	.714
Boise St	8	2	.800	17	3	.850
Montana St	6	4	.600	13	8	.619
Montana	5	5	.500	15	6	.714
Nevada-Reno	4	4	.500	11	8	.579
Idaho St	3	5	.375	9	9	.500
Weber St	3	7	.300	5	16	.238
E. Washington	2	6	.250	6	13	.316
N. Arizona	2	6	.250	5	14	.263

Big South Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Radford	5	1	.833	11	9	.550
Coast Carolina	4	2	.667	11	8	.579
Baptist Coll	4	3	.571	12	8	.600
N.C.-Asheville	3	3	.500	10	9	.526
Winthrop	3	4	.429	11	10	.524
Campbell	2	4	.333	10	9	.526
Augusta	2	6	.250	5	14	.263

Big Ten Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Purdue	7	1	.875	18	2	.900
Michigan	7	1	.875	18	3	.857
Iowa	6	3	.667	16	6	.727
Indiana	5	4	.556	13	6	.684
Ohio St	5	4	.556	12	7	.632
Illinois	4	5	.444	14	8	.636
Wisconsin	3	5	.375	9	9	.500
Michigan St	3	6	.333	8	11	.421
Northwestern	2	7	.222	7	12	.368
Minnesota	1	7	.125	7	11	.389

Colonial Athletic Association

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Richmond	6	2	.750	16	4	.800
George Mason	6	2	.750	14	6	.700
N.C.-Wilmngtn	6	2	.750	11	9	.550
American U	4	4	.500	8	12	.400
Navy	3	5	.375	7	12	.368
Willm & Mry	3	5	.375	7	14	.333
James Madisn	2	6	.250	6	13	.316
East Carolina	2	6	.250	6	14	.300

East Coast Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Lafayette	5	1	.833	12	7	.632
Drexel	6	2	.750	15	5	.750
Delaware	5	3	.625	15	6	.714
Lehigh	5	3	.625	15	6	.714
Rider	4	4	.500	6	14	.300
Bucknell	2	5	.286	11	9	.550
Towson St	2	5	.286	10	10	.500
Hofstra	0	6	.000	4	14	.222

ECAC Metro Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Mariat	8	1	.889	12	7	.632
F. Dickinson	7	1	.875	15	4	.789
Monmoth, N.J.	6	3	.667	10	10	.500
Long Island U.	5	5	.500	10	10	.500
St. Francs, NY	4	5	.444	9	10	.474
Robert Morris	4	5	.444	8	10	.444
Loyola, Md.	4	6	.400	6	16	.273
Wagner	2	7	.222	7	11	.389
St. Francis, P.	1	8	.111	3	16	.158

ECAC North Atlantic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Siena	9	1	.900	15	3	.833
Boston U.	8	2	.800	14	5	.737
Northeastern	7	3	.700	11	8	.579
Niagara	7	3	.700	8	10	.444
Hartford	5	5	.500	7	13	.350
Maine	4	6	.400	7	12	.368
Colgate	3	6	.333	4	14	.222
Canisius	3	7	.300	3	14	.176
Vermont	2	8	.200	3	15	.167
New Hampshir	1	8	.111	1	16	.059

Ivy League

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Dartmouth	6	0	1.000	14	4	.778
Cornell	5	1	.833	11	7	.611
Princeton	3	1	.750	11	5	.688
Penn	3	1	.750	5	10	.333
Harvard	3	3	.500	8	10	.444
Yale	2	4	.333	6	12	.333
Brown	0	6	.000	4	14	.222
Columbia	0	6	.000	3	14	.176

Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
St. Peter's	8	0	1.000	16	4	.800
La Salle	8	0	1.000	15	9	.625
Holy Cross	5	3	.625	9	11	.450
Fordham	5	4	.556	12	10	.545
Iona	4	5	.444	10	10	.500
Fairfield	3	6	.333	6	14	.300
Army	1	8	.111	6	15	.286
Manhattan	0	8	.000	6	17	.261

Metro Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
South Carolina	4	2	.667	14	5	.737
Florida St.	4	2	.667	14	6	.700
Southern Miss	4	3	.571	15	4	.789
Virginia Tech	4	3	.571	15	6	.714
Louisville	3	3	.500	13	8	.619
Memphis St.	2	4	.333	12	8	.600
Cincinnati	1	5	.167	8	10	.444

Mid-American Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
E. Michigan	8	1	.889	14	6	.700
Cent. Michign	7	2	.778	13	8	.619
W. Michigan	5	4	.556	9	9	.500
Kent St.	5	4	.556	9	11	.450
Ohio U.	4	4	.500	9	10	.474
Ball St.	4	5	.444	9	10	.474
Toledo	3	6	.333	12	7	.632
Bowling Green	2	7	.222	7	13	.350
Miami, Ohio	2	7	.222	4	15	.211

Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
N. Caro A&T	9	0	1.000	16	2	.889
S. Carolina St.	7	3	.700	11	8	.579
Florida A&M	8	4	.667	14	6	.700
Coppin St.	5	3	.625	9	10	.474
Howard U.	4	3	.571	10	8	.556
Morgan St.	4	5	.444	10	13	.435
Bethune-Ckmn	4	9	.308	4	18	.182
Md.-E. Shore	3	8	.273	5	14	.263
Delaware St.	1	10	.091	2	19	.095

Missouri Valley Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Wichita St.	6	2	.750	13	7	.650
Bradley	5	2	.714	14	3	.824
Creighton	5	2	.714	13	8	.619
Illinois St.	4	3	.571	10	9	.526
Drake	4	4	.500	13	8	.619
S. Illinois	3	5	.375	8	12	.400
Tulsa	2	5	.286	6	14	.300
Indiana St.	1	7	.125	5	16	.238

Ohio Valley Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Austin Peay	6	1	.857	11	8	.579
Murray St.	6	1	.857	11	8	.579
E. Kentucky	7	2	.778	13	7	.650
Middle Tenn.	5	2	.714	14	7	.667
Tennessee Tch	2	4	.333	9	10	.474
Youngstwn St.	2	5	.286	7	13	.350
Tennessee St.	2	6	.250	9	10	.474
Morehead St.	0	9	.000	4	15	.211

Pacific-10 Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Arizona	9	1	.900	20	2	.909
Stanford	7	4	.636	15	7	.682
UCLA	6	4	.600	10	10	.500
Oregon St.	5	4	.556	11	7	.611
Arizona St.	6	5	.545	13	8	.619
Oregon	5	5	.500	10	9	.526
Washington St.	5	5	.500	9	9	.500
California	3	7	.300	6	12	.333
Southern Cal	3	8	.273	5	15	.250
Washington	2	8	.200	6	13	.316

PCAA

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Nev.-Las Vegs	9	2	.818	20	2	.909
Utah St.	9	2	.818	14	6	.700
Cal-Santa Brb	8	3	.727	16	4	.800
Long Bech St.	7	4	.636	13	7	.650
Cal-Irvine	6	5	.545	11	9	.550
New Mexic St.	5	6	.455	13	11	.542
San Jose St.	5	6	.455	10	10	.500
Fresno St.	3	7	.300	6	13	.316
Fullerton St.	2	9	.182	6	14	.300
Pacific U.	0	10	.000	5	15	.250

Southeastern Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Kentucky	8	3	.727	16	3	.842
Florida	7	3	.700	16	6	.727
Vanderbilt	7	4	.636	14	5	.737
LSU	6	4	.600	11	8	.579
Auburn	5	5	.500	12	7	.632
Tennessee	5	5	.500	12	7	.632
Georgia	5	5	.500	13	9	.591
Mississippi St.	3	7	.300	11	9	.550
Mississippi	3	7	.300	9	10	.474
Alabama	2	8	.200	10	12	.455

Southern Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Marshall	8	1	.889	17	5	.773
Davidson	7	3	.700	13	8	.619
Furman	6	3	.667	12	7	.632
Appalachin St.	5	3	.625	13	7	.650
Tn.-Chattanoog	5	4	.556	14	8	.636
E. Tenn. St.	5	5	.500	8	10	.444
VMI	4	6	.400	8	12	.400
W. Carolina	1	8	.111	7	13	.350
Citadel	0	8	.000	3	15	.167

Southland Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
NE Louisiana	6	1	.857	15	4	.789
NW Louisiana	5	2	.714	13	6	.684
N. Texas St.	5	2	.714	8	12	.400
Sam Hostn St.	4	3	.571	9	12	.429
SW Texas St.	3	4	.429	5	17	.227
Texas-Arlingtn	2	5	.286	4	15	.211
McNeese St.	2	5	.286	3	14	.176
Stephen Austin	1	6	.143	6	14	.300

Southwest Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Southern Mth	7	2	.778	18	4	.818
Arkansas	7	2	.778	16	4	.800
Texas A&M	5	4	.556	13	10	.565
Texas	5	4	.556	11	10	.524
Houston	4	4	.500	9	9	.500
Baylor	4	5	.444	13	9	.591
Texas Tech	3	5	.375	8	11	.421
Rice	2	6	.250	5	14	.263
Tex. Christian	2	7	.222	8	12	.400

Sun Belt Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
N.C. Charlotte	6	1	.857	14	6	.700
Old Dominion	6	2	.750	14	7	.667
Va. Cmmnwlth	5	3	.625	14	6	.700
Ala.-Birm.	4	3	.571	13	10	.565
South Alabam	4	3	.571	10	9	.526
W. Kentucky	4	4	.500	13	7	.650
South Florida	2	7	.222	4	16	.200
Jacksonville	0	8	.000	5	16	.238

Trans America Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Ark.-Littl Rck	9	2	.818	16	4	.800
Georgia Sthrn	9	2	.818	15	4	.789
Tex-San Anton	7	4	.636	13	7	.650
Mercer	5	5	.500	11	8	.579
Hardin-Smmns	5	6	.455	11	8	.579
Stetson	5	6	.455	10	9	.526
Centenary	5	6	.455	10	10	.500
Georgia St.	4	6	.400	7	11	.389
Samford	3	8	.273	5	13	.278
Houston Bptst	2	9	.182	7	13	.350

West Coast Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Loyola, Calif.	8	0	1.000	18	3	.857
Santa Clara	6	2	.750	15	6	.714
Pepperdine	6	2	.750	14	7	.667
St. Mary's	5	3	.625	13	6	.684
San Francisco	3	5	.375	11	10	.524
Gonzaga	2	6	.250	11	10	.524
San Diego	1	7	.125	9	12	.429
Portland	1	7	.125	6	15	.286

Western Athletic Conference

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Brigham Yong	7	0	1.000	17	1	.944
Utah	5	3	.625	13	7	.650
Wyoming	6	4	.600	17	4	.810
Texas-El Paso	6	4	.600	17	6	.739
New Mexico	5	5	.500	17	8	.680
Colorado St.	3	4	.429	12	7	.632
Air Force	4	6	.400	10	10	.500
San Diego St.	2	6	.250	9	11	.450
Hawaii	1	7	.125	2	17	.105

Independents

	W	L	Pct.
Akron	14	6	.700
DePaul	13	6	.684
Notre Dame	12	6	.667
Wright St.	12	7	.632
Miami, Fla.	13	9	.591

Pebble Beach

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Bernhard Langer, 27,562	72-67-70-73—282	
Craig Stadler, 27,562	68-70-71-73—282	
Jim Carter, 27,562	70-71-70-71—282	
Mark Calcavecchi, 21,700	67-69-75-72—283	
David Canipe, 18,900	70-76-68-70—284	
Mark O'Meara, 18,900	69-63-71-71—284	
Tom Watson, 18,900	68-72-72-72—284	
Bob Glider, 13,300	71-72-74-68—285	
Steve Pate, 13,300	70-74-74-67—285	
Tommy Armr III, 13,300	73-69-71-72—285	
Hale Irwin, 13,300	73-70-69-73—285	
Sandy Lyle, 13,300	74-66-73-73—286	
Dick Mast, 13,300	72-71-68-74—285	
Roy Biancalana, 9,450	76-70-70-70—286	
Dan Pohl, 9,450	69-73-75-69—286	
Andrew Magee, 9,450	75-68-72-71—286	
Willie Wood, 9,450	70-71-73-72—286	
Lanny Wadkins, 6,142	72-71-73-71—287	
Howard Clark, 6,142	70-74-72-71—287	
Rocco Mediate, 6,142	70-73-73-71—287	
Jay Delsing, 6,142	72-70-76-69—287	
Loren Roberts, 6,142	75-72-71-69—287	
Dave Eichelberger, 6,142	75-66-70-74—287	
Paul Azinger, 6,142	72-73-73-69—287	
Ben Crenshaw, 6,142	68-73-72-74—287	
Jim Gallagher, Jr., 4,445	67-73-76-72—288	
D.A.Weibring, 4,445	76-70-69-73—288	
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NHL at a Glance

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	28	20	6	62	186	184
Islanders	26	21	6	58	207	188
Pittsburgh	24	24	9	57	218	224
Washington	24	26	6	54	180	172
NJersey	24	27	5	53	192	216
Rangers	22	26	7	51	211	201

Adams Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Boston	33	19	5	71	217	177
Montreal	30	17	10	70	214	182
Buffalo	26	22	9	59	191	211
Hartford	23	26	7	53	170	180
Quebec	22	27	4	48	188	201

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	27	19	8	62	217	182
StLouis	26	24	5	58	186	183
Chicago	22	29	5	49	197	226
Minnesota	16	32	9	41	174	236
Toronto	15	32	9	39	201	236

Smythe Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Calgary	33	17	6	72	272	211
Edmonton	30	18	7	67	244	190
Winnipeg	23	22	9	56	204	202
LAngeles	20	33	5	45	216	257
Vancver	18	31	7	43	192	213

Sunday's Games

Boston 6, New Jersey 3
New York Rangers 6, Pittsburgh 3
Chicago 5, Quebec 5, tie
Hartford 4, Toronto 2
Calgary 5, Los Angeles 2

Tuesday's Game

All-Star Game at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.

Sunday's NHL Sums

At Boston

New Jersey	1	1	1—3
Boston	4	1	1—6

First Period—1, Boston, Linseman 20 (Courtnall, Byers), 7:54. 2, Boston, Larson 7 (Keane), 11:02. 3, Boston, Neely 30 (Sweeney, Kluzak), 13:47. 4, New Jersey, Muller 28 (MacLean), 16:55. 5, Boston, Burridge 22 (Kasper), 19:36.

Second Period—6, Boston, Kluzak 6 (Bourque, Lehman), 5:26. 7, New Jersey, Shanahan 7 (Cirella, Brickley), 10:32.

Third Period—8, Boston, Neely 31 (Kasper, Thelven), 13:14 (pp). 9, New Jersey, Maley 4 (Shanahan, O'Callahan), 13:52.

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At New York

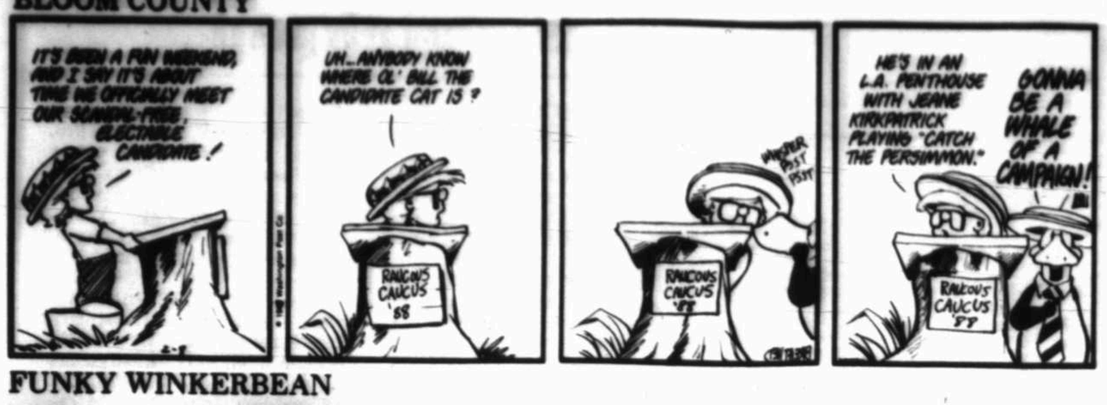
Pittsburgh	1	1	1—3
N.Y. Rangers	4	1	1—6

First Period—1, New York, Cyr 4 (DeB-lois), 1:11. 2, New York, Dionne 24 (Patit, MacIver), 7:33. 3, New York, Poddubny 32 (Dahlen, MacIver), 8:47. 4, New York, Maloney 6 (Poddubny, Patrick), 14:56 (pp). 5, Pittsburgh, Bodger 8 (Lemieux, Quinn), 16:06 (pp).

Second Period—6, New York, MacIver 4 (Sandstrom, Patit), 4:59. 7, Pittsburgh, Conneyworth 26 (Quinn), 7:41 (pp).

Third Period—8, Pittsburgh, Simmer

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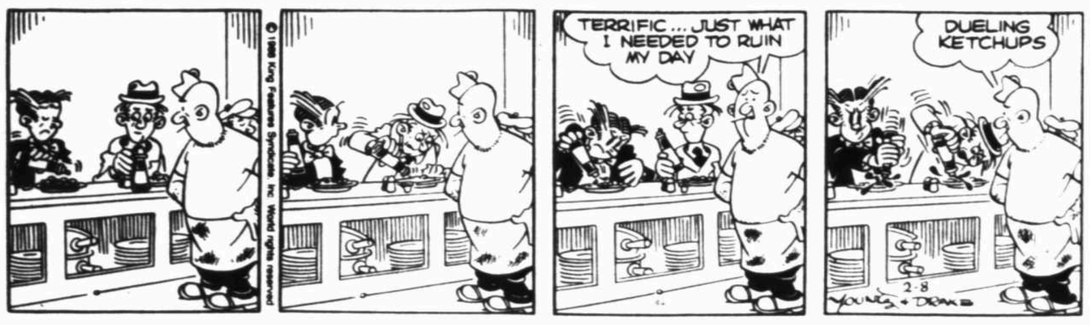
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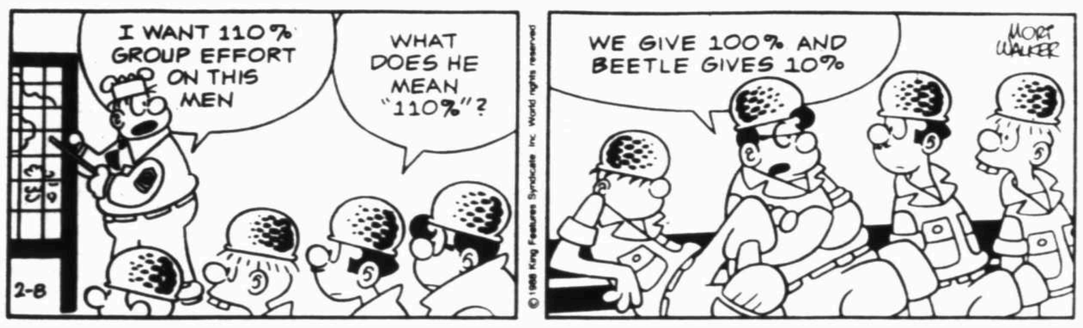
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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You will achieve a new stability. You finally see the light at the end of a financial tunnel! Friends play a larger role in your success than family members. A romantic or business relationship holds greater potential than the two of you realize. Work harder at making a go of it. Preventive medicine is the key to continued good health. Refuse to be deflected from your long-range business and career goals. Loved ones are counting on you to keep your promises!

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Carole King, actresses Kathryn Grayson and actress Mia Farrow, baseball legend Bill Veeck, newscaster Roger Mudd, 9th U.S. President William Henry Harrison, centerfielder Mookie Wilson.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Dedicate this week to getting rid of outdated ideas and procedures. By clearing the decks, you will make yourself more productive. You will be in the right place at the right time!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Look for ways to diversify your income and increase savings. You do not want to come up short in an emergency. Higher-ups are preoccupied. Keep your new ideas to yourself for now.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Use your charisma to advance your career goals. This could be a magical time for you as far as employment is concerned. Good news makes a fine relationship even better. Celebrate tonight.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Hang in there! Do not let the negative aspects of a job get you down. You have a bright future and should aggressively pursue the assignments you want.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) New investment moves may not shake up the market, but they will increase your profits. Taking some small risks could prove very lucky for you. Avoid giving unsolicited advice to friends.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Some business plans may have to be canceled at the last minute. Use the extra time to work on a pet project. Socialize with old friends who have been doing exciting things.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Be careful what you say and do today. Talking about politics or religion could offend someone whose support you need. A friend may suddenly be in a position to help you financially. Be receptive.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Traffic could cause trouble today. Allow extra time to get to important appointments. An attractive newcomer enters the picture. You could be ready to end an old relationship. Be kind but firm.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Make the first move to mend a quarrel. Reflect on your loved ones' good points rather than dwelling on their weaknesses. Group activities are favored this evening.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) An excellent day for decision making. A move to another city is possible. Ponder your options very carefully. You need to be more analytical about your aspirations and desires. Consult with mate.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Empathize with a teenager who seems overburdened with work. Offer suggestions on getting organized. A relative could share some surprising news. New partnerships continue to flourish.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Let others set the pace today. Entertaining an influential associate at home could pay off handsomely. Someone you hope to impress has a sharp eye for details.

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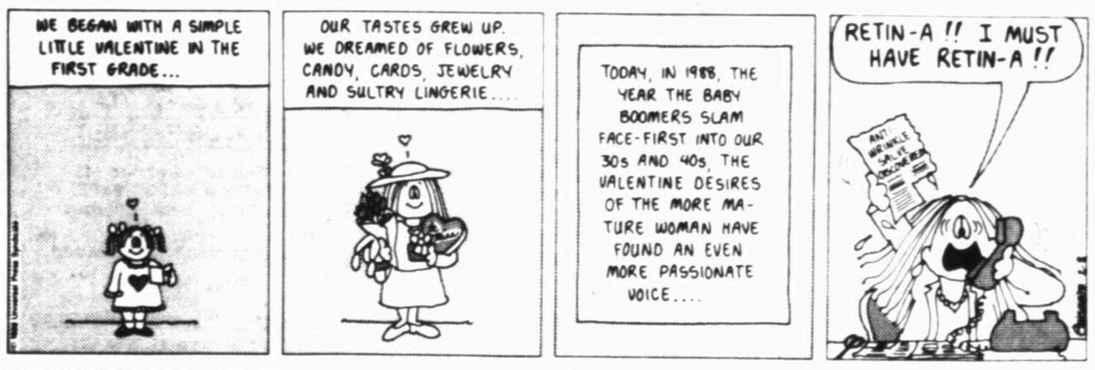
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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKQ652 ♡6 ◇AJ10 ♣AKJ
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
2 ♠	Pass	2 NT	3 ◇
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What action do you take?
A.—East's overcall has given you two bites at the cherry. Since you have already told partner that you have a powerful hand with a long spade suit, now you should seize the opportunity to tell him about your diamond values. Double. Since you are behind the overcaller, this is primarily a penalty double.

Q.2—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKQ652 ♡AJ10 ◇6 ♣AKJ
The bidding has proceeded:

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

What action do you take?
A.—Don't tell the same story twice! You have already told partner about your strength and suit, and you can't quite guarantee game in your own hand, especially if partner is short in spades. Pass, and let partner decide whether to bid on or double.

Q.3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKQJ62 ♡A109 ◇K8 ♣AK
The bidding has proceeded:

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

A.—Since partner knows about your strength and suit, you should tell him about the balanced nature of your hand and your diamond stopper. Bid three no trump. Regardless of the lead, you rate to make nine tricks. And if no trump doesn't suit partner, he is free to correct.

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠72 ♡AKJ73 ◇K95 ♣J42
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—Don't bid two hearts. Even if you play four-card majors, that action would promise a six-card heart suit in this sequence. Show your balanced hand by rebidding one no trump—after all, you almost have a club stopper.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠J42 ♡AKJ73 ◇K95 ♣72
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—In the previous example, you rebid one no trump because you had no better action. Here, you have three-card support for partner's suit headed by a minor honor, and a ruffing value. Raise to two spades. You don't have to have four-card support for this action.

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠9 ♡AKJ1042 ◇AKJ6 ♣72
Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?
A.—You make a jump shift on one of two types of hand: Where you have support for partner's suit; or where your own suit is self-sufficient. That certainly describes your heart holding, and since your hand is strong enough, jump to two hearts. The fact that you hold a good second suit should not deter you from making the value bid.

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THINKG

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below



The application for a foreign language course had a space marked for "mother tongue." One not-so-bright applicant wrote, "——"

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

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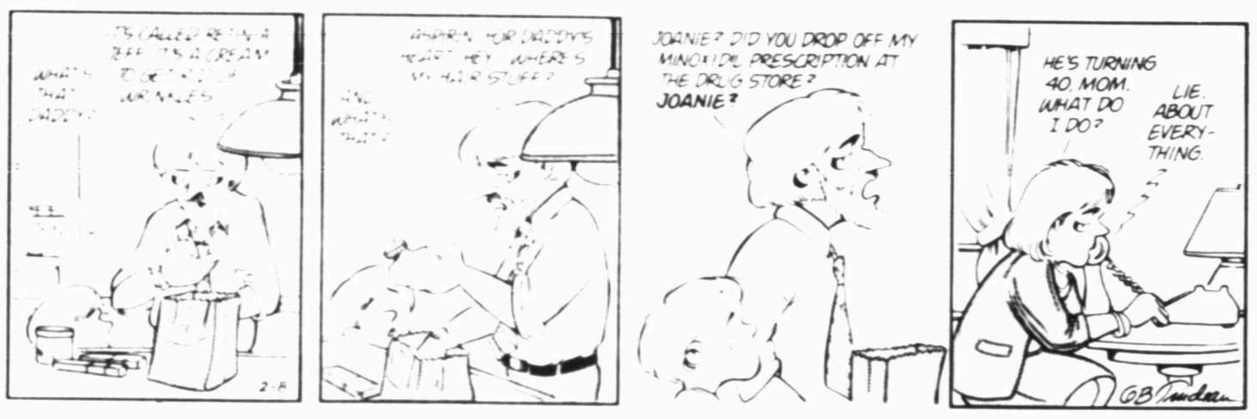
"Relax... every once in a while he drops by to show there's nothing personal when he backs up Mrs. Winslow."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Jeffy! You're letting all the germs get away!"

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Daughter, 20, hopes to keep Presley image alive, respected

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Lisa Marie Presley, the 20-year-old daughter of Elvis Presley, says that while she feels her late father's place in musical history is secure, her primary goal is to keep his image alive and respected.

"It's incredible," she said of his music. "I mean, it's something that will never die...the type of music that will just live forever and always be there. It's the beginning."

In an interview published Sunday in The Commercial Appeal of Memphis, where Presley lived much of his life, Miss Presley said she remembers her father, who died of heart failure in 1977 when she was 9, as "a very powerful person, spiritually."

Miss Presley said that 18 months ago, she began attending meetings of the group that manages the Presley trust she will inherit when she turns 25. She said she wants the image of the king of rock 'n' roll to endure the way he was remembered by those close to him.

The newspaper said Miss Presley and her mother, Priscilla Presley, who was divorced from the singer, refused to discuss Lisa's personal life, such as whether she goes to college.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Having America's first test-tube quintuplets is a blessing to Michele and Raymond L'Esperance, who are giving up their boat, their Cadillac and any thought of free time for the next few years.

"Despite everything, despite the long hours of baby care and the financial hardship, what I see for us is a lot of fun," Mrs. L'Esperance said in an interview in this week's issue of People magazine.

The multiple birth was a risk the suburban Detroit couple accepted when they realized they could not have babies without Mrs. L'Esperance's eggs being fertilized outside the womb. When doctors told her that the procedure was so successful she could have up to seven embryos, the former fashion model said she was delighted.

"To me an embryo is a baby. If God wants me to have it, I'll have it," she said.

The couple, who had three sons from marriages before their May 1986 wedding, said they are selling their luxury possessions to buy a bigger house. Doctors said the babies, born Jan. 11, may leave the hospital next month.

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NEW YORK (AP) — French director Louis Malle, whose movie about the Nazi occupation of his country opens this week, says it is his most personal film statement.

The movie, "Au Revoir les Enfants" ("Good-bye Children"), is an autobiographical recollection of his boyhood friendship with a schoolmate who was led away by the Gestapo to his death.

"This was for me, by far the strongest impression of my childhood, the memory that remains above all the others in vividness," Malle, 55, said in an interview published Sunday in The New York Times.

"When I first started getting involved in films, I didn't want to do this one," he said. "It was too complicated, too personal, too intimate, too difficult. Then as I became more of a filmmaker, it occurred to me that I should deal with it, but I didn't know how. It was a very intense, but very short experience, and how to make a film out of it was very difficult."

Malle lives in New York and Paris with his wife, actress Candice Bergen.

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Iacocca

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Chrysler Corp. Chairman Lee Iacocca says he learned a few things from working with an owl in his latest television commercials.

Iacocca said at a reception for auto dealers Sunday that he realized owls had acute vision but until he made the ads he didn't realize they have sharp hearing and can swivel their heads 180 degrees.

During filming, Iacocca said, he made a sudden noise, the owl turned its head around on its neck to look at him and, "It shattered me."

The series of 15-second spots will run for two weeks during the Winter Olympics starting Saturday. Each of the 16 ads begins with a "who" question, flashes to an owl, who looks into the camera and says "who who" and turns to Iacocca, who says, "Who else?"

Iaccoca was in San Francisco for the 71st Automobile Dealers Association convention, which runs through Tuesday.

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PITTSBURGH (AP) — Alan Fellheimer, a banking executive, always wanted to conduct a symphony, so his wife bought him the chance for his 45th birthday.

"It was the dream of a lifetime, with a packed house," said Fellheimer, chairman and chief executive officer of Equimark Corp., a bank holding company.

For four minutes of glory Sunday night, Fellheimer, in white tie and tails, conducted the Pittsburgh Symphony in John Philip Sousa's "Stars and Stripes Forever" at a pops concert in Heinz Hall.

"It went super. I got a wild ovation, lots of applause," Fellheimer said moments after the performance.

Fellheimer's wife, Judith, a lawyer, bid $5,000 at a Dec. 4 symphony fund-raising auction so her husband could do what he says he has dreamed of since playing the trombone in his high school band.

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BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — Chee Lee Wall, 72, of Kirbyville was crowned Ms. Texas Senior America on Saturday night.

Seventeen contestants, all over the age of 60, competed for the title and the right to represent Texas in the Ms. Senior America pageant in April in Atlantic City, N.J.

Ms. Wall performed a dance skit to "May I Have This Dance" in the talent competition.

Judges also scored contestants in the categories of evening gown, statement of philosophy of life and personal interview.

Jimmie Gray, 82, of Llano was Ms. Congeniality and Mary Fischbach, 67, of Killeen won the overall talent competition with a tap dance to "If They Could See Me Now."

Ms. Gray was first runner-up, Lois Dickey, 67, of Orange, was second and Ms. Fischbach was third.

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DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — The Iowa Beef Queen has survived the latest assault on "farmyard royalty," but delegates to the Iowa Cattlemen's Association did decide to change the name of their women's group to the "Cattlewomen" from the "CowBelles."

The move followed a decision last year by the National Pork Producers Council to end its National Pork Queen contest. The Pork Council also has changed the name of its women's organization from National Porkettes to National Pork Women's Council.

Evening TV Schedule

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5:00	Family Ties	Divorce	News	Jeannie	Crazy Like	Alice	Chispita	Facts Life	SportsLook	Sesame	Fletcher
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Hillbillies	a Fox	Beaver	Noticiero	WKRP	Bill Dance	Street	Myers
6:00	News	News	Jeopardy!	Star Trek	Remington	A. Griffith	La Dama	Cheers	SportsCtr.	Mr. Rogers	Scuba
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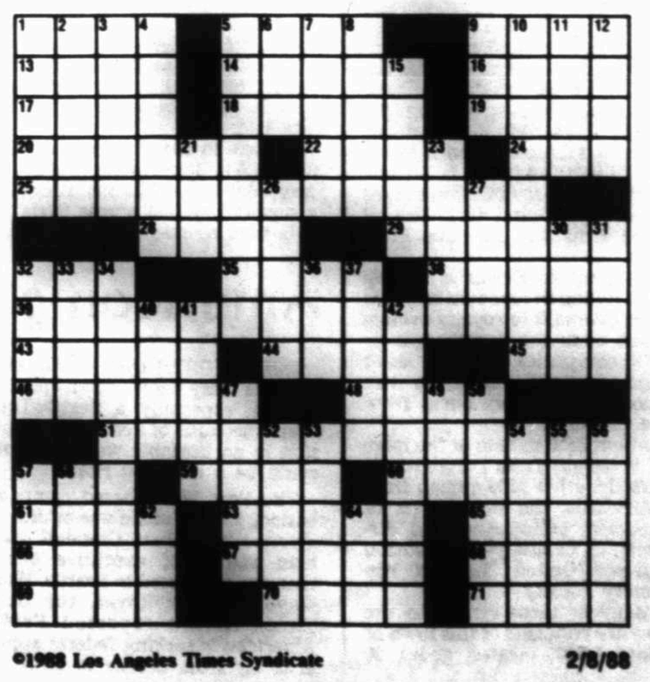
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Fed actions take center stage



Greenspan

WASHINGTON (AP) — The spotlight is on the Federal Reserve this week, with many economists predicting that it will risk rekindling inflation in an attempt to head off an election-year economic slide.

If the Fed does indeed move to boost the faltering U.S. economy by pushing down interest rates, the move will be welcomed by Republican presidential hopefuls as well as by borrowers.

Democrats hope to use sluggish economic growth as evidence of the failure of Republican policies while the Reagan administration is counting on lower interest rates supplied by the Fed to keep the economy humming through Election Day. The Fed is dominated by Reagan appointees.

The risk of that strategy is the possibility of unleashing higher inflation. Before the record collapse of the stock market last October, the Fed actually was tightening credit, concerned that declines in the value of the dollar would make U.S. inflation worse.

But the market crash caused the Fed to switch course and aggressively pump up the money supply in an effort to compensate for the $1 trillion loss of wealth caused by the decline in stock prices.

Many economists believe the central bank has already set in motion further easing moves because of the widespread belief the economy is about to slide into a period of very weak growth.

Top Fed policy-makers who sit on the Federal Open Market Committee will meet behind closed doors on Tuesday and Wednesday to assess economic conditions and set monetary policy for the year.

The results of those deliberations will be revealed when Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan testifies before Congress two weeks from now.

"The Fed is facing the prospect of very weak economic growth in the first quarter of this year. That provides ample reason for easing," said David Jones, an economist with Aubrey G. Lanston & Co., a government securities dealer.

The Fed's about-face since the stock crash is reflected in the course of mortgage rates.

Before Black Monday, fixed-rate mortgages had been climbing steadily, hitting a two-year high of 11.58 percent on Oct. 16.

But with the Fed switching to looser credit, mortgage rates began falling, dropping into single digits last week at 9.84 percent, the lowest level in 10 months.

Other interest rates have declined as well. Major U.S. banks trimmed their prime interest rates to 8.5 percent last week, the lowest this benchmark has been since mid-1986.

Economists say that an easier Fed money policy is not the only reason for the decline in rates. Financial markets also have bid rates down, in part because credit demand is expected to slow along with the economy in the first half of the year.

Economic growth, as measured by the gross national product, raced ahead at a robust annual

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Experts: Volatile gas, flat oil prices continue

DALLAS (AP) — Top energy and banking executives warn that continued reliance on relatively cheap foreign oil could lead to a crisis.

But they reject imposing an oil import fee to prop up the ailing domestic industry.

Such an import fee would be triggered by a floor price, the experts told the Dallas Morning News in a story published Sunday.

"The problem is a floor can become a ceiling," said Stephen Brown, senior economist with the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas.

But an oil import fee probably is a non-issue, since neither the United States government nor the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries would take any action to boost oil prices, the experts said.

The experts expect crude oil prices will stay below $20 per barrel and natural gas prices will continue to move with the seasons.

U.S. consumers are enjoying low oil prices, while OPEC would be hesitant to cut production since its members want to expand their markets and invest in U.S. refining and retail operations, the experts said.

"Obviously their strategy is to be all over the world," said Jim Middleton, president of Arco Oil & Gas Co.

In 1986, OPEC's decision to increase production sent oil prices plunging and rocked producing states, such as Texas.

Jim Newcomb, of Boston-based Cambridge Energy Research Associates, predicts a crisis in the domestic industry once imports of crude oil and petroleum products reach 50 percent. They now represent 42 percent of American consumption.

The executives said the U.S. government can stimulate the ailing domestic oil industry by removing environmental regulations.

They also said volatile natural gas prices would continue as buyers and sellers adjust to seasonal factors and the government's continuation of deregulating markets.

An oversupply that has depressed prices throughout this decade probably won't dry up until the 1990s, they said.

Spot gas prices have jumped this winter, with temperatures nationwide hitting record lows. But these prices will fall as the weather warms, they said.

Such swings will dominate the industry for several years, the experts said.

Eastern preparing for strike

MIAMI (AP) — Financially ailing Eastern Airlines reportedly has been setting aside millions of dollars since November to prepare for an anticipated strike by its machinists.

Management and unions at Eastern are at odds over the airline's demand for a $50 million cut in annual labor costs. The Machinists union is the largest of the three at Eastern.

Training 195 crews of pilots and flight engineers would cost $30 million, according to an internal Eastern document obtained by The Miami News. The company already has that amount set aside, the newspaper reported Saturday.

According to the undated contingency plan, Eastern set aside $20.9 million from November through January. This month management has put aside an additional $9 million, according to the schedule.

In all, Eastern has $48.5 million budgeted through March for training, maintenance, flight operations, in-flight services and security preparations.

Although the document makes no mention of what firm would handle the pilot and engineer training, some or all of the job would probably fall to Orion Air, a Raleigh, N.C.-based cargo carrier.

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AP LaserPhoto

Have a heart

Packaging Corp. of America, which says it is the largest producer of disposable bakeware, estimates that it will ship more than 5 million heart-shaped cake pans this Valentine season. Irma Orosco of the Wheeling, Ill.-based firm's E-Z Pour division, poses among some of the pans.

Exxon asks refund of royalties

HAWKINS, Texas (AP) — Exxon Co. USA says it paid too much money in royalties to people in this small East Texas town, and now it wants some of the money back.

But many townspeople say they don't have the cash, and having to pay Exxon back would ruin them.

"I don't know how we can hold out, because we're fighting a monster, a giant monster," said C.C. Miller, who Exxon says owes the company $1.03 million.

"I guess they figure, 'we're Exxon. What can you do?'" he said.

The oil giant is seeking the money to recoup some of the losses it suffered when it lost a $2.1 billion judgment in federal court over crude oil overcharges between 1975 and 1981. The oil came from the Hawkins Field here.

As a result, Exxon is seeking $600 million in revenues it claims were overpaid to royalty owners based upon the overcharges.

Oil companies pay royalties to land owners based on the amount of oil they pump from the property.

About $450 million of the money is sought from corporations, with the other $150 million from individuals, the Boy Scouts of America, colleges, school districts, a cemetery association and the United Christian Missionary Society.

Many of those caught in the case are residents of this town of about 1,300, located about 20

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Global pipeline construction slower

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Iraqi oil shipments may be able to avoid the turbulent Persian Gulf beginning next year, with completion of a massive pipeline project to the Red Sea, the editor of a petroleum industry magazine said Friday.

Worldwide, construction of crude oil, natural gas and products pipelines will decline this year compared with 1987, according to Oil & Gas Journal editor Gene Kinney.

The weekly publication reports in an article for its Feb. 8 edition that most of the 9,300 miles of pipe expected to be built outside communist bloc countries in 1988 will carry natural gas.

But Kinney said a crude oil pipeline being built by Iraq will allow that country to reduce its reliance on shipments through the Persian Gulf, where oil-carrying ships have been primary targets in the ongoing Iraq-Iran war.

More than 450 ships have been attacked by both sides since the Iran-Iraq war began in September 1980.

Iraq has let a $1.5 billion contract for construction of the second and final phase of its pipeline to the Red Sea through Saudi Arabia, Kinney said.

The 602-mile section of the pipeline from Iraq to the export terminal complex at Yanvu on Saudi Arabia's Red Sea coast is due for completion by mid-1989, Kinney said.

The 48- to 56-inch pipeline will have the capacity to move 1.6 million barrels of crude oil a day, about half of Iraq's export production, Kinney said. Iraq already has a pipeline system across Syria to the Mediterranean.

In their seven-year war, Iran and Iraq have targeted each other's tankers and those of other countries carrying crude oil through the Persian Gulf to customers worldwide.

The pipeline to the Red Sea "simply makes less of Iraq's crude oil export subject to interdiction by tanker sinkings in the Persian Gulf," Kinney said.

Iraq already has agreements with Saudi Arabia and Kuwait to lend it oil production as war relief to meet Iraq's export quota under guidelines of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, Kinney said.

Iraq's new pipeline "almost eliminates their reliance on shipments to the Persian Gulf," he said.

Because Iran currently has no alternative to using the Persian Gulf for its oil exports, "this obviously strengthens Iraq's hand," Kinney said.

He said there is no indication Iran is moving forward with a proposal to convert a natural gas pipeline to the Soviet Union to crude oil.

The Tulsa-based magazine estimated that only about two-thirds of the 16,000 miles of pipeline planned for construction worldwide last year was built.

The slump in exploration and development activity resulting from the collapse in crude prices is a key factor in the decline of pipeline construction activity in most regions, the Journal said.

Cost of pipeline construction in 1988 is estimated at $6.6 billion, while work on the drawing board for beyond 1988 should total about 28,000 miles of pipe at a cost of almost $20 billion, the magazine said.

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American growth plans face turbulence

FORT WORTH (AP) — American Airlines may slow down planned growth, especially a Seattle-Tokyo route, because of fears that expansion in an unstable world economy could be a financial risk.

The Fort Worth-based company's outlook for its future was outlined in a letter by Robert Crandall, chairman and chief executive officer, that was addressed to Seattle, Wash., Mayor Charles Royer, the Dallas Times Herald reported Friday. American is seeking federal approval to fly from Seattle to Tokyo.

The letter explains its plans for growth may be curtailed because of uncertainties related to the world's economic climate, delayed jet deliveries and the high cost of expansion.

"There is, as you know, great uncertainty, and we are not prepared to risk our corporate financial stability, even for an issue as important as this," Crandall said in the Jan. 14 letter. "Thus, we feel we must proceed with caution until we see some better economic signs that we have not yet seen."

Although he repeated throughout the letter that he is committed to seeking the Seattle-Tacoma to Tokyo route, Crandall outlined problems American may face in making the Seattle airport a major hub or gateway to the Pacific.

American also plans to use Seattle to fly to Hong Kong, Taipei and Seoul.

The letter said the carrier may delay original plans to fly four specific trans-Pacific flights from Seattle.

Lowell Duncan, spokesman for American, said the carrier is likely to receive only 36 of the 42 McDonnell Douglas Super 80s scheduled for delivery this year because of labor problems at the aerospace company.

American projected a growth rate of 18 percent, but will have a growth rate of closer to 14 percent during 1988, Duncan said.

Duncan also said American's growth plan "is absolutely not in jeopardy."

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

'Dull' trading drives dollar higher

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil prices edged modestly higher in lackluster trading Friday.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, contracts for March delivery of West Texas Intermediate, closed at $17.28 per barrel, up 14 cents from Thursday.

Among refined products, wholesale unleaded gasoline rose 0.38 cent a gallon to 47.21 cents, and wholesale home-heating oil rose 0.68 cent a gallon to 48.98 cents.

Jayne Ball, an oil broker with the investment firm Dean Witter Reynolds Inc., said the session was characterized by "an absence of activity" that continued to hold prices near recent levels.

"There's a stalemate between OPEC pulling in production and the buyers saying, 'Hey, I don't need to buy right now. I can work down my inventories,'" she said.

What gains there were resulted mainly from technical factors, she said.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Morning Quote $17.50
- Friday's Close $17.30
- Previous Close $17.15
- One Year Ago $18.45

W.T. SOUR

- Friday's Close $15.95-16.00
- Previous Close $15.85
- One Year Ago $17.92

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week $16.50
- Previous Week $16.50
- One Year Ago $17.50

Dollar higher in thin trading

LONDON (AP) — The dollar rose in thin European trading this morning and dealers said it could climb higher before the release of new U.S. trade figures on Friday.

Gold prices also rose in quiet trading.

Dealers said the pro-dollar market sentiment was boosted by the dollar's brealomg through the psychologically important level of 1.70 West German marks on Friday.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose 0.75 yen to a closing 129.30 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted fractionally lower at 129.20 yen.

Other dollar rates at mid-morning, compared with late Friday's rates:

— 1.7040 West German marks, up from 1.6940

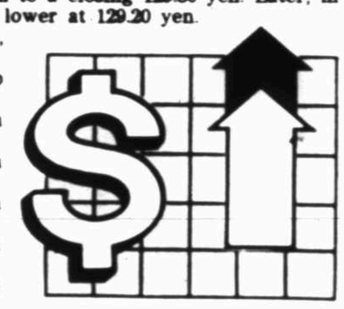
— 1.3942 Swiss francs, up from 1.3875

— 5.7500 French francs, up from 5.7185

— 1.91265 Dutch guilders, up from 1.9030

— 1,252.50 Italian lire, up from 1,245.625

— 1.26855 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2665



In London, the dollar rose against the British pound. It cost $1.7493 to buy one pound, cheaper than Friday's $1.7595.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $438.60 a troy ounce, down from late Friday's $439.00, but it rose afterwards and at midmorning the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $443.05.

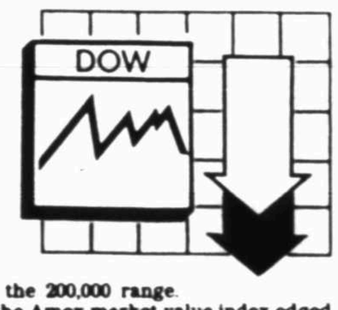
In Zurich, the bid price was $443.30, up from $441.50 late Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold rose 26 cents to close at a bid of $443.13, compared to Saturday's $442.87.

Silver was quoted in London today at a bid price of $6.34 a troy ounce, up from Friday's $6.32.

Late selling shaves 13 points off Dow

NEW YORK (NYT) — Stock prices remained listless most of Friday, before late selling pushed the the Dow Jones industrial average down 13.09 points to close at 1,910.48. Over all, the market ended mixed.



For the week, the Dow dropped 47.74 points.

Dealers said that investors were encouraged early in the day by a strong bond market, where prices rose on news of a lower-than-expected increase in January non-farm payroll jobs. Those jobs rose by 107,000 in the month; most estimates had been in the 200,000 range.

On the American Stock Exchange, the Amex market value index edged up 0.27, to 270.11, while in over-the-counter trading the Nasdaq composite index added 1.09 to close at 345.75.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Consumer debt total swells $4.45 billion

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans took out $4.45 billion more in debt than they paid off in December, the biggest monthly increase in three months, the government reported.

The Federal Reserve said Friday consumer debt grew at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 8.8 percent in December, following an increase of $2.63 billion in November, which translated into a 5.2 percent annual rate.

The December increase was the biggest advance since debt rose by $6.43 billion in September.

Mortgage rate dips below 10 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fixed-rate home mortgages have fallen below 10 percent for the first time since last April, according to a nationwide survey of rates.

The Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. said Friday its nationwide average for 30-year, conventional fixed-rate mortgages declined to 9.94 percent from 10.16 percent last week. It was the lowest level for this rate since April 10, when rates were at 9.43 percent.

Reagan signs scaled back housing law

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan signed a $30.6 billion housing bill and said it will help needy Americans and young families. Critics charged the new law, the first major housing legislation of the Reagan years, falls far short of meeting the need.

The two-year measure, signed Friday, cleared Congress in December after the administration won changes scaling down funds for housing poor people displaced by federally funded development projects and for a controversial home-ownership program for moderate-income families.

Greene: Antitrust decrees under attack

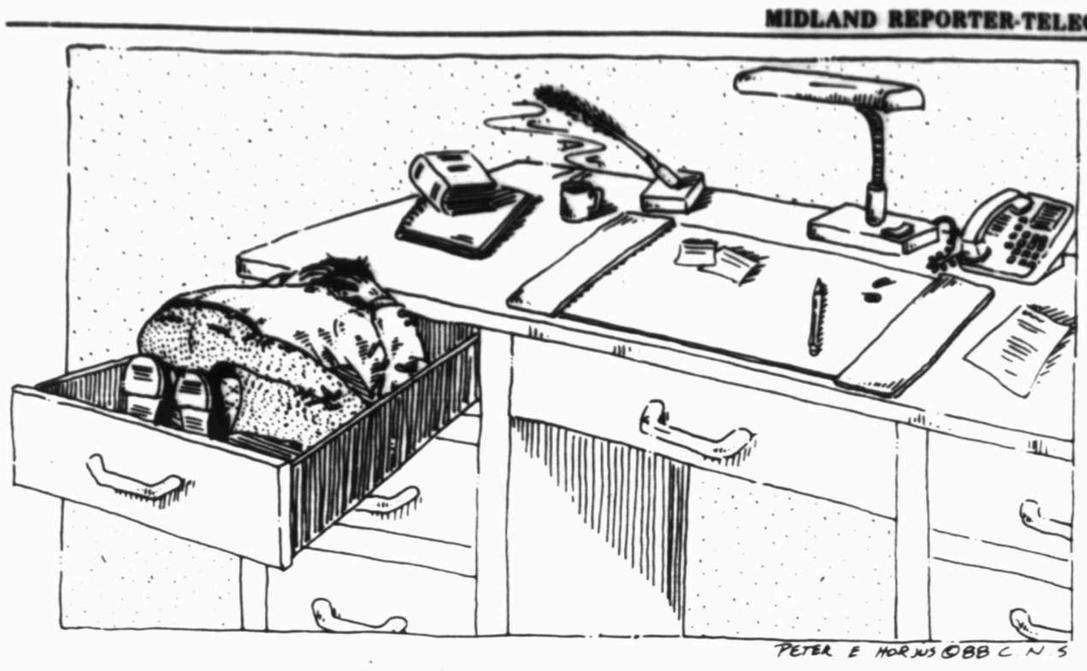
WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal judge who has overseen the breakup of AT&T said lifting antitrust restrictions on the regional Bell telephone companies now would harm consumers and put many small companies out of business.

U.S. District Judge Harold H. Greene, whose decisions have shaped the U.S. telecommunications industry in the wake of the AT&T divestiture, on Friday said Reagan administration efforts to take enforcement of the consent decree out of his court were "back door" attacks on the nation's antitrust laws.

World Bank near new capital agreement

WASHINGTON (AP) — Agreement is expected soon on a big new infusion of capital that will allow the World Bank to increase its lending to $20 billion a year for more than 100 poor countries, bank officials said.

The officials, who asked not to be identified, estimated Friday the U.S. government, the biggest contributor, will be asked to pay about $80 million for the year beginning Oct. 1. Another $80 million would probably be due from the United States in each of the following four years. The last U.S. contribution was stretched out to seven years, with Congress providing the last $40.2 million just before Christmas.



Corporate stress frustrating, costly, manageable, experts say

By SHARON BENOIT
Copley News Service

Corporate stress is not fun. It's costly, contagious, alienating and deceitful. But it is manageable, according to three West Coast stress management experts.

In recent years, according to stress specialist Dr. Jeffrey S. Gero, stress-related problems have cost corporate America between $55 billion and $77 billion annually in medical expenses, absenteeism and loss of productivity. As a result, many corporations are now realizing they need to step in and control the problem, explains Gero, who is the founder of Success Over Stress, a stress management program designed to help corporate executives.

"One way in which smarter corporate leaders deal with stress in their operation is by providing their employees with specialized stress reduction programs," states Gero. This approach has a twofold positive effect: It helps individual employees cope with job-related stress, and it can save the corporation a bundle of money.

For instance, Gero claims, businesses average a $5.50 savings for every $1 spent on stress management. "United Airlines puts its figure at $16 for every dollar they put into employee assistance programs," he says.

The selling of corporate stress management programs has become popular in the 1980s because of the demands created by economic deficits at the corporate level. Fact is, corporations breed stress among executives and support staffs just by the demands put forth on a day-to-day basis. When one adds the strain caused by bottom-line manuveuring, the picture becomes more clear: Stress runs rampant in the halls of even the best-run corporations.

Corporate stress has been known to lead to depression through means of unresolved frustrations, usually caused by the executive's inability to deal with people, according to Dr. Noel Lustig, a psychiatrist specializing in executive therapy.

These frustrations usually begin after a manager toils on a plan and turns it over to subordinates for implementation. "It's not the hard work that the executive finds stressful. It's having to deal with other people to get the job done. Just giving the order doesn't do it," he contends.

The lack of patience, burden of jealousy, anger from co-workers and inability to delegate all contribute to an executive's stress profile, concur Drs. Gero and Lustig. "This lack of teamwork and camaraderie often make life at the top lonely for an executive," they believe.

For many top-level business people, this bag of emotions can result in depression, hypertension, alcohol or drug abuse and other mental handicaps, notes Gero, who adds, "There's a dehumanization going on in the workplace. It's tough when an executive is at work eight to 10 hours a day and no one ever thinks to ask, 'How are you?'"

Dr. Les Forman, stress specialist/director of clinical services at Pasadena Community Hospital, feels this so-called "corporate isolation" can be destructive to managers who don't have anyone to talk to about their problems in the workplace — they can't even talk to their competitors about their feelings.

Forman points out this inability to communicate often creates a crisis because all of the personality skills developed and used by the executive to become successful don't work in intimate situations such as family or marriage.

Forman says high-powered executives also are used to having power and using it in the office. "The problem is what made them successful in the workplace doesn't make them successful in the home ... so their power distances them from the family."

Corporate isolation and family alienation are just two reasons executives find the need to talk to someone — usually a doctor — away from the workplace.

Lustig, who heads up PMG, a professional mental health medical group in California, does not believe that executives wear Type A personalities in business. He contends as long as bright people can move toward success, they're happy.

"It's when this process becomes frustrated that they may become more prone to high blood pressure, heart attacks and other diseases associated with high-level company positions," he says.

All three experts agree there are a number of ways to solve stress problems. But, they say, it requires a considerable effort. Here are just a few tips to keep in mind:
Dr. Gero:

Be aware of your stress and find positive ways to release it (i.e. exercise, hobbies, talking with friends and family).

Remember that stress is not bad: Stress is neutral energy. You can harness it to help you meet your goals instead of having it burn you out.

Lighten up; use your sense of humor.
Dr. Lustig:

Establish a good friendship pattern. Often executives socialize exclusively with business contacts. Get together with friends in a fun, competitive setting (i.e. play golf or tennis).

Establish a good connection with your family. This means setting goals with your spouse. Understand what effect meeting these goals will have on the family. If you and your spouse have different goals, this must be worked out.

Take a three- or four-day vacation each month. Schedule a short time each day to take phone calls and do paperwork. Be realistic. If you're a big wheel, you can't drop off the face of the earth.

Exercise regularly and try some relaxation techniques.
Dr. Forman:

Assess your priorities continually. This is a lifelong process.

Keep your life well-rounded.

Make time for yourself every day.

Intimacy and closeness need to be valued more.

Above all, all three doctors emphasize corporate executives need to make a commitment to their stress management routine. This boils down to a change in attitude and lifestyle — that isn't easy to do. Judging from what these experts are saying, it takes time, effort and desire to succeed. Sounds like something a success-oriented person should know a lot about. Doesn't it?

BUSINESS MIRROR

Consultant Perot gets failing grade

By JOHN CUNNIFF
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In more amiable times, Dallas billionaire Ross Perot and GM chairman Roger Smith shared the dais at the Economic Club of Detroit. Last week, Perot blasted GM management in a Fortune magazine article.

NEW YORK (AP) — After reading Ross Perot's unsoliticted advice on how to turn around General Motors, some business consultants conclude that he should go back to managing his own affairs.

"As an entrepreneur, Perot is in a class by himself, a folk hero, a valuable American asset," says Professor Eugene Jennings, offering his unsolicited commentary on the founder of Electronic Data Systems, which GM bought in 1984.

But, he adds, "as a business consultant, Perot flunks the course."

Jennings, an adviser to top corporate chairmen and a prolific author as well as professor of business management at Michigan State University, consulted by telephone with six other business advisers before flunking Perot.

All seven had just finished reading a Fortune magazine article by Perot in which he offered his plan for making GM a better company, a plan that included a few barbs that earlier had induced GM to separate itself from him.

Their conclusion: Perot's ideas were superficial, covering just one aspect — operations — of running the world's largest manufacturing company, while ignoring more vital considerations as marketing and capital stragegy.

A major thrust of Perot's plan, said Jennings, would involve GM Chairman Roger Smith so deeply in day to day operations that within two years Smith would have even more troubles than he has now.

"Bankers, market makers, institutional investors, individual shareholders and the business press would maintain he had abdicated his responsibility for designing the overall mission and strategic plan of the enterprise," he said.

Jennings says his colleagues scorned Perot's suggestion that the top brass of GM step off the executive floor and involve themselves more directly in operations.

Even Perot's style was criticized, said the professor, who thought it strange that Perot would seek to install participative management, suggesting management democracy, in what they felt was an almost autocratic fashion.

Perot, he said, is fond of phrases such as "starting today," and "as of today," and "from this point forward," and "immediately" to introduce his ideas for eliminating power struggles, creating team play and ending waste.

"A collection of admonitions that no consultant would consider a plan," said Jennings.

"No doubt some of Perot's ideas are valuable, and in fact some might already be under consideration at GM," he said. "But operations is but one aspect of a company, and all companies have operations problems."

But what about marketing strategy, Jennings asked? Should GM have a full line of cars and trucks?

What kind of a product mix should it have?

And what does Perot say about capital strategy, such as the allocation of scarce funds? What would he do about human resource imbalances? How would he handle labor costs and obtain the best use of executive resources?

Such matters, says Jennings, can't be dealt with through admonitions to build teams and fire those who aren't team players, or to get out and listen to employees, customers, dealers and shareholders.

True, some of these ideas might find their way into a good business plan, said Jennings, but he asks how they relate to long-term considerations such as strategic asset management and creating and enhancing shareholder value.

Jennings said he and his consultant colleagues concluded that GM has big challenges, "but that operations is only one."

They thought Perot should know this, said Jennings, not because he solicited their advice but because he had chosen to become one of them, and that anyone can benefit from the advice of peers.

Analysts see strong capital spending

By CHET CURRIER
AP Business Writer

TICKER TALK

NEW YORK (AP) — Many Wall Street analysts are counting on strong capital spending to keep the economy in reasonably healthy shape this year.

Now that American manufacturing has begun a brisk recovery from its long slump in the mid-1980s, they say, prospects are good that companies will step up their spending for plants, machinery and other production facilities.

If events follow that script, business investment could take up a good deal of the slack resulting from a slowdown in consumer spending.

Such a sequence would be in keeping with the traditional business cycle. Capital spending is supposed to take a leading role in the latter stages of a period of expansion as consumer activity fades.

But there are some unusual variables this time around that raise questions about whether the standard pattern will hold.

The most obvious, of course, is the stock market crash last fall, which surely caused some second thoughts for any business planner considering a big investment in new production capacity.

"It is quite possible that businesses will trim or delay their spending plans somewhat," said Frank Prezelski, an analyst specializing in machinery stocks for Deutsche Bank Capital Corp. in New York.

"We are quite confident, though, that these expenditures, which have shown an uneven upward trend since the beginning of 1987, will lend support to an otherwise sluggish domestic economy."

The Value Line Investment Survey says such capital goods industries as metal fabricating, machinery and steel all stand among the top 25 in its system for ranking industry groups for likely stock-market performance over the next 12 months.

Along with rising exports, the advisory service says, "the capital goods sector will be the other source of strength in the economy in the coming year.

"That's partly because capital goods makers are shipping more equipment abroad. But they will also be getting more domestic orders as U.S. manufacturers find that the capacity of their existing plant and equipment isn't sufficient to meet demand.

"Certainly there is good evidence that capital goods profits are poised to explode in the coming quarters. Backlogs, according to the Commerce Department, are swelling."

If everything were going according to textbook form, the present situation would be exerting upward pressure on interest rates as demand increased for money to finance business expansion.

Instead, interest rates have been falling lately amid widespread talk of a slackening in the pace of business activity which may or may not qualify as a recession.

"Capital expenditure growth will slow," maintain S. Jay Levy and David Levy, economists based in Chappaqua, N.Y.

"Agressive chain stores, which virtually always seek to increase the numbers of their outlets, are reconsidering expansion plans.

"Moreover, some manufacturers are worried about a rebound of the dollar, the effects of the stock market's plunge, and the economy's outlook. They too are trimming capital budgets."

Nevertheless, the optimists say, if orders keep flowing in to some key basic industries the way they have been lately, manufacturers are going to find themselves hard pressed for capacity to meet the demand.

Audi dealers eager for image repair

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Audi's top U.S. executive faced anxious dealers Sunday who wanted to know how he'll repair Audi's image, tarnished since sudden acceleration problems put the brake on sales.

"I feel we have a big job to do. They know I recognize their concerns. They're businessmen. They need to know what our concrete plans are," said Richard Mugg, 57, who was named Volkswagen of America Inc.'s vice president in charge of Audi two weeks ago after his predecessor resigned just four months into the job.

Mugg was in town for the 71st National Auto Dealers Association convention, which has drawn about 25,000 dealers nationwide. It closes Tuesday.

The dealers are concerned because Audi's sales have fallen by nearly a half since reports of sudden acceleration — automatic transmission cars surging unexpectedly from park to high speeds — in the Audi 5000S began receiving widespread publicity two years ago. Although sales were down only a third by the end of 1987, Audi dealers had a 182-day supply of the cars, three times the level considered healthy.

At the same time, Audi, General Motors Corp., Mercedes-Benz and the federal government conducted extensive studies of the problem, which has been reported in nearly every vehicle brand. Each has found driver error as the most likely cause.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration is conducting further studies that treat sudden acceleration as an industrywide phenomenon. Many domestic and all Japanese automakers are equipping their cars with automatic transmissions with shift locks, which prevent shifting from park unless the driver's foot is on the brake. Audi invented the device.

For 1988, Audi has added two new cars to its U.S. lineup, the Audi 80 and Audi 90, which cost between $18,700 and $27,600. Smaller than the 5000-series, which Audi will rename the 100 next year, the 80 and 90 are outselling the BMW 300 series and Mercedes 190 in Europe, said spokesman Tom McDonald of Volkswagen of America, the U.S. arm of Audi's parent company.

Audi and Volkswagen sales have slumped in the United States, but have been successful in Europe, which is slightly smaller than the U.S. auto market.

In Europe, Audi is known for its engineering and is considered a world leader in aerodynamic styling. Volkswagen is the top-selling car.

Rebuilding Audi's image in the United States will take advertising, word-of-mouth, salesmanship, product demonstration and time, Mugg said.

"If I were a dealer, I would want a quick fix," he said. "The Audi 80 and 90 is a great car that will have a slow (sales) build. We will use every form of communication," he said.

EXXON——

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miles north of Tyler. Many current residents are descendents of farmers whose estates transferred royalties from one generation to another from proceeds of the 10,000-acre Hawkins Field, where oil began flowing in 1941.

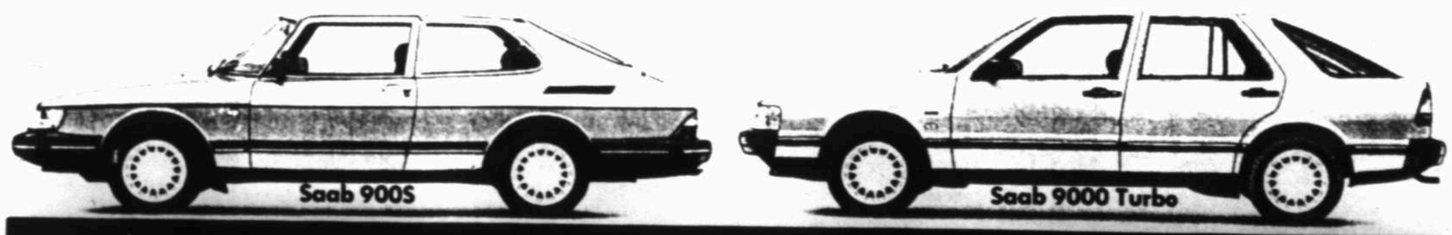
"What you have here is are a lot of little people, and it's like a pension to them," said George W. Bramblett, Jr., an attorney defending a group of royalty owners and trusts in the suit filed by Exxon. "What's happened is that they've spent the money."

In developing the field, Exxon eventually operated it as one unit to increase efficiency, but the government claimed it didn't follow pricing regulations under which oil from the field was to be sold at different prices depending upon when the pumping began. In the end, Exxon lost.

"We had different interpretations with the government on how to apply these complex regulations," Exxon spokesman Les Rogers said. The initial $895 million judgment against the company grew to $2.1 billion after eight years of legal battles allowed accrued interest to compound.

Many townspeople say their future has been thrown into doubt by Exxon's actions.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Midday national prices for issues

PE	Sales	Last	Chg.

A—A

AAR	10	604	34	—	¼
AFA		6	8	24	8
ABA		3	200	48¾	— ¼
AbtLab		1	17	1035	46	— ¼
AetnLf		2.70	9	1097	49¾	— ¼
AirPrd		1	13	151	41	— ¼
AlaskAir		.10	19	133	14¾	— ¼
Alcoa		s.72	10	1407	24½	— ¼
AlcoS		s.60	10	68	20¾	
Alglnt			260	4	— ¼	
AlgPw		3	10	240	40¾	— ¼
Allegis		12	1110	70¾	— ¼	
AlldSgnl		1.80	57	579	31¾	— ¼
AlltuC			30	1¾	+ ¼	
Alcoa		1.20	16	2210	40¾	— ¼
Amax		0	729	16¾	— ¼	
AmHes		.40e	10	451	27¾	— ¾
AmBrnd		2.20	10	1687	44¾	— ¼
AmCyan		s1.05	15	495	44¼	
AEPw		2.20e	11	1277	28¾	— ¼
AExp		s.76	21	4699	26	— ¼
AFamly		.24	11	x184	13¾	— ¼
AHome		3.60	13	x592	76	— ¾
Amrtch		5.40	11	2652	93¼	— ¾
AmtGr		.30	11	230	58¾	— ¼
AmStd		1.80	17	4464	s66¾	+ 2¾
AmStor		.84	12	324	54¾	+ ¼
AT&T		1.20	15	9395	28¾	— ¼
Ametk		s.60	16	5	14¾	
Amoco		3.60	14	633	72¾	— ½
AMP		1	19	849	45	— ¾
Anacmp		16	691	7¾	+ ¼	
Anadrk		.30	143	149	25¾	— ¼
Apheus		.60	16	1186	30¾	— ¼
Anthony		.44b	7	37	12¼	+ ¼
ArchDn		.10b	10	982	19¼	— ¾
Armco		8	941	10	— ¾	
ArmWl		.90	11	933	34½	+ ¾
Asarco		.20e	4	819	20¾	—1
AshlOil		1.80	9	93	56¾	— ¼
AtlRich		4	11	1837	75¾	— ¾
AtlasCp		20	40	30¾	+ ¼	
Augat		.40	27	101	14¾	— ¼
AVMC		s.28	10	77	20¾	+ ¾
Avery		s.42	25	129	20	— ¾
Avnet		.50	23	236	24	
Avon		2	11	76674	23¾	— ¼
Aydin		10	23	20¾	— ¼	

B—B

BakrHu		.46		358	15¾	— ¼
BallyMf		.20	11	911	16¾	— ¾
BaltGE		1.90	9	193	32¼	
BncOne		.92b	12	705	26¼	—1
BkNY		1.80	10	677	30¾	— ¼
BnkAm			1507	8¼	+ ¼	
Bausch		.86	13	131	37¾	— ¼
Baxter		.44	20	1306	22½	— ¼
Baker			220	13-32	—1-32	
BellWst		.62	11	57	61¼	
BellAtl		3.84	11	1187	71½	— ¾
BellSo		2.20	12	1065	40¾	
BenfCp		2		151	38¾	— ¾
BengtB		.05e		72	3¾	
BestPd		10	272	9	— ¼	
BethStl		11	748	16¼	— ¼	
Bevrly		.05j		1846	6¼	— ¾
BlackD		.40	17	2536	19	— ¾
BlkHR		s.88	21	156	29¾	— ¾
Boeing		1.40	14	1836	44¾	—1
BoiseC			s11	153	39¾	— ¾
Boise		pfC3.50		8	54¾	— ¼
Borden		1.28	14	324	50¼	— ¾
BostEd		1.82	8	583	18¾	— ¼
BristM		s1.68	17	2040	43	+ ¼
BritPt		2.76e	11	278	53¼	— ¾
BrwnF		s.48	21	1583	26¾	— ¾
Brnwk		s.36	10	489	17¾	— ¾
BrlNth		2.20	13	418	62¼	— ¾

C—C

CBS		3	17	181	156¾	+ ½
CIGNA		2.80	6	556	49	— ¾
CMS		En	8	574	16¾	
CNW		10	74	22¾	— ¼	
CPC		1.44	10	798	42¾	— ¾
CRSS		s.24	11	x56	12¼	+ ¾
CSX		1.24	33	1118	28¾	—1
Caesar		12	341	21	— ¼	
CamSp		s.84	14	481	26¼	— ¾
CapCits		.20	21	133	343¾	—7¾
CarPw		2.76	9	217	36¾	
CartH			n 9	15	9	— ¼
CastlCk		33	1023	19¾	— ¼	
Caterp		.75	18	1644	58¾	— ¾
Centel		s1.72	10	601	37¼	+ ¾
CentEn		2.56	6	1200	16¾	
CenSoW		2.44	8	1768	32	— ¼
CnllPS		1.72	12	2311	22¾	
CentrCp			265	2¾	— ¼	
Crt-teed		1	9	121	28¼	— ¾
Chmpln		.80	8	587	30¾	— ¾
ChamSp		.05e	21	429	11¼	— ¼
ChartC		.02e	4	80	3¾	
Chase		2.16		978	22¾	— ¼
ChmNY		2.72		936	21¾	— ¼
Chevrn		2.40	15	1188	43¼	— ¾
ChrisCr		.47i	27	96	18¾	— ¼
Chrys		s1	4	4671	24¾	+ ¾
CircleK		.28	14	334	12¾	— ¼
CirCty		.08	11	169	22¼	— ¼
Citicrp		s1.36		2042	20¼	— ¼
ClarkE			147	23¾	— ¼	
Clorox		s.88	12	218	27¾	— ¼
Coastl		s.40	14	947	26¾	
CocaCl		1.12b	13	2878	36¼	
Coleco			133	3¾	+ ¼	
ColgPal		1.48	62	223	40¾	— ¾
Colt			n 5	119	11¾	
ColGas		3.16	14	753	32¼	— ¼
CmbEn		1	21	552	26¾	
Comdre		9	196	8¾	— ¾	
CmwE		3	6	1078	30	— ¼
Comsat		1.20		x240	29¾	— ¼
ConsEd		3.20	10	30296	45¼	— ¼
ConsNG		1.84	19	461	38¼	— ¼
Conail		n.50e	13	1168	29¾	— ¼
CnStor		18	49	4¾		
Contel		2	62	802	33¾	+ ¼
CntlCp		2.60	8	167	40¾	— ¼
CtData		36	408	21¼	— ¼	
Cooper		1.68	16	245	53¾	— ¾
CornGl		1.48	13	892	52¾	— ¾
CrayRs		15	603	69¾	— ¾	
CrwnCk		11	57	91¼	—2¾	
CumEn		2.20	32	28	47¾	— ¾

D—D

DPL		2.08	10	x175	26	— ¾
DanaCp		1.44	10	357	33¾	— ¼
DataGn			219	26¾	— ¼	
DaytHd		1.02	10	1262	32½	— ¼
Deere		.50		801	38¾	— ¼
DeltaAr		1.20	9	423	43¼	— ¾
DetEd		1.68	4	999	14¾	— ¼
Digital		12	3587	113¾	—1¾	
Disney		.40	17	3043	54¾	— ¾
DomRs		3.08	10	532	44¾	— ¾
Dover		1.12	18	457	58¾	— ¾
DowCh		2.20	12	1978	78¾	— ¾
DowJns		.66	13	292	26¼	+ ¼
Dresr		.40	47	424	26¾	— ¾
duPont		3.40	11	2438	79	— ¾
DukeP		2.80	11	x582	46¾	— ¾
DuqLt		1.20	7	2299	13	

E—E

ERC	17		8	9¾	+ ¼
EastGF		1.30	11	79	22¾	— ¼
EKodk		s1.80	12	6404	40¾	+ ¼
Eaton		2	9	143	69¾	—1¼
Echlin		.56	17	116	15¾	
EmrsE		s1	15	780	31¼	— ¼
Enron		2.48		161	36¾	— ¾
Enserch		.80	40	1043	17	— ¼
Ethyl		.44	13	580	20¾	— ¼
Exxon		s2	12	3844	39¾	— ¼

F—F

FMC	6	302	25¼	— ¼	
FPL Gp		2.12	10	329	31¼	— ¼
Fairfd			62	4¾	— ¼	
Fedders		.28	15	x82	7¾	+ ¼
FedMM		.48	7	1874	34¾	— ¼
FedDS		s1.48	18	13387	57¾	+ 1¼
FibCpA			1196	1¾	— ¼	
Firestn		1.20	10	366	32¾	— ¼
FstBkSy		1.50	32	873	23	— ¼
FstChic		1.50		172	23	— ¼
Fststate		2.80		43	39¾	— ¼
FstPa			80	9¾		
FtWach		1.36	12	354	38¾	— ¾
FleetEn		.60	10	82	19¼	— ¼
FlightSf		.20	20	117	37¾	— ¾
FlaPrg		2.48	10	86	36¼	— ¼
FlwGen		14	119	4¼	— ¼	
Fluor		84	380	13		
FthlIG		8	50	5¾	— ¼	
FordM		s2	5	6618	40¼	— ¾
FrptMc		2.30e	6	209	24¾	— ¼

G—G

GAF		.10	17	721	48¾	+ ¾
GTE		2.52	12	1191	38½	— ¼
Gannett		s1	18	848	34¾	— ¾
GnCrp		s.60	51	377	d19¼	— ¼
GnDyn		1	5	152	52¾	— ¼
GenEl		s1.40	14	7600	42¼	— ¾
GnHouse		.24	17	1	8¾	+ ¾
Gninst		.25		556	27½	— ¼
GnMills		1.60	16	186	48	— ¾
GnMot		5e	7	2603	62¼	— ¾
GM E		.88		433	36¼	— ¾
GPU		1.20	7	334	30¼	
GnSignl		1.80	18	84	41¾	— ¾
Genesco		5	65	3¾	— ¼	
GaPac		1.20	8	x363	35½	— ¼
GerbPd		1.32	21	584	39¾	— ¼
GlbrFn			24	3¾	— ¼	
Gillette		s.88	74	6626	37¼	+ ¼
Glaxo		s.30e	17	924	16¾	— ¾
Gldfld		3	46	9¾		
Gdrich		1.88	12	113	39¾	— ¾
Goodyr		1.60	7	327	66¼	— ¾
Gould			373	10¾	— ¼	
Grace		s1.40	14	316	25¾	— ¼
GtAtPc		.60	14	172	34¾	— ¾
Gtlntc		s.92	10	846	37¾	— ¼
GtWFn		s.72	7	1147	18¾	
Greyh		1.32	6	107	26¾	— ¾
Gumm		1	10	67	16¾	— ¼
GtWst		1.20	12	426	71	— ¾
GrtNth		3	169	5¼	— ¼	

H—H

Halbtn		1		660	29¾	— ¾
Harind		s.60	10	x105	19¾	+ ¼
Harley		6	17	125	+ ¼	
Harris		.80	12	69	27¼	
Hasbro			12	2		
Hastald		.05e	32	191	12¼	+ ¼
Hattxn		.50e		11	40¾	
Helmz		1.24	16	600	39¾	— ¼
Hercule		1.60	3	1183	47	— ¼
Hershey		.92	17	427	29¾	— ¾
HewlPk		.20	21	2040	62¾	— ¼
Holiday			n 4	373	29¾	— ¼
Hmstk		s.20	29	1103	14	
Honwell		2.10	10	640	69¾	— ¾
HCA		.72	14	712	39¾	—1¼
Hotlinv		2	19	93	19¾	+ ¼
Houslnt		2	7	265	42¾	— ¼
Houlnd		2.60	8	216612	33¾	— ¼
Human		.60	11	3666	20¾	— ¼

I—I

IC Ind		0.60	14	1036	31¼	— ¼
IRT		1.32	14	x10	15¾	+ ¼
ITT Cp		1.25	9	3666	45¾	— ¼
IU Int		.60	29	306	19¾	— ¼
IdahoP		1.80	16	112	24¾	— ¾
IdealB			192	2¾	— ¼	
IllPowr		2.84	6	393	23¾	
ITW		s.40	15	166	31	
ImpCh		3.30e	10	1031	69	—2¾
ICA		.46r	3	274	11¾	+ ¼
INCO		.20		666	17¾	— ¼
IngerRd		s1.04	17	466	33¾	— ¼
InldStl		.12e	9	244	28¼	— ¼
Intlk		s1.40	9	126	42¼	— ¼
IBM		4.40	12	8157	108¼	+ ¼
IntFlav		1.60	17	99	46¼	— ¾
IntMin		1	16	176	44¾	
IntPap		s1.20	10	1863	36	— ¼
Ipalco		1.56	10	54	23¼	— ¼

J—J

JRiver		.40	11	372	24¾	+ ¼
Jwlcr		30	2	12¾	— ¼	
JohnJn		1.68	17	1634	76¾	— ¼
JohnInd		7	7	19	+ ¾	
Josten		.56	8	191	18¾	— ¼

K—K

K mrt		s1.16	10	1100	31¼	— ¾
Kaiertc		.15j		362	9¾	— ¼
Kaneb			9	2¼	+ ¼	
KCSou		1.08	26	58	50	— ¼
KanPL		s1.72	11	76	26¼	— ¼
Kaypro		13	43	14¼	+ ¼	
KaufB		s.30	8	239	14¾	— ¼
Kellogg		1.52	17	433	51¼	—1¼
KerrMc		1.10	20	919	34¾	— ¾
KimbC		s1.44	14	676	51¼	— ¾
KnghtRd		1.12	15	124	39¼	— ¼
Kopers		1.20	86	441	30¾	— ¾
Kraft		1.88	16	1254	53¾	— ¾
Kroger		1.06	16	1774	30	+ ¾

L—L

LTV	1	2507	3¾	+ ¾	
LearPt		187	2½	— ¼	
Learnl		s.40	14	2	13	+ ¼
LeaEnt		.84	17	1	23¾	+ ¼
Lehmn	2	14e		147	11¾	
Lilly		2.30	16	1075	72¼	
LincNtl		2.36	7	273	44¾	— ¾
Litton		14	77	73¾	— ¾	
Lockhd		1.40	6	519	37¾	— ¾
Loews		1	11	162	68¼	— ¾
LnStar		1.90	9	64	25¾	— ¼
LilCo		7	521	8¾	— ¼	
LaLand		1	41	127	33	— ¾
LaPac		.80b	8	x196	27½	— ¼
LuckyS		.60r	4	157	28¼	
Lukens		.88	10	23	37¾	— ¾

M—M

MCA		.66	21	1948	39	— ¼
MDU		1.42	13	78	19¼	— ¼
Macmil		.72b	20	118	54¾	— ¼
MfrHan		3.26		658	22	— ¼
Manvl			319	2¾	+ ¼	
Marriot		.20	18	370	29½	— ¼
MartM		1.10	11	422	45¾	— ¼
Masco		.40	13	956	24¾	— ¼
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MayDS		1.14	12	1153	33¾	—1
Maytag		s.90	12	564	22¾	— ¼
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McDnD		2.56	8	214	61¾	— ¾
McGrH		1.84	15	265	48¼	— ¼
McKee		1.28	13	284	27¼	
Mead		s.66	10	1003	33½	— ¼
Mellon		1.40		116	24¾	— ¼
Melvill		2.10	13	573	59¼	— ¼
MercSt		s.70	11	48	39¾	—1
Merck		3.20	23	1531	150¾	—1
MerLyn			1	6	1120	23¼	— ¼
MidSUt		.5	199	9¾		
MWE		1.52	12	17	19	
MMM		s2.12	14	1972	55½	— ¼
MinnPL		1.72	11	34142	26¼	— ¼
Mobil		2.20	14	2421	42¾	— ¼
Monsan		2.80	15	893	82¾	— ¾
MonPw		2.68	13	1644	33	— ¼
Morgan		1.50	91	796	36¾	— ¼
Morton		.84	13	212	39¾	— ¼
Motorla		.64	17	1266	41	— ¾

N—N

NCR		1.24	12	964	55¾	— ¼
NL		Ind.20		134	6¾	+ ¼
NWA		.80	9	894	38¼	— ¼
Nalco		1.20	17	177	34¾	— ¾
NatFG		s1.20	12	44	17¾	
NBI		.26		106	16¾	— ¾
NtSemi			1986	10	— ¼	
Navistr			s 3020	4	+ ¼	
NevPw		s1.48	11	131	21¾	— ¼
NEngEl		2.04	8	1300	23¾	— ¼
NwtMl		s.60e	6	223	32	+ ¼
NiaMP		1.20		480	13¼	— ¼
NflkSo		s1.20	36	758	26¼	— ¼
Nortek		.10e	6	349	7¼	— ¼
NoestUt		1.76	9	749	21¼	— ¼
NIndPS		.30e	20	823	10¾	+ ¼
NoStPw		2.02	11	211	32¼	— ¼
Nortrp		1.20	20	516	29¼	— ¼
Norton		2		344	43¼	— ¼
Norwst		1.80		470	43¾	— ¾
Nynex		3.80	11	1154	66¾	— ¾

O—O

OcciPet		2.50	30	1548	25¾	— ¼
OhioEd		1.96	8	532	20¾	
OklaGE		2.28	11	207	32¼	— ¼
Olin		1.60	12	156	42	— ¼
ONEOK		2.56	16	424	19¼	— ¼
OwenC			n 3	492	16¾	— ¼
Oxford		.50	16	x1	9¾	

P—Q

PHM		12	10	39	9	— ¾
PPG		1.20	10	362	33¼	— ¼
PacGE		1.92	11	2295	17	— ¼
PacLtg		3.48	12	174	49¼	
PacTel		s1.64	13	1947	28¾	— ¼
Pacifcp		2.52	9	281	34¼	— ¾
PanAm			207	2¾	— ¼	
PanEC		n2	13	490	25¾	
Patten		.08i	7	51	4¾	
Penney		s1.48	10	1628	40	—1¾
PaPL		2.68	11	231	37¼	— ¾
Penwlt		2.40	12	52	46¾	— ¼
Pennzol		2.20	96	286	66¼	— ¼
PepBy		s.08	21	185	12¾	
PepsiCo		.68	15	2513	33¾	— ¼
PerkEl		.60		262	24¾	— ¾
Pfizer		2	13	2016	51¼	+ ¾
PhelpD		.60	7	2325	34¾	— ¾
PhilaEl		2.20	9	539	20¼	— ¼
PhilMr		3.60	11	1663	66¾	— ¼
Philpln		.44	12	66	18¼	+ ¼
PhilPet		.60	233	4378	14	— ¼
Phlcorp			260	4¾		
Pillsbry		1.12	14	376	34¼	— ¼
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Pittstn			201	10¾	— ¼	
PlcrD g		n.20		1358	11¾	+ ¼
Polard		s.60	15	2901	27¾	+ 1¼
PortGC		1.96	13	121	23¾	— ¾
Primco		s1.60	8	701	26¾	
ProctG		2.80	29	1060	79¾	—1¼
PSvCol		2	9	228	21¼	— ¼
PSInd		6	76	13¾		
PSEG		s2	10	334	25¾	
PugetP		1.76	12	118	19¾	— ¼
Pullmn		12	13	44	5¼	— ¼
Pyro	10	523		4		
Qantel		4	2	1¾	+ ¼	
QuakrO		1	16	420	42	— ¼
QuakSC		.80		x898	19¾	— ¼
Quantm		2.20	9	556	66	— ¾
Questar		1.88	16	1	34¼	— ¼

R—R

RJR Nb		1.92	9	1390	46¾	— ¼
RLC		.20	8	x4	8	— ¼
RalsPur		1.50	13	277	66¾	— ¼
Ramad		26	108	6¾	— ¼	
RangrO		71	596	5	— ¼	
Raythn		2	11	409	67¼	— ¼
ReadBt			33	2¼		
RayMt		s.60	9	1872	36¾	— ¼
RiteAid		.74	16	425	34	— ¼
Robins		7	447	24¾	— ¼	
Rockwl		.88	7	771	17¾	— ¼
RohHaas		.92	11	396	30¼	— ¼
Rohr		14	261	20¾	— ¼	
Rorer		1.20	19	900	48¼	+ ¼
Rowan			425	6¾		
RoyID		6.32e	10	1062	109¾	—1¼
Ryder		.52	12	658	27	

S—S

SPSTec		1	14	180	31½	— ¾
SFeSoP		1a	19	3603	44¼	+ ¾
SaraLee		1.20	15	1797	38¾	— ¾
SCANA		2.32	10	29	32½	— ¼
SchrPl		s1.20	19	484	51¼	— ¾
Schlmb		1.20		2486	31¾	—1¼
ScottP		1.48	11	463	67	—1
Seagrm		1.10	10	262	53¾	— ¾
Sears		2	8	2084	34½	— ¼
ShellT		4.30e	13	242	72¼	— ¾
Shrwin		.68	13	186	27½	—1¼
Singer		.40	26	38	49¼	
Skyline		.48	13	38	14	
SmkB		s1.84	12	x870	63¼	+ ¼
Sonat		2	10	144	29¾	— ¼
SonyCp		.24e		261	35¾	— ¼
SCalEd		2.36	10	662	33¾	— ¼
SouthCo		2.14	12	691	22¾	— ¼
StdBrd		s2.32	11	1002	57¼	— ¼
StdPG		2.12	11	72110	26¾	— ¼
SquareD		1.92	14	91	61¾	— ¼
Squibb		s1.80	10	1047	61¾	— ¾
Stanley		.80	14	166	21¾	— ¼
StorEq		1.52	20	1004	66¾	+ ¼
StevnJ		1.20	14	12914	45	+ 11¾
StopSh		s.84	24	1659	33¾	— ¾
SunCo		3	10	104	52¾	— ¼
Syntex		s1	10	894	35¾	— ¾
Sysco		.32	19	256	26¾	— ¾

T—T

TECO		s1.34	12	169	23¾	
TRW		s1.60	11	x1163	43¾	—1¾
TacBt		13	14	1¾	— ¼	
Talley		s.30		104	13¼	— ¾
Tandm			s18	1100	18¾	
Tandy		.60	11	611	34¾	— ¾
TndyOt		18	6	16¾	— ¼	
TchSym		9	22	11¼		
Tektrnx		.60	33	186	23¾	— ¼
Teldyn		4		32	306¾	+ ¼
Telex		10	62	49		
Telex			wd	17	49¼	+ ¼
Tennco		3.04		1181	39¾	— ¼
Tesoro			48	11¾		
Texaco			1443	37¾	— ¾	
TexEst		1	14	1156	26	— ¾
Txinst		s.72	15	1861	43½	— ¼
TxPac		.40	38	3	27¾	— ¼
TexUtil		2.80	6	957	29¾	— ¼
Textrn		s1	7	517	23¾	— ¾
Tigerin		7	232	9¾	— ¼	
Time		1	21	491	67¼	— ¼
TmMir		s.92	15	704	37½	— ¾
Timken		1.20	74	25	58	—1¼
Tokhem		.48	12	15	19¼	— ¼
Tosco		16	59	2¼	— ¼	
Transm		1.84	6	606	33¼	— ¾
Transco		1.36		233	24¾	— ¾
Travler		2.40	9	230	37½	— ¼
TriCon		4.62e		178	22¼	— ¼
Tribun		s.76	20	471	35¼	— ¾
Trinova		.56	13	447	29¾	— ¼
TucsEP		3.60	11	56	57	— ¾

U—U

UGI		2.04	12	58	26¾	— ¼
UNCInc		.01e	10	103	6¾	— ¼
USFG		2.48	7	418	32¾	— ¼
USG		1.12b	7	209	26¼	+ ¼
USX		1.20	63	3583	30¾	+ ¼
UCarb		1.50	12	1818	21¾	— ¼
UnElec		1.92	8	756	24¾	— ¼
UnPac			2	11	1069	55¾	— ¼
Unisys		s.92	10	1737	31½	— ¾
USWest		3.26	10	1582	54¾	+ ¼
UnTech		1.40	8	2986	36¼	—1¼
UniTel		1.92		847	29¾	
Unocal			1	20	698	31½	— ¾
Upjohn		s.72	18	10867	29¾	—2¼
USLIFE		1.28	8	129	32¾	— ¼
UtaPL		2.32	13	504	29¾	

V—V

Varian		.26		11	25¾	+ ¼
Verity		7107		2¾		

W—W

Wackht		.60	18	6	16	+ ¼
WalMt		s.12	25	2911	25¾	— ¾

Noriega wants those responsible for indictments to be prosecuted

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega asked the attorney general to identify and prosecute the people responsible for "slanderous" U.S. indictments charging him with drug trafficking.

The government also recalled its ambassadors to the United States, the Organization of American States and the United Nations to discuss U.S. relations, state-run Radio Nacional reported on Sunday.

Noriega, head of the Defense Forces and Panama's de facto leader, told Attorney General Carlos Villalaz in a letter that the U.S. indictments were "for false crimes that are attributed to me in a foolhardy manner."

"Consequently, I kindly request that you please open an investigation in order to determine the origin and those responsible for such slanderous imputations so that they may be prosecuted, in accordance with Panamanian law," the letter continued.

"Attached are copies of these false accusations formulated in the United States by officials of the Department of Justice."

A federal indictment unsealed in Miami two days earlier alleges Noriega took at least $4.6 million in payoffs to protect cocaine shipments, launder money, supply drug laboratories and shelter drug traffickers.

A second indictment says he conspired to import and distribute more than 1 million pounds of marijuana.

There is no possibility that Noriega, the dominant force in Panamanian politics since 1983, can be extradited to face the charges in Florida. The Panamanian constitution prohibits it.

In another development, police on Sunday searched the plant where the daily newspaper El Siglo is printed, and Antonio Arias, the paper's director and an opposition legislator, said police told him the paper could not publish today.

Police told The Associated Press that El Siglo was "under investigation."

El Siglo was closed last July during demonstrations against the government. Along with two other newspapers and two radio stations that also were closed, it was allowed to reopen last month.

On Friday, the government canceled the frequency permit of one of the radio stations, KW Continente.

Opposition groups have been calling for Noriega's ouster since June, when the general's former second-in-command, Col. Roberto Diaz Herrera, publicly accused him of involvement in election fraud, political assassinations and corruption.

Noriega blames U.S. rightists interested in blocking transfer of control of the Panama canal for the wave of street demonstrations. The United States agreed in 1977 to cede control of the waterway to Panama by the year 2000.

The general claims the drug trafficking indictments stem from his refusal to go along with a 1986 request by then-U.S. National Security advisor John Poindexter that he cooperate with U.S. foreign policy in Central America.

In a speech Friday night to leaders of the governing political coalition, Noriega claimed that when he refused, Poindexter told him to '"expect the consequences,' and these are the consequences."

Witnesses who testified against Noriega before the Miami grand jury included Jose Blandon, who was fired this year as Panama's consul general in New York, and Floyd Carlton, Noriega's former personal pilot.

The two, who also appeared before congressional committees, said Noriega protected cocaine shipments for Colombia's so-called Medellin cartel in return for expensive bribes, and provided facilities for smugglers.

The cartel is responsible for 80 percent of the cocaine smuggled into the United States, the federal Drug Enforcement Administration says.

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The Department of Human Services is requesting submission for proposals for the provision of Emergency and Protective Homemaker services for child protective services clients in the 17 county area of the Permian Basin. Maximum funding for a one-year period from June 1, 1988 through May 31, 1989 is $65,000.00. Payment will be made on a budget-based unit rate for one hour of service. Potential offerors must be a public organization, private non-profit organization, or a private for profit organization. Interested agencies may request an application by contacting Ann Kimbrell, Texas Department of Human Services, 3603 Andrews Highway, P.O. Box 4636, Odessa, Texas 79760, (915) 367-7201. Submission deadline is March 21, 1988 at 4:30 p.m.
February 6, 7, 8, 1988

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110 LODGE NOTICES

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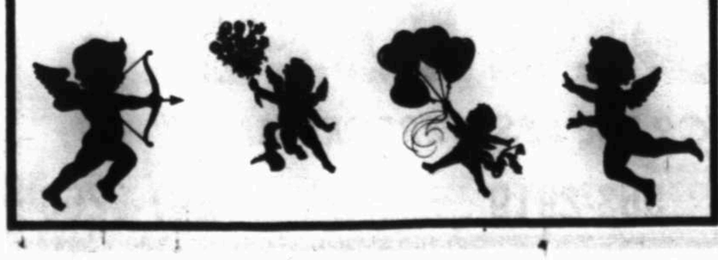
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Mobil Exploration & Producing U.S. Inc., as Agent for Mobil Producing Texas & New Mexico Inc., has made application with the Texas Air Control Board for Permit No. C-18466 to modify the acid gas flare by combining the acid gas stream with the main flare gas stream and abandoning the acid gas flare at their Pegasus Gas Plant in Midland County, Texas. The proposed location is approximately eighteen and one-half miles south of Interstate 20 on FM 1788. This facility modification proposes to emit the following air contaminants: Sulfer Dioxide, Hydrogen Sulfide and Natural Gas Hydrocarbons.

A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant is available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board, Odessa Regional Office, at 1901 East 37th Street, Suite 101, Odessa, Texas 79762, telephone (915) 367-3871 and at the Texas Air Control Board, 6330 Highway 290 East, Austin, Texas 78723. All interested persons may inspect these materials and submit written comments to the Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board. Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request a contested case hearing from the Board on the Construction Permit Application, pursuant to Section 3.271(c) of the Texas Clean Air Act. All comments and hearing requests must be received in writing by March 11, 1988. All written comments submitted to the Executive Director shall be considered in determining whether to issue or not issue the permit. All comments will be made available for public inspection at this Texas Air Control Board office in Austin.
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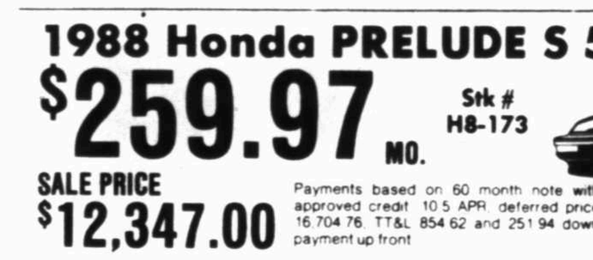
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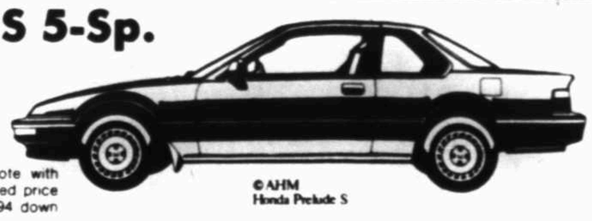
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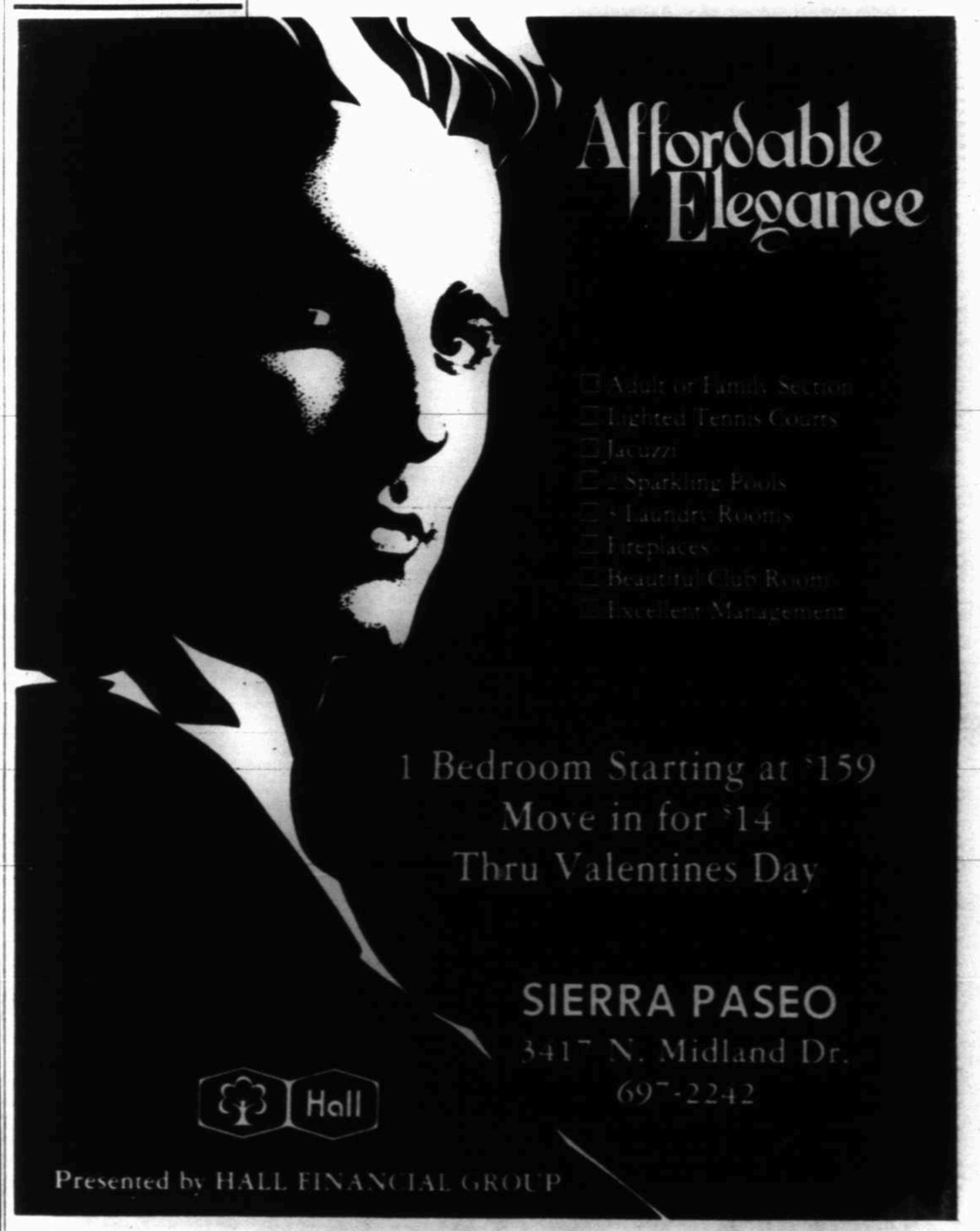
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