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Bosnia elections

A U.S. soldier from the NATO-led peace force in Bosnia searches a Bosnian Muslim woman near the town of Brcko in northern Bosnia, Sunday on the second day of voting in the municipal elections throughout Bosnia.

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Albright visit

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Chelsea at school

STANFORD, Calif. — The first daughter is turning into the first freshman, determined to have a normal student life. For the first time, Chelsea Clinton will be out of the zone of privacy her parents have zealously maintained around her at the White House. But she shows every intention of keeping her courteous but steadfast distance from the news media while attending Stanford University. The 17-year-old who wants to become a doctor is not granting interviews.

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Ex-Clinton aide to testify again

■ Senate panel calls back former deputy White House chief of staff for more closed questioning on Democratic fund-raising activities by Clinton, Gore.

By James Rowley
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Former presidential aide Harold Ickes will be called back for more questioning by Senate investigators about how the Democratic Party used donations raised by President Clinton and Vice President Al Gore, Senate sources say.

Ickes acknowledged in a June 26-27 deposition that he

asked Clinton to call donors "two, three, maybe four times."

Ickes is also expected to be asked at a second deposition about whether Gore knew when he telephoned donors from his office that he was raising the type of contribution covered by a ban on soliciting donations on government property, said the aides, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Gore denies any wrongdoing. The vice president's 46 calls are being reviewed by the Justice Department to determine if Attorney General Janet Reno should seek appointment of an independent counsel.

The Senate panel's plans to call the former deputy White House chief of staff back for more closed questioning signals that Ickes will not be called as a witness

at public hearings until early next month.

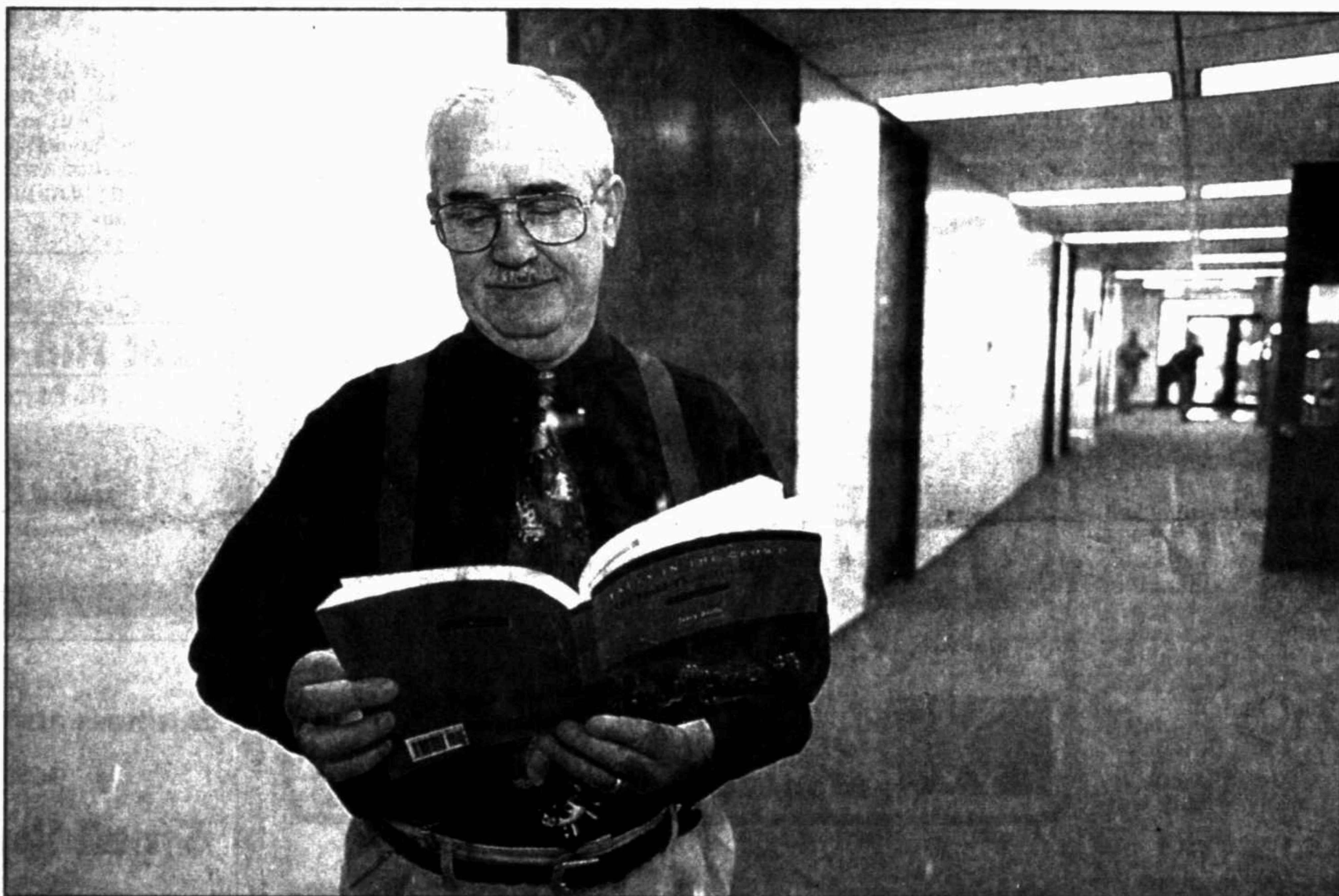
In fact, no final decision has been made on whether to call Ickes to public hearings, aides to Sen. Fred Thompson, R-Tenn., chairman of the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee, said last week.

Based on the defiant tone of Ickes' answers in the first deposition, Ickes would not necessarily help Republicans build their case that the White House sold access to the president in return for large donations to Clinton's re-election effort.

Ickes insisted he didn't get into the details of how the Democratic Party raised money. "My focus ... was the bottom line, as they like to say in the finance business."

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CONSTITUTION WEEK



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College history teacher Jerry Mills with his book on the Declaration of Independence and its framers.

Scholars praise Constitution as 210th birthday nears

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

To most Americans, the U.S. Constitution may seem like a dry, dusty piece of parchment carefully preserved in the National Archives in Washington, D.C.

For Jerry Mills, a professor of government and history at Midland College, however, has a different view of the document that turns 210 years old on Wednesday.

"I think it's a fascinating document," he said. "I love to teach it and I think it's very necessary that students and the general population know what kind of document we have. It's a contract between each individual and their government and people should treat it as a personal contract because that's what it is. It says the government can't take

my property without due process of law; the government can't take away my life without due process and whether it's the state government or county government or city government, they cannot interfere with that contract."

Bob Perry, a professor of political science at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin, said, "I guess we think of it as a sacred document, but it's still not finished. I don't think the framers thought of it as a finished document. Democracy is still an experiment."

To celebrate the signing of the Constitution on Sept. 17, 1787 in what is now Independence Hall in Philadelphia, Midland Mayor Bobby Burns has declared the week of Sept. 17-23 Constitution Week in Midland, a week observed nation-

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German, U.S. planes may have collided

WINDHOEK, Namibia (AP) — U.S. and German military planes with 33 people on board were reported missing off the coast of southern Africa on Sunday amid indications they had collided and crashed into the Atlantic.

The South African air force said a signal received from a life jacket emergency beacon was evidence there might be survivors.

German Defense Minister Volker Ruehe said the German plane, a Soviet-made model inherited from the former East German army, was last heard from at 4 p.m. Saturday German time (10 a.m. EDT). He said it apparently crashed into the Atlantic off the coast of Angola.

The German Defense Ministry later said a U.S. military C-141 cargo plane with nine crew members was missing in the same area and presumed crashed.

"We have no information that they collided," a ministry spokesman in Bonn said on condition of anonymity. "But we have information that they went missing at the same time and in the same area. When you add one and one together ... a crash is very probable."

The exact location of the apparent crash was not immediately known.

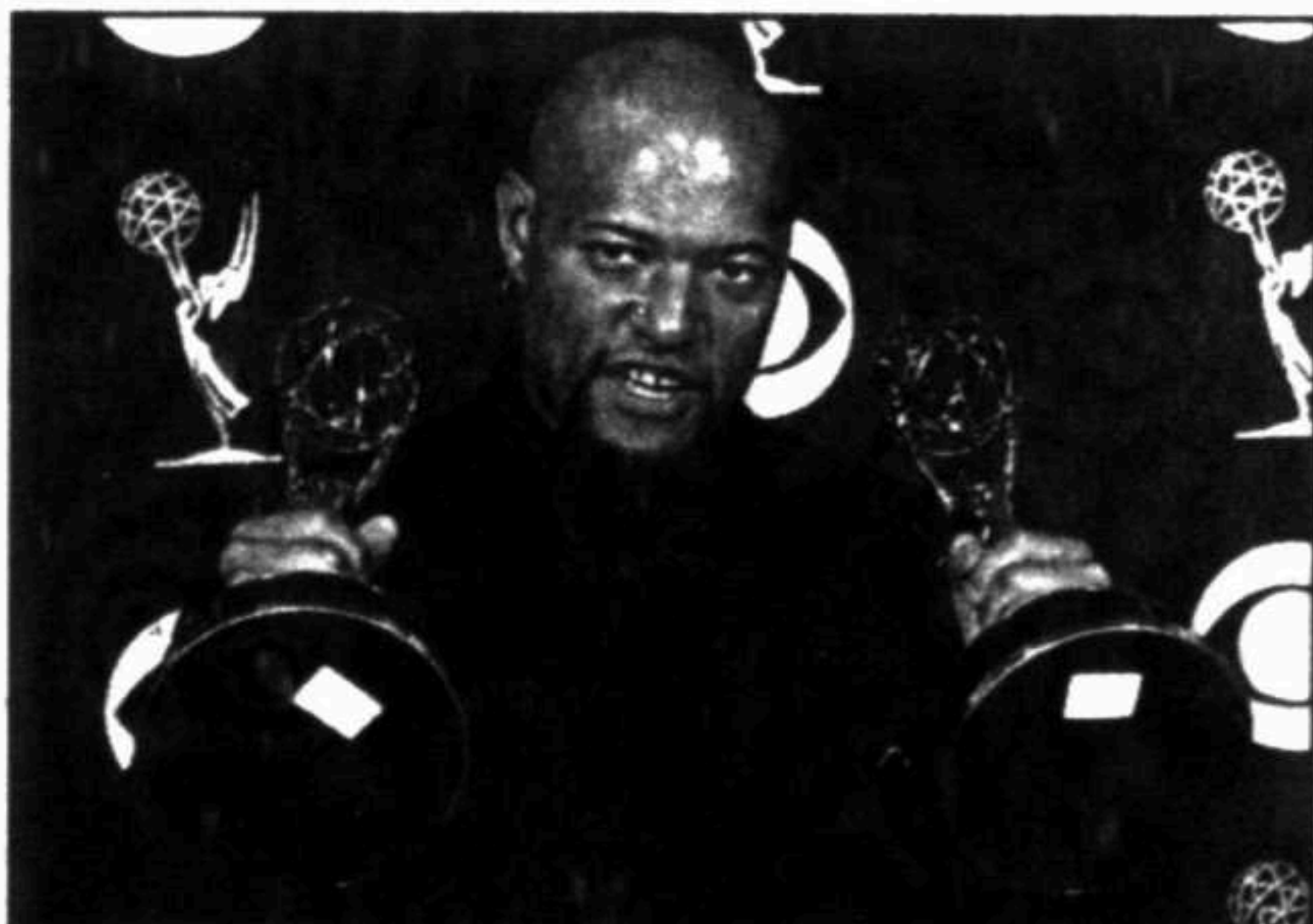
A South African air force spokeswoman said a flash picked up by satellite and reported by officials Saturday night at Johannesburg airport indicated a possible midair collision.

The spokeswoman, Lt. Col. Laverne Machine, said a cargo plane was in the same airspace at the same time as the missing German plane, but declined to comment further other than to say that both the German and U.S. governments had asked South Africa for assistance.

A spokeswoman for Air Mobility Command, headquartered at Scott Air Force Base in Illinois, said a U.S. Air Force C-141 Starlifter cargo plane en route from Namibia, in southern Africa, to Ascension Island in the south Atlantic was overdue, "and we are presuming it went down in the Atlantic Ocean."

"We don't have confirmation of that

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Laurence Fishburne holds his two awards, for "Miss Evers' Boys" at the Primetime Emmy Awards.

'Law & Order' named best dramatic series

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — "Law & Order," the tightly wound story of New York police and prosecutors, was named best dramatic series Sunday at the 49th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards. But another crime drama, "NYPD Blue," captured the most trophies.

"Frasier" was honored as the outstanding comedy series, the fourth consecutive year it's won the award. The win put it in lofty company. Only three other comedies, "All in the Family," "Cheers" and "The Dick Van Dyke Show," have repeated as often in the category.

"On my way up here I heard somebody say, 'Oh God! Not them again!' Believe me, we know how lucky we are," said David Angel, one of the show's producers.

Dennis Franz of "NYPD Blue" was named best leading actor in a drama series for his role as a hard-bitten police detective. It was his third win in four nominations

for the character.

"This is way too much. It's impossible to be up here without my pal, my buddy, my backbone Jimmy Smits," Franz said of his co-star.

"NYPD Blue" also won a best supporting actress award for Kim Delaney and honors for directing and writing. In contrast, "Law & Order" won only one award, the evening's most important.

"This is it, folks. This is as good as it gets," said "Law & Order" producer Dick Wolf.

Gillian Anderson of "The X-Files" won best actress in a drama series for her portrayal of an FBI agent who

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Amid tears, smiles of friends, family, Miss Texas says she has no regrets

By Mark Helm
Hearst Newspapers

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. — Surrounded by dozens of cheering friends and family members, a beaming Reagan Hughes gave some advice to her successors as Miss Texas: Relax and have fun at the Miss America contest.

Hughes also said she was looking forward to starting her duties as Miss Texas, traveling the state to promote school mentoring, a topic that she is personally interested in and one that she chose to fulfill the Miss American

Pageant's requirement that each contestant pick a social issue to promote.

Hughes, being showered with congratulations by the throng of well-wishers, was asked what advice she would give her successors as Miss Texas.

"You never know how things are going to turn out, so just try to relax and have a good time," she said.

With tears welling in her eyes, a smiling Hughes said she had a wonderful time at the Miss American Pageant.

"This was a great experience, and, win or lose, I wouldn't trade the past two

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Stealth crash

A section of an F-117A Stealth fighter falls during an air show in Middle River, Md., Sunday. The fighter crashed, setting two houses on fire and causing six minor injuries.

AP Photo

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On the Afghan plains, faith propels another generation into war

EDITOR'S NOTE — With faith in God, another generation of young Afghan men is fighting a war that nears its third decade. An Associated Press reporter spent a day at the front with one of them, a soldier in the Taliban religious army, to see the zeal and devotion that drive him.

By Anthony Shadid
Associated Press

BANDI KHANA, Afghanistan (AP) — Long before dawn, lightning streaks and shimmers over the Hindu Kush mountains, illuminating faint figures washing their hands and feet before they pray.

As the minutes pass, the young fighters of the Taliban religious army come together on the soiled, ratty mats that serve as their prayer rugs. Their clothes are tattered and their flowing turbans are askew.

Slowed by sleepiness, they cast their eyes down, bow, then kneel before God, a ritual required five times a day. Artillery thunders in the distance, the echoes rolling over the lonely camp.

"This is the life I want," says Mullah Merza Khan, a Taliban disciple of 22.

Khan is a soldier more devoted to his faith than his family, a man who thinks nothing of dying in a war for which many see no end. He left home without telling his parents, walked to the front with nothing more than a blanket and wishes only to return to the religious school that he left to fight for the Taliban.

At this camp in Bandi Khana, about 20 miles north of Kabul, Khan's story sheds light on the devotion that inspires the genera-



A soldier in Afghanistan's Taliban religious army calls for prayer on Monday, Sept. 8, at the camp of an artillery unit, 18.6 miles north of the capital Kabul along the front line. The soldier's devotion drives yet another generation as Afghanistan's war nears its third decade.

tion filling the ranks of the Taliban. It is an army that poured out of the religious schools in 1994 to conquer nearly two-thirds of war-shattered

Afghanistan, imposing its strict vision of Islam.

Days at Bandi Khana are infused with religion and war.

Even before the first rays of sun sneak over the mountains, Khan climbs up a sun-baked mud hut, opens a green, wooden artillery box and gingerly pulls out yellowed, well-worn copies of the Koran, the Muslim holy book. He kisses each copy as he hands it out.

For another hour, he and his 20 comrades read what they consider the word of God, their voices like the murmur of an audience.

"You will not live forever; one day everyone has to die," Khan says afterward. "But there is another world, a permanent world, and in that world there is a large gate. One path through it takes you to heaven, and the other one takes you to hell."

It is a line heard often in the morally charged rhetoric of the Taliban, a thought repeated in the mosques on Friday, by their leaders in government offices and by fighters in the field. Life is temporary, they say, what comes next is what really matters.

For Khan and the other men who gather in the camp's cramped mud hut after a breakfast of tea and nan, the ubiquitous Afghan bread, that thinking justifies any sacrifice they may have to make. Khan's friends joke that he, in fact, wants to die, that he wants to become a martyr, someone who gives his life for God.

"If I become a martyr, it's the will of God. If the fighting ends, it's the will of God, too," says Khan, his green turban covering short-cropped black hair. "If I live or if I die, it's up to God, because I know I am already on the right path."

In 1996, Khan left his religious school in the Pakistani town of Mardan to join the Taliban on a front just north of Jalalabad, a strategic eastern city near the

Pakistani border.

He recalls the head of the religious school telling him: "Whoever wants to become close to God should fight in the jihad."

Jihad, or holy war, is the term many Afghan factions — even those on opposing sides — choose to describe a conflict that began in 1979 when Soviet troops invaded to prop up a Marxist government against Islamic opponents.

In Jalalabad, Khan's training went no further than a few minutes of instruction in how to use a Kalashnikov rifle. He fought there for five months, losing his younger brother. He returned to his family in Kabul for eight months, then grew bored with the business of trading wheat and flour and eager to begin fighting again.

"It was tough to spend night after night in the house," says Khan, running his fingers through his still-thin beard as his smiling comrades listen. "One morning, I woke up early to pray and just decided to go. I got my blanket and came here."

His parents have no idea where he is. He has given his address to his fellow soldiers so they know where to take his body if he dies.

"I'm happier here than with my family," he says.

A little after noon, after a lunch of bread, a stew of okra and potatoes, rice and a yogurt drink, a lone soldier stands outside, again giving the call to prayer. It begins with "God is great," a phrase repeated three times. Men walk off into the desert with pitchers of water to perform the ritual washing before they pray.

Another fighter sweeps dust off the mats. The men then line up, again praying in unison in a moment of purpose.

To the side of the praying Khan

is his Kalashnikov rifle, a white and-pink paper flower tied at its end. The flower, a symbol of peace, is an odd sight in Afghanistan, where neither Khan nor any of his friends, all in their 20s, can remember anything but war.

Khan says even here, the flower is a symbol of peace, but in an Afghan way. "Peace will only come through war," he says.

In the past few weeks, Khan has not fired his rifle all that much.

The front north of Kabul, one of four in the country, has stayed relatively quiet. Often, the men do nothing more than roam about the camp, the dirt packed as hard as pavement, waiting for something to happen. At these times, they share a camaraderie — there is no rank among the Taliban, only a commander and the fighters.

Before sunset, the men sit on the mats, sharing snuff, chatting or waving at the passing Taliban cars flying the white flag that is meant to symbolize the army's religious purity.

The idleness does not bother Khan.

"Even if we're killed in the bus on the way to fighting, we're going to heaven," he says. "And if we live, we're heroes."

At night, Khan stands up, his voice carrying the call to prayer. The thunder of shells mixes with his words. A flash of lightning brightens the horizon, and more thunder rolls across the plain. The men gather again for prayer.

That same scene will be repeated in camps like Khan's tomorrow and perhaps for months and years to come. For how long is a question Khan insists never crosses his mind.

"That's a question for God, not for us," he says.

Albright urges wealthy Arabs to halt funding of Islamic militants

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) — Employing straight-talking diplomacy, Secretary of State Madeleine Albright urged wealthy Arab countries Sunday to deny financial aid to Islamic militants waging a war of terror against Israel.

She also made a pitch for women in Arab societies, telling foreign ministers from Saudi Arabia and five other Arab states that they should put the issue high on their agenda.

Nearing the end of her first trip to the Middle East as secretary of state, Albright made no claims of a breakthrough in Arab-Israeli peacemaking. She has set up some preliminary talks in Washington and New York later in the month that could pay off eventually.

One set of talks will involve Israeli and Palestinian diplomats; the other, Israeli and Syrian. "Small steps are better than no steps," she said at a news conference here after meeting with King Hussein.

She said she hoped that would "reenergize the peace process and dig us out of this crisis of confidence."

The King praised her efforts. "There is something fresh in the air. There is something new in the air," he said. "Someone who speaks the truth, not diplomatically, but accurately."

"There seems to be willingness on both sides, but there is a gap where Israel would like to start and where Syria would like to start, she said in a speech to some 1000 American, British and French troops at a Saudi air base from which jets patrol the skies over southern Iraq.

"You are the teeth that keep him in line," Albright said of Iraqi President Saddam Hussein. "When tested, you bite."

It was a fast-paced day in searing heat, beginning in Jiddah, the Saudi Red Sea port; moving on to Abha, a resort in the Saudi mountains near the Yemen border, where six Persian Gulf foreign ministers met; to the Prince Sultan air base; and then to Jordan for a meeting with King Hussein.

With the possibility of a short trip to strife-beset Lebanon still open, Albright was due to fly home to Washington on Monday. She will

leave behind a stern warning that she would not come back just to "tread water," but only if Arab and Israeli leaders made hard decision on peacemaking.

Albright's appeal to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Bahrain, and the United Arab Emirates to deny funds to Hamas and other militant Islamic groups was aimed at contributions raised in the

countries.

"The Arab states have a responsibility, which you also have recognized to support the peace process and work against the enemies of peace," Albright said, "to do your utmost to ensure that no assistance of any kind reaches the practitioners of extremist violence such as Hamas."

The speech to the foreign minis-

ters gathered at Abha was coupled with an appeal for help from the Palestinian Authority. State Department spokesman James Rubin said Saudi Arabia immediately pledged \$10 million to Yasser Arafat's group.

"It is our belief these governments do not support Hamas with official funds," Rubin said. But the Clinton administration would like to dry up fund raising and improve intelligence exchanges with the Arab governments.

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Dr. Kendall H. Wong received his Bachelor of Science degree in Medical Technology at California State University in Sacramento and his Medical Degree from Loyola University in Chicago in 1994. He has recently opened his practice in Internal Medicine in Odessa in association with Dr. Scott Sanford, and is now accepting new patients. Dr. Wong will be seeing adults with problems such as hypertension, diabetes, and heart and lung diseases. In addition, he will offer preventive care services for healthy patients. Dr. Wong selected his specialty because it offers him a wide range of opportunities to serve his patients through the art and science of medicine. Dr. Wong discovered West Texas on a visit to Big Spring and was immediately impressed with the quality of its people. "When my family and I moved recently to Odessa, our neighbors were so nice that they held an ice cream party to welcome us to the neighborhood," states Wong. Dr. Wong and his wife, Marinda, reside in Odessa with their three children - Melanie, Derek and Ryan.

Bosnians vote in final day of local elections

By Alda Cerkez
Associated Press Writer

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Overcoming fears of violence, Bosnians flooded polling stations Sunday to vote in local elections that could alter the divided country's ethnic map.

The unexpectedly high turnout during weekend voting forced election organizers to open additional polling stations and drew praise from international officials.

"It proves the hunger for democracy in this country," said Carlos Westendorp, the top international envoy in Bosnia.

The results of the voting — the first local elections in Bosnia since the end of its 3 1/2-year civil war — are not expected for days. But the number of refugees who crossed former front lines to cast ballots in their prewar hometowns suggest the outcome may change Bosnia's political and ethnic landscape.

A spokesman for the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, David Foley, estimated Sunday that 89 percent of those eligible to vote registered in their prewar hometowns.

That could have serious repercussions in areas now controlled by other ethnic groups — if, as expected, refugees elect municipal officials from their own ethnic groups. Such a result would reverse losses suffered during the 1992-1995 civil war.

The elections were one more step in a strategy by Western nations to force Bosnians of all ethnic backgrounds to coexist. Organizers have said they won't certify the elections as free and fair unless local councils abide by the voters' wishes by the end of the year. Sanctions could be



Bosnian Muslim woman helps a boy insert her ballot for the Bosnian municipality elections in Sarajevo Sunday. About 2.5 million citizens including 400,000 outside Bosnia are registered to vote for 136 municipal councils. Rather than knitting the country back together again, as international organizers hope, the polling is expected to confirm the deep divide between Bosnia's Muslims, Serbs and Croats.

imposed to isolate communities that insist on continued separatism.

That prospect clearly preoccupied Serb officials over the weekend as they watched buses full of Muslims pull up to vote and absentee ballots pour in from abroad.

Observers said it would be difficult for Serbs and Muslims to work together on town councils.

"It will be very, very hard," said Dragan Coric, a Serb judge who heads the Rogatica electoral commission.

Many refugees, fearing ethnic confrontations if they tried to return to their hometowns to vote, cast absentee ballots. Some 400,000 people voted outside Bosnia.

About 35,000 voters were expected to cross the line separating the Serb and Muslim-Croat

halves of Bosnia.

Ethnic Serb refugees showed up en masse in the Croat-controlled western town of Drvar. About 500 spent Saturday night in tents and around campfires outside the town so that they could vote Sunday.

"We don't need anything — neither food nor drink — only to vote," said Nada Ceko, a Serb refugee from Drvar, now living in northeastern Serb-controlled Bijeljina.

Serb refugees had been delayed by "attempts by Croat staff to process voters as slowly as possible," said Foley, the OSCE spokesman. Other OSCE officials said the sheer number of Serb vot-

ers and the process of verifying documents caused unintentional delays.

In the Muslim-dominated central Bosnian town of Travnik, local officials feared that not all 2,700 people from 89 townships would be able to vote at the one polling station to which they were assigned before it closed at 7 p.m.

The OSCE ordered a repeat vote Sunday for one voting station in the Serb-controlled northern city of Brcko after discovering that election staff had distributed ballots on Saturday to people registered to vote elsewhere.

Serbs said thousands of their voters had been disenfranchised by strict election rules.

Alexa Buha, a top Bosnian Serb official, said Sunday that he was "bitter that so many of our citizens, especially thousands in Brcko, have been denied their right to vote."

The voting deadline will be extended in Drvar and Brcko until all voters cast their ballots, said OSCE spokeswoman Melissa Fleming.

Croats in some central Bosnian towns were boycotting the election, which appeared certain to cut into the dominance of the main Croat party, and some polling stations didn't open at all Saturday in the Croat-controlled, central Bosnian town of Zepce.

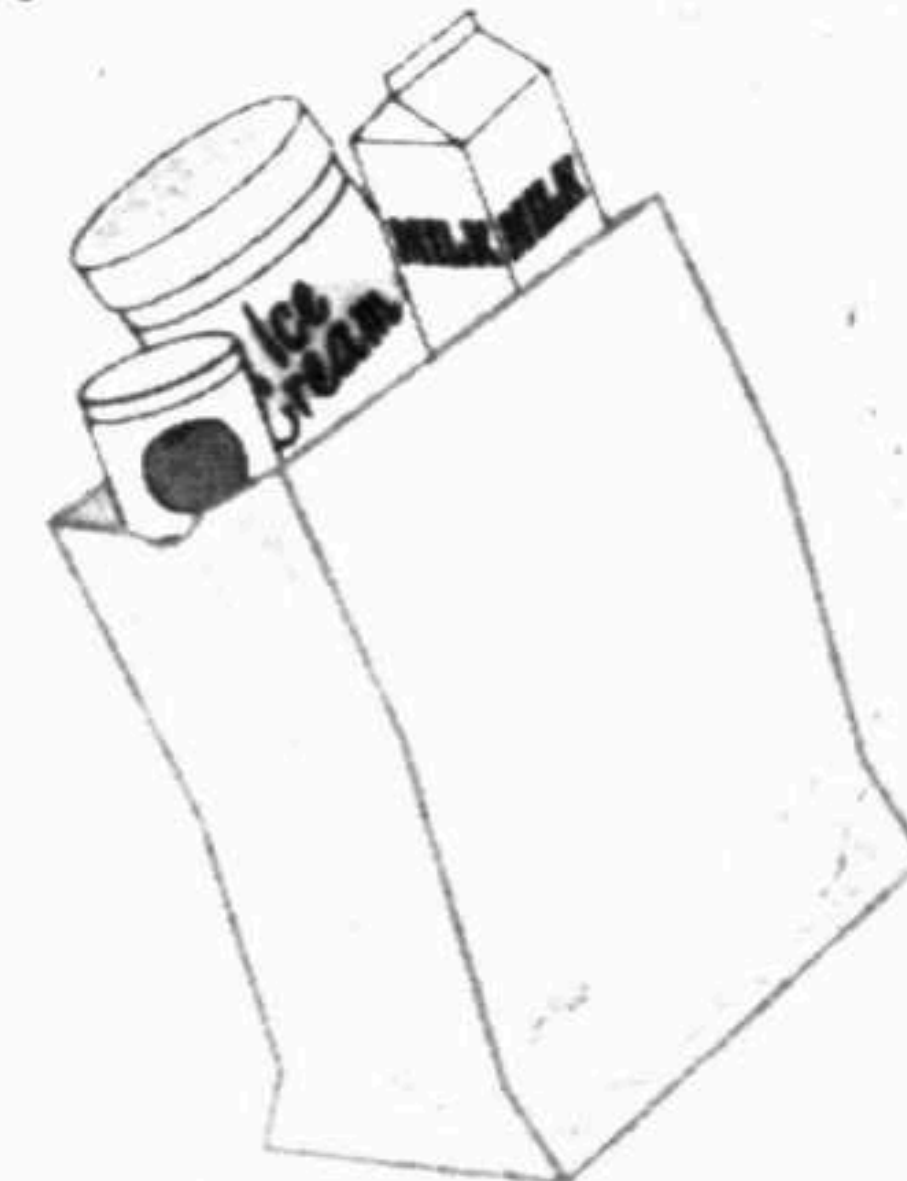
"This foolish attempt to block the process," Foley said, would hurt the Croats, since Muslims' votes would still be counted, "and some people may not be represented" in Zepce.

On Sunday, Foley said that all polling stations were open in Zepce, but local media in Sarajevo reported no Bosnian Croats voted.

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After receiving his Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering from Brigham Young University, Dr. Smith went on to earn his Medical Degree in Orthopaedic Surgery from UCLA. He served his residency at the UCLA Medical Center where he also received a fellowship in spinal care. His focus on neck and back problems was the result of "the tremendous need for the care and treatment of these very critical areas," says Smith. "Back surgical techniques have advanced dramatically, allowing the successful elimination of pain in many cases. It is very satisfying to see patients who thought that they had to live with back pain smile with pleasure when they experience the results of successful back surgery," he adds. A member of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, Dr. Smith is excited with his recent move to Midland. "The people in West Texas are great — so different from Southern California. There's a down-home, value-oriented family feel to Midland that you don't find in many other areas. My family and I are looking forward to becoming involved in community activities and enjoying life in West Texas," he adds. Dr. Smith and his wife, Sheila, have four children — Jeffrey Jr., Karlene, Zachary, and Noah — and enjoy outdoor activities such as snow skiing, fishing, and water skiing.

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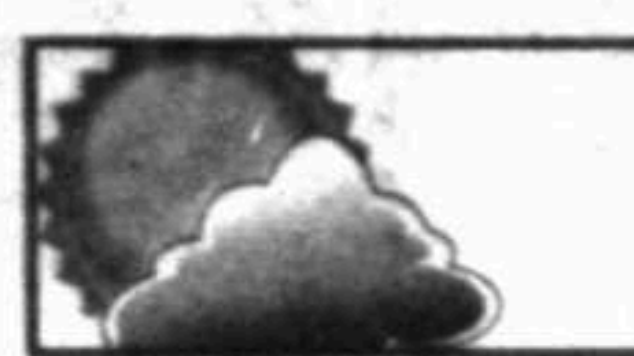
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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast



Today
Partly cloudy
High 94
Low 65



Tuesday
Partly cloudy
High 94
Low 65



Wednesday
Partly cloudy
High 94
Low 66

Today's weather forecast calls for sunny skies early in the day, becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon with a less than 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. The high is expected to be between 90 and 95 degrees with winds from the south at 10 to 20 mph.

Tonight is expected to be partly cloudy with a less than 20 percent chance of evening thunderstorms, with a low between 65 and 70 degrees. The forecast for Tuesday calls for sunny skies, becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon with a less than 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. The high should be between 90 and 95 degrees.

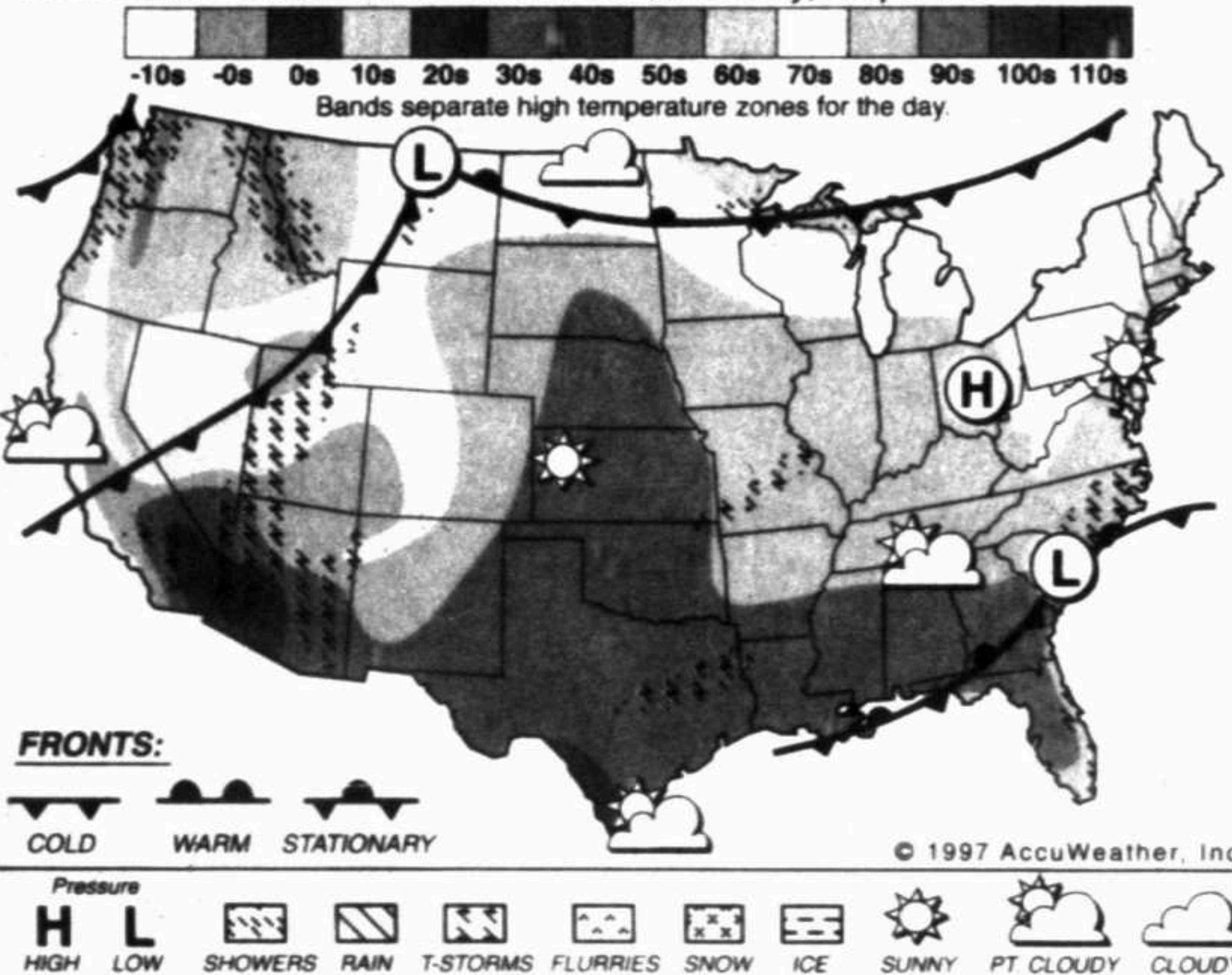
Sunday's high was 94 degrees, compared with a record high of 99 set in 1965. The low was 69, compared with a record low of 51 set in 1993.

Yesterday's precipitation		Yesterday's temperatures	
Rainfall Sunday	.00 in.	High	94
Rainfall Saturday	.00 in.	Low	69
Total for month	.55 in.	Normal high	86
Total for year	13.42 in.	Normal low	62

Sunrise 7:33 a.m. Sunset 7:54 p.m.

National forecast

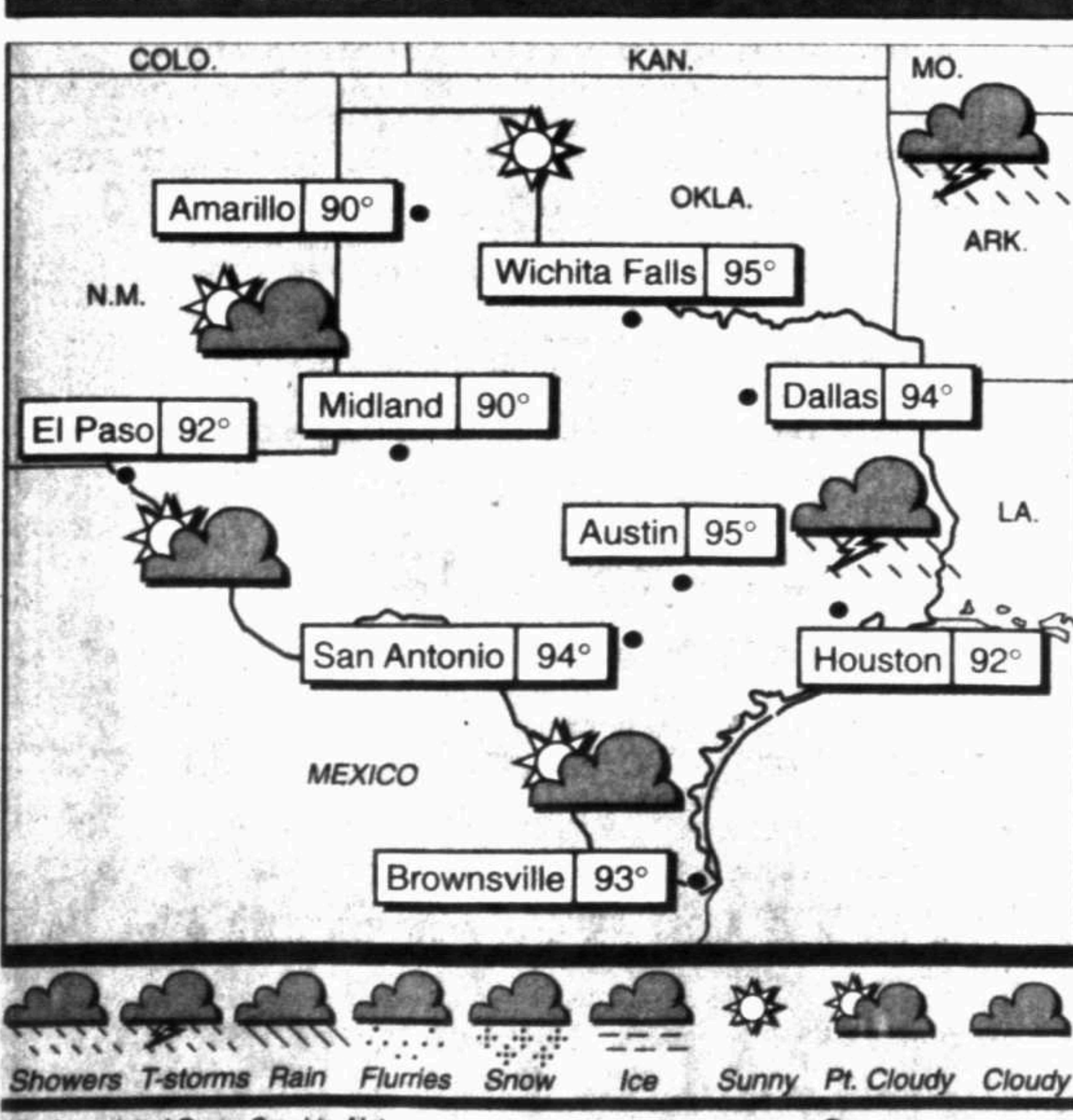
The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Monday, Sept. 15.



United States temperatures

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 8:33 p.m. EDT				Juneau				66	43	cly
	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otk	Kansas City	84	64			
Albany, N.Y.	77	61	cly		Las Vegas	96	77			
Albuquerque	87	59	cly		Little Rock	92	67	cly		
Amarillo	90	63		cly	Los Angeles	90	66	cly		
Anchorage	61	45	cly		Louisville	83	61	cly		
Asheville	79	56	cly		Memphis	88	64	cly		
Atlanta	87	60	cly		Miami Beach	84	75	81		
Atlantic City	80	57	cly		Milwaukee	73	64	81		
Baltimore	80	60	cly		Mobile-St. Paul	78	57			
Billings	78	55	cly		New Orleans	83	60	cly		
Birmingham	88	57	cly		New York City	93	75	cly		
Bismarck	88	55	95	m	Norfolk, Va.	80	64	cly		
Boise	86	62	m		North Platte	84	61	01		
Boston	68	60	cly		Oklahoma City	91	74	cly		
Boulder	93	76	01	cly	Omaha	81	62	cly		
Buffalo	72	56	cly		Orlando	93	72	cly		
Burlington, Vt.	74	61	43	cly	Philadelphia	78	61	cly		
Casper	86	53	cly		Phoenix	101	83	cly		
Charleston, S.C.	87	67	cly		Pittsburgh	73	56	cly		
Charleston, W. Va.	77	53	cly		Portland, Maine	75	59	cly		
Charlotte, N.C.	88	67	cly		Portland, Ore.	73	59	41		
Cheyenne	81	51	cly		Providence	74	58	cly		
Chicago	77	60	cly		Raleigh-Durham	82	60	cly		
Cincinnati	79	55	cly		Rapid City	91	57	cly		
Cleveland	73	54	cly		Reno	77	57	cly		
Columbia, S.C.	92	67	cly		Richmond	81	59	cly		
Columbus, Ohio	78	58	cly		Sacramento	81	61	cly		
Concord, N.H.	79	57	cly		St. Louis	84	69	cly		
Dayton	78	55	cly		San Lake City	90	85	m		
Denver	85	55	85		San Diego	92	69	cly		
Des Moines	78	63	cly		San Francisco	76	64	cly		
Detroit	72	55	cly		San Juan, P.R.	89	78	05		
Duluth	78	57	cly		Santa Fe	91	56	cly		
Evansville	83	61	cly		St. Joe, Maine	67	51	cly		
Fairbanks	60	40	cly		Seattle	73	55	33		
Fargo	80	57	m		Shreveport	94	66	cly		
Flagstaff	75	47	m		Sioux Falls	81	53	cly		
Grand Rapids	73	58	14	cly	Spokane	71	54	cly		
Great Falls	72	41	m		Syracuse	73	59	cly		
Greensboro, N.C.	80	62	cly		Tampa-St. Pstrbg	93	75	37		
Hartford	79	59	cly		Tucson	94	62	cly		
Helena	80	49	m		Tulson	95	72	28		
Honolulu	92	76	24	cly	Tulsa	91	68	cly		
Indianapolis	76	61	cly		Washington, D.C.	81	62	cly		
Jackson, Miss.	90	58	01	cly	Waco	96	64	cly		
Jacksonville	92	71	03	cly	Wikes-Barre	74	54	cly		

State forecast



Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 7 p.m. CDT			
City	High	Low	Pcp.
Abilene	95	70	
Alice	99	75	
Amarillo	97	73	0.01
Armadillo	97	73	
Austin	95	72	
Beaumont	92	74	
Brownsville	93	75	0.01
Burnet	94	72	
Childress	89	68	0.75
College Station	97	70	
Comstock	96	68	
Corpus Christi	96	71	0.03
Covina	96	71	
Culbuck	101	74	
Dallas	94	61	
Del Rio	97	78	
Denton	97	71	
El Paso	94	69	
Fort Stockton	96	75	
Fort Worth	95	75	
Galveston	90	78	
Hartlingen	94	74	
Hondo	94	74	
Houston	93	75	
Huntsville	94	70	
Junction	95	68	
Kingsville	97	74	
Laredo	97	77	
Lubbock	89	65	0.73
Lufkin	96	66	
Marfa	86	61	
McAllen	99	77	
Mineral Wells	99	72	
Navy Corps	92	77	
New Braunfels	97	70	0.06
Palacios	92	75	
Paris	93	70	
Rockport	90	79	
San Antonio	97	73	
Tarleton	96	72	
Texasville, Ark.	93	72	
Victoria	94	71	0.05
Waco	97	78	
Wichita Falls	93	73	
Wink	94	71	

HEARING: Former presidential aide to testify

(From 1A)

Ickes insisted he knew of no plans to charge donors for the privilege of attending White House social events with Clinton or to sleep in the Lincoln Bedroom.

"As far as I know, there was no direct connection between an amount of money that you gave and being invited to the White House," Ickes said in his deposition.

"Had I known of it, I would have not only disapproved of it I would have told them to stop doing it," he said.

Even though his files contained DNC projections for amounts of money to be raised at White House coffee klatches, Ickes said: "I did not pay that much attention to the dollar amounts put by each event."

"That was something professional fund-raisers estimated," Ickes said.

Ickes said he was more concerned about whether "enough money was coming in, hard and

soft, to finance the upcoming cash flow" and "did the fund-raisers need additional events?"

Ickes said Clinton made only a few fund-raising calls. Clinton himself has left open the possibility he called donors but has no specific recollection of telephoning any.

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., told CNN's "Late Edition" that he was disturbed that "Ickes knew that the president made phone calls from the White House."

"The president has denied remembering that he made these calls and apparently it was an ongoing operation," said McCain, a co-sponsor of legislation to reform campaign fund raising.

Ickes said he learned Clinton had followed through on his infrequent requests to make calls "when I was fortunate enough to find out that he had, in fact, made a phone call."

"I would ask the president if he would make calls. He didn't volunteer to make calls," Ickes said. To make sure Clinton made the calls, Ickes said, "I would bug him

in a very low-keyed way as to whether he had made or was intending to make the phone calls."

Ickes couldn't recall any specific discussions about the legality of the calls, but said he was confident he was by "one of the many, many lawyers that inhabit the White House Counsel's Office."

Ickes says he wasn't privy to any discussions among Gore's advisers about whether it was legal for the vice president to make fund-raising calls from the White House.

"I did not deal in that regard with the vice president," Ickes said. "He had his own counsel and his own political staff."

The former deputy White House chief of staff was first questioned before Senate investigators learned that the DNC had placed \$120,000 in unregulated "soft money" donations raised by Gore's telephone calls in an account for "hard-money" contributions.

"Soft money" contributions are for party-building activities and are

not limited; "hard money" is strictly regulated by campaign-finance laws.

Last week, Senate Republicans produced three 1996 memos by Ickes as evidence that Gore knew that some of the money he was raising in the phone calls would be covered by the statute that bars him from soliciting donations on government property.

But Democrats and the White House argued the memos, even if Gore read them, were not proof the vice president knew that his calls to donors would produce "hard-money" contributions.

Senate investigators also want to know whether Ickes has knowledge of an apparent plan by the DNC to request \$1 million from the Teamsters Union to state and local party affiliates. A memo making the proposal was sent under the name of the DNC's finance director but was actually written by an official in Clinton's re-election campaign, several sources have told The Associated Press.

EMMYS: Lithgow repeats as best comedy actor

(From 1A)

questions her partner's beliefs in otherworldly events.

The offbeat Fox network drama has grown steadily in popularity and ratings, and has triggered a wave of knock-offs on rival networks.

Anderson thanked her family for being so normal about her new celebrity, then joked: "I want to shake them and say, 'Don't you know who I am?'"

Television's top-rated program, "ER," went into the evening with the most nominations but failed to receive a single award in the primetime ceremony. The medical drama had won three technical trophies in a non-televised ceremony last weekend.

Helen Hunt, whose character entered the realm of motherhood in "Mad About You," won best actress in a comedy series.

Television academy voters chose her performance over that of Ellen DeGeneres, whose "Ellen" character entered a different realm, declaring her lesbianism in a controversial episode last season.

"I was so blown away by Ellen DeGeneres' work in that episode," Hunt told the star-studded Pasadena Civic Auditorium audience. "I just want to say I'm proud to be in the same list."

John Lithgow repeated as best actor in a comedy series with his antic performances as an alien visitor to Earth in "3rd Rock from the Sun." Co-star Kristen Johnston won supporting actress in a comedy series, her first nomination.

Michael Richards, the manic neighbor Kramer on "Seinfeld," won best supporting actor in a comedy series for the third time in five nominations.

"Miss Evers' Boys," an HBO film based on the true story of

notorious medical experiments on unsuspecting black men won three prestigious awards.

The show was named best made-for-television movie, received the President's Award for socially worthwhile programming and captured an acting award for Alfre Woodard.

Actor Laurence Fishburne, who was executive producer of the movie, saluted the survivors and President Clinton, "who had the decency to make a moral apology" for the experiments.

Awards for supporting actor and actress in a drama series went to Delaney of "NYPD Blue" and Hector Elizondo of "Chicago Hope."

"As my twisted character might say right now, 'I'd love a tequila shooter,'" said Delaney, who plays a recovering alcoholic police detective.

Elizondo captured his first Emmy after four nominations.

"Thanks to West 177th Street in New York for raising me right," said Elizondo, who also thanked his parents for teaching him "that having bad manners is much worse than being poor."

The trophy for best variety, music or comedy series went to "Tracey Takes On..." which stars Tracey Ullman in offbeat skits. Jay Leno, David Letterman, Bill Maher and Dennis Miller were losers in the category.

"As the Spice Girls would say: Girl Power! I beat the boys," Ullman declared.

DeGeneres' comedy "Ellen" won for outstanding writing for a comedy series. And she dedicated the award to gay and lesbian teenagers, telling them: "There's nothing wrong with you. Don't ever let anybody make you feel ashamed of who you are."

Armand Asante was honored as best actor in a miniseries or spe-



Kristen Johnston hugs "3rd Rock from the Sun" co-star John Lithgow after she won an Emmy for outstanding supporting actress in a comedy series. Lithgow won best actor in a comedy series.

cial for his portrayal of convicted mobster John Gotti in HBO's "Gotti."

The award for best performance in a variety or music program went to Bette Midler for her HBO special "Bette Midler: Diva Las Vegas." The performer was her usual sassy self as she accepted the trophy.

"I'm really, really surprised. Last time I came I didn't win a thing. I had a new dress for it so I was extremely pissed," she said.

NBC and HBO tied with nine awards each Sunday night but NBC emerged as the overall winner, including awards from the previous ceremony for a total of 24 to HBO's 19. CBS had 12 awards, followed by ABC with 10, PBS with six and Fox with five.

NBC's "ER" was the leading nominee with 22 bids, followed by HBO's "The Larry Sanders Show" with 16 nominations. "The X-Files" with 12 and "NYPD Blue" with 11.

NBC was the most-nominated network with 92. HBO was close behind with 90, while CBS had 60 nominations and ABC with 44. Fox earned 19 bids and 18 went to PBS.

NBC's "ER" and "3rd Rock from the Sun" topped the list of programs honored earlier, each holding three technical Emmys.

Sunday's show was expected to be seen in 90 foreign countries by an estimated overseas audience of more than a half-billion viewers, the academy said.

PLANES: No distress calls received, spokesman says

(From 1A)

right now, but we are assuming that," Sgt. Ellen Schirmer said.

She said officials also were investigating any connection with the German plane, which she noted went missing "about the same time and about the same place that we lost contact" with the C-141.

The C-141, assigned to the 305th Air Mobility wing at McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey, had just flown cargo from Ascension Island, a British territory, to Namibia and was returning to the island Saturday, Schirmer said.

The names of the crew members were not released. They "came from Rhode Island to California so

it is difficult to notify their families," Schirmer said.

The plane left Namibia at 4:11 p.m. Saturday local time and was due at 7:51 p.m. Rescue efforts were being coordinated through the Atlantic Command out of Norfolk, Va., Schirmer said.

The Soviet-made German air force plane was en route from Germany to Cape Town, South Africa, where soldiers were to have participated in a boat race marking the 75th anniversary of the South African navy.

"There is no hope, but we will do everything to find out what happened," Ruehe said.

No distress call was received by ships or other planes in the area or by satellite, he added.

Presumed killed were 12 German marines, two of their spouses, and 10 crew members.

Two German maritime patrol aircraft and a coordination team were dispatched to the area late Sunday to begin looking for wreckage, Ruehe said.

South Africa and France were sending planes as well, and Ruehe said Britain and the United States also had been asked to help.

The Soviet-made Tupolev model from the former East German army was taken over by the Luftwaffe during German reunification in 1990.

It was built in 1989 and was last inspected only a month ago, Ruehe said.

It usually is used for missions related to verifying "open skies" arms control treaties, as well as transporting politicians, although none were aboard this flight.

The crew's last direct contact with the ground was with controllers in Accra, Ghana, before the plane headed out over the Atlantic. An indirect communication was received when it was 930 miles off the coast of Angola.

It was declared missing after it failed to arrive for a refueling stop in Windhoek, Namibia, and officials determined it had not landed at any other airport.

The last reported Tupolev crash was in August 1996, when a Russian plane carrying miners went down, killing at least 140 people.

MISS TEXAS: Hughes tells successors to relax and enjoy experience

(From 1A)

weeks for anything," she said.

Hughes, a native of Midland, Texas, failed to be named one of the 10 finalists Saturday night.

Hughes' father, Paul, beamed proudly as he watched his daughter hug and thank a nearly endless line of well-wishers at Atlantic City's Convention Center.

"I couldn't be more proud of my daughter than I am right now," he said. "A lot of these people spent \$1,000, maybe more, to come here, wanting to see Reagan win."

"And what is the first thing they want to do after finding out she lost? To give her a hug and tell her how proud they are of her. That's not losing."

Reagan's mother, Debi, said her daughter's easy manner helped many of the people who met her this week feel close to the 22-year-old Baylor University senior.

"What you see is what you get with Reagan," Mrs. Hughes said. "That's why there's so many people here now. After they meet her once or twice, people feel as if they know her, and so they want to let her know how badly they feel that she didn't win."

Earlier in the week, Hughes competed in four preliminary contests that determined who moved on to Saturday night's final competition, which was won by Miss Illinois, Katherine Shindle. For

winning the Miss America title, Shindle was awarded a \$40,000 scholarship.

During the preliminary competition's talent contest, Hughes, wearing the costume of a peasant woman during the French Revolution, performed the song, "I Dreamed A Dream," from the musical "Les Miserables."

In the evening wear portion of the competition, Hughes wore a sparkling, lavender gown and answered questions on mentoring school children and current events.

In the preliminary swimsuit competition, which had been the center of controversy since pageant officials announced contestants could choose to wear one-piece or two-piece bathing suits, Hughes wore a black one-piece with mesh in the middle.

Mr. Hughes, proudly wearing a tuxedo with a Texas-flag vest, said he wouldn't have changed anything about his daughter's performance during the preliminary competition.

"People ask me if I wish Reagan had won tonight," he said. "I say

absolutely not, not if it means Reagan would have to be someone different than who she is."

Mr. Hughes said his only disappointment about the pageant was how little time the 41 contestants who did not make the final cut were given on the television broadcast.

"It's a shame that after all their hard work, there's no way to give each girl her own minute or two during the show, especially for the girls who don't have much in the way of state pageant duties," said Mr. Hughes, who works for an insurance company in Midland, Texas.

But with an average of about 400 appearances scheduled each year for Miss Texas, Hughes won't have to worry about lack of media exposure.

"It's true, not winning the Miss America title doesn't mean I'm going to be any less busy than Miss America," said Hughes.

"I'm really looking forward to having a full year as Miss Texas to help kids," said Hughes, a volunteer at the Big Sister-Big Brother Organization in Waco, Texas.

Hughes, who left Atlantic City on Sunday, said she would have about two weeks off before her speaking engagements as Miss Texas begin next month.

"It'll be great to have some time to spend with my family and friends, because after October

starts, I'm not going to have much time for anything," she said.

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WEEK: Scholars praise flexibility of Constitution, wisdom of framers

(From 1A)

wide. In addition, the Col. Theunis Dey and Lt. William Brewer Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will host Floy Lilley, program manager of the Clint W. Murchison Sr. Chair of Free Enterprise at the University of Texas in Austin, speaking on the "Erosion of the Constitution" Tuesday.

Mills, for one, disagrees that individual and states' rights under the Constitution have eroded.

"The states have more power now than they have ever had under the Constitution, and more responsibility, and it's rather obvious it's because we have more people and more services provided by the state. Of course our federal government has more responsibility and power today, but so do the states. We fought a Civil War in the 1860s over states' rights and another in the 1960s over civil rights. In both cases it was determined that states do not have rights, people do."

Perry agreed: "Overall, I don't think individuals are losing rights. Relative to 100 years ago, more people have gained rights," he said. He pointed out that "I think many people were excluded from the Constitution. It wasn't meant to have everyone represented. But rather than becoming cynical, it requires a greater effort to be involved in government. You're working out society's compromises, and some people are going to lose some rights. Any right gained is at the expense of another right."

After winning its independence from Great Britain in 1783, the United States lived for several years under the Articles of Confederation, which created a national government that had no power to levy taxes and gave the 13 original states equal powers and the right to coin their own money and negotiate their own treaties. The system also required unanimity before any changes could go into effect.

Statesmen such as George Washington and Alexander Hamilton saw the need for a strong national government and in 1786 representatives of five states met in Annapolis and agreed to appoint commissioners from each state to meet in Philadelphia and revise the Articles of Confederation.

Instead, the 55 delegates from 12 states — Rhode Island refused to participate — saw that a new document would have to be written, Mills said.

"That's why at the convention they swore one another to secrecy about what they were doing, which was devising a new form of government."

Virginian James Madison, who later served as the country's fourth president, is widely considered the "father of the Constitution," bringing the system of government that was eventually adopted to the

convention.

"The plan Madison brought was called the Virginia Plan or the Large State plan because it required proportional representation based on population," Mills said. "There was also the New Jersey plan, and the delegates compromised between the two in writing the Constitution."

The Constitution did not create democracy, Mills said, but created a republican form of government, a representative form of government. He pointed out that until the 17th Amendment allowing for the popular election of U.S. senators, the only government officials elected by the people were the House of Representatives. Senators were appointed by state legislatures, who were elected by the people in their respective states and the president was elected by the Electoral College, which is chosen by the popular vote in each state.

"Madison came up with this plan because the nation at that time, and of course it still is today, was faced with the problem of pluralism. We have so many kinds of people — ethnic groups, religious groups — today, and we did then. Madison was fearful of factions and devised a government so that a faction could not control all forms of government. A faction might control the House but not the Senate; or control Congress but not the President; or the Congress and President but not the courts. That's the separation of powers

idea, and it works well. We operate fairly well under a divided government. The separation of powers is an experiment that has been very successful," Mills said.

Perry called the separation of powers prescient. "What amazes me is that they foresaw society dividing into factions, which we're seeing today," he said. "Madison said you can't make government change human nature; you have to create a government that works with human nature. If society divides into groups, make a government that works with that. We've seen that happen over 200 years. No one branch of government representing one faction can become too powerful."

He said the freedom of expression is the most important individual right because without it, "representation can't work and hence democracy can't work."

According to Mills, Madison promised that if the Constitution was ratified without a Bill of Rights, the first order of business for the first Congress would be to add the Bill of Rights. And indeed, when the first Congress met, Madison proposed 19 amendments, 10 of them ratified in 1791 and becoming the Bill of Rights. Ironically, Mills said, the last constitutional amendment, which was ratified in 1992 and prohibits a congressman from raising his salary while serving in office unless he's reelected, was also one of the 19 Madison had proposed 200 years earlier.

"Out of the 55 delegates at the convention, about 12 actually drew up the docu-

ment, but those 12 men debated every single sentence. They were all very bright men and knew what they were talking about even when they disagreed with one another," Mills said. "The Constitution is probably one of the most wonderful documents mankind has written. I'm not sure we will ever again have that quality of men together at one time in one place."

Mills and Perry both praise the Constitution's flexibility, as evidenced by the fact that it has only been amended 27 times in 210 years.

"It allows for changes without having to change the document because you can use judicial interpretation and interpretation can take into account the times," Mills said.

And they are both amazed, they say, that it is a relatively short document compared to many state constitutions, including the Texas Constitution, one of the longest. Perry added that the United States has had only one Constitution while Texas has had six.

"The document has served us quite well," Mills said. "We obviously went from a backward, very small nation, to the strongest nation on earth under that document."

He added, "I think Madison and the others would be quite pleased the Constitution has held this country together for so many years and through something as tragic as the Civil War."

Stealth fighter crashes into houses during air show; six injured

MIDDLE RIVER, Md. (AP) — An F-117A stealth fighter broke apart during an air show performance and crashed into two houses Sunday, setting both on fire and causing six minor injuries on the ground. The pilot ejected safely.

The crash happened about 3 p.m. as the jet was making its final passes during the Chesapeake Air Show at the Glen Martin State Airport.

Several witnesses said they saw parts of the plane break off just before it went down. Home video of the crash showed a piece of the aircraft, which appeared to be from the tail section, flying off the jet before it went into a slow, flat spin and crashed.

"Some people were saying it was part of the show," said Rudy Medina, who was at the air show. "But I knew it wasn't part of the show."

No aircraft of that caliber disintegrates in midair like that.

The plane, carrying 11,000 pounds of fuel, went down about a mile from the airport, into two houses and two cars at a condo-marina complex on Chesapeake Bay in this suburb northeast of Baltimore.

Baltimore County Fire Capt. Steve Gisriel said six people at the complex suffered only minor injuries and were not hospitalized. Among them was an elderly woman who managed to escape her home seconds after the plane slammed into her garage.

The pilot, identified as Capt. Bryan Knight, was taken to Andrews Air Force Base for evaluation of minor back and neck injuries.

Witness Kimberly Chaapel said she noticed that "part of the wing fell off" before the plane went down and the pilot ejected.

"He started rolling head over tail and (the pilot) ejected probably 500 feet before the ground," she told CNN. "He was very, very lucky."

Andy Kunkowski said he was watching the show from a small boat near the shoreline, and immediately went to the scene of the crash and spoke to the pilot after he parachuted to the ground.

"He said he was truly sorry about what had happened and said he tried to pull it out," Kunkowski said. "He wanted to land this thing in the water, but couldn't."

Gisriel said the fire was under control about an hour after the crash and a three-block area of the neighborhood was evacuated for military officials to conduct their investigation into the cause of the crash. Military police were brought in to help guard the area.

"It is a secret aircraft, obviously we want to protect it the best way we can," said Capt. Drew Sullins, a Maryland National Guard spokesman.

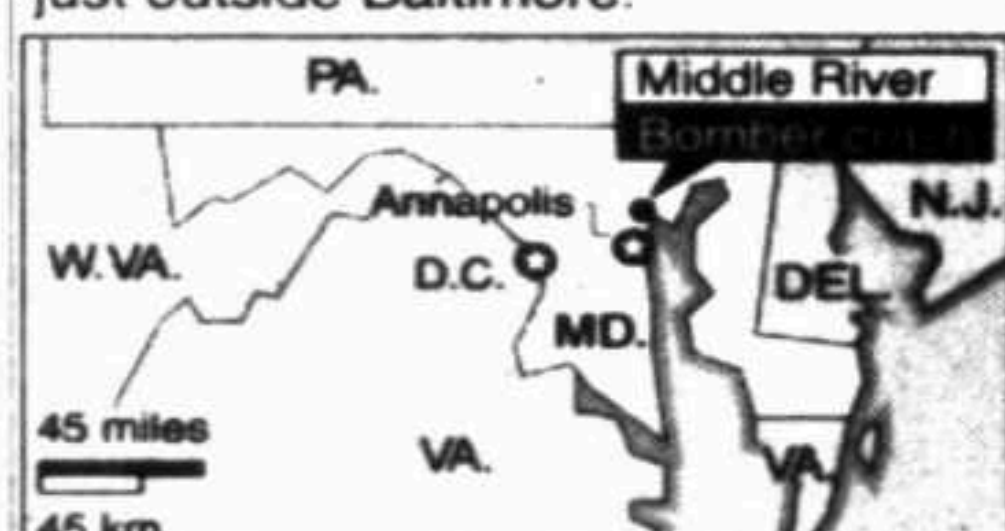
Sullins said he was not aware of any communications between the pilot and the control tower at the airport, but said the aircraft's black box had been recovered.

The Air Force said the F-117A had taken off from Langley Air Force Base, Va., and was to return after flying by the air show.

The aircraft, assigned to the 7th Fighter Squadron, 49th Fighter Wing at Holloman Air Force Base, N.M., was one of two F-117As loaned temporarily at Langley to support air shows along the East Coast, the Air Force said.

Stealth bomber crash

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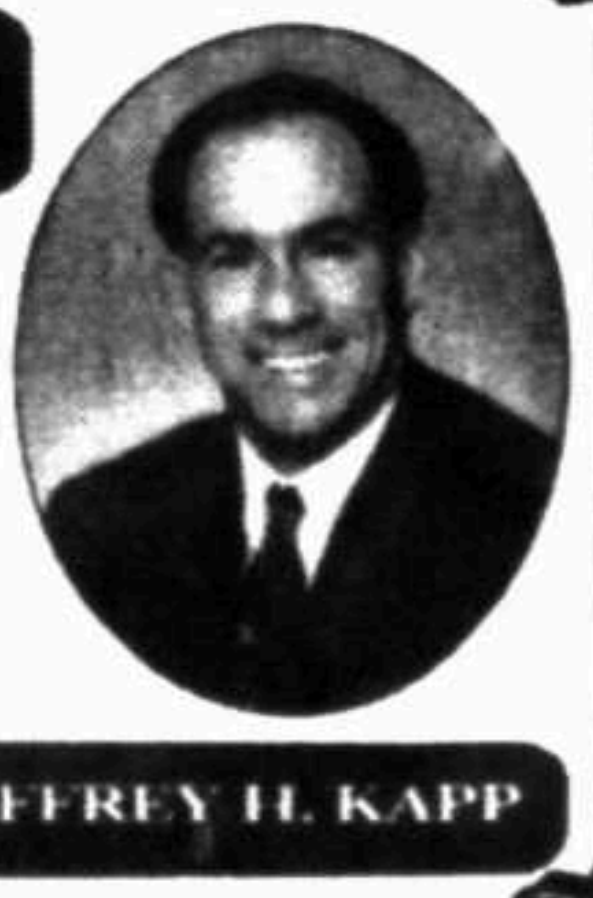
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Revived Nike PBO benefits Scouts

The Boy Scouts of America aren't the only good guys around, it seems. Odessa businessman Bob Glast, who served as tournament director of the 1997 Nike Permian Basin Open, revealed late last week that the tournament was the most charitable in its six-year history. In fact, it raised \$100,553.97 for the Buffalo Trail Council of Boy Scouts of America.

That's almost unbelievable when one considers the fact that eight months ago the Permian Basin Open was considered on its last legs. In fact, the total raised this year is nearly triple the previous record of \$38,561 raised in 1995. What's more, the total should put the PBO among the top Nike events in terms of raising money. That's quite a change from last year's event when the PBO ranked 18th in charitable contributions with \$69,000 less than this year.

Buffalo Trail Council executives were obviously pleased. John Dee Johnson, scout executive, noted, "It has never been this much in the past, so we are very pleased."

Glast credited Bob Dickerson, sponsorship chairman of the PBO, for much of the difference in this year's tournament and Dickerson, in turn, tossed credit back to the Boy Scouts saying, "Once they (tournament sponsors) found out the tournament was for the Boy Scouts, it was an easy sell. Most people have someone or know someone who is in the Boy Scouts. It is the future and easy to see why it wasn't turned down by anybody."

It's good to see the Permian Basin Open so successful and benefiting a great organization like the Boy Scouts of America. That's definitely a winning combination!

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ANOTHER VIEW

Credit goes to Blair for 'saving' monarch

When the British monarchy failed to grasp the impact of Princess Diana's death last week, it was Prime Minister Tony Blair who immediately caught the national mood.

It was Mr. Blair who called Diana "the people's princess," and it was he who convinced the monarchy to play a more visible role in the nation's grieving. And having helped the monarchy survive the week, Mr. Blair went on to reassure the British public that the much-maligned Prince Charles will one day make an excellent king.

The idea of a Labor Party prime minister rescuing the monarchy may seem a bit strange. Even stranger may be the assumption by some pundits that Mr. Blair's guidance will now become essential for steering the hidebound Windsors into the modern age.

— The Philadelphia Inquirer

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Sept. 15, the 258th day of 1997. There are 107 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
 On Sept. 15, 1963, four children were killed when a bomb went off during Sunday services at a black Baptist church in Birmingham, Alabama.

On this date:
 In 1776, British forces occupied New York City during the American Revolution.

In 1789, the U.S. Department of Foreign Affairs was renamed the Department of State.

In 1821, independence was proclaimed for Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and El Salvador.

In 1857, William Howard Taft — who served as president of the United States and as chief justice — was born in Cincinnati, Ohio.

In 1917, Russia was proclaimed a republic by

JACK ANDERSON

Congress moving to reform Internal Revenue

Months of backstage haggling behind them, Congress will bring into public view this week an issue that's dear to Republican hearts: restructuring the Internal Revenue Service.

Hearings begin tomorrow on a plan, based on a commission report released earlier this year, that would bring the tax-collecting agency into the modern age and make it more like a service-oriented corporation than the hidebound bureaucracy it's become.

The agency has wasted several years and billions of dollars on a modernization effort that yielded almost no results. So now Congress — tired of hearing the agency's annual excuses — has decided it's time for drastic change. Republicans also hope they've found a potent issue they can use against President Clinton, who is expected to oppose the bill.

GOP leaders have signaled that IRS reform will be the last item that Congress votes on before adjourning for the year, which could come as early as late October but more likely will be pushed back to around Thanksgiving.

When the vote comes, it will represent a personal victory for Rep. Bill Archer, R-Texas, the chairman of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee. He has made IRS restructuring his top priority for the rest of this Congress. The goal, supporters say, is to bring drastic transformation to an agency that's widely perceived as being rude and

imperious, and which can strike fear into the hearts of the most law-abiding Americans.

"Why can American Express process millions of pieces of paper, and do it politely, and the IRS can't?" Ways and Means spokesman Ari Fleischer asked our associate Aaron Karp. "The answer is that (the IRS is hampered by) the culture of government. ... The rest of the financial services community in America has modernized. The IRS has been left behind."

The bipartisan bill would compel the president to name a seven-person board of directors, culled mostly from the private sector, to run the agency. According to a summary of the bill, board members would be required to have "professional experience and expertise in managing large-scale service organizations." Besides the private sector members, the board would also include the Treasury secretary and a representative from the National Treasury Employees Union.

The board would be responsible for setting major policies and for long-term strategic planning, and would decide how the agency divides up its money every year.

But the bill faces a major hurdle in the Clinton administration, which doesn't like ceding any authority whatsoever over government functions. Administration officials, many of whom saw little harm in inviting unsavory contributors to the White House for coffee, worry that it would be a conflict of interest to have major corporate CEOs overseeing tax policy in Washington. They fear it would formalize the time-honored custom of watering down well-intentioned tax bills with provisions that benefit specific industries.

But the bill's supporters say the board would have

no role in setting tax policy, and would merely advise and instruct the IRS on how to best collect taxes. Besides, board members would fall under the same conflict-of-interest laws that prevent other federal officials from participating in issues that affect their personal bottom line.

UNDER THE DOME — Sometimes it seems like everyone in Washington is a lawyer. Or at least it does to Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa.

Specter, R-Pa., perhaps best known for his haranguing of Anita Hill during the Clarence Thomas hearings in 1991, has been careful not to make waves during the investigation into the campaign fund-raising abuses of 1996. But he just couldn't help himself last week.

After the revelations earlier this month that at least \$120,000 of the money raised by Vice President Al Gore was deposited in "hard-money" accounts, Specter was among the first to call for Gore to voluntarily testify before the committee.

Perhaps wary of the negative publicity he received after cross-examining Hill, Specter has been careful to stress that he's not out to "get" the vice president, and that Gore would be testifying among friends in an attempt to clear his name. But last week, as he was making his pitch before the committee, Specter said, "I'm a lawyer, the president is a lawyer, the vice president is a lawyer."

Alas, while the vice president may indeed be guilty of many things, being a lawyer is not among them. Sen. Fred Thompson, chairman of the committee and himself a lawyer, was quick to point out Specter's error.

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CHARLEY REESE

League of the South ready to secede, by lawful means, that is

As those of you who have read my annual conflict-of-interest column already know, I'm a proud member of the League of the South, and we're planning to secede again.

For the benefit of the FBI, I hasten to add by lawful and honorable means, though FBI agents are so busy being duped by the Israelis into harassing American Muslims (there's a terrorist under every Muslim bed, they stupidly think) that they don't have time to mess with us South-erners.

It would be pretty hard to confuse us good old boys with even a real international terrorist. Knowing a few Catholics is about the extent of our familiarity with exotic religions. I think hash browns are a foreign food. When the new Confederate States of America is formed, I intend to lobby Congress to ban hash browns from being served for breakfast.

Most of you are probably thinking secession is a fanciful and far-fetched idea. Well, maybe it is, but it's no more fanciful and far-fetched than believing that Republicans will ever live up to their conservative speeches. I waited 30 years, three presidents and two Republican congressional majorities for the GOP to close the Grand Canyon-size gap between its conservative rhetoric and its liberal actions. Then I boogied. I'll give any idea 30 years, but not 31.

Secession is no more fanciful and far-fetched than believing Republicans and Democrats who tell you that by increasing spending and cutting government income, they can balance the budget. You're about as likely to see that happen as you are to see the Confederate flag flying at a National Association for the Advancement of Colored People convention.

Nor is secession any more far-fetched than expecting the Democratic Party to give up its long love affair with socialism or to quit playing racial, ethnic, sexual and environmental politics. Democrats gave up the idea of attracting the votes of normal people a long time ago.

Besides, this time we are running a more inclusive secession movement. Anybody who likes a constitutional republic of sovereign states and buttered grits can go with us. I've suggested in the past that it would probably be a good idea if all 50 states seceded. That way we could leave the District of Columbia with the \$5 trillion national debt. Those folks are used to not paying their bills, and it wouldn't hurt their conscience a bit to default on a few trillion more. In the District they seem to think that anyone who expects people to obey the law and pay their bills is a racist.

There's some folks unconnected to the League of the South who think the American empire is about to crack up anyway. I read a piece by two professors to that effect not long ago. The age of centralization and empire is ending, and the age of devolution is beginning.

Well, nobody wants to be "devoluted" more than us Southerners, most of whom are descendants of the world's second-most enthusiastic devotion-devotees — the Scots, Irish and Welsh. We love our dear old South, its food, its music and its folkways, and would like to be left alone to enjoy them.

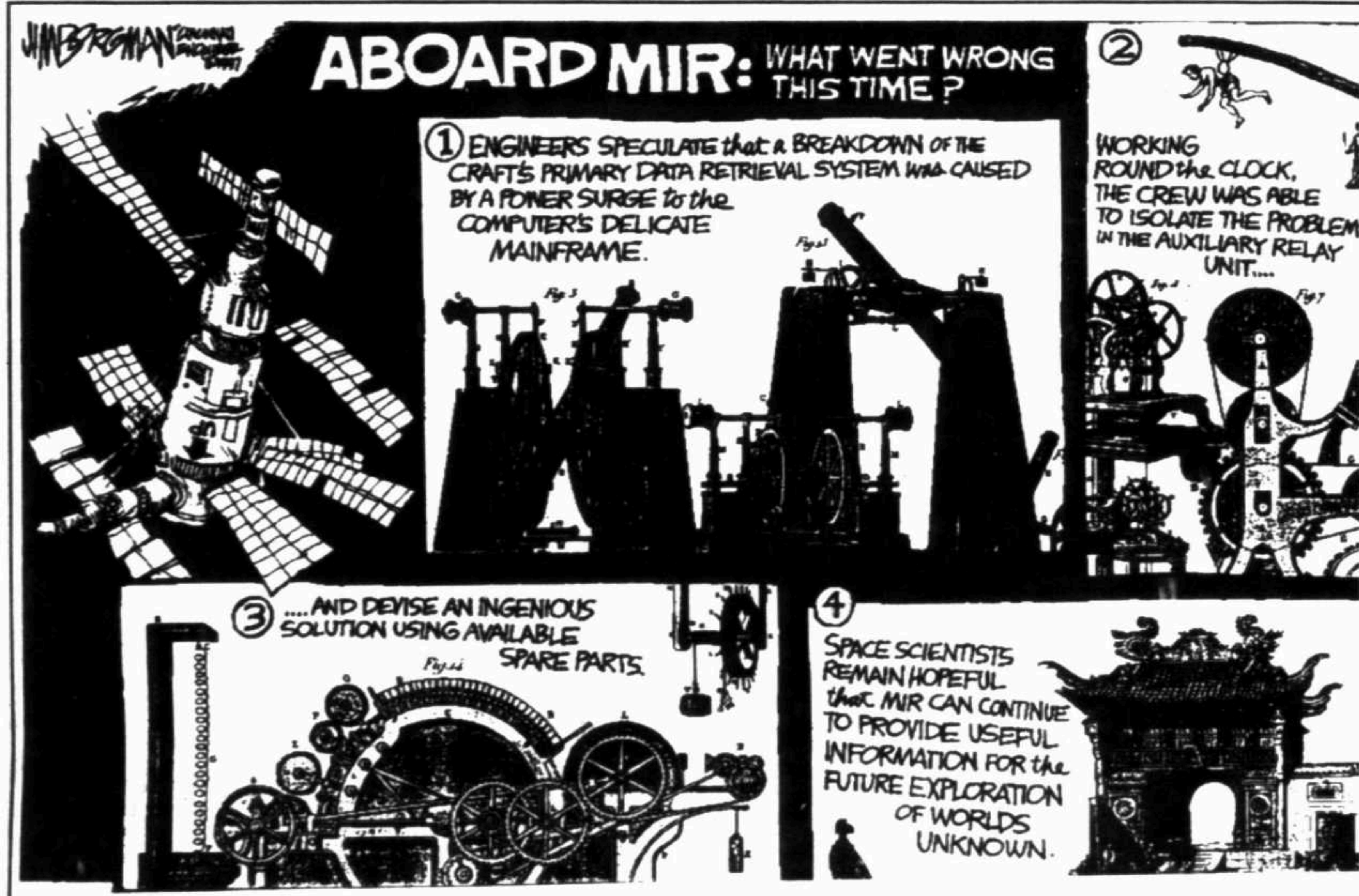
We will be happy to leave world meddling to the Yankees, Japanese, Chinese or whomever else is too genetically dissatisfied to enjoy their own country and mind their own business. We Southerners may not be perfect, but there is one thing we know how to do and that is enjoy life and not meddle in other folks' affairs.

Some people in the League of the South think the folks out West will be the first to secede. They are being squeezed between federal bureaucrats and Mexican immigrants. The Sagebrush Rebellion is pretty real. Well, that's OK. We went first last time.

And, oh, by the way, when we leave, you folks who don't go with us can have Bill Clinton and the other Southern scoundrels who hang around Washington and New York. We don't want 'em.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Shy Diana became media monster

If all the world's a stage, only a few of us get speaking parts. Princess Di had one. As Shy Di began to talk, she told us volumes. She told us that we want to believe in fairy tales, even when we should have better sense. She told us divorce is ugly, even if you get millions to ease the pain. She told us ours is a world unhealthily and universally obsessed with celebrity, glamour, clothes and wealth.

And, this past weekend, she told us, in the end, none of that matters.

To her credit, the stylish princess called Di lent her famous face to worthwhile causes, wore her fancy rags to benefits, called on those mired in poverty and war. She held AIDS babies close and seemed genuinely to care about world concerns.

Di, in fact, appeared desperate to be more than a paper doll, to stretch to charitable activism the anachronism that is the British royal family. She had considerable guts, both in private and professional matters.

But nobody wanted or even expected a hands-on role for her. She was hired to produce heirs, which she did, and to look pretty, which she did. Anything else was from her own script.

Di no doubt realized in recent years that her entire adult life had been a series of tradeoffs — privacy for fame, independence for great wealth, love for a high-profile marriage.

After all, you don't become the most famous woman in the world by teaching kindergarten and falling in love with the boy next door. A prince made her a life-changing proposal, and Di accepted.

And, in fairness, she didn't seem altogether unhappy with parts of her unique deal. Her husband proved a dud, but she liked the job and perks.



Johnson

After the divorce, Di fought the queen to keep her princess title — and to retain the exposure that certainly comes along with it. Nobody knew that better than Di.

Every newspaper in America — not just the tabloids — had reported on Di's new love interest. Readers still wanted every scrap of information about the shy/miserable/tormented/happy-at-last princess who both posed for and ran from photographers.

Di was combination movie star, royalty and Page Three Girl. With her Barbie hips and runway clothes, nobody could touch her for titillating copy. Shy Di had become a media monster.

We wanted to see her rocking with Elton John as well as ministering to sick babies. We wanted to buy her castoffs. We wanted to stick with her to the happily-ever-after ending. Or, watch her grow old and lonely.

Who killed Di? A driver recklessly speeding through Paris? Pursuing photographers who wanted the millions a photograph of Di would bring? All the people who wanted to look at that photo and live vicariously?

The royal family that shunned her? A political system that continues to support a royal family? Charles, who failed to mention to his bride-to-be that he loved another woman?

Or was the tragically romantic end of Princess Di like the rest of her short and highly publicized life? A crime without a clear villain.

She was caught in the currents of bizarre, modern celebrity, and, in the end, the risks far outweighed the benefits.

Despite authorized and unauthorized biographies, interviews with Barbara Walters and a million newspaper articles, Di remained enough of a mystery to be interesting. She had told us mostly about ourselves.

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Alexander Kerensky, the head of a provisional government.

In 1935, the Nuremberg Laws deprived German Jews of their citizenship and made the swastika the official symbol of Nazi Germany.

In 1940, during the Battle of Britain in World War II, the tide turned as the Luftwaffe sustained heavy losses inflicted by the Royal Air Force.

In 1950, during the Korean conflict, United Nations forces landed at Inchon in the south and began their drive toward Seoul.

In 1959, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev arrived in the United States to begin a 13-day visit.

In 1965, the science-fiction series "Lost in Space" (set in the year 1997) premiered on CBS.

In 1982, Iran's former foreign minister, Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, was executed after he was convicted of plotting against the government.

Ten years ago: On the opening day of his confirmation hearing, Supreme Court nominee Robert Bork told the Senate Judiciary Committee his philosophy was "neither liberal nor conservative."

Five years ago: FBI Director William S. Sessions promised a new national campaign to stem a recent wave of carjackings. Washington state Sen. Patty Murray defeated former Congressman Don Bonker to win the Democratic nomination for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Brock Adams.

One year ago: Defense Secretary William Perry was making the rounds among American allies in the Persian Gulf region, seeking additional support for the U.S. stance against Iraq. Bahrain agreed to play host to 26 American F-16 jet fighters.

Today's Birthdays: Actor-director Jackie Cooper is 75. Singer-pianist Bobby Short is 73. Comedian Norm Crosby is 70.

House moves toward decision on pay raise

WASHINGTON (AP) — Crunch time is coming for supporters of an increase in the \$133,600 salary for members of Congress.

The Senate has voted to block a cost-of-living increase, and the comparable measure in the House, a routine funding bill for the Treasury Department and other federal agencies, is due on the floor this week or the week after.

As it stands now, though, this House measure is drafted to permit the politically combustible cost-of-living increase to go forward. And there have been quiet discussions for weeks among the top leaders of both parties — Speaker Newt Gingrich and Democratic Leader Richard Gephardt — over whether to try and coax the increase through the House.

Congressional sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Friday that under one approach receiving serious consideration, the legislation would come to the floor under rules prohibiting a vote on any amendment to deny the pay raise.

Assuming the bill eventually passed under those circumstances, it would be left to House and Senate

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— Sen. Ted Stevens, R-Alaska

negotiators later this fall to decide what the final verdict would be on the pay raise.

By law, lawmakers are entitled to an annual cost-of-living raise linked to the increase the president seeks for federal workers.

In January, President Clinton recommended a 2.8 percent boost for those employees, though under a complex formula members of Congress may be entitled to less than that. A raise of 2.8 percent would amount to \$3,740 for lawmakers.

The last pay raise for lawmakers was in 1992, and it seemed clear from the Senate's action that few lawmakers wish to be seen as pub-

lically advocating a hike in their pay, much less voting for it. The amendment to block the cost-of-living increase was adopted by voice vote.

Still, aides report sentiment among lawmakers of both parties in both houses for a pay raise, in many cases among veteran lawmakers.

One, Sen. Ted Stevens, R-Alaska, who has held his seat since 1968, made a forceful case when the issue was debated in July.

"We are destroying the system that we have today" by denying lawmakers a needed raise, he said.

"We will witness the decline in the value of the Congress to the American society if we don't have the guts

to stand up to the demagogue and tell them the pay for the Congress ought to be sufficient to attract the most capable people in our society," countered Sen. Paul Wellstone, D-Minn.

"Don't tell me that the reason people don't run for office, that young people aren't interested in public life, is because they now are finding out they are only going to make \$133,000 a year. I think that's ridiculous."

Pay isn't the only matter of economic self-interest on the minds of lawmakers in the final weeks of the congressional session.

There's been a quiet effort underway for months in the House to relax the ban on gifts that took effect less than two years ago.

Last spring senior lawmakers in both parties discussed including the change in a package of revisions in ethics rules. That approach failed to gain favor, and more recently, Republicans floated the suggestion that rather than have the entire House vote on a change, the leaders of the ethics committee would do so administratively. That approach too has been shelved.

Southern California remains on alert as Hurricane Linda weakens

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Crews began building miles of sand berms and homeowners installed rain gutters as Hurricane Linda moved toward Southern California, weakened but still threatening to bring heavy surf and rain.

The hurricane was about 800 miles south of San Diego on Sunday, moving west-northwest at 13 mph, and was expected to reach the area late Monday, the National Weather Service said.

Linda's top winds had decreased to near 105 mph but still could bring rain and 14-foot waves in some areas.

Beach erosion and flooding in coastal areas were possible from a predicted line of showers extending from San Diego through Las Vegas.

Los Angeles County workers used sandbags to protect boardwalks, bike paths, access ramps and buildings from encroaching surf. Crews unclogged drains and began constructing seven miles of sand berms to guard parking lots, lifeguard towers and buildings.

"We'd rather be prepared like this than try to do it afterward," said Wayne Schumaker, a county chief of facilities. "Once the storm hits onshore, because of the erosion, we don't have the sand to work with to construct these berms."

City fire officials said they were giving out sandbags at fire stations but that the hurricane's threat had been overplayed by the media.

14,000 mourn Diana in New York's Central Park

NEW YORK (AP) — On foot, on bicycles, some with dogs on leashes, about 14,000 people converged on Central Park for a memorial service Sunday to honor Princess Diana.

It was the first such event in the park since a memorial in 1980 for another British icon, John Lennon.

"More than anything, I came to say goodbye to someone who cared about the poor and needy, who was rich and privileged enough not to have to," said Richard Thomson, 47, a Scottish-born New Yorker.

Mayor Rudolph Giuliani and Britain's Consul General in New York, Jeffrey Ling, headed the all-faith program that honored Diana for both her charity work and her sense of style.

"She disarmed us with her humility," Giuliani said, mistakenly referring to the Princess of Wales as the Princess of York before the crowd's murmuring led him to correct himself. "We were drawn to her ultimately because of her heart, not her nobility."

Operatic divas Jessye Norman and Denyce Graves and the Metro-

politan Opera chorus and orchestra performed music by Bach, Verdi and Berlioz.

"This is a nice sendoff for her," said Beth Anderson, 26, who had two fluffy white poodles in tow. "I didn't go to her funeral in London, obviously, so it's nice to have something in the city that people can go to."

White madonna lilies, hydrangeas, magnolia blossoms and blue larkspur framed the outdoor stage, a temporary structure with a stretched fabric canopy overhead that is regularly used in the

park.

Diana's dedication to charitable causes was underscored by tributes from Dr. Margaret Haggerty, direc-

tor of the AIDS pediatric unit at Harlem Hospital and Sister Paula Marie, a member of Mother Teresa's Missionaries of Charity.

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Ear candy

Gloria Sheftel boxes "Earvander-Tyson Bites" candies Friday at the Candy Factory in North Hollywood. Evander Holyfield isn't too sweet on the candy maker's latest creation - ear-shaped chocolates that have Mike Tyson-sized bites taken out of them. The heavyweight champ's lawyers have sent the company a cease-and-desist letter to halt sales of the "Earvander-Tyson Bites." Candy Factory owner Frank Sheftel started selling the chocolates soon after the June 28 fight in which Tyson was disqualified after biting off a chunk of Holyfield's ear.

First daughter seeks normal life at college despite media scrutiny

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — The first daughter is turning into the first freshman, determined to have a normal student life.

For the first time, Chelsea Clinton will be out of the zone of privacy her parents have zealously maintained around her at the White House. But she shows every intention of keeping her courteous but steadfast distance from the news media while attending Stanford University.

The 17-year-old who wants to become a doctor is not granting interviews. The White House isn't talking about her plans. And neither is Stanford, citing its policy of safeguarding the privacy of every student and its determination to treat the president's daughter like anyone else.

Even the student newspaper says it won't cover Chelsea as a celebrity after the first day of school when she joins her 1,660 classmates on the private, sprawling campus.

Stanford students are expected to make the whole thing in stride.

"They'll probably treat her like anyone else. ... I don't think they will judge her based on the fact she's the president's daughter," said sophomore Wayan Garvey.

After some initial curiosity — and flurry of media attention — Chelsea probably will be able to enjoy a typ-

ical Stanford experience, he said.

"To the extent she can ... with the Secret Service tailing her all the time," Garvey added.

Chelsea's new life starts Friday, the first day of orientation; classes start Sept. 24.

President Clinton and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton will accompany their only child to Stanford and are expected to attend the official welcoming ceremony and other events, including a parents' lunch.

The Clinton's also might help Chelsea move into her dorm: Stanford requires that all freshmen live on campus where room and board costs \$7,557. That's in addition to the \$21,300 tuition.

She won't know who her assigned roommate is until she arrives.

Chelsea will be accompanied by Secret Service agents. The Secret Service won't discuss arrangements at Stanford.

Complete list of winners of 49th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards

By The Associated Press

Winners of the 49th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards: Awarded Sunday

DRAMA SERIES: "Law & Order," NBC.

COMEDY SERIES: "Frasier," NBC.

MINISERIES: "Prime Suspect 5: Errors of Judgement," PBS.

TELEVISION MOVIE: "Miss Evers' Boys," HBO.

VARIETY, MUSIC OR COMEDY SPECIAL: "Chris Rock: Bring the Pain," HBO.

VARIETY, MUSIC OR COMEDY SERIES: "Tracey Takes On...," HBO.

ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Gillian Anderson, "The X-Files," FOX.

ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Helen Hunt, "Mad About You," NBC.

ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Armand Assante, "Gone," HBO.

ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Alfre Woodard, "Miss Evers' Boys," HBO.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Michael Richards, "Seinfeld," NBC.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Hector Elizondo, "Chicago Hope," CBS.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Kim Delaney, "NYPD Blue," ABC.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Kristen Johnson, "3rd Rock from the Sun," NBC.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Beau Bridges, "The Second Civil War," HBO.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Dianna Rigg, "Rebecca," PBS.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: Bette Midler, "Bette Midler: Diva Las Vegas," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A DRAMA SERIES: "NYPD Blue: Where's Swaldo," ABC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A COMEDY SERIES: David Lee, "Frasier: To Kill a Talking Bird," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "The Odyssey, Part I & II," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: "Centennial Olympic Games: Opening Ceremonies," NBC.

WRITING, DRAMA SERIES: "NYPD Blue," ABC.

WRITING, COMEDY SERIES: "Eleni: The Puppy Episode," ABC.

WRITING, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "William Faulkner's Old Man (Hallmark Hall of Fame Presentation)," CBS.

WRITING, VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: "Chris Rock: Bring the Pain," HBO.

PRESIDENT'S AWARD: "Miss Evers' Boys," HBO.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED OR PRESENTED INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN ART DIRECTION FOR A SERIES: "The X-Files: Memento Mori," Fox.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN ART DIRECTION FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Jane Austen's Emma," A&E.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN ART DIRECTION FOR A VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: "Centennial Olympic Games: Opening Ceremonies," NBC.

CULTURAL MUSIC-DANCE PROGRAM: Puccini's "La Bohème" with the New York City Opera, "Live From Lincoln Center," PBS.

CULTURAL PROGRAMMING PERFORMANCE: Puccini's "La Bohème" with the New York City Opera, "Live From Lincoln Center," PBS.

GUEST ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Dianne Wiest, "Murder One," ABC.

GUEST ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Carol Burnett, "Mad About You," NBC.

GUEST ACTOR, COMEDY SERIES: Mel Brooks, "Mad About You," NBC.

OUTSTANDING COMMERCIAL: "HBO Chimps," Pytko production company and BBDO advertising agency.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN CASTING FOR A SERIES: "ER," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN CASTING FOR A MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "Bastard Out of Carolina," Showtime.

INDIVIDUAL CHOREOGRAPHY FOR A SERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Scott Hamilton: Upside Down," CBS, and "3rd Rock from the Sun: A Nightmare on Dick Street," NBC.

SOUND EDITING FOR A SERIES: "The X-Files: Tempus Fugit," Fox.

SOUND EDITING, MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Stephen King's The Shining, Part 3," ABC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUMING FOR A SERIES: "JAG: Cowboys & Cossacks," CBS.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUMING FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Denise's The Hunt Back of Notre Dame," Festival of Fun Musical Spectacular, Disney Channel.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN HAIRSTYLING FOR A SERIES: "Star Trek: Voyager: Fair Trade," UPN.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN HAIRSTYLING FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Mrs. Santa Claus," CBS.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC COMPOSITION FOR A SERIES: "The Cape: Pilot," syndicated.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC COMPOSITION FOR A MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "The Young

Indiana Jones Chronicles: Travels with Father," Family Channel.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC DIRECTION: "Centennial Olympic Games: Opening Ceremonies," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC AND LYRICS: "We Put the Spring in Springfield" from "The Simpsons: Bart After Dark," Fox.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MAIN TITLE THEME MUSIC: "EZ Streets: A Temble Beauty," CBS.

SOUND MIXING, VARIETY OR MUSIC SERIES OR A SPECIAL: "The 68th Annual Academy Awards," ABC.

SOUND MIXING, DRAMA MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "Dark Skies," NBC.

SOUND MIXING, COMEDY SERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Titanic: Part 1," CBS.

TECHNICAL DIRECTION—CAMERA—VIDEO, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "Denise's Beauty and the Beast: A Concert on Ice," CBS.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MAKEUP FOR A SERIES: "Tracey Takes On... Vegas," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN MAKEUP FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Stephen King's The Shining," ABC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT, INFORMATIONAL PROGRAMMING: "Memphis PD: War on the Streets," HBO.

ANIMATED PROGRAM (For programming one hour or less): "The Simpsons: Homer's Phobia," Fox.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN EDITING FOR A SERIES, SINGLE CAMERA PRODUCTION: "ER: The Long Way Around," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN EDITING FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL, SINGLE CAMERA PRODUCTION: "Miss Evers' Boys," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN EDITING FOR A SERIES, MULTI-CAMERA PRODUCTION: "Eleni: The Puppy Episode," ABC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN EDITING FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL, MULTI-CAMERA PRODUCTION: "The Kennedy Center Honors," CBS.

INFORMATIONAL SPECIAL: "Without Play: A Film About Abilities," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUME DESIGN FOR A SERIES: "3rd Rock from the Sun: A Nightmare on Dick Street," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUME DESIGN FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "The Inheritance," CBS, and "Jane Austen's Emma," A&E.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUME DESIGN FOR A VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: "Tracey Takes On 1976," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN CINEMATOGRAPHY FOR A SERIES: "Law & Order: Mad Dog," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN CINEMATOGRAPHY FOR A MINISERIES OR A SPECIAL: "Miss Evers' Boys," HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN LIGHTING DIRECTION (ELECTRONIC) FOR A COMEDY SERIES: "Cosby," NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN LIGHTING DIRECTION FOR A DRAMA SERIES, VARIETY SERIES, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: "Bette Midler: Diva Las Vegas," HBO.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM: "How Do You Spell God?" HBO.

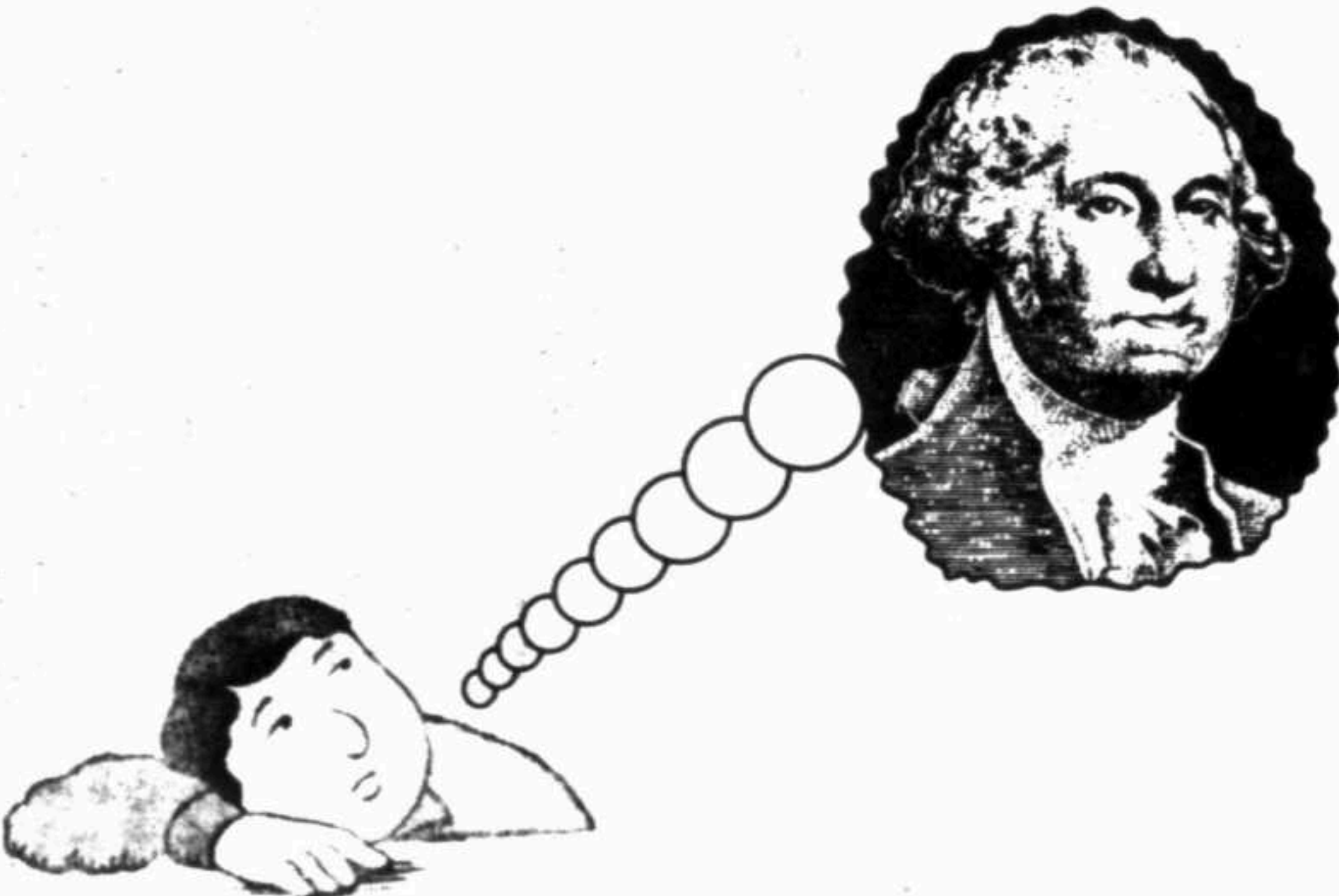
INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN VOICE-OVER PERFORMANCE: "The Great War and the Shaping of the 20th Century," PBS, and "Willows in Winter," Family Channel, and "Boo To You Too Winnie the Pooh," CBS.

SYNOPSIS AWARD: Thomas Sarroff.

ENGINEERING ACHIEVEMENT: A.E. Fisher, Inc. for development of its camera dollies.

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HUMOR ON THE SIDE

Good heavens!

A woman went to the Post Office to buy stamps for her Christmas Cards.

"What denomination?" asked the clerk.

"Oh, good heavens! Have we come to this?" said the woman. "Well, give me 30 Catholic, 10 Baptist ones, 20 Lutheran, and 40 Presbyterian."

Too many toons

During a children's sermon the pastor asked the children what 'Amen' means. A little boy raised his hand and said: 'It means - tha-tha-tha-that's all, folks!'

Dave's Top 10

"Things Overheard at the MTV Video Music Awards"

10. "Five minutes till show time -- we'd better thaw out Keith Richards."

9. "I don't care what you're formerly known as -- just park my car."

8. "Oh my God -- Coolio's hair just strangled an usher!"

7. "Radiohead couldn't make it -- here to accept on his behalf is his brother, Toaster-Oven-Head."

6. "I just saw Nine Inch Nails in the dressing room -- it's more like Four Inch Nails."

5. "I thought the Chemical Brothers were Christian Slater and Robert Downey Jr."

4. "Jakob Dylan? Any relation to Matt Dillon?"

3. "You little girls aren't allowed backstage -- Oh, sorry, Hanson."

2. "Hey, everybody -- Let's beat up those snotty little punks from The Real World."

1. "And the award for Puffiest New Artist goes to ...Puff Daddy!"

Late Night Lines

"How many of you folks enjoyed the MTV Video Music Awards on MTV? Maybe you heard about this -- everything was going smoothly and then at one point they had to call in the cops because somebody left the Hanson kids outside in a stroller."

"One of the early big winners at the MTV Music Awards was Frank Gifford. Frank won an award. Brand new category, first time for this category, I believe -- Best Surveillance Video."

"This week, because their daughter Chelsea is going to college, President Clinton has taken some time out of his vacation to teach Chelsea everything he knows about going to college. For example, yesterday he was teaching her how to break into a sorority house."

"The coach of the Oakland Raiders has now got a rule -- no swearing for the football players of the Oakland Raiders. Can't swear in the locker room, can't swear on the field, can't swear in team meetings. And I'm thinking, a football team that can't swear, well, great, what's next? They're going to take away their guns and hookers?"

"Earlier this week, Pete Rose Jr. got his first major league hit playing for the Cincinnati Reds. Let me put this in perspective for you: he got his first major league hit -- that means he is just 4,155 hits away from being suspended for life."

"The magazine Playboy is doing a photo spread featuring Frank Gifford's flight attendant friend, Suzan Jansen...By the way, it's Suzan with a 'z', as in sleaze...But, Playboy, where they're taking the naked pictures of Suzan Jansen, they wanted to make her feel comfortable, so they hid the camera in the closet."

Your coworkers

Lines used to described people you know, but never yourself:
Not the sharpest knife in the drawer.

Got into the gene pool while the lifeguard wasn't watching.

A room temperature IQ.

Got a full 6-pack, but lacks the plastic thingy to hold them together.

A photographic memory, but the lens cover is glued on.

Bright as Alaska in December.

During evolution his ancestors were in the control group.

Fell out of the family tree.

If he were any more stupid, he'd have to be watered twice a week.

If you stand close enough to him, you can hear the ocean.

Some drink from the fountain of knowledge, but he just gargled.

Takes him an hour and a half to watch '60 Minutes'.

MONDAY MORNING EDITOR
JIMMY PATTERSON

Mysterious stranger hands out \$5 bills to celebrate his birthday

CHARLESTON, S.C. —

(AP) A mysterious, ponytailed stranger stepped out of a white limousine and started handing out \$5 bills to tourists and shopkeepers — apparently as a birthday present to himself.

Louise Frasier, a basket weaver at The Market, pocketed a crisp bill. She asked the man's name, but he shrugged off the question.

"Never mind who I am," she recalled him saying Wednesday. "Today's my birthday, and I'm going to give out money."

The man soon got back in his car and rode a few blocks down the street, where another crowd quickly formed as bills flew. Ms. Frasier said "maybe 50 to 100 got one."

"He had a circle around him and everybody had their hands out," said Joan Davis, who works in the city's Tourism Management Office.

Ms. Davis and co-worker Debbie Simmons have philanthropic plans of their own: donating their free cash to the American Heart Association.



Sprinkler fun

Nineteen-month-old Caitlin White of Denison couldn't pass up a romp in the water sprinkler in her parents' front yard Wednesday, with temperatures in the upper 80's.

AP Laserphoto



Reggie Verkullen, left, discusses work with fellow Silver Bullet Marjorie Swann at the Norwest Operations Center in Phoenix. Silver Bullets are older workers who may have once retired.

Silver Bullets shoot to new careers

By Tina Schade

Associated Press

SUN CITY, Ariz. — As the sun begins to rise over the Superstition Mountains in the east, a group of seniors is boarding a bus in front of Bell Recreation Center.

These riders are not heading off to California to sink their toes into the sand and they're not off to try their luck in Laughlin or Vegas. These retirees are off to work.

Four days a month, seniors from the Northwest Valley, collectively known as the "Silver Bullets," supplement their Social Security income by working at the

Norwest operations center. The Silver Bullets received their name from the chief executive officer of Norwest, John Campbell, because the workers were "supposed" to have gray hair.

"But as you can imagine, not many of us do, especially the ladies," said Helen Marie Flory, the woman responsible for organizing the group.

About four years ago, Flory was approached by Norwest management and asked to recruit employees for the operations center.

"The bank used to use young people from agencies, but they were not depend-

able. They did not have the same people coming in month after month and they weren't trained, so they had to be trained all over," Flory said.

Flory immediately started recruiting people from the senior centers, churches, bingo halls and beauty shops and, within a month, organized a group of about 30 people.

At that time, there was only one shift at the bank, from 7 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., and employees worked about three days a month.

The program was so successful that today nearly 150

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Thank You Note

I was travelling down Wadley today when my car died. Two nice young men stopped and helped me push the car into a parking lot. Then they brought me home so I could get my cycle and complete my errand. Thank you Adrian Vargas and Cory Turner.

— Del Eggleston

Man draws stares as he hauls cross

By Bruce Stanley

Associated Press Writer

FARMINGTON, Pa. — To some, he's a roadside oddity. To others, a religious pilgrim.

The Rev. James Jacobson has dragged a 12-foot wooden cross for more than 1,300 miles in an effort to encourage people to lead cleaner, less selfish lives.

Jacobson, 43, trekked through the Allegheny Mountains of southwestern Pennsylvania on Thursday as he made his way toward Washington, where the Promise Keepers convention of Christian men begins Oct. 4.

The base of Jacobson's cross of

rough basswood rolls along behind him on a plastic lawnmower wheel. A sweaty scrap of blue carpet cushions his shoulder and he lashes a water bottle to the wood with a dirty shoelace.

He said his physical trek mirrors the spiritual journey he has made from his days as an alcoholic Navy seaman to his work as a minister at a rural church in Thief River Falls, Minn.

Jacobson, 43, said he draws inspiration even as he hopes to spread it. An elderly man in West Virginia recently came out to greet him when Jacobson walked past his house.

The man remarked, "I'm too crippled to walk really well, but it's something I wish I could do." He then handed Jacobson \$10 and

started to cry.

"Something like that really encourages you — that you've touched somebody's heart," Jacobson said.

Others have harassed him.

"I've also had people come against me like they're angry. They come out and verbally attack you," he said. "They say Jesus never had a wheel on his cross."

Motorist Robert Felker just figured Jacobson was someone with a calling. "I didn't think he was kooky," said Felker, a 64-year-old resident of Frostburg, Md., who passed Jacobson near Grantsville. "I guess he thinks everybody should just believe in the good old Lord."

JIMMY PATTERSON

Big news is as different as raisins and apples

What qualifies as big news is all relative of course. What's important to one person may mean absolutely nothing to the next. A person's age is often what determines what is and isn't the highlight of his or her day.

A popular discussion starter at many dinner tables is, "So, what happened to you today?"

Ask a 35-year-old business person what the most important thing about his or her day was and you'll likely get something like: "I reached into my back pocket, pulled out my checkbook and paid cash for Microsoft. I am now the richest person in the history of the world. Pass me that apple, please."

At the end of the same day, ask a 3-year-old what happened during his day, and you'll likely get something like: "Kyle put a raisin up his nose."

This happened to us just the other night. Funny thing was, as The Boy was telling us about his friend, he was mindlessly maneuvering a piece of chicken toward his own nose.

Raisins and where they have been shoved would



Patterson

never get the proper notice by a career-oriented 35-year-old. Probably wouldn't even receive a mention. But to a 3-year-old, a nose with a raisin in it is nothing to sneeze at. It's big news.

Ask the same "What happened to you today?" question to a teenager and I'm told the answer is often either total silence or "Nothing." And if they say "Nothing," it's usually true. Or parents HOPE it's true.

Ask a sixth-grader about her day's big events, and the answer will usually have something to do with a party at so-and-so's house, or how a bunch of boys surrounded her and called her names. Or it may go something like this:

"So what happened to you today, sweetheart?" "Dad, you just don't understand!" "Hello? Did I miss something?"

Pose the same question to a third grader, and you'll probably get something along these lines: "We went on a fire drill today and Calvin got in trouble because if it wasn't for him we wouldn't have had to go on a fire drill but he went to the office and everybody had to stand outside against the wall. No wait, he went to the office after everyone was outside and it was during math and I had to stop in the middle of a problem and, I'm like, it was sooo annoying."

Mrs. P and I got that blank stare we sometimes get

when our 8-year-old is trying desperately to match her words with her meaning.

"Who's Calvin?" we asked.

"He's the little boy who set off the fire alarm during math. When he set it off we all had to go on a fire drill and he got in trouble."

And she didn't stop there. It was a big day in third grade.

"Jason puked at his desk. He told the teacher he had to go to the bathroom, but he didn't make it in time. It was really gross. Lindsey lost a tooth and she BLED EVERYWHERE. It was really gross. But not as gross as when Billy puked at his desk."

"I thought Jason puked at his desk?" we asked, the blank stare returning to our faces.

"Billy and Jason both puked at their desk. I'm like, it was so totally gross dad. I don't wanna talk about it. I'm tryin' to eat."

What qualifies as the day's most momentous event to a kid often doesn't go real well with dinner. While making a major business transaction and taking over the world is meaningful to an adult, orifices, bodily functions, blood and noses are hot items to kids.

Don't ask me why. Don't wanna know.

Jimmy Patterson is a staff writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

DAVE BARRY

Following in the footsteps of Lewis and Clark

We went West for our summer vacation. Our idea was to follow in the footsteps of the hardy explorers Lewis and Clark, who traveled 8,000 miles through hostile, uncharted wilderness, a feat that was possible only because of their great courage and the fact that they left their children home. Otherwise they would have quit after maybe 200 yards.

On our trip we encountered numerous families that, after many hours together in the minivan, had reached Critical Hostility Mass. At one point, we saw a family stopped at a roadside area overlooking a spectacular mountain vista but nobody was looking at it. Two boys were slumped low in the back seat of the minivan with their baseball caps jammed down over their eyes, listening to their individual compact-disc players. A girl, maybe 12, was stomping tearfully away from the van, followed by Mom, her words echoing off the hillsides, waving some bread and shouting,



Barry

"IF YOU DON'T EAT THIS SANDWICH, I'M NOT MAKING YOU ANOTHER ONE!" A few feet away, Dad was sitting on a rock, chewing very slowly, staring at the ground. Together-

ness!

On our trip, we made a painstaking effort to follow exactly the route that Lewis and Clark used, the only exception being that they took the Missouri River, whereas we took Interstate 90, which is a lot more direct and has motels. At some points, the interstate is very close to the river, and you frankly have to wonder how Lewis and Clark failed to notice it. They may have been hardy but apparently they were not the sharpest quills on the porcupine, if you get my drift.

One big advantage of the I-90 route is that it takes you to some of the amazing wonders of the West, such as the Corn Palace in downtown Mitchell, S.D. This is, I swear, one of the biggest tourist attractions in South Dakota (Official state motto: "Gateway To North Dakota"). The Corn Palace is a large, Moorish-style building that has its exterior walls covered with an enormous mural made entirely from corn. The theme of the mural is changed every year, although you could make the argument

that the true theme is always: "We have WAY too much corn." But of course the biggest South Dakota tourist attraction is Mount Rushmore. You've probably seen hundreds of pictures of this famous monument but until you are standing right in front of it, in person, you cannot truly appreciate the fact that it's only eight inches tall. There's a big lens in front of it.

No, seriously, Mount Rushmore is large and impressive, and you cannot help but feel a sense of awe as you look up at the granite-carved faces of those four great American leaders — George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln and Don Shula — gazing out from the purple mountain's majesty, across the fruited plain, looking as though they are surveying the mighty nation that they helped to create and thinking: "Since when is corn a fruit?" Mount Rushmore is located in the Black Hills, which get their name from the fact that they are brown, gray and green. They were caused by erosion. In fact, just about all the major natural attractions you find in the West — the Grand Canyon, the Badlands, the Goodlands, the Mediocrelands, the Rocky Mountains and Robert Redford — were caused by erosion.

Apparently, at some point a huge wave of erosion swept over the West, leaving these attractions. We know this because about every 50 feet out there the National Park Service or some other agency has set up a sign that says something like POINT OF INTEREST, and when you stop to read it, it always says something like: "The buttes you see here were created by erosion 350 million years ago during the Curvaceous Period, when the West was covered by an ocean." The National Park Service apparently has some kind of substance-abuse problem, because it is absolutely convinced that the West used to be covered by an ocean, although if this were true you'd think that there would be some evidence of it today in the form of, for example, a petrified boardwalk.

Some of the other natural wonders we saw on our trip were:

At least 500 billion fluorescent red-orange traffic cones, carefully placed on every few feet of highway across 1,000 miles and four states, alerting us that road crews were working ahead.

One guy (in Wyoming, I believe) who was actually working on the road.

A sign outside of the cow-intensive community of Dimock, S.D., that said "SAY IT WITH CHEESE."

But the highlight of the trip was Yellowstone National Park, which contains many amazing natural wonders that were caused by erosion and are now being preserved for future generations by a dense protective layer of buffalo poop. I personally had thought that buffalo were pretty much extinct, but it turns out that the federal government employs a large number of them in Yellowstone, where they roam around pooping while the deer and of course the antelope play, and seldom is heard a discouraging word, although you do hear a lot of people saying, "WATCH WHERE YOU STEP!" But the buffalo really are impressive, and speaking as a taxpayer I consider them a far better deal than, for example, the Department of Commerce.

In conclusion, it was a great trip, and I want to end this account with an inspirational quote from Lewis, or possibly Clark, who said, at the end of their epic journey: "If we write an account of this epic journey, we can deduct it on our taxes."

Dave welcomes your comments, complaints, news tips and greetings, no matter how rude! Mail them to: Dave Barry, Miami Herald, 1 Herald Plaza, Miami, Fla. 33132.

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Look around your home for something someone else could use. Almost everyone has something no longer needed that someone else may benefit from.

ANGEL: Her spirit was in her work and her work will go on

(From 1B)

Teresa's death from a heart attack on Friday, Sister Zemin and the home's six other nuns have been visiting St. Thomas' Church daily to pray next to the body of the woman who was their inspiration.

Then they return to bathe and feed their charges, and clean the cool concrete floors of the shelter, once a rest house for Hindu pilgrims. The work, as Sister Zemin always hoped, is hard.

"Mother Teresa's spirit is in the work, and the work will go on," she said.

Years later, Mother Teresa told him she found him lying alone on a street corner, a toddler with stick-thin legs and hair crawling with lice.

Sukumar Halder says he has no memory of his life before Mother Teresa scooped him off that corner and took him to live at her first Calcutta orphanage in 1956. He does not know who his parents were, or what became of them.

"Mother Teresa is my mother and my father," said Halder, now a father himself, with a home and a good job in a Calcutta suburb.

"Thank God that I fell into Mother's hands," he said. "When I see people living on the streets, I think, if Mother hadn't found me, I might have been like that. Or I might be dead."

Halder lived for six years at the orphanage, until the Missionaries of Charity sent him to boarding schools and later a technical college, where he learned wood and metal working. He now works in the machine shop at a power station in Bandel, a town an hour by commuter train from Cal-

'We cannot do great things on this earth. We can only do small things with great love.'

— Mother Teresa

cutta.

"Again, I've become an orphan," the stocky, energetic Halder said as he helped usher mourners through St. Thomas', unable to be idle in his grief.

"She always used to tell me in Bengali, 'Suku, be happy. My Mother called me Suku, and she always spoke to me in pure Bengali — she was very proud that she could speak good Bengali.'"

The party must have been 15 years ago, but Sunita Kumar remembers it vividly. Mother Teresa had insisted that the business leaders and socialites who so generously gave money to her causes give something more: their time.

"You know, nobody said no to Mother," recalled Kumar. So the cream of Calcutta society found themselves serving dinners to 14,000 street children gathered in the same sports stadium where Mother Teresa's funeral will be held Saturday.

Kumar, a graying woman who favors discreet jewelry and impeccable saris, noticed none of the children opened their boxed dinners. Mother Teresa told her they would all take them to share with their families.

"Whereas our children — you know, the better-off children — you give them a package or a gift and they open it immediately, and maybe take the sweets for themselves. But

these children had grown up always sharing. That's what she wanted to teach us," Kumar said.

"One of the greatest things that Mother did was to try to bridge the gap between the rich and the poor," said Kumar, whose husband, Naresh, once played on the professional tennis circuit and now works for state television.

She first met Mother Teresa in 1966, when she joined a circle of wealthy Calcutta women who volunteered for the nun's charities once a week.

She started out packaging medication for leper patients. Kumar later became a close aide, often acting as Mother Teresa's spokeswoman. This week, she has been helping make arrangements at the church where Mother Teresa's body lies on view.

Bima Nath has only a blurred memory of the first time he saw Mother Teresa. He had spent the night in a drunken stupor in one of her shelters, and woke to find her inspecting the home.

"The other people in the home said she was a saint. They said they were treated like animals until they met her," he said.

Nath is a municipal street

sweeper, the modern version of the hereditary Hindu caste despised by others because their work is dirty.

"Most people avoid us because we look filthy and smell. But she used to touch us and never bothered about how we looked," Nath said, weeping as he waited in line to see Mother Teresa's body.

Nath's wife left him because he used to beat her when drunk. Nuns who found him passed out on the street out after a binge took him to the home one night several years ago, believing him to be sick and homeless.

He said since he was healthier than the others, Mother Teresa asked if he would help out with the work in the shelter.

"There was a lot of cleaning to be done. She also kept an eye on my drinking," said Nath. He said she never shouted at him when he took to drink, but the look of disappointment on her face upset him.

"I realize now that she was testing me to see if I could handle another job or if drinking had ruined my life," said Nath, who no longer drinks.

He said he owed his job to her since it was she who told him to apply for work with the local civic authorities.

Nath was among the many who joined Mother Teresa in prayer every Sunday at the headquarters of the Missionaries of Charity. He came to St. Thomas' to pray this week, arriving with a group of slum-dwellers clutching flowers.

BULLETS: Retirees' dedication to work leads to wildly successful operation

(From 1B)

seniors are employed at the center and a second shift, which begins at 2:30 p.m., has been added.

They now work four days a month due to an increased work load and the acquisition of banks in Texas, Iowa and Nevada.

The bank is expecting to expand into Nebraska later this year, adding to the duties and work load of the seniors.

The center now also provides bus transportation because of a shortage of parking spaces, Flory said.

Miriam Adair, manager of the Silver Bullets, describes the operation as "wildly successful" and is impressed with the retirees' dedication to work.

"Working with retired people in general is wonderful," Adair said. "They're never late, they're never sick and I don't think I've ever heard someone say, 'I can't do that.'"

Adair, who has worked with the Silver Bullets since February, credits Flory with educating her on the organization.

"I can honestly say Helen Marie has taught me everything I know about the program," Adair said.

Adair realizes that retirees are sometimes stereotyped as forgetful and frequently ill, but she has not had this experience with the Silver Bullets.

"I think I've been totally spoiled with working with every group, I'm so impressed with them," Adair said.

Flory, who is now a work manager at the operations center, also raves about the Silver Bullets.

"They're always on time and they're reliable," Flory said. "Maybe a little too reliable. Apparently, these workers are so competent in their duties,

Flory sometimes has a hard time keeping them.

"I've already lost younger Silver Bullets to other jobs at the bank. They're now utility clerks and verifiers," Flory said.

Flory, a former lieutenant in the Navy, wouldn't have it any other way, as she expects people to perform once they're hired. Even though she's a little tough, Flory enjoys the people she works with and believes the relationship helps everyone.

"I love what I'm doing and I feel like it's helping a lot of seniors subsidize their income, because some of them need it," she said.

The Silver Bullets are categorized as casual employees, which means they work a limited number of hours and do not receive benefits. They start at \$6.55 an hour and are in charge of processing, filing and statement rendering for the bank.

Workers don't need to have banking experience, but they do need to have alpha and numerical capabilities and the ability to lift 15 pounds, Flory said.

The program consists of some husband-and-wife teams. The youngest member of the group is 55 years old, while the oldest is 85.

"I would say for the most part they are over 65 because most of them (are) retired," Adair said.

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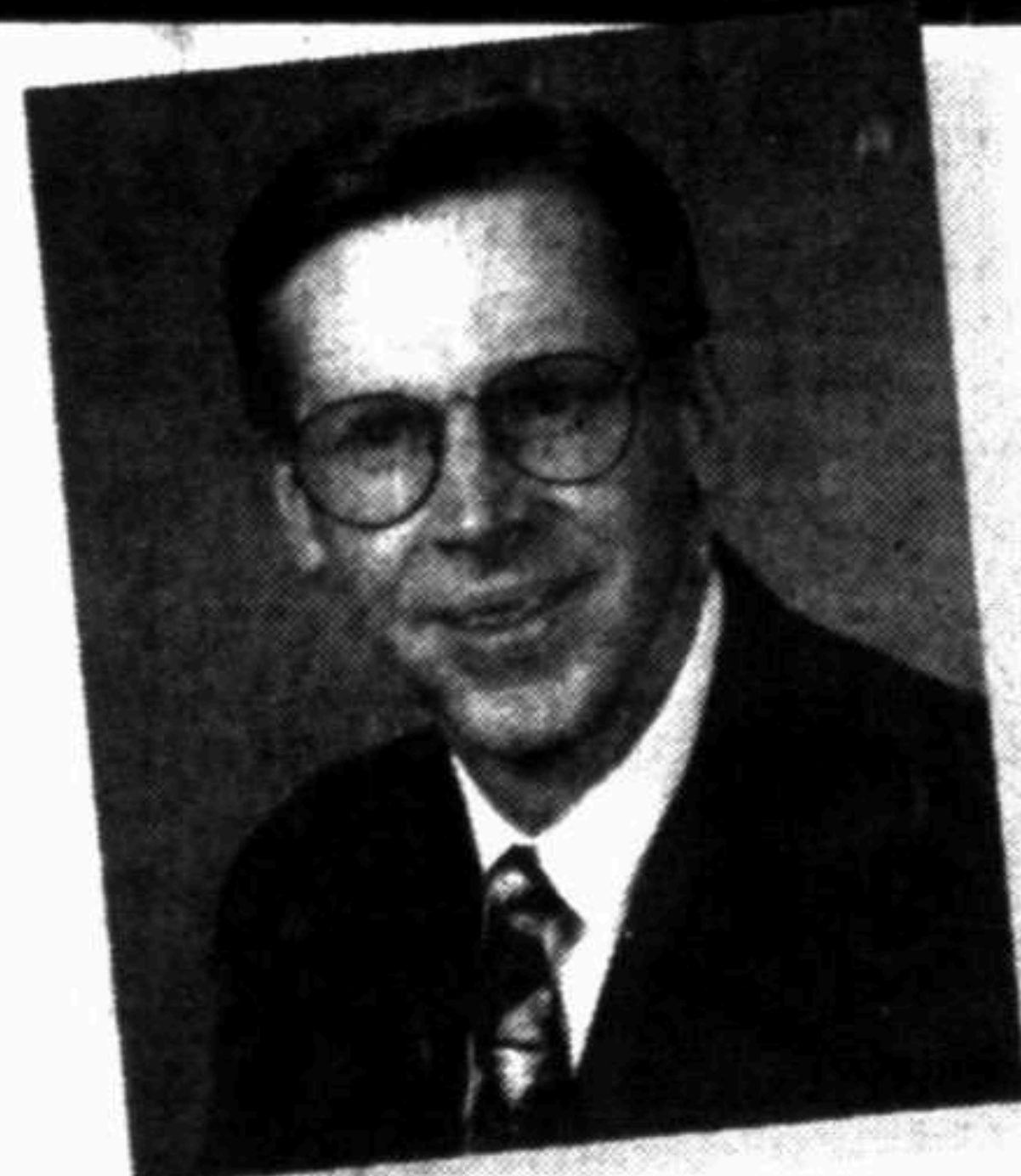
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Bar hopping

From left, Pam Howard, Pam Flowers, Nikki Williams and Alisha Baker, all car hops at the P-2 bar and drive-in, known as The Deuce, in Wichita Falls are prepared Friday for the extra patrons expected during this weekend's 50th anniversary celebration. The Deuce claims to be the birthplace of the "red draw," tomato juice added to beer.

DEAR ABBY

Prisoners' pen pals get letters filled with fraud

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I work for the Department of Corrections in Arizona, and I have seen a practice started by many well-meaning ministers who encourage their congregations to write to prisoners. I understand their intentions are good, but they are unaware of how dangerous this could be to their parishioners. One teen-age girl started writing to an inmate. He told her he was 23 and in on drug charges. A suspicious adult called our information center and was told that he was 48 and a child molester! He was also coming up for parole.



Van Buren

Another lady started writing a prisoner. He told her what she wanted to hear, so when he came up for early release she offered him a place to stay. (Convicts need a place to live for any type of early release.) He immediately started selling drugs from her house,

stole several thousand dollars from her, and her house was even raided.

These men are cons. They have the time to devote much attention to the person they are writing to. They can and will tell people what they want to hear, and someone who is lonely and has a good heart can be deeply hurt.

Please, Abby, warn your readers not to engage in this practice. I'm signing my name — but please do not print it. — CONCERNED IN ARIZONA

DEAR CONCERNED: Thank you for the graphic warning. I hope that those individuals who need it will heed your message.

I don't believe that anyone who has ever spent time in prison is beyond rehabilitation. However, those who are considering correspondence would be well advised to proceed with caution. Well-intentioned people tend to accept without skepticism information that seems to parallel their hopes and beliefs. Felons are often skilled manipulators who bring their skills to prison with them — and have many years to sharpen

them.

DEAR ABBY: I'm writing about the man who wrote to say that his wife verbally abused their child. You must tell him to stand up to that woman and insist that it stop, or he is taking the child and leaving her. If she were beating or sexually abusing the boy, that is what he would say. Verbal abuse is all the more dangerous because people let it happen.

The man said that he had received counseling to deal with his wife's verbal abuse. Well, that counseling has not worked if he is still afraid to stand up to her. Abuse happens because people are afraid to do what is necessary to put an end to it.

I would bet this man had angry parents, and that's why he has a deep fear of doing what it takes to stop his wife's abusive behavior. — MELINDA STENGEL, LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER, EVANSTON, ILL.

DEAR MS. STENGEL: And I'm willing to bet you're correct. However, there's no excuse for permitting the abuse to continue or to

put off getting whatever help is necessary to end it.

DEAR ABBY: "I'll bet you don't remember me, do you?" I dread hearing that question, and I'm sure other schoolteachers do, too.

After 34 years (so far) in the classroom, I simply can't remember the names of all my former students. Answering "No" diminishes the initial joy we both should feel in recalling that relationship.

This deflating situation could be avoided if one would say, "I'm John Smith. Do you remember me?"

Any advice on how to handle this awkward but all-too-common predicament? — LONGTIME SCHOOLTEACHER

DEAR LONGTIME TEACHER: The answer to your question is one that could apply to anyone who is asked this embarrassing question. Simply say, "Your face is very familiar, but I'm sorry, your name escapes me. What is it?"

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

DEATH NOTICES

Arturo Lujan

Arturo Q. Lujan, 47, died Sunday, Sept. 14, near Van Horn. Services are pending with Pipkin Funeral Home.

Rosa Lujan

Rosa Lujan, 70, of Midland died Sunday, Sept. 14. Services are pending with Pipkin Funeral Home.

Margarette Ridley

Margarette Ridley, 84, died Sunday, Sept. 14, in Midland. Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Charles Leggott

Charles Leggott, 67, of Midland died Sunday, Sept. 14. Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

POLICE REPORTS

One-car accident

A Midland woman and her son were killed in a one-car accident 26 miles east of Van Horn on Interstate 10 Saturday evening.

Killed were Rosa Lujan, 70, and her son, Arturo Lujan, 47, who were ejected when the car they were riding in overturned.

According to the Department of Public Safety, the car was eastbound on I-10 when the driver, Hector Velez, became tired and the car drifted into the center median. Velez overcorrected and when the car returned to the roadway overcorrected again, returning to the center median. The front left tire then separated from the car, causing it to overturn two and a half times.

Midland Police Department Saturday

Burglary of a Residence: Stephen Orr, 1212 E. Wadley, reported stereo equipment taken at 7:59 a.m. Entrance was through an unlocked door.

Burglary of Vehicle: Burglary of a vehicle was reported at 1508 N. Weatherford by Terry Gilbert. The report was made at 7:01 a.m.

Criminal Mischief: A driver's side car window was shot with a pellet or BB gun at 500 N. Main, reported Cindy Brooks at 7:30 p.m.

Theft: Guadalupe Laredo reported at 2:26 a.m. that two suspects grabbed him and took his wallet at 1807 E. Front St.

Theft: At 10:10 p.m., Josephene Gutierrez reported a weedeater taken from 407 N. Tyler.

Midland County Sheriff's Office Sunday

Vandalism: Charles Collum, 2410 S. County Road 1130, reported at 11:19 a.m. that someone beat up his mailbox during the night. Five neighbors also saw their mailboxes vandalized.

Train derails in Ellis County, triggering smoke, daylong fire

BARDWELL (AP) — Fifteen cars of a Burlington Northern Santa Fe train derailed Sunday, triggering a fire and huge clouds of gray smoke that could be seen for miles.

The accident occurred about 7:15 a.m. outside this small, rural Ellis County community about 35 miles south of Dallas, said Jim Sabourin, a spokesman for the Fort Worth-based railroad.

The cause of the accident, which sent 15 of 63 cars off the tracks but resulted in no injuries, is under investigation, he said. The train was heading to Tulsa, Okla., from Houston.

One of the burning cars tumbled into a dry culvert when a 15-foot high bridge burned and collapsed, taking five cars with it, Sabourin said.

Plastic pellets burned for most of the day until firefighters brought the flames under control about 7 p.m. Sunday, said Brian Emmett, a firefighter from nearby Ennis.

Railroad crews planned to dig a ditch for the cars in an attempt to extinguish them.

"We will push the six cars that are still on fire ... into the ditch and bury them. That's how we'll put out this fire," Sabourin said early Sunday afternoon. He did not return telephone messages late Sunday concerning the status of that work.

Police said two homes in the immediate area were evacuated briefly Sunday afternoon.

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Jan and Dean are scheduled to appear in concert at Chaparral Center on Saturday, September 20.

West Texas Cruisers plan oldies weekend

From Staff Reports

The West Texas Cruisers are planning a rock 'n' roll oldies weekend Saturday at Chaparral Center, Midland College campus.

Activities include a car show, swap meet, cruise and concert featuring Jan and Dean. Admission to the car show is \$5. Admission to the 8 p.m. concert is \$15.

Tickets are on sale at CD Warehouse, Endless Horizons in Odessa and Sound Decision in Big Spring. To purchase tickets on a Visa or MasterCard call 1-800-462-7979.

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HEALTH BRIEFING

Supplements studied

Results of the latest investigation into whether calcium and vitamin D supplements can help older people avoid broken bones strongly favor the treatments, showing for the first time that they help men as well as women avoid osteoporosis.

The Tufts University study, in the current New England Journal of Medicine, bolsters last month's recommendation by a National Academy of Sciences panel urging that people over age 50 increase their daily calcium intake to 1,200 milligrams and their vitamin D to 400 to 600 International Units.

The study followed 389 men and women age 65 and older for three years, with half taking calcium and vitamin D supplements and half taking placebos.

The study confirmed that the supplements — or an equivalent amount of calcium and vitamin D from skim milk, leafy green vegetables, or enriched dairy products — can help slow bone-density loss in older women. The men in the study showed about a 2 percent improvement in bone density.

People taking the supplements also had many fewer bone fractures, a rate of 5.9 percent compared to 12.9 percent among those taking placebos. Hip fractures caused by decreased bone mass are a major reason elderly people have to move to nursing homes. About 28 million older Americans are at risk of developing osteoporosis.

Sherry Sherman of the National Institute on Aging said the study's findings were particularly notable for men. "Until recently, osteoporosis has been considered to be a woman's problem," Sherman said.

Inhaler therapy

A team led by anesthesiologists at the Massachusetts General Hospital has identified a beneficial new use for a gas called nitric oxide: easing the severe pain caused by sickle-cell disease.

The study, reported in this month's Journal of Clinical Investigation, suggests that someday people with sickle-cell disease could use inhalers to control the racking pain they suffer when misformed blood cells block blood flow to various parts of the body. Often the pain is so severe it requires hospitalization.

Nitric oxide, which is different from nitrous oxide, the "laughing gas" used for anesthesia, has already proven to be a lifesaver for newborn babies and other people with lung diseases, because it can relax vessels in the lungs to help oxygen enter the bloodstream and flow through the body.

Work led by MGH doctors C. Alvin Head and Kenneth Bridges showed that giving sickle-cell patients nitric oxide through inhalers enabled their blood cells to retain oxygen more efficiently, reducing the pain they suffered when blood flow to muscles dropped.

Dr. Carlo Brugnara of Children's Hospital in Boston said the research "may turn into one of the most significant treatment developments of this decade" for sickle-cell disease, which strikes tens of thousands of black Americans and millions of other people worldwide. MGH has started a full-blown test of the treatment at several hospitals.

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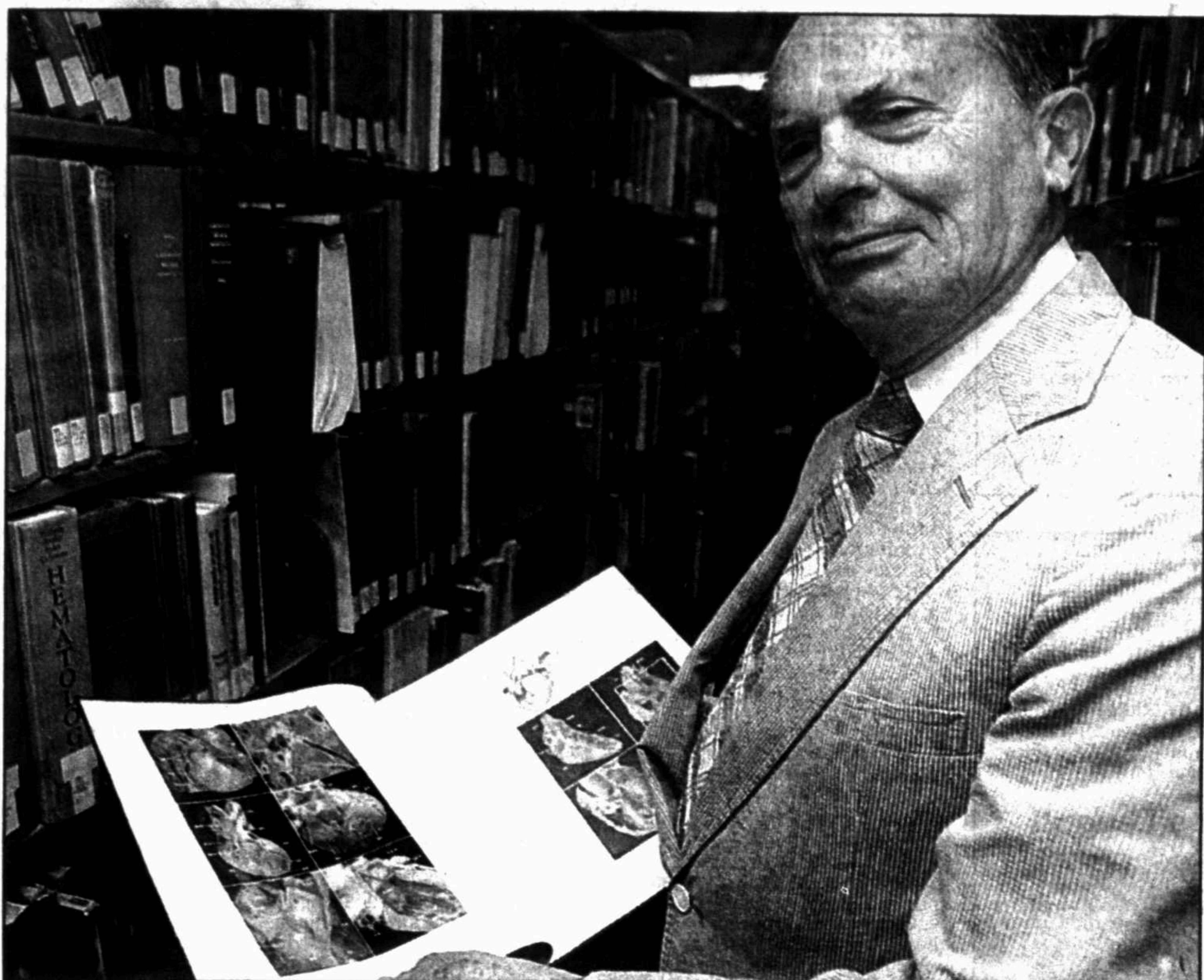
In this age of ever more complex health technology, it can be easy to forget about one of the most effective, time-tested devices for diagnosing illnesses: the signature stethoscope that hangs around many doctors' necks.

A new study of 541 medical students and residents in internal medicine and family practice found that a "disturbingly low" number were able to identify 12 common heart ailments by listening to patients' heartbeats with their stethoscopes. It is reported in the current Journal of the American Medical Association.

Dr. Salvatore Mangione and Linda Z. Neiman of Allegheny University of the Health Sciences in Philadelphia had the students listen to high-quality tape recordings of irregular heartbeats and try to identify the underlying problem. On average, the students could identify only 20 percent of the cardiac problems, such as different kinds of heart murmurs or irregular beats associated with damaged heart valves.

One notable finding was that physicians who play a musical instrument generally did better picking up heart irregularities by stethoscope, suggesting that "a trained ear, whatever the reason for its training," may help doctors pick up signs of heart disease.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram News Services and "Med Notes" by Peter J. Howe.



Dr. Gordon Bendersky holds a book with pictures depicting the human heart in a medical college library in Philadelphia. Bendersky, a cardiologist and art history buff, saw an Olmec statue he believed was the "oldest image of the heart" at the Art Museum of Princeton University. Research spanning one year, 300 hours and thousands of pages confirmed the theory for Bendersky. He wrote recently that the Olmecs, ancient predecessors of the Mayans and Aztecs of early Mexico, molded the earliest known anatomically correct image of the heart.

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Ancient image of heart may be first

By David Kinney

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The cardiologist, who's also a published art history buff, reached Exhibit No. 251 and felt his heart jump.

Before him sat a ceramic vessel, just 7 inches tall, crafted 3,000 years ago. The male figurine wore a helmet of hair, a flat nose and fat lips. Its body appeared split down the middle, and three large arteries shot from its shoulders.

"My God," Dr. Gordon Bendersky said to himself that day in The Art Museum at Princeton University. "That's the oldest image of the heart."

Research spanning one year, 300 hours and thousands of pages confirmed the theory for Bendersky. The Olmecs, ancient predecessors to the Mayans and Aztecs of early Mexico, molded the earliest known anatomically correct image of the heart, he wrote in the journal Perspectives in Biology and Medicine.

The vessel, believed to have been found in Las Bocas, a city in southcentral Mexico, includes a pulmonary artery, an aorta and a superior vena cava. It even features an interventricular sulcus, the crease dividing the left ventricle from right.

What makes the discovery so unusual is that the Olmecs' relatively sophisticated version of the heart came 2,500 years before the so-called father of anatomy, a Belgian named Andreas Vesalius, wrote "Fabrica." The book, published in 1543, included what experts considered the earliest accurate images of the heart.

The Olmecs, Aztec for "people from the land of rubber," certainly were not the only people to see a human heart in ancient times.

Archaeologists have long known that the Mayans practiced human sacrifice, removing hearts from living people. The ancient Greeks allowed some human dissections after 400 B.C., breaking with a longstanding view that autopsies violated the purity of the dead body.

But if the ancients ever committed an anatomically correct image of the heart to pottery or canvas or papyrus, their work never survived.

All that remains are symbols: a Valentine-like heart placed in an elephant's chest; Egyptian hieroglyphs depicting a

heart in the shape of a vase; Roman decorations featuring hearts that would fit on today's sappiest romantic greeting cards.

Bendersky, 68, has another, still unproven theory: The clay container shows that the Olmecs sacrificed humans — perhaps infants — long before the Mayans.

"The irony is that a fairly advanced concept, a motivation to depict a human heart, was driven by this very primitive ritual," Bendersky said.

Carolyn Tate, an art history professor at Texas Tech University, is unsure whether the artwork proves that the Olmecs sacrificed humans. But she joins other experts in acknowledging that the container, if it is genuine, is the oldest image of the heart.

It comes from the earliest known North American civilization, scattered throughout southern Mexico and central America from 1200 B.C. to 400 B.C.

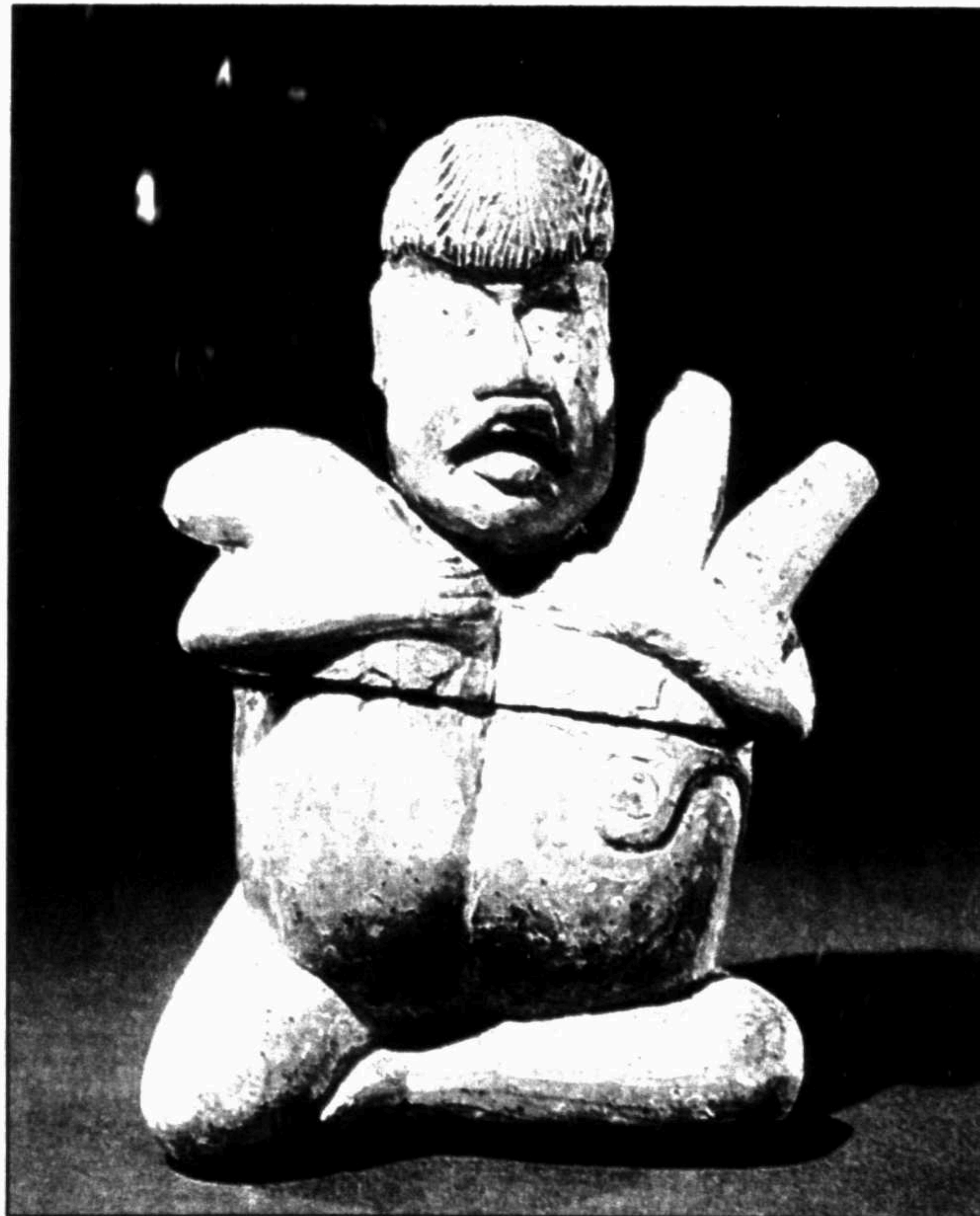
The Olmec civilization was first discovered when an engineer came upon a colossal head sculpture in the volcanic mountains of eastern Mexico. Archaeologists later found dozens of the monumental statues, some weighing many tons, from Vera Cruz to the Gulf of Mexico to Guerrero on the Pacific side.

The Olmecs created the rubber ball, appear to have understood astronomy and left behind distinctive art in jade and clay, including life-size images of infants and humans with the features of jaguars and crocodiles.

Bendersky's article about the ceramic vessel wasn't his first foray into art history. Two years ago he wrote an article in a scholarly journal, which attracted the attention of The New York Times, explaining his theory about the meaning of Raphael's painting "The Transfiguration," which pairs Jesus Christ's transfiguration with a child having a seizure.

Bendersky, relying on his training as a physician, wrote that the boy in the painting did not suffer epilepsy, as it had been previously interpreted, but was actually cured. Raphael, he said, meant to combine Christ's victory over death with the boy's triumph.

One leading authority on Renaissance art quoted by the Times said he believed that Bendersky had successfully decoded the painting.



AP Laserphoto

An Olmec figure, crafted 3,000 years ago, is pictured in a museum hand-out photo. When Dr. Gordon Bendersky saw the vessel at the Art Museum of Princeton University, he thought it was the "oldest image of the heart." The vessel, believed to have been found in Las Bocas, a city in south central Mexico, includes a pulmonary artery, an aorta and a superior vena cava. It even features an interventricular sulcus, the crease dividing the left ventricle from the right.

Some heart patients advised to take precautions before visiting dentist

By William C. Taylor, M.D.
Associated Press

People with heart murmurs caused by heart valve problems may need to take antibiotics when they go to the dentist to avoid a serious heart infection.

That's because bacteria in the gums can be released into the bloodstream during dental procedures that cause bleeding, such as dental cleanings. The bacteria can travel to the heart. There, those germs can cause a rare, potentially lethal infection called bacterial endocarditis, which can damage heart valves and lead to stroke and other serious complications.

Along with dental procedures, there are several other medical procedures, which may require antibiotics. The American Heart Association published revised guidelines this summer, which streamline the list of procedures that require preventive antibiotics.

There is no need to panic about visiting the dentist — bacterial endocarditis can be prevented, and not everyone is at risk for the disease. People who are most vulnerable include those with heart murmurs, those who have had heart valve surgery, and those who have congenital heart disease, a prior case of endocarditis or mitral valve prolapse with a leaky valve. Mitral valve prolapse, com-

mon in young women, occurs when the mitral valve inside the heart is oversized and becomes floppy, sometimes allowing blood to leak backward.

Bacterial endocarditis can be prevented if people take antibiotics before they undergo certain procedures: dental and orthodontic procedures that cause the gums to bleed (professional teeth cleaning, pulling teeth, root canals and installing bands for braces, for example), tonsillectomy, lung surgery, prostate surgery, internal examinations of the bladder or urethra, and some surgeries on the stomach, intestines and gall bladder.

If you are going to have one of the above procedures and have had a murmur or heart valve surgery, discuss using antibiotics preventively with your doctor. The newly released recommendations on antibiotics, published in the June 11 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association, are much simpler than older guidelines.

You or your doctor can also get a free "wallet card" on bacterial endocarditis from the American Heart Association by calling (800) AHA-USA1.

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Research studies allergies

By Carolyn Poirot
N.Y. Times News Service

About 50 million of us who suffer from hay fever are dreading the moment when pollen bursts in full force from all those giant ragweed plants lining every roadway and vacant lot. Fort Worth's best-known allergist is eagerly awaiting the big event, expected any moment now.

It's not that television's Dr. Bob Lanier needs the business; it's just that he needs a full-blown allergy season to test the new allergy-fighting antibodies he is developing along with researchers in several other parts of the country.

The study uses engineered antibodies from mice that act as anti-missile missiles to seek out regular human antibodies and tie them up so they cannot react to allergens. Researchers are ready to test the antibodies in humans.

An allergy is an abnormal immune system response to certain foods and other substances (such as pollen, mold and dust mites), known as allergens or antigens. The immune system releases the immunoglobulin E (IgE) antibody to protect it from the allergens, which it pegs as foreign invaders. That starts a chain reaction releasing histamine and other chemicals that stop up the nose and make the eyes water.

The new treatment combines mouse antibodies with human antibodies to fool the immune system. "No matter what you are allergic to, you don't react, because all your regular human antibodies are tied up," Lanier says.

Although it sounds as if it could revolutionize allergy treatment, Lanier says the new antibodies are unlikely to be a cure-all for allergic diseases, as some were predicting that Benadryl might be when it was discovered back in 1939.

Usually, ragweed explodes in mid- to late September. I'm already sniffing some Nasalacrom, the new over-the-counter form of cromolyn, a favorite asthma drug that has been available only by prescription in past allergy seasons.

And there is a new antihistamine nasal spray, available by prescription just in the past couple of weeks, according to my pharmacist. Astelin, the first nasal-spray antihistamine, delivers relief directly to the body part that suffers most from nasal allergies.

Carolyn Poirot writes on health-related subjects for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

SPORTS BRIEFING

TV Sports

BASEBALL — San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves, 6:30 p.m.
San Diego Padres at Houston Astros, 7 p.m., FSS.
Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs, 7 p.m., WGN.
Kansas City Royals at Texas Rangers, 7:30 p.m., COX Channel 52.
FOOTBALL — NFL, Philadelphia Eagles at Dallas Cowboys, 8 p.m., ABC.

Texas Scores

BASEBALL — Minnesota Twins 11, Texas Rangers 1.
Los Angeles Dodgers 4, Houston Astros 3.

AP Top 25

The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Sept. 13, total points based on 25 points for a first place vote through one point for a 25th place vote and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pv
1. Penn St. (25)	2-0	1,641	1
2. Washington (19)	2-0	1,615	3
3. Florida (14)	2-0	1,598	2
4. Tennessee (6)	2-0	1,543	4
5. Florida St. (3)	2-0	1,483	5
6. North Carolina (1)	2-0	1,379	7
7. Nebraska (2)	2-0	1,364	6
8. Michigan	1-0	1,253	14
9. Ohio St.	2-0	1,235	9
10. LSU	2-0	1,165	10
11. Alabama	2-0	1,007	15
12. Auburn	2-0	878	16
13. Iowa	2-0	850	18
14. Arizona St.	2-0	698	24
15. Colorado	1-1	696	8
16. Clemson	2-0	669	19
17. Michigan St.	2-0	660	21
18. Virginia Tech	2-0	603	22
19. Washington St.	2-0	490	—
20. Kansas St.	2-0	431	20
21. Stanford	1-1	323	17
22. Miami	1-1	244	13
23. Colorado St.	2-1	172	25
24. UCLA	1-2	131	—
25. Georgia	2-0	127	—

Others receiving votes: Texas A&M 113, Notre Dame 104, Texas 52, Brigham Young 43, Southern Miss. 40, N. Carolina St. 37, Kansas 23, Wyoming 13, Air Force 9, Purdue 8, Oregon 7, Oklahoma St. 6, Virginia 6, Wisconsin 6, Texas Tech 5, West Virginia 5, Arkansas 4, Northwestern 4, California 3, Southern Cal 3, Toledo 3, Cent. Florida 1.

Ticket change

Those persons wanting to purchase advance tickets for Thursday's 7 p.m. Midland Lee road game to Waco may do so only on Tuesday.

Tickets will be sold Tuesday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and again at 7 p.m. at the weekly Lee Booster Club meeting at Lee High School.

Tickets for Friday's 7:30 p.m. home game between Midland High and Andrews will be sold on the regular schedule which is 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to noon on Friday.

Normally, road game sales take place from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday and from 8 a.m. to noon on Friday.

Those hours will remain in place throughout the rest of the season.

Irwin wins tourney

AUGUSTA, Mo. — Hale Irwin shot a 7-under-par 65 Sunday for a two-stroke victory in the PGA Senior Boone Valley Classic, his seventh victory in 17 starts this year.

Irwin finished with a tournament record 16-under-par 200. He didn't make a bogey during the 54-hole event and birdied four of his final six holes.

Charity Classic

SUTTON, Mass. — Loren Roberts shot a 64 Sunday to finish with a tournament record 18-under-par 266 total and win the CVS Charity Classic by one stroke over Bill Glasson.

Roberts' total was one stroke better than that achieved by George Burns in 1985. Roberts, who finished tied for second in the Greater Milwaukee Open in his last outing, earned \$216,000 for his first tour victory of the year and the fifth of his career.

Glasson, the third-round leader, shot a 68 Sunday. Peter Jacobsen, who was tied with Glasson for the lead after two rounds, birdied No. 18 to cap a 65 and was third at 268.

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Emmitt enjoys Monday night stage

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — If ever a stage was made for a player, it's Emmitt Smith and Monday night football. Smith has had five outstanding games on the NFL's showcase night. And he was on his way to a sixth last year against Chicago before he fell on his head and hurt his neck.

"I love Monday night football," Smith said. "You know all the other players are watching. You want to perform for them."

The Dallas Cowboys running back has saved some of his most memorable prime-time performances for this Monday night's opponent, the Philadelphia Eagles.

In 1995, Smith rushed for 158 yards on 27 carries and scored two touchdowns against the Eagles.

Rules violations ignored says ex-Tech employee

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas Tech's current and former athletic directors were among administrators who disregarded or tried to stop corrections of rules violations and errors in player eligibility, a former school official says.

Alfonso Scandrett Jr., former Tech associate athletics director, told the Houston Chronicle for Sunday editions that he tried alerting officials that athletes made unauthorized long-distance telephone calls from the Tech athletic office.

Scandrett gave the newspaper a copy of his memo to Bobby Gleason, Tech's associate athletics director for business and personnel services.

In it, Scandrett reported that athletes had been making long-distance calls from office phones in February 1996 — 18 months before Tech reported the matter to the NCAA.

Scandrett, who was named athletics director at Buffalo (N.Y.) State College, said he gave former Tech AD Bob Bockrath a copy of the memo, but was advised to be careful about what he put in writing.

When Scandrett was interviewed by NCAA enforcement personnel and attorneys representing Tech in January, he provided the agency with the phone memo and other documents.

"They (NCAA investigators) were very interested in the fact that I had said all this stuff, had done memos on all this stuff and no one had followed up on it," said Scandrett.

A telephone number for Bockrath, who left Tech in June 1996 to become athletics director at the University of Alabama, was not listed and he could not be contacted by The Associated Press.

Scandrett's NCAA interview was part of the Tech athletics program's continuing investigation. Formally begun in February 1996, it remains classified as a preliminary inquiry, the initial stage of an NCAA infractions case.

But Tech officials believe the probe soon will be upgraded to an official inquiry in which the university must respond to a set of charges.



Jeff Gordon celebrates his victory in the CMT 300 with his wife Brooke.

STEWART DOREEN

Rebels need to wake up from El Paso nightmare

For the players on the Lee football team, the experience at Coronado Stadium Friday night was like a bad dream. They had to figure that at the same time, their alarm clock would sound, and it would be time for school. But it never did. Monday, they probably dreaded the fact they had to go to school.

Now comes the interesting part. We get to see how Lee reacts to this real life nightmare. Was this a disappointment? Yes, but it wasn't a catastrophe. No, that is what Texas' loss to UCLA was.

This was a loss that will be embarrassing in the short term. They lost to an El Paso school. That just doesn't happen. Ask the El Paso Times, which had to put up with numerous phone calls from all over the state Friday night wanting to know if the 21-14 score is correct. Nobody believed it. I couldn't believe it, and I saw the game.

The long term effects are what will be truly interesting. This loss alone does not mean the Rebels will not make the playoffs. It doesn't mean that Lee will not win

NFL ROUNDUP

Turnabout time in NFL

Associated Press

Tampa Bay, Baltimore and Detroit are giving the NFL standings a different look.

The three teams, who totaled 15 victories and 33 losses last year, are a combined 7-2 in the first three weeks this season, and the surprising Buccaneers (3-0) are the only unbeaten team in the NFC.

Horace Copeland caught his first touchdown pass since 1995 and set up another score with a 49-yard grab in Tampa Bay's 28-14 victory Sunday over Minnesota, the conference's only other unbeaten team after two weeks.

"The past is in the past," Copeland said of the Bucs' fast start. "It's what is happening now."

Rookie Warrick Dunn rushed for 101 yards and scored on a 52-yard run in the fourth quarter, helping the Bucs, who were 6-10 last year, to their best start since the 1979 team won its first five games on the way to the NFC Championship game.

Baltimore, 4-12 last year and 0-8 on the road, won 24-23 over the New York Giants on Matt Stover's 37-yard field goal with 34 seconds left. The Ravens (2-1) took advantage of a missed extra point and two missed 41-yard field-goal attempts by the Giants' Brad Daluiso.

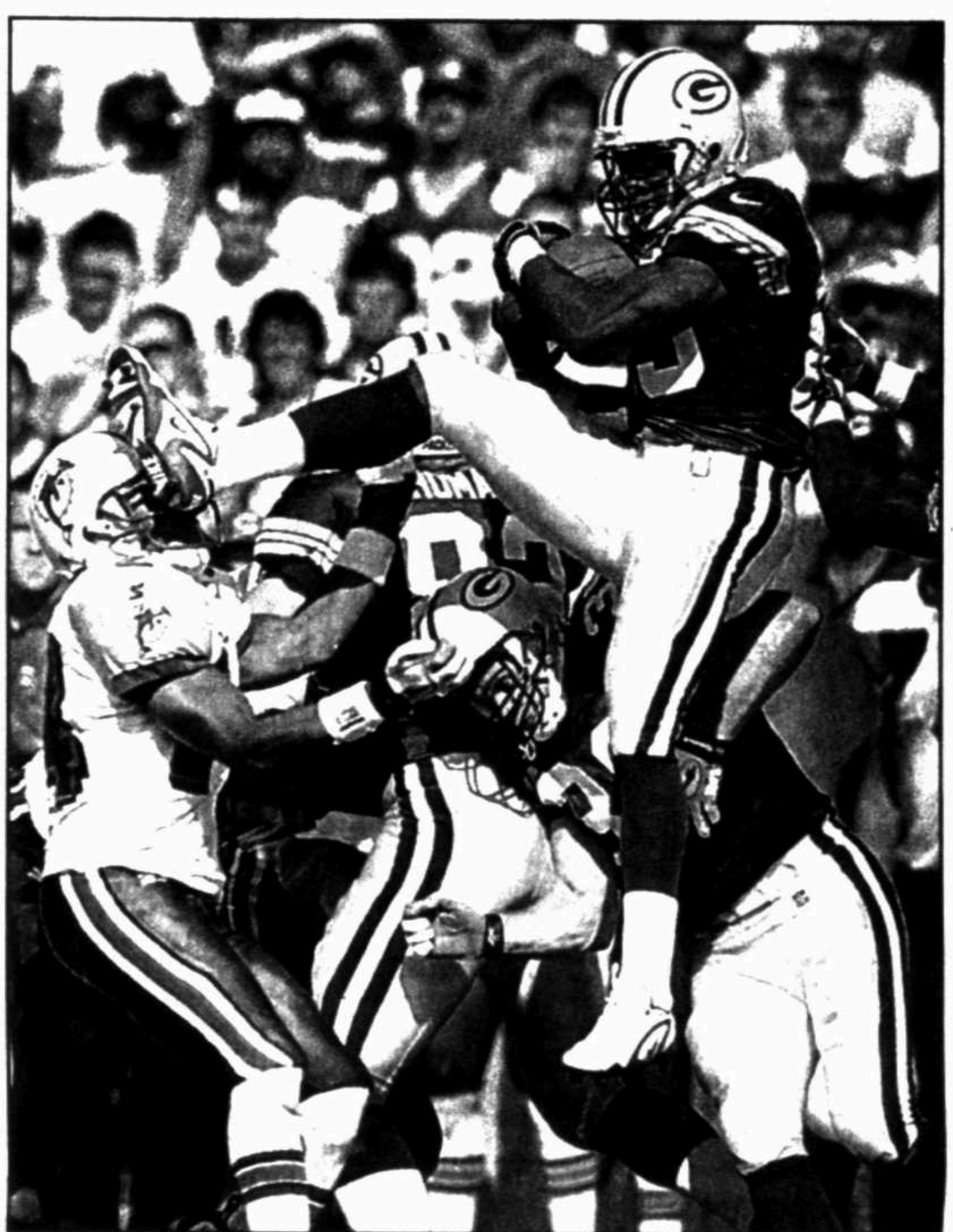
Barry Sanders, held to 53 yards in the season's first two games, rushed for 161 as Detroit rolled to a 32-7 victory at Chicago. The Lions, who also got two TD passes from Scott Mitchell, are 2-1 on the heels of last year's 5-11 showing that got Wayne Fontes fired.

In other games Sunday, it was Washington 19, Arizona 13 in overtime; Kansas City 22, Buffalo 16; Green Bay 23, Miami 18; Oakland 36, Atlanta 31; Carolina 26, San Diego 7; San Francisco 33, New Orleans 7; Denver 35, St. Louis 14; and Seattle 31, Indianapolis 3.

In a night game, the New York Jets were at New England.

Cincinnati, Tennessee, Jacksonville and Pittsburgh had open dates.

Trent Dilfer was 15 for 20 for 192 yards and two TDs for Tampa Bay, now 8-2 since a 1-8 start last



Green Bay Packers Terry Mickens jumps up to grab an onside kick by the Miami Dolphins in the fourth quarter on Sunday in Green Bay, Wis. The Packers won 23-18.

season, Tony Dungy's first as their coach following four seasons as Minnesota's defensive coordinator.

"There's been a total team improvement in Tampa," Vikings offensive tackle Korey Stringer said. "Tony's done some excellent things, but it's more than just coach Dungy. They've done well in the draft and picked up some key guys. They seem to be putting everything together."

Jake Reed had six catches for

131 yards for the Vikings (2-1), who came in with the NFC's top-rated offense. But until Brad Johnson's 30-yard TD pass to Cris Carter with 38 seconds left, they managed only two short field goals by Greg Davis and lost a home opener for the first time since 1986.

Johnson was 29-for-44 for a career-best 334 yards.

Tampa Bay has lost at least 10 games in 13 of the last 14 seasons.

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Jeff Gordon wins 10th race of season

By Mike Harris
AP Motorsports Writer

LOUDON, N.H. — Jeff Gordon barely managed to keep Ernie Irvan behind him for the last 36 laps Sunday on the way to a victory in the CMT 300.

Gordon held off Irvan by less than two car-lengths at New Hampshire International Speedway to earn his 10th win of the season and the 29th of his Winston Cup career.

The 300-lap race saw only two caution flags in the first 200 laps on the one-mile oval, but was interrupted six more times before the end.

"I'm in shock," Gordon said. "I can't believe we won again."

"Ernie's guys give him a lot of horsepower in those engines, and I was worried about him, particularly on the straightaway," the 26-year-old racer added. "We didn't need those cautions at the end. Our car was great on the long runs."

Gordon, who previously won here in 1995, said he spun his tires on each of the last three restarts, including the final one on lap 299.

"Ernie is really good on restarts and I just tried to anticipate the starts a little," Gordon said. "I spun the tires a little bit and I thought I was in trouble. It was real slippery and there was a lot of speed dry down in the lower part of the track, but I was able to slide the thing up in the second groove and hang on tight."

Gordon, who averaged 100.376 mph, earned \$188,625 from the purse of more than \$2.1 million.

His Dupont Chevrolet finished 0.209-seconds ahead of Irvan's Ford.

Bobby Hamilton was third, followed by Steve Grissom, who matched his career best finish, local favorite Ricky Craven, Dale Jarrett, Jimmy Spencer and Dale Earnhardt.

Mark Martin, who is second in the season standings, wound up ninth and fell 139 points behind Gordon. Jarrett is 188 back in third.

Jeff Burton, who won the July race here, remained fourth in the points despite needing relief from Todd Bodine because

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goals that Lee hopes to achieve.

SO IS THE GAP CLOSING? Henry brought a very interesting point after his team's win, saying that the gap between El Paso teams and those of the Permian Basin is closing. Is this right?

Probably not too much. It is the opinion here that more than one win, or some close games, are needed for El Paso schools to put themselves at or near the same level of the teams in the Permian Basin and District 4-5A. If you play enough games, there will be a team that plays the perfect game and gets the upset. That will happen, but that will not erase that the fact that Lee is still 39-4-1 and Permian is 50-1-1 against El Paso schools.

If the gap is closing, why did so many people have to call the El Paso paper to see if the score was right?

With the building of more schools in El Paso, the talent should continue to thin out, thus hurting their chances even more.

Hopefully for Midland Lee, that means future nightmares will end with the sound of the alarm clock that failed to go off on Friday.

Stewart Doreen is assistant sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Dodgers nip Astros in 10; Expos ejected in loss

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Mike Piazza singled home the winning run in the 10th inning Sunday and the Los Angeles Dodgers moved back into a tie for first in the NL West, stopping a five-game losing streak with a 4-3 victory over the Houston Astros.

Houston remained 4 1/2 games ahead of second-place Pittsburgh in the NL Central.

Billy Wagner (7-4) struck out three of his first four batters, then walked Otis Nixon and Eric Young with one out in the 10th. Piazza then singled to center off Jose Lima.

Scott Radinsky (5-1) gave up a game-tying single in the eighth. Todd Worrell got three outs for his 35th save.

Rockies 4, Braves 0
ATLANTA — Colorado won for the 15th time in 17 games, completing a three-game sweep. The Rockies, 11 games out of first on Aug. 30, moved within five games of the NL West lead.

Atlanta's NL East lead was cut to 4 1/2 games over second-place Florida.

Jay Buhner hits No. 36 in Mariners' victory

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Jay Buhner hit a two-run homer in the eighth inning as the Seattle Mariners rallied past the Toronto Blue Jays 3-2 Sunday and held their 5 1/2-game lead in the AL West.

AL Roundup

Ken Griffey Jr. failed to homer for the seventh straight game since reaching 50. Seattle cut the magic number for winning the AL West to eight over Anaheim.

Buhner's 36th home run came against Bill Rife (0-1), making his first major league appearance since Sept. 29, 1996, because of shoulder surgery.

Mike Timlin (6-4) pitched the eighth, and Heathcliff Slocumb finished for his 24th save.

Angels 3, Royals 2

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Garret Anderson broke up Tim Lincecum's no-hit bid with a seventh-inning double and drove in the winning run with a sacrifice fly in the

eighth as Anaheim remained 5 1/2 games behind first-place Seattle.

Mike James (5-5) got the victory, with one strikeout in eighth. Troy Percival pitched the ninth for his 25th save. Scott Service (0-1) was the loser.

Indians 8, White Sox 3

CHICAGO — Sandy Alomar hit a bases-loaded single to key a bizarre seven-run eighth, and Cleveland increased its AL Central lead to 7 1/2 games over Chicago and Milwaukee. Jim Thome hit his 40th homer for the Indians.

Chicago tied a major league record by using nine pitchers in the nine-inning game.

Paul Shuey (4-1) pitched a scoreless seventh. Jeff Darwin (0-1) was the loser.

Red Sox 2, Brewers 1

MILWAUKEE — Rookie Nomar Garciaparra hit his 29th homer and Butch Henry (7-2) allowed six hits in seven innings. Milwaukee has lost five straight and seven of eight.

Andres Galarraga's eighth-inning hit broke up a scoreless duel between John Smoltz (14-12) and Pedro Astacio (11-9). Pinch-hitter John Vander Wai had a three-run homer in the ninth, his first home run since last Sept. 16.

Martins 5, Giants 4

MIAMI — Kurt Abbott broke an eighth-inning tie with an swinging bunt in the eighth that rolled 10 feet for an RBI single. Pinch hitter Jim Eisenreich followed with a sacrifice fly for a 5-3 lead.

San Francisco scored once in the ninth and had runners at second and third with two outs. Third baseman Bobby Bonilla then made a game-ending catch of Barry Bonds' pop foul while tumbling into the first row of stands.

Jay Powell (6-2) was the winner and Robb Nen got his 33rd save. Roberto Hernandez (3-2) was the loser.

Cubs 3, Pirates 2

PITTSBURGH — Mark Clark (13-7) gave up six hits in eight innings to win his sixth straight decision and lead Chicago to its eighth win in 11 games. Pittsburgh, only 1 1/2 games behind the Astros on Sept. 2, has lost five of six and 14 of 19.

Turner Ward hit a tying pinch-hit homer off Clark in the eighth, but the Cubs scored the go-ahead run in the ninth on pinch-hitter Lance Johnson's sacrifice fly off Rich Loeiselle.

Ricardo Rincon (4-4) was the loser. Terry Adams pitched the ninth for his 17th save.

Mets 1, Expos 0

NEW YORK — A ninth-inning collision at home plate that led to three Montreal ejections overshadowed Dave Mlicki (8-11), who allowed seven hits in 8 2-3 shutout innings.

Luis Lopez homered off Carlos Perez (12-11), his first since May 28, 1996, helping the Mets remain 3 1/2 games behind Florida in the wild-card race.

David Segui, attempting to score in the ninth, crashed into catcher Todd Pratt as shortstop Rey Ordonez's relay throw arrived. Segui was called out by plate umpire Larry Vanover although television replays showed that Pratt dropped the ball and Segui had touched the plate.

Mike Lansing, Montreal manager Felipe Alou and trainer Lance McLean were all tossed following several heated exchanges with umpires.

Cardinals 10, Padres 4

ST. LOUIS — Mark McGwire hit his 51st homer, and St. Louis Cardinals scored seven runs in the eighth.

McGwire, the first player with consecutive 50-homer seasons since Babe Ruth in 1927-28, connected off Joey Hamilton (11-6) in the sixth. He has 17 homers in 37 games since St. Louis acquired him from Oakland on July 31, and has 14 games remaining to chase Roger Maris' season record of 61.

Tony Fossas (2-6) got three outs in the eighth inning for the victory.

Reds 6, Phillies 4

PHILADELPHIA — Jon Nunnally had three hits, scored two runs and came home on the front end of a double steal.

Rookie Brett Tomko (11-6) allowed three runs — two earned — and six hits in 7 1-3 innings, helping Cincinnati beat the Phillies for the eighth time in 11 games this season.

Jeff Shaw pitched a scoreless ninth to convert his 12th consecutive save chance, giving him 37 in 43 opportunities.

Tyler Green (4-4) allowed five runs and six hits in 6 1-3 innings.

LOCAL SPORTS

Black Magic wins openers

Black Magic '86 boys soccer club started league play on a high note this weekend with a 3-0 record, outscoring opponents by a 9-1 margin.

Magic defeated Force United of Odessa, 2-0; Amarillo HPD '86, 3-1; and Amarillo HPD '87, 4-0.

Scoring goals for Black Magic were Julius Camarillo, Chad Chastain, Josh Fallin, Matthew Lucas, Brian Michie with assists from Tyler Fulton, Brandon Porter, Ryan Warmke and Matthew Lucas.

Lee sophomores lose to JV team

FORT STOCKTON — The Midland Lee sophomore football team suffered its first loss of the season Saturday when it fell to the Fort Stockton junior varsity 14-7. Josh Perez scored all of the points for the Rebels, catching an 18-yard scoring pass from Jonathan Rogers and kicking the extra point.

Jaquan Andrews had 82 yards rushing for Lee while Brook Stevens forced a fumble and Robert Flores recovered. Lee, 1-1 on the season, will play at Odessa Permian Thursday at 5 p.m.

Camacho compliments De La Hoya

By Ed Schuyler Jr.
AP Boxing Writer

LAS VEGAS — It was a compliment that packed a punch.

"Oscar is the best I ever fought," said Hector Camacho. That's quite a tribute from a man who has fought quite a few tough and talented men in a 69-bout career that began in 1980.

De La Hoya beat up the 35-year-old Macho Man on Saturday night to retain the WBC welterweight title and then talked about fighting Felix Trinidad, the IBF welterweight champion, and Terry Norris, the WBC super welterweight champion.

"I want to fight everybody," De La Hoya said.

It is Wilfredo Rivera, however, whom De La Hoya will fight in his last bout this year. His first opponent in 1998 will be Patrick Chartier of France.

De La Hoya will defend the title against Rivera — a Puerto Rican

with a record of 27-2, including 17 knockouts — on Dec. 6 at Atlantic City, N.J. He will make a mandatory defense against No. 1-ranked Chartier in March in Tokyo.

While De La Hoya (26-0, 21 KOs) wants to unify the welterweight title, promoter Bob Arum didn't appear too eager for De La Hoya bouts against Trinidad and Ike Quartey, the WBA champion.

As for Norris, Arum said, "That is a match we're going to make expeditiously and we're going to make it next year." That fight would be for Norris' 154-pound title, but it would be fought at 148 pounds, a pound over the welterweight limit.

Norris was ringside at Thomas & Mack Center for De La Hoya's battering of Camacho, a bout that was carried by TVKO on pay-per-view and will be rebroadcast on HBO Friday.

"He did everything he said he would except knock me out," Camacho said.

Texas Longhorns wondering what happened

By Chip Brown
AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN — Texas players didn't want to leave the locker room to face their families. Coach John Mackovic didn't know what to say. What could he say?

His team had just suffered through an experience that thousands of earlier Longhorns players and 17 previous coaches had never allowed — a 63-point loss, the worst in nearly 100 years.

Theodore Roosevelt was president and the automobile wasn't even 10 years old the last time Texas suffered such humiliation.

In 1904, it was a 68-0 drubbing by the University of Chicago. On Sat-

urday, it was a 66-3 dismantling by UCLA (1-2), the Longhorns' worst home defeat ever.

"My family's out there waiting," said Texas senior center Ryan Fiebigler. "I know it sounds horrible, but I don't want to look them in the eye."

"Playing sports all my life, fighting with my brother, I've never been through something like this. It's embarrassing."

"What do you say to friends and family who see this score?" Mackovic said.

Sure, the Longhorns (1-1) were playing without starting quarterback James Brown, sidelined by a severely bruised left ankle suffered in the first half of Texas' 48-

14 victory over Rutgers on Sept. 6. But backup Richard Walton is a fourth-year junior. Ricky Williams was healthy and ready to run behind an experienced offensive line. And the defensive front seven were supposed to be Texas' best since the early 1990s, when Shane Dronett and James Patton were storming around Royal Memorial Stadium.

"I know they were playing under adverse conditions, not playing with their starting quarterback," said UCLA coach Bob Toledo, whose team showed resolve after narrow losses to Washington State and Tennessee. "But they have scholarship players, too."

UCLA was a deceptive 0-2

because it had been in position to beat both Washington State and Tennessee only to fail late in each game on fourth-down plays deep in opposing territory. The Bruins, however, were giving up an average of 47 yards per game. Surely, Texas' offense could move the ball.

Wrong. Eight turnovers, six resulting in UCLA touchdowns. Eight sacks. Minus-7 yards rushing at intermission. Halftime scoreboard: UCLA 38, Texas 0. Complete collapse.

Bruins' quarterback Cade McNown had a school record five TD passes. Running back Skip Hicks had three scores.

NFL: Tampa Bay remains undefeated

(From 1C)

But the Bucs have taken over first place in the Central Division in impressive fashion, upsetting San Francisco and then winning at Detroit and Minnesota after going 1-7 on the road last season.

"It seems unusual, but we expected to be here, and we expect to be better next week," Dilfer said. "Our expectations for each other are getting higher and higher and higher."

Ravens 24, Giants 23

Vinny Testaverde threw two touchdown passes as the Ravens rallied from a 23-14 deficit with 12:22 to play to hand the Giants (1-2) their second straight loss.

Testaverde, as backup Eric Zeier warmed up, then drove the Ravens 48 yards in eight plays. Testaverde, 22 of 35 for 223 yards, fumbled the snap on the first play of the drive, but the ball bounced up to him and he ran for 11 yards.

Lions 32, Bears 7

Chicago fell to 0-3 for the first time since 1969 and also lost Rashaan Salaam, a 1,000-yard rusher in 1995, for the season with a broken right leg.

Rick Mirer, acquired in an unpopular offseason trade with Seattle, made his Chicago debut after coach Dave Wannstedt benched starting quarterback Erik Kramer in third quarter.

Mirer's first possession ended with a fumble, and he finished 10 of 21 for 90 yards.

Redskins 19, Cardinals 13, OT
Michael Westbrook caught two touchdown passes, including a fall-away, 40-yard grab 1:36 into overtime in the inaugural game at Jack Kent Cooke Stadium.

Westbrook, who caught only one pass in the first two games following his demotion from the starting lineup for his attack on teammate Stephen Davis during a preseason practice, made a 5-yard TD catch in the second quarter.

The game-winner came after Redskins rookie Kenard Lang stripped Leland McElroy of the ball on Arizona's first overtime possession. Another rookie, Derek Smith, recovered.

Packers 23, Dolphins 18
Brett Favre threw two touchdown passes and Dorsey Levens had a career-high 121 yards rushing as Green Bay (2-1) bounced back from a loss at Philadelphia by winning at home.

Ryan Longwell, who missed a chip shot in the final seconds that would have beaten the Eagles, hit all three of his field goals to counter four from Miami's Olindo Mare.

Chiefs 22, Bills 16

Elvis Grbac, who hit Andre Rison with a game-winning 32-yard TD pass in the final seconds

at Oakland on Monday night, found Tony Richardson from the 1 yard line 6:55 left.

The Bills drove from their 33 to a first down at the Chiefs 7 with 27 seconds left. But Todd Collins' pass on fourth down was intercepted by Mark McMillian in the end zone.

Raiders 36, Falcons 31
Jeff George, released by Atlanta a year ago after a sideline tantrum, threw a 76-yard pass that set up Cole Ford's tiebreaking field goal with 4:24 remaining.

Napoleon Kaufman ran 61 and 58 yards for touchdowns for Oakland, and Atlanta quarterback Chris Chandler was injured for the second week in a row.

49ers 33, Saints 7

Steve Young, sidelined last week due to his third concussion in his last 10 regular-season games, threw three touchdown passes, and Rod Woodson intercepted three passes and recovered a fumble in San Francisco's rout.

The Saints (0-3) turned the ball over eight times, and coach Mike Ditka finally put in Danny Wuerfel in place of Heath Shuler, who has eight interceptions and no TD passes this season.

Broncos 35, Rams 14

John Elway threw four touchdown passes, including 72- and 38-yarders to Rod Smith, in Denver's romp past St. Louis.

Darrien Gordon returned a punt 94 yards for another score, and Terrell Davis had his third straight 100-yard rushing game, gaining 103 yards on 21 carries.

Panthers 26, Chargers 7
Carolina welcomed back quarterback Kerry Collins and wrecked the home debut of San Diego coach Kevin Gilbride.

Collins, playing for the first time since breaking his jaw on Aug. 9, threw two touchdown passes to tight end Wesley Walls, and John Kasay had four field goals.

Seahawks 31, Colts 3

Warren Moon, at 40 the oldest player in the NFL, passed for 270 yards and one touchdown in Seattle's first victory of the season.

Moon was 24-for-38, set up a first-quarter touchdown run by Lamar Smith and even ran for one touchdown himself, his first rushing TD in four years.

Patriots 27, Jets 24, OT

FOXBORO, Mass. — Adam Vinatieri's 34-yard field goal 8:03 into overtime gave the New England Patriots a 27-24 win over their former coach and the New York Jets on Sunday night.

It was a wild finish to an unexpectedly close game in which the Patriots lost the lead in the final minute of regulation, then blocked John Hall's 30-yard field goal attempt to force overtime.

GORDON: Holds off Irvan to claim win

(From 1C)

of an inner ear problem. Burton started the race and drove until the first caution flag on lap 68. Bodine then took over and went on to finish 14th.

There were numerous crashes and spins on the slick oval, but no injuries were reported.

Ken Schrader, who won the pole,

led only the first two laps. He was involved in one of the crashes late in the race and finished 37th.

The early part of the race was a battle between Hamilton, who started second, and Craven, who was sixth in the 43-car lineup. Those two swapped the lead several times in the early going before Gordon, who started 13th, worked his way to the front for the first

time on lap 149.

Meanwhile, Irvan, who started last, was also slicing through traffic and moved into second on lap 151. Most of the remaining laps were a battle between those two, although Craven did stay with them for a while.

Irvan took the lead from Gordon on lap 223, but all the leaders pitted for the final time on lap 227 dur-

ing a caution period. Gordon took only fuel and came out in front, while Irvan got right-side tires and rolled onto the track in fifth.

Irvan kept the pressure on, quickly moving to third, just behind Craven, then taking second place on a restart on lap 265. He tried in vain to catch Gordon the rest of the way, never quite catching the leader.

Controversy follows UTEP Miner sports

By Eduardo Montes
Associated Press Writer

EL PASO — The problems have originated in all quarters for the Texas-El Paso athletic department. From internal management woes to external investigations, these have become increasingly difficult times.

The latest scandal, an IRS investigation of 30 former and current football players, could have the greatest impact on the university's image, even though no wrongdoing by the school has been alleged.

The probe is receiving national attention, already has made the university the butt of jokes locally and has school officials distancing themselves from the actions of some of their highest-profile students.

The home opener, a 30-28 loss to New Mexico on Saturday night, attracted a sparse 19,000-plus fans, small even by UTEP standards. But it's not clear whether there was any relation to ESPN's reports Thursday that a "ring-leader" took a 60 percent cut after arranging for players to receive illegally inflated tax-refund checks.

The network reports came six months after the NCAA placed UTEP on five years' probation because of a lack of institutional control and what were characterized as minor but rampant transgressions of NCAA regulations in the football, men's and women's basketball and other programs. UTEP has appealed for a reduction in sanctions, including the restoration of some scholarships.

This was the university's second brush with the NCAA, which also placed UTEP on three years' probation in 1991 after finding the basketball program violated recruiting rules and that players received improper gifts.

Last year, UTEP also began a restructuring of the athletic

department after repeatedly running afoul of compliance guidelines.

The most serious incident forced UTEP to forfeit an opening-round victory in the 1996 Western Athletic Conference basketball tournament because the team used an ineligible player. University officials found they had miscalculated the player's credit hours.

UTEP's football program has also had periodic problems with players breaking the law, including one-time star running back Toraino Singleton, who was accused in 1995 of beating two men and was eventually convicted on assault charges.

School officials have responded to the tax fraud probe by expressing disappointment and urging the public not to view the scandal as an indication that the administration lacks control of the athletic department.

UTEP legal counsel Richard Adatao said the apparent focus of the investigation is an IRS employee in California whose only connection to UTEP may be through a former athlete.

Allegations say the federal employee may have drawn in former or current members of the football team, apparently without their full knowledge of the scheme, the school said.

"We hope the public understands that this issue involves individuals and their private business affairs," UTEP President Diana Natalicio said. "We are profoundly disappointed that actions of individuals have drawn the university into an embarrassing situation."

Natalicio expressed support for football coach Charlie Bailey, who is struggling to turn around a perennially losing program.

Bailey said the investigation is in the hands of the proper authorities.

"We need to get on with our lives," he said.

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Kansas City 80 66 511 530 2-1 42-33 41-43 7-9

Minnesota 80 67 408 529 12-7 42-33 41-43 7-9

West Division

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Seattle 83 61 553 572 1-1 43-31 41-42 1-12

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Cleveland 8, Chicago White Sox 3

Minnesota 11, Texas 1

N.Y. Yankees 8, Oakland 5

Anahem 3, Kansas City 2

Seattle 3, Toronto 2

N.Y. Yankees 8, Baltimore 2

Monday's Games

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Golf Results

Charity Classic

SUTTON, Mass. (AP) — Final

scores and earnings Sunday

Sept. 14, 1997. CBS Charity Classic

played on the 7,110-yard, par-71

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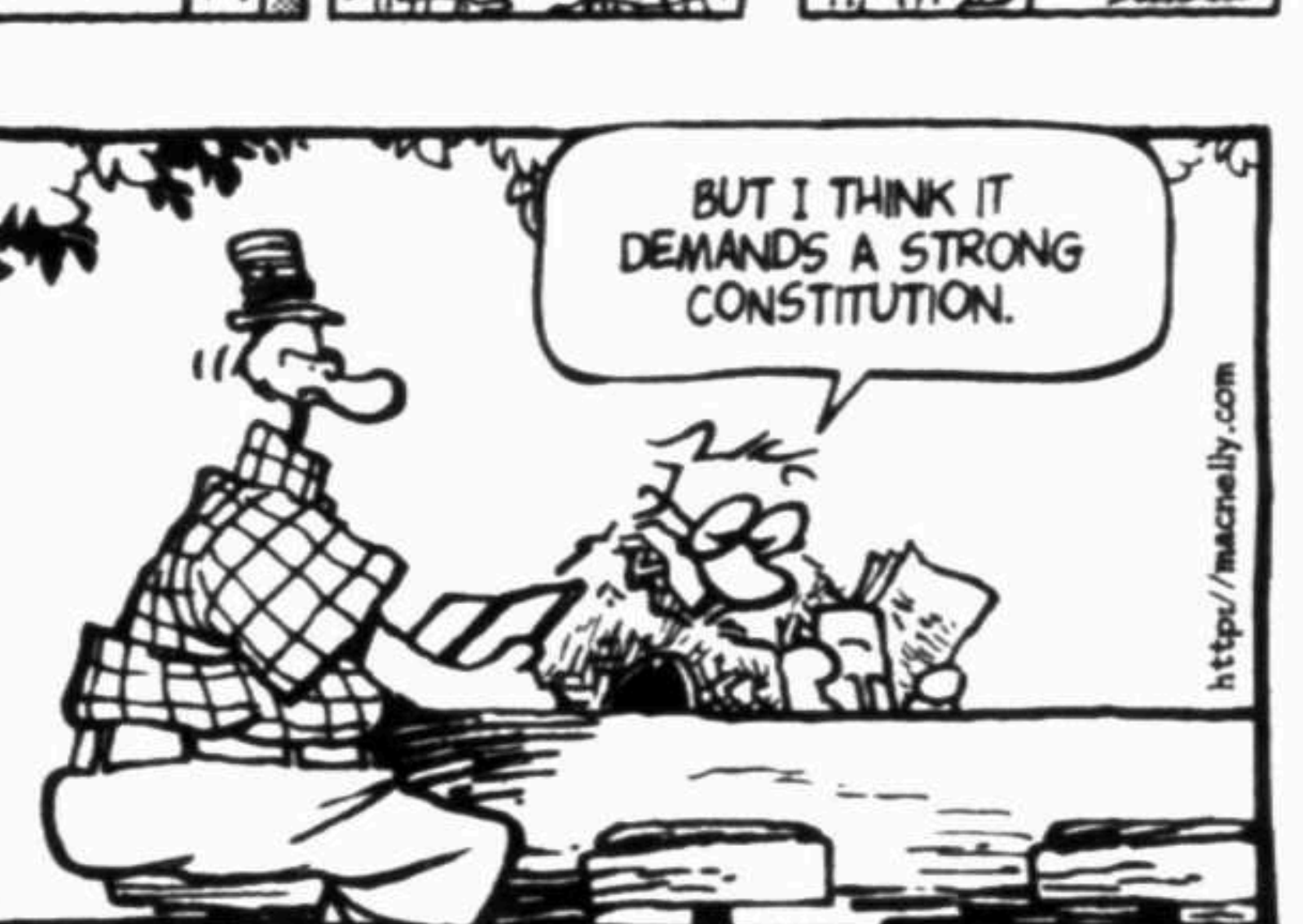
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MONDAY, SEPT. 15, 1997

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
 *** Plans go awry, but there's nothing to gain by fighting it. Instead, take a moment to evaluate your intentions and decide the best way to proceed. By the afternoon, your head is swimming with unusual ideas. One in particular is a winner — but it's not the one you think! Tonight: Surf the Net.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
 *** A dream sings to you; do what you can to make it a reality. A friend will help you, if you ask nicely. Making demands is counterproductive and entirely unnecessary. To your great surprise, a partner is just as supportive. Tonight: Stay late at the office, if necessary.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
 *** Keep temper and ego in check; let your intelligence speak, quietly, for itself. Another is capable of pushing your buttons; if you don't respond in kind, the threat will soon pass. A sense of humor and belief in yourself save the day and make you a winner. Tonight: Head home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
 *** Long-range matters hum right along. Progress is almost effortlessly made; with this in mind, work on a creative project. A child makes you proud; show your appreciation in a unique way. Tonight: Go to an art gallery or antique shop.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
 *** You might have to put your foot down and say, "Enough is enough" to a partner who can't seem to help spending your money. Give only until it feels good, not until it hurts. Your self-respect is critical to the success of this relationship. Tonight: Use your imagination.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
 *** A love interest throws you a curve ball; you feel you might never recover. Don't overreact; you will soon see the silver lining. Creativity, sensuality and excitement mix. Avoid committing yourself now; you might change your mind, too. Tonight: Turn up the music!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
 *** Maintain a low profile, and let others call the shots. Later, changes make reorganization or a complete scrapping of plans necessary. Despite your protests, it's for the best. Something that never could have happened before is now possible. Tonight: Do your own thing.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
 *** A sense of adventure rules, to your great delight. You are fearless and enjoy the challenges you face. A friend could become much more. Don't assume anything is set in stone, even though you can roll with the changes. Tonight: Dance until dawn.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
 *** Trouble brews at home; attend to it as soon as possible. Power plays ultimately backfire, with you on the losing end. Don't engage in intrigues, no matter how much you think you're right. A higher-up has faith in you; heed his wise counsel. Tonight: Listen to a radio talk show.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
 *** A communique is inspired; share it with others. Don't hide your light or underplay what you've accomplished. Recognition from an authority figure could bring financial increase, but you might have to spend in order to get the most from it. Tonight: Shop.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
 *** A financial puzzle is finally solved, albeit in a surprising way. Does it matter how it happened? What is important is that you can move on and enjoy another pleasure, this one in the form of a lively encounter with a partner. Tonight: Enjoy a heavenly date!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
 *** Discover new ways to use the limelight to your advantage. You set a style trend that endures long after you've grown tired of it. You delight others with your winning ways. Don't hold back! A significant other is mesmerized. Tonight: You wow others!

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

AK10652 KJ5 AK AK4

Partner opens the bidding with one heart. What do you respond?

A - Shame on you for thinking we are trying to trap you. While your spade suit is not self-sufficient, you do have excellent support for partner's suit, and anything less than a jump shift to two spades does not do the hand justice.

Q. 2 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

64 52 AKQ4 A9852

Partner opens the bidding with three spades. What action do you take?

A - According to the Rule of Two & Three, at this vulnerability partner should be able to deliver six tricks with spades as trumps. You have four, plus the ability to prevent the opponents from cashing more than two heart tricks. Raise to four spades.

Q. 3 - Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

6 AK94 A84 AJ654

The bidding has proceeded:
 SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
 1 Pass 1 Pass
 2 Pass 2 Pass
 3 Pass 3 Pass

What do you bid now?

A - If you play that a reverse is not forcing, pass. Partner's bid is regressive and you have nothing in reserve. In the modern style, though, the reverse is forcing to two no trump or three of opener's first suit, so tell partner you have a minimum reverse by bidding two no trump now.

Q. 4 - Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

K6 AQ6 9543 AJ72

The bidding has proceeded:
 NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST
 Pass Pass 1 Pass 1
 1 Pass 1 Pass 1

What action do you take?

A - Not a pleasant development. The hand is too strong to pass and there is no good bid available. The only action we find at all palatable is a rebid of one no trump. Although a real diamond stopper would be preferred, at least you are conveying to partner a balanced hand without three-card spade support.

Q. 5 - Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

J5 Q32 K1076 K1063

The bidding has proceeded:
 NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST
 1 Pass 1 Pass
 2 Pass 2 Pass
 3 Pass 3 Pass

What action do you take?

A - Ah, those minor-suit tens! Not given an ounce of value in the point-count table, they are just enough to convince us the hand is worth another bid, and two no trump is the obvious call.

Q. 6 - As South, vulnerable, you hold:

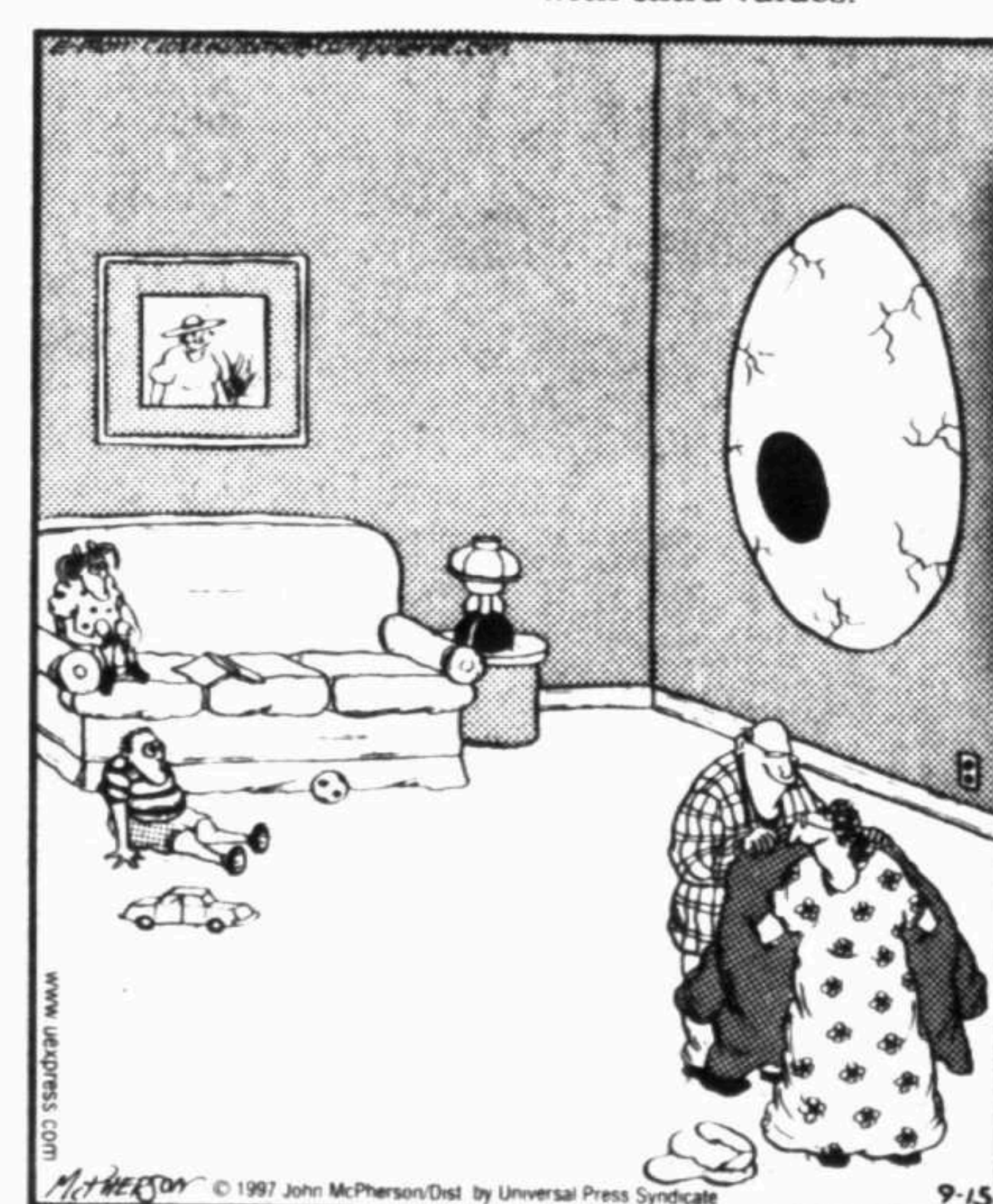
Void AKJ742 KQ8 K542

The bidding has proceeded:
 SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
 1 Pass 1 Pass
 2 Pass 2 Pass
 3 Pass 3 Pass

What do you bid now?

A - What started out as a most promising hand must be downgraded for the moment. Since a change of suit by opener tends to be encouraging, a rebid of two clubs is enough for now. Given the chance, three hearts next will complete the description of your 6-4 distribution, with extra values.

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PEOPLE

Michael Jordan took cooking class out of fear of being alone, he says

NEW YORK — Even Michael Jordan endured teen-age angst.

"I used to take cooking class when I was younger ... because girls weren't interested in me and I thought I may be alone for the rest of my life," Jordan said in latest issue of Newsweek. "You know how kids worry and think. I was really lanky, really tall, so I stood out."

"That can present problems when you're a kid and makes you think no one is going to like you."

Jordan, who introduced his own brand of sportswear last week, hasn't had to worry about his popularity since his years at the University of North Carolina. In fact, he said, he has grown accustomed to media scrutiny.

"Over the last few years it's actually subsided," Jordan said. "One reason is because I stopped isolating myself from people so much. ... I am out there with the people as much as I can. I know Princess Diana did that as well, but she was royalty. I am not."

Jordan has led the Chicago Bulls to five National Basketball Association titles and recently signed a \$33 million, one-year contract that will keep him the highest-paid player in basketball.

presented Lee with a key to the city.

NEW YORK — Xena on Broadway? Lucy Lawless, star of the syndicated TV series "Xena Warrior Princess," is playing Rizzo in Broadway's "Grease" while on hiatus from her role as the tough-talking, leather-clad Xena. She will play the tough-talking, leather-clad Rizzo until Oct. 19.

"From what I hear — and, of course, I haven't seen anyone else's performance — this is the sexiest, girliest kind of Rizzo they've had," Lawless said in the latest Entertainment Weekly. "I mean, she's tough, but she's definitely all girl."

She landed the role when one of the producers of "Grease" caught her impromptu rendition of "I'm an Old Cowhand" on "The Rosie O'Donnell Show." O'Donnell also played Rizzo on Broadway.

"Lucy brings with her an aura," producer Barry Weissler said. "Before she even walks on stage, we're already wondering what the warrior princess is going to act like as Rizzo."

COLUMBUS, Ohio — F. Lee Bailey says the jury system in the United States is out of order and needs to be fixed.

And he has a solution: the country should follow the military's lead and only use jurors who are college graduates.

"All military jurors are college graduates," Bailey said. "If I were innocent, I'd like to be in front of a military jury, and if I were guilty, I'd like to be in front of a civilian court."

Bailey, 64, was in Columbus on Friday to participate in a mock trial offered by the American Board of Trial Advocates, a group founded for the preservation of the civil jury trial. He was joined on the defense team by attorney Robert Baker of Santa Monica, Calif.

Bailey was part of the legal team that successfully defended O.J. Simpson in the criminal trial in the slaying of Simpson's ex-wife and her friend. Baker defended Simpson in the civil lawsuit that resulted in a \$33.5 million judgment against the former football star.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire reports.



Film maker Spike Lee got key to city when latest work appeared in Birmingham, Ala.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — The stark images of racial protest and violent white resistance in Birmingham of the 1960s have returned — in a Spike Lee film.

Lee's HBO movie "4 Little Girls" is a remembrance of four girls killed in a dynamite blast at a church in 1963. The film, getting a two week-run in the city before it is shown on the cable network, made its Birmingham premiere Saturday night before 2,000 people.

The girls died in a Sept. 15, 1963, explosion. A former Ku Klux Klansman, Robert Chambliss, was convicted of murder in the bombing in 1977 and died in prison. When Lee's film held its New York premiere earlier this year, the FBI announced that the investigation had been renewed, focusing on at least two surviving suspects. There have been no new arrests.

"It changed lives," Lee said of the bombing. "To this day, people are trying to make sense of it."

Birmingham Mayor Richard Arrington



F. Lee Bailey says jurors should have college educations.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY EVENING September 15, 1997											
Broadcast	Channel	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	11:00
(3) KMD	23	News 979	Wheel of Fortune	The World's Most Dangerous Game	NFL Football: Philadelphia Eagles at Dallas Cowboys 104031	Ally McBeal: Compromising Positions 9990	Tarzan: The Epic Adventures 8548	Home Improvement	Mad About You	Vibe 54778	Cheers (11:35)
(5) KPEJ	24	The Simpsons	Home Improvement	Malcolm in the Middle	Ally McBeal: Compromising Positions 9990	Cybill 9283	George & Leo 8318	News 2151467	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)	Married Children	Late Night Conan
(7) KOSA	7	News 5196	Grease Under Fire	Seinfeld 9554	Dastine NBC 25486	The Accidental Husband of Truth Movie (97) (Bonnie Rood, Dennis Dugan)	Charlaine Duplantier	Praise the Lord 53825	Telecourse 270554	Sch bach	E.V. Hill
(9) KWES	9	News 8202	Seinfeld 9554	The Light of the Southwest 710776	J. Sekulow	Full Circle With Michael Palin 910909	Altruenza 996080	Straight Talk With Derek McGinty 918844	Charles Grodin 2218660	Rivers Live 6174931	
(13) KMLM	42	The Light of the Southwest 710776	J. Sekulow	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 436263	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554
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(8) CNBC	8	Money Club	Sheets and Deals	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554
(10) WGN	10	Family Matters	Coach 94/56	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs 247554
(11) WTBS	11	Who's the Boss?	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves 402919
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(23) FAM	23	The Waltons: The Outsider	Jack Hanna's Wildlife	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952	Adventures
(35) CNN	35	Moneyline	Crossfire	Pri. News	Burden	Larry King Live 187370	The World Today	The World Today	The World Today	The World Today	The World Today
(36) ESPN	36	SportsCenter (5:30)	NFL Prime Monday 617221	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028	Gymnastics: World Championships 912028
(37) USA	37	Highlander: The Biltz 629931	Walker, Texas Ranger: Mean Streets 103119	Hawaii Five-O: One Big Happy Family 811952	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952	Adventures	Family 811952
(38) FX	38	Miami Vice 8174554	Extended Family	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554	Biography: Edward VIII: The Tractor King 503554
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(41) NICK	41	Doug 466842	Rugrats 751234	Hey Arnold! Happy Days	Bewitched 394196	I Love Lucy	Odd Couple	Taxi 352757	Newhart 381405	Mary T. 1992	Dick Van Dyke
(43) LIFE	43	Intimate Portrait	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries	Unresolved Mysteries
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(51) COM	51	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	Back to School (PG-13, 16) 491288	Podney Dangerfield, Sally Field 18137	Margaret Cho: Make Me Laugh	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641
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(15) AMC	15	Imitation of Life (PG, 13) 491288	Podney Dangerfield, Sally Field 18137	Margaret Cho: Make Me Laugh	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641
(16) TNN	16	Dukes of Hazzard	Today's Country	Prime Time Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country	Monday Night Country
(17) TNT	17	Lois & Clark	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960	WCW Monday Nitro 732960
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(33) SHOW	33	Summer Camp (R-16) (PG, 13) 491288	Podney Dangerfield, Sally Field 18137	Margaret Cho: Make Me Laugh	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641	Saturday Night Live: Alex Karpas 4600641
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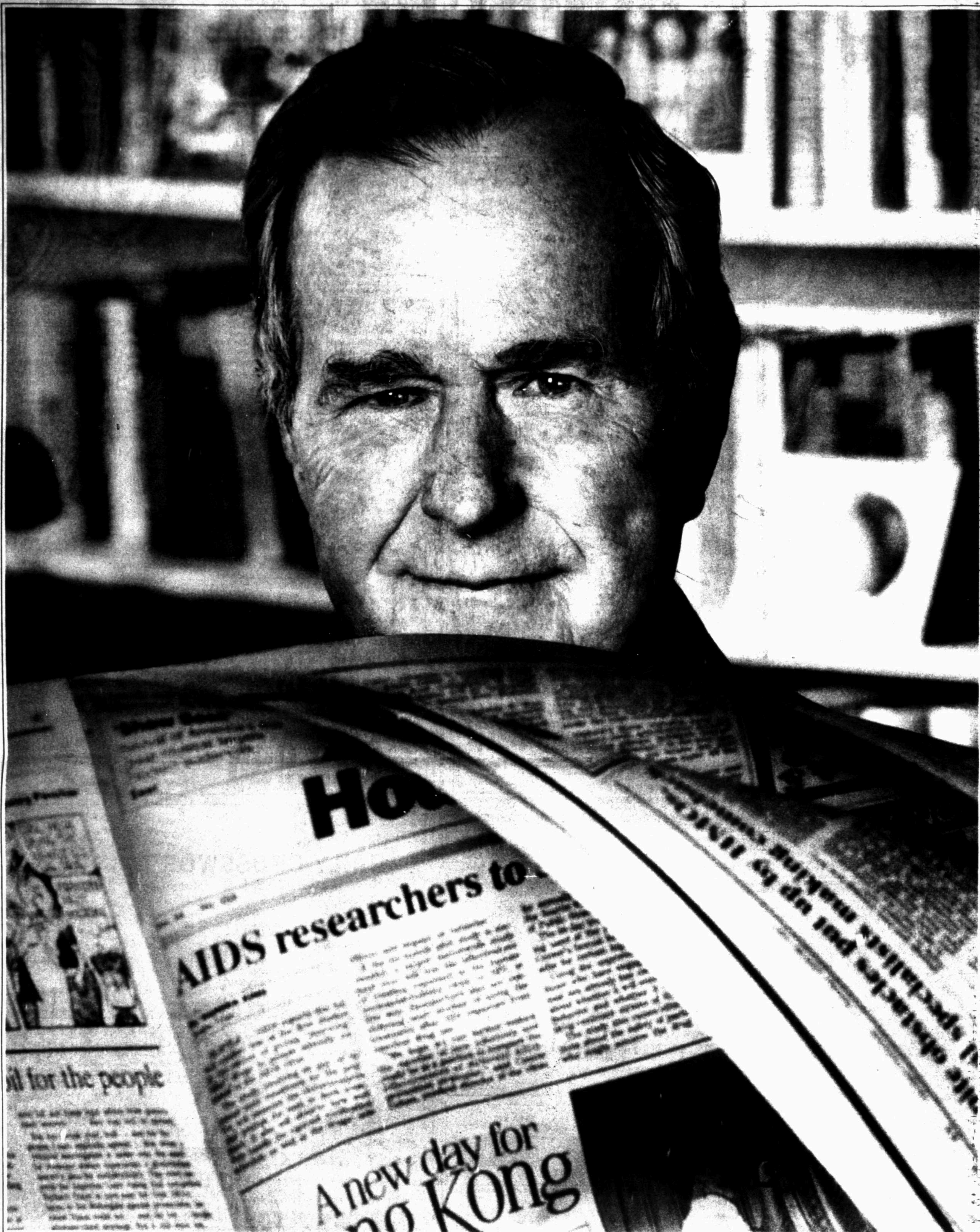
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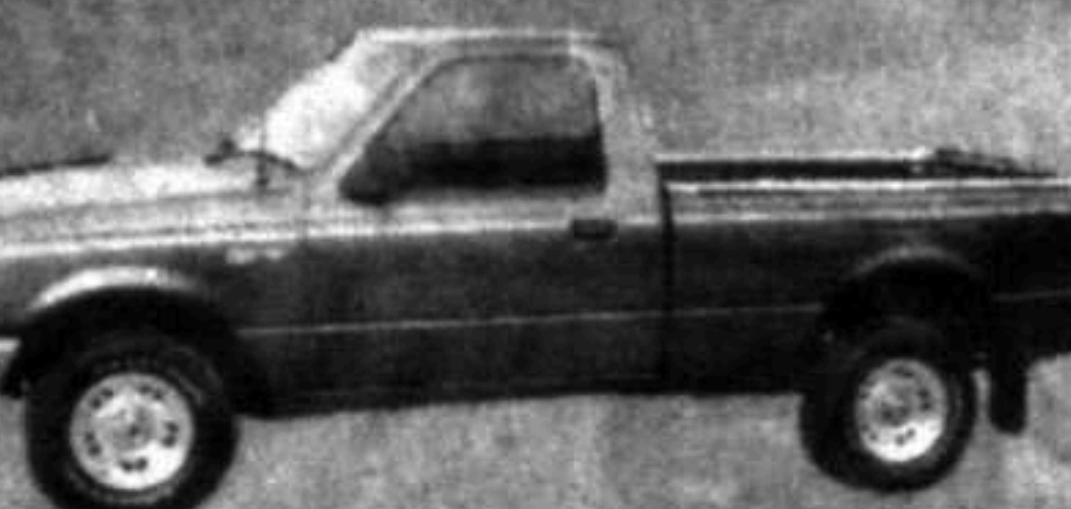
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RESTAURANT - Abuelo's Mexican Food Embassy is now hiring experienced waitstaff. Waitstaff, Hosts, Bar Staff, and Service Assistants. Our employees enjoy flexible schedules, exciting work environment and advancement opportunities. Apply in person 2:00 to 5:00 pm Monday through Friday. 4610 N. Garfield, Suite C1.

ROUGH BLADE Operator needed. Immediate position. Call George Williams. 332-0721. 915-697-7340 or Travis Jones 915-368-4310 or Lucio Lara 915-337-4924.

SEEKING DINING ROOM line attendants and dish room. Contact Mr. Chambers at Furr's Cafeteria.

SERVICES wanted. Evenings & Weekends. Come by for application. No phone calls. Polo Park Estates, 2100 Castleford Road.

SERVICE AGENT Must be 21 years of age with clean driving record. Drug testing required. Apply at National Car Rental at Midland International Airport.

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310 General Help Wanted

Pool Company, an industry leader in Oilfield Services is accepting applications in the Odessa Area Yard for the following positions:

**KILL TRUCK DRIVERS
VACUUM TRUCK DRIVERS
TRANSPORT TRUCK DRIVERS**

Applicants must have a minimum of 1-3 years experience in the respective positions, and be DOT Certified with the proper license and endorsements.

Pool Company offers an excellent wage and benefit package including medical and dental insurance, paid vacation, retirement, 401k savings plan, safety awards, holiday premium pay, and other off time benefits.

Applications can be completed at the following location:

Pool Company (Texas), Inc.
601 S. Pagewood
Odessa, Texas 79761
Attn: Matt McClure

POOL COMPANY TEXAS, Ltd.
An Equal Opportunity Employer (M/F/D/V)

310 General Help Wanted

Papa John's Pizza
Now Hiring For Our 2nd Midland Store!
We're the fastest growing pizza delivery company in the country and have grown to over 1000 locations in 39 states in only a decade, with plans for continued rapid expansion in the Midland area. Currently we seek:

Delivery Drivers
Papa John's will take care of you with:
• Earning potential of \$10-12/hr.
• Flexible Schedules
• Comprehensive Training
• The Potential for Advancement
• Weekly Pay Checks

Don't Wait... apply in person at:
Papa John's Pizza
4408 W. Loop 250 N.
Equal Opportunity Employer

COOK Part Time. Minimum 20 hours per week at \$7 per hour. Primary shift is Saturday to Sunday, as needed on other days. Must be able to prepare meals for 48 people, 3 times per day. Must be able to follow recipes and oral instructions. Apply between 8 am - 5 pm, Monday-Friday at Court Residential Treatment Center, 215 W. Industrial Ave., Midland, TX 79701. Applications taken until position filled.

PRESS OPERATOR needed for small 2 color printing press. Experience Required. 337-4502.

REPRESENTATIVES
Needed: sell Avon part time full time. Great earnings. Call Vena 520-0119. Independent Rep.

RESTAURANT
Kettle Restaurant
now hiring Full Time Experienced Cooks
Apply at 4206 W. Wall

RESTAURANT Help wanted all shifts. Please apply in person at Burger King, 2501 N. Big Spring, between 2 & 5 pm drug screen required.

RESTAURANT - Cashier, dressers needed 2 part time positions (11 am - 2 pm Monday through Saturday). Apply in person, Michael's Charcoal Grill, 4317 W. Illinois.

RESTAURANT - Gil's is now accepting applications for waitstaff. Apply in person only after 3 pm. 3323 North Midland Drive, ask for Janie.

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240 Motorcycles

YAMAHA Y260, excellent condition, great starter bike! Priced to sell at \$675. 686-8035 or 694-0508.

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1968 HOG, Dresser low miles. 2nd owner. \$12,500. best 686-7901.

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1980, 80 cc in Custom, looks and rides great. 694-8447.

HONDA 1991 1500 Goldwing Interstate. \$6,000. Call 683-3417.

HONDA 1992 XR250L Like New! Street legal, but mostly highway miles. \$2,600. Call 520-5183.

1990 19 TANDEM double axle trailer with brakes. \$650 or best offer. Call 520-5004.

TERRY TARUS 1986 trailer with air conditioner. Good condition. \$3200. 682-5732.

TERRY'S Trailers, 1403 Garden City Hwy. Hitches, light wiring, trailer repairs. New and used trailers for sale. We also rent trailers. Truck/ pickup rigging a specialty. 688-5198.

1984 CHEVROLET, Mobile Traveler, Class C, 19 foot. Almost new Onan generator. 30,700 miles. \$13,500. 699-5154.

1989 37' BRAVO, 454 Chevrolet, 28K, washer, dryer, backup camera, compact, microwave, 3 air, 2 refrigerators, much more! \$34,800. (915)683-4444.

312 Professional Help Wanted

**REGION 18 EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER
MIDLAND, TEXAS
EMPLOYEE NOTICE
"Equal Opportunity Employer"**

**Instructional Consultant for
Administrative Services**

QUALIFICATIONS: Master's Degree, Five years teaching experience minimum

JOB GOAL: To facilitate several projects within the Administrative Services component to include:
The Luminary - a quarterly newsletter produced by Region 18 and sent out to educators in the school districts, Accountability requirements, Data Analysis, District and Campus Planning

REPORTS TO: Director of Administrative Services

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:
*12 Month Position
*Travel required
*Salary based upon education and experience

APPLICATION DEADLINE: September 10, 1997

A detailed job description is available upon request.

Inquiries and resumes may be addressed to:
Byron R. Bauch, Director of Administrative Services
Region 18 Education Service Center
P.O. Box 60580
Midland, Texas 79711-0580

**Simon DeBartolo Group
Security Supervisor**

Midland Park Mall currently has an opening for a Security Supervisor. Minimal qualifications include: 2-3 years security law enforcement supervisory skills, computer literate, excellent written and verbal communications skills, working knowledge of state and/or federal safety regulations and state private security laws, training in first aid and CPR, college education preferred.

No phone calls please.
If you feel you qualify, send resume to:

**Midland Park Mall Management Office
4511 N. Midkiff
Midland, Texas 79705**

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"NEWS"

KOSA NEWS DEPARTMENT OPENINGS:

ASSIGNMENT EDITOR: Must have newsroom experience and a college degree in related field.

NEWS REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER: Must have college degree in broadcast journalism or related field.

NEWS PHOTOGRAPHER: Must have experience in news and handling deadline pressures.

Send resume to:

**KOSA-TV
1211 NORTH WHITAKER
ODESSA, TX 79763
NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE**

Benedek Broadcasting is an equal opportunity employer

311 Medical Help Wanted

RN NEEDED immediately for position of D.O.N. for a new and fast growing home health agency. Must be knowledgeable in Medicare regulations and have 2-3 years of home health experience. Salary DOE. Please call 570-9333 or fax resume to 570-0250.

RN NEEDED to teach nurses aide training classes. Apply in person at 3201 Sage.

312 Professional Help Wanted

*** DRAFTSMAN**

AutoCad, Experienced, Excellent Benefits

Send resumes to
3465 Curry Lane
Arlene, TX 79606

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Midland Fair Havens, Inc., a non-profit corporation seeks an individual with experience in administration, program development and fund raising, to join this Christian Faith based transitional housing program for single women and their children. Applicants must agree with the mission of the organization to be considered. Send letter of transmittal with resume to: Executive Director, P.O. Box 10248, Midland, TX 79702-7248.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE: debt memos, invoicing, answering heavy phones, filing. Must have minimum 2 years experience. Smoking environment. Call Kim or Jim at 687-1721.

DRAFTSMAN: Minimum 2 years experience, Auto Cad R12 and civil programs. Wage based on related experience. Apply in person or send resume to Pettigrew and Associates, P.A., 1110 N. Grimes, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240.

LAND LEASE ANALYST: Independent needs experienced person to analyze and maintain lease records, division orders, operating agreements, etc. Questa software experience and ability to generate reports from database files helpful. Please send your resume along with salary requirements to: Box P-06040, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

LEGAL SECRETARY for law firm. Successful applicant will be proficient in Windows and WordPerfect, type 80+ wpm, prior corporate legal experience helpful. Excellent benefits. Mail resume in confidence to Box T-05041, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

ADMINISTRATIVE

PAYROLL

Easy entry level work with flexible schedule. Knowledge of Windows 3.01 helpful. Excellent income. Full time/part time

685-1161
or
1-800-279-4773

316 Sales Help Wanted

Build Your Own Business

Build a business of unlimited income potential with minimal capital investment and have the support of one of the nation's largest fraternal life insurance organizations.

Financial Security

*Three-year compensation and training program with monthly business development allowance
*Bonuses *Extensive benefits package: Retirement Plan, Savings Plan, Health & Dental Insurance, Group Term Life Insurance, Group Disability Insurance

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA

Disability Insurance available

Modern Woodmen is looking for self-motivated individuals with or without sales experience in the Midland area. Call (800) 658-9580 or send resume to Larry G. Fincher, Agency Manager, P.O. Box 8527, Amarillo, TX 79114.

316 Sales Help Wanted

CLERICAL OPENINGS: Full or part-time. Sales assistant for exclusive quality Midland jewelry. 100 year old family-owned, authorized Rolex jeweler. Neat appearance/willing to learn. Contact/send resume to:

**Box T-05038
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702**

CAR SALESPERSON: Experienced. Must be personable and outgoing to compliment our sales staff. Guaranteed salary with training. Health insurance plan, dental plan, 401K plan and paid vacation. Fax resume to 915-583-0395 or mail to: PO Box 60377, Midland, Texas 79711

Linco-Electromatic, Inc.
P.O. Box 4896
Midland, TX 79704

Linco-Electromatic, an established company in its 30th year, primarily serves the petroleum industry through the representation of key manufacturer accounts and through development of related products and services. At this time, we are looking for the following personnel to improve our workforce:

**Electrical Design Engineer
EE/EET Graduate**

Knowledge of computer hardware and software applications including Relay Logic, PLC Logic, CAD systems, PCB design and layout, including programming skills. Experienced preferred, entry level considered. Will produce, develop and enhance Linco-Electromatic, Inc. electronic products and develop new products.

No Telephone Calls Accepted.

QUESTA SOFTWARE SYSTEMS, INC.

Petroleum industry software development and support firm has the following career opportunities available. Positions require self-motivated individuals with good communication and organizational skills. Some travel may be required. Oil and Gas industry knowledge desirable.

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER/DATABASE PROGRAMMER: Experience programming in FoxPro relational database language preferred.

NETWORK SUPPORT SPECIALIST/ADMINISTRATOR: Experience supporting Novell NetWare and/or Microsoft Windows NT Networks, Dos, Windows/95.

Send resumes to: Questa Software Systems, Inc., Attn: Personnel Department, 400 West Illinois, Suite 1140, Midland, TX 79701.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

CONSUMER LENDING

Seeking Consumer Lending Secretary with two-three years experience in installment loans. Must have good verbal, written and interpersonal skills. Candidate should have successfully completed one - two years college. Send resume to: Box P-06038, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702. An equal opportunity employer.

DP PERSONNEL

Temp & Permanent positions available
682-0033

316 Sales Help Wanted

DIGITAL SATELLITE Opportunity. Please see Business Opportunity Column No. 350.

EARN UP TO \$50k per year. At established Permian basin company we are looking for full time, professional, energetic, enthusiastic people to join our sales team in Midland. We offer full benefits, plus 401K! Come in today and apply with the best manufactured home dealer in Midland! Nationwide housing 6910 W Hwy 80 Midland.

GENERAL: Ten second could change your life. Sales Opportunity 915-570-7588

316 Sales Help Wanted

INSURANCE AGENCY

increasing its support staff. Looking for aggressive, motivated, customer-friendly person who is also computer literate. Prior insurance experience preferred. Please drop off resume at 4400 N. Big Spring #C-25.

JOBS AVAILABLE

Select Staff
915-687-1545

Global Personnel Network

Temp & Perm positions. Locally & around the globe! 686-8360

RETAIL Upper end furniture store needs middle management position. Bookkeeping work helpful. Send resume to: Chesapeake Interiors, 2101 W. Wadley, Suite 10, Midland, TX 79705.

SECRETARY NEEDED for small oil and gas company. Land knowledge and accounting skills a plus. Send resume P.O. Box 2334 Midland TX 79702.

318 Management Help Wanted

Need An Office Job?
Call Us!
684-0527

TEMPORARY RESOURCES
The Power In Personnel

V.P. EMPLOYMENT SERVICES: Clerical and Industrial jobs available. Never a fee. Benefits (915) 686-9722

MANAGEMENT Opportunity. Fast track opportunity in the insurance industry. Challenging and rewarding career available through our management training program. We are looking for an intelligent, outgoing person who enjoys working with people, likes challenge and is career oriented. Excellent training program and advancement potential. Willing to relocate within a year. Competitive salaries and excellent benefits offered. For immediate consideration please contact: Beneficial Texas, Inc., 1028-A Andrews Hwy., 79701, 694-9639.

318 Management Help Wanted

APARTMENT MANAGER

Assistant 1907 Tarleton. 2-3 years experience. Must have computer skills! To \$1,800/month, plus medical, plus bonus. Fax resume: 689-7846.

SHOP MECHANIC needed. Machine and welding needed. Wellhead and valve repair a plus. Pick up an application at office, UWS, 953 Advance Ave., Midland, Texas.

SIDING APPLICATOR: Independent contractor with own tools, truck and verifiable references. 570-5551.

TREE PROGRAM Coordinator. Part-time, grant funded position exists to promote, expand and maintain the public tree program of Keep Midland Beautiful. Creative, organized, people person with knowledge of tree care required. Send resume with cover letter to KMB, PO Box 10949, Midland 79702.

WELDER: Pipeline, arc and oxy-acetylene. Current certification papers a must! 1-800-673-0548.

318 Management Help Wanted

AMERIPRIE Linen and Apparel Services, the best textile rental service company in the Permian Basin, is seeking outstanding applicants for the following position:

PRODUCTION MANAGER

Successful applicants will have high degree of professionalism, honesty, and integrity. Experience managing 30+ people and college degree preferred. Bilingual a plus. Must pass physical, drug screen and reference check.

Salary (\$25K) and bonuses as well as health insurance, 401K, paid vacations, and other benefits. Come be a part of a winning, growing team at our Odessa facility.

Mail resume to the attention of: Tim Neale, 1201 S. Jackson Odessa, TX 79761
Or e-mail to: tneale@power.net
No phone calls please.
EOE

RESTAURANT SHIFT MANAGERS

Seeking highly motivated, energetic, goal oriented shift managers for local restaurant. Must be able to work flexible hours and have excellent communication and training skills. Compensation based on experience. Send resume to Wendy's P.O. Box 9511 Midland, TX 79708 E.O.E.

318 Management Help Wanted

RESTAURANT: Lattes on the Rio Grand Resort, looking for food and beverage manager. Experience and personality a must. Randy 915-424-3471 or fax resume 915-424-3277.

SHOE SALON: Manager. Julian Gold, fine ladies specialty store is seeking experienced individual to manage and sell better ladies shoes. Call Ginger Yowell 682-5368.

319 Oil Industry Help Wanted

HOT OIL OPERATOR needed for small independent oil and gas company. Good hours and benefits. Must have 2 years experience with good driving record. Salary negotiable. Send resume to: P.O. Box 590, Midland, TX 79702 or call (915)685-0113.

319 Oil Industry Help Wanted

OPERATORS, Pipelines. Good pay/benefits for hard working individuals. Must be able to pass DOT drug screening and have a clean driving record. Class A or B CDLs a plus. Call 1-800-582-7031 Serious calls only.

320 Skilled Trades

MACHINIST

Experienced with CNC programming, set-up and operating. Medium-sized manufacturing company with excellent benefits. Send resume or apply in person to: Epley Enterprises, Inc., 3916 S. Chadbourne P.O. Box 3641 San Angelo, TX 76902

320 Skilled Trades

COKE/PEPSI vending route. Many high traffic sites. \$2,500 a week potential. 800-342-6653.

(3) VENDING Machines, combination drink & snacks plus changer machine. Great money makers. 697-7097.

ESTABLISHED VENDING ROUTE

Must sell by 9/26
20 contracted locations.
\$75K investment
\$1,800 + month income
1-800-866-5979.

320 Skilled Trades

MAKE GOLF YOUR BUSINESS! Ground floor opportunity! Minimum investment. Call 333-7037 for more information.

Attention Readers

Occasionally ads found in this section come from distant points and the Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot always know the merits of the offers. We suggest when you are in doubt that you call the Better Business Bureau before signing any contract.

320 Skilled Trades

***BIG CASH WEEKLY**

Be your own boss. Local vend route for sale. Call now
800-350-8363

SUCCESS UNLIMITED wants motivated people who want to take control of their own wealth. 570-0272.

\$\$\$ PAYPHONESS BE YOUR OWN BOSS

\$150K YEARLY POTENTIAL. Great Sites available. Call Now!
1-800-800-3470 24 hours.

320 Skilled Trades

HOME TYPISTS

PC Users needed.
\$45,000 income potential
Call
1-800-513-4343 Ext B-9104

FOR SALE: Restaurant, fully equipped. Call 570-7850.

UNIQUE Opportunity with a Midland's only body wrap. SUDENLY SLENDER. Well established, includes inventory. Protected franchise area. Gross 100K annually. Financial records available. Serious inquiries only. 683-7411.

320 Skilled Trades

FOR SALE: A Specialty Shop for Children. New and previously child tested furniture, clothing, toys and gifts. Big Spring, Texas. Call (915)263-1438.

TANTALIZING, MIDLAND'S finest sun tanning place, is for sale. Owner will finance for right buyer, serious inquiries only. Call Mark 699-6362.

SEIZED CARS from \$175. Porsche, Cadillac, Chevys, BMW's, Corvettes. Also Jeeps. 4WD's. Your Area. Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 Ext A-1523 for current listings.

WORK @ HOME! Earn \$500-\$2,000 part time; \$1,000-\$5,000 full time. Call Terri toll free, 888-808-0155.

320 Skilled Trades

COOLERS, MOWERS, washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, stoves. Appliances warranted. Dining/suites, couches, chairs, recliners. 570-4851.

CAR DOLLY: \$750. Call 699-1246.

JENNY LIND Baby Bed \$50. Graco high chair, \$25, car seats and lots of children's clothes and items. Come by any time between 5 pm & 9 pm. 4740 Wishes.

LOWEST PRICES of the year on Storage Buildings/shops at Permian Basin fair and lot - delivery and financing available. 563-3108.

320 Skilled Trades

COMPUTER: Laser 386SX plus Epson Action Printer 500 (P-2) \$200. O'Sullivan office desk. 2 drawers each side \$50. Uniden 315 mobile - tower phone - connects to PCI or any tower. \$100. 687-2676.

GOLD'S GYM, paid \$1,100, 3 months old, will sell for \$550. Call 689-9348, leave message.

RESTHAVEN: 3 lots, \$700 each, all for \$1,900, 683-2321.

17 USED solid wood doors. Good shape, \$30 each or best offer. Call 684-6058.

341 Child Care Providers

CHILD CARE: 2-5 Years. 7 am - 7 pm. Open Weekends. Call 694-6575.

WILL PROVIDE Child Care, days, evenings or weekends for any age. 570-7465.

LEARNING PROGRAM for toddlers. Clean, safe, loving environment. Breakfast, lunch snack. First aid CPR, 694-9871.

REGISTERED - QUALITY Child care, Monday thru Friday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm. Lunch and snacks provided. Please call 697-5226.

BABYSITTING in my home, 20 years experience. Reasonable rates. Call 684-5461.

341 Child Care Providers

GOVERNMENT Foreclosed. Homes from pennies to \$1. Delinquent Tax, Repo's, REO's. Your area: Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 Ext H-1523 for current listings.

HOME BASE BUSINESS. Profit from digital satellite explosion. Large residual income possible. Great up front bonuses. Serious inquiries only. Call Tom, 800-526-6192.

COKE/PEPSI vending route. Many high traffic sites. \$2,500 a week potential. 800-342-6653.

(3) VENDING Machines, combination drink & snacks plus changer machine. Great money makers. 697-7097.

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BIBLE TALK: "Are Babies Born Totally Depraved in Sin?" 520-0381. Free recorded message.

413 Jewelry & Furs

24 KT (dos pesos) bracelet, matching ring and cinco peso gold medallion. \$600. Message, 570-4232.

4 CARATS: Round, brilliant, high quality. (806)798-9678.

415 Misc. Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

413 Jewelry & Furs

MARIA'S HOME MADE Tamales \$5. per dozen. Call to place order anytime 683-5504 or 684-9950.

PERMIAN BASIN Farmers Market. Variety of fresh vegetables. Open 7 a.m. 5:05 p.m. on Saturday and 1505 E. Front on Tuesday.

420 Good Things To Eat

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413 Jewelry & Furs

5 TO 6 PERSON Hot Tub/Spa, starting at \$79 a month with approved credit - delivery and installation available. 563-3108.

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699-1224.

MULTI Striped arm chairs ottoman - \$200; sofa - \$200; buffet/hutch - \$500; dining table & chairs - \$300. Excellent condition. 697-1446.

FURNITURE: Like new sofa, sofa and love seat; Tell City love seat; chair; 3 piece bedroom suite; double bedding. 3203 Sinclair. 694-3674.

413 Jewelry & Furs

FREE REMOVAL of your unwanted appliances. 567-5221.

SOLID WOOD game/dining table, four chairs, extra leaf, like new. \$325. 684-9044.

MATTRESS sets, dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards - Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699-1224.

GLASS TOPPED wooden table/4 chairs, \$150, GE 19" TV, \$75. Call 697-8640

42" WALNUT blue chair, extension, 4 beige/blue chairs. \$200. 681-7635 daytime, 694-1038 evenings/weekends.

413 Jewelry & Furs

DOUBLE BED, firm bedding on six drawer platform, \$100. 697-3220, office 563-3434, ask for Carol.

9 DRAWER DRESSER \$150, polished butcher block top, dishwasher, works \$25, large desk \$100. 684-6767.

LAZY BOY recliner, 2 end tables. Good condition, \$150. Call 685-0015.

SOFT SIDE queen sized waterbed and frame. Like new, must sell. Call 697-1084/699-1051.

LARGE ROSEWOOD finish entertainment center \$250. Black vinyl sleeper sofa, good condition. \$350. Call 697-7451.

CARPET, 12'x13' and 15'x11' light beige, good shape, \$100. 8'x11' hand knotted rug, beige/floral. \$100. 685-1437.

413 Jewelry & Furs

DAYBED, complete, twin-sized, white & brass. \$100. Call 520-0951.

SOMMA Queen sized waterbed, \$200. Excellent condition. Call 699-2193.

ANTIQUE DRESSER/airmoir, antique dining table, oak claw foot table. Whitewashed French coffee table. 522-7448.

FOR SLAE 19" Sharp color TV, \$125. Call 689-3143.

MATCHING COUCH and loveseat, light beige with pale design. \$200. Southwestern couch \$75. Nandori Couch Parrot with cage, \$200. Call 520-0107.

WHITE French Provincial dresser with mirror, \$200. 682-0135.

RCA Big Screen TV, 46" only 6 months old \$1,300 or best offer. Couch and loveseat, mauve, \$300. Solid oak 8' table with benches, \$300. Leave message or call 520-8830, mobile 638-1681.

413 Jewelry & Furs

LARGE ANTIQUE display cabinet \$350. Antique secretary desk \$300 and Grandfather clock \$150. 520-3242.

17 USED solid wood doors. Good shape, \$30 each or best offer. Call 684-6058.

432 Household Furniture

SECTIONAL Sofa, 5 pieces including 2 recliners/ clean beds, durable fabric, pastel colors, \$700. Blue/white striped arm chair/ottoman, \$175. 697-4454.

MOVING: Must Sell! Sofa and chair, 1 1/2 years old. Hunter green, \$500. Entertainment center \$300. China hutch \$125 and miscellaneous items! \$70. 699-6593.

GLASS topped wicker table and two chairs, \$50. After 6 pm and weekends, 697-9967.

CHILDCRAFT CRIB/Youth bed, \$350. Electric rocking crib \$300. 570-7266.

432 Household Furniture

WHIRLPOOL SIDE by side refrigerator/ freezer, ice & water in door. Almost color. Call 689-3143.

KENMORE WASHING machine, heavy duty, connections. \$50. Call 520-9136.

440 Firewood

FIREWOOD: Oak or Mesquite. Delivered and Unloaded. No Stacking. No Checks. Call Larry Tucker, 689-7151.

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453-2151, Fax 1-(915) 453-4322.

440 Firewood

RUGER P90, 45 caliber like new. Comes with 2 clips, holster, and ammo. \$400. Call 694-3754.

FEEDERS, blinds, tripods, corn, camo clothing. Terry's Trailers, 1403 Garden City Highway.

RELOADERS: Once fired 12 & 20 gauge hulls, .06 each, \$25 for 500. Winchester, Remington, Federal, Active. Permian Basin Shotgun Range. 583-5116. 5911 So. FM 1788.

DOC HOLLIDAY - nickel plated Colt 45 replica imported by Umberto. New Thunderer, 3 1/2 inch barrel, with shoulder holster and dink. New in box. #104 out of 500 produced. \$1,499 firm. 362-8304.

440 Firewood

ESTATE Sales by JOSEPH'S. 24 Years Experience Buying and Selling. 687-3040, 687-2868, 694-5034.

DEPRESSION ERA Glass Show/ Sale September 27, 28. Odessa. Ector Coliseum. Outstanding Dealers! Door Prizes!

BEAUTIFUL Antique tub - 1929 home, professionally repainted. \$500. 686-3703.

THE CATS MEOU - 4000 sq. ft. of fine merchandise, we buy and sell antiques. 408 Andrews Highway, Mon. - Sat., 10 - 6 (915) 687-2004.

REGENCY SOFA black, teakwood with cane, brass claw feet, English ch. 1810. 687-2444.

440 Firewood

JUDY JACKSON'S Estate Sales. An experienced professional working for you! 689-3536, 682-6147.

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