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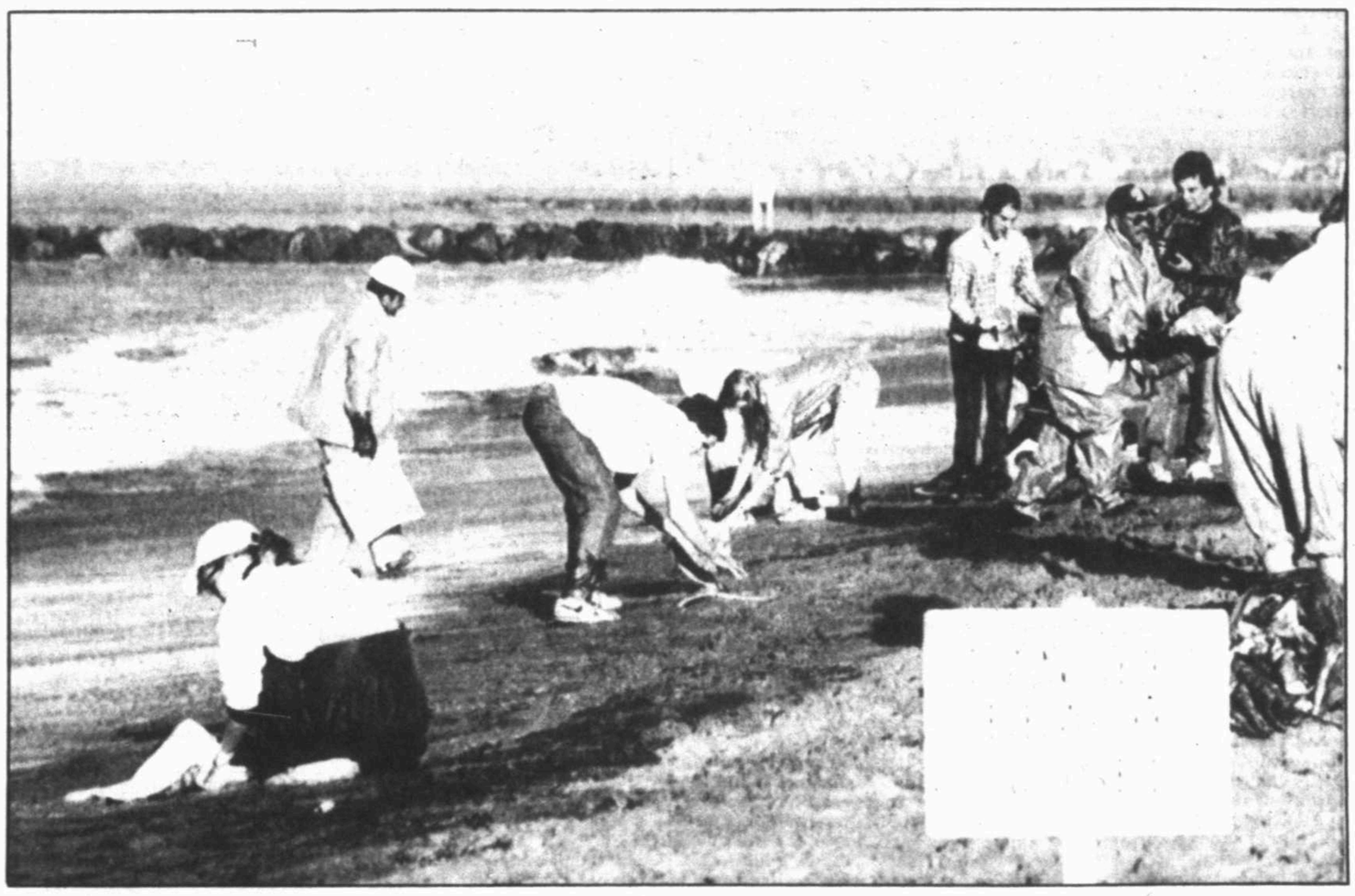

Crude methods

Volunteers in Newport Beach, Calif., use absorbent pads to clean up crude oil, which washed ashore after the Feb. 9 rupture of the tanker American Trader. Critics say this illustrates the primitive level of technolgy use in controlling spills.

Critics call oil cleanup 'primitive'

By LEE SIEGEL
AP Science Writer

LOS ANGELES — The oil spill that fouled California's coast brought scenes of work gangs with towels and pads swabbing gooey beaches using methods industry called state-of-the-art but environmentalists panned as primitive.

"We're watching a very crude burlesque show which unfortunately cannot get the job done," said Bob Sulnick, head of American Oceans Campaign, a Santa Monica-based environmental group.

"This spill unequivocally demonstrates you really can't clean up an oil spill."

Oil company officials said the industry is doing the best it can, and plans a multimillion-dollar effort to develop better cleanup methods.

"Rather than dwell on the shortcomings of the state-of-the-art as they now exist, I'd try to look to the future," American Petroleum Institute spokesman Bill Taylor said by phone from Washington.

On Feb. 7, the tanker American Trader spilled 400,000 gallons of British Petroleum America Inc. oil off Huntington Beach, polluting some 14 miles of Southern California coastline, killing scores of birds and ruining business for local fishermen.

The Coast Guard estimated last week that skimming boats cleaned up more than a third of the oil, while nearly half evaporated or dissipated in the ocean. The rest hit the beach.

Bays and wetlands were sealed off with booms and temporary dams. Vacuum trucks helped keep oil from the Santa Ana River.

Unlike last year's nearly 11-million-gallon Exxon Valdez spill on Alaska's rocky beaches, high-pressure hoses were not used on sandy California shores.

But television scenes still were dominated by the spectacle of hundreds of yellow-suited cleanup workers raking up the mess and dabbing globs of oil using absorbent pompons, towels and pads that looked like big diapers.

Coast Guard Lt. Cmdr. Jack Kemerer said he wouldn't call cleanup technology primitive, but "it hasn't changed much in the last 10 or 15 years."

Cleaning the sand with absorbent pads "may look primitive, but I don't think it is," Kemerer said. "In this case it's probably the most effective way to do it without destroying the beach" using bulldozers to scoop up oily sand.

Others were harsher in assessing cleanup methods.

"Politically you have to put on a show by hiring people and having them mop up whatever oil they can mop up," Sulnick said. "But people ought not to believe that's a cleanup. This oil will be in the environment for a decade."

A spokesman for British Petroleum defended the cleanup.

"This cleanup used the best technology that's available ... even though the technology

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Williams will stay in campaign

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

Midland oilman Clayton Williams' gubernatorial campaign was expected to be "back in the saddle" today, a spokesman for the Republican front-runner said.

Campaigners were scheduled to hold a 2 p.m. press conference in Austin today to read a prepared statement making the announcement, Bill Kenyon, Williams' press secretary, said this morning.

Williams suspended his campaign, canceled appearances and withdrew television advertising after five business associates were killed in plane crash near Abilene last week.

"I've just been through the roughest time of my life, and believe me, the pain of the last few days will take a long time to absorb," Williams said in the statement. "In the first couple of days after the crash, the heartache and the grief were so overwhelming that I did consider dropping out of the governor's race.

"But these men were there to offer their counsel and encouragement when I first made the decision to run for governor, and in the face of unbearable loss and sadness, their wives have said their husbands would want me to go on. So, starting tomorrow, the Clayton Williams campaign will be back in the saddle.

"I realize there may be some rough roads ahead, but God willing, this campaign and I will gain the necessary strength to plow ahead."

Kenyon said television advertisements will resume today. Williams' first campaign appearance since the crash, a rally at the Texas A&M University campus, is slated for Tuesday night, he said.

Williams' campaigners are scheduled to hold absentee voting rallies Wednesday, when the absentee voting period begins, in Houston, Dallas and San Antonio, Kenyon said. The candidate's agenda places him in Midland on Thursday for business matters, he said.

Williams and family members plan to spend the weekend at his Alpine ranch and "regroup," Kenyon said.

"After that our schedule will resume to near normal," he said. "Clayton will have to spend a little more time on his business than he has in the past."

Polls show Williams leading in the GOP race over Texas Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance, former Secretary of State Jack Rains and Dallas attorney Tom Luce.

Today's scheduled press conference will follow an 11 a.m. funeral in Midland for the last of the crash victims, Randy M. Kidwell.

Memorial services for Kidwell, 36, Aaron Giebel, 63, Bob Smith, 62, Jamie Winkel, 45, and pilot Ken Mardis, 50, were held at First Baptist Church on Friday.

Heavy snows hit Northeast; Southwest due more rain

Associated Press

Seattle-area residents enduring record cold dug out from a rare 10-inch snowfall, while another round of thunderstorms threatened the South with more flooding.

Northern California was digging out today from heavy storms that dumped up to 6 feet of snow in the high Sierra, knocking out power to thousands of people and triggering a mudslide that closed an interstate highway.

In Southern California, a storm flooded Los Angeles streets and dropped hail on sections of the city, and a rain-triggered sewage spill closed 17 miles of beaches. Snow cut part of an interstate linking the region with the north.

Flooding in Alabama and Georgia since late last week has been blamed for five deaths. Rain fell steadily all day Sunday and early today.

The National Weather Service

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Cheney warns U.S. could abandon bases in funding fight

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Police clashed with leftists today over U.S. bases while Defense Secretary Dick Cheney warned that Washington would abandon the six installations unless differences over their funding were resolved.

Cheney, on a two-week tour of the Pacific rim, met for three hours with Philippine Defense Minister Fidel Ramos in discussions described as "very cordial," but also "very forthright."

The defense ministers were unable, however, to bridge conflict over funding of the U.S. military bases. Cheny said the United States will maintain the installations "only as long as the Philippine people wish it to stay, and only if the terms negotiated are acceptable to both parties."

There is growing opposition in the Philippines to the bases, which are among the largest outside the continental United States. In 1988 the United States agreed to pay the Philippines about $960 million to maintain the facilities until their lease expired in 1991, but this year Congress significantly cut financial aid to the bases.

About 200 members of the leftist League of Filipino Students, chanting "Yankees go home!" marched to the U.S. Embassy and hurled bottles and rotten tomatoes at police, who charged them with clubs and tear gas.

One student was arrested and at least four policemen were injured in the protest, which occurred near Cheney's hotel. Earlier, 50 students burned an effigy of Cheney and picketed the military headquarters with banners reading "Cheney warmonger, go home" and "White monkey, go home with your bases."

In Angeles City, home of Clark Air Base about 50 miles north of Manila, about 300 protesters hurled rocks at club-wielding police who tried to stop them from dismantling barbed wire barricades at the entrance.

Demonstrators said about 30 students were injured.

Relations between the two allies have reached new lows in recent weeks.

President Corazon Aquino refused to see Cheney, citing the aid cuts and anger over what officials consider adverse reports about her government in the American press.

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Increasing cloudiness tonight, 30 percent chance of showers, low in the mid-30s. Details on Page 2A.

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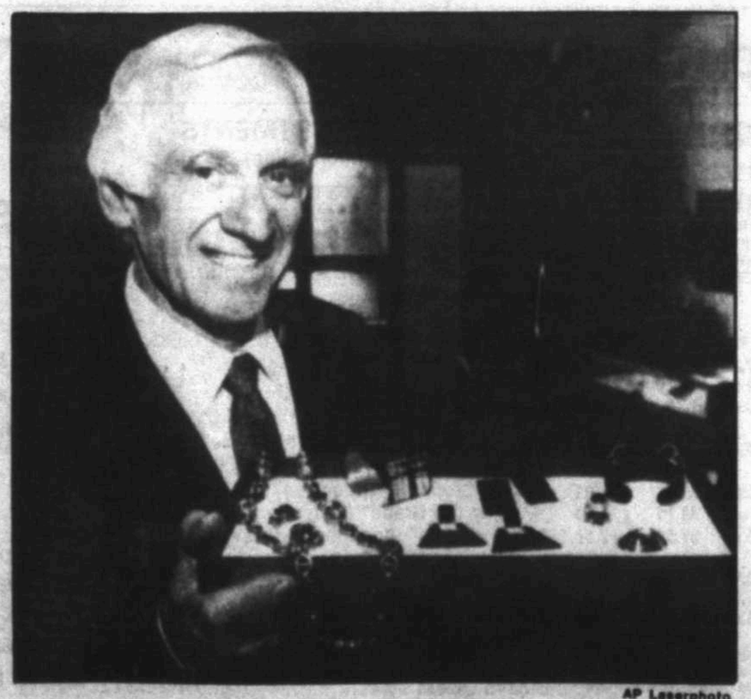

AP Laserphoto

James Avery displays some jewelry designs.

Beyond brotherly love?

Avery's Christian jewelry empire split by lawsuit

By KELLEY SHANNON

KERRVILLE (AP) — Like his jewelry, James Avery's company has always stood for Christian values and brotherly love.

The corporate pledge spells out what he sells in silver doves and gold crosses: respect for tradition, Judeo-Christian ethics and the affirmation of them found in the Scripture.

But behind this image of love and peace has erupted a power struggle scandalizing the town where Avery has been crafting crosses and other jewelry for more than 30 years.

The bitter court battle pits ousted company president Charles Wolfmueller Jr. against the corporate patriarch, exposing an unholy fight over everything from future profits to allegations of an extramarital relationship.

Wolfmueller says he was wrongfully fired, and he wants compensation. Avery's estranged wife is trying to keep Wolfmueller's claims from interfering with her own divorce settlement involving the corporation.

And in the process, Wolfmueller is pushing the Averys' private lives into public light, accusing Avery of letting an extramarital relationship shape his business decisions.

Avery dismisses the suit and its accusations as "mudslinging."

It's all a conversation-starter in this town of 20,000, where Wolfmueller is known as a former school board president and Avery once was voted "citizen of the year." Kerrville is best known for summer camps and deer hunting country, and with 600 employees — almost half of them in town — James Avery Craftsman Inc. qualifies as big business.

At the Kerr County Courthouse, clerks say Wolfmueller's lawsuit is one of their most-requested documents.

Senior state District Judge Charles Sherrill removed himself from the case after calling it "yellow litigation," local journalists and attorneys say.

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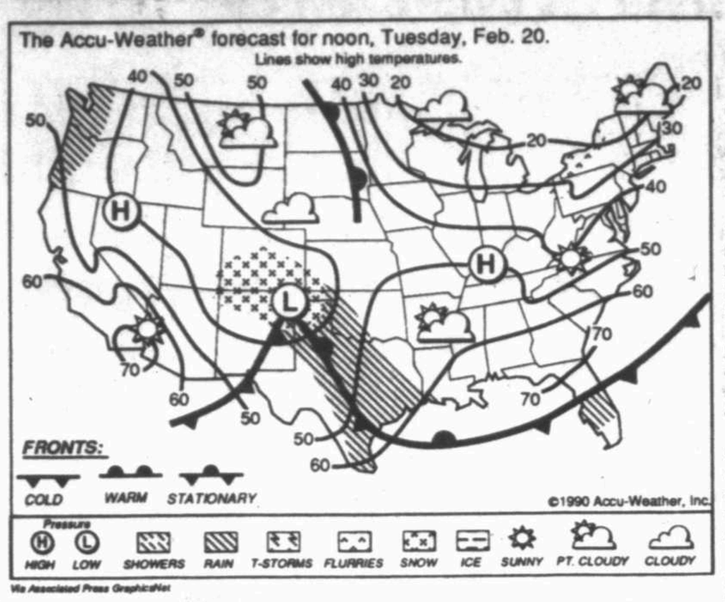

Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

Thunderstorms possible

From Staff and Wire Reports

Rain showers and possible thunderstorms could mean the end of warm weather for the time being, according to National Weather Service forecasters at Midland International Airport.

The low tonight will be in the mid-30s, with a 30 percent chance of showers. Forecasters predict northeast winds 10 to 20 mph.

Tuesday should dawn under mostly cloudy skies, with a 30 percent chance of morning showers. The high will be in the mid-40s, with gusty north winds at 10 to 20 mph.

Sunday's high was 71 degrees; the overnight low was 32. The record high for Feb. 18 is 85 degrees, set in 1986. The record low of 19 was set in 1936.

STATE

A weak cold front was tracking slowly across the Texas Panhandle and was located just south of Amarillo early Monday. The wind had shifted around to the north and temperatures were cooler in the area north of this frontal zone.

Meanwhile, a ridge of high pressure remained over the eastern part of Texas. Widely scattered patches of light rain were still occurring over parts of deep south Texas while other light rainshowers were located offshore along the coastal plains in the Gulf of Mexico. Light drizzle was also falling in locations over north and south Texas.

Skies were mostly clear over the high plains, Permian basin and around abilene. Mostly cloudy skies covered the rest of the state.

Winds had shifted to the north over the Panhandle behind the cold front while northerly winds still prevailed over much of east and south Texas. South to southeast winds were common over the rest of north and west Texas. Wind speeds ranged from 5 to 15 mph.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Increasing clouds, 30 percent chance of showers, low in the mid-30s. Northeast winds 10-20 mph. Tuesday: Mostly cloudy, high in the mid-40s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	71 degrees
Overnight Low	32 degrees
Sunset today	6:39 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:26 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.23 inches
Year to date	00.44 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	30	6 p.m.	66
7 a.m.	31	7 p.m.	63
8 a.m.	32	8 p.m.	57
9 a.m.	38	9 p.m.	50
10 a.m.	44	10 p.m.	49
11 a.m.	52	11 p.m.	46
noon	58	midnight	47
1 p.m.	63	1 a.m.	27
2 p.m.	67	2 a.m.	44
3 p.m.	69	3 a.m.	43
4 p.m.	70	4 a.m.	36
5 p.m.	70	5 a.m.	37
		6 a.m.	33

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, increasing cloudiness early with a 30 percent chance of showers and few thunderstorms. Low in mid 30s. Northeast wind 10 to 20 mph.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	67	46	
Alice	55	53	
Amarillo	66	24	
Austin	51	50	.44
Beaumont-Port Arthur	52	51	.75
Beeville	56	54	.20
Brownsville	64	57	.03
Bryan-College Station	50	49	.85
Childress	68	37	
Corpus Christi	57	54	.05
Cotulla	54	53	
Dalhart	63	22	
Dallas Love Field	54	47	
Del Rio	66	53	
El Paso	66	38	
Fort Worth	56	46	
Galveston	55	52	1.17
Hondo	56	51	
Houston Hobby Airport	53	52	.20
Junction	65	45	
Kingsville	56	53	.11
Lajitas	77	mm	
Laredo	56	54	mm
Longview	48	43	
Lubbock	70	30	
Lufkin	51	47	.36
Marfa	63	25	
McAllen	57	57	.01
Midland-Odessa	71	32	
Mineral Wells	63	43	
Palacios	55	52	.09
San Angelo	72	43	
Shreveport, La.	48	45	.07
Stephenville	62	47	
Texarkana, Ark.	51	38	
Victoria	56	51	.04
Waco	50	48	.14
Wichita Falls	65	45	

Salvadoran policy unending struggle

By JIM DRINKARD

WASHINGTON (AP) — For a decade, Congress has grappled with U.S. policy toward El Salvador and spent some $4 billion supporting its government in a civil war with leftist rebels.

About 70,000 people have died, victims of the fighting, of left-wing assassins or of right-wing death squads. And for all the aid, critics of the U.S. policy say the United States has bought little or nothing.

Now, Congress is gearing up for yet another debate over El Salvador as it considers President Bush's request for a total of $375 million in aid for the year that begins Oct. 1.

As usual, the battle comes against a backdrop of right-wing murders, amid protests over the U.S. stance and with warnings that any signal of wavering support could throw the country into even worse chaos.

But this time there are new elements. For the first time in the history of the country's civil war, an Army colonel and seven others have been charged with death-squad-style murders in connection with the killing of six Jesuit priests, their housekeeper and her daughter.

Whether the country's rickety judicial system — and President Alfredo Cristiani, whose government brought the charges — can stand the strain of a trial scheduled for May remains unclear. But few on Capitol Hill are talking seriously about a wholesale slash in aid while the government attempts to bring the killers to justice.

Another new element is a proposal by Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., that seeks for the first time to give the United States some leverage over the behavior of the leftist rebels of the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front, or FMLN.

For years, U.S. conservatives have pointed at the FMLN, largely armed with Soviet-bloc weapons, as the evildoers in El Salvador. Emotions have been high as they berated the left for what they said was placing the primary burden of finding peace on the government, now dominated by Cristiani's right-wing Arena party.

The standard response has been that the U.S. aid — and therefore U.S. influence — extends only to the country's government. Efforts on the other side of the equation have been largely limited to asking the Soviets to stop sending arms.

Dodd's proposal seeks to rewrite the equation by cutting U.S. military aid in half.

If the San Salvador government fails to go along with United Nations-sponsored peace negotiations, it would lose the other half of the aid; if the FMLN walks away from the talks or mounts a major military offensive like its attack on the capital last November, the military aid to the government would be restored to its full level.

"I believe this formula tests the goodwill on both sides to pursue an equitable and just political settlement and offers the best chance for achieving that result," Dodd said when he introduced the idea 10 days ago.

The proposal's appeal for lawmakers likely will be that it represents a middle ground between the administration's full-speed-ahead approach and the effort by a handful of liberal senators to cut aid off entirely. And for the first time, it would apply limited U.S. pressure on both sides to reach an agreement, rather than putting the burden totally on one side or the other.

Members of Congress have come under heavy pressure, particularly from church groups, to curtail Salvadoran aid. Last week, a group of activists in the Spokane, Wash., district of House Speaker Thomas Foley won a commitment from him to study the Dodd proposal.

Much still depends on events in El Salvador over the coming months, including whether all sides can be satisfied that the killers of the priests are identified and punished, and progress is made toward bolstering the judicial system and the pursuit of peace.

"If they don't do those things ... then they're in serious trouble on their aid package," said Rep. David Bonior, D-Mich. "Salvador has to understand that there's lots of demand for the aid pie right now. They've clearly got to understand that there are competing interests."

Seattle's subway showcase for art

N.Y. Times News Service

SEATTLE — The $450 million subway nearing completion in Seattle has frosted glass lanterns, a mural with Marilyn Monroe and Donald Duck — and a waterfall.

Almost as odd is the fact that the L-shaped subway line due to open September 15 is being built in a city with only modest traffic jams and with bargain downtown parking rates.

The idea is to solve the traffic congestion problem before it really gets bad, says City Councilman George Benson.

Engineers and architects seem to have gone bonkers in designing the subway that links the bustling retail district with highrise office buildings and the International District, Seattle's Chinatown.

For instance, there won't be subway trains. The Puget Sound city is buying 236 hybrid buses that run on diesel power above ground and switch to electricity and overhead trolley poles for the six-minute ride through the 1.3-mile tunnel.

Because politicians and planners couldn't agree on whether Seattle needed rail rapid transit, they compromised. Tracks were imbedded in the subway floor, but rail cars were not ordered and the unusual dual-power buses bought instead.

The subway stations were designed to be uplifting art galleries rather than places that crowds rush through numbly.

"We don't want people to be intimidated by speed and schedules. We want it to be comfortable," said Benson.

The bus tunnel, which Benson said could aptly be called a "boutique," will be an additional spot for Seattle people to gather out of the rain, added Paul Toliver, transit director of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle (Metro).

"Seattle is a wet city. People know how to move around here without getting wet," Toliver said.

The nearly completed Seattle subway is a tony showcase of local artists and architects and a stone cutter's dream.

With terra cotta, lanterns and chandeliers, the green, yellow and orange Westlake station lacks only popcorn to seem like a 1930s movie theater lobby.

Marilyn Monroe, Elizabeth Taylor, Alice in Wonderland and Donald Duck peer from a 10- by 35-foot porcelain mural that is within spray can range of graffiti artists.

"You won't find anything like this in the United States," said Kevin J. Grigg, transit project engineer for Metro.

At the International District station there are tiles based on children's artwork and a poem has been chiseled into the steps, right where people will step. Symbols of the Chinese zodiac have been cut in the floor, and walls have stainless steel panels with Japanese origami designs.

The soaring Pioneer Square station, adjacent to the city's cherished downtown commercial district built during the Alaska and Yukon gold rush in the 1890s, is finished in red granite.

To remind passengers of old-time Seattle, station railings are shaped like hitching posts and hanging lamps have an 1890s look.

University Street station's combination of stainless steel railings, flashing lights, ribbed walls and black and red granite is intended to look like lobbies of nearby modern highrise buildings.

These are the same glass boxes that enraged people and last year led voters to pass tough development restrictions.

Convention Place station, adjacent to an ornate old movie palace and a new convention center, has a waterfall cascading to pools on the passenger platform.

There have been problems and embarrassments.

A year ago, Metro executive director Alan Gibbs resigned after it was discovered material for one of the stations had come from South Africa.

And the dual-power buses, which cost $450,000 each, haven't worked well so far.

The buses are so heavy officials fear they will crack the pavement. Their gears failed during test runs, and some bodies are arriving from the Breda factory in Italy with cracked frames.

Having the tracks in place commits Seattle to eventually building a light rail system similar to the Muni Metro in San Francisco, according to councilman Benson.

That may be a long time off, because by most standards Seattle is not yet crowded.

Seattle's population is about 500,000 and the metropolitan area has only 1.7 million people.

AP Laserphoto

U.S. Defense Secretary Richard Cheney stresses a point during a joint news conference with his Philippine counterpart, Fidel Ramos.

CHENEY

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Cheney's talks with Ramos focused on Filipino claims the United States has failed to live up to its financial obligations for use of the six military installations.

This year, the Bush administration asked Congress for $360 million in funding, but the figure was cut by $96 million, and U.S. diplomats say it is unlikely the money will be restored.

"We recognize there is a shortfall of $96 million over what we had anticipated," Cheney said. "I also pointed out that in East Asia, in this part of the world, the United States provided a little over $600 million, and about $500 million of that comes specifically to the Philippines."

Cheney pledged his "best efforts" to restore funding cut by Congress. He also denied reports in the Philippine press the cutbacks signal diminished support for the Aquino government.

"I think that is a misreading of events to suggest that somehow, the United States is trying to send signals other than the one I have already given publicly, which is our very strong commitment to our alliance with the Philippines."

Ramos acknowledged the U.S. administration needs congressional approval for aid commitments, but said he told Cheney "time is of the essence" in meeting obligations.

Asked whether Filipinos wanted the bases to remain, Ramos declined to answer, saying the issue was under discussion in the Philippine Congress.

U.S. and Filipino officials are expected to begin talks soon on extending the bases. Any agreement must be approved by two-thirds of the 23-member Philippine Senate, where anti-bases sentiment is strong.

AVERY

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Avery and company officials refused to discuss the case. "It's just a sensitive issue around here," said company secretary Mark Hogeboom.

Terry Bickerton, an attorney for Avery and the company, said he hopes for an out-of-court agreement. Pre-trial motions have been heard over the last few weeks.

Wolfmueller, 42, "would like to turn the clock back" to a time of less animosity, recalling the days before he filed suit in November, according to his attorney, Shelton Padgett.

But Wolfmueller also wants "fair value" for opportunities he allegedly lost when Avery and the board of directors fired him, although he doesn't specify an amount in the lawsuit, Padgett said.

Avery hired Wolfmueller as production manager in 1971, when he was a graduate student at the University of Texas. He climbed to the presidency of the company as it grew into one of the nation's largest designers and manufacturers of religious jewelry.

When Pope John Paul II visited Texas in 1987, James Avery Craftsman made the communion vessels for the Pope's Mass in San Antonio.

The company has distributorships in 40 states and more than 20 stores Texas, Oklahoma, California and Georgia. It doesn't make its finances public, but in 1985 James Avery Craftsman reportedly had sales of $15 million a year.

Wolfmueller's lawsuit claims he tripled the company's profits in less than 3½ years as president and was ready to take over control of it with a "succession management group" of several other people when he and Avery had a falling-out last autumn.

Their business disagreements quickly turned personal, according to the lawsuit.

Avery told Wolfmueller in a memo that his "confidence has been shaken and is somewhat waning" in his leadership ability, and criticized Wolfmueller's appearance, asking him to lose weight and "look less stodgy," the lawsuit said.

Wolfmueller fired back, questioning whether Avery was abiding by "the moral standards and the value system" of the corporation. "Can people trust you, or do you let passion reign?" Wolfmueller asked in his letter, now among the court documents.

Wolfmueller filed suit in November, seeking an injunction to prevent the board of directors from ousting him as president and director. The injunction was denied, and Wolfmueller was out.

His lawsuit alleges an "extramarital relationship" between Avery and the company personnel director, Sylvia Flores, resulted in a scheme to "deprive Wolfmueller the fruits of his labor," including the alleged agreement for the succession management group to buy controlling interest of the company.

The lawsuit details Avery's alleged relationship with Ms. Flores, including gossipy descriptions of Avery's appearance the morning after an alleged "inappropriate public display" between the pair.

Neither Ms. Flores nor her attorney, Tom Pollard of Kerrville, returned repeated telephone calls from The Associated Press.

Avery, in legal documents, said there was nothing wrong with his friendship with Ms. Flores.

"There has been no 'affair' as alleged by Wolfmueller, and his accusations are simply mudslinging in an attempt to embarrass Mr. Avery into acknowledging an agreement that never existed," Avery said in the response he filed to the lawsuit.

Avery said he never agreed to increase the succession management group's ownership in the company and had the right to fire Wolfmueller or any other employee.

The legal maneuvers are complicated by Carmen Avery's attempt to prevent her estranged husband from transferring assets or stock to settle the Wolfmueller suit without the divorce court's consent.

Mrs. Avery, his third wife, declined interview requests from The Associated Press.

Avery, 68, also faces a third legal action. He was charged in October with driving while intoxicated, a case pending in county court.

And how will his company fare?

Wolfmueller and his attorney say James Avery Craftsman is a good company and settling its conflicts will improve it.

"Unfortunately, every now and then it hurts to lance a sore," said Padgett, the attorney. "But you're better off in the long run if you do. We feel like we're having to lance a sore."

But Avery attorney Bickerton said the company isn't likely to benefit.

"A lawsuit," he said, "never helps any company."

SPILL

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seems primitive and very, very labor intensive," said Tom Thomson.

He said officials must consider possible environmental damage from cleanup methods, which is why toxic chemical dispersants were not used on the near-shore spill.

Kemerer, executive officer of the Pacific Area Strike Team that responds to oil and toxic spills, said the oil industry and government have not spent enough money on research and development of new cleanup methods.

"I'm sure on the government side it was budgetary constraints," he said. "There probably was some complacency. There weren't any big spills for some time."

Since the Exxon Valdez spill, the oil companies are forming a "petroleum industry response organization" that will spend millions to study and develop better methods to recover spilled oil and prevent and reduce harm to shorelines, Taylor said.

The effort will seek improvements in oil-eating bacteria, methods to wash oil off land, boom designs, absorbent materials, oil-coagulating gels and oil disposal techniques, he added.

Thomson said that "safety is clearly a top-of-the-mind issue in the industry," and cleanup methods will improve.

But the oil company spokesman added: "The unfortunate part of it is that technology gets developed as a result of crises like the Exxon Valdez disaster and the American Trader disaster."

Ann Notthoff of the Natural Resources Defense Council's San Francisco office said she is waiting for some results.

"Both the federal government and the oil companies haven't taken the risk of spills seriously," she said.

"They clearly have not invested in prevention measures. They resisted double hull requirements (for tankers). ... They haven't invested much in development of stronger cleanup technology."

STORMS

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warned that soggy northwest Georgia, where 12 inches of rain Friday caused extensive flooding that forced more than 1,000 to leave their homes, another 2 to 3 inches of rain could fall today.

The worst flooding since 1951 was expected today along the Oostanaula River and the Conasauga River.

Fannin County authorities said about 200 people remained homeless Sunday. And in Trion, Ga., residents made do without electricity and water Sunday after Friday's rampage of the Chatooga River.

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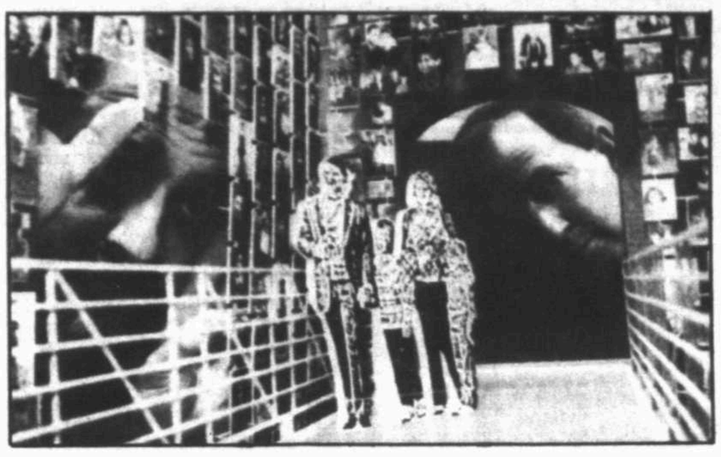
'Survivor objects' focus of new Holocaust museum



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Holocaust exhibit designer Ralph Appelbaum, left, and exhibit director Martin Smith, right, peer inside a model of a three-story museum tower that will be lined with photos of 1500 Jewish men, women and children looking down on visitors as they stroll through the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, scheduled to open in April 1993.

ROBERT M. ANDREWS
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pots and pans, a young girl's cloth belt, fading snapshots, a box of shoes. The ordinary stuff of ordinary people's lives, they assume a horrifying significance in the archives of the new Holocaust museum being built near the National Mall.

These simple objects are made extraordinary by the awful events that gave them meaning. This is no ordinary museum, either.

Chartered by Congress in 1980, its purpose is not to celebrate the triumphs of Western civilization but to shine a glaring, uncomfortable light on one of its darkest moments, the Nazi slaughter of 6 million Jews and untold millions of Gypsies, homosexuals, physically handicapped and other "undesirables" during World War II.

Although there are Holocaust museums in Los Angeles and Detroit, and one under construction in New York, Washington's will be the only national Holocaust museum in the United States. When completed, it also will be the largest in the world, surpassing the Yad Vashem national Holocaust center in Jerusalem.

"Most museums, like the National Gallery of Art, begin with a valuable collection that requires a building to house it," says Holocaust museum spokesman Sam Eskenazi. "Our museum is being built because it has a story to tell, and we're collecting artifacts to tell that story."

In the past 18 months, as cement was poured for the museum's foundations, archivists have been deluged with more than 10,000 artifacts donated by Holocaust survivors and their children, or obtained through negotiations with authorities in East Germany, Poland, Czechoslovakia and other Eastern European countries.

The smaller objects include diaries, sketches, real or forged identity papers, Star of David clothing patches, striped inmate uniforms, coins and stamps used in Jewish ghettos, clandestine sketches of life in concentration camps and secret coded messages exchanged by prisoners.

These items might be considered commonplace "ephemera" by other museums, but Holocaust museum curator Susan Morgenstein invented the term "survivor objects" to signify their value as "hard and fast documentation of a fragmentary period in history."

Each has been cataloged and stored in gray, acid-free boxes in the climate-controlled rooms of a warehouse whose location is kept secret for security reasons. Some will be chosen for display in the permanent exhibition when the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum opens in April 1993.

"They have a special power to tell the human stories of the Holocaust," Ms. Morgenstein says. "Each of them, like the survivors themselves, has a story to tell."

Ruth Meyerowitz was 13 when her family was deported from Frankfurt, Germany, to Auschwitz-Birkenau in April 1943. Separated from her father and brother, she and her mother lived in a barracks near the crematoria where more than 2 million people — mostly Jews — were killed.

One day, as she sorted through a mound of loot confiscated from new prisoners, Ruth retrieved a blue belt appliqued with colorful, floral-shaped felt cutouts, "obviously the works of a young girl, probably from somewhere in Eastern Europe."

Risking a beating for violating camp regulations, Ruth wore the forbidden piece of finery cinched at the waist of her long uniform skirt, to keep it from dragging in the mud.

As Ruth lost weight and the belt got looser, she tried to convince her worried mother that the belt was magical. "I explained that I'm not getting thinner, but the belt is getting longer," says Mrs. Meyerowitz, who now lives in West Orange, N.J.

Among other items, the museum has acquired:

—A box of brushes — hairbrushes, toothbrushes — seized from Auschwitz inmates, and 2,000 pairs of children's shoes and empty canisters of Zyklon-B poison gas from the Majdanek killing center.

—A 27-foot freight car that once shuttled 100 Jews at a time from the Warsaw ghetto to Treblinka, along with a section of the tracks it rode into the death camp.

Despots create 'tender' democracies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Carl Gershman, whose job is fostering the spread of democracy around the world, has it easy these days. Democracy is fostering itself.

When Gershman wrote the annual report of the organization he heads, the National Endowment for Democracy, he warned of democracy's vulnerabilities and of setbacks here and there. But nothing could hide one triumphant fact.

The "central reality" of these times, he wrote, is that "throughout the world millions of people are striving to establish and secure democratic systems based upon peaceful political competition, the rule of law, a free market economy and respect for basic human rights."

The endowment, created by Congress in 1983 at Ronald Reagan's suggestion, draws its money from the government but is administered privately. It receives less than $20 million a year, small change in Washington.

It doles out grants — as little as a few thousand dollars, as much as $1 million to Solidarity in Poland in 1988 — to bolster democracy where it is tender or to support independent groups in closed societies.

In an interview, in his year-end report and in an essay, Gershman offered one expert's view of how the worldwide assertion of the democratic spirit happened to occur at this time.

He thinks he can pinpoint the crucial place and moment: April 25, 1974, when Portugal's government was seized by military junta.

Across the Atlantic, Gershman said, democracy seemed to be in retreat. America, democracy's bastion, was experiencing self-doubt, the Vietnam malaise.

Intellectuals argued over whether the United States should support right-wing authoritarian regimes if they were opposed to left-wing totalitarian regimes, "a debate which was based upon the assumption that the best we could hope for was the lesser evil," said Gershman.

Then, in Portugal, the poorest country in Western Europe, bloodied by the loss of its overseas colonies, a military coup overthrew a dicatorship.

"The alternative to democracy is simply the imposition of tyrannical force, and that doesn't work very well...."

In the confusion, communists attempted to seize power. But the people injected themselves into the streets — much as they would do in 1989 in Eastern Europe — and popular government prevailed. A republic was proclaimed and a constitution adopted.

Next door, Spain's dictator, Francisco Franco, a remnant of pre-war fascism, died. A similiar struggle resulted in a parliamentary monarchy. Greece, too, underwent a transition toward democracy.

From there, the wind swept through Latin America. Ninety percent of the region's people lived under authoritarian rule at the start of the 1980s; now every country in the hemisphere except Haiti and Cuba has some form of democratic government or is planning elections.

Next, of course, the democratic bug descended on Europe: Poland, Hungary, East Germany, Czechoslvakia, Romania and within the Soviet borders themselves.

In Asia, the uprisings were less successful, brutally suppressed in China and Burma, but their occurrence, Gershman said, "should erase any remaining doubts about the appeal of the democratic idea in the non-Western world."

While Gershman does not claim that these events are linked — that the overthrow of the 18-year rule of Gen. Alfredo Stroessner in Paraguay last year somehow precipitated the street uprisings of Eastern Europe — he does conclude that they did not occur in isolation, either.

"Events have a momentum of their own and no country can be shielded from the sweep of historical forces," he said.

Several historical forces coincided to drive democracy forward on a global scale, he said, among them:

—The scientific and technological revolution, which rigid political systems could not assimilate.

—The communications revolution, which makes for rising expectations.

—The tendency toward a world economy, which subjects governments to the discipline of the market.

—The human rights revolution of the 1970s, which "spread the view that all individuals have rights that governments must respect."

With that idea fixed, "you need to find a way in which people can live together in peace, to negotiate differences without violence," Gershman said.

"The alternative to democracy is simply the imposition of tyrannical force, and that doesn't work very well. It produces a lot of deaths, it doesn't produce economic growth, it means one group ruling over another and the other resorting to violence because they've been excluded."

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COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Worried that his constituents might lick or kiss a South American toad to get at the hallucinogenic toxin it secretes, a legislator has introduced a bill making it illegal to get high on cane toads.

"It's the latest wave" in hallucinating, said Rep. Pat Harris, citing the Drug Enforcement Administration's recent toad-licking alert.

Harris admitted his bill was good for nothing more than a laugh.

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American sex life 'rather staid,' survey says

By DANIEL Q. HANEY
AP Science Writer

NEW ORLEANS — When it comes to bedroom habits, Americans are a rather staid lot, a new survey concludes.

On average, adults say they have sex once a week. If they are married, it's almost invariably with their spouse. And they overwhelmingly eschew homosexuality.

"This shows that the sexual behavior of Americans is more circumspect and traditional than the libertine impression we get from the popular media and fiction," said Tom W. Smith of the University of Chicago, who directed the survey.

A separate study shows that teenage boys, as well, are not living up to their reputations.

It found that adolescents seem to be having sex less often, with fewer girls and at a later age than teenagers did a decade ago.

"This contrasts sharply with the view that most young men are sexually promiscuous," said Fredya L. Sonenstein of the Urban Institute in Washington, who analyzed the results.

Both reports were among sex surveys outlined Sunday at a meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The University of Chicago results were based on interviews and questionnaires administered to a cross-section of 1,500 adults in 1988 and 1989. The questions were added to the General Social Survey, which has been conducted annually since 1972.

Surprisingly little is known about the sex lives of ordinary Americans, Smith said.

His survey found that on average, adults have sex 57 times a year, or about once a week.

"We don't know what night of the week," he said, "but it sounds like the traditional stereotype of every Saturday night."

Sexual frequency dropped with age from about 78 times a year for those under 40 to eight times for those over 70. Overall, married people have sex 67 times a year, separated people 66 times, divorced and never-married people 55 and widowed people six, the survey found.

However, 22 percent of people said they had no sex partners at all during the previous year. Nine percent of married people were abstinate, as were 86 percent of widowed people.

Among other findings:

■ Only 1.5 percent of married people admitted cheating on their spouses during the previous year.

■ Between 91 percent and 93 percent of people have been exclusively heterosexual during their adult lives. Five percent to 6 percent have been bisexual, and less than 1 percent are exclusively homosexual. About 3 percent have never had sex.

■ Married people who say they are the happiest also have the most sex.

■ Seven percent of adults are at relatively high risk of catching AIDS because they have multiple sex partners, they have sex with strangers or they are homosexual.

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Vladimir Lavrantyevich Lapygin, chairman of the Defense Committee of the Soviet National Legislature, right, speaks to reporters through an interpreter, center, as Soviet cosmonaut Col. Yuriy Titov, left, looks around Launch Pad 39B, which the group visited Sunday.

Countdown begins today for Thursday shuttle launch

By HOWARD BENEDICT
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — A hush-hush countdown ticked away today for the Thursday launch of space shuttle Atlantis with a spy satellite that reportedly will help monitor Soviet compliance with arms-control agreements.

A Soviet official on an unprecedented tour of the Kennedy Space Center on Sunday said with a smile the shuttle's classified payload was a waste of money as his country has "no special secrets."

After announcing that the launch clock had started Sunday night, NASA pulled a curtain of secrecy over the countdown because of the shuttle's secret satellite.

The count will be made public just nine minutes before the planned liftoff on Thursday. Officials have said only that the launch will take place between midnight and 4 a.m., but sources close to the program report Atlantis and its crew of five military officers are to take off at 1 a.m.

Once Atlantis is in orbit there will be a news blackout on what is happening until an hour before the shuttle returns to Earth. The flight is expected to last four days.

It will be the fourth after-dark flight and the sixth dedicated to the military in 34 shuttle missions.

The sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the shuttle's payload is a 37,300-pound satellite with a dual role to snap high-resolution reconnaissance photos and eavesdrop on military and diplomatic communications.

They said the satellite will be launched into a high-inclination orbit that will cover most of the Soviet Union, including northern areas not previously flown over by shuttle-launched spy satellites. The Soviets have heavy concentrations of naval ships and submarines and several missile bases in the far north.

The satellite, known by the code name AFP-731, and other reconnaissance spacecraft will be important in verifying whether the Soviets are complying with U.S.-U.S.S.R. disarmament agreements now being forged.

The Soviets have their own spy satellites to monitor U.S. compliance.

As part of the new openness under Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev, Soviet defense committee lawmakers viewed Atlantis on its pad from about two miles away just hours before the shuttle's countdown began.

U.S. 'caught napping' by German drive

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. experts on Eastern Europe admit they were caught napping by the speed of the move toward German reunification, and many say Mikhail S. Gorbachev's unpredictable moves are what took them by surprise.

"Whom has he not surprised?" asked Yale historian Henry Ashby Turner, author of "The Two Germanies Since 1945."

"I was in East Germany last summer, I confess, and I said 10 years at that point" before East and West Germany could be unified, Turner said.

"It was hard for all of the experts to conclude that Gorbachev was willing to dismantle the Soviet empire," said Kim Holmes, director of foreign policy and defense studies for the conservative Heritage Foundation. "We had to make that leap."

Former Sen. Charles McC. Mathias, R-Md., president of the American Council on Germany, said, "The world at large has been surprised at the speed with which it has gone because there were substantial obstacles that could have been expected to slow it down, and they have simply just collapsed."

Among those obstacles, said Mathias, were "the assumption that the Russians would never agree to it, the concern that Western Europe thought it might feel about an enlarged Germany, the economic consequences that people foresaw."

But those obstacles were not as formidable as was previously thought, he said, adding that there was "no question" that Gorbachev was a major factor.

Michael Geyer, German-born historian at the University of Chicago, said the Soviet leader's support of moves leading toward reunification "did come as a surprise and so far I have seen no good interpretation of what he's doing."

James A. Smith, a historian who has written a book on think tanks and is an acknowledged expert on the experts, says Gorbachev may be part of what took them by surprise.

However, Smith said, "Much of it is that the pace of change has simply outstripped the assumptions of the past 40 years."

In addition, Smith suggested that developments such as facsimile machines, cable television, satellites and improvements in telephones were helping fuel unrest faster than the experts knew.

Whatever the reason, many scholars acknowledge they were having trouble with their crystal balls.

"They couldn't see the forest for the trees because they were so involved in discussing how you count aircraft and all the arcane aspects of nuclear strategy and NATO doctrine," said the Heritage Foundation's Holmes. "When these seismic changes were occurring they were very slow to see what the implications were."

Holmes said he was thinking in terms of two or three years when he told a reporter in October that "it could happen a lot sooner than a lot of people think."

Now, said Turner, "I would say that by the end of the year, in many respects, there will be de facto reunification."

"It now looks as though it is possible within a year," Mathias agreed. "Some aspects of it might string out for a couple of years, but the fact is something has to happen pretty fast."

Events are indeed moving rapidly. On Monday in Ottawa, the United States, West Germany, Britain and France agreed on international conferences on security aspects of unification, possibly soon after the March 18 East German elections.

On Tuesday in Bonn, West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl and East German Prime Minister Hans Modrow agreed to start work on adopting West German currency for both countries. On Wednesday, the West German government said the final obstacles to reunification had been removed.

Gorbachev was the key, Turner said. "Mikhail Gorbachev is a very unpredictable man. If he had decided to back up (former East German president Erich) Honecker, Honecker would still be there."

Holmes, while stressing the importance of Gorbachev's steps, cautioned, "This, of course, has not been played out yet, and we are not fully certain of what the consequences are going to be."

Bush says unified Germany must be a part of NATO

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine (AP) — President Bush still is insisting that a reunified Germany be part of the NATO alliance, as two top western leaders speculate the Soviets will drop their objections to such a move.

"There will be a lot of discussions before now and the event," Bush said Sunday when asked by reporters about newly voiced Soviet reservations regarding a unified Germany joining NATO.

"We have our position supporting (West German) Chancellor (Helmut) Kohl. We know what Kohl's position is. We're just going to stay with it," Bush said during a beach outing near his vacation home.

Kohl contends that if East and West Germany reunite, the country should be in NATO, although he does not advocate NATO troops in East Germany.

On Saturday, top Soviet official Valentin Falin said that if the Western alliance insists on a unified Germany joining NATO, "then there won't be any German unification."

The Soviet position appears to be hardening against NATO membership for the two Germanies as talks on reunification get underway among East and West Germany and the powers that divided them: the United States, France, Britain and the Soviet Union.

But Secretary of State James A. Baker III and NATO Secretary Manfred Woerner both said Sunday they do not believe the Soviet objections are final.

"We're going to have to see the degree to which they really feel that way," Baker said on ABC-TV's "This Week With David Brinkley" program. "For myself, I would tell you that I'm not so sure that they really strongly feel that way."

"I think, without putting words in the mouths of the Soviets, that they see the stability that is afforded by the continued presence of United States forces in Europe," he said.

Woerner, interviewed on the same television program, said he believes the Soviets will change their minds "under one condition: that we give them a clear guarantee this is not turning against them."

Woerner contended the Soviets are engaged in "a tactical play" and that Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev hasn't staked out a firm position on the matter of German alignment.

"If they really think their own legitimate security interests through, it will be better for them to have a Germany which is in a stable condition and is firmly embedded in safety and security structures, than to have a neutral Germany floating around trying to form alliances."

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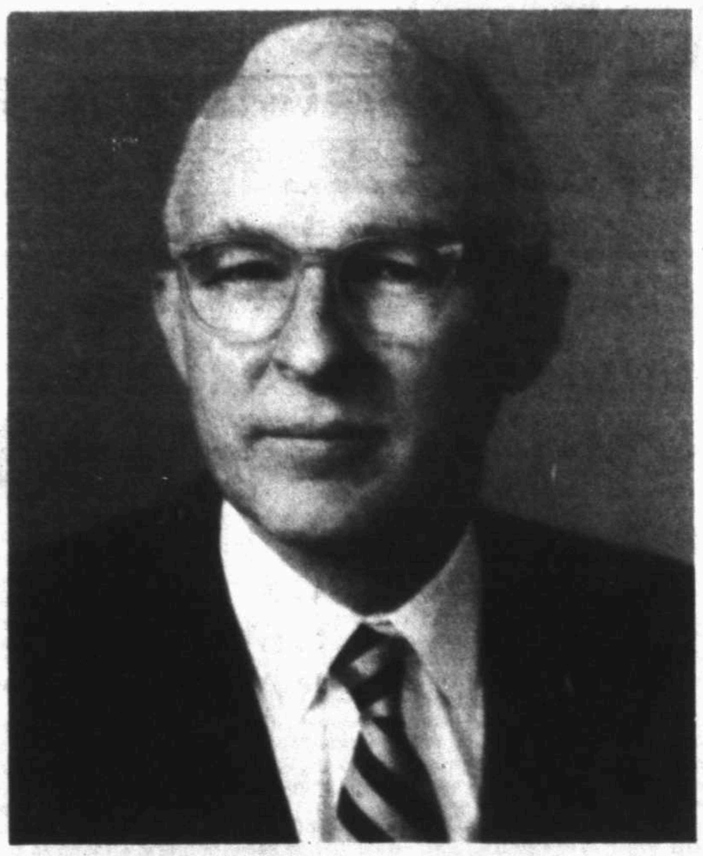

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After graduation from Harvard, I became an infantry officer and paratrooper in the U.S. Army Reserve. I then completed law school at Georgetown University. I had an interest in oil and gas law and taxation. This interest brought me to Texas where I worked as a roughneck and lead tong man for a West Texas drilling company prior to attending SMU for advanced legal studies of oil and gas law and taxation which I completed with honors. I have always believed that practical experience is just as important as academics.

I have been fortunate to have a successful law practice for 26 years. About 16 years ago I was recruited by Tom Sealy, Boyd Laughlin, James L. Pardue and William F. Pennebaker to move to Midland and head up the Corporate department of the Stubbeman, MacRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder law firm. My wife, Trinka, and I chose Midland as our permanent home. We have spent 16 of the happiest years of our lives in Midland. We have increasingly given of our time to community services.

In the 1980's I became concerned with the efforts of special interest groups to control the Texas judiciary. Our courts received adverse publicity on a national level and the public began to lose its respect for the judiciary. I also realized that few successful attorneys were willing to leave private practice and serve the community.

I have a strong conviction that the Court should be for all people. The primary function of the Court is to know and apply the law with integrity and fairness.

I have been concerned for the past few years with the rising crime rate in Midland, most of which is linked with the drug problem. Many of us have been victims of crime, including my family. I have volunteered my time to help solve this problem and I agreed to serve as President of the Midland Crime Prevention Commission after my appointment by the Midland City Council.

I have always believed that public service is the highest honor. This was instilled in me by my family. My father worked for the U.S. Government for 32 years concluding with his service as an Economic advisor in the executive office of President Eisenhower. My father's example was to forego all personal benefit in favor of public service.

I am offering my candidacy for District Judge because I want to serve this community with integrity and fairness. This community has given much to my family. It is time for me to step forward and make a contribution.

Please consider my candidacy in casting your ballot on March 13th.

Sincerely yours,

Nick Taylor

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Foreign aid needs budgetary scrutiny

The U.S. Congress is now searching through the fiscal 1991 federal budget looking for ways to reduce it without costing members votes in an election year.

This cynical goal can be fulfilled — with a cut in U.S. outlays — by chopping the current $14.6 billion foreign aid plan.

The most significant reason for foreign aid over the past 45 years has been — despite all the rhetoric about a helping hand for the needy — the Cold War between the United States and the Soviet Union. Just about everyone now says that conflict is over.

Why are we giving just seven countries more than half of that foreign aid total? Israel alone receives $3 billion while Egypt gets $2.1 billion. Yet Israel defies the United States and the world by sending more settlers to the West Bank, a stronger Egypt is not created and Middle East peace is still far off.

Greece and Turkey are making us pay through the nose for military bases that help defend them. The Philippines always wants more money — not only for bases in their defense, as well as ours, but more aid in general.

Pakistan has been paid off to allow the United States to send weapons to the freedom fighters in Afghanistan, but that fight is over for all practical purposes. El Salvador is receiving big aid for a small nation, but still does not control its death squads which undermine that help.

If the Soviet Union can attempt to change its entire way of life, causing great uncertainty for its leaders and people, then surely the United States can reevaluate foreign aid.

The days of the big Washington golden goose and its sacred cows abroad must reflect today's reality, not that of 1945 or 1965. That may have been a time when such foreign aid expenditures were justified by circumstances, but now events are quite different.

Today's mandate is to look carefully at our foreign aid to determine if — and how much — it should be cut, thus leaving more tax dollars to be used toward better education, the drug war and other programs that will benefit the American people, or even more in line with a philosophy of limited government, for a cut in taxes.

Other Views:

Rural hospitals in pain

President Bush's 1991 federal budget offered little hope for Texas' struggling rural hospitals, but Uvalde voters may have.

In light of rapidly rising health-care costs, Bush on Jan. 29 recommended federal Medicare assistance for the elderly and disabled grow only at about the rate of inflation. Rural hospitals already get too little from Medicare....

The outlook for rural hospitals is glum all over Texas. That's why legislation passed last year by the Legislature might provide a way out — without federal or state help.

Uvalde County voters on Jan. 20 became the first to test the new law that allows voters in small counties to adopt a one-half-to-2-cent sales tax to support a county hospital. Uvalde voters overwhelmingly approved a half-cent tax, which should provide some $360,000 annually and save the county's 62-bed hospital.

Sixty-seven Texas hospitals, most of them rural, have closed since 1986, including 13 last year. More than 50 Texas counties have no hospital.....

Instead of praying for pennies from Washington, small counties whose hospitals are threatened might be wise to do it the way Uvalde County did it: the old-fashioned way — by themselves.

— San Antonio Express-News

Who has silver foot?

No doubt about it, Ann Richards put her foot in her mouth. The Democratic orator who immortalized the silver foot in George Bush's mouth suddenly finds herself the victim of that malady she made so amusing.

State Treasurer Richards, who leads the polls in the Democratic gubernatorial primary race, was answering a question about abortion during the big televised debate here Wednesday night.

Upon careful reviews of the video tape, it is apparent to use that she said, "I cannot arrive at any conclusion but that no legislator, no judge and no bureaucrat has any business in determining whether a white woman has an abortion or not."

... Glenn Smith, Richards' campaign manager, says she was trying to say "whether or why a woman," not "whether a white woman."

... It hardly seems credible to seriously impute unconscious racism to someone of Richards' liberal background and credentials. Be that as it may, Richards has a problem. It may stem from her good ol' girl style of lighthearted and free-wheeling campaign talk. That can be dangerous. She has proven, once again, that people in public office or on the campaign trail simply cannot be careless with what they say and how they say it.

— Houston Chronicle

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Feb. 19, the 50th day of 1990. There are 315 days left in the year. This is Presidents Day.

Today's highlight in history:

On Feb. 19, 1803, Congress voted to accept Ohio's borders and constitution. (However, Congress did not get around to formally ratifying Ohio statehood until 1953.)

On this date:

In 1473, the astronomer Copernicus was born in Torun, Poland.

In 1807, former Vice President Aaron Burr was arrested in Alabama. (He was subsequently tried for treason and acquitted.)

In 1846, the Texas state government was formally installed in Austin.

In 1878, Thomas Edison received a patent for his phonograph.

In 1881, Kansas became the first state to prohibit all alcoholic beverages.

In 1942, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed an executive order making possible the wartime internment of Japanese-Americans.

In 1945, during World War II, U.S. Marines landed on the Japanese-held island of Iwo Jima in the Western Pacific.

In 1963, the Soviet Union informed President Kennedy that it would withdraw "several thousand" of an estimated 17,000 Soviet troops in Cuba.

In 1983, 13 people were found shot to death at a gambling club in Seattle's Chinatown district. (Two Chinese immigrants were later convicted of the killings.)

In 1988, a group calling itself the "Organization of the Oppressed on Earth" claimed responsibility for the kidnapping of U.S. Marine Lt. Col. William R. Higgins in Lebanon.

Ten years ago: Iran's Ayatollah Khomeini turned over supreme command of the country's armed forces to the new president, Abolhassan Bani-Sadr.

JACK ANDERSON

D.C. consultants becoming pain in neck

WASHINGTON — Influence peddling has fallen on hard times in Washington. Everyone is spooked by ethics scandals. Washington "consultants" who get rich because of who they know are becoming pests. And suddenly the whole business smells like the selling of the White House.

Jack Anderson

Take for instance, "photo opportunities" with the president of the United States. Foreign heads of state clamor for them. But sometimes the tete-a-tete doesn't fit the State Department's foreign policy agenda, or the president doesn't have time for chitchat. In that case, foreign governments aren't above paying someone with connections to cut the red tape.

One incident sums it up. The prime minister of Somalia, Gen. Muhammad Ali Samantar, wanted an audience with a bigwig at the White House last year. Somalia's hired gun in Washington, the lobbying/legal firm of Black, Manafort, Stone and Kelly, was just the firm to get the job done. The partners are tight with the Bush administration. They helped Bush get elected. Their former colleague is Lee Atwater, the chief of the Republican National Committee. In short, they have all the right phone numbers.

Black, Manafort dialed those numbers and arranged an appointment for Samantar with Vice President Dan Quayle. Our sources say Quayle's schedulers made room in his day for a standup handshake and a photo with Samantar, and nothing more. But to Quayle's obvious surprise, Samantar sat down, expecting to chat.

Quayle kept the meeting short, but the incident proved embarrassing for Samantar and Black, Manafort.

A high-level White House source confirmed that the incident happened. But Black, Manafort and officials at the Somalian Embassy still insist that Samantar didn't expect anything more than a photo opportunity.

A Black, Manafort spokeswoman told our associate Scott Sleek that the firm always goes through the proper channels at the State Department and the National Security Council to arrange meetings for foreign clients.

That still begs the question, why should a foreign head of state have to pay thousands of dollars to a Washington consultant to get a picture taken with the president or vice-president?

It is a question that is making the rounds of White House schedulers. Some of the consulting firms have become so pushy that they are now regarded as a pain in the neck. One White House source told us that lobbyists would have better luck getting their clients into the White House if they went through channels instead of trying to use connections, because "connections" is becoming a dirty word.

Still, foreign countries are willing to pay a small fortune for someone to hold their hands and guide them through Washington. Last year, Zaire signed a $1 million-a-year deal with Black, Manafort to represent that African nation in Washington.

Black, Manafort has a number of African clients that are already heavily reliant on U.S. aid or want to get on that gravy train. With democracy breaking out all over the Eastern Bloc, Third-World countries are worried about the United States diverting more of its foreign aid budget to Europe. That makes African nations all the more anxious to find someone with clout in Washington.

Some consultants brag too much about who they know and what strings they can pull. Politicians are increasingly afraid that the bragging will be heard loud and clear by a Washington press corps sniffing for ethics scandals and influence peddling.

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PEACE IS NO BARGAIN — President Bush doesn't know how to break the news to the nation yet, but there will be no peace dividend. A suggestion by Secretary of Defense Richard Cheney to cut the defense budget by $180 billion raised national expectations about a peace dividend big enough to eliminate the budget deficit. But the Pentagon will phase the cuts over a long period and the annual savings could be less than $30 billion. That would simply disappear into the rising budgets of other programs. The only real answer is a waste dividend — eliminating government waste would eliminate the deficit.

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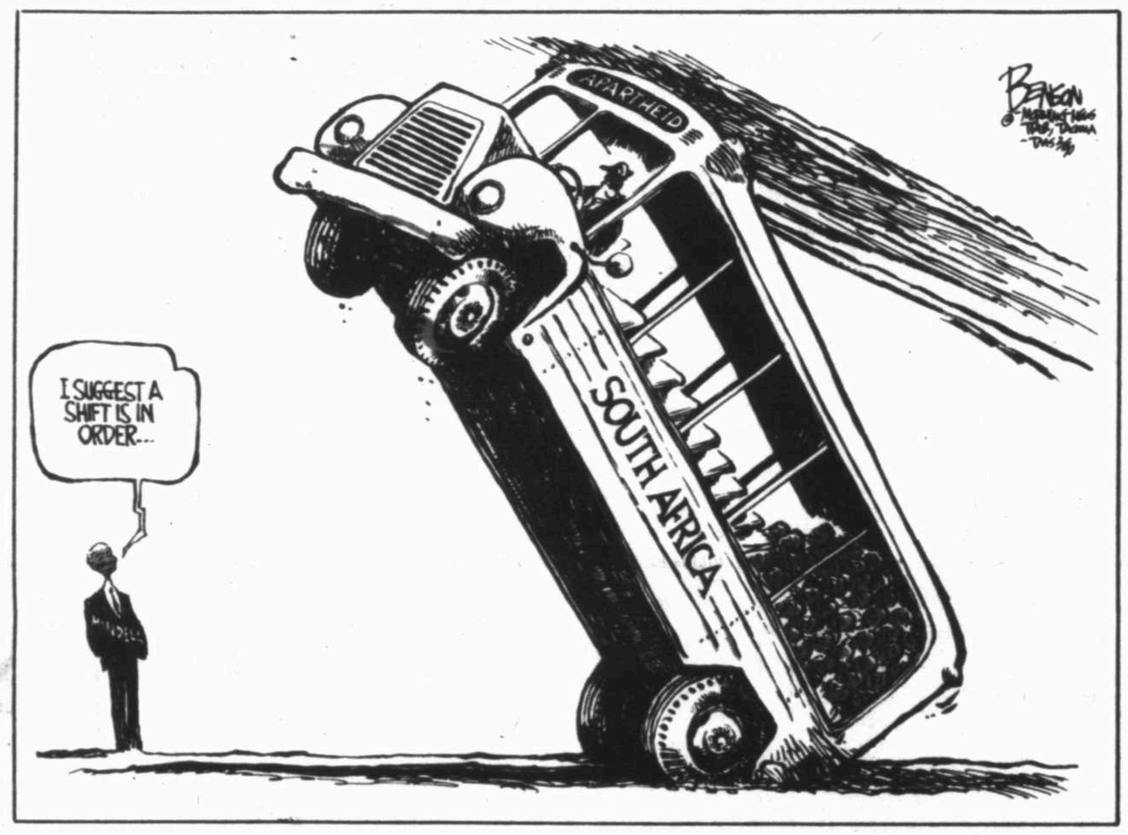
MINI-EDITORIAL — An official publication called "The Congressional Record" is supposed to be the record of Congress — the daily doings from the floor, verbatim. But members of Congress frequently exercise the privilege to add, change and delete that record before it is published. This creative editing means that anyone who couldn't attend a congressional hearing gets a sanitized version of the facts. The practice is wrong and it should be stopped. Members of Congress use newsletters to their constituents to tell the sanitized version ad nauseum. The Congressional Record should be one place a voter can go to get the truth.

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



WHOM TO WRITE

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

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

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

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

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

STATE REPRESENTATIVE: Tom Craddick (R), District 76, 408 W. Wall St., Midland, Texas 79701.

CHARLEY REESE

Palestinians worst enemies Arab extremists

Those Palestinians who wish to live in peace are finding out once again their worst enemy is not Israel, but extremist individuals and other Arab governments.

Charley Reese

There is no way negotiations over the West Bank can or should take place as long as the Arab world, with the one exception of Egypt, continues its unremitting hostility.

Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir has said one condition for the start of talks is for those Arab states with no legitimate conflict with Israel to end their 52 years of non-recognition and diplomatic and economic warfare against Israel.

Lebanon, Syria, and Jordan adjoin Israel and there are legitimate differences to be resolved. But there is no territorial or other legitimate conflict at all with the North African Arab states or with Iraq or with the Gulf States.

Instead of doing their part, however, to create a climate of confidence in which serious negotiations can take place, the Arab League is firing off delegations to the Soviet Union, to Europe, and to the United States in an effort to halt the emigration of Jews from the Soviet Union.

First, it's none of their business. Secondly, it's not a few immigrants which are keeping Israelis and moderate Palestinians away from the negotiating table — it's these Arab governments and those extremists who continue physical attacks against Israel, Israelis, and Palestinians.

The Israeli government is not directing new immigrants from the Soviet Union to settle in the West Bank or Gaza. As difficult as it is for Arab dictators to understand the concept of liberty, the Israeli government tells the immigrants they can settle anywhere they choose. And less than one half of 1 percent have chosen the West Bank.

Fair-minded people recognize it is up to the Arab world to do something to reassure Israelis that they can negotiate a true settlement instead of negotiate themselves into oblivion. After all, acceptance of a two-state solution is a recent position on the part of some Palestinians. Even now, however, not all factions of the PLO agree to that. The previous position, for some half a century, has been a no-Israel solution. Another widely argued position for years was get the West Bank only as a first step to getting the rest of Israel.

Israeli suspicions and skepticism are well-founded. Israel has never called for the destruction of Palestinians or any other Arab group or country. But for the past half century there have repeated calls from the Arab countries for the absolute destruction of Israel and indeed, the PLO Charter, yet unamended, still calls for that.

Therefore, there is a need for what the diplomats call some confidence building and the need is for the moderate Palestinians to initiate it. Israel has shown, with the Egyptian peace treaty, that it values peace more than territory. The ball is now in the Arab court.

Unfortunately, rather than taking steps which might facilitate peace, they are following their old scheme of trying to appeal to other countries to coerce Israel into making concessions in the face of continued hostility.

That scheme has never flown for 52 years and unless the American people abandon both reason and all sense of fair-mindedness, it won't fly in the future. The actions of the Arab League indicate their old position that all land in the Middle East is Arab land and no non-Arab country may exist there has not changed.

If that is their position, there will be no negotiated settlement. No one in the democratic world is going to demand that the Israelis cut their own throats.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

LEWIS GRIZZARD

There are no countries left for U.S. to fear

This country has a proud history of always having somebody around to fear.

In colonial days, it was the British. Mothers used to tell their children back then, "Go to sleep right now or Gen. Cornwallis and the Redcoats will come and take you away and make you eat kidney pie."

Lewis Grizzard

Then, we were afraid of the Indians for about 75 years. The Indians were our natural enemies since it was their land we were stealing.

Mothers in the Old West used to tell their children, "Wipe that smirk off your face, or Geromino will sneak into your room tonight and scalp you."

If a mother were really mad, she could add, "... and he'll be hiding under your bed."

Next, we were afraid of the Germans and the Japanese. Mothers had two choices of what to say to their children at that point.

"If you don't eat every single thing on your plate, I'm calling Hitler," was one choice.

The other was, "If this room isn't cleaned up in ten minutes I'm going to make you eat raw fish for dinner."

We weren't afraid of the Germans or the Japanese anymore after 1945. That's when we started being afraid of the Russians.

My own mother used to say, "Turn off that television right now and come help me work on the fallout shelter."

But look what has happened. Suddenly the Russians aren't scary anymore. They are talking peace and disarmament. Even communism may be in big trouble in Russia.

There are no Rooskies to be afraid of these days and very soon there could be no more commies behind every bush.

If we are to carry on the proud tradition of having somebody around to frighten us, who's it going to be?

Iran? No. How can you take any country seriously that goes around trying to kill harmless authors.

The Chinese? No. Our own president seems to trust them. Cuba? No. Castro's too old.

I could say the Japanese because of their economic power, but every time I write something nasty about the Japanese I get about 600 angry letters from people who have just sold their office parks to Fuji for $190,000,000.

I'm going to suggest we start being afraid of Canada. I realize Canada has never been much of a menacing threat to us, but I also want to point out Canada is this huge country that sits in spitting distance of us.

You must know how much the Canadians, who are always cold, covet our Sunbelt. I can see the Canadian army now marching on Orlando armed with guns, golf bags and pull carts.

And who's to say Canada doesn't have a plan right now to jump across the border and invade Idaho and steal our potatoes?

Plus Canada is responsible for giving us hockey. What if the Canadians took us over and our children had to learn to play goalie and speak French?

Let's be afraid of Canada. Mothers can say to their children, "You talk back to me one more time, and the Toronto Maple Leafs are going to come over and skate on your face."

Scary.

Lewis Grizzard is a columnist for Cowles Syndicate.

NATION IN BRIEF

Gas burns after barges collide

MORGAN CITY, La. (AP) — A barge loaded with gasoline caught fire and spilled some of its cargo when it collided head-on with another barge in the Intracoastal Waterway, the Coast Guard said today.

No one was injured and the fire was extinguished at 11 p.m. Sunday, about 4½ hours after the collision, Coast Guard Petty Officer Steve Guy said.

The waterway was closed as a precaution because of an undetermined amount of gasoline in the water and the possibility of further fire, Guy said.

He said crews were letting the burned barge cool down before starting to clean up the spilled gasoline today.

The cause of the collision had not been determined, Guy said, but "weather may have had something to do with it. We had a lot of rain and visibility was low."

Shark protection sought

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — Federal protection is needed for sharks in U.S. waters off the Louisiana coast because their fins are being harvested for shark-fin soup, considered a delicacy in the Orient, said Secretary Virginia Van Sickle of the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

The fins bring $100 a pound in the Orient, she said.

Just a few years ago, some officials were suggesting that Louisiana fishermen should concentrate more on sharks, which have long been considered a trash fish by most southern Louisiana recreational and commercial fishermen.

Now, sharks are being caught at an alarming rate and often only partially used, Van Sickle told a weekend meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Sharks are caught, their fins are cut off for air shipment to the Far East and the sharks are then released to die, she said.

Shark landings in the Gulf of Mexico have increased tenfold in the last three years, Van Sickle told the national assembly of scientists.

Boy mauled by dogs

PLACENTIA, Calif. (AP) — Two large dogs brutally attacked a 10-year-old boy until a neighbor chased them away, authorities said.

Adam Bolt received 150 stitches in his neck and shoulders after Saturday's attack and was resting at home in this city 30 miles southeast of Los Angeles.

The boy said he was outside his family's apartment when the dogs attacked.

"I was just playing in the rain and I looked up and saw them coming toward me," he recalled. "They were snapping at me and I started running and they caught me."

Neighbor Mary Patuano chased the dogs.

"Adam was on his stomach with one dog tearing at his shoulder like a shark. The other dog was pulling him in the other direction from his neck," Ms. Patuano said.

She said they looked like neglected guard dogs, one with a rusty chain around its neck.

The dogs later were cornered in a nearby oil field and shot to death, police Sgt. Steve Toth said. He said their owner still had not surfaced late Sunday.

Motel fires kills four

HAGERSTOWN, Md. (AP) — Motel guests jumped out of windows and lowered themselves to the ground using bedsheets to escape fire from an explosion apparently caused by a natural-gas leak that killed four and injured 10.

A night desk clerk was investigating reports of a gas leak at the 62-unit Super 8 Motel when the explosion occurred early Sunday, officials said.

"I had just gotten up to go to the bathroom and had come back and my wife said, 'Don't you smell the gas?'" said Neal Woodrick, 60, of Trenton, N.J. "And then it happened."

"It sounded just like a bomb had gone off — boom," said his wife, Joan Woodrick, 58.

Fire officials were to comb the charred remains of the motel today for clues to the explosion.

TWA plane evacuated

LOS ANGELES (NYT) — Nearly 200 people were evacuated from a Trans World Airlines L-1011 jet after steam and hydraulic lines burst on takeoff and filled the cabin of the airliner with thick, oily smoke, authorities said.

Seven people were injured, two of them firefighters who responded to the 4:24 p.m. Sunday emergency on TWA Flight No. 8, which was bound for New York's John F. Kennedy International Airport, said Los Angeles City Fire Department spokesman Pat Marek.

They've already mapped out new census

By RANDOLPH E. SCHMID

WASHINGTON (AP) — When the Census Bureau sets out to count Americans in a few weeks, workers will have all new maps — the result of a massive cartographic cooperation by government agencies.

The project was undertaken because it's not enough for the census to just count everyone every 10 years. It also has to report where they are.

Since 1983 the U.S. Geological Survey and the Census Bureau have worked together to compile a new set of computerized maps, known as TIGER for Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding and Referencing.

Census-takers for years were plagued by old and inaccurate maps, sometimes setting forth with nothing more detailed than highway department road maps.

"Highway department maps typically only show the roads they maintain, which are not all roads. Often they are very deficient for census purposes, but they were the best available," explained Robert Marx, chief of the Census Bureau's geography division.

Now all that has changed.

"The Tiger system allows us to tailor maps to the enumerator. If you are working in downtown New York City you need a different type of map than if you are working in rural Kansas," observed Marx. "And crew leaders need different maps from their workers."

Tiger maps are stored on computer tape, making it easy to change them and to run new copies as needed.

Copies of the new local census maps have been sent to more than 39,000 local governments across the nation in recent months, with preliminary housing counts going to 21,000 local governments, Marx explained.

Officials were asked to check the maps and make additions or corrections, which then are entered in the computers for use in the April 1 census.

"On the housing counts, we have heard from about 13 percent of the 21,000 governments," he said.

"Comments ranged from 'it looks fine' to some fairly serious problems. Where we have identified problems we are recanvassing the area to find out what happened and to get it fixed," Marx said.

This local review will be repeated after the census. The maps will be sent out again, along with the housing unit and population counts by block.

Local governments then will be able to check for omissions and census officials will recanvass areas where questions are raised.

The 497,000 Tiger maps are at a variety of scales, with a map inch equaling from one-twelfth to one-third of a mile on land — large enough for workers to list every house.

Included on the maps are roads, railroads, rivers and government boundaries, as well as postal ZIP code areas, census blocks and tracts.

SPELLING BEE 1990

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1990 Regional Spelling Bee March 31 at Midland College.

School spelling champions from Midland, Martin, Glasscock and Upton counties will compete for the top prize of an all-expenses-paid trip to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through March 30. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

pro´te-tip´

prototype (noun) — The first full-scale model of any new product, such as car, machine, or house, that is built to demonstrate its advantages is called a prototype. Prehistoric humans such as the Neanderthals, or Cro-Magnons, could be called the prototypes or models from which modern humans have developed. The prefix, "proto" is used as a part of many words describing something that is "first" or "ahead." All are based on the ancient Greek word "protos," meaning "before."

Column provided courtesy of Lawrence Institute of Technology and The Detroit News

BOBBIE MOORE ENDORSES
NICK TAYLOR FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

I am supporting Nick Taylor for District Judge because I have a strong desire to see the crime rate in Midland lowered. Nick Taylor is an excellent lawyer who has worked diligently within the community to help prevent crime and deal with the drug problem.

He would like the opportunity to bring that same dedication to the bench of District Judge. I for one look forward to having such a man of integrity and commitment serving this community.

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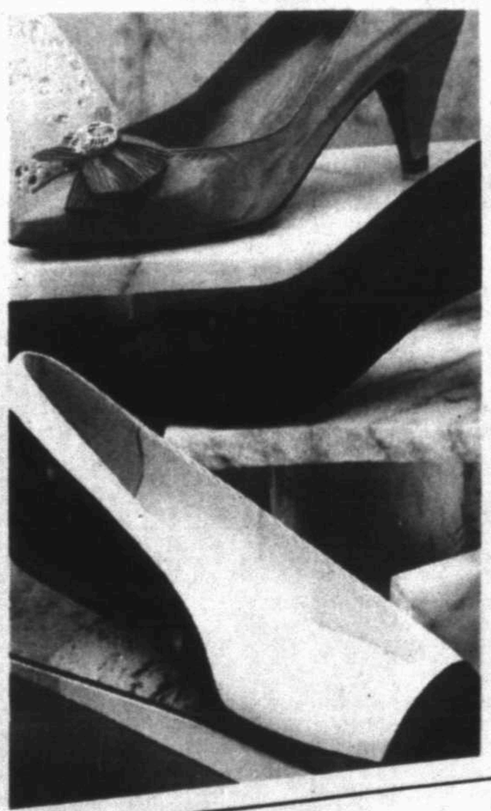

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WORLD

Japan's governing party weakened but still in control

TOKYO (AP) — Scandal and an unpopular sales tax cost the long-governing Liberal Democratic Party voter support but it held on to its majority in Parliament's lower house and with it the right to name the prime minister.

The conservative party that has held power for 34 years lost 20 seats in Sunday's balloting but still captured a solid majority of 275 in the 512-seat house, the Japan Broadcasting Corp. reported.

The party headed by Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu had needed 271 seats to retain the chairmanships of all lower house committees.

Doi

The main opposition Japan Socialist Party, led by Takako Doi, made dramatic gains, rising from 83 seats in the last house to 136.

Two prime ministers resigned in quick succession last year amid sex and money scandals and the popular Ms. Doi seemed to have a chance to tilt Japan to the left and become its first woman prime minister.

But Japan's conservative voters rejected bold change. During the campaign, the Liberal Democrats capitalized on ideological differences in the opposition camp and sowed doubts about the opposition's ability to govern.

The Socialists' potential coalition partners fared poorly.

The Komeito (Clean Government Party) fell from 54 seats in the outgoing house elected in July 1986 to 45, the Japan Communists from 26 seats to 16, and the Democratic Socialist Party from 25 seats to 14.

The remaining seats went to 21 independent candidates and two minor parties. Official final results are to be announced Tuesday.

Kaifu, 59, told reporters he was "very thankful for the result. Each candidate worked as if he were crawling on the ground, and I think people gave us credit for that."

"Our purpose was to reduce the Liberal Democrats' strength as much as possible," said Ms. Doi, 61, who had campaigned hard on a vow to repeal the sales tax. "Unfortunately, the results showed that in a sense we have not obtained a majority toward abolishing the tax."

About 73 percent of the 90.5 million eligible voters — a high turnout — cast ballots.

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Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu inks an eye to a huge papier mache "daruma" doll, celebrating the victory of the ruling Liberal Democratic Party in Sunday's national election at party headquarters in Tokyo today. The daruma doll ceremony is traditionally performed to indicate fulfillment of a wish.

When the 271st Liberal Democratic seat was captured, Kaifu painted in the blank eye of a papier-mache doll at party headquarters in Tokyo to signify fulfillment of the party's goal in the election. The "daruma" doll ceremony is traditionally performed to indicate fulfillment of a wish.

Ichiro Ozawa, secretary general of the Liberal Democrats, said his party would consult with the Socialists beginning Tuesday over steering the nation.

The 3 percent sales tax and a series of scandals — which contributed to the Liberal Democrats' loss of their majority in the less powerful upper house of Parliament last summer — proved insufficient to defeat the Liberal Democrats.

"The opposition never clearly explained its coalition plans," said Takehiko Kamo, professor of political science at Tokyo University, "and so the public didn't feel confident in the idea of the idea of transferring power to it."

Kaifu declared the election results "a form of purification" for his troubled party. Yet voters re-elected virtually all Liberal Democrats in Parliament who were implicated in the Recruit stock scandal, in which many politicians profited from cut-rate shares.

"Simply being elected does not mean one is absolved," said Socialist Secretary General Tsuruo Yamaguchi. "The need for political reform is bigger than ever."

Among the candidates linked to the Recruit stock scandal who still won re-election were former prime ministers Yasuhiro Nakasone, 72, Noboru Takeshita, 65, and Sousuke Uno, 67.

Takeshita resigned last year after admitting he accepted huge donations from the Recruit Co. Uno replaced him but lasted just two months as prime minister. A former geisha said Uno had paid her to be his mistress, and he resigned after the Liberal Democrats' upper house loss.

Only one Recruit figure, former Vice Education Minister Kunio Takaishi, was defeated. Takaishi, who is being tried on bribery charges, had not held elective office before.

East German premier won't beg for West German aid

EAST BERLIN (AP) — East Germany's Communist premier said today he refuses to beg West Germany for aid "on my knees," and said claims by Bonn officials that his country faces imminent economic collapse were irresponsible.

Modrow

Premier Hans Modrow, speaking at the weekly talks between the government and opposition groups, made the remarks in a report on the results of his two-day visit to Bonn last week.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl's government rejected Modrow's request for immediate aid of $9 billion to help East Germany's struggling economy.

Kohl made it clear West Germany would provide billions of dollars to improve living conditions in East Germany but said he would wait until a democratically elected government takes over after March 18 elections.

"I can understand the disappointment of many (East German) citizens," Modrow told the session. "But my government cannot do more than it is already trying to do."

"I will not go down on my knees to beg for such a show of solidarity" from the Bonn government, he said.

He also criticized what he called "irresponsible," comments by one of Kohl's top advisers last week that East Germany would soon be unable to pay its bills, and that the March 18 election may have to be moved up because of instability.

Both German governments had quickly denied such a collapse was imminent, though about 2,000 East Germans continue to flee westward daily despite reformist moves since hard-line leader Erich Honecker was ousted in October.

Meanwhile, in Bonn, the defense and foreign ministers today agreed that neither West German nor other NATO troops should be stationed in what is now East German territory if the two countries reunite.

The joint statement issued by Defense Minister Gerhard Stoltenberg and Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher moved toward settling a dispute that rocked Kohl's center-right coalition government over the weekend.

Nation's homosexuals form group

EAST BERLIN (AP) — East German homosexuals Sunday formed their own interest group to fight for equal rights, including to adopt children and have partnerships with the legal force of marriage, news reports said.

The Gay Association in East Germany, with headquarters in Leipzig, also will fight for reparations for persecution of homosexuals during the Nazi dictatorship, the official news agency ADN said.

The Nazis persecuted homosexuals and put them in concentration camps along with Jews, communists, Gypsies and other groups.

The Jews, who lost the most people in the camps, have received billions of dollars in reparations from the West German government.

ADN did not say how many members the new group had.

Foreign policy issues now focus in Japan

TOKYO (AP) — After months of preoccupation with domestic problems as people focused on this week's election, Japan now must turn to urgent foreign policy issues in talks with visiting U.S. defense and trade officials.

Japan had several months' reprieve from disputes over its $49 billion trade surplus with the United States as leaders prepared for Sunday's balloting for Parliament's lower house.

The conservative Liberal Democratic Party, which has governed Japan since 1955, secured a solid majority of 275 seats in the 512-seat house, promising continuity in foreign policy.

Talks with U.S. officials on trade in wood products were to begin today. Talks on informal trade barriers follow later this week and more talks on trade in satellites and supercomputers are slated for next week.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, who arrives Tuesday for a five-day visit, is expected to press Tokyo to spend more to support the 50,000 U.S. troops based in Japan.

U.S. officials charge that Japan isn't doing enough to open its markets for satellites, telecommunications, supercomputers, forest products and finance, among others, to foreign goods and services.

They predict serious trouble with Congress ahead of elections for the House of Representatives in November if they are unable to demonstrate substantial progress in shrinking the deficit with Japan, which accounted for 45 percent of the $108 billion deficit last year.

"Once their elections are behind them, the Japanese must move immediately to address our concerns before political reaction here hamstrings our chances for constructive negotiations," U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills said.

U.S. air security panel lays wreath at Lockerbie memorial

LOCKERBIE, Scotland (AP) — President Bush's commission on aviation security and terrorism laid a wreath of red, white and blue flowers Sunday in memory of the victims of the Pan Am Flight 103 bombing.

Commission Chairman Ann McLaughlin later told a news conference the likelihood of such a bombing occurring again was reduced by advances made in security following the disaster Dec. 21, 1988.

The seven commissioners laid the wreath in an area of this small Scottish town where debris from the Boeing 747 destroyed municipal housing.

They then went to the wind-swept Dryfesdale cemetery, where a permanent marble memorial has been dedicated to the 270 people killed when the airplane exploded — all 259 on the plane and 11 on the ground.

Mrs. McLaughlin placed the wreath next to a lacrosse stick left by a visiting team from Syracuse University. Many students enrolled in the university's study abroad program were among those killed.

She told reporters later, "I would suggest the terrorists are not winning, if security is good and getting better. There are still problems ... but the probablity of attack has been reduced since Lockerbie because of technical advances and human resource.

"Nothing spoke so loudly as the silence of some of the Pan Am impact sites here. This makes us ever more determined that the people responsible for murdering men, women and children at 31,000 feet above this community are brought to justice."

During their four-day stay, commission members met with Transport Security Cecil Parkinson and security officials.

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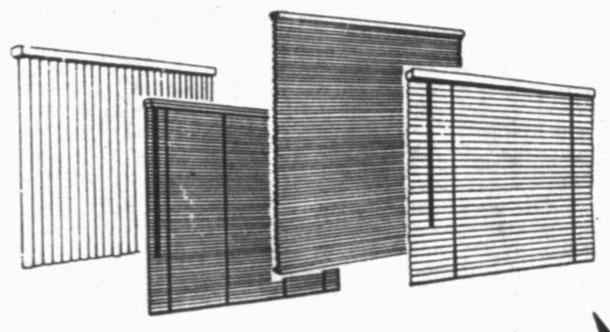

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Leona Helmsley steps out with her husband, Harry.

LEONA HELMSLEY

The dangerous hussy, brutal witch of the west?

Billionaire tax evader Leona Helmsley, in a recent visit with celebrity writer Glenn Plaskin, admits she's been reluctant to grant interviews since her August convicition. She was convicted of evading more than $1.2 million in federal taxes between 1983 and 1985, was sentenced to four years in prison and ordered to pay $1.7 million in fines and $1.7 million in back taxes, all to be followed by 250 hours of community service. She remains free, awaiting appeal.

By GLENN PLASKIN

Once upon a time, the Fred and Ginger of real estate relished making an MGM entrance before the likes of Barbara Walters, Frank Sinatra, Laurance Rockefeller and Douglas Fairbanks Jr.

Each March, on the downbeat of Eubie Blake's "I'm Just Wild About Harry," Leona Helmsley — a blur of pink chiffon, diamonds and voluptuous decolletage — would twirl into the Park Lane Hotel ballroom, led by her prize, birthday boy Harry, a stupendous dancer.

Into his ear, until 5 in the morning, Leona would whisper, "and Harry's wild about me ... the heavenly blisses of his kisses, fill me with ecstasy."

Then the curtain fell.

"There'll be no more 'I'm Just Wild About Harry' parties," Leona declares evenly, the jade-green eyes tearing. "That's gone."

After all, the real estate mogul worth $5 billion is past his prime, suffering from apparent memory losses caused by a series of small strokes. And the once-vibrant hostess, who dazzled 200 friends at Harry's annual party, is socially bankrupt.

"I have no friends," Leona announces nonchalantly. "But," she adds, picking up a photograph of her husband taken when he was an infant, "I have my Harry ... isn't he adorable?"

Pointing at dozens of silver-framed photographs decorating the ledge of the swimming pool in her Park Lane Hotel penthouse, she says, "I have my four grandchildren.

"And I have employees who, as you can see, hate me," she says, pulling from the zebra-covered couch albums filled with photos from recent hotel Christmas parties. "That is why they're hugging me," she concludes with a confident smile.

Not the brutal witch of the west. Not the dangerous hussy out on $25 million bail, the wicked siren found guilty of tax fraud and sentenced to four years in the clink, to be followed by 250 hours of community service. At least, not this day, in the graceful surroundings of her 10,000-square-foot pad.

"I do community service every day of my life," says the 69-year-old billionairess, decked out in pale pink wool, chunky pearls, and a dazzling smile.

"I've got a hotel down in Huntsville (Ala.)," she starts, the energy quickening, "and I'm seriously thinking of organizing regular retreats for teenagers with AIDS. I still can't believe people believe this is a homosexual disease."

Gossiping about the recent Donald-Ivana Trump impending divorce, hurrying to an Italian dinner with Harry, who has just finished a 90-minute dancing lesson, and joking about the possibility of doing a Jane Fonda-type workout tape, Leona, the felon, is also busy appealing her federal conviction, and facing a 188-count state indictment.

"I am IN-NO-CENT," she sings, "and I'm going to fight this." She's also going to continue tending to the 27 Helmsley hotels, the $1 billion empire where she's still the boss.

And what a boss. The alleged victimizer of 10,000 employees who shivered at the thought of a run-in with "Mama," Leona was supposedly also the intolerant friend, the legendarily abusive executive who shook down vendors for free TVs and veal chops.

Yet even now, with her head planted on the chopping block, the Marie Antoinette of hotel glitz, 70 this July, has gotten her second wind.

Trespassing a mountain range of emotions — from sarcastic quipster to tragic heroine — and invigorated by a 45-minute swim, the Queen of the Palace, in a two-hour marathon, discussed her fall from the throne:

Donald Trump has captured your headlines.

"Ahhhhh ... I'm in the divorce too."

You mean because he says he isn't "looking to create another Leona"?

"Then why did he model his wife after me? Why were the Trumps the first to RSVP at all my 'Wild About Harry' parties? I don't know what he wants from me. You never heard me say a bad word about Donald or Ivana Trump, even after they vilified me. I don't deal that way. I think people speak for themselves."

In fact, in the March "Playboy," Trump does speak about you, and not nicely.

"What could he say that's bad?"

Well: "She is a vicious, horrible woman who systematically destroyed the Helmsley name." (ob0)

"And I wouldn't believe him if his tongue were notarized. I think it's cruel to tear someone down — it's not human — and he may now get a taste of it himself."

He also says: "She (Leona Helmsley) is a living nightmare, and to be married to her must be like living in hell."

"He's obsessed with me ... crazy ... yet he modeled his wife after me. Really. When Ivana first came into my bedroom, years ago, she called Scalamondre Silks the next day and told them she wanted everything exactly the way I had it."

Is Ivana getting a raw deal?

"I happen to know he locked her out of the Plaza Hotel last Monday. And after 12 years of marriage and three children, he certainly owes her much more than $25 million. Very unfair."

Speaking of fair, Trump asserts that when you sold him the St. Moritz Hotel in 1985, he bested you, selling it three years later for a $100 million profit, and that you "ran that hotel badly."

"He did business with me? I never owned the St. Moritz, my husband owned it. I didn't negotiate any sale with him. He's got a vivid imagination. And with all the nonsense thrown at me at my trial, never once did anyone knock my hotels. They can't. A Helmsley Hotel shines and that's it."

You're used to controversy.

"No, no, I'm not used to controversy. The trial was unjust because I am innocent, no question about it."

So, apparently, is John Gotti, who gets off scot-free, while you get four years...

"... and $25 million bail. They're afraid I'm going to pull a heist. Ridiculous. And don't forget the $7 million fine, which I paid last Tuesday, and the 250 hours of community service — if I live that long. If I live that long."

With such a harsh sentence, what went wrong in your defense?

"The gag order went wrong, that's number one. I was not permitted to say anything, couldn't defend myself, couldn't even go to the ladies' room without my lawyer, who prevented me from testifying."

How difficult was it to just sit there listening?

"Very. It was horrendous to listen to former employees lying ... lying under oath."

Why did they lie?

"It all revolves around dollars and cents, which will come up in the next trial. Nobody testified on my behalf."

You're an aggressive businesswoman. Why did you not insist to your lawyer that you be allowed to defend yourself?

(Shouting) "I've never been indicted before! I was ignorant, not stupid! Now I'm fighting back!"

With what ammunition? (end ital)

"Three things: I know I'm innocent. I know we paid $344 million in taxes over five years. And I know we gave $143 million in charitable donations over 15 years, including $33 million to the Cornell Medical Center. I would like to know who comes close to that? And who did I steal from? From widows? From children?"

Yet your two closest financial aides, Joseph Licari and Frank Turco, pleaded guilty to helping you avoid $1.2 million in federal taxes.

"If they pleaded that way, they must be. But I pleaded not guilty, and I mean it."

But even your own defense attorney, Gerald Feffer, admitted that "altered or changed invoices were frequently used."

"I have no idea ... and what Gerald Feffer said doesn't have to be so. There is a lot of evidence that has not been presented."

What was your crime? (end ital)

"Breathing. I think the crime was that Harry and I were too much in the public eye. Our crime was the name Helmsley. There are political reasons why certain people wanted to destroy him. I can't say any more right now. ... Also, the ad campaign, which was very funny, took a bad turn. People thought, 'Some queen.' It shifted. What was a clever ad turned out to be a nightmare. That helped to set the tone."

In fact, your former ad agency gurus, Joyce Beber and Elaine Silverstein, were fired by you, though they claim you still owe them money.

"I made those two girls from Florida millionaires. ... They were the ones who said I shouldn't be paying for my own clothes —the ballgowns for the ads."

Speaking of deductions, are you saying unequivocably that you did not doctor invoices, did not make the Helmsley office buildings and hotels eat $3 million worth of personal expenses, that you take no blame for any of this?

"None. None. None. Zero. Zero. Zero. I have done nothing wrong. I have broken no law. Have you ever seen Mr. Helmsley's tax returns? They fill half a room. I get writer's cramp signing them. We have 62 accountants working for us. I'm not good in math, and I wasn't near the books. I run hotels."

You never charged your bras, your girdles, puzzles, and Itty Bitty Book Lights and the $45,681 clock in the shape of the Helmsley building to one of your businesses?

"I don't know. I don't know. When a check is put in front of me, I sign it. You want me to remember if I signed a check for puzzles? This is nonsense. I had three secretaries, which means I'm pretty busy running 27 hotels."

In Ransdell Pierson's "The Queen of Mean," you reportedly run your hotels with an iron whip, verbally abusing and humiliating any employee who gets out of line. Do you rule by fear?

"Who says they're fearful? If they're afraid of me, they're not doing their job. Would you like dirty ashtrays, would you like smoke in my lobbies, do you want to sleep in a dirty bed? If making sure that doesn't happen means being mean, or making them fearful, than I'm mean. That's their job. If they didn't want the job, they didn't have to take it. This is the United States of America."

The story goes that just before you come to work, employees scurry around in fear chanting: "Mama's coming. Mama's on her way." True?

"You don't believe that. Let me tell you something. I'm not there all night, and the letters from guests are nothing but applause. And 'Mama' ain't there. This is nonsense."

So when you're called "the Queen of Mean," your answer please?

"I'm not a queen and I'm not mean. The only one I'm royalty to is my husband. Nobody bowed to me — and queens don't work 18 hours a day."

Do you deny having a temper?

"I have a temper. Why wouldn't I? I'm normal. Do you have a temper?"

Yes, don't make me angry.

"So. You scratch me, you bet I have a temper."

But you're said to have a deadly temper.

"Have you seen any dead bodies around?"

What about the tales of Leona hiring contractors and then not paying them, or paying them only a fraction of their fee?

"Reaaaally. That's why I'm in trouble? I don't do that."

You never did that?

"Ohhhhh, I did not say that I had not done it ... when I find out they're cheating me — something that was supposed to cost $1 million winds up costing $2 million, that the money is being siphoned off. ... I can't talk about it."

But what about the story about water droplets found on your lettuce and your raging at waiters, slapping them in the face with the lettuce?

"That isn't true. I never hit anybody with the lettuce. And where would I do this? In the dining room?"

A crazy story?

"Yeah, well, who's the nut that said it?"

It's in the book; "The Queen of Mean."

"Ahhhhhh, he's sick. He is sick, that young man is sick. He wrote that to make money. And did you also read about how a butler serves me shrimp on a silver tray with each lap I swim? Most of that is crap."

So you don't call employees idiots constantly?

"Oh, come on. I have 10,000 employees, I may have fired 50 in 18 years. If I were a man, I would be called a good executive. I'm running a business. If I were such a terrible person I wouldn't have a girl in my home for eight years, my security man for 18, Geoffrey Lerigo, my executive vice president of Helmsley Hotels for 19 years, and my publicist for 20."

You're never inappropriately tough?

"When I am, I go to that person and say, 'I'm sorry, I was out of order, I had a bad day.' Last week I blew up at my girl, Barbara, and said, 'I'm sorry.'"

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DEATHS

J.T. Darsey

Funeral services for J.T. Darsey of Midland have been set for 3 p.m. Tuesday at Bellview Baptist Church with the Rev. G.A. Magee officiating.

Darsey

Darsey died Saturday at a local nursing home.

Born March 10, 1912, in Merkel, he was raised there and went on to attend the University of Texas for two years before moving to Abilene.

He married Oleta Moore Oct. 16, 1932, in Merkel. They lived in Abilene before moving to Midland in 1948. He was the retired founder and owner the West Texas Kitchens Mart.

Darsey had been a member of Bellview Baptist Church member since 1954 and became a deacon in 1956. He taught Sunday School there for more than 30 year.

Survivors include his wife; one son, David M. Darsey of Albuquerque, N.M.; one daughter, Linda (Mrs. Doug) Lusk of Walnut Creek, Calif.; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and six nephews and nieces.

Edwin Niedecken

Funeral services for Edwin Niedecken of Midland have been set for 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Calvary Assembly of God Church with Gayle Reeves, pastor, and Hoyt Milliken of Kelview Heights Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Niedecken died Saturday at his home.

Born Sept. 19, 1963, in Midland, he was raised here and graduated from Lee High School in 1983. He worked with his father in the roofing business.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis O. Niedecken of Midland; five brothers, Norman Niedecken of Tuscon, Ariz., Ronald Niedecken and Kelly Niedecken, both of Azle, and Clifford Niedecken and Jeffrey Allen Niedecken, both of Midland; four sisters, Lenda Sue (Mrs. Jay Ronald) Stanley, Wanona Ruth (Mrs. Carl) Hollums and Royce Earlene Brown, all of Midland and Teresa Diane Davis of Azle; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

William F. Hazelton

Memorial services for William F. Hazelton were Sunday. Arrangements were with Ellis Funeral Home.

Hazelton died Thursday at a local hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Ellen Hazelton of Brackettville; one son, William Hazelton II of Sonora; one daughter, Cynthia Edens of Midland; and seven grandchildren, a nephew and a great-niece,

The family requests memorials to the American Heart Association, 3525 Andrews Highway, Midland, or to Midland Christian School, 2001 Culver, Midland.

Aileen Mills

Funeral services for Aileen Mills of Midland were to be at 1:30 p.m. today at Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Jim Ray Brown of Calvary Baptist Church officiating. Burial was to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mills died Thursday in a local hospital.

Pallbearers are Danny Cobb, Steve Cobb, Darrell Curry, David Bledsoe, Tim Mantle and Junior Boiles.

Elwood Hisey

Services for Elwood Hisey are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Sunday at a local hospital.

ARMED FORCES NEWS

The 45th annual **"Gathering of the Eagles" of the 101st Airborne Division Association** will be in Washington, D.C. as part of the USA Airborne Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration. Host for the reunion is the National Capitol Area Chapter of the 101st Airborne Division Association. Glenn Hoppert, a District of Columbia Police Captain and Viet Nam Veteran of the 101st is reunion chairman.

Reunion headquarters is the Hyatt Regency Hotel near Capitol Hill and the dates are July 5-8.

For more information about the reunion, write the national headquarters of the 101st Airborne Division Association is 101 E. Morris St., Sweetwater, Tenn. 37874, or call 1-615-337-4103, where records for all members are maintained and where the Association magazine The Screaming Eagle is published for distribution to all members six times a year.

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Lt.Col. Martin C. Meissner, USAR-R (United States Army Reserves), was elected president of Chapter 105 of the Reserve Officers Association of the United States at a recent meeting held at the Midland International Airport. Other officers elected are: **Lt.Col. Orin W. Wade**, USAR, executive vice-president; **Maj. Bert Schuessler**, USAR, secretary-treasurer; **Maj. William S. Perkins**, USAR, executive committee-Army; **Lt.Col. Ron Gilbreath**, USMCR, executive committee-Navy-Marines; **LtC Niran Kellogg**, USAFR-R, executive committee-Air Force; **Lt.Col. Vincent Coffey**, USAR, vice president-Midland; **Lt.Col. Morris W. Williamson**, USAR, vice president-Odessa; **Maj. Richard Williams**, USAR, vice president-Big Spring; **Col. John S. Stiles**, USAR-R, vice president, Stanton-Lamesa; **Maj. Robert P. Pratt**, USAR, vice president, Andrews-Seminole; **Maj. Jerry Enmor**, USAR, vice president, Pecos-Monahans-McCamey.

The Reserve Officers Association of the United States is a volunteer, non-profit organization, chartered by the Congress of the United States with the purpose of education of its members and to promote adequate national security among among the U.S. Congress for the protection of the citizens of the United States.

Those interested in becoming a part of this organization are invited to contact Lt.Col. Meissner at 682-0605, or any of the other members for information.

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Air Force Airman Larry D. Bailey has arrived for duty at Beale Air Force Base, Calif.

Bailey is an apprentice security specialist with the 9th Security Police Squadron.

He is the son of Jerry D. Bailey of Vista, Calif., and Marguarite K. Bailey of Midland. The airman is a 1986 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School.

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Army National Guard Private Johnny J. Satterfield has completed the combat telecommunications center operator course at the U.S. Army Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

The course provides instruction for soldiers to type, transcribe, and process messages. They are also instructed to operate and maintain teletypewriters and other related equipment.

He is the son of Johnny J. Satterfield of Midland, and Donna M. Earl of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Aggravated robbery investigated

From Staff Reports

Police are investigating the apparent armed robbery Saturday of the Merit Food Store, 1800 N. Big Spring.

A man armed with a small-caliber handgun entered the store shortly before 8 a.m. and demanded money from the clerk, police reports show.

The suspect took about $200 from the cash register and an undetermined amount of cash from the store's back room, where the clerk had been counting money, according to reports.

The suspect is described as a black male in his 20s, about 5 feet 7 inches tall. He was wearing a dirty denim jacket and blue pants and fled the scene on foot, reports indicate.

No arrests have been made in the case, police department officials said today.

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LEONA

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But even your own defense attorney, Gerald Feffer, admitted that "altered or changed invoices were frequently used."

"I have no idea ... and what Gerald Feffer said doesn't have to be so. There is a lot of evidence that has not been presented."

What was your crime? (end ital)

"Breathing. I think the crime was that Harry and I were too much in the public eye. Our crime was the name Helmsley. There are political reasons why certain people wanted to destroy him. I can't say any more right now. ... Also, the ad campaign, which was very funny, took a bad turn. People thought, 'Some queen.' It shifted. What was a clever ad turned out to be a nightmare. That helped to set the tone."

In fact, your former ad agency gurus, Joyce Beber and Elaine Silverstein, were fired by you, though they claim you still owe them money.

"I made those two girls from Florida millionaires. ... They were the ones who said I shouldn't be paying for my own clothes —the ballgowns for the ads."

Speaking of deductions, are you saying unequivocably that you did not doctor invoices, did not make the Helmsley office buildings and hotels eat $3 million worth of personal expenses, that you take no blame for any of this?

"None. None. None. Zero. Zero. Zero. Zero. I have done nothing wrong. I have broken no law. Have you ever seen Mr. Helmsley's tax returns? They fill half a room. I get writer's cramp signing them. We have 62 accountants working for us. I'm not good in math, and I wasn't near the books. I run hotels."

You never charged your bras, your girdles, puzzles, and Itty Bitty Book Lights and the $45,681 clock in the shape of the Helmsley building to one of your businesses?

"I don't know. I don't know. When a check is put in front of me, I sign it. You want me to remember if I signed a check for puzzles? This is nonsense. I had three secretaries, which means I'm pretty busy running 27 hotels."

In Ransdell Pierson's "The Queen of Mean," you reportedly run your hotels with an iron whip, verbally abusing and humiliating any employee who gets out of line. Do you rule by fear?

"Who says they're fearful? If they're afraid of me, they're not doing their job. Would you like dirty ashtrays, would you like smoke in my lobbies, do you want to sleep in a dirty bed? If making sure that doesn't happen means being mean, or making them fearful, than I'm mean. That's their job. If they didn't want the job, they didn't have to take it. This is the United States of America."

The story goes that just before you come to work, employees scurry around in fear chanting: "Mama's coming. Mama's on her way." True?

"You don't believe that. Let me tell you something. I'm not there all night, and the letters from guests are nothing but applause. And 'Mama' ain't there. This is nonsense."

So when you're called "the Queen of Mean," your answer please?

"I'm not a queen and I'm not mean. The only one I'm royalty to is my husband. Nobody bowed to me — and queens don't work 18 hours a day."

Do you deny having a temper?

"I have a temper. Why wouldn't I? I'm normal. Do you have a temper?"

Yes, don't make me angry.

"So. You scratch me, you bet I have a temper."

But you're said to have a deadly temper.

"Have you seen any dead bodies around?"

What about the tales of Leona hiring contractors and then not paying them, or paying them only a fraction of their fee?

"Reaaaally. That's why I'm in trouble? I don't do that."

You never did that?

"Ohhhhh, I did not say that I had not done it ... when I find out they're cheating me — something that was supposed to cost $1 million winds up costing $2 million, that the money is being siphoned off. ... I can't talk about it."

But what about the story about water droplets found on your lettuce and your raging at waiters, slapping them in the face with the lettuce?

"That isn't true. I never hit anybody with the lettuce. And where would I do this? In the dining room?"

A crazy story?

"Yeah, well, who's the nut that said it?"

It's in the book, "The Queen of Mean."

"Ahhhhhh, he's sick. He is sick, that young man is sick. He wrote that to make money. And did you also read about how a butler serves me shrimp on a silver tray with each lap I swim? Most of that is crap."

So you don't call employees idiots constantly?

"Oh, come on. I have 10,000 employees, I may have fired 50 in 18 years. If I were a man, I would be called a good executive. I'm running a business. If I were such a terrible person I wouldn't have a girl in my home for eight years, my security man for 18, Geoffrey Lerigo, my executive vice president of Helmsley Hotels for 19 years, and my publicist for 20."

You're never inappropriately tough?

"When I am, I go to that person and say, 'I'm sorry, I was out of order, I had a bad day.' Last week I blew up at my girl, Barbara, and said, 'I'm sorry.'"

But even your lawyer, Gerald Feffer, in his defense strategy, called you a "tough bitch."

"I didn't know that was coming. I was never consulted. I couldn't fire him, but he's not handling the appeal. He could have said that in (more dignified) English."

Are you happy with your new attorney, Alan Dershowitz?

"I'm not happy, I'm overjoyed. He's listening. We communicate."

If your appeal fails, and they say Leona is going to jail, would you go?

"It's impossible. It can't happen. It cannot happen. The appeal can't fail. The truth works. The evidence is overwhelmingly in my favor, when it comes out."

You stood in front of Judge Walker sobbing the day he passed judgment, literally begging him...

"...for mercy. Yes, I begged him to have some mercy for my husband ... (tears) My husband needs me. But there was no mercy ... not from him."

So what's gotten you through all this, therapy?

"I never did want to go. I have faith that my innocence will absolutely surface. Also, my husband needs me and that's a very big incentive for me. I love him. Never been apart one night in 18 years ... and he's not going to be that lucky to get one night away.

How is Harry Helmsley? (end ital)

"No way he could have physically survived the trial ... it would have killed him. But he's still swimming every day, and goes into the office sometimes, though he doesn't have to work. I don't think a man of 80 should go in every day."

Although you still have your husband, you've said the last four years have nonetheless wrecked your life, that you're all alone, that you've lost everything.

"I didn't say I was all alone, ever. I have my husband and, God willing, I will not be alone at any time in my life."

Is the money any comfort to you?

"Sure, the lawyers need it ... some comfort, yes, of course. I needed $7 million in cash today for a fine."

In the worst-case scenario, even if you did evade taxes, why in the world would you have done it?

"That's the $64 million question. I wouldn't. I have more money than I'll ever spend in my lifetime."

But Judge Walker said you were motivated by "naked greed."

"Do you think I'm greedy? How could I be greedy? In food? I'm not that fat. Look at the taxes we paid, the charity donations we made. (end ital)

What have you lost?

"I've lost, temporarily, my dignity, my reputation. But I will get them back."

How did you survive the humiliating circus atmosphere of the trial?

"I kept telling myself, 'You've had a worse day than this.'"

Have you really?

"Yes, the day I lost my son. Nothing could be as bad. His death hit me in the solar plexus, in my heart and all over my body. It still does."

After your son Jay died, in 1982, at age 41, the public had a hard time understanding your vendetta against his third wife. Why did you disinherit her and kick her out of her house?

"The house didn't belong to her, or to my son. It belonged to the business. How could we let her stay in the house?"

Where was the poor thing to go, with one of your grandchildren, no less?

"Poor thing? She had a house. And she was not the mother of my grandchild. My son had one of his kids from a former marriage living with him. When Jay died, she shooed him out. Every one of those children have a trust fund I established one year after I married Harry."

You don't think you were too vindictive?

"It's not vindictive when somebody fraudulently signs your dead son's name to get bonds. She wound up with the same income she had before she met Jay — nothing. I had no sympathy for her. She took terrible care of my son, never cooked a meal, got up at 2 in the afternoon, and drew a Dun & Bradstreet on Mr. Helmsley before she decided to go after him. I told her, 'If anything happens to that boy, you'll go out the way you came in, with nothing.'"

But he had a serious heart condition and she wasn't a doctor.

"She wasn't a wife, either. I'd like to know what she was. You should have seen her at his funeral — looked like she was going to a ball. Probably thought she'd meet somebody there. It was a nice crowd."

Why did she marry him? (end ital)

"Money."

People could say that when you went after Harry Helmsley, back in 1972, you were after his money.

"No, they couldn't. They couldn't. I give my husband love. I take superb care of him. He's my career."

Who's the boss in the marriage?

"My husband. Harry has always been the final word. I like being told what to do."

But you're always telling him to uncross his legs.

"Yes, that's good health. It's unhealthy to cross your legs."

Did you feel any guilt taking him away from Eve, his wife of 33 years?

"What does that have to do with me? I was working for Harry when we met in 1969, not sleeping with the man. I guess he was married — sure he was married. But I didn't ask him. That wasn't my affair. When he asked me one night if I would go out with him, I said, 'No. You're married, you're a Quaker, and you're my boss. Not a very good combination.' And he said, 'I'm getting a divorce.'"

Why?

"Because she wanted to move into an old-age home. That you never heard, huh? She went, and wanted Harry to go with her. He was 60 at the time. We were married six months later. Harry was not a liar, and that was a lovely trait for me."

Had you ever experienced true love before Harry, with your other two husbands?

"Of course not. This man has given me the only happiness I've known in my entire life. My first husband (Leo Panzirer) didn't; my second husband (Joe Lubin) was a pathological liar."

Lubin says: "Money was Leona's god ... she didn't give a damn about me ... only about getting to the top."

"He was ill, ill, ill, ill, ill ... sick, he's a liar, Mr. Lubin. I never mention him. I'm not very proud of him. That's why I stayed single for 12 years after him. Mr. Lubin gave me zero. Ask him. Money, money, money. Well, I didn't get any from him! And he wanted me to give him $50 a week. I had a son to raise."

On another subject, it's been written that you never had much family feeling toward your two sisters, Sondra and Sylvia...

"My foot."

... that you never even attended Sondra's funeral.

"Wait a minute. I didn't go to her funeral because I was forbidden to go by her son. Now look at that; they forgot to tell you that. Shucks. That hurt me very, very much and I'm taking the blame. It stinks. I'd be a real stinker not to go to my sister's funeral. And nobody took care of Sylvia except Leona. She had diabetes and my husband gave $50,000 to get her into the Rusk Institute. Now my brother Alvin is sick — he's had two heart attacks, two brain operations. Talk about rough."

With your son gone, your two sisters gone, your parents gone, your husband ill, you've lost a great deal. Do you believe in God?

"Of course I do ... I haven't visited my father's grave for 43 consecutive years because I'm an atheist."

Finally, do you believe in reincarnation?

"Yes. I do. Why do leaves come back on trees? They die every year. I think I'm going to be an angel soon ... (laughter) ... taking all this punishment. My husband believes when you're dead, you're dead. Although he doesn't know it, I'm going to find him again!"

Glenn Plaskin is a writer for Tribune Media Services.

Hot-air balloon trek ends too soon

DUMAS (AP) — A hot-air balloonist's latest attempt to break a world record ended on the plains of Texas, but his wife said that won't stop him from having another go at it.

Bill Bussey left a ranch in Moriarty, N.M., shortly after noon Saturday and was forced to land north of Dumas near the Texas-Oklahoma border about five hours later because of 38-knot winds, his wife, Debra, said.

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A propane tanker, part of a train derailment near Emhouse Saturday, continues to burn Sunday. Firefighters decided to allow the liquid propane tanker fire to extinguish itself, fearing that dousing unseen hot spots in the tanker might cause additional explosions.

3 families kept away as propane burns

EMHOUSE (AP) — Propane from a derailed tanker continued to burn today while three families who live near the wrecked train remained away from home for a third day.

A huge fireball rushed out of the tanker when it derailed along with 23 other cars of the 42-car train Saturday morning near Emhouse, about 40 miles south of Dallas.

Firefighters were draining the liquid propane from the tank car into a pit where it continued to burn, said Corsicana Fire Chief Troy England. He said crews continued to douse the car with water.

"The tank car is not burning. The firefighters have tapped it (propane) off into a pit and are flaring it off in the pit while the tank car is cooled," said England.

Firefighters under the supervision of the Texas Railroad Commission pumped water into the tanker to cool down hot spots.

Authorities kept three families living within a one-half mile radius of the blaze away from their homes today, said England. When the derailment occurred, residents within a two-mile radius had been evacuated.

Officials had worried that a spilled car of sodium chlorate powder, located 50 feet from the tanker, would also ignite.

"Sodium chlorate is an oxidizer," said Corsicana Fire Capt. Darrell Stevenson. "If there is any fire around, it just enhances the fire. The fire will burn more intensely."

Emtech Environmental Services Inc., a hazardous chemicals team, covered the car containing sodium chlorate and the surrounding area with a plastic tarp Sunday, when light rain fell. A violent smoldering reaction occurs when sodium chlorate gets wet.

Nobody was injured in the accident, and the three crew members, whose names haven't been released, underwent drug tests, a normal procedure following train derailments. The results haven't been made public.

The train, bound for Houston from Tulsa, Okla., lost its last 24 cars on a curve, said John Grundmann, superintendent of operations for Fort Worth-based Burlington Northern, which owns the train.

2-year-olds in foster home after being left unattended

HOUSTON (AP) — Two-year-old twin girls remain in a foster home after being left at a convenience store over the weekend reportedly by their mother, police said.

A woman who said she was the girls' mother called Harris County Children's Protective Services Sunday morning, but has not checked in with police, Officer R.E. Sisk said.

"We know who she is and know who (the girls) are," Sisk said, but declined to release their names.

Other people claiming to be relatives of the girls also called Children's Protective Services, according to spokeswoman Judy Hay.

Sisk said investigators will have to talk to the mother before deciding whether to file charges.

"We really have to talk to her and determine the exact circumstances," he said.

In order to file child abandonment charges, children must be left unattended and the parent must not have any intention of returning, he said.

"It'll probably be a matter handled by CPS as to what the best welfare is for the children," he said.

A caller Saturday told police she had been asked by the girls' mother to watch her children for a short while at a convenience store near Hobby Airport. The caller said she believed the mother would return shortly, but finally called police after waiting more than four hours at the store.

Sisk said the caller had never met the woman and didn't know the children.

The mother returned to the store later Saturday, and didn't appear upset when the caller told her the children had been taken into police custody, said Yasmeen Khan, a clerk at the store.

Sisk said the girls were bathed and given clean clothes at the downtown police station.

Boy apparently tried as adult at age 13

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DALLAS (AP) — A 17-year-old Vietnamese immigrant is doing time as an adult in prison, but officials say if there was a mistake in the sentencing, they will correct it, a newspaper reported.

Luan Van Hoang was tried as an adult at age 13 four years ago and sentenced to 38 years in prison for armed robbery, The Dallas Morning News said Sunday.

Luan said he told police his name was Michael Nguyen and that he was 17 to avoid being returned to a California home for juvenile offenders.

"We're happy to know this," said Dallas County District Attorney John Vance. "If he is in fact a juvenile, he has no business being in our prison as an adult."

Texas Department of Correction officials said they are also investigating the case.

"There are errors all the time," said TDC spokesman Charles Brown. "If there's an error, we're not opposed to correcting it. I don't think it's our error, though."

After reviewing records obtained by The Morning News that show Luan was a juvenile, Vance Friday took steps to return the boy to Dallas to determine whether he should remain in prison.

Luan is at the maximum-security Wynne prison in Huntsville with men, many of them twice his age, serving time for murder and other violent crimes.

He said some of the men have tried to attack him sexually.

"I looked young," Luan said. "If you are weak, they will try. They did try. They see I am different. I was scared. They tried to hurt me. I tried to protect myself."

Texas prisons are limited to adult convicts and juvenile convicts 15 and older who are certified to stand trial as adults. Offenders under 15 are supposed to be tried in juvenile courts and, if found delinquent, sent to Texas Youth Commission centers.

Luan's father, Tien Van Hoang, wrote state District Judge Jack Hampton, who presided over Luan's trial, that his son was underage.

"Nobody answer," said the Moreno Valley, Calif., man. "Nobody write to me anything."

TDC officials know Luan only as Michael Nguyen. Brown said Nguyen's file shows a birth date of Jan. 8, 1968, and identifies his father as Tien Van Hoang.

The boy, who'd lived in the United States for four years and had limited knowledge of the legal system when arrested, said he believed Vietnamese friends who told him that lying about his age would result in probation.

Neither the boy nor his family has a copy of his birth certificate.

"When I escape from Vietnam by boat, everything was lost," said Tien, who was in the South Vietnamese Army and was imprisoned by the communists after the fall of Saigon in 1975.

He escaped from prison. In 1982, he and his family sailed to the United States.

According to U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service documents, Luan was born on Oct. 10, 1972, in South Vietnam. California public school records give the same date.

"It would appear to me ... that this person has been illegally sentenced and should be released if you can prove his age," said Ron Jackson, executive director of the Texas Youth Commission.

Luce, Richards, White endorsed by papers

DALLAS (AP) — Republican gubernatorial hopeful Tom Luce isn't gobbling up sound bites on television, but he is quietly amassing endorsements from large Texas newspapers, which say he is the best man to lead the GOP ticket.

In Sunday editions, The Dallas Morning News, Austin American-Statesman, San Antonio Light and San Antonio Express-News all endorsed Luce, a Dallas attorney and the last of the four GOP candidates to enter the March 13 primary race.

The Morning News and San Antonio Light also endorsed former Gov. Mark White on the Democratic slate Sunday. The Express-News and American-Statesman endorsed State Treasurer Ann Richards.

Richards and Luce were endorsed by the Abilene Reporter-News Feb. 11.

In its endorsement of Luce, the Morning News editorial said: "The choice should depend on more than carefully packaged images in political ads. The choice should depend on who has the experience and ability to lead Texas in the next decade. That choice should be Tom Luce."

The Morning News cited Luce's leadership in passing sweeping education reforms in 1984, service on Gov. Bill Clements' War on Drugs Committee in 1981 and his success in securing funding for the super collider in 1989 as reasons to vote for the first-time political candidate.

The American-Statesman said Luce "learned state government from the outside, but unlike some of the other candidates for governor, he understands state government well."

Of White, the Morning News said: "He offers a record of progressive reform in the all-important field of education. He has had experience handling the heat and headaches of the governor's job."

The Express-News commended Ms. Richards' work as state treasurer.

"She followed a record of achievement in her present office, she also provides leadership and experience plus a valuable sense of humor," the Express-News said.

The Reporter-News gave Ms. Richards high marks for "running the state treasury with greater efficiency and without a whiff of questionable behavior."

The Austin paper said Ms. Richards has proven in her years of public service that she is "a capable manager — a crucial quality as Texas looks at a changing economic future."

The Republican race for governor includes Luce, Clayton Williams, Kent Hance and Jack Rains. Ms. Richards, White and Jim Mattox are running for the Democratic nomination.

Aviation fuel tax won't fly with big airlines

HOUSTON (AP) — An aviation fuel tax would generate enough funding to resurrect deteriorating airports in the state, but the idea has little chance against a powerful airline lobbying effort, two state lawmakers say.

"We're about to lose a bunch of our small airports, which are a great economic development asset for Texas," State Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, told the Houston Chronicle. "We're the only state in the union that doesn't tax aviation fuel."

Rep. Sam Russell, D-Mount Pleasant, who introduced the aviation fuel tax bill last March, said 75 percent of the potential revenue would be earmarked for airport projects and the remaining 25 percent would be set aside for education.

"It's a thing that is probably going to be looked at pretty strongly again in light of all the education funding concerns we're going to face," he said.

But Parker and other legislators and state officials say the airlines — which pay aviation fuel taxes in other states — have successfully buried the tax proposal in the last two legislative sessions.

"You've got a very charismatic fellow running Southwest Airlines and he's hired some nice fellows to lobby who've done a good job," said Parker, referring to Southwest Chairman Herb Kelleher. "That's a prime example of how special interests dominate the Legislature.

"As a result, an elderly couple driving across Texas and poor people riding the bus are paying a fuel tax, but rich folks drinking whiskey and riding first-class in an airplane are not paying a penny's worth."

Parker said some of the publicly owned airports can no longer operate at night because of deficient lighting and are losing business because of runways in disrepair.

About a third of the 262 city-owned airports in that state have deteriorated since the state canceled a modest airport grant program three years ago, the Chronicle reported Sunday.

The program was revived this year when the state Legislature appropriated $1 million, but the amount was so small and the pent-up needs so pressing that the Texas Department of Aviation board spent the entire year's grant budget at its January meeting, the newspaper said.

Kelleher has been touting a recently released economic study he commissioned as chairman of the Partnership for Improved Air Travel, a national organization formed to influence aviation policies.

High-profile Hightower draws fire, opponents

AUSTIN (AP) — For a guy holding a low-ranking state office, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower enjoys a high profile.

Democrats put him on their national convention podium. President Bush's son endorsed one of his Republican rivals. GOP lawmakers tried to abolish his job. The Texas Farm Bureau tried and failed to get Texas Rangers pitcher Nolan Ryan to run as a Republican against him, then sponsored six farmers to challenge him in the Democratic primary March 13.

He's even been blamed for the coming invasion of killer bees.

Through it all, Hightower has kept his trademark sense of humor.

"There's an old East Texas saying that a lie is halfway around the world before the truth can get its boots on. We're getting our boots on early because they're going to be telling a lot of lies," he said.

After reports of an apparently bogus news release being circulated that blamed Hightower for failing to stop killer bees moving north from Central America, he quipped, "I'm going to have to start wearing pest strip on my lapel as I go around, just to get through this election."

Other criticism has been more serious.

Republicans and conservative Democrats have accused the self-proclaimed populist of using the agriculture job to promote his own political future rather than the work of Texas farmers and ranchers.

Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower

The Dallas Morning News said last week that $6,600 in contributions were made to Hightower's campaign by seed and grain dealers after they were visited by an agriculture department employee who was accompanied by a consultant soliciting for the campaign.

Hightower denies knowing about the solicitations.

Adopting the nickname "Whole Hog," Hightower was elected in 1982. He quickly became a Democratic spokesman against President Reagan's farm policies with such lines as, "Reagan's idea of a good farm program is 'Hee Haw.'"

He was one of the few white politicians to back Jesse Jackson's 1988 presidential bid and talked of challenging Republican U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm this year.

Instead, he opted to seek a third four-year term, saying he wants to keep pushing innovative economic development efforts that include alternative crops and direct marketing.

His department has encouraged farmers to plant everything from Christmas trees to wine grapes. It started a "Taste of Texas" national promotion to help small producers sell everything from smoked sausage to hot sauce. It helped Panhandle grain farmers start a flour mill.

"It's a philosophy of economic development at the grass-roots level," he said. "We've been able to turn loose the enterprise of, really, thousands of Texas producers in a way that demonstrates that this new agricultural model actually works."

But he made enemies, too.

When the U.S. Department of Agriculture balked over European demands for beef free of artificial growth hormones, Hightower moved to establish a state program to certify such meat. That brought cries from the White House and the Texas Farm Bureau, which charged that he was giving credibility to what they consider false fears about hormones and making traditional ranchers look bad.

Hightower's aggressive stance on pesticide regulation won praise from farm workers. It also brought efforts to turn his elected job into an appointive one. Conservative legislators lost that battle, but they did create a new pesticide regulation board on which Hightower is but one member of nine.

Looking for a big name to go against Hightower, Republicans urged former Dallas Cowboys running back Walt Garrison to run. The Farm Bureau sought Ryan. Neither took up the challenge.

When Republican state Rep. Rick Perry entered the race, Hightower replied, "I thought they were talking about Gaylord Perry," the retired pitcher.

Other Republican hopefuls are Gene Duke, a cotton seed businessman, and consultant Richard McIver.

All six Democratic primary challengers are farmers or ranchers who paid their $3,000 filing fees with contributions from the Farm Bureau's political arm. They are Neal Burnett, Dan Pustejovsky, Dan Krenek, John Earl Smith, Paul McDaniel and Clyde Chandler.

"The incumbent commissioner has no practical farming or ranching experience," said Farm Bureau official Vernie Glasson.

"Texas farmers and ranchers deserve to have one of their own as agriculture commissioner," said Perry, a former Democrat who expects to raise $2 million to $3 million.

STATE IN BRIEF

Pro-gun group rejects Dallas police proposal

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Police Department's suggestion that Texas enact a waiting period for people wanting to buy guns drew verbal fire from the Texas State Rifle Association.

The proposal for a 10- to 14-day waiting period on the sale of firearms is among 64 steps to fight drugs Police Chief Mack Vines will present to City Council Wednesday.

"There is no sympathy for such a bill in the Legislature," said David M. Edmondson, executive director of the 25,000-member Texas State Rifle Association, which is affiliated with the National Rifle Association.

The Dallas Police report says the waiting period on the purchase of guns would allow a record check on the buyer before the weapon is delivered.

"We have seen this kind of thing requested before, and it is almost always at the request of police associations and union," Edmondson said. "But when we talk to the rank-and-file police officers, the ones who are actually on the street ... they don't agree with the position taken by their own police association or union."

In 1988, the Dallas City Council endorsed a bill for a waiting period, but the measure failed during the last legislative session.

Bishop College on block

DALLAS (AP) — Assets of the failed Bishop College go on the auction block Friday after the last of the schemes to rescue the 108-year-old school fell short, officials say.

The top bidder will acquire 22 buildings and 131 acres at the former college in South Oak Cliff for a price of at least $1 million, liquidators said Sunday.

Bishop, founded by former slaves, closed its doors in 1988 and studies show it will take $40 million to $90 million to renovate the campus. The auction was scheduled by a federal bankruptcy court.

More than one dozen prospective buyers from across the country, including some state educational institutions, have asked about the property, said Dick Ritchie, president of Assets Liquidators, which will auction the college in conjunction with Brunson and Associates.

"We hope the college sells in aggregate," said Ritchie, "but we're trying to achieve the best dollar. ... We certainly hope it remains an educational institution."

Bishop College will first be parceled into 11 tracts and offered in pieces, said Ritchie. If no successful bids are received, the college will go on the block as one property.

Absentee voting begins

HOUSTON (AP) — The absentee voting period for the March 13 primaries begins this week and political strategists are targeting it as a way to win close elections or guarantee victories for front-runners with strong leads.

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Laura Florez, 1990 Srta. Hispana Del Permian Basin, and Tina Sanders, Miss Midland USA, escorted the models onto stage during the "Hearts on Parade" All-Male Fashion Show benefit Saturday. Both queens will compete in the Miss Texas USA Pageant in San Antonio in July.

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The hit of the "Hearts on Parade" All-Male Fashion Show was a group of models known as the "Terrible Ten." They delighted the audience with their dancing rendition of "I Heard it Through the Grape Vine," sporting tuxedos from Janee's Evening Wear and Tuxedos, sashes bearing the names of their sponsors, some wearing top hats and all in Blues Brothers style with dark sunglasses. Above, three members of the "Terrible Ten" are Joe Sena sponsored by AT&T, Karl Reagan sponsored by the Midland Softball Association, and the audience's favorite, Willie Taylor sponsored by Private Industry Council.

'Terrible Ten' top benefit's fashion show

By ELIZABETH EDWIN
Lifestyle Editor

Midland Center was aglow in red and white Saturday evening in honor of the third annual "Hearts of Parade" All-Male Fashion Show and Charity Ball presented by the Women's Department of the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (MHCC).

Approximately 325 people attended the event, many dressed in evening gowns and tuxedos. Elvia Hernandez, executive director of MHCC, said she expected the fund-raiser to net about $7,500, including a $2,000 scholarship fund donation from Coors. Proceeds from the benefit will go toward the scholarship fund and other community projects.

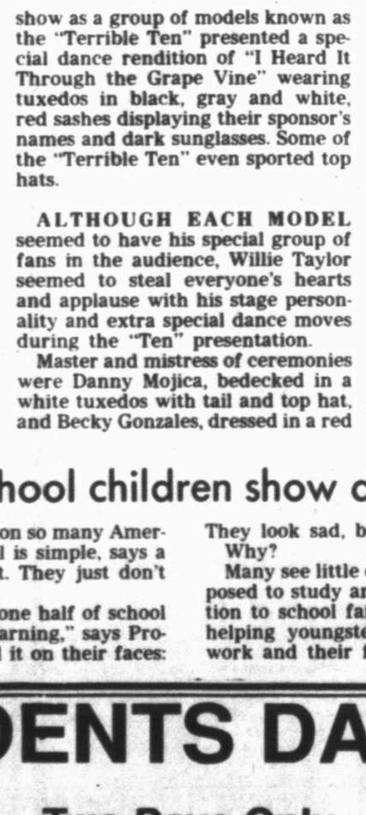
Heart decorations were everywhere, bedecking the runway and the tables. Each table was adorned with a red cloth sprinkled with silver glitter and topped with a top hat filled with red and pink tissue paper and a heart featuring a sponsor's name. The stage and T-shaped runway were lined with pink candles encased in glass globes, and a large balloon heart hung above the stage. Three large silhouettes of couples lined one wall of Midland Center.

THE EVENING BEGAN at 6:30 p.m. with a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres. At 7:40 p.m., the fun began with the All-Male Fashion Show featuring Midland celebrity models. Sportswear was the first category presented with fashions from Oshman's Sporting Goods. Brightly colored clothing for every sport from tennis to skateboarding was presented, sometimes even with a brief sporting demonstration by the models.

Next, business attire from KG Menswear was presented, featuring the latest in suits all handsomely accessorized with coordinating ties and pocket squares.

To provide a short break in the fashion show, Midlander Darrell Sutton of Miasha Sutton Star Recordings sang several songs he composed.

Following Sutton's performance, evening wear from Janee's Evening Wear & Tuxedo, was the hit of the show as a group of models known as the "Terrible Ten" presented a special dance rendition of "I Heard It Through the Grape Vine" wearing tuxedos in black, gray and white, red sashes displaying their sponsor's names and dark sunglasses. Some of the "Terrible Ten" even sported top hats.



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Becky Gonzales, chairperson and mistress of ceremonies for the event, was named "Sweetheart of the Year" by the Women's Department of the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

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Jose Rodriguez and Rosa Rodriguez enjoy dancing to the sounds of Fandango USA at the "Hearts on Parade" Charity Ball to benefit the scholarship fund of the Women's Department of the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

ALTHOUGH EACH MODEL seemed to have his special group of fans in the audience, Willie Taylor seemed to steal everyone's hearts and applause with his stage personality and extra special dance moves during the "Ten" presentation.

Master and mistress of ceremonies were Danny Mojica, bedecked in a white tuxedos with tail and top hat, and Becky Gonzales, dressed in a red sequined gown — both from Janee's and in keeping with the "Hearts On Parade" theme.

SPECIAL GUESTS WERE Tina Sanders, 1990 Miss Midland USA, and Laura Florez, 1990 Srta. Hispana Del Permian Basin, both who will compete in the Miss Texas USA Pageant in San Antonio in July. The queens escorted the models onto the stage during the fashion show. Ms. Florez was presented with a $200 scholarship made possible by each model making a $20 donation.

Each member of the Women's Department of the MHCC was introduced and Ms. Gonzales was named the group's "Sweetheart of the Year." It also was announced that Ms. Gonzales had accepted a new reporting and anchoring position in Corpus Christi and will be leaving the Permian Basin soon.

"You just gave it (the Sweetheart award) to me because I'm leaving," Ms. Gonzales said, as she accepted the honor. "It has been a pleasure and an honor to be chairperson for 'Hearts on Parade.' ... I will miss the Permian Basin."

ONCE THE FASHION show and presentations were complete, the runway was removed to make way for dancing to the sounds of Fandango USA of Corpus Christi. The group performed a variety of music, including the *combia*, until 1 a.m.

The evening was even videotapped by Pro Image Video and Film Productions. Tapped copies of the event were available for $15.

Models for the 1990 All-Male Fashion Show and their sponsors were John Castro, Southwestern Bell; J.D. Faircloth, Southwestern Mobile Systems; Joe Jimenez, TU Electric; Joe Sena, AT&T; Freddie Rios of Houston, TAMACC; Ricardo Torres, Texas Instruments; Willie Taylor, Private Industry Council; Guy McCrary, NCNB; Mark Dettman, County Attorney; Karl Reagan, Midland Softball Association; Chris Knipp, Mobil Oil; Forrest Allen, ARCO; Jay Hendricks, Channel 9; Skip Baldwin, Channel 2; Gary Ott, Midland Reporter-Telegram; Hank Wurtz, First City, Texas; Abel Salazar, Knights of Columbus; George Logan, City of Midland; and Felipe Morales, Morales Insurance.

David Jones, sponsored by Clay-Desta National Bank, was scheduled to be a model, but due to the recent air plane crash and death of five Midland men in a MU-2 twin-engine turboprop owned by Clayton Williams, he was unable to attend.

ORGANIZERS FOR THE event were Ms. Gonzales, chairperson; Celia Morales, Lydia Massey and Carrie Salazar, models; Ms. Hernandez, arrangements; Felipa Lara, registration and food; Julia Castro, advertisements; Cindy Madrid, door prizes; and Lydia Evaro Torres, choreographer. President of the MHCC is Charlene Romero Wurtz.

Merchants who contributed items for door prizes included JC Penney Co., Holiday Inn Country Villa, El Chico Restaurant, Ramada Inn, Buddy's Flowers, Tampico Spanish Inn, Sears, Record Bar, Computer Land, Bill Williams Sports, Michael's Burgers and Red Lobster.

The Women's Department of the MHCC is a Permian Basin area organization dedicated to promote the effectiveness and advancement of women in public, corporate and civic life. Any woman interested in becoming a member should call 682-2960 or go by MHCC.

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Singer Wally Garza of Fandango USA of Corpus Christi made the audience swoon with a variety of tunes at the third annual "Hearts on Parade" Charity Ball Saturday at the Midland Center.

Many American school children show dislike of learning

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — The reason so many American children don't do well in school is simple, says a University of Rochester psychologist. They just don't care.

"Somewhere between a third and one half of school children show a disaffection with learning," says Professor James Connell. "You can read it on their faces: They look sad, bored, resentful."

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Birthday wishes go to Gorbachev from U.S.

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Mikhail Gorbachev will be 59 years old on March 2, 1990. I am in the process of making a birthday card for him that will measure 2½ feet high by 59 feet long. It will bear the signatures of some 2,000 well-wishers, mostly from San Diego.

Van Buren

Perhaps some of your readers would like to send him a birthday card, too — not as large as the one I'm sending, but just a regular-size card, or even a postcard, to let him know that we Americans and Canadians think he's doing one terrific job of trying to turn things around in Eastern Europe. I think the least we can do is to wish him well on his 59th birthday. What do you think, Abby?

His address is: Mikhail S. Gorbachev
President of the Soviet of the USSR
The Kremlin, Moscow, U.S.S.R.

Thank you very much, Abby. — DAVID C. GRAHAM, SAN DIEGO

DEAR DAVID: I think it's a great idea! Your birthday card is sure to make a big impression, and if thousands of others send birthday greetings, it will make an even bigger impression! I'm sending "Gorby" my card today.

DEAR ABBY: My husband is a waiter in a five-star restaurant in a large city. Last evening a party came in just as the restaurant was closing. They were seated, and served graciously by my husband. Five courses and two hours later, when the host was given his check, he looked at my husband and said, "I hope you don't mind staying around a little while longer — this is such a nice place." Then he proceeded to sit there for another hour.

Of course, my husband couldn't answer honestly — so I will. My husband had been there since 4 p.m. He gave you first-class service for which you gave him a 12 percent tip, when it should have been 20 percent. My husband is a student who has early morning classes.

Don't you realize that when you come into a place of business five minutes before closing time, the person serving you has been there for many hours — so you shouldn't stay any longer than is absolutely necessary?

My husband also thinks the restaurant is a lovely place — but so is his home. Too bad you don't feel the same way about yours. — TONY'S WIFE, ANYWHERE, USA

DEAR WIFE: I hear you, and I hope millions of others will too. People who show the greatest consideration for waiters, waitresses and salesclerks are those whose feet have walked 100 miles in your husband's well-worn shoes.

DEAR ABBY: My friend is planning to have a 25th wedding anniversary celebration, and it's going to be exactly like her first wedding. She's having most of her original bridesmaids and ushers, and she's adding her 4-year-old granddaughter as her flower girl. She's going to wear a brand-new wedding gown (white!) with a veil. She and her husband will go through the marriage ceremony and renew their vows, and the son of the preacher who married them will officiate. (The preacher is dead.) Oh, yes, she also wants to have people throw rice at her and her husband when they leave the church — just like newlyweds. Of course, there will be a lavish reception afterward.

What do you think, Abby? Is this in good taste or not? I would like to know if this is being done by other people because I have never heard of celebrating a 25th wedding anniversary this way. It is going to be like a rerun.

It's none of my business, but with so many hungry and homeless people around today, I would think they would be ashamed. She and her husband are footing the bill. What is your opinion? — JUST ASKING

DEAR JUST: I think your friend's plans for her 25th wedding anniversary are lovely. Many couples renew their marriage vows as part of the celebration of an anniversary, and if they can afford to make the occasion even more elaborate than their wedding, what's the harm? By the way, perhaps they also give money for the hungry and homeless. And if they do not, it is their business — not mine or yours!

DEAR ABBY: Is it too late to add my 2 cents' worth about the controversy over lowering grades as punishment? I hope not, because I would like to air my feelings as many other readers have.

When I was an eighth-grader, my brother was a senior at the then-largest high school in Indianapolis. School was not easy for him, and his grades were not the best. However, in electrical shop he was tops. Before Honors Day, he received notification to appear on stage for an award. But as seniors often do, he and several friends skipped a day of class near the end of the school term and went swimming at a nearby lake. My brother was suspended from school — not because he played hooky, but because he would not name the others with him for the officials. (The others were not suspended because they "cooperated.")

As a result of his suspension, my brother was no longer eligible for the Shop Award, and it was given to another student. He had earned the award and he deserved it, but as part of his punishment, he did not receive it.

As an eighth-grader, I thought it was grossly unfair, and to this day I think the punishment was far greater than the "crime" called for.

Interestingly enough, my brother continued in electrical work, and today he is a well-respected, much-sought-after licensed electrician for an electric company in Indianapolis.

There's more: On the other side of the coin, in my junior year, I was ill two different times during the first semester, causing me to miss two weeks of school on each occasion. Because of these absences, I was unable to complete the required number of garments in my sewing class. School policy called for a grade of F. My teacher, however, knowing that the quality of my sewing was A, allowed me to stay after school one afternoon to complete my last garment so that I would not fail.

Well, I received the Home Economics Award! It was special to me because I had determined four years earlier that if my brother couldn't have the Shop Award, then I would have the Home Economics Award. Had my teacher not had a sense of fairness that went beyond the written rules, it would not have been possible. I will never forget her. — ELEMENTARY TEACHER, NEWBURGH, IND.

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Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Moonlighting way of life for some

By PETER T. KILBORN
N.Y. Times News Service

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Amid the great wave of women sweeping into the U.S. labor force in recent years is a group whose numbers are increasing even faster: women who hold more than one job.

Government studies show that moonlighting among women is becoming as commonplace as it is among men, in both the percentage of working women and in absolute numbers.

The figures for men, by contrast, have changed little in decades.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics found in a sampling of the work force last May that the number of women with two or more jobs had quintupled, from 636,000 in 1970 to 3.1 million in May, while the number of moonlighting men rose much more slowly, from 3.4 million to 4.1 million.

Reasons for the surge among women are enmeshed in social and economic shifts of the 1970s and '80s, economists and government officials say.

With jobs opening that were once denied them, some women moonlight to gather experience for new careers, and some do extra work to build up savings or pay debts.

But as the last two decades have brought a record number of divorces and families maintained by single women, many of the women take two jobs because it is the only way to eke out a working-class life and stay above the poverty line.

THE CHANGES in family life are apparent in Harrisburg, a state capital with a diversified economy and unemployment close to the national average of 5.3 percent.

The Harrisburg area in central Pennsylvania, with a population of 591,000, resembles a lot of older towns in its struggle to recapture a prosperity that has drifted to the suburbs.

Patricia Keammerer, 42, is a recently divorced mother of a 10-year-old girl who gets no money from the child's father and holds three jobs.

She is an administrative assistant in the Harrisburg school system, works two nights a week and every other weekend at a fabric store, and from her home manages 41 homes that investors rent out.

She moonlights, she says, so her daughter, Sara, can live as she did before the divorce, staying in the same neighborhood and attending the same school.

Celeste Henderson, 40, is another single parent who must strive to make ends meet.

She has been separated for years from a husband who has not provided child support for their three children — two daughters who married last year and a 17-year-old son, Rick, still at home.

Ms. Henderson earns $11.50 an hour as a secretary at Amp Inc., a big electronics company.

She says that is not enough to provide for Rick and herself.

So on weekends and for two nights during the week, Ms. Henderson works as a saleswoman at a kitchenware store, for $5 an hour.

Another woman, Linda Jackman, 42, might seem fairly well off, but she doesn't think so.

Divorced and without children, she makes $35,000 a year as an official in a state government job and $5,000 a year selling curtains part time at a branch of the J.C. Penney Co. Inc.

She says she moonlights to set aside money for a down payment on a house.

SABINA MITNAUL, 26, earns $16,500 as a secretary, and her husband receives a $10,000 stipend as a graduate student.

They say that is not enough to cover expenses that include $395 a month for rent, a payment of $195 a month on their 1986 Renault Alliance and payments on their credit-card debts.

So Ms. Mitnaul works five nights a week from 6 to 11 as a data entry clerk, for $5.50 an hour.

The increase in moonlighting among women illustrates the larger role they are assuming in the economy.

"I put emphasis on the fact that women's contribution to families is increasing no matter how you measure it," said Heidi Hartmann, an economist who is the director of the Institute for Women's Policy Research in Washington.

"More of them are economically responsible for families, while there has been no big change in men's economic responsibility."

For men and women, the incentive to moonlight has risen as it has become harder for people to manage on one paycheck, government statistics show.

When increases in the cost of living are taken into account, hourly wages have slipped about 5 percent in 20 years.

Some families have managed to get ahead of inflation, but that is because so many wives, like Ms. Mitnaul, have gone to work and so many single women with children, like Ms. Henderson and Ms. Keammerer, have taken two jobs.

And typically, a woman who moonlights has to work more than a moonlighting man to earn the same pay.

THE AVERAGE woman working full time is paid 70 percent as much as the average man working full time.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics, which surveys moonlighting occasionally, found in its sampling last May that the number of women with two or more jobs had jumped from 2.2 percent of 28.9 million working women in 1970, to 5.9 percent of 52.8 million who were working in May.

The number of men with two or more jobs rose in the 20 years from 3.4 million out of the 48.7 million men who were working in 1970 to 4.1 million of 64.3 million working men last year.

The percentage of moonlighting among men declined, from 7 percent in 1970, to 6.4 in May.

For men and women, the survey showed that moonlighting was concentrated among people 25 to 44 years old, the most able-bodied and most likely to have children to support.

These workers said they moonlighted more to make ends meet and pay debts than for other reasons, like saving.

The survey also showed that most moonlighting men were married, while most moonlighting women were divorced, separated, widowed or had never married.

Labor Department officials cautioned that the figures might understate the number of people holding more than one job.

Many are paid in cash for their extra work and might not report those earnings to the government, to avoid paying taxes on them.

MS. HENDERSON'S chronicle of motherhood and moonlighting illustrates a typical pattern.

"I got married at 18," she said, "and after about five years my husband and I started to do badly. So when we broke up, I went back to school and got an associate's degree in secretarial science from Harrisburg Community College."

Thirteen years ago, Ms. Henderson started a secretarial job at Amp, and she began moonlighting then as well.

"When the kids were smaller," she said, "I'd work around the Christmas season. For five years I did that."

As Ms. Henderson sees it, she needed to moonlight not to make the payments on her car, currently a Dodge Omni, or to pay the rent on her duplex in a working-class section of Harrisburg, but to provide her children with the things and opportunities that their friends and classmates had.

"You have to see that they enjoy their youth," she said.

"When the kids got to be teenagers, their tastes got more expensive: bikes, clothes, records."

She started working at a second job year-round, most recently in the kitchenware store.

For a time, she worked every weeknight from 6 to 9:30, and on weekends as well.

With just Rick left to support, Ms. Henderson cut back her moonlighting late last year.

"It was my responsibility to maintain my family," she said.

"Even today I don't have a bad feeling about it."

Ms. Henderson's 22-year-old daughter, Marty Mayo, graduated with honors from a vocational high school, joined the Dauphin Deposit Bank here as a data entry clerk and has moved up to processing loans.

MARRIED TO a man in the Army who is now stationed in Greece, Ms. Mayo also moonlights, working nights at a Rite Aid store while a cousin watches her 2-year-old daughter.

Ms. Mayo said that as a child, she that missed having her mother at home when she returned from school but that her mother saved her the embarrassment of looking poor to the other children.

"My mother worked so we could have nice things," she said.

Employees move to new work areas

NEW YORK (AP) — Forty-two percent of office workers relocated to new work areas within their companies in 1988, according to a national study.

The 1988 Office Environment Index suggested that the movement of employees within a single building poses a constant challenge to facility managers or professionals who manage corporate offices.

The study was sponsored by Louis Harris and Associates and Steelcase Inc.

The International Facility Management Association describes this type of movement as "churn rate" and says those most likely to "churn" are under age 30 (50 percent) and work at a computer terminal five or more hours a day (48 percent).

"Because of this high churn rate, facility managers must concentrate on designing flexibility and easy adjustability into the work environment," says Robert J. Gross, IMFA president.

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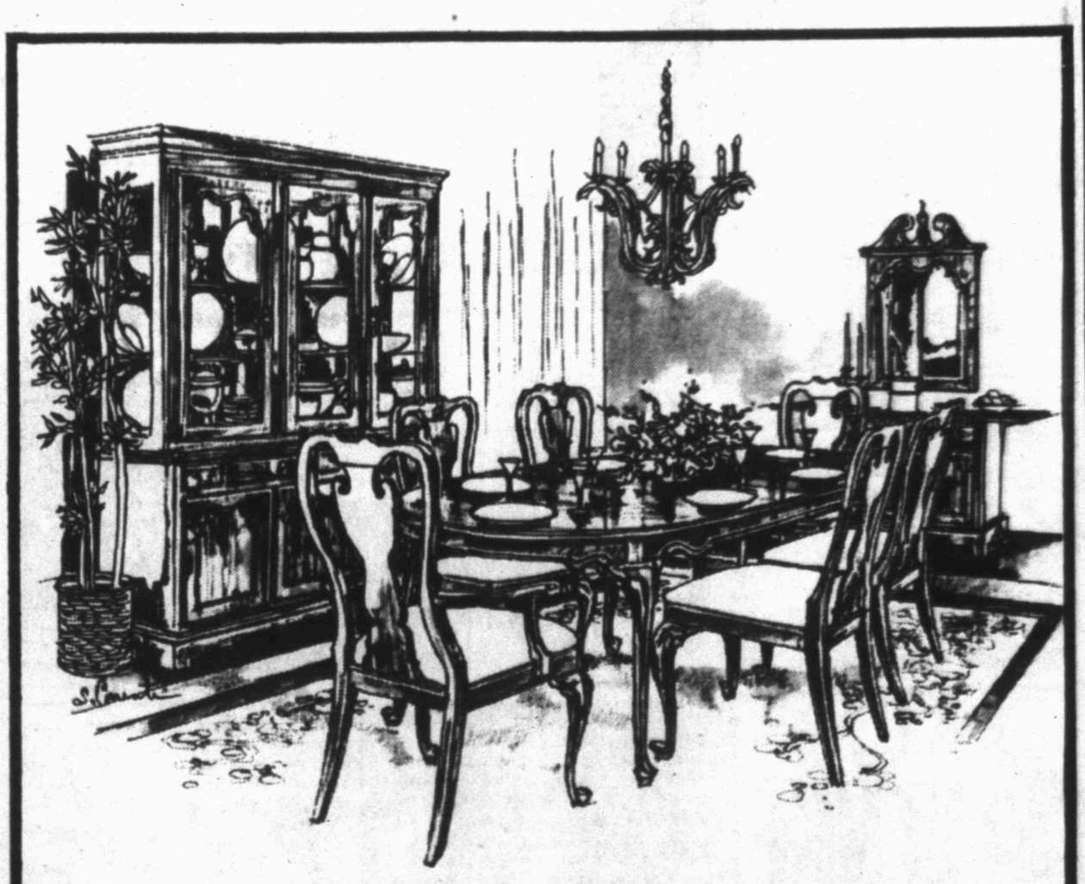

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When aquamarines begin to be mined in African countries, it was a different situation. African aquas are not susceptible to having their less attractive overtones removed by heating. It can no longer be assumed, therefore, that all aquas have been enhanced with this method. The other difference was that African aquas had a much richer color in smaller sizes.

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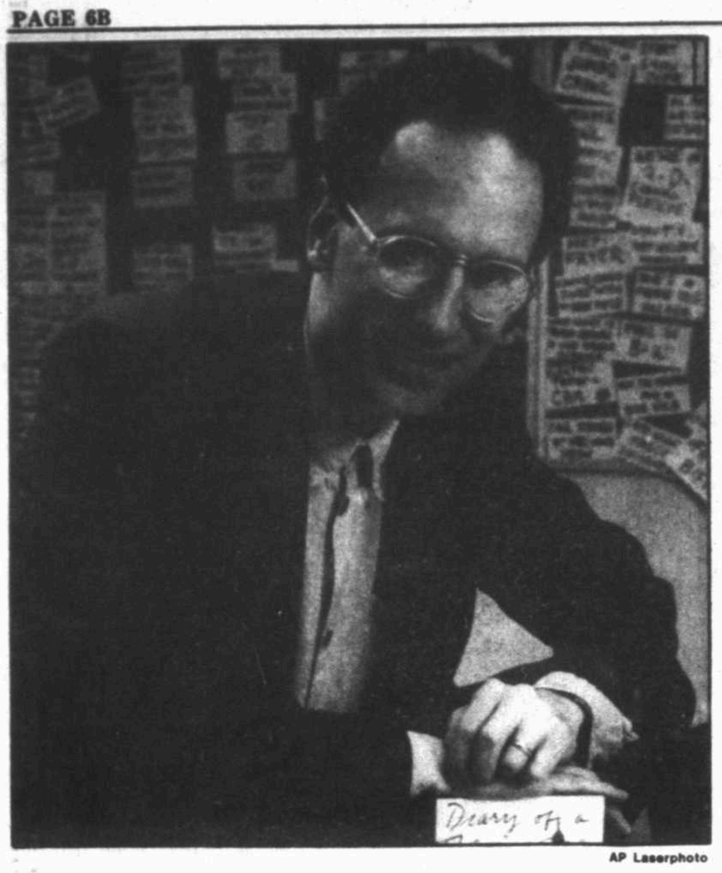

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Randy Cohen, a writer for the "Late Night With David Letterman" show, has just published a series of comic pieces in "Diary of a Flying Man."

Letterman writer creates ordinary 'flying man'

NEW YORK (AP) — Randy Cohen isn't able to fly or live in a tree but he likes to think about it.

So, Cohen does the next best thing: He writes about people who do.

His strangely talented people appear as a series of comic pieces in his book, "Diary of a Flying Man," published by Knopf.

Cohen, a soft-spoken, amiable 41-year-old, occupies an office in midtown Manhattan that looks out on a building he regards as "an architectural inconvience, full of hard-working people — no crimes being committed, no affairs blossoming, nothing."

While in the office, Cohen works as a writer for the "Late Night With David Letterman" television show. He and nine other staff writers are responsible for "generating amusing things — the ongoing task that awaits weekly." During his six years with the show, Cohen has come up with ideas as varied as attaching a miniature camera to a monkey's head and having him shoot the show that night as well as a "musical piece trivializing glasnost."

The pieces in his book are not from the TV show.

The title piece tells of an "ordinary man leading an ordinary life" who wakes up one morning and finds he can fly.

He exults: "Mankind's oldest dream has become my reality: I can fly. This morning, running after a $5 bill blowing along the pavement, I simply lifted into the air. What profound transformation will my life undergo? Unfortunately, the five turned out to be a torn page from Sunday's fashion supplement."

Which pretty well sums up Cohen's way of looking at things. As he says, "The man believes the ability to fly will transform his life. It doesn't. Instead of walking to the cash machine and finding it doesn't work, now he can fly there and find it doesn't work.

I think that if all your dreams come true things would still be the same. Say you get super-strength. So you lift up the phone book and order in a pizza, then you tear the phone book in half. Big deal, the pizza will still be cold when you get it, assuming it arrives at all."

As for the men who live in trees, the thesis is, says Cohen, that "men lead crude, primitive lives and should be pathetically grateful that women invite them indoors. Left to their own devices, men will revert to barbarism. But the guys in the trees are happy. They can eat food without sauces and throw their clothes on the floor — in this case on the branches."

Here is an excerpt from one of the pieces in the diary. It's called "Sleep Problems":

"Connie's postal obsessions keep her up for hours. 'I worry how long the lines will be at the post office tomorrow. Did I put enough postage on the letters I mailed today? Did I casually apply a stamp that will be worth thousands to collectors in 30 years? Is it unethical to use the Rutherford B. Hayes commemorative when I disapprove of so many policies of his administration, particularly his use of federal troops against striking railroad workers? It's all so trivial, but my mind grinds on. Then I panic: if I don't fall asleep right now, tomorrow I'll be too tired to get anything done. At that point I'm doomed. I get up, put on my robe, go into the living room, phone someone I loathe, and threaten them in a disguised voice, usually this high-pitched nasal twang.'"

Cohen came to humor writing in a funny way.

"I used to play drums in a rock 'n' roll band. And I could introduce a song with funny banter. Since I was a flamboyantly inadequate drummer, it was suggested to me that I give up drums and become a stand-up comic. So I became a free-lance writer. I sold my pieces and I made enough to eat modestly. Free-lance writers are famous for low cholesterol."

He says he applied for a job with the Letterman show when he found his wife planned to work at home "and it terrified us that both of us would be at home. I turned in a sample of my work — sort of a comedy writing test — and I was hired. I'm sure it was a clerical error."

'Traveling Wilburys' album up for Grammy

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The rambling, slow speech is the nemesis of any television awards show. So how did comedian Garry Shandling get picked to be host of the three-hour CBS telecast of the 32nd annual Grammy Awards?

"Well, you know, I hosted the ACE awards a few years ago, and, and, and uh, uh, it went well and it really wasn't a problem with uh, my, my delivery," the droll Shandling explains.

"It's not, it's really not that slow. You know I'm laid back but — I put it more as laid back — I've never had anyone actually come up to me and say, 'Speak faster,' other than my girlfriend in the heat of an argument."

The National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences will present its coveted Grammys for the best music of 1989 at the cavernous Shrine Auditorium on Wednesday.

Don Henley and his thoughtful "The End of the Innocence" album was nominated for four top awards, leading a host of pop and rock veterans up for more awards or receiving long-overdue consideration for Grammys.

"Traveling Wilburys Volume One," a collaborative effort by rock 'n' roll legends Roy Orbison, George Harrison, Bob Dylan, Tom Petty and Jeff Lynne, has a good chance of winning album of the year. However, because of its early 1989 release date, voters may have Henly's 'Innocence' more up front in their minds.

"Full Moon Fever" by Tom Petty and "Nick of Time" by Bonnie Raitt both vying for album of the year honors.

Perennial favorite Aretha Franklin could win her 16th Grammy.

Prince also was a major nominee, earning four of seven bids drawn by the "Batman" movie soundtrack. Neneh Cherry, Indigo Girls, Milli Vanilli, Soul II Soul and Tone Loc were nominated as best new artists of 1989.

Presentations will be framed by performances of nominees Harolyn Blackwell, Larry Carlton, Rodney Crowell, Miles Davis, Fine Young Cannibals, Herbie Hancock, Henley, Billy Joel, k.d. lang, Branford Marsalis, Aaron Neville, Raitt, Ronstadt and Sting.

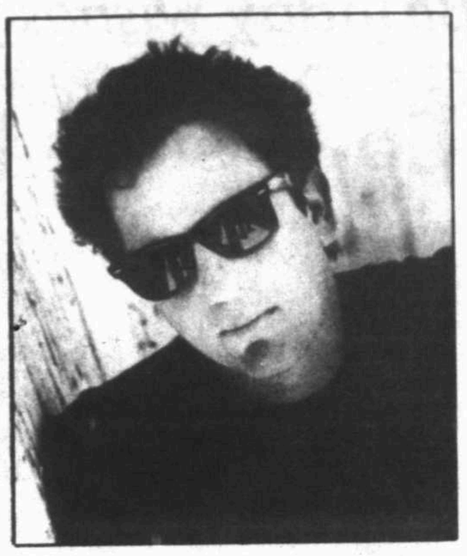
The glitter, glamour and variety will be provided by presenters including spunky dance queen Paula Abdul, rockers Motley Crue and Bob Seger, breezy singer Olivia Newton-John and actress Meryl Streep.

So what does Shandling figure to do?

"I'll do a little opening monologue — and then I understand there's going to be some music. From what I understand there's a lot of music on this particular awards program," he said.

The connection between Shandling, star of "It's Garry Shandling's Show," and the recording industry seems a bit tenuous.

"I made a 45 once," he says, conceding: "I have a little catching up to do. I still have an eight-track tape system."



Among the nominees for the coveted Grammy, to be presented Wednesday, is "Traveling Wilburys Volume One," an album of the year nominee. One member of the five-star Wilburys, the late Roy Orbison, left, is a Wink native and former Midland resident. Billy Joel, right, is in the running for record of the year with his hit, "We Didn't Start The Fire."

Shandling will review the award show format and write his own material. Beyond his haircut and getting plenty of sleep the night before, he claims no worries about the show.

"I guess Guns N' Roses isn't going to be making an acceptance speech, so that takes some of the risk out," he says.

Dick Clark will be presented the Trustees Award, and posthumous tributes will be paid to pianist-crooner Nat "King" Cole and pianist Vladimir Horowitz.

In all, there were 388 nominees in 77 categories.

'Five-finger-discount' caper Wapner-inspired

SEATTLE (AP) — A 68-year-old woman who shoplifted four packs of cigarettes said a comment by Judge Wapner led her to commit the crime.

The woman admitted she stole the cigarettes and said she got the idea from an interview that late-night talk show host Pat Sajak had with Joseph Wapner, said Larry Ankrum, police spokesman at Mountlake Terrace, a suburb north of Seattle.

Wapner, a retired judge, presides over the syndicated television show "The People's Court."

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Cope stuns Daytona field

Midland's Hillin flirts with victory

By BILL CENTER
Copley News Service

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Too bad Buster Douglas beat Derrike Cope to the punch.

Although Douglas already has clinched "upset of the decade" honors with his knockout of Mike Tyson, the 31-year-old Cope scored an even bigger surprise in a different arena Sunday.

Cope won the Daytona 500 stock car race when Dale Earnhardt — who easily had the dominant vehicle in the 42-car field — blew a tire within a mile of the finish.

Before taking the checkered flag to the amazement of a record Daytona International Speedway crowd of 150,000-plus, Cope had never won a major stock car race. He had never before finished in the top five.

A year ago, Cope wasn't even fast enough to qualify for NASCAR's premier event. And en route to 28th in the 1989 points race, car owner Bob Whitcomb once closed the doors on his operation.

"In my wildest dream ... well, this beats all," said Cope, the former small college catcher from Spanaway, Wash., after shocking the world of motor racing.

"Dream of this, never."

NOT AS a kid at least. Cope was born in San Diego, the son of Donald Cope, a former Division VI champion drag racer at Carlsbad Raceway. The family moved to Spanaway, Wash., when the driver was 4. He wanted to be a baseball player and was a pro prospect at Whitman College until he tore the ligaments and cartilage in his right knee. With baseball gone, he turned to racing and was the Winston West Rookie of the Year in 1982.

But drivers from the Pacific Northwest seldom form winning stock car alliances with owners from New Hampshire, which makes Sunday's events even more startling.

In the 32-year history of the Super Bowl of stock car racing, only three previous drivers had scored their first victory in the Daytona 500. Tiny Lund was a veteran when he did it in 1963. Mario Andretti was already an Indy car season champ when he won the 1967 Daytona 500. And Pete Hamilton was teamed with Richard Petty in the famed — and soon-to-be illegal — Dodge Superbirds in 1970.

Lund, Andretti and Hamilton all had credentials. All Cope had to show for 71 previous Winston Cup starts was two sixth-place finishes last year. Before winning $188,150 Sunday, his best payday was $16,375.

Cope winning the Daytona 500 — at 165.761 mph — was like Goliath being whipped by David's kid brother.

And there he was, wheeling his Chevy Lumina to a 1½-car length victory over Terry Labonte and Bill Elliott as the eerily black Lumina of Earnhardt slowed to a crawl.

"Earnhardt dominated this race all day," Cope said. "No way was I going to catch up."

He didn't have to. Cars couldn't catch Earnhardt. But events did.

Not since Buddy Baker in 1980 had a driver dominated the Daytona 500 as Earnhardt did Sunday. He led 155 laps by margins to 32 seconds and held a 27-second lead with only 16 laps to go. He was safely eight seconds ahead of Cope when events turned against him with 20 miles to go.

First, Rick Wilson blew an engine, laying down a cloud of oil smoke. Then, Geoff Bodine spun going into the second turn after running through Wilson's cloud and complained that he couldn't see.

Those events brought out only the third caution flag of the afternoon.

PLAYING IT safe, Earnhardt pitted for four fresh tires. Cope didn't — a development that catapulted him into the lead. Neither did Midland's Bobby Hillin Jr. — a fact that caused Earnhardt immediate grief. As Hillin moved to regain his rightful spot at second in line in his flirt for the championship, he hit Earnhardt's right rear fender. Hillin went on to finish sixth and was on the lead lap at the end of the race.

When the green flew with five laps to go, Earnhardt blew past Hillin going into the third turn and dove under Cope through three to regain the lead.

Earnhardt was cruising ... 196 ... 197 ... 198 ... 199 ... disaster.

Going down the backstretch one last time, Earnhardt ran over a piece of bell housing from another car.

"I heard it hit the bottom of the car and felt the right rear run over it," Earnhardt said. "There was nothing I could do. If I'd known that debris was there, I wouldn't have run there.

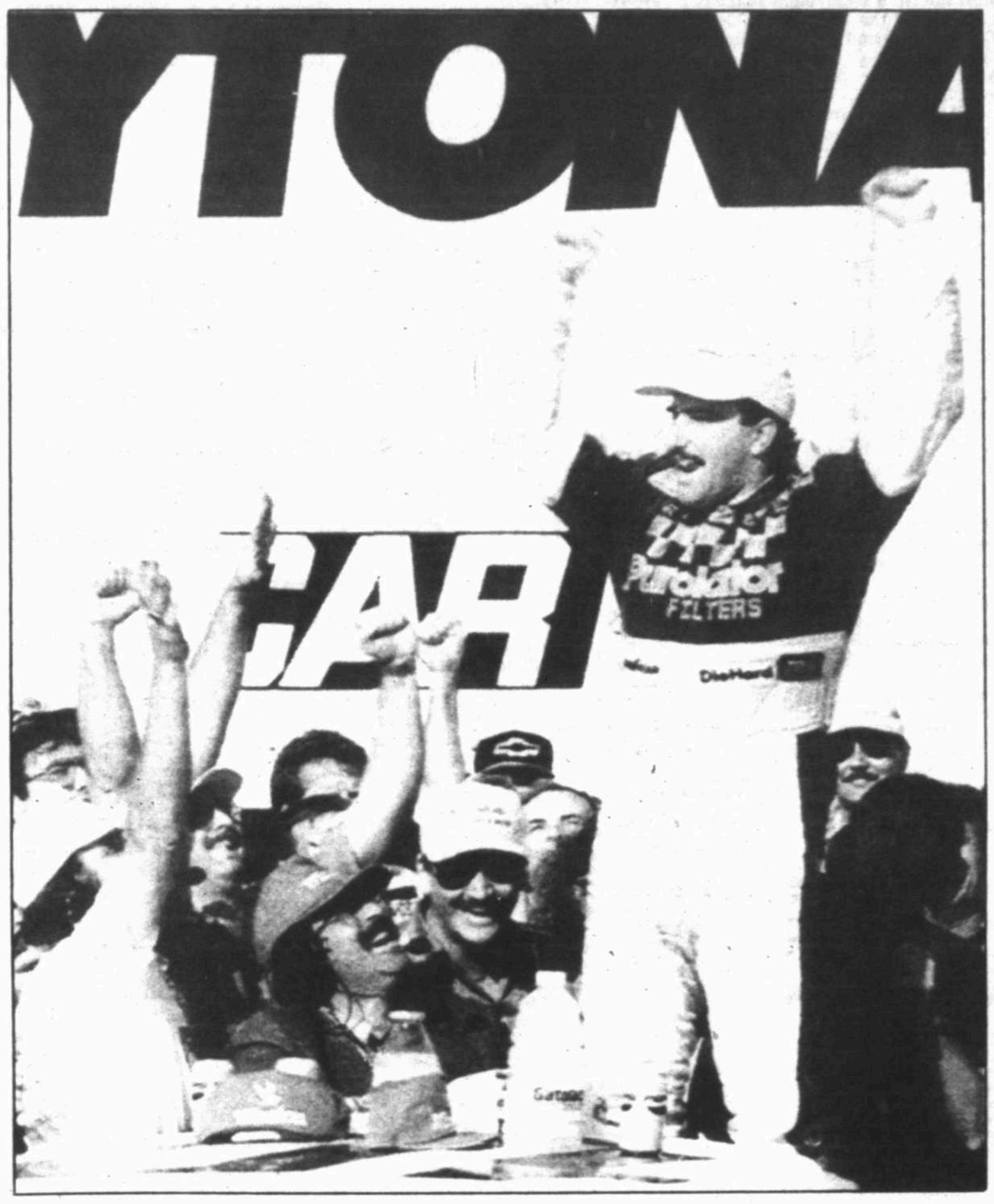
"No one outran us. They just lucked out. Not much I can do about that. I didn't lose."

And for the 12th time, Earnhardt didn't win the Daytona 500. Twice, he has held the lead in the final five miles. He has been second, third and fourth. Sunday, the three-time series champ was officially fifth for the third time. But stock car racing's toughest driver has never won.

Meantime, Cope is victorious in his third try.

"I thought I deserved to be second," said Cope, who ran second to Earnhardt for almost half the race.

"After Dale passed me on the restart, I had told myself to fight for second. I was paying more attention to Labonte behind me than Dale in front of me."



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Derrike Cope throws his fists into the air as he stands on the top of his car in victory lane to the cheers of his pit crew Sunday after winning the Daytona 500.

Chaps host OC in 'pride' battle

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Assistant Sports Editor

"We have to play for our pride Monday."

Famous words from a man who knows — Midland College head basketball coach Reggie Franklin.

Following last Thursday's heartbreaking two-point loss to New Mexico Junior College, the 6-6 Chaps are all but out of chances of securing the final berth in the Region V tournament.

Tonight, the Chaps will either continue hanging by a thread, or will be eliminated altogether. Should MC defeat the visiting Odessa College Wranglers, the Chaps move to 7-6. NMJC, virtually assured of a win against Clarendon College, would move to 9-4. The Chaps would be two games out of the final spot with three games left.

But after Franklin talked about pride following Thursday's loss to NMJC, he spoke of miracles, which is just what the Chaps may need in order to advance to post-season play. Franklin, though, believes in miracles, particularly this time of year.

Here's what would likely have to happen in order for MC to have a shot at playing in the regional tournament, March 8-10 in Snyder:

■ The Chaps have to win their last four games. Tonight against OC, this Thursday and Saturday against Clarendon and Thursday, March 1, in Borger against Frank Phillips. Should they accomplish that, the Chaps would finish regular season play with a 10-6 record. Not a good mark to take to region, but when you're there, nobody much cares how you did it.

■ NMJC, which has Clarendon, Western Texas, South Plains and New Mexico Military would need to lose at least two, preferably three. Two, though, appears all the Thunderbirds would lose, against Western Texas and South Plains. Should the T-Birds finish with a 2-2 record, they would also finish with a 10-6 record.

■ Western Texas, now 7-5, a game ahead of the Chaps and a game behind NMJC for the final spot, closes the season with games against South Plains, New Mexico JC, Odessa College and Howard College. If ever there was a brutal way to close a schedule, the Westerners have it. Conceivably, they could finish 0-4. But for the Chaps' sake, the Westerners have to beat NMJC. If the Westerners finish 1-3 with the one win over NMJC, WTC is out, and it comes down to NMJC and the Chaps.

■ If these three scenarios take shape exactly as described, though, it may very well still not be enough to land MC the final spot. If it happens that the T-Birds and Chaps both finish at 10-6, the power rating

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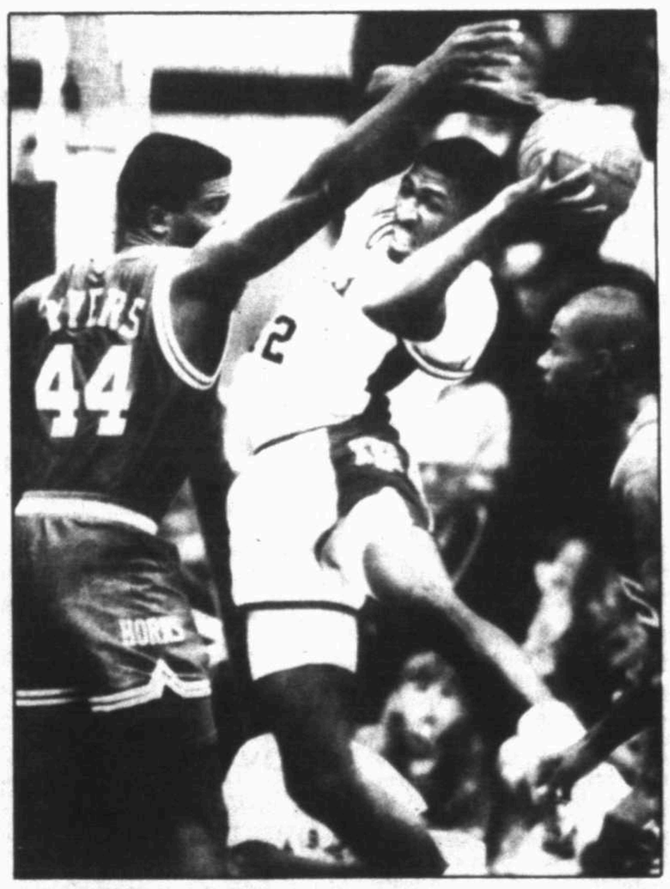

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Texas A&M's Ray Little grabs rebound despite the efforts of Texas forward Guillermo Myers (44).

Blanks saves 'Horns against scrappy A&M

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Lance Blanks scored nine of his 16 points during the final four minutes to lift Texas to a 79-73 victory over Texas A&M in Southwest Conference action Sunday.

Texas improves to 18-6 overall and 11-3 in SWC play. Texas A&M falls to 12-14 and 5-7.

With the Aggies leading 71-69, A&M center David Harris fouled out trying to block a Blanks shot.

Blanks made one of two foul shots and then scored the Longhorns' next two field goals to give Texas a 74-71 lead with two minutes to play.

Blanks made four free throws down the stretch after being fouled twice with less than one minute to play.

Tony Milton led the Aggies in scoring with 26 points, while Freddie Ricks added 13 and Brooks Thompson 12.

Locksley Collie scored 18 of his 23 points for the Longhorns in the second half. Travis Mays added 18 and Joey Wright 13 for Texas.

Texas broke out of an 11-11 tie with a 17-5 run to take a 28-16 lead midway through the first half. But the Aggies outscored Texas 23-12 in the final 10 minutes of the half to pull within one, 40-39, at halftime.

"It was a great win for our program," said Texas coach Tom Penders. "The Aggies play so well against us here, and they have great personnel. We approached it like an NCAA tournament game."

Penders said Collie's shooting and rebounding was a key to the victory.

"Locksley Collie is a good shooter, especially if you let him square and set," Penders said. "I said he had 3-point range and he does. But the thing that pleased me the most was his work on the boards."

Texas A&M guard Freddie Ricks said his team should have won the ball game.

"We didn't play like we're capable of playing," Ricks said.

Texas 79, A&M 73

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Halftime—Texas 40, Texas A&M 39. 3-point goals—Texas 4-11 (Wright 1-2, Mays 1-6, Blanks 1-2, Collie 1-1), Texas A&M 4-16 (Milton 0-1, Ricks 2-4, Thompson 2-8, Suber 0-1, Rhea 0-1, Little 0-1). Fouled outs—Milton, Ricks, Harris. Rebounds—Texas 33 (Myers 14), Texas A&M 35 (Rhea 8). Assists—Texas 16 (Wright 7), Texas A&M 22 (Thompson 6, Ricks 6). Total fouls—Texas 13, Texas A&M 24. A—3,764.

TERRY WILLIAMSON

What it takes to win 700 games

It's really hard for anyone to walk in Paul Stueckler's shoes because it's hard to grasp just what winning 700 games in your basketball career means.

Williamson

Seven hundred sounds impressive enough. It would make any resume bright and gaudy. Still, for most of us, we'll never understand what Midland Lee's only basketball coach has gone through over the years to gain that mark.

Stueckler got his 700th coaching victory Friday night in Lee's season finale over Abilene Cooper.

I'm just not writer enough to bring all of this home with impact, but here are a few ideas on what it takes to join the "700 Club."

■ First of all, you have to remain employed for an impressive amount of time. In the coaching business, that is sometimes easier said than done.

■ You can't have too many losing seasons. After all, at a poor average of 10 wins a year, it would take 70 years to turn the trick.

■ You have to be in a place where there is a certain amount of talent over a long period of time. No matter what anyone tells you, you can't beat another team with your grandmother.

■ You also have to be able to coach, at least a little. Talent does little good if it isn't pointed in the right direction and there have been a lot of examples of teams loaded with talent that don't win.

Now we get to the good parts because these are some of the things the average fan doesn't think about.

■ You have to have a good rear end. I'm not trying to be raunchy. It's a fact. To win 700 games, you have to travel around the world about 2¼ times on a school bus — one that sometimes even starts. If you can't sit, you can't coach.

■ You also have to have a good stomach. Winning 700 games means you have to eat something like 514 chicken fried steaks. I like chicken fried steak as good as the next guy — but 514?

I once asked former Lamesa legend O.W. Follis what it was like to win 800 games when he passed that barrier and he had an easy answer, "That's just a lot of chicken fried steaks."

■ You have to have a weak nose. Another fact of basketball. Have you ever been in a basketball locker room after a practice? The average man couldn't take that long enough to win 700 games.

■ Your blood has to boil every time you hear sneakers squeaking across the gym floor. If you don't love it, you're dead.

■ You have to average 17 rolls of Tums a year to keep up with the chicken fries and those calls by the referees that don't go your way. A strong heart doesn't hurt either when you deal with the refs for that many games.

I don't know if Stueckler can identify with any of this, but he has been a survivor. And that's the bottom line to winning 700.

Stueckler is fourth among active coaches in Texas with his 700-329 overall record. Bill Krueger has passed 940 at Houston Clear Lake. Fort Worth Dunbar's Robert Hughes will be approaching 900, if and when he brings his team back to the Region I tournament next week. And Don Coleman of Houston Memorial passed the 850 mark this year.

All are survivors — with strong stomachs and boiling blood. If you cut one of them, they would bleed school bus yellow. It's not easy to win 700. Congrats, Paul.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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Trivia Teaser...

Monday's Question: Name the NBA team scoring leader with the lowest point-per-game average through games of Feb. 11.

Sunday's Answer: The height of a basketball goal has been 10 feet ever since Dr. James Naismith invented the sport in 1891.

Sports Today...

BASKETBALL — Odessa College vs. Midland College, Chaparral Center, 7:30 p.m., KCRS (550 AM) radio.

Tuesday

SOCCER — Abilene High vs. Midland High, 4:30 p.m., at Midland Freshman.

Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper, 4:30 p.m.

Quotebook...

"This is the sort of thing that happens to people from New York, not Rayville, La. These are legends in the Basketball Hall of Fame, the guys I emulated on the playgrounds and who really made basketball. I was just proud to be able to walk onto a basketball court where they had played." — **Elvin Hayes,** after being elected to the Basketball Hall of Fame.

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CHAPS——

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system, the first tie-breaker, would go into effect.

NMJC would have the edge in power points (nine points for a win against the No. 1 team, eight against the No. 2, etc.), having beaten Odessa College twice and Howard College once.

Against upper division teams (Howard, SPC, OC, Western Texas and NMJC), the Chaps are only 3-6. They have no wins against the top three teams, two against WTC and one against NMJC.

Mathematically, the Chaps aren't eliminated. Should MC defeat OC tonight, the key date will be Thursday's meeting between WTC and NMJC, in Hobbs. That the game is in New Mexico means the Westerners already have one strike against them.

Should OC beat MC tonight, the WTC-NMJC game is meaningless, as far as the Chaps are concerned. Then, the key date will be the first weekend in November, the dates for the next Chaparral Classic, and, as they say, a new beginning.

(A footnote: Should a miracle occur, something along the magnitude of a March blizzard in Midland, or something like Odessa losing its final three against SPC, NMMI and Clarendon, the aforementioned scenarios are null and void.)

CHAP NOTES: Tip off is set for 8 p.m. at Chap Center. The game will be preceded by the Rankin-Grady Class A bi-district playoff game at 6 p.m.... The OC-MC clash can be heard live on KCRS (550 AM). The Wranglers won the first tilt of the season against the Chaps, 71-65, at the OC Sports Center. The Wranglers have won eight straight from the Chaps ... Since starting the season at 0-2, OC has won eight of its last nine ... In their 71-65 win last month against MC, the Wranglers were led by Patric Nash's 19; four other OC players were in double figures: Lynn Collins (14), Anthony Sullen (12), Rodney Dent (10) and Calvin Sinkfield (10). For the Chaps, Tim Owens' had 20 and Kethus Hanks' 15.

WJCAC Standings

TEAM	OVERALL W	L	Pct
Howard College	25	2	.926
Odessa College	23	4	.852
South Plains	20	5	.800
Western Texas	18	8	.692
MIDLAND COLLEGE	16	11	.593
New Mexico JC	15	12	.556
Frank Phillips	8	17	.320
Clarendon	5	12	.294
New Mexico MI	4	19	.174

THURSDAY'S GAMES

New Mexico Junior College 101, Midland College 99; Odessa College 86, Frank Phillips 77; Western Texas College 106, New Mexico Military Institute 74; Howard College 126, Clarendon College 88.

FRIDAY'S GAME

South Plains 66, Frank Phillips 61.

TEAM	CONFERENCE W	L	Pct
Howard College	10	2	.833
South Plains	9	2	.818
Odessa College	9	3	.750
New Mexico JC	8	4	.667
Western Texas	7	5	.583
MIDLAND COLLEGE	6	6	.500
Frank Phillips	2	10	.167
Clarendon	1	7	.125
New Mexico MI	0	11	.000

MONDAY'S GAMES

Odessa College at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., Chap Center; New Mexico Junior College at Clarendon College; Western Texas at South Plains; Howard College at New Mexico Military; Frank Phillips at Otero, Colo JC.

MC Basketball

Midland College (16-11, 6-6)

Player	gam	fg	fga	ft	fta	reb	tp	ppg
Tim Owens	27	200	350	104	158	196	505	18.7
Kethus Hanks	27	148	288	68	87	90	406	15.0
Fred Campbell	27	115	278	55	78	182	287	10.6
Ron Johnson	26	64	139	48	62	37	205	7.9
Gym Bice	26	59	125	34	47	24	175	6.7
Charlie Craine	23	56	127	23	33	78	135	5.9
Darryl King	12	24	50	17	25	42	65	5.0
E. Witherspoon	18	29	52	21	27	55	79	4.9
Gerald Woods	24	41	81	27	50	44	110	4.6
Kerwin Harris	27	50	108	21	26	88	121	4.5
Eric Golightly	21	29	76	8	31	29	72	3.4
Kiki Stanley	15	10	29	17	21	12	42	2.8
Randy Williams	12	13	39	6	22	15	32	2.7
Shaun Edwards	9	9	24	2	6	11	23	2.6
Eric Walker	16	16	27	3	7	16	41	2.6
Troy Taylor	22	17	43	15	35	37	49	2.2

Three-point goals: Hanks 42-101; Johnson 29-62; Bice 23-45; Golightly 8-23; Stanley 5-18; Edwards 3-6; Walker 2-3; Owens 1-2; Woods 1-4; Campbell 2-22; Harris 0-2; Williams 0-4. Total: 114-292.

Excalibur takes Carlsbad title

From Staff Reports

CARLSBAD, N.M. — Midland Excalibur won its first soccer tournament since forming in 1986 over the weekend by taking the title in the Carlsbad President's Day Invitational.

In four matches, Excalibur outscored opponents by a 17-1 margin with left wing Jesse Fontenot leading the way with seven goals. Fontenot and sweeper Toby Walker made the All-Tournament team.

One of the key wins was a 4-0 win over Cobra Venom of Albuquerque, N.M., the No. 2 ranked team in New Mexico. Excalibur defeated host Carlsbad in the finals by a 4-0 count.

Excalibur coach Jay Cappis turned the trick with a 12-man roster, instead of the usual 15 he carries.

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Rangerettes ready for next playoff step

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

Steve Myatt worried about how his young Greenwood Rangerette basketball team would handle playoff pressure.

So far, so good.

The Rangerettes used clutch free throws by Shelley Mackey to push past Fredericksburg 50-44 in bi-district action at Wall. Tuesday, the Rangerettes face District 6-3A champion Comanche in area playoff action. The game is tentatively set for 8 p.m. at Mabee Center on the Hardin-Simmons University campus.

In other second-round playoff action involving area teams, Lamesa faces Dimmitt at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Texan Dome at Levelland, while Iraan battles Hawley at 7 p.m. Tuesday in San Angelo.

Myatt isn't worried about how good Comanche is, even though the Lady Indians dominated Bowie in bi-district action last Friday.

"I'm a lot more worried about us executing our stuff," Myatt said.

The Rangerettes, 20-9, were not expected to be a factor in District 7-3A, but swept through the district season undefeated. But Myatt wasn't sure how his girls would react to playoff action, since few had seen varsity time prior to this season.

"I think we got some of the playoff jitters out of our system," Myatt said. "A lot of these sophomores and juniors who had never played varsity before (this season) have now won a playoff game."

Still, the play veterans Shelley Mackey and Kendra Underwood — the only two Rangerettes with appreciable varsity experience going into the season — is critical to Greenwood success.

Mackey shot only three times from the field, but made six straight free throws in the final two minutes and passed out eight assists in the win over Fredericksburg, while Underwood led Greenwood with 14 points.

Myatt wants the Rangerettes to come out aggressively on offense in Tuesday's game — something that hasn't always happened this season.

"We have to go out and play to win. Lots of times, we've played not to lose, but we play better when we play to win.

"It hasn't been a problem on defense, but we need to go out and play real agressive on offense."

Lamesa-Dimmitt

The Lady Tornadoes, 19-6, crushed Fabens 65-23 in bi-district action, but Dimmitt should be a considerably tougher foe.

Dimmitt, 27-6, is led by guard Renae Josselet (13.3 points per game), post Gloria Gauna (13.1 ppg, 4.7 rpg) and freshman Hallie Bradley (10.4, 5.3).

The Lady Tors, on the other hand, rely on sophomores Saresa Butler and Dina Simpson for much of their scoring. Butler leads the team from her wing position with 17.8 points and 6.7 rebounds per game, while the 5-10 Simpson chips in with an average of 15.1 points and 6.7 rebounds.

Simpson is the daughter of first-year coach Cary Simpson, who has turned the Lady Tors around in his maiden season.

The Texan Dome might not be a bad place to be on Tuesday night.

After the Dimmitt-Lamesa girls game, the Lamesa boys will play the winner of the Denver City-Slaton game at 8 p.m. The winner of that game will play the Alpine-Clint loser this coming weekend.

Bulldogs, Rebels face crucial soccer matches

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

Even though a potentially pivotal rematch with Midland Lee is fast approaching, Midland High soccer coach Tom Esikhati isn't worried about it.

He's got more pressing matters to contend with — like a crucial home match with Abilene High at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at Midland Freshman field.

Meanwhile, Lee must travel to Abilene Cooper on Tuesday after a disappointing tie with Odessa Permian this past Saturday. In the other District 3 match Tuesday, San Angelo visits Odessa Permian, while last-place Odessa High is open.

There's not much question that Midland High's post-season hopes would be dealt a critical blow with a loss Tuesday. The Bulldogs would drop to 3-3 in district action, while Abilene High would advance to 4-0-2 and would be in the drivers' seat for the second playoff berth.

But a win would edge the Bulldogs into second place — percentage points ahead of the War Eagles.

MHS had had trouble scoring throughout district play until Saturday's 8-0 romp over Odessa High. That's a particular concern for Esikhati.

"We have to intensify our attack against Abilene High," he said. "But I think our day is coming."

Esikhati was able to experiment with different combinations against hapless OHS, and he appreciated the opportunity.

"I was glad to play Odessa because it allowed us to slow down our pace," the coach said. "It was a good time to try a few things and play lots of people."

James Woolsey exploded for three goals in the first 17 minutes of Saturday's match, while Shane Barden and Jason Farr scored twice each.

Lee dropped into a tie for fourth place with Cooper after a double-overtime deadlock with a scrappy Permian team.

Overtime matches haven't treated the Rebs too well. Coach Eddie Bull's squad is 0-2-1 in matches involving extra time.

On the plus side, the Rebels have taken league front-runners San Angelo and Abilene High into overtime before losing.

District 3 Soccer

TEAM	OVERALL W	L	T	Pct.
San Angelo	8	0	1	.900
Abilene Cooper	8	2	1	.750
Midland High	7	3	0	.700
Midland Lee	5	2	1	.667
Abilene High	6	3	2	.615
Odessa Permian	3	5	1	.400
Odessa High	1	8	0	.111

TEAM	DISTRICT W	L	T	Pct.
San Angelo	4	0	1	.883
Abilene High	3	0	2	.714
Midland High	3	2	0	.600
Midland Lee	2	2	1	.500
Abilene Cooper	2	2	1	.500
Odessa Permian	1	3	1	.333
Odessa High	0	6	0	.000

Saturday's Matches

Midland Lee 2, Odessa Permian 2 (2OT); Midland High 8, Odessa High 0; Abilene High 4, San Angelo 4.

Tuesday's Matches

Abilene High at Midland High, 4:30 p.m., Midland Freshman; Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper; San Angelo at Odessa Permian.

UNLV belts Arizona; Missouri nips Sooners

Associated Press

Like many other visitors, Arizona's basketball team keeps coming away a loser in Las Vegas.

The Wildcats came to town for the sixth time Sunday, and for the sixth time the house won.

In this case, the house was seventh-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas, which beat No. 20 Arizona 95-87.

"When we were running, we were beautiful," UNLV coach Jerry Tarkanian said after former Odessa College star Larry Johnson scored 17 of his 26 points in the second half and the Runnin' Rebels opened the second half with a 12-4 spurt that gave them a 56-45 lead. "That's one of our strengths. Our big people can run."

UNLV never trailed against Arizona and led by 15 midway through the second half. But the Rebels were never able to shake the Wildcats, who closed to 77-70 with five minutes left before Johnson scored on three straight possessions.

"I think that if he came out, Larry Johnson would be the No. 1 pick in the pro draft," Arizona coach Lute Olson said. "I can't imagine a better power forward."

Olson said he "told our team that this game was a measuring stick because we were going into a tough place to play against a good team. If we were playing at our place, I think maybe we could turn it around."

No. 2 Missouri 92, No. 11 Okla. 90

Doug Smith, who sat out much of the first half with foul trouble, scored 23 points, including the winning three-point play with 40 seconds left as Missouri (24-2, 10-1 Big Eight) set a school record with its 30th straight victory at home.

AP Top 25

Ohio St. 64, No. 5 Michigan 61

Freshman Jim Jackson scored 16 points, including a key tip-in off a missed free throw with 12 seconds left. Neither team led by more than four points in the second half and there were 15 lead changes and 13 ties.

No. 6 Duke 71, Wake Forest 56

Robert Brickey scored 10 of his 14 points in the first half and Duke (22-4, 9-2 Atlantic Coast Conference) built an an 20-point lead in the first 10½ minutes.

No. 9 LSU 121, Vanderbilt 108

Chris Jackson scored 46 points and LSU (20-5, 10-4) held off a late Vanderbilt rally to tie Georgia for first place in the Southeastern Conference.

No. 14 La Salle 72, Fairfield 49

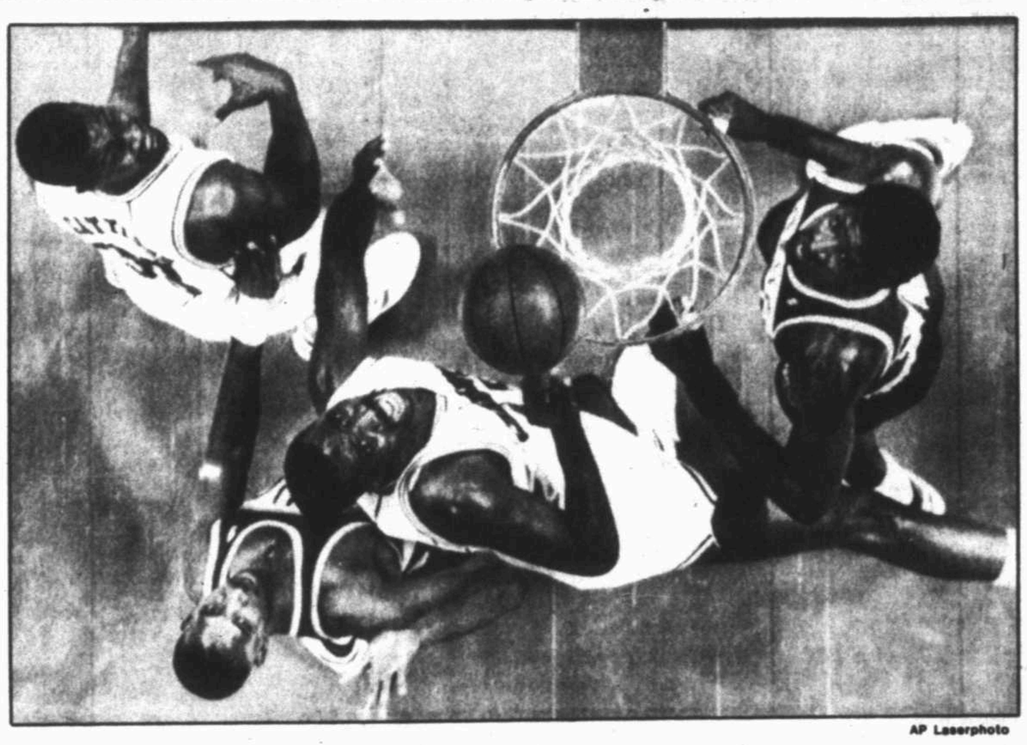
Lionel Simmons scored 24 points and moved into sixth place on the all-time NCAA list. Simmons, who has 2,963 points, passed Danny Manning and needs 11 points to move Oscar Robertson out of fifth place.

No. 16 Oregon St. 83, Wash. St. 63

Gary Payton scored 26 points, including 19 in the first half, as Oregon State (19-4, 12-2 Pac-10) handed Washington State its 14th consecutive loss, a school record.

Stanford 70, No. 23 UCLA 69

Stanford won for the first time ever in UCLA's Pauley Pavilion, where the Cardinal had been 0-24, as Andrew Vlahov scored 20 points, more than 10 above his average.



AP Laserphoto

Charlotte Hornet forward Armon Gilliam, center, watches in total disbelief as his shot fall off the rim in game against the Seattle SuperSonics Sunday.

Suns' Chambers scores 56

Associated Press

Even a big scorer like Tom Chambers knew this was something special.

"I could really feel it," Chambers said after setting a team record with 56 points Sunday as the Phoenix Suns beat Golden State 131-113, ending the Warriors' franchise-high 15-game home winning streak.

Chambers made his first 10 field-goal attempts and had 40 points at halftime. He finished 19-for-29 from the field, including both of his 3-point tries, and was 16 of 19 from the foul line.

"My teammates did a great job of getting me the ball. If they hadn't, I would have been mad," Chambers said. "In my nine years in the league I haven't felt better about my shot than I did today."

Chambers, a lifetime 20-point scorer, surpassed his career-high of 46. His first-half total was the most ever against the Warriors, breaking the mark of 36 set by Wilt Chamberlain in 1966.

Lakers 116, Celtics 110

Magic Johnson scored 30 points, James Worthy 25 and Byron Scott 24 as the Lakers completed a two-game season sweep of Boston.

Los Angeles has won seven straight against the Celtics at the Forum. The Lakers have won 16 of the last 24 overall, although Boston leads the all-time series 137-97.

Bulls 111, Bucks 88

Michael Jordan scored 39 points and Chicago used an 18-0 burst in the fourth quarter to win at Milwaukee.

The Bulls, leading 83-78, held the Bucks scoreless for 7:11 and broke away. Jordan and Stacey King each scored six points in the spree.

Bullets 116, Pacers 97

Washington's Bernard King and Indiana's Chuck Person were ejected and seven technical fouls were called as the Bullets won a fight-marred game at home.

King, who scored 27 points, and Person were tossed after starting a bench-clearing brawl in the third quarter. After the game, Reggie Miller of the Pacers and Jeff Malone of the Bullets got into a shouting match in the corridor leading to the dressing room and coaches Wes Unseld of Washington and Dick Versace of Indiana had to be separated by security personnel.

76ers 110, Trail Blazers 109

Hersey Hawkins made a 16-foot jump shot with five seconds left and Philadelphia beat Portland for its seventh victory in nine road games.

Terry Porter took over the scoring load for the Trail Blazers, getting 21 of his 31 points after Drexler's injury.

Timberwolves 108, Hawks 98

Tony Campbell had 26 points and a career-high eight assists as Minnesota won at home for the sixth time in seven games.

SuperSonics 85, Hornets 70

Xavier McDaniel had 20 points and 10 rebounds as Seattle held Charlotte to its franchise-low point total.

NBA Roundup

Tascosa beats Lady Bobcats

From Staff Reports

AMARILLO — Amarillo Tascosa used its full court pressure to force 30 San Angelo turnovers in the Lady Rebels' 60-53 Class 5A bi-district win here Saturday night.

After the Lady Rebs held a 28-24 half time lead, Tascosa opened the third quarter with a burst and led by as many as 11 points.

Holly Ridings led the way for Tascosa with 11 points, while Stephanie Ware burned the nets for 18 Lady Bobcat points.

Tascosa will face El Paso Del Valle at Chap Center Tuesday as part of a tripleheader playoff.

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Sports Scoreboard

NHL

National Hockey League
By The Associated Press

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts
NY Islanders	28	27	6	62
NY Rangers	26	25	10	60
Pittsburgh	27	28	5	59
New Jersey	25	27	7	57
Washington	26	30	4	56
Philadelphia	24	29	8	56

Adams Division

x-Boston	35	21	5	75
x-Buffalo	33	22	6	72
x-Montreal	32	23	6	70
Hartford	27	26	7	61
Quebec	10	43	6	26

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Chicago	33	22	4	70
St. Louis	30	22	8	68
Toronto	31	27	3	65
Minnesota	26	33	3	55
Detroit	22	31	7	51

Smythe Division

Calgary	29	19	13	71
Edmonton	29	20	12	70
Winnipeg	28	24	8	64
Los Angeles	25	29	6	56
Vancouver	18	35	10	46

x-clinched playoff berth

Sunday's Games

Philadelphia 3, NY Islanders 2
Chicago 6, Pittsburgh 4
Winnipeg 5, Calgary 1
Hartford 6, Buffalo 4
Edmonton 3, Minnesota 2
Boston 7, Vancouver 2

Monday's Games

New Jersey at NY Rangers, 12:30.
Washington at LA, 3:05 p.m.
Montreal at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.

Flyers 3, Isles 2

At Philadelphia

N.Y. Islanders	1	0	1—2
Philadelphia	0	0	3—3

First Period—1, New York, King 10 (LaFontaine), 8:39.

Second Period—None.

Third Period—2, Philadelphia, Carkner 3 (Bullard, Eklund), 5:14. 3, New York, McDonough 15 (Diduck, King), 7:13. 4, Philadelphia, Kerr 17 (Eklund, Tocchet), 10:28 (pp). 5, Philadelphia, Samuelsson 5 (Tocchet), 15:15.

Shots on goal—New York 12-11-12—35. Philadelphia 11-19-11—41. Goalies—New York, Fitzpatrick. Philadelphia, Hextall. A—17,423.

'Hawks 6, Penquins 4

Chicago	2	2	2—6

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Loney 9 (Gilhen, Zemlak), 4:31. 2, Chicago, Larmer 22 (Manson), 14:24. 3, Chicago, Roenick 22 (K.Brown, Larmer), 18:45.

Second Period—4, Pittsburgh, Recchi 24 (Pederson), 10:09. 5, Chicago, Thomas 29 (Wilson, Graham), 12:29 (pp). 6, Chicago, Sutter 4 (Konroyd, Van Dorp), 14:44. 7, Pittsburgh, Stevens 22 (Pederson, Zemlak), 18:56.

Third Period—8, Chicago, Larmer 23 (Roenick, Gilbert), 6:33. 9, Chicago, Creighton 31 (Thomas, Graham), 12:33. 10, Pittsburgh, Errey 16 (R.Brown, Tanti), 12:58.

Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 9-9-8—26. Chicago 9-14-10—33. Goalies—Pittsburgh, Pietrangelo. Chicago, Chevrier. A—18,472.

Jets 5, Flames 1

At Winnipeg, Manitoba

Calgary	0	0	1—1
Winnipeg	1	2	2—5

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Smail 23 (McLlwain, Numminen), 8:40 (pp).

Second Period—2, Winnipeg, Ashton 16 (Olausson, Carlyle), :45. 3, Winnipeg, Elynuik 25 (McLlwain, Sykes), 13:57.

Third Period—4, Calgary, Suter 12 (MacInnis, Gilmour), 8:55. 5, Winnipeg, Carlyle 3 (Boschman), 15:58. 6, Winnipeg, McLlwain 18 (Smail, Olausson), 19:42.

Shots on goal—Calgary 7-14-12—33. Winnipeg 7-10-6—23. Goalies—Calgary, Vernon. Winnipeg, Beaugard. A—14,295.

Whalers 6, Sabres 4

At Buffalo, N.Y.

Hartford	1	2	3—6
Buffalo	0	2	2—4

First Period—1, Hartford, Ladouceur 3, 12:03.

Second Period—2, Hartford, Cunneyworth 13 (Dineen, Shaw), :10. 3, Buffalo, Hogue 10 (Andreychuk, Bodger), 3:26 (pp). 4, Hartford, Babych 4, 3:50. 5, Buffalo, Hartman 8 (Ledyard, Housley), 13:05 (pp).

Third Period—6, Hartford, Ferraro 24 (Babych, Shaw), 1:25 (pp). 7, Hartford, Krygier 15 (Evason, Shaw), 7:59. 8, Hartford, Kastelic 5 (Cunneyworth, Samuelsson), 14:09. 9, Buffalo, Andreychuk 25 (Vaive, Housley), 16:29 (pp). 10, Buffalo, Andreychuck 26 (Turgeon, Housley), 19:18.

Shots on goal—Hartford 9-8-10—27. Buffalo 7-11-10—28.

Goalies—Hartford, Sidorkiewicz. Buffalo, Puppa. A—16,433.

Oilers 3, Stars 2

At Edmonton, Alberta

Minnesota	1	1	0—2
Edmonton	1	1	1—3

First Period—1, Edmonton, Messier 34 (Simpson), 7:06. 2, Minnesota, Gartner 34, 8:49 (sh).

Second Period—3, Minnesota, Modano 25, 5:55. 4, Edmonton, Tikkanen 27 (Messier, Kurri), 17:26.

Third Period—5, Edmonton, Kurri 31 (Anderson, S.Smith), 4:59 (pp).

Shots on goal—Minnesota 12-9-7—28. Edmonton 9-12-11—32. Goalies—Minnesota, Casey. Edmonton, Reddick. A—17,503.

Bruins 7, Canucks 2

At Vancouver, British Columbia

Boston	2	3	2—7
Vancouver	0	2	0—2

First Period—1, Boston, Janney 11 (Bourque), 13:29 (pp). 2, Boston, B.Sweeney 18 (Carpenter, Bourque), 19:49 (pp).

Second Period—3, Vancouver, Adams 23, 10:04. 4, Vancouver, Bradley 17 (Sandlak, Snepsts), 10:30. 5, Boston, Janney 12 (Bourque, Wesley), 13:03 (pp). 6, Boston, Christian 11 (Carpenter), 17:44. 7, Boston, Brickley 11 (Bourque), 18:26.

Third Period—8, Boston, Brickley 12 (Wesley, Bourque), 9:16 (pp). 9, Boston, Bourque 16 (Janney, B.Sweeney), 10:01 (pp).

Shots on goal—Boston 17-15-7—39. Vancouver 4-11-10—25. Goalies—Boston, Lemelin. Vancouver, McLean. A—16,123.

Women's Poll

Women's Top Twenty Five
By The Associated Press

The Top Twenty Five women's basketball teams, with first-place votes of 66 women's coaches in parentheses, total points based on 25-24-23-22-21-20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, season records through Feb. 18, points and last week's ranking as compiled by Mel Greenberg of The Philadelphia Inquirer:

	Record	Pts
1. La. Tech (65)	23-0	1,648
2. Nev.-Las Vegas	24-1	1,556
3. Stanford (1)	22-1	1,525
4. Tennessee	21-4	1,452
5. Washington	21-2	1,369
6. Texas	20-3	1,332
7. Georgia	22-3	1,251
8. Steph. F. Austin	22-2	1,179
9. N. Carolina St.	20-4	1,103
10. Virginia	23-3	1,030
11. Auburn	20-5	973
12. Long Beach St.	19-5	927
13. Iowa	17-5	834
14. Hawaii	22-2	719
15. Purdue	18-5	696
16. Northwestern	19-3	631
17. S. Mississippi	21-2	618
18. Tennessee Tech	19-3	417
19. Louisiana St.	18-6	412
20. South Carolina	17-7	376
21. St. Joseph's	19-4	322
22. N. Illinois	20-4	264
23. Providence	20-4	263
24. Connecticut	21-3	151
25. Arkansas	18-3	66

College Basketball

Scores

Sunday's College Scores
By The Associated Press

Brandeis 106, Carnegie-Mellon 70
Iona 80, Loyola, Md. 65
La Salle 72, Fairfield 49
Rhode Island 66, Duquesne 65
St. Francis, Pa. 76, Wagner 73
Temple 75, Rutgers 69
Vermont 63, New Hampshire 61
Yeshiva 83, Molloy 55

SOUTH

Duke 71, Wake Forest 56
LSU 121, Vanderbilt 108

MIDWEST

Illinois Wesleyn 93, Carthage 91
Missouri 92, Oklahoma 90
North Dakota 97, N. Dakota St.75
Ohio St. 64, Michigan 61
Wis.-Stevens Pt. 111, Edgewood 82
Wittenberg 82, Ohio Wesleyn 74

SOUTHWEST

Texas 79, Texas A&M 73

FAR WEST

Colorado St. 64, San Diego St. 57
Oregon St. 83, Washington St. 63
Stanford 70, UCLA 69
UNLV 95, Arizona 87

Top 25 Boxes

Missouri 92, Oklahoma 90

At Columbia, Mo.

OKLAHOMA (90)

Jones 6-15 3-4 18, Patterson 5-11 2-2 12, Davis 6-13 4-5 16, McCovery 4-7 2-2 12, Henry 6-17 8-12 20, Evans 0-2 0-1 0, Mullins 0-1 0-0 0, Holmes 0-1 0-0 0, Martin 5-9 2-3 12. Totals 32-76 21-29 90.

MISSOURI (92)

Buntin 5-6 6-11 16, Smith 8-12 7-10 23, Coward 3-7 1-1 7, McIntyre 3-8 3-4 11, Peeler 6-15 4-7 18, Ford 4-8 0-0 10, Coleman 0-3 0-0 0, Warren 2-2 3-6 7. Totals 31-81 24-39 92.

Halftime—Missouri 45, Oklahoma 38. 3-point goals—Oklahoma 5-15 (Jones 3-8, McCovery 2-3, Patterson 0-1, Evans 0-1, Henry 0-2), Missouri 6-20 (Peeler 2-5, Ford 2-5, McIntyre 2-6, Coward 0-4). Fouled out—Davis. Rebounds—Oklahoma 45 (Henry 11), Missouri 52 (Smith 14). Assists—Oklahoma 20 (McCovery 8), Missouri 24 (Peeler 8). Total fouls—Oklahoma 28, Missouri 23. A—13,300.

Ohio State 64 Michigan 61

At Columbus, Ohio

MICHIGAN (61)

Griffin 1-3 0-0 2, Vaught 5-13 0-1 10, Mills 4-6 0-1 8, Calip 3-5 1-2 7, R.Robinson 5-15 11-16 24, Riley 2-3 2-2 6, Talley 0-3 0-0 0, Tolbert 2-5 0-0 4, Seter 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-53 14-22 61.

OHIO ST. (64)

Jent 2-9 0-0 5, Jackson 6-10 3-3 16, Carter 5-9 2-2 10, Brown 6-11 2-3 15, Baker 1-3 1-3 3, B.Robinson 2-4 1-3 5, Davis 2-8 0-0 4, Lee 2-5 2-2 6, Brandewie 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 25-59 11-16 64.

Halftime—Michigan 31, Ohio St. 30. 3-point goals—Michigan 3-9 (R.Robinson 3-8, Vaught 0-1), Ohio St. 3-12 (Jent 1-3, Jackson 1-3, Brown 1-3, Davis 0-3). Fouled out—Mills, Riley. Rebounds—Michigan 35 (Vaught 9), Ohio St. 36 (B.Robinson 7). Assists—Michigan 9 (Calip, R.Robinson, Tolbert 2), Ohio St. 10 (Carter, Baker 3). Total fouls—Michigan 19, Ohio St. 20. A—13,276.

Duke 71, Wake Forest 56

At Durham, N.C.

WAKE FOREST (56)

Ivy 5-7 0-0 10, King 7-16 3-4 17, Medlin 3-9 1-1 7, Siler 4-12 1-2 9, McQueen 1-4 0-0 2, Kitley 0-1 0-0 0, Tucker 3-7 0-2 6, Hedgecoe 1-2 0-0 3, Carlyle 0-3 0-0 0, Wise 1-1 0-1 2. Totals 25-82 5-10 56.

DUKE (71)

Brickey 6-9 2-2 14, Laettner 1-9 2-2 4, Abdelnaby 6-11 3-4 15, Henderson 6-13 2-2 15, Hurley 2-5 2-2 7, Koubek 0-3 0-0 0, Davis 4-6 0-2 8, Hill 3-6 0-0 6, McCaffrey 1-5 0-0 2, Palmer 0-0 0-0 0, Cook 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 29-68 11-14 71.

Halftime—Duke 43, Wake Forest 25. 3-point goals—Wake Forest 1-5 (Hedgecoe 1-1, Carlyle 0-1, Siler 0-1, McQueen 0-2), Duke 2-10 (Hurley 1-2, Henderson 1-3, Brickey 0-1, Koubek 0-1, McCaffrey 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Wake Forest 37 (Tucker 7), Duke 34 (Laettner 9). Assists—Wake Forest 10 (McQueen 4), Duke 15 (Laettner, Henderson, Hurley, Davis 3). Total fouls—Wake Forest 13, Duke 15. A—9,314.

LSU 121, Vandy 108

At Nashville, Tenn.

LSU (121)

Singleton 4-5 4-6 12, Sims 2-4 2-2 6, O'Neal 5-7 2-5 12, Williamson 10-16 7-7 31, Jackson 16-30 7-7 46, Boudreaux 1-1 0-0 2, Devall 0-0 2-3 2, Krajewski 0-0 0-0 0, Roberts 5-11 0-0 10. Totals 43-74 24-30 121.

VANDERBILT (108)

Mayes 0-4 0-0 0, Reid 0-2 5-6 5, Millholland 5-8 5-6 16, Wilcox 5-11 2-2 15, Draud 11-22 0-0 31, Anglin 1-5 5-5 7, Grant 2-6 5-6 9, Wheat 6-13 3-5 17, Hall 2-3 4-5 8. Totals 32-74 29-35 108.

Halftime—LSU 65, Vanderbilt 45. 3-point goals—LSU 11-19 (Jackson 7-12, Williamson 4-7), Vanderbilt 15-29 (Draud 9-15, Wilcox 3-5, Wheat 2-5, Millholland 1-2, Mayes 0-1, Anglin 0-1). Fouled out—Roberts. Rebounds—LSU 45 (O'Neal 15), Vanderbilt 38 (Grant 7). Assists—LSU 20 (Williamson 10), Vanderbilt 20 (Wilcox 9). Total fouls—LSU 24, Vanderbilt 24. A—15,399.

Oregon State 83 Washington State 63

At Pullman, Wash.

OREGON ST. (83)

Alibegovic 1-3 2-2 4, Martin 9-16 1-2 22, Haskin 5-7 6-6 16, Payton 10-20 5-6 26, Celestine 5-9 0-0 11, Anderson 1-2 0-0 2, Cavell 0-0 0-0 0, Harris 0-0 2-2 2, McKinney 0-0 0-0 0, McIntosh 0-1 0-1 0, Rueppell 0-0 0-1 0. Totals 31-66 16-20 83.

WASHINGTON ST. (63)

Evans 1-3 0-0 2, Paine 5-11 4-7 14, Seltzer 3-7 4-4 10, Sanders 2-6 0-0 5, Woods 5-13 6-7 18, Thomas 1-3 0-0 2, Martin 3-6 0-1 8, Tresvant 0-0 2-2 2, Thompson 0-0 0-1 0, Bell 1-1 0-0 2, Delaney 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 21-52 16-23 63.

Halftime—Oregon St. 49, Washington St. 35. 3-point goals—Oregon St. 5-15 (Martin 3-6, Celestine 1-2, Payton 1-7), Washington St. 5-16 (Woods 2-5, Martin 2-6, Sanders 1-3, Seltzer 0-2). Fouled out—Woods. Rebounds—Oregon St. 31 (Haskin 8), Washington St. 36 (Woods, Paine 8). Assists—Oregon St. 20 (Payton 11), Washington St. 11 (Seltzer, Sanders 3). Total fouls—Oregon St. 23, Washington St. 19. Technical—Washington St. bench. A—3,406.

LaSalle 72, Fairfield 49

At Philadelphia

FAIRFIELD (49)

Duncan 1-3 0-0 2, Henderson 1-4 3-4 5, Brantley 3-5 1-1 7, Walters 2-14 1-2 5, George 2-8 0-0 4, Fitzsimons 4-7 0-0 11, T. Holland 0-2 2-2 2, Newman 3-5 2-2 8, Keith 0-2 0-0 0, Hagis 0-0 1-2 1, Plansky 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 18-53 10-13 49.

LA SALLE (72)

Simmons 10-20 4-11 24, Hurd 0-6 0-1 0, Lieverst 3-4 0-0 6, Overton 6-12 3-4 15, Woods 3-6 0-0 7, B. Holland 1-3 0-0 2, Johnson 4-9 6-6 15, Stock 0-2 0-0 0, Shelton 0-2 0-0 0, Morris 0-0 0-0 0, Neubauer 1-2 0-0 3, Bergin 0-0 0-2 0. Totals 28-66 13-24 72.

Halftime—La Salle 35, Fairfield 20. 3-point goals—Fairfield 3-11 (Fitzsimons 3-5, Duncan 0-1, Plansky 0-1, Walters 0-4), La Salle 3-14 (Woods 1-1, Neubauer 1-2, Johnson 1-3, Stock 0-1, Simmons 0-2, Overton 0-2, Hurd 0-3). Fouled out—none. Rebounds—Fairfield 37 (Henderson 6), La Salle 44 (Simmons 10). Assists—Fairfield 12 (Walters 3, Fitzsimons 3), La Salle 14 (Overton 4, Woods 4). Total fouls—Fairfield 22, La Salle 14. A—5,238.

UNLV 95, Arizona 87

At Las Vegas

ARIZONA (87)

Williams 1-5 0-0 2, Buechler 9-17 2-3 21, Stokes 5-7 0-0 10, Othick 3-8 0-0 7, Muehlebach 5-8 1-2 14, Schmidt 0-1 0-0 0, Womack 2-3 4-5 8, David 1-1 0-0 2, Rooks 4-10 15-17 23. Totals 30-60 22-27 87.

UNLV (95)

Johnson 10-13 5-7 26, Augmon 6-11 4-6 16, Butler 6-9 7-8 19, Hunt 3-10 4-4 10, Anthony 6-12 2-2 16, Young 0-0 1-2 1, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Scurry 2-4 3-6 7. Totals 33-59 26-35 95.

Halftime—UNLV 44, Arizona 41. 3-point goals—Arizona 5-10 (Muehlebach 3-4, Buechler 1-2, Othic 1-4), UNLV 3-9 (Anthony 2-3, Johnson 1-2, Augmon 0-1, Hunt 0-3). Fouled out—Buechler, Stokes, Johnson, Butler. Rebounds—Arizona 30 (Buechler 11), UNLV 34 (Augmon 12). Assists—Arizona 16 (Othick, Muehlebach 5), UNLV 22 (Anthony 7). Total fouls—Arizona 23, UNLV 21. Technicals—Anthony, Arizona coach Olson. A—19,034.

Stanford 70, UCLA 69

At Los Angeles

STANFORD (70)

Vlahov 9-14 2-3 20, Wingate 4-5 4-5 12, Keefe 2-7 13-15 17, Patrick 2-4 0-1 6, Ammann 2-4 1-2 6, Lollie 0-2 4-5 4, Dukes 1-1 0-0 2, Bruton 0-1 3-6 3. Totals 20-38 27-37 70.

UCLA (69)

Wilson 4-14 5-10 13, MacLean 3-9 9-11 15, Murray 4-8 5-8 13, Martin 5-12 4-7 14, Madkins 3-6 1-1 7, Butler 2-3 0-1 4, Walker 1-2 0-0 3. Totals 22-54 24-38 69.

Halftime—Stanford 37, UCLA 26. 3-point goals—Stanford 3-6 (Patrick 2-3, Ammann 1-2, Lollie 0-1), UCLA 1-6 (Walker 1-2, Murray 0-2, Madkins 0-2). Fouled out—Vlahov, Wingate, Martin. Rebounds— Stanford 32 (Keefe 10), UCLA 31 (Wilson 8). Assists—Stanford 12 (Patrick 4), UCLA 9 (Martin 3). Total fouls—Stanford 25, UCLA 26. A—10,936.

SWC Track

FORT WORTH (AP) — Here are Saturday's final results in the Southwest Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships:

Men's Results

Final team standings — Arkansas 146¼, Baylor 83¼, Texas A&M 48, Houston, SMU 37, Rice 36, Texas 35½, TCU 23, Texas Tech 18.

55 hurdles — 1, Richard Buckner, Texas A&M, 7.32. 2, Arthur Smith, Baylor, 7.42. 3, Ray Ross, Houston, 7.43. 4, Brit Pursley, Texas Tech, 7.48. 5, Charles Williams, Arkansas, 7.56. 6, Rod Roberson, Texas Tech, 7.73.

55 meters — 1,Leroy Burrell, Houston, 6.19. 2, Andre Cason, Texas A&M, 6.24. 3, Derwin Hall, Texas, 6.30. 4, Horatio Porter, TCU, 6.31. 5, Steve Lofton, Texas A&M, 6.36. 6, Stanley Kerr, Texas A&M, 6.43.

3200 meter relay — 1, Arkansas, Alex Hallock, Scott Cramer, Ken Gaston, Marlon Boykins, 7:37.63. 2, SMU, 7:38.92. 3, Rice, 7:41.31. 4, Houston, 7:43.99. 5, Baylor, 7:52.78. 6, Texas, 7:55.52.

200 meters — 1, Michael Johnson, Baylor, 20.98. new meet record. old record 21.12, Joe DeLoach, Houston, 1988. 2. Kevin Moore, Rice, 21.71. 3, Etheridge Green, Baylor, 21.73.4, Horatio Greer, TCU, 21.75. 5, David Shepherd,Texas Tech, 21.83.6, Ram Ramirez, Texas, 21.85.

Pole vault — 1, Bill Payne, Baylor, 18-3. new meet record. old record 17-7½, by David Hodge, Baylor, Roy Hix, SMU, 1986. 2, Brit Pursley, Texas Tech, 17-7. 3. (tie), Warren Smith, Texas, Marcus McGahee, Arkansas, Brandon Richards, Baylor, Scotty Miller, Texas, 17-1¼.

Mile — 1, Ruben Reina, Arkansas, 4:02.87. 2, Johan Boskes, Arkansas, 4:03.35. 3, Eric Henry, 4:03.35. 4, Gil Contreras, Arkansas, 4:06.53. 5, Mike Skinner, Arkansas, 4:09.36. 6, Noyes Livingston, Texas, 4:10.18.

400 meter — 1, Tony Miller, Baylor, 47.34. 2, Gabriel Luke,Rice, 47.64. 3, Charles Williams, Arkansas, 48.08. 4, Todd Thompson, Baylor, 48.32. 5, Rick Jordan, Houston, 48.63. 6, Joe Spells, SMU, 48.78.

Shot put — 1, Mike Stulce, Texas A&M, 70-0¾. new meet record. old mark 67-0¾, Michael Carter, SMU, 1986. 2, Roar Hoff, SMU, 62-1. 3, Lance Wile Texas, 58-0¾. 4, Steve Collier, A&M, 56-10. 5, Lars Sundt, SMU, 56-5¾. 6, Chris Rayson, Texas, 55-1.

800 meters — 1, Terril Davis, Baylor, 1:52.23. 2, William Maru, TCU, 1:52.52. 3, J.T. McManus, TCU, 1:52.61. 4, Dan Gabor, Arkansas, 1:52.89. 5, Bob Bradley, Arkansas, 1:52.86. 6, Andy Beckman, TCU, 1:53.66.

Long jump — 1, Edrick Floreal, Arkansas, 25-6. 2, Ron Robertson, Rice, 24-10. 3, Leroy Burrell, 24-6¾, 4,Clyde Duncan, Houston, 24-6¾. 5, Tony Walton, Texas Tech, 24-7¾. 6, Peller Phillips, Texas, 24-1¾.

High jump — 1, Jeff Wylie, Baylor, 7-1¾. 2, Ray Seguin, SMU, 6-11. 3, Tony Posey, Arkansas, 6-11.

3000 meters — 1, Reuben Reina, Arkansas, 8:01.35. new meet record; old record 8:03.45, Joe Falcon, Arkansas, 1988. 2, Eric Henry, Arkansas, 8:04.41. 3, Harrison Smith, Arkansas, 8:06.63.

1600 meter relay — 1, Baylor, Mike Johnson, Tony Miller, Ethridge Green, Todd Thompson, 3:09.06. new meet record. old record 3:09.42, Baylor, 1988. 2, Texas A&M 3:12.20. 3, Arkansas, 3:14.43.

Women's Results

Final team standings — Texas 127, Rice 93, Houston 66, Baylor 60, Arkansas 47, A&M 18, SMU 12, Texas Tech 8, TCU 5.

Long jump — 1, Latanya Archie, Houston, 19-11. 2, Yolanda Taylor, Texas A&M, 19-6¾. 3, Sonia Henry, Rice, 19-4¾.

55 meter hurdles — 1, Yolande Harper, Houston, 7.86. 2, Lisa Wells, Texas, 7.98. 3, Sandra Cummings, Houston, 8.03.

55 meters — 1, LaShawn Haythe, Arkansas, 6.91. 2, Tamela Saldana, Texas, 6.94. 3, Michelle Williams, Texas, 7.02.

3200 meter relay — 1, Rice, Ali Uberecken, Heather McDermit, Julie Jisera, Michelle Barz, 9:04.43. 2, Baylor, 9:05.86. 3, Houston, 9:11.34.

200 meter — 1, Michelle Williams, Texas, 24.40. 2, Tamela Saldana, Texas, 24.53. 3, LaShawn Haythe, Arkansas, 24.55.

Mile — 1,Tina Hall, Texas, 4:50.06. 2, Michelle Bars, Rice, 4:51.48. 3, Lisa Stone, Baylor, 4:54.85.

Shot Put — 1, Joann Hacker, SMU, 47-8½. 2, Tanja Bement, Houston, 46-2½. 3, Kim Montgomery, Houston, 43-8¾.

3000 meter — 1, Tina Hall, Texas, 9:33.54. 2, Jackie Mota, Arkansas, 9:41. 32. 3, Natalie Nalepa, Baylor, 9:43.47.

400 meter — 1, Sandie Richards, Texas, 52.76. 2, Rosey Edeh, Rice, 53.68. 3, Sheila Gibson, Baylor, 55.43.

800 meters — 1, Kellie Roberts, Texas, 2:09.95. 2, Heather McDonald, Rice, 2:11.17. 3, Michelle Barz, Rice, 2:12.19.

1600 meter relay — 1, Texas, Barbara Selkridge, Kellye Roberts, Nicole Ates, Sandie Richards, 3:38.68. 2, Rice, 3:42.57. 3, Baylor, 3:47.4.

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	34	17	.667	—
Philadelphia	33	18	.647	1
Boston	30	20	.600	3½
Washington	20	33	.377	15
New Jersey	12	38	.240	21½
Miami	10	42	.192	24½

Central Division

Detroit	37	14	.725	—
Chicago	31	20	.608	6
Milwaukee	28	23	.549	9
Indiana	27	25	.519	10½
Atlanta	23	27	.460	13½
Cleveland	22	27	.449	14
Orlando	15	35	.300	21½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	35	16	.686	—
San Antonio	34	16	.680	½
Dallas	28	22	.560	6½
Denver	27	23	.540	7½
Houston	23	27	.460	11½
Minnesota	13	37	.260	21½
Charlotte	9	40	.184	25

Pacific Division

L.A. Lakers	37	12	.755	—
Portland	36	14	.720	1½
Phoenix	32	17	.653	5
Seattle	24	25	.490	13
Golden State	24	26	.480	13½
L.A. Clippers	21	28	.429	16
Sacramento	13	36	.265	24

Sunday's Games

Washington 116, Indiana 97
Seattle 85, Charlotte 70
Chicago 111, Milwaukee 88
LA Lakers 116, Boston 110
Phoenix 131, Golden State 113
Minnesota 108, Atlanta 98
Philadelphia 110, Portland 109

Bullets 116, Pacers 97

INDIANA (97)

Person 4-11 1-2 9, Thompson 1-4 0-0 2, Smits 7-14 2-2 16, Fleming 5-12 0-0 10, Miller 5-14 9-12 19, Schrempf 7-11 5-6 21, Sanders 5-11 0-1 10, Green 1-4 2-2 4, McCloud 2-9 2-2 6. Totals 37-90 21-27 97.

WASHINGTON (116)

Horton 3-6 0-0 6, King 10-16 7-9 27, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Malone 9-21 5-6 23, Walker 1-4 4-4 6, Hammonds 5-11 2-4 12, Eackles 6-13 7-8 19, Grant 4-8 3-3 11, Colter 1-1 2-2 4, Alarie 3-7 2-3 8. Totals 42-89 32-39 116.

Indiana	23	31	21	22— 97
Washington	32	21	37	26—116

3-Point goals—Indiana 2-7 (Schrempf 2-2, Person 0-1, McCloud 0-2, Miller 0-2), Washington 0-1 (Horton 0-1). Rebounds—Indiana 50 (Thompson 8), Washington 63 (Walker 16). Assists— Indiana 16 (Person 5), Washington 15 (Walker 7). A—10,347.

Sonics 85, Hornets 70

SEATTLE (85)

McKey 7-14 2-2 16, McDaniel 10-21 0-0 20, Cage 3-5 4-4 10, McMillan 1-3 1-1 3, Barros 7-17 0-0 17, Dailey 4-5 1-2 9, Kemp 2-5 2-2 6, Farmer 2-10 0-0 4. Totals 36-83 10-11 85.

CHARLOTTE (70)

Tripucka 1-7 0-0 2, Gilliam 8-13 6-9 22, J.R.Reid 3-7 1-2 7, Bogues 5-7 4-4 14, Chapman 2-8 3-3 7, Curry 1-12 0-0 2, R.Reid 0-6 3-4 3, Gattison 2-2 2-2 6, Rowsom 3-5 1-1 7. Totals 25-70 20-25 70.

Seattle	29	18	26	12—85
Charlotte	16	23	14	17—70

3-Point goals—Seattle 3-5 (Barros 3-4, Farmer 0-1), Charlotte 0-3 (R.Reid 0-1, Curry 0-2). Rebounds—Seattle 53 (Cage 11), Charlotte 45 (Gilliam 8). Assists—Seattle 15 (McMillan 4), Charlotte 14 (Tripucka, Bogues 6). A—23,901.

Bulls 111, Bucks 88

CHICAGO (111)

Grant 7-14 4-8 18, Pippen 6-11 3-6 16, Perdue 3-5 0-0 6, Jordan 15-26 9-10 39, Paxson 2-7 0-0 4, King 6-12 2-2 14, Hodges 1-4 0-0 3, Nealy 3-4 1-1 7, Armstrong 1-2 0-0 2, Sanders 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 45-86 19-27 111.

MILWAUKEE (88)

Anderson 7-14 2-6 16, Grayer 5-9 4-4 14, Sikma 2-8 0-0 4, Humphries 2-6 2-2 6, Robertson 2-8 2-2 6, Pierce 4-11 5-6 13, Pressey 4-12 4-4 13, Lohaus 2-7 0-0 4, Roberts 3-6 0-0 6, Coleman 1-6 1-2 3, Brown 1-3 1-2 3. Totals 33-93 21-28 88.

Chicago	20	28	35	28—111
Milwaukee	27	21	26	14— 88

3-Point goals—Chicago 2-8 (Pippen 1-2, Hodges 1-3, Paxson 0-1, Jordan 0-2), Milwaukee 1-8 (Pressey 1-2, Humphries 0-1, Lohaus 0-1, Kornet 0-1, Sikma 0-3). Rebounds—Chicago 56 (Grant, Pippen 11), Milwaukee 60 (Anderson 16). Assists—Chicago 29 (Pippen, Hodges 5), Milwaukee 17 (Robertson 8). A—18,633.

Lakers 116, Celtics 110

BOSTON (110)

Bird 9-17 2-2 20, Pinckney 1-2 0-0 2, Parish 9-12 2-4 20, D.Johnson 5-10 0-0 10, Lewis 10-13 4-4 24, McHale 8-14 5-6 21, Gamble 1-2 0-0 3, Paxson 3-5 0-0 6, M.Smith 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 48-78 13-16 110.

LA LAKERS (116)

Green 3-5 0-0 6, Worthy 12-26 1-2 25, Thompson 2-7 2-2 6, E.Johnson 10-21 7-7 30, Scott 8-16 5-7 24, Divac 4-8 5-7 13, Cooper 0-1 2-2 2, Woolridge 4-7 0-0 8, Drew 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 44-93 22-27 116.

Boston	30	28	36	16—110
LA Lakers	29	23	40	24—116

3-Point goals—Boston 1-4 (Gamble 1-1, McHale 0-1, D.Johnson 0-2), Los Angeles 6-10 (Scott 3-3, E.Johnson 3-6, Cooper 0-1). Rebounds—Boston 39 (Parish 14), Los Angeles 48 (Thompson 8). Assists—Boston 39 (D.Johnson 12), Los Angeles 30 (E.Johnson 13). A—17,505.

Suns 131, Warriors 113

PHOENIX (131)

Chambers 19-29 18-19 56, Majerle 5-15 4-5 14, West 2-5 0-2 4, Hornacek 9-15 5-5 24, K.Johnson 8-17 5-6 21, Lang 1-2 0-0 2, Grant 2-6 0-0 4, Battie 1-3 4-4 6, Perry 0-1 0-2 0. Totals 47-94 34-43 131.

GOLDEN STATE (113)

Mullin 11-17 1-2 23, Teagle 5-17 6-6 16, Bol 5-8 0-2 10, Hardaway 5-10 2-2 13, Richmond 10-21 0-1 24, Higgins 3-8 3-4 9, Garland 2-4 0-0 4, Tolbert 2-9 0-0 4, Marciulionis 3-5 1-1 7, Petersen 1-5 1-2 3. Totals 49-104 14-20 113.

Phoenix	36	39	29	28—131
Golden State	29	24	32	28—113

3-Point goals—Phoenix 3-8 (Chambers 2-2, Hornacek 1-2, Majerle 0-2, K.Johnson 0-2), Golden State 1-10 (Hardaway 1-3, Garland 0-1, Tolbert 0-1, Higgins 0-2, Mullin 0-3). Rebounds—Phoenix 58 (Hornacek 10), Golden State 59 (Bol 11). Assists—Phoenix 24 (K.Johnson 11), Golden State 24 (Hardaway 9). A—15,025.

76ers 110, Blazers 109

PHILADELPHIA (110)

Barkley 9-18 9-13 27, Mahorn 4-10 4-6 12, Gminski 6-10 2-2 14, Dawkins 5-13 4-4 15, Hawkins 6-14 2-2 16, Smith 4-4 0

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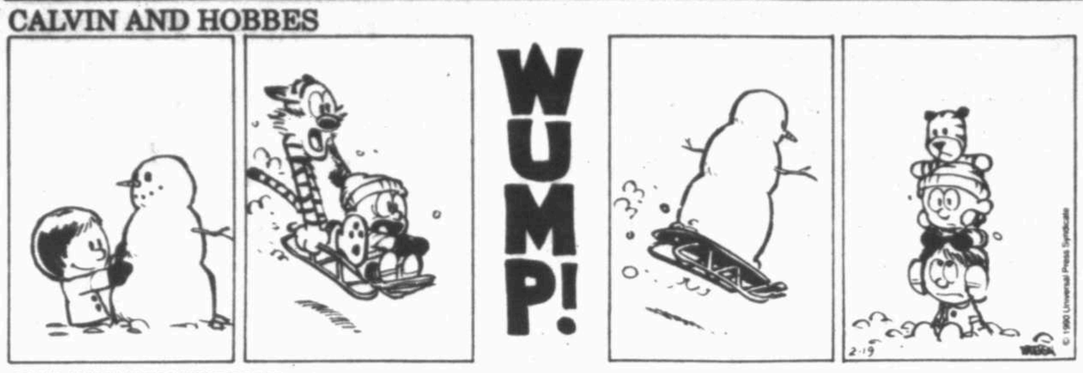

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You are right to be enthusiastic about the months just ahead! Make a blueprint for success and follow it. A partnership is vital for your financial and emotional well-being. A certain amount of self-promotion will be necessary for career advancement. Social fun, romance and artistic efforts will assume new importance in September. Be careful when mixing business with pleasure. Travel will give you wonderful inspiration. Do your own research.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Sidney Poitier, fashion designer Gloria Vanderbilt, auto racing's Roger Penske, hockey's Phil Esposito.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A damaged relationship can be repaired if you are willing to make intelligent compromises. Share your experiences with a younger person. Begin a health and exercise self-improvement program.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You take things very seriously. Postpone making major decisions and try to add a few fun-loving friends to your life. Handicrafts could be the perfect outlet for your creativity. Your family applauds.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Invest in a self-improvement tape or video. Others will be surprised by how much you can accomplish today. Use a little restraint when it comes to spending money, however. Save for a vacation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Credit matters or joint finances could make this a trying day. Do everything that is asked of you without fuss or delay. Your cooperation will win the approval and backing of influential people.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A generous attitude will help you enlist the support of prominent people. Shopping for household items holds great promise. Influential friends like your style. Romantic bonds are strengthened.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Create a friendly climate at work. Group knowledge and resources can lead to the realization of a long-sought professional goal. Secure support of influential people. Romance is on your mind.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A realistic attitude is vital. Think twice about a spectacular purchase or business move. Greater involvement in a community project or charity will be rewarding. Family wants to be included.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Refuse to settle for the status quo! Taking a new direction will add excitement and romance to your life. A family member could play on your sympathy. Continue to make your own decisions.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A major decision must be made. A re-evaluation will be needed; seek experts' advice. Go with big opportunities; do not limit yourself. Socialize tonight. Have some laughs and a romance may develop.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Money arrives from several sources. Capitalize on one of your many talents. An older person is only too willing to advise you about your investments. Romance looks thrilling.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A sense of restriction is gone. Many messages are sent. A change of lifestyle will boost your spirits. Be careful when investing in new clothes. You attract someone who previously has been indifferent.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Postpone signing documents until you have read them through carefully. Consult a lawyer if you still have doubts. An older person has valuable information to share, steering your career in a new direction.

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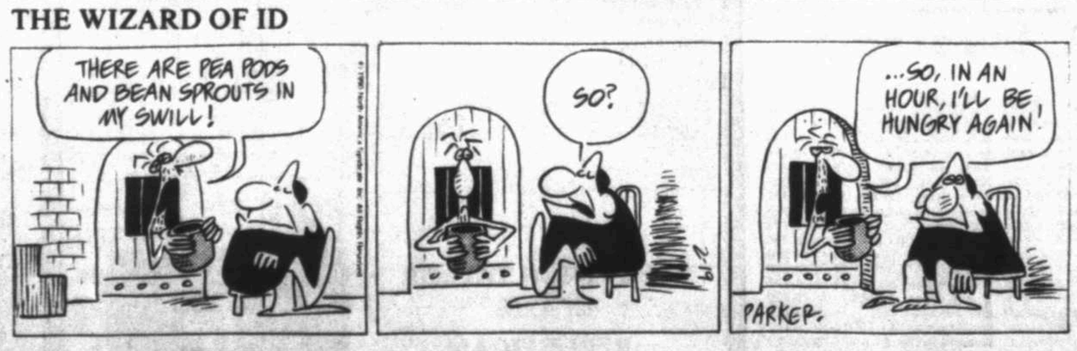

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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠963 ♡K1064 ◇Q6 ♣QJ64
The bidding has proceeded:

West	North	East	South
1 ♡	Dbl	1 ♠	?

What action do you take?
A.—You have too much in high cards to stay out of the auction. While bidding two clubs won't lead to a disaster, your soft values and lack of distributional assets point toward a no trump contract. Bid one no trump. Don't worry about no spade stopper—partner promised spades with his takeout double.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AKQ7652 ♡A652 ◇6 ♣5
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	?	

What is your opening bid?
A.—Since partner is a passed hand, you can give up all thought of slam. You have a magnificent hand offensively, but on defense you might take only one trick. In third position the restriction on preempting with more than one ace does not apply and our choice would be an opening bid of four spades.

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠J65 ♡Q107 ◇AKQ105 ♣73
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♡	Pass
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What do you bid now?
A.—There are those who preach that to raise partner's major-suit response you need four-card support. In the words of Sam Goldwyn: "Include us out!" To bid anything other than two hearts is inconceivable. You can't bid no trump with two suits unstopped and two diamonds would show a six-card suit while denying heart support.

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KQJ1065 ♡AJ ◇A5 ♣A54
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 NT	Pass
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What do you bid now?
A.—We sympathize if you chose to rebid four spades (three spades is a drastic underbid), but we would opt for three no trump. You have a hand that will take eight tricks on its own with every suit stopped. Since it also is balanced, nine tricks could be easier than 10.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠95 ♡AJ6 ◇QJ542 ♣K103
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 NT	2 ♠	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—You have a balanced hand and the values for game opposite an opening no trump. Jump to three no trump. That doesn't guarantee a stopper in the enemy suit—partner rates to have at least one for the initial action.

Q.6—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠J72 ♡Q653 ◇98742 ♣6
Partner opens the bidding with one trump. What action do you take?
A.—This is not your hand and, even if you buy it, one no trump is unlikely to be your best spot. Bid two clubs, intending to pass any response partner makes. Even a 4-3 spade fit should play better than one no trump.

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"I'M STARVED, MOM! HOW ABOUT PUTTING YOUR MONEY WHERE MY MOUTH IS?"

THE FAR SIDE

Tales of the Known

THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME
Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

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NOPEI
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Sign over bananas in produce department of local grocery store: "Please don't separate us. We ---- -- together."

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES 1 2 3 4 5 6

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS 2-19

Arouse — Legal — Opine — Thwart — GREW UP
Sign over bananas in produce department of local grocery store: "Please don't separate us. We GREW UP together."

FAMILY CIRCUS

"This is the first sitting. You're on the second."

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PEOPLE

Megadeveloper Trump denies offering Ivana $100 million

NEW YORK — All that money! All that sex! All that blond hair! Tout le monde dined out on Donald and Ivana Trump last week after the news broke that the brash billionaire intended to divest himself of Trump, The Mrs.

Strangers in barrooms argued over how just much of Trump's many, many millions Mrs. Trump should get after 13 years and three children.

Reporters camped on the doorsteps of everybody who had ever known Marla Maples, the alleged "other woman," a model and actress.

Lawyers waded in, too, a few of them directly involved and many on the sidelines handicapping the coming contest. The Trumps' pre-and postnuptial agreements reportedly will give Mrs. Trump custody of their children and $25 million and a Connecticut mansion.

While some deemed this paltry for a man worth upward of $2 billion, Trump and his lawyers insisted that prenuptial agreements in general, and particularly this updated one, were "ironclad." Maybe, said other lawyers, and maybe not.

Nevertheless, it was reported that Trump would offer his wife $100 million to avoid a protracted dispute, which Trump's lawyers denied.

Trump himself, in an interview with a Daily News columnist, Mike McAlary, said: "Ivana doesn't want the money. She wants Donald. She totally loves me."

But then came stories that Mrs. Trump was demanding $150 million and the Plaza Hotel, which she has been running since her husband bought it a few years back.

Trump said repeatedly that his marital discord was simply a matter of two people growing apart over the years. He was not trading his 41-year-old blond spouse for the 26-year-old blond actress, Ms. Maples, who has had several bit parts in bad movies.

A spokesman for Ms. Maples repeatedly denied any romantic involvement between her and Trump. This did not stop The New York Post from quoting two unnamed "friends" of Ms. Maples, who claimed that she had told them that with Trump she enjoyed, as the huge Post headline put it, "Best Sex I've Ever Had."

Last week's racy headlines prompted the founder of the tongue-in-cheek Boring Institute, of Maplewood, N.J., to say press coverage has reached "the highest echelons of mega-boredom."

"Why does the public have to be subjected to the same overkill of rumor, innuendo and occasionally factual information that we suffered through in 1989 with Roseanne Barr?" Alan Caruba said Sunday.

Caruba would like to see a media recess in which "nothing is said or written about the Trumps for at least a week, allowing for some minimal sanity to return to the newsrooms of America."

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — Comedian Bob Hope's 195-acre ranch soon will be sprouting dozens of luxury homes, says the real-estate developer who paid the comedian $10 million for the property.

The ranch, once the home of sheep, cattle and horses, was sold to Continental Communities in a deal that closed about a week ago, said Robert E. Zuckerman, the company's president. It is one of only a few large tracts of open land still left in the city's sprawling San Fernando Valley.

"We found out about this property through one of his associates and we were very excited to get our check to Mr. Hope before anybody else," Zuckerman said. "We paid exactly what he wanted, which is the way he likes to do business."

Zuckerman said his company plans to build 75 homes priced at $1.5 million each, as well as an office building and a shopping center on the property about 30 miles northwest of downtown.

The 86-year-old Hope, who has been rehearsing for a forthcoming NBC-TV special, was not available for comment, his publicist, Frank Liberman, said Saturday.

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LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Actor Ed Begley Jr. has a prescription for Nebraska: Pull out of a five-state nuclear waste compact.

Begley

Begley, best known as the smart-talking Dr. Victor Ehrlich on the former TV series "St. Elsewhere," appeared Saturday with Concerned Citizens for Nebraska, a group of opponents to the Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact's plans to build a nuclear waste dump in Nebraska.

"Nuclear power is too powerful. It's not safe," said Begley. "We have to look at the facts. We have a responsibility to challenge people."

US Ecology Inc., developer of the $40 million concrete vault system expected to start accepting low-level radioactive waste in January 1993, has said the site just south of the South Dakota border meets federal and state guidelines.

The compact includes Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Former Olympic gymnast Nadia Comaneci says she did not live "the good life" in Romania, and denies she was the mistress of Nicu Ceausescu, son of the executed dictator Nicolae Ceausescu.

Comaneci

Comaneci, who won glory for her country when she scored perfect 10s in the Montreal Olympics in 1976, also said in the March issue of Life magazine that her defection from Romania may have helped start the revolution there.

She said her escape to the West in November hit her homeland "like a bomb. A bomb for the government. Because what will the people think? That even Nadia leaves Romania.

"They thought I had the good life, but I didn't. I lived just like the others."

About a month after Comaneci left, Romania's communist government was overthrown and the elder Ceausescu was executed.

Comaneci dismissed as "lies" reports that she was the mistress of Nicu Ceausescu.

"I am the famous one. So when people see Nicu and see me, they think we are lovers only because they know me. All lies."

She and Constantin Panait, a 36-year-old roofer who helped plan her escape, lived temporarily in a one-bedroom apartment in Los Angeles.

Comaneci said she and Panait, who has a wife in Hallandale, Fla., have no plans to marry.

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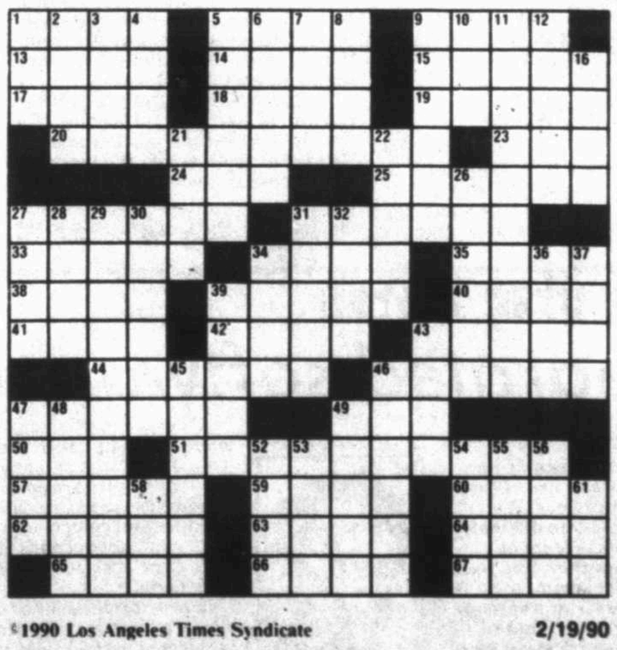

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Castro set on following hard line

Vows to defend socialism to the death

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — "Socialism or Death" is now Fidel Castro's slogan, repeated at the opening and close of his speeches.

He may be right, but it is not socialism that is ahead for Cuba.

After 30 years in power, Castro is this hemisphere's Ceausescu: more dictatorial than ever, refusing to save his nation from disaster "even if we were left alone and were the last ones," he swears to defend a system that promised security but delivered tyranny.

From the start, he made his nation a dependency of the Soviet Union; the Castro economic system, which insures total control of the political system, guarantees permanent hard times for Cubans.

This made for a kind of depressed stability as long as Moscow would pick up the bill.

In 1988, that subsidy totaled nearly $7 billion in hard currency, and did not decline last year; in return, Castro sent an army of 50,000 men to serve Soviet interests in Africa.

The adventure in Angola helped Castro beyond the rental of his troops: it kept busy an officer corps likely to turn against him.

Last year, he executed Gen. Arnaldo Ochoa and other potential coup leaders on trumped-up drug charges.

We may one day see, at the trial of the deposed strongman of Panama, how Castro's regime profited from that drug trade; we will also learn how Cuban fishermen used Panamanian cutouts to evade the U.S. trade embargo.

But the reason for Castro's coming downfall is the economic crisis facing his Soviet sponsors.

An academician's article in Muskovskie Novosti revealed that Moscow is spending proportionately six times as much as the U.S. on foreign aid, the largest portion of this unsustainable cost of empire going to Cuba.

That sort of Soviet article is now banned in Cuba.

The Cuban dictator has said he banned such publications of pereskstroika as Moscow News "without vacillation" because they cast aspersions on Lenin and socialism itself.

This unfraternal act was caused by delays in delivery of Ukrainian wheat and the oil Moscow arranges

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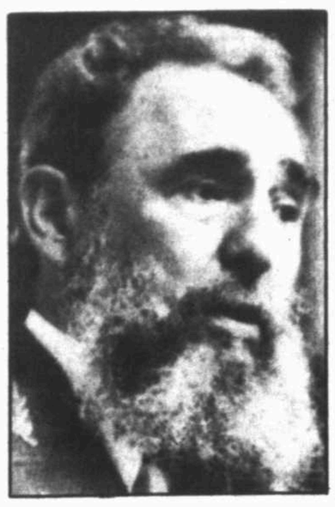

Matsushita narrows list of plant sites

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A site owned by The Perot Group near Denton has emerged as the leading location for a $700 million manufacturing center proposed by Japan's largest electronics company, published reports say.

Matsushita Industrial Electric Corp., which manufactures Panasonic electronics and other products, is favoring the site over other cities, business and government sources told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and The Dallas Morning News.

The site is along Interstate 35 West, southwest of Denton, where The Perot Group owns more than 3,500 acres of undeveloped ranchland.

Matsushita wants to develop a 1,100-acre corporate campus of factories and support facilities to produce communications equipment. It would be the company's largest manufacturing center in North America.

The company is considering other sites and has said it will not announce a location until negotiations with landowners and government officials are complete.

Government officials have been unwilling to discuss negotiations publicly for fear of violating Matsushita's request for confidentiality.

Shock watch

Tender loving care for packages being shipped is no longer a matter of prayer. An inch-long glass tube sensor that turns red if a package takes an undue shock is changing the way shipments of electronics, ceramics, furniture, collectibles and other breakables are handled. The Shockwatch Damage Control System--shown being assembled by Lisa Iovano at the Media Recovery Inc. plant in Dallas, is reducing the estimated $2 billion that is lost every year to package mishandling.

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Workers walk past a ship just completed for the Soviet Union at the Gdansk Shipyard in Gdansk, Poland. The shipyard is considered the birthplace of the Solidarity movement that incited the Eastern bloc's sweeping changes.

Eastern Europe faces hard economic changes

EDITOR'S NOTE — For Eastern Europeans, punching through the Berlin Wall and dismantling the legacy of state-run communism was only the start. The task now confronting them is transforming rotten economies into powerhouses that will encourage free enterprise, reward hard work and attract foreign investors.

By MORT ROSENBLUM

GDANSK, Poland (AP) — At the Gdansk Shipyard, symbol of the Eastern Europe revolution it spawned, a worker's take-home pay averages a banana and a half an hour.

Across the region, popular uprisings that broke communism's political power now must conquer its economics.

Many people fear their lives will be harder for years. Even the small-scale entrepreneurs already sanctioned by the communists are having a tough time adjusting.

"Things are no better," said Peter Goenzci in Budapest, protesting in a tent by the Hungarian Parliament. He says officials seized the lucrative campground he ran. "The same

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AFL-CIO, Democrats plan for 1990 races

By KAREN BALL

BAL HARBOUR, Fla. (AP) — Union officials eager to play a key role in the 1990 elections laid battle plans with top Democrats on congressional redistricting as the AFL-CIO opened its annual winter meeting.

Democratic National Committee Chairman Ronald Brown today planned to outline the party's campaign for statehouse seats around the country, since state legislatures will determine which party controls redistricting.

The five-year-old effort, called "Project 500," is funded in part by organized labor. Unions also are involved with identifying potential candidates in targeted races and staff training in those states.

Brown was one of several prominent Democrats who met with the members of the AFL-CIO's Executive Council over the weekend as the 33-member board prepared for today's official start of its weeklong meeting.

On Sunday, House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt told union officials their help was crucial to party wins last year in gubernatorial races in Virginia and New Jersey.

"A lot of people were ready to count us out in 1988. People said that's proof positive the Democrats are on the mat, but here we came in 1989," said Gephardt, D-Mo. "Mark my words — it would not have happened without the help of organized labor."

Gerald McEntee, president of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, said Democrats are again openly courting unions because organized labor has lobbied actively for child care, health care and the homeless.

"The labor movement has been out in front of the curve on most of these issues. To see Democrats down to find out what's on our mind is all very positive," McEntee said.

Other high-profile Democrats who will sit down with leaders of the 14.1 million-member AFL-CIO include House Majority Whip William Gray of Pennsylvania and the two congressmen who control the party's House and Senate fund-raising arms — Rep. Beryl Anthony of Arkansas and Sen. John Breaux of Louisiana.

Also on hand will be Sens. Tom Harkin of Iowa and Paul Simon of Illinois, both facing tough re-election bids, and Atlanta Mayor Andrew Young.

"There's some indication union is a nice word again," AFL-CIO spokesman Rex Hardesty said of the Democratic presence at the federation's meeting.

Hardesty and others said the Democratic Party and organized labor, longtime allies, have strengthened their ties after suffering a setback in the 1980s.

"It was the low point in 1984, when pundits repeatedly called labor a special interest that was the albatross around the neck of Walter Mondale," Hardesty said.

Besides assisting in statehouse races, unions will work with the DNC on the 36 gubernatorial races at stake this year, McEntee said.

Democrats expect to pick up congressional seats from redistricting in California and other Sun Belt states, but foresee losses of at least two apiece in industrial states such as New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan and Ohio.

COMPUTER NOTES

Integrated software can be cost-effective

By DENNIS SEVER

Q. We have recently begun widespread use of computers in our office. We are having a little difficulty in moving data from one system to another, like from a database report to a word processor or a spreadsheet. I have been told to use the Import/Export facility of the software to make this easier, also I have been told to change to an integrated software.

What would you do?

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A. Cases can be made for both methods of achieving your data transfers.

First, let's look at integrated systems. These are simply software packages whose major components use the same data formats. Therefore, the different components can share the same files or at least portions of the same files with little or no consideration for data formats or placement.

In new installations or other situations where a long learning curve can be expected the integrated package may well be a cost effective solution.

However, if there is a considerable amount of working software, or if the users are accustomed to specific non-integrated softwares, then the import/export mechanism is not all that complicated to use. Most all database, spreadsheet and word processors provide import/export capability. This capability allows one software to read (import) or write (export) another software's (foreign) data format.

Virtually all softwares allow the import and export of ASCII data. ASCII (American Standard Code for Information Interchange) is the defined standard that is fundamental in microcomputer and non-IBM mini-computer and mainframe computer environments.

Q. I have an IBM PC-XT that I have been using for years. I mainly use a spreadsheet and a word processor, and have no complaints with my equipment.

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MARKETS

Oil prices give back gains

NEW YORK (AP) — Energy futures prices slumped in subdued trading Friday on the New York Mercantile Exchange, pressured by profit-taking and warm weather in the Northeast.

The March contract for West Texas Intermediate, the main grade of U.S. crude oil, fell 42 cents to $22.42 a 42-gallon barrel. April crude ended at $22.25 a barrel, down 18 cents, and May crude fell 20 cents to $22.04 a barrel.

Among refined products, wholesale unleaded gasoline for March delivery fell 0.65 cent to 59.99 cents a gallon. April declined 0.71 cent to 60.93 cents a gallon and May dropped 0.75 cent to 64.90 cents.

No. 2 heating oil for delivery in March ended at 57.48 cents a gallon, down 1.17 cents. April finished down 1.15 cents at 56.81 cents and May heating oil lost 0.97 cent to 55.87 cents.

Energy analysts said trading was light ahead of Monday's Presidents Day holiday as warm weather in the Northeastern states and profit-taking helped dampen prices.

"Warm weather hit the heating oil market and that led the market lower," said Peter Beutel, an analyst for Elders Futures Inc.

Profit-taking followed Thursday's price rise after news that a volcano eruption in Alaska might disrupt oil shipments. Although a 34,000-barrel terminal was temporarily evacuated after the eruption of Mount Redoubt, no major interference was reported.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Friday's Close $22.40
- Previous Close $22.85
- One Year Ago N/A

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $21.25
- Previous Week $20.75
- One Year Ago $16.75

Dollar lower in early trading

LONDON (AP) — The dollar was lower in early European trading today, but currency dealers predicted no major swings because of the Presidents Day holiday in the United States.

Gold prices rose slightly.

Traders said Sunday's Japanese elections were in line with their expectations and weren't having any appreciable impact on the dollar.

Exchange Rates

- 1.6730 West German marks
- 1.4883 Swiss francs
- 5.6905 French francs
- 1.8861 Dutch guilders
- 1,242.50 Italian lire
- 1.2000 Canadian dollars

In Tokyo, the dollar slipped 0.03 yen to a closing 144.52 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at 144.48 yen.

In London, the dollar fell against the British pound, and was quoted at $1.7010, compared with $1.6953 late Friday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $417.35 a troy ounce, up from $416.65 late Friday. At midmorning, the city's major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $416.95.

In Zurich, the bid price was $416.90, up from $416.50 late Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold rose 65 cents to close at a bid $416.24.

Bullion dealers said that gold moved higher on some light Asian buying, but the level of interest had moderated and dealings were expected to become increasingly thin as the European day progressed.

Silver fell in London to a bid price of $5.34 a troy ounce, from Friday's $5.36.

Lower trade gap doesn't help stocks

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market was mixed at the close of a drifting session Friday, getting little benefit from better-than-expected news on international trade.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials dropped 13.96 to 2,635.59, finishing the week with a net loss of 12.61 points.

Advancing issues slightly outnumbered declines in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 760 up, 737 down and 440 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 166.84 million shares, down from 174.63 million in the previous session. Nationwide, consolidated volume in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 193.95 million shares.

The Commerce Department reported that the nation's trade deficit shrank to $7.17 billion in December from $10.29 billion the month before.

That came as a pleasant surprise to forecasters, who had generally been expecting the gap between imports and exports to be about $9 billion.

MARKET IN BRIEF

NYSE issues consolidated trading
February 16, 1990

Volume in shares	193,845,000
Issues traded	1,937
Up	760
Unchanged	440
Down	737
NYSE Index	183.75 Down 0.95
S&P Composite	332.72 Down 2.17
Dow Jones Industrials	2,635.59 Down 13.96

AP

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Regulators seize largest Kansas S&L

WASHINGTON (AP) — Regulators seized Franklin Savings Association of Ottawa, Kan., the state's largest thrift and one of the few S&Ls to participate heavily in the futures markets.

To protect depositors, the Office of Thrift Supervision said Friday it was turning the institution over to the Resolution Trust Corp.

With $11.4 billion in assets at the end of December, it was the largest thrift in Kansas. It was the 21st biggest S&L in the nation, according to Sheshunoff Information Services Inc. of Austin, Texas.

Analysts say Bank of New Englad could fail

BOSTON (AP) — While Bank of New England Corp. scrambles to improve its health by selling assets and eliminating thousands of jobs, those steps might not save the bank from the growing ills of bad real estate loans, analysts say.

"They are probably not far behind Drexel," said Virginia Adair, a banking analyst with Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc., the Wall Street investment firm that filed for bankruptcy last week.

The bank is near the halfway point in a plan to sell $6 billion in assets, and Marcia Ryan, a company spokeswoman, said Friday the bank expects to lay off about 2,000 employees.

First Boston leaves bond futures

NEW YORK (AP) — First Boston Corp. said it was eliminating its bond futures brokerage business for customers on the Chicago Board of Trade and Chicago Mercantile Exchange and laying off 29 employees.

The private New York-based investment bank said Friday it will continue trading listed futures for its own account on the two exchanges.

East Europeans ask West for assistance

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — Western officials considered pleas for cash and credit from five East European countries that shed Communist rule and now want to embrace free-market economies.

The representatives of 24 Western nations took no immediate action Friday on the litany of requests, leaving it up to a meeting in early June of foreign ministers.

East Germany, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Romania are seeking the same sort of Western assistance that was given to Poland and Hungary, two nations that led the remarkable string of anti-Communist revolts last year.

BAROMETERS

ASSUMED NAMES

Midland County, Feb. 12-16

Bows n More; 2404 Northtown Court, 79705; Patricia Riggan
C.C.C.S. of Greater Midland and Odessa; 807 Texas, Suite 100, Fort Worth, 76102; C.C.C.S. of Greater Fort Worth Inc.
C.C.C.S. of the Permian Basin; 807 Texas, Suite 100, Fort Worth, 76102; C.C.C.S. of Greater Fort Worth Inc.
Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Greater Midland/Odessa; 807 Texas, Suite 100, Fort Worth, 76102
Consumer Credit Counseling Service of the Permian Basin; 807 Texas, Suite 100, Fort Worth, 76102
Club Condom; P.O. Box 4125, 79704; John Ed Legendre
David E. Griffiths Oil & Gas Consulting; 1030 Andrews Highway Suite 202, 79701; David Griffiths
Daniels Consulting Service, P.O. Box 11246, 79702; John Mullen
Deutsch Enterprises Inc.; 1526 Coronado, Odessa; Gary Deutsch
Durango's Cafe; 608 S. Terrell, 79701; Sally Jurado
JTK Associates; P.O.Box 80118, 79709; Jeff and Tara King
Kwik Kar Oil & Lube of Midland; P.O. Box 4292, 79704; Herman and Mary Schwartz
M.J.F. Enterprises; 2110 W. Tennessee, 79701; Mike Feltz
Meadow Oil & Gas Co.; P.O. Box 8123, 79708; Matt Eagleston
Pinnacle Professional Management; P.O. BOx 5134, 79704; Prude Rube
Professional Recovery Network; 1203 N. Big Spring; Norma R. Johnson
(The) Studio; 2409-B Big Spring; Ramon Chavarria Gonzalez Jr.
Thompson-Robey & Associates; 415 W. Wall, Suite 1300; Donald O. Thompson et al
Wallis Land Surveyors; 3200 W. Cuthbert, Suite 10-A; John Wallis

Source: Midland County Clerk's Office

BANKRUPTCIES

Feb. 12-16

Melissa Diane Mitchell; Chapter 7
Dennis Andrew and Connie Rae Scoggins; Chapter 7
Dennis Wright and Ethel Jewell Parks; Chapter 7
Automated Long Distance Services Inc., dba Dash Long Distance; Chapter 11
Annette Mills; Chapter
David Leon Waldrop Jr., aka Butch Waldrop and Terri Gail Waldrop, Chapter 7
John Paul Springer; Chapter 7
Kimberly Karen Eggleston; Chapter 7
Gyvonda Gail Teegarden; Chapter 7

Source: U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Western District of Texas, U.S. District Clerk. The Midland district covers: Midland, Ector Andrews, Crane, Martin and Upton counties.

BUILDING PERMITS

Midland, Feb. 5-9

Robert Graham Construction; 4922 Lemonwood Drive; residence-new; $97,500
Frazier; 4001 Bluebird; commercial-new; $30,000
Carrousel; 4317 N. W. Illinois; commercial-alteration; $2,500
Leonard Searsey; 1200 N. Colorado; residence-alteration; $1,600
LaFonda Homes; 4606 Humble; residence-new; $51,940
Mark Payne Homes; 4109 Fox Hollow; residence-new; $109,000
Mark Payne Homes; 4109 Radcliffe; residence-new; $112,500
Leonard Homes Inc.; 4819 Richomond; residence-new; $99,300
Hoffman Construction; 3201 Princeton; residence-alteration; $600
Gilbert Bates; 4113 Fox Hollow; residence-new; $130,000
Rhonda Dawson; 4305 N. Garfield; commercial-alteration; $12,000
South Texas Construction; 1500 S. Big Spring; commercial-new; $15,999
Key Homes; 4400 Gleneagles; fence; $800
Homeowner; 606 Waverly; fence; $100
Homeowner; 2503 Emerson; residence-detached accessory; $1,000
Homeowner; 5100 Daventry; fence; $1,000
Griffin & Burnett; No. 24 Smith Road; commercial-alteration; $3,500
Henry Munoz; 1405 E. Nobles; residence-alteration; $12,000
Jones Brothers Dirt; 403 N. Garfield; commercial-new; $80,000
Bartley Construction; 5008 Lavaca; residence-detached accessory; $900
Homeowner; 1309 S. Johnson; mobile home-single lot; $2,500
Homeowner; 1910 W. Tennessee; residence-alteration; $3,000

Source: City of Midland

Odessa, Feb. 2-8

Virgina Reffett; 718-A W. 10th; commercial-alteration
Action Appliance & Service; 1512 N. Grant; commercial-alteration
Lazaro Orozco; 1132 Wilson; mobile home
Wyly Brown Construction; 6508 Piedmont; residential-new
Miguel Lopez; 2803 Ranchland; residential-addition
Odessa Bumper Exchange; 2219 E. 8th; commercial-alteration
Hector Aristy; 410 E. Murphy; commercial-alteration
Jesse Vega; 2119 N. Adams; residential-alteration
Humberto Aguiree; 3214 W. County Road; mobile home
Monica Calhoun; 4800 N. Golder; mobile home
George A. Andreade; 810 Magnolia; mobile home
George Rood; 3946 Lyndale; residential-alteration
Remdios Arredondo; 1205 Drury Lane; residential-alteration
Ruben Valasquez; 902 S. Crane; commercial-alteration
Robert Novak; 1710 N. Dixie; residential-alteration
Jerry's Painting; 2150 E. 8th; sign
Robert Howell; 305 San Jacinto; residential-alteration
W.E. Syverson; 4016 Springbook; residential-detached accessory
Fernando Zaragoza; 1309 W. Clifford; residential-alteration
Trinidad Armendariz; 1335 Drury Lane; residential-alteration
J&E Construction; 4035 Candy Lane; residential-alteration
Arthur Prince; 329 Bunche; residential-alteration
Olivia Giron; 2525 W. 3rd; mobile home
South Seas, 2130 Kermit Highway, commercial-alteration
Permian Sign Co.; 2430 E. 8th; sign
Joe Don George; 2325 Bainbridge; residential-alteration
Permian Sign Co.; 1927 E. 8th; sign

Source: City of Odessa

INTEREST RATES

"Jumbo" CDs
91-Day, 182-Day

Feb. 16

MIDLAND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
ClayDesta National Bank	7.60	7.70
Community National Bank	7.60	7.70
First City Texas	7.50	7.50
Midland American Bank	7.70	7.80
NCNB Texas National Bank	7.70	7.75
Team Bank	7.70	7.75
Texas Commerce Bank	7.55	7.65
United Bank	7.60	7.65
Southwest Savings of Dallas	8.15	8.35
AmWest Savings	8.125	8.25
Bluebonnet Savings	8.25	8.25
First Bankers	7.50	7.70

ODESSA FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS		
Bank of the West	7.35	7.40
First State Bank	7.40	7.50
NCNB Texas National Bank	N/A	N/A
Bank One Texas	7.60	7.65
Bank of Odessa	7.40	7.45
Texas Commerce Bank	7.45	7.45
Western National Bank	7.35	7.35
Andrews Savings & Loan	8.25	8.40
First Bankers	7.50	7.70
AmWest Savings	8.125	8.25
Southwest Savings of Dallas	8.15	8.35

OPPORTUNITIES

Bid Center

The Permian Basin Bid Center, supported by the City of Midland, the Odessa Industrial Development Corp., and the Permian Basin Private Industry Council, can help small businesses get into government contracting or subcontracting.

If one of the following listings interests you, call 563-1711.

■ Grounds Maintenace and Grass Mowing — Furnish personal labor, transportation and supplies to provide grounds maintenance and grass mowing inLubbock and Midland.

■ Steel Water Tanks — Galvanized steel water tanks with inverted umbrella wings delivered to New Mexico. Set aside for small business.

■ Core Drilling, Soil Sampling and Laboratory Testing — To be performed along channel to Victoria in San Antonio Bay. Work to be coordinated by professional engineer or geologist.

■ Cathodic Protection — For new oil wells in California. Set aside for small business and labor surplus area.

Export Assistance

Through the resources of the International Trade Division of the Texas Department of Commerce and its Export Assistance Centers, a complete follow-up in pursuing exporting is now available in Midland and Odessa.

For information contact Jerry Jones at an EAC in Midland, 685-4657.

■ Reciprocating Pumps — This equipment is for the exploration and exploitatio project managed by the government-owned petroleum company. Bid deadline is March 22. Refer to P3209.

■ Women's Clothing — Sirpa Lako Oy of Finland is a small import retailer of wearing apparel and seeks women's party shoes, hats, dresses and evening gowns and underwear. Refer to P0006.

■ Pressure Tubing and Gas Processors — Bolivian firm seeks this equipment for the South Altiplano Exploration and Santa Cruz Exploitation Projects. Bid deadline is March 20. Refer to T006.

■ Confectionary Items — United Kingdom firm wants to act as agents or importers of various confectionery items, including tissue paper. Refer to P0086.

U.S. agency helping Eastern Europe

By CLYDE H. FARNSWORTH
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — After the upheaval in Eastern Europe and the U.S. invasion of Panama, the Bush administration is using a little-known federal agency as a tool to achieve one of its main international policy goals — market-oriented economic reconstruction.

The disintegration of Communism has given Overseas Private Investment Corp. probably the greatest opportunity to flex its muscles in its two decades of existence, said its president, Fred M. Zeder.

One of the few government agencies that actually make money, the agency, among other projects, insures shrimp farms in Haiti, methanol operations in Argentina, brick and tile manufacturing in Botswana, bauxite mining in Guyana and carbon-black production in Indonesia.

For the insurance protection it offers American companies against nationalization, civil disorder, political unrest, inconvertibility and other foreign investment risks, it charges fees that last year gave it record net income of $122 million, increasing its reserves in the Treasury to nearly $1.5 billion.

On Friday, Zeder is taking a score of top executives, from companies like AT&T, GTE and Unocal Geothermal, to Panama to explore investment opportunities to "jump start" that economy.

From a similar mission it took to Poland in November, more than $1 billion in insurance registrations were signed, indicating prospective investments in cable television, telecommunications, light industry, accounting, banking and other financial services.

"We signed up stuff right away," Zeder said. "Usually it takes up to three or four months."

In February, the agency signed its first insurance contract in Hungary, covering a $150 million investment by General Electric Co. to make light bulbs.

Zeder, 68, is a former Dallas venture capitalist and an old friend of President Bush. He speaks of his "rapid deployment force," which organizes investment missions in seven weeks rather than the seven months it used to take.

"We are much more conscious of our responsibility of taking an active place behind the president's foreign policy initiatives," said Zeder, who held minor posts in both the Nixon and Ford administrations and enjoys "walk in" privileges at the Bush White House.

The insurance agency, which started in the early 1970s, is getting high grades from American business. Much of the praise now is for Zeder, who has been in office since June 23.

"He's doing a bang-up job," said Willard A. Workman, director for international policy and programs at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. "They're doing things very aggressively. They're very much in front of the curve."

But organized labor, which fought congressional renewal of the agency's operating charter in 1988, continues to harbor fundamental objections to its existence.

"We maintain that the U.S. government really has no business using public resources to insure U.S. corporations for offshore production," said Mark A. Anderson, an international economist at the AFL-CIO.

Labor's opposition is rooted in fears that agency operations lead to job losses for American workers, a point the agency disputes.

Noting that a third of American exports are generally bought by foreign subsidiaries of American companies, Zeder said the agency actually spurs exports, leading to net American job creation.

Last year, for instance, agency figures showed that the 115 new projects it supported in 35 Third World countries will yield an annual positive net contribution of $1.6 billion toward the U.S. balance of trade over the first five years.

Until the tumultuous events of recent months in Eastern Europe, labor fought against the agency's operations in that region on the ground that the old Communist governments violated basic standards of worker rights.

In recent weeks, however, the AFL-CIO and the agency have reached accords under which the agency will require that language related to the observance of worker rights be included in every agency contract.

CUBA

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for Venezuela to deliver.

Bread prices have jumped a third in Havana, and rationing has begun in the countryside.

In another self-defeating response, Castro has delayed shipments of fruit and sugar to the Soviet Union, where those items are especially scarce.

Cuba has become a satellite trying re-entry into this world without a heat shield.

Some evidence of mutual cooperation remains.

Moscow has inexplicably begun delivery of MIG-29 jets, making Cuba more dangerous in the Caribbean.

Moscow has also failed to accelerate the removal of the remaining Cuban mercenaries from Angola, where the continued presence of more than 20,000 of Castro's troops has encouraged the Communist government to break the truce in a last-ditch effort to defeat Jonas Savimbi's UNITA.

Secretary of State James Baker, in his finest hour before the Soviet parliamentarians, hammered away at the MIG shipments and the "intolerable" Soviet subsidy of Cuba.

By recalling Arthur Koestler's "Darkness at Noon," he nicely alluded to the confession of Ochoa at his show trial.

The Soviets should know by now that they can expect great resistance to any U.S. economic cooperation while they subsidize Castro's regime with money and food the Soviet consumers desperately need.

NOTES

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With all the advertising and new capabilities that I hear about, 'I wonder if maybe it isn't time to trade up to the newer, higher powered systems?

A. That is strictly dependent upon your needs and desires.

If you feel you may be missing something, then you probably are and you ought to upgrade.

If there are specific tasks that you would like to perform that you are unable to now, or if some of the things you do now require a lot of processing time, you should try a 80286, 80386 or 80386-SX.

If you use your computer seldom or for short periods and you don't have any desire to expand the computer's usefulness to you, then save your money; that old XT will do just fine.

Q. A computer whiz friend of mine has told me that the 8088 processor is a crippled version of the 8086. What does he mean by crippled?

A. The big difference between the 8088 and the 8086 is actually the bus size.

The bus really deals with the mechanism that transfers data around in memory and the processor. The 8086 and 8088 use a sixteen bit word, which mean that the most convenient size of data item for the processor is two bytes. The bus size for the 8086 is also sixteen bits, but the bus size for the 8088 is eight bits.

This means that the 8088 has to do two data movements to move a single word, whereas the 8086 must do only one data movement to move a word. The 8088 with it's eight bit bus enabled IBM to introduce the IBM-PC at an almost affordable price. Eight bit bus technology for desk top computers was fairly common in the early 80's, but a sixteen bit bus was a minicomputer bus and was out of the question back then.

We almost see the same scenario today with the 80386 and the 80386-SX. The SX chip uses a sixteen bit bus, whereas the 80386 uses thirty-two bit bus.

For this reason you can buy an 80386-SX computer for very little more than an 80286 computer would cost, but for much less than an 80386 computer costs. The cost difference is in the bus.

The crippling that your friend referred to is that the 8088 and 80386-SX have to wait extra clock cycles for data movements. This of course, slows total throughput somewhat.

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INVESTOR'S GUIDE

'Junk bonds' high-yield, high-risk obligations

By BILL DOYLE

Q. With all the hype and holler about "junk bonds," isn't it about time for you to clarify what that stupid term means. Can you define it?

I have an ax to grind. A few years back, our broker advised my wife and me to buy some corporate bonds. We did, without knowing those bonds were considered "junk." The interest yield on the bonds, based on the price of $1,020 per $1,000 bond we paid, was about 11.6 percent. The company has filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy and the price of the bonds has plunged.

I do not believe we should be castigated for crying foul for buying so-called "junk." Our only consolation, if that is any help, is that we have many pretty distinguished fellow buyers of those bonds, all equally stupid and naive.

Doyle

A. There's an easy answer to your question. It has been spelled out in this space often. Junk bonds are high-yield, high-risk corporate debt obligations with low credit ratings or no credit rating at all.

Standard & Poor's Corp. and Moody's Investors Service, the two principal rating services, grade bonds according to the issuers' ability to meet interest payments and pay off the bonds at maturity.

Bonds rated BBB and higher by S&P and Baa and higher by Moody's are considered "investment grade." All others are counted as speculative, meaning there is risk and they might default on interest and/or principal payments. In recent years, they have picked up the nickname junk bonds.

Far be it from me to castigate you for buying such bonds or for being screaming mad at the broker who sold them to you. But you have to accept some of the blame yourself.

Wise investors check bonds' ratings with their brokers or in financial manuals at public libraries. If the bonds you bought were in a new issue, you could have learned about the low-rating or no rating simply by reading the prospectus describing the issue. And the high yield should have been a tip-off. Companies don't have to pay high interest on investment-grade bonds to attract buyers.

The Chapter 11 bankruptcy filing means the company whose bonds you own is protected from creditors while it works out its financial problems. As a bond owner, you are a creditor. You're faced with the unhappy choice of either selling those bonds at a fat loss or sweating out the company's court-supervised reorganization.

Q. We bought 100 shares of stock recently through the brokerage unit of our bank and found out after the purchase that the stock does not pay dividends.

Don't you feel they should have let us know about the lack of dividends?

A. Yes, if the brokerage recommended that stock to you. In that case, you had a right to expect the reasons for the recommendation, as well as details about the stock and the company in which it represents ownership.

However, if you made the decision to buy that stock on your own, the brokerage had no obligation to do anything other than execute your purchase order.

Q. Where or how can I find out the price and status of two penny stocks I bought? The brokerage firm I bought them from has been shut down. I have a very strong feeling I was "taken."

A. Your suspicion could very well be correct. Although all low-priced stocks should not be tarred with the same brush, fraud has been rampant in penny stocks — roughly defined as those trading under $5 a share.

Any brokerage firm should be able to tell you if those stocks are traded in any market and have any value. Visit or telephone some brokerages and ask. If you get no cooperation, ask your bank to contact brokers for you.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

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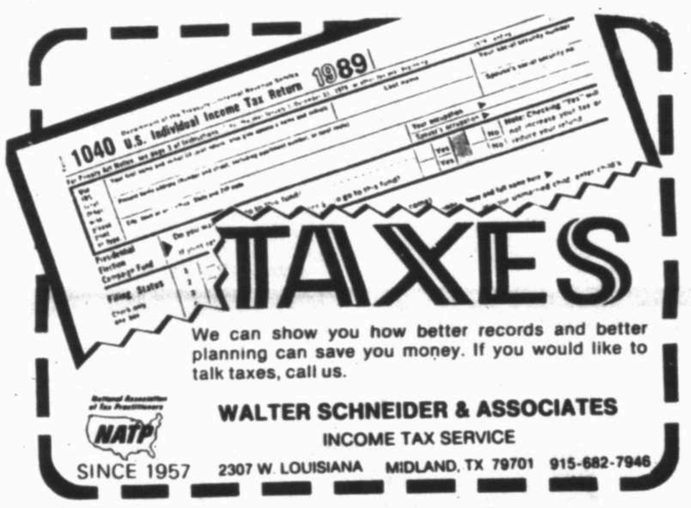

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Key players in Eastern Bloc changes profiled

By COTTEN TIMBERLAKE

Reuter

Camdessus

LONDON (AP) — Borlaug, Camdessus, Delors, Waigel. Their names are not household words, but before the book on Eastern Europe's economic transformation is closed, the world may learn a good deal about them and others who are playing key roles.

Among the unfamiliar but influential experts driving the region's development are these:

— NORMAN ERNEST BORLAUG

American-born Borlaug, 75, heads the Foundation for the Development of Polish Agriculture in Washington, which has been advising the Polish government how to improve its neglected private farming sector. The foundation also has established a project to increase the supply of Polish hams, a prime earner of convertible foreign currency. Borlaug won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1970 for developing varieties of high-yield wheat.

— MICHEL CAMDESSUS

The 56-year-old Frenchman heads the Washington-based International Monetary Fund, making him a key figure in the effort to bring Eastern European countries into the capitalist mainstream. Camdessus went to Warsaw for final negotiations on a $700 million loan for the non-communist Polish government. The IMF is prescribing austerity for Poland — higher prices, devaluation and probable increased unemployment — in hopes of beating inflation, reviving production and eventually raising the standard of living. Camdessus, a former governor of the Bank of France, has ties with French President Francois Mitterrand's socialist government.

— JACQUES DELORS

The 64-year-old president of the European Economic Community's executive body has pressed the 12 member states to accelerate closer ties among themselves by, among other things, dismantling trade barriers by the end of 1992. A French socialist who has been EEC president since 1985, Delors also urged member states to provide an extra $22.8 billion a year to Eastern Europe for five to 10 years.

— ROBERT EATON

The 50-year-old president of General Motors Europe signed a tentative agreement that would make General Motors Corp. the first U.S. automaker to invest in Eastern Europe. It agreed to invest $150 million in a car engine plant built by Raba, a Hungarian government-owned vehicle maker. The deal could create hundreds of jobs at the plant, due to be completed in 1992.

— ZSIGMOND JARAI

Jarai, 39, is Hungary's deputy finance minister. A graduate of the prestigious Karl Marx University of Economics in Budapest, he firmly supports privatizing state-owned industries and creating a market economy in his country. Jarai is working on reforming Hungary's currency within the framework of a comprehensive package of fiscal, wage and price reforms. His duties include overseeing development of a stock exchange.

— VACLAV KLAUS

Klaus, 49, is Czechoslovakia's finance minister and an outspoken advocate of free market policies. He gained international prominence in January when he called for major reforms in Comecon, the Soviet-led, 10-member communist trading bloc. He wants to encourage exports to Western countries and make the Czechoslovak crown convertible into currencies other than the Soviet ruble. Klaus, a non-party economist, was expelled from the country's leading institute of economic research and worked in lowly positions at the state bank throughout the 1970s.

— FRANCOIS MITTERRAND

The most recognizable name in the group, the 73-year-old French president champions the idea of a European Bank for Reconstruction and Development in Eastern Europe. The development bank would be supported by 34 countries to help Eastern European countries establish free-market economies. Mitterrand, a socialist, has visited Hungary, East Germany, Poland, Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia over 13 months and says, "If we don't move fast enough, we risk being overtaken by events." The bank is expected to be financed with $12 billion to provide loans and economic and technical assistance.

— EDZARD REUTER

As head of West Germany's largest industrial concern, Daimler-Benz, the 61-year-old Reuter is in position to set standards for ties with the East. He has criticized East Germany's planned 49 percent limit on foreign stakes in joint ventures, and East German authorities have conceded they will make exceptions. Reuter has actively pursued new business with Eastern Europe and made a tour of East Germany with other West German industry leaders in mid-January. Afterward, Reuter called for a "coalition of reason" between East and West to promote European prosperity.

— JEFFREY SACHS

At 35, the Harvard economics professor is a leading adviser to Eastern Europe's economic reformers. Sachs helped Poland's Solidarity movement develop an economic reform program and advises the Yugoslavian government. He wants Eastern Europe to make a swift and dramatic leap to private ownership and market systems, and urges Western Europe to help by providing debt relief and financing for restructuring. He says the East bloc should be welcomed into a unified European market.

— THEO WAIGEL

The 50-year-old West German finance minister early on advocated formal reunification with East Germany. Such a merger would make West Germany, already Europe's most powerful economy, even more influential across the continent. But Waigel has angered Poland by calling for reunification within the 1937 borders of Germany, which include huge segments of modern-day Poland. He heads Bavaria's Christian Social Union, part of Chancellor Helmut Kohl's coalition government.

CHANGES

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managers have the same power."

Business people and officials interviewed across Europe echo that judgment. Most agree things will change, but some speak in terms of decades.

Political freedom does not instantly produce free markets. The economies of the region lack basic capitalist tools, such as convertible currencies and motivated workers. Some leaders are reluctant to make painful reforms.

The revolutionary buzzwords "joint venture" and "restructuring" offer mixed blessings. Through joint ventures, Western capital often strengthens the old guard that fills new boards of directors. Restructuring means layoffs in societies where jobs once were guaranteed.

Hungary, Czechoslovakia and East Germany offer the most promise. Bulgaria is in flux. Romania is in turmoil. Poland's unwieldy economy, the first to embrace a free market, illustrates the pitfalls.

Poland chose cold turkey, following the advice of Harvard economist Jeffrey Sachs for escaping the centrally planned Soviet sphere: If anything is to change, everything must change.

The Poles devalued their currency and began reducing subsidies that have kept the cost of living relatively low, the first steps in a bold program to create market mechanisms of supply and demand.

But the devaluation hit the black market so hard that banks now offer more zlotys per dollar than illegal traders. Wages are still controlled, but prices are soaring.

"It's a tough program," said Finance Minister Leszek Balcerowicz. But he called it unavoidable and said early signs were encouraging.

Some stores aren't as bare as before and even sell exotic items like bananas. But a banana costs the equivalent of a quarter, and few Poles earn more than 40 cents an hour.

Among Poland's new trappings of capitalism are car thefts, beggars and soup lines. Its new lexicon includes bankruptcy. In a place that boasted full employment, the jobless rate could reach double digits within a year.

Polish officials maintain the economy will stabilize in six months and new enterprises will create jobs. But Poles cannot get credit to start businesses. Privatization is slow and riddled with confusion.

Few Poles have enough savings to buy the assets of state-run factories and stores. Foreign investors are wary. Poland needs an additional three years' grace just to pay the interest on $40 billion owed to the West.

Balcerowicz said Western bankers offered advice and long-term aid. But, he said, "We are interested in speed, not only the greatness of ideas but the speed in which they are implemented."

By the end of January, Western governments and Japan had committed more than $8 billion to helping economic reform in Eastern Europe, half to Poland. New programs were under consideration.

But without sound structures in place, aid falls through the cracks. Czechoslovakia, with good credit, is resisting loans until reforms are complete.

Ironically, a major obstacle is democracy. Legislators must create free market mechanisms and abolish old patterns. But even some of the most prominent political revolutionaries are resisting.

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Romanian demonstrators gathered in front of the government headquarters in Bucharest's Victory Square climb the wall to storm the building Sunday. Hundreds of people outside the building called for the resignation of interim president Ion Iliescu.
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Romanian protesters break into building housing government

BUCHAREST, Romania (AP) — Interim President Ion Iliescu today ordered an investigation into a violent demonstration in which hundreds of angry protesters invaded government headquarters and demanded his resignation.

"Down with Iliescu!" demonstrators shouted Sunday as they took over the building on Victory Square used by Prime Minister Petre Roman since Communist dictator Nicolae Ceausescu was ousted. It was the most violent protest since the December revolution.

"The only solution is another revolution!" the protesters shouted.

Iliescu, who has been criticized for his Communist past, went on state radio and TV to demand an investigation into the "acts of unusual violence," committed by what he called "turbulent elements."

More than 1,000 people in front of the headquarters cheered as protesters smashed the windows and glass-and-metal doors using rocks and iron carpet rods. About 500 people poured in and destroyed part of the rooms and furniture.

Hundreds of extra soldiers arrived after the takeover and pushed back the crowd, which grew to around 5,000 people before dwindling to about 100. Ten armored personnel carriers were wheeled to the front of the building.

The army blocked the entrance after allowing many demonstrators to leave.

Government spokesman Dan Radulescu said 120 demonstrators at the government building during the protest were detained, questioned and then released without being charged.

The crowd had demanded that Iliescu step down, saying the government was dominated by Communists from the despised Ceausescu leadership. Ceausescu was overthrown Dec. 22 and executed three days later, following a summary trial.

Opposition to the National Salvation Front, which took power following December's revolution and includes several former Communists, has been evident almost since Ceausescu's fall.

The Romanian state news agency Rompres reported more than 20 paratroopers were severely wounded in Sunday's occupation. Reporters saw two wounded soldiers. Romanian state TV showed what it said were injured paratroopers in a hospital late Sunday.

Scores of National Salvation Front supporters launched a small counter-demonstration outside the building housing Iliescu's office, yelling "Terrorists! Terrorists!"

Iliescu, addressing a meeting of the new Council of National Unity, charged the protest was "not a demonstration by those who want to rescue the revolution, but they were counter-revolutionaries."

The Council of National Unity, which was formed earlier this month in the wake of considerable popular pressure for the front to share power, is to lead Romania until general elections scheduled for May. 20.

It includes representatives of 37 political parties and interest groups as well as the front, which critics claim still maintains control.

The Council "unanimously disapproved" the demonstration, radio reported and demanded that measures be taken to restore order.

Witnesses said at least some of the protesters were drunk, although it is very difficult and expensive to obtain alcohol in Bucharest.

In Paris, interim Romanian Prime Minister Petre Roman said the protesters represented an insignificant number of Romanians and that officials in Bucharest assured him "all was in order."

Earlier, he told reporters that recent protests were the product of a population coming to grips with democracy after decades of harsh totalitarian rule.

"There's still a backlash from a dictatorship, because they (the protesters) always think only the head of the government can solve problems," he said. "It's a lack of confidence in democracy."

The only government official in the building at the time of the takeover Sunday was Vice Prime Minister Gelu Voican Voiculescu. Iliescu recently moved his office to the old Grand National Assembly building several miles away.

At one point, demonstrators found Voiculescu and dragged him onto the balcony where he was jeered. Soldiers moved in and hustled him to his office, which they locked and guarded from hundreds of demonstrators yelling "Voican! Voican!"

An army colonel said that authorities did not issue orders to shoot. "If we had gotten an order to fire, we would have fired and finished this off in two seconds," he said on condition of anonymity.

Protesters also insisted that Ceausescu's hated secret police, the Securitate, had gone underground but retained power.

The opposition says the front seeks a return to one-party rule in Romania, which lacks a democratic tradition. Ceausescu had brutally suppressed opposition during his 24-year rule, carrying on the intolerance of his predecessors in postwar Communist Romania.

Long-dormant political parties whose leaders spent decades in exile or prison thus face formidable obstacles in organizing campaigns to challenge the provisional government, which controls the broadcast media, the military and all major industry.

Contra leader comes home for election

MATAGALPA, Nicaragua (AP) — When the Contra chief of staff learned a top comandante was going to lay down his arms and return to Nicaragua for the elections, he assembled the troops.

The message Israel Galeano had for the fighters of the Quilali Battalion on the day after Christmas at their Honduran base camp was blunt and unforgiving.

Luis Adan Fley, he said, was a traitor.

"If I return, he'll have me shot," said Fley. "This is what he said to the troops of the Quilali."

Under Central American peace accords, the ruling Sandinistas in Nicaragua offered amnesty to all members of the U.S.-supported Contra rebel force, which has been fighting to overthrow the leftist government.

Fley became the only active rebel commander to accept amnesty and return home before the electoral hand plays out Sunday.

Why did the man best known by his nom de guerre, Comandante Johnson, defy the rebel high command and leave his comrades-in-arms after eight hard years?

"There are two groups inside the resistance: those fighting for power and those fighting for the democratization of Nicaragua," Fley said. "If I'd been fighting for power, I would have stayed."

Fley said he came home because he believes the new Nicaraguan battleground is — finally — the ballot box. The time has arrived, he said, for "the people to decide with their vote" what kind of government they want.

"The armed struggle has borne its fruit," he said last week during a campaign rally in Matagalpa, his hometown 60 miles northeast of Managua, for the 14-party opposition alliance trying to unseat the ruling Sandinistas.

With more than 1,000 international observers, Fley thinks the possibility of fraud is "remote" and he is convinced the Sandinistas will lose.

"I don't have any doubt. I've been all over Nicaragua and I am sure UNO (the United National Opposition) will win by a 3-1 margin," he said.

The UNO slate is led by publisher Violeta Barrios de Chamorro, President Daniel Ortega's principal opponent.

If Fley is wrong and the Sandinistas win, the Contra veteran insists he is ready to recognize an honest Sandinista victory and remain in Nicaragua as part of the peaceful opposition.

"I've been influenced by the changes in Europe. Systems have been changed without a shot being fired," he said. "Why can't we do this?

"We're a backward country; we resolve all our problems with bullets and with killing anyone who thinks differently. We have to evolve and imitate these (European) countries," he said.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Israeli warplanes hit Marxist PLO bases

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Israeli warplanes today attacked Palestinian bases near the port city of Sidon that were used as "organization points" for assaults on Israeli troops in southern Lebanon, Israel's army said.

The jets attacked bases used by the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine, a Marxist PLO faction, near the village of Kafr Jarah, four miles east of Sidon, a military statement said.

It said the bases were destroyed and all the aircraft returned safely from the attack, about 35 miles north of Israel's border.

Lebanese police said four Israeli fighter-bombers fired eight rockets at the installations. The guerrillas immediately closed all roads leading to the bases, and there were no immediate reports of casualties.

Nepalese police fire on crowd

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) — Police opened fire today on demonstrators demanding an end to Nepal's 29-year-old ban on political parties, killing three and wounding five, a government minister said.

Witnesses to the clash in Bhaktapur, near Katmandu, said five people were killed and 12 seriously wounded.

Police were trying to control "extremists" and were forced to open fire after their water hoses and clubs failed to disperse the demonstrators, said Kamal Thapa, minister of state for communications.

The situation was brought under control after two hours, he said.

Albanians protest in Yugoslavia

PRISTINA, Yugoslavia (AP) — Thousands of ethnic Albanians demonstrated today in Yugoslavia's restive Kosovo province after hearing rumors about the release of one of the nation's most prominent political prisoners.

The official Tanjug news agency later denied the reports, saying Adem Demaqi remained in jail and had not yet served out a 15-year-prison term he began in 1976.

Czech leader links one Germany to strong Europe

AP Laserphoto

Czechoslovakian President Vaclav Havel and his wife, Olga, are presented with flowers upon their arrival in Ottawa Sunday. Havel goes to Washington, D.C., this week to meet with President Bush.

OTTAWA (AP) — President Vaclav Havel said Sunday that the German desire to unite the two Germanys can help speed creation of a united Europe.

But his foreign minister, Jiri Dienstbier, chastised the Christian Democratic party of West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl for failing to state clearly that the present border between Germany and Poland will remain intact.

Havel, the playwright-president who came to power in the surge of reforms that coursed over Eastern Europe, told a news conference that German unification must develop against the backdrop of a new Europe.

"I regard the desire of the Germans for unification not as an impediment, but as a driving force that can speed the development of the all-European home," he said.

The president, accompanied by a team of senior ministers, is in Canada for a two-day visit. He is seeking assistance from Canada, mainly in the form of expertise to rebuild Czechoslovakia's economy and democratic institutions. He is also meeting with Czechoslovak-Canadians in Ottawa and Toronto.

"As we embark upon democracy, we have a lot to learn from other countries," Havel said.

Czechoslovakia will hold its first free elections in 42 years in June.

Havel was welcomed by Governor General Ray Hnatyshyn at Canadian Forces Base Uplands.

He also met Prime Minister Brian Mulroney, leaders of federal opposition parties and former Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau.

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- Air Conditioning
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EURO SEDAN

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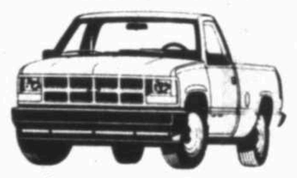

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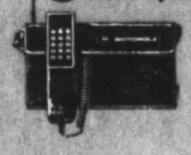

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(MARCH 1990)

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312 Professional Help Wanted

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c o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
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310 General Help Wanted

DAYCARE staff needed full/ part time. Open weekdays, 6:30- 6:00. For appointment, call 689-9720.

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If you have O & G pipe drafting experience please call Adia Temporary Services to schedule an interview. Autocad is a plus. Non-smoker preferred. Long term assignment.
ADIA TEMPORARY SERVICES
683-6111

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Experienced, degreed accountant to manage joint interest billing department. Primary responsibilities include processing/ verifying monthly billings to partners; monitoring and collection of accounts receivable; scheduling and resolution of joint interest audits; maintaining payout files on all properties. Successful candidate will possess excellent communication skills, knowledge of joint interest accounting for an-shore/ offshore operations and ability to work well with others. Send resume and salary requirements to:

ADOBE RESOURCES CORPORATION
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Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Mike Taylor

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MIDLAND, TX 79705

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561-8619
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EOE

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PERSONNEL
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Midland, TX 79710

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686-9722

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$40-80K PER YEAR
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EOE

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Director of Administration
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Midland, Texas 79701

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Call Temporary Resources
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335 Adult Day Care

WILL Give loving care to elderly ladies living in my home. Have References. Call 697-1087.

340 Child Care

REGISTERED childcare. Ages 0 - 13 years. Bonham/ Rusk area. Call 689-9766.

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410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	540	Building Materials
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	550	Portable Buildings
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	560	Machinery & Tools
440	Firewood	495	For Free	570	Oilfield Supplies
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	580	Farm Equipment
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405 Garage/Yard Sales

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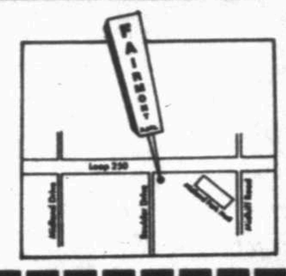

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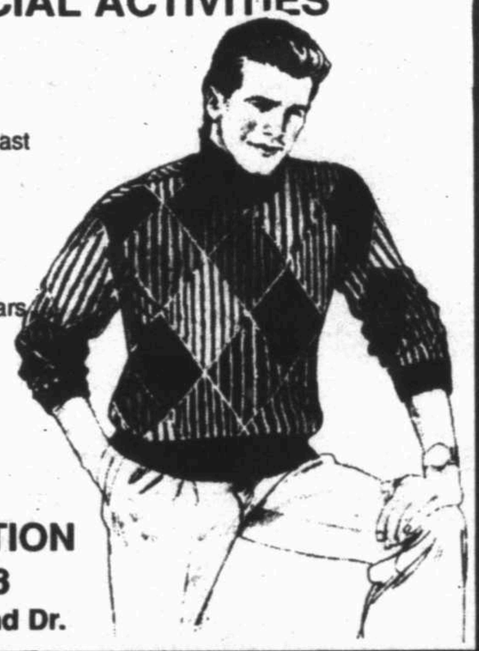

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DUPLEX
Near Alamo pool, at 4323-B Wrey. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, ceiling fireplace, has appliances. $475 monthly, water paid.
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COUNTRY home, northwest. Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area. $650 monthly. Security deposit and references. 682-8818, Tierra Realtors.

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Beautiful Executive Homes. $875 Fairmont Pl. $1200 Trinity Estates. Jeannie Printz/ Agent, 683-5333/ 699-1641

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