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Mexico rebels

A Sunday morning gunbattle was among the bloodiest since the Popular Revolutionary Army emerged in June 1996./**3A**



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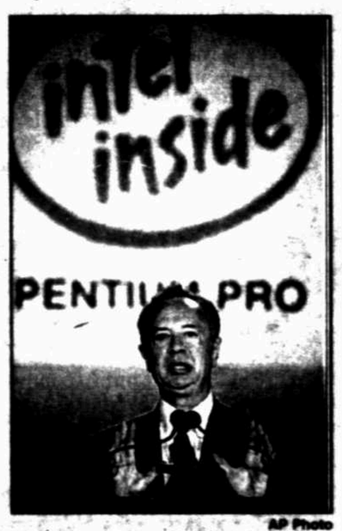
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Intel troubles

The Federal Trade Commission voted Monday to bring an antitrust complaint against Intel Corp., alleging the giant microprocessor chip manufacturer froze out and punished competitors. Andrew S. Grove, shown here unveiling the Pentium Pro chip in 1995, resigned as CEO of Intel in May.

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GM strike

DETROIT — General Motors Corp. on Monday idled two assembly plants and prepared to shutter others as a strike at a Michigan stamping factory began to cause shortages of hoods, fenders, doors and other sheet-metal parts. Negotiations continued at the Flint Metal Center, where the strike by nearly 3,400 workers entered its fourth day.

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Heston elected

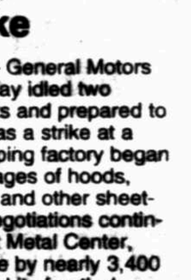
PHILADELPHIA — The National Rifle Association elected Charlton Heston as its president Monday in the hope he would give it instant credibility and lead it to the promised land of a more mainstream public image. "We've been demonized by the media to a certain extent. I think this is a way of saying, 'Hey, Moses is on our side,'" said Wayne LaPierre, who was re-elected NRA executive vice president.

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The older you get the easier it is to fall out of love.

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County puts fire ban in effect

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Record-breaking temperatures and dry conditions have prodded Midland County commissioners to declare an emergency and ban all burning in the county.

At a 9 a.m. Monday meeting, the Commissioner's Court enacted a "Declaration of Local Disaster Threat" regarding the possibility of wildfires, which then empowers the Commissioner's Court to ban trash burn barrels and other open burning in the county.

"You have to enact the disaster threat before you can enact the burn ban," Midland County Fire Marshall Dale Little said following the meeting.

In the declaration, commissioners noted: "Midland County has not had rainfall for an extended period and ... weather forecasters offer little promise of a change in the hot, dry conditions in the near future."

These dry conditions have been keeping county firefighters running — getting to and extinguishing numerous grass fires before they become sweeping range fires destroying homes in their path, like other fires in the Marfa area this year.

"They're about to work us to death," Little said of the recent efforts of his crews.

At the meeting, Little testified about the ongoing problem with ultra-dry brush throughout Midland County.

Once the disaster threat was enacted, county officials passed an emergency order prohibiting outdoor burning.

Those found burning materials outdoors will be investigated by a sheriff's deputy and, either warned of the ordinance or, in the case of flagrant violation or second violation, be prosecuted for the misdemeanor offense, according to the order.

"It's only common sense ... with dryness all over the county," said Precinct 1 Commissioner Henry Goulet.

All of the counties surrounding Midland have enacted burn bans this year, although Martin County recently lifted theirs after receiving rain.

A state official at the meeting, however, said that often one rain does not alleviate the problem, if more dry weather follows. This expert agreed that there is a significant threat for Midland and concurred with posting the burn ban.

The new growth generated by the rain can quickly dry out in the hot winds and add to the danger.

The ban only effects open burning, pit or barrel burning. Barbecue grills are not included in the ban, but county fire officials warn residents to take special precautions to see that outdoor cooking does not lead to wildfires.

The ban will stay in effect until officially rescinded by the Commissioner's Court, according to the order.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

A grass fire Monday morning near County Road 150 West south of Midkiff Road burned about four acres in Monahans Draw. Midland County Fire Marshal Dale Little said the cause of the fire was being closely investigated because it started in two places.

Governor seeks federal help for 207 Texas counties

By Michael Holmes
Associated Press

AUSTIN — An emergency proclamation was announced Monday for 207 of the state's 254 counties due to an early drought and extreme danger of wildfires.

Gov. George W. Bush asked President Clinton for federal help to place fire-fighting equipment and personnel in advance in areas with the greatest risk of fire.

Bush called on county officials to evaluate the need for local outdoor burning bans, fireworks restrictions and water conservation measures.

"Texas is already dry and we face a long, hot summer," Bush said. "Already in early June we are seeing August-like conditions with the bulk of the summer still ahead."

"It is threatening crops and could pose major fire and water problems unless we act now."

State officials likened the situation to the 1993 and 1996 droughts. They said precautions need to be taken now to be ready to fight fires and begin saving water.

"I hope this preventative action will help save lives and property," Bush said. "Of course, what I really hope is that we don't have any fires."

The 207 counties covered by Bush's proclamation include most of the state. The Texas Forest Service listed the danger of wildfires in those counties as "extreme."

Only those counties in the northeastern corner of the state weren't covered, but the wildfire ranking for them still is "high," according to the forest service.

"We are in drought conditions. We urge counties to step up and assess their situations, assess whether or not they need burning bans, assess whether or not they need to put conservation measures in place," Bush said.

Asked whether he would recommend counties prohibit use of fireworks as the July 4 holiday approaches, Bush said: "My advice would be to be cautious. I would urge county commissioners to take extreme caution because we're dry and the winds are high."

According to the Texas Division of Emergency Management and Texas Water Development Board, about 80 percent of the state is in drought.

More than 50 counties have burning bans in place. Many

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Investigators find link between Clinton, foreign money

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the earliest evidence linking President Clinton to a foreign donation, investigators have unearthed a 1992 memo indicating James Riady took a coveted private car ride with Clinton just before the Indonesian banker began writing checks that totaled half a million dollars.

Riady "will be giving $100,000 to this event and has the potential to give much more," Clinton was told in a memo Aug. 14, 1992, that advised he would share a car ride that day with the Indonesian billionaire after a fund-raiser. Clinton was then the Democratic presidential nominee.

The memo, obtained by The Associated Press, was written by Melinda Yee, the Democratic Party's outreach director for Asian Americans. It said Riady, whose family controls the Lippo banking and industrial empire, wanted to talk to Clinton "about banking issues and international business" and the car ride was "a courtesy call."

Bank statements and memos reviewed by investigators show one of the 1992 donations from a Riady company was directly covered by foreign money and the rest were drawn on a personal account that appears to have been replenished — before and after the donations — with foreign funds. Some of the donations went to the Democratic Party's accounts that directly help federal candidates.

Clinton's schedule for that day says Riady greeted Clinton at the door of an Arkansas restaurant where the two attended a Democratic fund-raiser and then took a five-minute car ride. In political circles, the one-on-one access of a car ride, no matter how brief, is a plum privilege.

The memo, schedule and checks were brought to the attention of the Justice Department months ago by congressional investigators.

Attorney General Janet Reno has resisted naming an independent counsel to investigate fund raising although the chief of her campaign fund-raising task force and FBI director Louis Freeh have urged such an appointment. The chief of the task force, Charles LaBella, is writing a report and will make a final recommendation.

Riady had a permanent green card and was a Clinton

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AP Photo

Investigators report the first evidence linking President Clinton and foreign campaign contributions. Clinton is shown here at a fund-raiser with Martha Stewart, left, and Connecticut gubernatorial candidate Barbara Kennelley on Monday.

Grain elevator explosion

Smoke and dust rise from the remains of the DeBruce Grain Elevator, in Wichita, Kan., Monday. A powerful explosion ripped through the elevator killing two people and injuring several others.

AP Photo

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Mints become latest status symbol

NEW YORK (AP) — Power tie. Power breakfast. Power lunch. Now comes the power mint.

Super strong mints offered from chic little tin boxes have become the must-have accessory for the trendy — particularly after all those caffe lattes and expensive cigars.

"You crack open a tin of mints and people notice," said Brian Schwartz, a New Yorker who popped a Starbucks mint after a cigar at Angelo & Maxie's steakhouse. "Yes, it's good for the mouth odor, and of course, it makes you look pretty good."

Offering a colleague a mint from that roll that's been at the bottom of your pocket or purse forever just won't do in 1998. Neiman Marcus, Alfred Dunhill and Starbucks are selling out of their mints, which cost $2 to $5 for a tin of 100.

"I was at a business meeting with some fashion executives, and three out of the four people there pulled out their tins of mints during a break," said Kevin Dwyer, general manager of An American Place restaurant in New York.

Tins of mints first appeared nationwide in the early 1990s with the arrival of British-made Altoids. At the same time, Americans were beginning to eat spicier food and the craze of high-priced big cups of coffee was beginning.

"Americans were ready for an extra strong mint. Our food habits had changed and we craved mints with a lot of flavor, just like the food we were eating," said Lisbeth Echeandia, editor of Confectioner magazine. "They also liked the tins. It gave them some distinction from

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WORLD IN BRIEF

■ Jets collide over Czech Republic

PRAGUE, Czech Republic — Two Czech fighter jets collided Monday over a southern city, sending one crashing in flames near an apartment complex. All three pilots and seven people on the ground were hurt.

The jets collided in thick clouds over Ceske Budejovice, 80 miles south of Prague, Defense Ministry spokesman Petr Sykora said.

The pilots — two aboard the MiG-21U, one aboard the MiG-21 — ejected. They were hospitalized with spine injuries, CTK news agency quoted air force Cmdr. Ladislav Klima as saying.

One of the jets came down near an apartment complex, hitting several parked cars before sliding toward the buildings and setting three on fire.

Seven civilians were reported injured; one building was heavily damaged. It took 200 police and firefighters to evacuate the area and put out the fire. Residents were given gas masks to protect them from poisonous fumes.

The other jet crashed in an uninhabited area near the complex, CTK said.

All military flights were immediately suspended, CTK said.

The cause of the collision was under investigation.

■ Heat wave kills more than 2,500

NEW DELHI, India — Scorching temperatures have killed more than 2,500 during India's worst heat wave in 50 years, with nearly half of the victims in the impoverished eastern state of Orissa.

Ninety-seven people died Sunday in the hardest-hit coastal regions of Orissa, where daytime temperatures rose to 116 degrees last week, the Press Trust of India news agency reported Monday.

The heat has killed 1,131 people there since May 12.

The southern state of Andhra Pradesh reported 943 deaths; nearly 500 people have died elsewhere, mainly in the northern states of Uttar Pradesh and Bihar, the news agency said.

The seasonal monsoon rains hit the coast of southern India over the weekend, bringing some respite. But it will be six weeks before they reach the parched regions in the plains of northern India.

The pre-monsoon rains have begun bringing down temperatures in parts of the country. Weekend dust storms accompanied by light showers in the capital, New Delhi, brought the mercury down from a peak of 115 degrees to 105 degrees.

■ Turkish troops kill Kurdish rebels

DIYARBAKIR, Turkey — Turkish soldiers killed 37 Kurdish insurgents in stepped-up operations in the southeast, the regional governor's office said Monday.

It said only one soldier died in the clashes in the provinces of Sirnak, Siirt and Diyarbakir. The report could not be independently verified.

Guerrillas from the Kurdistan Workers Party have been fighting for autonomy in Turkey's southeast for 14 years. The conflict has killed 37,000 people.

In Istanbul, NTV television said police arrested 22 members of an illegal Kurdish group blamed for a bombing aboard a commuter train in Istanbul last week. The bomb killed one person and injured six.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Nigerian dictator dies of heart attack

By Frank Aigbogun
Associated Press

LAGOS, Nigeria — Gen. Sani Abacha, the Nigerian dictator who crushed dissent and repeatedly put off ceding power to civilians, died Monday of a heart attack. The ruling junta named a general as his successor early Tuesday, moving quickly in an apparent bid to maintain its grip on power.

Gen. Abdulsalam Abubakar, a major general in the army and defense chief of staff, was sworn into office around 4 a.m. as leader of oil-rich Nigeria, Africa's most populous nation.

"I appeal to all Nigerians to put all hands on deck to move our nation forward," he said in a statement issued shortly after his appointment, which came less than 12 hours after Abacha's death was announced.

As one of his first official acts in power, Abubakar declared seven days of morning for Abacha.

Abacha, who came to power in a coup after canceling presidential elections in 1993, never indicated who would take his place as leader of Nigeria's 115 million people.

As word of the 54-year-old leader's death spread, crowds in the commercial capital, Lagos, broke into cheers. Many saw an opportunity for a return to democracy — even though there was no sign the military was prepared to yield power, nor that Nigeria's many rival ethnic groups would cooperate in a peaceful change of government.

"This death gives us an opportunity to restart our lives," opposition leader Soloman Lar declared. "It is our hope that Nigeria will not miss that chance."

"Commander-in-chief Abacha passed away in the early hours of the morning," a uniformed officer said Monday, reading a government statement as he stood before the State House in the capital, Abuja.

With those few words, Nigeria marked the end of its latest in a legacy of army dictatorships in the impoverished West African nation.

Word of Abacha's death came after heavily armed soldiers sealed off his home and office in Abuja. Only the country's top military brass were permitted to enter the compound.

In keeping with Muslim practice, Abacha was buried in his hometown of Kano, near the border with Niger, before sundown Monday, Radio Lagos reported. Martial music filled the airwaves.



AP Photo

Nigerian President Sani Abacha arrives at the airport in Freetown, Sierra Leone, in this March 10, 1998 file photo. Family friends said the Nigerian leader was dead of cardiac arrest Monday as legions of heavily armed soldiers sealed off Abacha's residence and office in the Nigerian capital of Abuja.

In Washington, State Department spokesman James P. Rubin called for a "genuine democratic process" leading to a transfer of power from military to civilian rule in Nigeria.

Top Nigerian officials convened an emergency meeting hours after his death.

Abubakar, 55, was born in the northern Nigerian town of Minna and later attended the Kaduna Technical Institute in 1963 before enlisting in the air force.

A career serviceman, he transferred to the army in 1975 and received military training in the United States. In 1981 he served with Nigerian troops assigned to a United Nations peacekeeping force in Lebanon. He was appointed chief of defense staff in 1993 by Abacha.

Even by the standards of Nigerian military rule, Abacha stood out as ruthless and unforgiving, willing to flout world opinion in his quest for supreme power.

Critics faced certain arrest and, sometimes, execution if they persisted in challenging Abacha and his military government — or challenged his handling of the nation's lucrative oil resources.

Oil executives in the Niger Delta city of Port Harcourt said Abacha's death would have little affect on oil production.

Nigeria's oil industry — one of the largest in the world — was left to decay under Abacha's rule, but continues to be the country's largest source of export revenue.

Apartheid scientist describes covert experiments

By Paul Harris
Associated Press

CAPE TOWN, South Africa — A scientist for South Africa's former apartheid government testified Monday that he made poison-tipped umbrellas and screwdrivers to kill enemies of white rule, and described how his bumbling almost cost him his own life.

Dr. Jan Lourens said the umbrellas, walking sticks and screwdrivers, outfitted with concealed needles, were made at the request of apartheid-era security forces. He said he did not know if they were ever used to kill anyone.

"It is rather like a James Bond movie," commented Truth Commission member Dumisa Ntsebeza.

"Unfortunately," replied the tall, bespectacled Lourens.

At one point during his testimony before South Africa's Truth and Reconciliation Commission, Lourens described taking vials of poison to a contact in Britain, referred to only as "Trevor."

Lourens said he accidentally spilled poison on his hand as he demonstrated one of the weapons in a cottage near Ascot, just outside London.

"I don't know how it happened, but I wiped my mouth and I lost consciousness very quickly," Lourens said.

He said he survived because he staggered to a bathroom after he awoke and drank antiseptic until he vomited.

Lourens also testified that he sent equipment to an army research laboratory for fertility experiments among primates. He said he suspected experiments were being carried out to discover ways of reducing birth rates among black women.

Reports that such research was conducted have surfaced in recent years, although there is no indication the research ever escalated into actual attempts to reduce birth rates among blacks.

Earlier Monday, the Truth Commission turned down a government request to hold the hearings behind closed doors.

The ruling African National Congress, which won South Africa's first all-race elections in 1994, believes some of the information should not be released to prevent the spread of dangerous technologies.

However, Truth Commission chairman Desmond Tutu rejected the request, saying potentially sensitive documents had been withdrawn from the public hearings.

The Truth Commission was set up by President Nelson Mandela in 1995 to probe apartheid-era human rights abuses and promote reconciliation.

Bosnian Croat paramilitary chief on trial for allegedly allowing rape

By Mike Corder
Associated Press

THE HAGUE, Netherlands — A Bosnian Croat paramilitary commander watched as one of his men repeatedly raped a Muslim woman, prosecutors claimed Monday at the start of the commander's war crimes trial.

Anto Furundzija, 28, pleaded innocent to two war crimes charges relating to the alleged May 1993 rape. Prosecutors say the woman was raped as he interrogated her. Furundzija denies being present.

His trial is the first war crimes case to deal specifically with sexual assault committed during an interrogation.

Although Furundzija is a comparatively minor figure from the 3 1/2-year Bosnian conflict, prosecutors at the U.N. court have been keen to establish case law involving sexual assaults as a war crime.

By failing to stop the rapes, prosecutor Michael Blaxill told the three-judge panel, Furundzija became a "direct perpetrator committing the crimes of torture and outrages upon personal dignity."

The accused man's attorney, Luka Misetic, said the prosecution's case was built on faulty recollections of the victim.

"Her testimony will not convince you beyond a reasonable doubt that Anto Furundzija is guilty as charged," Misetic said.

Furundzija faces a maximum sentence of life in prison if convicted.

The alleged rapist, identified Monday by the names Cicko and Bralo, has been indicted but not arrested. Officials have not released the man's real name.

Furundzija was arrested in December in the central Bosnian town of Vitez. The victim, identified in court only as Witness A, was raped at the headquarters of his unit just outside Vitez, prosecutors said.

In 1993, Furundzija's unit — known as "The Jokers" — allegedly took part in a violent campaign by Bosnian Croat forces to drive Muslims out of central Bosnia's Lasva River Valley.

Prosecutors plan to call five witnesses, including the alleged victim. A Muslim community leader from Vitez testified Monday.

The trial is the sixth to begin at the tribunal.

Set up in 1993, the war crimes tribunal has indicted 60 suspects — 27 of whom are in custody. Its most-wanted suspects — former Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic and his wartime military chief, Gen. Ratko Mladic — remain at large.

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Diplomats tour ravaged areas of Kosovo region

By Aleksandar Vasovic
Associated Press

DECANI, Yugoslavia — Stray cattle roaming among spent ammunition. Deserted houses riddled with grenade holes. Devastation reminiscent of wartime Bosnia greeted diplomats allowed into western Kosovo, target of a Serb offensive that prompted new international sanctions Monday.

Outsiders' first look since the latest Serb campaign showed charred ruins everywhere — but few people, except for armed Serb policemen. The area had been sealed for more than a week during fighting that drove out tens of thousands of the province's ethnic Albanian majority — and heightened fears of a new, bigger Balkan war.

"What we've seen is all sorrow, all grief ... all those villages burned and destroyed, all the people had left," Dutch ambassador Jan Sizoo said after visiting Decani on Sunday.

Sizoo was in the first group of foreign diplomats to see the region since Serb police and soldiers began a punishing offensive in late May, part of an intensifying campaign against militants battling for independence for Kosovo's 90 percent ethnic Albanian majority.

Journalists were turned back from another convoy that went in Monday. More fighting was reported elsewhere in Kosovo.

In Streoce, the first village the diplomats saw, more than 20 houses were burned or shelled, and only a few policemen were present.

Fresh coats of paint on shops on the outskirts of Decani could not conceal graffiti praising the militant Kosovo Liberation Army. A few Serb townspeople lingered about the police station.

Police showed the diplomats an array of weapons they said were confiscated from militants.

On the road to Djakovica, the scene recalled some of the worst damage in Bosnia and Croatia. Many houses were gutted by flames. Cartridges of various caliber littered the area.

Cattle, untended, roamed the empty village of Prilep, four miles south of Decani. Houses were peppered with bullet holes. Some had gaping holes made by grenades.

There were clear signs of what the European Union assailed as "widespread house-burning and indiscriminate artillery attacks on whole villages" — as well as actions by the Kosovo Liberation Army.

After seeing only "part of what one could call a battlefield," Sizoo said: "We've been told (by Serb authorities) that the blame is on the terrorists who started first. But, this statement is very difficult to defend — for a conflict you always need two parties."

Serb forces continued shelling the area around the Albanian border Monday, according to the Kosovo Information Center, close to the ethnic Albanian leadership. Its Serb counterpart, the pro-Serb Media Center, said ethnic Albanian militants attacked two Serb villages in the Drenica region.

The U.S. government, accusing Yugoslavia of wholesale violence against the Kosovo Albanian population, decided Monday to freeze Yugoslav assets in the United States and to ban investments in that country.

Mexico villagers flee site of army, rebel clash

By Niko Price
Associated Press

EL CHARCO, Mexico — The tile-roofed shacks of this mountain hamlet were empty Monday. Among the dirt roads and cane fields, a few chickens, a few dogs and dozens of soldiers were the only signs of life.

Except for the blood.

The line of blood stretching across the concrete basketball court. The pool of blood amid overturned desks and scattered textbooks in the schoolhouse. Spots of blood under the blackboard marked in chalk, "Strategy. Tactics."

The army says it happened upon a gathering of a shadowy guerrilla group here Sunday morning, sparking a gunbattle that killed 11 rebels and wounded five.

It was among the bloodiest clashes between rebels and troops since the Popular Revolutionary Army emerged in June 1996 about 70 miles west of here in the mountains near Acapulco.

The army says rebels opened fire after soldiers on an anti-drug patrol stopped three armed men and asked for identification.

At a news conference in Acapulco, a representative of the Mexican Attorney General's office said military authorities had turned the investigation over to his office, but he had few details of the clash.

The lone resident of El Charco who stopped by Monday — and then only for a few minutes to feed his chickens — said the army arrived four hours before the shootout and surrounded the schoolhouse before attacking.

"At the moment the shooting started, a lot of people, almost all of the town, ran into the mountains," 35-year-old Emilio Gayetano said in his Mixtec Indian language through an interpreter.

"I also slept in the mountains last night. As long as the soldiers are here, I am not going to live here," added Gayetano, who said he sympathized with the rebel aims but not with their armed struggle.

Hundreds of bullet holes pocked the walls of the four-room schoolhouse. There was little similar damage from fire coming from within the school.

The blackboards are covered with bullet holes, including one that pierces the reference to rebel strategy. But the line of an "a" stops and starts on either side of the hole, indicating it was written after the shootout.

Soldiers in the village said they came from Mexico City, 160 miles north of here, early Monday with orders to guard the village, whose name means "the puddle."

There wasn't much to guard.

Other than the soldiers who made occasional forays into the mountains, rifles drawn, the only people in town were Gayetano, a handful of journalists and municipal officials of the leftist Democratic Revolution party inspecting the damage.

"You can see they were surprised and that there was a massacre," said Julio Leocadio Castro, an official from the municipal seat of Ayutla.

Ernesto Abarca Rodriguez picked up a muddy sandal from the schoolhouse floor. "They were all peasants," he said. "There are sandals everywhere. I don't see a single shoe, a single boot."

The Popular Revolutionary Army first emerged during a memorial service for 17 peasants massacred by police. In August 1996, it staged raids in seven Mexican states in which at least 18 people died and there were scattered clashes in early 1997.

After a series of government raids on suspected supporters, the group had been relatively quiet for about a year.



AP Photo

Mexican Army soldiers guard the outskirts of El Charco, 180 miles south of Mexico City, Monday. Soldiers stood guard in the village where army troops cornered a rebel band in a schoolhouse Sunday, killing 11 people in a shootout.

In a visit to Ayutla to hand over farming grants and checks for public works projects, Guerrero Gov. Angel Aguirre Rivero said the rebels involved in the shootout were not from the area, but did not say where they were from.

He called on residents not to fall into the rebels' "perverse game."

"We have spilled enough blood between brothers. It hurts us all," he said.

The status of efforts to end another guerrilla struggle, in the southernmost state of Chiapas, were uncertain Monday following the resignation of the chief mediator, Roman Catholic Bishop Samuel Ruiz, and of the mediation committee he headed.

In recent months, Ruiz had been repeatedly criticized by the government, which has urged direct talks with the Zapatista National Liberation Army.

The Zapatistas rebelled in January 1994 and peace talks began within months. But they have been stalled since late 1996 in a dispute over how to implement the main agreement reached so far, on Indian rights.

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Sultan's free perks offset stricter religious laws in Brunei

BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN, Brunei (AP) — Down the road from the sultan's palace is his gift to the people of Brunei: a sprawling amusement park where entertainment is courtesy of the king.

"It's not as big as Disneyland, but it's better," said Mohamhad Sofrihaten, 19, who like many Bruneians has dubbed the park the Sultan's Playground. "In Disney, money's king. Here, everything's free."

Some locals shrug off the free rides at Jerudong Park Playground as another perk of living in this oil-rich kingdom on the north coast of Borneo, ruled by one of the wealthiest men in the world.

No one pays taxes and medical care is free, thanks to the oil reserves that keep inflation nonexistent and also have sheltered Brunei from Asia's currency crisis. There are no highway speed limits and subsidies keep prices low for the gasoline that fuels all the imported cars.

Other Bruneians say it's due compensation for the kingdom's cannots.

In recent years, Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah's push for a stricter Islam in the majority Muslim nation of 300,000 people has brought laws banning alcohol, most night life past 10 p.m. and the public display of affection.

The one authorized exception is the multibillion-dollar amusement park, which is open until 2 a.m. on the outskirts of Bandar Seri Begawan, the capital. Built by the sultan in 1994 to mark his 48th birthday, the park draws a nightly crowd of 2,000 that scarcely fills its sprawl.

Thrill seekers careen on looping roller coasters and plunge on a 165-foot freefall ride with no lines to slow them down. Music fans get free tickets to concerts by the likes of Michael Jackson and Celine Dion. Young couples stray from marble paths to steal forbidden kisses.

"It's the only place where guys can play loud music and look at pretty girls," said Caroline Ang, a Bruneian travel agent. "You can't really live without vices."

That is the unspoken message that has trickled out of the sultan's lavish 50-acre palace, which is gated from the public except for one day a year at the end of the holy month of Ramadan.

Several Filipino actresses and beauty queens have allegedly received large sums to entertain at the 1,788-room royal palace, the world's largest residence.

Last year, a former Miss USA, Shannon Marketic, filed a damage suit against the sultan claiming she had been held captive at the palace for 32 days with six other American beauty queens and told they had to engage in sex soirees with wealthy men.

The sultan denied having had contact with Ms. Marketic. His lawyer got the $90 million lawsuit dismissed from a U.S. District Court on the grounds the sultan has sovereign immunity and cannot be sued.

Press coverage of the case was blacked out in Brunei. Locals said rumors slipped through, but they choose their words carefully when commenting.

"Just like in a small family, no one questions what the master of the house does," said Ang. "But if you disobey, he can point a finger."

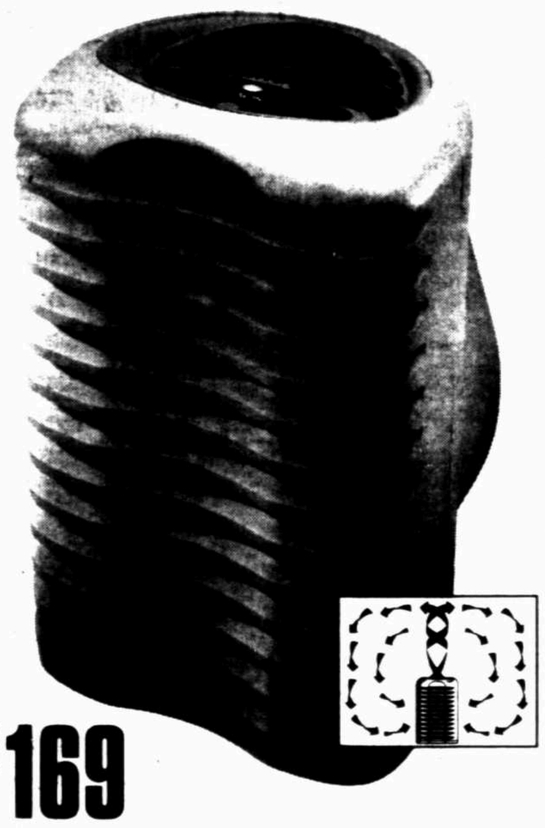
The sultan and religious leaders have recently scolded the kingdom's people for sinning. Awang Abdul Aziz Junid, a leading religious teacher, warned against "unhealthy entertainment," notably liquor and women who wear revealing clothes that flout Islam's teachings about modest dress.

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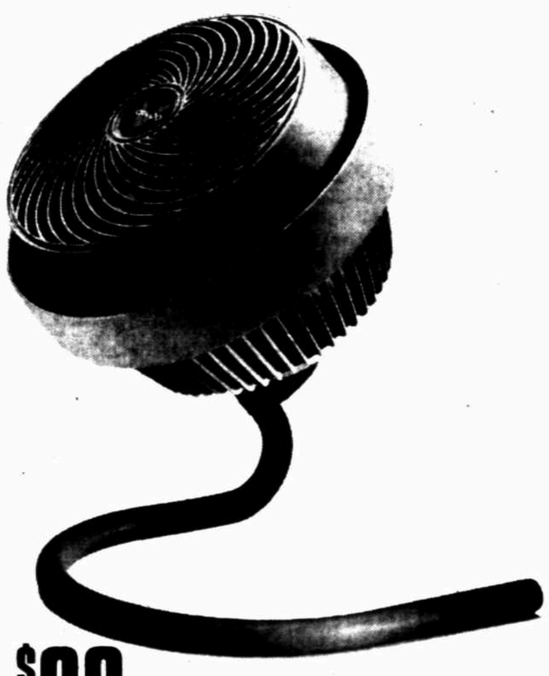
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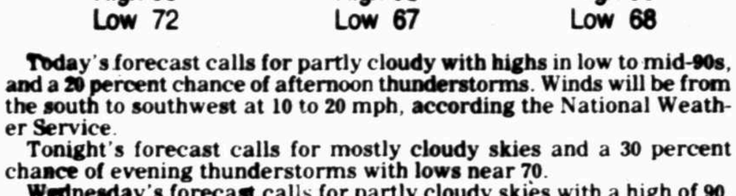
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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast



Today	Wednesday	Thursday
Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy
High 93	High 93	High 90
Low 72	Low 67	Low 68

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy with highs in low to mid-90s, and a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Winds will be from the south to southwest at 10 to 20 mph, according the National Weather Service.

Tonight's forecast calls for mostly cloudy skies and a 30 percent chance of evening thunderstorms with lows near 70.

Wednesday's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high of 90, and a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms.

After an overnight low of 74, Monday's high was 98, compared with the record high for this date of 104 set in 1994. Record low for this date was 57, set in 1949.

Yesterday's precipitation

Rainfall Monday	0.00 in.
Rainfall Sunday	0.00 in.
Total for month	trace
Total for year	1.18 in.

Yesterday's temperatures

High	98
Low	74
Normal high	93
Normal low	64

Pollen count

Trees: Low **Weeds:** Absent
Grass: High **Molds:** Low
Dust: Moderate
Courtesy: Allergy Alliance of the Permian Basin

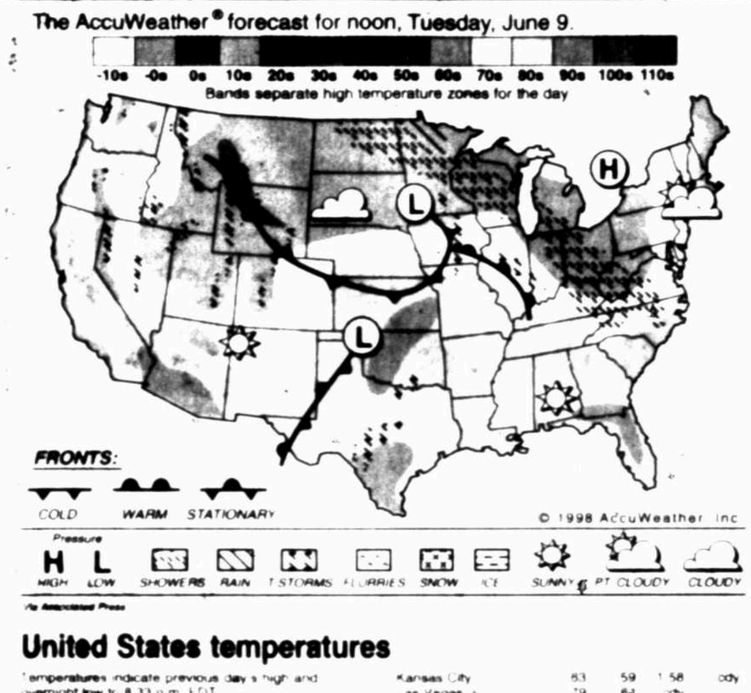
Sunrise ... 6:42 a.m.
Sunset ... 8:54 p.m.

UV reading

M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Skin Cancer Prevention Project
UV readings for June 3:
11 a.m. - 4, low risk
1 p.m. - 7, high risk
3 p.m. - 7, high risk

National forecast

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, June 9.

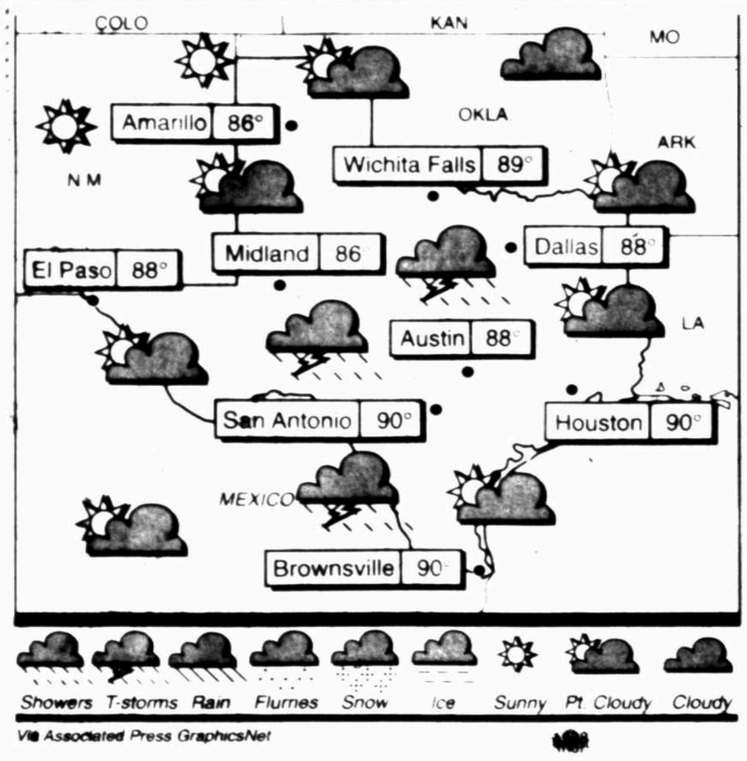


United States temperatures

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 8:33 p.m. EDT

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany N.Y.	83	50	13	cdy
Albuquerque	81	56	cdy	
Anchorage	57	53	.07	rn
Atlanta	78	54	cdy	
Atlantic City	71	49	clr	
Baltimore	76	53	cdy	
Billings	50	44	.11	cdy
Birmingham	82	53	cdy	
Bismarck	57	46	.20	cdy
Boise	72	49	.03	cdy
Boston	63	53	.11	cdy
Brownsville	93	80	cdy	
Buffalo	64	48	clr	
Burlington VT	67	50	.06	cdy
Casper	54	45	.22	rn
Charleston S.C.	82	53	cdy	
Charleston W.Va.	72	46	.04	rn
Charlotte N.C.	80	54	cdy	
Cheyenne	55	41	.57	rn
Chicago	69	44	rn	
Cincinnati	63	48	.02	rn
Columbia S.C.	81	52	cdy	
Columbus Ohio	71	50	rn	
Denver	83	45	cdy	
Des Moines	60	56	.58	cdy
Detroit	71	46	rn	
Duluth	65	36	cdy	
Fairbanks	78	61	cdy	
Fargo	73	41	rn	
Flagstaff	63	28	clr	
Grand Rapids	71	38	cdy	
Great Falls	58	45	.10	rn
Greensboro N.C.	76	49	cdy	
Helena	58	46	.14	rn
Honolulu	84	74	rn	
Indianapolis	63	53	.12	rn
Jackson Miss.	87	59	cdy	
Jacksonville	83	58	cdy	
Kansas City	83	59	1.58	cdy
Las Vegas	79	64	cdy	
Little Rock	86	65	cdy	
Los Angeles	71	63	cdy	
Louisville	68	60	.09	cdy
Memphis	82	62	cdy	
Miami Beach	91	78	cdy	
Milwaukee	67	43	rn	
Mpls St Paul	67	48	rn	
Nashville	75	54	cdy	
New Orleans	89	67	.02	cdy
New York City	66	53	clr	
Oklahoma City	85	69	.46	cdy
Omaha	61	57	1.97	cdy
Orlando	86	73	.03	cdy
Philadelphia	70	52	clr	
Phoenix	89	65	clr	
Pittsburgh	67	44	rn	
Portland Maine	63	50	.13	cdy
Portland Ore.	73	57	cdy	
Providence	63	51	.07	cdy
Raleigh-Durham	79	47	cdy	
Rapid City	52	45	1.00	cdy
Reno	85	46	.01	rn
Richmond	75	49	rn	
Sacramento	77	58	cdy	
St Louis	63	61	.86	cdy
Salt Lake City	68	48	rn	
San Diego	66	61	.07	cdy
San Francisco	69	54	cdy	
San Juan P.R.	88	76	.17	cdy
Santa Fe	76	46	cdy	
St Ste Marie	64	42	cdy	
Seattle	66	54	cdy	
Shreveport	91	66	cdy	
Spokane	75	49	.04	cdy
Syracuse	68	50	.01	clr
Tampa-St Ptrsbg	92	74	cdy	
Topeka	65	59	1.60	cdy
Tucson	89	58	clr	
Tulsa	78	66	.96	cdy

State forecast



Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 7 p.m. CDT

	Hi	Lo	Pcp
Abilene	93	75	
Amarillo	91	66	0.01
Arlington	94	73	
Austin Mueller	95	77	
Beaumont	90	76	
Brownsville	93	80	
College Station	95	75	
Corpus Christi	92	79	
Corsicana	94	72	
Cotulla	106	78	
Dalhart	87	64	
Del Rio	100	77	
Denton	95	73	
Dfw Airport	94	73	
El Paso	91	64	
Fort Stockton	101	72	
Galveston	88	79	
Harlingen	97	79	
Houston Intrctnl	92	76	
Huntsville	94	75	
Kingsville	97	81	
Laredo	104	79	
Longview	93	65	
Lubbock	95	68	
Marfa	88	55	
McAllen	97	79	
Mineral Wells	93	66	0.56
Navy Corpus	89	81	
Paris	90	66	
Rockport	90	80	
San Angelo	98	75	
San Antonio	97	77	
Terrell	93	72	
Texarkana, Ark.	87	66	
Tyler	92	70	

HELP: 50 counties ban outdoor burning

(From 1A)

counties report rain shortfalls of 78 percent or more.

The Lower Rio Grande Valley received only 17 percent of normal rainfall for the March-May period, and officials estimated potential damage to cotton, corn and sorghum crops at $97 million.

"We've had one of the driest springs on record in many parts of our state. This drought has evolved quickly and early," Bush said.

Tom Millwee, of the Emergency Management Division, said the governor's emergency proclamation and request for federal help would augment the state's fire-fighting preparations.

Similar assistance has been sought in past droughts, he said, but this year Texas is moving faster.

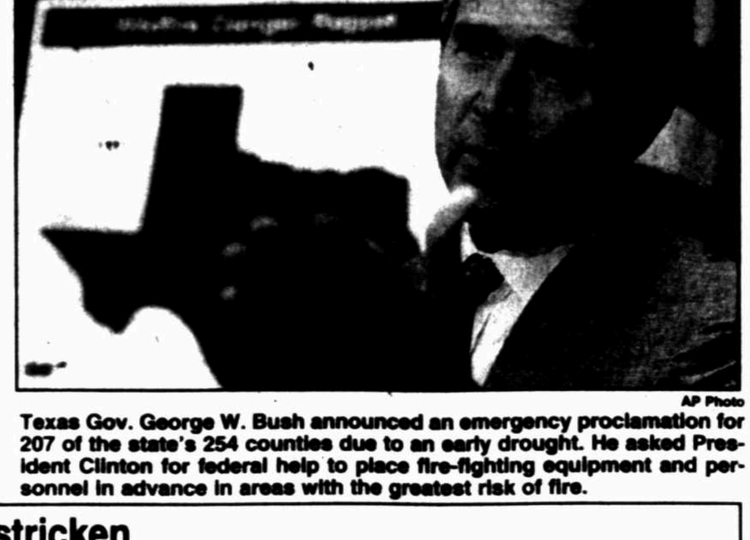
"What you see in '98 is really the lessons learned. What we're attempting to do is be proactive and get those resources in here," Millwee said.

Craig Pedersen of the Water Development Board, said the drought has developed with unusual speed, as most of the state receiving lower than normal spring rains.

"Most of the state's climatic regions are experiencing mild to severe drought conditions," Pedersen said.

He said overall statewide water reserves are in better shape than during the drought of 1996. However, water use has increased — up 125 percent in April from April 1996 and nearly 50 percent higher in May than May 1996.

Two large wildfires already have occurred in Texas, in Presidio and Edwards counties. In addition, fire is burning 16,000 acres of the Mexican state of Tamaulipas.



AP Photo

Texas Gov. George W. Bush announced an emergency proclamation for 207 of the state's 254 counties due to an early drought. He asked President Clinton for federal help to place fire-fighting equipment and personnel in advance in areas with the greatest risk of fire.

207 Texas counties proclaimed drought-stricken

By The Associated Press

A list of Texas counties included in a drought proclamation issued Monday by Gov. George W. Bush:

Anderson
Andrews
Angelina
Aransas
Armstrong
Atascosa
Austin
Bailey
Bandera
Bastrop
Bee
Bell
Bexar
Blanco
Borden
Bosque
Brazoria
Brazos
Brewster
Briscoe
Brooks
Brown
Burleson
Burnet
Caldwell
Calhoun
Callahan
Cameron
Carson
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Childress
Cochran
Coke
Coleman
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Concho
Coryell
Cottle
Crane
Crockett
Crosby
Culberson
Dallam
Dawson
Deaf Smith
DeWitt
Dickens
Dimmit
Donley
Duval
Eastland
Ector
Edwards
El Paso
Erath
Falls
Fayette
Fisher
Floyd
Foard
Fort Bend
Freestone
Frio
Gaines
Galveston
Garza
Gillespie
Glasscock
Goliad
Gonzales
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Cisneros trial separated from trial of ex-mistress

WASHINGTON (AP) — The independent counsel prosecuting former Housing Secretary Henry Cisneros has agreed to split his conspiracy trial from the trial of his former mistress and fellow defendant, Linda Jones, a prosecutor said Monday.

Mathew Rosengart, an attorney working with Independent Counsel David Barrett, said at the beginning of a pretrial hearing that the government had agreed to Cisneros' request for separate trials. Rosengart gave no explanation for the decision, and calls placed to the independent counsel's office were not returned.

Cisneros' lawyers also declined to comment on the case.

Cisneros and two other defendants will go on trial Nov. 4 on charges of conspiring to cover up payments Cisneros made to Jones while he was under consideration for his Cabinet post. All four have pleaded innocent to the charges.

Lawyers for the two other defendants, former Cisneros aides Sylvia Arce-Garcia and John Rosales, argued at Monday's hearing that their cases should be tried separately from Cisneros' because the testimony and evidence would overwhelmingly focus on Cisneros.

Rosales' attorney, Reid Weingarten, said his client would be "lost" in the trial.

U.S. District Judge Stanley Sporkin did not say when he would rule on their requests.

The four are accused of obstructing the background investigation by the FBI and the Justice Department in late 1992 and 1993 to conceal $250,000 in payments Cisneros made to Jones to cover up their relationship.

CLINTON: Riady was frequent White House guest

(From 1A)

acquaintance from the 1980s when Riady worked in Arkansas. After Clinton's election, Riady was an occasional visitor to the White House, where he got direct access to Clinton.

White House officials said Clinton had no reason to suspect the donations.

"Mr. Riady ... owned and continues to own American financial institutions that generate U.S. income," White House spokesman Jim Kennedy said. "In 1992, he was a lawful permanent resident and eligible to contribute to any political party.

"Thus there was no basis for anyone to believe that Mr. Riady's contributions to the DNC might be illegal. To suggest that, based upon the routine briefing memo to then-Gov. Clinton is truly absurd."

The AP made a weeklong effort to reach Riady, but a spokesman said Monday he was still unavailable for comment. In the past, Riady has said he believes his donations were legal.

Federal law forbids U.S. candidates and parties from accepting foreign money. The law allows foreigners who are legally and permanently residing in the United States to make donations. U.S. subsidiaries of foreign companies can only donate if they use funds generated inside the United States.

The memo to Clinton clearly noted that Riady had moved from the United States. "He has flown all the way from Indonesia where he is now based, to attend the fund-raiser," it said. And some of the donations were written from Lippo Bank in California on what appear to be starter or counter checks lacking the normal numbering of a personal checkbook.

Former Federal Election Commissioner Trevor Potter said that the issue of green-card holders who donate while outside the United States is untested but that a "careful reading of the law suggests a green-card holder must be residing in the country to donate."

Potter said that in 1992, most fund-raisers would have accepted a green card as reason enough to accept a donation. But the memo and checks "should have raised a red flag."

DNC spokesman Rick Hess said Monday the DNC has instituted stricter scrutiny of donations since the controversy erupted, but he said even "the most careful vetting procedures" wouldn't have raised questions about Riady.

Ms. Yee, who has cooperated with the Justice Department's fund-raising probe, said through a lawyer she had nothing to do with the checks and simply provided the information to Clinton.

"Melinda is not certain whether this memo was ever given to the president, and her only knowledge of Mr. Riady reflected in the memo is that he was living in Indonesia at the time," Attorney Nancy Luque said.

Copies of checks show Riady immediately made good on his $100,000 pledge.

He and his wife, Aileen, wrote two checks totaling $30,000 from a personal account to the Democratic National Committee's hard money accounts — those used to assist federal candidates. The couple wrote another $10,000 in checks to the California Democratic Party's federal accounts.

Those checks were dated Aug. 13, 1992, the day before the car ride, but weren't cashed for several days.

Bank statements reviewed by federal investigators show the California account received a string of $9,000 credits in the three weeks before the donations were made, according to government sources who spoke only on condition of anonymity.

The statements have notations suggesting two deposits came from Jakarta, the Indonesian capital, and the rest from somewhere inside Lippo, the sources said.

In addition to the personal checks, a Lippo subsidiary, Hip Hing Holdings, wrote out another $50,000 check to the DNC's soft money accounts the week of the car ride.

Three days after the check, Riady assistant John Huang wrote Lippo headquarters in Jakarta asking that it "please kindly wire" the money to cover the $50,000 donation. A Hip Hing official has confirmed to Senate investigators the money was reimbursed from foreign accounts. The DNC has since returned the money.

The Riadys followed with several more donations to state Democratic parties in the weeks before Clinton was elected, including: $85,000 to Arkansas, $75,000 each to Louisiana, Michigan and Ohio; and $50,000 each to Georgia and North Carolina.

The bank statements reviewed by investigators show Riady continued to infuse his account with a string of $9,000 credits. The last donation is recorded in campaign records on Oct. 27, 1992. Three days later, Riady's bank statements suggest his account was replenished with $330,000 from Jakarta, the sources said.

Two weeks later, the couple contributed $200,000 to Clinton's inaugural fund.

MINTS: Retailers jump on Altoids bandwagon

(From 1A)

the rest."

Altoids now are the fourth-largest selling mint and biggest-selling power mint in the United States. Sales for the 52 weeks ended April 26 topped $46 million, according to Information Resources, a Chicago-based market research firm.

Noting the success of Altoids, some well-known retailers recently decided to develop their own variety, working with Cody-Kramer Inc., a manufacturer in Blauvelt, N.Y., to make the right mint and tin to fit each of their images.

Unlike the larger Altoids box, each retailer opted for a smaller tin that can be easily slipped into a jacket or pants pocket.

"The mint and the tin have become the latest gentlemanly accessory," said Cydney Halpin, Dunhill director of marketing. "It's one more item in the arsenal for the polished gentleman."

Don't worry that these power mints are pushing TicTacs and Certs off of store shelves. Those old favorites still have a loyal following, and sales for regular mints are up 16 percent from last year.

Some people even prefer to be out of fashion when it comes to mints.

"The tins look cool, but the mints are way too strong for me. I feel like my mouth is on fire," said Jason Stein, who was buying some BreathSavers at a New York deli. "I'll stick to the sweeter stuff."

Correction

The newest telescope at McDonald Observator at Fort Davis is called Hobby-Eberly Telescope.

A story in Sunday's edition used the wrong name.

The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

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Cash Five Texas

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High court weighs lawyer-client issues

By Mark Helm
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court grappled Monday with the question of whether the long-established attorney-client privilege survives the client's death, asking whether any erosion of the privilege would affect the way people talk to their lawyers.

Arguing that the court should preserve the tradition, James Hamilton, lawyer for the late White House Deputy Counsel Vincent Foster Jr., urged the justices to rule that the notes of his conversation with Foster shortly before the aide's suicide should remain secret.

In early 1993, Foster had become embroiled in a controversy involving the firings of seven career employees of the White House Travel Office and their replacement with political appointees, one of whom was a distant cousin of President Clinton.

Foster, worried that administration officials, particularly Hillary Rodham Clinton, would face a congressional inquiry and possibly a criminal probe of the firings, sought Hamilton's advice on what to do.

"When Vincent came to talk to me on July 11, (1993), he asked me if our conversation was confidential, and I told him that it was," Hamilton said. Foster killed himself nine days later.

Hamilton said a decision by the court to erode the attorney-client privilege, the idea that a lawyer cannot be compelled to divulge anything a client says, "would have a strong, chilling effect on client candor."

He added, "People do care about their reputations and family and friends."

But Brett Kavanaugh, representing Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr, contended that Hamilton's notes could prove vital to the investigation into whether Mrs. Clinton or any presidential aides lied about the first lady's role in the firings.

Kavanaugh said that letting the privilege continue after the death of a client would "wall off critical evidence" from prosecutors seeking the truth.

"It would mean that innocent people would be wrongly convicted and guilty people would be wrongly exonerated," he said.

The D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled last August that after a client's death, the attorney-client privilege is no longer automatic in criminal cases. The panel said that in some cases, such as Starr's, a prosecutor's search for truth outweighed a dead client's interest in confidentiality.

But Kavanaugh urged the justices to go further than the appeals court and rule that the attorney-client privilege should not extend beyond the grave in all criminal cases.

Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg asked Kavanaugh, a prosecutor in Starr's office, whether investigators' interests could extend beyond the notes to actually questioning Hamilton about what he learned from his client. Kavanaugh replied, "Absolutely."

Because the outcome of this bitter legal dispute could affect how thousands of Americans consult with lawyers, especially in their final years, the justices intensely quizzed Hamilton and Kavanaugh on their positions.

At one point, Justice Sandra Day O'Connor asked Hamilton if he would waive the privilege to provide information that would prevent an innocent person from being convicted of a crime.

He said he would.

Then Justice Antonin Scalia asked if he would waive the privilege to provide information that would give prosecutors the information needed to convict a person who was guilty. Hamilton said no.

"So you would provide evidence to exonerate someone but not to prove someone guilty," Scalia said. "That seems disproportionate."

Scalia continued to hammer away at Hamilton's argument later, questioning him on how prosecutors can get at the truth when a key witness dies.

"In your opinion, there is nobody, no matter how important the issue is to the public, who can say enough is enough and let out the information," he said.

Hamilton repeated his view that the privilege should remain intact.

Ginsburg asked Kavanaugh why he should be given information — Hamilton's notes of his conversation with Foster — that he would not be entitled to if Foster were still alive.

"If he (Foster) was still alive, we could compel him to testify," Kavanaugh replied.

"But we see examples every day of people refusing to answer questions from prosecutors," Ginsburg shot back.

During Kavanaugh's argument, Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist asked about an aging father seeking advice from his lawyer on how he could help his drug-addicted son. Then, a few years later, after the father's death, the son is on trial for a crime. Could that lawyer be forced to testify against the son, Rehnquist asked.

Kavanaugh said that the lawyer would have to testify and, in essence, use a father's own words against his son.

But Rehnquist said that a client "must feel free to tell a lawyer the truth and the whole truth."

Justice Anthony M. Kennedy asked what would happen in a case that involved more than one defendant.

Would the death of one of them mean that his or her lawyer would be compelled to testify on what the dead man said about the crime and the guilt or innocence of the other defendants, Kennedy asked.

Kavanaugh said the lawyer would have to testify.

The court is expected to rule on the case by early July.

Cable, Internet become popular as news sources

WASHINGTON (AP) — A study finds dramatic growth in the newest ways of getting news and resilience in the oldest. Americans are turning increasingly to cable TV and the Internet to get their news but still rely heavily on their local paper, it says.

Despite the multitude of choices, "local television news and daily newspapers remain Americans' favorite news sources," said the Pew Research Center study, released Monday.

Pew's polling found that cable TV now rivals the networks as a source of information, with six in 10 Americans tuning in for news, weather and sports. By comparison, 57 percent of Americans regularly watch the networks' offerings of nightly newscasts, news magazines and morning shows.

"Americans say they would turn to cable channels first in the event of a big news story," the study says. "And in an era of expanded choices and economic prosperity, big news is what is required to attract big audiences."

The Internet is clearly an up-and-comer. The survey found 20 percent of Americans are going online at least once a week for news, up from 6 percent only two years ago. Yet they are using the Internet to supplement their traditional news sources, not replace them.

"The people who are college-educated, affluent — the people who might fall into the news-junkie category — they absolutely love the Internet," agreed Dean Mills, journalism dean at the University of Missouri. "People want basically the same things with news as they've always wanted: dependable, up-to-date information."

George Harmon of Northwestern University's journalism school describes a "colossal gravitation" toward cable news for a major story, such as the death of Princess Diana. The same holds true for the Internet, he said. "Site traffic is extremely heavy on the Web when you've got a blockbuster story."

The study found 38 percent of Americans, largely older women, are regular viewers of the nightly newscasts on the major networks, down from 60 percent in 1993. But television news magazines, such as "60 Minutes," "20/20" and "Dateline NBC" are increasingly popular, especially among younger viewers.

Readership of daily newspapers remains "remarkably stable," the study said. "Americans continue to rely heavily on their daily paper as a primary source of news," with 68 percent reading regularly.

U.S. freezes Yugoslavian assets, bans investments

WASHINGTON (AP) — Accusing Yugoslavia of indiscriminate violence against Albanians in Kosovo, the Clinton administration decided Monday to freeze Yugoslav assets in the United States and ban U.S. investments in Yugoslavia.

Also Monday, State Department spokesman James Rubin said the United States is not ruling out military intervention in the ethnic fighting in Kosovo, where rebels of an ethnic Albanian majority are pushing for independence.

"This is a situation that is dangerous, that affects the security of the world and ... particularly the security of Europe," Rubin said. "Negotiating is not always our policy, and it's not always going to be our policy."

Asked if American forces would take part in a NATO operation, Rubin said: "We have made no decisions on that."

Defense Secretary William Cohen said the administration is examining every option to deal with the situation in Kosovo.

"But there has been no decision in terms of any particular type of military option, but simply to say if it becomes necessary, what will be feasible and doable under these circumstances," he said. "That's only prudent planning."

He said NATO planning for possible military action to protect the Kosovo Albanians was being accelerated.

Earlier, National Security Adviser Sandy Berger had told reporters aboard Air Force One with President Clinton that the Clinton administration was not considering sending troops to end the fighting in Kosovo, saying such intervention "is not something that is on the table."

Clarifying Berger's remark, Rubin said Berger was signaling that planning was not being carried out by the United States but by NATO and that there may be military options that are not being considered at the moment.

The sanctions announcement came hours after the European Union took a similar step. No estimates were immediately available on the amount of Yugoslav bank accounts and other assets in the United States.

The administration had planned to adopt the sanctions earlier but deferred action after Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic said he was willing to open a dialogue with Albanian leaders in Kosovo.

Officials decided that sanctions were appropriate after Yugoslav forces stepped up hostilities against the ethnic Albanians in the province.

A senior official, asking not to be identified, said that as a result of the investment ban, Yugoslavia will not be able to secure foreign resources to move ahead with its privatization plans.

In Congress, some agreement could be found on the trouble spot.

Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., said that Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., raised a good point when he said he would not rule out use of U.S. troops.

"I wouldn't propose that we do it today," Daschle told reporters. "Certainly, it has to be multinational.

"But I believe that the multinational force that exists today in Bosnia is a clear demonstration of the success we could also witness in Kosovo if done correctly."

Pentagon to investigate nerve gas allegations

By Laura Myers
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Defense Secretary William Cohen ordered an investigation Monday into a report that American Special Forces used nerve gas in the Vietnam War — including against U.S. defectors — though he said he knew of no evidence to support the allegations.

The charges brought mostly skepticism at the Pentagon and among veterans and former military leaders.

"I have no recollection of that," retired Gen. William Westmoreland said of the possible use of nerve gas. Westmoreland, the American commander of U.S. forces for most of the war, said in an interview, "To me, it's totally illogical from a practical standpoint. ... We used some (tear) gas for some operations to overcome the enemy resistance, but not sarin nerve gas."

Westmoreland also was skeptical of any reported policy of targeting American defectors since there were very few — only two on an official Pentagon list, although there were rumors of two dozen or more in the war, which ended in the mid-1970s.

Cohen said the Defense Department was unaware of any information to validate the allegations in the report by CNN and Time Magazine. The story quoted a former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and Special Forces leaders about the alleged nerve gas program.

Cohen, who noted President Nixon had declared an end to use of any kind of biological weapons, said, "I have found no evidence ... that would validate that report, but it's a serious allegation obviously."

Asked if it was possible U.S. forces in Vietnam used nerve gas, Cohen said, "Anything is possible. I've seen no evidence that it's been substantiated."

Rep. David Skaggs, D-Col., a member of the House intelligence committee who served as a Marine in Vietnam, said he found the story "absolutely stunning and appalling if it is substantiated." He said he had asked the committee staff to see what the CIA knew.

The alleged actions were part of the 1970 Operation Tailwind in Laos, which was approved by the Nixon White House as well as the CIA, said the CNN and Time report, whose key source was retired Adm. Thomas Moorer.

Moorer was chief of naval operations and chairman of the Joint Chiefs.

Moorer was quoted as saying that sarin gas was used in missions to rescue downed U.S. airmen during the Vietnam War — and also against American defectors. He could not be reached for comment on Monday.

But retired Rear Adm. Eugene Carroll, who had several tours in Vietnam from 1965 through 1971, from operations officer at the heart of the Navy's air campaign to running a carrier, said the American military always sought to retrieve its own behind enemy lines.

"You don't go there to kill them. You rescue them," he said in an interview. "It's something entirely foreign to our understanding of the U.S. military." Still, he said, "Special operations groups are the dirty tricks people. They go behind enemy lines and sabotage and disrupt in unconventional ways. ... If the account is valid, you wouldn't keep records of going to kill Americans."

Nabisco set to cut 3 percent of work force

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — Nabisco Holdings Corp. announced Monday it will cut 3,100 jobs, close plants and spend more on marketing to boost sluggish cookie sales.

While analysts praised the strategy, which the company said would save $100 million a year, Nabisco's stock price tumbled on the news.

"The stock is down because earnings expectations for this year and next year came down by about 20 percent," said John McMillin, a food industry analyst for Prudential Securities. "I think everyone's upset that there's no quick fix at Nabisco."

The stock lost $6.06 1/4 per share, or 13.2 percent, to close at $39.87 1/2 on the New York Stock Exchange.

Monday's announcement reflects a series of disappointments for shareholders at Nabisco, which went through a similar restructuring two years ago. It cut about 4,200 jobs then.

The company will boost marketing spending by 30 percent from a year ago to increase sales of its cookies and crackers, such as Oreos and SnackWell's.

"While we have made good progress on several fronts, our volumes, sales and earnings for the first half are still stalled," said James M. Kilts, president and CEO. "These ongoing performance issues made it clear that the time for action was now."

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The Texas pecan industry will vote, ending on Aug. 17, 1998, on a pecan check-off under the Texas Commodity Referendum Law.

The basics of the referendum are as follows:

•The assessment would be 1/2 cent per pound of inshell pecans sold. This amount may not be increased without a vote by producers.

•This assessment will be paid by producers having 500 or more pecan trees grown on a minimum of 15 acres.

•To pass, the referendum must be approved by two thirds of the producers voting, or by producers representing at least 50 percent of the volume of pecans produced in Texas in 1997-98.

•The assessment is to be collected on a refund-only basis by the first handler of the pecans who will deduct the appropriate amount from the purchase price and remit it to the secretary-treasurer of the commodity producers board.

•A producer may obtain a refund of the assessment by filing an application with the secretary-treasurer within 60 days after payment.

•Voting on the proposed assessment will be by mail ballot. Ballots will be mailed to known producers. Additional ballots will be available from county agents or TPGA. Only those producers required to pay the assessment are eligible to vote. Ballots must be postmarked no later than midnight Aug. 17, 1998, to be valid.

•The funds collected may be used to fund marketing, education, research, and disease and insect control projects. No administrative fees are paid to the State of Texas.

•The funds will be administered by a nine-member board of pecan producers elected by those voting in the referendum.

•To nominate board members, obtain a form from TPGA or a county extension agent and obtain 10 signatures of producers eligible to vote.

For more information, contact Texas Pecan Growers Assn., P.O. Drawer CC, College Station, TX 77841; Phone: 409-846-3285

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What's this? IRS acting decent to taxpayers?

Whoa, what's this? A "new and improved IRS" maybe!

It seems like all the attention focused on the Internal Revenue Service earlier this year and legislation to reform the service may truly be having an effect. In fact, the IRS plans to send apologies and maybe even refunds to some 20,000 taxpayers after finding it tried to change repayment schedules in violation of federal law.

That's right, an IRS official did say "apologies" and maybe "refunds." Boy, that doesn't sound like the old IRS we used to know. That agency was known for striking fear into the hearts of nearly all taxpayers by conducting audits, acting like you had no rights as an American citizen to defend yourself — and telling you so, and even freezing your assets if it even suspected that you had tried to avoid paying your taxes.

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Fortunately, those heavy-handed tactics came under scrutiny earlier this year when the Senate Finance Committee launched hearings into reports of abuses by the agency. Senate Finance Chairman William V. Roth Jr., R-Del., applauded what the IRS had done in the latest situation, saying it showed "our hearings and our work on IRS reform legislation are having an impact."

In the most recent incident, about 20,000 taxpayers were improperly asked by the IRS to extend their existing installment agreements beyond the 10-year legal time limit when collections would normally expire.

Lee Monks, IRS taxpayer advocate, said, "We sincerely regret our errors with these taxpayers. He also said the agency will act quickly "to ensure we correct each account and make whatever refunds the law allows."

Hey, that's all Americans wanted — to actually be treated like human beings by the IRS. The change is a welcome one indeed.

Today in History

Today is Tuesday, June 9, the 160th day of 1998. There are 205 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 9, A.D. 68, the Roman Emperor Nero committed suicide.

On this date:

In 1870, author Charles Dickens died in Godshill, England.

In 1954, Army counsel Joseph N. Welch asked Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, "Have you no sense of decency, sir?" during the Army-McCarthy Hearings.

In 1969, the U.S. Senate confirmed Warren Burger to be the new chief justice of the United States, succeeding Earl Warren.

In 1973, Secretariat became horse racing's first Triple Crown winner in 25 years by winning the Belmont Stakes.

In 1978, leaders of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints struck down a 148-year-old policy of excluding black men from the Mormon priesthood.

In 1980, comedian Richard Pryor suffered almost fatal burns at his San Fernando Valley, Calif., home when a mixture of "free-base" cocaine exploded.

In 1985, American educator Thomas Sutherland was kidnapped in Lebanon — he was released in November 1991 along with fellow hostage Terry Waite.

Ten years ago: The House ethics committee met in closed session to discuss whether to formally investigate charges that Speaker Jim Wright's financial dealings may have violated House rules.

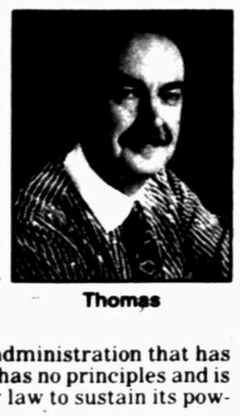
Five years ago: As millions of Japanese watched on television, Crown Prince Naruhito wed commoner Masako Owada in an elaborate Shinto religious ceremony. The Montreal Canadiens won the Stanley Cup in Game 5 against the Los Angeles Kings. Actress Alexis Smith died in Los Angeles at age 72.

One year ago: Air Force Gen. Joseph Ralston gave up his fight to become chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, his candidacy doomed by the clamor over his admission that he'd had an adulterous affair years ago.

Cal Thomas

Speaking plainly, a Clinton cover-up continues

President Clinton has ordered the federal government to start using "plain language" in official documents in order to "send a clear message about what the government is doing." One wishes the president would apply the directive to himself, his staff and his legions of lawyers in their refusal to fully cooperate with the office of the independent counsel.



Thomas

Is this the way honest people behave? One of the president's lawyers, Charles Ruff, said with a straight face that Clinton's legal maneuverings are not about obstruction of justice but about principle. This is an administration that has repeatedly demonstrated it has no principles and is willing to bend or break any law to sustain its power.

The president and his men (and first lady) realized they would probably lose a claim of executive privilege before the Supreme Court, so their fallback position was that attorney-client privilege should prevent top aide and keeper of evidence Bruce Lindsey from testifying before a grand jury. That claim has already been dismissed by Judge Norma Holloway Johnson, who rejected the same reasoning administration lawyers used in their executive-privilege claim. The issue is important not because it is about "private sexual matters" in the Monica Lewinsky affair, as Clinton defenders claim, but because it involves sexless matters such as subborning of perjury and obstruction of justice.

Starr asked the Supreme Court to rule on the issue of executive privilege and whether Secret Service agents could be compelled to testify before the grand jury, bypassing the appeals court. But the justices refused on Thursday to take the cases directly, saying the appeals route was the way to go. This is good news for the White House because it means more delay.

The administration daily demonstrates its reluctance to get the facts out to duly authorized investigators and to the public. Even if Lindsey is eventually forced to tell what he knows, which the spinners are already telling us is nothing, it's unlikely he'll be to Clinton what John Dean was to Nixon. Dean had to have a shred of decency to confront Nixon about the "cancer growing on your presidency" and to spill the beans to the special prosecutor. Clinton just shreds decency.

Every one of the administration's maneuvers is about delaying a day of reckoning with the truth. With 31 months to go in this presidency and with a legal process that is notoriously slow, the Clinton administration thinks it can run out the clock.

Two major newspapers that endorsed the president's election in 1992 and reelection in 1996 now seem to regret their decisions. In an editorial, the New York Times calls the latest maneuvers, "A White House Legal Dodge." It says President Clinton "will continue to impede Mr. Starr's investigation" and that he demonstrates "a refusal to cooperate with a prosecutor's reasonable requests for information in a legitimate criminal inquiry." A Washington Post editorial says that Clinton's "public promises of cooperation continued to be belied." In the plain language preferred by the administration in other categories, belied means "to give a false impression." It appears just ahead of "believe" in my dictionary, a word that means "to consider to be true or honest." In other, even simpler words, The Washington Post is calling the president of the United States a liar.

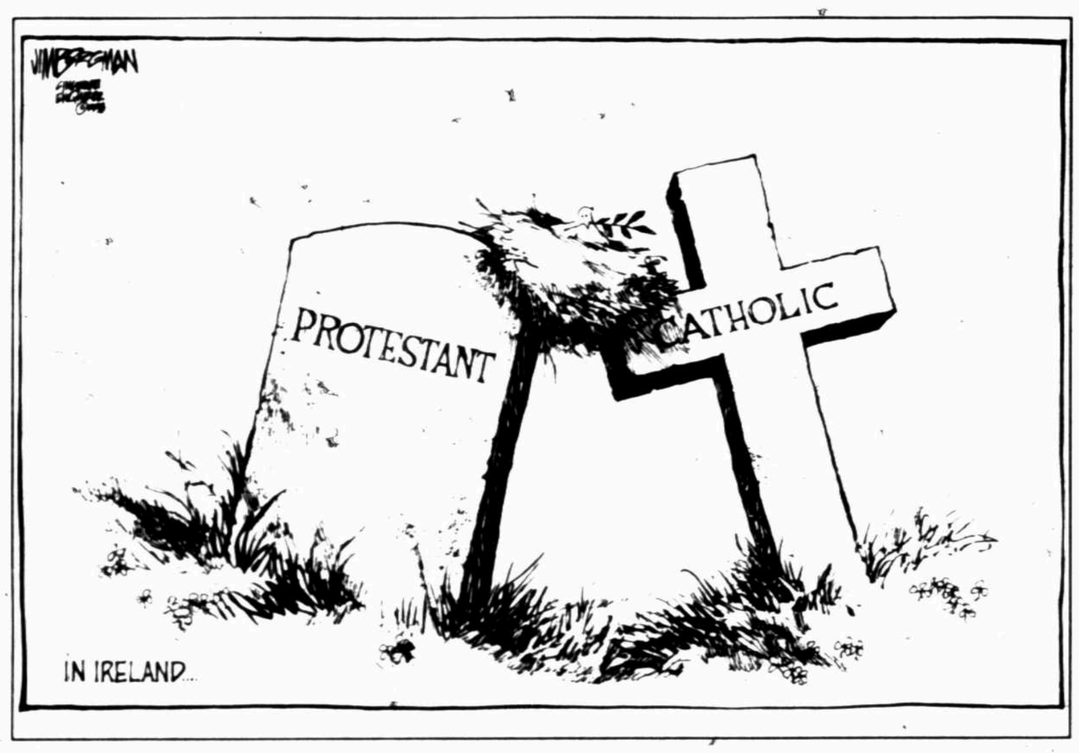
Starr notes an executive privilege claim for government lawyers in criminal cases involving public officials is bogus and that the courts have so ruled. "Litigants often try to concoct new privileges by contending that their relationship is just as important as the attorney-client relationship or the spousal relationship," said Starr in a speech. "But their problem is that they make this argument in the wrong forum. If you want to expand an existing privilege, to apply it in a new and unusual area, then the place to go is Congress, not the courts."

Which is precisely where this administration wants to go, but for different reasons. The administration would prefer taking its case to Congress instead of to court. If it can get Starr's report submitted to Congress, it has sufficient allies to delay completion of the investigation and hope the public's attention will wane. It's worked before, and the scandal story would have gone away by now if a new one didn't crop up every few months.

The Clinton people have effectively hidden behind the institution of the presidency, which they continue to demean each day. The courts, not the Congress, have the best chance of holding them accountable to the law and prying loose the truth which, in plain language, this bunch is unwilling to tell.

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Charley Reese

Americans need new roots in reality

It used to be said that what America needs is a good 5-cent cigar. Today, what America needs is a good dose of Alfred Korzybski and Zen Buddhism. Too many Americans are floating around like balloons about 2,000 feet from reality.



Reese

Korzybski was a Polish thinker and philosopher who developed the theory of general semantics. Zen stresses living in the present moment and being anchored to reality. Both are pointing in the same direction.

Language is a code, a set of symbols to represent reality. But, as Korzybski stressed, the symbol is not the thing itself. The word "tree" is not the thing sticking up out of the ground with leaves on it. Unfortunately, people, especially people who deal in words, forget that. They construct a world out of word symbols that in fact exists only in their heads.

Look at all the road apples being dropped over the schoolyard shooting in Oregon. Culture. TV. Movies. Guns. All of these are being blamed for four deaths, but in reality, the blame rests entirely on the shoulders of Kipland Kinkel, the 15-year-old who is charged with the shooting.

If you wish to understand why he did it, you will have to talk to him. The culture didn't do it. He did it. Thirty-eight million American kids from age 10 to 17 share the same culture as Kinkel, but only he decided, allegedly, to shoot up his school and murder his parents.

Human beings do not exist in the abstract or the collective. They exist as individual flesh and blood beings, each unique. Words such as "children," "society" and "culture" are abstract symbols that represent nothing but a generalization. They do not exist in reality. Have you ever seen a society? Have you ever touched a culture? Of course not.

What you can see and touch are individual human beings and individual works of art, entertainment or what passes for either. Each work, each book, each TV show, each movie and each painting are all the products of individual human beings. The publication broadcast or production of those products is authorized by individual human beings. Flesh and blood individuals with names.

If you have a problem with a Disney product, you have a problem with Michael Eisner. If you have a problem with a Time-Warner product, you have a problem with Gerald Levin. And so on. Nothing is produced by abstract forces or magic. Individual human beings are responsible for everything you see or read.

Only when we drop the abstractions and generalizations and begin to deal with each other as individuals, individually accountable for our actions and nonactions, will we ever even begin to solve problems.

Of course, there is an entire industry of political demagogues, editorialists, academics and grant-parasites in the social worker industry who perpetuate this idea of group think and of blaming problems on abstractions.

If you are a politician and you blame Eisner or Levin for lousy music or shows, they will be offended and won't give you a political contribution. So, like Bill Clinton did, you can blame "culture" without naming the people who produce the products that constitute the culture and, therefore, can continue to hit them up for contributions.

Even concepts such as love and compassion are abstractions and not the things themselves. Too many people are loving and compassionate in the abstract but indifferent and even spiteful to the individual human beings around them.

We need to live in the world and not in our heads. We need to recognize individual responsibility for words and deeds. We need to stop making excuses for ourselves and for others. Otherwise, as Zen teaches, we will have been born dreaming and die drunk.

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William Safire

Australians didn't seek approval of an Outback euro

No matter what the bankers tell you at the Frankfurt headquarters of the European Monetary Union, the euro is already in circulation.



Safire

Aboriginal Australians have long been familiar with the Westralian rock kangaroo, which they call the uroo, waroo, or yuro. English-speaking residents of that continent spell it euro: "Wallaby, euro, and dingo tracks," wrote I.L. Idriess in a 1933 novel, "showed how popular this cool rock-hole was."

Those creatures, with their powerful hindquarters and front-loaded method of carrying offspring in pouches, will have to share their name with the European supercurrency in a few years. Residents of 11 countries will soon be disdaining francs, marks, guilders, escudos, and pesetas, instead insisting their common currency is as "sound as a euro."

The Germans wanted to call it the euromark. The mark was the name of a German, English, and Scottish weight traceable to the year 886; in 1946, the Deutsche mark replaced the Reichsmark and became the symbol of German financial stability. But the French preferred the ecu, acronym for the European Currency Unit (and an old silver French coin, similar to the English crown).

Germans thought ecu sounded too much like Kuh, German for "cow," likely to lead to such wordplay as "cash cow" and "curdling the currency." Bonn countered with the franken — a Germanization of the French franc — but that struck many as too close to Mary Shelley's Dr. Frankenstein, not to mention his monster. The monnet had its moment, honoring Jean Monnet, the European unionist, but that suggestion sounded too much like the English money, and the Brits were not even embracing the new currency.

"The Germans insist on euro," wrote Nathaniel C. Nash of The New York Times from Brussels in November 1995, a name their finance minister, Theo Waigel, "floated in September when the finance ministers last met."

MILLENNIUM BUG

When a batter fans, baseball scorers put down the symbol K, probably from the distinctive letter in strike.

In the years since, K — from kilo, Greek for chilioi, "thousand," or 10 to the third power — has most often come to mean kilobyte, strings of binary digits expressed by 2 to the 10th power, or 1,024. My son the E-commercialist says that if my computer doesn't boast a memory of 48 megabytes — that's 49,152 kilobytes — I should forget about it.

As we content providers are aware, the world as we know it is coming to an end at midnight on Dec. 31, 1999. At that moment, the Times Square ball drops; couples embrace; killjoy mathematicians insisting the new millennium does not begin for another year are drowned out in the clack of celebrants' noisemakers; the ghost of Guy Lombardo reappears to play "Auld Lang Syne" (which drunken etymologists explain is Scottish for "Old Long Since"); computers that have not been properly rejiggered assume with perfect binary logic that the Gay Nineties are over and that we're going into the year 1900 and that Diamond Jim Brady is canceling our credit cards. What a moment!

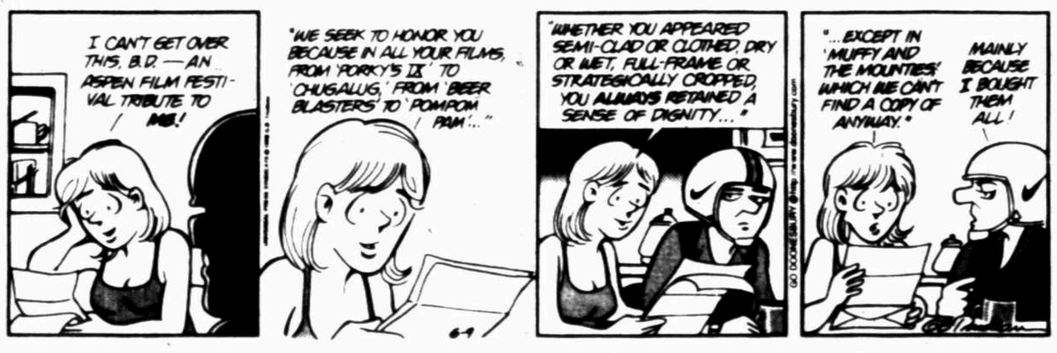
On Feb. 28, 1996, a Y2K bulletin board appeared on the Internet. Its existence was noted in the world of Old Establishment Media by The Wall Street Journal on July 26, 1996. Peter de Jager, co-author with Richard Burgeon of Managing 00," helped popularize the term among the netties, as did Dan Rather of the broadcast network netties. They accepted the old-fashioned symbol of K as kilo, 1,000, not as 2 to the 10th power, or 1,024.

If you don't cotton to Y2K, and don't have the space for the year 2000, there's always the Roman numeral MM. A candy company that produces M&M's (named after Forrest Mars and Bruce Murrie) has seized on this idea to appoint itself "the official candy of the New Millennium." If you don't want your fingers sticky with chocolate as the electronic balloon falls, grab a handful of those millennium bugs.

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Charlton Heston elected president of NRA in attempt to soften group's public image

By David Kinney
Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — The National Rifle Association elected Charlton Heston as its president Monday in the hope that the man who played Moses on screen would give it instant credibility and help it achieve a more mainstream public image.

"We've been demonized by the media to a certain extent. I think this is a way of saying, 'Hey, Moses is on our side,'" said Wayne LaPierre, who was re-elected NRA executive vice president.

The NRA has come under fire recently following a series of school shootings across the country since last fall.

The election of the 73-year-old star of "The Ten Commandments" capped Heston's rapid rise through the hierarchy of the nation's oldest and largest gun rights organization, with 2.8 million members — down from a peak of 3.4 million three years ago. He was previously first vice president.

Heston and LaPierre want to bring back supporters who were scared away by more extreme members who oppose nearly all restrictions on guns.

Following his nearly unanimous election by the 76-member board of directors, Heston vowed to use his star power to broaden membership and to recast the NRA as a moderate organization.

"I think it's a question of restoring the image the NRA has enjoyed for, what, 120-some years," the movie star said. "I think we will find ourselves back in the mainstream of American public life."

He said the NRA under his leadership will worry less about changing policy than about doing a better job communicating the message that the NRA's members are regular, all-American folk.

"At least that's a skill I have, and my public face is useful, too," Heston said.

The group's efforts to improve its image took a blow shortly before the vote, when NRA security guards had a confrontation with the husband of a board member who made a complaint about the organization's bylaws. Guards told Ken Brodbeck, 39, of Des Moines, to be quiet and stop videotaping the session after he stood to speak and was called out of order.

"Next thing I knew they tackled me onto the ground," he said. Tris Barry, NRA security manager, said Brodbeck fell.

After Heston's election, the new leadership challenged President Clinton to allow the NRA to work with one American city beleaguered by gun violence for a single year. The NRA hopes to prove that the problem is not guns but lax enforcement of the law.

"Philadelphia would probably be good," Heston said. "Over the last few days, I've been talking to Philadelphia cops, and every one of them say, 'By God, you guys are on the right track. What is wrong here is that they are not prosecuting the crimes.'"

Mayor Ed Rendell has threatened to sue the gun industry over the city's high gun homicide rate.

On Saturday, Heston offered a bristling attack on Clinton.

"Mr. Clinton, sir, America didn't trust you with our health care system. America didn't trust you with gays in the military. America doesn't trust you with our 21-year-old daughters, and we sure, Lord, don't trust you with our guns," Heston said.

Though only one board member voted against Heston, some within the organization question his record on guns rights. He supported a federal gun-control law in 1968 after Robert F. Kennedy's assassination. And he said during a radio show last year that AK-47s "are inappropriate for private use."

Opponents within the NRA worry about the more moderate stance of Heston and LaPierre, saying the group ought not compromise with gun-control advocates.

"He is a beautiful, eloquent spokesman for the Second Amendment," said Neal Knox. "I hope that he will make it clear that he is a credible spokesman."

Gun opponents said there is no difference between the NRA's two factions.

"Frankly, if the NRA is mainstream, then we live on the 'Planet of the Apes,'" said Rep. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., author of the Brady Bill, referring to another Heston role. "Even two-thirds of gun owners support reasonable gun restrictions. Charlton Heston does not speak for them. He speaks for those who believe no amount of guns is enough."



AP Photo

Actor Charlton Heston displays one of his rifles at his home in Los Angeles, Calif. in this September 1984 file photo. Heston was elected by board members, as the new president of the National Rifle Association Monday, in Philadelphia

Space shuttle departs Mir, ends era in space

By Marcia Dunn
Associated Press

SPACE CENTER, Houston — Space shuttle Discovery popped the latches and pulled away from Mir on Monday, ending one phase of U.S.-Russian cooperation and ushering in the next: an international space station that should be flying by the end of the year.

Before the nine astronauts and cosmonauts parted company, the commander of the Russian space station pressed a 2-foot wrench into the hands of Discovery's skipper, Charles Precourt.

"Charlie, take this wrench," Talgat Musabayev said. "It's sort of a relay stick from an old lady, station Mir, to the international space station."

Precourt replied: "We're going to need this for all the work that we have ahead of us. ... The whole Phase 1 has been fantastic, and we're looking forward to working with you again."

Phase 2 gets under way in November when construction of the international space station begins in orbit. It will take five years, 43 flights and 16 nations to assemble the outpost; if all goes well, an American-led crew will move in next summer.

As for Mir, the Russians will let the aging outpost burn up in the atmosphere at the end of 1999, 13 years after it was put in orbit.

Discovery made the ninth and final shuttle visit to Mir since June 1995. The shuttle will return home on Friday with Andrew Thomas, who just completed a stay of more than four months aboard the Russian space station. Altogether, seven U.S. astronauts racked up 907 days on Mir.

"It was a great time," Thomas radioed to Russian flight controllers. "We did a good job."

Discovery separated from Mir after four days of joint flight as the two spacecraft soared 240 miles above Russia.

As a final favor, Discovery's seven crew members aimed cameras and binoculars at Mir from 240 feet away as the cosmonauts pumped a glowing green gas into the Mir laboratory module to help find the holes that resulted from last year's near-catastrophic collision with a cargo ship. The leak test yielded nothing.

"Sure is a pretty view of the station, though," Precourt said. "It's really something."

"Enjoy the view because you're probably the last crew to have a good look at Mir," replied Mission Control.

Mir's two cosmonauts waved goodbye from a window as Discovery fired its thrusters and vanished into the black void of space.

Mir served as a testing ground for all sorts of things for NASA. Besides the collision, Americans aboard Mir endured a fierce fire, repeated computer breakdowns, power outages, toxic leaks and sweltering temperatures.

It was a constant learning experience "even during the benign times when we didn't have the major emergencies that have gotten the attention on TV," said Jim Van Laak, deputy director of NASA's shuttle-Mir program.

"We are, in fact, vastly better prepared to go forward into the international space station era than we were three years ago."

Strike forces GM to shut down assembly plant

By Brian S. Akre
Associated Press

DETROIT — General Motors Corp. on Monday idled two assembly plants and prepared to shutter others as a strike at a Michigan stamping factory began to cause shortages of hoods, fenders, doors and other sheet-metal parts.

Negotiations continued at the Flint Metal Center, where the strike by nearly 3,400 workers entered its fourth day. The dispute is largely over work rules and staffing levels.

Norm McComb, a vice president for UAW Local 659, said there had been no progress in the talks. GM spokesmen declined to comment.

With the flow of parts cut off for a variety of GM's light trucks and full-size cars, the first of 16 North American assembly plants supplied by Flint began to feel the strike's effects:

—The automaker closed its Orion Township plant outside Detroit. About 2,800 hourly workers on the early shift were sent home and about 1,100 were kept to do maintenance and repairs, spokesman Gerry Holmes said. The plant makes five full-size cars: the Oldsmobile Eighty Eight and Aurora, Buick Riviera and Park Avenue, and Pontiac Bonneville.

—The Fairfax plant in Kansas City, Kan., which makes the Pontiac Grand Prix and Oldsmobile Intrigue, was closed after Monday's day shift. The shutdown affected 1,455 workers.

—The light truck plant in suburban Moraine, Ohio, will be closed Tuesday. Workers there worked reduced five-hour shifts Monday. The plant makes GM's midsize sport utility vehicles, including the Chevrolet Blazer. About 4,300 workers were affected.

—Shifts also were reduced to five hours at the plant in Oshawa, Ontario, which makes the Chevrolet Lumina and Monte Carlo. There was no word on whether the plant would operate Tuesday.

—UAW officials in Flint said they also expected the Buick City car assembly plant to close by Tuesday. The plant employs about 3,000 hourly workers making Buick LeSabre and Pontiac Bonneville sedans.

The strike's effects was spreading to other parts plants as well. GM's Delphi Interior & Lighting plant in Auburn Hills, Mich., was closed; the company did not say how many workers were affected.

Meanwhile, the company, the nation's largest automaker, began production of its redesigned full-size pickup Monday at its Oshawa truck plant, said an industry source who spoke on condition of anonymity. The pickup is GM's best-selling vehicle and among its most profitable.

Company officials declined to comment, but said the truck's production timetable was still on schedule. Before the strike began, GM removed dies for the new truck to another stamping plant near Mansfield, Ohio.

A smooth launch of the 1999 Chevrolet Silverado and GMC Sierra is critical for the company to maintain its market share and its profits and to change its reputation for slow, bungled changeovers. Analysts say GM's big pickups are responsible for about 40 percent of the company's North American profits, with each sale generating about $7,000 in gross income.

"GM is notorious for not being able to launch new vehicles smoothly," said analyst Maryann Keller of Furman Selz Inc. "They have made a big point with investors that this time they have been able to resolve the product-development issues that have prevented smooth launches in the past."

Union officials say GM's decision to remove the pickup dies during Memorial Day weekend, when the Flint plant was closed, made the strike inevitable.

"When GM came in there and stole those dies, that just poured a bunch of gas on the fire," McComb said.

The automaker's cost-cutting and plant closures over the past two decades have resulted in the loss of about 50,000 jobs in Flint. Workers at the stamping plant fear their jobs may be next.

"I feel like they want to reap the benefits, but don't want to let us have anything," plant welder Charles Elam Jr., a 13-year GM veteran, said on the picket line.

The company says it cannot save money using new equipment at the plant unless restrictive work rules are changed. Officials cite a rule that allows workers to meet a daily production quota in less than eight hours but get paid for a full shift.

The Flint plant is among the least competitive within GM, according to the Harbour Report, an independent ranking of the efficiency of North American auto plants.

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■ Guard arrested in abuse case

HOUSTON — A former jail guard caught on videotape pushing an inmate down with his foot was arrested Monday on charges of beating another prisoner.

Wilton David Wallace is the first guard arrested following an FBI investigation into alleged abuses against Missouri inmates. The prisoners were housed at the Brazoria County jail through a contract with Capital Correctional Resources Inc., a private Texas company.

The FBI launched its probe after a September 1996 training videotape televised nationally last summer showed CCRI employees and others kicking inmates, submitting them to stun guns and allowing police dogs to bite prisoners.

Don Clark, FBI special agent-in-charge, said the investigation is continuing and more charges may be filed.

Wallace is accused of violating the civil rights of Clarence Fisher on Nov. 7, 1996 by slamming Fisher's face into a wall at the jail. He suffered broken teeth and other facial injuries in the attack.

Fisher was one of hundreds of Missouri inmates housed at the jail through the state's contract with CCRI. After the videotape was obtained by the media and made public, Missouri canceled its contract with CCRI. As a result, CCRI staffers, including Wallace, were laid off.

Wallace, 55, faces up to 10 years in prison and a $250,000 fine. Fifteen years ago, he served six months in a federal jail after pleading guilty in connection with the beating of a Texas inmate.

Wallace did not immediately return a call for comment to The Associated Press on Monday.

Jim Brewer, CCRI's vice president, declined to comment on Wallace's arrest Monday, saying he was not immediately familiar with the case.

While it is CCRI's policy to perform background checks on employees, it is not known if CCRI performed a background check when presented with Wallace's job application.

■ 13-year-old charged with murder

EAU CLAIRE, Wis. — A 13-year-old girl was accused Monday of killing her newborn son in a YMCA bathroom by squeezing his head and stuffing toilet paper in his mouth.

Lee Vang was charged with first degree murder and hiding a corpse. First-degree murder carries a mandatory sentence of life in prison.

Wisconsin juveniles 10 and older who are charged with serious crimes are automatically tried as adults unless a judge decides otherwise.

A YMCA janitor found the infant's body in two plastic bags, one inside the other, in a garbage can in the women's bathroom. An autopsy determined the baby died of asphyxiation and a fractured skull.

Witnesses had reported seeing a young woman in bloodstained clothes about four blocks from the YMCA late Thursday, said police Capt. Jerry Matysik. Police also found blood on a park bench in the area.

Vang was arrested Saturday during a house-to-house search.

■ Museum receives new Picasso

WASHINGTON — The Corcoran Gallery of Art is the new owner of a still-life painted by Pablo Picasso.

The small oval painting, "A Glass on a Table," is being donated by Wendy Leeds-Hurwitz and her family. Museum officials declined to estimate the value of the work, which is the first Picasso painting in its collection.

The dark painting, completed in 1913, is in the cubist style. Experts see a fruit bowl, a newspaper and a faceted glass.

Ms. Leeds-Hurwitz said the painting came from her grandmother, Lise Bernheimer Rheinstrom, who bought it before fleeing Nazi Germany for Cuba in 1941.

The painting will be displayed until June 22.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services

DEAR ABBY

Chronic fatigue syndrome all too real for sufferers

DEAR ABBY: In a recent column, Eugene Schoenfeld, M.D., stated, "There is no evidence for the misguided belief that chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome patients have a problem with their immune system, and all the reliable evidence indicates that they suffer from depression." It is important to REJECT that comment. Dr. Schoenfeld's remarks are very unfair to CFIDS sufferers. It is clear that he is not familiar with either this disorder or the literature on it.



Van Buren

In 1995, at the first world meeting on CFIDS in Brussels, Belgium, there was no argument about the validity of the disorder, and evidence was presented indicating characteristic abnormalities of the immune system. Please be aware that in Europe it's called "myalgic encephalomyelitis."

Almost all CFIDS patients suffer marked impairment of cognitive function, particularly memory loss. The other debilitating complaints include headache, insomnia, chronic sore throat, tender lymph nodes, fever and muscular disorder — fibromyalgia.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta have published a free pamphlet available to the public titled "The Facts About Chronic Fatigue Syndrome" (March 1995). There should no longer be any argument about the validity of this disorder. — HERBERT L. HYMAN, M.D., F.A.C.P., ALLENTOWN, PA.

DEAR DR. HYMAN: Thank you for your succinct rebuttal. Since I published Dr. Schoenfeld's letter, I have been inundated with outraged letters from CFIDS sufferers and their families, who felt invalidated by the doctor's comments. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I appreciate your response to the letter from Dr. Schoenfeld that recognized that CFIDS is very real to those who suffer with it. When I started the Yardley Area Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Support Group three years ago, I wondered if there would be any need for such a group in our small town. Today, there are nearly 100 people on our mailing list. Members' stories are varied, but their suffering is the same, and it's compounded by confusion in the medical community about the syndrome and lack of a physical marker that could be used to identify it.

If anti-depression medication were the answer to CFIDS, my daughter would have recovered five years ago. It is heartbreaking to see a high-energy 35-year-old woman lose the zest for living that had been her hallmark. I, too, might question the reality of CFIDS if I had not had to stand by helplessly and watch her change. — SYLVIA J. BINGHAM, YARDLEY, PA.

DEAR SYLVIA: It is my sincere hope that your daughter and the many thousands of others who suffer from chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction soon find a cure. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I suffer from CFIDS, yet I am not depressed. Why? Because the physician I went to diagnosed me right away because she had come down with CFIDS two years earlier! She did a complete medical and blood workup on me to eliminate any other possible causes for my symptoms. I, too, would have been depressed if every physician I went to told me there was nothing wrong with me and it was all in my head.

Dr. Schoenfeld should consult with Dr. Paul Cheney of Charlotte, N.C.; Dr. David Bell of Lyndonville, N.Y.; Dr. Nancy Klimas of the University of Miami, Fla.; or Dr. Anthony Komaroff of Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston — or any of the other myriad physicians who have researched and documented this debilitating disease.

Patients seeking information about chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome should be referred to: The CFIDS Association of America Inc., P.O. Box 220398, Charlotte, N.C. 28222-0398. The toll-free number is 1-800-442-3437. —LAURA ALMAN, SUFFOLK, VA.

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

Two dead after grain elevator explosion

HAYSVILLE, Kan. (AP) — Four people working in a tunnel underneath a grain elevator were trapped under tons of rubble after an explosion rocked the elevator Monday morning.

The explosion at the DeBruce Grain Inc. elevator killed two people and sent eight people to area hospitals. Eighteen people, including six who had to be rescued by helicopter from the roof, were able to leave the building after the explosion.

Crews of tactical rescue workers and structural engineers were inside the building Monday afternoon trying to reach the four trapped people, said Ken Cox, division chief of the Sedgwick County Fire Department.

The tunnel runs the length of the three-quarter mile elevator and is used to move grain. Because harvest has just begun, the workers were believed to be moving grain at the time of the explosion, Cox said.

Asked about their chances of survival, Cox said "We are always optimistic. I would never count them out."

Officials were flying around the structure in a helicopter using infrared equipment to see if any more people had been blown out of the building, he said.

The explosion about 9:20 a.m. may have been caused by a spark that ignited highly-combustible grain dust, said Fred Irvin, spokesman for the Sedgwick County Emergency Management Office.

The explosion knocked a hole the size of a small house out of the headhouse, which is in the center of the structure, and also blew out concrete on both ends of the elevator.

"The damage to the elevator itself was very extensive," Cox said.

The search was hampered Monday afternoon by high winds and rain. The area was under a tornado warning and Cox said the search would be called off if the weather worsened.

Fred Irvin, spokesman for the Sedgwick County Emergency Management Office, said one of the fatalities was found inside the headhouse. Other details on the deaths were not available.



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FDA withdraws new heart drug

N. Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Less than one year after it was approved by the Food and Drug Administration, the prescription heart drug Posicor was pulled off pharmacy shelves in 38 countries Monday, amid mounting evidence that it is dangerous, and possibly lethal, when used in combination with other drugs.

The drug, made by Roche Laboratories of Nutley, N.J., is used to treat high blood pressure and the chest pains known as angina, particularly in the elderly. It is used by 400,000 people worldwide, including 200,000 in the United States.

FDA officials have long known that it did not mix well with certain other medications. Over the last few months, however, the list of drugs that cause toxic interactions with Posicor has grown so long — 26 in all, from antihistamines to antibiotics to cholesterol-lowering medications and the cancer drug tamoxifen — that the agency asked Roche last week to withdraw it from the market.

The FDA and the company urged patients who are taking Posicor not to stop taking the drug, but rather to consult their doctors as quickly as possible to find an alternative therapy.

Since Posicor went on the market last July, the FDA has received dozens of reports of adverse side effects in patients taking it in combination with other drugs, according to Dr. Murray Lumpkin, deputy director of the agency's Center for Drug Evaluation and Research. These included dangerously low heart rate, irregular heartbeat and a breakdown of muscle that can cause permanent damage to the kidneys.

Those reports included 24 deaths, although how many were actually caused by the medications is unclear, in part because the patients taking them were so sick to begin with. Valerie Suga, a spokeswoman for Roche, said that "no causal link" had been established between Posicor and any deaths. But Lumpkin said agency officials believed two or three of the fatalities could be directly attributed to the drug combinations.



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Boys, city bicker over meteorite



Sgt. Reggie Bailey with the Monahans Police Department holds a rock that fell from the sky into a residential area of Monahans on March 22. Alvaro Lyles ,11, found the meteorite, but it was confiscated by the city. The family wants to sell the rock, but the mayor says they can't because the rock is city property.

AP Photo

■ Dispute over ownership of soccer ball-sized rock that crashed in Monahans in March became heated when bids reaching as high as $31,000 came in.

By Chris Newton
Associated Press

MONAHANS — Eleven-year-old Alvaro Lyles was about to shoot a 3-pointer in a driveway basketball game when a shrill, deafening noise, followed by a crash, caused him to toss the ball aside.

The next thing Alvaro and his six neighborhood buddies knew, they were local celebrities: the "Meteorite Seven" who discovered the white glowing rock from outer space that came crashing down in this West Texas town on March 22.

Firefighters took the soccer ball-sized rock from the front of the Lyles' home so it could be studied. They promised it would be returned as long as NASA determined it was not radioactive.

The next day, the Lyles family telephone began ringing off the hook as university science departments clamored to buy the meteorite, with bids reaching as high as $31,000.

But when the family asked the city to return it, the mayor sent a letter politely telling them no. The mete-

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State Farm to refund $178.6 million in Texas

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Texas drivers continue to see a little extra money in their pockets as insurance companies who sell automobile insurance policies lower rates.

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance announced Monday that it will return a total of $891 million to 35 states and the District of Columbia in its latest dividends program. Of that amount, $178.6 million will be sent to Texas policyholders.

State Farm is also reducing its Texas insurance rates an average of 3 percent effective Aug. 1 because of decreases in prices for bodily injury and property damage liability coverage. The company will also increase its renewal discount effective Oct. 19, resulting in an overall 2.6 percent premium reduction. Discounts for vehicles accident-free for three to six years will be raised from 5 to 10 percent, and from 10 to 15 percent for vehicles accident-free six or more years.

A spokeswoman for State Farm's North Texas Regional Office said the average dividend check will be $94 and stressed that the amount will depend on the individual policyholder's coverage. Policyholders will begin seeing the checks toward the end of June, as the company sends out its policy renewal notices on policies that expire beginning in late July. She added that policyholders due dividends of $10 or less will see that amount as a credit on their renewal notice.

According to the Texas Department of Insurance, State Farm has lowered its rates in Midland and Howard counties a total of 10.2 percent. This amount is a combination of a 0.8 percent discount because of tort reform, a 4.7 percent reduction in the company's benchmark rates, the just-announced reductions of 2.6 percent in insurance rates and the 2.5 percent increase in the renewal discount. Ector County has seen a 4 percent decrease in the company's rates.

In a statement, Texas Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer said, "I am

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Upper right: Kit Neil practices his kicks Monday. A week-long soccer camp is being taught by coach, Alvin Alexander, at the field near Bowie Elementary School.

Above: Mario Maldonado cools off at the pool at Washington Park Monday.

Right: Valesha Thompson, 1, hangs on to mom, Valerie, in the children's pool at Washington Park Monday.

Photos by Curt Wilcott

UTPB president to judge science competition in Sweden

By Richard Enos
Staff Writer

ODESSA — The president of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin will take his scientific expertise to Sweden this summer.

Charles Sorber will be among eight judges at a high school-level international science experiment competition on Aug. 9 and 10 in Stockholm.

Sorber will visit Sweden as part of the International Stockholm Junior Water Prize competition and the scientific community's Stockholm Water Symposium. He was one of the judges who recently chose U.S. finalist Brett De Poister. De Poister, of Reading, Pa., will compete for the junior water prize.

De Poister will compete against high school students from 10 other nations as they display science projects that address issues like water conservation and pollution.

Sorber said the contest will allow De Poister and other youth to learn more about science while on an all-expense-paid trip to Europe.

"Clearly we have an interest in exciting young people to excel in math and science," Sorber said. "Any one of these competitions, you can see that they get the proper publicity. These young people are the best and the brightest. They do basically college work in high school."

De Poister's research deals with the effects of common pesticides and toxins on frog embryos found in the world's water environment. He studied the element zinc and the pesticide diazinon and concluded that both pollutants contributed to problems among frogs as they develop into adults.

Sorber said there's a variety of criteria for judging a contest entry, including creativity, use of scientific procedure, knowledge of subject matter, research skills and presentation.

The prize was established to support the interest of youth in water environment issues at the regional, national and international levels.

Sorber also judged the international contest in 1997. He has been involved with the Water Symposium in Stockholm for nine years.

The scientific symposium lasts about a week and includes government policy issues and the display of scientific research results in matters like pollution control, water supply, and water treatment. Sorber, an environmental engineer, has been involved in the field since 1961.

"I've been very interested in the science and engineering relationship to water quality for a long time," he said.

Sorber earned his bachelor's of science and master's in sanitary (environmental) engineering at Pennsylvania State University and his doctoral degree at the University of Texas at Austin. He was an engineer with the U.S. Army.

He is a registered professional engineer in the state of Texas.

The Junior Water Prize was awarded in Sweden in 1995 and 1996, and became an international contest in 1997 with Germany, Great Britain, Holland, Norway, Poland, Sweden and the United States competing. This year the award was expanded to include participants from South Africa, Argentina, Canada and Finland.

BASIN BRIEFING

Hospital board seat

The search is on for people living in District 3 willing to serve the community as an appointed member of the Midland County Hospital District's board of directors.

The seat on the hospital board was vacated when board member, David Orr, moved to District 2, according to Laurie Johnson, director of public relations for Memorial Hospital and Medical Center.

District three incorporates areas of southwest Midland including Precincts 101, 102, 106 and 302.

Alzheimer's

The Greater West Texas chapter, Alzheimer's Association, is to host the session, "Alzheimer's: Beginning to Cope" 7 p.m. Monday at Westwood Medical Center. The session is designed to familiarize families with Alzheimer's disease and its effects on patients and family. The program coordinator will be available and information on support groups will be provided.

Project Uno

Staff from Project Uno will be at Casa de Amigos, 1101 Garden Lane, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday to provide information or to assist in filling out immigration forms. Appointments can be made by calling Casa de Amigos at 682-9701.

MS walk

More than 200 walkers in Midland raised $21,586 for the West Texas Division of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, according to Kathryn Miller with the Midland office. First American Bank had a team of 92 members and raised more than $10,000 for the society. For their efforts, the bank will receive the Industry Challenge Award, she said. Division-wide, walkers raised $34,000 during its 1998 walks, she said.

Mercy mission

HOUSTON — A man's body lay in the street, traffic casually driving over it. A newborn wailed amid garbage while a throng stood by to watch it die. Those were the memories that haunted Houstonian Rebecca Golden, 34, after a year-long mission in Angola working for Doctors Without Borders. After a tour during which she caught malaria twice, escaped armed carloads of men twice and saw death up close and personal, all she could think was, "never, never, never again." Never turned out to be nine months.

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LULAC reversal

AUSTIN (AP) — A teacher group and a coalition for public schools are applauding the League of United Latin American Citizens for reversing an earlier position and taking a strong stand against using taxpayer dollars to fund private-school vouchers. At its state convention on South Padre Island this weekend, LULAC's general membership adopted a resolution denouncing the use of taxpayer funds for private school vouchers.In December of 1997, the LULAC state board gave a qualified endorsement to a voucher idea that would focus on students in low-performing public schools. The board action was with the stipulation that LULAC would have input on the proposal to be introduced in the 1999 regular legislative session, they said.

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TODAY'S AGENDA

For information on checking out books, library hours and how to get a library card, call the Midland County Library at 688-8991.

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

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

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

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

La Leche League, 7:30 p.m., Grrace Presbyterian Church, 694-2018 or 697-0539.

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

Pop-Up Toasters, 6:30 a.m., Kay Sutton Realtors, 702 Andrews Highway, 694-4271 or 694-3716.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

55-Plus Dance Club, 7:30 p.m., Downtown Lions building, 694-3422

Midland Outreach Aglow Fellowship, 6:30 p.m., Rodeway Inn, 756-3688 or 332-9151.

The Permian Basin Stamp Club, 7:30 p.m. General Mail Facility, Midland International Airport, 699-0202.

Downtown Bible Study, noon, 312 E. Illinois Ave., Suite 6, 682-6748.

GARY OTT

Proliferation of tourists impedes good time at Disney World

More rambling thoughts ...

— The problem with doing nothing is not knowing when you're finished.



Ott

— There seems to be two kinds of people in this world: those who, when they see a piece of trash on the ground, pick it up; and those who walk right on by.

— Benjamin Franklin once said, "Any fool can criticize, condemn and complain, and most fools do."

— The older you get the easier it is to fall out of love.

— Overheard: "I didn't care for Disney World because there were too many tourists."

— Think about it.

— I always liked the phrase "pushy people."

— There is a part of all of us that secretly wants to be seen cruising around town in a convertible, and preferably a bright red one.

— "Sleazy" seems to be an increasingly popular word for describing the current state of affairs ... be it in politics, the entertainment world or life in general.

— Personal observation: People who take things too literally usually lack a sense of humor.

— "Mad Cow Disease" just sounds awful.

— It is always refreshing to read newspaper stories about elderly individuals going back to college because they want to be exposed to new people and new ideas.

— The headline said, "Police say man beat his twins to death with sledgehammer." The reason given for the outburst? They were too slow in getting ready for day care.

— Let's face it, there are some REAL nuts in this world.

— Overheard: "The person who thinks he knows it all is especially annoying to those of us who do."

— I can't remember the last time I saw a large tire tied to a tree limb, thus serving as a terrific swing.

— Nagging feeling: You know you forgot to do something really important but you can't remember what it was.

— I always get just a tad uncomfortable when I have to guide my car through a maze of road construction, especially when those little orange cones reduce my space to slightly less than a single lane.

— For some reason, the smell of gasoline makes me feel 10 years old again.

— In order to be polite, most people will pretend to be interested when you tell a story about one of your family members, but, let's be honest, deep inside they don't really care.

— Some people just have a very difficult time handing out compliments.

— Other people hand them out so freely that they mean nothing.

— As in most cases, moderation is the key

— And today's final quote comes from Elbert Hubbard, who once said, "If you don't advertise yourself you will be advertised by your loving enemies."

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Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATH NOTICES

Merle Beasley

CARLSBAD, N.M.— Merle Morene Nordyke Beasley, mother of Midlander Betty Harris, died Friday, June 5, in Jacksonville, Fla.

Services are to be 10 a.m. (MST) today, June 9, in Carlsbad. A memorial service is scheduled for Cathedral Towers in Jacksonville, Fla.

She was born April 16, 1916, in Merkel.

Before moving to Cathedral Towers Retirement community in Jacksonville, Fla., five years ago, she lived in Arizona and Crescent, Ga.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward A. Beasley in 1961, a brother and a sister, and two sons.

Other survivors include another daughter, Shirley Truett of Crescent, Ga.; a son, Barry Beasley of Jacksonville, Fla.; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Roy Knott

Odessan Roy Knott, 91, father of Midlanders Nelta Whitley and Martha Farris, died Sunday, June 7, at an Odessa hospital.

Services are to be 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 10, at First United Methodist Church in Eunice, N.M., with Tommy Jared officiating and Gilbet Cherryhomes assisting. Burial is to follow at Brunson Memorial Cemetery in Eunice, N.M., under the direction of Calvary Funeral Home in Eunice.

He was born Jan. 4, 1907, at in Frost.

He was a lease operator for Arco since 1936 and retired in 1972 after 36 years of service. He was a member of First United Methodist Church and Woodmen of the World. He moved to Odessa from Eunice in 1994.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Other survivors include his wife, Emma Agnes "Dollie" Knott of Odessa; one son, LaRoy Knott of Albuquerque, N.M.; one sister, Cleo Jarratt of Dallas; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church in Eunice.

Goldie Umfress

Goldie Mae Umfress died Saturday, June 6, at a local hospital.

Graveside services are to be 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

She was born Dec. 15, 1926, Oklahoma.

She had lived in Midland for the past 30 years. She had worked at Dairy Queen for 30 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, a son, a daughter and one brother.

Survivors include three sons, Benjamin C. Umfress of Odessa, George L. Umfress of Morgan City, La., Billy B. Umfress of Midland, four daughters, Nellie Jackson of Marita, Ga., Opal Elam of Devine, Betty Sue Lovelady of Palestine and Jo Ella Curry of Midland, 27 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren, four brothers, and four sisters.

Mable Henderson

Mable Jane Lloyd Henderson, 90, died Sunday, June 7, at a local hospital.

Services are to be 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Stockton Williams officiating. Burial is to follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Visitation is set for 6:3-7:30 p.m. today, June 9, at the funeral home.

She was born Dec. 22, 1907, in Shawnee, Okla.

She moved from Amarillo to Midland in 1943 and lived here until 1957. She taught Sunday school at Trinity Episcopal Church and was a charter member of PEO Sisterhood.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dave Henderson, in 1978.

Survivors include two sons, Lloyd Henderson of Marble Falls and Don Henderson of Boulder, Colo.; a brother, Ray Lloyd of Fayett, Mo.; seven grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild.

Memorials may be directed to Christian Education Dept., c/o The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1400 W. Illinois Ave., Midland, 79701, or Scholarship Fund for Financial Assistance, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Rube McNew

BIG SPRING — Rube R. McNew, 87, of Big Spring, died Monday, June 9, at a Big Spring hospital.

Services are to be 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Flynn Long officiating. Burial is to follow at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring.

He was born Nov. 23, 1910 in Dawson County.

He lived in Knott and Big Spring for 65 years. He had worked for Cosden Refinery and was a member of the 25-year club. He was a rancher and a Presbyterian.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ruby Boatler McNew, on May 5, 1992.

Survivors include a daughter, Linda Whitfield of Big Spring; a son, Gary McNew of Streetman; two sisters; Sally Campbell and Bell Hogg, both of Big Spring; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

The family has suggested memorials be sent to: Parkinson's Disease Foundation, William Black Medical Research Building, Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, 640 W. 168th St., New York, N.Y. 10032, or to West Texas Boys Ranch, 10223 Boys Ranch Road, San Angelo 76904-9989.

Hubert Neff

BIG SPRING — Hubert Neff, 68, of Big Spring, died Monday at a Big Spring hospital.

Services are to be 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Randy Sikes officiating. Burial is to follow at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring.

He was born July 19, 1929 in Howard County.

He was a farmer, carpenter, and had a rural route for the U.S. Postal Service. He moved to Shallowater in 1954, and returned to Big Spring in 1991. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include five sisters, Velma Morris of Houston, Viola Hodnett and Anna Lou Stewart, both of Big Spring, Patsy Humphrey of Austin and Ruth Stepp of Holley-Navarre, Fla; and several nieces and nephews.

Ila McKenzie

Midlander Ila Cannon McKenzie, 36, died June 4 in Midland.

A memorial service is set for 11 a.m. today, June 9, at St. Paul's Methodist Church in Midland. Funeral services are scheduled for 3 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Dunn Memorial Chapel in Tucumcari, N.M., with Rev. Jim Witcher officiating. Burial is to follow at Tucumcari Memorial Park in Tucumcari, N.M., under the direction of Dunn Funeral Home in Tucumcari.

She was born June 6, 1961, in Tucumcari.

She was a longtime resident of Midland. She was an accountant.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Jimmy Cannon, in 1990.

Survivors include one daughter, Jeordan McKenzie of Midland; her parents, Jack and Pat Cannon of Tucumcari; two brothers, Jerry Cannon of Tucumcari and Jeffry Cannon of Austin; and her grandmother, Ruby Cannon of Tucumcari.

Hallie Clarke

Hallie Ruth Clarke of Barksdale, mother of Midlander Dixie Bostick, died Sunday, June 7, at a local hospital.

Services are to be 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Barksdale Baptist Church with Blake Westbrook officiating. Burial is to follow at Barksdale Cemetery under the direction of Nelson Funeral Home in Barksdale. Local arrangements are with Ellis Funeral Home.

She was born July 28, 1909, in Barksdale.

She lived in Fayettville, Ark., before moving to Barksdale in 1977. She was a member of Barksdale Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry B. Clarke, in 1983.

Other survivors include two other daughters, Harriet Haynie of St. Louis and Lincy E. Corp of San Angelo; a son, Richard C. Clarke of Atwater, Calif.; three brothers, Richard O. Perkins of Uvalde, Kenneth L. Perkins of Barksdale and Hershel R. Perkins of Leakey; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to a charity of choice.

Jimmie Lillard

ODESSA — Jimmie M. Lillard, 74, of Odessa died Sunday, June 7, at an Odessa hospital.

Services are to be 4 p.m. today, June 9, at Hubbard-Kelly Chapel with the Rev. Mark Riley officiating. Burial is to be at Restland Cemetery in Dallas under the direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

He was born Jan. 31, 1924, in Malone.

He sold oil-field equipment.

He was preceded in death by a son, Donald Lillard; two brothers, Frank Lillard and Royce Lillard; two sisters, Lita Taylor and Rachel Yates.

Survivors include a daughter, Direanda Lormand of Lafayette, La.; two sons, Ronny Lillard of Odessa and James Lillard of San Juan DeRio, Mexico; two sisters, Martha Thomas of Mission Viejo, Calif., and Georgia Morrow of Salt Lake City; and five grandchildren.

Mabel Franz

Mabel Tolbert Franz died Monday, June 8, at her residence.

Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

OBITUARIES



Margie Peddy

Margie Rae (Reese) Peddy was promoted to her heavenly reward 10:50 p.m., Sunday, June 7, at Midland Memorial hospital.

Her memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 10, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Marlin Hawkins of Oklahoma City officiating.

Margie was born December 10, 1932, at Comanche, Texas, to B. and Dora Reese, both of whom preceded her in death. She married Douglas H. (Doug) Peddy on July 27, 1949, and they have made their home in Midland for over 40 years. They have one daughter, Brenda, and two sons, Gerald and Rae Lynn. Rae Lynn preceded Margie in death in December 1997.

Margie spent many years working as manager of lunch rooms for several Midland schools and for 10 years, as Food Service Director for Midland College.

Margie is survived by her husband, Doug, of the home; by her daughter, Brenda and husband, Ed Miller, of Midland, Texas; by her son, Gerald, and wife, DeeDee, of Bastrop, Texas; and her daughter-in-law, Charlotte Peddy of Brady, Texas. Other survivors include her grandchildren, Judd and Amanda Harless of Midland, Texas; Kaye Lynn and husband, Jack Phomas, of Bryan, Texas; Corey Peddy and wife, Stephanie, of San Angelo, Texas; Justin Peddy of Brady, Texas; Taulbee Ann Miller of Phoenix, Arizona; Michael E. Miller, stationed with the U.S. Air Force in Korea; four great-grandsons; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park with the following serving as pallbearers: Judd Harless, Corey Peddy, Justin Peddy, Mike Wolfe, Tracy Murphree, and Mike Laughlin.

Margie was a very happy and friendly person, dearly loved by family and friends alike.

The family requests that memorials be directed to American Diabetes Association, 10 Desta Drive, Suite 220 East, Midland, Texas 79705.

Cletas Hines

Cletas Ray Hines, formerly of Midland, died in his sleep at this Dallas home on June 3, after a lengthy illness. He would have been 74 on July 26.

Mr. Jones was raised in Midland and attended public schools there; he graduated from Midland High School in 1941. In his school, he was a track star, leading the Midland team to an Interscholastic League championship in 1941, in the 100- and 220-yard dashes and the 440-yard relay, and unofficially broke the world record in the 100-yard dash with a powerful West Texas wind! He was also a member of the Bulldog Band and was active in the drama, debate and speech programs.

In 1941, he entered the University of Texas at Austin on a track scholarship and became a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity. In 1943, Mr. Hines enlisted in the U.S. Army and entered the Army Special Training Program. When that program was phased out, he was assigned to the 103rd Infantry Division and participated in Operation Dragoon, during the invasion of southern France in August 1944. He was wounded in combat in the Vosges Mountains near Strasbourg in December 1944. Subsequently, he was awarded the Bronze Star and Purple Heart medals.

Upon his discharge from the service, Mr. Hines returned to the University of Texas at Austin. He received his bachelor of science and master of science degrees in economics and in 1950, joined the staff of a large Dallas bank. In 1963, he moved back to Midland to become associated with his father in the automotive business. Mr. Hines returned to Dallas in 1970 as a property management consultant until his retirement in 1989.

Mr. Hines was preceded in death by his parents, Cassie and Raymond Hines, in 1977 and his wife, Peggy, in January, 1994.

He is survived by his sons, Charles Hines of Dallas; his daughter, Frances Senders, and granddaughter, Lillian Senders, both of Dallas; and his brother, Burvin Hines of Arlington.

Mr. Hines was a member of Preston Hollow Presbyterian Church in Dallas and was a former member of the First Presbyterian Church of Midland.

Graveside services for Mr. Hines will be Wednesday, June 10, 1998, at 1 p.m. at Resthaven Memorial Pak under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.



Louis Kellett

Louis B. Kellett, a long-time Midland resident, died June 7, in Midland Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. He was born in Girard, Texas, in July 26, 1922, to B. J. and Clare Kellett. After graduating from Girard High School, he entered Texas Tech, where his education was interrupted by World War II. He served in the U.S. Army Air Force as a first lieutenant with the 7th Air Force Division as a B-24 copilot. He flew 50 missions in the South Pacific, including Iwo Jima. In 1943, he married Jo Dell Cade in Wickenburg, Arizona. After having graduated from Texas Tech with a bachelor of science degree in geology in 1946, he and his wife made their home in Midland. He began working in the petroleum industry for Amarada and as district geologist for Kerr-McGee and Tidewater. From 1957 to the time of his retirement in 1987, he worked as an independent oil operator.

Mr. Kellett was a member of First Baptist Church, where he served on the Finance Committee for a number of years, AAPG, SIPES, Masonic Lodge, Midland Shooters Club, and the American Philatelic Society.

Louis is survived by his wife, Jo Dell Kellett; his daughter and son-in-law, Ann and Bob Hubble of Arlington; two grandsons, Ross and Scott of Arlington; his sister and brother-in-law, Almeda and Bob Blalock of Midland; and his niece, Judith Blalock of Coppell. He was preceded in death by his son, Gary Louis Kellett.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, at 4 p.m. at First Baptist Church with Bob Hopkins officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Dan Rodgers, Fred Poe, Hansel Kincaid, Bill Mathis, Jim Burford and C.E. McKenzie.

Scott Higgins

FARMERS BRANCH — Scott Higgins, 37, of Centerville, Ohio, formerly of Texas, passed away Saturday, June 6, 1998, at his residence.

He previously worked as a safety and environmental consultant for Sheridan Safety, and attended Normandy United Methodist Church, Dayton, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Bryan Neal Higgins, and paternal grandparents, Esther and Rufus Seinford Higgins Sr.

He is survived by his wife, Dale D. (Allen); two daughters, Meredith Mae and Claire Corinne; father, Rufus Swinford Higgins of Hobbs, N.M.; mother, Noma Nell Thomas of Groesbeck; maternal grandparents, Ava and Jake "Daddy Jake" Minze of Groesbeck; one sister, Dana Dawn Turk of Austin; and paternal aunt, Harriet Higgins of Midland.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, at Christ Untied Methodist Church, Valwood Parkway, Farmers Branch, Texas. The Rev. John Thornberg will officiate. Interment services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday in Hogan Cemetery, Groesbeck. Tobias-Conner Funeral Home, Bellbrook, Ohio (937) 848-6651 is handling the arrangements.

POLICE REPORTS

Aggravated assault

A 19-year-old Midland man was cut on the back during a fight early Monday morning.

Midland police responded to a call shortly after midnight about a disturbance in the parking lot of Whataburger at 3206 N. Midkiff Road.

Officers found that several people had been involved a fight, and Aaron Wheeler had been cut. He was taken to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center by private vehicle.

Witnesses at the scene identified the suspect who had already fled the scene. A warrant for the man's arrest is being issued. "The man has not been arrested at this time," said Tina Jauz, public information officer for the Midland Police Department. She told the Reporter-Telegram the incident was not gang related.

Two other men were arrested in connection with the fight. Rafael Silva, 20, and Robert Wiltsie, 27, were arrested by officers after they fled the scene in a vehicle and later ran on foot in an apparent attempt to evade police.

Aggravated sexual assault

ODESSA — Odessa police are searching for a man involved in an aggravated sexual assault that occurred Monday in northwest Odessa.

He is described as a Hispanic male, approximately 25 to 30 years of age, 5 foot 4 inches to 5 foot 6 inches tall and having a thin build. The man has wavy black hair and a thin mustache. He was last seen wearing jeans, black shoes, and a long-sleeve button-down shirt.

The victim told police the assailant has the word "Rocio" tattooed on his stomach and has a scratch under his left eye, and possibly behind his neck.

The victim was punched in the face several times, and sustained multiple bruises and a black eye.

Anyone with information on this crime can call the Odessa Police Department at 333-3641, or Crimestoppers at 333-TIPS.

Midland Police Department
Sunday

Burglary of a vehicle: Eddie Schulte Jr. told police that the window on his truck was broken-out with a brick at 2319 W. Loop 250. A cellular phone was taken. The incident was reported at 12:30 p.m.

Theft: Heather Gilbert of 2505 Idlewilde reported a theft to police. It was reported at 9 a.m.

Burglary of a vehicle: Samantha Lopez reported a vehicle break-in at 1706 Rankin Highway.

Burglary of a habitation: Annette Ramos reported a burglary at 2801 Delano at 11:57 p.m. She said the suspect is known to her.

Criminal mischief: A door at 3100 Caldera Blvd. was damaged. It was reported at 8:07 p.m.

Burglary of a habitation: Estelle Williams reported a 27-inch color TV was taken from 1710 E. Illinois Ave. Entry was gained by kicking in a door to the home. It was reported at 11:07 p.m.

Criminal mischief: Mike Simpson said that both passenger windows were broken out in a vehicle at 1000 N. Midkiff Road. Damage is estimated at $500. It was reported at 11:40 a.m.

Criminal mischief: A vehicle at 2400 Barber was damaged. Damages were estimated at $150.

Burglary of a vehicle: Eduardo Ortega reported that a two-way radio was taken from a vehicle at 605 Canyon. It was reported at 9:45 a.m.

Midland County Sheriff's Office
Monday

Vandalism: E. D. Walton reported a window was shot out over the weekend at 3601 S. County Road. It was reported at 6:23 a.m.

Burglary: Belen Gomez reported a storage unit burglarized at 1306 S. Goode.

Criminal mischief: Samuel Dominguez reported that a tractor in a field on East County Road 1140 was damaged.

Anyone having information concerning any if these reports should contact the Midland Police Department at 685-7108 or Crimestoppers at 694-TIPS.

Seal coating of Midland roads to begin Wednesday

From Staff Reports

The going will be slow and sticky for Midland motorists as highway construction crews put down "seal coats" on area road surfaces beginning Wednesday.

The work will include:

- Front Street from G Street to Lamesa Road.
- Andrews Highway from Wall Street to Loop 250.
- State Highway 158 from State Highway 191 to a half-mile north; and
- Midland Drive from Loop 250 to Wadley Avenue.

Work should be completed within two weeks — barring cold nights or rain, according to Paul Hoelscher, the engineer in charge of the project for the Texas Department of Transportation. All projects should be finished by July 1.

Motorists along these stretches of highways will encounter flaggers, brief lane closures, pilot cars moving traffic and reduced speeds in those areas where seal coat work is being done. By state law, traffic fines are doubled when violations occur within a construction zone, he said.

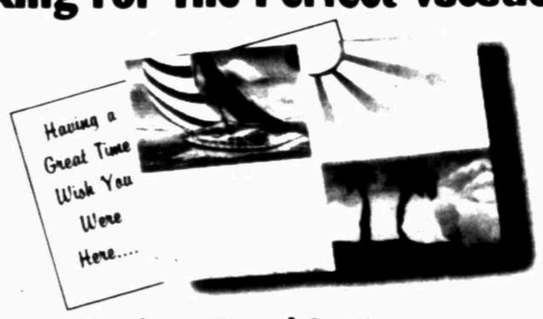
"Pilot cars will move traffic through these construction zones, but the interruption of the flow of traffic will be very brief," Hoelscher said. "And as always, we caution drivers to drive carefully in areas with a new seal coat to avoid windshield and paint damage.

"Whenever possible, motorists should find alternate routes for a few days," he said.

The seal coat work on Midland County highways is part of a summer-long $4.04 million preventive maintenance program involving 38 separate projects throughout the 12-county TxDOT district.

"Seal coat" is a rock and asphalt layer put down on the highway surface to keep moisture from damaging the road base. The seal will help prevent premature aging of the roadway, renews weathered surfaces, improves skid resistance and provides demarcation of the shoulder and driving lane, according to TxDOT.

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"It is the heart always that sees, before the head can see."
-Thomas Carlyle

Ellis Funeral Home
683-5555

Houston woman finds meaning in mission of mercy

By T.J. Milling
Associated Press

HOUSTON — A man's body lay in the street, traffic casually driving over it.

A newborn wailed amid garbage while a throng stood by to watch it die.

Young men hobbled to hospitals on maimed limbs torn apart by land mines.

Those were the memories that haunted Houstonian Rebecca Golden, 34, after a year-long mission in Angola working for Doctors Without Borders. After a tour during which she caught malaria twice, escaped armed carloads of men twice and saw death up close and personal, all she could think was, "never, never, never again."

Never turned out to be nine months.

"I didn't want to sign up again. I said the horrible never, never, never again," she said, in Houston last week for a short break from her post as head of the mission to the Democratic Republic of Congo, the former Zaire.

"I couldn't go back to a regular job in finance, profit and loss statements and all that. Then I got my confidence back again and realized you had two options: either you just go home and say it's terrible and you don't want to be any part of it anymore and give up, or you go back and fight and try not to fall into the same traps."

In sub-Saharan Africa, traps abound like land mines, the legacy of decades of strife, civil war and tyranny. Golden had seen many of those countries before as a financial officer for Schlumberger. She had even spent part of her childhood in Egypt, and some of her earliest memories were of climbing the pyramids on the Giza plateau and being evacuated during the Six Day War.

But she said none of that prepared her for the intimate view of poverty, disease, hunger and bloodshed that awaited her first in Angola and later in the DRC.

"I had no idea what goes on in those countries," she said. "We were so protected in the oil business, so protected. Maybe you see a little bit of reality on your way from the airport to the luxury hotel or from the luxury hotel to the most expensive restaurant in town. But that's about it. You never travel to the interior. We never even knew what the languages were, what the political problems were, the health issues the educations issues. You see so much more."

Golden saw more than she wanted in Angola. She was riding with some more experienced Doctors Without Borders when she saw a body in the street, cars casually driving over or around it. She said she wanted to stop, at least drag it off the road, but the others told her stopping could add more bodies to the road, theirs, or they might be held responsible for the one already there.

Then there were the two times carloads of armed men chased the vehicle she was riding in, and there were the land-mine victims, the lucky ones who managed to walk or drag themselves for miles to get to a hospital.

And there was the newborn tossed in a garbage bin, umbilical cord still dangling from its tiny belly, wailing out its final breaths while onlookers watched with morbid curiosity.

"The people in Angola, the best word I can think of to describe them is raw," she said. "I mean 20 years of civil war. They've all lost a family member. There's no old men in Angola. There's no sage in the village, occasionally but very rare.

"I was really fried when I got out, really fried."

She came back to Houston an emotional wreck, she said. She would crack up at the sight of a dead animal in the road because it reminded her of human bodies. She sat in her bedroom at her parents' west Houston home thinking about the horrors for hours on end, as days, weeks, months dragged on.

Then Doctors Without Borders New York office called. Their financial officer had quit, and they hoped Golden could bail them out. The hard work was cathartic, she said, and her colleagues were mostly field veterans who had their own nightmares to tell.

"You can't sit up in your room and wonder about life for hours, and New York's a great city," she said. "You sit at the dinner table at some restaurant in New York, and everyone's crying, and that's OK. They've all been there."

After four months, Golden said, she was ready to go back in the field, this time as head of the mission to the DRC. Doctors Without Borders, a private, nonprofit organization, was started in 1971 by a group of French doctors to deal rapidly and effectively with public health emergencies around the world, but as it grew, more logisticians and administrators were required.

Golden's job as "country manager" is largely political, entailing meetings with government ministers and embassies to line up support for mission objectives. It was in that arena that Golden scored the coup that she said would tide her over for years to come.

The government had set up a re-education camp for 6,000 men, 8 to 30 years old, but mostly youths, late last year. The poor sanitary conditions, lack of nutrition led to a cholera outbreak, but the government would not allow humanitarian organizations access to the site.

"Throughout the entire thing I was in (the capital) Kinshasa doing the strongest lobbying campaign I've ever done in my life," Golden said. "I was going to see the embassies, the ministry of the interior, the ministry of health and bang your fist on the desk as hard as you can."

It worked. The organizations were allowed in to set up treatment facilities. Of course, Golden admitted, other factors affected the situation.



AP Photo

Rebecca Golden, head of mission for Doctors Without Borders in the Democratic Republic of Congo, displays a land mine and warning sign from Africa.

Teacher group applauds LULAC for resolution opposing vouchers

AUSTIN (AP) — A teacher group and a coalition for public schools are applauding the League of United Latin American Citizens for reversing an earlier position and taking a strong stand against using taxpayer dollars to fund private-school vouchers.

At its state convention on South Padre Island this weekend, LULAC's general membership adopted a resolution denouncing the use of taxpayer funds for private school vouchers.

In December of 1997, the LULAC state board gave a qualified endorsement to a voucher idea that would focus on students in low-performing public schools. The board action was with the stipulation that LULAC would have input on the proposal to be introduced in the 1999 regular legislative session, they said.

The action drew criticism from voucher opponents including state Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, who said the idea would hurt public schools.

On Sunday, the LULAC general membership unanimously adopted a resolution stating that the league "strongly opposes state and federal legislation to establish any school finance system, voucher or otherwise, that transfers to private schools public tax funds, which should instead be used to reduce class size, hire qualified bilingual education teachers and pay for adequate classroom facilities."

LULAC member Benjamin Pena said, "We need to find ways to help all our children. Vouchers take public tax dollars away from public schools and help only a few children."

Rene Lara, of the Texas Federation of Teachers who is also a LULAC member, applauded the resolution.

"It's good for school children across the state, especially Hispanic school children, because it means that schools won't be segregated through a voucher scheme," Lara said Monday.

Carolyn Boyle, director of the Coalition for Public Schools, which represents a number of school officials, including school administrators and principals, also praised the resolution.

"Taxpayers are beginning to understand that the cost of funding a private school system comes at the expense of our public schools," Ms. Boyle said.

Conservatives in Congress and in statehouses across the country have pushed plans to provide public money for at-risk students to attend private schools.

Such proposals are generally opposed by Democrats and teachers unions, who say vouchers would erode support for public schools.

RATES: Spokesman says reductions are benefiting Texas consumers

(From 1B)

extremely pleased with State Farm's announcement of a major rate decrease for its auto insurance policyholders. Since State Farm writes about one in every four auto policies issued in Texas, the impact on insurance costs obviously is huge."

He noted that State Farm is the seventh insurance group in recent weeks to announce rate cuts. The groups represent more than 60 percent of the insurance business in Texas.

Department spokesman Jim Davis said that Monday's announcement was the latest in a process that began last fall when Bomer cut the state's benchmark rate — a rate set by the department for regulated insurance companies — by 5 percent, the first reduction since it was implemented in 1992. When the companies began filing their 1998 rates at the beginning of the year, he said those filings generally reflected reductions.

"The insurance companies had a good year in 1995, a very good year in 1996 and a good year in 1997 and we wanted to make sure their rates reflected that," Davis said.

He said Bomer ordered the department's actuarial staff to review each filing to ensure the rates were low enough to benefit consumers while ensuring the insurance companies had a good return on their business. The staff negotiated with each insurance company to ensure their rates were as low as possible.

Davis said such reductions are benefiting Texas consumers. He attributed this year's round of rate reductions — such as a reduction in claims and a reduction in lawsuit judgments — to the state's tort reform efforts.

"We watch for trends," he said. "If there are a large number of losses and the insurance companies' costs go up with the number of claims, we'll let rates rise to match that trend. We've seen lately a trend of losses going down, and now the insurance companies are reflecting the gains they're making in the lower rates they file. We're not taking total credit, but we're glad it's happened."

FEUD: Boys say rule of 'finders, keepers' applies

(From 1B)

orite, he wrote, was "city property."

The boys, though, say the rock is theirs under one of the oldest rules in the book — "finders, keepers." Their parents are threatening to sue the city to get it back.

While the meteorite sits in a city council vault, debate over who really should own it has raged throughout this town of 8,000 located about 60 miles southwest of Odessa. A decision could come as soon as Tuesday night when the city council takes up the issue.

City manager David Mills said there isn't much of a question of ownership because although the rock appeared to have landed in the Lyles' front yard, it technically wasn't on their property, he said.

"You see, the property line in front of their house actually ends several feet in front of where the street begins," Mills said. "Designated roadway space usually includes some of the land on the sides of the roadway, in case the city ever needs to expand the street.

"So, technically, it landed on city property and belongs to the city."

Orlando Lyles, Alvaro's father, says a lawsuit may be filed if the council declares the meteorite as city property.

"The city came out here and pushed us out of the way and took the rock to make sure it was safe," Lyles said. "But when we asked for the rock back they said, 'Too bad. If you want it, get a lawyer.' That's not the way things are supposed to work."

Mills says the family only became interested in keeping the meteorite when they learned how valuable it is.

"Initially, the city wanted to acknowledge the boys and the event by putting the rock in a display case in city hall along with pictures of the boys who found it," Mills said. "That was fine with all of the parties, until people started talking about the alleged monetary value of meteors. They want to look at the monetary value over the historic value."

Steve Arnold, a meteorite broker based in Tulsa, Okla., who is advising the boys' families, says the rock is not necessarily the city's even if the did land on public property.

As an example, Arnold cites cases in which beach-combing metal-detector enthusiasts have found valuables and been given ownership by courts.

"It's not unusual for people to find valuable things on public land and keep them," Arnold said.

Mills said the city is willing to make an agreement that will satisfy everyone.

"We don't want to take away what the boys feel is theirs, but we also don't want to see the meteorite sold," Mills said. "Hopefully Tuesday's meeting can be a time when we can resolve all of the fussing."

Either way, the boys have already learned a lesson about how difficult it can be to fight city hall.

"We found it and we think it belongs to us; it landed in our yard," Alvaro said. "We just want what's fair."

Arlington woman gives birth to quints

DALLAS (AP) — One mom. Four minutes. Five healthy babies.

A 30-year-old Arlington woman gave birth Monday to four sons and a daughter.

The babies all weighed in at more than 2 pounds and were healthy, Parkland Hospital officials said.

The mother, Sonia Zuniga, also was in good shape.

The first of the babies, Edgar, was born at 3:17 p.m. and tipped the scale at 2 pounds, 11.5 ounces, the hospital said. He was followed by Aldo (2 pounds, 12.3 ounces) at 3:17 p.m., Diego (2 pounds, 4 ounces) at 3:18 p.m., Alexa (2 pounds, 12.5 ounces) at 3:19 p.m. and Ivan (2 pounds, 15 ounces) at 3:20 p.m.

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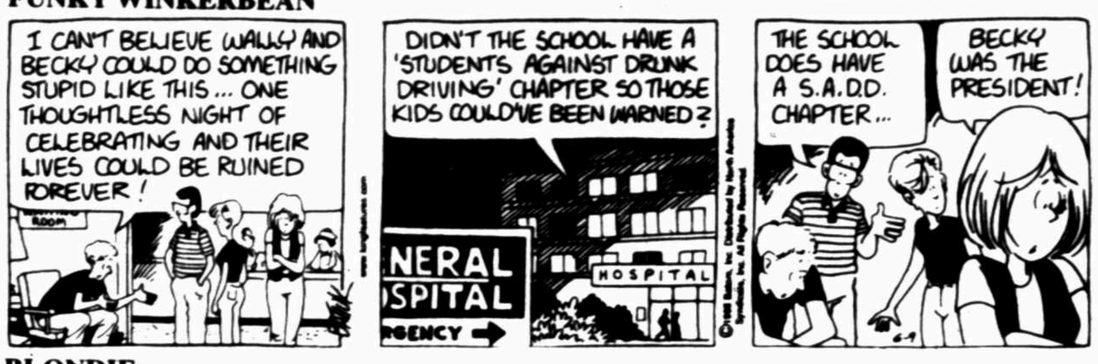
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BORN TODAY
Actor Johnny Depp (1963), actor Michael J. Fox (1961), comedian Jackie Mason (1934)

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ Reach out for someone. Anxiety is high. Make peace, and take in the big picture. Excitement marks events. Unless you are OK with risks, you could become tense. Keep communications going, instead of tossing your hands in the air. Tonight: Try a new restaurant.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★ You might have the best of intentions, but events backfire. A boss is unpredictable and annoying. But you aren't going to change him. Use extra caution with finances, and don't take out your frustration by spending. Keep talks active. Tonight: Pay bills.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★ Let others call the shots, even if you don't agree with them. Diplomacy is more effective; choose your words with care. Tempers flare, as sudden news puts another slant on matters. Do not get frustrated. Keep up your effort to talk. Tonight: Where the crowds are.
CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★ Recognizing your personal limits makes you stronger and wiser. Do not swallow anger; release it in an effective, direct manner. Others don't have to agree with you. Focus on your job and financial opportunities. Take no one's word as absolute. Tonight: Soak away tension.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Creative energies are so high that there could be a problem where you least expect it. A friend takes an aggressive stand. Right now, misunderstandings prevail. Become the diplomat, rather than reacting. Surprises surround loving ties. Tonight: Be your jovial self.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★ You are in the pressure cooker. How you deal with a changing situation opens doors. Nerves are frayed, but opt for the positive, long-term view. You might need to let go of what isn't working. Take care of yourself in this tension-laden atmosphere. Tonight: Vanish at home!
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★ Telling it as you see it may cause a change in plans. Be willing to broaden your horizons and view the big picture. Make calls, and seek out experts. A child or loved one has you chuckling. Greet the unexpected openly. Keep communications clear. Tonight: Avoid a misunderstanding.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★ Expenses throw you off. Review a decision with care. Honor the unexpected. Be open to someone's ideas, especially if he is in charge. You don't have the complete picture. Be careful with funds; you are wise to handle your own. Leave nothing to chance. Tonight: Redo your budget!
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ You are a live wire. Others are highly responsive but unclear. Anger comes out when you least expect it. Someone simply misunderstands you. Be nurturing and indulgent. You could be surprised. Make time for a fun gathering. Tonight: Consider a new approach.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★ Take a deep breath. Sometimes, it is hard to get to the bottom line. The good news is that you can communicate your caring feelings, even in a difficult situation. Someone misinterprets your intentions. Keep clearing the air. Stay committed. Tonight: Treat yourself!
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You are uniquely challenged by a family member or domestic issue. You feel that someone is pushing you way too hard. Agreement is hard to reach. Air differences, and let others express themselves. Keep your eye on your main objectives. Tonight: Do something you love.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ You need to take a more serious tone to straighten out a difficult situation. Others seem determined to have it their way. Pressure is intense to perform at work, yet a personal matter calls. You do the ultimate juggling act. Tonight: Be prepared to work late.

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	SOUTH ♠ A 8 7 6 2 ♡ J 9 5 4 ♢ A 7 ♣ Q 2	

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♠	Pass	1NT	Pass
2♡	Pass	3♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Ten of ♣

Vulnerability plays an important part in bridge. At duplicate pairs, it permits the non-vulnerable side to take a three-trick penalty, doubled, as a sacrifice against a vulnerable game. At rubber bridge, it makes a non-vulnerable sacrifice against vulnerable opponents less appealing because the vulnerable side is still a 2-to-1 favorite to win the rubber. Most interesting of all is at Chicago, where the vulnerability fluctuates from deal to deal.

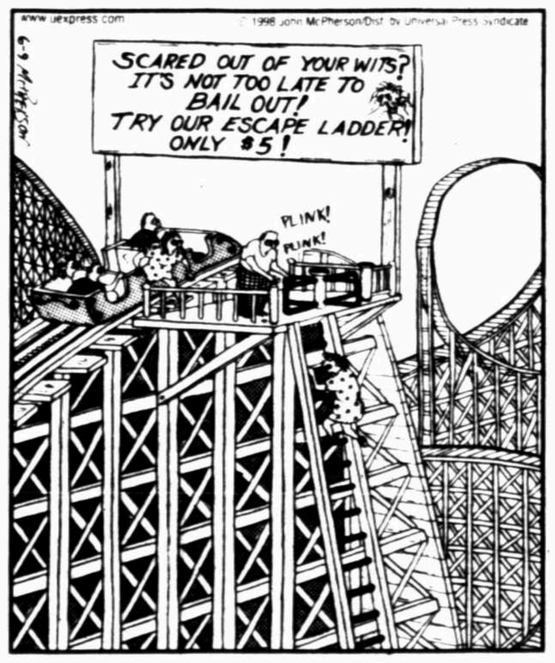
At either duplicate or rubber bridge, South has a doubtful opening bid. At Chicago, however, it is almost compulsory for South to open to kill the enemy vulnerability. Should the hand get passed out, East-West will still be vulnerable on the re-deal and might pick up enough to score game or even slam. So South opened the bidding and became declarer at a three-heart contract which, in essence, seemed to depend on the spade finesse.

West led the ten of clubs, East won with the king, continued with the ace, then shifted to a diamond. Declarer took the ace and king, discarded a spade on the jack of clubs, then ruffed a diamond. When declarer then played a trump, West was forced to win the ace and either give declarer a ruff-sluff or else lead a spade. Either way, nine tricks were there.

The contract should have been defeated. West cannot be faulted for not leading the ace of hearts — that might cost a trump trick. However, East might have foreseen the necessity of shifting to a trump (a spade would be equally effective) after winning the ace and king of clubs. If declarer has the ace of hearts, it is most unlikely that the contract could be defeated. If partner held the ace, a heart switch might be necessary to get West off an endplay.

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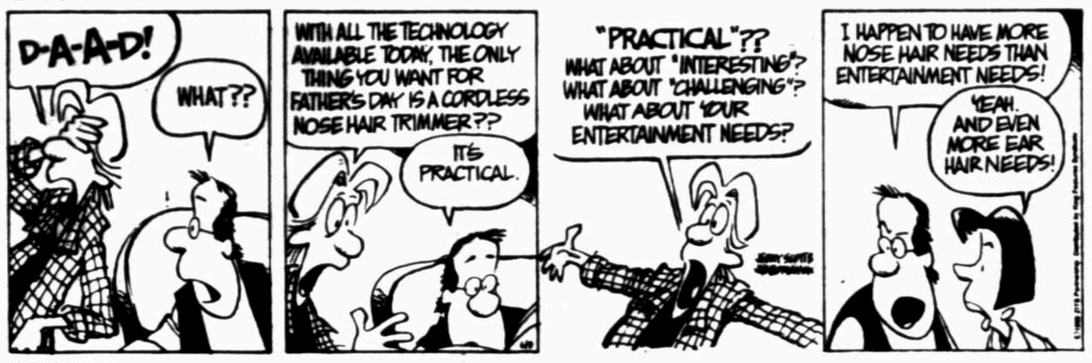


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PEOPLE TODAY

Tough guys do cry, Foreman confesses

SIMSBURY, Conn. — When **George Foreman** pulled out his handkerchief at his daughter's high school graduation, the former heavyweight boxing champ wasn't wiping away perspiration.



It wasn't sweat Foreman wiped away at daughter's graduation.

"Don't let **Mike Tyson** and those guys know it, but I was crying," Foreman said Sunday on the lawn of The Ethel Walker School, where his daughter, Natalie, was student body president.

In his keynote address, the 1968 gold medalist and two-time world champion likened his experience in the Olympic ring to the loneliness of the students at the private, all-girls boarding school.

"After one minute in the ring I started thinking, 'Boy, I'd like to get this over with. I'd like to win this thing. I'd like to go home,'" he said. "By the second round all I was thinking was 'I'd like to win this thing, I'd like to win this thing,' and after two rounds I was declared the gold medalist."

Foreman said he was then so happy he didn't even want to go home. He said that's what he imagines the graduates must be feeling now.

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BRANSON, Mo. — **Mickey Gilley** shouldn't have any trouble finding his way back to the home in Ferriday, La., where he grew up. All he has to do is look for Mickey Gilley Boulevard.

The entertainer, who learned to make music on a church piano in Ferriday with his cousins Jerry Lee Lewis and the Rev. Jimmy Swaggart, returned recently to the modest home he still owns on Mississippi Avenue to see Mayor Odeal Montgomery rename the street Mickey Gilley Boulevard.

"They gave me the street before they gave one to Jimmy or Jerry," chuckled Gilley, who has complained before that Lewis and Swaggart's early fame led to the public's overlooking him.

Things are on an upswing for the 62-year-old entertainer these days, however. Not only does he have his own street, but his own brand of Mickey Gilley Texas Chili, Mickey Gilley Texas Cafes in Branson and Myrtle Beach, S.C., and the Mickey Gilley Theatre in Branson, where he performs six days a week nine months of the year.

What's more, Gilley says, he has plans to open another Gilley's in Houston, where the original, complete with mechanical bull, helped make him a star. This time, he says, he'll leave the bull unplugged.

"I don't want the insurance hassles."

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NEW YORK — **Pete Seeger** says he doesn't recall saying that Israel engaged in state terrorism, but thinks the remark could apply to almost any country.

"Show me a government of the world which was not terrorist at some time," the folk singer said Sunday before performing for 2,000 listeners at a Central Park concert celebrating Israel's 50th anniversary.

The Zionist Organization of America had asked that Seeger withdraw because of the alleged comment.

"Just listen to my music and you'll see where I stand," Seeger said. He did not mention the criticism on stage at the concert, which was sponsored by the Israeli consulate.

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LONDON — **Prince Charles**, who owns an organic farm, called Monday for a public debate on the merits of allowing genetically engineered food to be grown in Britain.

Some companies are seeking government approval to try the procedure, which "takes mankind into realms that belong to God, and to God alone," the prince wrote in The Daily Telegraph.

He said genetic modification, designed to make crops pest-resistant or stay fresh longer, raised "crucial ethical and practical considerations."

"Apart from certain highly beneficial and specific medical applications, do we have the right to experiment with, and commercialize, the building blocks of life?" he asked.

The prince said choice backed by comprehensive labeling was needed.

"I personally have no wish to eat anything produced by genetic manipulation, nor do I knowingly offer this sort of produce to my family or guests," he added.

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UNIVERSAL CITY, Calif. — Fifty-eight years after Walter Lantz created him, **Woody Woodpecker** is being introduced to a new TV generation.

Forty new episodes of "The Woody Woodpecker Show" are being produced for a November debut on the Fox Kids Network, Universal Cartoon Studios said Monday.

Executive Vice President Nancy Steingard said Universal will be introducing "a hip, contemporary Woody."

The new shows will each feature three seven-minute shorts. They are the first new episodes since 1979 and are a part of a Woody blitz involving licensing, merchandising, promotional partnerships and theme parks around the world.

The series characters will include Winnie Woodpecker, Splinter, Knothead and Woody's pals and foes, Wally Walrus, Buzz Buzzard, Ms. Meany and Chilly Willy.

Billy West will be the voice of Woody.

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(5) KPEJ	24	5	The Simpsons	Home Improvement	NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final, Game 1 461267						Home Improvement	Mad About You	Vibe 24828	
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 8712	Grace Under Fire	JAG: Defenseless 35118 (TVPG-V)		[illegible]				News 2089915	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 7248	Seinfeld 1828	Mad About You	NewsRadio 3192	Frasier 2064	Just Shoot Me	Dateline NBC 46248		News 2067557	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (10:35)		Late Night Conan
(12) KMLM	42	12	Herald of Truth	John Hagee 48557	The Light of the Southwest 91538				Update News	Joyce Meyer 26151	Richard Roberts 81248		Crystal Lyons	Aquilla Nash 61809
(13) KOCV	36	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 346731		Nova 166335 (TVG)		Frontline 175083		P.O.V.: Tobacco Blues 195847 (TVPG-L)		Telecourse 450286			
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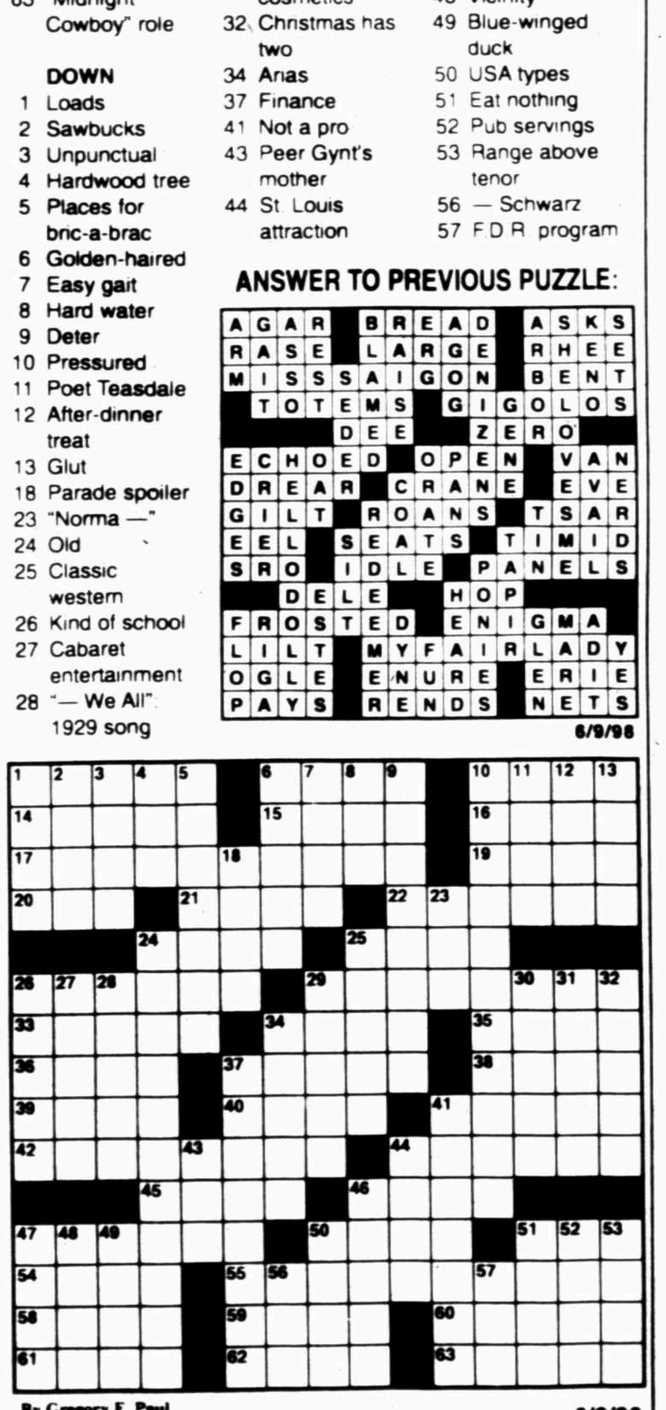
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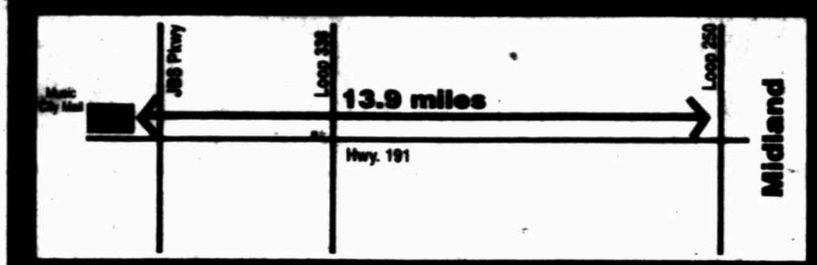
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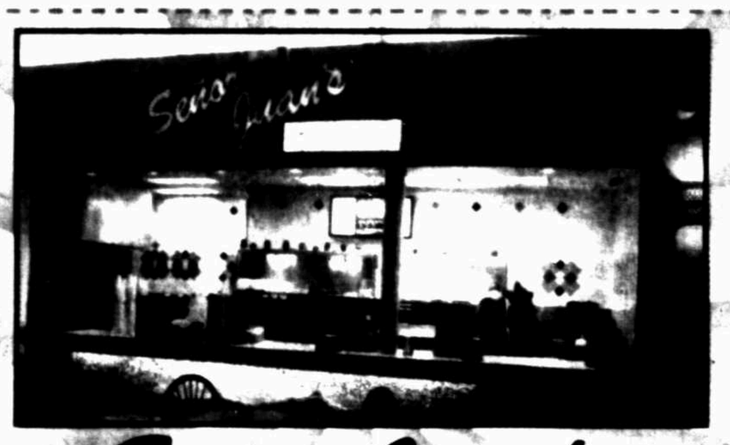
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BOXING — Champion Tony Marshall vs. Darren Macunald for NABF junior middleweight championship; junior lightweights, Derrick Gainer vs. Orlando Soto, 8 p.m., USA.

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

Dies' jail term

MANHATTAN, Kan. — Kansas State forward Manny Dies served four days in jail in a plea bargain in which he was convicted of disorderly conduct.

Dies, the Wildcats' leading scorer last season, served the four days in jail over a five-day period from June 1-5 because he was released each day for medical rehabilitation of his knee, said Riley County Police Capt. Nick Edvy. The time Dies was not in jail did not count toward his total time served, Edvy said.

Coach Tom Asbury declined to comment Monday on whether he would discipline Dies.

Dies, 20, had pleaded no contest to an amended charge of disorderly conduct and probation violation stemming from a Feb. 22 incident. The original misdemeanor charges of obstruction of the legal process and transporting an open container of alcohol were dropped, court records show.

Judge David Stutzman convicted Dies of disorderly conduct and sentenced him to serve two days in the county jail and to pay court costs.

Chargers-Bears trade

SAN DIEGO — Defensive tackle Shawn Lee, whose performance has fallen off dramatically the last two years, was traded from the San Diego Chargers to the Chicago Bears on Monday for a fifth-round draft pick in 1999.

Lee had a career-high eight sacks in 1995, then signed a big contract. He had only one sack in 1996 and lost his starting job midway through the season. He started 15 games last season and had three sacks.

Dealing Lee frees up substantial room under the salary cap. Lee, whose contract runs through 2001, is scheduled to earn $1.45 million in base pay this year.

The Chargers are hoping that Reuben Davis returns in top shape from a torn right Achilles tendon suffered in training camp that kept him out all of 1997. John Parrella, the other starting tackle, will start the first year of a four-year, $6.8 million contract extension.

The only other defensive tackles on San Diego's roster are Norman Hand and Mike Mohring.

No Marlins deal

SEATTLE — The sale of the Florida Marlins by Wayne Huizenga to a group led by team president Don Smiley won't be on the agenda when major league owners open their quarterly meeting Wednesday.

The commissioner's office said Monday that the Marlins' sale topic had been scrubbed by the owners.

"Don Smiley continues to work diligently to complete the transfer and I expect he will be prepared to bring it to the clubs for a vote in the near future," interim commissioner Bud Selig said in a statement.

Smiley declined comment, but the delay wasn't a surprise. Aides to Smiley said earlier that the purchase by his group might not be complete in time for this week's meeting.

Huizenga, who has extended his deadline for selling the team to Smiley several times, did so again.

"The deal hasn't progressed to the point where the owners can vote on it, so the deadline has been extended a couple of weeks," said Stan Smith, a spokesman for Huizenga.

The next owners meeting is at Milwaukee Sept. 15-17, but they could approve the sale before then in a conference call. A source close to the negotiations said last week that some Huizenga aides are uncertain whether Smiley can finance the purchase.

Smiley's group is expected to pay $169 million for the team, but Huizenga and his family would likely retain an interest of $25 million to $50 million — 15 to 30 percent. Will Hudson, Huizenga's brother-in-law, is part of Smiley's investment group.

Irvin appears to have Playmaker swagger again

By Clarence E. Hill JR.
Fort Worth Star-Telegram

One year after citing "a loss of passion for the game" and contemplating retirement, Cowboys receiver Michael Irvin is looking and sounding like "The Playmaker" again.

No member of the defensive backfield is spared from trash talking. The locker room is infused with his hearty laugh and boastful jabs with teammates.

And fellow Cowboys receivers are straining to keep up with his legendary workout regimen, which has included extra pass patterns after practice to become familiar with coach Chan Gailey's new offense.

Irvin, who is admittedly having an enjoyable and productive off-season for the first time in two years, said he is motivated for himself and his teammates. He believes he "cheated" the Cowboys because of his limited off-season work in recent years and plans to make amends in 1998.

"I didn't want to end up cheating the guys because I didn't know if I could give it everything

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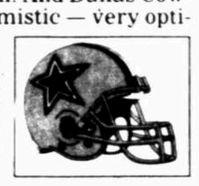


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Dallas Cowboys new head coach Chan Gailey, left, and quarterback Troy Aikman watch over the team's mini camp practice. Cowboys owner Jerry Jones is happy with his new coach.

Jones believes Cowboys will recover in 1998

DALLAS (AP) — He loves his new coach. His star quarterback is happy again. And Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones is optimistic — very optimistic.



Jones told The Dallas Morning News that he's ready to put the Cowboys' 1997 season behind him and believes they can rebound to contend for a Super Bowl title this season.

"I don't think we should have won just six football games last season," Jones said. "I have every reason to think we can compete for a championship."

He added that there's no sense in dwelling on last season's 6-10 finish.

"It has been easy to put behind me," he said. "There are a lot of mental ways to do that, and one of the ways is to move forward because there's no use belly-aching or using productive time dwelling on it."

Jones said his optimism stems from the fact that

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Jazz dazed by own ineptitude in defeat

By Chris Sheridan
AP Basketball Writer

CHICAGO — Some of them looked as if they were walking around with a hangover. Their coach said he hadn't caught a single wink of sleep.

Others on the Utah Jazz simply shrugged it off as one game — their 99th in a season that will have at least 101.

While Michael Jordan gleefully spoke of making prognosticators eat crow, the Jazz were a mixed bag of emotions Monday, one day after their unprecedented 42-point loss to the Chicago Bulls in Game 3 of the NBA Finals.

"The sun came up," said John Stockton, one of the players who tried to find a bright side and put Sunday night's 96-54 defeat behind them. "Today's another day and we just go back to the drawing board and try to start playing well again. That one's behind us."

But for every Stockton, there was an anti-Stockton. Take, for instance, Karl Malone.

When asked about Dennis Rodman's defense, he looked as if he was reliving the fourth quarter of Game 3. When asked about Utah's mental toughness, he looked as if he wanted to jump from the podium and pull a Sprewell.

"Every time we've gotten embarrassed like this, we've responded," Malone said. "We have two days to swallow this one."

The loss gave the Bulls a 2-1 lead in the best-of-7 series entering Game 4 on Wednesday night, but it was such a shellacking that it had to leave the Jazz with a mountain of self-doubt. Most shocking was the way Chicago crippled Utah's offensive schemes.

The Jazz didn't score 20 points in any quarter, including just nine in the fourth. Utah hasn't reached 90 points in any of the three games, nor have the Jazz shot 50 percent — something they did 39 times this season while leading the league in shooting percentage for the fourth straight year.

"The task they have to deal with today is how do they break down our defense," Jordan said. "They have to find a way to break open their offense and get more people involved other than Karl Malone and John Stockton. We have a good feel for them and haven't let them dictate their offense."

But don't expect Utah to abandon the



endless variations of the pick-and-roll upon which they usually thrive. Just because it didn't work in Games 2 and 3 doesn't mean it won't work in Game 4, when Utah will be trying to regain home-court advantage and ensure a return to Salt Lake City.

"We're a very predictable team. We've been that way for 13 years," Jazz coach Jerry Sloan said. "If I change anything, my players will be lost — and I will, too."

Each team practiced Monday at the United Center, although the Bulls did so without Dennis Rodman, who stayed home with an unexcused absence. The NBA fined him $10,000 for skipping out on the media.

Chicago shrugged off The Worm staying in his hole, considering it another easily overlooked distraction in a season full of them.

After all, this is a team that is possibly finishing off a run of six championships in eight seasons before it is broken up over the summer. Each loss is greeted by panic in this city; each victory brings a chorus of relieved sighs.

"I'm pretty sure we've proven to people that they're not very good predictors," Jordan said. "It's fun to see people eat crow — talking about how the seven-game series would take so much out of us and their 10 days' rest would be kicking in about now.

"Our mental toughness and heart is a lot stronger than the predictors said. I've always said that. I've always believed it. People are starting to see that," Jordan said.

This city's newspapers were filled with mockery on Monday, and radio call-in shows featured more of the same. And who could blame them, really, after the Jazz scored the fewest points in any NBA game since the inception of the shot clock in 1954-55.

But Bulls backers should be warned.

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AP Photo

Utah's Greg Ostertag watches during the Chicago Bulls' blow out of the Jazz 96-54 in Game 3 of the NBA Finals Sunday in Chicago. The Jazz broke the record for fewest points in an NBA game since the inception of the shot clock.

It had to happen — Rodman fined for Monday absence

By Nancy Armour
AP Sports Writer

CHICAGO — His overnight trip to Las Vegas after Game 1 wasn't nearly as outrageous as his Mormon bashing last year.

It's been tame stuff for the poster boy for bad behavior. He needed a really good antic, something that screamed Dennis Rodman. And he came through Monday, staying home and missing practice and the mandatory NBA Finals media session.

Rodman was fined $10,000 by the NBA and will probably be fined by the Chicago Bulls, was seen Monday night with Hulk Hogan attending a wrestling match in Auburn Hills, Mich.

"I talked to Dennis and he did not speak," coach Phil Jackson said. "He said to my assistant trainer he didn't think he could make it down here in time for the press conference. I asked him, 'Dennis, what should I say to the press?' and he hung up on me."

Only the tattooed and multihued one could top the Chicago Bulls complete humiliation of the Utah Jazz in Game 3.

So what if the Bulls held the Jazz to 54 points, the lowest point total since the inception of the shot clock in 1954? Who cares if Utah looks beat and a sixth title is within Chicago's reach? So what if John Stockton and Karl Malone are getting testy?

None of that matters, not when Rodman is wigging out again.

"It's very frustrating at this time," Scottie Pippen said. "But you don't

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Like a rock: Red Wings endure

By Tom Canavan
AP Sports Writer

DETROIT — In the Detroit Red Wings' locker room, a rock sits on the shelf of a player's stall.



One word, in English and Russian, is written on it: "Beli ve."

The message has little to do with the Red Wings' desire to become the first team since the Pittsburgh Penguins in 1991-92 to repeat as Stanley Cup champions. But it might have everything to do with why Scotty Bowman & Co. are back in the finals this year against the Washington Capitals in a best-of-7 series starting Tuesday night.

The prospect of another championship isn't motivating the Red Wings this time. Tragedy is.

A year ago, defenseman Vladimir Konstantinov and team masseur Sergei Mnatsakanov sustained brain-stem injuries in a limousine wreck. The accident came six days after the Red Wings won their first Cup in 42 years by sweeping Philadelphia on June 7.

"Everybody was having the greatest time and we all suddenly found out how important life is," Red Wings center Kris Draper said Monday.

"Every time we see Vlady and Sergei here is a reminder how fortunate we are. This is who we are playing for. That's been with us all year. It's emotional every time we see them, and when they are not here, we have their spirit helping us along the way."

In tribute, the Red Wings players have worn a patch just below their right shoulders with the initials of both men.

Konstantinov's uniform hangs in his locker, ready to be worn. The rock is on his shelf.

"I don't know if anyone has said it, but everybody has dedicated this season to Vlady and Sergei, for sure," said Detroit defenseman Viacheslav Fetisov, who received minor injuries in the limo accident.

"In tough times the team has, everybody looks in Vlady's stall and finds some extra stuff to bring to the games," Fetisov added. "It would nice to win and dedicate all this to Sergei and Vladimir."

The Red Wings also had to overcome the offseason trade of playoff MVP Mike Vernon to San

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Safe at second

Travis Gordon (23) of the Mid-City Diamondbacks slides safely into second base while Blake Morphew of the North Central Rangers awaits the throw during a game Monday night at the Northern Little League Tournament at Blue Bird Park. The Diamondbacks won 8-2. For more information, see page 2C.

LOCAL SPORTS

National League City Tourney

The Northern Mets defeated the Eastern White Sox 10-8 in seven innings as David Bless struck out nine to get the complete-game win.

Matt Guisinger, Chris Hollaway and Josh Harrison each had an RBI for the Mets. Hollaway and and Joe Munoz each had doubles. For the White Sox, Gabriel Barela and Joe Munoz each had three-run homers. Munoz went 2-for-3 on the day and Rocky Gutierrez was 3-for-4.

The North Central Diamondbacks edged out the North Central Cardinals 5-2. Cameron Phillips got the win for the Diamondbacks with seven strikeouts.

Offensively, the Cardinals' Tyler West was 3-for-3 with a double.

John Schuessler struck out 11 and allowed just one earned run as the Mid-City Diamondbacks beat the North Central Rangers 8-2.

Schuessler was helped out by teammate J. W. Wilson, who hit a double and a home run. Schuessler helped out his own cause with two hits. The Rangers' Jeremy Malone and Blake Morphew each had doubles.

The Mid City Pirates nipped the Western Devil Rays 3-2. Tyler Simmons got the win for the Pirates with eight strikeouts, and allowed just three hits.

The Pirates Isaac Natividad went 2-for-3 with a home run, and Kyle Davis added a double. For the Devil Rays, Chris Boyd hit a triple, Cody Thompson added a home run, and Buc Ramirez was 3-for-3 on the day.

Jacks re-sign Equale

The Odessa Jackalopes will bring another key player back to the Ector County Coliseum for the 1998-99 Western Professional Hockey League season, announcing they have re-signed center Ryan Equale to a one-year deal.

The 24-year-old forward from Wilton, Conn., scored 14 goals an added 17 assists in 32 games for the Jackalopes last season, and is considered by Jacks coach Joe Clark as a significant player for the upcoming season.

"Ryan's leadership and his grit on the ice make him a necessity," said Clark. "We believe he could be a 70 or 80-point guy, and he believes that too. He's a good kid and really likes playing in front of the fans here."

The Jacks also announced the signing of one of the premier scorers from the West Coast Hockey League. Center Steve Dowhy, a 24-year-old from Winnipeg, Manitoba, came to terms with the Jacks last month and will be in uniform when the team opens training camp on Sept. 28.

The 6-foot, 200 pound Dowhy has spent the past three seasons with the Bakersfield Fog and is the team's all-time leading scorer. He has averaged 114 points per season.

"Bringing a player of Steve's caliber to the Jacks gives our organization another offensive weapon," Clark said. "He can produce offense, and his track record speaks for itself."

The signing of both players brings to 10 the number of players now under contract for the upcoming season.

Stallings finishes second

BOSTON — Stanton's Jeremy Stallings, running for Elite Athletes, finished second in the 800 run at the New Balance Northeastern Twilight Track & Field Meet held here on Saturday.

Stallings' time was 1:48.18 and was only his third 800 meter race of the outdoor season. Stallings will compete in the USA Track & Field Championships in New Orleans on June 19-21.

Midland Mariners win tourney

LUBBOCK — The Midland Mariners, 13-year-old SELECT baseball team, won the CABA sanctioned tournament this past weekend. The Mariners defeated the Amarillo Texans, 11-1, the Lubbock Black Sox, 10-3, and the Lubbock Thunder, 11-1. The Mariners qualified to play in the July CABA State Tournament in Houston.

Team Members: Timmy Brock, Chad Castles, Dillon Farish, Shayne Moody, Ryan Rowland, Zack Sledge, Justin Sowder, Michael Smith, Keith Vest, Cole White, Dawson Wilber, Casey Zachry. Coaches are; Jeff White, Ronnie Farish and Jimmy Zachry.

MTC Mens Singles play

Here are the results from the Midland Tennis Club Mens Singles Tournament played over the weekend.

Open Bracket: Don Jones def. Bill Mills, 6-4, 6-2; Jr. Carrillo won by default over Jeffrey Johnston.

A-1 Bracket: Randy Shannon def. Dennis Smiley, 7-5, 6-2; Joe Wilbanks def. Randy Carter, 6-3, 6-1.

B-1 Bracket: Sean Hannon def. Jeremy Fain, 6-1, 4-6, 7-5; David Porter def. Taylor Thrash.

Utah's Sloan keeps perspective

By Rick Gano
AP Sports Writer

CHICAGO — He was testy following a five-point loss in Game 2, so you'd expect Utah coach Jerry Sloan to be a real bear the morning after the most lopsided defeat in NBA Finals history.

■ Finals Notebook

Not this time. Perhaps he was too tired to be grumpy.

"I feel good. If you stayed awake and didn't go to sleep and had to face all you people, wouldn't you feel great?" Sloan told reporters at a mandatory question-and-answer session Monday.

The Utah Jazz, 96-54 blowout losers to the Chicago Bulls in Game 3, were trying to shake it off as just another loss. No team had scored fewer points since the introduction of the shot clock for the 1954-55 season.

"I think the players are fine. They all said hello when they got on the bus," Sloan said. "When I really have a problem is if they don't speak to me."

Forward Byron Russell was also in a playful mood.

Teammate Shandon Anderson was dead serious as he gave interviews, so serious he didn't notice Russell sneak up to the edge of the group. With a grin on his face, Russell piped up.

"What about last night? Did you go out, have a good time?" Russell asked.

Anderson, not realizing who was talking to him, looked up as if to answer. There was Russell, giggling at him. Anderson smiled and couldn't help but laugh.

"You know what? That's what we need," Anderson said. "We need to be loose. I think everybody plays uptight, that's why sometimes we get put in situations where we make mistakes instead of just going out there loose and having fun."

EVEN IN BOSNIA: A Bosnian TV crew is among the more than 1,300 media members covering the NBA Finals, where 43 countries are represented.

Croatia native Toni Kukoc is a big star in Bosnia, but not as big as another member of the Bulls, announcer Mizra Vilic said.

"Michael Jordan is most popular. Toni is popular, too, but not like Michael," he said.

Kukoc, a three-time European Player of the Year, is finishing his fifth season with the Bulls. Jordan retired a few weeks after Kukoc arrived in 1993, and Kukoc was so upset that he wasn't going to realize his dream of playing with the world's greatest player that he cried.

Now that he and Jordan have played on two championship teams together and are going for a third, Kukoc says he's never regretted his decision to come to the NBA and see how good he really is. Instead of being the star, he's behind Jordan, Scottie Pippen and Dennis Rodman as the team's top attractions.

"I have no problems with that simply for the reason it's a team sport and once your team is winning championships and playing in the Finals, you are going to be well recognized as a player," Kukoc said Monday.

"If you're on other teams and not winning or not getting into the playoffs, then nobody is going to take you seriously."

BULLS: Rodman making waves again

(From 1C)

want to carry that into the next time, you don't want to carry that into the next practice. You want the team chemistry to stay as strong as possible. Especially the situation we're in, we don't want Dennis taking the focus away from the team."

Accepting someone's quirks is one thing, but Rodman brings a whole new meaning to the word eccentric. There's his multicolored hair, now dyed in a fetching, green-and-black camouflage design. There's his landscape of tattoos and pierced body parts.

But more than anything, there's his behavior, which he seems to bring to new lows in the playoffs. Last year it was Mormon bashing. This year it's time management.

He waltzes in a half-hour late for home games. He disappears to the locker room early in each half — supposedly to keep his muscles warm — forcing Jackson to send a trainer to fetch him so he can make a grand entrance. A two-day birthday bender left him too pooped to practice in the second round.

And now, this.

"We couldn't have a society that acted like Dennis," Jackson said. "There would be nobody having lanes in the freeway, you couldn't queue up anywhere and get in line. You'd have to be disorderly. Dennis is not a normal person in our society, but he's great in what he does here."

Which is why the Bulls are content to let Rodman do his thing and why they insist he's not a distraction. Jackson didn't even mind when Rodman flew from Salt Lake City to Las Vegas after Game 1, saying, "It's better than him hanging around this town and upsetting some Mormons."

Though he hasn't been spectacular in the playoffs, Rodman has been solid. His mere presence on the floor gives the team a spark, and unlike last year, he's held his own against Malone.

"We don't like it, but we put up with it," Luc Longley said of Rodman's antics.

Besides, it's not like any of this is anything new. Rodman has been acting goofy for years, and the Bulls knew what they were getting when they signed him three years ago.

In fact, his latest one-year contract was designed specifically to make him behave. It has a $4.5 million base — a paltry sum for one of the best rebounders ever — with another $5.95 million in games-played incentives and bonuses.

"With Dennis comes a lot of baggage," Michael Jordan said. "We just have to carry it and we have to accept it."

And wait to see what stunt Rodman will pull next.

IRVIN: Receiver has rededicated himself

(From 1C)

I got," Irvin said. "And to be totally honest with you, I ended up cheating the guys anyway because I wasn't here all off-season to train like I needed to train. I wasn't here to show the young guys this is what it takes.

"I am here to try as much as I can to make it right."

Irvin declines to discuss the multitude of strife in 1996 and 1997 — including him pleading no contest to felony drug possession charges, being suspended for the first five games of 1996 for violating the league's substance abuse policy and then enduring the ordeal of being falsely accused of sexual assault in 1997 leading to last season's retirement talk — that kept him from the Cowboys' past two off-season programs.

Irvin only chooses to talk about football these days. And strange as it may seem, the story with Irvin heading into the start of Cowboys training camp July 15 in Wichita Falls has been all about football and how productive he could be in Gailey's new offense after substandard performances the past two seasons.

Irvin had the finest season of his career in 1995 when he caught 111 passes for 1,603 yards and 11 touchdowns. He followed that up with 64 catches for 962 yards and two touchdowns in 11 games in 1996 and 75 catches for 1,180 yards and nine touchdowns in 1997.

He believes the off-season work will result in him regaining his All-Pro form.

"I feel great about my off-season," Irvin said. "A lot of people don't know what that means. I need the practice to be at my best and I really haven't had an off-season in two years. Two years ago I was in the middle of that mess. And last year, I quite honestly didn't think I was going to play football."

That Irvin wants to play is certainly embodied by his unyielding intensity and unmatched work ethic that teammates say has energized the locker room.

"Mike was a guy who set the standard," Cowboys receiver Billy Davis said. "He was a meter stick to where this team's mentality was going. It was disappointing not having him around. It affected the team, our mentality.

"Having him back reminds us of what it takes to get where we need to go. Myself and the other receivers have taken hold of that and just upped our game and the level of intensity."

Gailey fully understands that any distractions could have negatively impacted the implementation of his new offense and potentially sabotaged his inaugural season. But Gailey said he is not surprised by Irvin's positive influence; he expected nothing different.

"I don't evaluate the past because I look for the best in people," Gailey said. "I expect people's best. And Michael has set a standard of work out here. He helps create a good learning and conditioning situation. And I expect him to have a great year."

Irvin credits much of his enthusiasm to the new coaching staff and Gailey's new offense, which will feature Irvin lining up in the backfield and at slot receiver in addition to his regular outside receiver position.

Considering the tumultuous past seasons, nobody symbolizes change more than Irvin's off-season. And the Cowboys couldn't be happier.

"Michael is a very good friend and I think a lot of him," Cowboys quarterback Troy Aikman said. "From a personal standpoint, not to see him occupied with some of the off-the-field activities that he's had over the last couple of years is good.

"He seems to have really gotten his life on the right track and is heading down the right path. From that standpoint I'm very proud of him and happy for him."

Cowboys owner Jerry Jones, cautiously appreciative for what so far has been an off-season free of incidence from any of his players, agrees.

"At the risk of knowing we could get a call tonight, it feels good," Jones said. "But that's an ongoing challenge. But I have seen a change in Michael because he is as mentally tough as anybody I've known and a smart person. When a smart individual experiences some of the lessons that Michael has experienced, they learn."

"Now, some of this I may be reading into. But I see a guy that has been to war in a lot of different ways yet still has the skill and competitive heart. But is also a veteran of life."

JAZZ: Utah has to recover from debacle

(From 1C)

The Jazz have been miserable before — even in this year's playoffs when they scored a then-record 64 points in a Game 3 loss to San Antonio in the second round.

Utah also played miserably at times in the first round, falling behind 2-1 to the Houston Rockets before coming back to win the final two games.

In last year's finals, they were wiped out by Chicago in Game 2 to fall behind 0-2, but came back to win the next two games and even the series. This time, their fortunes might have changed the moment Steve Kerr rebounded his missed 3-pointer and fed Jordan for a three-point play that gave Chicago the lead for good in Game 2.

"It's been downhill since then. But that's part of basketball — some highs and lows," Jeff Hornacek said. "It's a good thing for us that we don't get too high on wins or too low on losses — even one like (Sunday's). We're pretty good at putting it aside, even though it was an embarrassing loss from us. I think we'll come out Wednesday and be a different team."

COWBOYS: Jones likes stars on roster

(From 1C)

Dallas still has a star-studded roster.

"When I go to practices and I look out there and see players like Michael Irvin and Leon Lett and Emmitt Smith and Deion Sanders ... I feel good," he said.

"Our coaches and players and organization are so disappointed over what we did last season that there is a sense of resolve that we are going to give some restitution to our fans."

Regarding Chan Gailey, Jones said he has been most impressed with the high standards set by his new head coach.

"He has great direction and confidence, and there's an aura about him," Jones said. "Our goal is to win and win in a way that we can all be proud of. Chan Gailey will help us do that."

Jones also said he's pleased to see a happy Troy Aikman in practices. The quarterback was known to be unhappy with the team's direction under former coach Barry Switzer.

"This is the happiest I've ever seen Troy, and this is our 10th year together," Jones said. "He's challenged, and from my perspective he knows how successful we're trying to be."



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Spiers 3b	3	1	2	0	Randa 3b	5	2	2
DeBell rf	4	1	2	2	Higgnsn rf	4	0	0
Bgwell 1b	3	1	0	0	ToClrk 1b	5	0	3
Alou lf	3	1	1	1	Easley 2b	4	1	0
Everett cf	5	2	2	4	LGnzlz lf	3	0	1
DClark dh	5	0	1	0	Tmbrln dh	4	0	0
Gtrrez ss	4	0	2	0	Bako c	3	1	1
Asmus c	4	0	1	0	DCruz ss	3	0	0
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Houston				**100**	**200**	**105**	**—**	**9**
Detroit				**011**	**021**	**000**	**—**	**5**

E—Bako (2). DP—Houston 1, Detroit 1. LOB—Houston 7, Detroit 9. 2B—Spiers (12), DeBell (19), Everett (12), DClark (1), BLHunter (10), ToClark (14), Bako (4). HR—Everett (5). SB—Biggio 3 (23), BLHunter (18). CS—Spiers (1). S—DCruz. SF—DeBell, Alou.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Houston						
Bergman	4 1-3	6	4	4	3	2
Magnante	2 2-3	3	1	1	1	1
DHenry W,4-2	1 2-3	0	0	0	1	0
BWagner	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Detroit						
Greisinger	6 2-3	8	4	3	3	5
Brocail	1 1-3	3	0	0	0	2
ToJones L,0-2	2-3	3	5	4	2	0
Runyan	1-3	0	0	0	0	1

WP—Bergman, Magnante. PB—Bako. T—3:28. A—11,767 (46,945).

RANGERS 3, ROCKIES 1

TEXAS	ab	r	hbi		COLORADO	ab	r	hbi
TGdwin cf	4	0	0	0	NPerez ss	4	0	1
Alicea 2b	4	0	0	0	CGdwin cf	4	1	1
Greer lf	4	0	1	0	Burks lf	4	0	0
JuGnlz rf	4	0	0	0	Castilla 3b	3	0	1
WClark 1b	4	1	1	0	Bchette rf	2	0	2
IRdrgz c	4	1	2	0	Helton 1b	4	0	0
Cedeno ss	4	1	3	3	Lnsing 2b	3	0	0
FTatis 3b	3	0	0	0	JReed ph	1	0	0
Sele p	3	0	1	0	Mnwrm c	2	0	1
Stevens ph	1	0	0	0	Astacio p	1	0	0
Wtlnd p	0	0	0	0	Vn Wal ph	1	0	0
					Munoz p	0	0	0
					Lskanic p	0	0	0
Totals	**35**	**3**	**8**	**3**	**Totals**	**29**	**1**	**6**
Texas				**000**	**010**	**101**	**—**	**3**
Colorado				**100**	**000**	**000**	**—**	**1**

DP—Texas 2. LOB—Texas 7, Colorado 6. 2B—IRodriguez (24), Sele (1). HR—Cedeno (2). CS—Helton (2). S—Astacio.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Sele W,9-3	8	5	1	1	4	6
Wetteland S,17	1	1	0	0	0	1
Colorado						
Astacio L,4-8	7	4	2	2	2	8
Munoz	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Leskanic	1 1-3	3	1	1	0	2

WP—Sele, Leskanic. PB—Manwaring.
T—2:27. A—48,070 (50,381).

INDIANS 8, PIRATES 0

PITTSBURGH	ab	r	hbi		CLEVELAND	ab	r	hbi
Wmack 2b	4	0	3	0	Lofton cf	5	1	2
Plcvch 2b	0	0	0	0	Vizquel ss	3	2	1
AMrtn dh	4	0	0	0	Justice dh	4	0	0
Kendall c	4	0	1	0	Thome 1b	3	3	2
KYng 1b	3	0	0	0	Whiten rf	4	1	3
MSmith 1b	1	0	0	0	SAlmr c	5	0	1
TWard lf	4	0	0	0	Frymn 3b	5	0	2
Alnswrt cf	2	0	0	0	DaBell 2b	5	0	3
JGillen rf	3	0	0	0	Dnston lf	4	1	1
ARmrz 3b	3	0	0	0				
Collier ss	3	0	0	0				
Totals	**31**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**Totals**	**38**	**8**	**15**
Pittsburgh				**000**	**000**	**000**	**—**	**0**
Cleveland				**003**	**032**	**00x**	**—**	**8**

E—Womack (10), KYoung (5). LOB—Pittsburgh 5, Cleveland 12. 2B—Womack (7), Vizquel (14), Thome (25). HR—Thome (16). SB—Womack (21), Lofton (19). CS—Fryman (2). S—Vizquel.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pittsburgh						
Peters L,1-4	4 1-3	8	6	6	3	4
Dessens	2-3	3	0	0	0	0
Christiansen	1	4	2	0	0	0
JaMartinez	2	0	0	0	2	2
Cleveland						
Colon W,5-4	9	4	0	0	1	3

T—2:31. A—43,068 (43,863).

METS 3, DEVIL RAYS 0

TAMPA BAY	ab	r	hbi		NEW YORK	ab	r	hbi
McCkn cf	4	0	0	0	McRae cf	4	0	0
Yan p	0	0	0	0	Gilkey lf	4	0	0
Cairo 2b	4	0	0	0	Piazza c	3	1	3
Boggs 3b	4	0	1	0	Olerud 1b	4	0	0
McGrff 1b	3	0	0	0	Alfonzo 3b	4	1	0
Srrento lf	3	0	0	0	Baerga 2b	4	0	0
DaMrtz rf	3	0	1	0	Huskey rf	3	1	1
DrFlce c	3	0	1	0	ROrdz ss	3	0	2
Stocker ss	3	0	0	0	RReed p	2	0	1
DPrngr p	1	0	0	0				
Ldsma ph	1	0	0	0				
Aldred p	0	0	0	0				
Winn cf	1	0	0	0				
Totals	**30**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**Totals**	**31**	**3**	**7**
Tampa Bay				**000**	**000**	**000**	**—**	**0**
New York				**020**	**010**	**00x**	**—**	**3**

E—Stocker 2 (5). LOB—Tampa Bay 4, New York 6. 2B—Boggs (7), Piazza (8), Huskey (11). HR—Piazza (11). S—RReed.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tampa Bay						
DPrngr L,2-10	5	5	3	2	1	3
Aldred	2	1	0	0	0	1
Yan	1	1	0	0	0	1
New York						
RReed W,7-3	9	3	0	0	1	10

WP—DSpringer. T—2:18. A—24,186 (55,775).

BRAVES 7, RED SOX 6

BOSTON	ab	r	hbi		ATLANTA	ab	r	hbi
DLewis rf	5	1	3	0	Weiss ss	2	1	1
JnVntin 3b	4	1	3	2	Lckhrt 2b	5	2	2
Grcprr ss	5	0	1	1	ChJnes 3b	4	1	1
MVghn 1b	3	2	0	0	Glrrga 1b	3	0	1
Butord cf	4	1	2	0	DBtsta pr	0	1	0
O'Lry lf	4	0	2	1	Klesko lf	5	0	3
Varitek c	4	0	0	2	GerWm pr	0	1	0
Bnjmin 2b	3	0	0	0	JLopez c	4	0	0
Lowe p	3	0	0	0	Tucker rf	4	0	1
Mahay p	0	0	0	0	AJones cf	5	0	2
Corsi p	0	0	0	0	Glavine p	1	0	0
Leyritz ph	1	1	1	0	Pride ph	1	0	0
Gordon p	0	0	0	0	Cather p	0	0	0
Wasdin p	0	0	0	0	Embre p	0	0	0
					OGillen ph	0	1	0
Totals	**36**	**6**	**12**	**6**	**Totals**	**34**	**7**	**11**
Boston				**010**	**120**	**002**	**—**	**6**
Atlanta				**100**	**000**	**006**	**—**	**7**

One out when winning run scored.
E—JLopez (2). DP—Boston 1, Atlanta 2. LOB—Boston 8, Atlanta 12. 2B—DLewis (12), JnValentin (18), Garciaparra (8), Leyritz (5), Lockhart (15), Galarraga (12). SB—O'Leary (1), Varitek (2). CS—DLewis (6). S—JLopez.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Lowe	6	5	1	1	4	2
Mahay	1 2-3	1	0	0	1	2
Corsi	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Gordon	0	2	4	4	2	0
Wasdin L,3-3	1-3	3	2	2	1	0
Atlanta						
Glavine	6	8	4	4	4	2
Cather	2	0	0	0	1	2
Embree W,1-0	1	4	2	2	0	0

Gordon pitched to 4 batters in the 9th.
HBP—by Lowe (Galarraga). WP—Gordon. T—2:54. A—44,018 (50,528).

ROYALS 8, BREWERS 7

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	hbi		KANSAS CITY	ab	r	hbi
Vina 2b	5	0	1	0	Damon cf	4	2	1
Cirillo 3b	4	1	2	1	Offrmn 2b	4	3	3
Burnitz rf	5	1	1	2	HMrris dh	3	1	1
Jaha dh	4	0	0	0	JKing 1b	3	1	1
Nilsson 1b	5	1	3	0	Palmer 3b	4	1	2
DrJksn pr	0	0	0	0	Conine lf	3	0	0
Grssom cf	5	2	2	1	Dye rf	3	0	1
Jenkins lf	5	2	4	1	Halter ss	4	0	1
JsVntin ss	5	0	4	2	Fasano c	4	0	0
Hughes c	2	0	0	0				
Hmelin ph	1	0	0	0				
Mtheny c	0	0	0	0				
Totals	**41**	**7**	**17**	**7**	**Totals**	**32**	**8**	**10**
Milwaukee				**020**	**021**	**200**	**—**	**7**
Kansas City				**420**	**101**	**00x**	**—**	**8**

E—Halter (6). DP—Milwaukee 2, Kansas City 2. LOB—Milwaukee 10, Kansas City 5. 2B—Grissom (12), Jenkins 2 (7), JsValentin (10), Damon (13), JKing (9), Palmer (13). 3B—Offerman (7). HR—Burnitz (12), Offerman (3). SB—Dye (1). SF—HMorris.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Juden L,5-5	6	9	8	8	4	3
DJones	2	1	0	0	0	1
Kansas City						
Rapp W,5-5	5 2-3	11	5	5	2	4
JWalker	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Pichardo	1	3	2	2	0	1
Service	1	0	0	0	0	1
JMtgm S,11	1	3	0	0	0	1

HBP—by Rapp (Cirillo). WP—Juden, Rapp.
T—2:42. A—13,565 (40,625).

WHITE SOX 8, CARDINALS 6

ST. LOUIS	ab	r	hbi		CHICAGO	ab	r	hbi
McGee dh	4	0	2	2	Drham 2b	4	1	2
DeShds 2b	4	1	1	0	Caruso ss	3	1	1
McGwr 1b	4	1	1	2	FThms dh	1	2	0
RLnkfd cf	3	0	1	0	Belle lf	4	1	2
BJrdan rf	4	1	1	1	Vntura 3b	3	1	0
Gaetti 3b	4	0	0	0	JAbbott rf	4	2	2
Mabry lf	4	1	1	1	Cmeron cf	0	0	0
Lmpkin c	3	1	1	0	Norton 1b	4	0	0
Ordaz ss	1	1	0	0	MOrdz cf	4	0	1
Gant ph	1	0	0	0	OBrien c	4	0	0
Totals	**32**	**6**	**8**	**6**	**Totals**	**31**	**8**	**8**
St. Louis				**000**	**211**	**200**	**—**	**6**
Chicago				**111**	**050**	**00x**	**—**	**8**

E—BJordan (2). Pettkovsek (1). DP—St. Louis 1, Chicago 1. LOB—St. Louis 5, Chicago 4. 2B—Durham (16), JAbbott (5). 3B—McGee (1), JAbbott (1). HR—McGwire (29), BJordan (10), Mabry (4). SB—McGee (3), Durham (13). CS—McGee (2), DeShields (9). S—Caruso.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
St. Louis						
Petkovsek L,3-3	4 1-3	7	8	7	4	0
Croushore	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	2
CKing	2	0	0	0	0	3
Chicago						
Bere W,3-5	6	6	4	4	3	2
Fordham	1-3	0	2	2	2	1
Foulke	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Simas	1	0	0	0	1	0
Karchner S,6	1	1	0	0	0	1

WP—Croushore. T—2:46. A—23,087 (44,321).

ORIOLES 14, PHILLIES 8

BALTIMORE	ab	r	hbi		PHILA	ab	r	hbi
ByAdsn cf	6	2	2	4	Ginvile cf	5	1	3
RAlmr 2b	4	2	3	2	Jffenes lf	4	2	2
RPlmr 1b	6	1	3	4	SRolen 3b	3	1	1
Carter rf	5	1	2	2	Lbrthal c	5	1	4
Tvarez rf	0	0	0	0	Brogna 1b	4	1	2
Surhoff lf	4	1	1	1	MLewis 2b	3	1	1
CRpken 3b	5	1	1	0	Hudler rf	4	0	1
Orosco p	0	0	0	0	Rtaford ss	5	0	1
Holes c	5	3	2	1	MiGce p	1	1	0
Bordick ss	5	1	0	0	Brland p	0	0	0
DJohns p	2	1	2	0	Sefcik ph	1	0	0
Rhodes p	2	0	1	0	Wnston p	0	0	0
ABnitez p	0	0	0	0	Sprdlin p	0	0	0
Rboulet 3b	1	1	1	0	KJrdan ph	1	0	0
					Dodd p	0	0	0
					Amaro ph	1	0	0
Totals	**45**	**14**	**18**	**14**	**Totals**	**37**	**8**	**14**
Baltimore				**030**	**304**	**013**	**—**	**14**
Philadelphia				**120**	**400**	**100**	**—**	**8**

E—MLewis (6), Relaford (8). DP—Baltimore 3, Philadelphia 1. LOB—Baltimore 7, Philadelphia 10. 2B—ByAnderson (7), RAlomar 2 (13), Carter (10), CRipken (10), Holes (5), Glanville (9), Lieberthal (9), MLewis (9). 3B—ByAnderson (3), Brogna (1). HR—RPalmeiro (16), Carter (6), Surhoff (10), SRolen (13). SB—Surhoff (3). SF—RAlomar, MLewis.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Baltimore						
DJohns	4	1	0	0	1	4
Rhodes W,3-2	2 2-3	3	1	1	0	4
ABenitez	2-3	1	0	0	2	1
Orosco S,4	1 2-3	0	0	0	1	0
Philadelphia						
MiGrace	4	9	6	3	2	2
Borland	1	0	0	0	0	1
Winston L,2-2	1-3	3	3	3	0	1
Spradlin	1 2-3	2	1	1	0	2
Dodd	2	4	4	2	0	2

MiGrace pitched to 1 batter in the 5th.
WP—Dodd. T—3:38. A—26,742 (62,363).

CUBS 8, TWINS 1

CHICAGO	ab	r	hbi		MINNESOTA	ab	r	hbi
BBrwn cf	4	1	1	0	Nixon cf	5	0	0
Mrndni 2b	5	1	2	1	Gates 3b	4	0	2
Sosa rf	4	1	2	2	TWlker 2b	4	0	0
MaGce 1b	4	1	2	0	MCdva lf	4	0	1
HRdrgz dh	4	0	0	0	Merced 1b	4	0	1
White dh	1	0	0	0	RCmer dh	4	0	1
Blauser ss	3	2	2	1	Lawton rf	4	1	2
Mieske lf	5	1	2	1	Stnbch c	4	0	1
SMrtnz c	5	0	0	0	Meares ss	3	0	2
JHrndz 3b	4	1	2	3				
Totals	**39**	**8**	**13**	**8**	**Totals**	**36**	**1**	**10**
Chicago				**013**	**002**	**002**	**—**	**8**
Minnesota				**000**	**010**	**000**	**—**	**1**

DP—Chicago 1. LOB—Chicago 9, Minnesota 10. 2B—Morandini (11), MaGrace (17), Blauser (7), JHernandez (8), Steinbach (12), Meares (14). 3B—BBrown (3). HR—Sosa (20), JHernandez (8).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
MClark W,4-6	8	10	1	1	1	5
Pisciotta	1	0	0	0	1	2
Minnesota						
Hawkins L,3-6	5	7	5	5	3	6
Guardado	1 2-3	2	1	1	1	3
Naulty	1 1-3	3	2	2	0	1
Serafini	1	1	0	0	1	1

MClark pitched to 2 batters in the 9th. Hawkins pitched to 2 batters in the 6th. Naulty pitched to 3 batters in the 9th.
WP—Hawkins. T—3:02. A—18,077 (48,678).

Standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
New York	44	13	772	—	z-8-2	W-7	25-5	19-8	3-0
Boston	35	26	574	11	z-6-4	L-1	21-13	14-13	1-3
Toronto	31	32	492	16	z-4-6	L-1	16-18	15-14	1-3
Baltimore	30	33	476	17	5-5	W-1	15-17	15-16	2-2
Tampa Bay	26	36	419	20 1/2	z-3-7	L-1	11-18	15-18	1-3

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Cleveland	38	24	613	—	7-3	W-3	17-10	21-14	3-1
Minnesota	27	34	443	10 1/2	z-4-6	L-1	12-20	15-14	1-3
Chicago	25	36	410	12 1/2	4-6	W-1	11-14	14-22	1-3
Detroit	23	36	390	13 1/2	z-3-7	L-1	11-14	12-22	2-2
Kansas City	23	38	377	14 1/2	3-7	W-1	9-23	14-15	2-2

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Texas	38	24	613	—	7-3	W-1	22-11	16-13	3-1
Anaheim	34	26	567	3	z-9-1	W-8	19-16	15-10	3-0
Seattle	27	35	435	11	z-3-7	L-2	15-18	12-17	1-2
Oakland	26	34	433	11	5-5	L-1	14-18	12-16	2-1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Atlanta	45	19	703	—	6-4	W-3	26-8	19-11	3-1
New York	34	24	586	8	z-6-4	W-1	20-10	14-14	3-1
Philadelphia	28	32	467	15	3-7	L-2	16-15	12-17	2-2
Montreal	24	37	393	19 1/2	z-6-4	L-1	14-17	10-20	2-1
Florida	18	44	290	26	1-9	W-1	13-20	5-24	1-3

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Houston	38	24	613	—	z-6-4	W-3	18-11	20-13	3-1
Chicago	38	24	613	—	10-0	W-10	25-11	13-13	4-0
Pittsburgh	31	32	492	7 1/2	7-3	L-2	23-14	8-18	2-2
Milwaukee	29	31	483	8	z-4-6	L-3	17-17	12-14	1-3
St. Louis	29	33	468	9	1-9	L-6	18-12	11-21	0-1
Cincinnati	28	35	444	10 1/2	4-6	L-2	13-17	15-18	1-2

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
San Francisco	39	24	619	—	9-1	W-9	20-8	19-16	0-0
San Diego	38	25	603	1	5-5	W-1	19-7	19-18	1-2
Los Angeles	31	31	500	7 1/2	z-5-5	W-2	15-11	16-20	2-1
Colorado	26	38	406	13 1/2	z-4-6	L-4	10-19	16-19	0-4
Arizona	20	43	317	19	2-8	W-1	10-16	10-27	1-2

z-first game was a win

INTERLEAGUE

Monday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Cleveland 8, Pittsburgh 0
N.Y. Mets 3, Tampa Bay 0
Atlanta 7, Boston 6
Houston 9, Detroit 5
Kansas City 8, Milwaukee 7
Chicago White Sox 8, St. Louis 6
Chicago Cubs 8, Minnesota 1
Baltimore 14, Philadelphia 8
Texas 3, Colorado 1
Florida 4, Toronto 3, 17 innings
Oakland 7, Los Angeles 3
Seattle at San Francisco, (n)

Tuesday's Games

N.Y. Yankees (O.Hernandez 1-0) at Montreal (Perez 6-3), 6:05 p.m.
Toronto (Williams 7-2) at Florida (Hernandez 3-4), 6:05 p.m.
Houston (Hampton 7-3) at Detroit (Moehler 5-5), 6:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Ueber 3-7) at Cleveland (Gooden 1-2), 6:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Ponson 0-3) at Philadelphia (Beech 1-3), 6:35 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Santana 1-0) at N.Y. Mets (Nomo 2-7), 6:40 p.m.
Boston (Saberhagen 7-3) at Atlanta (D.Martinez 2-2), 6:40 p.m.
Milwaukee (Woodall 2-2) at Kansas City (Rusch 3-8), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Wood 6-2) at Minnesota (Radke 7-4), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Acevedo 1-1) at Chicago White Sox (Navarro 5-6), 7:05 p.m.
Texas (Helling 7-3) at Colorado (Thomson 5-5), 8:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Finley 6-2) at Arizona (Blair 2-8), 9:05 p.m.
Oakland (Haynes 4-2) at Los Angeles (Park 4-3), 9:05 p.m.
Seattle (Cloude 3-4) at San Francisco (Estes 5-5), 9:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

San Diego 4, Cincinnati 2

MARLINS 4, BLUE JAYS 3, 17 innings

TORONTO	ab	r	hbi		FLORIDA	ab	r	hbi
JoCruz cf	4	1	1	0	Dnwdy cf	7	2	3
Qantrill p	0	0	0	0	Rntena ss	6	1	2
Risley p	0	0	0	0	Kotsay rf	5	1	2
Samuel ph	1	0	1	0	Zeile 3b	7	0	2
Person p	0	0	0	0	Floyd lf	6	0	1
Stanley ph	1	0	0	0	RJcksn 1b	3	0	1
RaMys p	1	0	0	0	DLee 1b	4	0	0
Hanson p	0	0	0	0	Zaun c	7	0	0
SGreen rf	8	1	1	2	Cunsell 2b	3	0	1
Cnseco lf	4	0	1	0	Berg 2b	4	0	1
Plesac p	0	0	0	0	Mdows p	2	0	0
Crespo lf	3	0	1	0	FHrdja p	0	0	0
CDlgdo 1b	7	0	1	0	JPwell p	0	0	0
Sprgue 3b	6	0	2	1	Cnglosi ph	1	0	1
Grbeck 2b	6	0	1	0	Drnsbr p	0	0	0
KLBwn c	2	0	0	0	Mantei p	0	0	0
TFrndz ph	1	0	0	0	Wehner ph	1	0	0
Dlsndro c	4	0	2	0	Alfnsca p	0	0	0
AGnzlz ss	6	0	1	0	LHrndz ph	1	0	0
Cimens p	2	0	0	0	Edmnd p	1	0	0
Stewart lf	5	1	1	0				
Totals	**61**	**3**	**13**	**3**	**Totals**	**58**	**4**	**14**
Toronto				**0000000300000000**				**— 3**
Florida				**3000000000000001**				**— 4**

One out when winning run scored.
E—Zeile (8). DP—Toronto 1, Florida 2. LOB—Toronto 13, Florida 14. 2B—SGreen (13), CDelgado (20), Stewart (6), Dunwoody (5). SB—JoCruz (4), Crespo (3), Stewart (15), Dunwoody 2 (3), Floyd (7). CS—Rentena (8). S—AGonzalez, Kotsay, Meadows.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Clemens	7	7	3	3	3	8
Plesac	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Quantrill	2-3	2	0	0	0	0
Risley	2	0	0	0	2	2
Person	2	1	0	0	0	2
RaMyers	3	2	0	0	0	3
Hanson L,0-3	1-3	2	1	1	1	0
Florida						
Meadows	7	6	1	1	1	4
FHeredia	0	1	2	2	1	0
JPowell	2	2	0	0	1	0
Darensbourg	2-3	0	0	0	1	2
Mantei	1 1-3	0	0	0	1	1
Alfonseca	3	2	0	0	0	6
Edmnd W,1-1	3	2	0	0	0	3

Meadows pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. FHeredia pitched to 2 batters in the 8th.
HBP—by Clemens (Zeile). WP—RaMyers. T—5:05. A—17,414 (41,855).

ATHLETICS 7, DODGERS 3

OAKLAND	ab	r	hbi		LOS ANGELS	ab	r	hbi
Hndrsn cf	4	1	1	0	EcYng 2b	4	0	1
Spiezio 2b	4	1	1	0	Vzcaino ss	4	0	0
Gnieve rf	4	1	3	0	Shffield rf	3	1	0
Stairs lf	2	1	0	0	Karros 1b	4	1	2
Chrstns cf	1	0	0	0	Mndesi cf	4	0	0
Blwers 3b	5	2	0	0	Bonilla 3b	4	0	0
Giambi 1b	4	1	1	3	Knerko lf	3	1	2
Mcfrlne c	3	0	0	1	CJhnsn c	2	0	0
Tejada ss	3	0	2	1	THwrd ph	1	0	0
Stein p	4	0	0	0	Prince c	0	0	0
Taylor p	0	0	0	0	RMrtnz p	2	0	0
					McMcl p	0	0	0
					Esnrich ph	1	0	0
					Guthne p	0	0	0
Totals	**34**	**7**	**8**	**5**	**

THE MARKET IN REVIEW

MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
PhilMor	122497	39 9/16	+15/16
Iomega s	87468	7	+1 1/16
BayNtwk	85862	32 1/4	+1 1/16
Nonwest s	79573	36 13/16	–2 7/8
NabisH	79371	39 7/8	–6 1/16

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Iomega s	7	+1 1/8	+19.1
HillStr pf	6 1/8	+7/8	+16.7
OdoorS s	24 5/16	+3 5/16	+15.8
Alphm wt	3 1/4	+3/8	+13.0
FM RoyT	2 1/2	+1/4	+11.1

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GaleyL	18 3/16	–6 9/16	–26.5
GibDr	14 15/16	–3 1/2	–19.0
NabisH	39 7/8	–6 1/16	–13.2
PennTr	3 3/16	–3/8	–10.5
AuthFit	14 5/8	–1 5/16	–8.2

DIARY

Advanced	1,692
Declined	1,320
Unchanged	528
Total issues	3,540
New Highs	108
New Lows	65
Volume	637,955,619

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SPDR	41599	111 7/8	–1/8
FAusPr	10371	6 11/16	–1/8
NTNCom	9210	1 7/16	+1/16
VisicB	7837	56 1/2	–7/16
Nabors	7321	23	–3/8

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AudioCm n	5 15/16	+1 11/16	+39.7
Cross	13 5/8	+1 15/16	+16.6
Oncomnd	3 1/2	+3/8	+12.0
GetchGld	19 1/2	+2	+11.4
Gencor s	24 3/8	+2 5/8	+10.6

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
KrauseF	2 1/4	–3/8	–25.0
Bogen wt	2 3/16	–11/16	–23.9
MA Sys	3 5/8	–3/8	–9.4
BootsCts n	5 9/16	–1/2	–8.2
StrgCmp	4 1/2	–3/8	–7.7

DIARY

Advanced	278
Declined	287
Unchanged	177
Total issues	742
New Highs	11
New Lows	20
Volume	30,619,430

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Intel s	175664	69 5/16	–1/2
Novell	147591	12 3/16	+1 1/16
DellCptr s	110186	83 11/16	–7/8
DSC	96845	29 1/16	–7/16
PremT	78481	15 7/8	–5 11/16

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CamCntr	3 5/8	+1 1/8	+45.0
TSR s	14	+3 11/16	+35.8
EchoC un	3 1/4	+3/8	+30.0
CptrLrn s	22 11/16	+4 15/16	+27.8
DigtSd	8 3/8	+1 11/16	+23.9

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PremT	15 7/8	–5 11/16	–26.4
GalileoT n	11 1/8	–3 5/8	–23.8
Cmwlnd	10 5/8	–3 1/16	–22.7
Trbdyne	6 23/32	–1 27/32	–21.5
DrChina n	2 5/16	–9/16	–19.6

DIARY

Advanced	1,966
Declined	2,117
Unchanged	1,512
Total issues	5,597
New Highs	75
New Lows	120
Volume	610,093,000

HOW TO READ THE MARKET IN REVIEW

Here are the 1,675 most active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, 925 most active on the Nasdaq National Market and 495 most active on the American Stock Exchange. Stocks in bold are worth at least $5 and changed 5 percent or more in price. Listings for 50 most active on NYSE and Nasdaq and 25 most active on Amex. Tables show name, price and net change, and one to two additional fields rotated through the week, as follows:

Div: Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted.

Name: Stocks appear alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Names consisting of initials appear at the beginning of each letter's list.

Last: Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.

Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ...

Stock Footnotes: cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S.$. n – New issue in past 52 weeks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 percent or more in last 52 weeks. Dividend begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-week high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.

Dividend Footnotes: a – Also extra or extras. b-g: Annual rate plus stock dividend. e – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i – Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p – Initial dividend, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. vj – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

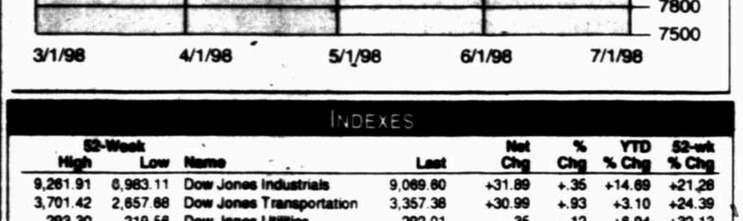
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Daily market roundup

June 8, 1998

Dow Jones ▲ 9069.60 +31.89

High	9,155.04	Highest close	9,211.84
Low	8,994.12	May 13, 1998	



INDEXES

52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Net Chg	% Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
9,261.91	6,983.11	Dow Jones Industrials	9,069.60	+31.89	+.35	+14.69	+21.28
3,701.42	2,657.68	Dow Jones Transportation	3,357.38	+30.99	+.93	+3.10	+24.39
293.30	219.56	Dow Jones Utilities	292.01	–.35	–.12	+6.94	+32.13
587.91	439.71	NYSE Composite	576.82	+1.45	+.25	+12.84	+26.13
753.75	604.34	Amex Index	713.69	+.57	+.08	+4.25	+15.19
1,931.83	1,375.45	Nasdaq Composite	1,787.77	+4.85	+.27	+13.85	+26.61
1,132.98	838.82	S&P 500	1,115.72	+1.86	+.17	+14.97	+29.30
492.28	248.65	Russell 2000	456.34	+2.10	+.46	+4.42	+17.64
10,782.75	7,993.99	Wilshire 5000	10,501.06	+26.11	+.27	+12.94	+28.37

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Div	Name	Last	Chg
.38f	ACE Ltd s	38 3/4	+1/2
.90	ACM Sc	9 11/16	+1/16
.54	ACM Sp	6 3/8	–1/16
.90a	ACM Wi	9 15/16	+1/16
	ACNiels	26 9/16	+7/8
	AES Cp s	48 15/16	–1 9/16
.52f	AFLAC	66 1/16	+15/16
.04	AGCO	23 1/2	+1/16
1.08	AGL Res	20	–1/16
4.16e	AIM EEu s	9 15/16	+1/16
.50	AK Steel s	19 1/2	+3/16
	AMF n	25 1/16	+3/16
	AMR	156	+11/16
2.80	ARCOCh 53	3/4	–7/16
.18f	ARM Fn n	21 11/16	+1/16
80m	ASA Ltd	22 7/16	+3/16
1.32	AT&T	61 7/8	
.13	Aames	14 3/4	–1/16
.80	AbtLab s	37 1/16	+5/16
	AberFitch	44 7/8	+1 5/16
.40	Abitibi g	13 3/4	+1/2
	AccuStff	36 9/16	+3/16
	Acuson	19 1/2	+3/16
1.96e	AdobEx	26 5/16	
.79e	AFPProv	17 7/8	+1/16
	AdvPCn	32 3/4	+1/16
	AdvsdSvc	10 7/8	+1/16
	AmStd	45 7/16	+1/16
.36	AmStor s	24 5/8	+3/16
.99a	AmSiP2	13	+1/16
	AtPower n	44 1/2	+1/8
.82	AmWtr	31 7/16	+3/16
	Amercrd	32 3/4	+1/16
1.20	Ameritch s	42 3/4	+1/16
.24	Ametek n	29 3/4	+1/16
1.50	Amoco s	42 5/8	+9/16
1.08	AmPr s	37 7/8	+1/16
.80	AmSouth s	40 1/16	+3/16
.57e	Amvescp s	53 13/16	+3/16
.88	AmwyAs	12 5/8	+1/16
.20e	Amwy	6 3/16	
.40f	Anadrk	66 1/4	
	Analog	24	+1/16
1.04	Anheus	47	+1/16
	Anixter	20 3/8	+1/16
	AnnTayl	20	
	AnthCap	13 7/8	+1/16
1.12f	AonCp	43 13/16	+1/16
.28	Apache	33 5/8	–1 1/16
	ApplMg	9	+1/16
	Apria	3 7/16	+1/16
.09e	Aracruz	13 1/4	+1/16
	ArcadeAm	7 1/2	+1/16
.20b	ArchCoal	20 1/16	+1/16
.68f	ArdenRlt	27 5/8	+1/16
	Armco	5 7/8	+1/16
1.92f	ArmWr	83 1/2	+1/16
	ArrowEl	sd24 13/16	+1/16
.80	Asarco	23 1/4	+1/16
.20e	Ashanti	9	+1/16
1.10	Ashland	50 5/8	+1/16
	AsiaPac	2 1/16	+1/16
.05e	AsiaPlp	11 1/16	+1/16
.01e	AsiaTgt	6 1/16	+1/16
.40	AskCap	19 1/16	+1 1/16
.23e	AstraA	21	
2.85	AtlRich	82 1/4	+1 1/16
	AtlasAir	35 5/8	+1/16
1.86	ATT0S6	39 5/8	+3/8
	AtwdOcn s	47 1/8	–1 1/8
.05	AuthFlt	14 5/8	–1 1/16
.53	AutoDt	67 1/8	+2 1/16
	AutoZone	32 1/16	–1 7/16
1.68	AvalonBay	36 1/16	
.84	AveryD	53 1/16	+1/16
	Avnet	24 1/4	–1/16
1.36	Avon	83 11/16	+2 1/16
	Avtar	8 1/2	–1/16
1.24	BB&T Cp	67 3/4	+1 1/16
1.36	BCE g	46 1/4	+1/2
1.88	BEC Engy	4 1/16	–1/16
	BJ Svs	29 1/2	–1 1/16
	BJs Wh	nu41 7/16	+1 7/16
.08	BMC	d12 5/16	–1/16
1.44	BRE	26	–3/16
.46	BakrHu	36 1/2	–1/16
.60	Ball	40 1/4	+1/16
	Ballnty	11 7/16	+1/16
.10	BallardM	21 5/16	+1/16
	BallyTotF	u35 1/8	+2 1/16
1.68f	BallGE	31 1/16	+1/16
1.52b	BancOne	58 11/16	+1/16
.80e	BncoFrn	23 3/4	
.12p	BcoRioP	n11 11/16	–1/16
.05e	BcoWeese	4 1/8	–1/16
	Banctec	22 7/8	+1/16
.07e	BkTokyo	d9 1/4	–1/16
1.04	BkNY	61 11/16	–1/16
1.38	BankAm	85 7/16	
2.32	BkBost	110	+2 7/8
4.00	BankTr	119 3/4	–1/16
.72	Bard	34	–1/16
	BarrNtwk	3 5/16	+1/16
	BarrLab	40 3/4	–1/16
.18	BarrickG	19 7/16	+5/16
.05	BatlMt	5 1/16	+1/16
1.04	Bausch L	50 1/4	–1/16
1.16	Baxter	55	–1/16
	BayNtwk	32 1/4	+1 1/16
.60	BearSt	58 7/16	+1 1/16
.60	BeckCoulr	58 1/4	–1/2
.58	BectDk	73 15/16	+9/16
	Beico	8 15/16	–1/16
.20	Beiden	39 1/16	–1/16
	BellAtlan	77 1/8	+1/16
3.08	BellSo	66 15/16	–1/16
.24	BelloAm s	25 1/2	+1/16
.88	Bemis	42 1/16	–1/16
2.28	BenefCpu	14 1/16	+1/16
	BentonOGd	8 11/16	
	BergE s	20 7/8	+1/16
	BerkHa Au	78000	
+1400			
.40	BerryP	14 3/16	+1/16
	BestBuy s	36 1/16	+1/16
.90	Bestfds s	56 5/16	+3/16
	BethSt	12 1/4	+1/16
1.52	BetzDearb	d48 1/4	–1/16
	Beverly n	14 1/16	–3/16
	BigFlower	3 1/16	
.38f	Bindley s	29 1/16	+5/16
.40	BirSt	13 5/16	–1/16
.48	BlackD	57 1/16	+1 1/16
1.00	BlkHlCp s	21 1/16	–11/16
.84	Blk1998	9 13/16	
.40	Blk2001	8 11/16	+1/16
.56	BlkIT	8 7/16	
.55d	BlkIQT	8 1/16	
.47	BlkSt	8 1/16	+1/16
.54	BlkTT	9 1/16	+1/16
.60	BlackHR	4 3/8	
.23p	BlueSq	16 1/4	+1/16
	Bluegreen	8 5/8	
	Blyth	35	+1/16
.56	Boeing	45 1/16	
.60	BoiseC	34 1/2	
	BoisCOff	17 1/4	+1/16
	Bombay	4 1/8	
.10	BordCh	8 1/8	
	Borders	17 7/8	
.60	BorgWA	49 1/8	
1.25e	BostPpl n	12 1/16	
	BostSc	45 1/16	+1/16
.31e	Bouygs	34 1/16	
.80	Bowat	7 1/16	
1.88f	Boyk n	3 3/16	
.34e	Brahma	12 1/16	+1/16
1.48f	Brandyw	22 5/16	
1.12	BrigStar	42 5/16	
	Brinker	20 7/8	+1/16
1.56	BrMySq	111 5/8	+9/16
3.19e	BrnFor	112 7/8	+3/16
2.16e	BrnFrt	89 1/4	–7/16
2.16e	BrnSt	24 7/8	+1/16
.48e	BrnFr	d18 1/2	–1/16
	Brooke	9 1/8	+1/16
1.12	BrownFA	u56 3/4	
1.12	BrownFB	u60 1/8	+1/16
.48	BrwnGp	19 1/16	
.16	BrnnF	35 1/16	
.58	BrnFAC	35 7/16	
.90	Brunswck	30 5/8	
	BuckTchn	22 7/8	+1/16
	Buckhe	25 5/8	
	BudgetGp	28 1/16	
.15e	Buenavnt	13 1/16	+1/16
.02	BurlCoatF	9 1/16	+1/16
	BurlInds	9	+1/16
1.20	BurlNSF	49 1/4	+1/16
.57	BrlRs	41 1/16	
1.35	BurmAf	14 1/8	
.25	BusEx	32 1/16	+1/16
.81e	BuschAn	80 1/16	+1/16
.25	CBS	92	+1/16
	CCB Fncl	27 1/16	+1/16
.40	CDI	20 1/16	+1/16
	CFW A	10 1/16	+1/16
.92f	CIGNA s	100	+1/16
	CMAC Inv	s39 1/4	+1/16
	CMS Eng	44 1/16	
	CNA Fncl s	48 1/8	+1/16
.40	CNF Tran	43 1/4	+1/16
2.56	CNF Trpf	63	+1/16
1.20	CSX	47 1/16	+1/16
.46f	CVS Corp	75 11/16	+2 1/16
	CVS Trn	u74 1/16	+1/16
	CabletWr	u41 1/16	+9/16
.60e	CabWire	36 7/8	+11/16
	Cabltrn	13 1/16	+1/16
.44f	Cabot	33 1/16	
	Cadence s	33 1/16	+7/8
	Calenergy	30 15/16	+3/4
.32	Calgon	11 1/8	+1/16
.28	CalMat	57 1/16	–1/16
.40b	Calmat	25 1/8	+1/8
.20	Cambrex	55 1/8	–1/16
.20	Camco	85 3/4	–2 7/16
2.02f	CamdnP	30 1/2	–1/16
	CmpRg	11 1/16	
.84	CampSp	56	–1
.92	CdnRy g	56 1/16	–9/16
.58f	CdnPc g	29	+3/16
.32	CapOne	102 1/16	–3/16
.32	CapRe	73 1/2	+3/16
	CapstrBrn	19 1/16	+7/16
	CapstrHtl	28 1/16	–3/16
2.00f	Capstd	18 1/16	–1/16
1.98f	CapstCT	22 7/16	–1/16
.12	CardnHl	86 1/4	–1 1/16
	Cardnr	19 1/16	+3/16
.60	CarnvCp	69 7/16	+3/16
1.94	CaroPw	42 3/4	–1/16
1.85f	CarrAmR	28	–1/16
	Carson	7 1/16	
.20	CaseCp	54 5/16	+9/16
.05	CashAm	17 7/16	+9/16
	CataLt	3 7/8	+1/16
	Catalus	18 1/16	+1/16
1.00	Caterp s	55 5/16	–3/16
	Cavangh	nd12 3/16	–1/16
	Cendant	20 9/16	–1/16
3.50	Cendnt pf	38 5/16	
1.75	CentrpPr	32 1/16	+3/16
.16f	Centex s	36 1/16	+1/16
1.74	CenSoWst	27	–1/16
2.14	CenHud	u45 1/8	
.90	CeMPw	19 1/16	–1/16
.64	CtrNets	63 15/16	+3/16
.26	CntyTel s	u49 1/16	+2
	Cendian	53 7/16	+1/16
	ChmpE	27 7/16	+3/16
.20	Chmpin	50	+3/16
.30	Chart s	24 3/16	–1/16
2.88f	ChaseM	143 7/16	+2 1/16
.01	Checkpnt	16 5/16	–1/16
2.76	ChelGCA	40 1/16	+1/16
.80	Chapa	37	+7/16
.08	CheseEng	4 1/16	–1/16
2.44	Chevron	81	–1 1/2
.24	ChicB&I	17 7/16	+1/16
	ChiTitle wi	49 1/16	
	ChileTel	21 7/16	+1/16
	ChinaTr n	34 7/16	
.16e	Chiquita	14 1/16	+1/16
	ChkFull	6 1/16	+1/16
1.60	Chrysler	u57 1/4	+1/2
1.24f	Chubb	78 5/16	+1/16
	CIBER s	32 1/16	+1/16
.40	CinnBell	31 1/2	+9/16
.48	CinMil	28 5/16	+1/16
1.80	CINergy	33 7/16	+1/16
.14	CircCtyCC	45 1/2	+1/16
	CirCCar	9 5/16	
	Circus	16 5/16	+1/16
2.30	Citicorp	157 1/4	+1/16
.75f	CitiUtil	10 7/16	+1/16
.56	CityNC	35 3/16	+1/16
.12	ClairesStr	19 7/16	+1/16
.08	Clayton	18 5/16	+1/16
	ClearC	u10 3/16	+2 1/16
	CliffsDr	38 1/2	
.28	Clorox s	84 3/16	+1 3/16
	CoachUS	43 3/16	+1/16
.20	Coachmen	27 3/16	+1/16
.40	Coastal	71	+1/16
2.09	CstlPT	d24 9/16	
	CstlPhys	d19 3/16	
.80	CocaCl	u81 1/8	–1
1.68f	CocaCE	39 1/4	
.09e	CCFemsa s	15 1/16	
	Coeur	9 1/4	+1/2
.12	Cognizar	31 1/4	+1/16
1.10	ColgPal	89 1/8	+3/8
.68	ColBgp	12 1/16	
.55	Colemn	6 1/8	
.68a	ColeHl	6 5/16	
	ColeNat	30 1/4	
	ColonPr	22	
	Colter	22	
1.20f	ColumEgy	85 1/16	
2.14	ComCA	31 7/16	+1/16
.48	ColSP2	25 5/16	+1/16
.20	comdisc s	34 3/16	+1 1/16
.76	comerics s	66 5/16	
	ComScop n	15 1/4	+1/16
	CmpBncs	28 1/16	+1/16
	CmpMngt s	28 3/16	+1/2
	CompMan	6 1/16	+1/16
	CompAs s	54 1/16	
	CompSci s	34 1/16	+1/16
.76	Cmp Fax	13 5/16	+1/16
	Compri	d22	
	Comsat	34 1/16	
	ComstkRs	9 5/16	
.83	ConAgra s	30 15/16	+1/16
1.54	Conectiv	21 5/16	+1/16
1.34f	ConnEn	29 1/2	–3/16
.20	Consecc	4 7/16	+1/16
2.12	ConEd	44 5/16	
	ConsSupn	3	+1/16
1.94	ConsNG	59 1/16	+1/16
.88	ConsPap s	29 1/4	+5/16
	ConStor	35 5/16	–1 1/16
	CGDina	3	–1/16
	Contifinci	27 5/8	+1 1/16
	CnAir B	57 1/16	+1 1/16
	Converse	d4 3/16	+1/16
	CoopCa s	58 3/16	–2 1/16
	CoopCo	40 7/16	+9/16
1.32	Cooper	63 5/16	+1/16
.38	CooprTr	24 7/16	
.51e	Copel n	9 3/16	–3/16
	CoramH	d1 5/16	
.40	Cordant s	50 11/16	+1/16
	CornPdt n	33 1/16	+1/16
.27e	Courtld	7 1/16	–1/16
	ecCreatC	1 1/16	–1/16
.32	Cross	13 5/16	
	Crystlfx gn	4 3/16	+3/16
	Cycomm	27 5/16	
1.20a	CorPrpt	18 3/16	–1/16
.72	CorningIn	38 7/16	+9/16
	CorrectCp	23 5/16	+1/16
.32	CntwCrd	48 7/16	–3/16
	Covance	21 7/16	+1/16
	CoxCm	44 7/16	–11/16
.50	Crane Co	50 7/8	–3/16
1.52	CresRE	33	+1/16
1.32f	Crestar	56 5/8	+9/16
1.48	CrismMa	15	
.06	CrmpKni	26 1/16	–7/16
.16	CroeTbr s	18 3/4	+9/16
1.33e	CroeTim	15 3/16	–5/16
.80	CrwnAm	9 7/8	–1/16
1.00	CwnCork	50 5/8	+1/2
2.22f	CwnPac	25 7/16	–1/16
1.20f	CuthFr	53	–3/16
	CulignWtr	58 5/8	+2 1/16
.14	Culp Inc	d13 3/16	–3/16
1.10	CumEng	56 1/16	+2
	CypSem	8 1/16	–1/16
.80	Cyprus	14 5/16	+1/16
	Cytec	48 7/16	+1 1/16
.94	DPL s	18 1/16	–1/16
1.44	DQE	34 1/2	+1/16
.09	DR Horton	18 9/16	–1/16
	DSP Com	18 9/16	+3/16
	DST Sys	54 1/16	+2 1/16
2.08	DTE	40 5/16	+1/16
.90e	DBenz	102 3/4	+1/16
	Dai-Tee	13 7/16	–3/16
.16	DaiSem	32 5/16	+3/16
1.16f	DanaCp	52 1/4	–1/16
.05	Danaher s	36 5/16	
.08	Darden	15 7/8	–1/16
	DataGn	15 7/8	+3/16
	Datapt	11 5/8	+1/16
.36	DaytHud s	u51 1/8	+1/16
	DeVry	38 1/16	+3/16
.80	DeanFd	49 7/16	+3/16
.60	DWGI	8 9/16	
.96	DebtStr	10 1/16	+1/16
.88	Deere	50 7/8	
.64	DekBkGn s	9 3/16	
.12	DelPine s	45 5/16	+1/16
.20	DeltaAir	120 1/16	+2 1/16
1.48	Deluxe	34 1/16	+3/16
	Dept56	35 5/16	+1/16
.67e	DeutTel	27 5/16	
1.04f	Dexter	41 1/16	+1/16
.83p	Diageo n	49 5/16	+1/16
.32	Dial	23 1/16	
.50	DiaOffs s	45 5/16	+1/16
.56	Diebold	32 5/16	
	Digital	56 1/16	+1/16
2.22	Digital pf	26 1/16	+1/16
.16	Dillards	43 1/16	–1/16
.20f	DimeBcp	30 7/16	+3/16
.68	Dimon	31 3/4	
.63f	Disney	115 7/8	
+1 3/4g			
.40	Dole	45 3/16	+1/16
.16f	DollarG s	40 3/4	+1/16
	DrGnST	nu39 11/16	
	DollarTh n	14 1/16	+1/16
	Domain	12 1/4	
	Dominick	42 7/16	+1/16
.20	DomRes	40 1/16	+1/16
.20	Donldson	s20 3/16	
.25	DonLu s	46 1/16	+3/16
.71p	DonLu pfB	u51 1/16	+1/16
	DKaran	14 7/16	+1/16
.80	Donley	45 3/16	+1/16
.38	Dover s	37	+1/16
3.48	DowCh	100 7/16	+3/16
.96	Downs	49	+1/16
.76	Dress	45 1/16	
	DryShStn	15 3/16	+1/16
.61	DryStr	10 1/16	
1.40f	DuPont	70 1/16	+1/16
.78	DuPtUtl	10 7/16	
.12	DuPtPrCr	57 1/16	+1/16
1.20	DukeEngy	36 1/16	
2.20	DukeRlty	s 24 1/16	+1/16
.88	DunBrd	34 7/16	+1/16
1.20m	DynexC	12 1/16	+1/16
	EA Inds	1 1/16	+1/16
	EEX Cp	9 1/16	+1/16
.56	EGG	30 1/16	+1/16
	EMC s	45 5/16	+1/16
	EVI Weath	46 1/16	+1/16
.20	Earthgr s	29 9/16	+1 5/16
1.76	EastChm	66 1/16	–5/16
1.76	EKodax	70 5/16	+3/16
1.76	Eaton	90 3/16	+1/16
.90	Echlin	48 1/2	
.38	EcolLab s	31 1/16	+1/16
1.04	Edisonint	30 1/2	+1/16
.56f	Edwards s	42	+1/16
	ElPasNG s	37 1/16	
	Elan	60 1/2	
.24	Elcor s	26 1/4	–1/16
.60	EDS	35 7/16	
1.23e	ElfAqui	12 1/16	
1.91	ElfOv pfB	25 7/16	+5/16
	EtsagB	26 1/16	+1/16
.24e	EAndnA	24 1/16	+1/16
.26e	EAndnR	25 1/16	+1/16
	EmrAex	11	+1/16
1.18	EmrsnE	61 1/16	+1/16
1.28	EmpDist	20 7/16	–3/16
.17e	Empica	1 1/16	
	ELaMind	1 1/16	+1/16
	EmerR	9 1/16	
	EmpCar	11	+1/16
	EmpCwt	u1 1/16	+5/16
	EngyRsn	19 5/16	
	Envrtc	10	
	Envrotst	16 5/16	+1/16
.72f	EnzoBi	14 1/16	+1/16
.70	Fabrinds	d25 7/16	+3/16
	FarmHth	31 1/16	+1/16
3.20	Fina	65 1/16	+1 1/16
	FinFedl s	24 1/2	+3/16
2.88	EqtyRsd	49 1/16	+3/16
	EscoElec	u20	+1/16
.63e	EsprSan	25 9/16	+1/16
	Essexint	d22 9/16	+11/16
	ELaudTr n	u83 3/4	+1/16
.34	EsteeLdr	64 3/4	+17/16
.16f	EthanAl s	50 3/16	+3/16
.25	Ethyl	7 3/16	+1/16
2.53e	EuroFd	u22 7/16	+3/16
	EurWtFd s	23 3/16	+3/16
.20	EverestRe	39 11/16	–11/16
	ExcelCm	24 7/16	+3/16
1.80	Exel	75 1/16	+3/16
.08	ExideCp	18 7/16	+3/16
	ExtStayA	11 1/16	+3/16
1.84	Exxon	71 3/16	–3/16
	FDX Corp	63 1/16	–7/16
	FMC	75 1/4	–1/16
2.00	FPL Gp	62 1/4	–1/16
.04	Fairisc	38	+1/16
	FairCp	19 9/16	+3/16
	FairCmt s	19	–1/32
.18	FamDlr s	18 7/16	–1/16
.96	FanniMae	82 5/16	+1 1/16
.08	Fedders	8 1/16	+1/16
.08	FeddersA	8 1/16	+1/16
1.04	FedMog	60 7/8	
	FedSignl	23 1/16	
	FedrDS	52 7/16	+3/16
	FedInvst n	17 1/2	–1/16
2.20	FelCor	33 5/16	–1/16
.48	Ferro s	28 1/2	
.28b	FidelFin	36 5/16	+9/16
.16	Fingerht	32 7/16	+1/16
.56	Finevra s	55 11/16	–3/16
.80f	FstAFnci s	21 5/16	–2 1/16
.40	FstBrnd	25 7/16	–1/16
1.76	FChiNBD	90	+1
.08	FstData	33 1/16	+3/16
2.12	FstInRT	31 7/16	+1/16
	FtPhil	8 1/16	+1/16
1.48	FstUCp s	36 1/16	+2 1/16
.44	FlunRi	9 1/16	
1.20f	FlvaBk s	33 1/16	+1/16
.92f	Firstar	35 1/16	+1/16
.30	FstBkPR s	28 1/16	
1.50	FirstEngy	30 15/16	+1/16
	FirstPl

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Div	Name	Last	Chg
	A		
	ACT Net	12½	+½
	ADC Tel	29	-⅜
	ADECp	14⅜	+⅛
	ADFlex	d10⅝	-⅜
44	ASA Hold	u48⅛	+2
	ASM Lith s	35⅞	+⅝
	ATMI Inc	16⅞	
+1⅝			
	Abacan	3⅛	-1/32
	AbleTel	16⅜	-1½
	Abraxas	10⅛	+⅜
	AccentS	29/32	+1/16
	AccesHlt	25⅛	+⅛
	Acclaim	47⅛	
	ActPerf	29⅛	+1⅜
	Adaptec	15⅛	-⅛
20b	AdobeSy	40½	-⅜
	AdrianR	7⅜	+1/16
	Advan	22½	+⅛
	AdvFCm	41 11/16	-⅞
	AdvHthC	13	
	AdvRadio	12⅝	+⅛
	AdvTiss	7⅜	-1/32
	AerialC	7⅛	+19/32
	Agourn s	35	+½
	AgriBio	22⅜	-1⅛
	AirTran	7 29/32	+7/32
2.08e	Akzo	u112⅛	+1⅝
72	AlantCm	24⅝	-⅛
	AlaAFG s	9⅜	-9/32
	AlaAsam	2⅜	+⅜
	AlanPh	4⅜	-⅛
	AlnSem	4⅛	-⅛
1 40f	AlpCap	25⅜	-½
	AlpWste	25½	+⅛
	AlpMic	3⅛	-1/32
	Alteon	4⅝	+13/32
	Altera	35⅛	-⅝
	Amazon s	46⅛	+2
22	AMCOL s	12⅝	+⅛
	AmTrde	27⅛	
	AmDisp	u40⅝	+⅛
	AEagleO s	35	+⅝
	AmIntPt	21/32	-1/32
	AMS	25⅛	-1⅛
	AOncol	12⅜	-⅜
	APwrCnv	27⅝	
	AmSafRz	12⅜	-⅜
	ASoft	7⅜	+⅛
	Amerin	29⅝	-⅜
	AmesDS	u27⅜	+13/16
	Amgen	63 7/16	+⅝
	AmkorT n	9⅛	+⅞
	Amresco n	13⅜	+⅜
	Amresco	33½	-⅜
	AmtchCp	5	+5/16
	Amylin	4⅜	+⅜
	AnlySur	26⅛	+⅛
	AnconCm	5⅛	-1/16
	Andrew	21⅝	+1/16
	Anesta	15¼	-⅛
	Angeion	2⅝	-⅛
34e	Anglogold	4⅜	+⅛
	AnsThnk	n15⅜	-⅛
	Antec	u20½	+⅛
	ApolloG s	30⅜	+⅛
	ApprfTch	19/64	-1/64
	AppleC	27⅛	+⅜
05f	AppISou	13⅜	-⅜
08f	Applebee	22⅜	-9/16
	ApiCell n	3⅞	+3/16
	AppGrph	46⅝	+⅜
	Aplidillat s	30⅛	+½
	AMCC n	21	+½
	ApdSbi s	8⅜	-⅛
	ApdVoice s	21¼	+½
	Arakis	12½	-1/16
	ArborSft	33⅜	+1/16
	ArchCm	5 9/16	-9/16
	ArisCp	7½	-1/16
	ArkBest	9⅝	+3/16
	ArtVasc s	31½	+1
	Artesyn	13⅝	-⅛
	Ascend	47	-⅜
	Aseco	d4⅛	-⅛
	Ashwrth	14⅝	+⅛
	AspctDev	59⅜	+2⅝
	AspectTel	26 9/16	+11/16
	AspenTc	47½	-⅛
80	AstoneF	54⅞	+⅜
	AsystTch s	16	-⅜
	AtHome n	36½	
+1⅝			
	AtData n	u16⅝	+1 3/16
	Atmel	13½	+⅛
	AuraSy	2 9/16	-3/32
	Auspex	d4⅜	-3/16
24	Autodesk	42⅝	+¾
	Avanti	25½	-⅜
	Aviron	27⅝	-1⅜
	Aware	12⅜	+1/16
	AxentT	26½	+1⅛
	AxySPhm	7⅝	-⅜
	BAB Hld	1⅝	+⅛
	BE Aero	28½	-¼
	BEA Sys	21⅜	-1 3/16
	BISYS	37⅝	-⅜
	BMC Sft s	u50⅛	-⅜
	Baan s	44⅝	-⅜
06	BakerJ	13	
	Ballardp s	36⅞	+1
	BalticInt	⅜	
	BanynSy	7⅝	+7/16
40	BayVw	31⅜	-⅞
	BedBath	51⅝	-½
	BeltSpt	9	-⅜
48f	Berkley s	47⅜	
	BestSft n	18	+11/16
	BillConc s	18	-2⅜
	BioPharm	24⅝	-⅜
	Biocrtl	9⅝	+1/16
	Biogen	44 5/16	+15/16
11e	Biomet	29⅛	-5/16
	BioTcG	8⅝	+3/32
	BlackBx	38¾	+1⅛
32	BobEvn	21 9/16	+3/16
	BorLePrn	30⅜	+7/16
	BostChk	13 1/32	+1/16
	BrassieG	3⅛	
	Brightpt s	157⅛	+13/16
	BroadVis	16¾	+1¼
	Brdcom n	58¾	+½
	BrodSft	17⅝	+⅛
	Brooktrt	17 1/16	-7/16
	BrownTom16	3/16	-
3/16			
	BrushCrk	12 7/32	-7/16
	Buffets	16 15/16	+1/16
	BusnObj	15¾	
+1 13/16			
	C-CUBE	20 5/16	+13/16
	C-Phone	5	-1/16
	CBT Gp s	53¼	+3⅛
	CCC Info	20¾	+⅜
	CDRadio	37⅝	+¼
	CDnow n	17⅝	-1 1/16
	CHS El s	20 5/16	-7/16
	CMG Inf s	40	+1
	CNS	4 1/32	+1/32
	CSGSys	40¼	+1 3/16
	CUNO	20⅝	
	Caliber n	15⅞	-1/16
	CambTch	46⅞	+1¾
	Candies	8¼	-7/32
	CapAuto n	14⅞	
06	Caseys s	14¼	-⅛
	Casmyn n	1/64	
	Catalyt	15½	-⅛
18f	CatoCp	17 9/16	-1/16
	CatlNet	10⅛	+⅛
	CatlinsB	9 29/64	+1/32
	Catlstar s	29⅝	+⅞
	CatlTch	⅜	-1/32
	CentCel	u34⅜	+⅝
	CentHlth n	18⅝	-⅛
	Centocor	39⅛	+1⅛
	CenGardn	29⅞	-⅜
	CentBusn	17 15/16	+1¼
	Cephin	10	
	Cerner	28½	+3/16
	ChancMd s	46 1/64	+2 7/64
	ChrmSh	5 15/32	-3/32
	Chastain n	d13 9/16	-3/16
	ChkPnt n	28⅝	+⅛
	Checkers	1 5/32	+1/32
	ChkFree	23⅝	+⅜
	ChmTrk	⅜	+1/16
	Chicos	u12⅝	+⅞
	Chiron	18	
	ChromCS	8 13/16	-
1 15/16			
	Cidco	7⅝	+1/16
	CienaCp	61¾	-5/16
61	CinnFin s	40 1/16	+⅛
18f	Cintas s	49	-7/16
	Ciprico	10⅝	
	Cirrus	9½	
	Cisco s	77 1/32	+1/16
	CitrixSy s	58⅜	+2
	CityView	12 7/32	+5/32
	ClareTch	20 9/16	+9/16
	Clarify	12½	+3/16
	ClayEng	11¾	+½
	Clearnet	11⅛	+⅜
	CstFedL rt	14⅜	
	Cognex	17⅞	+⅜
	Cognos g	25	
	Coherntsy	19¼	-2⅝
	CohoEn	7 15/16	-1/16
	ColoCas	2	-1/32
	ColoMED	8 13/16	+7/16
	ColSprt n	22 15/16	+1 1/16
	Comair s	27⅛	+⅛
	Comc sp	34 15/16	+⅜
	Comdial	12⅞	+1⅝
	CmcBMO s	48½	+⅜
	Cmwind	d10⅝	-3⅛
	Comintell	1 7/32	+1/32
	CmpBusi s	26⅞	+1
	CmptHz	33⅝	
	CptrLrn s	22 11/16	
+4 15/16			
	CptNwk	5 7/16	-3/16
	Compwr s	43 1/16	-15/16
	Comvers	u55 1/16	+2 3/16
	ConcMngd	27½	+1¼
	ConcNet n	24⅞	+1¾
	CodCam	6⅝	-1/16
	CncEFS	32	+⅜
	ConcCm	31 9/32	-1/32
	ConsCap n	23 5/16	+7/16
	Copytele	2⅝	-1/16
	CorTher	16	-5/16
	CoreCommu	22 15/16	+1/16
	CorpExp	12⅝	+1/16
	Corvas	41⅛	-1/16
	Costco	u60 5/16	+1 7/16
	CostEner	10½	-1/16
	Coventry	15 3/16	+½
.02	CrkrBrl	32	+1/16
08	Crftmde s	17	+1
	CrBioMol	d5¼	-⅜
	CreTcLtd	16 13/16	-⅜
	CredSys	21 15/16	+1 5/16
	CrySys	15 11/16	
+1 13/16			
	CurHlth	30 1/16	+1 1/16
	Cusac g	5 3/32	-1/32
	CybrCsh	14 9/16	-3/16
	Cyberonic	12	-1
	CyberShp n	9 9/16	-3/16
	CyprBio	2⅞	-1/16
	CytoPh	13 7/16	+11/16
	CyPhrwtD	5 5/16	+3/16
	Cytogn	3 3/32	-1/16
	D		
	Dll Grp s	15½	+½
	DSC	29 1/16	-7/16
	DSET Cp	n16 1/16	+5/16
08	DT Inds	29	+½
	DUSA	7½	-¼
26e	Danka	18 15/16	+7/16
	DtaDimn	13⅜	+1/16
	DataSyst	4¾	-⅛
	Datatec	4¾	-1/16
	Datum	16⅞	+⅜
	Dawson	17⅛	-⅜
	DawsnP	10 3/16	-5/16
1.02e	DBeer	20½	-3/16
	DeepTech14	3 3/16	+1/16
	Delias	20	-1 5/16
	DellCptr s	83 11/16	-7/16
21	Dentsply s	24½	-½
	DiamHSrv	5¼	+¼
	DiamM	7½	+⅜
	DigiIntl	24⅛	+1
	DigMic s	9 15/64	-9/64
	Dionex s	24⅛	-1
	Diplomat	3	+3/16
	Discreet	14 15/16	-1 1/16
	Dnrsnt g	21⅛	-3/16
05e	DixieGrp	12⅝	-1/16
	DrSolom	32⅛	-7/16
	DlkTree s	u59⅜	+4 1/16
	DomBridge	1 9/32	-1/16
	DresB	29⅛	-1/16
	DuraPh	27 7/16	+1½
10e	DurbanRo	2⅝	+1/64
	Dynagn	9⅜	-1/16
	DynOil	1¾	
	ETrade	23 3/16	+1 1/16
	e.spire	16	
20	ECI Tel	35 1/16	+1 1/16
	ESCMed	31 7/16	+9/16
	ESSTech	n 4⅝	+3/16
	EgilHrd	18½	+½
	ErthSnl	n 13⅜	+5/16
	EstnEn	27⅛	-1 5/16
	EchoStar	27⅛	+2 1/16
	EdifyCp	9½	
	Egghead	7½	
	800JR n	21⅛	+1
	8X8 Inc	5 15/16	-1/16
	Elctrgls	13⅜	-3/16
	ElcArt	45 1/4	+1 1/16
	ElecCom	11 3/32	-3/64
	EFII	20	-7/16
	Elctarc	1 13/16	+3/16
24a	ElronEl	17½	+½
	EmmisBd	44¾	+1 1/4
	EmplySl	4⅛	
	EnPointe	7⅞	-1/16
	Enamelin	8 31/32	-25/32
	Encad	d9	+¼
	EngelGln n	d4¾	-7/16
	EntreMd	24	-1½
	Envoy	u48½	+3⅜
22e	EricTel s	u30⅝	
+1 1/16			
	EroxCp	⅜	+1/16
	EtecSys	35¾	-1¼
	EthicHld	⅜	
	Exabyte	8⅝	-⅜
	ExclTch	9⅞	
	Excite n	81¾	+3 1/2
	Executone	2 3/32	+1/16
	ExdsCm n	40⅛	+3 1/16
	FPA Md	2⅞	+3/16
	FTP Sft	2 9/32	+1/16
	FamGolf s	26½	+½
	FastCm	19 3/32	-3/32
	Fasnl	d3⅛	-1/16
68f	FfthThrd s	49⅝	-⅛
	FileNet	54⅞	-⅝
	FilBamt	52 7/32	-7/32
	FinetHost	3 7/16	+9/32
	FinLine	u28½	+7/16
	Firearm	3¼	-1/16
1 00f	FstATn	48½	-1/16
	FstAWay	¼	-1/16
1.24	FtHqw	37⅝	+1/16
52	FSecCp s	23 9/16	-3/16
66	FstTenn s	31¼	-⅛
	Fiserv s	40	+¾
	Flextrn	40 23/32	
+1 23/32			
	FonaxCp	3⅜	-1/16
15f	FdLioB	9 7/16	+1/16
15f	FdLioA	9⅜	+1/16
	ForeSys	22 11/16	+15/16
	FortleSft	d4 7/32	-9/32
01	FortGrp	5⅞	-1/16
	FredBrw	1 15/64	-3/64
	FrenchF	15⅛	-⅜
	FGoldmn s	31¼	-2 1/16
	Fritz	12 13/16	-⅛
.12	FrozenFd10	1/16	
80f	FulrHB	59⅞	+⅜
	Funco	15⅛	-1/16
	G-H-I		
	GT Interac	6 5/16	-3/16
	GalileoT n	d11⅝	-3/16
	GamLott	1 11/16	
	Gardnbrg	12 13/16	+1/16
	Gartner	31⅞	-⅜
	Gamstr	43⅝	+1/16
	GeneLTc	3⅛	-1/16
	GMagic	11⅞	+1/16
	GenNutr	32⅛	+1/2
	GenScan	14⅜	-5/16
	Gensia	3⅞	-1/16
	Gentex	37¾	-⅜
33f	Genzym	26 11/16	-7/16
	GeoTelCm	27½	+1 1/16
	GeoTk	11/32	-1/32
	Geoworks	4¼	-5/32
	GeronCp	10⅛	
	Gilead	33⅞	+5/32
	Glenayre	15⅜	-⅜
	Glatech	16 5/16	-1 5/16
	Globlind s	21⅜	-1 3/16
	GblTlcn	38¼	+1/16
	Globalstar	61	+1 1/2
08	GoldBnc s	20⅜	+1/16
	GldStBc wtd	4 15/16	-5/32
	GoodGy	14½	-5/16
	GdyFam	u50⅝	+1/16
	GuilfrdPh	17⅜	+1/16
	GuitarC	25 5/16	-1/16
	Gymbree	15	-1/16
08	HBO s	59⅜	+1 1/16
	HMTTch	9 5/32	-7/64
	HNC Sft	34⅞	-⅜
	Hadco	30 23/32	-17/32
	Harbngr s	23 7/16	+1 7/16
	HarvRest	19/64	-1/64
	HaupgD	12⅛	+⅛
	Headway	11⅞	+5/16
	HltnCFP	u57 7/16	+1 1/16
	HlthcrRc	17⅝	+1/16
	HrstArT n	36½	+1¼
	Hearstpt	d7 5/16	-3/16
	Heftel s	34⅞	-⅞
	HlywdE	11⅞	+¼
	HutchT	26⅝	+¾
	HydeM	14⅜	-⅛
	HyalPhr	9⅜	-3/32
	HyprSf	30 11/16	
	I-J-K-L		
	HypTele n	15½	+⅛
	I-STAT	7 5/16	-1/16
	i2 Tech s	33½	+1⅜
	IAT Mlt	12⅜	+1 1/16
	IBAH	5 7/16	+1/32
	ICC Tch	3⅞	
	ICG Com	32 3/16	+9/16
	ICOS	19 15/16	+1 1/16
	IDEC	28⅜	+1⅛
	IdexxLb	20 9/16	-13/32
	IDTCorp	27	-⅜
	IGEN	35⅞	+⅜
	ISS Grp n	39⅛	+2⅜
	IXC Cmn	44	+2 1/16
	IconPLC n	u27	+1⅜
	Imatrn	2⅞	+1/16
	Imax Cp	24 1/16	+⅜
	Ignclne	10⅜	-⅜
	ImunRsp	11⅝	+1⅛
	Imunex	59	-1/16
	Imunmd	42 7/32	-5/32
	Imnet	11½	+½
	Impath	25⅜	-1⅞
37e	ImpCrdt n	14⅛	+1/16
	ImpCrd	20 9/16	+13/16
	InFocus s	d7½	-5/16
	Incomnt	3/16	-1/32
	Incyte s	32⅛	-⅝
	IndpCm n	16 15/16	+1/16
	IndgoAvi n	11⅜	+3/16
	IndigoNV	5⅛	-3/16
	Infernce	4⅜	
	Infinium	12⅜	+1 1/16
	InfMgeR s	25⅝	+1/16
	Informix	7¼	+5/16
	Infoseek	23¼	+½
	InhalTh	31 3/16	+13/16
	Innotrac n	d10½	-⅜
	InnovT	4⅝	
.14	Innovex	17⅜	-⅜
	Inprise	8⅝	-1/16
	InSiteVis	3 17/32	+3/32
	InsitTc	12⅛	-1/32
	Inspire n	34½	+¼
	Intasys	3 29/32	-1 1/32
	IntegCirc	15 15/16	+1/16
	IntgDv	d7 3/16	-1/16
	ItgPrc	13⅜	+5/16
.12	Intel s	69 5/16	-1/32
	Intelect	7	-1/16
	InteliDta	1⅛	
	IntlMed	3⅛	-1/16
04	IntrTel s	17	+3/16
	InteracEnt	3⅜	+1/16
	IntrFlt n	13⅜	-1/16
30	IntrHeln	38 15/16	+1/16
	Intgph	10⅛	+9/16
	IntrCm	77	+2 9/16
	IntrFibcm	6 25/32	-1/32
	Intersiv	17	+1 3/16
	Intvoice	u16 3/16	+1 3/16
	Intuit	45⅞	-1/16
05	Invacare	26⅞	-⅛
	IrdmWr	57⅛	+2 3/16
	Isis	13⅛	-7/16
	ItexCp	2⅝	-1/32
	J-K-L		
	JD Edwr n	34¾	-3/16
	JDASoft	45½	+3⅝
	JacorCm	56 3/16	+3¼
	JeffSmrf	18½	+1 1/16
12f	JonesPhrm	35⅜	+2 1/16
	JstFeet	24	+1½
20	Justin	16½	+⅛
	K-tel s	11 15/64	-47/64
	KLATenc	28	+⅜
	Kelstrm n	27⅞	-1 1/16
	Kemet	15	
	KenseyN	16⅝	-1½
	KeraVis	9⅝	-⅜
	Kittyhk	16⅜	-⅜
	Komag	66⅝	-1
	KopKR	21½	+9/32
	Kulicke	16⅞	-⅜
	LHS Grp s	59¼	+2⅜
	LaTeko	11/16	-1/16
	LabrRdy su	37 7/16	+⅜
	LamRsch	21 1/16	-1 1/16
	LamarA s	33⅛	+⅛
	Landrys	21⅞	+1⅛
	Landstr	34½	-1/32
	Larscom	6½	-⅜
	LsrSght	4 15/32	-1/32
	LsrVis	14½	-⅜
	Lason	44	+1/32
	Lattice	36⅛	-⅝
	Layne	13⅝	-⅜
	Legato s	29⅝	+2⅞
	LrnHaus s	51 15/16	-⅜
	Level3 n	56⅞	+3¼
	LevelOne s	23	-1 1/4
	LifeMed	1 3/32	
	Lincare s	37⅞	
24	LinearT	71½	-1 1/16
	Liposm	5 25/32	-3/32
	Loehmann	5	-1/16
	LneSStk	14 15/16	-1/16
	Loronix	27⅜	+1/16
	Lycos	50¼	+⅛
	M-N-O		
05	MCI	51½	-1/16
	MMC Ntwk	25⅝	-1/16
	MRV Cm	23⅛	+⅛
	MTI Tch	10 17/32	+15/32
	MacroCh	8 9/16	-1/16
	Macrmdia	16⅛	-1/16
	MadgeNt	5⅛	+1/16
	Manugist	24⅞	-⅜
	MarDri	17⅞	-1/16
	Marinerh	14⅞	+1/16
	Mastech s	22¼	+⅛
	Mathsft	37⅜	-1⅛
	MatriaH n	4	-1/32
	MavTube sd	12 1/16	-1/16
	Maxim s	34⅛	-1/16
	MaySpeh	16 11/16	-1/16
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	Medaph	7⅜	-1/16
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	MedMgr	29⅛	+1
	Medicis	39¼	-1⅛
	MedQSt s	45⅝	+2
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	MentGr	11⅛	+1/16
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	MertMd	8¼	+1⅛
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	NatSurg s	27⅞	+1/16
	NatMicr	19¼	+1/2
	Nautica	28 11/16	+1 7/16
	Navarre	6¼	+1/16
	NeoMgic	17	+1
	NetSpk	15⅜	+1
	Netegrity	2½	+⅛
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	NetwkAp s	36½	+2
	NetwkAs s	42	-13/16
	NetwSol n	44½	+5 1/4
	Neurex	27	+1/16
	NwErNtr n	32¾	-1/16
	Nexstar	10 1/16	+5/16
	NextelCm	24¼	-1/2
	NiagraB n	14⅝	+1/16
	NoiseCT	27 3/32	+5/32
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	NwstAirl	40¼	+⅛
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	Omtool n	9⅞	+1/16
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	OptnCr	3¼	
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	PalEx	9½	
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	PanAmSat	54	-1
	Papajohn	44	+1/16
	ParadHid	3 5/32	+1/16
	ParPet	4⅞	-1/16
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	Perrigo	10 13/16	
	PetcoAn	20 3/16	
	PetsMart	10 1/16	+3/32
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	PlatTc	26⅛	-1 1/16
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	Quadrmd	26⅜	
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	Quantum	22 1/16	+⅜
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	QuickRsp	32⅜	+2 1/16
	Quicktr	36 1/32	-1 5/16
	Quidel	3¼	
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	SCM Mic n	52	-⅝
	SFX Ent n	43⅝	-1/32
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	SftyCmp	18	+⅜
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	SanDisk n	16⅝	+1 7/16
	Sangstat	25 7/16	+1 1/16
	Sanmina	79⅛	+2⅞
	Sapiens n	7 49/64	-15/64
	Sapient s	45⅛	+1/16
	Satcon	9 3/64	+1 1/64
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	SimsCm	21 3/32	+3/32
	Sinclair s	28	+2 1/32
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	SkyTel	22⅝	-⅜
	SmrtMod s	13 11/16	+5

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BUSINESS BRIEFING

OIL PRICES

FUTURES
Monday $14.55
Previous Close $15.07
Year Ago N/A

POSTED
Today $12.00
Previous Close $12.50
Year Ago N/A

NATURAL GAS PRICES
Monday $1.976

Real Estate course

An MCE Real Estate Update Course will be held Saturday and Sunday at 3303 N. Midkiff, Suite 268. The Saturday session will from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and the Sunday session from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The course is open to all area real estate agents and brokers and has been approved for 15 hours of MCE credit.

Cost is $119 and more information is available by calling Southwest College of Real Estate at 697-7277.

Dollar gains

NEW YORK — The dollar rose past 140 yen Monday for the first time in seven years, as investors again turned to U.S. assets and moved further from participating in the ever-weakening Japanese economy.

The dollar rose against the German mark and other major currencies, but dealers were more concerned with dollar-yen trading.

In late New York trading, the dollar was quoted at 140.71 yen, up from 139.75 yen late Friday.

The dollar also was changing hands at 1.7794 marks in New York, up from 1.7745 Friday.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Friday: 1.4788 Swiss francs, up from 1.4765; 5.9680 French francs, up from 5.9500; 1,753.50 Italian lire, up from 1,747.00; and 1.4575 Canadian dollars, down from 1.4577.

The British pound was quoted at $1.6337, down from $1.6353.

Stocks gain

NEW YORK — Stocks rose Monday, padding Friday's rally and positioning some measures for a run at new highs, but the buying turned hesitant with Federal Reserve chairman Alan Greenspan due to report to Congress on Wednesday.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 31.89 to 9,069.60, about 140 points from May 13's record close of 9,211.84.

The broad market also extended Friday's gains, although the beleaguered technology group fell back into a rut after a two-session rebound.

The Standard & Poor's 500 rose 1.86 to 1,115.72, about 15 point from April 22's record of 1,130.54. The technology-heavy Nasdaq composite index rose 4.85 to 1,787.77, but sits about 30 points from record terrain.

Advancing issues outnumbered decliners by a 9-to-7 ratio on the New York Stock Exchange, but decliners led by a slender margin in Nasdaq trading.

Among other leading indexes Monday, the NYSE composite rose 1.45 to 576.82, and the American Stock Exchange composite rose 0.57 to 713.69. The Russell 2000 index of smaller companies rose 2.10 to 456.34.

NYSE volume totaled 647.24 million shares.

Honda fine

WASHINGTON - Honda Motor Co. agreed Monday to pay $17.1 million and extend warranties to settle charges that it disabled pollution monitoring equipment in 1.7 million cars and vans.

The consent agreement announced by the Justice Department is the largest civil penalty ever for violation of the Clean Air Act. It could cost Honda as much as $267 million if future free auto repair work is included, officials said.

In a separate action, the Justice Department also announced that Ford Motor Co. had agreed to a $7.8 million settlement in a case involving tampering with emission controls on 60,000 Econoline vans in an effort to get better gas mileage. Ford agreed to recall the vans to fix the defect and pay a $2.5 million civil fine.

Skepticism over cuts sink oil futures

■ Analysts call additional cutbacks announced last week 'cosmetic'.

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — Crude oil fell more than 3 percent on speculation that oil production cuts announced last week aren't big enough to end a worldwide supply glut.

Saudi Arabia, Mexico and Venezuela said they would reduce output by 450,000 barrels a day, after cuts of 1.72 million barrels a day pledged by 17 producers in March and April led to a disappointingly small rally.

"They're not cutting enough production and that's letting prices slide," said Jason Chartrand, an oil trader at GSC Energy Corp. in Atlanta. The announced cuts are "fairly cosmetic at this point."

Crude oil for July delivery fell 52 cents, or 3.5 percent, to $14.55 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange, the lowest closing price since May 20. Prices have risen 14 percent since touching a 9 1/2-year low of $12.80 in March before the first round of production cuts.

July heating oil fell 0.23 cent, or 0.6 percent, to 39.10 cents a gallon on the Nyme; while July gasoline fell 1.31 cents, or 2.6 percent, to 48.25 cents a gallon.

In Washington, Venezuela's oil minister, Erwin Arrieta, said the cuts will eventually total 700,000 barrels to 800,000 barrels a day as other producers join in. That would be enough to eliminate the current oil oversupply, he said, with prices responding in 30 to 45 days.

"Seven hundred fifty thousand (barrels a day) would be a reasonable amount for them to cut," said John Lichtblau, chairman of PIRA Energy Group in New York. "They need to add another 300,000 to what they've already committed."

The Middle East Economic Survey, a widely followed weekly newsletter of the international oil industry, said cuts of 800,000 barrels to 1 million barrels a day are needed.

In addition to the cuts of 450,000 barrels a day announced last week, Qatar has pledged to cut production by 20,000 barrels a day, and others are expected to join in before the 11-member Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries meets in Vienna on June 24. The issues also will be discussed at a meeting of the Gulf Cooperation Council on June 16 in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

In Caracas, an official of Venezuela's energy ministry said Iran, the United Arab Emirates and Oman also will reduce output, by an unspecified amount.

In March, 10 of OPEC's 11 members pledged daily production cuts of 1.245 million barrels. They fell 20 percent short of meeting their goal in May, according to estimates by Bloomberg News.

Banking industry sees another merger

■ Wells Fargo, Norwest announce $32 billion merger.

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — Wells Fargo & Co. and Norwest Corp. are merging into what would be the nation's seventh-largest bank — the latest deal in a rush by banks, brokerages and insurers to expand their base of customers while lowering costs.

The combined institution, to retain the storied Wells Fargo name, would have about $191 billion in assets, more than 90,000 employees, about 20 million customers and 5,777 financial services outlets worldwide. It would have more branches and Internet customers than any other U.S. bank.

Wayne Merritt, president and chief executive officer of Norwest Bank Midland, said that he believes the merger of the two companies would offer local customers a terrific advantage.

He pointed out that Wells Fargo "is active in energy financing, which is one concern I had. I believe they'll complement the small to mid-market energy financing that we already do."

The deal, a stock swap valuing Wells Fargo at about $34 billion, was announced Monday before markets opened. But as Norwest shares fell 7.2 percent during the day, the value of the transaction shrank to $31.9 billion.

Warren Buffett, the legendary investor who is one of the world's richest men, stood to get more than $2.5 billion for his 8 percent stake in Wells Fargo.

The proposed deal is only the latest banking merger to be announced as companies scramble to more efficiently attract customers with a broad range of financial services.

Wells Fargo focuses on commercial as well as consumer business while Norwest is the nation's biggest mortgage underwriter.



AP Photo

Chairman and CEO of Wells Fargo Paul Hazen, left, and Chairman and CEO of Norwest Richard M. Kovacevich, look over the Wall Street Journal after announcing a merger between their two companies, in New York Monday.

"This is an awesome, awesome franchise," Richard M. Kovacevich, chairman and chief executive of Minneapolis-based Norwest, said in a conference call with reporters. He will become president and chief executive of the merged bank, which will be based in San Francisco, the home of Wells Fargo.

Executives said the number of jobs lost should be minimal because of attrition, increased opportunities and since the companies' territories overlap in only a few Southwestern states.

However, 2,130 positions in San Francisco and Minneapolis — 2.3 percent of the combined workforce —will be cut. The companies began a hiring freeze and said they would try to offer as many employees as possible comparable positions in the new bank.

The proposed deal would create the seventh largest bank overall and the third biggest merger in the industry.

"We think there are complementary strengths in the two companies. We believe that the ability for the company to grow and expand is much greater ... than going it alone," said Paul Hazen, chairman and chief executive of Wells Fargo, who will become the consolidated company's chairman.

Long John's closes two Midland stores

Staff Reports

Two of Midland's Long John Silver's restaurants, at 1809 N. Big Spring and 4509 N. Midkiff, have closed their doors as the company works to improve its efficiency.

Bruce Hintor, a spokesman for the Kentucky-based national restaurant chain said that the closing of the Midkiff location this weekend and the Big Spring location two months ago was part of a six-month "Market Rationalization" review of each of its restaurants and their marketplace.

He said those that were deemed underperforming, or those in locations where it was decided not to renew the lease, were closed. Approximately 76 restaurants of the company's more than 900 locations nationwide were closed in one days, with the location on Midkiff the only one in Texas to close.

Hintor said the company would watch the remaining location, on Andrews Highway, and if it performs well enough and the local market grows enough, new additional locations may be added in the future.

The closing of the Midkiff location came the same week as the corporation filed for Chapter 11 protection in U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Wilmington, Del., citing a heavy debt burden resulting from a highly leveraged $600 million buyout of stock options in 1989.

Hintor said the company's reorganization was progressing well and predicted that the privately-held company would emerge from Chapter 11 in six to nine months.

Intel subject of FTC antitrust complaint

■ Trade commission alleges Intel froze out, punished competitors needing help in developing new products.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Federal Trade Commission voted Monday to bring an antitrust complaint against Intel Corp., alleging the giant microprocessor chip manufacturer froze out and punished competitors that needed help in developing new products.

When three companies tried to enforce their own patents on computer parts and technology, Intel retaliated by withholding vital technical information and threatening to cut off the supply of chips, the agency charged in an 11-page complaint.

"If Intel can use its monopoly position in the market for microprocessors to prevent other firms from enforcing their own patents, other firms will have little incentive to invent new features to challenge Intel's dominance," said William J. Baer, director of the FTC's Bureau of Competition.

Asked what remedy he had in mind, Baer told reporters at a news conference that he wanted an order preventing Intel from continuing the allegedly anti-competitive practice.

Intel controls 90 percent of the world market for microprocessor chips, which are the brains of a computer system.

The FTC complaint contends that Intel has misused its monopoly power in the chip market.

The complaint is an internal FTC action which goes first to an FTC administrative law judge for trial. Attorneys familiar with the process say it could take a year or more for the case to be heard.

From there, the losing side could appeal to the five-member commission, and thereafter to a federal appeals court.

The commission voted 3-1 to bring the complaint, said Chuck Molloy, the company's spokesman.

Molloy said the company was preparing a statement in response to the FTC action.

Earlier this year, the Department of Justice filed an antitrust suit against Microsoft Corp., which is nearly as dominant in operating software as Intel is in chips. The Microsoft suit is scheduled to go to trial on Sept. 8.

The FTC's move comes in the wake of two private lawsuits against Intel, claiming the $25 billion company threatened to withhold vital technology from its customers.

It was not immediately clear whether Intel executives had met with FTC commissioners, which often happens before the commission votes on bringing a lawsuit.

Intel had previously acknowledged that the FTC was conducting a "broad business practices investigation."

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AP Photo

Andrew S. Grove, former president and chief executive officer of Intel Corp., is shown in this file photo. The Federal Trade Commission voted Monday to bring an antitrust complaint against Intel Corp.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

Converting rental property to main home has tax break

By Eric Tyson

Q: In a recent column discussing house-sale tax laws, you state that by moving into a rental property and making it his primary residence for at least two years, an owner can shield rental property profits from taxation.

However, in a quote attributed to Bob Taylor of KPMG Peat Marwick, you add that "any depreciation taken (when the property is a rental) for periods beginning after May 6, 1997, is recaptured and taxed to the extent that you have a gain in the property."



Tyson

Does that mean that depreciation taken on a rental property before May 6, 1997, is not subject to recapture tax?

As an owner of a rental property that I would like to convert to a principal residence and later sell, I am hoping that that is the case, but my natural cynicism tends to place it in the "too good to be true" category.

A: When it comes to U.S. tax laws, your instinct for cynicism is well-founded. However, for a rental property converted to a principal residence, depreciation taken on that property before May 6, 1997, is not subject to recapture tax when the property is sold.

There is a catch, however. Depreciation taken before May 6, 1997, still reduces the property's cost basis. However, any gain attributable to that reduction in basis can be shielded by the new capital gains exclusion on the sale of a principal residence: up to $250,000 for single taxpayers and $500,000 for married couples.

Say you purchased a rental property for $200,000, and then depreciation taken before May 6, 1997, reduces your basis all the way down to zero. Later you convert the property to a principal residence, live in it for at least two years and then sell it for $300,000. Since you're married, you're well within your $500,000 exclusion limit, so your entire gain, even the $200,000 attributable to depreciation, is exempt from tax.

By contrast, depreciation taken after May 6, 1997, cannot be shielded by the new exclusions on house sale profits. Whether or not your overall gain on a house sale is under your exclusion limit, depreciation taken after May 6, 1997, is "recaptured" and taxed when you sell.

Say you're married and since May 6, 1997, you've depreciated a rental property $20,000. You then move into the house and use it as your principal residence for two years before selling it for a gain of $300,000. Even though your gain falls well below your exclusion limit, that $20,000 of depreciation is still taxable because it was taken after May 6, 1997.

Q: I have a Smith Barney account, part of which is invested in the Smith Barney Diversified Strategic Income Fund. A month ago, I was desperately in need of cash and wanted to sell off part of this fund. However, my Smith Barney broker told me not to sell this fund but to sell another, MFS Total Return.

Was that good advice? Or was my broker biased toward the Smith Barney fund?

A: The problem with investing in "in-house" funds through a full-service broker is that you can never be sure about the broker's objectivity regarding those funds.

I can't judge your broker's advice because I don't know enough about your personal situation. Since the MFS fund is a balanced fund and the Smith Barney fund is a bond fund, they can't be compared on their own terms.

I do know that the MFS fund has appreciated more in recent years, so you might face a bigger capital gains tax bill by selling that fund than you would by selling the Smith Barney fund.

Depending on how big a tax hit you would take, consider dumping the Smith Barney fund altogether and replacing it with a non-Smith Barney equivalent that has lower fees.

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Williams sisters prepping for Wimbledon

By Rob Gloster
AP Sports Writer

PARIS — Venus and Serena Williams stared at each other across the net, slamming volleys on the clay and pretending they already were on the grass of Wimbledon.

While the men played a semifinal on center court at the French Open, the Williams sisters practiced on a side court and prepared for the next phase of their tennis education.

Both did well at the French Open — Venus reached the quarterfinals and Serena lost to eventual champion Arantxa Sanchez Vicario in the fourth round after coming within two points of victory — despite having little experience on clay. By the end of the tournament, when Venus' team won the mixed doubles title by defeating Serena and her partner, the siblings were predicting an all-Williams singles final next year.

Now they must adapt to a surface with which they're even less familiar, shifting from the baseline play on clay to the serve-and-volley game on grass. That would seem to play to the strengths of the Williams sisters, who have powerful serves and the athleticism to get to the net quickly for volleys.

But Venus said it also requires a different kind of patience from the long rallies on clay.

"At Wimbledon, I really have to serve and volley on the grass, make a metamorphosis in my game," she said. "I think it might be tougher for me to stay under control at the net because I have too much power. Sometimes I'll get out of control and excited."

Serena, who overpowered opponents with her shots but angered Sanchez Vicario with her aggressive attitude on the court, had a warning for Wimbledon.

"If it rains, I'm going to leave. That's all there is to it," she said. "Two days (of rain) and I'm going, I'm out of there. No more for me."

Pete Sampras certainly is looking forward to the grass. The four-time Wimbledon champion didn't last long at the French Open, losing in the second round to 97th-ranked Ramon Delgado of Paraguay.

Sampras held his No. 1 ranking, though. Marcelo Rios lost in the quarterfinals at Roland Garros, one match short of overtaking Sampras for the top spot.

Sampras was not the only American man to leave the French Open in frustration. Andre Agassi was a first-round loser and former champion Michael Chang lost in the third round.

Chang was the only U.S. man to make it past the second round, the worst showing by Americans in a Grand Slam tournament since tennis' open era began in 1968.

Agassi was defeated by Marat Safin, a Russian qualifier ranked 116th who turned into the surprise of the tournament. Safin ousted defending champion Gustavo Kuerten in the second round, and made it to the fourth round before losing to Frenchman Cedric Pioline.

The men's final was an all-Spanish affair for the second time in five years. Carlos Moya defeated Alex Corretja in straight sets for the title.

The most inspiring story of the tournament was that of Monica Seles, who reached the women's final while playing her first tournament since the May 14 death of her father.

"I think after deciding I was going to play (in the French Open), I really felt content with the decision. The last few years, I was never really content with any decision I made," she said.

"Hopefully, nothing beyond my control will happen to me in the next few years so I can really focus on my tennis career and give it the best shot that I have left."



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Venus Williams, left, and sister Serena raise their arms after their match at the Australian Open Tennis Championships in Melbourne, Australia in January. Venus won the match 7-6, 6-1. Both did well at the French Open _ Venus reached the quarterfinals and Serena lost to eventual champion Arantxa Sanchez Vicario.

Appleby latest young lion to throw hat in ring

By Ron Sirak
AP Golf Writer

POTOMAC, Md. — Throw another name on the fire. Stuart Appleby is yet one more young golfer clamoring for recognition as one of the world's better players.

The victory in the Kemper Open by the 27-year-old Australian means that for the eighth time in 21 PGA Tour events this year the winner was 28-years-old or younger.

And perhaps more significant, all eight are multiple winners in their careers. No one-hit wonders here. These golfers are going to be around for a while.

"Hopefully, this is something I can keep on for 20 years," Appleby said after he closed with a 72 at TPC at Avenel for a 10-under-par 274 and a one-stroke victory over Scott Hoch.

Along with the Honda Classic last year, Appleby has now won twice on the PGA Tour and finished second two other times.

Of the young winners this year, only Lee Westwood — an Englishman who does not play regularly in the United States — won on the PGA Tour for the first time. But if his credentials need to be checked for membership in the Young Lions Club, keep in mind that his victory in Europe this weekend was his second in two weeks.

The credentials of the other under-30 winners are more than impressive.

Phil Mickelson (27) has 12 PGA Tour victories. Tiger Woods (22) has seven, including the 1997 Masters. Among the six victories by Ernie Els (28) are two U.S. Opens.

David Duval (26) has won five times and was a very strong second this year in the Masters. Justin Leonard (25) has four victories, including the 1997 British Open, the 1998 Players Championship and was second in the 1997 PGA Championship.

The victory at Kemper last year seemed to lift Leonard to a new level. He has emerged as one of the world's top players.

"Justin used it as a kick start," Appleby said. "Hopefully, that stuff will happen to me."

Of the seven players under 28 who have won a total of eight PGA Tour events this year (Duval has two), three already have at least one major championship. The pressure of getting a breakthrough major is gone for Els, Woods and Leonard.

Mickelson in particular since he has a dozen other victories. Duval, Westwood and Appleby still have that hurdle to clear.

"I really hope this does do something in the major department," Appleby said. "Again, to get your play at a major level is another step higher. You only have four chances (each year), so the odds are a lot less than in a regular tournament."

Like virtually every other good young player on tour, Appleby recognized that he is feeding off the accomplishments of the others.

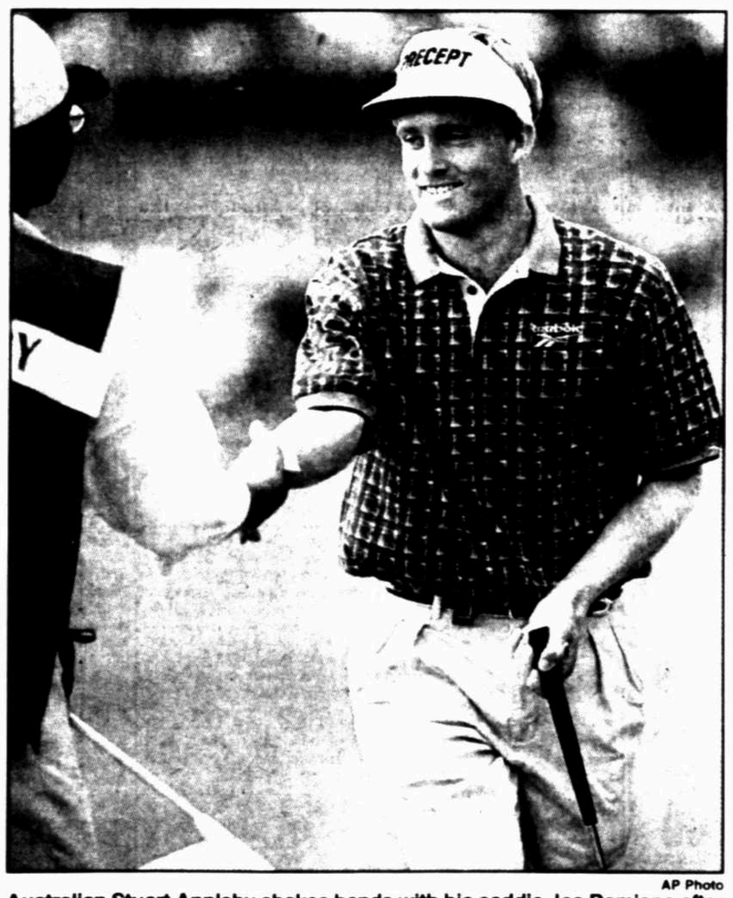
"Players are going to get better as times goes on," he said. "I'm learning from each tournament where I'm under pressure."

On Sunday, he displayed much of what he has learned. He held off an experienced Hoch down the stretch while playing in difficult wind.

Appleby played the final two holes with Hoch already in the clubhouse, and knew he could afford no mistakes. All he did was hit a perfect 7-iron to the 17th green and an even better 3-iron from 214 yards off a side hill lie to the final green.

"You can't practice competitive stress," Appleby said. "You can imagine you are holing out a putt for a tournament and that stuff is neat. But really, in the end, the real stuff is hard to get and that's what you have to learn from each time."

Count Stuart Appleby among a very talented group of young golfers who are learning their lessons well.



AP Photo

Australian Stuart Appleby shakes hands with his caddie Joe Damiano after winning the Kemper Open in Potomac, Md. Sunday with a four-day score of 274.

Martin qualifies for U.S. Open in playoff

By Joe Kay
AP Sports Writer

CINCINNATI — Casey Martin overcame a balky cart and a double bogey on the 36th hole — one he feared would be his last — before qualifying for the U.S. Open in a two-hole playoff Monday.

Martin sank a 25-foot birdie putt in the rain to clinch the fifth and final qualifying spot at Clovernook Country Club. He had failed his three previous attempts to make the Open, which will be held at the Olympic Club in San Francisco starting June 18.

"I'm going to fly around the Open. I don't think I'll need a cart. I'll be so pumped," he said, moments after winning the five-player playoff.

Until his winding putt found the middle of the cup on the par-4, 420-yard second hole, Martin figured this would wind up as a day he'd long regret.

Martin, who won a court order to ride a cart because of a circulation problem with his right leg, took a while to adjust to a newfangled one-person cart brought in for the event. It had a different breaking system than a standard cart and quit on his second hole when he accidentally kicked the power switch.

He had to walk two holes before the cart was revived.

"I liked it. There are a few kinks that need to get worked out," he said of the cart, which he'll use at the Open.

His ever-present limp grew more pronounced during the last few holes of his afternoon round, when he was trying to hold his position among the leaders. He became angry with himself after his double bogey on the par-4, 469-yard final hole.

His tee shot went behind a tree, his approach came up short and he two-putted, falling to 2-under-par 138. He slammed the door of the restroom in the clubhouse and uttered a profanity when he emerged, then went to sit in his car and cool off.

"On the last hole, I just hit six bad shots, took a double and was crushed," he said.

As he sat in his car, the rest of the field came in. Four spots went to Sam Randolph, who shot 135, and Patrick Lee, Rocky Walcher and Jason Gore, who came in at 137.

Martin got a second chance as four others finished at 138 — Eric Johnson, Chris Riley, Perry Moss and Ryan Howison.

Martin, Howison and Moss shot par on the first playoff hole to stay in contention. Martin then sank one of his most pressure-packed putts to win it in a steady rain.

"I'm just kind of stunned," said Martin, who showed little emotion when the putt fell. "I was so disappointed after I finished (the 36th hole) that I kind of wrote it off. I'm shocked that I'm here."

He thought that this qualifying attempt would end like the last three: falling in the final round. The dramatic finish Monday left him unsure how to react.

"Know what? I grew up hitting Whiffle ball shots around my yard thinking I was in the Open," he said "I guess it's going to come true."

Although course officials had prepared for an influx of thousands of fans, a group of about 50 fans and reporters followed him around the course. There was one near-mishap when his green and gray cart hit a bump and nearly clipped a course official on one hole.

Nearing the end of his afternoon round, a news helicopter noisily circled for about two holes, drawing glares from golfers and fans. Martin waved at it, hoping it would go away.

"I was really disappointed that happened," he said. "It annoyed everyone on the golf course and did absolutely no good."

He's become accustomed to attention since he sued the PGA for the right to ride a cart. He knows that won't change at the Open, where he plans to keep a low profile.

"I'm going to be the center of attention and I wish it weren't so," he said.

He also will meet some of the golfers who objected to his court case over the cart. Martin said he won't avoid them in San Francisco.

"A few guys were awfully vocal, but I look forward to seeing them," he said. "I'll say hi and we'll agree to disagree."

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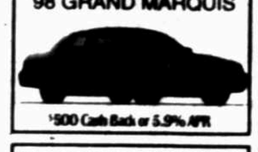
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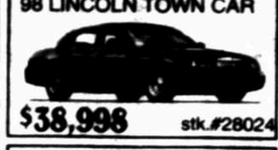
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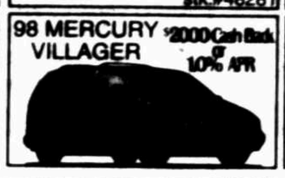
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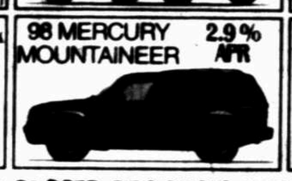

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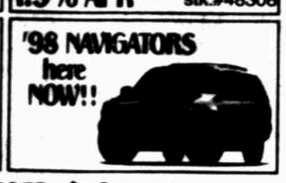
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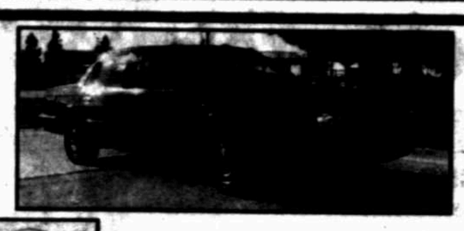
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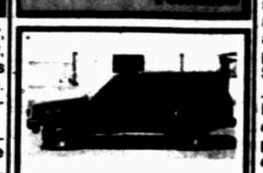
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250 Recreational Vehicles

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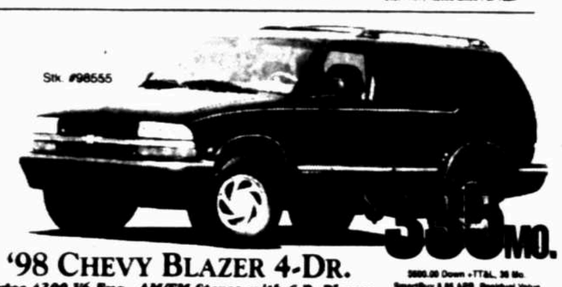
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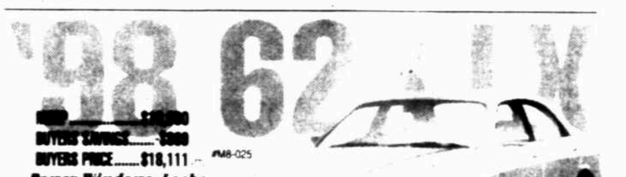
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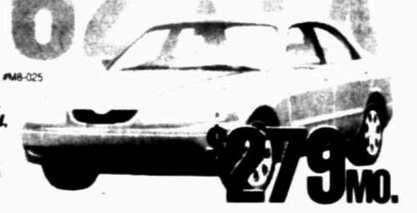


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2 CHAIRS for lease at hair salon. Call 687-4247 or 684-6256 after 6:00 pm.

3 NAIL techs wanted. 4 hair dressers wanted. With clientele preferred. Please call 570-1582.

Copy Editor
Part-time. Midland Reporter- Telegram Copy Editor needed. Nighttime hours, some weekends. 16- 20 hours a week. Degree preferred, students considered. Call Missy Hallmark at 687-8847.

ALTERNATE TEACHING Parent position- Looking for an energetic, caring professional to work with youth 6- 17 at established residential treatment facility. Extensive training in the Teaching Family Model provided. Requires good driving record and the ability to work nights. $5.85/ hour. Please call for application or pick up at High Sky Children's Ranch, 8701 W. County Road 60, Midland, TX 79707 (915)694-7728 EOE.

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MAINTENANCE Excellent opportunity for experienced apartment maintenance tech. Excellent pay, benefits & career advancement with Texas best apartment management community. Large Midland apartment community. Must be AC Certified and fully experienced in all aspects of apartment maintenance. 689-9865.

DRIVERS Needed- Local freight lines. Must have Class A CDL with all endorsements. Two years driving experience. Must have DOT physical. Heavy lifting required. Call 522-2282. Drug test required. M/ F.

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#15 Byron Road, Midland, TX. 79706
Or fax resume to: (915)689-9942.

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Midland, TX 79702

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We do not open or screen any mail that has a blind box number on the envelope. The Midland Reporter-Telegram shall not be responsible for any disclosures of information, loss of responses or misdirection of responses.

CARHOPS Needed for Day shift- 10 to 5. Cooks needed for Night Shift, 5- 12. Must be friendly and energetic. Apply in person, Sonic Drive In, 4201 Midland Drive.

COLLEGE STUDENTS or others needed. Flexible hours. Great Summer job! Apply at One Stop, 900 S. Dallas, Midland.

CUT ABOVE has openings for one hair dresser and one nail tech. Lease, call Terry Wells 697-1924.

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DELI/ BAKERY Fiesta Foods has full and part time positions open in our Deli/ Bakery. We offer good pay and benefits. Apply in person at our 2200 Rankin Highway location.

DELIVERY or Tire Technician. Must have High school diploma, good driving record. Excellent benefits including paid vacation, retirement, health insurance and opportunity for advancement. Apply in person: Credit World, 2305 N. Big Spring, Midland.

DISHWASHERS Line Attendants needed, full time. Contact Mr. Chambers at Furr's Cafeteria, 694-1619.

FULL TIME front desk and part time night audit positions are open at Hampton Inn, Midland. Great working environment, experience with Windows a plus, will be trained. Guest service skills are the most important part of the job. Apply in person, 3904 W. Wall, 9 am until 9 pm.

FASHION CLEANERS is now taking applications for dependable and responsible person to work in our Cleaning Department. Apply in person 801 W. Wall.

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DRIVERS Start Work Today! Domino's Pizza needs drivers immediately! Highest pay of any national chain! See Mary at 3302 W. Illinois.

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47 Unit KFC Franchise is looking for service oriented Shift Leaders and Team Members who want to earn up to **$5.50/ Hour starting pay!**

We Offer:
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Experienced- Inexperienced Driver Training Graduates

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EOE

DRIVERS Little Caesar's Pizza is now accepting applications for delivery drivers $6.50 per hour plus tips. Please apply at either location.

ENTERTAINMENT Now hiring for all positions. Apply in person Tilt, Midland Park Mall.

EXPERIENCED SALES Clerk/ Florist for fast paced bridal store. Bring resumes 3205 W. Cuthbert, A-9.

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IMMEDIATE OPENING for carrier. Seeking individual to deliver San Angelo Standard Times on Midland south side. Earn approx. $550 per month. Call 1-800-588-1884 ext. 293.

INSIDE SALES with Warehouse. Deliveries, and other duties. Computer helpful. Class B CDL necessary. Apply at 910 S. Big Spring.

LIVE-IN Housekeeper needed. Board and small room furnished. Perfect for single person or others. Apply at Desert Inn, 3101 Bankhead Dr. Midland. 697-7991.

MAINTENANCE POSITION open. Experience needed for large community. HVAC preferred, plus benefits. Call 699-7941.

MANAGEMENT TRAINEE needed for full- time position in busy fast oil change center. Apply in person: Village Express Lube, 604 Andrews Hwy.

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NEED MECHANIC- ASE certified a plus. Call Bill Lockhart at 1-800-545-5019

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TEACHERS First Presbyterian Child Development Center seeks part time teachers for Fall school year. 683-0851

PORTER Needed. Must be 21 years old. Apply in person at Dotson Nissan, 3917 W. Wall

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520-4053 ext. 371

RECEPTIONIST PBX experience preferred, but not required. Send resumes to Attention Missy Curtis. 5323 W Loop 250. 79707

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RESTAURANT Luby's now accepting applications. Apply 8-10 am only. Equal Opportunity Employer

ROUTE DRIVER Requirements: Clean driving record, highway driving ability, able to do heavy lifting, customer oriented, good math aptitude helpful. This is an unlimited income opportunity. Experience preferred, but will train the right individual. Apply in person: Snowhite Laundry, 303 S Terrell, Midland, Texas or fax resume to: 915-682-8032. No phone calls please.

SALES HELP needed full time. Salary DOE. Bring resume to Stride Rite in The Courtyard Monday- Saturday 10:00 am- 6:00 pm

SECURITY SPECIALIST is adding another full time alarm technician. Must be dependable, hard working, willing to learn and have good customer service skills. FBI & Background investigation required. Will train the right individual. Call Shannon: 520-0009

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SHOGUN HIRING all positions delivery drivers will train experienced personable cooks for Samurai Chefs. 570-8888

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SPA TECH needed- Must have plumbing and electrical knowledge. Duties include delivering and repairs on spas. Drug testing required. Truck preferred. Apply at Morgan Buildings & Spas, 12000 W. Hwy 80 E. Odessa, TX 79765. 1/4 mile E. of Water Wonderland.

311 Medical Help Wanted

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Are you carrying a patient load of nine to fourteen patients at a time?
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What kind of patient care can you possibly give with a patient load such as that? I can only imagine!
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Send **detailed** resume to
Nurse Connection of Wyoming, Inc.
7302 Yellowstone Road
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82009
OR
FAX: 307-778-9474

310 General Help Wanted

SUMMER WORK for College Students & 1998 High School Grads. Others. Up to $9.15. Flexible part time, full time openings. No experience necessary. Scholarships available. Conditions apply. 689-0045

DISTRICT MANAGER ASSISTANT

Need someone who is dependable and reliable to deliver office routes and school papers in the early morning hours. You will be using your own vehicle and be reimbursed for your mileage. Apply in person: Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland. EOE

THINK YOU'RE too old to work? Too young? Too many kids? Avon just may by your answer! Call Claudia 682-4712

WAITPERSON wanted. Apply in person. Cowboys II- next to Super 8 Motel on IH-20.

WAREHOUSE DELIVERY Midland based distributor has an immediate opening for the position of warehouse delivery person. Ability to drive a two ton truck and a forklift. CDL with Hazmat endorsement. Drug screen and CDL physical required. Send resume to P.O. Box 91510, Lafayette, LA 70509. Attention: Marshall Williams.

311 Medical Help Wanted

C.N.A. CLASSES- now taking applications. For more information call (915)682-5560 extension 207

PHYSICAL THERAPIST: Home Health agency seeking full time, part time Physical Therapist. Home health experience preferable- not mandatory. Must be committed to being a team player. Send resume to P.O. Box 51093, Midland, TX 79710

THRIVING FAST paced youth oriented Orthodontic office seeks career minded assistant with team spirit and communication skills. Must have great dexterity and mental quickness. Non- smoking environment. Experience preferred. Send resume to Box N-3022, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702

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COMPUTER TECHNICIAN- 2 years experience. A+ Certification preferred. Send resume to: The PC Solutions Group, 3303 N. Midkiff, Suite 191, Midland, TX 79705

CONSTRUCTION Building contractor has opportunity for Project Manager Estimator. Mail qualifications to: Contractor, P.O. Box 9821, Midland, Texas 79707

FAMILIES TOGETHER Consultant- Bachelor's degree in a related field working with children and families. Reimbursed travel with in a 17 county area serving families in their home. Bi- lingual preferred. 20K annually. E.O.E. Please call for application or pick up at High Sky Children's Ranch Families Together. 8701 W. County Road 60, Midland, 79707. (915)520-8370

GARAGE DOOR Installer. Salary DOE. Experience required. Good benefits package. Valid drivers license, drug test. 707 S. Colorado, Midland.

312 Professional Help Wanted

INDUSTRY ACCOUNTANT in San Angelo. Must have 4- 5 years experience preferably in contract job casting, and lease accounting. Computerized accounting skills needed. Please send resume and salary requirements to: Industry Accountant, P.O. Box 71, San Angelo, TX 76902

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314 Clerical Help Wanted

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Gandy Drill Pipe, Ltd.,
Attention: Chuck Woodruff- General Manager
P.O. Box 61977
Midland, Texas 79711
Fax 915-563-8175

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Attention: Chuck Woodruff- General Manager
P.O. Box 61977
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Fax 915-563-8175

314 Clerical Help Wanted

IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE. Full time teller position, will train, fax resume and salary requirements to: 699-4642.

LEGAL SECRETARY. Word perfect required. Submit resumes with salary requirements to: P.o. Box # 5077, Midland, TX 79704.

PRODUCTION ANALYST. Must be proficient in MS Word, Excel, MS Power Point a plus; Oil and Gas experience helpful. Will require typing, answering phone and other clerical duties. Send resume and salary requirements to: P.O. Box 14821, Odessa, TX 79768 or fax to 550-6295.

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318 Management Help Wanted

MANAGEMENT POSITION applications are now being accepted. Flexible schedules, good working conditions, good pay, apply at either Little Caesars Pizza store or call 520-8016

MANAGER SALES- hiring immediately. Apply in person at 2505 N. Dixie, Odessa, Texas or fax resume to: (806)795-8143 or mail to 3207 34th St., Lubbock, TX 79410

PROPERTY MANAGER NEEDED: The Housing Authority of the City of Midland is taking applications for manager position. Must be experienced in apartment rental, strong computer skills, and work well in an elderly environment. Must be honest, dependable and drug free. Knowledge of HUD reporting would be a plus. Benefits include 401K Plan, Insurance, paid vacation. Interested persons may apply at the Housing Authority office, 700 W. Scharbauer Dr., Midland, TX 79705, June 8- 11, 1998. The Housing Authority is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

320 Skilled Trades

COMMERCIAL Night foreman wanted on renovation project. 694-3762

CONSTRUCTION SUPERINTENDANT needed. Experience required. Please call Billy or Terry at 697-2282

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FIELD TECHNICIAN. Local Safety Supply Company has an immediate opening for a qualified Field Technician. Individual must have basic knowledge of electronics, DC/ AC circuits. Duties include field calibrations of gas detection equipment. 40- 50 Hours weekly. Must have clean driving record and must pass DOT drug test. Send resume to: Box B-04054, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702

HARDWARE SERVICE Technician. Network Engineers. Salary commensurate with skills and certifications. Submit resume to: Box P-06106, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 650, Midland, TX 79702.

HELP WANTED! Established manufacturing company seeks person with welding and/ or electrical experience. CDL license required. Call 563-3072, Monday- Friday, 8- 5.

HVAC Journeyman. 4 Years experience minimum, competitive pay, insurance. Call Monday through Friday 8 to 5. 915-682-8218.

LOCAL PIPELINE Contractor now accepting applications for Class A CDL Drivers, Equipment Operators and Construction Foreman. Inquire at: 4407 West Industrial, Midland, Texas.

PLUMBING- A/ C Service person. Send resume with technical experience to: Box B-04057, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

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SMALL ENGINE Mechanic wanted. Tools and references required. Good pay and benefits. Monday thru Friday. 5000 N. Midkiff.

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WELDER NEEDED: minimum 5 years experience, shop and field. Apply in person only: TCO Field Services, 2506 Garden City Hwy.

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ELDERLY CARE in your home, 24 hours/ day. Live- in rates available. Kelly at 689-2884

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340 Child Care Needed

FULL TIME Nanny position, good salary. Great kids! Live in or live out. child care experience necessary. 570-0530

BABYSITTER to watch 2 small children under the age of 2. Monday- Friday in our home. Must provide home cooked meals and lots of love! Please provide references. 697-0799 or 689-0704

341 Child Care Providers

RESPONSIBLE- RELIABLE mother will babysit in her home. Lots of park outings, hot lunch and snacks provided. Ages 3 and up please. Non- smoking environment. For further information call 699-6211

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TRUCK ACCESSORIES Business for sale. All current inventory (No dead stock). Call Marvin, 520-2223

350 Business Opportunities

LATE MODEL Coke machines for sale, $550. Accounts available. Excellent condition. 520-8182.

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410 Misc. Sales

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GE FROST free refrigerator. Large top freezer. $150. Please call 686-7123

NEW TODAY

WHITE REFRIGERATOR $200, chest $40, 2 car seats $10 and $20, white kitchen table/ chairs $80, 19" Sony TV $100. 685-3799

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CEMETERY PLOT- Garden Of Prayer, lot 54, space 8, reduced to $750. Please call 682-0355

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ELECTRIC SCOOTER. Electric mobility heavy duty Rascal Model 235. Complete with cover. 1993 Model. Excellent condition. $1,500. 694-0137 or 697-6321

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SOFTWARE TRAINING offered at Computer City- call 520-1160 for more information.

430 Household Goods

DREXEL HERITAGE game table with swivel center and 4 coaster arm chairs, $425. Expensive wicker and wood round table with 2 leafs and 4 arm chairs, $425. Complete red metal bunk beds with attached desk and chair $235. Antique oak full bed and small dresser, $450. Expensive, newly recovered mauve and teal couch, $425. Two executive desks with chairs $250 each. Decorative Type steel patio furniture- 3 cushion couch and chair $135. 915-362-2746.

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460 Antiques & Arts

FOR SALE: Madame Alexander 8" Dolls. Older Countries Storybook, Brides, Disney Alice in Wonderland, Snow White. Call 694-3140.

25% OFF ENTIRE STOCK of regularly priced merchandise through June 17th. Ellen Boyd Antiques & Fancie's at Yesterday's News, 3712 W. Wall. 689-6373.

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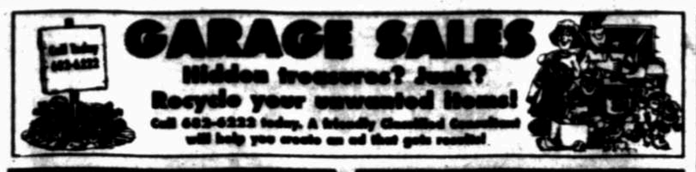
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79701

✔1704 DOUGLAS- Moving out of state sale. Wednesday 8- noon. Piano, side by side Whirlpool refrigerator, furniture, lawn equipment and more!

➢204 W. Jax. Yard Sale. Wednesday & Thursday only 8 am until dark. A little of everything- cowboy sleeper for Chevy pickup, baby items, small appliances, white baby crib with pink bumper pads, ruffle, comforter,& pillow, stroller, 2 bicycles, and much more.

79706

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AREA SALES

Heloise Hint: Need info on having a garage sale? Check with your local newspaper. Many papers that carry garage - sale ads have kits that give advice about having a sale and may even have a sign for the front yard. Write to Heloise, P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio TX 78279-5000.

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590 Legal Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Joseph Stewart Martin, Deceased, were issued on May 5th, 1998, in Docket No. P12,135, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to Carmen E. Martin.

Claims may be presented in care of the attorney for the Estate addressed as follows:

Carmen E. Martin,
Independent Executor of the Estate of Joseph Stewart Martin, Deceased,
c/o R. Paul Lancaster
Bullock, Scott, Neisig & Owens, P.C.
500 W. Texas, Suite 700
Midland, Texas 79701

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 5th day of June, 1998.

BULLOCK, SCOTT, NEISIG & OWNS
By: R. Paul Lancaster
Attorney for the Estate

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Nancy B. Lowe, Deceased, were issued on April 21, 1998, in Docket No. P12,116, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to John Bob Lowe.

Claims may be presented in care of the attorney, for the Estate addressed as follows:

John Bob Lowe,
Independent Executor of the Estate of Nancy B. Lowe, Deceased,
c/o R. Paul Lancaster
Bullock, Scott, Neisig & Owens, P.C.
500 W. Texas, Suite 700
Midland, Texas 79701

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 5th day of June, 1998.

BULLOCK, SCOTT, NEISIG & OWNS
By: R. Paul Lancaster
Attorney for the Estate

NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF O.M. BUDDY PULLIAM, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of June, 1998, Letters Testamentary were issued to Joanne Bowman, as one of the Co-Independent Executors in proceedings in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, in Probate, styled "In the Matter of the Estate of O.M. BUDDY PULLIAM, Deceased.", being Cause No. P12,089 in that Court, and which proceedings are still pending. All persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to present the same to Joanne Bowman, c/o Michael T. Morgan, Morgan, Leeton & Meyers, P.C., 306 West Wall, Suite 700, Midland, Texas 79701, within the time prescribed by law.

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Dbl	Double
A/C	Air conditioning
Mst Bdrm	Master Bdrm
Gar	Garage
Bldg	Building
Cond	Condition
N-QA	Non-Qualifying Assumable
QA	Qualifying Assumable
Ac	Acre
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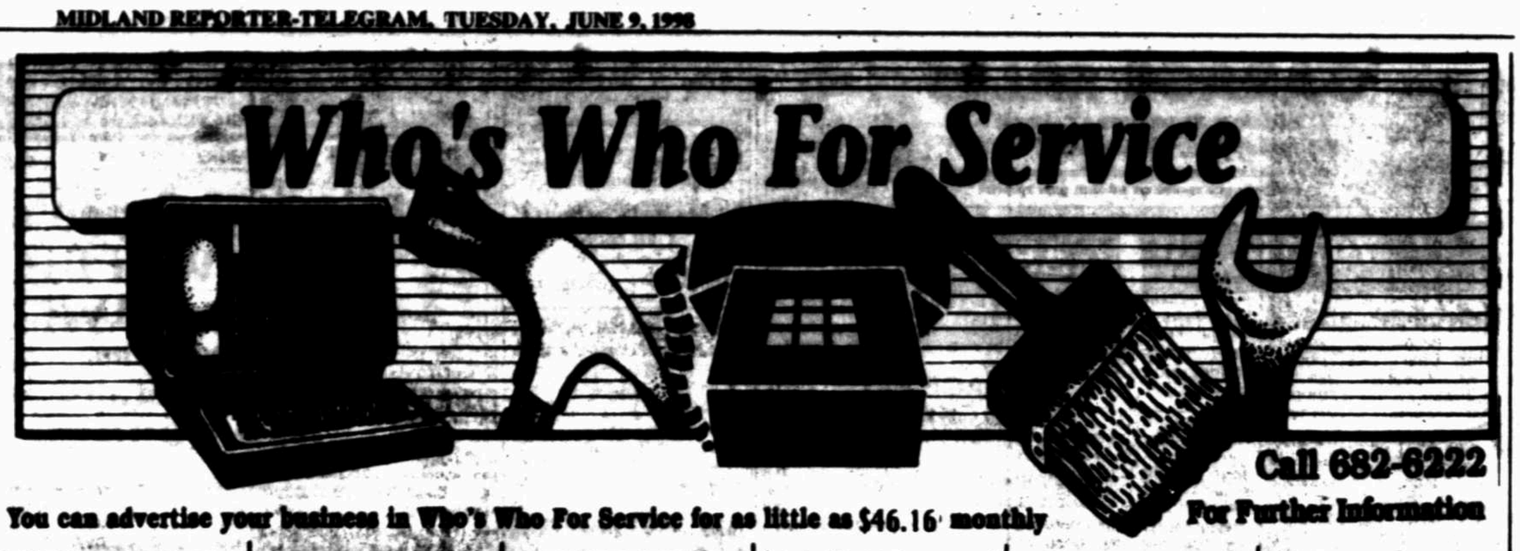
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